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ALL SORTS.

Life.

[illegible] live but one life here," he said;
[illegible] soul needs love, the body bread."
[illegible] the needy and the poor
[illegible]e, nor turned one from the door
[illegible] asked admittance to his heart.
[illegible], with a blessing, did depart.
[illegible] man will find, when death arrives,
[illegible] lived a part of many lives.

Have You?

[illegible]ve you ever helped the drunkard
To become a sober man?
[illegible] you have not, from this moment
Do for him whate'er you can;
[illegible]e's your brother—though so fallen—
And his "keeper" you should be;
[illegible]lking, coaxing, helping, loving,
Is the work for you and me.

[illegible] is ended and autumn is here,
[illegible]gh for the present we're not very far in it;
[illegible] are back again—awfully dear;
[illegible] they are back, for the month has an R in it.

[illegible] many young men there are who like [illegible] turn white when they pop.

[illegible]enerally takes two to make a quarrel, [illegible]ery often one mother-in-law is sufficient.

[illegible]REAT many men are cottage built; that [illegible]y, they have but one story. And they [illegible] ever telling it.

[illegible] you ever know a man who talked of himself who did not have a poor [illegible]t for his conversation?

[illegible] ever know a man named Jimmy," said a little [illegible] "who would you vote for, Hancock or Garfield?" "I'd go with [illegible]."

[illegible]ADWOOD mine played base-ball with [illegible] of nitro-glycerine [illegible]. The only trace of him was a hole in [illegible].

[illegible] your father in?" asked a landlord, in [illegible] back rent, from a little boy. "No, [illegible] suppose you go up stairs and ask him." [illegible]

[illegible]ural Religion: Bishop (reproving [illegible] page)—"Wretched boy! who [illegible]?" [illegible] you, my lord."

[illegible] of 12 years, dining at his uncle's, [illegible] a good dinner that his aunt observed: "Johnny, you appear to eat well." [illegible] replied the urchin, "I've been [illegible] eating all my life."

[illegible]ting of the prodigal son, on exhibition in one of the Paris galleries, is [illegible] as follows: "The prodigal son in [illegible] his parents." [illegible]

[illegible] Bachelor's Ball lately given at Kensington House, in London, the Princess of [illegible] who danced several times, wore a [illegible] gold brocade and satin, with deep [illegible] fringes, and yellow roses with [illegible] in her hair.

[illegible] her little grandson: "Go [illegible] my child, you look unhappy. Go [illegible] to the yard and feed the [illegible] and take a boat ride." "Thanks, [illegible]ma, I'd rather go to the balcony and [illegible]."

[illegible]ARATOGA has now another diamond lady, [illegible] not being enough. The present candidate [illegible]Mrs. Bell, of California. Her diamonds [illegible] said to be worth about two hundred and [illegible] thousand dollars, and she is followed [illegible] valet who is their especial custodian.

[illegible]EDDY MILES, of Cleveland, aged four, [illegible]mpanied his parents to church. On en[illegible]ng they knelt and bowed low. As they [illegible]med their seats, thus Master Fred: "Is [illegible] 'fraid 'cause God is here?" "Why, no, [illegible]!" "Then what makes you hide?"

[illegible]RGYMEN in Philadelphia who are un[illegible] to get away to the watering-places are [illegible]ching what they call sermonettes, [illegible] little ones, not intended to save [illegible], but to simply keep his majesty from [illegible]ving in and occupying the churches dur[illegible] the dull season.

[illegible] the death of his mother, Lady Cowper, [illegible] had property in five counties, one es[illegible] alone paying fifty thousand dollars a [illegible], the Viceroy of Ireland becomes one of [illegible] wealthiest men in Great Britain, and, it [illegible]aid, will probably resign, in order to look [illegible] his revenues.

[illegible]UST as the visitors in the country and at [illegible] seaside get fairly used to washing their [illegible] in a tin basin of water and wiping [illegible] on a very familiar towel, it is time to [illegible] up and go home, where the comforts of [illegible] are abundant. The season isn't quite [illegible] enough to permit of having a real good [illegible]

[illegible] son of a distinguished Paris surgeon [illegible] a prize at the "grand competition." [illegible] delighted father clasps his boy to his [illegible] and says: "Well done, my noble [illegible] I'll give you your choice. [illegible] go the theatre or to [illegible] [illegible] the post-mortem [illegible] [illegible] the happy youth.

[illegible] Sunday School Union [illegible] Board of Managers [illegible] why so few British cler[illegible] attended the Robert Raikes [illegible] which were in charge of the [illegible] clergy of the Church of En[illegible] very few exceptions, gave the [illegible] cold shoulder. They are inter[illegible] own Sunday school work, but [illegible] part with outsiders and [illegible] religious proceedings.

[illegible] the annual meeting of the Poor Clergy [illegible] poration in London, a report was [illegible] which stated that the number of ap[illegible]als to the Corporation had been unusually [illegible]merous, and that, owing to the agricul[illegible]al depression, some of the clergy had been [illegible]duced to great privations. In many cases [illegible]re livings were endowed with glebe, the [illegible]nge in the value of lands produced a sud[illegible] and almost ruinous loss, thus the com[illegible]tee rejoiced that, in spite of this depres[illegible], their funds had increased, and 427 [illegible] had been made, ranging from £5 to [illegible], as against 356 in the previous year.

[illegible] CLERGYMAN, on his way home from [illegible]p-meeting, was detailing some incidents [illegible]amp-life. Among others was one of an [illegible] couple who had supplied themselves [illegible] a bottle of penny-royal oil, with which [illegible] keep of the mosquitoes. They extin[illegible]hed their light, and retired, forgetting [illegible]r antidote. The mosquitoes were very [illegible], and, after standing it as long as they [illegible]d, the old lady got up, and, getting a [illegible]-filled ink-bottle instead of the oil, gave [illegible] old gentleman a thorough lubricating [illegible] the liquid, face, hands, and feet; she [illegible] anointed herself in like manner. They [illegible] essayed to court the drowsy god, but [illegible] only get an occasional nap. Finally [illegible] old lady got up and struck a light, [illegible]ng a glance at the bed she had just left, [illegible]eheld to her horror a colored "pus[illegible] as she supposed, stretched in the [illegible] of her spouse. She quietly got the [illegible]r and nearly beat the old fellow's brains [illegible] before discovering her mistake. Later [illegible] the night we discovered the old couple [illegible] on board the boat with us, he with his [illegible] nearly as big as a bale of hay, and she [illegible] for him with the greatest solicitude.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

The New Arrival.

A charming little tiddy iddy bit of mother's bliss,
A tiny toddles, sweet as flow'rs of spring;
A precious popsy wopsy—give its mammy, dear, a kiss,
A pretty darling itsy witsy ting!

PA.

So that's the little fellow! H'm. A hea thy looking chap.
Another mouth to feed, as sure as fate!
No, wife, I don't consider that his coming's a mishap,
But still I could have done with less than eight.

BROTHER.

My eye! Is that the baby? What a jolly little pup!
But I say, ma, wherever is its nose?
And I say, father, by and by, when he grows up,
He'll wear my worn-out jackets, I suppose.

UNCLE.

Another? Well, thank goodness I am not a married man.
What! Don't I think him pretty? No, I don't.
To keep him from the workhouse you must do the best you can;
Don't think that I'll assist you, for I won't!

DOCTOR.

How are we getting on to-day? I trust we are doing well.
We mustn't think we're strong just yet, you know;
We'd better take something which this afternoon I'll send.
And let me see—hum!—ha! Ah, yes, just so.

NURSE.

He's lovely, that he is, mum! See them sturdy little legs!
He's twice the size of Lady Smither's third!
And when he comes a cutting of his little toothy pegs,
He'll be a man, he will, upon my word.

NEIGHBOUR.

Oh yes, dear, he looks healthy, but you mustn't trust to that—
I do not wish, of course, your hopes to dash,
But when I see a tender babe so ruddy, strong, and fat,
I—look, dear, on his face! Is that a rash?

MA (da capo.)

A charming little tiddy iddy bit of mother's bliss,
A tiny toddles, sweet as flow'rs of spring;
A precious popsy wopsy—give its mammy, dear, a kiss,
A pretty darling itsy witsy ting!

Fashion Notes.

PILGRIM suits are destined to great popularity.

TEA and coffee stained laces are much worn.

TRAVELLING suits of gray cheviot are in pilgrim style.

LARGE red chenille cords will be used in millinery.

BONNETS will be trimmed with long piled silk plush.

JET and garnet will be used in dresses and bonnets.

HOODS or capes appear on straight directory mantles.

LONG straight directory mantles will be the fall wraps.

STRINGS of new bonnets are of plush, lined with satin.

SKIRTS are either very plain or much ruffled and draped.

A PEARL or diamond fastened in the ear is the most fashionable style of earring.

OLD India shawls are cut up to make trimmings for nun's vailing costumes.

WOOLEN goods bordered on one selvage with stripes are a feature on fall goods.

THE new metal ornaments for hats and bonnets are large and very handsomely finished.

PLUSH and furry felt hats and bonnets are among the first fall productions and importations.

BAGS, or reticules, carried on the arm or fastened to the waist, accompany nearly all new costumes.

CLOTH of gold, embroidered with pearl, garnet, and amber beads, appears among choice fall importations.

COIFFURES are not quite so low in the back as they have been, but the tendency is to plain and flat, not fluffy, hair dressing.

GOLD and silver brocaded stuffs for evening wear, as parts of costumes, are still further enriched with seal and crystal bead embroideries.

LARGE and finely-finished clasps, resembling cloak clasps, but more ornate and jewelled, will be used to fasten the plush strings of bonnets.

A PRETTY sash to wear with a white tume can be made of white toileresliense, finished at the ends with sections of India shawl patterns.

THE richest evening and full dress toilets are made more ornate with bead embroideries of jet, pearls, crystal, amber, and garnet, than ever.

LARGE, widespread, deeply-notched Directoire collars of silk, plush, satin, and velvet are edged with ruffles of Languedoc lace and worn with any costume.

A FAVOURITE combination for fall suits is [illegible]chman's drab for the principal part of the [illegible]tume, with borderings of shaded stripes [illegible] heliotrope and Ophelia.

THE hair is now dressed very loosely, and [illegible] great art of the coiffeur is to arrange the [illegible] so that it seems quite "neglige." It [illegible] rather low in the back of the neck.

THE style of dress consisting of a skirt and polonaise is come quite into fashion again after being given up for some time. This style admits of a number of pretty arrangements, especially for light fabrics.

LACE enjoys renewed favour, and will continue until the winter toilets appear. To be handsome they must be yellow, and white laces are dipped in an infusion of tea to make them the acceptable shade. They are put on all kinds of dresses and millinery.

THE fashion of tacking on a narrow fluting of some bright contrasting colour round the edge of the dress inside, but so as to show beyond, has now become very general. Crimson satin is especially handsome on a black dress.

A PRETTY wrap of early autumn is called the directoire mantle, gathered about the neck and shoulders, very long, and decidedly graceful. It is sometimes made of light-coloured Indian cashmere, trimmed with yellow Mechlin lace, and with amber, gold, and gray beads.

IN London brown, blue, dark green, and olive are the leading colours in riding habits made still in cloth, but often in stockingette. No braiding is used and horn buttons. Ladies in London all wear floral bouquets on horseback and low-crowned felt hats are superseding the high silk ones.

THE colours for the early fall will be heliotrope in all shades (which include mauves and violets), sea-browns and coffee-browns (coffee in the bean, roasted and ground), vanilla, a shade of yellow resembling Indian corn, slate-gray, willow-green, steel-blue, and porcelain-blue.

ELOPEMENTS are becoming quite fashionable. A horse ran away with one of the oldest maids in Hamilton.

MRS. LANGTRY has looked so lovely since she wore old gold satin that her popular name has been changed to the Amber Witch.

THE ladies of the Eastern harems now begin for the first time to feel the burdens of the late war in the plentiful lack of their attar of roses. The producers used to be obliged to furnish it to the Sultan's family at a nominal price, but are now at liberty to ask prices which put it beyond the reach of the royal ladies.

How Lovely.

Here is a short story about an English damsel: "She had a perfect inspiration about a dress. Only one woman in London could carry it out. But was she to be trusted? Well, it must be risked, for no one else could do it. Mme. —— promises the strictest secrecy, but being an artist cannot keep to herself her enthusiasm about this wonderful dress. It was an idyll, a fugue, a sonata, I know not what of [illegible]. The evening comes on which the dress is to be worn, the delightful owner struggling up the stairs and, advancing to greet her hostess, beholds her in a [illegible] on. Words are powerless to depict her agony of mind, increased by the observations of one or two intimates, "Oh, your dress is exactly like Lady ——'s. How lovely it is!" Like Lady ——'s, when the idea was entirely her own. It was hard."

Hypocrite Gold in Kentucky.

"Sy, mister," as he walked up to the proprietor of a jewellery store who stood behind the counter, "have you got any of these here finger rings—these here—these—oh, I forgit what you call 'em?"

"Gold rings?" asked the proprietor.

"No, not quite gold rings—oh, yes; hypocrite gold rings; that's it."

"I can't understand what you mean by that," said the proprietor, with a stare.

"I mean," said the young man, "this kind of gold that looks like gold and isn't gold; the kind that most everybody is wearing now-a-days. I want a ring for my girl, and I want you to scratch on the inside 'Jim Brown to Sallie Jones.' Don't care what it costs. You can go as high as half a dollar for it all if you want to. It's a be-gagement ring."

The boss took it all in, and soon fixed him off with a "hypocrite" gold ring, done up in the softest cotton.

Neilson's Bouquet.

Her intellectual grasp of Shakspeare, writes Nym Crinkle, was not a fine one. She did not give greater or nearer sense to his [illegible] her will to [illegible] heights. But she cast the [illegible] shimmer of her beauty over them, and the public mistook the external shine for an internal fire. Such an alabaster vase, illuminated so splendidly, quite filled the bill of sweetness and light for some of the poetic reviewers, and the files of the New York papers will yet unfold to the curious [illegible] some of the most erratic effusions expended in her praise that ever passed muster under the name of criticism. The best acting that the writer of this article ever saw Miss Neilson do was between the acts. He called upon her one afternoon at the Fifth Avenue hotel, and while there three enormous baskets of flowers were sent in by the [illegible] of a millionaire banker. From this collection she was to choose the one that should be sent up to her upon the stage in the evening. She was severely critical, turned them around, and finally, with delightful disdain, thought "that one would do." The florist bowed and went away. That night, after the second act of "Romeo and Juliet," she was recalled. While bowing and blushing at the footlights, there was a stir in the aisle and two ushers made their way to the orchestra with the ponderous and beautiful basket of flowers. I never saw anything so spontaneous, so childishly natural, and so unspeakably charming as her astonishment. She looked at it with her handsome eyes filled with tears of surprise, and then she looked at the audience as if there must be some mistake and the gift could not be intended for so unworthy an artist as herself. The audience encouraged her by applause, and she clasped her hands and peered over its edge and trembled a little from the force of the unexpected honor. Then she picked it up, and, beaming [illegible], flowers and actress were one in one variegated mass of loveliness. I never saw her do anything which, for high art, compared with that. But her Rosalind was to my mind one of the most beautiful stage exhibitions I ever witnessed. Miss Neilson opened up a new order of dramatic criticism in New York. One of the most poetic, if not one of the best, of the critics made a shrine for her in his literature, and wove all the adjectives in the language into his wampum. He has now thrown upon her grave the astonishing but grateful opinion that she was the greatest and noblest actress of her epoch.

Petroleum as Fuel.

The mail steamer Cesarewitch is described by the special correspondent of the London *Daily News*. It is English built, and is the swiftest mail steamer on the Caspian, being only surpassed in speed by the Nasr Eddin Shah war steamer. To convey it from the Baltic to the Caspian, it was necessary that it should traverse the whole of the Neva ship canal, and afterwards descend the Volga to Astrakan. On the Neva Canal are fifty-four locks, and the Cesarwitch's length was too great to allow of her entering them. Her present chief engineer, Mr. Vine, an Englishman, cut her into two pieces amidships and filling up the open extremities with iron bulkheads, floated her in this guise through the canal. At Astrakan the same gentleman put her together again, and has remained ever since in charge of her machinery. Her boilers are heated by petroleum refuse instead of coal, a system which effects an enormous saving of expense and labour, the heating apparatus being as thoroughly under control as a gas jet, and requiring but one man to manipulate it. It consists of two tubes, about an inch in diameter, terminating at the same point in a small oblong brass box. Through one of these tubes the black residual naphtha (*astatki*) drops slowly, being blown into spray by a jet of steam from the boiler, conveyed through the second tube. This spray when ignited, forms a great sheet of flame, which is projected into the hallow of the boiler. It has the immense advantage of requiring no stoking, as no ashes are produced; and by turning down the flame to the required degree, the steam can always be kept up to the pressure required for immediate starting without the tedious and more or less wasteful process of "banking" the fires. An arrangement like this is invaluable for cruisers lying off an enemy's port, and requiring to hold their steam in readiness. It is intended to apply the same system of heating to the locomotives on the Tiflis Baku Railway, when completed; and it will, doubtless, play an important part in the steam communicatio[redacted] night attracts many foreigners in Swedish Lapland during the month of June. For six weeks there is scarcely any night in the north of Sweden; the sun never sets, and the soil, constantly heated, produces in a month and a half barley and other crops. At that time of the year Laplanders pen up their reindeers and move their huts toward the cultivated fields. Being very hospitable, they greet with joy the arrival of tourists, who generally meet at Mount Gellaware, about ninety miles from Lurea. From the hill, which is about six hundred yards high, the beautiful spectacle of the "midnight sun" can be admired in better conditions than from any other place. The 24th of June is the day selected for the observation; it is the longest day in the year, the sun being twenty-two hours above the horizon. This year the 24th of June was not favoured by fine weather, and owing to a cloudy sky the sun was not visible at midnight, but the following day travellers were well rewarded for their trouble, the sun shining brightly at midnight.

THE Turks are excessively irritated against the Armenian Patriarch, and not long ago, during a visit he paid to a pasha, poison was given him in a cup of coffee. The Patriarch was made very ill, but after returning home he called physicians, who relieved him.

A Queen's Baby.

THE RITES AND VEXATIONS THAT ATTEND THE BIRTH OF ROYAL INFANTS IN SPAIN.

The Queen of Spain is going to have a baby. The cable has records of the agitation in Madrid and the aspect of the court. Never was the birth of an heir to the throne awaited with greater anxiety. The Liberals, confident of the progress of democracy, await the event with smiles; but bitter quarrels are fomenting among the partisans of the sister of the King and the enemies of her friend, Premier Canovas. And yet in the monarchical ranks you can hear only shouts of joy. The courtiers cannot see what is at their feet. They believe that the birth of the child of the king will permanently establish the Spanish monarchy.

The Spaniards will be charmed by the majestic pomp that will attend the birth of the child. The Spanish women, who regard every son of their King as in a measure their own child, will openly express their delight. For the sake of the royal baby, they will pardon the Queen's Austrian birth. But the singular disdain which all the democratic journals have shown for the absurdities of court etiquette on this occasion shows the little importance that they attach to the birth of a son of Alphonso.

No efforts have been spared to give to this event a solemn aspect. All the old etiquette is to be revived. The mother is forbidden to nurse her first baby. They have compelled this woman, when taken with the first pains of child birth, to consent to receive strangers in her presence. Three habitations, furnished modestly to please the poor people, are set apart for the expected heir, and all the ceremonies that gave such eclat to the birth of Alphonso will be reenacted for his son. One rite, neglected then, will be performed to-day. The name of the child will be written in the Civil Register. Kings, therefore, are the sons of citizens, the same as other people. They are no longer the sons of God. The King will acknowledge this by the registry. It is a fair sign of the progress of the times. It shows the inevitable subordination in Spain, as elsewhere, of royal authority to the authority of the people. The essential ideas of revolutions are recognized in this concession. Such reactions are hours of repose for the growing strength of democratic ideas.

Not a single movement of the Queen mother will escape the notice of the envious public. With the first pains of her approaching maternity, Premier Canovas and his Minister of Justice, dressed in court uniform, will walk into the apartments of Queen Christine. The doctor will certify that she is about to become a mother, and the Ministers will announce the news to the great crowd of guests invited by the King's decree of the 6th of August.

A brilliant assembly will fill the superb salons of the palace. Numbers of ladies, with long-trained dresses, will majestically move up the grand staircase, one of the handsomest and largest in the world. Glance at the salons, and you will see an historical procession. The old, however, must take warmth from the new. The different military orders will stand at the side of committees of Congress and of the Senate. Near them will stand the deputies of Asturias, privileged province from the time when King Pelayo and his bear-killing sons made it the rampart of Spanish liberty. All will appear in uniforms embellished in gold and silver. Plumed hats and silk stockings are to be worn. The cavaliers of Santiago, wrapped in long cloaks, will march at the side of the chevaliers of the orders of the good King Charles III. and of that strong woman called Isabella the Catholic. Christian Rome, which has played so important a part in the history of Spain, will be represented by the Archbishop of Toledo, by the Patriarch of the Indes, and by a committee from the Tribunal de las Rota, a unique tribunal created specially for Spain, an offshoot from the Papacy rooted in the heart of the faithful nation.

The nobility are to be represented by a committee dressed in sumptuous and picturesque costumes, and the army by the Minister and Captain General of Castile, of which Madrid is the capital. The people will also be represented by a committee from the Ayuntamiento, a corporation elected by them. Representatives of great nations are also to contribute to this pompous display, made exclusively in the interests of the dying Bourbon dynasty. All the diplomatic corps have been invited.

When the child is born the venerable Marchioness de Santa Cruz, who performs the functions of chief lady of the bedchamber, will announce to Senor Canovas the happy event, the sex of the child, and the condition of its august mother. Then Senor Canovas, in his sharp and telling voice, will give the news to the invited guests. The times are tempestuous. Monarchy seems to be on its last legs. This birth in a salon so crowded, so gay, so excited, so full of all sorts of passions, will actually be saluted as the birth of an established monarchy. Alphonso will appear bearing his newly born son or daughter on a salver. Senor Canovas will raise the tray aloft and exhibit the child to the diplomatic corps and to all the assembled guests. The Minister of Justice will act as notary and register the birth. Then the roar of artillery will announce to all Madrid that the child has seen the light of the beautiful land of Spain. If a boy, twenty-five guns will be fired; if a girl, only fifteen. A white flag will also be raised if it is a girl, and if it is a boy the red and yellow flag of the nation will be hoisted. The baptismal ceremonies are to be new and gorgeous. It is intended to welcome this child as a redeemer, who comes, according to monarchists, to save his father. Like Jesus, he will be baptized with the water of the Jordan. The Marquis de Villa y Mantilla has sent to the King water from the holy river in a magnificent vessel of Bohemian crystal, adorned with silver ornaments. The King received it with extreme pleasure.

Royalty and religion travel through life together, and religion, grateful for the good services of King Alphonso, has consented to emerge from its home to meet the child that comes to it so apropos. The nuns of the Meson de Paredes have sent to the palace the font in which Santo Domingo de Guzman, a saint, born in Madrid, and profoundly revered, was baptized. From this font the son of the King will receive his baptism.

But what a great ado is made over this little unborn innocent! The ambitions of the court are pursuing the child before its birth. The powerful hand of the King's sister has made itself felt in all his decisions and decrees in reference to the birth of his child. From the old times of the weak King, Don Juan II., the first son of the Kings of Spain was proclaimed and acknowledged as the inheritor of the crown. They called him Prince d'Asturias. His patri[redacted] Francisca Isabella, the sister of the King. As the son of Alphonso must naturally be the Prince d'Asturias, his birth will rob the King's sister of her title of Princess, a dignity that makes her the superior of all her sisters. She cannot avoid this terrible blow to her pride, if the child is a boy; but she has tried to escape it, and to remain Princess, or at least to prevent anybody else from gaining the title, provided the child should prove to be a girl. Senor Canovas is the servile fanatic of royalty in Spain, and the despotic master of the monarch. He is a thorough believer in the importance of the actual Princess, who has the same hatred of the people and the same supercilious airs as himself. He is sincere in his belief that the energy and intelligence of the Princess are necessary for the pristige of the monarchy in Spain, and he has desired to spare her by compelling the King to sign a decree confirming her title, even if he should be the father of a daughter. Even if the daughter were made Princess d'Asturias she might lose the title, for the King is still young, and he may yet have a son. A son's birth would rob the daughter of the dignity. It remains to be seen whether Queen Christine, who does not love her sister-in-law, will consent to allow her to carry off a dignity claimed by the Liberal party for her child. This same Canovas, who holds in 1880 that the daughters of kings ought not to be Princesses of Asturias, forced the honor upon the sister of the King in 1875. In 1875 he wished to honour and elevate her, and to-day he tries to confirm her dignity and power.

The reactionary nobles, the most powerful soldiers, and all those who form the Liberal opposition in the monarchy, hate and fear the sister of the Queen, and have united in a protest against the proposed robbery of the daughter of a monarch of a rightful title. They act thus with the object of shaking the indisputable power of the Princess, and of flattering the Queen by fanning the antipathies that are supposed to exist between the two women, thereby gaining for themselves a foothold in the court.

If the child is a son, the cross of Victoria, in memory of the oak cross which was the only banner of Pelayo when from the Asturian Mountains he began his struggles with the Moors, will be presented to the inheritor of the crown, together with the insignia of the Golden Fleece, and the crosses of Isabella the Catholic, Charles III., and San Juan de Jerusalem, which will secure for him the dignity of Prince d'Asturias.

A Royal Encore.

I am told that at a German concert or opera they hardly ever encore a song; that though they may be dying to hear it again, their good breeding usually preserves them against requiring the repetition. The King may encore; that is quite another matter; it delights everybody to see that the King is pleased, and as to the actor encored his pride and gratification are simply boundless.

The King of Bavaria is a poet and has a poet's eccentricities, with the advantage over all other poets of being able to gratify them, no matter what form they may take. He is fond of opera, but not fond of sitting in the presence of an audience; therefore, it has sometimes occurred in Munich, that when an opera has been concluded and the players are getting off their paint and finery again. Presently the King would arrive solitary and alone, and the players would begin at the beginning and do the entire opera over again, with only that one individual for an audience.

Once he took an odd freak in his head. High up and out of sight, over the prodigous stage of the Court Theatre, is a maze of interlacing water pipes, so pierced that in case of fire innumerable little thread-like streams of water can be caused to descend, and in case of need this discharge can be augmented to a pouring flood. American managers might make a note of that. The King was the sole audience. The opera proceeded. It was a piece with a storm in it; the mimic thunder began to mutter, the mimic wind began to wail and sough, and the mimic rain to patter. The King's interest rose higher and higher; it developed into enthusiasm. He cried out:

"It is good, very good, indeed! But I will have real rain. Turn on the water."

The manager pleaded for a reversal of the command, said it would ruin the costly scenery and the splendid costumes, but the King cried:

"No matter, no matter, I will have real rain! Turn on the water!"

So the real rain was turned on and began to descend in gossamer lances [illegible] the mimic flower beds and gravel walk[illegible]. The richly dressed actress[illegible] tripped about singing bravely [illegible] ing not to mind it. The K[illegible] ed; his enthusiasm grew h[illegible] out, "Bravo, bravo! More [illegible] lightning! Turn on more rain!"

The thunder boomed, the lightning glared, the storm wind raged, the deluge poured down. The mimic royalty of the stage, with their soaked satins clinging to their bodies, slopped around ankle deep in water, warbling their sweetest and best, the fiddlers under the eaves of the stage sawed away for dear life, with the cold overflow spouting down the backs of their necks, and the dry and happy King sat in his lofty box and wore his gloves to ribbons applauding.

"More yet!" cried the King; "more yet; let loose all the thunder, turn on all the water. I will hang the man that raises an umbrella!"

When the most tremendous and effective storm that had ever been produced in any theatre was at last over the King's approbation was measureless. He cried:

"Magnificent, magnificent! Encore! Do it again!"

But the management succeeded in persuading him to recall the encore, and said the company would feel sufficiently rewarded and complimented in the mere fact that the encore was demanded by his Majesty, without fatiguing him with a repetition to gratify their own vanity.

During the remainder of the act the lucky performers were those whose parts required changes of dress; the others were a soaked, bedraggled and uncomfortable lot, but in the last degree picturesque. The stage scenery was ruined; trap doors were so swollen that they wouldn't work for a week afterward; the fine costumes were spoiled, and no end of minor damage was done by that remarkable storm.

It was a royal idea—that storm—and royally carried out. But observe the moderation of the King; he did not insist upon his encore. If he had been a gladsome, unreflecting American opera audience he probably would have had his storm repeated and repeated until he drowned all those people.

MARK TWAIN.

About Long Sermons.

This is a matter for the pew rather than the pulpit to settle. And for obvious reasons. The main purpose of all preaching is the good of the occupants of the pew, not the exhibition of the preacher's staying powers of speaking or reading. The latter should be exhibited always as subservient to, and regulated by, the amount of good likely to be done. It is, or ought to be, quite a secondary matter how much personal honour and glory shall accrue to the preacher. Now in order that his grand object may be served the preacher must be swayed by various considerations. The *taste* of his audience must be consulted. Not in the way of servile truckling to prejudices, but in the spirit that influenced Paul "to be all things to all men." Their *comfort* must be taken into account also, for if people are in a state of discomfort, or weariness, they cannot possibly attend to or be influenced by a preacher, unless, indeed, he be of such an exceptional kind as is only met with once or twice in a generation. Above all, the occupant of the pulpit should see to it that the spiritual food he provides for the occupants of the pews should not be of that heavy, cloying, and mentally indigestible kind that is so often served up by injudicious prosers. Let the [redacted] of doctrine or scientific subjects of dispute,—for the press has opened up a wide and appropriate field for these,—but plain, and yet well constructed, declarations of those eternal principles of Gospel Truth that bear on the life of man in the great hereafter, and on the regulation of his life here. The limit of human endurance can pretty well be fixed by the system of averages, and we are not far wide of the mark when we say that twenty-five to thirty minutes of a sermon is as much as is desirable, or likely to be productive of good. If the subject be too wide to be exhausted in that time it can be taken up again, and even a series of discourses on it prepared. But the series system also may be pushed too far, especially if the subject be intrinsically a narrow one, such was that selected by the Irish minister who gave eight discourses on the subject of Balaam's ass. A ninth was in preparation, when one of his elders remonstrated with him, and said that the whole congregation were, by this time, earnestly wishing "*that Balaam's ass had never been foaled!*"

IT is stated that nearly thirty steamers, each averaging four thousand tons actual carrying weight, leave America every week for England laden with provisions of various kinds.

GENERAL.

THE Italian Parliament has ordered of monument to Victor Emmanuel, at a cost a $1,300,000.

IT is customary to mine coal so closely as to leave pillars of insufficient size and strength to support the earth which is left on top. The people of the Plains, near Wilkesbarre, are greatly distressed by the caving in of the earth beneath them from this cause. The fall goes on piecemeal, with a succession of petty earthquakes. These wreck houses and barns, and produce general alarm among the residents, who cannot tell at what moment any house may be tipped over and demolished.

NEWS comes from India that the famous car of Juggernaut was not as usual dragged through the streets of Puri on the 9th of July; and it seems that by religious custom or law, if it be not drawn on the ninth day of the car festival twelve years must elapse before it is again used. The fact of the car not being brought out this time is attributed by a correspondent to what he calls "an act of unpardonable negligence on the part of meddling Government officials," and that is all he has to say about it.

GUY'S, the greatest hospital in London, has of late been in the hubbub of a fierce conflict between the nursing and medical authorities. Public opinion is largely on the side of the latter. The Treasurer has been publicly hissed by the students in a body. Guy's was endowed, with property now worth $200,000 a year, by a bookseller who had speculated in South Sea stock. He was on the eve of matrimony with his servant girl, but the marriage is said to have been frustrated by the exhibition of a tendency on her part to "wear the breeches," by giving an order to a workman.

THE Empress Eugenie will leave England in the autumn to take up her permanent residence at her chateau in Switzerland, which was the home of the third Emperor's mother after the Bourbon restoration. It is understood that the Empress will remove the remains of her husband and son to the oratory attached to the chateau. All the furniture of Camden House not removed to Switzerland will be distributed for remembrance among friends, nothing being allowed to pass under the hammer of the auctioneer. The Empress can afford this respect for the imperial tradition, as she possesses an income of over $200,000 a year, and does not spend a sixth of it.

MANUEL RODRIGUEZ, a nephew of Malibran, well known in Spanish society as a financist and political agent, has been condemned in Paris to three months imprisonment for theft. He is 50 years old, and has long enjoyed a reputation for probity. His counsel pleaded kleptomania. Rodriguez latterly made a trade of stealing opera glasses in theatres and selling them. Sixty were found in his lodging. One belonged to the Duc d'Aumale and another to the Prince de Joinville, with whom he was personally acquainted. He was also in the habit of stealing waistcoats from Bachelor friends. In 1870 he founded an ambulance corps, for which Jules Simon, Thiers, and Jules Favre thanked him in autograph letters.

"WHAT is the origin of the sign '$' for the American dollar?" was the question propounded at a London dinner not long ago. The [illegible] did not know; neither [illegible]. An extensive research re[illegible]: The American dollar [illegible] Spanish dollar, and the [illegible] of course, in the [illegible] of the Spanish dollar. On the reverse side of a Spanish dollar is a representation of the Pillars of Hercules, and round each pillar is a scroll, with the inscription, "*Plus ultra.*" This device in the course of time has degenerated into the sign which stands at present for American as well as Spanish dollars—"$." The scroll round the pillars represents the two serpents sent by Juno to destroy Hercules in his cradle.

A NEW process for the preservation of forage crops in their green state is being tested at Suffield Con. Into a cutter, which goes by steam, are run half a dozen cornstalks at a time, which are cut into very small pieces. Afterward they fall into a slide, which takes them to a vault fourteen by twenty-six feet long and ten deep, which has thick concrete walls, and is capable of holding eighty-five tons. When the vault is filled and closely packed down, thirty ton of stone is placed on top. It is claimed that the fodder will keep green and retain its sweetness as long as it is kept covered, thus making it one of the best as well as the cheapest kinds of feed obtainable for cattle the year round. It is not intended, however, that this feed shall be sold, and indeed it could not be, as after twenty-four hours, exposure fermentation would set in, which, of course, would ruin it. It can be taken out only a little at a time as it is needed for use.

The Crater of Mount Etna.

(London News.)

Prof. Orazio Silvestri wrote from Catania on the 15th of July that since his report on the 1st of last May about the eruption of ashes from Mount Etna he has observed many other interesting phenomena. On the 16th and 17th of last May some slight shocks of earthquake were felt on the east side of Mount Etna, especially in the district of Acireale. About a month later the shocks commenced again, and were repeated on several consecutive days—that is, on the 15th, 16th, 17th, and 18 of June. The motion was undulating. The inhabitants were so alarmed by the coincidence of time with the terrible earthquake of the year before, that they left the village and camped in the open air. About two days before these manifestations a new and very active phase of mud eruptions set in at Paterno, on the southeast of Etna.

Two craters opened, which violently ejected gaseous matter with abundant torrents of mud, more consistent than usual, and of higher temperature (one hundred and forty degrees Fahrenheit), which, accumulating in the basis in large masses, finally broke through all barriers overflowed and destroyed the adjoining fields, and buried several mills and farm-houses. In this eruption Prof. Silvestri noticed an abundant development and pressure of gaseous matter, of such force that it produced oscillation strong enough to tear up old lava, forming rents out of which the gas rushed with the noise of a boiler letting off its steam. Coincident with these phenomena clouds of vapour issued from the eruptive fissure of last year, confirming the opinion formed by the professor before, namely, that this fissure, lying between the two principal craters of 1879 and the great central one, had not been blocked with lava, but was still in commu[redacted] central eruptive axis, for [redacted] ashes, which fell all over [redacted] from the central crater. [redacted] tinued during several days, [redacted] with decreased intensity, [redacted] in the shape of dense clouds covering the whole summit of Etna in a clear sky.

Changes have taken place which have entirely altered the form of the central crater. The old ravine which formerly crossed the crater, and made two-thirds of it into an ample and easily accessible basin—a natur[redacted] laboratory for the study of the products [redacted] the valcano—now exists no longer. T[redacted] central crater, from the effects of vio[redacted] commotions, has crumbled, and, with p[redacted] its sides and the high point whence i[redacted] formerly possible to enjoy the sunris[redacted] been precipitated into the ravine, di[redacted] ing the height of the mountain b[redacted] forty feet, while the circumferenc[redacted] crater has become wider by half a [redacted] The general destruction of the old [redacted] in a certain way, rejuvenized [redacted] which has regained its characte[redacted] a funnel, at the bottom of whi[redacted] eruptive mouth.

THERE are in Germany twenty-[redacted] universities, with nearly 2,000 professors. In each university there are classes in the five principal faculties of theology, law, medicine, philosophy, and letters. A writer on the subject notes that the most popular faculty is philosophy, which includes mathematics, save at Strasburg, where it is a different faculty.

About Oysters.

According to Butler's "Dyet's Dry Dinner" (1599), "it is unseasonable and unwholesome in all months that have not an R in their name to eat an oyster," an oracular opinion not altogether accepted by modern ichthyologists—though, by the way, under the treasury ruling of April last, an oyster is not a fish,—who claim that even in midsummer the oyster is edible, due attention being paid to his selection. Whatever the truth may be, certain it is that folk, otherwise sane and logical, who consider the oyster rank poison at 11.59.59 on the night of Aug. 31, will devour him with avidity at 12.00.01 on the morning of Sept. 1, the first stroke of the midnight bell excercising upon him the saving and regenerating effect of a sacrament. Whether or not there is a great Primeval Oyster as the origin of all things, something like that tortoise which in Oriental mythology supports this world of ours, it must be admitted that the first man that took his "one raw" was one of the boldest benefactors of humanity. As Gay says:

That man had surely a palate covered o'er
With brass or steel, that on the rocky shore
First broke the oozy oyster's pearly coat,

And whisked the living morsel down his throat. Possibly the origin of oyster-eating was something like that of the eating of roast pig, as described by Charles Lamb: A prehistoric man inserted his fingers within the shells of a prehistoric oyster, and having them pinched applied his digits to his mouth, tasted the liquor of the oyster, and invented the benign science of ostreaphagy. Anyway, around the names of all the great of the earth, in all ages, there is a deathless halo of oyster shells. The ancient Greeks and Romans were

GREAT DEVOURERS OF OYSTERS,

which, we learn from Pliny, were of three colours,—yellow, black, and green, delighted to be transferred to new waters, and sometimes grew to the size of a foot, so that it took three bites to dispose of one of them. There were nine famous beds from which the markets of Rome were supplied, and it is recorded that the first man who took to artificial breeding did so to make money, not out of love for the oyster. Oyster shells cured no end of disorders, and, powdered, were employed as a dentrifice. The Romans believed that oysters ate best in the full of the moon. Horace's preference was for those of Circei; Vitellius put away twelve hundred of the bivalves at one luncheon. "Oysters raw, as many as you like," is usually the first entry on the menus of classical entertainments that have been preserved for our delectation. Louis VIII. of France, who died in 1226, so keenly appreciated his cook's way of cooking the oyster, of which he was so fond, that he gave him a patent of nobility and a liberal annual allowance. Louis XI. gave annual oyster suppers to the College of the Sorbonne—the pupils of the College of France had, long before that, been in the habit of rehearsing their disputations on oysters—until at one merry meeting a learned doctor fell into the Seine and was drowned. Bentley, the great classical scholar, never could pass an oyster-stall without stopping at it, to talk about oysters, if he could eat no more, and in 1740, two years before his death, and just at the conclusion of the twenty-seven years' law-suit to eject him from the mastership of Trinity, to which De Quincey has devoted such a fascinating essay, he wrote to a friend: "My great re[illegible] amusement here is my regular supply of [illegible]. These things must have [illegible] Pope, a lover of [illegible] broke exists, offering to accept an invitation to dinner, but only on condition that there was a dish of stewed oysters. Thomson, who ate peaches on the tree with his hands in his pockets, greatly loved oysters, and died of over-indulgence in them, or of exposure in a boat to have a feed of them. Johnson, I fancy, loved oysters. I know he went to market to buy them for his cat when the footman was too proud to do so. Goldsmith did, and devoted an interesting chapter in his "Animated Nature" to them, telling how he knew a horse that was fond of eating oysters, and how the oysters of India are two feet big, and one of the "natives" of Coromandel furnishes a meal for ten men. No animal, "Noll" tells us, will venture to open the oyster's shell, which, like too many statements in "Animated Nature," is not strictly true, since, apart from the starfish and other marine enemies, the oyster is the prey of a bird, the *hæmotopus*, the "bloody foot" of English popular ornithology and the oyster-fisher of America.

THE OYSTER-SHOPS OF PARIS

were great political centres during the revolution, Robespierre, Danton, and Couthon having one favoured haunt near the prison of La Force, and Brissot, Condorcet, and the other Girondins affecting a rival establishment near the site of La Bastille. Peter the Great had always oysters served two or three ways at his meals; fraternized with the old oyster-women of Woolwich shipyard, and dignified the dealers of St. Petersburg and Moscow with the title of his "life-preservers." Junot ate three hundred oysters every day before breakfast during the oyster season, and Cambaceres was long regarded as the champion oyster-eater of Paris, until the academician Baour-Larmian sat down to breakfast with him one day, ate oyster for oyster until the arch-chancellor of the empire owned his defeat, then swallowed a few dozen more by himself, and desisted lest he should spoil his breakfast. There are traditions of the English oyster-eaters who swallowed oysters by the dozen, but the English oyster is a trifle beside the oyster of New York, which reminded Thackeray of the ear of Calphas' servant, and again of swallowing a baby, and the oyster of our more southern waters, which Sala told his English readers was in size and shape just like the knife-board of an omnibus. It is worthy of remark that the oyster is almost the only animal substance which we eat raw habitually, and from preference, and that we do this from sound physiological reasons. The fawn-coloured liver of the oyster as Dr. William Roberts in his "Lectures on the Digestive Ferments," points out, is little else than a mass of glycogen, associated with but withheld from actual contact with life, is its appropriate digestive ferment, the hepatic diastase. The act of crushing the oyster brings the two bodies together, and the oyster digests itself. Mem—if you cook an oyster the heat destroys the digestive ferment, and you must digest the oyster yourself.

A Desperate Five-Y[redacted]

Ed[redacted] a nei[redacted] mon[redacted] ut it [redacted] he succeeded [redacted] who so [redacted] love-poisoned dart [redacted] the simple [redacted] ry home [redacted] lover's heart by [redacted] loved his brother better [redacted] him. When the father came [redacted] Eddie button-holed him and sobbed "Papa, papa, Mildred said she won't [redacted] me." "Oh, son, she was only joking." [redacted]-n-o, s-sir, she wasn't, 'cause she told me [redacted]ee times." Their being "no balm in [redacted]ilead" for his lacerated heart, he decided [redacted] to take arms against a sea of troubles," and with a curtain cord end them. Having securely fastened the loose end of the green cord around his neck, he jumped out of the parlour window, a distance of four or five feet from the ground. Fortunately, the cord broke, and left no marks of suicide save a blood ring around his neck.

THE Princess Dora d' Istria is the daughter of Prince Michael Ghika, and married in her twentieth year Prince Massalsky, a descendant of Rurik, the legendary founder of the Russian Empire.

The Queen of Italy has made a gift to a Catholic church in Boston of a bronze statue of Augustus Cæsar, an antique of exquisite workmanship.

THE [illegible] stage repre[illegible] lanxes in S[illegible] curtain of cloud[illegible] to hide them, whi[illegible] alone

ONE of the pet ecce[illegible] Ludwig of Bavaria is to [illegible] drive every night, enjoyin[illegible] when, as an the other nigh[illegible] der-storm so frightened th[illegible] barely escaped with his life.

MR. W. H. SMITH, late [illegible] Admiralty, in England, wh[illegible] boys, on the occasion of h[illegible] LL.D., greeted with the air [illegible] Porter, K.C.B.," has just bo[illegible] in Grosvenor Place, London, fo[illegible] and ninety-five thousand dollars.

THE Knight of Kerry, who died lat[illegible] was one of the three remaining hereditary knights of Ireland, and was baroneted but a little while ago. He has probably done more to relieve distress in Ireland than any other person. The Irish terminus of the Atlantic cable is on a portion of his estate of Valentia Island.

THE Duke of Marlborough having sold his gems, which were brought together by the great Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel, for thirty-five thousand guineas, is now about to sell his library, which is as valuable in its way as the gems. Neither the gems nor the books were heirlooms, but came through connections.

THE Hungarian nobility do things on a sumptuous scale of expenditure. Count Emanuel Andrassy is building a private theatre at his country-seat, and another Hungarian proprietor of one hundred and fifty thousand acres of land has followed the general fashion, and built one to seat eight hundred persons.

MR. RUSKIN has been selling his cast-off books, and owing to the fact of his writing in them such sentences as were to be read on the fly-leaf of Demosthenes's Orations—"Old school trash, never read a line of it," and on that of Pliny, "Poor stuff, not worth the paper it's printed on"—the books brought twenty times their value.

COUNT ADLERBERG is the son of the confidant of the Czar Nicholas, and inherited the office, as he is the friend and favourite of the Czar Alexander. It was through his careless good-nature in not removing an inefficient officer of the guard there that the Winter Palace explosion took place. A sister-in-law of his was Madame Skobeloff, the lately murdered mother of the Russian General of that name.

A PAIR of boots made for Annie Louise Cary to wear in opera are of light blue satin, with blue lacings and tassels, lined with cardinal kid, and banded with inch-wide gold braid. There are some stage boots that are sold for one hundred and twenty-five dollars a pair. They are made of gold or silver thread and silk, with gems for buttons, and the stockings worn with them cost seventy-five dollars a pair.

PRINCE VICTOR, the present heir to the Napoleonic pretensions, is a comely, well-grown lad, who has seen little of the world except at the theatres and at his aunt Mathilde's. His expenditures are closely examined, and their largest item is his horses and riding lessons. He is truthful, obstinate, reticent, and modest, and in his father's presence does not speak till he is spoken to.

NOT long since, Mr. Gladstone and Lord Elcho rose at the same time in Parliament to present petitions. Lord Elcho gave way, and Mr. Gladstone's petition proved to be from the farmers of Lord Elcho's constituency, in favour of the Hares and Rabbits Bill, which Lord Elcho had violently opposed. When Lord Elcho's turn came, he presented a petition against the bill which Mr. Gladstone supports, from Sir Thomas Gladstone, the Prime Minister's elder brother.

A SICILIAN gentleman, Signor Marolda, arrived in England a few years ago with thirty-five francs between himself and friend. He had a talent for decoration, and they lived on ninepence a day until the signor had put himself in communication with various firms of house decorators. He has so prospered that he recently gave a house-warming, and his ateliers looked like the palace of some old Florentine prince, only richer with the masterpieces ransacked and harmoniously combined from other centuries. At the house-warming [illegible] played, and [illegible] sang.

THIS [illegible] rest[illegible] in consequence of the will of Mr. Thelluson, a S[illegible] merchant in London, who intended his fortune—which he had made in part from the purchase of the jewels of the French *émigrés*—to accumulate till it reached seven hundred million dollars; and it being thought undesirable that any subject should have any such wealth, Parliament passed a bill limiting entail to life and twenty-one years thereafter. Contrary to general belief, there is no such thing as a law of primogeniture there, but merely a custom. If he pleases to do so, a duke may leave his fortune to his valet. The estates of the Duke of Hamilton and of many other nobles are entirely unentailed.

THERE'S no great satisfaction to anyone in bringing forth a royal youngster in Spain. The mother is crushed under a mass of absurd and untimely ceremony. The palace is overrun at the time of parturition with fellows in jack-boots who take a perfunctory interest in royal obstetrics and insist upon seeing the whole operation. A woman of good sense, the queen of Spain, proposed to give suck to the babe she hopes to have and would be glad to cherish, but Sp[illegible] quette forbids such a proceedin[illegible] multitude of wet-nurses now add [illegible] fusion of the palace. Perhaps [illegible] quette might manage to impro[illegible] processes by which Spanish mo[illegible] gotten. It is an age of invention[illegible] some ingenious grandee patent a royal baby incubator?

The Sandwich Islands.

AN ACCOUNT OF THEIR PRESENT PROSPERITY AND THEIR INDUSTRIES.

We arrived in Honolulu at 5.30 a.m. on Monday, the 10th of May, and what struck us at once was the business activity of the place. This has been caused by the reciprocity treaty with the United States. Sugar plantations are springing into existence all over the group, and the amount of sugar exported to 'Frisco is enormous. This ship took in during our stay of twelve hours 700 tons, and large quantities are sent regularly by sailing vessels. The export this year is little short of 20,000 tons, and next year it is estimated to reach 30,000 tons, so great has been the growth in number and size of the plantations. A gentleman named Claus Spreckels of San Francisco is the greatest, and nearly the only, operator in the purchase of Honolulu sugars. He is pretty well liked, and has spent very large sums of money in irrigating his plantations—th[redacted] plan he could adopt with th[redacted] leased. He has intr[redacted] large extent, and [redacted] Chinese l[redacted] grown [redacted] that were [redacted] they are growing [redacted] give quite a high price to [redacted] description of land. For one piece belonging to the dowager Queen Emma, of 1,000 acres, near Honolulu, they pay a rental of $5000 per annum. The natives do not like the Chinese at all, and many of the white population view the influx with dismay, but what is to be done? The natives will not work, and even in all the tirades written against the Chinese the admission is made that the race possess the virtues of industry and perseverance.

The King is having an extensive new palace built, which is to cost a heap of money; and while I am on houses I may say I was much pleased to see the very handsome wooden residences there are in Honolulu. Auckland has nothing to compare with them for elegance, finish or anything else. There are in Honolulu 14,000 inhabitants, and the place has an appearance of far greater activity than Auckland. Freehold property is booming. Land that could be got a few years ago at $10 per acre, is now bringing from $100 to $150. City property is increasing in a similar manner. About twelve months ago a corner piece, fronting the main street ninety feet, brought $10,000.

EVERY gentleman should have a melon-patch on his country seat.

... of Time.

[illegible]NDAY, 3rd NOV. trains [illegible]

[illegible]G NORTH.

[illegible] Station,	[illegible]2:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.	
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[illegible]	[illegible]45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
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[illegible] Road	9 50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
[illegible]rleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4 45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.16 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11 00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Sept. 17th, 1880.

VALEDICTORY.

This week we publish our last issue of the MARKDALE EXPOSITOR, having sold out the business to Mr. Charles W. Rutledge, of the Township of Glenelg, who has rented his farm and concluded to go into the publishing business. During the five years we have been in business in Markdale we have received a generous support, not only from all classes of business men in Markdale, but also from the business men of the Villages of Flesherton, Priceville, Dundalk, Maxwell, Durham, Feversham, and the farming public of the surrounding country.—Like all pioneer publishers, we have had a fair share of difficulties to contend with; but have succeeded in keeping the wolf outside the entrance to the fold, and now propose retiring upon the interest of what we owe, and the enormous fortune we have amassed in the [illegible] short years we have been engaged in the pub[illegible]ation of the EXPOSITOR. Our num[illegible]ous customers will please accept ou[r] sincere thanks for the handsome p[at]ronage they bestowed upon us in the past, and we trust that o[ur] successor will do as well [or b]etter, than we did. It would [be] an easy matter to run a newspaper in a country village if every person "came down with the dust" in advance, or even later; but when one has got to winter a large family of hungry printers on promises of cordwood, potatoes, and occasionally a few turnips, and half the time does not get as much cordwood as would keep one fire going, the prospect is not as bright as one could wish for. However, we have managed to worry through this far, and it would be ungrateful on our part were we to deny the fact that by the majority of business men in the places previously named, as well as by a good many of our best farmers, we have been well and promptly paid; but there is a class who never think of paying the printer or anybody else, and we are sorry to say that we have had too many of that class on our books. On the whole we have reason to believe that we have given fair satisfaction, and if the enterprise we are about giving up has in any manner assisted in advancing the interests of this section of country and brought it into prominence, we are pleased to have had a share in the work and trust our successor will keep the ball rolling. As our patrons are scattered over too large an extent of country for us to visit them personally, and shake hands with their good wives and kiss their babies, we raise our hat and waft a metaphorical kiss in final adieu.

GEO. J. BLYTH.

With reference to the foregoing, and in presenting this the first issue of the MARKDALE STANDARD before a deserving public, it becomes our duty to [state] the principles upon which this [journal will be] conducted;

[illegible] purpose be[illegible] [illegible] political [illegible] will we allow our co[illegible] in [illegible] of either party, [illegible] of a national character [illegible] more partic[illegible] rection.

As a local journal it is our int[ention] to gather and publish all such matter connected with this village and the surrounding country generally, and neighboring villages, as will be interesting, thereby making the paper one that will be enquired after, and appreciated for its energy in procuring what may be going on, and truthfully laying it before our readers, at as early a date as practicable.

IN Agriculture, we shall glean and publish from time to time such articles as may be conducive to the interest of the farmer, thereby making the STANDARD a paper that will b[e] sought after by this class of the community.

IN Provincial, Dominion and Foreign news, as also articles of a literary character, we present this issue as a fair specimen of what may be weekly expected.

CORRESPONDENCE.—We purpose perfecting arrangements throughout the country whereby we will be enabled to lay before our patrons such matters of interest as may from time to time transpire, (this of itself will incur a considerable outlay) which we have no doubt will be appreciated.

TO ADVERTISERS.—It will be seen that although the STANDARD is in size much larger than the generality of county papers, its rates of advertising are no higher than those of lesser dimensions,—this should be noted.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.—The subscription price of the STANDARD will be $1.25 per annum, payable strictly in advance; $1.50 if not paid for three months, and $2.00 if allowed to run to the end of the year. We send this issue to all the subscribers of the late *Expositor*, as we also do to many who did not take that paper; those who retain it we will be pleased to put on our books as subscribers, and those who do not want the paper will please return it to the office of publication with their name and post office address written thereon.

Correspondence.

PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

A shooting and hunting match was indulged in by the sports of the village and vicinity on Friday last. A party of crack shots, captained by John McLeod, and a similar party, captained by Thomas Conkey, set out to try which could capture the largest quantity of game during the day, the loosing party to pay for a dinner for the company. After a bloody day's execution Mr. Conkey's party proved victorious. A dinner prepared in Mrs. Tuck's best style was vigorously attacked by the opposing forces. A review of the exploits of the various characters was rather amusing and interesting, for instance, an ardent student of the whip and spurs, secured, by means best known to himself, the appendage of a most odoriferous animal. This fond trophy was much prized and admired by the winners, as by that they won the day. A disciple of Esculapius, by no means a dwarf, succeeding in wading to the middle, bursting a double barrelled gun, and finally shooting a sand snipe.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

DEAR SIR,—I noticed an article in the last effort of the now defunct *Expositor* anonymously signed "Artemesia." In examining it, I find the writer moved by motives quite aside from the R. R. question, for imputations and inuendoes are hurled at persons generally and myself in particular.

It is fair to presume that he professes to be an honorable man, an honest one, and an intelligent one, yet the article in question carries on its face dishonorableness, dishonesty, and ignorance, touching the subject whereupon he dilates. Let me state first then, that personally I have no objection to fair criticism on either Municipal or R. R. questions; I would provoke it if possible.

He refers to a communication of mine published in the *Mail* a short time ago—admits the facts, but assigns as reasons-interested motives, and therefore *Reeves* and *Deputy Reeves* are *serfs* seeking their own interests by making refunds, especially in the months of *December*. I think any honorable Reeve or Deputy Reeve would endeavor to represent the wishes of his municipality. This has been done faithfully as far as Artemesia is concerned, and as the recent election fully justifies. As to refunds, I say more are made in *December* than in any other month, for the simple reason, that it is the month of tax paying, and therefore errors discovered are corrected; but to twist it out of its natural bearing and insinuate evil purposes, stamps the writer as a double-dyed insinuator. I challenge him or any one else to produce the evidence of such prostitution of trusts.

He says, "There are some low-minded men who can scarcely be considered able, from some cause or other, to judge for themselves, who will take Dr. Christoe's *ipse dixit* for anything, but the great majority of the ratepayers of Artemesia judge for themselves." The paragraph quoted is amusingly disingenuous. I quite agree that the *great majority* of the ratepayers of Artemesia judge for themselves!! And I am proud to know that during the past eight years I have been the faithful representative of the *great majority* of the free and independent electors, and have represented their views on the R. R. question as I felt it my duty to do, and I may add that their views are quite in keeping with my own.

He next charges the Council with malfeasance, and tries to show that the schedule of taxes handed to the ratepayers are cooked for a purpose, viz.:—to show the R. R. rate at a disadvantage.

If I mistake not he prides himself somewhat on municipal knowledge, and I can scarcely conceive any motive but a wilful mistatement of facts to mislead the public, and to cultivate [prejudice] against the Council. As I [illegible] but what can be [illegible] I [illegible] and [illegible] sent down [illegible] and must be [illegible]ed [illegible] alteration; our B[illegible] County [illegible] is the [illegible] manipulate. [illegible] solve is, how much do [illegible] run the Township? Second[—how] much have we on hand? Third—ho[w] much must we raise as a Township rate? This is the mode I presume any business man would adopt. Well, we find that it will require, say, $1,800 or $2,000 to pay the running expenses; but we have an income, license fees, fines, land improvement fund, &c., besides perhaps money at credit in the bank. This is deducted and the balance raised. According to the logic of this writer, because we do not show in this schedule a rate to meet the full sum, $2,000, which certainly would be cruelty to the ratepayers, and wrong in principle, we must be denounced as public frauds and deceivers. It never crept into the cranium of this financier *par excellence!* the probability of income to be deducted. It could not, because cowardice, jealousy and venom are blind as bats. I therefore state that the schedules are approximately correct. I may add further that, the Council are only careful to set out the several amounts in the By-law and the number of mills required to cover the sum required; the subdivisions are entrusted to the Clerk: errors or mispoints may occur, but in no case has it changed the totals in each case.

After discharging his personal missles at the Reeves and Deputy Reeves, the Council, the Innkeeper, and the public in general—raises their ire, and at the same time a storm against the institution he tries to bolster up; exhausted his artillery against the honor and probity of honest men—he tries the sympathetic role, and ventures a little wishy-washy argument for his suffering prodigy, the R. R. He says, "We cannot understand why Dr. Christoe is so hard on the R. R., &c." The editorial "We" stands forth very prominently.

I take the broad ground that the bonus system is a vicious one, and I believe its days are about numbered, and the sooner communities like the Ontario Government shut down on it the better. There are generally selfish motives at the bottom of it, and under the gloss that it is of public importance far in excess of its realization, a picture is drawn and presented to the people, and by pressure of every description the unwary are led to their own hurt; but there is a revulsion setting in rapidly, as witness the late refusal by the Government, as also the Township of Egremont, with corresponding feeling in other municipalities, the Grey group in particular.

I scarcely think it necessary to follow my *friend* in his stereotyped remarks, for they are as stale as sour lager. To show, however, how weakly he reasons, take this as a sample: In short he says, Grey paid $300,000 with profits, the Company paid $300,000 without them. Certainly that places the matter in a most favorable light for the Company, that is supposing the undertaking to have been a mutual one. But according to figures mentioned during the campaign this road cost $4,000,000. The bonholders paid of this $2,000,000, the Company, according to the writer, paid $300,000; but who paid the balance of $1,700,000? This is a fair question, and one easily answered. The Municipalities and the Government. I contend that the proportion actually advanced by the Company is small—very small—and dispels the gist of this argument.

It must not be forgotten that the project was their own—for their own benefit; not a sod was turned with the primary object of benefiting the Municipalities, although it followed as a natural consequence. Those Municipalities who have given their money have no control in its management, although it is seen they have by far the larger interest in it.

The idea of *dishonesty* put to the front, and to be tacked to every ratepayer who refuses additional bonus is serious, if true; but it isn't true. No pledge has been made, no promises given, and, therefore, no faith has been broken. Artemesia is keeping her pledges in the payment of nearly $900 a year towards the road, and when she promises more she will pay it; but she is under no obligation to give more, nor can the special pleadings of this person make it appear that it is to her interest to give more. The argument based on the traffic in ties, cordwood, telegraph poles, &c., amounts just to this, that but for the income to the road they would be permitted to rot by the track, and instances many, more profit to the farmer is found in the ashes of the wood, and to put up with the perpetual annoyance of shipping it bars the further trial. You see, Mr. Editor, there are always two sides to such questions. The through freight argument is also trotted out, having no better to introduce.

It is well known that the directors can and do discriminate rates, and then the business connections are, and are likely to be, with the chief city of the Province, so that whatever advantage there might be, the many wheels prevent the benefits finding their way into the farmers' pockets. Indeed, a prominent grain buyer, and a very firm friend of the road, told me a short time ago, that it might appear as a feasible argument, but their was nothing in it. If, Mr. Editor, my views and efforts have a tendency to prevent the ratepayers being unduly taxed, and also to cause the proper parties to repair their own property, as I firmly believe it their duty to do, I shall bear patiently the insults of anonymous scribblers. Until the new scheme be laid before us, I shall not enter into further discussion upon the question.

I have now done with this gentleman. If he comes out in his own name and discusses either Municipal or R. R. matters in an open and gentlemanly manner, I shall be but too happy to do so with him, or any one else; but to discuss questions with a base, insinuating coward under an assumed name, I have no desire further to do.

In conclusion, sir, permit me to congratulate you in your new undertaking. I am confident you will not permit in your columns such a general onslaught on the characters of as honorable a body of men as can usually be found around a Council Board, unless you also give the name of the individual who is the author; and it is unaccountable to us, after the treatment the late Editor [received at] our hands, he should have [illegible] it. Yours,

DR. [illegible]

Flesherton, Sept. 6, 188[0].

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The Council met in the Town Hall, [Fl]esherton, on Monday, Sept. 6th, 188[0]. Members all present. Minutes of previous meeting read and [approv]ed. Communications from [the fol]lowing parties presented and [read]:—F. Wait re Saugeen bridge, [illegible] Clerk of Euphrasia, re Uni[on S. S.] No. 1, Artemesia and Euphrasia; [A.] L. Wilson, M. A., Toronto, [munic]ipal stationery! Mr. C. W. [Rutledge] personally waited upon the [Council re] Township printing. Accounts [as fol]lows were ordered to be paid: [illegible] road job Ward No. 4, [illegible]; Wm. Smith, road job Ward No. 4, $4.00; Thomas Addison, repairing scraper, $1.75. By-Law No. 817, levying school trustee rates for 1880, read a third time and passed. By-Law No. 318, appointing Collectors for 1880, passed in the usual way. The following are the Collectors:—Ward No. 1, John Hazard; Ward No. 2, James Brodie; Ward No. 3, John Higginbotham; Ward No. 4, W. T. McKee. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, That the Reeve correspond with the Warden of Grey in reference to the bridge on Gravel Road over the Saugeen River at Priceville, said bridge being in a dangerous condition.—Carried. Mr. McLeod moved, seconded by Mr. Elliott, That the Reeve issue his order in favor of David and William Henderson, for balance due them for road deviation, upon proper signature and delivery of deed of said deviation.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the Township printing be given to Mr. Rutledge, providing the work is as good and as cheap as can be procured at other offices.—Carried. Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, That the Reeve and Mr. Wright be a Committee to receive Collectors' bonds; said bonds to be delivered to the Committee on or before the next meeting of Council.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. McLeod, that the Clerk procure blank By-Law book, and two dozen Collector's bonds in blank, from A. L. Wilson, M. A., of Toronto.—Carried. Council adjourned to meet on the first Monday in October.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment on the 28th day of August, 1880. Members all present. Minutes of last session of Council read and approved. Moved by Mr. Hurlbert, sec. by Mr. Ellis, That J. Boyd, Esq., be appointed to act in behalf of this Corporation, with the person appointed by the Township of Collingwood, to take into consideration the petition of James Holmes and twenty-four others, for the formation of a Union School Section between this Township and Collingwood.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Fawcett, seconded by Mr. Hurlburt, That as James Paterson, Esq., through illness, is unable to attend to the equalization in behalf of this Township of the Union School Sections connected with this Township and Collingwood, that James Kerr, Esq., be appointed to act in his stead as referee in behalf of this Corporation.—Carried. The Commissioner of No. 5 Division was authorized to get repairs made in side-line 27 and 28, the crosswaying therein being reported unsafe. Moved by Mr. Ellis, seconded by Mr. Boyd, That whereas subscriptions amounting to over $60 have been presented by Andrew Grier, Esq., for improving side-line 18 and 19, in the 1st and 2nd concessions of the Township, that the Council hereby authorize Mr. Fawcett to expend an equivalent thereto for said purpose; and providing that this subscription should amount to $100, Mr. Fawcett is also authorized to spend an equal amount.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Hurlburt, That as the T., G. & B. R. R. Company are seeking to obtain a bonus from this Municipality to aid them in improving their line, that this Council are determined to oppose any such measure to their uttermost; and that should steps be taken to submit a By-Law for such purpose, that this Council refuse to acknowledge the same, unless a petition according to law be presented, and a deposit of $200 made to cover the expenses in connection therewith.—Carried. Mr. Ellis was authorized to expend an equivalent to the amount expended by Artemesia Council, on Nelson's Hill, Town-line. By Law No. 290, appointing a Collector in the seven westerly concessions in this Township, was carried through the different stages and passed. Moved by Mr. Ellis, seconded by Mr. Hurlbut, That the Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Mr. Fawcett, be a Committee to attend to the building or repairing of a bridge on 21 and 22 side road over Beaver River, known as Kerr's Bridge, as said bridge is reported to be in a very unsafe state for travel.—Carried. The petition of James Mick and others, in reference to opening 27 and 28 side-line, in the 11th and 12t concessions, and the appropriation of St. Vincent Council for cutting down hill on Town-line, 8th concession, were referred to the Commissioner of that Division. The Treasurer was ordered to remit to John Rutherford, Esq., printer, Owen Sound, $32.50, for printing Voter's List for current year. The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows:—To John Wiley, $16 for repairing bridge on 7th line; Samuel Wiley, $2.75 for plank furnished for use at culvert on side-line 6 and 7, concession 7; Robert Dunlop, Clerk, $25 for getting up Voter's List for current year, and $5 for serving notices to attend Court of revision, and furnishing the School Inspector copies of assessment of School Sections as now required by law; Samuel A. Kerr, $6.50 for work performed on 21 and 22 side-road. On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in September.

ROBERT DUNLOP. Tp. Clerk.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

The STANDARD will be given to the first of January, 1882, for $1.25. Now is the time to subscribe.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We have received several communications intended for this issue, but the great influx of advertisements [prevent their appearing. We trust] our friends will [illegible] [illegible] hope [illegible] [in a] position [illegible]

MARRIED

At the residence of the bride's father, on the 1st inst., by the Rev. G. Keys, Mr. Wm. R. Gilbert, Agent T. G. & B. Railway, Klineburg, to Esther A., second daughter of M. Smith, Esq., Holland Centre Mills.

DIED.

At Flesherton, on Tuesday, the 7th inst., the infant son of Mr. Elder.

At Toronto, on Wednesday, the 8th inst., Mrs. Frederick Armstrong of Flesherton.

At Markdale, on the 9th inst., at the residence of his father, Wm. Brown, Esq., Gladstone, aged 11 years.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of JOHN MOORE, lot 10, concession 13, Holland, about the 15th of June. Three yearlings, one spotted heifer—red and white, one white heifer and one red steer. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Holland, Sept. 1[4]th, 1880. 1-3t

THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Sep. 16th, 1880.

Flour	5.25	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	0.90	to	0.95
Fall do. do. do.	0.90	to	0.90
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.30	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes,	0.35	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.10
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.05
Ducks, per pair	0.30	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.40	"	1 00
Hides	6.00	"	6.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	3 00	"	3.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.25
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	1.50

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Sep. 16th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$4.75	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.85	to	0.90
Fall do. do. do.	0.80	"	0.88
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.27	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.22
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.50
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	6.00
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.35
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, Sep. 16, 1880.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 05	to	$1 3
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 6
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 6
Oats, do.	0 38	to	0 5
Peas, do.	0 60	to	0 2
Rye, do.	0 58	to	0 5
Clover Seed do.	3 85	to	4 6
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 00	to	7 5
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 5
Beef, fore quarters	3 50	to	5 2
Chickens, per pair	25	to	0 2
Fowls, do.	50	to	0 0
Ducks, per brace	55	to	0 5
Geese, each	60	to	0 6
Turkeys	75	to	1 7
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 7
Butter, tub dairy	15	to	0 5
Butter, store-packed	12	to	0 1
Eggs, fresh, per doz		to	0 1
Eggs, packed		to	0 1
Apples, per brl	3 50	to	4 1
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 1
Onions, per bag	2 50	to	3 5
Hay	00	to	16 5

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lots 91 & 92, 3rd Range, W. T. & S. Road, one white heifer with white nose, a red and white heifer with lined back, and a red steer with white spots through it, and white hind feet—all yearlings. Any person giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

ROBERT TORRY.

Glenelg, Sept. 2, 1880. 1-4in

STRAY STEER.

CAME into the premises of the subscriber lot 5, con. 12, Euphrasia, on or about the 15th July last, a red and white STEER, about one year old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take it away.

1-3* JAS. BLANEY.

STRAY STEERS.

STRAYED into the premises of Mrs. David Bradley, lot 62, 2nd East of T. & S. Road, Holland, one steer rising three years old, and one rising two years. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

MRS. BRADLEY.

Holland, Sept. 10, 1880. 1-3*

STRAYED

INTO the premises of James Farding, lot 16, con. 9, Euphrasia, two RED YEARLING STEERS and one brindled yearling. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1-3in.

VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon*,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulation Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT

Clearing Out Sale!

GRANT & CHELLEW [illegible]

[illegible] NEXT 30 DAYS! [illegible]

Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
CUPBOARDS,
WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,

Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

Pictures and Picture Framing! in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing! promptly attended to.

☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

E. D. WILCOX,

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, &c. &c.

This space to be occupied by E. D. Wilcox's Advertisement as soon as his new Brick Store, now being fitted for him is completed.

MARKDALE.

Stoves! Stoves !Stoves!

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX

STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.

ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork!

made to order on the shortest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

TAILORING.

F, J. PRIDHAM

FASHIONABLE TAILOR,

WISHES to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY.

THE LATEST FASHIONS ALWAYS ON HAND.

CUTTING DONE while customers are waiting.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

CHARGES MODERATE.

PLACE OF BUSINESS

OVER M'FARLAND'S STORE,

Corner of Mill & Toronto Sts.,

MARKDALE.

September 17, 1880. 1-tf

W. MASON,

Carriage Builder & Painter

MARKDALE.

Wishes to inform the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country that he is prepared to attend to their wants by giving them an article that will give satisfaction

WAGGONS, BUGGIES,

AND [illegible]

[illegible]

PAINTING!

I call your attention to the fact that I am prepared to do all kinds of painting in the carriage line, and wish you to give me a call and see my work as it speaks for itself. I have a large stock always on hand so that you have not to wait half a year to get a job done, but you get attended to at once.

SPECIAL ATTENTION PAID TO

REPAIRING!

Remember the place, over Noble's Blacksmith shop,

where you will find him in the best of humor and ready to attend to his customers.

W. MASON.

Markdale, Sept. 17 1880. 1

MEDICAL HALL.

Pure Drugs and Chemicals

PATENT MEDICINES!

Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances, and general Druggists sundries.

Stationery and School Books!

IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCOS! TOGETHER WITH

PAINTS AND OILS.

Physicians' Prescriptions, AND VETERINARY PREPERATIONS, CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

Montreal Telegraph Office.

T. S. SPROULE, M. D.

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880. 1-tf

HILL BROS.,

When their new building is completed.

Space to be occupied by

HILL BROS.

when they remove.

Advertisement will appear in this space.

MARKDALE.

H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCH[ES],

SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TAB[LES], DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!

CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—

UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings

made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and as much so as is consistent with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER,

Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mills

THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

CLOCKS for 75 cents, at Doll's.

SILVER Watches from $3.50 up, at Doll's.

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Go where you can get the worth of your money, [and] the right change back, at McIntyre's.

GO TO Mrs. Burch's for new designs in Laces, Embroidery, and Fringes, Harper's Cut Paper Patterns, 25c., [f]all [and winter]; all new styles.

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PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

Drs. Sproule & Carter,
Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c.
OFFICE.—Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

J. B. McMillan,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND SOLICITOR in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c., &c.
Owen Sound, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Chas. R. Wilkes,
Barrister at Law, - Owen Sound.
OFFICE.—Millers's building, over Robinson's store, Poulet Street. 1-y

McFayden & Robarts,
BARRISTERS, Solicitors in Chancery, &c. Office, one door east of the Merchants' Bank, Union-st., Owen Sound.
C. McFayden. J. T. Robarts.
Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

Frost & Frost,
BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton, Office open every Thursday, as heretofore.
Alfred Frost, J. W. Frost, LL. B. County Crown Attorney. 1

S. J. Lane,
BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, &c.
Offices—at Owen Sound and Markdale.
N. B.—Office at Markdale, over W. J. McFarland's store, open on Thursday of every week. 1-y

James Masson,
BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Master in Chancery, Owen Sound.
Sept, 17, 1880. 1-y

James Lamon,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer,
DUNDALK.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Conveyancers & Land Agents.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., Commissioner in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
N. B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security.
Markdale. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

David Jackson, Jr.,
LOAN AND LAND AGENT, CONVEYancer, &c. Money to lend at the lowest rate of Interest ever offered in this part of the country. Principal money will be taken in sums of $100 and upwards yearly with the interest if desired.
Durham, Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

F. McRae,
REAL ESTATE AGENT, DURHAM County of Grey.
Money to Loan at reasonable interest, payable half-yearly at 8 per cent., or at the end of the year 8½ per cent.—principal payable at the end of 3, 5 or 10 years—or principal and interest yearly to suit Borrowers.
Lands for Sale. Mortgages bought and sold.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1 y

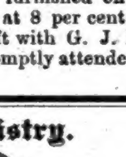
Carson Price,
GENERAL MERCHANT, HOLLAND Centre. Land Agent and Commissioner in B. R. &c. Mortgages, Leases, &c., drawn with neatness and despatch.
Holland, Centre, Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

Alexander Brown,
ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, Merchants, and Land Sales, Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate.
Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr.,
LAND, LOAN AND GENERAL AGENT, Owen Sound. Money to Loan at low rates of interest. Principal payable at the end of a term of years, and interest half yearly or yearly, or principal and interest repayable in instalments.
☞ A number of desirable Improved Farms for sale. 1-y

J. G. Sing,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having purchased Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's entire stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys done within the last fifty-five years, I am prepared to make Surveys in strict accordance therewith. Profiles and Estimates for Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. Orders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

Dentistry.



W. C. Jewell, L.D.S.,
WILL be at the MARKDALE HOUSE, Markdale, the First FRIDAY and following day in each month. Parties wanting Extracting, Filling or Teeth Inserted, from one to a full set, would do well to call and see prices. Satisfaction given in all cases. Head Office—opposite Post Office, Meaford.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound,
WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth in the most satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1 y

Hotels.

MANSION HOUSE
MARKDALE.
Having leased the above hotel and thoroughly refurnished and refitted it, the travelling public will find every accommodation. Only the best of liquors and cigars kept. Good stabling. Careful hostler.
JOHN VAN HORN, Proprietor.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

ROYAL HOTEL,
MEAFORD, Ont.
J. & J. McGIRR, - - - Proprietors.
Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.
Free 'bus to and from all trains.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Auctioneers.

J. M. Webster,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.
☞ LOAN ND LAND AGENT,
Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.
EUGENIA P. O.
Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

Nurserymen.

W. L. Smith,
GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursey Stock, Williamsford Station.
Sept. 17, 1880, 1

CHASE BROS. & BOWMAN,
Nurserymen and Seedsmen,
Nurseries at Rochester, N.Y.
ENOCH BALL, MEAFORD,
Agent to sell and collect for them
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

WILLIAM FOX,
Plain and Ornamental Plasterer.
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Sheep and Cattle.
FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

GEORGE WILSON,

BUTCHER
Mill St., Markdale, next door to Expositor Office.
☞ Meat delivered at any house in town.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

James Sullivan,
FLESHERTON.
Manufacturer and Dealer in
Tin, Copper, Sheet-Iron and Japanned Wares,
Eave Troughing, &c.
A Large Stock of Crockery and Stoneware.
Wooden Wares, Washboards, Brooms, Brushes, Rakes, Handles, &c. &c.
Stove Ovens Lined.
Old Metal, Hides and Wool taken in exchange.
☞ Prices most reasonable,
JAMES SULLIVAN.
Flesherton, Sept. 1880. 1

New Boot & Shoe SHOP.
THE subscriber wishes to intimate to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and surrounding country that he has opened his Boot and Shoe Shop
In the premises lately
occupied by Mr. R. C. Tackabery,
NEXT DOOR TO
MR. MONTGOMERY'S BAKERY,
and hopes by close attention to business
Good Workmanship
AND
MODERATE CHARGES!
to merit a share of public patronage.
ALEX. KAY.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1

STOVES.

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Haskett Bros.
BOTTOM PRICE FOUND
AT LAST.
Great Reduction to Cash Purchasers.
THINK OF OUR PRICES.
A No. 9 elevated Oven Cook Stove, furnished complete, $18.
Same, with Low Oven, $17.
5 BOX STOVE, $4
All other sizes Equally Low
These Stoves are from the best and largest manufacturers in the Dominion—have all the latest improvements, with illuminated fronts and silver-plated trimmings, and are beyond doubt the best Stoves in the Market.

HARDWARE.
A large stock of axes, cross cut saws, building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, &c. at low prices.

TINWARE.
Coal Oil, Lamps &c., Stock large and prices as low as any in the trade.
HASKETT Bros.,
Sept. 17, 1880. 1

A Word to the Public.

The era of prosperity which now happily reigns throughout the length and breadth of our glorious dominion benefits every branch of industry, and has very materially benefited my business, which has increased in volume several thousands of dollars over any previous year, and is steadily increasing.

Appreciating the tastes and requirements of the Public I have studiously, and I trust successfully, labored for 18 years to meet the wishes of purchasers. The support and patronage I have had justifies me in increasing my stock, extending my facilities, and at the same time materially reducing my prices.

Ambitious as I have ever been to be first and foremost in my business, I am resolved that henceforth the reputation I have achieved in this particular, shall be promoted and enhanced. Egotistical mention is not essential, but I do feel warranted in calling attention to my present full and complete stock of Goods, a stock, the greater part of which has been purchased for cash, and direct from the manufacturers, and the equal of which, for extent or variety, I do not think can be found north of Toronto. I solicit from strangers an inspection, and to my friends and customers say, that I have for them in goods and prices a succession of what I believe will be very agreeable surprises. I am in a position to fill all orders, and it will not be necessary to send to Toronto or elsewhere for goods. Give me a chance to supply your wants, and I guarantee the best Goods at the most economical rates.

A call and examination will be gratifying to me, for I feel sure that an experience in patronizing me will fully confirm all that I claim for my goods.

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Then Daher, who was subtle, mean and sly,
Concluded, next, some stratagem to try;
So, clothed in rags, and masked in form and face,
He as a beggar walked with limping pace,
And, meeting Nebar, with the horse one day,
He fell, and prostrate on the desert lay.

The ruse succeeded; for, when Nebar found
A helpless man in sorrow on the ground,
He took him up, and on the noble steed
Gave him a place; but what a thankless deed!
For Daher shouted, laughed, and giving rein,
Said, "You will never see your horse again."

"Take him," said Nebar, "but, for Mercy's sake,
Tell no man in what way you choose to take,
Lest others, seeing what has happened to me,
Omit to do some needed charity."
Pierced by these words, the robber's keen remorse
Thwarted his plan, and he returned the horse;
Shame-faced and sorrowful; then slunk away
As if he feared the very light of day!

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Biddy's Song of the Dress.

Wurk ! wurk ! wurk !
While the chickens are crowin' aloof !
Ah wurk ! wurk ! wurk !
While the cats are out on the roof !
Och ! I am makin' a dress,
Cut bias, wid spangles galore ;
An' I'll be the belle at the picnic and ball
Wid its buttons behind and before.

Wurk ! wurk ! wurk !
Till me brain begins to schwim !
Wurk ! wurk ! wurk !
Till the moon at the window comes in !
Seam an' bustle an' band,
Band an' bustle an' seam—
[illegible]
Och, I see it all in a dream.

Och, men, wid sisters dear !
Och, men, wid mothers and wives !
I'll show them such an illegant dress
As they never saw in their lives.
Stitch ! stitch ! stitch !
That brazen-faced Polly McFlirt,
She never can shine with Bridget McFine,
When arrayed in my pollynaze skirt.

Wurk ! wurk ! wurk !
From tin till breakfast time !
Wurk ! wurk ! wurk !
As a poet wud wurk at a rhyme !
Band an' bustle an' seam,
Seam an' bustle an' band—
Till me heart's in a flutter, me brain's in a whirl,
Wid a dress that is perfectly ghrand !

Och, but to brathe the breath
As the cowslip and primrose schwate,
Wid a sun umbrella above me head,
And slippers upon me feet.
An' thin, for wan short hour
[illegible]
Wid its ribbons an' flounces an' furbelows—
[illegible]

JANE HEARN'S TRIAL.

A STORY IN THREE CHAPTERS.

CHAPTER I.

"One may mistake a fancy for a passion; but never a passion for a fancy, when once it comes." Thus says one of our best and purest writers; and truly the story of many a human heart lies folded in the truth of these few words. [illegible]

Jane Hearn, when she was a girl of eighteen, made a mistake in life. She took a fancy for a passion, followed its leading, and married a man [illegible]

[illegible]

Jane was a slight slip of a girl, graceful in every movement; she had soft, dark eyes, a wealth of dusky locks, and a high-bred look that promised well for her powers of endurance. [illegible]

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[illegible]

To say that she did not mourn for her husband would not be true. Any good woman will mourn a man who has once been to her in the closest and most sacred relation in life, no matter how that life may have been saddened and blighted by his influence. [illegible]

[illegible]

"Do you love me enough?" he said, looking into her eyes, so dark and bright.

"Don't you know?" she answered, hiding their happy light upon his breast.

[illegible]

"I will love thee to the death,
And, so beloved, will die."

[illegible]

"Then I can come after you," she said, with her eyes suspiciously bright and a quiver about her lips. "You can write for me from the Orkneys, or from anywhere that you are likely to stay in your cruise."

"Can I!" he said, kissing the tremble from her mouth.

[illegible]

[illegible] so happy, Guy, these last few weeks ! I have been so happy that my happiness has frightened me sometimes—it is only a short time, and yet it seems more than all the years of my life before. It is foolish, I suppose, to write you such long letters, and you away for so short a time, and coming back so soon ? It is unworthy of the wisdom that should have gathered round my seven-and-twenty years—is it not ? When you get this there will only be two days more before you set out north again, so that very soon I shall be beginning the day that has only to wear to seven o'clock before it brings you to me. The lilies of the valley are all out in the garden, and I shall fill the vase upon your writing-table with the pretty bells early that morning. Then I shall go for a long walk along the shore. You will think me a baby for writing like this. Do you know I really thought I was growing quite a sensible, almost strong-minded woman—a matter-of-fact, common-sense sort of person—once. Before I met you, I mean —before the day when under the lilac I sat with the leaf-shadows flickering on my book, and Mrs. Bayard touched me on the shoulder to make me look up. You know what I saw when I did look up, Guy ? Oh, my darling, how fair the [illegible] has seemed to me—how beautiful a thing life has grown since the moment when I met your dear eyes looking into mine with a strange, calm, questioning, as though they had found something they had been looking for ever so long ! You see they had found me—and they were very glad. No; you are not good-looking, Guy ; no one could call you that, Sir ! You are a plain man, clever, as one can see at a glance, and—yes —a little—just a little—hard and stern. You are not very young either, you know— what is it ? Thirty-three and a bit. Now you will say there is a spice of impertinence in my nature, and this must be it coming out. But, Guy, no one knows but Jane how

[illegible]

It was a fair Summer's day, the day on which Guy reached that fair home beside the sea. [illegible]

No one was astir. He looked in vain for the substantial forms of the Colonel and his wife, usually to be seen wandering in the garden at that hour on a fine evening, or for a slight figure, book in hand—a woman with earnest quiet eyes and a crown of dusky hair.

How quiet the place seemed!

He quickly passed through the hall-door, [illegible]

By the mantel-shelf stood the old Colonel, a letter in his hand, a look of pain and terror on his face [illegible]

"Great Heaven!" he said, hoarsely, letting the letter in his hand flutter to the ground, "is that you, Guy? Has any one told you?"

"Told me what?" said Guy, white to the lips, but master of himself as usual. "Where is Janey?"

"She is gone up the shore—she knows nothing—come in, old fellow. Call your courage to you, man. You will need it all. Read this."

Guy drew a deep breath as he took the closely-written sheet of foreign paper, and went with it to the window.

And as he did so Mrs. Daubeney covered her face with her hands, and began rocking herself to and fro in a perfect frenzy of grief.

[illegible]

CHAPTER II.

When Guy Challoner had finished reading through the letter in a silence broken only by Mrs. Daubeney's stifled sobs, he laid it down upon the table, and, turning to the window, stood there silent and motionless. [illegible]

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For a life [illegible] wise and [illegible] tend again [illegible]

Guy ha[illegible] ly, and s[illegible] Colonel c[illegible]

The del[illegible] rance, yet [illegible]

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[illegible] drooping against the rocks along the shore, was mirrored in the quiet water that washed their feet. Birds sang, but softly, as though the hush of the coming night was over them, and the lazy wafting of a seagull's wings now and again shone white between sea and sky.

A peaceful brooding spirit seemed abroad. The Summer was past, but a harvest of content had been garnered in, and Autumn was fair with a calm and mature beauty all its own.

But of its sweet ripeness of perfection the man hurrying on with eager, strained eyes and pale set lips wotted nothing. The rocks dappled all gold and ruddy-brown with the dying ferns; the lovely purple shadows sleeping on the sea; the waft of white wings; the faint star-shine above, the gentle-sobbing water below; what were they all to him? Eager, mad, craving for the sight of a woman's face, (ay, though it might be the last time he should ever gaze upon it, he still longed for the sight of it;) agonizing, quick-coming questions as to how best he might spare his love all possible pain in telling of the terrible story, such were the thoughts that surged like the waves of a troubled sea in Guy Challoner's mind. For him all the beauty of earth and sea and sky around him might as well have been but desolation, storm, and tempest.

Jane did not expect him—he had thought to come upon her as a sweet surprise. All the way on his journey down from London his mind had been full of anticipations of what her joy would be in his un-looked for coming. That last letter of hers, so full of all womanly tenderness, of passionate devotion, of perfect comprehension of his aims and ends in life, his love and his ambitions, was still in the breast-pocket of his coat. It seemed like carrying some murdered thing about with him.

What would Jane say when she saw him? How should he meet her; how should he greet her—his lost love—his darling—torn from his side by a cruel fate? In time to come, no doubt hot indignation against Walter Hearn would take possession of Guy's soul. At present there seemed no room in his heart save for thoughts of Jane—room for nothing beyond unutterable pity and tenderness toward Jane.

At last, just at a turn of the shore, he came in sight of her. She was coming slowly homeward, a few yellow fern-fronds and a scarlet bunch of orchid-fruit in her hands. Catching sight of Guy, Jane let ferns and berries fall to the ground as she ran to meet her lover. How often, how often in the weary days to come did Guy Challoner think of his lost love as he saw her then!—her dust-coloured dress blown back; the slight, graceful form running on to meet him; the outstretched hands; the eyes at once soft and eager; the red lips parted, and the gentle breast panting a little, for she had run quickly along the sands, wondering, as she ran, at Guy having come before his time.

The shore was a quiet, lonely place; indeed, there was absolutely no one to see what went on except the lazy sea-gulls floating in the offing, and a robin singing sadly, as it is his wont to do at eventide, in a bush hard by.

So Guy caught his love in his arms, and their lips met in a long, long kiss.

But Jane felt a strange thrill of fear even in that happy moment of greeting.

The lips that pressed hers so madly were cold and trembling; Guy was deadly pale, too, and his eyes had a look in them that she had never seen there before.

"What is it?" she said, the soft rosy colour dying from her cheek as she clung to his arm; and she looked up into his face with eyes full of fear.

Then, as he did not speak, only catching her hand in his and holding it tight against his breast, she added:

"Have they ordered you away at once? Oh, Guy, tell me, are you going to leave me before we are married? are you going at once —to-morrow, perhaps to-night?"

"Are you going to leave me?" His heart echoed the pitiful question; a question to which he might well have answered: "Ay, my love, for ever and for aye."

That is what he thought. What he said was this:

"There are no new orders, dear. I found I could get off a day sooner than I expected and so I came; that is all."

"All?" she said wistfully.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Neilson's Burial and Will.

(From the New York Dramatic News.)

The London correspondent of the Manchester *Guardian* states that Miss Neilson's will leaves £40,000 to the Rear Admiral Glyn and £1,000 to Mr. Compton. We do not believe this news to be authentic. Her attachment to Admiral Glyn was well known to those who were intimately associated with her here. The mere fact that he had offered her marriage after the scandals that had touched her name filled her with gratitude, and though she refused to marry him, she seemed to consider him always as a brother. All matters which touched her nearly were referred to him, and on his advice she determined everything that was important. It was a standing offer that he would marry her at any time she pleased; and yet, singular woman, she preferred the intimate companionship of other men of whom she did not think one tithe of what she thought of him. If she had left the bulk of her fortune to him, it is out of gratitude for his loyal and consistent friendship for her. But we doubt the story of this legacy. First because Admiral Glyn would hardly be likely to accept the earnings of this actress as his own— that is, if he cares to keep any sort of position in English society, and second, because Miss Neilson must have had a much larger sum than this to leave behind her. She did not live expensively, and has made for several seasons an average of $50,000 a year. Her fortune must have reached an aggregate of at least $350,000. It has been said that she had married Mr. Compton, the actor, before she came here the last time. This is not true. They should have been married, perhaps, but were not as a matter of ceremony. It is not very flattering to Mr. Compton that she left him a paltry £1,000 out of her large fortune, for whatever he ought, or ought not to have, in the peculiar relation of her secretary, there is not doubt that she interfered greatly with his professional prospects. He has lost caste immensely since the relation he consented to occupy toward her, and he will have difficulty in getting back where he was now that this little dramatic episode in his life is over. It is probable that if Admiral Glyn accepts this gift of his dead friend he will devote it to some charitable purpose, and not to his own use. If the legacy has been really made, there are, perhaps, some reservations in it as to the ultimate objects, and possibly it is only placed in his hands in trust. If the legacy is true this is most likely to be the explanation of this singular will. All that was mortal of Miss Neilson was buried in Brompton Cemetery on Friday last. This Cemetery is just outside of what may be considered London proper, and is a pretty spot. A number of professional people accompanied the remains of this brilliant woman to their last resting place. The body was taken from the railway station to an undertaker's, and from there to the grave. Miss Neilson had no home. All the surroundings of her death and burial were inexpressibly sad. She died on an old green lounge in a public restaurant, frequented solely by people of a fast class. Her last sigh floated away in the presence of two strangers. Thence she was taken to the Morgue and cut and quartered, no portion of the once beautiful frame escaping from the scalpel of the curious men of science. Mutilated and almost falling apart, the body, but two days before that of a bright particular star among women, was placed in a temporary coffin and taken to London. There it was placed in an oak casket, but no one was permitted to inspect the dead, as the sight was found to be too horrible and repulsive.

A liberal-minded little fellow visiting on Cape Cod, who found the inscription in the village grave yard, "Not dead, but sleepeth," ran in alarm to his mother and said: "We must go home right off! I won't stay here all night anyhow. They bury people when they go to sleep. I saw one of them out in the graveyard, and do you suppose I'd sleep here to-night and have them bury me?"

"THIS making a vacation pleasant by walking about the country in the disguise of a tramp isn't what it is laid out to be," said Job Shuttle. "I've got four dog bites on my right calf, been clubbed over the head by a hired man twice, and every time I attempted to flirt with a girl she'd scream and yell for the men folks. I'll go by the cars next year, like a civilized heathen.

THE greatest hail-storm ever known recently prevailed at Stevens Point Wisconsin. Hailstones from six to ten inches large fell, and covered the ground from four to eight inches deep, killing thousands of sheep and other animals, and turkeys, geese, and prairie-chickens. Three of the hailstones were found to weigh one pound. Several farms had all the wheat, corn and hay destroyed. The loss will not fall short of $75,000.

YOUNG FOLKS.

How the Geese saved the Baby.

John Evans was raking hay in a field on the south side of his cottage, while his wife was in the dairy printing butter for market. Little Elsy, their two-year-old baby, was playing with blocks on the sitting-room floor, and old Robin Hood, the dog, was asleep on the grass close by the door that opened to the lawn.

The sky was almost cloudless, and the sun blazed warm in the fields.

"Just the weather to make the corn grow," said John Evans, resting a quarter of a minute, and looking contentedly over the wall at his flourishing corn blades, already two good inches at least above those of his rich neighbor, Mr. Haverly.

"Elsy is safe," said Barbara, the trim little house-maid. "I might as well knead up the bread." And she whisked through the sitting-room so fast, and with so little noise, that Elsy only looked up to see if a bird had flown in over the low half-door.

Tired of her blocks at last, Elsy went and tugged at the door, and made the latch rattle. Robin opened one eye— the one toward the house—and half-cocked an ear. But Elsy kept up the rattle long enough for him to get used to it, and drawing his tail closer under his nose, he ceased paying any attention to the child. He knew she was behind the door. He had done his full duty by standing on his hind-legs against it, and looking to see what she was about before he settled himself for a nap. She rattled the latch every day, but she had never been able to lift it—he needn't have *that* on his mind.

So by-and-by, when the crown of her little white head showed itself above the door, Robin was dozing away, more sleepy than ever.

She had pushed her block-box close to the sill, and stepped on it to take another view of the latch. For Elsy was enterprising, and had no more idea than have other two-year-old babies of of remaining in ignorance of any new and untried danger. Of course she succeeded at last, and so easily that she pushed the door open and let herself backward down the steps without waking the dog.

The oldest mother goose in the barnyard was as energetic as Elsy. She quacked about among her neighbors until she collected the whole flock, and then matronized them down to the big shallow pond in front of the house. They pottered a good deal on the way among mud-puddles, for there had been a shower the night before.

Dame Evans pottered too in the dairy, but that was because pretty Miss Ruth Haverly called to bespeak some of the butter before it should be sent to market, and was trying her hands at the printing. Very soft white hands they were, and Mrs. Evans enjoyed watching them.

"There," she said, "that one is a beauty!" as Ruth turned one of the yellow balls into a dish. But she never would have allowed anybody else to meddle so with her butter. A spot on the dairy shelf would have have been as great a crime as a speck on the snow-white kerchief crossed on her bosom.

But no thought would she have taken of the butter, nor even of dainty Miss Ruth, had she known what Elsy was doing. Nor would Barbara have cared so much about the bread. She was singing, and did not hear Elsy fumbling with the door-latch.

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AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

CORN in the hill or drill—which? One plant every foot ought to do better than three or four plants struggling together in a hill. In the former method it is at least twice as much trouble to keep weeds from each plant as in the other. Is the difference in yield enough to pay for the difference in labour?

LONG LADDERS are the most easily moved to any considerable distance upon the farm by strapping them upon a wheelbarrow, the rear end being used as the handles, by means of which the whole is trundled along. The entire ladder is before the person, and there is no danger of doing any injury to surrounding objects, as is the case when carried upon the shoulder.

OATS WITH WHEAT.—The sowing of a bushel of oats per acre, with the winter wheat, has often proved of material benefit to the wheat crop. The oats grow more vigorously than the wheat and aid in catching and holding the snow. The oats act as a protection or mulch to the wheat. The little food the young oat plants draw from the soil is returned during the spring when, being killed by the winter, they rapidly decay.

COAL-OIL BARRELS.—Some months ago we asked those who had succeeded in rendering barrels which had held kerosene or petroleum fit for use for cider or vinegar to give us their method. It is rarely that we have had such a number of replies to a like question, they have come by dozens and scores. We thank all who have thus responded, and would say that while a few have advised burning out the barrels, by far the greater number have found that soaking in water will answer. Some advise immersing the barrel in a stream, but the majority of those who have written us find that filling with water, and allowing the barrel to soak for several days, occasionally changing the water, accomplishes the object.

GATHER THE LEAVES.—The leaves that fall from the trees in autumn may be turned to good account if they are gathered and used for litter in the stables. They furnish an excellent absorbent for liquid manure and are of themselves a valuable fertilizer, as they contain large per cents of potash, phosphoric acid and other essential elements of plant food. To gather the leaves rapidly a long-headed rake provided with stout teeth should be used, and the leaves loaded into a cart or wagon, and taken to a place where they may be kept dry and handy for use. Besides the direct value of the leaves, the raking of them from the door-yard, for example, gives it a neat appearance, when it would otherwise look ill-kept.

VENTILATOR FOR ROOT PIT.—In pitting roots, openings should be left for the escape of the moisture that will rise from the heap of roots. If such openings are not provided the vapours will accumulate and decomposition will soon begin, and in a short time the roots will be rotten. A simple opening at the top of the pit, or at intervals along the ridge, if the heap is one of considerable size, is not sufficient. The ventilator should run down into the heap, even to the bottom. Such an one can be made by tying three or four short rails together, and setting them in the ground before the roots are deposited. The rails should project a few inches above the top of the pit, after the covering of earth has been put in place. A layer of straw may be put over the top of the ventilator to keep rain from running in.

CUTTING GREEN CORN.—Each year we are asked to give directions for preserving green corn in cans, and each year we are obliged to say that we know of no successful method other than that practised at the canning factories. This requires tin cans and the use of the soldering iron; and only those who can solder can put up the corn. The points to be observed are these: The best and sweetest corn, in just the right state for the table, is picked and used at once. The canners use a bent knife to cut it rapidly from the cob, and some have a machine for the purpose. The corn is cut from the cobs, and packed closely in the cans. The cobs are put into a boiler, covered with water, and boiled for about an hour. This liquid is used to fill up the space among the kernels in the cans, enough being used to cover them, and, unless the corn is very sweet, a teaspoonful of white sugar is added. The caps of the cans are then soldered on, each cap having a small vent-hole pricked in its centre. The cans being soldered, the next step is what the canners call "processing," which is to boil the cans in water. A wash boiler, or any convenient kettle can be used; it should have at the bottom a rack made of strips of wood, on which to set the cans. The cans of corn are put in the "processing" kettle, with the vent-hole open, and are boiled briskly for two hours. They are then lifted out, one by one, using tongs made for the purpose, setting each down with a sharp rap, to knock down any corn that may be upon the inside of the cap. The cover is then pressed in as much as possible, and the vent-hole stopped by a drop of solder. The cans are then returned to the kettle, and boiled four hours longer. Operators differ as to the time of "processing," some of them making it a secret, but from 6 to 8 hours in all seems to be necessary for corn.

The Art of Sleeping.

Most of the men who have made their mark as successful leaders have been good sleepers as well as hearty workers. Napoleon Bonaparte lost no opporounity either for a good sleep or a good meal. Even before going into battle he would take a few hours for sleep if possible. The Duke of Wellington was such a sound sleeper that he seldom moved from the time he closed his eyes until he awoke. He used a very narrow bed, and said that when it was time for a man to turn in his bed it was time to get up. Henry Ward Beecher is known to be a good sleeper. He falls asleep in a moment after his head has touched the pillow. These men and other great workers have had a faculty which is an important addition to the mere taking of sleep. It is the power of withdrawing one's self from all surrounding persons and objects and finding immediate rest in slumber. The man who can thus take rest is refreshed and strengthened under many circumstances which would keep other people weary and wakeful. He is master of every situation as regards his own rest. Some men, by long habit, find themselves able to take sleep with the same ease that others would take a glass of water. They can sleep either while perched on a high stool or rattling along in a railroad car at forty miles an hour. The economy of wear and tear on the lives of such people is wonderful. The man who cannot sleep unless he has first removed his clothes, put out the light and climbed into his bed is at a great disadvantage. Greater yet is his disadvantage if he can sleep in no bed but his own. There are some who are possessed with the notion that their own bed is the only one in which they can slumber. These people are utterly wretched when they go to the country where the beds are stuffed with straw or shavings, and where the springs are made of noisy material, which resounds whenever touched. When they go to Europe and are forced either to stay awake or to sleep in quarters not much larger than the shelf of a mantlepiece, their misery is too great for utterance. Much of the comfort and discomfort experienced in sleeping and in trying to sleep is the result of habit. There are some people who toss on their beds for half the night, as if they were uneasy ghosts. They have never learned to sleep.

It is the power to shut one's self within one's self that constitutes one of the approaches to healthful sleep. There are objections to sleeping in church which need not in this connection be recounted. But the man who has, by patient habit, accustomed himself to slumbering under a sermon can learn to sleep anywhere and under any circumstances. He is sometimes seen in a snug corner of a street car, when several ladies appeared on the platform seeking seats. He often finds it convenient when a bore addresses him to be able to subside into slumber. When his mother-in-law wearies him with protracted discussion of uninteresting subjects, it is ever so delightful to sleep, or to seem to sleep. Good sleep is a blessing from heaven, and he who can sleep, whether flies crawl on him, mosquitoes bite him cross people scold him, or noisy children dance and play in his presence, is blessed, indeed.

African Explorers Killed.

(London Standard.)

The sad news which has reached Zanzibar of the murder of Capt. Carter and Mr. Cadenhead adds two more victims to the long list of those who have sacrificed their lives in the interest of African exploration. Hitherto, disease, and not violence, has been the cause of the fatality which has overtaken so many of the explorers of the dark continent. From the facts which have reached us it would, however, appear that the gallant pioneers whose loss we have now to deplore met their death at the hands of a chief named "Wrambo." But as the expedition which they commanded was at the latest date in the country of a robber king called Mercambo, not far from Lake Tanganyika, the name has in all probability been altered in telegraphing. Messrs. Carter and Caidenhead, though Englishmen, were employed under the auspices of the Belgian branch of the international Society for the Exploration of Africa. The leading object of the expedition sent out under its auspices is not so much geographical discovery as the establishment of centres of civilizing influence and commerce at various points of the interior. The first of these stations was founded in August, 1879, by M. Cambier, at Karema, on the eastern shore of Lake Tanganyika, one hundred and forty miles south of Ujiji. In December M. Cambier, was joined by Messrs. Popelin and Carter with the Indian elephants, of which only one remained. Another reinforcement, constituting the fourth expedition, under Messrs. Burdo, Rogers and Cadenhead, was far on its way when last heard of, and was sanguine of soon communicating with Mr. Stanley. The latter, by the aid of steam launches, is endeavouring to ascend the Congo, which, amid so many perils, he descended three years ago. The introduction of elephants into African exploration was a great step in advance, and it was fondly believed that one of the chief difficulties in the path of travel had at last been overcome. Whether all the Europeans have met the fate of Messrs. Carter and Cadenhead we have no means as yet of learning.

THE Drum Major, as described by a Chicago *Tribune* reporter: "His feet rose and fell with the regularity of quartz-crushers; his bearskin was as towering and fluffy as a cat's tail in spring time. His gauntleted left hand was glued to his hip, and his gauntleted right hand to his staff, sawing right and left for dear life. Then he reached the second line of review and prepared to salute. First he raised the staff shoulder high and wobbled it four times like the walking beam of an engine. Then he reversed it and gave one gilderflake to the right and two flabdabs to the left, twirled the knob seven times, hung the staff twenty feet in air, and made a motion as if he were going to turn a triple somersault before it came down again. Instead of this, however, he caught it deftly, tucked it under his right arm, shot out his left horizontally, crooked his elbow and laid the back of his hand on his brow. And he did all this with such skill, rapidity, and pride that the small boy cried: 'Oh, looker him, Jimmy! My eye! don't he look like a [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] this'!"

[illegible] Life in New York.

The metropolis abounds with contrasts of splendid intentions and miscarried achievements. Princeliness of space and brilliance of architecture are confronted by dilapidation and uncleanliness, and even on Murray hill, that pinnacle of all earthly ambition, disreputable little taverns and tenements exist in sight of the fashionable mansions with their carved balustrades and ample porticoes. But these contrasts, which has led one writer to describe New York as Paris with a touch of the backwoods, and another to say that the city is more like a savage, the resplendence of his trinkets, war-paint, and chromatic blanket only half covering his abundant dirt—these anomalies are nowhere so apparent as above the southern borders of Central park.

Reaching as far as Manhattanville on the west, and to the Harlem on the east, the land has nearly all been graded, and many streets have been laid out, and in some instances, paved, curbed, and illuminated. Ten years ago, or more, when the imperial Tweed was seated with apparent firmness on the municipal throne, this region, with the splendid park as a centre, was seized upon by real estate speculators, and predictions were made that in a very few years it would be covered with handsome dwellings. But the tide of success turned another way, with what effect, as concerns Tweed and his ambitions, is well known; and though on the east side some of the vacant spaces have become populous, and some notable churches, hospitals, armouries and houses have been put up, the west side has altered so little that it has seemed to be lifeless. The new museum of natural history, with its imposing facade looking over the hill and dale of the park, glances from its rear upon a neighbourhood which, in my experience, is quite unique. It is not to be precisely described as city, nor as suburb, nor as the unsettled but broken territory that outlines most cities while waiting to be absorbed in their advance. The anticipations that led to the grading and paving of the streets have had a very limited fruition in isolated rows of pretentious and rectangular "brown-stone fronts," which seem oddly out of place. Here and there a vestige of old times remains in a pre-metropolitan homestead, with an impoverished orchard around it, or in a grand mansion with a classic front of Doric columns, and a genesis far antedating Fifth avenue. But it is not the new buildings, premonitory of the city's advance, nor the old ones reflecting the past, nor these two in contrast that gives the city its characteristics and peculiar interest. All down in the hollows between the graded streets, and in spaces where, no streets have been opened, the gray Laurentian rock stands with but a superficial layer of soil upon it, thousands of acres are under cultivation by squatters, and without other enclosure to the land than the embankments formed around the hollows by the trap rock foundations of the streets. Agriculture is carried on with a primitive simplicity of life and under a picturesqueness of condition that set an artist on the edge of desire. Many square miles are green with vegetables. You see the gardeners with their wives and mothers bending to their work; you hear the querulous call of geese and the contentions of pigs; and if you could shut out from the view the immature streets and the precursory dwellings, you would never realize that you are within the limits of the city, or that immense steamers are loading with grain by the river-side a quarter of a mile away, and that the buzzing that vibrates the air comes from an elevated railroad.

The lodgings are of various proportions, sometimes being limited to an irregular strip, and sometimes embracing three or four blocks in possession of one man. It is not an occasional load, the product of one batch, that goes to Washington market, but a large proportion of all the green stuff consumed in the city is grown in these hollows—the lettuce, the parsley, the celery, the cabbages and the potatoes. But though one man trebles the quantity his neighbour produces, he is no better off nor more ambitious in the matter of architecture than the poorest; and in the corners, or in the centre of the hollows, or perched high up on the wintry gneiss, is found a grotesque valley of make-shift dwellings, mere concessions to exigencies in many cases, which by no means indicate the pecuniary recources of the occupants. Some of them are simply squalid, but upon others the sunshine and the rain have brought out a soft colour, and the scraps of which they are built have borrowed a quaint grace from the weathering. It is scarcely safe to let an artist loose among them. They abound with picturesque "bits," which he declares it next to impossible to exhaust; and not long ago, when I soared into the skyward region were C—— has his studio, I found him black to the wrists with ink, with which he was printing etchings of some things that he had discovered among these shanties.

Gen. Melikoff and the Nihilists.

(London Telegraph.)

According to a Vienna contemporary, usually well informed with respect to Russian home affairs, Count Loris Melikoff has succeeded in squelching nihilism, if not in killing it, by a process which does equal credit to his ingenuity and his perspicacity. Discarding the intimidation method so disastrously practiced by his predecessors in irresponsible power, he addressed himself, shortly after accepting office, to the delicate enterprise of making terms with some of the leading members of the secret association, then in custody and awaiting their trial. Toward these persons he employed such convincing arguments that they imparted to him the names of their principal accomplices, upon the condition that they should not be molested by the authorities—a condition which Count Melikoff has honorably fulfilled to the letter. The revelations, however, thus made to the dictator enabled him to approach the persons in question with such directness that they could not but perceive themselves to be absolutely at his mercy, and feel that it would be to their interests rather to come to some advantageous arrangement with him than to persevere in machinations which he was obviously in a position to frustrate at any moment. With admirable sagacity and discretion, Count Melikoff kept each amenable conspirator's secret to himself, and conducted all his conciliatory negotiations in person, trusting to no official and betraying no seceder from the revolutionary organization. He privily sent a large number of his "converts" out of Russia in the character of secret political agents to Roumelia, Bulgaria, and so forth, keeping others at home on "retaining salaries" until an opportunity for employing them actively should arise. By such astute proceedings as these he has cut the very tap-roots of nihilism from which once formidable phenomenon no further danger to the Russian state need at present be apprehended.

Drinking Toasts.

In private life, toasting has almost entirely disappeared. A hundred years ago and less, it was rife in the extreme. Half a dozen men could not sit down to dinner without drinking toasts. In the event of any great victory, there was no end of toasting. The nation was for a time half insane in drinking the health of Nelson, Wellington, or other successful commanders by sea and land. It was part of a young's man's education to get familiar with a few toasts, which he could bring out when "called upon" in turn at evening entertainments. At the ripe age of 50, he had become so hackneyed in toasting as never to be at a loss for a hero, or for a sentiment suitable to the character of the company. At the very least he could give "The rising generation," "All ships at sea," or "May the wings of friendship never lose a feather." Curious and not a little melancholy to think that vast numbers of worthy people now gone to their rest habitually killed time in soaking and trying to amuse themselves over this kind of driveling nonsense. As yet, the popular mind has not been roused to inquiry on a variety of important questions. A great part of life was consumed in dawdling and drinking, as is still the case among certain classes in small country towns. Discountenanced in general society, complimentary toasting holds its ground in public festivities. There, the libations are observedly as copious, as provocative of oratorial display, and as much attended with senseless uproar, as ever. Corporation dinners, charity dinners, reception and farewell dinners, are all alike in these respects. Every toast must be prefaced by a drink all round. The quantity of champagne consumed on some occasions is immense, the removal of a wagon-load of empty bottles is not at all unusual. What may be the different degrees of intoxication we shall not attempt to specify. One would not like to be too severe on a matter admitting of many extenuations. At the same time, we may be permitted to say that the example set at these festive demonstrations is not quite in accordance with the solemn counsels ordinarily uttered on the evils of intemperance. Men in high position who are nimble at toasting at grand dinners do not seem to perceive that they are

[illegible] acting inconsistently in holding [illegible] example to the poor, whom they are constantly lecturing on the terrible [illegible] of misexpenditure on drink.

Religion and Morality.

Verily Saul is among the prophets. [illegible] the most unlikely persons in these days may be found adopting the role of the preacher. Time was when it was supposed to [illegible] special training to fit men, or women [illegible] [illegible], to be public instructors [illegible] morality. Even men who [illegible] discourse sensibly enough on law, [illegible] of politics, and were fairly [illegible] ture, science and art, did not consider [illegible] selves to be necessarily qualified [illegible] with what were supposed to be the [illegible] of all themes. The times have [illegible] however. Every man, aye, and every woman, too, now is supposed to be, if [illegible] else, almost a moral philosopher and a theologian. So much has come of the handling of sacred themes. If our fathers erred in one direction—if we might say it without offence—we are possibly in danger of running too far toward the opposite extreme. If they relegated the discussion of these subjects too exclusively to priests and to professional religionists and moralists, it is just possible that the world may be a gainer by handing it over to every ignoramus who may have what honest George Stephenson was wont to call, "the gift of the gob," or who may happen to be affected with an itch for scribbling.

Some educated men, men, too, making enormous pretentions to profundity of theological learning, make sorry enough work in the manipulation of these sacred subjects. The fact is, they now and again get things so mixed that we find it next to impossible to make anything of them. In the endless babblement about religion and morality which "ding our lugs," we are in danger of losing all right notion of either the one or the other of them. Even a reverend writer in the *British Quarterly*, from whom we would have expected better things, writing upon this august theme, for the enlightenment, as we may suppose, of a select and superior class of readers, confuses matters in such a way that we find it no easy task to make either head or tail of them. Religion is defined as "an aspect of life"—the Godward aspect of it, if we may be allowed to translate—as "a natural instinct in man; a phenomenon characterizing his existence;" more rightly, "the faculty in us which recognizes the ultimate and Supreme Being,"—as "something consisting in the recognition of such an absolute and perfect being." Now this may be all very clear to the clerical understanding; "learned clerks" may have no difficulty in comprehending it; but, evidently, the ordinary lay mind cannot readily take it in. How the capacity for a thing and the thing itself, the capacity for religion and religion, can be identical is not quite obvious to the mind of the uninitiated. Religion may indeed be "an aspect of human life," if we could only be quite sure of the ideas which these words were intended to represent. It may be a "phenomenon"—though the phrase is a little ambiguous as it is here used—but a phenomenon which is "a natural instinct," "a faculty," and at the same time "something which consists in the recognition of an absolute and perfect Being" perplexes us. Nor is our perplexity lessened when we read, further on, of "the demand of the "religious sense" for "an authoritative religion." What does this mean? An authoritative "instinct," "faculty," "aspect of life," "phenomenon," something which consists in the recognition of the ultimate and absolute Being!" We confess this does not convey a very definite notion to our mind.

Surely it was scarcely worth while to quote Greek, and otherwise make a great display of wisdom and learning in order to put us in possession of such barren results. And when this learned theologian proceeds to distinguish between religion and morality, and makes the first of these to consist of the duties of the first table of the law, and the latter of the duties of the second table, the uninitiated lay mind—for which alone we presume to speak—finds itself in almost as great difficulty. What? is all religion embraced in the first four commandments of the Decalogue; or is all the morality included in the remaining six? Has morality nothing to do with a man's relation to his Maker, or are the relative duties of man as to a member of society be beyond the sphere of religion! We are not to be drawn into controversy on a subject beyond our depth, and we do not want to incur the charge of inconsistency by acting contrary to the ground taken in the opening paragraph of this article, but we may [illegible] say, that the average lay mind all this will not be quite clear. We suspect that to not a few of this sort, the distinction between religion and morality will appear to be something more subtle and spiritual than the writer of this article in question has dreamed of. And if these sacred themes are to be kept out of the hands of the ignorant and profane, such writers as the Rev. Stanley Seathes will have to treat them with greater care.

The Humours of an Election.

It is impossible to carry on the Government of a country without party opposing party. This is proved beyond doubt wherever the form of Government is, even in but a slight degree, representative and constitutional. Russia, China, Persia, or Mandalay of course, are not included; for in those countries there is no Government in the strict sense of the term, but an unmodified autocracy or tyranny, and their rulers are but too seldom of the type of Miltiades who although he was

"The tyrant of the Chersonnese,
Was Greece's best and bravest friend."

Now, it being acknowledged that party feelings will exist, and that they are founded on certain definite principles, the question suggests itself,—how is it that principles so utterly opposed to each other arise and continue to exist among men whose birth, nationality, and education, have so many points of identity? The true answer, however seems to be that the opposition of party is really more apparent than actual, more traditional than rational. In a state, too, where the prevailing tone is not one of high morality, the thirst for place and power has a great influence in keeping up the opposition, and inducing men to support those by whose help they expect to climb to the position or obtain the office they aspire to. So in the individual politician; his creed is dependent on hereditary or educational leanings, and the shallowness of his convictions is often shown when in consequence of pique at some real or fancied neglect received at the hands of his party, he turns completely round and backs up his former opponent. There is verily not a little of sham in the average politician.

It is very amusing to watch a collision between two bodies of electors when they have to decide who shall occupy the seat in the House of Commons. The eagerness, plausible affability, and lavish promises of the candidates and their friends, the crowded, noisy, sometimes witty, and always more or less uproarious meetings, the free fights that often result, and the other preliminaries of the polling-day, give a good opportunity of studying human nature in one of its most humorous aspects. The stump speeches of the more or less candidates, the burning words of hot repudiation of any unworthy motives in their candidature, and the positive certainty with which they hurl innuendo and sneer at the principles of their opponents, are positively delightful to one with the least sense of the humorous in his composition.

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Seeing the Shah at Teheran.

THE SCATTERING OF FLOWERS ALONG HIS PATHWAY BY TWO UGLY MEN.

(From the London Daily News.)

I have had an opportunity of seeing his Majesty proceeding in state to visit his First Minister. Though daily, necessarily, in contact with his Minister, the Shah annually pays him three public visits to do him honour, the entire royal household as well as the sovereign being entertained at dinner.

From the door of the house at Teheran where the Shah was paying a visit, up to the mansion of the Minister, a distance of over a mile, the thoroughfare was lined with troops. Though they had taken up their position at six in the morning, the Shah did not appear till nearly twelve o'clock. Some half hour previous to this sundry old-fashioned carriages, drawn by a couple of horses each and driven by nondescript-looking coachmen, who to all appearances might have been royal scullions in undisguised professional costume, might be seen making their way, outside the ranks of the troops, in the direction of the Minister's residence. These carriages contained some of the principal harem favourites, and were preceded by a crowd of men in ordinary Persian civilian costume, beating the air and the ground with long ozier rods, and vociferating to the bystanders to "be blind" and to turn their faces to the wall, lest by any ill luck they might catch sight of any of the "lights of the harem" in the carriages. The arrival of the Shah was heralded by the advent of a number of mounted policemen dashing along the ranks in an impetuous manner. These police, organized by the Count de Monteforte, an Italian officer, arrived at Teheran within the last two years, are very creditably got up, and, I am told, are very efficient in maintaining order in the capital. They wear a black tunic with violet facings on collar and cuffs, and a stripe of the same colour down the dark trousers. A small black cylindrical shako and long boots complete the costume. The foot police carry short sabres of a European model, that of the mounted men being longer. After the police came a crowd of some thirty horsemen bearing large silver maces; and, behind these, about a hundred others armed with sabres and having double-barrelled fowling pieces and old-fashioned Persian muskets slung at their backs. All these people were dressed very plainly in sombre coloured civilian costumes. To these succeeded some fifty oddly costumed persons, proceeding at a trot on either side of the way. They were the King's running footmen.

Each man wore a rather long-skirted red tunic, ornamented with a few scraps of gold lace sewn horizontally on the breast; a pair of dark knee breeches, white cotton stockings, and shoes with buckles and rosettes. The oddest part of the costume was the hat. It was of black glazed leather, and was not unlike a fireman's helmet developing into a lancer's casque, or the head-dress worn by the eccentric pencil merchant in Paris some years ago, when he used to drive about the streets in a carriage selling his wares. From the centre and forward and rear ends of the tall, straight crest rise three bunches of red artificial flowers, made to resemble sweet-william blossoms. These are fixed on long stems, that in the centre being the tallest, all three nodding comically with every movement of the head of the wearer. On all occasions when the Shah appears in public he is invariably accompanied by these comical-looking persons, who run ahead, on each side of, and behind his horse or carriage. In the midst of these rode a group of forty or fifty of the highest dignitaries of the State, including the First Minister and the Commander-in-Chief of the Army, the Hessem el Seltaueh, or "Sword of the Kingdom." All these functionaries were dressed in an exceedingly plain manner. At their head rode the Shah himself, if possibly still more plainly dressed than the group around him. Were it not for the crimson umbrella which he carried open above his head as an emblem of supreme authority, I should certainly have been unable to make him out in the crowd. As I saw him, he seemed to be a much younger and handsomer man than his photographs would lead one to believe. Perhaps it was the glow cast by the red umbrella which made him seem younger. Behind him came an immense concourse of horsemen, presumably belonging to the royal household. Then followed a closed carriage, resplendent with plate glass and gilding, not unlike the Lord Mayor's state coach. Next come some led horses, splendidly caparisoned; and a number of police closed the procession. Perhaps the oddest part of the procession consisted of the apes and baboons led along by their keepers, and intended to amuse the ladies of the harem. There was a new feature introduced into the scene—new for Persia, I believe—the scattering of flowers along the way in front of the Shah. One would have expected that children, or at least some tolerably good-looking persons, would have performed this graceful act. Instead, there was a couple of ugly old men, whose ordinary avocation is to throw water from leather bags they carry on their backs, to allay the dust when the Shah passes, and who, having first performed the more useful part of their duties, were now to be seen hurrying about with articles resembling wooden coal scuttles under their arms, scattering what looked like the sweeping of a nursery garden in a very business-like fashion.

At the moment Teheran, with its telegraphs and its police, of M. Schindler and its Count de Monteforte, is no longer the remote Eastern capital such as Marco Polo might have hinted at. There may be holes two feet square in the thoroughfares that flank the King's palace, and at the bottom of which, at unknown depths, run hidden watercourses; and there may be rumours afloat that the half dozen adventurous thieves who stole the Shah's regalia from the old man who was conveying them to the jeweller are to be blown from the mouths of the guns in the main square (for which civilized punishment the King might claim a well-known precedent); but, practically speaking, Teheran, with its Italian police, its Austrian soldiery, (and Russian Cossacks), its macadamized thoroughfares, its electric light, and its two cafes, has ceased to have claims upon romance.

A Young Girl Sleeps for Many Months

(From the Daily Telegraph.)

Scarcely less astonishing that Dr. Tanner's recent feat of fasting is the condition of a young lady, the daughter of the Mayor of Grambke, a village near Bremen, who is said to have been fast asleep ever since the second week in January, with the exception of a few hours of semi-wakefulness at intervals of from six to eight weeks. An interesting account of her extraordinary state is published in the *Hanover Courier*. It appears that she lies, plunged in a profound slumber and entirely unconscious of all that goes on around her, night and day, reclining on her left side, warmly covered up and with a light gauze spread over her head. Nourishment, chiefly in a liquid form, is daily administered to her, which she swallows without awakening for a second.

She is a pretty, slender girl, of a pallid complexion, but she does not lose in weight during her trances of from forty to sixty days, and when awake, exhibits a cheerful disposition and an eager desire to perform such small household tasks as her strength enables her to fulfil. Her father is a well-to-do man, who has consulted several eminent medical men, in the hope of discovering some remedy for his daughter's abnormal condition, which entails serious inconvenience and constant anxiety upon the other members of the family; but all efforts hitherto made to keep the unlucky girl awake have resulted in total failure. Since the case of the sleeping Uhlan at Potsdam, no such interesting subject for study and observation on the part of the faculty has arisen as that of the strangely somnolent Burgomaster's daughter of Grambke.

AMONG the stonelayers employed upon the building of the new House of Parliament was one of a peculiarly thoughtful turn of mind, a man of speech and ambition above his trade. That man now sits in the House he helped to build, and he is Mr. Broadhurst, the member for Stoke, whose speech on the Employers' Liability bill has marked him out for Parliamentary success.

The Great Steamship, City of Rome.

At a recent meeting of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Barrow-in Furness, an interesting paper, from which we take the following, was read by Mr. James Humphreys, on the Inman steamship City of Rome, now in course of construction by the Barrow Shipbuilding Company. We hope in an early number to publish Mr. Humphrey's paper in a complete form, with diagrams, but in the meantime we may give some of the leading particulars of the vessel to which it relates. This splendid steamer will, when completed, be the largest vessel afloat, with the exception of the Great Eastern. Her dimensions are: Length between perpendiculars, 546 feet; length over all, 600 feet; extreme breadth, 52 feet 3 inches; and depth of hold, 37 feet. She will have staterooms for 271 passengers, and accommodation for 1,500 emigrants, provision being made for carrying about 260 emigrants at the fore end and 240 at the aft end on the main deck, and for 1,000 more on the lower deck. The grand dining saloon is 72 feet long, 52 feet wide, and 9 feet high, or 17 feet in the way of the large opening through the drawing room above; this saloon will afford accommodation for dining 248 persons at once. The estimated weight of the City of Rome complete and ready for sea is 8,000 tons, while her displacement on 28 feet mean draught is 13,500 tons, so that she will have a dead weight carrying-power of 5,500 tons: Her holds, however, have a cubical capacity of 38,600 cubic feet, equivalent to 7,720 tons measurement at 50 cubic per ton.

In the constructive details of the City of Rome every endeavour has been made to insure strength combined with high-class accommodation. The hull is divided into water-tight compartments by a number of bulkheads, the maximum of any one of these compartments being about 60 feet. All the bulkheads are fitted with water-tight doors of the Admiralty pattern, worked either from above or below, and provided with tell-tales on deck. At the fore end a double bottom is provided for a length of about 160 feet from the stern to give greater safety in the event of stranding. The framing is of the ordinary type. The vessel has two complete iron decks above, while the lower deck is complete for half its length, and has wide side plating for the remainder. There are nine tiers of keelsons running fore and aft, the five central ones being of uniform height, and being carried unbroken through engine and boiler rooms. The stern frame, which is now being made at the Mersey Steel and Iron Works, is estimated to weigh 33 tons when finished, and will be the largest single forging of its kind ever made.

The City of Rome will have a single screw, 24 feet in diameter, driven by three sets of compound engines of the inverted tandem type, these engines actuating cranks set at 120°. Each engine has a high pressure cylinder 43 inches, and low-pressure cylinder 86 inches in diameter, the stroke being 6 feet. The high-pressure cylinder is supported above the corresponding low-pressure cylinder by three wrought iron columns, the arrangement giving ready access to the stuffing boxes, etc. The cylinder covers are made in halves for easy removal. The valve faces are on the fronts of the cylinders, the valves being driven by eccentrics on an independent shaft coupled to the main shaft at each end by a pair of mortise wheels. The crank-shaft is a built up shaft, and is being made by Sir Joseph Whitworth &Co., of their compressed steel. It will weigh complete 64 tons, and will have main bearings 25 inches in diameter by 33½ inches long, and crank-pins 26 inches in diameter by 28 inches long. The screw shafting is also being made of the Whitworth compressed steel, and will be hollow. The intermediate shafting is 24 inches in diameter, with a 14 inch hole running through it, while the propeller shaft is 25 inches in diameter by 30½ feet long, and will weigh 18 tons. The thrust shaft will weigh 17 tons and will have 13 collars 39½ inches in diameter, giving a surface of 6,000 square inches. The engine bed plate will weigh 100 tons. The surface condensers contain nearly 17 miles of tubing, exposing 17,000 square feet of surface, and the condensing water will be supplied by two double-acting circulating pumps, 26 inches in diameter, with 3 feet stroke, worked by the forward and aft engines respectively, as are also the bilge and feed pumps, and the air pumps, the latter being 39 inches in diameter, with 3 feet stroke. There are also a large centrifugal pumping engine (for pumping heavy leaks, and which can be arranged to discharge through the condensers), and three auxiliary pumping engines for boiler feeding, bilge pumping, etc.

The boilers are eight in number, arranged in two boiler rooms of moderate size separated by a water-tight bulkhead. The boilers, which are of the cylindrical double-ended type, 14 feet in diameter by 19 feet long, are arranged fore and aft in four blocks of two each, the two central blocks being separated by the transverse bulkhead just mentioned. The coal bunkers are along the sides of the ship and form part of the structure; it is intended to make these bunkers and keelsons water-tight so as to constitute the inner skin at the points where they occur. Each boiler has six furnaces, 3 feet 9 inches in diameter, and with separate combustion chambers. The fire grates are six feet long, the total area being 1,080 square feet. Each boiler has a steam receiver, 13 feet long by 4 feet diameter. The furnaces and combustion chambers are of Bowling iron, and the shells of iron made by Sir John Brown & Co., the plates being 24 feet 8 inches long by 4 feet 4½ inches wide and 1¼ inches thick, the weight being nearly 2½ tons each. The boilers are made for a working pressure of 90 pounds per square inch.

The engines are intended to develop in regular work 8,000 indicated horse power, but to be capable of developing 10,000 horse power. The speed expected is 18 knots per hour. The vessel will have four masts, and will be full ship-rigged, with the addition of the fore and aft rigged jigger mast; she is expected to be ready for service next summer and will ply between New York and Liverpool.

Press Censorship in Russia.

(From the London Examiner.)

Again the Tiflis journal, *Obzor*, has "come to grief." For five years the editor, Mr. Nicoladze, has waged warfare with the censor, and three parts of that time his journal has been in a suppressed condition. In 1875 Nicoladze, who had made a mark as contributor to the *Golos*, went to Tiflis with the express purpose of fighting there the battle of the Russian provincial press. Between the latter and the newspapers of the two capitals a marked difference exists. The *Golos*, Moscow *Gazette*, and other large newspapers of St. Petersburg, and Moscow, are allowed to publish their news and articles without previously submitting them to the Censor, while the provincial sheets cannot print advertisements, let alone paragraphs, without obtaining first the sanction of the local press authorities. By law, the proof of a leading article, after being corrected in red ink by the Censor, has to be submitted again to that functionary before it can be published, and, as Russian Censors are usually as deficient of energy as Government officials in our own country, an article sent in on Monday and corrected on Wednesday can hardly be issued, if it contains alterations, before the following week. If a town has no Censor, the Police-master, or some other official, supervises the local press, reading carefully everything, from the puff of somebody's pills to the official announcements copied from the Government gazettes. Nicoladze made it his practice to publish the shreds of the articles expurgated by the Censor, without taking the trouble to fill in the gap with fresh words. When he had sufficiently stimulated public opinion against the Censor, by this practice he openly discredited him by inserting the articles with the expurgations, which showed how ridiculous the provincial Censors act in erasing words and sentences having nothing illegal or obnoxious in them. This led to repeated suppressions, and at last to a trial, which lasted two years, and resulted in the Supreme Court at Tiflis finding a verdict in Nicoladze's favour. Since then he has been elected a municipal Councillor, and was one of the members who recently impeached the Governor of Tiflis of malpractices.

Mad Elephants.

THE HAVOC THE GREAT BEAST CAUSES WHEN HE REBELS AGAINST IRKSOME CAPTIVITY.

A writer in the London *Telegraph*, who has spent a morning in the "Zoo," moralizes as follows on the character of the elephant: "Nor, when we speak loftily of the elephant's 'docility,' should we forget that the measure of this virtue may be gauged by the individual's capacities for the reverse. A white mouse is the most docile of mammals, but what would it matter if it were not? A pinch of the tail would always suffice to frighten it into abject submission. But when the sagacious elephant decides for itself, as it often does, that docility is not worth the candle, that occasional turbulence, good all-round rebellion, is wholesome for its temper and constitution, who is going to pinch its tail? With one swing of its trunk it lays all its attendants flat, butts its head through an inconvenient wall, and is free! They are brave men who capture the wild elephants, but no one, however brave, tries to capture 'a rogue.' It has to be shot in its tracks, dropped standing, for it is then something more than a mere wild animal. It has developed into a creature of deliberate will, and having in its own mind weighed the pros and cons, has come to a fixed conclusion that captivity is a mistake, and proceeds, therefore, on a definite plan of intelligent and malignant action. Indeed, among the episodes of Indian rural life there are few more appalling than such a one of the Mad Elephant of Mundia. It has been for many years a docile inmate of a government stud, but one day made up its mind to be infamous. Wise men have before now told the world that it is well to be drunk once a month, and others that we should not always abstain from that which is hurtful; so the elephant, determined upon a bout of wrong-doing, had some precedent to excuse him. The elephantine proportions of his misdemeanors, however, made him lapse from docility appalling to mere men and women whose individual wicked acts are naturally on so diminutive scale; but, comparatively speaking, the gigantic mammal was 'simply on a spree.' Nevertheless, in desolated villages with nearly every horrible circumstance of cruelty lately practised by the Christians of Bulgaria, and laid its plans with such consummate cunning that skilled police, well mounted and patrolling the country, were baffled for many days in their pursuit of the midnight terror. It came and went with extraordinary secrecy and speed from point to point, leaving none alone upon the highroads to tell the pursuers which way it had gone, and only a smashed village and trampled corpses to show where it had last appeared. It confused its own tracks by doubling upon its pursuers and by crossing the spoor of the other elephants that accompanied them. It was not merely wild—it was 'mad,' and as cunning and as cruel as a madman. But insanity itself is a tribute to the animal's intelligence, for sudden downright madness presumes strong brain power. Owls never go mad. They may go 'silly,' or they may be born idiots; but as Oliver Wendell Holmes says, a weak mind does not accumulate force enough to hurt itself."

Personating Charley Ross.

LITTLE MAX STEINBERGER'S ECONOMY OF TRUTH.

(From the New York Times.)

A neatly-dressed, flaxen-haired boy, apparently about ten years of age, was found strolling down Pavonia-avenue, Jersey City, early yesterday morning. A policeman who stopped him was unable to obtain satisfactory answers to his questions, and he took the lad to the station-house. Later in the day he was sent to the office of Chief Murphy, who questioned him closely. He said his first name was Charley, but he did not know his last name. "About six years ago," he said, "I was kidnapped from home. Two men took me a long distance away and left me with an old woman, whom I knew only as 'granny.' I don't know where she lived, but I think it was in Newark. I haven't any idea what street she lived in. I was always kept in doors. She never let me out."

"Was she a married woman?" asked the Chief.

"I don't know," replied the boy. "Some horrible-looking man called to see her sometimes."

Up to this time the Chief had listened to the boy's narrative with patience. He now assumed to be angry, and peremptorily demanded of the lad why he had lied to him so persistently.

"I'm not lying," the boy returned earnestly. "I swear I have told you nothing but the truth."

"I know you have not," said the Chief, "and I propose to lock you up till you do."

"You can lock me up if you will, but I have, indeed, told you nothing but the truth," the lad protested. The Chief sent him to a cell and directed that nothing be given him to eat or drink till he was ready to confess his falsehood. An hour or two later the Chief went to his cell door.

"We have found your father," he said to the boy, "and he will be over here soon to take you home."

The lad's face brightened up. "I shall be ever so grateful," he said, "if you can tell me who I am. I have been wondering for six years who I may be, and haven't been able to find out. And as for ever seeing my father's face again, that I despaired of."

Finding that his ruse did not accomplish the desired result, the Chief had another boy put in the cell with him. The newcomer was instructed, in the hope that there might be an interchange of confidences, to pretend that he was a runaway. Still, in answer to his fellow-prisoner's inquiries, the strange boy told the same story. Last evening, however he asked to be taken to the Chief, and when he met him said: "I owe you an apology. I never told so many lies in all my life before as I have told you to day." Then he confessed that his name was Max Steinberger. His mother, who is a widow, resides at No. 131 East Fifty-ninth-street, but he has lived for five years with his grandmother, Mrs. Rothschild, and his uncles, at No. 168 East Sixty-third-street. Information was sent to his relatives, and his uncles soon called for him. They said that the lad, who is unusually bright, is very self-willed. His mother, finding herself unable to control him, put him with his uncles for correction. Two or three days ago his grandmother wanted to give him a bath, but he was opposed to it. He told her that some one was at the basement door to see her, and during her absence slipped out of the front door and ran away. He proposed, he told Chief Murphy, to go out West, make money, buy a farm, and then take his mother to live with him. He had learned the little he knew of the Charley Ross story by reading the newspapers before his uncles got down stairs in the mornings.

Mlle. Tua.

Mlle. Tua, the young violinist, now so much talked of in Paris, is the daughter of a Turin mason who taught himself the violin, his wife the guitar, and put an instrument into the hands of his little girl, then 6 years old. When they had mastered a few tunes they left Turin and visited, one after another, the winter cities of the coast. At Nice a lady was so struck with the child's talent that she gave the father an introduction to M. Massart, professor of the violin at the Conservatoire, and the whole family came to Paris, to find a friend in the professor, who, with a few of his acquaintances, raised a fund which enabled them to live while the daughter followed the classes of the Conservatoire, where she has now gained the highest reward at 13. An American *impresario* has, it is reported, offered to take the young prodigy to America, with her parents, pay all their expenses for five years, and give them $40,000 at the end of that time. M. Tua has refused; he thinks his daughter can do better in Europe. Her first prize at the Conservatoire gives her $100 and a superb instrument.

A GOOD conversationalist may make himself head at a feast, but the small boy takes the cake.

The Warning of Kandahar.

The recent Afghan campaign has given fresh significance to Marshal Saxe's pithy definition of the British Army as "lions commanded by asses;" and England has triumphed, not through her officers, but in spite of them. To blunder by rule and precedent, to apply the maxims of the parade ground to the jungle, the desert, or the mountain; to treat bloodthirsty and treacherous savages as civilized troops—such is the system which, pursued in defiance of the gravest warnings, has stained the flag of one of the bravest nations in existence with such blots as Kurd-Kabul, Isandula, and Khushk-i-Nakud. At times, indeed, the rules of sound common sense and clear judgment, followed out by such captains as Clive, Coote, Lake, Wellesley, Napier, and Havelock, have formed a brilliant, though momentary, exception to this interminable blundering. But, for the most part, England's Eastern wars present the lamentable spectacle of a gallant army perpetually thrust into difficulty and danger by the incapacity of its leaders, and extricated solely by its own characteristic quality of never knowing when it is beaten.

The recent operations around Kandahar may be briefly summarized as follows: In the beginning of July a brigade was detached from the garrison to aid a loyal native chief known as the Wali, who was then threatened by the forces of Ayoob Khan. Gen. Burrows, who led the detachment, reached the town of Girishk, on the Helmund, (100 miles from Kandahar,) upon the 11th, and at once established himself opposite that place, on the left bank of the river. It then became evident that the Wali's own troops were ready to mutiny, which they did on the 14th, marching off in a body to join Ayoob Khan, who was then barely one "march" distant. In drawing off, the mutineers lost 50 men and several guns by a brilliant charge of the English cavalry; but, despite this success, Gen. Burrows thought it advisable, weakened as he was by this wholesale desertion, to fall back upon the town of Khushk-i-Nakud, 31 miles nearer Kandahar. This moment was completed, without molestation, on the 17th, although Ayoob Khan was reported to be at hand with over 4,000 men.

So far, no fault could be found with the English leader's dispositions. He was now occupying a strong position, with his stores, sick, and beasts of burden in the centre. He commanded the junction of several roads, and possessed an abundant supply of every necessary but wood. Several Afghan chiefs of note, capable of being used as hostages in case of need, were in his camp. Could he but have been content to hold his ground, he might have defied the superior numbers of the enemy. Unhappily for himself, he did the very reverse. Wishing, no doubt, to redeem by some brilliant exploit an expedition which had certainly been anything but glorious, he allowed himself to be misled into the belief that the force in his front was merely a detachment, instead of the whole Afghan Army. On the morning of the 27th he attacked the Afghan cavalry that hovered around him. The latter, feigning a panic—a device so hackneyed that no experienced officer should have been deceived by it—drew the pursuing British into a well-planned ambuscade. Their cavalry and artillery, decimated by a crushing fire, melted away at once; but the honour of the day was saved by the English infantry, whose resolute stand, with the heavy losses sustained by it, did much to check a pursuit which might otherwise have annihilated the whole brigade. As it was, the rout of the British force was complete, and had the victor pressed forward at once, he would probably have entered Candahar at the heels of the fugitives. His delay, from whatever cause it may have proceeded, saved the city. When he at length appeared before it, his repeated assaults were repelled as vigorously as they were made. Meanwhile General Roberts and Gen. Phayre, converging upon the place from opposite sides, triumphantly asserted the superiority of discipline over fanaticism; and the latest dispatches announce the relief of the besieged city and the defat of its late assailant.

Such a story points its own moral. Few errors are more common or more fatal than the belief that to overrun a country is to conquer it. Napoleon himself fell into it in 1808, and the result of that blunder was the Peninsular war and his own final overthrow. Afghanistan is an Oriental Spain, and the position of the British Commander-in-Chief at Candahar is precisely that of Joseph Bonaparte at Madrid. The English grenadier is, indeed, more than a match, in a pitched field, for the undisciplined Afghan, just as the French grenadier was for the undisciplined Spaniard. But all this does not bring the invaders one step nearer to their object. Twenty defeats, each more crushing than any which they have yet sustained, would never quell the resistance of the Afghans, nor prevent their rallying again whenever they please. It is this impalpability, this want of any vital and vulnerable point, which distinguishes the barbaric warfare of the East from the civilized warfare of the West. The organized States of Europe resemble a single and palpable adversary, pervious by shot or steel. The fierce mountain clans of the Hindu-Kush are like a swarm of hornets, everywhere and yet nowhere, always assailing, never assailable. Moreover, were every foot of Afghanistan conquered to-morrow, its occupation would only cost far more than it is worth, without any counterbalancing advantage whatever. It is full time for England to recognize the uselessness as well as costliness of her self imposed task, and to refrain from adding more valuable lives to the thousands already sacrificed in vain.

Smuggling by Cabinet Couriers.

(From the London Telegraph.)

Cabinet couriers of all European nations enjoy the privilege of exemption, as far as their persons and luggage are concerned, from the Customhouse officers' examinations to which the general travelling public is still subjected at the frontiers of the several European States. Some time ago, however, the suspicions of a french *douanier* at Pagny were aroused by the unusual number and dimensions of certain boxes for which the usual exemption was claimed by a "courier extraordinary" of the Russian Government, passing the Franco-German frontier, on his route from St. Petersburg to Paris. Although the luggage in question was duly provided with the imperial seal, the inspecting official remembered that, a few days previously, notification of the mysterious disappearance of a Russian departmental signet had reached his bureau from the Ministry of Commerce in Paris. He therefore politely declined to pass the courier's trunks, and reported the grounds of his refusal to his superior officer, who at once took upon him himself the responsibility of opening and examining the suspected luggage, despite its proprietor's indignant protest. His courage was rewarded by the discovery of 24,000 cigars, which the pretended Cabinetcourier had intended to smuggle into France. Next day another Russian courier arrived at Pagny, also accompanied by an inordinate amount of luggage under seal, which, upon being inspected, was found to contain 27,000 cigars. Both smugglers were arrested and conveyed to Nancy, were they have been detained in "preventive seclusion," while the French Police, under the superintendence of Commissary Clement, specially charged with inquiry into the case, have pursued their investigations, resulting in the detection of a widely spread smuggling association, with branches established in Paris and several leading French provincial towns. To any one acquainted with the venality, of the Russian tchinovnik, it is easy to guess how this association became possessed of the imperial signet, under cover of which they carried on their wholesale frauds upon the revenue of the French Republic.

A 4-YEAR-OLD Sunday school girl did the best she could with a question that was asked of the infant class. Said the teacher:—"'And it came to pass, when King Hezekiah heard it, that he rent his clothes.' Now, what does that mean, children, 'he rent his clothes?'" Up went a little hand. "Well, if you know, tell us." "Please, ma'am," said the child timidly, "I spose he hired 'em out."

Germany's Chronic Fears.

THE ALARMING PLOTS WHICH NEWSPAPERS ARE ALWAYS DISCOVERING.

(Berlin Despatch to the London Times.)

The Emperor has returned from Ischl. Prince Bismarck has hitherto given no sign at Kissingen, but now that the two Emperors have withdrawn from the stage it is reasonable to hope that the Chancellor, in accordance with his invariable practice, will soon proceed to entertain the European public with some diverting *entr'acte*, in which surprise, not unmingled, perhaps, with mystery, is likely to be the prevailing element. The journals here would be heartily grateful to his Highness for the creation of some incident calculated to engross their attention and employ their pens. For it must be obvious to the most cursory observer that their columns now are painfully contracted, dull and bare. They have all squeezed and strained the very last drop out of the Eastern question, nor is there any immediate prospect of grass for the poor depleished beast. A blade of sustaining vegetation in the shape of an atrocity telegram from Prisrend, a canard from Athens, or a *dementi* from Stamboul is regarded here as a perfect godsend in the way of verdant provender, and the life of the animal does thereby not altogether evaporate, but its productive power has for the time being sadly dwindled, and there is no saying what the graziers may have to do if prospects of pastures new are not speedily unfolded to them. Meanwhile, for lack of matter more attractive, the newspapers here have eagerly caught at M. Gambetta's Cherbourg speech, and are cudgelling their brains to make out exactly what the ex-Dictator meant. That his words are capable of two, and even three, interpretations, all seem to be agreed, but as to which is the right one there is little consensus of opinion. Suspicion, however, plainly appears to lurk at the bottom of all their comments, and some of the Liberal journals even write as if they were clearly convinced that France is patiently biding her time and slowly but surely maturing her imputed policy of revenge. Two Liberal papers, in fact, reason as if M. Gambetta had the other day boldly declared as much, one openly asserting its conviction that the President's speech is an "unconcealed defence of the revenge idea which is becoming popular among the French people in proportion to the increasing power they feel of being able to realize it." The semi-official and conservative press, it is true, has not yet indulged in much criticism on the subject, though its silence is no less ominous than the remarks of the Liberal organs are outspoken, but it is very evident to all that the festivities and speechifying which cheered the simple inhabitants of Cherbourg have had a somewhat opposite effect on the susceptible politicians of Berlin. At the same time, it must be said that on the subject of their international relations with the rest of Europe the Germans have lately begun to show a tetchiness and sensitiveness quite unworthy of the race of calm and penetrating thinkers which they boast themselves to be. They seem to be incessantly haunted by the suspicion of some baneful design against their new and innocent Empire by one or more of their envious and banded neighbors, and the press is hardly ever done denouncing the anti-German aims of some of the powers. Austria, it is true, since last Autumn has enjoyed a chartered immunity from these reproaches, but the other States have had to suffer severely for it. Now it is France, with a well-delivered side thrust at poor, unoffending Italy; again, the terrors of patriotic wrath are let loose on Russia, and the other day the journalists even defiantly shook their indignant fists at the honest and dumbfounded John Bull for having darkly conspired with the ambitious Muscovite to thwart and destroy the Austro-German influence on the banks of the Danube. When Germans, therefore, forget themselves so far as, on evidence of the very flimsiest and second-hand nature to impute treachery to a well-wishing and well tried friend, it can scarcely excite surprise that they should continue to be infected with an unhappy suspicion of a nation which they hold to be their hereditary foe, that they should examine all its ordinary actions with the painful minuteness of a microscopist, and pervert the words and meaning of its rulers with all the purblind obstinacy of a scholastic dogmatist.

A Chinese Theatre.

THE AUSPICIOUS OPENING OF A CELESTIAL HOME OF THE DRAMA IN PORTLAND.

(From the Portland Oregonian.)

Coung Ye Lung & Co.'s new theatre was opened the other day. The performance began at 4 p.m. and lasted till past midnight. At 7 p.m. the theatre was crowded, five-sixths of the audience being Celestials and one-sixth Caucasians. About thirty Chinese women occupied seats in the gallery, set apart for the gentler sex. The play presented is entitled "The Treaty Between the Six Asiatic Nations," and is embellished with the incidents connected with that treaty. The play embraces every shade of acting, from light comedy to heavy tragedy. The actors knew their lines and their cues, and they also knew how to act; there were no quarrels between the leading lady and the soubrette, and the star and the leading man; there were not half a hundred deadheads; there were no bouquets bought by members of the company and sent to themselves by the usher; there were no tedious waits between the acts, but there were some tedious acts between the waits; the orchestra consisted of a fiddle, two banjos, a machine that made a noise like two boys with sticks striking a paling fence going at full speed, and three pairs of cymbols—one pair as large as washtubs. The ensemble playing was a happy medium between the sounds of two pigs under a gate and the melody of a boiler factory, with a slight preponderation of the latter. The most thrilling scene was when ten actors, dressed kind of like a fairy and kind of like an Indian, and kind of like a turkey gobbler, came out and threatened to wipe the ground with their opponents' army. They tackled an old woman, threw her across a block, and sawed away for a minute with wooden swords, after which the woman turned a summersault, and walked off the stage, dead. The heroine of the play had her face painted like the sunrise of a six-bit chromo, and four young Romeos, after squandering a week's salary on picnic tickets and boat rides for the idol of their hearts, without gaining her affections, threatened to have the life's be-lud of the other three. Taken all in all, the first Chinese performance must be recorded as a grand financial and artistic success.

A French Heroine.

One of the celebrities of the Paris markets, says *The Pall Mall Gazette*, is a woman who keeps a vegetable stall, and who wears the red ribbon of the Legion of Honour. This woman, Annette Dreyon by name, was formerly cantinier to the 3rd regiment of infantry, and the 2nd regiment of Zouaves, which she accompanied through the campaigns of Africa and Italy, and during the war with Germany. Of the seven or eight female members of the Legion of Honour, she is the only one who received the distinction for an act of valor upon the field of battle; and she was decorated after the battle of Magenta for rescuing the regimental colours from Austrian soldiers who had captured them.

During the war with Germany she was with the 32nd regiment in Metz, and upon the surrender of that fortress she was sent off to Germany with the survivors. Just outside Metz a Bavarian soldier insulted her, and she pulled out her revolver and shot him through the heart. For this she was condemned to death, and would have been shot but for the intervention of Prince Frederick Charles, who hearing a woman was to be executed, made inquiries into the case, the result being that Annette Drevon was set at liberty. She lived in great poverty for some time; but Marshal MacMahon happening to hear about her, gave her a sum of money sufficient to enable her to set up the stall at which she now sells carrots, turnips, and other aids to digestion.

SIX poets who have passed three-score and ten: Longfellow, Tennyson, Hugo, Whittier, Browning, and Holmes.

WOMAN GOSSIP

The Fashionable Girl.

The thoroughly fashionable girl looks as if she had stepped out of a picture painted in the middle of last century. She droops her shoulders, represses her bosom, and humps her back until she is interestingly shaped like a consumptive in the stages next preceding death. Her shoulder blades show like rudimentary wings through the thin muslin of her white dress, and her hair is arranged with angelic simplicity. Over her shoulders and chest is a fichu like the neckerchief familiar in the standard portrait of Martha Washington. Her skirt is gathered in at the waist, and hangs as straight and plain as an old-fashioned petticoat to within six inches of the ground. The only suggestion of modern earthliness is the glimpse of gay stockings underneath.

THE London people who are not æsthetic are having a good deal of amusement over those that are: over the ruffled and short coiffures of the women, the tousled and long hair of the men, some of whom even wear a fringe; over the male attitude against wall or chimney-piece; over the female immobility when sitting with head thrown back and hands thrown forward, throat and arms stretched at fullest length; over the yellow-greens and unwholesome reds of their draperies; over the affectations of their talk, and countless other peculiarities. One of the clan, it is said, after rapt contemplation of a hideous little plate, began extemporizing some tuneless music on the piano; and on being asked what he was about, replied, "I am playing the plate."

Fashion Notes

HOODS are the coming craze.

JET will be worn to excess this winter.

NEW ostrich feathers are very thick and heavy.

ARTISTIC embroideries are being prepared for the coming season.

THE caleche bonnets of our grandmothers and the small capote are the new fall styles.

SCARVES and fichus of mauve-coloured Spanish blonde and lace are coming into fashion.

MOMIE cloths of fine, pure wool, and in stylish colours, are offered for winter dresses. They are a yard wide.

A STYLISH combination for the fall will be old gold and prune colour. Green and old gold will vie with it in favour.

VELVET will be the prevailing material for winter dresses, and the plain will be matched with the figured, the latter used for trimming.

GREEN is a colour that will be brought into prominence this fall. It will be used in combination with the new copper colours, with which it contrasts well.

BUTTONS in the form of large hooks and eyes in glittering steel are used for dresses or are worn singly for fastening the collar at the throat, the cuffs at the wrists.

THE long polonaise, which will be retained the coming season, is longer than ever, and is perhaps handsomer than heretofore because of the attention paid to its fit.

THE new ribbons are as variegated in colour and as striking in design as the new dress fabrics. Many of them have figures in exact pattern of the bright cashmere brocades.

SOME of the new basques are cut long and square in front, with a pocket put on each side of this square front; the backs of such basques are short, and cut to form two points.

SOME capes for wearing overdresses are made entirely of coloured hackle feathers. They are finished off with a coloured cord and tassels in front. In red and pale blue they are most fashionable.

THE newest long silk mittens have beads worked on them. They are to be had in white, with white or silver or gold beads; in black, with black beads; and in old gold and many other colours.

RED tints are in much favour still. Ruby, garnet, and copper, are much seen in good dresses; the mixture of blue and garnet is at present very fashionable; green and grenat, plum and gold, are also great favourites.

PLAIDS, which are introduced the early part of each winter season, are already in the market. They are not, however, tartans of Scotch clans, but are fanciful plaids which show French taste in their combination of colours.

ALL the recent dresses, of whatever material, are made with shirred backs, short apron fronts, and all-round bodices. The skirt hangs straight at the back, and the shirring consists of from five to seven rows below the line of the belt.

POLONAISES almost invariably fasten down the back, and are the most stylish way of making up light stuffs, such as bunting, nuns' cloth, sateens, and even ivory serge and cashmere. They are often accompanied by a hood to match the costume

THE basque and lower skirt of the dress of last season are retained, the former being made long or short, according to the use for which they are designed. Some basques have long collarettes, ending in shirred points, which pass under the belt.

THE fashion of wearing a silk lower skirt with flounces and a woolen over-dress has been abandoned by French dressmakers, and a woollen suit, in order to be stylish, must have only woolen seen on the outside, silk being relegated to linings.

WREATHS of flowers are worn round the throat, and also edging square-cut dresses. Those round the neck, which are made full like a ruche, are used in the daytime for dressy occasions. The lace stands up round the throat above the collarette of flowers.

THE new styles in carpets, like those in dress goods, are richer in colouring this season, and the majority of tapestry goods are worked in floral styles. In Brussels, small figures are in demand, and, like tapestries, very few designs are made on black ground.

HANDKERCHIEF dresses are now reproduced in woolen material, the stuff being printed in squares in such mixtures as violet and black, old gold and green, red and black, red and blue. They are made up in the same way as the cotton handkerchief dresses.

THOMAS YOUNG of Perkinsville, Ind., looked into the mouth of a cannon to see if it was loaded, while somebody touched it off. His head was blown away.

THE widow of the Jewish Cologne banker, Baron Abraham von Oppenheim, who, in 1870, gave the munificent sum of £150,000 for a hospital for poor children of all confessions, in memory of her late husband.

MARWOOD, the English hangman, has retired. He has trained up an assistant in the way he should hang. Marwood has realized a fair competency, and his pupil pays about the price of a snug benefice for the privilege of stepping into the shoes of his master.

THE first Pan-Presbyterian Council appointed Dr. Beadle Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements for the coming council. Dr. Beadle died and Dr. Henry A. Boardman was appointed in his place. Recently Dr. Boardman also died, and now Dr. W. P. Breed is to perform the duties of the position. Dr. William Adams, who was to preach the opening sermon, having passed away, the service will be discharged by Dr. William M. Paxton, Moderator of the last General Assembly.

A BROTHERLY EXPRESSION.—Clergymen, like other mortals, occasionally find that they have chosen unaccommodating helpmates. One of these ladies made a rather awkward mistake. Her husband having brought a brother clergyman home to dine with him, went into another apartment to speak to his spouse about the repast, when she attacked him and abused him for bringing a parcel of idle fellows to eat up their income. The husband, provoked at her behaviour, said in a pretty loud tone: "If it were not for the stranger, I would give you a good drubbing." "Oh," cried the visitor, who overheard the remark, "I beg you will make no stranger of me."

PERSONAL.

THE Duchess of Connaught received on her twentieth birthday the gift of a superb bracelet from her husband's rifle brigade corps.

THE King of Italy has offered the use of the royal villas of Capo di Monte and Marochetti to Mr. Gladstone if he wishes to recuperate in Italy.

THE late Dowager Lady Cowper's father was once Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, and she lived long enough to see her son occupying the same vice-regal throne.

LORD ARDILAUN has presented the city of Dublin with a park, with avenues, sylvan nooks, and lakes, on which he has spent more than twenty thousand pounds.

THE English ladies in Portugal have adopted a lawn tennis costume with some Moorish features, consisting of full trousers, laced at the ankle, a sleeveless, bright-colored square bodice and a loose skirt to the knee.

THE gold and silver plate belonging to the present Duke of Wellington is worth a million and a half of dollars. The Shah of Persia remonstrated with the Queen for allowing such wealthy and powerful subjects to live.

THE Queen of Denmark recently sent her chamberlain to offer Mlle. Van Zandt, the grandaughter of Signor Blatiz, an engagement in Copenhagen, and the singer opens *Mignon*, she singing French, and the rest of the company Danish.

CLELIA BERTINA, a young improvisatrice who two years ago astonished the Roman world, is about to marry the Marquis de Bavilla, a handsome rich young Spaniard. She is about eighteen years old, somewhat sad-looking, tall and delicate, with fair face and dark eyes and hair.

MR. MEREDITH READ, while in England recently, dined *en famille* at Osborne with the Queen, the Princess of Wales, Princess Beatrice, and the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. He is the first American that has been thus kindly and familiarly entreated by British royalty.

PRINCE CHARLES of Monaca has annulled the civil contract of marriage between his son, the hereditary Prince Albert, and the Princess Marie Victoria, daughter of the late Duke of Hamilton. The ecclesiastical marriage was declared void by the Pope several months ago. The lady has since married Count Thassilo Festetics, a young Hungarian.

AT the recent French military ceremony at Longchamps, the foreign ambassadors were notified that they must alight at the gate, and walk to the pavillion, only the Presidents of the Republic, of the Senate and the Chamber being allowed to drive all the way; and that furthermore they must take their places on the left instead of the right of the Presidents, the right being reserved for the French Ministers. Prince Orloff meekly obeyed instructions; but Lord Lyons said, as the representative of his sovereign, he was entitled to different treatment, and he drove all the way to the pavilion; and took his place on the right side of President Grevy, and not on the left.

IT has been thought worth while to cable the description and cost of Sara Bernhardt's new dresses. Some of them are quite fine, as notably that for *Camille*—a white satin ball dress, with camellias embroidered on a ground-work entirely of pearls; another dress is of nothing but Valenciennes lace and pearls; for *Frou-Frou* there is an ivory satin covered with embroidery of mother of pearl; for the *Sphinx*, a yellow satin skirt, with jet-covered cuirass, and two huge ravens upholding the skirt. It is no wonder that the mademoiselle declares herself incapable of living on less than twenty thousand dollars a year, and the American public may as well understand what it is that is expected of them.

JAY GOULD has no eyebrows, and a correspondent of the St. Louis *Republican* professes to tell why. He had his all staked on the Union Pacific, and the stock has been worked up from 9 to 66. The lower court had decided in his favour in a vital lawsuit, and it was with feverish anxiety that the result of the appeal was awaited. The rumour got about in Wall street that the decision of the court above would be adverse to Gould, and, in spite of the private assurances that it would be against the Government, the adverse rumours so unstrung Gould that it was hard for him to keep on his feet. A private telegraph wire was hired, with one terminus in Mr. Gould's office, and the other in the room adjoining the Supreme Court chamber in Washington. The operators sent all the decisions as they were read. Great nervousness was caused by the long, tedious opinions telegraphed in which Gould had no interest. This was kept up for hours. Gould was almost prostrated. At length the operator announced that the reading of the opinion in the Union Pacific Railway case had been commenced. The first of the opinion began to come over the wire, and it was a mere history of the case. "Oh, shut him off," cried Mr. Gould, "and ask him whether the decision of the lower court is affirmed." The answer was awaited with breathless anxiety. Gould sank in his chair, as pale as a dead man, and those about him were much concerned for fear that if the decision was adverse he would be killed by it. The operator at length gave the news that the decision of the lower court had been affirmed. Mr. Gould was prostrated, though the decision gave him millions. He was carried to his home in Fifth avenue, and a long sickness followed. All his hair came out, including his eyebrows, and those nature never restored.

Not Regarded with Favour.

THE NEW INTERNATIONAL CODE OF SIGNALS FOR PREVENTING COLLISIONS AT SEA.

(From the New York Sun.)

The new international code for preventing collisions at sea went into use recently. The remark that has been made regarding the new rules by the members of the Order in Council at the Isle of Wight, that they "contain no radical changes from the old rules," is apparent in every line, and is considered a bad omen. Seamen and intelligent persons who are accustomed to travel by water have generally acknowledged that the old code was efficient in clear weather. It is only in foggy or thick weather that it has been proved useless; and there was a hope that in the new code provision would be made by which a master of a ship would be able to ascertain in advance, by a simple system of signalling, the course that an approaching ship was making, so as to intelligently prepare to avoid a meeting. Instead of any such provision, article 19 says, when two ships are about to meet, "One short blast means, 'I am directing my course to starboard.' Two short blasts mean, 'I am directing my course to port. Three short blasts, 'I am going full speed astern.'"

Seamen say that in thick weather, when, owing to a quartering wind, it is impossible to detect by sound whence a ship is approaching, if the lookout heard the starboard course whistle he would be unable to tell whether the approaching ship was crossing his bows or running clear. What is wanted, they say, is a system by which the course of a vessel may be made known. Then, if it be a sailing ship, arrangements may easily be made not to crowd an approaching vessel too close to the wind, or, if she have the wind with her, to make her observe the rule of the road at sea and starboard her helm.

So little interest is taken in the new rules that no copy was to be seen among the pilots in the pilot office, and a United States supervisor of vessels in the Post Office acknowledged that he had no copy of the code.

The English Gentleman.

Heaven forbid that I should speak in dispraise of that unique and most English class which Mr. Charles Sumner extols—the large class of gentlemen, not of the landed class or of nobility, but cultivated and refined. They are a seemly product of the energy and of the power to rise in our race. Without, in general, ranks and splendour and wealth and luxury to polish them, they have made their own the high standard of life and manners of an aristocratic and refined class. Not having all the dissipations of this class, they are much more seriously alive to the power of intellect and knowledge, to the power of beauty. The sense of conduct, too, meets with fewer trials in this class. To some extent, however, their contiguousness to the aristocratic class has now the effect of materializing them, as it does the class of newly-enriched people. The most palpable action is on the young among them, and on their standard of life and enjoyment. But in general, for this whole class, established facts, the materialism, which they see regnant, too much block their mental horizon and limit the possibilities of things to them. They are deficient in openness and flexibility of mind, in free play of ideas, in faith and ardor. Civilized they are, but they are not much of a civilising force; they are somehow bounded and ineffected.—*Mixed Essays, Matthew Arnold.*

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.04 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9 50 a.m.	3.05 p m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4 45 p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
William ford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Sept. 24th, 1880.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

The STANDARD will be given to the first of January, 1882, for $1.25. Now is the time to subscribe. Those of our subscribers who call at the office for their paper, will please bear in mind that the place of publication is in Hill's new brick block, on Toronto-street, opposite the Markdale House. We would again draw the attention of intending subscribers to the fact that we offer special inducements to those who may now choose to order the STANDARD. The charge will be $1.25 from now till 1st January, 1882—one year and over three months' for a year's subscription. This, we think, is very liberal on our part, and we have no doubt of the result.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We will be pleased to receive communications from those who may desire to write us on subjects of news or of general importance, as it is our desire to make the STANDARD a medium through which all matters of interest may be laid before the public. No anonymous communication will appear in this journal, we must have the name of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but that we may know with whom we are dealing. Communications only of public interest will be received. Matters of a private or personal character, and in which the community are in no way interested, will not receive publicity through our columns.

T., G. & B. RAILWAY.

THE Shareholders of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company at their annual meeting, which was held in Toronto on the 8th inst., received and adopted the report of the Bondholders, who have now control of the road. The report contains the usual financial statements, &c.; but the portion of it most interesting to the municipalities is that having reference to the agreement to be made with the Grand Trunk Company for the working of the line. We are informed that the agreement adopted by the Board is a favorable one for the municipalities, as it provides for putting the road into firstrate order, and for maintaining it in a thoroughly efficient state of repair. It is expected that the appeal to the municipalities for the amount required from them will be made at once.

FAREWELL ADDRESS TO REV. A. WILSON.

On Monday evening, the 20th inst., the Manse in Markdale was the scene of a pleasant entertainment. A large number of the members and friends of the Presbyterian Congregation of Flesherton took possession of it, and for a few hours enjoyed themselves very pleasantly. The duties of the Chair were most efficiently performed by Mr. J. Anderson. Before the company separated, the Chairman called upon Miss Blain, who read the following address:—

To Rev. A. Wilson.

REV. AND DEAR SIR.—As you are about to depart from our midst, we cannot allow the event to pass without having at least a social meeting to tender to you our heartfelt wishes for your future welfare, and in doing so we wish you to obliterate from your mind that this is done because it is a prevalent custom on the departure of a minister from his field of labor; but on the contrary, let us assure you that it is the undisguised feeling of the members and friends here assembled from the Flesherton Congregation, especially when we call to mind the many excellent qualities of head and heart you have evinced, and the exertions you have used in the promotion of every movement which had for its object the welfare of the Congregation of Flesherton. You have not been many years amongst us, but during your stay here we have learned to recognize in you an able expounder of the Word of God, and a strict adherer to the Church of our fathers. Engaged as you are in the glorious work of directing sinners to the Cross of Christ, where we believe you have succeeded under God's blessing in setting many on the straight and narrow way. Your exertions in the interest of the Sabbath School and Bible Class we recognize with gratitude, and feel that when you return to College we will loose a friend and counsellor. We would also convey to you our appreciation of the active and intelligent interest you manifested in our public school of Flesherton, and while it is not our place to speak of the high standing you have gained as a Minister of the Gospel, we wish at the same time, as your friends and acquaintances, to offer an expression of the estimation in which you are held by us, both on account of your private virtues and your ability as a Minister in the Presbyterian Church. In offering you these expressions of regard, we would not forget your partner in life. We assure her of our regard, and both of you of our best wishes for your future happiness and prosperity. We request your acceptance of the accompanying purse as a small token of our regard, and commending you and your family to the Providence and Grace of God, we affectionately bid you farewell.

Signed, JENNIE B. BLAIN,
On behalf the Ladies' Aid Association.

Mr. Wilson made a brief but appropriate reply under strong emotions, feeling quite unable adequately to convey in words his sense of their kindness. The company shortly after separated, much pleased with the evenings entertainment.

IRON MINING IN MANITOULIN.

For some time past it has been considered that iron might be procured in paying quantities on the Manitoulin Island, but the lack of enterprise, and perhaps money, to enable parties to fully investigate the resources of the district prevented any action being taken. Lately, however, a shrewd American who appears to fully understand the matter, and having funds at his command, went to the Island, and after but little search found the sought for article. The lots on which he made the discovery had been taken up by a Mr. Trouch, the mate of the steamer *Sovereign*, who it appears some time ago took up 1,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Killarney, and but recently learned that there are rich beds of ore on the property. A few days ago, the American gentleman above referred to came to Canada and after a conversation with Mr. Trouch, and paying him a sum for the privelege of getting a look at the best veins, became so thoroughly convinced of their richness that he at once offered to advance all the money required for developing and working the mines. Some of the ore has been assayed in New York and pronouced of the finest quality, and capable of being manufactured into first-class steel. Mr. Trouch, we are informed, will leave the steamer after making another trip, and he and the American gentleman will immediately engage in active mining operations. We wish Mr. Trouch and his associate every success, and as to the Islanders, this branch of industry will very much facilitate their progress.

BANKING.

For sometime past a great want for banking accommodation has been felt by our business men in this section of country, they having been obliged to transact their business in Owen Sound, Meaford or Collingwood; now all this trouble and great inconvenience is about being done away with, inasmuch, as it will be seen by advertisement in to-day's issue that Messrs. Wm. Lucas & Co. have leased a portion of Hill's new brick Block, for banking purposes. Burglar and fire-proof safes have been erected, and everything appears secure. This institution will be of great benefit not only to the merchant, the farmer, the mechanic, but in fact to all who are in any way engaged in business. We learn that Mr. Lucas, the manager, has been connected with the largest private banking house in Canada; and comes to us highly recommended as a straightforward and thorough business man. Drafts payable in all parts of Canada and the United States will be issued, and in fact all business usual to such institutions will be transacted here. Further information on this subject may be learned on reference to advertisement.

COUNTY ITEMS.

THE Sydenham and Holland Shows will both be held this year on the same day—Friday, Oct. 1st.

SOUTH GREY Agricultural Show in Durham, Thursday and Friday, 30th and 1st Oct.

KEPPEL Agricultural Society's Fall Show will be held at Oxenden on the 12th of October.

EAST GREY Agricultural Show in Flesherton, on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 28th any 29th inst.

THE Fall Show at Clarksburg this year will be for two days, and will be the most important Exhibition in Grey. The 6th and 7th of October, Wednesday and Thursday are the dates.—*Standard.*

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A lad of fifteen years of age, named Henery Chesterfield, of Tara, was kicked by a horse and instantly killed, on Friday morning last. He was trying to catch a horse in the pasture field when the accident occurred.

DIVORCE.—Notice is given in Saturday's *Canada Gazette* that an application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada at its next session, on behalf of Matthew Gardiner, of the township of Sydenham, in the County of Grey, farmer, for a bill of divorce from Elizabeth Ann Gardiner, his wife, on the ground of adultery.

AS WILL be seen by our market report in another column, spring wheat ranges from 96 to 98 cents per bushel, while fall wheat ranges from 86 to 88—just 10 cents lower. It seldom occurs that a higher price is paid for spring than fall wheat, and we are at a loss to account for it.—*Thornbury Standard.*

FROM the Wiarton *Echo* we learn that the grading on the Stratford and Lake Huron Railway, between Listowell and the northern terminus at Wiarton, is all but completed—will, with the exception of the bridging, be completed and ready for the rails before winter sets in. Nothing more, however, will be done until it is ascertained whether the expected Government aid can be had,

THE thirteenth annual exhibition of the Melancthon Agricultural Society will be held in Shelburne on Thursday and Friday, September 30th and October 1st, 1880. On the days of the show return tickets will be issued at single fare by the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway to Shelburne from all stations south to Charleston, and from all stations north to Markdale, good to return on Saturday, the 2nd of October.

WORRIED BY A DOG.—A little girl 8 years old, daughter of Mr. Richard Ball, was attacked and worried by a ferocious brute of a dog, kept and owned by William Knott. Knott owns four acres of land close to the school house, and keeps this fierce brute to protect his orchard while he is away. On one of these occasions, the children being out at play, were attacked, the result of which might have been very serious.

THE Thornburry *Standard* says that Mr. Fawcett has let the job of crosswaying and ditching 18 and 19 side road to good and reliable men, who will perform their work according to contract. On the completion of this portion of the road, it will then be open from boundary to boundary, and will give a direct road to Clarksburg and Thornbury to a large number of Euphrasiaites; an advantage they will eagerly avail themselves of—especially in the winter, when such places as the Epping and St. Vincent Rocks are blocked with snown.

THE case known as the Organ Question of the Presbyterian Church at Durham, was up before a meeting of the Saugeen Presbytery, at Mount Forest, on Wednesday last. The prayer of the dissentients for the organization of another congregation at Durham was not granted, on the ground that a large proportion of the petitioners were still members of the Presbyterian Church here. In the mean time a special meeting of the Presbytery was appointed to be held at Durham on the first Tuesday of October, for the purpose of investigating the whole matter, and considering whether some means cannot be devised whereby harmony may be restored in the congregation.

TORONTO, GREY AND BRUCE RAILWAY.—The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this railway was held in Toronto on wednesday, the 15th inst. The following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year: Messrs. John Gordon, Wm. Ramsay, Donald McKay, J. G. Worts, George Gooderham, A. B. Lee, John Leys, Wm. Hendrie, Thomas Gibson, M. P. P., of Wroxeter. At a subsequent meeting of the Directors, held in the afternoon, Mr. John Gordon was re-ellected President of the Company, and Mr. Wm. Ramsy, Vice-President. Among the items of interest in the annual report was the statement that formal negotiations had been entered into by the Board of Directors with the General Manager of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, for the purpose of making arrangements with that Company to work the line; also an arrangement to that effect, is now being prepared, the same being, however, based on the understanding that the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Company is to receive liberal support from the municipalities towards the change of gauge scheme and the necessary improvements.

EAST GREY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The semi-annual meeting of the above Association will be held in Andrews' Hall, Thornbury, on Thursday and Friday, the 14th and 15th days of Obtober next. The following is the programme:—1. Lecture on Education by A. Grier, to be given on the afternoon of the first day. 2. Robert Hamilton on the Art of Teaching. 3. D. Honeywell, Factoring. 4. George Lindsay, Provincial Assocition. 5. R. J. Hall, How to teach Spelling. 5. John White, Fractions. 7. J. H. W. York, Penmanship. 8. Dr. Donaldson, Chemistry. Other subjects will be taken up by Messrs. Tait, DeLeMatter, McKinnon, Farewell, Finch, Revs. Colter, Gee, Elliott, Bell, Brown and others. Questions for the Question Drawer must be sent to the president before the opening of the Convention. There will be an entertainment on the evening of the first day, under the management of Mr. Henderson. Admission 10 cents. Proceeds to be applied to the Band Fund.

SOUTH GREY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The semi-annual meeting of the South Grey Teachers' Association will be held in Durham, on Thursday and Friday, October 7th and 8th. The following is the programme for the two days:—1: President's Address. 2. Joseph Reid, B. A., Algebra to beginners. 3, Mr. M. N. Armstrong, Recitation. 4. Mr. W. J. Galbrafth, Geometry to Beginners. 5. Mr. R. Walker, Some methods of Reward and Punishment. 6. Mr Dixon, Teaching Writing to Juniors. 7. Mr. Charles Ramage, Teach Reading to Juniors. 9. Mr. D Allan, Report from Provincial Association. 10. Mr. W. K. Reid, Music in Schools. 11. Mr. Jenkins, Drawing with Illustrations. 12. Mr. S. Acheson, Natural Philosophy. 13. Mr. M. P. McMaster, Teacher's Duty outside Schoolroom. The best methods of teaching Arithmetic, Reading and Geography will be illustrated with classes by Misses Corry and Armstrong, and Messrs. Jones and Blagbourne. A suitable entertainment will be provided for Thursday evening. It is hoped that all Teachers in the district will consider it their duty to be present.

DIED.

At the residence of their father, John Whitby, Esq., Township of Artemesia, on the 9th inst., Herbert Homer, aged 7 years and 10 months; and on the 10th, Kate Estilla, aged 6 years and 4 months.

Rev. Mr. McDiarmid will preach a memorial sermon of the above on Sabbath morning next, at 10:30.

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

MARRIED

On the 21st inst., by the Rev. T. Hicks, Mr. Henry Reid to Miss Elizabeth Jane Foster, both of Holland Township.

On the 21st inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Wm. Jackson, jr., of the Township of Holland, to Miss Elizabeth Hamilton, eldest daughter of John Hamilton, Esq., of Glenelg.

In Kintail, on the 31st ult., at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, by the Rev. Mr. Grant, Mr. Donald McLeod, late of Markdale, to Miss Mary Dick, of Ripley.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m, Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a.m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST,

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. C. C. Garrett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Sep. 23rd, 1880.

Flour	5.00	to	5.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	0.90	to	0.95
Fall do. do. do.	0.85	to	0.85
Barley	0.40	"	0.55
Oats	0.25	"	0.25
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.10
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.05
Ducks, per pair	0.30	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.40	"	1.00
Hides	6.00	"	6.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	3.00	"	3.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.25
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	1.50

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Sep. 23rd, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$4.75	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.85	to	0.90
Fall do. do. do.	0.80	"	0.88
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.27	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.22
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.50
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	6.00
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.35
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

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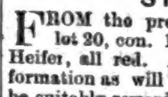
STRAYED

FROM the premises of William Lyons, lot 20, con. 12, Holland, one year old Heifer, all red. Any party giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Holland, Sept. 20, 1880. 2-3in



STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lots 91 & 92, 3rd Range, W T. & S. Load, one white heifer with white nose, a red and white heifer with lined back, and a red steer with white spots through it, and white hind feet—all yearlings. Any person giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

ROBERT TORRY.

Glenelg, Sept. 2, 1880. 1-4in

STRAY STEERS.

STRAYED into the premises of Mrs David Bradley, lot 82, 2nd East of T. & S. Road, Holland, one steer rising three years old, and one rising two years. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

MRS. BRADLEY.

Holland, Sept. 10, 1880. 1-3

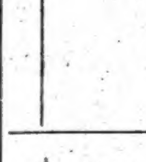
Subscribe for the Standard, We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

E. D. WILCOX,

Watches, Clocks, — Jewellery, &c. &c.

This space to be occupied by E. D. Wilcox's Advertisement as soon as his new Brick Store, now being fitted for him is completed.

MARKDALE.



TAILORING.

F. J. PRIDHAM

FASHIONABLE TAILOR,

WISHES to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS PROMPTLY.

THE LATEST FASHIONS ALWAYS ON HAND.

CUTTING DONE while customers are waiting.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED.

CHARGES MODERATE.

PLACE OF BUSINESS

OVER M'FARLAND'S STORE,

Corner of Mill & Toronto Sts.,

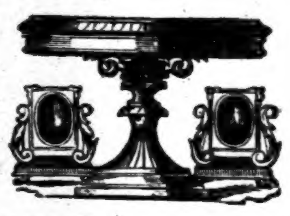
MARKDALE.

September 17, 1880. 1-tf

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT

Clearing Out Sale!



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will offer for the

NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
CUPBOARDS,
WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,

Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

Pictures and Picture Framing! in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing! promptly attended to.

☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

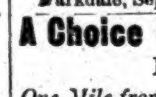
A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.



VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

STRAYED

INTO the premises of James Farding, lot 16, con. 9, Euphrasia, two RED YEARLING STEERS and one brindled yearling. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1-3in

STRAY STEER.

CAME into the premises of the subscriber lot 6, con. 12, Euphrasia, on or about the 15th July last, a red and white STEER, about one year old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take it away.

1-3

JAS. BLANEY.

MEDICAL HALL.

Pure Drugs and Chemicals!

PATENT MEDICINES!

Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances, and general Druggists sundries.

Stationery and School Books! IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCOS! TOGETHER WITH

PAINTS AND OILS.

Physicians' Prescriptions, AND VETERINARY PREPERATIONS. CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

Montreal Telegraph Office.

T. S. SPROULE, M. D.

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880. 1-tf

HILL BROS.,

Space to be occupied by HILL BROS. when they remove.

When their new building is completed.

Advertisement will appear in this space

MARKDALE.

H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

—IN—

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,

SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES, DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!

CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—

UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings

made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and as much so as is consistent with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER.

1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mil

General Advertisements.

WILLIAM FOX,

Plain and Ornamental Plasterer.

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1

Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past ... years, and begs to remind them that ... prepared to supply the ... in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of order,

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill strett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors by trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

James Sullivan,

FLESHERTON,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

Tin, Copper, Sheet-Iron and Japanned Wares,

Eave Troughing, &c.

A Large Stock of Crockery and Stoneware.

Wooden Wares, Washboards, Brooms, Brushes, Rakes, Handles, &c. &c.

Stove Ovens Lined.

Old Metal, Hides and Wool taken in exchange.

☞ Prices most reasonable,

JAMES SULLIVAN.

Flesherton, Sept. 1880. 1

STOVES.

Haskett Bros.

BOTTOM PRICE FOUND AT LAST.

Great Reduction to Cash Purchasers.

THINK OF OUR PRICES.

A No. 9 elevated Oven Cook Stove, furnished complete, $18

Same, with Low Oven, $17

5 BOX STOVE, $

All other sizes Equally Low

These Stoves are from the best and largest manufacturers in the Dominion—have all the latest improvements, with illuminated fronts and silver-plated trimmings, and are beyond doubt the best Stoves in the Market.

HARDWARE.

A large stock of axes, cross cut saws, building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, Paints Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, &c at low prices.

TINWARE.

Coal Oil, Lamps &c., Stock large and prices as low as any in the trade.

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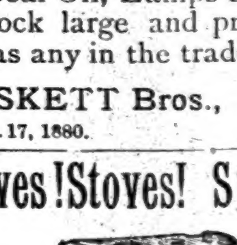

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND B... STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, it will last you your lifetime.

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND

ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork!

made to order on the shartest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, near the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

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FROM the premises of JOHN MOORE, lot 10, concession 12, Holland, about the 15th of June. Three yearlings, one spotted heifer—red and white, one white heifer and one red steer. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Holland, Sept. 14th, 1880. 1-3

THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

In time to meet the wants ... contains the latest Foreign and Provincial News, Local Intelligence, County Business, Commercial Matters and an Instructive Miscellany.

$1.25 in advance, $1.50 in three months, $2 if not paid till end of the year. No paper discontinued until all arrearages are paid except at the option of the publisher. Parties refusing papers without paying them will be held responsible for the subscription ... they comply with the rules.

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Editors.

EXTRACTS FROM A SPEECH DELIVERED BY CHARLES S. FREEMAN TO THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NEW YORK PRESS ASSOCIATION AT TROY.

Editors are born, not made. You cannot grind them up in heaps as you can do doctors, or lawyers, or clergymen. There is no college where they are taught. There is no curriculum for them to study. There are no professors of newspapers. There are no diplomas and there are no degree for an editor. Perhaps I should say that none of the ordinary schools in which other professions are taught, answer for the newspa... The best school is the printing ...

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TO THE HUNGRY AND THIRSTY.—Read McIntyre's adv. He does not promise to clothe the naked. No! But, see what he does promise.

NIGHT SCHOOL.—T. Hall will open a night school up stairs in the Douglas Block, on Wednesday next, at 8 o'clock p. m. Terms—$1.00 for ten nights, cash in advance.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOL which was closed for a few days owing to sore throat prevailing among the children, is now open and parents may be in no way afraid of any contagious disease—the village is very healthy.

BOOK AGENT.—Mr. Charles Brown, book agent, of Collingwooe, called on us a day or two ago. Mr. B. looks the picture of health. He is agent for some very popular and useful works deserving of a place in every library.

FIRE.—We regret to be compelled to announce that on Saturday last the house and stabling of Finlay McRae, Esq., Warden of Grey, was totally destroyed by fire. We have not room for particulars, but learn that the loss is estimated at $2,000.

PERSONAL.—W. K. Flesher, Esq., of Flesherton, has returned from England, looking well. M. Richardson, Esq., of Flesherton, is home from Europe looking well after his rough passage by the *City of Brussels.* His daughter Edith remained in England for her health.

BAZAAR.—Remember that on Monday next, the 27th inst., a bazaar takes place in Dufferin Hall, under the auspices of the Ladies' Association of the Presbyterian congregation. Hot meals will be served from 12 to 5 p. m.; price 20 cents. Proceeds in aid of the Society's funds.

STOVES.—Haskett Bros. have a large supply of every description of stove on hand, which they propose selling at the lowest remunerative prices. W. R. Walker, not to be outdone, has added largely to his stock of stoves, so that parties requiring anything in this line need not go from home to procure it.

FIRE.—About 2 o'clock Sunday morning, the 19th inst., Mr. Joseph Dormer, lot 9 con. 14, Artemesia, discovered his barn in flames, and the roof just falling in. He had finished harvesting a few days before, consequently his grain and hay was consumed, together with democrat buggy, fanning mill, &c.; in fact he saved nothing that was in the barn. Cause of fire unknown. Loss $1,200; insured for $640.

MEAFORD MARBLE WORKS.—These works, the property of Mr. Hogg, are so well and favorably known that comment would be futile. We may say, however, that we have seen some of the work turned out from this establishment which would do credit to houses of greater noteriety. Mr. John McKenzie, agent for these works, is now in town, taking orders, and those requiring anything in this line should at least have a conversation with him.

A NEW ENTERPRISE.—We understand Mr. J. F. Sproule purposes opening in Hill Bros. old shop, where he intends keeping a stock of Dry Goods, Millinery, Ready-Made Clothing, Gents' Furnishings, Groceries &c. He intends doing business there till the new brick block now being built by Doctor Sproule, and pushed forward very rapidly, will be completed. Mr. Sproule intends doing strictly a cash and produce business, and selling at bottom prices. We very much admire the principle, as we think it is time that the old credit system was abandoned. Look out for his advertisement in next week's issue.

A GOOD SUGGESTION.—In view of the prevalence of cattle stealing throughout the country, a Western paper very sensibly suggests that inducements should be held out for the capture of thieves. It says:—"A few Township Councils might combine and offer a standing reward of five or ten dollars each for the arrest and conviction of the thief or theives who might be proven to have stolen cattle within their limits. Or the reward might be made up of private subscriptions; but this plan would involve considerable trouble, and also throw the whole expense upon a few individuals. The Township Councils would be the fairer and more satisfactory way, and the amounts that would be called for during the year would be so small as to be imperceptible when spread over the whole of the ratepayers. We commend the matter to the thoughtful consideration of the authorities in the neighboring municipalities. That a rather uncertain state of affairs exists cannot be denied. That some remedy is needed will be universally conceded. And it is absurd, unreasonable and unfair to leave the whole trouble and expense of catching theives to be borne by the unfortunate party who happens to be made the victim of the depredations."

PRICEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

The Cattle Fair of last Monday was well attended; both buyers and stock were in abundance. Fat animals changed hands rapidly at fair prices. Some cattle were not in the best condition in consequence of the recent drouth.

With regret we record the departure from our village of two of the most esteemed citizens in the persons of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wood. Mr. and Mrs. W. have been residents of Priceville for about four years, during which time they have gained the confidence and respect of all who had the pleasure of coming in contact with them. They now go to Arthur village, where Mr. W. has purchased the Stationery and Fancy Goods business. One and all heartily join in wishing them success and continued happiness.

Mr. Riley has all the material on the ground for the construction of a new blacksmith shop. Mr. George Simpson is the contractor.

Eligible young ladies and gentlemen contemplate getting up a concert in aid of the sidewalk fund; the pleasure of their evening peregrinations having been materially enhanced.

GO TO

W. J. McFarland's

FOR

BOOTS AND SHOES!

Newest thing out. Warranted not to rip. 1

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

Drs. Sproule & Carter,
Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c.

OFFICE.—Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

J. B. McMillan,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND SOLICITOR in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c., &c.
Owen Sound, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Chas. R. Wilkes,
Barrister at Law, - Owen Sound.
OFFICE.—Millers's building, over Robinson's store, Poulet Street. 1-y

McFayden & Robarts,
BARRISTERS, Solicitors in Chancery, &c. Office, one door east of the Merchants' Bank, Union-st., Owen Sound.
C. McFAYDEN. J. T. ROBARTS.
Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

Frost & Frost,
BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday, as heretofore.
ALFRED FROST. J. W. FROST, LL. B.
County Crown Attorney. 1

S. J. Lane,
BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, &c.
OFFICES—at Owen Sound and Markdale.
N. B.—Office at Markdale, over W. J. McFarland's store, open on Thursday of every week. 1-y

James Masson,
BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Master in Chancery, Owen Sound.
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James Lamon,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN Chancery, Notary Public, &c.
Money loaned at lowest rates on personal and real estate. Lands bought and sold. Buyer and seller introduced free of commission.
DUNDALK.
September 21st, 1880. 1

Conveyancers & Land Agents.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., Commissioner in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
N. B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

David Jackson, Jr.,
LOAN AND LAND AGENT, CONVEYancer, &c. Money to lend at the lowest rate of Interest ever offered in this part of the country. Principal money will be taken in sums of $100 and upwards yearly with the interest if desired.
Durham, Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

F. McRae,
REAL ESTATE AGENT, DURHAM County of Grey.
Money to Loan at reasonable interest, payable half-yearly at 8 per cent., or at the end of the year 8½ per cent.—principal payable at the end of 3, 5 or 10 years—or principal and interest yearly to suit Borrowers.
Lands for Sale. Mortgages bought and sold.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1 y

Carson Price,
GENERAL MERCHANT, HOLLAND Centre. Land Agent and Commissioner in B. R. &c. Mortgages, Leases, &c., drawn with neatness and despatch.
Holland, Centre, Sept. 17, 1880, 1-y

Alexander Brown,
ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, Merchants, and Land Sales, Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate.
Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr.,
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And wondrous sweet was the song of his lay.
"Farewell, I am going!" it seemed to say,—
"Far, far away
Must I travel to-day."

To that sweet field-music I lent an ear;
It made me sorry and glad to hear;
With an aching joy, with a gladsome pain,
My heart rose lightly, then sank again.
"Say heart, say heart,
Art thou breaking for pleasure, or breaking for pain?"

The leaves around me fell sadly down,
Then I said, "Alas! the Autumn is nigh!
The Summer swallow has homeward flown.
Perchance, thus love and longing fly,—
Far, far and swift,
With time they drift."

But the sunshine streamed around me anew;
Back to me quickly the little bird flew,
And sang, as he saw my falling tears,—
"Love knows no Winter in his years.
Nay, nay!
For love, there is no such thing;
It is, and it must be always, Spring!"

JANE HEARN'S TRIAL.

A STORY IN THREE CHAPTERS.

CHAPTER II.—CONTINUED.

He could not meet her gaze. He felt as if he were stifling, though the breeze blew softly in from the sea and the freshness of an Autumn evening was in the air.

"Isn't this the path that leads into the pine wood—our favourite walk?" he said presently.

And Jane answered "Yes."

She was awed by the sure intuition of some coming evil; she felt like a child whom some one was leading into a dark room full of mysterious horrors. Guy had some dreadful thing to tell her; of that she was sure. Well, she was no coward, and she would show him how brave she could be. Linked hand in hand the two followed the pathway that led into the woods that were now gray and ghostly with the gathering shadows.

Robin sang no more. A thousand stars in place of one here and there shone overhead, the sea sobbed against the rocks more loudly, for the wind was rising as the night fell.

Colonel Daubeney, looking like a silhouette against the dusky sky, paced restlessly up and down, up and down, the garden.

If those two for whom he watched and waited had not been Guy Challoner and Jane Hearn, he might have thought that passion and despair had won the day, and that never more should he see his ward's sweet face or listen to her gentle voice. As things were, the Colonel knew that though the parting between the one-time lovers might be as the very blackness and bitterness of death itself, Guy would strengthen the woman he loved to do the right, and shrink from the thought of seeing her fair white life sullied, even for his own sake, as from the touch of a red-hot iron. He trusted Guy utterly; but this waiting tried him sorely. How would Jane look when she came back from that fateful walk along the shore? What should he do to try and comfort her? Would Guy come with her or would she come alone, widowed and desolate indeed, even though still a wife?

Just before she went out she had been singing; should he ever hear her sing again? What was to be done about Walter Hearn? Doubtless he could oblige Jane to go back to him; and then there was her income—the residue of the fortune that had been so miserably squandered; yes, that would be a temptation to the man, no doubt. How the Colonel wished that Walter Hearn were one of those men, actively cruel, repellent, gross, from whom the law can easily protect any woman! As it was, there was no law against a man slowly breaking his wife's heart by neglect and indifference; no law against a man treating his wife with rather less consideration than he would an article of furniture in his household; nor yet, if a woman were fool enough to leave her worldly possessions unguarded, could a man be prosecuted for making away with them.

No; there was no appeal against Walter Hearn—none—unless he had led a dissolute life under cover of a false name and false position. Granted this, what end was to be gained by dragging Jane's name before the public and giving that unrighteous critic the chance of saying that there had been "faults on both sides, no doubt!" Even when a woman's womanhood would be dragged through the mire by staying with a man whose only pleasure is to degrade her, there are still found cruel and unrighteous ones who will say that, be things how they may, her place is by her husband's side, while hands are not wanting to cast a stone at her bowed head. What chance, then, was there for Jane, who had no blackened bruises to show, but only a bleeding heart?

"Perhaps the blackguard may not want her back," thought the Colonel, trying to cheer himself up a bit; "perhaps he might be willing to accept a—a—consideration to leave her alone."

Jane, forever separated from Guy Challoner; Jane, weary-hearted and sad-eyed; Jane, never singing about the house as she used to do; but yet Jane safe under his own roof, watched over, loved, comforted perhaps a little in God's own good time, by himself and that dear wife of his—these were the visions that the old man was conjuring up as he passed to and fro in the gathering darkness. But the visions quickly fled at last, chased away into the land of dreams by a pitiable reality. A solitary figure came slowly toward him through the gloom.

Jane, her clasped hands falling against her dress, the ghastly whiteness of her face showing strangely in the faint gray light that still lingered.

"Where is—where is—" stammered the Colonel, losing his head completely, and wishing Ellen were near to help him in his sore extremity.

"Guy?" said Jane, completing his sentence for him. "I left him in the wood, the wood above the shore where we have had so many walks and talks together. I went because he told me it was best so. I looked back and saw him lying on the ground. I was glad I could not see his face. If he had looked up, I might have gone back, and then I should never have left him any more. Guy will not come here again; he is going away to night; we have said good-bye to each other, you know. It will be a long good-bye, guardy—a long, long good-bye."

If she had wept, if she had sobbed her heart out over this sorrow that had come upon her, the Colonel thought he could have borne it better; but those dim, lack-lustre eyes, those pallid lips that spoke so calmly, and in such strange, dreamy fashion, of this terrible parting in the words!

"Come in, my dear, come in," he said, trembling.

Jane smiled. "Great heaven!" he thought; "what a smile." And putting her hand in his, she let him lead her in as he might have led a little child.

Jane's eyes were dry; they had the dull and vacant look you may see in those of a sleep-walker. Her brain was numbed, dazed by excess of misery; she only knew that she and her dear love had given each other a kiss good-bye, and that it was for a long, long time.

CHAPTER III.

"Let it be as a dream that is past, and like a tale that is told—let it be as though it had never been."

Jane Hearn was going back into the old barren, arid life; the old life of ceaseless self-repression, of utter lack of sympathy, of cheerless days, one following the other in an endless monotonous procession

She was like one who, footsore and weary, had been led to the gates of a paradise of peace and rest, a beautiful land "flowing with milk and honey," and then dragged back into the sandy desert already traversed with sore pain and travail.

She had learned what were the possibilities of life, and then been set face to face with its black realities.

Walter Hearn's last "whim" had been most successfully carried out. He had had his fling, and now, as he pleasantly put it, he was coming home again to settle down into an exemplary domestic character.

Jane knew full well what that meant. She knew the old routine off by heart—the utter disregard of everything and everybody save the whim of the hour; the utter indifference to his wife's happiness that had characterized his conduct from the early days of their married life; the cultivation of a kind of society utterly detestable to her; the spending of every possible farthing he could lay his hands upon, and, worst of all, the posing as a gentle-spirited victim to domestic worry—a great soul linked to a woman who neither understood or appreciated him.

She knew what had been the galling of the chain that bound her life, and now had she not also tasted of the sweetness of liberty and peace and love? And now the old struggle must begin again, and the story of Guy's love, his tenderness, his ceaseless thought of her, all their happy companionship together, must be "as a dream that is past, and as a tale that is told." There were no half measures in Jane's creed. Believing herself free she had given herself up body, heart, and soul to the new life, the exquisite new life that had opened out before her. Her days, her nights, had been full of thought and full of dreaming of Guy Challoner. She had searched her own mind to discover its fullest capabilities in the way of entering into those grand pursuits he loved. She did not want to try and turn herself into an aggressively learned woman; she only wanted to attain to the power of being receptive and appreciative, to be at once ambitious for him and proud of him, and to be both these things with understanding.

The old life of pain and struggle had once grown dim and misty; it had seemed a thing unreal, as though it were the story of some other woman that Jane had once read with a mighty pity stirring at her heart.

Now it was the new life, the new beautiful happy life that had opened like a flower-strewn vista before her, that must be set aside at the call of right and duty.

In Jane's eyes marriage was a holy thing, not a mere contract to be broken at will. If a woman, for the sake of, and in defense of, the purity of her own womanhood had to leave her husband, then henceforth she must face the world alone. As long as the man to whom she had vowed to consecrate her life lived, no matter what his sins against her, no other man could be more to her than a true and loyal friend.

This was Jane's creed—an old-fashioned one, no doubt, as the world goes now, but sweet and pure as the scent of those old-fashioned garden flowers that are going out of favour now-a-days, too.

"I have done no wrong," she said, lifting her sad, tired eyes to the old Colonel's face, and making him feel as if it would do him good to swear a good round oath at things in general and Walter Hearn and his whims in particular; "and Guy had done no wrong. We do not know, either of us. When we did we kissed each other many times, and said good-bye."

The quite, hopeless resignation of Jane's look and voice maddened the Colonel. And yet there was nothing to be done—absolutely nothing.

Mrs. Daubeney was so frightened by Jane's stony calmness, dim eyes, and white, weary face, that she hardly dared speak at all; which was perhaps a good thing, since there are times in life when even the gentlest words sear like hot irons, and such a time had come to Jane Hearn.

She made all her own plans, packed all her own things, went about the house quietly seeing to this or that—more able to think of what ought to be done than either her guardian or his sorrowing wife. She had determined to go down to Southampton and meet her husband.

"I want to leave all the old life behind me," she said. "You will not see me for ever so long. Walter will not care to come, I know—you remember he never did. He will write to you, I dare say, and I shall write. You must not mind if I have not much to say about myself. I do not think there will be much to say."

"Won't you be very lonely in London, my dearie!" Mrs. Daubeney ventured to say, gently stroking Jane's hand—the hand whereon the wedding-ring glistened, and where once a single amethyst, Guy's gift, had shone with softest lustre. "London is a lonely place for any one who has no friends."

"I shall not mind," said Jane. "I think I am a person who is better without friends—an unsympathetic sort of person, you know," she added, with a smile the sight of which sent poor Mrs. Daubeney out of the room.

The story of Guy's love for Jane Hearn, and hers for him—the story of those madly happy months by the Western sea—was to be buried deep down beneath the earth of forgetfulness. Few people knew anything about it, and Jane was going away from all her late surroundings into a life and an atmosphere far removed from any of them.

She could nerve herself to kiss the dear dead face of her lost hope and calmly draw the covering shroud about it; but she could not bear to let others look upon it laid so low. It was lost, dead to her forever, but sacred beyond all words—hers it was and Guy's. No one else had part or lot in it.

The Colonel and his wife felt that it was best that Walter Hearn should never know of this one episode in Jane's life. Why should he, indeed? He had no right to such knowledge. He had acted a lie; he had been utterly unfaithful to the woman he had vowed to love and cherish.

In his heart the Colonel girded terribly against the determination of Jane—this going back to a miserable life—but he knew it was no use to protest. You cannot bring the law to bear upon a man because he blots out all the brightness from a woman's life and starves her heart. He may care not one jot or tittle, though she weep herself blind, and yet the world sees no flaw in his conduct. He may see her sick and suffering, and show her less sympathy than he would give to a lame hunter in his stables or a sick hound in his kennels, and the world will only call the woman "exacting." The Colonel knew that these things were so, and felt his own helplessness to stand between Jane and coming trouble.

About a week before the date of Walter Hearn's expected arrival in England, the ship to which Guy Challoner was now attached sailed on that scientific quest which was absorbing the interests of nations. The Colonel saw the notice of this and secreted the paper that contained it; but he subsequently wore such a guilty air that Jane suspected the truth.

"Do not keep anything from me," she said, coming up behind him and laying her arm about his neck; "it is no real kindness; tell me—is Guy gone?"

"Yes, yes, my dear; he sailed yesterday," stammered the troubled man. At the time Jane said nothing; she only shivered and crept up to the fire, leaning closely over it and holding out her hands to the blaze. Afterward, Mrs. Daubeney, going softly to her room, opened the door stealthily to see Jane kneeling by the bed with her arms thrown up across the coverlet. No sobs shook the slight frame thus prostrate at the feet of God; better, indeed, if it had been so; better if tears had come as some relief to the bitter aching of the poor tortured heart.

A few days later Jane Hearn left that pleasant home beside the sea. No more should she watch the changing shadows come and go upon the bosom of the waters; no more should she watch the little boats, with red sails set, hie seawards bending to the wind; no more wander along the rocky shore or under the tall spires of the pine wood—that fateful wood where she had seen her lover lying prone upon the dark earth, his face hidden on his outstretched arms—the arms that might never more enfold her!

Jane was gone, and the house she had left seemed to the old Colonel and his wife like a cage from which a sweet-voiced bird had flown, leaving it empty and desolate.

The Winter was past, the Spring was coming. The buds began to swell upon the branches of the trees in the London parks. Last year's leaves, lying brown and withered on the ground, were swept up into heaps, so that the young grass-shoots had a chance to peep up and try what they could do to make the waking world fair with a soft green carpet. But though these first signs of coming verdure were plentiful enough, it was what is called a "late Spring;" and furious gales presently swept the sea and scoured the land, bending down the trees and doing their best to shake the tiny buds off and scare the birds from their wooing. A shadow, too, a ghastly shadow of great dread, was over the land.

The ship that had sailed upon that momentous quest was missing. In vain was search made upon the broad wide sea for any traces of what had been so fair and brave a thing; eager watching, agonized listening for gleam of hope or sound of tidings, were alike in vain. Day by day were to be seen in the papers paragraphs headed, "The Missing Ship;" day by day hope pined and died; day by day the shadow on the land and in men's hearts deepened and grew.

One woman read those cheerless daily records dry-eyed. She went about her daily duties; she was gentle, uncomplaining, ready of eye and hand as ever; but Jane Hearn's heart was breaking within her—for that missing ship was Guy Challoner's.

She could not realize the idea of death coming in such swift and terrible form to him who seemed so strong, so brave, so full of all manly endurance.

Through all the trouble of the old life begun again; through this second cruel experience of neglect and selfish indifference; through strivings after better things—efforts such as only a woman brave and true could be capable of to draw her husband nearer to her, to win him closer to her side; the thought of Guy and of that short story of their loves and hopes in the Summer that was gone had cheered and strengthened her.

The more worthy she could be, the more she could conquer herself, the higher the standard to which she could live, the more would she feel as if, in spite of all outward severance, in spite of all width of separation here on earth from the man she loved and revered, yet should she and Guy in heart and soul stand side by side, as those who strive together to "endure unto the end," living life patiently and bravely as heaven had ordered it for them.

She had striven after the ideal, and to a certain extent she had not failed, for Walter Hearn admitted that his wife was "improved," and joked about that whim of his as a thing that had had good results, and taught Jane many lessons of common sense. She was not always fretting herself over things nowadays, he said, but had learned to take things quietly. Also, she cared little for outward show, and spending little on herself, left all the more for him, though he had the grace to refrain from saying so openly. At all times the sources of Walter Hearn's income had been wrapped in mystery. The supply fluctuated, too, like the waters of the Nile; now overflowing his coffers as the river its banks; again, showing nothing but a vast expanse of desolations. Since those years spent in America this intermittent character had become more marked.

Jane's income he kindly forestalled as a rule, and when he did leave her any residue of it, took great credit to himself for so doing, and made expansive reference to men who were "close in money matters to their wives." People (women mostly) said what a pity it was that Walter Hearn's wife dressed so shabbily, (which was not true, for though simply, Jane was always daintily and neatly dressed.) They also said it was no wonder he left her at home so much and preferred to be seen with more "stylish" women. The truth was that when he was going out anywhere, Jane's husband would say to her: "You can come with me if you like, but it will cost twice as much as my going alone," and there was an end of the matter.

Well, things had gone on in this sort of way, sometimes better, sometimes worse, always cheerless for the patient wife, and Jane thought she was getting used to it; getting less sensitive than of yore, pleasing her husband better, in that his indifference did not make her suffer and annoy him by evidence of the same, as it used to do.

Jane thought these things and was thankful for them, not knowing that the real truth lay in the fact that her physical powers were failing under a long-continued strain, and that she did not feel things as acutely as she once had done simply because the tired heart began to beat more feebly than of yore. What she mistook for patient resignation, was in truth but a bodily lassitude that, if there had been any loving eye to watch her, would have told a sorry tale. And then, upon these worn-out nerves of hers came the ordeal of the waiting and watching for news of that missing ship.

While life lasts hope never quite dies. She had thought that in a time to come—a time still very far away, but somehow and somewhere—when they were very old, she and Guy might meet again, might be friends and companions, might perhaps speak together of the dear old times.

But now, as a two-edged sword, the thought that she might never see Guy again, pierced her heart. When a vessel is reported "missing," hope ever dies a lingering death. There always seems to be a chance, and the mind clings to that chance as a drowning man to a rope.

It was so in this case; the slow agony went on day after day, week after week. Once, as Jane was searching for the expected paragraph, a strange and wonderful sensation came over her, the letters danced and wavered a moment before her eyes, and then—yes, she was away on the shore near the dear old home, she carried a long tangle of sea-weed in her hand, and Guy was beside her. She heard the low murmur of the sea, felt the warmth of the sunshine, and the close grasp of her lover's hand on hers.

But just as Guy turned and looked upon her, just as she met the exquisite sudden sweetness of the smile that she had loved, the vision faded and she awoke to reality—a strange and commonplace reality too—for she was lying on her bedroom floor, underneath the window, with the paper crumpled in her hand. "I must have fainted," she said to herself, rising with some difficulty, and making her way to the bed. How weak she felt, lying there; and surely the rushing sound of the sea beating upon the shore was still in her ears!

Walter Hearn was going out for the day with some friends of his, a lady and her husband, people whom Jane disliked and thoroughly distrusted. He came noisily up the stairs with his great-coat on, flung the bedroom door open widely, and then stood still, staring with no particular sympathy, but a good deal of annoyance, at the prone figure on the bed.

"Why, Jane, here you are, are you? I've been hunting you all over the place."

Then, as he noticed the pale face and shadow-darkened eyes on the pillow: "What the devil's the matter with you? Belle Craven and her husband are here, and it looks deucedly uncivil, you know, for you not to show."

Jane dragged herself wearily from the bed; the room swam before her eyes, the rushing sound was still in her ears, but somehow, she hardly knew how, she got down stairs, and greeted the loud-voiced, over-dressed woman who was called "Belle," and the man with dyed hair and lacquered moustache, who had the good luck to be her husband.

It was Mrs. Craven's habit to say that she and her husband "understood one another thoroughly," which was certainly true, since perhaps two more perfectly unscrupulous people never lived, and each played into the hands of the other perfectly. Walter Hearn was a vain fool, and Mrs. Craven fooled him to his heart's content—and her own. She treated him as a man thrown away—absolutely thrown away in marriage; managed to insinuate that his wife was a "dowdy," an ailing, spiritless creature, and the like; and he was cur enough to let her say these things—or rather hint them—unrebuked. While the fair Belle duped the man, her husband won his money at *ecarte*; a double game which this precious pair played steadily, with a constant change of victims, much to their own advantage.

Laughing, talking, and making more noise than was at all well-bred, the trio at last set out upon their day's pleasuring, and Jane was left in peace.

Then she laid her down once more—rest, silence, time to think, those were the things she craved for. The rest was coming; the silence was near. The day was unusually fine and warm for so early in the year. It seemed as if the wind had worn itself out with its own violence, and the storm and gales of the last week changed to quiet, while fitful gleams of sunshine brightened a sky flecked with fleecy clouds white as driven snow.

Jane was sleeping with a smile upon her lips. Three hours later, when the housemaid stole up stairs to see if she could get her mistress to take a cup of tea, she was sleeping still more soundly.

Softly the shadows lay upon the bosom of the sea; birds were singing their sweet farewell to the day that was done; the room where Colonel Daubeney and his wife sat by a cheery pine knot fire began to grow dark, save for the flicker of the resinous flames. The old people loved the gloaming, and always put off ringing for the lamp as long as they could. Many a time and oft did they hold long converse at such times about their dear child Jane, she who had gone out of their lives and left a silence such as may be felt when a strain of music, passing sweet, dies into silence. This evening their hearts seemed more than ever full of her. The Colonel had just said he would give anything he had in the world to hear her singing once again about the house as she used to do, when, all at once, he grasped his wife's hand, and the two listened intently with straining ears.

What was that low far-off sound! Was it the sound of a voice loved and lost? They could catch no words, listen as they might, but the old familiar melody of a song both had loved came plainly enough through the stillness, and then, between the parted curtains of the *portiere* opposite, they saw Jane herself moving slowly toward them. Upon her face was a tender shadowy smile; her eyes shone with a soft and lambent light; her hands, white as lily-blossoms, fell in front of her, clasped the one in the other.

"Jane, Jane!" cried the Colonel, and would have risen from his place but that his wife held him back; "Let me go," he said hoarsely, putting her aside, but by that time he reached the other side of the room nothing was there save the growing shadows.

"Wife," he said, coming back pale and shaking, "we have both been dreaming."

Mrs. Daubeney only wept silently in answer. Her heart was full—full of dire and dread forebodings which she shrank from putting into words.

The next day strange news came to that quiet house.

Walter Hearn's wife had been found lying dead upon her bed; she had died in sleep, the smile still lingering about her lips, her cheek pillowed on her hand.

Jane Hearn's Trial was over. Her tired spirit, weary from the battle of life, from the struggle to hold the right, no matter at what cost, had drifted out into the "dream to come."

Not alone, for no tidings ever reached England of the missing ship in which Guy Challoner had sailed away from his dear love. That story is one that will never be told "until the sea gives up its dead."

Gold as the Tool for Exchange.

Gold possesses many merits for serving as money. It is clean and beautiful, light of weight in combination with high value, hard and slow to wear away by use, capable of great subdivision, and—what is very important—as coin admits of being remelted at once and without trouble or loss into the metal of which the coin is made. Thus remelted, it recovers all its full powers as a commodity. As to the great point of steadiness in value, it is not perfect; no commodity whatever is. Nevertheless, it exhibits great powers of retaining an unchanged market value. At one or two great epochs it has undergone great changes of cost of production, and of consequent worth, mainly due to exceptional circumstances in the yield of the mines; but they have been comparatively rare. Allegations of serious alterations of value have been brought against it within the last half century, but we maintain that they have never been proved. It is very easy to say that the discoveries in California and Australia have acted largely on the value of gold, but there is no harder matter than to give a proof that all prices—and all must be effected in the value of the money of which prices are formed—have been really and markedly affected by new contributions of the metal from unlooked-for mines. Mr. Bagehot did not believe that such proof had been established, nor is Prof. Walker far removed from this feeling. It may be that corn has maintained a steadier cost of production and value down the ages; but corn is manifestly too heavy and too bulky to do the work of money. It is obvious that it cannot be made common money; but contracts, such as leases or bequests, might be framed on the basis of payments of definite quantities of corn, estimated in the prices of the day. Such contracts have been made, often with great success. Gold further possesses the enormous merit of being largely used in the arts. The demand for it for ornaments, chains, plate, and other articles is very large throughout the globe, and is a powerful supporter of its steadiness of value as money. It is a metal widely used and possessing a distinct market of its own. The demand in that market, of course, comprises every object for which it is employed—money as well as ornaments. It would be a great loss if its use were confined to money alone; for then there would be no second force to counteract the fluctuations in the demand for it for money. By being used simply as a metal, as it becomes dearer or cheaper in its own market a tendency arises to increase or diminish the demand for it for metallic purposes, and thus the disturbing force on its value is weakened by having to work over a large area. As coining is unlimited and (except for the State) costless in England, gold can be taken from the circulation or added to it with the greatest ease. One further recourse which England possesses in maintaining equilibrium in the value of her gold money is her excellent system of Bank of England notes. Under the law of 1844 a vast supply of thoroughly safe notes is constantly supplied to the money of the nation. Fifteen millions of paper pounds costs but a trifle; for no expensive gold has been bought and kept in store for them. The paper circulation has never fallen so low as to reach them. They are made safe by excellent securities pledged by the bank for obtaining them, and are a faultless currency. One function still remained to be supplied. Gold is too valuable a metal to serve as small coin. Every nation requires a large stock of these small tools. England called in silver to perform this small but necessary work; but she did not thereby, in the true sense, become bi-metallic. Shillings are a legal tender for debts only to the extent of 40s. Their supply is limited; for the Government is under no legal obligation to coin silver, as it is to coin gold. Further, though they are rated to the sovereign in the proportion of 20s., they do not possess silver worth the twentieth part of that coin. Thus they are not full, true money, possessing as metal as much value as they claim in respect of the sovereign. They are in reality counters; and their definition is not silver coin passing for what they are worth as silver, but tickets for the twentieth part of a sovereign. If silver should decline very seriously in value, they would be exposed to the danger that shillings of correct value might be forged with good silver, and, being slipped into circulation, render their numbers excessive. If such a peril were to befall them, a new coinage of shillings of greater weight of silver would become inevitable. As counters, they do the work of money as well as if they were full coins, the positive want of the country for such small tools giving them an unassailable position.

English Society of the Present Day.

Mr. Jennings, the London correspondent of the New York *World*, who is far from being one of those who purvey scandals for the purpose of lending piquancy to his letters, or "lashes the vices of the aristocracy" for the American market, complains of the great degeneracy of morals and manners which has taken place in the latter days of the reign of Victoria. He compares it not only with the days of the Prince Regent, but of Louis XV. of France, and the restoration in England, not in grossness of manner and speech, but in cynical contempt of good character and the impunity which known immorality enjoys. Aristocratic ladies against whose characters scandal has become certainty are not only received but sought for in the best society, and only on exceptional publicity is there condemnation or ostracism. "The prince of Wales' set" is notorious as a collection of rowdy and dissipated young noblemen, and the whole tone of the higher society in London is such as has called forth the indignant invective of John Bright. The reception of Sara Bernhardt in the best English society, which was considered a wonder and an eccentricity on this side of the water—and which, by the way, it is to be hoped we may not imitate—may be accounted for in an easier way, and Adelina Patti is in a fair way to recover something of her position in the fashionable world. All this is very different from the early years of the reign of Queen Victoria, when the Lady Flora Hastings was done to death by slanderous tongues, and no woman, who had been divorced for whatever cause, could approach the virtuous skirts of royalty. It was supposed that the days were forever past when such a ruler as George Prince Regent, and the society which he gathered about him, would be tolerated in England, and that virtue and decorum were henceforth to be characteristics of the English court. But the reaction has come. The eminently respectable, commonplace and decorous Prince Albert has been succeeded by his son, who is familiar with the coulisses of the French theatres and goes to Parisian races on Sunday. The widowed queen has retired into seclusion and the tone of society is that of a younger and later date. Perhaps it is a revulsion from the too respectable and eminently tedious life of the court as revealed in the diaries of the queen and the memoirs of the prince consort, as the license of the restoration followed the asceticism of the commonwealth, and the debauchery and infidelity of the regency succeeded the devotion of the latter years of Louis XIV.; and if decorum had not been so tedious and commonplace, it would not have been followed by cynical disregard for reputation, and a seeking for liveliness and pleasure under any form. It is a bad sign, however, and, if there is not a change, it may bear more serious results in the growth of radicalism than are confined to the manners and morals of the aristocratic class themselves. It is not impossible that the continuance of the house of lords and royalty itself may depend upon the personal good character and the respect of the people for those who compose them, and at present, to say the least, they are not strengthening themselves by their conduct.

GEN. PLEASONTON claims to have had the best horse in the army during the war. "I bought him," he says, "from Prince de Joinville. The Prince paid $3,000 for him, and I got him when the Prince was going away for $600. He was as gentle as a lamb, with the courage of the devil and the speed of the wind. He could go without eating or drinking, and was as pretty as a woman. He could jump anything before him. I left him in charge of a bugler one day, and that was the last I ever saw of either the bugler or the horse. They went over to the enemy."

THE English correspondent of the *Churchman* has the most dismal forebodings in regard to the effects of the Burials bill when it becomes a law. He says: "All protection to the church in its churches as well as church-yards is gone forever. This is, of course, the disestablishment, and with the Disestablished Church will go old England. The peerage and crown will go next; India and the colonies after that."

YOUNG FOLKS.

True Courage, Boys.

True courage, my boys, do you know what it means,
Know what makes the heroes in hundreds of scenes?
Its birth was in Heaven, its parent is love,
And 'twas sent to us here, a rare gift from above.

The soldier, while bullets around him are flying,
Will oft risk his life, on the field of the dying,
To shelter his comrade, the wounded to save:
Such deeds we count worthy, and class with the brave.

No day passes o'er us but comes to our ear
Some story of daring performed without fear;
Some sinking one snatched from a watery grave;
All honour to heroes, on land or on wave.

But the truest of courage, boys, often requires
More pluck than it takes to face battles or fires;
And real self-denial, over selfishness won,
Is a struggle that never while life lasts is done.

Who sticks to the right for the sake of the right,
Upholding it manfully, truth against might;
Who scorns to deceive, though a prize be the gain,
The stamp of true courage is on him set plain.

The man who meets insult, contumely, dispraise,
While fallen humanity helping to raise,
Who seeks no reward, and who works without noise,
I think you will grant he has true courage, boys!

No matter how humble we may each think ourself;
No matter though small be our share of earth's pelf;
Let us be but unselfish, whatever the test,
True honour is ours, boys; leave to Heaven the rest.

Unselfishness, boys, is the feature we scan,
Complete, in the life of the perfect God-Man;
And where was true courage like that which laid down
That beautiful Life, boys, to win us death's crown?

True courage, my lads, in unselfishness lies,
Its promptings through life do you never despise;
Strong effort you often will find you must make,
But make it, boys, make it, for true courage' sake!

How the Geese Saved the Baby.

(CONCLUDED.)

But the child had trotted by Robin Hood, down the long path, all the way to the river, and was so pleased at the feat that she laughed aloud. It was the first chance she had ever had to get alone to the river. Somebody had always been on hand to pull her away just in time to save her feet from touching the water. Now they touched it in comfort, and little cool ripples washed over the toes of her stockings—she had pulled her shoes off long ago in the house. She ran up and down the edge of the water a few times, and then began picking up sticks and stray leaves to throw into it. Higher and higher her spirits rose with the sport. If it had not been for Barbara's song, Robin would surely have heard Elsy shout. But Robin was lazy in his old age, and was actually snoring. Elsy spied a pretty goose-feather, and gave it a toss. The breeze carried it farther out on the water than the small maid intended. But she was fearless, and catching at some cat-tails growing on the bank, she waded in after her feather.

She stumbled over the uneven bottom, and the stones hurt her soft little feet. Down she went, head and all under water, just as the geese came, ready at last for their swim. When they saw Elsy splashing about, they thought she was trespassing. Or perhaps they understood perfectly well that the river, although safe for them, was a dangerous place for the innocent baby. Who knows? Certain it was that as Elsy went down under the water, the geese flapped their wings, and made a tremendous racket. They made such a noise as never had been heard in the place before. They wakened old Robin at last, and brought him quick as a flash to his post of duty. Oh, he could make noise enough then, to be sure! He could tear round the house like a hurricane, dash down the path and into the water, seize little Elsy's dress, and hold her head above the surface until her father came to the rescue, plunged into the river, and in another minute had borne his darling safely to land. Her bright eyes were closed, and her form lay quite senseless against her father's bosom, but she opened her eyes again before long.

John Evans and his good dame told their children and grandchildren hundreds of times how it was old Robin saved Elsy, when, as sure as anything, the whole credit was due to the geese.

The Revenges of Frenchwomen.

BALEFUL INFLUENCE OF THE PRIESTS ON THE FRENCH FAMILY.

"An English Flaneur" writes to the *Pall Mall Gazette* as follows: "The case of Mme. de Tilly and her diabolical revenge, detailed in the newspapers, will awaken some such questions as these in the people's minds: Why is it that, among a chivalrous, affectionate, and generous nation, such evidences are daily forthcoming of a low standard of domestic morality in the better ranks of society? Why is it that in one relation of life only our neighbors should be tried in the balance and found wanting? We know very well that the old orthodox notion concerning the frivolity of the French people (regarded as the offspring of Voltaire) is on the wane; yet thoughtful observers find themselves unable to account for any apparent contradiction. Let them, however, become acquainted intimately with French family life of the better classes and they will have no difficulty in accounting for Mme. de Tilly's wrongs or revenges. The fact is, a Frenchwoman is daily and hourly practising little revenges on her husband—and why? Because he does not adhere to the routine laid down by her confessor, and because, as she does adhere to it, she feels herself a superior being, bound to exercise, in so far as she can, an inquisitorial authority. She cannot prevent him from throwing aside superstitions, she cannot make him believe in 'Our Lady of Lourdes;' but she can use a little wholesome persecution. Being mistress of the house, she forbids meat on Fridays and saints' days. Sometimes three may happen in a week; and pleasant that for a hardworking business man—two eggs for one meal and a bit of fish by way of dinner—but, of course, for the sake of peace and quiet he usually submits. Then, again, if she cannot induce him to spend half his life inside a church, she can punish him by neglecting her household duties and perpetually being there herself. Reared in the convent under the influence of priests, when school is over and life begins, an ordinary Frenchwoman is in no sense of the word a companion to her husband if he is an educated man, the result being that he is driven elsewhere for sympathy, and also to shake off the shackles that fetter him at home. Why, there are family boards at which, if the head of the house so much as names the Republic, the mistress shrugs her shoulders with disgust and makes a remark calculated to inspire her children with the same feeling. There can be but one remedy for a house divided against itself, as so many of these French homes are, and that is, education for the women—education in the fullest sense of the word, so that the wife's sympathies and interests are those of her husband. When such a result has been obtained we shall, without doubt, hear less of Frenchwomen's wrongs and their revenges."

Copyright in the Bible.

(N. Y. Herald.)

The work of revising the Bible was begun ten years ago in England. The most learned biblical scholars in the world have taken part in it. The result of their labours is awaited with the keenest interest in all civilized countries. It is now announced that the revised New Testament has been printed and will soon be given to the public. The important and interesting question has been asked as to whether the work can be protected by copyright in the United States, or whether any publisher is free to reap a rich harvest by reprinting it without license. It appears that, while the revisers have worked without pay, all the expenses of the revision have been borne by Macmillan & Co., the authorized publishers, who have invested more than a hundred thousand dollars in the undertaking. They will have a monopoly of the publication in Great Britain, and of course are desirous of enjoying the privilege in this country, where the sales are likely to run into the millions of copies. It is said that the American Bible Society has agreed not to republish the revision without authority, and that the Baptist Society has warmly declared that it will not "pirate the Holy Scriptures." But there may be other American publishers with more zeal to spread the new gospel among the people and less scruple concerning the *meum* and *tuum* aspect of the matter. On one side it is argued that the Bible is common property, and that if it were otherwise the present revision would not be entitled to protection in this country because it is a foreign publication. It is maintained on the other hand that under certain circumstances literary property may exist in the Bible as well as in any other book, and that copyright in the new revision may be secured in the United States on the ground that a part of the work has been done by American scholars. What is the law?

Undoubtedly a revised New Testament or Bible may be a proper subject of copyright wherever it differs materially from the old text. Long ago the sovereign in England claimed the exclusive right of printing the English translation of the Bible, and lawyers defended this claim on principles of property—namely, that the translating had been done at the public expense. That the British copyright will vest in the present revision is clear. It is equally clear that American copyright could have been secured for it if the work had been done wholly by citizens of this country. It is not less true that no copyright will cover the revised edition in the United States. Since the formation of the Government, Congress has acted on the principle that foreign literature is not worthy of encouragement or protection. In the case of joint native and foreign authorship copyright may vest in the native part when this is material in amount, and can be separated as an integral part from the foreign. The revision of the Bible is the joint production of American and foreign scholars. But the work of the several revisers has been so interwoven that no distinct or separable part can be said to be the production of any one. Copyright in the revised Bible will be recognized in Canada, Australia, and other British possessions. It will be protected in the principal countries of Europe under existing international copyright treaties. In the United States alone of all countries the law will give it no protection. Here the work may be pirated at will. Unlicensed reprints, literal or garbled, may be issued without limit or legal restraint. The law allows this to be done simply because the work is the fruit of foreign instead of native scholarship and industry.

The Stars of Autumn.

The fall months bring with them a new set of constellations to take the place of the summer stars, and act as ushers to the greater glories of the winter heavens. Along in September, when the brilliant Vega is sinking in the west, Capella, the most beautiful, though not the greatest of the northern stars, is rising in the northeast. South of Capella, and rising a little later, are the storied Pleiades, or Seven Stars, which may claim precedence over all other stars for historic interest. These Virgins of the Spring, as they are sometimes called, because they rise with the sun in May, share with Orion and Arcturus the peculiar honour of having their name inscribed in the book of Job. It requires a very good eye to detect more than six stars in the Pleiades. The seventh is very dim, and the ancients accounted for the fact by saying that one of the sisters married a mortal and then hid her head for shame. The Pleiades now rises a little before ten o'clock in the evening.

Later in the fall the farmers' boys, who are by no means unmindful of the beauty of the autumn sky, when returning home at night from the husking bees, often point to a peculiar group of stars in the east, shaped exactly like the letter V. These are the Hyades, fabled to be the sisters of the Seven Stars. The brilliant red star in the upper left-hand corner of the letter is Aldebaran, or the Bull's Eye.

Still later, when Andromeda is shining overhead, and the huge outlines of the Whale, the largest of the constellations, cover the southern sky, the twins, Castor and Pollux, rise, and with them rises the giant Orion, with his lion's skin and club, chasing the bull. But Orion, of the "flaming wonders" of whose belt Edward Everett never wearied of talking, belongs rather to the winter evenings, when shining near the meridian with the Great Dog at his heels, he seems to reflect his glory over the whole heavens.

The evening sky will be made particularly attractive this fall by Jupiter and Saturn, which shine very close together, and attain their greatest brilliancy within a few weeks of one another. Jupiter is in perihelion near the end of September, and it will be twelve years before he is so bright again.

Lager for England.

If there was such an organization in England as a moderation society, they would rejoice at the prospective surrender of one of bitter beer's strongholds to Gambrinus, the god of lager, as a step in the right direction. It is understood that Younger, the celebrated Edinburgh ale brewer, is making extensive preparations for brewing lager. He does this in consequence of the largely increased demand for a lighter beer. In India and many other hot climates English ale is pronounced too strong and too much of a narcotic, and it is beginning to be said that its stupefying effects make it an undesirable day drink. They want a light dinner beer; one that can be used without dulling the intellect or producing lethargy.

After the Paris exhibition of 1878, an American firm of brewers who made a display there sent a part of their exhibit to London, from whence five barrels of bottled lager were sent to Bombay. An order for more was the immediate result. To this comparatively recent shipment can be traced the present export trade in lager beer which England is doing with her colonies. This week the London agent of a Boston soda water fountain manufacturer is shipping a costly and magnificent fountain to the Cape of Good Hope. I was disappointed, though not a little pleased, to find out by the recent discussions in Parliament upon Mr. Gladstone's new malt tax how "bittah beah" was really made. An Englishman seldom expresses a favourable opinion of American ale, and if you ask why our brew is not equal to the British, you receive the stereotyped reply: "you 'aven't the 'ops, me boy." Now, during the discussion aforesaid it was stated upon the best authority that one of the most important constituents of English ale is a product of Yankee maize, grape sugar.

Advertising Pays.

It is sometimes questioned by merchants, says an exchange, whether advertising pays. The question will hardly bear discussion in the light of the following facts, rates for transient advertisements being figured. The Chicago *Tribune*, gets for a column, one year $26,000. The New York *Herald* receives for its lowest priced column, $39,723, and for its highest $148,000. The New York *Tribune* receives for its lowest $29,784, and for its highest, $85,648, and these papers are never at a loss for advertisements to fill their columns. Their patronage comes not from any desire to assist the respective papers; but from business men who find it profitable to advertise.

AN eleven-year-old lad by the name of Ledford found lately, in the gravel of Sequab Creek, Georgia, a large, transparent, pure blue sapphire, wedge-shaped, and nearly an inch square, and worth, by the usual calculation, something over fifty thousand dollars.

GENERAL.

HALF Scotland is owned by 70 persons.

AN anonymous donation of $50,000 has just been given to the Melbourne Cathedral.

No woman, however nervous, has a right to wake up her husband from a sound sleep to tell him, on inquiring what's the matter, "Nothing, only I wanted to know if you were awake."

Two Iowa boys were amusing themselves by throwing a heavy ramrod as high as they could. One of them met his death by the missile descending with the velocity of a bullet and penetrating his head.

KING ALFONSO spends hours and hours talking with his bride by telephone. A year from this date he will probably hire a lightning-rod man to run his end of the machine while he loafs at the clubs.

HE appeared to be almost gone. Rolling his eyes to the partner of his bosom, he gasped: "Bury me 'neath the weeping willow, and plant a single white rose above my head." "Oh, it's no use," she snapped out; "your nose would scorch the roots." He got well.

AT Madrid, a prisoner recently sentenced by court martial to be shot for participation in the attack on a train by brigands, before his execution made revelations inculpating several families of high position. He accused them of not only protecting brigandage, but of sharing in the proceeds.

THE Rev. Dr. Wenger, one of the oldest missionaries in Calcutta, who had given special attention to Biblical translation in the Sanscrit and Bengali languages, is dead. He was an accomplished Sanscrit scholar, and his version of the Bible is used by all denominations of Christians in Bengal.

BONN was drunk when he undertook a ascension on a tight rope, at Clyde, Ohio, to the tower of the Town Hall. The multitude shouted to him to go back, but he kept straight ahead, staggering at every step. At length he dropped his balance pole, and fell backward, but like a flash he wrapped his right leg around the rope, and held on. He said afterward that the loss of the pole sobered him instantly.

A BALLOON ascent was made at Cherbourg on the occasion of the fete given to the municipality to Grevy. The general direction of the wind being from the land to the sea, a Government steamer was sent out to secure the safety of the aeronauts. After having travelled for more than an hour in the direction of Portsmouth, the aeronauts opened the valves and returned safely to shore. More than 100,000 spectators witnessed the experiment.

NOT ACCIDENTAL.—When a man in a Vermont grocery store was sitting upon the edge of the counter, and his feet slipped and he raked the whole length of his back on the counter's edge and sat square down in a bushel basket of eggs, which stood right where he couldn't miss it, the grocer was horrified, and exclaimed: "Was it an accident?" and the victim replied, "By crimus, sir, if you insinuate that I skun my back, and got myself into this mess on purpose, I'll jam your head into the remains of those eggs!"

GEN. ROBERTS has officially telegraphed the English government from the neighbourhood of Candahar, that he has defeated and dispersed the Afghan force under Ayoob Khan. The attack on the prince's camp appears to have been in the nature of a surprise. Several guns were captured, and the two pieces taken from the horse artillery at the time of Gen. Burrow's defeat were recovered. Lieut. McLean, taken prisoner on the same occasion, is reported to have been murdered after the battle began. The British loss was comparatively slight. Roberts gives only the casualties among the European regiments. He is silent as to the Sepoy death loss. Ayoob is supposed to have retreated to Herat.

An Italian Beauty Burned to Death.

All Italy is mourning the tragic end of Signora Adelina Paolini, who was the belle of the Peninsula. Surpassingly beautiful, always attired with taste, constantly changing her toilet she attracted all eyes wherever she appeared. Villa Borghese, the Pincio and the Corso—the Canal street and shell-road of Rome—had no more faithful frequenter. The 17th of July she was sitting with her mother and a gentleman in her parlour, which was lighted by a petroleum oil lamp hanging from the ceiling. The gentleman rose. As he did so, his head knocked the lamp, which oscillated and fell, falling so unfortunately as to pour all its contents on Adelina's dress, and to set fire to the oil. Instantly one sheet of flame, panic-stricken, she ran into the drawing-room and threw herself on the floor. Her mother and the gentleman strove to put out the fire; they succeeded only in burning their hands and legs. The fire spread to the curtains, and from them to the furniture—the whole room was in flames. The gentleman went to the window and cried: "Fire!" "Help!" The front door was locked. A hatter's journeyman got an axe and battered down the door. Firemen came and found three wounded persons to be cared for. While some of the firemen battled with the flames the others tended the wounded. A cab was sent for to carry Adelina to San Giacomo Hospital. The hospital surgeon instantly saw that the unhappy lady was doomed. She was in a swoon. He administered soothing medicine, and presently she recovered consciousness and lingered in inexpressible anguish until 4.30 a.m., when death released her. She was put in her coffin the next day. The coffin was filled with carded cotton. Her tortured mouth, all awry after death, revealed her beautiful teeth; her whole body, save her legs, was a cinder; her right breast had completely disappeared, burnt to ashes; she looked like a negro packed in cotton. She was only three-and-twenty.

English Ideas of Tanner.

It is wonderful how the attention of Europe has been focussed upon Dr. Tanner; in counting house and club, chop house and street, every person one met seemed to have Tanner on the brain. The medical men have searched their records to find parallel cases. A rather interesting one is related—Sarah Jacobs, a Welsh girl, whose parents in 1867 alleged that she had taken no food for two years. For the purpose of setting the question at rest a committee was formed on the recommendation of medical men; this committee procured the services of four skilled nurses from Guy's hospital, who scrupulously watched her for eight days, at the end of which time she died. Her death was a triumph for science, which gave no consideration to the disturbing influence of such a watch upon a frail, hysterical girl, whom a puff of air or stern look threw into convulsions. Her father and mother were found guilty of manslaughter, and sentenced to long terms of imprisonment. As to the alleged previous fasting, the Judge told the jury that she must have been fed; that no one could live without food, and that when she was watched it was natural that she should die. The Queen's counsel declared that if 40,000 doctors affirmed the possibility of living long without food, his own common sense would disbelieve them.

Had Dr. Tanner's fast occurred before that trial, perhaps it would have influenced the jury and saved the parents from a long penal servitude. The case is related of a fat pig which was buried in its sty for 160 days, beneath a chalk slide of Dover Cliff, and was dug out at the end alive, although much reduced in weight.

The Habit of Self-Control.

If there is one habit which, above all others, is deserving of cultivation, it is that of self-control. In fact it includes so much that is of value and importance in life, that it may almost be said that, in proportion to its power, does the man obtain his manhood and the woman her womanhood. The ability to identify itself with the higher parts of our nature, and to bring all the lowest parts into subjection, or rather to draw them all upwards into harmony with the best that we know, is the one central power which supplies vitality to all the rest. How to develop this in the child may well absorb the energy of every parent; how to cultivate it in himself may well employ the wisdom and enthusiasm of every youth. Yet it is no mysterious or complicated path that leads to this goal. The habit of self-control is but the accumulation of continued acts of self-denial for a worthy object; it is but the repeated authority of the reason over the impulses, of the judgment over the inclination, of the sense of duty over the desires. He who has acquired this habit, who can govern himself intelligently, without painful effort, and without any fear of revolt from his appetites and passions, has within him the source of all real power and of all true happiness. The force and energy which he has put forth day by day, and hour by hour, is not exhausted, or even diminished; on the contrary it has increased by use, and has become stronger and keener by exercise; and, although it has already completed its work in the past, it is still his well-tried, true, and powerful weapon for future conflicts in higher regions.

Objections to Republicanism.

It is somewhat difficult to understand why it should be the fact that there are [illegible] monarchies than republics in the [illegible]

[illegible] painted a [illegible] public,—and every one straightway fell in love with it. But they soon found they were admiring merely an idea, a [illegible] that would never in this world, short of the millennium, be found embodied in practical shape. Indeed this is the great and [illegible] objection to republics as against constitutional monarchies—they have [illegible]. They promise much and perform [illegible]. There is a grand display of [illegible], firing of cannon, rejoicing of mobs, [illegible] of speeches, and celebrating of Fourth of July, but little fruit, little political [illegible] of the kind that was anticipated. Yet, [illegible] candid, the defect is not in the principle of republicanism but in the men who carry it out. If we had perfect men to administer it and to be ruled by it—especially the former—it would altogether be a most satisfactory method of government, but in regard to that condition is fulfilled the *vox populi* will be as often the *vox diaboli* as the [illegible]. Witness the terrible effects of republicanism let loose in the times of the French Revolution and the later French commune, and [illegible] glaring corruption and mal-administration that are only too evident in the [illegible] administration of our neighbours in the United States. Wherefore we say [illegible] mankind is not yet, nor, we fear, likely to be for many centuries to come, [illegible] for a republican form of government, [illegible] there is no certainty, nor any security, [illegible] the best representative men shall be [illegible] or even that the majority of the electors [illegible] be the men best qualified to exercise the right of choice. This is why republics, [illegible] less indeed we except those which, [illegible] Switzerland, live a semi-comatose [illegible] existence, always tend to ultimately [illegible] monarchies, and, though it may [illegible] daring prophecy, yet we are not [illegible] warranted by historical precedent in [illegible] that our two greatest republics will, by and by, follow the example of their predecessors and choose for themselves a king. [illegible] will be the first from the nature of its [illegible] and the influence of the example of its former history, and the United States [illegible] follow so soon as a man arises who, [illegible] Washington, can secure to himself [illegible] miration and love of his countrymen, [illegible] who, unlike him, will not scruple to [illegible] the supreme power thus placed in his [illegible]

ALL SORTS.

TIMES have greatly changed. In [illegible] days it was the Christians who bore the stripes, but now it is the penitentiary [illegible]

"WHERE will you put me when I [illegible] to see you at your castle in the air?" [illegible] a gentleman of a witty girl. "In a [illegible] study," she replied.

"HE seems to have been shot in the [illegible] phragm," said the doctor. "Oh, no!" [illegible] claimed his weeping listener, "he was [illegible] in the lower end of the saloon."

THE Bridgtown (Me.) *News* calmly [illegible] "The types last week made us say that showers were not sufficient to meet [illegible] wants of milkmen,' &c., instead of [illegible] men.'"

DURING the first six months of the [illegible] sent year 390 ships were registered in [illegible] land as unseaworthy, and were in consequence detained from proceeding to [illegible] while 125 others were prevented from sailing because overladen.

A RELIGIOUS tract called "Put Not Your Trust in Princes" was thrown into the [illegible] of a simple old German. He read the [illegible] and soliloquized: "Vell, I don'd put [illegible] drust in princes. Dey must pay der [illegible] dis shop chust der same as a vite man."

AN old farmer's wife who had a [illegible] that was notorious for breaking dishes [illegible] one occasion fell asleep in church. In her slumbers her elbow unluckily over[turn]ed a bible, when, to the amusement of fellow-worshippers, she was heard to [illegible] in a very audible voice, "anither bowl, hissie."

NOT long ago a new railway was opened in the Highlands. A Highlander named Donald heard of it, and bought a ticket for the first excursion. The train was [illegible] half the distance to the next station when a collision took place, and poor Donald was thrown unceremoniously into a park. [On] recovering his sense he made the best [of his] way home, when the neighbours asked [him] how he liked his drive. "Oh," [said] Donald, "she liked it fine, but they ha[e] awfu' quick way in puttin me oot."

A POPULAR Macon minister recently [spent] the night thirty miles below Americus [with] a backwoodsman, whose house cons[isted of] only two rooms. In the morning [a] member of the family, in response [to an] application for a wash bowl, brought [an] old tin pan, and after the face toilet [was] completed, hunted up about seven [inches of] an old tucking comb for him to arrange his hair with. During the progress of the [im]portant ceremony, the following colloquy [took place] between the two took place: "[illegible] you wash every mornin'?" "I do." "[And] comb your hair, too?" "Yes." "[Well,] don't it look to you sometimes like [a] heap of trouble to yourself?"

ORDER.—There is scarcely any such [thing] as beauty without order; or, if there be, [it is] always sadly impaired by disorder. And [as] we know, is the very parent of use. [An] orderly person can do more work in less [time] and do it better, and with less fatigue, [than] one who is disorderly. He does not [need to] spend any time in looking for tools or mat[erials,] for he knows just where to find them; [nor] does he suffer the annoyance of having [to do] without things that are lost or broken, [for he] rarely loses or breaks; and the orderly [wo]man can find her things at the first [reach,] even with her eyes shut. Good order is [in it]self one kind of beauty; and it is as [useful as] it is beautiful. And all the other kin[ds of] beauty are in themselves orderly, and pr[omote] order.

A HUNGARIAN peasant named Janose [was] convicted of stealing, was sentenced [to] receive fifty blows. The Judge carefully explained to Janose that he might appeal [to] the Ober Tribunal, should the sentence [seem to] him as too severe. Janose took advantage of this right. Meanwhile, however, [his] Honour caused the prisoner to be strapped down to a bench in the court, and personally supervised the full execution of the sentence. A few weeks later the Ober-Tribunal [re]ceived the punishment from fifty to [illegible] twenty blows. Forthwith the Judge [sum]moned Janose to court, and ordered [him to] lie down again on the bench and [illegible] his mitigated punishment. In vain the wretched appellant protested; "[illegible]" served his Honour, "the decrees of [illegible] superiors must be fulfilled."

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THE Bishop of Manchester, in a recent charge, referred to the act of the patron of St. Peter's, Bournemouth, in appointing, contrary to the wishes of the whole parish, a High Churchman to the living. He spoke very plainly of Ritualistic belongings. "It is," he said, "a question of the administration of the Holy Communion with lighted candles, mixing water with the wine, and the singing of the 'Agnus Dei' in connection with the Communion office. All those things were perfectly harmless in themselves, but they had been declared to be illegal in the Church of England; that was to say, the Church had not ordered them, and no minister had a right to order them in the exercise of his own free mind. To disturb a congregation and agitate the Church from one end of it to the other about matters of that kind seemed to him to be an incomprehensible folly, in face of those great questions with which they had to deal. Was a man better in soul for it? He might like it as a matter of taste; but who would say that his soul was one bit lifted nearer to God because a pair of lighted wax candles were on the holy table during the administration of the Sacrament?"

Mrs. Fitzpatrick's Diamond Ring.

Twelve months ago last November, I ran down into Warwickshire to spend a few days with my cousin Horace Mason. It was an odd time of year to choose for a country visit; but as a matter of fact I did not choose it—it was chosen for me. Until that year, I had always managed to get away for an eagerly snatched and greedily enjoyed holiday in August, and had generally been lucky enough to secure some good grouse-shooting or pleasant yachting. But all at once the Fates turned perverse, and that particular August had brought with it a throng of professional engagements which could neither be dismissed nor delayed. Of course they were welcome in a way; for I was near the bottom of the ladder, and was glad of any chance that would enable me to mount one or two rungs higher; but I certainly thought that the fickle goddess Fortune, having apparently forgotten me so long, might have postponed her visit for another month without any marked impropriety. The worst of it was that when September came I was as busy as ever, and when October found me still in the whirl of that Maelstrom of work.

Not until the morning of the first day of November did I waken with the blessed consciousness that the load was gone from my shoulders, and that I was once again comparatively free. I lay awake in bed, feeling serenely happy, wondering whether I ought to celebrate my emancipation by having my breakfast brought up to me, and vaguely speculating as to how and where I should give myself the holiday I had so fairly earned. I decided against the sybaritic breakfast in bed; rang my bell, and informed my landlady that I should be down-stairs in twenty minutes; and on entering my snug little sitting-room, found on the table a solitary letter. I digested the kidney and it together, and they were both eminently satisfactory. The former was perfect—Mrs. Higgins had been a cook—and the latter was equally to my taste. It was from Horace Mason, who said he was completely bored—Horace is always complaining of being bored, though no one enjoys life more than he—and that he would be eternally grateful to me if I would sacrifice myself by coming to share his bedroom for two or three weeks. This was the very thing. Winthorpe, though only a bachelor establishment, was a most delightful house to stay at; and as it was surrounded by other houses almost equally delightful, the inhabitants of which understood well the great art of enjoying themselves, I need hardly say that I accepted the invitation by return of post.

Three days later, shortly after six in the afternoon, I was met at the door of Winthorpe by Horace himself, who, as usual, assured me, in tones which seemed symptomatic of perfect health and spirits, that he was more bored than ever, and that he would never, never forget the good turn I had done him by coming so soon. Of course, as *Pinafore* was then in the ascendant, I was bound to raise my eyebrows and inquire: "What, never?" and he, to show that his boredom was tempered by news of the great world, was ready with the orthodox reply: "Well—hardly ever." These highly intellectual greetings being exchanged, I was escorted up to my room, and then down to the drawing-room, where I found Mrs. Patton, Horace's lady house-keeper—his duenna, as he was wont to call her,—and Mr. Fitzpatrick, the rector of the parish. Mrs. Patton, I knew well. She was a most amusing compound of dignity and jollity, and we were the best friends in the world, though she always declared that I did nothing but make fun of her. Mr. Fitzpatrick I had never seen before; for, during my previous visits, he had always happened to be from home. He was a tall, portly, elderly gentleman, with a rather florid complexion, and a magnificent head of perfectly white hair, the effect of which was increased by a pair of bushy and perfectly black eyebrows. He greeted me very cordially; and as soon as we were seated at the dinner-table, I discovered that his forte was conversation and his foible monologue. I have heard some good steady talkers in my time; but I am prepared to back Mr. Fitzpatrick against any of them. Reminiscence succeeded reminiscence, and anecdote jostled anecdote; and though he was undoubtedly very amusing, I began to think that if one lived in his parish, one might possibly have for him some of the feeling that Sinbad the Sailor had for the Old Man of the Sea. I have forgotten most of his stories; but one of them had a certain ghastliness, which impressed me a good deal at the time, and makes me think it worth telling again.

I had noticed, during dinner, that, as is the habit of some widowers, he wore a wedding-ring, which had presumably been his wife's; and over this another ring, of the kind usually worn by ladies, in which were set three very handsome brilliants. After dinner, when Mrs. Patton had retired, the conversation somehow or other took a turn in the direction of precious stones, and Horace, who at last managed to get in a word or two, said something about the difficulty of distinguishing, in the absence of tests, a true stone from a really well executed imitation, and took from his waistcoat pocket a manufactured diamond which I certainly should have pronounced genuine. For purposes of comparison, Mr. Fitzpatrick slipped from his finger the ring of which I have just spoken; and after it had been examined and replaced, he said: "There is a curious story connected with that ring, Mr. Mason. I daresay you have heard it?"

"I've heard something about it," said Horace; "but I don't know all the particulars; and I don't think my cousin has heard anything of it."

"Well, then," said Mr. Fitzpatrick, "I may as well tell it to you, if you care to hear it. The story begins and ends a long time ago. It is forty years this very month since I became engaged to be married. I was then a curate, and had not much money to spare; but I had just received a legacy of rather less than a hundred pounds; and in a fit of extravagance, hardly excusable even in a lover of five-and-twenty, I spent the whole of it and a few pounds more in purchasing a ring for my future wife. We expected the engagement to be a long one; but the rector of this parish died suddenly, and my great-uncle, in whose gift the living was, presented it to me. The rector's death took place in February. I read myself in on Easter Sunday; and on the first of June we were married. I suppose that every newly married husband and wife think themselves the happiest people in the world; but I honestly believe that we really were so. We had not only each other, but we had everything else that we could possibly desire—a larger income than we needed, work that was thoroughly congenial to both of us, a few real friends, any number of pleasant acquaintances, and an utter freedom from all anxiety.

"This unalloyed happiness lasted for six months, when my wife's health failed in a mysterious manner. She began to be subject to strange fits of languor, physical depression, and drowsiness, which gradually became longer and more frequent. I had advice at once; but the doctors seemed completely at sea. The organs, they said, were perfectly sound; and though the action of the heart was not quite so strong as it ought to be, there was absolutely nothing to account for the symptoms. At all events, they could only recommend tonics, gentle open-air exercise, and an occasional stimulant. In spite of them all, however, my wife grew worse and worse. At last she took to her bed; and she had not been in bed a week, when one evening I left her, apparently much the same as usual, and went into my study to spend a couple of hours over my next Sunday morning's sermon. I had been down-stairs only about three-quarters of an hour, when my wife's sister, who had been sitting with her during my absence, burst into the room and threw herself upon me, exclaiming; "O James! she's dead! Our darling Kate's dead!"

"You can imagine the shock she gave me; but it never occurred to me to imagine that what she said was really true. I thought nothing but that the strain of anxiety had been too much for the poor girl, and that she had temporarily lost her reason. I did my best to calm her; and soon succeeded, for she began to talk so lucidly, that I was compelled not only to listen but to heed. She said that she and one of the servants had been watching bymy wife, who was apparently sleeping peacefully, when they had both been startled by a peculiar change in her countenance. They listened for the sound of her breathing; but heard nothing. They had then held a hand mirror to her mouth; but it remained unclouded. They had felt for the pulsation of her heart; but it had ceased to beat, and her body was deathly cold. The servant had gone to tell one of the men to saddle a horse and ride hard for the nearest doctor; while she had come to me to tell the terrible news, and bid me be calm. Calm was out of the question. I tore myself away and rushed up-stairs. They were idiots—they were demented; but still there was a haunting fear which I must dispel for myself. And yet I was so sure that my wife could not be dead, that I summoned sufficient presence of mind to open the door gently and walk softly to the bed. I leaned over it, and said, not loudly, but distinctly: "Kate, darling, are you asleep?"

"But before I had spoken the last word, I was convinced. I had seen death often, and was sure that I knew it too well not to recognize it at a glance. I now shrieked instead of whispering; but there was no answer, and I flung myself full length upon the bed in voiceless agony. I must have become almost or entirely unconscious; for I never knew of the doctor's presence in the room until I felt his hand upon my arm. He said: "My dear Mr. Fitzpatrick, you must try and bear it like a man and a Christian; for your wife is dead: she has been dead more than an hour."

"How I felt, I cannot tell you. I was prostrate with grief; and prostrate I remained for three days. The necessary preparations for the funeral were made by my wife's brother, and I really was unaware of what had been done. On the evening of the third day I heard stealthy footsteps ascending the stairs, and I felt rather than knew that they were the footsteps of the men who had come to close up the coffin. I heard the door open; then for a few minutes there was silence: and then I heard other and lighter footsteps descending, followed by a tap at the study door. I said: "Come in;" and when the door opened, I saw that it was an old nurse of my wife's, who had come to see her living, and had found her dead. "If you please, sir," she said, giving my wife the old familiar name, "they cannot get the rings off Miss Kate's finger; and they want to know what they must do."

"I had been apathetic; but in a moment I was enraged, and I shouted: "Leave them on!" in sones which made the poor woman beat a terrified retreat. I was completely unnerved by what seemed an outrage upon the remains that were so dear and so sacred to me; but I could not move to make a more effectual protest, and I soon sank into the lethargy from which I had been aroused. The night passed, as the preceding nights had passed, sleeplessly and wearily. I rose at dawn, and sat in the study until noon, when they came to tell me that the time for the funeral had come, and that I must follow my wife to her last home.

"You won't know the rectory well, Mr. Browne," said Mr. Fitzpatrick, addressing himself directly to me; "but you must have passed it. The front-door, as you will remember, opens to the turnpike road; but there is also another door with two glass panels which opens directly into the churchyard. My wife was in the habit of using this door very frequently; for there ran from it a path which crossed the churchyard and ended at a stile, which was just opposite the gates of the Grange, then rented by the Hardings, who were her oldest friends. When she had returned and found the door fastened, which sometimes happened, she had been used to let me know she was there by a peculiar tap, and I had always gone to let her in. It was out of this door—which somehow seemed to belong to her, and cut of which she had often tripped so gaily—that I followed her corpse; and as it was closed gently behind me, I think I fully realized for the first time what a changed thing my life must henceforth be. The service was gone through; I heard the clods fall upon the coffin; and I returned to the house that was now so awfully solitary. The vicar of the next parish, who had performed the last sad offices for my wife, returned with me, and tried his best to bring me to myself; but I refused to be comforted. At last he left me; and I was glad to be alone, for in solitude I could feel that my wife was somewhere near me.

"They brought me food; but I could eat nothing. The hours passed slowly; but I took no note of them. I did not even know that it was dark until one of the maids came and asked if she should light the lamp. I let her do it; and then mechanically took a book down from the shelves and tried to read. It was only a mockery of reading; but it acted as a sort of narcotic; and I had dropped into a doze, when I was aroused by a knocking at my door, sharp and decisive, as if the person knocking were not asking but demanding entrance. Just as the knock came, the clock struck twelve, and I knew that I must have been sleeping for nearly three hours. I got up from my chair, opened the door, and inquired what was wanted of me. Standing in the lighted hall were the three indoor servants and the old nurse; and the faces of all were absolutely blanched with terror. One of the girls, in an agony of fright, caught hold of my sleeve and panted out: "O sir, do come!"

"I shook her off somewhat roughly and, addressing the nurse, said: "What's the meaning of this?"

"She was clearly as frightened as the others, but more self-possessed, and she replied: "If you please, sir, Jane and Mary say that their mistress is standing at the side-door, tapping on the glass; and that they will leave the house if you do not come and see."

"I called them fools, and bade them go to bed; but they crowded behind me as I hastily crossed the hall, and strode down the short corridor to the side door. I approached the door; and I must confess that my blood ran cold as I distinctly heard the well-known tap, and thought I saw something white behind the glass panels. I turned my eyes to the bolt, which I drew back, and flung the door wide open. If I were to live for a millennium, I could never forget the sight I saw then. There stood my wife, with bright open eyes, a flushed face, dishevelled hair, and her night-dress stained with large patches of blood!

"James," she said; "don't be frightened; it is I." She may have said more; but this was all I heard. They told me that I gasped, "Kate, my Kate!" and fell down senseless.

"When I recovered consciousness, I found myself in bed. My wife, dressed as she was used to be dressed, was sitting by my side; and I looked around and wondered whether I had been awakened from some horrible nightmare. At last the reality of the events of the past few days came back to me—my wife's illness, her death, her strange return from the world of spirits. When I summoned strength for the task, I asked what it all meant; and though she could tell but little, that little was enough to solve the mystery. She said she had felt as if she were being rather roughly awakened from sleep; and that when she became thoroughly aroused, she found she was sitting up in an open coffin at the bottom of a grave, with the blood running quickly from a deep cut in her ring-finger. The grave was shallow, and she had managed to climb out, when she discovered that she was not twenty yards from the door by which she was accustomed to enter the house. She made her way to it; and we knew the rest.

It had been a curious case of trance, catalepsy, or whatever name men of science may give to these inexplicable simulations of death in which all the functions seem to be arrested while the vital principle remains intact. She had been restored to conscious animation by the cut given to her finger by the ruffian whose cupidity had tempted him to a deed from which many a hardy scoundrel would have shrunk. The perpetrator was of course one of the undertaker's men, who had been struck by the glitter of the gems in the diamond ring; and who, to obtain it, did not hesitate to violate the sanctity of the grave, and even to mutilate a corpse."

"Good heavens!" I exclaimed, "what an overpowering story. Was the rascal ever caught?"

"No; he disappeared, and nothing was heard of him."

"And your wife? What effect had it on her?"

"Curiously enough, her general health became better from that dreadful day; but I think her nervous system must have received a permanent strain, for she entirely lost the physical courage which she had possessed in an extraordinary degree for a woman; and about two years afterwards she became subject to attacks of asthma, which is, I believe, a complaint that often has its origin in some nervous shock. She lived, however, to be over fifty, and was bright and cheerful to the last, though she had been a confirmed invalid for five years before her death."

Mr. Fitzpatrick ceased speaking for a while; and we were allowed to interject a few sentences of comment upon the remarkable story we had heard; but silence with him was never much more than a flash, and in ten minutes he was in the middle of another narration. We did not separate until after midnight; and I saw him again several times during my stay at Winthorpe, which was more than usually pleasant. He had certainly an inexhaustible fund of stories; but I did not hear one that was, in the current literary slang of the day, so thoroughly "sensational" as the story of Mrs. Fitzpatrick's Diamond Ring.

[The foregoing narrative, which is founded on an actual occurrence, is another illustration of the danger of interring a human being apparently dead, but in whom life may nevertheless still linger. To be buried alive is a contingency the very thought of which fills the mind with horror; and yet it is notorious that instances have occurred, and may yet occur, through neglect on the part of those in charge to use even the most ordinary precautions.

The subject is of such importance, that though it has been dealt with in these pages on previous occasions, we gladly take this opportunity of again offering to our readers a few of the signs which usually distinguish actual from supposed death:—

The arrest of the pulse and the stoppage of breathing. No movement of the chest—no moist breath to dim a looking-glass placed before the mouth. These stoppages of pulse and breath may however, under certain conditions be reduced to so low an ebb, that it is by no means easy to decide whether or not they are *completely* annihilated. Cases too, have been known in which the patient had the power of voluntarily suspending these functions for a considerable time. The loss of irritability in the muscles (a fact which may be readily ascertained by a galvanic current) is a sign of still greater importance than even the apparent stoppage of the heart or of the breath.

The contractile power of the skin is also lost after death. When a cut is made through the skin of a dead body, the edges of the wound close, while a similar cut made during life presents an open or gaping appearance.

An important change termed the *rigor mortis* takes place after death, at varying periods. The pliability of the body ceases, and a general stiffness ensues. This change may appear within half-an-hour, or it may be delayed for twenty or thirty hours, according to the nature of the disease. It must however, be borne in mind that *rigor mortis* is not a continuous condition; it lasts for twenty-four to thirty-six hours, and then passes away. Commencing in the head, it proceeds gradually downwards, the lower extremities being the last to stiffen; and disappears *in the same order*.

One of the most important of the various changes that indicate death is the altered colour of the surface of the body. Livid spots of various sizes occur, from local congestions during life; but the appearance of a green tint on the skin of the abdomen, accompanied by a separation of the cuticle or skin, is a certain sign that life is extinct. To these symptoms may be added the half-closed eyelids and dilated pupils; and the half-closed fingers, with the thumb turned in. It is important to note that the slightest motion of the heart may be detected by the stethoscope even though breathing and the pulse have ceased. If the heart, therefore, be silent to this delicate instrument, the vital spark has fled.—ED.]

The House of Lords.

During the session of the Imperial Parliament that has just closed a question arose that is likely to cause a good deal of trouble before it is finally settled. It has come to be openly doubted whether the House of Peers has any *raison d'etre*, and whether the government of the country could not be quite as well, if not better, conducted without the intervention of the Lords spiritual and temporal in the work of legislation. The question is somewhat the same as that which has been for some time discussed in Canada with reference to the Senate, and has therefore a good deal of interest for us, the principles involved in the discussion applying equally to both institutions. "What" it is asked "is the use of the upper House? Is not the House of Commons capable of making the laws for the country? Nay, as a matter of fact, is it not the Lower House that originates, shapes and finally decides on the enactments of every law? Why then should there be the empty formality of carrying a bill to the Upper House at all? Should it not rather receive the assent of the sovereign at once and become the law of the land?"

It cannot be denied that there is a great deal of force in these questions and there is little doubt but that the asking of such queries is the beginning of the end for the Peers. This is an age above all utilitarian, and nothing superfluous can long continue to exist in the machinery of an enlightened country. Even what is, in itself, ornamental is scarcely tolerated for the sake of the element of usefulness that is included, while the absolutely useless is not permitted to survive the discovery of its uselessness. The House of Lords, therefore, like the Chinaman in California, must go. This is the fiat of the Radical party, a party that is daily gathering strength in England and is destined to rule the country in a very short time. The old Whigs are falling into the sere and yellow leaf, and young England of the middle and lower classes, at least, is essentially free thinking and radical to the core. This party, headed in the present parliament by Bright, Chamberlain, and Dilke, have resolved on the extinction of the Upper House on the broad ground of its being neither useful nor ornamental. Doubtless the recent absurd behaviour of the Peers on the Disturbance Bill has precipitated this action on the part of the Radicals, but it has for a long time been apparent that the country was becoming impatient over the crotchets of "a lot of old women," as a prominent politician irreverently called the medley of Bishops and Barons that occupy the benches of the House of Lords. Whatever good purpose the Upper House has served in the past, in the way of serving as a check on the action of the Commons, it can no longer serve. Its assent to a bill is a mere formality, and its attempt to burke a measure little more than a farce. The Commons carry the purse and hold in their hands the real leverage of rule. Hence the Peers can do little more than signify assent, or smother their dissent, while the Commons run the country. At no distant date, we believe, the volume of the history of the Peers as a legislative body will be closed finally and for ever.

M. BENAZET, whose revenues came from the gamblers at Baden, left some six million pounds to his widow. She was forty years old, and presently became insane. Being treated successfully by a young physician named Thuilie, she settled eight thousand pounds a year on him, married him, and made him so comfortable that he was able to enter the political field with success.

A CORRESPONDENT writing from Cowes, where the English always have a gay yachting season after the London season is over, says that when the crowd is thickest and the club garden fullest a little clatter is heard, an outrider on a white horse comes up the hill, a wagonette with four ladies, and a gentleman riding beside it, passes; all who recognise the simple cortege rise, the ladies bow, and all the men lift their hats, and the Queen pursues her way.

A SOCIETY belle was sitting with a party of friends on the balcony of a watering-place hotel a few days ago. The conversa-

A Rover's Romance.

A few months ago, says a Reading, Pa., correspondent of *The Philadelphia Times*, William Grossman was a tramp in eastern Pennsylvania; now he is liberally spending $45,000, that sum being the first instalment of his inheritance from his father's estate in Germany. Grossman has settled in Longswamp township, Berks county, and already owns a stable of nine fast horses. His first cash receipt from Germany was $16,000 in gold; then he received $4,000 in currency, and then a draft for $23,000, which he deposited in bank for safe keeping. In a few months more he expects another large instalment of solid cash from over the sea, the result of the sale of his dead father's vine-clad hills along the Rhine. Grossman is now known as the "Prince of Middletown," for in that obscure village he has located for the present. His marriage is one of the most romantic on record, and the fact that he spent $800 a day for knick-knocks for his bride has exercised the gossip of all the country round. Eight or ten years ago Grossman landed at Castle Garden. He had shipped at Bremen. He was a wild, harum-scarum young German, and his desire was to escape a siege of years of university life. He wanted to come "to free America," and partake of some of the joys of the new world.

Said he the other day: "I came to this country for experience and to see strange sights. I had few cares. My remittances from home came right along. When I had money I spent it like a lord with my friends of the road, and when I had none I put up with the ups and dows of tramp life as well as the rest of them. I didn't care either, because I was happy and the life agreed with me. I had a soft bed at home, a good table, plenty of wine and fruit, and good society. I soon got tired of that. I preferred the free open country of Pennsylvania, with its fat barns and hospitable people. I never wronged anyone but myself. But I got along first-rate. I loved the woods and springs and mountain scenery. A tramp has no cares. He is absolutely free so long as he can keep out of goal. A smart tramp need not get into trouble. All he has to do is to keep out of bad company and do nothing wrong himself. That was my plan."

When dressed and shaved, Grossman is an intelligent-looking German, with regular features and dark hair, medium in height, compactly built, and he is quite talkative. He purchased a house and lot in Longswamp township, for which he paid $2,200. His first horse cost him $200; then he bought a trotter and a light buggy for $400; from a gentleman at Alburtis he bought a double team for $600. His passion for horses soon became known and in a few days about a dozen stock-dealers, from Allentown, Reading, Kutztown, and other places visited Middletown with strings of fine animals, and suddenly that heretofore quiet backwoods village became an active, busy horse market. Grossman bought until at least twelve horses were in his stable, and he had to quit for want of stable room. He was a jolly purchaser, paid cash for all he got, and didn't pretend to know much about horseflesh, anyhow, nor did he seem to care.

The maiden name of his wife was Miss Susan Hilbert. She is the daughter of a Lancaster county woodman. In the days of Grossman's poverty he first met her at her father's home, where Grossman came one pleasant afternoon in autumn. He rested by a well and very soon he saw a dark-eyed maiden at the gate. He engaged her in conversation, and finally she asked him whether he wanted a drink of water. "No," said he, with a roguish twinkle: "if you have cider or something stronger it will suit me better; water is too common." The young woman was charmed with his impudence and she soon produced a pitcher of hard cider from the cellar. A plate of apples was then set before the eyes of the good-looking young German. This acquaintance soon ripened into love. Grossman obtained work on a near by farm and courted the pretty Susan so often as he could. Finally they were engaged, but Grossman never told his affianced that he was the son of a wealthy German landholder across the sea. They were married by the village parson, and lived with the bride's parents. Grossman however, soon learned that married life of that kind was not as he had expected and hoped, so he determined to lerve that section of the country. He was wild and impetuous, and he thought the unien was beneath his station. Still keeping his secret, he suddenly disappeared and became a tramp again. He collected a number of the jolliest tramps on the road that he could find. Some of them had been students in the old country like himself. They knew him by his assumed name only. When his remittances came, they had the jolliest of reunions. He had no desire to return to Germany. His mode of life had a charm about it that he could not resist. Finally word came from Germany that his old father had died. Grossman went into sincere mourning. His father had been a kind parent to him, and had written him many letters begging him to give up his wandering life and come back to Germany again. With every dollar sent to the wayward son was a father's blessing.

Grossman's bride in the meantime had secured a legal separation. When Grossman's father died the tramp-son determined at once to give up the life on the road. His first thought was of his darkeyed Susan. Without her he could do nothing. He wandered back to his old home. To his great astonishment he learned that she had married a wealthy gypsy horse-trader. He resolved to find her, and succeeded. To his great joy he learned that she could be far happier with him, her first love. He then told her that he had fallen heir to a fortune, arrangements were at once made with the gypsy husband. Grossman bargained for his wife, and the gypsy listened to the proposition. The gypsy accepted a $50 bill, said good-bye to Susan and Grossman, and his first love happily departed for her fathers home. Another divorce was quickly obtained, and Grossman and Susan were again united in happy marriage. They are now living contented in their new home, and Grossman is living like a prince with his bride. He is lavishly spending money, but the bride, with an eye to business, has hinted at the necessity of curtailing expenses and remembering the motto of the "rainy day."

The Family Purse.

The money question between husband and wife is one of the most serious drawbacks to married happiness, and it is time it was adjusted on a more just and equal basis. The life of utter dependence which some women lead is crushing and degraded. Men do not realize the utter helplessness and vacuity to which the system condemns woman. Now, does anybody believe that it is necessary for the welfare of the family that she should go to him for twenty-five cents every time she needs it for car-fare or a spool of thread? Is it right or just to take her imbecility in money matters for granted before she has been tested? Is it not just that such women, who are left by the failure of some speculative craze to their own resources with the burden of a family upon their inexperienced shoulders, who often display wonderful powers in energy and calculation, in addition to thrift and persevering industry, which ought to put all such men to shame?

Women, as a general rule, can make one dollar go as far as two in the hands of men; and many conceited individuals, who now consider that the social system, bounded by four walls of their dwelling, would cease to revolve if they were taken out of it, would find great happiness and great pecuniary advantage in putting the control of all the interior details of their homes in the hands of their wives, with a division of the income equal to the requirement.

BISHOP WARREN tells in *Zions Herald*, of a professional tour in Colorado, where the hill-sides are so steep that every man is said to sit on his doorstep and use his neighbor's chimney for a spittoon. While he was dashing down one of these hills in a stage, the driver became interested in a dog fight, turned the wagon completely over, and spilled six men with their luggage.

COLOGNE CATHEDRAL, as it now stands, represents an expenditure of ten million of dollars.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

On the Eve of the Wedding.

O love before we part to-night,
Before the last 'I will' is spoken—
Before the ring has touched my hand,
Of pure, true, endless love the token—
Before the Church with holy rite,
Her blessing on our love has given,
Look straight into my eyes with yours,
And answer me in sight of Heaven.

Is there within your heart of hearts
One lingering shadow of regret—
One thought that you have spoken ill?
Oh! speak—'tis not too late even yet.
Is there in all this world of ours,
One you have ever known or seen,
Whom, if you had earlier seen or known
You would have crowned your chosen queen?

Is there?—I pray you, tell me now,
And I will hold you bound no more.
I will not flinch to hear the truth.
It could not be so sad, so sore,
To know it now, as it would be
If by-and-by a shadow fell
Upon the sunshine of our home;
So, if you ever loved me—tell.

I'd hold you pure from blame, dear love;
And I would leave you free as air,
To woo and win that happier one.
All this for your dear sake, I'd bear.
I will not say how I would pray
That God might have you in His care;
That would be easy—when I think
Of *you*, my heart is all one prayer.

But could I join *her* name with yours,
And call down blessings from above
On her, who robbed me of my all—
My life—my light—my only love?
Yes! even that I'd try to do;
Although my lonely heart should break,
I'd try to say 'God bless her!' too,
Through blinding tears, for your sweet sake.

I'm looking up into your eyes;
But though my own with tears are dim,
I read that in their true, clear depths,
Which tells me, 'You may trust in him.'
I will—I will! It needs no words,
Though tears are flowing warm and fast,
And eloquent with truth and love.
Forgive my doubts—they are the last!

Fashion Notes.

THE new red is vividly brilliant in hue.

BLACK and gold is the coming combination in colour.

POLKA DOTTED stockings are among the new styles.

WIDE Directoire collars are worn with nearly every costume.

SHORT dresses are to be the rule for at least another six months.

JERSEYS will be much worn in New York with street suits for early fall.

SUNFLOWERS and crysanthemums continue to be in favour with fashionable women.

RED Surah silk is still the favourite material for illuminating dark or sober-tinted costumes.

OSTRICH feathers, long, medium and tips, will be used on winter millinery, to the exclusion of flowers.

A SILK waistband, with buckle of silver, mother-of pearl, or burnished steel, or with a strap, is the fashion.

FLANNELS are now made with two kinds of materials; for instance, half the plaits are plain, half in figured goods.

FOULARD handkerchiefs are trimmed with point de Raguse and Languedoc laces, and made into bows, jabots, and fichus.

POLONAISES, pointed basques, skirted basques, round waists, and coat basques, with very long tails, will all be fashionable this winter.

THE plain skirt, with full, unlooped back drapery, which is American in origin, is reported as gaining in favour on the other side of the Atlantic.

ELABORATE coiffures are still very fashionable, though the close, classic style of hair-dressing, which admits of but little decoration, is growing in favour.

HANDKERCHIEF costumes are to be continued in thicker material, such as momie plaids of extraordinary size, camel's hair, raw silk and crepe cloth.

VELVET will be generously employed in the make up of early fall costumes. As a rule, the skirts will be made plain, with the edges adorned in silk and satin plaitings.

HANDKERCHIFFS will be embroidered and trimmed on as part of the dress, this fall, or a round collar will take their places. The latter will extend down upon the front.

TRANSPARENT French mull is generally used for the newest styles in handkerchiefs, and these are trimmed with fine lace. The monogram continues to be very small, and worked in floss silk.

PRINCESS sacque dresses for little people are made with those fronts covered with tucks and insertion, while the backs are half-fitted to the figure and finished with a Spanish flounce also trimmed on the edge.

HOOKS and eyes are to be largely used this fall for the outsides of dresses, in place of buttons. The hooks are about an inch in length, and are made either of cut steel, enameled metal, steel and jet, or steel inlaid with mother of pearl.

ENGLISH ladies of fashion all follow the fashion set by the princess of Wales. They encircle their throats with lace, which they fasten at the side with a slender brooch (sometimes a lizard in diamonds) and a flower. Black blonde is always worn by them with white dresses.

SOME of the new colours are: Ophelia, dark heliotrope; tete de faisan, pheasant red; lapis, false blue; rouge de Venice, tawny red, and a great number of metallic shades of green, blue and olive; while for evening wear are shades of glaucus, a bright marsh-grass green and heliotrope shades.

Waifs.

THE most charming bridal veils are of illusion.

A YOUNG lady resembles ammunition because the powder is needed before the ball.

MISS FLIRTINGTON—"Yes, I like the place very much, major; you have such a jolly set of men down here." The Major—"Yes, awfully jolly. You'd better steel your heart, Miss Flirtington, in case of accidents." Miss F.—"Well, while I'm about it, major, I'd rather steal somebody else's, don't you know?"

DR. L.—called upon a lady acquaintance, the other day, and was met at the door by the lady's little girl. He asked her to tell her mamma that Dr. L—had called. The child went up-stairs, and presently returned. "Did you tell your mamma?" asked the doctor. "Yes." "And what did she say?" "She said: 'Oh, pshaw.'"

"DOCTOR," said a lisping, fashionable belle, who had graduated at half a dozen boarding-schools, to a friend of ours, who had just been introduced to her at an evening party—'doctor' which do you prefer, tholidity of intellect or brillianthy? Thum admire tholidity; but ath for me, as Thakthpeare thayth in hith 'Bride of Abydoth,' 'prefer tholidity and brillianthy combined.'" The doctor sank into the nearest chair exhausted.

"OH, pshaw!" petulantly exclaimed Miss Lydia Languish, looking up from the last new novel, in response to a summons from her mother to come and assist in preparing dinner, "Oh, pshaw! I am just where Edward de Courcey Montalbert is about to propose to the Lady Ethelinda Adele St. Claire, and I wish dinners had never been invented!" And the look of supreme disgust that flashed from her eyes showed that she meant it.

THE editor laid his half-smoked cigar on the table, and the candidate, dropping in to talk matters over, perched himself on the table and sat down on the real Connecticut Havana. By and by he sadly slipped off his high seat. "You are not lukewarm in my cause, anyhow," he said plaintively. "Ah, no," replied the editor, encouragingly, "the old fires are still burning." And then a great hush fell upon the busy sanctum, such profound silence that, for a minute, you might have heard a gum drop.

tion turned on the guests of the house, and one attractive young lady, a recent arrival, was criticised. "I don't know as you can call her handsome," said Miss S., in response to the opinion expressed by Mr. R., a gentleman of the party; "she is so insipid; then she wants to be thought clever, and does nothing all day but read those horrid French novels and other trash." The group soon afterward broke up. "I beg your pardon, Miss S., but you left your book on the chair," said Mr. R., presenting the forgotten volume. It was a bound copy of "Nana."

Jenny Lind at Home.

A letter from London describes a call on Jenny Lind. The unforgotten Swedish prima donna lives in a spacious and charming mansion in a retired nook in South Kensington, embowered by trees and flowers. In the elegant drawing-room, hung with pictures and tastefully decorated with old china, artistic draperies, etc., I found a lady whose blue eyes and kindly smile bore me back at once over the waste of some thirty years. Again I sat an eager excited schoolboy glowing with anticipation on the verge of my first great art delight. I saw once more before me the tall, slender figure in its white satin draperies, with green leaves and diamonds adorning the abundant fair hair, and the olden thrill creeps over me that heralded the first notes of that marvellous, that incomparable voice, whose tones were to those of the velvet-throated Patti or the silver-voiced Nilsson as the regent compared to the diamonds of a duchess. Shall I forget how old men, who knew just as much about music as they knew of Sanscrit, used to sit with the tears rolling down their cheeks while Jenny Lind was singing, "I know that my Redeemer liveth?" There she stood before me, the unforgotten idol of my girlish idolatry, changed, indeed, by the lapse of years, yet unmistakeably the Jenny Lind of old. The abundant brown hair, with a few lines of silver amid its locks, was turned under in the peculiar fashion in which she always wore it, and the eyes are lovely as ever in their expression and in their soft depths of lustrous blue. As she talked, her gloved hands lay clasped upon her knee in the easy, graceful pose that was familiar to us in the Swedish songstress years ago. I called her attention to the fact, and she smiled at my remembering the attitude, and the pretty German monosyllable "So!" which used to be another of the little peculiarities that we noticed, and loved because they were hers, escaped from her lips. A grand pianoforte in one corner of the room, and a large three-quarter length portrait of herself, painted at the height of her renown, recalled her past queenship in the realms of song. She was handsomely yet plainly dressed in rich black silk, closed to the throat with coral buttons, a shawl of old Cluny lace was draped around her shoulders, and she wore a very simple cap of fine old Venetian guipure. She spoke in warm terms of affection of the United States, not in reference to the welcome and the worship it had accorded her in by-gone years, but because, as she said in her quaint English, that had such a charm about it, "Your country takes the rabble of other countries, and gives them all a chance." I spoke of the fact that when she sang in America there were no opera houses there. "And of that I was glad," she remarked, "for I had quitted the stage, and it was for that reason that I was anxious to go to the United States, since there I would have no temptation to return to it." I also spoke of the intense sympathetic quality of her talent, and the marvellous power that she possessed of swaying her audience at will, particularly in devotional music. Something of the old, beautiful, rapt expression came into her eyes as she answered, "It was because my voice came from God, and I sang to God!"

Modern Music.

Perhaps no better illustration of what modern music is can be found than in the following description by Lli Perkins of the rendering of a song by a fashionably trained young lady:

"Miss Julia was induced to give a taste of her musical powers, and this was how she did it. She flirted up her panniers, coquettishly wiggle-waggled to the piano, and sang:

"When the moo-hoon is mi-hild-ly be-heaming
O'er the ca-halm and si-hi-lent se-e-e-e,
Its rady-unce so-hoftly stre-heam-ing,
Oh! ther-hen, oh, ther-hen,
I thee-hink
Hof thee-hee,
I thee-hink,
I thee-hink,
I thee-hink,
I thee-he-he-hehehehe-hink hof thee-e-e-e.

"'Beautiful, Miss Julia! beautiful!'" and we all clapped our hands. 'Do please sing another verse, it's perfectly divine, Miss Julia,' said Eugene Augustus. Then Julia raised her golden (dyed) head, touched the white ivories with her jewelled fingers, and warbled it again.

"The only comment is that the patriarch Job had one thousand she-asses, and that some of their posterity are still living."

Protection from Lightning.

A knight of the olden time in full armor was probably as safe from the effects of a thunder-storm as if he had a lightning-rod continually beside him; and one of the Roman Emperors devised a perfectly secure retreat in a thunder-storm in the form of a subterraneous vault of iron. He was probably led to this by thinking of a mode of keeping out missiles, having no notion that a thin shell of soft copper would have been quite as effective as massive iron. But those Emperors who, as Suetonius tells us, wore laurel crowns or seal-skin robes, or descended into underground caves or cellars on the appearance of a thunder-storm, were not protected at all. Even in France, where special attention is paid to the protection of the buildings from lightning, dangerous accidents have occurred where all proper precautions seemed to have been taken. But on more careful examination it was usually found that some one essential element was wanting. The most common danger seems to lie in fancying that a lightning-rod is necessarily properly connected with the earth if it dips into a mass of water. Far from it. A well-constructed reservoir full of water is not a good "earth" for a lightning-rod. The better the stone-work and cement the less are they fitted for this special purpose, and great mischief has been done by forgetting this.

In just the cosiest little nook under the shadow of a great tree, irght where the shelving rocks made a nice settee with a back to it, they were sitting. Down, down at their feet was the sounding sea, caressing with its mighty hugs, the shore. "Is not the sea inspiring?" said he. "See yonder snowy sails. They are like—they are like—" "Are they?" said she, as she dug her parasol into the bank. "No they are not," replied he sharply, and the coolness of the breeze was caloric in comparison with the frigidity of the rest of that day. She had interrupted him just on the brink of a very important declaration, which she will ever wait for now.

A RADICAL newspaper of Paris prints a letter from one of the Russian Nihilists who were expelled from France on the eve of the national fete. He says that he and his companions in misfortune were arrested early in the morning, imprisoned, photographs of them taken as though they had been common criminals, then handcuffed, and marched to the railroad station. He asks what redress there is, as matters now stand in France, for the victims of such police outrages as this; and he reminds all Frenchmen concerned that in free countries no man is treated as a criminal until he has been lawfully tried, convicted, and sentenced.

A WOMAN who has four sons, all sailors, compares herself with a year, because she has four sea-sons.

PERSONAL.

A PARTICULAR protegee and friend of the Princess Louise is Miss Hilda Montalba, who lately visited her Royal Highness at Ottawa and who has just sold a painting of a scene in Venice for eight hundred dollars.

THE wonderful boy-violinist D'Albert, who is becomming so popular in England, is said to be, in spite of his genius, a "thorough boy, laughing, joking, to any fun." But the moment he comes to the piano he is like an Arab horse, with thrilling nerves and eyes dilated.

IN a British peerage list appears 498 names, of which five date from the thirteenth century, 5 from the fourteenth century, 11 from the fifteenth century, 20 from the sixteenth century, 67 from the seventeenth century, 119 from the eighteenth century, and 271 from the nineteenth century.

THE Sultan is quite inconsolable on account of the death of Tahir Effendi, his chief astrologer. Among other privileges, this worthy had a monopoly in almanacs, and among the predictions last year was that a certain day would be propitious for the purchase of a beautiful white slave, which caused a run on the market, and a rise in the article.

WHEN Adelina Patti was a little girl of ten years she had a filial attachment for Ole Bull, whom she always called "Oley." He is quoted in the Washington *Post* as once saying that he relied more on her criticism of his playing than upon that of any other judge, for the development of her musical powers even at that early age was truly marvellous.

THE Princess Constantine Radzivil, sister of Mlle. Blanc, the other heiress of the Monaco gaming tables, has a superb head of hair, and pride in it is her peculiar weakness. She is attended at Dieppe by a Parisian hair-dresser, and she is said to enjoy nothing more than watching the coiffeur in the mirror before her as he goes through his operations several times a day.

THE marriage of the Baroness Burdett Coutts is postponed, it is said, until after a thorough investigation is made into the question of succession to the property. Mr. Ashmead Bartlett, the rumored bridegroom, is tall, wears a moustache and imperial, speaks well, but with an American accent, is a favourite with women, if not with men, and said to a friend, some weeks since, that he was presently going to do something that would astonish London.

THE Duke of Buckingham, now Governor of Madras, is renowned in India as a skilful whip. He drives his pair of beautiful Arab ponies over bypaths and along precipices on the hills where men with very strong nerves and the quietest of brutes would hesitate to follow. His latest feat in this respect has been to drive the ponies to the top of Dodabetta, the highest point in the Madras Presidency, and where no vehicle of any description has ever been before.

ADELINA PATTI bought not long since a Welsh estate called Craig-y-Nos, and had alterations and enlargements made at a cost of fifteen thousand pounds. She has since been sued by the builder for twenty-five hundred pounds, it being a question of disputed accounts. When she reached the place, after her fatigueing London season, fireworks of all descriptions were set off in welcome — burning balloons, rockets, and candles, and her own portrait, with the names, in letters of fire, of her operas.

ONE of Ole Bull's tricks was, when he had diminished his tone to a nearly inaudible pianissimo, to continue the attitude, as if he were playing, but actually having drawn off the bow entirely from the violin, holding it in the air, and producing no tone whatever; while the audience, in raptures at the softness of his really inaudible sighs, made ear-trumpets of their hands, and bent forward, eager to catch the sound which did not exist. Then the violinist, as if suddenly awakening out of a trance, bowed to the enraptured audience.

THE Duke of Leinster, the Marquises of Waterford and Headfort, the Earls of Kenmare, Longford, and Meath, Lords O'Neill, Annaly, and De Vesci are almost the only noblemen of first-class fortune who make Ireland their residence for the greater portion of the year; but the owners of the largest estates, with the exception of the Earl of Pembroke, whose property is almost entirely in the city and suburbs of Dublin, generally reside in that country two or three months annually. Sir Richard Wallace, who, next to Lord Downshire and Pembroke has the largest rent roll in Ireland, lost no time in hiring a residence contiguous to his estate, on which, though they drew from it $300,000 a year, his predecessors the Marquises of Hertford, never had a home.

THE Marquis of Londonderry, owner of the Seaham Harbor and collieries, where the recent disaster occurred, is one of the half a dozen largest coal owners in England. He inherited this property from his mother. His father was half brother of the historic Lord Castlereagh, afterward Marquis of Londonderry, whose mother was the sister of the Marquis of Hereford, the Lord Steyne of "Vanity Fair" and Lord Monmouth of "Coningsby." The rise of the Londonderry family (Stewart is their name) has been rapid. A hundred years ago they were mere Ulster 'Squires; to-day they stand in the first rank of nobles. Their entertainments in London this year, at Londonderry House (formerly Holderness), in Park lane have been splendid.

GENERAL.

ROSA BONHEUR has given to the Jardin des Plantes the lion and lioness which have so long served her as models.

THE life of the Prince of Wales is insured for forty thousand pounds, for which he pays an annual premium of eight hundred pounds, in order that his family may not be left destitute.

GEN. HALKELL of the Salvation Army is journeying in the West. At St. Louis he rushed out of his tent and kicked one of the coloured boys who were disturbing the meeting. Repenting of his conduct, he kissed the boy and gave him twenty cents, but the twenty cents did not appease the youngster's wrath nor the kiss heal the kick, and he had the General arrested. A fine of $50 was imposed.

M. SAGNIER writes in the *Economiste Francais*, that each international exposition since that in London in 1862 has proved the great advance in the methods of vine culture in Spain. The consumption of wine per inhabitant in Spain is scarcely one half that of the individual Frenchman, and the exports have of late years increased enormously. In 1869 they reached 1,857,842 hectolitres; in 1874, 2,117,298; in 1878, 2,672,168. While Spain sends immense quantities of wine to France, France sends scarcely any in comparison to Spain. Of the wine sent by Spain to France, France has herself consumed about half. Of the remainder, the United States and South Ameaica took the bulk. Much of the so-called French claret drunk here is really Spanish, and is sent to France with the view of getting the Bordeaux Custom House brand.

SOME of the features of Taxation in England are peculiarly just and desirable. If anybody leaves you $500 you have to pay $10, and if he dies without a will, you will then pay $15 to get this $500. The Government fee on a $50,000 legacy is $1,000, and $1,500 if there be no will, and if the legacy be $1,000,000, then the Queen's fee is $77,500, or, without a will, more than $100,000. If you study and become a barrister, the admission costs you $250, or as much as you are likely to earn the first year. When you graduate in medicine you pay $50. If you become a mere notary public to administer oaths it costs you $150. When you execute a lease to rent your house for anything above $150 a year, you pay about seventy cents. If you want arms and crest on your carriage, you pay $11, and if you get these arms "granted" to you, and in a measure fully recognized, you have to pay $50 license. One carriage is taxed $11 and your dog costs $1.25 a year. For a license to carry a gun you pay $2.50. The tax to every male servant is $4.

WORKINGMEN'S societies in England grow to enormous proportions, possibly because, in addition to their trades union features, they take the place of the mutual aid and beneficial associations so common in this country. Four of the great English societies—the Engineers, Iron Founders, Boiler Makers, and Steam Engine makers—have nearly eighty thousand members, with incomes amounting to over one million dollars a year. They paid out in 1879 more than twice as much, chiefly for the benefit of members who were sick or out of work. A million dollars was spent on the unemployed, mostly in form of donations, but a large amount for travelling expenses. A quarter of a million was awarded to men on strike, but this was only one-eighth of the whole amount distributed, the societies not encouraging struggles with employers, except in rare cases. The administration of the affairs of these and of cooperative societies in England is remarkable for economy and honesty, vast corporations being managed for workingmen for years with quite as much success as attends the business ventures of merchants and bankers supposed to be specially qualified for such undertakings.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9 50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesh'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE— Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

We will be pleased to receive communications from those who may desire to write us on subjects of news or of general importance, as it is our desire to make the SSANDARD a medium through which all matters of interest may be laid before the public. No anonymous communication will appear in this journal, we must have the name of the writer, not necessarily for publication, but that we may know with whom we are dealing. Communications only of public interest will be received. Matters of a private or personal character, and in which the community are in no way interested, will not receive publicity through our columns.

THE BAZAAR AND CONCERT

Held in Dufferin Hall on the 27th ult., under the auspices of the Ladies' Association of the Presbyterian Church of this village, was in all respects a complete success. The Society disposed of nearly the whole of the various articles provided—many of which sold rapidly. The tables were well supplied with a rich and suptuous spread during the afternoon, and were occupied continually by persons coming in who found means of appeasing their hunger.

During the afternoon a concert was announced to take place at half-past seven; and although we might say "sprung" upon the people, was crowned with success, the Hall being filled to its utmost, and many who were anxious to contribute to the good cause were compelled to return to their homes. There was no regular programme, but the entertainment consisted of songs, solos, readings, recitations and addresses, all of which were ably rendered. Our space will not permit of going into detail, and we can only give the names of those who took prominence in the good cause.

The Rev. Mr. Wilson was called upon to take the Chair—which he did, not reluctantly—but feeling, as he must have felt, that his departure from those he so dearly loved, and labored amongst, would cause a separation for a time; one could imagine the dificulties under which he labored. He however announced the names of those who were to contribute to the entertainment—1st Miss Noble, 2nd Misses Wilson and Hollingshead; 3rd song, by Mr. Anderson; 4th reading, by Mr. Irwin; 5th song, Miss Jessie Burns; 6th recitation, by Mr. McDongall; 7th song, by Mr. McIntyre; 8th Misses Mary Cornwall and Ella Wilson; 9th song, by Anderson; 10th speech' by Rev. Mr. Garnett; 11th song, by Mr. Patterson; 12th address, by Rev. Mr. McDiermid; 13th song, by Mr. Anderson; 14th song, by Mr. Patterson; 15th God Save the Queen, by the party. Thus ended the proceedings, and we are pleased to state that after defraying expenses the nice little sum of $80 was realized.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia, was held pursuant to adjournment in the Town Hall, on September 25th. 1880. Members all present. Minutes of last session of Council read and approved. By-Law No. 2991, appointing a Collector for the Easterly five concessions of the Township, was carried through the different stages and passed. By-Law No. 292, levying School Trustees' Rates, was carried through the different stages and passed. Mr. Ellis was authorized to let a job of covering crossway on side-line 12 and 13, con. 8. John Anderson was permitted to close a culvert on side-road 27 and 28, in concession 7, by opening the ditch on the South side of the road to the West as far as the culvert, opening into a drain on his premises. Money orders on the Treasurer were issued as follows:—To pay Thomas Lewis $15, Kerwin Kerr $87, John Heeney $16.63, James Rice $70, all for road work. Samuel Wiley $4.75, for plank for bridge on 4th line. Council adjourned until the last Saturday in October next.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From a Correspondent.

The harvest of another year is over. It has been one of the best that we have had for years as far as favorable wheather is concerned, with the exception of spring wheat, the yield and quality will compare favorably with years of the past.

BEARS.—As Messrs. J. Webster and J. Graham some time since were going to their work, they came rather unexpectedly on a large bear. Not having any shooting irons with them at the time, Bruin made good his escape. Several parties have come on bears' track along the Beaver River. Some of the younger citizens of the Valley are very timid about being found out of doors after night.

KIMBERLY.

From a Correspondent.

The Village of Kimberly has been the scene of a great conflagration. About 4 o'clock on Wednesday morning flames were seen issuing out of Mr. Hurlburt's blacksmith shop, which soon extended until Allcock & Fawcett's waggon shop, Thomas' store, and Howell's blacksmith shop were one mass of flames. We understand that very little property was saved. There was no insurance. It is rumored that it was the work of an incendiary. If so, we trust he will be found out and punished.

Putting in fall wheat is all the rage. Every available piece of ground is being seeded with it. The Dentist's office at Epping is doing a flourishing business. We were shown some potatoes grown by Mr. Jordan, of Epping, which are hard to beat, 12 of them weighing 12½ lbs., and exactly filled a patent pail. He has also some fine specimens of the new varieties of potatoes, viz.: Success, Beauty of Hebron, Alpha, and Excelsior. We would advise any lover of these useful bulbs to procure some seed from him. More anon.

DEPARTED.—Mr. F. J. Pridham, who for the past few months has been carrying on the Tailoring business in this village, having inducements held out to him in Brooklyn, was the recipient of a farewell entertainment given, on the eve of his departure, on Wednesday last. The supper was well got up under the experienced eye of Mrs. Rutledge, of the Markdale House, and a most pleasant time was spent, Mr. Pridham leaves, carrying with him the well-wishes of those with whom he came in contact during his short stay in our village.

COUNTY ITEMS.

MEAFORD debentures sell at 100¼, one of their own citizens, Mr. H. Chisholm, buying the last issue at that figure. Speaks well for Meaford, —*O. S. Times.*

THE rails have been laid to Palmerston, on the Stratford and Lake Huron Railway. It is expected that the work will be continued on the Georgian Bay and Wellington Railway from Palmerston to Durham, and probably we shall be able to announce in our next issue that the "Rubicon" has been crossed—that is the rails have been laid on the railway across the Wellington, Grey and Bruce at Palmerston, and that the work will then be continued without let or hinderance,—*Grey Review.*

THE newly appointed Station Agent of this town, came on Tuesday evening last, to see how he would like his new berth. He was well pleased with the appearance of the place. He thinks he will have to commence his duties here in about six weeks. The appointment was make by Mr. Hickson, General Manager of the G. T. Railway. The station house has been plastered, and the windows and doors, wainscoating and painting is all that is necessary to finish it and make it ready for occupation.—*Grey Review.*

SAD.—Mr. Thomas Napier, a respected farmer in the township of Nichol, between 50 and 60 years of age, is about making application for admission to Toronto Hospital for the purpose of having a surgical operation performed for the removal of a cancer. The cancer is located beneath his tongue, and has been growing since last spring. In order to get at it the chin will have to be severed at the centre and laid open; and Mr. Napier, while willing to undergo the painful operation, has but little hope of its success. Of all diseases, cancer is one about which the medical profession appears to know literally nothing, either as regards cause or cure. And in this section of Canada at any rate, it has become alarmingly common of late years. Mr. Napier's many friends will earnestly pray that the treatment he is about to undergo may satisfactorily accomplish the desired end.—*News-Record.*

WHILE in Acton recently we were shown through the Canada Glove Works carried on there by W. H. Storey & Son. Though started but a few years ago on a small scale, the business has grown to such an extent that employment is given to nearly one hundred hands, who turn out about eighty dozen pairs a day, a greater number than that of any other factory in America. The buck, kid, antelope and other gloves and mitts manufactured are of the very best quality, and are meeting with a very extensive sale in Great Britain and the United States. Those made for winter wear are fasted at the rist with a neat patent spring fastener, the invention of Mr. W. H. Storey, who refused $5,000 for its use in the United States. Those of our readers who attended the Industrial Exhibition at Toronto this year may have noticed the exhibit made by this firm, which consisted of 100 different styles mitts and gloves, and which was awarded the first prize.—*Meaford Monitor.*

THE DUFFERIN EXHIBITION.—The annual exhibition of the Dufferin Agricultural Society, which is to be held the 7th, 8th and 9th of this month, promises to be the most successful of any yet held. Everything that could possibly promote it has been done, both in the way of obtaining exhibits and in preparing the grounds, buildings, &c. The directors have at a considerable sacrifice of tme secured a very large number of special prizes, amounting altogether to about $1,100, which added to the prize list offered by the society swells the total to a very respectable amount. It is therefore earnestly to be hoped that the present bright prospects for the coming exhibition will be realized, both in the number of articles exhibited and in the number of visitors. That all, both far and near, may have an opportunity of visiting the exhibition, arrangements have been made with the railways to issue tickets at reduced rates, and this will no doubt be duly appeciated. There is nothing more sure than that a farmer who does not attend exhibitions drops behind the age. It is just as necessary to be abreast of the times when money is scarce as it is when it is plentiful. Prices may be low this year; but they cannot be altered by sitting at home when every sensible man is investing twenty-five cents in acquiring the experience which other folks have been earning for him all the year before. So do not fail to attend the exhibition and get all the information you can. —*Orangeville Advertiser.*

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a.m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N.A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 1st, 1880.

Flour	5,00	to	5.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	0.90	to	0.95
Fall do. do. do.	0.85	to	0.88
Barley	0.40	"	0.55
Oats	0.25	"	0.25
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.10
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.05
Ducks, per pair	0.30	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.40	"	1 00
Hides	6.00	"	6.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	3.00	"	3.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.25
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	1.50

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

THURSDAY, Sep. 30th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$4.75	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.	0.85	to	0.90
Fall do. do. do.	0.80	"	0.88
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.27	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.22
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.50
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	6.00
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.35
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

APPRENTICE WANTED.

A BOY about 16 years of age, to learn Shoemaking.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, Oct. 1st, 1880. 3-3in.

AUCTION SALE OF Valuable Farm Property IN THE Township of Glenelg, In the County of Grey.

There will be sold on *Saturday, the 30th day of October* 1880, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, in the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

by virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under mortgage from Neil Campbell, lot number one, in the twelfth concession of the Township of Glenelg, County of Grey, containing one hundred acres.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 50 acres cleared, having erected thereon a cedar log barn; situated about 8 miles from the village of Markdale.

PARCEL II.

Lot 27, in the 8th concession of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 60 acres cleared, with log buildings erected thereon.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE, Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto. Or to JOHN LYONS, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Sept. 24th, 1880. 3-5in.

ANGUS McINTYRE,

GENERALL DEALER IN

Groceries, Provisions,

—AND—

LIQUORS!

A Fresh Supply of the Most Choice just Received.

CALL AND BE SATISFIED AS TO PRICES AND QUALITY.

☞ EMPTY BOTTLES BOUGHT. ☜

Markdale, October 1, 1880. 2-y

MEDICAL HALL.

Pure Drugs and Chemicals!

PATENT MEDICINES!

Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances, and general Druggists sundries.

Stationery and School Books!

IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCOS! TOGETHER WITH

PAINTS AND OILS.

Physicians' Prescriptions, AND VETERINARY PREPERATIONS, CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

Montreal Telegraph Office.

T. S. SPROULE, M. D.

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880. 1-tf

WM. FOX,

Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Wm. Foster,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Wholesale and Retail dealer in all kinds of

Pine and Hardwood Lumber,

LATH, SHINGLES, CEDAR POSTS, AND CORDWOOD.

☞ Office and yard opposite SHELDON'S HOTEL,

OWEN SOUND, ONT.

N.B.—Lumber, etc.. shipped to all parts, by rail or water.

September, 1880. 2-4

Wm. Lucas & Co., BANKERS,

MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

VETERINARY.

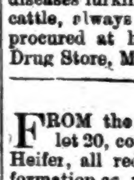
J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

STRAYED

FROM the premises of William Lyons, lot 20, con. 12, Holland, one year old Heifer, all red. Any party giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Holland, Sept. 20, 1880. 2-3in



STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lots 91 & 92, 3rd Range, W T. & S. Road, one white heifer with white nose, a red and white heifer with lined back, and a red steer with white spots through it, and white hind feet—all yearlings. Any person giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

ROBERT TORRY.

Glenelg, Sept. 2, 1880. 1-4in

STRAY STEERS.

STRAYED into the premises of Mrs. David Bradley, lot 62, 2nd East of T. & S. Road, Holland, one steer rising three years old, and one rising two years. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

MRS. BRADLEY.

Holland, Sept. 10, 1880. 1-3*

STRAYED

FROM the premises of JOHN MOORE, lot 10, concession 12, Holland, about the 15th of June. Three yearlings, one spotted heifer—red and white, one white heifer and one red steer. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Holland, Sept. 14th, 1880. 1-3t

STRAYED

INTO the premises of James Farding, lot 16, con. 9, Euphrasia, two RED YEARLING STEERS and one brindled yearling. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1-3in

STRAY STEER.

CAME into the premises of the subscriber lot 5, con. 12, Euphrasia, on or about the 15th July last, a red and white STEER about one year old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take it away.

1-3* JAS. BLANEY.

E. D. WILCOX,

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, &c. &c.

This space to be occupied by E. D. Wilcox's Advertisement as soon as his new Brick Store, now being fitted for him is completed.

MARKDALE.

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT

Clearing Out Sale!

GRANT & CHELLEW

will offer for the

NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
CUPBOARDS,
WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,
Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

ictures and icture Framing! in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing! promptly attended to.

☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

MARRIED

In Chatsworth, on the 15th Sept., 1880, by the Rev. Geo. Keys, Mr. Robert Ireton, of Glenelg, to Mary Ann, daughter of Mr. Thos. Troughton, of Holland.

At the Tremont House, Port Elgin, on the 15th Sept., by the Rev. James Gourlay, M. A., J. Dickson Carveth, Merchant, Tara, to Jennie, second daughter of Mrs. Eliza McCullough, and niece of John Lumsden, Esq., Galt, ex M. P. P. for South Ontario.

DIED.

In Glenelg, on 27th Sept., Maria, eldest daughter of Mr. John Keyland.

In this Village, on the 24th ult., Helen, daughter of Mr. Charles Adams, aged 7 years, 9 months, and 2 days.

In Artemesia, on the 28th Sept., Alexander, youngest son of Bartholomew Wright, aged 4 years.

HILL BROS.

When their new building is completed.

Advertisement will appear in this space

Space to be occupied by HILL BROS. when they remove.

MARKDALE.

Pianos and Organs.

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS!

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All Instruments warranted for Six Years.

ADDRESS, J. A. CRAWFORD, LOCK BOX 75, Uxbridge, Ont.

General Advertisements.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!

the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND, ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork! made to order on the shartest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to. You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

STOVES.

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Haskett Bros.

BOTTOM PRICE FOUND AT LAST.

Great Reduction to Cash Purchasers.

THINK OF OUR PRICES.

A No. 9 elevated Oven Cook Stove, furnished complete, $1[illegible]
Same, with Low Oven, $[illegible]
5 BOX STOVE, $[illegible]
All other sizes Equally Low

These Stoves are from the best and largest manufacturers in the Dominion—have all the latest improvements, with illuminated fronts and silver-plated trimmings, and are beyond doubt the best Stoves in the Market.

HARDWARE.

A large stock of axes, cross cut saws, building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, &c. at low prices.

TINWARE.

Coal Oil, Lamps &c., Stock large and prices as low as any in the trade.

HASKETT Bros.,

Sept. 17, 1880. 1

Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

James Sullivan,

FLESHERTON.

Manufacturer and Dealer in

Tin, Copper, Sheet-Iron and Japanned Wares,

Eave Troughing, &c.

A Large Stock of Crockery and Stoneware.

Wooden Wares, Washboards, Brooms, Brushes, Rakes, Handles, &c. &c.

Stove Ovens Lined.

Old Metal, Hides and Wool taken in exchange.

☞ Prices most reasonable,

JAMES SULLIVAN.

Flesherton, Sept. 1880. 1

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

THE North Riding Show takes place at Owen Sound on Tuesday, the 5th inst.

THE Sullivan show, at Desboro, Thursday, 7th inst.

THE Derby Show, at Kilsyth, the 4th inst.

THE Keppel Show, at Oxenden, 4th.

THE Euphrasia Show, at Rocklyn, on the 12th.

THE Arran Show, at Tara, on the 4th and 5th.

THE Proton Show, at Dundalk, on Wednesday, October 6th.

A MONEY Order Office is to be established at Bruce Mines Post Office.

FARMERS would do well to sell their butter now; prices are high.

REV. A. WILSON preached his farewell sermon sunday evening last, to a large congregation.

EUPHRASIA Ploughing Match takes place on the 21st inst. The place will be given in due time.

BREAD down to 10 cents to-morrow. Advertisement next week.

MR. WM. LUCAS, the Banker, is at present residing at the Markdale House.

SEE McIntyre's advertisement. He does not say much, but he evidently means business.

SUBSCRIBERS who get their mail matter at Markdale Post Office, will please call at the Printing Office for their papers.

FIRST SNOW.—On Wednesday morning last we were visitted for the first time this fall with a heavy shower of snow. It disappeared almost as soon as it fell.

PERSONAL,—Dr. Eva, specialist, does not leave town to-morrow as is his usual practice every fortnight; he being compelled to remain on a case requiring his personal attention.

WE notice that the total assessment of the Township of Artemesia, for the current year, amounts to six mills on the dollar.

RETURNED from Toronto, Miss Peron, the popular Milliner of W. J. McFarland, where she has been for a few weeks copying the London and New York Fashions.

BEARS are quite numerous in Amabel, and sheep are suffering. Charles Foster, 13th con., saw five in one of his fields a few days ago at one time.

IF you want to get a first-class Piano or Organ, the place to get it, is from J. A. Crawford, Uxbridge, See advertisement.

AUCTIONEER.—Mr. Samuel Morrow, as will be seen by advertisement, has taken out license, and offers inducements to those requiring his services.

WINDOW DRESSING.—The Irishman, as he is styled by his brother clerks, at McFarlands, has given an exhibition of his skill in window dressing. It is very creditable, and bespeaks taste.

FARM FOR SALE.—We direct attention to the sale of two valuable farms in the Township of Glenelg, which is to take place on the 30th inst.

WHOSE *duty is it to order loose* plank and holes in the *sidewalk to be* repaired? A broken leg might cost the village a nice sum.

REMEDY FOR COBWEBS.—A good broom and a little elbow grease, if properly applied, would much improve some shop windows,

Now is the time to purchase your Boots and Shoes, and save Doctors' bills. Would advise you try McFarlands, as he keeps the largest stock, and warrants them not to rip.

DEPARTED ON A VISIT.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster, of Artemesia, old and respected residents, left on a visit to their friends in Perth. We wish them a pleasant trip and a safe return.

TAILORING.—People must not suppose that because Mr. Rae's advertisement does not appear in our columns, that he has left town, on the contrary he may be found at his old stand.

A CALL.—The Rev. James F. McLaren has been called unanimously to be pastor of Euphrasia and Holland, where he has been laboring as missionary the past six months. The congregations are to be congratulated should Mr. McLaren see his way to accept the call.

THE Mayor of Berlin has been served with a writ, issued by a Toronto loan firm, calling upon the town of Berlin to show cause why the said corporation should not pay the Rev. John George Euler the sum of $3,000 damages for injuries sustained by slipping or falling off a sidewalk which was in a dangerous state and condition. Our town fathers should make note of it.

TOBACCO JUICE A NUISANCE.—A Montreal exchange says a most forlorn looking old man was brought into the Recorder's Court the other day, charged with loitering in the porch of the Custom House and committing a nuisance by spitting tobacco on the steps. What a field of operations the Montreal police would find in Markdale in arresting tobacco chewers.

CONSTANT ADVERTISING.—Advertise by the year says an old experienced business man. It is cheaper and yields a better return in proportion to the money invested. An advertisement should always be before the public in some shape. If it disapear it is soon forgottent, and those that remain have the superiority and advantage of the absence. The only good excuse for the discontinuance of an advertisement is that of retiring from business.

AN exchange gives us the following rules for the improvement of a town, which we think wouldn't do the people of Markdale any harm to study: 1. Sell your building lots at reasonable prices. 2. If you can afford to do so, donate a building lot to some large enterprise, and thereby enhance the value of town property. Induce business men to locate in your town. 4. Patronise the business of your own town. Speak well of worthy public enterprises. 6. If anything should be undertaken that may be of any benefit to the town, do not speak ill of it to others, because you happen to be prejudiced against it. 7. Speak well to strangers of your own town and people.

Advertisements.

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...w Tinshop
...RKDALE.
...RTMENT to select from ... most approved ...

...KING AND BOX
...y castings, with silver-... trimmings,
...OVE IN MARKET,
...comfort the rest of your ... your lifetime, ... from W. R. Walker, ...
...TTOM PRICES. ...real "Simon Pure."

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ALWAYS ON HAND, ...KINDS OF
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...Iand-Irons Silver-Plated, ... Stove Polish; Dome ... the Rising Sun, Coal ... particularly attended to. ... giving me a call ... Old metal, ... taken in ... the place, next ...

R. WALKER.
...17, 1880. 1-tf

...OVES. STOVES.

...ett Bros.

...PRICE FOUND ...LAST.
...duction to Cash ...
...OUR PRICES.
...Oven Cook ... $18.
...Low Oven, $17.
...STOVE, $4
...Low

...DWARE.
...ock of axes, cross ... Shelf ... Paints, ... &c.

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Farm of 150 Acres
...FOR SALE,
...the Village of Markdale ...
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...Farm, Markdale P.O.

THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

The North Riding Show takes place ...Owen Sound on Tuesday, the 5th ...t.

The Sullivan show, at Desboro, ...ursday, 7th inst.

The Derby Show, at Kilsyth, the ... inst.

The Keppel Show, at Oxenden, ...6th.

The Euphrasia Show, at Rock... on the 12th.

The Arran Show, at Tara, on the ...h and 5th.

The Proton Show, at Dundalk, on Wednesday, October 6th.

A Money Order Office is to be established at Bruce Mines Post Office.

Farmers would do well to sell their butter now; prices are high.

Rev. A. Wilson preached his farewell sermon sunday evening last, to a large congregation.

Euphrasia Ploughing Match takes place on the 21st inst. The place will be given in due time.

Bread down to 10 cents to-morrow. Advertisement next week.

Mr. Wm. Lucas, the Banker, is at present residing at the Markdale House.

See McIntyre's advertisement. He does not say much, but he evidently means business.

Subscribers who get their mail matter at Markdale Post Office, will please call at the Printing Office for their papers.

First Snow.—On Wednesday morning last we were visitted for the first time this fall with a heavy shower of snow. It disappeared almost as soon as it fell.

Personal.—Dr. Eva, specialist, does not leave town to-morrow as is his usual practice every fortnight; he being compelled to remain on a case requiring his personal attention.

We notice that the total assessment of the Township of Artemesia, for the current year, amounts to six mills on the dollar.

Returned from Toronto, Miss Pe...on, the popular Milliner of W. J. McFarland, where she has been for a few weeks copying the London and New York Fashions.

Bears are quite numerous in Amabel, and sheep are suffering. Charles Foster, 13th con., saw five in one of his fields a few days ago at one time.

If you want to get a first-class Piano or Organ, the place to get it, is from J. A. Crawford, Uxbridge, See advertisement.

Auctioneer.—Mr. Samuel Morrow, as will be seen by advertisement, has taken out license, and offers inducements to those requiring his services.

Window Dressing.—The Irishman, as he is styled by his brother clerks, at McFarlands, has given an exhibition of his skill in window dressing. It is very creditable, and bespeaks taste.

Farm for Sale.—We direct attention to the sale of two valuable farms in the Township of Glenelg, which is to take place on the 30th inst.

Whose duty is it to order loose plank and holes in the sidewalk to be repaired? A broken leg might cost the village a nice sum.

Remedy for Cobwebs.—A good broom and a little elbow grease, if properly applied, would much improve some shop windows.

Now is the time to purchase your Boots and Shoes, and save Doctors' bills. Would advise you try McFarlands, as he keeps the largest stock, and warrants them not to rip.

Departed on a Visit.—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Foster, of Artemesia, old and respected residents, left on a visit to their friends in Perth. We wish them a pleasant trip and a safe return.

Tailoring.—People must not suppose that because Mr. Rae's advertisement does not appear in our columns, that he has left town, on the contrary he may be found at his old stand.

A Call.—The Rev. James F. McLaren has been called unanimously to the pastor of Euphrasia and Holland, where he has been laboring as missionary the past six months. The congregations are to be congratulated should Mr. McLaren see his way to accept the call.

The Mayor of Berlin has been served with a writ, issued by a Toronto law firm, calling upon the town of Berlin to show cause why the said corporation should not pay the Rev. John George Euler the sum of $3,000 damages for injuries sustained by slipping or falling off a sidewalk which was in a dangerous state and condition. Our town fathers should make a note of it.

Tobacco Juice a Nuisance.—A Montreal exchange says a most forlorn looking old man was brought into the Recorder's Court the other day, charged with loitering in the porch of the Custom House and committing a nuisance by spitting tobacco on the steps. What a field of operations the Montreal police would find in Markdale in arresting tobacco chewers.

Constant Advertising.—Advertise the year says an old experienced business man. It is cheaper and yields a better return in proportion to the money invested. An advertisement should always be before the public in some shape. If it disapear it is soon forgottent, and those that remain have the superiority and advantage of the absence. The only valid excuse for the discontinuance of an advertisement is that of retiring from business.

An exchange gives us the following ...s for the improvement of a town, which we think wouldn't do the people of Markdale any harm to study: 1. Sell your building lots at reasonable prices. 2. If you can afford to do so, donate a building lot to some large enterprise, and thereby enhance the value of town property. Induce business men to locate in your town. 4. Patronise the business of your own town. Speak well of worthy public enterprises. 6. If anything should be undertaken that may be of any benefit to the town, do not speak ill of it to others, because you happen to be prejudiced against it. 7. Speak well to strangers of your own town and people.

Our School.—We understand that all the Teachers have been re-engaged for the ensuing year; the Head Teacher at an increase of salary of $50 on the present year. The 2nd and third Teachers same as present year. This reflects credit on the Head Master, Mr. Irwin, as it also does on those of his co-teachers. No removal: the board fully satisfied.

Mr. Rutledge has changed the name of the Markdale paper to the *Standard*, and increased its size to eight columns on the page. More attention ... paid to local matters than formerly, and the editor promises that the *Standard* shall be perfectly independent in politics.—*Monitor.*

Crops on th 2nd line seemed to have been remarkably good this year. On Tuesday T. & W. Ferguson threshed out for Mr. R. Latournail 700 bushels of wheat which in our opinion is a pretty good yield off a 100 acre farm. —*Meaford Monitor.*

Toronto Exhibition.—The great Exhibition closed on Saturday last, and was the most successful ever held in Canada. The Oddfellows' gathering on Friday was something immense, and over 40,000 people visited the grounds that day. There were 49 bands in the processions, and every State in the Union was represented.

The Right Kind.—A man strolled into a newspaper office the other day, and on asking for his account, found that he was three years in arrears. On ascertaining the fact he said: Well, sir, as you have waited three years for your pay you may credit me three years in advance. What a pitty every newspaper subscriber has not a conscience like that man.—*O. S. Advertiser.* We wish some of our own subscribers would imitate so worty an example. That man's name deserves to be engraven in stone.—*Durham Review.* We have only commenced business, and as yet have not been asked for credit.

We, on the wing, were pleased to see some very substantial improvements in the Village of Priceville since we last made that place a visit. Alexander Brown, Esq., has built (this summer) a very fine brick building, which is a credit to the place. A. Turner & Co., Chemists and Druggists, occupy one part of it; George Leitch, Tailor, a part; and the balance will, in a short time, be in the posession of Mr. George Tuck, as an hotel.

Three Racoons Captured in an Orchard.—One morning last week Mr. Richard A. Scott, lot 50, second range west of Toronto and Sydenham Road, Holland, was awakened by his dog barking. He (Mr. S.) got up and went to see what was wrong, but could see nothing, it being not yet daylight. However, when light dawned he made a further search, the dog still making an unusual noise in the orchard, and with the assistance of a friend, who was stopping over night with him, found the brave dog had treed three racoons in the apple trees. They succeeded in shooting one, they clubbed No. 2, and No. 3 they caught alive.

To Whom it may Concern.—County constables will be interested in the following letter which has been issued from the Provincial Secretary's office: "Sir,—with regard to services rendered in connection with the administration of criminal justice by police officers or constables who are paid for their services out of the municipal or other fund, I am directed by the Hon, the Provincial Secretary to advise you that in in future no claims rendered by such officers or constables for such services shall be admitted against the Government or paid out of the consolidated revenue, unless the officers or constables have been specially employed to perform the services by directions from the department of the Hon. the Attorney General. I have &c., Henery Totten for the Secretary.

Sell Your Grain.—It appears to be the general opinion among grain dealers that the price of wheat is more likely to decline than to rise, as the crops throughout Europe are considerably over the average, and the American supply exceeds that of any former year. We are told that farmers in this county feel gloomy over the prospects, and are inclined to hold their grain. Such a course is not likely to pay, as the loss in interest, ratage, shrinkage, &c., on wheat that is held over almost invariably exceeds any rise in price that may take place. The safest way is to sell as soon as possible after threshing, above all when the market shows a declining tendency. It pays better to sell the full crop this year at 90 cents, and have cash to deal with, than to sell what is left after wastage from various causes, next year, at $1.00, from which the interest must be deducted.

Newspaper Reporting.—Only those who know nothing about a reporter's business think he reports just what is said. They don't know that he finishes sentences which the orator in his hurry and excitement left unfinished; that he disentangles metaphors, suppresses repetitions, corrects bad grammar, remedies slips of the tongue, rectifies errors in names and dates, patches up remembered quotations, and the orator, reading his effort in the next day's paper, thinks he did pretty well, and so he did. Where reporters make one mistake, speakers make a hundred, which the reporter instinctively, or as mere matter of business, corrects and says nothing about. And to wind up the matter, if a newspaper man says something, though true, of an ignorant upstart to fame, he is denounced. Oh! dear. Oh! dear; is not the path of the transgressor a hard one to travel?

Prosperity.—The farm known as the Rutledge homestead, situated partly in Glenelg and partly in Artemesia, consisting of 100 acres, was sold a few days ago for $3.000, to A. Nesbitt, Esq. This speaks well of our section of country. The land, of course, is of good quality, yet not better than the generality in this locality.

Glenelg Agricultural Show.—Though the morning was wet and everything looked discouraging for the Show, yet the Exhibitors turned out as if determined to make it a success. The prizes were comparatively small, from more than one cause. In the first place, the funds were too heavily drawn on last year—a greater number of prizes being given than the funds would admit of—leaving, in fact, nothing in hand as a balance from last year; and also, our *Township* having contributed nothing this year, as we think they should of. The Show however was a success. We are not able to give the prize list this week owing to the Secretary's absence from home.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

Drs. Sproule & Carter,
Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs, &c.
OFFICE.—Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

J. B. McMillan,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW AND SOLICITOR in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. &c.
Owen Sound, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Chas. R. Wilkes,
Barrister at Law, - Owen Sound.
OFFICE.—Millers's building, over Robinson's store, Poulet Street. 1-y

McFayden & Roberts,
BARRISTERS, Solicitors in Chancery, &c. Office, one door east of the Merchants' Bank, Union-st., Owen Sound.
C. McFayden. J. T. Robarts.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Frost & Frost,
BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Soliciitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday, as heretofore.
Alfred Frost, J. W. Frost, LL. B.
County Crown Attorney. 1

S. J. Lane,
BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, &c.
Offices—at Owen Sound and Markdale.
N. B.—Office at Markdale, over W. J. McFarland's store, open on Thursday of every week. 1-y

James Masson,
BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Master in Chancery, Owen Sound.
Sept, 17, 1880. 1-y

James Lamon,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN Chancery, Notary Public, &c.
Money loaned at lowest rates on personal and real estate. Lands bought and sold. Buyer and seller introduced free of commission.
DUNDALK.
September 21st, 1880. 1

Conveyancers & Land Agents.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., Commissioner in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
N. B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

David Jackson, Jr.,
LOAN AND LAND AGENT, CONVEYANCER, &c. Money to lend at the lowest rate of Interest ever offered in this part of the country. Principal money will be taken in sums of $100 and upwards yearly with the interest if desired.
Durham, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

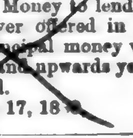
F. McRae,
REAL ESTATE AGENT, DURHAM County of Grey.
Money to Loan at reasonable interest, payable half-yearly at 8 per cent., or at the end of the year 8½ per cent.—principal payable at the end of 3, 5 or 10 years—or principal and interest yearly to suit Borrowers.
Lands for Sale. Mortgages bought and sold.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1 y

Alexander Brown,
ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, Merchants, and Land Sales, Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate.
Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr.,
LAND, LOAN AND GENERAL AGENT, Owen Sound. Money to Loan at low rates of interest. Principal payable at the end of a term of years, and interest half yearly or yearly, or principal and interest repayable in instalments,
☞ A number of desirable Improved Farms for sale. 1-y

J. G. Sing,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having purchased Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's entire stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys done within the last fifty-five years, I am prepared to make Surveys in strict accordance therewith. Profiles and Estimates for Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. Orders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Dentistry.



W. C. Jewell, L.D.S.,
WILL be at the MARKDALE HOUSE, Markdale, the First FRIDAY and following day in each month. Parties wanting Extracting, Filling or Teeth Inserted, from one to a full set, would do well to call and see prices. Satisfaction given in all cases. Head Office—opposite Post Office, Meaford.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound,
WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth in the most satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1 y

Hotels.

MANSION HOUSE
MARKDALE.
Having leased the above hotel and thoroughly refurnished and refitted it, the travelling public will find every accommodation.
Only the best of liquors and cigars kept. Good stabling. Careful hostler.
JOHN VAN HORN, Proprietor
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

ROYAL HOTEL,
MEAFORD, Ont.
J. & J. McGIRR, - - Proprietors.
Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.
Free 'bus to and from all trains.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Auctioneers.

Samuel Morrow,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.
Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.
Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.
Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3m

J. M. Webster,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.
☞ LOAN ND LAND AGENT,
Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.
EUGENIA P. O.
Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

Nurserymen.

W. L. Smith,
GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station.
Sept. 17, 1880. 2

Subscribe for the Standard.
We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still keep to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.
ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.
HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.
BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.
CLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns
GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!
WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.
Douglas' Brich Bloch opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.
September 21st, 1880. 1

A Word to the Public.

The era of prosperity which now happily reigns throughout the length and breadth of our glorious dominion benefits every branch of industry, and has very materially benefited my business, which has increased in volume several thousands of dollars over any previous year, and is steadily increasing.

Appreciating the tastes and requirements of the Public I have studiously, and I trust successfully, labored for 18 years to meet the wishes of purchasers. The support and patronage I have had justifies me in increasing my stock, extending my facilities, and at the same time materially reducing my prices.

Ambitious as I have ever been to be first and foremost in my business, I am resolved that henceforth the reputation I have achieved in this particular, shall be promoted and enhanced. Egotistical mention is not essential, but I do feel warranted in calling attention to my present full and complete stock of Goods, a stock, the greater part of which has been purchased for cash, and direct from the manufacturers, and the equal, of which, for extent or variety, I do not think can be found north of Toronto. I solicit from strangers an inspection, and to my friends and customers say, that I have for them in goods and prices a succession of what I believe will be very agreeable surprises. I am in a position to fill all orders, and it will not be necessary to send to Toronto or elsewhere for goods. Give me a chance to supply your wants, and I guarantee the best Goods at the most economical rates.

A call and examination will be gratifying to me, for I feel sure that an experience in patronizing me will fully confirm all that I claim for my goods.

W. J. McFARLAND,
WHOLESASE AND RETAIL,
MARKDALE.
September 17, 1880. 1

BOOTS and SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

A NOVELTY in these Goods!

The Indestructible Riveted and Cemented and Water-proof Seam.

Call and Examine Stock and Prices!
before purchasing "slop" goods elsewhere.

FULL LINES IN
Groceries, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing,
(Ready-made,) Crockery and Glassware!
—AT THE—
"TORONTO HOUSE,"
MARKDALE.

WM. BROWN.
Markdale, Sept. 17th, 1880.

Flesherton Advertisements.

Artemesia Wholesale and Retail Warehouse.

ALWAYS ON HAND A FULL STOCK OF
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY,
Groceries, Provisions, &c.,
For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

☞ INSPECTION INVITED.

WM. HOGG,
Flesherton Station and Eugenia.
September 21st, 1880. 1

W. F. DOLL,

FLESHERTON —AND— DUNDALK.

FLESHERTON —AND— DUNDALK.

Special inducements in Waltham Watches

A SPECIAL LINE OF
LADIES GOLD WATCHES
Just to hand. Also Ladies Col. Gold Lockets, Chains, Necklets, &c.

A LARGE LINE OF
Wedding and Gem Rings, $1 to $10.

HALL, PARLOR, BRACKET AND BEDROOM CLOCKS AT ALL PRICES.

Silver and Electro-Plated Ware.

Owing to the increased demand for this line of goods I have been forced to purchase larger and better cases. Am now offering

Cake Baskets, Fruit Stands, Cruets, Butter Coolers, Sugar Bowls, Pickle Dishes, Napkin Rings, Fruit Knives, Spoons, Dinner and Desert Knives, &c., all of the latest and most improved designs.

A Call Respectfully Solicited.

☞ Watch repairing a specialty. All work is warranted.

W. F. DOLL, Flesherton and Dundalk.
Flesherton, Sept. 13th, 1880. 1

THE NORTH OF SCOTLAND CAN. MORT. CO.
(LIMITED.)

R. DAVIS, Agent, - - - - FLESHERTON.

THE ABOVE COMPANY ARE NOW PREPARED TO

☞ LEND MONEY! ☜

At 7½ per cent., half yearly, or 8 per cent., yearly. Note a few of the advantages derived from the North of Scotland. You are not obliged to pay any part of the principal until the end of the term. You can arrange to pay in instalments if you choose and interest immediately ceases on such amounts when paid. You can arrange to pay your interest or principal in any month to suit you. You can arrange to repay the loan in any time from 1 to 20 years. Simple interest only charged. No equalization of payments. No 12 per cent. interest nor fines charged. The following example will show one of the many ways in which a loan may be repaid.

EXAMPLE:

$1000 borrowed, repaid by ten equal annual instalments, simple interest, at 8 per cent. yearly, the payments will be as follows:

1st year, interest 8 per cent on $1000	$80 00	
Instalment	100 00	180 00
2nd year, interest 8 per cent. on $900	$72 00	
Instalment	100 00	172 00
3rd year, interest 8 per cent. on $800	$64 00	
Instalment	100 00	164 00
4th year, interest 8 per cent. on $700	$56 00	
Instalment	100 00	156 00
5th year, interest 8 per cent. on $600	$48 00	
Instalment	100 00	148 00
6th year, interest 8 per cent. on $500	$40 00	
Instalment	100 00	140 00
7th year, interest 8 per cent. on $400	$32 00	
Instalment	100 00	132 00
8th year, interest 8 per cent. on $300	$24 00	
Instalment	100 00	124 00
9th year, interest 8 per cent. on $200	$16 00	
Instalment	100 00	116 00
10th year, interest 8 per cent. on $100	$8 00	
Instalment	100 00	108 00
Making a total payment of		$1440 00

The borrower is not obliged however, to repay any part of the principal by instalments but may do so if convenient. Expenses low and a detailed statement of disbursements given to each borrower. **Deeds, Leases, Wills, Agreements, &c.,** neatly and carefully prepared. **Insurance** affected in the old favorite Companies. Accounts, notes, and rents collected and returns promptly made. **Farms** for sale and to rent. Private funds invested. **Auction Sales** attended. Charges low. All business strictly confidential.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Auctioneer, Real Estate and Ins. Agt., &c.,
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H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!
—IN—
BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,
SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES, DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN
New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!
CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—
UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT
Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF
Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings
made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and as much so as is consistent with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER.
1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mills

Sheep and Cattle.

FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave their names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

GEORGE WILSON,

B|U|T|C|H|E|R

Mill St., Markdale, next door to Expositor Office.
☞ Meat delivered at any house in town.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

DR. CLARK JOHNSON'S
Indian Blood Syrup.
LABORATORY:
77 W. 3d St., New York City

(TRADE MARK.)

CURES Dyspepsia, Liver Diseases, Fever & Ague, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Heart Disease, Biliousness, Nervous Debility, etc.

The Best REMEDY KNOWN to Man!
10,000 AGENTS HAVE SOLD SINCE 1870
9.000.000 Bottles.
This Syrup Possesses Varied Properties.

It stimulates the Ptyaline in the Saliva, which converts the starch and sugar of the food into glucose. A deficiency in Ptyaline causes Wind and Souring of the food in the stomach. If the medicine is taken immediately after eating the fermentation of food is prevented.
It acts upon the *Liver.*
It acts upon the Kidneys.
It Regulates the Bowels
It Purifies the Blood.
It Quiets the Nervous System,
It Promotes Digestion.
It Nourishes, Strengthens and Invigorates.
It carries off the Old Blood and makes new.
It opens the pores of the skin and induces Healthy Perspiration.
It neutralizes the hereditary taint, or poison in the blood, which generates Scrofula, Erysipelas, and all manner of skin diseases and internal humors.
There are no spirits employed in its manufacture, and it can be taken by the most delicate babe, or by the aged and feeble, *care only being required in attention to directions.*

PRICE OF LARGE BOTTLES, - $1.00
PRICE OF SMALL BOTTLES, - 50

Read the VOLUNTARY TESTIMONIALS of Persons who have been CURED by the use of the BLOOD PURIFIER.

FOR DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT.
Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.
Dear Sir—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup has benefited me more for Despepsia and Liver Complaint, than any medicine I ever before used.
Mrs. M. J. BRIDGE.

SAVED HER LIFE.
Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.
Dear Sir—I have been under the doctors' hands almost continually for eight years, this year being the first that I have not employed ... After using your Indian Blood Syrup for a brief space of time, I was enabled to do all my work. I truly believe it was the means of saving my life.
Mrs. MARY LEONARD.

CURES COUGHS AND COLDS.
Burford, Brant Co., Ont.
Dear Sir:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.
ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

CURES ERYSIPELAS.
Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.
Dear Sir:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me.
Mrs. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.
Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.
Dear Sir:—I have used your great Indian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.
MELSON CARR.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.
Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.
Dear Sir:—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.
W. N. CURROW.

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NANCY LEE.

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Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.
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Mrs. HENRY HUFF.

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Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.
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DAVID BLACK.

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My Lost Love.

"'I ran and shouted Lost! Lost! Lost!"

When I awake from heavy lidded sleep,
And through the sternest labor of the day,
And when I watch the dying sun's last ray,
And while my soul in fancy's dreams I steep—
Forever ringing through my work or play,
Those words like a perpetual moan,
Make my life a constant undertone.

What have I lost,
That such a murmur ever haunteth me?
What sad enchantment hath my life to cross,
And taught me such a minor melody?
I will look back into the past and see
If I can find why I so haunted be.

This do I find:
That I have lost a love—a love that seemed
With such a passion to my own resigned,
That I had deemed
That love for ever mine; but love hath wings,
And soon departs, as do all happy things.

And yet I had not sought
This love; it came unasked, a shivering bird,
Half frighted lest in seeking me it erred;
But I received that love with sorrow fraught,
And my whole heart opened to give it room,
And all the wintry days were robbed of gloom.

It was a frail and weakly thing,
That little Love—and I did strive
Most anxiously to keep the thing alive;
And so it lived all through the early Spring.
I did not know that when its wings were strong,
My bird would fly and leave me.
O Love! my love! whom I have loved so long,
How couldest thou so grieve me?

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Lettice," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

We are all in "our boudoir"; mamma, Norah, Letty, Olive, and I. Letty is nursing her baby by the fire; I am in the window-seat; Olive is lying on the sofa. Poor child, she is always ill now. [illegible] Mamma and Norah are reading for, I should think, the fiftieth time a letter from our brother Will. I know the letter word for word; and I look out at the houses in the Close, [illegible] Mamma sighs softly, and glances at me. I jump from my favourite lounge and go to her.

"You must let me visit Will," I say coaxingly. "He asks for Norah or me; and you cannot spare Norah."

"No"—Norah's voice is decisive—"it would be folly for me to think of going. How would you and Olive get on in France without me? You would be starved or poisoned. It must be Deborah."

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[TO BE CONTINUED.]

YOUNG FOLKS.

Wonder-Land.

BY CAROLINE A. MASON.

I wonder what makes the sky so blue;
I wonder what makes the moon so bright,
And whether the lovely stars are born,
Like brand-new babies, each summer night.

And why do they hide when daylight comes?
I wonder where in the world they go!
Perhaps, when the great, hot sun gets up,
They dry like dew, or they melt like snow.

I wonder what makes the flowers so sweet;
And where do they get their splendid dyes?
And why should some be as red as blood,
And others blue as the summer skies?

I wonder, too,—but so much there is
To puzzle my little head!—and oh,
I doubt if ever I'll find out half
The things that I want to know!

Chased by a Hoop-snake.

In the Yelgree forest, near our trading-post, there was a big snake that had adopted rapid transit. I saw him when he first learned it. He was chasing a small hoop-snake, when the little one put his tail in his mouth, after the manner of his kind, and rolled clean out of sight. Well, what did his big snakeship do but put his own tail into his mouth, and begin practicing! After a few turns he grew accustomed to the thing, and in half an hour could beat the best bicycle time on record.

A few days after this I shot a deer, and was carrying its horns home. As I was passing a few hundred yards from the Yelgree forest, I saw what [illegible] coming out of the wood. It was the biggest wheel I ever saw. I felt almost as if the [illegible] had got loose from its fixings.

"Hoop la!" I cried, and then I shut up, for I saw it was the big revolving python.

'Twas no use shooting at his head, for he was revolving at the rate of sixty miles an hour; and no use trying to escape, unless I could hire an express engine on the spot. So I just lay down to make it harder for the reptile to swallow me.

When the snake came up and noticed the horns, he shivered, just as a Christian would if he saw a horned man! As I lay, they must have seemed to be growing out of my head, and the python may have mistaken me for the Old Serpent himself. Whatever his idea may have been, he had not ceased shivering before he made tracks for the forest and let me go.

On my way home I reflected that horned animals are bad for the health of serpents, which swallow their prey whole, and that, time and again, imprudent pythons and boas have been found dead with deer all swallowed but the antlers.

"A snake," I said to myself, "that is smart enough to take a hint in the way of locomotion is smart enough to take a hint in the way of feeding."

Anyhow, his prudence or his fears lost him a good meal, for I was fat then. A little learning is a dangerous thing for snakes.

Bread Making in Spain

The bread in the south of Spain is delicious; it is white as snow, close as cake, and yet very light; the flour is most admirable, for the wheat is good, pure, and the bread well kneaded. The way they make this bread is as follows: From large, long panniers filled with wheat, they take out a handful at a time, sifting it most carefully and expeditiously, and throwing every defective grain into another basket. This done, the wheat is ground between two circular stones, as it was ground in Egypt two thousand years ago, the requisite rotary motion being given by a blindfolded mule, which paces round and round with untiring patience, a bell being attached to his neck, which, as long as he is in movement, tinkles on, and when it stops he is urged to his duty by the shout of "arre mula" from some one within hearing. [illegible]

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Dr. Legge, Professor of Chinese at Oxford, [illegible] Chinese at [illegible] rate of [illegible] Christianity [illegible] there will be [illegible] 100,000,- [illegible] Chinese [illegible]

Young women often keep their lovers by [illegible] "love, like [illegible]

Love and Hate Under Palace Roofs

ROYAL MARRYING AND GIVING IN MARRIAGE —A PRINCELY HOUSEHOLD BROKEN UP— SOME NOTABLE LOVE MATCHES IN VERY HIGH LIFE.

Even the loftiest social regions are not free from matrimonial storms. Only the other week a princess's household went to pieces as suddenly as any broker's could have done. The affair has been kept very quiet, but nevertheless I am able to tell the story to the readers of the *Sun*. The husband, the son of the dethroned king of Hanover, who died in Paris, sent his wife, the daughter and sister of reigning kings, back to her family, and this, too, at a time when she had but recently presented him with a child. The illustrious couple were married less than two years ago. The wife, Marie Sophie, princess of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, is according to Mme. de Metternich, "*la princesse la mieux et la plus elevee de l' Europe.*" Indeed, her extraordinary height threatened to make an old maid of her, when one day a prince came along who was taller by several inches, and, moreover, had a very pretty fortune of his own, and was not disposed to be exacting in the matter of the *dot*. So these two Royal Highnesses was wedded.

For the first month all went well. The Princess is witty and charming. She paints with talent, and is a fine musican. If she does not enthral your eyes, she knows how to capture your ears. In short, she is a delightful companion. The Prince is a man who can appreciate these accomplishments. It was thought that the "Almanach de Gotha" had chronicled another happy royal marriage. Presently it was announced that the Princess was about to become a mother. Unhappily, the baby proved to be a girl. This was a bitter disappointment for the Prince, and the first link in the conjugal chain was broken. The Prince was not gentleman enough to conceal his chagrin. He went so far as to address bitter speeches to his wife, who, having a sharp tongue of her own, answered them as they deserved to be answered. In a little while this princely household resembled that whose interior is so comically displayed in the first act of "La Boule" at the Palais Royal. The tempest was in the air; it needed only an anonymous letter to precipitate it.

From this letter the Prince learned that, in fancying himself his wife's first love, he had been cherishing an illusion. While still a young girl, at the court of her father, she had cast favouring eyes on a brilliant gentleman, the Count de R——, and things had gone so far that, to cure her of this fancy, her mother took her to Switzerland, where they spent a whole season in travel. The writer of this mischievous letter invited the Prince to satisfy himself as to its truthfulness, and indicated the means of doing so.

What man or woman was cowardly enough to commit this scoundrelly action I don't know; what I do know is that the Prince did not disdain to act upon the anonymous letter. He made inquiries, and their result infuriated him. He went on in such a way that the Princess one fine night slipped out to the railroad station and took the first express train for her father's capital. The Prince set out soon after for Italy, with the intention of afterward spending some time in the Orient. The affair is so recent, that I suppress the names.

These early love affairs among our young princesses are a good deal more common than is generally supposed. The Grand Duchess Olga of Russia, now Queen of Wurtemberg, became so much interested in M. Bressant, the elegant *amoureux* of the Comedie Francaise, then playing in St. Petersburg, that the Emperor Nicholas, her papa, had to send the too fascinating actor across the frontier. It is no secret for any one in English society that Princess Louise, to-day Marchioness of Lorne, and Princess Mary of Cambridge, at present the Duchess of Teck, had idyllic flirtations when they were young girls with two gentlemen of distinction at the court of Queen Victoria. Every one remembers the romantic passion of Princess Frederica of Hanover for a simple soldier of fortune. Still more recently we have seen the Princess of Wurtemberg marry an obscure physician. Princess Marie of Hanover is about to follow the example of her elder sister by marrying a subaltern of the Hanoverian army. Thus we see that if sometimes it is hard to be a princess, there are rare cases in which love proves stronger than the prejudice of caste.

The old house of Bourbon at this moment has its case of true love, and it is this idyl the hero of which is a very popular gentleman on the outskirts of the literary world of Paris, that explains why the most blonde of all the blonde Princesses de Bourbon is in danger of becoming an old maid, or, as we say in Paris, of braiding St. Catharine's tresses, in spite of her charming face and her two millions of *dot*. She has in her own family a touching and romantic precedent. I refer to the love of Princess Louise Adelaide de Bourbon for the Marquis de la Gervaisals of the old house of Labourdonnaye-Monthue. It was at Bourbonne les Baine, where the Prince de Conde and his daughter were drinking the waters, that the Marquis made the acquaintance of the beautiful Louise Adelaide. The Princess was 15 years old; she was full, slender, and had a most lovable face. Bereaved of her mother, brought up in the seclusion of the convent of Beaumont, she came into the world as innocent as a nun, but predisposed to romance. The Marquis de la Gervaisals, true sub-lieutenant that he was, could not resist such charms; he fell head and heels in love. He was understood, and then began between him and Mlle. de Bourbon a liaison, spiritual, heavenly, paradisaical, of which we have the reflection in the Princess's letters, printed some years ago. The dream with golden wings lasted fifteen months. Then one day, yielding to the necessities of her rank, her eyes wet with tears, the royal Juliet bade her Romeo an eternal adieu: "We shall not see one another any more. Don't hate me; but don't love me any more."

The Marquis was faithful to his love; he proved it when Mlle. de Bourbon, who had taken the veil under the name of Marie Josephe de la Misericorde, died a Grand Prioress. Then he printed a little book, "Une Ame de Bourbon," which has all the tender perfume of the romantic passion of which it was the funeral dirge.

More happy than her cousin, Princess Marie Amelie de Deux Siciles, carried off from the court of her father, Ferdinand I., by the Duke de Chartres, than an exile and without fortune, sees her girlish dream crowned by the most beautiful and the happiest union which any royal house of our epoch has known. Forty years of unclouded happiness followed the romantic prologue necessitated by the extreme youth of the lovers.

Wholly of our own time is the romantic incident which brought about the marriage of the Archduchess of Austria, Marie Louise, with the Prince d'Isenbourg-Birstein. The Archduchess, daughter of Grand Duke Leopold of Tuscany, was out hunting. Her horse ran away. The Prince bravely sprang at the head of the animal, and was lucky enough to stop him. The hand of the royal horsewoman was his reward.

All love matches do not turn out happily, however, even for princes. One of the most famous marriages of this century is at this very moment having the saddest of epilogues. A constitution of distinguished alienists was held only a few days ago at Vienna to determine what should be done with Prince Guillaume de Montenuovo. The Prince, who went mad suddenly, is the son of the Empress Marie Louise and of the Comte de Neipperg. This gentleman became, under the title of *chevalier d'honneur*, the constant companion of the Empress after the fall of Napoleon I. He ended by becoming her husband, thus succeeding the great man who had been only the political husband of a woman fitted to be a happy wife in a happy home. This unfortunate Prince de Montenuovo owes his title to the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, who simply translated into Italian the German name of Neipperg.

The Prince had a sister, the Countess de San Vitale, who was one of the heroines of the Italian revolution. It is she who was the godmother of the Italian tricolor, and who led the funeral cortege of the patriots killed by the Austrian troops. Strange company for the daughter of an empress and the granddaughter of an emperor and of a king! Prince Montenuovo married the Countess Bathyani, who bore him three children. She died in 1874.

A tragic fate seems to pursue the posterity of this Comte de Neipperg, this illustrious man with one eye, whom Mme. de Stael called the German Boyard. He had four sons by his first marriage with the Countess Pola. The eldest, having lost a first wife, was fortunate enough to please the Princess Royal of Wurtemberg, Marie, daughter of William I., and married her. While out hunting he fell from his horse, struck on his head, and was a lunatic to the day of his death. The second son, Commander of Malta and distinguished in science, died of cholera. The third son, an officer in the Austrian hussars, one day forbade a soldier to go into a wine shop. The soldier seized a pistol and shot him dead. The fourth son, Ervin, is the only one living; he is a Knight of the Golden Fleece, an Austrian General, and has children. So the Neipperg line has escaped extinction.

The mischievous god has brought about many other unexpected marriages in the princely houses of Europe, and has blocked the combinations of the most eminent diplomats. It is he who made of the Princess Louise of Hesse, aunt of the Queen of Denmark, sister of the Duchess of Cambridge, a plain Countess von der Decken. Then, too, there is the Princess Henriette of Schleswig-Holstein Sonderburg, sister in-law of Princess Helena of England. For the past eight years she has been the wife of Prof. Esmarch, a distinguished doctor, who succeeded so well in interesting the Princess Helena and Princess Augustine of Wurtemberg with Baron du Bourget and Count de Thun-Hohenstein. I might cite many more, but these are enough to show how wisely Scribe wrote when he pencilled on the pedestal of a statute of Cupid these pretty verses:

Qui que tu sois voici ton maitre
Il l'est, le fut, ou le doit etre.

Circumstantial Evidence.

A REMARKABLE STORY FROM THE LIPS OF UNITED STATES SENATOR DAN VOOHEES.

I remember once defending, at Crawfordsville, Ind., a man named Owen, indicted for the murder of his wife by poison. It was twenty-odd years ago. Owen was a respectable farmer, in good circumstances, and a consistant church member. He had been twice married. He had several children by his first wife; his second was childless, a circumstance which peculiarly affected her mind and temper. She would not permit his children to reside with her, and compelled him to find a home for them elsewhere. She had a fancy, too, that he was criminally intimate with the wife of one of his tenants. She had frequently threatened suicide in consequence of these troubles.

One night Owen was awakened from sleep to find her dying. He called in assistance and sent for a physician, but she was dead before any one arrived. Her sudden demise excited suspicion, and three days after her burial this was communicated to him by a friend, who further informed him that arrangements had been made to disinter the body and investigate it.

Owen was greatly agitated at this intelligence, and, after a short pause, replied: "If this is done, and poison is found in Kezia's stomach (his deceased wife's Christian name), I will be accused of her murder, convicted and hanged. But I am as innocent of it as that tree," pointing to one near by.

That night he transferred all his property to a son, disguised himself, and fled the country. The body of his wife was exhumed and an autopsy had. Enough strychnine was found in her stomach to kill a mule. There was a universal expression of horror at the discovery, and a large reward was offered for the arrest of the fugitive. After some months he was found in Canada, where he was living under an assumed name. He was brought to Crawfordsville in irons, and it was with difficulty that his execution by a mob could be prevented.

Joe McDonald (now my colleague in the Senate), Jim Wilson, once a Representative in Congress and subsequently Minister to Venezuela, and myself defended him. There was a formidable prosecution, Lew Wallace, Judge Gregory, and others appearing against him.

It was proven that a short time before Mrs. Owen's death her husband had purchased strychnine at a drug store in the neighbourhood, telling the druggist that he wanted it for poisoning rats. But he asked that it should be charged to him, a fact upon which we laid great stress in the argument, insisting that had he entertained a criminal design in buying the drug he would not have put the damnable evidence of the fact upon record. A daughter who was visiting her father's house when the poison was brought home, testified that he handed it to her stepmother in her presence, cautioning her to be careful with it. A brother of his wife, who was greatly embittered against him, and was a witness for the State, admitted upon cross-examination that Owen's treatment of his sister was invariably considerate and kind. There was an entire failure to establish the fact of his having improper relations with other women.

This was all we had to base a defence on. The odds were fearful. There was the remark of the marked agitation of Owen when first informed of the suspicions existing against him, his admission that if a post-mortem examination showed that poison was the cause of his wife's death he would be accused of administering it and hanged; his purchase of the poison; his transfer of his property and flight, all combined, nearly irresistibly led to the conviction of his guilt. "Mr. Toorhees," he said to me, "however darkly things may appear against me, I am not guilty;" and I believe him. We fought the case like tigers upon the reasonable doubt which we deemed the evidence had not excluded, and won it.

Such an uproar as followed I never witnessed. Owen was taken to Wilson's private residence, pursued by a crowd crazed with disappointment and thirsting for his blood. Wilson, McDonald, and I stood at the front gate, with pistols in our hands, and checked the approach of the mob until Owen could escape from the rear of the house in a conveyance that had been provided for him. It is the only time in my life that I ever saw McDonald with a pistol. He showed an unmistakable purpose to use it if necessary.

Owen went to Texas and died there, I presume, as I have never seen nor heard of him since. His wife had committed suicide. He knew it, but preferred to keep the fact to himself to avoid scandal and exposing her. He was a weak, but an honest man. For his safe deliverance he was indebted to a capital jury, men who could be neither bought nor scared. The foreman had served the county in the State Senate, others had held office, and all were persons of consideration and influence.

Victoria's Good Heart.

There is an advantage, after all, in being a Queen as well as a woman, when a heroic act is to be recognized in an effective as well as tender way. And it must be acknowledged that Queen Victoria never fails to use this her prerogative with admirable and fine discretion. Two English soldiers, it will be remembered, Melville and Cogbill, were killed at the battle of Isandula, Zululand, while bravely attempting to rescue the colors of their regiment. Their widows were pensioned, of course, but the Queen's own womanly heart suggested a further and more gracious recompense. She sent out by the Empress Eugenie two wreaths, and the Empress, after she had made her pilgrimage to the spot where her son was killed, continued her journey to find the graves of those obscure English soldiers and to lay the wreaths upon them with her own hands. She wrote afterward a letter to the Queen describing the wild, grand spot where they are buried, the heroic circumstances of their death, as she had been able to learn them, adding a few words of earnest sympathy for them and congratulation for the sovereign who had men so brave to lose; all of which the Queen copies in her own hand and sends with a letter of earnest sympathy to the widows of the dead heroes. Certainly there is something in being a woman as well as a Queen. Even to a practical American, mourning for her dead, the knowledge that these two women, who had been seated upon thrones, had suffered precisely like herself, and held out their hands to her in sympathy, would bring a certain consolation. To loyal English women the few scribbled words would out value all pensions or rewards.

A Horrible Fight.

One of the most novel fights, with most horrible results, that has ever been brought to the notice of the police, occurred at a few minutes past 12 o'clock one night at the Union iron and steel foundry dock, near the corner of Thirty-second street and Ashland avenue. A gang of workmen were engaged in unloading iron ore, when two of them, William Doyle and Timothy Connell,—both burly men,—became engaged in a quarrel. Just how it began none of their fellow-workmen could tell, for they were at it before they were noticed. After talking loudly for a moment or two they clinched and fought for the mastery—something which neither of them could gain. Finally, apparently with a mutual understanding, they let go, separated, and began to look about for weapons. Suddenly each seized a kerosene bracket lamp, and with a curse, hurled them at each other. Each lamp struck its mark, and the dull "thud" was followed by two bright explosions, and the horrified workmen beheld their comrades wrapped in flames. It was some moments before they were able to put out the fires and when they had extinguished them, it was only to find the men unconscious, and most horribly roasted. Each was conveyed to his house—Doyle to the corner of Church place and Archer avenue, and Connell to the corner of Wood and Fourteenth street. The physicians who are attending the poor fellows say that Doyle will, in all probability die, and that Connell, although he is badly injured, may recover. The chances are against the recovery of both, however, and, should both die, it will create no surprise. Both men are past middle life and are married, with families.

Apples, Apple Juice, Cider, Vinegar.

This is most emphatically "the bearing year" with apples. Not only are well kept orchards in full bearing, but every superannuated and half-decayed tree, and every scrub and chance seedling by the roadside, is loaded in a manner seldom seen in a lifetime. With this abundance it is evident that with apples there will be a glut in the market. There will be no room except "higher up," and those who send poor fruit to market had better use their barrels for fire-wood, and save the freight charges. There is always a certain demand to be met, but this year only the select fruit will supply it. In years of plenty, careful selection and neat packages tell. The almost daily inquiries as to fruit dryers show that preparations are being made to dry a share of this abundance, and we hope by this article to anticipate the inquiries that will soon be made as to disposing of the fruit in the various liquid forms. Apple juice, as it comes from the press, or "sweet cider," is liked by many, and we have inquiries as to keeping it in the unfermented state. Preserving powders are advertised, and some of these from their effectiveness in preserving fruit will no doubt keep fruit juice equally well. The majority will wish to preserve their sweet cider without addition, and these can treat it by the same method used in canning fruit. Heat the cider to the boiling point, bottle and cork it while still hot. When apple juice is exposed to the air, the natural ferment it contains causes a change to take place. The sugar in the juice is converted into alcohol, and carbonic acid is given off. The process may be carried on until all the sugar is decomposed, when it is "hard" cider. The fermentation may be arrested at the desired point by bottling, and sparkling cider will be the result. This, which is also called "champange cider," can only be produced before the fermentation is quite finished. The best still cider is made from late ripening apples, when the weather is cool, fermented slowly at as low a temperature as possible, taking care to exclude the access of air; when fermentation has quite ceased, the cider should be racked off into a clean cask, and kept securely bunged or bottled. The great use of apples in this year will be to make vinegar. In the fermentation of cider, the sugar of the apple juice is converted into alcohol, and in making vinegar, that alcohol it changed into acetic acid. The conditions of this change are full exposure to the air and a high temperature. The richer the cider in alcohol, the stronger will be the vinegar, and the more slowly will the change take place. Ordinarily, the cider is put away in the cellar or some out-building, and in time, it may be two or three years or more, will be found to be changed into vinegar. Those who have heard of the "quick vinegar process," thinking it can be applied to cider; we are often asked to give a description of it. In this process, a liquid containing alcohol, usually formed of cheap whiskey, is converted into vinegar in a few hours. But this is not applicable to cider, for in the fermentation of cider or other fruit juices, the change into vinegar is accompanied by the growth of a very low form of plant, "the mother," as it is usually called, and this would so clog up the apparatus of the quick method as to very soon put a stop to it. Still, the change of cider may be greatly hastened. Those who make cider vinegar on a large scale have a house especially for the work, and this heated to about 70°. Vinegar can not be made rapidly at a much lower temperature. Exposure to the air is important, hence the casks are not filled, but only partly so, in order to expose a broad surface of the liquid to the action of the air. Exposure is increased by frequently transferring the cider from one cask to another, letting it run very slowly. Exposure can be promoted by allowing the partly formed vinegar to slowly run down a long trough, and also by allowing it to trickle over corn cobs placed in a cask, the cobs having been previously washed and soaked in good vinegar. Old vinegar acts as a ferment, and hasten the change, and the mixing of new and partly formed vinegar with a portion of old and strong vinegar helps the change. Another method to hasten vinegar making is to add yeast to cider, or what produces the same effect, the "mother" from vinegar barrels. The conditions for the most rapid conversion of cider into vinegar may be summed up: A temperature of at least 70°, all possible exposure to the air, the addition of old vinegar to the new or the use of "mother." It should be remembered that the weaker the cider in sugar the weaker will be the vinegar, and the more rapid the change.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

THE Rev. F. W. Peel proposes a testimonial to the Bishop of Lincoln for his active opposition against the Burials bill.

COPIES of the New Testament in Japanese have been placed in the schools of Yokohama by order of the authorities of that city.

IT is said that the value of the offerings at a recent heathen festival in India amounted to $1,100,000, most of which came from poor people.

PRINCESS EUGENIE, sister of the Queen of Sweden, is actively engaged in enlisting the Swedish women in behalf of the conversion of the Laplanders.

THE Rev. Dr. Marshal, a prominent minister of the United States Presbyterian Church of Scotland, died recently at Coupar-Angus. He received his degree of Doctor of Divinity from the University of the City of New York in 1865.

A LETTER from Rome says the health of the Pope continues to be good. He takes his accustomed morning walk and afternoon drive, and continues daily to receive in private audience the Cardinals and prelates of his Court, as well as private individuals.

THE case of the Dean of Pictermaritzburg, Dr. Williams, who rebels against the authority of the Bishop of the Diocese of Grahamstown, has been heard at Cape Town, before the Supreme Court of the Colony, whose decision is not announced. Questions of property and even of succession to the Bishopric are involved.

AN English Low Churchman discovers in the recent deaths of several clergymen of his party an indication that "God has a controversy with the evangelical section of the Church of England." One of the special sins of the party, he thinks, is that it has entered upon the "downward path of compromise" with advanced High Churchmen.

A CHURCHMAN calls the attention of the Bishop of London to the fact that an ordained clergyman who preaches in that city recently took for his text "The Lord Said," and began his sermon thus: "Of course you know, my brethren, that the Lord never said anything of the kind." There are, he says, "two or three score" of preachers of this kind in and about London, who believe those parts of the Bible they like, and reject the rest.

ALL SORTS.

SOMETHING to lie about—A bed.

HEAD clerks—Barbers' assistants.

A PARTIALLY deaf man has the [illegible] fever.

How to make a slow horse fast—[illegible] feed him.

A GOOD whisky sling—Sling the [illegible] out of the window—after it is empty.

"ALCOHOL will clean silver." Yes, [illegible] hol well stuck to, will clean all the silver you have—out of your pocket.

WHY is "i" the happiest of vowels? [illegible] cause it is in the midst of bliss; "e" is in hell, and all the rest are in purgatory.

[illegible] recently found a [illegible] LARGE [illegible] was cutting up into steaks [illegible] of the [illegible] the animal had swallowed [illegible]

A DANBURY man with a hammer, went to New York, last week, to secure a piece of the obelisk. But the police nabbed him before Egypt it off.

"CIRCUMSTANCES alter cases," said an unsuccessful lawyer, "and I wish I could get hold of some cases that would alter my circumstances."

AN old salt, when asked how far north he had ever been, replied that he had been so far north "that the cows, when milked beside a red-hot stove, gave ice-cream."

AN old angler says that a fish does not suffer much from being hooked. Of course not. It is the thought of how his weight will be lied about that causes his anguish.

THE young physician returns from his vacation to find his patients as lively as crickets. He inwardly vows that he will stay at home and attend to business hereafter.

A YOUNGSTER joyfully assured his mother the other day, that he had found out where they made horses: he had seen a man finishing one—"he was just nailing on the last foot."

HER mother said the little creature lived on love; but one month after marriage, when the grocery bill came in, he saw that he had made the greatest oversight of his life in not ascertaining what that particular love was for.

"HOLE on dar," said a colored man, [illegible] ing an acquaintance. "Does yer cross de street ebbery time yer sees me ter keep from payin' dat bill?" "No, I don't, sah." "What fur, den?" "Ter keep from bein' axed fur it."

AMONG the Sisters of Mercy who accompany the Russian army are two Princesses and a beauty with a fabulous fortune. These women maintain out of their own means the well-appointed ambulances to which they are attached.

IT is said that St. Louis has the politest lawyer in the country. A long and loud roll of thunder having stopped him in the midst of an address to the jury, on resuming he bowed and courteously said: "Gentlemen, please excuse this interruption!"

WHEN Dr. Tanner returned to food a gentleman brought him one small ripe plum to begin with. "What on airth's that?" asked the doctor, who was very irritable. "Well," replied the amiable stranger, "I thought, as you'd just finished a fast, you might like to try a sloe."

A LAWYER and a preacher were discussing the direction of the wind. The former said: "We go by the court-house vane." "And we go by the church vane," replied the parson. "In the matter of wind that is the best authority," said the lawyer. And the preacher went home to cogitate.

COUNT OSMOND, who has just [illegible] Vienna in his drag and four from [illegible] went to a public concert with a gentleman friend and a particularly handsome [illegible] A young man regarded her in so grossly impertinent a manner that the Count said something sharp to him, whereupon [illegible] struck the Count a violent blow. He [illegible] the name of Baron Belville on being arrested.

THE papyrus manuscript recently discovered in the cave of a hermit near Jerusalem and said to be the work of St. Peter, has been submitted to a committee sent out by the Biblical Society of London, and they have come to the conclusion that the papyrus is in reality the work of the great apostle. They have offered $100,000 for the document [illegible] vain.

A SCENE in a picture gallery shows a "model model" in a man who serves as model for an artist, and in the artist's absence explains the picture to a lady visitor. "From whom did Mr. McGup paint that head?" "From yours obediently, madam. I sit for the 'eds of all 'is 'oly men." "You must find you a very useful person." "Yes, madam; I order his frames, stretch his canvas, wash his brushes, set his palette, and mix his colors. All he's got to do is to shove 'em on."

HAHNEMANN, the founder of the homeopathic school, was one day consulted by a wealthy English lord. The doctor listened patiently to the statement which the patient made to him. He took a small phial, opened it, and held it under his lordship's nose. "Smell! Well, you are cured." The lord asked in surprise, "How much do I owe you?" "A thousand francs," was the reply. The lord immediately pulled out a bank-note, and held it under the doctor's nose. "Smell! Well, you are paid."

A DECENTLY-DRESSED workman came to a photographer's to have the portrait of his wife taken. While the operator was arranging the camera, the husband thought fit to give some advice to the companion of his life concerning her pose. "Think of something serious," he said, "or else you will laugh and spoil it. Remember that your father is in prison, and that your brother has had to compound with his creditors; and try to imagine what would have become of you if I had not taken pity upon you."

THE new banking house of the Messrs. Childs in London was opened at the close of last month. It is a very handsome structure and thus presents a marked contrast to the dingy old building that formerly stood on the site. The chief partner in Childs' is the Earl of Jersey, whose grandmother inherited an interest in the bank. Many of the families who keep account there have banked with the firm for two centuries. [illegible] derives a large income from unclaimed balances. The other partners are nominated by Lord Jersey. The bank has a large connection among old Roman Catholic families.

IF you want to keep your boy at home, make it pleasanter for him than the street. Chalk a hop-scotch in the hall, put a hogshead of molasses on tap in the kitchen, have a dog-fight in the back yard, make a "belly slide" on the cellar door, have a hand-organ and a monkey in the reception-room and a German band on the stairs, hire a "Gentleman" to be chaffed, let the boy chalk callers' backs on the first of January, throw his base-ball through the windows, ring the bell, and run away, and "plug" the cook with snow-balls Sunday mornings; but even then you will have to engage a circus to go through the premises two or three times in the season to "make it pleasanter than the street."

A FORTUNE TELLER was arrested in Paris and carried before the tribunal of the correctional police. "You know how to tell fortunes?" said a man of great wit, but [illegible] the fond of a joke for a magistrate. "I [illegible] sir," said the sorcerer. "In that case," said the president, "You know the judgment I intend to pronounce?" "Certainly." "What will happen to you?" "Nothing." "You are sure of that?" "Yes; you will acquit me." "Acquit you?" "There is no doubt about it." "Why?" "Because, sir, if it had been your intention to condemn me, you would not have added insult to misfortune." The president, disconcerted, turned to his brother judges, and the sorcerer was discharged.

Coal In Manitoba.

Notice was taken some months ago of the discovery of coal in Manitoba by the Canadian geological surveyors. Recently [illegible] barge loads of coal arrived at Winnipeg from the Souris country, the first instalment from what is styled the future Pensylvania of the Dominion. The coal was forty-three days coming down the river, and is said to be of a serviceable quality. The barges are constructed at the coal fields, out of the timber made from trees felled on the spot. [illegible] difficulty was experienced on the journey, timber jams and other obstructions to navigation were met with, but all were overcome, and the feasibility of Souris navigation determined. It is anticipated that there will be sufficient water in the river until August in each year to float barges down. At present there is twenty feet of water in the [illegible] Mr. Hugh Sutherland, proprietor of the mines, has expended some $15,000 on the experiment, and now that he is satisfied of success, will go on with the work on a larger scale. He intends to make one trip a year, building sufficient barges to bring down all the coal needed for a year's supply.

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Fashion Notes.

GATHERED flounces will be much worn this fall.

JERSEY webbing is shown among recent importations. It will be used for bodices.

HAND-PAINTED bracelets of white kid, mounted with narrow stripes of gold, are fashionable.

THE pilgrimage polonaise, with hood and with cord at the waist, is a novelty in early fall garments.

VERY elegant necklaces, bandeaus, armlets, ear-rings, and brooches of jet have just been imported.

PREraphaelite shoulder capes made entirely of black marabout feathers are considered extremely stylish in New York.

THE earliest importations of French dresses are made up of short dresses for day wear, with very long trained skirts for full dress.

THE little gold pig suspended from chains and bracelets as a charm is a trinket that abroad is worn only by members of the demi-monde.

THE Jersey, after a severe struggle to gain public favour, now bids fair to become as popular here as it has been with the court ladies in England.

AMBER-COLOURED roses are very fashionable on black Spanish lace bonnets. A fringe of amber beads forms a sort of coronet over the hair in front.

FIGURED goods in brocades, stripes, flowers, etc., will be combined with silk only, and plain woollen goods should not be combined with brocaded silk, but only with velvet or else with plaid wool in medium, small, or imperceptible designs, and very dark.

THE Louis XV. jacket, with rounded basques, lace jabot coming down the front, tight sleeves, reaching a little way below the elbow, trimmed with deep ruches, will be used as a model for basques of brocade to be worn with skirts of plain satin or velvet.

FOR the winter, light cloth or plain cashmere will be combined with plain velvet, more frequently, perhaps, than with striped velvet, which has been much abused. The latter will be reserved for corsages that are different from the skirt with which they are worn. Such corsages are rarely made of plain goods.

THE new colours are such as to delight the refined taste. There are, to be sure, the bright shades for all who desire them, but such tints as mulberry, deep claret, with a sort of smoky hue, all shades of heliotrope and olive, dulled by a gray cast, dusky, yellowish browns, and the dark rifle greens are most distinguished.

Rosy Cheeks.

The simple practice of washing with cold, soft water, and rubbing the cheeks briskly with a soft, rough towel as a daily habit, will do more to produce rosy cheeks than the best artificial inventions. Not only may a natural bloom be thus secured, but the fulness of the cheek is sustained by the healthy flow of blood which feeds its muscular structure. The muscles of the cheeks have very little action; they therefore become flabby and sunken at an early age in persons whose habits of life are such as to maintain little energy in the general system. The simple friction of the cheeks will do much to satisfy fair readers who may take the hint.

Their First Quarrel.

Angelina: (bursting into tears which fell upon his manly bosom like a refreshing shower) Leave me. Let me go into the world—the cruel, cruel world, and beg and be refused. Let me starve and die. My soul thirsts for music.

Charles: You think too much of these things, dear. The Joneses can afford it. Let them say what they may. You said you could give up your piano for me, a little while ago.

Angelina: That was the foolish thought of a silly girl. Give up my Chopin! my Gottschalk! my Sternberg! 'Tis too cruel! I'll return home. This monotony is unbearable. (Sobs violently.)

Charles: Well, then, dear, I promise you if you become immediately the sweet, good-tempered Angelina whom I used to know, I will not let another day pass before getting you one. What shall it be, dear?

Angelina: My good, dear Charles, let it be an Upright or a Baby Grand.

The Price of Wives.

The value of wives varies in different countries. In America they are often expensive companions, but in the higher regions of the river Amar, and on the Ussuri, in Siberia, according to information furnished to the British Scientific association by the Rev. Henry Lansdell, the price of a wife is eight or ten dogs, a sledge, or two cases of brandy. In another part of the world, according to evidence furnished to the same association by Wilfred Powell, in New Britain and the neighbouring islands on the east coast of Guinea, the wives are the absolute property of their husbands, and are bought, sold, and eaten by their better halves. There was one New Britain young woman who rebelled at her matrimonal relations, whereupon her husband said he could put her to better use, and straightway killed and ate her. Unfortunately, according to the same authority, the eating in New Britian is not confined to wives. The natives are fond of missionary meat, and think the English are unutterably stupid because they are unwilling to feast on such a delicacy as the human thigh, prepared with cocoanut milk and dressed with banana leaves. Mr. Powell does not advise women to emigrate to New Britain.

Winning a Wife.

"There is nothing," says Lord Shaftesbury, "which is so merely fortune of blind chance than marriage." A curious illustration of his meaning, says an exchange, comes from the staid town of Franklin, Mass. At an evening party there a gentleman challenged a charming young widow to try her fortune at Bassino. She accepted the challenge playfully, proposing that they should play for a wager, and he, agreeing, asked her to name the stakes. Seeing that she was at a loss to respond, the host laughingly said: "His hand against yours." The lady demurred, and was turning away from the table when the challenger interposed with: "My hand for yours if I win, or at your disposal for any young lady of respectability, her consent being attainable, if I lose." The wager was accepted, and the amused company gathered around the board. The lady led off and made 45, her adversary failing to score in return, but, improving in his play as the game progressed, reached 215 to the widow's 164. Growing nervous she played worse and worse, and finally left off the loser by 247 points. Then the hostess advanced, took the fair one's feebly-resisting hand, and placed it in that of the exultant winner, who begged permission to keep the mace with which he had won the match and a wife.

The Science of Kissing.

Science in the last few years, has gained a terrible foothold in this world. It has rattled the dry bones of old fogyism, made pi out of worn-out theories, upset ideas which have been established for centuries. The latest and most astonishing fact that has been developed is that there is a scientific mode of kissing. The day when a young man could grab a girl around the neck and gobble a kiss in a rough but comfortable manner, is past. The time when he could circle her waist with one arm, get his shirt bosom full of hair-oil, and pirouette his lips over every square inch of her countenance, is no more. Science has proclaimed against it, and man shudders, but remains silent. The old style of kissing, which sounds like some one tearing a clap-board off a smoke-house is now considered bad taste, and consequently is rapidly going out of fashion, although the majority of girls admit that science has cruelly destroyed all the comfort of a long-lingering, heart-thrilling kiss, and causes them to express no little regret at the change. The improved scientific method of of kissing is to throw the right arm languidly around the fair one's shoulder, tilt her chin up with the left hand until her nose is pointed at an angel of forty five degrees, or rather until it has an aspect resembling the bowsprit of a clipper-built sloop, then stoop slowly and gaze about her lips in a quiet, subdued sort of way, tickle her nose with your mustache until she cries "Ouch!" This is scientific kissing, but there is no consolation in it—nothing to make a man feel like a couple of galvanic batteries were galloping along his spinal column. It is flat, lukewarm; it lacks substance, and if not stale is at least unprofitable.

DOMESTIC RECIPES.

PIE CRUST.—Three and a half cupfuls sifted flour; one cupful sweet lard, one teaspoonful salt, one teaspoonful baking-powder, one cupful very cold water; mix with knife, using hands as little as possible to mix with; roll.

GRAPE JELLY.—Put the grapes in a kettle after they are stemmed, steam them until soft; then train through a cloth while warm; one pound of sugar to a pint of juice; boil 15 minutes; two pounds of grapes generally give one pint juice.

STEWED PEARS.—Peel six middling sized pears; cut them in two and take out the cores; put them into a pan with quarter of a pound of powdered sugar, the juice of a lemon, the thin rind cut into strips, and very little water; set them on a slow fire and stew till tender; put them into a basin and serve when cold with whipped cream.

GRAHAM BREAD.—One pint of water, one quart Graham flour, one pint wheat flour, one yeast-cake dissolved in half-pint water, half a gill of molasses, one teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of soda; mix at night; in morning pour in deep bread pans and bake about one hour; it is too moist to knead with the hands, but requires to be thoroughly stirred with a strong spoon.

TO SOFTEN HARD WATER.—Take two pounds washing soda and one pound of common lime, and boil in five gallons of water for two or three hours; then stand away to settle, and dip off the clear water from the top and put into a jug. Can be used for washing dishes or cleaning, and one teacupful in a boiler of clothes, put in after the water is hot, will whiten the clothes and soften the water, without injury to the hands or clothes. Use an old iron pot to make it in.

TO DESTROY ANTS.—Drop some quicklime on the mouth of the nest, and wash it in with boiling water; or dissolve some camphor in spirits of wine, then mix with water and pour into their haunts; or tobacco water, (strong,) which has been found to be effectual. They are averse to strong scents. Camphor will prevent their infesting a cupboard, or a sponge saturated with creosote. To prevent their climbing up trees, place a ring of tar about the trunk, or a circle of rag moistened occasionally with creosote.

TO REMOVE VERMIN FROM A CANARY BIRD.—Put a piece of cotton around the end of each perch at night, remove the cotton in the morning, (with the vermin.) Put in new, clean perches; clean the cage every day. Give the bird a bath every morning in a good large dish; remove it as soon as the bird is finished, scald the end of the perches every day before putting them in the cage again; renew the cotton around the perches every night, and remove in the morning until the bird is free from the vermin.

A GEORGIA widow, while driving a load of hay, was insulted by a tramp concerning her bonnet. She jumped from the load and gave the fellow a sound thrashing, and in less than a week had three offers of marriage.

A two-story well is one of the curiosities of Erin, N.Y. The two parts are one above the other and separated by ten or twelve feet of hard-pan. Water can be pumped from either well, and the lower one pumped dry while the upper one retains an inexhaustible supply.

BLOCK ISLAND is remarkable in many ways. Of its 1,147 in population 1,032 were born on the island. The inhabitants use peat for fuel, and sea weed nets them over $20,000 a year. There never was a jail or a lawyer among them, and for 120 years no mails came to the island.

The Czar's Marriage.

PRINCE DOLGOROUKI — MELIKOFF — THE PRINCE OF WALES LOCKED UP.

The great event of which every one at St. Petersburg is talking, of course under his breath, for reasons that do not need explaining, is the marriage of the Emperor with the famous Princess Dolgorouki. An English journal has even printed a despatch announcing the celebration of the ceremony, but the news was premature, though it may come true any day. In a recent letter addressed to one of her friends, a *grande dame*, the ambitious Princess speaks of the event as certain and inevitable. The marriage will be morganatic, and will be celebrated as soon as the Czar lays aside his mourning. The children born to the Emperor by this Princess will receive the title of Altesse, and will occupy at the court of Russia precisely the same place that the legitimized children of Louis XIV. had at the court of the *roi soleil*. They will take rank after the Grand Dukes. The haughty Princess must perforce give up the dream of wearing the crown of the Czarinas. A morganatic wife, she will have to content herself with the title of Altesse, and will not preside at court or official ceremonies. That duty will devolve on the hereditary Grand Duchess. A suitable dowry will be settled on the Princess, who is already a very rich woman; her income is estimated at nearly a million a year. Little or nothing will be changed at the palace by the Emperor's marriage. It is a private and personal reparation, with which the Russian nation has nothing to do. The ceremony itself will be private, almost secret.

Now that I have spoken of the high society, the great Russian aristocracy, I cannot help saying that its corruption and its abject subserviency to the Czar afford one of the best excuses for the revolt of the Nihilists. Let it be understood that I speak of the aristocracy of the palace, the men and women who go to court and form the *entourage* of the sovereign. The prodigal extravagance of the courtiers is in cruel contrast with the poverty of the people. I am not mistaken in saying that the morals of our Russian *grands seigneurs* recall those of the French *grands seigneurs* of the time of Louis XV. These gentlemen do not feel any shame in living upon their sovereign. For the most part they are not fettered with self-respect. Their object and effort is to get from the Czar all the favours and all the money they can. Count Alexander Walaitinivowitch Adlerberg, Minister of the Imperial Court, and Governor of the Winter Palace, was brought up from boyhood with the Emperor, and is his bosom friend. He is called Adlerberg II., to distinguish him from his father. He is a fast liver, a true "*dobrjak*," as the St. Petersburgers say. His pet vice is gambling, and luck is often against him.

One morning the Czar, who had started for a walk with his favourite dog, was met by an old woman, who, not recognizing him, asked very humbly if he was employed in the Winter Palace.

"Yes," answered the Czar, "I even have some little influence in the palace. Perhaps I can give you some information."

Then the old lady told him that a long time before she had lent a large sum to Count Adleberg, and that she couldn't get him to pay her. She was in extreme poverty, she said, and did not know to what saint to address her vows.

"I will do my best," answered the Emperor, "and perhaps I may be able to induce the Count to pay you your money. Come at noon to the palace."

Returning to the palace the Czar sent for the Count. The latter frankly acknowledged his indebtedness, but said he had not the wherewithal to discharge it. The Emperor gave him the money out of his own pocket, telling him to hand it to the old woman when she should next come for it.

Next morning the Czar was surprised to find himself again stopped by the old woman.

"Ah," she says, "it is as I feared. I was almost sure that you would not succeed."

"What do you mean," asked the Czar, becoming curious.

"That has always been the way, don't you see, and it always will be. The nobles do what they please, and the poor people are helpless."

"I don't understand you; explain yourself."

"I mean to say that the people of the court, sure of the protection of the Czar, violate with impunity their most solemn engagements."

"Has not Count Adlerberg paid you what he owes you?"

"Paid! Paying is well enough for poor people. As to the rich and powerful, they dispense with that formality if it annoys them. Meanwhile, I am without bread."

The Czar frowned.

"Follow me to the palace, my good woman. You shall have satisfaction."

The Czar walked so fast that the old woman could hardly keep up with him. She still supposed that he was an employee in the palace. When she saw the servants and the people of the court bowing to the ground before him she was stupefied. The guards were for stopping her, but the Czar made a sign, and she followed him into the imperial apartments. Adlerberg was summoned.

"What does this mean?" said the Emperor. "You have not paid this woman, in spite of my orders. What have you done with the money that I gave you."

At these words Adlerberg made such a piteous face that the Czar's anger gave place to a strong desire to laugh.

"Come, sir, explain."

"Well, sire, this is the naked truth: When I got home with the money that your Majesty had deigned to give me, I was assailed by such a crowd of creditors that nothing was left for this old woman. I don't know how the jackals learned that I had this sum. Now I am as poor as I was before. I don't know how it happens, but money cannot stay in my hands longer than a few minutes. Between my fingers it is no longer metal, it is volatile alkali."

The Czar, disarmed, burst into a roar of laughter. When the old woman left the palace she carried away her money.

As I am telling stories, here is another in which this same Count Adlerberg figures. The hero is no less a personage than the Prince of Wales. The thing happened during one of the Prince's visits to the capital of the Czars. Adlerberg had given the Prince a supper which lasted till daybreak. About 4 o'clock in the morning the Prince took leave of the company, jumped into a carriage, and started for the Winter Palace. His Royal Highness had done such honour to the wines, and especially to the foaming champagne, that his ideas were a little mixed. As he was passing the Palace of the Holy Synod he thought he recognized the facade of the imperial palace, and he halted the carriage. The coachman said something to him, but the Prince did not understand Russian. He got up, dismissed the coachman, and then marched up to the door.

A monk, half asleep, opened the door and asked him what he wanted; but the Prince did not understand the monk's Russian any better than he had that of the coachman. Without answering his questions he advanced, not too steadily, into the interior of the edifice, thinking he would find his way to his apartment. The monk undertook to stop him. The Prince is one of the best boxers of the United Kingdom. His first blow laid out the monk, who, believing that he was face to face with the devil, shouted lustily for help. You can fancy the uproar. The police were soon on the ground. As the Prince couldn't make himself understood, and was not recognized, he was taken to the nearest police station.

Fancy the stupefaction at court in the morning when it was discovered that the Prince had not returned to the palace. The Emperor was very uneasy. He scolded the Governor of the palace roundly for having allowed the Prince to set out alone. Then the Grand Master of Police, Feder Feodorowitch-Trepoff, had a happy thought. He gave orders for a search among the police stations, and the heir of the crown of England was found fast asleep among the revellers of lower degree.

The Emperor laughed heartily, but not too loudly, over the adventure, and steps were promptly taken to hush it up.

An Actress' Romance.

The appearance of Miss Ada Cavendish, the English actress, at the Arch Street theatre, says *The Philadelphia Times*, will lead much interest to her romantic history, which has never been published in this country before. Some forty years ago one of the most celebrated law cases ever tried in England came before the lord chancellor for trial, after being fought from court to court. The issue in question was the legitimacy or illegitimicy of a certain member of the Cavendish family. If the lord chancellor, after examining into the case, should decide that this man was legally born, he would, by virtue of prior birth, be the head of the family and heir to the vast estate that fell with the title of duke of Devonshire. So great results hung on "my lord's" opinion. But the case was never decided, the claimant was so hampered by circumstantial evidence, rather than direct proof of his rights, and the defence saw so clearly that their opponent could make it unpleasant for them, that both parties agreed to a compromise, the details of which are worth reciting, as a curious illustration of the standard of morality in the English aristocracy of that day, which generally approved of the compact.

It was argued that the claimant should be acknowledged as legitimate and the head of the family, taking the title and possessions of the duke of Devonshire for life; but he was expressly forbidden to marry, and on his death the title and property passed to the opposing party. Under such circumstances the duke, being but humrn, naturally formed attachments which the law did not sanction. Most of these, however, were of short duration, but when he had been about nine years in possession of his title he met a Miss Cameron, of Edinburgh, Scotland, to whom he became strongly attached. This lady was of gentle blood, of great personal beauty, and one of the most brilliantly educated and accomplished women of the age. During several years' acquaintance she learned to return the affection of her titled lover, and he, to do him justice, used all the means in his power to protect her good name.

Being forbidden to marry by his legal settlement of the suit, he offered Miss Cameron what is known as a morganatic marriage in Europe. This marriage is conducted in the following manner: The contracted parties are united in wedlock by a regularly ordained clergyman, a marriage certificate being furnished as usual. The wife in this case was known as Mrs. Cavendish, not as the Duchess of Devonshire. Her children were legal, bearing the family name. At the death of the father and mother, intestate, the children inherit his personal estate, the widow having her dower right of one-third, but the Devonshire estates and titles pass to the nearest of kin of the ducal line. This style of marriage was long since invented to give the kings, princes, and nobility generally of Europe a chance to follow the dictates of their hearts without shame, where reasons of state policy forced them into loveless political marriages. Morganatic marriages are very happy, and are not regarded in Europe, especially on the continent, as fastening any shame on the parties participating therein; neither do they entail any loss of social position. Miss Cameron accepted the duke's offer, and was morganatically married to him. They lived together in perfect happiness for eleven years, being parted only by the death of Mrs. Cavendish. The duke survived her about eleven years, but he was a changed man from the day of her death. Formerly genial and hearty, a lover of society, the turf, etc., he became crabbed, nervous, and silent. He shut himself up at Brighton and very seldom saw anyone to his dying day, in 1870.

One child (a girl) was born of this marriage, and was called Ada Cavendish. On her the parents lavished their tenderest love and devotion. She was carefully reared, like any young scion of the British aristocracy, and her beauty, sweet, joyous disposition and brilliant talents combined to make her their idol and the centre of one of the happiest homes of old England. A few years after the mother died the daughter, following her natural bent, placed herself under the tuition of Mrs. Charles Pelby, of the New Royal theatre, London, at which Theatre she soon made her debut as an actress. From that time until the day of his death the appearance of his daughter in a new role was the only thing which could tempt the old duke from his seaside retirement. She was a faithful and devoted daughter, and at her father's death came into possession of his entire personal estate amounting to £10,000—$50,000—and some magnificent jewels. Miss Cavendish has steadily risen in the theatrical world, her success as Mercy Merrick, in "The New Magdalen," rendering her famous in England and America.

In Candahar.

The coppersmiths are just as busy, and rather more noisy; the open shops are crowded with men, some knocking the pots into shape, others engraving, some eating, others idling, while the front of the shop is choked with vessels for sale; and outside, on the ground, one or two men are occupied in cutting out different patterns from copper sheets. Huge open cooking-pots piled one upon the other, salvers of all sizes, portly seamovars or tea urns with carved spouts, brass handle, and charcoal-burner complete, Long-necked water bottles with spouts a foot long, washing basins with top-strainers, hookah stands, shaped like our Indian water-serais, and tall light-burners, arranged both for candle and oil. These candle sticks are curious, and at first you cannot quite make out what they are intended for; the pedestal stands on a dish and takes to pieces, one part being joined by a screw, which works the wrong way as a matter of course. The stem rises from the centre of the dish and carries a fair sized bowl; reversed on this bowl rests a large open vase, and the top of the stem is made to carry a candle; but if oil is to be burned, the stem is prolonged to carry a smaller bowl reversed from which the open oil-dish springs. Another was on quite the same principle, except that the vase was omitted and the bowls were fashioned like palm-leaves, bending over. The object of the bowls being reversed is to reflect the light. The whole of these utensils, with the exception of the cooking-pots, are engraved in different flower patterns, with texts from the Koran interspersed, and the whole is tinned over.

Lassoing a Puma.

(Prescott, Ark., Miner.)

For some time past an old and gigantic mountain lion has been playing havoc with the young colts and calves of different herds around Walnut creek, and so great had the destruction of young animals become of late that a party of experts with the lasso decided upon the capture of the monster. Accordingly, Ike Goodman, Dan O'Leary, and a Mr. Ambrose went out to where he was wont to roam, and laid in wait for him. Mr. Lion appeared every night; therefore, they were pretty sure of their game. They encamped near a band of horses, belonging to George Cornell, and awaited the coming of the "boss" lion in northern Arizona. Just at day-break he heard the cry of a young colt, and knew that his lordship, the lion, was at his work. Mr. Ambrose and Mr. Goodman saddled their horses and prepared their riatas with a view of lassoing the animal. They soon found their game drinking the warm blood from a $100 colt, when Ambrose threw the lasso over the beast, holding him fast and secure. The lion took in the situation and made fight. With one bound he lit on the rump of the horse, ready to perform on Ambrose the operation which he had just concluded on the colt, when Ike Goodman's lasso was thrown over the lion, and in an instant the gallant lion, which measured eight and a half feet, was stretched out longer than any rail that Abe Lincoln ever split when he followed rail-splitting for a livlihood in the early days of Illinois. A costly animal has been disposed of, much to the peace of the colts and calves and the owners thereof.

FOR forty-eight days a Lowhill, Pa., hen was in a grain stack, where she had been accidentally covered up. When released she toppled over in a fit, but soon recovered.

Buying a Bride.

THE MATRIMONIAL AGENT IN PARIS WHO ARRANGES MOST OF THE GREAT MARRIAGES IN FRANCE.

Under an assumed name my friend, says a Paris correspondent, went to the Paris residence of M. de F., the celebrated marriage broker, and having paid the preliminary fee of £40, explained that he came on behalf of a cousin who, although possessed of a handsome fortune and good title, was anxious to increase his worldly goods by contracting a wealthy marriage. My friend further asserted that he acted in his own name, and without the authority of his cousin, but that the consent of the latter, should anything acceptable be proposed, he could answer for. M. de F. at first demurred, and asserted that he was not in the habit of dealing with less than at least one person directly interested in a matrimonial project; but my friend's eloquence, not to speak of the thousand-franc note, at length prevailed, and the great matrimonial agent unbosomed himself.

His terms were 8 per cent. on the *dot*, and this to be paid within the first year after the celebration of the marriage. Of course my friend consented. Then M. de F. explained that, should nothing be definitely decided on, and the attempt fail, no further expenses would be incurred, the £40 covering all. This pleased my friend still more, for he confessed to me that he had feared he should not be allowed to leave the sanctum of the magician without parting with at least another fifty louis. These preliminaries having passed off to the satisfaction of both parties, M. de F. opened an immense desk and took out from it a bulky note-book, in which my friend solemnly alleges were inscribed the name, age, fortune, disposition, and social status of every heiress not only in France, but in Belgium, Austria, Holland, Italy, England, and every other country in Europe. M. de F. airily explained that he despised American heiresses, as their fortunes could never be relied upon. M. de F. read out his list, somewhat as follows: "Four millions, orphans, red hair, two-and-twenty, subject to epilepsy, clever, but strong-minded; property all in real estate; noble family, Belgian." "Five millions, widow, very susceptible, dark, may or may not have had lovers, but there is no scandal attached to her name; French, good bourgeois family; very fond of titles, but prefers men in the army; will not marry a man under forty; is herself five-and-thirty; property partly in railway shares and partly in French government stock;" and so on *ad infinitum*.

My friend was thunderstruck, and at first half believed that the list was purely an imaginary one and merely a bait thrown out to attract hungry fish. This doubt was, however, soon dispelled when he selected one out of the many heiresses offered to him, and when M. de F., looking upon the matter as settled, calmly stated the name of the young lady, my friend discovering to his astonishment that he knew the family intimately, and that M. de F.'s intelligence and details were absolutely correct in every particular.

He then explained his system. "Of course, Monsieur le Comte," he said, "It is needless to tell you that these ladies do not come to me themselves and seek for husbands. When a lady has a large fortune and is anxious to get married she has no need of a matrimonial agent. It is her friends, parents, or guardians who come to me—in nine cases out of ten without her knowledge—and, possessing influence over her, offer the heiress to me. in consideration of a fee arranged between us, of course provided I can, among my clients, find a suitable partner. The whole thing is perfectly simple, and the wife need never suspect anything. From the names I have just mentioned you can see for yourself that many of my clients, both male and female, belong to the best nobility ot Europe, and in fact I think I can say, without vanity, that I have had something directly or indirectly to do with most of the leading matrimonial alliances which have taken place in France in the last thirty years, although, since the fall of the second empire business has become rather slack."

What can be more terrible than this? Little does the Duchesse Foule de Persil dream as she dashes out to the Bois de Boulogne that her only and well-beloved daughter is being bought and sold in a dingy little room near the Boulevard Poissonniere by her dear and intimate, though unscrupulous and impecunious, friend, the Marquise Huppe de la Deche. The duchesse has unbounded confidence in the marquise, and has given her carte blanche to bring any of her friends to her house, and when the young Vicomte de la Poisse is introduced—a charming man, and one whose birth and title are above suspicion—he meets with a most cordial reception.

The rest is soon done; the vicomte is represented to the mother as being the very model of young men, madame la marquise uses her influence in every conceivable and inconceivable way, and in nine cases out of ten the marriage comes off, madame la marquise, Monsieur le vicomte, and the matrimonial agent all having a large plum out of the pie, the mother and daughter never suspecting anything. More than three-quarters of the marriages in France—and in the grande monde, mind you—are brought about in this way; for, apart from the professional matrimonial agents, most of the abbes and cures add to their income by mixing in matrimonial intrigues of this natue.

As a matter of fact, indeed, the priests are the most powerful of all matrimonial agents, for the family confessor exercises the greatest influence, and is supposed to be above all suspicion. Who can wonder, after this, that so many marriages in France end in misery and separation, and that M. Naquet meets with support when advocating divorce? There is no remedy for this evil, for one cannot discover it, and in some instances both the bride and the bridegroom are alike ignorant that the fact of their standing before the altar is a matter of so many thousand francs in pocket to two or more of their most intimate and cherished friends. Let it not, moreover, be supposed that we in England are free from this scourge; quite the contrary—there is as much money made in Belgravia as at Sainte Clothilde.

Matrimonial Advice.

Now girls, I want to say one word about getting married. The reason so many unhappy marriages are made, is just because young people do not stop to take a sober second thought upon the matter; but rush on without once considering what the poet calls, "the eternal fitness of things."

Getting married ought not to be the great object of a girl's existence. I often think, when I see young folks so anxious to get married, that if they could look into the future and see what trials, sorrows and troubles are ahead, they would shrink back and not have courage to take vows that are to last till death annuls them.

This getting married is a serious piece of business, any way it can be fixed. Because a young man drives a fast horse, dresses well, and is an agreeable escort, it is no sign that he will make a kind, considerate and loving husband. You want to study him, try him, test his temper, and take time to do it in.

Don't marry in a hurry—you will have time enough to repent, if you do. Never marry for beauty or show. Do not marry a man who is very fond of fast horses; they do not make very nice husbands. I never see such a man but I think, "I pity the girl who marries you." It is a great venture to trust such a man; so girls, look out!

Again, do not marry a man who has a taste for strong drink of any kind. As you value your life's happiness and comfort, let such a man alone; better die than be tied for life to such a person; yes, it is a living death, and you are putting your neck into a heavy yoke.

Never marry a man who cannot govern his temper. He is not safe, either at home or in public, and he will keep you in tormenting fear all your life; and lastly, girls, do not marry a man till you have known him a whole year, at the least; and made him a study for six months; and do not be afraid of being an old maid! Better keep single than be an unhappy wife.

Turkish Domestic Life in the Way of Reform.

Every Turk leads [illegible] in the society of Europeans during six hours of every day. He is then well dressed, vivacious, perhaps intelligent. But this part of his life is not the part which forms his motives. It is not then that the final causes are at work which govern his acts. His life, when he is in the busy whirl of the world, is superficial and unreal. How artificial it is can be seen in the alacrity with which, on his return to the harem, he lays off the broadcloth clothes of his public existence, and dons the white baggy trousers, the open-neck vest, and the long gown dear to his heart. He is only ready to be at ease when he releases his feet from patent leather and from stockings, and thrusts them into unheeled slippers. Then he is himself, for he is at home. The harem is to every Turk his haven of refuge. To it he may flee from every care. About the harem cling all the sweetest associations of his life. All his best feelings find exercise in that sacred place. His mother, perhaps, is there, or his sisters. There only he enjoys the prattle of his children. There alone in all the world can the tired man find the balm of sympathy. There he has his books, and can study in peace if he will. There he enjoys the riches of his splendid flower-garden. In the domain of the women, with hills and vales and moon-touched sea before his eyes, he dreams away his summer evenings under the subtle spell of nature. And here he meets the controlling influences of his life. The women of the harem, mother, sisters, and wives, wait upon the man coming wearily home from his struggle with life. They are to him humble servants or merry companions, as his mood is. They please him with his children, or leave him alone with his books, at his behest. Sooner or later, however, they assert their woman's right of talking on serious topics, and then they have him at their mercy. Now these women who make the home of the Turk are rarely his equals in mental acquirements. No question of blood rules the selection of wives among the Turks. A woman born in a mud hovel often rules a pasha's palace. At the very best, Turkish women rarely have any education beyond the primer. They believe in signs and wonders; in the active agency of evil spirits; in the existence of a great dragon who periodically attempts to swallow the moon; in charms and incantations. In short, they are as superstitious as they can be after centuries of hereditary ignorance. But they are positive in opinion, and intolerant of opposition. Moreover, they are, above all things else, ardent and bigoted Mohammedans. Such are the intellectual surroundings of the Turk during that part of his life which he loves. And when the women of his house turn the conversation upon public affairs, the poor man is helpless in their hands, because he knows the futility of logic in such discussions. Often a pasha meets at home a petition which he has refused in his office, and, yielding to sheer importunity on the part of his women, he rewards the shrewdness of the man who has found means to invoke such aids. Often it has happened that the pasha disapoints an ambassador, and violates his promise to support a new measure, because the women of his household object to the deviation from custom. He must yield to his home circle, or break with them entirely. These women are under no influences by which their opinions may be changed. They live in a world of their own, and are entirely unaware of an existence preferable to their own, and know nothing of that outside world to which they are simply curiosities of antique origin.

This glance at the home life of the Turk and its influences upon him, leaves little to hope from the Turks in the direction of voluntary abandonment of old systems and practices.

Lourdes.

Bernadette Soubirous, a peasant girl at Lourdes, France, was visited by the Virgin Mary in a grotto, so she said, and commanded to scratch on the ground. She did so, and the now famous fountain sprang up. That was in 1858. The Rev. Father Van Schic of Lourdes is now in St. Louis. He vehemently avers the genuineness of the miracles. He says: "Lourdes contains about 6,000 or 7,000 inhabitants, and its growth has not been very large since the miracles began. It is about twenty minutes' walk from the town to the grotto. The road was formerly simply a shepherds' path, but now it is a wide street, with hotels and stores on either side. At the end of the road, just underneath the grotto, there is a large plaza, paved with asphalt, which holds perhaps 8,000 people. The fountain is situated at the foot of the grotto, and beside it a large marble table twelve feet square has been set up, containing the words of the apparition. The church is on the top of the same hill, and is reached by a very steep incline, which is very trying on processions making the pilgrimage. It is very plain, and will hold probably 1,500. The most remarkable thing about it is the inside decorations. The walls are nearly covered with votive tablets, the records of cures. Every procession of pilgrims who come to the place march under a banner, which they leave behind as an offering. These banners, which are almost countless, and some very costly, have been arranged in a thousand different ways, so that the interior of the church is covered with them. Votive offerings of gold, silver, and bronze principally hearts and crosses, serve to complete the curious effect. During the last year several large pilgrimages arrived, and on one feast day there were 25,000 strangers at the shrine, many of them from distant parts of Europe. There were many cures."

The Terrors of Carving.

The misery of habitual carving can hardly be exaggerated. The man who comes home tired from his day's work and sits down to dinner needs a quiet and easy meal. Instead of having this, he is compelled to undergo the labor of carving and to postpone his personal dinner until his appetite has vanished. It is no small labor to carve for a family, say of six persons. The joints of the spring chicken are apparently made of a combination of steel and india rubber, and can neither be cut or dragged apart; while the roast beef, toughened by long years of service in its original shape of ox, requires more strength of wrist on the part of the of the carver than would suffice to saw a twelve inch log. When at last the work of carving is done the delicate and difficult duty of "helping" begins. There can be no peace of mind for the man who helps his family and his occassional guests to any food except soap or oysters, both of which can be accurately and fairly divided. In the case of chicken he can never give satisfaction. There is no rule in this matter beyond that of giving the chicken legs to the boys, which can be followed. To ask people what part of the chicken they prefer is simply madness. Either everybody will tell the truth and demand the best cut, in which case all but one will be exasperated by failing to have their wishes gratified, or everybody will reply, "Any part." "It makes no difference," or words to the same mendacious and aggravating effect. Of course, when the man who says "It makes no difference" is helped to anything but the breast, he becomes the enemy of the carver for life, and nothing can disabuse him of the impression that he has been wantonly insulted. It is far better to boldly help people without making any pretense of consulting their wishes. They will then regard the carver as a rude and careless host; but they will acquit him of any intention to press open insults on his guests.

HE was saying, as he struck a lucifer on the side of the house, "I like these houses with sanded paint; nice, when you want to strike a match, you know." "Is that so?" she asked, demurely. "I wish I lived in a house with sanded paint"—and then she looked things unutterable. If he had asked, "What for?" she would have hated him. But he didn't; he took the hint, and the match was struck then and there.

AFTER travelling one hundred miles through the woods and crossing several streams, a cat that had made the journey in a box escaped and found its way home in British Columbia.

PERSONAL.

THE Duke of Richmond and Gordon, during the recent hard times among them, returned to his Scotch tenants twenty per cent. of their rents.

JOE JEFFERSON owns a portrait of Mrs Siddons as a young girl, representing a wild, eager, and animated beauty, with blowing hair, oval face, and mouth as red as a rose.

THE *American Manufacturer* says that John B. Jervis, who ordered the first locomotive in America to be made, is living, aged over 80, at Rome, N.Y., and Horatio Allen, who saw the order carried out, and who ran the pioneer locomotive, is living at East Orange, N. J., aged over 70.

THE most extensive cotton planter in the world is Colonel Edward Richardson, of Jackson, Mississippi, whose lands lie on the banks of the river, and who last year raised 13,000 bales from 17,000 acres. At the price at which fair medium cotton sold last year, Colonel Richardson probably realized $650,000 for his crop.

ONE of the London reigning beauties is Mrs. Cropper, who was formerly Miss Thornburg, of San Francisco. She is tall and slight, but perfectly made, has masses of fair hair, and shining blue eyes. At the late Kensington Fair she wore white cashmere, and a straw bonnet trimmed with red, white, and yellow roses, and bracelets set with rubies, sapphires, and diamonds over her long wrinkled gloves.

THE Duke of Argyll and the Duke of Sutherland were once travelling together, when a commercial traveller entered the same railway carriage, and conversation became general. When at last one of the noblemen left the train, the commercial traveller inquired his name. "Dear me!" said he, on being told, "was that really a duke? Just think of his talking in that affable way to a couple of little cads like you and me!"

THERE is a great deal of artistic talent in the family of the late Prince Consort. Several of his children are accomplished musicians, and his brother Ernest, Duke of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, is also a composer, and one whose operas have met with favour. He frequently conducts concerts in which his servants are performers, and his favourite occupation is lying in bed in the morning, playing on the flute, while his valet accompanies him excellently on the violin.

WHEN Mr. Ross Winans had made his great fortune in Russia, he returned to Baltimore, built a noble residence there, and ornamented the superb grounds with statuary by the best European sculptors. This statuary so shocked the people that the city government notified Mr. Winans that he must either remove or conceal it, and he surrounded his property with a high brick wall, which the people of the place, better educated at a later day, have in vain asked him to remove.

THE Bradford (Yorkshire) *Observer* says that Adelaide Neilson, while nurserymaid at Mrs. Padgett's, Hawkhill, Guiseley, in that county, was most attentive to her duties, and very active, never requiring prompting in anything. In her spare time she learned accurately from Shakespeare. So determined was she to go on the stage—an intention she often announced to the family she served—that one evening after leaving her employment at the usual hour she started for London. She slept the first night under the trees in Hyde Park, and subsequently got work, in answer to an advertisement, as a seamstress.

No wonder that foreign warblers and actors come to America, where they obtain more than thrice the pay of ambassadors. Paolo Marie, who has just returned, under Mr. Grau's management, is to receive $100 for each of her performances, while Capoul, who is to sing in fifty concerts, under Ullmann, is to be paid $200 for each. But these are mere zephyrs compared with the breezy proposition of Wagner, who is willing, if America will raise $1,000,000 for him, to expatriate himself, dwell with us, produce all his operas here, and devote the remnant of his art life—he is now sixty-two—to the U. S. For that trifling pecuniary bagatelle the gifted Wagner is willing to immolate himself.

OLE BULL'S favourite violin was made by Gaspar da Salo, and its case, for which the Cardinal Aldobrandini once paid three thousand ducats, was sculptured by Benvenuto Cellini. On the head of the violin is an angel's face in relief, carved and coloured; a tiny mermaid leans against it, clothed in scales of green and gold; below the bridge is another mermaid; and the neck is ornamented with arabesques in red and gold and blue. Two intertwined fish ornament the bridge—the zodiacal sign of February, the violinist's birth month. Two ivory Tritons may be seen upon the bow, in which are set forty-five diamonds, the gift of the Queen of Sweden and Norway. Ole Bull is the only person that ever played on the instrument, as it never had any bar inside it till he himself put one there.

THE retiring president of the American Association for the Advancement of Science narrated, in the course of his remarks on the problem of life, the story of the plethysmograph, which is an instrument measuring the action of the brain by changes in a recording curve, showing also the action of the mind in dreaming, and the effect of the emotions. He said that when the instrument was first exhibited in Turin by Dr. Mosso, its inventor, a classical man who had boasted that he read Greek as easily as Latin, and both without effort, came in and expressed himself contemptuously concerning the affair. Dr. Mosso had him surrender his arm to the instrument and read a page of Latin, when a slight depression of the curve from the normal line took place, and on reading a page of Greek a much deeper depression was recorded, showing that the boasting gentleman could not read Greek as easily as Latin, and that both required an effort.

Mrs. Warren's Helper.

"I don't know that I ever should have gotten through my Fall sewing so well if it had not been for the help I had from poor Mrs. Duane across the way," said Mrs. Warren to her friend.

"I did not know that she ever went out sewing. I don't see how she can and keep those four children so tidy."

"Oh, she did not set a stitch for me, but she helped me greatly, all the same."

"Did other work for you while you sewed, I suppose."

"You would never guess the puzzle, so I will tell you. It was just looking at her as she sat by that morning-glory-shaded window, stitching away at her childrens' clothes with such a swift needle, every minute that she could catch from her housework. I knew her resources were very small; that she was obliged to piece up and make over and hand down to the very limit of possibilities, yet she did it with such cheerfulness, always singing at her work if she was not chatting with her children; it made me ashamed of my fretfulness.

I was dreading to commence these pretty plaids for the girls because I could not quite decide upon the patterns, and then it would be such a trouble this hot weather.

That thrifty, busy little housekeeper made me ashamed; every time I looked at her it was an inspiration.

I cut out the dresses and put the sewing machine at work on them; then if I felt my zeal fagging I would make an errand across the street to see Mrs. Duane work a few minutes.

One morning I happened in on a "stocking day," as she called it. She had a collection of old stockings of various sorts and sizes, which she was cutting down and piecing out with new heels and toes until they were about as good as new for the Fall campaign.

I asked leave to add to her collection and the offer was thankfully accepted. I took over an apron full, which she asserted would keep the children well supplied all Winter. I had no idea there was so much 'goodness' in old stockings. I always came home with energies brightened and wits sharpened, so that my work seemed very easy and pleasant. One day I told her how much good I was getting from her example of steady industry, and the little woman just dropped her work in her lap and covered her face with her hands, laughing and blushing. The idea of having an influence was very odd to her.

But that was just the help that carried me through the Fall sewing, and I believe in giving 'honour to whom honour is due.'"

THE Philadelphia enterprise of a thousand one-horse coaches, of light and novel construction, to carry eight persons each and run to all parts of the city, is to be speedily put in operation. The fare is to be five cents, or six tickets for a quarter of a dollar. The routes are so arranged that, for ten to fifteen cents, a trip can by transfers be made to almost any desired point; while a single fare will secure a ride on any one of the main lines, lengthwise or crosswise of the city. The movements of the vehicles will be arranged to suit the traffic. The street car companies anticipate a serious decrease in their business.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Oct. 8th, 1880.

THE UNION SHOW

Of the East Riding and Artemesia Societies was held in Flesherton on the 28th and 29th ult. The weather was very unfavorable both days, and had it not been for the rolling ground on which the exhibition took place, and being covered with grass, it would not have been possible to get along with any degree of comfort. However everything passed off with general satisfaction. Our columns are so crowded that we find it impossible to comment, and give only the prize list.

HORSES.

Agricultural, 3 entries. S. Stock, J. Boland, W. Fawcett. Carriage, 6 entries, A. S. Van Dusen, A. Munshaw, R. Smith. Buggy, 9 entries, H. J. Middaugh, D. S. Burke, A. Kennedy. Saddle, 8 entries, D. McDuffie, N. Clarke, R Davis. Brood mare, 13 entries, T. Campbell, Alex. Mercer, D. Stinson. Two years old Gelding, 9 entries, S. Stock, R. Black. Two years old Filly, 6 entries, A Mercer, W McMullen. One year old Colt, 6 entries, R Blair. One year old Filly, 8 entries, J Lawrence, S Stock. Spring foal, 14 entries, A Mercer, D Stinson. Draught—stallion, 3 years and over, 3 entries, A Kennedy. Two years and under, 2 entries, H King. Roadster—stallion, 3 years and over, 3 entries, W Elder. Two years and under, A Hannah.

CATTLE—DURHAM.

Cow, 1 entry, A & F Beattie. Bull, 2 yrs. and over, 1 entry, Geo Thompson. Bull, 1 yr or under, 2 entries, Geo Richardson, A & F Beattie. Two years old Heifer, 1 entry, R Lever. GRADE—Cow, 11 entries, J R Trimble, A White. Bull, 2 yrs and over, 3 entries, R Smith, D Stinson. One year and under, 1 entry, E Watt. Two yrs old Heifer, 12 entries, R Whittaker, W Clayton. One yr old Heifer, 10 entries, A Munshaw, A White. Heifer calf, 5 entries, J R Trimble, A & F Beattie. Working oxen, 3 entries, G Thompson, J Brodie. Three yrs old Steers, 1 entry, E Rutledge. Two years old, 4 entries, A & F Beattie, J Brodie. One yr old, 4 entries, J Weber, J R Anderson.

SHEEP—LEICESTER.

Aged Ram, 2 entries, E Shaw. Lamb, 3 entries, E Shaw, W Fawcett, W Fawcett. Aged Ewes, 4 entries, E Shaw, W Fawcett. Shearling ewes, 3 entries, W Fawcett, E Shaw. Ewe Lamqs, 7 entries, E Shaw, 2nd do. COTSWOLD.—Aged Ram, 4 entries, W Fawcett, R Whittaker, J Farris. Shearling Ram, 1 entry, J McMorris. Lamb ram, 3 entries, J McMorris, Geo Buskin. Aged Ewes, 2 entries, J McMorris, W Fawcett. Shearling ewes, 2 entries, J McMorris, W Fawcett. Ewe Lambs, 2 entries, G Buskin, J McMorris. OTHER BREEDS.—Aged ram, 3 entries, W Fawcett, D Stinson. Shearling ram, 1 entry, D Stinson. Ram lamb, 8 entries, E Shaw, W Fawcett, D Stinson. Aged ewes, E Shaw, D Stinson. Shearling ewes, 2 entries, E Shaw, D Stinson. Ewe lambs, 4 entries, W Fawcett.

SWINE—BERKSHIRE.

Sow, aged, 3 entries, R Brown, D Stinson. Sow pig, 1880, 3 entries, W Wilson, 2nd do. SUFFOLK, or other white breeds—Boar, aged, 3 entries, J R Todd, D. Stinson. Boar pig, 1880, 5 entries, J R Todd, J Green. Aged sow, 2 entries, J R Todd, R Lever. Sow pig, 1880, 7 entries, J R Todd, J Green.

POULTRY.

Brahmas, 6 entries, H Mathewson, 2nd do. Leghorn, 5 entries, W Barnhouse, 2nd do. Hamburgs, 4 entries, W Buchanan, sr, J Plewis. Cochin China, 3 entries, Haskett Bros, J Plewis. Spanish, 4 entries, W Trimble, C Bellamy. Aylsbury Ducks, 1 entry, D McKenzie. Other ducks, 5 entries, J Brodie, W Buchanan, sr. Turkeys, 3 entries, R Bentham, D McKenzie. Geese, 10 entries, D Stinson, W Trimble.

GRAIN AND SEEDS.

Fall Wheat, (Deihl,) 1 entry, R Ruthvan. Clawson, 21 entries, E Rutledge, T Kells, J Cameron. Treadwell, 6 entries, J Green, J Graham, J Marquis. Any other variety, 9 entries, T Kells, J Green, R Ruthvan. Spring Wheat, (Red Chaff,) 4 entries, N Clarke, J Brodie, W Burnett. Genesee, 4 entries, N Clarke, J McGirr, J Marquis. Glasgow, 4 entries, N Clarke, J Marquis, J Cameron. Russian, 14 entries, J McGirr, J Brodie, Alex Mercer. Any other variety, 7 entries, J Marquis, N Clarke, J McGirr. Barley, 16 entries, J Beecroft, T Kells, J Brodie. White Oats, 18 entries, N Clarke, J Cameron, J Farris. Black Oats, 9 entries, D Stinson, R McGruther, J Beecroft. Small Peas, 15 entries, J Cameron, J Abbott, J Brodie. Timothy Seed, 9 entries, N Clarke, J Brodie. White Corn, 8 entries, J R Todd, J Lawrence. Yellow Corn, 15 entries, N Clarke, J R Todd. Collection Beans, 7 entries, R Lever, C Bellamy, J Hopps.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.

Cup Potatoes, 4 entries, E Rutledge. Early Rose, 20 entries, W S Bowler, R Black, R Plant. Other variety, 7 entries, W Buchanan, sr, J Milinor, R Bentham. Collection, 6 varieties, 4 entries, R Black, J Cameron, R Lever. Mangold, (Globe,) 3 entries, J R Todd, D S Burke. Mangold, long, 11 entries, J R Todd, J Thompson. Turnips, Swede, 10 entries, N Clarke, J R Todd. Other field, 6 entries, J Farris, J Millinor. Table, 2 entries, J R Todd, J Farris. Beets, long blood, 23 entries, J Thompson, J Millinor. Other variety, 11 entries, S Damude, W Bulmer. Carrots, field, 20 entries, J Ford, A Munshaw. Early Horn, 23 entries, R H Stinson, D Burke. Parsnips, 18 entries, J R Todd, R H Stinson. Onions, from seed, 13 entries, J R Todd, R H Stinson. Onions, potato, 21 entries, J Thompson, H Mathewson. Winstadt Cabbage, 11 entries, J Thompson, A Mathewson. Drumhead, 7 entries, J Thompson, J R Todd. Any other variety, 7 entries, J Thompson, H Mathewson. Cauliflowers, 5 entries, J R Todd, J Hickling. Celery, white, 9 entries, H J Middaugh, A Munshaw. Red, 3 entries, J Wilnor. Pumpkins, 9 entries, J Farris, R Whittaker. Squashes, 9 entries, H Mathewson, J Thompson. Citrons, 11 entries, R Black, C Bellamy. Tomatoes, 15 entries, W Carson, J R Todd. Water Melon, 7 entries, J Thompson, C Bellamy.

FRUIT.

Crab Apples, 21 entries, J Thompson, Dr Purdy. Fall, 3 varieties, 12 entries, J Marquis, Alex Mercer. Winter, 3 varieties, 14 entries, J R Todd, J McGirr. Fall, 1 variety, 29 entries, J Marquis, T Kells. Winter, 1 variety, 26 entries, W McMullen, W Fawcett. Fall Pears, 9 entries, R H Stinson, J Marquis. Peaches, 3 entries, J M Webster, J Plewis. Plums, red or blue, 8 entries, J Lawrence, R Lever. Yellow or green, 4 entries, J Graham, R Whittaker. Grapes, J Graham, J McGirr.

DAIRY AND OTHER PRODUCE.

Honey, 1 entry, J H Heard. 5 lbs Butter, 31 entries, J Abbott, J R Anderson, H King, J Cameron. 50 lbs Tub butter, 12 entries, G Buskin, J Ford, J Farris, W McMullen. Cheese, 6 entries, G Buskin, J Cameron, R Black. Bread, 15 entries, J Abbott, Alex Mercer.

MANUFACTURES.

Lumber Waggon, 2 entries, R H Stinson. Democrat, 3 entries, R H Stinson, T Swan. Buggy, covered, 1 entry T Swan. Open, 2 entries, R H Stinson. Cutter, single, 2 entries, T Swan. Men's sewed Boots, 1 entry, W Barnhouse. Stoga boots, 1 entry, do. Ladies' boots, do. Bureau, 1 entry H & R Hooper. Centre Table, do. Hal, dozen Chairs, 1 entry, do; Bedstead, 1 entry, do.

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES.

Pair Blankets, 6 entries, J Gilbraith, N Clarke. Full Cloth, 4 entries, J Milinor, T Campbell. Flannel, union, 6 entries, D McCormack, D Stinson. Flannel, wool, 7 entries, R Askin, J McGirr. Stocking yarn, 9 entries, J Cameron, J Abott. Woollen Mitts, 4 entries, J Milinor, J Cameron. Woollen socks, 8 entries, Mrs Thos Campbell, Miss J Cameron. Woollen stockings, 8 entries, Mrs Cameron, Mrs Boland. Patchwork Quilt, 9 entries, Mrs Dr Purdy, Miss Gilray. Knit or crochet quilt, 3 entries, Mrs Geo Thompson, Miss Gilray. Any other kind, 10 entries, Miss M Burk, Miss Gilray. Berlin wool, raised, 8 entries, Mrs J Boland, Mrs Milnor. Col Berlin work, 5 entries, Mrs Milnor, Mrs A Munshaw. Braiding in silk, 1 entry, Mrs Milnor; in cotton, 7 entries, Miss Gilray, Miss Burke. Embroidery in silk, 1 entry, Mrs Milnor; in cotton, 2 entries, Miss Hickling, Miss Mathewson; worsted, 1 entry, Mrs Milnor. Crochet, in cotton, 13 entries, Miss Gilray, Mrs Damude; in wool, 6 entries, Miss Gilray, Miss Leitch. Point and Honiton Lace, 4 entries, Miss Burk, Mrs Milnor. Fancy knitting in wool, 3 entries, Miss Burk, Mrs Milnor. Woollen work on canvass, 9 entries, Mrs Middaugh, Mrs Milnor. Needlework, ornamental, 6 entries, Miss Ruthvan, Miss E J Lever. Man's shirt, 9 entries, Mrs Campbell, Mrs McGirr. Rag mat, 7 entries, Mrs W Trimble, Mrs King: Hair Flowers, 6 entries, Mrs Dr Christoe, Miss Gilray: Feather Flowers, 5 entries, Mrs Dr Christoe, Miss Burk: Leather Work, 4 entries, Miss Gilray, Mrs Dr Christoe: Pair worked slippers, 5 entries, Miss E Damude, Mrs Barnhouse: Tatting, 1 entry, Miss Ruthvan: Wax flowers, 1 entry, Mrs Wilnor: Collection Photographs, 1 entry, W Bulmer: Penmanship, 4 entries, Miss Blain, Fred Leitch: Pencil drawing, 1 entry, Miss Burke: Crayon drawing, 1 entry, Miss Burke: Water color painting, 2 entries, J Bulmer, Fred Leitch:

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Table boquet, 2 entries, Mrs Dr Christoe, R H Stinson: Foliage Plant, 2 entries, Mrs W Trimble, Mrs Leitch: Geranium, 5 entries, Miss Sarjeant, Miss Burk: Fuschia, Mrs Dr Christoe: Hanging basket, 3 entries, Miss Burk, Miss Sarjeant. Calla Lily, 1 entry, Mrs Damude: Helistrope, Mrs Damude: Begonia, Mrs Bentham, C Bellamy:

ORGANS:

We would respectfully recommend the collection of Guelph and Uxbridge Organs exhibited by Mr J J W Simpson, of Owen Sound, as being, in our opinion, of superior quality:—JUDGES:

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Horses and Cattle, Messrs Struthers, Dennis, and Merical:

Sheep, swine and Poultry:—Messrs Tucker, Guy, and Burnett:

Grain and Dairy Produce:—Messrs Alex Webster, W J McFarland and J Ford:

Roots, Fruits, and Vegetables:—Messrs T S Sproul, M P, Geo Richardson and J Marshall:

General Manufactures, Messrs Geo Richardson, A Elliott, and Wm Douglass:

Ladies' Work, Fine Art, &c.—Mrs Struthers, Mrs Buchanan, and Mrs Ford:

T. G. & B. R. R.

MR. EDITOR,—Since my last, the details of the new scheme are at hand, and in commenting upon it I shall endeavor to be candid and brief.

To those whose choice is to support the scheme, whether right or wrong, I have nothing to say; but to those who are in doubt regarding their duty, I trust before rushing to give their votes they will thoughtfully consider so serious a subject.

It will be remembered by almost every one that, because upon careful examination, I discovered the last scheme to be hollow and worthless and accordingly opposed it, I was branded with every bad thing. I do not profess to possess *prescience* beyond my fellow ratepayers—neither do I dictate to any; but this I do, I try to understand the question and then fearlessly proclaim my deductions.

I now feel exceedingly pleased at the results, for if the new scheme should carry, we shall have saved ten thousand dollars—for I dare say it will come to that—besides the whole affair being put upon a better basis.

The dominant idea, in my mind, however, is not removed. I have contended, and do contend, that the proprietors of the road, whoever they may be, should fix it.

I showed in a previous article that the proportion advanced for construction by the stockholders was exceedingly small compared to the gifts received—$300,000 to $1,500,00, about, so that upon those figures no argument hangs in favor of additional grants from the municipalities. Every turn of the wheel reveals a base different to the previous one. The first scheme, $800,000, was the sum required to fix the road. At the Toronto meeting it was said, because of the Grand Trunk facilities, a less sum would do; but now, according to latest developments, it will require ONE MILLION OF DOLLARS. From the municipalities $300,000, from a part of stock debentures to be issued $500,000, and the proceeds of the old rails the balance.

The road is to be steel railed all over, and to be finished in 1882, and run for twenty years and a faction. The Grand Trunk is to arrange all tariffs and is to keep the road in repair. The etceteras of the agreement do not materially affect us.

The scheme looks feasible at first sight, and if carried out would be a grand success for the Company. For, be it remembered, the old Company still retain the road, but the directorate is now chiefly composed of the bondholders.

I take the position against any further bonus upon the ground that, in proportion to the cost, we have paid, and are paying, more than our share, viz: SIXTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, ($60,000!) interest included, or for the County of Grey about $600,000.

I urge against it at present because, feasible as it may appear, the whole thing has to be ratified in England before it can possibly take a tangible shape. Notwithstanding this, people are found to hawk and sign petitions, to have a half-matured thing voted upon by the ratepayers.

I urge against it because the whole matter, after being sanctioned as above, must be legislated on by the Ontario House.

The Assembly may so derange the whole scheme that its present aspects may be knocked into a cocked hat. It is a marvel those things cannot be completed before presenting it to the municipalities. There must be an object unrevealed to us. On railroad questions, the one that lobbies the most generally succeeds, and the bird which appears white by the Legislative manipulation is soon made black.

The two chief points I apprehend to be asked of the House is, first, to change the present mortgage bonds of two millions of dollars into perpetual stock debentures. The second, and most important to us, is to be permitted to issue preferential five per cent. stock debentures and to exceed one million of dollars, thus to enable the Company to comply with the terms of the Grand Trunk Company—of couase in proportion to amount paid by the municipalities so it will give them this debenture stock in hand, and indeed, they are obliged by agreement to reserve at least $100,000 to meet any contingent improvement hereafter deemed necessary, but not now named in the Grand Trunk conditions.

Upon those grounds I urge no "bonus." If I am correct in the following ample means are to be provided within themselves, and surely it rests upon the proper shoulders. Why then $12,000? Any power now possessed to disriminate in your favour, regarding freight, is signed away, and the rebate promised to Priceville and Flesherton, in view of a bonus, becomes chaff, and those villages already badly situated, are still to be out in the cold.

The case of the tenant farmer too, affords a reason why those having power should not burden them further. They usually pay the taxes, and if they had votes would vote against it. All they can do now is to declaim against it.

In my opinion the Company will keep whatever bonuses they can get—many or few—be thankful for small favors, and push their work to completion. I must confess I should dislike very much for Artemesia to give a bonus, and other municipalities equally interested laughing at our expense.

The plea that the road is to stop is out of date. Just think, sir, a road that has earned $330,000 a year, for the past six years, going to stop! The idea is preposterous. With net earnings over cost of running the machinery—about $112,000 per year—and bond interest reduced to $60,000 per year, leaving a net surplus of say $50,000 annually—where is the road that pays so well?

I confess I can see no charity, no duty, no obligation to give a dollar to it. If the Township really wants to spend $10,000 then a multitude of local schemes can be had to permanently benefit it. Now, sir, I have no slaves, I wish to have none. If I have convinced any, all right: if not, I have discharged my duty.

The feeling in Artemesia is so strongly against a bonus. Other municipalities are to be tried before the vote is again taken here: the assent of the Company's gentlemanly solicitor prevented a collision by the council on this point who do not believe in being dogged into position at every whim of the Company.

On some future occasion I will tell the ratepayers why this apparent hurry; meantime make no promises for a bonus until you are fully convinced that it is your duty to give charity to a rich beggar.

W. S. CHRISTOE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

FLESHERTON STATION, Oct. 5th, 1880.

DEAR SIR,—I understand that I am blamed for a letter making a violent attack upon Dr. Christoe, Reeve of Artemesia, which appeared in the Markdale Repositor some time ago, and that the same was written by me, with the intention of opposing the Doctor at the coming election. I have simply to state that the letter is not mine, and that I have no intention whatever of offering myself a candidate for the Reeveship at this time; indeed, I have no wish to be Reeve, nor could I undertake the duties and keep my present position. Should I at any other time resolve to oppose Dr. Christoe, or any other person in his municipal capacity, I shall do so in a straightforward and honorable manner. Till then the Reeve shall have undisturbed possession so far as I am concerned. Hoping you will find room for this in your first issue,

I remain, dear sir,
yours truly,
HENRY MELDRUM,
Ag't T. G. & B. R.

FALL ASSIZES

Which terminated last week in Owen Sound, had no important cases from this section, except that of Hugh McLaughlan who was tried for manslaughter. Our readers will remember the circumstances, which happened here in June last. The parties were all more or less intoxicated and quarrelling, when the prisoner struck Alexander Fraser a blow with his fist, the latter dropping and dying almost immediately. The evidence went to show that the blow was not one which in ordinary circumstances would have produced death, and the medical testimony was to the effect that there was a possibility of the death being caused by appoplexy. The jury brought in a verdict of "Guilty," with a strong recommendation to mercy. He was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 8th, 1880.

Flour	5.00	to	5.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	0.90	to	1.00
Fall do. do. do.	0.85	to	0.95
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.25	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.57
Potatoes,	0.30	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.13
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.05
Ducks, per pair	0.30	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.40	"	1.00
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	3.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	1.50

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FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Oct. 7th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$4.75	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.85	to	0.97
Fall do. do. do.	0.80	"	0.95
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.26	"	0.27
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.50
Beef	5.00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.00	"	7.50
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

AUCTION SALE OF Valuable Farm Property IN THE Township of Glenelg, In the County of Grey.

There will be sold on *Saturday, the 30th day of October* 1880, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, in the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

by virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under mortgage from Neil Campbell, lot number one, in the twelfth concession of the Township of Glenelg, County of Grey, containing one hundred acres.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 30 acres cleared, having erected thereon a cedar log barn; situated about 8 miles from the village of Markdale.

PARCEL II.

Lot 27, in the 8th concession of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 60 acres cleared, with log buildings erected thereon.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE, Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto, Or to James Lucas, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Sept. 24th, 1880. 4-1l

ANGUS McINTYRE,

GENERAL DEALER IN

Groceries, Provisions,

AND

LIQUORS!

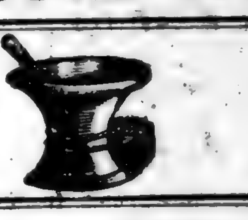
A Fresh Supply of the Most Choice just Received.

CALL AND BE SATISFIED AS TO PRICES AND QUALITY.

☞ EMPTY BOTTLES BOUGHT. ☜

Markdale, October 1, 1880. 1-y

MEDICAL HALL.



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PATENT MEDICINES!

Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances, and general Druggists sundries.

Stationery and School Books!

IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCOS! TOGETHER WITH

PAINTS AND OILS.

Physicians' Prescriptions, AND VETERINARY PREPERATIONS, CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

Montreal Telegraph Office.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880. 1-tf

WM. FOX,

Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Wm. Foster,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Wholesale and Retail dealer in all kinds of

Pine and Hardwood Lumber,

LATH, SHINGLES, CEDAR POSTS, AND CORDWOOD.

☞ Office and yard opposite SHELDON'S HOTEL,

OWEN SOUND, ONT.

N.B.—Lumber, etc.. shipped to all parts, by rail or water.

September, 1880. 2-4

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lots 91 & 92, 3rd Range, W. T. & S. Road, one white heifer with white nose, a red and white heifer with lined back, and a red steer with white spots through it, and white hind feet—all yearlings. Any person giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

ROBERT TORRY.

Glenelg, Sept. 2, 1880. 1-4in

STRAYED

FROM the premises of William Lyons, lot 20, con. 12, Holland, one year old Heifer, all red. Any party giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Holland, Sept. 20, 1880. 2-3in

STRAYED

FROM the premises of John Bowers, near Ford's Mill, Glenelg, a red Heifer with small star on head, and a few white spots on body—is small for a three year old. Any person giving such information to the undersigned as will lead to her recovery will be rewarded.

MRS. S. CASWELL.

Markdale, Oct. 2, 1880. 4-3in

STRAYED

FROM the premises of R. J. Sproule, one medium sized Red Cow. Any person returning the same, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Oct. 6, 1880. 4-1in

STRAYED

FROM the premises of JOHN MOORE, lot 10, concession 12, Euphrasia, about the 15th of June, three yearlings, one spotted heifer—red and white; one white heifer and one red steer. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Euphrasia, Sept. 14, 1880. 4-3in

CAUTION.

ALL parties are hereby cautioned against negotiating in anyway a note drawn by Thomas Townsend in favour of William Handberry, for the sum of twenty-three dollars ($23), for value has not been received therefor.

THOS. TOWNSEND.

Markdale, Oct. 4, 1880. 4-3in

DIED.

In this village, on Monday last, Octavia Maud, the beloved daughter of Mr. George Wilson, butcher, aged 3 years and 3 months.

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

E. D. WILCOX,

Watches, Clocks,

This space to be occupied by E. D. Wilcox's Advertisement as soon as his new Brick Store, now being fitted for him is completed.

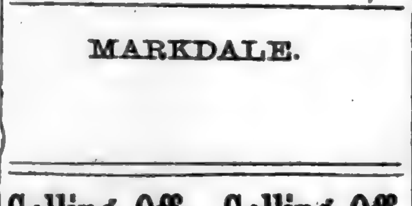
Jewellery, &c. &c.

MARKDALE.

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT

Clearing Out Sale!



GRANT & CHELLEW

will offer for the

NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
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WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,
Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

Pictures and Picture Framing!

in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing!

promptly attended to.

☞ Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

APPRENTICE WANTED.

A BOY about 16 years of age, to learn Shoemaking.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, Oct. 1st, 1880. 3-3in

CHASE BROS. & BOWMAN,

Nurserymen and Seedsmen,

Nurseries at Rochester, N.Y.

ENOCH BALL, MEAFORD,

Agent to sell and collect for them.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

HILL BROS.,

When their new building is completed.

HILL BROS.

when they remove.

Ad

MARKD

Pianos and

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All instruments warranted for Six Years.

ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,

LOCK BOX 17,

Uxbridge, Ont.

General Advertisements.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves!

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX STOVES, heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

...want to have comfort the rest of your ... buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

...ffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

...RGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND. ALL KINDS OF

...n & Copperwork!

...de to order on the shortest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, ... low prices; Stove Polish; Dome, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal. JOB WORK particularly attended to. ... can save money by giving me a call ... purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in ... ge. ☞ Remember the place, next ... Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

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STOVES.

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...askett Bros.

...TTOM PRICE FOUND AT LAST.

...reat Reduction to Cash Purchasers.

...HINK OF OUR PRICES.

No. 9 *elevated Oven Cook ...e, furnished complete,* $18.

...c., with Low Oven, $17.

BOX STOVE, $4

...other sizes Equally Low

...se Stoves are from the best and largest ... in the Dominion—have ... latest improvements, with illuminated ... and silver-plated trimmings, and ... the best Stoves in the ...

HARDWARE.

...large stock of axes, cross saws, building and Shelf ...dware, Cutlery, Paints, ... Varnishes, Brushes, &c. ...w prices.

TINWARE.

Coal Oil, Lamps &c., ...tock large and prices as ... as any in the trade.

...SKETT Bros.,

...t. 17, 1880. 1

Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

James Sullivan,

FLESHERTON.

Manufacturer and Dealer in

Tin, Copper, Sheet-Iron and Japanned Wares,

Eave Troughing, &c.

A Large Stock of Crockery and Stoneware, ... Wooden Wares, ... Brushes, Rakes, Handles, &c. &c.

Stove Ovens Lined.

Old Metal, Hides and Wool taken in exchange.

☞ Prices most reasonable.

JAMES SULLIVAN.

Flesherton, Sept. 1880. 1

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood. A Firstclass Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees. The farm is well fenced, is in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

G. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—Parties writing this office on all matters of business will oblige by addressing their communications STANDARD Office.

...EVA, Specialist, leaves here tomorrow on his regular visit to Durham, he will return on Thursday.

WHAT'S that? ... Doll, of Flesherton, ... the best watch for the money, ... you forget it.

NOTICE is directed to several strayed ... advertisements, and also ... which appears in another ...

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RECOVERING.—It is with pleasure ... this week, announce a great improvement in the health of an esteemed citizen, Mr. A. W. Eaton. His ... was at one time dispaired of but ... change has taken place, and we expect to see him about in a few days.

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CALL and ... stock of trim... fancy goods, ... wools.

WE notice that ... this place, sold a ... years old, sired ... Happy Lizzie. He ... bone, and a promis... the purchasers, pa... $190 for the anim...

GLENELG AG... We are again c... for the non-app... list. The Sec... called from hom... cess to his book... ranch to furnis... we are sorr... to better pos... readers will ... fault does n...

SO...

At the reside... Wilson, on Frid... the members o... Class, and on S... 2nd, the membe... Society, were ... sumptuous rep... hours of real so...

On Friday ev... had enjoyed the... the various amu... land was app... which position ... filled. His ad... embraced all t... speech. The... dresses from th... class, intersper... readings. Duri... entertainment ... state the caus... which might ... breach of etiqu... such a manner ... the wit and ... then called up... read the foll... was very ably r...

To the Rev. A. ...

RESPECTED ... members of ... Markdale, have ... expectedly at y... ening and ... for a few hour... very pleasan... would sincer... well that we h... the enjoyment ... creatures, ... by so much ... ply one of hea... part for the ... which you, as ... charged the ... you. You ... with us for ... deavoring, as ... press upon th... great truths ... various passa... cannot but hav... thoughts from ... pounded. It ... you were slid... haps on accou... want of att... notwithstandin... were always ... when the clas... And now, dear ... pleasure to ... chair as a slig... in which you ... and we hope ... hard day's stu... fort to occupy ... sitting thereon ... evenings we ... Although it is ... do such a thi... to be expected ... moment have ... were impelled ... conclusion we ... to have you ... greater length ... not be the c... have our b... wherever you ...

Signed on be...

Mr. Wilson ... visible effect ... Shortly afterw... their respectiv... more than sat... of the evenin...

On Saturday ... of the Ladies' ... Mr. Wilson w... ed by the ... Miss Burch.

To Reverend A. ...

REV. AND DE... gret that we ... labours amo... During the ... toiled early ... our souls for C... the heavenly ... your own inte... ures, to our ... your work you ... culties and ... contend again... labor has not ... harvest, we d... been, and will ... seed which you ... cerely hope it m... have you perma... us; but, should... ed, you will n... we will ever fol... affection and gr... home has been ... ing us the privi... course with th... your family, w... been more rich... sister congrega... do we thank M... terest she has ... fairs, and espe... for the great ... dered us as ... Society. You... wishes for your ... perity. We ... purse as a sli... tion and ... you and yours ... commending y... keeping, we bid ... farewell.

Signed, on ... Aid Association...

Mr. Wilson, i... unable to conve... tude to those pr... close of the ente... gave an excellen... also made a few... marks. Mr. W... attention of his ... tangible marks ...

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WE notice that Mr. Thomas Campbell, of this place, sold a very fine young horse, 4 years old, sired by Hambletonian, dam, Happy Lizzie. He is a good size, plenty of bone, and a promising trotter. Speers Bros., the purchasers, paid the handsome price of $180 for the animal. Blood tells.

GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SHOW.—We are again compelled to apologize for the non-appearance of the prize list. The Secretary having been called from home, and not having access to his books, it became out of our reach to furnish a report last week, and we are sorry to say that we are no better position now. We trust readers will accept this apology—fault does not rest with us.

SOCIALS.

At the residence of the Rev. A. Wilson, on Friday evening, Oct. 1st, the members of Mr. Wilson's Bible Class, and on Saturday evening, Oct. 2nd, the members of the Ladies' Aid Society, were the recipients of a sumptuous repast, followed by a few hours of real social enjoyment.

On Friday evening after the class had enjoyed themselves for a time at the various amusements, Mr. McFarland was appointed to the chair, which position he most efficiently filled. His address was one which embraced all the points of a good speech. Then followed several addresses from the elder members of the class, interspersed with music and readings. During the warmth of the entertainment Mr. McFarland rose to state the cause of their intrusion which might appear a very gross breach of etiquette. This he did in such a manner as to represent fully the wit and humor of Erin's Isle. He then called upon Miss Anderson to read the following address, which was very ably rendered indeed.

ADDRESS.

To the Rev. A. Wilson.

RESPECTED TEACHER,—We, the members of your Bible Class in Markdale, have assembled very unexpectedly at your mansion this evening and taken possession thereof for a few hours we hope to have a very pleasant time. It is not, we would sincerely hope, to bid you farewell that we have come, nor yet for the enjoyment which we, as social creatures, might be the recipients of by so meeting. Our mission is simply one of heartfelt gratitude on our part for the vere efficient manner in which you, as our teacher, have discharged the duties devolving upon you. You have zealously worked with us for the past two summers endeavoring, as far as in you lay, to impress upon the mind of each, the great truths contained in each of the various passages studied, and we cannot but have gleaned many good thoughts from the same, so ably expounded. It may be that at times you were slightly disheartened, perhaps on account of ill attendance, a want of attention, or other causes; notwithstanding all these things you were always on hand, and willing, when the class night came round. And now, dear sir, it gives us great pleasure to present you with this chair as a slight token of the esteem in which you are held by the class, and we hope that when tired after a hard day's study, it may prove a comfort to occupy, do not forget when sitting therein, of the many happy evenings we have spent together. Although it is a prevailing custom to do such a thing as this, and thought to be expected, we would not for a moment have you surmise that we were impelled by such a motive. In conclusion we would express a desire to have you for our teacher for a still greater length of time; if such should not be the case, you and your family have our best wishes to go with you, wherever you may be called.

Signed on behalf of the class by

MARTHA ANDERSON.

Mr. Wilson rose to reply under a visible effect of surprise and gratitude. Shortly afterwards they all retired to their respective homes, apparently more than satisfied with the pleasure of the evening.

On Saturday evening the members of the Ladies' Aid Society presentes Mr. Wilson with a purse, accompanied by the following address, read by Miss Burch.

ADDRESS.

To Reverend A. Wilson.

REV. AND DEAR SIR,—It is with regret that we see the period of your labours among us drawing to a close. During the past summer you have toiled early and late striving to win our souls for Christ, and to lead us in the heavenly way, ever sacrificing your own interests, your own pleasures, to our spiritual welfare. In your work you have had many difficulties and many discouragements to contend against, but rest assured your labor has not been in vain. A rich harvest, we doubt not, has already been, and will yet be, reaped from the seed which you have sown. We sincerely hope it may be our privilege to have you permanently settled among us; but, should it be otherwise ordered, you will not be forgotten by us; we will ever follow you in thoughts of affection and gratitude. In that your home has been with us, thereby giving us the privilege of constant intercourse with the several members of your family, we feel that we have been more richly blessed than our sister congregations. Most heartily do we thank Mrs. Wilson for the interest she has always taken in our affairs, and especially do we thank her for the great assistance she has rendered us as an active member of our Society. You have both our best wishes for your happiness and prosperity. We beg you to accept this purse as a slight token of our affection and esteem. Again assuring you and yours of our best wishes, and commending you to God's care and keeping, we bid you an affectionate farewell.

Signed, on behalf of the Ladies' Aid Association,

M. A. BURCH.

Mr. Wilson, in his reply, felt quite unable to convey by words his gratitude to those present. Towards the close of the entertainment Mr. Brown gave an excellent address. Mr. Irying also made a few very appropriate remarks. Mr. Wilson expresses the attention of his Markdale friends as tangible marks of gratitude.

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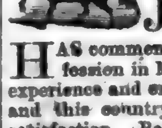

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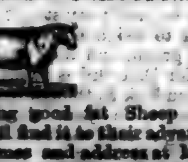

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The tides are out, the white sands lie
Along the beach; serene on high,
The moon rides through a cloudless sky.

A great peace broods o'er sea and land;
It may be peace lies near at hand,
Through all the storms that vex life's strand.

A cool wind blows from out the west;
In the new dawn we lie at rest,
No more with bitter fears opprest.

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TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

Judith is sitting on the stump of an old tree, while I am lying on the grass fanning myself and watching her. She is very beautiful, but looks delicate. Sometimes I think she is not strong. But, since she never complains of ailment or pain, I decide that her delicacy is more apparent than real. We have been silent for sometime; but I am longing to talk, my former life not having fitted me for meditation.

"Judith," I commence, "how much more shadowy will you be able to get and still be flesh and blood?"

She smiles.

"Deborah"—abruptly—"what do you think of Mr. Thornton?"

I start and mumble stupidly—

"I do not know."

She looks at me reproachfully.

"You must know, Deb; you have seen him several times."

It is true. Mr. Thornton and I are tolerably familiar; but familiarity in my case has not brought liking. I do not however quite see how I can explain to his wife that is to be that I dislike and distrust him. I tell her that I have formed no opinion of him. She shakes her head, expresses by a pretty gesture her doubt of my candour, and then says slowly—

"Do you know I am to marry him?"

"Yes."

The monosyllable is safe: I cannot trust myself to speak fully. It is monstrous that this sensitive gentle girl should be mated to Silas Thornton. Will not his actions, his habits, jar on her perpetually? She comes to my side and gazes at me steadily.

"My grandmother loved me," she said musingly—"loved me passionately. She was very anxious about my future. I fancy Deborah"—whispering—"she was afraid that no man would ally himself with me because of my tarnished name."

"Judith!"

"It would only be natural, dear. Everybody believes my father is guilty of murder."

"Don't you?" I cry, suprised.

She clasps her hands behind her—a favourite habit of hers.

"No; I am sure he was innocent—my darling father! Deborah, grannie and I used to talk of him a great deal. She told me all about his childhood, his youth. He was noble, chivalrous, lion-hearted, not one who could act meanly, not a man assuredly who could slay his father. It may be his memory will never be cleared; but I can wait patiently."

"He is dead?"

"Yes, oh, yes! I had dreams once of his returning to Napine, of his being proclaimed stainless, of my making up to him a little for my mother; but he was killed. Grannie had a letter from a gentleman from Australia, telling her that he had been killed by a fall from his horse."

"He escaped abroad? Did he retain his own name?"

"No, it was in this way. He was known as Mr. Martin; but, after he was dead, his desk was examined, and only a bundle of letters from grannie was found. They were forwarded to her. She was told one John Martin had died, and that, as hers was the only address found to which to write, they could write but to her. Grannie guessed John Martin, was her son Martin. How else should letters she had written to her boy when he was at school be in his possession."

I stroke the silky hair fondly. How musical her voice is! Is she right or wrong? Is hers a heritage of shame or not?

"Poor grannie, she had hoped until then! When hope was taken from her she prepared for death. Mr. Carey comforted her by telling her she would find him in Heaven."

I glance at Judith. She utters Will's name very demurely and gravely, as if it was sacred to her. Does she ever compare Silas Thornton with Will? Surely not; a bad day will it be if she ever does.

I rise hastily as I hear the gate click; it is my brother—yes, Will and a stranger. They advance deliberately towards us. I am conscious that my dress is disordered, and my curls are adorned with grass, weeds, and flowers. Judith is as trim as a snowdrop, as sweet as a white rose; my cheeks glow, and her lip trembles a little.

"My sister Deborah. Deborah — Mr. Ord."

"Robin's cousin!" I exclaim gladly.

We shake hands heartily. Dale Ord cannot be other than a friend to me; Robin has gossiped so much about him, that his name has been verily a household word with us. Laughingly I inform him of this. He pretends to be horrified, but then chats readily of Letty and Robin. We stroll along leisurely, Will and Judith behind. I turn occasionally. How well they look together, he is tall, she is fairylike! Her violet eyes are raised to his; it is evident she has implicit faith in all he tells her. He hides his love for her well; none beholding him now would guess its existence; his face is so serene and unmoved. We pause at the narrow footpath that leads to the front of the house. Mr. Ord cannot stay, and Judith says she must go. I suggest that Will and I shall walk with them as far as Ellerslie. Will agreeing, we all start for the high road, going forward in a body. At the corner of Ivy Lane Judith remarks—

"The tenant of Ivy Cottage has arrived."

"Has he? What is he like? Who is he?"

She smiles at my eagerness—a smile too tinged with sadness to please me.

"I have not seen him; my maid told me the servants had been there a week. Mr. Thorold came yesterday."

"Is he married—old or young?"

"He is not married, and he is elderly. Grandpapa says that if he is not a recluse he will be a goodly addition to our society, for he has been a great traveller."

"He has taken Ivy Cottage for a long term," Will asserts. "We may presume therefore he intends to be one of us."

"Yes."

We cease talking and are all quiet as we pass the cottage. It is a pretty modern building, standing in its own grounds, its windows opening on to the lawn. Its walls are gay with roses; it would be decidedly more appropriate to call it Rose Cottage than Ivy Cottage. Roses of every kind bud, blossom, and flourish about it. A man-servant near the hedge is conversing with a gentleman, evidently his master. I steal a glance at the latter, and hastily conclude that I have seen him elsewhere. I announce this to my companions as soon as we get out of the sight and hearing of the strangers. Will is not astonished.

"It is some one you have met at home," he says carelessly.

I do not think so. I rack my memory in vain. Where have I seen him? At last I give up the attempt to discover, with a sigh.

"I would not trouble," Mr. Ord advises. "Though you cannot recollect where you have seen Mr. Thorold, I am sure Mr. Thorold will recollect minutely all circumstances connected with his meeting with you."

I blush foolishly, and am angry with myself for doing so, but Judith banishes my disturbance. We are at Ellerslie now, and we wish her adieu. The sun is at its highest. Will thinks it unadvisable for me to go farther. Mr. Ord proceeds, but Will and I go slowly homewards. We are neither inclined to talk. My thoughts are a medley. Mr. Ord is quite as delightful as Robin. I must let Letty know that I do not consider she flattered him in describing him to me. I wonder whether Ord Court is as fine a homestead as he imagines it—wonder idly about Mr. and Mrs. Ord. I never once glance at Will, and am utterly indifferent to the cloud on his brow and the sombre light in his eyes. In my own happiness I am heedless of his misery. Heigho, am I selfish?

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I am winding cotton industriously, while Dale Ord is talking to me. He has called to see Will, and Will being out, has been graciously pleased to stay and entertain me. He is trying to pursuade me to visit Ord Court, for his mother cannot visit me, as she is an invalid. I have seen Mr. Ord, who is an old-fashioned country gentleman, and I like him. If he is blunt, he is sincere; if he is hasty, he is forgiving. I think Dale Ord will be just such a man as his father when he has passed middle age. I glance at him. He is straight and strong, with keen kindly gray eyes, humorous mouth, broad brow, and a good colour. What makes me contrast him with Silas Thornton? I do so, and shiver. Will and Mr. Thorold come in. I am quite used to my *rôle*, quite used to playing Vicar's lady, and enjoy the duty immensely. A fortnight since I was introduced to Mr. Thorold; and, sad and grave though he is, he has won an involuntary esteem from me. He perplexes me still. I am not unconscious that he observes Will warily. Why should the tenant of Ivy Cottage study him intently? Has he a better living than this to dispose of, and does he think Will would suit him? No, no; had he livings to bestow, he would not be residing among us.

How does it happen that we speak of Judith? Our conversation is somewhat zigzag in its course. One word leads to another. We branch off into many by-roads. Who can follow a beaten track, and avoid tempting by-paths? Mr. Thorold seems to possess a sensitive, timorous spirit, dangerous to trust in. Dale Ord instances Judith as such a one. He has known her from her childhood. She feels pain, acutely, he avers, and, because she shrinks from it naturally, forces herself to endure it without blenching.

"Those who told her of her father's sin did not understand her," Dale Ord says.

"Her father's sin?" Mr. Thorold echoes interrogatively. "Oh, yes, I have heard some story! He was a frightful scamp, was he not?"

"No," Mr. Ord dissents. "If he was what he was said to be, he was worse. Report has it that he murdered his father."

"Murdered his father? was he hanged?"

"He escaped. Have you not heard the tale heedlessly?" And Dale relates it in brief. Will, in the arm-chair, lifts his hand, delicate as a woman's, to his forehead, and utters not a word. Mr. Thorold's disgust is not veiled. I interpose, and say—

"He may not have been guilty."

"I think he was, Deborah," Dale returns gently; "but I have always imagined the deed was unpremeditated. Sir Percival may have provoked him. There is little doubt that he had lived a blameless life with his wife."

"Are you not regarding him leniently?" Mr. Thorold cries. "I do not fancy your view of his crime is correct." Had he killed his father in the heat of passion, would he have run away? And then too the money disappearing gives the affair an ugly look. Depend upon it, you are wrong, and public opinion is right. He was a villain!"

"Whether he was or was not does not affect Miss Napine," Will mutters, trying to clear his throat.

"It should not; but the custom of visiting the sins of the fathers on the children is not obsolete, Mr. Carey."

Will does not reply. Mr. Thorold continues—

"I hear the young lady is to be married shortly. Are you to be a bridesmaid?"—smiling at me.

"The date is not fixed," I say, a trifle vexed. I am sorry for Will, as this gossip must annoy him. I try to divert the talk into a new channel. "Mr. Thorold you said your mignonnette was the finest about. Come and see mine."

We step out of the window. I show my flowers proudly, and we loiter in the balmy air. Mr. Thorold's thoughts are absent. Just as I resolve to re-enter the house, he says—

"Is Miss Napine attached to Mr. Thornton?"

I am indignant — thoroughly, stormily angry. Surely this stranger is nothing better than a busybody! What concern is it of his whom Judith cares for? An uneasy anxiety seizes me. Can we have discovered Will's secret? If he has I will delude him. I answer with equanimity, though my cheeks are aflame—

"Yes."

"And he is worthy of her?"

It is abominable! who has made this man inquisitor-general?

"Yes," I repeat stubbornly.

He sighs.

"Perhaps it is as well," he murmurs. His tone causes me a pang. Have I done wrong in misleading him? Ah, have I misled him? Is Silas Thornton worthy or unworthy? To myself I say "Unworthy!" Mr. Thorold's reverie is outspoken.

"She bears a stained name. It is not every man that would wed a woman thus sullied! He knows her whole history?"

"Of course," I declare, marvelling much.

He stares at me as though he saw me not. He is evidently far away in imagination. I am very quiet, afraid to disturb him—afraid I fail to comprehend why.

Suddenly he grasps my hand.

"Be good to her," he whispers; "be good to her always!"

Ere I can regain my calmness—for his words startle me—he is gone. When I get back to the parlour he is deep in a discussion entirely beyond me. I look at him wonderingly. Did those words still ring in my ears, really issue from his lips?

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The daintiest of dainty rooms; walls and furniture a pale spring green; filmy lace curtains; quaint jars; rare flowers; gems of pictures. I wander about as though in fairyland, and Judith watches me with pleasure. I am staying at Ellerslie for two days. Will has spared me willingly. I needed little coaxing to leave him. I am getting wise and observant. Would he not prefer me to forsake him for a while rather than neglect Judith?

Ay, he would!

She is looking wan and worn. My raptures rouse her from her weariness, and she laughs at my openly-avowed admiration. She does not perceive what this luxurious life is to me—does not perceive the difference in our position. I am one of several, and mamma's income has limits, while Judith is the petted heiress of a man of vast wealth. True, there are two sides to the picture. I have some joys that she has not. When I tell her what a lucky girl she is, she closes my mouth with a loving caress; but I would not exchange with Judith.

After a long ramble in the gardens it is time for dinner. We are not to dine in state, Judith says; Squire Ellerslie is confined to his own apartments, and, as there will be only four of us, Mrs. Santon, Mr. Thornton Judith, and I, we shall have dinner in the bay-parlour. I am agreeable, and when I sit down I am sure it is a capital arrangement. Mrs. Santon, Judith's old governess, and now her chaperon, is a little woman, who must once have had considerable claims to beauty; she talks without any pretension, but with great address. Mr. Thornton is evidently glad to see me. I have a good appetite, and enjoy the meal. Judith eats very little, but Mr. Thornton pays no heed to her. I cannot avoid noticing that he treats me with far more attention than he does his *fiancee*. We leave him to his wine. Judith tells me that her grandfather would like to give me a welcome. We go to his sanctum. Very withered and shrunken is the hand into which I put mine. The Squir looks at me attentively.

"Not much like your brother," he says; "but a nice face—a nice face, eh, Mr. Brenton?"

The room is so dark that I have not perceived any one in it but the Squire. At the question a man of some fifty years comes forward.

"Yes," he answers. "Miss Carey?"

Judith makes us known to one another. He leans against the wall, and I sit down. Judith hovers about her grandfather, and the tears well up to my eyes as I note how loving and affectionate she is. She bends over him, and he presses her hand fondly? I hear him say—

"My pretty dove—my bonnie girl!"

She is bonnie; her loveliness is ever dressed in fresh garb. The tenderest soupçon of pink is now colouring her cheeks; her eyes, like violets wet with morning dew, are smiling; her mouth is curved in soft lines. Protected and protecting, she is happy. I cannot look at her long with undimmed sight. My gaze strays around, finally resting on Mr. Brenton. He too, is studying Judith, but with feelings very different from mine if I read his face aright.

Looking at him, I conceive a violent prejudice to him. His thin hatchet-face, lean and yellow, is not prepossessing; his eyes are uneasy and dull; his ungainly hands have a hawk-like greediness about them; and an almost malevolent expression—certainly an expression of hatred and dislike—plays on his features as he scans her furtively. Who is he? Is Judith obnoxious to him? I will find out as speedily as I can. Squire Elderslie asks after my friends, chats a little, and then lies back fatigued; he appreciates our presence, but he is not well enough to sustain conversation. Mr. Brenton says in an oily tone—

"Your grandfather is very tired, Miss Napine."

It is a hint for us to depart, and we take it. Judith kisses her grandfather fondly, promises to come in by-and-by, and we find ourselves in the passage.

"Who is Mr. Brenton?" I inquire, as I put my arm round Judith's waist, and we saunter in the fir-grove, having donned hats and cloaks.

"He was grandpapa Napine's secretary; he lived at Napine until lately. He knows more about Napine than any one, and it was for this reason the Squire asked him to come here to put matters ship-shape."

"I do not like him."

"He is a good man of business. Listen to that bird."

I listen for a moment, and then recommence.

"Mrs. Austey told me something of him, though she did not mention his name. She said your grandpapa's secretary and steward—he was both, was he not?—treated the poor scandalously, oppressing them in every way."

"Yes, Deborah"—with a sharp gasp—"there are times when I wish grandmamma had left Napine to me."

"She ought to have done so."

She pays no attention to me, but goes on nervously—

"I would have tried to remedy some of the neglect. Your brother says little, but I am sure there is much that wants doing. Grandmamma was ill so many months; she was old with trouble. She did not recognize what lay outside her gates. Oh, Deborah"—twisting her fingers in great emotion—"my father's and mother's one false step has been very fruitful of evil! It has made my grandfather Ellerslie as indifferent to the welfare of his people as my grandmother was to the welfare of hers"—with a tearless sob.

I cannot comfort her. I have learned what responsibility means since I have been at Napine. I understand why Will works so hard and so profitlessly. Who can teach Christianity to men and women housed like animals? Judith catches hold of me, her words coming quickly.

"Will Mr. Thornton do any better—be a considerate master? Deborah, must I marry him?"

"You are pledged," I say slowly. She trembles like a wind-flower.

"Yes, I cannot refuse; and he will keep me to my promise, because I shall one day own this inheritance. Oh, if I could rid myself of my wealth!" she cries. "If I could love whom I will without let or hindance!"

"I wish a thousand impossibilities. I wish —— Who is this advancing? "Will!" Without thought I utter his name. Judith, Judith, henceforth I cannot pretend to hope that you be content as Silas Thorton's wife. You love Will.

"I did not expect to find you out-of-doors!" he says. "Miss Napine, I have come to ask a favour of you."

She bows her head; she could not reply, were it ever so needful she should; there is a piteous, frightened look in her eyes that scares me, and her lips are white and drawn.

"I am obliged to go to London; will you keep Deborah until my return?"

"Yes."

He is a little surprised at the solitary word. He betrays this.

"Not if it is in any way inconvenient to you," he stammers. She interrupts.

"How can you misunderstand me? Deborah knows how glad I shall be to keep her—nay," as he is about to apologise, "it was my fault, but I am not quite well."

Her face is drawn, the blue veins in her forehead are clearly visible. I speak to hinder him from questioning her.

"When do you go?"

"To-morrow, early. I shall have company. Mr. Thorold goes also. I shall be home on Saturday, when he will quit the big city I am unaware."

"You will come in and see grandpapa?" Judith says.

"Ay."

She takes him direct to Squire Ellerslie. I slip into the drawing-room. Mrs. Santon begs for a song, and I comply readily. Time flies. Will appears to say farewell.

"Where is Judith?" I cry.

"She left me," he answers, avoiding my glance. "She complained of headache. I have said good-bye to her."

"Said good-bye to her!" Ah, little did he dream that it was his last good-bye to Judith Napine!

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It is Sunday, a hot, sultry Sunday. We have been to church once. It has seemed strange hearing an unfamiliar voice. Will is not home or likely to be for several days; a brother minister consequently conducts the services for him. I miss Will more than I anticipated; and, though I am made heartily welcome at Elderslie, I wish myself back at the vicarage. Deep down, concealed in my heart, is an acknowledged longing to see a face which has, without my consent, grown dear to me. I tell myself I only desire to see Dale in order to deliver some messages sent for him in a letter of Letty's; but, messages or no messages, it would be good to clasp his strong hand. Squire Ellerslie is not well. Doctor Austey wants him to call in a physician, but he refuses. He is not very wishful to live; life has had more bitters than sweets for him; to depart will be better than to stay.

I am in the summer-house, and Judith is with her grandfather. I stretch my hands high above my head and ponder. Surely it is curious that my life is so full of new interests! It seems ages since I was dwelling in the Close. Oh, how warm it is! There is not the faintest stir in the flower-garden, not the sleepiest chirp in the trees; birds and flowers are drowsy. The sky is a vast stretch of blue, not the tiniest feather cloud to be descried. I lean back, dispose my limbs in the most comfortable of attitudes—nobody will glance at me approvingly or otherwise—and fall asleep.

How long I sleep I cannot tell; when I awake my watch has stopped. The sun is still bright, and the air is very oppressive. I open my mouth to yawn, and close it hastily. Some one outside is speaking stealthily. It is Silas Thornton. I do not reveal myself, and yet I wish I was not so completely hidden. To get as much shade as I could I had crept behind the crimson curtains which serve here as inner doors. I cannot be seen, but I can hear distinctly.

"I must have some money," Silas Thornton says. "I owe a tidy bit, and I lost heavily when in town."

"Yes? How much do you want?"

"Seven or eight hundred. Ellerslie is very miserly. My allowance is a mere pittance."

"He is not obliged to give you that."

"Is he not? I think he is. He choose to make me his heir when he was incenced with his daughter, and he is bound to do well by me now; besides am I not to marry the girl?"

I feel indignant. So this is how he talks of Judith; but that prudence warns me to be silent, I could abuse him soundly.

"Be careful"—ah, I am not wrong! Silas Thorunton's campanion is Mr. Brenton—"Judith Napine is not a wife to be scorned; she will be very rich!"

"Of course; if she was poor, your humble servant would not trouble her. A proud white-faced girl, the daughter of a——"

"Hush. Judith Napine is fit to mate with your superiors."

A pause ensues. I am gratified. I must have been mistaken in thinking Mr. Brenton did not like Judith; Mr. Silas, sitting down also rejoices me.

"Well, am I to have the money?"

"On the same terms as before?"

"It is an awful rate of interest"—grumblingly; "but I suppose you will not take less, Brenton, if the old man knew how you assisted me he would favour you with some unflattering truths."

"And did he guess how frequently you require my assistance, with what would he favour you? I doubt if he would care to marry his granddaughter to a gambler."

"Perhaps not; but he will not know. Since we both row in one boat we are not likely to split on one another."

A few more words, and they move on. I sit up dazed and confused, yet resolved to give Judith a warning. Verily I should feel blood-guilty, if I permitted her to go to the altar with Silas Thornton without my whispering what I deem he is. Cautiously I reconnoitre, and then steal out. No one is about, and slowly I betake myself up the sycamore avenue. The rising breeze is pleasant, the turf is springy, and the sun is behind the trees. I espy some blue-bells and gather them. If only I could tell Will what I have overheard; but I cannot, and I have no other adviser. For a moment I wonder if I could inform the Squire. The idea is impracticable, and I dismiss it. How could I get an audience with him, and, if I could, would he credit my story? He is not well enough to weigh and sift evidence impartially. I groan, and then smile and forget my care, for Dale Ord is at my elbow.

"You look as though you had a nation's greivances on your shoulders," he says, laughing; "and I assure him a nation's grievances would bring me to the dust. I am neither diplomatic or subtle enough to carry other folk's burdens without breaking down."

He looks at me for a moment, and adds mirthfully—

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

DIVISION OF LABOUR.—Aunt Mary: "Well, Tommy, shall I carry your bat and stumps for you?" Tommy—"No, aunty, tanks! Me tarry bat and 'tumps. 'Oo tarry me!"

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

(From the American Agriculturist.)

WEEDS in grass lands may be very easily seen and destroyed this month by the use of the "spud," a broad chisel-blade attached to a handle like that of a spade or long-handled shovel, having a spur upon it for the foot to aid in thrusting it into the ground. A boy with an instrument of this kind can rapidly clear grass land of buttercups, daisies, and a multitude of other biennial and perrennial weeds.

TOP-DRESSING.—Bone dust or "tankings," or some fertiliser in which the nitrogen is not in the form of ammonia, and not soluble, is the best for late autumn application to grass or grain. Such a manure has some immediate effect, yet is not washed away in solution by heavy rains, but shows its potency in the spring.

POTATOES.—The sooner they are dug now the better. It is best to keep them a while either in protected heaps in the field, or on some unused floor. They throw off much moisture within a few days, and will heat if in large heaps or too deep in the bins. When thoroughly dry, they may be placed in secure pits or in the cellar. Potatoes are injured at once by frost, and gradually by sunlight, or even by diffused light. They should, therefore, be kept from the light as much as possible, and decayed ones carefully culled out before they are put away.

ROOTS are now making their best growth. Moderately warm days and cold nights seem to have a great effect upon them. As the time for heavy frosts approaches, secure the mangels and sugar-beets. Top by rubbing the leaves off, not by cutting, as the wound often starts decay, which spoils the beet. Carrots secure attention next after the beets, and turnips next, leaving the Swedish turnips longest. Always protect piles of roots against frost by some covering. Turnips will survive severe freezing, but they are never so good for feeding.

CORN FODDER, by which we mean the stalks after husking (not the leaves of the corn merely stripped off), should be bound in bundles, probably best done with willow withes, and stooked up so as to shed rain. Large stooks, well set and firmly bound may be left in the field until needed for feeding, without injury to the fodder. In fact, it is often brighter and better when treated in this way than in any other. In stacks, or in sheds, it is likely to heat and mould, unless it can be more thoroughly dried than we can be sure of having it.

FODDER CORN, which, of course, was cut before the first frost, or much of its value was lost, should be handled much in the same way. As soon as the stalks are sufficiently dry, and the weather so cool that danger from moulding is past, put it up in small bundles, and set these together in large stooks in the field, bound securely at the top.

PLOWING FOR SPRING CROPS.—This may be done at any time now, where the soil is not too light, and not likely to wash during the winter. The ground should be left rough to be subjected to the fullest action of the weather, freezing, thawing, wetting, drying, etc. Should a crop of weeds come up, it will very likely pay to harrow and plough again.

A LEADING CDOP.—In view of the diversified character of farming and the many kinds of animals, grains, fruit etc., that can be grown, the question naturally presents itself to the farmer: How many kinds of produce can I grow, and with the greatest profit? There are so many things to be taken into consideration, as the kind of soil, distance from market, climate, and not the least, the individual taste of the farmer, that it is often a hard matter to decide upon the crop to be grown. As a general rule, however, it is best to make some one thing a specialty—the one best adapted to the taste of the man and the circumstances with which he is surrounded, and let the other products of the farm cluster around it and play a secondary part. All cannot grow grain, neither can all be sheep raisers, or breeders of swine or cattle. We are not speaking against a mixed husbandry, but against a loose farming without system.

RIDGE PLOWING of stiff clays is often of great benefit. It is done by turning the furrows two and two together, so as to leave the land uniformly ridged. The ridges must run up and down the slopes; otherwise, in heavy rains, water will be held by the ridges until it breaks through somewhere, when there will be danger of a "wash-out." This system of winter fallowing involves plowing again in the spring, but shows its good effects in the crops.

WATER.—If pure water does not flow at the barn, look into means for securing it. Barn-yard wells are convenient, but often dangerous to the health, if not of animals, certainly of men, who may drink at them. If the water from some spring can be led to the house and barn, by all means bring it down—use plain iron pipes or enamelled ones—not "galvanized" pipes. Zinc is a slow poison, but not quite so bad as lead. A well on higher ground will often furnish flowing water, conducted by a siphon, at the level of the buildings. No well should be dug at a less distance than 300 feet from a barn-yard, cesspool, or privy vault.

BUILDINGS.—This month offers the most favourable time usually for the painting and repair of farm buildings, and putting them in order for the winter. A great part of this work may be done during this month by the farmer and his boys.

IMPLEMENTS, put away for the winter, should be painted or protected in some way from the action of the air and moisture. Paint or varnish the wood-work, and a varnish of two-thirds rosin and one-third mutton tallow is excellent for protecting iron and steel.

LIVE STOCK.—A little extra feed brings cattle and horses to the beginning of winter in good order. The tops of carrots, beets, turnips may be fed to good advantage, and there is a great deal of sweetness in the October pasturage.

A Great Bridge Reconstructed.

The great work of reconstructing the famous railway suspension bridge across the Niagara river has just been completed without interruption of traffic. The task was undertaken some months ago by Engineer E. A. Buck, and, though many prominent engineers have doubted the feasibility of the plan, he has carried it out, making an iron and steel bridge out of a wooden bridge by a process of substitution which has not occasioned the slightest interruption of trains. The casual observer would never have suspected that anything more than a little repairing was going on.

"WHAT is the worst thing about riches?" asked the Sunday school superintendent. And the new boy said, "Their scarcity."

Wonderful Marksmanship.

ASTONISHING RIFLE SHOOTING BY THE FIFTEEN-YEAR-OLD SON OF A NEZ PERCES CHIEF.

[From the San Francisco Golden Era.]

It has more than probably remained for this side of the continent to have produced for the world the greatest shot of the age in the person of Otto, the son of the Nez Perces chief, Joseph, aged 15 years. This youth has already by his marvellous skill in the handling of arms forestalled fortune by securing an enviable fame before commencing his professional career.

His wonderful prowess is already known to hundreds of the leading people of this city, which the world at large will soon be able to take cognizance of, as he will soon make his formal professional debut. He was recently, under the auspices of his teacher and protector, Capt. C. H. S. McDonald, given a special interview, at the hands of Secretary Carl Schurz. This was a distinguished compliment.

The secretary was very much impressed with his young guest's comeliness, his intelligence and superb physique, and manifested marked interest in him during the reception. Among the various feats at arms at his command, and which have been witnessed by many of our leading citizens, as well as veterans of the army and navy, and which have excited wonder and amazement, we can call to mind the following:

The first shot—A five-cent piece is placed at the top of the head of the figure of a man, the head being covered. Otto takes his position twenty paces from the object with a rifle without a sight—then blind-folded—gives a somerset, fires and hits the five-cent piece, from his power of location.

The second shot—He cuts the string which sustains the figure.

The third shot—Three swinging glass balls suspended from a frame, counterpassing and repassing themselves; he fires, and with one ball from a rifle breaks the three balls and the same ball upon its course strikes still another, a steel ball, which is attached to the frame, caroms at an angle of thirty-three degrees and strikes a small target in a contrary direction ringing a bell which is contained within.

The fourth shot—His instructor stands before him at a distance of twenty paces, where there are several glass balls hanging suspended behind the instructor's head, shoulders, and back. His firing is now done past either side of the instructor into the frame, or at option between the instructor's legs or over his head and breaks any of the balls behind that any of the spectators may select.

The fifth shot—A small target is placed six feet behind the instructor's back. Otto takes twenty paces to the front of the instructor—directly opposite him, and fires, caroming on the steel balls attached to the framework at the desire of the spectators in any direction, striking the target with unerring certainty each time.

The sixth shot—Lays his rifle upon the ground six feet in front of where he stands; at the word ready, a glass ball is thrown into the air. He gives a somerset, snatches his weapon, fires and breaks the ball before it reaches the ground.

The seventh shot—Takes his rifle in his right hand, throws the balls in the air with his left, and with the greatest rapidity breaks them.

The eighth shot—Seated upon his horse, and while at full gallop glass balls are thrown from every direction toward him. These he demolishes with unerring aim and lightning-like promptitude with his trusty weapon.

Use and Abuse of the Theatre.

There is in every man a natural liking for theatical exhibitions, and every man is more or less inclined to be an actor. The imitative faculty, or as it might be more accurately called, the power of mimicry early and universally shows itself. The child soon begins to imitate the actions and words of its elders, and, by and by, assume their airs and manners and affects to personate them. It will be readily noticed by any one who is familiar with children and their habits how largely this element enters into the amusements of young people; and, since men are but children of a larger growth, we might naturally expect the same inclination to be shown in them also. This, as a fact, is the case; and however far opposed a man may be, whether from principle or prejudice to theatrical exhibitions, he never is so from instinctive objection. The natural inclination of a man being towards such exhibitions, it becomes a proper question to ask how far and in what direction may a man indulge this inclination with safety and advantage? In other words wherein consist respectively the use and the abuse of the theatre?

At the outset it may be well to say that no man is likely to be profited by giving himself up altogether to the indulgence of his desire for theatrical displays. Not only will the natural desire be satiated, but, as in every other pleasure, the appreciative faculty will be dulled and a source of much enjoyment destroyed. But the place of the theatre is decidedly that of relaxation and the enjoyment that gives the weary brain and body rest. And this it is eminently fitted to secure. Its mimic wars and loves, its representation of the battle of life, both in its central scenes and side-issues, does much also to instruct as well as amuse. There is unquestionably a mighty advantage educationally, in teaching through the eye, and even in the case of ear-teaching, there is an access of educating power where the means employed are such as call up before the imagination, or "the mind's eye," a pictorial arrangement of scenes and figures that is to all intents and purpose a scenic, a theatrical, exhibition. The parables of our Lord are an example of the best possible description of this method of instruction. Theatrical representations, then, have in themselves nothing wrong, but, on the contrary, are a mighty lever for raising men intellectually, socially, and educationally. Their abuse can only come when, as is too often the case, they are prostituted to gratify a degraded taste, and exhibit vice in an alluring form. This, unfortunately, has been a characteristic of the stage in much of its past history, but in this it has been only the reflection of the manners and tastes of contemporary times. In liability to this abuse, it is just like every other good institution. Printing, painting, sculpture, and the works of all kinds of genius have been thus diverted from the service of the true and the beautiful, but we do not therefore throw them aside, and refuse to have aught to do with them. So we ought to treat the theatre. "But," it is said, "the legitimate drama would not be a success, and the taste of the age calls for and enjoys much that is objectionable, and in itself wrong." This may be, but, we say, so much the worse sign of the taste of the age. *It* needs reforming, if this be the case, and we are convinced that a great power for this reformation exists in the stage. We have only to point to the exhibition of the recent miracle play in the valley of the Oberammergau, and the intense religious feeling excited by its representation, to find a conclusive argument for the stage's power for good, and we trust the time is coming when, under proper and wise restrictions and regulations, it will become, allied with the pulpit, the platform, and the press, a recognized and most effective instrument in the civilization of our race.

The Crisis in France.

Republicanism in France is still on its trial, and the world is waiting with interest to see what the result will be. The failure of the experiment, it must be conceded, would give a terrible blow to the theory of free government; while, on the other hand, its success would strengthen the hands of the friends of liberty in all the nations of the earth. To us, on this continent, the fate of the French Republic cannot be a matter of indifference, committed as we are to essentially the same principles which are embodied in it. In this country, we have republicanism in fact, though not in form; while our neighbours have it both in fact and in form. Are these free institutions which we are fostering with so much care, and which we are prepared to defend at the sacrifice of our treasure, or if need be, of our lives, destined to be permanent; or will history repeat itself, and the popular governments of this continent share the fate of the republics of the past? If the French Republic gathers strength with the lapse of time, so as to prove strong enough to cope with the despotic governments of Europe, it will certainly strengthen the confidence of those who are disposed to look most hopefully to the future. It has often been said that, while a republican government may do well enough in a sparsely populated country, where the people are comparatively poor and their habits simple, it must inevitably fail in a densely populated country, with a more artificial state of society. France has proved itself, in the past, to be as hard a country to govern, perhaps, as any in the world. For the last hundred years, to go no farther back, it has been in almost chronic state of revolution. Surely, never had republicanism a more difficult task set before it, than it has to-day in the government of France; and never had it a better opportunity to stop the mouths of its detractors for ever; for if it can succeed in that country in the face of the formidable difficulties with which it is beset, it may succeed in any civilized community on the earth.

It is this which gives so much interest to the current crisis in France. Of course, a ministerial crisis is something which must be looked for, ever and anon, in any country having a constitutional government. There have been such things in this country, and there will be again; and nobody with us looks for a collapse of the form of government existing among us, because one set of ministers happens to go out and another to come into power. And the promptness with which the new French ministry has been formed, would seem to be an augury of good. Besides, this change is not the result of any reaction against republicanism. Whatever may be its ultimate outcome, it cannot thus far be construed as in reactionary triumph. If the representations which have reached us be correct, the rock upon which M. de Freycinet has been wrecked, is his excessive moderation in enforcing the decrees against those religio-political organizations, which are supposed to be, so long as they exist, a perpetual menace to the republic. This impatience of the dominant party may be the result of fear, and betoken the existence of danger, the nature and extent of which are unknown to the outside world,—or it may result from a directly opposite cause, from the fact that the radical party finds itself so strong, that it feels itself to be in a position to act with decision and energy in making a clean sweep of every thing that can be understood to be an impediment in the way of the speedy and complete triumph of republican principles and republican government. The expulsion of the religious orders, appears, to us, to be a strange, and hardly justifiable proceeding; but if, as is alleged, these orders, or some of them, while religious in name, are political in fact, composed of persons who are the implacable enemies of the government, constantly plotting for its overthrow, it is not easy to see why their religion should shield them from the same treatment that any other seditious organizations should have meted out to them. We are not, however, in a position to pronounce a judgment on the case. We only hope that the republic may act wisely at this critical junction in its history.

What is a Gentleman?

HOW CARDINAL NEWMAN ANSWERS THE QUESTION.

It is almost a definition of a gentleman to say he is one who never inflicts pain. This description is both refined, and, as far as it goes, accurate. He is mainly occupied in merely removing the obstacles which hinder the free and unembarrassed action of those about him; and he concurs with their movements rather than takes the initiative himself. His benefits may be considered as paralleled to what are called comforts or conveniences in arrangements of a personal nature; like an easy chair or a good fire, which do their part in dispelling cold and fatigue, though nature provides means of rest and animal heat without them. The true gentleman, in like manner, carefully avoids whatever may cause a jar or a jolt in the minds of those with whom he is cast; all clashing of opinion, or confusion of feeling, all restraint, or suspicion, or gloom, or resentment; his great concern being to make every one at their ease and at home. He has his eyes on all his company; he is tender toward the bashful, gentle toward the distant, and merciful to the absurd; he guards against the unreasonable allusions or topics which may irritate; he is seldom prominent in conversation, and never wearisome. He makes light of favours while he does them, and seems to be receiving when he is conferring. He never speaks of himself except when compelled, never defends himself by a mere retort; he has no ears for slander or gossip, is scrupulous in imputing motives to those who interfere with them, and interprets everything for the best. He is never mean or little in his disputes, never takes unfair advantage, never mistakes personalties or sharp sayings, or arguments, or insinuates evil which he dare not say out. From a long sighted prudence he observes the maxim of the ancient sage, that we should conduct ourselves toward our enemy as if he were one day to be our friend. He has too much good sense to be affronted by insults, and is too well employed to remember injuries. He is patient, forbearing and resigned on philosophical principles. He submits to pain because it is inevitable; to bereavement, because it is irreparable; to death, because it is his destiny. If he engages in controversy of any kind, his disciplined intellect preserves him from the blundering discourtesy of better, perhaps, but less educated minds, who, like blunt weapons, tear and hack instead of cutting clean, who mistake the point in argument, waste their strength on trifles, misconceive their adversary, and leave the question more involved than they find it. He may be right or wrong in his opinion; but he is too clear-headed to be unjust; he is as simple as he is forcible, and as brief as he is decisive. Nowhere shall we find greater candor, consideration, indulgence. He throws himself into the mind of his opponents, he accounts for their mistakes, he knows the weakness of human reason as well as its strength, its province and its limits. If he be an unbeliever, he will be too profound and large-minded to ridicule religion or to act against it; he is too wise to be a dogmatist or fanatic in his infidelity. He respects piety and devotion; he even supports institutions as venerable, beautiful and useful, to which he does not assent; he honors the ministers of religion, and it contents him to decline its mysteries without assailing or denouncing them. He is a friend of religious toleration, and that, not only because his philosophy has taught him to look on all forms of faith with an impartial eye, but also from the gentleness of feeling which is the attendant on civilization.

The Hat and its Owner.

A good illustration of the detective quality was shown in the trial of a housebreaker a few years ago. The burglary was effected—as most burglaries are—by the aid of a neighbouring uninhabited house. The thieves crossed along the roof, and made their descent through a skylight. They robbed the premises at their leisure, and decamped successfully with the stolen property. There was one clue left—only one. A hat was found on the roof. The hat was sent to Scotland yard, and the force were invited to inspect it. One policeman immediately said that he knew who was the owner. In the event it was found he was as good as his word. The owner was discovered, and, being unable to give a satisfactory account of how he spent the evening of the burglary, and, moreover, being, awkwardly for him, in the possession of the stolen property, the jury came to the conclusion that he was guilty, and found their verdict accordingly. A more interesting question remained. How did the policeman know the exact head on which to fit that very unlucky hat? The constable told the story himself. He had been on duty in the gallery of the Old Bailey during the trial of a well-known burglar. He sat on a back bench, and wore plain clothes, and he noticed in front of him a young man with a highly criminal type of face, who seemed to take the greatest interest in the trial. The constable accordingly took the greatest interest in him and in all his belongings, and, as the unconscious spectator held his hat in his hand, looked into it, and, as Inspector Bucket would say, "totted it up." The result of this little sum in addition was the registering in his memory of a peculiarly-shaped grease mark on the lining which crossed the maker's name. The constable never forgot that hat, and the professional career of its owner soon rendered him more and more interesting. Thus he was able in a moment to restore to the burglar the property he had been so unfortunate as to leave behind him on the roof.

Lots Like Him.

A young lady who says she is young and handsome writes: "The man for me to love is vastly my superior, * * * a man who will compel my spirit to bend its knee to his; who will command my soul to stand still and shine on him, as Joshua commanded the sun; who can trample my will to the dust," etc. She should have no difficulty in finding such a man—one who will not only command her soul to stand still, but who will also command its owner to get up first in the morning to build the fires, split kindlings and carry in the coal, and whose language will make her hair stand on end when he comes home and finds dinner fifteen minutes late. There are lots of men who will bend her spirit for her, and also make her back bend over the washtub; while they go down to the saloon and discuss the best method of saving the country from the hands of its political enemies.

HOME TOPICS.

A DROP of pure glycerine dropped into the eye has taken out railway cinders. A mixture of glycerine and toilet vinegar rubbed upon the person has in many cases proved a safeguard against mosquitoes.

A POT of English ivy makes one of the most agreeable and cheap ornaments for the sitting-room in the winter. A common four, or five inch pot with a strong plant can be bought of the florist for fifty cents or less. It is easy to make a basket of interlacing coarse wires to hold the plant.

MOTHS.—I have for many years tried camphor as a preventive against moths, and it has never failed either in furs, woollens, or feathers; if the camphor gum is rolled in soft white paper there will be no discolouration from it, neither does it appear to fade the fur, as some seem to think. I put a good sized piece in the package, and put the articles in newspapers.

A TIDY ROOM.—Do you ever observe that a tidy room is invariably a cheerful one? It is cheering to come into one's breakfast room and find it spotlessly tidy; but still more certainly will cheerfulness come if tidiness is the result of our own exertion; and so we counsel you, friend, if you are ever disheartened, vexed or worried about something that has gone wrong with you in the world, to have resort to the great refuge of tidiness. Don't sit brooding and bothering. Go to work and make everything tidy about you and you cannot fail to recover your cheerfulness.

Entertaining Company.

The whole philosophy of hospitality is summed up by Emerson in the following:—"I pray you, O excellent wife, not to cumber yourself and me to get a rich dinner for this man or this woman, who has alighted at our gate nor a bedchamber made ready at too great a cost. These things, if they are curious in, they can get for a dollar at the village. But let this stranger see, if he will, in your looks, in your accent and behaviour, your heart and earnestness, your thought and will, what he cannot buy at any price, at any village or city, and which he may well travel fifty miles and dine sparingly and sleep hard, in order to behold. Certainly let the board be spread and the bed be dressed for the traveller but let not the emphasis of hospitality be in these things. Honor to the house when they are simple to the verge of hardship, so that the intellect is awake and sees the laws of the universe, the soul worships truth and love, honour and courtesy flow into all deeds." One of the greatest comforts of having a home should be that in it we have a place for friends and even strangers—rooms, more than supply the needs of the family and extra "leaves" to the extension table. The secret of true hospitality, as Emerson has stated, is in its coming from the heart.

Are Your Closets Ventilated?

There is nothing so handy in a house as an abundance of large, roomy closets; but because they are handy and extremely useful they are apt to be abused. There are many things, which, as a matter of course, are always put into a closet, of which the articles of outward wearing apparel make a large part. There are also things which ought not to go into a closet, *i. e.*, a closet adjoining, or closely connected with, a living or sleeping room. Of such are all soiled under-garments, the wash clothes, which should be put into a large bag for the purpose, or a roomy basket, and then placed in the wash-room or some other well aired room at some distance from the family. Having thus excluded one of the fertile sources of bad odours in closets, the next point is to see that the closets are properly ventilated. It matters not how clean the clothing in the closet may be, if there is no ventilation that clothing will not be what it should be. Any garments after being worn for a while will absorb more or less of the exhalations which arise from the body, and thus contain an amount of foreign—it may be hurtful matter—which free circulation of pure air can soon remove; but if this is excluded, as in many close closets, the effluvia increases, and the clothes, closets, and adjoining rooms in time possess an odour that any acute sense of smell will readily detect. Every closet in daily use in which the night-clothes are hung by day and the day clothing by night, should have an airing as well as the bed. If the closet can be large enough to admit of a window—and it is in some cases—an ample provision for sunlight and a circulation of pure air is provided in the window, which should be left open for a short time each day. In the case of small closets a ventilator could be put over the door or even in it. In many cases such precautions for pure clothing are not practicable, and the next best thing is, to see that the door of the closet is left open for a half hour or so each day, at that time when the windows are thrown up and the large room is purified with fresh air from out of doors. In this way: first, by keeping out clothes intended for the wash; and second, daily changing the air, the closets may be comparatively pure.

Baby's Bow Legs.

These need not cause anxiety in all cases. If the child is healthy, and has good, nourishing food and pure air—the two great essentials for making good blood—it will probably outgrow its bow legs naturally enough as its strength increases. Rubbing the legs with your hand at night and in the morning may help to strengthen and to straighten them, holding them straight as you rub them. If the case is pretty bad, the two legs may be bound together with comfortable bandages during sleep, rubbing them well before and after binding them. If the child is still quite young, it may be kept from standing on its feet for a few months, giving Nature time to straighten the crookedness while the limbs are growing stronger. A carriage and a high chair are helps toward carrying out this plan.

All the things that I have mentioned as curative agencies may well be used as preventives. A healthy child, with wholesome food, and pure air to breathe, if kept from standing and walking while too young and weak, will not have bow legs. Scrofulous children are more likely to suffer in this way, and those that are very fleshy. Don't take pride in your *fat* baby. Excess of fat is really a disease, instead of a sign of health. Fatten your pigs as much as you fancy, but do not deliberately fatten your children. Give them plenty of good growing food, and they will be plump enough for symmetry and not too heavy for comfortable activity. It is no wonder that the little legs bend under the heavy weight of some fat little toddlers. Such children should not be encouraged to stand or walk until they have grown strong enough to do so of their own accord, and then should not be allowed to walk too much.

I hear of many cases where quite badly bowed legs have gradually straightened themselves without artificial help. Others think their children would never have outgrown the defect if they had not resorted to bandages or splints. Some have splints fitted to the ankles and bound around them, but I think it can be necessary to resort to this measure only in very confirmed cases. I have heard of one little girl who was very badly bow legged when three years old, but had entirely lost the defect a few years later. Her mother began to rub and bandage her legs together every night, and kept this up a few months until a cure was wrought. It will not do to put a baby into a jumper too young, nor to let it stay in too long a time. Probably eight or ten months is an early enough age for this exercise. If the child remains too long in the jumper its legs become weary, and if not strong they bend under its weight.

They grow strong under the exercise, but they are liable to grow crooked also. A safer exercise, though not as neat and pretty, is creeping. This is Nature's way of strengthening the limbs preparatory to walking, and I should be sorry to have it omitted from the list of baby's accomplishments.

CATS have fared very differently in differ- countries. In Egypt, in ancient times, they were worshipped, and in Turkey the people, mindful of Mohammed's pronounced partiality for the animal, have ever since treated cats with distinguished consideration. On the other hand, they were, in the middle ages, regarded in France as fiends incarnate, a view of them not seldom taken here; and in Paris, on St. John's day, there was a feline holocaust, when sacks and baskets full of cats were brought to the centre of the Place de la Greve, where the sovereign put a torch to the piles of wood amid which they were burnt alive. The last sovereign who took part in this ceremony was the *Grand Monarque* himself. Cardinal Richelieu was much addicted to cats, and had an Angora, his constant companion, on which he lavished the tenderest caresses, while Colbert had half a dozen around him; but the affection entertained by these eminent men for cats in particular, does not seem to have prompted them to interfere to save the Parisian pussies in general from a hideous death.

ALL SORTS.

SEPTEMBER weddings are by some regarded the luckiest." That all depends on who you marry.

THERE was a man in Aurora so thin he had a row of buttons put on his umbrella cover and wears it for an ulster.

THE New York *Graphic* has a picture of Vennor, and he parts his hair in the middle. That's all we want to know of Vennor.

"DEFINE a gentleman," you say? yes, I think I can!

He's as gentle as a woman, and as manly as a man.

A FARMER'S wife at Huntingdon gathered berries all one afternoon, gave birth to a son the same night, and attended market the following morning.

THE Rev. Mr. Spurgeon is made happy by the recent receipt of a legacy of $[illegible],000 for the benefit of his Pastors' College, and $125,000 for his Orphanage.

TURKISH officers, long unable to get a cent of pay from the Sultan, are offering their services to Greece. Whole regiments are ready to desert on the smallest encouragement.

THE wife of a wealthy Boston [illegible] finer was caught stealing a lace shawl in a store, though her wallet was crammed full of money, and her husband permitted her to spend all she wanted to.

A BRIDE at Portland, Me., was incensed at her husband's conduct in playing [illegible] with other young ladies, and emptied [illegible] chambers of a revolver at his fleeing [illegible]. He has not since been seen.

"IN what condition was the Patriarch [illegible] at the end of his life?" asked a [illegible] Sunday school teacher of a quiet-looking [illegible] at the foot of the class. "Dead," [illegible] replied the quiet-looking boy.

"TAKE the elevator," is inscribed on a fence of an Iowa meadow. A curious [illegible]eler who climbed the fence discovered about ten seconds that the elevator [illegible] dark brindle colour, with a curl in the [illegible]dle of his forehead.

SENTIMENTAL young lady to the [illegible] lected for her by mamma: "Ah, ma, how perfumed this summer air; how [illegible] cal these heaven-soaring songsters [illegible] wood! Do you like birds, [illegible]" "Yes, if not underdone, and with dressing."

WHEN a young man in Ohio went [illegible] neighbours' dairy to see his sweetheart, [illegible] had charge of the institution, [illegible] timidly of the old man: "How [illegible] milkmaid?" the old man angrily slammed the door in his face, and muttered "[illegible] milk isn't *made*—it's got from *cows*."

"MADAME, your boy can't pass [illegible] fare, he's too large," said the ticket [illegible] of a Highland train which had been [illegible] tained on the road by the snow. "[illegible] be too large now," replied the [illegible] "but he was small enough when we [illegible]." The collector gave in.

LAWYERS are very critical. Once a lawyer, upon being informed of an [illegible]ment between a young lady and gentleman, enquired whether the gentleman was [illegible] lover or the lovee? So an attorney to a gentleman to meet him "in the [illegible] acres, be the same more or less."

"GOOD gracious!" she ejaculated, [illegible] hurriedly disrobed and tumbled into [illegible] "What have you been drinking or [illegible] What is the matter with your [illegible]" "Liquorish," he responded; and [illegible] winked at himself in the dark and [illegible] thin till she got to sleep.

AT the morgue "My mother-in-law," [illegible] a visitor to the official in charge, "[illegible] peared three days ago and has not been heard of since. I had hoped she [illegible] here." "Describe her, if you please, that if necessary she can be identified." "She stutters awfully—you'll recognise her easily by that."

OF the two eminent dogs of [illegible] Prince Bismarck's Tiger and Victor [illegible] Senat, the latter has just died, full of [illegible] and honours, and received interment [illegible] grounds of Hauteville House. With [illegible] buried the silver collar presented him [illegible] master, whose faithful companion he [illegible] been through long years of exile.

CHARLEY and Emma were sitting [illegible] piazza the other night, gazing at the [illegible] and wondering, with Bulwer, what would be their home when love became mortal, when she said: "Charley, what star is that over there that twinkles so brightly?" "Don't know love," [illegible] mured, "I never studied astrology."

ANDREW ZITTEL, a St. Louis saloon-keeper, announced that he would do his [illegible] bring about a really temperate use of [illegible] by refusing to sell any to intoxicated [illegible]sons. John McLoughlin was the first to whom the new rule was applied, when informed that he had drank as [illegible] as was good for him, he resentfully [illegible] reformer through the head.

A SERIOUS interruption of diplomatic [illegible]lations has occurred between France [illegible] Vatican. The estrangement has arisen [illegible] of the clerical policy of the French [illegible]ment, especially towards the Jesuits [illegible]ters are said to have gone so far [illegible] French representative of the Vatican [illegible] been practically recalled, while the [illegible] at Paris has demanded his papers.

SCENE in the park (dramatis personæ, courting couple)—Is oo happy, "itte wootsy? She—Oh, so happy. [illegible] nopsy happy too? He—Oh, so happy. [illegible]—What would topsy nopsy do if there [illegible] no ottsy wootsy in the world?" Gr[illegible] of a man in the bushes: "Snopsy would be hugging some other girl, what?" Tableau.

FATHER—"Here you have only been [illegible]ried four weeks, and almost every day come to me with complaints about your [illegible]band. You ought to be ashamed of [illegible]self." Daughter—"But he fights [illegible] time." "Foolish child! Haven't [illegible] mother and me been fighting every [illegible] thirty years, and don't we get along [illegible]ably and quietly with each other."

WHILE John Eiler of Alden, Iowa, [illegible] riding horseback he saw descending [illegible] sky a ball of fire apparently about the [illegible] a flour barrel. He was paralyzed [illegible] fright, and saw the globe strike the [illegible] the animal he rode, when he became [illegible]scious. Upon coming to his senses [illegible] that the horse was dead, the head [illegible] animal being scarred as if by a red-hot [illegible].

REV. Mr. Genuflux fell down stairs [illegible] Sunday morning with a flower vase [illegible] hand, a pitcher of water in the [illegible] lamp globe under his arm, and a chin[illegible] tucked in his coat pocket. He was [illegible] to carry all these things down stairs [illegible] succeeded. But when he got to the bottom and his anxious wife screamed [illegible] the head of the stairs to know if [illegible] broken anything, he took an account of stock and calmly reported that "[illegible] broken everything but the Sabbath." [illegible] only thing," petulantly commented his [illegible]ful and economical wife, "that we [illegible] ford to break."

AUTHORS, publishers, and literary [illegible] artistic men generally in London [illegible] gratified at the bequest of $5,000 [illegible] the late Miss Neilson to Mr. Joseph [illegible] one of the ablest critics connected [illegible] London press, and a gentleman who [illegible] in a remarkable degree the regard [illegible] literary folk in London, where he [illegible]antly known and spoken of as [illegible] Night." He was one of the first to [illegible] and encourage the histrionic talent [illegible] Neilson, and contributed largely in [illegible] her merits promptly and properly be[illegible] public.

The Princess of Wales.

Although the princess of Wales, [illegible] of her admirers, is never extrav[illegible] dressed, she is more perfectly costumed [illegible] any other lady, English or foreign. [illegible] even a rose gains in beauty when it [illegible] with dewdrops, so our future queen [illegible] power of looking more radiant to[illegible] than to-day; and it seemed to all [illegible] at Felham the other afternoon that [illegible] cess had reached the dressmaker's [illegible] thule—the point beyond which not [illegible] nor Elise, nor any other maker of [illegible] raiment can go. The marvelous robe [illegible] peacock green, studded with golden [illegible] and all the sunlight seemed to fall [illegible] and make it more splendid. In the [illegible] were silver beads, and as the royal [illegible] stood in front of the enormous stone [illegible] gleaming trowel in her hand, she [illegible] embodiment of a lovely girl not yet [illegible] her teens. Upon that slight figure [illegible] were at once fixed, never to be [illegible] yet she is so unconscious that the [illegible] gaze of hundreds never perturbs, [illegible] disturbs her equanimity. While [illegible] that the monarchy was never so firm [illegible] the hearts of the English as it is [illegible] take leave to contend that the [illegible] distinctly indebted to the princess only [illegible] for a large share of its respect [illegible] larity.

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"Oh, no," she said, "not she,"
An' reddened up with a red that looked
Like the blush of modesty.
When she left the room, and the door was closed,
Her callers all begin:
"No 'jersey' for her—oh, no, of course,
For she's nothing else but bones and skin!"

After Tennyson.

As through the land at eve we went,
And plucked the ripened ears,
We fell out—my wife and I—
We fell out, oh, I know why,
And kissed again with tears.
And the end of that there falling out,
Which made us "sass" and sob,
Was, that my wife got all the corn,
And I got all the cob.

Jilted but Still Adoring.

Let who will blame you, sweet! For me
I would lay down my life this night
To keep or shield or comfort you.
Love makes no common cause with spite;
Our dream was brief; the sounding sea,
The listening heaven, the sun and dew,
Keep faith with us. God knows, we two
Lived only from glad breath to breath,
From pulse to pulse. A look, a word,
The utmost depths of being stirred;
We walked a bright enchanted way,
Afar from pain, and loss, and death.
I grudge not, though my soul must pay
Her life-long tithe for that delight!
And you? The summer rose is fair
Who flouts her, that she flung abroad
Her sweetness on the common air!
It circles back again to God!
I would not judge you, though you trod
My beating heart beneath your feet,
Much less for this slight woman's sin
Of holding me your captive there,
A willing prisoner, fettered in
The shining meshes of your hair!
More happy so, in sure defeat,
Than in the glory victors wear.
What blame, that you have wounded me,
Since beauty cannot choose but be?

MAYNE DEVERE.

The Bang.

Oh, the bang, the horrible bang!
Worse, even worse, than the modern girl's slang,
Covering, hiding her forehead so fair,
Warning young men of that girl to beware.

See it disfigure the head of a child,
Spoiling her features, so fresh and so mild;
Cut with the kitchen clip down to her eyes,
Leaving her brows an affair of surmise.

Plenty of charms has the sweet little girl,
Eyes of clear azure and teeth of pure pearl,
Yet we must ask, of her head and its shape,
"Is it a human or is it an ape?"

See her grown sister, her bang all in curls,
Deeming herself the most lovely of girls,
Making that bang, with exquisite care,
Look like a plaster or poultice of hair.

Young fellows stare at such girls as they stop,
Not to admire, but to quiz their make up,
Saying, with utterance quiet but deep,
"Mucilage ought to be plenty and cheap!"

Grandmother, too, must come out with a bang,
Nearly as bad as the rest of the gang,
Hiding the forehead that grandpa admires
Under a frizz that she borrows or hires.

Why should our women, the loved of our hearts,
Make themselves frightful by hideous arts?
Why should they cover their foreheads so fair,
Worse than the male fool who plasters his hair?

Surely the serpent bequeathed us a fang
Left in the garden, and known as a bang.
Let it depart, and, by no more insidious
Ways, may the beautiful make themselves hideous.

Fashion Notes

PLAIDS will be the rage.

POLONAISES are very short.

POLKA-DOTTED hose are fashionable.

BUSTLES are worn with all street costumes.

DOTTED fabrics of all kinds are to be worn.

STRINGS of pearls are braided or coiled in the hair.

GOLD and silver tinsel will be exceedingly fashionable.

THE Jersey and Pilgrim suits are both English in origin.

TWILLED all wool delaine is a very popular fabric this autumn.

THE Derby hat will be very much worn again this autumn.

QUILTED petticoats of satin or farmer's satin will be worn.

OLD FASHIONED neckerchiefs are very popular with the ladies.

POWDERED hair will probably be one of the revivals this winter.

LONG plumes and broad ribbons are the soul of millinery this season.

MANY of the most elegant evening dresses will be made short this winter.

FELT skirts are very handsome this year, and come in all the new shades.

ORIENTAL coloured plaids of mammoth size distinguish many of the new goods.

JOCKEY costumes, consisting of long coat-basque and plain skirt, are stylish.

BEAD-EMBROIDERED belts are worn with the round waist, so fashionable this year.

HANDKERCHIEF dresses, of woolen fabric, will be exceedingly popular for fall and winter wear.

PLACQUE buttons, in the centre of which is a bunch of grapes or other fruit, are handsome.

JERSEY webbing or stockinet, in all the new colours, is sold by the yard for corsages and sleeves.

CROWN braids and puffs are entirely out of date, the fashionable coiffure being very flat and smooth.

CASHMERE-COLOURED buttons and belt buckles are seen on the Oriental costumes so fashionable at present.

CORDS, both beaded and plain, will be largely used in trimming polonaises and outside wraps this fall.

RICH, stiff, white satin, brocaded in silver or gold, is the appropriate fabric for an elegant wedding dress.

WIDE Josephine belts are worn with almost all costumes. These are sometimes laced in front and at the back.

Wafts.

"THE sun shines for all," while the moon looks placidly down on a few spooney couples.

WHAT is the difference between a fixed star and a meteor? One is a sun, the other a darter.

WEDDING cards are to be smaller than ever and made as plain, quiet, and genteel as possible.

MARRIED life reaches its acme of happiness when a woman can eat crackers in bed without any complaint from her husband.

IT is the dastardly young brother who remarks: "Sister Sal's all the fashion now. She wears a horse-belt round her waist, and I expect she'll soon have a saddle and bridle."

FROM the satisfied expression that often illuminates a lady's face while she is gazing in the mirror, the superstition has grown that mirrors are in the habit of giving women "taffy."

THE astonishment of the lightning when Aja defied it was nothing as compared to the feeling of the young man who makes his best bow to a bevy of young ladies, and bursts a suspender button in the act.

AT a recent marriage the bride was a young damsel who had been a great flirt. When the clergyman asked the usual question, "Who gives this woman away?" a young fellow present exclaimed, "I could, but I won't."

"O, MR. LINGERIE, you've got on your freckled stockings!" exclaimed a sweet child, on the Ocean house piazza, where that gentleman was the centre of an admiring feminine group; "and Cousin Julia says they just match your complexion!"

TODDLEKINS is a very small man indeed, but he said he never minded it all until his three boys grew up to be tall, strapping young fellows, and his wife began to cut down their old clothes and cut them over to fit him. And then, he said, he did get mad.

"WHAT do you suppose I'll look like when I get out of this?" indignantly inquired a fashionably-dressed young lady of a conductor of a fearfully overcrowded car the other day. "A good deal like crushed sugar, miss," said the conductor. And the lady stood up and rode four streets further, with the smile of an angel.

About Corsets.

Although some women are foolish enough to dangerously compress their vitals for the sake of unnatural slenderness, a fashion writer in the Cincinnati *Enquirer* says that no such proceeding is required by the prevailing styles. "Corsets, as now generally worn," she continues, "are more a comfort than otherwise. The present evil practice in this direction is that of forcibly flattening the bosom. About no article of dress is a fashionable woman more finicky. But women who can afford it have their corsets made to order, often paying as high as $25 for a carefully fitted one. Those who demand of their dressmakers that their bodices shall fit like a glove, without a wrinkle or a strain, must consent to wear corsets always of the same size and shape. Otherwise a perfect fit at one time will not be so at another. Many women are so soft and pliant that they can be shaped by a corset to almost any desired figure; but, having chosen a model, they must stick to it, or alter their dresses with every change of stays. Formerly, when skirts were voluminous, it did not matter what the corset was like below the waist line; but now, with skirts lying flat, all the outlines are of importance. This has led to the extension of corsets downward, until women who are at all round are commonly encased from shoulder to leg. The corsets displayed in the stores, with their ribs of bone and metal, look like rows of ancient armor. The lengthening is a good thing, because it equalizes the pressure and prevents girting in of the waist alone."

Love's Young Dream.

One of the most romantic affairs ever before heard of in this section of the country, says a correspondent at Marion, Ind., first took place here about two weeks ago, and which terminated last night. The substance of the case is as follows: About three miles in the country lives a well-to-do farmer named Faustey, who has in his family a daughter named Sarah D., aged just 14, who is small in stature for her age, and is merely a child. Another old farmer named Pritchett is a close neighbour, who has a son just 13 years of age, who is dubbed as Morton. About two weeks ago these small children planned an elopement, and succeeded in leaving their paternal roof safely. After leaving their homes they walked to Wabash, a distance of twenty miles, where they took the train for White Pigeon, Mich. After arriving there they were united in marriage by the proper persons. The pair then roamed over several towns in the state on their wedding trip, until their finances became short, when they returned home last week and told their respective parents of their adventure. The father of the girl became indignant and brought the girl to the town last Saturday, before 'Squire Timothy, where a warrant was issued charging Morton Pritchett's father with abduction. The case was tried yesterday, when he was acquitted, the girl acknowledging she persuaded the youth to elope with her, and furnished part of the money, the cost of the whole trip being $10.25. While on the trip and after they were married neither occupied the same bed, and no change of clothing was taken along for the occasion. After the trial each returned to their respective homes, where they still remain. The father of the girl will immediately institute proceedings to have the marriage set aside, the plea to be that she was not old enough. The affair has caused considerable interest, and every one who is acquainted with the particulars has taken an interest in the case. During the trial several funny incidents were told by each, which the jammed court-room relished with pleasure. The end is not yet, as bad blood is brewing between the two parents.

Jupiter in Perihelion.

Jupiter reached its perihelion, or nearest point to the sun on Saturday. This is an astronomical event of considerable importance, as it occurs only once in about twelve years. As the planet is some millions of miles nearer the earth than usual, an excellent opportunity is given for the study of its features. Even the smallest telescopes will now show some of the wonders of this great planet and it system of satellites, and, with large telescopes, astronomers hope, within a month or two, to add much to our knowledge of the chief member of the sun's family. Jupiter will remain the leading brilliant in the sky throughout October, shining so brightly that even Sirius must temporarily yield the palm.

There is another reason for the interest that Jupiter's arrival at perihelion excites. More than a year ago some professed scientific person on the Pacific slope wrote a pamphlet on the terrors of the perihelia of the four great planets Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune, which, it was represented, would occur nearly simultaneously, and with these planets in conjunction, fearful results to the earth were predicted. The false alarm was spread by other pretended savants, and, no doubt, awoke the fears, not merely of the ignorant, but of persons who knew enough of astronomy to be aware of the gigantic attractions that the planets exert upon one another. Stories of plagues, pestilence, famine, and death were based upon the supposed influence of the perihelia. Mr. Proctor and other astronomers sought to counteract the effect of this by showing, in the first place, that it was not true that the planets named would all be in perihelion together. In fact, Saturn does not reach its perihelion until 1885. Uranus will be in perihelion next spring, but Neptune, will not reach its nearest point to the sun until six or seven years hence. It was also denied by scientific men of high authority that there was any reason to fear evil results to the earth, even though the predicted perihelia should occur very near together. Still, alarm was felt, and no doubt, many persons will be pleased to know that Jupiter, the most powerful of all the planets, has reached the dreaded perihelion point, and is already turning to retrace his steps, without having in any way injured his sister planet, the earth.

That the sun has felt the approach of the great planet, was shown in the prevalence of vast sun spots and outbursts of gaseous matter, is not improbable, and through the reflex action of the sun upon the earth our our planet may, even now, feel the same influence in violent atmospheric phenomena. It is difficult to realise the enormous power of the bright speck, Jupiter, shining so quietly in the sky. A recent writer has shown that the power which the sun has to put forth to hold Jupiter in his orbit is equal to the combined strength of 170,000,000 bars of steel, each one a mile in diameter. Jupiter's pull upon the earth, according to the same authority, is equal to the strength of 23,000,000,000 bars of steel, each of them one foot in diameter. So, if the mere power of gravity were all that was required to make Jupiter's approach dangerous to the earth, evidently he is not lacking in the power. But no one need fear that the sisterhood of worlds which acknowledge the dominion of the sun will prove mutually destructive.

IT has been estimated that of the horses in the world Austria has 1,367,000; Hungary, 2,179,000; France, about 3,000,000; Russia, 21,470,000; Germany, 3,352,000; Great Britain and Ireland, 2,255,000; Turkey, about 1,000,000; the United States, 9,504,000; the Argentine Republic, 4,000,000; Canada, 2,624,000; Uruguay, 1,000,000.

The Autumn Woods.

AND THE HOUSEHOLD ADORNMENTS WHICH THEY PROVIDE—PREPARING FERNS AND MOSSES.

(Philadelphia Times.)

Ferns become every year more popular for purposes of household decoration. Growing or cut, freshly gathered or pressed, the uses to which they are applied are numberless. It is a safe plan to gather them whenever you can get them, but those who can choose their time to do so usually prefer August or early September, since at this time the ferns are in full maturity and have not yet begun to fade.

In going fern hunting it is wise to take a large book, such as an atlas or a music portfolio, along in which to lay the more delicate specimens as soon as they are gathered; the commoner varieties—such as the ordinary bracken bush, the evergreen fern—may be easily taken home to be pressed, by wrapping them in newspaper with a wet fold around the stems to keep them from wilting. Those which are to be dug up, root and all, for transplanting should be placed as carefully as possible in a basket.

At the close of every excursion the ferns which are to be pressed should without loss of time be transferred to the drying paper. Seated at a convenient table the collector begins her work, her pile of ferns at one side of her and her paper at another. Plenty of paper and two flat, smooth boards are the materials required. Books on the subject advise stout blotting paper, but strong, soft newspapers, such as the *Times* for instance, make an excellent substitute at far less cost. Number one board is laid down; on this several sheets of paper—the more the better if paper is plentiful—and on them the fern is laid out as nearly as possible in the natural position, any twisting into shapes which the fronds would not have assumed in life being avoided. Over it a single sheet of paper is laid, and while with the right hand the plant is being spread out, with the left the paper is being simultaneously smoothed over it, immediately a few more sheets are laid over it and the process repeated with additional specimens until the pile is sufficiently high; then it is topped with the second board and the bundle deposited with a forty or fifty pound weight on the top of all. Bricks make good weights, and they can be so distributed as to make the pressure bear equally on all parts at once; but any weight—a large stone, for instance—will do very well; or you may put the boards under your trunk. If a great many ferns are to be dried, another set of boards and papers may be used, but one is sufficient for quite a number. Next day the collector must "change her papers." The pile is reversed, and the top board laid down on the table, with a sheet or two of dry paper on the top of it. Then the half-limp, flattened fern is carefully transferred to it, and the process repeated until the whole of yesterday's gatherings are once more in dry sheets, and the weights on top of them again. The damp paper is then laid out in the sun or suspended on a cord in the kitchen or other warm place to dry, and in a short time is ready for use. How often the changing of papers must be repeated, depends upon the number of sheets which are interposed between each plant, the state of the weather, the dryness of the room, or the thickness of the fern leaves themselves; but, as a rule, half a dozen times are sufficient, and, if need be, the last two or three times may have an interval of two or even three days between them. If the plants make the paper bulge out, a sheet or two of stout pasteboard interposed here and there will smooth down their asperities and secure better bried specimens. In any case, a little patience and neat-handedness are necessary to secure choice specimens, and the ferns should not be taken out of press until sure that they are well dried. The best test of their being thoroughly dry is to gently bend back a little bit of the frond. If it is inflexible, then it is better to give it another turn of the drying press. If, on the contrary, it breaks, all the sap has been extracted from it by the combined pressure of the stones and the absorbing power of the paper on either side or the specimen. Then transfer them to a large book and keep them there until ready to use them. Small ferns may be pressed between the leaves of a book by tying a string around the volume to keep it tightly shut, but it is important in such case that the ferns should be dry, and the book must be opened and examined from day to day to avoid injury both to the volume and to the ferns.

As already intimated, any one with a large supply of pressed ferns has an almost limitless fund upon which to draw for household decoration. Window transparencies and fire screens are made by framing the ferns, artistically grouped, between two sheets of plate-glass. The side-lights to a hall door may be prettily ornamented in the same way, only for this purpose, in order to obstruct the view, it is well to fasten the fern on fine white net. Bright hued flowers, such as pansies, morning glories, scarlet sage, etc., add much to the beauty of such transparencies and may be successfully dried between sheets of cotton wadding placed between wooden boards.

A cluster of ferns pinned on a lace curtain where it falls apart has a very happy effect, and we have seen pretty window cornices made of a garland of ferns and autumn leaves. The maiden-hair fern looks extremely well arranged in a small basket, with a few dried bits of crimson cock's comb or bachelor's buttons. Indeed, the uses to which they may be applied are limited only by the taste and skill of the decorator.

When a fernery is contemplated the ferns should be carefully dug up and transplanted in soil as nearly as possible like that in which they originally grew.

As a rule, ferns require abundant moisture and cool shade, and the exercise of a little ingenuity will soon provide these requirements for even a varied collection. With the help of a few pieces of furnace slag or other fantastic material, a rockery can be erected in the dreariest city back yard. Sand—not sea, but river sand—should be first strewn over this, and then woods earth should be packed into every crevice where the ferns are to grow.

The newest fern cases have ventilators in the top of the glass, but it is an open question whether these are an advantage in a furnace-heated room.

A very pretty fernery may be made of an old tin tray. Paint it first with waterproof paint, then make a foundation of gravel, charcoal and cinders and some sand, not too much, however. Over this put your woods earth and plant the ferns with sheets of moss, carefully transplanted from the place where the ferns grew, covering the roots. Keep well watered, and you will have a thing of beauty all winter, constantly developing new beauties as tiny ferns and wood plants spring up from the moss.

For decorative purposes moss is scarcely second to ferns, or even flowers. In England it is much used for table decoration, and is gathered in summer and dried for winter use. It is a mistake to think that because moss is green it is of one colour, you will find it of every hue—bronze and emerald, shining, golden and dark purple green. The best way to collect it for decoration is to pull it in large tufts, which should be well shaken after reaching home and spread lightly on newspapers for a day or two, and then again thoroughly shaken, to free them from loose bits and from insects. To keep it for the winter the sprays should be dipped in water, dabbed dry on a cloth, laid flat between two sheets of brown paper and immediately ironed until quite dry. The irons should be of the heat required to smooth linen, but do not prolong the process too much or the moss will become brittle. This process answers for the coarser mosses; more delicate ones should not be ironed, and the "maiden-hair" moss should not be placed in water, or the golden extinguishers may wash off. Small, naturally mossy twigs—ivy, oak leaves, acorns, lichens—by occasionally being put out to be refreshed by rain, can be made to last for some time. The last need an occasional rain soaking, as they become brittle and powdery when too dry. The little gypsy kettles that were so fashionable some years ago may be made into pretty centre-pieces by covering sticks and kettle alike with moss, as follows: Hold one of the sticks in the left hand, take a tuft of moss sufficiently large to wrap around it in the right hand and fold the moss around and over the end of the stick; pass a long piece of fine gardening wire round it, securing the end firmly and pulling it in tight, so that the moss conceals it; wind it round once more and then take a second tuft; let the end neatly overlap the first, and secure it in the same way; continue till the stick is covered, keeping the moss as evenly and tightly rolled as possible. If too shaggy trim it with the scissors. Secure the end of the wire when finished, and if tightly done all will remain firm. The handle of the kettle should be done in the same way before doing the kettle. In covering the latter the upper edge of the tufts should be turned inside, under the tin for holding the flowers, and the first wire tied around close under the top. A very few flowers, arranged in wet sand, will answer for filling the tin. Flower pots may be covered in the same way; and flat strawberry baskets, thus concealed, and lined with white paper, make very pretty fruit dishes. A plateau of moss for holding dessert dishes is also pretty. A board of the desired size and shape is requisite; the edges may be cut out for the dishes to fit into, or they may stand on it. The moss should be made as smooth and even as possible, and may be of only one of various kinds. The common feather moss is perhaps the best. If liked, a border of gray lichen can surround it, and outside this a second of small leaves, trailing or ground ivy. Borders of leaves and ferns can be made for dishes, and wreaths of periwinkle runners, ivy, holly bright autumn leaves. Ferns can be ironed like the moss and will preserve their colour, but the safest plan is to dry them as directed. Circles or stripes of thin cardboard can be covered with leaves and ferns for surrounding dishes, and single ferns arranged in a pattern of the cloth. Infinite variety can be made by giving time and thought to the matter.

The Use and Abuse of Fiction.

What was said in a former article on the use and the abuse of the theatre, is equally true of the use and abuse of fiction. Indeed these are but different forms of the same thing. What dramatic representation is to the eye, works of fiction are to the imagination. Both are ideal representations of truth, and all that can be said either for or against the one may be said with equal truthfulness for or against the other. From a very early age, mankind have been in the habit of clothing their thoughts, and embodying the truths which they would impart to each other, in the form of fables, allegories, parables, and other forms of ideal representations. Indeed, in the early ages of the world, when books were few, or did not exist at all, the bulk of the wit and wisdom that had been preserved from the past, as well as that which was the product of contemporary genius, was wrapped up in such forms as these. The stories which were told at the fire-side; the songs that were sung, and the ballads and "Sagas" which were recited on their festive occasions, were of this sort. Even philosophy and religion were taught in this way. And not a little of the most precious truth that we possess to-day has found its way to us in fictitious forms. Every one knows that the relics of the Hebrew prophets, which came down to our time, abound in these poetic creations. Even the Divine Teacher himself did not shrink from using the parable as an instrument of instruction, and as a means of preserving the truth in the memory of his hearers.

In view of these facts it is worse than useless to assail fiction as such.—Like every other sort of literature, beyond question much of it is bad, and of this we may take occasion to say something at another time. But in saying this, we are only affirming of fiction what may be affirmed, with equal truthfulness, of every other sort of writing. Even into the very best histories the fictitious element enters largely. And this is true of not a few of the biographies which are most widely circulated, and that have the largest number of readers. It is this element, supplied by the imagination of the author, which makes the events, and personages which a writer describes live in the mind of the reader; it is this which gives vividness and reality to a narrative which unenlivened by it would would be so hopelessly dull and stupid, that it would not only be drudgery to read it, but it would make no distinct or lasting impression on the mind of the reader. Take all that is imaginary, dramatic, and practical, from the writing of Macaulay and what would the residuum be worth? Why even the Sabbath-school libraries, furnished by the churches of Christendom, and read by children, are very largely stories which are purely the creations of the imagination. The reason of this is, as the caterers for these libraries tell us, that experience has convinced them, that this is the only sort of books that they can get the bulk of the children and young people to read.

We cannot say that we are altogether pleased with this. One of the abuses of fiction we judge to be the putting it in exciting forms, and in large quantities, into the hands of children or very young persons. There are other faculties which ought to be developed before the imagination. And where the habit is formed early of reading fiction to the exclusion of works which appeal more directly to the understanding and judgment, and call for the exercise of the memory, they induce a careless and hurried mode of reading, which permanently unfits the mind for the sober pursuit of knowledge. Besides, to many young persons, especially to girls of a nervous and excitable temperament, such reading begun early and pursued intemperately, as it is almost sure to be—unless prevented by outside restraint—by keeping the brain in an abnormal and unhealthy state of excitement at a time when quietness is a most essential condition of healthy development—leads to the most disastrous consequences, both physical and mental. Every intelligent physician of large practice, especially such as have made nervous and mental disease a special study, would bear testimony to the truth of this observation. Fiction is to the mind what sweetmeats, relishes and stimulants are to the palate,—taken in limited quantities, along with plainer and less exciting food, it may do good; adopted as a diet to live on, it can only work mischief. A literary friend, a hard student, being asked what he had been reading lately, replied, in our hearing, "I have spent the last few days reading novels. I like occasionally to spend a few days in this way; I find it has an effect upon the mind very much like that which a little good whiskey has upon the body." We have never forgotten the comparison, or the impression which it conveyed, that whatever advantage might be derived from this sort of reading, especially by nervous and excitable young people, was secured at the risk of some evil; and that it ought not to be indulged in therefore without careful limitation and self-restraint.

Aeronautics.

The proposed attempt to reach the North Pole by balloon has given an impetus to the science of aeronautics in England. A balloon society has been formed, and, under its auspices, several air ships have been sent up in the vicinity of London. One of them contained Mr. Wright, the aeronaut; Commander Cheyne of the royal navy, who proposes to make an experiment with a balloon in his next Arctic journey; Mr. L. C. Alford of Denver, Colorado, and a newspaper correspondent. In a minute and a quarter from the start they attained the altitude of 1,000 feet, in three minutes 2,000 feet, and in eight minutes 2,350 feet. The object of the travellers was not to go high, but to get over the ground as quickly as possible, and with a gentle breeze they glided along at the rate of thirty miles an hour. In the descent they dropped 1,200 feet in a minute and a quarter. They managed to check their rapid fall before reaching terra firma, and landed safely after much bumping on the ground. Of the other balloons, one rose 12,000 feet. The scientific observations of the various aeronauts will be carefully compared, and a report made embodying the results obtained as to the air currents at different heights.

As a physiological fact, it may be mentioned that negroes are not light-fingered.

No Bitterness.

THE QUIET WAY IN WHICH TWO OLD GENTLEMEN DISCUSSED POLITICS.

[Petroleum World.]

Grandfather Lickshingle and Deacon Redspinner, two patriarchs in this community, were walking down the street together yesterday. It was remarked that two such venerable men were not often seen together, and people raised their hats to them as they passed along and spoke to them reverently.

"There's entirely too much bitterness in this campaign, deacon," said Mr. Lickshingle, "and I regret it exceedingly. Now, when we was young men, and took an interest in politics, we had none of this 'ere everlastin' cat-haulin'."

"Indeed we hadn't," acquiesced Deacon Redspinner. "Take Jackson's campaign for instance. There was a lively interest taken by both parties, but there was none of yer bullyraggin' like we see now-a-days."

"That's a fact, deacon," said old Lickshingle, "but, between me and you, I never thought much of Jackson."

"He was a mighty good man, Lickshingle."

"He was small potatoes compared to some men we have now, deacon."

"Who d'ye mean," demanded the deacon.

"Well, there's Garfield," said Lickshingle.

"Garfield be danged. You know mighty well, Lickshingle, he couldn't have been 'lected hog-rieve in a hill town in Jackson's day."

"He's a darn sight better man than Hancock."

"Go slow, Lickshingle, go slow!" said the deacon, somewhat agitated.

"Oh, I know what I'm talkin' about," retorted Lickshingle, as he stabbed the pavement spitefully with his hickory cane. "Hancock's a stoughton bottle, that's what he is."

"An' what's Garfield? Great guns, what's Garfield? Didn't he lay a Cheap-John sort of a pavement around the capitol and charge the government $1,000,000 for it?" and the deacon's eyes blazed with indignation.

"See here, deacon! Look at your man Hancock's letter to Sherman. Didn't he try to blow up Washington with glycerine? Say, didn't he? Oh, I read the papers old man, an' know what's going on."

"Hancock's a good an' pure man. Didn't he fight like a bull-dog in the war of the rebellion? Where was Garfield skulkin' in the time of disaster? In Canady, by thunder, in Canady!"

"What wur Hancock doin' with a stiletto in his boot the night Lincoln was murdered? Answer me that. If Wilkes Booth had failed this Hancock was ready to finish the job. Don't talk to me! Don't talk to me!"

"It's a lie!" howled the deacon, as he whirled around and faced Lickshingle on the street.

"It's as true as holy writ, an' any man's a liar that says so," retorted Lickshingle, too much wrought up to be particular as to his phraseology.

"You're a bald-headed old scoundrel," yelled the deacon.

"You're an old leper, an' I can wipe the ground with you," howled Lickshingle, gripping his cane and advancing.

Friends jumped in and the two furious old men were dragged away in opposite directions. The deacon squirmed around in the arms of his captors, shook his cane at Lickshingle, and hissed:

"Your man Garfield would never have gone into the army if he he hadn't been drafted, and he wouldn't then, only he thought he would be able to desert—the onery son of a gun!"

Powerful Ocean Steamships.

[London Times.]

Twenty years ago, the largest steamers known (in this, as in all such comparisons, neglecting the Great Eastern, which was a prodigy of engineering skill), did not reach 350 feet in length, 45 feet in breadth, 3,500 tons in tonnage, or 4,000-horse power indicated. We have, at this moment, before us a list of 50 merchant steamers sailing, in the year 1860, from Southampton and other southern ports, which the largest vessels then frequented, and the list includes but 10 ships of more than 300 feet in length, none of which reached the limits of size and power just given, and the whole of which belonged to two companies, viz., the Royal Mail and the Peninsular and Oriental. At the present moment we have, afloat and at work, the White Star liners, some of them of 445 feet in length, 35 feet in breadth, and nearly 5,000 indicated horse-power; the Inman liners, comprising such ships as the City of Berlin, 488 feet by 44½ feet broad, and of about the same steam power; the Orient, of 445 feet by 45½ feet, with engines developing 5,600 horse-power; the Arizona, of about the same size, with still greater steam power and speed; and many other splendid vessels but little inferior to any of the foregoing. And these grand steamers—many of which reach the quays of New York with greater punctuality than railway trains reach the London suburbs from Victoria and Charing-cross, and would reach our quays with equal punctuality if they could avoid the abominable sands that bar the Mersey—are the forerunners of still larger and more powerful vessels now taking shape on the banks of the Clyde and elsewhere. The Cunard steel ship, the Servia, now building, by Messrs. Thompson, of Glasgow, is 500 feet by 60 feet, with over 10,000 indicated horse-power, and will, therefore, doubtless possess a speed considerably in advance of that of the very fastest ship at present afloat in the mercantile marine. The Inman steamship City of Rome, building of iron at Barrow, will be still larger, having a length of 546 feet, a breadth of 52 feet, a gross registered tonnage of 8,000, and a steam power nearly equal to that of the Servia. The Guion line is to be increased by ships of almost equal size and power, and the Allan line is building others equal to the finest of the White Star boats. Notwithstanding the number and magnitude of the passenger steamers now running between America and this country the traffic is so great that it has only been possible to secure accommodation by arranging for passage many weeks, and even months, in advance, while the rapidly increasing population and wealth of the United States and of Canada make it certain that the interchange of agricultural produce and manufactured goods between them and ourselves will go on increasing.

Cradles.

The following wise suggestion is from the Herald of Health.

Fortunately for children, cradles are seen more and more rarely in all families, and we are decidedly of the opinion that these soothing machines, once so popular, will soon have only a historic interest, like the spinning wheel. Still there are here and there mothers who advocate the cradle, and for such we have a word of advice. In the first place the rocking motion to which the child is subjected causes an unnatural circulation of the blood in the brain, which tends in the end to produce a state of unnatural excitability. Now if this takes place several times a day, and these motions of the cradle are carried to excess with restless and wakeful children, it is clear to our mind that the effects can only be injurious, especially when we remember the fact that children once accustomed to it are often treated with it for years. Cases are not rare of serious injury to the circulation of the brain, from violent rocking given to the infants when intrusted to nurses or ignorant children. It is not difficult with a little patience to treat an infant so that as soon as the time for sleeping approaches, he will go to sleep in his little bed without any artificial aid. If the beginning has been made, and if the mother has not been softened by the disagreeable crying of the child to rock it to sleep in the cradle or in her arms, it will be found after a few days, how quickly the child likes to go to sleep alone without the affliction of popular remedies of mothers. Many mothers will not believe this true until they have tried it and learned from experience. Although the child may cry at first, it soon learns to go to sleep quietly, and the mother has the additional advantage of gaining valuable time for rest from her domestic duties. Why does a healthy baby need rocking, more than a bird a colt, or a calf?

Porpoise-Shooting.

Porpoise-shooting affords to the Indians of the Passamaquoddy tribe their principal means of support. It is practiced at all seasons of the year, but the fish killed in the Winter are the fattest, and give the largest quantities of oil. The largest-sized porpoises measure about seven feet in length, about the girth five feet, weight 300 pounds and upward, and yield from six to seven gallons of oil. The blubber is about one and one-half inches thick in Summer, and two inches thick in Winter, at which time the creature is in its best condition. The blubber from a large porpoise weighs about 100 pounds. The Indians try out the oil in a very primative manner, and with very rude but picturesque appliances. The blubber is stripped off, then cut into small pieces, which are placed in a huge iron pot, and melted over a fire. All along the beach were placed, at intervals, curious structures, consisting of two upright pieces of wood surmounted by a cross-piece, from which the pots were hung by chains. Under this cross-piece large stones were piled in a semi-circle, inside of which a fire was made that was allowed to burn fiercely until the stones were at a white heat. The fire was then scattered, and the pots containing the blubber were placed under the stones, and just enough fire under them to insure the melting of the blubber. When melted, the oil was skimmed off into other receptacles, then poured into tin cans of about five gallons, capacity, and the process was complete. If the oil is pure it readily brings 90 cents per gallon, but if adulterated with seal, or any other interior oil, its value is reduced to 65 cents per gallon. A very superior oil is obtained from the jaw of the porpoise. The jaws are hung up in the sun, and the oil as it drips is caught in cans placed for that purpose. The quantity of oil thus produced is small, being only half a pint from each jaw, but a large price is paid for it by watch-makers and others requiring a very fine lubricator. The oil from the blubber gives a very good light, and was for a long time used in all light-houses on the coast. It is also a capital oil for lubricating machinery, never gets sticky, and is unaffected by cold weather. When pure there is no offensive smell, and I know of no oil equal to it for those who are compelled to use their eyes at night. The light is very soft, and when used in a German student's lamp one can work almost as comfortably as by daylight, and the dreaded glare of gas and other artificial lights is completely avoided. If industrious and favoured with ordinary success, an Indian can kill 150 or 200 porpoises a year, and they will average three gallons of oil each. But, unfortunately, the poor Indians are not so industrious, or only so by fits and starts, or as necessity compels them. Their way is usually to accumulate some 15 or 20 gallons of oil, then go off to Eastport, Me., with it for market. Thus much time is lost in loitering about the towns, and in going and returning from the hunting-grounds. Moreover, there are always two Indians to each canoe, and the proceeds of the hunt have to be divided. There is quite a demand for the oil, and, if systematically followed, porpoise-shooting would afford the Indians a comfortable support. The flesh of the porpoise when cooked is not unlike fresh pork, and at one time was much used. The Indians still use it, and it is also in request by the fishermen on the coast, who readily exchange fresh fish for "porpus" meat with the Indians.

Some Turkish Intrigues.

Perhaps the most striking fact to a stranger is the little interest Turkish women seem to inspire among the gallant population of Constantinople. But such strangers are, perhaps, unaware of the danger of a word, or even a look; a prolonged gaze into the carriage of *grande dame Turque* may provoke the ire of an attendant eunuch, and cause him to lay about right and left the heavy whip with which he is often provided; but the greatest danger lies in the treacherous encouragement of the *grande dame* herself. Some years ago a M. B——, a young Frenchman of this town, became enamored of one of these veiled Junos, whose soft glance seemed to reveal a reciprocal passion. Day after day he awaited her carriage at a corner of the principal thoroughfare, and, day after day the bewiching eyes drew him carressingly to his doom. Still, no words were exchanged. M. B—— became more and more infatuated, and in spite of the warnings of his friends he determined to carry on the intrigue to the end, whatever that might be. Patiently he bided his time and his opportunity, nor were they long in presenting themselves. He was rewarded one day by seeing a tiny jeweled hand drop a billet from the carriage window, which fluttered all unnoticed to his feet. Seizing the paper, the enraptured Frenchman hurriedly deciphered the few words therein inscribed. The lady proposed a meeting for that same evening in the obscure corner of a large cemetery. B——, who had patiently borne the quizzing of his friends, now informed them of the progress of his adventure. He was again warned against pursuing it further; but he laughed at the idea of danger, and, accompanied by a friend, repaired to the rendezvous at the appointed hour. He was presently accosted by a sable servant, exceedingly well dressed, who politely invited him to follow. The two friends turned into a deserted street and arrived at a small door which led through a covered yard to a second entrance. This their guide unlocked, and made a sign for M. B——'s friend to retire. All was silence and darkness around; the servant's black eyes seemed to gleam with malice; and, moved by an undefined fear, the friend again implored M. B—— to return. "Bah!" returned this gentleman,, "it's too late; besides, what is there to fear when things are managed so easily?" The door closed upon the audacious Frenchman, but the fears of his friends were prophetic—he was never seen by them again. Many attempts were made to learn his fate, and large bribes were freely given for this object. A hint was received that he had been conveyed beyond the frontier, but all traces of him were lost, and no further clue was ever obtained as to his disappearance. One or two such adventures are enough to damp the ardor of the boldest Lovelace, and, unfortunately, other examples have not been wanting.—*Temple Bar*.

A Terrible Punishment.

Pontre Moli, Italy, can boast of a lady Abbess and reverend coadjutors whose Spartan discipline goes even beyond that of CANNING'S renowned Mother Brownrigg, "who whipped two female 'prentices to death and hid them in a coal-hole." A lay servant having been detected in stealing some bread, my Lady Abbess and two senior nuns held an impromptu tribunal and condemned her "to undergo the torments of purgatory." Most of us probably have entertained but vague notions as the nature of those torments, and will therefore learn with the more interest what are an Abbess's ideas on the point. The reverend Mother and Sisters having conveyed the delinquent to a cell where there was a stove, tied her hands securely, and then held her face to the hot metal until her eyes had lost their sight and her face was one huge blister. Some of the nuns, however, thought this discipline somewhat too stringent, and, possibly on the principle that "a fellow feeling makes us wondrous kind," and with the reflection that there was no saying but that the Lady Abbess might "go for" them next, communicated with the authorities, who have placed these severe disciplinarians in jail pending a trial.

DR. DE VRY, of the Hague, has been made Companion of the Order of the Indian Empire by the Queen for his services in the introduction of the cinchona-tree into India, and in the manufacture of quinine there; and Dr. James Prescott Joule has received the Albert Medal from the Society of Arts for establishing, after "most laborious research, the true relation between heat, electricity, and mechanical work, thus affording the engineer a sure guide in the application to science and industrial pursuits."

A BOY was carrying two pounds of powder and a fuse in a cigar box, at Gibraltar, Pa. The end of the fuse protruded, and a practical joker was at hand to light it. The explosion killed the boy.

PERSONAL.

IT is a touching piece of self-forgetfulness on the part of Queen Christina to name her baby Mercedes, for her husband's first love.

CHRISTINE NILSSON lately refused to sing for a "charity" at Aix-les-Bains, where she has been staying, declaring that charity began at home, and she was there to get rest.

MR. ARCHIBALD FORBES can claim the new South African medal and clasp, as he conveyed the news of the victory at Ulundi to Sir Garnet Wolseley and Sir Bartle Frere.

AT a recent English wedding the bride's nephew, dressed in a ruby velvet Cavalier suit, acted as page, holding the train; and the thirteen bridesmaids wore mob caps, puffed sleeves, long mittens, and paste buckles.

MADAME BARBAULT, who was lately married to Mr. Andrew Johnson, a relative of the late ex-President of that name, has a right to wear the title of Duchess of Bourbon. She has been for some years a teacher of French in Erie.

MISS FLORA SHARON, who is thought to be a pretty and charming girl, the daughter of the Silver Senator, is to marry Sir Thos. Hesketh, who, making a yachting tour round the world, paused at San Francisco just long enough to take the prize.

THE picture of Madame Gerster-Gardini's baby is described by a bachelor as being very pretty and winsome, which inclines one to believe it remarkably attractive. The child is taken asleep in a wicker carriage, over which is leaning the slender Italian nurse.

THE King of Denmark has given the Bernhardt a gold medal surmounted by a crown in Diamonds, and attached to the red-bordered white ribbon of the Order of the Danebrog—a distinction very rarely granted, and but to two other women—Nilsson and Trebelli.

DR. TANNER crops up in the pages of nearly every English periodical, and will be referred to in every new encyclopædia and thousands of medical works. If he has not got money, he has got, in six weeks, as world-wide a reputation as Wellington or Byron in as many years.

WHEN Wagner heard that the people of the United States would not guarantee him $1,000,000 and expenses, he enjoyed a "Lone Grin" all to himself, and remarked, "Dat was shmart peoples; dey want me to take off $2.50 from dem prices. Well, I thinks about it some dimes."

THE Baroness de Hatzfeld, whose divorce, for no other cause than that an ancestress was at one time connected with the stage, is disgraceful alike to her husband and the German court, is not a daughter, as was recently stated, or any blood-relation whatever, of Madame de Hegermann Lindencrone, the wife of the Danish Minister, but the sister of her first husband, Mr. Charles Moulton, and the daughter of Mrs. Charles Moulton, *nee* Metz, of Paris.

SIR F. ROBERTS, the conquering hero of Candahar and so-styled "Saviour of Afghanistan," is son of a clergyman of the Established Church in Waterford, Ireland. His brother, Samuel U. Roberts, is one of the Commissioners of the Board of Public Works in Ireland. Sir F. Roberts is a member of the order of Good Templars and a staunch teetotaler. He has a Good Templar lodge attached to every regiment under his command. Sir Garnet Wolseley is also a total abstainer.

THE daughter of an official in high life in Vienna recently wore several times a superb dress of dark green material, trimmed with wreaths of leaves in another and lighter shade of green. During the season the beautiful complexion of the young lady underwent a sudden change, and was ruined by a painful and offensive eruption. After a time her physician, baffled by the symptoms, thought of the dress and had it subjected to a chemical examination, and found enough arsenic in the colouring to produce all the mischief, and a great deal more.

DORA YOUNG, a favourite daughter of the Prophet, and one of the heirs of a large portion of his property, was lately to be seen at a Chicago hotel, and is described as a fine looking person, dressed in good taste in black satin and brocade, with costly rings on her shapely hands. Her manners are pleasing, and her conversation interesting. She is attached to the memory of her father, although she is no longer a Mormon, calls the system a dreadful one, and says that the Mormon wives, under their outward semblance of good-will, hate each other with a deadly hatred.

IT is understood that Lady Burdett-Coutts will be given away, on the occasion of her marriage, by the First Lord of the Admiralty. The grandmother of this lady was a servant in the house of a brother of the old banker, Susan Starkie by name. He had her carefully educated, and then married her. Her daughters became Countess of Guilford, Marchioness of Bute, and Lady Burdett. Mr. Coutts' second wife figures in *Vivian Grey* as Mrs. Million. A brother of the Baroness died lately, without a will or any record of his property, and in his room were found two hundred and fifty thousand pounds in Bank-of-England notes.

THE Princess Beatrice is so marked in her attentions to the ex-Empress as to strengthen the popular belief that she was intended for her daughter-in-law. The Princess was the first to meet the imperial lady on her return from Africa, going aboard the ship. Lately the ex-Empress spent a couple of days at Osborne, the Princess crossing over to Portsmouth to escort her. They walked about the grounds in the mornings, and rode with the Queen in the afternoons. It is understood that the ex-Empress makes her future home at Arenenberg, her villa on Lake Constance—a place already full of romantic and unfortunate associations.

AN English earl who, ever since the wedding of the Duchess of Edinburgh, has desired to have in his family a necklace like the one worn by the Empress of Russia on that occasion, but who had been deterred by the simple fact that the Czarina paid nearly a million dollars for hers, happened to mention his wish to Mrs. Mackay, of Bonanza fame, in Paris, and was advised by her to look at diamonds in America. He has obeyed her instruction, and, for the sum of one hundred and sixty thousand dollars, is about to become the possessor of a necklace of fifteen magnificent white stones, ranging in size from that of a filbert to one three times as large, and matchless in brilliancy, together with a pair of solitaire ear-rings and a brooch, in which seven large diamonds and sixteen smaller ones imitate one of the earl's heraldic emblems.

How Diamond Mines are Worked.

The system of working the diamond mines is described by an operator as follows:—

The ground being picked loose by natives and broken up, is hauled out of the mines in tubs running on inclined wires; from these tubs it is transferred to a sifting cylinder, which removes the coarser stones, the remaining soil being mixed with water and slowly stirred in a flat pan of circular form, by means of arms fitted with teeth, this pan varying from 6 to 15 feet in diameter, according to the amount of work to be done. The effect of this is to leave the diamonds, which are heaviest, at the bottom; the lighter soil escaping over the edge of the pan, to be taken up by a dredger and trucked away. At the end of a day's work the contents of the circular pan are cleaned out and washed up in hand-sieves, when, in turning over the sieve on the table, the diamonds can be at once seen from their brilliance, some being of most perfect octahedron shape and as clear as crystal.

The rough diamonds are almost invariably below 10 carats in weight, the average being about the size of a pea; indeed, in the Bultfontein mine, a 10 carat stone is looked upon as a curiosity, though specimens exceeding 100 carats in weight have on rare occasions been secured. The value of a stone depends entirely on its colour, shape, and freedom from spots or flaws; those of faultless shape and perfect whiteness taking the precedence of all others. The diamonds exceeding 20 carats in weight are mostly of various shades of yellow, a large white diamond being a comparative rarity.

THE natives of the Orkney Islands are said to enjoy good health and to live long. For these blessings they are indebted entirely to the bracing climate and to their own healthy outdoor occupations. A young woman from one of these islands was asked lately whether her people were generally long livers. With unconscious naiveté she replied, "Yes, they live to a great age; there's no doctor on the island."

AN English journal bewails that the world is threatened with a dearth of lions, that the "king of the forest" is gradually disappearing in his native wilds. But this grave misfortune has encouraged a Frenchman to establish a regular breeding stud of lions at Bona, where lions will be bred and brained for the market. Perhaps the royal cast will, in the course of time, become so domesticated that the lion and the lamb may lie down together.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Station			
Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Belton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9 50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Station			
Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep. 7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.	
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Oct. 15th, 1880.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

WITHIN a few weeks several cases of prosecution for the use of false or unstamped weights and measures have been before the proper courts. It is satisfactory to note that punishment has been duly inflicted. It is amongst measures that the greater number of cases of discrepancy will arise, as it is easier to provide false measures than false weights; but in regard to both there is no doubt at all that official intelligence needs to be active. We have reasons for believeing that the public have in the past suffered much from the absence of legal inspection of weights and measures. The number of false utensils found in the large cities has been very great, and a more active prosecution of the work of inspection would reveal many more. The public need an occasional reminder of the provisions of the law. Every person who uses or has in his possession for use in trade any false weight or measure is liable to a fine for a first offence of not exceeding $20; for a second offence of $50; and the false utensil shall be forfeited. Again, any person who makes or sells any false weight or measure is liable to a fine of $50 for a first offence, and $100 for a second offence. Every weight and measure should be officially stamped; and persons using unstamped weights and measures are liable to a fine of not less than $5 or more than $50. Inspectors and assistant inspectors have the power of entering without notice any place of sale for the purpose of examining weights and measures. All weights and measures must be inspected every two years. Persons refusing to permit inspection are liable to a fine of $20 for a first and $40 for a second offence. These simple, yet efficient, provisions are not perhaps as rigidly enforced as they might be, as the expense of thoroughness would be very great; but they are, we believe, enforced with reasonable activity and with great benefit to the public. It is necessary that all weights and measures officials should exercise all reasonable activity and industry in putting the law into force; it is a law which especially protects the interests of the classes who purchase in the retail stores, and these are the great bulk of the population.

A CONSTITUTIONAL QUESTION

One of those questions which are continually occurring respecting the jurisdiction of officers appointed by the Dominion and Provincial authorities has just taken place at Belleville. It is as follows:—

"In a case which was before the police court a few days ago, in which a liquor dealer was charged with violating the provisions of the licence law by selling liquor on Sunday, the defendant was fined $20 and costs by the magistrate. An objection was raised by counsel for the defence, Mr. M. A. Dixon, that Mr. Thomas Holden, the police magistrate, had no jurisdiction, as he was an appointee of the Provincial Government. The defendant's counsel claimed that to the Dominion Government belonged the power of appointing police magistrates and justices of the peace, their authority for so doing resting under the provisions of the British North America Act. The case will be appealed by a writ of *certiorari* to the Court of Queen's Bench.

This power of appointing Magistrates has since Confederation by mutual consent of both Dominion and Provincial authorities been conceded to the latter, but as the point has never before been raised, that furnishes no proof that the practcie has been correct. As the question is now before the court, and will doubtless be decided ere long, it is needless to argue it here but we may point out that if this contention is held good it will make endless confusion by not only turning out of office all magistrates appointed since confederation, but rendering all their acts illegal; and if we understand the point aright, it would not stop here but include a number of other officials connected with criminal justice. It would necessitate special legislation confirming all their actions since Confederation.

PACIFIC RAILWAY.

It will be remembered that Sir John Macdonald went to England a short time since, for the purpose of entering into arrangements with capatalists for the building of this railway. It appears that he has been successful, and in response to an address presented to him at Montreal last week, he is reported to have spoken as follows:—

"Sir John Macdonold said he begged to tender his grateful thanks to the young men of Canada for their address of welcome. He had not had an opportunity abroad of following the reports in the Canadian press regarding his mission as they had, but he said it was a pleasure to hear that there were patriots who had the interest of the country at heart in preference to party. There were questions which, in his opinion, should be lifted far above party strife, and that of the Pacific railway was one. He could not go so fully into the results of his mission as he could wish. They must first be submitted to the representative of our Sovereign and the Government for their acceptance. He might say, however, that he had provisionally formed a syndicate of eminent capitalists in Paris, France; Frankfort-on-the-Main, Germany; England, the United States and Canada. They were a combination such as had never been formed before, and that would be able beyond all question to carry out the undertaking successfully. The German element was of great importance, as it would undoubtedly turn the stream of emigration from the United States into Canada. The syndicate had given security in money for the completion of the railway inside of ten years, and further security for operating it for ten years, thereafter. This was equivalent to security for twenty years. They have also contracted not to build the easiest and most profitable portions of the road first, but to take the most difficult parts as well. Arrangements had also been made for putting the land into the market at once for sale. There would be a systematic immigration introduced at once. The road would not cost Canada as much as Sir Hugh Allan offered to do it for in 1873. Mr. Mackenzie had said in the house that Sir Hugh Allan could not have built the road for the thirty million dollars and the land grant which he was to get. What will he think when he learns it will be built for less cost now to Canada? Arrangements had been made by which the railway will proceed whether it is sanctioned by the approaching session or the next one. He could assure them that the building of the railway would not cost the old provinces of Canada one cent, as the land would pay for it. There is a fever in England among all classes for Canada. Why, one gentleman there made him an offer for sixty-four thousand acres of land at the very base of the Rocky Mountains, which he accepted. That man is Mr. Thos. Brassey, M, P., a member of the British Government. Throughout England one of the greatest obstacles he had met with was Mr. Blake's speech. It had been printed and circulated, and wherever he went it was put under his nose. Thanks however, to the strong sense of the people of England and to his (Sir John's) persuasion, all the combinations—he might say conspiracies—were ineffectual in preventing his success. The contract will now go on whether Parliment ratifies it in November or February. The synditate is composed of men of millions of capital, who will carry the railway through triumphantly.

GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SHOW.

This exhibition which took place on the 27th ult., the result of which we were unable to give for reasons before mentioned, was as follows:

PRIZE LIST.

Horses—Carriages, 4 entries, Donald Campbell, A. Shiel. General Purpose, 4 entries, Thomas Davis, James Lauder. Brood Mare, 4 enentries, Alex. Mercer, 2nd do. Hack, 8 entries, Wm. Douglass, John Lyons. Saddle, 4 entries, D. McDuffie, (special prize.) Three years old Horse, 8 entries, Alex. Mercer, (special prize.) Two years old Colt, 9 entries, Alex. Mercer, E. Rutledge. One year old Colt, 4 entries, Robert Blair, John Ritchie. Spring Foal, 6 entries, A. Mercer, S. Douglas.

Cattle.—Durham Cow, (pedigree), 3 entries, A. & F. Beatty, M. Armstrong. Grade Cow, 10 entries, R. Walker, John Gillespie. Two years old Heifer, 8 entries, John Thompson, 2nd do. Three years old Heifer, 4 entries, Isaac Miller, (special prize.) One year old Heifer, 8 entries, Robt. Walker, 2nd do. Spring Calf, 5 entries, A. & F. Beatty, Robt. Walker. Yoke Oxen, 2 entries, C. W. Speers. Yoke three years old Steers, 6 entries, C. W. Speers, 2nd do. Yoke two years old Steers, 5 entries, Samuel Douglas, Thomas Nelson. Fattest pair of cattle over two years old, (special) C. W. Speers.

Sheep.—Shearling Ram, 2 entries, John Thompson. Ram Lamb, 3 entries, Edward Shaw, 2nd do. Two Ewes, aged, 4 entries, Edward Shaw, John Thompson. Two Shearling Ewes, 3 entries, Edward Shaw, John Thompson. Two Ewe Lambs, 4 entries, Edward Shaw, John Thompson.

Swine.—Aged Sow, Berkshire, 6 entries, J. Mercer, Shepherd Boyce. Aged Sow, Suffolk, 1 entry, Thomas Campbell.

Poultry.—Pair Geese, 6 entries, T. Campbell, W. McLoughrey. Pair Turkeys, 3 entries, Robert Walker, Geo. J. Blyth. Ducks, small, 8 entries, Shepherd Boyce, Wm. McLoughrey. Ducks, large, George Pilkey. Brahmas, 4 entries, Haskett Bros., Henry Mathewson. Spanish, 2 entries, Haskett Bros., 2nd do. Hamburgs, 2 entries, Geo. J. Blyth, Wm. Douglas.

Grain and Roots.—Fall Wheat, (2 bushels,) 9 entries, E. Rutledge, B. Wright. Spring Wheat, 8 entries, Alex. Mercer, John Ford. Barley, 5 entries, Wm. Burnett, E. Rutledge. White Oats, 5 entries, John Gillespie, James Lauder. Black Oats, 4 entries, Wm. McLoughrey, John Gillespie. Peas, 4 entries, Hugh McKee, John Gillespie. Early Rose Potatoes, 5 entries, James Thompson, B. Wright. Swede Turnips, 9 entries, A. Mercer, James Lauder. Any other kind turnips, 9 entries, John Gillespie, James Thompson. Timothy Seed, James Lauder. Mangold Wurtzel, 3 entries, James Thompson, Henry Mathewson. Tomatoes, 11 entries, Edward Davis, George Pilkey. Blood Beets, 9 entries, Adam Shiel, Donald McDuffie. Cabbage, James Thompson, Wm. McLoughrey. Onions, top, George Richardson, Shepherd Boyce. Onions, potato, 5 entries, James Thompson, George Pilkey. Field Carrots, 8 entries, John Ford, James Thompson. Horn Carrots, 9 entries, R. H. Stinson, George Pilkey. Pumpkins, entries, James Thompson, Edward Rutledge. Squash, 2 entries, Edward Rutledge, Jas. Thompson. Celery, 3 entries, H. & F. Beatty, Jas. Thompson. Parsnips, 6 entries, James Thompson, Edward Rutledge. Winter Apples, 7 entries, John Whitby, James Lauder. Fall Apples, 7 entries, Alex. Mercer, S. Boyce. Pears, 2 entries, J. H. Stinson, Robert Gilray. Grapes, 3 entries, G. S. Bowes, 2nd do. Blue Plums, 6 entries, G. S. Bowes, John Whitby. Green Guages, 2 entries, G. S. Bowes, E. Davis. Four varieties, 1 entry, G. S. Bowes, (special) Best collection, G. S. Bowes, (special—Markdale STANDARD.) Crab Apples, 15 entries, B. Wright, James Thompson. Collection of Apples, 6 of each kind, 8 entries, Shepherd Boyce, J. Whitby.

Manufactures.—Grain Sower, 2 entries, Henry Mathewson, John Hamilton. Farmer's Waggon, 1 entry, R. H. Stinson. Democrat Waggon, 1 entry, R. H. Stinson. Plough, 2 entries, J. H. Hull, Henry Mathewson. Harrow, 1 entry, Henry Mathewson. Cabinet Work, 2 entries, Thomas McNea, 2nd do. Stoves, 2 entries, Haskett Bros., 2nd do. Horse Shoes, 2 entries, Wm. Mason, M. Richardson. Fulled Cloth, 4 enrries, John Gillespie, Thomas Campbell. Satinet, 1 entry, Robt. Walker. Fancy Flannel, 4 entries, Richard Askin, Shepherd Boyce. Plain Flannel, 3 entries, R. Walker, Shepherd Boyce. Blankets, 5 entries, R. Walker, 2nd do. Specimen Tinware, 2 entries, Haskett Bros, 2nd do. Churn, 2 entries, J. H. Hull, T. Mullarky. Wash Tub, 2 entries, T. Mullargy, J. H. Hull. Butter Tub, 4 entries, J. H. Hull, 2nd do.

Dairy.—Butter, 50 lbs. tub., 9 entries, Shepherd Boyce, Robt. Walker. Butter, roll, 5 lbs., 11 entries, Ed. Rutledge, Shepherd Boyce. Cheese, 3 entries, Geo. Richardson, 2nd do. Bread, 7 entries, Hugh McKee, Alex. Mercer. 100 lbs. Spring Wheat Flour, 2 entries, W. J. Rowe.

Ladies' Work.—Woollen Mits, 9 entries, R. Walker, 2nd do. Woollen Socks, 8 entries, Thos. Campbell, 2nd do. Fancy Quilt, 4 entries, R. Askin, John Lyons. Patch Quilt, 6 entries, Robert Gilray, J. McKechnie. Log Cabin Quilt, 4 entries, R. Gilray, Isaac Miller. Embroidery in Cotton, 3 entries, Henry Mathewson, Fine Shirt, 5 entries, Thos. Campbell, R. Gilray. Rag Mat, 4 entries, Solomon Hill, 2nd do. Any variety Mat, 2 entries, J. R. Anderson, Henry Foster. Berlin Wool, raised, 4 entries, Robt. Gilray, Solomon Hill. Berlin Wool, flat, 5 entries, W. J. Rowe, William Burnett. Tidy, in cotton, 6 entries, John Lyons, Thomas Davis. Tidy, in woollen, 1 entry, John Lyons. Hair Flowers, 1 entry, R. Gilray, (special.) Lace, needle, 2 entries, R. Ruthven. Best collection of Flowers, in garden, G. S. Bowes, Solomon Hill. Extra collection of Flowers, S. Hill. Hand worked Slippers, 2 entries, W. J. Rowe, (gold ring by Mr. Wilcox.) R. Gilray's exhibit of Cotton Batting Wreath and Leather Work Brackets, highly recommended by the Judges.

PROTON FALL SHOW.

The fall show of the township of Proton took place in Dundalk, on Wednesday the 6th inst. The show was a success, especially that part of it which was held inside the hall. The grain was of good quality and a very fair variety of the different kinds. Roots were indeed something extra. Fruits, we were indeed astonished at the quality of fruit, and the variety compared favorably with other township shows. Dairy Produce, as well as Home Manufactures, were well represented and well up in quality, if not ahead of some of our larger exhibitions. One of the most attractive exhibits in the hall was a magnificent show case, (a gem of beauty,) and was well filled with silver-plated and gold jewellery and watches. The jewellery sets, which we are informed by the exhibitor, (Mr. Doll,) were solid gold, and were indeed sparkling gems, being fitted tastefully in Morocco cases lined with satin. His stock of watches were very large for a country town, comprising all grades, and prices from $4 to $100.

The following is the Prize List which A. G. Hunter, Esq., Secretary of Proton Agricultural Society, has very kindly furnished us with.

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.—Draught, Samuel Stockes, Wm Nickle. General Purpose, Wm. Acheson, Wm Graham. Carriage, A Vandusen. Brood Mare, with foal by her side. Geo Glazier, D Stinson. Buggy. Thos Hanbury, Henry Graham. Saddle, Christopher Johnston, S Fleming. Colt or Filly. 2 years old, Wm Kirby, Samuel Stockes. Colt or Filly, 1 yr old, Geo Glazier, George Campbell. Spring Colt, George Glazier, D Stenson.

CATTLE.—Durham Bull, John Rundle, Jas Robinson. Grade Bull, Duncan McMillan. Grade Cow, Wm Nickle, Thos Lakings. Grade Heifer, under 2 years old, W Graham, Duncan McMillan. Grade spring Calf, D McMillan, Henry Johnston. Yoke of Oxen, James Mitchell.

SHEEP.—Aged ram, James Ferris, David Stinson. Ram lamb, D Stinson, J Rundle. Pair ewes, aged, Walter Nickle, D Stinson. Pair ewe lambs, W Nickle, D Stinson. Shearling Ram, John Rundle, D Stinson. Shearling Ewes, W Nickle, D Stinson.

SWINE.—Berkshire Sow, aged, James Rosborough. Pair Berkshire spring pigs, James Rosborough, John Norval.

POULTRY.—Pair Geese, J W Morrow, D Stinson. Turkeys, S Stokes, Rich Clare. Barnyard Fowls, Rich Clare, Geo Glazier. Ducks, S. Stockes, Edward Noble.

GRAIN AND SEEDS.—Two bushels Seneca or Clawton Fall Wheat, J Rindle, D Stinson. Any other kind of spring wheat, D Stinson, G Glazier. Two bushels Peas, John Abbott, S Fleming. Two bushels White Oats, Jas Ferris, Jas Mitchell. Two bushels Black Oats, D Stinson, J Winters. Two bushels Barley, D Stinson, Jas Winters. Two bushels Beans, Jas Ferris. Bushel Early Rose Potatoes, Henry Redmon, Wm Acheson. Bushel any other kind Potatoes,—Johnston, —Milliner. 6 Swede Turnips, W Nickle. 6 of any other kind of Turnips, Johnston Milliner, Jas Ferris. Six Cabbage Heads, D McMillan, P McGregor. 6 Beets, Henry Redmon, J Milliner. 6 Garden Carrots, C McConnell, J Ferris. 6 Field Carrots, Chas McConnell, J Ferris. Pink Potato Onions, Wm Kirby, Jas Mitchell. Peck any other kind Onions, Henry Johnston, Wm Kirby. Two Pumpkins, James Ferris, C McConnell. Corn, C McConnell, T Lakings. Twelve Tomatoes, R Clare, J Lakings. 6 Cucumbers H Johnston, J Ferris. 6 Citrons, R Black, C McConnell. Twelve Winter Apples, Jas Ferris, Geo Glazier. Twelve Fall Apples, D Stinson, Jas Winters. Twelve Plums, S Fleming. Twelve Crab Apples, T Hodgens, Jas Rosborough.

DAIRY.—Tub Butter, not less than 50 lbs., S Stockes, H Redmon, J Ferris. Five lbs Butter, put up in any shape, John Rundle, S Stockes. Ten lbs home-made Cheese, Robt Black, D McMillan. Loaf Bread, J Lakings, S Stockes, John Abbott. Five lbs Honey, T Hodgens, T Lakings.

LADIES' WORK.—Blanket, home-made, H Graham, W H Petterson. Full Cloth, home-made, 5 yds, J Milliner, S Fleming. Satinet, home-made, 5 yds, W H Petterson. Flannel, home-made, 5 yds, all wool, W H Petterson, Ed Noble. Patch Quilt, J Lakings, H Graham. Fancy Quilt, W Marshall, E Noble. Fine shirt, hand-made, J Lakings, S Stockes. Embroidery, E Noble, J Milliner. Knitted Lace, Wm Marshall, H Graham. Antimacassar, W Marshall, Thos Lakings. Braid Work, W Marshall, Henry Graham. Crochet Work, W Marshall J Milliner. Hair Work, W Marshall, J Milliner. Wax Flowers, W Marshall, J Milliner. Berlin Wool Work, raised, E Noble, J Milliner. Hooked Mat, H Graham, P McGregor. Pair Men's Mits, J Milliner, D McMillan. Pair Men's Socks, John Abbott, S Stockes. Rag Carpet, 5 yds, G B Middleton, Peter McGregor. Any other kind of Carpet, D McMillan. Collection of House Plants, T Lakie, A G Hunter.

MANUFACTURES.—Spring Waggon, Thos Swan. Buggy, do. Plough, Wilson Bros, Thos Swan. Pair Men's Fine Boots, Thos Hanbury. Coarse Boots, do. Pump, John W Stone, Geo Rutherford. 100 lbs Flour, Thos Hodgins.

SPECIAL PRIZES.—For best specimen of Plain Penmanship executed by any male scholar attending the public schools of Proton or Melancthon, William Graham, (Dundalk School.) By A G Hunter, Estate and Loan Agent—best sheaf of Fall Wheat,—a chromo, value $2—Chas McConnell. By G B Middleton, merchant, for best variety of Potatoes—fine shirt, value, $1.50—James Ferris. By Thomas Hanbury, boot and shoe dealer, for best collection Fruit—a pair lady's boots, value, $2, Jas Winters.

EXTRA PRIZES.—Wm Chittick, for Dress Coat. Wm Chittick 2nd for Fancy Slippers. Wm Marshall 1st for Lamp Mat. William Marshall 2nd for Wreath Flowers. Henry Graham 2nd for Mottoes. John Lakings 1st for Window Curtains. G B Middleton 1st for Toilet Set and Coverlid. Thos Lakings 2nd for Window Curtains. Thos Hanbury, recommended for Men's, Boys' and Women's Boots. Thos Lakings, 1st for Mottoes. Thos Fennell 2nd for Wreath Flowers. Thomas Fennell 1st for Fancy Slippers. Samuel Fleming 1st for Squash. Robt Wragget 1st for Berlin Wool Work Motto.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

Cold weather and wet rains continue around this town this fall.—An accident happened the other day in the suburbs. A dog and a cat had a fall out and Mr. Dog bit Mr. Tom's eye out. Medical aid was immediately sought, but no assistance could be given Thomas, and he had to be disposed of by drowning and burying in a respectable manner. The dog is still alive.—Fall trade is beginning to liven up now. Grain is coming in and prices good; hope to see more grain bought in this place than has been bought here any season before. —Mr. J. W. Henderson, a former resident of this place, has been paying us a visit. He looks about as usual. —The fall show was quite a success considering the day. Could not the Society spare a small sum to the levelling of the ground and putting up some sheds for stock.—Mr. W. K. Flesher is about to return to England where he has been called on very important business. Hope he may have a good voyage.—Every house rentable in this village is taken up, and some families are doubling. This is a good sign that people like to live in Flesherton at least.—Mr. J. W. Armstrong's mansion is about finished. It will be a grand addition to the place. Hope some one else will put up a mansion.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our Correspondent.

ACCIDENT.—As Mr. James Sparling was employed in the woods drawing saw logs on a pair of trucks he met with a sad accident, which will in all probability leave him a long time off work. He was coming out of the woods with a large saw long, and when passing a tree one of the wheels struck a snag, throwing the other wheel into a rut, and jamming him between the load and tree. Dr. Sproule was sent for and dressed his wounds. The Doctor thinks it will be quite a while before he is able to be at work again.

Correspondence.

FLESHERTON, Oct. 9th, 1880.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—I noticed in the STANDARD a short letter from *friend* Meldrum denying the authorship of a certain letter which recently appeared in the *Expositor*. I regret that some expressions therein found, uttered previously to more than one, should have led persons to believe him to be another. And since a denial was deemed necessary, it would have been as well if Mr. M. had denied any *complicity* with it. As to the Reeveship question I must feel a thousand times obliged for his generosity, but I think a wholesome lesson may be learned by my friend from a study of the fable of the "fox and grapes." Maintaining no question concerning Mr. M's veracity.

I am yours,

DR. CHRISTOE.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Council met in the town hall, Flesherton, on Monday, October 4th, 1880. Present, Messrs. Christoe, Elliot, Wright and Pedlar. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. Communications from the following parties presented and read. R. McL. Purdy re Mrs. Sanders and Mrs. Lamberson, asking aid from Council for above parties, they being in indigent circumstances. John Hurlburt asking Council to pay John Feeny $16.68, being equivalent to an amount expended by Euphrasia on town line. Accounts presented, R. J. Sproule, postage, 90c.; Robt. Davis, insurance on town hall, $5.88; W. J. Bellamy, quarter salary as clerk and registrar, $37.50. Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that this council do cordially co operate with the municipality of Euphrasia in repairing the place known as Nelson's bridge, on town line between Artemesia and Euphrasia, provided the proportion to be paid by Artemesia shall only be two-fifths of the amount expended, upon the dissent of Euphasia of the proportion named the sum to be paid by each municipality shall be determined immediately on or after the work is performed; in case of settlement by arbitration then Robert Sherman is hereby appointed by council for Artemesia. These considerations are enforced by Artemesia believing that that portion of the town line is used chiefly for the benefit of Euphrasia. It is furthermore directed that Councillor Elliot do carry out the fixing of the bridge conjointly with Euphrasia by letting down the present structure, ditching and covering the whole with substantial material. Carried. Orders were issued for the following road jobs:—Thos. Sullivan, $17; T. B. Gilliland, $42.90; John Hughes, $7; T. B. Gilliland, $40; Joseph Pedlar, $2; James Jamieson, $7; Hugh Nesbitt, $10; James Allen, 75c.; John Duncan, $1.50; John Feeney, $16.68. Mr. W. H. Beatty, Solicitor of the T. G. & B. R. Company, addressed the council in reference to a proposed by-law to be submitted to the township. Mr. Elliot, moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that Wm. Brown be paid $12, being salary as auditor for 1880. Carried. Council adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY,
Tp. Clerk.

BIRTHS.

In Glenelg, on the 29th ult., the wife of Mr. James Henderson, of a son.

In Priceville, on 30th ult, the wife of Mr. Wm. Conkey, of a daughter.

In Artemesia, on the 28th ult., the wife of Andrew Beaty of a daughter.

MARRIED

At the Primitive Methodist Parsonage, Markdale, on the 13th inst., Mr. Wm. Firth to Margaret, daughter of Mr. James Timmins, all of Glenelg.

At the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Alex. Nelson, Esq., Inistioge, by Rev. D. McLeod, Miss Margaret, daughter of Wm. Wright, Esq., late of Glenelg, to James Skene, Esq., of Bentinck.

DIED.

In this village, on the 8th inst., Thomas Henry, son of Mr. George Wilson, butcher, aged 16 months.

In Hawkstone, County of Simcoe, on the 12th inst., Mr. Sarjeant, father of Mr. W. B. Sarjeant of this place; aged 69 years.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 15th, 1880.

Flour	5.00	to	5.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	0.85	to	1.00
Fall do. do. do.	0.84	to	0.93
Barley	0.40	"	0.56
Oats	0.26	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.56
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed,	4.50	"	5.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.30	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.30
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.05
Sheepskins	0.40	"	1.00
Hides	7.00	"	7.00
Grain seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	3.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	1.50

McIntere says he can supply goods, both in the eating and drinking lines. much cheaper than the market quotations. Read his advertisement, give him a call and be convinced.

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

THURSDAY, Oct. 14th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$4.75	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.85	to	0.97
Fall do. do. do.	0.80	"	0.95
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.26	"	0.27
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed.	4.50	"	5.50
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.00	"	7.50
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

OWEN SOUND.

OWEN SOUND, Oct. 14th, 1880.

Flour, $4.50 to $5 00; Fall Wheat, $0 90 to $0 96; Spring Wheat, $0 95 to $1 00; Barley, 45c to 58c; Oats, 30c to 30c; Peas, 50c to 58c; Hay, $7 00 to $7 50; Potatoes, 25c to 30c; Butter, 20c to 21c; Eggs, 12c to 14c; Apples, per bushel, 25c to 30c; Sheep skins, $0 50 to $1 00; Hides, $7 00 to $7 00

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

TORONTO, Oct. 14, 1880.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	$1 00	to	$1 06
Wheat, spring, do.	1 00	to	1 10
Barley, do.	0 58	to	0 72
Oats, do.	0 33	to	0 34
Peas, do.	0 60	to	0 68
Rye, do.	0 85	to	0 87
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	6 50	to	7 25
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 50
Chickens, per pair	33	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 55
Ducks, per brace	40	to	0 60
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	50	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 70
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 21
Butter, store-packed	12	to	0 10
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 20	to	0 21
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	0 75	to	1 25
Potatoes, per bag	0 30	to	0 35
Onions, per bag	0 00	to	0 00
Hay	9 00	to	9 50

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. BENSON,

—OF THE—

"Belfast House,"

Begs to announce that he is fully prepared to dispose of all articles usual to a general Grocery and Provision Establishment, at the

Lowest Possible Prices!

The stock consists of

Groceries and Provisions!

together with

LIQUORS of all kinds,

such as SCOTCH, IRISH and CANADIAN, of the best brands. I have no desire to puff or misrepresent the performance of impossibilities, but I may say in response to a brother retailer who offers a book worth $1.25 to every purchaser of 3 lbs. of tea, that I will **Give Two Books of superior value** to those mentioned to all buyers of a like quantity. My house is known as the

Belfast House, op. Haskett Bros

NO SECOND PRICE.

W. BENSON.

Markdale, Oct. 14th, 1880. 5-tf.

Auction Sale OF Valuable Real Estate!

IN pursuance of the powers in that behalf contained in a certain mortgage made by John McInnes to the vendors, which said mortgage will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale

By Public Auction!

ON

Tuesday, 26th of October next,

AT McCULLOUGH'S HOTEL,

IN THE VILLAGE OF DUNDALK

at the hour of Twelve O'Clock, noon, the following valuable real estate, that is to say:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Proton in the County of Grey and Province of Ontario, and being composed of a part of Village Lots numbers one, two and three, south west of Toronto, Grey and Bruce Rail Road, according to the plan filed in the Registry Office of the South Riding of the said County of Grey on the ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, sub-dividing a part of lot number two hundred and thirty-one, in the second range south west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the said Township, and made by W. R. Rombough, Provincial Land Surveyor, and which may be more particularly described as follows, that is to say:—Beginning at a point on the north westerly limit of said village lot number two, sixty-one and one-tenth links from the north easterly limit of Yonge street, thence north 39° 30' east along the north westerly limit of said village lots numbers one and two, sixty one and one-tenth links, more or less, to a point twenty-two and two-tenths links from the south westerly angle of said village lot number one; thence south 50° 30" east two chains forty-two and five-tenths links, more or less, to a point on the south easterly limit of said village lot number two, forty-four and six-tenths links south westerly from the north easterly angle of said village lot number two; thence south 39° 30" west along the north easterly limit of said village lots numbers two and three, forty-one and one-tenth links; thence north 50° 30" west two chains, forty-two and five tenths links, more or less, to the place of beginning, and containing by admeasurement twenty-three and seven-tenths perches of land, be the same more or less, upon which is erected a frame store and dwelling house.

Also, lot number twenty-five, in the fifth concession of the township of Osprey, in the said county, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres of land, be the same more or less, upon which is erected a two story frame dwelling-house and good frame barn.

For particulars and condition of sale, apply to Mr. Alexander Brown, Auctioneer, Priceville, A. McLennan, Esq., Durham, or to the undersigned.

Dated at Toronto, the 5th day of October, A.D. 1880.

BARRETT & MACINTYRE,
Vendor's Solicitors,
5-2in No. 65 Yonge-st., Toronto.

FOR SALE.

20 CHARMS—Snowflake, Granite, Wedding, Marble, Basket, (comic china), Mottled Stone, Ashes of Roses, &c., Cards with name on all, 10 cents.
Address, J. A. BROLLEY, Box 79 Creemore P.O. Simcoe, Ont.

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Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

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Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

AUCTION SALE OF Valuable Farm Property IN THE Township of Glenelg,

In the County of Grey.

There will be sold on

Saturday, the 30th day of October

1880, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, in the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

by virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under mortgage from Neil Campbell, lot number one, in the twelfth concession of the Township of Glenelg, County of Grey, containing one hundred acres.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 50 acres cleared, having erected thereon a cedar log barn; situated about 8 miles from the village of Markdale.

PARCEL II.

Lot 27, in the 8th concession of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 60 acres cleared, with log buildings erected thereon.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOHN LYONS, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Sept. 24th, 1880. 3-5in.

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, about the middle of June, a heifer, two years old, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

CHARLES SYKES.
Euphrasia, Oct. 12, 1880. 5-3t

CAUTION.

ALL parties are hereby cautioned against negotiating in any way a note drawn by Thomas Townsend in favour of William Handberry, for the sum of twenty-three dollars ($23), for value has not been received therefor.

THOS. TOWNSEND.
Markdale, Oct. 4, 1880. 4-3in

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Markdale, October 1, 1880.

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Pure Drugs and Chemicals

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Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances and general Druggists sundries.

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IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCOS

TOGETHER WITH

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Physicians' Prescriptions

AND

VETERINARY PREPERATIONS

CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

Montreal Telegraph Office.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880.

HILL BROS.,

When their new building is completed.

Space to be occupied by HILL BROS. when they remove.

Advertisement will appear in this space

MARKDALE.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of John Bowers, near Ford's Mill, Glenelg, a red Heifer with small star on head, and a few white spots on body—is small for a three year old. Any person giving such information to the undersigned as will lead to her recovery will be rewarded.

MRS. S. CASWELL.
Markdale, Oct. 2, 1880. 4-3in

STRAYED

FROM the premises of R. J. Sproule, one medium sized Red Cow. Any person returning the same, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

R. J. SPROULE.
Flesherton, Oct. 8, 1880. 4-1in

STRAYED

FROM the premises of JOHN MOORE, lot 10, concession 12, Euphrasia, about the 15th of June, three yearlings, one spotted heifer—red and white; one white heifer and one red steer. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Euphrasia, Sept. 16, 1880. 4-3in

Auctioneers.

Samuel Morrow,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3

J. M. Webster,

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Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

Subscribe for the Standard

We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

LANCE Height Clocks for $3.50, at Doll's, Flesherton.

HILL BROS. expect to be in their new store early next week.

THE weather for the past few days was all that could be desired—very fine indeed.

SOLID Gold Hunting Lever Watches reduced from $30 and $35 to $20 and $25, at Doll's, Flesherton.

The ... says that "a man who won't support his local paper is a ... specimen of humanity."

TAILORING.—We learn that a new man has been engaged, who in the course of a few days will occupy the shop just vacated by Mr. Pridham.

SABBATH School Tea-Meeting in School House No. 18, lot 8, concession ..., Euphrasia, on the 19th Oct. Tea will be served at 4 p.m.; admission 25 cents.

HEALTH.—This village was never more healthy than at present. There have been a few cases of sore throat, which is common with children, but apart from this we are happy.

WILCOX has got into his new shop, in Hill's block. He informs us that owing to pressure of business and trouble in moving, he is unabled to write his advertisement for this issue.

DR. SPROULE's mansion is progressing, but not as rapidly as one would like to see it. Winter is rapidly approaching and a little more exertion on the part of the contractor appears desirable.

J. F. SPROULE's Millinery will, it is said, when in full working order, not be surpassed by any first-class house in the Dominion—a few days will prove the authenticity of the assertion. Ladies, bear this in mind.

THE Dominion exhibition at Montreal was a thorough success financially. Both the exhibition and the citizens committee have substantial surpluses. In inviting the Governor-General it was forgotten to provide for his entertainment.

DR. EVA returned yesterday and requests us to announce that his engagements elsewhere demand his immediate attention. The Dr. leaves within a few days, and those indebted to him are required to pay up and thereby save trouble.

THE annual meeting of Markdale branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society, will be held in the Methodist Church, Markdale, on Tuesday the 19th inst., commencing at 7 o'clock p.m. Mr. J. G. Manley permanent agent for the society, and other gentlemen will address the meeting.

COMING BACK.—It is encouraging to see a large number of my old customers again coming back to me. I can assure all such, together with these new ones who have kindly favored me, that I can and will give them good value for their money.—A. MCINTYRE.

ATTENTION is directed to the advertisement of Mr. W. Benson, to be found elsewhere. He informs us that his goods are all new, and direct from the market. Intending purchasers would read Mr. B's notice, and if in want of *anything in his line* give him a call.

AN extensive credit sale will take place (according to posters,) on Monday, Oct. 25th, at the residence of Wm. Smith, lot 2, con. 8, Osprey, when a quantity of farm stock, implements, &c., will be disposed of. Terms, fourteen months credit. R. Davis, Auctioneer.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Eaton, who we announced in our last, as rapidly recovering, is, as we predicted, doing well, he is now able to move around, and possessed of a good constitution, as he is, will undoubtedly surmount the affliction he has been subjected to. One more week and he will be himself again—good.

WE have received a communication from Wm. Brown Esq., in answer to Dr. Christoe's letter relative to the T. G. & B. R. It will appear next week. We are anxious to forward the interests of the community, and at the same time would suggest to our correspondents the necessity of promptness in the sending in of communications.

RE-UNION.—A social entertainment will be held next Wednesday evening, commencing at 7 o'clock, in the Dufferin Hall, under the supervision of the M. Church, Markdale. There will be vocal and instrumental music, recitations and address. The Rev. Mr. Griffith of Orangeville, who is said to be a host in himself will be present. A most agreeable time is anticipated.

"ANY letter for me?" asked a young lady of the female postmaster in a country town not far from here. "No," was the reply. "Strange," said the young lady aloud to herself, as she turned away. "Nothing strange about it," cried the f. p., through the delivery window, "you, to my certain knowledge have not answered the last letter he sent you. I do his correspondence." The young lady left, looking dark, with a frown on her chin.

A NEW BOOK is called the "Horse's foot, and how to shoe it." The author of course, is a man. When you see a book entitled, "The hen and how to shoe it," you can lay a heavy wager the writer is a woman. What she does not know about shoeing hens, no man can teach her—not by a large majority.—*Meaford Monitor.*

The man who wrote the foregoing is evidently not a member of the 'ladies' aid society. And as to the shoeing of hens, perhaps his wife might throw some light on that question.

OWING to absence from Meaford we did not notice the letter of Lieut. Robinson in the *Times* of two weeks ago until too late to speak of it in our last, and this week we have not space to give it that attention which justice to ourself demands. Had Robinson confined himself to a statement of what he calls "the facts" of the case between himself and Capt. Rorke we would have nothing to say, but when he deliberately falsifies our position as ... would, we are in duty bound to enter a defence, as we purpose doing in our next.—*Meaford Monitor.* We anxiously await the appearance of the next *Monitor*; the editor of that journal having promised an original article. Oh dear, dear! when will the paper come.

MR. J... to Wiarton ... a visit ... returning ... been ... month.

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THE STANDARD.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Large Height Clocks for $3.50, at Doll's, Flesherton.

Hill Bros. expect to be in their new store early next week.

The weather for the past few days has all that could be desired—very fine indeed.

Solid Gold Hunting Lever Watches reduced from $30 and $35 to $20 and at Doll's, Flesherton.

The *Mail* says that "a man who won't support his local paper is a specimen of humanity."

Tailoring.—We learn that a new man has been engaged, who in the course of a few days will occupy the shop just vacated by Mr. Pridham.

Sabbath School Tea-Meeting in School House No. 18, lot 8, concession Euphrasia, on the 19th Oct.. Tea be served at 4 p.m.; admission cents.

Health.—This village was never more healthy than at present. There have been a few cases of sore throat, which is common with children, but apart from this we are happy.

Wilcox has got into his new shop, in Hill's block. He informs us that owing to pressure of business and trouble in moving, he is unabled to his advertisement for this issue.

Dr. Sproule's mansion is progressing but not as rapidly as one would like to see it. Winter is rapidly approaching and a little more exertion on the part of the contractor appears desirable.

W. F. Sproule's Millinery will, it is said, when in full working order, not be surpassed by any first-class house in the Dominion—a few days will prove the authenticity of the assertion. Ladies, bear this in mind.

The Dominion exhibition at Montreal was a thorough success financially. Both the exhibition and the citizens committee have substantial surpluses. In inviting the Governor-General it was forgotten to provide for his entertainment.

Dr. Eva returned yesterday and requests us to announce that his engagements elsewhere demand his immediate attention. The Dr. leaves within a few days, and those indebted to him are required to pay up and thereby save trouble.

The annual meeting of Markdale branch of the Upper Canada Bible Society, will be held in the Methodist Church, Markdale, on Tuesday the 19th inst., commencing at 7 o'clock p.m. Mr. J. G. Manley permanent agent for the society, and other gentlemen will address the meeting.

Coming Back. It is encouraging to see a large number of my old customers again coming back to me. I assure all such, together with the new ones who have kindly favored me, that I can and will give them value for their money.—A. McIntyre.

Attention is directed to the advertisement of Mr. W. Benson, to be found elsewhere. He informs us that goods are all new, and direct from market. Intending purchasers should read Mr. B's notice, and if in want of anything in his line give him a call.

An extensive credit sale will take place (according to posters,) on Monday, Oct. 25th, at the residence of Smith, lot 2, con. 8, Osprey, when a quantity of farm stock, implements, &c., will be disposed of. Terms, fourteen months credit. R. Davis, Auctioneer.

Personal.—Mr. Eaton, who we announced in our last, as rapidly recovering, is, as we predicted, doing; he is now able to move around, possessed of a good constitution, this is, will undoubtedly surmount affliction he has been subjected to. more week and he will be himself —good.

We have received a communication Wm. Brown Esq., in answer to Christoe's letter relative to the & B. R. It will appear next. We are anxious to forward interests of the community, and same time would suggest to our correspondents the necessity of promptness in the sending in of communications.

Re-Union.—A social entertainment be held next Wednesday evening, commencing at 7 o'clock, in the Dufferin Hall, under the supervision of M. Church, Markdale. There will vocal and instrumental music, readings and address. The Rev. Griffith of Orangeville, who is said a host in himself will be present. agreeable time is anticipated.

"Any letter for me?" asked a young of the female postmaster in a country town not far from here. was the reply. "Strange," the young lady aloud to herself, she turned away. "Nothing strange it," cried the f. p., through the delivery window, "you, to my certain knowledge have not answered the letter he sent you. I do his correspondence." The young lady left, looking dark, with a frown on her

New Book is called the "Horse's and how to shoe it." The author course, is a man. When you see a entitled, "The hen and how to it" you can lay a heavy wager the writer is a woman. What does not know about shoeing man, no man can teach her—not by large majority.—*Meaford Monitor.* The man who wrote the foregoing is certainly not a member of the ladies' society. And as to the shoeing of perhaps his wife might throw light on that question.

Owing to absence from Meaford we not notice the letter of Lieut. Robinson in the *Times* of two weeks until too late to speak of it in our and this week we have not space give it that attention which justice itself demands. Had Robinson confined himself to a statement of what he calls "the facts" of the case between himself and Capt. Rorke we have nothing to say, but when deliberately falsifies our position as gentleman would, we are in duty to enter a defence, as we purpose doing in our next.—*Meaford Monitor.* We anxiously await the appearance of the next *Monitor*; the editor of that journal having promised an original article. Oh dear, dear! when will the paper come.

Mr. John M. Walker, who went to Winnipeg last Spring, is home on a visit. He looks well, and purposes returning to Duluth (where he has been most of the Summer) in about a month.

Burglary.—At Epping, on the 4th line of Euphrasia, on the night of the 9th inst., (Saturday,) the store of Mr. Thomas Jordan was entered and a quantity of goods were stolen, comprising 10 overcoats, 15 suits of ready made clothing, several pairs of pants, vests, one dozen ganzies, 1 chest tea, 2 boxes tobacco, all his cutlery and jewellery, hats, caps, boots and shoes, and many other articles, to the amount of $500. The thieves have not yet been caught. The Euphrasia council, we think, ought to offer a reward for the capture and conviction of the guilty parties.

We shall endeavour from time to time, as we travel through the country, to note any valuable improvements, in both village and country, and give a synopsis to our readers. We notice a very fine bank barn about one and half miles West of Flesherton, (T. & S. Road,) which has been erected this summer, the building is 52x80 feet, with basement full size, we have seen a diagram, and consider when completed will be perhaps unsurpassed in the county. We have not space in our columns to give particulars as fully as it deserves, but would recommend those who contemplate building in that line, to examine it, and we have no doubt Mr. Brown, the proprietor, will gladly give all information necessary, as to plans, &c. It may here be stated that Mr. B. gives a very high recommend to the contractors, Messrs. John Whitton & James Leudlow, for good workmanship, fair dealing, economical and expeditious management.

We forgot to mention in last week's issue one of the most attractive exhibits in the hall, at Flesherton, was a magnificent show case placed in a prominent position facing the front entrance. The case alone was "a thing of beauty," but its contents, consisting of a choice collection of silver-plate, gold jewellery, and watches, attracted admiring attention of crowds all day. We noticed some novel and beautiful designs in silverware which we will not attempt to describe, they must be seen to be appreciated. The jewellery, sets which we are informed by Mr. Doll, the exhibitor, were solid gold, sparkling with real gems, were very beautiful in design and fitted tastefully in Morocco cases lined with satin. The stock of watches seemed immense for a country town, comprising as it did all grades, sizes, and prices from neat pocket watches at $4 to heavy gold cased watches at $100. We congratulate Mr. Doll on his success and bespeak for him the wide patronage his enterprise deserves.—Com.

Shoddy Tramps.—It devolves on us this week to warn our farmer friends particularly, against this description of animal that is now on its travel through this section of country, and, indeed, we may say the creature is not confined to this or any locality—he is to be found everywhere, he is the wandering Jew, his name is legion. His stock in trade consists of a large amount of impudence which he uses to its utmost capacity; he will call upon you, and from information learned, perhaps from your next neighbour, calls you by name, asks after the health of your family, and is sorry to learn that poor Tommy has not yet recovered—in fact he knows all about you. After partaking of dinner, which the good natured farmer is sure to invite him to, he opens up his wares, and displays to the astonished gaze of the farmer such goods as he never saw before. The scoundrel states that he has connections with some of the largest houses on the continent, that he is the agent of a firm who continually purchase bankrupt stock—for which of course, they get for almost carrying away—but having so much of it on hand are compelled to peddle it. The unsuspecting and honest farmer believes every word of it, and an order is immediately given for what the family require. The goods are measured off, the tramp gets his cash, or note and the purchaser is badly sold. There is no law to stop this nefarious disposal of goods, and all that can be done is to warn purchasers against dealing with such scamps. We may here mention that the stuff they offer for sale is of the worst description of shoddy—it looks well, it is true—but it is good for nothing. This village was honored last week by a visit from a couple of those barefaced rascals, and we are not sure but one of them is still in town, against dealing with whom we now warn the public. We have honest, straightforward tradesmen here, who do a legitimate business, and why our people should allow themselves to be gulled by unprincipaled rascals such as we have mentioned is a mystery. We ask our friends of the press to pass these consummate scamps around, so that the country may be rid of them.

The Northern Railway.—The promised meeting of the Directors of the Northern Railway Company to consider the case of the lately discharged men was held on Tuesday last. The result was that an announcement was made to some of the conductors in the afternoon to the effect that conductors Drohan and Raymond, who took a prominent part in the strike, could not be received back on the road, and that the rest of the discharged men would be at liberty to return only on the footing and at the pay of new hands. When this was heard conductor Sloan, one of the steadiest men on the line, refused to continue in the company's service, and declined to take out his train that evening. He was sustained by his brakesmen, and there was some delay in securing other hands for the train, which left considerably late in consequence.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m, Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a.m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dunn Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

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GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station.
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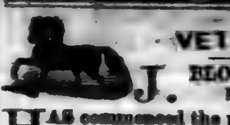

VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

E. D. WILCOX,

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, &c. &c.

This space to be occupied by E. D. Wilcox's Advertisement as soon as his new Brick Store, now being fitted for him is completed.

MARKDALE.

Selling Off. Selling Off.

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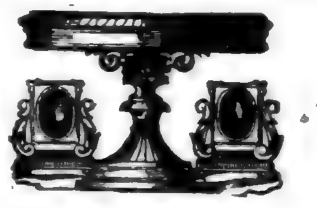
Clearing Out Sale!



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will offer for the

NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
CUPBOARDS,
WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,

Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

Pictures and Picture Framing!

in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing!

promptly attended to.

☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

APPRENTICE WANTED.

A BOY about 16 years of age, to learn Shoemaking.

THOS. HANBURY.
Dundalk, Oct. 1st, 1880. 3-3in.

CHASE BROS. & BOWMAN,

Nurserymen and eedsmen,

Nurseries at Rochester, N.Y.

ENOCH BALL, MEAFORD,

Agent to sell and collect for the
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

WM. FOX,

Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Wm. Foster,

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

Wholesale and Retail dealer in all kinds of

Pine and Hardwood Lumber,

LATH, SHINGLES, CEDAR POSTS, AND CORDWOOD.

☞ Office and yard opposite SHELDON'S HOTEL,

OWEN SOUND, ONT.

N.B.—Lumber, etc., shipped to all parts, by rail or water.

September. 1880. 2-4

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 1-y

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880. 1

A Word to the Public.

The era of prosperity which now happily reigns throughout the length and breadth of our glorious dominion benefits every branch of industry, and has very materially benefited my business, which has increased in volume several thousands of dollars over any previous year, and is steadily increasing.

Appreciating the tastes and requirements of the Public I have studiously, and I trust successfully, labored for 18 years to meet the wishes of purchasers. The support and patronage I have had justifies me in increasing my stock, extending my facilities, and at the same time materially reducing my prices.

Ambitious as I have ever been to be first and foremost in my business, I am resolved that henceforth the reputation I have achieved in this particular, shall be promoted and enhanced. Egotistical mention is not essential, but I do feel warranted in calling attention to my present full and complete stock of Goods, a stock, the greater part of which has been purchased for cash, and direct from the manufacturers, and the equal of which, for extent or variety, I do not think can be found north of Toronto. I solicit from strangers an inspection, and to my friends and customers say, that I have for them in goods and prices a succession of what I believe will be very agreeable surprises. I am in a position to fill all orders, and it will not be necessary to send to Toronto or elsewhere for goods. Give me a chance to supply your wants, and I guarantee the best Goods at the most economical rates.

A call and examination will be gratifying to me, for I feel sure that an experience in patronizing me will fully confirm all that I claim for my goods.

W. J. McFARLAND,

WHOLESASE AND RETAIL,

MARKDALE.

September 17, 1880. 1

BOOTS and SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

A NOVELTY in these Goods!

The Indestructible Riveted and Cemented and Waterproof Seam.

Call and Examine Stock and Prices!

before purchasing "slop" goods elsewhere.

FULL LINES IN

Groceries, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing,

(Ready-made,) Crockery and Glassware!

—AT THE—

"TORONTO HOUSE,"

MARKDALE.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 17th, 1880.

Flesherton Advertisements.

Artemesia Wholesale and Retail Warehouse.

ALWAYS ON HAND A FULL STOCK OF

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

Groceries, Provisions, &c.,

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

☞ INSPECTION INVITED.

WM. HOGG,

Flesherton Station and Eugenia.

September 21st, 1880. 1

Pianos and Organs.

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS!

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All Instruments warranted for Six Years.

ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,

LOCK BOX 78,

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H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

—IN—

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,

SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES, DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!

CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—

UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings

made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and as much so as is consistant with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER.

1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mills

Sheep and Cattle.

FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. [illegible]

Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

GEORGE WILSON,

BUTCHER

Mill St., Markdale, next door to Expositor Office.

☞ Meat delivered at any house in town.

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General Advertisements.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves.

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX

STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings;

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime.

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES:

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.

ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork!

made to order on the shortest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

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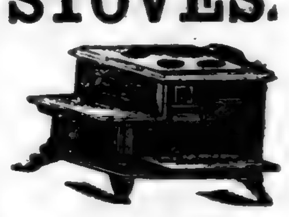

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BOTTOM PRICE FOUND

AT LAST.

Great Reduction to Cash Purchasers.

THINK OF OUR PRICES:

A No. 9 elevated Oven Cook Stove, furnished complete, $18.
Same, with Low Oven, $17.
5 BOX STOVE, $4
All other sizes Equally Low

These Stoves are from the best and largest manufacturers in the Dominion—have all the latest improvements, with illuminated fronts and silver-plated trimmings, and are beyond doubt the best Stoves in the Market.

HARDWARE.

A large stock of axes, cross cut saws, building and Shelf Hardware, Cutlery, Paints, Oils, Varnishes, Brushes, &c. at low prices.

TINWARE.

Coal Oil, Lamps &c., Stock large and prices as low as any in the trade.

HASKETT Bros.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1

Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

James Sullivan,

FLESHERTON.

Manufacturer and Dealer in

Tin, Copper, Sheet-Iron and

Japanned Wares,

Eave Troughing, &c.

A Large Stock of Crockery and Stoneware.

Wooden Wares, Washboards, Brooms, Brushes, Rakes, Handles, &c. &c.

Stove Ovens Lined.

Old Metal, Hides and Wool taken in exchange.

☞ Prices most reasonable,

JAMES SULLIVAN.
Flesherton, Sept. 1880. 1

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres

FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale;

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE,
Proprietor,
Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

Last and Worst.

BY FRANCIS ELKIN ALLISON.

Upon life's highway I was hastening, when
I met a trouble grim,
Whom I had often seen with other men,
But I was far from him.

He seized my arm, and with a sneering lip
Looked o'er my happy past;
With sinking heart I felt his bony grip
Clutch tight and hold me fast.

"You look," he said, "so happy and so bright
That I have come to see
Why other troubles miss you in their flight,
And what you'll do with me."

"And have you come to *stay* with me?" I cried,
Hoping respite to win.
"Yes, I have come to stay. Your world is wide;
I'm crowded where I've been."

I would not look him in the face, but turned
To take him home with me
To all my other troubles, who had spurned
His hateful company.

So he was "crowded," and with me would roam?
I laughed with sullen glee;
At arm's-length took him up the steps of home
Under my own roof tree.

And there I clutched his scrawny neck and thin,
To thrust him in the room
Where, locked and barred, I kept my troubles, in
Seclusion's friendly gloom.

Grimly he looked at me with eyes that burned:
"You know nothing of me;
The key on other troubles may be turned,
But I—am Poverty."

Ah! soon I knew it was in vain, in vain!
No locks availed for him;
Nor double doors, nor thickly curtained pane,
Could make his presence dim.

He wrote his name on all my threadbare ways,
And in my shrinking air
He told the tale of useless shifts and stays
I made against despair.

He brushed the smile from off my sweet wife's face,
And let an anxious frown;
The fresh young joys that should my children grace
His heavy feet trod down.

He took my other troubles out, and walked
With them the public street;
Clad in my sacred sorrows, cheaply talked
With all he chanced to meet.

The hours he stretched upon the rack of days,
The days to weeks of fears;
The weeks were months, whose weary, toilsome ways
Stretched out through hopeless years.

To-day I stooped to fan with eager strife
A single hope which glowed,
And 'mid the fading embers of my life
A fitful warmth bestowed.

Cheered by a spark, I turned with trembling limb
Once more the strife to wage;
But, as I turned I saw my trouble grim
Linking his arm with Age.

Old age and poverty,—here end the strife!
And ye, remorseless pair,
Drape on the last, dim mile-stone of my life,
Your banner of despair.

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Lettice," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

"No, you scarcely impress me as the ideal strong-minded woman; you are not of the order that tends others and goes untended; you want a brave knight to stand between you and the world's woes."

"Nonsense. I am capable of taking care of myself. It is such as Judith, fragile, sweet, pliant, who demand to love and be beloved with gentleness."

"Indeed!" I wish he would not look so steadily at me; I am sure my face is burning shockingly; "and how would you demand to be loved?"

My ire rises. I am afraid of making a simpleton of myself. I answer curtly—

"That is a question I have not considered."

"Have you not?"

There is an exquisite stillness everywhere. I am speechless. Mistily I observe the green blades at my feet. Dale puts his hand on mine.

"Deborah, will you consider it? I want you for my wife."

Some people are equal to every occasion. I am not. I shrink from him crying—

"No, no, no!"

He is patient. He waits until my foolish fit of shivering is over, and then resumes.

"Maybe I have spoken too soon; but I fancied you understood I loved you. I have tried to show you again and again. Will said you did not comprehend me."

"Does Will know?"

"Yes."

"And is he not angry?"

"Why should he be? I know I am not good enough for you"—disconsolately. "But if any one can make anything of me, you can."

"No, no."

"My mother and father are ready to bless you if you will take pity on me. A girl a hundred times dearer, sweeter, prettier than Letty must be a treasure."

"How can you?" raising my red face. "Why should you mock me? I am not nearly so pretty as Letty."

"Are you not? Deborah, you are lovely to me; you always will be lovely to me, whether you grant my prayer or not. Darling, is it quite beyond your power to care for me? Have I been a fool to imagine you can like me?"

I do not choose to hear him disparage himself.

"You are not a fool"—with a sob.

"You like—love—me?"

"Y-e-s."

"Deborah! Oh, you silly child! I declare I believed you cared for some one else."

"Some one else?"

My tone or words thoroughly upset him. He throws his arms about me and kisses me. I strive to get from him, but he will not let me. I am obliged to be passive. I am not very disturbed. Will knows. When, however, I free myself, I say demurely—

"You are taking it all for granted. I have not promised I will——"

"Marry me? But you will!"

It is not easy to tease when tears are near the surface. I hide my face on his coat-sleeve, and weep desperately. He soothes me as tenderly as my mother could. When I raise my head, I have confessed I love him with a love intense, unfathomable.

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I have been in bed and asleep more than an hour when I am awakened by a tap at my door. I start up; the moonlight is streaming in and is lying on carpet and counterpane in a silvery flood.

"Who is there?" I call, perturbed.

"It is I," Judith answers.

I unfasten the door, and she enters timidly. I am struck by the ghastly pallor of her face; her lips are white and bloodless, and her eyes are heavy, as though she were under the influence of a narcotic. She is the first to speak.

"I did not think you would be in bed," she says. "Sometimes you stay up late, writing. It is eleven o'clock."

"Mrs. Santon was tired, and I was no disinclined for a beauty sleep," I explain; "but I am wide awake now. I am glad you have looked in on me. I will slip on my dressing-gown, and we will have a chat. I have scarcely seen you all day."

She does not respond. I touch her accidentally, and am startled. She is stony cold this warm night.

"Judith, what is it?"

She stares at me blankly; horror chills me. It is possible, she is losing her senses? I twine my arms about her.

"I am so weary," she sighs, her features quivering.

"Sleep with me," I implore—"do, Judith!"

"Yes."

I undress her without any fuss. She is literally incapable of undressing herself, and so weary. Oh, Judith, Judith! Is Squire Ellerslie worse? I wonder. What can have happened? I am thirsting for information, but I do not vex Judith with questions. Not until her head is on the pillow will I allow her to unburden her mind. She does so, slowly, disconnectedly. I cannot believe what she says. I cry incredulously—

"You are going to marry Mr. Thornton to-morrow?"

"Yes."

"To-morrow!" I repeat, in profound consternation.

"You knew I was to marry him."

"Aye, but what this unseemly haste."

"My grandfather wishes it. He is dying, and I cannot deny him; and, if it is to be done, it had better be done quickly."

"I am not sure of that. He is not a fit man for you to wed."

She checks me.

"I have given my word to my grandfather—I gave it to my grandmother."

"But he is a gambler," I cry; "not one who should be your husband. Judith, think while there is time—delay now."

"I have thought," she mutters sorrowfully. "It is useless to remonstrate with me. The Squire would not die in peace if his wish were thwarted."

After musing, I say—

"Who will marry you? Not Will?"

"Oh, no"—with a shudder—"not Will, but Mr. Carruthers! I shall be married in my grandfather's room."

It is terrible.

"Oh, Judith, must it be?" I cry.

"It must be"—drearily. "Dear, you will help me, will you not?"

"Help you to what? Oh, my darling, I am afraid your wedding-ring will bring you bitter misery!"

She is mute. Through the ordeal before her she will go without resistance. I writhe in rage, but she is stoically, icily calm. At last my eyelids close. I am young, and unused to night vigils. Do I dream or not? I fancy Judith sobs and moans, fancy she murmurs my brother's name again and again as she tosses in agony. Ah, she is at the beginning of a thorny road! No wonder she weeps, as stricken women do, knowing she must tread it uncomplainingly.

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We are all grouped in Squire Elleslie's room. Judith in her white silk robe resembles a corpse. Mr Thornton is a little agitated. I have decked myself in gala attire; but I am very conscious of my swollen eyes and pale cheeks. The clergyman is fidgetty; Mrs. Santon is thoughtful; and only the Squire is perfectly calm. He does not discern the incongruous elements to which we are so keenly alive. For many years he has regarded his granddaughter's marriage with Silas Thornton as *un fait accompli*. The legal rite about to be performed is but the crowning of the edifice reared by his imagination. I wish—how earnestly no tongue can tell—something may occur to hinder the nuptial knot being tied; but I wish in vain. I hear the solemn words, the promises on either side. Judith's voice is as clear and sweet as the most tuneful bell. I know that nothing but death can sever the two now made one.

It is all over. Mr. Carruthers murmurs congratulations, and subsides into quietude. The squire's face is flushed; ten minutes since it was deathly white. Judith draws near, but he puts her back.

"Silas must be first," he says, distinctly.

She trembles from head to foot, shrinks, and then is impassive, as are those in peril who have no hope in this life. Does her husband see her involuntarily recoil? He kisses her without a word, and she darts from him to lavish caresses on her grandfather with a wild fierceness that would betray her were the Squire not already dull to things of time and sense.

I stumble to my room. Barley, Judith's maid, is putting it straight. I am beyond respect for appearances, and throw myself upon my bed recklessly. Barley is very troubled.

"I do not like it," she assures me, as I drink the water she brings me. "I am ill-satisfied. Will it bring Miss Judith luck?"

"Why should it not?"

We start, for Judith is in the doorway.

"Take off my dress, Barley," she says. "Doctor Balfour will be here directly. I want to speak to him. Deborah, I have brought you a letter, one delivered by the second post."

It is from Will. My eyes are dim. I rub them furtively ere I read it. When I look up Judith is looking at me.

"Well?" she queries.

"It is from Will," I say stupidly. "Mr. Thorold has gone to America; Will has seen him off, and he will be home this evening."

"Alack-a-day!" Barley cries. "If you had but waited you might have been married by Mr. Carey, and not a person you know little of."

Judith twists her wedding-ring round and round, reels, and falls fainting.

The house is very quiet, and the Squire has his lawyer with him. Judith is an ottoman by my side. There is certainly nothing bridal in her attire; she is wearing a thin black crape dress, a jet necklace round her pearly throat, and jet bracelets on her slender wrists. A slumbering intensity in her eyes warns me that her repressed feeling will shortly revenge itself. I pat her hands childishly, but I doubt if she notices my touch; she is brooding—brooding deeply. Night is closing in, and soon the stars will shine—shine as gloriously as though the world illumined by them were as blissful as Heaven. I look at Judith; she has recovered from her fainting-fit. How stately and serene she is! I almost wonder whether she does suffer acutely. Does her frigid exterior hide volcanic heat? I let my head droop; thoughts of Dale carry me from the quaint perfumed room. Suddenly Judith's grasp causes me to wince. Will is before us.

"Oh, Will!" I cry. And he holds me with fraternal affection.

Judith rises. She is very lovely! Her supple willowy figure, her exquisite figure, her dark, luminous eyes, dazzle me. An exceedingly bitter pang thrills me through and through.

"Are you well, Miss Napine?" Will asks.

There is no reply. My breath comes and goes chokingly. There must be no scene; everything must be done decently and in order. When our dearest ones die, we scrupulously pull down the blinds.

"Judith is Miss Napine no longer," I say, with a desperate effort at gaiety; "she is Mrs. Thornton."

"Mrs. Thornton?" he repeats.

"Yes," she interrupts; "I was married this morning."

Will is still. The time-piece ticks a few seconds. Presently Will whispers, but loud enough for me to hear—

"I hope you will be happy. Heaven bless you!"

Her lips part in a vain attempt to answer. Then she drops into a chair like one destitute of strength. Will walks to the window and gazes at the darkening landscape. Judith wipes the moisture from her face, and he turns round.

"Deborah," he says, and his tone is not rough or harsh, "will you return to-night with me?"

I hesitate. Can I leave Judith. She solves my doubt.

"Yes, dear, you will be happier at the Vicarage; this is a house of mourning."

I put on my hat and mantle quickly. When I enter the drawing-room, Mr. Thornton, Mrs. Santon, and the lawyer are with Will and Judith. The Squire is dozing. Will promises to call early in the morning. Judith's hand is in his. We take our leave, and walk homewards silent, as though dumb; words were not needed to tell me that Will's heart is broken, and his hopes wrecked.

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Dale and I are picking roses. It is a pleasant task, and we are both inclined to prolong it as much as may be. Will is paying parochial visits, and the servants are at tea. There is a *dolce far niente* air abroad. Lazily I drop on the grass and command Dale to continue to labour for himself and me; but he refuses, and stretches at full length half a yard from me, scattering our spoil with a sublime unconcern. I scold as vigorously as the warmth will permit, but he listens unmoved. We are now formally engaged. Will has given consent for mamma until she can refuse or accede to Dale's request. I am not anxious on this score. She will say "Amen," and complete my content.

I am happy. There is but one drop of sorrow in my daintily-flavoured cup, and that is Judith's lot. I push my hair from my brow—Dale is fastening leaves in my hat—and ponder. Will my present felicity last? Yes—oh, yes! Dale is inquisitive.

"What is it, sweetheart?" he entreats; and I, because already I have given him the key to my thoughts, and fancies, and dreams, tell him. He eyes me narrowly. "Deb," he says gravely, "do not mistrust your gladness. Hope and faith are life's elixirs. I believe you will be happy all your days."

"But why should Judith be miserable?"

"Will she be? Does she not love Mr. Thornton?"

I let the question pass. By chance I have learned her secret, and I must not divulge it even to him. Gratefully I hear a step behind us. Dale leaps up.

"Why, Will," he cries, "you have a face as sober as an undertaker's!"

A foreboding seizes me. I almost hate myself for having been so wantonly merry and blithe this sunny afternoon. I silence Dale with an imperative gesture.

"Squire Ellerslie is dead?" I say to my brother inquiringly.

"Yes, he died an hour since."

Gloom eclipses our smiles. Will tells us all as we go in-doors. It is summed up in one sentence.

"He fell into a sleep and never awoke."

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It is six weeks to-day since Judith became Mrs. Thornton, and not one visit has she paid to the Vicarage. I have paid her many, but, though her pleasure at seeing me is manifest, I cannot persuade her to return my calls. Squire Ellerslie is gathered to his fathers, and a goodly company attended his funeral. With pomp and state he was buried; but none mourned him as did Judith. His will has caused surprise. The bulk of his property is left to Silas Thornton. Judith's name is not mentioned.

We recollect Lady Napine's will, and debate whether the similarity between hers and the Squire's is accidental. Very extraordinary faith must they both have had in Mr. Thornton if they arranged to leave all their possessions to their granddaughter's husband under the impression that to do so was wiser than to leave them to Judith herself. I know they have desired to do that which is best for their grandchild; but I fear they have made a fatal mistake in placing unlimited faith in Mr. Thornton. It is not right to anticipate evil, but my forebodings are very melancholy. When the master of Napine and Ellerslie shows the cloven hoof, what will be his wife's position?

Letty and the baby are at the Vicarage. I have confided some of my cares to her. She thinks I am over-anxious about Judith, and is inclined to believe that time will shape things smoothly. She does not know about Will; does not realise that, wherever flowers are planted, there may always be a worm at their root.

Mrs. Austey wants us to spend the evening with her; indeed, we have promised to do so; but when Will comes to bid us be ready, I entreat to be allowed to remain behind, and tell him that Letty and he must make my excuses. I will stay with baby. I have my way, after many useless expostulations; then I help Letty to don her prettiest garment, pin a flower in Will's button-hole, and watch them down the path with satisfaction.

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It is a gusty summer night; the leaves are beginning to fall, and are swept hither and thither thoroughly. Autumn's sad music is in the breeze. I glance at the grey sky dolefully. I have a gloomy, miserable sensation that ill is looming; perchance, because I have no genuine sorrows, I try to create some. I am not given to low spirits, but to-night I am dismal enough to please the most saturnine. Luckily, before I quite succeed in scaring myself, Ray knocks.

"Nurse wishes to go into the village, Miss Deborah. I am willing to mind baby, if you will allow her.

"Yes, she can go, but let me have baby."

Ray is reluctant; but I want my little niece.

I am assuredly going to have a bad cold; I shiver repeatedly, and my throat is sore. I put on some coals, and draw close to the blaze. Baby falls asleep. I undress her carefully, place her in the cradle, and tuck her up snugly. Do I fall asleep myself? It is quite possible. I am conscious of a comfortable warmth, of a delightful drowsy feeling, and naught else.

When I open my eyes, a singular notion possesses me, an idea is on me of which I cannot get rid—I have been kissed! I smile and look about me; the duskiness prevailing is not to be lightened by the sparse flame in the grate. I peer into the corners. Baby cries, and I move hurriedly; as I do so a slight black figure approaches from the far end of the room. My frightened exclamation is quickly subdued. Judith! In my pleasure I embrace her passionately, pull her toward the fire, and gazes at her as if she and I had been sundered for years. She returns my caresses with loving ardour; but, when the feverish red has faded from her cheeks, I am pained at her pallor, at her patient, suffering air. Some change has passed over her since I last saw her; what can it be? Beneath her eyes are black lines, lines never wrought save by mental anguish; and her lips are dry and parched. I am loath to question her, fearful lest in my ignorance I may touch a wound too fresh to bear the tenderest contact; and she understands my embarrassment.

"You do not ask how I came here," she says. "Did I startle you?"

"No, no."

"Ray told me you were up-stairs, and, when I entered and found you sleeping so restfully, I preferred to wait until you roused yourself rather than rouse you. Deb, are you happy?"

"Yes."

For one moment she is silent. Is she comparing her destiny and mine? She takes my faces in her hands and raises it to hers.

"Heaven bless you, and grant that may always be so!"

Vainly I try to force back my tears. I cannot. She draws me to her forcibly; she has altered, and is not now a weak yielding girl, but a woman capable of enduring without sigh or protest. She says—and her voice is as unemotional as her face—

"I thought this a good chance of coming to you. Mr. Brenton is dining at Ellerslie. I am not wanted."

It sounds, oh, so forlorn! I repress vehement words bravely. She continues—

"Deborah, if I had known all I know now, when my dear grandmother begged me to marry Mr. Thornton——"

"You would not have married him!" I interject rashly.

"May be I ought not to admit it, but it was an error—a terrible error!"

A mighty yearning to soothe this sweet lovely woman seizes me. I look at her, and, amid mingled feelings—grief, anger, despair—marvel at her fairness. Is Silas Thornton a brute, and not a man, that he can regard her and not bow before her! Oh, Judith, Judith, you have indeed committed an error—alas, one no repentance can undo!

"I must not stay. Ah, Deborah, if I might! Child, what a mysterious thing life is! They say it is in our power, individually, to make or mar it; but, like a great many other oracular sayings, that is not an infallible one. My life was spoilt when it began. If my mother had lived it might have been otherwise; but—— Deb, you never showed me your mother's likeness."

"You may see it now," I reply, opening the locket at my throat—"my mother and Will."

They are excellent photographs. She examines my mother's face with well-satisfied eyes, then a faint colour tinges her cheeks, and her eyes sparkle; ere I can divine what she is about to do, she is pressing her unsmiling lips on my brother's grave handsome visage. I cannot hinder her. I look over her bent head moodily.

"Deborah, I am not wicked. I only care for him as one infinitely above me, not—not as you care for Dale Ord.

I say something indistinctly. She is not at ease.

"Dear"—pathetically—"I have not vexed you. I meant no wrong, but Mr. Carey was so kind to me when grandmamma was ill. I owed him very much."

Her face is glorified with an unearthly loveliness, and I kiss her reverently. What makes me wish that her days may be few? What is it that assures me that the grave would be a better home for her than any other? She rises, holding the locket—I have taken it off lingeringly. Impulsively I cry—

"Would you like the likeness? I have another I can wear."

"Deborah, am I to be trusted?"

I remove the gold rim and glass, and give her the likeness without comment. She covers it with her slender fingers.

"Thank you," she says. "Good-bye."

"I am coming with you into the garden."

I wrap myself up in a fleecy woolen shawl, ring for Ray to sit with baby, and we go out. There is a watery halo round the moon; the flowers look very fair and quaint; a solemn calm reigns. Night has a witching charm. I slip my arm within Judith's. I am full of thoughts too deep for words. At the white gate we separate. I kiss her softly; she kisses me with curious intensity.

"You have been a sister to me, a loving sister," she says, her voice rich and deep. "Deborah, I dare not say what my heart urges, but you know I love you!"

"Yes, yes."

"And you will always love me? Ay, Once more, Heaven bless you! Good-bye."

The plash of raindrops wakes me. When I enter the breakfast-parlour our trim little garden bids fair to become a pond, the rain is coming down so heavily. I eat my breakfast tranquilly. I have no longing to walk, ride, or drive. I have letters to write, books to read, work to arrange with Letty. Also, it is Will's sermon day; he can shut himself in his study, and, if it shall please him, we can have a cosy family evening together.

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Question of Higher Education.

There are few subjects which, in our time, have been worn more thoroughly threadbare than that of education. Unless it be for the behoof of what has been aptly called the "everlasting rising generation," this matter might be allowed to rest. Accepted theories have not been so thoroughly worked as to warrant, one would think, the demand just yet for the trial of new ones—as a matter of fact, we know that there are a great many old-fashioned Conservative sort of folk who are disposed to let well-enough alone,—and even where they see defects, to rather bear the ills they have than to fly to those they know not of. But this is scarcely the spirit of the age. "Progress" is the watchword of the time. Whether it be backward or forward, or up or down, there must be movement; better to go anywhere than to stand still, and—as the inevitable consequence is supposed to be—be run over. Higher education must not be an exception to this rule. In the general mobilization of everything else this must not, of all things, remain immobile.

Time was when the distinction between a liberal and a professional education was pretty clear. That sort of intellectual training which aimed simply at the full and harmonious development of the faculties of the student was never confounded with that which is specially designed to fit a man for earning his bread. Indeed, it was thought that the farther the "pot-boiling," or as the Germans call it, the "bread-and-butter" idea was kept from the mind of the student engaged in the pursuit of a liberal education, and the more thoroughly he was trained to love study for its own sake, and for the sake of the consciousness of freedom and strength which it imported, the better. Then it was no objection to Latin or Greek that, in all probability, the person learning them would make very little direct use of them after he left College; or to logic, metaphysics, and the higher mathematics, that he was not likely to adopt a profession which would call these branches of knowledge directly into requisition. Then, if the precocious and impatient youngster objected to the lessons which he was required to learn, that he did not see the use of them, it was deemed a sufficient answer that what he knew not then he would know in after years. And it must be admitted that, in this way, some excellent scholars were made, and—which is still more important—some excellent characters were formed.

But, it appears, a more excellent theory has been discovered, and all this is to be changed, or to give place to something better. Latin and Greek if they are not to be altogether discarded are at least to be relegated to the region of the options. Metaphysics is to give place to the physical sciences. In a word, what have heretofore been grouped under the general head of liberal studies, if they are to be retained at all, are to have a subordinate position assigned to them, and education is to be made, in the more materialistic and matter-of-fact sense of the terms, "practical and useful." In the process of effecting this change, an entirely new method of instruction is to be called into requisition. The "object-lesson" is to perform a conspicuous part. Not only are the academy and the Porch to be used as heretofore, but the "grove" and even places less congenial to the feelings of the student are to be brought into prominence as places of instruction. The editor of the *Popular Science Monthly* who is a leader in this reform, or rather, perhaps, this agitation for reform, suggests some measures which probably will appear to many to seem rather radical and even startling innovations. We may mention a few of these.

As a first instalment of what he would like to see introduced into our institutions of learning, he thinks great good both immediate and prospective would result if, for example, the college buildings of the Michigan University, at Ann Arbor, were treated as an object-lesson; and if after this was mastered, the water-supply and sewage system of the town were treated in the same way. After perfecting themselves in those preliminary lessons, he would have the students to systematically extend their studies to the schoolhouses, the poorhouse, and the gaol, with a view to understanding the scientific principles involved in their hygienic, and sanitary conditions and arrangements. Of course he would not have them to end there, but, as we may take for granted, extend their investigations to everything else, either immediately or remotely connected with human welfare. If an object-lesson should be made of the water supply, why not of the food supply? What people eat is quite as important as what they drink. To investigate, with sufficient thoroughness to be of any value to the student in after life, all the sources from which the commissariat of a single city is supplied, opens a pretty wide field, furnishing material for several object-lessons. Then, while man continues to be a clothes-wearing animal, and especially while he continues to be so largely dependent upon clothes, both for his respectability and comfort, there does not seem to be any good reason why the "science of clothes" should not receive its full share of attention.

It may be an evidence of weakness on our part, but we confess, the vastness of the curriculum suggested by Prof. Youmans, in the article referred to, rather appalls us. To say nothing of the mistaken notion of education, which, as we conceive, underlies the whole of this theory, if the mind is to be made a catch-all, which is to be crammed with all sorts of "practical" knowledge, which a gross materialistic utilitarianism may judge to be "useful," and if this be the proper work of schools and colleges, one can scarcely see where the school-days of the coming generation are to end. In fact, if the work is to be done thoroughly, it appears to stretch out, popularly speaking, almost to infinity. Besides, when one thinks of it, to say nothing of the grotesque situations which it suggests, the carrying out of this comprehensive course of instruction would, as it appears to us, be attended with considerable inconvenience.

Think of Dr. McCaul, with his noble staff of co-labourers, for example, leading a few hundred students in a subterranean exploration of the city of Toronto, in order to induct them into the scientific mysteries involved in the sewage system of our good city,—or taking them down for a month to Governor Green's Castle to form a scientific and practical acquaintance with its dietetic hygienic, sanitary, and disciplinary arrangements, and then to have every other institution existing among us subjected to the same process. We hope our educational authorities will make haste slowly in adopting so radical a programme.

Talk Over What You Read.

Nearly forty years' experience as a teacher has shown how little I know of a subject until I begin to explain it or teach it. Let any young person try the experiment of giving in conversation, briefly and connectedly and in the simplest language, the chief points of any book or article he has read, and he will at once see what I mean. The gaps that are likely to appear in the knowledge that he felt was his own will no doubt be very surprising. I know of no training superior to this in utilizing one's reading, in strengthening the memory and in forming habits of clear, connected statement. It will doubtless teach other things than those I have mentioned, which the persons who honestly make the experiment will find out for themselves. Children who read can be encouraged to give, in a familiar way, the interesting parts of the books they have read with great advantage to all concerned. More than one youth I know has laid the foundation of intellectual tastes in a New England family, where hearty encouragement was given to children and adults in their attempts to sketch the lectures they had heard the evening previous. The same thing was done with books.

A Grand Trade.

An old Glasgow bookseller used to give a humorous account of what was in his days an almost daily occurrence:—"Indeed," he would say, "it's but a poor trade the selling of stationery. A muckle stupit simph comes into the shop, and says, 'Gie's a bawbee's worth o' paper.' 'Is is post ye want?' 'Oh, yes.' 'Bless me, man, dae ye want short or lang?' 'Ah, no; I'll tak this ane, for it's biggest.' Well, ye wad think ane was done wi' the fallow after a' that fash, and mair nor five or ten minutes lost; but no—he's at ye yet. 'Mend that pen,' he says, handing out an auld stump to ye that nae body almost could men'; and when ye hae dun that, he follows it wi' 'Pit a wee drap ink in that bottle.' Ye pit some in in his bottle a' for naething, and syne he shoves out his great horny hand, and says, 'I'll thank ye for a wafer.' Now only think o' the fasheerie, sic a loss o' time, forbye the ink and the wafer for naething! Ye'll see that the stationery trade's a grand trade."

When the Cat is away.

ORGIES HELD BY SERVANTS IN A GENTLEMAN'S HOUSE.

(From the Second Edition.)

Shrieks, curses, and the sound of blows arose from a aristocratic quarter, early Sunday morning, and caused the residents of the neighborhood to fly to their windows. They saw three men emerging from the front yard of one of the prettiest 'ouses, hatless, shoeless, and coatless. The house belongs to Mr. Dalmolin, a wealthy Italian. He was found at home yesterday. Said Mr. Dalmolin:—"It's a good joke on me, but I dare say two families out of three who are enjoying their vacation are in the same fix. I left for the White Mountains June 20th. Two girls remained to take care of the house, and a colored boy. Last Saturday the boy James came to the store and said the servants had been receiving visitors, who slept in the house, and made free with my choicest wines, liquors, and cigars, to say nothing of eatables.

HIS STORY.

amazed me, especially when he talked of parties of fourteen occupying my house and drinking $10 wine, ten years old. My wife's and daughter's bedrooms were made free with, as were their dresses, &c. The more I thought about it the madder I got. I went down to Elberon, however, as if nothing had happened, and then took the train back to town. I arrived between 2 and 3 o'clock. I had a double-barrelled shot gun, and James, who opened the door, told me that three of the rascals were in the house. I rushed up stairs. I was about to kick open the door of my wife's room. The cook opened it herself. I found a man dressing. He was a coachman discharged by a next door neighbor a short time before for similar conduct.

I KICKED HIM.

down stairs, where he showed fight, but my gun cooled him, and he was off like a shot. I went up stairs again, and found another man behind the dresses in my daughter's room. He was a burly six-footer. I kicked him down stairs, but he made no resistance. I thought they were all out, but hearing a noise in the room opposite my daughter's I found a chunky fellow on the bed, hidden by a heavy mattress. I prodded him down stairs with my gun." Mr. Dalmolin then ruefully showed his visitors through the house. The dining room was in confusion. Empty bottles were strewn around, the carpet stained with wine, and several of the chairs were broken. He then

LED THE WAY

to the wine cellar. "They must have had a duplicate key," said Mr. Dalmolin, mournfully. "Confound the rascals! They were not satisfied with good claret, or even Moscota Spumante, or my choice champagnes, madeiras or sherries, but they took almost all my San Colombano at $10 a bottle." Mr. Dalmolin's San Colombano was only brought out on rare occasions. The visitors had excellent taste. A dozen would come at a time, and the girls brought out wine, cakes, canned fruits and meats, and cigars. All would sleep in the house. On July 10th there were fourteen. They sang, drank wine, played on the piano, and broke down the hammocks. Every Saturday and Sunday the orgies were repeated. One of the guests was a nurse discharged for theft four months ago. Her delight was to sport Mr. Dalmolin's daughter's handsome dresses. Some did not relish the fine wines, and brought beer, whiskey, gin, &c., making fearful havoc in the dining-room.

Following the Fashions.

When Paris starts a fashion, the milliners of all civilized countries are ready to import it all over Europe and America. But on us English we do not think French inventions sit with much grace. We are too different from the French to adopt with any success the style which best suits them. The English character and mind, being, as compared with the French, simple, vague, and slow; imaginative, rather than fanciful; constant and stable in feeling, rather than quickly sympathetic; proud, rather than vain; and, though proud, decidedly more modest and less self-confident than the French, we invent when we do exert ourselves, and push out our creative faculties on entirely different lines, so to speak, from those on which the French invent; but too often our modesty, vagueness, simplicity, and slowness acting together, ensnare us into an undue admiration of a French quality or achievement, for the very reason that we do not possess the one and cannot readily accomplish the other. French vanity, on the contrary, as a rule admires French qualities and French achievements because they are French. We are apt to surrender our national taste, not because the taste we adopt is superior, but because the weak side of our simplicity is deluded into believing theoretically in the taste which thinks so much of itself. That we are not discriminating in the manner in which we follow French fashions is shown by the fact that we do not copy what is really admirable in their work, and that we exaggerate almost to distortion the most fantastic inventions in French dress. Many a Paris milliner will keep an outre form of the fashions for her English and American customers, and we in England often imitate the frills and furbelows of French trimmings, but we do not make a point of imitating the neatness and perfection of the work, nor are we clever in fitting the wearing of the garment appropriately to the occasion, so that often we see an idea which starts from the Paris milliner in the form of an elaborate and artful piece of needle-work swept about dirty London streets in a slovenly, untidy form. Probably our power of perfecting the details of dress will always fail as long as we imitate another nation's inventions, for the same reason that in higher kinds of art it is so rare to find a copyist of any work of art capable of rendering even the most technical qualities of finish with real skill of elaboration, the interest felt by the inventor himself being the only power sufficiently strong to inspire the patience and ability necessary for perfect completeness in the details. But we believe that, were we to sharpen our inventive qualities and overcome the vagueness which results in an indiscriminate following of fashions which in no way fit into our national characteristics, weaving into such inventions a better side of our modesty and simplicity than we have shown in doing more than justice to another's nation's taste, we might achieve the inventions of costumes at once beautiful and English in character.—*The Spectator.*

GENERAL.

The rumor that Modjeska and Sarah Bernhardt are to be rivals is based on the fact that Modjeska is a Pole.

PHYSIC.—A witty old physician being asked by a beautiful girl what good all his doctor stuff did people, answered: "Why you see, my dear, by my pills, and powders, and blisters I distract the patient's attention, while nature cuts in and cures the disease before he knows it."

The Fiji Islanders who, up to six year ago, when England adopted them were cannibals, and indulged in fricassed traders, with cold missionary on the sideboard, have become so civilized that they wear clean shirts on Sunday, sing hymns, eat yams and beefsteak like any orthodox Christian. What with cocoanut, cocoanut fibre, cotton, sugar and coffee to export, and a luxuriant soil to grow all these products in, the colony ought to have a grand future.

The oldest infantry regiment in the Austrian army celebrated, on the 21st of last month, the 250th anniversary of its enrollment. It bears the name of "Prince George of Saxony, No. 11," and was raised in Bohemia in 1630, during the "Thirty Years' War." The regiment is at present quartered in Herzegovina. The day was celebrated by a grand banquet given by the officers, while the soldiers had a sort of historical masquerade, illustrating the career of the regiment.

On Saturday night Carter, the negro minstrel, who was performing in one of the big Bowery variety theatres, provoked long and loud applause with his newest story. "I was in Washington the other day," said he, "and I met an old politician there who asked me how things were in New York. I told him that a Pennsylvania man is in a peculiar fix there. He asked how that was, and I said that the man I referred to is on the Island, and is going to be sent up for four years in November."

After the execution of Menesclou in Paris the other day for the murder of the little girl, Lusie Deu, his remains were conveyed to the anatomical theatre, and subjected to a singular experiment. Dr. Sapdey injected under the cutaneous tissue of the head some fresh-drawn blood from the carotid of a living dog. The result was startling, for the colour returned to the cheeks, there was a perceptible nervous tremour, while the lips slightly moved. The same treatment applied to the body produced no effect.

YOUNG FOLKS.

How a Crab Changed his Clothes.

"Say, now, you leave my dinner alone, or I'll tell mamma."

"You can tell, if you have a mind to. I don't care, tell-tale."

No, it was not children that I heard quarrelling; it was only two little crabs. Children never speak so crossly to each other; but those two little crabs scolded and bit down there in the water until— But I am getting ahead of my story. I'll tell you how it was.

I had been out fishing, and as the sun became too hot, I rowed my boat to shore under the shade of the trees, and sat thinking. I looked down into the water, and saw a little crab holding a clam shell under his mouth with his claw, and eating as fast as he could, at the same time turning his queer, bulging eyes in all directions to see that he would not be disturbed. But soon another crab came up, and tried to snatch away the clam shell. Then ensued the conversation which I have already quoted. I dropped a piece of clam into the water, and the new-comer seized it. He scuttled away under a piece of sea-weed, and cried out in triumph:—

"Aha! greedy, you didn't get it, and it is much better than your old shell. Don't you wish you had it?"

"I'll change with you," said the other. "Just see this blue on the edge of my shell. Ain't it lovely?"

"Change! I guess not. Who cares for the blue? You can't eat the blue."

"Of course you can't eat it, but it is pretty. However, there is no use of talking to you about it; you have no love for the beautiful," said the other, tauntingly.

"You needn't put on so many airs. I'm bigger than you anyway," snarled the first.

"You won't be long, for I'm growing every day."

"Children! children! what is the matter?" asked the old mamma crab, who just appeared on the scene.

"Mamma, he tried to get my din—"

"I didn't, I only wanted—"

"He's a mean, horrid old thing and I don't—"

"Why, children," interrupted the old crab, "I am ashamed of you. What is the matter?"

"He tried to take away my dinner," said one.

"He said I wasn't growing big," said the other.

"That did not stop your growth, did it?" said mamma.

"N—o," drawled the little one.

"And now," she continued, "I want you to behave yourselves. Stop such silly quarrelling. You act so much like boys and girls that I am ashamed of you."

"Say, mamma, my clothes are getting too tight for me, and I've busted a seam in the back of my coat," said one of the youngsters, after a short pause.

"That is all right," answered mamma, assuringly; "you are only going to 'shed.'"

"Am I going to be all soft and helpless, like papa was, and then be taken away and not come back any more?"

"Oh, no, I hope not. You must find a quiet place, and hide until you can take care of yourself," answered mamma.

Accordingly the young crab wandered around, and found a nice quiet place under the shadow of a large log, here he half buried himself in the mud, and commenced the operation of changing his clothes. He swelled himself out until the upper shell separated from the lower, then worked his claws slowly backward and forward, and expanded and contracted the muscles of his body; little by little, he emerged from his shell, and finally, with one effort, he freed himself entirely from his old clothes. He lay back, exhausted by his exertions. While the crab is soft it is perfectly helpless, and it can be handled without fear of bites. When it first emerges from its shell it is covered with a skin as soft and delicate as yours, but if left undisturbed it will soon harden. It taken out of the water and kept in damp sea-weed, the process of hardening can be delayed for three or four days, when it dies of starvation, as it can eat nothing while soft, and that is the way in which it is brought to the market. But the little crab I saw was fortunate enough not to be disturbed. He lay perfectly still, and in, about an hour, if you could have put your finger on his back, you would have felt that it had grown stiff and rough; in between three or four hours the shell reaches the stage known as "paper shell." It is hard and coarse, like brown paper, and the crab begins to show signs of liveliness, and in about seven hours there is no perceptible difference between our recently reclothed crab and his hard brothers and sisters.

Bee Notes for October.

From the American Agriculturist.

THE HONEY CROP.—The yield of honey from Basswood and other sources, in this section, has not equalled our expectations. During the last days of June the supply of honey, from basswood, promised to be abundant, but it was very suddenly and unexpectedly cut short. Reports from all parts of the United States indicate a small crop. We judge it to be less than one-half of the usual average; many report an entire failure. In our own apiaries we secure over 15,000 pounds from 176 colonies. Thus far we have taken from three selected swarms as follows: July 10th, No. 1, 77½ lbs., No. 2, 66½ lbs., No. 3, 83½ lbs.; July 13th, No. 1, 41 lbs., No. 2, 41 lbs., No. 3, 55 lbs.; July 19th, No. 1, 12 lbs., No. 2, 18 lbs., No. 3, 18 lbs. After the last date given we removed the swarms, with others, to where Buckwheat, Golden Rod, and Eupatorium are found in greater abundance than around the summer stands nearer home.

FALL PASTURAGE.—The subject of fall pasturage is of considerable importance, as, with a fair yield of honey at this season, breeding will be continued, and thus one of the essentials for successful wintering is secured. It will therefore be found profitable to study the sources from which a yield may be expected. In many sections buckwheat is the chief dependence for late honey. In other localities, like our own in the Mohawk Valley, Melilot or Sweet Clover, is of great importance. But more generally, we think that the supply will be gathered chiefly from Golden Rod and Eupatorium. These wild plants can be found upon rough, waste land, in nearly all parts of the country.

FALL MANAGEMENT.—If surplus boxes have not been moved as directed last month, it should be attended to at once. If swarms have been supplied with extra combs for extracting, they should be removed and packed safely away for use another season. The value of these combs, as well as those taken from piece boxes, cannot be overestimated, consequently great care should be taken to preserve them. Mice and rats should be carefully excluded. If disturbed by the destructive moth, the removed combs should be smoked with brimstone.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS.

HANGING AND STANDING FRAMES.—"Do you not crush more bees, and are you not more liable to kill the queen with the Quinby standing frame, than with the hanging frame?"—We consider the standing frame quite as desirable, yet we, as well as others, in answering such questions, should not lose sight of the fact, that every bee-keeper becomes more familiar with whatever style of hive he adopts, and, naturally, can handle it better than any other, until he acquires a large experience.

OPENING HIVES.—"How often should a beginner open his hives?" Just as often as practical operations requires him to do so.

BEES IN A GARRET.—A correspondent in N. J. comes with the old question of the desirability of keeping bees in a garret. This story of arranging bees in a room in a garret where they will not swarm, and where the owner can go and cut out cards of honey for family use, at any time, is a very old one, and the immense swarm of bees somewhere in the rocks, where bees pour forth in masses, and honey may be found by the ton. As regards keeping bees in an attic or upper room, or even upon a roof they may be so kept, if some practical hive is properly arranged in such a location. There are even some advantages derived, where but few hives are kept. But all things taken into consideration, it is preferable to have the bees placed somewhere near the ground.

Liberalism in Religion.

There is such a thing as liberalism in religion, it appears, as well as in politics. Between these two, however, there is no necessary connection. A man may be liberal in politics, we know, and yet be strictly conservative in respect to both the belief and practice of religion. But whether liberalism in religion, and conservatism in anything that belongs to modern society, can co-exist in the same mind, may well be doubted. There are various degrees in this, as well as in everything else,—but in its extremest form, it seems to aim at nothing else than a complete revolution of the institutions of society, and the principles on which they are founded. Even Mr. Ingersoll, atheist though he be, and though for a time he was recognized as the apostle and high-priest of the new religion, has not been able to go so far as the bulk of his followers. He, apparently, has no quarrel with the State, and though he would destroy the Church if he could, he would let civil government live. He is too much of a family man, too, to have the bond which binds it together relaxed. Thanks to the education which he received in his early puritan home, under the supervision of his Christian parents,—whose memory, alas, he has often blasphemed—obscenity, moral putridity, and rottenness, are loathsome to him; he therefore withdrew from the National Liberal Association, when it lifted up its voice in favour of the transmission of this sort of filthy garbage through the United States mails. A radicalism, so profound and universal that even so extreme an iconoclast as Col. Robert Ingersoll could not away with, must be too thorough to leave room for conservatism of any sort.

This wonderful Association, or League, as it is called, has been in congress or convention—we believe the former is the phrase which it applies to its gathering—in the city of Chicago recently, and its proceedings have furnished a singular commentary on its name and pretensions. To such extremes was its iconoclastic and revolutionary tendencies disclosed, that one of its most prominent members, a man who had occupied a prominent position in the League, and had been a leading spirit in its movements, was led to express his extreme disgust by moving a couple of resolutions which procured his prompt and speedy expulsion. The resolutions are as follows:

Resolved, That the National Liberal League, Auxiliary Leagues, and kindred organizations are recommended to consider the propriety and wisdom of allowing the National Congress of Liberal Leagues, to demand, of all the people and powers that be, that said Congress shall be empowered to go at once at work to remedy all the evils and cure all the ills of the world according to their own very liberal and peculiar ideas respecting the same.

Resolved, That the Fourth Congress of the the National Liberal League recommends to the consideration of the Auxiliary Leagues and kindred organizations, the propriety and wisdom of turning over the management and control of this organization to a religious sect of Spiritualists, and to a squad of avowed and practical Free-Lovers.

After Mr. Spencer, the author of these resolutions had been got rid of, the Congress proceeded to pass resolutions of its own, which showed that the spirit which his motions were intended to rebuke, really existed among its members, and that the snub was really deserved. It declared itself in favour of the more ample extension of the doctrines of free-love, and in condemnation of any interference of the Post office authorities or the Court with the free circulation of the vilest literature. The proceedings were farther enlivened by the exhibition of a real live martyr, in the person of a female who had been arrested for selling an indecent book. She was brought on the platform and exhibited to the audience by a certain doctor, who called the admiring attention of the members of the Congress to her beautiful face, and appealed to them to say whether in the exquisite liniaments of that face, they could discover any trace of obscenity. Of course the argument was irresistible. Who could help acquitting a woman with a beautiful face, of the charge of impurity? No wonder that an argument so conclusive was received with sounds of applause. But the oddest part of its proceedings, considering, that fundamental principle of this species of liberalism is liberty, in the most absolute and unrestricted sense, was the censure which was passed upon Mr. Ingersoll for not having declared himself in favour of the transmission of obscene matter through the mails. This Liberal League has proved that whether it equals the churches in any other respect or not, it it quite as intolerant as any of them; and that it is quite as ready to censure or expel a refractory member who dares to think for himself and to manfully express his convictions.

Telegraph Blunders.

A gentleman who had gone to the country to find a summer location for his family telegraphed to his wife, "Home to-night." The wires rendered this into "Come to-night," and so the wife posted into the country at once, while her husband was making his way in a contrary direction.

Not long since a message came to the principal of a business house in the city from his travelling agent, who had reached Philadelphia—"Am at Continental House. Send some hash by mail." The agent did not intend to reflect on the food at the hotel, but wanted "cash" sent by mail.

An affectionate uncle was informed by telegraph: "Mary is to be buried on Wednesday. Come sure." Mary, who lived in Chicago, was his favourite niece, and, as he had not heard of her illness, the sad intelligence gave him a severe shock. He dressed himself in deep mourning, and made a hurried journey to the West to find a jovial party at Mary's wedding. The wires had arranged for her to be "buried" instead of "married."

Probably the worst blunder ever made was one that occurred in the case of a St. Louis merchant, who, while in New York, received a telegram informing him that his wife was ill. He sent a message to his family doctor, asking the nature of the sickness and if there was any danger, and received promptly the answer: "No danger. Your wife has had a child. If we can keep her from having another to-night she will do well." The mystification of the agitated husband was not removed until a second inquiry revealed the fact that this indisposed lady had had a "chill."

"You can't play that on me!" said the piano to the amateur who broke down on a difficult piece of music.

ALL SORTS.

An Ode to a Lot of Stovepipe.

Infernal stuff, your nature well I know,
So, when I took you down six months ago,
Each piece I numbered so that I might know
Exactly how you'd go together well.
And now the time, for chilly days draw nigh,
To put you up again I madly try.
But all in vain. The joints that then did fit
Now do not come within an inch of it.
I get you two-thirds put in place and then
Crash you go tumbling to the floor again.
Once more I try. You're rather full of soot.
And I am getting daubed from head to foot.
I jam my thumb, but still I persevere,
One piece goes down again and rakes my ear.
I grab to catch the piece, another goes,
And, falling, scrapes the hide all off my nose.
And then another piece falls with a slam,
And then the rest goes down and I—say
"Dam."
And then my blood gets boiling and I say,
By all that's blue, I'll fix you anyway.
Once more I go to work. By patience great
I get all but a single section straight,
And that I am about to place, when oh!
The chair I stand on tips. Down flat I go.
While on and round me, with a banging crash,
The whole comes down again in one grand smash.
And then my wife remarks: "I never saw
A man so clumsy!" I say, "Hold your jaw!"
And for a tinman send, while I retire
To wash myself and swear, to vent my ire.

WHY shouldn't a puppy ride in a dog-cart?

WHERE to go when short of money—go to work.

THE man who died in harness probably forgot to shuffle off his mortal coil.

THE baker's business should be profitable, a good part of his stock is rising while he sleeps.

"HE sleeps where he fell," says a late ballad, which suggests that he must have been drunk.

NIAGARA FALLS are three feet lower than they were fifty years ago, but the hack fare is hire.

IT is absurd to suppose that a man can speak above his breath, since his mouth is below his nose.

AN ingenious locomotive engineer has just patented an improved "spark arrester." Here is another enemy to the course of true love.

DINER (sniffing)—"Waiter, I really think this fish is not fresh!" Waiter—"Yes, sir, can't answer for that sir! I've honly been 'ere a week, sir!"

"WHAT a blessing it is," said a bathing Irishman, "that night never comes on till late in the day, whin a man is tired and can't work any at all at all."

How time changes! In the good Old Testament days it was considered a miracle for an ass to speak, and now nothing short of a miracle will keep one quiet.

ANOTHER poet comes forward and says: "And I hear the hiss of a scorching kiss." Beats all what a man can hear if he is only mean enough to listen.

ALLUDING to Beecher's estimate that a female house-fly will lay twenty thousand eggs in a season, *The Church Union* thinks "it is a pity a fly couldn't be grafted on a hen."

WHAT is life? In infancy, a battle with colic; in youth, a struggle to keep out of mischief; in manhood, a struggle with indigestion; and, in old age, the prelude of a contested will case.

AFTER the choir of one of the churches in Ithaca had performed a rather heavy selection, the minister opened the Bible and began reading in Acts, xx.: "And after the uproar had ceased."

REST is never so sweet as after a long struggle; strength is never so strong as through trial; joy is a more blessed thing after sorrow; and the fair dawning of sunny days could never come if we had no nights.

A NORTH Carolina man planned to frighten his wife by a sham attempt at suicide. He was to very gently hang himself, and a friend was to cut him down; but the friend was not prompt, and the plotter was choked to death.

THE late Rev. Dr. Symington, not feeling well one Sabbath morning, said to his beadle, who was a "character": "Man Robert, I wish you would preach for me the day." "I canna do that," promptly replied Robert, "but I often pray for you."

THE senior Greek professor, in his lecture to the juniors the other day, speaking of the marriage of Venus and Vulcan, remarked that "the handsomest women generally marry the homeliest men," adding grimly: "There's encouragement for a good many of you."

DR. HASTINGS, of Boston, in speaking of religious joy, and of singing as being a natural expression of that joy, remarked that some congregations had so little of it that they had to hire people to do their singing. "Why," says he "I would as soon think of hiring a man to eat my breakfast."

"Do you want to kill the child?" exclaimed a gentleman as he saw a boy tip a baby out of its carriage on the walk. "No, not quite," replied the boy; "but if I can get him to bawl loud enough, mother will take care of him while I go and wade in the ditch with Johnnie Bracer!"

THE Roman Catholic bishop of B—, a most energetic cleric. He performs as much parish duty, I believe, as most priests. He received the other day the confession of a little boy. At the close said his right reverence: "Well, have you anything more to tell me?" "No," said the lad, depreciatingly, "but I'll have more next time."

NOT many miles from New Bedford a small company of coloured brethren decided to take up a collection. The presiding officer offered to pass the hat himself, and, in order to encourage the others, he put in a ten-cent piece. After the collection, during which every hand had been in the hat, the president approached the table, turned the hat upside down, and not even his own contribution dropped out. He opened his eyes in astonishment, and exclaimed: "Bless goodness, but I's eben loss de ten cent I started wid!" The case called for immediate action. The presiding officer demanded the restoration of the ten-cent piece. But nobody came forward. After an impressive pause, a brother remarked, solemnly: "It 'pears to be a great moral lesson round here somewhar."

THE champion jack-of-all-trades belongs to England, and lives near Chichester. He has served as seaman in the four quarters of the globe, and acted as steward, sailmaker, cook, mate, and navigator. He now hangs out his sign as "Prof. Pullinger, contractor, inventor, fisherman, builder, carpenter, joiner, sawyer, undertaker, turner, cooper, painter, glazier, sign painter, wooden pump maker, paper hanger, bell hanger, boat builder, clock cleaner, locksmith, umbrella repairer, china and glass mender, netknitter, wireworker, grocer, baker, farmer, taxidermist, copying clerk, letter writer, accountant, surveyor, engineer, land measurer, house agent, vestry clerk, assistant overseer, clerk to the Selsey Sparrow club, clerk to the Selsay police, assessor and collector of land tax and property and income tax, and collector of church and highway rates."

A STRIKING acoustic effect has been produced at the Covent Garden Theatre concerts, London, by locating one of the bands in the front seats of the top gallery, while the other two perform on the orchestral stand erected for the promenade concerts. The instruments during the realization of this novel idea were drums and bugles to the extent of over a hundred performers, and the players, under the direction of a inventive Frenchman replied to each other from floor and gallery in a kind of ancient antiphonal call and recall, with all the vehemence of military lungs and arms, beating it hard at brass and goatskin. The rapid and almost startling transitions from stillness to thunder were very strange, and as the sound rolled and reverberated round the roof, and up and down the ample building, such a clatter and uproar was produced as has been rarely equalled. The effect was remarkable, and the critics say the effect was sublime.

Nearly Bled to Death.

When the steamer *Norseman* was coming over from Charlotte on Saturday, a young man who was using a pocket-knife accidentally cut his hand between the thumb and forefinger—it bled very freely. The young man instead of asking some person to dress this wound, held his bleeding hand over the side of the steamer, and when found by one of the officers of the boat had nearly bled to death, and the blood still flowing copiously. A cord was tied tightly around the wrist and the blood stopped. The young man was put off at Cobourg and placed under medical treatment. Had he remained a few minutes longer without being discovered he would have been dead. He could not speak when found.—*Port Hope Guide.*

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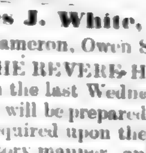

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Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.
DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.
DAVID BLACK.

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Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.
DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial.
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A LOUISIANA journal speaks of a meteor about the size of a peck measure. Its tail must have been about as long as a piece of string.

THE Japanese would appear to be growing tired of autocratic government, for they are holding numerous meetings and presenting memorials for the establishment of a National Assembly.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Fashion Notes.

POLISH caps with tassels are worn.

MULL fichus and scarfs remain in high favour.

IMPORTED evening dresses have very long trains.

THE first leading bonnet of the fall will be the poke.

ALL very dressy costumes are trimmed with embroidery.

BOTH square and round trains are worn in evening toilet.

SOME very small bonnets appear among late novelties in millinery.

THE "Abbe" is the new hat worn by ladies returned from abroad.

A TRIMMING much in vogue is black jet embroidered with jet beads.

FANCY feathers show the influence of the craze for plaided effects.

PLUSH roses form the favourite garnitures of many lovely evening dresses.

IRISH point and church lace trim the most fashionable mull neck scarfs.

SOME of the jet and crystal beaded dress trimmings range from $40 to $50 a yard.

THE largest and most imposing hat of the season takes the name of Sarah Bernhardt.

AFTER the rage for big bonnets has subsided, the medium sizes will probably be most worn.

BONNETS, muffs and costumes match when worn by the most fastidiously fashionable women.

THE "Vera" is a new hat named for the heroine of Ouida's last and wickedest novel, "Moths."

FEATHERS, birds, flowers, laces, bows of ribbon, and bonnet ornaments trim the new plush muffs.

JET or coloured crystal beads enrich all the richest trimmings and embroideries on dressy costumes.

JET, gold, amber, purple, irridescent and jewel-tinted and crystal beads trim both bonnets and dresses.

To muffle the throat in several yards of white or black tulle, a la Sarah Bernhardt, will be all the fashion.

PLUSH muffs are flat, and the plush is arranged in loose, irregular folds, not tight or smooth around the muff.

CRYSTAL beads in irridescent hues, white and clear as glass, are used to excess in trimming evening dresses.

The petals of many of the new artificial flowers are made of soft plush in most gorgeous and delicate tints.

WHITE plush bonnets, with the crowns or brims dotted with medium-sized pearl beads, bid fair to be the favourites.

BONNET ornaments, in the form of little gilded pigs, spiders, bees, beetles, ornament the new plush muffs.

THE new hats and bonnets take the names of Zola's heroines: Miette, Gervaise, Albinde, Clorinda and Helene.

A WHITE brocaded satin toilet has the petals of each brocaded flower formed by tassels of tiny pearl beads.

BLACK and brown beaver plush bonnets and hats are frequently lined with amber-coloured, yellow, red, blue, and other pale-tinted plush.

PLUSH muffs to match hats are trimmed with coffee-stained lace, and furnished with gold cords, which suspend them around the neck.

MANY of the handsomest wraps are trimmed with jet embroideries in artistic designs, set figures, bands, gimps, cords, tassels, spikes and galloons.

WHITE plush bonnets will take precedence of all others for evening wear. They will be trimmed with feathers, flowers and crystal bead cords and tassels.

THE figures on the costliest velvet and satin brocades are life-size flowers, magnolias, and mammoth roses, with tropical fruits in pairs or triplets, these figures being of velvet, the shading formed by cut and uncut pile, not by difference of colour.

THE richest brocades have large figures and flowers in cut and uncut velvet of the darkest shades of maroon, navy blue, plum, and bronze green on grounds of merveilleuse satin, harmonizing in colour, not contrasting, such as pale rose for maroon flowers, mauve for plum, water blue for navy blue, and tilleul for bronze green.

Waifs.

IT only costs $14 for extra coal to winter six shillings' worth of house plants, and housewives can make arrangements accordingly.

THE young ladies of West Philadelphia have organized a Dickens' Club. All the young men at present feel like going to the Dickens.

"MARRIED—In Chillicothe, Sept. 12, Herbert L. Rollingstone and Emma J. Moss." Thus does one familiar proverb receive a death blow.

"Do you love this girl better than you do her sister?" was what a Kansas clergyman asked the man who stood before him to be made a husband.

CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG signed an engagement for opera before she had been three days in Vienna, which has proved a triumphant success, it is said.

WOMEN have cheek enough to wear men's hats on their heads, but there is one thing they dare not do. Not one of them dare remove her hat in public and dust off the bald spot.

I DON'T c[are to] be a little old. She isn't giddy, and doesn't want so much ice-cream as your young things.—*Ashmead Bartlett.*

A LADY, being asked her age, said: "When I was married I was eighteen and my husband was thirty. His age has since doubled, and so of course has mine. That makes me thirty-six." And she was astonished at her own frankness.

SOME one having propounded the query, "What invention would most benefit the community at large?" a suspicious married woman replies:

A glass so framed, that when the husband's out,
The wife at home can see what he's about.

IF at a dinner party you happen to upset a glass of claret over your fair neighbour's white satin dress, smile pleasantly, and say: "Ah! it is always a sign of wet weather when the glass falls." You will be forgiven, and in all probability invited by her papa to dine with him on Sunday.

THEY were in the wood. Said he, looking things unutterable: "I wish I were a fern, Gustie." "Why," she asked. "Why—p'raps—you—would—press me, too." She evidently hated to do it, but it is best to nip such things in the bud, so she replied: "I'm afraid you're too green, Charley." The poor boy almost blubbered.

A YOUNG lady at a print store the other day, evidently proud of her erudition, raised her voice to say that the pictures were produced by the "heliotrope process." The smile that travelled over the sea of faces came near being shipwrecked into a vulgar guffaw when a quiet-looking gentleman remarked that the young woman was somewhat flowery in her language.

MRS. PARTINGTON returns from the seaside. "Yes, I've been to a seaside retort, I have had my summer extortion, and I must confess my anticipations surpassed my expectations. To people in indignant circumstances the recommendations might be satisfactory; but it is beyond my reprehension how people of effulgence—people who have lugubrious homes, surmounted by all that embezzles civilized life—can put up in such caverns. They must have invested tastes."

AT one of the balls given to General Trevino's bride the dark carpet on the floor was sprinkled with gold-leaf to give greater brilliancy to the scene. The Mexican home of the pretty American girl is a house fronting one hundred and twenty feet, with a depth of more than two hundred feet; its spacious court-yard is ornamented with shrubbery, and the servants' houses are all detached. General Trevino's example is said to have proved contagious, as various members of the staff are about to lead other American girls across the border.

Too Airy.

When the late Lafayette S. Foster was a rising lawyer he was engaged to a young lady whose family enjoyed a larger social prominence than his own. The wedding day had been fixed, and they were talking over the prospective tour, as a part of which young Foster proposed that they should pass a few days with his parents, who lived in a town at some distance. The lady rather reluctantly consented, but said: "I will go with you this time, but in future you must not expect my visits to your parents to be very frequent. You must remember that our associations have been very different." Shocked by this cold-blooded depreciation of his father and mother, the young man paced the floor for some moments. Finally, taking his hat, he said: "I am glad I have found you out in time; you may go to the devil." The rebuke may not have been choice in style, but it was earnest in spirit. Henceforth their ways lay apart.

A Petrified Woman.

On Thursday last, says *The Carson* (Nev.) *Appeal*, Alonzo Zaletto, an Italian fisherman, discovered a petrified woman at Cascade lake. He was going out to fish at the time, and when pushing off his boat struck his oar against something that attracted his attention. He investigated the matter and found a petrified hand protruding from the sand and pebbles on the beach. In a short time he had unearthed a woman in a complete state of petrifaction. It was small in size, brown in colour, and scrawny and emaciated. The petrifaction had a hideous appearance, and the body originally must have belonged to a shrivelled sickly woman. The left breast was well developed, but the arms and legs were not much larger than the bones should have been, and the fingers of the right hand were gone. The petrifaction weighed nearly two hundred pounds, and a more unsightly object could not well be imagined. It was brought down to Lake Bigger in the afternoon, and L. J. Wilson, of San Francisco, has offered $100 for it, as he wished to present it to the academy of science. In all probability, the body is that of an Indian woman. There is a tradition that years ago the Indians had a battle at Cascade lake, in which the squaws joined, and the dead were buried on the shore of the lake. Under certain conditions the human cadaver petrifies more especially in water. The finder wants $150 for his prize, and it is probable that the sum will be paid by the academy, and the curiosity sent to San Francisco.

Schools of House-work.

It would be an excellent thing if some schools for young women, similar to those which have recently been founded in Wurtemburg, were opened in England, as the course of training for household duties imparted at them cannot fail to be of the greatest utility. These Wurtemburg schools intended for the daughters of small farmers and peasants, are only open during the Winter months, and each of them accommodates about 30 pupils, the fee of tuition being about 25s., while a sum equivalent to 9d. a day is charged for board and lodging. The manageress of the school sees that her pupils are taught cooking, washing, house-cleaning, &c., while the ordinary village schoolmaster is employed in the afternoon to give them lessons in reading and writing. A medical man also gives lessons on natural history and domestic medicine, so that nothing is neglected which is likely to make good housewives of them. The system of Herr Clauson-Kaas, which was first applied in Denmark, is also making its way to North Germany, though many of the masters do not much like the idea of having to teach the lads in their schools the rudiments of their future calling, for this is what the Clauson-Kaas system practically amounts to. That it might be introduced, with certain modifications, into England, is probable enough, but more importance attaches to the Wurtemburg experiment, which has in a very short space of time done wonders there, and which if it succeeded in this country, would do much to lenghten the lives of the agricultural labourer and the small farmer.

Stockings.

Few of the ancients had any clothing for the lower part of the body, and must have had extreme difficulty in sheltering themselves from the severity of the season. The northern nations first had a hose or trousers; their stockings were made of pieces of cloth sewed together. We can not say with certainty in what country the art of knitting originated. France, England, Spain, and Scotland respectively claim this useful discovery. Some believe it originated in Scotland in the sixteenth century, because when the French stocking-knitters' guild made choice of a patron saint they selected St. Fiacre, a native of Scotland. On the other hand the invention is attributed to a Spaniard, on the strength of Mezerai, who asserts that silk stockings were worn by Henry II. of France at the marriage of his sister in 1559; but before that Edward VI. had graciously accepted a pair from the merchant prince, Sir Thomas Gresham, who imported them from Spain, the land where they were first manufactured. The story goes that a loyal grandee, the happy possessor of one of the first pairs made in Spain, thought he could not do better than present the novelties to his queen, and to that end placed them in the hands of the first minister of the crown, greatly to the discomposure of that modest man, who astonished the innocent-meaning noble by returning him his stockings, and bidding him remember that "the queen of Spain had no legs."

An Informal Marriage.

A Jewish youngster married a Catholic maiden, last Saturday night, says *The San Francisco Chronicle*, in a most peculiar fashion. The bridegroom, *ætat* 16, is Morton Cook, son of Aaron Cook, of M. Simons Sons & Cook, No. 7, Sansome street. The bride, *ætat* 17, was, or is still, as the tribunal may determine, Miss Gertrude Monesca, daughter of Mrs. Monesca, dressmaker. Miss Gertrude, or Mrs. Cook, is extremely pretty in a brunette way, and calculated in her budding loveliness to captivate even older and more fastidious orbs than those of the Cook youngling. The romance had its rose-colour incipiency in the Athenian wilds of Oakland. It began five months ago, when the tenderly unwise children met by chance at a concert, and recognized a first-class copper-plated mutual affinity at once. Love's young, in fact, adolescent dream, occupying young Cook to the exclusion of commercial practicalities, he was dispatched to Portland by his stern parents, a little over a month ago, and while there, produced a corner in note paper, postage stamps, and tropical adjectives by sending daily missives of ponderous extent to his inamorata, whose dutiful reading of them trenched seriously on her hours devoted to chewing gum and dolls, and private devotions. As a result, it was concluded that whenever Portland did not suffice to dissolve his tender passion, he must be really and truly in love. He came back, and found the ducats necessary for ice cream, theatre tickets, and other smoothers of true love's path not forthcoming. The parental purse being unrelaxed, he drew on the parental parlour and took away two elegant illustrated volumes devoted to the Franco-German war, and sold them for one dollar, an "Irish" profit of precisely $29. The dollar being exhausted, he borrowed $40 from a relative on Kearney street, leaving his $160 gold watch to remind him of the obligation. Thus furnished with funds, matrimony was imminent, but a cruel, unsympathetic, and unappreciative county clerk refused him a license on this side of the bay as well as the other. How to get around the difficulty was an unsolved problem, until it was recollected that two parties of diametrically opposite sexes could be married by simply agreeing, in the presence of witnesses, to live as man and wife. It was at the fair on last Saturday evening that this idea occurred to him. After he had explained it to his intended, who was pendant from his right arm, it also occurred to her. They repaired to the maternal rooms, which had been removed from Oakland to San Francisco. There in the presence of two witnesses the solemn compact was entered into. Gertie renounced her dolls, gum and other maidenly indulgences, to love, honour, and obey her Morton, while Morton swore to love, and support his Gertie, and accordingly went to work in the Standard box factory, for a slender consideration on Monday, trusting that time and slumbering parental love would give him and his a share in his father's half million. Whether the marriage is durable remains to be seen. The father's first intimation of the wedding was a notice in Sunday's *Chronicle*, inserted by the boy himself. He does not appear greatly worried, however, believing that when the boy is hungry he will come home. He resolutely frowns upon the wife business, however. This is the third marriage between a Hebrew and Christian in the social history of the city. There is little prospect, however, that it will prove valid.

Whipping for Certain Kinds of Criminals.

(From the Journal of Commerce.)

On the 15th ult. one of the most brazen-faced ruffians who ever stood up in a British court suddenly wilted and uttered a scream on hearing the terms of the Judge's sentence, and was taken away in a fainting condition. He had no defence. The evidence against him was conclusive. He was sure of conviction and of a severe sentence, and he knew it. But he was not prepared for one part of the punishment prescribed by Mr. Justice Stephens. He screamed and almost fainted, not in view of the twenty years of penal servitude, but because the Judge ordered, as a fitting prelude, thirty lashes from a cat-o'-nine tails. This man had robbed and attempted to murder by drugging, and then throwing from a railway carriage, a travelling companion, in whose confidence he had artfully ingratiated himself. It would have ended in murder but for the inability of the assassin to eject his victim from the car before the train stopped. The ruffian then escaped with his booty, but was followed by the half-stupefied, badly injured man, who staggered on the platform and gave an alarm which led to the capture of his assailant. This strange affair took place in a car (of the London underground line), of which the two men were the only occupants. Mr. Justice Stephen, in passing sentence, said it was "the most cowardly and brutal outrage that had ever been brought under his notice." He marked his sense of horror, as well as made the sentence a wholesome caution to all other like-minded desperadoes, by prefixing the thirty lashes to the twenty years' imprisonment. The prisoner would not have flinched from the incarceration, but he winced terribly under the judgment of the cat, as if he already felt her nine tails raising wales on his bare back.

It is the uniform experience of British Judges that corporal punishment is the most certain known deterrent of cowardly and brutal offences. When any peculiarly shocking crimes against the person begin to become common in England, the Judges always check it by ordering a doze of the cat, well laid on, in addition to a long term of imprisonment with hard labour. This is the best known preventive of outrages on women and children. It is the only thing that has put a stop to garrotting. Its success is so marked in the declining frequency of cruel and malicious assaults upon the person in England that the British public almost unanimously approve of it. Only a little minority of those philanthropists whose sympathies for criminals rise in exact proportion to the diabolism of their proteges, continue to protest against the lash as a remedial agent of society. While that agent does so manifestly good a work in England, it will be judiciously conserved there. The theoretical opposition to it in the United States is widespread and intense, as any man finds out to his cost who proposes to reintroduce it in our judicial system. But now and then thinking Americans will brave the consequences, and ask themselves and their neighbours if corporal chastisement, so common among our ancestors as a penalty for minor violations of law, might not be revived, with signal advantage to society, for the punishment of certain specially atrocious crimes.

The University Question.

Neither the *Globe* nor the *Mail* can be altogether congratulated on the tone they have seen fit to adopt towards their opponent in these University troubles. They have behaved, indeed, more like two scolding fish-wives than like leading journals which must necessarily exert a great and ever increasing influence, either for good or evil, on the minds of at least one generation. The 'cultured youth' of Canada are fortunate in having two such models of elegant English and intelligent controversy constantly before them—if not for imitation, at least for avoidance. They may learn, if they will, how absurd it is to suppose that there can be honest and honourable differences of opinion; how inevitable it is that any man whose conceptions differ materially from their own must of necessity be either a hypocrite or a dunce; how desirable it is that he should be made acquainted with the fact in language as plain and unmistakable as possible; how impossible it is that zeal, in a good cause, can be tempered by politeness, or softened by moderation; how imbecile and foolish it is to conceive that any means can be unjustifiable if only certain ends can be secured.

Neither journal can very well be said to *yield* to the other in the vigour of its expletive, or in the talent it displays in the selection of necessary adjectives; but, for sheer ill-temper the *Mail's* effusion of Monday last could not easily be surpassed. That production was hardly creditable either to journalism or education. It can scarcely be for other than mere political purposes that such wearisome iteration is so constantly indulged in, and the same string so strenuously harped upon long after every one is weary of hearing it. Most people are heartily tired, by this time, of listening to a succession of mournful and impolite lucubrations concerning the shortcomings of Mr. Crooks, and the woes of University College, and earnestly hope that they will speedily be allowed a long and much-needed rest.

Mr. Crooks has blundered. So did "some one" at Balaclava. Everybody makes mistakes, but the heavens don't fall in consequence. The thing is done now, and both common sense and reason seem to say, "let us accept the situation." One would almost fancy from the style of the *Mail's* diatribes that there is some disappointed applicant on the editorial staff, or behind the scenes somewhere. It is one of the nuisances of party journalism that when anything is got hold of which can by any possibility be manœuvred so as to serve political purposes, innocent readers are sure to be dosed *ad nauseam* with what they very soon come to care not one brass farthing about either one way or other.

CHAT BY THE WAY.

IF an untruth is only a day old it is called a lie; if it is a year old it is called a falsehood; but if it is a century old it is called a legend.

THE time that a boy begins to think his mother doesn't know enough to select his clothing for him is a dangerous period in his history.

IF you can say nothing good of any one, say nothing at all, for in friendship as in love we are often happier in our ignorance than in our knowledge.

A YOUNG gentleman recently, at an evening entertainment, was asked by a number of gushing and music loving young ladies if he would play. "Certainly," he said; "bring on the cards."

LITTLE Paul is sitting before his grandmother, an infirm and very aged lady, whom he regards with great attention. Finally, he speaks up, and says, "Grandmother, at what age do people die?"

NO man should complain of being poor or of hard times who can afford to use rum or tobacco. That which men often puff away in smoke would supply them with broadcloth and roast beef.

"THE SULTAN'S EVIL GENIUS."

THE MAN WHO SWAYED THE DESTINIES OF AN EMPIRE—A THOROUGHLY UNSCRUPULOUS FELLOW—MORE THAN A MATCH FOR THE DIPLOMATS OF EUROPE.

The London correspondent of the New York *Sun*, is personally acquainted with Said Pasha, the new Prime Minister of Turkey, or rather the *old* minister restored to power. He has nothing good to say of him. Here is the way in which he describes Said's rise to power. "In the early part of last year he was Minister of Justice, and the official world of Constantinople was even then surprised and disgusted at his sudden rise to a position of so much influence. At the commencement of the Russo-Turkish war he had never been heard of. He was then an obscure clerk in a public office, and was brought to the notice of a very powerful personage in those days, Mahmoud Damad Pasha, the Sultan's brother-in-law, and the evil genius of Turkey; for it was owing to the unscrupulous ambition, the jealousy of all rivals, and the overwhelming influence which this thoroughly dishonest man exercised over the mind of his Majesty, that the latter refused to listen to the counsels of wise and patriotic advisers, distrusted all officers, naval or military, in his employ, and confided the fate of his army to such unmitigated scoundrels as Suleiman Pasha, Eyoub Pasha, and others. Such a man, universally mistrusted and detested by all the better sort of Turks, needed some instrument as thoroughly unscrupulous as himself, and willing to do the dirty work which formed the staple of his political occupation. Such an instrument he found in Said Pasha, and as the use the latter could be turned to was augmented just in the degree in which he was advanced in influence and position, the Sultan was induced, by the advice of his brother-in-law, to promote him with great rapidity." After the treaty of San Stefano the Sultan, in a violent reaction of rage, sent Mahmoud Damad into exile, from which he has never been allowed to return. Said saw the storm coming, prudently turned traitor, denounced his former patron, and was finally made Cabinet Minister. Here are first impressions. "As a rule a Turkish Cabinet Minister is cold, haughty, dignified and reserved, but Said Pasha was exactly the reverse of all this. Instead of a burly man, sitting on a divan, with one leg tucked under him, imperturbably smoking a cigarette, after the manner of a conventional Ottoman functionary, I saw a Parisian looking little creature trot into the room—a creature with a restless, furtive eye, and a quick, uneasy manner, in which extreme cunning seemed blended in equal proportions with abject servility. Had I been the representative of a great power, he could not have been more overwhelmingly civil, or more profoundly distrustful of my intentions. But I no sooner entered into conversation with him than I was struck with the extraordinary intelligence which his ferret-like features displayed. He is a very minute man, with a stoop, and a remarkably soft, gentle voice. He manages after a time to make you forget your first mistrust, and reproach yourself for having done him an injustice. It is only after the wearisome experience of months that you discover he has been from that first interview you bitterest enemy; that the salient points which he took care to dwell upon in your conversation as more particularly meritorious are precisely those which he has specially denounced, and that his only object in keeping you on the most friendly and confidential terms has been to find out new ways of betraying your confidence. When he discovers that you have found him out he becomes invisible; and, as by this time most people have found him out, he sees scarcely any one. When he first became Prime Minister in October, last year, his oily and engaging manner, and his earnest professions of good faith, deluded most of the diplomatic representatives at Constantinople, but one by one they remarked his treachery, and finally, on the arrival of Mr. Goschen, and at the instance of the latter—for he had been forewarned what manner of man Said was—the Sultan dismissed him."

But Said was too clever to be got rid of in this way. He was friends with all the eunuchs, pipe bearers, mollahs, and other riff-raff of the palace, and through their influence managed to retain nearly all his old authority. The Sultan, tired of keeping up appearances, at length dismissed Kadei, and restored Said. This was a direct snub to the English Government at the very moment when their naval demonstration had reached its culminating point. The views of this correspondent on the future prospects of affairs in the East are worthy of attention.

"What Said will do now that he is again responsible in the eyes of Europe, remains to be seen. What particular bait he will dangle before the powers, what apple of discord he will throw among them, what new and unexpected device he will hit upon to ward off the impending catastrophe, it is impossible to conjecture. He has proved himself more than a match for such distinguished and tried statesmen as Khaireddin Pasha and Mahmoud Nedim Pasha, both of them ex-Grand Viziers, with far more real statesmanship than this pliable adventurer. It is possible he may still pilot Turkey through the storm; but on the face of it his reappointment augurs badly for the success of Mr. Gladstone's policy, for there cannot be a question that Said Pasha is the personification of that passive resistance and that determined hostility to the foreigner which are especially acceptable to the Sultan. He is opposed to all internal reform, for he depends for support on those who fatten by abuses, and, being utterly destitute of anything like a sentiment of patriotism, he would unhesitatingly wreck the ship of State if he thought that the advice that would save it, might be unpalatable to the Sultan, and therefore wreck Said Pasha.

This has always been the trouble. No one dares to tell the Sultan the facts. Honest men who endeavour to open his eyes to the dangers by which he is surrounded, and give him advice which is unpalatable, because it implies concession to the foreigners and the introduction of reforms by which his own power would be limited, he distrusts, and finally gets rid of; and there are always to be found plenty of self-seekers who see that the royal road to favour is by confirming him in all his prejudices, exciting his suspicions against the men they fear because they are honest, while they encourage him in his belief that the only true policy is one of determined obstinacy and defiance in so far as the European powers are concerned.

Hence it is that the calculations of these powers are always wrong. Knowing the true state of the case, they suppose that the Sultan knows it too, and they cannot understand an infatuation which impels him to his own destruction. This has been the secret of his passive obstructiveness. The explanation of the recall of Said Pasha to power is that the Sultan wishes to be strengthened in his attitude of resistance, and to believe that the danger is not so great as it is represented to be. Said is quite ready, for his own purposes, to confirm his Majesty in this view, and to give him the advice which he thinks will be most agreeable to him, perfectly regardless whether it is the best under the circumstances.

England vs. Australia.

Outside "the Derby" no such national gathering—estimated at from two hundred and fifty thousand to five hundred thousand—was ever assembled in England as at the great cricket match of England vs. Australia. Kennington Oval, where it took place, is a large space about four times the size of Tompkins square. Around this space, at a hundred feet from its outer circumference, was a solid ring of beholders, dozens deep. The inner rows squatted, the next knelt, the next stood, while the outer fringes formed the highest tier by scaffolding run up impromptu. Then the old and picturesque houses surrounding the oval were ridged and fronted with spectators, as was Rome when Coriolanus marched in. The gate money was five shillings. The receipts were enormous, and were divided between the teams. The colonials were badly beaten. Spofforth, their best man, was prevented playing by a wounded wrist.

NEVER wish a thing done, but do it. Men are generally like wagons; they rattle prodigiously when there is nothing in them.

The Solid South.

It is said that there is a skeleton in every house. The idea is that there is something in the history of every family that it keeps as carefully concealed as possible, and which it would like to have forgotten. There are such things in nations, as well as in families. The thing that most patriotic Americans would like to have concealed and forgotten, is the thing indicated by the word which stands at the head of this article. That "solid south" is the most ugly fact in the current history of the great American Republic. The import of that fact, being interpreted, is, that the unity of the nation is essentially a thing of the past. The South cares no more for the Democrats than it does for the Republicans; it most cordially hates and despises both the one and the other of these. It gives its influence in favour of the former in preference to the latter, simply because such an alliance is the only means by which it can secure its ascendency in the nation, and be once more in a position to redress what it believes to be its wrongs, and to revenge itself upon the hated Yankee. No person can travel in the South without perceiving that a feeling of bitterness against the North, deep and intense, everywhere prevails; and that feeling will never be appeased until all that was done by the war is undone by legislation.

The "solid South" means, too, the systematic suppression of the negro vote. Everybody knows, that knows anything about the feeling which prevails among this class of American citizens, that however much they may respect their old masters and their families, they do not trust them. They know too well how deep rooted and strong this aversion is to the very idea of negro equality with them in anything; especially at the polls and before the courts; and they have sagacity enough to perceive that if the white people of the south cannot reduce them again to bondage, they will do all in their power to make their liberty as little worth to them as possible. They know, too, that the party at the north that did all that they could do to fasten their bonds upon them forever, will in the event of its getting into power, do anything that the south may ask them to do, to reduce them again to virtual, if not actual slavery. The negroes know all this, and would not, therefore, if left to themselves to vote as they pleased, cast one vote in a thousand for the Democratic party. In many parts of the south these coloured voters are largely in the ascendency so far as numbers are concerned; and in spite of this fact the the south will remain solid. This fact speaks for itself; comment is unnecessary.

It follows then that democratic government—the term is used in its proper grammatical, not in its party sense—is a failure, at least so far as the south is concerned. The "solid South" proves beyond a doubt that the government is not to be carried on in accordance with the will of the whole people, but according to a part, and that so far as numbers are concerned, the smallest part. It may, indeed, be said that this is as it should be; that the negroes are not fit for self-government; and that the will of the superior class, the class that owns the greater part of the property, and represents the greater part of the intelligence, are the people that should govern. Into the discussion of that question we enter not. Everyone, however, will see that if there be any force in this argument, it is against the form of goverment which exists in the United States, and only tends to strengthen our position. Besides, all that is said of the ignorance and incapacity for self-government of the negroes is equally true of a large proportion of the enormous foreign element, especially in the great cities of the north. There is no argument that can be validly employed in favour of the suppression of the negro vote in the south that would not be equally valid in favour of the disfranchisement of an immense number of voters at the north.

We do not wonder, in view of these facts, that the American people do not like to have so much said about the "solid South." The northern Democrat, for reasons made sufficiently apparent in this article, is ashamed of it, and would rather, if he could, get on without it; and the Republican can feels maddened by the fact that the very means which he has devised as a make-weight against the South, is not only neutralized, but turned against him.

Royal Resorts.

WHERE THE QUEEN LIVES—WHAT IT COSTS TO RUN HER HOUSE.

A recent number of *The London Graphic* contains pictures of Osborne House, Queen Victoria's seaside home in the Isle of Wight, which will be the more appreciated from the fact that it is kept jealously closed to the public. Osborne adjoins the estate of Norris Castle, where the queen spent some time in childhood, and her selection of the place in mature years was probably due to early impressions. The queen and prince seem soon to have felt a desire for—what her predecessors never had—a home of their very own, as opposed to an official home, and the private home of Osborne was soon supplemented by that of Balmoral. It is scarcely probable that a radical house of commons will be content to vote much longer the great sum annually demanded for maintaining royal palaces at which the sovereign never resides. Besides Buckingham Palace—where her residence now averages about ten days a year—the queen has Kew, Hampton Court, Kensington, Bushy Park, St. James', the White Lodge in Richmond park, Frogmore, all at her disposal should she please to occupy them, and all maintained at public cost, besides Holyrood in Scotland, where occasionally she has spent a few days. Kensington and Hampton Court are now given up in part to pensioners of position. The accumulation of these palaces has been in a considerable degree due to the individual caprice of various sovereigns. William III. hated the splendid palace of Whiteball, and was not sorry when fire effaced the triumphs of Holbein and Inigo Jones. He lived at Kensington, and occasionally at Hampton Court. Anne lived at Kensington and Windsor, as did the Georges up to and inclusive of George II. George III. and Charlotte lived at St. James', Windsor, and Kew until Buckingham House was bought. George III. also lived a great deal at Frogmore, in Windsor park. For years he did not occupy Windsor Castle. George IV. lived, after he came to the throne, at Buckingham Palace, Windsor, and the Pavilion Brighton, and spent on them then, probably, at a rough calculation, $7,500,000. William IV., not at all a representative king, lived chiefly at Windsor and Buckingham Palaces. So far as Windsor, Hampton Court, Bushy, and Richmond are concerned, their surroundings are entirely free to the public, who can ride or drive in nearly every part of their parks. Were, however, Kensington Palace, a plain brick building, covering several acres, razed, and fine houses erected, the public would not suffer by the loss of a recreation ground, and the public treasury would gain to the extent of a sum nearly covering all allowances paid to the royal family, except that to the queen.

THE total value of metals and minerals produced in Great Britain and Ireland in 1879 was slightly over £66,000,000. The quantity of pig iron smelted was about 6,000,-900 tons, and of coal brought to the surface 134,000,000 tons. Of other ores and minerals raised there were produced 51,000 tons of copper, 70,000 tons of lead, 3,000,000 tons of porcelain clay, and 2,500,000 tons of salt. Altogether there are 3,877 coal mines in the United Kingdom, of which only forty-seven are in Ireland, and the whole of these only produced 129,000 tons of coal, or about one six-hundredth part of the quantity obtained from a single half-riding of Yorkshire.

THE sport-loving Prince of Hanau, who won a 100,000fl. race last year at the Vienna Spring Races, has fallen again into fresh difficulties, for the sheriff's officers have taken possession of all his family chattels, picture gallery, armory, antiquities, including even his decorations, which must go to the hammer.

DISRAELI, in addition to whatever else he has, has a government pension equal to two thousand dollars.

Gored by an Angry Bull.

FARMER JOHN MURRAY'S BATTLE FOR LIFE IN HIS STABLE—THE GROANS THAT CALLED MRS. MURRAY TO THE RESCUE OF HER HUSBAND.

John Murray is a farmer living in Walker avenue, near Grand Avenue, Greenville, N. J. His two story-house stands in the avenue, and behind it he pastures his cattle. The animals are housed at night in small sheds, one story in height, in the rear of his house. In his herd is a young short-horn bull. The bull is a wiry animal, but has heretofore never shown an ugly disposition. On Wednesday evening Mr. Murray went out of the house, saying to his wife that he had forgotten to give the animals a drink of water all round. He would do it before he went to bed. He had not been gone long before Mrs. Murray heard groans from the direction of the barn. She ran out of doors and called her husband's name. There was no reply, except another groan, that unmistakably came from the barn. Mrs. Murray hastened to the barn, and as she approached the bull bounded out of the stable and ran into the open lot. She found Mr. Murray lying on the stable floor, with his left hand upon a wound in his left side. He had been pierced by the horns of the bull so that part of his intestines protruded. Mrs. Murray called for help, and her sons came and aided her to carry Mr. Murray to the house. Dr. Wilkeson of Bergen avenue was summoned, and the wound was sewed up. He says that three days at least must elapse before he can announce positively whether Mr. Murray is out of danger.

Mr. Murray was seen yesterday by a reporter for the Sun. His bed was surrounded by sympathizing neighbours. He is in the prime of life, and if an active life and a hardy constitution can avail he seems pretty sure to recover. He willingly related the story of the struggle he had with the bull. He said: "The bull is a young fellow and a smart one, too, but I never knew him to be ugly before. He seemed to be as gentle as a cow. It was my custom to tie him by a rope; one end of the rope was around his horns and the other end was fastened to the manger. When I went into the stable I untied the rope; and led him out peaceably enough. When I attempted to lead him back he hung back and yanked at the rope viciously. I pulled at the rope and threatened and coaxed the bull by turns, and at last got him inside of the stable. When I had got him inside of the stable I was sure that he was in my power, and as he gave a lunge for the door I twitched the rope around his horns as sharply as I could. This seemed to make him mad. He made a dive at me and I jumped to one side. Then I saw that I had my hands full. By this time I was pretty mad myself. So I gave the rope another yank and yelled to the bull to behave himself. I thought that I could frighten him. But the next thing I knew he had pinned me to the side of the stable with his horns. I couldn't catch my breath. His horns were small and sharp, and he jabbed at me viciously. I couldn't get hold of his horns, and there was no weapon within reach. My back was against the stable and his horns were against my abdomen. When he knew that he had me he just lifted his head up and pushed, and I could feel the flesh tear. Then the bull relaxed his hold and I dropped. Again he came for me and begun to gore and toss me. I made a great outcry and he darted out of the door. Then my wife came to my aid.

ART AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

THEY have commenced the sale of seats for the Bernhardt season in New York, and the indications are that the audiences, unlike the actress, will not be thin.

MISS MARY ANDERSON'S engagement at the Walnut Street Theatre, Philadelphia, during the past week, is said to have drawn the largest houses that have been seen in that city for a long time.

WAGNER says that Germans are "not revolutionaries" in music, "but reformers." Still he thinks that if Beethoven had overthrown the external forms of music which he found extant he would have been acting according to reason.

OLE BULL, as might be known by his playing, had immense strength of muscle. Some years since, on a Mississippi boat, two huge frontiersmen made themselves offensive to him, and refused to desist. When patience had ceased to be a virtue, the artist seized the pair, each by the neck, and after holding them over the water and knocking their heads together, dropped them on the deck, and was let alone for the rest of the voyage.

THE Boston Ideal Opera Company have been successful at Booth's Theatre, New York. Their renditions of the "Pirates of Penzance" and "Fatinitza" are as good, if not better, than anything we have heard in America. Next week "Pinafore" will be repeated. Nearly all of the members of the company are artists, and each exhibits a commendable degree of pride in making the performance unexceptionable.

MUCH surprise was created when it was announced that the Duke of Marlborough was about to sell off the whole of the Sunderland collection by auction. Speculation among literary men and others was active as to what induced his Grace to such a resolve. Be this as it may, the bills were out, and the auctioneer engaged. By the last account, however, the idea has been abandoned. Whether it means that the collection will not be broken up at all, or only that it will not be scattered at auction does not appear.

MOST actors forget about as readily as they learn, and a few days will often suffice to destroy their perfect memory of a role. On a recent voyage from Europe, John McCullough and Rose Coghlan were aboard, and the passengers, on getting up an entertainment, put them down for a scene from "Macbeth." Although *Macbeth* is one of McCullough's star parts, and Miss Coghlan had not long before acted *Lady Macbeth*, they were unable to recall the language with anything like accuracy, and, as there wasn't a copy of the play on the steamer, the performance had to be omitted.

THE rector of St. Ruan, in Cornwall, being in want of a bell for one of his churches, which he had rebuilt and restored from the proceeds of the sales of his own paintings, recently secured the services of Madame Modjeska for an out-door performance, in the beautiful and wooded rectory grounds, of *Romeo and Juliet*. The balcony scene, with real moonlight and a real garden, is said to have been the very top of poetry. Mr. Forbes-Robertson, of the Haymarket, played Romeo, and the Nurse was rendered by his sister, Mrs. Val Bromley, who was staying with him in the neighbourhood. All the Cornish gentry assisted, and it was a great success. Madame Modjeska lost a costly diamond brooch, but it was found next day in a brook that ran through the garden, and which Romeo had to cross in his love-making.

Why Nilsson Doesn't Come.

The reasons for Mdme. Christine Nilsson's decision not to return to the United States this season are very plainly and simply set forth in a letter in which Mdme. Nilsson's husband, M. Rouzaud, informs Mr. Ulmann that he cannot go over to America himself, and that he cannot make up his mind to part with his charming wife for any length of time, though the terms of the engagement offered her were perfectly satisfactory and the guarantees proposed by Mr. Belmont unexceptionable. M. Rouzaud's disinclination to be bereft of the companion of his joys and sorrows is hardly to be wondered at, however much it may be regretted. Can any man conscientiously declare he would think differently on the subject were he Mdme. Nilsson's husband? It is not, then, from any distrust of Mapleson that Nilsson will remain in Europe this autumn. In his letter to Mr. Ulmann, M. Rouzaud expresses the greatest deference for the manager of Her Majesty's. "My wife," he writes, "would on no account forsake Mapleson, who has been her impresario for so many years. It would be downright ingratitude to do so. While Mapleson stands, Christine Nilsson will stand by him, and I am sure that the Gyes would be the first to appreciate the delicacy of her conduct."

THE Countess Theresa Erdoedy-Raczinska has given to the Hungarian National Museum the sword of John Sobieski, a Damascus blade embossed in gold, with the Latin motto, "Beware of false friends; I will save thee from thine enemies." The hilt and basket are of gold; twenty-seven brilliants surrounding the enormous crystal make the scabbard button, and underneath it is a portrait of the hero in enamel.

LORD and Lady Dufferin will leave Russia for England immediately after the departure of the Russian Court for Livadia. Lady Dufferin is not in the best of health. Her summer sojourn at the health resort (so-called) of Narva, so far from redressing the strain on her constitution produced by her winter residence at the unwholesome Russian capital, has done her harm, and it will take several months in England to fit her for a second Russian winter.

NOTICE.

To those who receive this paper in Proton and Melancthon we wish to state that "The Markdale Standard" will be sent to the end of November, Free. We take this method of introducing the Standard, we may here state the principles upon which it is, *and will be* conducted.

First—In Politics, we purpose being strictly non-political believing it is altogether out of place for a local paper to be filled with that which is unprofitable especially to the agricultural class.

As a local journal it is our intention to gather and publish all such matter connected with the different localities in which the Standard shall find its way, as will be interesting, thereby making the paper one that will be enquired after and appreciated for its energy in procuring what may be going on, and truthfully laying it before our readers at as early a date as practicable.

In agriculture, we shall glean and publish from time to time such articles as may be conducive to the interest of the farmer, thereby making it a paper that will be sought after by this class of the comunity.

In Provincial, Dominion and Foreign news, as also articles of a literary character, we shall endeavour to give a fair share.

Correspondence—we will give reliable notes of local interest which we have no doubt will be much appreciated by our readers.

In conclusion we will just say we have no claim on the parties above mentioned who will get the Standard for six weeks Free. But leave them to judge for themselves whether it is worthy of support. We will continue the paper to the end of 1881 for the small sum of $1.25. Think of it, nearly fifteen months for one year's subscription. Club Rates, five names accompanied with the cash for five dollars.

C. W. RUTLEDGE,
Proprietor.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Oct. 23nd, 1880.

TO OUR SUBSCRIBERS.

An apology is due some of our patrons who did not get the Standard last week, owing to the subscription list increasing faster than we had anticipated, we ran short twenty-five copies. While we are pleased to have the list of subscribers enlarged yet we are sorry that any of them had to do without their paper the past week. In future we shall endeavor to have plenty for all emergencies.

FIRE.

By Telegraph to the Standard.

Williamsford, Oct. 21.—The Hotel and sheds belonging to Mr. R. M. Galbraith, were this morning burned to the ground. The fire occurred at 6 a. m., the Hotel was occupied by Mr. S. C. Langley and was undergoing repair. The fire originated in one of the open rooms, caused by shavings having been left near the stove pipe; Mr. L. saved all his household goods. No insurance on the building, loss $1,000.

DUNDALK ITEMS.

Read Gardiner's advertisement, he has something new in stoves. See them.

The Presbyterians of Dundalk and Frazer settlement purpose calling a minister at an early day.

Mr. Wm. Kirby of Melancthon, has sold his farm for $1,250.

A new industry is shortly to be started here—a barrel factory.

Wm. Peterson has improved his woolen factory by putting a large square front to it.

Mr. John Hanbury is building a skating rink; size 50x150 feet.

We had a heavy fall of snow on Monday; it is now fast disappearing.

There is talk of a cheese factory being erected in this neighborhood. Just what is wanted.

Thos. Hanbury is building a wing to his establishment which will be occupied (as soon as completed,) by Wm. Lucas & Co., Bankers.

See A. G. Hunter's, card in another column; he means business.

Fire.—On Saturday last about 5 o'clock p. m., smoke was discovered issuing from the rear of Gardiner's Tin Shop, the fire had made considerable headway before it was got under control, and, had it not been for the manner in which the citizens exerted themselves no doubt it would have laid waste that portion of the village.

EUGENIA.

From our Correspondent.

Look after your butter that you have left in the milk house. A farmer in the valley had three tubs stolen last week. Some time ago Mr. Wm. Hooey had an ox stolen valued at $60. Mr. Beecroft had a heifer stolen out of the barnyard. Houses are being broken into all around, and the enquiry is who is to be the next victim. Locks for graneries are now becoming the order of the day. Municipalities should do something towards hunting up the gangs that are infesting this neighborhood.

COUNTY ITEMS.

Derby Ploughing Match will be held on the farm of Gavin Waddell, Esq., on Tuesday, Oct. 26th.

Creditable.—We are pleased to notice that the Y. M. C. A., in view of providing for the young men of the town a pleasant and profitable way of spending the long fall and winter evenings, have recently placed in their Reading Room a number of reviews and magazines, in addition to the papers and periodicals with which it has hitherto been supplied.—*Owen Sound Times.*

On Friday afternoon last three large bears were seen crossing Mr. J. Silk's farm, lot 3, con. 5, Melancthon. No attempt was made to capture them.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

Horrible.—Robert Halliard, a boy aged about 12 years, son of John Halliard, laborer Guelph, on Friday drank from a bottle of whiskey till he died.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at the Town Hall, on 4th inst. Pursuant to adjournment. All the members present. Moved by Mr. Bennie, seconded by Mr. Davis, that the Clerk instruct the County Treasurer, to withdraw from tax sale, lot 12, 18th con., lot 14, 15th con., lots 15, 16, 17, 18 & 19, Mill street North, Priceville.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Binnie, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the account of J. Townsend and J. A. Johnston, for one dollar each be paid.—Carried. Orders were issued on the Treasurer in payment of work on roads, in Ward No. 4, to the amount of $100,40. A by-law was passed appointing Deputy Returning officers and polling places for next Municipal Election. Moved by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the Reeve, Mr. Bennie and the mover be appointed a committee to examine and let a contract of building a bridge at lot 6, con. 3, N. D. R., if they consider it necessary—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bennie, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that Mrs. Fanny Smith be allowed $4.00 as charity.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the notice formerly published in the *Markdale Expositor*, respecting a road on lots 99. 100 and 101, on 3rd con., W. T. & S. R. be re-published in the Markdale Standard.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the road commissioner for Ward No. one be autherized to build a railing on bridge at lot 56, con. 3, E. G. R.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bennie, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that I. Melosh be paid $1.00 for repairing bridge on lot 14, con. 2, E. G. R.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Davis, that the commissioner for Ward No. 2 be authorized to remove a jam of timber from bridge on side road 15, con. 4, N. D. R.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bennie, seconded by Mr. Davis, that the road commissioner for Ward No. 4 be granted $4.00 to build a culburt at lot 9, con. 9, and $5.00 to remove a land slide on side road at lot 16, con. 1 E. G. R.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. McMillan that a committee be appointed consisting of the Reeve, Mr. McMillan and the mover to procure titles for the new road on lots 22 and 24, con. 11, and lots 99, 100 and 401, con. 3, W. T. & S. R.—Carried. Council adjourned until 29th December next.

EUPHRASIA FALL SHOW.

The Euphrasia Agricultural Society's Fall Show was held at Rocklyn on Tuesday the 12th inst. The weather was beautiful though somewhat cold, and a large crowd of visitors attended. There were no less than three *editors* on the grounds, (competitors we presume) we will not say for what.

The outside show was very good on the whole; not being present at former shows in the above place we are not in a position to give a comparison.

In the inside department we believe the exhibit was ahead of most of the township shows we have attended. The samples of grain shown were indeed excellent. Here we noticed a marked improvement in the mode of testing the quality of the grain, that is, by weight. It would be well if all our Societies would adopt the improvement. Roots were well represented. In fruit there was a very large display of an excellent quality. The display of ladies' work was magnificent. Taking the show on the whole it was indeed a success. We have not space for as minute an account as it deserves. The following is the

PRIZE LIST.

Horses.—Team agricultural, 7 entries, Wm. McConnell, John Douglas, R. Thornton. Team carriage horses, harness and rig, 1 entry, C. Clark. Single driving horse, 7 entries, Wm. McConnell, J. Douglas. Brood mare, agricultural purposes, 4 entries, D. Robertson, jr., John Anderson. Brood mare, carriage, 3 entries, John Lawrence, W. Duke. Two years old filly or gelding, 13 entries, A. Davidson, W. McConnell. One year old filly or gelding, 8 entries, James Bowes, John Douglas. Agricultural foal, 4 entries, Jas. Foy, D. Robertson, jr. Carriage foal, 8 entries, J. Lawrence, W. Duke.

Cattle.—Milch Cow, pedigree, Durham, 1 entry, R. Clark. Two years old Heifer, Durham, 1 entry, R. Clark. One year old heifer, Durham, 1 entry, R. Clark. Bull calf, Durham, 1 entry, R. Clark. Milch Cow, Grade, 7 entries, R. Clark, Donald McNaughton. Two years old heifer, 6 entries, D. McNaughton, D. Robertson, jr. One year old heifer, 5 entries Robertson, jr., R. Clarke. Heifer D. calf, 1 entry, R. Clark. Herd of cattle, Durham, 2 entries, R. Clark; Grade, R. Clark.

Sheep.—Ram, aged, 3 entries, E. Shaw, W. Fawcett. Shearling ram, 2 entries, E. Shaw, G. Shepherdson. Ram lamb, 5 entries, W. Fawcett, E. Shaw. Two ewes, raised lambs, 4 entries, E. Shaw, 1st and 2nd. Two shearling ewes, 3 entries, E. Shaw, W. Fawcett. Ewe Lambs, 3 entries, E. Shaw, G. Shepherdson.

Swine.—Boar, aged, 2 entries, J. Perry, R. Beatty. Brood sow, 3 entries, J. Anderson, R. Myles. Boar of 1880, 6 entries, E. Shaw, W. Drinkall.

Poultry.—Pair black Spanish, 1 entry, J. Farewell. Ducks, 3 entries, J. Farewell.

Grain and Roots.—Bushel fall wheat, 6 entries, W. Hartman, C. Clark. 5 bushels spring wheat, 8 entries, W. Hartman, R. Clark. 2 bushels Russian white spring wheat, 5 entries, W. Hartman, R. Clarke. 2 bushels barley, 8 entries, C. Clark, S. Gilmore. Bushel Oats, 7 entries, C. Clark, W. Hartman. Bushel peas, 2 entries, N. Clark, W. Fawcett. Early rose potatoes, 8 entries, James Bowes, jr. Any other sort of potatoes, 6 entries, J. Bowes, jr., W. Hartman. Swede turnips, 8 entries, J. Douglas, J. Robertson. Sugar beets, 2 entries, H. Johnston. Blood beets, 7 entries, R. H. Stinson, W. Hartman. Mangold Wurtzel, 2 entries, W. Hartman, C. Knott. Field Carrots, 6 entries, J. Douglas, W. Hartman. Table carrots, 10 entries, J. Perry, R. H Stinson. Celery, 2 entries, T. Jordan, J. Myles. Parsnips, 6 entries, T. Nicholson, R. H. Stinson. Pumkins, 3 entries, John Lawrence, R. Quinton. Squash, 2 entries, J. Lawrence. Cabbage, 5 entries, C. Clarke, — Abercrombie. Caulflowers, 1 entry, T. Jordan. Onions, black seed, 2 entries, J. Lawrence. Top, 7 entries, T. Nicholson, R. H. Stinson. Onions, potato, 6 entries, J. Myles, C. Knott. Tomatoes, 4 entries, J. Farewell, R. Clark.

Fruit.—Fall apples, 14 entries, J. J. Foy, J. Perry. Winter apples, 19 entries, J. Foy, J. Anderson. Fall pears, 4 entries, J. Marshall, J. Gibson. Winter pears, 6 entries, J. Gibson, R. Gilray. Grapes, 3 entries, 2nd R. Clarke. Plums, 4 entries, S. Gilmore, N. Clarke. Collection fruit, 4 entries, E. E. Knott, J. Myles. Indian corn, 4 entries, C. Clark, C. Knott.

Dairy.—Butter, roll, 14 entries, Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. J. Lawrence. Tub, 4 entries, Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. J. Perry. Two loaves bread, 12 entries, Mrs. J. Bowes, Mrs. H. Johnston. Cheese, 2 entries, Mrs. D. Robertson, Mrs. R. Gilray. Box honey, 2 entries, S. McKnight, T. Jordan.

Manufactures.—Waggon, 2 entries Stinson & Marshall, no 2nd. Single cutter, 1 entry, McKenzie & McKinnon. Democrat, 2 entries, Stinson & Marshall, 2nd do. Buggy, double or single, 2 entries, McKenzie & McKinnon, Stinson & Marshall. Fanning mill, 1 entry, C. Watt. Set harrows, 2 entries, J. Marshall, 2nd do. Cutting-box, 1 entry, C. Watt. Root cutter, 1 entry, C. Watt. Set team harness, 1 entry, W. Fanson. Set carriage harness, 2 entries, H. McDonald, 2nd do. Single harness, 3 entries, H. McDonald, Wm. Fanson. Saddle, bridle and martingale, 3 entries, H. McDonald, 2nd do. Collection of boots, 2 entries, J. W. Love, 2nd do. Fulled cloth, 6 entries, N. Clarke, J. M. Bole. Satinet, 2 entries, R. Quinton, 2nd do. Fancy flannel, 3 entries, R. Quinton, N. Clark. Plain flannel, 7 entries, F. Eaton, J. Hawkins. Pair horse blankets, 2 entries, R. Clark, R. Quinton Pair blankets, 9 entries, Mrs. R. Clark, Mrs. C. Clark. Coverlet, J. Douglas, R. Gilray. Set horse shoes, 1 entry, R. H Stinson.

Ladies' Work.—Patchwork quilt, 6 entries, Mrs. R. Clark, Mrs. H. Johnston. Quilt of any description, 5 entries, Mrs. R. Gilray, 2nd Mrs. R. H. Stinson. Knit quilt, 1 entry, Mrs. A. T. Buchanan. Embroidery in cotton, or worsted, Mrs. H. Johnston, Mrs. T. Porter. Leather work, 2 entries, Mrs. R. Gilray, Mrs. R. H. Stinson. Braiding, 2 entries, Mrs. N. Clark, Mrs. R. Gilray, Crochet work, 4 entries, Miss Gilray, Miss Douglas. Tidy, knitted or crochet, 9 entries, 2nd Miss C. Quinton. Woolen socks, 7 entries, Mrs. Quinton, Mrs. J. Hawkins. Woolen stockings, 3 entries, Mrs. Quinton, Mrs. Johnston. Woolen mits, 4 entries, Mrs. Quinton, Mrs. Johnston. Woolen gloves, 1 entry, Mrs. Quinton. Rag or wool mat, hooked, 7 entries, Mrs. N. Clark, Mrs. Quinton. Fancy knitting, in cotton, 9 entries, Miss Quinton, Miss Clarke. Hair work, 4 entries, Miss A. Clark, Mrs. T. Porter. Berlin wool work, 4 entries, Miss Gilray, Mrs. Eaton. Gent's fine shirt, 3 entries, Mrs. N. Clark, Mrs. Gilray. Pillow Shams, Mrs. Gilray, Mrs. R. Clark. Collection needle work, Mrs. T. Porter, Mrs. H. Johnston. Feather wreath, 2 entries, Mrs. Stinson, Mrs. J. Myles. Darning in socks or stockings, 5 entries, Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Clark.

Correspondence.

To the Editor of the Standard,

Sir,—In common with many of my fellow ratepayers, I am sorry to see that our worthy Reeve, Dr. Christoe, is out again in opposition to the new scheme, to aid our sinking Railroad. This is very much to be regretted, as the Dr's influence throughout the Township is considerable, and many people, naturally, from the position he occupies, look up to him as an authority in all municipal matters. I observe the Dr. has completely changed front since the last by-law was under consideration; then his chief objection was to the Company, he feared least they should not succeed with the scheme, and keep faith with the municipalities, but might at some time, again come back for still further aid.

The Dr. at that time frequently expressed—himself, as quite willing to give further aid if the road were to change hands, and pass under the control of some strong company, such as the "Grand Trunk," or "Great Western," now however he seems to have forgotten all that, and proceeds to combat the new scheme upon other grounds, which, Sir, with your kind permission, I shall briefly notice. The Dr. urges no bonus:

1st, "Because the Township has already given more than its fair share," viz.: "$60,000 including 'interest.'" Now the Dr. knows well that this is hyperbole of the most pronounced type; he knows well that the road only cost the Tp. at first, about $30,000, and as a set-off against the interest and sinking fund, we have enjoyed and do now enjoy the benefits which the road has conferred, which the Dr. will admit, have long ere now more than compensated for the outlay.

2nd, Because the agreement with the Grand Trunk has yet to be ratified by the English Board.

3rd, Because the Ontario Parliament may not grant the necessary legislation, to enable the Company to carry out the details of the scheme.

In the name of common sense why should these objections hinder the ratepayers from voting the bonus? It will not cost us one cent either to obtain the sanction of the English Board or that of the Ontario Legislature; besides if (which is quite improbable "the English Board" and the "Ontario Legislature," were to disallow the arrangement, the scheme would fall through and the people of Artemesia would not have to pay the money; but all this talk is entirely beside the question. Is there any reason why the "English Board" should not sanction the agreement of Mr. Hickson, in whom they have implicit confidence? Does any one believe the Ontario House will hesitate to grant the legislation necessary to give effect, to a scheme calculated to confer such lasting benefits, upon the thirty odd municipalities interested?

Besides the foregoing the Dr. has other grievances, which I apprehend appear to him much more formidable than any of the others viz.: "the power of the Company to discriminate in favor of Flesherton and "Priceville will cease when the Grand "Trunk assumes control." Ah! there's the rub. Now Sir it seems to me that this short sentence furnishes a clue to the whole matter and embodies the essence of the Dr's opposition; the other objections being simply thrown out as "chaff" to blind our eyes, and muddle our brains. I fear that the Dr's patriotism is exceedingly circumscribed, that it is bounded by the limits of his own little 'clahan'—the reference to "Priceville" being simply a make weight thrown in to give currency to the Flesherton cry. I fear the Dr. is quite ready to sacrifice the interests of the Township, unless some exceptional advantages are assured to Flesherton.

Like some other well meaning people the Dr. evidently considers Flesherton the "hub" of Artemesia, and apparently he is not willing to see the rest of the municipality flourish but "by the leave" of the "hub."

Sir, I will take the liberty to raise my voice against this miserable spirit of sectionalism which is too often crops out in every municipality to mar the harmony, blight the prospects, crush the energy and retard the progress of the community at large.

Sir, I make bold to say that the special and particular interest of any or of all our villages combined, should not for one moment be allowed to stand in the way of any scheme calculated to stimulate the energy, forward the progress and increase the wealth of the farming community in whose prosperity every other interest rejoices.

It is interesting to observe what a liberal share of the Dr's sympathy, the cause of the "tenant farmer" elicits, particularly at this juncture. Well of course if the "tenant farmers" have not the right to vote for or against a R.R. by-law, they do possess the right of voting for municipal officials and this is a privilege by no means to be despised now at the close of the year. Again Mr. Editor: I must put in my *caveat* against this style of reasoning; and while I would not lightly regard the claims of any class; yet I do think that the interests of the proprietors, who constitute nine-tenths of the community are paramount to those of the tenants.

I can assure the Dr. that his allusion to the "tenant farmers" is not very flattering to them and I question whether they will feel obliged for the compliment.

It is well known that many poor "tenant farmers" are among our most enlightened and progressive agriculturists, who would as leave think of renting a farm in Central Africa as in a locality destitute of railways.

Before closing for the present I will just say that in my humble opinion, now that we have an opportunity of connection with the Grand Trunk, and of having our Railway thoroughly equipped, its gauge widened, the road, bed and bridges put in thorough repair, and the track steel railed, and that all this will be accomplished at such a trifling cost to the Township, it would be extreme folly on our part to incur the risk of losing this chance, least a like opportunity might not again present itself.

Compared with the immense advantages which a connection with the Grand Trunk would afford $12,000 to the Township of Artemesia is a mere bagatelle—for these and many other reasons equally logent, I am prepared to support the "bonus."

Wm. Brown.

Markdale, Oct. 14th, 1880.

MARRIED

On the 19th inst., Adam Holley to Miss Jessie A. McKenzie, both of Artemesia.

On the 18th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Archibald Lyons, of Markdale, to Miss Elizabeth J. Miller, daughter of Mr. Isaac Miller of Glenelg.

DIED.

In Artemesia, on the 15th inst., Mary Etta, daughter of Bartholamew Wright, aged 7 years, 4 months.

In Markdale, on the 14th inst., John Dufferin McFarland, aged 8 years, 2 months and 22 days.

In Markdale, on the 15th inst., Lucinda Jane Doxy, aged 10 years.

In Markdale, on the 17th inst., Anne Maud, daughter of John Benson, aged 4 years and 3 months.

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October 21, 1880. 6

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent,
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6t

REMOVED

I would respectfully remind my customers that I have removed from my old stand and may now be found in a portion of

Hill's Block,

where I have a full stock of

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, FANCY GOODS, ETC.

Don't forget to see my Clocks which are very cheap and good.

Repairing as usual at Lowest Price and shortest possible notice.

Don't forget the place—Dominion Telegraph Office, next door to the Standard Office.

E. D. WILCOX.

Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1880. 1-ly

Teacher Wanted.

FOR School Section No. 5, Melancthon, One holding a Second or Third Class Certificate. Applicants to state Salary expected. Applications received up to November 1st.

SAMUEL McDOWELL, ROBERT OLIVER, ABRAM JACKSON, } Trustees.
Dunhalk P. O.

October 20, 1880. 6-3in

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W. BENSON.

Markdale, Oct. 14th, 1880. 5-tf.

Auction Sale
OF
Valuable Real Estate!

IN pursuance of the powers in that behalf contained in a certain mortgage made by John McInnes to the vendors, which said mortgage will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale

By Public Auction!
ON
Tuesday, 26th of October next,
AT McCULLOUGH'S HOTEL,
IN THE VILLAGE OF DUNDALK

at the hour of Twelve O'Clock, noon, the following valuable real estate, that is to say:

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Proton in the County of Grey and Province of Ontario, and being composed of a part of Village Lots numbers one, two and three, south west of Toronto, Grey and Bruce Rail Road, according to the plan filed in the Registry Office of the South Riding of the said County of Grey on the ninth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six, sub-dividing a part of lot number two hundred and thirty-one, in the second range south west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the said Township, and made by W. R. Rombough, Provincial Land Surveyor, and which may be more particularly described as follows, that is to say:—Beginning at a point on the north westerly limit of said village lot number two, sixty-one and one-tenth links from the north easterly limit of Yonge street, thence north 39 ° 30 east along the north westerly limit of said village lots numbers one and two, sixty one and one-tenth links, more or less, to a point twenty-two and two-tenths links from the south westerly angle of said village lot number one; thence south 50 ° 30" east two chains forty-two and five tenths links, more or less, to a point on the south easterly limit of said village lot number two, forty-four and six-tenths links south westerly from the north easterly angle of said village lot number two; thence south 39 ° 30" west along the north easterly limit of said village lots numbers two and three, forty-one and one-tenth links; thence north 50 ° 30" west two chains, forty-two and five tenths links, more or less, to the place of beginning, and containing by admeasurement twenty-three and seven-tenths perches of land, be the same more or less, upon which is erected a frame store and dwelling house.

Also, lot number twenty-five, in the fifth concession of the township of Osprey, in the said county, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres of land, be the same more or less, upon which is erected a two story frame dwelling-house and good frame barn.

For particulars and condition of sale, apply to Mr. Alexander Brown, Auctioneer, Priceville, A. McLennan, Esq., Durham, or to the undersigned.

Dated at Toronto, the 5th day of October, A.D. 1880.

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FOR SALE.

20 CHARMS—Snowflake, Granite, Wedding, Marble, Basket, (comic chains), Mottled Stone, Ashes of Roses, &c., Cards with name on all, 10 cents.

Address, J. A. BROLLEY, Box 79 Creemore P.O. Simcoe, Ont. 5-4

THE MARKETS.

Flour	[illegible]	"	5.00
Spring wheat	[illegible]	"	1.00
Fall do.	[illegible]	"	0.95
Barley	0.45	"	0.60
Oats	0.26	"	0.25
Peas	0.50	"	0.56
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.18
Pork, dressed	5.00	"	6.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	[illegible]	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.30
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.05
Sheepskins	0.40	"	1.00
Hides	7.00	"	7.00
Grass seed	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed	2.00	"	3.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	1.50

McIntyre says he can supply goods, both in the eating and drinking lines, much cheaper than the market quotations. Read his advertisement, give him a call and be convinced.

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Thursday, Oct. 21st, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$4.75	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.85	to	1.00
Fall do. do. do.	0.80	"	0.95
Barley	0.40	"	0.60
Oats	0.25	"	0.28
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.12
Pork, dressed.	4.50	"	5.50
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.00	"	7.50
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
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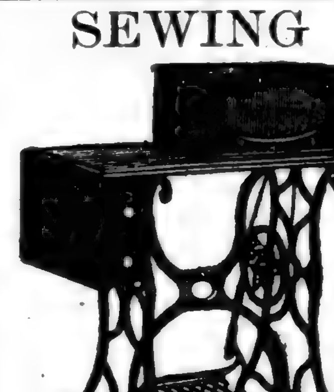

MACHINES!

At prices that will astonish the natives at

W. L. Marshall's,
DUNDALK.

ALL KINDS OF
Repairing Attended to.

Dundalk, Oct. 18th, 1880. 6tf

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

AUCTION SALE
OF
Valuable Farm Property
IN THE
Township of Glenelg,
In the County of Grey.

There will be sold on

Saturday, the 30th day of October

1880, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at Rutledge's Hotel, in the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

by virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under mortgage from Neil Campbell, lot number one, in the twelfth concession of the Township of Glenelg, County of Grey, containing one hundred acres.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 50 acres cleared, having erected thereon a cedar log barn; situated about 8 miles from the village of Markdale.

PARCEL II.

Lot 27, in the 8th concession of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 60 acres cleared, with log buildings erected thereon.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to John Lyons, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Sept. 24th, 1880. 3-5in.

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, about the middle of June, a heifer, two years old, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

CHARLES SYERS.
Euphrasia, Oct. 12, 1880. 5-3t

CAUTION.

ALL parties are hereby cautioned against negotiating in any way a note drawn by Thomas Townsend in favour of William Handberry, for the sum of twenty-three dollars ($23), for value has not been received therefor.

THOS. TOWNSEND.
Markdale, Oct. 4, 1880. 4-3in

ANGUS McINTYRE,

GENERAL DEALER IN

Groceries, Provisions

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LIQUORS!

A Fresh Supply of the Most Choice just Received

CALL AND BE SATISFIED AS TO PRICES AND QUALITY.

EMPTY BOTTLES BOUGHT.

Markdale, October 1, 1880.

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Pure Drugs and Chemicals

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Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth, Nail and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances, and general Druggists sundries.

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IN GREAT VARIETY.

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VETERINARY PREPERATIONS

CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

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T. S. SPROULE, M.

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880.

HILL BROS.,

When their new building is completed.

Space to be occupied by HILL BROS. when they remove.

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Money Lost!

By those who buy stoves before going to

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Best and Cheapest stock of

STOVES and TINWARE

North of Toronto. 6

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Euphrasia, Sept. 14, 1880. 4-3in

Auctioneers.

Samuel Morrow,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR County of Grey.

Sales attended at shortest notice in or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880.

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Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, sums to suit borrowers. Agent for the Loan and Saving Co. All business strictly private, and treated as such.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday. October 22, 1880.

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PERSONAL.—Mr. COSSEY, who was sent here as station agent *pro tem* in the room of Mr. Davidson, resigned, has had his appointment confirmed. Mr. C. has been but a short time amongst us, but has, so far as we can learn, given satisfaction.

I am bound that you shall not forget that I am offering bargains.—Am going to have a thriving business or know the reason why. Have the right class of customers, and want more of the same kind, they pay for their goods when they buy them and don't grumble.—A. MCINTYRE.

BURGLARY.—Some time on Friday night last, the milk house of Mr. Charles Deavett, 6th con. of Euphrasia, was entered and a tub of butter and two crocks of preserves taken therefrom. This is the third robbery which has taken place within the past few days in that neighborhood.

ACCIDENT.—On Wednesday, the 6th inst., two little boys (sons of William Armstrong, Esq., near this place) were playing on the barn floor, one of them, aged eight years, was endeavoring to carry a bag of bran when he fell breaking his arm just above the elbow. Drs. Sproule and Carter set it and we are pleased to hear he is doing well.

THE HANLAN-TRICKETT RACE.—The 15th of next month is the day fixed for the great boat race for the Sportsman's Cup and the Championship of the World, between our Canadian champion, Edward Hanlan, and the Australian, Trickett. The race will take place over the Thames Championship course, and we hope to see our boy come out victorious. He is at present under training in England.

THE Toronto *World* says:—If the Grand Trunk Railway takes over the Toronto, Grey & Bruce it will soon become an important branch of the great through line. The Grand Trunk would then be able to command the freight of the Northwest, and with a line of steamers running from a terminus on the Georgian Bay or Lake Huron to Lake Michigan and Lake Superior it would prove a formidable rival to those roads which hope to tap the Canada Pacific.

DUNDALK, Oct. 15.—The Township Council of Melancthon met to-day, and submitted a by-law for $10,000 in aid of the change of gauge of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. The Township Council of Proton also met to-day, and also submitted a by-law for $8,000 for the same object. In both these townships the proposed arrangements with the Grand Trunk railway is received with much favour. Both the by-laws will be voted upon by the ratepayers on the 30th of November.

TO SPORTSMEN.—It may be necessary to remind some sportsmen that changes have been made in the game laws. The killing time is now fixed; Deer, Oct. 1st to Dec. 15th; partridge, Sept. 1st to Jan 1st; Quail and Turkey, Oct. 1st to Jan. 1st; woodcock, Aug. 1st to Jan. 1st; snipe, Aug. 15th to Jan. 1st; ducks and geese, Aug. 15th to May 1st. Sportsmen throughout the country are awakening to the truth that there will be no game in the land unless prompt steps are taken to carry out the laws.

THE new bank just opened by Messrs. Kerr & McKellar, of Guelph, has been fitted up and painted in a first-class manner, and it is now the neatest office in the country. The bank is now opened and in a position to do all business cheaply and expeditiously. — *Orangeville Advertiser.* [Just so, friend *Advertiser*; no doubt you wanted a bank and have got it, but to say it is the neatest in the country is another thing. Perhaps some day when our friend of the quill has leisure he might pay us a visit, and amongst other sights notice the bank office of Wm. Lucas & Co., just opened here.]

THE entertainment of the P. M. Church came off in Dufferin Hall, on Wednesday evening, and considering the inclemency of the weather, and the state of the roads, there was a very goodly number present. The eatables were abundant and of good quality, and judging from appearence, was highly appreciated. After which Dr. Sproule, M. P. took the chair, and after a few brief remarks called on 1, Misses Noble & McNea, for music; 2, Rev. Mr. McDiarmid; 3, McDougall & Speers; 4, C. W. Speers; 5, J. R. Anderson; 6, Rev. Mr. Griffith, Orangeville; 7, Misses McNea & Noble; 8, McDougall; 9, J. R. Anderson; 10, W. J. Speers. Though the programme was somewhat lengthy, yet the best of attention and order prevailed throughout; after singing the National Anthem the meeting broke up in good order.

A VERY MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—It is with deep regret that we have this week to chronicle the death of Mr. John Lamb, a young man about 25 years of age, who resided with his parents on lot 8, con. 14, Glenelg. The particulars of the case are as follows, so far as we could gather. It appears that he was engaged in drawing dung from the barnyard to an adjoining field, and in wending his way through a piece of bush, accompanied by two of his brother's children, and he being seated on the load, a sound like a great crash, as the children speak of it, took place, and the next they saw was, their uncle buried beneath a fallen tree. The children immediately gave alarm, but on arrival of assistance and on the examination of poor Lamb, life was found to be extinct. No inquest was deemed called for, and the unfortunate young man was buried on Monday last, the remains being accompanied by a large concourse of sympathizing relatives and friends. Such is life, in the midst of which we are in death.

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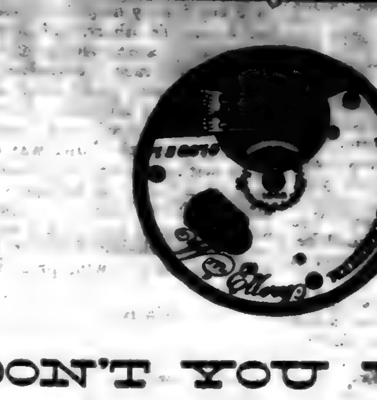

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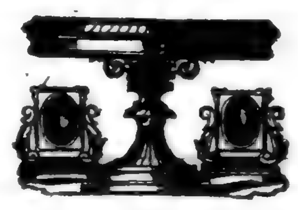

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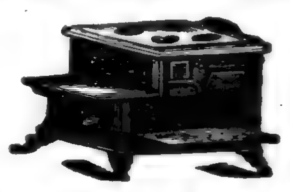

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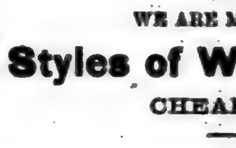

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Look Up, Not Down.

Life to some is full of sorrow—
Half is real, half they borrow;
Full of rocks and full of ledges,
Corners sharp and cutting edges.
Though the joy bells may be ringing,
Not a song you'll hear them singing;
Seeing never makes them wise,
Looking out from downcast eyes.

All in vain the sun is shining,
Waters sparkling, blossoms twining;
They but see through these same sorrows
Sad to-days and worse to-morrows;
See the clouds that must pass over—
See the weeds among the clover—
Everything and anything
But the gold the sunbeams bring.

Drinking from the bitter fountain,
Lo! your mole-hill seems a mountain;
Drops of dew are full of rain
Swell into the mighty main.
All in vain the blessings shower,
And the mercies fall with power;
Gathering chaff, ye tread the wheat,
Rich and royal, 'neath your feet.

Let it not be so, my neighbour;
Look up, as you love and labour,
Not for one alone are trials;
Every one has cares and trials.
Joy and care are knit together,
Like the fair and cloudy weather.
May we have, oh, let us pray,
Faith and patience for to-day.

ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER I.

Rose was standing before the great mirror in our dining-room, fastening a spray of forget-me-nots in the soft thick coils of her beautiful golden hair; and I was seated in my favourite nook on the other side of the room, against a heap of piled-up cushions, and watching her with undisguised admiration.

For she was the beauty of our family, the handsomest girl to be met with far and wide in our neighbourhood. I used to call her my "White Rose of all the world."

As I look back at the sad days for years past, it seems to me I never saw Rose look so lovely as on that fair summer afternoon.

Rose was tall and beautifully formed, with magnificent, long, rippling, golden hair, and eyes blue as the forget-me-nots she wore, for they were her favourite flowers. [illegible]

[illegible]

"Oh, nonsense!" I returned. "You flatter me too much."

But in my heart I echoed her wish, for Herbert Tempest was no favourite of mine. [illegible]

[illegible]

"Oh, I can write it all quite calmly now. [illegible]

[illegible]

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Alaska Seal Skins.

During one week recently 950 casks of Alaska seal skins arrived here by the Pennsylvania railroad. They, with 450 casks expected to come were going to London to be dressed for market. The consignment contains about 92,500 skins, and is valued at nearly $1,000,000. The skins cost $600 for a carload of this point was about $600 for a carload of tanned fur. The skins are tied in strong bundles and pickled in salt. It requires eight skins to make a full sack, and they have to be brought to London for dressing. [illegible]

One of the few surviving officers who fought under Napoleon the Great—General Dupleix—died about a fortnight ago at Paris. [illegible] For this exploit Napoleon decorated him on the field.

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Lettice," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

"Have you been dull while we were away?" Letty asks, as I butter some toast for her.

"No; Judith called."

"Judith?"

Letty speaks, but I notice that Will's hand is tighter than he cannot cut very successfully.

"Yes, she did not stay long.— Who is that?"

Some one is coming to the house. I spring from my chair.

"Mr. Thorold!" I exclaim; and the bell rings loudly.

[illegible]

"I am Martin Napine. Nay, do not look at me as if I were a leper or madman. I am not. [illegible]

[illegible]

seated. Cicely must have a home, and my mother would cherish her; it was better she should be at Napine than Ellerslie. I left one line for my mother, beseeching her to be good to my darling, and then, not waiting for her—she was paying visits—I left, to hurry to the side of her whom I loved so well.

"I missed my train; I caught one that went to Petra, only to find when there that I could not go any farther till the early morning. It was Thursday consequently ere I got home. Ah me! When I entered our apartments I knew the worst that could come to me had come. Cicely was dying; and she died clinging to me. But why need I pain you with my grief? They told me that I had a little daughter. What cared I? My darling had flown to Paradise. The white rigid figure they took from me was not Cicely. I went into the streets, wild, desperate. As I walked along, notices on the walls referring to emigration, shipping, etc., attracted my attention, and I resolved what I would do. I sold my watch and chain, and that night sailed from the London docks for New York. Do you consider that I was heartless to leave Cicely unburied? I accounted myself her murderer, and fled from the land of my crime. When we reached New York I was ill for several weeks—so ill that I rose from my bed of sickness an old man. I heard nothing of my father's murder. I stayed some time in America; afterwards I wandered north, south, east, west."

"But Lady Napine believed you to be dead?"

"Yes, and the story of my death was singular. Australia was a likely place. I went there. On my road I fell in with a young fellow named John Martin. I, you may be aware, called myself Martin. Circumstances threw us much together. We fraternised. We had both a few pounds, and we agreed to be partners. Exceedingly well we did—made money fast. He thought and talked of going home. I had to go a few days' journey into the country, and was away a fortnight. When I returned he was dead and buried. Word had been sent to my mother that I was dead and buried. My desk had been prised. My mother's letters and likenesses had been forwarded to England. I was astonished. Very zealous had the meddlers been. However, I let the mistake be. I had no intention of revisiting the old country. Later I felt a strange desire to see my daughter. I could not overcome it. I gave into it, and embarked for my native land. I adopted another name—called myself Thorold. My daughter must not know the injury I had done her. I had altered beyond recognition fortunately, I thought, when I found that I was suspected of being guilty of my father's death."

"Were you not anxious to proclaim your innocence?"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

AT SEDAN.

BISMARCK AND MOLTKE AT THE SCENE OF FRENCH DISASTER.

(From a New French Pamphlet.)

The following conversation (somewhat abbreviated in the translation), which took place between Count Bismarck, Gen. Moltke and Gen. de Wimpffen prior to the surrender of Sedan, is taken from a forthcoming pamphlet by M. Georges Bastard, entitled "Bazeilles."

[illegible]

hope that the king would be touched by so complete a submission, and that he would accordingly grant the French army such terms of capitulation it had a right to expect for its courage.

Count Bismarck—Which sword did the emperor surrender? His own or that of his country?

Gen. C.—His own, only.

Count B.—In that case we cannot change our terms.

Gen. W. to Gen. Moltke—I will take advantage of your first offer, general, and will send an officer to view those formidable positions of yours. When he returns I will decide whether to accept or reject your terms.

Gen. M.—It is useless to do that. You have but little time left for reflection, it being now midnight. The armistice is over at 4 o'clock.

Gen. W.—You must, however, understand that I cannot take so important a step upon my own responsibility. I must first consult with my colleagues.

Upon Count Bismarck's advice, Gen. Moltke consented to wait for Gen. Wimpffen's answer until 9 o'clock the next morning.

The result is known.

The French Crown Jewels.

SOME MAGNIFICENT GEMS—RIVALLING THE KOH-I-NOOR—MINOR VALUABLE STONES—THERE ARE MILLIONS IN IT.

The cable brings news that at the next meeting of the French chambers a bill will be introduced, providing for the sale of the French crown jewels. Not all of the precious stones will be disposed of, but only such as are merely valuable from their intrinsic worth. The stones about which there is a history, or which are of interest to students of such subjects, will be placed in one of the national museums, but those brought to the hammer will doubtless realize some $2,000,000, a sum which will be a godsend to the department of fine arts. There will be a favourable opportunity offered to American purchasers—who, indeed, of late years have been formidable competitors in the jewel markets of Europe,—to secure splendid diamonds at reasonable prices, for the sales of Queen Isabella's jewels and those of Madame Musard indicated that the buyers had it all their own way. From 1476 till 1774 the number of diamonds formally inventoried as belonging to the crown was 7,482, and they were valued at $4,000,000. Louis XV. sold 1,471 of them, but bought even more, since brilliants were all the rage for buttons, buckles, and sword-hilts, so that when Louis XVI. came to the throne he had 9,547 diamonds of all sizes. August 16, 1792, just as the convention had concluded the work of taking a new inventory, a band of forty thieves broke into the house, Place Louis XIV., where the jewels were stored, and carried most of them off. Two of the thieves were caught, but the others escaped, and could not be found. How the jewels were restored no one seems to know precisely. According to one story, Lamieville, a barber, who had been sentenced to death for coining, but had escaped from the Conciergerie, purchased his pardon, and a commission in a regiment of the line, by revealing to an official who had treated him kindly, the fact—which he had accidentally overheard—that the thieves had hidden their plunder in the hollow of a beam in a lonely house till the ardour of pursuit had abated. According to another story, however, the fact that the diamonds were hidden in a hole dug in an alleyway of the Champs Elysees was revealed to the government by an anonymous letter. At any rate, most of the stones were recovered. After the XVIII. Brumaire Napoleon pledged the famous "Regent" diamond to the Dutch, for funds to aid him in consolidating his power; when he redeemed it, it went into the pommel of his sword, and is still in the collection. In 1810 his inventory showed that the crown was possessed of 37,393 brilliants and precious stones, and a value of 18,922,477 frs., or about three and three-quarter millions of dollars. Louis XVIII. took another inventory after the Restoration, when there were enumerated 64,000 stones and objects, weighing 18,751 carats and valued at $4,180,052. The crown, which contains the Regent diamond and 5,360 other stones, is valued at $2,940,400; there is a sword worth $48,140; an order of the Holy Ghost in brilliants appraised at $77,200; a cross of the Legion of Honour worth $90,000; a set of pearls valued at $233,000; another of brilliants and sapphires worth $56,000, etc., etc. The famous Regent, or "Pitt," diamond ranked fifth in the list of the world's precious stones, though there is a strong suspicion that the Braganza which stands unapproachably alone in size at the head of the list is really a white topaz, colour being lent to the suspicion by the fact that the Portuguese government refuses to allow it to be inspected. In the rough this jewel weighed 410 carats. A slave found it near Wazulipatam in 1702, and hiding it in a gash cut in his leg offered it to an English sailor if he would aid him to escape. The sailor got the stone and threw the Hindoo overboard, drowning him; then sold it to a merchant named Jamchund for £1,000, wasted the money in a gigantic spree and hanged himself. Jamchund sold it to Thomas Pitt, governor of the Fort of St. Georges for £12,500, and Pitt had it cut into a fine brilliant, the operation taking two years' time and costing £5,000, but the fragments split off were worth £3,000 or £4,000. The stone was reduced in size to 136¼ carats—the Koh-i-Noor is 102¼—but became and continues to this day, the most perfect brilliant in existence, being without a rival as to shape and water. The diamond came near killing its new owner with anxiety. So fearful was he of robbery that he never made known beforehand his intention of travelling, or the route he would take, and never slept consecutively two nights in the same house, while so many stories were invented as to the way in which he had obtained the stone that he had to write and publish a pamphlet giving its history. In 1717 he disposed of the diamond to the duke of Orleans for $675,000. Curiously enough, however, Saint Simon tells us quite another story—that he induced the regent to buy it, and that it was bought from a man who had stolen it in India, and who brought it the rough. Whatever the truth, the Regent was thereafter literally "the brightest ornament of the French crown." It was stolen with the other crown diamonds in 1792, but recovered. Napoleon wore it in the pommel of his sword, but lost it at Waterloo, whereof the Prussians looted his carriage; after the peace it was restored to France. The Sancy diamond had a more singular and interesting history attached to it. It was a brilliant of 54 carats, and is said to have been worn by Charles the Bold as a talisman. When he was killed by a Swiss halberdier at the battle of Nancy, January, 1477, a soldier who stripped the corpse sold the diamond to a priest for 2½ francs, the priest disposing of it at a profit of 12 cents. It passed over to the King of Portugal, who pawned it to Harlay de Sancy for 40,000 livres, Sancy afterward buying it outright for $100,000. One of his descendants sent it by a faithful servant to raise funds upon its pledge for the assistance of Henry IV., but the servant was attacked by robbers aware of his mission, and killed. The king felt sure that the servant would never have parted with the treasure, even in death, and had his body opened, when the stone was recovered. James II., of England, into whose hands it passed, afterward sold it to Louis XIV. for £25,009. It was stolen in 1792, with the Regent, and, after its recovery, sold by the duchess of Berry to the Demidoffs. Count Paul Demidoff lost it, while at a fancy ball given by Count Walewski, but it was found again, and, we believe, finally disposed of, in 1855, to Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy for £20,000. The famous "Blue Diamond," stolen in 1792, never was heard of again, though some dealers believe that it found its way into the collection of a very rich English nobleman, who still owns it. The fate of stolen precious stones is often curious. Twelve diamonds of the French crown jewels, known as "the Mazarines," from the fact that they were cut at the cardinal's order, vanished mysteriously during the revolution 1830, but turned up as mysteriously at Madrid, three years ago, when King Alfonso was purchasing jewels for his first wife, Queen Mercedes, and it was only the other day that some black pearls, stolen from the Austrian crown in the last century, were found at a small shop in Hungary.

Wagner's gout is the music of the present.

The body is the shell of the soul and the dress is the husk of the body, but the husk often indicates what the kernel is. No man or woman of sense would devote more care or attention to the husk than to the kernel.

The true wealth of a community lies in the integrity of its citizens, and its chief honor arises not from the possession of great riches, but from the possession of great and true men.

The only way to cure a man of eating with his knife is to give him raw oysters. When that item was shown to a man of that persuasion he said:—"Suppose you give him a fork and some clear soup."

Druggists and Their Charges.

There is every variety of opinion about the nature, uses, and emoluments of druggists. To some they appear a kind of scarcely half-human usurer, more extortionate by far than any falsely named Christian, or proverbial Jew. To others, and above all to themselves, they are a wholly excellent, though much abused race. Periodical persecutions of the fraternity occur about as regularly as persecutions of the early Christians, or Jews of the Middle Ages; and though not so sanguinary, are in their own way quite terrible. It is with no surprise, therefore, that we hear of a very virulent persecution taking place in New York. A reporter has been making certain domiciliary visits, leading to rather remarkable discoveries. He took with him the following prescription, and set out on a voyage of discovery:

Soda Biborate, 1 drachm.
Sq. as ordered.

This means that he was to get one drachm of ordinary borax, powdered in all probability, and use as he had been told. He was charged as follows, and from the price at which borax can be bought in New York, he calculated the percentage of profit the several druggists probably made. At one place they charged him 10 cents, making a profit of nearly 9,600 per cent.; at another 15 cents, with 14,300 per cent. profit; at another, 20 cents, with a profit of 19,060 per cent., while at a fourth establishment the profit reached the comfortable amount of 23,000 per cent, the druggist feeling himself justified in charging 25 cents. "No wonder" thought the reporter, "that so many go into the business." The lowest charge, as it happened, was made by the best shop, at least the most fashionable, one under Fifth Avenue Hotel. This would hardly have been expected. If a similar experiment were tried in Toronto, we trust that our own druggists would come through the ordeal in a manner very much more creditable to themselves, and satisfactory to others. Making all possible allowances for the druggist being a professional man, and, therefore, justified in charging for his services as well as for his mere drugs, there is no excuse for prices being extortionate. Of course no one in his senses believes that such profits as those this reporter scented out are anything but a wonderful exception, but there is a very general suspicion that the charges are often much higher than they need be. Whether the custom of paying heavy percentages to doctors be a common one or not we cannot say. It is at any rate a wholly bad one, and should be given up. The doctors surely make enough by their professional fees without trying to secure more in a second-hand sort of a way. If they think they have a right to more than the usual charges, let them openly insist on more, but not seek to make druggists their collecting agents, or instruments of extortion.

Principal Cavern on Dogmatic Preaching.

Had our space permitted we should gladly have given a very full report of the lecture delivered by Principal Caven at the opening of Knox College on Wednesday last. It was an exceedingly clear able and timely discussion of a very important and interesting question, and showed very distinctly, that the outcry against dogma, and in favour of the practical, in preaching, is simply absurd irrational and without excuse. That in short there can be no ground for practical preaching, or anything like practical well doing, unless it is versed on dogma, or in other words, on fact, or what is supposed to be such. Indeed, it is not only in religion, but in every other department of life and work, that there must be dogma, understood and believed, before there can be anything like reasonably correct or intelligent conduct. One man says, not, "obey God," but "Obey the law," and unless he be an absolute fool, he bases this advice or command which he gives, upon some consideration, which he thinks ought to have weight. "Obey, or I shall put you in prison;" or "I shall cut your head off;" You will find yourself very miserable" &c. &c. Why, all that is dogma. Fifty other reasons may be given for the obedience required, and every one of them would be of the same character. The same thing is true of every practical advice or command which could be thought of. And why not of religion, the most important of all as well? "Be good," "be kind," "be sweet," "be generous" many are crying. Why? They may give any reason they like, but whatever they may happen to urge, that will be their dogmas just as much as all those considerations and facts, urged in the Bible, and by doctrinal preachers are their dogmata. The true order both in theory and practice, with everything, whether politics, merchandizing, or social life—is first, correct *thinking*, or the reception of dogma, doctrine or fact, real or supposed, whatever one like to call it! Then secondly, correct feeling, as the result of the thinking; and lastly, as the natural and necessary result of the two preceding, correct acting, or practice. And the man would be a fool (though there are many such, who fancy themselves wise) who could even expect the practice to be what it ought to be, while the thinking and feeling are all astray, or utterly ignored.

"Opinion is nothing" cry some, "practice all in all." Why, in the very statement of such a thing, he is enunciating dogma as he understands it, and how a man's practice can be correct with nothing to stand upon, even the conviction that this course is right, and that other wrong, for that too is dogma, passes any reasonable comprehension, and its cuckoo repitition by many who fancy themselves authorities, intimates a depth of folly as amazing as it is inexplicable. We commend to all such, Dr. Caven's, clear, and cogent reasoning, and ask them for their own sakes, and in order to keep up their self respect to drop the nonsense implied in the persistent quotation of Pope's silly lines:

"For forms of faith let graceless zealots fight,
He can't be wrong whose life is in the right."

As a man *really* not *professedly* thinks, so is he, and so does he act, whether in the matter of buying or selling, or in that of worshipping and serving God.

B. Young's Widows.

Thirteen of the widows of Brigham Young still live in the Lion House at Salt Lake. Their shares of the estate were $21,000 each, according to the will, but by threatening litigation they obtained about $10,000 more. They receive, however, only the income from their property; but that is sufficient to give them excellent fare in the old home, with servants, horses, and $75 a month in money. Louise, one of the daughters of the Prophet by Emeline Fee, the most intellectual and intelligent of the wives, says that all of her full brothers and sisters have renounced polygamy; but a majority of Young's forty-seven children are Mormons. Speaking of the household as it used to be, she says: "We lived very happily. My father's ruling hand had a good deal to do with it. He taught us to love one another. Every morning wives and children met in the parlor, where we had prayers and singing. People have often asked me how in the world father knew all his children and wives, but I can tell you if a single one was missing at prayers he knew it, and found out where he or she was. Our houses were like a great hotel, and we the guests. Our father was a great manager, and very practical in superintending his household affairs. Our rooms opened on to a long hall, like the one in the hotel here, but larger, and when we wanted anything from sisters, brothers, or wives, we went into this room or that at will."

Grass Stain Removed.

I thought grass stain was hopeless. I have asked experienced people several times if anything would take the stain of green grass from children's clothes, but without gaining the desired information until within the last month. Lo! boiling water will remove the colour. Pour boiling water through the stain and it sets the green colouring matter loose, rinsing it away. I tried it on a large stain upon the front of my little girl's white dress, and easily removed every trace of the grass, rubbing it a little in the hot water. Grass stain, after washing with soap-suds, makes a dirt-coloured mark, and remains an ugly blot on children's white clothing.

A Frenchman named Anne has made experiments on himself with regard to the effects of inhaling oxygen, and he makes the statement that one may absorb 100 litres, and even more, daily without inconvenience.

The home of Stephanie and Rudolph of Austria is to be an ancient castle, one of the grandest in Europe, that rises from the Moldau, and towers over Prague. The gift of the Viennese nobles to the Prince is to be an album of Austrian paintings, costing about sixty thousand dollars.

President Grevy, who is shooting in the Jura, has received a present from the Prince of Wales of a gun and four beautiful setters.

FOREIGN ECHOES.

Spain, with only 17,000,000 of inhabitants, turns out yearly twice as much wheat as does Italy with 26,000,000 of inhabitants.

The French government are about to despatch four officers to Senegal to organise topographical surveys with a view to the formation of three new posts beyond Medina, and the choice for the best route for a railway between that place and [illegible] Niger by way of Bafulabe and Fangal[illegible].

Keeping poultry of some kind or other is almost universal in China. The poorest household has, wherever practicable, its pert cock and three or four lean hens, which stalk hungrily in and out of the mud shanty in search of anything eatable that no one else of the family may happen to be able to digest.

On the 11th of January, 1867, there existed only seventeen daily newspapers in Paris, while on the 1st of September, 1880, there were sixty-one daily newspapers in circulation. Another curious fact is that the number of daily journals sold at one sou each amounts to seventeen, or exactly the number of daily newspapers existing in 1867.

Among the recent discoveries of valuable works in the library of the Convent of Monte Cassino is a treatise written by one of the first disciples of S. Thomas Aquinas. This may be said to form the first traditional link of the Thomistic doctrines. The subject is the "Creation of the World;" and it is now published, with notes, and dedicated to Cardinal Zigliara.

All reports from France and Italy agree that the silk crop in those countries will be more abundant this season than for the past ten years. Advices from different districts in Japan, announces that only about four hundred and fifth thousand cartons will be manufactured this year, and, as a considerable quantity will be required for home use, it is expected that the cards available for exportation will realize very remunerative prices.

The forthcoming number of the *Geographisch Mittheilungen* contains Dr. Regel's account of a trip from Kuldja to Turfan, in Chinese Turkestan, which no European traveller appears to have visited since Father Goes did so in the seventeenth century. The new town consists of two fortresses, inhabited by several thousand Tarantchis, Dungans and Chinese. It lies in the midst of the desert, its fields being irrigated by water conveyed through underground canals from the foot of the Thianshan.

The *Unione* has the following information from Rome:—"The monument of the holy memory of Pius IX., which the Cardinals nominated by him have agreed to erect, will be placed in the Confession of the Basilica of Santa Maria Maggiore. The monument will cost the sum of 60,000 francs. The number of cardinals contributing to it is fifty-one." It may be remembered that the Confession of this Basilica is that which was so beautifully restored with the richest marbles by the late Pontiff over twenty years ago.

Divorces are becoming alarmingly frequent in Switzerland, and according to lately published statistics, there are relatively more divorced people in Switzerland than in any other civilized country. Experienced advocates say that among the working classes of towns it is quite a common thing for people to marry in order to try how they like each other. If the result is satisfactory they go on living together as long as it may please them; if not, an interview with a lawyer and an application to the Tribunal Civil, which in ordinary cases costs only a few francs, releases them from their bonds.

The Glasgow *Herald* states that while some workmen were engaged about half a mile east from Fort William in deepening the dam which supplies the Nevis Distillery with water, one of the men came upon a large shell in a complete state. It was embedded in the moss, and was found to be fifteen inches in diameter, and weighed about one hundred pounds. The powder was quite fresh looking, only the portion of it near the fuse being damp. The fuse itself was burned out. The shell is supposed to be one of those fired from the fort in April, 1746, at a battery raised by "Prince Charlie's" men at the Craigs, within five hundred yards of the fort. It was found in a straight line with the fort and the battery.

An Irish correspondent to the Manchester *Courier* writes concerning the land league: —"The Roman Catholic bishops, as a body, do not countenance the anti-rent agitation; but the local priests as a rule join the popular movement, and do not seem to be checked by the bishops. Many of the priests, however, I believe, take office that it may not get into worse hands, and that by their position they may regulate the proceedings of the local organization and take legitimate action in cases of real injustice and hardship, some of which I may give in my next letter. The hotheaded young priests are generally those who use the violent language, and when they go the length of telling the tenants not to pay their rents there is little doubt the mass of the people are indoctrinated with that idea."

"A good many military authorities are," a London journal states, "in favour of the abolition of regimental colors. The cry was started after the Isandlana disaster, and has again been raised since the Khusk-i-Nakhud affair. It is by no means certain that those authorities are right. There is, of course, nothing perfect in this world, and the use of the flag has doubtless its drawbacks; but, putting one thing against another, it is doubtful whether the odds are not in favour of its adoption. An English officer relates how, at Inkermann, soon after the French had come to relieve the English, the men of the two nationalities became badly mixed and lost all semblance of method in their fighting. A young French *porte-drapeau* thereupon raised his tricolor on high and shouted, '*Au drapeau mes garcons!*' The English officers took the hint, and directed their men to rally around the English standard, and the confusion was quickly at an end. In such a case as this the value of a flag as a rallying point is evident."

"Guardians of the Peace."

(From the Toronto Truth.)

Our city policemen are fine-looking men. Everybody acknowledges that. We are all proud of them, and if Hamilton, or London, or any other city in Her Majesty's Loyal Dominion, ventures to claim a more magnificent set of civic dignitaries, then no one will hesitate to do doughty battle for the honour of Toronto. They fitly represent the grandeur of that Law which should ever be a terror to the multitude of evil doers, while at the same time it shows itself a praise to such as do well. All sensible people rejoice when civil functionaries draw as good pay, and do as little work as is at all consistent with the eternal fitness of things. But, at the same time, we may venture gently to hint to the gentlemen in question, that they are not placed on duty *simply* to be looked at, or to help ladies across the street, or to give clear and civil directions to hesitating strangers. Nor is every little disturbance between half-drunken rowdies, incapable of doing much injury to themselves or to other people, the *only* occasion on which their presence and assistance may become in any wise needful. Nor are servant girls, who steal petticoats from their mistresses, or newsboys whose mouths water for the cool and soothing melon, and whose consciences are not as yet sufficiently developed to permit quite accurate distinctions being made between *meum* and *tuum*, the *only* culprits whom the citizens of Toronto would be glad to see in durance vile. All these things, of course, should be done, but not to the leaving other things, fully as important, undone. Now there is a very prevalent understanding in the city, that as soon as there is any real need for a policeman, there are none to be had. We have heard of gentlemen running up one street, and down another, in fact making quite a lengthened tour of observation in search of a blue-coated protector, but without success. There have been too many burglaries in Toronto for some time back. Nothing has been done of any account. One or two fellows may have been arrested on suspicion, but that is about the last anyone hears of it. Much more determined and persevering efforts should be made than have hitherto been put forth to bring bolder and more unscrupulous felons to justice. There are other iniquities besides housebreaking, which are pretty rampant in the city just now, and which might profitably be looked after. We do not for a moment hint that our policemen are *afraid* of anything serious, or that any of them are in league with the criminals, as was the case in Scotland Yard some years ago, but something seems wrong somewhere. There may be truth in the suspicion that servant girls are at the bottom of much of the mischief. The "boys in blue" should not allow their faculties to be dimmed by being brought too strongly under female influence.

A man being tormented by corns, kicked his foot through a window, and the pane was instantly gone.

Science in Court.

"Do you plead guilty, or not guilty?" asked the Judge, addressing S[illegible].

"I doesn't plead at all. I isn't no lawyer. Yer can't katch me wid yer [illegible]."

"Look out, you impudent rascal. [illegible] you guilty or not guilty?"

"Now yer's gettin' at de facks. I [illegible] honour ter state dat I's not guilty."

"Yis he is, Jedge," exclaimed [illegible] "He hit me in de mouf wid his fist."

"I neber tetched de man."

"Didn't you hit him in the [illegible]" asked the Judge.

"No, sah; I didn't put my han' on [illegible] In fact, neber tetched him."

"Judge, I swear on de bigges' Bible [illegible] he hit me."

"Now, look a heah," said Simms, [illegible] courts of dis lan' ain't technical [illegible] When yer jerk a man up on a charge [illegible] got ter stantiate de charge. If de [illegible] moah eddycation 'mong de niggers an' [illegible] white folks dar wouldn't be half de trouble in de courts. Is my han' tetchin' dis tal[illegible] Jedge?" And he placed his hand on desk.

"Yes, sir."

"Dar's whar yer's off. Case why? [illegible] ter de flosofy what I'se been [illegible] yer can't tetch nothin'. Dar is air [illegible] my han' an' de table. Ef my han' [illegible] de table it would stick dar. Now I ask [illegible] Ant'hy," and the prisoner turned to [illegible] "is yer gwin to put yerself in such a [illegible] light? Yer's been a stugent to [illegible] ter know better den dis. Is yer goin' [illegible] town branded wid ignorence? Is yer goin' ter add yer weight to holin' de cullad [illegible] of Little Rock ter de groun'? Now, [illegible] gent an' a man what unerstan's flosofy, I tetch yer?"

"Come to think ob hit," answered [illegible] "I doan believe yer did."

"Now, Ant'ny, ez a stugent an' a [illegible] scince, didn't yer run again a [illegible] knock dem teef out?"

"Viewin' this subjeck in a scientific [illegible] I believe I did."

"An' now, Ant'ny, as a stugent an' [illegible] ed man, won't yer withdraw dis case [illegible] agin me, in which yerself is de com[illegible]plainter, an' in what I is de scientific [illegible]dent?"

"Yes, I will. Jedge, dis man [illegible] me, an' I hereby widdraws de mistake."

"Dat was [illegible]kly right," said Simms [illegible] the two men went down together. "[illegible] de men of science would hang tergedder [illegible] way, dar wouldn't be half de trouble an' eaziness in de worl'."

Millionaire Criminal.

(London Telegraph.)

Not every criminal who incurs the [illegible]ment to Siberia is on that account [illegible] compassionated, if we may believe the [illegible] counts of Mr. Jacharzeff's sojourn [illegible] recently published by a St. Petersburg [illegible]al. This eminent malefactor, known through[illegible]out Russia by the significant soubriquet "The Stealer of Millions," has contrived to retain possession of the enormous fortune acquired by high-class swindling. W[illegible] condemned to deportation, he travelled [illegible] Krasnojarsk, the town selected for his [illegible] residence by the imperial authorities [illegible] princely style, attended by a suite of [illegible]vants, carriages and horses, and it would [illegible]pear that he is to become the leader of fashion in that Siberian city. Tailors, [illegible]fumers and tobacconists advertise [illegible] wares under his name; he has been [illegible] a member of the leading club, and is [illegible] to contract an alliance with a young [illegible] belonging to one of the first families [illegible] Krasnojarsk. His dinner parties are [illegible]ed by the chief official personages and [illegible] nobilities; ladies of the best society [illegible] his evening receptions, and accept the [illegible]did presents with which he judiciously [illegible] their favour and social countenance. [illegible] proposed by a committee of Kras[illegible] "*lionnes*" to present him, upon his [illegible] day, with a wreath of laurel, oak leaves [illegible] roses. Altogether, for a convicted [illegible]meanant, undergoing sentence of [illegible]ment, he appears to be leading an [illegible] monly pleasant life. Not so the thous[illegible] of his dupes who, having trusted their [illegible]unes to his keeping, suffered total [illegible] his hands.

One Hundred and Thirty Years of [illegible]

The Rev. Mr. Collins, a naturalist, [illegible]ty-five years resident in Ceylon, says elephants there live about 130 years, "come of age" at 40. There are three [illegible] of them in the same herds, and when [illegible] are young, the size they will attain is [illegible] nearly known by the number of toes. Those which grow to the largest size [illegible] eighteen toes, five on each of the two [illegible] feet, and four on each of the hind [illegible] Those which grow to a medium size [illegible] seventeen toes, five on each of the fore [illegible] and four on one hind foot, and three on [illegible] other. The least size of elephant has [illegible]teen toes, five on each fore foot, and [illegible] on each hind foot. No Singhalese ele[illegible] has a fewer number than sixteen toes. [illegible] mahout, or elephant driver, rules his [illegible]phant by means of an iron hook, with [illegible] he touches a most sensitive part behind [illegible] ear, which causes the most unruly ele[illegible] to become submissive. When Mr. [illegible] was in Kandy, an elephant which had [illegible]ed its keeper, and which had been [illegible] the head before it could be captured, [illegible] undergo the operation of having the [illegible] extracted, which was performed by [illegible] five doctors, the elephant lying [illegible] down while the mahout kept his [illegible] this sensitive part. The elephant [illegible] are a drunken set of men, and some[illegible] while drunk, will treat their charge [illegible]cifully, and the elephant itself is an [illegible] which bears grudges—the result being [illegible] nearly all elephant keepers are sooner or later killed.

Turkey.

The present aspect of affairs in Turkey [illegible] highly curious, as well as very critical [illegible] little boy, and a sick one at that, [illegible] fully evades all chastisement, by resol[illegible] refusing to hold out his hand; and it [illegible] not appear either, as if the half-dozen [illegible]nies, with all the most improved [illegible]thods of flagellation at their com[illegible] were going to succeed in "coer[illegible] him. There is great power evident [illegible] passive resistance. What may be the outcome of the trouble, it is impossible to say. Turkey may, even yet, come off [illegible] flying colours, after setting all her would-be reformers by the ears. The Sultan [illegible] very well that these European powers [illegible] jealous of one another as drawing-room [illegible]ties, and that by a little judicious flir[illegible] he can at any rate hold his own. [illegible] probably the very game he is playing [illegible] a proposition here, and a proposition [illegible] he keeps up the appearance of being much alarmed by such a display of force, and of a praiseworthy willing[illegible] come to any reasonable understanding while all the time he holds the apple of [illegible]cord, which may prove too much in [illegible] for any naval demonstration. Si[illegible] trying to "coerce" a fox in any other [illegible] than by breaking his neck, is certain[illegible] imposing spectacle. The fox's [illegible] course, is naturally to try and set [illegible] one another's throats in order to [illegible] that important part of his own anatomy.

Bill of Fare in a Monastery.

Here are some culinary memoranda from a monastic account-book of the [illegible] Henry VIII. The items bring vivid[illegible] fore us the abundant and excellent [illegible]vided in these monastic establishments [illegible] perusal of the list of dainties here [illegible] will at least satisfy us that in the [illegible] Ages "the monks, the much-abused [illegible] much-mistaken monks, fanned the [illegible] of a nascent literature, and cherished [illegible] flame of a new cookery. Die corporis [illegible] Apud Boston. *Ffyrst Course.* [illegible] podage. Chewtes, (a small pie.) [illegible] Carpettes of Venyson. Capons. [illegible] wye, (baken Capons.) Custardys [illegible] damask, fruttes. A Suttelty. [illegible] *Course.* Cremball to potage. [illegible] Schuffard. peyons. Baken Veneson [illegible] byttes. Yerwhelps, leche viall. A [illegible]te. *Thyrd Course.* Clere jelly to [illegible] Crane betters, ffesande, Knottes [illegible] Tart. Stynt, leche lombard. A Sotelty [illegible] lxxv messes. The bill of fare for [illegible] luxurious dinner on a fish day, which [illegible] on the same page, is not assigned [illegible] precise date, but was certainly served [illegible] the number of the "messes" being [illegible] the foot: Ffyche, *ffyrst course.* [illegible] potage, lying and salt fysche. [illegible] Buttes & place. ffreshe Salmon. [illegible] Baken Breme. Trench. leche [illegible] Suttelty e. *Second Course.* Creme [illegible] des. Byrt, (a kind of turbot, [illegible] Dory. Bremys. Soolys. [illegible] Cong. perche, leche Damask. [illegible] Rost ele, ffreshe porpoose. Crabbe [illegible] lombard. A Suteltye.

The Argyll is a thrifty Scot; [illegible] the shooting on the estates is let at [illegible] profit, and but a limited portion kept [illegible] family amusement.

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Dear Sir[illegible] doctors had [illegible] eight years. [illegible] that I have [illegible] After using [illegible] for a brief sp[illegible] led to do all [illegible] lieve it was [illegible] life.
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Dear Sir[illegible] was afflicted [illegible] which grew [illegible] my room, and [illegible] incurable by [illegible] 1877, I comm[illegible] Blood Syrup [illegible] menced to gai[illegible] a short time [illegible] fair day's wor[illegible] entirely gone. ISAA[illegible]
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Dear Sir:—I [illegible] Erysipelas for tw[illegible] your Indian B[illegible] me.
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Dear Sir:—I [illegible] Blood Syrup for [illegible] received great ben[illegible]
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Dear Sir:—My [illegible] and I was unable to [illegible] went to a doctor, [illegible] which did no good. [illegible] your Indian Blood S[illegible] only a short time, [illegible] ed, and now my han[illegible] I can safely recomm[illegible] remedy.
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Dear Sir:—I have [illegible] years with Dyspepsia [illegible] Kidney Complaint, a[illegible] many remedies, but [illegible] came very bad and [illegible] I sent to your Agent [illegible] bottle of your Indian [illegible] not hesitate to say tha[illegible] am completely cured [illegible] man. Last week my [illegible] with severe Headache [illegible] your valuable medicine.
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The widow of the [illegible] Countess von Wrangel, [illegible]sis, after having celebr[illegible] wedding.

Mr. Mackay, the Bon[illegible] said to have become mor[illegible] so many adventurers and [illegible] practiced on him that b[illegible] human nature.

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DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

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DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. ROBISON.

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THE widow of the Field-Marshal, the Countess von Wrangel, died lately in Prussia, after having celebrated her diamond wedding.

MR. MACKAY, the Bonanza millionaire, is said to have become morose and suspicious, so many adventurers and impostors having practiced on him that he has lost faith in human nature.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

A Bridal Greeting.

On thy bridal morning
Skies are blue and bright;
With how sweet an aspect
Day has followed night!
O! thou gentle maiden,
With the amber hair,
Be thy future bright and pleasant
As this morn is fair.

Fashion Notes.

BUTTONS are more wildly extravagant than ever.

BOTH square and round trains are worn in evening toilet.

FANCY feathers show the influence of the craze for plaided effects.

SOME very small bonnets appear among late novelties in millinery.

THE "Abbe" is the new hat worn by ladies returned from abroad.

A TRIMMING much in vogue is black net embroidered with jet beads.

DEEP tucks on dresses are a recent revival of a fashion of ye olden time.

FRENCH modistes add flowers as accessories to all but the simplest dresses.

PLUSH roses form the favourite garnitures of many lovely evening dresses.

IRISH point and church lace form the most fashionable mull neck scarfs.

BLACK dresses still hold their own and are as elegant and fashionable as ever.

AFTER the rage for big bonnets has subsided, the medium sizes will probably be most worn.

BONNETS, muffs and costumes match when worn by the most fastidiously fashionable women.

JET or coloured crystal beads enrich all the richest trimmings and embroideries on dressy costumes.

Waifs.

A GOOD soldier is an easy catch. He is always ready for an engagement.

THE spots on the sun do not begin to create the disturbance produced by the freckles on the daughter.

WHEN a man and a woman are made one, the question "Which one?" is a bothersome one until it is settled, as it soon is.

A LADY assistant in a glove shop was almost mad when a fellow asked her if she had any nice dark-coloured kids.

WHEN does a budding young damsel burst into fruit?—When she becomes the apple of somebody's eye.

SOME crusty, rusty, fusty, musty, dusty, gusty curmudgeon of a man gave the following toast at a celebration:—"Our fire-engines—may they be like our old maids ever ready, but never wanted!"

"I CAN'T go to Europe," a lady is reported to have said; "I am reading forty-five continued stories, and my limited means would not let me pay the postage."

WHEN old Mrs. Pinaphor heard that a certain young lady had "gone to Europe to catch a husband," she innocently observed: "Why, is there no one in this country who will have the girl?"

THE faculty of an Ohio female seminary has issued orders that no pupil shall have more than one male visitor per week. The smart girls invite their young men to call on Sunday, so that when their fathers come on Monday the old men find themselves barred out.

A YOUNG man with an umbrella overtook an unprotected lady acquaintance in a rainstorm, and, extending his umbrella over her, requested the pleasure of acting as her rainbow. "Oh!" exclaimed the young lady, taking his arm, "you wish me to be your rain dear." Two souls with but a single umbrella, two forms that stepped as one.

Poetry of the Table.

More appetizing than all patent tonics is a perfectly arranged table, sparkling with cleanliness. So let us be a little extravagant in our fresh tablecloths, when soap, water, and a little labour are all we have had to pay. And now we must decide, shall we have the best china and do with some stoneware for every day? Or shall we pay ourselves the respect usually reserved for company? Clearly, we are the persons to whom it is of the most importance. Shall we sit down to odd plates and cracked saucers six days, that we may enjoy gilded china on the seventh? By no means. We will have plain white French china, which can always be matched, when broken, and we will sit down to it every day. In the same way we will bring out the plated knives and silver forks, and partake of our food with a sense of our own deserts. We shall feel increased respect for ourselves, also, with napkins and butter plates; so those we will have.

A Romantic Match.

A Boston bookseller tells a very romantic story as follows: At one time I had prepared boxes of fancy paper with a fancy initial or pet name embossed in it, and I put this up at $1 a box, and advertised it widely. One day I had an order from California, from a Miss Susie——. The box was done up, addressed to her, and lay about here, when a young Englishman came in and wanted to write a letter. I gave him the materials and a place, when his eye caught the address on this box.

"Have you the order that came for that box of paper?" he asked.

"Yes," I replied, "it is about somewhere."

"Would you mind sending it up to my hotel? If it is what I think, I shall leave for California to-night."

I found it and sent it around, and heard no more about it for perhaps three months, when one day the young man, with a lady on his arm, walked in. "I want to present you to my wife," he said. "We could not leave this country till we had thanked you for your part in bringing us together." The denouement was quite a romance. The young man was the son of an aristocratic family, and the girl the daughter of the gardener. But love levels all distinctions, and the young man felt this girl to be the chosen companion of his life. To break off the attachment his father had sent him to the continent, and dispatched the gardener and his pretty daughter to America, where the young man had followed them, ignorant of their address, and at last finding it through the chance of the box of paper.

A Girl Monk.

Matrena Ivanovna, a Russian peasant girl of two-and-twenty, has recently acquired considerable notoriety in her native land, says *The London Telegraph*, through the fact that, under the monastic designation of "Father Michael," she succeeded in passing several months in the cloister of Staraja Ladoga, without incurring the least suspicion on the part of her fellow-monks that she was other than she seemed to be. Forced by her father to marry a person whom she detested, she disappeared from her home on the day succeeding her wedding, and, upon search being made, her clothes and two long plaits of her "back hair" were found near the Wolchoff river, as well as a letter in her handwriting, stating that, rather than live with her husband, she had resolved to drown herself. Her relatives, believing that she had really committed suicide, forbore any further inquiry, and mourned for her as one dead. She, however, dressed in man's clothing, applied last March for admission to the above-named monastery, and was duly received into the confraternity on probation, taking the minor vows, and officiating as coachman to the prior. There is no knowing to what ecclesiastical dignities she might not in time have risen, had not unkind fortune decreed that a native of her own village should have been sent to Staraja Ladoga by his master for correction at the hands of the brethren, his offence being inveterate drunkenness. Promptly recognized and denounced by this indiscreet toper as Matrena Ivanovna, a friend of his youth, "Father Michael" was handed over to the police authorities by the indignant monks, and is now awaiting trial for imposture upon a religious community—a crime likely to be visited with severe punishment in so priest-ridden a country as Russia.

Small Feet.

An American missionary, Miss Norwood, of Swatow, has lately described how the size of the foot is reduced in Chinese women. The binding of the foot is not begun till the child has learned to walk and do various things. The bandages are specially manufactured, and are about two inches wide and two yards long for the first year, and five yards long for subsequent years. The end of the strip is laid on the inside of the foot at the instep, then carried over the toes, under the foot, and round the heel, the toes being thus drawn toward and over the sole, while a bulge is produced on the instep, and a deep indentation in the sole. The indentation, it is considered, should measure about an inch and a half from the part of the foot that rests on the ground up to the instep. Successive layers of bandages are put on till the strip is all used, and the end is then sewn tightly to the ground. Large quantities of powdered alum are used to prevent ulceration, and lessen the offensive odour. After a month the foot is put in hot water to soak some time; then the bandage is carefully unwound, much dead cuticle coming off with it. Ulcers and other sores are often found on the foot. Frequently, too, a large piece of flesh sloughs off the soles, and one or two toes may even drop off, in which case the woman feels afterward repaid by having smaller and more delicate feet. Each time the bandage is taken off the feet are kneaded, to make the joints more flexible, and are then bound up again as quickly as possible with a fresh bandage, which is drawn up more tightly. During the first year the pain is so intense that the victim can do nothing, and for about two years the foot aches continually, and is the seat of a pain which is like the pricking of sharp needles. With continued rigorous binding, the foot in two years becomes dead, and ceases to ache, and the whole leg, from the knee downward, becomes shrunk, so as to be little more than skin and bone. When once formed, the "golden lily," as the Chinese lady calls her delicate little foot, can never recover its original shape.

How Married Woman Goes to Sleep.

There is an article going the rounds entitled "How Girls Go to Sleep." The manner in which they go to sleep, according to the article, can't hold a candle to the way a married woman goes to sleep. Instead of thinking what she would have attended to before going to bed, she thinks of it afterward. While she is revolving these matters in her mind, and while snugly tucked up in bed, the old man is scratching his legs in front of the fire, and wondering how he will pay the next month's rent. Suddenly she says:

"James, did you lock the door?"

"Which door?" says Jim.

"The cellar door," she says.

"No," says James.

"Well, you had better go down and lock it, for I heard some person in the back-yard last night."

Accordingly Jim paddles down stairs and locks the door. About the time James returns and is going to get into bed, she remarks:

"Did you shut the stair door?"

"No," said James.

"Well, if it isn't shut the cat will get up into the bedroom."

"Let her come up, then," says James, ill-naturedly.

"My goodness, no," returned the wife. "She'd suck the baby's breath."

Then James paddles down stairs again, and steps on a tack and closes the stair door, and curses the cat and returns to the bedroom. Just as he begins to climb into his couch his wife observes:

"I forgot to bring up some water. Suppose you bring up some in the big tin."

And so James with a muttered curse goes down into the dark kitchen and falls over a chair, and rakes all the tinware off the wall in search of the "big" tin, and then jerks the stair door open and howls:

"Where the deuce are the matches?"

She gives him minute instructions where to find the matches, and adds that she would rather go and get the water herself than have the neighbourhood raised about it. After which James finds the matches, procures the water, comes up stairs, and prepares himself to retire. Before accomplishing this feat the wife suddenly remembers that she forgot to chain the dog. A trip to the kennel follows, and he once more jumps into bed.

Presently his wife says:

"James, let's have an understanding about money matters. Now next week, I've got to pay—"

"I don't know what you'll have to pay, and I don't care," shouts James, as he lurches around and jams his face against the wall; "all I want now is sleep."

"That's all very well for you," snaps his wife, as she pulls the covers viciously; "you never think of the worry and trouble I have."

A Mixed Telephone.

The telephone, the wonderful offspring of Edison's great mind, is an instrument which is now looked upon as indispensable to the world's good, but it, like a great many other things, will sometimes get out of humor and act in a very crooked manner.

Mr. Charles Augustus Fitzmont is an enterprising but bashful young clerk, whose place of business is on King street, and he is most warmly attached to a fair maiden who lives in an up-town residence with a telephone in it. Oft the telephone has been used as a medium through which he has breathed words of heart-pounding love in the ears of the one he so fondly worshipped, and never did he know it to fail in the performance of its duty until yesterday, when it caused him to moan—yes, to tremble like an aspen leaf, and smite one knee against the other.

At the time mentioned Charles had not seen his affinity for over forty-eight hours, and he determined to inform her of whom he was fondly dreaming that he would be up to the house that night and sit out on the front porch with her and sigh at the moon. Seeking the telephone while no one was in the office, he said:

"Is Miss Minnie at home?"

"Yes."

"Tell her to step to the 'phone, please."

"Is that you, Charlie?" inquired a cooing voice skimming along the wire.

"Yes, dearest, it is your own Charles."

"Oh, Charlie, what made you stay away so long? You must come up to-night because——"

"The baby was born an hour ago."

"Wh-at baby?"

"Your own baby."

"My baby!" shrieked the young woman, "why, I'm—I'm surprised that you—you would say such a thing. I—I didn't expect it——"

"Neither did I; I just heard it a moment ago."

"You don't believe this—this fearful report? Say—say you don't. You know I haven't got a baby. I never did have a baby in my life," howled the young woman in a frenzy.

"Ha! ha! old fellow, you feel so proud and happy that you have to indulge in a joke, do you? Allow me to congratulate you. It's a boy, and weighs twelve pounds. Good-bye."

"Miss Bunter—I say, Miss Bunter——"

"Oh, Charlie! what is the matter?"

"Matter enough. I want to know the man's name who told you that scandalous falsehood. I'll have his gore before sunrise. I'll follow him over sixteen different states to kill him. I'll crush him. I'll mutilate him. Tell me, was it that squint-eyed Bangs who brought that horrible lie to your ears?"

"What lie, Charlie? What do you mean?"

"I want to know who told you that—that I had a baby born to me an hour ago that weighed twelve pounds. Who is the villain?"

A piercing shriek was the only reply that came over the wire, and then Charles realized for the first time that there was some dreadful mistake, that the telephone had become mixed, and he fainted.

Among Famous Authors.

A BLIND MAN'S RECOLLECTIONS OF CELEBRATED ENGLISH WRITERS.

(Cor. Indianapolis Journal.)

"I believe you were a London publisher?"

"Yes; my eyes were good then, and I was in the thick of the trade. I was the confidential clerk of Chapman & Hall, when they became Dickens' publishers, and afterward I set up for myself."

"Did you see much of Dickens?"

"Not very much. He seldom came to office except to draw his money, and he usually overdrew. He inclined to dress rather 'loud,' and it was natural enough that his head was turned for a time by his extraordinary success. It was something more than forty years ago; it was in 1836-'37 and '38 that he was a frequent visitor at Chapman & Hall's."

"I was a member of the celebrated Museum club," he continued, after a short pause; "it was the precursor of the now still more famous Savage club, composed almost wholly of authors and publishers. Inside of the Museum club was another—the Zodiac club—of which there were always fourteen members, one each for ten signs of the zodiac, and two each for the other two—Pisces and Gemini. I belonged to this, also, and Douglas Jerrold, Leigh Hunt, George Henry Lewes, Francis Mahony ("Father Prout"), Landseer, Macready, John Leech, and others, were members.

"Each member was named after some sign in the zodiac and there was a fine of one penny for addressing a man by any but his zodiacal name. Douglas Jerrold, I remember, was 'Scorpio;' Moriarty, an Irish writer, was 'Taurus,' and Dr. Erasmus Wilson, a sort of later Kit North, and author of standard works on skin diseases—was 'Cancer.' I remember a joke of Leigh Hunt's at dinner one day. Lewes was carving a young pig, I think—and he said to Father Prout: 'What part will you have?' 'My favourite part—you know what it is,' said Father Prout. Lewes was nonplussed for a moment, but Hunt exclaimed: 'Give him the pope's eye—he's always trying to get the pope's eye!' You know the pope's eye is the delicate gland in the pig's thigh. Father Prout's relation to the Catholic church gave point to Hunt's suggestion, which was greeted with great laughter. Father Prout was a character. He bothered poor Tom Moor sadly, taking one of his finest songs and translating it into Greek, and then publishing them, side by side, and charging Moore with plagiarism."

"What sort of a man was Leigh Hunt?"

"Cheerful—always cheerful and hopeful, though he had a hard time of it. About 1810 he was fined £500, and imprisoned for two years, for speaking of George, the prince of Wales, as a 'fat Adonis of fifty,' and there are not many men who could have borne the infliction more serenely. He obtained the pension of £200 from the crown, from George's niece, Queen Victoria, when he was a member of the Zodiac club. He was the original of Dickens' 'Skimpole,' you know."

"But Dickens could hardly have thought unkindly of him," I suggested, "for the very year before he wrote 'Bleak House,' he took the lead in a series of unprecedented entertainments for Leigh Hunt's benefit, Dickens, Douglas Jerrold, Cruikshank, Mark Lemon, Lewes, and others, going over the kingdom as a company of strolling actors, to raise money for the impoverished author."

"Oh, no," said Mr. Addey, "Dickens certainly would not wish to harm or offend Leigh Hunt, but the latter's happy-go lucky disposition undoubtedly suggested the extravagant shiftlessness and sunny gabble of Skimpole, notwithstanding."

"What sort of looking man was Jerrold?"

"He was a little man, about five feet high, long hair, prominent cheek bones, a keen eye, and his form a little bent, and he looked up at you with a comical wag of his head. I knew him very well. He was really kind-hearted and sympathetic, but he was so fond of fun and so sarcastic in his method that he sometimes indulged his wit at the expense of other people's feelings. Not many got ahead of him. His publishers, Bradbury & Evans, who, he thought, had treated him rather shabbily, gave him a couple of sucking pigs, which he took out to his suburban cottage, and put in a pen. He named them—one Bradbury and the other Evans. A couple of months after his publishers came out and dined with him. After dinner he took them out and showed them his pigs, and said: 'I have named them after you, gentlemen. They are growing wonderfully, and I believe if I keep them they will grow the greatest hogs in Europe, and I do not forget the donors!'"

"Hepworth Dixon was a member of our club too; Jerrold always called him (behind his back) 'Hap-'orth Dixon.'"

"Did you ever meet Wordsworth or Rogers?"

"I never saw Wordsworth," said Mr. Addey. "He was an old man and he lived out at the lakes. Rogers I have seen, driving or walking through London, for he was a great gad-about, but he was a wealthy banker, and the literary world of London knew little of him. Kit North was in Scotland. I have met Lord Bulwer once or twice but I did not know him very well. Thackeray used to drop in at our house occasionally. I remember that once Chapman said to him: 'Thackeray, what are you going to do to-night? A lot of our fellows are going to dine at my house, and I wish you'd come.' Thackeray stood and thought a minute, and then said: 'Thank you, it is a strong temptation. But I have told my old mother I will take her to the opera, and I can't bear to disappoint her. Count me in next time.' I fancy that reply is a key to Thackeray's character.

"Charles Kemble, the actor, was one whom I occasionally met in society. He was very deaf, and I remember that once somebody asked him a question about a well-known speaker, just as a gentleman began to sing. All unconscious of the music, Kemble spoke up loud enough to be heard by everybody, and said: "He's an arrant humbug! Nobody ought to listen to him!" Explanations followed. I once attended what might properly be called a star performance of "The Merry Wives of Winsor,' Mark Lemon as Falstaff, John Forester as Ford, George Henry Lewes as the Welsh parson, and Dickens and Jerrold as Slender and Shallow. The ladies were professionals. You can imagine that the performance was most attractive.

"I remember well two things that Jerrold frequently repeated. One was that line of poetry. 'The sea that moaneth for the rest that never comes,' and the other was 'There's always sunshine somewhere in the world.'"

Overdue Railway Tickets.

An important question will be settled by law before very long. It has been asked over and over again what right any railway company has to dictate at what time a traveller should use the ticket he buys. As well, it is thought allow the grocer to dictate to his customer within what dates he must finish a certain pound of sugar. The company takes money and agrees to carry a passenger to a certain destination. As long as the ticket remains uncancelled, the question is, has that traveller not a perfect right to use that ticket whenever he chooses. A case in point has occurred this week. A gentleman bought a return ticket to Toronto on the 10th of September, which was considered "good" till the 20th. He was one of the judges at the exhibition. While here, he was persuaded to go on to Hamilton, to perform the same duty there, and then, on again to London. He bought return tickets over the Great Western, which were all honoured, but when he offered his ticket to the conductor on the Grand Trunk, it was refused, and money was demanded on pain of ejectment from the train. The gentleman refused to pay, and accordingly was put off at Scarborough. It is understood that an action for damages, is to be the result of this affair, and it will no doubt be watched with great interest, as the matter is one of no small importance.

A NUMBER of ladies were chatting about their dislike of the use of tobacco by their husbands, when one of them declared, "I never kiss my husband because he smokes!" and then amid the general silence she added—"No, I kiss him because I like to."

To the Victors Belong the Spoils.

None but those who have had a pretty long residence in the United States and have taken some active part in the manipulation and working of the political "machine," can have anything like a correct idea of the depth of degradation and demoralization to which the politics of that country have been reduced, and, in the judgment of the most thoughtful men of the nation, no other one cause has contributed so largely to bring about this deplorable state of things, as the infamous doctrine indicated by the words which stand at the head of this article. However valuable may have been the service which General Andrew Jackson rendered his country in his quality as military leader, it has been a thousand times more than counter-balanced by the adoption of this principle in the exercise of his patronage as the chief magistrate of the republic. The day in which he summarily and arbitrarily ejected five hundred postmasters from office, to make room for as many of his own partisans, was one of the very darkest days in the history of the country. Of course others have not been slow to follow his mischievous example; but "to him," as a recent writer has truthfully said, "must be awarded the unenviable, if not execrable, distinction of accomplishing at once the ruin and prostitition of American politics." One party having adopted this principle, a sort of necessity was created for its adoption by whatever party or parties might thereafter attempt to oppose it. No other political organization could hope to be successful in fighting it, without offering its constituents, at least, as strong inducements as it offered; especially as no one, or at most but few, appeared to have any very clear perception of the essential corruption of this thing itself, or of the baneful consequences which it would produce, and the public sentiment of the country was not strong enough against the infamous proceeding, to nip it in the bud.

The result has been that the government of the country has in a great measure been taken out of the hands of the best men of the nation, and handed over to a set of sharks, whose chief interest in public affairs lies in the opportunity which they afford them of gorging themselves at the public expense. The dignity and emolument—chiefly the latter, for the dignity of official life in the United States, as a rule, is as near zero as possible—are simply looked upon as prizes to be fought for by contending factions, spoils which are to be distributed among the most brazen and self-asserting of the one that happens to be victorious. No wonder that the very name of "politician" has become the synonym of all that is selfish, vile, and contemptible. It is scarcely a matter of surprise that there are thousands of estimable American citizens who would just as soon be called thief, as politician. This is not because there is necessarily anything mean or contemptible in politics; so far from this being the case, there is no nobler science than the science of government, and no sphere of activity in which men can engage more honourable than the management of the public affairs of a great, enlightened and free people. If there be any arena in which the very highest qualities of manhood and citizenship may be most appropriately displayed, any field of action which might be most emphatically styled "the sphere for men" one would think it was this one. But when political life has become degraded into an unseemly and brutal wrangle for personal aggrandizement—a battle between a couple of packs of hungry curs contending for a bone—no wonder that the gorge of respectable men rises at the mention of a politician.

The fact is, all the incidental evils connected with party government, have been aggravated to the highest degree by this doctrine that "to the victors belong the spoils;" until, as an American writer says, "The modern political party is more than a machine; it is a huge car of Juggernaut that periodically rolls through the length of this republic, ruthlessly crushing out all pure political motives, all disinterested political conduct, and all noble political action. The stench which rises from these rushed and mangled political sacrifices, has poisoned the moral atmosphere, and inoculated corruption and fraud into the deepest veins and arteries of the body politic.' Black as this picture is, it can scarcely be said that the colour is laid on too thickly. Nor is it any wonder that this appalling state of things has been reached, when we look at the facts as they exist at this very moment. The two great "machines" are about to be set in motion. At least one million of office-holders,—Federal, State, county, and city, including their wives and children—are to-day in breathless anxiety, fear, and suspense, lest the result of the November elections shall bring some great calamity upon them, in the loss of employment, income, and the certainty of a livelihood. On the other hand, another million, or, perhaps, nearer two millions, Federal, State, county, and city, office-seekers, with their wives, children, and relatives, are secretly cherishing the hope, and feasting upon the golden vision of a fat office, and a more easy and luxurious life.

What, in the very nature of things, can the principles and policies of parties, or even the interests of the Commonwealth, be to these feverish and excited millions, or to the bulk of them, in comparison with their own personal interests, and the interests of their families and friends, whose very means of subsistence, and all that gives them the semblance of respectability, and importance, are at stake. "What proportion of public attention"—we still quote from the same writer—"could be directed to, or what genuine disinterested interest could be felt in any political reform in the midst of such a low, vulgar, and contemptible bread-and-butter scramble." But such is politics in the United States, and such they may be, and most likely will be in this country, unless the evil is averted by the utmost watchfulness and patriotic firmness on the part of public leading men; and this can scarcely be expected if their hands are not strengthened by the thoughtful and influential classes of society. "To be forewarned is to be forearmed," and if we, in this country, adopt the pernicious doctrine which has wrought so much mischief elsewhere, we well deserve to be punished.

A Famous Paris Wit.

The famous Romieu was one day caught in a shower, and forced to seek refuge in a doorway of the opera house.

It was 6 o'clock already, and he had an engagement at the *Cafe de Paris* for that very hour. The rain fell in torrents. There was no carriage to be had. He had no umbrella. What was to be done?

While he was cursing his bad luck, a gentleman with a large umbrella passed by.

Romieu was seized with a sudden inspiration. He rushed out and grasped the stranger by the arm, and gravely installed himself under the protecting umbrella.

"I am overjoyed to see you," he immediately began. "I have been looking for you for two weeks. I wanted to tell you about Clementine."

Without giving the stranger time to express his surprise, Romieu rattled away with gossip and anecdote until he had led his unknown companion to the door of the *Cafe de Paris*.

Then he glanced at him with a face full of well-feigned astonishment:

"Pardon, monsieur," he cried, "it seems I am mistaken."

"I believe so," said the stranger.

"The devil!" added Romieu, "be discreet; don't repeat what I've told you."

"I promise you."

"A thousand pardons."

Romieu hastens within the cafe and tells the adventure to his friends, amid great laughter.

Suddenly one of them says:

"Your cravat is rumpled."

Romieu puts his hand to his neck and turns pale. His pin, a valuable sapphire, is gone. A further examination—and his purse and watch are gone.

The man with the umbrella was a pick-pocket.

The friends laugh again, but Romieu doesn't join them.

TWIN street, at Piper City, Ill., was so named because six pairs of twins were born in it within a few years.

The Island of Madeira.

One of the principal drawbacks to Madeira is the difficulty of getting about. There are no carriage roads, and the horse tracks are steep pitches up and down; they are also almost invariably paved with hard pebbles. This renders it impossible to ride anywhere except at a foot's pace, so that the time consumed in going a few miles is very great, and the mode of progression very tiresome. On the other hand, the island ponies, shod in a peculiar manner to encounter the aforesaid roads, are usually sure-footed and good walkers, so that within a certain distance of Funchal pleasant expeditions are to be made if you find the time and strength. Thus the fine mountain scenery of the Grand Corral—a gloomy gorge, into which you look down some 2,000 feet or so from the mountains overhanging it—the Ribiero Frio, and other landscapes beautiful of their kind, can on well-chosen days be visited without much difficulty. To get further afield is not so easy. There are but few tolerable hotels in the country districts, and you never can be sure that you will not find the higher levels wrapped in mist or drenched with rain, even whilst fine weather is prevailing. I am speaking of the winter months; anybody who happened to pass a summer in Madeira could visit all parts of the island readily enough.

The remark that there are few comfortable inns out of Funchal does not apply to Santa Cruz (Santa Cruz in Madeira, I mean). The hotel there belongs to a Senhor Gonzalez, but is mainly upheld by the untiring exertions of a worthy woman called Maria. She is a Portuguese by birth, but speaks English quite well, and is indefatigable in her efforts to please. This quiet inn is a pleasant change from the hot tables d'hotes at Funchal; the village may be perhaps somewhat cooler, and is said to possess a lighter and finer air; it is also well situated as a place to make excursions from. A mile or two beyond it lies the well-known Machicho Bay, where, according to the tradition, Madeira was first landed upon by the Englishman Machin. The story is that this Machin, an English esquire, incurred the resentment of a powerful family by gaining the affections of the daughter of its chief. He was thrown into prison, but escaped, and then persuaded the lady to elope with him to France. A violent storm drove their vessel for thirteen days in a southerly direction, and at last they found themselves in a small brig on the shores of an unknown island. Here they landed, but the fatigues of the voyage had exhausted the strength of Machin's companion, Anna d'Arfet; she died there, and was there buried. The fragments of a cross erected over her grave are still shown by the Machico villagers. Her lover did not long survive her, and his companions, in their attempt to sail away home, fell into the hands of the Moors. During their captivity they spoke of this island to an old Portuguese pilot, who, on being ransomed, and returning to his own country, suggested and accompanied the first expedition to Madeira which thus became a dependency of Portugal. Skepticism, of course, has been at work upon this old national tale, but there seems no reason for rejecting the legend, except that it is a legend, and that the fashionable wisdom of the hour pronounces, as usual, anything which has long been a matter of popular belief to be of necessity incredible; otherwise the narrative hangs perfectly well together in all its parts, and, moreover, furnishes a reason why the Portuguese government sent out their expedition a little later to discover the island so reported to them—a reason which otherwise would be wanting. Beyond this bay you can proceed in a boat, along another range of rugged and lofty hills, to the supposed fossil beds at the extremity of the island: these fossils are apparently concretions of lime, which have put on the appearance of branches or roots, as the case may be. An ignorant person would believe that they had formed themselves round real pieces of wood, and that these have decayed, leaving their form to the encompassing stone; but geologists, I fancy, put ... opinion aside, and look upon them as being what they are, merely in obedience to some caprice of nature; they are not, according to them, fossils at all, but merely a good imitation of fossils.

A New Safety Sail Boat.

To the Editor of the Scientific American:

"Don't trust yourself in that craft; you'll be overboard sure." Such was the warning of a professional boatman at the barge office on the Battery, as I stepped upon a frail boat on a "fresh" afternoon. I think I know something of boats myself, and but that I knew this one to be provided with means intended to overcome the very danger against which the honest boatman warned me, I should have more than hesitated. But the pursuit of science must be deterred by no dangers, and, moreover, my pursuit in this instance was in behalf of the whole world, as represented by the *Scientific American*.

The Jane was an especially dangerous looking craft, 18 or 20 feet long, whose bottom and deck formed the sharp V-shaped edge which proclaim an entire want of bearing power, while her immense sails, main and jib, were ample for a boat of twice her dimensions. Her captain was a New Zealander, whose motions were the reverse of safety-inspiring. My own conception of the care needful under the existing circumstances had no place with him, and, but for entire faith in my ability to swim, I should never have ventured.

As the Jane shot beyond the pier head, her huge sails were struck by a blast more than sufficient for instant destruction. Involuntarily I made ready for an impromptu bath, and the boatman tauntingly called out, "What'd I tell ye?" but *only the mast yielded*. The boat came to her bearings and moved on as steadily as though impelled by the mildest zephyr. The triumph was already complete; but more was to come. Presently we were in a large seaway, and, with our good speed, a large inflow of sea water over the low and sharp bow was a matter of course. In that, also, I was agreeably disappointed. The boat, instead of carrying the weight of the wind and being thus forced *through* the sea, rose to it and she glided easily *over*. Again it was the mast that yielded—yielded to the motion of the boat as easily as before it yielded to the force of the blast. The surplus force of wind, instead of racking the boat and making misery for her passengers, was simply "spilled" over the top of the sail. The motion was free from the thumps and jars usual under the same circumstances.

How all this was accomplished may be difficult of explanation without the aid of an engraving. Instead of being "stepped" in the usual way, the mast was held in a rocking shaft at the deck, and to the keel, on either side, springs were attached, having their opposite ends secured under the deck. Thus the mast, in the absence of pressure, remained upright, but under pressure yielded on either side. The amount of pressure needful to compel this yielding was regulated by nuts and screw on a guide rod inside the springs. A second pair of springs, placed longitudinally under the deck, were connected by pulleys with the shrouds, and these aided to stiffen the mast while they yielded to its movements under pressure.

For pleasure boats, this spring mast is a great addition. It not only insures safety, but gives an ease of motion which cannot but prove especially delightful to those who are timid upon the water. More than this, it permits an unvarying course for the boat, and thus avoids the checks and delays inseparable from "luffing," as also the necessity of unusual skill and care in the management of even a "crank" vessel in a "flowy" wind.

M. S. B.

New York, October, 1880.

[The invention, a practical trial of which is above described, is that of Mr. John McLeod, Hill's Pavilion, Flushing, N. Y. A patent has been allowed. It appears to be a really valuable and practical improvement.—Eds. *Scientific American*.]

THE English Bank of San Francisco, with a capital of three millions, has returned one million of dollars to its shareholders. The great falling off in business does not afford profitable employment for their former capital.

ART AND DRAMATIC GOSSIP.

An Aspiration.

(From the Elmira Telegram.)

I want to be a minister,
And with them take my stand;
Then in the heated summer months
I'd roam all o'er this land.
I'd like to travel for half fare—
The ministers all do;
I'd like to lay off for three months—
And draw my salary, too!

So would we, but we can't.

MLLE. DE LA RAMEE (Ouida) threatens M. Labouchere, the editor of *Truth*, with a lawsuit, for having described her unpleasingly.

MISS BRADDON (Mrs. Maxwell) had a stepson married lately, with much ceremony, to Miss Wyndham, the daughter of a former lessee of the Theatre Royal, Edinburgh.

BEETHOVEN'S piano is for sale at Klausenburg, Transylvania, if it has not been already sold. It was given to the musician at the time of the composition of *Fidelio*, by its maker. It is quite richly ornamented, and one of its panels bears the portrait of the great artist as he looked at twenty.

MRS. ANNIE FIELDS, who is about to publish her first book, other writings of hers having been "printed, not published," is a woman of great benevolence and much strength of character. She was married at the age of seventeen, and taken abroad, visiting Tennyson, the Brownings, and others, and shaping her still expanding nature by companionship with the best that England and Italy could offer. The artists in Rome used to call her "La Bella Donna"—and very aptly, for with her fair skin and its rich colour, her irresistible smile, her great brown eyes, and her wealth of dark brown hair, full of ruddy and golden lights and shadows, she was then, and is still, an exceedingly beautiful woman.

A PASSION play, entitled "The Passion and Death of Our Lord Jesus Christ," was lately produced in Havana by a Spanish theatrical company. Leopoldo Buron, an actor of considerable ability, personated Christ. The piece was largely spectacular, the tableaux of Christ blessing little children, the entry into Jerusalem, the betrayal, the last supper, and the crucifixion being highly artistic. The prayer of Christ on the mountain was introduced with mechanical effects, an angel descending with a silver chalice, and floating away after he had drunk. Ida Williams, describing the play in a letter to the Fishkill *Standard*, says: "Then was to follow the crucifixion. I had been wrought up to a religious frenzy. The man whom I had seen scourged had become divine in my eyes. Our box commanded a perfect view of the stage, and from the adjoining ante-room we could see behind the scenes. I hoped to get a nearer view of Buron, and looking over saw the three crosses—with Buron and the two with him—waiting to raise the curtain till my hero, the man I had almost deified, had finished his cigar. No more grotesque sight can be imagined—the three in flesh-coloured silk tights, wound about the loins with linen, the Christ painted to look the sorrowing pained martyr upon the cross—smoking a cigar! I returned to the box again. Buron was a man after all, and a very human one.'

GENERAL.

THE Hibernian Bible Society has circulated in Ireland, since it was formed, nearly 4,5000,000 copies of the Bible.

AN Oregon ranchman threw a lasso clumsily, and the noose fell around his own neck. Just then the horse unseated him, and, one end of the rope being fast to the saddle, he was choked to death.

A BILL collector returned to Memphis on horseback, with a bag full of gold and silver coin. The horse ran away, the bag burst, and a great crowd followed for a mile, picking up the money, none of which has been recovered.

Two and a half millions of tropical oranges were received in the past six months at San Francisco from the French islands of Tahiti. They have come in equal numbers every month from March to September, showing that the trees are in perpetual bearing.

THE Buddhists of Japan have established a theological school in imitation of Christians. Their need for such a school is shown by the fact that a Buddhist priest in Osaka, Japan, lately told the Rev. Mr. De Forest that 80,000 miles north of Osaka there was a huge square mountain, on the other side of which was heaven.

ELISHA BLISS, JR., who lately died at Hartford, Conn., made a fortune by discovering the fun of Mark Twain's "Innocents Abroad" while the work was in manuscript. Twain had tried in vain to secure a publisher, and was about to throw the matter aside in despair, when a journalist friend sent him to Bliss, who was President of a subscription book company.

THE Crown Prince of Austria during the late military manœuvres in Prussia, repeatedly expressed to several high officers his admiration of the German army. It was, he said, the first in the world. He added, however, that in the Austrian army ceaseless care and labour had brought about such a change as might well permit it to take a place at the side of the German host.

THERE are several hundred physicians in this country and Europe practising under diplomas granted by the New England University of Arts and Sciences. These documents are dated at Boston, but the institution was unknown there, and the police could not find it at all. A newspaper reporter, however, discovered it in the suburban residence of Dr. Harry C. Stickney. It consisted simply of a stock of blank diplomas, handsomely engraved, which Stickney filled out and sold for almost any price that an applicant would pay.

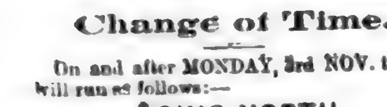
A LONDON undertaker, has, within the last few weeks, driven through the city as an advertisement, an enormous coffin, mounted on a base and drawn by five horses. The final receptacle is got up in the most gaudy colours, ornamented with the name and address of the purveyor on the outside, and lined within with satin, or some other comfortable and pleasant-looking material. A live corpse, with a sheet about him, did duty in the luxurious tenement, just to let the public see what a fine time one would have of it who should be lucky enough to obtain possession of the lodgment in perpetuity.

SIR CHARLES DILKE, Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs in England, has a pretty Provencal home to which he always retires when the session is over. There he receives little or no company, keeps regular hours, is a strict teetotaler, and divides his time between grapes and gardening. His grapes have won medals, and some excellent wine has been made on the estate, though the lord thereof never tasted of it. He has been employed for the last six years or so on a history of Europe during the nineteenth century, a book very much wanted if only the author will limit himself to twenty octavos at the most.

THE lines of railway in the five divisions of the earth cost, in round numbers, $16,000,000,000, and would, according to Baron Kolb, reach eight times round the globe, although it is but little over half a century since the first railway worked by steam was opened between Darlington and Stockton, Sept. 27, 1825, and between Manchester and Liverpool, Sept. 15, 1830. It is shown that in France, previous to the existence of railway, there was one passenger in every 335,000 killed, and one out of every 30,000 wounded, whereas between 1835 and 1875 there was but one in 5,177,89) killed, and one in 580,450 wounded, so that we may infer that the tendency to accidents is yearly diminishing. Railway travelling in England is attended with greater risk than in any other country in Europe. A French statistician observes that if a person were to live continually in a railway carriage and spend all his time in railway travelling, the chances in favour of his dying from a railway accident would not occur until he was 960 years old.

THE Presbyterian congregation at Brussels, Ohio, made up a purse of $100 for their pastor, the Rev. Mr. Cunningham, to meet the expenses of his vacation. The reverend gentleman decided to spend the time and money in St. Louis, where an industrial fair was in progress. He had not been in that city an hour before he met an affable young man, who knew all about him and the folks at Brussels, and who brought him to a room where a game of chance was going on. The manager permitted the clergyman to draw several times without charge, and then informed him that there was $700 to his credit. The gambler proposed to pay this with a "good as gold" check for $800, which he professed to have won from a solid merchant, taking the $100 difference in money. The pastor fell into the trap, and parted with his $100, receiving a worthless check. At the police station he was asked if he had never read newspaper accounts of such swindles. "I only read the religious journals," he replied, "and never pay much attention to the secular press."

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.



Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2 27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Oct. 29th, 1880.

WE this week publish a letter from Mr. Wm. Brown, in which he draws the attention of the proper authorities to the slaughter-houses, and urges their immediate removal. Mr. Brown states his case strongly, and we have no doubt that the slaughter-houses have contributed in no small measure to the propagation of the fearful scourge which has prevailed here to such an alarming extent for the past two or three months: but we consider there is another and greater evil than this, and one which we do not believe would be for one moment tollerated in any other town or village in the Dominion. We allude to the grave-yard, which we might say was at our very doors. Sloping as the Village does from the said grave-yard, what must be the condition of the wells in its vicinity in such wet weather as we have had recently? This, we consider has done more to feed the disease than any other cause. Let our readers look at the matter calmly, and we think they will bear us out, in our assertion. Water naturally runs down hill, and in so doing where would it more likely empty itself than into every well in its course. Just think of it! Our wells being made the receptacles of the washings of a densely packed grave-yard that contains humanity in every stage of corruption, and who have died from the various diseases that flesh is heir to. In the primive days of Markdale probably no harm would result, as the houses were few and far between; but now that our Village is fast progressing and extending its limits, bringing the grave-yard into its very centrre, we think it is high time that any further interments therein were prohibited.

OWEN SOUND WATER WORKS.

The Owen Sound water works were formally opened on the 20th inst., and the occasion was observed as a civic holiday. In the evening a complimentry supper was tendered the proprietors, Messrs Parker & Notter. The completion of the works will be a great boon to the people of Owen Sound not only in a sanitary point but in case of fire, as, with a sufficient quantity of hose, and the assistance of the Steam Fire Engine, six powerful streams of water could be brought to bear on any builing, situated on the streets in which Pipes are laid. Messrs Parker & Notter deserve great credit for their enterprise, and we trust they will receive the reward that they justly merit. The works we are informed cost $35,000.

PRICENILLE.

From a Correspondent.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Saturday night last while Donald McArthur, of Glenelg, was proceeding homeward, his team became frightened and ran away. Mr. McArthur was thrown from the waggon, severely cut on the face and stunned. After some time he recovered from the dreadful shock and managed with difficulty—having lost a quantity of blood— to walk a few yards to the house of Mrs. McInnes. The services of Dr. Bennett were procured, and the injured man is doing as well as could be expected.

Mr. John McArthur is making active preparations to build on the site of the old drug store which was burnt last spring.

A horse belonging to Mrs. Watson, Old Durham Road, stolen last week was recovered in Mount Forrest by the authorities. The animal had been very much abused. The thief escaped.

The medicine man whose bed was confiscated by the medicine men, while the former was running a concert at the Commercial says he does not believe in Jubilees.

DUNDALK.

From our Correspondent.

It is all over town—mud. Each man carries a spade to dig himself out.

Mr Ketchum of Orangeville, has bought a lot in town, and will erect a tannery in the spring.

Mr. Connors is opening out a grocery and liquor store in Humphrey's new block.

Mr. Sloan, manager of Mr. Davidson's business, was given a farewell oyster supper at the Anglo American Hotel; a pleasant evening was spent. Mr. S. left for Toronto on Wednesday morning. Mr. Neil Strachn takes his place.

Mr. John Hanbury is pushing his rink, He has been but a short time at it and has the posts of one side up, nothing like push. We will be able to skate in it by July.

Mr. Peter McGregor is having his steam saw mill over-hauled and is building in the boiler with stone, he intends putting in a plainer shortly. Good for Peter.

Our town sports men were out on the war path last week and brought in two fine specimen of Deer.

Mr. Kenneth McAuley jr., of Proton has rented his farm to Mr. Wm. Robinson, and is erecting a frame dwelling in town where he is going to live.—FAST ASLEEP.

EUGENIA.

From a Correspondent.

One day last week while the threshing machine was in operation for the second day's threshing, at Mr. Edward Johnston's farm, on the 8th concession, Artemesia, some of the parties on the straw stack, which was raised on posts forming a shed underneath, became aware of some kind of a feeling as if they were sinking. Others imagined the barn was rising upwards, and was about to topple over on top of the straw stack, while others seeing the straw carriers thought they were on their way up the stack. They had only an instant for thought, however, when down went the stack through the shed, burying a colt and the greater part of Mr. Johnston's fowls. Although this is a considerable loss to Mr. Johnston, yet he is thankful that no lives were lost. His boy had been playing near the stack a short time previous, but fortunately had got out of harms way before the accident. Some of the hands also had but shortly come from under it. There was nearly two days' threshing of straw on the shed.

Thieving still continues. Report has it that some person in Osprey had a steer stolen. Flour, butter and other eatables are disappearing. Shall it become necessary to organize a Vigilence Committee?

Some of our Meaford Road neighbors have *went* by the light of the moon.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

THE T., G. & B. RAILWAY BONUS QUESTION.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR—I have observed some letters in your columns of late in regard to the proposed Railroad Bonus. It seems to me that our Reeve, Dr. Christoe, has made himself unnecessarily conspicuous in his opposition to all further aid being given. He professes to do so in the public interest—in the interests of the pockets of the ratepayers of Artemesia. Does any one suppose for a moment that Dr. Christoe, or any one in Flesherton Village, would oppose any bonus to the Road, if the Company agreed to run a spur into their Village? Is it not known to every one around, that the Flesherton people have suggested [illegible] plan, either to abolish part of the present Road and run it into the Village, or to run a spur from the Station to Flesherton? Is it not a fact, that pressure has from time to time been brought to bear upon the Management of the Railroad to induce them to do so; and is it not also a fact, that the Management of the Road have given them courteously to understand, that the Railroad Company could incur no such preposterous expense; but that if they chose to make the spur themselves it could be utilized for their advantage. Nobody, I suppose, would have the smallest objection to Flesherton Village having a spur run into it, if they put their hands into their own pockets and pay for it; but because, forsooth, the Railroad Company will not put itself to the useless and, to other localities, unfair expense of giving them a special road, therefore the people of that Village, as represented by Dr. Christoe, would like to do their utmost to kill any prospective bonus in aid of the Road.

Get over it as Dr. Christoe may, I, and many others, believe now, as we believed during the cauvas for the last bonus, that this is one of the chief reasons of Dr. Christoe's remarkable anxiety for the pockets of the ratepayers in this matter.

When the last bonus was asked, Dr. Christoe had no confidence in the late Company carrying out their pledges. Had they, however, pledged a spur to Flesheoton Village, it would have been quite refreshing to have heard the Doctor expiating on the incomparible difficulties the Company had overcome, and strongly recommending the ratepayers of Artemesia to manifest their confidence in the Company by giving them without hesitation a respectable bonus. Last June Dr. Christoe had great confidence in the Grany Trunk; now, however, the Grand Trunk has lost the Doctor's confidence too. What will become of the Grand Trunk? With the loss of Dr. Christoe's confidence the G. T. Railway may write upon their locomotives, "Ichabod." Its shares will fall to nothing, and its prosperity will vanish! Neither has the Doctor any confidence in the Ontario Parliament. He has no confidence that that House, any more than the Grand Trunk Board will ratify anything that Manager Hickson and the T., G. & B. Railway Company may agree upon. The fact is, the Doctor has no confidence in anything or any body but himself, and railroad facilities for Flesherton Village. It has often been remarked that the greatest scroundrel in the very act of trying to rogue you, is the first to call you scoundrel. In the same way, as a general rule, the man who has no confidence in anything or any body, don't deserve confidence himself.—Last June, when the former bonus was being submitted, Flesherton was offered a rebate of something like one cent per bushel on all grain bought there. At the time I thought this an unnecessary and uncalled for proceeding on the part of the Company; but although an interested party I for one made no objection, anxious as I was, on public grounds, for the passing of the by-law, and the result showed that such special offers are accepted without gratitude, and only feed the desires they are intended to gratify, as all such special rates generally do.

The proposed by-law at present only asks for $12,000, being a little over one-half of what was asked last June. At that time the general opinion amongst our farmers seemed to be, that it would be better if the Grand Trunk got the road. In that case the case would be altered, and they would not object to help if wanted. They have now got their wish. The bonus asked for is much reduced, and the Grand Trunk is to take the road in hand. It is asserted that the road is not likely to stop, bonus or no bonus. That, in my estimation, is quite possible. It is, I should think, likely enough that with the increasing prosperity of the country, and the growing trade with the North-west, an attempt would be made to carry on the road in some way, even should a bonus be refused. This, however, is only one of the probabilities; but even should it be realized what are we to gain by refusing the bonus. Allowing, for argument sake, that the road would go on, it could only do so for a long time in a dragging, discreditable way, hurtful to its own interests, and continuously ruinous to the credit and best interests of the sections of country it serves. It is our chief thoroughfare. Its discredit, financially lowers our credit, diminishes the value of property, and acts as a heavy drag on the general prosperity; whereas, by assisting to place the road on a sound financial basis, our credit as a people is to a large extent established, the value of property in connection with the road's traffic is more or less enhanced, and we thus seconded the efforts of a bountiful Providence in giving us good crops by applying those facilities lying ready to our hands in securing to ourselves prosperous circumstances. There is no doubt but the bonus system has been in many cases overdone; but it cannot be said to have been so in our case, unless it can be shown that we would have been better without the railroad than with it; an assertion which I think no sane person will venture to make. We ought to remember that we never gave a bonus for a broad guage. So far as my memory serves me we gave a bonus of $37,000 for a Narrow gauge, and we are only now asked for help to a Broad Gauge after having been creditably served by the Narrow Gauge for some eight years under almost insurmountable difficulties. We may talk about mismanagement as we choose. That will neither help to get ourselves or the road into a creditable position; but I have failed to lay my finger on any single case of mismanagement that could have altered the state of matters. The mistake was honestly made at the begenning by us all in making a Narrow Gauge, and it ought to be honestly got out of. We ought to be willing to stand part of our share at least in getting out of the mess. The amount now asked would not exceed $1.50 on every thousand dcllars assessment. A bag of good barley would do it, and sure I am if I would offer any farmer, not to say Dr. Christoe, to bags of barley for one, he would think it a very good bargain, so in the same way I have no doubt that by giving this bonus we are in reality securing two bags of barley for the one given; and farther, is it not better to give the bag of barley than have it taken. Has it never occurred to most of the ratepayers that the Management of the railroad could take the bonus from us twice over.—They (the Management) have never so much as insinuated that; rather than do so they have preferred to come to us boldly, even a second time, asking for a straightforward bonus. Let us give it them and have done with bonuses once and for all. I am afraid, sir, I have trespassed too far on your time and space, but this is an important moment for the interests of Artemesia. Our Reeve has busied himself in what I consider pandering to the general feeling against any further railway bonus giving—a feeling quite justifiable, but unfounded in our present exceptional circumstances. I have had the pleasure on various occasions of voting for Dr. Christoe as Reeve, and although I have heard it very freely stated that the Doctor was fishing for popularity in opposing further aid to the railroad, I have avoided even insinuating any such personal motive; but I have not hesitated to charge him with making the interests of the Township subservient to the merely petty interests of his own Village. It might have been better had this second application for a bonus been carried or defeated without any stimulus from newspaper discussion; but as some in public office have thought fit to air their views, it may not be out of place for one, who neither holds nor is looking for public office of any description, to give his canedid views of the situation from a general agricultural business stand point, be they pleasing or displeasing to whom they may.

Yours truly,

ROBERT ROBERTSON.

Flesherton and Priceville Stations, October 25th, 1880.

THE SLAUGHER-HOUSES.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—In reference to the fearful plague, Diphtheria, now raging in our Village, and decimating our children, I crave permission to make a few remarks. It is a well known fact, established beyond dispute by the vital statistics of all lands, that when an epidemic breaks out in any place, some potent and assignable cause can easily be traced out. In like manner, the cause or causes of the present malady is easily traced.

1st—Most of our people have been brought up in rural districts, where attention to cleanliness and sanitary matters are almost wholly neglected. They have carried to their Village homes the personal and domestic habits of their country life; in their houses yards, lanes and offices dirt and filth predominate to an extent that would fairly shock the æsthetic sense of a denizen of a town or city.—They have generally just enough respect for the opinions and feelings of their neighbors as to put a tollerably passable face on that portion of their premises open to public gaze; but let any one go behind the scenes, visit their back yards, lanes and alleys, and he will find a different state of affairs. Oceans of filth, consisting of both animal and vegetable matter, in every stage of decomposition, literally steaming and reeking with miasmatic vapor. Besides this, we have had in our midst two men and several boys actively engaged all summer in the manufacture and dissemination of noxious gases. I refer now to the two slaughter-houses which our butchers have kept in full blast right in the midst of of the most populous portion of our town all summer—slaughter houses in which, on an average, a dozen animals have been killed every week for the past five months.

Just think of it, Mr. Editor, and relize if you can the fearful, the appalling condition of that plague spot, where the blood and offal of half-a-dozen animals are deposited weekly throughout the sultry, sweltering dog days of a Canadian summer, and then consider that the meat served up at our tables all summer has laid perhaps for hours in an atmosphere largely composed of the foul gases generated in such sinks of filth before it was distributed to consumers, and then tell me is it any wonder that our children and youths have been stricken down.

Mr. Editor, we have a Board of Police Trustees, but apparently they have no regard for the requirements of their office, and none of us have had the courage to urge and compel them to an intelligent discharge of their duty till now matters have assumed such a serious aspect, that someteing must be done to set our corparate house in order. Many, very many have suffered severely for our supineness and indifference. The conditions of health, we find to our cost, even in this proverbially healthy locality cannot be violated with impunity.

Now, sir, if our Police Trustees will not do their duty, our citizens must take the matter in their own hands, and adapt such means as will bring our butchers to time, for undoubtedly they are the chief offenders. Let us immediately from this time forward refuse to purchase any meat from them until they remove their slaughter-houses outside the village limits. Let it go abroad to the outside butchers and farmers that we have ceased to buy meat from Markdale butchers, a supply will soon come in, and if not we had far better fast a week or two than tamely submit to the wholesale slaughter of our innocent babes and unoffending children. Sir, it is with considerable reluctance that I thus write. It is always unpleasant to even appear to meddle in other people's business; but I believe it is no part of good citizenship for any one quietly to submit to see his own and his neighbor's home invaded, his domestic circle broken up, his finest and most promising son and daughter stricken down, without raising a warning voice. If the parties more immediately concerned feel agrieved, they have but themselves to blame. They have wantonly and wickedly trespassed on our patience and good nature all summer in the face af repeated remonstrances, and now let all who agree with me in applying the necessary pressure to bring them to a sense of their duty say Amen, and the thing is done.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1880.

BIRTHS.

In Chatsworth, on the 26th inst., the wife of J. W. Elliott, Esq., Postmaster, of a son.

In Egremont, on the 24th inst., the wife of Mr. John Ferris, of a son,

In Proton, on the 22 inst., the wife of Mr. Henry Fowler, of a daughter

DIED.

In Proton, on the 25th inst., Catherine, wife of Mr. Robert Stewart, aged 73 years and 9 months.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE CHURCH.

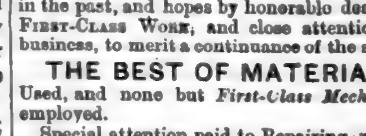
WHEREAS Graves have of late been dug in the Church Yard of Christ Church without the consent of the authorities,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That any person so offending in the future will be prosecuted for trespass.

(Signed) B. COLEMAN, THOS. ELLIOTT, Jr. } Church-wardens.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 188o. 7-8i*

DONALD McLEOD,



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Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

STRAYED

FROM the premises of John Bowers, near Ford's Mill, Glenelg, a red Heifer with small star on head, and a few white spots on body—is small for a three year old. Any person giving such information to the undersigned as will lead to her recovery will be rewarded.

MRS. S. CASWELL.

Markdale, Oct. 2, 1880. 4-3in

General Advertisements.

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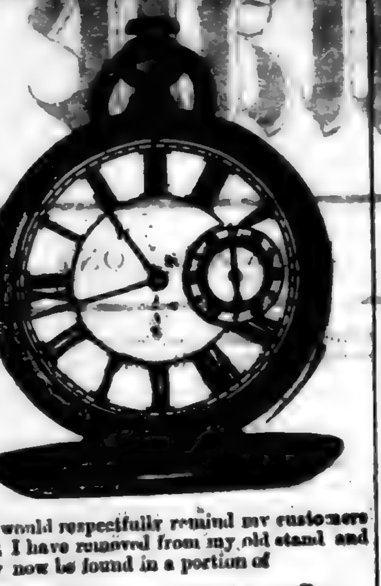

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E. D. WILCOX.

Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1880. 1-ly

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SAMUEL McDOWELL, ROBERT OLIVER, ABRAM JACKSON, } Trustees.

Dunhalk P. O.

October 20, 1880. 6-3in

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Markdale, Oct. 14th, 1880. 5-tf.

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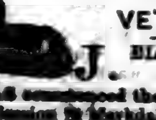

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THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

Friday, Oct. 29th, 1880.

Flour	[illegible]	to	5.[illegible]
Spring Wheat per bush	[illegible]	to	1.[illegible]
Fall do. do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Barley	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Peas	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Potatoes	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.22
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.00	"	5.50
Beef	5.00	"	5.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.30
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.05
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	5.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6.50	"	0.00
Timothy seed,	2.25	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.20
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	1.75

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Oct. 29th. 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.95	to	1.02
Fall do. do. do.	0.95	"	0.97
Barley	0.50	"	0.52
Oats	0.30	"	0.30
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	5.50
Beef	5.00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

OWEN SOUND.

OWEN SOUND, Oct. 29th, 188o.

Flour, $4.5o to $5 oo; Fall Wheat, $o 9o to $o 96; Spring Wheat, $o 95 to $1 oo; Barley, 45c to 58c; Oats, 3oc to 3oc; Peas, 5oc to 58c; Hay, $7 oo to $7 5o; Potatoes, 25c to 3oc; Butter, 2oc to 21c; Eggs, 12c to 14c; Apples, per bushel, 25c to 3oc; Sheep skins, $o 5o to $1 oo; Hides, $7 oo to $7 oo

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, Oct. 29, 1880.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 08	to	$1 o8
Wheat, spring, do.	1 o0	to	1 10
Barley, do.	0 58	to	0 75
Oats, do.	0 32	to	0 34
Peas, do.	0 66	to	0 68
Rye, do.	0 90	to	0 90
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	6 50	to	7 oo
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 oo
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 5o
Chickens, per pair	35	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 55
Ducks, per brace	45	to	0 65
Geese, each	50	to	0 6o
Turkeys	75	to	1 00
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 7o
Butter, tub dairy	2o	to	0 21
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 19
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 18	to	0 2o
Eggs, packed	o oo	to	0 oo
Apples, per brl	1 oo	to	1 25
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 55
Onions, per bag	o o0	to	1 25
Hay	8 50	to	12 oo

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Dundalk, Oct. 18th, 1880. 6tf.

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by virtue of a power of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under mortgage from Neil Campbell, lot number one, in the twelfth concession of the Township of Glenelg, County of Grey, containing one hundred acres.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 50 acres cleared, having erected thereon a cedar log barn; situated about 8 miles from the village of Markdale.

PARCEL II.

Lot 27, in the 8th concession of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 60 acres cleared, with log buildings erected thereon.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

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Or to JOHN LUCAS, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Sept. 24th, 1880. 5-5in.

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, about the middle of June, a heifer, two years old, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

CHARLES SYERS.

Euphrasia, Oct. 12, 1880. 5-3t*

CAUTION.

ALL parties are hereby cautioned against negotiating in any way a note drawn by Thomas Townsend in favour of William Handberry, for the sum of twenty-three dollars ($23), for value has not been received therefor.

THOS. TOWNSEND.

Markdale, Oct. 4, 1880. 4-3in

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STOVES and TINWARE

North of Toronto. 6

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FROM the premises of John Moran, lot 10, concession 12, Euphrasia, about the 15th of June, three yearlings, one spotted heifer—red and white; one white heifer and one red steer. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Euphrasia, Sept. 14, 1880. 4-3in

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Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880.

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Money to loan at lowest rates of interest in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for [illegible] Loan and Saving Co. All business strictly private, and treated as confidential.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880

DR. PURDY,

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THE STANDARD,

Friday, October 29, 1880.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

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[REVIVAL] services which were began [in] the Mount Forest C. M. Church [last] week, and which we learn have [been] very successful, are to be continued for several weeks.

[Those] who have seen J. F. Sproule's [millinery], say it is the most fashionable and cheapest in town. Ladies [call] and see those elegant Tam O'Shanter's.

MR. Donald McLeod makes his [bow] to the public this week in the [sh]ape of an advertisement, which will [be] found in another column. Be sure [an]d read, it is of interest to ALL.

WE received a communication this [we]ek from Dr. Christoe anent the [Ra]ilway Bonus, but from its length [an]d the crowded state of our columns [we ar]e obliged to omit it this week. It [wi]ll appear in our next.

MISS. Rome of Maxwell, formerly [of] New York, will remain a week or [tw]o in Markdale, any person wishing [to] have their pictures enlarged, will [do] well to call at Mr. Hull's residence [an]d examine specimens of work.

THE Governor-General has appointed [W]ednesday, November 3, a day of [ge]neral thanksgiving all over the [D]ominion. It is to be hoped that it [w]ill be strictly observed by all loyal [ci]tizens.

AUCTION sale on the premises of [W]alter Douglas, 1½ miles North of [M]arkdale, on the 3rd November com[m]encing at one o'clock, when a [qu]antity of stock and implements will [be] sold. 14 month's credit on approved paper.

MR. Thomas Flesher having remov[ed] to Manitoulin Island, requests us [to] state that Mr. T. Hall is now the [au]thorized agent for the Gore District [M]utual Fire Insurance Company. [T]o whom we recommend those in [w]ant of insurance.

A PRIZE was offered for the mother [w]ho presented the greatest number of [h]er own children at an Indian State [Fa]ir. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Line were [w]ell accompanied to the fair by nine, [b]ut Mrs. Line gave birth to a tenth [o]n the grounds, and so took the prize.

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LEAP year will be out in about two [m]onths, and while a good number has [ta]ken advantage of the long year, [th]ere are a few yet we would like to [se]e safely into partnership (for life.) [T]hose who contemplate such, we [w]ould advise them to examine Wilcox's [s]tock of gold rings; he has a fine assortment at prices from $2.50 up.

AN extensive credit sale of stock, [im]plements, furniture, and musical [in]struments, will take pace in Flesh[er]ton on "Fair Day," Monday, 8th [D]ay of November. Terms of sale; [a]ll sums over $5—twelve month's [c]redit. Sale to commence at 12 noon. [A] house, lot, and the Flesherton skat[in]g rink will be offered for sale; terms [o]f which will be made known at sale.

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HALLOW E'en falls on Sunday this [y]ear, which no doubt will be a great [d]isappointment to our mischief-loving "small boys" and some of those of [l]arger growth. Our devil says, how[e]ver, that they (the "small boys") are [n]ot going to be deprived of their just [r]ights but intend celebrating the [t]ime-honored day, on Monday Nov. [fi]rst. So friends look out for your [c]abages.

I CANNOT help but tell the truth; I [h]ave the kind of goods to back me up [i]n what I say. They speak for them[s]elves, no matter what people say. [C]ome all and see for yourselves. If [y]ou are not satisfied that you are not [ge]tting good value for your money, [wh]y don't take the goods and we will [pa]rt by shaking hands, looking pleas[a]nt, hoping we shall soon meet again. [Y]ou will find me in the same place, [a]lways on duty. A. MCINTYRE.

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THE 5th of November is to be celebrated this year in Markdale, by an orange procession, a Bazaar, Dinner, and a grand concert in the evening. From the array of tallent the concert promises to be a first-class one and we would recommend all who wish to enjoy some really good music to attend. Tickets will be issued from Orangeville and Owen Sound and intermediate stations at single fare, good to return next day.

LAST week we announced the marriage of Adam Holly to Miss Jessie A. McKenzie. A day or two since we received a letter from Miss McKenzie denying that she was married and politely requesting us to contradict the report which we now do we are exceedingly sorry the mistake occurred. The marriage was sent to us, and of course we published it, we are sorry we are not to have the pleasure of congratulating Miss Jessie on the supposed happy event.

SWINDLING THE GROCER.—The following is the latest dodge to get over the unsuspecting grocer: A woman entered a grocery store near the corner of Brant and Adellade streets, Toronto, the other night, with a coal oil can in her hand, and after ordering a large amount of groceries, handed the proprietor the can and told him to fill it while she stepped across the road a minute. The proprietor went to the barrel and commenced to pour in the oil, but stopped when he saw it running over the floor. Upon turning up the can he made two discoveries, viz., that it had no bottom and that the woman had vanished with the groceries.

COUNTY ITEMS.

SAD DEATH.—On Wednesday morning a man named Geo. Robson, well known in this vicinity, was found drowned in the river near the bridge at Durham. Whether he walked deliberately into the river or wandered off the road and fell in is not known. an inquest was held and the jury returned a virdict that "deceased came to his death by drowning while under mental derangement caused by excessive drinking."—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

THE *Emerald* on her last trip down brought news of a disaster to the *Jane Miller*, which left here for Manitoulin on Tuesday night of last week. It appears that on Friday last she was lying off shore with anchors down at Michael's Bay, when it came on to blow, and before she could get steam up she was driven ashore. Capt. Port scuttled her to keep her from further injury till assistance arrived, but as there has been heavy weather since, it is feared she may prove a total wreck. Insured in the Phœnix for $8,000.—*O. S. Times.*

NIGHT CLASSES.—Arrangements have been made by the Y. M. C. A. to open night classes for young men in their Rooms. Classes in Book-keeping, Writing, Drawing, Arithmetic, Physiology, Chemistry and other subjects will be formed. These will be conducted by competent instructors in each subject. The classes will be free to members of the Association; and others may obtain tickets for the full course by payment of $1 Laterary evenings will also be given at regular intervals during the winter—tickets for the course 50 cents. Persons wishing to join the classes should send in their names at once to Mr. John A. Platt, Sec'y Y. M. C. A.—*O. S. Times.*

FIRE IN DURHAM.—Just after six o'clock on Tuesday evening last the rear part of the furniture store of Mr. Geo. Mathews, of this town, was discovered to be on fire. The alarm was at once given, and a large number of residents were soon on hand, and went to work with a will. The furniture was quickly taken out of both the store and dwelling of Mr. Mathews, and water fetched from the neighboring pumps in pails and poured on the building. For some time it appeared as if the devouring element was going to gain the mastery, as large volumes of smoke poured from the side of the building, which is of wood, and the flames burst out, but those at work went at it with renewed energy, and by tearing off the inner sheeting of the wall, and breaking up the flooring, the fire was put out in an hours time. It appears the fire started under the floor, and spreading to both sides was burning up the wall between the outer and inner covering. It was a narrow escape for the building. The loss will probably not exceed $100. There was no insurance, we believe, on the building.—*Grey Review.*

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September, 1880. 1-y

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, off the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 12, 1880.

Subscribe for the Standard. We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

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GEORGE NIXON,
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Have on hand a full stock, including

TEAS, SUGARS, AND GENERAL GROCERIES.

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BOOTS AND SHOES!

The largest and best Stock in Town, at Lowest Prices.

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My Stock in this department is now complete, and contains the newest lines in Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Winceys, Shirtings, Flannels, Blankets Clouds, Scarfs, and a choice selection of Tweeds.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.—Overcoats—a large Stock. Suits, Shirts, Drawers, Overalls, &c.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS.—A large assortment of A 1 Goods. Also everything else to be found in a First-Class General Store.

The above Goods have all been purchased in the best Markets, and will be sold at BOTTOM PRICES for CASH or PRODUCE.

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"Time and Tide Wait FOR NO MAN."
DON'T YOU WAIT!

They are selling fast, those justly celebrated Watches. **You want one.** Will give you special quotations for cash and show you a **Large Stock** to select from. Am showing some beautiful things in

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Being suitable for Wedding presents, &c. Some extra bargains in

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Large Weight Clocks at $3.50.

Diamond & Wedding Rings!

Very low. Also a comple stock of **Gold Chains, Sets, Lockets, Necklets, Pins, Chains, &c., &c.,** all at the very lowest net cash prices. When in Flesherton give me a call.

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W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.,

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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

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SIDEBOARDS,
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A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

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A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.

ALL KINDS OF

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EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

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Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please correspond with me at once.

A. M. MCINTYRE, Claim Agent.

Dundalk P. O., County Grey.

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres

FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

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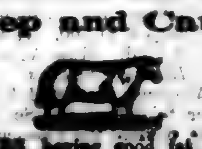

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To paint with free poetic thought
The wild woods of October.

The regal oak rules all the holt,
Save where, on angry mission,
The sumac rears its red revolt
And head's intense sedition;
Their beacons o'er the copses leap,
But in the dale grow duller,
And thence through all the forest deep
Run rife with frenzied color.

All purple-plashed, the hawthorn sere
Beneath the chestnut's glory,
Droops, like a hurt vivandiere,
To tell the battle's story.
The ruddy tide hath scarlet-stained
The banners of the beeches,
While still the dark vines, stiffly trained,
Stretch o'er the rocky reaches.

Where late, in green seclusion rolled,
The peaceful Summer rested,
Proud Autumn flaunts her cloth-of-gold,
Starred, liveried, and crested.
With stately step she keeps her tryst,
All bright, though brief, her season;
Green favors now at knee or waist
Were sheer artistic treason.

Through all the land, October woods
Their festal fires have lighted,
The wide earth from her opiate moods
To visions further-sighted.
Back! winter back! nor from her wrest,
The purples that enrobe her,
The passionate hues that still invest
The wild woods of October!

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Letton," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

"Yes; but mine was a prudent anxiety. My dear father was dead. He had been dear to me, in spite of our estrangement. My mother was ill, aged. I must work cautiously if I would prove my innocence and establish the guilt of the guilty. My father's blood cried out to be avenged, and I must avenge it. I rented Ivy Cottage, came here, made friends with you, saw my child was all I desired, learned my mother was dying, believing that she was about to join her husband and son. I did not disturb her belief. Why should I tell her I was living, and so harass her few remaining hours? I waited. Heaven knows, when I looked upon my daughter's sad face, that the waiting was intolerable! Just as love was getting the upper hand of patience, I received a startling communication from my lawyers. They knew who I really was. It appeared that some woman, named Marian Tyler, dying in America, craved to see Martin Napine or his representative, for she had foully cheated him, and could not die till she had confessed her sin. I went to London, and from there to Baltimore, where I saw the woman who had taken the joy from my existence. The story that had sent Cicely to an untimely grave was untrue. Marian Tyler was neither my wife nor Duncombe's. Before she knew either of us she was married to a cousin, married in her own sphere. She told me a rambling story of his profligacy and unkindness, and gave me the certificate of her marriage, and also that of his death. He had died a few months previously, having, after years of absence, gone back to her. I returned to England with the proofs of Judith's legitimacy in my possession, an idea also occurring to me as to who had struck my father's death-blow."

"Yes?"

"Sometimes, when pondering who had murdered him, I was inclined to think it must have been a common thief for the purpose of robbery; but one fact upset this opinion. My mother never saw my father alive after I left him; he was dead when she drove home. Yet she must have known that it was alleged that Judith was basely born, or why should she have bequeathed Upine to Squire Ellerslie, failing me? She must not only have known my secret, but must have told it to the Squire. Would he otherwise have hurried Judith into marriage with Silas Thornton? Would he have left his property to him? Of course not. To what does all this tend? Listen. Whoever killed Sir Percival knew what passed between us in our last interview—knew, and divulged it to my mother."

Will glances at Mr. Thorold, whose face is inscrutable; and Will shakes his head slightly.

"The rain is less heavy," Mr. Thorold says. "Miss Deborah, I must see my daughter's husband, and my daughter."

I leave the room quickly—not so quickly, however, but that I hear Will say

"The murderer? Who is he?"

Mr. Thorold shuts the door. When I open it, Will's face is ghastly.

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Mr. Thorold rings the bell at Ellerslie, sharply. A servant replies to the peal, (not the butler. I wonder what is amiss, for he looks worried, agitated. We are shown into the reception-room, and have not long to wait. Silas Thornton comes speedily. He too looks unlike himself. Before we can speak, he cries—

"You have come to tell me, Miss Carey, that she is at the Vicarage. Confound her, giving me this fright!"

I stare at him in bewilderment, and respond with asperity—for I do not like his tone—

"Who is at the Vicarage? What do you mean?"

"Why my wife Judith, to be sure! It was a stupid trick; but she is no better than a baby. I declare I have felt positively wretched. Women like Judith are not to be depended upon. Suicide seems to charm them; and, though no one would throw away life because of an angry word or two, I was really dreading——"

He breaks off with an emphatic sigh of relief. I am helplessly silent, and Mr. Thorold comes to the rescue.

"If you are thinking Mrs. Thornton is at the Vicarage, disabuse your mind of the notion. She is not there. Is she not here?"

"No. Not at the Vicarage! Then where is she?"

Silas Thornton is unaffectedly alarmed. I sit down trembling in every limb, and Mr. Thorold's face is very pale.

"Have you and your wife quarelled?" he asks.

"Yes," the other answers plainly. "Late last night I spoke my mind, and she [illegible]

[illegible]

"Left Ellerslie!" Mr. Thorold repeats.

[illegible]

"Good Heaven!" Mr. Thorold ejaculates. [illegible]

"Look at me well, Silas Thornton. You knew me when you were a lad. I am Martin Napine."

"Martin Napine!" Silas Thornton falls back in dismay.

[illegible]

"I am Martin Napine. Your wife is my daughter. [illegible]" The authoritative demand stirs the young man's ire.

"Your daughter?" he says scornfully. "Have you given her a parentage of which she can be proud, that you claim her thus unblushingly?"

"I have given her a name she need not be ashamed of."

"You think me ignorant. [illegible]"

"Ah! I can see that Martin Napine is curbing his passion with difficulty. "Have you acquainted her with this?"

"What if I have? She, with her delicacy and pride, who is not good enough for my friends. Why, she is not good enough?"

He gets no farther, for Martin Napine throws him violently.

"Scoundrel!" he cries.

Mr. Brenton interposes blandly.

"Pardon me. It is best to apply titles appropriately. If you are the man you profess to be, we apply a term of infamy to you. You may not know it, but there are warrants out for your apprehension. You are accused of your father's death."

Martin Napine looks into Mr. Brenton's eyes, and they shift and blink restlessly.

"You will send for the police?" Mr. Brenton says with a would-be careless air to Silas Thornton.

"No," he answers slowly. "I cannot do that. I have married his daughter."

"I see. I will relieve you of your embarrassment. But you will not let him escape?"

Martin Napine stops Mr. Brenton.

"It will not be well for you by-and-by if the public recollect that you caused my arrest," he says gravely. "I came here with this young lady to see my daughter. Since that is impossible, I shall take Miss Carey home; then I will announce in the proper quarter who I am, sir"—turning to Silas, who is moodily biting his nails. "Will you permit me to see my daughter's maid and the housekeeper?"

They are summoned, but they have little to tell. Judith has fled, leaving neither word nor line. She had taken some linen and a quantity of her jewellery. Her maid saw her about eleven the previous evening. Judith told her that she did not require her services, and dismissed her without admitting her to the room. Her mistress did not look as though she had been weeping, but seemed very weary.

Going home with Martin Napine, I tell of her visit to me. At the Vicarage gate we part. He holds my hand.

"Do not be distressed on my account," he says. "Justice has tarried; but she will be speedy now. Heaven bless you and my darling child! We will find her. If I am perforce inactive, your brother and my lawyers will do my work. Judith is pure and good. Heaven will watch over her."

I hurry in. Letty is in the parlour. I bury my head in her lap, and sob uncontrollably with bitter pain. Judith, my dear one, driven from her home by that coarse fellow she calls husband!

Twenty-four hours later Napine is electrified. Mrs. Thornton has run away; and Martin Napine has come back, and has given himself up to the police. The village is thrilled with a rare excitement. Tongues wag fast, and the most sensational reports are circulated. Every one is uneasy, unsettled, amazed.

I have cried till I can cry no longer, and am now red-eyed and quiet. Will is out. Dale I have not seen. I talk to Letty, and follow her up-stairs and down-stairs, into baby's chamber, the burden of my dirge being that Judith might have come to me in her trouble.

We are now in the study. Letty has her needle in her hand, and I am drumming on the window-pane impatiently. I wonder what is keeping Dale away. Suddenly I perceive a man's head—only the postman. I run out to meet him, and he gives me a letter for myself. I am familiar with the handwriting, and cry wildly—

"From Judith! From Judith!"

Letty glances over my shoulder while I read. It is but a pencilled scribble.

"My darling, good-bye. When I kissed you an hour or two ago, I did not think I was kissing you for the last time; but I was. I shall never see you again. I cannot live with my husband. To-night he has told me that he hates me, that, had he known I had no legal right to the name of Napine, I should never have been his. I know my unhappy father's secret—knew what killed my mother. Oh that the same knowledge would kill me! But, alas, it will not! Do not grieve about me. Heaven will protect me. I have money, and I shall find work.

Your loving JUDITH."

The sheet flies to the ground.

"I do not know where she is," I say.

"No; better not, just at present. I do not think she has acted quite wisely. Wives should condone much ere they desert their homes," Letty says, with a matronly air. "But, poor thing, she has suffered terribly, and has acted on a very natural impulse!"

"Yes. Don't be hard. She was right. I would leave any man if he ill-treated me, or told me he wished he was quit of me!"

"Would you?"

"Oh, Dale, how you startled me!"

He kisses me fondly in spite of Letty's smiles. She departs, shaking her head demurely.

"Have you heard?" I say.

"Yes. It is a sad affair, *ma cherie*. Will is with my father now."

"Have they locked up Mr. Thorold—Mr. Martin Napine?"

"Ay. Your brother is impressed in his favour."

"Are not you?"

"My dear, how can I be? Who is guilty if he is innocent? His tale is plausible; but you have not forgotten the testimony given at the inquest? Martin Napine was admitted to his father. He was closeted with him a very long time. After a while, sounds as if altercation were heard; then a noise as of a blow and a falling body. The servants were alarmed, but afraid to intrude knowing of the dissension between father and son. At last the butler, when the angry sounds had subsided, plucked up courage. He tapped at the door, and, getting no answer, entered, and found his master on the carpet dead. Martin Napine had disappeared!"

"Mr. Martin must have left Napine before Sir Percival was murdered. By what train did he go? What time was it when the servant discovered what had been done?"

"I can't say. All that will of course be thoroughly inquired into. Martin Napine's case will be in able hands. At the inquest he was absent, and that told terribly against him."

"Try to believe in him, Dale."

"I will. Until a man is proved guilty, his guilt must not be taken for granted. His coming forward looks like innocence. If his story is true, it will not be difficult to understand why he kept dark. Here is Will!"

Will advances with lagging steps, and flings himself into a chair heavily. I pass him Judith's letter. He reads, and, for a moment the shadow vanishes from his brow, only however to return directly.

"Heaven bless her!" he says. Regardless of Dale and myself he puts the paper to his lips, folds up the letter, and pockets it. I do not remonstrate. Will says he will have his lunch. I wait on him assiduously. He eats but a few mouthfuls, and then pushes back his plate.

"I have just seen Mr. Silas Thornton," he says.

"Yes?" Dale returns.

"He owned, on my questioning him, that he had taunted his wife with the supposed stain on her birth. He is a little ashamed of having driven Judith from the home that is hers by right. I asked him who had told him. He said [illegible] hitherto—

[illegible] and then [illegible]

"Martin Napine is anxious to know from what source he gained this information. Whoever was cognizant of the secret [illegible] saw Sir Percival after [illegible]."

"Good. What now?"

"Only that the last comer was probably [illegible]."

I cannot suppress my curiosity while they discuss possibilities. I touch Will imploringly, and he looks at me strangely.

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THE late Prebendary Aurial, of St. Dunstan's, London, left an estate worth $225,000.

THE base-ball season has ended, and the mellifluous mouthings of the umpires, as he [illegible] with the second-base man, will be heard no more until spring. [illegible] not need [illegible]. The base [illegible] last time [illegible] home plate [illegible] passed, [illegible] is in the griddle-cake pan. The boys have earned a rest.

EDWIN BOOTH has presented to his personal and professional friend Dr. Durant, of this city, a "loving-cup," made by Tiffany & Co., at a cost of $1,000. It is of solid silver lined with gold. Miss Agnes Strickland in her *Historic Sketches* says that "Margaret Athelling, wife of Malcolm Kenmore, in order to induce the Scotch to remain for grace, devised the grace-cup, which was filled with the choicest wine, of which each one who tarried might drink *ad libitum*. [illegible] the introduction of [illegible] of wassail [illegible] assumed a [illegible] the wassail [illegible] (loving-cup), a[illegible] companies. [illegible] adjacent [illegible], one to [illegible] his safety [illegible] so occupied."

ONLY A [illegible] HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER I.—(CONTINUED.)

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"You must come away," he said; "this is no place for you." Then in a moment he added, "I will see to it all. Only come away quietly with me now."

He had led me to the open door of the house by this time, and then had turned to leave me.

"Go in, go in," he said peremptorily; then, as if half ashamed of having spoken so imperiously, he added, "I beg your pardon if I spoke too bluntly; I am quite a stranger here. I was calling to make some inquiries about an estate that is advertised for sale in this neighbourhood. I never dreamt of falling in with such a scene as this. Am I addressing Miss Pelham?"

"Yes," I answered; "I am Cathie Pelham, and my father is not at home. What ought we to do?"

"Leave it to me," he said; and, strange to me as he was, I felt confidence in him even then, and I yielded to the masterful tone and manner, and entered the house as he desired me.

But just as I set my foot on the threshold of the door, two figures came round the corner of the house.

They were my father and Herbert Tempest. They were chatting easily and unconcernedly, and evidently knew nothing of what had happened. They had left their horses in the stable. To my surprise my father recognized my companion.

"How do you do, Beresford?" he said. "I did not know you were in this neighbourhood. Of course you will stay the night with us."

Mr. Beresford led him away a few paces. I could see that he was striving to break to my father the news he had to tell. Herbert Tempest shook hands with me in his usual languid fashion.

"How is Rose?" he inquired, in a tone as placid as usual.

"Hush!" I said hurriedly. "You don't know what has happened. Don't ask me any questions. Find out for yourself what it is."

He gave one astonished glance at my white face and excited manner; then, a little stirred out of his usual calm, he followed my father and Mr. Beresford, who were just hastening away in the direction of the garden.

As for me, I fled away to my own room, and, almost as I reached it, my trembling limbs refused to support me any longer, without sense or motion, stricken to the heart by the horror and dismay through which I had so lately passed.

When I came back to life once more, it was hours afterwards. I was lying on my bed, and Mrs. Holland was seated by my side. I believe that when I was at last missed, she had come to look for me, and had found me lying there and lifted me on to the bed. The whole house seemed very quiet—unnaturally so, I thought; the great trouble which had come upon us had hushed it as with the stillness of death. I looked at Mrs. Holland, and I saw that she was crying. Then I remembered everything in a moment, and I started to my feet.

"Where is my father?" I asked. "Does he know what has happened?"

"Oh, lie down again, dear Miss Cathie!" she sobbed. "Don't excite yourself. They say I am to keep you quiet, and not to let you talk at present."

"I can't be still, Mrs. Holland," I said piteously. "Pray tell me where my father is."

"He is in the dining-room," she replied; "and Mr. Beresford is with him. They have sent for the police."

I did not ask for Herbert Tempest; but Mrs. Holland told me of her own accord that he had gone away.

"He said he did not think he could be of any use, and he did not care to stop," she added. "Mr. Beresford has taken everything upon his own shoulders."

"That is just like Herbert," I answered indignantly. "He is never of the slightest use upon an emergency."

Mrs. Holland did not reply. She was wiping away her tears.

"Who is Mr. Beresford?" I asked her presently, after we had both been silent for some moments.

"He seems to know your father well," she answered. "I heard him say Mr. Beresford had only lately arrived from England, and that is all I know."

I scarcely noticed her reply, for my thoughts were too busy with the terrible event that had occurred. Mrs. Holland was again crying softly, with her muslin apron at her eyes.

"Oh, poor dear Miss Rose!" she said. "Who could have had the heart to hurt that poor innocent lamb? I nursed her when she was a baby, and now she is lying there cold and white, and I never wished her good-bye!"

I could not cry; I sat, with my hands tightly clasped together, in sorrow too hopeless for tears. At last I said, almost in a whisper—

"Who do they think did it?"

"That is the most mysterious thing of all, Miss Cathie," she answered. "No one has the slightest idea. No strange or suspicious person has been seen about this place the whole day past. Perhaps the police can find out something out for us when they come."

Later on I rose and smoothed my tumbled hair, bathed my face, and crept down stairs.

The door of the little breakfast-room was locked, and I knew at once that my sister was lying there. As I had my fingers on the handle, the dining-room door opened, and Mr. Beresford came out.

"Don't go in there," he said, and he held open the dining-room door for me, and signed me to walk in.

I obeyed him at once; it was strange how easily he could make me do as he pleased. With Mrs. Holland I should have rebelled, and insisted upon seeing Rose once more.

It was now about 9 o'clock; the soft twilight of the summer evening brooded over everything, and through the open window the scent of the magnolia-tree outside came floating in.

"How sweet the hour when daylight blends
With the pensive shadows on evening's breast;
And dear to the heart is the pleasure it lends,
For 'tis like the departure of saints to their rest!"

Mr. Beresford first closed the window sending a keen glance all round outside as he did so; then he wheeled up an easy-chair to where I was standing, and begged me to sit down. After this he lighted the lamp which was standing on the table; there was tea as well on the table, and he poured out a cup, and brought it to me.

"You look so pale," he said. "Drink this. It will do you good."

I took the cup and began to drink it slowly.

He must have thought me a most meek and docile little creature, from my prompt obedience, which was certainly not the opin-

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CHAPTER II.

The man whom I had so suddenly confronted was of medium height, broad-shouldered, brown-faced, brown-bearded, with straight brown eyebrows over dark keen gray eyes.

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business which has brought him into our neighbourhood. I felt when he had gone as if I had lost a friend.

I must hasten over the few events which followed his departure. The police did all that was in their power, but in spite of all their efforts they could discover no clue to the murderer of my sister Rose.

No one had been observed near the house or garden during the whole of that long summer's day which ended so tragically for us. No motive could be assigned for the deed. Rose, as far as we knew, had not an enemy in the world.

"It must have been some poor wretch whom her beauty had driven mad," said Mrs. Holland to me in a confidential moment. "Jealousy, Miss Cathie. Depend upon it, that was the cause."

One discovery, it is true, the police who searched our garden did make. Hidden under a pile of dead leaves, in a remote corner of the plantation, they found the rifle with which the deed had been committed. But there their researches ended. There was no clue to the owner of the gun; it was like twenty others in our neighbourhood. No man's rifle was missing, or, if it was, no one would own to the fact.

So the matter ended by a large reward being offered for the discover of the murderer, and by my father's health beginning to suffer severely from his shattered nerves.

We laid Rose quietly to rest in a sheltered valley near the sea. There she sleeps near the roar of the great ocean waves. The everlasting mountains, in the shadow of which she died, look down solemnly upon her resting-place; and there I can stand calmly now, and remember that her troubles are over, and her happiness begun for evermore.

"Nor shall the thoughts of thee depart,
Nor shall my soul regret resign,
Till mem'ry perish, till this heart
Be cold and motionless as thine."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Mr. Parnell.

One of Ireland's greatest curses has always been loud-mouthed and hollow-hearted demagogues, mere talkers, who, simply for their own individual ends it may be, seek to rouse the people by harping on the old old story of their wrongs. Wrongs, of course, Ireland has had. Ever since the conquest of that island there has been much to complain of, and many things very far from creditable to a free, Christian and enlightened country such as England. But how comes it, one may ask, that all these "wrongs," or the great bulk of them at any rate, are to be found towards the South. At the North people seem to get along pretty much in the same way as other folks, and to do very well without such agitators as Parnell. If all Ireland's friends are of that stamp, then may Heaven preserve and help her. If Mr. Parnell and his followers are typical specimens of the average Irishman, then it goes almost without saying that they are as yet totally unfit for self-government. They have yet to learn the very first principles of that science. They are yet but as children, tossed to and fro, and have need that men teach them the rudiments of what they would fain persuade themselves, has reached the highest culmination with themselves.

As has been well said, "there is a certain degree of dignity in a proud protest against oppression, and rebellion frequently commands respect, but Mr. Parnell's party presents itself alternately as a beggar and a bully, and does not appear to advantage in either character." There never was a time in the whole history of the United Kingdom, when English statesmen were more unfeignedly anxious to do every justice to Ireland, to put a stop to the mighty abuses which undoubtedly exist, and to do every thing in their power to give these unhappy people as fair a chance as they can possibly have. But that paragraph from the New York *Times*, undoubtedly hits off the very character of these present would-be-reformers, and how is it possible that any government, be it ever so willing, can urge measures of redress with any chance of succeeding when demagogues like Parnell have captured the popular ear. Here are some of that worthy's oracular utterances. At New-Ross, speaking of the Boyd murder, he said. "I wish to point out that a recourse to such methods of procedure is entirely unnecessary and absolutely prejudicial, when there is suitable organization among tenants." Mark, not a single word of condemnation against such high-handed proceedings. Not a word to indicate that he thought there was anything *morally wrong* in such murders, but simply that in certain circumstances they were useless, and wholly detrimental to the best interests of the great cause in hand. What Parnell means by "suitable organization," was explained by himself at Ennis. *Farmers are to band themselves together to refuse to pay unjust rents, to decline to take farms from which others have been evicted*, and to ostracise any man who dares to act according to his own opinions in opposition to such decrees. "When a man takes a farm from which another has been evicted," says this patriot, "you must shun him on the roadside when you meet him, you must shun him in the streets of the town, you must shun him in the shop, you must shun him in the fair-green, and in the market-place, and even in the place of worship." "In short" says Parnell, "you must do everything in your power to make the country too hot for him, short of murder, that is, if possible. And even though in certain cases excusable it may be, still, murder, where there is proper organization, you will find it prove not only unnecessary, but prejudicial to your own interests." Parnell has a visionary land policy, which he fancies would be the salvation of the Emerald Isle. The farms of 500,000 tenant farmers are to be bought by the State, and handed over as a free gift to the people.

"We want no money," he says, "not a single penny would be necessary. Let the English Government give the landlords their paper as compensation."

The real facts of the case seem to be, that many of the Irish farmers are too lazy for hard work, and would like to get as much as possible done for them without the least exertion of their own, and anything else that has to be done, with the smallest conceivable outlay of trouble and botheration to themselves. There are thousands of Scotch, and English, and German farmers, and others, who have had as hard times as ever Irishmen had, who are not forever making poor mouths over their circumstances, and wishing somebody to help them; but who go about things with a will, and help themselves.

FLOWERS are banners of the vegetable world, which march in various and splendid triumph before the coming of its fruits.

Mr. Bradlaugh and the British Pension List.

Whatever Bradlaugh's religious opinions may be, he will deserve the gratitude of succeeding generations if he persevere and succeed in his attacks on the enormous abuses of the British pension list. [illegible] of pounds are paid away every year to men and families, for no reason whatever than that they are the descendants of some more or less distinguished ancestor. In less than a century the descendants of Lord St. Vincent and Lord Rodney have received $1,000,000 each. For nearly two hundred years the heirs of the Duke of Schomberg have drawn a nice comfortable income from the English Government, though what they have done to deserve it might puzzle the devoutest worshipper of blue blood, and the powers which be. Starvation is by no means a pleasant thing in any case; it must be doubly hard to bear, one would think, were it generally known to the poverty-stricken workpeople and others, that their hard-earned wages help to pamper a lot of idle high-born paupers. The Dukes of Marlborough enjoy a yearly pension of $25,000. The Duke of Wellington was given $3,500,000 by Parliament to support the dignity of his dukedom, and a pension of $10,000 a year, for two generations. Now, these are but a few of the larger grants. The smaller ones are legion. It is somewhat interesting to note the light thrown on the proverbially bull-dog tendencies of the English people by these favoured pensioners of theirs.

All of them are military men. "Saviours" of their country, as they are proudly called. Men who have been destroyers of other men's lives, and who have triumphed in the carnage of battle. It is no doubt true that many of these generals did much for their country, and deserved all the love and gratitude they received from those who were benefitted by their victories, or preserved by their exertions. But the best of them did no more than their duty, without thought of other reward than the approval of their own consciences, and the gratitude of their countrymen, and though the Englishmen of those days did well, it may be, to reward their heroes in the way they did, it is by no means self-evident that the descendants of these heroes, people who have never in any way distinguished themselves, and whose only glory is a reflected one, are entitled to such very substantial evidences of good-will. It may be that "the people" ought to feel themselves privileged in being allowed to contribute towards the dignity of such ancient and honourable houses, but "the people" are beginning to feel that money spent in this way could be put to a much better use. Royalty in all its various manifestations is quite a heavy, enough burden for the ordinary taxpayer, and he is thinking very seriously indeed, that a little judicious economy would not be a bad thing in more ways than one. One thing at least can be said of the English people, and that is, that they have never invested much money in pensioning literary and scientific men, whatever they may have done with their soldiers. Poets, philosophers, statesmen even, scientific men, travellers, inventors, men who have done and dared more for the English nation and the human race, than any conqueror of them all, have been allowed to die in poverty, obscurity, and neglect,—but leaders of armies! well they are more like the roast beef and dumpling, something that the average Englishman can at least understand. The widow of Sir John Franklin received a pension of one hundred pounds, a year or so. The name of Livingstone was honored by some trifle, equally paltry, and equally well deserved. But these, and cases like these are exceptional; only too frequently the greatest, and most gifted of Englishmen, have been left without other approval than their own, and the hope of justice from future generations. If less attention were paid to the mere accident of birth, more might be done for the deserving. It is getting more difficult every year to persuade men to live contentedly in poverty, while other men, without merit of their own, are clothed in purple and fine linen, and, while extravagance is so rife as it is to-day. The state of things is of course, to a certain extent unavoidable, but at least the greatest care should be taken not to aggravate, what may be so far a necessary evil, or rather not an *evil*, but an unavoidable consequence, if men are to make money, and inherit money at all.

Trouble Brewing in Norway.

THE KING ACCUSES THE STORTHING OF EXCEEDING ITS CONSTITUTIONAL POWERS.

(From the Paris Francaise.)

Not long ago I wrote to you about the constitutional conflict between the Storthing and the Crown on the subject of the attendance of Ministers at the debates in the National Legislature. This conflict is not the only one. A second has arisen which seems likely to reach irritating proportions. At the close of the recent session, several projects for the reorganization of the army, which had been referred to Military Commission, were still incomplete. At one of its last sittings, that of June 19, the Storthing authorized the Commission to sit after the adjournment, and until the beginning of the next session.

Upon the advice of the Norwegian Ministers, the King refused, on August 18, to sanction this action, declaring that it was impossible for him to acquiesce in the introduction of a practice by virtue of which the Storthing could empower a certain number of its members to sit and deliberate in the intervals of the sessions under the name of a committee. The royal decree sets forth that, "in naming a Parliamentary Commission of this nature, the Storthing committed a trespass upon the domain of the Executive, and usurped administrative functions not belonging to it. Furthermore, in authorizing one of its committees to work outside of the sessions, it exceeded its powers in another way, notably by extending the duration of its sessions beyond the term fixed by the Constitution; that is to say, beyond two months." Moreover, "a commission constituted as this one is [three military men, two of whom are very advanced members of the Opposition] does not offer the necessary guarantee that the projects, several of which have not even been examined by the Government, will be subjected to a sufficiently intelligent and impartial study."

It was this last consideration, evidently, that decided the King, for he immediately proposed a royal commission, to be composed of the three members of the Parliamentary Committee and three new and competent members to be named by the Crown. It is clear that this proposition will have to be ratified by the Storthing, which must decide whether or not to permit its members to sit on this new Commission. At this moment it is announced that the President of the Storthing, who is also the President of the Military Commission, has called a meeting of the latter. Naturally this step is represented by the Ministerial press as a grave insult to the sovereign.

The Pocket Handerchief.

We may forget our purse, our penknife, and many other things, says the London *Hatter*, without experiencing any great inconvenience, and even without its being known at times, but to lose or mislay the handkerchief, may be followed by very grave consequences, as we all know. Moreover, we make use of this article in many other different ways. All who make use of spectacles do not remove them from their nose in order to put them very carefully into the case without using the handkerchief, and they use it again before putting them on, wiping the glasses with great care. The majority of people pay by far too little attention to an object so indispensable. Many put it into the same pocket with their keys, their purse, their snuff-box, without troubling themselves concerning the many strange substances with which its tissue will not fail to come in contact in so miscellaneous a company, and which might sully the purity which the handkerchief ought to possess. Does one go to pay a visit? Before presenting themselves to the person they wish to thank or solicit, some have been known to dust their boots with the handkerchief. Does the careful wife see some grains of dust left on her ornaments? She makes them disappear with her handkerchief. Boys in the school room clean their slates with them; in the playground their handkerchief is the necessary attendant of a multitude of games. With this they wipe of the dirt; they strike off the dust. It is used to stop the blood that flows from wounds—always very numerous in the age of leap-frog and prisoners base; the age also of communism in handkerchiefs. With wounds come tears, and the handkerchief, full of dust, spotted with dirt, with the blood of bodies known or unknown, serves again for wiping the eyes, the nose, or the cheeks furrowed with tears. We do not wish, and we cannot tell here all the strange uses that people make of the pocket handkerchief. And then what signals have been conveyed by it! How many sad farewells, how many cheerful congratulations! The very method of waving it has a language, as the motions of the fan also have. But we can but glance in this connection at the language of the pocket handkerchief. And how useful it often is as a help to the pocket or the hand-bag! How many mushrooms, myrtle-berries, strawberries, and raspberries [illegible] handkerchief [illegible] valuable things in later life! Then there may be evil results traced to it—a number of ailments of which one cannot guess the origin; diseases of the nose and eyes. Fortunate it is for him that incurs nothing worse; diphtheria, for example, which the handkerchief may heedlessly transmit. Let us not use the handkerchief except for its proper purpose; let us devote to it a special place; let us change it as often as possible, and inspire our children with a great disgust for another's handkerchief on account of the disagreeable, nay, dangerous consequences that may ensue. Much more might be said about the pocket handkerchief, but enough has been hinted at to set my readers a-thinking upon its importance, its uses, and its abuses.

Rev. John Potts, Pastor Metropolitan Church, Toronto.

The Metropolitan Church and grounds, are justly regarded as among the sights of Toronto. Perhaps correct taste might find some points against which to take objection, both in the building and its surroundings. But these are quite beyond ordinary comprehension, and would puzzle the average stranger even though they were pointed out. Some think the grounds too large for the church, and that the latter is hereby given a squat and somewhat insignificant appearance. Others are equally sure of something very much the reverse. While others still, to show their discernment and their taste, insist upon the incongruity of some part of the structure as compared with others,—the tawdriness of some of the internal decorations, and the far from attractive appearance of some of the stained windows. All this may or may not be, yet after everything has been said in depreciation that well can be, it remains unquestionable that the Metropolitan church is one of the finest and most attractive in the city, and that those who say it is not, don't know what they are speaking about. For all purposes of worship, whether in the matter of hearing, sitting, kneeling, or seeing, it is very near perfection, and when it is full, as it generally is every Sunday evening, it presents a very attractive appearance, quite "fair to see."

A great many doubted the wisdom and worldly policy of erecting such a building. Financially it was thought that it could never be made a success. It was all very well it was contended, so long as Mr. Punshon preached in it, with greater or less regularity. The power and popularity of that distinguished gentleman were acknowledged to be quite sufficient to fill any church, however large, and to pay for any one, however expensive. But then, what was to be expected when he should leave or die? Financial embarrassment and ultimately, humiliating failure. That a native Canadian could successfully step into the gap was thought too absurd to be seriously discussed. These were too really rough and uneducated to successfully come after the great man and preacher, whom more than mere Methodism delighted to honour. The actual subsequent facts have shown that all these fears and proceedings were groundless. Punshon came out to marry a wife whom he could not legally wed in England, and no sooner had got rid of this apparent encumbrance, by death, than he again made tracks for home, and very speedily forgot his sorrow in another spouse. Some thought that the haste made to get off was scarcely decent, and was anything but respectful to his departed wife. Others trembled for the Metropolitan ark, and wished that the great man could stay, till things were in a somewhat better shape. Go, however, he must, and so he went, "bag and baggage" for good, and all after the deceased wife's sister episode had been brought to its somewhat sorrowful conclusion. What was to be done to supply the great man's lack of service, and build wisely and successfully on the foundation that had been laid? The Methodists are a shrewd, wise people, though they *do* about sometimes with unnecessary vehemence at camp meetings, and fall conveniently from grace when a shabby dodge has to be put through. Let it be said, at any rate, that they keep a keen eye upon any of the more likely of their young men. They know the importance of having continual relays of fresh, active, and pious preachers. Their cause could not otherwise live, much less flourish. And they are not afraid to put young men forward when they are found to be of the right stuff. It is all very well to talk of 'pets' in the Methodist Ministry, and of some being unduly pushed forward, and others as being unfairly kept back. We don't believe there is much in all this. The energetic and able, will, generally, under this popular system, come to the front, and those who ultimately don't, may draw what conclusions they please from that fact. When the hour of necessity struck with the Metropolitan people, the man was ready.

John Potts has a name neither very euphonious nor very romantic. It is decidedly plebeian, and intimates, we fear, in a very unmistakable manner that there is not much "blue blood" running in the veins of this sturdy Methodist. The incidents in his history are neither many nor startling, so that it would be as difficult as possible, even in these days of terrible book marking, to construct a decently sized volume with the record either of what he has said, or what he has done. Starting in a very humble mercantile sphere, we believe, in Hamilton, young Potts was very soon kindly taken in hand by one of Hamilton's most respectable and open handed citizens, and through the instrumentality of that gentleman was in due time fairly started as an itinerant preacher. That Mr. Potts was at first but poorly equipped for his work may go without saying. His opportunities had been few, and the course of instruction through which he passed was comparatively meagre. To learning, in the proper sense of that term, he has never made any pretensions, and it is just as well, for learned he is not. He knows, however, his *forte*, and has from the first diligently cultivated it. He is a preacher, if he is anything, and to make himself a success in this line has been the object of his most strenuous and sustained endeavours. He has thought and spoken of, perhaps even dreamed about, sermons and the best way of preparing them, for many years past. He knows that all honest and intelligent labour eventually tells, and so, when called upon to occupy the Metropolitan pulpit as successor to Dr. Punshon, he was found quite equal to the labour, and quite deserving of the honour. The cause flourished more than ever, Punshon was not missed, for Potts reigned and ruled in his stead. It could scarcely be said that, with his installation as occupant of the chief Methodist pulpit of Toronto, the reputation of the Doctor began. He had been previously well-known, but henceforth he became a power in the country, and has continued to be so ever since. His second term in this charge, has not been so brilliant as the first, and it is saying nothing but what is notorious, to affirm that he has little or no chance of a "third term."

It would be difficult to intimate wherein Dr. Potts' strength and attractiveness lie. He has no brilliant and poetical flights, like his friend and neighbour Briggs, he has not the polish of either of the Hunters, and for rugged strength and general vigour of thought and expression, he can't be placed on the same plane with either Dr. Dewart, or the Mission Secretary. Yet, there he is, in the very front rank of Methodist ministers, and in some respects more widely popular than any of them who could be mentioned. His bodily presence does a good deal for him, as well as his voice, and his jolly Irish temperament and bearing, which are warm without being boisterous, and friendly without being too familiar. He cultivates no specialty. He is not odd, either in his manner or his talk. Genius he has none, but he has good sense, fair abilities, commendable industry, and both relish and faculty for his work. Perhaps his popularity has somewhat spoiled him, for he is now apt occasionally to play "Sir Oracle," while his growing impatience of opposition, has been sometimes remarked upon, and lamented. He has his temper and feelings under very good control, though sometimes they will break through restraint, and lead him to say not the most prudent things. Though his [illegible] is well kept up, and are always well worth hearing, yet we fear his popularity is rather on the wane, though it would be difficult to indicate the rising light that is going to take his place. Altogether we like the Doctor. He is not so great a man as the inner circle of his admirers believe him to be. Not perhaps so much so, as he himself imagines. But he is far above the average of his brethren, and if the people of the Metropolitan, are always blessed with a succession of preachers and pastors as good as he has been, and is, they will have very little cause to complain.

HIGH WAYS AND BYE WAYS OF TORONTO.

(From The Truth.)

THE AWFUL SWELL.

You should have seen me, when for the first, or almost the first time I found myself in print. Mentally, literally and corporeally, I became sensibly enlarged. I threw back my head with an air, and felt as if I could strike the lofty stars. I trod the Empyrean, and got into the strange delusion that everybody was looking at me. It seemed as if the very air was conscious, and had no room for any kind of thought, except that which I possessed, or rather which possessed me. I laughed inwardly. I was greatly tempted to ask my friends and acquaintances if they had seen TRUTH. Indeed, I directly spoke of it once or twice, and in order to be natural, said that there were some rather good things in it.

OH THE JOY OF AUTHORSHIP!

It far surpasses that which comes to a boy, when the first ghost of a beard makes its appearance on his chin; when young ladies first recognise him as a man; Or when for the first time—well everybody knows how that sentence ought to close. I *was* taken down just a little, and for an instant, when an old croney who had invested four cents in the paper said,—There are a good many things in that paper which I like, but what an enormous fool that man must be, who signs himself Jacob Faithful. The fellow has neither common sense, nor common decency." What could I say? What could I do? I could not get angry, or own up. I could not, in short, in any way show that the shaft had gone home. So all I could reply was: "I haven't an idea. Rather think he is pretty weak," though all the while I hugged myself with the thought that, that man was an old *stoopid* who knew nothing. And I tried hard to square up with my conscience by urging as pretty a piece of Jesuitry as ever any one would wish to have at hand when he wanted to prove that, in certain circumstances a lie was no lie at all, but only a praiseworthy device for escaping from unpleasant situations. And then didn't I feel big when I learned that

TRUTH TOOK AMAZINGLY,

and that even the news boys pushed it with great vigour and corresponding success! It was altogether a new sensation, and I enjoyed it immensely. Away I went down town, —along King and up Yonge, till I got to the College avenue, away to the Queen street avenue, and other places too numerous to mention. I looked to see if there were any boys in search of horse-chestnuts, and if any bobbies were chasing them from branch to branch. I thought if these things were worth putting into the big dailies as they seem to be, I should never be without subjects to write about. As I passed Osgood Hall, I thought I should look in to see that everything was as it ought to be, and that both Judges and lawyers were doing their duty. I walked into the library as if it were all my own, and passed out again without having bagged a single item. This rather brought me down a peg, but I was stirred by the conviction that I should be more successful when I reached Queen. Queen as every body knows, is not a nice street. The houses are generally mean in their appearance, the great majority of the people have a common like look about them, and the children are correspondingly dirty, with a strong tendency to shabbiness.

THE STREET RAILWAY IS A GREAT CONVENIENCE,

but it does not improve the roadway, and neither horses nor men, to say nothing of the carriages, are a sight to see. It juggles us to find out what can be the reason that the Street Railway Co. in Toronto roles with such a rod of iron, and does just as it pleases, let people grumble as they may. Is there any power behind the throne? Are there means taken to make it pleasant with those who could make them the reverse? Nobody seems to know, but this at any rate is plain, that the Street Railway folks in this city can do with perfect safety, what in any other place would raise a big row, and lead to a very great change of conduct on the part of the officials, high and low. As it is, the conductors and drivers can be as saucy as they please; can pack as many into their miserable vehicles as can find an inch to stand upon, and can abuse horses to their hearts' content and nobody says a word. One never can make out how it happens, but that it does, is beyond all question. Be this or be that the case, the whole affair pays splendidly, and the owners, if they pleased, could afford to make things smart, and insist upon there being reasonable loads and civil conduct every day, and all the day long.

Didn't I say I had a mind to go and

INTERVIEW CAPT. PRINCE

and the other officials at the Central Prison? Well I made another attempt, and in order to screw my courage to the sticking point, I went in just to have a chat with Mr. Donaldson the Emigration Agent. He's a pleasant intelligent man, but he knows it equally well, and when he thinks it worth while, he can blarney people at a great rate. He did not know that I was the correspondent of TRUTH. Perhaps if he had, he would not have been quite so communicative. I am not the man, however, to betray confidence, and what I learned there, I shall keep religiously to myself till I can make use of it to advantage without hurting anybody's feelings, or compromising any of the officials. After my experience with Mr. Donaldson I went boldly into the prison and discussed the whole situation with the Captain. Now, you may believe the Captain, when taken in the right way and at the right time is a pleasant gentlemanly fellow.

HE IS A LITTLE DUNDREARYISH

of course, and some ill-natured people would say that his eyes are, if anything, somewhat sodden. But the *World* is too hard upon him, though I doubt if the Captain had not been his father's son, whether he would have been where he is to-day. But who would be just exactly in their present positions but for some such accident? Even I myself might not exactly be what I am had the "old man" not left me that cash which I never could have earned, and secured for me friends that possibly I could never have made. Let anybody look over the public men in this city. How have they come to be what they are? Merit? Heaven help them, in many cases, *no*. Influence, influence, that's the thing!

EVEN SOME THAT ARE ALDERMEN

might have been different, had everybody got his due. By the way, speaking of Aldermen, is it not about time these gentlemen were pulling up and behaving themselves? The elections will soon be here, and they had better try to furbish up a little bit of character for economy and common sense. I know if I were one I should. And I am always telling them this, but they won't listen. They are continually making rules only to break them, and in many ways they are far from prudent. Gentlemen, gentlemen, I say to them, remember it is getting on in October, and as Buzfuz would phrase it, "You must be careful." Of course, I make it a point to attend at

COUNCIL MEETINGS,

and generally button-hole the members as much as possible. It is quite wonderful how wise they are, at least a good many of them, wise in their own conceit, as I say, when they are in a jocular humour, and will stand some nonsense. I thought once of giving pen-and-ink sketches of the whole lot, but my space is exhausted, and it would be unfair to bring any of them in at the fag end of a letter. There, now, what a goodly man the Mayor is. I like him. I actually do, and since he became Member as well as Mayor, my liking has risen to positive affection.

AND THERE IS BAXTER!

What a man, to be sure! Where will you find, for his inches, any one that carries more weight? And Love! Why, he is positively lovely, and, of course, never made a mistake in his life. Blevins I positively honour, and especially since I learned that he had a frugal mind, and was so bent on economy that he would do all the law business of the city for $1500. It is very fine. I honour him for the offer, whether he is successful or not, in obtaining the object of his ambition. Ah, but

ONE MISSES SUCH MEN AS TURNER AND THOMPSON

and,—I forget the rest. The high-toned people, you know, those that could give dignity to any assembly. Well, peace be with them. They may come back again, for they still honour our streets with their presence, their friends with a smile, and their foes with—a blessing.

I was going to speak about

[illegible] THE "GLOBE" COMPANY,

as I see everybody seems to think that that is fine game, but I am afraid if I go on this way, I shall put all my raisins into one dumpling, and that will be foolish in two ways. It will make this bill of fare too rich, and will leave me destitute for coming days.

[illegible] of that [illegible] and bye, though what in the [illegible] or any other outsider may [illegible] its affairs, as long as it pays [illegible] keep out of the bankruptcy [illegible] than I can imagine. Do [illegible]

THEY SAY DONALD [illegible]

has some share in the concern [illegible] why not? And why should [illegible] have some shares? N[illegible] see, and when I think of it, I [illegible] go for some of that stock [illegible] as my name is

JACOB [illegible]

P. S.—What a lot of I's have [illegible] ed into this letter! Well, [illegible] makes the whole look more [illegible] like what it is in real life, when [illegible] capital letter does such a [illegible] ness!—J. F.

The Excavation of Flood [illegible] Gate.

The mining of Flood Rock, [illegible] the East River at the northerly [illegible] York city, preparatory to [illegible] after the manner of the Hal[illegible] work, is being pushed forward [illegible] expenditure last year amount[illegible] 000, and a large part of the [illegible] propriated this year for the [illegible] East River will go to this work [illegible] ment is now given to 135 men [illegible] three shifts of eight hours each [illegible] shaft is fifty feet deep.

Running across the river are [illegible] ings; at right angles to these [illegible] cross headings, none of which [illegible] extended their entire length. [illegible] seven feet high and ten feet wi[illegible] situated about twenty feet apart [illegible] main shaft, however, where more [illegible] space are required for working [illegible] larger. Three acres have thus [illegible] mined, or one-third of the wh[illegible] intended to enlarge the heading [illegible] one has been carried out to it [illegible] Then the chambers will be [illegible] made higher, so that the whole [illegible] will resemble an immense cav[illegible] being supported by the rock pi[illegible] now form the sides of the head[illegible] thickness of the rock forming [illegible] then be about ten feet, varying [illegible] to the character of the rock, [illegible] now from fifteen to thirty feet [illegible]

The work of tunneling [illegible] slowly, owing to the hardness [illegible] which the reef is composed. [illegible] which it is now going on is fro[illegible] feet a month, representing an [illegible] fabout 1,500 cubic yards. It is [illegible] tell when the whole will be [illegible] even at this rate. Frequently [illegible] struck in blasting which stops [illegible] that heading altogether, on acc[illegible] leakage. In such a case it is [illegible] work around the leak. Accor[illegible] last report, the work done du[illegible] year was much greater than in [illegible] year; 24,000 cubic yards of [illegible] moved, 43,000 blasts made, and [illegible] sharpened. The number of bla[illegible] each night now average 150. The [illegible] broken up is loaded on scows and [illegible] the deep water to the south of [illegible] Part of it was also used to fill up [illegible] between Big and Little Mill Ro[illegible] lie to the north.

Our Salmon Fisheries.

Professor H. Y. Hind has wr[illegible] to the *Forest and Stream*, in [illegible] verts to the climate question in [illegible] the late appearance of salmon in [illegible] this season, also to "biennial [illegible] also to the habit of salmon se[illegible] rivers than their native streams [illegible] purposes, and to the developme[illegible] hook on the male salmon in *his* [illegible] *year only*. He writes to Mr. M[illegible] seer of Fisheries, and asks to be [illegible] through the columns of the *Mira*[illegible] for reliable information about th[illegible] salmon in the Bay of Chaleurs [illegible] ago." He further says:—I wi[illegible] whether any record, or tradition [illegible] pecting the salmon catch in the ye[illegible] 1835; and 1836, 1841, 1842 and [illegible] fact the record of any particularly [illegible] any particularly poor year, will be [illegible] received. I have prepared a not[illegible] salmon catch and character of the [illegible] certain rivers in Scotland for a[illegible] hundred years, and I wish to [illegible] whether the experience in New B[illegible] bears out certain remarkable relatio[illegible] found to exist between [illegible] cold in the appearance of certain [illegible] fish particularly the salmon.

I should be glad if Mr. Mowat w[illegible] state whether he has ever taken or [illegible] male salmon late in the season wi[illegible] hook being developed largely on [illegible] jaw; also, whether he has ever seen [illegible] of large male salmon, having milt [illegible] veloped, without the hook on the lo[illegible] I should also like to ask him whether [illegible] ever seen any nests of the salmon [illegible] supposes were made in the spring of [illegible] I have seen such nests at the heads [illegible] the North West branch of the So[illegible] Miramichi. I saw them with tro[illegible] eggs in them on the 24th of Ju[illegible] when I was making the Geological S[illegible] the Province.

The *Advance* says:—Professor [illegible] writing on the Fisheries with a view [illegible] the subject better understood than it [illegible] not only by the people, but also by [illegible] partment at Ottawa, whose knowl[illegible] modes are both susceptible of impro[illegible]

Diamond Cutting in New Y[illegible]

Among the curious and interesting [illegible] trial facts brought to light during the [illegible] inquiries, not the least is the fact th[illegible] cently introduced art of diamond [illegible] been so admirably developed here th[illegible] monds cut in Amsterdam are sent to th[illegible] for recutting. Hitherto Amsterdam [illegible] monopolized the work of diamond c[illegible] and the aim there has been to remove [illegible] ting the least possible weight of th[illegible] The American plan is to cut mat[illegible] cally, according to recognized laws of [illegible] as to secure the utmost brilliancy fo[illegible] ished stone. The greater loss in wei[illegible] compared with the Amsterdam cut [illegible] thus more than made good by the [illegible] brilliancy of the product. From the [illegible] ies made by chief special census agent [illegible] E. Hill, it appears that the average in[illegible] value given to diamonds by New Yo[illegible] ting is $5,000 for each person emplo[illegible] twelve months; also, that our dealers [illegible] ceiving the best Amsterdam-cut gem[illegible] abroad to be recut here and returned.

THE Marquis Robert de San [illegible] who married an American, Miss He[illegible] lender, has ordered in this country [illegible] things for their baby. A willow cra[illegible] a canopy decorated with draperies, [illegible] lions, points of Valenciennes lace, a[illegible] satin ribbon. There are sheets with [illegible] borders and bands of French embr[illegible] and others of lawn, with lace ends [illegible] them to make the cost $500 for fou[illegible] eider down quilt and some exquisite [illegible] blankets are included in the outfit. [illegible] are three dozen dresses in the w[illegible] many of them of lawn, mull, and fine [illegible] "Young mothers," says a correspond[illegible] the Philadelphia *Times*, "can easily i[illegible] the dainty beauty of the tiny sl[illegible] the exquisitely embroidered law[illegible] nitured with the finest of [illegible] richest of the flannel skirts w[illegible] broidery, and the handsome [illegible] med, and lace-finished pettic[illegible] difficult to conceive of anything [illegible] the robes of real lace, arranged in dia[illegible] medallions, squares, and all manner [illegible] ceits, with applique of embroidery in [illegible] and other flowers, each figure in the [illegible] ciennes lace being punched or upraise[illegible] it looks like round point."

BUT, children, you should never let [illegible] angry passions rise; your little ha[illegible] never made to tear each other's eyes [illegible] foregoing is not original, having been [illegible] some years ago by a good man, who de[illegible] ed not in juvenile combats. The [illegible] should have been impressed on [illegible] children in Honesdale, Pa. A girl and [illegible] boys, aged respectively, 9, 7 and 6 [illegible] assaulted a girl of 8, and literally [illegible] "little hands" tore out the eyes of [illegible] Myers, the girl referred to. Besides [illegible] her eyesight, the poor girl has also lo[illegible] hearing, through the fiendishness [illegible] youthful ruffians. The aggressive three [illegible] tried the other day and acquitted. [illegible] Watts' verse had been thoroughly [illegible] ed on them with a rod, such as [illegible] recommended, it would seem more [illegible] tice.

BISHOP ELEGIO COSI, at Chang-Tu[illegible] China, has invented an alphabet of [illegible] ters, by means of which all the sounds [illegible] Chinese language can, it is said, be [illegible] sented. The Emperor of Austria ha[illegible] so well pleased with the invention th[illegible] has presented the Bishop with a co[illegible] typographical apparatus, so that the [illegible] alphabet may be employed in printing [illegible] characters used by the Chinese [illegible] 50,000.

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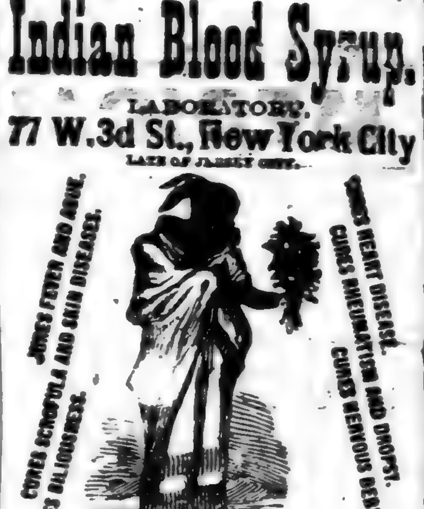

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Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

Waifs.

A calm, delightful Autumn night—
A Moon's mysterious, golden Light—
A Maiden at her Window height,
In Robes of pure and fleecy White.

The little Wicket Gate ajar—
A Lover tripping from afar,
With tuneful voice and light Guitar,
To woo his radiant Guiding Star.

A Lute with soft, insidious Twang—
Oh, how the doting Lover sang!
A Bull-Dog, with Remorseless Fang—
A Nip, a Grip, a Deadly Pang.

A Maiden with a startled Glance—
A Shrieking for Deliverance—
A kind of weird, hilarious Dance—
A Pair of Riven Doeskin Pants.

A maiden fainting with Affright—
A Lover in a sickening Plight—
A Bull-Dog chuckling with Delight—
A wild, delirious Autumn Night!

There was an old lady of Warren,
A traveller stepped on her corren,
She tottered and reeled,
And hollered and squealed,
And wished she had never been borren.

She read all the books of science,
Her fingers were covered with ink,
She hooted at marriage alliance,
She talked of the missing link.

She quoted savants and preachers
Of greater and less renown—
Plantonic in all her features,
She got mashed on a circus clown.

And now Lady Godiva is said to be a myth—a bare falsehood, as it were.

Some one inquires: "Where have all the ladies' belts gone?" Gone to waist long ago.

It requires but a short time for a young lady out shopping to learn all the countersigns of the dry-goods trade.

Rebecca—"Yes, a man who is continually sticking his nose into other people's business can be said to possess a roamin' nose."

The custom-house officers in New York carefully inspect the inside of fishing-rods. Sara Bernhardt can't slip into the country in that fashion.

Every lady who educates her servants into greater truthfulness, fidelity, self-respect, and the orderly ways of life, is doing missionary work of the best sort.

The women in Persia are obliged to ride in a railroad car alone and pass their fare out through a hole in the roof. There isn't a living soul to flirt with except the driver.

"I think, dear, the dew has commenced falling," he said, in his softest accents. "Yes," she yawned, "I've been hoping to hear adieu for some time." He didn't call the next evening.

A young woman in Denver flung herself into a cistern, but she was fished out. A local paragrapher advises her as follows: "Cis turn from your evil ways." But he won't joke that way when it becomes cistern.

A Galveston woman, just married, wishing to impress her husband with her ability as a housekeeper, bawled out to the servant as she entered the door: "Matilda, bring me the washboard; I want to wash the potatoes for dinner."

The first hat of a new fashion for ladies is not the result of any particular design. One is finished plain and then sat down upon by the head milliner. Whatever shape it may take under pressure is adopted as the style, and becomes the pattern for others.

Fashion Notes

Red lace veils will be worn by a few eccentric ladies.

Feather ruchings are revived for dresses and cloaks.

Chameleon fabrics shot in two colours will be worn.

Jet collars go with black silk and velvet costumes.

Madras plaids take precedence over Scotch tartans.

Red and grey are fashionable colours in combinations.

Brocaded fabrics of velvet, silk, and wool will be in high favour.

Hoods appear on many sacques, as well as on cloaks and mantles.

Chameleon fabrics trimmed with plush appear among fall costumes.

Plain skirts, with a single narrow balayeuse flounce, will be much worn.

Pekin velvet and tiger plush are found among the new trimming materials.

Amber satin bonnets, embroidered with amber beads, are pretty novelties.

Velvet brocades take precedence of all dress fabrics for the coming season.

All wool Jersey webbing is found among late importations of dress materials.

Box-pleated balayeuse flounces are more fashionable than knife-pleated ones.

White mousseline de l'Inde is the material most used for bridesmaids' dresses.

Girdles of heavy silken cord finished by balls of spikes are among novelties shown.

Velvet brocade dresses are made perfectly plain without any looping or draperies.

Champagne wine colour is a new shade of pinkish crime that combines well with ecru.

The new shades of red are Titian, pheasant, garnet, cinnamon, copper, and Cytoubier.

Breton lace pleatings in many rows cover one side of some of the dr...ssiest Japanese fans.

White satin, white nun's veiling, and lace make a lovely combination for bridesmaids' dresses.

All sorts of pelerines, fichus, shoulder capes, round capes, and mantles are worn as street wraps.

Renton is a new shade of coppery yellow that is very handsome and luminous for evening wear.

Silver and gold thread and tinsel illuminate many of the new white and black Spanish blonde laces.

Red, heliotrope, and shades of ecru and old gold are the favourite colours of the plush lining of cloaks.

Uncertain shades of green and blue combined with every imaginable shade of red, prevail in plaids.

Mr. and Mrs. Tinsley were divorced years ago at Columbus, Ind. Both made subsequent matrimonial ventures, he taking four wives in succession, and she two husbands. At length, both being free, they discussed their varied experiences, admitted that neither had been happy since their parting, and finally were re-united.

Whole dresses of seal-skin are made for a young English lady of rank who is to spend the winter in Russia. One of these garments is cut en princesse, lined with brown silk, and trimmed down the front with frogs of brown and amber cord. The train is caught back with cords, and gold and amber and old Flanders point are the ornaments.

Few young brides have such a flavour of antiquity surrounding their weddings as there was about the recent wedding of the daughter of Major Ben Perley Poore, Miss Alice Poore, to Mr. Frederick Moseley. The picturesque old mansion in which the affair took place had been in the possession of the bride's family for two hundred years, very little of its furniture was less than one hundred years old; the bride wore some point lace long an heirloom in the family; her veil was fastened by a brooch of precious stones worn by her grandmother at her own wedding fifty years before; and she stood in the slippers worn by her mother at her wedding, adorned by the diamond shoe-buckles of her great-grandfather. Among the guests were Senators Anthony and Burnside, Mr. Parton, Mrs. Spofford, Miss Prescott, Miss Harriet Preston (the Provencal translator), Mrs. Governor Claflin, and the notables and dignitaries of all the surrounding region.

The Pope gave the new Spanish baby a satin robe covered with lace, made and embroidered, at his request, by ladies of the Roman nobility. The layette of this unfortunate infant fills six large wardrobes, and although cut after English styles, was made, for the sake of the national pride, by Castilian hands and of Spanish stuffs. The two grandmothers, the ex-Queen and the Archduchess, are ruining themselves in a rivalry of costly gifts, cradles, and laces to the little princess. The baby is burdened with no less than thirteen names—Maria de las Mercedes, after the late Queen of Spain, and at the request of Queen Christina; Isabel, after the two royal grandmothers; Teresa, after the *great* Empress of Austria; Christina, after the Queen; Alfonsa, after the King; Ana, after the Empress of Austria; Jeesia, after the Emperor; Francisca, after her grandfather; Fernanda, after her great-grandfather; Sacinta-Carolina Filomena, after the saints of the day on which she was born; and finally, Maria de Todos los Santos, which includes all the saints, as usual in Spain.

A Useful Maid.

Although English people are almost as well known to the Parisians as to Londoners, occasionally a story of the traditional hauteur of milords and miladies finds its way into a French newspaper. In one of them I read the other day that a milady had entered a Post Office to buy a stamp. Having purchased it, she turned to her maid, who was standing behind her, and made a sign. The maid at once put out her tongue, over which the milady lightly passed the stamp, and then affixed it to her letter.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart is back in New York from Saratoga, and is reported by a correspondent to be animated and jovial, and to have an extensive wardrobe, including more than a hundred gowns of the latest mode for morning, evening, walking, driving, breakfast, luncheon, dinner, reception, theatre, opera, party, etc. She is evidently renewing her youth, for she is over 80. During her husband's life she was kept in the background, and was rarely ever in society, with or without him. She is a queer-looking little woman, and is respected as being very kind and benevolent, giving generously, both publicly and privately. A worthy person always receives a hearing from her, and she gives without ostentation. She entertains handsomely when at Saratoga, where she has a splendid suite of apartments. She drives out often in a neat coupe with two superb chestnuts, and coachman and footman in dark green. She is continually troubled with inquiries regarding Stewart's body, and Stewart dead seems to attract more attention than Stewart alive ever did.

Badly Marked.

The other day the reporter of a Leadville paper and one of the best-known medical practitioners of Leadville were talking over odd episodes, in business, when the man of pills and plaster said:

"I think, to tell the truth, I had the most singular experience of my whole professiona career, the other day."

"What was it, doctor?"

"Well, I'll tell you, leaving out all names, for I expect the party will be recognized anyhow. It was just this:

"The middle part of last week one of the best young ladies of Leadville—she's sweet as a peach, too,—came to my office in the evening, told me, in a great deal of embarrassment, that she wanted me to help her out of some trouble. Well, from her manner, my worst suspicions were aroused, and I began to question her closely. And what the deuce do you think? Well, the confounded little fool had had the name of the fellow whom she used to be engaged to tatooed on the calf of her leg. Now, she's just about to get married to quite a different married to quite a different party, and had sense enough to see that the marking would be likely to kick up a big row in the family. She was awfully distressed and ready to submit to almost anything, even a surgical operation, to 'wipe out the damned spot.'

"I was puzzled at first, but after studying over it for a little while I happened to remember that I had read somewhere in some old scientific magazine that tatooing may be removed by going over the design with a needle dipped in milk. It was a forlorn hope, but I thought I would try it, and, taking her little foot—delicate position, wasn't it, for a married man?—I carefully went over the letters. It must have hurt, but she never whimpered, and when it was all over I told her to go home and come again in a couple of days.

"Well, sir, when she came I had the satisfaction of knowing that the letters had faded into an indiguisable blue line. The operation is a perfect success, and she is the happiest girl in Leadville. I got $50 for the job. Let's go and have a smoke."

Too Many Wives.

The question as to how near a couple can come to being married without actually being married has been many times practically answered. There have been hysterical brides in the chancel vainly expecting a false bridegroom. There have been inconsiderate and even revengeful brides who have scandalised the clergyman and the witnesses with a final "No" when the service was in progress. There have been forgetful clergymen and belated certificates of authority. But perhaps the narrowest escape from matrimony yet recorded is reported from Lyons, in France. It seems that the bride and the groom were charmingly agreed, not only in the affairs of the heart, but of the pocket, for she was an heiress. There had been harmonious family meetings under the civil code, and no disturbance of the harmony at the preliminary lunches. The contract had been arranged at the notary's office. The day had arrived for the civil marriage—which is, under the law of the republic, the binding one,—in the morning, and for the blessings of the priests at the cathedral altar in the afternoon. The parties were before the mayor, and what a Chicago lawyer before a divorce jury called the "fatal question," had been duly asked of each and duly answered, whereupon the mayor had tendered his personal as well as his official congratulations, and had placed before them the attesting document which, when signed, made them lawfully man and wife. At this moment entered a telegraphic messenger, R. U. R. The couple paused, pens in hands, the witnesses looked amazed, and the mayor dropped his spectacles in a nervous fit as he handed the message to the bride's father. Thus the message: "Monsieur —— has already been married in Germany, and his wife lives. Vouchers are on the way to you by post." The mayor postpones the authentication for a week, as is his duty under the civil code when a warning comes. The week passes, and no vouchers come. Everybody agrees it was the trick of a wretched and mean rival—everybody excepting the bride, who had been pondering over the telegram, and, to the surprise of all, believed it. She sends back the diamond ring, the silver candlesticks, the gold-mounted priedieu, and the almost mother-in-law's ivory-bound breviary, and annuls the settlements. The juge de paix of Lyons and the mayor hold a consultation with the lawyers and the notary, when it is unanimously agreed that the couple, as the English peasantry put it, were not a couple but a pair. The groom, resuming his condition as bachelor, has searched for the sender of the telegram, only to be made aware, without getting a clue to identity, that it was paid for by "a veiled woman in black."

Rev. D. J. Macdonnell and New St. Andrew's Church.

There are in Toronto two claimants for the honour of being specially under the protection of Scotland's Saint. How this came about is well understood, and easily explained. The first Presbyterian Church erected in Toronto, naturally received the distinctive title of St. Andrew's, and for many a long day enjoyed its honour without any wishing to share the privilege or enjoy any of the protection likely to result from the arrangement. The congregation so known had a chequered history of prosperity and reverses, and at last came down so low that nothing but extinction seemed to be in store for it. The members were few and considerably discouraged. They, however, managed at last to persuade Mr. Macdonnell to come to the city, and lead what was generally regarded as a forlorn hope. He did so, and the result was as gratifying as it was unexpected. The congregation grew rapidly and steadily, both in numbers and resources, till at last the overwhelming majority of those connected with it resolved to erect a new church on a lot they had on the corner of Simcoe and King. This was done, and as the emigrants were so much the most numerous part of the congregation, they thought they had a right to take both the minister and the name of the church along with them. They did so. Hence the name of New St. Andrew's. Those who remained in the old building held that they kept up the continuity of ecclesiastical descent, and hence they also called their Church by the old use and wont name, but in order to distinguish it from the other, prefixed the word "Old," and allowed the world to know from the names what was the distinction in fact. Afterward, this remnant also built a new church, and called it by the old name, so that the new building rejoices in the old title, and the real old St. Andrew's has become a thing of the past. Very likely, in a short time, some great commercial establishment will rise upon the old Church site, and pilgrims of other days may have some difficulty in discovering where that old way mark stood. Of course, Truth will be in existence then, and its fyle will naturally be consulted both for business and pleasure. In view, then, of the possibility of such enquiries, we state now that the real original St. Andrew's stood on the south-west corner of the intersection of Church and Adelaide streets, and was thought at the time of its erection to be a notably fine building. And so it was. Perhaps, considering the wealth in the hands of the congregation quite as fine as the finest of our modern ecclesiastical erections, great as the actual contrast no doubt is.

If the Metropolitan has too much ground round it, for the very perfection of effect, New St. Andrews has decidedly too little. It has a grand massive appearance, but it is cribbed, cabined, and confined by its surroundings, and does not strike the stranger, as it ought to do, and as it would have done, had the location and the grounds been more in accord with the magnitude of the structure, and its improved style.

The success which attended Mr. Macdonnel's ministrations in the old building followed him to the new, and though the weight of debt resting upon the edifice is still heavy, it can scarcely be called burdensome, and is in the course of being slowly, but steadily paid off, so that, at no distant day it will be among the things of the past.

Like most men in his position, Mr. Macdonnel has had in the course of his life, no very startling or extraordinary experiences. His career has been all but uniformly, what the world calls a successful one, and we should hope and believe, more than usually happy. "A child of the Manse," he has grown up surrounded by all the humanizing and beneficent influences of a Christian home, and has enjoyed the benefits arising from cultivated society, a liberal education, and a considerable amount of travel, and general intercourse with the world. His collegiate course was entered upon and finished at too early a period of life, to permit his reaping the full benefit of the opportunities, thus placed within his reach, nor do his friends and intimates claim, on his behalf, that he has to any great extent, made up by subsequent efforts, the loss which he thus incurred. His life has been too active, and the various duties of the pastorage have been too many, and too exacting, to permit of his leading a student's life, or adding greatly to his original stores of learning. No one would ever dream of claiming for him any great vigour of thought, wealth of imagination, minuteness, and variety of knowledge with that general force and massiveness of intellect and heart, which might set him forth as a great leader, who was destined to put his mark upon his generation and his race. "Great" in the ordinary sense of that term Mr. Macdonnell is not and is never likely to become. But while this statement cannot reasonably be called into question, the position he has attained and the influence which he undoubtedly exerts show that he is far above the ordinary range of men and ministers. His sermons are always fresh, simple and interesting. He affects nothing *outre*, and naturally necessarily detests the slightest approach to clap-trap. He seeks to bring the services of the sanctuary to bear upon the business and temptations of ordinary every day life, and in a variety of ways makes it manifest that he can use great plainness of speech in dealing with the follies as well as the sins of the hour. There is never any great power of expression, or originality of idea, displayed in his public ministrations or in his more or less private utterances, but in his every word, we had almost said in his every look, he shows that he is face to face with the world in which his lot is cast, that he takes a keen interest in current affairs, whether religious or secular, and that according to his abilities and opportunity he is anxious to do all the good possible to the bodies as well as to the souls of his fellows. His utterances some time ago in reference to his doubt about the eternity of Future Punishments brought his name rather prominently, for a time, before the Church Courts and the general public. But he has either seen the error of his ways in the matter or has learned to be more careful and circumspect in his modes of expression; as we hear no more of his being in any degree out of accord with the Confession of Faith and the general opinion of the Church on that, or, indeed, on any other question. One has said that it is an exceedingly good plan to write one's self into a knowledge of a subject provided always that the manuscript is kept sacredly under lock and key, and never allowed to fall into the hands of a printer. We are not so sure about its being an equally good plan to preach one's self into acquaintance with any scriptural truth or doctrine, and giving all the processes of doubt and perplexity through which one may be led, and at last landing in the confession that as yet he knows positively nothing on the whole subject. The preacher is understood to have become a truth finder, and not merely a truth-seeker, a resolver of other people's doubts not a mere propounder of his own. The average run of mankind can do their own doubting generally without any outside assistance. They don't need to fall back upon any one for help in this matter, for fear are they inclined to pay him for doing for them what they can so very easily and very successfully do for themselves. It is very easy to say, "I don't know, I am not sure," but the good a religious teacher can accomplish in this way is not very apparent. Men can't live either on negations or on doubts, and so Mr. Macdonnell has to all appearance given himself exclusively to the proclamation of his convictions not of his perplexities, of his certainty, not of his doubt, as indeed it is only justice to him to say that with the exception of what was perhaps made far too much of, he has always so far as we know been in the habit of doing. And so he rises continually as an able and faithful preacher of divine truth rather than as a mere promulgator of human doubts and individual difficulties. He is still a young man, and has we trust a long, useful and distinguished career before him. His congregation is among the largest in the city and contains an unusual number of active intelligent young men. He throws his whole soul into the pastoral and congregational work; is respected by all; liked by even his casual acquaintances, and positively loved by those who have the pleasure of reckoning him among their friends. No one as we have said could truthfully call him a great man, or even say that he has in him the makings of greatness, but judging him all in all, he is one of Toronto's best know citizens, an excellent and popular preacher, a diligent pastor, a faithful friend a genial associate, a good man. Truth does not flatter him or any man, and consequently cannot call him an eighth wonder of the world, a profound theologian, an astute reasoner, a finished scholar, a suggestive writer, a prudent adviser or an infallible guide either in things secular or sacred; but what it can honestly say in commendation it says, and its praise is as sincere as its hints at blame are both honest and considerate.

Art in Courtship.

An authority on this subject wishes us to know that it is quite a mistake to suppose that the average woman is the merely passive recipient of favours of a matrimonial kind, offered for her acceptance. This may be the general opinion, and there is very great reason, indeed, to believe that such is really the deeply-seated conviction of the vast majority of the human race; but this affords but one more example of the great fact which is so constantly forcing itself upon the attention of thoughtful men, that popular opinions, whether on one subject or another, are very, very little worth. That man is invariably, or even, indeed, for the most part, the proposer, and woman simply the acceptor of whatever affection his wisdom may see fit to bestow, is an opinion which, in view of the immense advances which are constantly being made in the various walks of physical science, must be relegated to the limbo of attenuated vanities. Sympathy bestowed on the average woman, because of her inability to choose her own happiness, and the impossibility of any self-directed preferences on her part, is just so much waste of valuable emotion. That woman's happiness or misery depends on the advances of the man, is nonsense. Woman does not simply wait for opportunities to come, but like every other genius, she seizes time by the forelock, and manages, very successfully sometimes, too, to make her own opportunities.

Women are neither the simpletons nor the merely negative recipients of offered favours which poets and novelists succeed very often in making them. They have vastly more to do with the disposal of themselves, and the establishment of the estate of connubial happiness than is vulgarly supposed. There is no necessity for her being reduced to that stupid resource of the merely male mind—talking, in order to accomplish all the courtship she wishes. She has a hundred little ways and means of getting at her ends when once she has settled what these are to be. Not one man in a hundred is any match for her in this respect. He may boast of his accurate and profound knowledge of the opposite sex, of his fixed determination to avoid the snares of these fair trappers, of the idiocy of the man who can allow himself to be brought to a declaration against his will; but if he has anything like the knowledge and experience, he would fain persuade himself he has, he will know that if he is at all sincere in his protestations of avoidance, his only real safety must lie in flight. This authority asserts that "almost any woman outside of a cloister feels that, up to a certain point she is the equal, if not the superior, of any man when they are emotionally pitted against one another." He is almost entirely at her mercy, and unless he is possessed of more than ordinary strength of mind, or to seeks safety in retirement, he may as well strike his colours at once, if he gets an inkling at all that she is bearing down on him.

Nor is there any reflection on the delicacy appropriate reserve and so naturally looked for from woman, in all this, she simply acts according to her nature. Debarred by the customs of society, as well as by hinderences in the very nature of things, she cannot attain her ends by energy and force of action, and so is of necessity driven to have recourse to subtilty. Her life, more than with man, has an uncomfortable feeling of incompleteness about it, unless it is crowned with matrimony. Accordingly, she is apt to bend the only strength of her resources, and the well-known intensity of her will to accomplish that one great end of her existence. Great indeed must be the assurance of any man who could write in this way, unless, indeed, his words be the ripened fruit of wisdom gathered from the tree of only too sad experience.

"She thinks of wedlock twenty times as much as man does. She has ampler reason to think of it, for it is altogether more important to her than to him, and is in the direct line of her nature and destiny. Consequently, when any man shows a sail in the social offing, she prepares for action, as if the engagement would be inevitable and desperate. He may be on another course; he may steadily increase the distance between them; she may never catch another glimpse of his whitening canvas. But it is a comfort to her to have been ready to think what she might, could or would have done had he borne down upon her, and challenged her to combat on the high seas of possible matrimony. A single woman believes that every unmarried man's sail, whatever flag he may be flying, covers a cargo of goods that may be turned to connubial account." We don't believe this, and thankfully commend such a writer as this to the thoughtful consideration and pitiful compassion of all readers, male, or female, rich or poor, young or old.

An Apple with a History.

Seeing that a number of localities are boasting of their large potatoes, large apples &c., it will not be out of place for Midland to boast too, this is the more excusable as in addition to the size of the apple there is connected with it a quite a history. The apple in question is one left on our table by Mr. Charles Ross, clerk of Tay. The apple was grown from a little shoot taken from a clump of apple sprouts, found at the old fort. In the year 1868 when Mr. Bruneau settled on the Jesuit lot, No. 16, 3rd con., Tay, it was then covered with a dense forest, not having been occupied for 270 years, that is from the date of the massacre of the whites by the Indians, to the year 1868. Mr. Bruneau found evidence of the site of an old orchard by clumps of apple sprouts at regular intervals, these shoots have since then grown two or three years and then died out and have thus done since the above date, but in some cases the farmers have removed these sprouts to their farms and they have invariably grown to fine proportions and are now yielding fine fruit, as the sample furnished by Mr. Ross is a fine specimen. Evidently of the winter variety, measuring 13½ inches in circumference, it is in color a dark red, very firm and of fine flavor. That these trees have, for the last 300 years, the greater portion of that time in the midst of a forest, preserved their vitality is a marvel in horticulture.

I have known vast quantities of nonsense talked about bad men not looking you in the face. Don't trust that conventional idea. Dishonesty will stare you out of countenance any day in the week, if there is anything to be got by it.

With most men in this wicked world, honesty is the best policy so long as it pays, but when it ceases to pay, collect your little bill as soon as you can, because circumstances alter cases.

AN ADVENTUROUS CAREER.

THE STORY OF THE FIRST OFFICER OF THE CITY OF VERA CRUZ—RUNNING THE BLOCKADE—INCARCERATED IN FORT LAFAYETTE—IN THE SERVICE OF THE CUBAN PATRIOTS—PEACEFUL PURSUITS ASHORE.

Frank Marsh Harris, first officer of the lost steamer City of Vera Cruz, who was mistakenly reported as having been rescued, had a remarkable history. He was the son of Dr. Francis Lee Harris, who was Health Officer of the Port of New York, twenty years ago, after distinguishing himself as a famous surgeon and as a Democratic politician in the city of New York. Before he removed to New York Dr. Harris was a physician in good practice in Savannah, Ga. His first wife, the mother of Capt. Harris, was a Livingston, and was descended from Herrmann Kean, of Kean Manor, in Elizabeth, N. J. Frank, the only son by this marriage, who was born in 1832, early betrayed a love of the sea, and shipped on a schooner from Savannah when he was only 15 years of age. His family had sufficient interest to obtain for him an appointment as midshipman in the navy, and in 1852 he sailed with Commander Perry on the important expedition which resulted in the opening of the Japanese ports by the treaty of 1854. After the return of the expedition he resigned from the navy, and went into the coasting trade once more in command of a vessel. He was running a schooner from Restigouche, N.B., to South America when the war broke out, and promptly offered his services to the Confederate Government. His first employment was the command of a gunboat in the celebrated Roanoke expedition, in which young Wise, son of Governor Wise, was killed. Capt. Harris being known to the naval authorities of the Confederacy to have a perfect acquaintance with the Atlantic coast, his next service was in running the blockade to and from the harbour of South Carolina. He sailed thence on the steamer Virgo, under another officer, and brought her back loaded, in safety. He made several voyages afterward with impunity, and earned a high reputation as a skilful and daring seaman.

The gentleman who was first officer in his blockade running enterprises is now Captain of a steamer in the employ of J. W. Quintard, & Co. His second officer became associated with him by a queer occurrence. Capt. Harris was lying at Nassau, N.P., waiting for a favourable opportunity to run into Charleston harbour. Strolling through the streets he saw a man, who was evidently an American seaman, in the chain gang. "What have you done," he asked, "to be punished in this manner?" "Oh, I thrashed a nigger and threw him off the wharf," was the reply. "The sentence was $900 fine or three months in the chain gang. I had no money, and here I am." Captain Harris sought out the Judge, paid the fine, and the seaman was liberated. He was a native of Baltimore, of good family, an educated man, and a sympathizer with the Confederacy. Hence he readily accepted the offer of Capt. Harris to take the position of second officer of the blockade runner. He, too, is now commander of a steamer running out of the port of New York, and is not afraid to tell how Capt. Harris released him from the chain gang in Nassau.

In 1863 Capt. Harris was captured in the Kingfisher, in which he had made several successful trips to Charleston. He was taking the course which he had followed successfully before, but found himself at daybreak under the guns of a Federal gunboat. To save the lives of his crew he thought it best to surrender at discretion, and was carried to Fort Lafayette in double irons.

The better to prosecute his dangerous avocation in safety, Capt. Harris had gone before the British Board of Admiralty in London, passed an examination, and received his papers as a British shipmaster. So it was with some colour of authority that he presented his papers to Colonel Burke, commanding Fort Lafayette, and demanded his release as a British seaman, taken off a British vessel.

An exciting episode of his prison life was related by himself. It came to the ears of his father, who had, in the mean time, become Health Officer Harris of the Port of New York, that Frank was a prisoner in Fort Lafayette, and he came to visit him. As soon as Col. Burke learned his visitor's business he hastened up to Capt. Harris's casemate. "You're a nice British seaman!" he said, sneeringly. "You're an American, and your father is Dr. Harris, the Health Officer of this port."

"You're a liar!" retorted Capt. Harris. "I am a native of Hull, and a British seaman."

"Well, I'll send your father up to see you," retorted the Colonel.

He was told to send him up and be blowed.

"Hallo! son Frank; how are you? said the old Doctor, as he reached the casemate, with both hands extended.

"I'm no son of yours," was Frank's cold response; "I'm an English shipmaster."

"Frank, are you crazy?" said the old man.

"No, you old lunatic," rejoined Frank, stoutly. And, turning to Col. Burke, he added: "I claim the protection of Lord Lyons. He will restore me to my Government."

Strangely enough, the British Minister did interfere in his behalf, and, after spending six months between Fort Lafayette and Fort Warren, in Boston harbour, Capt. Harris was liberated, and allowed to depart over the Suspension Bridge into Canada, whence he made his way to Halifax, took ship for Liverpool, and was soon once more in command of a blockade runner. His father lived to forgive him for denying his parentage, believing that the end justified the means.

After the war Capt. Harris was engaged for some time in such peaceful pursuits as as superintending the mining of clay in Woodbridge, N. J., for a company in which the Hon. Cortlandt Parker and District Attorney Keasbey of New Jersey were interested, the building of a sea wall at New Haven, and of a reservoir on Jersey City Heights.

In 1869, when the Government of Free Cuba bought a fleet of fast steamers to carry reinforcements and supplies to the Cuban coast, a number of ex-Confederate officers enlisted in the cause of Cuban liberty. Knowing Capt. Harris's character for reckless daring, his thorough seamanship, and his thorough acquaintance with the coast it was natural that he should be sought out to take part in the expedition. He was put in command of the Lilian, a Clyde built vessel which had been a blockade runner, and a commission was given him as commodore in the Cuban navy. The ill-fated Gen. Ryan, afterward shot in cold blood by the Spaniards, had made several unsuccessful attempts to get to Cuba with his command, which was encamped at various places about New York. They and other volunteers for Cuba rendezvoused at Macon, Ga. The United States Marshal had warrants for Gen. Castro and ex-Confederate Major Bridgeport, Lieut. Puryear, and others, but they escaped with most of their men, and proceeded to Cedar Keys, where they were joined by Gen. Ryan and others by steamer from New York, by way of Fernandina, and the combined forces of about 500 men, under Gen. Goicouria, were embarked on the steamers—Lilian and Teaser. At sea the name of the Lilian was changed to the Cespedes, after the President of the Cuban Republic, and the Cuban flag was hoisted. When Gen. Goicouria opened his orders he found they were to go to the Western Department. This at once made dissatisfaction among the new recruits, who insisted upon being taken at once to the Eastern Department, to which he readily acceded.

The Cespedes had been hurried away from Cedar Keys by the approach of the United States vessel Lone Star, under orders to stop the expedition. She had insufficient coal and water for the voyage. When two days out it was determined to land the men on one of the Bahama keys, and take the vessel to Nassau for fuel and water. They were landed accordingly. The Cespedes sailed for Nassau. Her fuel gave out when she was within a a short distance of Nassau, and, coming to anchor, Capt. Harris despatched three men in a life-boat to Nassau, with instructions to buy two schooner loads of coal and other supplies. In the mean time the presence of the Cespedes had been discovered by fishing smacks, and they had notified the Governor of Nassau. He detained the schooners that were chartered by Capt. Harris's messengers, and despatched the British vessel Lapwing to bring the Cespedes into the port of Nassau. Capt. Harris kept his Cuban flag flying, and refused to lower it or deliver up his papers at the command of the British Captain when there had been no condemnation and no trial. She was towed up to Nassau, where Capt. Harris made written protest to the Governor, and the Cespedes was released, but ordered to leave the port within twelve hours. Capt. Harris asked the privilege of taking on board the coal he had bought, which was denied him. He set fifty men to work with axes and hatchets and demolished his handsome cabins and his upper deck to get sufficient fuel with which to steam out of port. He had arranged with the Captains of the coaling schooners to meet him a short distance out of the harbour next morning (Oct. 20), and they did so. But the Lapwing, which had followed closely on the heels of the Cespedes, opened fire on the schooners, and prevented them from putting their coal aboard, and Capt. Harris was fain to sail back to Nassau. He entered the port with his Cuban flag flying, and the Cespedes and her cargo were seized in the name of the military authority of the Bahamas, after Capt. Harris had refused to comply with the order to leave the harbour. The triumph of the captors of the Cespedes was short lived. They awoke one morning to find her scuttled at her wharf. The Cuban volunteers who had been left on one of the Bahama keys were brought off by the Lapwing, on Oct. 27, in a famished condition, 200 of them being fit subjects for a hospital.

Capt. Harris's part in the Cuban expedition becoming known among shipowners, he was out of employment for several years afterward. He was not lost sight of, however, and when the Cuban war was declared at an end he entered the employ of Alexandre & Co. After making several trips as Captain of the Howadji, he became first officer of the City of Alexandria and of the Vera Cruz rather than remain idle until Alexandre & Co.'s new ships were completed, of one of which he was to have command.

SCIENTIFIC GOSSIP.

The site of a millstone manufactory of the bronze age is thought to have been discovered at Auvenir, near Neuchatel. Millstones in all stages of manufacture have recently been brought to light there.

The jubilee of the zoological museum of the Academy of Sciences, St. Petersburg, established by the Emperor Nicholas in 1831, will be celebrated in that city by Russians and foreign zoologists next year.

Before their intercourse with Europeans, the Maoris, according to Mr. J. W. Stack, of the New Zealand Institute, had terms only for three colours—white, black, and red. His paper is valuable as throwing light on some of the recent learned disputations regarding the colour-sense of the Greeks about the time of the siege of Troy. It is one thing to appreciate colour, and quite another thing to give precise expression to that appreciation.

The history of the bayonet is thus set forth in the catalogue of Gen. Pitt River's anthropological collection, which the British Government will probably buy for the public benefit and place upon exhibition in the South Kensington Museum: In the early part of the seventeenth century it was found necessary to retain the use of pikemen in the infantry on account of the defenseless position of the firelockmen when the enemy approached to close quarters. To remedy this defect they were accustomed about the middle of the century to stick the handles of their daggers into the muzzles of their guns in order to use them a pikes. Of course, when the dagger was so fixed the gun could not be fired. But as many of the daggers had rings at the guard the men saw the expediency of fastening the dagger to the muzzle of the piece by means of the ring. Soon the dagger or plug bayonet was so secured to the outside of the barrel that the firelock could be loaded and discharged although bayonets were fixed. The British had their first experience of what may be called the compound gun and pike in the time of William III., in one of the Flanders campaigns, and they "swore terribly," no doubt, when they found that their opponents could fire at them with fixed bayonets. River's collection shows all the transition stages of the bayonet from the plug handle to the modern tube-and-catch attachment. This is only a sample brick, so to speak, of the civil and warlike gropings of man from precedent to precedent to his present condition. We have a fine opportunity of doing something of the same kind to this continent, and the marvel is why some men of wealth do not embrace it, and so secure the perpetuity of their own name through the advancement of an important department of science.

Our Girls.

If our girls are not the very best girls that ever existed, it is not on account of not having sufficient attention bestowed upon them. We speak not now of the attention which they receive from those of the opposite sex, about their own age, but of the innumerable inventors, male and female, who exhaust their energies in inventing theories for their physical, mental, and moral, improvement. If every one of them does not develop into an Amazon, capable of wielding the spear of a Goliath, it will not be the fault of sundry strong-minded, elderly spinsters who, whether they have made much of themselves or not, are intent upon perfecting the women of the coming generation. Indeed, at times, one is almost appalled at the vision which arises before the mind as it looks into the future, of the gigantic, rawboned, and muscular, womanhood which is to take the place of the embodiment of feminine charms, which we have in the mothers, the wives, the sisters, "the cousins and the aunts" of this and past generations. Their intellect withal is not to be neglected. Every one of them is to be a "blue stocking." The culture of the taste and feeling, which has heretofore filled so large a space in the education of girls, is to give place to a sort of intellectual training, which shall fit her to enter the list with man, as a competitor, for those prizes which have heretofore been supposed to be only within the reach of the rougher sex. With her hardened muscle, and enlarged brain, why should she not take her place beside man in all the activities of life, and share with him to the fullest extent in all its honours and emoluments? Why should men be permitted to monopolize the position of policemen, standing at our street corners, in more or less splendid uniforms, where their duties could be done quite as well, or better, by women quite as strong, and courageous as they are. Already, there are a few of them doctors, and half a dozen of them—more or less—ministers! Why should they not be lawyers and legislators? And should they not be permitted to lead armies, and to serve in the ranks, to act as ship-masters, and to serve before the mast. The fact is, women is coming to the front. The brutality of man has crowded her into an inferior position long enough, but when the girls of the present become women, things will be different, and the time may come, when some female City Commissioner will have an army of women under her, cleaning the streets. The age of gold will come.

The Murder of Lord Mountmorres.

(From the London World)

Lord Mountmorres, the last victim of Hibernian agrarianism, could not have been a very unpopular sort of a man after all. Father Lavelle, the parish priest of Cong, knew him well, and attended his funeral. Father Lavelle is no lover of a lord. He is the fire-eating cleric known as the ecclesiastic apologist for Fenianism, the foe of Cardinal Cullen, and the particular protege of John, Archbishop of Tuam. Father Lavelle is an extreme land agitator in principle, and yet he was the friend of the murdered Lord Mountmorres. The cause of the strange friendship was simply that the murdered nobleman, though severe in his dealings with breakers of the law, was thoroughly Irish, and was deeply imbued with charity toward the poor which covereth a multitude of offences. No one knew this better than the parish priest of one of the poorest populations in the west of Ireland.

Nebraska theatre audiences are unconventional in their conduct. At Lincoln, while John T. Raymond was presenting the trial scene in "Colonel Sellers," two dogs began to fight in the centre aisle. All attention was instantly diverted from the stage to the fight. "I move we suspend proceedings in this court," said Raymond, "and I'll bet a dollar on the white dog." "I'll take you," cried a man in the audience. The white dog won, the dollar was passed across the footlights to the star, and the acting of the play was resumed.

The barber's apprentice is usually a strapping fellow.

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DEAR SIR:—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.

W. N. CURROW.

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Cross Hill, Waterloo Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves.

NANCY LEE.

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Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy.

MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your Indian Blood Syrup, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your Indian Blood Syrup is the only medicine that ever did me any good. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial.

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THE Bishop of Manchester, England, states that he sees no objection to open art exhibitions on Sunday, providing they do not interfere with the hours of church service.

A VERY disagreeable old gentleman disowned a nephew, charged with the duty of preparing his epitaph suggested: "Deeply regretted by all who never knew him."

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Waifs.

A calm, delightful Autumn night—
A Moon's mysterious, golden Light—
A Maiden at her Window height,
In Robes of pure and fleecy White.

The little Wicket Gate ajar—
A Lover tripping from afar,
With tuneful voice and light Guitar,
To woo his radiant Guiding Star.

A Lute with soft, insidious Twang—
Oh, how the doting Lover sang!
A Bull-Dog, with Remorseless Fang—
A Nip, a Grip, a Deadly Pang.

A Maiden with a startled Glance—
A Shrieking for Deliverance—
A kind of weird, hilarious Dance—
A Pair of Riven Doeskin Pants.

A maiden fainting with Affright—
A Lover in a sickening Plight—
A Bull-Dog chuckling with Delight—
A wild, delirious Autumn Night!

There was an old lady of Warren,
A traveller stepped on her corren,
She tottered and reeled,
And hollered and squealed,
And wished she had never been borren.

She read all the books of science,
Her fingers were covered with ink,
She hooted at marriage alliance,
She talked of the missing link.

She quoted savants and preachers
Of greater and less renown—
Plantonic in all her features,
She got mashed on a circus clown.

AND now Lady Godiva is said to be a myth—a bare falsehood, as it were.

SOME one inquires: "Where have all the ladies' belts gone?" Gone to waist long ago.

IT requires but a short time for a young lady out shopping to learn all the countersigns of the dry-goods trade.

REBECCA—"Yes, a man who is continually sticking his nose into other people's business can be said to possess a roamin' nose."

THE custom-house officers in New York carefully inspect the inside of fishing-rods. Sara Bernhardt can't slip into the country in that fashion.

EVERY lady who educates her servants into greater truthfulness, fidelity, self-respect, and the orderly ways of life, is doing missionary work of the best sort.

THE women in Persia are obliged to ride in a railroad car alone and pass their fare out through a hole in the roof. There isn't a living soul to flirt with except the driver.

"I THINK, dear, the dew has commenced falling," he said, in his softest accents. "Yes," she yawned, "I've been hoping to hear adieu for some time." He didn't call the next evening.

A YOUNG woman in Denver flung herself into a cistern, but she was fished out. A local paragrapher advises her as follows: "Cis turn from your evil ways." But he won't joke that way when it becomes cistern.

A GALVESTON woman, just married, wishing to impress her husband with her ability as a housekeeper, bawled out to the servant as she entered the door: "Matildy, bring me the washboard; I want to wash the potatoes for dinner."

THE first hat of a new fashion for ladies is not the result of any particular design. One is finished plain and then sat down upon by the head milliner. Whatever shape it may take under pressure is adopted as the style, and becomes the pattern for others.

Fashion Notes

RED lace veils will be worn by a few eccentric ladies.

FEATHER ruchings are revived for dresses and cloaks.

CHAMELEON fabrics shot in two colours will be worn.

JET collars go with black silk and velvet costumes.

MADRAS plaids take precedence over Scotch tartans.

RED and grey are fashionable colours in combinations.

BROCADED fabrics of velvet, silk, and wool will be in high favour.

HOODS appear on many sacques, as well as on cloaks and mantles.

CHAMELEON fabrics trimmed with plush appear among fall costumes.

PLAIN skirts, with a single narrow balayeuse flounce, will be much worn.

PEKIN velvet and tiger plush are found among the new trimming materials.

AMBER satin bonnets, embroidered with amber beads, are pretty novelties.

VELVET brocades take precedence of all dress fabrics for the coming season.

ALL wool Jersey webbing is found among late importations of dress materials.

BOX-PLEATED balayeuse flounces are more fashionable than knife-pleated ones.

WHITE mousseline de l'Inde is the material most used for bridesmaids' dresses.

GIRDLES of heavy silken cord finished by balls of spikes are among novelties shown.

VELVET brocade dresses are made perfectly plain without any looping or draperies.

CHAMPAGNE wine colour is a new shade of pinkish crime that combines well with ecru.

THE new shades of red are Titian, pheasant, garnet, cinnamon, copper, and Ottombier.

BRETON lace pleatings in many rows cover one side of some of the dressiest Japanese fans.

WHITE satin, white silk smocking, and lace make a lovely combination for bridesmaids' dresses.

ALL sorts of pelerines, fichus, shoulder capes, round capes, and mantles are worn as street wraps.

RENTON is a new shade of coppery yellow that is very handsome and luminous for evening wear.

SILVER and gold thread and tinsel illuminate many of the new white and black Spanish blonde laces.

RED, heliotrope, and shades of ecru and old gold are the favourite colours of the plush lining of cloaks.

UNCERTAIN shades of green and blue, combined with every imaginable shade of red, prevail in plaids.

MR. AND MRS. TIBBLEY were divorced years ago at Columbus, Ind. Both made subsequent matrimonial ventures, he taking four wives in succession, and she two husbands. At length, both being free, they discussed their varied experience, admitted that neither had been happy since their parting, and finally were re-united.

WHOLE dresses of seal-skin are made for a young English lady of rank who is to spend the winter in Russia. One of these garments is cut en princesse, lined with brown silk, and trimmed down the front with frogs of brown and amber cord. The train is caught back with cords, and gold and amber and old Flanders point are the ornaments.

FEW young brides have such a flavour of antiquity surrounding their weddings as there was about the recent wedding of the daughter of Major Ben Perley Poore, Miss Miss Alice Poore, to Mr. Frederick Moseley. The picturesque old mansion in which the affair took place had been in the possession of the bride's family for two hundred years, very little of its furniture was less than one hundred years old; the bride wore some point lace long an heirloom in the family; her veil was fastened by a brooch of precious stones worn by her grandmother at her own wedding fifty years before; and she stood in the slippers worn by her mother at her wedding, adorned by the diamond shoe-buckles of her great-grandfather. Among the guests were Senators Anthony and Burnside, Mr. Parton, Mrs. Spofford, Miss Prescott, Miss Harriet Preston (the Provencal translator), Mrs. Governor Claflin, and the notables and dignitaries of all the surrounding region.

THE Pope gave the new Spanish baby a satin robe covered with lace, made and embroidered, at his request, by ladies of the Roman nobility. The layette of this unfortunate infant fills six large wardrobes, and although cut after English styles, was made, for the sake of the national pride, by Castilian hands and of Spanish stuffs. The two grandmothers, the ex-Queen and the Archduchess, are ruining themselves in a rivalry of costly gifts, cradles, and laces to the little princess. The baby is burdened with no less than thirteen names—Maria de las Mercedes, after the late Queen of Spain, and at the request of Queen Christina; Isabel, after the two royal grandmothers; Teresa, after the *great* Empress of Austria; Christina, after the Queen; Alfonsa, after the King; Ana, after the Empress of Austria; Jesefa, after the Emperor; Francisca, after her grandfather; Fernanda, after her great-grandfather; Sacinta-Carolina Filomena, after the saints of the day on which she was born; and finally, Maria de Todos los Santos, which includes all the saints, as usual in Spain.

A Useful Maid.

Although English people are almost as well known to the Parisians as to Londoners, occasionally a story of the traditional hauteur of milords and miladies finds its way into a French newspaper. In one of them I read the other day that a milady had entered a Post Office to buy a stamp. Having purchased it, she turned to her maid, who was standing behind her, and made a sign. The maid at once put out her tongue, over which the milady lightly passed the stamp, and then affixed it to her letter.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart is back in New York from Saratoga, and is reported by a correspondent to be animated and jovial, and to have an extensive wardrobe, including more than a hundred gowns of the latest mode for morning, evening, walking, driving, breakfast, luncheon, dinner, reception, theatre, opera, party, etc. She is evidently renewing her youth, for she is over 80. During her husband's life she was kept in the background, and was rarely ever in society, with or without him. She is a queer-looking little woman, and is respected as being very kind and benevolent, giving generously, both publicly and privately. A worthy person always receives a hearing from her, and she gives without ostentation. She entertains handsomely when at Saratoga, where she has a splendid suite of apartments. She drives out often in a neat coupe with two superb chestnuts, and coachman and footman in dark green. She is continually troubled with inquiries regarding Stewart's body, and Stewart dead seems to attract more attention than Stewart alive ever did.

Badly Marked.

The other day the reporter of a Leadville paper and one of the best-known medical practitioners of Leadville were talking over odd episodes, in business, when the man of pills and plaster said:

"I think, to tell the truth, I had the most singular experience of my whole professional career, the other day."

"What was it, doctor?"

"Well, I'll tell you, leaving out all names, for I expect the party will be recognized anyhow. It was just this:

"The middle part of last week one of the best young ladies of Leadville—she's sweet as a peach, too,—came to my office in the evening, told me, in a great deal of embarrassment, that she wanted me to help her out of some trouble. Well, from her manner, my worst suspicions were aroused, and I began to question her closely. And what the deuce do you think? Well, the confounded little fool had had the name of the fellow whom she used to be engaged to tatooed on the calf of her leg. Now, she's just about to get married to quite a different married to quite a different party, and had sense enough to see that the marking would be likely to kick up a big row in the family. She was awfully distressed and ready to submit to almost anything, even a surgical operation, to 'wipe out the damned spot.'

"I was puzzled at first, but after studying over it for a little while I happened to remember that I had read somewhere in some old scientific magazine that tatooing may be removed by going over the design with a needle dipped in milk. It was a forlorn hope, but I thought I would try it, and, taking her little foot—delicate position, wasn't it, for a married man?—I carefully went over the letters. It must have hurt, but she never whimpered, and when it was all over I told her to go home and come again in a couple of days.

"Well, sir, when she came I had the satisfaction of knowing that the letters had faded into an indiguisable blue line. The operation is a perfect success, and she is the happiest girl in Leadville. I got $50 for the job. Let's go and have a smoke."

Too Many Wives.

The question as to how near a couple can come to being married without actually being married has been many times practically answered. There have been hysterical brides in the chancel vainly expecting a false bridegroom. There have been inconsiderate and even revengeful brides who have scandalized the clergyman and the witnesses with a final "No" when the service was in progress. There have been forgetful clergymen and belated certificates of authority. But perhaps the narrowest escape from matrimony yet recorded is reported from Lyons, in France. It seems that the bride and the groom were charmingly agreed, not only in the affairs of the heart, but of the pocket, for she was an heiress. There had been harmonious family meetings under the civil code, and no disturbance of the harmony at the preliminary lunches. The contract had been arranged at the notary's office. The day had arrived for the civil marriage—which is, under the law of the republic, the binding one,—in the morning, and for the blessings of the priests at the cathedral altar in the afternoon. The parties were before the mayor, and what a Chicago lawyer before a divorce jury called the "fatal question," had been duly asked of each and duly answered, whereupon the mayor had tendered his personal as well as his official congratulations, and had placed before them the attesting document which, when signed, made them lawfully man and wife. At this moment entered a telegraphic messenger, R. U. E. The couple paused, pens in hands, the witnesses looked amused, and the mayor dropped his spectacles in a nervous fit as he handed the message to the bride's father. Then the message: "Monsieur —— has already been married in Germany, and his wife from Vienna are on the way to you by post." The mayor postpones the celebration for a week, as is his duty under the civil code when a warning comes. The week passes, and no vouchers come. Everybody agrees it was the trick of a wretched and mean rival—everybody excepting the bride, who had been pondering over the telegram, and, to the surprise of all, believed it. She sends back the diamond ring, the silver candlesticks, the gold-mounted priedieu, and the almost mother-in-law's ivory-bound breviary, and annuls the settlements. The juge de paix of Lyons and the mayor hold a consultation with the lawyers and the notary, when it is unanimously agreed that the couple, as the English peasantry put it, were not a couple but a pair. The groom, resuming his condition as bachelor, has searched for the sender of the telegram, only to be made aware, without getting a clue to identity, that it was paid for by "a veiled woman in black."

Rev. D. J. Macdonnell and New St. Andrew's Church.

There are in Toronto two claimants for the honour of being specially under the protection of Scotland's Saint. How this came about is well understood, and easily explained. The first Presbyterian Church erected in Toronto, naturally received the distinctive title of St. Andrew's, and for many a long day enjoyed its honour without any wishing to share the privilege or enjoy any of the protection likely to result from the arrangement. The congregation so known had a chequered history of prosperity and reverses, and at last came down so low that nothing but extinction seemed to be in store for it. The members were few and considerably discouraged. They, however, managed at last to persuade Mr. Macdonnell to come to the city, and lead what was generally regarded as a forlorn hope. He did so, and the result was as gratifying as it was unexpected. The congregation grew rapidly and steadily, both in numbers and resources, till at last the overwhelming majority of those connected with it resolved to erect a new church on a lot they had on the corner of Simcoe and King. This was done, and as the emigrants were so much the most numerous part of the congregation, they thought they had a right to take both the minister and the name of the church along with them. They did so. Hence the name of New St. Andrew's. Those who remained in the old building held that they kept up the continuity of ecclesiastical descent, and hence they also called their Church by the old use and wont name, but in order to distinguish it from the other, prefixed the word "Old," and allowed the world to know from the names what was the distinction in fact. Afterward, this remnant also built a new church, and called it by the old name, so that the new building rejoices in the old title, and the real old St. Andrew's has become a thing of the past. Very likely, in a short time, some great commercial establishment will rise upon the old Church site, and pilgrims of other days may have some difficulty in discovering where that old way mark stood. Of course, TRUTH will be in existence then, and its fyle will naturally be consulted both for business and pleasure. In view, then, of the possibility of such enquiries, we state now that the real original St. Andrew's stood on the south-west corner of the intersection of Church and Adelaide streets, and was thought at the time of its erection to be a notably fine building. And so it was. Perhaps, considering the wealth in the hands of the congregation quite as fine as the finest of our modern ecclesiastical erections, great as the actual contrast no doubt is.

If the Metropolitan has too much ground round it, for the very perfection of effect, New St. Andrews has decidedly too little. It has a grand massive appearance, but it is cribbed, cabined, and confined by its surroundings, and does not strike the stranger, as it ought to do, and as it would have done, had the location and the grounds been more in accord with the magnitude of the structure, and its improved style.

The success which attended Mr. Macdonnel's ministrations in the old building followed him to the new, and though the weight of debt resting upon the edifice is still heavy, it can scarcely be called burdensome, and is in the course of being slowly, but steadily paid off, so that, at no distant day it will be among the things of the past.

Like most men in his position, Mr. Macdonnel has had in the course of his life, no very startling or extraordinary experiences. His career has been all but uniformly, what the world calls a successful one, and we should hope and believe, more than usually happy. "A child of the Manse," he has grow up surrounded by all the humanizing and beneficent influences of a Christian home, and has enjoyed the benefits arising from cultivated society, a liberal education, and a considerable amount of travel, and general intercourse with the world. His collegiate course was entered upon and finished at too early a period of life, to permit his reaping the full benefit of the opportunities, thus placed within his reach, nor do his friends and intimates claim, on his behalf, that he has to any great extent, made up by subsequent efforts, the loss which he thus incurred. His life has been too active, and the various duties of the pastorage have been too many, and too exacting, to permit of his leading a student's life, or adding greatly to his original stores of learning. No one would ever dream of claiming for him any great vigour of thought, wealth of imagination, minuteness, and variety of knowledge with that general force and massiveness of intellect and heart, which might set him forth as a great leader, who was destined to put his mark upon his generation and his race. "Great" in the ordinary sense of that term Mr. Macdonnell is not and is never likely to become. But while this statement cannot reasonably be called into question, the position he has attained and the influence which he undoubtedly exerts show that he is far above the ordinary range of men and ministers. His sermons are always fresh, simple and interesting. He affects nothing outre, and naturally necessarily detests the slightest approach to clap-trap. He seeks to bring the services of the sanctuary to bear upon the business and temptations of ordinary every day life, and in a variety of ways makes it manifest that he can use great plainness of speech in dealing with the follies as well as the sins of the hour. There is never any great power of expression, or originality of idea, displayed in his public ministrations or in his more or less private utterances, but in his every word, we had almost said in his every look, he shows that he is face to face with the world in which his lot is cast, that he takes a keen interest in current affairs, whether religious or secular, and that according to his abilities and opportunity he is anxious to do all the good possible to the bodies as as well as to the souls of his fellows. His utterances some time ago in reference to his doubt about the eternity of Future Punishments brought his name rather prominently, for a time, before the Church Courts and the general public. But he has either seen the error of his ways in the matter or has learned to be more careful and circumspect in his modes of expression; as we hear no more of his being in any degree out of accord with the Confession of Faith and the general opinion of the Church on that, or, indeed, on any other question. One has said that it is an exceedingly good plan to write one's self into a knowledge of a subject provided always that the manuscript is kept sacredly under lock and key, and never allowed to fall into the hands of a printer. We are not so sure about its being an equally good plan to preach one's self into acquaintance with any scriptural truth or doctrine, and giving all the processes of doubt and perplexity through which one may be led, and at last landing in the confession that as yet he knows positively nothing on the whole subject. The preacher is understood to have become a truth finder, and not merely a truth-seeker, a resolver of other people's doubts not a mere propounder of his own. The average run of mankind can do their own doubting generally without any outside assistance. They don't need to fall back upon any one for help in this matter, far less are they inclined to pay him for doing for them what they can so very easily and very successfully do for themselves. It is very easy to say, "I don't know, I am not sure," but the good a religious teacher can accomplish in the way is not very apparent. Men can't live either on negations or on doubts, and as Mr. Macdonnell has to all appearance given himself exclusively to the proclamation of his convictions not of his perplexities, of his certainty, not of his doubt, as indeed it is only justice to him to say that with the exception of what was perhaps made far too much of, he has always so far as we know been in the habit of doing. And as he rises continually as an able and faithful preacher of divine truth rather than as a mere promulgator of human doubts and individual difficulties. He is still a young man, and has we trust a long, useful and distinguished career before him. His congregation is among the largest in the city and contains an unusual number of active intelligent young men. He throws his whole soul into the pastoral and congregational work; is respected by all; liked by even his casual acquaintances, and positively loved by those who have the pleasure of reckoning him among their friends. No one as we have said could truthfully call him a great man, or even say that he has in him the makings of greatness, but judging him all in all, he is one of Toronto's best know citizens, an excellent and popular preacher, a diligent pastor, a faithful friend a genial associate, a good man. TRUTH does not flatter him or any man, and consequently cannot call him an eighth wonder of the world, a profound theologian, an astute reasoner, a finished scholar, a suggestive writer, a prudent adviser or an infallible guide either in things secular or sacred; but what it can honestly say in commendation it says, and its praise is as sincere as its hints at blame are both honest and considerate.

Art in Courtship.

An authority on this subject wishes us to know that it is quite a mistake to suppose that the average woman is the merely passive recipient of favours of a matrimonial kind, offered for her acceptance. This may be the general opinion, and, there is very great reason, indeed, to believe that such is really the deeply-seated conviction of the vast majority of the human race; but this affords but one more example of the great fact which is so constantly forcing itself upon the attention of thoughtful men, that popular opinions, whether on one subject or another, are very, very little worth. That man is invariably, or even, indeed, for the most part, the proposer, and woman simply the acceptor of whatever affection his wisdom may see fit to bestow, is an opinion which, in view of the immense advances which are constantly being made in the various walks of physical science, must be relegated to the limbo of attenuated vanities. Sympathy bestowed on the average woman, because of her inability to choose her own happiness, and the impossibility of any self-directed preferences on her part, is just so much waste of valuable emotion. That woman's happiness or misery depends on the advances of the man, is nonsense. Woman does not simply wait for opportunities to come, but like every other genius, she seizes time by the forelock, and manages, very successfully sometimes, too, to make her own opportunities.

Women are neither the simpletons nor the merely negative recipients of offered favours which poets and novelists succeed very often in making them. They have vastly more to do with the disposal of themselves, and the establishment of the estate of connubial happiness than is vulgarly supposed. There is no necessity for her being reduced to that stupid resource of the merely male mind—talking, in order to accomplish all the courtship she wishes. She has a hundred little ways and means of getting at her ends when once she has settled what these are to be. Not one man in a hundred is any match for her in this respect. He may boast of his accurate and profound knowledge of the opposite sex, of his fixed determination to avoid the snares of these fair trappers, of the idiocy of the man who can allow himself to be brought to a declaration against his will; but if he has anything like the knowledge and experience, he would fain persuade himself he has, he will know that if he is at all sincere in his protestations of avoidance, his only real safety must lie in flight. This authority asserts that "almost any woman outside of a cloister feels that, up to a certain point she is the equal, if not the superior, of any man when they are emotionally pitted against one another." He is almost entirely at her mercy, and unless he is possessed of more than ordinary strength of mind, or to seeks safety in retirement, he may as well strike his colours at once, if he gets an inkling at all that she is bearing down on him.

Nor is there any reflection on the delicacy appropriate reserve and so naturally looked for from woman, in all this, she simply acts according to her nature. Debarred by the customs of society, as well as by hinderences in the very nature of things, she cannot attain her ends by energy and force of action, and so is of necessity driven to have recourse to subtilty. Her life, more than with man, has an uncomfortable feeling of incompleteness about it, unless it is crowned with matrimony. Accordingly, she is apt to bend the only strength of her resources, and the well-known intensity of her will to accomplish that one great end of her existence. Great indeed must be the assurance of any man who could write in this way, unless, indeed, his words be the ripened fruit of wisdom gathered from the tree of only too sad experience.

"She thinks of wedlock twenty times as much as man does. She has ampler reason to think of it, for it is altogether more important to her than to him, and is in the direct line of her nature and destiny. Consequently, when any man shows a sail in the social offing, she prepares for action, as if the engagement would be inevitable and desperate. He may be on another course; he may steadily increase the distance between them; she may never catch another glimpse of his whitening canvas. But it is a comfort to her to have been ready to think what she might, could or would have done had he borne down upon her, and challenged her to combat on the high seas of possible matrimony." A single woman believes that every unmarried man's sail, whatever flag he, may be flying, covers a cargo of goods that may be turned to connubial account." We don't believe this, and thankfully commend such a writer as this to the thoughtful consideration and pitiful compassion of all readers, male, or female, rich or poor, young or old.

An Apple with a History.

Seeing that a number of localities are boasting of their large potatoes, large apples &c., it will not be out of place for Midland to boast too, this is the more excusable as in addition to the size of the apple there is connected with it a quite a history. The apple in question is one left on our table by Mr. Charles Ross, clerk of Tay. The apple was grown from a little shoot taken from a clump of apple sprouts, found at the old fort. In the year 1868 when Mr. Bruneau settled on the Jesuit lot, No. 16, 3rd con., Tay, it was then covered with a dense forest, not having been occupied for 270 years, that is from the date of the massacre of the whites by the Indians, to the year 1868. Mr. Bruneau found evidence of the site of an old orchard by clumps of apple sprouts at regular intervals, these shoots have since then grown two or three years and then died out and have thus done since the above date, but in some cases the farmers have removed these sprouts to their farms and they have invariably grown to fine proportions and are now yielding fine fruit, as the sample furnished by Mr. Ross is a fine specimen. Evidently of the winter variety, measuring 13½ inches in circumference, it is in color a dark red, very firm and of fine flavor. That these trees have, for the last 200 years, the greater portion of that time in the midst of a forest, preserved their vitality is a marvel in horticulture.

I HAVE known vast quantities of nonsense talked about bad men not looking you in the face. Don't trust that conventional idea. Dishonesty will stare you out of countenance any day in the week, if there is anything to be got by it.

WITH most men in this wicked world, honesty is the best policy so long as it pays, but when it ceases to pay, collect your little bill as soon as you can, because circumstances alter cases.

AN ADVENTUROUS CAREER.

THE STORY OF THE FIRST OFFICER OF THE CITY OF VERA CRUZ—RUNNING THE BLOCKADE—INCARCERATED IN FORT LAFAYETTE—IN THE SERVICE OF THE CUBAN PATRIOTS—PEACEFUL PURSUITS ASHORE.

Frank Marsh Harris, first officer of the lost steamer City of Vera Cruz, who was mistakenly reported as having been rescued, had a remarkable history. He was the son of Dr. Francis Lee Harris, who was Health Officer of the Port of New York, twenty years ago, after distinguishing himself as a famous surgeon and as a Democratic politician in the city of New York. Before he removed to New York Dr. Harris was a physician in good practice in Savannah, Ga. His first wife, the mother of Capt. Harris, was a Livingston, and was descended from Herrmann Kean, of Kean Manor, in Elizabeth, N. J. Frank, the only son by this marriage, who was born in 1832, early betrayed a love of the sea, and shipped on a schooner from Savannah when he was only 15 years of age. His family had sufficient interest to obtain for him an appointment as midshipman in the navy, and in 1852 he sailed with Commander Perry on the important expedition which resulted in the opening of the Japanese ports by the treaty of 1854. After the return of the expedition he resigned from the navy, and went into the coasting trade once more in command of a vessel. He was running a schooner from Restigouche, N.B., to South America when the war broke out, and promptly offered his services to the Confederate Government. His first employment was the command of a gunboat in the celebrated Roanoke expedition, in which young Wise, son of Governor Wise, was killed. Capt. Harris being known to the naval authorities of the Confederacy to have a perfect acquaintance with the Atlantic coast, his next service was in running the blockade to and from the harbour of South Carolina. He sailed thence on the steamer Virgo, under another officer, and brought her back loaded, in safety. He made several voyages afterward with impunity, and earned a high reputation as a skilful and daring seaman.

The gentleman who was first officer in his blocade running enterprises is now Captain of a steamer in the employ of J. W. Quintard, & Co. His second officer became associated with him by a queer occurrence. Capt. Harris was lying at Nassau, N. P., waiting for a favourable opportunity to run into Charleston harbour. Strolling through the streets he saw a man, who was evidently an American seaman, in the chain gang. "What have you done," he asked, "to be punished in this manner?" "Oh, I thrashed a nigger and threw him off the wharf," was the reply. "The sentence was $900 fine or three months in the chain gang. I had no money, and here I am." Captain Harris sought out the Judge, paid the fine, and the seaman was liberated. He was a native of Baltimore, of good family, an educated man, and a sympathiser with the Confederacy. Hence he readily accepted the offer of Capt. Harris to take the position of second officer of the blockade runner. He, too, is now commander of a steamer running out of the port of New York, and is not afraid to tell how Capt. Harris released him from the chain gang in Nassau.

In 1863 Capt. Harris was captured in the Kingfisher, in which he had made several successful trips to Charleston. He was taking the course which he had followed successfully before, but found himself at daybreak under the guns of a Federal gunboat. To save the lives of his crew he thought it best to surrender at discretion, and was carried to Fort Lafayette in double irons.

The better to prosecute his dangerous avocation in safety, Capt. Harris had gone before the British Board of Admiralty in London, passed an examination, and received his papers as a British shipmaster. So it was with some colour of authority that he presented his papers to Colonel Burke, commanding Fort Lafayette, and demanded his release as a British seaman, taken off a British vessel.

An exciting episode of his prison life was related by himself. It came to the ears of his father, who had, in the mean time, become Health Officer Harris of the Port of New York, that Frank was a prisoner in Fort Lafayette, and he came to visit him. As soon as Col. Burke learned his visitor's business he hastened up to Capt. Harris's casemate. "You're a nice British seaman!" he said, sneeringly. "You're an American, and your father is Dr. Harris, the Health Officer of this port."

"You're a liar!" retorted Capt. Harris. "I am a native of Hull, and a British seaman."

"Well, I'll send your father up to see you," retorted the Colonel.

He was told to send him up and be blowed.

"Hallo! son Frank; how are you? said the old Doctor, as he reached the casemate, with both hands extended.

"I'm no son of yours," was Frank's cold response; "I'm an English shipmaster."

"Frank, are you crazy?" said the old man.

"No, you old lunatic," rejoined Frank, stoutly. And, turning to Col. Burke, he added: "I claim the protection of Lord Lyons. He will restore me to my Government."

Strangely enough, the British Minister did interfere in his behalf, and, after spending six months between Fort Lafayette and Fort Warren, in Boston harbour, Capt. Harris was liberated, and allowed to depart over the Suspension Bridge into Canada, whence he made his way to Halifax, took ship for Liverpool, and was soon once more in command of a blockade runner. His father lived to forgive him for denying his parentage, believing that the end justified the means.

After the war Capt. Harris was engaged for some time in such peaceful pursuits as as superintending the mining of clay in Woodbridge, N. J., for a company in which the Hon. Cortlandt Parker and District Attorney Keasbey of New Jersey were interested, the building of a sea wall at New Haven, and of a reservoir on Jersey City Heights.

In 1869, when the Government of Free Cuba bought a fleet of fast steamers to carry reinforcements and supplies to the Cuban coast, a number of ex-Confederate officers enlisted in the cause of Cuban liberty. Knowing Capt. Harris's character for reckless daring, his thorough seamanship, and his thorough acquaintance with the coast it was natural that he should be sought out to take part in the expedition. He was put in command of the Lilian, a Clyde built vessel which had been a blockade runner, and a commission was given him as commodore in the Cuban navy. The ill-fated Gen. Ryan, afterward shot in cold blood by the Spaniards, had made several unsuccessful attempts to get to Cuba with his command, which was encamped at various places about New York. They and other volunteers for Cuba rendezvoused at Macon, Ga. The United States Marshal had warrants for Gen. Castro and ex-Confederate Major Bridgeport, Lieut. Puryear, and others, but they escaped with most of their men, and proceeded to Cedar Keys, where they were joined by Gen. Ryan and others by steamer from New York, by way of Fernandina, and the combined forces of about 500 men, under Gen. Goicouria, were embarked on the steamers—Lilian and Teaser. At sea the name of the Lilian was changed to the Cespedes, after the President of the Cuban Republic, and the Cuban flag was hoisted. When Gen. Goicouria opened his orders he found they were to go to the Western Department. This at once made dissatisfaction among the new recruits, who insisted upon being taken at once to the Eastern Department, to which he readily acceded.

The Cespedes had been hurried away from Cedar Keys by the approach of the United States vessel Lone Star, under orders to stop the expedition. She had insufficient coal and water for the voyage. When two days out it was determined to land the men on one of the Bahama keys, and take the vessel to Nassau for fuel and water. They were landed accordingly. The Cespedes sailed for Nassau. Her fuel gave out when she was within a short distance of Nassau, and, coming to anchor, Capt. Harris despatched three men in a life-boat to Nassau, with instructions to buy two schooner loads of coal and other supplies. In the meantime the presence of the Cespedes had been discovered by fishing smacks, and they had notified the Governor of Nassau. He detained the schooners that were chartered by Capt. Harris's messengers, and despatched the British vessel Lapwing to bring the Cespedes into the port of Nassau. Capt. Harris kept his Cuban flag flying, and refused to lower it or deliver up his papers at the command of the British Captain when there had been no condemnation and no trial. She was towed up to Nassau, where Capt. Harris made written protest to the Governor, and the Cespedes was released, but ordered to leave the port within twelve hours. Capt. Harris asked the privilege of taking on board the coal he had bought, which was denied him. He set fifty men to work with axes and hatchets and demolished his handsome cabins and his upper deck to get sufficient fuel with which to steam out of port. He had arranged with the Captains of the coaling schooners to meet him a short distance out of the harbour next morning (Oct. 20), and they did so. But the Lapwing, which had followed closely on the heels of the Cespedes, opened fire on the schooners, and prevented them from putting their coal aboard, and Capt. Harris was fain to sail back to Nassau. He entered the port with his Cuban flag flying, and the Cespedes and her cargo were seized in the name of the military authority of the Bahamas, after Capt. Harris had refused to comply with the order to leave the harbour. The triumph of the captors of the Cespedes was short lived. They awoke one morning to find her scuttled at her wharf. The Cuban volunteers who had been left on one of the Bahama keys were brought off by the Lapwing, on Oct. 27, in a famished condition, 200 of them being fit subjects for a hospital.

Capt. Harris's part in the Cuban expedition becoming known among shipowners, he was out of employment for several years afterward. He was not lost sight of, however, and when the Cuban war was declared at an end he entered the employ of Alexandre & Co. After making several trips as Captain of the Howadji, he became first officer of the City of Alexandria and of the Vera Cruz rather than remain idle until Alexandre & Co.'s new ships were completed, of one of which he was to have command.

SCIENTIFIC GOSSIP.

THE site of a millstone manufactory of the bronze age is thought to have been discovered at Auvenir, near Neuchatel. Millstones in all stages of manufacture have recently been brought to light there.

THE jubilee of the zoological museum of the Academy of Sciences, St. Petersburg, established by the Emperor Nicholas in 1831, will be celebrated in that city by Russians and foreign zoologists next year.

BEFORE their intercourse with Europeans, the Maoris, according to Mr. J. W. Stack, of the New Zealand Institute, had terms only for three colours—white, black, and red. His paper is valuable as throwing light on some of the recent learned disputations regarding the colour-sense of the Greeks about the time of the siege of Troy. It is one thing to appreciate colour, and quite another thing to give precise expression to that appreciation.

THE history of the bayonet is thus set forth in the catalogue of Gen. Pitt River's anthropological collection, which the British Government will probably buy for the public benefit and place upon exhibition in the South Kensington Museum: In the early part of the seventeenth century it was found necessary to retain the use of pikemen in the infantry on account of the defenseless position of the firelockmen when the enemy approached to close quarters. To remedy this defect they were accustomed about the middle of the century to stick the handles of their daggers into the muzzles of their guns in order to use them a pikes. Of course, when the dagger was so fixed the gun could not be fired. But as many of the daggers had rings at the guard the men saw the expediency of fastening the dagger to the muzzle of the piece by means of the ring. Soon the dagger or plug bayonet was so secured to the outside of the barrel that the firelock could be loaded and discharged although bayonets were fixed. The British had their first experience of what may be called the compound gun and pike in the time of William III., in one of the Flanders campaigns, and they "swore terribly," no doubt, when they found that their opponents could fire at them with fixed bayonets. River's collection shows all the transition stages of the bayonet from the plug handle to the modern tube-and-catch attachment. This is only a sample brick, so to speak, of the civil and warlike gropings of man from precedent to precedent to his present condition. We have a fine opportunity of doing something of the same kind to this continent, and the marvel is why some men of wealth do not embrace it, and so secure the perpetuity of their own name through the advancement of an important department of science.

Our Girls.

If our girls are not the very best girls that ever existed, it is not on account of not having sufficient attention bestowed upon them. We speak not now of the attention which they receive from those of the opposite sex, about their own age, but of the innumerable inventors, male and female, who exhaust their energies in inventing theories for their physical, mental, and moral, improvement. If every one of them does not develop into an Amazon, capable of wielding the spear of a Goliath, it will not be the fault of sundry strong-minded, elderly spinsters who, whether they have made much of themselves or not, are intent upon perfecting the women of the coming generation. Indeed, at times, one is almost appalled at the vision which arises before the mind as it looks into the future, of the gigantic, rawboned, and muscular, womanhood which is to take the place of the embodiment of femenine charms, which we have in the mothers, the wives, the sisters, "the cousins and the aunts" of this and past generations. Their intellect withal is not to be neglected. Every one of them is to be a "blue stocking." The culture of the taste and feeling, which has heretofore filled so large a space in the education of girls, is to give place to a sort of intellectual training, which shall fit her to enter the list with man, as a competitor, for those prizes which have heretofore been supposed to be only within the reach of the rougher sex. With her hardened muscle, and enlarged brain, why should she not take her place beside man in all the activities of life, and share with him to the fullest extent in all its honours and emoluments? Why should men be permitted to monopolize the position of policemen, standing at our street corners, in more or less splendid uniforms, where their duties could be done quite as well, or better, by women quite as strong, and courageous as they are. Already, there are a few of them doctors, and half a dozen of them—more or less—ministers! Why should they not be lawyers and legislators? And should they not be permitted to lead armies, and to serve in the ranks, to act as ship-masters, and to serve before the mast. The fact is, women is coming to the front. The brutality of man has crowded her into an inferior position long enough, but when the girls of the present become women, things will be different, and the time may come, when some female City Commissioner will have an army of women under her, cleaning the streets. The age of gold will come.

The Murder of Lord Mountmorres.

(From the London World)

Lord Mountmorres, the last victim of Hibernian agrarianism, could not have been a very unpopular sort of a man after all. Father Lavelle, the parish priest of Cong, knew him well, and attended his funeral. Father Lavelle is no lover of a lord. He is the fire-eating cleric known as the ecclesiastic apologist for Fenianism, the foe of Cardinal Cullen, and the particular protege of John, Archbishop of Tuam. Father Lavelle is an extreme land agitator in principle, and yet he was the friend of the murdered Lord Mountmorres. The cause of the strange friendship was simply that the murdered nobleman, though severe in his dealings with breakers of the law, was thoroughly Irish, and was deeply imbued with charity toward the poor which covereth a multitude of offences. No one knew this better than the parish priest of one of the poorest populations in the west of Ireland.

NEBRASKA theatre audiences are unconventional in their conduct. At Lincoln, while John T. Raymond was presenting the trial scene in "Colonel Sellers," two dogs began to fight in the centre aisle. All attention was instantly diverted from the stage to the fight. "I move we suspend proceedings in this court," said Raymond, "and I'll bet a dollar on the white dog." "I'll take you," cried a man in the audience. The white dog won, the dollar was passed across the footlights to the star, and the acting of the play was resumed.

THE barber's apprentice is usually a strapping fellow.

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Friday, Nov. 5th, 1880.

THE BONUS PETITION.

We understand that the Council of Artemesia, at the dictation of the Reeve, saw fit in their wisdom (?) to throw out the Petition asking the submission of a By-Law for $10,000, in aid of the Railway. To us it seems a very high handed and audacious proceeding of the Council to take the step they did. The 150 influential and respectable ratepayers who signed the petition will certainly not soon forget the insult. Had the Reeve honestly, through ignorance, misinterpreted the purprt of the law in question, there might be some excuse; but the Doctor is not on ignorant man, and can claim no indulgence on this score, hence his culpability is the greater.—He cannot urge the plea of expense, as the Company were quite willing to deposit a sufficient sum to cover all expenses, and if the Reeve is so confident of the result as he states he is, excuse here falls to the ground. There can be no question if the Railway Company apply for a *mandamus* to compel the Council to obey the law, they will get it, and either the Township or the individual members of the Council, who perpetrated the wrong, will have to pay the costs. Space will not permit a more extended notice of the action of the Council in reference to the said Petition at present; but at some future time we shall take the liberty to refer thereto at greater length.

DIPHTHERIA.

We this week publish two cures for the above disease both said to be very efficatious. They are very simple and we can see no harm in trying them.

"A New Bedford, Mass. woman reports a new, and, as she claims, a successful cure for diphtheria. A little nephew of hers was sick with diphtheria, and the child's mother was told to give him tea made of the bark of the roots of the white birch. She did so, and the white coating of the throat and mouth began to losen and come off, and entire recovery followed The tea may be used as a drink or gargle, or may be held in the mouth.

ANOTHER.—A Hamilton (South Australia) paper publishes details of the "Greathead" cure for diphtheria. The disease is declared by Mr. Greathead to be of hydrate growth, and that the germs float in certain impure atmospheres where they are inhaled by human beings. For a grown person, four drops of sulphuric acid diluted in three quarters of a tumbler of water, with a smaller dose for children. The effect of this treatment was instantaneous, the acid at once destroying the parasites and the patient coughing up the obstruction The papers have teemed with accounts of sufferers who have recovered in a few minutes by adopting the 'Greathead' treatment. Children, almost previously in a dying state, were declared to be playing about within ten minutes, and at a computation some forty or fifty of these sudden recoveries have been placed on record with full particulars.

SAUGEEN PRESBYTERY.

An adjourned meeting of the Presbytery of Saugeen was held at St. Andrew's church, Mount Forest, on Thursday last the 21st inst. commencing at 10 a. m., the Rev. J. MacMillan of Mount Forest in the absence of the moderator, occupying the chair.

The Presbytery took up the consideration of a call from Chalmer's church, Kincardine township, in favor of the Rev. Charles Cameron of Cotswold accompanied by promise of a stipend of $725 per annum with manse and fuel. The Rev. Duncan Cameron of Lucknow, commissioner from the Presbytery of Maitland, was heard in support of the call, also Mr. Fyfe a delegate from the congregation of Cotswold. The call was accepted by Mr. Cameron and his translation agreed to by the Presbytery. The Rev. John Campbell of Harriston was appointed moderator of the session of Cotswold *ad interim* with instructions to preach the church vacant at an early date.

The Rev. J. M. Aull, of Ratho and Innerkip, having accepted a call to Knox church, Palmerston, his induction was appointed to take place at Palmerston on the 10th of Nov., at 2 p. m.; Mr. Campbell to preside, Mr. Straith to preach, Mr. Fraser to address the minister, and Mr. Baikie the congregation.

Mr. Fraser, on behalf of the committee appointed to visit Durham, with a view, if possible, of effecting a reunion of parties there, reported that they had visited Durham the previous day but had failed in effecting reunion. The committee recommended the Presbytery to decline a prayer of the petitioners for the formation of a second congregation in Durham, and enjoin the congregation to discontinue the use of the organ with a view of securing the return of the petitioners on the understanding if this concession has not the desired effect, the congregation are at liberty to resume the use of the instrument.

After the report was received it was moved by Mr. Nichol and seconded by Mr. Watson, that the prayer of the petition for the organization of a new congregation in Durham be granted. Mr. Fraser, seconded by Mr. Campbell, moved in amendment in the direction by the committee. The original motion was carried by the casting vote of the moderator. Messrs. Fraser, Campbell, Young, Straith and Scott desired to have their dissent recorded. Messrs. Park and Weir on behalf of the congregation asked leave to appeal to the Synod of Toronto and Kingston for reasons to be given in due time and craved extracts.

The Presbytery adjourned to meet in Palmerston on the 10th of Nov. at 2 p.m.—*Confederate.*

We have no objection to boys having a little fun; but when it comes to disfiguring peoples signs and shutters, and [illegible] houses, and committing other diabolical acts, we think it is time the authorities interfered and put a stop to it.

To the Reeve and the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Artemesia:

The Petition of the undersigned qualified voters under the Municipal Act, who are rated as Freeholders on the last revised Assessment Roll and who are residents of the Township of Artemesia:

HUMBLY SHEWETH:

That your petitioners, in accordance with the terms of the several Acts relating to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company, desire to aid the Company by giving them money or debentures by way of a bonus for the purpose of enabling it to change the gauge from three feet six inches to four feet eight and a half inches, and for the reconstruction of the Railway; and for the amount they so desire to grant and be assessed for is the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars.

Your Petitioners therefore pray that your worshipful Council will, as required by law, introduce the necessary By-law for granting aid by way of a bonus to the amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars aforesaid, and submit the same to the vote of the qualified ratepayers of the said Municipality of the Township of Artemesia, and in due course pass the same for the purpose of raising the said sum of Twelve Thousand in the said Municipality of the Township of Artemesia for the amount of the said bonus payable in twenty years, with interest thereon payable half yearly and for the delivery of the same to the Trustees to be appointed under the said Act relating to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company, passed at the last Session of the Ontario Legislature, and under the terms that the said Trustees shall not deliver the said dedentures or any part thereof, or any proceeds of said debentures or any part thereof, unless and until they receive a certificate of the Chief Engineer for the time being, setting forth that the work is completed, so that regular freight and passenger trains are being run over the whole line by the Grand Trunk Company from Toronto to Owen Sound and to Teeswater on a track of the width of the Standard National gauge of 4 feet 8½ and that the whole line has been laid with steel rails on or before the first day of January 1882, nor until the arrangement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company and the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railway Company for the working by the Grand Trunk Railway Company of the whole of the Line of the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railway Company for twenty years, from the first day of January, 1882, embodied in an agreement, dated 18th September, 1880, has been approved by the Directors and proprietors of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and the said Shareholders of the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railway Company, and the said debentures shall not be converted into money until the conditions of this by law have been fulfilled, and for assessing and levying upon all ratable property lying within the said municipality of the ——— a special rate for the payment of said debentures and interest thereon.

Dated at Artemesia, October, A.D., 1880.

Robert Robertson	R. E. Hall
Alex. Hannah	Colin McArthur
John White	Henry King
R. Chapman	D. McDonald
A. Turner	James Harvey
H. Bennet, M. D.	James McNicol
T. A. Conkey	John Snell
Robert Oliver	M. Williamson
Alexander Brown	Alex. Muir
John Simpson	Alex. McRae
D. McKinnon	Duncan Muir
Dugald McLeod	Wm. Hacking
James Ryan	W. J. Ekins
James Sullivan	J. Gichrist
Angus McLean	A. Bentham
W. Conkey	Alex. McLeod
A. McLean	Thomas Currie
J. Aussem	Henry Meldrum
Arch. Elliott	Archibald Foster
George Walker	James Foster
Thomas Kells	A. Whitten
R. Buchanan	Wm. Galbraith
James Lackey	James Beaty
John Blain	Christopher Irwin
Robert Sewell	Arch. Foster, jr.
Edward Davis	Alex. Irwin
Samuel Lackey	H. D. Irwin
John Boland	Wm. Henry
John Rowe	Thos. Boland
J. P. Sparling	Wm. Buchanan
W. S. Bowler	Robt Sparling
Thomas Irwin	W. J. Cooey
Robert Smith	John Warling
Wm. Bowler	J. C. Buchanan
John Bowler	George Sewell
Alex. Mercer	James Brodie
Henry Foster	Edward Rutledge
Henry Foster, jr.	Joseph Donner
James Foster	Arthur Johnston
John Mercer	
Wm. Hogg	Wm. Purdy
John Whittaker	A. Whittaker
Peter Muir	Joseph Watson
George Buskin	Patrick Quigg
John Watson	William Taylor
Robt. Neilson	R. Campbell
S. Waucbob, sr.	Matthew Leich
S. Waucbob, jr.	J. Higginbotham
Archie Neilson	Robert Taylor
James Neilson	Thomas Parks
Wm. Ludlow	Patrick Ryan
M. Richardson	Michael Akitt
S. Damude	F. T. Carr
Wm. Wright	R. J. Sproule
Robt. Trimble	Wm. Strain
E. J. Johnston	J. W. Armstrong
W. Brown	Thos. Mathews
John Graham	R. H. Byers
George Wright	Wm. M. Douglass
Samuel Walker	J. F. Sproule
Robert S. Rae	E. S. Mabee
George Hobb	George Haskett
Joseph Beaty	Wm. Haskett
James Walker	S. C. Coleman
C. Reynolds	P. McArthur
Alex. Rutledge	T. S. Sproule
W. R. Walker	Thomas Nichol
G. W. Tryon	Beng. Coleman
Chas. McDougall	Wm. McLaughry
Thomas Atkinson	Geo. J. Blyth
D. F. McDonald	Angus McIntyre
Alex. Webster	James Craig
John Irwin	L. Anderson
John McArthur	John Carter

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

T., G. & B. RAILWAY.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—The promised article from the pen of W. Brown, Esq., I accidently heard read by a very intelligent gentleman and after a few moments reflection, he said, "there is nothing in it; there is nothing in it." I have also carefully read it over, and am sorry that I am forced to the same conclusion. It affords me an opportunity however to state that friend Brown was equally interested in the $20,000 bonus; no one I presume, voluntarily took a more active part to impress the ratepayers of the [illegible] of the Company utter ruin, if it were [illegible], and the imperative duty to vote it [illegible] those direful calamities [illegible] cured by refusing it, and therefore [illegible] would have supposed that [illegible] Brown, would have been cautious before crying Wolf! Wolf! again.

I would have been glad if he, instead of impugning my motives and switching the matter into the arena of Municipal Elections had shown, by facts and figures, that it was to the interest of the Township, to give another Bonus; will the ratepayers please read the article again, carefully read it — and show me one fact, one reason real or implied!! It isn't there!

A scheme that affords no arguments, save inuendoes against the motives and person of an opponent ought to be abandoned: Mr. B. seems to have discovered a *mare's nest* in my allusion to Priceville and Flesherton and he rises in horror at the idea of local jealousies, and finds therein a circumscribed patriotism. I know such to be a trick of the gentleman, he can hang an argument on a baseless vision and persistently push it too, about as easily as most men.

In my reference to those villages my mind rested on facts. Did not the R. R. authorities try to purchase the influence of those villages by an offer of rebate in freight of grain absolutely bought in them? and is it not in force now? I do not know about Flesherton but a Priceville merchant, certainly told me it was. I contend sir, that such a course would be only an act of justice — simple justice to those villages to enable them to compete with Markdale and Dundalk — they should have the rebate or else the authorities of the R. B. should take the freight from each village, free of charge. I merely said the Toronto Company had signed away their right, to do so simple an act of Justice! Mr. B.'s allusion must be insulting to the Merchants of those places—who I believe supported the last Bonus and for anything I know will support it again. Is Mr. Brown sincere in throwing down the gauntlet to those villages? Is he willing to take the consequences of the insinuation? But it is not as this gentleman insinuates. There is a laudable strife to sustain the business the business of those villages, but Markdale has the advantage; the loss of the R. R. means death to her and I cannot blame her people, I do not either, for an honest endeavor to sustain the R. R.—but they are in the minority. Mr. Brown proceeds altogether upon the assumption that he is right and every body else is wrong—he is prepossessed—is a kind of monomaniac for a Bonus.

It doesn't matter to him what the amount is $12,000 or $20,000—hurrah lads! The Township can afford it. Now I ask who is it that lacks patriotism? Who is it that speaks of and fosters the principle of local interests as against the general interest of the Municipality? Certainly not Dr. Christoe. I do sincerely regret the indiscretion of Mr. B. in publicly raising such a question, surely this thing might be discussed in the best of friendship, let no firebrands be thrown into the general harmony and good will existing between the villages—the good of one in a broad sense is the good of all.

Permit me to say that my *opinion* at first was somewhat favorable to assistance, providing the R. R. passed into the hands of a strong Company; I am exhonorated however by the fact that the R. R. has not changed hands, and is not likely to change hands. It is true the Company is about leasing it to the G. T. for a series of years, subject to all the incidents consequent to misunderstandings, common to leases in general—but aside from this the new regulations, do not carry the same necessities.

Then the Bondholders would only consent to lay aside peremptorily from the earning of the road $150,000 and suffer an issue of Postal Bonds to the extent of $240,000 or total say $390,000, but now, the same Bondholders allow a preferential Stock issue of $1,000,000!! Then too, the total cost, for the required change was $800,000 but now, $100,000 less, so that to realize $700,000, is to place them in ample funds; I contend therefore that all improvements ought to be paid out of the said $1,000,000.

Every dollar paid by the Municipalities, enables them to hold so much of this preferential stock in hand. If I am wrong, will friend Brown please correct me.

I know many persons have the idea that the *Road* when changed will present altogether a new dress, new Cars, new Engines everything in Grand Trunk style, and therefore the pleasing sight anticipated, decides them in favor of a *Bonus*. It is a pity to spoil the picture, but the truth had better be told Allow me to state then, that you will have the same rolling stock, Engines coaches and cars; to be converted to be sure, to suit the new state of the rails; by conditions of Lease, only four new locomotives are to be bought, 12 to be converted. Six Cars to be bought—18 to be converted, &c. I am ready to admit however, that even this would be an improvement, and I would be glad to see the change.

Mr. Brown can see no wrong to vote a Bonus and vote it at once.—Although the scheme may not be fully matured. I consider it a very serious objection. You may have what conditions you please in your By-Law and there may be a possibility of evasion. One need only look to the position of the G. B. & W. R. R. at this moment, and the By-Laws granted by Sullivan, Derby and Owen Sound. There was a time limit in those By-Laws—and are righteously forfeited; but still they hold on to them. I contend therefore, supposing the Township of Artemesia were willing to grant a Bonus—everything should be matured, completely, before presenting their scheme for a vote. Would Mr. B. conduct his private business in the same slip-shod principle. I think not. It is easily understood why Mr. B. urges an immediate vote—politically I am not in har, mony with Premier Mowat, but am always ready to acknowledge legislation calculated to act justly towards the Municipalities, and upon this Bonus question, there is certainly praise due, to the present Government.

On the 31st day of December next, the law changes. It will require any one requiring a Bonus to poll a majority of the propertyholders on the voters' list to cary their scheme—not as now, a majority of those who go to the poll—and would require about 365 supporters to vote, to carry a Bonus in Artemesia, after the date above mentioned.

This explains the hurry; it is this, that gives friend Brown the fidgets. A snatch vote is wanted. What does my friend care if the vote is barely carried by a small coterie around Markdale or any other place as long as it is carried.

The act is based on common justice viz.: that a majority of the actual property-owners should place the Bonus on the Township i such be required.

I certainly desire success to the R. R. but not at the expense of the ratepayers; the ratepayers can expect nothing from the road but what they pay for. It was but recently, this township had to pay the piper.

The cheap excursion announcement was thus; from Flesherton and Markdale to Toronto and return one fare, which was $2,60 and $2.75 respectively and all places above Markdale, only $2.00.

If you give a Bonus, you also pay rates discriminated against you—these sums are small, it is true, but a principle is involved—and should excite cautiont before fixing a tax on yourselves for the next twenty years. I blame no one if sincerity lead him to support a Bonus; I will not indulge in invectives, or do a worse thing impute base motives to any one who differs from me—but neither the one nor the other shall direct me from a course, which I believe to be for the benefit of the Township. Men like W. Brown Esquire, who have property and money to spare, and who have business connections with the R. R. may not either feel the pinch of a tax, nor the freedom to speak out against a Bonus. But those who can very badly spare their dollar and those who are free to speak, will not fail to do so.

The clap-trap about tenant farmers is silly if not mawkish. My friend's brief experience to Municipal honors, tell fearfully against his influence by letter or otherwise in the Township. I marvel at his stepping on a mine, so susceptable to explosion.

I fancy by this time the R. R. authorities, will begin to pray, to be saved from the letters of their friends. They contain no argument, nothing but an appeal to sympathy, or terror, to frighten at a picture, the production of their own imagination. It is said corporations have no souls, and so I believe, and as the history of the moral has proved. Give your Bonus, vote it squarely, and who will thank you? Will your freight or fare be reduced one cent? Will you pocket the advantage to be gained? Never!! Isn't $3,000 a year equal to possible advantages? Mr. Brown and a few others say No—their [illegible] idea is to give, give—the amount to be decided by the Company every time. Blind are they, and only desire to lead you into the ditch at the expense may be of the reputation of Dr. Christoe or any one else who in their sincerity are trying to protect their own interests as well as those of the township.

I have given facts and figures which I need not repeat. I will only say in a general way that it [illegible] fairly [illegible] those figures named.

I do [illegible] idea that it [illegible] Dr. Christoe [illegible] who is to father [illegible]. I write for an in[illegible] have not [illegible] judgment. These facts are given as I find them. If right I am sure the vote will be accordingly, if not I am equally convinced it will be otherwise. DR. CHRISTOE.

October 24th, 1880.

P. S.—In your last is a letter from Robert Robertson of Priceville. It is somewhat coarse and personal in its comparisons and allusions. I suppose he courts a little popularity at the Doctor's expense.

"And he bates his hooks with mites of cheese
And sits on a rock and bobs for fleas,"

Well take all you can, with your *small* bait friend. But I cannot ask you sir, to reprint so often, refutations to the same charges, ner my relations to the Road and the Township.

Facts prove my course, in the last campaign, and I am confident the present one will prove equally so.

This scolding and dirt throwing for preventing the Township, being mulcted in, at least $10,000, must be the result of a disappointed partizen—but if it tickles you friend, "bob" away. The effect on myself is like water on a ducks back.

I cannot avoid stating, that this Mr. R. is a grain buyer! is *tete-a-tete* with the Management, and therefore is *interested*, "you know" as the Yankees say—would make the same yelp if the Bonus was $100,000.

He has a wonderful faculty, for big talk, and long letters. One would suppose by his urging the Bonus so strenuously, he had a large interest in the Township, and therefore spake with authority. But here is the secret! $300! assessment to him, the new Bonus would be just *fourty-five cents!!* yearly. *O tempora! O mores!* Propriety is a jewel; Mr. B. should have it. What thinks the Taxpaying Ratepayer of such Bonus seekers?

October 30th, 1880. DR. C.

SLAUGHTER HOUSES.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Will you please grant me a little space to reply to Mr. Brown's unjust attack upon the inhabitants and the slaughter-houses of Markdale, or at least one of the latter, as to the other, I leave neighbor Wilson to speak for himself. He starts off with Diphtheria as his test, and like many a wiser man he seeks to find a cause. He asserts that, "it is a well known fact, established beyond dispute by the vital statistics of all lands, that when an epidemic breaks out in any place, some potent and assignable cause can easily be traced out." But this assertion requires proof, and then he proceeds to trace out "the cause or causes of the present malady," establishing it according to his theory in the slaughter-houses, or their surroundings.

Any one unacquainted with the place and reading the article, would imagine that the citizens of Markdale were, of all people, the most filthy. "Visit their back yards," he says, "and you will find oceans of filth, consisting of both animal and vegetable matter, in every stage of decomposition, litterally steaming and reaking with miasmatic vapors." What a state for a town of seven or eight hundred inhabitants to be in. The great wonder is, not that some have died, but that any are left alive to read Mr. B.'s remarkable effusion; for if that is true, it of itself, is sufficient cause for all the plague that we have had and are having, and there was no need of his making a personal attack upon the butchers of the place; but let me ask of the inhabitants of Markdale, is it true? If not, then Mr. B. is guilty of making a statement that is a slander upon the majority of the citizens of this town, and where is the proof that Mr. B. is going to rest his "oceans of filth" upon? Let him bring on his commission and establish it, or take back his slander. If he has thus gone beyond the truth in his general charge, is it not likely that he has gone just as far beyond in his personal assault. Look at his statements and then judge if they are not far beyond either reason or truth—"Slaughter-houses in which, on an average, a dozen animals have been killed every week for the past five months." Now any body of common sense would know that a dozen animals would supply a far larger demand than exists in Markdale for fresh meat; but if it is true, then I must congratulate my neighbor, for I positively assert that there has not been more than an average of 4 head per week slaughtered on my premises in the time mentioned.

M. B. waxes more eloquent and more untruthful as he contemplates the spectre of his imaginrtion, and desires you, Mr. Editor, and I suppose others, to think, and if within the grasp of your minds, "realize, if you can, the *fearful*, the *appalling* condition of that *plague spot*, where the blood and *ofal* of half-a-dozen animals are deposited weekly throughout the "*sultry, sweltering dog-days* of a *Canadian Summer*." Now, Mr. B., neither you nor any one else could possibly find such a spot, now or at any other time since I have been in business, on my premises, for the simple fact, that such a spot does not exist other than in your own imagination, and that slander I request you to prove, or else, if a gentleman, retract. My premises are open for inspection, and I am in a position to prove that, as I keep them now, so have I kept them all summer. But then if Mr. B.'s assertions are true, that does not necessarily prove that the "slaughter-houses" are the cause of the plague referred to. If they were the cause of it, would it not be natural to suppose that it would first appear in that vicinity: but was that the cause? and then should we not look for it spreading from that centre outward? but has such ben its history? The facts say possitively *No*. Were not the first cases of it in Mr. Rae's family. Now if it has its origin in the causes assigned for it by Mr B., then he could not bring the "slaughter-houses" in at the beginning, and I think that he will hardly attribute the first of his causes as being the means in these first cases; but it would perhaps be as truthful as the rest of his causes.

Now, Mr. Editor, in conclusion let me ask the ratepayers of Markdale if they are ready to build a union slaughter-house outside the Village limits? If so I am prepared to use it, if not, I am not in a position to do any more than keep the one I now occupy, and keep it as I always have done, *clean* and *sweet*, always having a safe and proper place for my offal, and plenty of water and unslacked lime on hand (not even so much as the blood being allowed to fall upon the ground). I am still prepared to serve my friends, as in the past, with pure, sweet and uncontaminated meats that never have laid for even a moment in such a sink of filth as Mr. B. supposes, as no such place exists on my preises. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your kindness, and hoping that when Mr. B next appears in print, that he will at least acquaint himself with the facts of the case, and not attack upon the bear supposition of himself or any one else that which does not exist.

I remain, yours &c.
WILLIAM B. SEARGEANT.

Markdale, Nov. 1, 1880

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The "slaughter of the innocents" still goes on unabated, and apparently our police trustees remain unmoved midst the surrounding desolation. Truly we are a patient, long suffering people, else we would long since have risen in our might, and in righteous indignation demanded the enforcement of the law against public nusances. Have we no one in our midst possessed of moral courage to bring the police trustees to justice for neglect of duty? If we are to judge of their future by their past conduct, nothing short of sharp and decesive measures will suffice to move them to action. Who will take the initiative in this unpleasant but no less necessary and patriotic undertaking?

Now, Sir, this is a practical question, which you will doubtless admit, requires immediate solution. Well, by way of encouragement, and to show that I am willing to assume my full share of the responsibility of enforcing the law, I make this public announcement, that in my capacity of J. P., I shall deem it a pleasing duty to inflict the heaviest penalty upon any offender who may be brought before me. I understand there is an opinion prevalent, that because our village is not incorporated we do not posses the power to enforce sanitary measures. [illegible] the Act [illegible] er to our [illegible] nuisances, [illegible] such to [illegible].

See Con. Stat. [illegible], 17, sec. 591; p. 1782, sec. 868; also p. 1784, sec. 15, 16 & 23, &c.

Since the appearance of my last communication in reference to this matter, I have been informed that there are several yards and back premises in the village that require looking after. I hope the inspecting trustee will make a tour and see that the requirements of the law are being complied with before the winter sets in, else the spring of '81 will find us literally swimming in filth. I would further suggest that at least every three month's a report be published in the STANDARD of the sanitary condition of the village and that the names of all parties who keep their yard &c. in a filthy state, be printed in large red characters that every one may know who the delinquents are. Since commencing to write the above, I have been informed that Mr. Wilson has removed his slaughter house out of the village. This is encouraging, and shows that he has some regard for the feelings and comfort of others, and I doubt not he will be amply repaid. On the other hand, it is reported that Mr. Sarjeant is quite defiant, and declares his intention to still mantain his post house as before. Well, if the police trustees will not try means to bring that gentleman to time, the people doubtless will. If Mr. Sarjeant thinks he can trifle with the health and lives of his patrons, he will find to his cost that he has made a grand mistake, and probably he may discover, that if clenliness is not "godliness," yet, in his trade, it may prove to be the best "policy."

WM. BROWN.

Nov. 2, 1880.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STRAYED.

Came into the premises of the subscriber, near Berkeley, about the first of October, a yearling steer. The owner is requested to prove property pay expenses and take him away. WALLACE DRING.

Nov. 1st, 1880. 8-3

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THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.

October 31st, 1880. 8

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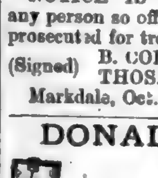
(Signed) B. COLEMAN, THOS. ELLIOTT, Jr. } Church-wardens.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-3i*

DONALD McLEOD,



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All over due accounts must be paid without delay or I shall have to resort to more costly means for collection.

D. McLEOD.

Corner of Queen and Mill Streets.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-8i

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my design, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments. [illegible]

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Markdale, Oct. [illegible], 1880.

E. D. WILCOX.

Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1880. 1-ly

Teacher Wanted.

FOR School Section No. 5, Melancthon. One holding a Second or Third Class Certificate. Applicants to state Salary expected. Applications received up to November 1st

SAMUEL McDOWELL, ROBERT OLIVER, ABRAM JACKSON, } Trustees.

Dunhalk P. O.

October 20, 1880. 6-3in

W. BENSON,

—OF THE—

"Bifast House,"

Begs to announce that he is fully prepared to dispose of all articles usual to a general Grocery and Provision Establishment, at the

Lowest Possible Prices!

The stock consists of

Groceries and Provisions!

together with

LIQUORS of all kinds,

such as SCOTCH, IRISH and CANADIAN, of the best brands. I have no desire to puff or misrepresent the performance of impossibilities, but I may say in response to a brother retailer who offers a book worth $1.25 to every purchaser of 3 lbs. of tea, that I will Give Two Books of superior value to those mentioned to all buyers of a like quantity. My house is known as the

Belfast House, op. Haskett Bros

NO SECOND PRICE.

W. BENSON.

Markdale, Oct. 14th, 1880. 5-tf.

Read This.

MONEY LOANED at the VERY LOWEST RATES OF INTEREST. The BORROWER can have his own terms as to the TIME and the WAY he REPAYS it. LOANS put through with the LEAST possible DELAY.

See the Undersigned before applying Elsewhere.

Offices in Shelburne and Dunkalk.

Always in the Shelburne Office on MONDAYS and TUESDAYS, from 8.30 a. m. to 5 p. m., and on WEDNESDAYS, from 8.30 a. m. to 2 p. m.

In the Dundalk Office on THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS. On Thursdays, from 2 to 5 p. m., and on Fridays, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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FARMS SOLD AND RENTED

By sending number of Lot, Concession, Price, Terms, &c., for very *moderate charges.*

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All Kinds of Writings Executed.

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GREAT BARGAINS

Given in the *Best* and *Hardiest* Canadian

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IRON FORCE PUMPS!

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WELLS and CISTERNS,

Sold *Very Cheap.*

Every Farmer ought to get one.

GEO. RUTHERFORD,
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W. L. Smith,

GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station.

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J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-5

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the Standard Office. 14

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Groceries, Provisions

—AND—

LIQUORS!

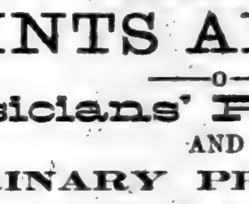
A Fresh Supply of the Most Choice just Received

CALL AND BE SATISFIED AS TO PRICES AND QUALITY.

EMPTY BOTTLES BOUGHT.

Markdale, October 1, 1880.

MEDICAL HALL



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PATENT MEDICINES!

Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances and general Druggists sundries.

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IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCO

TOGETHER WITH

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Physicians' Prescriptions

AND

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Montreal Telegraph Office.

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MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880.

Removed! Removed!

HILL BROTHERS

Would intimate to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they have removed to their new premises and will be pleased to receive a call from our many friends and customers. Call and see us. We will give you BARGAINS. WE MEAN BUSINESS.

SEE OUR

Cheap Dress Goods,

Lustres,

Wincies,

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And Fringes,

Gents, see our CLOTHING. They are Stylish, Good CHEAP.

SEE OUR TWEEDS!

You will find them right in Price and Quality.

Boots and Shoes a Specialty.

Call and get a sample of our Splendid TEAS.

Gentlemen we have a splendid SMOKING TOBACCO, at 40c per lb. Try it.

We again give a general invitation to inspect our goods. Have not time to write long advertisements. Don't believe in them. Would rather have the Goods speak for themselves.

Thanking you for past favors, and trust to have a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880.

Money Lost!

By those who buy stoves before going to

J. GARDINER'S

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Best and Cheapest stock of

STOVES and TINWARE

North of Toronto. 6

FOR SALE.

20 CHARMS—Snowflake, Granite, Wedding, Marble, Basket, (comic chine), Motled Stone, Ashes of Roses, &c., Cards with name on all, 10 cents. Address, S. A. BROLLEY, Box 79 Coonsey P.O. [illegible] 5-4.

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Samuel Morrow.

LICENSED AUCTIONEER for the County of Grey. Sales attended at shortest notice, town or country. Charges moderate. Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880.

J. M. Webster.

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LOAN AND LAND AGENT.

Money to loan at lowest rates of interest in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for [illegible] Loan and Saving Co. All business strictly private, and treated as confidential.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880

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PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, &c. EUGENIA P. O.

THE STANDARD.

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RATHER THIN.—A load of barley was offered for sale on the O. S. Market last week, and the *Tribune* relates the following in connection therewith. The owner of the barley was offered 59c per bushel for it, being 5c above the ruling price, on account of the grain being above the average quality.—When he was about receiving his pay for it, he asked the buyer if it was to be used for the manufacture of liquor. He was informed that such was the intention. He refused to sell, having conscientious scruples against puting his grain to any such use, as he was a strict Temperance man. The buyer then informed him that he would purchase it for milling purposes, but that he could only give him 45c per bushel. "All right," said the farmer, and sold it accordingly, thereby loosing $5.60 on his load of barley. Tell us another funny one.

AN agricltural paper reaching its readers every week, has long been requred, and we have it now in the *Canadian Farmer*, the only Weekly Agricultural paper published in the Dominion, which is to hand. It contains an unusual amount of excellent reading matter of interest to the agriculturist, besides a goodly proportion of general items and literary extracts of a high order. It contains handsome illustrations of various Agricultural, Hoticultural, and Stock subjects, and altogether is a valuable Journal and should be on the table of every farmer. The publisher is offering special inducements to subscribers, will forward sample copies free to any one desiring them, and will sendt he paper for the remainder of this year and all of 1881 for $1.00, or clubed with the STANDARD both papers will be furnished to subscriber to the 1st January, 1882 for $2. It is published every Wednesday, in Welland, Ont., by N. B. Colcock.

COUNTY ITEMS.

A BRAKESMAN named John Philips met with a serious accident at the station here, on Monday night. It appears that he was engaged in coupling cars at the crossing on Main Street, and being very dark, he could not find the coupling pin. While looking for it he was knocked down by the train and fell into the cattle-guard, with his leg on the rail. The wheel gave it a terrible squeeze below the knee, breaking the small bone and lacerating the flesh. Dr. Norton attended the wounded man, and we are glad to know that, beyond being laid up for some time no serions results will follow.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

RAILWAY MATTERS.—The rails on the G. B. & W. Railway were laid last evening up to within a hundred feet of Mount Forest station building. A little further track-laying will be done this morning after which the force under Mr. Newman, the contractor, will go back over the line for the purpose of putting in a quantity of ties This work will occupy several days, and about the beginning of next week the laying of the rails will be continued from Mount Forest in the direction of Durham. By-laws in aid of the improvement of the T. G. & B. Railway have been introdaced and read a first time in Orangeville for $10,000 and in Howick for $12,500.—*Mount Forest examiner.*

KILLED BY A RAM.—On Saturday last Mrs. Richardson, the mother of Mr. John Richardson, who lived with her son and daughter, about three and a half miles from Durham, on the Hanover Road, in Bentinck, was left alone for a time, and on going out into a field near the house, the old lady was attacted by a vicious ram, and on attempting to rise was butted several times, but at last succeeded in reaching the house. When her son returned he found her on the bed, and suffering severely from internal injuries. He at once came into Durham for Dr. Kiernan, who found that her arms were badly lacerated and one of her ribs broken and the lungs affected. The suffer becoming worse on the following day, Dr. Kiernan took Dr. Kelly with him, both doctors doing the best they could for the sufferer, but she gradually sank and died on Tuesday morning. The deceased, who was 78 years of age, was quite active until the time of her fatal mishap.—*Grey Review.*

MARRIED

On the 3rd inst. at the residence of the bride's brothers, by the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Miles Young, of Lakelet, County Huron, to Miss Eliza Haskett, sister of Wm. & Geo. M. Haskett, Hardware merchants of this place.

At Chatsworth, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. James Cameron, Michael Steele, Merchant, Williamsford, to Miss Jessie Mitchell, Chatsworth.

At Clifford, on the 6th inst., by the bride's father, Mr. E. H. Newman of Owen Sound, to Miss Eliza, youngest daughter of the Rev. J. Savage, M. D.

DIED.

In Markdale, on the 30th ult., Thomas Barrington, son of Thomas Mathews, Saddler, aged 3 years, 5 months.

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In Artemesia, on the 31st ult., Willie, son of Andrew Nesbit, aged 6 years.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

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Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

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September, 1880. 2-y

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 1..., 1880.

NOTICE.

GEORGE NIXON,

Toronto House,

DUNDALK,

Have on hand a full stock, including

TEAS, SUGARS, AND GENERAL GROCERIES.

Crockery, Glassware and Lamps

In great variety and at prices to suit the people.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

The largest and best Stock in Town, at Lowest Prices.

DRY GOODS!

My Stock in this department is now complete, and contains the newest lines in Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Winceys, Shirtings, Flannels, Blankets Clouds, Scarfs, and a choice selection of Tweeds.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.—Overcoats—a large Stock. Suits, Shirts, Drawers, Overalls, &c.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS.—A large assortment of A 1 Goods. Also everything else to be found in a First-Class General Store.

The above Goods have all been purchased in the best Markets, and will be sold at BOTTOM PRICES for CASH or PRODUCE.

Dundalk, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-4i

"Time and Tide Wait FOR NO MAN."

DON'T YOU WAIT!

They are selling fast, those justly celebrated Watches. **You want one.** Will give you special quotations for cash and show you a **Large Stock** to select from. Am showing some beautiful things in

SILVERWARE!

Being suitable for Wedding presents, &c. Some extra bargains in

Parlor and Bedroom Clocks!

Large Weight Clocks at $3.50.

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Very low. Also a comple stock of **Gold Chains, Sets, Lockets, Necklets, Pins, Chains, &c., &c.,** all at the very lowest net cash prices. When in Flesherton give me a call.

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W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.,

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Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.

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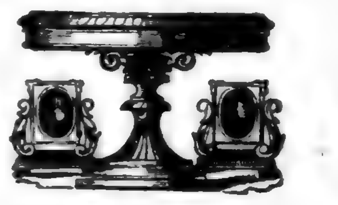

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CRADLES,
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Pictures and Picture Framing!

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

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THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

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Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

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Legacies!

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Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. C. HUNTER, Claim Agent,

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A Choice Farm of 150 Acres

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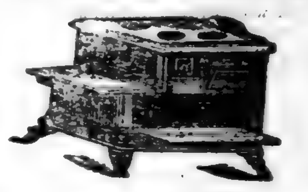
STOVES.  STOVES.

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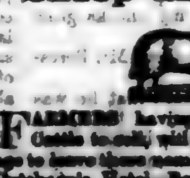

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The burs lay thickly on the lea,
  Where they had lately dropped.

The honest yeoman came that way ;
  The boy—oh, where was he ?
In horizontal pose he lay
  Across the farmer's knee.

Hark ! How the blows and shrieks resound
  In tuneful resonance ;
Oh, how the baton plays around
  The basement of his pants !

"I prithee hold thy cruel hand,"
  The youth in anguish cried.
"Not till I have thy jacket tanned,"
  The husbandman replied.

He beat the thieving youth full sore,
  And smiled in horrid glee.
"I think," he quoth, "thou nevermore
  Wilt rob my chestnut tree."

Then merrily the farmer said :
  "I'll gather these myself."
The boy ? He eats his daily bread
  From-off the pantry-shelf ?

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Lettice," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

"Deborah, I was not thinking of you. My dear, you will be silent as the grave ?"

"Yes."

He is still very calm. The clock in the hall strikes harsh and loud. He whispers covertly—I am chill, and Dale's face is pale—

"Mr. Brenton !"

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Sir Martin Napine—the title is his—is evidently hopeful concerning his trial. The days come and go. Will does not vary his report ; Sir Martin is keen-witted, sagacious, untroubled. His only anxiety is unconnected with his peril—Judith. Skilled detectives are employed in tracing her, yet they have utterly failed. I mourn for her ; but even my regret is divided. I am concerned for her father. Will he be cleared of suspicion or not ? Waking and sleeping, I think of the man whose life is in jeopardy, who, at the bar of justice, must stand accused of his father's murder. The assizes are near. We shall not have much longer to wait ere our suspense ends. I pray the certainty may be joyful. The newspapers are full of the coming trial. Does Judith pursue them ? Surely not, or she would hasten to us ; and yet that she can avoid hearing of Martin Napine seems absurd. His name is on every one's tongue. Will will not tell us what form the defence will take, nor who Sir Martin's witnesses are to be ? We hear all manner of rumours ; but of facts we are thoroughly ignorant.

The expected day dawns eventually. Will and Dale start betimes for Dumton. Letty and I beseech them to return early. They promise readily, but surely without reflection !

Six o'clock—seven, eight, comes and passes. We are excited. We put on our shawls and go out, eager to catch the first sounds of approaching footsteps. I leap like a startled hare. The ring of steps and the echo of voices reach us ! I cannot restrain myself, and I run up the road. Dale sees me and takes me under his protection.

"Deborah," he cries—the moon is shining brightly—"how white you are !"

I look at him, then at Will, and I know Martin Napine is safe ! We grope our way into the dining-room. Letty puts the question my lips refuse to frame.

"Is Sir Martin free ?"

"Yes," Will replies shortly. I gaze at him. There is thankfulness, but little gladness in his tone. Dale interrupts.

"Mrs. Ord, we will have some refreshment, if you please, ere we tell you all that has occurred."

Letty supplies them with food, and rings for coffee when their knives and forks cease to be plied energetically. I wonder, as they drink, when they will appease our thirst. Dale's arm draws me to his side as Will begins

"We have said nothing to you of Sir Martin's intended defence, being afraid to buoy you up with hopes that might be baseless. But, as Deborah is aware, the proof of his innocence mainly hinged on our proving some one else guilty ; that some one was Mr. Brenton. Twenty years ago he swore, at the inquest held on Sir Percival's body, that the last time he saw the deceased Baronet alive was about eight o'clock on the morning of his death. To Silas Thornton he subsequently contradicted this statement. He alleged, in the heat of passion doubtless, that Sir Percival had told him his son had committed bigamy, and that he was likely to be prosecuted for marrying Miss Ellersile, his first wife being alive. Very essential was it that we should prove that he had lied. If we could convict him of perjury our case would look more hopeful. To-day, on being put into the witness-box, Mr. Brenton denied having gained his information from Sir Percival, and asserted that Lady Napine had told him. Silas Thornton was examined ; and, though his evidence was very reluctantly given—had indeed almost to be extorted from him—he was obliged to admit that he had understood that Sir Percival was Mr. Brenton's informant. Mrs. Santon, Judith's governess, was called. She averred that Lady Napine had confidentially communicated to her the disgrace connected with her grand-daughter's birth, and that she had plainly said that Mr. Brenton had broken the unfortunate tidings to her. But her ladyship evidently thought that her husband had known his son's secret, prior to the day of his death, and had not entertained an idea that it was to impart these baleful tidings that Martin Napine came that fatal morning to Napine. The counsel for the prosecution made much of this admission, and hinted we were conspiring at another's expense to save Sir Martin. But even our opponents were silenced when we played our last card. Martin Napine, searching for a cause for Brenton's guilt, deemed it likely that he had embezzled some of Sir Percival's money, and that, as his defalcations could be no longer hidden, the sight of the canvas bag of gold tempted him ; and, in order that he might secure it, Sir Percival's death-blow was aimed. Feasible reasoning was this for us to build upon. Diving into the obscurity of the past, we learned that, with the hard cash Sir Percival had drawn from the bank, he had drawn a two-hundred-pound note. That note was stolen with the gold, and has ever since been missing. The bank had the number, and to-day the note was identified ; for it has been found.

"Found !" I echo.

"Yes ; found in an old and disused safe belonging to Mr. Brenton. The police had a warrant granted them to search the house, and they found the note. It has lain *perdu* for twenty years ; but it has saved Sir Percival's son from a shameful death ! As soon as the police evidence was heard, and Mr. Maul, the manager of the bank, had sworn to the note being the one issued to Sir Percival, the aspect of affairs changed. When the Judge rose, Sir Martin was acquitted, and Mr. Brenton charged with murder."

I feel for Dale's hand. It is a horrible tale, and yet I am thanking Heaven for Judith's father.

"You will see Sir Martin to-morrow," Will concludes softly. "Try to forget this till then. Letty, give us some music."

Letty goes to the piano. As the sweet liquid notes flow from the instrument my spirit is tranquillised.

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The next morning we talk little of Mr. Brenton, shrinking from alluding to the man for whom there can be no possible hope. A rambling walk in the fresh air diverts my thoughts. When Dale and I re-enter the house, Sir Martin Napine is there. Gently he draws me to him and kisses me.

"For my daughters," he whispers, and something impels me to return his caress. Dale shakes hands with him fervently. Letty has been crying. I am not surprised. There is that in Sir Martin's face which tells of bitter shame and anguish. I try to say how rejoiced I am ; but, tongue-tied, I sit down by Letty. Dale asks—

"Does Brenton stand a chance ?"

Sir Martin looks at Letty and me and hesitates. We shudder.

"He will not suffer the penalty of his crime at the hangman's hands," Sir Martin says. And, as Dale stares wonderingly, he adds, "He is dead."

"Dead ?" Dale repeats.

"Yes ; it is an awful tragedy. He was found dead in the cell this morning."

"Then we shall never know——"

"He has left a full confession—a paper for me."

"But, did he die——"

"Hush ; he is dead ! He has escaped the earthly tribunal ; but he cannot escape the higher one."

"He was guilty ?"

"Ay ; it is marvellous that he was never suspected all these years ! But you had made up your minds that I was the offender, and you troubled not to seek traces of guilt in other directions. As I imagined, Brenton had used my father's money for speculative purposes and lost it. From time to time he delayed rendering his accounts ; but at length Sir Percival fixed a day when he would go over the books with him. That day was the one I visited Napine. Almost as I left, he arrived. Sir Percival, in his agitation, disclosed my secret ; then, vexed with himself, he turned hastily to business, chagrined that he had spoken unwisely. He asked Brenton if he had paid the money he held into the bank. Brenton's reply was evasive. My father, who was naturally perturbed, lost his temper.

"'Have you the money ?' he cried. 'Upon my word you act queerly ! Have you it or not ?'

"Brenton, who had in his nervousness picked up my father's heavily-mounted whip, clutched it tightly, but did not reply. Sir Percival, indignant and enraged, went on.

"'If you have misappropriated it, you shall suffer. If you have abused my trust, don't think to find me weakly merciful. I will punish——'

"His threat was never finished. Brenton, beside himself, struck him with force. The blow was fatal. My father fell, with a groan, to the floor. Believing him insensible, and, deeming his only chance of safety was flight, Brenton looked round. On the table was the canvas bag, familiar enough to him. Snatching it, he went to the window stealthily. No one was about, and he dropped to the ground like a cat. Hastening home, he flung some clothes into a portmanteau, and called his servant, to tell her he should be away for a few days ; but she, open-mouthed with horror, blurted out news that altered his course of action. Sir Percival was dead—murdered and robbed by his own son ! A man flying by had just told her.

"Brenton was bold. He went out—went to Napine. He saw Sir Percival, dead—saw the stricken widow ; and did for her all the most compassionate friend could have done. If he hampered the police in their activity, he did so warily. He was sharp enough to perceive that the more time that was lost in following me, the better. Fate favoured him ; I was not overtaken. His reputation was untarnished. He remained in Lady Napine's services, winning golden opinions of all men. By some extraordinary mistake he did not destroy the note which has now proclaimed him guilty. He thought he had burned it with the canvas bag. Robert Brenton is only one more whose sin has been found out through lack of carefulness. He destroyed all traces of his guilt but one. That one would have hanged him."

After a long silence Dale says—

"Silas Thornton will have to give up Napine."

"Yes ;" Sir Martin replies ; "I am its lawful owner. I shall not reside there until I bring home my daughter. I had hoped she would have been with me ere this. I go to London to-night in search of her."

"Judith will be glad. She will find a father, you a daughter."

"Yes"—Sir Martin's voice is mellifluous—"my dear Cicely's child will welcome me. Mr. Carey, may I trouble you with a little private conversation ?"

Will rises. Sir Martin bids Letty farewell, takes me in his arms, and blesses me. I beg him to bring Judith to us quickly. He promises, little guessing when he will fulfil his word. Presently the door closes, and Will returns. As we stand together the bells ring out a gay clamorous peal.

"For Sir Martin," Will explains. "A greeting to Napine."

My thoughts fly off at a tangent. I think of the unhappy man whose confession has reinstated Sir Martin in the eyes of the public—think of him uncared for, dead !

Years after, Dale tells me that he died a suicide's death ; but this I do not know now.

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I am resting on the sofa, and mamma is on a lounge near me. Olive, looking so well and bonnie, is cutting the leaves of a new book, and Mr. Ord is nodding comfortably.

Eighteen months and more have gone. I am a spinster no longer. I am Dale Ord's wife. We live at Ord Court, and are perfectly, blissfully happy. Mr. and Mrs. Ord have made a genuine daughter of me ; they care for me as though I were indeed their own child. Very sincerely should I grieve if the once-talked-of arrangement were carried out, and Mr. and Mrs. Ord left Ord Court. It is not the first time by many that I have been down-stairs since my baby was born ; but my dear ones will not cease to love and caress me, and I am not disinclined to be petted and tended as though I were somewhat of an invalid. Mamma and Olive are paying me a visit. Norah is married. Our old maid, as we irreverently termed her, only came back from *la belle* France to return to it *en permanence*. She has married a Frenchman, one of the old nobility. We have lost her ; but, as she is content, we cannot be otherwise. Mamma misses her much ; but, believing that woman's life is incomplete if spent in single blessedness, she accepts her unwonted care rejoicingly.

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ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

I often wandered by the brink of the creek that crossed a part of our garden, and looking down into the clear water, I fancied I could see that fair ringlet tossing on the pebbles beneath.

"A tress o' golden hair,
O' drowned maiden's hair. . .
Above the nets at sea."

Kingsley's pretty song was always in my mind.

I could not have spoken of these fancies of mine to any one ; they were however, rarely absent from my thoughts ; and I think that constant brooding over them would have been very injurious to me, had not something happened about this time which turned my thoughts into a different direction.

CHAPTER III.

Mr. Beresford did not purchase the estate in our neighbourhood which he had made inquiries about. He had completely disappeared from my horizon, and I knew not what had become of him.

The property in question was bought by a Mr. Vane, who was a stranger to both my father and myself.

One sultry evening I was seated in the verandah, with Mrs. Holland sewing near me, by way of a companion in my loneliness. I was very lonely now that Rose was gone. Mrs. Holland and I were much attached to one another, and I liked to have her with me. She had lived with us ever since Rose was a baby, and was quite one of the family, and we could speak to her confidentially of all that happened.

I had been talking to her about Herbert Tempest. He had quite given up coming to see us now ; he had accepted Rose's loss so quietly as to arouse my disgust and indignation.

"Poor girl !" he had said, in his placid way. "I was certainly very fond of her once."

I thought of Mrs. Browning's lines—

"Say never 'I loved once.'
They never loved
Who say that they , loved once.'"

And then those lines of Southey's occurred to me—

"They sin who tell us love can die ;
Its holy flame for ever burneth ;
From Heaven it came, to Heaven returneth ;
Too oft on earth a troublous guest,
At times received, at times oppressed ;
It here is tried and purified,
In Heaven it hath its perfect rest ;
It cometh here with grief and care,
But the harvest-time of love is there."

Already rumours had reached me that Herbert was paying attention to the reigning beauty in the chief town of our province—the girl who had succeeded to the position poor Rose had occupied only a month or two before.

"He never really loved her," I said scornfully to Mrs. Holland. "If he had he could not have forgotten her so soon."

"He is not the sort of gentleman to love very warmly," she replied calmly, threading her needle as she spoke. "I have seen some who were of a different make."

"Have you really, Carrie dear ?" I asked. Her name was Caroline, and we had always called her "Carrie" in the nursery. "Oh do tell me the names of some of them !" I added, half laughing.

She laughed too, hesitated, and glanced at me, and then she said—

I could not tell why, perhaps it was her look, but I suddenly felt my cheeks grow hot.

I really knew very little about Mr. Beresford.

From my father I had heard that he was one of a very wealthy family at home, but only a younger son, and that he had come out to New Zealand, with a younger son's portion, to make as much more of it as fortune would allow him.

"What is that Carrie," I said hastily, in order to turn the course of the conversation—"that dark speck far away in the distance ?"

She looked in the direction to which I pointed. From where we were seated in the verandah we could see over a wide extent of country. The day had been oppressively hot, but a faint breeze had sprung up as the evening drew on. The sun was just setting ; his declining rays had clothed the mountains in raiment of dazzling gold, and lighted up portions of the plain beneath.

"That dark speck ?" said Mrs. Holland, after a moment's observation of it. "I think it is a man on horseback."

"And he is coming here," I rejoined, after watching him for a moment or two.

"Yes ; he certainly is," she assented.

Slowly, steadily, a dark spot between myself and the sunlight, the man came on. He did not seem to be in haste ; he passed gradually and slowly from light to shadow, then to light again ; and we saw him at last enter the private road to the house.

In due time he appeared before Mrs. Holland and myself, as we sat in the verandah. He dismounted at once and took off his hat to me. I saw before me a tall dark man, with a pale face and a black moustache, and remarkably bright black eyes.

"I have called," he said, "to see Mr. Pelham. Have I the pleasure of addressing Miss Catherine Pelham ?"

His voice and manner were those of a gentleman. I bowed without speaking in reply to his question, and he went on—

"My name is Cyril Vane."

"Then you are our new neighbour," I said. "I believe my father is at home. Will you walk in ?"

He fastened his horse to the verandah and followed me into the house. I led him into the drawing-room and sent Mrs. Holland to tell my father he was wanted.

Meanwhile I addressed a few civil commonplace remarks to Mr. Vane ; but I thought his manner somewhat forward and presuming, and he did not impress me favourably ; so that, when my father at last appeared, I was glad to be set at liberty, and left them alone together.

Mr. Vane remained a long time talking to my father. When I returned to the drawing-room I found that he had been invited to remain the night, and had accepted the invitation. He had bought the property adjoining my father's, which Mr. Beresford had once inquired about ; and he was therefore now our nearest neighbour.

I did not feel attracted by him, and I kept aloof from that side of the room where he was seated. Presently I found that he had crossed over, and had taken a chair quite near to me.

It was growing dusk, and I imagine that he must have been guided by the glimmer of my white dress in the gathering darkness for see me distinctly he could not.

I was of course wearing deep mourning for my sister, but on this hot oppressive evening I had replaced my heavy black silk by a white muslin gown, relieved here and there with black ribbons.

"Papa," I called out, "may I light the lamp ? I cannot see anything."

In truth I did not like sitting in the gloaming so near to a man whose appearance I did not fancy, and, when my father gave the required permission, I rose at once, lighted the lamp, and placed it on the table.

Mr. Vane had risen when I did so, and had remained standing. In the centre of the mantlepiece close to him was a large beautiful photograph of Rose, framed in purple velvet.

She had been photographed and sketched so often that we had a likeness or two of her in nearly every room in the house. My father and I had been so proud of our beautiful Rose ; she was our "white rose of all the world."

In the picture I am speaking of she was seated, arranging a basket of flowers and ferns. There were forget-me-nots in her hair exactly as she wore them when she died. Over her shoulder fell a long curl, just like the one which I was determined never to give up seeking for until I found it again, and found with it the key to the mystery of her death. Mr. Vane bent to examine the photograph.

"Who is that lady ?" he inquired.

"My sister," I answered shortly. I thought it a matter of course that he must be aware of her death, for it was still the talk of our neighbourhood.

He made no reply ; he was still examining the portrait, and something in his look caused me to fancy that he did not admire it.

"You cannot judge of what she was from that likeness," I said. "You never saw her, or you would know that she was very handsome."

"You are mistaken," he replied coolly. "I have seen her." Then he added in a moment, as if in explanation of his words, "I met her several times while she was staying in town, and I heard her beauty much spoken of."

"Then you must have known that it was worth talking about," I remarked, slightly irritated at something in his manner which annoyed me, I did not know why.

"I thought her over-praised," he answered, and he cast what I thought a black look at the photograph.

I felt really indignant ; for this disparagement of Rose to her sister, now that she was gone from us, seemed to me in very bad taste.

"*De mortuis nil nisi bonum*," I said softly and sadly.

There was a large mirror just opposite to us ; I could see Cyril Vane's face from where I stood, and I could not help looking at it. Suddenly he turned from where I stood, and encountered my eyes fixed on him in the glass. What was written in the look that he gave me ? Anger, hatred, defiance, and—was it only my fancy or not ?—I thought too that there mingled and blended with it all a touch of fear.

However it might be, he moved away from me at once, and we never exchanged another word during the remainder of the evening.

After this I thought that Mr. Vane and I had better keep aloof from one another for the future ; we seemed to have had nearly enough of each other's society.

I never doubted for a moment that the antipathy I felt towards him must be mutual, and that he secretly disliked me as much as I did him. But I was entirely mistaken.

The next morning he approached me as I sat sewing dilligently after breakfast, with a humble and apologetic expression on his dark face and in his fierce black eyes.

"You are angry with me, Miss Cathie," he said softly.

"Angry !" I repeated. "Oh dear no ! Why should I be ?"

"Because," he said, "I have had the good taste to think Miss Rose's sister handsomer than she was herself."

This was a hateful compliment to me, made as it was at the expense of my lost sister, and I was certainly very angry, but I struggled hard not to show it.

"When you know me better, you will know that compliments are thrown away upon me," I said ; "and then you will spare yourself the trouble of trying to pay them." And I tried to laugh, but I failed in the attempt.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Irish Troubles.

According to the English and Irish journals the incendiary utterances of the orators and agitators of the Land league are exciting no little apprehension and uneasiness in the public mind. The government are believed to have under consideration the advisability of prohibiting these gatherings, but so far nothing has been done beyond watching the assemblies and taking notes of the speeches. The resolutions adopted at the meeting of the Catholic bishops and clergymen of Cloyne, to which reference is made in the preceding dispatches are : First, that the rents ought to be fixed by arbitration or valuation, to prevent rack-renting ; second, that no one should be disturbed from his holding so long as he paid that fair rent ; third, that there ought to be free sale in all cases, whether rent was paid or not ; fourth, that there should be permission for laborers' cottages ; fifth, that there ought to be reclamation on waste lands, as the first step in peasant proprietorship ; sixth, that although they disapproved of the constitution of the land commission, still they thought the more intelligent of the farmers ought to give evidence before it and thus make their grievances known ; seventh, all the priests pledged themselves to carry out these resolutions, and to co-operate with any respectable organization, Land league or other, to the extent of these resolutions. In addition they advise the farmers who may have useful evidence to give to tender it to the land commission, although dissatisfied with the constitution of the commission, being convinced of the sincere desire of the present government to regulate on just and equitable principles the relation between landlord and tenant in Ireland. As a necessary preliminary to the practical settlement of the land question, they advise the entire abolition of the law of primogeniture and the other legal obstacles to the free transfer of land. The declaration of the priests has been favourably commented upon by *The Freeman's Journal*, which considers the Cloyne platform the safest and soundest yet erected. The declaration, continues *The Journal*, is evidently the work of men who are of the people and with the people.—The London Echo.

"Orange Sauce" ; or, the Pig's Plea.

A GHOST STORY.

[NOTE.—Orange Sauce is composed of the grated rind of bitter oranges, horse-radish, mustard, cayenne pepper, &c. It is as important an adjunct to ham as brown bread and butter to whitebait, or apple sauce to sucking-pig, and brings out in a marvellous manner certain delicate aromas, certain hidden subtleties of flavour, which, without its aid, are almost imperceptible to an ordinary palate.

The story told in the following verses is based on fact, or rather on a dream, in which various facts bearing on the subject were, by the phantastic spell of dyspepsia, strangely inverted and blended.]

I.

The lamps are lit in the banquet hall,
  And glorious scene they light ;
A table, fair with fruit and flowers,
  With plate and crystal bright ;
Aglow with wealth of colour,
  With claret's ruby beam,
With the moonlight haze of Rhine wine,
  And sherry's golden gleam.

II.

While here and there, in contrast,
  Stand flasks of sober hue,
The bottled bliss of Burgundy—
  The yellow seal—the blue ;
And high above their fellows—
  Of all grapes' blood the flower—
The regal magnums of champagne,
  Enthroned on ice-pails, tower.

III.

But who could tell the glories,
  Of all the viands there,
From every land collected,
  From earth and sea and air,
From icy arctic deserts,
  From tropical Brazils,
From shores of the misty Baltic,
  From bonny Scotland's hills ;

IV.

From the blue Alsatian mountains,
  Came the geese's liver "gras,"
And the Russian sturgeon had yielded
  Its eggs, for the caviare ;
By the chine of a British oxen,
  Stood a savoury reindeer tongue,
Which once had licked the snowy moss,
  Far Lapland's plains among.

V.

And there were those ducks, so luscious,
  Known as the "canvas backed,"
Which once on distant Texas' lakes,
  A merry brood, had quacked ;
And salmon, which in Norway
  The rapids high had leapt,
With silver trout from Scottish pools,
  There close together slept.

VI.

And there was a Southdown "gigot,"
  Just lightly touched with "l'ail,"
And fair in garb of vestal white,
  "Supreme de volaille ;"
And larks—the skylark's note is sweet,
  As he soars through the morning air ;
But sweeter far is his tuneful breast,
  Cooked "en aspic" with care.

VII.

And there, ah there, majestic,
  One dish stood in its pride,
The banquet's noblest trophy,
  All others paled beside ;
'Twas neither fish nor pastry,
  Nor beef, nor veal, nor lamb :
In massive grandeur there it lay,
  A huge Westphalian Ham !

VIII.

Vast was it, I ween, and shapely,
  A giant of its kind ;
You might search the wide world over
  Ere you its peer could find.
And oh ! the subtle fragrance,
  That from its core arose,
Sweeter than when the warm south wind
  O'er beds of violets blows.

IX.

But why, with all this splendour
  Spread out before his eyes,
Stands the host, absorbed in moody thought,
  Heaving resounding sighs ?
And why, whene'er he glances
  Towards that glorious Ham,
Does he murmur a monosyllable,
  Which I grieve to say is "Dam !" ?
And why does he groan and mutter,
  In accents of remorse,
Whene'er at the clock he gazes ;
  "The Sauce—the Orange Sauce !" ?

The reason is this : it is ten minutes to twelve. At twelve the guests invited to the banquet are expected to arrive, and as yet the host has not received the recipe for Orange Sauce, a preparation which will enhance a hundredfold the merits of the Great Ham, the *piece de resistance* of his banquet. At last he rings for the cook, and asks him what is to be done. "As a man of feeling and conscience, as an epicure, there is but one course open to you," said the cook : "leave the Ham for some other day ; the sacrifice is great, I admit, but *such* a Ham must not, and cannot be eaten except *with* Orange Sauce." "Impossible !" replied the host, "my reputation as an Amphitryon depends on the success of this feast, and the crowning triumph of the banquet is, as you know, that very Ham, which you would counsel me to put aside. No, it must not be !" The cook, aghast at this decision, threw himself on his knees, and implored his master not to commit the crime he intended, which he averred ran little short of sacrilege, and which was an act of vandalism doubly reprehensible in so distinguished a gastronome.

But the host was deaf to the expostulations of his faithful servant, and at last, losing his temper, swore a terrible oath, and exclaimed that nothing in heaven or earth should stop him from eating the Ham that night with or without the "Orange Sauce." With tears in his eyes, and dumb with horror, the cook left the room, and went to the kitchen, where he remained in fervent prayer, hoping that the expected recipe might yet arrive in time to avert the impending catastrophe. Meanwhile :

X.

The cook had hardly left the room,
  When o'er the host there fell,
A feeling of mysterious awe,
  Some supernatural spell.

XI.

And o'er him crept, he knew not how,
  A shiver of terror and dread ;
As with lead oppressed, was his choking breast,
  And his hair stood up on his head.

XII.

A something, a creeping, a horrible thing,
  Seemed to palsy every limb,
And his blood so bold, ran icily cold,
  And his brain began to swim.

XIII.

He tried to fly, but he could not fly,
  To the spot were glued his feet,
And he tried to shriek, but he could not shriek,
  His heart ceased almost to beat.

XIV.

And there in front of him, loomed the thing,
  Dark, shadowy, mystic, big ;
A weird, blue light around it played :
  'Twas a giant, spectral Pig !

XV.

It spoke, and its voice had a ghastly sound,
  A hollow, mournful tone,
As when the wind, round the house at night,
  Makes a plaintive, sobbing moan.

XVI.

"Oh, I am the Ghost of the Pig," it said,
  "Whose Ham on yonder board
Stands worthy of the noblest m——
  A morsel for a lord.
That Ham—my Ham ! No other
  Was e'er so fair and sleek,
With its flesh of pink and pearly white,
  Like your beauties' damask cheek.
That Ham that you would venture
  (And here its voice grew hoarse),
To eat, on this thrice-cursed night,
  Without the Orange Sauce !

XVII.

"But from the realms of Pig-land,
  I have hither come with speed,
To stop you from the doing
  Of such a heinous deed.
Then listen, foolish mortal,
  To the words I have to say,
And prepare, when I am ended,
  With your life for your crime to pay !

XVIII.

"In a forest of Westphalia,
  That land of noblest swine,
I first came into being,
  The eldest one of nine.

It was the merry spring-time,
  And earth and sky were gay,
Ah ! 'twere a glorious thing to live,
  If it were always May !

XIX.

"In the green Westphalian forest,
  Beneath the oak-tree shade,
A joyous band of sucklings,
  Our childish games we played ;
With capers and with scampers,
  We whiled those happy hours,
What merry grunts of laughter,
  What squeals of joy were ours !

XX.

"How we revelled in the pleasaunce,
  Of that gleeful forest-life,
In innocent oblivion
  Of the fatal butcher's knife.
How we wantoned in the sunshine,
  In the music of the trees,
As they sang in mighty chorus,
  To the anthems of the breeze.

XXI.

"Oh ! those greedy morning-feastings
  On the acorn, tender, sweet ;
And those lazy, dreamy baskings
  In the warm sun's mellow heat ;
Whilst noonday peace and silence,
  Reigned o'er the forest all,
Scarce broke by some far horn ringing,
  Or a blackbird's melodious call.

XXII.

"Out on the fools who fancy
  That pigs to nought aspire,
Save to stuff, and gorge, and guzzle,
  And to wallow in the mire.
Give them the leafy forest !
  Give them the meadows green !
The pure, free air of heaven.
  And see, if they're unclean !

XXIII.

"Of all my herd of kindred,
  The fairest one was I,
For none so sleek, and round of flank,
  And none so long of thigh.
In my promising proportions,
  My mother's heart rejoiced,
And oft would, gazing on me,
  Her dear old eyes grow moist.

XXIV.

"And, gently my snout caressing,
  Old tales she would croon to me,
Of what my fathers once had been,
  What I should try to be.
Bidding me solemnly promise,
  To make my life's chief aim,
To live that I might worthy die,
  Of the old Westphalian fame.

XXV.

"And thus lived I, and thus grew I,
  Until the hour came nigh,
When, in the fulness of my prime,
  They led me forth to die.
Around me pressed my kindred,
  Bitter the tears they shed,
But I walked proudly smiling,
  Erect and firm my head.

XXVI.

"'You must not weep for me, brethren,'
  I said with cheerful voice,
'In the glory that awaits me,
  Rather should you rejoice.
I face my fate with smiling brow,
  Serene and calm, because
I die as my fat fathers died,
  Well worthy Orange Sauce.

XXVII.

"'And Pig who earns that honour,
  To the highest heaven goes,
To glades where, ever ripe and sweet,
  The tender acorn grows.
Where the ground an endless harvest
  Of perfumed truffles yields,
Ah, golden dream is the good Pig's life,
  In these elysian fields.

XXVIII.

"'And I too soon shall go there,
  And I shall taste those joys,
The food that never surfeits,
  The wash that never cloys.
Yes, to those fairy regions,
  My soul must go perforce,
For who would ever eat my Ham,
  Without the Orange Sauce !'

XXIX.

"And thus I died, my Ham stands there ;
  Look on it and declare,
Hast seen a flank more noble,
  Hast seen a Ham more fair ?
Yet you would bring dishonour
  On me, without remorse,
And eat it, sacrilegious wretch !
  Without the Orange Sauce !"

XXX.

And here the spectre bent its head,
  Its eyes like red coals grew,
And its white tusks fiercely baring,
  Full at the host it flew.
Another moment in his gore,
  He would have lain, a corse,
And others might have ate that Ham,
  And perhaps, with Orange Sauce.

XXXI.

But at that moment, at the door
  There came a sudden tap,
And the spectre vanished in thin air,
  With a noise like thunder-clap.

XXXII.

Whilst pale and trembling stood the host,
  As he drew a long, long breath,
And thanked his stars for his near escape
  From the jaws of an awful death.

XXXIII.

At the opened door a servant stood,
  A letter in his hand ;
Quick seized the host the envelope,
  Quick its contents he scanned,
And then he shouted "Victory !"
  And a long, loud laugh laughed he,
For there in his hand he held it,
  The sore-missed recipe.

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XXXIV.

The guests arrived, a merry throng,
  And their eyes gleamed at the sight
Of that table, fair with fruit and flowers,
  With plate and crystal bright.
And soon arose a clatter,
  Of plates and knives and forks,
Mingled with merry laughter,
  And bursting of many corks.

XXXV.

Till, making a sign of silence,
  Solemn, up rose the host,
And told them the strange story
  Of the sauce and the warning ghost.
And the Ham was carved, and all present
  Partook of its flesh, of course,
'Midst cries of approbation,
  With the glorious Orange Sauce !
And draining many a bumper,
  Each guest there loudly swore,
Such perfect Ham down mortal throat
  Had never passed before.

MORAL.

When you eat a fine Ham, eat it *with* Orange Sauce, and thus, while gratifying your own palates, you will be performing a grateful act of justice to the spirit of the animal, who, as would appear from the foregoing, is actuated in life by a nobler purpose than humanity usually gives him credit for.

J. BEERBOHM.

A Bright Bird.

A large and handsome whooping stork, says The Council Bluff's Nonpariel, can be seen daily strutting around the yard at the residence of Prof. Paige in this city. The elongated bird was purchased by the professor during a visit to Mexico some months since and has become quite tame. Among other food that the stork relishes is a nice fat mouse. Mrs Paige has a small wire trap in the house, and whenever a mouse happens to wander therein, he becomes a sweet morsel for his storkship. The other day Mrs. Paige noticed the bird standing near the barn watching intently at a small hole leading beneath the building. The stork remained in an attitude of watchfulness for nearly half an hour, and Mrs. Paige becoming curious, concluded to watch and see what followed. Finally she saw a mouse creep into sight from under the barn, and at the same instant the intelligent stork pounced down on the mouse and "took him in," killing it first and then eating it. After performing this intelligent feat, the stork resumed his vigilance at the mouse hole, and, after watching sharply for over an hour, seemed to grow weary of his work or got out of patience, and marching to the house, entered the kitchen, and picking up the mouse trap, from which he had so often been fed, he returned to the barn and set the trap down near the hole, evidently appreciating the use of the trap, and believing that it would catch a mouse for him. If anyone has got a brighter bird than that we would like to hear from it.

A Rattlesnake's Bite Cured.

THE HAZARDOUS EXPERIMENT AND EXTRAORDINARY RECOVERY OF AN ENGLISH SURGEON.

[From Land and Water.]

The following is an abstract of an account by Dr. Arthur Stradling, dated R. M. steamer Elbe, Santos, Aug. 4, of his extraordinary recovery from a snake bite, received while experimenting to discover a prophylactic against the venom of snakes :

The snake, a *Crotalus horridus*, which he received at Pernambuco from a friend, was a small one, not eighteen inches long, with only two joints on his rattle. About one o'clock in the morning, when all was quiet, he opened the box containing the snake and introduced his hand, but felt a horror and disgust of the reptile such as he never experienced of any snake before, and withdrew his hand without touching it. He supposed his "nerves" were out of order, for it was some time before he could make up his mind to proceed ; when he did so he put a thick leather glove on his left hand, and grasped the snake by the neck, intending to let it bite his right arm just above the wrist. The snake managed to wriggle through his fingers, and struck him with a back-handed flash like a whip below the gauntlet on the front of the left fore-arm, breaking off one of its fangs in doing so, and the piece was left sticking in the wound. Putting it back in the box, he picked out the bit of fang with a pair of forceps, and sat down quietly to await results. He had ligatures, ammonia, brandy, and nitric acid at hand in readiness. There were two punctures, a little more than half an inch apart, a trace of blood in one of them, no common teeth marks at all.

Nothing came of it, and he went on writing until 5 a.m. Then he noticed that the lymphatics higher up the arm were swollen and inflamed, and that there was a lump painful to the touch underneath, and almost at the same moment he became aware of light-headedness, and of a burning sensation traversing his whole frame. There seemed to great vascular and mental excitement, yet his temperature was down to 90° 4'. He applied nitric acid to the wound, and while considering what to take in the way of internal remedies the excitement was suddenly succeeded by a depression and drowsiness so irresistible that he had only time to reach his bunk, when he became unconscious. Dr. Wyman, a passenger on the Elbe, was called at 11 a.m. to see Dr. Stradling, and found him lying on his back on a bunk, legs stretched out, face and lips pale, expression dull ; eyes fixed and glassy, the lids remaining open or shut as they were placed ; pupils contracted. General surface of body warm and moist, but the feet and legs cold to above the knee. Temperature in axilla 99° 8'. Respiration about thirteen per minute ; shallow. At that time, and for about four hours afterward, there was very little movement of the ribs, there being paralysis of the intercostal muscles, the respiration was almost, if not entirely, abdominal. The breathing during the whole period was very irregular, both in frequency and depth ; occasionally stertorous. Heart sounds at apex and base normal and distinct at first ; pulse varying from 88 to 94, moderately full, but easily compressible, sometimes irregular in force, this irregularity being coincident with irregularity of breathing.

There was complete paralysis of the lower extremities. On the left forearm were two black punctures, surrounded by a dusky margin of inflammation ; the arm swollen, but very slightly. These punctures Dr. Wyman sucked, drawing a little blood from one of them, and applied strong nitric acid freely. He also put on a ligature tightly above the elbow, which gave rise to great swelling of the forearm and hand later on. He administered a drachm of sulphuric ether twice in about twenty minutes, and then half a drachm with the same quantity of compound spirit of ammonia every twenty minutes or half an hour, until 3 o'clock in the afternoon ; about six drachms of ether and an ounce of ammonia altogether being taken. There was no movement of the body whatever until 3 o'clock, when a well-defined tetanic spasm arched the body backward ; hiccough, lasting some minutes, occurred several times, and there was twitching about the muscles of the upper part of the chest and shoulders. There was no vomiting. The sufferer spoke occasionally, complaining of a painful sensation at the heart, and often repeating again and again words which had no meaning in them, several times expressing his belief that he should not recover. At 4 o'clock he was given beef tea, with egg and brandy alternately with the ether and ammonia. After three o'clock the spasmodic movements ceased to recur, and with the right hand he could grasp very feebly ; he gradually recovered power in the right arm, right leg, left leg and arm, in the order given. The ligature was then removed, and at 5 o'clock he was conscious, and all general symptoms had disappeared, except great exhaustion and want of power in the back, which was apparent when he was raised up. He became rather hysterical. An hour later he fell asleep, and slept well for twelve hours, except that he was roused every two hours to take nourishment. Dr. Stradling says that when he awoke he was in no pain, but as weak as a baby, and became a mere lay figure for the exhibition of chicken broth, jelly, smelling salts, strong drink, misplaced sympathy, arrowroot, and slippers.

HIGH WAYS AND BYE WAYS OF TORONTO.

(From The Truth.)

I was wonderfully pleased to notice that *Grip* had given TRUTH a kindly pat on the shoulder, and had warned it against all naughty ways, especially against all tendencies toward becoming a "society paper," whatever that may mean. What *is* that after all ? I have no more idea than a child unborn, and when I read that my own lucubrations squinted in that direction I did not know what to think, or how to explain matters. In my ignorance, I thought every newspaper more or less a society one. They all speak of the sayings and doings of men as individuals, or as they are appointed in companies ; of the tricks and sins that are more or less common ; of what men are planning, and how they are acting. In short, they give each day's history, or each week's, according to the particular idea they form of what is important, or the reverse. As to my

MOVING IN "SOCIETY,"

as that is sometimes understood, and trying to make capital out of mens' follies and womans' foibles.—Heaven help me, it is far far out of my line, I am a plain, plain man, with little or no faculty for such work, and with no encouragement from the editor of TRUTH to try my hand at it as a beginner. I leave that to *Grip* himself, and to the *Telegram*, and the *World*, all of which respected publications seem to me to have far more pleasure in that sort of work, than TRUTH has ever manifested in its short and yet encouraging career. Have I ever said a single word against the ladies of Toronto ? Have I ever once hinted at snobbery ? Have I mourned over the rudeness of our cookery, and the necessity there is for getting up a respectable restaurant at which a gentleman may get a decent meal ? Nothing of the kind.

I BELIEVE IN THE LADIES OF TORONTO ;

in their beauty, in their graces, in their goodness, and their general culture. I bring no railing accusation against any one, and don't set myself up as a superior person, who can afford to look down on all my neighbours as rude and uncultivated, or to swear at all those who are not in my set, as upstarts and impostors. The fact is, in this country we are all very much on alevel. What is the use in affecting to be something superfine, and in trying to make oneself merry at the expense of decent neighbours and acquaintances, who may have their peculiarities, but are very worthy people after all ? I have no particular idea that I have a mission, and don't set myself to write down this man, or write up that woman. Did you think that I would make a direct set at

CAPTAIN PRINCE,

or play *Jeames*, or something worse to the Lieut. Governor, in order to show my influence, and make manifest the power of the press ? If you did, you were mistaken, I can assure you. I busy myself with the ordinary works, and the ordinary workers of the city, and shall hope never to go out of my way to notice the "superfines," either in the matter of praise, or blame, except of course, when I cannot help it. It goes without saying, that I was at the meetings of

THE JUBILEE SINGERS

and thought that these dark skinned brothers and sisters did their work remarkably well. One could not help noticing, however, that their finest pieces were least applauded, and that the funny and sensational, or what looked particularly in that direction, chiefly brought down the house. Yet why should that be thought strange ? The taste for the grotesque is very strong, and fun has been so associated with coloured minstrels, that the beautiful, the tender, and the pathetic, are scarcely expected in such a connection, and can scarcely be either appreciated or applauded when they actually appear. Yet let me do my fellow citizens the justice of saying that, in this instance, the admiration given to the most tender and attractive efforts of these wonderful singers was neither stinted nor indiscriminating. Of course, it will always be a minority that can see and feel such things, but the majority was a large one on both these occasions, and the enthusiasm and sympathy were both wide and deep.

It would never have done had I not gone to hear

JOHN B. GOUGH

once more. He is ageing, and that pretty rapidly, yet he has still much of his old fire, and his power over an audience whether to move to temper or to tears, is not much less than in the days of his prime. Isn't it curious that there are so few lecturers who can draw "a paying" house in Toronto, and that of these few, almost all get used up in a year or two, so that it is of no use to bring them back, unless their inviters are prepared for a deficit of funds, and a discouragingly thin house ? Gough, and one or two more may be regarded as the only exceptions, and it speaks volumes for the old man eloquent, that even on the well-worn theme of Total Abstinence, he can always command a full attendance, and awaken any amount of enthusiasm among many who have little sympathy with his hatred for "grog." No man tells a better story than J. B., and none can accompany it better with appropriate histrionics. But that won't account for his continued popularity. He is not a buffoon, by any means, and though I don't believe in every thing he says, and may not approve of everything he has done, yet I like him immensely, and wish from my heart that his shadow may never grow less.

What is all this you have been saying

ABOUT DR. POTTS

and the Metropolitan ? I have been hearing about it wherever I went, for this week past. You really must be careful, or you'll get into trouble without me helping you in the matter at all. At the same time, were you very, very far from the mark ? I don't believe you were, but it is difficult to speak the truth even in love and admiration, without treading on some unpleasantly swelled toe. I should hope nobody will think of thrashing the truthful editor, or otherwise showing that he belongs to the church militant. Oh when I am about that matter, at any rate, I may mention that there are strange notions about the objects at which TRUTH aims, and the course which it pursues. Of all things in the world, I have heard people saying that it was a paper devoted to "freethinking" and all that was bad. You don't say ? If people *would* only read and judge for themselves they would soon have a more accurate, and a more favourable idea.

It would be unpardonable for me to overlook

THE LACROSSE MATCH

last Saturday, and yet what can be said about it, but that it was a very hotly contested encounter, and that both sides claimed the victory. I am old fogey enough not to admire such rough play. Why should some of the combatants have looked as if they had actually come out of a battle royal with streaming blood, bruised limbs, and all the etc's of an earnest and hot-tempered fight ? Perhaps it makes the whole more sensational, and sends a keener thrill through the hearts of the spectators. But after all, it is rather savage like. I wonder if all this sort of work is necessary, in order to have lacrosse in its perfection ? If so, I would rather not have it at all, though it may seem rather slow, and unpatriotic to hint in this way, a word against Canadas national game.

It would really seem that our police force are of no use.

BURGLARIES ARE THE ORDER OF THE DAY,

or rather of the night, and no trace of the burglars can be had, except in the wreckage which they leave behind. It is all very well to say "keep dark and you'll hear all about it by and bye." But then when the goods are gone, and no return is ever made, and profits in this way disappear, the unfortunate losers may be excused, if they cry out somewhat, and begin to believe that the guardians of the night, should look a little more alive. It would be difficult to say how often one of the stores on Yonge street has been "gone through." I know of at least, half a dozen times, and there may have been a great many more. At one time a thousand dollars worth was taken ; at another six hundred ; and this last time a few days ago fully four hundred, and not a copper's worth even recovered, or the faintest hint ever given of how the "swag" had disappeared. Isn't that bad ? I should just say it was. The truth is, that the system of private watchmen is becoming more and more common, and our whole city will speedily be under a double system of police, and not particularly safe after all.

WHAT IS THE MATTER ?

Is it with me, or the weather ? or what ? I don't feel as if I could write with my usual—well—let me say, elegance and force. I went with such zeal and enthusiasm into the work at first, that, as I feared, I have exhausted myself and am fain to stop, lest your readers should think that I had turned already dull, and were fast hastening to be at once a proser and a bore.

I'll be all right by next week. A walk into the country, with fresh fields and pastures new, will soon set me up. In the meantime, I can only add that the weather has been changeable, and that continued excitement must have put me out of sorts. A good many of my acquaintances, I am glad to say, are quite as serious and as dull as

JACOB FAITHFUL.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

A WOMAN frequently resists the love she feels, but cannot resist the love she inspires.

IT is not an easy task to so regulate your life that when you come to die you will have nothing to regret.

WITHOUT virtue there can be no true happiness ; but we want love joined with virtue to give us all the good which this world is capable of besto wing

A SOUR Christian is just like sour milk. Both were intended to be sweet, but something as turned them, and after being turned they both become worthless.

IF you leave the cork out of the bottle of perfume the perfume will all evaporate ; and if you are careless about your religion it will take itself off in the same way.

MEASURED by man's desires, he cannot live long enough ; measured by his good deeds, he has not lived long enough ; measured by his evil deeds, he has lived too long.

AS I grow older, I become more lenient to the sins of frail humanity. The man who loudly denounces another I always suspect. A right-thinking man knows too much of crime to denounce a fellow-creature unheard —GOETHE.

A FALSE friend resembles a shadow. When the sun shines and you have plenty of money, the shadow and the friend are both close to your heels ; but when it comes to be dark, where is the shadow ? and when your money is gone, and you want to borrow from the man who often borrowed from you, where is the friend ?

A Cæsarean Operation.

Twelve Philadelphia physicians lately assisted at the delivery of Mrs. William Buisnell, by cæsarean operation. The mother is a dwarf, thirty-two years old, and forty-two inches high. Owing to a peculiar deformity it was seen that it would be impossible for her to give birth to the child in the usual manner. Porrow's method was adopted.

An incision was made on the median line of the abdomen, and the abdominal walls were cut through. The womb was removed, an incision made in it to correspond with those in the abdominal walls, and the infant released. After that the womb was restored to its bed and closed, and the other parts brought together. The clothing and all articles in the room were subjected to a solution of carbolic acid spray, according to Lyster's method, during the operation. The pulse of the woman remained excellent throughout the whole of the severe trial, and all her symptoms were favorable. At last reports both mother and child were doing well. Both would have died except for the heroic treatment adopted.

THE bobtailed horse spends his whole existence in lamenting his lack of terminal facilities.

MRS. MACKENZIE is now the only representative left of the Landseer family, Miss Jessie Landseer having just died and left to her sister the large fortune that had become hers through the wills of her three brothers, Sir Edwin, Charles, and Thomas.

DRAMATIC AND ART NOTES.

THE parents of Sardou, the dramatist, recently celebrated their golden wedding.

MLLE. ALBERT of Gaul French Opera Company, is the favoured wife of a French Count, and is described as beautiful and fascinating.

MARTIN LUTHER'S copy of the Vulgate, the margin covered with annotations and glosses in his own hand, has lately been found.

JULES VERNE is going to Oran for the purpose of exploring the quarries at Kueber, and to turn his travelling to account in a book called *A Journey to the Land of Marble*.

SIGNORA ADELE CAPEI has given the city of Florence a silver box holding ashes taken from the tomb of Dante. It is to be preserved under the shadow of the ancient bust owned by the city.

WALES, the home of the ancient bards, the cradle of British music, is to have a permanent scholarship in the Academy for the benefit of young Welsh musicians. As soon as Mr. John Thomas, harpist to the Queen, doubles his collection of five hundred pounds for that end.

THIS is an age of statues. It is in contemplation to raise one at Missolonghi to Lord Byron ; the Italians are to raise another to Raphael ; and the first stone has been laid at Genoa for one to Mazzini, the man who fulfilled the dream of Dante, and falsified Metternich's sneer that Italy was a "mere geographical expression."

IT has been found impossible to fill the orders for Miss Neilson's photographs since her death. Next to hers the largest number sold are of Mary Anderson, and the next in popularity are of Maud Branscombe, some of whose pictures are bought by artists for studies, and are used by young ladies in their first attempts at crayon portraiture.

MR. HENRY IRVING would have accompanied Mr. Gladstone on his recent cruise had he not been engaged in rehearsing *The Corsican Brothers*, which is to be brought out with Augustan splendour, at a cost of more than twenty thousand dollars, and in a manner unparalleled on the English stage, with realistic forest scenes, a *bal masque* at the Paris opera-house, and triumphs of scenic ingenuity.

ONE of Sara Bernhardt's sumptuous dresses is described as something between the Oriental and the Louis Quinze in style—a long white silk robe, embroidered with pearls and bordered with ermine, with a bodice of crimson waist piece enriched with pearls ; to this waist piece or belt is adapted a magnificent agrafe of silver, inlaid with gems, given her by the Prince of Wales, and a necklet matching the agrafe, a marvel of Oriental workmanship, completes the costume.

A Romance of the Violin.

The history of musicians and singers is often a romance and a dizzy ascent from the depths of poverty to the heights of ease and luxury. One of these musicians, already on the first rounds of the golden ladder, is Theresa Tua, a young Italian girl, says the correspondent of the New York *Evening Post*. She is thirteen years of age, and yet has already taken the first prize for the violin at the Paris Conservatory. She had twenty-four competitors from sixteen to twenty-five years of age, but received the prize by the unanimous consent of nine of the best masters in Paris. The success of this musical prodigy is due chiefly to her father, a bricklayer of Turin. He earned fifty cents a day, but out of this amount, laying aside one cent daily, saved ten dollars and bought an old violin. Without instruction and with only his natural ear for music to guide him he finally succeeded in playing a number of tunes.

The long evenings after his daily toil were passed thus in digging, as it were, from the violin the melodies that he remembered. At last, music mad, he placed the violin and the bow in the hands of his little daughter, six years old and said : "Do as I do." The child obeyed, and was soon able to play better than her father. The indefatigable bricklayer then said to his wife : "You must learn the guitar." "But I have no guitar, and I cannot play." These objections were useless, and the mother, urged by her inexorable music-loving husband, could at last play a discreet accompaniment to the violin of Theresa. The three went from city to city playing in the cafes and hotels, and the father saved money enough to take them to Paris. A lady of Nice gave him a letter to Monsieur Massart, director of the Conservatory, who immediately perceived the astonishing talent of the child. Here begins the romance of the story, for the father had no more money, and how was the little family to live during the four years necessary for Theresa's instruction ? Monsieur Massart, like Aladdin in the story, rubbed his golden lamp, and ten obedient gentlemen responded by giving him each six dollars monthly for his *protegee*. The result of their liberality and of Monsieur Massart's instruction is that the ex-bricklayer Tua has been offered by an enterprising American the expenses of himself, his wife and the young violinist, for a period of five years, and forty thousand dollars beside. He, however, thinks it is not enough, and hesitates to accept the offer.

GENERAL.

AN Irish landlord was shot at near Skibbereen, but it was his coachman who was killed.

A RECENT report shows that the increase in the consumption of horse and ass flesh is large and steady in France.

ITALIAN army officers are now exercised in the practical running of railroad trains, so that in time of war they may know all about moving troops by rail.

ANNIE MCGLYN, a servant-girl formerly in Norwich, Connecticut, has fallen heir to a legacy of twenty-five thousand dollars, and can not anywhere be found.

SENHOR PONTES PEREIRA DE MELLO, ex-Prime Minister of Portugal, has negotiated the marriage of the heir apparent to the throne of Portugal with a Russian princess.

A ROMAN newspaper says in regard to the troubles in Ireland that the papal authorities are even more determined than formerly to avoid entanglement in political affairs.

THE devastation caused by rabbits amounts in Australia to a serious calamity. One large estate, which formerly supported 3[illegible],000 sheep, has been abandoned on account of these pests.

A TELEGRAM from Melbourne announcing the opening of the International Exhibition in that city was received in London within twenty-three minutes after the ceremony had taken place.

LORD BEACONSFIELD's agents at High Wycombe have, by his lordship's instructions, returned twenty per cent. of the half year's rent just paid to all his tenants on the Hughenden Manor estate.

A MISS ELIZABETH COOK, who died lately in humble circumstances in New York, was buried in the bridal veil and dress and withered wreath that had been prepared for her marriage forty years before.

MISS BLANCHE, daughter of Lord Colville of Culross, was lately walking on the beach when she heard cries, and saw a woman struggling in the water. She rushed into the sea, dressed as she was, and succeeded in reaching the drowning person, and holding her until help arrived.

THE sarcophagus of Roger of Tuscany, Bishop of Lausanne, who was buried in Lausanne Cathedral in 1220, was opened a few weeks ago. The body was almost intact, the features were perfectly recognizable, and the six and a half centuries had not sufficed to destroy the texture of the episcopal robes.

MRS. LYNN LINTON is in quite poor health after her recent labours, and has been ordered abroad, and is now resting in Milan. She is a lady, it is said, whom the Queen honours with a personal friendship. Her last novel, which is published in the *Bazar*, from advance sheets, simultaneously with its appearance in England, attracts much attention.

SOME of the boys belonging to the most respectable families of Peru, Ill., fitted up a cave as a club house. For every meeting night two of their number were appointed a burglary committee, and upon them devolved the task of providing refreshments. Cigar stores, saloons, and groceries were frequently robbed than an investigation was made.

MANY clergymen in this country have lately received a circular from a London dealer in second-hand sermons. He offers sermons lithographed in a "bold, round hand," so that those who happened to use them would suppose they were manuscript, for 25 cents, or $20 a hundred. He has a line of cheaper sermons in print, at 10 cents a piece, warranted orthodox ; and others—a little more expensive—which have pleasantness, yet an awful solemnity about them."

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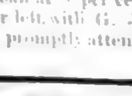

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

Perennial.

She was but a little girl
  When I first began to woo,
The completest little girl
  Ever doting poet knew.

Still she seemed a little girl
  When to maidenhood she grew,
And evermore a little girl
  I evermore must woo.

Though her hair may turn to silver,
  And her red cheeks lose their hue,
She yet will be the little girl
  My love-charmed fancy drew.

And though death's decay should pierce
  Her sweet body through and through,
She will remain a little girl
  To my enraptured view.

THE BONNY BRIDES.

Some Suggestions About Arranging Affairs for Their Entertainment.

A Little Attention to a Few Simple Details May Add Immeasurably to the Pleasures of a Wedding Party.

HOW TO GET MARRIED.

No event of note has broken the comparative quiet of the past week, only the usual number of club meetings have been well attended and some informal dinner-parties have brought together a number of friends who have arranged to visit in a party, after the repast, one of the numerous theatres. Cards of invitation constantly announce from young friends that "they will tie a knot with their tongues that they cannot untie with their teeth!" And while listening to the gentle tintinnabulation of the merry marriage-bells, whose continued ringing seems to call attention from all other social subjects during the present month, thoughts are suggested on the many appropriate

FORMS OF CONDUCTING MATRIMONIAL RITES,

that may be helpful to those contemplating such an occurrence, but as yet undetermined whether it shall be a church celebration or within the sacred precincts of home. Much may be said in favor of both hallowed places, but the hearts of the most interested parties must decide the question, and some mention may be made in regard to the decoration of both. Fashion rules that no longer shall the pure white bell, the auspicious horse-shoe, or the protecting umbrella of flowers, with their supporting garlands, be suspended over the altar, but throughout the home they still hold sway, and were all to listen with attentive ear to the language of the floral world, each leaf and bud and blossom would tell the story of its life, its use, and the thought that it but emblems, many pleading with thoughtless gatherers for time for perfect fruition. Though no ornament so beautiful, *all* were not meant merely for decoration; let them not be wastefully plucked!

A suggestion regarding

THE FLOWERS MOST APPROPRIATE TO YOUNG BRIDES

may here be added. Leave to widows who marry a second time, or ladies who have arrived at 30 years, the full-blown roses; only buds, orange-blossoms, lilies of the valley, white violets, or other fine flowers are suited to the young, and these are equally inappropriate to ladies of maturer years.

It is thought inelegant and unnecessary to send cards of admission to the church, but the annoying occurrence at a wedding in a neighboring city not long since, where it was necessary to call upon the police to clear the aisles and pews sufficiently to give room for the bridal party and friends, suggests the comfort of the old style, whether according with the fiat of Dame Fashion or in disobedience thereof. Indeed, in this land of liberty, may not each citizen exercise his or her rights, and consider the greatest comfort the most perfect elegance?

Entering, by the invisible power held as oracle in points of etiquette observed in social life, the room in which the bride-elect is being arrayed for the ceremony, let

THE MOTHER OF THE BRIDE

listen to one thought pertaining to her own sweet service in the final adornment. It is her own peculiar privilege to envelop in the pure protecting veil, with her kiss of encouragement and all-embracing blessing, the beloved child she is about to entrust to another's care. Others may assist in arranging the folds according to the prevailing mode, but loving hands alone must throw over her head the mystic veil and place the crowning wreath or spray of blossoms.

As an almost perfect model of a wedding in the church may be considered that held in the New England church on Thursday, a week ago, which may be varied in number of bridesmaids and groomsmen, in the styles of dress for the whole bridal party, changing the hour from noonday to evening, which will add brilliancy of light, at least, and many pretty and attractive details may be introduced, if the composure of the bride will permit of the additional time required. Very pretty is the custom of sending a little child in advance of the ushers, or those who walk first in the bridal procession, carrying a shallow basket of flowers, in the centre of which rests the wedding-ring to be offered at the appointed time by the child, who symbolizes love, and, on their return from the altar to the carriage, the child or children may precede the happy pair, strewing their pathway with flowers, full of sweet, significance, heralding peace and happiness on life's pathway and the blossoming of every hope. Following the marriage,

THE ENTERTAINMENT AT THE HOUSE,

of the bride's father, nearest relation, or friend, may take the form of an evening party, with dancing and other diversions, or of an ordinary reception where congratulations are offered and slight refreshments partaken of. Wedding presents may be exhibited only in a room somewhat secluded, as good taste forbids great display of friendship's offerings. Whichever entertainment is preferred, politeness demands a formal call from each guest as soon as may be thereafter. In case of illness or other unavoidable detention, visiting cards may be enclosed in fitting envelopes and sent by messenger or mail. This will answer the oft repeated question. "Need one pay a formal visit after receiving an invitation to a simple reception?"

Though matrimonial bonds may be as binding without any pretty preliminaries, yet like

  Truth severe, by fairy fiction drest—

the event of one's lifetime may be made more beautiful, and a living picture in the memory if but marked with adornments and devices appropriate to all surrounding conditions. An occasion of note combining the celebration of the forty-second anniversary of the marriage of a lady and gentleman of this city, and the twentieth returning of the marriage of their daughter, may be described as carrying out

THE IDEA OF APPROPRIATENESS IN ALL THE DETAILS

pertaining to the age of each couple and the years that marked their married life. As the guests entered the drawing room, on the right-hand side of the doorway stood the elder couple; the lady in rich purple velvet dress, with trimming of fine, broad duchesse point lace, cap of the same, with long tabs falling over the back of the head and shoulders and fastened with tiny silver and gold sheaves of wheat; the gentleman in ordinary evening dress, with a sheaf of golden grain forming the boutonniere. Above their silvered heads were arranged in bright autumn leaves and acorns, the two dates which marked the period of years that they had journied together. On the left of the door the daughter and her husband, both in the prime of life, and both robed in their original wedding attire; the soft, corded white silk dress of the bride grown a rich cream color with passing years; the delicate veil draped to form suitable covering for the decollete corsage, and falling over the train in graceful puffs, caught with full blown roses of various hues. The brown hair, well streaked with silver threads, was plainly dressed in low coil, with a single rose and two buds drooping from the left side. A single rose and two buds—representing two young lives—formed the boutonniere of the mature man, and in full blown roses were the years of their union numbered. Representing the "evening time" of the grandfather and grandmother, whose peaceful countenances told how steadily and perfectly they had overcome the trials and dangers of life's troubled stream, the crowning decorations were of golden, and brown, and crimson autumn leaves, with vines of scarlet woodbine trailing over pictures, doorways and pillars supporting the arch between the drawing-room and library; while beautiful roses, and other flowers in full bloom filled vases and mantels and friezes, emblematic of perfect maturity—before Time's withering touch had turned one petal with its burning blight—in the younger couple. Children and grandchildren received the guests and presented them to those in whose honor the remembrance was celebrated, and at the hour of 11 a golden-haired granddaughter of 3 years and a grandson of 7 took the hands of the reverend grandparents, the two bright-eyed sons of the other couple leading their loved parents, and all repaired to the dining-room, where again a mingling of two seasons was found to grace the bountiful table, and appropriate offerings of good wishes and congratulations were made, while each guest received a beautifully-chosen bon-bon as a souvenir of the occasion; for every grandfather and grandmother there was a tiny sheaf of golden or silver grain, all younger friends receiving flowers suited to their years. Members of their family—from other guests the occasion was kept secret until their arrival at the house—made many presents suitable to each dear couple; those to the younger being of china, which names the twentieth anniversary, and all departing guests bore with them the picture of a memorable evening spent with those whose

  Wedded love is founded on esteem,

and many years have proved it

    The pure, open, prosperous love,
  That, pledged on earth and sealed above,
    Grows in the world's approving eyes,
  In friendship's smile, and home's caress,
    Collecting all the heart's sweet ties
  Into one knot of happiness.

A North Carolina Marriage.

Soon after the close of the last war Captain X was appointed a justice of the peace in a country place not far from Raleigh, North Carolina.

His father had been a planter in a rather small way, and his son the captain had acquired considerable experience in the business of managing real estate, drawing up deeds, etc., during the father's lifetime, and then in settling the estate after his decease. Further than this he had no legal knowledge, and, indeed, his entire stock of "book-learning" was small and poorly selected, but any lack in general information was fully made up, for his uses, by self-assertion. Late one afternoon, as he was riding home from Raleigh, he met a young woman and two men, who hailed him and inquired if he was Captain X. The young woman and one of the men wished to be married at once. The other had come as a witness. They had procured the necessary license, but an irate father was on their path, and swore that they should never be married. It was considered on all accounts safest to have the ceremony performed without delay, and try pacification afterward.

Now the captain had never witnessed a marriage, and naturally had no very clear idea of what was usual in such cases. He remembered having seen a book about the house years before with a form for marriage in it, but what the book was and where it was he could not remember.

"Why," said he, when he told the story afterward, "I knew the 'Postles' Creed and Commandments, and at first I thought I'd use 'em to begin on, but then I reckoned, on the whole, they was too durned solemn."

He asked the couple to come to his house, secretly hoping that he could find that book; but they declined, for the reason that the matter admitted of no delay.

A less assured man would have been sorely perplexed, but not he. He lost no time in removing his hat, and remarked, "Hats off in the presence of the court." All being uncovered, he said, "I'll swear you in fust off. Hold up yer right hands."

"Me too?" asked the friend of the groom.

"Of course," said the captain, "all witness must be sworn. You and each of you solemnly swear that the evidence you shall give in this case shall be the truth, th' 'ole truth, an' nothin' but the truth, s'elf you God. You, John Marvin, do solemnly swear that to the best of your knowledge an' belief you take this yer woman ter have an' ter hold for yerself, yer heirs, exekyerters, administrators, and assigns, for your an' their use an' behoof forever?"

"I do," answered the groom.

"You, Alice Ewer, take this yer man for yer husband, ter hev an' ter hold forever; and you do further swear that you are lawfully seized in fee-simple, are free from all incumbrance, and hev good right to sell, bargain, and convey to the said grantee yerself, yer heirs, administrators, and assigns?"

"I do," said the bride, rather doubtfully.

"Well, John," said the captain, "that'll be about a dollar 'n' fifty cents."

"Are we married?" asked the other.

"Not by a durned sight ye aint," quoth the captain, with emphasis; "but *the fee comes in here*." After some fumbling it was produced and handed to the "Court," who examined it to make sure that it was all right, and then pocketed it, and continued: "Know all men by these presents, that I, Captain X, of Raleigh, North Carolina, being in good health and of sound and disposin' mind, in consideration of a dollar 'n' fifty cents to me in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do and by these presents have declared you man and wife during good behavior, and until otherwise ordered by the court."

The men put on their hats again, the young couple, after shaking their benefactor's hand, went on to meet their destiny and the irate father, while the captain rode home richer in experience.

Fashion Notes.

Shell pink is a fashionable color. The husband of the lady who wears the pink usually does the shelling.

It is the fashion to cover the shoulders, back and bosom, with hoods, fichus, and pelerines of various styles and dimensions.

Cashmere designs are more in vogue than any others in the new brocades and damasses, though both large and small flower patterns appear in them.

Large gilded hooks and eyes fasten bonnet strings under the chin, and are used largely also on cloaks and wraps of all kinds that require to be fastened.

Some of the handsomest skirts of the season are made of plush, entirely plain, save that a balayeuse plaiting of doubled satin appears below the edge.

Pointed waists are the leading styles for full dress, while round waists, plaited waists, and blouse designs continue to be employed for plain house dresses.

The new brocaded satins and velvets differ from those of last season's manufacture in presenting large detached figures rather than the small matelasse effects.

The morning-gown is generally made long. It is mostly composed of a deep jacket, loose in front, semi-fitting behind, called a matinee, and can be worn with any skirt.

Plush is the favorite material for open wraps. It is imported in three colors—pink and blue in medium shades, and white. Satin is also used for this purpose, with plush as trimming.

Large sleeves are the universal feature of new wraps. Dolmans are called visites, and for the fall months are of light goods, lined with satins of some rich color and trimmed elaborately.

The new shoe-buckles are beautifully chased and enameled. One of the favorite designs is a star, and another is the pretty hook and eye, now so fashionable for dresses, in cut steel.

Fancy feathers which have been so much worn will be superseded this fall by ostrich tips and feathers on the most elegant hats and bonnets. Plush will be as much used as velvet.

Buckles are in fashion again, and are used in many forms. Large ones of cut jet are placed midway of the ends of a Turkish towel, and they are seen on hats, cloaks, and dress waists.

Among the novelties this season for evening dresses are satin-faced grenadines with round designs. They come in every variety of design and tint. They are usually made up over satin or silk.

Very pretty indoor jackets are made in the cossack style, moulding the waist, and coming down low over the hips. The front is trimmed from the neck down to the waist line with a lace quilling.

A new felt skirt for the winter is as soft as ladies' cloth, yet thick and warm. It is seamless, and measures two yards around. The material is Austrian wool, manufactured in England, and it is called the Princess Alice.

A dress that will be popular with young ladies this season is a combination of cloths of camel's hair with plain surah, such as plum-colored cloth with surah that has a plum ground and many gay bars of pale blue, red, and orange.

Wide collars are used universally upon girls' dresses this season, and sashes are seen everywhere. The latter are often embroidered in a loose and sketchy manner across the ends, and ribbons are also decorated with a little odd stitching.

The most costly bonnet made this autumn was fashioned for a wealthy lady in New York recently. It was a model of quiet taste, being of dark rich maroon plush, with diamonds set in the head of pins, which were fastened tastefully over it. The jewels made the bonnet cost $6,000.

The ends of all tabs and trimmings that depend from the waist or skirt are gathered and finished with a tassel or other ornament. The ends of ribbons and bonnet-strings are either gathered at the end or shirred a few inches above and the ends fringed, producing the same effect.

Combination undergarments of different kinds are destined to revolutionize the old and painstaking modes of making. The prevalence of close-fitting cuirass waists requires the nicest adjustment of all that is worn beneath them, and hence these garments are more than ever in demand.

Waifs.

Said he: "Let us be one." And she was won.

Multum in parvo. The little finger carries the biggest ring.

"Oh, dear! I wish I was dead!" exclaimed a neglected maiden. She had heard that matches are made in heaven.

HINT FOR MAMMAS.—An old lady who has several unmarried daughters feeds them on fish diet, because it is rich in phosphorus, and phosphorus is the essential thing in making matches.

"If I have ever used any unkind words, Hannah," said Mr. Smiley to Mrs. Smiley, reflectively, "I take them all back." "Yes, I suppose you want to use them over again," was the not very soothing reply.

THE girls who were to be converted recently in St. John's Roman Catholic Church, Concord, were officially informed beforehand by the Bishop that he would not lay his hands on any head that bore banged or frizzed hair.

At a printers' festival, lately, the following toast was offered: "Woman! Second only to the press in the dissemination of news." The ladies are yet undecided whether to regard this as a compliment or otherwise.

PHONETIC.—Maiden aunt to tall young nephew: "As I stood by you in church, Percy, I could not help being struck by your size." Percy: "Very sorry, aunt, but there was such an awfully pretty girl the other side of the aisle, I couldn't help sighing."

"What! that coffee all gone?" "Yis, mam. There isn't a blessed drawin' left in box." "What! four pounds of coffee used up in our small family in one week?" "Small family? Musha, thin, mam, there's two of yez an' the maid, and ther's me an' me foive admirers, who has aich a night to hisself, and how ye can make a small family out of tin o' us is beyant me intirely. I don't know what ye'll do whin I come to fill in th' other two nights o' the week wid young men who wants a sup o' hot coffee for to keep the chills away!"

A NUMBER of French ladies recently had an amicable contest as to who could arrange the most distinguished toilette from the cheapest and commonest material. The prize was awarded, at a breakfast in the country, to a lady whose dress was of *toile d'emballage*, or packing cloth, lined with red, and trimmed with lace, and with wild flowers embroidered on a gold ground, parasol and shoes to match, and twelve button gloves. The embroidery cost eight hundred francs, the lace fifteen hundred, the handle of the parasol six hundred, but the material of the dress cost only seventy-five francs. Nothing is said of the dressmaker's bill.

PERSONS who are given to fine china and delicate table adornments may not be displeased to learn that Lady Burdett-Coutts recently gave a dinner where the table ornaments, which were of the priceless turquoise Sevres alone can produce, were displayed to great advantage on a cloth of crimson plush with a narrow border of white linen damask running round the edge for the accommodation of the necessary plates, knives, etc. At this dinner every course was served on a different kind of porcelain—fifteen varieties, and all equally valuable and beautiful. Among the guests were Sir Theodore Martin (the biographer of the Prince Consort) and his wife (distinguished in her day as Helen Faucit, the actress), Mr. Henry Irving, the actor, and several Americans.

They were sitting together in the horse car. "I do hate people who are forever talking about their neighbors," said the woman with the peaked hat. "So do I," coincided her companion in the cashmere shawl. "There's Mis' Green," continued Peaked Hat, "continually a carryin' things back and forth. Think she'd better look to home. Goodness knows she and her husband live a reg'lar cat-and-dog life." "Yes, indeed," said Cashmere; "and her daughter Sarah is'nt half cared for. I was tellin' Mis' Jones only yesterday that the way Mis' Green neglected that girl was a cryin' shame. Oh! by the way, did you hear that story about Tilda Smith?" "No! what is it?" exclaimed Peaked Hat, turning half round in her seat in her eagerness, her eyes sparkling in anticipation of the coming treat. But gentle reader, never mind what it was. Neither you or I care anything about it. We hate tattling just as bad as Peaked Hat and Cashmere.

Milk Poisoned by Sewage Water.

(From the Liverpool Post.)

What appears to be a terrible case of milk poisoning is reported from Rochdale. There has been an alarming outbreak of typhoid fever in the town lately, upward of twenty persons being infected, of whom eight are known to have died. From investigations made it seems that the families in which the deaths occurred were all supplied with milk from a particular farm. An examination of the farm premises in question led to the discovery that there was a well under the kitchen in which sewage water was found, while in front of the farm buildings was a cesspool in a filthy state. The borough medical officer of health, at an inquest of one of the victims of the poisoned milk, said no doubt the milk from the farm in question, polluted by the sewage water, had caused the outbreak of typhoid fever which proved so fatal.

Another Sinking Railway.

An addition must be made to the list of railway submerges printed in this paper some months ago. One day last summer a strip of railway, eight rods in length, near Ravenna, Ohio, suddenly sank, leaving in its place a pond out of which flowed a stream "the size of a barrel," bearing a large number of white shiners, sunfish, and rock bass. Gravel, to the amount of 4,000 loads, was thrown into the opening and a new bed made for the road; but the work was no sooner completed than it followed the original part into the same mysterious cavity.

The Birthday

OF THE BABY MADE FAMOUS IN DICKENS'S AMERICAN NOTES.

The Gentleman who, while a baby, was unconsciously immortalized in Charles Dickens' "Notes" of his trip to St. Louis was met yesterday by a Republican reporter. It was the gentleman's birthday, and that circumstance led to the disclosure of facts comparatively little known regarding the identity of characters described in the "American Notes" of the great novelist.

The pretty little scene on board the boat between St. Louis, as printed in the "Notes," was of the most charming and soul-felt pictures of character and emotion that ever warmed the heart in fact or fiction, and Forster said that of all the writings of Dickens, it was Lord Jeffreys' favourite passage.

In a letter to Forster, dated on board the boat, April, 1842, Dickens gives the story, which for freshness excels the printed account in the "Notes," and its publication will be new to many. It runs as follows:

THE LITTLE WOMAN.

"There was a little woman on board with a little baby; and both little woman and child were cheerful, good-looking, bright-eyed, and fair to see. The little woman had been passing a long time with a sick mother in New York. The baby had been born in her mother's house, and she had not seen her husband (to whom she was now returning) for twelve months. Well, to be sure, there never was a little woman so full of hope, and tenderness, and love, and anxiety, as the little woman was; and there she was, all the live long day, wondering whether he would be at the wharf, and whether he had got her letter, and whether, if she sent the baby on shore by somebody else, he would know it, meeting it in the street; which, seeing that he had never set eyes upon it in his life, was not very likely in the abstract, but was probable enough to the young mother. She was such an artless little creature, and was in such a sunny, beaming, hopeful state, and let out all this matter clinging close about her heart so freely, that all the other lady passengers entered into the spirit of it as much as she did; the captain (who heard all about it from his wife) was wondrous sly, I promise you—inquiring every time we met at table whether she expected anybody to meet her at St. Louis, and supposing

SHE WOULDN'T WANT TO GO

ashore the night we reached it, and cutting many other dry jokes which convulsed all the hearers, but especially the ladies. There was one little, weazen, dried-apple old woman among them who took occasion to doubt the constancy of husbands under such circumstances of bereavement and there was another lady (with a lap dog) old enough to moralize on the lightness of human affections, and yet not so old that she could help nursing the baby now and then, or laughing with the rest when the little woman called it by the father's name, and asked it all manner of fantastic questions concerning him in the joy of her heart. It was something of a blow to the little woman that when we were within twenty miles of our destination it became clearly necessary to put the baby to bed, but she got over that with the same good humour, tied a little handkerchief over her little head and then came out into the gallery with the rest. Then, such an oracle as she became in reference to the localities, and such facetiousness as was displayed by the married ladies, and such sympathy as was shown by the single ones; and such peals of laughter as the little woman herself (who would just as soon have cried) greeted every jest with. At last there were the lights of St. Louis, and there was the wharf, and there were the steps; and the little woman, covering her face with her hands and laughing or seeming to laugh

MORE THAN EVER,

ran into her cabin and shut herself up tight. I have no doubt that in the charming inconsistency of such excitement she stopped her ears least she would hear him ask for her; but I didn't see her to do it. Then a great crowd of people rushed on board, though the boat was not yet made fast, and was staggering about among the other boats to find a landing place; everybody looked for the husband and nobody saw him, when all of a sudden, right in the midst of them—God knows how she ever got there—there was the little woman hugging with both arms round the neck of a fine, good-looking, sturdy fellow. And in a moment afterwards, there she was again dragging him through the small door of her small cabin, to look at the baby as he lay asleep. What a good thing it is to know that so many of us would have been quite down-hearted and sorry if that husband had failed to come."

THE BABY

It will be a surprise to many in St. Louis to know who were the parties so feelingly touched by the pen of Dickens. The baby alluded to, which has since grown up to manhood, is Mr. Charles R. Garrison, the eldest son of a well-known citizen, D. R. Garrison, Esq. The "little woman," the mother of Chas. R Garrison, died about six years ago. Her name was Annie Noye Garrison, and her father, Richard Noye, was a native of Plymouth, England. He was a local Methodist preacher, and resided many years in Buffalo, New. York., where his son, John T. Noye, still resides, the proprietor of the largest burrmilling establishment in the United States. Mr. Charles R. Garrison, aforesaid "baby," was 39 years old yesterday, having been born in Brooklyn, N. Y., October 12, 1841. His mother brought him by way of Pittsburg, and, taking a Ohio river steamer for St. Louis, they had unawares fallen in with and had their little history embalmed by the pen of Dickens.

Mr. Garrison has no memory of the event described by Dickens, but as he grew up his mother frequently rallied him on the figure he cut in the "Notes."

About Wine.

The five principal brands of Bordeaux wine are the Chateau d'Yquem, the Chateau Laffitte, the Chateau Margaux, the Chateau-Latour, and the Haut Brion. The Chateau and the domain of Yquem belong to the family of Sur-Saluces, who bought it in 1785 from the Seigneur Sauvage d'Yquem. The domain covers 360 acres, about two-thirds of which are flanked with the vines which yield the wine. The average yield of the best quality is 120 barrels of 200 gallons each, and the prices realized vary very much; for while the vintages of 1859 and 1861 were sold for $1,200 per barrel, those of 1858 and 1867 fetched little more than half the sum. Chateau Laffitte belongs to the Rothschilds, to whom it was bequeathed by the lat Baron James de Rothschild, who purchased it in 1867 for $828,000 the average annual yield of Chateau-Laffitte is 180 barrels of 200 gallons each, and of this 140 barrels are first-class wine, fetching as a rule 1,800 per barrel. Chateau-Margaux is of very ancient origin, the site of the present house being that of a fortress belonging to the family of Montferrand. Vines were not planted on the domain till 1750, and in 1802 the property was purchased by the Marquis de Lacouilla, who pulled down the old castle and built a very handsome chateau, which was bought by Count Aguado in 1830. He sold it for $1,000,000 to a Paris banker, M. Pillet-Will, three or four years ago, the Margaux domain yields upon an average 155 barrels of wine, each being worth from year to year $1,600. Chateau Latour, the joint property of MM. de Flers, de Beaumont, de Gravilles, and de Courtevron, the descendants of the Segur family, belonged in the seventeenth century to a secretary of Louis XIV.; and this vineyard, the produce of which is nearly all exported to England, yields about 90 barrels of first-class wine. The vineyard of the Chateau-Brion, which belongs to M. Amedee Larrien, covers about 120 acres, and now grows about 100 barrels of first-class wine. The price of the Haut Brion and the Chateau-Latour may be put a trifle lower than the Chateau-Margaux; so that, taking these five vineyards, one will not be far wrong in estimating that they yield 646 barrels (or 129,000 gallons), worth, when purchased immediately after the vintage, a million of dollars.

BREAD made from whole wheat soaked before been coarsely ground is used in the French army. Sea water used in the kneading is said to add flavour.

The Pan-Presbyterian Council.

Little by little, we are getting at the "true inwardness" of the great Presbyterian Council which recently held its session in the city of Philadelphia; and even before the volume sees the light, which is to embody, and render permanent its "transactions" we will probably be in a position to form a pretty correct estimate of its value. The Toronto delegates have made their report, in which they have doubtless given most, if not all, about it and its proceedings, which was most worthy of being remembered. From this, as well as from what had previously come to our knowledge, we are led to conclude that one of the noteworthy facts concerning it was, that the gentlemen composing it, one and all, both lay and clerical, had a really good time while they were together. This was due in part, no doubt, to the character of the community whose hospitality they enjoyed, but more largely still to the character and conduct of the members of the Council themselves. Of course this is nothing more than we should expect of a gathering so largely composed of men whose praise is in all the churches, but in the absence of anything more remarkable, we desire to emphasize the fact.

Indeed, as a Mutual Admiration Society the Council appears to have been a complete success. And this itself is greatly to its credit. It is not all sorts of people who can attempt to form themselves into a Mutual-Admiration Society and really succeed. It is only the best of people—the choice spirits of the race—who can be brought into really close association with one another, even for ten days or a fortnight, without developing more or less of thought or feeling inconsistent with the true character and aims of such an institution. That these gentlemen drawn together from so many different countries, representing so many and such diverse nationalities, and whose characters had been formed under such different social influences, should find so much to admire and so little to blame in one another, is no insignificant testimony in favour of Calvinistic Christianity. It may be assumed that in the *personnel* of such an assembly even of the elect there must have been originally some more or less intractable material; but then, the hardest stones often take the finest polish, and if there ever were any hard cases among these people, or even persons with the ordinary infirmities of human nature, under the refining influence of Presbyterianism the moral miracle had been performed of making them about as nearly absolutely perfect as would be at all consistent with the limitations to human perfectability laid down in the Shorter Catechism or the Confession of Faith.

But what would the most faultless morality, or even the utmost degree of sanctity of life, be worth, if associated with a defective creed? What pleasure can one take in the contemplation of even the most luscious fruit when he is haunted with the suspicion that a poisonous worm is gnawing at the root of the tree upon which it grows? It has been often asserted that this is the condition of all the churches of Christendom, and the charge has even been brought against Presbyterianism itself. It has been said, that Calvinism is dying out in it, or that, if it exists at all, it is in a less severely logical, outspoken, and heroic, type than that which formerly existed. It has been said that if Calvin or Knox, Jonathan Edwards or Dr. Emmons, should revisit the earth, he would find very little in the Presbyterian pulpits of our day, of the sort of strong meat with which the stern old preachers of a former time were wont to feed their flocks. The impressions of the Toronto delegates to the council, one and all, appears to be that it has without any formal deliverance, effectually disposed of that charge. The unanimity with which the Cumberland Presbyterians, who have softened their rigid features of Calvinism, somewhat, were excluded from it, and the fact that the Welsh Methodists were admitted on the ground of their Calvinism, though they are not Presbyterians at all, are sufficient proof on this point, even if we had not the testimony of the Toronto delegates to confirm it.

Indeed, the liberal-minded and gifted pastor of new St. Andrew's church in this city appears to almost incline to the opinion that, in the matter of Presbyterian Orthodoxy, the Council went to the verge of an undesirable extreme. He gives us to understand, that it cropped out both in the psalmody used, and also in the manner of singing, in the devotional exercises connected with its sessions. The psalms of David only were sung; to the rigid exclusion of all *human* compositions; and neither David's harp, in which he so much delighted, nor his "instrument of ten strings," was permitted to accompany the singing, which appears to have been of the most primitive, puritanic, and inartistic character. In this respect, the Council does not appear to have been strictly representative of all the bodies represented in it, for some of them have so far forgotten themselves, as to suppliment the Hebrew psalms with a psalmody more distinctively Christian, and have even gone so far as to bring a "Kist of whistles into the house of God," but it may be presumed that hereafter, all such anti-Presbyterian profanations will disappear; for it can scarcely be conceived as among the probabilities, that any body represented in a Council of grave and godly men, in which the singing of the doxology "Praise God from whom all blessings flow," was rebuked as an "incivility," would persist in such grossly irregular practices.

It is pleasant to learn that, though theology absorbed most of the time and attention of the Council, religion was not wholly excluded, and that such practical matters as Temperance and Mission received appropriate attention. As to the theology, the very fact of its thorough, not to say ultra, orthodoxy, and that the current of thought seldom left the time-worn channels, though perhaps its most commendable characteristic, must have made it a weariness to listen to so much of it; so that we are not surprised to learn that it taked severely the power of endurance, of even so purely intellectual a gentleman as Prof. Caven; and we can well understand what a relief it must have been when something of a practical character was introduced. The reading of papers is a pretty dry business anyway, and when it is carried on, day after day, from weeks end to weeks end, especially when the papers are closely packed together, and of a severely argumentative character, it must impose a pretty severe strain upon the attention and capacity for mental digestion even of Presbyterians. We are afraid if our Methodist friends undertake anything of the sort next year the strain will be too great for them, and that they will break down under it.

Dulcigno.

The Paris *Temps* gives the following account of Dulcigno: "The town is composed of two parts, separated from each other by the port—the old town, containing the citadel, and the new town, in which the population is almost entirely concentrated, and which comprises about 400 houses. It is evident that if the squadron had opened fire it would have directed it solely against the citadel, where there are not eighty houses. The inhabitants would not have had to suffer from the bombardment. The certainty of not being in danger, even in case of military action, has, perhaps, had something to do with the obstinate resistance the inhabitants of Dulcigno have made to the cession of their town to the Montenegrins. The chief reason, however, is that they are nearly all Musselmans; they number from 2,800 to 2,000, and it is said that till 1858 no Christian was allowed to choose his residence at Dulcigno. Lastly, it is said that the Musulmans are a race of pirates, who have only given up piracy since 1815—that is, since Austria has had possession of Dalmatia and has created a navy.

A GENTLEMAN who has a bill against Gilhooly has been bothering that distinguished Galvestonian for weeks for a settlement. The other day he called on him and said: "Now, Mr. Gilhooly, I want you to tell me when you will pay that bill," "didn't I tell you I was going to pay it ultimately?" "Yes but I want to set some day, so I can make my calculations." "I'll pay it ultimately." "Can't you be more definite? When will you pay it ultimately?" "Well, I will pay it d—d ultimately. Now, I hope you are satisfied."

The Irish Trouble.

It is sad to think of the misery endured by the Irish people for many generations, and sadder still to think that, after all that has been done to mitigate or remove the evil under which they labour, they are, to-day, in as miserable a state as they ever were. Of course, we know it is the fashion of the time to lay the responsibility of all this on the land system of the country. It is not Parnell and his co-agitators alone who charge the sin of all this suffering on the landlords. Ever and anon we find the same sentiment cropping up in leading articles and paragraphs, in both American and Canadian newspapers. But the land system in Ireland, whatever may be its faults, is substantially the same as that which exists both in England and Scotland; and yet, neither of these have been kept in the chronic state of discontent and rebellion which has, unhappily, so long existed in the Island of the Saints. There is not so much dissimilarity in these countries, that we should not expect the same causes to produce the same effects in them all. But, while England and Scotland have enjoyed a large measure of prosperity and contentment, Ireland has had neither. Her people, as a rule, have been miserably poor; in fact, so much so as to be frequently on the verge of actual starvation, from which they have only been kept by the charity of others.

We are told, however, that the landlords in Ireland are not Irishmen; that they were not the original owners of the soil; that they got the land into their possession by confiscation and spoliation; and that they were placed over the Irish people for the purpose of alienating them from the Catholic faith and making Protestants of them. All this may be substantially true; and there may be a great deal in these facts to make the blood of the patriotic Irish student of history boil in his veins; but, after all, the events of three centuries ago can scarcely account for the misery of to-day. The landlords of England are not Englishmen. The followers of William the Conqueror who divided the country among them, and made slaves of the people, did not prevent England from rising. The Norman is the owner of the land to-day, but the Saxon and the Celt, whom he reduced to serfdom, eight hundred years ago, shows more largely than he does to-day both in wealth and political power. It is true that in England we do occasionally hear something about the tenure of land; but it is generally discussed in a calm and philosophical spirit; and, though there are political and social philosophers who believe the English land system ought to be reformed, nobody clamours for the summary ejectment of the landlords as a means of curing either the real or imaginary ills of the country.

The question with which we are brought face to face in this agitation which is going on in Ireland at the present time is, whether there is any such thing as property in land? And, if so, has the owner of the land a right to deal with it just as with any other sort of property; does the doctrine of Free Trade, which is, that every man has a right to buy in the cheapest market and to sell in the dearest, apply to this as well as to everything else! These are questions, however, which we do not propose at present to discuss. Assuming that the gigantic act of spoliation which, apparently, the Irish Land League is seeking to bring about, had become an accomplished fact; and that every landlord in Ireland was sent packing, would that make the Irish a prosperous, contented, and happy people? Could the little farmer, with his miserable patch of ground—often not more than an acre or two—even though he owned it, in fee simple, ever be anything but miserably poor? After all the nonsense which has been talked and written about the eviction of tenants, the fact is, that in nine cases out of ten, we suspect their forcible removal from the overburdened soil, which is no longer able to sustain them, would be the very best thing that could be done for them. One of two things is essential to the prosperity of Ireland, either that it be relieved of its surplus population, or that industries be started on a sufficient scale to give employment to the millions who cannot find it in the cultivation of the land. No country can ever be prosperous that depends upon the cultivation of the land alone. If manufactures had been fostered in Ireland, as they have been in England and Scotland the probability is that it would have been in a very different position from what it is to-day.

As to the land agitation with all its revolting attendants of murder and arson, and every other form of outrage, whatever may be its immediate result, we are satisfied it will afford no considerable measure of permanent relief. Poor Ireland has suffered much from many physicians already, and we fear there is now suffering in store for her under the unskilful and blundering treatment of Parnell, Dillon and Co. Every lover of humanity will hope and pray that the evils with which she is threatened may be avoided, but it must be confessed the outlook at present is gloomy and distressing.

ABOUT EMINENT PEOPLE.

QUEEN RANVALOMANJAKA, of Madagascar, is a Christian, and has just built a stone church, issuing at the same time a proclamation that any subsequent ruler who shall destroy it can then no longer be sovereign of the land.

THE present voyage of the Prince of Wales's sons includes Madeira, Brazil, the Falklands, San Francisco, Vancouver's Island, the Sandwich Islands, China, and Japan. Their great-great-grandfather, George III., never even saw the sea until he was 50.

KING LUDWIG of Bavaria, who in council sits and makes his ministers stand, often wakes his old chamberlain at three o'clock in the morning to play billiards, and if he dares to yawn he is soon made to feel the weight of the royal displeasure.

THE crowned heads of Europe are not noted for their domestic virtues, it being popularly supposed that worse husbands than the Emperor of Russia, the Emperor of Germany, the Emperor of Austria, and the King of Italy it would not be easy to find.

THE present potentate of Turkey, Abdul Hamid, is described by the Constantinople correspondent of the London *Times* as a nervous, timid man, who is afraid of his own shadow, and who does not venture to ride or drive beyond the limits of his well-guarded private pleasure-grounds. Yet he defies Europe. Though physically a coward, he has something of that peculiar courage which produced the *coup d'etat* of 1851, and when his cowardice and obstinacy are at issue, the latter generally carries off the victory.

IT is related as characterizing the parties given by Lady Borthwick that at one of them there were present the Duke of Cambridge, the Princess Mary and the Duke of Teck, the Grand Duchess of Mecklenburg, the Crown Prince of Austria, Prince Ibrahim of Egypt, Midhat Pasha, Stanley and Cameron, the African travellers, and that at the same one Lady Waldegrave became acquainted with the Prince Imperial and Count Schouvaloff.

MR. CHILDERS, First Lord of the Admiralty in England, has been making his holiday tour in Ireland, accompanied by his family. There have been spontaneous demonstrations in all the towns through which he has passed in the west and south of Ireland, and innumerable addresses have been presented. Personally unknown in Ireland, Mr. Childers has received these compliments as the representative of Mr. Gladstone's Government.

LORD VERNON, the father of Archbishop Vernon Harcourt, and great grandfather of Sir William Harcourt, was walking one day with a little boy, the son of his parkkeeper, in his park at Sudbury in Derbyshire, when a stag ran out from a herd of red deer, and desperately attacked him. Lord Vernon caught his assailant by the horns, and held him with great difficulty while the little boy, aged seven years, groped in his master's pocket for a penknife, with which, following Lord Vernon's instructions, he cut the stag's throat, dividing the jugular vein.

A New and Valuable Invention.

Mr. Finlay Ross, of Byng Inlet, has invented and patented a gang of circular saws, which will probably supersede the ordinary stock gangs of upright saws. Mr. Ross can, by a simple contrivance, arrange on one mandril any required number of saws, which may be taken off at pleasure, as easily as the ordinary gang by shifting a key and coupling, placed near a pulley at each end of the mandril. The inventor claims that his gang of circulars will cut a much larger quantity of lumber than the usual gang, and that the face will be smoother. Another advantage claimed by Mr. Ross is, that as the saws are arranged so as to run *with* the grain of the timber they will cut easier and make smoother work than the ordinary circular saw revolving *against* the grain of the log. The logs are fed with press rollers in the ordinary way. There seems to be a mine of wealth in this simple invention, when fairly introduced.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 12th, 1880.

THE REEVE OF ARTEMESIA.

In this issue of the STANDARD will be found a communication from Dr. Christoe, in which he "demurs most emphatically" against the position we take in the matter of the bonus by-law. He opens his battery with a deliberate mistatement. He states that we accuse him of "*dishonesty*." There is no such word in the whole article, and if the Reeve *is* acting as honestly and disinterestedly as he wishes us to believe, he could have put no such construction on the language we used; if he is *not*, then the old and trite saying proves true in this case, that a "guilty conscience needs no accuser."

Again we quote the Doctor:—"As to your unnecessary advice to remember us for evil." We gave no such advice and we defy the Reeve to prove it. He then goes on to say he understood that our paper was to be "neutral as far as differences between individuals or parties are concerned." We ask the Reeve, in all sincerity, to point to a single sentence of ours since the STANDARD made its first appearance, wherein we have deviated from that course. With Dr. Christoe as a private individual, we have nothing to do; but as Reeve of Artemesia we consider we have a perfect right to criticise his conduct, and shall not hesitate to do so whenever we find him, in his official capacity as Reeve, acting in a manner we consider detrimental to the best interests of the Township he represents.

Now since the Reeve has put a construction on our language never intended, and put words in our mouth we never uttered, we will ask him *is* he honest when he tells the farmers they will receive no benefit from the passing of the by-law granting the bonus, and the consequent improvement of the road? Is it not a well known fact, that all grain bought along the line of the T., G. & B. R. R. has to be transhipped at Toronto, and does not the cost thereof come out of the pockets of the farmers? or does the Reeve imagine the farmers are so simple as to believe the grain buyers, from pure disinterestedness, pay this out of *their* pockets, and consequently pay the same price for grain as is paid along the railways where it is shipped to its destination without breaking bulk.

Is the Reeve honest when he wishes the farmers to believe that the one-horse affair we now have in the shape of a railway, would answer their purpose as well as a good road, widened to the national guage, and worked by one of the strongest and most energectic Companies on the American continent. The one we have answered its day, and has paid back to the ratepayers triple the amount they gave it, in the increased value of land; in the number of villages that have sprung up where before was an utter wilderness, and the greater facilities afforded them for the disposal of their surplus production. And now that, through increased prosperity, the road is inadiquate to meet the demand made upon it, and it is necessary to place it on a better footing, we ask is it unreasonable that the Company, while wishing to benefit themselves, and at the same time conferring an invaluable boon on the ratepayers generally, should seek the assistance of those so benefited in making the necessary improvement. We think not, and we believe that every right thinking man, who sincerely and *honestly* (since the Reeve is so fond of the word) has the interests of the community at heart, will agree with us.

Again we ask, is the Reeve honest in trying to convey the impression that the petition was not signed by a sufficient number of *bona fide* voters to entitle it to receive consideration at the hands of the Council, when he knows that, with few exceptions, they are qualified voters; and even after striking off the non-voters, more than double the number required by law would still remain on the petition.—We would bring this little sentence to the notice of the Reeve, "*suppressio veri, suggestio falsi.*"

As to the petition being sprung upon the Council, that is utter bosh. Does the Reeve think that any man with the least particle of common sense believes that a petion, to obtain the signatures of 150 persons, could be circulated in such a private manner that only those interested knew anything about it? Has not the matter been discussed in the colums of this paper for weeks past, and has not our worthy Reeve been the most prominent man engaged in in it.

The excuse that he did not wish to drag the voters unnecessarily to the polls, is childish in the extreme. The by-law will have to be submitted soonner or later, and when some of the most influential and wealthy men in the Township, and probably the heaviest tax-payers, petitioned to have the by-law submitted forthwith, common courtesy, at least, would suggest that it be done. If the Reeve were so confident of success, and has those 500 voters (or there abouts, and of whom he is so solicitous that he does not wish to drag them "unnecessarily to the polls,") at his back, why is he afraid to submit the by-law at once and have the matter finally settled.—But he is not so sanguine as he would have us believe. He is well aware the feeling in favor of granting the bonus is rapidly gaining ground and hence his desire for putting off the day that will show his influence is on the wane.

Now as to "*fighting* and Editor in his own paper," as he elegantly puts it; we wish to *fight* no one, but are ready to *discuss* all cubjects that bear on the welfare of the Township of Artemesia and the County at large, with the Reeve, or any one else; but we must insist they do not twist our articles to suit their own purposes, and place meanings upon them that were never intended.

PROGRESS OF MARKDALE.

Notwithstanding the cry raised by some of the party press that the country was fast going to ruin Markdale is decidedly not troubled with that disease. This year there has been great activity in all branches of business and in the building line in particular.

Hill Bros have just completed the erection of a three story double brick store and dwelling with two storey addition to the rear, facing on Toronto street, one half of which is occupied by C. W. Rutledge as a printing office and the other by E. D. Wilcox, as a telegraph office and jewellry store. The first half of the main building is occupied by Hill Bros themselves, in which they have just opened out one of the largest and best assorted stock of general goods in the village. To the rear of the store and over the printing and telgraph offices is the millinery department, a good view of which can be had from the store. The other half is occupied by Wm. Lucas & Co., Bankers. To the rear of the Bank is a large room, which is used for unpacking goods &c. The upper flats are occupied by the Hill Bros as a dwelling. There is also a magniflicent cellar the whole size of the main building, which we believe is 41x66 feet. The brickwork, plastering carpenter work and painting, are all done in first-class style and reflect great credit on the contractors.

Dr. Sproule has also erected a fine three story double brick store, one of which is to be occupied by himself as drug store, Telegraph and express office, and the other by J. F. Sproule as a general store. The uppper flats are to be used as a dwelling. The Dr. is also erecting a magniflicent mansion, which, when completed, will surpass anything of the kind in any village in the Dominion, and will be equalled by few, if any, in many of the larger towns.

Mr. Joseph McCutcheon, has built an addition to the Revere Hotel, which adds largely to its accomodation and appearance.

The English Church, a very fine building and a credit to the congregation has also been completed this fall at a cost of over $3,000.

There are also several other buildings to be put up next spring one in particular by Messrs. Reid & McDougall. It is to be a three story brick, with a frontage of 81 feet and 50 feet deep, on the vacant corner lot opposite the Revere Hotel.

IN MEMORIAM.

Dear Parents, while it is natural and right that you should mourn for the little ones departed, still we would not have you mourn without hope. We know that all expressions of sympathy that we can give will not heal the wound, still we desire to offer you our christian sympathy, and to weep with those that weep. But through your tears, dear friends, we would point you to the future, and though now your family circle is broken it may be again reunited, and that forever. Listen, dear parents, to the blessed words of Jesus as he unfolds the future to us.

"Take heed that ye despise not one of these little ones; for I say unto you, that in Heaven there angels do always behold the face of my Father which is in Heaven."

"Even so it is not the will of your Father, which is in Heaven, that one of these little ones should perish." Matt. xviii.10-14.

Therefore, He said, "suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Like David of old, though your little ones will not return unto you, still you can go to them, for does not this same Jesus say, "whosoever will, may come," and that he is 'the resurrection and the life,' and "that whosoever believeth in him shall not perish, but have ever lasting life."

Therefore dear parents look up to that brighter morn, and be ready to meet them again in the Glory Land.

O think that while you're weeping here;
Those hands the golden harps are stringing,
And with a voice serene and clear,
Those ransomed souls, without a tear,
The Saviour's praise are singing.

And think that all their pains are fled.
Their toils and sorrows closed forever:
While He, whose blood for man was shed,
Has placed upon the children's head,
A crown that fadeth never.

CHRISTIAN BROTHER.

DUNDALK.

From our Correspondent.

(These Itums came to hand too late for insertion last week.)

Weather fine.

Mr. John Bagan, in the employ of Thomas Hanbery for about two years, was leaving for a job down about St. Catherines, and left on Monday, 25th ult, and by some means got run over by a train in Toronto the same night. It was feared at first that his leg would have to come off, but as far as known it is not off yet, and is reported to be doing well. Cause too heavy a load of the extract of corn.

That rink of Hanbery's has not grown another post yet.

Mrs. Carter disposed of her household effects on the 30th ult. by auction, and will leave shortly to join her husband in Boston, where he has been for some months. The Drug Store will still be carried on by a Druggist from Blyth.

The building for the Bank is about completed.

Mr. John Morrow, Auctioneer, disposed of a [illegible] of cheap pigs, Horses, cows, waggons, buggies sleighs, &c, on the 2nd [illegible]. He is to [illegible] shortly [illegible] a [illegible] sale each [illegible] judging from the prices he [illegible] it will [illegible] those who [illegible] of a good opportunity to [illegible].

Nov. 10.—Everything quiet Thanksgiving Day. All places of business closed. Services in the Methodist Church at half-past ten, and in Presbyterian Church at half-past one. A number of the Nimrods went hunting and judging by their appearance on their return, they had a "boss" time, They did not commit much havoc among the denizes of the woods, however, as their trophies amounted to 0.

Mr. Connors has got his grocery and liquor store in full blast. A few of the old citizens have struck the scent already, and are rallying round.

Mr. Phillips of Blyth opens out in the drug store lately occupied by Mr. Carter.

Our fair was well attended considing the state of the roads. A number of cattle changed hands at very fair prices,

Oh, that skating rink! I guess John has flunked. Will not some of the boys take it in hand.

It is reported that Mr. Wm. Nelson is to oppose J. J. Middleton for the office of Reeve for 1881. We wish them both success. FAST ASHEEP.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

THE BONUS QUESTION.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—The ratepayers of Artemesia should bear in mind that the grant of $800,000 from the interested Municipalities is one condition of the agreement between the T., G. and B. and the Grand Trunk Railway Companies, and that sum has been as equably distributed between the several Municipalities as possible. If Artemesia should fail to do her share, is it likely that other mtnicipalities much less interested will do theirs? If all fail the bargain falls through, and we lose the connection with the Grand Trunk. But some will say, "There is no fear! The Grand Trunk will get the road at any rate, and widen the gauge, too, and that without any aid from the Municipalities." I am sorry that I cannot share in the strong faith of those who talk thus. To my mind there is a very great fear. I think that by refusing the bonus we run the risk of losing that connection, which all admit would prove so beneficial to us. I think that those who talk in this way have not given the matter that attention which the importance of the subject demands. When we consider that throughout this whole Dominion there is not perhaps a single railway that has not been aided, either by the Government or the interested Municipalities, what right have we to expect to be more highly favored than other localities? I take the ground, however, that if our giving a bonus would secure the change of guage a few years earlier than it otherwise would come, it would pay the Township to give the Bonus. But, sir, even though the change of guage be effected without our aid, I hold still that it would have been our wisest course to aid the enterprise for the following reasons:—It is much better for any Municipality to be on friendly terms with the Railway Company by whom it is served—they have mutual interests at stake—favors or the reverse can be given or received. It would be a very easy matter for the Railway Company to discriminate against our Township so that our people would have to pay the bonus ten times over in the course of the next twenty years, and in all probability this may be done and we cannot help ourselves. Artemesia is the most dependent Township on the Railway of any in the County. We have nowhere else to go; our interests either for weal or woe are bound up with the Railway. We cannot change our geographical position, but we can, by our folly and stupidity, convert a friendly corporation into a powerful antagonist. I know that many are opposed to the principal of giving bonuses at all. These people would prefer to remain without any railway accommodation, rather than pay anything to secure it. Happily, however for the good of the country such false economists are largely in the minority. The giving or withholding of bonuses is entirely a business transaction—people give their money because they expect to get some thing in return. To talk of "charity" in reference thereto is so ridiculous and absurd, that I wonder any sensible man would resort thereto. I am aware that the economy cry is very popular, and it is obvious that some are ready to stifle their convictions to pander to this delusion for the sake of popularity. To such I would say, beware! This "penny-wise and pound foolish" policy has often proved ruinous; it may be so in our case. Now, Mr. Editor, at the risk of being considered personal, I cannot refrain from remarking, that if the Doctor feels his position so very secure, why does he deem it necessary to remind the people of this intensely Conservative Township, that he is no friend of the Mowat Government? If the Doctor is so sure that he has the "people at his back," why did he not submit the By Law and allow the ratepayers an opportunity of approving or rejecting it as they might see fit? Does the Doctor think that in the eyes of the people of Artemesia his being "no friend of the Mowat Government," will cover a multitude of sins? or does he think his being "no friend of the Mowat Government," is a good and valid argument against the bonus? You know, sir, that some people's bump of self-esteem is so very large, they imagine their opinions should not be questioned; their pride is wounded if you presume to differ with them; they almost regard you as a personal enemy if you do not meekly swallow all they say as the infallible dictum of unerring wisdom.

I am not by any means one of the heaviest ratepayers in the Township, neither am I among the lowest; but it is not upon this score that I presume to speak. I am simply a citizen of this by no means unimportant Municipality, and as such, whether I pay a large or small share of the taxes, I claim the right to address my fellow citizens upon any subject of common concern. I claim the right because I deem myself possessed of the necessary "gumption" to know what I am talking about [illegible] have sufficient self-respect [illegible] to say anything to hurt the feelings [illegible] and the suspicions [illegible] my fellow citizens [illegible]. I consider it a [illegible] that because a man [illegible] no right to speak in [illegible] be heard in [illegible] streets [illegible] be patriotic, he may be intelligent, he may clearly apprehend the consequences likely to follow the pursuit of a certain course; yet if he do not possess the necessary wealth he may not presume to raise his voice for fear of being insulted by some illnatured neighbor, who, perhaps, in everything that constitutes true manhood, may be entirely his inferior. Away with such an idea! Exploded be the doctrine!!

"The good is but the guinea stamp,
A man's a man for a, that."

It is true that I supported the $20,000 By-Law last summer; I do not regret having done so. I believed then, as I do now, that it was in the interest of the Township to grant that bonus. Artemesia has never burdened herself very seriously with railway debt. Every dollar she has given given has been returned to her with good interest; why then should we hesitate to give another bonus when the prospective advantages are so obvious.

Now, Mr. Mditor, I am done. I will not condescend to bandy words with any one; I have no time, much less have I any inclination for such work. Personally, I have nothing against Dr. Christoe, I think he is an excellent Reeve; but I am no less of opinion that the course he is pursuing in reference to the railway bonus is inimical to the best interests of the Township. WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Nov. 8, 1880.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—I was astonished in reading your editorial, re-council. I demur against your position most imphatically. First, as to *insult* to so many of my warmest friends. Nothing of the kind was intended, supposing they were all bona-fide voters and had a right to be there, which is not the case by far. Second, as to your unnecessary advice to remember us for evil. I think it most unfortunate, such excites retaliation. Third, as to my *dishonesty*, I do not intend to discuss the question with you. I understood your paper was neutral, so far as differences between *individuals* or *parties* were concerned. If not, it virtually cuts of discussion, for I could not for a moment undertake to fight an Editor through his own paper. I was acting for five hundred voters (about) who don't wish to be dragged unnecessarily to the polls and who are deprived of petitioning the council. Now Sir, as to my interpretation of the clause involving my *dishonesty*, I am not changed in my opinion, write me down *ignorant* if you please, for I like it much better than the word *dishonest*. Five weeks ago the solicitor lead us to understand, that because Artemesia had given so decided a vote against a *Bonus* he would not ask us to submit a by-law, until the popularity of the scheme were tested in other municipalities; he said, *it would look too much like forcing her.* The petitions were sprung upon us last Monday, and excited opposition accordingly. We were blameless. The sub-section of the act reads, "and the council shall, within six weeks after the receipt of such petition by the clerk of municipality *introduce* a by-law to the effect petitioned for, and *submit* the same for approval of the qualified voters." We in our symplicity thought that two things the council had to do, first *introduce* the by-law, second submit it, that is, fill it in, arrange for the day of polling, appoint officers and polling places; in a word *submit it*, and we thought and continue to think, if done in six weeks, it is within the meaning of the act. Now, sir, we may be wrong in the interpretation, we really do not desire to break the law, but you can do no good by talking *mandamus*, your cause would suffer three fold by coercion, and then sir, it doesn't frighten us I have written as mildly as possible under the circumstances of so aggravated a charge, and I sincerely trust the breach will become no wider. Recollect the vote of council stood 4 to 1.

DR. CHRISTOE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The P. S. of Dr. Christoe's letter in your issue of last week, is an involuntary admission of the correctness of my conclusions. I expressly avoided charging him with fishing for popularity, although possessed of reasons for doing so; but he does not hesitate to charge me without any reason whatever.—The charge, however falls to the ground in view of his own expressed belief, that a majority of the ratepayers are against any further bonus. The *exposure* of the fact that I am a grain buyer is superfluous, seeing that it was a well known fact previously. The further *exposure* as to my assessment was equally unnecessary, considering that most of the ratepayers know pretty well that my means consist chiefly of cash or produce and not of real estate in Artemesia, and I may be allowed to say, that what means I have are thereby much more usefully employed for the Township than if held in the shape of assessable property. When *exposing* this well know secret, however, why didn't the Doctor expose the *secrets* in connection with his own assessment. My assessment, such as it is, has always been taken on property *legally* owned by myself, Can Dr. Christoe say as much? The reasons and arguments of my letter are sound only in exact ratio to their truth and common sense, without regard as to whether my assessment be three hundred or three thousand dollars. During the past six months I have keenly discussed this question with many of the ratepayers, and Dr. Christoe is the only one who has so demeaned himself as to even hint I could be influenced in my opinion or vote by the amount of my assessment. Dr. Christoe says, that 45c is all the bonus asked on three hundred dollars assessment. Well, what is he making such a to-do about? Surely it is worth that proportion to get this section once more into a creditable financial position. Then I am an interested party because according to him I am *tete-a-tete* with the Management. I can quite understand the sting intended here in a business point of view. The Doctor might have spared himself the humiliation of trying to become a gratuitous mischief-maker. I am just as independent of the Management as the Management is of me. Dr. Christoe evidently measures others by himself, and estimates his own opinions to be right or wrong according to the decision of the electorate. Hear him! "If right, I am sure the vote will be accordingly, if not, I am equally convinced the vote will be otherwise." Also says this self-contradictory Reeve—"A scheme that affords no arguments save inuendoes against the motives and person of an opponent ought to be abandoned." On this ground, if his P. S is worth anything even in his own eyes, he ought to abandon his opinions on the matter in hand. Being unable to meet my arguments, he comes to his natural level in attempting to belittle me—a thing which never having done myself, neither he nor any other person can accomplish; but he has certainly succeeded in belittling himself, his last weeks production being the proof.—His self-drawn likeness to a duck is correct—a duck is never more at home than whilst spluttering in the mud. This man's egotism is something remarkable. Nobody seems to have any business with, or authority with Municipal matters unless himself. He alone has authority to open his mouth, or write a long letter. We, of the common herd, it [illegible] builders, must have [illegible] amount of assessment before we [illegible] sufficiently interested to impugn anything [illegible] this man [illegible] does. Mr. Brown, [illegible] Markdale, [illegible] pears, [illegible] knowle[illegible] much [illegible] in the Coun[illegible] one's wisdo[illegible] "Wisdom i[illegible] children [illegible] Wisdom is personified in [illegible] Reeve, and his dictum is infallible! "I fancy" this! "I believe" that! Just count, sir, how many times the big letter I appears in his epistle [illegible]. This pompous reproduction of his identity may increase his importance in his own eyes, but cannot do so in the eyes of sensible people. Dr. Christoe contends that the widening of the gauge cannot be paid out of the million preferential stock issue proposed to be raised under the new arrangement; but if the Municipalities will not take hold, who else can be expected to do so? The whole arrangement evidently stands or falls on the assistance given or withheld by the Municipalities, and this contention is, therefore, a "baseless vision." Dr. Christoe says,—"By conditions of lease, only 4 new locomotives are to be bought, 12 to be converted; 6 cars to be bought, 18 to be converted, &c." Now, is this statement wilfully given to mislead the electors? It looks much like it. If not, why did he not say that these only referred to the passenger service, and instead of concluding with an *etcetra*, why did he not continue the quotation from the articles of agreement as follows:—"Freight service—3 Conductors' vans, 80 box cars to be purchased, 5 cattle cars, 275 cars to be converted." It is thus easily seen that there is sometimes a good deal under an &c. It has been truly said that facts only partly told are often proof an intentional fraud. Neither is it thought necessary by this exemplary Reeve to state the fact, that if this agreement with the Grand Trunk is carried out and the road widened, we will have the benefit also of a large portion of that Company's rolling stock, as well as the rolling stock of other lines having running connections with that road, What can be thought of the Reeve of a Township in thus suppressing important facts while professing to write to his constituents on the expressed assumption that "perhaps they have not the papers in their hands to form a judgement." No one need be astonished that the Doctor has succeded for the present in staving off the submission of the by-law. No doubt considerable ingenuity has been displayed. Let the Doctor get a coat of arms with this Heraldric—A picture of a Duck rampant in a stagnant puddle, splashing about mud in all directions, and trying to cover up a large number of box cars with the words ET CÆTERA; while the respected Doktor's own private motto of *O, tempora! O, mores* j might with much propriety, be conjoined to Quack! this notable designation being specially applicable in more ways than one, and if the duck's back should again require it, I have much pleasure in assuring the Doctor that I shall always have some water on hand reserved for special occasions.

Yours truly,
ROBERT ROBERTSON.

Flesherton and priceville Station,
Nov. 8, 1880.

To the Reeve and the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Artemesia.

The Petition of the undersigned qualified voters under the Municipal Act, who are rated as Freeholders on the last Revised Assessment Roll and who are residents of the Township of Artemesia.

HUMBLY SHEWETH:

That your petitioners, in accordance with the terms of the several Acts relating to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company, desire to aid the Company by giving them money or debentures by way of a bonus for the purpose of enabling it to change the gauge from three feet six inches to four feet eight and a half inches, and for the reconstruction of the Railway; and for the amount they so desire to grant and be assessed for is the sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars.

Your Petitioners therefore pray that your worshipful Council will, as required by law, introduce the necessary By-law for granting aid by way of a bonus to the amount of Twelve Thousand Dollars aforesaid, and submit the same to the vote of the qualified ratepayers of the said Municipality of the Township of Artemesia, and in due course pass the same for the purpose of raising the said sum of Twelve Thousand in the said Municipality of the Township of Artemesia for the amount of the said bonus payable in twenty years, with interest thereon payable half yearly and for the dellivery of the same to the Trustees to be appointed under the said Act relating to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company, passed at the last Session of the Ontario Legislature, and under the terms that the said Trustees shall not deliver the said dedentures or any part thereof, or any proceeds of said debentures or any part thereof, unless and until they receive a certificate of the Chief Engineer for the time being, setting forth that the work is completed, so that regular freight and passenger trains are being run over the whole line by the Grand Trunk Company from Toronto to Owen Sound and to Teeswater on a track of the width of the Standard National gauge of 4 feet 8½ and that the whole line has been laid with steel rails on or before the first day of January 1882, nor until the arrangement between the Grand Trunk Railway Company and the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railway Company for the working by the Grand Trunk Railway Company of the whole of the Line of the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railway Company for twenty years, from the first day of January, 1882, embodied in an agreement, dated 18th September, 1880, has been approved by the Directors and proprietors of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, and the said Shareholders of the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railway Company, and the said debentures shall not be converted into money until the conditions of this by-law have been fulfilled, and for assessing and levying upon all ratable property lying within the said municipality of the———a special rate for the payment of said debentures and interest thereon.

Dated at Artemesia, October, A.D., 1880.

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John White	Henry King
R. Chapman	D. McDonald
A. Turner	James Harvey
H. Bennet, M. D.	James McNicol
T. A. Conkey	John Snell
Robert Oliver	M. Williamson
Alexander Brown	Alex. Muir
John Simpson	Alex. McRae
D. McKinnon	Duncan Muir
Dugald McLeod	Wm. Hacking
James Ryan	W. J. Ekins
James Sullivan	J. Gilchrist
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W. Conkey	Alex. McLeod
A. McLean	Thomas Currie
J. Aussem	Henry Meldrum
Arch. Elliott	Archibald Foster
George Walker	James Foster
Thomas Kells	A. Whitten
R. Buchanan	Wm. Galbraith
James Lackey	James Beaty
John Blair	Christopher Irwin
Robert Sewell	Arch. Foster, jr.
Edward Davis	Alex. Irwin
Samuel Lackey	H. D. Irwin
John Boland	Wm. Henry
John Rowe	Thos. Boland
J. P. Sparling	Wm. Buchanan
W. S. Bowler	Robt Sparling
Thomas Irwin	W. J. Cooey
Robert Smith	John Warling
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John Bo[illegible]	George Sewell
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Henry F[illegible], jr.	[illegible] Danner
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Wm. Ho[illegible]	[illegible]
John Whittaker	A. Whittaker
Peter Muir	Joseph Watson
George Buskin	Patrick Quigg
John Watson	William Taylor
Robt. Neilson	R. Campbell
S. Waucbob, sr.	Matthew Leich
S. Waucbob, jr.	J. Higginbotham
Archie Neilson	Robert Taylor
James Neilson	Thomas Parks
Wm. Ludlow	Patrick Ryan
M. Richardson	Michael Akitt
S. Damude	F. T. Carr
Wm. Wright	R. J. Sproule
Robt. Trimble	Wm. Strain
E. J. Johnston	J. W. Armstrong
W. Brown	Thos. Mathews
John Graham	R. H. Byers
George Wright	Wm. M. Douglass
Samuel Walker	J. F. Sproule
Robert S. Rae	E. S. Mabee
George Hobb	George Haskett
Joseph Beaty	Wm. Haskett
James Walker	S. C. Coleman
C. Reynolds	P. McArthur
Alex. Rutledge	T. S. Sproule
W. R. Walker	Thomas Nichol
G. W. Tryon	Beng. Coleman
Chas. McDougall	Wm. McLaughry
Thomas Atkinson	Geo. J. Blyth
D. F. McDonald	Angus McIntyre
Alex. Webster	James Craig
John Irwin	L. Anderson
John McArthur	John Carter

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Nov. 12th, 1880.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.0o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.00
Fall do. do. do.	0.95	to	0.97
Barley	0.55	"	0.66
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.55	"	0.60
Potatoes,	0.25	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed	5.50	"	6.00
Beef	5.00	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.20
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	5.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6.50	"	0.00
Timothy seed,	2.25	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	1.75

ANGUS McINTYRE.

I again call your attention to my new and select stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY and OYSTERS—always FRESH. Don't forget to give me a call, You always need something new in the Grocery line.—Nothing but first-class goods kept. I send all my customers home satisfied that they get good value for their money, and they always come again. I thank my old customers for their patronage, and they don't forget me either. This is encouraging for me to go ahead in our Town of Markdale, where I am sure of friends who never forget me.

Markdale, Nov. 11, 1880. ANGUS McINTYRE. 0-21

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Nov. 12th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	0.95	to	1.02
Fall do. do. do.	0.95	"	1.00
Barley	0.55	"	0.65
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	5.50
Beef	5.00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

OWEN SOUND.

OWEN SOUND, Nov. 12th, 1880.

Flour, $4.5o to $5 oo; Fall Wheat, $o 9o to $o 96; Spring Wheat, $o 95 to $1 oo; Barley, 45c to 58c; Oats, 3oc to 3oc; Peas, 5oc to 58c; Hay, $7 oo to $7 5o; Potatoes, 25c to 3oc; Butter, 2oc to 21c; Eggs, 12c to 14c; Apples, per bushel, 25c to 3oc; Sheep skins, $o 5o to $1 oo; Hides, $7 oo to $7 oo

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Undersigned will be at Lot 6, 2nd 3rd Concession, N. D. R., Glenelg on Saturday, Nov. 20, 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of letting contract of building New Bridge across Saugeen River. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the house of Thomas Davis, Lot 2, 3rd Concession, N. D. R.

F. MACRAE,
G. BINNIE,
T. DAVIS,

Glenelg, Nov. 5, 1880.

General Advertisements.

J. M. Webster,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

LOAN ND LAND AGENT,

Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

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R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 1-tf

CHEAP CASH STORE

Reynolds & Son

Are to the front with a complete stock of

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,

Which for QUALITY and LOW PRICES cannot be passed. Give us a call and try some of our

NEW SEASONED JAPAN TEA, 3lb. FOR

PURE GOLDEN SYRUP ALWAYS ON HAND

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

BUTTER, POULTRY AND EGGS TAKEN IN CHANGE FOR GOODS.

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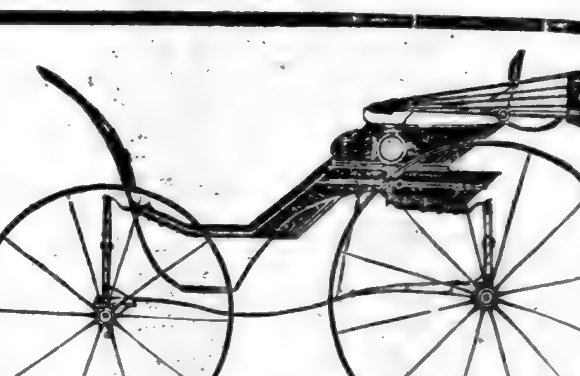
Markdale, Nov. 11, 1880.



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OF ALL KINDS, SOLD BY

W. L. MARSHALL, Dundalk

Dundalk, Nov. 11, 1880.

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Pure Drugs and Chemicals

PATENT MEDICINES!

Dye Stuffs, Fancy Soaps, Perfumery, Combs, Tooth and Hair Brushes, Trusses and Surgical Appliances and general Druggists *sundries*.

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IN GREAT VARIETY.

FRESH TEAS AND TOBACCO TOGETHER WITH

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CAREFULLY COMPOUNDED.

Montreal Telegraph Office.

T. S. SPROULE, M

MILL STREET, MARKDALE, Sep. 17, 1880.

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See the Undersigned before applying Elsewhere.

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Always in the Shelburne Office on MONDAYS and TUESDAYS, from 8.30 a. m. to 5 p. m., and on WEDNESDAYS, from 8.30 a. m. to 2 p. m.

In the **Dundalk Office** on THURSDAYS and FRIDAYS. On Thursdays, from 2 to 5 p. m., and on Fridays, from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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Estate and General Agent.

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Given in the *Best* and *Hardiest* Canadian

FRUIT & ORNAMENTAL TREES.

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—FOR—

WELLS and CISTERNS,

Sold *Very Cheap.*

Every Farmer ought to get one.

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SHELBURNE AND DUNDALK.

October 21, 1880. 6

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—OF THE—

"Blfast House"

Begs to announce that he is fully [...] to dispose of all articles usual to a Grocery and Provision Establishment

Lowest [P]ossible Pr[ices]

The stock consists of—

Groceries and Provi[sions]

together with

LIQUORS of all k[inds]

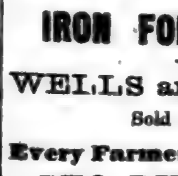
such as SCOTCH, IRISH and CANADIAN best brands. I have no desire to misrepresent the performance of [...] ties, but I may say in response to [...] retailer who offers a book worth [...] every purchaser of 3 lbs. of tea [...] **Give Two Books of [...] value** to those mentioned to [...] a like quantity. My house is [...]

Belfast House, op. Hask[ett]

NO SECOND PRI[CE]

W. BENS[ON]

Markdale, Oct. 14th, 1880.



VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD,
Veterinary Surgeon,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing disease lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

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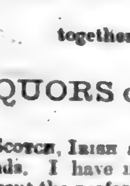
[BOOT AND SHOE] MAKER



BEGS to return his sincere thanks to the public for their very liberal [patronage] in the past, and hopes by honorable [dealing,] FIRST-CLASS WORK, and close [attention to] business, to merit a continuance of [the same.]

THE BEST OF MATE[RIAL]

Used, and none but *First-Class* [workmen] employed.

Special attention paid to Repairs [which] will be done promptly.

Sewed work a Speci[alty]

NOTICE.

All over due accounts must be p[aid without] delay or I shall have to resort to [other] means for collection.

D. McLEOD

Corner of Queen and M[ill Streets]

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880.

JOB WORK done neat and promptly at the STANDARD Office.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 12th, 1880.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

LOOK out for Doll's now advertisement next week.

THERE is a notice in this week's STANDARD interesting to contractors. Read it.

You can buy any pattern of Burrels double steel [illegible] at Haskett Bros for [illegible] cents.

[illegible] of Dundalk says he has buggies and waggons of all kinds for sale. Give him a call.

JOHN Welsh is building an addition to his skating rink which when completed will be very commodious.

PERSONS desiring a change in advertisement will please hand it in not later than noon on Wednesday's.

PERSONS wishing to get a good weekly city paper should read the advertisement of the Hamilton *Spectator* in another column.

NOTWITHSTANDING the damp weather and bad roads grain is coming in pretty freely and changing hands at fair prices.

WILCOX is bound to keep up with the times, and is now showing a fine lot of Engagement and Wedding Rings. Young men don't you forget this.

PERSONAL.—Letters address to A. McLellan, (formerly of Durham) will send to P. O. Box 998 Toronto, or, to his residence corner of McCaul & College streets Toronto.

THERE is nothing half so cosy as a warm cup of tea, and you can have it by purchasing some of Reynolds & Son's new seasoned japan tea. Three pounds for one dollar.

WE notice the arrival at Haskett Bros of a large stock of axes, which they claim to have purchased very cheap for cash. Look out for bargains in that line.

WE are pleased to be able to say, that A. McIntyre is doing a very fair business in the grocery line, he keeps fresh goods and sells at very reasonable prices, his teas are really good.

EVERY business man should have his name and address printed on the envelopes he uses. Call at the STANDARD office and you will be astonished how cheap we can do them.

THERE will be an extensive auction sale on the premises of John Devitt, Esq., lot 14, con. 3, Township of Holland, on Saturday Nov. 20th. Twelve months' credit on good paper.

POST MASTERS.—Where the STANDARD is not called for, the P. M's will please destribute the papers to whom they please, and not return them, but send us a card with the names of those to whom they are addressed.

A CREDIT sale of new Furniture, Machinery, &c., belonging to the estate of the late M. E. Merriam, of Flesherton, on the 24th inst. The House, Lot and Wareroom, will also be offered for sale at the same time.

PARTIES visiting Priceville should patronize the Commercial Hotel. They will find the proprietor both attentive and obliging, and ready to supply them with all the requisites necessary to comfort the inner man.

WANTED.—A Boy wanted at this office, from 14 to 16 years of age, to learn the Printing business. To one who is not afraid of work this is a good opportunity—must be able to read manuscript. One from the country prefered.

THANKSGIVING DAY, on the whole passed off pretty quietly. The places of business were closed, and services were held in the C. M. Church. The "Boys" consumed the usual quantity of "corn juice," and the result was a visit to Squire Brown and a contribution to the Township funds of some $18.

WE are compelled to omit a communication from Mr. Meldrum this week touching railway matters. The demand on our columns is so great and the increasing interest that is being taken on this important subject, makes it impossible for us to accommodate all, and therefore we must leave it over for next week.

THE BANK.—Wm. Lucas & Co. have taken possession of the premises prepared for them in Hill Bros. new brick block, on the corner of Mill and Toronto streets. Parties wanting money will find it to their interest to pay them a visit, and those who are of a saving turn, can get 6 per cent. on all money entrusted to their care.

THE WEATHER.—We see by the Toronto dailies that the American oarsman, who are at present in England complain bitterly of the weather. If it is anything like what we have had here for the past two or three weeks we pity the "boys." In fact we have had no weather at all, or, as our Americans cousins would say, too much weather all to-gether.

THE Revere Hotel has changed hands, Mr. J. McCutcheon, the late proprietor retires from the business, having sold out to Mr. Thomas Sproule, formerly of the American Hotel, Owen Sound, Mr. Sproule was at one time Conductor on the T., G. & B. Railway, and has had considerable experience in hotel business, is both courteous and attentive to his customers and no doubt under his management the Revere will become a favorite with the travelling public.

BOGUS BILLS.—Bogus $10 bills are in circulation. The counterfeit consists in a change which is effected by neatly stretching or slitting away one half of the thickness of the bill; covering it and letting in (so to speak) with mucilage the words and figures, ten, from unless Consolidated or other Bank bills. This patchwork fraud can be detected by holding the bill up to the light and by the small imprint of the figure "five" or whatever the actual denomination of the bill may be, on various parts of the bill.

WE have made arrangements with the *Globe* Printing Company to club the *Weekly Globe* with the STANDARD. Persons wishing to obtain it save 75c. on the subscription price by calling on us as we will furnish the STANDARD and the *Weekly Globe* for $2.50, cash, to the end of 1881, subscribers will thereby receive both papers for the balance of this year FREE. Each subscriber will also receive, about the first of the year, *gratis* a fine steel engraving of the late Hon. Geo. Brown, 14x20 inches, got up in the very best style of modern art which alone is worth more than the subscription price.

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We notice the arrival at Haskett Bros of a large stock of axes, which they claim to have purchased very cheap for cash. Look out for bargains in that line.

We are pleased to be able to say, that A. McIntyre is doing a very fair business in the grocery line, he keeps fresh goods and sells at very reasonable prices, his teas are really good.

Every business man should have his name and address printed on the envelopes he uses. Call at the Standard office and you will be astonished how cheap we can do them.

There will be an extensive auction sale on the premises of John Devitt, Esq., lot 11, con. 3. Township of Holland, on Saturday Nov. 20th. Twelve months' credit on good paper.

Post Masters.—Where the Standard is not called for, the P. M's will please destribute the papers to whom they please, and not return them, but send a card with the names of those to whom they are addressed.

A credit sale of new Furniture, Machinery, &c., belonging to the estate of the late M. E. Merriam, of Flesherton, on the 24th inst. The House, Lot and Wareroom, will also be offered for sale at the same time.

Parties visiting Priceville should patronize the Commercial Hotel. They will find the proprietor both attentive and obliging, and ready to supply them with all the requisites necessary to comfort the inner man.

Wanted.—A Boy wanted at this office, from 14 to 16 years of age, to learn the Printing business. To one who is not afraid of work this is a good opportunity—must be able to read manuscript. One from the country prefered.

Thanksgiving Day, on the whole passed off pretty quietly. The places of business were closed, and services were held in the C. M. Church. The "Boys" consumed the usual quantity of "corn juice," and the result was a visit to Squire Brown and a contribution to the Township funds of some $18.

We are compelled to omit a communication from Mr. Meldrum this week touching railway matters. The demand on our columns is so great and the increasing interest that is being taken on this important subject, makes it impossible for us to accommodate all, and therefore we must leave it over for next week.

The Bank.—Wm. Lucas & Co. have taken possession of the premises prepared for them in Hill Bros. new brick block, on the corner of Mill and Toronto streets. Parties wanting money will find it to their interest to pay them a visit, and those who are of a saving turn, can get 6 per cent. on all money entrusted to their care.

The Weather.—We see by the Toronto dailies that the American oarsman, who are at present in England complain bitterly of the weather. If it is anything like what we have had here for the past two or three weeks we pity the "boys." In fact we have had no weather at all, or, as our Americans cousins would say, too much weather all to-gether.

The Revere Hotel has changed hands, Mr. J. McCutcheon, the late proprietor retires from the business, having sold out to Mr. Thomas Sproule, formerly of the American Hotel, Owen Sound. Mr. Sproule was at one time Conductor on the T., G. & B. Railway, and has had considerable experience in hotel business, is both corteous and attentive to his customers and no doubt under his management the Revere will become a favorite with the travelling public.

Bogus Bills.—Bogus $10 bills are in circulation. The counterfeit consists in a change which is effected by neatly stretching or slitting away one half of the thickness of the bill; covering it and letting in (so to speak) with mucilage the words and figures, ten, from unless Consolidated or other Bank bills. This patchwork fraud can be detected by holding the bill up to the light and by the small imprint of the figure "five" or whatever the actual denomination of the bill may be, on various parts of the bill.

We have made arrangements with the *Globe* Printing Company to club the *Weekly Globe* with the Standard. Persons wishing to obtain it save 75c. on the subscription price by calling on us as we will furnish the Standard and the *Weekly Globe* for $2.50, cash, to the end of 1881, subscribers will thereby receive both papers for the balance of this year free. Each subscriber will also receive, about the first of the year, *gratis* a fine steel engraving of the late Hon. Geo. Brown, 14x20 inches, got up in the very best style of modern art which alone is worth more than the subscription price.

The Fifth was celebrated ... nounced previously. The proceedings commenced with a procession about 12 o'clock; and considering that there was a steady down pour of rain and mud ankle deep, was pretty fair. After parading the streets they adjourned to the Orange Hall, where a sumptuous dinner was spread, and to which ample justice was done by a goodly crowd. The bazaar we believe was a success, as most of the articles were disposed of at fair prices. After the dinner a meeting was held at Dufferin Hall, at which addresses were delivered by Dr. Sproule and others of our leading citizens. The proceedings were brought to a close by a grand concert in the evening. The crowded state of our columns will not permit of an extended review of the performance. Besides we consider it invidious to particularize where all did so well. However we cannot refrain from mentioning two pieces which in our estimation were *the* pieces of the evening. The "Genteel cup of Tea, by Mr. W. McDougall elicited rounds of applause, Mac. is a whole team and a horse to spare in himself, and "Matrimonial Sweets" by Miss Ingram of Orangeville, and Mr. Cæsar of this place. The other performers, who were Misses Ford, Mulholland, McDougall, Hollingshead, Spragge and Mr. C. W. Speers contributed in no small measure to the evenings entertainment, and were duly appreciated. Mrs. Vick, assisted by Miss Mulholland and Miss Ford, played the accompaniments. In announcing this fact it is not necessary for us to say that it was well done. Total amount realized $210, to be applied to the English church building fund.

COUNTY ITEMS.

An election was held at Shelburne on Saturday, to elect a councilman. The contest was between R. W. Jeffry and Hugh Carson, and was fought on the ground of bonus or no bonus in aid of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, Carson, the railway man, was elected by 12 majority.

Fire.—On the morning of the 20th ult, while Mr. Alex. Johnston, of the 11th con. of Arthur, was attending to his cattle one of his horses kicked over the lantern quickly setting fire to the stable, which was, together with the barn and contents, entrely consumed. Loss $1.200. Insured in the London Mutual for $550.—*Mount Forest Confederate.*

Robbery.—On Saturday night burglars entered the house of Mr. Guy Leslie, of this town, and, going to his bedroom, carried off his pants and coat, which they rifled when they got outside. They took twenty-one dollars in cash from his pockets, also his watch and bunch of keys. They then went to the post office, and while endeavouring to effect an entrance they aroused the clerk who stops in the office, and when he spoke they made off. They have not as yet been arrested.—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

While Mr. Geo. Rutledge, of Melancthon, with his wife and child, was returning home on Wednesday evening last, the king-bolt of the waggon broke, opposite Lot 16, Con. 4 (old survey), the veichle being suddenly deprived of the support of the front wheels its occupants were thrown to the ground. Strange to say, however the child received no harm, and we are happy to say that Mr. Rutledge and his wife received only a few slight bruises.—*Shelburne Free Press*

How seldom do we hear of a murderer, who expiates his crime upon the gallows, dying without a "bright hope of a glorious immortality," and the Collingwood *Messenger's* remarks on the subject are both pithy and truthful. It says:

"In Saturday's issue or despatch recorded the hanging of a negro in North Carolina, and, as usual we are told he went galloping up to Heaven. This thing is growing monotonous, and for the sake of variety we would like to hear of a murderer taking a race across lots the other way occasionally. The prospect of singing praises forever at the right hand of the throne is too attractive a chromo altogether, to offer as a sure premium for murder, and the business should stop. It is singular that ministers and other sentimental and religious people make such herculean efforts to pre-empt the best locations in glory for bloody handed murderers, while these people—parsons included—will allow a poor girl who makes a mistake to go whooping to perdition."

MARRIED

At Maxwell, on the 6th inst, at the Methodist Parsonage, by the Rev. Mr. Snowden, Mr F. L. Tuck. of Maxwell, to Miss Annie Wright, of Priceville.

DIED.

In Markdale, on the 6th inst., Arthur P Bowes, youngest son of W. J. McFarland, aged 2 years and 8 months.

In Markdale, on the 6th inst, Elliott Mary, daughter of Mrs. S. Caswell, aged 3 years and 3 months.

In Scarboro, on the 10th inst., Arthur, only son of John Vanhorn, of this place, aged 4 years, 3 months, and 27 days.

In Markdale, on the 6th inst., Florence Ada, daughter of John and Annie Benson, aged 1 year, 8 months, and 23 days.

In Priceville, on the 5th inst, John Robert, infant son of Mr. Thos. Conkey.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKER,
MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6d.

NOTICE.

GEORGE NIXON,

Toronto House,
DUNDALK,

Have on hand a full stock, including

TEAS, SUGARS, AND GENERAL GROCERIES.

Crockery, Glassware and Lamps

In great variety and at prices to suit the people.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

The largest and best Stock in Town, at Lowest Prices.

DRY GOODS!

My Stock in this department is now complete, and contains the newest lines in Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Winceys, Shirtings, Flannels, Blankets Clouds, Scarfs, and a choice selection of Tweeds.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.—Overcoats—a large Stock. Suits, Shirts, Drawers, Overalls, &c.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS.—A large assortment of A 1 Goods. Also everything else to be found in a First-Class General Store.

The above Goods have all been purchased in the best Markets, and will be sold at BOTTOM PRICES for CASH or PRODUCE.

Dundalk, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-4i

"Time and Tide Wait FOR NO MAN."
DON'T YOU WAIT!

They are selling fast, those justly celebrated Watches. **You want one.** Will give you special quotations for cash and show you a **Large Stock** to select from. Am showing some beautiful things in

SILVERWARE!

Being suitable for Wedding presents, &c. Some extra bargains in

Parlor and Bedroom Clocks!
Large Weight Clocks at $3.50.

Diamond & Wedding Rings!

Very low. Also a comple stock of **Gold Chains, Sets, Lockets, Necklets, Pins, Chains, &c., &c.,** all at the very lowest net cash prices. When in Flesherton give me a call.

☞ Watch repairing a specialty. All work is warranted.

Wm. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.,
FLESHERTON AND DUNDALK,
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MARKDALE.

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT

Clearing Out Sale!

GRANT & CHELLEW

will offer for the

NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
CUPBOARDS,
WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,
Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

Pictures and Picture Framing!
in all its branches.

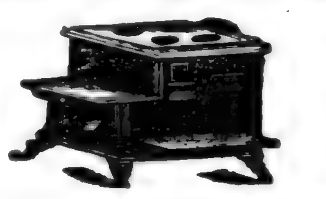
Upholstering and Repairing!
promptly attended to.

☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves.



At the New Tinshop
MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX

STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.
ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork!
made to order on the shortest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. [illegible],
Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey.

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres
FOR SALE,
One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood. (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.
Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill sreott, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept, 17th 1880. 1

Money Lost!

By those who buy stoves before going to

J. GARDINER'S
Dundalk.

Best and Cheapest stock of

STOVES and TINWARE

North of Toronto. 6

FOR SALE.

20 CHARMS—Snowflake, Granite, Wedding, Marble, Basket, (comic china), Mottled Stone, Ashes of Roses, &c., Cards with name on all, 10 cents.

Address, J. A. BROLLEY, Box 79 Creemore P.O. Simcoe, Ont. 5-4,

STRAYED.

Came into the premises of the subscriber, near Berkeley, about the first of October, a yearling steer. The owner is requested to prove property pay expenses and take him away.

WALLACE DRING.

Nov. 1st, 1880. 8-3

THE CHURCH.

WHEREAS Graves have of late been dug in the Church Yard of Christ Church without the consent of the authorities.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That any person so offending in the future will be prosecuted for trespass.

(Signed) R. COLEMAN, THOS. ELLIOTT, Jr., Church-wardens.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-3

Samuel Morrow,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 14th, 1880. 3-1m.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still strive to do a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery spoken or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880. 1

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the County at

McFARLAND'.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your **AXES** at McFarland's. Those **$2.50 MANTLES** selling fast. New **DRESS GOODS** at McFarland's. New **FLANNELS** at McFarland's. New **SHAWLS** at McFarland's. New **BONNETS** and **HATS** at McFarland's. New **TWEEDS** at McFarland's. New **CARPETS** at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. **Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.**

W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER, Markdale.

BOOTS and SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

A NOVELTY in these Goods!

The Indestructible Riveted and Cemented and Water-proof Seam.

Call and Examine Stock and Prices!

before purchasing "slop" goods elsewhere.

FULL LINES IN

Groceries, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing,

(Ready-made,) Crockery and Glassware!

—AT THE—

"TORONTO HOUSE,"
MARKDALE.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 17th, 1880.

Artemesia Wholesale and Retail Warehouse

ALWAYS ON HAND A FULL STOCK OF

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

Groceries, Provisions, &c.,

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

☞ INSPECTION INVITED.

WM. HOGG,
Flesherton Station and Eugenia.

September 21st, 1880. 1

H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

—IN—

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,

SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES, DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!
CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—

UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings

made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and as much so as is consistant with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER,

1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mill.

ANGUS McINTYRE,

GENERALL DEALER IN

Groceries, Provisions,

—AND—

LIQUORS!

A Fresh Supply of the Most Choice just Received.

CALL AND BE SATISFIED AS TO PRICES AND QUALITY.

☞ EMPTY BOTTLES BOUGHT. ☜

Markdale, October 1, 1880. 2-y

Removed! Removed.

HILL BROTHERS,

Would intimate to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they have removed to their new premises, and will be pleased to receive a call from our many friends and customers. Call and see us. We will GIVE YOU BARGAINS. WE MEAN BUSINESS.

SEE OUR

Cheap Dress Goods,
Lustres,
Wincies,
Laces,
And Fringes,

Gents, see our CLOTHING. They are Stylish, Good CHEAP.

SEE OUR TWEEDS!

You will find them right in Price and Quality.

Boots and Shoes a Specialty.

Call and get a sample of our Splendid TEAS.

Gentlemen we have a splendid SMOKING TOBACCO, at 40c per lb. Try it.

We again give a general invitation to inspect our Stock. Have not time to write long advertisements. Don't believe in them. Would rather have the Goods speak for themselves.

Thanking you for past favors, and trust to have a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880. 1-y

Sea Music.

The tide rises, the tide falls,
The twilight darkens, the curfew calls;
Along the sea sands damp and brown
The traveller hastens toward the town,
And the tide rises, the tide falls.

Darkness settles on roofs and walls,
But the sea in the darkness calls and calls;
The little waves with their soft white hands
Efface the footprints in the sands,
And the tide rises, the tide falls.

The morning breaks: the steeds in their stalls
Stamp and neigh as the hostler calls;
The day returns, but nevermore
Returns the traveller to the shore,
And the tide rises, the tide falls.

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Lettice," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH CAREY.

We have been talking of Judith. Sir Martin Napine called on me this morning. The sight of him awakened painful memories, memories I would fain exorcise from my heart and brain. Judith has not been found. All endeavours have proved vain. She has disappeared, we know not where. She is not forgotten. Sir Martin still searches, although he almost despairs of finding her.

A curious life has Silas Thornton led since the night his wife left him. Plunging into dissipation, he has revealed himself in the true colours. Sometimes we cannot but be thankful that Judith escaped from him. If one half the rumours abroad concerning him are to be credited, he is verily a *mauvais sujet*—a man from whom a carefully-nurtured woman must shrink with intense loathing. Sir Martin has tried to stay him in his downward career; but no expostulations, entreaties, or warnings have availed. Steadily has he gone down hill for months past. Just now he is in London. Ellerslie is quiet, and sober folks are grateful; the orgies in that once decorous domain have been enough to cause its dead to tremble and awake.

Dale comes in, strides across the room, and kisses me.

"You look capital!" he declares. "Deb, it is a glorious day, warm as August; will you come for a drive?"

I glance at mamma. Mrs. Ord starts up and openly rubs her eyes—the dear old lady frankly confesses to a *penchant* for afternoon naps.

"Dale, do not be rash," she begins; but I assert that I am quite well, and should enjoy going out exceedingly. After some demur consent is won. Cosily cloaked, I am assisted to the carriage by my husband, mamma's last words being an injunction not to be too venturesome, and to get home ere the wind grows cool.

"Where shall we go?" Dale asks. "Little mother, it is jolly to have you to myself again. I am quite jealous. I seem to have lost you lately."

"Let us call on Will," I propose. "I want to see the Vicarage again."

Dale touches the horses lightly, and we skim rapidly along.

Will is at home. He welcomes us, and insists on our going in. A cup of tea, he says, will do me good; and his tea is ready. Dale carries me in his strong arms, puts me in the easy-chair, and removes my wraps with fingers deft as a woman's. While Will pours out tea I look about me. Everything is as it was when I was here. I smile at Will's handiness. He milks and sugars the tea with mathematical exactness. Dale brings me a cup. I am waited on by them assiduously, as though a being of inestimable value. We chat gaily; but my sight grows dim as I note the change in Will. Ah, Will, sorrow and anguish have pressed you sorely! Would that I could give you that which would recompense you for your great suffering!

Tea over, I insist on staying just ten minutes. It is so pleasant to sit by the fire while the red sun shines in at the windows. I am snug, and am reluctant to move; but at last I rise, for I know it is unwise to linger. I button my cloak, Will watching me; Dale has gone to see to the horses. Will is about to speak; his lips move, but I am not destined to hear his words. Truefit, the servant, enters hastily.

"A telegram for you, sir," she says, putting a yellow envelope into his hand.

He opens it carelessly and reads the lines; then his face changes.

"What is it?" I cry. I fear I know not what, so singular is the tremor that passes over him.

"It is from the house-surgeon at King's College Hospital. Silas Thornton is dying. They have sent for me."

"Dying!"

"Yes, thrown from his carriage. Read."

I do so; but I gather no more than he has told me. Silas is dying, and Will is wanted.

TOLD BY AN ONLOOKER.

William Carey travels by the express to London, arriving in town very late at night. Early morning finds him alert and anxious. He is at the hospital before the hour for visitors; but his card and a brief explanation gain him admittance. The house-surgeon comes to see him, and Will recognises in him an old schoolmate.

"Why, Merivale!" he cries, and for a moment Will's errand is forgotten while the men go over the history of the years during which they have lost sight of each other. It is so long since they were boys together, inseparable chums, that it is not astonishing they forget the present, and talk eagerly, boyishly, of the days that are no more. At last Will says, with a twinge of compunction, "I have come to see Mr. Thornton. You telegraphed for me?"

"To be sure, to be sure. And to think the Reverend William Carey and you are one!"

"How is he?" Will speaks hastily, afraid of drifting again into reminiscences. "How came you to send for me?"

"Your card was found on him. You will see him at once?"

"Yes. Is he very bad?"

"So bad that there is no chance of his being better. He is dying."

Will's face darkens. "How did it happen?"

"An accident—thrown from his victoria; horses became unmanageable; man-servant took fright jumped from his box. Mr. Thornton was flung out injured beyond cure. Come."

Will follows the Doctor. Silas Thornton lies where they first placed him. He is not in a private room. Had he been able to be moved he would have been; but, as he is, it is best to let him be. He is conscious; faint groans escape yet from the drawn mouth, his eyes are open, and their pupils a little dilated; he can speak, but only in a spasmodic gasping fashion. He is incapable of movement. Death is creeping upwards, the heart is failing and temperature sinking; a little longer, and all will be over. Will gazes at him with pitiful tender eyes; and observes, with indescribable compassion, the wild revolt against the fate which has so unexpectedly stricken him—the futile mad longing to live. The bed is as smooth and still as though life were thoroughly extinct. Will lays his hand on the coverlet, and Silas Thornton looks at him keenly.

"Ah!" he whispers.

Then his eyes rove elsewhere; Will's do likewise. A curious faintness comes over him; for one instant Will doubts his own sanity; the next he knows he is under no delusion. By Silas Thornton's bed is Judith. She does not move towards him, but her eyes meet his. Will says softly—

"You here?"

"Yes: I am a nurse. I was here when they brought him in. I have not left him. I am his wife." The dying man hears and understands.

"Judith," he cries; and she bends over him. "Forgive!"

She puts her fingers to his brow.

"Ay," she answers, "I forgive—and you?"

"If I could undo it I would. I did not know."

She does not weep; her face is very calm; only the trembling of her lips indicates pain. The Doctor glances away. He is used to scenes of anguish, but in this one there is an entirely new feature—husband and wife meeting after long separation, only to part finally. It matters not that on neither side does love exist; they are one. Judith realises the truth as she kneels beside him. A great regret distresses her. She cannot do aught for this man for whom she should do so much. Will watches her. He too kneels down.

"Let us pray," he says.

When he rises the fierce light has faded from Silas Thornton's eyes. Will fancies that he wishes to speak to him, and he draws nearer.

"I am going. Be kind to her—make up——"

His voice is weak; Will's promise reaches him, and then Will goes to Judith.

"I will leave you a while," he says. "I will come again soon. I shall find you here?"

"Yes. Will it be——"

She shrinks. Doctor Merrivale interposes. "It will not be long. You must have some nourishment."

When outside, Will hesitates. What has befallen him? He is as one in a trance. Judith is found; and, in spite of all the sadness, the gloom of the finding, he is glad—glad with a joy no words can convey.

Will hastens to the telegraph-office. He must send the tidings to those whose hearts are bound to the woman he has left. Two messages are sent, one to Sir Martin, the other to his sister Deborah.

"Silas Thornton is dying fast. Judith is with him."

Then he returns to the hospital, to wait until Doctor Merrivale comes to him. Will will not intrude on Judith. The Doctor's countenance is grave. Will comprehends before he says, "It is all over; he is dead!"

Judith, in her black dress, is close to her father, and he clasps her hands lovingly. A feverish flush is on her cheek, and her eyes are gleaming with great joy. She has heard the story of her mother's death—heard what drove her father into exile, how he refuted the charge brought against him of being guilty of his father's murder; and, as her last question is answered, she casts herself on Sir Martin's breast, her tears raining down.

"Oh, my father, you proved yourself stainless!" she cries.

"Yes."

He presses her to him; and for a time they are silent, Judith thinking what might have been, he absorbed in studying her sweet oval face. Presently he rouses himself and kisses her.

"My dear," he says; "what have you been doing since you left Ellerslie?"

His arm is about her, and he feels the tremor that runs through her. She replies concisely—

"I came to London, to my foster-mother, Dallas. She welcomed me kindly. I had not been with her many days when she sickened with fever, and I nursed her. The doctor who attended her told me I had all the qualifications of a good nurse. I enquired if he could get me employment, and he recommended me to the hospital. When Dallas was well I went there, and there remained until you took me away. My holidays have been spent with Dallas."

"Ay, you were very near while we searched for you! Oh, my child, how I longed to behold you! I had grown to fear that you were not living."

"I did not know," she says contritely.

"Why did you not write? You had friends—Deborah and Mr. Carey."

A blush dyes her cheek, and the white lids droop over the glistening eyes.

"I was best to be forgotten."

"Forgotten! Judith, Judith, who once loving you could forget you?"

The reproachful words sting her. She caresses him.

"Father, did I do very wrong in leaving Silas? I did not mean to do so; but, when he taunted me with my stained birth, when he avowed that he rued our marriage, how could I help fleeing from him? Should I have stayed in spite of all?"

Sir Martin scrutinizes her steadily. Her secret is his.

"You did not love him?" he murmurs.

"No."

She clings to him, and he kisses her again. She twines her arms round his neck despairingly, frantically—as though fearful that he will cast her off. She is not capable of deceit or disguise. He consoles her with a mother's solicitude.

"It was altogether a mistake," he says thoughtfully. "My daughter, his fault was of a darker shade than yours, and you forgave him." She sobs less brokenly; and he goes on, healing her wounds skilfully, bravely. "To err is human; and you, my darling, are but mortal. You have atoned as far as lay in your power; you must leave the past and its shadows, and be happy—be happy." He smooths her glossy hair. "Judith, I have not tasted happiness for many years. But, amid all my troubles, in all my wanderings, I have loved my motherless girl. Can you give me a little love?"

"My dear father"—she kisses him passionately—"we will be all in all to each other. I have no one but you to love."

"That is well," he says quaintly. "You might love me less had you a divided heart; and now I must go. I have an appointment with Mr. Carey."

If he imagines that the colour will surge to her face he is disappointed. She bows her head, and he quits her. Quiescent she remains, dreaming a strange involved dream in which our father and William Carey principally figure.

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ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER III.—CONTINUED.

I felt it a great relief when Mr. Vane shook hands with me—and a very cold and reluctant hand it was which I gave him—and wished me "Good-bye," and rode away.

But in a day or two he was back again, with some excuse or other for his intrusion; and my father, who had taken a certain fancy to him, somewhat encouraged his visits.

Cyril Vane was a well-educated man, with a mind by no means of a commonplace order. When he chose he could talk well and make himself very agreeable; but I did not like him, and Mrs. Holland's opinion coincided with mine.

"He is false, Miss Cathie," she said; "false, and heartless too. Do not you be taken in with him, my dear," she added, as an after-thought.

I laughed, and told her there was no danger. But his incessant attentions were very oppressive to me. I was exceedingly fond of riding, and much attached to my own horse "Gladiator." The name suited him. He was strong and swift rather than handsome. In fact, I fear many would have pronounced him too clumsily built for a lady's horse. Still, he had a well-shaped head, and beautiful gentle eyes. I have ridden him from dawn to dark on a long summer's day, and when we reached home at night he was not fatigued, nor was I. Every morning I paid him a visit, and he would come galloping across the paddock in a moment at the sound of the silver whistle I carried with me.

One day I set forth on a long ride and quite alone. In the Colonies one is less trammeled by ceremony and etiquette than in England, and one does not necessarily require an attendant when out riding.

I thought when I looked at myself in the glass before setting out that I appeared sober and sedate enough to be sure of attracting no attention during my expedition. My riding-habit was of black cloth. I had a black felt helmet-shaped hat, with a plain band of crape round it. My linen collar and cuffs were simply fastened with silver studs. But I was not to escape so easily, as it turned out.

At one very lonely part of the road I had the misfortune to break my stirrup-leather, and my stirrup dropped to the ground. I was a long way from home, and riding any distance without a support to the foot is fatiguing work for a lady.

I therefore dismounted, desired Gladiator to stand still, and I set to work to mend the broken strap with the aid of a penknife and some strong string, which I always carried with me in the pocket of my saddle ready for a similar emergency.

While I was thus occupied, who should appear riding round the bend of the road but Cyril Vane.

I knew the dark pale face and the bright black eyes well enough by this time. Of course he dismounted at once, and was all sympathy; and, taking the knife from my hand, he insisted on completing the task I was engaged on.

When the stirrup-leather was mended and he was once more in the saddle, he still rode on by my side. He declared that his business lay in the exact direction in which I was myself going; and, though I doubted the assertion, I had no means of disproving it.

But I was not to be taken captive so easily as he imagined, and I saw my way to a means of getting rid of him which he little dreamt of. There was a short cut across the paddock to my own home, and just past the next bend of the road was a gate, or rather one of the old-fashioned slip-panels, so much used in the early days of the colony. My father had often talked of having it replaced by a proper gate, but he had hitherto neglected to do so.

As we came down the road at a canter, I watched my opportunity, nodded "good-bye" to my companion, and put Gladiator at the bars. Cyril Vane looked aghast for a moment; but I knew my horse, and my horse understood me.

Before Mr. Vane had recovered from his amazement, Gladiator and I were galloping away down the paddock, and I did not check his speed until I came in sight of my own home.

CHAPTER IV.

After the rudeness of which I had been guilty towards Cyril Vane, I fully expected that he would take offence, and spare me the annoyance of his society for the future.

No such thing! The very next day he was back again, and in my father's house. Courtesy demanded that I should show some hospitality to his guest.

It was evening, and I was walking about the garden, thinking sadly of my lost sister Rose. It was just about this hour that I had last seen her in life. Cyril Vane was following me everywhere, speaking little, and sometimes moodily breaking off the head of a flower with the riding-whip he carried in his hand.

At last, as he switched off the head of a beautiful white carnation just as I was about to gather it, I could not help exclaiming—

"Oh, how provoking!" I threw an indignant glance at him over my shoulder as I spoke.

"Miss Cathie," he said suddenly, with a frown darkening his face, "why do you dislike me so much?"

I parried the question as well as I could, without telling an absolute untruth.

"Why should you suppose that I dislike you?" I asked in reply.

"I see it in every look you give me," he answered moodily. "In every word you speak to me I hear the same. You don't address your horse in the same tone you use to me."

"How could you expect it!" I said, laughing, with a touch of scorn in my mischievous answer. "Gladiator is my very dearest friend."

"I wish I were your horse, then, to have that title given to me," he said. And he tried to catch my eyes as he spoke.

I would not look at him. I thought that the conversation was going too far.

Yet his answer was not that of a lover, as I fancied it ought to be. There was a certain coldness in his admiration, which was nevertheless genuine, as I could instinctively feel.

I thought of Mrs. Holland's remark, "He is not a gentleman to love very warmly. I have seen some who were of a different make." And then my thoughts flew off—where?

To the only man I had ever seen who had aroused my interest for a moment, yet who had entirely disappeared from my range of vision, and had never, so far as I knew, taken the trouble even to inquire after me since. Need I say that it was Noel Beresford?

"Won't you look at me, Miss Cathie?" entreated Cyril quite humbly, in spite of my disdain.

"No," I said, plainly and firmly.

He frowned darkly.

"You will not escape me so easily as you think," he said. "I have made up my mind to win you, and I tell you so openly, in defiance of the displeasure which makes you look so unspeakably charming. But I can bide my time, as you will see."

Having fired this parting shot, he at last wished me "good evening," and went away.

The next day my father summoned me into the room he used as his especial sanctum, half library, half office, and desired me to sit down, as he had something of importance to say to me. I obeyed his request, and seated myself opposite to him.

The light from the long window behind me fell full upon his face, and I thought he was looking very ill, and he had aged greatly during the last few weeks. He had been intensely proud of my beautiful sister, and had taken her death much to heart.

The painful and mysterious manner in which her life had ended had affected his nerves, and I knew that the doctor who attended him had ordered him an entire change of air and scene as soon as possible. I was scarcely prepared, however, for what was to come.

"I have sent for you Cathie," said my father, "to speak to you concerning a matter in which you are greatly interested. You are aware that I am anxious to pay a visit home to the old country as soon as ever I can wind up my affairs here. But you are not aware of what I grieve to say is the case, that I cannot afford to take you with me. I am sorry to say that my affairs are in rather an embarrassed condition, and, without entering into details of business which you would not understand, it will be sufficient for me if I tell you that it is necessary for me shortly to sell this house and the estate around it. In these circumstances, the question is, what will best secure your happiness and insure you another comfortable home?"

He waited a few moments, and coughed rather nervously before he attempted to proceed.

I was feeling rather cold and frightened, and was wondering anxiously what was to come next. At last he resumed.

"Yesterday I received a request from Mr. Vane that I would allow of his visiting here, with a view to his gaining your esteem and affection. In short, he begged me to intercede with you that you would become his wife."

"Oh, no, no!" I cried impetuously, almost before he had finished speaking.

My father raised his hand as if to check my excitement; he was always too reserved, too dignified in manner for his daughters ever to feel quite at ease with him.

"Think it well over, Cathie," he said, before you attempt to decide either one way or the other. I have just warned you that you cannot expect to retain this house as your home much longer, and at this exact crisis in my affairs a respectable and tolerably wealthy man, of fairly good family, I believe, though I confess that of his relatives I know next to nothing, has come forward, and offered you a home and a position in every respect equal to your present one, and has promised besides to make a handsome settlement upon you. Which would you prefer—to marry Mr. Vane, or to go out as a governess? I confess that I see no alternative."

Ah, it was a cruel decision which he called upon me to make! Is there anything more terrible to a woman than to find that she is in danger of losing her home, and being turned out to seek the mercy of a cold and pitiless world?

I saw at once that my father had made up his mind that I should marry Cyril Vane, and, when he had once resolved upon carrying any point, his will was of iron.

There comes a time when children judge their parents with the eyes of grown-up men and women, and not with the old awe and reverence of childhood.

I can see now that my father, lenient and indulgent even to carelessness in trifling matters, was a good deal of a tyrant in concerns of greater importance.

I sat quite still and said nothing; I felt singularly hopeless. My father rose and dismissed me.

"Think it well over, my dear Cathie," he said. "Don't try to decide at once. Mr. Vane is willing to wait any reasonable time for an answer to this proposal. I need scarcely tell you what my opinion is concerning your true interests. You may never receive such an offer again, I beg you to remember. In the meantime I have given Mr. Vane permission to come here as often as he pleases."

I rose to leave the room, and my heart was sore within me, but it softened towards my father when the light fell strongly on his hair, fast turning white, and I noticed once again how ill and care-worn he looked.

Who should pay us a visit that very evening but Herbert Tempest! We had seen so little of him since my sister's death, that his arrival was a surprise to me.

I was seated at the piano, singing softly to myself in the gloaming, when he walked in unannounced, just as he used to do, and laid his hand upon the back of my chair.

"I congratulate you, Cathie," were his first words. "I heard a rumour that you were likely to change your name, and I have come to offer you my best wishes."

"Oh, Herbert," I said indignantly, "who could have told you such a falsehood?"

"Is it not true then?" he inquired, with some surprise. "I was told that your father had given his consent, and that the affair was to come off very shortly."

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A Gambler's Method of Winning.

A German baron, who had been playing heavily at "makao," at the Pesth National Casino, and had, during a few months, won $40,000, was discovered cheating recently in a very curious way. He always appeared anxious to "take the bank," by which means he of course always dealt. He kept down the pile of bank-notes in front of him with a polished silver tobacco-box. He dealt over this, and could thus see the cards he dealt his players reflected in the lid of the box! A certain general of the staff observed this, and begged for the loan of the box to roll a cigarette. This request he frequently repeated, and observed that when the box was away the baron had variable luck like the others. The lucky gambler, a well-known racing man and of excellent family, is to be prosecuted as a common swindler.

THE Earl of Cawdor and party, numbering six guns, recently succeeded in bagging the extraordinary number of 566 hares in one day. Gamekeepers and gillies were, of course, unable to carry them, and they were conveyed to the castle in carts.

Hon. Edward Blake.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

Some may think that it is rather too much for TRUTH at such an early stage of its career to meddle with the leader of Her Majesty's opposition, and to indicate what it thinks of Edward Blake's antecedents and prospects. TRUTH claims no "society" privileges. It has never played "peeping Tom" either to Mr. Blake or any other person. It knows nothing of "celebrities at home" and has never "interviewed" any one for purposes either of admiration or integrity. Edward Blake is to TRUTH an object of interest, simply as any man of the last century might be, and were he a mummy or mollusc could not be regarded with greater impartiality or spoken of with greater freedom and independence. In these days of strong party feeling it is thought only dutiful and right to speak of the leader of the particular "party" in terms of exaggerated eulogy, and of those "over the way" with a corresponding twist in the opposite direction. TRUTH has no party or personal ends to save, no axes to grind, no great man to propitiate, and can therefore speak the thing as it is without fear and without favor, whether Sir John's career is under the microscope or Edward Blake kindly gives a sitting for his photograph.

The mere historical facts in Mr. Blake's life, have had nothing about them of startling interest and importance. His course from birth onward has been eminently respectable; but the materials for history supplied by it have neither been many or exciting. It is vain to potter about his genealogical tree or try and connect him with the great and good of bye-gone centuries. No doubt, industrious antiquarians could trace his descent from the Irish Kings, and could prove to a demonstration that at the time of the flood his progenitor of the day had a yacht of his own. TRUTH leaves that congenial work to coming members of the great family of Dryasdust, and thinks it sufficient in the meantime to confess to as great an amount of ignorance in reference to the doings and sayings of the Humes and the Blakes in all their ramifications, septs and settlements, as those of the Poops and the Nincoms, who also had large branches in Ireland, some of whom emigrated to, and have taken firm and permanent root in this new land. The business is not with Mr. Blake's forefathers, but with himself, for he is not to be spoken of as if he were a potato, with by far the best part under the ground, and likely to remain there. He has no need to fall back upon his fore fathers to show his right to something like recognition and honour, and so let them pass. Decent respectable people, no doubt they were in their day, who duly transmitted some of the physical vigour, and mental and moral peculiarities to those who came after them, but were nothing in any way so remarkable but that after having served their day and generation, they do not rightfully fall asleep and remain undisturbed, by either professional biographers, or word painters, who can make commonplace, sublime, or colour respectability, heroic, at so much the column or the hour, or the yard as the case may be. If Edward Blake cannot make any great show genealogically, he can do something better, for he can claim an ancestry of modest goodness, and while his father made for himself a local reputation, as he did, he himself has no need, as some sons unfortunately have, to fall back upon, and live on its conditions as his only heritage, and his one exclusive merit. He is not exactly the Rodolph of his family, but he might as well have been, for he has neither risen nor does he continue to stand, because he is his father's son.

It would be difficult to wax eloquent over the stumps of Adelaide Township, or a descriptive sketch of the log cabin, in which Edward Blake first saw the light. All that, will come in due time, and has partly come already, and has even again been buried and forgotten. Sufficient to know, that almost from first to last, Mr. Blake has been a citizen of Toronto, and has gradually come to be both a celebrated and an honoured one. There was, so far as tradition goes, no special precocity about his early years. He grew up in propitious circumstances a vigorous healthy boy and lad, with nothing of the prodigy about him and with nobody, as far as can be seen or learned, dreaming dreams about his future greatness, or making him out as the "coming man," of a coming race. Healthy, happy, physically vigorous, mentally active, morally, pure, strong, exuberant even sometimes to the extent of being boisterous, with a touch of masterfulness about him, which never got the length of being offensive, and never tempted him to play the bully or the tyrant, he led his free young life, the very reverse of a prig, but also the antipodes of a mere idler. No slave to the midnight oil, yet with a large capacity for work, and for a time, at any rate, doing that work rather by spurts than by steady systematized application, he at last graduated with honours, but without any affluence of scholarship or any great weight of varied and curious learning. Living, henceforth, a busy professional and public life, he has not been in a position to add greatly to his early stores of scholastic acquirement, and is now to be spoken of not as a ripe scholar, but as a scholarly lawyer, a clear thinker, an eloquent speaker, an eminent statesman, and a generally accomplished man.

Professionally, Mr. Blake's career has been one of unbroken and remarkable success. He came to the front rank among his legal brethren almost from the very first, and in his own special department has now for a long time and universally, been recognized as *facile princeps* among the gentlemen of the Dominion learned in the law.

That in certain respects he has been as successful politically will also be generally acknowledged, but still in this his triumphs have not been so conspicuous, and his future is neither so brilliant nor so secure. To a greater or less extent he has been in public life for rather more than thirteen years, and during all that time has occupied a very prominent place in the general politics of Canada, as well as in the more local discussions of his own Province. That he has done good and fruitful work during all that time is beyond anything like reasonable dispute. As leader of the Reform Opposition in the Local House, and for a season first Minister of the Crown in Ontario, he made his mark, and the record he has left is both a fair and an honourable one. As a member of the House of Commons, and one of the Reform Dominion Government, it has not been Mr. Blake's lot to play so conspicuous or influential a part. His reputation in that position, as a debater, has remained undimmed, and his faculty for departmental work has also been equally conspicuous, but the state of his health for a long portion of the time has been unsatisfactory, and may have helped to give an unsettled and generally a somewhat disappointing character to his proceedings. It may be said that his position was somewhat anomalous, but in what respects it was so to any greater extent than that of any of his associates does not very easily appear. That he was in the highest degree loyal to Mr. Mackenzie his political leader, will not be questioned by any one sufficiently acquainted with the facts to be justified in expressing an opinion on the subject. But at the same time it is undeniable that the Mackenzie Government did not receive that amount of strength and encouragement which might have been reckoned on from Mr. Blake's presence and reputation. Perhaps it is after all a fact that politics have not any very special charms for a man of Mr. Blake's temperament and tastes. He can go into the work and do the very best service possible when he is at it. But it is doubtful if he is ever fairly at home in its details and if he does not always turn with pleasure and a sense of relief from its necessary drudgeries. He is not a master in the small arts necessary to secure a certain kind of very useful popularity. He can never be hail good fellow well met to every Tom, Dick, and Harry in the political wigwam, and has no faculty for persuading even the feeblest of the lot that he is individually perfectly indispensable. In reality he is not cold, but unfortunately he has a good deal of a cold exterior, and while his seeming *hauteur* is more to be set down to shyness than supercilious contempt, the great mass of those whom it is a political leader's interests to conciliate, will never be able to comprehend how such a man as Edward Blake can be bashful, and will therefore persist in the belief that he is proud, if not positively insolent. It is a misfortune that he is short-sighted, and even his reputation as a master of sarcasm makes his friends sometimes nervous to as great an extent as it makes his opponents positively timid. He is now in name, as well as in fact, leader of the Reform party, and it remains to be seen whether he can remarshal its somewhat broken ranks, and lead the reorganized battalions again to victory. His friends have great hopes. It is but the simple fact that his opponents have not any great fears about the issue. A political leader to be successful must be nothing else. It will take all his time and tax all his energies to master all the details of the situation, to study individual characters, to watch and guide the several currents of thought and action, to keep himself fully *en rapport* with the leaders of his party, and carefully to master and counter work the tactics of his opponents.—He can't afford to take everything or much at second-hand, and while he sees with others' eyes and hears with others' ears, he must at any rate know all about the eyes and ears on which he depends, and be able to show that he is not dependent on them after all. But Mr. Blake is not doing this, and more than that he has never done it. Law has been and is his honoured lawful wedded wife, and he has treated her with all the courtesy, attention, and devotion which such an one will have. Politics, if he will excuse the reference even though for a moment, and allow it to pass in the most Pickwickian of senses, has been at best scarcely more than a casual mistress with whom he might be pleased to flirt for an idle hour; but from whose company he ever turns with a feeling of relief to the staid and more congenial society of his honoured and wedded spouse. As it has been in the past so is it to-day. Politics have not been, are not now, and we more than doubt if they ever will become, Mr. Blake's business, his thought by day, his dream by night, that for which he is ready to cast law with all its attractions and all its fees to the winds, and be, and do, and live for it alone. Ready on this account to flatter the vain, to cultivate the vulgar, and to bear even with the foolish and the presumptuous. If Mr. Blake could bring himself to do this, there is nothing in the way of practical and even theoretic statesmanship, which he might not hope to achieve. But will he? Can he? That is the question! that's the difficulty. Never had a man a larger, or more earnest body of the youth, aye, and of the old too, of the land, willing to be led, anxious that he should be the leader. But will he do it? Are his habits, his peculiarities, his very excellencies such that he can do so, even though he wished? The time for answering that momentous question in any way but one, is quickly slipping past. While he dallies with law, and lets politics drift, the fine edge of hope is being dulled; enthusiasm subsides; more or less disappointment supervenes. And the party is still a chaos, more or less comforting itself with a Macawber policy, of waiting for the something to turn up, if with any at all. What is to be the issue? Who shall say? In the meantime, even Edward Blake cannot be a great lawyer and a great politician at the same time. To attempt this, is to fail, and for him to fail now, is to fail for ever.

A Benevolent "Old Salt."

On a certain winter's day, not many years since, an uncommonly cold northwestern blistered the Atlantic coast. Over toward the sand-dunes which protect a particular bay from the sea a man is fighting his way across the frozen surface in the face of the bitter gale. His objective is a house on the midland near the shore. The contrast between the luxurious warmth and coziness of the interior of this house and the cold desolation which prevails without would furnish ample material for the modern artistic "symphony" in color. After a hard struggle the man reaches the shore; under his arm flutters a paper parcel.

He enters the kitchen of this particular house, and with merely a nod to the cook seats himself in silence by the fire. He is perhaps sixty years of age—an ancient mariner whom many battles with the elements have rendered uncommonly reticent and uncommunicative. His head is bald, but an enormous tuft upon the chin makes amends for this deficiency, and adds to the grim solemnity of his appearance. At a recent revival, after fifty years' practical contemplation of life in various portions of the globe, he experienced religion. Friends and his dead wife's mother had hoped that under this soothing influence he might develop more genial methods of expression; but he was a man, as we have said, in whom experience had confirmed a natural reticence. When the moment arrived in which by some sign or word of mouth he was, before the assembled multitude, to show his ripeness for grace, a great silence fell on the congregation. With no change of countenance he arose in his place, faced to the northeast, the point from which he had always encountered the hardest gales, and roared out, as if addressing a man at the mast-head, "Look a here! I want religion, and I'm bound to have it!" This said, he dropped back into seat, silent, and grim. No change was observed in his deportment; he had satisfied the exigencies of the conventional village life. Under no influence could he be induced to alter or soften the angles of his brief but emphatic vocabulary. On the particularly cold day which I have mentioned he was moved by another sentiment, for snugly tucked in blankets on the upper floor of the house in which he was then seated, a newly born infant lay sleeping. From the mother, surrounded by every attainable luxury and comfort, this ancient mariner had once accepted a signal service, for which, up to this time, he had never given any sign of appreciative recognition. On this occasion for twenty minutes or more he sat by the fire grimly ruminating. Finally he started up, and taking from under his arm the package which he had thus jealously guarded during the entire session, he advanced and placed it on the table.

"Look a here," he said to the cook, "I understand Y——'s woman" (*Anglice* wife) "is hove to with a baby"—here he paused, and nodded assent to his own statement, in the direction of the northeast. "Look a here" (confidentially), "wimmin is mighty onsartain at them times, so I fetched this 'ere off the beach, a-thinkin' she might like suthin' sorter tasty." This said, he reseated himself in solemn silence by the fire. An examination of the "suthin' sorter tasty," which was enveloped in a thoroughly thumbed copy of the county paper, revealed a well-sanded salt mackerel—a waif washed on the beach from a recent wreck off the coast.

The Czar's Bride.

The Emperor Alexander had been in love with the princess Dolgorouki for more than twelve years. He first met her at the residence of her sister-in-law, the princess Dolgorouki-Vulcano, a most honorable Neapolitan. Struck with the grace of the princess Catharine, a blonde of charming simplicity and great beauty, the emperor declared his love, and the affair soon became the talk of St. Petersburg. He established her in apartments on the English quay, and here he has visited almost daily for the past ten years to seek solace in her society from the cares and worries of state affairs. The princess Dolgorouki has given birth to several children, all of them being authorized by imperial ukase to bear the titles of Count and Countess de Gourine, the name of the extinct branch of the Romanoffs. The princess followed the emperor to the banks of the Danube under the name of Mme. Rilejer during the late war with Turkey. Of course the empress knew all about it, but her malady and the coldness of her nature caused her to shut her eyes to the real state of the case. But when the czar desired to legitimatize the princess' children, the empress, the czarewitch, and the grand duke declined to accede. The Czarina determined to leave Russia and find at Cannes a refuge from the insult offered her. The czarewitch avoided the winter palace as much as possible. The influence of the Princess Dolgorouki grew daily stronger in the czar's household. The emperor yielded so completely to its fascinations, that he even showed anxiety to obtain a divorce from the empress and to marry the princess. Now that the marriage is accomplished, it is almost certainly of the kind known as "morganatic," in which the bride stipulates that she and her children will neither assume the rank nor inherit the possessions of the husband. These alliances are not over frequent, but the *Europe Diplomatique* occasionally furnishes us with a list of such marriages entered into by the princes of the royal house of Europe. Besides Victor Emmanuel, Leopold I., of Belgium, and Frederick VII., of Denmark, the latest list embraces some fifteen princes' names, a large majority of whom belong to the reigning house of Germany and Austria.

MR. LONGMAN, the well known publisher of London has sold his estate at Farnborough Hill to the ex Empress EUGENIE for $250,000. It consists of 257 acres and a picturesque mansion. The ex-Empress intends to build on the property a memorial chapel to receive the bodies of the ex-Emperor and the late Prince Imperial.

IT is a curious fact that no new actors or actresses appear to be coming forward in Paris this season. Got and the elder Coquelin, Landrol and St. Germain, Worms and Dieudonne, Dupuis and Judic, and Celine Chaumont have all become familiar names, but they have no successors visible. The first appearances last year were all failures.

JOHN BUTLER, a tramp, had seen better days. Finding himself hungry and destitute in St. Clair County, Ohio, he resolved to revenge himself upon those prosperous farmers who had since morning refused to feed him. Stealing a horse from a stable, and some matches from a barroom, he rode away to perform his strange task. During a ride of two miles he set fire to seven barns all of which were destroyed. The line of incendiarism would doubtless have been extended much further, had he not been promptly pursued. He was caught while kindling the eighth fire.

ART AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

OLE BULL begged that Mozart's Requiem might be played while he was dying, and it was the last music that he heard.

MR. TENNYSON'S new play is a tragedy in two acts, of which Mr. Irving assumes the hero's role, and Miss Ellen Terry that of the heroine.

It is said that Mr. Compton can no longer play Romeo, and feels compelled to abandon all the roles that he played in connection with Adelaide Neilson.

APROPOS of a discussion lately going on in the London papers concerning the manner in which Charlotte Corday was dressed when she stabbed Marat, one of our own wits on this side remarks that she was undoubtedly "dressed to kill."

NINA BOUCICAULT, the youngest daughter of Agnes Robertson, is said to be predestined for an irresistible soubrette actress. She is receiving her education to that end in France and Germany, is small in stature, small-featured, has a *nez retrousse*, and fine hazel eyes.

MISS MINNIE HAUK has been spending her vacation in the south of France, Switzerland, and the Black Forest. She is now to sing through the principal Continental cities, after which she contemplates a season of concerts in London and the Provinces, as other English towns are styled.

AN extravaganza company advertised in Pittsburg that they would pay a reward to anybody who could find the shadow of a plot in "The Flock of Geese," the play which they performed. So few persons went to the theatre to search that the company disbanded, and the manager pawned a diamond pin to pay their fares to this city.

ENGLISH actresses are said to dress so faultlessly as to give lessons in fashion to the audience; Miss Ellen Terry, Mrs. Kendal, Mrs. Bancroft, Miss Gerard, and Miss Genevieve Ward exhibiting harmony of colour and beauty of outline in their dresses to such perfection that great ladies send maids to see them, and get ideas for their own wardrobes.

"WHAT is the use," asks the San Francisco *Post*, "of talking about art culture in San Francisco, when it is an open secret that a certain rich mining man recently sent to Florence for a copy of the Venus of Milo, and when the statue was delivered actually sued the Central Pacific Railroad Company for mutilating a work of art, and, what is more, recovered damages?"

OFFENBACH was often as witty as he was musical. In an interview he once had with the Emperor William at Ems, the Emperor said, "We, too, have a right to be proud of you, Herr Offenbach, for you were born, I am informed, at Bonn." "No, your Majesty," was Offenbach's answer; "the other man was born at Bonn; I am a native of Cologne." The other man was Beethoven.

A REVIVAL of the ancient Greek drama, similar to the one at Oxford last year, will be attempted at Harvard College next spring. The play to be presented is the "Œdipus Tyrannus" of Sophocles. Mr. Geo. Riddle, a graduate of Harvard, will assume the principal part and have entire direction of the work. It will be performed at Sanders Theatre, where the regular commencement exercises are given.

THE apparent cause of the downfall of John A. Woodward, who has absconded with $82,000 from the Boston city treasury, was an actress known as Imogene. Her maiden name was Amy Louise Knowlton. He fell in love with her, married her, maintained her in a costly home when she stayed in Boston, and paid the heavy losses of her unsuccessful tour as a star. The Boston *Herald* says that some of the bills which Woodward had to meet were for breakage in hotels when his wife got drunk.

MR. RUSKIN will soon find himself unable to visit Venice, as well as America, for æsthetic reasons, as they propose to put steam-launches on the canals there. But he may be well content to stay at his beautiful home; it is called Brantwood, and is situated among the waters and mountains of the English lake country. His house is full of treasures, valuable manuscripts, among them that of Scott's *Peveril of the Peak*, ancient missals exquisitely ornamented, paintings by Titian and by Meissonier, Sir Joshua Reynold's Portrait of Angelica Kaufman, and a unique collection of Turners.

ANTONY—"You all do know this mantle. Look! in this place ran Cassius' dagger through; see what a rent the envious Casca made. Through this the well-beloved Brutus stabbed." Brutus (aside)—"He's a liar by the watch. That's the hole great Cæsar used to put his head through, and is the hole through which the well-beloved tailor stabbed when he made it!" Antony—"And when he plucked his cursed steel away, mark how the blood of Cæsar followed it!" Brutus (aside)—"It's no such thing. That's red paint. I saw a boy daub it on back of the scenes not two minutes ago. I'm up to this little game!" First Pleb.—"Oh, piteous spectacle!" Brutus (aside)—"Oh, piteous spectacle your grandmother's gray cat!"

WRITERS about the Passion Play at Ober-Ammergau usually neglect to describe the acting; but Mary J. Holmes, in a letter to the Rochester *Democrat*, touches on that point. The *Christus* of Joseph Maier, she says, was an excellent performance. "Not a trace of self-consciousness is ever perceptible in his manner, which is always dignified and self-possessed, like one who feels himself the master. His voice is clear and full and rich, and you find yourself constantly looking for it, especially toward the last, when the musical tones are full of anguish or tender expostulation and disappointment as he says to his sleeping disciples, 'Could ye not watch with me one hour?'" *Judas* was even better acted. Of him she says:—"I can see him now so plainly as he walked the stage ringing his hands in his despair, and catching at his long gray hair he lamented his folly and with bitter cries moaned for the dear friend he had betrayed." *Peter* was only fair, *John* was tame, and *Magdalen* was an utter failure, betraying at every point the amateurishness of the actress. "The *Madonna*, on the contrary, was excellent, with a fair, sweet face, which would lead us to question the propriety of selecting so young a person for the mother of Christ, if we did not know the Bavarian peasantry believe in the perpetual youth and beauty of the Virgin Mary." On the whole, Mrs. Holmes thinks that the performance, while far below a respectable professional standard, was remarkable for amateurs.

The Grotto Under Mount Rossi, Sicily.

The eruption of Mount Etna in 1669, says *La Nature*, was the most formidable of historic times. The side of the mountain opened for a length of about four miles, and there issued from it a torrent of lava four miles broad, which, after destroying several villages, and half of the city of Catane, flowed into the sea and formed a promontory two miles long by half a mile wide and sixty feet high. At the same time the scoria and sand thrown out by the craters formed a mountain with a double crest, that was at first called Monti della Rovina, and later Monti Rossi, on account of the reddish color that the scoria from the two crests assumed through the oxidation of the iron contained in it. The higher of the two crests is about 800 feet above Etna, and about 3,000 feet above the sea. In the interior of the cone of Mount Rossi there are two immense extinct craters, exhibiting the characteristic funnel-shape, and the sides of which are formed of scoria in a decomposing state. Up to 1823 no one had had the curiosity to descend to the bottom of these craters; but at this period the intelligent observer, Mario Gemellaro, undertook their exploration. He saw with some surprise a horizontal aperture at the bottom of one of the cavities, and entering it with a torch, he found, after traversing a suite of corridors resembling the galleries of a mine, a large well, into which he caused himself to be lowered by means of ropes. At some feet from the bottom of this well he found a vast rectangular room, at the further end of which there was a passage which grew smaller and smaller, and at last became impassable. This remarkable grotto, which was named Grotto della Palombe, is situated exactly in the centre of Monti Rossi. It has now been open to travellers, the decent being facilitated by a stairway, and the cavern being illuminated by magnesium light instead of the former resinous torches.

AN important piece of patronage is likely to fall this year into the hands of the Emperor of China. The Grand Lama of Thibet, the personified god of the country, is dangerously ill, and the priests have addressed a memorial to the Emperor of China praying him to elect a successor to whom the dying Lama can impart his divine attributes, or rather his soul, which is supposed to be that of Tson Jappa, the founder of this branch of Buddhism. The nomination of a successor remains with the Emperor of China as suzerain of Thibet, and the appointment, if it may be so called, is a valuable one, the income of the Lama been over $2,000,000. The Lama lives in a magnificent palace, the roof of which is covered with gold, and in it there are several hundred idols of the same metal.

HIGH WAYS AND BYE WAYS OF TORONTO.

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What high ways are there in Toronto? Is the phrase literal, or is it figurative? Is it material, or spiritual? Is it human, or divine? Every one may just answer for himself. Sometimes it may be the one. Sometimes the other. Sometimes neither. Sometimes both, or all. It is a nice thing to have ample room and verge enough; to range from grave to gay, from lively to severe; to trot down Yonge street and call it a highway, to poke one's nose into the old Post-office lane, and as this, and that one, may beseem significantly wiping their mouths to put this and that together, and call it a "bye." It is, by the way, good liquor that is used up in those regions, fit for a prince or a priest, or even for a Protestant parson who likes a toothful now and then, when a feeling of "goneness" comes over his stomach, and he is fain, like Timothy, to take a little in order to fortify the inner man. How I like to see good honest souls getting merry over their cups, of course, in all moderation! How the eye begins to glance and brighten, the cheek to flush, and the tongue to loosen. The dull get excited; the silent eloquent; the stupid wise.

"Care, mad to see the men sae happy,
Just drouns itself amang the nappy."

I have always had the idea that freedom and religion came in with whisky, and if I am to believe certain recent clerical teaching, both these excellent things will disappear when our rising youth are either unable or unwilling to take off their "good liquor like men." Many an old codger

WITH A NOSE ROSY RED

fast hastening to be tipped with purple, I have heard endorsing the statements of the minister of St. Andrew's on the subject of good and bad liquor, and saying, with an emphatic tramp of the foot, "Them's my sentiments to a dot." I like good liquor myself, I don't deny it, and hope I shall never be ashamed of the fact. In my own circle there are more that get drunk on champagne than on whisky, and wherefore not? It's a good decent gentlemanly liquor is champagne, and one always knows that if he gets drunk on that, he sins in good company, aye, in some of the best, and most religious of Toronto.

I took a long delightful walk the other day, away round by Yorkville, down the Queen's Park, looking into the University classes as I passed and marking how things were managed in that

RAPIDLY GETTING VENERABLE INSTITUTION.

I won't tell you what I saw or what I heard there, at least not now. Only this and nothing more. Every body is on the edge of his foot in that establishment at present. The new arrivals are bound to show that they are gentlemen, not cads, and actual hard working teachers not mere tricked out ornaments; while the older habitants of the place are determined to prove that they are not a whit behind Oxford in its latest phase, in all that concerns the higher walks of either literature or science. So be it in *secula seculorum*. I tell you some of these fellows needed stirring up badly and the students ditto. With what a jaunty air would some in days gone by, refuse to take the hurdle and smile complacently as they said "not prepared!" Some how they are not managing the matter of "not doing" so successfully this year. And then the miserable make-believes of teachers that came into their class rooms half an hour after the right time and pretended to teach one quarter of an hour instead of four. Why, man alive, it is fun to observe how they skip! Their watches have been set agoing and intellectually they ring with a vengeance

"Row brothers row for the pride of the Highlands,
Stretch to your oars for the ever green pine."

It's fun, aye, and fine to. Like tolerably old spavined horses it has taken a good deal of coaxing and castigating to start some of these learned Thebans into a spasmodic apology for a trot. Now when their joints are a little suppled and they are getting warmed up to the work, let them keep at it till the long vacation comes and then they will enjoy their holidays as they have not been doing for years, by having the consciousness of having earned them by faithful, earnest honest toil.

I once thought when I was in that locality at any rate that I might

LOOK INTO KNOX COLLEGE

in the by going. But I did not. I heard that the place was perfectly filled with young incipient Presbyterian ministers in all stages of development from the raw protoplasm upward, but I was told the process of manufacture was not interesting, the lectures being dictated sentence by sentence and copied down verbatim to the great fatigue of the fingers and the great weariness of the soul, to say nothing of the intellect. I don't know, I only mention what I heard, and hope it is not so. I was bound though to see

THE LUNATIC ASYLUM.

Nobody has any business to know whether or not I was ever there as a patient and I shall not commit myself so far as to say definitely whether or not I ever was. This I may say with all safety that I know pretty well about all the outs and ins of that institution, and that as sadder, more melancholy inspiring place there is not in this city. Why is it that so many go wrong in the upper story? One can scarcely say. Evidently the wear and worry of life are to be credited with the wreck in some cases. Vice in others. Wine has its victims. So has women. Who shall say, with every life a tragedy and all the darker, the more the light hearted wretch is unconscious of the fact? I have gone among them but not as to a show of wild beasts. Oh my poor brothers and sisters with your nerves unstrung and all your mental machinery out of gear,—no, no, three and four times no! I can go and weep with you, and pity you, and bless God that I am not one of you in the meantime, at any rate. But to stare at you, to laugh at your vagaries, to hear your piteous tales, and listen to your vacant imaginings, only to lay up material for fun, and to retail it all by and bye as things to jest about,—never! Sooner than that, may my tongue cleave to the roof of my mouth and my right hand forget its cunning. It is too bad that when reason is dethroned, and when the poor, disordered ones move about all helpless and purposeless, they should be made even in one case material for a bumpkin's holiday. I sympathize with Dr. Clarke in this matter so far, at any rate, as gaping yokels that come to see the show are concerned whether they are clad in the plainest homespun or in the finest broad cloth.

IS LUNACY A PECULIARITY?

Scarcely. But yet it seems to spread and intensify as civilization advances. Why? The pace seems too great, and yet lots that are mad have evidently never been bothered with many brains, and have never kept them in a ferment of activity. Poor overtoiled or disappointed women and here and there a rather clever intellectually over driven man. But the great mass, what of them! Alas! alas! Let us get

AWAY TO PARKDALE

and ask how the sane folk in that classic suburb are getting on. Level headed folks they. Was it not all originally a speculation of Smith and Close, those two delightful twins and quondam bosom chums? It does not matter. There are quite a number of nice houses, and the locality is a pleasant one. Of course, it is all nonsense, that it, and the surrounding suburbs, should not be united municipally with Toronto. It would be better for all, and will eventually come, but to try to force matters, would only delay instead of hastening, what really all sensible people would prefer. I must acknowledge, Toronto has of late, not been very happy in its representatives, and the state of the streets, as well as the funds, has often not been very encouraging. But matters will mend, and the sooner all these outsiders come in, the sooner will the improvement commence, and the more rapid will be its progress.

I *did* look into the Exhibition grounds, but everything was cold, dead, and wintry looking, that the contrast between what it was when summer days were fine, and the exhibition in full blast, sent me forthwith into the megrims, and I was fain to escape from myself, by getting back to King street once more. I had had plenty of walking for the day, but I took my constitutional all the same, and saw, and was seen, just as in days gone by. I am sorry to think how the

OLD FAMILIAR FACES ARE DISAPPEARING.

One thought at one time, that King street would not be King street without certain figures moving along it at certain times, every day. And yet there it is, and George Brown is already but a vague tradition, and Hillyard Cameron is thought of no more. Who even calls to mind the strange cynical face and slender figure of Sandfield? And the beauties of other days where are they? The survivors eat their lunch at Coleman's, and are comforted; and even Lord Dufferin with all his blarney and *bon homie*, might as well be as dead as Julius Cæsar, for ought that any one cares. Old Cawthra too, has gone over to the majority, and the one question even before he is well cold in his grave is, How will he [illegible]? I don't know. I am not sure. I hope not, but it is possible that the great majority of Torontonians cease to remember even [illegible]

JACOB FAITHFUL.

Pecuniary Independence.

We talk a great deal about our political, intellectual, moral, and social independence; all the world has heard us talk about it. We do not enjoy them as much, perhaps as we think. How much independence of thought has the journalist, for instance, who must bid for an audience, the author whose thought must be never too unpleasant, the orator who must repeat the stock notions of his hearers, the professor who has to reconcile evolution with theology; how much liberty of action has the voter who depends upon a government salary, or who is in a political employ? We can not very seriously blame these people, to whom independence means starvation. What I want to bring to clear light is this: that independence of action and thought depends, more than we like to believe, upon pecuniary independence, which is not to be had by wishing merely. Individuals there are, and always will be, who suffer for their moral or intellectual independence; but communities will be as circumstances make them. This again I want to set in clear light: that we are as a community, deficient, in spite of all our national wealth, and unnecessarily deficient in the best part of independence—the power to *enjoy* our lives. In this respect we are behind our friends in France, with their two millions of people living upon their incomes.

These two millions of people are not, for the most part, either idle, or frivolous, or wealthy people. Many of them live in the cities, but more of them are quiet people living on their modest properties in the country, and enjoying their competence in a rational way—enjoying friendships, social pleasures, family affections, and all the kindly observances of home life in a way that we have little idea of—in a way that the tourist of Paris sees nothing of. We have much to learn from the French, and among the things that we have to learn are some that may surprise us. One of these things is the comfort, the unity, and the permanence of French homes. The French home and family, their happiness, their unity, their permanence, these have been developed by the combined industry, thrift, and domestic sentiment of the most intelligent people in Europe, and especially by its great middle class. We have the significant testimony of Prince Bismarck "that the French nation has a solidity such as no other nation of Europe enjoys," and Mr. Matthew Arnold, from whose *Mixed Essays* I quote, adds: "This can only come from the broad basis of well-being, and of cause for satisfaction with life, which in France more than in other countries, exists." If we had two millions of people, or one million, who were enjoying a competence, earned or inherited, can it be doubted that we should be a happier people, and a better one, than we are? France and the United States have this important feature in common—in each country nearly one-half of the people live directly by agriculture; but our country homes and families have not attained to the comfort or the permanence of these.—T. M. COAN, in *Harper's Magazine for November*.

Less Anxious to Fight a Duel

(From the New York Times.)

The lie passed between Wolf von Scheirbrand, one of the reporters, and Gallus Toman, the assistant editor of the *Freie Presse*, of Brooklyn, and the former sent the latter a challenge to mortal combat. Von Scheirbrand was once in Kaiser Wilhelm's army, and is said to be of noble lineage. Toman is a Greek; he speaks five languages with ease, saw service in the union army during the rebellion, and is said to be an adept with pistols. The law reporter of the same journal, Sigismund Kanzler, was called to be second to Mr. Toman, and he conveyed to the German his principal's acceptance of the challenge. The terms of the match, as fixed upon by the challenged party, were pistols, three shots, the first at fifteen paces, the second at ten, and the third at five, the man who retreated before the programme was carried out to be posted as a coward. Von Scheirbrand jumped at these terms and wanted to fight forthwith. He purchased a pistol, sent his wife to Pennsylvania, and settled his affairs. A hitch occurred. Mr. Toman's second insisted on delaying the duel until some convenient spot might be found where the principals might have their fun without interference. The German swore Toman was a coward, and refused to delay an hour. Thus the matter stands. Scheirbrand's pistol is loaded, primed, and ready, like its owner, for immediate action. Toman has not yet found the convenient spot, disinterested persons, he has not yet neglected his editorial duty in the search. Chief of Police Campbell does not place so much confidence in the determination of either of the gentlemen to fight to consult council as to whether he is empowered to act in the matter.

GENERAL.

LONDON has a police force of 10,911 men, and furnishes a large field for their work. During the past ten years 190 persons have been killed by light wagons, and 7,362 wounded; 474 killed and 4,144 injured by heavy carts; and omnibuses and street cars have killed 151 and injured 1,655. Each year there are nearly 10,000 children and more than 3,000 adults reported to the police as lost or missing. Last year about two thirds of the children and one-fifth of the adults were found and restored to their friends by the police; the remainder returned home, or were found, dead or alive, with the exception of 141 adults and 25 children, of whose whereabouts no intelligence has ever been received. Last year 259 persons committed suicide, and 404 others attempted self-destruction, but were prevented from so doing.

THE last survivor of the Medusa has just died at Bordeaux. Cæsar Alphonse Henry was born at Paris in 1813, and three years afterward his father embarked in the Medusa with his whole family of eight persons. Every one knows the fate of the Medusa. Of its living freight of 450 souls, 175 were put on the raft which Gericault has rendered memorable in his picture, 16 remained on board, and 260 took to the boats and gained the African coast, nearly 100 miles from the French settlement at St. Louis. The Henry family were among these last. The three-year-old child walked part of the way across the burning, waterless sands; part of the way he was carried by the sailors. The little caravan strewed its route with corpses, but the survivors arrived safely at St. Louis, and among them was the Henry family, safe and well from the eldest to the youngest—a result mainly due to the remarkable energy of the father.

THE *Electrician* tells this story: A number of gentlemen were the other day about to dine, and one of the covered dishes was especially cared for, containing, as it was seriously averred, a *gymnotus*, fresh from the rivers of South America, which was to form part of the repast. Usually, electricians scrupulously observe decorum, but the Chairman, instead of pronouncing the benediction, turned to the dish containing the eel and solemnly requested grace, when, with a sweet cadence, as if from a mermaid in cavernous regions, was heard all over the place: "Be present at our table, Lord," &c. The cover was then raised and the anticipated electric eel turned out to be a telephone, which had been ingeniously connected to a distant room, and which, being a religious good telephone, not only produced a pleasing sensation to all present, but afterward returned thanks in a powerful but well-known voice to the admiring listeners.

A LION tamer in a menagerie at San Francisco gave a *Chronicle* reporter some cruel facts about the training of beasts. He said there was real danger in the business. He had seen two men killed, and was badly bitten once himself; but he charged these mishaps to carelessness and too much mercy. "You learn to tell," he explained, "what kind of a temper the beasts are in, and conduct yourself accordingly. It ain't hard to dodge them. If they spring straight at you all you've got to do is to jump a little on one side, and if they dive high for your throat you dive under 'em. There's never more than one goes for you at a time, and that don't occur often. The wild ones are better and safer. This is because a lion used to a cage and to being poked and teased is less afraid of you. I'd sooner handle ten lions just from the jungles than one that's used to the public. When I first got into a cage of untamed ones I'd have a fire near by, with three or four iron rods in it, red hot. If the beasts go for me, the men stand ready to jab the irons into their mouths and make 'em let go." He scouted the idea that lions could be governed except by fear, excited by inhuman treatment. He tried never to err on the side of gentleness, and had recently killed a lion by striking it a little too hard on the head.

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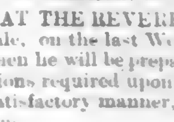

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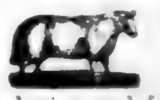

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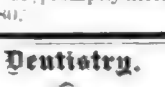

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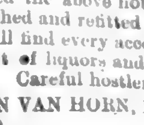

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MRS. MARY LEONARD.

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Burford, Brant Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.

ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

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Mt. Forest,
Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me.

MRS. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I have used your great Idian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.

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DEAR SIR:—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.

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Cross Hill, Waterloo Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves.

NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy.

MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial.

W. H. ROBISON.

"Sole General Agents for Canada, Northop and Lyman, No. 21, Toronto St. West, Toronto. *Also Agents for Mother Noble's Healing Syrup, an English Discovery which is well known as a valuable and effective Blood Purifier throughout the World.*"

A PARTY of Bulgarians threw mud on the coat-of-arms of the French consulate at Varna, and the French Ambassador ordered a gunboat thither.

THE world of journalism has received an addition in the person of Vera Sassulitsch, whose admirers claim that she handles the pen and the sword or the pistol with equal dexterity. She is now one of the contributors to M. Pyat's *Commune*.

EMINENT PEOPLE.

BOTH Sir Garnet Wolseley and General Roberts are pronounced total abstinence men.

MR. ASHMEAD BARTLETT paid six hundred and ninety guineas for a horse at the last Belhus sale.

LORD GEORGE and Lady Campbell are coming to Canada to spend the winter with the Governor General.

THE Sultan of Turkey has conferred the decoration of the third class of the Order of the Medjidie on his tailor. Said Pasha and Baker Pasha (Colonel Valentine Baker) have received the first and second class.

AT a recent ball given by Lord Ardilaun (Sir Arthur Guinness), constabulary escorted the guests, the house was patrolled, sentinels paced under the windows, and weapons were stacked in the hall.

IT is reported that the Earl of Beaconsfield is revising his literary productions, and writing a new novel, the title of which is *Endymion*. An *edition de luxe* of his works is to be published next year, and will include, for the first time, the famous "Letters of Runnymede."

"EITHER I or that bookmaker must leave your stable," angrily remarked Lord Vivian to the venerable Peter Price, after Sunburn's success in the First Welter Handicap at Newmarket. "Very well, my lord: you had better go," was the imperturbable Peter's reply. Accordingly Lord Vivian's horses will hereafter be trained by Ryan, the trainer of Springfield, and "that bookmaker," Mr. C. Hibbert, of Nottingham, who has a much larger string, remains at Phantom Cottage.

LORD BEACONSFIELD's acceptance of invitations to visit the Duke of Buccleuch and Lord Lothian is considered to put the finishing touch to his union with the nobility. A dozen years ago he told the Scotch nobles, in *Lothair*, that their entertainments were like the festivities of the "Picts and Scots: rude, plenty and coarse splendour, with noise instead of conversation, and a tumult of obstructive dependants who impede, by their want of skill, the very convenience which they propose to facilitate."

THE Empress Eugenie has decided to leave Chiselhurst, and has purchased Farnborough Hill—a charming estate near the confines of Surrey and Hants, with a handsome and spacious mansion in the Italian style. It is in the neighbourhood of the South Camp, where her son learned his lessons in the game of war. Eversley, where Canon Kingsley preached, Strathfieldsaye, belonging to the Duke of Wellington, and Bagshot Park, the seat of the Duke of Connaught, are all quite near, and it is connected by rail with Windsor.

THE Empress of Austria introduced the fashion of wearing the tiny gold pig, it being considered good luck in Austria to run across a pig. A prettier charm or amulet has been worn of late in the shape of some symbol of one's taste or profession, an artist wearing a small gold palette, with rubies, emeralds, sapphires, and pearls for the paints, like one given Mlle. Jacquemart by M. Thiers some time since. Sara Bernhardt has worn thus a tiny golden mask, Madame Viardot a jeweled lyre, and Elise, the circus-rider, a golden whip. The latest caprice of this kind is the lamb of the Order of the Golden Fleece, which is reputed to bring good fortune to the wearer.

LORD A. CECIL, a brother of the Marquis of Salisbury, has recently bean appointed locomotive superintendent of the Great Eastern Railway of England, after having been in its engineering department for several years. These young patricians are learning to fight their way in the world like ordinary folk. It is only five or six years since young Lord Walter Campbell, a son of the Duke of Argyll, and brother-in-law to the Queen's daughter, was doing regular work as a clerk in the highly respectable and influential firm of Busk & Jevons, of this city, and since his marriage with the daughter of a rich Lancashire manufacturer has joined a firm of prosperous stock-brokers in London. Mr. Jevons comes of a family distinguished in finance, literature, and science. He is a grandson of William Roscoe, of Liverpool, the eminent financier, historian, and poet, who had four sons also distinguished in literature. His brother, Wm. Stanley Jevons, was for some years Professor of Logic and Mental and Moral Philosophy in Owens College, Manchester, and is now Professor of Political Economy in University College, London.

Death's Wrath.

Do you know what it is to be at sea with a gale blowing eighty miles an hour? You may read of the wrecks which to-day strew the shores of every lake; you may read of the rigid bodies cast up on the sands; you may cast your eyes over hulk and spar and battered plank, but yet you cannot realize the fury of that awful gale of Saturday. Vessels on Lake Michigan were bowling along before a topsail breeze, when, almost in a moment the gale came howling down from another quarter, bringing a terrible sea with it. Sails were split into ribbons before a rope could be loosened, and masts went overboard like broken sticks. No man living ever saw such waves on our lakes before. In an hour after the gale set in they were running twenty-five feet high. In three hours they could go no higher. Off Frankfort they were fully forty feet high, and they ran with the speed of a race horse.

The gale caught them as they reared up, and tons of foamy water were broken off and hurried down into the trough, to mingle with the base of the next wave. One of the largest propellers on the lakes, standing twenty feet out of water, had to put about before the gale was an hour old, and even while running before it at full speed the waves swept over her entire decks. Seamanship availed but little. Schooners were almost picked up bodily by the wind and flung ahead, and the biggest barks were knocked about like chips.

When day broke Saturday morning those out at sea must have realized the wrath of death. Every plunge of an ordinary schooner rolled floods of water over her decks, to pour from the scuppers as she climbed at an angle of forty-five degrees. Men had all they could do to save life without moving a finger towards navigating their crafts. The loudest shout could not be heard two feet away, and the roar of the sea was awful to hear. The passengers on the Alpena were roused from sleep when the gale reached her. It brought such a sea that no one could have slept longer. When the fourscore souls aboard were told that death was near they looked out on that howling, roaring, hungry sea without a shadow of hope that one of them would ever see land again. Rafts and boats would have been blown about like feathers. Life-preservers buoyed up corpses until they were cast ashore to be identified. Those who put them on in the final grasp for life could not have lived an hour in the keen wind and icy water.

Men who lived out the gale still speak of it with terror. Only once again will the door of death open wider to them. Spars and hulks are beating to splinters on the rocky shores, and beaten and disfigured corpses are thrown upon the sandy beach, to be wept over and buried. It was the Wrath of Death turned loose upon wide wastes, and that a single vessel escaped destruction seems almost a miracle.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

Fashion Notes.

SILK mufflers continue fashionable.

BEADED gimps and fringes are the rule.

THE latest bonbonniere is a baby elephant.

ALL black is much worn for handsome dresses.

STOCKINGS for children's wear have the sensible English double knees.

GAY stripes in silk and woolen for skating costumes are among the novelties.

THE new glove is the Sarah Bernhardt, which fastens only at the wrist, and above it is closed like a stocking and wrinkled stylishly on the arm.

BLACK lace scarfs wound round and round the throat and fastened at the left side with a single brooch appear to be more fashionable than ever.

IMPORTED surtouts are not so long as those made here, and more nearly resemble basques than the polonaises, for which surtouts have been considered a substitute.

HEAVY cloaking materials nearly all have fur backs, and so require no lining. Handsomest among these are the silk-faced cloths and the plush cloth with fleece on both sides.

PERFECTLY *chic* are the new jet bonnets for full dress. They are very small, and the trimming is a beaded kerchief scarf, which covers the crown and forms the strings. A coronet of large jet balls completes the garniture.

A GREAT fancy prevails at present for the Marie Antoinette fichu, so well known under that name, and depicted in the picture by Paul Delaroche. It is made of Indian muslin and very fine lace, Breton or Mechlin being most in character.

THE new black woollen stockings have very tiny ribbings, and much embroidery, in black only, is used on black silk stockings for the evening. As a rule the winter stockings will match the dress in color, and the new shoes seem more pointed in the toes than ever.

NEW ribbons are in colors and designs to match the new dress materials—plush-figured velvets, brocades, tinsel tissues, plaids, and soft ottoman ribbons. Prominent among low-priced ribbons are stripes in monotone satin and silk in widths for sashes, bows, and bonnet ribbons.

SOME novel shapes are shown in fur-lined mantles. One of these is a visite fitted in the back, and with the graceful Medicis sleeve. Another is a circular fitted to the figure by long seams down the sides, back and front. Both garments are of heavy silk with wide fur borders.

SOME recent arrivals from Paris have brought another fichu from the costume of Richardson's Clarissa Harlowe. It is larger than the other, and crossing on the chest ties behind in a knot, exactly as the heroine is represented in the frontispiece of the earliest edition of the book.

AN elegant evening bonnet is of white plush, covered by a white Spanish lace scarf very long and wide. Gold bangles, with the fashionable pig attached hold the scarf to the sides of the bonnet and another confines, scarfwise. A bird of paradise completes the trimming.

THE popularity of plush is unbounded, and plush jackets and basques added to them are used with cashmere skirts of every color to match. The sole trimming consists of large and handsome buttons, which are very fashionable indeed. The Tam O'Shanter hat or the drawn bonnet matches the plush.

CLOAKS shown for children are of plaid and plain cloths, with trimmings of plush, velvet, or braid. The shapes are half-fitting, and hoods or Havelock capes, or both, are on many of the more expensive wraps. Duplicates of imported cloaks are so perfect that except from the ticket it is often impossible to distinguish them from the model.

THE new caps are wreaths of flowers or ribbon loops, which are placed on the head in the manner of a cap, and have no lace borders whatever; the sole thing to show that it is a cap and not a wreath is a little lace and muslin scarf, which is tacked into the top of the wreath and falls over the top of the flowers, leaving the top open and crownless.

Waifs.

A CHINESE adage—Love'oo little, love oolong.

"AUNTY, vat makes the little baby cry so? Do it want its mudder?" "Yes dear, and its fodder, too!"

"What does a woman want to put on gloves in hot weather for?" asks a male subscriber. Why, to keep her hand in, stupid.

THE Tam o'Shanter hat is worn a great deal in Paris and on the Continent, and it is remarked that England is leading the fashions in feminine dress generally.

IT all came from educating his daughter at a seminary. She reproved her father for wiping his mouth on the table-cloth, and he went to the barn and hung himself.

AN Ohio girl sued a man for breach of promise, and proved him such a mean scoundrel that the jury decided that she ought to pay him something for not marrying her.

THE word love in one of the Italian dialects is chemlendamonghkunagogager. Fancy a sweet forest maiden telling her copper-coloured brave that she chemlendamoughkunagogagers him.

OLD Peter Goeley, it is said, although the owner of millions, never carried any money about him, but drew every day the sum necessary for that day's expenses, whether it amounted to one dollar or less.

TWO quaker girls were ironing on the same table. One asked the other which she would take—the right or the left. She answered promptly: "It will be right for me to take the left, and then it will be left for thee to take the right."

"Darling, Kiss Me Sweet Good Night" is the latest song. One young man sang in the presence of his girl, the other evening, and just as she was about to act in accordance with the words of the song her dear papa put in an appearance and filled the youth's coat-tail full of boots.

THE Princess of Wales when at Sandringham, has little tea parties for which she herself makes the butter in a silver churn, and she spreads it on slices of bread which she cuts with her own hands. While she is at her work she wears a chintz dress, and a little white apron.

MR. STREETER, a competent London jeweler, publishes a statement that the diamonds from the Cape of Good Hope are not yellowish or inferior, but that some of them are of the finest known, and of greater specific gravity than the Brazilian stones.

QUEEN VICTORIA has been in the habit of sending the sum of three pounds to every mother of triplets in her dominions. When Mrs. Thomas Collyer applied the second time for this gratuity, the Queen had her informed that once was enough, and she had been paid once for all.

AMONG the gifts displayed at a San Francisco wedding was the bride's father's check for $100,000. The cashier of the bank on which the check was drawn was a guest. It was observed that he looked queerly at the document, then turned up his nose, and remarked: "Why, he hasn't $500 to his credit in our bank."

"I suppose I am a great bore, papa," said a fond daughter, after she had teased her father half an hour for a new fall bonnet. "You may not be a great bore exactly," said her parent, "but you certainly artes an well." His little joke made papa feel so good that he came down with the necessary check right away.

"WHY, Bridget," said her mistress, who wished to rally the girl, for the amusement of her company, upon the fantastic ornamenting of a plate of butter. "Why, Bridget, did you do this? You're quite an artist; how did you do it?" "Indade, mum, it was myself that did it," replied Bridget. "Isn't it pritty, mum? I did it with your fine-tooth-comb mum."

THE cradle of the baby Princess Mercedes is a shell of ebony and silver surmounted by a silver-gilt crown, the work of a famous goldsmith. The shell is lined with marabout feathers, and its curtains are of silver gauze enamelled with floral designs in white velvet; the arms of Spain are embroidered in scarlet and yellow on the white-satin coverlet. The wife of a grandee of Spain watches the royal slumbers at the foot of the cradle, and another keeps off the flies with a fan of white ostrich plumes.

"LOOK here Matilda," said Georgia lady to the coloured cook, "you sleep right close to the chicken house, and you must have heard those thieves stealing the chickens." "Yes, ma'am, I heerd de chickens holler, and heerd de woices ob de men." "Why didn't you get out then?" "Case, ma'am (bursting into tears), case, ma'am, I knowed my old fadder was out dar, and I wouldn't have him know I'se lost confidence in him foah all de chickens in de world. If I had gone out dar and kotched him it would hab broke his ole heart, and he would hab made me tote de chickens home foah him besides. He done tole me de day before dat he's gwine to pull dem chickens dat night."

GRIEF can be assuaged in a variety of ways, but in this cold and somewhat calculating world nothing can be more safely relied upon to produce resignation at your departure than an ample fortune. Properly distributed among your impecunious relatives they soon learn to bless you for having been successful in life and to praise you for dying at just the right time. If the poet speaks truth even those who are nearer, than "his sisters, his cousins and his aunts" find it more easy to hear your loss if you are able to leave them with an unencumbered estate. He says:—

When dear papa went up to heaven
What grief mamma endured!
And yet that grief was softened, for
Papa he was insured.

She Wouldn't Promise to Obey.

A young lady, well known in Liverpool on account of her beauty, was married last week. When the Canon who was officiating read the words, "love, honour, and obey," the young lady declined to repeat the last. Three times the Canon paused for an oath, and paused in vain. Then he went on with the service. But is this young lady married or not? What—should her disobedience lead to an interview with Sir James Hannen—will that eminent judge rule on the subject?

Hints.

To remove grass stains, wash the stained places in clean, cold, soft water, without soap, before the garment is otherwise wet.

THE fine siftings of coal ashes are excellent to scour knives with.

To darken hair—apply strong, cold black tea every morning.

To clean kid gloves—wash in deodorized benzine. Dry on the hand; rub with a clean cloth while drying.

To cure an ingrowing toe nail—keep a notch cut in the middle of the nail at the top. Always cut the nail straight across, instead of in at the corners.

In Royal Life.

The Emperor and Empress of Germany see each other as little as possible. It is somewhat curious how few monarchs do get on with their wives and the wives with their husbands, for they seldom adore each other.

The Empress of Austria is seldom seen in society, and when out riding or driving carries a fan before her face, even when returning the greetings of her royal admirers. She seldom attends the theatre or opera, but when the circus comes to town is then seen in her box every night. She knows only one passion, and that is her love of horses and equestrianship. She has her own especial riding establishment, and here she reigns supreme. She will drive a tandem team before her at a relentless pace around the ring, having fresh relays of horses every few minutes. She has a place fitted up in the stable of her favourite charger where she can sleep if she feels so disposed, and where she frequently dictates her letters to her private secretary, while her favourite horse looks over from his stall and is patted fondly by his imperial mistress.

She Changed Her Mind.

A big good-natured doctor was desperately in love with, and had been twice refused, by, a fair-haired little woman. But instead of the disappointment curing his love, it only made the passion grow more intense. After the last refusal, he told her that if ever she changed her mind, to let him know, as his love for her was unchangeable, and he would be proud to be her husband. Some months later he was driving home from seeing a patient, when he saw his lady-love riding in his direction. Supposing she would merely bow and pass on, as she had often done before, he did not pull up his horse. But the moment Miss Dixon came up to him, she reined in her horse, stopped, and called out:

"Won't you stop, Dr. Hill?"

He raised his hat, and replied, "I shall be happy to do so," then waited for her to speak.

She was gazing at the ground and blushing deeply, but, quickly looking up, she filled the doctor's honest heart with surprise and gladness by saying:

"Dr. Hill, I have been closely watching you lately, and seeing nothing but goodness and noble-mindedness in your character, and believing you will make an excellent husband, I am willing to marry you."

The Hygiene of the Face and Eyes.

It is a mistake to believe that a good complexion depends upon the use of such and such cosmetics. It really depends upon digestion, which itself depends upon our mode of life. Persons who rise early and go to bed at ten, who take plenty of air and exercise, eat with moderation at regular hours, having their meals at intervals long enough for the digestion of one to be thoroughly accomplished before they begin the next—these persons are sure to digest well, and in consequence have clear, healthy complexions, which will require no other cosmetics but plenty of soft water and good toilet soap.

The hygiene of the eyes is very simple. For them, as well as for the complexion, good digestion is equally necessary; more so, for no cosmetic could attenuate the yellow tinge which biliousness imparts to them; and if some mysterious pencils can supply the the insufficient shadow of rare eyelashes, good health alone can give them that brightness which is their principal beauty.

Never read in bed or in a reclining attitude; it provokes a tension of the optic nerve very fatiguing to the sight.

Bathe your eyes daily in salt water; not salt enough, though, to cause a smarting sensation. Nothing is more strengthening, and we have known several persons, who after using this simple tonic for a few weeks, had put aside the spectacles they have used for years, and did not resume them, continuing of course, the oft repeated daily use of salt water. Never force your eyesight to read or work in insufficient or too broad light. Reading with the sun upon one's book is mortally injurious to the eyes.

How to Sweep and Dust.

To sweep and dust a room properly is an art, and like all fine arts has a right method. Well done, it renovates the entire room, and the occupant takes possession feeling that "all things have become new."

It is not merely a performance to be done by the hand, but a work into which taste and judgment—in other words, brain—must enter. Are those closets opening into a room to be swept? Arrange the shelves, drawers or clothing, preparatory to sweeping day, then let this be the first to be swept. Cover the bed with soiled sheets, as also all heavy articles that cannot be removed, first, however, having carefully dusted and brushed them. Remove all the furniture that can easily be set in the hall or adjoining room, having first dusted it; then take a step-ladder, begin to sweep or brush, or wipe the cornice and picture cords and pictures. Draw the shades to the top of the window, or, if there are inside blinds, dust them carefully. Open the windows. All the dust left in the room now is in the carpet or air, and the windows will soon settle it.

Now begin to sweep, not toward a door or corner, but from the outer edge of the room toward the center, where the dust will be taken up with a small brush and dust-pan. Go over the room once more; this time with a dampened broom; that removes the bit of dust and gives the carpet a new, bright appearance. Replace the articles of furniture as soon as the air is entirely free from dust, uncover the rest, and the room is new and clean. All this seems an easy thing to do, but there is not one in a hundred who will follow out the detail. Some will sweep the dust into the hall or from one room to another, and then wonder why their house is so dirty again. Others forget cornice and pictures, and thus leave a seed of future annoyance; while a third class will do all but using the damp broom, which is as the finishing touches to a picture.

How She Cooked his Rice.

Sakti Kumara, the hero of a curious Hindustani story, preferred testing a damsel's capability before tying the knot. Master of a prosperous and profitable business, he came to the conclusion that a wife was wanted, to complete his happiness, and determined to go in search of one. Adopting the guise of a fortune-teller, and carrying some rice bound up in his cloth, he started on his travels. Whenever he encountered a girl that pleased his eye, he asked her to cook his rice for him. Some laughed at him, some reviled him, none seemed to comply with his modest demand, and it seemed as if he would have to take his rice home uncooked. At last he reached Swira, where he beheld a beautiful girl, who, instead of abusing or ridiculing the strange traveller, relieved him of the rice, and bade him be rested. Then the kindly maiden set about preparing the rice. First she steeped it in water, then dried it in the sun, and that accomplished, rubbed the grains gently on the ground, removing the awn without breaking the rice. Calling her nurse, she despatched that worthy to sell the bran, and with the proceeds purchase an earthen boiler, two platters, and some fuel. By the time this commission was executed the rice had been brayed in a mortar, winnowed, and washed, and was ready to be put in the boiler with five times its bulk of water. As soon as it had swollen sufficiently, the boiler was taken from the fire, the water cleared of the scum, and the boiler put back, and the rice constantly stirred by the pretty cook until she was satisfied it was properly done. By turning the boiler mouth downward she extinguished the fire, and, collecting the unconsumed fuel, dispatched the old woman to convert it into butter, curds, oil, and tamarinds. This achieved, she told the enraptured Sakti Kumara to go and bathe, and not to omit rubbing himself with oil. Having obeyed orders, the wife-seeker was directed to seat himself upon a plank on a well-swept floor, on which were already laid a plantain leaf and two platters. His charming hostess than brought him water in a perfumed jug, and administered two spoonfuls of well-seasoned rice and ghee, preparatory to serving up the remainder of the rice mixed with spices, curds, butter, and milk, of which Sakti Kumara ate his fill, and then indulged in a siesta, with a mind at ease, knowing that his quest was ended. As soon as he woke he asked the girl to become his wife, and she, being willing, the necessary ceremony was gone through without delay; and the supposed fortune-teller took his bride home, to astonish her as the Lord of Burleigh astonished his rustic love; but the Hindu lass was luckier than Tennyson's heroine, for we are assured that she lived long to worship her husband as a god, to pay the most assiduous attention to his household affairs, to superintend the regulation of the family coming in due course, and made her house such an abode of bliss that Sakti Kúmara was well repaid for the trouble he had taken to get a good wife, and tasted, in his well-ordered home, the joys of Paradise.

Lovely Philosophy.

A few days ago a Boston girl who had been attending the School of Philosophy at Concord arrived in Brooklyn, says *The Eagle*, on a visit to a seminary chum. After canvassing thoroughly the fun and gum-drops that made up their education at the seat of learning at which their early scholastic efforts were made, the Brooklyn girl began to inquire into the nature of the Concord entertainment.

"And so you are taking lessons in philophy. How do you like it?"

"Oh! it's perfectly lovely. It's about science, you know, and we just dote on science."

"It must be nice. What is it about?"

"It's about molecules as much as anything else, and molecules are just too awfully nice for anything. If there's anything I really enjoy, it's molecules."

"Tell me about them, my dear. What are molecules?"

"Oh! molecules. They are little wee things and it takes ever so many of them. They are splendid things! Do you know, there ain't anything but what's got molecules in it. And Mr. Cook is just as sweet as he can be, and Mr. Emerson, too. They explain everything so beautifully."

"How I'd like to go there!" said the Brooklyn girl, enviously.

"You'd enjoy it ever so much. They teach protoplasm, too, and if there is one thing perfectly heavenly it's protoplasm or molecules."

"Tell me about protoplasm; I know I should adore it."

"'Deed you would. It's just too sweet to live. You know it's about how things get started, or something of that kind. You ought to hear Mr. Emerson tell about it. It would stir your very soul. The first time he explained about protoplasm there wasn't a dry eye in the house. We named our hats after him. This is an Emerson hat. You see the ribbon is drawn over the crown and caught with a buckle and a bunch of flowers. Then you turn up the side with a spray of forget-me-nots. Ain't it just too sweet? All the girls in the school have them."

"How exquisitively lovely! Tell me some more science."

"Oh! I almost forgot about differentiation. I am really and truly positively in love with differentiation. It's different from molecules and protoplasm, but it's every bit as nice. And Mr. Cook! You should hear him go on about it! I really believe he's perfectly bound up in it! This scarf is the Cook scarf. All the girls wear them and we named them after him just on account of the interest he takes in differentiation."

"What is it, anyway?"

"This is mull trimmed in Languedoc lace——"

"I don't mean that—the other."

"Oh! differentiation! ain't it sweet? It's got something to do with species. It's the way you tell one hat from another, so you'll know which is becoming. And we learn all about ascidians, too. They are the divinest things. I am absolutely enraptured with ascidians. If I only had an ascidian of my own, I wouldn't ask anything else in the world."

"What do they look like, dear? Did you ever see one?" asked the Brooklyn girl, deeply interested.

Oh! no; nobody ever saw one except Mr. Cook and Mr. Emerson, but they are something like an oyster with a reticule hung on its belt."

"Do you learn anything else besides all these?"

"Oh, yes. We learn all about common philosophy and logic and those common things like metaphysics, but the girls don't care anything about those. We are just in ecstacies over differentiation and molecules, and Mr. Cook and protoplasms and ascidians and Mr. Emerson, and I really don't see why they put in these vulgar branches. If anybody besides Mr. Cook and Mr. Emerson had done it we should have told him to his face that he was too terribly, awfully mean."

And the Brooklyn girl went to bed that night in the dumps because fortune had not vouchsafed her the advantages enjoyed by her friend, while the Boston girl dreamed of seeing an ascidian chasing a molecule over a differentiated back fence with a club, for telling a protoplasm that his youngest sister had so many freckles on her nose that they made her cockeyed.

News of the Long-Lost Tribes.

THE REPORT THAT A PORTION OF THE TEN TRIBES HAS BEEN FOUND.

[From the Independent.]

Prof. Sachau, who has lately returned from the East, brings news of a discovery that cannot fail to prove interesting to all Bible students. In II. Kings, xvii., 6, we read that "the King of Assyria took Samaria, and carried Israel away into Assyria, and placed them in Halah, and in Habor by the river of Gozan, and in the cities of the Medes." In the 18th Chapter and 11th verse this is repeated. From the context in both places one gathers that Shalmaneser carried the Israelites away; although he did in reality die during the three years of the siege, which was brought to a successful conclusion by his successor, Sargon, in 720. In I. Chronicles, v. 26, the deportation of the Israelites is ascribed to Pul, and to Tiglath-Pileser—both, probably, names for the same person, the predecessor of Shalmaneser. The Reubenites, the Gadites, and the half tribe of Manasseh are mentioned as those whom he deported, and Hara is added to the places mentioned in Kings. It may be well to recall, in passing, that Tiglath-Pileser actually did wrest the trans-Jordanic territory from the King of Israel. In the apocryphal Book of Tobit we find the Israelites spoken of as dwelling in the cities of the Medes, and a city, Rages, is mentioned, a place in the neighbourhood of the modern Teheran, south of the Caspian Sea. Shortly after, or about the time of the capture of Samaria, Sargon conducted some campaigns in Babylonia and Elam, on the Persian Gulf, and from these regions he brought inhabitants to supply the vacancy caused by the deportation of the Israelites.

Halah was a portion of the city of Nineveh, the capital of the capital, which had apparently, at the time of Sargon's accession, been somewhat depopulated by civil strife. The cities of the Medes were southeast of the Sea of Urmia and south of the Caspian. But where was "Habor, a river of Gozan?" Both names appear twice. Habor appears as a tributary of the Euphrates, and Gozan as part of Mesopotamia. For a long time this was supposed to be the region meant. There had, however, been no wars or disturbances of any sort to cause the depopulation of this part of Mesopotamia, and it is difficult to see why Sargon should have made room for them there. Further, to settle them in a place from which they could so readily return to their home would have been contrary to the Assyrian policy. There was also a scarcely known Habor and Gozan in the neighbourhood of the Sea of Urmia, and there is yet a valley of Habor west of that sea. The expeditions of Tiglath Pileser and Shalmaneser against Media, against Namri, about the Sea of Urmia, and against a land that is unkonwn, because the inscription is defective, but which lay apparently in the same northeasterly direction from Nineveh, would have made room for the importation of people from Samaria; and we find, in point of fact, "the cities of the Medes" mentioned as a place into which the Israelites were settled. This locality would have been far enough removed from Samaria to preclude the possibility of return. It satisfies, further, the close connection in the Bible narrative between Gozan and Media.

West of the Sea of Urmia, among the mountains, dwells the small remnant that still speaks Aramaeic. While travelling in this region, Prof. Sachau heard of some valleys inhabited by Jews. After some difficulty, he succeeded in visiting them. He found a people speaking the Turkish tongue, but retaining the Jewish religion. They had a tradition that they belonged to the ten tribes of Israel and that they had been brought thither by the Assyrians. There seems no reason to doubt the truth of their tradition. The Israelites in Nineveh and in the cities of the Medes naturally were lost in the population about them; but these Israelites, so isolated among the mountain valleys, would just as naturally have preserved their identity, in the same way that the Aramaeans have preserved their language. Hebrews they certainly are. They could not have come out of Babylon, unless a body of commercial Jews suffered an impossible metamorphosis into agricultural Israelites. Unless you derive them from the ten tribes of Israel, they remain unexplained.

It is a pity that Prof. Sachau, not being an Old Testament scholar, did not interest himself as to the Hebrew text they used, nor as to any now in use among the Jews. It is, of course, probable that they came under the influence of the ubiquitous mercantile Jews, accepted their texts, and were rabbinized; but it is, nevertheless, possible that a search among them might be richly rewarded.

It is interesting to trace the fate of the different tribes. A part of Simeon was absorbed in Judah. A part, as we learn from I. Chronicles, iv., 42, migrated to Mount Seir, and ultimately were lost among the Arabs. The Rechabites seem to have taken the same direction, namely, toward Arabia. Reuben appears to have lost itself in Moab. Gad and the half tribe of Manasseh were absorbed in other peoples. Of Ephraim, probably Issachar, and the other half of Manasseh the well-to-do people were deported by Sargon; the poorer classes, with settlers from Babylonia and Elam, formed the Samaritans, so hated by the Jews. Asher, Naphtali, Zebulon, and the greater part of Dan, so far as they were not lost in the neighbouring Phoenician and Aramaic population, formed, with some admixture from the Jews proper, the despised Galileans. Judah, Levi, Benjamin, a part of Simeon, and a part of Dan, with stray families from other tribes, are the modern Jews.

Among the Jews of Habor, or some of the Jewish tribes of Arabia, it is not impossible that valuable discoveries may yet be made.

Feminine Forces.

A girl's mind develops very rapidly, much more rapidly than an average boy's; and when an intelligent girl shows any special ability in one direction, she improves in that especial direction so quickly that one is deceived into thinking she has a genius for it; she herself becomes fired with ambition, works hard—and many girls can work in a way that would shame some boys—builds castles in the air of future fame and greatness; gives up other interests and hopes for the one aim, which, alas, is so often disappointed. Nineteen out of every twenty—might we not say ninety-nine out of every hundred?—girls stop when you think they are going to do something worth doing, and never get any further. They have talent, which education has brought out, and deceived them into mistaking for genius. There is, however, one very great advantage in the present age for classes of all kinds, and in the facilities for study in all directions; it gives many girls an object in life, even if they do not do anything very great for the benefit of the nation. In our grandmothers' and great-grand-mothers' times girls did fancy-work, made all the antimacassars—which, now that you can buy them for 6½d. or 1s. 0½d., it is hardly worth their while to do; or they used to stitch their male relatives' shirts and collars exquisitely—but that can be much better done in a quarter the time by the modern sewing machine; further back still, their employment was to make cowslip and gooseberry wine—to which, however, most people nowadays prefer shilling claret—or to spin the household linen—which can in our time be bought ready for use, at less cost. There is nothing left for girls but tennis and art. A great many prefer the latter. I went the other afternoon to pay a call, and after a few minutes' talk with the mistress of the house, the door opened, and the eldest girl, who is a would-be artist entered. Her head was a wild tousle of red fuzz, as if she had been indulging in a hay-fight; she was dressed in a black satin frock, with very short sleeves and very low neck, and over that she had a long pink cotton pinafore, such as a child might wear, decorated like an ancient Briton, with patches of various colored paints, with which her hands too, were freely smeared. She seemed to enjoy art. I do not think the world has ever heard of her or ever will; still, it fills her life.—*Tinsley's Magazine.*

AMONG the Nihilists soon to be brought to trial are those charged with the explosions on the Moscow railway and at the Winter palace, those who attended the congress of assassins, and a man who is said to have given his large fortunes to the Nihilist committee.

THE Madras *Mail* asserts that Golconda has obtained its fame vicariously, inasmuch as the diamonds cut and polished there are usually brought from Parteal, in the Ganjam district, the wealth of which, there is fair reason to believe, has not been exhausted. It is thought that scientific investigation and first-rate machinery may yet bring to light many treasurers. A rumor is prevalent that a scheme is now afloat for redeveloping the resources of this district. Most of the world-famous diamonds hail from this locality, including the Pitt, or Regent diamond, and the Koh-i-Noor.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:20 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 19th, 1880.

NOTICE,

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

THE Reeve of Artemesia again positively asserts that we accused him of dishonesty in our article criticising the action of the Council in throwing out the bonus by-law. We again as possitively deny having done so.—Now by emphasizing the word honest by putting it in italics, (as the Reeve has done in re-producing the sentence in his communication, and which we did not do) thereby drawing particular attention to that word, it might be inferred that such was the idea we wished to convey; but to an unprejudiced mind no such meaning would appear. He also sticks to it, that we advised the petitioners *to* remember the Council for evil. We last week asked the Reeve to prove it; but he has failed to do so, and instead merely reiterates his former charge. We presume this is the sentence he has reference to. "The 150 influential and respectable ratepayers who signed the petition will certainly not soon forget the insult." Where does the advice come in, Doctor? Point it out. The Doctor wants to know why the STANDARD has got its "back up," and then goes on to tell us it was very naughty for us to do so, after the council had "taken us by the hand," and given us its "patronage freely." The STANDARD has not got its "back up," it bears the doctor no ill will, it has not attacked his private character, but merely exercised its prerogative to criticise or comment on the public acts of a man occupying a public position. For this we have been threatened with retaliation, and are told that there are other weapons to be used against us, which it would be wise for us to regard. Now, Doctor, we may as well tell you right here, that we consider such a course neither manly nor honorable, and will have no effect on us, as we "don't scare worth a cent."—As to the Council "taking us by the hand, &c.," here are the facts: Shortly after we purchased the late *Expositor* plant, we attended a meeting of the Council and solicited the Township printing. We were informed we could have it *provided we did it as cheaply and satisfactorily as they could get it done elsewhere*, and a motion was made and carried to that effect. Since then the "patronage that has been so freely" bestowed upon us, has amounted to the very large sum of *eight dollars* being one dollar less than the same work cost them for 1879. From the manner she flaunts it in our face, one would imagine that we got the printing without any conditions, and the amount paid us was something considerable

The Reeve is also kind enough to inform us that he is sorry to find that through the influence of a clique, the influence of the STANDARD is being demolished. We beg to assure him the STANDARD is advised by *no one*, nor will it be as long as it remains under our control, neither shall we rush in the ruts of any one. We announced the course we proposed to persue in our first issue. From that course we have not, nor will we swerve, but go on in even tenor of our way, and as long as we persue a straightforward and manly course, we have no fear but that those whose interests we advocate will appreciate our efforts in their behalf, and reward us accordingly with their full confidence and patronage.

The Reeve is barking up the wrong tree when he insinuates that we employ an Editor for special occasions. We feel quite capable of writing our own editorials without any outside assistance.

In refering to the action of the Council in refusing to submit the by-law, he says they only exercised their prerogative in postponing consideration, and that Holland Council did the same. We do not consider they are paralel cases. In Artemesia the matter has been discussed from nearly every standpoint for weeks past, in Holland there has been little or no discussion. In Artemesia the petition was signed by nearly triple the number required by law, in Holland the surplus amounted, we believe, to only three. In Holland there was a strong counter petition, in Artemesia there was none, and as we before said they are not analogus.

He re-asserts the widening of the gauge would confer no benefit to the ratepayers, and says the remarks we made relative thereto are fanciful and delusive. We would respectfully submit the following little epistle from the firm of W. P. Howland & Co., to the calm consideration of the rate payers of Artemesia, Glenelg, or any other section of country through which the T., G. & B. Railway passes:

TORONTO, Oct. 5, 1880.

Messrs. McLean Bros., Owen Sound,—Gentlemen—Your favor of the 3rd received; contents noted. We cannot at present buy spring wheat at prices going, and fall wheat is also at a disadvantage up there. We can buy fall wheat equal quality to yours to better advantage, so far as freight is concered, outside on either of the other lines of railway for shipment via Boston and New York, as their is no transhipment. The wheat at 96 cents in Owen Sound would stand us about 4c per bushel more than outside wheat. This throws us out of the market for a time as there is no local inquiry.

Yours truly, W. P. HOWLAND & CO.

This, putting the average amount of wheat which each farmer has to dispose of at 100 bushels, and the loss on the grain at 3c, being one cent lower than the Messrs. Howland placed it, and we have an annual loss to the farmer on the item of wheat alone of $3, and when we consider that this is only a small portion of what farmers have to ship, and on which losses to a greater or lesser amount must necessarily occur, the drain on their pockets would be threefold greater than by granting a bonus. Yet in the face of these plain facts, he says it would be better to plod along in the old way, and that the misserable abortion we have now is quite sufficient for our wants for years to come.

The Reeve also belittles the influence the railway has had in increasing the value of land. We ask him how many of the farms that are now placed at from $3,000 upwards, could have been sold for that sum before the advent of the railway, or could now be sold at any price were there no road?

When we spoke of the villages that had sprung up, we spoke of the road as a whole, and any body but the Reeve of Artemesia would so read our remarks.

Objection is taken to our participating in the discussion because we are not a resident or ratepayer in the Township. Did the matter affect Artemesia alone, we should not have interfered; but it not only affects Artemesia, but every township through which the road passes. Should she reject the by law, other townships will naturally ask why they should put their hands in their pockets to help a township that won't help herself.—We maintain, therefore, we would be neglecting our duty as a public journalist did we not point out to her that in our estimation, in opposing the by-law she is persuing a suicidal policy.

We assure Dr. Christoe as a private citizen we hold him in high esteem, and regret being compelled to differ with him on this question. We also regret to say, and we do it in sorrow, not in anger, that should he persit in following his present course and succeed in defeating the by-law, we very much fear that he will live to regret it in the years to come.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—I have been noticing your editorials for some time past, and feel confident that your are in the wrong channel. You say the Council, at the dictation of the Reeve, opposed the by-law, now, sir, I wish you to understand that the Council, with the exception of Mr. Elliott, bear full share of the responsibility of the course they have taken, and we also understand that we are responsible to the ratepayers of Artemesia, who, no doubt, will pass their verdict in due time. No doubt your editorials will make a marked impression on the ratepayers, when they consider that if the by-law had been submitted you would have $45 for publishing it, whether won or lost; this, of course, is quite an item to a ratepayer of Glenelg. Now, sir, you would oblige me, as well as the majority of the ratepayers of this township, by turning your bellows around and blowing your own Township for awhile. By giving the above an insertion in your paper, you will oblige

THORP WRIGHT.

And "the mountain labored and brought forth a mouse." Mr. Thorp Wright, after taking nearly three weeks to consider the matter informs us that he has been noticing our editorials for some time past, and "feels confident that we are in the wrong channel." Well, Mr. Wright, we are quite willing to permit you to think as you please. We have no wish to cram our opinions down any man's throat, and all we ask is to be permitted to enjoy the same privilege, without having sordid motives hurled at us. The insuation that we were influenced to take the course we have from the fact that we lost the publication of the by-law, through the action of the Council is worthy the source from whence it sprung. Had we been actuated by any such motives we would have kept mum, as the By-law will have to be submitted sooner or later. The last piece of advice given by Mr. Thorp Wright will be followed, he may rest assured, when our Township needs it. At present we see no occasion, for we do not believe that a corporal's guard can be found in Glenelg who are foolish enough to oppose the granting of a bonus.

THE GREAT BOAT RACE.

The boat race is over and Canada's boy has again proved victorious. From the accounts that have been published from day to day in the Toronto papers we began to tremble for our representative, but the result has proved that our fears were groundless We must say we have been disappointed, we fully expected an exciting race, but instead it turned out like most of the others, a mere walk over the course. The amount of money that has been staked on this event is something enormous; the full amount will never be known, as there were numerous private bets of which no accurate estimate can be arrived at. Altogether the amount of money that changed hands will be close on a million dollars. The betting in Markdale did not reach a very large amount for the simple reason that all wanted to bet the one way. The news of the victory was received with unqualified pleasure and in the evening the boys celebrated the event by an immense bonfire.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From a Correspondent.

Sneak thieves have put in an appearance here as well as in other parts. Their vists so far have been to hen roosts and potato pits. Several parties complain about nocturnal visits having been paid to their turkey and chicken roosts. It is a pity that some of these gentry could not be caught, and made an example of.

LEFT FOR PARTS UNKNOWN.—M. D. Johnson of this place, together with his family, some time since, took a moonlight flit from here, leaving a large number of sorrowing friends.—It has since been reported that they has gone to Davy Jones' Locker.

ACCIDENTS.—Joseph Coon, while playing with a gun cartridge, in some way exploded it, resulting in a piece of the shell entering one of his eyes, completely destroying the sight. This is another warning to beware of playing with gunpowder. As two sons of Mr. Brodie were going along the Meaford Road with an ox team and stone boat, the oxen made a sudden dash for some water on the side of the road, throwing the youngest boy off and breaking his left arm just above the elbow.

Mr. G. Graham is about leaving here. He has purchased the Gilray steam saw mill, and is going to rent or sell his blacksmiths' stand here. We wish him success in his new enterprise.

Railroad matters are quiet here at present, our Council having seen fit in their wisdom to give the petition of the ratepayers its quietus for the present.

T., G. & B. R. R.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I must feel highly flattered at the considerations paid me, and you must feel pleased for so many to join you against a public officer. Why the STANDARD should get its back so dreadfully up against the Council of Artemesia, and myself in particular, I cannot devine. It has no interest in Artemesia, pays, so far as I know, none of its rates, and, therefore, is what one calls an outsider. The Council took it by the hand, gave it patronage freely, and certainly expected fair dealing at its hands. Personally I was anxious the STANDARD should be a success, intellectually, morally, and financially, instead I find the influence of a clique early demolishing its influence, rushing into the same rut of its predecessor, whose glory soon culminated and vanished. I admit the privilege to it of criticism, but let it be gentlemanly—let it be fair.

Now sir I hold, to charge me with "dishonesty" and recharge me with "falsehood" for asserting it, is neither gentlemanly or fair. At the expense sir, of showing, either wanton wrecklessness, of consummate ignorance of the construction of a sentence, let me quote your passage again. "Had the Reeve *honestly*, through ignorance misinterpreted the act the purport of the law in question, their might be some excuse; but the Doctor is not an ignorant man and can claim no indulgence on this score, hence his culpability is the greater." ask your village school master or any average boy, what the inference of this sentence is—he would reply, that the Doctor was, *culpably dishonest*, and it would be unstr ined at that, and so in like manner your other remarks, bear the same analysis—instead of stating calmly you intendended nothing of the kind—you carry the same spirit, and charge me with *false statements* in a kind of bravado style, and use the term obnoxiously throughout your article, to fasten the idea of "dishonesty" upon me regarding this railroad question. Now sir, the man who takes on himself the role of an editor, who fails to construe an English sentence so plainly stated, or who frames one so loosely as to mislead, is to be pittied. The Council or Artemesia asks no favors, it exercised its prerogative, it did what is often done—postponed consideration. Holland council did the same. It was no want of courtesy—and whatever meaning you put on your editorial, one thing is clear, it was unnecessarily severe and infortunate. I shall not bandy words with you further, with an Editor any man is heavily handicapped, especially one used for an occasion who is *rash* and *windy*. We have other weapons, which a thoughtful man would legard. I regret having to trouble you with other remarks, upon Mr. Brown and Robertson's communications. The latter was grossly personal in his first article. I pricked him a bit, an ho! an avalanche has tumbled about my ears. Well sir, I must say, that I hold Mr. R. in great respect. I believe him to be a gentleman of unsullied integrity. And I sincerely regret, that he should have so offended by personal allusions, to draw my lance. Defeat sir is not often my lot—in this instance my friend must submit to a little more *physic* and I promise him a more *drastic* dose the next time, poor man! He shall have it without charge too! to his heart's content. But hold!! I can't see *Robert Robertson* in the article at all, at all. Did you ever read the fable of the "Ass" in the "Lion's" skin? Well sir, the article signed "Robert Robertson" reminds me of it—and the "Lion" in this case is not a very wonderful animal he is an abortion, what people, generally call a sneak! but then, he has sufficient skill to make poor *Robinson* his Jackall, and I suppose that is enough. Mr. R. boasts of having means employed in his business. I am glad of it—but that don't pay the taxes, you see! If such be the case and he derives an income therefrom—why does he not as a good patriot, report the circumstances to the assessor, and be rated accordingly. But I very much question, if he conducts his business differently to most others in the same line—a mode well understood. I was careful to avoid all personalities in the first articles published—for I believe with Mr. Brown, that every man has a right to speak or write too, if he choose to do so who has the interest of the Township at heart—whether his assessment be large or small—whether it be Robertson's, *ninety cents* or Christoe's, fourteen dollars R. R. Tax, on property *actually owned*. But I do contend, that a *Rich* man, like Mr. R. to prate and scold and write, to fix an increased tax, on a majority of our poorer class of ratepayers, is too much. It is of the cockney pseudo style and carries on its face, a willing tool of the management—it is demeaning—poor—case, but he roosts [illegible] and [illegible] crumbs upon [illegible] for straws [illegible]—I certainly would [illegible] again to do so, [illegible] reserve to himself the [illegible] gentlemanly [illegible] pleasure, and were [illegible] nothing personal would have been mentioned in reply. Will you allow me now sir, to state—I have been moved to my present opposition to this, as well as to the last scheme, *honestly, sincerely*. Because since I have been Reeve of Artemesia, efforts have been constantly made to reduce if possible the taxes, and a certain kind of dread has existed, lest the tax should take a sudden bound upward—hence caution in this direction has been uppermost. Because it was ascertained, that a very strong feeling existed in the Township against any scheme, so much so, that, a resolution was passed, to *satisfy* the Ratepayers—that the Reeve and Deputy should not foster any such scheme—and I find no change in circumstances, excepting the Ex-deputy, who at the time did object. Because the *President* of the road convinced me, that the absolute necessity for change of guage did not exist, that he was more solicitous to have the road put in good repair; for said he, the road is ample for purposes of freight for years to come. See his Orangeville speech as published. Because the Managemt of the Road, has not been frank, and is not so, with the Municipalities. All admit the first scheme to have been bogus, a miserable picture, not to be entertained and it was abandoned. Yet what was the the action of the Management, but to hoist scare-crows to frighten the ratepayers to grant a Bonus? The employees were to quit: the road was to stop, and all for one purpose! but by the calm, thoughtful ratepayers,—characterized, it is true, as a lot of ignoramuses, the scheme collapsed, and the Township saved. Is the present scheme any better? To me it seems, not much. It is asserted that the success of the scheme depends on the municipalities granting a sum of $300,000. This sum was to be distributed over the Municipalities interested—Artemesia was down for $12,000, we will suppose it to be correct. Now if as alledged the scheme depend on the conditions named; how does it happen, that $3,000 can be dropped off Derby; $2,000 off Melancthon $2,000 off Proton and so on *ad libitum*?—Does it not appear, that the scheme, is not as represented to us, that there is not the danger of failure; this vascillation on the part of the Company, proves a fatality to it, unsurmountable. At one time it will cost so much; at another time less and at another more than ever. See pamphlets issued by Company. Then, one bonus is required, now another. At one time, the unfortunate Bondholders are requested to step behind, to the tune of $350,000 and now to $1,000,000 I confess to me there appears to be a screw loose here—either more was laid on the Townships, than required, or else the scheme does not depend on the $300,000 Bonuses at all. Which is it? The latter certainly. Why the 28 Townships and 7 Villages, if I am correct, at proportionate rates to us couldn't possibly make it—and yet this *sine qua non* is, that unless the sum be raised—the scheme falls to the ground. I demur against it, the Management do not intend to do so—but will get yours if they can. It only surprise me, that, closer observation is not made in this matter—that people receive the mere *ipse dixit* of the Management or newspaper scribling partizans. If the repairs could have been made, with an assistance of four hundred thousand dollars from the Municipalities and $350,000 as above; surely the same repairs can be made with $1,000,000. At this very moment the Management are very accommodating—they are willing to take anything—of course they are! As to the increased benifits derived, or to be derived and the Villages which have sprung up—so far as Artemesia is concerned I fail to see it—better proof, than a mere assertion would be thankfully received—begin with the Villages Where are they? The worth of property was pretty fully discussed pro and con. Those for the Bonus extremists said they were largely benefited—those against it directly opposite. The truth I dare say lies between. Now a different gauge, by the very nature of things cannot materially change it. Also while any company, has the power to discriminate rates, the ratepayers need not expect the benefits, from through freight and other fanciful illusions presented. I am asked will not the Merchants be enabled to give more? How in the nature of things can they? when at this moment the Bye-Stations have to make up for competing points like *Owen Sound*. I am told freight is carried as cheaply from Owen Sound as from Flesherton Station—to Toronto! But worse still Artemesia is asked to give a Bonus of $10,000 to one company—the old Company—in the face of an agreement—assigning over all power, to, fix your tariff to a company, you know not—you can have no conditions, whatever in your By-Law—and it may be barely possible, that we are stepping out of the fryingpan into the fire. Like a pedlar, who tells you a good yarn—induces you to buy—gets your note—articles not as represented—another person presents your note—you seek for conditions—number two, doesn't know anything about it—you are sued. The Judge tells you, you shouldn't have given the note—and so precisely with this Bonus—you give it and it is transferre—the Grand Trunk will say, we don't known anything about your Bonus—that is your business the R. R. is ours. These are simple facts and possibilities. And although gentle from Markdale and Flesherton Station rage and bespatter me tenfold more, it will not alter my statements. The promises regarding the present Road are to recent to venture so soon again—but I say now, if the majority of property owners, under the new act vote for it I shall say amen to it—and pay my quota, without a murmur. To conclude then, let many say as often before—that it is a public question, a question fairly to be considered from more than one stand point—stick to your point friend, only don't *stick* to me, there is danger of conflict if you do. Feeling obliged for the space afforded, I am yours,

DR. CHRISTOE.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m, Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a.m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

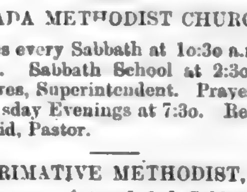
PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business, in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1a

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

[illegible], Nov. 18th, 1880.

Flour	[illegible]		[illegible]
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.02		1.0[illegible]
Fall do. do.	1.00		1.00
Barley	0.60		0.7[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]		[illegible]
Peas	[illegible]		0.6[illegible]
Potatoes	[illegible]		[illegible]
Butter, per lb.	0.18		0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed	5.50	"	6.00
Beef	5.00	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.25	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.00
Hides	5.00	"	5.00
Grass seed	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6.50	"	[illegible]
Timothy seed	2.25	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	1.75

ANGUS McINTYRE.

I again call your attention to my new and select stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY and OYSTERS—always FRESH. Don't forget to give me a call. You always need something new in the Grocery line—Nothing but first-class goods kept. I send all my customers home satisfied that they get good value for their money, and they always come again. I thank my old customers for their patronage, and they don't forget me either. This is encouraging for me to go ahead in our Town of Markdale, where I am sure of friends who never forget me. ANGUS McINTYRE.

Markdale, Nov. 11, 1880. 9-21

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Nov. 18th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.02	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.95	"	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.73
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.50	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	5.50	"	5.00
Beef	5.00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, Nov. 18, 1880.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 06	to	$1 08
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 16
Barley, do.	0 70	to	0 90
Oats, do.	0 34	to	0 35
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 68
Rye, do.	0 87	to	0 88
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	6 00	to	6 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	30	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	50	to	0 60
Turkeys	75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 18	to	0 00
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	1 10
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 25
Onions, per bag	0 00	to	1 55
Hay	8 50	to	12 25

STRAYED.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber Lot 72, East Toronto and Sydenham Road, Township of Holland, some time in September, one Ewe. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

WM. JACKSON.

Holland, Nov. 17, 1880. 1o-3i*

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, on the 15th inst., a Steer rising three years The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away,

SAMUEL MILLER.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o-3i

NOTICE.

IF THE gentleman who witnessed the breaking of the School House windows last Sunday night, will call and inform the undersigned who the perpetrators were, he will be suitably rewarded.

WM. BROWN.

Nov. 16, 1880 1o-1i.

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 20, Con. 12 township of Holland, in July, a red Steer, 2 years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away,

J. S. LYONS.

Holland, Nov. 12, 1880. 1o 3i*

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 8, Con. 14, township of Glenelg, on or about the 1st of September, a Heifer, one year old, spotted red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

GEORGE LAMB.

Glenelg, Nov. 13, 1880. 1o-3i*

New Furniture Store! In Dundalk.

C. HUMPHRIES,

Late of Shelburne, has now in stock a large and select stock of

COMMON AND HAIR-CLOTH

Furniture,

Which he will sell very *Cheap for Cash*.

Coffins and Shrouds always on hand,

Also agent for Doherty's Organs, and Raymond & Ashburn's Sewing Machines. Call and examine our Organs and Machines before [illegible]

Dundalk, Nov. 17, 1880. 1o-2i

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.

Priceville—Monday before Durham.

[illegible]

Fair.

Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.

Elora—The day before Guelph.

Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.

Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

Berlin—First Thursday in each month.

Brampton—First Thursday in each month.

Listowel—First Friday in each month.

Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.

Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.

Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.

Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.

Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.

Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.

Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.

Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.

Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.

Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

NOTICE.

PARTIES delivering logs at the Steam Saw Mill, Markdale, will please call and leave their names and get a number to stamp on their logs, otherwise the proprietor will not hold himself responsible for logs which may be delivered.

Lumber, after being sawed three days and not piled, the "Mill Proprietor" will proceed to pile out of his way, and charge owner for time for doing so, and for space occupied.

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JAMES CHAPMAN, PROPRIETOR.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o-2i

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I would like all my friends to make it their business to see me on Fridays in Dundalk, rather than Thursday Evenings, if possible.

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September, 1880. 2-y

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NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

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Belfast House, op. Haskett.

NO SECOND PRICE

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Corner of Queen and Mill [illegible]

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880.

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J. [illegible] BLOOMFIEL[illegible] *Veterinary*

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Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880.

THE STANDARD.

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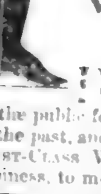

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Friday, Nov. 19th, 1880.

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A supply of the ... Revision, Canada Methodist Hymn Book, for sale at the Medical Hall.

IF you want a cosy pair of ... go to D. McLeod's. His boots are partly for handsome, they are also great for strong.

PARTIES who have missed any cattle or sheep should look carefully over the columns of the STANDARD. Quite a number are advertised this week.

WE would call the attention of those interested to the alteration in Mr. G. Rutherford's advertisement. Dundalk people should read it over.

MR. C. Humphries, of Dundalk has something in this issue that is of interest to the people of that village. Those wanting a nice organ or sewing machine should give him a call.

A meeting will be held at the Revevere Hotel this (Friday) evining, at eight o'clock, sharp, to take into consideration an offer to establish a Foundry in this place.

THOMAS MATHEWS is still in the Harness business. Parties requiring anything in his line can depend on genuine material, first-class workmanship, and honorable dealing by giving him their patronage.

NO business man should fail to have the business he follows printed on his envelopes and note paper. We can furnish you with both articles neatly printed, at city prices, at the STANDARD office.

CHANGED HANDS.—The Mt. Forest *Examiner* has been purchased by the proprietor of the *Confederate*, and both papers have been amalgamated and will be published under the name of *Confederate-Examiner*. It makes its appearance this week as a semi-weekly. We wish our brother of the quil every success.

TIME is money, you can save both by buying one of Disson's Champion Cross Cut Saws. Any boy can keep them in repair. Will cut faster, and are 25 per cent. cheaper than any other saw of same quality in the market. Be sure you get Disson's. No other saw will do the same amount of work. Call at Haskett Bros. and take one home.

JUST as we were going to press, we learn, through our Priceville correspondent, of the sudden death of Mr. Charles Hale, who lived on the old Durham Road, about five miles from Priceville. He died in about twenty minutes after being taken ill, on Sunday morning last—cause said to be appoplexy. Particulars next week.

SOME of our subscribers at Pomona are complaining that they do not get the paper until the week after it is published. It is mailed here early on Friday morning and should be received the same day. We shall look into the matter and if we can find the delinquent, we shall bring the matter to the notice of the Post Master General.

SAD.—We regret to have to announce the death of the two remaining children of Mr, D. Campbell, of Glenelg. He lost a son about a year ago, with scarlet fever, and this week, the other two, (his entire family,) have followed their brother to that land where trouble ceaseth and the weary are at rest. We assure Mr. and Mrs. C. they have our sincere sympathy in their sad bereavement.

A MEETING was held by the trustees of the C. M. Church of this place last evening, it was decided to introduce the new hymn book on the 1st of January 1881. Mr. McDiarmid has ordered samples, and any persons wishing to obtain a hymn book can see them and leave their order at the Parsonage. The above is a new edition containing all the best hymns of the old book and upwards of two hundred new ones.

WE have made arrangements with the following papers to furnish them to parties who wish to take them in connection with the STANDARD, at greatly reduced rates. The American Agriculturist $1.00; Canadian Farmer 75c.; Scientific American $2.60; Toronto Weekly Globe $1.25. We hope to be able to give the price of *Mail* and several others next week. The above prices are only adhered to when the the papers are taken in connection with the STANDARD.

DUNDALK.

From our Correspondent.

WEATHER cold and snowing, a few sleighs coming in but roads rough. Mr. J. C. Atkinson, tailor, that left our town a few months ago and went to the village of Holstien, has returned again. No place like Dundalk for tailors; he opens out in W. Chittick's old shop. Mr. Chas. McConnell brought in three fine deer on Monday. Good for you Charley.

BIRTHS.

In Markdale, on the 7th inst., the wife of R. Askin, merchant, of a daughter.

MARRIED

On the 11th inst., at the residence of the brid's father, by the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Seneca Palmer, to Hannah, oldest daughter of Mr. Mark Richardson, all of Markdale.

DIED.

In Glenelg, on the 14th inst., David Carradice eldest son of D. Campbell, aged 8 yrs., 11 months and 6 days.

In Glenelg, on the 17th inst., William James, youngest son D. Campbell, aged 1 year, 10 months and 23 day's.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Undersigned will be at Lot 6, 2nd 3rd Concession, N. D. R., Glenelg, on Saturday, Nov. 20, 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of letting contract of building New Bridge across Saugeen River. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the house of Thomas Davis, Lot 3, 3rd Concession, N. D. R.

F. MACRAE,
G. BINNIE,
T. DAVIS,

Glenelg, Nov. 5, 1880.

General Advertisements.

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EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880.

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Have on hand a full stock, including

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In great variety and at prices to suit the people.

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The largest and best Stock in Town, at Lowest Prices.

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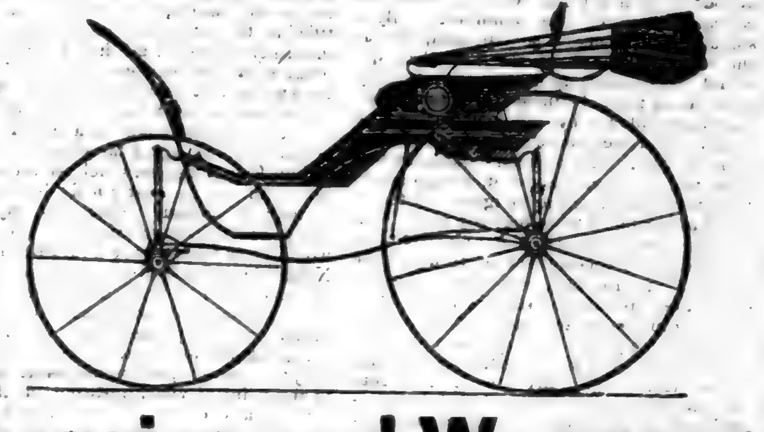
My Stock in this department is now complete, and contains the newest lines in Plain and Fancy Dress Goods, Winceys, Shirtings, Flannels, Blankets Clouds, Scarfs, and a choice selection of Tweeds.

READY-MADE CLOTHING.—Overcoats—a large Stock. Suits, Shirts, Drawers, Overalls, &c.

HATS, CAPS AND FURS.—A large assortment of A 1 Goods. Also everything else to be found in a First-Class General Store.

The above Goods have all been purchased in the best Markets, and will be sold at BOTTOM PRICES for CASH or PRODUCE.

Dundalk, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-4i



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A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

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Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

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CALL AND BE SATISFIED AS TO PRICES AND QUALITY.

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HILL BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880. 1-y

STAINLESS.

By the Author of "Sweet Dorothy Capel," "Lettice," &c.

TOLD BY DEBORAH ORD.

I am cross, dissatisfied, vexed. Just when I laughed at the way to be cheery and comfortable, everything has gone contrary, awry. Judith is with us, looking brighter, younger, more sonsie than ever. Sir Martin is happy, almost gay, and Napine is crowded with visitors. Judith reigns in queenly style, mistress of the grand old place. She and her father returned home, a long time ago, to celebrate Christmas with us. Their journeyings have done them good. It is pleasant to observe them together, for they are indeed as a father and daughter should be. Whenever Sir Martin's eye falls on his child, his whole face lights up with a blissful radiance, while her beauty is never so bewitching as when she is near him. Every one talks of their wonderful devotion. Wise folks wonder how Sir Martin will like the separation that must come some day. That Judith will marry again, and marry well, nobody doubts.

We are at Napine, Dale. Snow is everywhere. The landscape is shrouded in white, and the clouds are gray and sullen. The gentlemen warn us against walking far. There will be more snow, they say—a heavy fall presently.

Breakfast is cleared. The men have vanished, some to play billiards, some to the stables, some to the library. The ladies in the cedar drawing-room gossip idly, study the weather, read, work, and muse. Dulness prevails. They miss their cavaliers, and find time hard to kill. I escape to the room Judith has allotted to baby Will. It is a charming apartment, large, lofty, and prettily furnished. I take my boy from nurse and dismiss her. He looks so handsome in his velvet frock and smart ribbons. I toss him up, and he laughs and crows delightedly. I wish Dale could see him; but Dale has gone with Sir Martin to the kennels. There is no one but "mother" to feast her eyes on the tiny face, the fat chubby hands, and sturdy figure. I sing merrily, and whisper blandishments and nonsense stories. Presently the door is pushed open gently, and Judith appears.

In her black dress, relieved by filmy lace, she is superb, beautiful as a poet's vision. She gazes at me, and I fancy that there is a longing in her eyes. Superstitively observed through me, she yet lacks that which crowns and blesses my life. I kiss her, and put baby into her arms. Her pale face is hidden by the rosy one. When she raises her head Will's cheeks are wet, and she wipes away the tear-drops nervously. I leave my seat and lean over her.

"What is it, Judith?" I ask. "Is anything amiss? You seem joyous, merry. Is your mirth feigned?"

She looks at me vacantly.

"Why should I not be happy?" she says. "Why indeed! She has her father, wealth, health, and beauty. I sigh uneasily, and am still. She muses as the coals burn brightly on the hearth and the flames flicker—muses, and she says abruptly—

"Deborah, have we done anything to offend your brother? He never comes to Napine."

Ah, that is it! I am slow to reply, not knowing what answer to make.

Why, indeed, should Will be shy of Napine? They have persistently avoided each other. I have watched Will and Judith lately. They have persistently avoided each other. Will, who thinks it right that Judith, heiress of Napine and Ellerslie, shall not be driven by old recollections into an engagement with him, is perfectly cold and haughty to her. She, deeming that his manner implies that he has ceased to care for her, is careful not to speak to him. They are drifting apart, scarcely knowing wherefore. In a little while the breach, now narrow, will have widened considerably. Judith toys with my curls.

"He is proud, is he not?" she murmurs. "Does he despise me for what I did?"

"What was that?" I cry bewildered.

"I left my home and my husband," she stammers. "I was rash, foolish."

"Oh, Judith, Judith, you silly child! Will will never despise you. Does he not love you?"

She, then, before I can deny her assertion, she exclaims vehemently, "I love him! Would that I did not!"

She places baby Will in my arms, and flies. I smile as I repeat her confession to myself, and then shake off abstracted musings. I will see Will, and go to the Vicarage at once. Here are two people, lovers, whose lives, but for assuming indifference, would be sad. It is an unwise pastime. I will open Will's eyes to his folly. The clouds are gray, and threaten; enough to daunt me; but I am over-ready. I will go to the Vicarage by luncheon time. As quick as I had done it; by luncheon-time I shall be at the Vicarage. My maid wraps me up warmly, and I start, glowing with zeal. It is a stinging cold—and arrive at the Vicarage sooner than I anticipated, only because so pleasant a thing is to be done. Will is out. It is not expected in till night; therefore it is useless my waiting to see him. Will is snowed up! I wend my way back wild-snow-spirit, not dreaming that, while away, he has come to pass which I would be. I learned had Judith sits all when it is quite at my feet, her sweet face blushing with supreme content.

"Ashamed of the avowal to you of my love for Will I ran from the nursery to my own room," she says. "I gave way to tears, until I remembered that I must speedily face my guests. I dried my eyes, and thought that I would go for a stroll, for my head ached; it was a walk to clear my own memories. I stole from the house, not wishing to be seen. I wanted solitude, and if I were observed I should lose all chance of it. Taking the high road, I wandered heedlessly along. By-and-by I found myself by the brook where Will once saved my life. It was summer-time then, winter now. Then the fields were in bloom, and the skies were blue and sunny; now sunshine was but a memory. The very brook, then rippling and flowing, was still, covered with ice. I thought of many things as I walked up and down the bank; the piercing cold did not reach me, for glad and sorrowful images of the past were present with me. At last I gazed out to the spot where he had loved me when he drew me from the water. 'Oh, that which might have been, but might not be.' My life, which should be a glad round of days, was dreary, empty, sad. I was very miserable. I was alone, and no prying eyes could behold me. At Napine I must be jocund, blithe; here I could wail forth my woe. Stern Nature would neither rebuke nor cheer me, and I was free to say and do what I chose. It caused my heart to rid it of the perilous stuff weighing on it. So to the wintry winds, to the leaden-gray sky, I told my story. I told how I loved Will—told how, when it was unlawful for me to love him, I had refrained from thinking of him; that now I might, and he did not care. He thinks me bold, I said, because I fled from him once, perforce, withheld my hand. I was powerless to resist the torrent of love sweeping over me. I whispered it all in my own ears. I cared not that a sudden overpowering love for Will; but I asked not that he might reawaken. I crouched in my strangest, thanking Heaven, when the bare me back, that I who was not unworthy of my love. Gradually my emotion spent itself, and I grew calm. I tried to brace myself with the assurance that not always would my poor heart be so sad. Perhaps some day I should be able to think of my anguish without sorrow as one that day and wonder whether my sorrow was so overwhelming. But such consolation was drearily cold. What did the some day that might or might not come matter now—that I was so utterly downcast?

"I opened the locket I wore at my neck, and looked at the likeness it contained—Will's! A noble princely face his—a face that no woman need fear to revere. Though my love for him had cost me dear, I loved him not I had not loved him. Better to have lost her never have known him. Neither time nor pain could alter my affection. I looked at the photograph with tearful eyes, and then suddenly started, electrified. A voice behind me—

"What are you looking at, Judith?"

"It was Will. I was speechless. He stared into my face, holding my hands in his resisting hand, and gazed on his portrait.

"Come to me, Judith," he cried in a rough tone.

"I glanced from him. All around was white and chill; the blast numbed me, and I trembled. He repeated his words, this time in a kinder tone.

"Deborah gave it to me," I muttered.

"When?"—"Before I left Ellerslie."

"Where did you get it? you have kept it for our acquaintance' sake?"

"I did not respond. I could not. He was cruel—very cruel to torture me. He walked on a few paces, and then came back to my side.

"Do you recollect what happened here?" he asked.

"Yes, and I cried, in my tremulous fulness of my tribulation—

"Yes, you saved my life. You would have done me a greater service had you let me die."

"'Judith!'

"I was reckless; my spirit was stirred to its very depths.

"'Ay,' I affirmed, 'if I had only died it was when you rescued me, ill for me it is that I live! What is life that we esteem it so?'

"'Judith—your father.'

"'He loves me! For his sake I must hide my heart and smile; but—'

"'Will cannot be sad,' he said.

"'Judith, hush! You have all that makes existence bright; you should be happy.'

"'I am.'

"'And yet you talk thus wildly, rebelliously.'

"My face tingled.

"'Be good enough to forget my words,' I said. 'I am not very well; looking at the past distracted me.'

"He stared at me, and bowed assentingly. I turned towards Napine, and he walked with me. Very subdued and humiliated was I. I almost forgot his presence; but he remained at my side.

"'Judith,' he commenced diffidently, and then ceased abruptly.

"'Of what was he thinking? Ere I could guess, he hurried on.

"'Right or wrong, I must speak. Do you know that I love you? I love you, Judith; and you—Ah me! that I should see you to listen to my presumptuous tale! Has my behaviour caused you to think my friendship dead? Friendship! It was never friendship that I felt for you. I always loved you. I love you still. Will you therefore think of me kindly, and not hurt that I avoid you? To see you and to be on the brink of quarreling hurt me. I dared not hear it. Judith, you pardon me, and I will go away. Do not grieve about me. Mine is a common fate.' He would have gone, but I went to him.

"Will!"

"One word I utter, his name. What more was needed? He looked at me incredulously. I laid my head on his shoulder, he clasped me closely.

"'Is it real?' he said. 'Do you love me, Judith?'

"'Oh, yes! You must not leave me, or not me heart, but we will break it!'

There is a joy with which no tongue must meddle. Judith never told his answer to me. And she never repeated what was passed.

One more picture, and I have done. A May morning, with just sufficient keenness in the air to make the woodfire acceptable. Judith sits by it, holding a golden-haired little one. I watch her admiringly, and think the matronly dignity in her face becomes her; her beauty is something looks ineffably beautiful. Will, approaching, is struck anew by her tender loveliness. He kisses her with courtly obeisance, and then she gazes at him with a tender smile.

"I is she not exquisite," she says—"little Cicely?"

He nods. But he is thinking his wife is far more lovely than his daughter. Judith continues, not perceiving this.

"It all comes to me as I look at her. Will, I prayed once that I might be the last of my line; and now I have here another Cicely Napine, and I am glad." I echo softly—"Cicely Napine."

Will has added, by Sir Martin's wish, the name of Napine to his. Judith's voice is as sweet as ever.

"My mother—her grandmother—knew how proud we are to be; but Will, I know, is all that thing. There is no wrong that works not some evil. I understand why my mother died. I should have died had I given my babe a tarnished name. Poor mother!"

"Poorly," he rejoined.

I steal off. My heart is blithe. Storm and tempest are over, the sweet—even as for them—there are sunshine and joy—sunshine and joy that shall never be darkened, let them bring what they will. Loving and loved, we can trust and not be afraid, each rejoicing.

"'Tis enough for me and my darling
That we know that we love!"

ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER IV.—CONTINUED.

"Not with my consent!" I cried, my cheeks hot with anger; "and I beg you will contradict the report a little whenever you hear it spoken of."

"With all my heart," and he patted me on the shoulder with the fraternal air he used to assume in poor Rose's lifetime—"don't excuse me, though, for it isn't my fault; it isn't true, because I thought it was, Cathie. It is not true that so many people to say that you might be fond of Cyril—"

"Herbert," I said, suddenly carrying the war into the enemy's country, "I have heard a similar report of you. Is it true that you are going to be married?"

He coloured scarlet in his turn.

"Who could have told you that?" he asked.

"Then it is true?" I persisted, and I saw by his face that it was.

I was quite silent after this; I felt unspeakably contemptible for him, to think that he should have forgotten my beautiful Rose so soon. He was a thin fair man, slightly bald and a little bit foppish, and outwardly my idea of a hero in any way. For myself I preferred brown-bearded, broad-shouldered men, like the one I had once met; but this, of course, was a mere matter of taste, and Rose, had she liked him, of course, would probably not have agreed with me in the least.

Herbert took a photographic album off the table and began playing with it nervously.

"You are offended with me, Cathie?" he said. "Why should you be? I cannot bring your sister back to life again. If the case had been reversed, and you, I have no doubt Rose would have married again. And, after all, is it, I have my doubts, Cathie"—and here he lowered his voice to a mysterious whisper—"I do not suppose she would have cared what had become of me."

I started to my feet in a moment, intensely interested as the more ominous subject of this subject, but he did not give me time to speak; he went on—

"She did not give it to me, anyhow"—he said, and whispered, "I told her to enquire, I was never sure how she had half forgotten me. But," "Half the fellows in town were in love with Rose; and one the days of a jealousy; I know all that of her I don't know in her. Belive there was more than one of the names of that. She never cared. My belief is she went out that afternoon to meet one of her lovers. You never will find out! I always thought so, though I said nothing about it before. 'Yes, Herbert!' I said."

"Who is that?" he asked—"that tall, dark fellow, just outside the window?"

I looked out. Cyril was there, in the gathering darkness of the fast approaching night, was the man whom I had lately been urged to consider in the light of a suitor for my hand—Cyril Vane.

CHAPTER V.

Seeing that he was observed, Cyril stepped in through the open window, and I introduced him to Herbert, and the two men bowed to one another somewhat coolly and stiffly.

As far as I could judge, it appeared to me as if Cyril was not in the most amiable temper.

I retreated to the fireplace, and Herbert followed me. The large photograph of Rose above the mantelpiece looked down upon us. I remember that, being in a fitful and gloomy evening with the utmost distinctness, for it was the last of my days of freedom. The chains were fast binding me; for I had no desire to meet him again. On the contrary, I had given him to understand that I had rather he did not, but he had persisted in forcing them on my notice.

It is quite true that I had not yet said "No" to him in plain words, but I had shown him with admirable diplomacy applied so far to my father and I begun to be; and I began to arrange matters for him. I am some flowers in our hand, and I began to arrange them.

"Rose would have liked those," said Herbert softly, "how fond Rose was of these, and she often used to wear them!"

"Mr. Vane has not been introduced to Rose," I said. Then I added, with something like contempt, "It is impossible you could have ever have even seen her."

My words were spoken almost in a whisper, yet Cyril at once caught them.

"I thought her beautiful," he said, with a sudden flash from his fierce black eyes which astonished me. "You are mistaken if you think I did not admire her."

"Every one admired her," said Herbert stiffly. "But I was not aware that you were acquainted with her," he added, still in a constrained tone. "I do not recollect having had the pleasure of meeting you any time when I was with her."

Cyril laughed softly to himself—it was almost a sneer.

"I think she had many acquaintances of whom you knew nothing," he said.

"Every one thought her handsome," returned Herbert, in his languid way. "But I had no occasion for jealousy, I assure you."

"Handsome!" repeated Cyril scornfully, flashing out again in a burst of admiration, fierce in its passionate intensity. "Handsome is no word for her. She was

"'A daughter of the gods, divinely tall
And most divinely fair.'"

"Thank you," I said, turning to Cyril involuntarily, with almost the first smile I had ever given him. "That is a compliment which is worthy of her."

He did not reply; his eyes fell before mine, and he moved a step or two away from me.

I felt that for some unaccountable reason the atmosphere was getting stormy.

The two men were gazing at each other with disdain and hatred in their glances; they seemed to be on the brink of quarreling about a girl whose youth and beauty were now only a memory to us all.

"Who will open some of these English papers for me?" I asked, in order to create a diversion. "The mail is just in, and I have not had time to look at any of them yet."

Cyril at once took up a paper knife and hastened to obey my request. He showed an eager desire to please me, and I felt half troubled that I could not respond more gratefully to his desire to make himself agreeable to me. Herbert rose to go.

"I am going to have a talk with your father, Cathie," he said, as he moved away.

As he passed my chair he stooped a little and whispered—

"If what I hear is true, I confess I pity you. He seems to have an awful temper."

I took no notice of the words, and Herbert went out, humming—

"If she be not fair for me,
What care I for whom she be?"

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At last—how can I bear to write it?—they wrung from me a reluctant consent.

The steady daily pressure brought to bear upon me both by father and Cyril Vane broke down my poor defences one by one and forced me at length to come to terms with the enemy. I need scarcely add, after saying this, that I did not love Mr. Vane, even though I had at last consented to become his wife. But then I did not love any one; I only felt a little more interest in one man whom I had once met than in any other; that was all.

I had no one to take my part in declining to accept Cyril Vane, and it was this which eventually compelled me to agree to his proposal. My father's was the iron hand in the velvet glove; he was not unkind to me, yet he would not allow me to have any will of my own. If Rose had lived, she would have stood by me, even against my father, and never would she have allowed me to be forced into a marriage that was distasteful to me. If Rose had lived! But Rose was gone.

"To where, beyond those voices, there was peace."

My father and Cyril hastened on the marriage. My father was anxious to sell his property and leave the Colony for England as soon as possible; I was an obstacle in the way to this, and the sooner I ceased to obstruct his path the better.

Mrs. Holland—oh, how she and I cried at the thoughts of parting!—was to stay for a time with some relatives of hers in town, and then she was to look out for another situation for herself.

She was too clever and superior a woman to have much difficulty in procuring one. I had wanted to take her with me to my new home, but Cyril, on being consulted, at once said "No."

I might have endeavoured to carry out my point, but my father considered that Mrs. Holland was addicted to spoiling and humoring me too much, and that it would be better she should be parted from me, for a time at any rate; so I had no choice but to submit.

I fancy he thought that I should make Cyril a more obedient and docile wife if I had no one to uphold me in any faint attempts at rebellion I might feel disposed to offer; so with many tears Caroline Holland and I made up our minds to say farewell.

This however was the only request of mine that Cyril ever dreamed of refusing.

In all other requests he consulted my wishes to the minutest item. Gladiator was to be sent over to Fern Brook—which was the name of Cyril's station—some days before the wedding; he was to have a luxurious loose box, and the utmost care was to be lavished on him in every way. Cyril had entirely refurnished his house in accordance with my taste, as far as he could gather what that was. He often brought me costly presents. My father constantly praised his devotion to me, and told me that he was a model lover.

At last the day drew near; I could make no further excuses for any longer delay. My father was to leave on the very day of my wedding, and to be on board the vessel the same night; his boxes as well as mine were packed and in readiness for a journey. Mrs. Holland had completed all my sewing, save what was done in town, and, with much sorrow on both sides, she and I had parted. Herbert Tempest had sent me a beautiful gold brooch studded with diamonds. His own wedding was to take place immediately after mine. Gladiator had been sent over to Fern Brook, and I had taken my last ride under my maiden name. A mad, reckless gallop across country had that last ride been, but it was over; my horse had taken better care of me than I did of myself.

The autumn evenings were now growing dark and chilly; the summer was quite over—even "the last rose of summer" had drooped and faded on its bough.

The mountains had given us one glimpse of their winter splendour. Pure snow-white and sharply defined, their lofty peaks stood out against a cloudless sky one bright sunny morning; the next day they had retired into a misty background of soft lilac haze once more. Still, they had given us a warning message of the coming winter.

The evening of the day before my wedding was very damp and chill; a bleak wind made one shiver as it moaned and sighed among the trees, and bent the pliable trunks of the blue gums. I had ordered a fire in my own room, and there I locked myself in. It was my last evening with my father for some time to come, but neither he nor I cared to spend it together.

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"The Collector."

It is always the fate of a man who tries to collect an old bill to get snubbed. Now we think of it, the old bill collector who trudges painfully through the streets from day to day, trying ever to find the man who is ever trying to dodge him, ought to have more sympathy. His only business is to persuade delinquents to pay their just debts, and yet everybody looks on him very much as a sailor looks on a craft that has raised the black flag of piracy. Poor fellow! He has a hard time of it trying to catch sight of the man who has just gone round the corner, who will be back in five minutes, so the clerk says, but who never comes back until the old bill collector has gone. It is on record that by some strange fatality of fortune a collector found his debtor at home. Such a circumstance nearly took the collector's breath away, for, like the Wandering Jew, he had been flying from pillar to post for nearly a year, and had never once found the right man in the right place; but he took out his battered wallet and presented the account, yellow with age, and humbly asked for a settlement. "You must call again," was the stern, imperative demand of the man, who never intended to have money enough to pay that bill. The victim with the threadbare clothes and the worn out shoes suggested that it was not easy to go up three flights of stairs three times a day in order to find the ominous word "out" on the door. "Well," said the haughty debtor, "perhaps you would like to have me rent a room on the first floor for the sake of my creditors." The old bill collector uttered a deep sigh, put his wallet into his pocket, and walked into a a back alley where his home was, while the jaunty debtor sprang into his landau and went up to the park for a drive. Such is life.

The income of the London guilds is estimated at £5,000,000 a year.

Old Bets, a Sioux squaw, who died recently at the reputed age of more than a hundred, had been successively the wife of an army officer, an Indian chief, a border highwayman, and a Methodist missionary.

Fishing on the Amazon.

Much attention has lately been given to the wonders of the great river Amazon, or "the Amazons," as the people there call it. Its whole valley abounds in streams that help to make up the entire volume of waters. These spread out into lakes, lagoons, and swamps, that extend over large regions of country. This is especially so in the rainy seasons or flood times.

The channels and lakes are abundantly supplied with fishes. Even large fishes are often left in the swamp lakes and streams when the water is low. A hundred different kinds of fish can be bought in the markets of Rio, many of which come from the Amazon.

Those most valued are piranhas and piraruous. They are the largest, while there are numerous smaller varieties. The Indians catch the latter with hooks and lines or shoot them with arrows. But the larger fish are speared with a kind of trident. The men and even small boys acquire great skill in the use of these implements.

In the summer months the people come by hundreds to the lakes and channels to fish for the great pirarucu, and to prepare the fish much as codfish is prepared by the northern fishermen. Some of these fish are seven or eight feet in length. They are first dressed and cut into wide thin slices. These are well rubbed with salt and hung on poles to dry in the sun. The slices are taken under cover every night and carried out again in the morning. The stranger does not at once relish this dried fish, yet it is the standard flesh food of all the poorer classes throughout a large part of Brazil. During the fishing season the people build and live in little huts along the shores. Traders, in canoes, come with a stock of cheap wares to barter for the fish. Thus a trading community is formed which breaks up with the January floods. The piranhas are much prized and are easily caught, for they are greedy to bite at most anything, from a bit of salt meat to a bather's toe. Boys thrash the water with poles to attract these fishes.

The Tupi word piranha is a contraction of pira sainha, meaning "toothed fish." The same word is used by the Indians to describe a pair of scissors. There are several species of these savage piranhas, some being more than two feet long. They make nothing of biting an ounce or so of flesh from a man's leg. People are sometimes killed by them. Hence Brazilians are shy of going into these lakes and streams if they suspect the presence of these fish. The fishermen claim that piranhas will gather in schools against the larger fish and attack them. If one of their own number is at all wounded by mistake he is mercilessly set upon and devoured by his companions.

It is useless to try to use nets where this fish is found. They would spoil a net in a few minutes.

Another dangerous fish of these waters is the sting-ray. He lies flat on the bottom, his dark upper surface being hardly seen through the muddy streams. If left undisturbed the creature is harmless enough. But a careless wader in the shallows may step on the flat body, and then the great barbed sting inflicts a wound that benumbs the whole body and makes the sufferer speechless with pain. Persons have been lamed for life by such a wound.

A curious fish called Anableps tetrophthalmus is often seen there. Its eyes are divided, so that each has two pupils; of these the upper pair are for the air and the lower for the water. This singular fish swims near the surface and near the shore, and if chased does not dive.

A large fish named caruana is mostly taken at night. Men go out in boats with lighted torches and spear the fish with great skill and rapidity.

It is said you may often see a native with his bow and arrow standing like a statue on some overhanging bank watching for a fish to pass. When a fish comes near the bow is drawn quick as light, and the arrow hardly leaves a ripple as it cuts through the water. It requires the keenest skill to obtain fish by these means, and the fisherman must also allow for the refraction of the water, or he will certainly miss his mark. Yet many of the large piranhas are procured in this way. Good fishing depends, first, upon the flooding of the river, which fills all the valley lakes and channels with water and entices the fish out of the greater streams; then, second, such a falling of the floods as leaves many of these channels and lakes separated from the river. Thus the fish are imprisoned in shoal water and narrow quarters and more easily taken. Otherwise the present contrivances for procuring good fish by these native fishermen would be entirely inadequate.

Wallace, Smith, and others who have made recent explorations of the Amazon all speak of its prospects as a future highway of commerce. They also dwell much upon the abundant and even luxuriant natural resources of the entire region with which this great river and its tributaries are connected.

Those 'Verts

Every now and again a star, of more or less brilliancy, falls from the ecclesiastical firmament of the Episcopal Church, and startles the world by the train of newspaper comment and remark that invariably follows its descent. Such stars all gravitate, with very rare exceptions, toward Rome, and, to carry out our metaphor, the so-called "æsthetic" in worship is the power of gravitation that impels them in their course. These men are called *converts* or *perverts*, according to the standpoint of the individual who speaks of them, while the people who care not a fig either for the church abandoned or the church adopted, employ the non-committal term with which we have headed this article, and call the individuals in question 'verts.

It is only within recent years that this Romeward tendency has developed to such an extent as to attract attention or to arouse anxiety. No doubt the taste for elaborate and imposing ritual in the English Church is the reaction from the simplicity—almost amounting to baldness, of the services in Puritan times, and it may be predicted with a reasonable degree of certainty that as strong a reaction will by and bye set in, in exactly the opposite direction. This ebb and flow in matters of creed and ritual is one of the most marked features in the history of human belief. The question however is, at the present time, what, if any, cause of apprehension have Protestantism in general and the Church of England in particular from the present movement. Alarmists say that the faith of Britain is in danger, that there are numerous indications in the religious and political atmosphere of a return of the days when the Pope was more powerful in England than England's King, and they dwell with the emphasis of fear on the many perversions, as they call them, of leading clergymen in the Episcopal Church to Rome. We have no sympathy with such terrorist statements. The matter comes to be just a question of "survival of the fittest," and the creed, be it known by what name, or accompanied by what ritual it may, which contains the *truth* in greatest purity, will, without question, outlast and overcome all rivals. But those who know human nature will not be surprised to find that the religion that offers attractions to the eye and ear by a sensuous, brilliant and imposing ritual, secure for a time the lead in its influence with the masses. And by the masses we do not mean only the *profanum vulgus*, but those distinguished by rank, talent, and artistic taste as well. Such triumphs, however, are short-lived as a rule, for the mind, by and bye, becomes sated with display even when it is diversified in a manner that is hardly possible in a religious service, and naturally begins to long for something less sumptuous and more simple. Therefore those 'verts, we consider are not altogether such formidable, religious "Mother Carey's chickens," as some make them out to be. It would be a more dignified position for those panic-stricken Protestants who make an outcry against the genuflexions, vestments and crucifixes of the High Church party, to regard them with placid contempt, rather than assail them with vituperation, anathema and ridicule. As a worthy Presbyterian minister remarked regarding them; "Never bother yourself about Maconochie, Tooth, Darling, or Knox-Little, and their ceremonies. *They amuse themselves and don't hurt us.*"

There is one most commendable outcome of the ritualistic movement, that it would be, in the last degree, unfair to overlook viz: the great earnestness and self-sacrifice displayed by ritualistic clergy, in missionary work among the masses, (strictly so called) of our large cities. Their opponents may call it a zeal for proselytising or what else they please, but one result of their work is very manifestly the elevation of the individuals composing those masses into a higher sphere of civilization, and such a result is worthy of the efforts and sympathy of all the churches and creeds. We confess to being somewhat indifferent to the means of purifying the atmosphere of the slums of our great cities, provided it be made more fit for man, made at first in the image of God, to breathe, instead of being like the concentrated vapours of the habitation of devils.

The Drinking Question.

The visit of the veteran temperance lecturer, Mr. John B. Gough, to our city, can scarcely fail to have a stimulating effect on the total abstinence sentiment and effort in our midst. On this subject, it must be conceded, whether we agree with his utterances or not, he gave no uncertain sound. After thirty-eight years of almost continuous labour in the lecture field, he is just as radical and ultra as he was at the beginning. His ringing speech the other evening at Shaftesbury Hall, whatever may have been thought of it in other respects, can scarcely have left any doubt in the minds of his listeners as to the thorough sincerity of the speaker. It is evident that he believes and therefore speaks. Besides he is himself a striking illustration of the doctrine to the advocacy of which he has devoted the greater part of his life. It is quite evident that he, at least, could not have been rescued from the horrible pit into which he had fallen by any other course than total abstinence. The milder means, which may have been effective in some less desperate cases, would have had no efficacy in his. Neither the light wines, nor the lager beer, in which some people have so much confidence, would have satisfied his inordinate craving for alcoholic stimulants, which was the result of immoderate indulgence on a peculiarly nervous and sensitive organization. His, beyond question, was a case which called for the most radical and heroic treatment. Every one acquainted with the pathetic story of his life must feel that he at least has a right to speak well of the cause of which he is the greatest living advocate, and by which he was himself rescued, like a brand plucked from the burning. It is this, no doubt, and the tone of sincerity, and thorough conviction which pervades all his utterances, almost as much as the inimitable style of his address, which disposes people to listen to him with sympathy and respect.

But sincere and hearty as were the demonstrations of respect and affection with which "the old man eloquent" has been greeted by the people of Toronto, our temperance friends must not be in too great a hurry in arriving at the conclusion that the doctrine advocated by him meets with universal acceptance, even in this community. By a singular coincidence, it so happened, that at the very time, or about the time that Mr. Gough was lifting up his voice so manfully in behalf of total abstinence, a counterblast was being blown by other parties whose utterances are scarcely worthy of less respect than his own. It is a rather significant fact that even so severe a moralist, and so active a social reformer, as the religious editor of the *Mail* has felt it to be his duty to utter an earnest protest against the unwarrantable extremes, as it appears to him, to which the churches are running, and the extent to which they are limiting the liberty of their members in respect to this matter. He is not, of course in favour of drunkenness; as he never gets drunk himself, he would not like to hear of anbyody else getting into this disreputable condition; but he distinguishes between temperance and total abstinence, and gives it as his opinion, that it is the abuse of alcoholic beverages, rather than their use, that is to be deprecated and guarded against. He admits, indeed, that people who cannot drink without getting drunk ought not to drink at all; but he thinks that, because there are people who cannot play with fire without being burned, there is no good reason why others should be deprived of the privilege of doing so if they see fit. And at the same that the great Conservative organ has been speaking on this side of the question, the pastor of the new St, Andrew's Church, one of the most eloquent and popular of our city ministers, has been letting his light shine to the same effect. Even in the Pan-Presbyterian Council, in Philadelphia, Mr. Macdonnell felt it to be his duty to lift up his voice in favour of larger liberty for the membership of the churches of his denomination, and in protest against the reproach which is often cast upon those who are engaged in the liquor traffic. No one would accuse this gifted preacher, any more than he would accuse the still more gifted editor of the *Mail*, of being the advocate of drunkenness; to this he is as decidedly opposed as any of his brethren, but he seems to think that this great evil can be as well, and perhaps more effectually, prevented by moderation than by total abstinence.

These sentiments, especially coming from such high quarters, can scarcely fail to have an effect upon public opinion. If our manners have grown a little too puritanic and ascetic, of late, we may, under the influence of such teaching, look for a speedy abatement of the evil. If the press and the pulpit of the country generally, should take their cue from these gentlemen, our austerity, probably, would soon be modified and the rigidity of our morality considerably relaxed. And even if they are left to labour alone in their several spheres, with the Licensed Victuallers' Association at their back, they need not despair of considerable success. The gentlemen of the Association, too, are decidedly opposed to drunkenness; they find that it injures their business and makes it disreputable; and if they had their way—the most respectable of them, at least,—they would never have a drunkard about their establishments. They would like to see drunkenness entirely done away, but they think the most effectual way of bringing about this desirable result is, to furnish the people with plenty of good wholesome liquor to be drunk in a moderate way. This Association is understood to be pretty well organized; it is said to have plenty of money, its agents are numerous and widely scattered, insomuch that their influence is everywhere felt; and its zeal is intensified by the feeling of self-interest. It is no wonder that, in view of these facts, some people have thought that the Association could have done its own work pretty effectually without the assistance of either Mr. Macdonnell or the *Mail*.

Indeed, some ultra Teetotallers go farther and say that, what they are pleased to call their special-pleading, in behalf of moderate drinking is not only uncalled for, but that it is mischievous. They say, moreover, that however specious their reasoning, it is shallow and false. They say, that moderate drinking is the cause of the evil which those people are looking to it to cure. They affirm that there are few, if any, who become immoderate drinkers or drunkards at once,—and that moderate drinking is the school in which drunkards are made. From the moderate drinkers, they say, the drunkards are recruited and their ranks are kept full. They go even so far as to say that, but for this moderate drinking, the whole race of drunkards would die out in a single generation. They say, too, that the transition from the moderate use of intoxicating drinks—from what is considered their use to their abuse—is so gradual and imperceptible that no one has ever been able to point out the exact line which separates them; and that the man who has come to be a moderate drinker, is not always aware himself when he is crossing the line which separates the class to which he thinks himself to belong, from that more advanced class, which he has been accustomed to look upon with abhorrence. They admit, indeed, that there are some people who, except so far as purely physical effects are concerned, may drink with impunity. There are cold phlegmatic natures which are scarcely susceptible of intoxication; but these, they say, never, as a rule, amount to much whether drunk or sober; and they contend that it is unreasonable to keep up the drinking usages of society for the gratification of these, when it can only be done at the imminent peril of a much better class; and that as the Church is the guardian of the weak, it can scarcely be too rigid in its exclusion of practices fraught with so much danger. Into this controversy we enter not, but having in a rough way placed it before our readers, we leave them to judge for themselves.

It is somewhat unexpected to find the great iron Chancellor of Germany unbending to the humanities of culture, and taking an interest both with purse and commendation in antiquarian researches in the heart of Central America. He has aided, through the Government, two German professors, Reiss and Hubel, in excavations after Peruvian antiquities in the Necropolis of Ancad, with a view to obtaining a knowledge of the civilization and industries of the extinct races of the ancient Incas, which he pronounced to be quite as valuable to mankind in the present day as the rusty nails and shivered goblets which the learned Schliemann and wife have been digging after at Mycenæ for years.

Since the institution of the Irish persecutions the *St. James Gazette* publishes the following:—"There is good reason to believe that the government, perceiving how rapidly the state of Ireland passes from bad to worse, and aware that its feeble action is exciting discontent amongst men of all parties, including their own, is considering the adoption of measures more immediately repressive than those lately contemplated. That they may adopt such measures without much remonstrance from even the most advanced of their partisans need not be doubted. Their own position is becoming too serious."

Sir John A. Macdonald.

One who has for more than thirty years occupied the prominent place in Canadian politics, and held the loyal attachment and enthusiastic regard of multitudes of Canadians as Sir John Macdonald has done, must in many respects be no ordinary man. To attempt to depreciate his original powers, or to belittle his varied achievements would be worse than foolish, and would necessarily result in something worse than failure. Here is the fact which nobody can deny that one who entered public life with no special advantages of any kind, with no powerful connections, no influential patronage, no personal reputation for either talents or acquirements, no wealth to bribe, no power to awe, and no social rank to attract, has yet for more than a generation been the foremost man, not only in his own province, but in the whole of British North America. The familiar and friendly references to John A. have for all the years been more frequent, and made by a larger number of persons than to any other in British North America. The owner of these initials, has, throughout his whole career, been an influential factor in the moulding of the legislation and determining the political action of his country, and during the larger portion of the period may be said to be all but omnipotent, for his plans and his purposes have apparently been carried out simply because they were his, and because his followers have seemingly come to the conclusion that what he advocates must be reasonable, and what he did could not possibly be wrong. Besides unexampled success have never so changed his nature, or his bearing as to alienate from him any considerable number of his adherents, while temporary failure has but shown more clearly what a hold he has upon his friends, and to what a large extent his opponents also have a kind word for the man, even when they most strenuously oppose the politician and condemn the minister. No Canadian within the memory of the living has been more trusted by his countrymen, more loyally served by his political followers, more tenderly judged in reference to much questionable personal conduct, more honoured by his sovereign, better known to the outside world, or more thoroughly identified in the estimation of all, with Canada in all her interests, all her powers, all her progress, and all her prospects. To attempt to explain all this without giving Sir John credit for more than average ability, or credit for anything above a certain degree of low cunning, and a large amount of reckless unscrupulousness, which would never allow him to be restrained by considerations of honour, not to say anything of the suggestions of conscience would be as foolish as it would be hopeless. Nobody uninfluenced by incurable prejudice and unblinded by increasing political hatred could possibly fall back upon such an explanation of the phenomenon, for it would bring the whole to the level of something very like miracle, and would render what is, in any point of view, quite out of the usual course, altogether unique in the history not only of this country, but of any other which could be mentioned. It is quite true that we have been informed on very high authority, that the world is governed with very little wisdom, and that men in general "are like turkeys driven with a stick and red clout to the market." But all this sounds better as an epigrammatic saying, than as a statement of sober fact, and a conclusion of actual experience.

HIS WONDERFUL CAREER.

It is not worth while to give in order a bald narrative of the external facts of Sir John's interesting career. This has been done already, with more than sufficient frequency, and often with more than ordinary dulness. Everybody is tolerably familiar with the date of his birth, the character of his education, his entrance upon his work as a barrister at 21, and his practical withdrawal from his profession at a comparatively early stage in his career, in order to make politics his life business, and statecraft his favourite study and principal weapon, both of aggression and defence. As a lawyer,—a successful and lucrative course was open to him, and no doubt had he kept to his profession, the highest prizes in it would, in all likelihood before this, have been secured. He preferred a different course, and, the result is now what we see—a powerful minister but a poor man,—an astute politician, but no great authority in law, one far better suited for political struggles than for forensic discussions,—nominally, in short, still a lawyer, but practically dependent upon others, both for his law and his learning.

HIS SUPPLENESS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

From the first Sir John has professedly been a keen Conservative, but at the same time he has been supple and accommodating, when the question was "power or no power;" and when the alternative has been presented of either carrying out, what he had opposed and denounced or going into the "cold shades," he has shown a readiness to "alter" which could not have been surpassed by some of the most ambitious and accommodating of the waiters on Providence in the Western States. He has had always the feeling of the Duke of Wellington, that Her Majesty's Government must be carried on in some way or another, and as he has had the full conviction that, it is better all round when he has a hand in the management, he has not been very careful about personal consistency, but has been quite willing if things could not go on in one way to try another even though it were the very opposite of that which he had originally advocated.

A PRACTICAL POLITICIAN.

He has, however, been true to himself as a "practical politician," who had no love for running his head against a stone wall and no admiration for a consistency which would have made him powerless to deal with the actualities of the present, except in a way that would have left him entirely out in the cold. He has thus carried not a few measures which he had opposed and denounced, and his admirers have even tried to have him honoured as the great promoter of what he had bitterly striven against till opposition was worse than folly, and till nothing but a somersault could save himself from defeat and his party from demoralization. Numerous illustrations of this accommodating turn of mind could be given, but everyone will at once think of the secularisation of the Clergy Reserves long ago, and the adoption of the National Policy cry in more recent times, as perhaps the most conspicuous examples of his suppleness and convenient power of noticing and acquiescing in the course of public opinion most likely to be successful, and, therefore, the most suited either for carrying him into power, or for keeping his position when already there. He has played off party against party, and prejudice against prejudice; has ever been ready to flatter if by this means he could gain a point; and has not scrupled sometimes to adopt plans and to follow courses which a high morality could not but condemn, and which a keener sense of personal honour would entirely have repudiated with indignation and scorn. We may not say that

HE HAS "LIED,"

for that is an offensive word, and is surrounded with unpleasant associations. But he has used phrases in a "non-natural" sense, and has systematically shown himself an adept in the use of weapons which were best suited for shooting round a corner. That he has been more lavish in promises than careful about the subsequent performance, his greatest admirers will be the readiest to admit. In the matter of bribery, as understood in its hardest and lowest sense, he has ever been an adept, always, however, stopping, as he himself most earnestly affirms, at that point which enabled him to say without any mental reservation, "Personally these hands are clean." Eloquent in the ordinary sense of the term, he cannot be said to be, though if true eloquence consists in the power of persuading an audience, then Sir John may justly lay claim to the gift, for he can generally feel the pulse of his hearers with unerring certainty, can so accommodate himself to their whims, and keep so fully on a level with their understandings, while good-naturedly tickling them under the fifth rib and putting them in good humour with the speaker and themselves, that even when he does not convince, he disarms opposition and goes a great way toward realizing his aims.

A READER OF MEN.

That he is either morally or intellectually a high type of man, could scarcely be said with truth. His whole career, both publicly and privately has shown the reverse. But he is shrewd in the discernment of character, fertile in resource, plausible and magnetic in personal intercourse, and beneath an exterior of levity which sometimes even verges on buffoonery never loses sight of the end for which he works and the policy which he is bound to carry through. Some people have said that his one policy is never to do to-day what can be delayed till to-morrow, but this is only very partially in accordance with facts. His power of playing with the passions and more selfish springs of action has always been remarkable, and has been assiduously cultivated. His system of "dangling" offices before expectants for a lengthened period has been deliberately adopted and is not a mere waiting for something to turn up. When necessity requires, or when policy suggests he can be swift enough both in creating a place and in bestowing an office. But he finds delay generally more in accordance with his nature and more helpful to his purposes, while we cannot but add that when at last he does decide he manages to make the disappointed almost as well pleased as the successful, and generally keeps them as loyal to himself, and as anxious as ever for the success of his plans and the permanency of his rule. He can refuse a favour with a better grace than many of his rivals can bestow an office, can make a disappointed suitor laugh and send away a place-hunter empty handed with the strong persuasion that "John A. is the prince of good fellows and the greatest of statesmen." Men may call all this the art of "humbugging" if they please. We rather think that that phrase is a favourite one with Sir John himself. It is, however, something more and something better. Not certainly the highest of gifts, but very precious and very powerful in the hands of every one who would lead his fellows as he finds them, and make them rejoice to follow his guidance, and carry out his will at whatever sacrifice.

WHOLLY GIVEN UP TO HIS BUSINESS.

We must not neglect to notice another influential factor in Sir John's success. He has given himself wholly to his work. He has made politics his business to which everything else has had to give place. Some would say that he is lazy, ignorant and superficial. Within his sphere he is really very much the reverse. That sphere is not a specially wide one except in politics in general, and specially in Canadian affairs, but within this, where is the man who is acquainted with a larger number of influential persons, who has studied them more carefully, and who knows them more thoroughly, both in their weaknesses and in their strength? We know of none such among the Conservatives, and now that George Brown has gone, Alexander McKenzie alone even approaches him, on the other side! Sir John's career draws to a close. It has been a distinguished one, but can scarcely be characterized as noble. No one could with truth speak of "John A." as an exalted type of either the man or the politician. Undoubtedly able, fertile in resource and plausible in address, he has yet not presented to the world such a model for the youth to imitate and the old to admire, as wisdom could recommend or virtue could applaud. Still he has done good work, and when the present mists of prejudice shall have been rolled away and his whole career shall be followed and guaged by persons uninfluenced by passion, and unswayed by either personal enmity or by private friendship, it may be found that Canada righteously puts him on the honour-roll of her illustrious, and that while not the Heaven-given and gifted minister, he is at present represented as being, he has been also not quite the moral reprobate, and the intellectual bankrupt his enemies have loved to describe. He leaves us no successor. He will not willingly withdraw from power, but when he does, either through physical infirmity or death, his following will break up, his system will be at an end. New questions will emerge, and new combinations will be formed. It is not pretended that any of his present followers can successfully step into his shoes. Certainly Tupper cannot, as little can Tilley. Galt might try to persuade himself that he could, but would equally fail if he tried. Besides this last we may say almost as much as Sir John, '*vixi*.' The disintegrating process which is at present going on in the Reform party will as surely overtake the Conservative when Sir John gets to his coveted and conspicuous coign of vantage for watching the Canadian Pacific Railway and its management. New needs will cause new combinations, and in due time out of the struggles and overturnings of the house, the new leader or leaders will emerge suited to the character and prepared for the service of the future as the Kingston Knight has been for the past, and is, so far, for the present as well.

ECHOES FROM ABROAD.

The fares on Southern railroads average about six cents a mile. On one road, eighteen miles long, the fare is $2.

It is currently reported that the Duke of Westminster intends selling off his fine stud of racehorses and quitting the turf altogether.

On May 2, 1841, two young artists made their debut at a concert in Paris. The one, aged 22, was Jacques Offenbach; and the other, aged 12, Anton Rubinstein.

It is rumored that Count Wilhelm Bismarck, son of the German Chancellor, is to be married to the Countess Irma Andrassy, daughter of the famous Austrian statesman.

It is very probable that Sir Charles Dilke will succeed Mr. Adam at the Board of Works, of course with a seat in the Cabinet, to which latter distinction Sir Charles' claims are incontestable

The year 1881 will be an eventful one for the imperial families of both Austria and Germany, as its first three months will not have elapsed before the heirs to the thrones of both empires have entered into the bonds of matrimony.

Miss Eva Sothern, the only daughter of the well known actor, has been offered an excellent theatrical engagement, but as the young lady is a ward of the Court of Chancery it will be necessary to make application to the Court before she be permitted to accept the engagement.

The movement for the establishment of the Junior Reform Club in London has received the assent of a large number of the liberal members of the House. It is to be a self-supporting institution, will cost £100,000 or thereabouts, and will not be subsidized by donations from the wealthy members of the party. Its house accommodation will provide for the possibility of 3,000 members.

The action for libel brought by Mr. E. Lawson of the *Daily Telegraph*, against Mr. Labouchere, the proprietor, and Mr. Wyman, the printer, of *Truth*, will be heard early next term, in all probability before the Lord Chief Justice of England. Sir John Holker will be Mr. Lawson's leading counsel; Mr. Charles Russell, Q. C., will appear for Mr. Wyman, and Mr. Labouchere will conduct his own defence.

"Is it absolutely necessary," asks Mr. Edmund Yates, "that a prima donna should occupy in a hotel two rooms herself, have two rooms for her maid, and positively two rooms for—her dresses? Is it so necessary that an angelic singer, known for her sweet temper and her distinguished manners, should very nearly lose her sweet temper, and angelic reputation, and her winning ways? I cannot believe it!"

The meeting between Roberts and the generals at Candahar was rather a melancholy affair. Burrows felt that he had not come well out of the Maiwand business, although his personal gallantry at that ill-starred fight appears to have been deserving of the highest praise. As for General Primrose, he looked very down on his luck, as though he had not heard the last of those alarming telegrams of his, and of his precipitate withdrawal into the citadel.

The wedding of Prince Rudolf and Princess Stephanie being fixed for next February, a committee of Viennese merchants and manufacturers has been constituted for the purpose of receiving contributions toward a magnificent wedding present for the bride. The receipts already amount to 100,000 florins. The principal gift will consist of a magnificent casket, which is to be a masterpiece of Vienna art industry, and is to eclipse anything of the kind hitherto produced.

Sarah Bernhardt on a Bust.

A cable dispatch informed us a few days ago that Sara Benhardt brings with her to this country "a collection of her paintings, and an unfinished bust of M. Coquelin, which she hopes to complete on the voyage." "Such, indeed, was Sarah's intention, but the bust of M. Coquelin will not be finished on the voyage." The second day out the fair sculptor went to work at the bust, and a lurch of the vessel caused her chisel to slip, and away went a portion of old Coquelin's nose; pretty soon, one of his ears was amputated, and then Sara began to grow unsteady on her pins, and her chisel plowed a furrow across his face from the lobe of the left ear to the right eyebrow, and two or three more slips made M. Coquelin look as if he had been in a torchlight political riot. On the third day Sara lost all interest in art, and, believing she would die before morning, asked the captain if he wouldn't turn the vessel around and go back. Her request was refused, but the bust will not be completed on the voyage. This is reliable.

ART AND DRAMATIC ...

A Child of Moliere's—What do Bernhards live on?—French sole.

A son of the Compte de F... just made a wonderfully succ... appearance in Paris as a comic actor ... Francais.

Nilsson receives in Europe a ... stipend for a night's singing than P... the former being paid two hundred ... and the latter two hundred pounds.

Lord Dundreary's daughter, ... Sothern, is preparing for the stage ... blonde, beautiful, high-bred, and ... She makes her debut as Mova in the ... *rove*.

Turner seldom painted in the op... as the clouds, shadows, and hues are ... petually changing that he consid... attempt untrue to nature. He to... from which he elaborated his work ... ously in-doors.

As De Pasqualis was singing Ri... Rome he noticed a commotion in ... quet, and a woman was carried ... fainting condition. He sang on, ... plause encouraged him. When he ... home he found that it was his mot... had fainted. She was dead.

Surely the ways of theatrical ... peculiar. When a lot of tramps ... about the entrance to hear the ... the policemen drive them away, the ... telegraphs all over the country ... play is an immense success, and that ... are turned away from the doors.

Just after the successful first night ... *Pere Prodigue* a critic met Dumas ... ing, "Of course you intend your own ... by it?" "If I had met him," was ... ply, "I should have called the play *Le* ... *Prodigue*." Dumas *fils* has an in... about forty thousand dollars a year.

A young lady artist married a young ... tleman artist. The uncle of the bride ... a call upon them and found them sitting ... opposite corners of their joint studio, ... sulks, the husband saying that his ... waist was out of proportion, and the ... saying that her husband's nose ... small.

When Offenbach was in this count... friends gave him a supper at the Bruns... and requested him in due time to cut ... game pie, when instantly a cloud of ... birds rose in the air. At his funeral ... ly coffin and hearse were covered ... flowers and crowns from all the Eur... theatres; Sardou, Gustave Dore, and ... celebrities attended, and an attach... soldiers did escort duty.

Biographies of Sarah Bernhardt, the ... sational French actress, who is soon to ... pear on the boards of our eastern the... are published. There is one stud... sion in the fulsome sketches, and ... that, although she has never been ma... Sarah Bernhardt is the mother of the ... four children. That one scandalous ... ought to be sufficient to decide her fate ... candidate for popular favour in America.

Who, after this, will say that the ... lishman is entirely cold? It seems ... can sometimes shed a tear, and even ... Edmund Yates says:—"William and ... is at any rate an affecting piece. It ... sight to see the audience crying at St. J... Theatre last Saturday night. At one ... the whole house seemed convulsed ... sobs. One colossal friend of mine, a ... warrior too, after many struggles, gave ... as a bad job and fairly howled. He ... have spoiled his handkerchief, which ... reduced to a wet rag."

The man who comes into the theatre ... often stands long in front of you, slowly ... taking off his coat and patiently wa... the stage at that critical period in ... when you would give very much ... could see the stage yourself. At a ... the man with big feet and creaking boo... most always comes in, stamping and ... ing, while the player is performing the ... est parts. Why is it that the man ... comes in late and disturbs the audience ... rushing to his seat invariably has enor... feet?

Prime Minister Gladstone, in the mid... his Eastern and Irish cares, found time ... companied by his son Herbert, to att... Madame Modjeska's first appearance ... season in "Marie Stuart" at the C... Theatre, Mr. Warner's "Othello" at ... ler's Wells, with Lord Granville, and ... first representation of Wills's modern ... version of Douglas Jerrold's "Black-... Susan," at the pathetic portions of w... London journal says, "in common w... the female and the majority of the male ... of the audience, neither Mr. Gladstone ... his son could refrain from tears.

Actresses' Arts.

A great many tricks of stage co... spring from personal defects. In w... cut of waist Modjeska appears, there ... ways a bunch of flowers or a bow pla... the left of her open corsage. When ... device is not resorted to, a little sn... silk will be trailed across diagonally ... little fan of lace will suddenly spring ... the left corner, in order to hide a scar ... breast that looks as if it might be the ... of a wound from a poniard, a "souvenir ... a romance.

Poor Lucille Western was afflicted ... birth mark. She was a regular ... Esau. About her waist there was a ... growth of silky brown hair, which ran ... a point in front. Where it come above ... tops of her dresses it was carefully sha... but the skin always remained blue ... Lucille wore a huge cross dangling over ... portion of her anatomy.

Parepa Rosa had a deep vaccination scar ... down her robust arm, and when her sl... were very short a knot of ribbon or a ... of flowers used to cover it. Before she ... so extremely stout she wore a golden b... above the elbow to hide it, but when ... armlet had to be as big as a waistcoat ... abandoned this oddity. One night, speak... of this scar to an American girl, who ... her dressing room, the Yankee of... Parepa an immediate and effectual con... ment of the offending spot. She took ... the candles off the toilet table, and, hold... it above the arm, let one drop of the ... wax fall upon the place, and there wa... further need of concealing devices. A ... of flesh-tinted powder completed the ... and Parepa's make-up box forever ... contained a bit of wax candle.

Dr. T. Munson Coan has an intere... article in the November number of *H...* *Magazine* on "Securing a Competence," ... in which he states that "the average ... income in Great Britain, is $165; ... United States, $165; in the Low Coun... $130; in France $125; in the British Co... ies, $90; in Germany, and also in Scandi... via, $85. The annual accumulation of we... in Germany is 200 millions of dollar... Great Britain, 325 millions; in France, ... millions; in the United States, 825 mill... Since 1850 our annual accumulation has ... 825 millions of dollars, and therefore each ... cade adds more to the wealth of the Uni... States than the capital value of Italy ... Spain. Every day that the sun rises ... the American people it sees an ad... $2,300 000 to the wealth of the repu... Notwithstanding this rapid and vast acc... ulation of national capital, there are ... France three times as many people who ... on their incomes as there are in the Uni... States. We make money faster than ... people in the world, and spend it a ... deal faster.

A Turkish Joker.—The best kn... story of the traditional Joe Miller, of T... key, is that of his thrice fooling an assem... of true believers out of a sermon, by th... successive jocular replies. The first time ... ascended the pulpit he said, "O, true ... lievers, do you know what I am going ... say?" They replied, "No;" whereupon ... asked, "Of what use is it to preach to ... ignoramuses?" and came down from the ... pit. The next time, when he asked ... same question, they answered, "Yes ... know;" whereupon, he said, "Then ... useless for me to tell you," and came do... The third time, having taken counsel to... ther, the congregation prepared an an... which they thought would corner ... joker-preacher, and said, "Some of us k... and some of us don't;" whereupon ... promptly replied, "Let those who kn... tell those who don't," and once more ca... down.

London *World*:—"It is pleasant to lea... that the Queen has sufficiently recovered ... from the heavy sorrow which darkened ... life to be able to take pleasure in being pre... sent at a gillies' ball. It is ... Her Majesty's imperative du... to be p... sent at the State balls and co...certs which ... are given every season, and the invitations ... to which are still issued in the Queen's ... name; and next year I hope Her Majesty ... will agree to receive her distinguished guests ... in person at Buckingham Palace."

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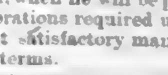

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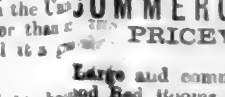

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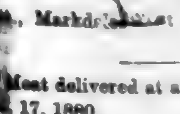

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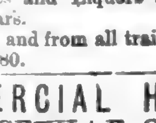

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INTERESTING ITEMS.

DR. WILMS, a celebrated surgeon and scientific light of Germany, died recently from blood-poisoning contracted during a surgical operation.

IN a discussion in the House of Commons shortly before the close of the session it was stated that two of the corbels of the New Law Courts were grotesque representations of the architect and contractor, and it has now come to light that in the recent restoration of Chester Cathedral two political corbels had been introduced. They were elaborately carved, and are excellent and unmistabable caricatures of the late and present Prime Ministers.

A MAN darted into a store at Nicholsville, Ohio, bought the first travelling bag he could get his hands on, and hurried forward toward the railroad station. On the way he caught up several bricks from a pile, and put them into the bag. His object was understood when a passenger discovered that his own satchel, containing $3,000, had been taken from the seat by his side, and the one with bricks put in its place.

THE well-known tea clipper Cutty Sark, of London, has put into Singapore, from London to China and Japan, in charge of the second officer, who reports that when the vessel was lying at Anjer the chief officer struck one of the crew, who shortly afterward died from the effects of the blow. The Captain is said to have assisted the officer to escape on board an American ship, and then to have deliberately jumped overboard and drowned himself.

To play for high stakes at "keerds," when one does not understand the game, is sometimes a perilous manœuvre. When the late Baron Bodisco was Russian Minister at Washington he gave very fine dinners. After dinner, on one occasion, some of the guests sat down to a game of whist, at which the Baron was not an expert, and he lost over a thousand dollars. At the supper table he announced, in sad tones, "Ladies and gentlemens! — It is my disagreeable duty to make the announce that these receptions must have an end, and to declare them at end for the present—because why? The fund for their expend, ladies and gentlemen, is exhaust, and they must discontinue."

FOR the first time in the record of the settlement of a large estate, the expressed wishes of a rich man have been literally followed by his heirs rather than their legal rights as expressed in his will. Mr. Joshua T. Jeanes, who died in January last in Philadelphia, left an estate of about $1,000,000, bequeathing to his two brothers and two sisters $100,000 each, and to his sisters additionally all his real estate in Philadelphia. It was the intention of the testator to make certain bequests to public institutions and a few friends, but this he neglected to do; but the brothers and sisters decided not only to have the wish of the testator carried out, but consented to an equal division of the estate between them after the gifts to institutions and individuals and the expenses incident to the transfer of the property had been deducted. Of the total amount five gifts of $2000 each were paid to individuals, and the following donations were made: Working Home for Blind Women, $5000; Working Home for Blind Men, $5000; Women's Hospital, $20,000; Academy of Natural Sciences, $20,000; Penn Asylum, $5000. The very large sum of $46,444,40 to Register-of-Wills Taylor as a collateral inheritance tax. The balance of $874,214 81 was divided into four equal shares of $218,524 each, for each of the surviving brothers and sisters. This estate of nearly $1,1000,000 was settled up within eight months of the time it was taken into court.

Attitude of the Clergy in Ireland.

Too much praise cannot be given to the Roman Catholic Clergy in unhappy Ireland for the bold stand they (or the majority of them) have taken against the suicidal action of the Land Leaguers. Archbishop McCabe in a recent pastoral strongly condemned the use of violence in obtaining redress of the grievances under which, beyond question, the people are labouring, and quoted the great O'Connell in support of his position. The great agitator—of whom (as was wittily said by Labouchere) Parnell is but a papier mache imitation—lost no opportunity of counselling the use of legal means to obtain what the people of Ireland craved, and he denounced in the most unsparing manner the use of the very means that Parnell is advocating with all his might. There is the truest wisdom in the policy adopted by the R. C. Clergy in this matter, for in a country where the hatred of the creeds runs so high, the most terrible results would inevitably follow if the movement became identified with Roman Catholicism. It would certainly result in a general uprising, both of Protestants and Catholics, and a repetition of the wholesale massacres that have already stained Ireland's history. In strong contrast to this policy on the part of Archbishop McCabe was the imprudence of Archbishop McClosky, of New York, who identified himself, to a certain extent, at least, with the Irish agitators who visited America, and was said thus to have incurred the anger of the supreme Pontiff. It remains to be seen how the prosecutions of the Parnell party will eventuate, but there is every indication on the part of the government of adopting the most vigorous repressive measures, and, when they are driven to that course, there can be but one issue—the quenching in the blood of poor misguided peasants of the flame that Parnell has so rashly kindled.

THE New York correspondent of the Rochester *Democrat*, who was formerly, we believe, a clergman, and who is thoroughly posted on personal matters relating to the clergy, gives in a recent letter the ages of several ministers who are prominent in New York and Brooklyn. "ELBERT S. PARKER, of the Reformed Church is sixty; Dr. ORMISTON is fifty-nine; Dr. CHAMBERS, sixty-one, Dr. ARMITAGE is sixty-one. He is a native of England, and was at an early age very useful in the Church. He made attempts at preaching when only sixteen, and some of these efforts were highly successful. THEODORE L. CUYLER fifty-eight. HOWARD CROSBY is fifty-four. JOHN HALL is in his fiftieth year. SAMUEL D. BURCHARD is still a working preacher, though now sixty-eight. HOUGHTON, of the 'little church round the corner,' is in his sixty-first year. MORGAN, of St. Thomas's, is sixty-two. BELLOWS, the veteran of Unitarianism, is sixty-six, while ROBERT COLLYER is fifty-eight. TAYLOR of the Broadway Tabernacle, and ROBINSON, of the Memorial Church, each is in his fifty-first year. RYLANCE, of St. Mark's, is fifty-four. TALMAGE is forty-eight, and VAN DYKE, who was his most severe opponent, is ten years older. BEECHER has just entered his sixty-eighth year, and has a greater degree of vitality than any American preacher of that age."

That the Sultan has most effectually outmanœuvred the Powers. The "sick man" has played a deep game, and by skilfully manipulating the representatives of the various counties, and, working on their mutual jealousies, has fairly bluffed them.

THE marriage of the Marquis of Lorne's brother, Lord Colin Camqbell, with Miss Blood has been definitely arranged. The bride is a beautiful Irish girl, and belongs to a distinguished family.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

Hair.

A lock of her black and glossy hair
 She gave me with earnest art,
The pretty coquette who long may share
 The larger half of my heart.

I sometimes think I will make a cord
 Of that cherished raven tress
To hang me; but I'll wait till my hoard
 Of hair increases, I guess.

And weave an emblem of vagrant love,
 A various-coloured braid,
Suggesting sweet reflections of
 The hair-breadth 'scapes I have made!

Before the Church.

Before the lofty church I stand;
 The organ's melancholy strain,
The moonlight, and the chanting tones
 Weave strange thoughts in my doubting brain.

Why do I linger near the door?
 Will holy tunes my spirit win?
Ah, no, small reverence is mine;
 I wait because my love's within.

The NOBBIE, In the McFAR

Fashion Notes.

GOLD soutache is revived.

FANCY furs are in demand.

SCOTCH fashions are revived.

BONNET strings are a yard long.

STRIPED cheviots are very popular.

SEALSKIN remains the fashionable fur.

LIGHT cloths and serges are much worn.

PILGRIM suits appear among late importations.

MOUSQUETAIRE gloves grow in fashionable favour.

BEADED stockinet for Jerseys is a late importation.

SPECKLED woollen stuffs are among novelty dress goods.

BLUE-BLACK and drab-green Scotch plaids are again in vogue.

AFTER all, the Fanchon remains the favourite evening bonnet.

BABY elephant jewellery is taking the place of little pig ornaments.

VIOLET satin merveilleuse plays an important part in dress effects.

SEAL cloaks and seal dolmans will be worn as well as seal sacques.

SOME of the polonaises for young girls are buttoned down the back.

COMBINATIONS of plush and satin are as popular for bonnets as for costumes.

SEAL ulsters à la Sarah Bernhardt are made to the order of a few fashionable women.

BONNET strings are fringed, beaded, tasselled, or shirred and lace-trimmed at the ends.

QUANTITIES of bead and gold-thread embroidered laces appear among the late importations.

JERSEY suits do not take readily, but they are brought out from week to week on new forms.

THE entire long tablier of dresses are frequently formed of bead-embroidered velvet cut work.

WHITE materials of every description, including white plush, will be used for entire costumes.

PRINCE OF WALES red and monks brown are the newest shades of these very fashionable colours.

MANY dressy hats for young girls are trimmed only with a cord and tassels and a fluffy silk pompon.

THE latest caprice is to have one's bedroom upholstery to match one's dresses, and china to match the bedroom.

MUFFS match the bonnet, and are trimmed with ecru lace, wide ribbon bows, and ornaments of gold, silver, steel, and jet.

THE Macfarlane cloak has a full pleated back, a large round cape, a hood lined with plaid Surah, and a collar of brown plush.

WOOL and silk mixed goods in silk squares and streaks of an undefinable gas-like hue on a soft wool sober colour are much worn.

MATRONS wear their yard-long, soft, wide bonnet strings tied under the chin; young ladies wear them in a long looped bow low on the back hair.

LIGHT-COLOURED, rough-surfaced cloths are preferred for jackets, but warmth of effect is given by having the collars, cuffs, and pockets of fur or seal-brown plush.

SEA lion and dahlia shades of purple and maroon tinged with crimson appear in the latest importations of satins de Lyons, damasses, and silk and wool mixtures.

SOME of Worth's handsomest costumes are trimmed with two bands of fur around the skirt, with only a narrow pleated balayeuse flounces below the bottom band of fur.

DRESSY aprons of satin and moire antique, trimmed with one pocket of lace or fringed passementerie and a trimming to match at the bottom, will be worn with dressy home toilets.

SHARP contrasts are avoided in the different materials used in composing a handsome costume, but the shaded effects are produced by the difference in sheen of velvet or plush and satin or silk.

Waifs.

THE young woman who witnessed her young man carried away by a balloon saw her beau of promise in the sky.

TOTTLE: "I wonder why dolls are nearly always girls, Tom?" Tom: "Why, because boys hate being made babies of!"

SOMEBODY notes that love is more interesting than marriage, for the same reason that romance is more enticing than history.

A YOUNG lady is gaining great reputation as a violinist. Still she is not the only fair one who has mastered the art of handling a beau.

"SHE never told her love"—because her young man, anticipating something of the kind, hasn't called to see her since leap year opened.

THE small boy said to the little girl: "Do you wish to be my little wife?" The little girl, after reflecting: "Yes." The small boy: "Then take off my boots."

THE ladies wear their hats very large this year and their bonnets very small. As usual, they wear their bonnets on the street and their hats at the theatre.

STRIPED stockings are no longer fashionable, and hereafter the back-yards of our first families on wash days will not resemble a collection of the flags of all nations.

She may dress in silk, or may dress in satin,
May know the languages, Greek and Latin,
May know fine art, may love and sigh—
But she ain't no good if she can't make pie.

WHENEVER a single woman begins to talk of the past, and says certain events occurred so far back that she does not remember them, you may say she has arrived at the age known as old maidenhood.

A HAPPY COUPLE.—"How it it that Wilkins and his wife live so happily together? Why they've been married two-and-twenty years and have never had a row!" "Oh, that's a very simple matter! She is out the whole day washing, and he is a night-watchman, and out all night!"

THE outfit for the baby of the Marchioness di Caraglio, formerly Miss Helen Gillender, is on exhibition in New York. Some of the cradle sheets are entirely made of Valenciennes and embroidery, and so are the christening robes; one of the cloaks is half covered with embroidery of pearls. The cost of the whole layette is five thousand eight hundred dollars.

A YOUNG woman, rather prepossessing in appearance, but possessed of a considerable growth of beard, is once a week a visitor to a barber shop at Clinton, Ga. She takes her seat in a chair, just like a man, and quietly submits her face to the lather brush and razor. Showmen have tried to induce her to travel as a bearded woman, but she scornfully rejects their offers.

A HEARTLESS FRAUD.—A merchant of Berne has been sentenced to imprisonment for three years and a half for a very heartless fraud, perpetrated on a young lady to whom he was engaged to be married. He took her to London to marry her, and whilst there he possessed himself of her fortune of 15,000 francs, and all the jewellery she had, and left her at a hotel without a penny. The jury found him guilty, without any extenuating circumstances.

"IMPORTANT, if true," and especially pleasant to the parties interested, was an incident that occurred at the marriage of Mr. William Converse Skinner and Miss Florence C. Roberts, at Hartford, recently. The father of the bride is a manufacturer of large wealth, and the groom was lately made a partner in the firm. The incident to which we refer was a wedding present from Mr. Roberts to the young couple of a check for $100,000. At least that was the telegraphic announcement, and the wires are usually accurate.

THE LAST WHALE DID FOR ANN JONES.—"I must tell you," said a skipper, as he took a fresh cigar, "about Stiles, a shipmate of mine on one of my early voyages. Stiles was a simple-hearted, transparent young fellow, and when we sailed had been 'payin'' attention to a young lady, who, he had reason to think, did not fully reciprocate his ardent feelings. At all events, the parting on her side was not so affectionate as he could wish, and he was impressed with the belief that she only kept him as a stand-by in default of a better offer. 'I don't believe,' Stiles would say, with a despondent shake of his head—'I don't believe Ann Jones 'll have me anyhow.' When we had been out a few months, and had met with fair success, Stiles' tone was modified. The burden of his monologue changed to 'Well, I don'no but what Ann Jones 'll have me after all.' With a thousand barrels under hatches he became still more hopeful. 'Chance is pretty good for Ann Jones,' he would say, 'Pretty good now.' At fifteen hundred barrels he had assumed a self-satisfied manner, and thus he soliloquised—'I guess there's no danger but what Ann Jones 'll have me now.' At two thousand barrels—'Ann Jones 'll be glad enough to get me now, I know.' When we cut the last whale that was to fill the Rose, and squared away for home, Stiles threw his hat in the air with a yell of triumph—'I'll be blowed if I'll have Ann Jones anyhow!' And he didn't."

A Wedding Garment.

A very magnificent trousseau is making in Paris for the daughter of a wealthy Turkish gentleman. One dress which the bride will wear at a levee following her wedding is of the most delicate shade of heliotrope. It is made with an extremely long court train, cut square, and decorated with a superb pattern in heavily brocaded velvet of a royal purple shade, cut out and appliqued down so as to show the satin underneath, and bordered with point lace an inch and a half deep. The front of the skirt is formed of a plastron or tablier of point lace in one piece, which, over the satin underdress, displays the most exquisite patterns of orange-blossoms, roses, lilies, ferns, and trailing vines. The bodice is cut Louis XIV. style, and is trimmed over the hips, around the neck, and on the sleeves with an applique bordering of the brocaded velvet, edged with point lace. A magnificent lace veil matching the tablier in pattern is added, and is of unusual length, reaching from the crown of the head to the foot of the immense train. To be worn with this royal costume is a superb parure of diamonds and pearls—a gift from the father of the groom.

The Darling Baby.

The Marquis Robert de San Marzano, who married an American, Miss Helen Gillender, has ordered in this country some things for their baby. A willow cradle has a canopy decorated with draperies, medallions, points of Valenciennes lace, and blue satin ribbon. There are sheets with tucked borders and bands of French embroidery, and others of lawn, with lace enough on them to make hat cost $500 for four. An eider-down quilt and some exquisitely fine blankets are included in the outfit. There are three dozen dresses in the wardrobe, many of them of lawn, mull, and fine laces. "Young mothers," says a correspondent of the Philadelphia *Times*, "can easily imagine the dainty beauty of the tiny silken socks, the exquisitely embroidered lawn skirts garnitured with the finest of fine laces, the richness of the flannel skirts with embroidery, and the handsome tucked, trimmed, and lace-finished petticoats, but it is difficult to conceive of anything so lovely as the robes of real laces arranged in diamonds, medallions, squares, and all manner of conceits, with applique of embroidery in roses and other flowers, each figure in the Valenciennes lace being punched or upraised until it looks like a round point."

Fixing Her Hair.

When a girl concludes to put up her hair and make herself look sweet, the best policy is to let her have her own way. She can't be drawn away from her mirror by any of the ordinary things of this life. A fire will sometimes do it, but it has been shown that even a fire may fail to excite some girls. The other night a New York lodging-house took fire, and at a most uncomfortable hour, when most girls probably have their back hair down. One of the young ladies heard that the place was burning down, but she didn't feel like making her appearance before the crowd that had gathered in the street looking like a perfect fright. She shut the door leading into the hall to keep out the flames and went to her mirror to fix her hair. Anybody who has waited for a girl to fix her hair knows that it takes time and a great deal of it. This girl wasn't any quicker than the average, and she was very particular about having her hair done up exactly as it should be. The fire had cut off her chances of escape by the stairs, and her lover, after appealing to her for some time, finally lost his patience and got away without her. A fireman got up to the room on a ladder and he made him sit on the edge of the window and wait until she had arranged her hairpins and ribbons for a right sort of public appearance, then she threw herself into his arms—it was so romantic—and slid down the ladder with him, looking just sweet. The whole thing was a tremendous success, but when the careful young girl was safely landed on the pavement she found that she had forgotten her stockings.

Carolina's Sweet Sixteen.

A curious petition was that addressed in 1733 to the governor of South Carolina by sixteen maidens of Charleston. It ran thus: "The humble petition of all the maids whose names are underwritten. Whereas, we, the humble petitioners, are at present in a very melancholy disposition of mind, considering how all the bachelors are blindly captivated by widows, and our own youthful charms thereby neglected; in consequence of this, our request is that your excellency will, for the future, order that no widows presume to marry any young man till the maids are provided for; or else to pay each of them a fine for satisfaction for invading our liberties, and likewise a fine to be levied on all such bachelors as shall be married to widows. The great disadvantage it is to us maids is that the widows, by their forward carriage, do snap up the young men, and have the vanity to think their merit beyond ours, which is a great imposition on us, who ought to have the preference. This is humbly recommended to your excellency's consideration, and hope you will permit no further insults. And we poor maids, in duty bound, will ever pray." The forlorn sixteen would have approved the edict of the Portuguese king, which forbade widows more than fifty years old from remarrying, on the ground that experience taught that widows of that age commonly wedded young men of no property, who dissipated the fortunes such marriages brought them, to the prejudice of children and other relatives.

How She Won.

But here comes one of my favourites, writes the Boston correspondent of the San Francisco *Bulletin*. Isn't she fine looking? No? Well, listen while I tell you her story, and learn why I like her looks. Some years ago, a man who had more money than good reputation, advertised that he would give $5,000 to any respectable white woman who would walk unveiled from the Adams house entrance down Washington street with him, at an hour when all the fashionables were promenading. For weeks that offer remained untaken, for his reputation was such that no respectable woman would be seen with him, and the advertisement had said "that none others need apply." Finally, this woman who has just passed us agreed to his terms, and to join him at the appointed place and time. When the hour came, Mr. —— was on hand. Soon a carriage drove up with the lady. It had been noised abroad that the offer had been taken up, and quite a crowd had gathered to see him pay his $5,000. He helped her alight, offered her his arm, walked a few steps with her, when she removed her veil at his request and revealed to his gaze a face as black as night. "You have deceived me," he said, "this is not fair." "I am not a negro," she replied, and to prove it she pulled off her gloves and showed a pair of hands as white as yours are this minute. The man turned toward his carriage, paid her the $5,000, and she drove off, leaving him to the laughter and hoots of the amused crowd of by-standers. It turned out afterward that she was very poor, and that she had a magnificent voice that she could not cultivate for want of money, and this is the way she overcame that obstacle. She went to Europe and studied five years and returned one of our most brilliant singers. You can tell from her proud bearing and refined appearance that she is just the sort of a woman who would do such a thing with a dignity, and come out none the worse for it either.

The Blondes Must Go.

The blondes must go, says an exchange, because we are weary of them; because they have been weighed in the balance and found to be anything but fine, true gold; because it is high time the brunettes were coming to the front, and, finally, because fashion wills it. And so the blonde must go. She is no longer to gild the stage and the parlor; and the sudden flood of brightness that used to be so rare that when, once in an age, a woman was born with it, painters painted her, troubadours celebrated her, and locks of her hair were handed down like a treasure—that brightness is going into eclipse; and where bleaching baths and alkaline water and annota and orpiments and bichlorides of tin and and gold powders have reigned, litharge and nitrate of silver and Aleppo galls and iron and bismuth are seizing the sceptre. No more will the lithe ladies of the spectacular and the burlesque display the new golden fleece as they dance down the boards and shake at us the wealth of their

 Fine locks,
Stained like pale honey oozed from topmost rocks,
Sun-blanched the live-long summer.

No more will ever damsel who patrols the avenues out-Saxon the Saxon in her braids and curls. No more will the little love locks flutter gold-threaded round the temples, but dark and heavy braids and waves must supersede them. No more will the delicate faded colors be seen among us, pale as the early sunrise tints; but deep, rich bodies of colors, of crimson and orange, and emerald, and lapis blue, the only wear of your brunettes, will efface their airy softness.

And do they really suppose—the people who utter the pronunciamento—that the blonde is going to cease at their dictum? The blonde who went—a nondescript, or with black hair, and sat patiently as the camel's hair brush passed over each hair till the black hair became brown, and the brown red, and the red gold, and the gold flaxen—that the silly blonde may go, and all her glory with her. But the blonde of art and literature, and history, the blonde of beauty—could all the Eugenies and Metterniches that ever ruled the court, could all the Cora Pearls that ever ruled the demi monde—banish that blonde when nature had given her the right to be? Did Titian paint his woman with that hair to have some modiste announce the day of his destiny over, and the blonde a good-for-naught? And have all the poets that ever handled pen launched out in praise of the hair that Titian painted to have their script become a dead letter? Shall Maud, and Enid, and Elaine, and Guinevere depart into the world of shadows with Gurdrum, with the Lorelei, with Porphyria, with David when he went harp in hand before Saul,

 God's child, with the dew
 On His gracious gold hair?

Rottenness in Republicanism.

We do not mean Republicanism as it is understood on the other side during an election—as contradistinct from Democracy—but the general principle on which the Government of the United States is moulded. This principle is admitted on all hands to be theoretically perfect, but that is a very different matter from being, practically, an efficient and satisfactory form of Government. This has been more than once sufficiently proved in the history of the greatest Republicin the world, and at no time more markedly, than at the time of the Presidential elections. It is an admitted fact, that when there are great movements taking place among great nations,—just as in large bodies of water,—much of the scum must of necessity come to the surface, but it must be a very dirty pond indeed, where so much that is offensive and corrupt is brought up by agitation as has been, time and again, in the history of American Presidential contests. The normal mode of procedure seems to be something like the following: When the candidates come forward, and even sometimes, when their candidature is a mere matter of conjecture, the opposite party immediately begins to throw all kinds of moral mud at them, and, to his astonishment, a candidate for the highest office in the State is declared to be a liar, a thief, a blasphemer, an infidel, and a man morally unfit to hold even the menial position of the prodigal son in the far country.

As soon as they have exhausted all the supply of objectionable epithets at their command, in the hope that some at least of the mud will stick; they have a little leisure left to deify and praise their own candidate. The most highfalutin terms of praise are plentifully showered upon him, until he is, perhaps, more astonished at the number of good qualities discovered in him by his admirers, than his opponent was at the amount of vileness the same men discovered in *him*. All this programme is carried out in the press, on the stump and on the electional platform, until it finally lulls for a little while the votes are being counted and the returns made. When the result is known, there are shouts of gratulation heard on every side, mingled of course, with howls of indignant disappointment; and, finally, the latter merge into shouts of "corruption" "bribery," "cheating," impersonation," "falsifying of returns" &c. &c. The recent election is a typical one in this respect,—as the last one was—in the matter of chicane at least—and the outcry is that Garfield has been elected by a system of bare-faced fraud. The scene from an outsider's point of view is, far from an edifying one, and the more one regards it, the more thankful one feels, that he does not live beneath the shadow of the Stars and Stripes.

The Bernhardt is making quite as great a *furore* in Gotham as she did in London, but her besmirched moral reputation does not seem to be so much a fault as a merit in her. This says either a great deal for the *charity* of the world, or very little for its ideas of morality. Genius, which she undeniably has, should not surely be considered a sufficient cloak to cover, still less to sanctify, vice.

At the Mercy of the Waves.

MEN LEFT IN MID-OCEAN CLINGING TO A SINKING SHIP'S MASTS—THE FRUITLESS ATTEMPTS OF THE CALIFORNIA'S MEN TO RESCUE THEM—DISAPPEARING IN THE NIGHT—A POSSIBILITY THAT THEY HAVE BEEN SAVED.

The three hundred sixty-five cabin and steerage passengers which arrived in New York yesterday on the Anchor line steamship California saw a thrilling spectacle in mid-ocean. When four days out from London a bark was seen in an apparently sinking condition. The sea was boisterous, and the crew, clinging to her shrouds, waved their hands in appeal for help.

Capt. Donaldson of the California brought his ship up into the wind.

"Hardie," he said, calling to the first officer, "lower the big cutter and try and get to her."

Hardie, a veteran mariner, lost no time in clearing away his boat, which, manned by a hardy crew, was soon in the huge seas that had been generated by a fierce northeaster.

Officer Hardie says that, with great exertion, he succeeded in getting to leeward of the bark, which was tossing about helplessly in the trough of the sea. After many attempts his crew got the end of the line which had been made fast to a broken spar and thrown overboard by the bark's crew. His boat was pitched up and down on the seas as though it had been in the surf, and before he could approach nearer the line parted. Many of the crew in the rigging seemed to have their dunnage strapped in the rigging, and they did not respond to his appeals to them to jump overboard. By their signalling he learned that the bark was the Macedonia, from Pensacola, Fla., for Berwick, England. She had ten feet of water in her hold, and was leaking badly. The day was waning, and a thick haze was setting in. So much difficulty had Hardie and his crew experienced in reaching the sinking bark, and such a tax upon the strength of his crew had it proved to keep their boat head to the sea, that he finally decided it would be fatal to all hands to remain longer away from the steamship, which was fast becoming indistinct. Before returning, however, he made a final effort to get the men in the shrouds to jump overboard. This they seemed loth to do. Their ship was lunging about in the seaway, the waves making a clear breach over her. It would have been fatal, he says, to have approached her. Had he touched her rearing sides his boat would have been crushed. This was the reason, he says, that he was finally compelled to sheer off and make for the steamship. His men were so exhausted when they reached their ship that they had to be lifted aboard by a fall and tackle.

Capt. Donaldson decided to stay as close as possible to the sinking ship and make another attempt at rescue in the morning. When darkness set in a white signal light was seen on the bark, and a red light was shown aboard the steamship in response. The gale continued all night, and in the morning the sinking bark was not in sight. After describing a great circle with lookouts in the tops, without seeing anything of the bark, the California proceeded on her way hither.

The officers of the California are of the opinion that the bark was settling very slowly into the sea. They say she was, when last seen, directly in the track of passing vessels, and they think the crew may have been rescued. The bark was last seen in latitude 48° 47′ north, longitude 21° 57′ west.

The bark Macedonia was commanded by Capt. Parker. She was built at Bath, Me., in 1845. She was 125 feet in length, 27 feet beam, 19 feet depth of hold, and of 476 tons register; Her owner is M. Thompson, of Newcastle, England.

Fiendish Fury.

HORRIBLE BUTCHERY OF A VIRGINIA WOMAN BY HER BROTHER-IN-LAW—THE WRETCH'S ATTEMPT TO TAKE HIS OWN LIFE ABLY SECONDED BY HIS WIFE.

At Richmond, Va., intelligence has been received here of one of the most desperate and bloody crimes known in the history of murders, and one which shows how strongly hatred animates a human being even in the hour of death. The tragedy took place yesterday, near the village of Green Springs, in London county. It seems that Merrill Nott yesterday morning early had a quarrel with his wife's sister, who lived in the house with him. Thoroughly infuriated, he went out and got a large knife used for cutting corn, and, coming back, assaulted her with the murderous weapon. He pursued the unfortunate woman into the yard and stabbed and hacked her until he thought she was dead. After this he went into the house, and, taking his gun, discharged it into the air. He then reloaded the weapon, and, proceeding to within a few feet of where his victim lay weltering in blood, placed the muzzle of the gun under his own chin and fired, the load passing through his mouth, tearing of the tongue and lodging in the upper part of the jaw. He fell in his own gore, and while struggling on the ground gasping for breath he noticed signs of returnturning life in his dying sister-in-law. Summoning the full strength of every muscle and concentrating the whole of his vital forces in one almost superhuman effort, and even then struggling in the throes of dissolution, he crawled about on the ground until he reached a large stone, which he caught in his clammy hands, and then, wriggling his distorted body over the ground with almost worm-like motion, he dragged it to the side of the dying woman, and, lifting himself, he raised the stone as high as he could and let it fall on the woman's face. It crushed in the skull and nose of the woman, but she still struggled. The dying scoundrel, with a determination which did not leave him in his last moments, reached out again for the rock, with the design of dealing another blow. At this stage of the tragedy his wife appeared in the yard, and, seeing him reaching for the stone, seized another, and, standing over his body, dealt him a death blow, but too late to save her sister, who died in a few minutes after her murderer. It is not known what caused the quarrel between Nott and his sister-in-law, but it is understood that he and his wife had also been quarreling, and that his sister-in-law simply took his wife's part.

PERSONAL.

MR. WILLIAM B. ASTOR lately paid one hundred and ninety thousand dollars for the beautiful Parish estate in Newport.

MRS. ABRAHAM LINCOLN, who has just returned to this country, is in poor health. She intends to spend the rest of her days with her son Robert.

WHILE Mr. Vanderbilt was in Amsterdam recently he purchased, one afternoon, thirteen thousand dollars' worth of blue ware for his new residence in New York.

ROBERT BROWNING and his sister have spent the summer in foot rambles among the mountains of France, near Grenoble, and have been much improved in health thereby.

DR. GRAHAM, of Louisville, in his 97th year, has gone on his regular annual hunt in the mountains. He says that every autumn since 1830 he has eaten venison of his own killing and cooking.

MR. WENDELL PHILLIPS has been all his life a very devoted husband to his wife, who is nervous invalid, and whose health is so precarious that he is often forced on account of it to cancel his engagements to lecture.

M. JULES JACQUEMART, the famous French antiquarian, whose books on ancient furnitures, tapestries, and porcelains are so valuable, had among his various collections one of boots and shoes, beginning at early Greek and Roman times, and numbering between three and four hundred pieces.

WHEN Hans Christian Andersen, one of whose dearest hopes in going to Sweden had been to meet Fredrika Bremer, was presented to her on the deck of a steamer, she had never heard of him, and was quite stiff. He produced one of his books, however, as she left him; and after an hour or so she hurried back. "I know you *now*," said she; and thus began a lifelong friendship.

THE story of the British frigate *Hussar* may be familiar to many of our readers. On November 25, 1780, while on her way to Norwich, Connecticut, the *Hussar* struck on Pot Rock, in Hell Gate. She had on board seventy American prisoners, chained to the gun-deck, and, it was believed, about £960,000 sterling, which was to be used in subjugating the Americans. In spite of the efforts of the commander to save the vessel, she went down in ninety feet of water, carrying with her all the manacled prisoners. The officers and crew escaped. Many divers have worked upon the wreck, and in June of this year operations have begun anew in the hope that some of the lost treasure might be recovered. Whether anything has been found is not yet known, for the workmen are bound to secrecy, but it is expected that the search will continue until ice in the river prevents.

THE STANDA[illegible]D.

Friday, Nov. 26th, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

TO ADVERTISERS.

WE have decided to print a supplement in connection with the STANDARD a week before the Holidays, as there is an extra amount of advertising done at that season of the year, and we do not want to decrease the reading matter, we will give those who wish extra space, liberal terms, by means of a half sheet supplement, parties wishing to take advantage of the arrangement will please let us know in good time.

ALTHOUGH the Reeve of Artemesia informed us some three or four weeks ago that he had no intention of "fighting an Editor in his own paper," it will be seen that he still keeps pegging away at us. We thought at the time, well knowing the Reeve was suffering from a disease known by the name of *cacoethis scribendi*; that he was only too happy of getting the opportunity to show his admirers how easily he could vanquish an Editor, even in "his own paper." and the result as proved that we were no false prophet.

We entered into this discussion in a friendly spirit; we have given the Reeve every opportunity to air his views, and have taken as much pains with his communications as we have done with our own articles, and all the thanks we have received is abuse, base insinuations as to our motives for advocating the granting a bonus, and told we have not sufficient brains to write our own editorials, but have to employ an Editor especially to write down the invincible Reeve of Artemesia. If he were a gentleman, he would have taken our word when we assured him we wrote our own articles and have let the matter drop, and confined himself to the subsect in discussion, but that is not the Reeve's style. The truth of the matter is, he has no arguments to offer, but falls back on his usual stock in trade—attributing dishonest and interested motives to any and all who are unable to see through the same pair of spectacles that he does, and holding Dr. Christoe up to view as the only intelligent and upright man in the Township.

The Reeve accuses us of glaring mistatements in regard Messrs. Howland & Co.'s letter, and here again comes in the old plea—interested motives. We presume the Messrs. H. know their own business better than the Reeve of Artemesia, and their reputation, as business men, stands too high to permit them to endanger it by stooping to such contemptible tricks as the doctor insinuates.

He states that only about 100 of the names attached to the petition were entitled to be there. No one knows better than the Reeve that this is a downright falsification of the records. We say emphatically, with the exception of about a dozen, they are all property owners and fully entitled to vote. We ask, what can be said of a man who, for the sake of making a point, will made such a statement, knowing it to be untrue? The fact of the matter is, the Reeve is moved by a bitter hatred towards Markdale and the Railroad Company, and every line that he has written since this discussion commenced shows this plainly, and it is evident he will leave no stone unturned to thwart them by every means in his power, even if he has to sacrifice the best intests of the Township. With an opponent of this kind there is neither honor or profit in discussing any subject, and we must decline carrying it on any further.

The Reeve tries to be exceedingly funny towards the latter part of his letter. We wonder the mighty effort did not unhing his brain. We would kindly recommed the Doctor to keep his paregoric, as we think he will need all he has. That *coon hunt* seems to have affected his stomach, and he appears to be suffering from *windy* colic, and we have been told that paregoric is good for such troubles.

The Reeve asks, "how many avail the opportunity of through freight?" Few, we admit. But why is it so? Simply because they have to break bulk at Toronto. When we take into consideration the cost of transhiping, loss of time, and loss in weight caused by again handling the grain, is it not a wonder we have *any*, or that our heaviest buyers fight shy of the Narrow Gauge and go where they can by to better advantage. Should the road be widened to the standard gauge through freight men will come among us, there will be greater competition, and higher prices will naturally prevail.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

A FARMER'S OPINION.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—As a farmer and an old resident of this Township, I have tried to mind my own business, while at the same time taking a deep interest in the Townships's welfare. Knowing from bitter experience the disadvantages, slavery, wear and tear, we labored under in taking our produce long distances to market previous to the building of the railroad, I was not only pleased but delighted when it was first introduced. Let it be remembered that at that time there was no standard gauge, there was a broad gauge, but that proved too broad.—The citizens of Toronto, with their money and influence, introduced the narrow guage through this part of the country. Well, sir, the Company were very accommodating; the road has answered a good purpose, and we have been well repaid for the assistance we have rendered it. From my own experience, and the experience of others, we now realize two dollars where formerly, before the road was built, we only realized one dollar.—Now the farmers of Artemesia can find a very good market and dispose of their lambs, sheep, cattle, butter, and other products of the farm at good prices, in cash, along the line of railroad, viz: at Markdale, Flesherton and Dundalk, and then return to the improvement of their farms, hence, one man can now do more work with his team, and proper tools to work with, than two men with their teams could accomplish in the days when we were without a railroad. I have heard from the mouths of Township officials that the road has brought no increased prosperity to Artemesia. Well, sir, as a farmer, I would ask where all the luxuries, style, fine waggons, buggies, brick houses, and other large buildings and improvements came from. I am willing to give half of the credit to the peoples industry; but the other half must undoubtedly be attributed to the advantages arrising from the railroad. Fearing I am trespassing too much on your space, I will conclude, but may again refer to the subject at a future time.

I remain yours.

A. FARMER.

Artemesia, Nov. 22, 1880.

T. G. & B. R. R.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I notice that I fail to convince you, notwithstanding, so logical a deduction—you say "I stick to it that you advised the petitioners to remember the council for evil." Most certainly I do. I did not think it necessary to anylise every point, but like your sentene. "The 150 influential ratepayers who signed the petition will certainly soon not forget the insult." This was penned angrily and in common parlance, means, retaliation, opportunity to revenge the insult. Now, "not soon to forget" is to *remember*, but not for *good* you see; hence thee logical conclusion was to "remember for evil." But I am not surprised that you fail to be convinced—your *heart* was better than your *head*. In my remarks I was not trying to convince your—the ratepayers *are* convinced. You say, I am "barking up the wrong tree." Well perhaps! But I have not lived in Canada forty years, without knowing when a *coon* is treed. You say, our *patronage* amounts only to *eight dollars*—pray how long have you been born? Surely before a comment of that description, you could have afforded to wait until the printing season came around. The council's maxim has been to support home industry, but you sir, can scarcely expect it at our hands, if at every turn of the crank, you use your columns to, unfairly criticise our actions. You say Artemesia and Holland are "not parallell cases." Perhaps not. We could have obtained a petition of 400, including nearly half of the celebrated 150 if deemed necessary, to support us in our action. But we rested on the word of the Solicitor, that our by-law was not to be submitted until the scheme were tested elsewhere. I know of no petition in circulation—it seems there was notwithstanding. You say, that a "corporals guard could not be found in Glenelg to oppose a bonus." This is most glaring mis-statement—in the face of the necessity to divide the Township to carry a bonus at all. You publish, a letter purporting to have been written by Howland & Co., and made calculations thereon; most flattering to somebody if true. A thoughtful person. will ask why does it appear just now? And for what intent? Is it not a ruse? A fiction? Now sir, the last campaign is not so distant but people will remember, that *two cents* per bushel was the outside of difference claimed. Those who had to tranship—our own merchants should be the best authority on such a question. It was stated, that this company had no accommodation in Toronto. But by a notice in the *Mail* a few weeks since the Co. have made arrangements, second to none in Toronto. So that it stands on a par, with other roads and therefore *four cents* on the bushel, is simply not so. This was a business letter be it remembered, and carries the principal of the good book. *It is naught! It is naught! Says the buyer.* Supposing it to be true. Two things remain to be answered. How many avail the opportunity of through freight? And who would pocket the profits? This letter bears its own reputation. Those gentleman named are honerable *men*, but circumstances alter cases in election times. Once more, those petitions of 150 names analysed are nearly as may be, like the following—after making necessary deductions, there remain about 100 names—70 of which are residents of Markdale Ward—only 3 in Eugenia Ward! And the balance are distributed among the other two These facts speak for them selves—the people are strongly opposed to a bonus—and it is no use to get angry about it—and equally useless for the company to waste their money in testing. Until other prints are raised I have now done. And now sir, if *sorrow*, has got hold of you, over my waywardness on this question; and the fountain of tears are broken up—I would be oblivous to my usual sympathetic nature, if I did not try to mellify the stricken—therefore friend Editor—don't despair—there's lots of *Paregoric* in Flesherton. Finally I call your attention to errors in my article of last week, for instance you ma le me say that the ex-deputy "did object"—I intended to say "he did not object" *unit*. I suppose errors in orthography, must pass, to correspondents of my color—of course an occasional error is always admissible.

Yours,

DR. CHRISTOE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—I may as well confess at once that, so far as personal abuse is concerned I cannot hold a candle to Dr. Christoe. Instead of pricking at me, why did'nt he prick at the reasons advanced. My first article contained no personal attack beyond what the legitimate discussion of the question warranted. Let your readers place my letter and his P. S. side by side, and I have no fear of the verdict. In his last weeks letter the Doctor tells us a beautiful little fable, but then, on his own showing, it is only a fable. That the Doctor is an authority on fables, is undoubted. His own letters prove it. The unfounded insinuations therein contained manifest very clearly the low conception he entertains of other mens action, and one can hardly help thinking, that the person who so rashly adjuges low motives cannot himself be guided by a very high standard of action. A man who stoops to such a method of personal vituperation must feel himself pretty well cornered, and for my part I can quite afford to let the Doctor have all the credit accruing from such a mode of reasoning. Long before I ever saw Dr. Chritsoe I have dicussed public questions with men who were gentlemen, and of a mental and moral calibre far different from our Reeve; but I have never hitherto had an opponent so small as to subject himself to the humiliation of fabricating baseless motives, or impugning my arguments by personal invective. I am an interested party. We ought all to be deeply interested parties. My individual opinion is nothing in itself. I would be the last to lay any stress upon it, simply as such; but in so far as it is correct let it be considered. my motives are perfectly clean and satisfactory to myself, and if they are not so to others, no amount of self assertion on my part would make them so. I leave them to be construed by your readers as they may feel inclined, knowing well that those who know me will credit my motives with being what they really are. In the meantime let us narrow this down to its proper dimensions, and look at it in a reasonable light. All admit that the standard gauge is the thing wanted. We paid our share for the narrow gauge and it will not be denied by fair minded men, that the investment has paid this section well. That it has not paid the shareholders or bond holders is a well known fact. These men came formard to us six months ago, asking our assistance to put the road in good shape. They said in effect—"we are neither able nor willing to do it all ourselves, but if you will do a part so will we." The majority refused to assist; but expressed a very general desire for the road to go into the hands of the Grand Trunk or some strong company. The request is now again made for assistance; the road to go into the hands of the Grand Trunk Company on lease. Should this request also be refused, one of two things is likely to happen; either the scheme of widening and leasing the road be dropped, and the present road patched up, or, if assistance be sufficiently rendered by other localities, then the scheme, as now proposed, may be carried through, and our section probably discriminated against in the matter of tariffs. Not long since I was conversing with a Dundalk gentleman and he made the remark, that the folks in Dundalk would like nothing better than that Artemesia should again refuse the bonus. I mention this in a friendly way to our Flesherton neighbours. Let them ponder it a little and they will see there is something in it, specially as applied to their village. I know well, that on some occasions in the summer season the T. G. & B. Company have run grain from Owen Sound at smaller rates than they have ever done from this quarter; but that does not prove that they are able to do so in the same proportion from this and every other section. It only proves that the Company having their cars on the road and not being fully occupied at that season, they will rather earn something than nothing. Where is the railroad that don't do such thing? Look at all the great trunk lines that lower their rates as navigation opens and raised them when water communication closes. I do not at all seek to justify this state of matters; but we must take such things as they are, and make the best of them; for if we wait for a railroad company that will make a uniform equalised rate in proportion to mileage in all circumstances, then will we wait for what has never yet exhisted. In short I look at the whole thing from two simple stand points. 1st whether, in common justice, we are called upon to help those men who run the road out of their difficulties? For reasons previously given and which need not again be dwelt upon I unhesitatingly say that, taking all the circumstances into account, we are, as honest men, bound to do so. 2nd will it pay us to help them? Without doubt it will. In helping them we are effectively helping ourselves, and whatever the feeling toward the company may be, it would not be the act of reasonable men to keep ourselves in difficulties for the sake merely of continuing theirs. As an investment, the giving of this bonus will pay the township direcly, and indirectly in numberless ways that need not all be again repeated. The money would be spent amongst ourselves, and our young men, instead of having to flock away to the States in search of work, would find it at home for one season at least. And then the almost immediate impetus that would be given agricultural progress, and to things in general, would give to this section of Canada a standing not heretofore possessed. People of means would be attracted; farms and village property would increase in value, and our community, as a whole, would make a step in advance to which the first laying down of the narrow gauge was but the stepping stone. Accepting thanks, sir, for allowing me thus far to ventilate a few thoughts at this crises of our township welfare.

Yours truly,

ROBERT ROBERTSON.

Flesherton & Priceville station.

Nov. 22nd, 1880.

A DISINTERESTED OPINION.

We clip the following from the Meaford *Monitor*. Coming as it does from an outsider, and one interested in a rival railroad, it should carry conviction with it.

The campaign for the bonuses required to widen the gauge of the T., G. & B. Railway, under the agreement with the Grand Trunk Company. There is, of course, going to be some opposition to the by-laws, but we really cannot see why there should be any. The people along the line of the road will make a grave mistake if they allow the present opportunity to slip by them unimproved. Did we live along the line of the Narrow Gauge we would use every exertion to get the road changed to the standard gauge, and placed under the management of the Grand Trunk. No better fate could possibly happen to the people served (or misserved) by the Narrow Gauge than to have it pass into the control of the leading railway in the Dominion. It is not our business to advise the passing of the bonuses to be asked for; selfish considerations might rather prompt us to wish that things might remain as they are; we simply state what under certain circumstances we would do, and we let our opinion thus given go for what it is worth.

PARTIES who have missed any cattle or sheep should look carefully over the columns of the STANDARD. Quite a number are adverised this week.

STRAYED.

CAME to the premises of the undersigned Lot 3, Con. 12, township of Glenelg, about the 1st October, three head of yearlings, one Steer red and white, one Heifer red and white, and one Heifer white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take them away.

ROBERT WATERSON.

Glenelg, Nov. 20, 1880. 11-3i

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Kimberly, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-2i

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W. SUTHERLAND TAYLOR,

Secretary-Treasurer.

Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of November, 1880. 11-6i

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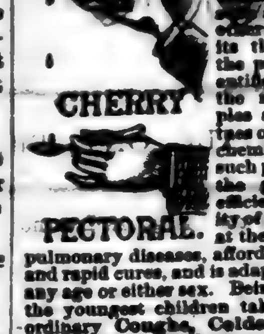

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WM. JACKSON.

Holland, Nov. 17, 1880. 10-3i*

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, on the 15th inst., a Steer rising three years The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away.

SAMUEL MILLER.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10-3i

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 20, Con. 12 township of Holland, in July, a red Steer, 2 years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away.

J. S. LYONS.

Holland, Nov. 12, 1880. 10-3i*

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber. Lot 8, Con. 14, township of Glenelg, on or about the 1st of September, a Heifer, one year old, spotted red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

GEORGE LAMB.

Glenelg, Nov. 13, 1880, 10-3i*

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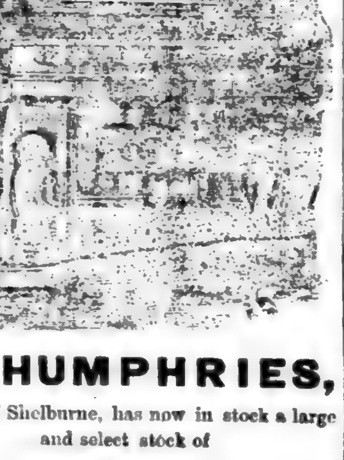

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Dundalk. Nov. 17, 1880. 10-2i

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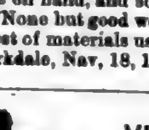

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Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3m

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The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

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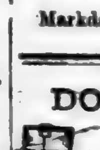

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Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880.

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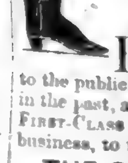

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SOME of our subscribers at Pomona are complaining that they do not get the paper until the week after it is published. It is mailed here early on Friday morning and should be received the same day. We shall look into the matter and if we can find the delinquent, we shall bring the matter to the notice of the Post Office Insepector.

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OF INTEREST TO FARMERS.—A case of special interest at the Division Court, Beaverton was one known as "the wild oats case." A farmer named Gaughn, from Mara, purchased seed barley from a neighbor named Courtney, who represented his barley clean and free from foul seed, and in every respect suitable for seed. However when the barley was cut it turned out, as was proven in Court, that the barley contained a quantity of what is known as wild oats and that Courtney, the defendant in the case, was aware of the fact previous to his disposing of it to Gaughn. His Honor gave full damages, $60 the amount claimed by Gaughn, and costs, and warned farmers that if they sold a certain kind of grain and afterwards it turned out to be some otherkind or not what was represented, they were liable for damages. There is talk of some more "wild oats" cases for next court.

BETTER TIMES.—The period of depression, if not over, is fast passing away, and signs of awakening prosperity are on every hand. The great increase in the revenue, for the last three months, is the best proof of revival of commerce, the increase in bank circulation and discounts, during the last month, is not less striking. The railways are doing a greatly increased business, and the revenue of some of them, notably the Grand Trunk, shows a very large augmentation. Sharing in the prosperity of the railways, the express companies are busier than at any previous time. The lumber trade is active and healthy, and probably more lumber will be got out this winter than ever before. Domestic manufactures are thriving, and as a consequence new ventures are being every day engaged in. There is one deplorable exception to this renewed activity. Our shipbuilding interest continues depressed; and for it there is, in any case, only a moderate revival possible. Bankruptcies have fallen to one-thid what they were a year ago, and suits for the recovery of debts are less frequent. —*Monetary Times.*

PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

SUDDEN DEATH —Mr. Charles Hales who lived about five miles from here, on the Old Durham Road, went out on Sunday morning last to attend to his cattle, almost immediately after his leaving the house, some members of the family were alarmed by his shouting. They hastened to him, and found him helpless on the ground: He was at once carried into the house and a messenger dispatched for medical aid, but it was of no avail, as death put an end to his existence about fifteen minutes after he was taken ill.—It was the opinion of Dr. Bennett, who arrived some time after death, that Mr. Hales died from appoplexy. He was over 60 years of age, but strong and hearty—thirty years being spent in the neighborhood. He was very highly respected by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. He leaves a large and intelligent family to bitterly mourn his sudden demise.

Mr. Tuck, late of the Farmers' Inn, has removed into the new brick hotel erected by Alexander Brown, Esq. The premises are commodious and conveniently arranged. We predict for the genial host a successful business career.

We feel grateful that we have not the grounds for complaint that some of your correspondents have. Our sidewalks and crossings are so complete, that the innocent mud and ordinary pedestrian know little of each other.

DIED.

In Markdale, on the 18th inst., Archibald, son of George Noble aged 1 year, 11 months.

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, Lot 11, Con. 15, Township of Glenelg, on the 20th October, two yearling Heifers, one spoted red and white, one dark red with top off one horn. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.
B. E. ENGLISH.
Glenelg, Nov, 19, 1880. 11 3i

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Undersigned will be at Lot 6, 2nd 3rd Concession, N. D. R., Glenelg on Saturday, Nov. 20, 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of letting contract of building New Bridge across Saugeen River. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the house of Thomas Davis, Lot 2, 3rd Concession, N. D. R.
F. MACRAE,
G. BINNIE,
T. DAVIS,
Glenelg, Nov. 5, 1880.

General Advertisements.

J. M. Webster,

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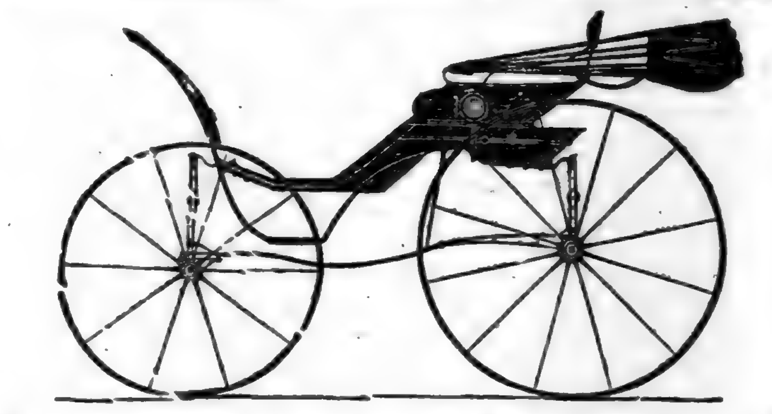

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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

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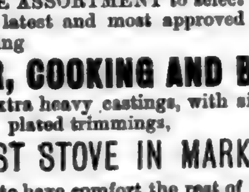

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

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STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

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If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

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Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

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A. C. HUNTER,
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Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres
FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House-bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

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Fresh and Corned Meats

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Special inducements to large Purchasers

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☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

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Markdale, Sept, 17th 1880. 1

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Best and Cheapest stock of

STOVES and TINWARE

North of Toronto. 6

China TEA Store
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GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

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Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

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Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 1-tf

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DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

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GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

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See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your **AXES** at McFARLAND's. Those **$2.50 MANTLES** selling fast. New **DRESS GOODS** at McFarland's. New **FLANNELS** at McFarland's. New **SHAWLS** at McFarland's. New **BONNETS** and **HATS** at McFarland's. New **TWEEDS** at McFarland's. New **CARPETS** at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. **Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.**

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BOOTS and SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

A NOVELTY in these Goods!

The Indestructible Riveted and Cemented and Water-proof Seam.

Call and Examine Stock and Prices!

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FULL LINES IN

Groceries, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing,

(Ready-made,) Crockery and Glassware!

—AT THE—

"TORONTO HOUSE,"

MARKDALE.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 17th, 1880.

Cash! Cash! Cash!

People may Puff and Blow, but if you want full value for

Your Money or Produce

GO TO THE

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Ladies' Clouds, 50c	do	Beautiful patterned dress Goods 15c	do
Beautiful Lustres, 15c	do	Factory Cotton, 7c	do
Ladies' Fur Caps $1.75	do	Children's Fur Caps 85c	do
Men's long Boots, $2.00	do	Men's seamless whole stock Boots $3.65	do
Boys long Boots, $1.25	do	Women's strong shoes, $1.10,	do
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Together with a full stock of First-Class Groceries. Teas, Sugars, choice Brands of Tobaccos, Soaps, Syrups, Vinegar, Dried Apples. Buiscuits, Confectionery, Spices of all kinds, Patent Medicines, Castor Oil, Castorine, Machine Oils, Coal Oil. Also Hardware, Spoons, Table Knives, Nails, Screws, Hinges, latches, &c., and a full stock of all the leading lines in Dry Goods, Millinery, Furs of all kinds, and all other Goods such as are kept in a First Class General Store.

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Highest Cash Price paid for all kinks of Grain, Pork, &c.

GEORGE NIXON.

Dundalk, Nov 25, 1880. 11 4i

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RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

—IN—

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,

SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES, DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!

CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—

UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special attention given on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings

made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patrons so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and much so as is consistent with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER,

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Removed!
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HILL BROTHERS,

Would intimate to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they have removed to their new premises, and will be pleased to receive a call from our many friends and customers. Call and see us. We will GIVE YOU BARGAINS. WE MEAN BUSINESS.

SEE OUR

Cheap Dress Goods,
Lustres,
Wincies,
Laces,
And Fringes.

Gents, see our CLOTHING. They are Stylish, Good CHEAP.

SEE OUR TWEEDS!

You will find them right in Price and Quality.

Boots and Shoes a Specialty.

Call and get a sample of our Splendid TEAS.

Gentlemen we have a splendid SMOKING TOBACCO, at 40c per lb. Try it.

We again give a general invitation to inspect our Stock. Have not time to write long advertisements. Don't believe in them. Would rather have the Goods speak for themselves.

Thanking you for past favors, and trust to have a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880. 1-tf

A Confession.

I'm fond of flowers, sweet and shy,
From nature's fragrant bowers;
My boutonnieres I always buy
Of Clara Kimball Powers.

Who reads me novels full of gore,
To cheer me when I'm feeble,
And sings about the golden shore?
Why Sophie Martin Keble.

A little maiden, ebon-curled,
Now serves my papers daily;
Her appellation, all unfurled,
Is Julia Haskins Haley.

The damsel who darns my socks
With chic and sweet abandon,
And charms me with her golden locks,
Is Laura Winter Landon.

I look up to the gentle dames
As one looks up a steeple,
Because they proudly wave their names
Like literary people.

ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER V.—CONTINUED.

I think that the sight of me was somewhat of a trouble to him just then; one of his daughters was dead, the other he had driven away from him, and had forced into a marriage which was hateful to her. Possibly he might have felt a little sorry, a trifle remorseful at the sight of my pale face and sad reproachful eyes; but now it was too late; so, by tacit consent, we kept away from each other as much as possible.

I sat up for hours that night, crouching on the hearthrug, and staring into the warm glow of the wood embers. The shadows of the trees without waved and tossed upon the blind of the large recessed window of my room. I was watching faces in the fire; I was looking back mournfully at my past girlhood, and looking forward with a dull apathy to what the future was to bring me.

When I at last lay down and fell asleep, I had a vivid and terrible dream. I thought I was standing outside upon the lawn. I wore my bridal dress, and the ground was not green, but covered with snow. Suddenly I saw Rose coming to meet me among the trees; she, too, was dressed in white. When she was within a few paces of me, she stopped and beckoned me to follow her. I did so, feeling no surprise, only a calm content at again beholding her. She led me through the trees; the snow sparkled on the branches, and lay deep upon the ground. Her footsteps made no sound, and utter silence was around us.

Suddenly Rose stopped, and she pointed to something a few paces in front of us.

"There, Cathie," she said, "I have brought you here to show you who it was that did it!"

I darted forward. I saw a form recumbent on the ground, and, veiled beneath the snow, I could discern the outline of a human figure, but all else was hidden beneath its icy covering. I tried to sweep away the snow, to discover what face lay hidden there from my anxious gaze, but in vain. I could not move hand or foot: I was spell-bound to the spot whereon I stood. I struggled fruitlessly to penetrate the mystery before me, and Rose all the time stood by, not helping me in the least, but looking on calmly.

At last she broke into a harsh, mocking laugh, not like the silvery ring of her old girlish glee.

"You cannot do it, Cathie," she said; "your hands are tied."

I looked down at my hands. I saw to my horror and dismay that they were fastened together round the wrists by the missing lock of golden hair. An agony of terror seemed to wrap me round. Rose had disappeared, and, struggling frantically to release my hands, I awoke, and found that the cold gray dawn of my wedding-morning had broken.

CHAPTER VI.

As I was dressing on the morning of the day which was to see me married to a man I did not love, a letter was brought to me. I opened it with dull, apathetic fingers, and found that it was from Mrs. Holland.

She wrote to tell me that she had already met with a situation, and that she was going to it at once. It was a place as housekeeper which she had taken, and she was almost sure that she would be happy there. I was not to fret any more about her as I had been doing, for she could not bear to think of it, and I was not to address my letters to her any longer to the care of her cousins in town, for she would be in her new home before this letter reached me.

The name of the house was Ravelston; and then she gave me the rest of the address, but she did not tell me the name of the people with whom she was going to live.

I put off my mourning for Rose for the first time on my wedding-day. I wore a very simple dress of white silk, and I think my face was just as white. The clergyman who was to perform the ceremony had arrived at my father's house the evening before; we were twenty miles from the nearest church. I had only one bridesmaid, an old schoolfellow of mine, and we had very few guests on account of the recent mourning in our family.

I was married in the dining-room of my father's house. Cyril was very pale and very quiet. He did not look in the least a happy bridegroom, and I am sure the sun never shone upon a more forlorn and miserable bride than myself that day.

It had been settled that we should drive over to Cyril's house the same afternoon and stay there for a day or two; after that we were to start upon a tour to the Hot Lakes. We had planned to remain upon our travels for two or three months before returning home again.

The ceremony was over very quickly, and so, too, it seemed to me, was the breakfast which followed it; I scarcely now remember anything about it. Very soon I had put on my traveling-dress, a very quiet one of two shades of brown, and was seated by Cyril's side driving towards my new home. We were both very quiet during the drive.

Once Cyril remarked upon my paleness, and asked me if I felt cold. I told him "No," but that I had gone through a bad night and had had terrible dreams. He said quietly, "So had I."

I did not ask him what his dreams were about. I felt like a person half stunned, and saw the road recede behind me, and felt that I was leaving the home of my girlhood and my happiness and freedom for evermore. At last Cyril said suddenly—

"I am afraid I have rather forced you into this step, Cathie. It seemed cruel of me, does it not?"

He looked at me with a curious half sorrowful expression in his black eyes which I had never seen there before. It softened his face and improved it. After a moment, he added—

"I believe, Cathie, if you will have patience with me, and try to like me a little, you may make a better man of me yet. Once, long ago, before I ever saw you, I fell in love with another girl; I think her beauty nearly drove me mad. But I did not respect her as I do you."

"What became of her?" I asked, with some curiosity; for Cyril was ordinarily so reserved that even the few words he had spoken were an unusual expression of confidence on his part.

He turned away, and looked gloomily out at some object in the distance, as he replied.

"She died," he said slowly, with great bitterness in his tone. "She died—and quickly. Don't ask me any more questions. That is quite enough for you to know."

I felt repulsed, and I turned away from him, and not another word passed between us during the rest of the drive. Not the faintest shade of jealousy of Cyril's first love had crossed my mind. I did not love him enough for that; but I knew and felt that [illegible] now my husband.

Tea was waiting for us when we arrived at Cyril's house. [illegible] The two servants we had engaged [illegible] lighted fires in two or three of the rooms; for the house was very gloomy and chilly, with a threatening of snow outside.

"Would you like to go round the house, Cathie?" said Cyril. "I will take you out, if you wish it, to look at him at once."

[illegible] towards the stables. They were a handsome and comfortable building a little distance from the house—Cyril was fond of horses.

Gladiator was so glad to see me, and rubbed his nose against my shoulder in a way that I was accustomed to as his manner of bidding me welcome. I, for my part, was pleased to see how comfortably he was lodged, and how well cared for he was looking. I followed Cyril at once, with the utmost obedience, when he reminded me that tea was waiting and that it was time we returned to the house.

Our tea was scarcely over when Cyril was summoned from the room; some one wanted to see him on business. He looked black over it, but could not refuse to go. Many minutes had not elapsed before he again returned.

"I am sorry to say I shall have to leave you for a few hours, Cathie," he said. "This confounded business of mine won't wait. I'll be back as soon as ever I can, and I dare say you will find some way to amuse yourself meanwhile. There are lots of newspapers and books lying about."

I felt as if his absence would be a pleasure and relief to me, so little did I love my husband.

"Oh, don't trouble yourself about me!" I replied. "I shall be all right and very comfortable by the side of this snug fire. Don't hurry over your business, pray, on my account."

He looked somewhat dissatisfied. I think he felt I was too ready to let him go.

"I would not stir a step if I could help it," he said; "but this"—and here, I am afraid, he uttered an imprecation—"won't wait; and go I must, whether I like it or not."

After he had left the room, he came back again.

"Stay here quietly," he said. "I want to show you the house when I get home. The room opposite to this is my study and office; you need not go into it without me. I keep many valuable papers there, and I do not like anything to be touched. Good-bye, Cathie."

"Good-bye," I responded, and I said no more.

I felt hurt at his giving me orders how to spend my time during his absence, and I let him go without another word. He had married me, knowing that I did not love him, and, if my coldness angered him, he had only himself to blame for it.

In a few minutes I saw him through the dining-room window riding away from the house, in the company of the person who had come to fetch him.

I sat down before the warm fire with my hands crossed in my lap, and, for a while, I did absolutely nothing.

There might be newspapers lying about: but I did not care to read them. I could not feel at home or grow accustomed to the strange aspect of the room. At last I noticed that in getting out of the carriage in which we had driven over, I had slightly torn some of the trimming of my brown silk traveling-dress, and I resolved to while away a few minutes by mending it.

A little dressing-case of mine, fitted with all kinds of useful articles, was standing on a table in the hall. I had set it down on entering the house. I rose and went out into the hall, and selected what I required from its contents.

As I turned round after doing so, I found that I was standing exactly opposite to the door of the room Cyril had called his study, and which he had desired me not to enter.

Of course the prohibition had only roused my woman's curiosity to see what that room was like. I felt myself to be another Fatima in the house of Bluebeard; and more and more irresistibly did idleness and loneliness impel me to follow her example, even at the risk of meeting with some unforeseen punishment.

I felt sure, however, that Cyril would not be back for some hours, and that I should remain undetected in my act of disobedience; and I am afraid that I did not love him sufficiently to care very much about attending to his wishes.

At last I rose, laid down my scissors and thimble, and, walking softly across the hall to the door opposite, I gently turned the handle, and quietly glided in.

If I had expected to see anything startling or unexpected, I was at the first glance disappointed.

The room was a large, bare, cold-looking, common-place apartment, with a few shelves of books at one side, a writing-table and desk in the centre, and an easy-chair, with a large waste-paper basket by its side, before the fireplace. That was all I noted during the first few moments.

"I must not touch anything," I thought. "He will find me out if I meddle with the smallest bit of paper."

I walked up to the book-case and read the titles of a few of the volumes. They were chiefly works on agriculture, and a few on civil engineering, none of them in the least likely to interest a girl like myself. I do not think they had been often consulted by any one. There was a good deal of dust upon them. I felt tempted to brush some of it off; but then, I reflected, if the room looks too neat when he returns, he will certainly find me out.

There was a gun-case lying in one corner. I raised the lid softly and looked in; but it was quite empty. Nothing to gratify my curiosity was there.

I was beginning to think that I had seen enough, and, as the room was very cold, that I had better return to the warm fire in the dining-room, when I first noticed the one artistic object Cyril's study contained. This was a handsome and valuable old time-piece in the centre of the mantel-shelf. It was not working. The hands had stopped at half-twelve. It was surmounted by a figure in bronze of the Recording Angel, pen and tablet in hand, noting down how the minutes were spent. I took an immediate fancy to that clock. It was so handsome, so uncommon, and so superior to all its surroundings.

"I wonder how long it is since it stopped?" I said to myself.

I opened the little door at the back to look at the works, and I saw that there was a small parcel lying thrust in among them, so that the clock could not have worked until it was removed.

"No wonder it will not go," I thought, "with things stuffed into it like that!"

Then I put it in my hand, all unconscious of the terror approaching me, and lifted out the little packet; and, as I did so, a chill ran through me, for the parcel was a little embroidered handkerchief which had once belonged to Rose, and rolled up inside it was the missing lock of golden hair.

[illegible] of great darkness, [illegible] with wide-open, awe-struck eyes at the terrible piece of evidence in my hands. [illegible]

"When I find that lost lock of hair, I shall find with it the murderer of my sister!"

Could I feel the slightest further doubt? [illegible] crowd back like a flash of lightning upon my memory, all confirming the testimony of that awful mute witness in my hands?

Cyril's occasional allusions to Rose, [illegible]

I do not know how long I stood there [illegible]

My first clear, distinct thought was to wonder if any one was aware of my presence in that room. I stole softly to the door. [illegible]

"I must keep this proof, which I [illegible]

[illegible]

CHAPTER VII.

I passed out of Cyril's study and closed the door behind me. I was going to leave that terrible room with empty hands. [illegible]

[illegible] rubbed his nose against my shoulder [illegible]

I always wear when riding, [illegible] on my foot.

In a little inner pocket of my dress I had my father's wedding-present to me that morning; it was a purse containing four ten-pound notes.

My preparations were now complete, and I crept out noiselessly through one of the long dining-room windows, and found myself standing safely on the lawn outside.

It was growing dark; and I knew that no one could see me now, especially in my dark cloak; but I knew too that before long the moon would rise, and I counted upon it to assist me in the execution of my plans. I stole round to the stables, listened a moment and, finding all quiet, I opened the door of Gladiator's loose box and quietly glided in. He pawed the ground with pleasure and rubbed his nose against my shoulder as soon as he saw me. It was quite easy to me to saddle him; I had often done it for amusement's sake only.

As I was about to put the bit in his mouth however, I stopped and shrank back into the shadow, for I heard the voices of the men who were at work in the place outside.

At any other time it would have amused me to find that they were speaking about myself. One of them, who was evidently Scotch, said that I was "a very bonnie lassie," with a "winsome face," and eyes like stars. The other remarked that I was much too good for his master, who was a surly brute, with an awful temper at times. He wondered how I ever came to fancy him at all. I could have told him that fancy had very little to do with my being his wife.

All the time they were near I cowered back into my corner and trembled lest I should be discovered; but it was very dark now, and my gray cloak was not easily to be discerned in the obscurity within the stables, and gradually their voices died away in the distance.

When all was quite quiet again, I led Gladiator outside, and mounted him in a moment; and never shall I forget the exultant thrill which flashed through every nerve when my horse and I went galloping away into the darkness.

The nervous coldness I had been suffering from passed quite away from me as Gladiator bounded along. The fresh air and the delightful exercise brought back warmth to my frame and strength and courage to my sinking heart. I was determined never to return to the shelter of Cyril's roof again, even though I had the misfortune to call him "husband." Rather by far would I go out as a governess or a lady help; and I felt sure that when Cyril came home he would not be long in discovering the reason why I had left him.

I was now on my way to the nearest railway station, and my intention was to set off at once in search of Mrs. Holland. Once with her, I thought I could stay a day or two to take breath as it were, and then make some further plans for the future. My father could hear nothing of all this for some months at any rate, for he would soon be fairly launched on his voyage to England.

The moon rose; the night was clear and cloudless, with a slight frost. In any other circumstances it would have been a delightful ride under the brilliant starlight.

Even my very solitude was welcome to me after the hours I had spent that day in Cyril's society; and, alone with Gladiator, I began to feel like myself once more. But time pressed; I was compelled to ride fast to catch the last train that night, and I had many miles to go.

At last, after a gallop over a breezy stretch of tussock land unfenced and uncultivated, the lights of the railway station came in sight before me. I rode to within about a hundred yards of the station, and then I halted, and, in the shadow of a clump of trees, I dismounted.

"Good-bye, my darling, darling horse!" I said, clasping him round the neck and showering kisses on his smooth coat. "How I hope they will love you and be kind to you now that I shall not be there any longer to look after you! Go home, dear old fellow, and get there before daylight, so that no one may see the way you came!"

He rubbed his nose caressingly against me, and seemed to understand all that I said to him.

I broke into passionate tears and sobs as I rested my head against his neck, and felt as if I were losing my last friend. Then I dropped the bridle and walked away from him. He seemed perplexed, and followed me a few steps; but I ordered him to go home and pointed backwards towards the way that I had come. I knew that he would go straight back, not to Cyril's house, which he was scarcely yet accustomed to, but to my old home, and this would cause a delay of some hours before he was found, which would be in my favour.

At last, at a bend of the road, I lost sight of him, and, drying my tears as best I could, I hurried forward on to the station platform, and found that I had only just time to take my ticket before the train came up and carried me away with its other passengers.

I was rejoiced to find that the carriage in which I had taken a seat was quite empty. I wished to avoid all observation, though indeed by this late train I was not very likely to meet with any one who knew me. Of course Cyril would use his best endeavours to trace me out; but if I could only get the start of a few hours I might baffle all his inquiries.

It was about six o'clock in the morning when the train reached town, and I got out at once and drove to the station whence I had next to start. Here I waited until the morning was a little advanced, and then I sallied forth to make some purchases. I bought myself a neat travelling-bag and a complete new costume, including a hat, also a change of boots and a few other things.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

GENERAL.

A GAS company has been formed for lighting Jerusalem, and a street car company for connecting that city with the Mount of Olives is hinted at.

THE New-Zealanders are destroying their forests in a manner so reckless that there is a fear not only of a scarcity of timber, but that the climate will soon be changed for the worse.

SOME one has said, what has been observed by thousands, that [illegible] from a middling fortune, and nothing will [illegible] sooner than a great one. Poverty treads upon the heels of great and unexpected riches.

TWO Texas desperadoes agreed to fight with knives in a closed room at Fort Worth. [illegible] they fully intended a deadly duel. They were prevented by arrest.

A MECHANIC at Beaufort, S.C., intent upon suicide by drowning, but aware that his body should be recovered, fastened lead to his head and life preservers to his feet before leaping into the water. So he quickly drowned, while his legs floated.

THE recent earthquake at Lisbon, Portugal, seems to have caused little damage; [illegible] have also been experienced lately in other Spanish towns and in sections of France.

SO the Prince of Wales is 39 years of age. [illegible] There is no help for it but patience. All things come to him who waits.

RECENTLY Prof. Huxley said that ninety-nine men out of every hundred became simply deteriorated after sixty years old, and were but obstacles in the way of the advance of new ideas. The world, he thought, would be benefited by any man who had taken part in science being strangled after sixty. [illegible]

JUSTICE SMITH said, on opening his court at Connorsville, Tenn.: "Well Henry Smith is arraigned for assaulting his father." [illegible] He continued: "The evidence is conclusive, and I'm not sure but I ought to send myself to jail for ten days. But as this is my first offence, and I certainly had a good deal of provocation, I will simply impose a fine of ten dollars."

THE Londonderry Sentinel says: "At all events, so far as Ulster is concerned, [illegible] The rebellion of 1798 began among the Presbyterians of Ulster, a circumstance of which [illegible]"

[illegible]

Account for it as we may, there is no gainsaying the fact [illegible]

[illegible] the world never appeared to be aware of their existence until they came into conflict with the ecclesiastical authorities to whom they were responsible for their teaching.

Popular as the Rev. Mr. MacDonnell of this city deservedly is, and various and admirable as are his gifts, it may well be questioned whether he would ever have become so widely known, or the object of one-half the interest he [illegible]

The Rev. Mr. Roy of Montreal, is a man of respectable gifts and considerable culture—greater perhaps in almost everything else than in that upon which he prides himself most, his ability as an original thinker; but it was not until he became so erratic and difficult [illegible] that he really became an object of wide-spread public attention and admiration. [illegible] he was probably the most popular minister in the city of Montreal. [illegible] he is pastor of one of the finest Protestant Churches in the commercial metropolis of Canada, [illegible]

The case of Prof. Swing, of Chicago, is another case which illustrates the same principle. [illegible]

It is too soon perhaps to speak particularly of the case of Dr. Thomas. It is still before the church courts, and what will be the final disposal of it, is not yet known. He more closely resembles Prof. Swing perhaps than any other minister in the United States. [illegible]

Now what does this all mean? How is this upward drift to be accounted for? [illegible]

MR. WORTH is described, by a recent interviewer, as looking like a shrewd active business man, with a head bearing a most pronounced resemblance to the portraits of Oliver Goldsmith.

THE Osservatore Romano tells its readers that whilst the Irish are now suffering, [illegible] the Holy See, have contributed a sum of money equivalent to 80,000 francs for their Archbishop's present to the Pope.

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[illegible] in the future the ill[illegible] the player instead of [illegible]

THE corporation of the City of London have established a School of Music, wherein [illegible] the very best teach[illegible] indeed. Tuition [illegible] dollars for four lessons [illegible] best teachers. The [illegible] from about forty-two [illegible] a lesson, according [illegible]

By Ole Bull's last will, that artist bequeathed to the Museum of Bergen, Norway, [illegible] jewels, medals and decorations in the shape of [illegible] of the most [illegible] in the course of his long [illegible] kings and other grandees [illegible] not forgetting the golden [illegible] and pearls given to him [illegible] by the citizens of San Francisco.

Miss Terry will assist Mr. Irving in the production of Tennyson's new play. The Laureate's drama is to be a tragedy in two acts, based on an incident in the early Christian persecutions, as narrated by Gibbon. If [illegible] anything out of the [illegible] Mr. Irving and his company will do it; but Mr. Tennyson has not the gift of dramatic writing, and [illegible] wasting his efforts on [illegible] natural fitness for. His "Queen Mary" was [illegible] without either movement or [illegible] to make it take, on the stage.

An elephant is used in a spectacular play in Philadelphia. He is kept in a stable several [illegible] and taken to the theatre [illegible] proper point in the [illegible] One afternoon he took it into his [illegible] come to perform. [illegible] he burst into the [illegible] and several street [illegible] theatre; smashed a [illegible] place on the stage. [illegible] audience seemed [illegible] had made a mistake, [illegible] to be led back to the stable.

A Sensible Criticism.

The Chicago Inter-Ocean pricks the "hyper-classical" bubble as follows:

"Ole Bull did not undertake to give music that people did not comprehend. He did not soar away over the heads of those who came to hear him, for the sake of being called "classical." He gave what was pure and good, and was satisfied to feed his hearers with something that they could digest. He lived to contend with a fashion in music which, for the most part, is mere affectation. Nobody with a musical fibre in his soul [illegible] every note that came from his violin, and so what was the use of [illegible] because another performer would have played something that hardly anybody in the house could understand?

If Ole Bull played "music for the million," so much the better. They are the ones who want music, and who make popular concerts possible.

There has not been a time in fifty years when Ole Bull did not rank among the best half-dozen violin players in the world, whether measured by the "classical" standard or any other. Why should we not be simply grateful, now that he has gone, that we were fortunate enough to hear him before he died?

There is absolutely no one to take his place, and the great body of people whose enjoyment of music gave the chief importance to the art itself, his death must be reckoned a greater loss than that of any other one man could possibly be."

The Rights of an Organist.

The question as to the exact status of the organist, of his rights and wrongs, and of his privileges and duties, has often given rise to discussions, says a writer in the London Opinion. What with clergymen who know nothing of music, but who unfortunately think that they do, and members of the congregation who give advice which they do not need, the seat in front of the keyboard is not always too comfortable. As a case in point, and as further illustrating our remarks, we are informed that at a dissenting place of worship not a hundred miles from Liverpool, the other Sunday evening, a member of the congregation—himself a professor of music and an organist—was invited to fill the position of the regular organist, who was absent. All seemed to go most satisfactorily until the last hymn, before the reading of which the minister publicly expressed a wish that the hymn might be sung softly, and "with but little organ." The organist, exhibiting the courtesy of a gentleman, bent to the request of the worthy clergyman; but after the service this ill-advised and injudicious public remark was severely commented upon by the congregation. As a rule, the clergy know very little about organ-playing, although they not unfrequently attempt to dictate that which is not warranted. We shall next hear of the selection of stops being taken out of the organist's hands.

Concerning Applause.

The New York correspondent of the Rochester Democrat writes: Now that the theatres are open for the season, twenty-one in number, including concerts, the question of applause is one of much importance. It is well known that not only the players depend on their friends to start these flattering expressions, but the managers also employ leaders to give the cue at the professional occasions. It is an old habit, that applause as a part of public performance is as old as history itself. The Isthmian games were accompanied by loud confessions, which were heard as far as [illegible] From Greece the custom reached Rome, and Seneca speaks of clapping the hands and [illegible]. The Romans had three kinds of applause. One was the bombus, which resembled the loud buzzing of bees, made by the mouth and nose; the second was the imbrices, caused by striking together earthen vessels placed in theatres for that purpose, and the third was the testa, which was merely an increase on the last one. From the theatre the custom passed naturally to the church, and it was still common, by Augustine, to greet a fine passage in the sermon by a demonstration. Some pious [illegible] idea when they utter their fervent "amen" as the preacher pours out his eloquent and moving utterances, and some of the clergy are gratified at such, though it shows that the congregation [illegible] the custom is generally on the decline.

Emma Thursby at Wiesbaden.

Miss Thursby, according to her critics abroad, is worthy of being compared with Patti and Nilsson. This is, indeed, high praise, and all Americans will heartily congratulate our fair American Singer. That the readers of The Record may be enabled to judge for themselves, we quote the following from the Rheinischer Kurier: "Yesterday evening, [illegible] of hearing Miss [illegible] celebrated American vocalist. [illegible] As a pupil of [illegible] introduced by so [illegible] into the art circles [illegible] lady would attract [illegible] the success she [illegible] and which has made [illegible] popular artistic notabilities [illegible] Continent. We [illegible] the reality has far [illegible] expectations raised in [illegible] Strakosch. In the [illegible] and of the artistic sense of the words [illegible] dazzling, though [illegible] as by the person, not so astounding [illegible] which she holds [illegible] in which she as sovereign queen of [illegible] which modern vocal [illegible] virtuosity, can [illegible]; equality of tone [illegible] flexibility of a na[illegible] style which re[illegible] and which can do [illegible] of Italian florid [illegible] German 'Lied,' based [illegible] a certain intensi[illegible] Miss Thursby [illegible] as an artist, and [illegible] the critics, which [illegible] star in a beautiful [illegible] Christine Nilsson [illegible] few days Miss [illegible] where she has [illegible] the 'Kur,' and [illegible] purpose of singing [illegible] Emperor; we can only [illegible] here, also, had [illegible] the acquaintance [illegible] vocalist."

Alexander Mackenzie.

Alexander Mackenzie is no ordinary man, and has had no ordinary career. He has made for himself a name which will be indissolubly connected with the history of his adopted country, and has achieved a reputation and a position which could only have been secured by great natural abilities, undauntable courage, unshaken tenacity of purpose, great singleness and sympathy of aim, and withal, an integrity and honour which even his bitterest opponents have been forced at once to acknowledge and respect.

In the best sense of the term he has been a self-made man. He has had to maintain a constant struggle of one kind or another, and, upon the whole, has always come out with honour, and generally with what is called success. Born not far from Perth in Scotland, of a humble, yet respectable family, inheriting little or nothing from his father, except a sound constitution and a vigorous intellect, with high moral principles and a moderate amount of that common school education which has long been within the reach of even the poorest of Scotchmen, the future Premier of Canada was, while still merely a boy of some fourteen years of age, cast upon his own resources and forced to make his way in the world as he best could. We suppose that it is the right and proper thing to say that he learned in early life to be "a builder and architect," and that, coming to Canada when he was about twenty years of age, he struck vigorously out as a "contractor" for the erection of buildings of greater or less extent. But if one were permitted to use language of a plainer and less pretentious character in describing what he was and what he did it would have to be stated that Alexander Mackenzie

LEARNED THE HANDICRAFT OF A STONE MASON,

and that, at first, when he came to Canada, he wrought at his trade for part of the time, at any rate, on some of the Government buildings, in Kingston, which, by and by, he had to visit and inspect as first Minister of the Crown. Nor is it any disparagement to Mr. Mackenzie, but very much the reverse, to speak of him in such language and to describe his occupation and original surroundings, in this way, in such language as facts would justify and as simple honesty would suggest. Some very foolish persons may wince under the idea of either themselves, or any of their relations, having ever been "mere mechanics" but a wiser estimate and a nobler pride will lead men to view matters in a very different light, and will, if necessary, make them glory in the thought of having originally been "poor, but honest," especially if they can add—

"POOR NO LONGER, BUT HONEST STILL."

It is not necessary to describe how the stone mason rose, step by step, till he could say with the proud self-respect of modest worth and conscious success to any who might be inclined to sneer at his lowly origin and his humble occupation:—"Yes, I was a mason, but had you been a mason, you would have been a mason still." Few though Mr. McKenzie's opportunities for mental improvement were, it would be a great mistake to think of him, even in his early days, as an uneducated man. He had, from boyhood, a quenchless thirst for knowledge, and always did his very utmost to turn what opportunities he had for mental improvement to the best account. Living in an atmosphere of mental activity, ceaseless discussion and eager curiosity, it was but natural that his original faculties should have been greatly sharpened by all that he saw, heard and experienced, amid the varied occurrences of his early life. It is notorious that in very many cases

ALL THE BURNING QUESTIONS OF THE HOUR,

whether in politics, religion or science, are eagerly and intelligently canvassed among working men both during their hours of labour and rest. Alexander Mackenzie had his full share of the discipline and studies to be derived from such schools and schoolmasters, while his private reading and systematic study were at once extensive and thorough, not only considering his outward circumstances, but even though there had been much more favourable than they were. It is not saying anything but what is matter of notoriety to affirm that Mr. Mackenzie's acquaintance with English literature in general as well as with some departments of science, to say nothing of politics and political economy, which he has made specially his own, is far more extensive and greatly more accurate and at command than that of many who have had leisure all their days, and who have been honestly trying to turn that leisure to pleasant and profitable account.

It could not be that such a man should remain at his original low level, especially in such a country as Canada where a career is open to every one who has intelligence enough to mark his opportunity, and energy to seize that opportunity and turn it to satisfactory account. Step by step he made his way.

HIS SOUND JUDGMENT,

his varied knowledge, his ready utterance and his fearless outspoken honesty, which was at once bold without being rash, and soundly cautious without being weakly cowardly, gave him a standing and influence among an ever-widening number of neighbours and acquaintances. It was a stirring time in Canada's history when the battle of constitutionalism was being fought out, against personal government and irresponsible cliques, and in all the discussions and contendings, Mr. Mackenzie bore himself right manfully both with tongue and pen. The editor's chair was occupied with characteristic energy independence and success, and gradually, from being a mere local notability, Mr. Mackenzie rose to be generally recognized as

ONE OF CANADA'S MOST USEFUL CITIZENS,

most honest politicians and most intelligent statesmen. Into the details of his public career or into any defence of his principal means it is not our intention to enter. We are not either among his undiscriminating eulogists or his unswerving adherents. It would not be difficult to point out what may be his failings, or to indicate what have to be regarded as his positive faults. Perhaps he might have been more conciliatory without losing any of his honesty, and less abrupt and outspoken without his independence and fearlessness having, to any degree, to be called in question. His opponents have often said that he is not a "gentleman." It all depends upon what they mean by such a term. In a very narrow conventional and altogether unimportant sense what they say may have about it a certain modicum of truth. But in the better and more honourable meaning of the word, the best, most sensible and most high minded of his political opponents will never refuse to Alexander Mackenzie the honour and the excellences implied in such a name. His tongue may not be exactly and always tuned to court airs, though as a courtier, even his friends and admirers have never had to blush on his account. He may indeed have sometimes been resolute in his adherence to his own opinions and plans to an extent which savoured of obstinacy, and, in the consciousness of personal integrity and strong desire to do right, may have judged others with some measure of undue harshness, and condemned them in tones of needless severity. He has never had the

CONCILIATORY BEARING AND PERSONAL MAGNETISM

of his great rival. Men have followed him more from respect for his honesty, from confidence in the soundness of his judgment and from sympathy with the general tone of his political opinions, than from anything like personal regard for the man, to say nothing of positive affection for the friend. It cannot be said that he has ever awakened great enthusiasm among the rank and file of his party, and when at last his great defeat came, he might perhaps think he had reason to complain of the indifference of some and the positive coldness of others. He is not a man however to allow himself to be greatly or permanently discouraged, nor is he either so vain or so self-sufficient as to refuse to do any thing unless he be permitted to mould the policy and head the movement. Now that he has ceased to be leader of his party. We have no doubt that he will show he has no hard feelings about all that has come and gone, and that, as he made a resolute and reliable occupant of the first place, so he can accommodate himself wisely and modestly to a second, and that in loyalty to his party, as well as to his new chief, he both can and will give an example which all will be constrained to admire, and many will be led to imitate. Some have, indeed, hinted that he will henceforth take no part in political movements, except as a "full private" in the Reform ranks, and that because he thinks he has been badly used, and

HAS THEREFORE HAD GOOD REASON TO BE OFFENDED.

All this will be found eventually to have no foundation. Mr. Mackenzie has too much good sense, and is too loyal to his principles, to allow any merely personal considerations or supposed slights to turn him from his duty, or make him indifferent to the cause with which, through all his public life he has been so thoroughly identified. He is too big a man to go off in a pet, and too conscientious to sacrifice important public interests to something like personal annoyance. He knows well, that if he is not nominally first in his party, he will always be a very important and quite indispensable second; and with that conviction, he can afford to forget all individual grievances, and disregard what he might be easily be look upon as

UNJUSTIFIABLE SLIGHTS.

That the Reform party is at present considerably demoralized is beyond all reasonable question, but that it is fatally and finally broken up, is not at all so evident. Mr. Mackenzie has still before him the possibility of a good many years of earnest and efficient work, and that he will perform that work to the best of his ability, whatever return he may receive for it, is fully believed by his friends, and scarcely doubted even by his enemies. Nobody would ever think of speaking of him as a great man in the ordinary sense of that phrase. Still, few in Canada have had a more remarkable, or a more honoured career. He has had

FEW HELPS, AND MANY HINDRANCES,

and when the time comes to make the final award, and fix the permanent estimate, we have no doubt that his name will be unanimously enrolled among Canada's worthies, and that, with all his shortcomings and imperfections, he will be regarded as one who did the State some service, and himself and his country not a little honour. The humble mechanic, who so raised himself that, for five years, he usefully, honourably, and with success, occupied the place of First Minister of the Crown in this great Dominion, can never be spoken of, but with honour and respect. Whatever may be in store for him, his past record is before his country, and he can well leave that record to speak for him both before his contemporaries and to those who may come after. Even personal spite and party hatred have never breathed a word against the purity and honour of his private life. He has for many years made public profession of being a follower of Christ, and his general conduct has been such, that, watched as it has been by not a few who were personal and political antagonists, nothing has ever been adduced which might fairly make the sincerity of that profession to be questioned or cast a doubt upon the genuineness of that which has given a colour and character to his life, and purified and enabled his whole history. Apart then altogether from the passing politics of the day, Canadians of every name and of every party may well be proud of such a man, and of such a career. Such a course was possible only in a free country and amid free institutions, and it is infinitely to the credit of both the country and the man, that he who landed in this Western world a poor unfriended mechanic, should, within a quarter of a century, have made his way so unmistakeably to the front that few names in all the land were ever more household words than his has now become, and that few have occupied a position more honoured and influential than that which he has achieved. TRUTH honours him while it seeks no favour at his hand, and expects no benefit from his patronage. In the shade as he is now, there is the less temptation to flattery, perhaps the more to fault-finding. But should his star be ever again in the ascendant, as very possibly it may be, not a few may then be ready to endorse what now may be regarded as excessive an quite uncalled-for eulogy, as only the honest truth spoken in kindness, yet with undoubted impartiality.

Municipal Matters

(From the Toronto Truth.)

Canada has hitherto been free to a very great extent, from those disagreeables which largely compose the Municipal politics of the United States. Not only have we been able to keep corruption in the smaller elections at a minimum, but we have almost always, (in Ontario at least), elected the best man who offered himself for any civic position, without regard to his creed, political or religious. And that this is a feather in our national cap, even Americans do not deny: in fact on the several occasions when Aldermen and Town Councillors from the bordering States of the Union have had an opportunity of expressing their views at Canadian banquets and municipal gatherings this point has been dwelt upon time and again.

We have been proud of it! They have been anxious to emulate our example! And just when we were placidly congratulating ourselves that "we were not as other men are" there came a bomb-shell into the camp in the form of the Mail's manifesto.

That the Conservatives have as good a right to use their "political machine" in municipal matters as their opponents, no one can for a moment deny: and that Mr. Blake's speech before a Reform ward meeting, and his announcement that he intended to be present and speak at others, was a strong aggravation to the Tory Press, is equally indubitable. At the same time we feel that the "Mail" was scarcely justified in the course it chose to adopt. Two wrongs can never make a right, and if Mr. Blake was wrong in lowering his dignity as the leader of a great party, the Mail cannot surely expect to make him go right, by going wrong itself. As an independent journal we feel it our duty to protest against the American principle of electing a man to a civic position, solely on account of his party stripe, which we grieve to say is as often a badge of dishonour as of honour. Extreme men are sometimes honest but rarely so. In fact their very political existence obliges them to swallow many a nauseous dose, in order to retain their influence in the "Ward." A politician is not made in a day, he has very many stages to pass through and very many rungs to rise on the political ladder, before he can aspire to either of the two positions, which as a rule bound his ambition, viz., a good Government situation or a seat in the Legislature or Parliament. Now we hold that it is almost impossible for an extreme Party man to deal justly with, and for the benefit of, his fellow citizens, because the very natural feeling of gratitude to the men who had placed him in his position would compel him to reward them with such patronage as fell within his power to bestow, if they clamoured for it and if he had been elected by the two great parties he would of necessity bestow all he had to give on the supporters of his party, i. e., his own supporters.

Would this not be a pretty state of things? We will suppose that St. James' Ward has elected three Reformers to serve in the Council; the Committee on Works almost equally divided between both parties, has decided to lay down some (quite unneeded?) new pavements, now the patronage, by custom, falls largely to the three aforesaid aldermen, and they accordingly appoint, through their Reform foreman, Reform labourers. "But," say the Tory aldermen on the committee, "we will not stand this, we have a majority of one, and we will, even at this stage, use our influence with the Council and Mayor" (also a Tory) "to stop this work on one pretext or another. And thus a lively "dog fight" commences which probably continues until next election, and in the meantime the streets of the "loyal, noble and independent Ward of St. James" have to go unpaved, much to the discomfort and annoyance of those highly respectable citizens who pay their taxes without a murmur, (so long as they are not too high), do not care the toss of a copper which party rules, so long as they are left in peace, and moderately governed. "This state of things ought not to be allowed to make any more headway in Toronto than it has done so far. We have already seen the time of both Committee and Council frittered away for what? Well for anything rather than the good of the citizens at large, and though we have had but a very mild attack of partyism, sufficient there has been to warn us against allowing the insidious reptile to warm itself in our bosom.

We deprecate most earnestly, any further Americanizing of our home-made and homely Canadian institutions which have, up to this time, stood us in good stead, and which have called forth from at least one American deputation such words of commendation as these—: "Toronto stands ahead of us in everything excepting street pavements."

Let us then vote for the best man, irrespective of what party he may support, let us undo the mischief which has already been done, by this miserable Ward tinkering, let us countenance only the men who will spend our money on the streets instead of wasting it on banquets and other extravagances, who will spend their fellow-citizens' money, as if it were their own, and then, we may reasonably hope for a good honest civic administration such as will be at once the pride and envy of every city, town, and village, throughout Fair Canada.

They get all kinds of men into Congress. Arkansas has returned a coloured barber, and Tennessee a man who lost his citizenship under a conviction for incest. Of course he is disqualified. This is worse than the appointment in our own country of ex-convicts to act on the commission of the peace, and is somewhat of a contrast to the action of the British Parliament when, some years ago, a convict was returned and summarily refused admittance to the House. The line should be drawn somewhere, and Britons draw it at Bradlaugh.

Monstrous Hides.

HOW THE SKINS OF THE RHINOCEROS AND BOA-CONSTRICTOR ARE UTILIZED.

The hides of the bull, bear, sheep, goat, kid, and even the [illegible] years past, have been sold in [illegible] markets, and are considered the [illegible] able for the manufacture of [illegible] saddlery, harness and other articles [illegible] general use and wear of both [illegible] But the ingenuity of this latter [illegible] can recruit to have no limit. [illegible] jungles of the sunny Eastern [illegible] have been penetrated in order to [illegible] wants of fashion and of trade. [illegible] the ponderous, clumsy and ugly [illegible] and the treacherous, venomous [illegible] strictor are now being turned into [illegible] account by manufacturers.

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Ladies, waist belts and chatelaines [illegible] worn made of the serpents' skins [illegible] streets daily. Such appliances create [illegible] sity wherever seen, looking so wild and [illegible] barous in their design as to cause [illegible] to their genuineness. They bring good [illegible] Card, cigarette and cigar cases and [illegible] monnaies are made to order from the [illegible] material, as well as small satchels and [illegible] ping bags. In securing these kings [illegible] of the forest and jungle, the great [illegible] dangers are encountered.

The manner of preparing the skins [illegible] tannery is of a delicate nature. After [illegible] serpent has been put to death by a [illegible] that will preserve the skin from any [illegible] the body is passed over to a tanner [illegible] who strips the hide as he would the [illegible] from an eel. The tanner doctors the [illegible] hide so that it becomes perfectly pliable [illegible] retains all its natural appearance and [illegible] as in life. Boa-constrictors, though [illegible] ferocious and dangerous species of [illegible] are also of a very costly order to obtain [illegible] this country they have heretofore been [illegible] sidered only in the light of an attractive [illegible] feature among many curiosities attached [illegible] a circus, side show, or private [illegible] museum.

Hunting for Submarine Treasure.

A schooner, owned by a Connecticut [illegible] marine Company," is being used [illegible] a sunken wreck off Round Island, [illegible] skill, on the Hudson. The wreck [illegible] there many years, and is reputed [illegible] been the ship of the famous pirate [illegible] Kidd. A visitor found among the [illegible] ances of the schooner a great [illegible] machines, chains, pumps, rubber tubes [illegible] other contrivances, for bringing treasure [illegible] of deep water. Chief among these [illegible] large diving bell, of boiler iron, with [illegible] round windows on every side, so that [illegible] man inside can see out in every direction, [illegible] up, down, and across. It is kept in [illegible] the hold, and when it is to be used, [illegible] the top are unfastened, the top being [illegible] so tight that the affair is both air and [illegible] proof. The sensation of being [illegible] this narrow iron prison for the first [illegible] said to be terrible, though the experienced [illegible] divers do not mind it. There are two [illegible] tubes attached to the top, one to carry [illegible] the exhausted air, the other to supply [illegible] air. When the man is fastened in, [illegible] pump is started, and the bell is hoisted [illegible] with an immense derrick and lowered [illegible] the side. This bell can operate in [illegible] hundred feet of water, and is [illegible] raised or lowered by steam. When [illegible] ready it is lowered to the bottom. The [illegible] inside looks through his windows, and [illegible] termines what must be done first. He [illegible] wires to pull to signal the men above, [illegible] can tell them to hoist, lower, give him [illegible] or less air, or any other signals that [illegible] have been agreed upon. Attached to [illegible] side of the diving bell, and [illegible] steam, from above, is what is called [illegible] arm"—a heavy attachment, provided [illegible] so many joints and swivels that it is [illegible] of making all the many motions of the [illegible] arm, with much greater strength than [illegible] human arm ever had. This arm has [illegible] with fingers, that hold a saw, an [illegible] crowbar, or any instrument desired. [illegible] man in the bell desires to saw, he is [illegible] up, a saw is put in the steam hand, [illegible] goes back and begins work. When [illegible] wants an axe or a hammer he is drawn [illegible] again, and the tool is changed. The [illegible] bell is almost human in its capacity [illegible] work, and, with the brains of a man [illegible] it is a valuable labourer. When the [illegible] is in very deep or dark water, or at [illegible] an electric light is attached to the bell [illegible] the bottom for many yards around is [illegible] as bright as if the sun shone upon it. [illegible] effect upon the surface of the water [illegible] bright light underneath is said to be [illegible] and beautiful, and some of the Rip [illegible] Winklites who live up yonder on the [illegible] may well begin to wonder when they see [illegible] bottom of the Hudson bright with electric [illegible] light and a steam man digging for a pirate's [illegible] treasures.

There seems to be about as [illegible] difficulty in settling affairs in South Africa [illegible] as in satisfying the claims of the [illegible] leaguers. Notwithstanding all the [illegible] against Sir Bartle Frere, it is becoming [illegible] clear that it will be a very difficult [illegible] to make the Basutos and other tribes [illegible] ciently peaceful to render them [illegible] pleasant neighbours to our colonists or [illegible] able subjects of the Cape Government [illegible] is more than probable that the colonists [illegible] be overmatched in the struggle with them, [illegible] for they will be frightfully outnumbered [illegible] one thing, and our experience in Zululand [illegible] showed plainly that those "niggers" [illegible] South Africa are by no means [illegible] foes. The end will be in [illegible] further expenditure of the money of [illegible] British taxpayer, and of the blood of [illegible] British soldier.

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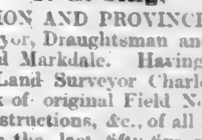

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SAVED HER LIFE.

Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.

Dear Sir—I have been under the doctors' hands almost continually for eight years, this year being the first that I have not employed a physician After using your Indian Blood Syrup for a brief space of time, I was enabled to do all my work. I truly believe it was the means of saving my life.

MRS. MARY LEONARD.

CURES COUGHS AND COLDS.

Burford, Brant Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.

ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

CURES ERYSIPELAS.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me. MRS. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I have used your great Idian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.

MELSON CARR.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—This is to certifiy that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.

W. N. CURROW.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

Cross Hill, Waterloo Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves. NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont,, Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. ROBISON.

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NURSE (to protessional friend making a call)—"'Well, nuss', sez he, 'igh and 'orty like, he sez, 'Wot do you think?' says he, 'Doctor,'" I sez, quite differenshal, I sez. 'And I'm the same way of thinking, nuss,' sez he. And so we settles it." Professional friend (much interested.) "Lor'! And wot was his opinion now?" Nurse—"Bless yer 'art, my dear creetur, in course he never hadn't given none!"

The Pope's Change of Policy.

(From the London News.

Our correspondent in Rome telegraphs an account of the speech which the Pope delivered on the occasion of his reception of some of the holders of office in the Papal Court. The speech seems to have been precisely in keeping with the character of the reception. It was just the sort of address to deliver to the official representatives of a past day. It was an anachronism like the uniform of the Papal Guards. Pope Leo talked exactly as his predecessor, Pope Pius, might have done. He described the celebration of the 20th of September, the anniversary of the entrance of the Italian troops into Rome, as "an accursed day." Burke spoke of one of the festivals of revolution in France as the celebration of "a day that seemed to blot the sun out of heaven." Pope Leo's denunciation is less eloquent, but even more intense. The Pope reasserted all the title of the Vatican to the temporal power, and declared that he and his successors would never cease "to reclaim what by fraud and by deceit has been stripped from the Roman See." Apparently, Pope Leo is following in the path of his predecessor, not merely in denunciation, but in the sudden passing from Liberalism to reaction. The present Pontiff was understood to be a liberal, wise, and practical man of the world, and a courtier whose mind was open to the recognition of realities, and under whose rule the Church and the State might possibly become reconciled in Italy. The speech just delivered seems to show that there is now as little desire for such a reconciliation in the mind of the present Pope as there was in that of Pius IX. We presume we can hardly take it as possible that Pope Leo was only making a speech "in character" to the ancient officials, with the kindly object of keeping up their spirits and reviving the memory of past and fading days.

Plan for Catching the Express Trains.

M. Hanrez, of Paris, is the author of a method of taking up carriages by a train *en route*, in order to avoid stopping trains at stations to take passengers up. A "waiting carriage", fitted with a steam engine with special gear and space for passengers and luggage, is placed on a siding at the station, and picked up by the train as it goes past. The latter, by means of a hook on its last carriage, catches a ring supported on a post, and connected with a cable wound on a drum in the waiting carriage. Thereupon the drum begins to unwind, and in doing so compresses a system of springs, while the carriage is moved at a rate gradually increasing to that of the train. The engine of the carriage then winds in the cable, the train andcarriage are connected, passengers are transferred from the joined carriages to the train, and *vice versa*, then the two are disconnected, and the engine of the carriage working on the wheels brings it back to the station whence it was taken.

"On the Ground Floor."

A speculator who has involved his faithful shareholders is no end of disasters summons them to a meeting at which he reveals to them his intention of letting them in—on the ground floor—to a scheme in which there are millions.

This lucrative speculation, he explains, is a silver mine of unexampled richness situated in an unexplored country.

A shareholder (timidly)—"But, I say, we want to know if it really exists?"

Speculator (indignantly)— "What really exists. The mine sir?"

Shareholder (apologetically)—"No, the country."

A Funeral on the Czar's Yacht.

(From the New York Truth.

Brief and calm as was the voyage, it sufficed for a death and a sea burial. At 6 on Saturday night as Admiral Popoff and his guests sat down to an early dinner, a message that turned gladness to gloom was delivered to him. A stoker, asked to hold an electric lamp for a moment, in taking it into his hands, happened to grasp the electric wires as well as the frame, and in an instant was struck dead. The surgeon, in order to lessen the shock of the incident to those who heard of it, pretended to believe that the man might not be dead; but in the course of an hour the truth was known, and before night the death service of the Greek church was chanted over the body of one who was himself chanting a few hours before at a morning service. On Sunday morning his funeral service was gone through; the body was carried on deck. Admiral Popoff and one or two of his officers assisting the seamen who bore it, and launched with solemnity and with gunfire into the sea. Admiral Popoff has the reputation of being a great courtier. His humility at fitting seasons among the seamen may possibly spring from the like cause with his courtliness, but it is certainly a notable quality. At the close of the funeral service he knelt upon the deck bowed his forehead three times to the ground, and then kissed the rudely-carved image of the Savior which had belonged to the deceased, and the silver cross of the priest, both of which was laid upon the hammock shroud. This ceremony, in an abbreviated form, was gone through by all the officers and men present, excepting, of course, the English passengers.

The Czar's yacht carries no less than seventy-six electric lights, and when her splendid saloons, her marble-laid corridors, and her deck promenades are lighted up with them she is a wonder to see. The finest sight of all, though, is her engine-room at night, when the vast mass of moving machinery is everywhere seen to far greater advantage than by day, daylight failing to reach in any force, so to speak, parts which are brilliantly lighted by the artificial "noon of night."

Intrigues Against Bismarck.

(From the London Telegraph.)

Our Berlin correspondent makes an important communication respecting the probability of Prince Bismarck's proximate resignation of office and retirement into private life. It would appear that certain occult influences at the Prussian Court have recently been at work with the object of undermining his position, and that their machinations, of which he has become cognizant, have vexed hisfiery nature so keenly that he is actually meditating that which would fulfil the heart's desire of his enemies. The Prince, ever since he incurred the animosity of the wealthy and influential Catholic nobles by taking the initiative in the conflict between Stateand Church has, upon several occasions exhibited a peculiar, almost morbid susceptibility to attacks emanating from the quarter to which, as we are informed, this latest intrigue has been tracked. Already, owing to his excessivesensitiveness in this regard, he has, upon more than oneoccasion placed his resignation in the hands of the Emperor, who has, however, persistently declined to accept it, laying his positive commands upon the irritated statesman to retain office under the assurance of his sovereign's unalterable confidence and affection.

IN 1830 the wool clip of the world was estimated at 320,000,000 pounds; in 1878 at 1,586,000,000.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

Fashion Notes.

ALL cuffs are narrow.

TRAINS are greatly shortened.

MATADORA is the newest shade of red.

HIGH cuffs of both black and white lace are worn.

DRIVING cloaks are long, loose ulsters of cheviot.

THE "Abbe" is the new hat worn by ladies returning from abroad.

THE latest handkerchief is of deep brown with a gold-colored border.

BLUSH roses are the favorite decorations of many lovely evening dresses.

A NEW bonnet is made entirely of chenille, and is becoming, light and pretty.

VELVET brocade dresses are made perfectly plain, without any looping or draperies.

THE new green shades are impyan green, willow, moss, sorrel, grass and serpentine.

SOME of the new chemisettes are made of rows of lace with the edge pointing upward.

IRISH lace appears in the same old patterns of wheels, and in the same shapes for ties, cuffs and collars.

THE current collars, fichus and perlines are of the time of Robespierre, and so are the reticules and new cabriolet hats.

WHITE plush bonnets, with the crowns or brims dotted with medium-sized pearl beads, are the favorite dress bonnets.

VEILS of lace and grenadine have dots of chenille the shade of the veil, or are dotted gold, silver, black, white or red.

ON all toilets is worn a profusion of lace. Cascades of it run and ripple all over the costumes, and it heightens even the plainest dress.

FRENCH dressmakers substitute a shirred satin yoke pointed at the back and in front for the plainness of the round waist used by American dressmakers.

THE latest cloak is the Continental. It has a deep yoke, and into it are gathered several breadths of silk, full enough to reach nearly to the hem of the dress.

A CORSAGE cluster of bowers is now furnished by Parisian modistes with all dresses except the plainest suits. Sometimes a mall bird is perched in these clusters.

IT is the fashion abroad for ladies to part off the entire front hair, cut it off short enough to be manageable, and arrange it in thick, close curls upon the head and forehead.

MANY habit basques are embroidered with chenille, or even with extremely narrow ribbons, and trimmed with ancient buttons, or else of painted enamel, representing flowers, landscape or faces.

A HEAVY Capuchin cord is worn around the waist either of gold, silver or of a color to match the rest of the toilet. It was first introduced by Mrs. Cornwallis West, one of the professional beauties.

A STRIKING novelty in trimming materials is uncut velvet woven in heavy cords and reversible, showing a different color on each side. Worth uses this for trimmings in spirals, showing the two shades alternately, and the effect is particularly good.

THE amount of jet used in fabulous. Soft chenille fringes, with hollow jet beads, rosettes of silken jetted cords, wonderful bead embroideries and ornaments which are one mass of sparkling jet. These are the leading trimmings for the new cloaks in addition to fur.

The Princess of Wales, it is reported, means to set the London fashions during the coming season, and the Duchess of Edinburgh and the Duchess of Connaught have agreed to obey her. For one thing, the Jersey is to be abolished: and for another, the Tam O'Shanter cap.

Waifs.

THE bride and bridegroom at a Nashville wedding had only one leg apiece.

THE Empress of Austria goes to Ireland for hunting in February, after her son's marriage.

ONE hundred and twenty-seven persons have shoes of Maud S. in which she made her fastest trot.

HYMEN is the only torch-bearer whose campaign never ends.—[Boston Globe.] But the procession is growing shorter every year.

MISTRESS.—"Bridget, did you hear me call?" "Yis mum," said Bridget, "but you tould me the other day never to answer ye back and I didn't."

THE greatest fisherwoman in England is Lady Caroline Lennox, a daughter of the Duke of Richmond, who is a wonderful hand at landing salmon.

HE was informed that a lady had called to see him in his absence. "A lady," he mused, aloud—"a lady." Upon an accurate description, he suddenly brightened up, and added: "Oh, dot vas no lady; dot vas my vife."

THERE are a great many skilful engineers on our railways, but we never knew one yet who could kick his train around a curve with the grace and success with which a first-class actress can perform the operation.

THE Marquis of Stafford, eldest son of the Duke of Sutherland, is to marry Miss Harford, one of the new beauties, whose name, however, was kept out of the newspapers last season.

IN breaking the ground for a Methodist church, in St. Louis, a hundred women took part in the ceremony, each tossing some earth into a cart with a polished brass shovel.

A MARRIAGE license was returned to the County Clerk at Onawa, Iowa, with a request that the fee paid for it be sent back. The writer explained that the girl had eloped with another fellow.

OLIVE LOGAN, speaking of women in journalism, and the prevalent opinion that the stockings of the blue-stocking are of doubtful integrity, says she is not acquainted with any ladies of the pen whose apparel might force the joke that they were ladies of the pig-pen.

IT is said that the Duchess of Edinburgh feels badly on account of her unpopularity in England. She herself is genial, kindly, accomplished, and very finely educated, but the English like neither her devotion to her father's ideas nor her religion.

LADY HARBERTON has published a letter advocating the adoption of a sort of Turkish trousers for women, on account of the awkwardness of the lower portion of the tight short skirt, and proposing to slash the skirt so that it may fall open from the knees in front.

THE daughter of Marshall Serrano, Conchita, a Spanish belle and beauty, is about to marry Count Santovenia, while her brother Francisco, not yet twenty, is to marry Mercedes Castellflorite, the sister of the count. Conchita's wedding dress is of white satin, with ornaments of orange flowers made of diamonds. The Countess of San Fernando gives her a parure of black pearls and brilliants; among the other gifts is a wonderful jewelled fan of the sixteenth century, and a gold pen, adorned with rubies and diamonds, for signing the wedding contract.

He Put His Arm Around Her.

The other day several men were standing on a street corner, talking, when a handsomely dressed lady passed.

"You may not believe me," said a man named Spriggins, "but I have had my arm around that lady."

"You are a vile slanderer, sir," exclaimed young Mr. Paperage, and, drawing off, he struck Mr. Spriggins a heavy blow between the eyes. Both parties were instantly arrested, and when Mr. Spriggins requested that the lady be summoned, a policeman caught up with her and requested her presence in court, which had just convened in afternoon session.

"Judge," said Paperage, "while several acquaintances and myself were standing on the street talking, this lady passed. Then this man," pointing to Spriggins, "remarked that he had put his arm around her. The lady is nothing to me, Judge, but my mother was a lady, and my sisters are ladies, and I have always made it a point to chastise a man who speaks ill of a lady."

"Mr. Spriggins," remarked the Judge, "did you say that you had put your arm around the lady?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then the gentleman did right in striking you. Ladies are not safe in Little Rock so long as such ruffians are allowed to insult them."

"Judge, allow the lady to speak," requested Spriggins.

"Certainly. You will please make your statements."

"I didn't hear the man when he said that he had put his arm around me, and as I passed on I do not know what occurred."

"Excuse me for being blunt, but—but—"

"Do you mean to ask if the man ever put his arm around me?"

"Yes."

"Then, I must say that he has."

For a few moments there was a deep silence, only disturbed by a boy who picked at the plastering with a horseshoe nail.

"What right had he to put his arm around you?" stammered the Judge.

"Because," answered the woman, "he is my husband."

When the court adjourned, the men took beer, and "the court adjourned."

Ruddolph and Stephanie.

Concerning the marriage of Prince Rudolph of Austria, a correspondent writes: "Although more than three months must elapse before the arrival of the marriage day (Feb. 18), the official programme has not only been fixed, but numerous meetings have been held by corporations and clubs to consider what had best be done worthily to show their loyalty and enthusiasm. The costly and elegant gifts which will be offered to the young couple by these different societies will present a gorgeous array of native art and industry. Nearly every big town in the Austrian monarchy will offer its souvenir—from one a dinner service in crystal, set with precious stones, a masterpiece of Bohemian art; from another a stand of firearms, calculated to bring down any known quarry; from a third, a monster leather portfolio, cunningly adorned with filigree of gold and steel and containing views of Austrian scenery by the first artists of the land. There will be goblets, caskets, vases, and cups innumerable, jewels and furs, wonderful pieces of furniture, and carpets, and lace enough to set up a palace. The good people of Prague, whatever may be their political crotchets, are determined to show that their loyalty to the house of Hapsburg is real and lasting. The hradchin of Prague is to be one of the chief residences of the crown prince and his wife, and thither the young couple will betake themselves after they have "honeymooned" in Schonbrunn. The czechians are accordingly making ready to wish their future king and queen a fitting welcome, and 60,000 florins have been voted by the town council of Prague to do the thing handsomely. The flags and banners which will decorate all the public buildings of the picturesque old city will be of unusual splendour and richness, and are, moreover, to be painted in oils, so that in case of rain their colours will not "run." They will afterward be hung in one of the great halls of the palace and preserved as memorials of the wedding. With regard to the arrangements made in Vienna for the wedding itself, the following programme has been fixed upon: On the 10th of February the bride will arrive with her parents, King Leopold of Belgium and his queen, Maria Henrietta, at the Austrian frontier, where they will be greeted at Salsburg by the bridegroom, who will, however, return to Vienna the same evening, etiquette not sanctioning his accompanying his "future" on her travels. The future empress of Austria will follow next day with her royal parents, and will be received at the Penzing-Heitzing railway station by the bridegroom and his imperial father and mother, who will conduct the visitors to the Schonbrunn palace. Princess Stephanie will thus remain in Austria for seven days before her marriage, during which time, we may conclude, she will be often visited by her future husband, who will, however, reside in the Burg at Vienna. The gala carriage in which the bride will be taken to church is the same as that in which the present empress of Austria went to her wedding twenty-seven years ago. Without it is a mass of gold and crystal, and the two-headed eagle of Austria, clutching the sword and sphere, stretches his wings over the roof, while within all is black and gold—the imperial colours. Eight "creams," with white plumes on their heads, their manes plaited with red and gold silk, and each attended by a lackey in full gala livery, will be harnessed to a state carriage, while an unspeakably grand coachman, holding the broad gold reins, will occupy the hammercloth; but his office, like many others, will be quite a sinecure.

Queen Christina and Her Baby.

The queen of Spain, says a recent Madrid letter to *The Pall Gazette*, made her first appearance in public to-day after the birth of her daughter, the Infanta Mercedes. The functions began yesterday by a *capilla publica* at the private chapel of the palace. The king and queen walked there in state through the corridors, which were decorated with the fine tapestries woven with silks and gold by Barbalunga, representing the victories of the Emperor Charles V. Every available place had been occupied from 8 in the morning by an eager crowd, chiefly composed of the fair sex. The royal party, attended by the high officials, heard a low mass, and before the gospel was read presented the usual offerings of a regal cake of almond marchpane and a basket of flowers and doves. In the afternoon the nuncio brought the papal offerings in great state to the palace. They were presented in the throne room, and consisted of a *faja*, or swaddling-clothes, costly relics, and papal briefs, addressed to different members of the royal family, exhorting them to bring up the young princess in the purest principles of the Catholic faith, and make her a fit heiress for the Spanish crown. The troops lined each side of the route taken by the royal cortege. The balconies were draped all along the road with coloured hangings and draped with graceful figures, mostly in black, with mantillas. The procession came along the Calle Mayor, Carrera de San Geronimo, Prado, and Museum to the Church of Atocha, in the same state as at the royal weddings, the most striking thing being the twenty-four fine Spanish and Arab horses, with richly embroidered saddles, led by the grooms of the household, in the brilliant blue, red, and white liveries of the house of Bourbon. After these came the eight old state coaches, drawn by six horses, in which the different members of the royal family were rocked backward and forward, I should say in the most unpleasant manner. Just as it was at one time the fashion to dress pages or train-bearers in richer stuffs than those worn by the mistress herself, so were the empty carriages *de respeto* which followed the different royalties grander than the vehicles occupied by them. The streets were crowded and the peaple enjoyed the fine show.

Theugly Atochachurch thescene of so many interesting contemporary events, was very gay, and the entrance court was grouped with creeping plants. Inside the effect was striking—the rich dress of the clergy and the gay uniforms and the dark heads of the priests reminding one at every moment of El Greco's picture at Toledo of the burial of Count Orgaz. Punctually at 1 o'clock Cardinal Moreno, the archbishop of Toledo, arrived, accompanied by his familiars, and was seated with some difficulty, owing to his portly figure. The religious ceremony was intrusted to the patriarchs of the Indies, Cardinal Becavides, a gentlemanly-looking man. He and the priests of Atocha were splendidly attired in white and gold vestments of the seventeenth century, embroidered with with religious subjects in coloured silks. The virgin of Atocha was gotten up for the occasion in a fine white and gold mantle, made in the traditional unartistic triangular Spanish fashion, with nothing visible but her tiny black face. The blue ribbon of the Spanish order of Charles III. was hung round her. The dresses belonging to poor Queen Mercedes were given to this virgin, and this mantle looked very much as if it had been made out of one of them. At 2 o'clock the clergy, preceded by the cross and lighted candles, went out to meet the royal party. The first to enter was the Archduchess Isabel, the queen's mother, a most beautiful and regal-looking woman. Her behaviour, and that of the two young good-looking Bavarian princes the king's cousins, who are now here on a visit, during the whole of the ceremony was admirrble. The queen came next with her daughter in her arms, her husband by her side, and surrounded by her brilliantly-attired sisters and ladies-in-waiting. I regret to say that a more uncomely set of women than those chosen for those high posts could hardly be found anywhere. Blue blood certainly does not insure beauty or distinction. The queen was dressed in white satin, the front breadth being covered with tiny gathers, and cut in large flaps at the bottom; round the back part of the dress a wide band of blue velet, gathered and held down by gold dots; the high body and train, also of dark blue velvet, lined with white satin, and trimmed like the under dress; on her head a diamond crown, holding back a white Brussels lace small-pointed mantilla. The baby had its eyes open, and was very good; the duchess of Medina, from evident *exces de sele*, rocked the poor little thing incessantly during the whole ceremony. This charming bit of nature among all these courtiers, bowing and courtesying, was refreshing to behold. The "Te Deum," "Tantum Ergo," and other parts of the service, were creditably sung by the choir, and then the infant princess was offered on the altar by the cardinal with his mitre on.

Balloon Accident.

A frightful balloon accident at P[aris is] reported by cable. August Navarre was performing on a trapeze suspended from the Montgolfier balloon *Videmvillaise*, when, at the height of 1,000 yards, or over half a mile, he missed his hold. The shocked spectators, it is said, could clearly follow the poor fellow's body in the descent, and when at length it struck the earth it made a hole two feet deep, and rebounded twice the height of a man's head. Freed from his weight, the balloon shot upward until it burst, and then it, too, fell. Deaths from balloon accidents are frequent enough, but a sheer fall from such a height has, perhaps, never before been recorded. Thus in 1876 a balloon took fire, when 2,000 feet high in the air, and its occupant was killed, but, as is usually the case, he stuck to his air-ship till grounded. A fearful dive is, however, far from being the only danger "Balloonists" have to dread. That it is quite as dangerous to go too high as to come down too fast is shown by the voyage of Tissandier, Sivel, and Croce-Spinelli, which is, perhaps, the most remarkable on record. They started on April 15, 1875, to rival the highest altitude ever reached by man. At 8,000 yards Tissandier fell in a faint just as his companions, who were in a scarcely better condition, tossed out some ballast in a last desperate effort to surpass Glaisher's record of 11,000 yards. The balloon flew up, how high it is impossible to say, but when Tissandier came to himself his companions lay dead beside him with black faces and bloody nostrils. They had been suffocated by the rarifaction of the atmosphere. Glaisher's record is, therefore, discredited, for it seems beyond dispute that human life cannot be sustained much above 8,000 yards. M. Godard's perilous experience in 1878—which happily resulted rather amusingly than otherwise—illustrates another danger which should not be forgotten by those who take passengers sailing in the air. At 1,000, at 2,000, at 3,000 feet he successively asked his companion how he felt, and was as often amazed that the amateur declared his feelings to be quite as usual. Finally Godard declared that he would go no higher, when suddenly his companion grasped his throat and demanded at least one emotion in return for his 1,000f. fare. The man was clearly a lunatic. At that fearful height he clambered out of the basket and around the swaying globe with the skill and carelessness of a monkey. Then he clasped Godard by the body and declared he would throw him over. Finally, he drew a knife and said he would seek his "emotions" by a fall, say of half a mile. But Godard did not lose his head. He declared himself charmed with the idea, and wondered that it had never before occurred to him. But he pointed out that, however pleasing the fall might be, it would be disagreeable to be multilated, and he suggested going 2,000 or 3,000 feet higher in order that when his companion cut the gas-bag their deaths might be certain. They were then both of a mind, and as Godard threw out the ballast the balloon darted still further above the clouds. His cheerful companion's spirits rose with the balloon, and once more he climbed out on the bellying sphere, but this time with a rope about him, in order, as Godard explained, that he might not tumble before he was high enough for a thoroughly good fall. At length he perched himself just over the escape-valve, then Godard pulled the cord which opened it, the escaping gas stupefied the madman, and—the crisis was over. Lest any one should doubt the story we hasten to add that it comes from France.

K. D. B.

SOME VERY USEFUL ADVICE TO A YOUNG LADY JUST ENGAGED.

(Philadelphia Times.)

She is one of the sweetest little bodies in all the world, is K. D. B., and it is no wonder that she has gone and got engaged; and we desire to pause here, for a moment, before entering upon K. D. B.'s perplexity—for she has a perplexity, poor dear—while we congratulate her with all our heart. Heaven bless you K. D. B., we do hope that everything will go along nicely and that your marriage will be as pleasant as possible. And now for the perplexity. "When a young lady becomes engaged," writes K. D. B.—and we can see the pretty thing blushing like a gazelle as she makes this timid, indirect confession that she is engaged—"when a young lady becomes engaged and receives letters of congratulation from his relatives (ah! what a world of native tenderness there is in this simple use of the pronoun), is she bound according to etiquette to reply? And if she is bound, in what form ought she to reply?" And then she winds up by telling us that "by answering" we will "confer a favor on 'K. D. B.'" It is proud and happy that we are, "K. D. B.," to be in a position to confer a favour upon you; and we fully appreciate the honour that you are doing us in asking our advice instead of "his." But an answer, dear child, must depend just a little on some of the circumstances which—in your pretty, careless way—you have neglected to mention. The general rule may be easily enough laid down that letters of this nature do not demand answers; but the very minute that the rule is stated the necessity for making exceptions to it is evident. A congratulatory letter from, for instance, the foreman of the fire company with which "he" has been connected in "his" wayward youth certainly does not require an answer; while on the contrary a congratulatory letter from "his" maiden aunt, from whom "he" has expectations, demands an answer of the most instantaneous and effusive sort that can be known or mentioned. To ignore the kind utterances of "his" rich bachelor uncle would be a sinful rudeness of which no right-minded K. D. B. should even dream of being guilty; but to answer the letter of the other uncle—the clerical uncle up in the country who has a doubtful salary of $500 a year and eleven children—would be a serious indiscretion. As to the peppery letter from the young woman to whom "he" was previonsly engaged, it is probable that your own fine natural instincts will advise you and so reader advice from us is unnecessary. But you see, dear K. D. B., that our advice upon any part of the perplexity is not of much value because you have only partially taken us into your confidence. After all, little one, perhaps the best thing that you can do is to consult "him."

Things still continue troubled in France, but a revolution is not imminent. Republicanism is too strong, and the people in general are too prosperous to make that likely.

A PASSING event: "I make it next"

The Morals of the Stage.

We have already, we think, clearly shown that there is necessarily no evil in the drama and the stage, in themselves, and we have never seen an argument advanced that has in the least availed to show the contrary. It is an utter begging of the question, although at first sight it looks like clinching the argument, to say that the stage has always been associated with immorality and the grossest vice, and that the modern stage is no exception to the rule. We take leave to doubt the accuracy of the former sweeping statement, and while we are prepared to admit that there is something suspiciously like truth in the latter assertion we insist that, despite of all, there is the possibility of much good in the stage and that what "offences" do come in connection with "plays, and play-actors" are to be laid at the door of the vitiated taste and evil inclinations of the age.

But let us see whether there is really ground for the charges that are brought with such confidence against the tendencies of the modern stage and the morals of those—especially the females—that "fret their little hour" upon it.

It must be admitted that, there, the weight of argument is against the purity of the morals of the heroes and heroines of the sock and buskin. Indeed he would be a bold man who would champion them in the face of facts but too well and widely known among those who are acquainted with the manners and customs of the *habitues* of the greenroom. It is quite evident that in spite of the exceptional favour shown to distinguished actors and actresses in the present day, the individual who chooses the player's part lays himself or herself open to certain social disabilities, and *ipso facto* enrols himself or herself in the list of Bohemians on whom "the reign of law" is, at best, but lax and whose ideas (as a class) are far from being straight-laced on all questions either social or moral. This is the inheritance of the profession, and it is not to be denied that the traditions of the stage are, as a whole, much more in the direction of laxness and even dissoluteness than of purity and moral cleanliness. Indeed it is hard to convince the ordinary mind that a woman who is willing to face an audience composed of all kinds and conditions of men, and appear before a crowd of many hundreds, facing them without shrinking, has to a certain very marked degree forfeited her claims to be the possessor of the great charm of all in woman—modesty. We therefore are not at all surprised or, at least, ought not to be, when we hear rumours of *liaisons* on the part of stage ladies, but on the contrary, are both astonished, and (if we must own it) disappointed when in that vitiated atmosphere there is found one who keeps an unspotted reputation and a pure life. There have been, we are glad to say, many examples of the latter class—many who have carried "the flower of a blameless life," and done honour to their profession. But it must be confessed, and we do it with regret, that there are far too many whose reputation has been anything but pure, whose open and undisguised profligacy has done more than anything else to lower and dishonour the stage and make it, what it most certainly is, a matter of loathing and disgust to all who have regard to purity. Poor Adelaide Neilson, whose beauty was of so rare a type, and whose powers of application to her profession were so remarkable as to stand to her in the stead of genius, had unfortunately anything but a pure reputation; the great Patti may have been much sinned against, but she has certainly sinned in this respect, while "the Bernhardt" makes no secret, but rather indeed an unblushing boast of her "little lapses" represented by four (is it not four?) pledges of her illicit amours, and yet the popularity of either actress has been so far from being injured by this fact that her reputation was rather enhanced thereby, and it has become rather *chic* than disgraceful for an actress to be known to have had her "zone unbound." This is much to be regretted not only for the sake of the stage, but for that of the general moral tone of society, and the impression it must make on the world at large. We are not purists, and we do not admire prudes, but, we do say, that the eternal principles of morality should be recognized and acknowledged in the *convenances* of society, for, alike by Scripture and common sense, they are approved as lying at the very foundation of the happiness and well-being, not of the individual only, but of the nation as well. And yet that it is not the fault of stage, we again maintain. It is a life surrounded with much temptation, a life in which there is much to excite and suggest passion, but inasmuch as there have been many brilliant instances of pure lives spent within its influences, we say that this is sufficient to clear it of blame, and to fix the reproach on weak humanity, and the lax moral tone of society. Let the preacher and the evangelist, and the reformer do their part—"break up," to use a very significant expression "the fallow ground" which they cannot yet be said, to have done, and they will find that when they have made an appreciable change in the general feeling on matters of decency and morality, they will find in the stage a powerful coadjutor in their work, rather than a stumbling-block and a hindrance.

People We Often Hear of, But Very Seldom See.

The boy who obtained a situation in an office through picking up a pin on the pavement.

The woman who had so little vanity that she never took a "last" look in the mirror before going out for a walk.

The doctor who refused to call again when he knew medicine would do his patient no good.

The lawyer who refused to carry on a case for a client because he was aware that he (the client) would only be wasting his money.

The mother who does not consider you might walk a long way before you could find a "finer, cleverer, more forward, and more beautiful" baby than her own.

Two married ladies who coincide in all points upon domestic economy.

A perfect general servant.

A lady who after passing a pretty woman can not remember every article of dress she had on, and can not find fault with her taste.

A man who after passing a pretty woman can remember any article of dress that she wore, and can find any fault at all, except that she passed too quickly.

The young man who does not think that he could write a better tale and play than half "those scribbling fellows."

The young lady who objects to being told that she is the prettiest girl in the room.

Boston Founded on a Gold Bed.

An artesian well is now being sunk in Boston, which, according to the *American Architect*, seems to have at least one peculiar feature. The well has been driven rather more than fifteen hundred feet without reaching any considerable spring, although there is a constant moderate flow of water into it, but it seems that at a distance of fourteen hundred feet from the surface a stratum of gold-bearing quartz, twenty feet thick was reached and pierced. As the city is itself situated on a mass of diluvial clay and gravel, although surrounded on all sides, at a distance of a few miles, by granite and porphyry formation, it might naturally be inferred that the auriferous vein would crop out somewhere about the edge of the basin, and as "bonanzas" twenty feet thick are not only rare but valuable, possibly further attempts may be made to trace the course of the deposit. We are not informed, adds the editor, whether the material brought up by the auger proved to be very rich in the precious metal; probably it was not, but no surprising results could be expected from a random incision into the rock. Whether any one succeeds in making any profit out of it or not, the thought that Boston, alone of large cities, rests upon a plateau of gold ore may at least serve to gratify the vanity of its inhabitants.

IT is the flat who loves to have others flatter him.

"I WOULD rather vote for a long-eared donkey than for you," said an independent voter to a Galveston candidate. "O, come, now! you ought not to allow yourself to be so influenced by family ties," responded the candidate. The voter has been puzzling his head ever since to find out why the crowd laughed.

THE Corean Government have forbidden the sale of any native maps of the country to Europeans, and even to Japanese. The latter, however, have for some time past been very active in surveying the coasts, and, when opportunity offered, the interior of Corea and their map, when published, will no doubt prove very useful, as they have a deservedly good reputation for accuracy in their cartographical work.

THE killing of the devil may soon be expected. It's an impending event.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9 25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10 35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9 16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Orangeville—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Dec. 3rd, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

TO ADVERTISERS.

We have decided to print a supplement in connection with the STANDARD a week before the Holidays, as there is an extra amount of advertising done at that season of the year, and we do not want to decrease the reading matter, we will give those who wish extra space, liberal terms, by means of a half sheet supplement, parties wishing to take advantage of the arrangement will please let us know in good time.

THE Reeve Artemesia, from present appearances, is determined to tree *that coon.* Keep at it, Doctor; patience and perseverence, you know, overcome all obstacles.

DR. Christoe says this week he thinks he could whittle off an Editor before breakfast. Unless the Doctor is more expert at whittling Editors than he is at *treeing coons,* his fast would be of longer duration than was that of Dr. Tanner.

The Reeve of Artemesia is out with another excuse for throwing out *that petition.* He says that a *large* number never signed the petition. We ask is it likely if such means were adopted by those interested to secure the requisite number of signatures, would they have permitted the list to be published, thereby affording an opportunity of being detected.

SUCCESS CERTAIN.

It is said that Baron Rothschild had the following maxims framed on his bank walls:

Attend carefully to details of your business. Be prompt in all things. Consider well, then decide positively. Dare to do right. Fear to do wrong. Endure trials patiently. Fight life's battle bravely, manfully. Go not in the society of the vicious. Hold integrity sacred. Injure not another's reputation or business. Join hands only with the virtuous. Keep your minds from evil thoughts. Lie not for any consideration. Make few acquaintances. Never try to appear what you are not. Observe good manners. Pay your debts promptly. Question not the veracity of a friend. Respect the council of your parents. Sacrifice money rather than principle. Touch not, taste not, handle not intoxicating drinks. Use your leisure time for improvement. Venture not upon the threshold of wrong. Watch carefully over your passions. 'Xtend to every one a kindly salutation. Yield not to discouragement. Zealously labor for the right, & success is certain.

CURE FOR DIPHTHERIA.

We have been requested to publish the following. The party sending it assures us it was found out by much research and experience.

"Take of hemlock and birch bark, of each an equal quantity. Remove the rough out side. Green osier, half the quantity, boil slowly, each in a seperate vessel, (iron will do,) until the strength is extracted. Strain and settle, then evaporate slowly until like syrup, mix altogether, gargle the throat often no matter if a little is swallowed. If there is haste, may commence gargling before boiling it down. May add a small quantity of burnt alum, and between times dust a little brimstone in the throat.

IMPROVEMENT IN PRICEVILLE

It is not our intention to attribute to the N. P., or any other extraneous cause, the marked improvement in the development of Priceville during the past Summer. We would be more inclined to give the praise to the inherent energy of its citizens, and the development of the natural resources of the country.

A very large number of the better class of private dwellings have been erected and completed. The Methodist Church, although commenced last year, is now completed, and forms an attractive feature in the picturesque beauty of the village, commanding, as it does, a prominent site, as seen from the approach from Flesherton Station. Additions have been made to several of the merchantile stores; and their closely packed shelves and crowded warehouses betoken a healthy prospect for trade during the winter. The most prominent of the improvements during the past summer is the Brick Block erected by Alex. Brown, Esq., which is not surpassed for symmetry of design or architectural beauty by any country village in the County of Grey, and has been leased for a term of years by Mr. Geo. Tuck, as an hotel. Priceville has long suffered for the want of a first-class hotel, more especially in the lack of proper accommodation in connection with the monthly Fairs held there. The Bar is ample and commodious, while the parlors are fitted up in magnificent style. The sample rooms for the accommodation of Commercial men are spacious and well lighted. The house is capable of entertaining over one hundred guests. The dining room is finished *al frescoe,* and is in proportion to the rest of the building, and complete in all its appointments; while the culinary abilities of Mrs. Tuck form by no means the least attractive feature of the bounteous table it was our pleasure to regale the inner man at a short time ago. A large yard for the keeping of cattle, brought for sale on Fair days, in rear of the hotel, will be found most acceptable, especially in stormy weather, the cattle being enclosed so that they cannot stray away, thus avoiding the unpleasant duty of "herding."

The Grist Mill, now under the control of Mr. H Somerville, is doing an excellent business, turning out a quality of flour unsurpassed in the country; and the farmers aver, a good yield. The Saw Mill is conducted by Mr. John McLeod, where lumber, lath and shingle are turned out by the million. Two new saws have been added in order to meet the increased demand.

A Brick Yard is in contemplation, and from the business character of Messrs. Webster (merchant of this Village) and Vert, (of Flesherton) there is little doubt but that it will be pushed forward with energy.

Mr. C. C. James has made extensive additions to his tannery and harness-making establishment, and could give him employment to additional men in both branches. This speaks volumes for the industrial resources of both town and country.

There are many minor branches of business which could be extended, or additional branches in the same line successfully commenced.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

ELDER HAWKINS.—Elder Hawkins will preach in the Methodist Church at 11 a. m., and 6.30 p. m., on Sabbath the 5th inst. A special collection will be taken up at the close of each service.

ANNIVERSARY — The Presbyterian Congregation of Flesherton intend holding their Sabbath School Anniversary in the Town Hall, on the evening of Christmas, the 25th inst. Large posters announcing the above will appear in a few days.

SKATING RINK.—The Flesherton Skating Rink is now in first-class order. The ice is all that could be desired. Mr. F. Sarjeant, has spared no pains or expense in making it comfortable. He has secured the services of a first-class band to be in attendance. This will be a great acquisition to the evening's enjoyments.

Good beech and maple stove wood (two feet) is selling at 80 cents per cord.

BREVITIES.—The Council meets on 6th inst., in the Town Hall......The Public Schools of Flesherton have a large attendance......Two ladies "lost their heels" at the rink on the 24th ult.......Mr. Doll has his jewelry shop filled with a very costly stock of Christmas goods......Mr. M. Richardson has his stock of winter goods opened out......Messrs. Sproule and Trimble are buying a large amount of grain......Mr. Damude has a new sign on his harness shop......Very cold weather......Mr. Hooper has bought the furniture show-rooms and dwelling house of the late Mr. M. E. Merriam..... Coal Oil is 40c a gallon in Flesherton.

From another Correspondent.

The grain market has been unsually lively during the past week, consequently all kinds of business is brisk.

As the holidays draw near the customary programme of Socials, Concerts, &c., are the order of the day. The season is to be opened on Monday next by the Elder Hawkins Troup in the Methodist Church, when it is expected we will hear something to superceed "One More River."

The Skating Rink is now in full blast, and under the management of Mr. F. Serjeant promises to become very popular. The tickets have been placed very low, and withing the reach of all. A number of our musical young men have formed a quartette band, and are practicing for the purpose of playing on the Rink one night in the week; also at masquerades, which will, no doubt, be quite an attraction.

The railway bonus is the subject of discussion at present. The farming class appear pretty unanimous against it, while the majority of business men are for the by-law.

EUGENIA.

From a Correspondent.

The mail carrier on his route from Meaford to Flesherton, reports to-day, that while delivering the mail at a post office in the Township of Euphrasia, he left his whip in the cutter, when he came out with the mail bag to resume his journey he discovered that the whip had [illegible] [illegible] been [illegible] a few minutes. He offers a reward of $2.00 for the recovery of it. Sharp practice in broad day light.

Strong gales. Heavy squalls. Lots of snow. Every appearance of plenty of sleighing. Vennor could not give you any better idea of the weather than that.

We are sorry to have to report the death of the old and respected mail carrier Mr. John Benson, who was burried yesterday, Sunday, and was followed to his last resting place by a large number of orange brethren, he being a prominet member of the orders having been district master for a number of years. Eleven lodges of the district attended the funeral. Mr. Benson's familiar face will be missed on this route. He was noted for his quiet and retireing manner by all who knew him.

Cupid that sly young imp has been at work among the bachelor fraternity again. Mr. Adam Smith has at last succumbed to his influence, and has taken Miss. Kate Williams for better or worse, no doubt the late cold snap had something to do with it, as keeping bach hall is not the thing in such weather. We wish them many happy days.

A few days ago the school children of this place were given a rather practical lesson, little calculated, however, to impress on their tender minds the sentiment embodied in the celebrated lines written by Dr. Watts, commencing "Let dogs delight to bark and bite, &c. It appears that two neighbors children fell out at school. The mother of one of them, a matron of middle age, on seeing the other child, made a dash for it, weapon in hand, which she plied in a truly gymnastic style, which indicated anything but the longevity of the assailed, while the organ of articulation became clogged from excessive use; not sufficient, however, to prevent her from giving utterance to the high estimation in which she held the child and at its parents in language more emphatic than polite. Such occurrences, we are happy to say, are very rare in our midst. No proceedings have as yet been taken.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

T. G. & B. R.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I should feel highly honored, to find myself in company with so distinguished a gentleman, who has discussed public questions, with men of *intellect* and *morals.* The old adage is, "like begets like"—and I have been viewing *Robertson* in spectacles and every other possible form—to find as, the doctor would say, the *sequences*—alas! They are "non est."—Robert Robinson's pretences to *intellectual* affiances and moral perfection, must fall flatly, in the face of the facility, motives are impugned and information to the Assessor withheld. You see, the difference is, as to whose ox is gored. My friend's self adulation and sympathetic wails, to his friends—is really pitiable. I am sure Artemesia should pay heed henceforth and grant my friend the boon he coveted some time ago. She has hitherto overlooked this prodige of high intellectual and moral associations. There Robert, let that do. I was going into that assessment again, but I hadn't the heart, to be too severe on an old friend. Come now to the point at issue, this R. R. question. We accord, in so far as, the desirability to have the improvements sought—but we differ, as to whose duty, it is to do it. The history of the past is known and need not be repeated. The By-law was defeated six months ago. Mr. R. says, "a very general desire was expressed, for it to go into the hands of the G. T." This is only true in part. The prevalent idea was to urge it into the hands of a new company as bona fide owners—not by lease—hence the conditions as then expressed, do not exist. The bonus is not asked, for the Grand Trunk, but for *the* old Company, against whom there were so many complaints; true or not, I could not say. There is therefore a very great difference between a mere lease-holder and a real proprietor. A R. R. might pass through the most carefully drawn lease, Mr. R. views the matter from two stand-points. 1st "Whether, in common justice, we are called upon to help those men who run the road out of their difficulties." 2nd "Will it pay us to help them?" Friend Robertson is great on this principle of *common justice.* This principle is based upon the supposition that the road is *ours.* It *is* ours in the sence, that Flesherton mills are ours and that it is advantage to us—but their is no proprietorship, no control—and as it now stands, you cannot make any sort of condition—and then, the road *can help itself*—please put a pin in there; there is where the whole thing hinges—and it is mere bosh to talk about injustice—what pledge has been broken—injustice is it to refuse to grant a gift to one of the best paying institutions in Canada? And who have made or are about to make ample provisions, to do the work required themselves, I will not repeat the figures, this has been done again and again and even, my *intellectual* friend has not controverted them nor can he—it is well enough to make side issues, to divert the attention but the sober facts are as stated. His second question has no force whatever—for if the conclusions above be correct, the *pay* comes all the same—in every particular. "The money he says would be spent among ourselves, and our young men instead of having to flock to the States in search of work, would find it at home for one season. Of course a person whose heart is overflowing towards the company, don't stay to weigh facts. Pray friend! "How much work is to be done on the railway? How many boys would it employ? And how long? Yet such is paraded for argument. I am asked to prick them look at the estimate, revised by Messrs. Gzowski & Shanly. "Sundry deviations and changes of grade." $7,000 over a track of 200 miles. Seven thousand dollars to keep our young men from the States! Bosh—I don't suppose $100 would be spent in Artemesia. The greater part of the expenditure will be for rails, ties, bridges, engines and the like, to be performed by skilled R. R. hands. His [illegible] are like [illegible] [illegible] they are gone. I [illegible] in the STANDARD, that [illegible] to be made, to the [illegible], to confirm certain [illegible] to be passed. It will be [illegible] that some time ago I forewarned what Parliament might do—and if Artemesia had granted $20,000 then you see she could not back down—if no other township had given one cent. The council of Artemesia feels proud to know that the vast majority of the ratepayers support them in their action on this R. R. question. I admit, that I am under an obligation to you for the use of your columns—but sir, a great many of your readers are opposed to a bonus, and I am sollicted on every hand, to answer, from the surrounding six townships, at least two to one are opposed to this bonus, many of whom are your subscribers, who wish to hear both sides. I have been urged all around, to keep up the correspondence and congratulated on the effert. The mal-treatment I have received however is not so very pleasant. I can assure you, your couse is very suicidal to your interests—to be found out too late, but it is your own business. I regret any personal collisions, for altough I might be able to whittle an editor, easily, before breakfast, you would not permit it—you are master of your own castle. But I have no disposition—fair play is all I ask. How is it, that every statement of mine is *false,* and I am a person of such and such characteristics? What necessity is there for such accusations? If the generally supposed amiable and quiet minded *proprietor* and the *editor* be identical—then I certainly was "barking up the wrong tree." I could then account for the calibre of the aricles—but perfectly dumbfounded at their morality. Just one word of explanation regarding, my *wilful mis-statement.* I said after "necessay reductions" there were about 100 remaining—I suppose it did not strike you, that besides the 12 or 15 non-property owners—some sheets might have been *bogus*—as it would appear—one list in particular containing a large number of names with one or two exceptions not signed at all, by the parties therein named—what would any council do with such a list? Why throw it out. Where then does the *false statement* come in? I certainly did not intend to charge you with anything *false* in reference to "Howland & Co's. letter. Your comments were quite natural; but I saw this letter weeks ago in the "Owen Sound *Times.*" It was an hackneyed thing, before you printed it. My criticism was on the letter, not on you—no reader of intelligence, I think, could construe my remarks otherwise. Write up the railroad weekly sir, there is plenty of room without personal wrangles. I finish by stating, that I am neither an enemy to Markdale or the road I have such unbounded confidence in its ability to fix itself that my effort has been and is, to compel it to do so.

DR. CHRISTOE.

BIRTHS.

In Markdale, on the 18th ult., the wife of Thos. Hill, merchant, of a son.

In Markdale, on the 28th ult., the wife of J. J. Graham, Shoemaker, of a son.

In Glenelg, on the 14th ult., the wife of R. H. Boyce, of a son.

In Dundalk on the 15th ult., the wife of John Hanbury, of a daughter.

In Synghampton, on the 6th ult., the wife of Edward Blackstock, of a son.

MARRIED

At the residence of the brides parents, on 1st inst., by Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. George Lyons Logan, to Miss Annie Elliott, eldest daughter of Mr. Robert Elliott, Euphrasia.

At Priceville, on 1st inst., by the Rev. D. McLeod, Mr. James Parks of Cookstown, to Miss Maggie Moffat of Osprey.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Dec. 3rd, 1880.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.12	tc	1.16
Fall do. do. do.	1.08	to	1.12
Barley	0.60	"	0.92
Oats	0.00	"	0.29
Peas	0.60	"	0.63
Potatoes.	0.25	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.50	"	5 70
Beef	5.00	"	5.00
Geese. per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.00
Hides	5.00	"	8.50
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay,	6.50	"	0.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	1.75

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Dec. 2nd. 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.12	to	1.15
Fall do. do. do.	1.08	"	1.18
Barley	0.60	"	0.92
Oats	0.00	"	0.29
Peas	0.50	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	5.50	"	5.70
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, Dec. 2, 1880.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	$1 16	to	$1 24
Wheat, spring, do.	1 12	to	1 16
Barley, do.	0 8o	to	1 06
Oats, do.	0 34	to	0 35
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 70
Rye, do.	0 87	to	0 88
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	5 75	to	6 00
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	3o	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 6o
Geese, each	50	to	0 6o
Turkeys	75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	2o	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 18	to	0 00
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 oo	to	1 1o
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 25
Onions, per bag	0 00	to	1 65
Hay	8 50	to	12 25

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 135, Con. 2 West Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, about the 1st October, a Spring Heifer Calf, red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

ROBERT BLAIR.
Artemesia, Nov. 24, 1880. 12-3i

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Kimberly, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-2i

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EUGENIA P. O.
Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

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Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3m

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, Lot 11, Con. 15, Township of Glenelg, on the 20th October, two yearling Heifers, one spoted red and white, one dark red with top off one horn. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

R. E. ENGLISH.
Glenelg, Nov. 19, 1880. 11 3i

STRAYED.

CAME into the enclosure of the subscriber Lot 72, East Toronto and Sydenham Road, Township of Holland, some time in September, one Ewe. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

WM. JACKSON.
Holland, Nov. 17, 188o. 1o-3i*

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 2o, Con. 12 township of Holland, in July, a red Steer, 2 years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away,

J. S. LYONS.
Holland, Nov. 12, 188o. 1o-3i*

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[illegible]—First [illegible] month.
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Markdale, Nov. 18, 188o. 1o-2i

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Markdale, Nov, 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

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W. SUTHERLAND TAYLOR,
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STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 8, Con. 14, township of Glenelg, on or about the 1st of September, a Heifer, one year old, spotted red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take her away.

GEORGE LAMB.
Glenelg, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o-3i*

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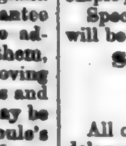
WILSON BE
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880.

DONALD McLE



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D. McLE
Corner of Queen and
Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880

THE STANDARD.

Dec. 3rd, 1880.

OTHER NOTICES.

[illegible] are good now.

[illegible] wood coming in now.

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A FARMER in Wallace purchas[illegible] travelling agent, a drug which [illegible] recommended for killing [illegible] calves. The first application [illegible] three of the calves.

[illegible] business man should [illegible] the business he follows [illegible] his envelopes and note paper. [illegible] can furnish you with both [illegible] neatly printed, at city prices [illegible]

IMPORTANT TO T[illegible].—[illegible] should not forget when entering [illegible] their contracts with rural school [illegible] to agree on the length of [illegible] 1881. [illegible] the contract [illegible] trustees can [illegible] weeks.

[illegible]

SOME of our subscribers [illegible] are complaining that [illegible] the paper until the [illegible] published. It is mailed [illegible] Friday morning and should be [illegible] ed the next day. We shall [illegible] the matter and if we can find [illegible] linquent, we shall bring the [illegible] to the notice of the Post Inspector.

THE [illegible] announced by posters that [illegible] kins and band give a series of [illegible] at school house, 4th line, Art[illegible] Eugenia, and Kimberley, on [illegible] 16th and 17th Dec., the proceeds which are to be applied [illegible] Fund. [illegible] to attend, as we can say from [illegible] ence the [illegible] worth hearing.

We have just [illegible] store of W. J. McFarland, [illegible] 5,000 and 6,000 pounds of [illegible] tea which we are informed [illegible] seasons growth, [illegible] W. J. McFarland, and [illegible] is the largest lot of [illegible] into Markdale, or, indeed, [illegible] County of Grey. [illegible] it at a small advance [illegible] effect a speedy sale. [illegible] the success his enterprise [illegible]

MR. ROBERT DAVIS, [illegible] has a large amount of money [illegible] at 7 per cent simple interest [illegible] in advance either. Persons [illegible] to see him personally [illegible] well to remember that from [illegible] of other business he will only [illegible] at his office 2 days in each [illegible] Wednesday and Saturday [illegible] however, may be left at [illegible] day, and will receive prompt [illegible] ful attention.

[illegible] League [illegible] St. Lawrence Hall, Toronto [illegible] Dec. 8th [illegible]

[illegible] A. W. W[illegible] other pr[illegible]

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Perfumery, Combs, Tooth,
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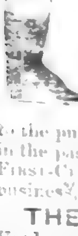
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880.

DONALD McLE

MAKER



BEGS to return
his sincere thanks
to the public for their very liberal
in the past, and hopes by honest
First-Class Work, and close
business, to merit a continuance of

THE BEST OF MATE

Used, and none but First-Class
employed.

Special attention paid to Repair
will be done promptly.

Sewed work a Spec

NOTICE.

All over due accounts must
delay or I shall have to resort
any means for collection.

D. McLEO

Corner of Queen and

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880.

THE STANDARD.

day, Dec. 3rd, 1880.

& OTHER NOTICES.

ers are good now.

of wood coming in now.

rs bring in your grain while are good.

a cheap and reliable watch go F. Doll's, Flesherton.

and see our 25 cent packages ionery, &c. The cheapest in

W. F. Doll's advertisement, a large and beautiful stock of are.

FARLAND shipped in November, lbs. of poultry, nearly four and tons.

vis, the auctioneer, is taking the try him. Good prices guaran- charges low.

amount of beef, pork, and ry coming in, and changing at fair prices.

VEN PER CENT.—Any amount of y to lend by John Lyons, Mark- on good farm security.

RSONS desiring a change in ad- nt will please hand it in not n noon on Wednesday's.

has some of the best value this section of the country. on of his stock will well

. DAVIS, Flesherton, has any of money to lend at 7 per simple interest get his special before borrowing.

have lost, found, or want announce it through the of the STANDARD. It is the medium in the county.

sit shivering over an old stove when you can get a new at Hackett Bros at such a low Call and see for yourselves.

A farmer in Wallace purchased from travelling agent a drug which was mended for killing vermin on The first application killed

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business man should fail to the business he follows printed his envelopes and note paper. We furnish you with both articles printed, at city prices, at the

TEACHERS.—Teachers not forget when entering into eir contracts with rural school trus- on the length of the holi- ys If there is no provision in defining the point the shorten the holidays two

be an extensive auction buggies, and farm the show rooms of W. by John W. on Dec. 9th. cash; implements month's credit on ap-

who took a horse the Inspector of Weights at R. J. Sproule's shed, Tuesday night, Nov. 23rd, will re- rn the same and leave it at R. J. Sproule's, Flesherton, will save him- some trouble; and oblidge the owner. The party is known.

Some of our subscribers at Kimberley are that they do not get the paper until the week after it is published. It is mailed here early on Friday morning and should be receiv- ed the next day. We shall look into the matter and if we can find the de- linquent, we shall bring the matter to the notice of the Post Office Inspector.

THE JUBILEE SINGERS.—It is an- nounced by posters that Elder Haw- kins and band give a series of concerts at school house, 4th line, Artemesia, Eugenia, and Kimberley, on the 15th, 16th and 17th Dec., the proceeds of which are to be applied on the Mission Fund. We would advise all who can to attend, as we can say from experi- ence the Elder and his band are well worth hearing.

WE have just seen piled up in the store of W. J. McFarland, between 5,000 and 6,000 pounds of fine Japan tea which we are informed is of this season's growth, imported direct by W. J. McFarland, and we must say it is the largest lot of tea ever brought into Markdale, or, indeed, into the County He intends selling it at a small advance upon cost, to effect a ready sale. We wish him the success his enterprise deserves.

MR. ROBERT DAVIS, of Flesherton, has a large amount of money to lend, at 7 per cent simple interest, and not in advance either. Persons wishing to see him personally will do well to remember that from pressure of other business he will only be found at his office 2 days in each week viz. Wednesday's and Saturday's. Orders, however, may be left at his office any day, and will receive prompt and care- ful attention.

CURRENCY REFORM LEAGUE.—A meeting of this League takes place in St. Lawrence Hall, Toronto, on Wed- nesday, Dec. 8th, at 2 o'clock, all persons friendly to the cause are re quested to be present. Members of the press of all shades of politics are cordially invited. There is to be a mass meeting in the evening, at which addresses will be delivered by A. W. Wright, Geo. B. Brooks, and other prominent Currency Reformers.

WE have made arrangements with the following papers to furnish them to parties who wish to take them in connection with the STANDARD, at greatly reduced rates. The American Agriculturist $1.00; Canadian Farmer 75c.; Scientific American $2.60; To- ronto Weekly Globe $1.25. We hope to be able to give the price of *Mail* and several others next week. The above prices are only adhered to when the papers are taken in connection with the STANDARD.

LORNE LODGE.—This Temperance Association give there annual soiree on Friday 17th Dec., at Hannah's school house on the corner of 40 side road and 10th line. The entertain- ment will consist of Readings, Recita- tions, addresses by prominent speak- ers, and instrumental and vocal music by the Markdale C. M. Choir, and several well known amateurs. The admission is put at the low figure of 15 cents so as to permit all to attend, and we hope they will do so, as the association deserve to be encouraged as it has done considerable good in a quiet way. For particulars see post- ers.

SLEIGHING is good.

SEVERAL communications are crowded out this week but will appear in our next.

WE will give the Weekly *Mail* in connection with the STANDARD to the end of 1881 for $2.25.

THE Daily *Mail* during the session of Dominion Parliament for $1.00. Subscriptions taken here.

AN Orange Soiree will be held in the Orange Hall, Markdale, on the 17th inst. "See posters."

THERE is from two to three thousand dollars per day paid for farm produce in Markdale lately.

THE Daily *Globe* from the opening to the close of the Dominion Parliament for *only one dollar*. Subscriptions taken at this office.

THE ANNUAL Tea Meeting of the C. M. Church, Markdale, will be held on Christmas. Look out for posters for particulars.

WM. McLOUGHRY, Collector for Ward No. 2, Artemesia will be at the Markdale House, on Thursday 9th Dec., at 2 o'clock p. m., to receive taxes.

TEACHER, if he wishes his communication published, must send us his name, not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. Anonimous communications will receive no attention at our hands.

SHOVELING snow off the sidewalks is the whole go from seven to eight o'clock in the morning. Jimmie Munshaw has made a wooden shovel which beats anything yet for cleaning the sidewalks of snow. "Patent applied for."

RAILWAY MATTERS.—The by-law to grant a bonus of $7,000 to the T., G. & B. Railway in the Township of Derby, was defeated by a majority of 116. In Proton the by-law was also defeated by 49 votes. Melancthon, we believe has carried the by-law, by a small majority.

WE are printing this week some two hundred copies of the STANDARD for sample copies. Those to whom they are sent will kindly receive them as such, and if not inclined to subscribe themselves, would they kindly hand them to their neighbors. Remember the STANDARD from now until 1st Jan. 1882 for $1.25.

SCIENTIFIC AMERICAN.—We would call the attention of our mechanical friends to the advertisement of the *Scientific American* in another column. The STANDARD and the above paper can be had until the end of 1881 for $3.85 in advance. The *Scientific American*, alone for $3.20 subscriptions taken at this office.

MUNICIPAL MATTERS.—In Glenelg things are very quiet. Artemesia, about the same. Euphrasia, Robert Myles Esq. is out for Reeve, it is said his chances are good for being elected. From Osprey we have nothing definite. Proton, the present Reeve—J. J. Middleton and Mr. Nelson are in the field both confident of success.

MARINE DISASTER.—The propeller *Simcoe*, of the Chicago and Collingwood line, was lost Wednesday last and twelve of her crew drowned, among whom were two women. The vessel labored in the trough of the sea for nine hours after the fires were put out before finally going down and the survivors say their sufferings were fearful as the sea made a clean sweep over her the whole time.

COUNTY ITEMS.

FIRE IN GLENELG.—On Thursday morning last Mr. Patrick Neil, of the Township of Glenelg, was suddenly awakened by an unusual noise, and on jumping out of bed he discovered that his woodshed and the back kitchen were all in flames, but nothing daunted he immediately went to work, being only partially dressed and in his bare feet, to put the fire out, being ably assisted by Mrs. Neil, who helped to carry water, and between them by their heroic exertions, they succeeded in saving their house from the devouring element, but not before Mr. Neil's feet were frozen, and his hands burnt by the flames. The kitchen and woodshed were destroyed but the house which is a good log one was saved without being much damaged. Mr. Neil's feet were sore, but not seriously blistered with the frost. It is a remarkable circumstance that Mr. and Mrs. Neil were able to subdue the fire themselves after it had gained such headway as it had, as they had to carry the water quite a distance. But pluck and perseverance works wonders some times. —*Review.*

THE T., G. & B. BONUSES.—The by-law submitted to the ratepayers of Howick for a bonus of $12,500 to the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce Railway, to be expended widening the gauge, was carried by a majority of 65 votes. The by-laws in the municipalities of Culross and Teeswater having been defeated, new by-laws will be prepared and submitted without delay.—*Review.*

WINGHAM carried a by-law for the Toronto, Grey and Bruce extension by a majority of 116 on Friday last.—*Review.*

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

THE Undersigned will be at Lot 6, 2nd 3rd Concession, N. D. R., Glenelg- on Saturday, Nov. 20, 1880, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of letting contract of building New Bridge across Saugeen River. Plans and Specifications to be seen at the house of Thomas Davis, Lot 2, 3rd Concession, N. D. R.

F. MACRAE,
G. BINNIE,
T. DAVIS,

Glenelg, Nov. 5, 1880.

Money Lost!

By those who buy stoves before going to

J. GARDINER'S

Dundalk.

Best and Cheapest stock of

STOVES and TINWARE

North of Toronto. 6

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, on the 15th inst., a Steer rising three years The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges and take him away,

SAMUEL MILLER.

Markdale, Nov. 19, 1880. 10-3

XMASS

SILVERWARE, WATCHES, JEWELRY, CLOCKS,

AND FANCY GOODS.

The largest and best assorted stock, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, ever shown in this section of Country.

In Silverware I have
Tea sets, Fruit Dishes,
Preserve Dishes, Pickle Dishes,
Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers,
Card Receivers,
Ladies' Companions,
Cruets, Cups,
Napkin Rings,
Knives, Forks, Spoons,
Chains, Lockets, Earrings, &c., &

In Watches, I have—Gold and Silver Hunting and Open-Faced key and stem winders, including the celebrated Waltham Watches (they are the best) Swiss, English and American key and stem winders, from $4 up. The celebrated Sth Thomas and other Clocks, from 75c up. In Jewelry,—I have colored and Bright Gold sets, Chains, Seals, Lockets, Pins, Cuff Buttons, Studs, Pens, &c., &c., &c.

DIAMOND, WEDDING, AND GEM RINGS.

My Goods have all been purchased for Nett Cash, and will be sold at Bottom Prices.

Watch Repairing a Specialty.

Nov. 25, 1880. (6)

W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.
Flesherton and Dundalk.

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 148 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS, ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-tf

MARKDALE.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

WM. FOX,

Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

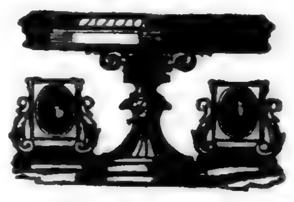
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT

Clearing Out Sale!



GRANT & CHELLEW

will offer for the

NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
CUPBOARDS,
WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,

Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

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Pictures and Picture Framing!

in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing!

promptly attended to.

☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.

Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROWS AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compass with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres

FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood. (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE,
Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves.

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX

STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.

ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork!

made to order on the shortest notice,

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all patterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Bloch opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880. 1

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the Countyat

McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit,
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your **AXES** at McFARLAND'S. Those **$2.50 MANTLES** selling fast. New **DRESS GOODS** at McFarland's. New **FLANNELS** at McFarland's. New **SHAWLS** at McFarland's. New **BONNETS** and **HATS** at McFarland's. New **TWEEDS** at McFarland's. New **CARPETS** at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. **Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.**

W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER, Markdale.

BOOTS and SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

A NOVELTY in these Goods!

The Indestructible Riveted and Cemented and Water-proof Seam.

Call and Examine Stock and Prices!

before purchasing "slop" goods elsewhere.

FULL LINES IN

Groceries, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing,

(Ready-made,) Crockery and Glassware!

AT THE

"TORONTO HOUSE,"

MARKDALE.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880.

Cash! Cash! Cash!

People may Puff and Blow, but if you want real value for

Your Money or Produce

GO TO THE

Toronto House,

DUNDALK,

The following is a list of prices of a few of the many leading lines offered.

Men's Overcoats $5.50 and upwards.		Boy's Ulster Overcoats $4.75 and upwards.	
Men's Tweed suits $4.00	do	Men's undershirts and Drawers 50c	do
" Overalls (Duck) 75c	do	" heavy Pants $1.25	do
" Winter Caps 45c	do	Ladies' all wool shawls, $1.25	do
Ladies' Clouds, 50c	do	Beautiful patterned dress Goods 15c	do
Beautiful Lustres, 15c	do	Factory Cotton, 7c	do
Ladies' Fur Caps $1.75	do	Children's Fur Caps 95c	do
Men's long Boots, $2.00	do	Men's seamless whole stock Boots $0.55	do
Boys long Boots, $1.25	do	Women's strong shoes, $1.10,	do
Children's strong shoes 45c	do		

Together with a full stock of First-Class Groceries. Teas, Sugars, choice Brands of Tobacco, Soaps, Syrups, Vinegar, Dried Apples. Biscuits, Confectionery. Spices of all kinds, Patent Medicines, Castor Oil, Castorine, Machine Oils, Coal Oil. Also Hardware, Spoons Table Knives, Nails, Screws, Hinges, latches, &c., and a full stock of all the leading lines in Dry Goods, Millinery, Furs of all kinds, and all other Goods such as are kept in a First Class General Store.

Farm Produce taken as cash. A call is solicited and you will be convinced that this is the place to get good value for your money.

Highest Cash Price paid for all kinks of Grain, Pork, &c.

GEORGE NIXON.

Dundalk, Nov 25, 1880. 11 4t

H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

IN

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,

SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES, DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS, WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES, &c., &c., &c.

WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!

CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—

UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings

made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patrons so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and much so as is consistent with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER,

1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mill

Remved!

Removed.

HILL BROTHERS,

Would intimate to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they have removed to their new premises, and will be pleased to receive a call from our many friends and customers. Call and see us. We will GIVE YOU BARGAINS. WE MEAN BUSINESS.

SEE OUR

Cheap Dress Goods,

Lustres,

Wincies,

Laces,

And Fringes.

Gents, see our CLOTHING. They are Stylish, Good CHEAP.

SEE OUR TWEEDS!

You will find them right in Price and Quality.

Boots and Shoes a Specialty.

Call and get a sample of our Splendid TEAS.

Gentlemen we have a splendid SMOKING TOBACCO, at 40c per lb. Try it.

We again give a general invitation to inspect our Stock. Have not time to write long advertisements. Don't believe in them. Would rather have the Goods speak for themselves.

Thanking you for past favors, and trust to have a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880. 1-ly

"Hew to the Line."

A LUMBERMAN'S SONG.

Going through the woods my lads
The ringing axe we swing,
And as we ply our merry toil
This cheery stave we sing:
"Let true eye guide each sturdy stroke
True heart and hand combine;"
And "wheresoe'er the chips may fall,
Hew to the line!"

Life's a bush of varied woods
And cross is oft their grain,
But axe and wedge will cleave the knots
And part the log in twain.
The line of duty, fairly traced
By Nature's own design,
Will keep us straight, my lads if we
Hew to the line.

Hard our lot as lot may be,
Spare our fare at best is,
Yet our slumber's sounder far
Than his, who wears a crest is.
This one honest rule we seek,
In shadow or in shine,
"Aye, wheresoe'er the chips may fall
Hew to the line."

He who wields the trusty steel,
To hew a path through life,
Must bear a single heart to guide
His action in the strife.
Then let us pray that, come what may,
This law be yours and mine,
['Tis His, who bosses all the gang].
"Hew to the line."

CHORUS, Hew to the line, my lads
Hew to the line!
Wheresoe'er the chips may fall
Hew to the line!

ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER VII.—CONTINUED.

I was dreadfully hungry by this time, and I went to a confectioner's which I knew; but I dared not stop to eat anything, lest some acquaintance dropping in should recognize me. I drank off a cup of coffee, and I bought a parcel of cakes and buns, and returned once more to the railway station.

I had carefully avoided going to any hotel, as I knew that Cyril would inquire for me at every hotel to which he thought I was at all likely to go. Therefore I changed my dress in the ladies' waiting-room at the railway station, and in a few minutes my appearance was completely changed. I packed up the costume of cinnamon-brown silk, with a hat to match, which I had hitherto worn, in my little portmanteau.

I was now wearing a princess dress of navy blue, a long dark paletot, and a sealskin hat, as different in shape as possible from the one I had worn before. No description which Cyril could give of me would now suit me in the least.

When I had completed all my arrangements I found that I had still about an hour to wait until the train started which would deposit me at the nearest station to Ravelston, the place I was so anxious to reach. During that long hour of waiting I read Mrs. Holland's letter again and again; striving to make out all I could concerning the house and its inmates; but I could gather nothing from her few buried lines, save that she felt confident that she would be happy in her new home. She did not tell me the name of the people with whom she was going to live.

I had formed no plans, save that once at Ravelston, I should consult with her what I had better next proceed to do. Sooner than return to Cyril's roof I was determined, if it proved necessary, to follow my father to England.

At last I found myself once more in the train and speeding away along a newly opened line of railway. I had been extremely fortunate; and, from first to last, I had not encountered a single acquaintance.

The nearest station to Ravelston proved to be merely a small platform, and there was only a few houses on the outskirts of the bush. I asked the postmaster how far I was from Ravelston, and I was dismayed to find that I had a walk of twelve miles before me.

I had not counted upon this; I had fancied that the place would certainly lie close to the railway.

But, after a moment's reflection, I was rejoiced at the intelligence rather than otherwise; for the more out of the way Mrs. Holland's home proved to be, the less likely was I to be discovered when I had once taken refuge there.

Carrying my little portmanteau in my hand I set off bravely on my twelve miles' walk through the bush. The people from whom I had made inquiries had told me that there was a good road all the way, and then had given me a few directions, which made it almost impossible for me to go astray.

Still it was a long and weary walk, and many times my heart died within me, and I felt as if I could drag myself no further.

Once I sat down on the trunk of a fallen tree and cried bitterly with misery and fatigue combined. The excitement which had hitherto buoyed me up and braced my nerves had all passed away, and here amongst the quiet trees I felt perfectly safe from pursuit, but also unspeakably lonely and desolate.

Then I became aware that I was exceeding hungry, and I fortunately recollected that I had still some cakes left in my bag. Now that it is all over and done with long since I can laugh to think of myself sitting by the wayside crying like a child—certainly I was only just twenty—and eating cherry-tarts and Maderia cake, and drinking water in the hollow of my hand from a little spring. Then I dried my eyes and bathed my face, and set forth once more upon my lonely way.

A little further on I came to a couple of tents, and some men cutting firewood in the bush.

I stopped a moment and asked them how far I was from Ravelston. They told me about six miles. After I had walked on again I heard one man say to another.—

"Sure and she is a pretty lady! Heaven bless her beautiful eyes!"

I felt as if the benediction had in some way done me good.

The sun was just setting when I at last caught a glimpse of Ravelston through the trees, and then I felt bright and strong once more. I remember my first sight of the place most vividly. I grew to love that house as I never loved any other in my life.

It was a long, low irregularly-built house, with all the rooms on the ground-floor—not in the least a pretty house to look at; but the garden and the trees and the bush round about it were all exceedingly beautiful.

I managed somehow to find my way round to the back of the house instead of the front. I came out upon a beautiful drying-ground. A woman with her back turned to me was hanging clothes upon the lines.

I gave a little cry at the sight of her. She turned round, and I saw again the familiar face of my dear nurse and friend Caroline Holland.

I cannot describe her astonishment and joy at beholding me. When she could bring herself at last to believe that this tired, dusty, footsore woman was indeed her own Miss Cathie, the girl she had taken charge of from the day that she was a month old, she was too glad to see me at first to ask me why or how I had come to seek her out.

We sat down side by side on a smooth bank of emerald-green turf in the shade of the poplars and blue gums, and I told her as well as I could all that had happened to send me thus flying like a fugitive to her for help and protection.

She believed with me that I had in truth discovered the murderer of her dear Miss Rose; and we both shed tears together over the long golden ringlet as it lay smoothed out upon her knee.

"But what shall I do with you dear Miss Cathie?" she asked, when the first excitement of our meeting and of our conversation was over. "How shall I manage to let you stop here?"

Then, with a slight change of tone and not looking at me as she spoke, she added—

"Do you know to whom this house belongs, and who my master is? Why it is Mr. Noel Beresford's!"

I almost started to my feet in my surprise.

"Oh, I am so glad!" I said. "Who would have thought of such a thing? Now we shall be able to consult with him what I had better do; for he knows all about the circumstances of Rose's death."

"Well," returned Mrs. Holland, with some doubt in her tone, "we must consult him, of course; but what advice he will be able to give us I am sure I do not know. He is not at home just now; but I expect him back to-night."

CHAPTER VIII.

The same evening, after Mrs. Holland had served me with a cup of tea in her own room, and when I had washed away the dust of my long walk and generally freshened myself up a little, we heard Mr. Beresford's step in the varandah.

It was a strong, firm, masterful tread. How well I learned to know that step in after-days! And how glad I always was to hear it!

Mrs. Holland went at once to meet him and to prepare him for the unexpected and, I may add, uninvited guest he was to receive. After a time she came back and asked me to go and see Mr. Beresford in the dining-room. She could scarcely persuade him to believe, that I was really there, she said.

I wondered why my heart began to beat quickly as I crossed the hall and opened the dining-room door.

Then the next moment I saw again before me the same broad-shouldered, brown-bearded man who had first made my acquaintance on the night my sister died.

Mr. Beresford came forward at once, took my hand and led me to a seat, using some cordial expresion of welcome, which lifted a weight off my mind, for it showed me that he was really glad to see me. Very soon I found myself telling him my whole story with perfect unreserve; I made no secret to him of how I had been forced into my marriage.

He listened to all that I said with grave intentness. I could see that he made mental notes as I proceeded, and sifted the evidence before him. I told him of Cyril's frequent allusions to my sifter Rose, of his assumed coldness in speaking of her changing suddenly to an outburst of almost fierce admiration, of the jealousy which was the black spot upon his character, and lastly of my discovery in his private room upon my wedding-day.

"I have always thought that jealousy must have been the motive that prompted that dastardly action," remarked Noel Beresford. "What enemy could a creature so young and so fair as she was have had, save one driven mad by her beauty and her disdain?"

He agreed with me that Cyril Vane must have been her murderer

"But, even if you wished to prove it against him, you could do nothing now," he said. "The wife's evidence is worthless. He has tied your hands."

"Oh," I exclaimed involuntarily, "I see it now! That was why he determined to marry me!"

There was a short silence after this. I was recalling my dream the night before my wedding, and how Rose had used the same words, "Your hands, Cathie, are tied."

Something in the idea suggested by the last few words was evidently distasteful to Mr. Beresford. He was looking down, his straight dark eyebrows were contracted into a frown, and he was crushing an unoffending rose-leaf on the floor under the heel of his boot.

This only lasted a moment or two. Mr. Beresford looked up, caught my eye, and smiled. He had an exceedingly sweet smile; it lighted up his strongly-marked features, and made his dark gray eyes beautiful in expression while it lasted.

"What am I to do with you?" he said. "I ought to return you at once to your friends."

"I have no friends," I answered. "My sister is dead, my father is out of sight of land, and I count Cyril Vane as my enemy."

He made no reply to this; he was silent a few minutes, evidently weighing something in his mind.

Whatever the subject of his meditations might be, it was evidently an engrossing one, and one which caused him no little perplexity. He began to pace up and down the room, his arms folded, lost in some train of thought, the nature of which I did not comprehend.

I sat quietly watching him as he marched to and fro, He did not notice me; his eyes had grown dark and dreamy, his straight dark eyebrows had contracted as he pondered some critical point, and hesitated on the eve of some important decision. At last, as he passed me, I caught the muttered words—

"If I let her go away perhaps he will put an end to her life as he did to her sister's." And again, a moment afterwards, he said in a low tone, "So young and so beautiful to go out into the world alone! It would never do."

Mr. Beresford's meditations were becoming somewhat embarrassing. I caught up a newspaper that was lying on the table, and held it before my face, under the pretence of shading myself from the red glow of the fire. At last his brows suddenly cleared, and his dark eyes brightened.

He stopped in front of me, and stood looking down at me, with his arms still folded.

"I have it at last," he said. "This plan will do. Although I may not keep you here as my guest, I can offer you a home as a tenant. I will let Ravelston to you and your maid, Mrs. Holland; and we will have a written agreement to put everything on a business footing."

The abruptness and originality of this proposal almost took away my breath, so strange and startling did it seem to me at the first moment.

"But you!" I exclaimed. "What will become of you then?"

"There is another smaller house on the property," he replied. "I will go and live there for a time and take one of my men to wait upon me."

"But I have no money," I said, still feeling utterly bewildered. "I cannot pay you any rent for this house."

Mr. Beresford laughed outright, with an intense enjoyment of the situation which I could scarcely understand.

"Never mind about that now," he replied. "We will talk about that later on." Then, with a sudden change to gravity in his manner, he added, "I should like Ravelston to be a harbour of refuge for you at present, until your father can be communicated with; and this is the only way in which I can make it so."

As he stood before me, looking down at me, with his arms folded and his head a little thrown back, I noticed for the first time what I thought was a shade of sadness in his eyes; he had very handsome eyes, judging them by their power of expression as well as by their shape and colour. Presently he called Mrs. Holland into the room and explained his plan to her, and, somewhat to my astonishment, she quite agreed with him, and fell in entirely with all his views at once.

The other house was to be got ready for him the next day, and he was to leave Ravelston and take possession of his new abode before dark the next evening. Mrs. Holland and Mr. Beresford entered into a good deal of discussion concerning minor details; and I sat by quietly and listened.

At last he went out and left her alone with me; and then she said to me confidentially and in a low tone—

"It is the very thing for him to do. He is so clever; I knew that he would hit upon some plan. You see, dear Miss Cathie, you could not possibly live here with Mr. Beresford; either he must go or you. I think it is so good of him to take himself off in this way!"

For my part I thought it a height of chivalry quite unprecedented. Here was I about to turn a man out of his home and take possession of it almost at a day's notice!

I could only feel that I did not understand Noel Beresford; I had not so far got the clue to his actions which I should have liked to possess; yet I felt that I respected him and looked to him as I had never before done to any living man.

My sleep that night was deep, dreamless, and delightful. I believe that I was thoroughly wearied out with all the terror and anxiety I had gone through in the last two days. I did not wake till long after the house was astir the next morning; and my recollection of my first night in Ravelston is one of unspeakable repose. Mrs. Holland was standing by my side when I awoke.

"I will take breakfast into the dining-room for you now, Miss Cathie," she said, if you are quite rested. Mr. Beresford has been gone hours; you are the only one I have to wait upon at present."

Noel Beresford had kept his word; he had taken possession of the other house upon his property, and I did not see him at all that day. He took with him to his new abode two of his men to wait upon him, and his great St. Bernard dog "Nero" for a companion.

I hope he was comfortable; if he was not he certainly never uttered a word of complaint.

As the days went by, he was of course often over to Ravelston, giving orders and looking after the management of the place generally; and I frequently saw him, but usually only for a few moments at a time. Short as these interviews were however, I gradually grew to know Noel Beresford well and to estimate his character at its true value. I learned his faults as well as his best qualities during the next few weeks. He was rather dictatorial, very obstinate, and somewhat opinionated; but he was one in a thousand for all that. Brave, courteous, true to his word, sincere and loyal to his friends to the very core; such was Noel Beresford as time revealed his character to me; and gradually I grew to trust him and rely upon him as upon a very tower of strength.

I had written a letter to my father, which I hoped he would receive almost immediately after he landed in England; and it was understood thing between Mr. Beresford and myself that I was to follow him as soon as ever I could obtain his address.

One day I happened to remark to Mrs. Holland that I hoped Mr. Beresford did not miss the comforts of Ravelston in the smaller rougher house he had now made his home.

"I do not even now understand, Carrie," I said, "why he took himself off in such a desperate hurry. His conduct seems to me Quixotic and romantic in the extreme."

She looked up from her sewing and said quietly—

"But then you know, Miss Cathie"—she always calls me this still—"I don't think he regards you quite as an ordinary young lady. I don't think he has ever forgotten you. When I first came here and told him you were just going to be married, he grew quite white for a few moments, though he did not wish me to notice it."

The instant she had said this I saw that she repented of her words, and that she bitterly regretted her ill-advised speech. But then it was too late. I had grown scarlet in a moment; I drew myself up with dignity and told her coldly not to talk such nonsense for the future. Then I shook out my dark blue train, and, "with level fronted eyelids, swept out stately from the room."

After this I avoided Noel Beresford. The sound of his voice or of his clear musical whistle outside the window would send me fleeing like a fugitive to my own room. I think he felt puzzled as to what strange whim had come over me.

But I was exceedingly happy at Ravelston. If I could have forgotten Cyril Vane and my terror lest he should find me out, I think that winter would have been a time of unspeakably bright sunshine. In the midst of the cold and the frost, and the bleak biting winds, of which we had an abundance, I felt as if it were

"May with me from head to heel."

I read a great deal; Mr. Beresford had a number of books. Sometimes I sketched; there were lovely "bits" about Ravelston. Once I could not resist putting a certain bearded, broad-shouldered figure into the foreground of my picture; but that sketch I hid away when it was finished, and no one saw it for a long time afterwards.

It was almost two months since Gladiator and I fled away in the night.

The time had slipped by so quietly and delightfully that I was fast losing all anxiety as to the future in the peace and serenity of the life I was leading, when something happened which woke me sharply and abruptedly from my foolish and delusive dreams.

One evening I was seated on the hearthrug in the dining-room at Ravelston, reading by the red glow of the wood fire. It was a favourite attitude of mine—half sitting, half kneeling on the soft white rug; for, in spite of my twenty years, I was very childish still.

I remember that I had on a warm gray homespun dress, with a scarlet tie at the throat. It was lucky for me that it was a warm dress, as things afterwards turned out.

The book in my hand was a book of Mrs Browning's poems; and, I was reading for the first time, with intense delight, the "Rhyme of the Duchess May"—

"'I had rather died with thee than lived on
the wife of Leigh,'
Were the first words she did speak."

I was passionately fond of poetry, and I was reciting the lines softly to myself as I read them, and feeling as if I myself were the Duchess May, and as if the horse in that poem were my own dear Gladiator.

All at once as I read, and without raising my eyes from the book, I felt that a shadow had darkened the failing light in the window opposite to me. I looked up and saw Noel Beresford standing just without. He made me a sign to open the window at once; I did so, and he stepped swiftly and noiselessly into the room.

He paused a moment in the recess of the window and stood looking down at me with something anxious and wistful in his gaze.

I noted, as I had often done before, the easy grace of his powerful commanding figure, the noble outline of his head, and the rugged steadfast face; but this was only for a moment. I had a few words of greeting on my lips; but he stopped me by laying his hand hastily for one instant over my mouth.

Then he took hold of my wrist, and whispering, "Follow me, and make no sound," he led me out of the open window to the lawn without. The was something so eager and urgent in his manner that I felt convinced he had a powerful reason for this conduct and I followed him at once without one word of remonstrance.

That hand of iron hurried me across the lawn and across the drive into the deep shadow of the trees beyond. Here the soft gloom was thick enough to conceal any one who wished to avoid observation; and here Mr. Beresford paused.

He had not yet spoken to me, save the few words I have recorded; but his strong grasp on my wrist had not relaxed, and I knew that there must be hovering near a danger of some kind from which he was endeavouring to preserve me.

In the shadow of the trees, for the first time, he stopped, looked at me, and released my hand.

"Hush!" he said, speaking in a hurried whisper. "Make no sound, Cyril Vane is here. He says he has come to see me on business; but I suspect that he has quite other reasons for his visit. I think he is looking for you. Now do you understand why I have brought you here?"

His words threw me into a fit of cold deadly terror. I clung to his arm for a moment in an almost childish panic.

"Oh," I said, looking up into his face pitiously, "Don't let Cyril get me! Don't give me up to him!"

Noel Beresford drew a long breath; his gray eyes darkened as they always did in moments of emotion with him.

"No," he said, almost fiercely between his teeth; "Not I. I'll never give you up. Have no fear of that!" Then with another hard breath, and an intensity of passion in his voice, he added, "When a man gets a glimpse of the sunlight for the first time in his life, is he likely to be ready to part with it again in a hurry? I should think not indeed!"

His straight eyebrows were contracted, and his deep gray eyes were flashing; but then he noticed that I was shivering, and he took off his own coat and wrapped it round me.

"Kneel down," he said, in his masterful way. "You will be quite safe here. I will come and fetch you as soon as it is safe for you to return to the house."

I knelt down as he desired me, and suffered him to wrap me up. I knew that he could easy get another coat from the hall at Ravelston, where two or three of his were hanging.

A moment after he was gone, leaving me stunned and bewildered, and shivering with terror, among the ferns and the long grass of the plantation, where he had hidden me; yet through it all ran an undertone of rapture; for had not Noel Beresford spoken of me as his "sunlight," and said that he would never give me up?

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Ireland is, of course, still continuing the observed of all observers. A crusade has been proclaimed against all landlords, good bad and indifferent, and a general movement is on foot for making all tenants of farms owners in chief. A grand movement, and distinctly Irish. Why should a man who rents a farm in the country get it for his own, and the man in the town who occupies a house be not equally fortunate? It would be only decent at any rate, if these would-be land owners should propose to purchase their holdings, yet, why should they if they can get them for nothing? Why, indeed? It is all very well to talk of the wrongs of Ireland, but would it not vary the exercises somewhat, if those who cry out so much on the subject, would set about and show what those wrongs are, as they are suffered at the present moment. Is it not a fact that a man who can't pay the rent of a house has to go out of it? And that he, who has not the price of a pound of tobacco handy, has to go without it? And if all that is reasonable and right, would somebody rise and explain why it is not reasonable that a man, who occupies a farm, and either can't or won't pay the stipulated rent, should take up his traps and move out. We in Canada have all got so accustomed to that sort of thing, that we can't get it into our wool, why, it should be so unnatural and harsh in Ireland.

MAMMA—"Why, my dear Willie, what in the world is the matter with little Oscar's head?" Willie—"Well, we're playin' William Tell,' an' somehow my arrow won't hit the apple, but keeps pluggin' his eyes an' nose."

"You have always had the reputation of being an honest man; how does it happen that you have been guilty of theft?" "It's the fault of the age in which we live. The man who wants to make an honest living now-a-days can't do it unless he steals."

Hon. Wm. McMaster.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

Among the merchant princes of Canada, the Hon. William McMaster occupies a foremost place, and the simple record of his life may well read a lesson to all young men and encourage them in a course of well-doing. There has been nothing very extraordinary in Mr. McMaster's history, just as there is nothing overshadowingly great in his original powers of mind, or anything out of the common in his very successful and honourable career. No young man need say that the circumstances of Mr. McMaster's lot were so exceptionally favourable, or that his abilities were so entirely above the ordinary that few could hope to follow in his steps, or to look for anything like his splendid commercial success. On the contrary, there is nothing about the Honourable Senator's character, acquirements and prosperity which might discourage the young and aspiring; but something very much the reverse. Mr. McMaster

HAD TO PUSH HIS WAY

with few advantages. No extraordinary help and no exceptionally lucky turns of fortune. It could not be said that he owed anything to what some would call a mere fortunate chance, or that he took advantage of some special opportunity which, if once neglected would never again have presented itself. The secret of his success has been in steady, energetic work, prudent management and skilful attention to all the minute details of business. He has left nothing to chance, has never depended on something turning up, or reckoned upon others going out of their way to help him when he knew that he could help himself. Prudence, tact, energy and skilful management account for all that he has accomplished.

NOT FORGETTING THE BLESSING OF GOD,

which he would himself be the first to acknowledge, and to which he would be the readiest to ascribe all he is and all he has achieved.

A native of Ireland, where he was born in 1811, Mr. McMaster came to Canada when twenty-two years of age, and immediately set himself to the work which he has ever since so successfully prosecuted. His educational advantages had not been very many or very great, but he had made the best and most of them, and, full of youthful energy and hopefulness he entered upon commercial work,

RESOLVED TO SUCCEED,

but only by legitimate means, and in regular honourable undertakings. He was at first engaged as clerk in a dry goods store on King, nearly opposite Toronto street, but he could not long remain in that position. Within a year after his settling in Toronto he had become

A PARTNER IN THE CONCERN,

and very shortly after, had started as a wholesale merchant on his own account. At first, of course, he had very considerable difficulties to contend with. Montreal was the great distributing centre for Canada, and continued to be so for many years after. The merchants there had all the advantage arising from an established trade and settled business facilities, and it is not saying too much to add that they looked with no favourable eye upon any such attempts as that of Mr. McMaster which aimed at making Toronto, not Montreal, the great wholesale centre for the West of Canada. The covert jealousy and keen competition of Montreal, however, only stimulated a man like Mr. McMaster to greater exertion and made him the more

DETERMINED TO SUCCEED AT ALL HAZARDS.

He turned the peculiar advantages of Toronto to the best account; made it worth while for the merchants of the West to deal with him, and soon established a large and even growing connection, which for many years, first under himself and thereafter under his nephews, whom he had taken into partnership and who have carried on the business since he retired, has been among the largest and best known in all the Province of Ontario if not in the whole of Canada.

Very homely yet not so very common instrumentalities have been employed to build up and maintain the large and lucrative business. They may be all summed up in fair dealing, prudent management, untiring energy, courteous conduct and watchful attention to the smallest details. Mr. McMaster has never had any faith in sharp practice, questionable pretences or more than questionable make-believes. He established a character for fair, honourable dealing, kept the best of goods, gave the best terms which were prudently possible, and watched every opportunity for honourably pushing his business and profiting by the changing chances of the market. His customers learned to rely upon him. His name rose for

UPRIGHT AND HONORABLE DEALING,

and, within a comparatively short time his transactions extended over the whole country, and were, as such transactions ought always to be, mutually advantageous to all concerned. What the firm was, in the days when Mr. McMaster was at its head, it still continues to be, occupying to this day a foremost place among the many establishments of this kind now to be found in Toronto, and is, we believe doing if not the very largest business in its particular department, one of the safest and most lucrative.

A man of Mr. McMaster's energy could not remain idle, even after he had no special call to exertion. It is now many years since he entirely retired from the Dry Goods business and found himself so far, a gentleman at large. Instead, however, of his business life closing when a respectable competency had been secured, it may be said that it only then really commenced. He has since made himself a still greater name and power in the realm of Finance, than ever he was in that of Commerce. As director of various banks and other monetary institutions he has shown

THE SAME SOUNDNESS OF JUDGMENT

and caution, combined with enterprise, which gave him success in his original occupation. No undertaking with which he has been connected, has failed to reap large and satisfactory benefits from his wise and careful administration. But it has been in connection with the Bank of Commerce that his peculiar abilities have had chief scope, and have achieved their greatest success. That large and flourishing enterprise, may be said to owe almost all its prosperity to the untiring attention, admirable business habits, enlarged experience, and keen discernment of its President. It has been his favourite work, and he has reaped special celebrity and profit from his connection with it from the beginning. Indeed, there is no institution in Canada,—we had almost said but be very great, and such as, if that were allowable in any case, onlookers might well regard with something like envy. What a contrast in every respect his career and his reward, even in mere personal pleasure, compared with what those can have who give themselves up to mere selfish accumulation, and who give way to that kind of pride, which one has said, "raises the loudest laugh in hell," the pride of dying rich. Mr. McMaster is a modest as well as a wealthy man, and can ill stand to have his good deeds blazoned before the public. He is one, however, whom his fellow citizens delight to honour, and whom young men may safely copy. He is not a man of genius, and cannot even be said to be a man of any very distinguished abilities. But he has great good sense, large practical wisdom, indomitable perseverance, shrewd discernment of character, unswerving integrity and genuine,

UNOSTENTATIOUS PIETY.

No one envies him his success for he bears himself with modesty and uses his wealth for high and honourable purposes. That he may be long spared in a green old age to enjoy the fruit of his labours, to devise liberal things for the good of the race, and to still further help forward the cause of truth and —or on the Continent, whose history and success are so intimately connected with one man's name, and which are known so generally as having become what they are through the skilful management and undomitable energy of a solitary individual.

The Bank of Commerce will not go down when Mr. McMaster dies, but it is safe to say, that, but for him, it would never have occupied the position of prominence and power which it holds at present.

But it is not merely—we had almost said not chiefly—upon his success as a business man, that Mr. McMaster's wide spread reputation throughout the Dominion, rests. He has never been a very ardent or prominent politician, though, in the course he has followed as such, he has always displayed the same sound judgment, and unimpeachable integrity. As a public spirited citizen, however, an ardent christian, and an enlightened philanthropist, Mr. McMaster is most widely and most favourably known.

He has in many different ways sought the good of the land in which he lives, and in which he has achieved his great success. Toronto has benefited in many respects from his labours, and the religious denomination of which he is a member has long received from him munificent and and sustained assistance in all its varied enterprises for the advancement of the cause of Christ. What he did in connection with the building of

JARVIS STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

is well known. We should suppose that forty or fifty thousand dollars would not fully represent all he gave in money alone, besides the trouble and personal effort he cheerfully expended in the course of the work. His efforts for the upbuilding of the Literary Institute at Woodstock have been on a similar scale of enlightened munificence, while his last undertaking in erecting the splendid buildings in the Queen's Park for the Baptist Theological Seminary, and, in so far endowing it, also will likely throw all his previous efforts into the shade. It is well that Canada has such men,—men who have abundance of means and at the same time hearts to use them for

HIGH AND PERMANENTLY USEFUL PURPOSES,

men who do not hold on to their gold with death-like tenacity till the great king of terrors makes them unloose their grasp, but who take pleasure in so far being their own executors and in having the joy of seeing in their life time the blessed fruits of their wise arrangements and unstinted liberality. The amount of happiness which Mr. McMaster must derive from such undertakings cannot righteousness on the earth, is the cordial wish not only of TRUTH, but of all to whom the interests of *the truth* are dear. The accumulation of a very large amount of property in the hands of single individuals is not at all a desirable thing, though it is not easy to see how it is to be prevented so long as some are industrious and shrewd, and others are improvident and wasteful, as well as idle and foolish. But if there were more of those generally spoken of as successful, who would follow a course somewhat similar to that of Mr. McMaster, their prosperity would be less envied, and their meaner characteristics less remarked upon. We have in this new country not many who could, if they were willing, expend their means on such a scale of princely munificence as Mr. McMaster has done, and is doing. We have still fewer who are willing to do this, even though they could. That the number of such will increase we sincerely hope, and that all of them will receive as much honour and derive as much unalloyed pleasure as Mr. McMaster has done we most fully believe. The great heart of the people is after all not very far from being just. It is true now, as it always has been, that if a man will only persist in doing what is right and air and true, right will continually be done to him in return.

HAVE A SMILE.

How to shine in society—get polished up.

"SWANS sing before they die." They have to, if they sing at all.

LOVIN' a cottage is more common than lovin' the cottage mistress.

THE telegraph tells us "the Kurds have fallen back," which, perhaps, indicates that the whey is clear.

THE P. I. Man evolves the following: "Evolutionists may talk, but Adam was the prime evil man."

THE man who makes light of everything is not necessarily very brilliant himself.

NATURE should mend her ways. English tourists think American autumnal tints entirely too loud.

THE Signal Service always tells a young man when it is time to take his ulster out of pawn.

You can tell when a reporter is going to make a point by the way he sharpens his pencil.

THE man who is too polite to contradict a lady won't make anything by it when she says she isn't good-looking.

JONES has just visited a deaf mute school. He says the exercises were quite interesting, but not a pronounced success.

THE London Law Journal advertises a "Law Coach." We suppose this has something to do with conveyancing.

A LITTLE girl who was much petted said: "I like sitting on gentlemen's knees better than on ladies'; don't you, ma?"

DON'T pick a pocket until it is ripe. 'Twill be a green hand that picks our pocket under that rule.

THE book agent knows he is solid when he wipes his feet on a door mat in which the word "Welcome" is woven.

"I DECLARE," exclaimed a slovenly writer, "I wish I could find a pen that would just suit me." And instantly came the chorus, "Try a pig pen."

A cross-eyed man who said he was going to "vote as he shot," had his ballot carefully put among the "scattering" by the judicious inspector.

MR. FROUDE is reported to have said that a residence in Ireland for a few years is enough to deprive even an Englishman of common sense.

WHAT a relief it is to turn from the political editorials in exchanges, to the calm, dignified statements to be found in the local notices of patent medicines. There is no lying in patent medicine advertisements.

THE Lowell *Courier* isn't printed on the sea-coast, but it knows something about light-houses, just the same. It says: "Light-houses are of great benefit to the sailor, in preventing him from getting wrecked; but a succession of light houses is sure to wreck the theatrical manager."

Two young men out riding were passing a farm-house, where a farmer was trying to harness an obstinate mule. "Won't he draw?" said one of the men. "Of course," said the farmer; "he'll draw the attention of every fool that passes this way." The young men drove on.

A SERVICE was recently announced at St. Matthew's Sydenham, London "for children of the upper classes." Whereupon the following amendment to the well-known saying was promptly offered by a newspaper commentator: "Suffer little children of the upper classes to come unto me."

RELIGIOUS GOSSIP.

IT is authoritively denied that the Archbishop of Canterbury is about to marry.

THE Evangelical Synod of North America, which represents the United or State Church of Prussia, has 408 Pastors, 510 congregations, and 80,610 communicants.

WHEN money is to be raised in heathen lands, and the converted heathen have no money they often sell their furniture or trinkets, and give the proceeds to the Church.

AN old Carmelite convent in Lisbon now bears over its gateway the inscription "Presbyterian Church," the building having been purchased of the Portuguese Government.

SIR RICHARD TEMPLE, Governor of India, after thirty years' observation, bears enthusiastic testimony to the great good missionaries have done and are doing among the people of India.

THE Rev. David McKee, the successor of Dr. John Hall in the Pastorate of Rutland Square Presbyterian Church, Dublin, died recently in New-Zealand, whither he had gone for his health.

THE Roman Catholic Society for the propagation of the faith reports receipts of only 6,031,648f., against 6,591,741f. in 1878, showing a falling off of over 5500,000f. The missions are said to be suffering for want of funds.

MGR. DUMONT has sued the Belgian Minister of Justice and Mr. Rousseaux for the salary of the Bishop of Tournai. Dumont was set aside and Rousseaux was appointed Administrator of the Diocese by order of the Pope.

Journalistic Enterprise.

There is nothing so encouraging to the proprietor of a great modern journal as to be able to make improvements on his organ. Artemus Ward tells a good story about a visit he made to the sanctum of the Bungtown Bugle, and the interesting interview he had with the editor. The editor was preparing his leading editorial which he read over to Artemus. It was to the effect that "we have just had some extensive repairs made to our sink. A new bottom has been placed in it at an immense expense, in which two holes have been bored, through which the water passes into the entirely new bucket below. What has the hell-hound of the Gazette to say to this? We shall continue to make improvements as great and exhaustive as our rapidly increasing circulation will justify. We have also about closed a contract for the purchase of a new paste pot."

It was the same editor of the Bugle who got out an extra with big headlines announcing:

"The course of the Bugle indorsed by the people. One more subscriber yesterday,"

The same paper also claimed that it had trebled its circulation, which was a fact, for at the time it had three subscribers instead of one, the number it started out with.

Our Man About Town.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

Of course we have all had a sensation this week. Everybody has been on the edge of his foot and has looked in Vapotheat and acted as if it were no small pumpkins. I was carried away with the enthusiasm and I'm afraid was sometimes not so mindful of my dignity as I ought to have been. I rubbed my hands even in the street, had a strange, jerky sort of step in walking along King, and might, in short, have been mistaken for Malvolio, had I been cross gartered and otherwise rigged out like that unhappy and fantastic gentleman. I had, in fact,

HANLAN ON THE BRAIN,

like the great majority of my fellow citizens. It was very sharp while it lasted, but, as was to be expected, it was soon over. I gradually got back to my usual state of quiet soundness of judgment, and was able to wonder at the strange experience through which I had passed, and under which the great majority were still suffering. For a short time the star of Hanlan had been rather obscured, but it had blazed forth with more than all its former grandeur, and all men rejoiced in the great light. Even the *Globe*, good, dear, virtuous old lady, forgave all the past, took back all her harsh sayings and rash judgments and folded the brave youth, if not to her maternal bosom, at least to one which is understood to be the appropriate refuge of grand children, and in the fulness of her heart cried,

"BLESS YOU, MY BELOVED,"

with more than the fervour of a Pecksniff. The *Mail* said, in a dignified way, that it was a matter of national importance and a first-class advertisement for Canada, while the *Telegram* and *World* rejoiced as those who had found great spoils and spread themselves accordingly. The huge betting, which was the chief feature of the whole, as if the spirit of gambling had been let loose and had called all nations to a sacrifice, was recorded not only without one word of condemnation but with a positive chuckle of satisfaction, as if the mighty torrent of feeling and opinion would sweep away all

PURITANICAL SQUEAMISHNESS

about such proceedings and let all people bet in peace and feel the whole thing to be all respectable, decent and religious. It was positively awful. School boys and the girls at Ladies' Institutions planked their coppers and "jubilated" with their seniors over the great race, the great "hauls," the great losses and the enormous gains. I heard a poor little chit tell, with evident satisfaction, how a *gentleman*, not a professional, had gained ten thousand dollars, and, of course, all 'clean' money, how many apprentices robbed their masters' tills in order to satisfy their debts of honour, will never be known, except piecemeal, as the truth comes out in other years, or as criminals of the future, tell their experiences either as penitents or as funny and clever incorrigibles. Calm, and sane as I am now, I wonder what possessed me; and thousands in due time will be as astonished, and wonder even as did the Queen of the Fairies as she recovered from a certain love-sick delusion, which had no very attractive object for all the affection, and all the fervour. But I won't try to row against the tide. True however, to the honesty by which he claims to be animated, Jacob will not, at the sound of any kind of any music, or of any kind of command fall down and worship any transitory divinity, or applaud any proceeding, which impplies and produces far more harm than even it does good. There is

NOTHING SO SUCCESSFUL AS SUCCESS.

And so Hanlan remains the greatest man whom Canada has yet produced, and we are all proud of him, and of the country to which he belongs.

It would be a stroke of bathos to go off on any meaner theme, when Hanlan is the cry. Better let one's pen rest, and let oneself go off and revel in health-drinking, always remembering to take no liquor but what is "really good," or at least lager that has been duly certified. There was a good deal drunk in honour of the "boy" and for Canada's glory, and, of course, I did my share, with as much conscientiousness and enthusiasm as I could stir up. I can't say I was drunk. Oh, no! only just happy and exhilarated. Yet I would not have liked to have started either a letter to TRUTH or a short metre tune at public worship, when I was at the highest stage of delighted elevation. The effects are not quite over yet. Still, no great fault can be found with my writing, though my hand shakes a little.

So, though I get nobody to listen to me, I wish it to be generally understood that some folks believe very curious things about

OLD CAWTHRA'S FORTUNE,

and his will as well. Some say there is a will. Others say Nay. Some put the amount at four millions. Others are as certain that it is twice that sum. My impression is that, large as the actual amount is, it will be found to be lower than the lowest quantity mentioned. Not that there is any impossibility in the old man accumulating all that, and more. Why not? He thought of nothing else. He lived on less than the interest of the interest. His charities were, to say the least of it, very "select," for in spite of all Mr. Wortz has said, not only did the right hand not know what the left was doing, but it was sorely perplexed in trying to make out what were the charities it was about itself. The chief end of man according to the gospel chiefly held in that quarter was to accumulate money and invest it properly. How could it be expected a man could help a good cause when at the very time he might have a hundred thousand dollars lying perfectly unproductive, going utterly to waste, because a proper and remunerative investment could not be secured just at the moment? For my part I hope there is a will, and that the Judge in the Probate Court will get the expected twenty thousand dollars of lawful percentage, so that one way or other the whole will be so distributed as to make many comfortable and almost everybody well pleased. I for one don't believe in these vast accumulations of money, and practically to show that I am in earnest in the matter, I was going to state that I had not a farthing laid out in mortgages, and as little either in the bank or in stocks. But then I remembered that would not be true. My means are not large, but they are safely "put out," where and how I shan't say. It will all come out in due time, for I have already made my will. While the Hanlan excitement has kept me on the *qui vive*, I have at the same time been pretty busy with the present and prospective

CANDIDATES FOR THE MAYORALTY.

TRUTH I see goes for Manning and that ought to make Jacob very careful, but liberty of speech—oh! that is a glorious privilege and I would not forego it. No not for—I don't know what. Is Alexander Manning then such an awfully great man? In some respects he is. Physically, he beats the crowd. Then in intelligence I am not sure if he could be called second to any, while as to acquaintance with city business, he is, I acknowledge, superior to all his rivals. He did well in the Mayor's chair before, and, upon the whole, fairly

DESERVES A SECOND REIGN.

Yet I am inclined to think he will not be elected. Yet after all, why not? His opponents are no great affairs, and if I were really put to it to say which of his competitors had a better claim, or would make a better official, I would be puzzled to say. Certainly McMurrich would not, and as little would Close, while Beaty ought to be contented with his M. P.-ship, and its appropriate emoluments. All the other papers fight shy of committing themselves. I am, therefore, the more pleased that TRUTH has taken its side, and goes strongly for the self-made man of Wellington Street. It pleases me awfully to know how much

TRUTH IS SPOKEN OF AND QUOTED.

Even the little rascals of newsboy's seem to appreciate the situation and make the most of it. Let anybody go down to the Union or Yonge Street station when trains are going, and they will hear the strange cry,

"THE GLOBE OR THE TRUTH,"

as if it were implied that if the one were taken the other would have no place. Yes, and he will see that the stock of TRUTHS is first disposed of in spite of all jokes and assertions to the contrary. I know Sir John takes it regularly and even Gordon Brown cannot help giving it a quiet peep to relieve the dull monotony of his ordinary occupation, though, of course, he protests that he knows nothing on the subject. When I am on this, at any rate, I cannot but add that everything tells how rapidly the *Globe* is losing its hold on the community. It has commenced its downward course just as the *Leader* did a few years ago. The news boys on the cars find it difficult to run off their stock in the great Grit. Long after all the *Mails* have disappeared, and far on into the afternoon, they will bring out the straggling numbers with candy, oranges, and Mark Twain, in order to catch some belated traveller, who may have missed the Monday news, or wishes to study the advertisements. Lots of people are threatening to give it up at New Year's, and whoever lives to see, will find that that is not mere idle talk. But its none of my funeral, and TRUTH does not stand by running down others.

Some kind friend took care to send

THE RUDE CLERGYMAN

a copy of last week's TRUTH, and wasn't he hopping? He well might, and yet I don't think he meant any ill. It was sheer forgetfulness about the blind, combined with a certain amount of unwarrantable contempt for the opinions, to say nothing of the feelings of the community in general, or of the neighbours in particular. Blunders are greatly more in demand, not only in that, but in many other cases, and well they might. Have some of these people studied the laws of light, and have they sounded the depths of human curiosity? It is to be feared scarcely. Otherwise, at any rate, it would be to be expected that, as the learned judge of whom everybody has heard used to say, they would be 'more careful.'

What do all these people that seek for a reduction in their income assessments live on? They live well, and yet their means of living are scarcely worth mentioning. How is that?

DO THEY LIE?

or are they the victims of appearances? They really ought not to make such poor mouths. I am inclined to think, however, in spite of all their pretentions, that they are rather poor beggars, for generally one would rather pay a little more, for the very glory of getting credit for a larger income than facts would justify. That rage for appearances, how it tortures and humbugs people! I'am pleased to think that the disease has no power in many quarters. It has none down here with

JACOB FAITHFUL.

From Private to Captain.

It was not once a year, but almost once a week, that the soldier who had anything of the heroic in his nature was offered a chance to develop it. Men stepped from the ranks into shoulder-straps at one stride, and the case to be related was only one in a hundred.

We were the rear guard. We had fought the enemy at Malvern Hill and checked him, but the army dare not halt. Under the cover of darkness the long trains and the battered and disheartened lines resumed the march towards White House Landing and the cover of the gunboats. Dead and wounded were left on the field, and over the swamp-roads deep with mire and mud, plunged wagon and gun and caisson and ambulance, followed by men whose eyes closed in sleep even as they walked.

The rear guard had work on hand. Close on our heels came fresh troops who had orders to ride us down—cut us to pieces—trample us in the mire—get rid of us that they might reach the army beyond. They followed us on the road, and they followed us on both sides of it in the woods. There was hardly a minute during that long night that the guns were silent. Men fell dead in the mire and were left to sink out of sight. Men fell wounded in the bushes and were not given a second look. When one file of men had been shot away in the rear guard another took its place, and so the long and murderous night wore away and the blessed daylight came. Daylight was not to end the pursuit or make wounds less horrible or rob death of its ghastliness. Yet it was a relief.

Just at sunrise we had a respite. The enemy was closing up to push us with a determined onslaught. Our men were marching at will, dejected, despondent, sullen and ferocious. I could not see an officer anywhere up the road. I could look over a thousand men, but not so much as the bar of a second lieutenant was among them. Where had all the officers gone to? Some were dead in the road and bushes miles away, but death had not claimed all. Here was an entire regiment without an officer to command. We had made a dozen stands since midnight, but no one remembered to have seen an officer. Men had halted, 'bout faced and dressed lines like machines, and when the pursuit was checked we had toiled on again.

We struck a terrible slough extending across the road. Five pieces out of six in a battery had been abandoned there with everything belonging to them except the horses. Scores of men surrounded each gun and caisson, lifted them out of mire and dragged them along to a clay hill beyond. On the crest of this hill the five guns planted, and 800 men deployed right and left in support. Fresh cartridges were served out, a supply of hard tack came down the line, and we were resting and eating and wondering what general was in command, when a private soldier, his face black with powder, his uniform covered with mud, and his left arm in a sling and covered with blood, mounted a gun before us and said: "Boys, we are going to stop right here and give 'em h—ll! They can't flank us, and they can't ride over us as long as we have a shot left. Let's show Little Mack how we can fight without shoulder-straps to boss us!"

He was only a private soldier—a man from the ranks whom no one would suspect of having anything heroic in his composition—yet it was under his orders we had saved the battery—he had planted it, he had deployed us in support—he had picked up ammunition and provisions to serve us.

We had rested for twenty minutes when the head of the pursuing columns appeared. We had the key of the road for three miles. They came on with a yell, the road packed with them, and our battery opened. Men were never cooler. Almost like clock-work were the guns served, and in ten minutes we had cleared the road. Then they brought up two batteries; and for half an hour five guns fought twelve. When our fire slackened by order of that same private soldier, the enemy came on with a rush. When they had reached the slough 800 muskets blazed into them, and the battery opened with grape, and no man lived to cross it. We were cheering and yelling when an aide came galloping up behind us and shouted:

"Where is the General in command?"

"Here I am," replied the private as he stepped out.

"You are directed to fall back beyond the Hickory road, where we are massing for battle," shouted the aide as he dashed away.

We could have held that position against 20,000 men, but our "General" obeyed orders. It was a better road now, and as we retreated we dragged the guns with us. We had not reached the Hickory road when a dozen officers were with us, coming from no one could say where, but they could not rob our brave private of his glory. Before we had passed the battle line Gen. McClellan had taken him by the hand, given him all due praise, and made him a captain. We were not jealous. We cheered him and wished that he had been made a Colonel.

The Seven Bibles of the World.

The seven bibles of the world are the Koran of the Mahommedans, the Eddas of the Scandanavians, the Try Pitikes of the Buddhists, the Five Kings of the Chinese, the three Vedas of the Hindoos, the Zendavesta, and the Scriptures of the Christians. The Koran is the most recent of these seven bibles, and not older than the seventh century of our era. It is a compound of quotations from the Old and New Testaments, the Talmud, and the Gospel of St. Barnabas. The Eddas of the Scandanavians were first published in the fourteenth century. The Pieikes of the Buddhists contain sublime and pure aspirations, but their author lived and died in the sixth century before Christ. There is nothing of excellence in these sacred books not found in the Bible. The sacred writings of the Chinese are called the Five Kings, "king" meaning web of cloth or the warp that keeps the thread in their place. They contain the best sayings of the best sages on the ethico-political duties of life. These sayings cannot be traced to a period higher than the eleventh century B. C. The three Vedas are the most ancient books of the Hindoos, and it is the opinion of Max Muller, Wilson, Johnson and Whitney that they are not older than eleven centuries B. C. The Zendavesta of the Persians is the grandest of all the sacred books next to our Bible. Zoroaster, whose sayings it contains, was born in the twelfth century B. C. Moses lived and wrote his Pentateuch fifteen centuries B. C., and therefore has a clear margin of three hundred years over the most ancient of the other sacred writings.

SARA BERNHARDT'S charming hat, of bird-of-paradise and ostrich plumes, with miniature wolves' heads, is described by male critics as looking as though "she had rested her head upon a bed of moss, and upon lifting her head had raised her pillow with it."

Sara Bernhardt still goes the pace. The stilted pedants and posturing nincompoops that do the asthetic criticism for the papers are beginning to be half ashamed of themselves, and well they may. The world is pretty free and easy, but still the line must be drawn some where, and Sara is after all a little *de trop* even for those who are not particularly nice. Besides, it is coming out, that when all is done, she is but a second-rate actress after all, and her impudent immorality is really the chief claim she has to anything like notoriety.

Sara Bernhardt.

No dramatic incident has ever excited the same amount of interest in America as the arrival of the foremost actress of [illegible] Sara Bernhardt. The nearest [illegible] it has been the appearance of Rachel and Salvini. But that the whole [illegible] one of the largest theatres in the [illegible] be bought in advance, even before [illegible] of the actress, is entirely phenomenal. Bernhardt long since achieved in Paris [illegible] house of Moliere, a position as an artist [illegible] placed her almost beyond the pale of [illegible]ism. It was generously acknowledged [illegible] the critics of France that in many [illegible] eclipsed all who had gone before [illegible] long time the leading actress at the Comedie Francais, where she compelled the [illegible] and admiration of all the notable [illegible] reside in, or resort to, Paris; [illegible] in London a year ago, meeting with the same brilliant success. As America has given Patti, and Kellogg, and [illegible] Booth, and many others to Europe, [illegible] New York ranks third in the [illegible] cities of the world, it was to be [illegible] that in due time the great, [illegible] wonderful Bernhardt would seek [illegible] new worlds to conquer.

Not alone as a great actress [illegible] Bernhardt excite interest. She has been the admiration of poets, [illegible] painters, and play-wrights in France [illegible] been the subject of so many newspaper [illegible] magazine sketches, the heroine of [illegible] stories, the butt of so much wit; [illegible] many strange adventures and has won [illegible] social and artistic success in London [illegible] she is to-day the most prominent [illegible] the eyes of the public. Much of her [illegible] shrouded in mystery, as is frequently the case with the early days of great actors [illegible] she has a social and domestic repute which does not altogether square with Puritan notions of such things. This [illegible] a sauce *piquante* to her personal history, [illegible] even causes good orthodox clergymen to warn their congregations against her from the pulpit.

Besides being the undisputed queen of dramatic art, Mlle. Bernhardt is a [illegible] genius. Within her slender physique [illegible] concentrates a fire of nervous energy [illegible] is simply marvelous in its manifestation, enabling her to accomplish in many [illegible] more than other celebrated women can. Through and through, in thought, [illegible] and action, she is an artist. She is [illegible] a sculptor, a painter, a clever [illegible] black and white, a critic, a good [illegible] writer, a brilliant conversationalist, [illegible] without being a wife, as well as a [illegible] and tragedian. Walking up the [illegible] Avenue de Villiers, in Paris, [illegible] studios of the most famous French [illegible] little private house is found at the corner [illegible] the Rue Fortuny, so named for the [illegible] painter, and here is the Bernhardt [illegible] sculpture and painting. One who [illegible] this room says: "We are in the presence [illegible] Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt in her student's costume, * * do not recognize anything [illegible] before me than a charming statue and a perfectly graceful attitude." The room is [illegible] and high, and on the walls are hung [illegible] limbs, hands molded in plaster, [illegible] long sabres. Here is a bust of [illegible] Cavid, the great musician and St. [illegible] It is said this "most precocious art[illegible] of the age," began modelling in 1869 [illegible] she made a study of her aunt, [illegible] sleeping. In 1873 and 1875 she exhibited several busts at the Salon. In [illegible] statue, "Apres la Tempete," won a [illegible] questionable success. This is a large [illegible] in bronze—a drowned fisher boy on his mother's knees—said by the London [illegible] to be "an innocent plagiarism from Michael Angelo's 'Pieta'." The group shows great technical dexterity in its modelling. [illegible] in London Mlle. Bernhardt opened a gallery of her sculptures and paintings, exhibiting sixteen canvasses in oil and nine or ten [illegible] and groups in statuary, and it is intimated that she will do the same thing in New [illegible] Besides the sculpture already mentioned [illegible] exhibits busts of Emile de Girardin, [illegible] Wm. Busnach; a fancy bust of "[illegible] Enfant," and "Le Buffoon," a statue in marble of a jester of the "[illegible]" type.

At her house on the Rue Fortuny [illegible] also her studio of painting, a [illegible] room, with an arched vault like [illegible] of a church. On the great chimney piece is hung the oil portrait of the actress by V. Clairin, exhibited at the Salon in 18[illegible] and widely known through [illegible] exquisite etching in *L'Art*. Here [illegible] represented in a glow of colours and [illegible] a long robed edged with fur, half reclining on a sumptuous divan, a greyhound curled up at her feet. Here, also, is a portrait of Sarah by Mlle. Louis Abema, a sketch [illegible] Gavarni, another by Gustave Dore, and many others. Having succeeded so [illegible] a sculptor she took up painting, proving herself something more than a scholar in [illegible] art. Her colouring is very brilliant [illegible] harmonious. Among her most noted works are "Medea Cutting the Throats of her Children;" the "Death of Ophelia," and "Betrothal of Death." At the time [illegible] rupture with the Comedie Francaise, she was receiving 30,000 francs a year from the chisel.

It is chiefly as a great actress that [illegible] American public will be interested in Sara Bernhardt, and to that end a brief biographical sketch cannot be uninteresting. She was born in Paris, at about 1855, the daughter of an attorney of Havre, and a Dutch [illegible] of Amsterdam, most of the early years of her life being spent in the latter city at the [illegible] of her grandfather. She was brought up a Catholic, and sent to the convent of Grand-champ, at Versailles, where she remained until she was fifteen years old. Wishing to become an actress, she entered the Conservatory of Paris, presided over by the [illegible] Auber. At the end of a year's study under those excellent masters, Provost and [illegible]son, two famous comedians, she gained first prize for poetry, which entitled her to an engagement at the Comedie Francaise. On the 11th of August, 1862, she made her *debut* as *Iphigenie* in Racine's "Iphigenie in Aulide." On the 24th she appeared in the title *role* of Eugene Scribe's "Valerie." Like the great Patti, who made her debut at Niblo's Garden in this city, she was unsuccessful. The critics declared that she was awkward in her bearing and ineffective in her delivery. For a while she sank into obscurity, playing in minor parts at the Gymnase, singing in the chorus at Porte St. Martin, and playing on Jan. 14, 18[illegible] the first time at the Odeon, in "Fr[illegible] Savante." Here she won her first [illegible] in "Athalie," and at last came her triumph in January, 1869, when she created the role of *Zanette* in "Passant," by E. Coppee. [illegible] played in many things at this theatre, [illegible] ing a really great reputation and proving herself a clever, if unequal, artist. On the 2[illegible] of February, '1872, she made a [illegible] success in the *Marie de Neuberg* of "Ruy Blas," by Victor Hugo. It was the part of the Queen of Spain, in this play, which decided the dramatic fortune of Sara Bernhardt. She showed herself to be a great artist, and it was at once seen that her place was at the Comedie Francaise. There she appeared on Nov. 6, 1872, after the war, as *Mlle. de Belle-Isle*. She followed with *Junie* of "Britannicus," *Cherubin* in "Marriage de Figaro," and *Berthe* in "Sphynx." In each of those parts she developed incomparable qualities and won [illegible] triumph. After she had played *Zaire* [illegible] *Phedre* the critics ceased to find fault, [illegible] the public accepted her as an actress of genius. As *Berthe*, in de Bornier's tragedy, "La Fille de Roland" (February 1876), and as *Posthumia*, the blind old [illegible] mother of Parodis "Rome Vaincue" [illegible]tember, 1876) she was simple admirable. When Hugo's "Hernani" was so memorably revived, Mlle. Bernhardt took the part of *Donna Sol*, eclipsing all former representations, realizing, as admitted by the critics, the creation of the celebrated poet. [illegible] the same way as Nilsson," says a dramatic writer, "is the incarnation of *Ophelia* in 'Hamlet,' as *Marguerite* in 'Faust,' but in a still more decided manner, Mlle. Bernhardt is *Donna Sol* herself—alive and resuscitated." At the termination of that memorable performance, Victor Hugo wrote to Sara the following note:

"I wept. Accept the homage of that [illegible] of the old poet, Victor Hugo." Of Mlle. Bernhardt's visit to London last year, with the Comedie Francaise, and the immense success she won in the English capital, both artistic and social, the American public is familiar. So too, her quarrel with the Comedie, in Paris, and her withdrawal from the Maison de Moliere last April, is an event of such recent occurrence as to call for no comment. During her connection with that theatre she appeared nine hundred and [illegible] times, and upon leaving it was condemned to pay $20,000 damages, with costs. Since this event she has made a visit to England, a succesful touch of the French provinces, and a visit to Denmark, where she aroused the enthusiasm of the Danes. She arrived in New York on Oct. 27. The play "Adrienne Lecouvreur," in which she makes her *debut*, will be followed by "Frou-Frou," "Antony," "L'Etrangers," "La Dame aux Camelias," "Le Sphinx," "Hernani," and "Phedre." Thus. Racine, Victor Hugo, Dumas, Scribe and Octave Feuillet will succeed each other at Booth's.

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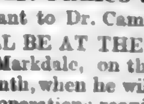

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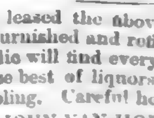

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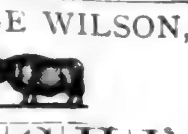

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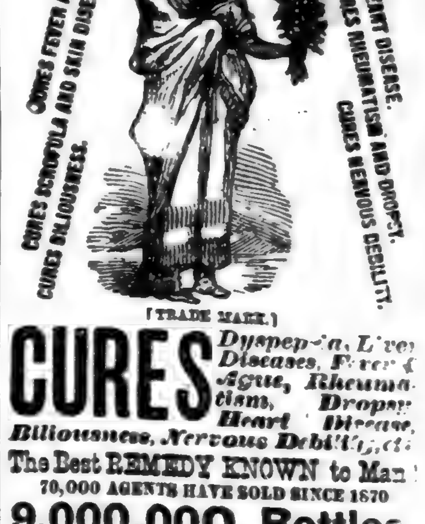

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LIFE IN THE ANIMAL WORLD.

A CHURCH GOING DOG—INTELLIGENT TURTLES—HORSES THAT CALCULATE—KNOWING ELEPHANTS.

BEARS are destroying the orchards in Maine. In Kingfield, in a single young orchard, twenty-three trees were broken down in their efforts to get the apples.

Two flocks of semi-domesticated quail are regularly found on the farm of Dr. Porter, who lives near Harrisburg, Pa. He feeds them regularly and protects them from hunters.

A VERY intelligent and gentlemanly dog is the property of a gentleman of Napa street, San Francisco. When on the street in company with other dogs, upon arriving at their destination, he trots in advance to the gate, which he opens, and waits until the other dog has gone through, then passing in himself, closes the gate behind him.

IN a seine, caught by a fisherman at Monterey, Cal., was a fish, the first half of which was a mountain brook trout, having the eye, head, scales, spots, and shape of the fish. It had a pair of fins at the usual place behind the gills; an inch or two back of this it suddenly changed into a silver eel, the shape, color, and absence of scales being perfect.

WATER moccasins use their body as a sort of seive for catching small fish. In a Texas pond one was briskly turning and twisting in all directions, forcing minnows into spaces between him and the bank. The fish endeavoured to escape by leaping over the snake's body into the water beyond, while the moccasin, with elevated head, caught the fish in his mouth as they passed through the air.

JUST outside the prison walls at Agra is a tank of water in which are a large number of fresh water turtles. This prison is also the roosting place of a great number of blue pigeons. These pigeons must drink at the tank, but every attempt incurs the risk of losing their head, for the turtles lie in wait just under the surface of the water, and at its edge. Many headless bodies have been picked up near the water, showing the fate of some of them.

ANIMATED shotguns are a favourite pet fish of the Chinese. They look very much like perch, only more beautiful. They are of a greenish colour above and silver-gray below. Across the back are four short dark-brown stripes shaded with green. As they flash through the water they are a series of lovely and ever changing hues. The Chinese keep them in jars as we do gold fish. It is said that their aim is so accurate that they can bring down an insect from the height of three or four feet above the water.

A DRIVER on one of the Fourteenth street, Washington, cars is strongly of the opinion that horses count. Each car, he says, makes nineteen trips a day. There are four horses used, three making five trips and one four trips. After these stated trips, if for any reason it is necessary to send the car back, it is almost impossible to get the horse out of the stable. With the drivers and stablemen, who frequently witness such exhibitions, there is a firm belief of the mathematical abilities of the horse.

A DOG'S idea of value was exhibited in Rapid City, Dakota. At a dinner at the Building ranch last Sunday, Joe Piper was there with a fine pointer dog. All hands were seated at the table when the dog went to his master and commenced whining. The master asked what he wanted. The dog reached up and dropped a gold badge in his hand that he had picked up somewhere. Dr. Meyer recognized it as one that he had dropped from his vest, but knew nothing of the loss until the dog found it.

RALPH was a raven belonging to the Red Lion Inn, Hungerford. A Newfoundland dog that had received severe bruises by being run over was daily visited by Ralph, who brought him bones and attended him with particular marks of kindness. One night, by accident, the stable door had been shut, and Ralph had been deprived of his friend's company all night; but the hostler found, in the morning, the door so pecked away that, had it not been opened, in another hour Ralph would have made his own entrance. The landlord not only confirmed the hostler's account, but mentioned many other acts of kindness shown by this bird to all dogs in general, but more particularly to maimed or wounded ones.

PERSONAL.

MR. HUGHES says that Dean Stanley was the original of Tom Brown.

THE Prince of Wales won some fifteen thousand pounds lately on the turf.

SIR EDWARD THORNTON and his family return to Washington this month.

MR. MILLAIS returns his income to the Commissioner at seven thousand pounds.

THE Dean of Windsor is the confidential adviser of the Queen in all matters belonging to Church patronage.

GEROME, the artist, is now not far from sixty years old, and is said to be one of the handsomest men in France.

MR. WILLIAM BLACK and Mr. Bret Harte have been journeying in each other's company among the Western Islands.

LORD HOUGHTON'S tenants lately presented to his new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Milnes, a fine bracelet of pearls, diamonds, and rubies as a wedding gift.

THE Empress Eugenie telegraphed to a gentleman on the staff of *Figaro* who recently lost his daughter, a message begging leave to associate herself with his grief.

JOHN BRIGHT, despite all of his Quaker antecedents, was beheld a fortnight ago moved to tears by Modjeska's impersonation of Mary Stuart at the Court theatre, London.

THE marriage of Prince William of Prussia will take place in Berlin on the 28th of February. The prince and princess of Wales will represent Queen Victoria on the occasion.

MRS. CHARLES CROCKETT, the wife of the president of the Southern Pacific Railway, has expended three thousand dollars in bringing the young actress Miss Calhoun before the public.

MR. TENNYSON has spent the autumn at his place on the Hampshire Downs, but he passes the coming winter in London, and does not leave for the Isle of Wight until summer.

BISHOP COLENSO is a man nearly seven feet tall, and of a massive frame. He is sixty-six years old, and is regarded by the natives with awe and reverence, and they salute him as a great chief.

MR. GLADSTONE having been asked, some little time ago, if he did not consider Tennyson the greatest genius of the age, replied in the negative, and added that without a doubt Disraeli merited that title.

OLIVE LOGAN has a friend who lived in Cuba, and used to observe some grand ladies driving out every afternoon with flowers in their hair, diamonds on their necks, and the volante full of the flounces of their gay silks. One day the carriage upset and spilled out the high-mightinesses, and it was seen that they had on neither shoes nor stockings.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

—A pout and a parting of lips as they touch—
That's a kiss in the abstract. It does not seem much;
But where is the language can rightly express it?
What simile suggest, or what fancy reveal,
The mysterious bliss it can cause you to feel?
Here nature assuredly won a diploma
For fragrance of flavor and perfect aroma.
A kiss is electrical—comes with a start
That tingles a delicate shock to the heart,
And sets the eyes twinkling with rapturous delight,
Like stars in the sky of a clear frosty night.
When 'tis over the ecstasy clings to you yet;
'Tis joy to remember and never forget,
All pleasure condensed in an instant of bliss.
Can but partly describe what's contained in a kiss.

Fashion Notes.

BONNET strings are immensely wide.

ULSTERS of seal are shown by furriers.

BEADED bonnet crowns are all the rage.

LEOPARD sets are worn by young ladies.

PLUSH flowers grow more and more popular.

OLD-FASHIONED mink-tail sacques are revived.

SEALSKIN sacques remain the popular fur wrap.

QUILTED satin muffs edged with fur will be used.

WHITE toilets are in best taste for evening dress.

FUR collars and capes have taken the place of boas.

RUSSIAN and Lapland furs are to be worn this winter.

SILVER and blue fox are amongst the favourite fancy furs.

HEAVY satin de Lyon is the best material for a fur-lined circular.

A HANDSOME "millinery set" consists of a bonnet and muff to match.

LONG gloves, reaching above the elbow, are *de rigueur*, with short sleeves.

HUNGARIAN plush is the name given to that with the longest, richest pile.

BLACK fox and black Russian hare pelerines and collars are worn in mourning.

THE Olga is a pretty new muff of plush or silk or satin, with reticule attachment.

THE Princess sacque form for children's dresses remains the preferred style.

THE fashionable sealskin sacque is shorter by two inches all around than that of last year.

LARGE fur pelerines, covering the shoulders and reaching almost to the waist, have been revived.

THE Albani is a long cloak with dolman sleeves, set in far back, so as to give a narrow effect in the back.

GRECIAN lynx and chinchilla remain the fashionable furs for young ladies and misses in their teens.

NEW English driving coats, with capes and hoods, are long, loose, comfortable garments, intended to take the place of ulsters and waterproofs.

THE *Young Ladies' Journal* for December, with handsome Christmas part, supplementary charade and juvenile tableaux for Christmas is just out.

THE "American frock" is the favourite dress of little London girls. It is a one-piece garment in sacque style, trimmed to simulate a kilt skirt and jacket.

THE "Mother Hubbard" is a new English cloak, much shirred about the neck, back, and front, and with elbow sleeves, also shirred, the skirt long, plain, and close.

CIRCULAR fur-lined cloaks continue in vogue, but are not in as high fashion as the fancy fur visites sold under the new names of the Mandarin, Richelieu, Mother Hubbard, Lahore, Rajah, and Medici.

ARTIFICIAL flower house decorations in the form of rare leaf plants, ferns, and flowers, placed in jardinieres, baskets, vases, pots, and fancy receivers, will be much used for the holiday season festivities.

FURNITURE tidies are things of fine art at the present time. They are of silk, satin, plush, and lace, and enriched with hand-printed designs, embroideries of chenille and tinsel, and trimmed with ribbons, laces, balls, and tassels.

ONE of the prettiest "millinery sets" seen this winter is a bonnet or tocque of maroon plush with a garnet satin quilled border in place of a brim, and a long ostrich plume fastened on one side and waving down the back; on the opposite side of the toque are some red plush rosebuds. The muff of maroon plush is trimmed at the ends with garnet satin quilling and red silk lace. On the front of the muff instead of a bow a red paroquet is placed flat, its head covering the steel clasp of a concealed portmonnaie. The cord which suspends the muff is of heavy garnet chenille.

Waifs.

OLD maids are described as "embers from which the sparks have fled."

IT is said that it is about as hard to hide your love as it is to hide a sneeze; neither of them can be repressed.

"Grate seize her!" was the exclamation of an unkind husband on seeing his wife's new silk dress entangled in the fire-place.

WHEN the doctor tells you to take care, why take air.

IT is said that Clara Louise Kellogg never appears without diamonds. Undoubtedly her popularity is due to her precious tones.

"DARLING, this potato is only half done." "Then eat the half done, love."

AN old farmer who has an over gallant boy, says that it is his lot to make hay while the son shines—around the girls.

AT the Social Science Congress in Edinburgh, "Mrs. Duncan McLaren protested against the custody of children being considered a minor matter." Pray, what is it then?

ÆSTHETIC bridegroom (scrutinizing a "six-mark" teapot shown him by his wife) —It is quite consummate, is it not? Intense bride—It is indeed! Oh, Algernon, let us live up to it!

Two mothers were boasting of the smartness of their babies. "Why," said one, "when my baby cries it puts the telephone to his mouth, and I can hear it away down in the parlor."

A GEORGIA young man asked his sweetheart whether she had ever read "Romeo and Juliet?" She replied that she had read Romeo, but she did not think she had ever read Juliet.

GENTLY the stars—those beacons that declare when morning is and night—their beamlets fair dropped down; and, as he chewed her dolman fringe, the gate fell in and lost its leather hinge.

"BY JOVE!" exclaimed Harry; "look at that girl! What colour! She's the picture of health." Said Dick, who has learned to discriminate between nature and art: "A picture of health! A painting, you mean."

There was a young man in Elmira
Who courted the lovely Elvira;
But her father was rash,
And out through the sash
The youth made a certain hegira.

NECESSITY is the mother of invention, and a newly-married Philadelphia man is experimenting with an electrical apparatus by which a party on an upper floor can light the fire in the kitchen without coming down stairs or getting out of bed.

THE older of two sisters, admiring a bonnet she saw in a shop window, expressed a wish she were able to purchase it, whereat the younger (13 years old) cried: "Well, send round a hat to your friends, and say its for a new roof to a lunatic asylum."

"WHAT do you eat those horrid mushrooms for, Matilda?" asked the dainty Augustus: "They're nothing but a nasty fungus, anyway." "That's just it," replied the fair Matilda, balancing a bit of the libeled food on the end of her fork; "I eat them for fun, Gus."

YOUNG lady—"Very changeable weather, Mrs. Wiggins, isn't it?" Mrs. Wiggins—"'Ees, miss, it be. Fust 'ot, yer see; then cold, then 'ot ag'in; but it's a bleesin', 'cos if the weather was n't a little wariable there would n't be no variety in some folk's conversation."

A DANBURY man has a Boston lady visiting him. Sunday evening, on coming out of church with her, he extended his arm, and, with a delicate deference to her prejudices, said: "Will you accept my upper limb?" With a grateful look from her glassy eyes she accepted.

A YOUNG lady artist married a young gentleman artist. The uncle of the bride made a call upon them and found them sitting in opposite corners of their joint studio, in the sulks, the husband saying that his wife's waist was out of proportion, and the wife saying that her husband's nose was too small.

AND now doth the amateur fever beset the young of both sexes, and Claude Melnottes and Paulines are as plenty as huckleberries in July. A great deal of histrionic talent that has lain fallow appears before the footlights, and personal friends are positively sure that somebody made a great mistake in not being a "star" of the first magnitude.

WHEN a young man at a West End boarding-house found the girl he adored was flirting with another man he didn't try to make either believe the other false. He hired the waiter to bawl out in the kitchen, loud enough to be heard in the dining-room: "Second plate o' pork, an' another helping o' onions, an' some more pertaters, an' a fresh plate o' bread for Miss Blank." And the other fellow, of course, heard it and dropped her.

HE stood twirling his hat in his hand in the hallway. It was about time for the morning-stars to begin their song together. "Well," and he moved one step nearer the door. "Well," she replied, as she stepped to the door also. "Well, I—I must be going. If——" "That's right, John, if," and she leaned her head on his shoulder. "If—you—have—any—conundrums—to—ask—ask—them—now." He was measured for a new hat and a pair of kid gloves on that same day.

A FRISKY old widow, by the name of Butler, who had been married several times, usually with disastrous results to her husbands, having obtained a divorce from her last husband, who was a Republican, immediately married a new husband, who was a rising young man and a Democrat. The friends of the widow congratulated her upon the acquisition of a new husband. The widow blushed violently, and, chewing the seam of her apron, replied: "Why, he is not a new husband at all. He is the same one I used to have before the war."

IT is absolutely necessary to look carefully after the education of your boys. They are apt to get wrong notions into their heads, and unless watched to make use of them to their detriment. A Sunday school teacher was examining her class on the parable of the wheat and tares. "And what is a tare?" she asked impressively. "I know," said a little fellow, who had watched his parent's course to some purpose, "it is a high old time; that's what it is." When asked by the astonished teacher to explain himself he said, "Last week father was gone three days, and I know just where he went and what he did, and the mother told me that the guv'nor was off on an old-fashioned tear."

The Story of the Shoe.

The modern shoe has been evolved by a succession of slight modifications and enlargements out of a very simple primitive covering. In the ages of stone and bronze, man appears to have protected his foot by a piece of bark or leather laid under the sole and fastened in a very simple manner about the foot with straps. Out of this grew the sandal with its broader and more elaborate bands, reaching above the ankles, such as we see it represented in the art of ancient Egypt and later. From the sandal, again, was developed, by the addition of a fine leather below the straps, as well as the broadening of the straps, the germ of the shoe proper, an arrangement illustrated by the Greek half-boot. The completion of this process of development was the doing away with the band, and the making of the upper leather firmer.

A Half Tahitian Beauty.

The half-caste women are lovely—brunettes, of course; but such eyes, such teeth, such hair, such figures, such complexions! They are indefatigable as dancers. A 20-minutes' spin of galop or waltz without stopping is nothing to them, and this with the thermometer at 90°! They dance very well, but after an exaggerated Valentino or Mabille manner, evidently learned from the French officers. No flattery is too plainly expressed for them. One young lady, the daughter of an American trader and a Tahitian chiefess, I particularly remember. She was very tall, with a figure absolutely perfect, and a face that would just fit a dream of Semiramis. A young English officer was "trotting her out" for the amusement of his comrades. When he told her that she should go to Paris, where her beauty would create a furore, she was greatly delighted; but she replied with a laugh: "But you know I am a Tahitian, and very proud of it. If I went to Paris I should want to eat raw fish, as we do here." This was quite untrue, but the answer was very characteristic of Tahitian half-castes.

Household Adornments.

These pleasing preparations for household adornment may be made as follows: There is a slow and quick method; the former is by procuring the natural decomposition of the pulpy substance of the leaf by exposure to light in a dish of water, the quick method is by the use of a weak alkaline destructive solution, of which soda and lime are the active agents. By the slow method one may proceed as follows: The leaves are laid out smoothly in a pan or dish, and covered with rain-water to or three inches deep, and are held down by means of sheets of glass resting on small stones at the corners by which they are prevented from pressing too closely on the leaves. They are exposed to the sunlight in a warm window. In two or three weeks they are examined, and all those that have become soft and pulpy are removed to another dish to be cleaned. The rest are left until they, too, become soft. The softened leaves are carefully removed one by one by being floated on to a small sheet of glass; the pulp is pressed out by means of a small stiff painter's brush or a tooth-brush, used by tapping up and down and not by a sweeping motion. This breaks up the pulp only, which is washed away by pouring water upon it from a small pitcher. To make this convenient, the glass may be placed on two wooden bars resting on the edges of a deep dish with a towel under it to catch the splashings. The quick method is as follows: Four ounces of sal-soda are dissolved in a quart of hot water, two ounces of quicklime are added, and the whole boiled for 20 minutes. The solution is cooled and strained. The leaves are then boiled in this for one hour, or until the pulp is easily removed, when it is washed off as already mentioned. The fibres remain, leaving a perfect skeleton or frame-work of the leaf. This is bleached by exposure to a solution of one tablespoonful of chloride of lime in a quart of water, strained clear from sediment. The skeletons are placed in a dish, covered with this solution, and kept in a dark closet for two days, watching in the meantime that the fibres are not softened too much and thus injured. After bleaching, the leaves are steeped in clear soft water for a day, and then floated off upon a card and placed between soft napkins until dry. They are then ready to be finally pressed, bent, curled, or arranged in bouquets or groups. Crystalized grasses and sprays are made as follows: The bunches are first arranged in a suitable manner, tied and secured; a solution of four ounces of alum to a quart of boiling water is made, and when this has cooled to about 90°, or blood heat, the bunch of grass and leaves is suspended in it, in a deep jar, from a rod placed across the mouth of it; as the liquid cools crystals of alum are deposited upon every spray, the finer and smaller the weaker the solution is made. This deposit of crystals occurs in the cooling liquid, because hot water dissolves more alum than cold water, and as the water cools the excess of alum forms crystals which attach themselves to any fibrous matter in contact with it more readily than to anything else. These crystals enlarge by accretion constantly, so long as there is an excess of alum in the solution. When the supply is exhausted the solution is warmed and more alum is dissolved in it; it is returned to the jar and the bunch of grasses is replaced. When sufficiently covered with crystals it is taken out and dried and is finished.

Mistakes in Teaching Music.

At a recent social science in Edinburgh Sig. Alberto Bach read a paper on improvements in musical education. In the teaching of singing, he said, the first injury to the taste of the people is done in the elementary classes. The "unisons" screaming in schools is ruinous to the delicate instincts of the young. Individual treatment and correct classification of voices ought to be adopted, with the compass of exercises and songs confined to one octave. Afterward a gradual development of the sense of harmony will be requisite. In so-called choral unisons the ordinary abuses were the receiving of all comers without regard to fitness or experience, the endeavour of the weaker voices to cope with the stronger ones, and the consequent ruin of valuable voices. In former times, when there were not so many associations, there were more good singers, because voices were then thoroughly trained for the services of the church and by accomplished singers. Only artists can educate artists, as the history of music abundantly proves. Singers who have a high reputation as opera and concert singers would be well qualified to teach, even though their voices were failing, provided they were cultivated in the æsthetics and philosophy of their art. The imperfect taste of the public is the result of mediocre and bad, inartistic compositions and performances, for which both executants and professors of the art are to blame. The art itself is losing by the superficiality of this general music-making. To the artists themselves the most modern so-called "dramatic" style of singing the high keys with overpowering instrumentation is doing the greatest harm. The art of singing is liable to be injured by this modern tendency to extravagant instrumentation, physical power being substituted for artistic refinement. In seeking for remedies against the deterioration of the art, these must be found in the mode of teaching. The true teacher must make special study of the formation of the voice, and for this and other ends of musical culture the establishment of conservatories or academies of music is a desideratum. The freedom with which any one is allowed to teach, irrespective of qualification, might be counteracted by some provision by the state or otherwise for the appointment of competent professors of art.

A Natural-born Financier.

(From the Detroit Free Press.)

An oldish man who was on his way west took a lunch at the eating stand in the Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee depot yesterday, and in payment tendered a $20 confederate note.

"We don't take this sort of money here," said the attendant, as he scanned the bill.

"Don't, eh? Very well. Customs differ in localities. They take it in some places and refuse it in others. No particular harm done to offer it. How's this bill?"

It was an old wildcat bill of 1840, and it was handed back with the remark that it wouldn't pass.

"Won't eh?" Well, no great harm to offer it. Are you willing to take my note of hand for sixty days for this sum?"

"No Sir."

"Won't, eh? There are places where they will and some places where they won't. No crime, though, to propose it. Do you think I would have any success in standing you off?"

"No Sir."

"I presume not, but the inquiry seemed pertinent. Does it appear to you as if I would have to pay this bill in cash?"

"It does."

"Strikes me the same way, too. There are times when it seems impossible to wriggle out of cash payments. I have a proposition which I have saved as a last resort. Are you willing to look upon me as an object of charity and donate me this thirty cents' worth of luncheon?"

"No, Sir, I am not."

"That's what I expected, but I thought it no harm to make it. I see no other way except to pay my cash. Please take your change out of this fifty cents."

The right change having been handed him he heaved a sign of relief and sat down to pick his teeth with a splinter from the broom.

ART AND DRAMATIC NOTES.

AT the Leeds festival Barnett's music to Longfellow's "Building of the ship" aroused the wildest enthusiasm.

MRS. BOUCICAULT says that Henry Irving has taken Shakspeare off the pedestal and that is, made him comprehended.

Mr. Benson married the mother of Dudu Fletcher, the young author of *Kismet*, who was so badly treated by Lord Wentworth, the grandson of Byron.

PETERBOROUGH is anxious for the establishment of a school of Art and Design. There is a large number of students attending the one in Toronto. London as also a school of Art.

THE Society of Arts in London has put commemorative tablets on houses once occupied by Dryden, Reynolds, Dr. Johnson, Nelson, Byron, and Faraday, and is to put up others, among them one on the house of Dickens.

In the exhibition at the Art Museum, Boston, in a painting by Mr. Eugene Benson, representing a group of figures, with pleasing composition and rich color, called a "Distinguished Company at Titian's House."

MRS. RITCHIE, Thackeray's daughter, still occupies a house in Young street, Kensington, near the one which was Thackeray's home from 1827 to 1853, and in which he completed "Vanity Fair," besides writing "Pendennis" and "Esmond."

OFFENBACH'S last opera, "Belle Lurette," is so full of bright, sparkful music, that it seems difficult to realize that the airs were penned in the intervals of a death agony. All present sympathised with the actor who, when naming the composer on the fall of the curtain at the first representation, was overcome by emotion.

MISS EVA SOTHERN, the young and pretty daughter of the well-known actor, who is soon to make her *debut* at the Gaiety Theatre in London, is a ward of the Court of Chancery, and an application is now pending before the Master of the Rolls for his sanction to allow the young lady, who is scarcely eighteen, to follow the profession of an actress. Her guardians offer no opposition to her strongly expressed desire to do so.

As usual, Ireland has been the great centre of attraction during the week, for *quidnuncs* and professionals. Actual war has not as yet broken out and will not, but the bother is tremendous and some people say that it will end the Gladstone ministry just as it helped Beaconsfield to his political grave. It is bad in the meantime, but good will eventually come out of the whole affair. If it teach the landlords that property has its duties as well as its rights, and teach the tenants that property has its rights as well as its duties, it will do something. Meantime Gladstone has promised that his best efforts will be given to the amendment of the land laws as soon as Parliament re assembles, and if the fools don't force him into a policy of coercion—for of course peace must be maintained at all hazards—he is likely to make good his promises.

THE Princess of Montenegro has dark eyes and hair and regular features. She is dignified and gentle, and speaks French readily. Her eldest son is a wonderfully handsome boy, and inherits, thanks to the decrees of the Congress of Berlin, a larger patrimony than his ancestors the Vladikas ever dreamed of ruling.

Celebrated Book Stealers.

THE PRIEST WHO COMMITTED MANY MURDERS BECAUSE OF HIS PASSION FOR BOOKS.

(From the London Spectator.)

Many eminent characters have been biblioklepts. When Innocent X. was still Monsignor Pamphilio he stole a book—so says Tallemant des Reaux—from Du Monstier, the painter. The amusing thing is that Du Monstier himself was a book thief. He used to tell how he prigged a book, of which he had long been in search, from a stall on the Pont Neuf; "but," says Tallemant (whom Janin does not seem to have consulted), "there are many people who don't think it stealing to steal a book, unless you sell it afterward."

But Du Monstier inclined to a less liberal view where his own books were concerned. The Cardinal Barberini came to Paris as Legate, and brought in his suite Monsignor Pamphilio, who afterward became Innocent X. The Cardinal paid a visit to Du Monstier in his studio, where Monsignor Pamphilio spied, on a table, "L'Historie du Concile de Trente"—the good edition, the London one. "What a pity," thought the young ecclesiastic, "that such a man should be, by some accident, the possessor of so valuable a book." With these sentiments Monsignor Pamphilio slipped the work under his soutane. But little Du Monstier observed him, and said furiously to the Cardinal that a holy man should not bring thieves and robbers in his company. With these words, and with others of a violent and libelous character, he recovered the History of the Council of Trent, and kicked out the future Pope. Amelot de la Houssaie traces to this incident the hatred borne by Innocent X. to France.

Another Pope while only a Cardinal, stole a book from Menage—so M. Janin reports—but we have not been able to discover Menage's own account of the larceny. The anecdotist is not so truthful that Cardinal need flush a deeper scarlet, like the roses in Bion's "Lament for Adonis," on account of a scandal resting on the authority of Menage. Among royal persons, Catherine de Medici, according to Brantome, was a biblioklept. "The Marshal Strozzi had a very fine library, and after his death the Queen-Mother seized it, promising some day to pay the value to his son, who never got a farthing of the money." The Ptolemies, too, were thieves on a large scale. A department of the Alexandrian Library was called "The Books from the Ships," and was filled with rare volumes stolen from passengers in vessels that touched that port. True, the owners were given copies of their ancient MSS., but the exchange, as Aristotle says, was an "involuntary" one, and not distinct from robbery.

The great pattern of biblioklepts, a man who carried his passion to the most regrettable excesses, was a Spanish priest, Don Vincente of the Convent of Pobla in Arragon. When the Spanish revolution despoiled the convent libraries, Don Vincente established himself at Barcelona, under the pillars of Los Encantes, where are the stalls of the merchants of bric-a-brac and the seats of them that sell books. In a gloomy den the Don stored up treasures that he hated to sell. Once he was present at an auction where he was outbid in the competition for a rare, perhaps a unique, volume. Three nights after that the people of Barcelona were awakened by cries of "Fire!" The house and shop of the man who had bought "Ordinacions per los Gloriosos Reys de Arago," were blazing. When the fire was extinguished the body of the owner of the house was found with a pipe in his blackened hand and some money beside him. Every one said: "He must have set the house on fire with a spark from his pipe." Time went on, and week by week the police found the bodies of slain men, now in the street, now in a ditch, now in the river. There were young men and old, all had been harmless and inoffensive citizens in their lives, and—all had been biblioklepts. A dagger in an invisible hand had reached their hearts; but the assassin had spared their purses, money, and rings. An organized search was made in the city, and the shop of Don Vincente was examined. There, in a recess, the police discovered the copy of "Ordinacions por los Gloriosos Reys de Arago," which ought by rights to have been burned with the house of its purchaser. Don Vincente was asked how he got the book. He replied in a quiet voice, demanded that his collection should be made over to the Barcelona Library, and then confessed a long array of crimes. He had strangled his rival, stolen the "Ordinacions," and burned the house. The slain men were people who had bought from him books which he really could not bear to part with. At his trial his counsel tried to prove that his confession was false, and that he might have got his books by honest means. It was objected that there was in the world only one book printed by Lambert Palmart in 1482, and that the prisoner must have stolen this, the only copy from the library where it was treasured. The defendant's counsel proved that there was another copy, in the Louvre; that, therefore, there might be more, and that the defendant's might have been honestly procured. Here Don Vincente, previously callous, uttered an hysterical cry. Said the Alcalde: "At last, Vincente, you begin to understand the enormity of your offence?" "Ah, Signor Alcalde, my error was clumsy, indeed. If you only knew how miserable I am!" "If human justice prove inflexible, there is another justice whose pity is inexhaustible. Repentance is never too late." "Ah, Signor Alcalde, my copy was not unique!" With the story of this impenitent thief, we may close the roll of biblioklepts.

Marrying a Tenor.

The following is an extract from a letter from the wife of a tenor to her friend:

Yes, Jenny, we have 30,000 dollars a year; the praises of my husband are sounded every day in the newspapers; he is applauded every night; he sings and is a very king in his art. But you don't know what it is to be the wife of a tenor. Those who flatter my husband, and they are numerous, are incessantly telling himself: "M. Michael, you have a mine of diamonds in your throat." That may be true; I don't say it is not, but if you could understand what consequences it entails—a mine of diamonds in a man's throat! Michael is always as cross as a bear because of the state of the temperature. A barometer is less variable. He is continually opening and shutting the windows; when they are open he wants them shut; when they are shut he says he stifles. You have no idea of the trouble we have at hotels to prevent his taking cold. Even the style of carpet becomes a study. And the cart-loads of furs we carry about with us! And the difficulty we have with the fires! There is also a long chapter as to what he may and may not eat; this is too strong and that is too weak. And the night he sings there is a syrup which he must drink five times during an act and a wash of brandy and camphor with which to rub his throat. From morning till night a tenor thinks of nothing but himself; he listens to himself sing; he studies poses before a looking-glass; he calls after the servants, "Jean, muffle the door-bell, its noise affects my nerves. Brigette, don't pass before me again; you make a draught." He interrogates his throat every ten minutes, "la, la, lo." Never a sensible word, always "la, la, la; at table he does not talk for fear of destroying his "la, la, la." If I ask him to take me out on a fine day, he runs to the piano-forte and exercises his "la, la, la!"

It was only natural that the States should subside into quietness when their great struggle was over. They have accordingly subsided for the time being into speculations, betting over boat races and making themselves comfortable for the winter. The people over there are at present being busy and very prosperous, and when that is the case, they have neither time nor inclination for much else, but to look after the coppers and enjoy themselves.

THE fall poets should chip in and erect a monument to the man who invented the names of the months. Where would they be if he had not put in September to rhyme with remember?

THE Queen of Wurtemberg's life is regulated with conventual exactness. She is the Colonel of a Russian regiment, and frequently appears at review in her uniform. Her Majesty inherits her father the late Czar's mania for drill and pipeclay. The fat, beer-drinking, pipe-smoking King Cole to whom she is mated used to dispute with her about it, but at length gave in and allowed her to have her head. All he now asks is to be left undisturbed in dens in his palaces, in which he can enjoy a little untidiness.

A WICKED Connecticut man being recently taken ill, and believing he was about to die, told a neighbour that he felt the need of preparation for the next world and would like to see some proper person in regard to it. Immediately the friend sent for a fire insurance agent.

THE STANDADR.

Friday, Dec. 10th, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto.
W. W. BUTCHER, Manager,
Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

TO ADVERTISERS.

We have decided to print a supplement in connection with the STANDARD a week before the Holidays, as there is an extra amount of advertising done at that season of the year, and we do not want to decrease the reading matter, we will give those who wish extra space, liberal terms, by means of a half sheet supplement, parties wishing to take advantage of the arrangement will please let us know in good time.

In another column will be found a communication from Mr. Robertson touching the propriety of sending children to school at too early an age, and also regarding the wisdom of keeping the little ones for six weary hours in closely packed and ill-ventilated school houses. The question has been receiving considerable attention of late in all the large cities in Canada and the United States. Many of our most eminent medical men have both written and spoken strongly against it. It is the general opinion of these men that a child should never be sent to school before reaching the age of seven years nor should they be kept at study for a longer period than three hours each day, until they are ten or twelve years of age. The present system of sending children to school at the early age of five years, and not unfrequently at an earlier age is, in our opinion a down right cruelty, when the mental faculties are advanced too rapidly it is always done at the expense of the physical powers, if the bodily health is not affected the mind is, and what promised, in early youth to be a bright and shining light will, in nine cases out of ten, turn out to be little better than a fool before arriving at the age of maturity. We would strongly urge upon all concerned to think of this matter seriously and see if some method cannot be adopted, whereby our little ones can be educated without the sacrifice of their bodily health, or sent to untimely graves. Let the growth of the body keep pace with the growth of the mind, and take our word for it, it will be better for the children, better for the parents, and give the at present over-taxed teacher a better chance of doing his duty to his pupils.

FROM pressure of other matters and rush of job work we have been compelled to omit a full notice of the farewell supper given to Messrs C. W. and A. Speers previous to their departure for Manitoba. The supper took place on the 24th ult, when between 30 and 40 sat down to an excellent spread, prepared by the new proprietor of the Revere Hotel, Mr. T. Sproule. This being his first effort in catering to the public, of course he put forth his best efforts to please, and the rapid manner in which the eatables disappeared was a sufficient guarantee that he succeeded. A pleasing feature in in the affair was the total absence of intoxicating drinks, nothing stronger than ginger ale was on the table. The chair was occupied by Dr Sproule M. P. and the vice chair by Geo. J. Blyth Esq. After ample justice had been done to the viands the Chairman gave 'The Queen' God save the Queen by the Company. The Vice then gave The Governer General and Princess Louise The Chair—Army & Navy. Responded to by Dr Sproule. The Vice —The Dominion Parliment and Provincial Legislature. Dr Sproule responded. The Chair—Health and prosperity of our Guests. Responded to by C. W. and A. Speers in loyal and grateful terms.

Mr. Blyth spoke in high terms of the Messrs. Speers, and considered their departure from among us was a serious loss to the community. Mr. Walker also spoke in glowing terms of them and said he had sold them nearly $1.700 worth of cattle, and although he (Walker) was a hard case, he had only good to say of the boys. Mr. Joseph McCutcheon stated that the Messrs. Speers, had shipped from Markdale alone about $100.000 worth of cattle during the past season. The learned professions, coupled with the names of Dr. Sproule, Wm. Lucas and John Lyons. Responded to by all three Commercial Interest of the Dominion, coupled with the names of Messrs. Butter, Rae, Askin, Sarjeant, McIntyre and McDougall who all responded in fitting terms. Agricultural Interests—responded to by Walker, McCoy and Armstrong, who spoke in flattering terms of the prosperity and progress of our country. The Press —coupled with the names of C. W. Rutledge and G. J. Blyth who responded. Manufacturers—Kyle, Hanbury, Byers and Welsh responded. The Ladies—God Bless them. To this toast quite a number responded, and all vied with each other in trying to say the best word for the dear creatures who rule our destinies. Mr. McDougall gave the dutchman in love —"Katrina likes me bretty vell." A very pleasant evening was brought to close by drinking the health of the Host and Hostess, which was duly responded to.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

SAD ACCIDENT.—Mr. Kingborn, who lives a few miles from this, was suddenly killed, on the 7th inst., by the limb of a tree falling on him, while chopping wood at a bee at Mr. Richardson's.

CONCERT.—Elder Hawkins and his company gave a concert in the Methodist Church, of this village, on Wednesday evening last. The house was well filled. The proceeds amounted to about $40.

BRASS BAND.—The band appeared in full regalia on the skating rink, on Saturday night. The music for the occasion was very good. A number of performers on the ice appeared to appreciate any tune played on the key of "b flat."

BREVITIES.—Very cold weather... The monthly cattle fair was very poorly attended, on Monday 6th inst., very few cattle on the market ..People are beginning to talk about who is going to sit round the "green table" in the town hall during 1881....The quarterly examination of the Flesherton public school (senior department will be held on the 17th inst....The annual school meeting is on the 29th inst....Who pays the 'guard of honor,' who waits at church doors on Sabbath euening until the congregation passes out? They are generally drawn up in two lines.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment on the 27th Nov. 1880. Members all present. Minutes of last two meetings of council read and confirmed. The clerk was ordered to notify the Holland Council, that this Council intends to detach lots 11 & 12, in concessions 12 of this township, from union S. S. No. 2, and add, said lots to union S. S. No. 8, and that John Boyd Esq., is appointed referee in behalf of Euphrasia, George Dickson and Thomas Quinton having stated before Council, that Holland Council has made alterations in union S. S. No. 1, Euphrasia and Holland, the clerk was ordered to obtain further information from Holland Council in this affair so that the matter may be properly adjusted. The Reeve and Mr. Ellis were appointed a committee to examine the collectors roll for 1879, and ascertain if any changes be required, or any errors found before handing it over to the Treasurer. The Reeve was authorized to let a job at Griffith's hill 24 and 25 side line, con. 3, the amount not to exceed $100. The Township Treasurer was authorized to receive from Robert Mathers $4.90 being taxes for the current year against the southerly 32 acres of E. ½ of lot 15, con. 9. Moved by Mr. Fawcett, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that as it is made to appear G. Bath this year performed the statute labor for S. ½ of lot 11 in the 3rd con. of this Township (6 days) that he now be permitted to pay the taxes against said land amounting to $16.08 to the Township Treasurer, and that the Clerk be ordered to request the County Treasurer to strike off his books, all taxes against said land for the current year.—Carried. Taxes am't'ing to $15.40 charged in error against John Ward for N. W. ¼ of lot 10, con. 4, ordered to be struck off the collectors roll for 1880. The resignation of Robert Myles Esq. as assessor was laid before Council and a resolution passed accepting said resignation. The resignation of James Kerr Esq., as auditor was laid before Council and a resolution passed accepting said resignation. A petition signed by Alex. Murdock, and others in reference to H. McKinnon, S. S. No. 8, regarding attendence at union S. S. No. 8, laid aside at present. A satement of Wm. Blackwell, regarding injury done to a horse on 4th line laid aside. The Treasurer ordered to pay J. Farewell Esq., $8.98, being amount of his account for printing up to date. And to A. H. Watson & Co., the sum of $15.75, amount of their account for printing up to date. The Reeves orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay several other accounts. On motion being made and seconded the Council adjourned until Friday the 24th day of December next.

ROBERT DUNLOP,
Tp. Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—We have had a good deal of bonus for some weeks back and although the discussion of the question is far from being exhausted, we have to thank an intelligent and far seeing council with affording us plenty of time in the future to lay line upon line, and precept upon precept in regard to its advisability. In the meantime, a little variety may not be out of place. Unnecessary taxation is not a desirable thing, and is by all means to be avoided, while at the same time a "penny wise and pound foolish," policy may be equally obnoxious. Occasions will arise when an extra tax will pay all parties concerned. At other times, the necessity of extra taxation may be incurred which proves of no general benefit, and is only so much public money wasted. This may be the case at times in some of our school sections under our present system. A school house gets too small for the children attending, and while the school may be sufficient every other way but that of size, yet a new school room must be built so that all the childdren, large and small, must be accommodated for six hours daily. While we have compulsory education thus far, that children arrived at a certain age must be sent to school for at least a stated period, we have nothing to compel parents to keep their children at home until they arrive at years sufficient to know how to behave themselves, and to learn their little lessons with some measure of intelligence. On the contrary, we have parents, especially about villages, so keen to get their little ones out of their way that they pack them off to school at an age when they are only a nuisance to their teacher and school mates, without benefitting themselves The long suffering teacher being made a sort of nursery maid to those precocious infants, and their worse than selfish parents. This is one way in which school room accomodation may be and often is unnecessarily impaired. Another and more effectual way is the foolish system of six hours daily attendance for children of all ages. Will any one who knows anything about the matter say that it is either requisite or advisable for children of six eight or ten years to spend six hours daily in school? Is it to be supposed that they can apply, or need to apply their young minds to six hours of an almost continuous strain daily? They cannot do it, and it is a barbarism to attempt to make them There is little doubt but three hours at most of daily attendance would yield better results educationally, physically, and pecuniarily, to all parties concerned. Let us take a school that is say over crowded with seventy, eighty or ninety children, for six mortal hours every day. We may suppose the trustees are politely commanded to furnish a new school.—In view of the prospective taxation they hesitate to do so; but the threat of with drawal of Govenment support is a very effective weapon when properly handled. Trustees may wriggle for a time, but in due course they succumb, and the taxpayer is saddled with the expense of a new building, which in reality may not be required. If it was allowable, or if it was the law that children of tender years should only attend school for three hours daily, then one half, as might be arranged, could attend in the forenoon; the other half in the afternoon—much to the comfort of the teacher—much to the benefit of children, and much to the relief of the taxpayer. I understand that in some towns and cities, certain schools, by special permission, have their younger pupils on half time something in this way—one half attending from 9 to 10:30 o'clock a.m.; and from 1 to 2:30 o'clock p.m. The other half from 10:30 to 12 o'clock a. m.; and 2:30 to 4 p. m. This, of course, necessitates the attendance of all the pupils part of the forenoon and part of the afternoon, and may suit very well in cities or towns; but in rural sections such as we have for the most part in this quarter, it will be easily seen that the half time system arranged so, that one half the younger children attend three hours in the forenoon, and the other half three hours in the afternoon, would suit best, from the fact that many of the pupils have to walk to school say one, two, or even three miles. In this way the school that would be over crowded with 70, 80, or 90 pupils, would have abundant accomodation for half that number. The new building would not be required, the teacher could teach much more effectualy, and the tax-payer would rejoice. There is much to be said in every way in favor of the scheme, but I will not at present seek to trespass further on your space.

Yours truly,
ROBERT ROBERTSON.

Dec. 1, 1880.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I am a farmer, a resident near Fleshertton for the past nineteen years; and have hewed out a home for myself from the woods. I claim we farmers know, or ought to know, the benefits arising from the introduction of the railroad. The wealth and improvements of this part must, in a measure, be attributed to the industry of the people, but at least one half must be credited to the railroad. When we visit Flesherton and Markdale, and see the amount of money daily paid out for sheep, cattle and farm produce, certainly we must say the railroad has brought in industry, wealth and civilization. Sir, we know the iron rails on the Toronto, Grey and Bruce are getting pretty well worn out, and the cattle guards, bridges and other structures are becoming rotten. These things require to be renewed with more substantial material. The Directors say they have not the means to make these improvements, neither are they willing to do so without assistance from the municipalities interested.—The amount asked from Artemesia is not large, and many of us farmers think by helping to improve the road we are really helping ourselves. Sir, allusion was made a week or two since to the 70 who signed the petition to submit the By-law, and that they lived in the upper Ward towards Markdale. I should say the farmers in that Ward view things in their true light, viz.: by helping to improve the road, that while it takes four cents out of one pocket it will put eight cents in the other. Some of the knowing men about Flesherton advise the farmers to vote down the By-law, telling them that if carried it will double their taxes; and also further state they have no faith in the Company, hence their opposition to the measure.—Your correspondent of two weeks ago stated that he had not lived in Canada for forty years and not know when a coon was treed, yet he cannot see the advantage arrising from the change of gauge. I should say such men ought to get a free ride to-morrow to Toronto, and see the cars at the Great Western and Grand Trunk depots, and see the number of American cars that are there. They can easily be detected from the Canadian cars by their color and the large lettering on them. These roads are of the standard gauge, hence the interchange of cars. Sir, I am of the opinion that, were our road of the standard gauge at the present moment, we would have seen, for some weeks past, empty cars come all the way from Albany and Oswego to Flesherton and Markdale stations, to be loaded with barley and forwarded to its destination. We should also have cars belonging to the Grand Trunk to be loaded with wheat and peas and sent right through to Montreal, where peas realize 90 cents per bushel. To say that the farmers would not be benefitted by competition and through freight, is simply utter bosh. Not wishing to trespass to much on your space I will close, but will return to the subject again. With thanks for your kindness, I am yours, &c., A FARMER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The great Chemical Labratory at Flesherton is once more in full blast. Drastic doses of Paregoric are being compounded. Somehow or other they don't produce the effect desired. Perhaps the reason is that they are not properly administered. The Doctor has got doctored lately, and the best of it is the thing has been done entirely with his own physic—material furnished solely in his own letters. There has been no need to follow his example to go outside of this correspondence, and rake in the mud for stuff to make a concoction, He wines and grimaces like a whipped cur, howls about maltreatment, and don't seem to enjoy the working of of his own physic at all, when it happens to be applied *in propria persona*. Bye-the-bye, what is really the name of this Reeve of ours? I have been inquiring, and nobody seems to know. Perhaps he [illegible] own himself. If he [illegible] he appears to be ashamed of [illegible] under the undignified [illegible] modest man like [illegible] of signing himself Dr. Christoe. [illegible] that in the modern [illegible] changes in names and words of the English language, the old and time honored designation of Crusoe has got transformed into that of Christoe. In this way crusoe is very likely the proper term after all, and it is probable that for the purpose of perpetuating the name and fame of his immortal ancestor, he, when christened, would receive the appellation of Robinson. Thus his full designation would be Robinson Crusoe, and as he appears to have a weakness for a handle nobody will much object to his affixing the Dr., especially seeing that he himself is evidently self-conscious that a little meretricious dignity is necessary in his own case. The only drawback to this happy coincidence of names is, that we always associate the idea of Crusoe with his man Friday. But there is time enough yet.—Crusoe lived quie a while before he found Friday, and doubtless Dr. Robinson Crusoe will, in due time, produce the requisite shadow. Some people thought that Friday had appeared a few weeks ago, but it must have been a mistake, as the bellows appears to have burst. The puerilities of the Doctor are amusing, if they are not edifying. Last week he is at his old school-boy business of making bubles of his own concoction. He pricks them, and lo! they burst. We can imagine him in the depths of his great Labratory shouting, "Hurrah! for Dr. Crusoe." I never referred specially to grading, knowing that the road was already graded. My reference was to the general work required to complete the line as a broad gauge road. He says "the greater part of the expenditure will be performed by skilled railroad hands," and he "don't suppose that $100 would be spent in Artemesia." I convicted the Doctor some time ago of wilful misleading the farmers in the matter of the box cars. I charge him now with either wilful misrepresentation or gross ignorance in the matter of the expenditure. Considerable over two thousand ties are required to each mile of road. There are some ten miles within Artemesia. It is a well known fact, that a large part of the country through which the line runs cannot supply timber for ties, consequently Artemesia, or any other township possessed of the requisite timber, would have the opportunity of supplying three times the amount of ties than that required for local use. Allowing for say a fourth of the ties being lately renewed, here is at once more than half the bonus. Again, there are cedar posts required in large quantities for snow and other fences. Then, if the road is to be widened and completed, there is the proper ballasting of the road to be done. Altogether the work required would comprehend at least a full winter and summer's work for a large number of hands, and fully bears out my contention, that employment could be afforded to all the young men who have been recently flocking to the States from this quarter. The Dr. says; "a R. R. might pass through the most carefully drawn lease." Does it not strike him that a R. R. as owner as well as a leaseholder, might, on the same grounds, as easily pass through the most carefully drawn conditions.—Just as I said at the outset of this correspondence, the Reeve of Artemesia seems to have no faith in anything or anybody. Then he says, "the road *can help itself*." Some weeks ago I controverted some of the Doctor's figures as to the Company being able to do the work themselves, and proved his contentions to be (in his own euphonious language) a *baseless vision*. But what is the use so far as he is concerned, of overturning anything he says or does? That the road is not able to help itself to at once widen the guage without assistance, is what is generally believed. That it is even able to help itself to keep the road running in its present condition, seems doubtful. But allowing, for argument sake, that it is able of itself to do the latter; admitting that it can carry on at all it may ultimately, after a considerable lapse of time and after much struggling, patching and fixing, emerge as a broad gauge; still I contend, on reasons previously given, and others equally sound, that it would pay us now, and pay us well, to assist the Company to *at once* put the road in thorough order, and have done with the discredit, inconvenience and loss pertaining all round to the present state of matters. The Doctor seems to be quite puzzled about principle of *common justice*. Notwithstanding that he has been viewing me and it in "spectacles an every other possible form," he has not yet aarived at its proper understanding. A spur to Flesherton, or a deflection of the road to somewhere near the renowned Labratory, would no doubt be common justice in his estimation. A bonus for this purpose would have a great many sound reasons to support it no doubt! and although ordinary people like myself might venture to think it *uncommon* justice, the spectacles would be turned upon us, and we would be told that everything besides the spur or deflection was merely "a side issue to divert attention." Just imagine the duck in spectacles! What a diverting spectacle! Quack! Quack!! He congratulates himself on his notable device of covering up the box cars, and having now got a large quantity of ties, posts and ballast alongside the cars, he leisurely dons the spectacles, and takes a squint through "every possible form" of mud at the great principle of common justice. Ye gods! what a spectacle!

Yours truly,
ROBERT ROBERTSON.

Dec. 6, 1880.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Dec. 10th, 1880.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.08	to	1.12
Fall do. do. do.	0.60	to	0.80
Barley	0.60	"	0.92
Oats	0.[illegible]	"	0.29
Peas	0.60	"	0.63
Potatoes.	0.50	"	0.56
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.60	"	5.80
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.00
Hides	5.00	"	5.50
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	5.50	"	0.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per, bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	1.75

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—[illegible] council [illegible] township printing from the STANDARD, [illegible] that without [illegible] 'small piece of business' I should say. [illegible] they had [illegible] tender, I would have thought [illegible] been an act of economy, but as it is, we can see nothing in it but spite on the part of the council.

I am &c.,
A Ratepayer in Flesherton Ward.
Flesherton, Dec. 8th, 1880.

BIRTHS.

In Markdale, on the 1st inst., the wife of S. Hill, Merchant, of a son.

In Glenelg, on the 25th ult., the wife of Robert McBride of a daughter.

MARRIED

By the Rev. C. C. Garnett, at the Markdale House, Markdale, on Dec 1st 1880, Mr. John Villar of Artemesia, to Miss Hannah Hopps, of Eugenia.

On the 8th inst., by the Rev. W. T. Hicks, at the Parsonage, Mr. Thos. Abbott, to Emily, daughter of Mark Abbey Esq., all of Holland.

DIED.

In Glenelg, on the 19th ult., Hughie, son of Donald McDonald, aged 1 year, 9 months and 20 days.

In Glenelg, on the 27th ult., Duncan, son of Donald McDonald, aged 4 yrs., 6 months.

In Glenelg, on the 29th ult., Duncan, son of Neil Campbell, aged 3 years.

TO THE

Independent Electors!

OF THE

Township of Euphrasia.

GENTLEMEN:—

I again offer myself as a Candidate for the office of Councillor for the Township Should you again honor me with your confidence, I shall endeavor to serve you to the best of my ability. Come to the nomination where I shall give my views on Municipal matters.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
D. R. ELLIS.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and vicinity for their liberal support and patronage in the past, and to say that he has now turned over the Drug and Stationery business, with all other lines in connection therewith, to Messrs A. Turner & Co., for whom he wishes to bespeak a continuance of the patronage of his old customers and the public at large. Also, that the Account Books will remain at the Drugg Store in the hands of A. Turner, who is authorized to receive all moneys due, and to give receipts for the same, or Robert Davis of Flesherton, in whose posession the accounts are for collection. An early settlement will much oblige.

T. S. SPROULE.
Markdale, Dec. 8, 1880. 18-2i

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OF VALUABLE

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MARKDALE HOUSE,

IN THE

Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, on

Monday, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at THREE O'CLOCK in the Afternoon, the following land and premises, viz.:

Lot Number Forty, in the Fourteenth Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing One Hundred and Ten Acres more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises, viz., A Log Dwelling and Frame Barn and Stable.

TERMS.—One Tenth of the purchase money must be paid down at time of sale. For balance, terms liberal, and will be made known at the sale.

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As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

STRAYED

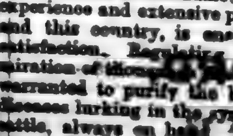
INTO the premises of the undersigned, Lot 11, Con. 15, Township of Glenelg, on the 20th October, two yearling Heifers, one spoted red and white, one dark red with top off one horn. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

R. E. ENGLISH,
Glenelg, Nov, 19, 1880. 11-3i

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 125, Con. 2 West Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, about the 1st October, a Spring Heifer Calf, red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

ROBERT BLAIR.
Artemesia, Nov. 26, 1880. 12-3i



VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD,
Veterinary Surgeon,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders [illegible] warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. [illegible] procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

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The Highest Price in Cash

Paid for

Butternut, Cherry and Large Birch.

A Plainer and Matcher

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JAMES CHAPMAN, PROPRIETOR.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10-2i

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BAKER,

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C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

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☞ Remember the Place,
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Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-M

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W. SUTHERLAND TAYLOR,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of November, 1880. 11-6i

CHEAP CASH STORE

Reynolds & Son

Are now to the front with a complete stock of

Dry Goods, Groceries

BOOTS AND SHOES,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, [illegible]

Which for QUALITY and LOW PRICES cannot be passed. Give us a call and try some of our

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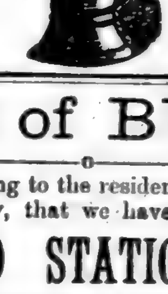

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We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

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Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates

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TEAS, SUGARS, COFFEE

And all Groceries, the very **Cleanest** and **Freshest.** I sell for Cash, and customer that gives me a call is sure to come back, as I sell **good** Goods Cheap. I never pay more than the Goods are worth, and give my customers the benefit of the bargains I get. You will always find me in the same place, always ready to wait upon you. None but the **Best Brands** of

RYE, MALT, BRANDY, ALE, PORTER, & OTHER LIQUORS & W[illegible]

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Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3i

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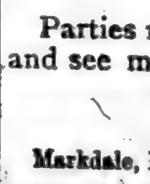

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Sewed work a Specialty.

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All over due accounts must be paid without delay or I shall have to resort to more costly means for collection.

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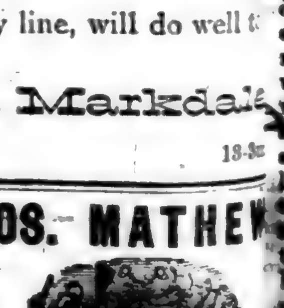

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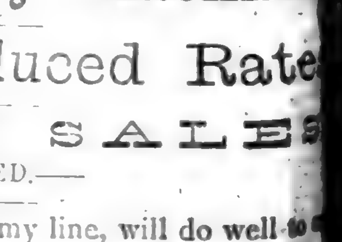

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Sleighing is excellent.

Readers—see T. Hall's adv. in another column, something very important.

For cheap and valuable goods go to W. F. Doll, Flesherton.

It will pay you to see Mr. Doll's stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Look out for McIntyre's new advertisement next week.

Grand Masquerade Carnival, on the Flesherton Rink, on Tuesday 21st inst. A splendid prize list. See posters.

Ladies' solid gold, 18k hunting case watches, from $20, at Doll's, Flesherton.

The weather is cold generally, the thermometer is in the neighborhood of ten above Zero.

John Dodds, a young man of this place has returned, a few days ago, from Colorado, He looks well.

All lovers of children should call and inspect Miss Burch's new stock of Xmas goods, fancy boxes, vases, toys, and dolls' in all sizes and quality, also babies hoods and bonnets.

War in Markdale.—Business men fighting McIntyre pulling up fast, and will soon win the day—you all know his line of business—Groceries, liquors, provisions, confectionery, fruits, pure wines, &c. Come one, come all, and supply yourselves in time. Goods cheap for cash.—A. McIntyre.

We direct the attention of our Euphrasia readers to the card of D. R. Ellis Esq., with reference to municipal matters. We hold Mr. Ellis in very high esteem either as a public man, or a private citizen.

Music hath charms to seothe the Savage—to rend a rock or boil a cabbage. Of course we don't mean that any of our readers are either. But no matter who or what you are—you should see Wilcox's stock of Concertinas, Violins and Accordians.

The Pupils of the Presbyterian Sabbath School, of Flesherton intend having a grand entertainment in the town hall, on the evening of Christmas day. A first-class programme is promised. Refreshments will be served at 8 o'clock p. m.; tickets 25c, children 15c. All should go.

The annual missionary serevics of the C. M. Church will be held in Markdale, on Sunday, the 12th inst., when Rev. Mr. Philp jr., of Flesherton will preach at 10:30 a. m. & 6:30 p. m. The missionary meeting will be held in the same place on the Wednesday following commencing at 7:30 p. m.

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From present indications Vennor's prophecy of eleven and one half feet fall of snow has every appearance of being verified. There has been a steady downfall of snow for the past three or four days and there is every prospect of it keeping the thing up. Six feet people and over are in demand just now and little folks (men and women) are at a discount.

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The circulation of the Standard is fast increasing, and we are having words of encouragement from all quarters,for the independent stand we have taken. If the subscription keeps on growing as it now is, we will have close on one thousand subscribers in three months more. Our job work has given such general satisfaction, that we have been compelled to put on another hand, and have had to work nights, so fast is work coming in.

Municipal Matters.—In Artemesia, it would be hard to get a more economical council on the whole than they have. We have heard nothing definite from Osprey. In Proton, the canvas is going on between J. J. Middleton Esq., and Mr. Nelson. In Euphrasia, there is already considerable interest, we understand Mr. Myles and Mr. Patterson are out for the office of Reeve. D. R. Ellis and a host of others for councillors. In Holland we hear of no opposition to Mr. Howie. In Glenelg, things are very quiet, the Reeve will no doubt be elected by aclimation.

Runaway.—About half past eight on Thursday evening Mr. Chisholm, Merchant & Grain Buyer, and J. J. Johnston both of Meaford, were driving in to this village, as they turned the corner of Brown & Toronto streets, driving too close to the ditch, the cutter capsized leaving the occupants in the ditch, the horse started off on a lively run in the directionof Owen Sound. He (the horse) however turned into Thos. Campbell's barnyard about half a milefrom Markdale, cut some figures in his yard and finally came to a standstill. Nobody hurt, the cutter slightly damaged.

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In Silverware I have Tea sets, Fruit Dishes, Preserve Dishes, Pickle Dishes, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Card Receivers, Bradish Compartments, Cruets, Cups, Napkin Rings, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Chains, Lockets, Earings, &c., &.

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In Watches, I have—Gold and Silver Hunting, and Open-Faced key and stem winders including the celebrated Waltham Watches (they are the best). Swiss, English and American key and stem winders, from $4 up. The celebrated St. Thomas and other Clocks, from 75c up. In Jewelry,—I have colored and Bright Gold sets, Chains, Seals, Lockets, Pins, Cuff Buttons, Studs, Pens, &c., &c., &c.

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My Goods have all been purchased for Nett Cash, and will be sold at Bottom Prices.

Watch Repairing a Specialty.

W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.
Flesherton and Dundalk.

Nov. 25, 1880. (6)

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 142 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS, ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING
PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-tf

MARKDALE.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
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Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

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September, 1880. 2-y

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Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT
Clearing Out Sale!

GRANT & CHELLEW
will offer for the
NEXT 60 DAYS!

Bargains unprecedented in the County of Grey.

SIDEBOARDS,
BUREAUS,
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WASHSTANDS, open and enclosed,
BEADSTEADS,
SPRING BEDS,
MATTRASSES,
CRADLES,
CENTRE TABLES,
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Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

SOLD AT COST!

Pictures and Picture Framing!
in all its branches.

Upholstering and Repairing!
promptly attended to.

Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROWS AND
All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 5tf.

J. M. Webster,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

LOAN AND LAND AGENT,

Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

Samuel Morrow,

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Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3m

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept, 17th 1880. 1

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves.

At the New Tinshop
MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX
STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings;

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.
No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!
A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.
ALL KINDS OF
Tin & Copperwork!
made to order on the shortest notice.

JOB ROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public Every article sold on its own Merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880. 1

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the Countyat

McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your AXES at McFarland's. Those $2.50 MANTLES selling fast. New DRESS GOODS at McFarland's. New FLANNELS at McFarland's. New SHAWLS at McFarland's. New BONNETS and HATS at McFarland's. New TWEEDS at McFarland's. New CARPETS at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.

W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER, Markdale.

BOOTS and SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

A NOVELTY in these Goods!

The Indestructible Riveted and Cemented and Water-proof Seam.

Call and Examine Stock and Prices!
before purchasing "slop" goods elsewhere.

FULL LINES IN

Groceries, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Clothing,
(Ready-made,) Crockery and Glassware!

—AT THE—

"TORONTO HOUSE,"
MARKDALE.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 17th, 1880.

Cash! Cash! Cash!

People may Puff and Blow, but if you want real value for

Your Money or Produce
GO TO THE

Toronto House,
DUNDALK,

The following is a list of prices of a few of the many leading lines offered.

Men's Overcoats $5.50 and upwards		Boy's Ulster Overcoats $4.75 and upwards	
Men's Tweed suits $4.00	do	Men's undershirts and Drawers, 50c	do
" Overalls (Duck) 75c	do	" heavy Pants, $1.75	do
" Winter Caps 45c	do	Ladies' all wool shawls, $1.25	do
Ladies' Clouds, 50c	do	Beautiful patterned dress Goods 15c	do
Beautiful Lustres, 15c	do	Factory Cotton, 7c	do
Ladies' Fur Caps $1.75	do	Children's Fur Caps 35c	do
Men's long Boots, $2.00	do	Men's seamless whole stock Boots $1.05	do
Boys long Boots, $1.25	do	Women's strong shoes, $1.10,	do
Children's strong shoes 45c	do		

Together with a full stock of First-Class Groceries. Teas, Sugars, choice Brands of Tobaccos, Soaps, Syrups, Vinegar, Dried Apples, Buiscuits, Confectionery, Spices of all kinds, Patent Medicines, Castor Oil, Castorine, Machine Oils, Coal Oil. Also Hardware, Spoons Table Knives, Nails, Screws, Hinges, latches, &c., and a full stock of all the leading lines in Dry Goods, Millinery, Furs of all kinds, and all other Goods such as are kept in a First Class General Store.

Farm Produce taken as cash. A call is solicited and you will be convinced that this is the place to get good value for your money.

Highest Cash Price paid for all kinks of Grain, Pork, &c.

GEORGE NIXON.

Dundalk, Nov 25, 1880. 11 4i

H. & R. HOOPER

RESPECTFULLY invite every Man and Woman in the country to visit their Factory and Warerooms and inspect their stock of furniture, manufactured during the summer, for fall trade. Our stock is now the largest and most complete yet held by us, and we have been successful in introducing a great many

NEW AND TASTY DESIGNS!

—IN—

BED-ROOM SETS, COUCHES,
SIDEBOARDS, EXTENSION TABLES, CENTRE TABLES,
DRESSING BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, SOFAS,
WHATNOTS, HAT-RACKS, HALL TABLES,
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WE ARE MAKING A SPECIALTY IN

New Styles of WOOD SEAT CHAIRS!
CHEAP AND DURABLE.

—OUR—
UNDERTAKING DEPARTM'NT

Fully supplied with COFFINS, SHROUDS, &c., and special sizes made on the very shortest notice.

ALL KINDS OF

Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldings
made to order. Also SASH, DOORS, PLANING, &c.

With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, and much so as is consistant with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything in our line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and also in terms.

H. & R. HOOPER.

1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing Mill.

Removed! Removed.

HILL BROTHERS,

Would intimate to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they have removed to their new premises, and will be pleased to receive a call from our many friends and customers. Call and see us. We will give you Bargains. WE MEAN BUSINESS.

SEE OUR

Cheap Dress Goods,
Lustres,
Wincies,
Laces,
And Fringes,

Gents, see our CLOTHING. They are Stylish, Good CHEAP.

SEE OUR TWEEDS!

You will find them right in Price and Quality.

Boots and Shoes a Specialty.

Call and get a sample of our Splendid TEAS.

Gentlemen we have a splendid SMOKING TOBACCO, at 40c per lb. Try it.

We again give a general invitation to inspect our Stock. Have not time to write long advertisements. Don't believe in them. Would rather have the Goods speak for themselves.

Thanking you for past favors, and trust to have a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880. 1-ly

Fugitive Fancies.

I.

THE IDEAL.

In mid-ocean sails a vessel
With a golden freightage laden:
Poets set to matchless measures,
And a most delightful maiden.

But upon its spotless pennant
In this sad inscription, "Never;"
And though countless ports it passes,
It sails on forever, ever!

II.

A PAIR.

All silent her needle and thread;
On the tips of her delicate fingers
She musingly poses her head,
And thinks of the days that are dead.

She's with her first fond lover now,
By the moon-varnished river she lingers,
And listens again to his vow;
See! pity steals over her brow!

III.

FOR A CYNIC.

Near dark and stagnant pool
Where the air is deathly cool;

There his coffin hewn shall be
From the poison upas tree.

Snakes and lizards shall surround
His foul weed-encompassed mound.

And a shaft of greenish tint,
Chiselled from the hardest flint,

Shall above that mound appear,
Fashioned like a stony sneer.

IV.

DEFINITION.

What is the soul, my learned love?
Indeed, I cannot say,
Perhaps 'tis like the fragment of
The distant milky Way.

Or something like a perfect tune,
Or sweetly scented air,
The pale beam of the Northern moon,
Or breath of virgin fair.

But what is it? Alas, my dear,
I am not over wise;
I cannot make the matter clear
As your pellucid eyes.

But many a grave philosopher,
Filling his solemn scroll
With dusty lore of varnished years,
Says that the soul's—the soul.

ONLY A WOMAN'S HAIR.

By the Author of "A Strange Friendship," &c.

CHAPTER IX.

How long I remained hidden there I never knew. As the time glided by, all my terror gradually passed away, and I felt calm and confident once more. My conviction grew and strengthened that Cyril would not succeed in discovering my hiding-place.

The moon rose; but her light did not penetrate the deep obscurity of the refuge Mr. Beresford had selected for me; and, though I could see the house perfectly well, and the lights in its windows, no one could have discerned me, even if standing within a few yards of me, so deep was the shadow in which I lay concealed. The long ferns almost closed over my head; the branches of the trees hung low and deepened the obscurity.

Everything was very still and peaceful on that cold clear winter's night, with the stars sparkling down from their lofty heights above me.

"Yon orbed maiden,
With white fire laden,
Whom mortals call the moon,"

looked down upon me with calm serenity as I lay hidden.

At last I heard voices on the carriage drive quite close to me, and I discerned two figures approaching through the gloom. Cyril—how well I knew his voice!—said—

"Then you'll meet me this day week in town, Beresford, and we'll square up *re* the sheep?"

To this Noel answered

"All right. I will not fail. Cold, isn't it?" he added. And Cyril said

"Rather."

Then one of them struck a match, and they lighted their pipes. Presently I heard Cyril say

"What was that? Something moved over there."

I could discern the dark outline of his figure from where I lay, scarcely daring to breathe; and I felt sure that he was looking full at my hiding-place as he spoke.

"Probably a rabbit or a pheasant. I have both in my plantations," Noel answered.

I waited anxiously for Cyril's next words; but they did not come. The two men had walked on together towards the stables. I hoped that Cyril was about to get his horse; and by-and-by the dull thud of a horse's hoof on the drive led me to believe that he was at last riding away; and, when once more Noel Beresford's step crushed the fern and dead leaves near me, I knew that I was not mistaken.

Mr. Beresford did not touch me this time; he only beckoned to me to follow him; and in silence we crossed the lawn and re-entered the house by the large dining-room window, in the same manner that we had left it.

I ran at once to the fire, and, crouching down by it, began to warm my hands. Noel followed me to the fireplace, and stood looking down at me as I knelt there. Everything in the room was just the same; the tea-things still stood on the table.

"You do not ask me any questions," said Mr. Beresford. "I suppose you heard him ride past you, and you know that he has gone at last. He asked me no questions about you, as I had expected that he would; but he noticed your slippers; you had left them lying by the fire."

Sure enough there they lay—little blue slippers, with bright steel buckles and blue satin bows.

"I saw him looking at them," continued Noel, "And he had a sneer on his face; so I said—'Perhaps you are not aware that this house is let. I have only the use of this room occasionally for business purposes, as to-night.'

"'Your tenant is a lady then,'" he said, with his eyes still on the slippers.

"'Yes,' I answered; for I was not going to lie to him if I could help it.

"'She has very pretty little feet,'" he said, with another sneer."

There was a pause after this. I could not have spoken to save my life; something in Mr. Beresford's manner had set my heart beating fast. He took up one of the little slippers and laid it for a moment on his large strong brown hand.

"Such pretty little things!" he said. "I wonder who could have helped noticing them! I know I couldn't."

He laid the slipper down again, and I felt as if I dared not look at him. I fixed my eyes upon the glowing wood embers on the hearth instead.

When I at last ventured to glance up to him he was speaking rapidly, with his gray eyes dark and deep, looking down into mine.

"I see it all now," he was saying. "This will not do any longer. I must go away. I ought to have known better from the first. You are not to blame in the least. You are only a girl; but I am a man, ten years older than you, with all that knowledge of the world which you have not, and I ought to have seen from the first that it would not do."

His voice broke for a moment; but he mastered himself by a strong effort and went on.

"I admired you when I saw you first; but I fancied I was not rich enough to marry. I am only a younger son; and I let you slip through my fingers. Oh, fool that I was! And now it is too late!"

There was a whole world of passion, regret, and tenderness in his voice and in his words. I was standing before him by this time; but I could not have spoken, however hard I had tried.

Quite suddenly, and when I was not expecting it in the least, Noel caught me in his arms. He held me so for one moment, tightly clasped, with a strength that made me feel as powerless as a child. Then just as suddenly he released me again.

"No," he said; I won't soil your whiteness even for a moment Cathie—my little white snowdrop!"

He turned away and dropped down upon a chair by the table; his crossed arms were resting upon it, and his face was hidden; for a moment or two I heard nothing but his hard breathing. Then, without raising his head, he said in a whisper—

"Oh Cathie, remember me sometimes in your prayers!"

The pathetic appeal of those words almost broke my heart. There was despair in his whole attitude. I could bear it no longer; I stepped up to him, and I laid my hand upon his shoulder.

"You may go away for one week," I said. "When you come back I shall not be here any longer. I see it all now, and that I ought never to have come here, even for a day. Hush!"—for he had raised his head and seemed about to speak. "Don't try to defend me. I must do all I can now to repair the mischief I have caused. You must come back here, for you have to manage your property, and you cannot stay away; it is I who ought to go. Don't try to prevent me, and do not fancy that I can ever forget all that you have done for me, and"—here a sob nearly choked my voice—"Heaven be with you always!"

With the last words I fairly ran out of the room; and, before dawn next morning, Noel Beresford had left Ravelston.

How well I remember my miserable awakening to all my troubles in the morning!

During the early part of the night I slept from sheer exhaustion after all I had gone through during the last few hours; but in the gray dawn I awoke, and my first recollection was that Noel Beresford had gone, and that I should never, never see him any more! I hid my face in the pillow and cried many bitter tears. I felt as if I had come at last to the very darkest hour of all my life. If I had only known it, I might have taken courage; the darkest hour was the one before the dawn.

In the course of the day which followed, I made such plans as I was able for the future which lay before me.

I meant to leave Ravelston at once; on this point my mind was perfectly clear and resolved; all other projects still remained vague and half formed in my mind.

I had determined that I would be driven to the railway station the next morning, and that I would leave by the first train for town, where I meant to take lodgings for the present. I had still a little money left, and I hoped before that was finished to have procured a situation as governess. I think I had grown very reckless and very indifferent as to what further became of me.

It happened on this same day that Mrs. Holland received a letter from a friend of hers who lived in the neighbourhood of my old home; and I found, from a casual mention of myself in this letter, that people knew as yet absolutely nothing of my disappearance from my husband's roof. It was supposed that Cyril and I were still absent upon our wedding tour; we had originally intended to be away for two or three months.

From this I inferred that Cyril had not been living on his own estate since my departure. Probably he had been trying every means he could think of to seek me out without bringing his family affairs too prominently before the public.

The same evening I was alone in the dining room at Ravelston. I was feeling unspeakably lonely; I had packed up the few possessions I had with me, and there was nothing to prevent me leaving Ravelston the next morning. Had I not fully determined upon going away at once? But I loved the place so much, I had been so happy there, that it half broke my heart to leave it and to give up all hope of seeing it or its master again.

I had thrown myself down upon the couch at one side of the fireplace, and was crying bitterly, with my face buried in the cushions, when suddenly, through a pause in my sobs, I felt instinctively that I was no longer alone in the room.

I brushed away my tears, and raised my head sharply, and the next moment I started to my feet, for I saw, standing in the recess of the large window, my husband Cyril Vane.

The window was not fastened, and he had entered quite noiselessly while I had been too much absorbed in my own thoughts to notice his approach. Probably he had found out the day before that I was in the house, and his pretended departure had been only a blind in order to throw me off my guard. However this may have been, there he certainly was. He was intensely pale, and his eyes were very bright and fierce. As they met mine, I recoiled a step or two, and glanced involuntarily towards the door. He laughed—a little cruel laugh.

"Don't try to go," he said; "it would be of no use. You see, Cathie, you are hunted down at last!"

CHAPTER X.

A feeling of deadly terror crept over me, and, for a few moments, I quailed before him. I cannot tell if he knew how frightened I was.

We were now standing opposite to each other on the rug before the fire, and we eyed each other steadily, each waiting for the other to make the first move. Frightened as I was, I think I could scarcely have looked as pale as Cyril; the pallor of his face struck me as exceedingly ghastly and terrible.

The silence between us lasted unbroken for many minutes. It became unnatural, awful, and oppressive.

At last I said, very slowly, each word clear and sharp in the utter stillness of the room—

"You—murdered—my sister!"

"Yes," he said coolly, "I did. You knew that long ago."

I made no answer. The boldness of his confession and the cold cruel glance with which it was accomplished deprived me of all words. After a moment, he went on—

"You found me out from the first—I felt sure of it. I saw you watching me in the mirror one day when you thought I did not observe you, and I determined from that moment to marry you and to get you in my power." After a moment he added with another sneering laugh, "How do you know I have not come here to murder you as well?"

My terror had now reached its climax. I was shivering and trembling from head to foot.

I felt persuaded that he had really come to do as he threatened, to put an end to my life, as he had done to my sister's; yet I still managed to confront him steadily.

Some instinct taught me that the least sign of fear would be fatal, and I contrived to show none; yet, in my secret heart, I had given myself up for lost.

In that most terrible moment however a door slammed in the distance, and immediately afterwards came a step in the hall without that I knew—a firm, strong, steady tread, which brought hope and comfort with it to my sinking heart.

"Do you think I am afraid?" I cried bravely now. "Not I! You are only wasting your time if you have come here to threaten me!"

Almost as I uttered the words the door of the dining-room opened, and Noel Beresford made a third at our interview.

Noel came in quietly and closed the door behind him. He must already have learned who was there, for he expressed no surprise at the sight of his unexpected visitor. I remember that he had in one hand a large square envelope with a deep black border.

Noel put the letter into the breast-pocket of his coat as he came forward; but he did not offer to shake hands with Cyril; he did not wish him "good evening."

The two men stood and eyed each other with an intense deadly aversion in their glances. Instinctively I moved forward a few steps, so as to place myself between them.

Cyril was the first to speak. He took no notice of Mr. Beresford; he did not even look towards him. He addressed himself pointedly at me.

"Yes, it is quite true that I murdered Rose Belham," he said, with a second ostentatious confession of his guilt; "but she deserved her fate. She led me on and encouraged me all the time I was staying in town, till I was half mad about her. She asked me to come down and see her in the country, and, when I came, she laughed in my face; and she told me she was going to be married in a month. She turned away, and left me lying face downwards amongst the fern in the plantation, a broken-hearted man; but I had my gun in my hand, for I had been shooting; and, before she had gone twenty yards, I sprang up and shot her down like a dog. Strange that no one saw me there that day."

He was gradually working himself up, as he uttered his confession, into a fierce fit of passion.

Looking at him as he stood there, with his black eyes wild and savage as a wolf's and his lips compressed, I could quite realise how it all happened, and how Rose's foolish trick of flirting had come that summer afternoon to so terrible and tragic a conclusion.

I stood and looked at Cyril in mute horror while he spoke, wondering what new form this strange audacity of guilt would assume, and what fresh crime he would next confess to. Noel too was silent; he was watching intently every look and movement of the man before him. His eyes never wavered for a moment; his straight brows were contracted with the keeness of his gaze.

Suddenly Cyril put one hand to the breast-pocket of his coat, and Noel's scrutiny of his every gesture became, if possible, even more intense and vigilant.

"When I came here to-day," Cyril resumed, speaking somewhat dreamily now, and in a softer tone than he had used before, "I said to myself that I would send Cathie after her sister; but I have changed my mind. Cathie does not deserve such a fate; she would never have treated me as Rose did, she is a girl of a different sort; but instead of that, I will—"

The sentence was never finished. In that same moment Noel sprang forward, with one movement of his strong arm, had flung him behind him. There was a loud report, and Cyril dropped upon the rug before us, the revolver he had taken from his pockets slipping from his fingers as he sank down prone at Noel Beresford's feet.

The first thing I was conscious of was that Noel was trying to lead me from the room; but I resisted, with a great resolution, to which he gave way.

"Oh, no!" I said. "I must do all I can for him now. Do you think that he is dead?"

"I am not sure," he answered; "I must see."

Cyril was not dead; and one of Mr. Beresford's men was despatched at once on the fleetest horse in the stables to fetch the nearest doctor.

Mrs. Holland, who was an excellent nurse, was summoned to assist in this emergency.

We lifted him on to the couch by the fire, and Noel examined his injuries. Cyril was quite unconscious, and was bleeding from a wound in the chest.

"I thought it would have been you, Cathie," Noel said, looking up suddenly, with a sigh of intense relief. "That was why I put you behind me. I knew he had that thing in his pocket all the time: I saw the muzzle of it quite plainly, and he had his hand upon it; I was watching for the right moment to get in front of you; if I had asked you to leave the room, he would have shot you down at once, next to the door; I could see it in his eyes."

At last Cyril recovered consciousness; the remedies we had tried brought him slowly back to life. He opened his eyes and looked at him, at first vaguely, then with some anxiety in his eyes.

"Is it you that he wants, Cathie?" said Noel, drawing back a step or two.

I came close to Cyril's side, and he made an effort to speak.

"Kneel down," he said at last.

I did so, and he appeared satisfied. All through the long hours of that terrible night I knelt by his side; he would not let me leave him for a moment.

If I moved ever so slightly, the feeble pressure of his hand brought me back again to my old position. Noel fetched a warm cloak lined with fur and wrapped me in it, for I became very cold as the hours crept by slowly.

"Put '*mea culpa*' over my grave," he said, "and nothing else, save my name; mine has been a wasted life."

A little after he asked, speaking slowly and with difficulty—

"I have taken the greatest care of your horse, Cathie; he is eating his head off in my stables; and all your little possessions are quite safe. I have looked after them all for your sake."

His face was growing very pale, and the shadows deepened about his mouth.

"Cyril," I said, with sorrowful earnestness, trying to rouse his attention, "I am praying for you."

A faint flicker of a smile passed over his face.

"No one save you, would do that for me, Cathie," he said.

"Oh, Cyril," I said once more, "try to follow what I am saying; try to pray for yourself."

But he did not respond to my appeal; he lay quite still, with his eyes closed.

The room seemed to have grown very chilly. Noel heaped more logs on the fire, and Mrs. Holland made some hot coffee and brought a cup of it to me. But I could not raise my head to drink it; the dying man's hand still held me firmly to my place. At last he opened his eyes once more.

"Kiss me, Cathie," he whispered, "as a proof that you forgive me all the injury I have done you."

All through the days of his courtship I had never given Cyril one kiss; now, in the presence of Noel and Mrs. Holland, I pressed my lips for the first and last time on his forehead.

When I raised my head, I saw that the look of pain had passed from his face, and there was now no expression of peace. Very slowly, very reluctantly his hand relaxed its grasp on mine; his eyes seemed to seek for me [illegible] not see me now. Then Noel lifted me up and placed me in an easy chair by the fire. I knew that the guilty soul of Cyril Vane had passed away.

CHAPTER XI, AND LAST.

I was obliged to remain at Ravelston until after Cyril's funeral had taken place.

It was [illegible] that we had [illegible] Beresford's [illegible] wedding tour, and that Cyril in a fit of depression, had [illegible]. He was known to have led a very wild and unsteady life for years past, and no one was surprised.

"Do you know what I came here for, Cathie?" Noel said to me [illegible] Cyril's death. "I suddenly remembered that perhaps you might want money, and I came to give you this cheque. Was it not a lucky thing that I came?"

It was indeed, for me, at any rate; but for Noel's return I truly believe that I should not have lived to write this story.

I have mentioned before that when Noel came into the room on that most memorable evening he held in one hand a letter with a black-bordered envelope.

He had heard, he told me afterwards, by the English mail that his elder brother was just dead, and that he was now in possession of one of the handsomest estates and largest fortunes in Blankshire.

"I beg that you will remain my tenant, Mrs. Vane," said Mr. Beresford to me with extreme formality, "for a year, of course. I see in the paper that your father's estate is to be put up for sale next week; I intend to secure it if possible, and I trust that you will consent to return again to your old home."

I gladly agreed to this arrangement; but, shocking to relate, I have never paid my landlord one farthing of rent to this day.

After I had been for some little time in the house where Rose and I had lived ever since we were children, I received a letter from Mr. Beresford.

"I must go back to England soon," he wrote. "The property at home wants looking after. May I come and see you before I go?"

I wrote back at once—

"No, no, no; you are not to come at present."

He waited a little while; then he wrote again—

"Don't you think this has now gone on long enough? My patience is getting worn out. Don't send me away; let me come."

To this letter I vouchsafed no reply. Of course after this I was not very much surprised when, a few days afterwards, on coming in from a long ride on Gladiator, I found Noel standing waiting for me before the fire. I took off my gauntlet glove, and we shook hands with extreme formality and decorum.

"You have come about the rent?" I said, with a saucy toss of my head. "It is of no use. I haven't got it, and I can't pay you."

Whereupon he first laughed, and then suddenly caught me in his arms and covered my face with kisses.

"I have missed you dreadfully, Cathie," he whispered. "And now I can't have enough of you. Of course you know what I came for?"

He wanted me to marry him and go home to England with him at once; but I stipulated for another month's delay, and at last I carried my point.

He had brought me a present, and he made me take it out of the breast-pocket of his coat with my own hands.

I found a jeweller's case, containing a brooch and locket to match of gold, with a snowdrop on each of pearls and emeralds.

"Do you remember that evening," asked Noel, still holding me as if he would never let me go, [illegible] How I admired you for your innocence and fearlessness of all evil! [illegible] little white snowdrop, Cathie; and, when I saw these in a shop window, I took a fancy to them at once for your sake."

I have not mentioned that Cyril Vane had made a will just before I married him, and had left all his possessions to me. I could not bear to touch his money, nor would Noel have allowed me to do so.

We found [illegible] with a [illegible] in poor circumstances, [illegible] her. It was [illegible] nearly all [illegible] supposed; [illegible] in a more comfortable position for the rest of her life.

Once before I wrote that never was there a more forlorn and miserable bride than the one who went through the ceremony of marriage with Cyril Vane; so now I add that the sun never shone upon a happier girl than the one who is at last Noel Beresford's wife.

We are living on his beautiful estate in Blankshire, and we are both exceedingly happy.

The long lovely lock of Rose's golden hair lies before me on the table as I write. In the days to come, when I too have followed my sister to the grave, it will be found among my papers, and then I hope that those who discover it will say to one another—

"The eyes that loved it once no longer wake.
So lay it by with reverent care;
Touching it tenderly for sorrow's sake,
Only a woman's hair."

THE END.

"Stolen Waters."

There is an old proverb of which the above are the opening words. They are familiar to all, for they have their *raison d'être*, deep down in the nature of our common humanity, and [illegible] as true. Indeed this is the ultimate test of all truth, the acceptance of a statement [illegible]

It can hardly have failed to strike most of us [illegible]

"Stolen waters are sweet." Not waters, but *stolen* waters. There is a charm that we cannot define, but which is nevertheless there in "forbidden fruit." [illegible]

[illegible]

The Gymnasium at Athens.

I had heard much of the national institution, and was glad to get an opportunity to visit [illegible] We turned our steps toward the Lyceum [illegible]

[illegible]

A Night in the Sun Office.

THE SYSTEM THAT STRUCK AN OUTSIDE NEWSPAPER MAN AS VERY INTERESTING.

(From the Louisville Post.)

The *Sun* newspaper is a small affair in square inches, but every inch is an institution. The sheet is not as large as the Louisville *Post*, but a comparison of the paper on any day with either of its great New York contemporaries will prove that it contains every item of valuable current news, local, national, or foreign, and hardly a line of padding. Notwithstanding the condensation necessary to secure such results, the paper is written with singular clearness, and is deservedly noted for literary grace. And further, along with all the news, it finds room for pointed editorials—pebbles of hard English well flung—and as much of miscellaneous and interesting matter as any reasonable reader would care to have. In short, the *Sun* is the most complete newspaper in America, supplying everything in such a shape that everything can be read.

With such characteristics it is no wonder that it is the most widely read paper in New York, where nearly everybody is busy; and so long as it is conducted with the present liberality, energy, and care, its continued growth is assured; 127,000 copies are now sold daily, which is one paper to every ten people in New York city, a proportion that is likely to hold in the future, if, indeed, it is not improved with the increase of the proportion of busy people.

A majority of the newspaper men who are familiar with the *Sun* as an exchange, and who know of its great prosperity, have long ago resolved that, if they ever start a paper of their own, the *Sun* shall be their model. Many such attempts have been made and have failed. The Cincinnati *Sun*, a mechanical imitation, a perfect counterfeit, but too far off to read, was the most notable instance. The trouble with all such attempts was that the projectors did not know the New York *Sun* and its system. They imagined that by imitating its size and outward appearance they would save white paper and type setting and still make a bright and successful journal, when in fact the size of the *Sun* is fixed, not to save white paper and type setting, though it does that incidentally, but because it is the smallest size into which all the news can be put and still preserve a clear and pleasant shape. The *Sun* is really run on very expensive principles. The cost of its news, coming through men who are able to condense, is as great as that of any of the monster papers which employ diffuse, ill-paid writers, and meet their heaviest expense in telegraph bills, paper bills, and the wages of able-bodied compositors. The *Sun* pays as much for editors to cut out words and leave tangible facts and ideas as the blunderbuss papers pay for writers to coin sentences.

It is only after some study that one can realize what an enormous amount of news a great metropolitan paper must handle before it can be said to "have it all," and it is a matter of real wonder that a little paper like the *Sun* contrives to hold so much. It is a case of the learned man's small head; it is the result of a complete system carried out under able management, by the hard work of many bright minds. Just think of the materials that come to the office every day. Though the hundreds of men who gather the news know that their positions depend on their being as brief as is consistent with completeness, they still furnish, at a small estimate, more than ten times as much copy as can possibly be printed. The daily amount of reading matter averages about forty-two columns; it contains all of value of two hundred columns of copy sent in, from which it has to be extracted and set within the short space of eleven hours, the greater portion within half that time. I spent yesterday and last night in the *Sun* office to observe the process.

Outside of the editoral work of condensation, the capacity of the paper is enhanced by several mechanical devices. For instance: The type, while clear, is compact and small, being mostly nonpareil and agate; and the headlines, while nicely guaged to suggest the importance of the matter to follow, will be found on measurement, in any case, to occupy very small room. There are other ways in which the types are compressed, but I will proceed now to give an outline sketch of what I saw of the work of the editors and reporters.

Mr. Dana maintains the closest personal supervision of the whose establishment. In the editorial department, which comes personally from his hands, he is assisted by able writers. When he goes home, Mr. John Swinton is left in charge.

The city editor has immediate command of forty-two reporters, and his territory embraces New York and the surrounding cities, and a half day's journey into the country in any direction. All the reporters and many of the other writers come to the editoral rooms (a small suite for Mr. Dana and a large hall for all the rest) at 11 o'clock in the morning. Mr. Dana learns the plans of the others for the day, and makes his suggestions and gives his orders, writes a leader and a paragraph or two and assigns specified subjects to be discussed by members of his staff. Before he leaves he reads a revised proof of the chief editorials.

Distant correspondents are at liberty to send at first only a short message by telegraph, stating the character of the news they have and asking instructions, which are promptly returned to them by telegraph, unless the news comes late at night and is of great importance, when the matter if left to their discretion. The selection and control of correspondents is a vital matter in the *Sun's* system.

The city editor and his four assistants keep a very complete assignment book, in which are entered memoranda of every point that is likely to be worked on each day, entries being frequently made three months in advance. Besides this book, reporters are kept on duty constantly at the police headquarters in New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, and neighbouring towns, and immediately on the receipt of a piece of news from any police station it is telephoned to the city editor. Using the book of assignments, the papers of the day, and any hints he may have had from other sources, the city editor directs each reporter as to what he must do, exercising his best care in selecting the men with reference to their peculiar talents for the particular style or kind of work he desires.

About 5 o'clock Mr. Dana steps from his desk to go home, first stopping to consult with Mr. Swinton and to leave with him a schedule of the editorial matter he wishes to have appear. A calculation is now made to determine how much space Mr. Dana has used, and then the managing and city editors make up their schedules. On a comparison of these it is generally found that each has been too liberal with himself, and both schedules have to be cut to leave a sufficient margin for the certain and probable news, local and telegraphic, that is to come. When the schedule matter is finally made up, it is given to the compositors, who are now all at work. Once on the printers' hooks the schedules, in their outline of space, not in their contents, are absolute. They represent all the paper will hold, and on the receipt of any unexpected matter, either the articles embraced in the schedules or the later news, or both, must suffer condensation or slaughter. It happens occasionally that, piece by piece, the whole of the schedule lists is set aside to make room for more important news, and sometimes a hundred columns of copy very late is reduced to two columns before it reaches the printers. A few weeks ago fifty columns of Washington matter was boiled down to one, and not an important fact was lost.

Before the conference as to the schedules, the city editor has received returns from most of the morning assignments, and has started many of the reporters on new errands. At 6 o'clock the night city editor arrives, who, assisted by the three other night editors, from this time forward directs the reporters and edits their copy, the managing editor keeping him informed as to the necessary condensation.

It matters not how great the rush of matter and the consequent condensation may have been, nor how much of type may have been set aside. The *Sun* forms are locked up at the stroke of a certain hour every morning, and at 3 o'clock the paper may be bought anywhere in New York city. This is an hour ahead of any other New York morning daily, and a second editon is rarely needed to maintain the *Sun's* reputation for having all the news.

It will be seen, I think, that while the *Sun* is extremely economical of space, and therefore of the time of its busy readers, and though it pays as seldom as possible for redundant words, it is exceedingly liberal in getting the absolute news. Ambitious newspaper men with small capital should not undertake to run a paper on the *Sun's* system, but such a paper is needed in all our large, busy cities, and the day is not far distant, probably, when the *Sun* will no longer stand unique and alone.

The cultured way to speak of a burlesque actress' dress is to say that the skirts are very decollete at the bottom.

A Russian Explorer in Thibet.

THE SUCCESSFUL PROGRESS OF THE INTREPID PREJEVALSKY AND HIS COMPANIONS.

(From the London Academy.)

Important news has just been received from Col. Prejevalsky, who, having finished his business at Sining-fu, at the end of March started for the Hwang-Ho, which he struck at the small valley of Gomi, the farthest inhabited district on the river. The Hwang-Ho, which there has a breadth of about 150 yards and a rapid current, at this point makes a sudden bend from northeast to east, flowing at an elevation of 8,000 feet between fairly well wooded banks. After spending ten days in the Gomi valley, the expedition proceeded up the river, but found its progress much impeded by ravines, running down to the river bank, which, from the precipitous nature of their sides, were crossed with difficulty.

In one of these vast crevasses, some eighty-seven miles beyond Gomi, there were forests abounding with birds, among which were numerous blue pheasants. Of these Col Prejevalsky secured several specimens for his collections. Rhubarb was also met with here in large quantities, and it was noted that the old roots were extraordinarily large. After crossing a number of the ravines and a sandy plain beside, the party arrived at the confluence of the Churmysh, there about a hundred yards broad. This proved to be the farthest limit to which they could push their explorations. For having no means of constructing a raft, they found it impossible to cross the Churmysh, and, had they been able to do so, Col. Prejevalsky, after careful and extended reconnoissance, reluctantly came to the conclusion that he would be unable to get his camels, mules, and horses over the huge mountain range which stretches along the course of the Hwang Ho. He therefore returned to the Gomi valley, from which, after a march of forty miles, he reached a place on the Hwang-Ho called in his letter Hui-de. Here he intended to spend part of July and August in natural history investigations, and then to go northward to Cheibsen to finish his former explorations there

Col. Prejevalsky is of the opinion that the sources of the Hwang-Ho can only be reached through Thibetan territory. He expresses strong doubt whether the river makes such a decided curve in its upper course as has commonly been assigned to it by cartographers. He is able, however, to affirm positively that such a curved line does not exist in the 170 miles which he has lately explored. At the end of his letter he announces his intention of reaching Alashan about Sept. 1.

The Empress' New House.

SHE AND THE QUEEN TO BE NEIGHBOURS—WHY SHE REMAINS IN ENGLAND.

I hear that it was the Queen who prevailed upon the Empress Eugenie to give up her intention of going to Arenenberg and taking with her the mortal remains of the late Emperor and of the Prince Imperial. One of the chief reasons for leaving Chislehurst, but not the only one, was the impossibility of erecting a mausoleum there to those whom the Empress had loved and lost. The prime difficulty was getting a site. There is, it is true, to the westward of the little Church of St. Mary a field which would have done; but it is the property of a rich city firm, who, for some reason or another, would not, or could not, listen to any terms of purchase. It was then suggested that the Memorial Chapel might be built on the north side of the church, but here a difficulty of another kind arose. It is a superstition among the Roman Catholics of some countries that the sun never shines upon graves placed to the north of a church. The plan had, therefore, to be abandoned, and it was then that the Empress' solicitor bethought himself of Farnborough Hill, the estate of the late Mr. Longman. One of the great attractions of the place for the Empress is naturally its proximity to Windsor, of which it is within an easy drive. It is a cross between a French chateau and an English country house, picturesque and comfortable. The gardens are extensive, with graperies, fernery, greenhouse and orchidhouses. The ornamental grounds, which cover about eighty acres, have artificial lakes, with small, wooded islands. The estate comprises, besides, nine cottages and a farm, which is at present unlet—a hint to those who wish to have an Empress for the landlady. The Empress will take possession in the early part of next year, the tenancy of Camden House expiring in March. I hear the owner will not be sorry to return to his home again. When he let it to the fugitive Emperor ten years ago, he certainly did not think that he would have been kept out of it so long.

The Music of Ireland.

Moore, in his essay on the music of Ireland, says: "It has often been remarked and oftener felt, that our music is the truest of all comments upon our history. The tone of defiance, succeeded by the languor of despondency (a burst of turbulence dying away into softness) the sorrows of one moment lost in the levity of the next, and all that romantic mixture of mirth and sadness which is naturally produced by the efforts of a lively temperament to shake off or forget the wrongs which lie upon it. Such are the features and character, which we find strongly and faithfully reflected in our music; and there are many airs which I think it is difficult to listen to without recalling some period or event to which their expression seems peculiarly applicable. The plaintive melodies of Carolan take us back to the times in which he lived, when our poor countrymen were driven to worship their God in caves, or to quit for ever the land of their birth (like the bird that abandons the nest which human touch has violated); and in many a song do we hear the last farewell of the exile mingling regrets for the ties he leaves at home."

After all, those two men that at present lead the people of England, are though of very different types, tough and tried old fellows both. The world will very likely go crazy over this new novel of Beaconsfield's, and if Gladstone does not get in its pages a good many digs in the ribs, or wherever his tenderest parts are supposed to be, it will be a wonder. Ten thousand pounds for a novel,—fifty thousand dollars—and 20,000 copies sold before the book is published! Is that not something for a man of 75? And he'll be as biting and spiteful as ever, of course. What would the whole thing be worth, if it had neither the wormwood nor the gall? It will be fun if that man is again Prime Minister of England. But why not? He is the most magnificent charlatan that this century has produced, and, after all the average Englishman dearly loves fanfarade and cheap jewellery to say nothing of sounding periods, bitter invective and unadulterated Jingoism. It was not with Jingoism in itself, that they were disgusted and scandalized, but at Jingoism unsuccessful, with Jingoism in a peck of troubles, with Jingoism next door to being ridiculous, with, in short, Jingoism awfully expensive, and nothing, not even a poor little bit of glory and success to show, as a set off against all the treasure wasted and all the blood shed. But disgusts are soon got over, and the magnificent Cheap John is not long discredited. And so it may be, that the old stuff, near about octogenarian, may be the figure head of another ministry, and go off to Westminister Abbey, amid a shower of rockets, blue lights and Roman candles. So dear is humbug to the average human heart.

A STRANGE kitten was given a home, on the steamship Illinois, which was then in her dock in Philadelphia. When the steamer left Liverpool recently for home, it was found that the kitten had been left behind. The captain and sailors were much grieved, because they never expected to see her again. When the British Crown, the next steamer of the American line to sail from Liverpool, arrived in Philadelphia, the first passenger to creep ashore was pussy. With tail and mane erected she flew on board the Illinois, and began to race about the decks, showing in every way her dumb nature would allow the joy that was in her heart at getting back to her old home.

THE suit instituted to administer the property of the late Miss Adelaide Neilson, in the English Court of Chancery, will be heard this week. Legal questions as to the right of Miss Neilson to will away her property have arisen, and with a view to a final determination of the whole matter, it has been thought best to take the opinion of the Court. A very handsome monument will shortly be erected in memory of Miss Neilson in Brompton Cemetery, at a cost of £800.

To the truth of the saying that the size of the soul has nothing to do with the size of the body, no stronger testimony is needed than the small physical stature of such men as Holmes, Howells, Cable, Whipple, Aldrich, Stedman, and a host of others.

THIS drawback on tobacco must refer to pipe-smoking.

Our Man About Town.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

I never thought there was so much gossip going till I laid myself to gather it. But, bless your hearts, there are lots and lots of it that cannot be touched without the most unpleasant consequences following. With the greatest ease in the world I could saddle TRUTH with as many libel suits as ever Charlie Barr of the Lindsay Post rejoiced in, and that not from any malice or imagination, but simply by repeating

WHAT I HEAR AT STREET CORNERS,

and what is often whispered at counting houses and at lunch tables. I should hope there are a good many lies going, and that a good deal of what is said is more from thoughtless love of news, than from any deliberate intention to hurt either character or credit. And yet the effect is the same. An uncomfortable feeling is excited. One gets into the idea that there is something wrong, though a shrug of the shoulder or a wink of the eye is about the whole, and what actionable matter is there in that? It is strange, besides, how speedily unpleasant news and suspicions get abroad. Now it is a man's pecuniary affairs, now his personal habits, now his domestic relations, now one thing, now another. But it is all as a usual thing on the shady side, all tending to make the object of remark less, to lower his position and disquiet his friends. You will hear that one man, who has been making a great ado, and filling quite a prominent place in the world of fashion or politics, or both, is in difficulties, whence the rumour came. No one can say. But there is very speedily seen method in the

MADNESS, IF NOT MALICE, IN THE STORY,

"Wants to sell his house?" "You don't say! That fine house he has so lately finished!" Just so. "Oh, I don't believe it. The story has nothing to stand upon!" "Why man alive the house is not even mortgaged!" "Isn't it? That is all *you* know." "Mortgaged? Aye, up to nearly full value. It would not bring more were the mortgage foreclosed to-day." "Oh! I thought so. It does not surprise *me*, not one bit." And so the thing goes on, and that which started with, "I shouldn't wonder if," ends with the most solemn assertion that such is the fact.

My! But won't things go lively when the Municipal elections come off? Politics are getting more and more into them, and both sides are equally guilty and equally hypocritical. The *Globe* always deprecates the introduction of politics into such contests, but some how or other it always discovers the superior merits of good sound Grits. The *Mail* is not a whit better. The great safeguard of the *World* and the *Telegram* is that they know little or nothing about the local men and their past histories, and can't manage to be partizan even though they were trying. They would like though, all the same.

JOHNNIE HALLAM HAD A LITTLE BLOW OFF

the other night at the Council against the coal tax, though how that lay in the way of these civic dignitaries except as citizens, it would be difficult to see or say. A gentleman of the name of Swan is out bright and early, and others will follow in due course, though, upon the whole, most of people are not anxious about the honour, except they have some axes to grind.

The Mayoralty is different; for to it there is

A VERY FAIR SALARY ATTACHED,

its duties are not burdensome, and there is always coming up the opportunity of spreading one's self in speech or hospitality.

Wm.B.'s card is out, and it is grand. I am not sure that I make out the grounds upon which he bases his claim, but it is all written and every one can judge for himself. Some folks are saying that W. P. Howland, the late Lieut.-Governor, is going to be brought out. If so, a few will need to retire. He is not a great man is not Wm. P. But he is highly respectable, and in my estimation worth half a dozen of his son. If he come out I incline to the idea that he will win, though I would not be too sure, for he has his draw-backs, and these are easily laid hold of and made the most of. In any case he will be the strongest man with whom Mr. Manning will have to contend. I often wonder how I should do supposing the city should delegate all its enacting power to your humble servant. I have no doubt I should choose the best man, but there would be a puzzle sometimes about how he was to be found out. The fact is things are not very pleasant municipally with Toronto, but the difficulty is about making them better. Again and again in days gone by, new blood was thought indispensable, new blood was tried and it did make much difference. Everybody remembers what was expected when

WILLIE THOMSON AND JOHN TURNER AND WARRING KENNEDY

and others got into the Council. Things were to be all serene and affairs were to be managed in quite a tip-top fashion. Was there really such an awful difference? Scarcely, and even during the present year has the tone very much improved? Perhaps some, but it could stand a good deal of improvement yet. My own notion would be to get Mr. Goldwin Smith into the Council. He would do first rate, and if he was made mayor that would be all the better. What a blow in the face that would be to Gordon Brown, if his great *bete noire*, in spite of all his annexation views, were to be chosen chief official of the Queen City! It would be enough to make every Grit stone in the corporation rise and mutiny! If Goldwin would but "think on" to it, it might be managed. Then from the Council after, he had put it all right and superintended it for a year or so to see how it worked, he could go into the local parliament to coach Crooks, mentor, (if one might venture on a carriage) Mowat, and win Wood to better and more economical ways. After that, he could go to Ottawa, and repeat the operation there. It would be fine. I shall take an early opportunity of suggesting the course to Mr. Smith personally, and I have no doubt it can be managed.

The hard weather has brought out the curlers and skaters. The new granite rink is something "immense," and it is having distinguished patronage. The Mutual will be sure to suffer.

IT IS NOT 'TONEY' ENOUGH.

Besides, it is an undoubted fact that discipline and good behaviour are not what they ought to be there. Our rinks should be so conducted that ladies both old and young could frequent them with the greatest confidence. As things stand they can't do this There is far too much coarse horse play and crowding and unnecessary jostling. It may be very jolly for vulgar half-growns or whole grown lads, but it does not pay, for it draws away the very persons it is all important to retain. A skating rink ought to have as good and as gentlemanly behaviour as a drawing-room, and if the Granite can secure this, it will be a success. I hear of quite a number going in for ice sports this winter, staid men of business, and even those reckoned firmly pious. Why not? A man might both read his bible and pray all the better after an hour or two at the stones, if betting and whiskey were strictly tabooed.

By the way what does the

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY DO WITH ALL THE CHAPLAINS?

Think of four to keep these drouthy church Scots in order. They must need a good deal of looking after and no mistake. What about the whiskey at their meetings? Is it the duty of the Chaplains to taste and testify that it is good? O course the meetings of good true Scots without the "mountain dew" is not to be thought of. Would it not be nice to count up all the cost of these "refreshments" and give it to the poor in addition to the other benefaction? It is an awfully fine thing however, to get credit for benevolence and patriotism, and have a regularly good jollification at the same time. I know right well who says,

"Freedom and whisky gang the gither,
Tak aff yer dram."

And I would be sorry to do anything to induce Scotchmen to stop their drinking, when I am so well aware as I am, of the extent of their drouth. And whole

FOUR CHAPLAINS TO ASK A BLESSING

on a tass o' whiskey! Oh it's fine! Nothing can be done without the liquor, and everybody knows, that to drink moderately, is far more meritorious than to abstain steady! Scotchmen all, obey your pastors and masters, and time your drinking so that you may get all you want, and yet go home, if not as sober as judges, yet, quite able to follow in the footsteps of divines.

Stimulated to enterprise by the energy of the *Telegram* and its graphic descriptions, I went to see the lady superintendent of the Haven. I tell you, it is a mighty ticklish business to go to such places. But I went, and found that Jack's agent had upon the whole been faithful. There must be

SOME AWFUL "RIPS" AMONG THE BETTER CLASSES

in Toronto, but surely it can't be true, that some who fuss about religion, taking up coppers of a Sunday, and even speaking at "meeting," are rather "rummy" [illegible] may though, for woman nature is a [illegible] mixture. If I were the lady [illegible] such places, I would keep a ledger of [illegible] and histories, and, by all that is holy, I [illegible] make it pretty hot for those [illegible] scamps, whether they play pious or [illegible] verse. It is perfectly awful. But [illegible] again.

WHY ARE GIRLS SUCH FOOLS?

Oh poor things, many of them have only a chance. And a raw ignorant [illegible] is easily led away by the plausible [illegible] es of those in higher stations who flatter by talking of love, when they mean [illegible] less. Is it always to be thus? [illegible] weak always to be pushed to the wall on the side of the oppressor and [illegible] there always to be power? It would [illegible] so, at least such is the case at [illegible] Toronto, though I don't believe things a bit worse here than in country [illegible] The high toned sinners with their [illegible] tions of benevolence and propriety! [illegible] long to crucify some of them, and I [illegible] I shall some of these days, if they [illegible] turn over a new leaf and be to [illegible] what they are anxious to have it [illegible] they are.

There now! A whole column, [illegible] word about Sara, or on the stage, [illegible] admirable school for morals and [illegible] ing! So it is, as true as that I am

JACOB FAITH[illegible]

ALL SORTS.

I saw some cateup on a string,
A fence rail at a shed,
A man who shot upon the wing,
A hat stand on its head.

A Practical Question

Darkly the humorist
Muses on fate;
Ghastly experiment
Life seems to him,
Subject for merriment
Sombre and grim;
Is it his doom or is it
Something he ate?

The William Goat

Mary had a William goat,
And he was black as jet;
He followed Mary round all day,
And liked her! you ju[illegible]

He went with her to school one day,
The teacher kicked him out;
It made the children grin, [illegible]
To have the goat about.

But though old Whackem kicked him,
Yet still he lingered near;
He waited just outside the door
Till Whackem did appear.

Then William ran to meet the [illegible]
He ran his level best;
And met him just behind, you [illegible]
Down just below the vest.

Old Whacken turned a somersault,
The goat stood on his head,
And Mary laughed herself so sick
She had to go to bed.

Poker.

To draw, or not to draw, that is the question.
Whether 'tis safer in the player to [illegible]
The awful risk of skinning for a straight,
Or, standing pat, to raise 'em all the [illegible]
And thus, by building, get it. To draw, to skin:
No more—and by that skin to get a full,
Or two pair, or the fattest bounce [illegible]
That luck is heir to—'tis a consummation
Devoutly to be wished. To draw, [illegible]
To skin! perchance to bust—aye, there's the rub!
For in that draw of three what cards may come
When we have shuffled off the [illegible] pack,
Must give us pause. There's the respect
Which makes calamity of bob-tailed [illegible]
For who would bear the overwhelming [illegible]
The reckless straddle, the weight on the [illegible]
The insolence of pat hands, and the [illegible]
That patient merit of the bluff takes,
When he himself might be much better
By simply passing? What would [illegible] hold,
And go out on a small progressive raise
But that the dread of something after,
The undiscovered ace full, to whose [illegible]
Such hands must bow, puzzles the [illegible]
And makes us rather keep the chips [illegible]
Than be curious about hands we know [illegible]
Thus bluffing doth make cowards [illegible]
And thus the native hue of a four-[illegible]
Is sickened with some dark and [illegible]
And speculators in a jack-pot [illegible]
With this regard, their interest [illegible]
And lose the right to open.

AN arms house—the arsenal.

THE Widow Olive has adjourned.

IT is a poor speller who does not [illegible] to business.

THE man who missed his fo[illegible] had his boots stolen.

MRS. LANGTRY is so beautiful that [illegible] more than head and shoulders [illegible] adornments of dress.

TRADERS interested in the tariff [illegible] are reminded that the duty on coal [illegible] full weight to the ton.

IT'S probably true that the church [illegible] pew-rest place on earth, since so [illegible] the congregation sleep.

EVERY maiden can have a feller if [illegible] money enough to buy a sewing-m[illegible] with all the modern attachments.

"THERE is no place like home," [illegible] Mr. Henpeck, looking at a motto, [illegible] heartily added: "I'm glad there isn't."

THE ancient maiden who defers her [illegible] sition of marriage much longer will [illegible] Mr. chances for this leap year.

I HAVE no knowledge of monetary [illegible] save in the abstract, as the thief [illegible] while depleting the money-drawer.

OLD Lady (to modest Curate)—"[illegible] I do not like to 'ear you preach ext[illegible] Your language is that won'erful [illegible]

THE Dean of Carlisle is about to [illegible] the widow of the late David Ho[illegible] Liverpool. The dean is eighty-th[illegible] old.

WOMEN don't take to telegraph[illegible] much. Lots of dispatches have to [illegible] on manifold, and the sex don't care [illegible] if old.

If a madman bitten be
By a bittern bitterly,
Better had that bittern bee[illegible]
Bitten than the man, I ween

SARAH BERNHARDT'S first wor[illegible] landing in America were: "If Hen[illegible] Beecher or Roscoe Conkling [illegible] I'll scream."

A DULL old lady, being told that a lawyer was lying at the point of de[illegible] claimed: "My gracious! won't eve[illegible] stop that man's lying?"

TIME, 2 a. m.: "My dear," said [illegible] all right. I've been down getting [illegible] turns. There's no use raisin' a row. [illegible] my fault. What you want'[illegible] turns?"

AT Bullong—Mr. Belleville (who [illegible] air his French before his friends). "[illegible] Parfume du—er—du Jockey club" [illegible] Perfumer—"O yes, sare! We ha[illegible] English smells"

A CHILD of 5 was being taken to [illegible] in a close carriage, and while passing [illegible] a plantation he suddenly exclaimed [illegible] great satisfaction: "Look! look! [illegible] out to tea; but all the trees are home!"

THE richest men in Germany [illegible] Rothschilds of Frankfort, Krupp of [illegible] and Bleichbloder of Berlin: the [illegible] mark is also reckoned among the [illegible] aires. The number of Prussian mil[illegible] is only 1,195.

SPEAKING of Mr. Forbes' lecture [illegible] I Have Met," a western newsp[illegible] says some day he will come across three [illegible] and a pair of sevens, and then he w[illegible] something about the really great [illegible] of this country.

KING LUDWIG, of Bavaria, who [illegible] sits and makes his ministers stand, wakes his old chamberlain at 3 o'clock [illegible] morning to play billards, and if he [illegible] yawn he is soon made to feel the [illegible] the royal displeasure.

"MY case is just here," said a citizen [illegible] lawyer the other day, "the plaintiff [illegible] swear that I hit him. I will swear [illegible] did not. Now what can your lawyer [illegible] out of that if we go to trial?" [illegible] dollars apiece," was the prompt reply.

THE other day a mild little man, [illegible] invalid wife and seven children, won [illegible] black bear at a raffle in Memphis. [illegible] bear was raffled off because it ate up [illegible] owner, and the little man who [illegible] lucky throw is just wild to know wh[illegible]

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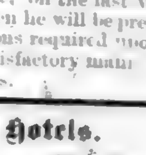

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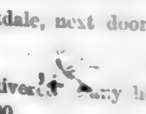

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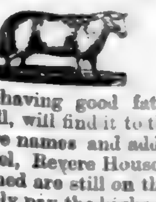

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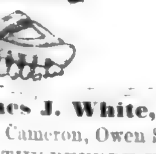

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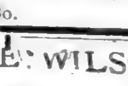

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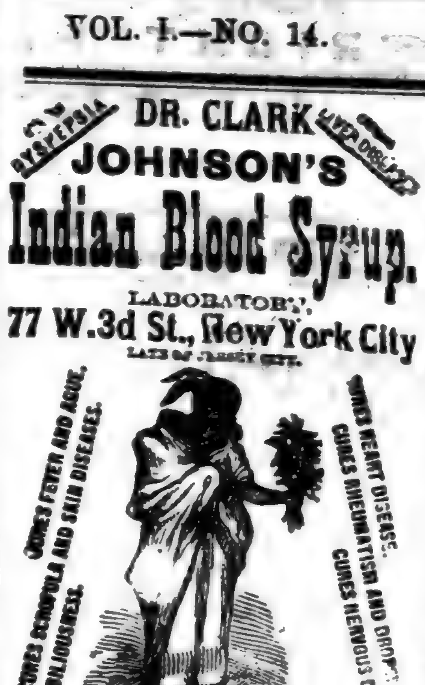

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SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy.

MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial.

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THERE have been several serious railroad accidents in Germany lately. It is estimated that since the Government has been running the railroads it has, for economy, so reduced the staff that the employees cannot exercise the needful supervision under the new regime. Switchmen get from 37 to 43 cents a day.

A BOOK on "Domestic Economy" has been published which costs nine dollars.

She Came out Ahead.

The court and jury, as well as the spectators, generally enjoy the scene when a lawyer, in an attempt to badger or browbeat a witness, comes off second best in the encounter. An amusing instance of this sort happened a few years ago in an Albany court room. The plaintiff, who was a lady, was called to testify. She got on very well, and made a favourable impression upon the jury under the guidance of her counsel, Hon. Lyman Tremaine, until the opposing counsel, Hon. Henry Smith, subjected her to a sharp cross-examination. This so confused her that she became faint, and fell to the floor in a swoon. Of course this excited general sympathy in the audience, and Mr. Smith saw that his case looked badly. An expedient suggested itself by which to make the swooning appear like a piece of stage trickery, and thus destroy sympathy for her. The lady's face in swooning had turned purple-red, and this fact suggested the new line of attack. The next witness was a middle-aged lady. The counsel asked: "Did you see the plaintiff faint a short time ago?" "Yes, sir." "People turn pale when they faint, don't they?" A great sensation in the court, and an evident confusion of witness. But in a moment she answered, "No, not always." "Did you ever hear of a case of fainting where the party did not turn pale?" "Yes, sir." "Did you ever see such a case?" "Yes, sir." "When?" "About a year ago." "Where was it?" "In this city." "Who was it?" By this time the excitement was so intense that everybody listened anxiously for the reply. It came promptly, with a twinkle in the witness's eye, and a quiver on her lip, as if from suppressed humour. "'Twas a negro, sir." Peal after peal of laughter shook the courtroom, in which the venerable judge joined. Mr. Smith lost his case, not to say his temper.

PROMINENT FOLKS.

THE Prince of Orange, like his brother "Citron," makes Paris his headquarters.

THE Duke of Portland is so pleased with Lord Bute's beaver colonies that he is going to establish several on his estates.

THE Queen has given Lady Mountmorres, whose husband was shot by his tenantry in Ireland, a suite of apartments in the Hampton Court Palace.

LORD ODO RUSSELL, English Ambassador at Berlin, and Lord Dufferin, Ambassador at St. Petersburg, lately visited Mr. Gladstone at Hawarden Castle.

IT is said that the reading of *Uncle Tom's Cabin* fired the heart of the Emperor of Russia with the resolve to destroy slavery and serfdom in his empire.

THE Duke of Buccleuch, whose son was defeated by Mr. Gladstone, has closed his collieries, which throws many persons at Dalkeith out of work.

THE King of Portugal has sent copies of his translation of Shakespeare to several Mayors of cities in Spain and Italy. Each volume bears the royal autograph of Ferdinand.

M. DE LA LONDE is acting in conjunction with Sir John Macdonald in relation to the settlement of immigrants from Alsace and Lorraine upon a tract of land in the northwest of the Canadian Dominion.

BARON ROTHSCHILD, the head of the French branch of the family, is usually at the bank before his clerks are. His wife wears but little jewelry, and his daughter Bettina has passed a successful examination as a teacher.

"Music Hath Charms."

The tenor Duchesne was the hero of an interesting incident during the fighting of Chateaudun, the anniversary of the defence of which place has just been celebrated. It was 10 o'clock at night; the Paris Franc-tireurs, who had been fighting all day against odds of twenty to one, were retreating. The Prussians were masters of the town, which was lighted up by the burning houses. Eleven wounded Franc-tireurs, abandoned in the Hotel de Ville, had fallen into the hands of the enemy, and were in danger of being executed. Among them was Duchesne, the lyric artist. They were all searched and their papers examined carefully by a Prussian captain, who, in looking through Duchesne's portfolio, came across a paper containing the names of a number of operas. "What is this?" he asked. "It is the list of the operas I sing." Among others was the name of Weber's great work. "Ah," returned the captain, who was a musician, "You are an opera singer, and have sung in 'Der Freischutz.' Where was that?" "In Paris, at the Theatre Lyrique." "Then I must have heard you. You sang with one of our country-women, Mlle Schroeder, did you not?" "That is so." The captain appeared to reflect; He drew Duchesne aside, and then, while passing through a dark street, said, "Run for your life." Duchesne did not wait to be told a second time; although wounded, he was not disabled, and succeeded in escaping from the town during the night, and was thus enabled to create the part of Romeo to Mme. Carvalho's Juliette in Gounod's work, at the Paris Opera Comique.

A Semi-Famine in Russia.

A condition of affairs similar to that which existed in Ireland last winter exists in Russia at the present day. Bad weather, joined with the peculiar methods of cultivating the ground that holds in Russia, has resulted in the almost entire failing of the crops. The disaster to the crops is confined not to one portion of the country alone, but widely separated provinces report an alarming falling off in the yield of the cereals. The cost of rye and wheat has greatly increased, while the wages of the laboring classes are very poor. The requirements of a Russian peasant family in the way of cheap bread almost equal their earnings, and the sum left for clothing and other necessary expenses is very small—this in times of plenty. But in the present condition of affairs the people will suffer great privation. The Russian Government has contracted for a large quantity of American grain, and this will be used in relieving the distress of the people in the suffering districts. The granting of assistance by the government will stay the famine for the present, but a radical reform in the method of land cultivation is needed to place the Russian peasantry beyond the danger that exists in the present method.

What is all this about the Queen and the Princess Louise? Whether is it the mother who has "cut" the daughter or *vice versa*? There is some trouble apparently, but really after all, who cares? The best thing they can do, whatever the outs and ins of it, is to "kiss and be friends."

Ireland is still in an awful mess, but the brag and the bluster will come to nothing. Gladstone and his associates are very considerate, very anxious to do right and to hold the balances fairly. But it will be seen, before the world is very much older, that they can lay the heavy hand of force upon those who bluster and swear and assassinate and won't listen to reason.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

On a Certain Girl.

Her eyes are very dark and bright,
And ever is her face arrayed in
Sweet smiles, electrically light,
This most bewitching maiden.

Search all the world of fashion o'er,
Its rarest devotee displayed in
Her silks and laces is not more
Delightful than this maiden.

I always chose her from the ring
That in our childish joy we played in,
She was my queen, and I her king,
This royal little maiden.

When in the village church she prays
(Oh, dearest church e'er mortal prayed in),
A dainty little prayer she says
For me, this gentle maiden.

If I were dead, and in as deep
A grave as man was ever laid in,
Her voice would make me upward leap,
So potent is this maiden!

Fashion Notes.

BEADED bonnet crowns are all the rage.

LEOPARD sets are worn by young ladies.

SEALSKIN sacques remain the popular fur wrap.

OLD-FASHIONED mink-tail sacques are revived.

PLUSH flowers grow more and more popular.

FUR collars and capes have taken the place of boas.

WHITE toilets are in best taste for evening dress.

RUSSIAN and Lapland furs are to be worn this winter.

SILVER and blue fox are among the favourite fancy furs.

HEAVY satin de Lyon is the best material for a fur-lined circular.

BEAD passementeries are the handsomest trimmings of the season.

GOLDEN fawn and the new pigeon-dov colours are favourites in Paris.

A HANDSOME "millinery set" consists of a bonnet and muff to match.

HUNGARIAN plush is the name given to that with the longest, richest pile.

LONG gloves, reaching above the elbow, are *de rigeuer*, with short sleeves.

REGAL dress fabrics, fit for a princess, are displayed by our leading importers.

BLACK fox and black Russian hare pelerines and collars are worn in mourning.

BROCADED velvet cloaks, lined with coloured plush, are very elegant and stylish.

THE princess sacque form, for children's dresses, remains the preferred style.

THE Olga is a pretty new muff of plush or silk or satin, with reticule attachment.

THE fashionable sealskin sacque is shorter by two inches all around than that of last year.

LARGE fur pelerines, covering the shoulders and reaching almost to the waist, have been revived.

GRECIAN lynx and Arica chinchilla remain the fashionable furs for young ladies and misses in their teens.

THE Albani is a long cloak with dolman sleeves, set in far back, so as to give a narrow effect in the back.

THE latest thing in after-dinner coffee-cups are square in shape, with square saucers, exquisitely hand-painted on dainty French porcelain.

LIGHT-COLOURED, rough-surfaced cloths make handsome jackets when finished with cuffs, collar, and pockets of fur or of seal-brown plush.

Beauty in Dress.

Mr. Haweis, in a volume entitled, "The Art of Beauty," makes the following points with regard to beauty of dress:

"The reason that an ordinary low neck with short sleeves looks worse in black than in any other color is because the hard line round the bust and arms is too great a contrast to the skin. A low neck always lessens the height, and a dark dress made thus lessens it still more, and it strikes the artistic eye as cutting the body in pieces, in this way; if you see a fair person dressed in a low dark dress standing against a light background some way off, the effect will be that of an empty dress hung up, the face, neck, and arms being scarcely discernible. On the other hand, against a dark background the head and bust will be thrown up sharply, and the whole dress and body will disappear. The effect, common enough, is execrably bad. If you must wear a low black bodice, let it be cut square, giving the height of the shoulders, (or, better, with the right angles rounded, for corners are very trying), and have plenty of white or pale gauze or thin black net to soften the harsh line between the skin and the dress. White gauze or lace soften down the blackness of the dress at the edge of the bodice, and thin black stuff has an equally good effect, as it shades the whiteness of the skin into the dark color of the gown. Only under these conditions does the sudden contrast enhance, as some persons suppose, the fairness of the complexion.

"Short women should never wear double skirts or tunics—they decrease the height so much—unless, indeed, the tunic is very short and the skirt very long. So also do large, sprawling patterns used for trimmings; let these be left to women tall enough to carry them off. Neither let a very little woman wear her hair half down her back; let her lift it clean up as high as possible.

"Large feet should never be cased in kid—least of all white kid slippers—for kid reveals so clearly the form and movements of the feet, and stretches so easily that few feet have a chance in them.

"Those who are very stout should wear nothing but black; those who are very thin should put a little padding in their gowns; and neither should be in the least *decollete*. Perpendicular stripes in dresses give height and increase fullness, and are therefore particularly suited to very slight, small people, and particularly unfitted for stout figures."

Waifs.

THE friendship of two women is never anything but a plot against a third.

WOMEN in general know that when a man pleads his passions eloquently, he is only half in love.

A LITTLE girl who was much petted said: "I like sitting on gentleman's knees better than on ladies'! don't you, ma?"

"Now, how many years would you give me, sir?" "Why should I give you any, madame? Have you not enough already?"

AN old woman confessed that when she was young she had many lovers. "Ah," she said, "the sweet girls I knew in those days!"

"RESPECT my honor or tremble for your life," she said. He thought of her husband and he ran away. "And there goes," she murmured, "a coward who is afraid of death."

"What a church, and how everybody stares at one!" said a handsome girl at a ball. "Do not complain," replied Mme. de G., "for all that proves that you are what I am no longer."

WHEN two men fight a duel about a woman there is almost always, somewhere, a third man, who laughs heartily at them, and while risking nothing, gains, perhaps, everything.

CLOAKS with extremely costly linings will not be worn this season. It is found that the wearers suffer from the cold too much, as the garments will fly open and expose the lining.

"MY darling," he intensely whispers, vainly attempting to seize her hand, "do you know that I love you madly?" "Oh, yes," she says; "almost any fool could tell me that."

A LADY was praising the amiability of her friend's husband, and asked how in the world she had ever brought him to such perfection, whereupon the friend sweetly answered that she did it chiefly with a croquet mallet. The hatchet was borrowed.

A LADY having learned that her husband was in the habit of visiting Mlle. D. called upon that actress and said, with freezing dignity: "Mademoiselle, you should not have trouble for nothing. Here are five francs for the visit my husband made you this morning." "Madame," replied the sprightly soubrette, "give me ten, for he is coming back this evening."

ONE of the latest freaks of fashion in Paris is to have one's coat of arms—provided a lady has one—painted on her bonnet and strings. If she does not possess such a treasure, she should have her bonnet ornamented with flowers and butterflies and tiny humming-birds painted by the "best artists."

HE was saying, as he scratched a lucifer on the side of a house, "I like these houses with sanded paint; nice when you want to strike a match, you know." "Is that so?" she asked demurely. "I wish I lived in a house with sanded paint;" and then she looked things unutterable. If he had asked "What for?" she would have hated him. But he didn't; he took the hint, and the match was struck then and there.

HE had refused her a new bonnet that day, and they were sitting at opposite ends of the tea table as stiff and silent as the mahogany itself. Their sole offspring, perceiving that something is wrong, and anxious to smooth the way to reconciliation by opening a conversation, asks: "Mamma, do dogs go to heaven?" She sees her chance, and, without raising her head, observes: "I'm sure they ought to, my child—they have none of your father's vices."

What it Costs to be a Bridesmaid.

It is no trifling expense to be a bridesmaid at a fashionable wedding. Lately a lady hearing another ask her daughter if she was to be an attendant at a certain wedding, promptly answered 'No; I am tired of paying at least a $100 for the dress she wears whenever she is a bridesmaid. She has bought dresses for that purpose seven times, and that is enough.' Of course a handsome present is always given by a bridesmaid to the bride, which adds considerably to the cost of her attendance on her friend. The 'best man' at some weddings is forced to pay over a good round sum for bouquets for the bridesmaids. I know of one instance where a young gentleman, who could ill afford it, was told that he would be expected to present each of twelve bridesmaids with a bouquet of rosebuds. There were no groomsmen at that wedding, and only six ushers, so the unfortunate best man, after he had accepted the post, was coolly told that he would be required to provide the round dozen of bouquets.

The Bernhardt Elbow-Angle.

Sings and writes a New York correspondent:

The Grecian bend has quite gone out,
The Roman fall as well.

But I will tell you what is coming in next It is the Sarah Bernhardt elbow angle. It was observed, Saturday night, in its full perfection at the Bernhardt reception, and then and there many ladies were seen to make an essay at it. The arms are braced backward and crooked like the wings of the trussed fowl. They project so far behind the back that a mop-handle might be run through them without in the least disturbing the action of the fan, which gives little gusts of air that may refresh the under chin, but cannot be of much avail higher up. As a military pose the Bernhardt elbow-angle would meet the approval of the authorities at West Point, while hygienists, who are always insisting that we should throw our shoulders back, must be delighted with it, for the shoulders cannot be thrown any farther back than this, unless we fling them away altogether.

Burmah's Baby.

There is joy in Burmah just now, for one of King Theebaw's graceful consorts has quite recently presented that amiable monarch with a son and heir. It is gratifying to our national vanity to learn that British professional skill was specially summoned to Mandalay for the purpose of bringing this illustrious little stranger into the world. A Burmese baby royal, born not in the purple, but Buddhist yellow, involves strange associations with white elephants, golden umbrellas, and royal domestic dramas of thrilling interest. Mother and child, according to the latest accounts, are doing well. The happy father is so elated by the achievement of his spouse, Su Hpayah Lat that he has announced his intention to wed her younger sister forthwith. This eagerness on his part to extend his connection with her family will probably be regarded by the youthful wife as a delicate attention from a Burmese point of view. In other countries it might be interpreted differently. Hitherto Theebaw has shone as a monogamist; but, as the laws of Burmah justify the sovereign in taking to himself four queens—one for each principal point of the compass, among whom she of the south takes precedence over the eastern, northern, and western royal consorts—there can be no objection of any moment raised to the affectionate impulse which now prompts him to marry his sister-in-law. As he has put to death nearly all his relatives having any claim to the succession, his majesty can not be too fervently congratulated upon the acquisition of an heir, from cutting whose throat he will probably be deterred by the feelings of a father and the interests of a dynasty.

Trading Lovers.

Not far from Lackawaxen, Pa., says an exchange, is the home of two young ladies, sisters, aged respectively 18 and 20 years. They were each receiving the addresses of lovers, who were brothers, and both couples were engaged to be married. It was their intention to celebrate a double wedding about their holidays, but now matters have changed. A few days ago the four were sitting together in the parlor at the girls' home when the elder lady expressed a desire to go to a political meeting then being held in a near-by village. She asked her lover to accompany her, but he refused point blank, giving as his reason that he was not a democrat. The young lady insisted, but still he refused. Finally she turned to his brother, who, it seems, was a democrat, and asked him to accompany her. To the surprise of all he at once consented and they went to the meeting. The two that remained at home were quite indignant, the one at the conduct of her lover, the other at the way his sweetheart had acted. The more they discussed it the angrier they became. They discovered that they—the ones at home—were both republicans, while the two who had gone were of democratic proclivities. They talked on, discovering little by little similarities of tastes and habits, and finally resolved each to break with the old love and form a new alliance. No sooner resolved than the compact was ratified by a kiss, when by chance the others entered. The gentleman told his brother at once what they had decided to do. To his great surprise no sorrow was shown, no anger manifested, and his wonder was increased when he was informed that the other couple, while on their walk home, had resolved to do just the same thing. The hugging, therefore, now goes on as usual, and the weddings will take place about New Year's.

A Trousseau.

At a recent private display of costumes in New York, designed for a trousseau, was a ruby-coloured brocaded velvet with an elegant mixture of pale pink satin. The trimming consisted of alternate shirrings of the satin and broad panels of the brocade. The bottom of each panel was cut in squares and filled in with tiny plaitings of the brocade, which had previously been edged with narrow lace. The trimming formed the entire front of the dress, and continued in narrower lengths around the whole skirt. The bodice was cut in deep points, front and back, and attached to the side forms were long panels which reached the foot of the train at the sides of the skirt. These panels were arranged to match the trimming on the dress. A panier drapery of the combined fabrics fell in a scarf train at the back. The bodice opened square in the neck under a revers of the brocade, and was filled in with well-shaped plaitings of Duchess lace. The sleeves were of the brocade, and just reached the elbow, where they were cut in squares and filled in with plaitings of wide Duchess lace. Dark-red tulips and clusters of pink roses garnished the bodice. Another superb dress was in olive-green satin, cut princess behind and falling in a long full train. This dress formed a cuirass in front, and the corsage and sleeves were trimmed with an elegant bead passementerie in green, gold, sapphire, and ruby beads. The skirt front was of antique gold satin, but was almost hidden by a wide scarf drapery of Oriental brocade. This scarf was laid flat across the skirt front, just meeting the edge of the corsage, and was caught up at one side, from which one long, wide end fell to the edge of the skirt. It was finished with a rich Persian fringe of cashmere beads.

Jerseys.

With cold weather, Jerseys are more worn than ever. Trim, compact, and wear defying, they are increasing in popularity as the weather grows more chill and wintry. The dark self-coloured Jerseys benefits any occasion where no extra amount of dress is required. The skirt attached to this bodice are invariably kilted, and a wide scarf sash of the same material, or of silk or plush, is draped over that part of the dress where the bodice joins the skirt. A hood lined with contrasting colours quite alters the appearance of the Jersey, and coloured bands to border the lower edge, throat, and wrist again transforms this popular garment. Under the new name of "[...]" waists, Jerseys are hand-knitted in mottled wool, stripes of color being also introduced. They will be found to be very comfortable over-jackets, to wear underneath the cloak during the severe weather. Ladies with a very moderate amount of skill in sewing can also make the "Jersey set" of collars and cuffs for half the price of these articles when ready-made. The collar is cut square across the chest and shoulders; the depth and width of it must be determined by the wearer's figure. Those who have the muslin and lace sets, so fashionable during the last season, will find them excellent guides when cutting out a set of plush or velvet. A very pretty set was lately made of wine-coloured velvet, which fitted the shoulders like a yoke bodice. The edges were trimmed with cream lace; then there were two rows placed one over the other, which made a thick frill around the throat. This collar fastened under the left ear; a bunch of small pink rosebuds being fastened there, probably to hide the joining. Another pretty collarette of black velvet was embroidered with gold and trimmed with gold lace, and another was of pale blue plush trimmed with Languedoc frills. The cuffs are very deep and close-fitting, some of them reaching to the elbow. Ladies who wear caps frequently have one made of the same material. The complete set thoroughly changes the character of the plainest dress. Large round collars of satin and lace are also worn.

A Female Gambler.

In the meanwhile, says a Monaco correspondent of *The London News*, Monte Carlo, like the mosquitos, is having a high good time. Night and day the tables are crowded, beginning briskly at 11 in the morning, and closing wearily on the stroke of midnight. There are a good many English here, but they do not contribute largely to the funds of the amiable and enterprising administration. English girls, favoured by an indulgent father or a good-natured brother, put down their five-franc piece, and, having lost it, go away smiling. Sometimes the father or the brother may be discovered seated at the tables later in the day, looking a little flushed, and poorer by some sovereigns. But Great Britain and Ireland chiefly contribute spectators to the melancholy and monotonous scene. As usual, women are among the reckless players. Looking in at 2 o'clock this afternoon I saw at one of the tables a well-dressed lady of about 30, with a purse full of gold before her and a bundle of notes under her elbow. She was playing furiously, disdaining the mild excitement of the five-franc piece, and always staking gold. She was winning, and boldly playing on with an apparent composure belied by her flushed cheeks and flashing eyes. I saw her again at 10 o'clock in the evening. She was playing at another table, having probably tried to retrieve her luck at each in succession. The bank notes were gone, and she had put away her purse, for it was easy to hold in her prettily gloved hand her remaining store of gold. It was only eight hours since I had last seen her, but in the meantime she had aged by at least ten years. She sat looking fixedly on the table, from time to time moistening her hot, dry lips with her scarcely less dry tongue. Her face wore a look of infinite sadness, which might have been relieved by a burst of tears. But her eyes were as dry as her lips, and she stared stonily on, staking her Napoleons till the last one was gone. This accomplished, she rose with evident intent to leave the room, but catching sight of a friend at another table she borrowed a handful of Napoleons, and finding another table played on as recklessly as before. In ten minutes she had lost all but a single gold piece. Leaving the table again she held this up between her finger and thumb and showed it to her friend with a hysterical little laugh. It was her last coin, and she evidently devised it for some such matter-of-fact purpose as paying her hotel bill. If she had turned her back to the table and walked straight out she might have kept her purpose; but the ball was still rolling and there remained a chance. She threw down the Napoleon, and the croupier raked it in amid a heap of coin that might be better or even worse spared.

At last, one evening at the Tuileries, the empress Eugenie told the Princess Clotilde that she must request her to procure a new dress on the next occasion that she dined at the palace. This brought the previous coolness to a climax, and the princess never entered the Tuileries again. She was often to be seen with her two little boys walking early in the morning in the gardens of the Palais Royal; but as these were almost her only appearances in public, it began to be whispered that she was not on speaking terms with the empress, an awkward state of things, which naturally ended in the princess being requested to return to her native land. She was here when the Franco-German war broke out, and has never since visited Paris; but by arrangement she has the care of her youngest child, a daughter, and Prince Napoleon brings her two sons to stay with her a month every year. They accompanied their father to their cousin's funeral at Chiselhurst, since which event he has made some overtures of conciliation to the clerical party in France. His early republican opinions, joined as they generally are in France, with anti-Catholic views, his marriage with the daughter of the excommunicated king of Italy and the fact of his children being unbaptized for years because he refused to present any other sponsor for them than Victor Eumanuel, who was ineligible, his celebrated dinner party on Good Friday—all combined to place him in a most hateful light in the eyes of every religious Parisian.

Eugenie and Clotilde.

Prince Napoleon, says *The London World*, affected republican manners, and sent his son at 4 years old to one of the ordinary elementary schools. When the school mistress gave the boy a piece of chocolate for his luncheon in addition to the dry bread which was the usual school regimen, Prince Napoleon sternly rebuked her, and desired that such undue partiality should never be shown to the child again. The Empress Eugenie aspired to be the leader of dress and fashion, and many a middle-class family in England was sorely embarrassed by the long dress-makers bills which an imitation of her innumerable and always expensive costumes entailed; but the Princess Clotilde was just as conspicuous for the rarity with which she appeared in a new dress. In this, however, she was not alone, as several crowned heads in Europe seemed determined not to accept the *parvenu* empress as their guide. The late empress of Russia passed through Dijon and Lyons with her husband in 1865 on her way to Nice, and *The Courrier de Lyon* recorded that her attire would have been despised by a shop-keeper's wife; "but then," the courtly journal added, "when a lady has the honor of being the wife of the emperor of all the Russians, such simplicity is only an additional charm." The late queen of Holland appeared at Fontainebleau about the same time in a hat and pelisse which had done duty on many occasions at the Hague; and the Princess Clotilde, [illegible] herself in no small degree on her royal descent, chose to follow these illustrious examples rather than that of the [illegible] daughter of the people."

A Tough Deer.

A HUNTER'S EXCITING STRUGGLE WITH A WOUNDED BUCK.

A Stroudsburg, Pa., dispatch to the New York Times tells the following:

An Irishman named "Mike" Callighan owns a small and almost valueless farm in the mountains, a few miles north of Porter's lake, in Pike county, Pennsylvania. The land being too stony to produce paying crops, Callighan is obliged to turn his hand to anything at which he can earn a little money. He is quite expert with the rifle, and during the few years that he has lived in the wilds of Pike county he has shot a large number of deer, several bears, and a few wildcats. He has become so accustomed to seeing bears in the woods that he says he has no more fear of meeting them than he has of a cow. He has had many hair-breadth escapes with bears and catamounts within the past five years, but always came out victorious. He had an encounter—which, had it not been for the timely arrival of his daughter, might have been his last—a few mornings ago.

Callighan arose earlier than usual, as he desired to start early for Bushkill, about thirteen miles distant. While hitching his horse to the waggon he discovered a large, four-pronged buck deer grazing in a small clearing a few rods from the house. He ran to the house, seized his rifle, and crawled on his hands and knees through the woods behind a stone fence, until he got within shooting distance. Then to make sure of hitting the deer, he placed the barrel of his rifle in the crotch of a small chestnut, and taking deliberate aim, fired. The deer gave an upward plunge and fell to the ground, apparently lifeless. The ball had penetrated the animal's breast from which the blood flowed freely. Callighan laid down his gun, and, climbing the fence, walked up to the wounded deer with the intention of cutting its throat. As he was about to draw his hunting-knife from his belt, the deer gave a sudden and desperate lunge, catching the hunter with its antlers and throwing him several feet in the air. When he landed he struck upon his head and shoulders, stunning him so that he lay several seconds partially insensible. When he fully recovered, the deer was still lying on the ground a few feet distant. Callighan thought the animal had lost enough blood to warrant him in making a second attack without danger of being further injured. He seized the dying buck by the antlers with his left hand, and with his right drew the blade of the knife across the animal's throat with the intention of severing the windpipe, but in this he only partially succeeded.

This seemed to add to the fury of the wounded animal, for it gave another powerful lunge, throwing the hunter with great violence to the ground. The deer then began pawing him with its front feet and goring him with its horns. In the struggle the hunter lost his knife, and, fearing that the deer would kill him, he shouted to his daughter, who hastened to her father's rescue. She picked up the knife, seized the deer by the antlers, and with one thrust of the knife nearly severed the head from the body. It gave one or two kicks and died. Although Callighan's injuries are not dangerous, he will be laid up for some time. His body was literally covered with scratches, and his clothes were torn into shreds. The deer was a very large one, weighing nearly two hundred pounds, and was the third one the brave young woman has helped to kill during the past few years.

Diamond Mines of India.

A member of the Indian Geological Survey, Mr. V. Ball, says in a recent paper that there are in India three extensive tracts, widely separated from one another, in which the diamond has been found. The most southern of these has long borne a familiar name, which is, however, to a certain extent, a misnomer. There are no diamond mines in Golconda. This name, originally applied to a capital town, now represented by a deserted fort in the neighbourhood of Hyderabad, seems to have been used for a whole kingdom; but the town itself was many miles distant from the nearest of the diamond mines, and it was only the mart where the precious stones were bought and sold. The second great tract occupies an immense area between the Mahanuddy and the Godavery river; and the third great tract is situated in Bundelcund, near the capital of which, Punnah, some of the principal mines are to be found.

The work of the Geological Survey has demonstrated that the diamonds occur in the Vindhyan rocks of Northern India. In the upper division of this formation there is a group of clay slate (Rewah), and in the lower a group of sandstones (S[...]), in both of which diamond-bearing beds are met with. It is still very doubtful, however, if a diamond has yet been found in India in its original matrix. Mr. Ball gives an account of the chief mines, describing in detail, from personal observation, that of Sambalpur, which has now for some time ceased to be productive. The Punnah mines are still productive, yielding a mean annual produce of between $200,000 and $300,000 a year. Europeans have attempted diamond mining in each of these three tracts, but in no instance have their operations been attended with success, and yet there does not appear to be the least ground for supposing that there has been any real exhaustion of the localities where mining is possible.

The Christian Sabbath.

China is older than any other existing empire; is rich with the accumulations and the ceaseless productiveness of peaceful industry; boasts of its heroes and sages, its schools, its libraries, its most voluminous literature, its art of printing practised long before Faust or Gutenberg had dreamed of such an invention; includes within its limits almost a third part of the earth's population; has had from immemorial ages a highly developed system of government—yet China is only the oldest and the richest of the semi-civilized nations. When China shall have learned to measure time by weeks, and to recognize the Christian Sabbath, the greatest of empires will no longer be classed with the semi-civilized. Turkey and Egypt are semi-civilized; but when Sunday instead of Friday shall be the Sabbath at Constantinople and Brusa, at Cairo and Alexandria, those two countries will have been advanced from the semi-civilized class to the civilized. Japan, having become the most earnestly progressive nation outside of Christendom, is now just learning to date in years of the Christian era, to number the days of the week, and in some sort to mark the Christian Sabbath as a day of rest; and simultaneously with the new ways of thinking and living which these changes imply Japan is coming into coordination and position with the powers of the civilized world. France, in the early frenzy of that revolution which "the whirligig of time," after whirling almost a hundred years, is now bringing to a sane and settled conclusion before the admiring gaze of Christendom, attempted to abolish the Christian Sabbath with its division of time into weeks; but the attempt was ludicrously unsuccessful.

THE Duke of Hamilton signalized his arrival in Paris by feting nine hundred poor families—there being none at home—giving them all clothes, food, and money. Just before leaving Scotland the Duchess of Hamilton with her own gun shot two stags and several brace of birds.

THE principle of treating lunatics long since in vogue at Gheel, in Belgium, has been extensively adopted in Scotland. They are boarded out among sane people in the village, treated with great gentleness, and subjected to as little restraint as possible. The plan should be tried here. Had it been in practice at St. Peters, Minn., the unfortunate victims of the fire would not have been locked up, and, consequently, burned.

THE Empress Eugenie aspired to be the leader of dress and fashion, and many a middle-class family in England was sorely embarrassed by the long dressmakers' bills which an enumeration of her innumerable and always expensive costumes entailed. Several crowned heads in Europe, however, determined not to accept the parvenu Empress as their guide. The late Empress of Russia passed through Dijon and Lyons with her husband in 1865 on her way to Nice, and the *Courrier de Lyon* recorded that her attire would have been despised by a shopkeeper's wife, but then the courtly journal added: "When a lady has the honour of being the wife of the Emperor of all the Russias, such simplicity is only an additional charm." The late Queen of Holland appeared at Fontainebleau about the same time in a hat and pelisse which had done long duty at the Hague.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
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[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	7.50 p.m.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	8.05 p.m.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible] a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	12.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.

ORANGEVILLE —

Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Dec. 17th, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

TO ADVERTISERS.

We have decided to print a supplement in connection with the STANDARD a week before the Holidays, as there is an extra amount of advertising done at that season of the year, and we do not want to decrease the reading matter, we will give those who wish extra space, liberal terms, by means of a half sheet supplement, parties wishing to take advantage of the arrangement will please let us know in good time.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

This Council met at Owen Sound on Monday the 13th inst. At the time of going to press we have only been able to procure the Warden's Address. We will give a synopsis of the proceedings next week.

WARDEN'S ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the Council.—We are now met in session to complete the business of the year, and it is of some satisfaction that there is nothing of a special nature, so far as I am aware, to engage your attention at this session.

On the other hand there is great reason for congratulation on account of the abundant harvest which has crowned the labors of the husbandman, and also because of the improved financial position of the county.

I have much pleasure in observing that the defaulting municipalities have paid up a considerable amount of their indebtedness to this county since last session. It is to be hoped that the good work thus begun will be continued, and finished before the end of our financial year.

The agents of the Merchants and Molsons Banks of this Town notified the County Treasurer that the rate of interest on County deposits would be reduced to 3 per cent on the minimum monthly balance, after which the County Treasurer placed himself in communication with other Monetary institutions, and the correspondence on the subject will be laid before you.

I would call your attention to the fact that there is $50,000 from the sinking fund of by-law No. 174 for investment which will require your careful consideration.

The presentment of the Grand Jury under the direction of the Hon. Justice Cameron at the last settings of the Fall Assizes will be laid before you. I would direct your special attention to the paragraph in which reference is made to the deficient supply of water to the gaol. As plenty of water can now be obtained at a reasonable rate from the Water Works now in operation in this town, there need be no unnecessary delay in remedying the evil complained of.

Since the last session of this Council I have learned with extreme regret of the death of Mr. Wm. White, First Deputy Reeve of the Township, of Collingwood, one of the oldest and most respected members of this Council. I take this opportunity, and I am sure, gentlemen, that you will join me in expressing our deep regret at the loss from our midst of a man so highly esteemed for honor, probity and intelligence, as the late Mr. Wm. White.

Gentlemen, as this is the last session of the Council for the current year, I desire to express my sincere thanks for your forbearance, for your kind support, and the respect you have shown me in the discharge of my duties as Warden of this County.

I have the honor, Gentlemen, to be your obedient servant,

FINLAY MACRAE.

Council Chamber, O. S., Dec. 13th, 1880.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

Your readers are doubtless all more or less interested in the accounts of the disturbances in Ireland, and the subject gives rise to many an animated discussion, public and private. Our young men's Literary Club have had the subject under consideration for some time, and had a very lively and spirited debate on Tuesday evening. There was some very good speaking talent developed, and it is a pity they keep it so close without occasionally giving the public an opportunity of being present.

Mr. H. Hooper has bought out his brother in the Cabinet, Sash and Door Factory, and is moving into the new brick warerooms recently erected.

Mr. Damude has sold out his harness business to a party from Mount Forest.

A courageous limb of the law undertook to look after some boys at the concert on Monday evening, the result being that he made himself more conspicuous than necessary. We believe of the two the boys had the most sense.

With coal oil at 40c, young men should curtail their hours for paying respects to their sweethearts.

Mr. Thorp Wright is building a hay press, and is going to try the experiment of shipping hay to the American market. If it pays, farmers will find a market for their surplus stock.

The band plays at the Rink Thursday evenings. (The above was crowded out last week.)

From another Correspondent.

DIPHTHERIA.—Diphtheria has made its appearance at Mr. Dales, who lives two and one-half miles from this village. Two of the family have been suffering severely from the disease.—

CHANGED HANDS.—Mr. Damude has sold out his stock of harness to Mr. Gordon of Elora. Mr. Gordon will carry on the business in this village.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL.—A grand Masquerade Carnival will be held on the Flesherton Skating Rink, on the evening of the 21st inst. Mr. F. Sarjeant, the proprietor, has secured a large stock of costly prizes for distribution that evening.

HOLLAND CENTRE.

Township Council met in Vogan's Hall, for the transaction of business. Members all present. Reeve in the Chair. Minutes of former meeting read and approved. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the by-law for the purpose of granting ten thousand dollars to the T., G. & B. Railway Company, be read a first time. Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the above named by-law be read a second time. At this stage of the proceedings, a telegram was received from Mr. Wragge, the manager of the road, stating that they did not intend to push the by-law at present. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Merriam, that Thomas Troughton be refunded 90c, also Benj. Wright 69c, on account of error in assessment. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Robert Bradley receive an order for $9.00 as road work performed by him. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that B. Buchannan get an order for $5.21 on account of error in assessment on park lot 7, Williamsford, and the Clerk notify the County Treasurer to erase all taxes against park lot 7, Williamsford, for 79. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Samuel Carson get an order for $2.25 being error in assessment. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that an order be issued in favor of Robert Bradley for $20.54 on account of over assessment. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Merriam, that the petition of Alexander McClelland and others, with respect to building sidewalks in Walter's Falls be supplemented by granting the sum of $25.

Mr. Shute Moved, seconded by Mr. Merriam, that east ½ 123, con. 8, E. T. S. road, be assessed to Jas. Burchill, and be extended on the Collector's Roll. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that James Grant get an order for $4.00 on account of back taxes. The Deputy Reeve moved, seconded by Mr. Merriam, the report of Messrs. Norton and Shute, with regard to be adopted. Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Mrs. Graham receive an order for $6, to buy provisions for her family, in accordance with a petition signed by Thomas Anderson and others. Mr. Merriam moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that James Dugeon receive the sum of $2.50 on account of Gravel bought by him to repair the road. Mr. Norton moved, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that by-law No. 8 be signed sealed and engrossed on the minutes. Mr. Shute moved, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Township Treasurer to withold out of the fund depositted with him by the railway Company the sum of $12, to defray the expenses of a special meeting held on their account.

Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Road Inspector be instructed to build a bridge over the Sauble on the tenth line. Mr. Shute moved, seconded by Mr. Merriam, that the clerk furnish the Treasurer with the amount of school moneys coming to each Section, and to pay the amount to the order of the Trustees interested. Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Clerk write to the different printing offices with regard to the ballot printing. Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr, Shute, that this council adjourn *sine die*.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

The Council met at the orange hall, Maxwell, on Tuesday, the 3rd inst., pursuant to adjournment from 1st October. Members present:—Messrs. Gamey Reeve; Douglas Dep. Reeve; Inkster, Sing, and Winters Councillors. The Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Communications:—From Co. Treas., *re* lots 64 and 65, in the 1st con., N., and lot 33, in con. 13, withdrawn from sale and taxes erased. Do. do., *re* lot 29, con 14, sale to C. R. Sing, on the 27th of May, 1854, cancelled by Crown Land Dep. From Trustees of school section No. 8, asking levy to be reduced to one half the amount asked for. From A. Cameron, Trustee, S. S. No. 10 refusing to grant special school privelages to A. Sinclair and G. Miller. From W. Hutchinson, *re* statute labor. From W. Milne and Neil McKinnon, accounts. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Winters, that the Collector be instructed to accept J. Stinsons' taxes less $2, Wm. Hutchinsons' less $3, for statute labor performed and returned undone.—Carried. J. Gillis appeared before Council requesting aid for A. McDougall, an indigent person. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Douglas, that J. Gillis be instructed to procure lodgings for Widow McDougall, for the remainder of this year, and send in his account to this Council at the first meeting in January next.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Inkster, that the account of J. Gillis, $5, for taking care of Widow McDougall, be paid, and that the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Douglas seconded by Mr. Sing, that the sum of 42 cents be refunded to Ann Robinson, overcharge in assessment and that the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried. Mr. Douglas introduced by-laws No. 191, 192, 193 and 194, to appoint a Collector, provide polling places, appoint Dep. Returning Officers, and places for nominations, pay Officers and instruct the Treasurer to pay school moneys, to order of Trustees respectively. These by-laws were read a first, second and third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in the minutes. Moved by Mr. Sing seconded by Mr. Winters, that the accounts of Wm. Milne for goods supplied to O. Miller and Widow McQueen, amounting respectively to $18.12 and $7.00; for adding statistical columns of assessment rolls for 1879 and 1880, $2.00; for compiling and preparing abstract statement of the receipts and expenditures and of assets and liabilities of this municipality, $2.00; for preparing report for agricultural commission, $4.00; for putting up notices *re* road allowance, on the 13th con., $2.00, be paid, and that the Reeve issue his orders for the same.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Winters, seconded by Mr. Sing, that James Winters be paid $1 for superintending erection of a culvert and clearing water course at lot 28, con. 2, N.; and that Agustus Robinson, be paid 75 cents for planking culvert at lot 19, con. 1, S., Reeve to issue orders.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Douglas, that the account of Neil McKinnon for repairing road scrapers, $4.50; the Reeve 40 cents for telegram; the Clerk 40 cents, express, $6.00 postage, and 15 cents, nails, for F. Winter's coffin, be paid, and the Reeve issue his orders for the same.—Carried. On motion, the Council adjourned, *sine die*.

WM. MILNE,
Tp. Clerk.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, December 6, 1880. Members all present. The Reeve in the Chair. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.—Communication from A. Webster, Esq., *re* Mrs. Martin's Taxes, read. Accoount of J. Rutherford, for stationery for 1880, and of W. Watson for repairing scraper, were presented.—By-law No. 319, appointing Deputy returning officers, and places for holding elections for 1881; and by-law No. 320, amending by-law 318, introduced by Mr. Elliott, and passed in the usualway. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. McLeod, that John Blain be paid $50.00, being on account of Nelson Hill Contract, on town line Artemesia and Euphrasia; and that the time for completing said contract be extended until the 15th of June, 1881, it being nearly completed; and that the mover represent this township in the matter of Arbitration ordered by previous resolution.—Carried. Mr. McLeod moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the following sums be paid the following school sections, according to their trustees orders. No 1. $413.45, less debenture and interest $138.40; No. 2, $381.50; No. 3, $446.40, less debenture and interest, $130.00; No. 4, $331.80; No. 5, $685.58, less debenture and interest, $76.68; No. 6, $246.00; No. 7, $300.95; No. 8, $236.40; No. 9, $390.70; No. 11, $325.00; No. 12, $409.01; No. 13, $156.15; Separate School of No. 6, $201.60, less debenture and interest, $65.00; Union School Section No. 1, Euphrasia and Artemesia, $222.61; Police Trustees, Markdale, $45.95.—Carried; Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. Pedler, that the following parties be refunded the following sums, viz.:—I Parks, $9.37; Mrs. Martin, $6.32, the same being arrears charged in error. Carried. Mr. McLeod moved seconded by Mr. Wright, that Wm. Meads be refunded $10.50, being arrears of taxes charged in error against W. part of lot 30, 1 N. D. R.—Carried. Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. McLeod, that the Clerk notify the T., G. & Bruce Railway Company that the amount to cover the expenses of submitting the by-law must be advanced, before this Council will proceed to submit the same.—Carried. Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. McLeod, that the Clerk correct the Roll so far as the Police Village of Markdale is concerned, and request the Collector for Ward No. 2 to collect the sums omitted.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. McLeod, that John Webster be allowed to perform statute labor for lot 22, con. 14, for 1880, under pathmaster for 1881, and that he be refunded $2,50 on furnishing pathmasters certificate that said work has been performed, and Charles Bellamy on same grounds.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. McLeod, that the Reeve issue his order for following am'ts, Rutherford $10.40; W. Watson 50c, and indigent monthly allowance $14.00. Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. Podlar, That the Township Printing be given to the Owen Sound *Times* and J. Rutherford, and that the motion giving it to the STANDARD be and is hereby rescinded. *Yeas*—Messrs. McLeod, Wright; Podlar and Christoe. *Nays*—Mr. Elliott. Council adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR—Please allow me through the columns of your valuable Journal to remind the people of Markdale and vicinty, that the annual school meeting will this year be held on the last Wednesday of the present month, the 29th inst. It is desirable that all those who wish to see a reign of good and economic government matured and perpetuated in our schools, should turn out in full force to the annual meeting, so that nothing may be lacking on their part to give effect to such measures as are calculated to maintain and increase the efficiency of the schools. Let it be borne in mind, that in school matters, as in civil government, "eternal vigilance" is not only the "price of freedom," but it is the price of prudent management, economy, efficiency [illegible]

Now that the second union of the sections has been [illegible] accomplished, that all strife and dissension [illegible] and that territorial distinctions and geographical lines have been obliterated, we must not forget, that in order to insure permanancy and durability of these amiable relations, the greatest care and caution is necessary on the part of the trustees, to prevent a recurrence of the troubles which severed the first union. It will be remembered that at the time the first union was dissolved, the then trustees, regardless of the interest of the school, and contrary to the wishes of a majority of the people, persisted in a course which eventuated in that disaster. Let us, then, profit by their example, and avoid the errors into which they fell; let us by the exercise of mutual forbearance, mutual confidence and self-respect endeavor to avoid every occasion of offence, so that distrust and jealousy may give place to harmony and goodfeeling throughout the entire section.

We remark in this connexion, that the choice of a trustee is of the very first importance; great care and circumspection should be exercised in the choice; no person shoulp be chosen to that important trust whose personal or private interests would be likely to interfere with his freedom of action or warp his judgement, for you know

"Mankind are unco weak, and little to be trusted,
"Where self the wavering balance shakes,
"Its' rarely right adjusted."

True, while the constitution of the Board remains as at present, the introduction of one "black sheep" would not materially affect the management; still it is well to guard against even the "appearance of evil," lest the battles of two years' ago might, ere long, have to be fought over again. Again, we say to every ratepayer, remember Wednesday, the 29th inst.; come to the annual meeting and see and hear for yourselves what account the trustees can give of their "stewardship" in the past. Be on hand early, and if there are any grievances to complain of, make them known publicly and manfully, so that all parties interested may have an apportunity of hearing such explanations and replies as may be given in reference thereto.

W. BROWN.

Markdale, Dec. 14, 1880.

COUNTY ITEMS.

SUDDEN DEATH OF ANGUS MCCORMICK, OF GLENELG.—Died suddenly, on the 19th ult., at the town of Burt, Cheboygan, Michigan, Angus McCormick. Few, if any, were better known throughout Glenelg and the adjoining townships than Mr. McCormick. About six weeks ago he went to Michigan to work in the lumber woods, and was in excellent health up to 10 o'clock a. m., of the 19th, when he asked some of his companions to help him to the camp, when, on looking at him they noticed that he was very pale, and immediately helped him to the camp, which was only a short distance from where they were working. On asking him where he felt the pain, he answered that it was between the shoulders, which were the only words they could get out of him. He expired in fifteen minutes. An inquest was held on the following day, before Justice J. P. Sutton and a jury, when the following verdict was rendered:—"That the said Angus McCormick, on the 19th day of November, 1880, at the lumber camp of Wm. Grant, in the town of Burt, in the County of Cheboygan, Michigan, then and there died by the visitation of God in the natural way and not otherwise. The remains arrived in Priceville on Saturday evening by express, and were on Monday, the 29th, followed to the R. C. burying-ground by the largest funeral procession ever seen in Glenelg. Deceased was 49 years of age, and leaves a wife and seven children.—*Grey Review*.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10;30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a.m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

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Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

Auction Sale
OF VALUABLE
FARM PROPERTY.

Under and by virtue of a Power of Sale, contained in a mortgage which will be then and there produced, there will be offered for sale by public auction, by J. M. Webster, Auctioneer, at Rutledge's Hotel in the Village of Markdale,

ON TUESDAY, 21ST DAY OF DEC.

A. D., 1880, at three o'clock in the afternoon the following freehold property, in one parcel, viz: the south half of lot number five, in the eighth concession of the township of Euphrasia, in the county of Grey.

The above farm consists of 100 acres, more or less, and is situated about four miles from Markdale Post Office and Station. The uncleared portion is timbered chiefly with Beech and Maple.

Terms of Sale—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. additional in one month and the remainder to be secured by a first mortgage.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto.

WILLIAM MULOCK,
Venders' Solicitor.
17 Toronto Street, Toronto.

Dated 25th November, A.D., 1880. 14-1

OWEN SOUND HIGH SCHOOL.

RE-OPENS JAN. 7th, 1881.

THE New School Building containing accommodation for 400 pupils, has been completed. The Staff consists of experienced Teachers, each of whom is a Specialist in his own department.

Students prepared for Senior and Junior Matriculation. First-class Certificates. Intermediate and Professional Examinations.

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WM. O'CONNOR, B.A.,
Head Master.

Owen Sound, Dec. 13th, 1880. 14-2

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday of each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.
Berlin—First Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

TO THE

Independent Electors!

OF THE

Township of Euphrasia.

GENTLEMEN:—

I again offer myself as a Candidate for the office of Councillor for the Township Should you again honer me with your confidence, I shall endeavor to serve you to the best of my ability. Come to the nomination where I shall give my views on Municipal matters.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
D. R. ELLIS.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and vicinity for their liberal support and patronage in the past, and to say that he has now turned over the Drug and Stationery business, with all other lines in connection therewith, to Messers A. Turner & Co., for whom he wishes to bespeak a continuance of the patronage of his old customers and the public at large. Also, that the Account Books will remain at the Drugg Store in the hands of A. Turner, who is authorized to receive all moneys due, and to give receipts for the same, or Robert Davis of Flesherton, in whose posession the accounts are for collection. An early settlement will much oblige.

T. S. SPROULE.

Markdale, Dec. 8, 1880. 13-2i

AUCTION SALE!
OF VALUABLE
FARM PROPERTY.

UNDER and by Virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of Sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE

RUTLEDGE HOUSE,

IN THE

Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, on

Monday, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at THREE O'CLOCK in the Afternoon, the following land and premises, viz.:

Lot Number Forty, in the Fourteenth Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing One Hundred and Ten Acres more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises, viz., A Log Dwelling and Frame Barn and Stable.

TERMS.—One Tenth of the purchase money must be paid down at time of sale. For balance, terms liberal, and will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD,
Solicitors, Toronto.

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OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

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AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

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—IN—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK

FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blewing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.

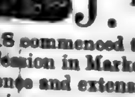
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, Lot 135, Con. 2 West Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, about the 1st October, a Spring Heifer Calf, red and white. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away.

ROBERT BLAIR.

Artemesia, Nov. 26, 1880. 12-3i*



VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD,
Veterinary Surgeon,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing disease lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

FOR Cheap Stationery, Beautiful Christmas and New Year's Cards call at the Standard Office.

Cathartic Pills

Combine the choicest cathartic principles in medicine, in proportions accurately adjusted to secure activity, certainty, and uniformity of effect. They are the result of years of careful study and practical experiment, and are the most effectual remedy yet discovered for diseases caused by derangement of the stomach, liver, and bowels, which require prompt and effectual treatment. AYER'S PILLS are specially applicable to this class of diseases. They act directly on the digestive and assimilative processes, and restore regular healthy action. Their extensive use by physicians in their practice, and by all civilized nations, is one of the many proofs of their value as a safe, sure, and perfectly reliable purgative medicine. Being compounded of the concentrated virtues of purely vegetable substances, they are positively free from calomel or any injurious properties, and can be administered to children with perfect safety.

AYER'S PILLS are an effectual cure for Constipation or Costiveness, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Foul Stomach and Breath, Dizziness, Headache, Loss of Memory, Numbness, Biliousness, Jaundice, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Dropsy, Tumors, Worms, Neuralgia, Colic, Gripes, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Gout, Piles, Disorders of the Liver, and all other diseases resulting from a disordered state of the digestive apparatus.

As a Dinner Pill they have no equal.

While gentle in their action, these PILLS are the most thorough and searching cathartic that can be employed, and never give pain unless the bowels are inflamed, and then their influence is healing. They stimulate the appetite and digestive organs; they operate to purify and enrich the blood, and impart renewed health and vigor to the whole system.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

NOTICE.

PARTIES delivering logs at the Steam Saw Mill, Markdale, will please call and leave their names, and get *a number* to stamp on their logs, otherwise the proprietor will not hold himself responsible for logs which may be delivered.

Lumber, after being sawed three days and not piled, the "Mill Proprietor" will proceed to pile out of his way, and charge owner for time for doing so, and for space occupied.

The Highest Price in Cash

Paid for

Butternut, Cherry and Large Birch.

A Plainer and Matcher

is being put into his Mill and will be in running order by 1st April.

JAMES CHAPMAN, PROPRIETOR.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10-2i

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov, 18, st, 1880. 10-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, at its next session, for an Act to amend the several Acts relating to the said Company: and for power to create a preference issue of Bonds or Debenture Stock: to re-arrange their Bonded Debt: to authorize them to enter into and complete an agreement with the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada, or with any other Railway Company, for the working of their line of Railway: to confirm and declare valid all or any By-laws voted upon, [illegible] to be voted upon, by the Ratepayers of any Municipality, portion of a Township Municipality, or Municipalities, granting aid to the Toronto, Grey an Bruce Railway Company, provided such By-laws have been carried by a majority of the votes cast thereon: and for other purposes.

W. SUTHERLAND TAYLOR,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of November, 1880. 11-6i

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call public attention to my stock of

CHOICE GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

AND

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at

☞ RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Gold Crown Imperial Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son,

Are now to the front with a complete stock of

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC.,

Which for QUALITY and LOW PRICES cannot be surpassed. Give us a call and try some of our

NEW SEASONED JAPAN TEA, 3lb. FOR $1.

PURE GOLDEN SYRUP ALWAYS ON HAND.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

BUTTER, POULTRY AND EGGS TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Nov. 11, 1880. 9

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,

Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

☞ *Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.*

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE

BRITISH CANADIAN

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SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE

LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

AND

British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED

Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES

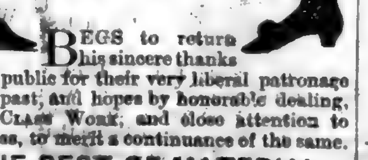
—ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me.

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

DONALD McLEOD,



MAKER

BEGS to return his sincere thanks to the public for their very liberal patronage in the past, and hopes by honorable dealing, FIRST-CLASS WORK, and close attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same.

THE BEST OF MATERIAL

Used, and none but *First-Class Mechanics* employed.

Special attention paid to Repairing, which will be done promptly.

Sewed work a Specialty.

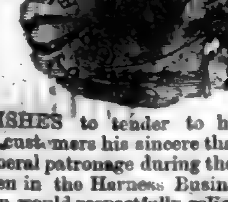
NOTICE.

All over due accounts must be paid without delay or I shall have to resort to more costly means for collection.

D. McLEOD,
Corner of Queen and Mill Streets.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-6i

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov, 18, 1880. 10

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

Subscribe for the Standard. We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

Merry Christmas to All!

...king my friends for the very liberal patronage they have given me during the past six years, I would remind all that I have now on hand

...A FAR SUPERIOR STOCK

than I have ever before handled and at LOWER PRICES. Having bought largely, I claim that

...CAN SELL AS CHEAP AS ANY MAN

or set of men doing a Retail Trade, and a look through my Stock will convince you of that fact.

...IN WATCHES

I have all grades and prices, from the best American manufacture, down to the cheapest grade of Swiss manufacture, and at prices that I am sure will suit all.

IN CLOCKS

I have all STYLES and PRICES from ONE Dollar up.

...Y STOCK OF JEWELLERY!

...u will find very complete---in Sets, Eardrops, Broaches, Friendship, Engagement and Wedding Rings, (no ...use for ANY MAN not getting married when he can get a suitable Ring for $1), Lockets, Chains, Necklets, ...ards, Silver Thimbles, Cuff Buttons, Studs, Scarf Pins, Cuff Pins, and in fact any thing in the Jewellery line. ...ave also a full line of CONCERTINAS, ACCORDIANS and VIOLINS, at the right prices. For instance, a good Violin for $1.50, or as much higher as you wish. Also, Violin Strings and findings.

LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO.'S SPECTACLES.

...r a number of years I have tried to secure the Agency for these very necessary articles, and at last I have succ...ded. I am now Sole Agent for Markdale, and have a full line of both Lazarus & Morris' and all cheaper grades of Spectacles, &c. Don't let ...er dealers mislead you in regard to these goods, as you cannot get them from Peddlers or in fact from any one else here but myself. They ... without doubt the best Glasses manufactured, there being about one million pairs now in use, giving general satisfaction. When in Mark...e don't fail to see my stock. Remember the place, Dominion Telegraph Office, next door to the "Standard" Office, Hill's Block.

...atches, Clocks & Jewellery Repaired on short notice.

E. D. WILCOX, Jeweller, &c.

...y New Year to All
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...CERIES,
CONFECTIONERY
...ORS!
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...RICES!
...the purest; MALT, the best; FOR... Draft and Bottled Ale in this
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...RST-CLASS
ESTABLISHMENT,
...sold at moderate rates. ...workman employed ...
...be for the Standard ...from now till the First of ...year's subscription

AN ENGLISH WAR CORRESPONDENT.

"Archibald Forbes once a private soldier? Then his origin must have been very humble and his education self-acquired." Not so fast, good readers. There are those who have poverty thrust upon them, and others who thrust poverty upon themselves. I am afraid Archibald Forbes belonged to the latter class. His father, Louis Forbes, was a Presbyterian Doctor of Divinity, while his mother belonged to the old family of Leslie. Living in the north of Scotland, Forbes studied first at school, then with a tutor, and finally at the Aberdeen university. Though excelling in classics, he had such an aversion to mathematics that when the senatus academicus recently proposed to confer upon him the degree of LL. D., an irate professor exclaimed:

"I can never consent to such a mockery. As a student Mr. Forbes was 'ploughed' in mathematics. I shall never consent that a man should receive an honorary degree from this university who has failed to pass his examinations."

Fortunately for Forbes, success on the battle field does not depend upon the appendix of LL. D.

During Forbes' second collegiate year, his father dropped dead in his pulpit. There being nine children, and little fortune, Archibald left Aberdeen for Edinburgh, with designs first upon the law, and secondly upon the church. While endeavouring to decide upon a career, he spent all his money, and fell in love with a young lady, with whom he arranged to elope in a gig on a certain Sunday when the obdurate father was to be at church. Alas, "the best-laid schemes o' mice and men gang aft a-gley!" The obdurate father waylaid our hero, remonstrated with practical determination, and turned the love-lorn youth into a ditch, whence he arose sadder and wetter.

Attaining his majority in 1850, Forbes became possessed of £2,500, and determined to join a cousin in Canada who owned a large tract of land near Lake Huron. On reaching Quebec, he lingered in the old town, held by the beaming eyes of his landlord's daughter. At the end of three months, the wild Scotchman had exhausted his resources, confessed his poverty to the landlord's daughter, and abandoned the idea of joining his cousin. With eight shillings in his pocket, he shipped for home as a sailor, and steered twelve hours a day for weeks, when his vessel became water-logged. No timber-ship can sink, otherwise Forbes would have gone to the bottom. There was no cooking for a week, life being maintained on biscuits and salt meat. After several sailors had been washed overboard, the crew took to the boat, which was picked up by the cotton ship Moses Taylor, from New Orleans. Finding that the crew were sadly diseased, Forbes, who had studied medicine *en amateur*, got out the medicine-chest, killed one patient and cured the rest. Of course his susceptible heart fell a prey to the captain's daughter, upon whom, when bidding her farewell in Liverpool, after three month's taste of salt water, he squandered his last eight shillings in grapes.

What was to be done? Never without resource, Forbes sold a fine field-glass, and, with the money, went to London, where he was recruited in the Royal Dragoons. Despite his tendency to "larks," he made rapid headway. In addition to his appointment as school-teacher to his company, Forbes was made acting-quartermaster-sergeant, without the rank of sergeant, as he happened to be the only man of his company who could solve the following stupendous problem in mental arithmetic,—"If one man is allowed the thirty-seventh part of an ounce of pepper per day, what is the amount to be drawn for two hundred men per week." Having compassed this, Forbes was let off from punishment drills, and became an object of admiration to his companions. Already articles by him had been accepted for "Household Words" and the "Cornhill Magazine." Shortly after, he competed for a prize essay of fifteen guineas, to be written by a working-man, "On the advantages to the mother country derived from her colonies." He was then stationed at Weedon, where libraries are conspicuously absent, and as he knew nothing about the colonies, how could he obtain dates? Discovering an old encyclopedia, he collected his material from it, wrote his essay, and secured the prize!

Owing to literary earnings, Forbes had more money than his fellows, and consequently got into frequent trouble. His colonel—now General Wardlaw—was a strict disciplinarian, and meted out punishment accordingly. Toward the end of his military career, which lasted five years, Forbes bore a very good character—a happy change, which would probably have led to promotion had not his health given way and caused him to be invalided. After enduring ignorant army hospital treatment for eighteen months, he went to London, got well in six weeks, and was then sent to Aldershot to show the military surgeons how easy had been his case.

In losing an obstreperous soldier, England gained a new species of correspondence. Forbes's first contribution to journalism was published in 1865, in the "Evening Star." He became a casual writer on the "Morning Advertiser," and once received eight shillings for a paragraph accepted by the "Daily News." On this promising income he married; after publishing an article in the "Cornhill" on "Army Reform," and another in "St. Paul," entitled "Soldiers' Wives," both of which were well received, Forbes started a paper called the "London Scotsman," intended like every other newspaper, to fill an aching void. It provided Scotchmen with condensed news from their own country, but as they either failed to see its necessity, or expected to get it for nothing, the editor did not amass a fortune. He eked out a precarious existence by occasional dramatic and musical criticism contributed to the "Morning Advertiser."

Unfortunately for art, Forbes is not the only example of the wrong man in the wrong place. When sent to pronounce upon the merits of a performer on the pedal pianoforte, the ex-soldier regarded the artist from a gymnastic point of view and praised him as an acrobat!

On the breaking-out of the Franco-German war, Forbes was engaged in writing a novel for his paper, while cherishing the idea that nature had designed him for war correspondence, an idea he communicated to James Grant, editor of the "Morning Advertiser," who soon after said to him:

"I've concluded to offer you a position as war correspondent. Choose whichever side you prefer."

Having studied German tactics, acquired a slight knowledge of the German language, and feeling sure that the German eagle would win, the ex-soldier-editor went direct to Saarbruck, and witnessed the "baptism by fire," on August 2, 1870. It is strange that he should have beheld the defeat at Sedan, seen Louis Napoleon dead at Chiselhurst, and his son dead in Africa.

At Saarbruck, Forbes helped to save the life of Major Battye, who belonged to the celebrated Indian Guides, and has since been killed in Afghanistan. Following the Germans as a spectator, Major Battye lost his temper on seeing a soldier killed beside him. Seizing the dead man's needle-gun, he opened upon the French, and promptly received a chassepot bullet in the ribs. Forbes picked up the impetuous major, carried him to a place of safety, and temporarily repaired him by encasing him in brown paper plastered over with paste.

Present at the battles of Courcelles, Vionville, and Gravelotte, Forbes advanced with the Germans to Paris. He and his companions were so far forward as to be ignorant of the flank movement to the right which ended in the battle of Sedan, and held on their way alone through Chalons until actually warned by the French in the street to be careful or they would fall into the hands of the Germans, who had been seen in the neighbourhood. Recovering touch of the Germans, Forbes was under fire the entire day, and the next morning witnessed Napoleon's surrender to Bismarck. He and his young Dutch companion, De Liefde, were the only civilians who witnessed the historic event.

On the night of the day Napoleon left for Wilhelmshoho, Forbes and De Liefde, being unable to find quarters elsewhere, asked for lodging in the Chateau Bellevue, which had been the ex-emperor's temporary residence. Their request was granted, but without food. While Forbes was writing his despatch on the table on which the capitulation had been signed, De Liefde sat gnawing a ham-bone taken from their own stores. Failing by this means to appease a ravenous appetite, he threw the bone in disgust upon the table, and upset Forbes's ink. On returning to the Chateau, three months later, Forbes was gravely shown the stain of his own ink as a souvenir of the capitulation! The French commander had upset the bottle in his rage at Moltke's exorbitant demands! It was then that De Liefde and Forbes tossed for the right to sleep in the ex-Emperor's bed. The ever lucky Forbes won. On a little table by the bed, with leaf turned down, was the book which Napoleon had read before going to sleep,—Bulwer's "Last of the Barons!"

Forbes was the first non-combatant to ride round Paris before the city was entirely invested, and while waiting at Meaux for the progress of the environment, he received orders to return home. The "Morning Advertiser" no longer required his services, for the quaint reason that this journal already had a correspondent inside of a city which was about to be besieged! Forbes reached London in three days, sole possessor of information concerning French plans. As his essay in war correspondence had abruptly ended in recall, he concluded to return to his miserable "London Scotsman." However, he determined, if possible, to sell his knowledge. As "The Times" turned a deaf ear to his application, Forbes stood in Fleet street, and tossed "odd man out," to which of three papers—"Daily News," "Standard," and "Telegraph"—he should go with his copy. The "Daily News" won the toss. He found favour at last, and was told to write three columns. On returning to the office to state that the subject was not yet exhausted, the editor replied:

"Write on, then, until it is. We'll take as much as you like of *this* kind of copy."

Forbes wrote six columns and arranged for another article to appear the day after, but when he presented his second manuscript the manager said:

"I don't think we want it."

The tone greatly irritated the already jaundiced Forbes, who politely requested Mr. Robinson "to go to the devil," and then proceeded to go elsewhere himself. Chasing the correspondent up the street, the manager finally overtook and calmed him by the magic announcement:

"I want you to go to Metz to-night for us."

It was four o'clock in the afternoon: Forbes left three hours later. This was his first engagement upon a journal with which he has been connected ever since."

At Metz Forbes began to revolutionize war correspondence by living on foreposts, witnessing every fight, and substituting for curt telegrams of bare facts, long descriptive letters telegraphed in full. According to Forbes, successful war correspondence depends upon three attributes:—faculty of organization, capacity of physical endurance, and the gift of lucid writing, resulting from studiously acquired military knowledge. From a journalistic as well as from a military point of view, the base of a campaign must be secure; open communication and presence in the right place are indispensable. Forbes seems to snuff a battle afar off, and is ready to live in squalor, as he did for six weeks within easy range of French cannon before Metz capitulated. It was the wettest autumn on record, and typhoid fever and dysentery were his constant companions. During a sortie, Forbes received a flesh wound in the leg which continued open for months, but which did not force him to leave the front. For these six weeks he did not sleep in a bed except on occasional visits to the telegraphic base at Saarbruck. Before the capitulation was effected, he was the first to enter Metz, and informally joining the sanitary volunteers, he devoted himself to the removal of sick and wounded, 2000 of whom were in a state of semi-putrefaction. As the most infectious disorders reigned, including the rare type of fiery typhus, Forbes's leg was attacked with gangrene, which had to be burned out with nitric acid. By constant smoking, never removing his boots, and carrying in his mouth a sponge saturated with vinegar, he managed to keep on his legs, but was finally ordered to England, lest, by a longer stay in so foul an atmosphere, amputation should become necessary.

On reaching London, Forbes showed his disabled leg to Mr. Robinson, who remarked with a shudder:

"As a fellow-man, I say you ought to lay up for six months; as a newspaper manager, I wish you would start for the seige of Paris to-night."

Forbes started immediately, and his leg got well, probably owing partly to his rule of being a teetotaler seven days out of twenty-one. Attached to the head-quarters of the army commanded by the Crown Prince of Saxony, Forbes witnessed the hardest fighting of the siege. After the final bombardment of St. Denis, he contrived to get inside the walls, which had been reduced to a most dilapidated condition, and was offered food by a Protestant pastor. The meat consisted of part of a young gray horse that had been killed by a shell.

During the siege, Forbes wrote letters in full, which were sent to an agent on the frontier, who telegraphed them to London. This feat excited great surprise among the Germans, who knew that Forbes had permission from the Crown Prince to telegraph only short messages from the offices within his army. One day a Forbes telegram appeared dated at a place where there was no telegraph office. It was reported to Prince George of Saxony's staff by a jealous correspondent.

That same night, Forbes dined with this staff, and was asked to explain the incomprehensible.

"Why," he replied, jestingly, "I have my own private wire, and shall telegraph from here directly."

Knowing that orders had been given at Prince George's office to receive no telegram that night from him, Forbes quietly wrote a letter directed to his frontier agent, and put it in the post. The next day, it was telegraphed to London, and copies of the "Daily News" were sent to Prince George with Mr. Forbes' compliments.

Pending the capitulation of Paris in February, 1871, some fifty journalists waited hungrily to enter on the side of Versailles. Forbes arranged to enter by the north, through St. Denis, and accomplished his purpose on horseback, dressed as a Prussian, and was, in consequence, very nearly killed by a drunken National Guard. Having little knowledge of French and no knowledge whatever of Paris, he had great difficulty in finding Mr. Washburne's bureau, where sat Colonel Hoffman, who gazed with surprise upon the first man he had seen from the exterior world. He sent the stranger to Uthank's English Hotel, in the Faubourg St. Honore, the only hotel open during the siege. Forbes brought forth from his wallet five pounds of sliced ham, which Uthank's people put on a large covered plate and exhibited in the Faubourg at ten centimes a peep, as the first outside marketing to enter Paris.

After walking about dark streets all night, Forbes, who had stabled his horse without leave, rode to Vincennes, where he passed the Prussian lines. He then galloped fifteen miles to Lagny, the terminus of the German railroad system, which he reached in time to catch the train for Germany, but killed his poor horse in the effort. On went the war correspondent for twenty-two hours, without stopping. Reaching Carlsrhue at two o'clock in the morning, he made his way to the telegraph-office, where the two girls in charge refused to take a long telegram until day set in. Coaxing and bribery, however, accomplished their purpose. At eight o'clock the despatch was finished which gave the first details of the interior of Paris that had reached England for a week. Taking the next train to Paris, Forbes entered the Hotel Chatham on the morning of the third day after his departure, and was roundly chaffed for his delay by two journalists who had just got in. Fancy their feelings on reading the "Daily News"! Couriers were so untrustworthy that it was not unusual for Forbes to carry news to England twice a week. He was often the only passenger, and nearly died from fatigue.

After witnessing the great parade at Longchamps, Forbes on the same day accompanied the German troops into Paris. Leaving the German cordon and entering that part of the town still in French hands, he was assailed by the mob as a German spy. A fight ensued, in which Forbes's clothes were torn off. "Let us drown him!" shouted the mob, who threw him on the ground and proceeded to drag him over the stone streets. Rescued by a National Guard picket, the supposed spy was taken to a police-station, and brought before a magistrate whose sister spoke English, and who testified her belief in Forbes's representations. On being released, Forbes borrowed apparel from the brother of his benefactor, who accompanied him to his hotel. "How can I repay you for all that you have done for me?" asked the correspondent. "More easily than you think," replied the Frenchwoman. "My brother and I are literally starving. He has received no salary for six months, and, as gentlefolk, we cannot stand in the queue with the populace to receive alms. Doubtless you know persons connected with the distribution of England's gift. Any food will be a godsend." As one of the English Almoners happened to be staying at Forbes' hotel, a hamper was dispatched to the Frenchwoman, who went away sobbing like a child. That same night, Forbes started for England, and wrote his account of the entrance into Paris before he had washed the blood-stains from his head and hands. This account appeared in a special edition of the "Daily News," and the next morning Mr. Robinson found his correspondent asleep on the floor with the London Directory for a pillow.

On returning to Paris, just as the Commune was collapsing, Forbes entered by La Chappelle gate, and the same afternoon reached Dombrowski in Chateau La Muette. While dining, the report came that the Versaillists had forced the Porte de la Muette. Desperate fighting ensued, during which Dombrowski, who had mounted a wall, was wounded, and fell into Forbes's arms. All then ran away. The next morning, Forbes was "requisitioned" by the Communists to aid in erecting a barricade across the Rue Rivoli, and again, later in the day, to defend an indefensible position, the defenders of which promptly disappeared. Some hours after, Forbes stood behind shelter in Rue La Fayette and watched the Versaillists take the Grand Opera House. There followed a pandemonium of indiscriminate slaughter. Unable to communicate with England, Forbes got out of Paris with great difficulty, and brought to London the news that Paris was in flames. He returned to the distracted city in time to witness the final downfall of the Communards in the slums of Bellevue and in Pere la Chaise.

On the abdication of King Amadeus, Forbes visited Spain to watch the new republic, the difficulty of directing which was materially enhanced by the purity of its leaders. They would neither bribe nor be bribed, and without bribery no government can live in Spain. Castelar is a dreamer whose aspirations are too good for this work-a-day world. Figueras resigned because, by his own confession, he had not iron enough in his system to be a leader of men. Finding the republic a myth, Forbes, in 1872, went in search of the civil war in Catalonia, and found Contreras in command of the Republican troops at Barcelona. This fat scoundrel, who in a carriage looked as broad as he was long, afterward conducted the communistic insurrection in Carthagena, when a penny post-man and a shoe-maker were joint presidents. Forbes tried to induce Contreras to march against the Carlists, and finally the fat commander succeeded in getting his army one day's march out of Barcelona, on the conclusion of which feat the army triumphantly mutinied, and were gloriously marched back. Disgusted with Contreras, Forbes underwent four months of bushwhacking with the Carlists, whom he found personally pleasanter than the royalists. They had little fighting capacity, but died like gentlemen.

Returning to England, Forbes suggested the Ashantee war in a letter to the "Daily News," his propositions being carried out immediately, and their utility being unofficially acknowledged by military magnates. Bad health prevented the inventor of this war from reporting it.

In the beginning of 1874, a famine desolated Tirhoot, a densely populated district of Bengal, where the people swarm like flies. Forbes passed the summer among these miserable people, numbers of whom died, though $15,000,000 were expended in mitigating the horrors of the situation. One great difficulty in preventing starvation arose from the existence of caste. No food cooked by one caste could be eaten by another. Forbes saw a woman come to a trough for food who, on observing that the people handling this food were of inferior caste to herself, lay down and died with her infant in her arms!

After receiving a sunstroke from which he lay insensible for two days, Forbes returned home after eight months' absence. He became cognizant of the intrigue for the restoration of Prince Alfonso of Spain, who was then a boy, a fine fellow, and a fine rider, with a certain dignity, and a certain amount of ready brains. Accompanying Alfonso to Madrid, Forbes assisted at the coronation and followed the king to Navarre in pursuit of Carlists, who were finally paid to give up a lost cause.

Gladly leaving the land of hidalgos, in August, 1875, Forbes went with the Prince of Wales through India, where life was made up of pageants that unrolled themselves like gorgeous panoramas, and displayed the jealousies of native princes who quarrelled about precedence, scowled, sulked, and even went away altogether. But, though these princes hated each other, they learned to esteem the Prince of Wales, whose manners toward them were irreproachable. He combined tact with dignity, and always did the right thing at the right time. According to Forbes, England's hold on India would not be worth a month's purchase but for military rule. All save traders, detest the English, and they are only friendly through interest. British military rule is a semi-despotism, not always wisely directed.

April, 1876, found Forbes again in England, but the breaking out of the Servian war caused him to join General Tchernayeff, a Russian Schlavophil who undertook to organize the Servian militia, and accomplished wonders. By presenting a bold front and throwing up earth-works, he so impressed the Turks with a belief in Servian strength that a war which should have ended in a fortnight was prolonged four months. More than one narrow escape from capture and death served to keep Forbes on the alert, while life in camp was curious enough. On the approach of winter, officers and men were quartered in holes excavated in the ground and covered over with sod. Piled up in the centre of each subterranean camp was a huge fire round which all slept. Mice that nibbled hair and whiskers were frequent companions,—not to mention less agreeable vermin. Forbes brought to Belgrade the tidings of the Servian collapse, having on this occasion seen a battle that lasted nine hours, travelled by post 150 miles, and telegraphed four columns to the "Daily News" in thirty-four hours.

In the spring of 1877, Forbes joined the Russian army in the campaign against the Turks, and, owing to Russian secretiveness, was sorely puzzled to learn where the Danube would be crossed. Thanks to Prince Mirski, who gave him a hint, he was the only English correspondent who solved the problem, and hurrying to Bucharest with the news, again did his journal great credit. Sole English correspondent present at the murderous and disastrous Russian assault on Plevna, in July, 1877, Forbes was decorated with the order of St. Stanislaus for personal intrepidity in rescuing the Russian wounded. By desperately riding his horse to death, Forbes reached Bucharest—a distance of 100 miles—the day after the battle, and telegraphed eight columns of description, which appeared in the "Daily News" of the following morning. For sixty hours he underwent continuous physical and mental exertion, almost without food and entirely without sleep. The narrative telegraphed to London bore so hard on the Russians that all anticipated the writer's expulsion from the Muscovite army. Recognizing the truth, however, of the English account, the Russian military leaders instructed their press to accept it as accurate.

Again, having witnessed the fight at Shipka Pass, and being convinced that the Russians could hold their position, Forbes quitted the scene of combat at six o'clock in the evening, on the return journey to Bucharest, and riding all night reached the imperial head-quarters the next morning, having outstripped the Russian couriers. Taken before the Emperor, who was anxious and careworn, and very shabbily dressed, Forbes gave him all the information at his command, and was warmly thanked for his promptitude. Radetsky had exclaimed at Shipka Pass: "I've got this place, and, please God, I'll keep it as long as I'm alive." Forbes assured the Emperor that the Pass *would* be held; but as reports of a different nature reached head-quarters during the day, Forbes passed more than one *mauvais quart d'heure*, the German military *attache* of the imperial staff assuring the Emperor that Forbes had led them astray. At last news came that corroborated his statements, whereupon the Emperor turned upon Major Lignitz, exclaiming:

"You were wrong. I believe Ignatieff's Englishman is the only man among you who knows anything about war."

Forbes and MacGahan shared between them the descriptions of the September attacks on Plevna, which lasted five days. At their conclusion, Forbes, shattered by exposure, fatigue, and fever, abandoned the field and nearly died at Bucharest. He left the interest of the "Daily News" in charge of those two masters of war correspondence, H. A. MacGahan and F. D. Millet, both Americans and both peers of their English *confreres*. MacGahan died at his post, beloved by Bulgaria, whose wrongs he published to the world, and thereby righted; his death was deplored by friends and employers, as an irreparable loss to journalism. Millet accomplished wonderful feats, and lives to tell the tale in his American studio, where historic painting claims time once given to picturesque writing.

In the summer of 1878, Forbes went with Sir Garnet Wolseley to take possession of that pestiferous island, Cyprus, and, like everybody else, fell a victim to fever. Nevertheless, he contrived to be at Simla, in the Himalayas, shortly before the outbreak of the Afghan war, and at his own peril carried the first dispatches announcing success. The short telegram sent to the "Daily News" bore the date of ten o'clock, a.m. Ten minutes before ten, papers containing his dispatch were sold in Fleet street. The curious fact was due, of course, to the five hours' difference [illegible] between India and England.

Having eaten his Christmas dinner at Jelalabad, Forbes departed for Burmah, intending to interview young Theebaw, the noble Lord of the White Elephant, Monarch of the Golden Umbrella, etc., etc., who had then just ascended the throne. He accomplished his mission one week before the young monarch massacred all his relatives. Accordingly, Forbes was accused by the Calcutta press of having gone to Mandalay for the purpose of bringing about this Christian catastrophe, and thus scoring a sensation! On his way down the Irrawaddy, Forbes read the telegram which recounted the disaster of Isandula, and in an hour later received the curt order, "Go and do the Zulu war." He had a vague notion that the Zulus lived in South Africa, and a geographical friend in Rangoon told him that Durban was the seaport to make for. So for Durban he headed—away across India, from Calcutta to Lahore, from Lahore down the Indus to Kurrachee, from Kurrachee by steam to Aden, from Aden by steam to Zanzibar, and from Zanzibar again by steam down the south-eastern coast to Port Durban. Discovering at Ulandi that Lord Chelmsford was dispatching no immediate courier, the war correspondent started at sundown from the frontier, rode alone through a trackless country swarming with Zulus, and reached the telegraph-wire, a distance of 110 miles, in fifteen hours, whence he sent the earliest account of the victory to England, as well as to Sir Garnet Wolseley and Sir Bartle Frere. His report in the "Daily News" was read aloud in both Houses of Parliament, amid clamourous applause. Anxious to give details to Sir Garnet Wolseley, Forbes continued his ride to Pietermaritzburg, 170 miles farther on, which he accomplished in thirty hours. The entire ride occupied ninety-six hours, three of which were given to sleep. All this was done by a man with a contusion on his leg, caused by a spent bullet received at Ulandi, which afterward suppurated, and compelled his return to England.

During his enforced vacations, Forbes has lectured on the Franco-German war and the Zulu campaign, and has by special invitation addressed the United Service Club, the highest military institution in England, on "Russian military operations in Bulgaria." On this occasion the Duke of Cambridge paid him the compliment of offering to take the chair. While thanking the commander-in-chief, Forbes said that he would be more appropriate if his old colonel, now General Wardlaw, should preside. The General did so, and when the lecturer stated that he was proud to see in the chair a gallant officer who, in times long past, had more than once issued the stern edict, "Let that man have ten days' pack drill," the confession was greeted with shouts of laughter, in which General Wardlaw heartily joined, declaring, on rising to propose a vote of thanks, that he had no recollection of the little occurrences referred to, but if ever he *did* give Mr. Forbes punishment drill, it was doubtless most richly deserved.

Such is the outline of Archibald Forbes's career—a true war correspondent, who thinks a fight the most exquisite delight in the world, and considers a complicated technical battle the most elevated enjoyment of which the human mind is capable.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

CYRUS W. FIELD, with his wife, son, and daughter-in-law, are going around the world. They will not go in eighty days—but in a steamboat.

ASTRONOMICALLY speaking, the orbits of the lordly turkey and cranberry sauce soon cross each other, and these two will then be in conjunction.

THE daughters of the Duke of Richmond are persistent and successful fisherwomen, and as catchers of salmon are said to be rivaling their countrymen.

THE estate of an English miser named Rhodes was lately wound up. It realized $390,000. The sale of his effects in his residence resulted in $28.75.

VERA SASSULITCH, the accomplished assassin of the Nihilists, should come to this country and lecture on "Kings I Have Tried to Shoot." We believe such a lecture would go off well.

AN Englishwoman who wrote to the London *Queen* to know what would be a suitable outfit for Nile travelling, was bidden to get a small riding whip, as the natives are sometimes very importunate, and nothing else would keep them off.

MALTA must be a paradise for habitual topers. In Valetta, the capital of the island, there is now a grog shop for every seventy-five inhabitants, including women and children. In addition to these there are, of course, the soldiers and sailors, who are the principal frequenters of many of these establishments.

LORD HENRY GORDON, brother of the Marquis of Huntly, and formerly of the firm of Newton, Gordon & Co., tobacco and general brokers, is a bankrupt. Lord Henry's grandfather, Lord Huntly, had the same sad fate, and the sheriffs occupied his house. The present peer, an able man of high character, repaired the fortunes of his family by marrying a Manchester millionaire's daughter.

Two sisters at Lackawaxen, P., were engaged to marry two brothers, and the double wedding was to take place about the holidays. Just before the election, one of the girls asked her lover to take her to a Republican meeting, but he, being a Democrat, refused. She appealed to his brother, a Republican, and he accompanied her. The sister who remained at home and the Democrat brother, finding their political sympathies in accord, agreed to break up the previous arrangement and become man and wife. The idea met with favour all round, and the wedding will take place accordingly, each of the four taking a different mate.

SOLOMON JONES of Bloomburg, Mi., was 70 when, after many years of poverty, he received $2,000 in pension money. He had no relatives to leave it to when he died, and therefore made up his mind to spend it all himself. In view of the probably short time remaining to him in this world, he felt that he must be fast and furious in his pleasures, if he would spend the whole $2,000. He married a young wife, and gratified her love and dress; he got in a large stock of beverages, and drank them recklessly; he bought a fast horse, and bet on him. At the end of three months the last dollar was gone, his wife deserted him, his horse died, and he is still without any immediate prospect of dying.

A Benovelent Man.

"Any chestnuts around here?" asked one of three city boys who met an aged benevolent-looking farmer out in Montgomery county. The old man hesitated. "You don't want to steal 'em?" he asked. "Oh, no; we just wanted to find out." "Well, there's a few trees back there, but if I thought you wanted to steal them I wouldn't have told you, for the owner's gone to town; but you're bright honest looking boys." The boys blushed with the pride of conscious goodness. "When will the owner be back?" "Well, not before dark, I reckon." The boys respectfully thanked the old man, waited till he got out of sight, jumped the fence, and were soon shaking down the burrs. The shaking was easy, but the opening of the chestnut-burrs was more difficult and unpleasant. At last the boys had a splendid pile of handsome, brown nuts on the ground, and they prepared to put them in the bags they brought with them.

Please don't take any more trouble," said the benevolent old man who stood by the fence beaming kindly on the startled boys. "I'm not so strong as I once was, and I fear I can't hold this dog much longer. If you'll hurry, though, I guess I can keep him here till you get to the railroad track. Down, Tiger, sir!" As the boys looked back from the railroad fence they could see the stooping figure of the old man scooping the rich, brown chestnuts into a two-bushel bag.

A LITTLE boy, named Johnny, from the interior of the State, who had been raised on a stock ranche, and had heard a good deal about the consequences of stockmen killing yearlings that did not belong to them, came to Galveston to live. The other day Johnny's Sunday school teacher asked him: "Why did not Abraham offer up Isaac?" "Perhaps Isaac didn't belong to the old man's mark and brand."

SARA BERNHARDT is taking lessons in English. Exercise I. Who has the shekels of the American? Mr. Abbey has the shekels of the American. What shekels have I? I have French, Dutch, Swiss, and English shekels. Have you American shekels? Yes, sir, I have some American shekels; but you may bet your boots they are nothing to what I am going to rake in before I get through.

An Artist in Crime.

SHERWOOD, THE AMERICAN FORGER, TELLING THE TRICKS OF HIS TRADE TO A LONDON [illegible]

[From the London Standard.]

An American artist in crime, named Charles Sherwood, gave an interesting account recently in the central criminal court, of the manner in which circular notes stolen from tourists could be cashed. It appeared from the evidence that a Mr. Young, a Middlesex magistrate, was in August, 1877, robbed of certain circular notes — his pocket-book being purloined when he was crossing from Folkstone to Boulogne. Associated with each circular note is a "letter of indication," the object of which is to prove the identity of the person attempting to cash the instrument, and, as it is carried separately from the notes, it was a mystery how money could be got for the stolen paper. In February, 1877, however, the notes all came back to the bank of issue. They had been cashed abroad, letters of indication having been obtained to cover them. How, it will be asked, had these documents been got? From the testimony of Sherwood, who gave evidence against John Watson, the man accused of being the forger, it appears that the latter opened a sham account with the Southwark branch of the London Joint Stock bank—a branch of the bank that issued the letters of credit in the first instance. He there got circular notes equal in number to the stolen instruments, and with them, of course, "letters of indication." These notes he cashed, promptly. He next handed the "letters of indication" to Sherwood, who, by chemical means, soon altered them so as to do duty for the stolen notes. Although the jury found Watson guilty, it is probable that Sherwood is the more dangerous adventurer of the two. He is evidently a man of some scientific attainments, and he unblushingly admitted that he acted as a kind of chemical adviser to "professional" forgers. Nay, he pretends to be in possession of a plan which would render forgeries wrought by chemical agents impossible. This valuable secret, however, he has not been able to sell in New York, owing, he thinks to the fact the transatlantic detectives, who, he insinuates, are in collusion with the forgers, prejudice the minds of the authorities against him. Let us hope that if there be any efficiency in his device his attempt to benefit society by disposing of it here will not be met with the chilling neglect that has caused him to withhold so valuable a secret from his own countrymen.

British Columbia and Confederation.

TRUTH, in common with other papers here and elsewhere, has received a growl from British Columbia in the shape of a large circular in which the grievances and manifold wrongs of that province are set forth. The great trouble is in the non-fulfilment on the part of the Dominion Government of its engagement to build the line of railway between Esquimalt and Nanaimo, although "the Dominion tariff," comes in for a sly side-assault. In this matter, indeed, the circular is somewhat illogical, for we cannot for the life of us see how the building of the line in question would affect the tariff or the trade with the United States. This, however, may pass. The circular may be summed up as containing three distinct statements. First, it says to the Dominion, in effect, "You promised to build this line of railway within a specified time, when we of British Columbia did you the great favour of joining you in Confederation. Secondly, you have not begun to do it further than getting rails for the line. Thirdly, if you don't set to work at once and get it done we will separate from you and leave you out in the cold."

Now to all this there is just one answer. It is hard to see how British Columbia would get her railway built if she did separate, for the day is past when provincial Governments could find financiers ready to lend their money for schemes of local improvement that could only be remunerative to the lenders in the course of a couple of generations or so, if at all. This much also is very clear that it is only through sheer inability that the Dominion Government has failed, so far, to implement its promise. It was easy for Earl Dufferin to gush and give taffy when he wanted to ingratiate himself with the British Columbians, but his note would change considerably if he had to settle the details of the financial matters of the country. In fine, British Columbia must await its turn, and need not expect that, for its sake, the whole of Dominion interests must "take a back seat." When it is possible for the Dominion Government to fulfil its promise to that province it will most assuredly do so, but until that time comes, it is worse than useless for the Mayor of Victoria or any other Columbian to threaten us with separation, and its train of attendant pains and penalties.

Over a Century Old.

A reporter for the Indianapolis *Journal* has bagged rare newspaper game in the person of a coloured girl reputed to be 115 years old. The reporter found her at No. 176 Yandes street, and was soon convinced that she was more than a century old. The old lady was sitting by the fire sewing, and the reporter was introduced and proceeded to interview her. She is quite deaf, but by drawing largely on his reserve lung power the reporter succeeded in making himself understood. She said that she was born in North Carolina, and was brought to Kentucky when she was a child, by her first master, Joseph Bryant. She did not remember what year it was. She was on the site of Louisville when there was but two or three log cabins there, and she described the place as a big swamp, and that when she was there it was filled with wild geese and ducks. She afterwards became the slave of Judge Doak, now dead, who lived in Shelby county, and from whom she takes her name. She is known as Amy Doak. She is the mother of ten children, the youngest of whom is 58 years of age. Their youngest child is the mother of Mrs. Cooper, and has grandchildren 12 years of age. Amy's other children were sold from her long ago; and if living are scattered over the southern states. She knows of the whereabouts of but two or three. She has seen her children's children down to the fourth generation. The reporter asked the daughter, Mrs. Whitton, how she knew her mother's age. She said that just before leaving Kentucky she asked Mr. Doak, a son of Judge Doak, about it, and that he looked in his father's books and found the record of the purchase of Amy, and that this shows that she is 115 years old. The old lady is quite feeble, and wears all the marks of extreme old age. Her eyes are unusually bright, however, and light up wonderfully when she talks about the occurrences of one hundred years ago. Her memory is very good of the events of her early life, but is almost a blank in regard to the happenings of the past ten years.

Our Girls.

"The chief end" of woman is to be married. This will be acknowledged to be at least ostensibly the main object and purpose of the average woman's existence. Naturally then we should expect her to prepare herself and be so educated and trained that she may efficiently and satisfactorily fill the sphere she will then be called on to occupy. But, as a matter of fact, we find that the very opposite course is being pursued, and so-called 'accomplishments' are acquired by girls that may more or less successfully qualify them for shining at parties and balls, but which are utterly useless, or nearly so, in the home circle. Why is this? Probably, (we might almost say certainly) the reason is to be found among young men. They evince a very foolish preference for the butterfly order of girls, not considering that, for marriage and management of a home, more solid qualities are indispensable. In consequence of this preference, mothers who have daughters to get "off their hands" take pains to give them the *taking* qualities and they turn out wives who know nothing of domestic management and are as much at sea with regard to the very first elements that go to make home happy as a South Sea savage is in regard to Herbert Spencer's philosophy. Here is a case in point. A young man in London recently got married to the object of his adoration and only discovered when too late, that not only did she not know the first thing about household matters, but absolutely gloried in her ignorance and boasted of it to her female friends. Naturally enough he got savage as a bear over the matter, but she only laughed in his face and plainly gave him to understand that he could not help himself. What developments may further arise we do not know, but we venture to say they will be little for edification. We are sorry for that young man, but who can help him? There is only one way out of the fix that we know of and we would not like to suggest that to him, viz.—a change of air "across the lines."

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

At the debut of Mlle. De Brunois, in La Somnambula, the Princess of Wales was dressed in black, with the single addition to [illegible] of brown gloves.

THERE should be a difference between a musician and a donkey. The donkey cannot kick over five bars at a time. A musician will kick if there are no more than five bars in a strain.

OLE BULL bequeathed the greater portion of the jewelled decorations and medals, which were given to him by kings and emperors, to the museum of Bergen, Norway. Among them is the golden crown, ornamented with diamonds and pearls, given him at San Francisco.

MR. THOMAS GOULD, the sculptor of the beautiful statue of the West Wind, and the bas-relief of Hamlet's Ghost, has just finished a heroic statue in bronze of King Kamehameha I. of the Sandwich Islands, which is to be erected at Honolulu.

CLARA MORRIS will, when on the stage, speak to the people about her, and give directions to the leader of the orchestra, all in full possession of herself, and in the next moment will throw herself into her part, shed real tears, and thrill the hearer, as if "possessed" by quite another person.

A GOOD many excellent and graceful actresses come from the ballet. Carlotta Leclercq was a danseuse, so was Mme. Celeste, so was Polly Marshall, so was Lydia Thompson, so was Mary Gannon. Charlotte Cushman was originally a singer; so was Mrs. Keeley, who sang in "Oberon" and many English operas.

ALBERT WOLFF tells how, once upon a time, he and some of his chums, hearing that Offenbach was coming to Etretat, organized a triumphal reception in his honour. A collection of arms and costumes was procured from a friend's house, and half a dozen halberdiers, worthy of a place in the forces of the Grand Duchess of Gerolstein, were drawn up in military array in front of the hotel. A boy, attired as a herald, was mounted on a jackass, and two toy cannon thundered a salute, while the halberdiers presented arms. Wolff himself came forward, and presented the keys of the hotel on a plated salver to the maestro, who accepted the whole thing with effusion, didn't see through it a bit, and, as the tears stood in his eyes, exclaimed, "Oh, but this is too much, too much!" The same sort of joke was carried out many years ago, with equal success, at Pencarrow, Lady Molesworth's seat in Cornwall, when Lady E., famous for the tremendous airs she gave herself, came on a visit. Some wags in the house got up triumphal arches, with "Welcome, noble Charlotte!" "Hail, Queen of Society!" and other tomfoolery. "Noble Charlotte" gulped it all down with infinite gusto; but, when her husband, a sensible man, came to hear of it, he was greatly mortified.

Stage Legs.

A London correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* says: Mr. Sothern is excessively anxious that his brother artist Edwin Booth should succeed in London.

The only question about the matter is this, will the London public carry its horror of the old school of acting so far as to overlook the American "Hamlet's" great ability on account of his personation being built-up somewhat on the traditional lines?

"One thing about Edwin Booth should have great success here," said Mr. Sothern, "and that's his legs?"

"His legs?"

"Legs are never those of the ordinary human type when attached to a tragedian, except in Booth's case. Now, take Forrest's legs. You remember Forrest's legs?"

"O, yes."

"Simply the trunks of giant trees which he was engaged in dragging on every stage, splitting the ears of the groundlings with them. Then the antipode of Forrest's legs are Irving's legs, almost invisible—the minus of algebra. Then Macready's legs—remember Macready?"

"I never saw Macready."

"He was heavily handicapped by legs. He walked in this way," and Sothern rose from his easy-chair and strode about his dining-room, dragging first one leg and then the other after him to the toe-point. "Regular 'Crushed' walk, don't you know? Now, Edwin Booth's legs are the legs of common life, and as such I think will meet with general favour."

A Prima Donna Lost and Found.

For several days not a little anxiety has been felt here by the friends of Mlle. Marie Litta regarding her welfare. She was to have been at her home in Bloomington last Sunday, and, according to her agreement with her Chicago managers, she was due in this city last Monday, having to appear here next week. Not appearing at the appointed time, it was feared she was sick somewhere, or foul play suspected, and on Tuesday telegraphic communication was opened with the opera company in which she and Tagliapietra had been giving opera throughout the South. This company was traced into Texas, *en route* to Mexico, and, although many despatches were sent, nothing could be heard of Litta's whereabouts. At last her friends enlisted the influence and authority of the Superintendent of the Western Union, and yesterday it was brought to light that all the despatches forwarded to the lost prima donna had been quietly and remorselessly intercepted by Tagliapietra, whose plot it was to keep Litta in ignorance of the exact date of her engagement here, in order that he might continue the large business which the opera company was doing, and carry Litta with him into Mexico. As soon as Litta was made personally aware of the situation of things, she telegraphed at once to Chicago and Bloomington, and relieved the suspense of her friends and managers. The despatch to Managers Slayton and Carpenter was as follows: "I have just discovered the difficulty. Will leave at 8 o'clock for Chicago."

The Brothers Offenbach.

Jacques Offenbach was followed to Paris in 1813, says the Vienna *Neue Freie Presse*, by his elder brother Jules. Jacques was then 23 and Jules 27. Jacques was restless and ambitious, and remained a young man to the end. Jules was sober, meditative, indifferent to fame, and an old man at 20. Jacques played the cello, and soon found himself in the current of Parisian life. Jules played the violin, and kept to his cheap lodgings. Jacques died unexpectedly, in the exact *tempo* of his character. Three days afterward Jules followed him into eternity, and the newspapers mentioned his name for almost the first time.

In 1847 Jacques became leader of the orchestra in the Theatre Francais, and appointed Jules his first violin and vice regent. And when Jacques founded the Bouffes Parisiens in 1855 the elder brother was appointed leader of the orchestra, but proved too obstinate and too little appreciative of Jacques' wicked music to long remain in the position. Such interchanges of sentiment as this would happen at rehearsal:

"Too slow, Jules; much too slow." "The time ought to be twice as fast!"

"On the contrary, much slower, if anything!"

"But I have composed it, and ought to know!"

"And I have to direct it, and therefore must know better than you!"

Jules wasn't to be managed. If he had been allowed to have his own way, "La Belle Helene" would have become a lady of deportment, the operetta an oratorio, and the can-can a dance suitable to a young ladies' seminary. One day, after an unusually hot dispute through one act of opera-bouffes, the brothers separated. Jules returned to the study of German masters, and became chorister of the mænnerchor "Teutonia." He had talent which in Germany would have developed itself. But for Paris he was wanting in the quality of the jumping-jack, and could only dream.

MANY years ago, when it was the fashion in England for ladies to wear enormous Leghorn straw hats, on which there was very heavy duty, a cunning importer hired a number of poor women to cross with him frequently from Dover to Calias, who used to return with splendid hats on, while their own old hoods were tucked away in their pockets. There was no duty on Leghorns actually being worn.

THE daughter of the ex-Khedive was recently married to Daoud Pasha, a brave but savage soldier who paid off debts to the amount of half a million dollars before his wedding, which he could well afford, as the bride brought him, besides ready money, seven palaces and forty thousand acres of land.

THIEVERY in Yankeedom has reached a high grade. For several days a fellow in Boston has been stripping the copper roof from an occupied business building and carting it away to junk shops.

GENERAL.

AN Austrian has challenged Dr. Tanner to a forty-four days fast, maintaining himself on [illegible].

A [illegible] at Venice complains that gondolas are painfully suggestive in their general get up of floating hearses.

A RUSSIAN official in China recently wrote that fifty-three thousand pounds of willow leaves were being made ready to be mixed with teas at one port alone.

THE King of Spain paid $1,400 for his baby's cradle. We assure his Majesty he has been imposed upon. A good cradle can be purchased in Detroit for $3.50.

A YOUNG thief, on being arrested at Reading, Pa., said he hoped God would paralyze him if he was not innocent. Within a few days he was stricken with paralysis, and he is now firm in the belief that it was in consequence of his impious prayer.

AT the gillies' ball given by the Queen at Balmoral lately, the Grand Duke of Hesse, the Prince and Princess of Wales, Lord Fife, Sir Bartle Frere, and others of distinction were among the guests, and the Queen danced several reels, the first for many years.

A PROVIDENCE expressman failed to deliver a woman's trunk at the railroad station with in the stipulated time. The delay caused her to miss a train, and she was very angry. When the culprit appeared she deliberately doubled her fist and struck straight out from the shoulder, knocking him down.

THEY have a new way of curing women's hysterics in India. They tie the patients hands and feet together and then thrust cotton wicks steeped in oil up their nostrils and into her ears. A woman who has had hysterical dumbness will recover her speech in a very short time under this treatment.

IN excavating for the St. Gothard Railway near Amsteg a magnificent glacier garden a series of so-called giants' kettles, or enormous holes torn in the rock by the action of glacier millstones, has been laid bare. One half of of the garden lay across the railway track and had to be blasted away, but the other half has been walled around, and will be carefully preserved.

AT Linares, Spain, lately, three miners were sinking a shaft, and after charging the bore holes with dynamite, two climbed to the gallery above, while the third remained to light the fuses attached to the charges. Having done so he signalled to his comrades and was being hoisted up, when, on nearing the top, he lost his hold, and fell a distance of fifty feet to the bottom, where he lay, stunned and disabled, close to the lighted fuses. One of his comrades instantly put his knife between his teeth and, descending by a chain ladder, severed the fuses as they were about igniting.

EVEN the wealthy Hindoos cannot find good domestic servants. One of them writes: "The good servants are gone who used to know how to hold your umbrella over your head, pour the water over your hands after meals, and exaggerate your resources before your friends. This fine class of men has disappeared, and a degenerate species of epidemic-stricken, untrained young barbarians have taken their place. They plunder you when sent to the bazaar; they steal your clothes, your rice; and they are so greedy that they lick off the very syrup from the surface of your sweetmeats."

THE Grand Duke Constantine of Russia is said to be a very agreeable man in society, having pleasant words and compliments for all sorts of persons; but in private he is curt in speech, and uses words not found even in the Apocrypha. He was married young to the handsomest princess in Germany, but they are only on "terms of respectful tenderness," as Toodles was with his wife, he travelling abroad by himself and she by herself. In his private affairs he is orderly, thrifty, and makes good investments. He is thought to be ambitious, perhaps too much so, and looks as though he felt himself watched by spies, and glances about without turning his head.

THE terror of Peoria street, Chicago, is a miniature fire insurance patrol, composed of recklessly zealous small boys. Six of their number act as horses, drawing the rest in a small wagon, which was unwisely presented to them by the superintendent of the adult patrol. They usually operate on bonfires, over which they spread wet blankets in the ordinary manner, and they run on the sidewalks because, as we are informed, "they can knock more people down there than they could in the middle of the street." They recently conceived the idea that a house was on fire, and with wild whoops proceeded to subjugate the imaginary flames. They chopped holes in the roof, broke the windows and smashed the upholstered furniture. That was going a little too far. They are to be suppressed.

IN 1765 Lazot calculated that there were in France 79,000 monks and 80,000 nuns. The number of monks is now far behind what it was a century ago, but the number of nuns is considerably above it. Eighty-six different orders of monks are represented in France, and they have 2,026 establishments; 281 different orders of nuns are represented, and they have 12,004 establishments. Seventy-two per cent. of the monks and sixty five per cent. of the nuns are engaged in education; two per cent. of the monks and twenty-two per cent. of the nuns are engaged in attending on the sick, and twenty-two per cent. of the monks and eight per cent. of the nuns are devoted to a purely contemplative life. The Barnabites who have just been expelled, are one of the smallest of the religious orders in France, they have only three establishments, with twenty-five members between them. The largest order is that of the Christain Brothers, who number 9 900, and have even increased largely since 1861, when they were only 6,398.

QUEEN VICTORIA has been getting into hot water with the German court. Her daughter, the Crown Princess, during her last visit to England, had a serious quarrel with her mother about some private matters, and this quarrel has not yet been made up, despite a visit of the Empress of Germany to Windsor Castle in the capacity of mediator. The Crown Princess, since her marriage, has gained the reputation of being a regular spitfire, and it is generally believed that, when her husband succeeds to the throne, both he and Bismarck will have rather a hard time of it to retain the reins of government in their own hands. Another cause of domestic grievance between the courts of London and Berlin is that the Queen has encouraged young Prince William of Prussia to marry the girl he loves. This has given great offence to the Empress, who thinks Prince William is marrying beneath him. Still another offence, in the eyes of the Empress, has been the Queen's active interest in promoting the marriage of the Princess Frederika of Hanover with one of her father's orderlies. In the midst of this storm in a teapot the Queen is enjoying herself after her fashion at Balmoral, although winter has set in. Her amusements are not of an expensive character: they consist mainly in walks to the village to visit her pet poor. She likes Balmoral for the bracing air, which has an excellent effect on her health and spirits.

A Big Find.

Ezelot, the French soldier who found the £26,000 which M. Pages lost in the Northern railway station in Paris, has communicated to the *Courrier de l'Aisne*, says *The London News*, the particulars attendant on his good fortune. They are very interesting, and show how some men are born to fortune, some achieve fortune, and some have fortune thrust upon them. Ezelot was walking through the railway station with two comrades, when they noticed on the floor a packet wrapped in a newspaper. They kicked it along before them for some distance, and when Ezelot was getting into the train, going home on short leave, one of his comrades, picking up the packet, thrust it into the canvas forage bag slung at his side, Ezelot going on his way without having perceived the little pleasantry.

Arrived at Neuilly, where his parents live, his mother, emptying the forage bag, discovered the bundle, and, thinking it was a packet of newspapers, put it on a table in the kitchen. There it remained for four or five days, till a married sister, calling in and seeing the packet, was moved by unwonted curiosity. Opening it, she discovered documents representing the £26,000, the loss of which Mr. Pages had advertised throughout Europe. The European papers are not, however, read at Neuilly, where the *Courier de l'Aisne* doubtless has it all its own way. The soldier and his parents, not knowing what else to do, followed the provincial Frenchman's instinct and had recourse to the maire. That functionary, communicating with Paris, speedily brought down M. Pages, who, gratefully paying the promised reward, of £1,000, went off with his oddly recovered treasure. It would be an interesting supplement to the narrative if we could have a record of the feelings of the soldier who thrust the packet upon Ezelot when he heard the sequel to the little joke.

IT is said that Prince Napoleon is about to become a newspaper proprietor.

Our Mon[illegible] Al[illegible]

[illegible]

When a city is [illegible] Good certainly is [illegible] the stranger who [illegible] of bricks. The snow [illegible] consequently a good deal [illegible] poor and the best way [illegible] know very well that I [illegible] heartless. I pity the poor [illegible] with my whole heart and [illegible] upon my word when one [illegible] ter closely, he is inclined [illegible] angry, sometimes, as well [illegible] You would not believe

THE AMOUNT OF [illegible]

even in our good city of [illegible] ties, aye, and let me add [illegible] not unopen hands. It is [illegible] of the quantity of this [illegible] Why is this, [illegible] are? You can give no reason [illegible] were wasteful of [illegible] perfectly indifferent [illegible] was not certainly with [illegible] by," for they wrought [illegible] got, but it was certainly [illegible] doubt all that they earned [illegible] to make a very comfortable [illegible] plentifully supplied table [illegible] gone a great deal farther [illegible] there only been some [illegible] management. I meet a ma[illegible] almost every day, and he [illegible] the little black pipe [illegible] steams along like a [illegible] told me in the most lu[illegible] very long ago, that [illegible] has little besides turnips [illegible] his children won't help [illegible] not keep them at school [illegible] all what, and yet he will [illegible] knowledgment, spend twenty [illegible] whiskey, and at least five [illegible] 25 cents a day to be sure [illegible] what might not that 25 cents [illegible] it better spent all these [illegible] is easily counted up. It [illegible] seventy-five cents a week [illegible] see that that is nearly a hun[illegible] year. That man will be [illegible] as sure as fate whenever it [illegible] a very exceptional character [illegible] Where you get one better [illegible] worse. I could count a dozen [illegible] not yet quite paupers, but

ON THE ROAD, AND [illegible]

A poor boy was lately [illegible] tentiary for stealing. The [illegible] to keep him for two years [illegible] that boy puffing and smoking [illegible] was thirteen years old, and [illegible] unlicensed shebeens of Lombard [illegible] hold of him and finished the [illegible] old hag that kept the grog[illegible] whiskey, encouraged him to steal [illegible] he is. Now he was [illegible] almost to foolishness, but [illegible] around him were doing [illegible] of it. Did any of the readers [illegible] see pretty broken down speci[illegible] and girls going about with [illegible] for broken victuals for the [illegible] protesting that they were [illegible] were the little ones at home! [illegible] watch them, kind good Samar[illegible] will see. Do they eat what [illegible] They know a trick worth two [illegible] feed their pigs or they sell [illegible] keep pigs, aye, or they sell to [illegible] honest who will not beg, and [illegible] they go at the whiskey with the [illegible]

YOU BET!

If the kind and foolishly charit[illegible] not help at the door without [illegible] enquiry, it would be a great bless[illegible] is to be done? There is no doubt [illegible] deal of destitution, and whate[illegible] cause, the poor wretches can't [illegible] lowed to starve; but I am quite [illegible] after all is done, the worth[illegible] clamorers and the drunken will get [illegible] share, as they have gotten in the [illegible] by. What about the "walking [illegible] *alias* "tramp" kidney? It is [illegible] but it is certain, at any rate, that [illegible] grows in numbers and impudence [illegible] ception, of course, they drink, [illegible] and they are generally strong [illegible] Would it not be well to try [illegible] prescription, "Root hog or die"?

'RAH FOR HANLAN

and our City Council! The scul[illegible] the freedom of the city conferred [illegible] and that relieves him from taxes [illegible] if not all eternity. Isn't it gra[illegible] men who call themselves de[illegible] spectable, like McMurrich, [illegible] actually vote for such a thing [illegible] will it take to get into an Alderm[illegible] the idea, that the really respectable [illegible] ers of this city don't care a [illegible] Hanlan, and all his ways and [illegible] that has been done by him, has [illegible] couraged a large amount of gam[illegible] dissipation, and as a tavern keep[illegible] do his best to debauch the visi[illegible] Island, and sit tax free all the [illegible] ing it. It is grand to see how fo[illegible] themselves respectable, will pan[illegible] very lowest classes of the commu[illegible] election time comes on!

ALL "EXEMPTIONS" ARE [illegible]

incurably bad, but to add an[illegible] municipal paupers is quite too [illegible] nable, and of all the little [illegible] world, to think of fussy little [illegible] champion assailant of all "exempt[illegible] ing in for it. Now if we are to ha[illegible] ptions because of the good done [illegible] exempted, I would ten times rather [illegible] ministers and doctors of the city [illegible] commoners for ever, than this po[illegible] young man, who has done [illegible] thing for Toronto, except enabling [illegible] many gambling "sports" to make [illegible] money on his head. Isn't this awful [illegible] body to say about Canada's darling? [illegible] true, however, all the same, let [illegible] out against it as loudly as they like.

I did mean to tell

WHAT I SAW ON KING STREET

the other day, and about my visit [illegible] sylum, for I changed my mind [illegible] that dreary, yet bright and cheerful [illegible] ing, but you see, I have had so much [illegible] about the poor, that I have neither [illegible] space. I'll be up with the arrears [illegible] am much older, and, in the mean[illegible] my word be marked, and let those [illegible] say how it has been fulfilled, when [illegible] that the city Council of next year [illegible] be a whit better than the present [illegible] all the members be Conservative [illegible] think they will be.

But really now, how could I think [illegible] speaking of the St. Andrew's supper [illegible] Street Railway? On how eloquent [illegible] can be, when inspiring "bauld John [illegible] corn" supplies the necessary steam [illegible] a caution to hear Alderman McMur[illegible] Scotland and the Scotch, and how [illegible] ther Scots" applauded, and drank [illegible] tune of who knows how many [illegible] though the funds of the society are [illegible] low, as everybody knows. *Vive* [illegible] That's aye in order; and "Scots wha [illegible] will always bring down the house.

As to the street Railway supplying [illegible] room to its passengers. Oh! Jona[illegible] lam, how could you expect it? The [illegible] ager of that railway can manage better [illegible] that comes to, or my name is not

JACOB FA[illegible]

Parnell and His Tenants

(From the Manchester Examiner.)

At the last meeting of the Bal[illegible] (Ireland) Union the Chairman expr[illegible] desire that Mr. Parnell would visit [illegible] of the country, so that he might tell [illegible] was an impostor. Many people ha[illegible] believed this of the redoubtable cham[illegible] the league; but now the facts seem [illegible] coming out. Mr. Dennis declared [illegible] that the greatest cases of hardship [illegible] come before him as a magistrate occur[illegible] Mr. Parnell's property. "Some years [illegible] proceeded the Chairman, "[illegible] Parnell [illegible] to eject on a summons [illegible] had a man before [illegible] looking for com[illegible] tion for malicious injuries [illegible] is one whom Mr. Parnell [illegible] from which he ejected anot[illegible] was not all he has to tell Mr. Parnell [illegible] face when he can get the opportunity [illegible] has to remind the distinguished mem[illegible] Cork that the rental of one [illegible] ownland [illegible] is treble the poor-law valuation. [illegible] back he boasted to Mr. Dennis that [illegible] sold the County Carlow property, [illegible] not pay the interest on the money [illegible] boy it, so well that he [illegible] off the [illegible] had money left, with which he bought [illegible] property elsewhere." How will he manage [illegible] Mr. Dennis explains: "He forced [illegible] ants to take out leases at an increased [illegible] And this is the story related in public [illegible] magistrate and Chairman of Guardians [illegible] man whom Irishmen are asked to [illegible] martyr, and toward whose help [illegible] ed to subscribe their hard-earned [illegible]

A FAVOURITE paragraph with [illegible] Mott, when her autograph was [illegible] albums, was, "In the true marriage [illegible] tion the independence of the hus[illegible] the wife is equal, their dependence [illegible] and their obligations are reciprocal."

THE STANDARD

Friday, Dec. 17th, 188[illegible]

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

NOMINATION on the last Mond[illegible] the year.

FOR Xmas goods that are su[illegible] please, go to W. E. Doll, Fleshe[illegible]

THE annual school meeting [illegible] on the last Wednesday of the y[illegible]

LUNCH and Hot Coffee at all [illegible] Montgomery's Bakery.

CHEAP and reliable watches at [illegible] the Jeweler's Flesherton.

WE will give the Weekly M[illegible] connection with the STANDARD [illegible] end of 1881 for $2.25.

THE Daily *Mail* during the [illegible] of Dominion Parliament for [illegible] Subscriptions taken here.

YOU can walk 1,000 miles [illegible] you can see a store crowded w[illegible] customers and cheap goods like [illegible] land's.

QUERY.—How is it that M. R[illegible] son, sells that Tea for 50 cent[illegible] keeps it up he has got the Tea [illegible] sure.

SEE Mr. Doll's advertiseme[illegible] week. He has the largest [illegible] silverware, watches, &c., ever [illegible] in this section of country.

GET all your writing done [illegible] Davis, Flesherton. He does [illegible] neatly and correctly, and lo[illegible] your interests promptly—cha[illegible]

THE Daily *Globe* from the [illegible] to the close of the Dominion [illegible] ment for *only one dollar*. S[illegible] tions taken at this office.

TO ENJOY Xmas properly, w[illegible] advise you to get 5 or 10 p[illegible] McFarland's 40 cent tea. [illegible] and rich flavored, and witho[illegible] the cheapest tea north of To[illegible]

INSURE with R. Davis [illegible] sents the THE BEST Companies [illegible] da. Dont throw your [illegible] by inuring with unrel[illegible] nies and *Agents*.

MCFARLAND has just rec[illegible] Raisins, Xmas Currants, [illegible] ars, Xmas Spices, Lemon, O[illegible] Citron peels, and is sel[illegible] cheap.

IF you want to dispose of [illegible] or other property, send y[illegible] and address, No. of lot, &c., [illegible] tion in R. Davis' next catal[illegible] largest ever issued in the C[illegible]

THE annual meeting of [illegible] Agricultural Societies is th[illegible] Thursday in the new [illegible] annual meeting of E[illegible] societies, comes on the [illegible] day of the year.

MR. J. H. Heard, of F[illegible] has a lot of very fine hone[illegible] duction of his own Bees, w[illegible] our teeth water while he [illegible] showed us through his hon[illegible] ment.

ADVERTISE your stray catt[illegible] have lost any, they may [illegible] you a bill of damage in so[illegible] barn yard; If you have any [illegible] possession, you may have [illegible] ble with them for nothing [illegible] ble to prosecution as well [illegible] vertising them.

JUST think of it, McFar[illegible] ling lovely Brocade Satin [illegible] 15 cents per yard, cheap a[illegible] Ladies' wove Clouds 75 c[illegible] worth $1. Ladies' Kid [illegible] cents, usual price $1, [illegible] Mitts, 60 cents, usual p[illegible] They are selling fast.

The Editor of the Thor[illegible] *dard* says —"Markdale ha[illegible] the best buildings in Grey [illegible] of them would do no d[illegible] Toronto." Your head is [illegible] Farewell, the *Monitor* to t[illegible] notwithstanding.

A CONCERT in aid of t[illegible] Church fund, at Maxwell, [illegible] the school of the village [illegible] evening, 14th inst. The [illegible] was large, and evinced the [illegible] tion of the entertainment [illegible] repeated applause. A ma[illegible] performers were from Mar[illegible]

THE best present you c[illegible] friends would be one of [illegible] $5 Over-Coats; or set of [illegible] or handsome Shawl; or [illegible] Gloves; or set of Dishes; [illegible] Mantle; or suit of Clot[illegible] McFarland will give you [illegible] above, or 1,000 more [illegible] choose from, much un[illegible] prices,

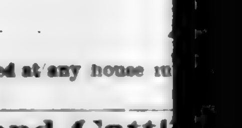
AT a meeting of L. O. [illegible] held in the Orange Hall [illegible] the following officers wer[illegible] the ensuing year:—Bro[illegible] Elliott, W. M.; Wm. Wa[illegible] John McFadden, Chaplai[illegible] Walker, Secretary; Ja[illegible] Treasurer; Committee, [illegible] W. J. Walker, William [illegible] Walker, Thos. Wyvell.

AS THE holiday season [illegible] people naturally begin t[illegible] they can purchase the [illegible] the annual plum pudding [illegible] vantage. We would [illegible] them to try McIntyre. [illegible] think it no harm to "tal[illegible] the stomach sake," shou[illegible] him, as he says he has [illegible] town, and the best is alw[illegible] est. Don't fail to call o[illegible]

WILCOX is decidedly [illegible] that there is nothing [illegible] Ink for pushing busin[illegible] fore is not satisfied wit[illegible] than a whole page of t[illegible] inform his friends and t[illegible] rally, where to buy th[illegible] and New Year's present[illegible] says it is not good for [illegible] and Wilcox, wishing to [illegible] low mortals to be guid[illegible] Book, is offering weddi[illegible] $1 upwards. Be sure [illegible] advertisement.

[illegible] delivered at any house [illegible] 17, 1880.

Sheep and Cattl[illegible]



[illegible] having good fat She[illegible] [illegible] to sell, will find it to their a[illegible] [illegible] there names and addres[illegible] [illegible] Hotel, Revere House, Ma[illegible] undersigned are still on the wa[illegible] positively pay the highest [illegible]

C. W. & A. SPE[illegible]

[illegible] 17th, 1880.

NOMINATION on the last Monday of the year.

FOR Xmas goods that are sure to please, go to W. F. Doll, Flesherton.

THE annual school meeting comes on the last Wednesday of the year.

LUNCH and Hot Coffee at all hours, at Montgomery's Bakery.

CHEAP and reliable watches at Doll's, the Jeweler's Flesherton.

WE will give the Weekly *Mail* in connection with the STANDARD to the end of 1881 for $2.25.

THE Daily *Mail* during the session of Dominion Parliament for $1.00. Subscriptions taken here.

YOU can walk 1,000 miles before you can see a store crowded with customers and cheap goods like McFarland's.

QUERY.—How is it that M. Richardson. sells that Tea for 50 cents, if he keeps it up he has got the Tea trade sure.

SEE Mr. Doll's advertisement this week. He has the largest stock of silverware, watches, &c., ever shown in this section of country.

GET all your writing done by R. Davis, Flesherton. He does his work neatly and correctly, and looks after your interests promptly—charges low.

THE Daily *Globe* from the opening to the close of the Dominion Parliament for *only one dollar*. Subscriptions taken at this office.

TO ENJOY Xmas properly, we would advise you to get 5 or 10 pounds of McFarland's 40 cent tea. It is strong and rich flavored, and without doubt the cheapest tea north of Toronto.

INSURE with R. Davis—he represents the THE BEST Companies in *Canada*. Dont throw your money away by insuring with unreliable Companies and *Agents*.

MCFARLAND has just received Xmas Raisins, Xmas Currants, Xmas Sugars, Xmas Spices, Lemon, Orange and Citron peels, and is selling them cheap,

IF you want to dispose of your farm or other property, send your name and address, No· of lot, &c., for insertion in R. Davis' next catalogue, the largest ever issued in the County.

THE annual meeting of Township Agricultural Societies is the second Thursday in the new year. The annual meeting of Electoral District societies, comes on the third Wednesday of the year.

MR. J. H. Heard, of Flesherton, has a lot of very fine honey, the production of his own Bees, which made our teeth water while he (Mr. H.) showed us through his honey appartment.

ADVERTISE your stray cattle. If you have lost any, they may be causing you a bill of damage in some body's barn yard; If you have any in your possession, you may have your trouble with them for nothing, and be liable to prosecution as well, for not advertising them.

JUST think of it, McFarland is selling lovely Brocade Satin Dress Goods 15 cents per yard, cheap at 25 cents. Ladies' wove Clouds 75 cents, well worth $1. Ladies' Kid Mitts, 60 cents, usual price $1, Gents' Kid Mitts, 60 cents, usual price $1.25. They are selling fast.

The Editor of the Thorbury *Standard* says —"Markdale has some of the best buildings in Grey, and many of them would do no discredit to Toronto," Your head is level, friend Farewell, the *Monitor* to the contrary notwithstanding.

A CONCERT in aid of the English Church fund, at Maxwell, was held in the school of the village on Tuesday evening, 14th inst. The attendance was large, and evinced their appreciation of the entertainment by loud and repeated applause. A majority of the performers were from Markdale.

THE best present you can give your friends would be one of McFarland's $5 Over-Coats; or set of Furs, $3.75; or handsome Shawl; or pair of Kid Gloves; or set of Dishes; or stylish Mantle; or suit of Clothes, $12.—McFarland will give you any of the above, or 1,000 more articles to choose from, much under regular prices,

AT a meeting of L. O. L. No. 1045, held in the Orange Hall, Markdale, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—Brother James Elliott, W. M.; Wm. Walker, D. M.; John McFadden, Chaplain; James D. Walker, Secretary; James Lackey, Treasurer; Committee, Wm. Brady, W. J. Walker, William Blakely, C. Walker, Thos. Wyvell.

AS THE holiday season approaches, people naturally begin to think where they can purchase the requisites for the annual plum pudding to best advantage. We would recommend them to try McIntyre. Those who think it no harm to "take a little for the stomach sake," should also visit him, as he says he has the best in town, and the best is always the cheapest. Don't fail to call on him.

WILCOX is decidedly of the opinion that there is nothing like Printers' Ink for pushing business, and therefore is not satisfied with anything less than a whole page of the STANDARD to inform his friends and the public generally, where to buy their Christmas and New Year's presents. The Bible says it is not good for man to be alone, and Wilcox, wishing to assist his fellow mortals to be guided by the good Book, is offering wedding rings from $1 upwards. Be sure and read his advertisement.

[illegible] erton, is doing a good business in enlarging Photo's and Ambrotypes.

GREAT clearing sale at R. E. Hall's, Priceville, for sixty days. Mr. H. means business, give him a call.

WEAVING done very promptly at Campbell's woolen factory, and other work in his line. See advertisement.

HOLLAND Centre, Dramatic Club, will give their first entertainment in that place on Christmas Eve. See posters.

MR. H. HOOPER, of Flesherton, has the entire control of the Furniture, Sash and Door Factory of that village, and has removed into the new brick wareroom recently erected. Advertisement next week.

SEVERAL communications and change of advertisements will have to lie over until next week. The rush of Job Work has been so great, coupled with getting out a Supplement to supply the demand on our advertising columns, we were compelled to omit them.

WE notice J. F. Sproule, has removed to his new brick shop, on Mill street, and we must say his stock of dry goods, Millinery, Groceries, &c., looks very tempting to those who need anything in his line, he appears to be busy and taking in his share of the needful. Success to you J. F.

WE wish to draw particular attention to the advertisement of the re-opening of the Owen Sound High School, which takes place on the 7th of January, 1881. It is the only High School in the County, and as the Board have been to considerable trouble to procure first class teachers, should be patronized by the people of Grey in preference to outside institutions.

AMONGST the various features of improvements noticeable in the village of Dundalk, none is there, perhaps more remarkable than the drug business lately established in that village than that of Mr. R. Philips. It is only justice to Mr. P. to say that, while it is almost impossible to enquire for any medicine which he has not on hand, his book and stationery department is amply supplied. His line and stock of fancy goods are not surpassed in beauty by any similar establishment in the province.

THE election of Markdale Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, No. 384, took place on the 14th inst., when the following officers were duly elected:—Brother Thomas Mann, Master; Geo. Richardson, Overseer; James Lackey, Lecturer; Adam Shiel, Assistant Steward; A. Elliott, Chaplain; Sam'l Lackey, Treas.; Thomas Elliott jr., Secretary; B. Coleman, Gate Keeper; Sister Alice Drew, Ceres; M. E. Richardson, Pomona; Elizabeth Drew, Flora; Jane Waker, Lady Assistant Steward. Delegates to Div. Grange, the W. M, and J. Elliott.

THE Anniversary Services in the Ebenezer P. M. Church, held on last Sabbath and Monday were a grand success. The Rev. L. Hall, of Osprey, preached [illegible] crowded houses on Sabbath. On Monday evening, a densely packed audience assembled to do justice to the good things provided by the ladies of the neighborhood, and notwithstanding the large crowd there was abundance for all. After tea had been served, and several speeches given, under the leadership of Rev, Mr. Hall, an effort was made to obliterate the balance of the debt, which we are happy to say was successful, and now the people of that neighborhood rejoice in a church free from debt.

A MEETING of the Directors of the Proton Agricultural Society was held at McCullough's Hotel, in the village of Dundalk, on Tuesday the 14th inst., to wind up the affairs of the society for the past year. From the Secretary's report the society seems to be in a very flourishing condition, showin an increase of one hundred per cent in membership over last year, and a prospect of even a larger increase for the coming year. The Treasurer has fully met all demands made upon him for prize money, &c., and has still a handsome surplus to carry over to next year. To the untiring energy of the President, Mr. T. Hanbury, the efficient services of the Secretary Mr. A. G. Hunter, and a Board of Directors, who sacrificed their own interests for the good of the society, is due the great success which it has attained. It is therefore to be hoped that the same lively interest will be taken by the future Board, and that the society will soon stand second to no other Township Society in this part of Western Canada.

WE have been requested to publish the following resolution, which speaks for itself:—At the last regular communication of Prince Arthur Lodge, No. 333, of A., F. and A. M., held at Flesherton, the following resolution was unanimously passed:—Moved by Bro. J. W. Armstrong, and seconded by Bro. Thos Gamey, that the heart felt sympathy of this lodge be and is hereby tendered W. Bro. W. J. McFarland and his esteemed lady, in the very severe affection through which they have recently passed in their very sore bereavement of three dear children, an affliction which could not be properly understood or entered into excepting by those whose lot it was to pass through a similar ordeal. We can assure Bro McFarland that this resolution is not only expressive of heart felt sympathy of *this lodge*, but of a *large community*; at every corner and in every house utterances of sorrow and sympathy were constantly heard. As a community we felt deeply grateful to our Father in Heaven for his kindness towards us in leaving us our families unbroken, and our

A REMARKABLE PICTURE.—Probably the most remarkable picture of the age is "Christ leaving the Pretorium," now on exhibition at the Dore Gallery, London, England. It was begun immediately before the opening of the Franco-Prussian war, and during the horrors of the siege and Commune was kept folded up and buried in a place of security, uninjured by shot or shell. For several years it has been on exhibition in London, and has attracted universal attention, being considered the principal feature of the wonderful Dore Gallery. The canvas measures 40 feet by 30, on which are painted some one hundred and seventy [illegible] figures, the central one being Jesus leaving Pilate's Judgement Hall for the place of crucifixion. The scene as depicted by the renowned artist is one that can never be forgotten. The publishers of the Montreal WITNESS have had this picture faithfully reproduced for the benefit of their subscribers. Every subscriber to that paper who, in renewing his own subscription, sends that of another person not now a subscriber, is entitled to a copy of the picture, and the new subscriber gets one as well—each paying [illegible] $1.10, the usual price of this excellent paper. The picture is only supplied to subscribers to the WITNESS, who, if they do not get the second subscriber, may have the picture by sending 25 cents in addition to the ordinary subscription of $1.10.

A GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY TRAIN IN DURHAM.—For several days past great interest has been taken by the residents of this town and neighborhood in the progress of the G. B. & W. R'y. Last Saturday the rails were laid across the Garafraxa road, at Varney, a little over two miles south of Durham, and the progress of the work since then has been viewed by a large number of people each day. Yesterday the rails were laid inside the corporation, and within half a mile of the station building, and this evening or early to-morrow the track will be laid up to the station, and in a few days it is expected regular trains will be running between here and Stratford. The road will not be fully ballasted until next spring. The station house was completed by Mr. Bringham, of Mount Forest, on Friday last. A quantity of ship timber is already on the station ground, and there are reports of several granaries being erected immediately, and yesterday a large quantity of grain was delivered in town. W. E. McAllister, Esq., treated the tack-layers of the road to a first-class dinner yesterday, at his hotel, and in various ways has earned the good opinion of those working on the road. No doubt the successful completion of the railway will be the beginning of a new era for Durham and the neighboring townships, and afford more than satisfaction to those who have been labouring for years to get a railway to this section, and the Directors of the Company, together with the authorities of the Grand Trunk Railway, are to be congratulated on their success in bringing this scheme so for towards completion of the first section, and we believe that the road will fully earn its name in a short time.—*Review*.

DUNDALK ITEMS.

As the iron tongue of time reverbrates through the surrounding air, proclaiming the approaching demise of the departing year, and ushering in that philanthrophic period, when aspirants for municipal renown feel their hearts redundant with high regard for the personal health and happiness of the Ratepayer and his wife and "bairns," two of our most respected citizens have unsheathed the sword for battle, and, entering into the arena of conflict, have signified their intention of contesting the Reeveship of Proton. In plain language, Messrs. Middleton and Nelson are now in the field, as candidates for the office of Chief Municipal officer of Proton, and opinion is varied, so far, as to which of the two will eventually prove the favorite. One feature in the struggle is that, neither of the candidates endeavor to bespatter the reputation of the other—a characteristic which it would be well for others to imitate.

Apropos this subject, some witless creature has attempted a wordy caracature of the contest, comparing it to a race, and bestowing nonseusical cognomens on the candidates. This, of course, is the emanation of some shallow-pated would be punster; but it is somewhat strange that any person with a proper regard for social amenities would permit such tomfoolery to be exhibited in their establishment.

The new Episcopal church was opened with considerable *eclact* on Sunday last. The Rev. Mr. Henderson of Orangeville officiated in the the forenoon, the Rev. Mr. Rooney of Horning's Mills in the evening,—"Comparisons are odious" it is said, therefore I must content myself by saying that the Rev. gentleman from your village preached and impressive sermon on the occasion, while both Messrs Henderson and Rooney were in their happiest moods, and highly thought of by the assemblages present, The building on each occasion was intensely crowded, many people having to go away without being able to obtain admission. The Shelburne Choir was present, and gave some choice sacred selections, the rendition of which must be classed as very good.

The Rev. Mr. Aikins having received a call from the Dundalk Presbyterian Congregation, has, with his family, become a resident of this Village, and entered upon the duties of his calling. Doubtless the fact of a

[illegible] restitution, so long as the administrators of statutory law are in such a state that, low groggeries crop up, whose proprietors set at defiance all the provisions enacted for the suppression of such social anomalies.

LINES.

Sing a song of Sixpence,
Half a peck of Rye,
Four and Twenty [illegible],
Being [illegible].

When the pie was opened,
They all began to sing;
With clothing, oh! so dainty,
'Twas fit for any King.

They went out to a party,
In all their nice new clothes;
As blythe as any black bird,
That sings where e're he goes.

Their friends began to ask them,
Where ever they had been,
To get rigged out in garments neat,
[illegible] ever had been seen.

At Durham or in Collingwood,
Or away in Owen Sound,
Or nearer still in Markdale stores,
Could such nice clothes be found.

Oh! no, but at M. RICHARDSON'S,
Where every body goes,
Who want to spend their money well,
And lay it out in clothes.

MARRIED

On the 8th inst., at the residence of the brides parents, Euphrasia, by the Rev. D. Perry Mr. Richard Steer, to Miss Rebecca Wiley, all of Euphrasia.

BIRTHS.

In Glenelg, on the 9th inst., the wife of Mr. Richard Douglas, of a daughter.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16th, 1880. 14m1

In Chancery.

THE FARMERS' LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY,
VS.
LECKIE,

PURSUANT to the Decree made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. Taylor, Esquire, Master in Ordinary of this Court by J. M. Webster, Auctioneer,

At the FLESHERTON Hotel,
IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,
at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon of

Thursday, the Thirteenth day of January, 1881,

the following lands and premises in one parcel, viz: Lot number twenty-one in the fourteenth concession of the township of Artemesia, in the county of Grey, excepting thereout three acres off the north west corner of said lot. The said lot consists of about 160 acres of land, of which about 60 acres are cleared and the remainder well timbered with beech and maple, basswood and some hemlock. The land cleared is of a very loamy and in a fair state of cultivation. The said lot is situate on the Meaford Road, about five miles from Markdale Station on the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. About six and a-half miles from Flesherton, and is readily accessible to said villages by good roads, and the said villages afford good markets for the sale of produce. The said lot is also well watered by a creek, and there is no swampy land on said lot. The said lot has erected thereon farm buildings consisting of a frame house, and log barn.

Terms of sale—Ten per cent. is to be paid the vendors or their solicitors at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. within thirty days thereafter, without interest, and the balance to be secured by first mortgage on said premises payable in three or five years, with interest at seven per cent. per annum.

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid fixed by the Master. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery. For further particulars apply at the Law Offices of W. Mulock, Esq., vendor's solicitor, Messrs. Crooks, Kingsmill and Cattanach, and Messrs. McCarthy, Hoskins, Plumb and Creelman, solicitors, Toronto.

Dated December 8, 1880.
14-8 (Signed) T. W. TAYLOR.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

RATEPAYERS, WARD NO. 3, GLENELG.

WILL please take notice, that the Collector will be at the Revere House, Markdale on the 20th of December, 1880, for the **Last Time.** to receive all unpaid taxes. After that date measures to enforce payment will be resorted to.

S. DONNELLY,
Dated Dec. 9th, 1880. 14-1

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the winter.

N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880. 14

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

[illegible], Dec. 15th, 1880.

Flour, per bbl.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.05	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	1.03	"	1.05
Barley	0.60	"	0.85
Oats	0.00	"	0.33
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	5.50	"	5.70
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.00	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed.	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

TORONTO, Dec. 9, 1880.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 10	to	$1 15
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 14
Barley, do.	0 70	to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 34	to	0 35
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 70
Rye, do.	0 87	to	0 88
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	6 00	to	6 25
Beef, hind quarters	4 50	to	5 oo
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 oo
Chickens, per pair	30	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 4o
Ducks, per brace	5o	to	0 6o
Geese, each	50	to	0 6o
Turkeys	75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	2o	to	0 21
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	o 18	to	0 00
Eggs, packed	o oo	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 oo	to	1 1o
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 25
Onions, per bag	o o0	to	1 55
Hay	8 50	to	12 95

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

THE partnership heretofore existing between H. & R. Hooper, Cabinet and Sash & Door manufacturers, of the Village of Flesherton, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The business as formerly will be carried on by H. Hooper, to whom all notes and accounts must be paid, and by whom all liabilities will be discharged.

(Signed) HENRY HOOPER,
RICHARD HOOPER.

Witness—ROBERT DAVIS.
Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1880. 14-4

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Nov. 11, 1880.

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE,

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There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE,
Proprietor.
Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

Whilst wishing all

A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,

And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our rapid increase in business, as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have

ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.

In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season

THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES,

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Glassware,

AND

Fancy Holiday Presents!

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CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of

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LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,

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LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!

For any Quantity of good Grain or FARM PRODUCE,

And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of my large and complete stock of

Fall and Winter Dry Goods,

MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and MILLINERY,

And will continue to sell at a

Very Small Advance on Cost!

Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.

Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

OUR dealers in poultry have received the following:—Meat Inspector's Office, Toronto, November 22nd, 1880. Sir,—You are hereby cautioned against receiving, buying, selling, or otherwise trading Poultry, the crops or craws of which are full, or partly so, whether such crops or craws have been stuffed, or otherwise filled with proper food, or with hay, straw, grass, leaves, stones, sand, wood, or any other substance, or inflated with the human breath, or by any wind instrument; all such fraudulently dressed and unwholesome poultry being liable to confiscation and the owners and dealers therein prosecuted according to law. By order. Robert Awde, Inspector of Meat, &c.

WE are a day late with the paper this week, caused by the extra work getting up the supplement.

MARKDALE.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

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September, 1880. 2-y

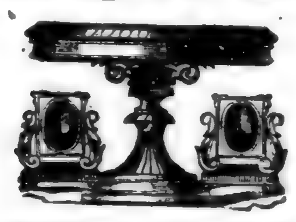
WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Selling Off. Selling Off.

GREAT
Clearing Out Sale!



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CENTRE TABLES,
EXTENSION TABLES,
Fall-Leaf Tables, and Chairs of every variety to be

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Pictures and Picture Framing!
in all its branches.
Upholstering and Repairing!
promptly attended to.
☞ *Produce and Dry Lumber taken at market price.*

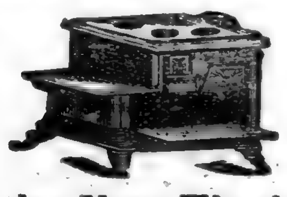
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Sept., 1880. 1

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves.



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THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.
If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

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A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.
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Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.
You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exc ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

Cash! Cash! Cash!

People may Puff and Blow, but if you want real value for
Your Money or Produce
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In Watches, I have—Gold [illegible] Hunting, and Open-Faced key and stem winders, including the celebrated [illegible] Watches (they are the best) [illegible] glish and American key and stem [illegible] from $4 up. The celebrated Thomas and other Clocks, [illegible] In Jewelry,—I have colored and [illegible] Gold sets, Chains, [illegible] Cuff Buttons, Studs, [illegible]
DIAMOND, WEDDING, AND GEM RINGS.
My Goods have all been purchased for Nett Cash, and will be sold at [illegible]
Watch Repairing a Specialty.
W. E. DOLL, [illegible]
Nov. 25, 1880. (6) Flesherton [illegible]

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500 pairs of Boots
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IN
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ALL KINDS OF
Fancy Turning, Scroll Work, Fence Pickets & Mouldin[gs]
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With our present experience we feel justified in asking a continuance of the patr[onage] so liberally bestowed on us in the past. Our prices will be found as low as any, [as] much so as is consistent with good work and finish. If you are in need of anything [in our] line we feel confident we can suit you in quantity and quality to select from and [our] terms.

H. & R. HOOPER.
1 Flesherton Steam Furniture Factory and Planing [Mill]

Removed! Removed.
HILL BROTHERS,
Would intimate to their numerous friends and the public generally, that they have removed to their new premises and will be pleased to receive a call from our many friends and customers. Call and see us. We will GIVE YOU BARGAINS. WE MEAN BUSINESS.

SEE OUR
Cheap Dress Goods,
Lustres,
Wincies,
Laces,
And Fringes,

Gents, see our CLOTHING. They are Stylish, Good CHEAP.

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You will find them right in Price and Quality.

Boots and Shoes a Specialty
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Gentlemen we have a splendid SMOKING TOBACCO, at 40c per lb. Try it.

We again give a general invitation to inspect our Stock. Have not time to write long advertisements. Don't believe in them. Would rather have the Goods speak for themselves.
Thanking you for past favors, and trust to have a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.
Markdale, Nov. 4, 1880.

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Medical.

Drs. Sproule & Carter, [Physi]cians, Surgeons, Accouche[urs] &c.
OFFICE.—Medical Hall; residen[ce] Markdale House.
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James Masson,
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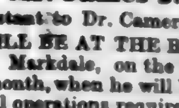

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Hotels.

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Having leased the above hotel a[nd thor]oughly refurnished and refitted it, t[he trave]lling public will find every accomm[odation.] Only the best of liquors and ciga[rs.] Good stabling. Careful hostler.
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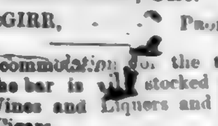

[B]UTCH[ER]
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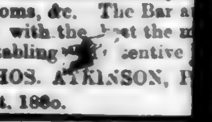

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Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

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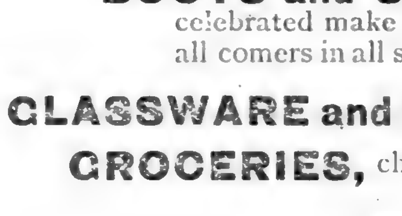

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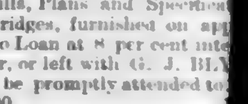

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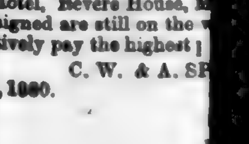

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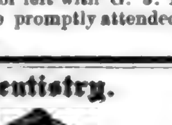

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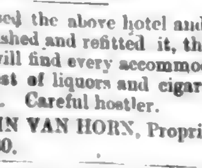

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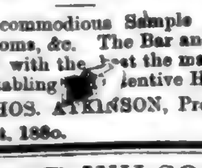

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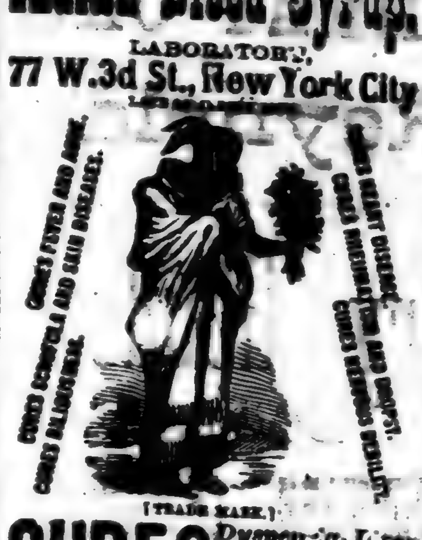

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CURES Dyspepsia, Liver Diseases, Fever & Ague, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Heart Disease, Biliousness, Nervous Debility, etc.

The Best REMEDY KNOWN to Man!

10,000 AGENTS HAVE SOLD SINCE 1870

9,000,000 Bottles.

This Syrup Possesses Varied Properties.

It stimulates the Pytyaline in the Saliva, which converts the starch and sugar of the food into glucose. A deficiency in Pytyaline causes Wind and Souring of the food in the stomach. If the medicine is taken immediately after eating the fermentation of food is prevented.

It acts upon the Liver.
It acts upon the Kidneys.
It Regulates the Bowels
It Purifies the Blood.
It Quiets the Nervous System.
It Promotes Digestion.
It Nourishes, Strengthens and Invigorates.
It carries off the Old Blood and makes new
It opens the pores of the skin and induces Healthy Perspiration.

It neutralizes the hereditary taint, or poison in the blood, which generates Scrofula, Erysipelas, and all manner of skin diseases and internal humors.

There are no spirits employed in its manufacture, and it can be taken by the most delicate babe, or by the aged and feeble, *care only being required in attention to directions.*

PRICE OF LARGE BOTTLES, - - $1.00
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Read the VOLUNTARY TESTIMONIALS of Persons who have been CURED by the use of the BLOOD PURIFIER.

FOR DYSPEPSIA AND LIVER COMPLAINT.

Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.

Dear Sir—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup has benefited me more for Despepsia and Liver Complaint, than any medicine I ever before used.

MRS. M. J. BRIDGE.

SAVED HER LIFE.

Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.

Dear Sir—I have been under the doctors' hands almost continually for eight years, this year being the first that I have not employed a physician. After using your Indian Blood Syrup for a brief space of time, I was enabled to do all my work. I truly believe it was the means of saving my life.

MRS. MARY LEONARD.

CURES COUGHS AND COLDS.

Burford, Brant Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.

ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

CURES ERYSIPELAS.

Mt. Forest,
Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me. MRS. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I have used your great Idian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.

MELSON CARR.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.

W. N. CURROW.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

Cross Hill, Waterloo Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves. NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont,

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. ROBISON.

"Sole General Agents for Canada, Northop and Lyman, No. 21, Toronto St. West, Toronto. Also Agents for Mother Noble's Healing Syrup, an English Discovery which is well known as a valuable and effective Blood Purifier throughout the World."

Ohio, now the second coal State in the country, will mine over 7,000,000 tons this year, against 6,427,379 in the year ending the 31st of last May. Four new fields have been opened this year—Coalton in Jackson county, Corning, in which Governor Foster is interested, in the Sunday creek valley, Del Rey in Carroll county, and Wheeling Back, along the extension of the Cleveland, Tuscarawas Valley, and Wheeling road.

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

SALVINI smokes only Italian cigars—long "stogas," made of a straw and a splint of broom corn covered with the strong leaf tobacco is wrapped.

THE advertisers of Sarah Bernhardt in Boston seem to have gone too far in announcing that the poet Longfellow would sit for the actress to model a bust. Longfellow makes a denial.

A LIVE baby is used in a play now on the road, and this fact is turned to profitable account by the manager of the company, which appears in the play. In every city he advertises for a baby, and hundreds are offered. This makes a novel baby show, the reporters describe it, and much attention is thereby drawn to the performance.

THE London journals account for what they call "the Sarah Bernhardt craze" by saying that the New Yorkers are more than half Parisian. They like England's old world relics and antiquities, cathedrals, rivers, and Stratford-on-Avon; but Paris has their heart. They visit the tomb of Shakespeare and wander about the haunts of Dickens and Thackeray, but it is from Paris the American lady gets her dresses, and the millionaire his furniture, decorations, and pictures.

MISS MARY ANDERSON purchased recently at St. Louis a diamond necklace and pendant for $5,000. The necklace is composed of nineteen very large and beautiful diamonds, all first-quality gems. From the necklace is suspended a pendant of exquisite beauty and workmanship, which is one mass of diamonds. In the centre, and directly above it, are two very large solitaire diamonds of five carats each, surrounded by seventy-seven smaller diamonds, so arranged as to give the appearance of one immense solitaire of great value.

IT is a mistake to suppose that the histrionic profession is treated in England or France, with more social honor than here. Rachel was in 1841, when she came first, received in London with great distinction, but on her second visit, when stories got abroad about her, the drawing rooms were no longer open to her. She was not again the guest of the sovereign; the royal duchesses held aloof. Sarah Bernhardt had to repeat the same experiences, and London followed the example of Paris, where the stateliest ladies of the Faubourg first sought her then turned coldly from her. The Theatrical profession, with rare exceptions, is not received in fashionable society in England or France.

SALVINI believes that Shakespeare intended Othello to be a Moor of Barbary, or some other part of northern Africa. "I have met several," the tragedian says, "and think I imitate their ways and manners pretty well. You are aware, however, that the historical Othello was not a black at all. He was a white man, and a Venetian General named Mora. His history resembles that of Shakespeare's hero in many particulars, Giraldo Cinthro, probably for better effect, made out of the name Mora, moro, a blackamoor, and Shakespeare, unacquainted with the true story, followed this old novelist's lead, and it was well he did so; for have we not in consequence the most perfect delineation of the peculiarities of Moorish temperament ever conceived?"

Sarah Bernhardt and Abbey Striking a Bonanza.

Sarah Barnhardt has brought her wonderful engagement to a close. The united efforts of herself and Mr. Henry E. Abbey have made it the most remarkable ever known in the annals of theatrical entertainment. For his share of the four weeks' business, Mr. Abbey has netted $40,000 (about $15,000 of which have gone in the Passion Play), and Sarah Bernhardt has made about the same amount. The extent of her receipts, compared with those she has abroad, may be gauged in the simple statement that in three weeks here she made as much as she ever made in a year and a half of her previous career. During the last week of her engagement, the sum she received was more than her salary in one year at the Theatre Français. It is not necessary, here, to descant on the fact that more meritorious attractions, taken as a whole, have not attained to a tenth part of this wonderful result, and there is little to say also, that whatever we may think of Mr. Abbey in this course regarding the Passion Play, he has shown consummate skill regarding Sarah Bernhardt. With a less able man she would have made much less money, but the tact and shrewdness that have directed this whole affair reflect the highest credit on the management. Now, Mr. Abbey takes his star elsewhere to coin money. The "take" in Boston even surpasses that of New York. The advance sale here was about $40,000 before she opened and that was for four weeks. In Boston the advance sale is about $45,000, and it is for twelve performances only. Two extra performances will be given there and will add materially to the receipts. The whole engagement in America will net Bernhardt about $150,000, and Mr. Abbey the same.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

ALL who have meditated on the art of governing mankind have been convinced that the fate of empires depends on the education of youth.

IF men would spend in doing good to others a quarter of the time and money they spend in doing harm to themselves, misery would vanish from the earth.

IT takes four things to be a gentleman—you must be a gentleman in your principles, a gentleman in your tastes, a gentleman in your manners, and a gentleman in your person.

NOTHING is so good or wholesome as the simple truth; and he who helps us to find out a single real thing about ourselves does us a far greater service than he could by indiscriminately undervaluing us.

THERE is only now and then an opportunity for displaying great courage, or even great wisdom; but every hour in the day offers a chance to show our good nature, charity, and kindness of heart.

SYMPATHY.—He that sympathises in all the happiness of others, perhaps himself enjoys the safest happiness; and he that is warned by all the folly of others, has perhaps attained the soundest wisdom.

ONE of the lessons which young people have to learn by experience is the power, as well as the enduring quality, of deeds and words, and that they cannot talk idly as the wind whistles, or do carelessly as the reeds float, with no effect produced and no impress made.

THE truly hospitable host sets his guest at ease by being at ease himself; he gives him the best he has without fuss or flurry, or undue expense, always remembering that the best thing he can offer him is himself, unfretted by care, unwearied by labour, fresh and free for social converse, or sympathy, or counsel, as the case may be.

CHEERFULNESS.—It is a great misfortune to have a fretful disposition. It takes the fragrance out of one's life, and leaves only weeds where a cheerful disposition would cause flowers to bloom. The habit of fretting is one that grows rapidly unless it be sternly repressed; and the best way to overcome it is to try always to look on the cheerful side of things.

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

The Coquette.

After birth an blooming roses I was lain,
Mother's petting, nursing me, was not in vain;
[illegible] to woo me never ceased.
And I only flirted with them,
[illegible]
As I pleased.

[illegible] Baby.

Rock-a-by baby upon the tree top,
When the wind blows—confound it, do stop.
When the wind blows the cradle will rock,
Jerusalem crickets! what a temper you've got;
When the bough breaks the cradle will fall,
By thunder! you young 'uns do nothing but squall
Now, baby, go by-by; go hush-i-ty—hush;
Shoo, shoo, shooy, sh-ooy, hush, hush-i-ty—hush;
If you ain't asleep this minute, now, now, rock-a-by.
Well, hang such a young one, that does nothing but cry.

The Wax Doll.

Boxed up so carefully,
Banged flaxen hair,
A new-fangled foundling,
Just left in our care;
Like Flora McFlimsey—
With nothing to wear.

We'll robe her in silks,
In laces straightway,
Then pin a big price on her
For some Crœsus to pay.

The feet, so frigid like,
And those limbs rigid like—
Bronze slippers and hose for them.
But her eyes? Close them,
Staring so blindly, so dreadfully staring,
With blue-eyed impunity.

Hear her say "Papa,"
Hear her say "Mamma;"
Has she a sister?
Has she a brother?
Why didn't they teach her
To cry for her lover!

Take her up gingerly,
"Handle with care;"
Constructed thus fearfully,
She's wax, so beware!

Fashion Notes.

WORTH continues to make basques.

BAYADERE striped silks are revived in Paris.

CLARET-coloured kid gloves are among the novelties.

MASCULINE styles for ladies' street costumes are still popular.

SHIRRED waists are very much in favour with young ladies.

OLIVE is the rare shade to find in plush, as in hose or gloves.

WIDE velvet collars bordered with fur are very stylishly worn.

QUILTED satin, lined with flannel or chamois skin, are the latest luxury in petticoats.

PINK jackets are very stylish for wear with any handsome skirt to the opera, theatre, or for full-dress visit.

NEW cloak clasps are of passementeries, to match the new cloak trimmings—jet, jet and gold, steel and jet, pearl, etc.

LARGE bouquets of flowers are now placed in the centre of the bodice, somewhere about the sixth button from the top. This is the very newest caprice.

BRILLIANT beetles decorate one stylish bonnet and another has gold-headed pins half buried in the plush. Whole sets—muff collar and bonnet—in cream plush are very stylish.

THE Rob Roy or baker's caps are now dignified by the name of Leonard da Vinci turbans, being similar in shape to the head-dress worn by the renowned painter while at work.

A SUPERB evening dress for a young lady is a combination of gold brocade on ground of satin in cream-white, and plain lilac satin of a delightful pale shade.

AMONG the many fancy feathers are butterflies; some formed of brilliant tropical plumage and others of tiny cock's feathers tipped with gold, the bodies in both cases being formed of tinsel beads.

"SHRIMP" pink is a colour in satin much used in Paris, in combination with the brilliant shade of light blue; the garnet velvet is much employed for trimming white evening dresses, either of satin and brocade or of the new striped gauze.

A VERY elegant opera cloak was of antique silk, lined throughout with turquoise silk and trimmed with wide bands of white fox. The cloak was in long coat shape, with angel sleeves and a round cape of white fox completed the wrap.

OPERA bonnets are of plush in the cream shade so becoming to all complexions. Pokes, capotes, Clarissa Harlowes and Spanish caps are the shapes, while the trimmings are long white plumes, heavy ostrich tips, pearl beaded lace and ornaments.

SOME very pretty toilet sets are of satin in various colors, hand-painted and trimmed with lace—a long mat for the dressing-case, an elegant pin-cushion, and a pair of perfume bottles covered with satin and having a plaiting of satin around the base, which answers the purpose of a mat.

A SUPERB black satin de Lyon is heavily trimmed with with wide bands of cocks' feathers tipped with gold, a pink satin is decorated with rich embroidery in beads and chenille, while the plush walking suit has the collar, cuffs, pockets, and border of leopard skin selected with especial care for the purpose.

EMBROIDERY of the most exquisite workmanship is seen upon white evening dresses. It is also worked upon silk, satin, and velvet. Jets and beads of all kinds, gold, silver, cashmere, pearl, and chrystal are also employed. The patterns are very beautiful, and are in copy of Grecian, Byzantine, Renaissance, or purely fanciful designs.

GLOVES are now worn with short sleeves, to come up a good deal higher than the elbow. Portebonheur bracelets in plain or open-work bands, are worn upon the wrist over the glove, and also the serpent-like gold and silver bracelets coiled around the arm. To these it is now fashionable to add at least one massive bracelet at the top of the arm.

SILK plush has conspicuous places in all dresses intended for ceremonious wear; wedding robes are even relieved in some manner by appliances of plush, or show plush in combination; and plush gives distinctiveness of style to a great many of the most elegant of the dinner and reception robes.

Two young Philadelphians recently appeared in gowns which looked as if woven from sunlight and moonlight. One was of cream brocade wrought with gold thread, and was made with a box-plaited train and a baby front embroidered in gold and pearls; and the other was of silver cloth with front and side breadths of white satin, embroidered in white chenille and pearls.

Waifs.

[S]OME men are called waifs because they are used to keep a flirt's hand in.

WHEN the baby cries for "bread" it is the most natural thing in the world for the mother to give it a rock.

FASHION says: "Gathered waists are very much in favour with young ladies." They are with the young gentlemen.

"ALL seems to hinge on this," remarked the lover when he proposed to his sweetheart while swinging on the gate in front of her house.

JONES thinks a man is fortunate who has [h]is will contested after death only. He says his will has been contested ever since he married Mrs. Jones.

AT the ball: Grace (whispering)—"What lovely boots your partner's got, Mary!" Mary (ditto)—"Yes, unfortunately he shines at the wrong end."

THE census shows something like twenty per centum more females than males in the country's population. Well, we can't have too much of a good thing.

DEAF Lady—What's his name? Young lady—Augustus Tyler. Deaf lady—Bless me, what a name! Bustis Biler, Eh! you must be making fun of me.

SHE—"Mr. Slow, are those two men that have just passed brothers?" He—"I—aw—know that one of them is; but I—aw—not quite sure of the other."

MISTRESS: "Mary, this venerable goose is tough enough to break one's teeth." Maid: "Yes'm; didn't you tell me, ma'am, that you wanted it for *piece de resistance.*"

A MURRAY HILL, New York, girl has had one of her shapely feet modeled in marble, and has presented it as a birthday present to her affianced husband for a paper-weight.

"How shall I have my bonnet trimmed," asked Miria, "so that it shall agree with my complexion?" "If you want it to match your face, have it plain," replied hateful Hattie.

A RETURNED Australian found the baby he left at home a miss of five summers. One day he offended her, and she fretfully exclaimed: "I wish you had never married into the family."

BOY (to a lady visitor): "Teacher, there's a gal over there a winkin' at me." Teacher: "Well, then, don't look at her." Boy: "But if I don't wink at her she'll wink at somebody else."

MISS Made-up Old Girl: "Yes, I love the old oak; it is associated with so many hours spent beneath its shade. It carries me back to my childhood, when—when——" Young Foodle—"When you—er—planted it."

DRAWING-ROOM episode: Affable duchess (to amateur tenor, who has just been warbling M. Gounod's last)—"Charming! charming! You must really get somebody to introduce you to me!"

A SLIGHT misunderstanding: "Do you ever *wink*, Miss Evangeline?" "Do I ever *what*, Mr. Smythe?" "*Wink*?" "What do you mean, sir?" "Well, skate, if you pwefer the expression!"

"EUGENIE, Eugenie, will you still insist on wearing the hair of another woman upon your head?" "Alphonso, Alphonso, do you still insist upon wearing the skin of another calf upon your feet?"

"KISS," said young Charles, "is a noun, we allow; but tell me, me, my dear, is it proper or common?" Lovely Mary blushed deep, and exclaimed: "Why, I vow, I think that a kiss is both proper and common."

SCENE—A trysting-place. Roger (who was kept waiting some time)—What came ower ye? Dae ye ken ye've kept me waiting mair nor half an hour? Peggy (whom he has courted for more than eight years)—I couldna help it. (After a pause)—Look at the time ye've kept me waiting, and I'm shure ye never heard me once compleenin'.

CIRCUMSTANTIAL evidence: "Who's that frizzy, black-haired woman talking to my husband on the ottoman?" "She's a Mrs. Cadogan Smythe." "Indeed! She's good at flattering people, I should say, and knows how to lay is on pretty thick." "Ah! you infer that, no doubt, from her attitude and expression?" "Oh, dear, no, from my husband's."

SHE was a big, buxom lass, and when her small beau called one evening she said: "Good evening, Lily." "I'm no lily," he replied, surprised at the idea; "you're the lily; men are never lilies." "Yes, sometimes they are, and you especially are a lily." "How's that?" "Lilliputian." He then looked as if he wished he were an elephant.

A GENIAL mistake: New Beauty (unversed as yet in the mysteries of high life)—"Who's that wonderful old gentleman?" The Captain—"Sir Digby de Rigby, a Hampshire baronet, one of the oldest in England; James the First's creation, you know." New Beauty (determined to be surprised at nothing)—"Indeed! How well preserved he is! I shouldn't have thought him more than seventy or eighty!"

"THE Young Lady's Friend" is the title of a work on behaviour. It tells the young ladies that they must not stand on their heads in company; that it is highly improper to put your hand toward your face in spread eagle fashion; and gives various other valuable hints, all of which should be heeded by our young ladies.

FASHIONABLE emulation; Lady (speaking with difficulty)—What have you made it round the waist, Mrs. Price? Dressmaker—Twenty-one inches, ma'am; you couldn't breathe with less. Lady—What's Lady Jemima Jones' waist! Dressmaker—Nineteen and a half just now, ma'am; but her ladyship's a head shorter than you are, and she's got over so much thinner since her illness last autumn, Lady—Then make it nineteen, Mrs. Price, and I'll engage to get into it?

Children's Quaint Sayings

A CHILD seeing a bill on a telegraph post: "Oh, mamma, look! A message has fallen down."

TOTTIE—I wonder why dolls are always girls, Tom? Tom—Because boys hate to be made babies of.

LITTLE boy, learning his catechism from his mother: Q. What is a man's chief end? A. His head!

A LITTLE girl, aged five, going to bed one night, and kneeling down to say her prayers, said: "O, mamma, may I only say amen to-night? I am so tired."

SMALL boy, watching his sister iron a piece of work with a bird's nest of eggs done in crewels on it—I say, sister, if you keep the iron so long on those eggs you'll hatch 'em.

JACK (aged four, taking a walk)—What becomes of people when they die? Mamma—They turn in to dust, dear. Jack—What a lot of people there must be on the road, then.

MAMMA—And David was able to kill that great big man Goliath because God helped him. Harry (aged six)—Well, I I don't call that fair, mamma; that's two on one.

A LITTLE girl had a penny given her to put in the collection box at church. When she dropped in the coin she exclaimed: "That's the way the money goes, pop goes the weasel."

GIRL (yawning over lessons)—I'm so tired; I should like to go to sleep. Boy—I'll tell you what to do, then; get up early to-morrow and have a good sleep before breakfast.

A LITTLE girl, seeing two love birds billing and cooing, was told that they were making love. "Why don't they marry?" she asked; "then they would not make love any more."

THE clever paper, *London Truth*, advertised recently to give a prize of £2 2s. for the quaintest saying of a child. Several hundred contributions were sent in, of which the following are the most pointed:

"LITTLE baby is very ill, Charley; I am afraid he will die. "Well, if he does die, mamma, he won't go to the bad place." "Why, Charley, how can you know that?" "Oh, I know he can't mamma; he's got no teeth to gnash."

A FOND mother said to her little son: "Tommy, my dear, I am going to give you a little companion soon; which would you prefer, a little boy or a little girl?" "Well, mother," replied Tommy, "if it is all the same to you, I would rather have a little donkey."

The Garland Toilet.

This is the kind of gown in which one entirely anonymous Frenchwoman goes to a dinner. It is made of heliotrope satin merveilleux, but these simple words convey no idea of its appearance. The material is drawn together in such a way that it looks like a garland of violets. How it is done French dressmakers only know, but it is done and is placed in a deep band around the lower part of the skirt. The front of the petticoat is slightly puffed and trimmed with Alencon lace. The waist opens like a kerchief in front and has large plaits behind. The sleeves are trimmed with three rows of lace and fastened up with bows of satin, and a dog collar of violet velvet and a Russian chain of chased silver are worn about the neck.

An Indian Ball.

Monday, says *The Yellowstone Journal*, a novel and interesting performance in the shape of a dance was enacted on Main street, by over one hundred Sioux and Cheyennes, who were accompanied by about twice as many squaws and papooses. The warriors were grotesquely dressed in styles which would have been decidedly cool even in summer; as it was, the day was quite chilly, and the dusky braves had to keep up a vigorous dance to feel at all comfortable. The ceremony commenced by their all squatting on the ground in a large circle, when Hump, who seemed to be the leader, struck the drum a few taps; they all jumped up, and commenced circling around, shaking the sleigh-bells with which they were all ornamented in a very lively manner, making a pleasing accompaniment to the thumping of the drum, which by this time was beat by over a dozen Indians, all, however, keeping a monotonous time to which the dancers kept step. All of the participants in the dance, had their bodies painted various hideous colours, some being green, red, blue, black, and many parti-coloured, with their faces painted in many colours, and looking very ugly. Most prominent among them all was painted a number of horseshoes, which represent the number of horses owned by each individual. At each of the stores above mentioned barrels of crackers, caddies of tobacco, and large quantities of sugar, and gay printed calico were given, which pleased them greatly. The dancing was kept up for several hours, and was witnessed by many ladies and citizens to whom it was very interesting. After getting all they could from the stores, they disbanded and dispersed to their camp, the other side of Fort Keogh.

Three Wives.

Three men of wealth meeting not long since, says an exchange, the conversation turned upon their wives. Instead of finding fault with women in general, and their wives in particular, each one obeyed the wise man's advice, and "gave honour unto his wife."

"I tell you what it is," said one of the men, "they may say what they please about the uselessness of modern women, but my wife has done her share in securing our success in life. Everybody knows that her family was aristocratic, and exclusive, and all that, and when I married her she had never done a day's work in her life: but when W. & Co. failed, and I had to commence at the foot of the hill again, she discharged the servant and chose but a neat little cottage, and did her own housekeeping until I was better off."

"And my wife," said a second; "was an only daughter, caressed and petted to death; and everybody said: 'Well, if he will marry a doll like that, he'll make the greatest mistake of his life;' but when I came home the first year of marriage, sick with the fever, she nursed me back to health, and I never knew her to murmur because I thought we couldn't afford any better style or more luxurious."

"Well, gentlemen," chimed in a third, "I married a smart, healthy, pretty girl, but she was a regular blue-stocking. She adored Tennyson, doted on Byron, read Emerson, and named the first baby Ralph Waldo Emerson, and the second Maud; but I tell you what 'tis," and the speaker's eyes grew suspiciously moist, "when we laid little Maud in her last bed at Auburn my poor wife had no remembrance of neglect or stinted motherly care, and the little dresses that still lie in the locked drawer were all made by her own hands."

Singular Manifestations.

A Madame Blavatsky has been exhibiting extraordinary manifestations in India. At the time of the arrival of the Theosophist party in India from America an extraordinary story was told about a globe which was said to have been sent by some new parcel-post system from Bombay to London. Now the following remarkable statement appears in the *Pioneer*:—"On Sunday the 3rd of October, at Mr. Hume's house at Simla, there were present at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Hume, Mr. and Mrs. Sinnett, Mrs. Gordon, Mr. F. Hogg, Captain P. J. Maitland, Mr. Beatson, Mr. Davison, Colonel Olcott, and Madame Blavatsky. Most of the persons present having recently seen many remarkable occurrences in Madame Blavatsky's presence, conversation turned on occult phenomena, and in the course of this Madame Blavatsky asked Mrs. Hume if there was anything she particularly wished for. Mrs. Hume at first hesitated, but in a short time said that there was something she would particularly like to have brought to her—namely, a small article of jewellery that she had formerly possessed, but had given away to persons who had allowed it to pass out of their possession. Madame Blavatsky then said if she would fix the image of the article in question very definitely in her mind she (Madame Blavatsky) would endeavour to procure it. Mrs. Hume then said that she vividly remembered the article, and described it as an old-fashioned breast brooch set round with pearls, with glass at the front and the back made to contain hair. She then, on being asked, drew a rough sketch of the brooch. Madame Blavatsky then wrapped a coin attached to her watch chain in two cigarette papers and put it in her dress, and said that she hoped the brooch might be obtained in the course of the evening. At the close of dinner she said to Mrs. Hume that the paper in which the coin had been wrapped was gone. A little later, in the drawing-room, she said that the brooch would not be brought into the house, but that it must be looked for in the garden, and then, as the party went out accompanying her, she said she had clairvoyantly seen the brooch fall into a star-shaped bed of flowers. Mrs. Hume led the way to such a bed in a distant part of the garden. A prolonged and careful search was made with lanterns, and eventually a small paper packet, consisting of two cigarette papers, was found amongst the leaves by Mrs. Sinnett. This being opened on the spot, was found to contain a brooch exactly corresponding to the previous description, and which Mrs. Hume identified as that which she had originally lost. None of the party, except Mr. and Mrs. Hume, had ever seen or heard of the brooch. Mr. Hume had not thought of it for years. Mrs. Hume had never spoken of it to any one since she parted with it, nor had she for long even thought of it. She herself stated, after it was found, that it was only when Madame asked her whether there was anything she would like to have that the remembrance of this brooch, the gift of her mother, flashed across her mind. Mrs. Hume is not a spiritualist, and up to the time of the occurrence described was no believer in occult phenomena or in Madame Blavatsky's powers. The conviction of all present was that the occurrence was of an absolutely unimpeachable character as an evidence of the truth of the possibility of occult phenomena. The brooch is unquestionably the one which Mrs. Hume lost. Even supposing, which is practically impossible, that the article, lost months before Mrs. Hume ever heard of Madame Blavatsky, and bearing no letters or other indication of original ownership, could have passed in a natural way into Madame Blavatsky's possession, even then she could not have foreseen that it would be asked for, as Mrs. Hume herself had not given it a thought for months. The narrative, read over to the party, is signed by A. O. Hume, M. A. Hume, Fred. R. Hogg, A. P. Sinnett, Patience Sinnett, Alice Gordon, P. J. Maitland, W. Davison, and Stuart Beatson."

THE Vienna *Tagblatt* asserts that the Czar has placed $1,500,000 in Mendelssohn's bank in Berlin to the credit of his new wife.

Highly Interesting Reading.

SOMETHING ABOUT THE LATEST FASHIONABLE DANCES.

What masks, what dances
To wear away this long age of three hours.

There are about ten teachers of dancing in Toronto and some three or four schools and academies where the science of rythmetic motion is expressed in chalked circles and heel and toe movements, and where awkward youths go through agonies of bashfulness with their eyes glued to their feet and their elbows balanced at right angles like the wings of a trussed fowl, for dancing is no longer a mild and swaying motion to the sound of slow music or rapid whirl about, in which the dancer spins like a top. The new dances demand an immense amount of energy, hard work, and dislocation of all the members, so that a good dancer of modern dances has all the accomplishments of a contortionist and the grace and flexibility of a Græco-Roman wrestler. Indeed, it is only those who are sleg at dancers of the round dances who can acquire with any degree of proficiency the new glide steps of the ripple, raquet, Sallie Waters, Rockaway, cradle Knickerbocker, and new glide. There is a peculiar swaying to one side, which is caused by extending one foot sideways and balancing in that direction, then recovering by bringing the truant foot back with a step that is very hard to acquire, but when once acquired is the very poetry of motion. The much talked of raquet is a society dance that among round dance takes the lead. It is very attractive eye, and those who dance it well form the best picture ever seen on a ball room floor. The movement, which is only to be described by the rocking motion of a cradle, is the ideal of grace, but, naturally, cannot be acquired easily by persons who are unable to bend sideways. The swaying motion is continued through the entire figure, and the further the couple can lean over and the quicker they gain their equilibrium, the more expert and accomplished they are.

The Sallie Waters is a hop, skip, and jump step, with a jig attachment, and a clog dance combination in the heel tap. It derives its name from a recent song called "The Babies in Our Block." The expression of the music is in 2-4 time, and it is very pretty with a waltz movement and a spring step, and is slow or fast. The song runs like this:

Little Sallie Waters
Sitting in the sun,
Crying and weeping
For a young man,
Oh! rise, Sallie, rise,
Wipe your eyes with your frock,
That's sung by all the babies
That are living in our block.

The cradle is one figure of the raquet, the swaying motion like the rocking of the cradle—and is a pretty and poetic as a picture. The Knickerbocker is in 1-2-3-4 step from side to side, and is too tiresome to last long.

A new quadrille is called "The Polo," and will be popular this winter. There is more balancing in quadrilles than has been the fashion of late years and less stately walking about, after the style of the old minuets of Washington's day, but whether it is an improvement or not would be hard to say. The practice which some young people seem to patronize of clasping each other round the waist or shoulders with a vigorous grip in which the hands looks muscular and obtrusive, does not seem to be quite necessary, any more than it is to clutch the fabric of the dress as if holding on for dear life. It is noticeable among neophytes that the gentlemen are more embarrassed than the ladies, and what they lose in self-possession they make up in vigor; but it is the inelegant dancers who pound the hardest and are tired out the soonest.

The Rockaway is a long slide step heel and toe, the old polka step with variations and the conventional slide steps. The ripple calls for special music. It is a very pretty dance, and less tiresome than any of the others; but it requires a graceful, slender figure and flying feet.

The old polka has gone out, by name, at least; so has the redowa, and the mazurka, and the Highland schottische, and the waltz as it used to be. The walking step is much faster in the glide than formerly. Dancing to be anything now, is fast and furious, and not the slow promenade it has been for some years. The side motion is decided innovation. Dancers do not hop up and down with the springy motion of the knee, as in the old waltzes, when people went bobbing and courtesying about like Dutch dolls, and the gentleman held his partner discreetly at a distance with his extended arm. Now he and his partner are one and indivisible as they whirl like teetotums to the music.

The prairie queen is left of the old quadrilles, and the lancers are as popular as ever, and so also is the german. It is the fashion now for influential ladies to get up a class of young people who are all acquainted, and have them attend a dancing school under the name of "Mrs. ——'s class," where they learn to dance the german. The great objection to teaching this elegant dance is that only persons known to each other can enjoy it. For the benefit of the non-dancing community we will give a description of some of the figures, there being at least a thousand different ones. One of the prettiest is the Looking Glass. A lady seats herself in the dance, and her maid hands her a mirror in which she sees, one by one, the faces of the gentlemen who come and lean over her chair—when she sees the right one she turns the glass down. He leads her out and dances with her, presenting her with a "favor," which may be a fan, bouquet, or anything he has selected—candy or ornament, "Faith, Hope, and Charity" stars and pyramids are all beautiful and attractive figures in this medley of beauty and grace.

It is not the young people only who are learning to dance, but grandames and grandsires, who like the amusement and think it is not too late to learn. Occasionally some old widower, who is going to marry a society miss, takes private lessons, but one turn at raquet usually gives his rheumatic old limbs such a jolting that, with many an "oh" and an "ah," he is forced to acknowledge with Solomon that "there is a time to dance," and also that he has outlived it. But for the supple limbed girls and boys who can spin round on their toes, laughing defiance in the face of time, that season seems a long way off. Their motto is:

On with the dance, let joy be unconfined.

Lumbermen's Shanty.

A writer referring to the lumber trade on the Ottawa describes the winter dwelling of hardy lumbermen as follows:—"Having selected a desirable, convenient spot, with a good supply of water, a shanty is constructed of the simplest description, being generally built of rough logs with a raised hearth in the centre for a fireplace, and an opening in the roof for a chimney. A double row of berths all round serves for sleeping accommodation, while from a wooden crane over the perpetual fire swings the huge kettle which, with the accompanying pot, serves all the purposes of cookery. The domestic economy is conducted upon strict temperance principles; tea is the constant beverage of the lumbermen, and they consume it in quantities, and of a strength which would effectually destroy their nerves if they possessed those delicate organs. In point of fact the beverage of the woodman ought to be called *tea soup* it being an infusion entirely different from that of our city drawing rooms. They place a couple of handfuls of tea in a kettle of cold water and hang it over the fire till it boils and attains a strength and fulness of flavour only palatable to throats which admire body in the fluids they imbibe. Many of these hardy men drink a pound of tea per week, and some of them double that quantity of the Chinese shrub, and without feeling any ill effects either from that or the salt pork which is the other staple article of diet. Perhaps the strong tea counteracts the fat pork, and *vice versa*. The stores of the lumbermen are usually carried up to their forest shanty late in the autumn, and all preparations are made to commence the work of felling the giants of the forest."

THE Princess of Wales is said to be so deeply grieved by the death of the little Grecian princess, her niece, that the festivities at Sandringham will be much abridged.

ONE of the best abused of Englishmen is Sir Bartle Frere, late Governor of South Africa, yet it is his great comfort to be a personal favourite of the Queen; and notwithstanding the persistent opposition of the Prime Minister, this has chiefly conduced to his appointment as a member of the Indian Council in London, with the consolatory salary of $30,000 a year.

THERE is no better place for shirts, and gents' furnishings generally than Cooper's, corner of Adelaide east and Yonge. His goods are at once cheap and good, giving every satisfaction to purchasers. When in the Queen City it will well repay you to call there. A specialty in Mr. Cooper's shirts is that they fit literally "like a glove," and we all know what an effect it has on one's appearance to be well fitted in this respect.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Dec. 24th, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

The County Court being in session at the Court House, the Council met in the new High School Building.

Treasurer's statements and presentment of the Grand Jury were presented.

Mr. Cleland presented the report of committee on Warden's address, which was adopted.

Mr. Christoe paid a warm tribute to the memory of the late Wm. White, Esq., Dep. Reeve of Collingwood, and moved the following resolution:

Moved by Mr. Christoe, seconded by Mr. Murdoch that this County Council of Grey do feel it their bounden duty to express their condolence with the friends of the late Wm. White, Esq., first Deputy Reeve of Collingwood. The Council feel that in him they have lost a member of ripe municipal experience, sound in his judgment on points which engaged his attention; a gentleman who always stood for the dignity and impartial legislation for the county's prosperity, identified as he was for a quarter of a century therewith. In him the Council feel they have lost a member who was scarcely equalled in urbanity, virtue and unstained reputation. His removal should teach us, as well as his relatives and friends, how transient and uncertain human life is—and that it is our duty as well as theirs to bow meekly to that inscrutable providence, which directs everything to our ultimate good. Finally, the Council fondly hope that a remembrance of his excellent and spotless life will be as an ointment poured forth, for years to come.

DUNDALK.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

The election campaign has commenced. Our present Reeve, Mr. J. S. Middleton, who is again a candidate for Reeve for the comming year, is holding a series of meetings throughout the Township this week. The first meeting was held in the Orange Hall here on Monday, 20th inst.—There was a large attendance of ratepayers. Mr. Robert Russell was appointed chairman. Messrs. Wm. Nelson and Duncan McMillan, also candidates for the Reeveship, were present. Mr. Middleton went over the doings of the Council for the year up to the present, and then gave his opponents a chance to speak for themselves. Mr. McMillan then took the platform, and gave a history of what he had done in years past when Proton was in its teens; how he had got the price of Government lands reduced about one-half. He found fault with the Reeve's action in regard to the railway bonus, and in appointing scrutineers at polling places, and gravelling roads in winter to catch a few votes. He gave him credit, however, for some of his actions, such as bursting the Doyle wood ring &c. He would not say that he would come out as a candidate for Reeve; he would decide at the nomination. His wish was to see justice done to all parties, and all parts of the Township.

Mr. Middleton replied, stating he had known Mr. McMillan for a number of years, and always knew him to be a straightforward and honest man, and had got some good advice from him in the past, if he was a Heslan'-man, and no doubt if he and Mr. McMillan were welded together they would make an A 1 Reeve. He explained his actions in regard to the railway bonus, showing the legality of it; how he had gone according to legal advice. He carried McMillan down, pulled a little wool, and took his seat.

Mr. Nelson then came forward. He said he had not much to say. He would have his say at the nomination. He had a few remarks to make now, however, but would be brief. Mr. Middleton, in his opening remarks had taken great credit to himself in finding a surplus to the credit of townships grouped in railway bonus. It had been running for years, and he was the only man to discover it; but he did not tell how that surplus came there. He (Mr. Nelson) would tell them how. Valuators were appointed; townships valued higher, therefore higher assessments and higher taxes. We were paying off the railway debt sooner than agreed; therefore we were paying more railway tax yearly than we ought, and what we overpaid was lying to our credit. Mr. Middleton sat in the County Council at the time the Valuators brought in their report. He saw the townships that the Valuators were chosen from lowered in value, whilst all the others were raised, and he could not show one instance where he spoke against it. Other Reeves had spoken against it and had the Valuators' rates lowered. He failed to see where he was entitled to any credit. He also brought up some note transaction of lending school moneys some years ago, which had never been paid in yet to his knowledge, if it had he would like to know. It was $60 on the start, and now it was $102, there being $42 interest. It should have been paid long ago. He declined to say anything further until nomination day, as he had some grave charges to bring against Mr. Middleton at that time, and would be prepared to prove them where there would be a representation from all parts of the township. He intended to be a candidate for the Reeveship for the coming year. He left it with the people; if they elected him for their representative at County Council, he would do all in his power to the best of his judgement for all parties.

Mr. Middleton would just say in reply, that Mr. Nelson had gone over what he had said in the matter of railway assessment in the same manner as any man in the hall could have done. He could see that Mr. Nelson was not possessed of much learning, but made up for lack of it in conceit. As to the note affair, he would say that he was aware that it was illegal to lend school moneys on notes; but there were two good backers to the note in question, and it would be all right. He would further add, that he did not canvas at religious meetings as he heard Mr. Nelson and his foreign help had done.

This brought Mr. Nelson to his feet, who denied the soft impeachment.—Some excitement ensued, intermingled with some slang phrases and jeers. He not being used to this sort of thing became rather uneasy, but got cooled down again.

Mr. Middleton made the remark, that he would be a nice man to be in the County Council, as he would be liable to be called to order.

Mr. Nelson reminded his opponent that he was the only man called to order at the present meeting. No reply. Further discord.

Mr. R. J. Doyle, being present, asked to say a few words. In his opinion the Township of Sarawak, which he had represented in the County Council was spoken of in a detrimental manner. He gave the proceedings of the County Council and his actions while there, and the actions of Mr. Middleton, and spoke strongly against the use of such language as had been used to-night by the representative of a township.

Mr. Middleton here ordered him to stop. A little cross-firing took place, after which Mr. Doyle took his leave, as did also Messrs. Nelson and McMillan, and a majority of the ratepayers, with cheers. Mr. Middleton rose to reply, but as the audience had thined out considerably he only made a few brief remarks. Next meeting is to be held at Reid's School House, on the 22nd.

A tea meeting and concert was given by the ladies of the Presbyterian Church in the Fraser settlement. They had a large audience, and a good entertainment—proceeds about $80. A few of the boys from town went out and acted their part, but forgot part of their dress—their ears.

The English Church people had a tea in Orange Hall, here, on Tuesday evening, 21st inst. Hall crowded; plenty to eat and to spare; a pleasant evening spent. Have not heard what proceeds were.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The approaching annual school meeting to which attention was called last week by Mr. Brown, is certainly an occasion of vital importance, both financially and otherwise, to every ratepayer of the section. I too, am of opinion that this matter cannot be pressed too closely upon our attention; therefore as a ratepayer, I would like to impress my fellow ratepayers with the gravity of the situation at the present time. As it is of the utmost importance to the well-being of the school, and for the interests of the ratepayers generally, that the office of Trustee should be vested only in those of tried integrity and honor; we should exercise great caution in the choice of that official. We have in our school section several ratepayers who have sons and daughters in the teaching profession, some of these may very likely seek election at the approaching annual meeting, but if we expect to preserve our school from the clutches of an odious "family compact" we must be on the alert. No person whose personal or private interests would likely clash with his duty to the public, should be elected, lest the temptation to subordinate personal preferences to public duty might prove too strong for him. I close, therefore, by repeating, fellow electors, be on your guard, be watchful and vigilent.

RATEPAYER.

Markdale, Dec. 22, 1880.

DIED, on Monday, Dec. 20th, Elizabeth Wakely, wife of Samuel Wakely, of Proton, aged 32 years and 9 months.

Mrs. Wakely was the daughter of Mr. Richard Ludlow, of Artemesia, and was born in this Township in 1847. Her lively, cheerful and kindly disposition gained her many friends in youth, whose attachment continued through life. Some ten years ago she was united in marriage to Mr. Samuel Wakely, and settled in the township of Proton, where by united industry they made a home which gave promise of comfort and ease should they live to enjoy it in advanced years. Some 12 years ago she united with the Methodist church, and has ever since continued her connection with it; for many years a member of Mr. McQuay's class, her kindly greetings will there be missed. In April last she caught cold, the effects of which settled on her lungs, and soon developed the dread symptoms of pulmonary disease. Doctors Christoe, of Flesherton, Robinson, of Beel, and Wright, sen., of Toronto, were severally consulted, and tried what medical science could devise or suggest to stay the disease, but without avail. She gradually grew worse during the summer, and it became apparent that she would not be able to bear the severe climatic changes of our northern winter; death had marked her for his prey and she prepared to meet her change with that thoughtful, yet calm demeanour which distinguishes true Christian character. On Sunday night she was attacked with a fit of severe coughing, after which she sank to rest.

And when the morn broke dim and sad,
And grey with snowy showers,
Her quiet eyelids closed she had,
Another morn than ours.

ORANGE NOTES.

The following are the officers elected in Eugenia L. O. L. No. 1118, for the ensuing year:—Samuel Pedlar, W.M., David Wright, D.M., Henry Williams, Chap., John J. Graham, Sec., Robert Campbell, Tres., Joseph Fenwic, D. of Ceremonies, Michael Skitt, Henry Weber, Wm. Cameron, James Hamley and T. Linforce, Committeemen, Thomas Crow, Tyler. The regular nights of meeting of this lodge are on the Wednesday on or before the full of moon in each month.

The members of the Meaford Road L. O. L. No. 1388, held their annual meeting for the election of officers on Thursday evening, the 16th inst., with the following result:—W. M. James Brodie, D. M. John Boland, Chaplin Thomas Kells, Secretary James C. Buchanan, Treasurer Robert Kells, D. of Ceremonies Richard Smith, Comitteemen, 1st A Elliott, 2nd Tho. Boland, 3rd John Buchanan, 4th Rich. Shears, 5th Henry Wyvill, Tyler John Corey. Nights of meeting, Thursday on or before full of moon in each month.—Com

WE will give the Weekly *Mail* in connection with the STANDARD to the end of 1881 for $2.25.

Mortgage Sale

OF VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTIES,

In the Townships of Glenelg, Bentinck and Egremont, in the County of Grey.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages made by John McMillan, jr., Martin Dunn, John Macpherson, James Smith, Alexander MacRae, James Hastie, Dougald Macfarlane, John Wilson, Charles Coutts, and Alexander Ferguson, respectively, to the Vendors, which will be produced at the time of sale, and in payment of the moneys secured by which default has been made, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at McAllister's Hotel, in the Town of Durham, on

Tuesday, the 11th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at one o'clock p. m., the following parcels of land:

I. Lot No. 35, in the 2nd concession North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 50 acres, more or less, of which about 40 acres are cleared, and the residue free from stumps. On the lands are said to be a log barn, two log stables, and log house; the soil is a good clay loam, and the property is situate about 4½ miles from Durham.

II. Lot No. 9, in the 8th concession of the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 50 acres are cleared, and about 40 acres under hardwood. The soil is generally clay loam, and the farm is only about 10 miles from Markdale and 10 from Durham. On the premises are a log house, barn and stable.

III. Lot No. 20, in the 4th concession, North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 60 acres are cleared, and nearly all the remainder covered by hardwood. This property is situate only 7 miles from Flesherton, and is in a fair state of cultivation.

IIII. Lot No. 15, in the 2nd concession, East of the Garafraxa Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 80 acres are cleared, and the balance mostly hardwood. On the premises are said to be a frame barn, and the premises are only 10 miles from Durham.

V. The West half of lot No. 16, in the 5th concession, North of the Durham Road, of the said Township of Glenelg, containing 50 acres, more or less, of which about 30 acres are cleared, and 10 free from stumps. This farm is situate about 10 miles from Flesherton and 7 miles from Durham.

VI. The West half of lot No. 19, in the 12th concession of the said Township of Bentinck, containing 50 acres, more or less, nearly all cleared, and situate only 12 miles from Durham.

VII. Lot No. 17, in the 2rd concession; West of the Garafraxa Road, in the said Township of Bentinck, containing 100 acres, more or less, nearly all cleared. This farm is situate about 8 miles from Durham on good road.

VIII. Lot No. 22, in the 3rd concession, North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Bentinck, containg 50 acres, more or less, about 30 of which are cleared, and 20 under hardwood. This farm is only about 4 miles from Durham.

IX. Lot No. 20, in the 11th concession, of the said Township of Bentinck, containing 85 acres, more or less, of which about 12 acres are cleared, and nearly all the residue under hardwood. On the premises are said to be a log house, and the lands are only about 10 miles from Durham.

X. Lot No. Eleven, in the 22nd concession of the said township of Egremont, containing 119 acres, more or less, of which 50 are cleared, and 20 under hardwood. The lands are only about 8 miles from Durham.

TERMS—10 per cent. at the time of sale, 15 per cent. within one month thereafter, and the balance to be secured by mortgage, with interest at 7 per cent. yearly; or if additional satisfactory security be given, no cash need be paid; or terms may be varied in any reasonable way to suit purchasers. For further particulars, apply to Robert Davis, Flesherton, H. Mckay, Auctioneer, Durham, or to BETHUNE, MOSS, FALCONBRIDGE & HOYLES, Vendors' Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th Dec. 1880. 15-3i

FOR SALE.

A HANDSOME Young Mare, sired by "Extra;" will be 4 years old next Spring, well broke to double and single harness; will be sold cheap for cash, as the present owner has no use for her.

Apply to A. TURNER, Medical Hall, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 15-in

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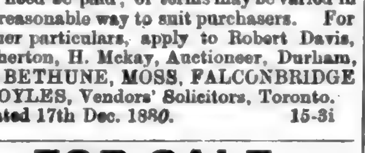

CABINET MAKERS,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

A FULL STOCK OF

Furniture !

ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

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OF VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTY.

UNDER and by Virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of Sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE

RUTLEDGE HOUSE,

IN THE

Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, on

Monday, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at THREE O'CLOCK in the Afternoon, the following land and premises, viz.:

Lot Number Forty, in the Fourteenth Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing One Hundred and Ten Acres more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises, viz., A Log Dwelling and Frame Barn and Stable.

TERMS.—One Tenth of the purchase money must be paid down at time of sale. For balance, terms liberal, and will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD, Solicitors, Toronto.

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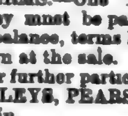

VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing disease lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the entire control of the

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

TO THE

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOING THE FACTORY,

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to look after and attend to their wants. My facilities are now superior to any time since commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Styles,

and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and Ash LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine.

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC., AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application.

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham street.

H. HOOPER.

Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER!

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days.

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEAP.

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEAP.

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing, CHEAP.

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE."

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, December 20, 1880. 1-ly

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our County, and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since removing into our new premises, and we solicit a share of your patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods!

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers,

and a large variety of

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES!

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.
The People are all asking for our
TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS!

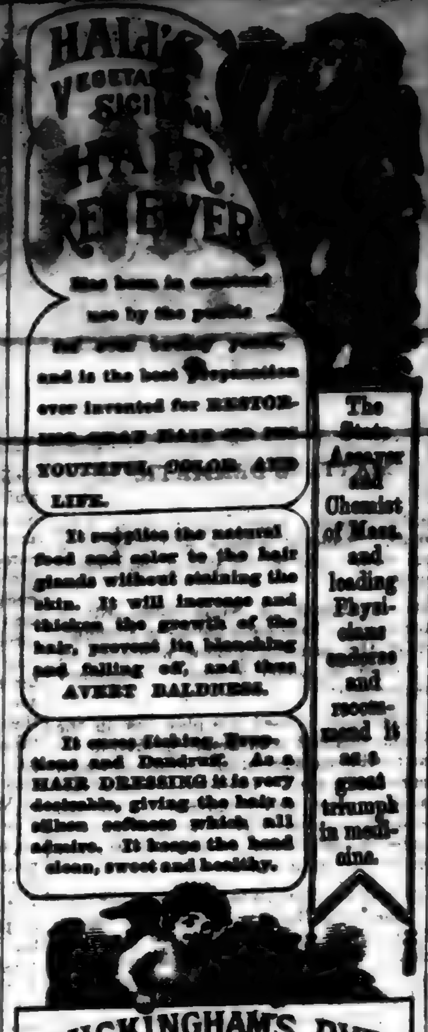
At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,
" 5,000 Telegraph Poles,
" Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS,

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.



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... and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING ... YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

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will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

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J. MONTGOMERY,

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THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 10-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

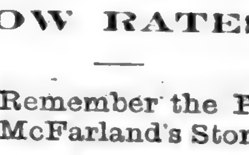
—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of material used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10

DONALD McLEOD,

MAKER

BEGS to return his sincere thanks to the public for their very liberal patronage in the past, and hopes by honorable dealing, FIRST-CLASS WORK, and close attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same.

THE BEST OF MATERIAL Used, and none but First-Class Mechanics employed.

Special attention paid to Repairing, which ... Sewed work a Specialty.

NOTICE.

All over due accounts must be paid without delay or I shall have to resort to more costly means for collection.

D. McLEOD. Queen and Mill Streets.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-ft

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

AND

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at

☞ RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; Pure T&B, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in the section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

CHEAP CASH STORE

Reynolds & Son,

Are now to the front with a complete stock of

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, ETC.,

Which for QUALITY and LOW PRICES cannot be surpassed. Give us a call and try some of our

NEW SEASONED JAPAN TEA, 3lb. FOR $1.

PURE GOLDEN SYRUP ALWAYS ON HAND.

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

BUTTER, POULTRY AND EGGS TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Nov. 11, 1880. 9

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by Dr. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,

Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express

☞ *Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.*

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-t

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE

BRITISH CANADIAN

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SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE

LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

AND

British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED

Wanzer Family Machines

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES

—ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me.

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16th, 1880. 14m1

OWEN SOUND HIGH SCHOOL.

RE-OPENS JAN. 7th, 1881.

THE New School Building containing accommodation for 400 pupils, has been completed. The Staff consists of experienced Teachers, each of whom is a Specialist in his own department.

Students prepared for Senior and Junior Matriculation, First-class Certificates, Intermediate and Professional Examinations.

Address

WM. O'CONNOR, B.A., Head Master.

Owen Sound, Dec. 15th, 1880. 14-3

TO THE

Independent Electors

OF THE

Township of [illegible]

GENTLEMEN:—

I again offer myself as a Candidate for the office of Councillor for the Township. Should you again honor me with your confidence, I shall endeavor to serve you to the best of my ability. Come to the nomination where I shall give my views on Municipal matters.

I am, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
D. B. ELLIS.

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

For Cheap Stationery, Beautiful Christmas and New Year' Cards call at the Standard Office.

24th, 1880.

OTHER NOTICES.

STANDARD,

Dec. 24th, 1880.

OTHER NOTICES.

... the paper, so as to make its usefulness ... and any very special inducement to new subscribers is made through their old ones, so that the old subscriber gets equal advantage. The special offer this year is the presentation of the celebrated picture, "Christ leaving the Pretorium," to every old subscriber to the Weekly Witness who sends a new subscription with his own, and the new subscriber gets a copy as well. If the names are sent independently of each other, 25 cents in addition to the price of the paper is charged for the picture, or $1.35 in all. By such means as these, benefiting both old and new subscribers, the Weekly Witness and Northern Messenger have enjoyed a constantly increasing subscription list, until together with the Daily Witness it numbers over one hundred thousand.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL.—The first skating carnival of the season was held on the Flesherton skating rink, on Tuesday evening the 21st inst., which was a grand success. The masqueraders began to assemble a few minutes after 7 o'clock, and before 8, the rink was alive with airy like beings gliding around as if on wings, to the infinite delight of a large crowd of spectators. It was a fairy like scene and one of which everybody would like to see repeated. The following are the names of the prize takers:—Best costume for lady and gentleman, 1st, Wm. Keefer and Miss J. B. Blain, Highland lad and lassie; 2nd, J. C. Addison and Miss A. Wright; 3rd, Herbert Strain and Miss M. E. Wright. Best comic costume for lady and gentleman, 1st, William Haskett; 2nd, Chas. Richards; 3rd, C. Wright. Best gentleman skater, 1st, R. J. Reid; 2nd, Wm. Keefer. Best lady skater, 1st, Miss J. B. Blain; 2nd, Miss A. Wright; 3rd, Miss M. E. Wright. The judges were Messrs Vandusen, Haskett and Ferguson, and the manner in which these gentlemen filled the office gave general satisfaction. Mr. F. Sarjeant, the proprietor of the rink deserves great praise for the manner in which the whole night's amusement was performed. A sumptuous repast was furnished after the prizes were awarded. The Flesherton brass band was in attendance, and entertained the company with choice selections of music. Even the coldness of the ice was softened by the sweetness of the notes.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From a Correspondent.

CONCERT.—Elder Hawkins and his Jubilee singers gave a concert in the C. Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, the 6th inst. There was a goodly number present, who seemed to be well pleased with the performances.

GRANGE At the last regular meeting of Artemesia Grange No. 259, the following brethren and sisters were elected officers for the ensuing year, viz.:—Master, John Weber; Overseer, Wm. Buchanan, sr.; Lecturer, Thos. Boland; Steward, John Boland; Assistant Steward, John Graham; Chaplain, Robert Buchanan; Treasurer, Thomas Kells; Secretary, Jas. Brodie; Gate-Keeper, Joseph Buchanan; Ceres, Mrs. C. Carson; Pomona, Mrs. R. Smith; Flora, Mrs. J. Rowe; Lady Assistant Steward, Miss M. Buchanan; Auditors, John Graham and Robert Buchanan; Executive Committee, Robert Warling, John Rowe, and Adam Holly; Delegate to Division Grange, Robert Buchanan. This Grange is in a very prosperous condition, and is still increasing in membership, so there is not the least likelyhood of the prophesy about the Grange comming to naught being fulfilled.—The business of this Grange during the past year was about $1.000, and was very satisfactory to all the members. The regular day of meeting is the Friday on or before the full of the moon in each month.

SABBATH SCHOOL.—The annual meeting of the United Sabbath School held in the Wesley Church, the following were elected officers and teacher for 1881, viz.:—Thos. Boland, Superintendent; Philip Sparling Assistant Superintenent; Secretary, John Graham; Treasurer, James Brodie; Librarian, Robt. Kells; Assistant Secretary, George Shannon; Assistant Librarian, Joseph Buchanan; Teachers of Bible Class (males), R. Buchanan, Assistant, P. Sparling; 1st Test., Wm. Buchanan, Assistant, John Boland; 2nd Test., A Johnson, Assistant, A Shannon. Junior Class, J. C. Buchanan, Assistant, J. Brodie. Bible Class, (females). 1st Mr. T. Boland, Assistant, Mrs. J. C. Buchanan, 2nd Miss C. Bowland, Assistant, Mrs. J. Rowe. 1st Test.. Miss M. Buchanan, Assistant, Mrs. W. Buchanan, jr.; 2nd Test., Miss A. Kells, Assistant, Mrs. D. Graham. Juvenile Class, Miss C. Bowland, Assistant, Miss S. Sparling. The Anniversary in connection with the School will be held in the Wesley Church on the 8th of February, when the usual programme consisting of tea, dialogues, recitations, speeches, &c., will be carried out.

EUGENIA.

From a Correspondent.

THE colored ministrels had their usual success, yesterday, a full house.

AN HONEST MAN.—At the last cattle fair in Flesherton, Mr. W. Cameron, Con. 8, Artemesia, sold some cattle to a stranger, who gave him $4 too much, he has tried in vain until a few days since, he discovered his man and returned him his money. As the Scotch bard says:—

"A King can make a belted Knight,
A Marquis, Duke and a' that,
But an honest man's above his might,
A man's a man for a' that.

THE BOOM.—Since Mr. Akitt purchased the Eugenia mill property you would imagine, to see the quantity of saw logs going in, that a city was in contempelation of being built, near hand next spring.

ALLOW me to return thanks to those of the members of Eugenia grange, who turned out and gave me a handsome days sawing of wood. Who would not feel pleased to have a good pile of wood about Christmas time.

BIRTHS.

In Flesherton, on the 19th inst., the wife of E. O. Gjerdrum, of a son.

In Walter's Falls, on the 20th inst., the wife of John M. Bonnell, of a son.

MARRIED

At the residence of the brides father, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. S. C. Philip, Mr. Jacob Thompson, to Miss Sarah Irwin, all of Artemesia.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company will apply to the Legislature of the Province of Ontario, at its next session, for an Act to amend the several Acts relating to the said Company: and for power to create a preference issue of Bonds or Debenture Stock: to re-arrange their Bonded Debt: to authorise them to enter into and complete an agreement with the Grand Trunk Railway Company of Canada, or with any other Railway Company, for the working of their line of Railway: to confirm and declare valid all or any By-laws voted upon, and to be voted upon, by the Ratepayers of any Municipality, portion of a Township Municipality, or Municipalities, granting aid to the Toronto, Grey an Bruce Railway Company, provided such By-laws have been carried by a majority of the votes cast thereon: and for other purposes.

W. SUTHERLAND TAYLOR,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of November, 1880. 11-6i

In Chancery.

THE FARMERS' LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY,

VS.

LECKIE,

PURSUANT to the Decree made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. Taylor, Esquire, Master in Ordinary of this Court by J. M. Webster, Auctioneer,

At the FLESHERTON Hotel,

IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon of

Thursday, the Thirteenth day of January, 1881.

the following lands and premises in one parcel., viz: Lot number twenty-one in the fourteenth concession of the township of Artemesia, in the county of, Grey, excepting thereout three acres off the north west corner of said lot. The said lot consists of about 160 acres of land, of which about 60 acres are cleared and the remainder well timbered with beech and maple, baswood and some hemlock. The land cleared is of a clay loam and in a fair state of cultivation. The said lot is situate on the Meaford Road, about five miles from Markdale Station on the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. About six and a-half miles from Flesherton, and is readily accessible to said villages by good roads, and the said villages afford good markets for the sale of produce. The said lot is also well watered by a creek, and there is no swampy land on said lot. The said lot has erected thereon farm buildings consisting of a frame house, and log barn

Terms of sale—Ten per cent. is to be paid the vendors or their solicitors at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. within thirty days thereafter, without interest, and the balance to be secured by first mortgage on said premises payable in three or five years, with interest at seven per cent. per annum

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid fixed by the Master. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery. For further particulars apply at the Law Offices of W. Mulock, Esq., vendor's solicitor, Messrs. Crooks, Kingsmill and Cattanach, and Messrs. McCarthy, Hoskins, Plumb and Creelman, solicitors, Toronto.

Dated December 8, 1880.

14-3 (Signed) T. W TAYLOR.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale. Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

RATEPAYERS, WARD NO. 3, GLENELG.

WILL please take notice, that the Collector will be at the Revere House, Markdale on the 20th of December, 1880, for the **Last Time**, to receive all unpaid taxes. After that date measures to enforce payment will be resorted to.

S. DONNELLY,

Dated Dec. 9th, 1880. 11-1

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

THE partnership heretofore existing between H. & R. Hooper, Cabinet and Sash & Door manufacturers, of the Village of Flesherton, is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. The business as formerly will be carried on by H. Hooper, to whom all notes and accounts must be paid, and by whom all liabilities will be discharged.

(Signed) HENRY HOOPER,
RICHARD HOOPER.

Witness—ROBERT DAVIS.

Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1880. 14-4

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVER

AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS

—IN—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK

FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

Subscribe for the Standard. We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

WM. FOX,

Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.

Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 5

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX

STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

TINWARE!

A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.

ALL KINDS OF

Tin & Copperwork!

made to order on the shortest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROW AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

Mat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to announce that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 141 in 3rd Range S. R., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS, ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood-turner wanted to make broom handles on a good lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 9-y

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the County at

McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your **AXES** at McFarland's. Those **$2.50 MANTLES** selling fast. New **DRESS GOODS** at McFarland's. New **FLANNELS** at McFarland's. New **SHAWLS** at McFarland's. New **BONNETS** and **HATS** at McFarland's. New **TWEEDS** at McFarland's. New **CARPETS** at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. **Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.**

W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER. Markdale.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglis' Brick Bloch opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880. 1

J. M. Webster,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

☞ LOAN AND LAND AGENT,

Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

Samuel Morrow,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3m

NOTICE

THE Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and vicinity for their liberal support and patronage in the past, and to say that he has now turned over the Drug and Stationery business, with all other lines in connection therewith, to Messrs A. Turner & Co., for whom he wishes to bespeak a continuance of the patronage of his old customers and the public at large. Also, that the Account Books will remain at the Drug Store in the hands of A. Turner, who is authorized to receive all moneys due, and to give receipts for the same, or Robert Davis of Flesherton, in whose possession the accounts are for collection. An early settlement will much oblige.

T. S. SPROULE.

Markdale, Dec. 6, 1880. 13-3t

XMAS

SILVERWARE, WATCHES, JEWELRY, CLOCKS,

AND FANCY GOODS.

The largest and best assorted stock, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, ever shown in this section of Country.

In Silverware I have Tea sets, Fruit Dishes, Preserve Dishes, Pickle Dishes, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Card Receivers, Ladies' Companions, Cruets, Cups, Napkin Rings, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Chains, Lockets, Earings, &c., &c.	AT DOLL'S	In Watches, I have—Gold and Silver Hunting, and Open-Faced key and stem winders, including the celebrated Waltham Watches (they are the best). Swiss, English and American lever and verge watches, from $4 up. The celebrated Seth Thomas and other Clocks, from ... In Jewelry,—I have colored ... Gold sets, Chains, Seals, Lockets, ... Cuff Buttons, Studs, Pins, &c., &c., &c.

DIAMOND, WEDDING, AND GEM RINGS.

My Goods have all been purchased for Nett Cash, and will be sold at Bottom Prices.

Watch Repairing a Specialty. W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.

Nov. 25, 1880. (6) Flesherton and Dundalk.

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the witer.

N. CAMPBELL.

Flesherton, December 15, 1880 14

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHERTON

Wishes

A Merry Christmas and ...

And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of hard times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business*, as I find, by ... Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and ... rally have

ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR TH...

In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season

THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES,

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Crockery and Glassware,

AND

Fancy Holiday Presents!

ALSO

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of

Millinery, Furs,

AND

LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,

Ever shown in this Norther Country.

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE

LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!

For any Quantity of good Grain or FARM PRODUCE.

And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of my large and complete stock of

Fall and Winter Dry Goods,

MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and MILLINERY,

And will continue to sell at a

Very Small Advance on Cost!

Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R J. SPROULE'S,

FLESHERTON.

Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

Throwing Stones.

"I love my child," the actress wrote;
"My duty is to guide
The child I love; and in my arms
The child I love shall hide—
Shall hide from missiles cast at me,
Because I have so odd
A conscience that I choose to rear
The child I took from God."

There is a sin from which us all
May gracious Heaven guard,
That is its own worst punishment,
Itself its sole reward;
And of it social law has said
To man: "If sin you must,
Go, then! and come again; but leave
The woman in the dust!"

Ah! who can know, save Him Allwise,
Who watches from above
The awful hazard women dare
To run for men they love,
Or tell how many a craven heart,
To shield his own bad name,
Has caused a woman's trustful love
To bring her lasting shame?

To her who, when the dream has passed,
Finds herself left alone,
And in her crushed, repentant heart
A yearning to atone,
Heaven, more pitiful than man
Who once upon her smiled,
By love to win her to itself
May send a little child.

Then if the lonely mother's heart
Accepts the gracious gift;
If all the charge she dared to take
She does not dare to shift;
Shall we, untempted and untried,
[illegible]
[illegible]
Visit upon her shrinking head
Our unrelenting scorn?

We, who have all our lives been taught
Truths other men have learned,
And walked by what celestial light
In other bosoms burned;
We, whose sublimest duty is
To do as we are bid;
How shall we judge a soul from which
The face of God is hid?

Know you the loneliness of heart
That courts release from death?
That makes it burdensome to draw
Each slow, successive breath?
That longs for human sympathy,
Until, when hope is lost,
A respite from its agony
It buys at any cost?

Of erring human nature, we
Are born, each with his share;
We all are vain; we all are weak,
And quick to fly from care.
And if we keep our footing,
Or seem to rise at all
'Twere well for us with charity
To look on those who fall.

And if our hands are strengthened,
And if our lips can speak,
There well if with them we might help
Our brothers who are weak.
And well if we remember
God's love is never grudged,
And never sit in judgment,
If we would not be judged.

OUR HERO IN BLACK.

We always spoke of ourselves as a "garrison town;" we good folks of Donjonville, and why should we not? Had we not barracks and a company of Foot, and, more than all, a Government chapel and a Government chaplain? What more would you have to constitute a garrison town? It is true no fortifications, it is true—nothing, in fact, that strictly speaking, could be designated as a fortress; but we had—but then we had our noble and massive old castle, with its walls nine feet thick, which had stood a siege of six months by Robert Bruce, and a bombardment of six hours by one of Cromwell's generals. We swore by that castle, we swelled with conscious pride [illegible] a "gray squat building," narrowly escaped being lynched upon the spot. This ancient fortress had, indeed, degenerated into a common gaol, a fact which somewhat detracted from the romance of its associations; but, despite the puzzled penitentiary cleanliness and order of its interior, there was still a fine old feudal look about portions of its exterior, and we Donjonvillites could, at any rate, boast that [illegible] castle of its age in such perfect preservation.

We were a trifle dull, perhaps, at Donjonville—prejudiced persons from neighbouring towns, envious of our historical prestige, sometimes pronounced us stagnant; indeed a distinguished novelist, who once honoured us with a flying visit, afterwards described Donjonville as "probably the dullest spot on the habitable globe." But, then, how could he possibly be able to judge from seeing Donjonville for a few hours on a miserably wet day; and what weight, after all, does any sensible person attach to the flippant utterances of a shallow scribbler? [illegible] of Donjonville with singular unanimity and forcibleness of expression. [illegible] On the whole, a pretty wide experience of English provincial towns inclines me to think that Donjonville was, after all, not so dull as many places which make far greater pretensions to liveliness.

We rejoiced of course in a plethora of gossip, for you will generally find that the smaller the town the bigger the gossip; and we had an admirable assortment of gossip-mongers [illegible]. We had an American "colonel," a retired sea-captain, and a militia major, whom I would have backed both as narrators and inventors of scandal against any three in the world. But rich as we were in accomplished gadabouts, we were even richer in original "characters," whose eccentricities kept us constantly provided with entertainment. Foremost among these, by right of his social position, stood our Government chaplain, who was also practically the vicar of Donjonville, there being no other "Established" place of worship within a mile of the town. The Rev. Joseph Stickler—"the last of the Sticklers," as he used, half-proudly, half-pathetically, to style himself, for he was a widower, and his sole son had died young—was in his way a remarkable man in many ways. In height he was [illegible] five feet three inches, but in girth his proportions were gigantic. [illegible] He had a leg—or I should say two legs, for he possessed the normal complement—of perfect shape. If Mr. Stickler had any mundane vanity, [illegible] his legs were the object of that vanity. [illegible] that he clung to the good old fashion of knee-breeches, black-silk stockings, and buckled shoes long after the rest of the civilized world had discarded those integuments, though probably, if all the leaders of fashion had possessed such [illegible] unknown. In deportment the Rev. Joseph Stickler would have given Mr. Turveydrop a lesson. He carried himself with such dignity, that when he stood talking on the parade with "Canada" Hiram B. Falton, a lanky "Down-Easter" of six foot three, the parson struck you as being by far the bigger man of the two. His florid clean-shaven face would have been handsome had it been a trifle less fleshy; and, at any rate, no one who looked upon it could have doubted that it was an honest, kindly, resolute English face, full of courage and sense.

So much for the Rev. Joseph Stickler's physique. But his manners were even more remarkable than his figure. He had a blunt forcible way of calling a spade a spade, both in the pulpit and in private life, which often shocked persons burdened with a particularly squeamish sense of propriety. I heard him once [illegible] and foolish lady, who was expatiating on the virtues of her son [illegible] to school, by blurting out gruffly and brusquely,

"Humbug, madam, humbug! There never was a boy yet who wasn't a thief and a liar. [illegible]"

So far you will say that there was not much that was heroic about Joseph Stickler; and I must own that the first time that I listened to his pulpit utterance, the [illegible] common sense of which was constantly marred by his [illegible] in the homeliest fashion imaginable, with the drowsy or restless members of his congregation, you would have [illegible] thought it still harder to see anything heroic about him. [illegible] For, whatever Ouida and "Guy Livingstone" may try to persuade you to the contrary, a hero need not by any means be a giant in height and a Hercules in strength, with Norman brow and Grecian nose; [illegible] However, to come back to our muttons, you shall hear why and how Joseph Stickler came to be considered a hero. [illegible]

I have already mentioned our parson's propensity to administer homely, but [illegible] impressive, rebukes to those of his congregation whose conduct seemed to him indecorous during divine service. The most frequent recipients of this verbal chastisement were the unhappy Sunday-school children, [illegible] were immediately facing the pulpit. But the punishment of these unfortunates was not confined to words. The Rev. Joseph Stickler had a sturdy henchman who was as vigorous a disciplinarian as his master, and this was our original and eccentric character. Billy Marks—for such was the henchman's name—[illegible] Heaven help the hapless boy or girl who dared to doze or exhibit the slightest symptoms of inattention during the preacher's discourse! [illegible] It was on one of these occasions, when Billy was guilty of a dereliction of duty, that the first memorable exploit of our hero in black was achieved. The circumstances were these.

The officers of the "garrison," four in number, occupied a pew in the gallery [illegible] It was a warm day in summer, and what with the heat and the sonorous eloquence of the preacher, there was a general disposition to drowsiness among the congregation [illegible] Suddenly the preacher paused, and, in a voice that had more of sorrow than of anger in it, called "Billy Marks!"

Up to his feet in an instant sprang Billy, [illegible]

[illegible]

Political Æsthetics.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

TRUTH wishes to argue this matter fairly, [illegible]

[illegible] brakes on a railway train. There must be restraints as well as locomotive agencies in all systems of progress, so long as the route is not all as level as a parlour floor, and until we reach that purely imaginative state of perfection, we must be content to bear the existence of the "brakes," and tolerate the more or less imperfect state of the morals in the ranks of our politicians.

What is going on in Europe.

By one of the protocols to the Treaty of Berlin the European Powers which were parties to that treaty recommended that Turkey should appoint an International Commission to examine into the claims of the Turkish bondholders, and to report on the best method of satisfying them. The Porte has as yet taken no steps in that direction, and the bondholders are showing signs of dissatisfaction. Of course these bondholders are deeply interested in any inquiry that may bring to light the means, which certainly exist, of at least paying them their interest; but a still larger class are more deeply interested in a thorough examination into the finances of the Porte. The British Foreign Minister recognised this fact, and specially instructed his envoy to Constantinople to urge that the Commission, if appointed, should be ordered to examine not only the complaints of the bondholders but also and primarily the general financial situation of the empire.

It is believed that a thorough search into Turkish ways and means would reveal a state of affairs which would astonish those who believe that Turkey is hopelessly involved and bankrupt. The example of Egypt is cited. If in that country the effect of a financial commission, empowered to inquire into and rectify the abuses of the revenue system, was so remarkable, it may reasonably be supposed that in Turkey, where the same abuses exist to a still greater degree, a similar commission would arrive at equally satisfactory results. The Sultan naturally opposes any inquiry into his private affairs for the same reason that the Khedive did, and probably the Khedive's fate will intensify the Sultan's opposition. There is no reason to believe, however, that the greater portion of the Turks would not welcome any measures of reform which might result from the report of the Commissioners. At any rate they could not be in a worse plight than at present. The salaries of the Government officials are greatly in arrears.

THE LANDOWNERS ARE SO TAXED

that they can barely make a living out of their property, and the holders of Government securities get no interest on their money. The only thriving Turks are those to whom the duty of collecting the revenue is intrusted. To these rascals the appointment of a commission would mean ruin, the bastinado, and probably death; for to their venality would most of the difficulties of the Turkish finances be traced. It is impossible to estimate the amount of their peculations, but it is certain that the country is a prolific one, that the people are fairly industrious, and that all the results of their labour are gobbled up by the tax collector. It has been recently discovered that in one district only about half the money collected is paid over to the treasury, and that is said to be a favourable instance.

The present state of affairs is not to be wholly laid at the door of the present Government, since for decades and perhaps centuries the system of fraud has been increasing; but the present Government is clearly responsible for permitting it to continue. The resources of Turkey are very large, and might be made enormous by ordinary business management. The result of a commission would partially restore the credit of the Porte in a few years. Then would follow the building of railways and country roads, to the absence of which so much of Turkey's poverty is due. The opening of means of communication would release the mineral wealth with which the country abounds. Asia Minor is

PARTIALLY RICH IN MINES OF SILVER LEAD, OF CHROMO, AND OF COAL.

At present these products are brought to the seacoast on the backs of camels, and even then hardly pay for their transportation. The work of the Commissioners would not be so difficult as might be supposed. Already there exists a private commission appointed by the Turkish bankers who have supplied the government with funds as a security for which the revenues arising from various imports have been hypothecated. These men have naturally become acquainted with the way in which the collections of revenue have heretofore been made, and of course they have made arrangements for preventing the money from sticking to the fingers of the Government collectors. An examination of their methods would go far to solve the difficulties. The Turkish bondholders could hardly do better than to place their interests in the hands of these men, who are already in a position to give them information about the safest course to be pursued.

GREECE'S MONEY MATTERS.

It is refreshing to turn from a consideration of the money matters of Turkey to those of Greece. It is a mistake to suppose that King George's small domain is in a chronic state of impecuniosity. Yet such is the prevalent opinion, and the astute Greeks like to encourage it. The difference in the credit of the two countries is sufficient to exemplify the erroneousness of looking upon Greece as a land of beggars. The paper money of the Turkish Government is worth only about 8½ per cent of its face value, while that of Greece is worth 67 per cent, which is rather more than the value of the paper of Italy. The pay of the Greek official, though meagre, is not in arrears. Since 2830, when Epirus, Thessaly, and Crete were given to the Turks, those provinces have steadily declined in prosperity, while the rest of Greece has trebled its revenues and more than doubled its population. The national debt of Greece is about $60,000 000, the interest on which amounts to $2,750,000, and her annual revenue is about $,300,000. When Greece again gets possession of her lost provinces, her revenue will quickly increase to nearly treble what it is now.

This gain to Greece will prove detrimental to the interests of the creditors of Turkey, for the loss of the three provinces will perceptibly lessen their security. Had the Governments of Europe assisted King George in regaining his lost provinces, they might reasonably have saddled him with part of the payment of the interest on the Turkish bonds. Greece will now, in all probability, have

TO FIGHT FOR HER OWN,

and will be under no moral obligation to burden herself with Turkey's liabilities; besides, she will have to increase her own national debt in order to meet the expenses of the war. Further than this, the Turks will devastate the provinces before evacuating them, and years will pass before they recover from the Moslem vengeance. It would be to the manifest advantage of all parties, except Turkey, if the latter could be induced to quietly give up to her plucky little neighbour the territory in question. But there seems to be no chance of this, and even if the much-talked-of concert of Europe were as harmonious as it is at present discordant, it is doubtful whether its music would "have charms to soothe the savage breast" of the Turk. Possibly England may feel called upon to interfere after thousands of lives have been sacrificed and atrocities committed which will throw into the shade those in Bulgaria.

Closed for the Season.

The *Lumberman Gazette*, Bay City, remarking on the sudden change to winter weather, says:—"Notwithstanding the premature closing of the sawing season, by which the the cut has been curtailed some 20,000,000 feet, the lumber product of the Saginaw valley for the season of 1880 will be found exceedingly large. The estimates made by some of the mills which have shut down show that there has been a large increase over 1879. The product of 1880, in this district, will not be far from 775,000,000 feet, an increase over last year of 50,000,000 feet. It seems probable that notwithstanding the large shipments of the season there will be left over unsold a larger amount of lumber than at the close of the season of 1879. It will be of the coarser grades which have been slow of sale. Should it be as much of a drug next year as this the accumulation may have a depressing effect on the market. The proper way to prevent such an outcome is to exercise greater care in the selection of timber this winter, to the end that a better quality of stock may be secured for next season's cutting. Taken all in all, however, the season of 1880 will be regarded by the manufacturers of lumber as one of unvarying success. The average price realized has been nearly two dollars per thousand feet greater than that of last year, while the additional cost of manufacture has not been to exceed fifty cents. Of course the increasing value of stumpage must be considered when profits are being counted. The season closes prematurely, but not much fault will be found therewith, as the result will be to merely transfer operations in the woods.

LUMBER NOTES.

The shipments of lumber from Minneapolis from Jan. 1st, and including Nov. 6th, 1880, was 144,[illegible] feet; same time last year 12[illegible] feet; same time in 1878, 10[illegible],730,000.

The Alpena pioneer says: The late storm made the lumbermen look blue. Many of them had their yards full of lumber to ship, and their booms full of logs to cut, and it looked as if thousands of dollars needed in their winter's work would lie in the booms and on the piles.

The N. Ladington company's mill at Marinette, Wis., has run 183 days this season, cutting 25,000,000 feet of lumber, 6,250,000 shingles, 4,500,000 lath and 1,000,000 pickets. The company has seven camps, employing 175 men, in the woods.

During the past season the Tittabawassee boom company has rafted 3,994,397 pieces against 3 217.660 pieces for 1879. It is estimated that the number of feet will reach 575,000,000. The footings are not completed. For the season of '79, 445,000,000 feet were rafted.

Business in the district (says the Albany *Argus*) has closed for the season of 1880. Many of the trade have already left the District and taken up their winter quarters in their city offices. It is estimated that of pine lumber there is at least 15,000,000 feet sold which will be wintered over here, of which about 5,000,000 is afloat. Of hard wood from 300,000 to 350,000 feet have been sold, but not delivered; some of it will go forward during the winter. It is estimated that between Albany and Whitehall there are thirty-five boat loads of coarse lumber frozen in on the Champlain Canal bound to Albany. Shipments are being made by rail to New York and South.

The *Northwestern Lumberman* says:—"We are not alone in our suprise at the outcome of the log crop of Michigan for the winter of 1879-80, which was legitimately supposed to have been much curtailed in consequence of the unfavourable character of the winter for logging purposes. A less favourable winter for getting in logs than was the last could scarcely have been imagined by the lumbermen who were engaged in the business. Logs cut as long ago as ten years have been received in quantities, while those cut six or eight years ago, and with marks long since out of record, have come equally free in quantity. The amount of rain which has fallen during the summer has kept the rivers of Michigan during nearly the entire season at a driving stage of water, and the opportunity has been improved to sack the shores of the rivers of the logs which year after year have accumulated.

The Kennebec, (Me.) lumbermen are very active now in preparing for their winter operations. Some have already sent in small crews, S. A. Nye having a crew on No. 3 about three weeks. Messrs. N. Torman & Sons, E. Totman & Co., and A. H. & C. E. Duren, will start a portion of their crews this week, the remainder to follow later in the season. The total amount of cuts will be about 14,000,000 feet, divided among the different firms about as follows: E. Totman & Co., 4,000,000; N. Totman & Sons, 4,500,000; S. A. Nye from 25,00,000 to 3,000,000; H. & C. E. Duren, 2,000 000. A large number of men and teams will be employed. A large number of firms had a large portion of their last year's cut left in the river, the water being so low that they were unable to drive them. These, together with their present operations, will make business lively next season.

Horrors of Kurdish Warfare.

The St. Petersburg *Golos* contains a letter from its correspondent at Tabriz, giving particulars of the Kurdish invasion. The correspondent comments on the curious circumstance that, at a moment when Persia was making war preparations in Khorassan, close alongside Skobeleff's expeditionary force, the Kurds should have suddenly drawn her attention away to the western frontier of her dominion. Of the excesses perpetrated by the invaders, the writer states that they burned to the ground, a few days after entry, Urmia, Mendeb, Binab, Marah, and Sovooke Boolak, perpetrating frightful excesses against the inhabitants. In many instances the people fled to the *metchets* to escape slaughter, believing that the common religion of invader and invaded would secure their immunity from outrage, but the Kurds piled hay, wood, and inflammables against the doors, and burned the people inside to death. The correspondent affirms the leader of the invasion, Ibnabulla, to be such a holy person in the eyes of his fellow-tribesmen that when he bathes it is considered a specific against diseases, and a meritorious religious act, to drink his bath water. He has immense influence over the Kurds. During the Turkish war 40,000 swarmed to his flag in 48 hours, when it was known that he was going to make a raid in person against Bayazid. The invasion of Persia the *Golos* correspondent asserts to have been exceedingly well timed, Persia having denuded Azerbijar of troops to swell her army in Khorassan, but he expresses his belief that the Kurds are not likely to repeat it, now that the Shah has appointed as Governor of the Artpataken Province the late Minister of War, Mirza Mussein Khan, famous for his energetic and active administration. The result will be that the Kurds, unable to obtain booty in Persia, will turn their swords again against the Turkish Armenians, who will suffer dearly for the failure of the raid into Azerbijar. Among the Persian troops operating against the Kurds is Col. Domontovitch and several other Russian officers. The Armenian journal *Mshak*, published at Tiflis, announces that several thousand people have been burned alive in their places of worship, in which they had taken refuge. The Kurds have equalled the most frightful excesses of the Tartar scourge.

Public Massacre in Dahomey.

(From the London Telegraph.)

It is more than probable that the inhabitants of Dahomey have by this time had excellent reason to mourn the decease of their eminent compatriot, the Chaka of Whydah for when the last mail left the west coast of Africa his Majesty of Dahomey was actively engaged in completing his arrangements for the celebration of a "custom" upon a great sale, in honour of the public obsequies thereabout to be given to the remains of the functionary in question. As a Dahomey "custom" involves the massacre of several hundred adult Dahomeyans of both sexes, we we cannot doubt that the Chaka's death has been a source of general and sincere regret to his sorrowing Monarch's subjects. The new Chaka, too, proposed to inaugurate his tenure of office with due pomp and solemnity by a handsome slaughter of able-bodied youths and maidens, and it was in royal contemplation to complete this sensational series of public entertainments by the decapitation, on the anniversary of the late King's demise, of 200 stalwart prisoners of war at present awaiting their permanent emancipation from captivity in strict confinement at Whydah. Invitations to these striking festivities had been issued to the foreign merchants abiding on Dahomeyan territory, as well as to the local nobility, just before the departure of the mail. Of course they were positively declined by all the resident members or representatives of English firms, who moreover indignantly protested against the proposed revival of these horrible massacres, the mere prospect of which, it seems, had caused a general panic throughout the country, and brought trade to a standstill.

THE late terrible earthquake in southern Austria, which has spread terror and devastation from Vienna to the shores of the Adriatic Sea, will alarm others besides the subjects of the Emperor Francis Joseph. There is a general but erroneous impression that earthquakes are invariably associated with volcanic eruptions. Such, however, is not the case, and geology teaches us that at least during some periods of time, scarcely a spot of the earth's surface has been free from sudden and violent upheaval. The fair county of Kent, the Garden of England, is full of evidences of awful catastrophes, in which the Titanic powers played at ball, of it were, with the huge rocks, leaving the face of the land, when their terrible game was over and done, spotted with jagged stones and boulders. An average of a dozen earthquakes occur in different parts of the globe every year. There was a terrible one in England 1318. Part of Old St. Paul's and the Temple Church succumbed to another 1580. London felt a slight shock in 1750. A distinct disturbance of a similar nature made itself manifested from Bath to Swansea eighteen years ago; and the latest recorded earthquake occurred in Yorkshire no longer than nine years since By the disaster in Austria, several persons have been killed and many injured, while the damage done to property is at present incalculable.

A black ash tree with beautifully figured grain, cut in Western Ontario, when cut up sold in New York for $8,000. The stump sold for another $100. The product was used for veneering.

The Keewatin Territory.

The following interesting particulars have been furnished by Mr. John Mather, Manager of the Keewatin Lumber Company's Mills, at Keewatin, Lake of the Woods. Mr. Mather, who was for a number of years manager of Messrs. Gilmour's mills at the Gatineau, is well qualified to form a correct opinion of the country and its resources. He arrived at Ottawa recently, where he remained on business for a short time.

ITS RAPID DEVELOPMENT.

Keewatin the site of the Keewatin Lumbering and Manufacturing Company is situate at the western outlet of the Lake of the Woods, and about three miles distant from Rat Portage. It is about 125 miles east of Winnipeg, 100 miles east of Selkirk, and 300 miles west of Thunder Bay. This new village is a rival to the older settlement of Rat Portage, which has gained its principal importance, according to Mr. Mather's statement, from having been made the district headquarters of the Pacific railroad construction staff. There is a station of the Pacific railway at Keewatin, and already it has become an important shipping point. Here, Mr. Mather says, is the greatest water-power along the whole line of the Pacific Railroad in the North-west Territories. The head of water is, on the average, twenty-one feet, and the quantity which passes is possibly slightly in excess of the volume which passes over the Chaudiere Falls at Ottawa. There are large and important water-powers in the North-west Territories, but they are all remote from the Pacific Railroad.

WHEAT FOR THE WORLD'S MARKETS.

This is the point where a large portion of the wheat grown in the North-West will be ground before shipment to the Canadian and European markets, just as American wheat is ground at Minneapolis. Already negotiations have been opened with the Hudson Bay Company for the purchase of a site and water-power at the eastern outlet of the Lake of the Woods for the erection of a large grist mill, not to carry on a mere local trade, but to grind for the world's markets, as soon as the Thunder Bay branch is open for through traffic. Keewatin has already become the centre of lumber manufacturing, and soon will obtain a more than local celebrity. The Keewatin Lumbering Company's mills have been in operation all the summer, and the Company have cut and built five large permanent trestle bridges for the Canadian Pacific Railroad. Messrs. Brandenburg & Co., who have large lumber mills at Knife Falls, on the St. Louis River, near Duluth, on the American side of the boundary line, and have entered into partnership with Mr. W. J. Macaulay, of Winnipeg, for the purpose of erecting and operating a lumber mill on the site of the old Rat Portage. The capacity of this mill, which is now in course of erection, will be five million feet per season. The capacity of the mill at Keewatin is about twenty million feet. It is rumoured that the Pacific Railway Syndicate will establish district workshops at Keewatin for the Pacific Railroad.

MANUFACTURING AND MINING.

The development of the territory around the Lake of the woods promises to be very rapid as soon as through trains are running over the Thunder Bay Branch Railroad. Already the railroad construction has given an impetus to Rat Portage, where fifteen or twenty houses are being erected at the present time; and a similar number at Keewatin village, needed for the workpeople congregating around the mills. There is no agricultural land of an extent throughout the district—it resembles very much the township of Wakefield on the Gatineau River. What land there is is fertile, but the maximum extent of each patch is two or three acres. It can never sustain an agricultural population. The future of the territory depends upon its supporting a large manufacturing and mining population.

TIMBER AND RAILROAD TIES.

A few questions relative to the rumoured want of economic timber in the territory led Mr. Mather's conversation to a subject with which he is familiar. "Whoever says that the timber in the Keewatin Territory possesses no economic value," he replied, "speaks without warrant. The supply of timber will last for a period much longer than I should like to say. The red pine is much finer than any I have ever seen on the Ottawa; the white pine is similar to that on the Coulonge and Black River tributaries of the Ottawa. There is no maple or beech in the territory, but there is a large quantity of very fine cedar and tamarac, and what is called jack pine. These last three woods are all suitable for railroad ties, which will be so much required in the North-West Territories. In fact, in a few years, this will be the only district for eight hundred miles along the Pacific Railroad where ties can be obtained. This section of the road will require two million ties at first building, and an average annual supply of four hundred thousand ties for repairs thereafter. The district producing this wood suitable for ties is all tributary to the Lake of the Woods, and the timber can easily be floated to the crossing of the railroad.

ABUNDANCE OF ECONOMICAL MINERALS.

The abundance of the economic minerals found in this district has already been made the subject of considerable observation by the *Globe's* special correspondent, who recently traversed that district, and Mr. Mather had little to add on the subject. The gold excitement still continues, and discoveries of gold in quartz rock are daily recorded. Capital at the present moment is the great desideratum for the development of this industry. It is not forthcoming so far. Besides gold, silver and copper are found in large quantities. A soap stone of considerable economic value is also abundant. Large deposits of this stone are found at a place on the Lake of the Woods called Pipe Stone Point, because the Indians from Minnesota and other Western States in the past resorted here to obtain stone for making pipes. Another stone, an excellent substitute for the oil stones used by carpenters to sharpen edge tools, is abundant, and will command ready sale. Lignite, too, has been found, but generally in boulders brought from a distance by glacial action. The indications are that the true bed of lignite will be found on the Minnesota side of the boundary or water-shed of the Lake of the Woods.

CONSTRUCTION OF THE RAILROAD

A large body of men are still at work upon the Section 15, and work is being prosecuted as fast as possible.

The approach of winter has necessitated the discontinuance of work in the gravel pits, and consequently the discharge of a large body of men. The rails on the road are laid, and trains will be able to run without any difficulty till next spring. There is already one "lift" of ballast on the road from Cross Lake to Keewatin, 36 miles. On a portion of this distance the line is entirely finished, as also it is from Selkirk to Cross Lake.

ERECTION OF STEEL BRIDGES.

The Toronto Bridge Company have their foreman, Mr. Danzizer at the Lake of the Woods waiting to superintend the erection of two steel bridges across the two outlets of the lake. It was, by some unaccountable means, delayed in Duluth for six weeks. The masonry has already been built, and is waiting for the superstructure.

SALE OF FORT FRANCES STORES.

Recently the Government stores at Fort Frances Lock were taken to Keewatin and sold by auction. The steamer Lady of the Lakes, used on the works, was also sold, and purchased by Mr. W. J. Macaulay, lumberman, for $1,500; she originally cost considerably over one hundred thousand dollars, and was purchased by the Macdonald-Cartier Government to ply in connection with the Dawson route. She has, since the sale, met with an accident, but will be at work again next summer, towing logs, &c. The Keewatin Lumbering Company have also built a small steamer for similar purposes.

THE BOUNDARY DISPUTE.

Much inconvenience is caused to settlers in this district by the non-settlement of the boundary question; and they are as much isolated from the exercise of their civil rights and the protection of the law as if they were residing in the heart of the "Dark" Continent. There is no Court where a man can sue or be sued, or where he can collect a debt or seek restitution for losses sustained. The only persons who obtain the benefits of the law are the whiskey smugglers, who, if captured, are introduced to the Stipendiary Magistrate appointed under the Act for the better preservation of order in the vicinity of public works. No school system can be established until this unfortunate dispute has been settled. The education of the children—and there are many in the settlement—is provided by private co-operation. The Keewatin Lumbering Company are about erecting a schoolhouse at Keewatin for the convenience of their employees' children. There is no system, and there can be none until the matter is definitely settled.

"WET GROCERIES," WHICH PAY NO DUTY.

An enterprising Yankee has cut a road through the bush from Hallock's Station on the St. Paul and Manitoba [illegible] point near the boundary [illegible] the Woods. At this place [illegible] ed a store or "whisky [illegible]" kinds of "wet groceries" [illegible] vis'tors from Rat Portage, [illegible] kinds of goods are smuggled [illegible] from this man's shanty, and [illegible] law inflicted upon the revenue [illegible] opinion. During the past [illegible] have carted along this road, [illegible] to his store, over eighty [illegible] worth of goods. An effect [illegible] to stop this illicit traffic.

A WET SEASON.

In this district, as throughout [illegible] West Territories, the season [illegible] usually wet one. The [illegible] not remember the like.

AN UNFAVOURABLE VIEW [illegible]

Mr. Mather, adverting to the [illegible] lie published of the floods [illegible] the swampy character of the [illegible] noticed them as much [illegible] "Why," he said, "about [illegible] I had occasion to go [illegible] Minneapolis. On leaving [illegible] weather was fine, and the [illegible] along the railroad high and [illegible] could be everywhere seen gr[illegible] ing. But a considerable [illegible] St. Paul and Manitoba Railw[illegible] to I noticed that long stretc[illegible] were covered completely over [illegible] if there were lakes there. [illegible] completely under water, and [illegible] work suspended. This was the [illegible] tory a few months previous [illegible] because it was so dry and high."

"The First Quarrel."

BY ALFRED TENNYSON.

Told by a labourer's wife of [illegible] Wight, who quarrels with her [illegible] some old letters of his which [illegible] curses him, and never sees him [illegible] is lost at sea.

I.

"Wait a little," you say, "you are [illegible]
right,"
But the boy was born i' trouble, an' [illegible]
so while;
Wait! an' once I ha' waited—I [illegible]
long.
Now I wait, wait for Harry.—No, [illegible]
me wrong!
Harry and I were married: the boy [illegible]
head.
The boy was born in wedlock, but [illegible]
dead;
I ha' worked for him fifteen years, an' [illegible]
wait to the end.
I am all alone in the world, an' you [illegible]
friend.

II.

Doctor, if you can wait, I'll [illegible]
life.
When Harry and I were children, he called [illegible]
little wife;
I was happy when I was with him, an' [illegible]
was away,
An' when we play'd together, I loved [illegible]
play;
"He workt me the daisy chain—[illegible]
slip ball,
He fought the boys that were rude [illegible]
better than all.
Passionate girl tho' I was, an' oft [illegible]
[illegible]
I never could quarrel with Harry—I [illegible]
in his face."

Harry has to go away to work [illegible] and more than one adventure [illegible] with lassies of easy virtue. At [illegible] home and finds that his childish [illegible] faithful:

"Hard was the frost in the field, we [illegible]
Christmas day,
Married among the red berries an' all [illegible]
May,
Those were the pleasant times, my [illegible]
were my pride,
We seem'd like ships i' the Channel [illegible]
wind an' tide.

IX.

But work was scant in the Isle, tho' he [illegible]
lages round,
So Harry went over the Solent to [illegible]
be found;
An' he wrote "I ha' six weeks' work, [illegible]
far as I know;
I'll be me for an hour to-morrow, an' [illegible]
I go.'

X.

So I set to righting the house, for [illegible]
that day?
An' I hit on an old deal box that was [illegible]
corner away,
It was full of old odds an' ends, an' a [illegible]
wi' the rest,
I had better ha' put my naked hand [illegible]
nest.

XI.

'Sweetheart,'—this was the letter—th[illegible]
I read—
'You promised to find me work near [illegible]
I was dead—
'Didn't you kiss me an' promise? you [illegible]
my lad,
'An' I almost died o' your going away, [illegible]
that I had.'

XII.

I too wish that I had—in the [illegible]
had passed,
Before I quarrel'd with Harry—my [illegible]
an' the last.

XIII.

For Harry came in, an' I flung him the [illegible]
drove me wild,
An' he told it me all at once, as simple [illegible]
'What can it matter, my lass, what [illegible]
single life?
'I ha' been as true to you as ever a man [illegible]
An' she wasn't one o' the worst.' 'Then, [illegible]
none o' the best.'
An' he smiled at me, 'Ain't you, my [illegible]
come, little wife, let it rest!
The man isn't like the woman, no need [illegible]
a stir.'
But he anger'd me all the more, an' I [illegible]
were keeping with her,
'When I was a-loving you all along [illegible]
before.'
An' he didn't speak for a while, an' he [illegible]
more and more.
Then he patted my hand in his gentle [illegible]
goons be?'
'Bygones! you kept yours hu h'd, I [illegible]
married me!
'Bygones ma' be come-agains; an' she—[illegible]
and her sin—
'You'll have her to nurse my child, if I [illegible]
lying in!
'You'll make her its second mother! I [illegible]
an' I hate you!
'Ah, Harry, my man, you had better ha' [illegible]
black and blue
'Than ha' spoken as kind as you did wh[illegible]
crazy wi' spite,
'Wait a little, my lass, I am sure it [illegible]
right.'"

A Bouncing Story.

Shoes with India-rubber [illegible] much worn this month. The [illegible] claimed for these coverings is th[illegible] imparted to the feet, a sure [illegible] dry stockings. I have, however, [illegible] story which altogether overbalanc[illegible] dule of "advantages." It was [illegible] a poor gentleman who met with [illegible] traordinary adventure, recently. [illegible] up Rathgar way, in as pretty a [illegible] story house as ever you laid your [illegible] Well, a few days ago he noticed [illegible] rivulets of wet trickling down the [illegible] ered walls of his dwelling, and he [illegible] to explore the house and find the [illegible] opened the skylight and slid out [illegible] the gutter, but missing his foot-hold [illegible] over the parapet on to the [illegible] Fortunately, he had on a pair of [illegible] dia-rubber boots with soles of unu[illegible] ness. When his feet struck the [illegible] he rebounded into the air; the [illegible] down and he bounced up again, [illegible] since he has been hopping backw[illegible] ward. Every time he ascended it [illegible] ticed that the height of his [illegible] less and less, and his relatives ca[illegible] Christmas week [illegible] him at a [illegible] I further hear that this poor [illegible] fed by a person who fills India-r[illegible] with hash and extracts of meat, [illegible] catches on the hop. It may be [illegible] the height of the poor gentleman [illegible] three stories, and the fall itself [illegible] makes a fourth.

For a wonder the Emperor of [illegible] not had any special [illegible] able for a w[illegible] is to be hoped that the poor old [illegible] joying himself, as he best may. [illegible] been worse men and worse mona[illegible] Alexander, but after all he has ma[illegible] ful mess of it.

And so the Queen and [illegible] daughter have got the little tiff [illegible] It is a pleasure to know [illegible] but why it should be thought [illegible] moment to be put in the papers [illegible] evident. In these days there are [illegible] other things so very much more [illegible] that the world could stand a [illegible] ence on such domestic matters.

DURING the siege of Candahar [illegible] water were plentiful, but beer and [illegible] whiskey were more precious than [illegible] At the sale of Gen. Brooke's eff[illegible] of the former was knocked down [illegible] lancer for eleven rupees, and the [illegible] dew fetched over fourteen rupees [illegible]

LORD WENLOCK, who has just d[illegible] denly, was a near connection and [illegible] friend of Mr. Gladstone, and exercised [illegible] influence on Yorkshire politics, being [illegible] Lieutenant of the East Riding.

THE price which England is to be [illegible] upon to pay out of the pockets of the [illegible] glish, Scotch, and Welsh taxpayers, [illegible] der to settle for ever the disquieting [illegible] land question, is, according to the [illegible] the very modest amount of $1,500,[illegible]

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JOHN NOEL

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Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

[illegible] and Cattle.
[illegible] having good fat Sheep or [illegible] will find it to their advantage [illegible] their names and address at Mc[illegible] Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, [illegible] are still on the war path, [illegible] pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
1-y

JAY GOULD, last year [illegible] in a residence and [illegible] the Hudson river. [illegible] Saturday morning [illegible] the conservatory, a [illegible] hundred and eighty [illegible] most rare and valua[illegible] cuniary loss is $150,[illegible] sured.

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September, 1880. 2-y

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W. SUTHERLAND TAYLOR,
SecretarysTreasurer.

Dated at Toronto this 22nd day of November, 1880. 11-6i

In Chancery.

THE FARMERS' LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY,

VS.

LECKIE,

PURSUANT to the Decree made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. Taylor, Esquire, Master in Ordinary of this Court by J. M. Webster, Auctioneer,

At the FLESHERTON Hotel,
IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,
at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon of

Thursday, the Thirteenth day of January, 1881.

the following lands and premises in one parcel., viz: Lot number twenty-one in the fourteenth concession of the township of Artemesia, in the county of, Grey, excepting thereout three acres off the north west corner of said lot. The said lot consists of about [illegible] acres of land, of which about 60 acres are cleared and the remainder well timbered with beech and maple, basswood and some hemlock. The land cleared is of a clay loam and in a fair state of cultivation. The said lot is situate on the Meaford Road, about five miles from Markdale Station on the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. About six and a-half miles from Flesherton, and is readily accessible to said villages by good roads, and the said villages afford good markets for the sale of produce. The said lot is also well watered by a creek, and there is no swampy land on said lot. The said lot has erected thereon farm buildings consisting of a frame house, and log barn.

Terms of sale—Ten per cent. is to be paid the vendors or their solicitors at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. within thirty days thereafter, without interest, and the balance to be secured by first mortgage on said premises payable in three or five years, with interest at seven per cent. per annum

The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid fixed by the Master. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery. For further particulars apply at the Law Offices of W. Mulock, Esq., vendor's solicitor, Messrs. Crooks, Kingsmill and Cattanach, and Messrs. McCarthy, Hoskins, Plumb and Creelman, solicitors, Toronto.

Dated December 8, 1880.
14-3 (Signed) T. W. TAYLOR.

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A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.

Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

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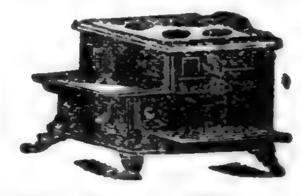

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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

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Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 9-y

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Will be carried on throughout the winter.

N. CAMPBELL.

Flesherton, December 15, 1880. 14

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHERTON,

Whilst wishing all

A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,

And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been *taking our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business*, as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have

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Of my large and complete stock of

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Until all is cleared out.

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☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R. J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.

Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Dec. 31st, 1880.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Mount Forest has abolished the market fees.

Parties having wood for sale should read adv. in another column.

The Township of Culross has voted $8,000 to the T. G. and B. R. R.

Mr. Mark Armstrong, s'r.. has purchased the Caswell farm for $3,500.

Mr. John Lyons was re-elected School Trustee, in Markdale.

Miss Burch offers bargains in holiday presents, vases, cups and saucers, at reduced prices, call and inspect.

The Daily *Mail* during the session of Dominion Parliament for $1.00. Subscriptions taken here.

A Big Push is expected at the masquerade to-night. The ice is not a bit soft.

The Warden of Brant gave his $100 to the poor instead of entertaining the council with it.

Our thanks are due Dr. Sproule for copies of *Hansard* and other Parliamentary documents.

We will give the Weekly *Mail* in connection with the Standard to the end of 1881 for $2.25.

You cannot do better than buy one of the 90c double steel axes, at Haskett Bros.

If you want a new stove, Haskett Bros. will be glad to see you, they have a large stock and are offering them cheap.

The County Council of Bruce, at its last sitting, instructed the Warden to memoralize the Goverment to remove the registrar from his office.

We understand that Mr. Marshall Beard, one mile from Markdale, in Artemesia, has sold his farm, 100 acres, for $3,500.

The Magic Lantern entertainment on Wednesday evening, in the Hall, was very interesting, and the views were handsome and very numerous. We did not learn what the proceeds were.

We have received the first number of the Hanover *Post*. It is to be liberal in politics but reserves to itself the privilege of criticising wrong doing by our public men irrespective of party. We wish our *cotem* success.

In the case of the editor of the *Grey Review*, of Durham, tried before a bench of majestrates, on a charge of libelling Mr. Arch McKenzie, postmaster of that place, dicision was held until the 4th of January.

The tea meeting which came off in the C. M. Chrch, on Christmas evening, was well attended, and a very pleasant time was spent; proceeds $71.00. It being Saturday evening the proceedings were brought to an end at nine o'clock.

Christmas passed off very quietly. Places of business were closed; and those of the "boys" who could get a rig, took their girls out for a drive; others attended the tea-meeting in the C. M. Church. On the whole everybody seemed as happy as a "big sunflower."

The Toronto papers are complaining that they have had no sleighing as yet. We have no complaint to make on that score in Markdale, as we have had the best of sleighing for over a month past and there is a decided hum in all branches of business.

The January number of *Our Little Folks* has been received. It is, without exception, the best magazine for children we have ever seen, and parents who desire to amuse their little ones should not hesitate to subscribe. The stories contained in it are interesting and instructive, and it is also beautifully illustrated. Published by the Russell Publishing Co. 149 Tremont street Boston, Mass. Terms $1.50 per annum.

Fire.—At about 3 o'clock on Monday, 27th inst a fire was discovered in the building occupied by Joseph Lamb, Blacksmith. When first discovered it had gained considerable headway, nearly the whole inside of the roof being on fire; but by the prompt exertions of our citizens it was soon got under control. Fortunately it occurred during daylight for had it occurred during the night the results would have been most disastrous, as the house was surrounded on all sides by frame buildings. Had it once got well going there is no knowing where it would have stopped.

The Xmas Tea Meeting held in the P. M. Chruch, Townsend's Lake, on Christmas Eve last was a decided success, congregation good, night fine, and every body in good spirits so far as we could see. After partaking of a bountiful repast, W. Brown Esq., of Markdale, was introduced to the audience as chairman of the evening, by the Rev. C. C. Garnett, who with his usual courtesy and ability presided. The choir under the leadership of Mr. W. Boyle rendered excellent service during the evening, and were warmly applauded The following is the programme as regards the speakers, reading, Mr. Bliss, recitation, Miss Williams, of Markdale, speech, Rev. W. Walker, speech, Mr. Y. Morwood, speech, Rev. Mr. Wilson, Markdale, cutting affair, lead by Rev. C. C. Garnett and Mrs. C. C. Garnett, which consisted in the selling of a large cake, one of the pieces of which contained a gold wedding ring, and when it was found that Miss Edwards was the fortunate one, every person seemed to think that after all there might be some truth in the old adage, "that coming events cast their shadows before." The closing address was given by Mr. Boyle. After the usual thanks this really enjoyable entertainment was brought to a close.

Read Reynolds and sons new adv.

We draw attention to Mr. T. E. Davis' card in this issue of Standard.

Quite a talk about the tea Richardson sells at 50 cents, those who have tried it say it is unequalled.

The Daily *Globe* from the opening to the close of the Dominion Parliament for *only one dollar*. Subscriptions taken at this office.

The Anniversary of the Methodist Sunday School, will be held at Flesherton, on New Year's day. An attractive programme in preparation; tea served at 6 p. m.

Masquerade.—There is to be a Masquerade Carnival on the Markdale Skating Rink on Friday the 31st inst.; when several valuable prizes will be offered for particulars see posters.

The by-law for a bonus of $3,000 towards widening the gauge of the Toronto Grey and Bruce R. R., was voted on in Harriston, on the 28th inst., and was carried by a majority of 21.

A shooting match for turkeys, geese and ducks, takes place at Berkeley on New Year's day. The proceedings will close with a grand concert in the evening at T. Brown's Hall, admission 15c.

L. O. L. No. 797, Dundalk, give a soiree, on New Year's evening, at which addresses will be delivered, and good music in the intervals. A good time is promised. Don't forget to attend.

On Tuesday night of last week Mr. Goodie's store house near the railway, was broken into and sever hogs stolen. They were discovered by a Mr. Williams in what is known as Cardwell's swamp buried under a load of hay, which had the appearance of being upset. Will give full particulars next week.

The weather for the past week had been rather mild; but on Monday night the wind turned round to the North and the Thermometor dropped from freezing point down to zero. Snow fell during Monday night and Tuesday, which the wind drifted in every direction, making a comotion anything but pleasant.

It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns that Mr. J. Gordon, has bought out the saddle and harness business lately carried on by Mr. Damude, at Flesherton. Mr. Gordon is said to be an experienced workman, and we would recommend those requiring anything in his line, to give him a call.

Serious Accident.—A day or two since, while a son of John Wilson, 10th concession, Glenelg, aged 14 years, was carelessly playing with a dynamite cartridge, it exploded taking off the top of the left thumb and about half the first finger and badly damaging the third finger. Medical aid was procured and the hand properly dressed.

The weather on Wednesday morning was extremely cold the Thermometer registering 5 degrees below zero. A noon it had risen a few degrees, but setting round the stove, was decidedly preferable to being out of doors. There has been considerable drifting and the trains have been delayed in consequence. The express from Toronto on Tuesday, did not arrive until near 6 p.m., and that from Owen Sound, on Wednesday, not arriving until after 11 a.m.

Railway Accident.—A train on the Grand Trunk ran into a team one day last week, containing six persons, killing four of them and slightly injuring the other two. The occupants of the sleigh had been on a visit to some friends to spend Christmas day, and were on their way home when the train ran into them. No blame is attatched to the trainmen. Two of those killed were important witnesses for the defence in the celebrated Bidulph cases.

We have received the Jan'y number of the American Ariculturist and as usual it is replete with information most beneficial to the farmer. It is a work that should be in every farm house as the information contained in it will pay ten fold the amount of subscription. Remember you can get this valuable magazine for *only one dollar* by clubbing with the Standard, or if you wish to take the Magazine without the Standard $1.50 per annum. Subscriptions received at this office.

Some time since a Mr. Hillis had a horse and set of double harness stolen from him. The horse was discovered at Paisley, but no trace of the harness. About a week ago, it was discovered that the thief was working at Mr. T. Sims' lot 19 in the 13th con. Glenelg. By some means, he heard the constable was on his trail, he suddenly took his departure, taking with him a horse, the product of a second trade but left the harness which had also been traded. It is not known with whom he made the last trade. We are informed the animal had a lump on his jaw and was about 5 years old.

We have this week to chronicle th sad intelligence of the death of Mr Wm. J. Moore, whose parents reside a short distance from this village. He left his home last fall for the purpose of taking up land near Bruce Mines. About a month since he was taken ill and after a short illness, died. His parents have the heartfelt sympathy of all their friends and neighbors. His death has cast a gloom over the entire neighborhood, as the deceased was highly esteemed by all who knew him. His parents have a great consolation in their bereavement in knowing that their son died in the the sure and certain hope of a better life in the world to come.—Com.

The Montreal "Weekly Witness" is a paper that devotes especial attention to the Farmers' needs. The Agricultural Department is edited by W. F. Clarke, Esq., Lindenbank, Guelph, who is widely known as at one time the editor of the *Canada Farmer*, and more recently the "Witness" lecturer on agriculture. His editorial articles and "Agricultural Letter box" are especially attractive. The Witness Markets are all perfectly reliable and very full. Hardly less valuable is the veterinary column conducted by D. McEachran, F.R.C.V.S., Principal of the Montreal Veterinary College, and the Dominion Inspector of live stock. His name stands in the front rank of Veterinary surgeons on this continent, and the prompt replies given to correspondents are valuable. A "Poultry colum" has just been added, and promises to be of great assistance to poultry farmers, who are growing in number. In the cities and towns especially the raising of fowls is increasing in popularity. While these departments are of especial value to the farmers, the cultivators of the soil in a smaller way, and the gentlemen and ladies who are fond of gardening, are not neglected. The legal department, in which all legal questions are answered by one competent to perform this work, is a valuable assistance to all men of business. And then the paper is full of information of especial interest to the family, even the little children having a column to themselves. An especial feature about this paper is that every department is carefully *edited*, not thrown together hap-hazard, so that those relying on any information given are not likely to be misled. Every subscriber of the "Weekly Witness" can tell of special offers whereby old and new subscribers are benefited.

THE NOMINATIONS.

Glenelg.—For Reeve, F. McRae, Esq., elected by acclamation. For Deputy Reeve, Thomas Davis, Wm. Hall, Neil McCannell. For Councillors, Jno. Black, Geo. Bennie, Nathan Dunsmoor, Wm. Glencross, John A. McMillan, Patrick Neil.

Holland.—In this Township Wm. Howey, Reeve; and John Cameron, Deputy Reeve, were re elected by acclamation. For Councillors, Anthony Shute, Wm. Norton, Justis Merrium, Robert Carson, and James Gillespie were nominated.

Artemesia.—Dr. Christoe, Reeve; and Councillors Wright and Pedlar were elected by acclamation. For Ward No. 1, Messrs R. Stone, A. Webster and D. McLeod were nominated; Ward No. 2, A. Elliott and T. Boland, were nominated.

Proton.—For Reeve, J. J. Middleton, Wm. Nelson. Depty Reeve, Messrs McMillan and Abbott. Councillors, Messrs Buckley, Black, McCardle and Peer.

Owen Sound.—Por Mayor, C. E. Barnhart, Esq., elected by acclamation. For Reeve—John Fox and Jno Chishoim. For 1st Deputy Reeve, Matthew Kennedy, elected by acclamation. For 2nd Deputy Reeve, R. Malcolm and J. W. Frost.

Derby.—Reeve—Jas. Cochrane and Robert Alexander Stark.

Sarawak.—Reeve—Robt McNaught re-elected.

St. Vincent.—Reeve—C. R. Sing, and James Doublebee. Deputy Reeve, N. Reid and J. H. Burnett.

Durham.—Mayor—Hy. Middaugh, Reeve, G. McKechnie, by acclamation.

Shelburne.—Reeve—Wm. Jelley, M.P.P., elected by acclamation.

Euphrasia.—Reeve—Patterson, Miles and Carr. Deputy Reeve, Boyd and Erskine.

EUPHRASIA.

To the Editor of the Standard.

McGlochlin, the notorious, who has been a dread to this part of the country, is we are happy to say, enjoying his Christmas festivities, in her majestys large stone mansion in Owen Sound. He was cleverly captured by John Loughead, of Meaford, after an exciting chase from Meaford to Duntroon, below Collingwood. It is expected and hoped that it will lead to the discovery of the perpetrators of the robberies in Euphrasia last fall, public opinion is, that he was the chief in these transactions, and others are now known to be implicated.

Election matters are brisk, Mr. Patterson is sure of success, as Reeve. —Com.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

Municipal Nomination.—The following gentlemen were nominated for a seat at the "Green Table" in the Town Hall, in the Township of Artemesia, for the year 1881.

Reeve, Dr. Christoe, elected by acclamation. Councillors—Ward No. 1, R. Stone, A. Webster, D. McLeod. Ward No. 2, A. Elliott, T. Boland. Ward No. 3, Thorp Wright, elected by acclamation. Ward No. 4, S. Pedlar, elected by acclamation.

Sabbath School Anniversary.—The Anniversary of the Presbyterian Sabbath School, was held in the Town Hall, on the evening of Christmas day. The attendance was large that a great number of the people could not get seated. The chair was ably filled during the evening by Mr. Meldrum. The programme was rendered with credit to all of the performers and the order mantained during the evening was excellent. The receipts at the door amounted to $65.

Serenaders.—We were agreeably surprised on Christmas morning about one o'clock, by a band of serenaders. The music rendered was the sweetest and most christian like we have ever heard in this village. We can assure this company of a kind and fitting reception the next time we are honored with its presence.

Brevities.—The public schools open on the 3rd of January.. ...J. W. Henderson and family of Toronto, are on a visit to the scenes of their childhood......Vennor can't foretell the weather worth a hen......Good ice on the rink.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

Christmas passed off quiet. A Christmas tree in the Methodist Church in the evening; an over crowded house; a good entertainment—proceeds about $40. A tea in the Presbyterian Church in aid of the Sabbath School, also a good turnout, proceeds $27.

Nomination at Hopeville.—A large number from all parts of the township; quite a number being nominated for councillors and deputy. They all withdrew but 4 for councillors, Messrs Buckley, Black, McCardle and Peer. For Deputy, Messrs McMillan and Abbott. For Reeve, J. J. Middleton, and Wm. Nelson.

Our school trustee election came off to day 29th, Mr. Geo. Nixon was elected by acclamation, in place of Mr. Geo. Middleton.—Fast Asleep.

A TRAGIC STORY.

The way was long, the wind was cold,
The traveller was infirm and old,
His withered cheek and tresses gray,
Showed he had known a better day.
His hat was bad his boots were leaky,
And with a cold his voice was squeaky,
And he vowed it was an eternal shame,
That an old man should go half clad,

Such weather, when a nice tweed suit can be bought at M. Richardson's for $7.75, and a good warm overcoat for $5. Hats and boots proportionally cheap.

HONOR ROLL.

Markdale public school promotion examination, from the fourth to the fifth classes, the following are the names of the successful candidates with the standing of each. Number of marks possible to be taken 260; Number of marks necessary to be taken 130. John Thibaudeau, 145; W. J. Douglas, 140; Lizzie Kay, 184; Wm. Irving, 132. Much credit is due to M. Bowes, K. McDuff, C. Burns, A. Might, and L. Might, and if they apply themselves faithfully to their school work they will no doubt meet with success at Easter.

PRESENTATION.

Mr. N. B. Grier, who has at present retired from the teachers profession, was made the happy recipient of a nice testimonial consisting of a gentleman's beautifully ornamented China Coffee Cup and saucer, together with a mate for it for Mrs. Grier, by the pupils of Priceville, on the last day of the school year, accompanied by the following address.

Mr. N. B. Grier, Teacher,

Sir,—We the pupils of Priceville public school, upon this the last day of your labor amongst us, wish to convey to you a small token of our gratitude. We know we have many times merited your displeasure, although you have always been kind and forbearing with us; but as we are now about to separate as teacher and pupils we wish you to fergive all past offences, and have something almost constantly before you by which you can recall a kindly rememberance of us. Hence we desire you and Mrs. Grier to accept these mementoes together with our sincere wishes that you may succeed in business as well in the future as you have done in the past as a teacher. Hoping that you may both have long life and prosperity we conclude by tendering to yourself our sincere thanks for past services, and wishing you and your family a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Signed and presented in behalf of the pupils.

Aggie Webster,
Maggie Morehead,
Ada Summerville.

The teacher having assured the pupils that he was both very much surprised and pleased, and likewise very much affected, returned thanks to his young friends, and asked to be forgiven by those (if any) who may have thought that he had at any time punished them too severely; praised the pupils for their deligence, aptitude, and general proficiency, and deleived that they could compare favorably with any village children in the county. He also promised a more suitable reply soon in the shape of a basket of nuts. Mrs. Grier also returned thanks, Mr Riley, trustee, spoke in praise of the manifest abilities displayed by the pupils, especially in mental arithmetic. Miss E. A. Wright assistant teacher also added her quota to the enterainment of pupils and friends, indeed she seemed to be thought the moving spirit of the occasion—"the wheel within the wheel," and she eventually wound up a happy time for those intercsted by leading the pupils in one of her favorite school songs,

yours &c.,
Discipulus.

Dec. 23rd, 1880.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Proton Council met as per adjournment at Dundalk, at Reid's Hall, on Friday, the 3rd day of December, 1880, at 10 a. m. Members all present, J. J. Middleton, Esq., presiding. The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and adopted, Several communications were received and read; also accounts received, read and ordered to be paid. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the following grants be given for the purpose of hiring teams and drawing gravel into low places on the respective roads, viz.: side road No. 22, cons. 7 and 8, $50, Adam Boyce Overseer; side road No. 12, con 6, $50, Wm. Boyd Overseer; between lots 23 and 27, con 12, $25, including grant made last summer, James Graham Overseer; side road 280, the sum of $25, R. Irvine Overseer—authority being given to the Reeve to issue orders to Overseers.—

Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the following parties be appointed deputy-returning officers for the next Municipal Elections at the following places—Division No. 1, Jas. Menzies, at his house, lot 14, con 5; Division No. 2, Jas. Cavanagh, at [illegible] Hall, Hopeville, lot 12, con. 19; Division No. 3, Peter Dow, at the house of Duncan McMillan lot 23, con. 16; Division No. 4, Jas Fraser, at the house of Joseph Elberton, lot 23, con. 12; Division No. 5, Alex. McConnell, at the Orange Hall, Dundalk.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that a By-law on Public Morals, read a first and second time, be now read a third time and signed, sealed and engrossed on the Minutes, and numbered 221.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming that a grant of $25 be given to put gravel on the 12th side road, con. 14, and a similar sum to 280 side road, with authority to the Reeve to issue orders to Overseers.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that John Cooper be allowed to perform $10 worth of gravelling on the 27th side line, between the 9th and 10th concessions, being a part of arrears of taxes against lot 25, con. 8, to be performed under the Councillor of the Division.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the assessment of Donald Campbell be reduced $50.—Carried. Mr. Boyd moved seconded by Mr. Fleming, that all taxes against lots 37 and 38, con 5, up to the end of the present year, including the amounts for which said lots were sold during the current year, be expended in opening a road between said lots and on said work being performed, the Clerk is requested to have the said taxes erased.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the statute labor commuted on the Roll in taxes against Robert Ingle, lot 19, concession 18, be erased on the said Ingle performing statute labor immediately falling timber for the same.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the statute labor assessed in taxes on lots 40 and 41, Con. 7, being the sum of $6, be expended by Mr. Agnew opposite the said lots in cutting out.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that a grant of $39 be given to pay for the erection of a bridge on the 14th con., lot 16.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the Collector receive the Pathmaster's certificate in lieu of statute labor charged on the Roll against lot 24, con. 12, as the work has been performed.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that Mr. Middleton be paid the sum of $5 for gravel supplied for road improvements, and that the Reeve issue an order for the same. —Carried, Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the sum of $8 be granted to improve the Town Line of Proton and Egremont, opposite the 4th con. to supplement a similar amount from Egremont, be paid. —Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the petition of Wm. Nelson, David Davidson, James Robinson, Samuel Stokes, John Abbott, John Stevenson, James Menzies, Charles McConnell, James Cavanagh and 150 other ratepayers within section of the Township of Proton described in said petition, be received, and that a By-law in aid of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company be introduced for $6,000, in accordance with the prayer of said petition, and be read a first time.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the following accounts be paid out of the funds deposited with the Treasurer to cover the expenses incurred in voting on the By-law to grant a bonus of $8,000 to the T., G. & B. Ry.: J. Townsend, for printing and publishing railway By-law, $21; Stovell & Son for ballots, &c., $12; Messengers, $4; Clerk, $5; for five Deputy-Returning Officers, $20; for polling booths, $12.50; Council for one day, $10.—Carried. Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that Samuel McLean be refunded the taxes accruing on $50 of his assessment, being difference between his schedule and the roll. Council adjourned to meet tomorrow, Saturday, Dec. 4th, at 9 o'clock, a. m.

Dec. 4.—Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that Deputy Returning officers on vote for bonus to T., G. & B. Ry. be paid $4 each, and that they be paid for each polling booth used for said purpose $2.50, said amounts being received from the Company.—Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the account of John Vert be paid, viz.: five months' services $62.50, selection of jurors $5, ink 30c, pens and holders 70c, mucilage and twine 10c, postage stamps $1.50.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that a grant of $10 be given for reparing the Saugeen bridge on side road 12, con. 18, it being in an unsafe condition for travel.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that widows Foster, Boyce and Davis each receive a grant of $5, as they are in poor circumstances.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that Samuel Fleming receive the sum of $1 for one-half day's work —Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the following accounts be paid: W. Kough for constable's attire $17, Stovel & Son $12, Jas. H. Little $2.16, Stovel & Son $30.25.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of A. Gillespie for $2 for reparing bridge on 12th side road, con. 6.—Carried. Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the Treasurer's account be paid, stationery and blank books, $3.68; postage, 50c; travelling exdencess three times to Mount Forest to pay coupons and debentures for schools, $8; Treasurer's salary, $65.25.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the Council receive their pay up to date. Carried. Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the Clerk be instructed to ascertain from the County Treas. the amount of taxes turned in default against lot 19, con. 14, and when paid that the clerk have the same erased.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the Clerk ascertain from [illegible], Owen Sound, the accountability of the Municipality to Thomas Sevil for having returned lot 20, con. 10, for taxes, when the same was vested in the Crown.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the Clerk ascertain the arrears of taxes against lot 23, in the 12th con.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Clerk be requested to erase all taxes against lot 20, con 8, for 1878, the same being paid to the Township Treasurer.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the nominations for Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Councillors, be held at Hopeville. Council adjourned *sine die*.

John Vert, Tp. Clerk.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

The following are the details of the tragedy already reported; On Sunday Thomas Kennedy, living in Salem, Claredon county, intending to visit Charleston went to his father's house a short distance away to ask his mother to stay with his wife during his absence. Kennedy has only been married a year. He is about 20 years of age, intelligent, refined and highly respected. When her husband left she shut the door and sat by the window to write to her mother. Seeing in the yard Joe Barnes, colored, aged, 16, and employed by Kennedy the previous week, she asked him to bring an armful of wood. The boy had been induced by Vance Brandt and his sister Julia, both colored, aged 18 and 15 to notify them when Kennedy left the place. They thought Kennedy had a good deal of money in the house. When Joe turned to go for the wood he gave the signal to Vance to come into the yard; the latter went to the window and three times tried to get in each time he was shoved out by Mrs. Kennedy, who then opened the door and was running through the gate when Vance knocked her down with a hoe. She implored mercy, he cursed and said. "I,se been waiting to kill you for a long time," and struck her two more blows. Julia then arrived with another hoe and severed the victim's head. The murderers then robbed the house. Kennedy afterwards found his wife outside of the gate mutilated, cold, and stiff, with her head almost severed in twain, the entire cranium cut off from ear to ear, leaving the brain scattered around. Several colored people have been arrested on suspicion but were discharged for want of evidence. Barnes was finally arrested and confessed as above. Vance and Julia were thereupon arrested. The horrible character of the murder has created intense indignation. One hundred and fifty white men and fifty colored men assembled to punish the murderers. The negroes begged to burn prisoners. This was refused. Halters were fastened to the limb of a tree, a cart was placed under the limb and the prisoners were ordered to mount. Barnes begged to be allowed to pray, saying that he had never prayed before and never expected to again. Nothing was said by the others, a groan and "Lord have mercy," from Vance. Handkerchiefs being tied over their faces, the cart was pushed away and the trio were soon dangling in the air. Their victim was *enciente* with twins and was near her confinement.

MARRIED

At the residence of the brides parents, on the 30th inst., by the Rev. Y. W. Robertson, of Guelph, Rev. Paul Flint, of Toronto, to Lizzie, eldest daughter of Thos. Kells' Esq., of Artemesia.

BIRTHS.

In this village, on the morning of the 29th inst., the wife of Mr. James Philcox, of a daughter.

Executors Notice.

THE Executors of the Estate of the late John and Jane Gillon. of Artemesia, hereby give notice to all persons indebted to the said estate, to pay such debt forthwith and save costs. And all persons having any just claims against the said estate are requested to send in such claims, stating their nature, before the 15th day of January, 1881. to John Wright, Flesherton P.O.

JOHN WRIGHT, GEORGE BUSKIN, } Executors.

Artemesia, Dec. 23rd, 1880. 16 2in

8,000 Cords [illegible] WANTED.

THE undersigned is prepared to contract for cutting and [illegible] cords of wood from his farm [illegible] of Markdale, to be delivered [illegible] be let in small lots to suit [illegible]

C. E. [illegible]

Markdale, Dec. 10, 1880.

T. E. DAVIS,

BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, [illegible] Plastering and [illegible] promptly attended to. [illegible] Estimates on all work, [illegible] faction guaranteed. [illegible]

December 31, 1880.

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, 178, con. 2, west, Township of Ar[illegible] one Dark Bay Horse. The [illegible] requested to prove property, pay [illegible] and take him away.

SAMUEL WA[illegible]

Dec. 15, 1880.

FLESHERTON Harness Shop

THE Subscriber having purchased [illegible] siness lately carried on by Mr. [illegible] mude, begs to inform the public that he

REMOVED TO THE BUILDING OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE where he is prepared to furnish ALL KINDS of HARNESS usually found in a *First-Class Establishment*

And at prices to suit the times, and by THE BEST OF MATERIAL AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP, hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c. constantly on hand.

COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. [illegible] the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, Dec., 1880.

Mortgage Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTIES IN THE TOWNSHIPS OF Artemesia and Glenelg.

UNDER and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages made by William John Covey and John H[illegible]itt, respectively, to the Vendors, which will be produced at the time of sale, and in payment of the monies secured, by which default has been made, there will be offered for sale

By Public Auction AT RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL In the Village of Markdale ON *Thursday, the 13th day of Jan'y,* 1881, at twelve o'clock, noon, the following parcels of land:—

1. The centre portion of lot number 2[illegible] the eleventh concession of the said township of Artemesia, containing fifty acres, more or less, and being all the residue of said lot not heretofore granted to Robert Buchanan by letters patent, dated the 22nd day of Jan[illegible] 1874, and to Thomas Gilbert, by letters patent dated the 22nd day of June, 1867, [illegible] which said residue is more fully set out in the patent thereof from the Crown, to the said William John Covey, as by reference thereto will more fully appear. On the land are said to be a Frame Barn and House, [illegible] Young Orchard; 35 acres are cleared, and the soil good. This farm is on a good road about five miles from Markdale.

2. Lot number 22, in the 10th concession of the said township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about [illegible] acres are cleared and the residue free from stumps. On the premises are said to be a Log House and Barn, and the soil is a [illegible] loam. This is a very fine farm.

Terms—Ten per cent. at the time of sale, fifteen per cent. within one month thereafter, and the balance to be secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent. [illegible] or if additional satisfactory security be given no cash need be paid, or terms may be varied in any reasonable way to suit purchasers.

For further particulars, apply to ROBERT DAVIS, Auctioneer, Flesherton, Or to BETHUNE, MOSS, FALCONBRIDGE & HOYLE, Vendors' Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th Dec., 1880. 16-[illegible]

CARD.

TO MY PATRONS.

GENTLEMEN—While thanking you for the liberal patronage extended me in my Harness Business, and wishing you the complements of the season, I beg to intimate to you that I have disposed of that branch of my business to J. GORDON, and bespeak for him the liberal patronage accorded me in the past. Yours truly,

S. DAMUDE.

Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1880.

CHEAP CASH STORE

Reynolds & Son

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

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Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Dec. 31st, 1880.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Mount Forest has abolished the market fees.

Parties having wood for sale should read adv. in another column.

The Township of Culross has voted $8,000 to the T. G. and B. R. R.

Mr. Mark Armstrong, s'r., has purchased the Caswell farm for $8,500.

Mr. John Lyons was re-elected School Trustee, in Markdale.

Miss Burch offers bargains in holiday presents, vases, cups and saucers, at reduced prices, call and inspect.

The Daily *Mail* during the session of Dominion Parliament for $1.00. Subscriptions taken here.

A Big Push is expected at the masquerade to-night. The ice is not a bit soft.

The Warden of Brant gave his $100 to the poor instead of entertaining the council with it.

Our thanks are due Dr. Sproule for copies of *Hansard* and other Parliamentary documents.

We will give the Weekly *Mail* in connection with the Standard to the end of 1881 for $2.25.

You cannot do better than buy one of the 90c double steel axes, at Haskett Bros.

If you want a new stove, Haskett Bros. will be glad to see you, they have a large stock and are offering them cheap.

The County Council of Bruce, at its last sitting, instructed the Warden to memoralize the Goverment to remove the registrar from his office.

We understand that Mr. Marshall Beard, one mile from Markdale, in Artemesia, has sold his farm, 100 acres, for $3,500.

The Magic Lantern entertainment on Wednesday evening, in the Hall, was very interesting, and the views were handsome and very numerous. We did not learn what the proceeds were.

We have received the first number of the Hanover *Post*. It is to be liberal in politics but reserves to itself the privilege of criticising wrong doing by our public men irrespective of party. We wish our *cotem* success.

In the case of the editor of the *Grey Review*, of Durham, tried before a bench of majestrates, on a charge of libelling Mr. Arch McKenzie, postmaster of that place, dicision was held until the 4th of January.

The tea meeting which came off in the C. M. Chrch, on Christmas evening, was well attended, and a very pleasant time was spent; proceeds $71.00. It being Saturday evening the proceedings were brought to an end at nine o'clock.

Christmas passed off very quietly. Places of business were closed; and those of the "boys" who could get a rig, took their girls out for a drive; others attended the tea-meeting in the C. M. Church. On the whole everybody seemed as happy as a "big sunflower."

The Toronto papers are complaining that they have had no sleighing as yet. We have no complaint to make on that score in Markdale, as we have had the best of sleighing for over a month past and there is a decided hum in all branches of business.

The January number of *Our Little Folks* has been received. It is, without exception, the best magazine for children we have ever seen, and parents who desire to amuse their little ones should not hesitate to subscribe. The stories contained in it are interesting and instructive, and it is also beautifully illustrated. Published by the Russell Publishing Co. 149 Tremont street Boston, Mass. Terms $1.50 per annum.

Fire.—At about 3 o'clock on Monday, 27th inst a fire was discovered in the building occupied by Joseph Lamb, Blacksmith. When first discovered it had gained considerable headway, nearly the whole inside of the roof being on fire; but by the prompt exertions of our citizens it was soon got under control. Fortunately it occurred during daylight for had it occurred during the night the results would have been most disastrous, as the house was surrounded on all sides by frame buildings. Had it once got well going there is no knowing where it would have stopped.

The Xmas Tea Meeting held in the P. M. Chruch, Townsend's Lake, on Christmas Eve last was a decided success, congregation good, night fine, and every body in good spirits so far as we could see. After partaking of a bountiful repast, W. Brown Esq., of Markdale, was introduced to the audience as chairman of the evening, by the Rev. C. C. Garnett, who with his usual courtesy and ability presided. The choir under the leadership of Mr. W. Boyle rendered excellent service during the evening, and were warmly applauded The following is the programme as regards the speakers, reading, Mr. Bliss, recitation, Miss Williams, of Markdale, speech, Rev. W. Walker, speech, Mr. Y. Morwood, speech, Rev. Mr. Wilson, Markdale, cutting affair, lead by Rev. C. C. Garnett and Mrs. C. C. Garnett, which consisted in the selling of a large cake, one of the pieces of which contained a gold wedding ring, and when it was found that Miss Edwards was the fortunate one, every person seemed to think that after all there might be some truth in the old adage, "that coming events cast their shadows before." The closing address was given by Mr. Boyle. After the usual thanks this really enjoyable entertainment was brought to a close.

Read Reynolds and sons new adv.

We draw attention to Mr. T. E. Davis' card in this issue of Standard.

Quite a talk about the tea Richardson sells at 50 cents, those who have tried it say it is unequalled.

The Daily *Globe* from the opening to the close of the Dominion Parliament for *only one dollar*. Subscriptions taken at this office.

The Anniversary of the Methodist Sunday School, will be held at Flesherton, on New Year's day. An attractive programme in preparation; tea served at 6 p. m.

Masquerade.—There is to be a Masquerade Carnival on the Markdale Skating Rink on Friday the 31st inst.; when several valuable prizes will be offered for particulars see posters.

The by-law for a bonus of $3,000 towards widening the gauge of the Toronto Grey and Bruce R. R., was voted on in Harriston, on the 28th inst., and was carried by a majority of 21.

A shooting match for turkeys, geese and ducks, takes place at Berkeley on New Year's day. The proceedings will close with a grand concert in the evening at T. Brown's Hall, admission 15c.

L. O. L. No. 797, Dundalk, give a soiree, on New Year's evening, at which addresses will be delivered, and good music in the intervals. A good time is promised. Don't forget to attend.

On Tuesday night of last week Mr. Goodie's store house near the railway, was broken into and sever. hogs stolen. They were discovered by a Mr. Williams in what is known as Cardwell's swamp buried under a load of hay, which had the appearance of being upset. Will give full particulars next week.

The weather for the past week had been rather mild; but on Monday night the wind turned round to the North and the Thermometor dropped from freezing point down to zero. Snow fell during Monday night and Tuesday, which the wind drifted in every direction, making a comotion anything but pleasant.

It will be seen by reference to our advertising columns that Mr. J. Gordon, has bought out the saddle and harness business lately carried on by Mr. Damude, at Flesherton. Mr. Gordon is said to be an experienced workman, and we would recommend those requiring anything in his line, to give him a call.

Serious Accident.—A day or two since, while a son of John Wilson, 10th concession, Glenelg, aged 14 years, was carelessly playing with a dynamite cartridge, it exploded taking off the top of the left thumb and about half the first finger and badly damaging the third finger. Medical aid was procured and the hand properly dressed.

The weather on Wednesday morning was extremely cold the Thermometer registering 5 degrees below zero. A noon it had risen a few degrees, but setting round the stove, was decidedly preferable to being out of doors. There has been considerable drifting and the trains have been delayed in consequence. The express from Toronto on Tuesday, did not arrive until near 6 p.m., and that from Owen Sound, on Wednesday, not arriving untl after 11 a.m.

Railway Accident.—A train on the Grand Trunk ran into a team one day last week, containing six persons, killing four of them and slightly injuring the other two. The occupants of the sleigh had been on a visit to some friends to spend Christmas day, and were on their way home when the train ran into them. No blame is attached to the trainmen. Two of those killed were important witnesses for the defence in the celebrated Bidulph cases.

We have received the Jan'y number of the American Ariculturist and as usual it is replete with information most beneficial to the farmer. It is a work that should be in every farm house as the information contained in it will pay ten fold the amount of subscription. Remember you can get this valuable magazine for *only one dollar* by clubbing with the Standard, or if you wish to take the Magazine without the Standard $1.50 per annum. Subscriptions received at this office.

Some time since a Mr. Hillis had a horse and set of double harness stolen from him. The horse was discovered at Paisley, but no trace of the harness. About a week ago, it was discovered that the thief was working at Mr. T. Sims' lot 19 in the 18th con. Glenelg. By some means, he heard the constable was on his trail, he suddenly took his departure, taking with him a horse, the product of a second trade but left the harness which had also been traded. It is not known with whom he made the last trade. We are informed the animal had a lump on his jaw and was about 5 years old.

We have this week to chronicle th sad intelligence of the death of Mr Wm. J. Moore, whose parents reside a short distance from this village. He left his home last fall for the purpose of taking up land near Bruce Mines. About a month since he was taken ill and after a short illness, died. His parents have the heartfelt sympathy of all their friends and neighbors. His death has cast a gloom over the entire neighborhood, as the deceased was highly esteemed by all who knew him. His parents have a great consolation in their bereavement in knowing that their son died in the the sure and certain hope of a better life in the world to come.—Com.

The Montreal "Weekly Witness" is a paper that devotes especial attention to the Farmers' needs. The Agricultural Department is edited by W. F. Clarke, Esq., Lindenbank, Guelph, who is widely known as at one time the editor of the *Canada Farmer*, and more recently the "Witness" lecturer on agriculture. His editorial articles and "Agricultural Letter box" are especially attractive. The Witness Markets are all perfectly reliable and very full. Hardly less valuable is the veterinary colum conducted by D. McEachran, F.R.C.V.S., Principal of the Montreal Veterinary College, and the Dominion Inspector of live stock. His name stands in the front rank of Veterinary surgeons on this continent, and the prompt replies given to correspondents are valuable. A "Poultry colum" has just been added, and promises to be of great assistance to poultry farmers, who are growing in number. In the cities and towns especially the raising of fowls is increasing in popularity. While these departments are of especial value to the farmers, the cultivators of the soil in a smaller way, and the gentlemen and ladies who are fond of gardening, are not neglected. The legal department, in which all legal questions are answered by one competent to perform this work, is a valuable assistance to all men of business. And then the paper is full of information of especial interest to the family, even the little children having a column to themselves. An especial feature about this paper is that every department is carefully *edited*, not thrown together hap-hazard, so that those relying on any information given are not likely to be misled. Every subscriber of the "Weekly Witness" can tell of special offers whereby old and new subscribers are benefited.

THE NOMINATIONS.

Glenelg.—For Reeve, F. McRae, Esq., elected by acclamation. For Deputy Reeve, Thomas Davis, Wm. Hall, Neil McCannell. For Councillors, Jno. Black, Geo. Bennie, Nathan Dunsmoor, Wm. Glencross, John A. McMillan, Patrick Neil.

Holland.—In this Township Wm. Howey, Reeve; and John Cameron, Deputy Reeve, were re-elected by acclamation. For Councillors, Anthony Shute, Wm. Norton, Justis Merrium, Robert Carson, and James Gillespie were nominated.

Artemesia.—Dr. Christoe, Reeve; and Councillors Wright and Pedlar were elected by acclamation. For Ward No. 1, Messrs R. Stone, A. Webster and D. McLeod were nominated; Ward No. 2, A. Elliott and T. Boland, were nominated.

Proton.—For Reeve, J. J. Middleton, Wm. Nelson. Depty Reeve, Messrs McMillan and Abbott. Councillors, Messrs Buckley, Black, McCardle and Peer.

Owen Sound.—Por Mayor, C. E. Barnhart, Esq., elected by acclamation. For Reeve—John Fox and Jno Chishoim. For 1st Deputy Reeve, Matthew Kennedy, elected by acclamation. For 2nd Deputy Reeve, R. Malcolm and J. W. Frost.

Derby.—Reeve—Jas. Cochrane and Robert Alexander Stark.

Sarawak.—Reeve—Robt McNaught re-elected.

St. Vincent.—Reeve—C. R. Sing, and James Doublebee. Deputy Reeve, N. Reid and J. H. Burnett.

Durham.—Mayor—Hy. Middaugh, Reeve, G. McKechnie, by acclamation.

Shelburne.—Reeve—Wm. Jelley, M.P.P., elected by acclamation.

Euphrasia. — Reeve — Patterson, Miles and Carr. Deputy Reeve, Boyd and Erskine.

EUPHRASIA.

To the Editor of the Standard.

McGlochlin, the notorious, who has been a dread to this part of the country, is we are happy to say, enjoying his Christmas festivities, in her majestys large stone mansion in Owen Sound. He was cleverly captured by John Loughead, of Meaford, after an exciting chase from Meaford to Duntroon, below Collingwood. It is expected and hoped that it will lead to the discovery of the perpetrators of the robberies in Euphrasia last fall, public opinion is, that he was the chief in these transactions, and others are now known to be implicated.

Election matters are brisk, Mr. Patterson is sure of success, as Reeve. —Com.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

Municipal Nomination.—The following gentlemen were nominated for a seat at the "Green Table" in the Town Hall, in the Township of Artemesia, for the year 1881.

Reeve, Dr. Christoe, elected by acclamation. Councillors—Ward No. 1, R. Stone, A. Webster, D. McLeod. Ward No. 2, A. Elliott, T. Boland. Ward No. 3, Thorp Wright, elected by acclamation. Ward No. 4, S. Pedlar, elected by acclamation.

Sabbath School Anniversary.—The Anniversary of the Presbyterian Sabbath School, was held in the Town Hall, on the evening of Christmas day. The attendance was large that a great number of the people could not get seated. The chair was ably filled during the evening by Mr. Meldrum. The programme was rendered with credit to all of the performers and the order mantained during the evening was excellent. The receipts at the door amounted to $65.

Serenaders.—We were agreeably surprised on Christmas morning about one o'clock, by a band of serenaders. The music rendered was the sweetest and most christian like we have ever heard in this village. We can assure this company of a kind and fitting reception the next time we are honored with its presence.

Brevities.—The public schools open on the 3rd of January.. ...J. W. Henderson and family of Toronto, are on a visit to the scenes of their childhood......Vennor can't foretell the weather worth a hen......Good ice on the rink.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

Christmas passed off quiet. A Christmas tree in the Methodist Church in the evening; an over crowded house; a good entertainment—proceeds about $40. A tea in the Presbyterian Church in aid of the Sabbath School, also a good turnout, proceeds $27.

Nomination at Hopeville.—A large number from all parts of the township; quite a number being nominated for councillors and deputy. They all withdrew but 4 for councillors, Messrs Buckley, Black, McCardle and Peer. For Deputy, Messrs McMillan and Abbott. For Reeve, J. J. Middleton, and Wm. Nelson.

Our school trustee election came off to day 29th, Mr. Geo. Nixon was elected by acclamation, in place of Mr. Geo. Middleton.—Fast Asleep.

A TRAGIC STORY.

The way was long, the wind was cold,
The traveller was infirm and old,
His withered cheek and tresses gray,
Showed he had known a better day.
His hat was bad his boots were leaky,
And with a cold his voice was squeaky,
And he vowed it was an eternal shame,
That an old man should go half clad,

Such weather, when a nice tweed suit can be bought at M. Richardson's for $7.75, and a good warm overcoat for $5. Hats and boots proportionally cheap.

HONOR ROLL.

Markdale public school promotion examination, from the fourth to the fifth classes, the following are the names of the successful candidates with the standing of each. Number of marks possible to be taken 260; Number of marks necessary to be taken 130. John Thibaudeau, 145; W. J. Douglas, 140; Lizzie Kay, 134; Wm. Irving, 132. Much credit is due to M. Bowes, K. McDuff, C. Burns, A. Might, and L. Might, and if they apply themselves faithfully to their school work they will no doubt meet with success at Easter.

PRESENTATION.

Mr. N. B. Grier, who has at present retired from the teachers profession, was made the happy recipient of a nice testimonial consisting of a gentleman's beautifully ornamented China Coffee Cup and saucer, together with a mate for it for Mrs. Grier, by the pupils of Priceville, on the last day of the school year, accompanied by the following address.

Mr. N. B. Grier, Teacher,

Sir,—We the pupils of Priceville public school, upon this the last day of your labor amongst us, wish to convey to you a small token of our gratitude. We know we have many times merited your displeasure, although you have always been kind and forbearing with us; but as we are now about to separate as teacher and pupils we wish you to forgive all past offences, and have something almost constantly before you by which you can recall a kindly rememberance of us. Hence we desire you and Mrs. Grier to accept these mementoes together with our sincere wishes that you may succeed in business as well in the future as you have done in the past as a teacher. Hoping that you may both have long life and prosperity we conclude by tendering to yourself our sincere thanks for past services, and wishing you and your family a merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Signed and presented in behalf of the pupils.

Aggie Webster,
Maggie Morehead,
Ada Summerville.

The teacher having assured the pupils that he was both very much surprised and pleased, and likewise very much affected, returned thanks to his young friends, and asked to be forgiven by those (if any) who may have thought that he had at any time punished them too severely; praised the pupils for their deligence, aptitude, and general proficiency, and deleived that they could compare favorably with any village children in the county. He also promised a more suitable reply soon in the shape of a basket of nuts. Mrs. Grier also returned thanks, Mr Riley, trustee, spoke in praise of the manifest abilities displayed by the pupils, especially in mental arithmetic. Miss E. A. Wright assistant teacher also added her quota to the enterainment of pupils and friends, indeed she seemed to be thought the moving spirit of the occasion—"the wheel within the wheel," and she eventually wound up a happy time for those interested by leading the pupils in one of her favorite school songs,

yours &c.,
Disciputus.

Dec. 23rd, 1880.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Proton Council met as per adjournment at Dundalk, at Reid's Hall, on Friday, the 3rd day of December, 1880, at 10 a. m. Members all present, J. J. Middleton, Esq., presiding. The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and adopted. Several communications were received and read; also accounts received, read and ordered to be paid. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the following grants be given for the purpose of hiring teams and drawing gravel into low places on the respective roads, viz.: side road No. 22, cons. 7 and 8, $50, Adam Boyce Overseer; side road No. 12, con 6, $50, Wm. Boyd Overseer; between lots 23 and 27, con 12, $25, including grant made last summer, James Graham Overseer; side road 280, the sum of $25, R. Irvine Overseer—authority being given to the Reeve to issue orders to Overseers.—Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the following parties be appointed deputy-returning officers for the next Municipal Elections at the following places—Division No. 1, Jas. Menzies, at his house, lot 14, con 5; Division No. 2, Jas. Cavanagh, at Goodsen's Hall, Hopeville, lot 12, con. 10; Division No. 3, Peter Rose, at the house of Duncan McMillan lot 15, con. 16; Division No. 4, Jas. Fraser, at the house of Joseph Elverton, lot 33, con. 18; Division No. 5, Alex. McConnell, at the Orange Hall, Dundalk.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that a By-law on Public Morals, read a first and second time, be now read a third time and signed, sealed and engrossed on the Minutes, and numbered 211.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming that a grant of $25 be given to put gravel on the 12th side road, con. 14, and a similar sum to 280 side road, with authority to the Reeve to issue orders to Overseers.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that John Cooper be allowed to perform $10 worth of gravelling on the 37th side line, between the 9th and 10th concessions, being a part of arrears of taxes against lot 35, con. 8, to be performed under the Councillor of the Division.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the assessment of Donald Campbell be reduced $50.—Carried. Mr. Boyd moved seconded by Mr. Fleming, that all taxes against lots 37 and 38, con 5, up to the end of the present year, including the amounts for which said lots were sold during the current year, be expended in opening a road between said lots and on said work being performed, the Clerk is requested to have the said taxes erased.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the statute labor commuted on the Roll in taxes against Robert Ingle, lot 19, concession 16, be erased on the said Ingle performing statute labor immediately falling timber for the same.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the statute labor assessed in taxes on lots 40 and 41, Con. 7, being the sum of $6, be expended by Mr. Agnew opposite the said lots in cutting out.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that a grant of $39 be given to pay for the erection of a bridge on the 14th con., lot 16.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the Collector receive the Pathmaster's certificate in lieu of statute labor charged on the Roll against lot 24, con. 12, as the work has been performed.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that Mr. Middleton be paid the sum of $5 for gravel supplied for road improvements, and that the Reeve issue an order for the same.—Carried, Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the sum of $8 be granted to improve the Town Line of Proton and Egremont, opposite the 4th con. to supplement a similar amount from Egremont, be paid.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the petition of Wm. Nelson, David Davidson, James Robinson, Samuel Stokes, John Abbott, John Stevenson, James Menzies, Charles McConnell, James Cavanagh and 150 other ratepayers within section of the Township of Proton described in said petition, be received, and that a By-law in aid of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company be introduced for $6,000, in accordance with the prayer of said petition, and be read a first time.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the following accounts be paid out of the funds deposited with the Treasurer to cover the expenses incurred in voting on the By-law to grant a bonus of $8,000 to the T., G. & B. Ry.: J. Townsend, for printing and publishing railway By-law, $21; Stovell & Son for ballots, &c., $12; Messengers, $4; Clerk, $5; for five Deputy Returning Officers, $20; for polling booths, $12.50; Council for one day, $10.—Carried. Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that Samuel McLean be refunded the taxes accruing on $50 of his assessment, being difference between his schedule and the roll. Council adjourned to meet tomorrow, Saturday, Dec. 4th, at 9 o'clock, a. m.

Dec. 4.—Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that Deputy Returning officers on vote for bonus to T., G. & B. Ry. be paid $4 each, and that they be paid for each polling booth used for said purpose $2.50, said amounts being received from the Company.—Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the account of John Vert be paid, viz.: five months' services $62.50, selection of jurors $5, ink 30c, pens and holders 70c, mucilage and twine 10c, postage stamps $1 50.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that a grant of $10 be given for reparing the Saugeen bridge on side road 12, con. 18, it being in an unsafe condition for travel.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that widows Foster, Boyce and Davis each receive a grant of $5, as they are in poor circumstances.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that Samuel Fleming receive the sum of $1 for one-half day's work—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Fleming, that the following accounts be paid: W. Kough for constable's attire $17, Stovel & Son $12, Jas. H. Little $2.16, Stovel & Son $30.25.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of A. Gillespie for $2 for reparing bridge on 12th side road, con. 6.—Carried. Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the Treasurer's account be paid, stationery and blank books, $3.68; postage, 50c; travelling exdences three times to Mount Forest to pay coupons and debentures for schools, $8; Treasurer's salary, $65.25.—Carried. Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the Council receive their pay up to date. Carried. Mr. Boyd moved, seconded by Mr. Flemming, that the Clerk be instructed to ascertain from the County Treas. the amount of taxes turned in default against lot 19, con. 14, and when paid that the clerk have the same erased.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the Clerk ascertain from Messrs. Creasor and Morrison, Owen Sound, the accountability of this Municipality to Thomas Sevil for having returned lot 20, con 10, for taxes, when the same was vested in the Crown.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Agnew, that the Clerk ascertain the arrears of taxes against lot 23, in the 12th con.—Carried. Mr. Agnew moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Clerk be requested to erase all taxes against lot 29, con 9, for 1879, the same being paid to the Township Treasurer.—Carried. Mr. Fleming moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the nominations for Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Councillors, be held at Hopeville. Council adjourned *sine die*.

John Vert, Tp. Clerk.

A TERRIBLE TRAGEDY.

The following are the details of the tragedy already reported; On Sunday Thomas Kennedy, living in Salem, Claredon county, intending to visit Charleston went to his father's house a short distance away to ask his mother to stay with his wife during his absence. Kennedy has only been married a year. He is about 20 years of age, intelligent, refined and highly respected. When her husband left she shut the door and sat by the window to write to her mother. Seeing in the yard Joe Barnes, colored, aged, 16, and employed by Kennedy the previous week, she asked him to bring an armful of wood. The boy had been induced by Vance Brandt and his sister Julia, both colored, aged 18 and 15 to notify them when Kennedy left the place. They thought Kennedy had a good deal of money in the house. When Joe turned to go for the wood he gave the signal to Vance to come into the yard; the latter went to the window and three times tried to get in each time he was shoved out by Mrs. Kennedy, who then opened the door and was running through the gate when Vance knocked her down with a hoe. She implored mercy, he cursed and said. "I,se been waiting to kill you for a long time," and struck her two more blows. Julia then arrived with another hoe and severed the victim's head. The murderers then robbed the house. Kennedy afterwards found his wife outside of the gate mutilated, cold, and stiff, with her head almost severed in twain, the entire cranium cut off from ear to ear, leaving the brain scattered around. Several colored people have been arrested on suspicion but were discharged for want of evidence. Barnes was finally arrested and confessed as above. Vance and Julia were thereupon arrested. The horrible character of the murder has created intense indignation. One hundred and fifty white men and fifty colored men assembled to punish the murderers. The negroes begged to burn prisoners. This was refused. Halters were fastened to the limb of a tree, a cart was placed under the limb and the prisoners were ordered to mount. Barnes begged to be allowed to pray, saying that he had never prayed before and never expected to again. Nothing was said by the others, a groan and "Lord have mercy," from Vance. Handkerchiefs being tied over their faces, the cart was pushed away and the trio were soon dangling in the air. Their victim was *enciente* with twins and was near her confinement.

MARRIED

At the residence of the brides parents, on the 30th inst., by the Rev. Y. W. Robertson, of Guelph, Rev. Paul Flint, of Toronto, to Lizzie, eldest daughter of Thos. Kells' Esq. of Artemesia.

BIRTHS.

In this village, on the morning of the 29th inst., the wife of Mr. James Philcox, of a daughter.

Executors Notice.

THE Executors of the Estate of the late John and Jane Gillon, of Artemesia, hereby give notice to all persons indebted to the said estate, to pay such debt forthwith and save costs. And all persons having any just claims against the said estate are requested to send in such claims, stating their nature, before the 15th day of January, 1881, to John Wright, Flesherton P.O.

JOHN WRIGHT, GEORGE BUSKIN, Executors.

Artemesia, Dec. 23rd, 1880.

3,000 Cords Wood WANTED.

THE undersigned is prepared to contract for cutting and hauling cords of wood from his farm 21 miles of Markdale, to be delivered at the lot in small lots to suit contractors, particulars see

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Markdale, Dec. 30, 1880.

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December 31, 1880.

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INTO the premises of the undersigned, lot 178, con. 2, west, Township of Artemesia, one Dark Bay Horse. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away.

SAMUEL WADE.

Dec. 15, 1880.

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Flesherton, Dec., 1880.

Mortgage Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTIES IN THE TOWNSHIPS OF Artemesia and Glenelg.

UNDER and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages made by William John Covey and John Hewitt, respectively, to the Vendors, which will be produced at the time of sale, and in default of payment of the monies secured, by which default has been made, there will be offered for sale

By Public Auction, AT RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, In the Village of Markdale,

ON

Thursday, the 13th day of Jan'y, 1881, at twelve o'clock, noon, the following parcels of land:—

1. The centre portion of lot number 11, in the eleventh concession of the said township of Artemesia, containing fifty acres, more or less, and being all the residue of said lot not heretofore granted to Robert Buchanan by letters patent, dated the 22nd day of June, 1874, and to Thomas Gilbert, by letters patent dated the 22nd day of June, 1867, which said residue is more fully set out in the patent thereof from the Crown, to the said William John Covey, as by reference thereto will more fully appear. On the lands are said to be a Frame Barn and House, and Young Orchard; 35 acres are cleared, and the soil good. This farm is on a good road about five miles from Markdale.

2. Lot number 22, in the 10th concession of the said township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about acres are cleared and the residue free from stumps. On the premises are said to be a Log House and Barn, and the soil is a loam. This is a very fine farm.

Terms—Ten per cent. at the time of sale, fifteen per cent. within one month thereafter, and the balance to be secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent. per annum, or if additional satisfactory security be given no cash need be paid, or terms may be arranged in any reasonable way to suit purchasers. For further particulars, apply to ROBERT DAVIS, Auctioneer, Flesherton. Or to BETHUNE, MOSS, FALCONBRIDGE & HOYLE, Vendors' Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th Dec., 1880.

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TO MY PATRONS.

GENTLEMEN—While thanking you for the liberal patronage extended me in my Harness Business, and wishing you the complements of the season, I beg to inform you that I have disposed of that branch of my business to J. GORDON, and bespeak for him the liberal patronage accorded me in the past. Yours truly,

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Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1880.

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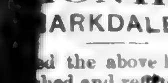

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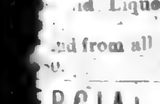

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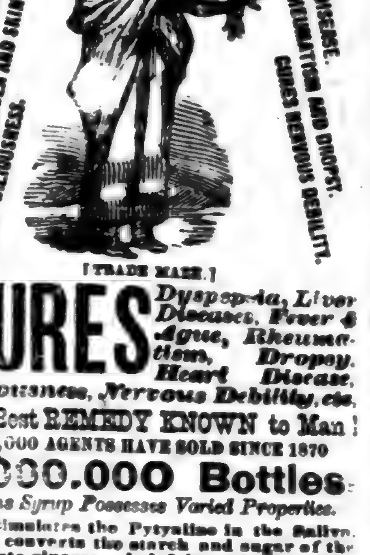

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SAVED HER LIFE.

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Dear Sir—I have been under the doctors' hands almost continually for eight years, this year being the first that I have not employed a physician. After using your Indian Blood Syrup for a brief space of time, I was enabled to do all my work. I truly believe it was the means of saving my life.

MRS. MARY LEONARD.

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Burford, Brant Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.

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DEAR SIR:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me. MRS. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I have used your great Idian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.

MELSON CARR.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

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DEAR SIR:—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.

W. N. CURROW.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

Cross Hill, Waterloo Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves. NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. BORISON.

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JAY GOULD, last year, invested $150,000 in a residence and grounds at Irvington, on the Hudson river. At an early hour on Saturday morning flames utterly destroyed the conservatory, a Moorish structure, four hundred and eighty feet long, filled with the most rare and valuable plants. The pecuniary loss is $150,000, which is unusual.

GENERAL.

THE bachelor world of Paris is interested in the expected arrival of a Mexican nabob, Mr. Ichibisque, this month. He was born in the Basque country, began life as a cabin boy, and has made millions in the diamond trade. He takes with him his daughters.

THOUGH the people can believe seriously in the possibility of tunnelling under the sea for a railway from England to France, the Southeastern Railway Company in England have been boring away for several weeks at Dover. They are now tunnelling a gallery under the sea through the chalk beds, and the work is to be continued in a year.

MONS DE LESSEPS read a paper some time ago before the French Academy, stating that he believed he had discovered the actual place where the Israelites crossed the Red Sea. A French priest thinking his arguments conclusive, is appealing for funds for dredging purposes, in order to bring to light any remains of Pharaoh's army which may be under the sand.

DR. SCHWEINFURTH, the Soudan traveller, has published at Vienna a letter, just received from Cairo, which stigmatizes in strong terms the recent increase in the Egyptian slave trade. The resumption of the traffic dates from the deposition of the ex-Khedive and the retirement of Sir Samuel Baker; but it has increased more especially since Col. Gordon has left. In spite of the English and French Consulates, there is every week a wholesale importation of little negro children into Jeddah, and there is no prospect of this lucrative traffic soon coming to an end.

LIONS roar most in stormy weather. It was observed that when a large menagerie wintered two years ago at a place where about that time snow fell nearly every day, the lions were constantly roaring, for as soon as one began the rest all followed suit. Some years ago there was a large menagerie exhibiting in South Shields (England) market-place, and during evening service in a neighbouring church the lions threw out their deep sonorous tones, and this mingling with the chanting of the psalms and fine tones of the organ had a remarkable effect.

SOME bunko swindlers at Cincinnati put a green farmer through the usual process of meeting a forgotten acquaintance, who had drawn a prize in a lottery; of going with this "steerer" to the den of the rascals, and being there induced to invest $50 in the bunko game. But at the point where he was expected to retire a quiet loser he drew a revolver, and declared, with many rural oaths, that he would have his money back or take away life in the place. He got his money.

THIRTY-FIVE years ago when Capt. Stone made Moundville, W. Va., his home, he planted two seeds, informing his family that he would like to raise wood for his coffin. Only one seed sprouted, and in the course of thirty years became a fine tree. During a severe wind storm eighteen months ago the tree fell. It was sent to a Pittsburg firm to be cut into lumber, and in due time returned to the Captain in the shape of a handsome coffin; and now, to complete the story, its owner has just been buried in it.

IT is many years since either party in England has had the benefit of a political salon. The Duchess of Manchester has established herself in London for the winter, and intends to make her house the focus of politics and the place where distinguished men of all shades of politics can meet and talk over the events. She possesses all the qualities necessary for successfully carrying out this idea. The campaign was recently inaugurated by a dinner, at which Lord Beaconsfield, Lord Hartington, Lord Dufferin, and Lord Odo Russell met, and were joined in the evening by a few choice political spirits, including the Secretary for Ireland.

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

SHAKESPEARE fixed the age of *Juliet* at 14, but on the stage the maturity of actresses capable of playing the part makes an alteration of the text necessary. San Francisco, however, is to have a fourteen-year-old *Juliet* in the person of a juvenile prodigy.

"MICHEL STROGOFF," the spectacular drama recently put upon the stage at the Chatelet, in Paris, has cost over $90,000 to produce, and the nightly expenses are $1,5000. As the house only holds $2,250, it is obvious that the piece must run for over a year, if it is to be a profitable speculation.

THE Passion Play performed at Oberammergau during the past season realized $80,000. A balance of $29,000, after deducting expenses, was divided between the performers. The person who presented the Saviour got the largest share, namely, $250. Judas realized more than the thirty pieces of silver. The disciples were paid $100 each, and the women of the drama realized very little.

POOR YORICK'S SKULL.—Mr. Florence relates that the elder Booth, while playing Hamlet in a Virginia town, found himself without the important skull. A little darkey volunteered to get one. When Booth was leaving the theatre he felt some-one tugging at his coat tail. He looked around and saw the little nigger. "What will you have, sonny?" "Please, say, I want daddy's skull, say." "Daddy's skull?" "Yes, sah. Dat used to be de ole man's headpiece afore de mewel kicked him, an' mammy'll lick me to rags if I lose it."

MADAMOISELLE'S LACE.—I once saw in Paris a magnificent stage costume, made for Mme. Judic. On the skirt was the loveliest tablier of rich lace I ever beheld. The dress was displayed on account of that lace; and that lace was worth, perhaps, 25f. For it was paper, wonderfully stamped, and represented chains of fuchsias, and looked just as much a piece of real lace as a Paris diamond by night looks an old mine gem. Parisian actresses wear that paper lace a great deal; it is tough, soft, and very effective. To wear a costly lot of lace, which may be ruined in a night, when $5 worth of lace paper looks as well, is considered the height of folly by intelligent foreigners.

PUTTING OUT THE SUN.—Foote relates the following as having occurred at the Market Drayton Theatre. The company were performing the "Pizarro," when, during the hymn to the sun, the lights being placed too close to the transparency representing that luminary, it, unfortunately, took fire; the manager, who was playing the high priest, observed the occurence just after singing the words, "Oh power supreme," and, in the utmost consternation, cried out to the stage manager, "The sun's on fire," then proceeding with the hymn, "Oh power supreme," &c., "—— your eyes, put out the sun, I say." The sun, however, continued to blaze; the actors, notwithstanding their fears, were convulsed with laughter. The conflagration being at last extinguished, the play proceeded.

FIDGETY Lady—"But what am I to do! I can't ride with my back to the engine." Insolent youth—"Better speak to the conductor. He'll turn the train round to oblige you."

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Dream Pedlary.

If there were dreams to sell,
What would you buy?
Some cost a passing bell,
Some a light sigh
That shakes from life's fresh crown
Only a rose-leaf down.
If there were dreams to sell,
Merry and sad to tell,
And the crier rang the bell,
What would you buy?

My Rights.

"Yes God has made me a woman,
And I am content to be
Just what he meant, not reaching out
For other things, since He
Who knows me best and loves me most has ordered this for me.

"A woman, to live my life out
In quiet, womanly ways,
Hearing the far-off battle,
Seeing as through a haze
The crowding struggling world of men fight through their busy days.

I am not strong or valiant,
I would not join the fight,
Or jostle with crowds in the highways
To sully my garments white;
But I have rights as a woman, and here I claim my right.

"The right of a rose to bloom
In its own sweet separate way,
With none to question the perfumed pink
And none to utter a nay,
If it reaches a root or points a thorn, as even a rose-tree may.

"The right of the lady-birch to grow,
To grow as the Lord shall please,
By never a sturdy oak rebuked,
Denied nor sun nor breeze,
For all its pliant slenderness, kin to the stronger trees.

"The right to a life of my own—
Not merely a casual bit
Of somebody else's life, flung out
That, taking hold of it,
I may stand as a cipher does, after a numeral writ.

"The right to gather and glean
What food I need and can
From the garnered store of knowledge
Which man has heaped for man;
Taking with free hands freely and after an ordered plan.

"The right! ah, best and sweetest!
To stand all undismayed,
Whenever sorrow or want or sin
Call for a woman's aid;
With none to cavil or question, by never a look gainsaid.

"I do not ask for a ballot;
Though very life were at stake,
I would beg for the nobler justice
That men for manhood's sake
Should give ungrudgingly, nor withhold till I must fight and take.

"The fleet foot and the feeble foot
Both seek the self-same goal,
The weakest soldier's name is writ
On the great army-roll;
And God who made man's body strong, made too the woman's soul."

Vindictive and Jealous Character of the Czar's New Wife—Stories of Her Vengeance—Favorite and Czarina.

Says *Le Voltaire*: It was some time in 1865. The governor-general of the Baltic provinces, as representative of the Czar, gave a ball to the aristocracy in his superb palace at Riga. Nothing was lacking which could add to the brilliancy of the entertainment. The governor-general received the guests (among whom were the greatest nobility of the Baltic provinces), in the great Ritersaal, or Knight's Hall a d wife stood at his side.

The governor-general at that time was his high excellence, the general-in chief A——, the emperor's aide-de-camp. His wife was the eldest sister of the woman upon whose lips now hang the destinies of the empire of the czars. I speak of the celebrated Princess Dolgorouki, now the legitimate wife of Alexander II.

I was invited to that ball, and it was then that I beheld for the first time Mme. A——, who before the advent of her sister had occupied the same position at the imperial court. Tall, well-made, of very delicate complexion, with magnificent chestnut hair, she was still what is commonly termed a beautiful woman. Only, her eyes, which were of a deep blue, were nearly always half closed. She suffers from a disease of the eyes.

Maid of honor to the empress, it was at Peterhof, the magnificent imperial palace near St. Petersburg, that she had first attracted the notice of the Czar Alexander II. It is said that on one occasion the princess, feeling fatigued after a promenade, sat down upon a bench in the park. But she had forgotten her parasol, and the sun incommoded her. Then the czar, like a gallant gentleman, placed himself before her and sheltered her with the shadow of his lofty figure.

"Are you now satisfied?" he asked, smilingly. "A great empire now protects you in my person against the fire of noonday."

"No, sire," replied the princess, "for now I have two suns before me, instead of one, which is too much for any mortal to bear."

Nevertheless it was not she, but her younger sister, who was finally destined to touch the sovereign's heart.

A growing jealousy between the sisters finally took such a shape that the two consanguineous rivals finally came to blows.

The Czar himself witnessed in silence and on more than one occasion these scenes of violence in which the two Amazons fought in single combat.

In order to put an end to so serious an antagonism, which was even manifested in public, he married the elder sister to the general, whose rapid march to high fortune was assured by this union.

The new Czarina is now 34 years old. She is still one of the most beautiful women of the imperial court. She is reproached with being boundlessly ambitious, mercilessly vindictive, and devoid of all respect even for her lofty position. Many are the courtiers whose position was ruined through having incurred her displeasure.

Especially notable is the case of the Prince O——, who owes his disgrace to her. The princess had ordered a magnificent pocket-mirror, mounted in gold, and above which was fixed an imperial crown. Whenever she looked at herself in this mirror the crown appeared exactly as if encircling her brows. One day, while she was showing this mirror to the countess, who admired the magnificence of its workmanship, Prince O—— could not restrain himself from asking the princess whether the splendid object was not a present from her sister, wife of Gen. A——; for, if he were not greatly mistaken, he had seen in her possession just such a mirror when she was still a maid of honor.

Next day, by imperial order, Prince O—— was sent to Siberia to inspect the condition of the troops stationed near the Chinese frontier.

Dr. Karell, physician to the czar, also owed his disgrace to the princess.

The emperor, greatly worried and suffering, had made a voyage to Finland without the princess. He remained in that country about fifteen days. When he came back to St. Petersburg he felt much better and less nervous. He also looked a great deal better.

The emperor asked his private physician, Dr. Karell, what this remarkable amelioration was due to. Now, Karell is a [illegible] of the government of Esthonia. A rough, blunt man, and rather uneducated, he was never distinguished for the delicacy of his observations.

"Why the cause is very simple, indeed," he said to the Czar.

"Come, now: what is it?"

"Your majesty is better simply because you left your lieutenant-in-petticoats behind you!"

The czar repeated this to the princess. A few days after Karell lost his office at the court.

Count Schouvaloff himself had some disagreeable experience of the beautiful favorite's resentment.

He had the agreeable but dangerous gift of making puns. And it was generally he who furnished the imperial court with its supply of puns.

So long as the princess was not punned upon, everything went along smoothly; but one day the count dared to make, to his own cost, a biting allusion to the hands of the Princess Dolgorouki, whose name in Russian signifies *Longhand*.

The high spirited princess determined that he should be punished at any cost, if only by way of making an example.

He was banished from the court where he wielded an immense influence, under pretext of sending him him as ambassador to London, a post by no means to his liking.

He is now received into favor again; but he has never been able to regain the great position he formerly held.

Purchased Beauty.

A lady correspondent who has patronized the New York "bazar of beauty," an institution devoted to beautifying the female face and figure, says the result is simply this:—No woman can paint without detection. Devotees of fashion may just as well abandon the contrary opinion. I looked into the mirror on getting out of the chair, and hardly recognized myself. My face was greatly changed. My eyes shone, my cheeks glowed, and there was a brightness and piquancy that had not been there when I entered. But this, mind you, was in a somewhat dimly-lighted room, where the work was softened and shaded. Ten minutes afterward I met myself in a street-mirror, under the full glare of a noonday sun. Well, I was simply disgusted. The painted surface looked no more like human skin than it did like sole leather; the black around my eyes was like strokes of charcoal; my lips had the unnatural red of scarlet ink. I walked up to the glass and viewed my artificial countenance with a feeling of repulsion. It reminded me of some execrable portrait done in water colours. I hurried into a store and bought a veil, with which I covered the beautification. Then I went straightway home, and scrubbed my face until every trace of foreign substance was gone. My experience convinced me of the utter folly of paint as a beautifier, for by no possibility can it be put on without showing exactly what it is. Dry powder, and mighty little of that, is all that I advise any woman to put on her face. If nature has not imparted beauty of complexion, there is no use trying to make up the deficiency by artifice. It is far better to turn our ingenuity toward wearing our hair becomingly, for in that direction a great deal of comeliness may be commanded. But let pigments alone, unless you are content to be pretty in a ghastly kind of way, and at the sacrifice of all outward indications of warm flesh and blood."

A Frightful Mouse.

A short time since an elderly lady of this city startled the household with a piercing shriek and the information that there was a mouse in her pocket. Some one rushed to her rescue, hastily assisted her to divest herself of her wrapper, firmly grasping the mouth of the pocket to prevent the escape of the dangerous animal. The garment was then turned over to the man of the house, and he, armed with a club, proceeded to the back yard to dispatch the offender. The pocket was opened gradually, but no mouse appeared. Finally, gaining courage, he ventured to investigate, and found the cause of all the excitement to be a pocket tape measure, from which the spring had become detached and had unwound with a whirr.

Princess Louise's Tart.

The Princess Louise is a lady of much good taste, with a large fund of common sense. The supervision of her household affairs is upon the model characteristic of all well-appointed English households. A gentleman who has a weakness for apricot tart dined with her a short time before she left for England. To his delight, apricot tart was included in the menu, and he expressed his fondness for it.

"I am so glad you like it," replied the hostess; "because I made it myself. Let me give you the recipe," and with genial interest she detailed its ingredients. "Remember, when you get home, to tell Mrs. J——, that apricot tart should always have an upper crust."

Waifs.

SOME women are like shot-guns. They would attract no attention if it were not for their bangs.

THE new style of fall bonnet may be photographed by slamming a ripe tomato against a board fence.

AN old fellow now under the control of his fourth wife always alludes to the three departed ones as his "spare ribs."

"THAT fellow is just like a telescope," said a dashing New York girl. "You can draw him out, see through him, and shut him up again."

AN old lady who has several unmarried daughters feeds them on fish diet, because it is rich in phosphorus, and phosphorus is the essential thing in making matches.

THE young woman who had many suitors, and from the time she was 16 until she was 21 rejected them all, referred in her later life to that period as her "declining years."

A FRENCH writer translated "Frailty, thy name is woman," to read "Mlle. Frailty is the name of the lady." It is likely that he had the slender Bernhardt in his mind's eye.

DRAWING-ROOM episode: Affable Duchess, to amateur tenor, who has just been warbling M. Gounod's last—"Charming! charming! You must really get somebody to introduce you to me!"

MR. JAMES BOWEN, 71, and Miss Cassie Cassel, 68, were married in Washington the other day. Fifty years ago they were lovers, but the bride's parents broke up the engagement because they were too young.

A CERTAIN little damsel, being aggravated past endurance by her big brother, fell down upon her knees and cried: "O, Lord! bless my brother Tom. He lies, he steals, he swears. All boys do; us girls don't. Amen."

AN actress has just finished dressing herself for her part, and is going on the stage, when her mother bursts upon her in tears with an open letter in her hand. "My dear child, do you know what has happened? Your sister is dead." "Oh, my, how can you say it—how can you say it just when I have made up my face, and can't cry? Why couldn't you have waited till after the third act?"

Fashion Notes.

DRIVING gloves made of a leopard's claw are a novelty.

THE lambrequin effect is much used in winter costumes.

THE newest turban for the little ones is called the Lorne.

THE genuine India shawl is the one wrap always in fa

HANDSOME tablecloths and napkins have gay borders and fringe.

FURNITURE effects are creeping into costumes and are much admired.

BROWN plush sacques are shown which look almost as rich as seal-skin.

LONG pins of jet, shell, or gold, and tiny Japanese fans are worn in the hair.

RED, brown, and gendarme blue satin petticoats have appeared for winter wear.

THE skirts of skating-suits are made of striped goods. Jerseys are worn with them.

MICA is now used in the soles of boots and shoes. A thin layer is placed under the insole.

WHITE nun's cloth and camel's hair are made into evening dresses, trimmed with satin de Lyon.

THE fashionable bonnet is smaller than ever, without lace trimmings, and perched on the back of the head.

COLOURED diamonds, set side by side with perfectly white ones, are now the fashion for the costlier forms of jewellery.

MANY of the richest violet brocades have the flowers edged, ribbed, and veined with gold, jet, pearl, and iridescent beads.

SWANSDOWN is much used this season as a trimming for evening dresses, and for opera and ball wraps. It trims plush beautifully.

CRAPE tulle is the latest material manufactured for ball dresses. It is lighter than crape, and less transparent than tulle, and made in all colours.

THE latest style in mourning stationery consists of octavo-sized cards, scored so as to be folded in the centre, and bordered in heavy black lines.

SOME beautiful plush dresses have been seen this season, combined with faille in evening colours. They are exceedingly handsome on slight persons.

THE new style decollete is a revival of the old shape used when ladies wore what were called baby waists, the waists being cut straight across at the top.

INKSTANDS of hammered brass are superseding those of fire-gilt metal, the colour being found better and the work being much finer. The designs are usually classic.

BONNET-STRINGS are out of fashion, says a Paris correspondent. Gather ye roses while ye may, young ladies, and wear out the wide plush strings in which you look so well now.

A DRESSMAKER, who can make an exceedingly stylish dress and have the arrangements so intricate that it takes the lady who wears it about half an hour to find the pocket must needs be an artist.

THERE are twenty-two different shades in silk hosiery. Ladies who can not suit themselves out of the present assortment select black ones. The coloured cotton hosiery is as handsome in design as the silk.

ALL arrangements of lace and muslin to be worn around the neck are fashionable, and a handsome and a pretty lace fichu is all that is necessary to convert a rich street dress or afternoon costume into an evening toilet.

SMALL chemisettes of black silk lined with black wadded silk are made to be worn under jackets during the cold weather. They are fastened to the collar of the jacket by means of a ribbon and tied around the waist with a ribbon.

WHITE petticoats have been abandoned and the coloured balmorals are many pretty styles, cashmere and silk are the popular material, though plush is very popular. The silk skirts are generally lined with flannel and trimmed with lace.

SHRIMPS are now the favourite ornament of the ladies, pigs having had their day. Elephants are no longer admired. Shrimps now appear in pearl and gold, coral and ruby, as brooches, bracelets, necklaces, earrings, lockets, and shoe-buckles.

A GREAT deal of money may be spent on black dresses this season. Jet passementeries and fringes and coloured bead buttons, fringe and lace combine to make them elegant, but costly. They are trimmed more richly than coloured dresses.

The President Elect.

Of course everybody is curious about the home life of the President-elect. The Cincinnati *Enquirer*, which is not a Republican paper, says that "he generally rises from seven to half-past, and breakfasts *en famille* at about eight. After breakfast the morning mails are opened, the newspapers are hastily scanned for telegraphic news, and important matters receive attention, the General retiring with his secretary and short-hand amanuensis to his private office, or 'snuggery,' for the purpose. After that, if the morning trains from the East or Cleveland bring visitors, the General receives and entertains them. Dinner is the same as breakfast with regard to instruction and amusement, it making no difference whether the visitors who partake of it are high or low, Senators or soldiers, grand or simple. 'The afternoon," says his friend Major Swaim, 'usually brings more visitors and mails. After supper the General devotes considerable time to the thorough perusal of the New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and other leading papers. There are always telegrams and letters by the dozen to answer. General Garfield has two short-hand men as secretaries, and he dictates his replies to letters and telegrams to them. This enables him to do a great deal of corresponding work in a short time. Of course very important and particularly private letters are written by myself or the General in person. Every one is free to go to church or stay at home, to pray or to let it alone as he pleases. There is but one autocrat in this house, and that is the General's mother, and she has too much good sense to interfere in such matters. There is one thing I forgot to mention, and that is that at meals or the family reunions we sometimes get the General deeply interested in some theme, and get him to talking about it. You know he is a brilliant conversationalist, and these talks often almost take the shape of lectures. They are very interesting and wonderfully instructive, for the General's mind is a vast store-house of knowledge. He has a wonderful pigeon-hole memory. He can devour a book in an hour or so, retain the cream of its contents, and tell you all about it in the most entertaining manner years afterward. He is very fond of ruling by moral suasion, and he governs his family accordingly. His children are very fond of him, and look upon him as their bosom-friend as well as parent. His boys will come to him when home, and talk and counsel with him about their books and studies, or their plays or other occupations, just as freely as they do with each other. The result is that they are all manly and frank in their demeanor, partaking much of his character in this respect.'"

The Priest and His Umbrella.

A reporter of the New York Herald tells the story of the effective work for Sunday closing done on a certain Sunday at Bergen Point, New Jersey, by a Catholic clergyman, Father Killeran, with the aid of his umbrella. In his account of an interview the reporter represents Father Killeran as saying of the saloon which he found open in violation of the law, and in which he spilled all the beer and whiskey on the premises:—"I won't have any Sunday skulking and getting drunk. They'd better make up their minds to that at once. I heard a lot of them in Pat Dillon's place last Sunday, and I went in. They didn't expect me, and were having what they considered a fine time. I had a better one, though. You should have seen their coat-tails trying to sweep the flies off the ceiling the minute they clapped eyes on me. I only had an umbrella. I have a blackthorn at home—a beauty! It'll make four lumps on a head for every one that is on the stick. I never thought much of that umbrella before last Sunday, but I wouldn't part with it now for a horse. It served me valiantly. Well, when we got through we were thoroughly satisfied with each other—the umbrella and myself—and we went home to dinner. I made a complaint next morning, and I had Pat Dillon fined. I'll serve the others the same way. I won't make fish of one and flesh of another. They'll have to stop this business, every one of them. In the future I am going the rounds regularly, like a policeman, and the fellows I catch had better look out for themselves. Most of these lazy loafers would rather sit down and sell whisky than do an honest day's work. I'll try to keep them in mind of whose day the Sabbath is."

SIR FREDERICK ROBERTS will be the lion of London for some weeks to come. Fetes and presentations are in preparation for him without limit, and the patriotic corporation has already killed the fatted calf on his account and ordered a richly Damascened sword in a gold scabbard for presentation to him. The freedom of the city is also in preparation, and a jewelled casket of surpassing beauty to hold it is in course of manufacture.

Journalism in England.

As a factor in politics, journalism is admittedly ... [illegible]

In no country, perhaps, more than in Great Britain does the press bear a closer, equal to, if it does not exceed, that of the legislative body itself. "The Fourth Estate" as it has been called, might without exaggeration, if influence be taken as the test of precedence, rank as "the first," for neither the Sovereign nor the House of Lords, can for a moment be compared in respect to the power of swaying public opinion with the press. The House of Commons, even, owes, not its existence indeed, but most certainly its composition to a very marked extent to the influence of the press. Speechifying, such as influence to such a great degree, the politics both of this country and the United States has been led to in Great Britain, the reason being that the press has so developed, the energetic push in journalism is so marked, that there is really no room for the political oratory of the "stump" species that is adopted where the sphere of influence of the journal is more circumscribed. A greater audience, for one thing, is commanded by the man who speaks through the columns of the paper than by him who meets an assemblage in any given local place, and for another, it is far easier for a man to arrange his thoughts and array his arguments in the retirement of his study than when nervously facing a composite assemblage.

There is, however, one marked feature that characterizes the influence of journalism in the mother-country that only requires time to develop itself here, and, indeed, in every colony, and that is the power exercised in politics by the provincial press. On more than one occasion in the recent political history of England the country papers have not only shown greater judgment in forecasting the result of elections, but have contributed in a very much greater extent than the metropolitan journals to bringing about the result. We are accustomed here to think almost exclusively of the power of the great leading London dailies as giving utterance to the dicta of the two political parties, but the idea is a mistaken one. Beyond question they are ably conducted, and there is a degree of enterprise shown by them that is certainly not surpassed by any other journals in the world; but it would astonish some of our readers if we were to tell them that the provincial papers exhibit a degree of enterprise which is not one whit behind the metropolitan journals themselves. Of course the figures representing the circulation of the latter are astounding. For example; the Times has a daily circulation of 100,000, the Daily News 170,000, and the Daily Telegraph the almost incredible number of 250,000. But here is the other, the provincial side of these statements, such facts as the following:

The circulation of the Newcastle Chronicle is 40,000 a day, while the Edinburgh Scotsman, the Glasgow News, the Manchester Guardian, the Leeds Mercury, and the Dublin Freeman's Journal have a still larger circulation. It is worth noting, that seven daily newspapers are supported in Liverpool, five in Manchester, four in Birmingham, three in Glasgow, six in Belfast, and five in Dublin.

The first-rate provincial newspapers are little behind the best of the London journals in respect of enterprise. Most of these have their special wires, together with a reporting staff in London for the collection of information. It is computed that the outlay entailed by a special wire, including the pay of the special employees requisite, does not fall far short of $10,000 a year. Moreover, a daily paper cannot gain a place in the front rank of the provincial press without obtaining all of Reuter's telegrams, which, to members of the Press Association, cost $1470, and to outsiders $1617, per annum. Moreover, in a large shipping and manufacturing town, such as Liverpool, Manchester, Leeds, Birmingham, or Sheffield, it is necessary to contract for daily telegraphed reports of New York prices. Reuter's telegrams, indeed, form but a small part of the metropolitan news supplied by the leading provincial journals through the Press Association. Parliamentary news, either fully or briefly reported, and general news, summarized from the daily papers, in London, or collected in all parts of the kingdom by the agents of the association, form components of the mass of matter regularly forwarded. London correspondence is not supplied by the Press Association, but each of the chief provincial journals maintains for this specific purpose at least one member of its editorial staff in the metropolis. The London correspondence of the Manchester Guardian is an example of the best work done in this direction, and it not unfrequently anticipates much that appears in the London press. The Western Morning News, printed at Plymouth, has also been noted for its London correspondence, a great quantity of which appears every day. The Newcastle Chronicle, to take another example, maintains two London offices, one as the headquarters of its special telegraphic wire, the other as a city office for commercial intelligence. The Scotsman and Glasgow news are both printed on Walter presses, like those used in the Times office, and the second journal has two private wires to London, besides special arrangements with the railway companies.

It will thus be seen how great the energy is that has been infused into the provincial press of Great Britain, and how great must be the influence exerted by it. The day is coming, when, also, the provincial paper will rise to the exercise of a similar influence, and when the day of "organs of party" in the metropolis will be comparatively speaking, past. That day will be when, and only when, with the growing prosperity and development of the country, newspaper enterprise will grow, until it asserts itself here as in Great Britain, and other old countries, where it is not gagged, claiming to be recognized not only as a means of instructing the people, but as a very powerful element in their Government.

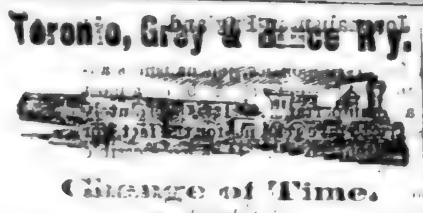
Some soft places in English Clerical Life.

The really greatest prizes of English clerical life, from a pecuniary point of view, are the head masterships of the great public schools. Those of Eton and Harrow are worth from $25,000 to $30,000 a year, and those of Westminster, Winchester, Rugby Charter House, and Merchant Taylors are worth from $12,000 to $20,000 a year, including the spacious abodes attached to them. The heads of colleges at Oxford and Cambridge do not, for the most part, receive nearly so much. The master of Trinity College, Cambridge, the "boss" college, has about $15,000 a year, and the Dean of Christ Church, who is also Dean of the Cathedral Church, over $10,000. The next most lucrative position in Oxford is President of Magdalen, which is worth about $10,000, Magdalen being a very wealthy college. The Provost of Trinity College, Dublin, has a separate estate allotted to him, estimated to be worth some $30,000 a year; but [illegible] year [illegible] of the sum. Most of the other headships at the English universities vary from $4,000 to $7,500 a year. The college property is managed by an officer called the Bursar, who has an office in college, and is one of the Fellows. The revenue is, for the most part, derived from land scattered over all parts of England. Brasenose, which, after Magdalen, is the richest college in Oxford, has a good deal of London property. Endowments since 1850 have been comparatively very slender, until Keble College, founded about seven years ago received some heavy donations. College property is entirely distinct from university property. At Oxford the university property is considerable; at Cambridge it is small.

A BOY ate a bar of soap on a wager, and then drank a lot of soda to take the taste out of his mouth, and the way he spouted ends and soap bubbles for the next half hour baffled the skill of fourteen doctors, who madly performed about him, and having been informed of the cause of the lad's suffering, [illegible] now [illegible]

AN invention which will considerably influence [illegible] has just been made by Dr. [illegible], in Bavaria. [illegible]

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.



Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.06 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.[illegible] a.m.	2.27 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
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[illegible]	[illegible] a.m.	4.25 p.m.	[illegible].20 p.m.
[illegible]	[illegible] a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.4[illegible] a.m.	5.[illegible]5 p.m.	
[illegible]	11.52 a.m.	5.2[illegible] p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkley	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
[illegible]	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
[illegible]	7.50 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
[illegible]	[illegible]	1.28 p.m.	
[illegible]	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
[illegible]	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
[illegible]	[illegible] a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
[illegible]	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
[illegible]	9.25 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station.			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Dec. 31st, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto. W. W. BUTCHER Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Our Political contempories are busily engaged in discussing the merits and demerits of the Pacific railway bargain. The Grits on the one hand proclaiming that it will be the ruin of the country, while the Tories on the other hand as positively assert, that a better bargain could not have been made. For our part we think the bargain might have been bettered in some points; but on the whole it is far preferable to having the road built by the Government, be it Grit or Tory, and sincerely hope that it will be confirmed by Parliament as soon as it meets after the holidays. Further opposition to it, in our opinion, will be promotive of no good end, and only retard the business of the country, merely for the purpose of allowing windy members a chance of easing themselves of the heavy load of gas and buncome with which they are at present over burdened.

MUNICIPAL NOMINATION, HOLLAND.

Moved by Dr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. McComb's, that Wm. Howey be re-elected Reeve for the year 1881. Moved by John Baird, seconded by David Callendar, that John Cameron be re-elected Deputy Reeve for 1881. Moved by Geo. Sinclair, seconded by Allen Stephenson, that Dr. McGregor be elected Reeve for the year 1881. Moved by Allan Stephenson, seconded by R Shaw, that Dr. Kennedy be Dpt. Reeve for 1881. Moved by Robert Shaw, seconded by Wm. McComb, that Anthony Shute be Councillor for 1881. Moved by Mr. McComb, seconded by Geo. Sinclair, that William Norton be Councillor for 1881. Moved by Geo. Little, seconded by Geo. Lee, that Justis Merium be Councillor for 1881. Moved by Wm. Smith, seconded by Jessie Trefford, that Robt Carson be Councillor for 1881. Moved by Samuel Young, seconded by Wm. Lyons, that James Gillespie be Councillor for 1881. At the close of the speaking Dr. McGregor and Dr. Kennedy both withdrew. Wm. Howey and John Cameron were declared elected by acclamation, as Reeve and Deputy Reeve.

The election will be held in the north electoral division at the Orange Hall, tenth line, John Sutherland, returning officer. In the west electoral division at Stephen Edmumds house, Arnott, Geo. C. Little, returning officer. In the east electoral, division, at Berkeley, Geo. Fleming, returning officer. In the south electoral division, at Moggy's school house, James C. Kennedy, returning officer.

C. PRICE,
Clerk.

BETHEL LODGE G. TEMPLERS.

New England Correspondence.

The Bethel Lodge of Good Templers 7th line Euphrasia, held open lodge on the 22nd, which was one of the most successful affairs of the kind ever held by this lodge, there being several parties there from other neighborhoods. The lodge meets in the P. M. Mount Zion church, which was packed to its utmost capacity on this occasion. After a call to order by the President of the lodge, the choir sang an appropriate opening piece; after which the Rev. W. Walker lead in prayer, then the President, E. E. Hicks, Esq., gave a very neat address, in which he extended a cordial welcome to all the visiting friends. To this succeeded a reading, well executed by Miss McAurthur, then a recitation, most admirably rendered by Miss S. Clark, which was followed by music by the choir, the a speech by J. Thurston, Esq., in which he made some strong assertions as regards the use of strong drink and tobacco, he was followed by Rev. W. Walker, who principly dealt with the advance of the temperance cause in the U. S., then a recitation by Miss M. Clark, which was also well rendered; music by the choir followed by a dialogue between Mr. Patton, Misses McKinley and Mr. Clark, speech by Rev. C. C. Garnett, who dealt chiefly in local statistics, a reading by Miss McKinley, which was well received, was followed by more singing by the choir, then a very practical speech from Mr. Patterson, who dwelt chiefly upon the effect of example, a very appropriate song, well sung by Mr. Dodsworth, followed, then a reading by M. Patterson, Esq., and a recitation by Mr. Patton, both of which called forth rounds of applause, furnishing a lengthy but interesting programme. A vote of thanks, singing, doxology by the audience, and the benediction pronounced by Rev. C. C. Garnett, brought this very interesting and successful meeting to a close.

NEMO.

Euphrasia, Dec. 23, 1880.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

As the R. R, question seems to be shelved for the present, I doubt not, everything will proceed in its ordinary course—and the harsh things written or spoken, will be forgiven, if not forgotten—It is needless for me to make further remarks—excepting, that as I stated in the *Mail* in substance, before the convention took place in Toronto, and afterwards in your paper or perhaps the *Expositor*—that the absence of representation from the townships comprising the group, meant more than indifference; such it has been. It was surprising to me, that the management could be so sanguine.

If myself with the ratepayers of Artemesia—in great preponderence—are deluded in this matter, then, it must be admitted, coincidence is remarkable, that so large a number, should be like minded, on both branches of the road, whom to call ignorant, policys seekers, would be mere rant.

Artemesia's Council, with one solitary exception sought to save her from another election and the ratepayers from loss of time; until after through ventilation in other townships were had; the merit and demerit of the scheme fully discussed; and judgment passed. The wisdom of our course fully appears.

Some townships defeating their bylaws and from others, they have been withdrawn. The very persons whose names appear on the petition approbating the course pursued—excepting it is true, a few self opinionated, ones, who can see no good thing coming out of Egypt—*Requiescat pace*, is the desire of the writer.

I can well afford to laugh at the fulminations, of my disappointed opponents, their missiles fall harmless at my feet—*Ichabod* is written on all their arguments. I confess that I am eclipsed by my erudite Priceville Crusoe—of *course* he places the word in my mouth—I presume the quiet village of Priceville was not aware she had in her midst such a *logical Tartan*!! The Flesherton "Labratory" *Laboratory*, I suppose is meant—has no physic strong enough to resolve his monstrosities into any fair proportions—Discuss questions with men of *intelligence* and *morals*! good heavens! if his recent productions be samples, the men whom he bored with them are to be pitied—he is becoming desparate—two articles in one week! I must have been mistaken in the idea conveyed in the couplet quoted the other day.—

"He baited his hooks with tigers tails
And sat on a rock and bob'd for whales."

If zeal, pugnacity, bombast, pretentious *moral* and *intellectual* associations and newspaper scribbling, can gain for him notoriety I am sure he will accomplish it.

I must beg to be excused from further contact—there is danger of contamination—besides I profess to be a plain man of the people—to get above my level would make me feel ludicrous—now Robinson, one word of advice before parting—remember the circumstances of the Kite—it might be your lot—and because a fellow happens to be, by uncontrolable circumstances a little lower in social scale, don't look with contempt from your high pedestal of *intellctual* and *moral greatness*!!

If I were to attempt to reply in extenso—it would be in effect replying to idiotic drivelling pathognomonic of dementic it would require a fool to succeed to which I lay no claim—besides it would be like laying a silk handkerchief before a certain bird—the struttings and antics would be wonderfull.—

Thanking you again for this space—I sign myself as usual as an M. D. honorably obtained without breach of etiquette.

DR. CHRISTOE.

COUNTY ITEMS.

A serious accident took place at Horning's Mills a day or two ago. A son of Mr. Wm. Noole fell in front of the team, and one of the horses stepped on his head, fracturing the skull. The boy lies in a very precarious condition —*Free Press.*

On Saturday night about ten o'clock a barn on Mr. John McBride's place near Coleridge, in Amaranth, was destroyed by fire. The building, we believe was insured, but we did not learn the amount. The fire is said to have been the work of an incendiary. —*Free Press*

FIRE IN EGREMONT.—On Saturday night about 10 o'clock fire was discovered in Mr. Geo. MKeays barn on the Townline of Glenelg and Egremont. The fire had made such headway that nothing could be saved. The spring crop and some fowls were all destroyed. Loss about $600, covered by insurance. The barn was a new frame one. The origin of the fire is a mystery but incendiarism is supposed and the fire only adds another to the long list of fires which have occurred in a similar manner in this part of late.

HORSE STOLEN.—Mr Hillis of the 2nd con., Bentinck, had a horse and cutter and set of double harness stolen from his premises on Monday night. Telegrams were sent to all the neighboring villages, on Tuesday and we understand Mr. Hillis got tidings of his horse the same day at Paisely, where it had been traded by the thief for another horse with which he took his departure saying he was going to Chesley, which was rather unlikely however. It is to be hoped the thief will be caught and receive his desert.

Mortgage Sale

OF VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTIES,

In the Townships of Glenelg, Bentinck and Egremont, in the County of Grey.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages made by John McMillan, jr., Martin Dunn, John Macpherson, James Smith, Alexander [illegible], James [illegible], Dougald Macfarlane, John Wilson, Charles Coutts, and Alexander Ferguson, respectively, to the Vendors, which will be produced at the time of sale, and in payment of the moneys secured by which default has been made, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at McAllister's Hotel, in the Town of Durham, on

Tuesday, the 11th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at one o'clock p. m., the following parcels of land:

I. Lot No. 35, in the 2nd concession North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 50 acres, more or less, of which about 40 acres are cleared, and the residue free from stumps. On the lands are said to be a log barn, two log stables, and log house; the soil is a good clay loam, and the property is situate about 4½ miles from Durham.

II. Lot No. 9, in the 8th concession of the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 50 acres are cleared, and about 40 acres under hardwood. The soil is generally clay loam, and the farm is only about 10 miles from Markdale and 10 from Durham. On the premises are a log house, barn and stable.

III. Lot No. 20, in the 4th concession, North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 60 acres are cleared, and nearly all the remainder covered by hardwood. This property is situate only 7 miles from Flesherton, and is in a fair state of cultivation.

IIII. Lot No. 15, in the 2nd concession, East of the Garafraxa Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 80 acres are cleared, and the balance mostly hardwood. On the premises are said to be a frame barn, and the premises are only 10 miles from Durham.

V. The West half of lot No. 16, in the 5th concession, North of the Durham Road, of the said Township of Glenelg, containing 50 acres, more or less, of which about 30 acres are cleared, and 10 free from stumps. This farm is situate about 10 miles from Flesherton and 7 miles from Durham.

VI. The West half of lot No. 19, in the 12th concession of the said Township of Bentinck, containing 50 acres, more or less, nearly all cleared, and situate only 12 miles from Durham.

VII. Lot No. 14, in the 2nd concession; West of the Garafraxa Road, in the said Township of Bentinck, containing 100 acres, more or less, nearly all cleared. This farm is situate about 8 miles from Durham on good road.

VIII. Lot No. 22, in the 3rd concession, North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Bentinck, containg 50 acres, more or less, about 30 of which are cleared, and 20 under hardwood. This farm is only about 4 miles from Durham.

IX. Lot No. 20, in the 11th concession, of the said Township of Bentinck, containing 85 acres, more or less, of which about 12 acres are cleared, and nearly all the residue under hardwood. On the premises are said to be a log house, and the lands are only about 10 miles from Durham.

X. Lot No. Eleven, in the 22nd concession of the said township of Egremont, containing 119 acres, more or less, of which about 50 are cleared, and 20 under hardwood. The lands are only about 8 miles from Durham.

TERMS—10 per cent. at the time of sale, 15 per cent. within one month thereafter, and the balance to be secured by mortgage, with interest at 7 per cent. yearly; or if additional satisfactory security be given, no cash need be paid; or terms may be varied in any reasonable way to suit purchasers. For further particulars, apply to Robert Davis, Flesherton, H. Mckay, Auctioneer, Durham, or to BETHUNE, MOSS, FALCONBRIDGE & HOYLES, Vendors' Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th Dec. 1880. 15-3i

FOR SALE.

A HANDSOME Young Mare, sired by "Extra;" will be 4 years old next Spring, well broke to double and single harness; will be sold cheap for cash, as the present owner has no use for her.

Apply to A. TURNER, Medical Hall, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 15-in

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.

CABINET MAKERS,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

A FULL STOCK OF

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

AUCTION SALE!

OF VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTY.

UNDER and by Virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of Sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE

RUTLEDGE HOUSE,

IN THE

Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, on

Monday, the 10th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at THREE O'CLOCK in the Afternoon, the following land and premises, viz.:

Lot Number Forty, in the Fourteenth Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing One Hundred and Ten Acres more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises, viz. A Log Dwelling and Frame Barn and Stable.

TERMS.—One Tenth of the purchase money must be paid down at time of sale. For balance, terms liberal, and will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD, Solicitors, Toronto.

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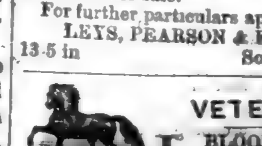


VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, Veterinary Surgeon,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-ly

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the entire control of the

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

TO THE

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE FACTORY,

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to look after and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to any time since commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Styles,

and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and Ash

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine.

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC.,

AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application.

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham street.

H. HOOPER.

Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER!

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days.

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEAP.

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEAP.

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing, CHEAP.

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE."

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, December 20, 1880. 1-ly

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our County, and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since removing into our new premises, and we solicit a share of your patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods!

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers,

and a large variety of

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES!

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS!

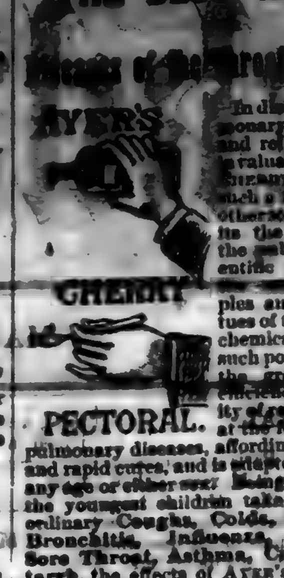
At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,
5,000 Telegraph Poles,
Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS,

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly



THE BEST REMEDY

for Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.

In diseases of the pulmonary organs a safe and reliable remedy is invaluable. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL is such a remedy, and no other so eminently merits the confidence of the public. It is a scientific combination of the medicinal principles and curative virtues of the finest drugs, chemically united, of such power as to insure the greatest possible efficiency and uniformity of results. It strikes at the foundation of all pulmonary diseases, affording prompt relief and rapid cures, and is adapted to patients of any age or either sex. Being very palatable, the youngest children take it readily. In ordinary Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Influenza, Clergyman's Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, and Catarrh, the effects of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL are magical, and multitudes are annually preserved from serious illness by its timely and faithful use. It should be kept at hand in every household for the protection it affords in sudden attacks. In Whooping-cough and Consumption there is no other remedy so efficacious, soothing, and helpful.

Low prices are inducements to try some of the many mixtures, or syrups, made of cheap and ineffective ingredients, now offered, which, as they contain no curative qualities, can afford only temporary relief, and are sure to deceive and disappoint the patient. Diseases of the throat and lungs demand active and effective treatment; and it is dangerous experimenting with unknown and cheap medicines, from the great liability that these diseases may, while so trifled with, become deeply seated or incurable. Use AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and you may confidently expect the best results. It is a standard medical preparation, of known and acknowledged curative power, and is as cheap as its careful preparation and fine ingredients will allow. Eminent physicians, knowing its composition, prescribe it in their practice. The test of half a century has proven its absolute certainty to cure all pulmonary complaints not already beyond the reach of human aid.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

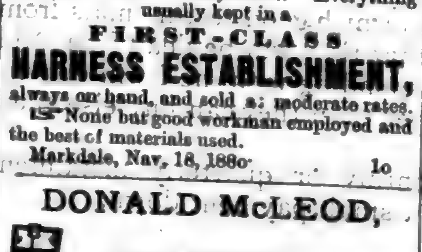
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. ☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10

DONALD McLEOD,

BOOT AND SHOE MAKER



BEGS to return his sincere thanks to the public for their very liberal patronage in the past, and hopes by honorable dealing, FIRST-CLASS WORK, and close attention to business, to merit a continuance of the same. NOTHING BUT THE BEST OF MATERIAL Used, and none but *First-Class Mechanics* employed.

Special attention paid to Repairing, which will be done promptly.

Sewed work a Specialty.

NOTICE.

Over due accounts must be paid without delay or I shall have to resort to more costly means for collection.

D. McLEOD, Corner of Queen and Mill Streets.

Markdale, Oct. 28, 1880. 7-3i

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY,

AND

LIQUORS

Everything First-Class, and at

☞ RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Wines in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTY[RE]

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

CHEAP CASH STO[RE]

Reynolds & So[n]

Are now to the front with a complete stock of

Dry Goods, Grocer[ies]

BOOTS AND SHOES.

HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,

Which for QUALITY and LOW PRICES cannot be surpassed. Give us a call and try some of our

NEW SEASONED JAPAN TEA, 3lb. FOR

PURE GOLDEN SYRUP ALWAYS ON HAN[D]

Please give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

BUTTER, POULTRY AND EGGS TAKEN IN EXCHANGE FOR GOODS.

REYNOLDS & SO[N]

Markdale, Nov. 11, 1880.

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINE[SS]

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUS[INESS]

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a large and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, To[ys]

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced R[ates]

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STAT[IONERY]

Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccos, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Ex[press]

☞ *Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at a[ll hours]*

A. TURNER &

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880.

Get Money at 7 per Ce[nt]

To discharge a Mortgage bearing a higher rate, to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repaymen[t]

OFFERED BY THE

BRITISH CANADIAN

LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMP[ANY]

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURI[TY]

AGENCY OF THE

LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COM[PANY]

AND

British America Assurance C[o.]

THE UNEQUALLED

Wanzer Family Machin[e]

Organs at Reduced Rat[es]

AUCTION SALE[S]

—ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me.

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16th, 1880. 14m1

J. M. Webster,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

☞ LOAN AND LAND AGENT.

Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

EUGENIA P. O.

Sept. 17th 1880. 1-tf

Samuel Morrow,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.

Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate. Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 2-3m

TO THE

Independent Elec[tors]

OF THE

Township of Euphr[asia]

GENTLEMEN:—

I again offer myself as a Candidate for the office of Councillor for the [illegible] Should you again honor me with your confidence, I shall endeavor to serve you to the best of my ability. Come to the [illegible] where I shall give my views on [illegible] matters.

I am, gentlemen, Your ob[edient servant,]

D. B. [illegible]

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

For Cheap Stationery, [illegible] ful Christmas and New Year [illegible] call at the Standard Office.

A Ha[illegible]

[T]hanking my frien[ds]

A FA[illegible]

than I have

CAN[illegible]

or set of

IN[illegible]

I have

I have

MY

You will find ve[illegible]

excuse for ANY [illegible]

Guards, Silver Th[illegible]

have also a full

good

LAZ[illegible]

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[n]eeded. I am now So[le]

[ot]her dealers mislead

[b]e without doubt the

[Ma]le don't fail to see m[e]

Watches, Clocks &

A Happy New Year to All!

hanking my friends for the very liberal patronage they have given me during the past six years, I would remind all that I have now on hand

A FAR SUPERIOR STOCK

than I have ever before handled and at LOWER PRICES. Having bought largely, I claim that

CAN SELL AS CHEAP AS ANY MAN

or set of men doing a Retail Trade, and a look through my Stock will convince you of that fact.

IN WATCHES

I have all grades and prices, from the best American manufacture, down to the cheapest grade of Swiss manufacture, and at prices that I am sure will suit all.

IN CLOCKS

I have all STYLES and PRICES from ONE Dollar up.

MY STOCK OF JEWELLERY!

You will find very complete---in Sets, Eardrops, Broaches, Friendship, Engagement and Wedding Rings, (no xcuse for ANY MAN not getting married when he acn get a suitable Ring for $1), Lockets, Chains, Necklets, uards, Silver Thimbles, Cuff Buttons, Studs, Scarf Pins, Cuff Pins, and in fact any thing in the Jewellery line. have also a full line of CONCERTINAS, ACCORDIANS and VIOLINS, at the right prices. For instance, a good Violin for $1.50, or as much higher as you wish. Also, Violin Strings and findings.

LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO.'S SPECTACLES.

or a number of years I have tried to secure the Agency for these very necessary articles, and at last I have succeeded. I am now Sole Agent for Markdale, and have a full line of both Lazarus & Morris' and all cheaper grades of Spectacles, &c. Don't let ther dealers mislead you in regard to these goods, as you cannot get them from Peddlers or in fact from any one else here but myself. They re without doubt the best Glasses manufactured, there being about one million pairs now in use, giving general satisfaction. When in Markdale don't fail to see my stock. Remember the place, Dominion Telegraph Office, next door to the "Standard" Office, Hill's Block.

Watches, Clocks & Jewellery Repaired on short notice.

E. D. WILCOX, Jeweller, &c.

Columbus.

Sir, in that flight of ages which are God's
Own voice to justify the dead—perchance
Spain, once the most chivalric race on earth,
Spain, then the mightiest, wealthiest realm on earth,
So made by me, may seek to unbury me,
To lay me in some shrine of this old Spain,
Or in that vaster Spain I leave to Spain,
Then some one standing by my grave will say,
"Behold the bones of Christopher Colon"—
"Aye, but the chains, what do they mean—the chains?"
I sorrow for that kindly child of Spain
Who then will have to answer, "These same chains
Bound these same bones back thro' the Atlantic sea,
Which he unchained for all the world to come."

O, Queen of Heaven, who seest the souls in hell
And purgatory, I suffer all as much
As they do—for the moment. Stay, my son
Is here anon: my son will speak for me
Abler than I can in these spasms that grind
Bone against bone. You will not. One last word.

You move about the court, I pray you tell
King Ferdinand, who plays with me, that one
Whose life has been no play with him and his
Hidalgoes — shipwrecks, famines, fevers, fights,
Mutinies, treacheries—wink'd at and condoned—
That I am loyal to him till the death,
And ready, though our Holy Catholic queen,
Who fain had pledged his jewels on my first voyage,
Whose hope was mine to spread the Catholic faith,
Who wept with me when I returned in chains,
Who sits beside the Blessed Virgin now,
To whom I send my prayer by night and day—
She is gone—but you will tell the king that I,
Racked as I am with gout and wrench'd with pains
Gained in the service of his highness, yet
Am ready to sail forth on one last voyage,
Am ready, if the king would hear, to lead
One last crusade against the Saracen,
And save the Holy Sepulchre from thrall.

Going? I am old and slighted; you have dared
Somewhat perhaps in coming? my poor thanks!
I am but an alien and a Genovese.

—*From Tennyson's New Volume.*

THREE, SEVEN, ACE.

"What! did you bet on the red all evening?"

"Yes, I rarely change my play."

"You are the most impassive gambler I have ever seen."

"What do you think of Hermann, then, for self-control? He never in his life touched a card or made a bet, and yet he will watch us play till morning, such is his love of it."

"True," said Hermann, "it interests me, but I never play."

This conversation took place at the quarters of Naroumoff, a lieutenant of hussars. It was late. Play had been heavy, and potations deep.

"Ah, well," cried Tomski, "Hermann is in the engineer corps, and therefore economical—that is all. But, for the curiosity, just look at my grandmother, the Countess Fedorovna. She is rich; she is a woman, and she is 80 years old—yet she never plays!"

"It is indeed strange," said Naroumoff, "but what is the reason?"

"Listen and I will tell you. You must know that sixty years ago she was at Paris, and created a furore by her beauty—they called her the Muscovite Venus. Those were the good old days, just before the fall of the monarchy in '89, when every one, ladies and all, played at faro. One evening she lost a large sum to the Comte de Provence, the king's brother. On her return she took off her patches, dishevelled her hair, and thus tragically prepared, informed her husband of her ill luck. My defunct grandfather (peace to his ashes) was a species of financial secretary to his wife. He feared only her and the devil—the last the least. But when she confided to him the amount she had lost, he almost rose to the ceiling, flew into a terrible passion, and refused to pay a single franc. My grandmother acted like a woman of spirit—she slapped his face, and passed the night in another room. The next day, however, she returned to the attack. Tears this time; but it was useless. Her long-suffering husband, declared that she had already wasted half a million, and it might as well end one time as another.

"Fortunately for her, an idea occurred by which she did not fail to profit. There was at that time in Paris a certain strange individual who was known by the name of the comte de Saint-Germain. You have doubtless heard of him. He was looked upon as the wandering Jew, and was reputed to possess the secret of the philosopher's stone and the elixir of life as well. Despite the mystery surrounding him, he was much sought after and was universally liked. Well, she wrote to him requesting him to grant her an interview. The old gentleman hastened to her house, and found her plunged in despair. She related to him her misfortune, the cruelty of her husband, and begged him to assist her. After reflecting a few moments, Saint-Germain replied:

"'Madame, I can easily lend you the money you require, but I well know you will have no peace until you repay me. I do not wish to extricate you from one dilemma only to plunge you into another. There is but one course open to you—you must win the money back again.'

"'But, my dear count,' said my grandmother, 'I've already told you that I haven't a franc.'

"'You do not need money,' he replied; 'listen.' And then he confided to her a secret for which any one of you, gentlemen, would give ten years of his life."

All the young officers listened with intense interest. Tomski paused a moment, lit his cigar, and continued:

"That evening she went to the queen's game at Versailles. The count de Provence was banker, the game faro. She told him some feminine fib or other for not having yet paid her debt, and then began to play. She staked a large sum on her first card—she won; she doubled it on the next—she won; the third time again she doubled it—again she won."

"Pshaw!—pure luck!" cried one of the officers.

"A fable," said Hermann.

"But," said Naroumoff, "if you have a grandmother who possesses such secrets, my dear fellow, why don't you induce her to confide in you?"

"That is the devil of it," replied Tomski. "She had three sons beside my father—desperate gamblers all of them. Not one ever succeeded in gaining the privilege they so ardently desired. But you remember my uncle, Count Ivan Ilitch?—he was a favourite of the old lady. Well, one day he lost to Zaritch three hundred thousand roubles. He was reduced to beggary. The old countess took pity upon him, and, after exacting a pledge upon his honour that he would never play again, she told him the mystic series of cards. He sought Zaritch and demanded his revenge. His first bet was fifty thousand roubles; his second—but it is 5 o'clock, gentlemen, and time to break up. You all know how it ended; he ruined his opponent, who blew out his brains. My uncle never played again."

The old Countess Fedorovna was seated in her room before the mirror. Her maids surrounded her, holding rouge, powder and patches. The ancient belle had no longer any pretensions to beauty, but she retained the habits of her youth. Her companion was engaged in fancy work.

"Grandmother," said a young officer, as he entered the room, "I have a favour to ask," and he stooped and kissed her withered hand.

"What is it, Paul?"

"I want to present one of my brother officers, and to beg an invitation for him to your next ball."

"Bring him to the ball and present him there. Were you at the princess' last night?"

"Yes; a splendid entertainment; we danced until 5 o'clock. What a charming creature is the Countess Eletski!"

"Oh, my dear Paul, you are easily pleased. You should have seen her grandmother, the Princess Petrovna! She must be very old now."

"The Princess Petrovna!" cried Tomski, unwittingly; "why, she has been dead these seven years!"

He checked himself immediately. Lisabeta, the companion, was making signs to him. He had forgotten that it was forbidden to speak of the death of any of the countess' aged friends.

"Dead!" said she; "well, well! I did not know it. We were ladies of honour together when we were girls. I remember the first time we waited upon the empress," and the old lady sighed as she thought of her vanished youth and beauty. Then, her mood changing, "Paul," said she, "talk with Lisabeta while I am dressing. Tisanka, where is my snuff-box? Help me to get up, Lisabeta," and the old countess passed behind the screen.

"Who is this officer you wish to present to the countess?" asked Lisabeta Ivanovna.

"Is he in the engineers?"

"No, in the hussars. His name is Naroumoff. But why do you ask?"

The companion smiled, but did not answer.

"Well, I must be off. Good-by, grandmother. Good-by Lisabeta. Why did you ask if he was in the engineers?" And smiling knowingly, the young officer withdrew.

Lisabeta Ivanovna sighed, and recommenced her work.

The young girl's life was an unhappy one. To eat another's bread is always bitter, but who could paint the miseries of a companion to a lady of quality? When she made the tea, the countess abused her because the servants stole the sugar. When she read to her, the countess held her responsible for the author's dulness. When she went out with her, the countess scolded her if the weather was bad. Often she would retire, after a day of misery, to her little room and weep bitterly over the affronts she had endured.

One morning, a few days before the scene just related, she was seated at her window, working, when she perceived a handsome young officer gazing at her from the street. She averted her gaze, and applied herself with redoubled assiduity to her work. After a few moments she looked up, and he was still there. For some time she continued to gaze at her window, and disappeared. The next day he was there again. The day after, as she and the countess was about getting into the carriage, she saw him standing, muffled in a large fur cloak, watching her. His bright eyes followed her every movement. Lisabeta smiled, despite herself. From that moment a correspondence of glances was begun.

Hermann (for the reader will have guessed that it was he) had a small fortune, but, for an officer, was poor. In order to preserve himself from debt, he had resolutely determined never to play, and lived within his income. He was very ambitious, and very taciturn. Under his reserve, however, smoldered the most violent passions. He possessed great self control, and, though a born gambler, he never touched a card. He often passed feverish nights before the green table, devoured by the passion of play, but never indulging in it. The story of the Comte de Saint-Germain's three cards had made a vivid impression upon his mind. He could think of nothing else.

"Ah," he said to himself, "if the old countess would only tell me her secret—if she would but tell me the names of the three winning cards! I must be presented to her. I must gain her confidence. She is 87 years old—87! She might die this week—she might die to-morrow—and her secret with her!" And he dug his nails into the palms of his hands as he thought of it.

But he was a man of iron will, and did not falter in his determination to possess himself of the secret. He observed the pretty young girl who acted as companion to the countess, and resolved to use her as a tool to further his ends. Not for a moment did a thought of the misery he might cause her make him falter. He used every means to open a correspondence with her. He bribed the servants. He confided notes to the *modistes* who waited upon the countess for orders. At length his perseverance was rewarded. Lisabeta answered him. Her first letter was a somewhat cold note, chiding him for his rash persistence. But the ice was broken. His protestations of love were soon reciprocated, and at last she consented to a *rendez vous*. With the rashness with which timid women sometimes have she appointed the countess' house for the place. In her letter she said:

This evening there is to be a ball at the German ambassador's. We will remain there until 2 o'clock. As soon as we start for the ball, which will be about 11, the servants will immediately retire to their quarters. But one will remain, the footman at the door, and he probably will be asleep. Enter as soon as you see us leave, and go up-stairs. If you find anyone in the ante-chamber ask if the countess is at home; the answer will be that she is not, and you must resign yourself and go. It is not probable that you will meet anyone, however. When you are in the ante-chamber take the door to the left, and you will find yourself in the countess' boudoir. There, behind a tall screen, you will see two doors—one opens into a closet, the other upon a stairway, which leads to ——

Hermann's eyes glared like those of a beast of prey as he read the note. Already he saw dancing before his eyes the heaped-up gold and bank-notes, the cards, the green cloth of the gambling table. He saw himself in imagination sweeping in fantastic treasures such as he had never dreamed of. He awaited with feverish impatience the arrival of the hour.

At 11 o'clock he was waiting in front of the countess' door. The night was stormy; the wind moaned fitfully, the lamps gave forth an uncertain flicker upon the falling snow and the deserted street. From time to time the footfall of a belated passer-by sounded upon the stones. But Hermann felt neither wind nor snow. At last the carriage appeared. Two lackeys deposited the muffled form of the countess within it, and following her came the lithe figure of Lisabeta, as she sprang upon the step. The slam of the door smote his ear, and the dull sound of the wheels as they rolled over the snowy street. The footman shut the carriage gate, the windows became dark, and silence soon hung over the household.

Hermann approached a street lamp, and by its feeble glimmer examined his watch. Twenty minutes after 11; it was past the hour. He opened the gate and entered the vestibule—no footman there. With a firm step he mounted the grand stairway, and found himself in the ante-chamber. On the floor lay a snoring servant. Passing quickly by him, Hermann entered the countess' room.

Before a little altar in the corner, covered with images, burned a perfumed lamp of gold. On the walls hung portraits, attired in the fashion of fifty years before. One—that of a handsome man in uniform—seemed to follow him with his cold, gray eyes as he moved about the room. Hermann resented the look involuntarily, and then laughed at his folly. On the mantel stood porcelain vases and a marble clock. About the room were scattered countless jewels. He passed behind a screen at one side of the room; there were the doors. He opened the one to the right; it was the staircase which led to the room of the poor girl who loved him. He opened the one to the left; a closet revealed itself, into which he stepped.

The minutes crept slowly by. The house was profoundly silent. The great clock in the hall struck twelve, and its echoes died away. Hermann waited. One o'clock. His pulse beat slowly—he was calm. Two o'clock. Silence. Then came the distant rolling of carriage wheels. For the first time he felt some slight emotion. The carriage rapidly approached, and the servants, warned by the sound, hastened to receive their mistress. Three maids entered and lighted up the boudoir; a moment after the countess appeared, preceded and followed by lackeys with lights.

Hermann eagerly watched what was passing through the slightly opened door. The old lady fell into an easy-chair, and the maids began to remove her ornaments. Then Lisabeta passed immediately in front of him. He could have touched her as she went by. He heard her light footstep on the stairway; he heard her door close. For a moment he felt something which in another man would have been remorse, but he stifled it. His heart was stone.

The maids continued to remove the countess' ball-dress. When they had taken off her wig, her diamonds, her patches, and her brocaded gown, and replaced them with a wrapper and cap, she looked a little less hideous.

Like most very old people, she was troubled with sleeplessness. Therefore, instead of going to bed at once, she had her chair wheeled before the fire had the lights extinguished, and dismissed her women. The flickering fire-light fell upon her wrinkled, yellow face as her head nodded from side to side, and its vacuous look revealed the absence of thought. But suddenly the expression changed; her lips trembled, and her eyes lifted up. The figure of a man appeared between her and the fire.

"Fear nothing, madam," said the stranger in a hoarse whisper, "fear nothing; I do not wish to harm you. On the contrary, I come to beseech you to grant me a favor."

The old countess looked at him in silence, as if she did not understand. Thinking that she was deaf, he placed his lips to her ear and repeated what he he had said. Still she was silent.

"You, madam," continued he, "can assure the happiness of my life without the least trouble to yourself. You can tell me the names of the three winning cards."

He stopped. She [illegible] understood [illegible]

"It is a jest," said she; "I swear to you it is a pleasantry!"

"No, no!" cried Hermann, excitedly, "it is no jest! Think of Count Ilitch and his gains—"

He stopped again. [illegible] features seemed for a moment to betray some emotion, but only for a moment.

"Why do you wish to keep this secret? For your grandsons? They are rich already. Besides, they would not profit by it. They are born debauchees, and if the devil himself were at their orders they would die beggars. I know the value of money—the secret would not be thrown away upon me."

The countess remained dumb.

Hermann threw himself at her feet.

"If your heart is human, if you have ever loved, I implore you to tell me this secret! By all that is holy in this world or the next, I beseech you, tell it me!"

The countess remained dumb.

"Stay—perhaps some awful sin stains your soul. Perhaps you have some compact with demons to obtain this secret. If so, bethink you—you have not many years to live. I am ready to assume with the secret all its pains—ready to take upon my soul all its sins. Speak—speak, I implore you!"

The countess remained dumb.

Gnashing his teeth, Hermann leaped to his feet.

"Curse you, old hag!" he cried, drawing a pistol from his breast, "speak you shall or die!"

For the second time the features of the countess displayed some emotion. Her head trembled—she extended her hands feebly, as if to ward off the weapon—she fell back in her chair.

"Enough of this!" cried Hermann, brutally clutching her arm, "for the last time—will you speak or no?"

The arm fell stiffly. She sat limp and lifeless in his grasp. He approached and examined her face by the light of the candle. A look of haughty determination was upon the withered face, but the eyes were dim. Anna, countess of Fedorovna, was cold and dead.

Three days after this scene the obsequies of the countess were celebrated in the cathedral of Vasili Blashenoi. Hermann entered the church. Although he felt no remorse, he could not deny to himself that he was her assassin. Faith he had none—superstition had [illegible]. He fancied that the dead woman would exercise a malign influence over his life if he did not appease her spirit by assisting at the funeral.

The cathedral was crowded. The body lay upon an imposing catafalque, under a velvet canopy. Around the bier were gathered the members of her family. No one wept—tears would have been considered an affectation. The countess was so old that her death had long been regarded as probable at any moment.

After the funeral oration the relatives and friends defiled slowly around the bier to look upon the features of the dead woman. Hermann also advanced. He reached the catafalque, mounted its steps, and bent over the coffin. He recoiled with a stifled cry. He fancied he had seen a movement of the eyes of the corpse, and a mocking smile play over its cold lips.

All the rest of the day he felt a most extraordinary lassitude. At the restaurant where he took his solitary dinner he drank deeply, contrary to his habit, in the hope of shaking off the gloom that oppressed him. It was all in vain. The wine only inflamed his imagination, and gave new activity to his working brain. He walked the streets of the city until he was exhausted, and then returned to his quarters. He threw himself upon the bed, fully dressed, and in a few minutes a leaden slumber fell upon him.

When he woke, a flood of moonlight streamed from the window to his bed. He looked at his watch. It was half-past three. He could sleep no longer. He began to think of his failure to obtain the secret, and of the old countess [illegible] other world, bearing her secret with her.

Suddenly he looked up. He thought the door was moving.

No, not a breath. [illegible] The door slowly opened, and [illegible] the background of darkness a figure in white. The figure advanced toward him with a gliding motion. [illegible] moonlight. Hermann's hair rose upon his head. It was the countess.

"I come against my will," the apparition said slowly, "but by your will it is that I am forced to come. Three, seven, ace, played one after the other, are the winning cards. Farewell!"

The figure glided towards the door. As it reached the threshold it turned and Hermann fancied he could discern in the darkness its mocking smile.

"Three, seven, ace! Three, seven, ace!"

This was the secret. The words were branded on Hermann's brain; he could think of nothing else, he could dream of nothing else. The cards appeared in a myriad mystic forms. [illegible] branches wove themselves into trees. Mighty cities [illegible] whose Gothic gates were sevens. Monstrous aces dangled from the skies, like spider-webs. The clock ticked, "Three, seven, ace."

There was at Moscow a famous faro bank, frequented only by the rich. Its owner's name was Tchekalinski. His life had been passed at play, and he had amassed an immense fortune. His magnificent house, his excellent wines, his elegant manners had succeeded in drawing to him the best of fashionable youth of Moscow. They deserted the ball-room for the gambling-hell; they neglected [illegible] for the fickle goddess, Fortune.

Naroumoff [illegible] this place, and Hermann requested him to conduct him there. They passed through a number of rooms filled with obsequious servants. All were crowded. Generals and diplomatists were playing at whist. Young men were lounging about upon divans, smoking Turkish pipes. At last they entered the main room, where Tchekalinski sat in the centre of a long table, dealing faro, surrounded by a score of players. He was a man of 60, with a bald head, crowned with snow-white hair. His countenance shone with good humor and with good nature. During a pause in the play Naroumoff presented his friend. The banker greeted him with a charming smile, bade him not to stand upon ceremony, and began another deal. The bets were numerous. The deal lasted long. At its close Tchekalinski began shuffling a new pack for a fresh deal.

Hermann deposited a check upon the table.

"What!" exclaimed Naroumoff, laughingly, "at last, oh! man of iron, you have yielded to the temptation? Well, I wish you good luck."

"How much?" said the banker, peering at the check. "I beg your pardon, but I cannot see clearly."

"Fifty thousand roubles," replied Hermann.

At these words all eyes were fixed upon the young officer.

"He is a madman," thought Naroumoff.

"Allow me to observe, sir," said Tchekalinski, with his polite smile, "that your play is somewhat heavy."

"I know it," said Hermann, with a slight sneer, "you decline to play against me if you wish."

"That is not my desire," said the banker, with a still sweeter smile, "but you will pardon me when I say that it is usual in such large games [illegible] money before [illegible]. It facilitates calculation."

Hermann drew from his pocket a package of bank notes and placed it upon the table. The banker examined the notes with a glance, and began to deal. To the right came a ten, to the left a seven.

"Three wins," said Hermann.

A rumor ran round the table. For a moment the banker appeared disconcerted, but his smile soon reappeared. He placed upon Hermann's pile of notes a similar pile.

"Do you wish [illegible]?"

Without replying Hermann placed the entire sum upon a seven. The [illegible] was dealt. To the right a jack, to the left a seven.

"Seven wins," said Hermann.

The usually impassive banker was evidently ill at ease. He counted out two hundred thousand roubles in notes and placed them upon the mass of wealth.

The news had spread through the gambling-house. The generals abandoned their whist, [illegible] servants [illegible] of feverish gamblers and bedizened lackeys surrounded Hermann [illegible] hundred thousand roubles [illegible]. A profound silence fell upon the room.

Tchekalinski [illegible] trembled [illegible] see; to the [illegible]

"Ace wins," said Hermann [illegible]

[illegible]

In the Oubouchkof asylum for the insane, at Moscow, is a very old man. He is known only as "No. 17." He is harmless, but will reply to no questions put to him. He repeats incessantly, day after day, year after year, the words: "Three, seven, ace—three, seven, queen!"—*From the Russian of Alexander Pushkin.*

Our Toronto Letter.

Did you ever stand on a street corner, worthy reader, to watch the people as they walked, ran, slouched and slunk along? If you have not already done so, you have lost what has for a long time been one of my greatest pleasures. Gracious! what a lot of faces I know, and what a lot of people I [illegible]

ONE OF THE RUNNERS,

[illegible]

THE COUNCIL BULLDOG,

[illegible]

ONLY HALF AS BAD AS THE "GLOBE'S" WOOD-CUTS.

[illegible]

WHAT A PRETTY WALK SHE HAS!

[illegible]

SHE IS AN AWFUL FLIRT.

[illegible]

DAN DWAN THE MAYOR OF [illegible] STREET.

[illegible]

ME AN' GILHOOLY

[illegible]

A FINE OLD GENT,

[illegible]

HE WANTS TO SHAKE DOWN HIS LAST DRINK

[illegible]

PAUL PRY JR

Learned in his Business

A certain coal merchant who must, owing to the present unfortunate condition of the [illegible]

[illegible]

Mr. James Galway of [illegible] Lodge, [illegible] County Waterford, [illegible]

Dens of Vice.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

Last week I had the somewhat unpleasant task of taking you into a combined gambling and cigar selling establishment. Some people have criticised that letter in my presence, not knowing that the author was myself, and although a few were inclined to believe that such a place as I described might exist, the majority declared it to be merely sensational newspaper writing. To such people I have but one word to say—search the vicinity of York and Queen streets, and perhaps you may find what you are looking for. But beware, for I have reason to believe that the police are about to

DIG UP THE HATCHET

and go once more on the war-path, and unless you are found in pretty decent company, your chances in case of a raid, are exceedingly good for being "run in," as in such cases the police always do their strict duty, and are no respecters of respectable vice. As A. Ward would say, "this is wrote sarkastik."

"This week I am going to take you into some places which, though less vicious, are still subversive of law and order, places where, by almost openly breaking the law, its majesty is brought into contempt. The Crooks act is a good one in principle, though some of its provisions and details require revision; at the same time, as long as it is the law it should be strictly administered, and such shebeens as the one on

RICHMOND STREET

between Church and Yonge streets should be annihilated. I will again act as guide, and we pass up through a gateway and up a path through what once was a garden. Arrived at the door, which is at the side of the house, we give the signal by tapping on the shutter (which is closed) and then pass into the porch. To all appearance there is not a soul in the place, everything seems dark and quiet, as becomes a Sunday night. Now look out, or rather look in, for the old lady is opening the slide. Gracious, how the glare from that lantern hurts your eyes as she holds it up close to your face, in order to see whether you are known or not. She does not know you, of course, but I have been round before, and so, after a critical examination of our features under the softening effect of a coal oil light, she grumblingly draws back the two chain bolts and lets us in. Now we pass into a room in which the tobacco smoke is old enough to vote, strong enough to hang your hat on, and heavy enough to fell an ox. This room is full of men, drinking lager, smoking cigars, and undertones—for conversing in quietness is strictly enforced here. We pass into the next room, and are fortunate enough to get seats, it being, as a rule, almost impossible, on account of the crowd, to get more than standing room for the first fifteen or twenty minutes. After waiting a little while, a rather

PRETTY BLONDE,

about nineteen years of age, and one of the daughters of the house, comes along with her tray. Of course, we have to drink lager, as that is the only beverage sold here, unless to some very particular "friends of the family." Meanwhile, the sister of the girl who has just waited on us goes round taking orders for beer and cigars, seldom vouchsafing a word to anybody, even to the oldest customers, more than is required for the transaction of business. This place is not supported by the vilest of the vile. Far from it. I have seen here sons of

SOME OF THE BEST FAMILIES IN TORONTO,

thoroughly respectable married men; and members of a certain church choir are in the habit of dropping in after the service to wet their throats with the seductive lager. Apart from selling liquor without license, the place is most orderly, and, in fact, would be a pattern to many regular saloons. One Sunday night last summer, a man in the house made an insulting proposal to one of the two girls. She immediately informed her father (who for a wonder was not serving a term in gaol at the time,) and he bounced the young swell with as little respect for his social position as would have rejoiced the heart of the reddest Republican. These people are very careful not to allow themselves to be caught by the whiskey spies, and on two occasions they have been convicted on evidence which was well known to "the boys" to be the grossest perjury.

The picture presented in this "Dutch interior" is worthy the pencil of a Rembrandt, or a Van Cuyp; in fact, as much as I have been round, I have never seen anything so strikingly picturesque as the old woman holding up her lantern (which is used on every face), and the two daughters beside her with their trays of beer mugs and a background composed of smoke, and a vague mass of human faces, while the warm light touches up the red face of the mother and the beautiful flaxen hair of the elder daughter.

Let us now take a trip down York street. You are afraid to go, but don't be alarmed, I will not take you into any of

THE WORST PLACES.

Again we enter a cigar store, where we are waited on by an exceedingly evil-eyed young woman, who can best be described by the old London expression:—"dirty swell." She is attired in a brown dress, very greasy, and her hair though carefully banged in front, is lamentably untidy behind. As for her hands and finger nails—well the less said about them the better; to call them clean would be an evidence of moral insanity. After getting out the cigars, (which are of the telephone brand—that is if you smoke them here, they can be smelt in Montreal), I ask for a little whiskey. This is answered by a sharp look, which seems to search all round, and under your waistcoat, but she finally consents, and invites us

INTO THE "PARLOR."

On arriving here we find four or five other "young ladies," all more or less battered in appearance, while a big mulatto who sits in the corner looks so much like a "bad man," that the note-book I was instinctively drawing out of my pocket slips back scared. You notice that, one by one, three men have reappeared in the room, from their hiding place in the passage, whither they went as soon as strangers were heard in the shop. They are a tough looking crowd, drawn from the

LOWEST CLASS OF THE COMMUNITY.

One would describe himself as a dock-labourer, but I am afraid that he knows more of how to dispose of stolen goods, than of how to remove a cargo. The second was apprenticed to a baker on King St., but frequented a certain Variety Theatre until he become stage struck, and commenced to learn the "business." From that he went rapidly to the bad, and now Heaven knows how he gets his living, I don't. The third is unknown to me but he has the appearance of

A CANAL STREET ROUGH FROM BUFFALO.

Of course from what you have seen you understand perfectly well where we are and think that we have been here quite long enough—don't you? Yes. Then let us move on.

Now you know there is not the slightest excuse for allowing these dens to exist. They are ruining hundreds of our youth yearly while to those who have commenced their downward course, an introduction to the forty-rod dispensers of York St., is equivalent to an introduction to

HIS SATANIC MAJESTY HIMSELF.

The point I am striving to make is this. In the first place provide some wholesome amusement for the lower classes. Let the workingman go to a respectable "free and easy" and drink his glass of beer in comfort, and sing his song or listen to some other music. Do not banish music entirely from the bar-room for that only sends a very large class to a much worse house. In the second place root out the dens. Send the men to gaol and the women to the Reformatory and as many times as they commence anew to transgress the law, pack them off again to where they rightly belong—the "stone jug." It is in such places that thieves and burglars are made and harboured. Among these people such an idea as that of doing right because it is right, is a thing unheard of, and if Jimmy gets "lagged" for "cracking" a "crib" the one question is "will he get off?"

If you don't believe me reader, the next time you get a chance get into conversation with a policeman, and maybe he will tell you a few more interesting facts than did yours truly,

BIN-THERE.

A MAN who has the power of repartee carries a quiver of sharp arrows slung over his shoulder. More than half the world is able to say a biting thing, but there are very few who can catch the biting thing on the fly, give it a new point and hurl it back. Send a man to another whom he wished to deliberately insult, "Sir, I can see the rogue in your very face." Without waiting an instant the reply came, "Ah, indeed, sir; I didn't know that my face was a looking-glass."

Costly Mansions.

As a rule, says a New York correspondent, we take very kindly to all sorts of foreign things—sometimes a good deal more so than foreigners themselves. A great many of us, especially those who have plenty of money, can see very little credit in anything that does not bear a foreign trade mark. Our millionaires would not even get foreigners to finish off their fine houses. Fifth Avenue furnishes several cases in point. The new mansions going up there for the Vanderbilts, the Goelets, and some other nabobs, are to be perfect palaces, so far as elaborate finish is concerned. Outside as well as inside, nothing that art can do for them is to be spared. Even the stone fronts must be ornamented with fine carving. There are scores of good stone workers in New York, but they are not good enough it seems, for the fancy work on the Fifth Avenue fronts. "Artists" must be imported expressly to carve the figures and the intricate devices in foliage and general gingerbread. If a certain piece of work of this kind is to be done, it must wait till an "artist" can be brought over from Europe to do it. The foreign gentlemen generally take their time about coming and take plenty of time at their work when they get here, but no one must attempt to hurry them up. They would resent that either by refusing to come at all, or refusing to go on with the work after beginning. Some of these artists in brown stone are just as hard to manage as opera singers, and have to be handled with the same care, or they may kick up at any moment and leave some one in the lurch. It is not much of a compliment that our rich men, such as the Goelets, pay to our own workmen when they insist upon foreigners being brought over to finish the outside of their houses.

They demand, too, that a good deal of the material for the houses shall be brought from abroad. The completion of the Vanderbilt mansion, for instance, will probably be delayed a couple of years by the difficulty of getting orders for foreign tiling filled. Some very good tiling is made in this country, but Mr. Vanderbilt won't have it, and the workmen here must wait on the convenience of manufacturers in Europe. Marble chimney-pieces are no longer considered stylish enough for first-class houses. Elaborately carved wood is used instead, and in many cases the article is prepared in Europe and brought here complete, ready to be set in its place. The costliest chimney-piece yet ordered for a New York mansion will grace the Fifth avenue home of the rich Californian, D. O. Mills. The value of this single article, which is only a chimney-piece at best, is $4,800. The contract for decorating the walls of Mr. Mills' parlours demand $300 a square foot for the work. The houses going up for Mr. Vanderbilt's two sons will be nearly as costly as his own. Among other elegant buildings which will take some time to finish are those of Robert and Ogden Goelet, David Dows, and the millionaire H. R. Bishop. The orders in each case are to spare no expense, and as there is plenty of money behind them, they are pretty sure to be carried out. When the new mansions are finished and occupied they will cover the ownership of about $[illegible],-000.

A Disreputable Telephone.

That reservoir of female loveliness and intelligence known as Mills seminary, says the *The San Francisco Post*, is connected with outer darkness by a telephone, through which, in some senses inadequate instrument, all interviews between the inmates and male beings are conducted. The other morning Mrs. Mills was informed that a gentleman in San Francisco had signalled her instrument, and that excellent disseminator of crochet and Greek words repaired to the mouth-piece.

"Hello?" said the man.

"Heaven, O!" answered Mrs. M., who is very pious.

"I want 'em all in tights, with spangles onto 'em," said the voice, earnestly.

"Want what?" gasped Mrs. M., who was inexpressibly shocked.

"Why, the girls," replied the voice, "and very low necks. Have some of 'em jump through balloons. Red legs, green sash ——"

"The rules of this establishment will not allow anything of the kind," said the model preceptress, firmly.

"Very well, then" make 'em all red When can you send 'em to the theatre?"

"The young ladies are allowed to attend the matinee only in parties of six, and accompanied by a teacher," said the guardian of youthful innocence.

"Am not satisfied with twin sisters—must be made to kick higher."

How Mrs. Mills refrained from fainting she never knew herself, but when she revived a little she made the wire hum like an Æolian harp in a nor'east gale with the emphatic remark:

"I must request, sir, that you instantly remove your daughters from this institution—instantly, sir. I cannot consent to impart any such scandalous information to the young, and I desire——"

And there is no knowing how the matter would have resulted had not the Oakland office suddenly switched off the connection just then, and explained that he had by mistake hooked the seminary on to the Petaluma station, where a variety troupe agent was instructing a city theatrical-bill engraver regarding some coloured posters.

Art and Dress.

(From Good Words.)

Scarcely of less import than sex and age are the height, size, and general proportion of the figure. Tall and stumpy people cannot with impunity be dressed in one pattern, the stately lady sweeping through marble halls can gracefully carry queenly robes that would crush the pretty little lady dwelling in a cottage. The present inclination is to treat dress as drapery, and to consider the one as simply utilitarian, and the other, as if of necessity, supremely artistic. The points of the figure are used as pegs whereon to hang out decorative fabrics, and possibly Sartor Resartus might stigmatize our living ladies as lay figures and our intelligent men as stalking clothes-horses. Some dresses are for sitting or standing only, some for walking, while others reduce the free action of the figure to physical endurance. A lady making a morning call was asked to take a seat, but she begged to be excused, because having on "a walking costume," she could not sit down. Yet nature in building up the human frame-work had a more extended scheme, which fashion would do well not so relentlessly to thwart. As to the length of a dress, that will much depend on whether the feet are of a beauty deemed to be worth displaying: if inviting to cast a glimpse on, they will probably be permitted "like little mice to peep in and out," hence some ladies wear "gowns always short when other people's are long, and go about holding them up above the highest water-mark in fine weather." The shoulders, which call for at least as much anxious care as the feet, admit of varied decorations, as with scarf, shawl, mantilla, veil, robe, toga. "A black scarf carries an air of respect, which is in itself protection. A woman thus attired glides on her way like a small close-reefed vessel, tight and trim, seeking no encounter but prepared for one. Much, however, depends on the wearer; indeed, no article of dress is such a revealer of the character. Some women will drag it tight up to their shoulders, and stick out their elbows in defiance beneath. Such are of the independent class with strong opinions. Others let it hang loose and listless like an idle sail, losing all the beauty of the outline—both moral and physical. Such ladies have usually no opinions at all, but none the less a very obstinate will of their own." A real lady hits by intuition the happy mean; she does not "put on a turban to drink tea with two people, or an innocent white frock for a party of 200;" she does not appear as a milliner popped out of a band-box, or as an artist just stepped from a picture, or as an antiquary kept usually as a curiosity under a glass case; she moves at respectful distance from the extremes of fashion, and though society does not "know what she has on," she is not in danger of being mistaken for either Aspasia or Queen Anne. What she wears, though perchance homely, is always good; not a scrap of tinsel or trumpery appears upon her; "she deals in no gaudy confusion of colours, nor does she affect a studied sobriety, but she either refreshes you with a spirited contrast, or composes you with a judicious harmony." And the secret of her success simply consists in her "knowing the three grand unities of dress—her own station, her own age, and her own points. And no woman can dress well who does not."

The Czar has to go, it appears, into retirement to Livadia. "Solitude with one sweet companion," the Dolgorouki, to wit, is to be his chosen portion henceforth and the Czarewitch, aided by a council, is to assume the cares of state. Alexander Romanoff cannot be congratulated on the way he has closed a reign that opened not inauspiciously, with the close of the Crimean war, and the liberation of the serfs.

Liszt.

Liszt took minor orders in 1865, and for the last few years has passed the time between September and January as a guest of cardinal Prince Hohenlohe, in the celebrated Villa d'Este. Here he has four rooms at his disposal. His work-room has two windows, one looking to the north, the other with a western aspect. From the first one looks out on the garden, on the gigantic cypress trees, the innumerable waterfalls and fountains, the long shady laurel walks, and in the background the houses and churches of Tivoli, crowned by a gradually rising chain of mountains. From the western there is a magnificent view over the Campagna, Rome seeming to close in the horizon like a strip of white mist, the dome of St. Peter's alone being visible. Liszt seldom walks in the grounds, owing to the many hundreds of steps which must be descended before the level of the garden is reached. Every morning Liszt goes to the neighbouring Franciscan Church of Sister Maria Maggiore, and hears two masses. His *prie dieu* chair is placed over the vault of the three Cardinals of the House of Este. On his return from church he breakfasts, and generally is seen no more for the rest of the day; the time is spent in reading and composing, the piano being seldom heard; in fact, there are many days on which he does not play at all. If the Cardinal happens to be in Tivoli, Liszt always dines with him at six o'clock, and after dinner sometimes plays on a physharmonika. When composing he is in the habit of smoking very strong cigars; otherwise he leads a most temperate life, literally that of a hermit in his cell. The two great piano-forte manufacturers in America, Chickering and Steinway, both presented Liszt with magnificent instruments of their own manufacture, each worth $1,200. The Chickering piano is now in Liszt's house in Buda-Pesth, while the Steinway instrument remains in Weimar. Two of the first firms in Germany each sent him one of their best pianos, Bosendorf, of Vienna, and Bechstein, of Berlin. Old Spina, in Vienna, into whose hands Mozart's *fortepiano* had passed, made a present of it to Liszt, who has placed it in the Ducal Palace in Weimar. In intercourse with others Liszt has the most refined manner; he is perfectly courteous and amiable. He can be severe and perverse on occasions, when, for instance, he sees that he is expected, as a matter of course, to play to amuse the guests at some vulgar *parvenu* house. Those Italians who have the privilege of knowing him value him not only as a virtuoso, but they feel drawn to him by his mode of life and the charm of his amiable character. It is universally said of him: "E un uomo da bene, di garbo!"

The Austrian Emperor at Home.

Schloss Godollo, says the London Globe, once belonged to the Greek millionaire, Baron Sina, and was purchased from him by the Hungarian nation and presented to the royal couple. The main building is reserved for royalty and the members of the royal household—ladies and gentlemen in waiting, the chaplain, tutor, etc., whilst guests, of whom there are always many, and ministers, and attendants are accommodated in a separate wing. The brown and finely-wooded avenue, connecting the upper and lower park, is brilliantly lighted all night, for people are continually passing to and fro, guests coming and leaving by the train, telegrams being received and dispatched, arrangements for *battues* made, and a dozen other operations tending to lend this road an animated aspect day and night. The cooks have to be at their posts at 4 A. M., for his majesty takes an early meal at 4:30 before taking himself to his shooting. The scene of this very matutinal sport often lies several miles off, and has to be reached in a dogcart, and the *battue* commences at daybreak. His majesty never fires on the quarry unless it it is in movement; if the deer comes slowly towards him along the drive, and then, as often happens, remains standing, Franz Joseph does not draw the trigger till the animal has been scared and begins to bound away. Then he lets fly, and the aim is wonderfully steady, so that the game hardly ever gets away.

By 9 o'clock the emperor is back again at home and sitting at his work-table, whilst the courier is already waiting with the morning's dispatches. The formidable pile is boldly attacked by the king and his two secretaries. Then come the court, councillors, and ministers, who leave the monarch no peace till his 2 o'clock *dejeuner*—a bottle of beer and half bottle of red wine, with a plain cut off the joint, is the usual *menu*—which is followed by a Virginia cigar and more work till the clock strikes 3. Archduchess Valerie, her majesty's youngest child, receives her parents in her separate apartments every evening at 8:30. The 13-year-old little lady does the honours with all the grace and ease of the "dame du monde," and it is considered a mark of great esteem for a guest to be invited to this family circle. At 10 the emperor goes to bed, no matter who is at Godollo, or what is going on.

A Man of War.

(From the London Globe,)

The Magyars on Sunday ordered a statue to Gen. Bem, a man as well known on the other side of the Leitha as is Schwarzenberg on this. Bem was the bitterest enemy Russia ever had, for his whole life was devoted to damage the hated Muscovite. A Pole by birth, and, indeed, quite ignorant of the Magyar language, Bem came over the Carpathians and joined the Hungarian army, because at that time Hungary happened to be a more advantageous striking point than Poland from which to "have at" his old enemies. He would doubtless have become a Chinaman to-day for the same purpose, and gone to Irkutsk to help to worry the troops of the czar in the wilds of Central Asian steppes. As it was, he later on became a Moslem, and fought hard under the flag of the prophet, because peace having been signed with Russia by both Poland and Hungary, Turkey was the only land left where he could pursue his favourite occupation. Bem used to give the word of command in Polish or French, and a "doimelch" was at his side to translate the orders in the native language. The interpreters were more than once killed in the thick of the battle, thus leaving Bem in the lurch, and so, later on, the general was in the habit of keeping six or eight dragomans at his horse's side, to make sure of not running short of a supply.

Some of Bem's dry remarks have passed into sayings among the Magyars. At the battle of Medgyes the hussars suffered terribly, and their colonel sent to Bem to know if the cavalry should not retire. The message which the adjutant had to take back was: "When all the horses except two are fallen, then one of them is to come and tell me!" At another time Bem giving his orders to a Major Miltes, said: "You, major, will remain and defend that position as long as ever you can hang on to it." "And when I cannot hang on any longer, general, what then?" asked the major. "Then remain there just the same," was the laconic answer as the Russophobe galloped off to another part of the field. Bem died of wounds and a broken heart at Aleppo, for he saw that he had spent his life in a lost cause. The Muscovite was still triumphant and left Poland in the dust!

A Senator on his Muscle.

A story is told of a Texas senator who arrived here yesterday, says a Washington correspondent, which may enliven the topics of conversation among Pullman-car conductors and serve to show that brass buttons and a gilt band do not carry much weight in the mind of a senator from the regions of the Rio Grande. It appears that the senator had provided himself and family at St. Louis with a spacious compartment, and, fresh from the primitive quarters of his ranch, was taking in the luxuriousness of Pullman's palatial accommodations. The family of the senator not wishing to be intruded upon had closed the door of the compartment. The conductor, coming along, partly opened it. The senator, with considerable emphasis, closed it. The dignity of the conductor was nettled by this sort of interrogation of his authority in his own bailiwick, and he undertook to assert his individuality by forcing the door open. The senator, claiming the right of occupation, in Texas diction told the conductor to get out, whereupon the conductor became more colloquial than suited the senator. The latter, who stands over six feet, without further parley hauled off and let fly with the force of a battering-ram a single blow, which sent the conductor over several highly-upholstered pivot-chairs into a coal-box. The conductor, gathering himself up with an expression which suggested a vision of stars, soon rallied and made a dash at the senatorial Texan. The latter, striking a graceful attitude of defence, sang out: "See here, sir; don't come this way. If you come within range of these fists (shaking them significantly) I will mash your face in such a jelly that your own mother wouldn't recognize you." Profiting by the counsel of the old adage, the conductor withdrew, and the Texas senator finished his journey unmolested.

My Godly Man.

You ask me if I think a godly man
Can be built up Christ-like, on [illegible]
plan.
Well, nature's plan is God's, and [illegible]
not?
I knew one once [that answered [illegible]
thought.

He preached to spirits buried in [illegible]
Good works, good life, and love [illegible]
monition:
Exhorted stomachs gnawed by [illegible]
tion,
Bread, meat, and drink, and joy [illegible]
tation.

He sang to naked feet, and [illegible]
limbs;
Coats, mittens, shoes, and trousers [illegible]
hymns.
He guided hearts and brains that ached [illegible]
chiding;
Example, truth, and courage were his [illegible]
ing.

In couchless homes and empty [illegible]
His ritual was wood, and quilts, [illegible]
And from the sick, the helpless [illegible]
tressed,
Responsive health and comfort [illegible]
blest.

The prayer he prayed, men pray not [illegible]
much,
For Mammon doesn't deign to answer [illegible]
He prayed it in a cabin, low and [illegible]
Where forms were hungry, cold, and [illegible]
nude.

Where silken saints had often been [illegible]
And prayed advice and censure through [illegible]
door,
But at a pious distance, safely wide,
They prayed while passing by on the
side,

Prayers solemn, wordy, faultless in [illegible]
frame;
But shivering orphans shivered all the [illegible]
In vacant stomachs, hunger's cruel [illegible]
Was still as fierce as if they'd never [illegible]

But my saint, on poor shoulders, [illegible]
bare,
Prayed down a good, thick, warm, [illegible]
nel prayer.
Perhaps such prayers are vulgar, quite [illegible]
wild,
But in the sufferer's thanks [illegible]
smiled:

"When all my Father's jewels shall [illegible]
named
Of such a one I will not be ashamed,
For, fighting off the fiend of [illegible]
From one poor wretch, he did [illegible]"

Had he a faith? Well, I should [illegible]
had;
Such faith as empties worlds of all [illegible]
bad;
A faith that works all forms and rituals [illegible]
And not by styles or dogmas, but by [illegible]

This is my godly man, and Nature's [illegible]
And God's and Christ's. So let it be [illegible]
you,
And me, and ours, and all humanity;
Of such God's kingdom is, and is to be.

GEORGE ARN[illegible]

A Lover's Plea.

BY J. K.

O, sweetheart hear my song,
Scorn not my verse, and I
Will write with crimson'd [illegible]
The words I dare not [illegible],
Lo! At thy feet I lie.

In waking and in sleep
Thy face is haunting me,
Thy voice so sweet and low,
I hear like rippling flow
And murmur of the sea.

Unworthy, dear, am I
To ask for love and thee;
But, Sweet! be merciful,
As thou art beautiful,
And learn to care for me.

O turn not cold away
Thou sunshine of my life,
To live from Thee apart
Would desolate my heart,
Then be my own, my wife!

Thine image from my heart,
No other face can blot,
My soul, myself shall be
Possessed alone by thee,
O love forget me not.

A Big Game.

Apropos of gambling, says a Paris correspondent, some of my readers may remember the story which I told of a monster game of cards at St. Petersburg, where the [illegible] nulled Count Strogonoff's immense [illegible] of eight millions. I have just heard of another somewhat similar, of which a French lady of high standing, recently deceased [illegible] Tours, was the heroine. The Countess [illegible] X. was an inveterate card-player, whose skill at every game was proverbial; [illegible] Princess Y. is a Russian, an inveterate gambler. They met once on their travels and the princess, anxious to try the strength of this French champion, sent up her card, accompanied by a request that she would [illegible] a game at piquet. Mme. de X. assented; they began after dinner, and when the [illegible] rose next morning the Muscovite had lost more money than all her mines in the Ural had produced during a quarter of a century. "I do not think, countess," she said, after losing her last stake, which was for some fabulous sum, "that all my fortune will suffice to pay my debt, but I shall send you my overseer, who will hand over all my title deeds, and arrange as far as possible." "Very well, madame," replied the French lady; "but I will not consent to be outdone in courtesy by one of the most charming adversaries whom I have ever met. I have won, so be it! But I shall send for a priest and a notary. Before the priest you shall swear never to touch another card during your life; before the notary you will sign a deed granting me an annuity of [illegible] francs." The princess consented; she has never played since, while the countess dispensed to the poor the annuity, which she used jestingly to call the "ransom of the queen of clubs."

The Very Latest From London.

While I was chatting with the duke of Shrewsbury (owner of the Shrewsbury oyster mines), says a correspondent of the *San Francisco Post*, the queen slipped up behind and put her hands over my eyes.

"Guess who it is," said the duke.

I felt the pressure of a big seal ring the queen wears, against my cheek, so I said at once:

"Why, it's Vic."

"Everybody laughed, and the [illegible] said:

"How cute you Americans are. What a lovely dress you have on; I must really import one of your New York dressmakers. (Vic is a terrible dowdy). I wish you'd lend me the pattern of the basque."

"Couldn't think of [illegible]," I said, upon which she began teasing [illegible] down and spend a couple [illegible] Windsor.

"Do, now," she insisted, "and have just lots of fun. I [illegible] put up in the spare room. We'll get Wales down from the city, and make picnic parties, and have a good time generally."

"I think Wales has other fish to fry," said I, winking toward where he was [illegible] Mrs. Langtry out on the stairs.

"I declare, there he is again, with that stuck-up thing," said Victoria, getting angry. "Let's go and interrupt [illegible] Tell him you want to sell him some [illegible] chances."

"No, you don't," says I, "two's company—three's a crowd; ta-ta, queen," [illegible] I slid off to get some ice-cream [illegible] the earl of Wellington, Vic getting so mad that she slammed her crown [illegible] corner and went up-stairs to bed in a fit of the sulks.

The Le Dusenberry's, from Nob Hill, [illegible] here, and already have made a great sensation.

It becomes more and more apparent every day that the usefulness of the Turk in Europe is gone. In fact, the policy adopted and championed by Dennis Kearney in San Francisco towards "the heathen Chinee" is, in all probability, the very type of method of procedure that will have to be adopted by the European powers towards the Sultan and the nation over which he rules. There seems to be a notable revival of national vitality in Greece, while Turkey appears to be sinking deeper and deeper into the slough of sloth and stupidity. The day is certainly not far distant when the cross will again float over the towers of Stamboul, and the city of Constantine regain some of her former glory and grandeur.

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MRS. MARY LEONARD.

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DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.

ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

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W. N. CURROW.

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DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves.

NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy.

MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

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Choosing a Bonnet.

... ered we don't know which to choose. Once more we cock our head in all positions and view that important portion of ourselves in every light. Nothing satisfies. We leave discouraged and so into the establishment next door. By this time the invisible net over our front hair is a perfect wreck, and the hair itself, which was prettily arranged when we started out, has a tendency to stand on an end. Their is a prospect, of nothing being becoming, from our looks! We are aggravatingly asked "What style we prefer to see?" We recklessly answer, "No particular shape—anything pretty." Again we remove our bonnet with an actual reluctance to part with it. Again we go through the old story. Our friend, who looks slightly fatigued, suddenly finds everything we try on becoming! We get up a smile. We are once more told our head is unusually small and that it is necessary to have a style copied. We find one, we think, does nicely. We leave our orders and turn our steps homeward, tired, dusty, disenchanted with everything in general, and bonnets particular. We are consoled about our small head, however, by the thought that it is a great beauty, though inconvenient. We bid our friend good-by and tell her we are sure we could do nothing without her. We speak of our success to the head of the house at dinner. He immediately asks how much we paid for our purchase. We take a long breath and boldly state the cost. There is a fuss about it. We say demurely we went all over town (for we feel tired enough to believe ourselves), and it is the cheapest thing we saw, which is the truth. For answer our amiable lord scornfully says, "Oh, pah!" We answer him, when he sees the article under discussion, he will feel perfectly satisfied. Just then the bell rings. We say, with a little air of triumph, now you will be able to judge for yourselves. In comes the band-box. We rush up stairs to a mirror, don the new fashion, arrange it most becomingly, assume our sweet impression and descend for criticism. Our better half eyes us in silence. We slowly whirl round for his benefit. His lack of enthusiasm alarms us. We falter out, "Well?" He leans back in his chair, takes us in once more, and turns round to go on with his dinner with the remark, "I'll give just $20 to burn that thing up. To tell you the truth, you look fifty years older in that than your are." We are literally crestfallen! We silently return the hat, we will never wear it in comfort now, to its resting place, consoling ourselves with the thought that it is prettier than anything we have seen, and perhaps our liege lord will learn to like it.

Dolgorouki.

The Empress of Russia, who recently died says the *Figaro*, had the most beautiful jewelery-box in the world. Her treasurers are valued at 25,000,000 francs.

Her state robes have been given by the emperor to the princess of Dagmar, the Czarine. The gifts presented by the Emperor to his wife have been reserved by the duchess of Edinburg; but the most precious of the jewels have become the property of the princess of Dolgorouki. And yet this new wife, upon whom the czar now lavishes all his affection, was so poor when she first won the ...

Cost too Much.

... amid the jeers of his neighbors, who predicted all sorts of misfortune that would befall him. Arriving in this city he made his way to a well-known intelligence office, and imparted the object of his mission to the matron in attendance. After considerable questioning to satisfy herself of the honesty of the farmer's intentions, she went into the room where were a dozen or more young women waiting for situations. She stated to them that a man was in the office who had come to Boston to get him a wife. Were there any present who were willing to marry an honest New Hampshire farmer without any courtship? He said he was willing to give her a good fit-out of wedding clothes at once. One young, plump-looking Irish girl said she'd like to see the party. After a few minutes' conversation with the widower she consented to marry him, and they left the office to buy the wedding outfit. The farmer took into his confidence one of the saleswomen, who joyfully entered into the matter. After assisting them in their selection of the various necessary articles of a minor nature, they went up to the dress department to buy the wedding gown. The variety shown the young girl quite bewildered her, but she finally set her heart on a dress that exactly suited her. Unfortunately the price was $15 more than the man was willing to pay. The girl coaxed and pleaded with him; the saleswoman used all her arguments to make the sale, but the widower was inflexible. "Thirty dollars was an all-fired lot of money to pay for a gown." Finally the girl declared that nothing else would satisfy her, and began to cry in real earnest. Matters looked serious; several other saleswomen took sides with the girl and pleaded for the coveted dress but without success. Then the girl got her spirit up and told him that he was a mean old fellow, and she wouldn't marry him if he'd give her the best dress in the store, and marched out.

English Kisses.

The women of England not only salute their relations with a kiss, but all persons promiscuously; and this ceremony they repeat, gently touching them with the lips, not only with grace, but without the least immodesty. Such, however, as are of blood-royal do not kiss their inferiors, but offer the back of the hand, as men do by way of saluting each other. Erasmus writes in raptures to one of his friends on this subject. "Did you but know, my Faustus," says he, "the pleasures which England affords, you would fly here on winged feet, and, if your gout would not allow you, you would wish yourself a Dædalus. To mention to you one among many things, here are nymphs of the loveliest looks, good humored, easy of access, and whom you would prefer even to your favorite muses. Here, also, prevails a custom never enough to be commended, that, wherever you come, everyone receives you with a kiss, and when you take your leave everyone gives you a kiss; when you return, kisses again meet you. If anyone leaves you, they leave you with a kiss; if you meet anyone, the first salutation is a kiss; in short, wherever you go, kisses everywhere abound; which, my Faustus, did you once taste how very sweet and how very fragrant they are, you would not, like Solon, wish for ten years' exile in England, but would desire there to spend the whole of your life." Antonio Perez, secretary to the embassy from Phillip II. of Spain, writes thus to the earl of Essex: "I have this day, according to the custom of your country, kissed, at an entertainment, seven females, all of them accomplished in mind and beautiful in person."

No Signs of Simplicity.

Nothwithstanding so much has been said about returning to a more simple style of dress, there is no indication of anything of the kind at present. Even for street wear, although skirts are short, they are trimmed as much as ever with flounces, plaitings, velvet, or plush bands and galloon. Tuniques are draped in most complicated ways, and confections are covered with passementerie beads and embroideries. With the exception of ladies' walking dresses being in dark shades, and principally even black, everything is of the most showy kind. There is a rumor that puffed sleeves are to be again worn. It is most likely that these sleeves will replace plain long ones for evening use. Waists of ordinary material are made like jerseys, but toning down the back, with a single on either side of the front. Sleeves with inserted tulle or lace puffings fastened down by bands of material are used for dinner or evening toilets. Among the favorite fabrics for dressy purposes are satins and silks with light or dark groundings, worked with gold, and satins with white groundings and large golden or colored flowers, the latter with gold intermixed. Red satins have Indian palm leaves, handsomely shaded and enriched with gold threads. "Velours de Genes" have large flowers in pale tints over different colored groundings. A great pecularity with regard to these velvets is their being combined with plaited gauze, tulle, or muslin. Some of these fabrics are quite heavy enough to serve for chair or cushion coverings, and are used only for full-dressed toilets. They are generally used for vests, panel-shaped trimmings, and very long court mantles; in short, all the flat parts of the suit; it would be most unsuitable to plait, gather, or shirr each magnificent material.

Sam Sara's Sister.

Mlle. Jeanne Bernhardt, accompanied only by a maid servant, arrived in this city yesterday morning, says the New York *World*, by the French line steamer Labrador. She was met at the pier of the Campeign Generale Transaltantique by Mme. Guemard, Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt's companion, who had come on from Boston the evening before, and with but a few moment's delay from the customs inspectors they drove at once to the Albermarle hotel, where they were found later by a reporter making ready to take the 4 o'clock train for Boston. Jeanne Bernhardt very strikingly resembes her elder sister, but is not quite as slender or quite as tall. Her complexion is clear and rather light, and her hair a yellow brown, the brown shades preponderating. Her cheeks are ful, relieving the prominence of the cheek bones, and the hectic flush and wan appearance of Mlle. Sara are entirely wanting. Indeed, Mlle. Jeanne appeared the picture of vivacity and health. Her voice is rich and strong, and her laugh hearty and irresistible. She was dressed in olive green, the trimming being Turkish red and yellow. A plush duchess of Devonshire hat sat jauntily on her head, surmounted by a large imitation cockleshell and yellow-red bird. Her dress, of dark olive green colour, was of shaggy cloth with a front of red and yellow plaid. The sleeves were short and long thread gloves covered her plump arm nearly to the elbow. Across the back of the chair hung a long olive-green cloak lined and trimmed with fur.

Society Events in Colorado.

Fashion Notes.

... popular.

VERMICELLI lace is the latest novelty in lace goods.

WHITE opera toilets are in the majority in London.

BANGLES are worn to excess by fashionable women.

FURNITURE effects are sought for in recent costumes.

THE Fanchon bonnet is called the *bebe* bonnet in Paris.

JAPANESE screen front dresses are of American origin.

FUR trimmed costumes begin to make an appearance.

HOODS on dresses, as well as on wraps, grow in favor.

LACE pins have completely superseded other kinds of brooches.

THE Drogan cap is shaped very much like a French pastry cook's.

DEEP yellow and coral pink China asters are the flower of the moment.

DULL red is a popular shade for young girls' and children's wool suits.

THE Drogan cap takes precedence of the Tam-o'-Shanter and the Glengarry.

SERPENT bracelets with golden scales and ruby eyes are coming into vogue.

THE latest hoods on dresses and wraps are rounded, not pointed, in the back.

DRINING gloves made to simulate a leopard's or tiger's claw are late novelties.

WADDED and quilted satin slippers are worn for comfortable home *neligee* toilet.

JERSEY corsages and striped woolens for skirts are leading styles in skating costumes.

MOTHER HUBBARD cloaks have gathered fulness front and back, shirred in at the neck.

THE only flowers used for winter hats and bonnets are made of plush, velvet, and satin.

MOTHER HUBBARD bonnets are shirred hats of good large size, tied down over the ears.

CHENILLE fringes, with strands of gold or silver thread are much used for ball dress trimming.

THE harmonies or symphonies of color must be well preserved in Japanese screen front dresses.

SIX bangles on each arm are not considered too many by girls who adopt the extreme of that barbaric style.

DARK-green and seal-brown cloth suits, trimmed with bands of fur, take the lead for elegant street costumes.

FICHUS, collarettes, jabots of large size, and simulated waistcoat fronts in lace are almost *de rigueur* in full dress.

GILT sautache is revived for trimming street suits and wraps, but it is not in good taste save for carriage or house wear.

A TRUE lady is as careful to make her toilet with care and taste for retiring to bed as for the morning, afternoon, or evening.

VERY wide muslin cravats trimmed with lace are worn around the neck again, with the large bow tied on one side *a la* Bernhardt.

TIN or wooden pail, hair receivers, covered with satin and banded with brass, have reticule tops drawn up with tasselled cords.

THE most wonderful embroidery, in the form of insects, birds, stems, and leaves in white silk floss, is how put on baby shawls and blankets.

WHEN the embroidered Japanese screen fronts of dresses are in bright colors, the brocades, satins, or plushes of the other parts of the costume are in colors to match the tone of the screen drapery.

PRETTY soft India mull squares, trimmed around with Breton, Languedoc, and Vermicelli laces, are used for completing the *toilette au lit*, worn as a muffler round the throat above the night robe collar.

Waifs.

SOME men are called muffs because they are used to keep a flirt's hand in.

DARK hair is worn smooth, or else in large, loose, natural-looking waves.

SHE sighed for the wings of a dove, but had no idea that the legs were much better eating.

COAL is so scarce in some parts of the west that young people engaged in courting have to sit in each other's laps to keep warm.

BERNHARDT dies so realistically that it is said a coroner who saw her ran around to the stage door and wanted to hold an inquest.

A CINCINNATI man says that Mamie Anderson's cherry-red lips are the prettiest in America. Bah! "we'll put our lips against her's any day."

A GERMAN lately married says: Id vas youst so easy as a needle could valk out mit a camel's eye as to get der behindt vord mit a vomans.'

THE young lady who objected to being embraced by her lover was gravely informed by him that she was putting a restraint upon the liberty of the press.

"CAN there be happiness where there is no love?" solemnly queries an author in a book on marriage. Not much happiness, perhaps, but if the girl is awfully rich there can be lots of fun.

"No marm," said the shoe dealer, "I would like to give you a smaller pair, but to sell you anything below eights would render me liable under the statutes for prevention of cruelty to animals".

John's wife and John were tete-a-tete,
She witty was, industrious he;
Says John: "I've earned the bread we ate;"
"And I," says she, "have urn'd the tea."

"KNOW all men by these presents," read an old bachelor lawyer. "Why don't they put in women, too?" asked his lady client. "Because," said the o. b., "if one woman knows it, all women know it."

THE young woman who bangs away at the piano, and sings "What is Home Without a Mother?" while her mother is bending over the washing-tub, is like a piece of cheap calico. She won't wash.

WHEN a boy walks with a girl as though he were afraid some one might see him, the ...

WISHING to pay his friend a compliment, a gentleman remarked: "I hear you have a very industrious wife." "Yes," replied the friend, with a melancholy smile, "she is never idle. She always finds something for me to do."

Two young ladies recently saw a young man trying to dodge three or four hornets, which had got into his room and seemed to come at him from all directions; and they thought he was practising the racquet, and said he was getting it down fine.

GIRLS, if there is one thing more than any other that holds young men of our day back from matrimonial ventures, it is the disheartening spectacle so often presented to them of your own dear papa and mamma walking into church glorified respectively by a $12 u star and a $30 bonnet. That is what scares the boys.

ELDEST Daughter—"I think you might let me come out, mamma! I'm 20, you know, and surely I've finished my education!" Festive Mamma (by no means prepared to act the part of chaperon and wall flower)—"not yet, my love. Society is so hollow! I really must preserve that sweet girlish freshness of yours a little longer!"

"WHY, Jennie, you foolish girl, come into the house. What are you out in the snow for without wraps?" "Oh, nothing much, ma. You see Augustus has just called, and here are the footprints in the snow. I'm measuring to get the right size for those slippers, and do you know I don't believe I've got half enough cloth for them."

A GENIAL mistake: New Beauty (unversed as yet in the mysteries of high life)—"Who's that wonderful old gentleman?" The Captain—"Sir Digby de Rigby, a Hampshire baronet, one of the oldest in England; James the First's creation, you know." New Beauty (determined to be surprised at nothing)—"Indeed, how well preserved he is! I shouldn't have thought him more than 70 or 80!"

A WOMAN complains that her sex is compelled by fashion to suffer dreadfully from cold. "Even when clad for the street," she says, "a woman is nowhere nearly so thickly covered as a man, unless it be about her chest and arms by a fur garment. Her head is usually not protected at all, and, in the other direction, her warm clothing stops at her hips, for below that her skirts are only a shield against the wind, without keeping out much cold. There is a general feminine aversion to flannel next the skin, arising from the prickliness of the one and the delicacy of the other. Below the knees the only covering is a stocking. So it is that the girl in a sealskin sacque, looking so mighty comfortable, really suffers greatly."

Caught on a Bridge.

A FAMILY OVERTAKEN BY A TRAIN—THE FATHER KILLED AND A LITTLE GIRL INJURED.

(From the New York Sun.)

On Thursday evening James Shugaro of Mill Street, Paterson, was returning home from a call upon some acquaintances up the Hackensack River, and, to make a short cut, he walked along the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railway track. His wife and his daughter, aged 6, were with him. A passenger train passed them, and then they took the track on which the train has passed, supposing that there would be no more trains on that track very soon; but immediately behind the passenger train was a gravel train running at a rapid rate, and before Mr. Shugaro and his wife were aware of it this train was right upon them, just as they were making their way over the ties of a high canal bridge east of the high bridge over the Passaic River. Mr. Shugaro was somewhat decrepit, and was unable to get out of the way. He was struck by the train and instantly killed. Mrs. Shugaro managed to jump to one side, and escaped injury. The little daughter, in her fright, fell through the beams of the bridge upon the frozen surface of the canal, over twenty feet below. Her arm was broken, and she suffered other injuries that it is feared will prove fatal. Mr. Shugaro was formerly in the employ of the railroad company, but of late he had not been able to work, and was in reduced circumstances.

On Praying.

Professor Adler lectured on "Prayer" a short time since in New York, and told his audience that the intelligent part of the community had given up praying for the simple reason that there is no one to pray to. It is well enough for little babies to pray, he said, because it stimulates the religious sentiment. One would judge from his address that a nice little prayer uttered by a nice little boy was a pretty fair substitute for a spoonful of Mrs. Winslow's soothing syrup. It eases of the child's mind and has a tendency to put him into a quiet and refreshing sleep. But for full-grown men—men of brains, you know, who have got beyond all this nonsense about a personal God—men of profound research, who wink at you with a knowing wink, when you talk to them about Providence as though they knew perfectly well that the doctrine had exploded but didn't quite like to say so—for such gifted souls as these to pray is an act of condescension which even Diety, if there is one, ought not to require. We are a little inclined to think that some men know altogether too much. It is almost a pity to know so much that you must needs abolish God and prayer and Providence and immortality, and having nothing left to worship except yourself. However, the men who have in this way become abolitionists do smile with sweet complacency at their own wonderful attainments, and do worship themselves with an ardent admiration which must be very comforting. It must be quiet satisfactory to dethrone everything and everybody, and then to look around on the work of destruction and say, with Master Jack Horner, "What a great man am I!"

Young Ireland.

So far as I can recollect, only three of the really prominent Young Irelanders, Sir Charles Duffy, Mr. Richard O'Gorman, of New York, and Mr. J. P. Smith, member of Parliament, are still alive. Thomas Davis, John Dillon, Smith O'Brien, Meagher, Mitchel, McGee, Doheny, Devin Reilly, John Martin—these and many others are gone. The movement was one of more than political importance to Ireland. It was a healthy influence upon the young men of that time. It began with something in the nature of a protest against the kind of policy into which O'Conner was allowing the national movement to drift. Young men were naturally growing impatient of O'Conner's more recent policy. They had for a long time firmly believed that his intention was to rouse the spirit and organize the manhood of the country into such a condition that he would be able to make a demand upon the English Government, and if the demand were refused, to launch a rebellion at England's head. O'Conner probably at no time had any such purpose. At the most, he only intended to get together a force with which he might threaten England, and which, if the English Government gave way, would answer all his ends. But he had not apparently prepared himself for the crisis, certain to arise at some time, when the English Government would refuse to draw back, and when, therefore, he must decide between going into rebellion or practically dissolving his organization. The time came, and O'Conner drew back. From that moment his power over the young men was gone. Besides, there had been during most of these later years something undecided, unsatisfactory, and, as many of the younger and more ardent Irishmen thought, ignoble, about his policy.—*Justin McCarthy, in Nineteenth Century.*

TWO SHILLINGS A WORD.—Lord Beaconsfield has amused himself with taking another rise out of the British public. The only true view to be taken of his new novel is that it is an elaborate jest; and no one will be more surprised than the noble author himself at the signal lack of all sense of the ridiculous exhibited by those who seriously criticise the book. "Endymion" is a practical joke in three volumes, and a joke of which the late Prime Minister has very much the best. According to one account, Lord ...

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Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11 30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11 45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel		1 50 a.m.	5.20 p.m.
Shelburne		1 50 p.m.	6.00 p.m.
Dundalk		1 15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.
Proton		1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville		1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.
Markdale		2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Berkly		2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.
Williamsford		2 50 p.m.	8.16 p.m.
Arnott		3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.
Chatsworth		3.15 p.m.	9 16 p.m.
Rockford		3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.
Owen Sound		4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.40 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

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NOTICE.

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MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

OSPREY.—A McGirr, was elected Reeve for this township by a majority of 70. Deputy Reeve, Mr. McIntyre. Councillors, Messrs. Sing Taylor and Johnston.

ARTEMESIA.—Reeve, Dr. Christoe, by acclamation, Councillors, Pedlar, Wright, (accl.) Elliott and Webster.

GLENELG.—The following is the result in this township. For Reeve, F. McRae by acclamation. Deputy Reeve, Hall 227, Davis 217, McCannell 215. Councillors, Neil 237, McMillan 236, Glencross 214, Dunsmoor 181, Bennie 175, Black 148.

MEAFORD.—Mayor, Burns; Reeve, A. Thompson; Councillors, North Ward,—David McCann, J. Stovel, T. Aris; West Ward,—D. L. Layton, R. Agnew, W. C. Jewell; East Ward, E. Thompson, Chas. Watt, James Hogg.

OWEN SOUND.—Mayor, Dr. C. E. Barnhart, (accl.); Reeve, John Fox; 1st Deputy. M. Kennedy, 2nd Deputy, R. Malcolm; Councillors, J. Pearson, J. Anderson, C. R. Wilkes, S. McClean, W. Manders, T. Frizzell, J. Tobey, D. A. Creasor, R. McLeod

HOLLAND.—Reeve, Mr. Howie; Deputy Reeve, Mr. Cameron; Councillors, Messrs. Shute, Gillespie and Norton.

EUPHRASIA.—Reeve, R. Myles; De-Deputy Reeve, James Boyd; Councillors, Wm. Fesset, Jas. Gilray and J. Loughead.

PROTON.—Reeve, J. J. Middleton; Deputy Reeve, Jno. Abbott; Councillors, Messrs. Black, Buckley and McArdle.

BENTINCK.—Reeve, D. McNichol (accl.); 1st Deputy Reeve, Messinger; 2nd Deputy Reeve, McCallum. Councillors—Dickson and Willis.

COLLINGWOOD.—Reeve, N. McColeman; 1st Deputy Reeve, A. Campbell; 2nd Deputy Reeve, W. Kerr. Councillors—J. Lunan and P. Stoutenburg.

DURHAM.—Mayor, Middaugh; Reeve, McKechnie (accl.) Councillors—North Ward, Burnett, Anderson, and Robertson; East Ward, Johhston. McKenzie, and Storrey; West Ward, Bull, Horn, and Brown.

EGREMONT.—Reeve, Jas. Murdoch; Deputy Reeve, Wm. Lawrence, Councillors—James Paul, Jas. Allan, and D. McCormick.

NORMANBY.—Reeve, John Koeing; 1st Deputy Reeve, John Blyth; 2nd Deputy Reeve, Wm. Winkler. Councillors—Conrad, Fischer, and Edward McMahon.

DERBY.—Reeve R. A. Stark; Councillors—W. Brien, John Robinson, R. Henderson.

SULLIVAN.—Reeve, W. Sparrow; Deputy Reeve, J. Vasey; Councillors—John Stewart, Joseph Pringle, John Proud.

SYDENHAM.—Wm. Lang. All the old council elected with the exception of Mr. Traynor, who gives way to Mr. McCutcheon.

KEPPEL.—Reeve, Wm. Totten; Deputy Reeve, John Clark. Old council re-elected.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Last Monday, as the law required, between the hours of ten and twelve, the Municipal officers for the Township of Artemesia were nominated as follows:—Mr. Christoe as Reeve and was elected by acclamation.—Priceville Ward, Messrs. McLeod and Webster. Markdale Ward, Messrs. Elliott and Bowlard. Eugenia Ward, Mr. Pedlar, who was elected by acclamation Flesherton Ward, Mr. Wright, elected by acclamation. After one o'clock, speeches began. Mr. Christoe thanked the people for again returning him, then referred to Township business, talking, many people thought, stuff and trash in reference to Wm. Lackey's Reeveship. He then gave account of his own stewardship as though no person ever lived was fit to do anything but himself. Next the Reeve said he was opposed to railway bonuses, and proceeded to show that the Company were quite able to make the improvements themselves, going into the whole affair in detail, giving the figures, &c. To my mind his arguments were more suppositious than real; but it seemed to please some of the ratepayers. Next Mr. McLeod, Priceville Ward, said he voted for the first railway by-law, but was now opposed to giving any further bonus to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. Mr. Webster, of the same Ward, then came forward, and said he had voted for the first by-law, and put his name to the last petition requesting the Council to submit the second by-law, but was opposed to giving the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway any further aid. Many were surprised at Mr. Webster saying that he had signed a petition to have a by-law submitted which he had no intention of supporting. He also said a new scheme for a railway was soon to be submitted to the ratepayers for their consideration, which he approved of. The new road was to run from Kincardine, passing through Durham, Priceville, Flesherton, and thence to Collingwood, He said he was sure the municipalities along the proposed line would readily give good bonuses; Artemesia, say thirty thousand. The next speaker was Mr. Stone, from the same Ward, he was also opposed to giving any further aid to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, and thought as he was a farmer the ratepayers should elect him. Mr. Elliott, Markdale Ward, thought it would be to the interest of the ratepayers to give the small amount asked for to improve the railway, whilst Mr. Boland, of the same ward, told the ratepayers he was opposed to granting aid to the road. Mr. Pedlar, Eugenia Ward, stated that he had worked against the road every time, and thought he was right, as he had gone with the crowd. Mr. Wright, Flesherton Ward, said he was proud of being elected by acclamation. He was opposed to granting any aid to the Toronto Grey and Bruce. Sir, it appears likely that Mr. Webster is one of the Directors appointed to aid this new railroad scheme. There are two other gentlemen named in connection with it, whose names I will not mention, which brings to light that a number of ratepayers in Flesherton are backing up Messrs. Christoe and Wright in the course they are pursuing, not withstanding the said ratepayers appear to be friends to he Toronto, Grey and Bruce by voting for the first bylaw, and putting their names to the petition asking to have the second bylaw submitted. Sir, what a pitty it is that the farmers of Artemesia should be led blindly against their best interests. Better to give the small amount asked for, it would not make our taxes burdensome, at the same time it would keep us on friendly terms with the Railway Company, who may remember us for good or evil. Wishing you, Mr. Editor, the compliments of the season, I shall, with your permission, refer to the subject again.

Respectfully yours,

A. FARMER.

Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1881.

This should have appeared last week, but was crowded out.

WE always labored under the impression that the Meaford *Monitor*, was a non-political paper, but no one who read last week's issue would hesitate in pronouncing it a Reform journal, and ultra at that. We have no objection to a man enjoying the liberty of choosing his own side in politics; but we decidedly object to a man disseminating party principles under the guise of independence.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Jan. 7th, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.04
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.85
Oats	0.27	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.61
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.50	"	5.75
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6.50	"	0.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.10

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	"	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.85
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	5.50	"	5.70
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	7.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.50
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

CARD.

TO MY PATRONS.

GENTLEMEN—While thanking you for the liberal patronage extended me in my Harness Business, and wishing you the complements of the season, I beg to intimate to you that I have disposed of that branch of my business to J. GORDON, and bespeak for him the liberal patronage accorded me in the past. Yours truly,

S. DAMUDE,

Flesherton, Dec. 29, 1880. 16-5ih

FLESHERTON Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damude, begs to inform the public that he has REMOVED TO THE BUILDING OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, where he is prepared to furnish ALL KINDS of HARNESS usually found in a *First-Class Establishment*, And at prices to suit the times, and by using THE BEST OF MATERIAL, AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP, hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c., constantly on hand. COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, Dec., 1880. 16.

Auction Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY.

UNDER and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by J. M. WEBSTER, Auctioneer, at the VILLAGE OF MAXWELL in the County of Grey, on

Friday, January 14,

A. D. 1881, at the hour of 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the following Freehold Property, in one parcel, viz.:—

Lot No 7 in the 12th Concession of the Township of Osprey in the County of Grey.

The said Lot consists of 100 acres, more or less, of which about 60 acres are cleared and in a fair state of cultivation. Upon the premises, which are situated near the Villages of Feversham, Maxwell, and a few miles from Flesherton Village and Railway Station, are erected Farm Buildings.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent additional in one month thereafter, and the remainder to be secured by a first mortgage. For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto.

WILLIAM MULOCK,

Vendors' Solicitor, 19 Toronto st., Toronto

Jan. 4th, 1881, 17-2i

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.

UNDER and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by J. M. WEBSTER, Auctioneer, at the **Flesherton Hotel**, in the VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON, ON

On Thursday, January 13th,

A. D. 1881, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the following Freehold Property, in one parcel, viz.:—

Village Lot No. 4 in Block A in the Village of Flesherton, as shown on a plan made by Charles J. Wheelock, P. L. S., registered on the 20th day of March, 1871, of Lots Nos. 146, 147, 148, 149 and 150 in the 1st Range north east of the Toronto and Sydenham Road in the Township of Artemesia in the County of Grey.

The said Lot is situated at the corner of Beche l and Collingwood streets in the Village of Flesherton, and contains about one-quarter of an acre of land, and has erected thereon a two-story Rough-cast House and Tin Shop, with Frame Kitchen, and also a Stable.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale; Twenty-five per cent. additional in one month thereafter, and the remainder to be secured by a first mortgage. For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto.

WILLIAM MULLOCK,

Vendors' Solicitor, 19. Toronto st., Toronto.

January 4, 1881. 17-1in

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE.

T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.

THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. **Terms $1.00 per day.** 17-ly

LAST NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned, either by book or account, will do w ll to settle with J. F. Sproule, before the 20th inst., as all unsettled accounts at that time will be placed in other hands for collection.

DR. SPROULE.

Jan. 5th, 1881. 17-2i

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, lot 25, con. 7, Township of Artemesia, about the 3rd of December, 1880, **A Bay Colt.** The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take him away. If not claimed within ten days after the date of this will be sold to defray expences.

JOSEPH FENWICK.

Jan. 7th, 1880. 17-3*

Mortgage Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTIES,

In the Townships of Glenelg, Bentinck and Egremont, in the County of Grey.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE of the powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages made by John McMillan, jr., Martin Dunn, John Macpherson, James Smith, Alexander MacRae, James Hastie, Dougald Macfarlane, John Wilson, Charles Coutts, and Alexander Ferguson, respectively, to the Vendors, which will be produced at the time of sale, and in payment of the moneys secured by which default has been made, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at McAllister's Hotel, in the Town of Durham, on

Tuesday, the 11th day of January, A. D. 1881,

at one o'clock p. m., the following parcels of land:

I. Lot No. 35, in the 2nd concession North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 50 acres, more or less, of which about 40 acres are cleared, and the residue free from stumps. On the lands are said to be a log barn, two log stables, and log house; the soil is a good clay loam, and the property is situate about 4½ miles from Durham.

II. Lot No. 9, in the 8th concession of the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 50 acres are cleared, and about 40 acres under hardwood. The soil is generally clay loam, and the farm is only about 10 miles from Markdale and 10 from Durham. On the premises are a log house, barn and stable.

III. Lot No. 20, in the 4th concession, North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 60 acres are cleared, and nearly all the remainder covered by hardwood. This property is situate only 7 miles from Flesherton, and is in a fair state of cultivation.

IIII. Lot No. 15, in the 2nd concession, East of the Garafraxa Road, in the said Township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about 80 acres are cleared, and the balance mostly hardwood. On the premises are said to be a frame barn, and the premises are only 10 miles from Durham

V. The West half of lot No. 16, in the 5th concession, North of the Durham Road, of the said Township of Glenelg, containing 50 acres, more or less, of which about 30 acres are cleared, and 10 free from stumps. This farm is situate about 10 miles from Flesherton and 7 miles from Durham.

VI. The West half of lot No. 19, in the 12th concession of the said Township of Bentinck, containing 50 acres, more or less, nearly all cleared, and situate only 12 miles from Durham.

VII. Lot No. 14, in the 2nd concession; West of the Garafraxa Road, in the said Township of Bentinck, containing 100 acres, more or less, nearly all cleared. This farm is situate about 8 miles from Durham on good road.

VIII. Lot No. 22, in the 3rd concession, North of the Durham Road, in the said Township of Bentinck, containg 50 acres, more or less, about 30 of which are cleared, and 20 under hardwood. This farm is only about 4 miles from Durham.

IX. Lot No. 20, in the 11th concession, of the said Township of Bentinck, containing 85 acres, more or less, of which about 12 acres are cleared, and nearly all the residue under hardwood. On the premises are said to be a log house, and the lands are only about 10 miles from Durham.

X. Lot No. Eleven, in the 22nd concession of the said township of Egremont, containing 119 acres, more or less, of which about 50 are cleared, and 20 under hardwood. The lands are only about 8 miles from Durham.

TERMS—10 per cent. at the time of sale, 15 per cent. within one month thereafter, and the balance to be secured by mortgage, with interest at 7 per cent. yearly; or if additional satisfactory security be given, no cash need be paid; or terms may be varied in any reasonable way to suit purchasers. For further particulars apply to Robert Davis, Flesherton; R. McKay, Auctioneer, Durham; or to BETHUNE, MOSS, FALCONBRIDGE & HOYLES, Vendors' Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th Dec. 1880.

Is a compound of the virtues of sarsaparilla, stillingia, mandrake, yellow dock, with the iodide of potash and iron, all powerful blood-making, blood-cleansing, and life-sustaining elements. It is the purest, safest, and most effectual alterative medicine known or available to the public. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy, nor one so potent to cure all diseases resulting from impure blood. It cures **Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Pimples and Face-grubs, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Mercurial Disease, Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, and General Debility.**

By its searching and cleansing qualities it purges out the foul corruptions which contaminate the blood and cause derangement and decay. It stimulates and enlivens the vital functions, promotes energy and strength, restores and preserves health, and infuses new life and vigor throughout the whole system. No sufferer from any disease which arises from impurity of the blood need despair who will give AYER'S SARSAPARILLA a fair trial.

It is folly to experiment with the numerous low-priced mixtures, of cheap materials, and without medicinal virtues, offered as blood-purifiers, while disease becomes more firmly seated. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA is a medicine of such concentrated curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and most reliable blood-purifier known. Physicians know its composition, and prescribe it. It has been widely used for forty years, and has won the unqualified confidence of millions whom it has benefited.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES, either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes. always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND OTHER PARTIES, supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov, 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN, Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

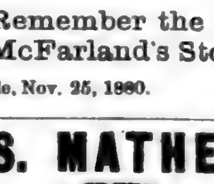
Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed —AT— LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold a. moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov, 18, 1880. 1o

3,000 Cords Wood WANTED.

THE undersigned is prepared to let the contract for cutting and hauling 3,000 cords of wood from his farm 2½ miles north of Markdale, to be delivered at the station. be let in small lots to suit contractor. For particulars see

C. E. GOULD, Markdale House.

Markdale, Dec. 30, 1880. 16-3in*

TENDERS

WILL be received by the undersigned, up to Feb. 1st, 1881; for building a brick house, in Flesherton; contractor to supply all material. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Flesherton.

Jan. 5th, 1881.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All

FRUITS, CONFECTIONERY,

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Everything First-Class, and at

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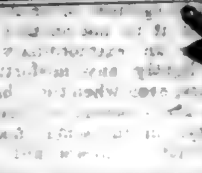
My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, ... TER, equal to Guinness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 3-ly

MEDICAL HALL.



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We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental. for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas. and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

☞ *Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.*

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8,9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment OFFERED BY THE BRITISH CANADIAN LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, AND British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES —ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

GRANT & CHELLEW, MARKDALE.

CABINET MAKERS, —AND— UPHOLSTERERS

A FULL STOCK OF **Furniture!** ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

AUCTION SALE! OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY.

UNDER and by Virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of Sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION, AT THE RUTLEDGE HOUSE, IN THE Village of Markdale, in the County of Grey, on

Monday, the 10th day of anuary, A. D. 1881,

at THREE O'CLOCK in the Afternoon, the following land and premises, viz.:

Lot Number Forty, in the Fourteenth Concession of the Township of ... the County of Grey, containing One Hundred and Ten Acres more or less.

The following improvements are said to be on the premises, viz., A Log Dwelling and Frame Barn and Stable.

TERMS.—One Tenth of the purchase money must be paid down at time of sale. For balance, terms liberal and will be made known at the ...

For further particulars apply to LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD, ... Toronto.

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Mortgage Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTIES IN THE TOWNSHIPS OF Artemesia and Glenelg.

UNDER and by virtue of the powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages made by William John Covey and John Hewitt, respectively, to the Vendors, which will be produced at the time of sale, and in payment of the monies secured, by which default has been made, there will be offered for sale

By Public Auction, AT RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, In the Village of Markdale, ON

Thursday, the 13th day of Jan'y,

1881, at twelve o'clock, noon, the following parcels of land:—

1. The centre portion of lot number 21, in the eleventh concession of the said township of Artemesia, containing fifty acres, more or less, and being all the residue of said lot not heretofore granted to Robert Buchanan by letters patent, dated the 22nd day of June, 1874, and to Thomas Gilbert, by letters patent dated the 22nd day of June, 1867, and which said residue is more fully set out in the patent thereof from the Crown, to the said William John Covey, as by reference thereto will more fully appear. On the lands are said to be a Frame Barn and House, and Young Orchard; 35 acres are cleared, and the soil good. This farm is on a good road about five miles from Markdale.

2. Lot number 22, in the 10th concession of the said township of Glenelg, containing 100 acres, more or less, of which about sixty acres are cleared and the residue free from stumps. On the premises are said to be a Log House and Barn, and the soil is a clay loam. This is a very fine farm.

TERMS—Ten per cent. at the time of sale, fifteen per cent. within one month thereafter, and the balance to be secured by mortgage, with interest at seven per cent. yearly, or if additional satisfactory security be given no cash need be paid, or terms may be varied in any reasonable way to suit purchaser. For further particulars, apply to ROBERT DAVIS, Auctioneer, Flesherton,

Or to BETHUNE, MOSS, FALCONBRIDGE & HOYLE, Vendors' Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated 17th Dec., 1880. 16-td

Executors Notice.

THE Executors of the Estate of the late John and Jane Gillon, of Artemesia, hereby give notice to all persons indebted to the said estate, to pay such debt forthwith and save costs. And all persons having any just claims against the said estate are requested to send in such claims, stating their ... January, 1881, to John Wright, Flesherton P.O.

JOHN WRIGHT, GEORGE BUSKIN, Executors.

Artemesia, Dec. 22nd, 1880. 16 2in

FOR Cheap Stationery, Beautiful Christmas and New Year Cards at the Standard Office.

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

... to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the ... FLESHERTON STEAM ... AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY AND REMOVED TO THE Furniture Warerooms ... NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOING THE FACTORY

... customers will always find me, or a competent salesman ... attention to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to any ... by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of Furniture in all the Latest Styles and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and ... LUMBER! for which THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine ...

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC. AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham ...

H. HOOPER

Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER ... AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEAP

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEAP

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing CHEAP

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the "TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our Country and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers

and a large variety of CHILDREN'S TOYS

OUR GROCERIES

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value
The People are all asking for our TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING WINTER DRY GOODS At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties, 5,000 Telegraph Poles, Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

THE STANDARD.

... 1881

... NOTICES.

... keeps the largest and ... in the county. ...

... council meeting in all the ... will be held the third ...

... and cheapest machine ... go to Haskett Bros.

... company are sole ... "Castorine machine ... will be prosecuted.

... and a quarter of ... wood, or one and a ... you can have the ... year.

... orders for "Castorine" ... see that the barrel ... "Castorine," as none other ...

... meeting of the electoral ... society, takes place ... Flesherton, on Wed... 19th inst.

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"Castorine" Machine Oil, for ... machinery, it is also ex... harness and leather, make ... weather proof. For sale ...

... matter to be printed, ... letter or packet, *Printer's* ... leave the end open, and it ... one cent per ½ oz.

... of reapers, mowers ... machines, prefer "Castorine" oil to any other, it ... lard, seal, or elephant; ... warranted not to gum.

... take a cord and a quarter ... or one cord of dry two ... the Weekly *Mail* for ... the paper to be furnished ... of the wood.

... Births and Death no... item of news that is not ... benefit to any person, are ... The public would do ... by sending or handing in ...

... *Advertiser* clipped a column from our columns this ... credited them to the *Expositor* ... your specs on next time, ... you will see that the ... paper is THE STANDARD.

... Presbyterian sabbath school ..., came off on New Year's ... and notwithstanding the ... decided success and we ... express the opinion it ... entertainment that has ... this season.

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OSPREY.

At this date ... call of the R... Messrs. Gam... puty Reeve; ... Councillors. ... Minutes of la... firmed. ... ceived from t... No 8, reque... the levy first ... one half. ... ward Towns... asked by J. ... pended on t... Sing, s... that the acc... planking Su... to $9 87. ... issue a s... Moved by M... Winters, th... tor S. S. N... one half. ... Sing, secon... the account ... the 11th con... paid, and ... order for t... Douglas int... amending by... Deputy Ret... passed throu... by law 195 ... name of Th... Howard A. ... division No... *sine die.*

In Markdale ... Mr. Lyman A...

On the 20th ... at the residence ... Mr. John W... land, to Miss ... of King, Co. ...

On the 21st ... at the residence ... B. Freeman ... daughter of ...

On the 22nd ... age, by the ... Goulding of ... Miss Eliza T...

On the 23rd ... at the Ameri... Ernest Moue... er of W. Joh...

On the 23... the residence ... Sword, to M... Owen Sound ...

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STANDARD.

Jan. 7th, 1881

OTHER NOTICES.

... Bros keeps the largest and ... of stoves in the county.

... council meeting in all the ...ies, will be held the third ... January.

... best and cheapest machine ... go to Haskett Bros.

... company, are sole ...ers of "Castorine machine ...ements will be prosecuted.

... a cord and a quarter of ... foot wood, or one and a ... and you can have the ... for a year.

... dealers for "Castorine" ..., and see that the barrel ... "Castorine," as none other ...

... meeting of the electoral ...cultural society, takes place ... hall, Flesherton, on Wed- ...nuary 19th inst.

...d annual meeting of Glen- ...tural society, will be held in ...rin Hall, Markdale, on ... inst.

"Castorine" Machine Oil, for ... of machinery, it is also ex- ... harness and leather, make ...nd weather proof. For sale ...s.

...ding as matter to be printed, ... the letter or packet, *Printer's* ... leave the end open, and it ... cost one cent per ½ oz.

...ACTURERS of reapers, mowers ...shing machines, prefer "Cas- ... machine oil to any other, it ... wear lard, seal, or elephant, ...arranted not to gum.

...ll take a cord and a quarter ... wood, or one cord of dry two ...d for the Weekly *Mail* for ... The paper to be furnished ... delivery of the wood.

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DUNDALK ITEMS.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

Mr. J. J. Middleton has been again elected Reeve for the Township of Proton, although his opponents exer- ted themselves to the utmost to defeat him. Mr. Abott has been elected Deputy Reeve, and Messrs. Black, Buckley and McArdle were elected Councillors. The following are the returns for each Ward:

REEVES	1	2	3	4	5	TOTAL
Middleton,	60	64	60	27	106	—287
Nelson,	67	64	50	33	50	—270
DPT. REEVE.						
Abbott,	26	43	33	46	117	—265
McMillan.	92	51	81	13	24	—260
COUNCILLORS.						
Black,	58	58	97	39	102	—354
Buckley,	98	33	57	39	73	—300
McArdle,	84	63	88	36	82	—352

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met pursuant to adjourn- ment from October 4th. All the members present. Moved by Mr. Bennie, seconded by Mr. Davis, that the account of Wm. Douglas, amount- ing to $6.80, be paid.—carried. Or- ders were issued on the Treasurer in payment of work on roads and bridges as follows:—Ward No. 1, $184.50; Ward No. 2, $254,20; Ward No. 3, $258.70; Ward No. 4, $53.60. Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr. McMil- lan, that widow Tuohy, lot 17, con. 8; Widow Smith, lot 22, con. 12; and Widow McDonald, lot 7, con. 3, S. D. R., be exempt from taxes for the year 1880, and that the collector be noti- fied to that effect.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bennie, seconded by McMil- lan, that S. McCracken be paid $3, for plan and specification of bridge at lot 7, con. 2 N. D. R.—Carried. Mr. Bennie moved, seconded by Mr. Mc- Millan, that the following accounts be paid:—J. A. Johnson, printing, $2; Rowsell & Hutchison, election blanks, $5.30; J. Brown, postage and sta- tionery, $3.68; Selectors of Jurors, each, $4; T. Davis, delivering no- tices, $2.—Carried. Mr. Davis mov- ed, seconded by Mr. Bennie, that the taxes for 1880 against the 3rd division of lot 22, on 1st con. E. G. R., be reduced $2 on account of error of as- sessment of personal property.—Car- ried.—Mr. Davis moved, seconded by Mr. Bennie, that John S. Black be paid $7 for coffin and funeral expen- ses of Ronald McInness.—Carried. Mr. McMillan moved, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the following sums be paid to the Road Commissioners for letting and inspecting contract—T. Davis. $14,80; J. A. McMillan, $21; P. Neil, $20.72; and Geo. Bennie, $12.40; and that Messrs. Neil and Davis, be paid $4 each, and the Reeve $6, for services on Road Committee. —Carried. Mr. Bennie moved, se- conded by Mr. Davis, that the taxes for 1880 against lot 2, con. 4 N.D.R., be reduced $2, on account of error in assessment.—Carried. Mr. Davis moved, seconded by Mr. Bennie, that the Clerk be allowed $15 for services under the School Act.—Carried. The Reeve having left the Chair, it was moved by Mr. Davis, seconded by Mr. Bennie, that the thanks of this Council are due F. McRae, Esq., for the able, kind and impartial manner in which he presided over the delibe- rations of this Council during the year that is now drawing to a close.— Carried unanimously. The Council adjourned.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

MAXWELL, 27th Dec., 1880.

At this date the Council met at the call of the Reeve. Members present, Messrs. Gamey, Reeve; Douglas, De- puty Reeve; Sing, Inkster and Winter, Councillors. The Reeve in the Chair. Minutes of last meeting read and con- firmed. Communications were re- ceived from trustees of school section No 8, requesting Council to change the levy first asked for, by reducing it one half. From the Clerk of Colling- wood Township, respecting equivalent asked by J. R Sing, to $5.00 ex- pended on town line. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Douglas, that the account of W. Pearson, for planking Singhamptonbridge, am'ting to $9.87, be paid, and that the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Winters, that school levy for 1880, for S. S. No. 8, Osprey, be reduced one half.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Douglas, that the account of F. Sykes, for work on the 11th con., amounting to $5.00, be paid, and that the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried. Mr. Douglas introduced by-law No. 195, amending by-law No. 192, appointing Deputy Returning Officers. By-law passed through the several stages, and by-law 195 amended, by inserting the name of Thomas Hannan in lieu of Howard A. Hay as D. R. O. for T. sub- division No. 5. Council adjourned *sine die*.

WM. MILNE,
Clerk.

BIRTHS.

In Markdale, on the 23rd ult., the wife of Mr. Lyman Anderson of a son.

MARRIED

On the 20th ult., by the Rev. T. R. Reid, at the residence of the bride's mother, Arnott, Mr. John Webster of the township of Hol- land, to Miss Sarah Booth of the township of King, Co. of York.

On the 21st ult., by the Rev. W. T. Hicks, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. B. Freeman of Chatsworth, to Hannah, daughter of R. Webster, Esq., of Holland.

On the 22nd ult., at the Methodist parson- age, by the Rev. T. R. Reid, Mr. John R. Goulding of the township of Maryboro', to Miss Eliza Turner, township of Sullivan.

On the 22nd ult., by the Rev. W. T. Hicks, at the American Hotel, Owen Sound, Capt. Ernest Monck of Brooke, to Isabella, daugh- ter of W. Johnston, Esq., of Sarawak.

On the 23rd ult., by the Rev. C. Fish, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mr. W. Sword, to Miss Maria Jane Allister, both of Owen Sound.

... Money Advanced ...

MARKDALE.

... INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT,

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

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September, 1880. 1-y

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December 31, 1880. 16-y

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Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on ap- plication. Satisfaction Guranteed. Resi- dence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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Sales attended at shortest notice in town or country. Charges moderate.

Sale Bills, Notes and Stamps furnished if required. Having had long experience in the business I can guarantee satisfaction.

Markdale, Sept. 24th, 1880. 3 3m

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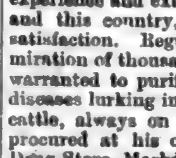
Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

EUGENIA P. O,

Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf



VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon*,

HAS commenced the practice of his pro fession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the ad- miration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent,

Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

STRAYED

Into the premises of the subscriber, lot 178, con. 2, west, Township of Artemesia, one Dark Bay Horse. The owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take him away,

SAMUEL WAUCHOB.

Dec. 15, 1880. 16-3

In Chancery.

THE FARMERS' LOAN AND SAVINGS COMPANY,

vs.

LECKIE.

PURSUANT to the Decree made in this cause, there will be sold with the appro- bation of T. W. Taylor, Esquire, Master in Ordinary of this Court by J. M. Webster, Auctioneer,

At the FLESHERTON Hotel,

IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon of

Thursday, the Thirteenth day of January, 1881,

the following lands and premises in one par- cel., viz: Lot number twenty-one in the fourteenth concession of the township of Artemesia, in the county of, Grey, excepting thereout three acres off the north west corner of said lot. The said lot consists of about 160 acres of land, of which about 60 acres are cleared and the remainder well timbered with beech and maple, baswood and some hemlock. The land cleared is of a clay loam and in a fair state of cultivation. The said lot is situate on the Meaford Road, about five miles from Markdale Station on the To- ronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. About six and a-half miles from Flesherton, and is rea- dily accessible to said villages by good roads, and the said villages afford good markets for the sale of produce. The said lot is also well watered by a creek, and there is no swampy land on said lot. The said lot has erected thereon farm buildings consisting of a frame house, and log barn.

Terms of sale—Ten per cent. is to be paid the vendors or their solicitors at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent. within thirty days thereafter, without interest, and the balance to be secured by first mortgage on said prem- ises payable in three or five years, with in- terest at seven per cent. per annum.

The property will be sold subject to a re serve bid fixed by the Master. In all other respects the terms and conditions of sale will be the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery. For further particulars apply at the Law Offices of W. Mulock, Esq., vendor's solicitor, Messrs. Crooks, Kingsmill and Cat- anach, and Messrs. McCarthy, Hoskins, Plumb and Creelman, solicitors, Toronto.

Dated December 8, 1880.

14-3 (Signed) T. W. TAYLOR.

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS

—IN—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK

FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you pur- chase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 3-ly

Meat for All

W. B. Sarjeant's

... thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage dur- ing the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to Large Purchasers

Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

Cash paid for Fat Cat- tle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be suf- ficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that re- ceipts are of no value unless signed by my- self personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly es- tablished.

The corporation of the township of Glen- elg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any ac- cident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves

At the New Tinshop

MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved des- igns, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX

STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver- plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

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AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No puffing here—the real "Simon Pure."

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EAVETROUGHING A SPECIALITY.

Stove Ovens lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

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All kinds of Farming Implements

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TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any ac- cording to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experi- ence, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

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General dealer in

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Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 1, 1880.

Subscribe for the Standard. We will give it from now till the first of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

CHEAP CASH STORE

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

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Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

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See his $5.00 Overcoats.
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With strangely bewildering slide.
Thy shadowy outline is phantasmagorical;
Thou seem'st (to utter a phrase metaphorical)
A sort of personified guide.

What wondrous inventor with mind methodistical
Conceived thy idea, aerial, mystical,
Yet so mathematic'ly true?
The brain which concocted thy airy machinery—
Imagined thy spectral effect on the scenery—
Was ghostly and dreamy as you.

Philosophers tell us inventions mechanical
Are made by observing the structures organical
Which all throughout nature abound.
But were she subjected to strictest of scrutiny
By geniuses Archimedean or Newton-y,
The prototype would not be found.

Thou *lusus naturæ*—thou wilt, irresponsible,
Filmy objective to all that's demonstrable—
Fantastic, ridiculous word!
Thy gyrates mesmerical puzzle humanity,
Thou outcome of science, inspired by insanity,
Thou wavy, embodied absurd.

"Drew the Wrong Lever!"

ALEXANDER ANDERSON.

This was what the pointsman said,
With both hands at his throbbing head:

"I drew the wrong lever, standing here
And the danger signals stood at clear;

But before I could draw it back again
On came the fast express, and then—

Then came a roar and a crash that shook
This cabin door, but I could not look

At the wreck, for I knew the dead would peer
With strange dull eyes at their murderer here.

"Drew the wrong lever?" "Yes, I say!
Go, tell my wife, and—take me away!"

That was what the pointsman said,
With both hands at his throbbing head.

O ye of this nineteenth century time,
Who hold low dividends as a crime,

Listen. So long as a twelve-hours' strain
Rests like a load of lead on the brain,

With its ringing of bells, and rolling of wheels,
Drawing of levers until one feels

The hands grow numb with a nerveless touch,
And the handles shake and slip in the clutch,

So long will ye have pointsmen to say—
Drew the wrong lever! take me away!"

AT THE TWELFTH HOUR.

BY R. E. FRANCILLON.

CHAPTER I.

The ground was as hard as iron, the sky blue as turquoise, the sunshine yellow as gold, and the air as still and as silent as only the hardest of frosts can be. Nobody, for weeks past, had dared even so much as to dream of a fox—it was Reynard's Holiday. Had things been as they ought to be, Rupert Grayshaw would not, late in the afternoon, have been found upon only two legs instead of four. Things being as they were, he was making the best, or the worst, of them by walking briskly along a winding lane that led from the village of Combe Bassett to nowhere in particular, at the rate of something over four miles an hour.

Rupert Grayshaw was going on for three-and-thirty years old, full of strength and life, handsome and something more. Few people noticed how fine a face he really had until they came to know him well, for those who saw him for the first, second, or third time were struck exclusively by all such signs and symbols of both mental and vital force as would have made plainness forgotten. He was a man who looked both eager and able to enjoy the whole of life all round, with body, brain, and soul. And assuredly, though the foxes were safe, it was a day on which life could be most amply and actively enjoyed. I need make no mystery about Rupert Grayshaw, for there was none to be made, and though, no doubt, he had his secrets and private affairs like other men, he was known, on the whole, rather more openly than most of one's friends. He was the only son of the younger son of an old Yorkshire family; he had taken high mathematical honours at Cambridge; he was a Fellow of St. Kenneth's; he was without near relations; he had no profession, but lived on his Fellowship, and, without sacrificing any pleasures that were open to him, had, with an enduring enthusiasm, adopted scientific investigation and discovery for a career. He held himself as much above and beyond marriage as science is above the brewing of small beer. He had come to Combe Bassett on a visit to his father's old friend, Dick Derwent, for the sake of the coverts; and, so far as the coverts were concerned, had come in vain. And that is the whole history, as completely told as any man's can be—from the outside.

The lane presently led through a thick but now brown and leafless wood. Rupert vaulted over a stile to the left, and his feet were soon enjoying the never-palling delight of trampling and crunching over fallen and frozen leaves. He was glowing with health and exercise, and, it might be, with some still more peculiar joy. The wood was a maze of paths, but he either knew their clue by heart or else gave himself up to chance more decisively than most men go towards a known goal. And so, either by accident or design, he reached at last a solitary cottage standing in a small garden and nearly hidden among the trees. It was a humble place enough—a little, but not much, better than the common run of labourers' dwellings in that part of the country—low, rough-cast, and straw-thatched, with small latticed windows and immensely deep eaves. The long strip of garden was given over to vegetables, except a patch in front of the porch, where it was not hard, though in midwinter, to conjure up, in fancy, a little wilderness of full scents and strong colours. Some style was given to the place, even now, by the creeper with evergreen leaves and scarlet berries that covered the porch, and the thick ivy that darkened the lower windows. As if he knew its inmates and all their ways, Rupert went to the window at the side of the cottage and tapped thereon three times. Then he leaned against the pear-tree and waited patiently.

Or perhaps impatiently. For presently the lattice opened, and like a live portrait set in a frame of ivy leaves appeared a face that seemed to say, "Ah! he has a Secret in his life, after all—and I am She!"

Yes; when a man comes to look for Foxes and finds Frosts, he must find something wherewith to fill up his idle days—something or somebody. Of course it is unlucky when it happens to be Somebody instead of Something—when he has both publicly and privately foresworn marriage, and when, if he forswear himself, he must give up the means of study and take to bread-winning instead of working for science and glory. Perhaps it is rash for men to take long holidays until they are at least seventy years old. For if ever there was a face made to come between a student and his books, between a sportsman and his sports, between a sworn bachelor and his vow, it was the face that Rupert had called from out the ivy as if his three taps had been spells. It was a very young girl's; she could not possibly have been more than seventeen. But her number of years was to be gathered from the indefinable expression of girlhood rather than from any palpable signs. She was neither child nor woman, but blent in one face the charms of the two. The delicate glory of perfect health breathed from her; the biting air did her no wrong, but merely deepened the glow on her cheek that proved no frost to lie within. She could be called neither dark nor fair, but simply harmonious; and so quick were the changes of light and shade that Rupert seemed to hear her looks with some subtle inner sense as if they were the melody of a song. And, whatever else the words of that song may be, they were at least gentle and pure. Why need I describe her feature by feature, line by line? Enough that passing and heedless eyes would have called her lovely, while Rupert's as clearly found her a great deal more.

She was no cottager's daughter, though she was found in this out-of-the-way, almost hidden cottage. She suggested one of those lost princesses whom travellers find by chance among woodcutters and charcoal-burners in the forests of fairyland. All things favoured the fancy—the brown, dark, windless wood; the blue sky, the silence, and the loneliness everywhere. She herself had not spoken, except with a smile; and, after a moment of such greeting, shut the window again. But Rupert, having had his answer, went to the door, raised the latch, and entered. And then he seemed to turn over another page of a fairy tale. He passed through an ordinary kitchen, with an open window and brick floor, with nothing out of the common about it except that it was empty on so hard a day, when labour had nothing to do but sit and rest by its own fireside. But the room into which he passed out of it was very different indeed, in such a place it was even startling to find such a room. It might have been a boudoir of any great lady in the land, if it had not been so obviously an enchanted maiden's bower. In that country of Once upon a Time, soft carpets, fine hangings, luxurious upholstery, books, and pictures cost nothing more than a few waves of a wand, or else their presence here would have seemed something more than strange. And here she, whose face we have for a moment seen, ran forward to meet Rupert quickly and joyfully, and let him take her in his arms.

"I have good news, Bertha!" said he. "And you will never guess it. The post, this very morning, brought me the news that I am rich enough for all things—for You, and Work, and Gladness, and all life means to me: for You and Love, above all! Yes, my darling, it's true. I shall be able to give you a better bower even than the mysterious enchanter who keeps you here in his power."

"Oh, Rupert! What has happened? What is going to happen? Who do you mean?"

"Everything has happened, Bertha! A far-off cousin of my mother's, whom I never saw in my life, is dead, and has left me a fortune—an immense fortune for me and you, but not too large to be a burden—only on condition that I will change my name"——

"What!—you are not to be Rupert, my Rupert, any more?"

"Oh, I shall keep that name—*that* is yours! But I shall give up my Fellowship with more pleasure than I had in getting it; for I hate the least thing that has kept me from you; and there is nothing left but a form or two to keep me from my wife for another hour! When will you come to me? In two weeks?—In one? In"——

"Rupert! *Is* it true?"

"All true—every word! When will you come?"

"And may I tell my father—"

"Your father! Bertha, my darling, now that I can claim you I think this mystery ought to be at an end. Just think what our story has been—a story that nobody could believe. I come down to Combe Bassett with a heart as empty as life without you. I wander into a wander into a wood—I find, by chance, in a common cottage, a Fairy Queen. I win her heart, and her troth plight, and at the end of weeks I know no more of her than that her name is Bertha—Queen Bertha—and that she has no surname, but only a mysterious, nameless father, who comes to see her, like an enchanter, from far away—flying, I suppose, on a magic carpet, or a brazen horse through the air. She is attended by invisible hands—for none but her own have I seen. I am sworn to ask nothing more than if she loves me. She forbids me to enter her bower without a signal, and unless it is answered. And yet I know that she is as innocent as the lilies, and as pure as the snow. Sooner than loose you, Bertha, I would consent to know nothing but that you are lovely, and good, and true, and that you love me; but is it in man not to wish to know more? And is it not time?"

"As if I would not tell you every thought I have in me! But, oh Rupert, how can I tell you a name I never heard? As you say, my father must have some dwelling-place of his own, I suppose that is true too. And——"

"And you really do not know who you are?"

"Surely—that I am Bertha, and yours. . . . . But if it is time——"

"It *is* time."

"Then—my father comes to-morrow, at five o'clock in the afternoon. I *have* told you why you must not come to me without a signal; because *he* does not wish to be seen, and because I do not always know when he is coming. But I do happen to know to-day when his next visit will be—for he never fails to see me on the first day of the New Year——"

"Yes—to-morrow is New-Year's Day. Well?"

"Come, Rupert, and come openly, and tell him——"

"And if he says No?"

"Why should he say No? And—if he does—do I not love you? He cannot forbid that, Rupert——"

"My darling! I *will* come, Enchanter though he be."

Rupert left the cottage just in time to reach the Hall (as his host's place was popularly called) before dinner. He met nobody on the way but an old woman in a blue cloak, of whom he took no special heed—for what were all outward things to a man who loved, and before whom the future was opening out in rainbow colours? Even the mystery of his love story gave it additional charm to him, whose imagination, chronically kept in the grooves of hard study, needed now and then to take a flight into the open air.

There were not many guests at the Hall. Dick Derwent was a bachelor of five-and-forty, who did not care to fill his house for the sake of having it full. The few who were there were men who were waiting for the frost to break, and with whom Rupert—engaged as he was with his own affairs—had but little sympathy. He liked Dick, who was the best of good fellows, and had shown him much kindness; but he did not like Dick's friends. And even to Dick, good fellow as he was, he had never breathed a word of his love-story. There were many reasons for silence, of which each was all-sufficient for him. In the first place—until to-day—marriage had, from his point of view, been simply impossible. He had been merely drifting, and hardly bared to open his own eyes as to the course he had been taking. In the second place, to profane the mystery of his romance by speech would be sure to reduce it from poetry to prose. Again, how could he bear to tell such a story to open-hearted and free-tongued Dick, who had never kept a secret in his life, and would be sure to make Bertha and Rupert's love for her a matter of rough chaff, even if they did not some day, for want of better sport, ride out and draw the cottage with "Yoicks" and "Talleyho?" And who was Bertha's father, and what secret might he not have that ought not, in honour, to be betrayed? And Bertha's existence been known of at the Hall, he would himself have been the first to hear.

Dinner and billiards had lasted the evening through, when the stroke of a church bell sounded full and close through the thin air. Dick Derwent rose and filled his tumbler to the brim.

"Let all who love me, follow!" cried he, in his bluff, ringing voice. "At the first stroke of twelve, I throw open the front door with my own hands, to let the old year out and the new year in!"

Dick Derwent was a fine, stout, hearty country gentleman, with all manner of jovial ways. He was the very pink of generosity and honour. He had been Rupert's father's staunchest friend, and had, at old Mr. Grayshaw's death, transferred his affection from the father to the son. Indeed, it was more than common affection that he showed towards Rupert, on every possible occasion. Though so much the elder, he had a strong belief in the prudence and worldly wisdom of the younger man, which cannot be supposed to be altogether ill founded—at any rate, Dick Derwent was not the man to have let a hundred fellowships stand in the way of marriage had he been that way inclined. But, then, it is true he was not a man of science, but only a jolly middle-aged gentleman who kept up old customs and followed the hounds well.

The half dozen young and middle-aged men, without a woman or a child among them, gave way to their host's whim, though not without smiles and shrugs of the shoulder at taking part in such a piece of obsolete folly.

"What does it all mean?" asked West—a young man who was wiser in his own eyes even than Rupert Grayshaw was in Dick Derwent's. "Why should we trouble ourselves to let out a good time—thank's to you, Dick—and let in what nobody knows may be death, may be marriage."

"Marriage, eh?" said Dick, turning upon him suddenly. "Perhaps I know more about that than you. But that's neither here nor there—marriage won't come inside this door for many a long day. That isn't what it means. It means that the master of this house has, with his own hands let in two hundred New Years, and that I'm not going to be the first inhospitable fellow that has been surnamed Derwent and christened Richard [illegible]. Welcome, whatever you are!" he said, loudly, as he threw open the front door and let the first cold blast of the New Year rush into the Hall. "God speed the old, and God bless the new!"

"I [illegible] it's a common custom," said Rupert, "for the master of the house to open his door at the first stroke of the last midnight of the year. But I could never find out what it means, and yet every superstition must have a meaning somewhere. I wonder what people think would happen if the New Year came to a house and found the door closed?"

"Happen?" said West. "Why, that fewer people would begin the year with a sneeze. What *do* do you suppose?"

"I dare say," said Dick—"I dare say they knew once upon a time. Well, its done now, and after all it would never have done to have the frost break up everywhere else, and not round the Hall."

But the first day of the New Year did not bring a thaw, either round the Hall or elsewhere. To-day was yesterday's twin brother. Nor was Rubert sorry for it, for, had it thawed, he would have found it exceedingly difficult to invent an excuse for staying at home while the other men were all a-field. Of course, while the ground was hard it was natural enough for a philosopher to take solitary walks in company with problems. But problems when the scent lay—even a broken leg would hardly serve as an excuse for him then, after three long weeks of iron. Happily, the weather allowed him, with no more difficulty than usual, to be at the cottage by five in the afternoon. If he had believed in omens, he would have felt that his luck at least had not changed with the change of the year.

He was neither shy nor timid by nature, and was eager rather than anxious for the first interview with the mysterious personage who kept his daughter so strangely confined in such an unaccountable prison. Beyond all question, Bertha was nearly as ignorant as he of her own history. She scarcely knew of any other life, except after the vague and untrustworthy manner of dreams. She was fairly well educated, for she had been thrown upon her own mental resources all her life, and had been put by this same unguessable father into the right way of using them. Oddly enough, she was most familiar with the very books and branches of knowledge that Rupert himself would have chosen for her had her education been given into his hands. She had lived in this way—so he learned from her—all her life, seeing none but her father and an elderly nurse who attended to her admirably, but told her nothing. She was under a strict discipline which she had never thought of breaking through, never going out for exercise except in the early morning in the woods, or being allowed to have a friend. Short of making inquiries, Rupert had invented a thousand theories to account for the mystery, but had rejected them all. But about one thing there was no mystery at all. No wonder that a young girl, with such infinite capacity for the life that had been withheld from her for seventeen years, had snatched at life, love, and liberty as soon as they had found her out in her solitude. She was the sleeping princess who woke when the prince had forced his way to her through the thorns.

But now, at last, the whole secret was to be disclosed. Of the result, Rupert had absolutely no fear. He was rich enough to satisfy any earthly father, and in love enough to satisfy any father, man or demon, who loved his child. His high spirits of yesterday were nothing compared with to-day's. He hardly felt the ground as he walked, but seemed to tread on air.

He reached the cottage well before five. But——

The door stood wide open, and the front garden was littered with bits of broken wood, ends of cord, and straw. The kitchen was without a fire. With a strange feeling of fear in his heart, he went at once into Bertha's bower—it had four bare walls and an empty floor. The lattice was open, and the air seemed deadly cold.

Had it all been but a Fairy Dream? But it was no dream that he loved her with his whole heart—and she was gone.

CHAPTER II.

One: Two: Three:—Ten: Eleven: Twelve!

He whom bettered Fortunes and a testator's fancy had transmuted form Rupert Grayshaw into Rupert Hildreth did not rise from his chair, or throw open so much as an inch of window at the sound. He laid down his pen—but that was all. The twelve strokes came to his ears muffled through double windows and close doors.

"I am not such a fool as that," thought he, "The old year's a great deal too long to lose, and I don't want a better. I've done for six years past with wanting more than I have, since—since—No: I've done with dreams. Perhaps *they* might come back if I opened the door to a change. Let those open their doors who are sick, or sorry, or sinful, or poor: not I, who am rich, and content, and sound in heart and limb and brain . . . and who knows what happened once, when I let out the one sweet dream of my whole life, and when that better waking came in through the open door! Never again. I might let in sickness, or discontent, or worse—who knows? I'll be as I am, with one long, faithful old year all to myself, that I've tried and proved. Yes, it has answered. Fevers have come with the new years, and have emptied other houses, but they have passed by my doors, that had kept out the evils of the unknown like those of a wise man. Fortunes have broken: but mine stand. Others, in the new years, have married and died; I, with the old year under my roof, am as alive and free as I was six years ago. I have seen others grow grey and wrinkled: I am near middle age—and young. Life palls on others, unless they renew it in their children: I have only myself and my book—but they are as fresh as of old. . . . Why, if there be a grain of truth in old wives' tales, to bar the old year out and to bolt the new in means to stand still at one's best all one's days, to be for always as one is, and to fear no chance or change that comes to the rest or the world. . . . So knock on, New Year, as hard and as long as you like—you'll find one door bolted and barred against you and yours."

He took up his pen again, and worked on. It was true that, ever since that midnight of six years ago, he had practiced the new superstition of keeping his front door close shut, so that no new year might find a chink whereby to creep in. For on the night of long ago he had lain down with joy and hope which the new year had, with its first touch, taken away. Perhaps—so he felt in fancy—if he had kept the new year out, Bertha and the old year would have staid with him: nor was the fancy quite so unreasonable in a man of science as it may seem, or what had Bertha herself ever been to him but a fancy and a dream? And it was true that, while the new years had brought troubles enough on others, they had left Rupert Hildreth, the scholar and chemist, undisturbed in his life and labour. With him the same old year seemed for ever to abide, until it had earned by custom an undisputed right and title to a place by his hearthstone. He and his life never knew a change, from year to year, from day to day. He lived, for quiet study's sake, in the outskirts of the town of Rainham. One year a plague of cholera swept through the place, and broke up households—that would have been safe had they never let the old year go. But he never troubled himself about the matter, and just lived and worked on. Some thought he kept himself too much aloof in time of trouble: and no doubt that same sad new year, while it brought death to bodies, brought good to souls. But what has he to do with the things of new years that have never come to him? Another new year had brought among its gifts a great financial crash that had been felt in most homes, but had not given Rupert Hildreth, though a rich man, a moment's doubt or fear. He had never loved a new face, or made a new enemy. From January to December every year had been one and the same.

There were some who thought him hard, cold, and selfish. Others—women mostly—could not help believing that, early in life, his heart had been broken by some great sorrow with which a woman had had to do, and that this made his days so changeless and his life so lonely and self-contained. He would have denied such a theory, had it ever come to his ears, with scorn. His treatment of new years and its effects might be but a superstitious fancy; but he lived as if he thought it based on truth and reason. Never, since that New Year's Eve, had he seen, or even, despite of all his searching, heard of Bertha again or of anybody who had ever heard of her. And now he had shut out the threats of another new year.

He worked late, and rose late, without taking note that a new year had begun for all the rest of the world. Why should he, indeed, when it was still the old year, of years ago, for him?

It was certainly nothing particularly new, though a little unusual, that he should receive a visit from a stranger in the course of the afternoon. The card by which the visitor introduced himself was that of Mr. J. Diamond.

"Mr. Hildreth?" asked Mr. Diamond, a stiff, middle-aged man, with a professional look about him. "Then, in the first place, I have to wish you a happy new year."

"Ah—What? I beg your pardon," said Rupert, absently. "You are on business, I suppose?"

"It is odd you should expect that—very odd indeed, considering the day. It is a rare holiday that has brought me to Rainham, where I happen to have friends. But it is business, all the same; and I have taken the opportunity of doing it without wasting a day. Time has a way of flying, you see"——

"Or of standing still."

"Not with me, Mr. Hildreth; not with me. Years—landmarks—and so on. I believe you were acquainted with Mr. Richard Derwent, of Combe Bassett. I have been his legal adviser for some years. Perhaps you are not aware"——

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(From the Chicago Times.)

A STORY OF SUFFERING.

The *Times* correspondent, in company with three responsible gentlemen, visited the Connemara settlement, twenty-five miles from Morris, the other day, made a thorough investigation of each shanty in that colony, and conversed with these truly unfortunate people and their neighbours. There is no possible doubt of the reality of their misery and destitution existing, and the utter criminal heartlessness and neglect with which these poor, miserable creatures have been treated. Never has there been seen in this country such squalid poverty distress, and suffering. It is outrageous that such an indescribable state of affairs should exist in any civilized community. It is alleged that these poor, ill-treated, half-starved creatures have gone to the priest in charge, Father Ryan, for aid, reported the suffering, hunger, and want, yet in every case were

TURNED AWAY WITH ANGRY WORDS

and abuse instead of food, medicine, clothing, fuel, or even sympathy. During this trip the *Times* correspondent never heard his name mentioned with respect, nor one word spoken in favour of his colony. The colony is situated mainly in town 124, range 45 Big Stone county, the people being scattered over the township at distances of from five to thirteen miles from Graceville. As a rule they are more intelligent than the founders of the colony would have it appear. In almost every case they were striving to economize the little wood they had by burning hay on mild days instead, and in no single instance, although closely watched by all the party, was even an attempt made to conceal or mislead when questioned as to their

SUPPLIES ON HAND.

Their shanties are about 12 by 16 feet, eight feet posts, boarded and battened on the sides and the roof. Some few have the roof shingled. All the shanties are sodded to the eaves. The shanties are cold, desolate, and dreary, some dirty, but the majority comparatively clean. Of furniture of even the rudest description there is nothing but a shelf and a bench, and occasionally a bunk and a table. All have cook stoves and a few dishes, but the families are destitute and in sad need of beds and bedding. A few of the cows are giving milk, and in some cases are in the shanties; but as a rule are in little sod stables near by. Few have more

FUEL

than will last for a few days. Two families had only enough to last over to-day. Some wood—from ten to thirty sticks—was distributed Thursday, and the day previous each house was supplied with a few frozen potatoes. These potatoes were sent up by the bishop last month, but owing to the priest having refused to pay the freight they were left in an unfinished depot and frozen. As they are rotten, they are unfit for any use whatever, although the poor people were trying in a few cases to eat them. The writer has seen the sick and the frozen, noted the lack of food and the scanty of fuel; has heard from reliable parties of the wretched, starving condition of these people and it was plainly written in their

PINCHED FACES.

A three-months-old babe was in a cold shanty, with nothing but a shirt made from a flour sack to cover it, and a child warming its hands on a cow in the room. There were hands black from frost, the nails coming away with the rag, and limbs swollen and discoloured from the same cause; a father helpless and dying from exposure and suffering. It is not necessary to say more than that the actual condition of these unfortunate, wronged people has never been fully described in its gaunt, cruel awfulness, to say nothing of being exaggerated. These people are in need of immediate assistance, as the supplies of food sent from Morris will not last long. Nothing but corn meal has been furnished them by the priest. The outfit of

CLOTHING

from Morris was liberal, the first they had received since they left Ireland, and it will last for some time. Fuel and food are needed, the former especially; but both are needed, as their supply will not last any length of time, and it will be hazardous to leave them even a day on the bleak prairies in their miserable and unprotected situation without a supply to last during a period of stormy and cold weather. Their condition has been only temporarily relieved by the timely and generous contributions sent from Morris, and there is no question but this aid alone saved many from perishing. Strange and incomprehensible as it may seem, while many of the other settlers acknowledge that these people are and have been destitute and suffering, yet they are

INDIGNANT AT THE INVESTIGATION,

and displeased that measures have been taken to relieve the distress. There is no little comment here over the fact that Dillon O'Brien peremptorily refused to allow Mr. Hutchins to accompany him on his tour of investigation, and his report is looked for with interest. No liquor or any trace of it was found anywhere. Nineteen families were visited and interviewed. It should be remembered that no part of this destitution and suffering is due to any lack of fertility or productiveness of the land where the so-called colony is located. It results simply from the

STUPID AND CRUEL BLUNDER,

or worse, of bringing penniless and practically helpless men, women and children from Ireland and placing them in huts on an open prairie, with no time for raising a crop before the closing in of a severe northern winter, without adequate provision for feeding or warming them, and apparently with little care on the part of the authorities whether they survived or not.

A BLIND boy at Montreal has built a minature house outside an ordinary four-ounce bottle, out of forty pieces of wood neatly glued together. It would puzzle a person with good eyesight to get the parts into the bottle, to say nothing of putting them together.

THE Boston speculators in Bernhardt tickets have had a hard experience. They bought the best parts of the house for the entire two weeks, and found that, after the great rush of the first night, they not only could sell at an advance, but had difficulty in getting their money back. It was usually possible, at a few minutes past 8 o'clock, to buy a $3 seat for $2.

MR. ARCHIBALD FORBES.—An American paper has the following amusing burlesque of Mr. Archibald Forbes' style. Mr. Forbes is supposed to be replying to the toast of the English press:—"Mr. Chairman—I am Mr. Archibald Forbes. I have been everywhere. I have done everything. I am a smart fellow. I am not to be outdone. I know the Emperor of China. I know the King of the Cannibal Islands. I am intimately acquainted with the Grand Lama. I have lived with the Shah of Persia. I am the dearest friend of the Emperor of Russia." The report comes abruptly to an end with the editorial remark, "Here our suppiy of I's gave out."

THE BABY.—The youngest is always emperor of the household. Father and mother, brothers and sisters, all bend to his baby dictation. He can sow the parlor carpet with cake crumbs, tip over the plant stand spill the milk pitcher, and get nothing but hugs and kisses for his rascality; he is kept on the laugh and screech by all the members of his family, and their nerves are not strained in the least; he picks up the art of talking without any trouble, and "gives away" family secrets to high-toned callers, and is rewarded by candies innumerable; he is round and chubby, and sweet and happy, and household affairs revolve in their orbits around him, as though he were a grand central sun. We pity a family who hasn't a "youngest."

The Porte having been persuaded at last to cede Dulcigno to the Montenegrins, and to issue a circular to its creditors requesting the appointment of a commission to inquire into the resources of the country, with a view to paying its debts, the Greekophiles consider this an auspicious moment to press the claims of Greece to the provinces which, according to the treaty of Berlin, should be returned to that country. Lord Rosebery, as President of the Greek Committee, has lately made a speech in which the views of the majority of intelligent people are clearly set forth.

TURKEY AND GREECE

stand at the present moment on the brink of war of what, if once begun, it would be impossible to predict the end. It is certain that, should an appeal to arms be made, England, under her present Government, could not stand by and see Greece beaten, and possibly annexed, by Turkey. On the other hand, should Greece be victorious, it is hardly probable that she would be content with the territory promised her by the Berlin treaty, more especially as she would have the moral support of Russia. In such a case England could hardly remain inactive and permit her ancient ally and debtor to be plundered and the security of her Turkish bondholders to be handed over to the Athenian Government. The Greeks are clever enough to see the horns of the dilemma between which England is placed, and they realise that "now or never" applies to their case. They argue that they have waited long enough for the fulfilment of the promises made to them. Their army is ready and the sentiment of Europe is on their side. Why, then, should they not fire away? Curiously enough, the only hitch in their programme is occasioned by the troubles in Ireland. Mr. Gladstone's Ministry seems to be in such a muddle about Irish affairs, and the English populace are getting so exasperated over what they consider a policy of vacillation, that it is quite possible the Liberals may go out of office as suddenly as they entered it a few months ago. When Lord Beaconsfield was in power the Greeks were shrewd enough to keep quiet, and should he return to the Premiership, it would be a sad blow to their hopes; the Conservatives are much more opposed to a dismemberment of Turkey than the Liberals.

THE ANNUAL CATTLE SHOW

began on the 6th inst. at the Agricultural Hall, London. The distinctive features of cattle show week are as different from those of any other part of the year in London as can well be imagined. In it the farmers throng to the metropolis from all parts of England, and the streets and places of amusement are filled with their burly bodies and merry with their jovial faces and resonant voices. As in the month of May a casual visitor might fairly imagine that the majority of Londoners were clergymen, so, three weeks before Christmas, he might jump to the conclusion that the population was chiefly composed of farmers and stock raisers—or graziers, as they are termed—who might compete, so fat are they, with their cattle for the prizes offered for an excess of adipose tissue.

This is a great season for artists, as the exhibitions of the

SOCIETY OF BRITISH ARTISTS,

the Society of Painters in Water Colours, and the Dudley Gallery fully attest. The Society of British Artists, in Suffolk street, contains over a thousand pictures, none of which are very good, though many are very bad.

A different class of picture is to be found in the rooms of the Society of Painters in Water Colors, although here, too, the figure paintings are far behind the landscapes.

The Dudley Gallery is composed of cabinet pictures in oil, which as sketchers are not to be considered in comparison with pictures of more elaborate character. There is, nevertheless, a great amount of talent exhibited here. Among the most noteworthy are M. Fantin's "Panier de Fleurs d'Automne" and an intricate study of nastartiums by the same master.

The Berlin correspondent of the London *Daily News* reports that the police authorities have paid a strange posthumous to

THE POET HEINRICH HEINE.

A portion of his works it is said, have been confisticated and ordered to be destroyed. The reason given for this singular proceeding is the fact that certain passages in the condemned portion of the dead poet's works contain unflattering remarks in regard to the reigning house of Hohenzollern. This pettty attack on Heine's remains would be in keeping with the spirit now manifested in Germany against all who belong to the Jewish race.

On the 29th of November, 1780, the most liberal, intelligent, and humane monarch who ever ruled Austria took into his own hands, absolutely, the reins of imperial government. It was upon that date that Joseph the Second succeeded to the sole administration of an authority which he had already shared for fifteen years with the Empress Marie Therese. Vienna celebrated this centenary with a popular festival.

JOSEPH THE GOOD,

"the friend of mankind," was conspicuously the sovereign of the people. His universal benevolence, the liberality of his creed, his enlightened devotion to the arts and sciences, made him a grand figure among the monarchs of his time. He emancipated the peasants, introduced freedom of worship and the liberty of the press, and reformed the administration of justice, finance, and education. His especial zeal was directed against the religious orders, whose magnificent establishments he sequestrated and converted to public use as hospitals and asylums. He loved to roam about his capital as Haroun Al Raschid, used to wander through Bagdad, but he had no headsman at his heels. Once, in Moravia, he took a plough from a peasant's hand and finished the serf's work, merely to know by experience the labour it entailed. He was a breakwater for the people, against which the encroachments of the aristocracy and of the priesthood dashed in vain. He ruled thus wisely for ten years and died amid the lamentations of his subjects. The Viennese celebration of his accession to the throne began with a meeting of the Town Council. Their hall was profusely decorated with silken favors and garlands. A large bust of the Emperor stood between crowns of laurel. The civic dignitaries went in state to the chapel of the Capuchin Friars, where a commemorative service was held. One of the most effective features of the imposing ceremony was the singing of the *Beati Mortui* by the Vienna Manner-Gesang-Verein. At night there was a grand full dress performance at the Stadt Theatre, at the close of which the patriotic hymn, "Gott Erhalte Unsern Kaiser," was sung by an immense chorus. The students held their own celebration the night before in the great Hall of Music, where libations of beer and clouds of incense from pipes and cigars honoured the memory of the good Kaiser. It must be a gratifying fact for the present Emperor to hear the whole press apostrophize him as the only successor of Joseph the Second who has inherited his virtues and his wisdom.

The ancient

HOSPICE OF SAINT GOTHARD

is to be closed. The establishment dates back to the fourteenth century. The tunnel of the Mount St. Gothard will make the hospice useless. It was razed to the ground by an avalanche toward the end of the last century, but was rebuilt shortly afterward on a larger scale. In 1799 it was ravaged by Massena during the attack on Souvorow. The building fell almost into ruins, but was once more restored by the authorities, and and has ever since remained open to poor travellers. These are generally laborers from upper Italy, who come in troops. Over one hundred of them were recently received in a single night. Large numbers of wandering Germans are also accommodated, but Swiss and French applicants for shelter are few. Of late years the refuge received annually an average of 20,000 travellers, for each of whom is provided a warm meal and a night's lodging. The expenses are borne in part by the Governments of the Canton of Ticino and of Italy, and by annual subscriptions which are taken up throughout the Swiss cantons.

There has been but one conspicuous dramatic novelty in Paris for the past two or three weeks. M. Francois Coppee, the well-known poet, has composed a fantastic ballet called "La Korrigane," for which M. Charles M. Widor has contributed the music. It was produced at the Grand Opera in the most sumptuous manner, and achived an immediate success.

A NEW BALLET IS AN EVENT IN PARIS,

and the first night of "La Korrigane" was attended by everybody in society, including the ex-Queen of Spain with a brilliant suite. She expressed cordial delight at the triumph of Mlle. Mauri, the *premiere danseuse* of the ballet, who is a Spaniard, and who, making, with obvious nervousness, her first appearance, took the house by storm, and ascended at once, *en pirouette*, to an upper niche in the temple of Terpsichore.

LONDON SOCIETY IS HALF PUZZLED,

half amused by the extraordinary reports of Mme. Blavatsky's performances among the English civil servants in India. It seems that the Anglo-Indian officials have shown an unusual [illegible] of Blavatsky and Col. Olcott, who claims to be her escort—though why such a wonderfully able person should need an escort is not quite clear. Her miracles, at all events, seem past finding out. At [illegible] teacups [illegible] long-lost brooches turn up unexpectedly in cabbage beds; weird missives of cigarette paper, on which are traced [illegible] from Thibet to people who hardly knew of the existence of such a country; in fact, the most amazing phenomena occur under the most commonplace circumstances. The interest taken in all this by London society seems to promise a world of lionization for Mme. Blavatsky whenever she pays a visit to the British metropolis.

Gift Hunting.

Earlier than usual—indeed every importer endeavoured to be earlier than his fellow, and he almost succeeded this year—the allurements of

A PROSPEROUS CHRISTMAS TRADE

were spread out before wishful eyes.

Our shopkeepers have most widely arranged all their departments into a greater number of divisions, or separations, than hitherto, although the fascinations of this generous season have such an opportunity of readily focusing one's attention.

This subdivision of an almost limitless variety of articles that might be classed as fine arts, high arts, decorative arts, and arts picturesque, grotesque, and semi-worthless, offers an easy opportunity for that too common searcher after a gift, the style of which she yet knows not. If she has fixed her mind upon the fabric, or the material, she can visit the locality of such things, and hunt for a formalatic expression of her hitherto vague desires. Last year it was a rare pattern of Oriental rug that won more interest and search than anything else. The year before it was a longing after antique bellows which were carved in disremembered ages; snuffers that had forgotten how hot candle-wicks tasted; porringers which had been for centuries bereft of gruel; halberds that were supposed to have chopped open no end of feudal but vastly heroic brains.

This year this sentiment is still warm, but its blaze is less fierce. Like volcanoes, the bursting forth of all our enthusiasms must begin upon the highest places and pour their molten emotions down upon the lower levels. It is about these humbler surfaces that the warmth for skillets and snuffers now gathers, while the crater burns other sorts of fire.

PICKPOCKETS GO TO FIRES

and funerals, and there ply their trade of robbery, because the minds of crowds are too intent upon the coffin or the tossing furniture to notice just what other motives prevail amid the throng. Annual gift-hunting draws together in the city another and equal preoccupied multitude. Only their eyes are deceived and their purses robbed; but never mind, "Christmas comes but once a year."

We have had our epochs of many things which are droll. This season our enthusiasms are more evenly divided, as I have learned by visiting the various shops where elegance combine with costliness with an unprejudiced, at least an almost even, balance. Fabrics that are painted, or embroidered, take the lead among Christmas gifts that are prepared by young ladies. These articles are for furnishing rooms or for personal decorations, or they may be painted book-bindings, cigar-cases, *porte-monnaies*, letter-cases, writing-pads, etc., which are on linen, satin, silk, wood, or leather.

Gifts of silver and gold have

GIVEN PLACE TO BRASS,

this metal being the only one that causes exclamations of a properly expressed artistic delight, or an ideal enthusiasm, and perhaps very properly. With the rag there seems dreams of hearth with Christmas fires ablaze upon them. These fires suggested brass scuttles, fire screens that are in fanciful and graceful shape, andirons, braziers, shovels, tongs, and pokers, with a pretty stand for their support; also scuttles and fenders; yes, and toddy-kettles, too, and brass coffee-urns, the ingenious internals of which are so subtly cunning and so satisfactory that coffee will be coffee, if not genuine nectar, no matter where its barriers grew, provided it is passed through this last invention of an inspired Russian.

BRASS AS BRASS,

and not as a metaphor, is really one of the prime factors of this season's gift combinations.

Vases and lamps from Benares, from Persia, and from Constantinople rouse a wild longing in the souls of purchasers. Their curious engravings and their still more effective carvings in this enduring and but lately-dishonored metal is an illuminator to cabinets and to apartments where, but lately, only the most subdued and ripened (faded was its other adjective, but nobody used it), hues were permitted. The eyes even of trained enthusiasts may have wearied of

A TOO PROFOUND SOBERNESS.

At any rate, they are eager for possession of these articles of real beauty and luminous tints, the more especially as they are Oriental in their fabrication, and cannot be reproduced in a country where skilled labor costs much money. Only handwork is able to perform the quaint, irregular, semi-barbaric, and yet altogether charming ornamentations upon these recently imported objects of real art and indisputable beauty.

A few years ago, when we were young and foolish—the nation, not the individual, is referred to—a pretty list of china, or a single cup and saucer, a dainty gruel bowl, or a tiny tray for wafers made one glad for the whole year. Now we expect to find on our table, or in our stockings, complete dinner sets, dessert sets, soup sets, fish sets, cream sets, fruit sets, or, perhaps, all these at once; yes, and entire wine sets, also, with our own ciphers graven upon them. Nothing less satisfies the maturity of our aspirations and exactions.

A Suicidal Canary.

DETERMINED EFFORTS OF A PET BIRD TO END ITS DISEASE-BURDENED LIFE.

(New York Mercury.)

A canary, the property of a lady well-known in society in this city, who resides on Fifth avenue, within a stone's throw of Major Cooper's private residence, was about ten days ago taken unwell. The little fellow was about 8 years old, and had been reared by the lady, who was extremely fond of it. No amount of coaxing or persuasion could induce the little fellow to open his bill, and when once or twice a drop of diluted brandy was forced into its mouth it resolutely refused to swallow it, and fluttered and pecked so obstinately that its fair owner was forced to let it alone. After being subjected a second time to what it evidently considered an indignity, the bird's mode of action showed clearly that it had determined to put an end to itself. The *modus operandi* was watched by its mistress and her husband with great and increasing interest, as it first tried one plan and then another to accomplish its suicidal purpose. First it would climb to the top perch in the cage, and seizing the ring which hung pendant from the bell on the top of the cage in its beak, would hang suspended, its little legs tucked in underneath its wings, nor was it very easy to open the beak and take the bird down, for it resented the sligtest attempt at interference. As it was found impossible to prevent the recurrence of these suicidal efforts, the ring was removed. The canary resented this in a very strange fashion. The water-trough used was a very deep one, which was within the reach of the bird when on the lowest perch of its cage; the second perch ran lengthways. Suspending itself by its claws to this, the canary hung with its head down into the water-trough, evidently determined to commit suicide by drowning. When discovered the first time its head was almost entirely covered by the water in the trough. To prevent all chance of misadventure, but very little water was afterward left in the water cup. Getting on the top perch of the cage, it next poked its little head through the wires, and, letting go of the perch with its feet, tried to hang itself, and was only prevented from successfully accomplishing this by the fortunate interposition of the lady. Toward the close of its life it became hardly able to move, but the suicide mania was upon it, and it was constantly caught poking its head through the wires of the side of the cage and trying to strangle itself. Prevented from effecting its purpose, the bird in its last moments seemed to feel affronted, and would not permit itself to be touched, and with its last expiring effort forced its head through the latticing of the cage and died while attempting to commit suicide.

A CINCINNATI man turned his blind daughter into the street, though amply able to support her, because she refused to commit suicide with the poison which he provided.

[illegible] Hefner, who [illegible] Chestnut and [illegible] this city.

A reporter [illegible] Mr. Heffner [illegible] his much-talked-of [illegible] one children.

Heffner is sparingly built, smokes a clay pipe, and makes a living in the rag business. He is 65 years old, and a cheerful [illegible] story of the married life [illegible] himself [illegible] on record. [illegible] 1826. [illegible]—he married his first wife, who lived eight years. She became the mother of seventeen children in that time, having twins in the first year of their marriage. The next year another pair of twins were born. Each succeeding year, for four years thereafter, Mrs. Heffner became the mother of triplets. The seventh year signalized by the birth of only one child. Mrs. Heffner died and was laid away in the village church-yard in Germany. The widower had now a family of seventeen children, the oldest only 7 years of age. Three months thereafter a young lady took charge of the children, and in course of time she became the second Mrs. Heffner. The first wife had died in February, 1848. In February, 1849, this second wife presented Mr. Heffner with a boy. On Christmas day of the same year the nineteenth child was added to the Heffner flock. The family was now larger than any other in that part of the country. Five years passed on, Mr. Heffner's household was increased by the addition of ten more children, a pair of twins being born every year. There was now a lull, and for three years the [illegible] only one child was born into them. In 1854 he came to this country with his family, and the last three children were born in America. In 1857 his wife died, having been married nine years. He was now the father of thirty-two children, twelve of whom had died, leaving twenty to be taken in charge by a widow, whom he had married in 1858. Mrs. Heffner-number-three and one child by a previous marriage. She became the mother of nine more children in ten years, by single births. His last, or third wife, is still living. None of the first set of seventeen children survive. Two of the fifteen of the second wife's children still live and three of the thirds wife's nine. In a period of twenty-eight years—from 1840 when he first married, to 1868, the date of the birth of his last child—he became the father of forty-one children. The five who are still living are girls. When the stepchild that the last marriage to the list, forty-two children have called Jonh Heffner "father." The old man has long since forgotten the names of his numerous progeny, and can only recall those born in later years.

Cutting a Boy's Hair.

There is no use in fooling around about it. When a boy's hair has become long and bleached and scraggy and full of burrs and feathers it is time to cut it, and the inevitable must be faced.

The boy doesn't want it cut, of course. No one ever had a speaking acquaintance with a boy who thought the time had arrived when he could part with enough hair to stuff a sofa pillow. They must be coerced, and kind words and broad promises are thrown away. Coercion is the only method.

I let my boys run about so long, and then when I get a spare half day I play barber. There is no appeal from my decision. When I come out flat-footed I carry my point or die trying.

"Young man, you can get ready to have your hair cut."

"Next week?"

"No, sir—now!"

"With a buzz-saw?"

"Yes, if the shears won't do it."

"Won't you draw blood?"

"I may have to."

"If you don't cut my hair, I'll bring in 'nuff wood and coal to last all winter, and I won't ask for a light when I go to bed!"

"Come out here and make ready!"

I never take any chances on a boy. I have an old chair bolted to the floor, and then I bolt the boy to the chair. I fix him so that he can move neither hand nor foot, put a soft-gag in his mouth to prevent a neighborhood alarm, and begin work. The first step towards cutting a boy's hair is to put in ten minutes' hard work with a curry-comb. If he hasn't been running loose over two or three years this tool will be found sufficient to rake out the snarls, buttons and articles previously mentioned. A basket is placed behind the chair for them to drop into, and they can be decorated with fancy pictures and made to serve as parlor ornaments.

When a boy's hair is ready for the shears brace your feet and shear away. Shear front, back, top and side without reference to lines or angles. The object is to remove hair. There is no use of any conversation, not even when the shears find a piece of wire and refuse to cut it. The boy wouldn't know how it got there if you asked him. He has had his head in closets, cellars, garrets, barns, fence-corners, barrels, boxes and all sorts of nooks, and such extra attachments are no surprise to him.

No one should be less than half an hour robbing an average boy of his capillary substance. Any attempt to hurry the job will result in overlooking a lot of shingle nails, the missing screwdriver, or something which may damage his Sunday hat. My average is thirty-five minutes, and I have only two minutes left after being able to see that he has a scalp. It then takes an additional ten minutes to look him over and identify him as the same boy I began on. His neck has grown larger, the size of his ears increased, and the whole shape of the head is altered. When I feel sure that it is my boy, and not the son of some neighbor who has skulked in on me, I brush him off with an old broom, crack his head three or four times, draw the bolts and remove the gag, and then hold the door open for him to shoot into the back-yard. I am a loving father on all else, but when I cut a boy's hair I'm a stern old Roman of the first water.

Former Steamer Life on the Red Sea.

(Blackwood's Magazine.)

Although it was so hot, our spirits—that is, of the younger members of the party—were quite unaffected by the weather. The sea was calm as glass, and we all had got to be very intimate and friendly. It was a comfort, too, to be assured by the older passengers that the heat on board was much greater than anything we should encounter at Calcutta. We youngsters did not mind the heat a bit; if India was no worse than this we should think nothing of it, and we could not understand why the others should make such a fuss about it. And, the heat notwithstanding, we all had excellent appetites, for satisfying which ample provision was made in a rough sort of way. Stewed tea and coffee, with biscuits, at 6:30 in the morning; breakfast at 8:30, with fresh rolls, and eggs, very catable poached; a profusion of dishes, and light wine for those who preferred it to tea and coffee; at noon there was a slight luncheon, with cheese, sardines, and bottled stout; and then nothing further was supplied till dinner, at 4:30. This was an elaborate meal, served in the good old fashion, with all the dishes put on the table together, to mend up the temperature of the saloon a degree or two higher, while there was hardly room for the stewards running about against each other, with helpings obtained from dishes at opposite ends of the table. Everything was carved at table, and there was always a great run on the roast pork, the preliminary sacrifice of which took place on the previous evening, and might be witnessed by those smoking forward, near the part of the deck partitioned off for the butcher. The butcher was one of the few Europeans among the crew, and a much-employed member of it. The dinner was followed by dessert, with plenty of good strong port and sherry, and everything suited to the climate and the temperature; the Peninsular and Oriental Company prided themselves on doing things in good old English style. Then there would be quoit-playing or single-stick, or mild gymnastic exercises, appropriate the hour and to digestion, until tea-time—tea and coffee again, stewed in a caldron, with plenty of toast and liquid salt butter. This was served at 7. At 9, an array of spirit-bottles graced the saloon-table, with lemons, sugar, an iced water; those who preferred it [illegible] sandwiches and sherry if asked for. We all partook heartily of these meals and refreshments, and then if any one died, as we were told it down to the climate. And I have often thought since that in India the climate, and not the diet, is made responsible for all the illness there; in nor the mode of intemperate peculiar [illegible] India. [illegible]

[illegible] Beach.

The sparkling waters of [illegible] ed with [illegible] forests. [illegible] above an undergrowth [illegible] covering shrubs and [illegible] inaccessible. The white [illegible] mock-orange gleam in the [illegible] the fallen, decayed trunks are [illegible] creepers and strange [illegible] water's edge the plundering [illegible] to the wild [illegible] into which we camped out [illegible] Our beach was [illegible] and pebbly. High up on the [illegible] antastic barricades of [illegible] have been borne there from [illegible] heavy storms. Under the [illegible] winters and the sun of the [illegible] thick bark had decayed and [illegible] leaving the trunks and roots [illegible] the whiteness of ivory. [illegible] we often saw in the [illegible] of the tiny hoofs of the deer, [illegible] down to stop the piquant [illegible] we were never so fortunate [illegible] glimpse of the shy creature. [illegible]

The beach presented to the [illegible] of unvarying brown, but as [illegible] and forth we found much [illegible] ; stones of bright, clear [illegible] slate, rose-tints, browns, and [illegible] plum-color. But these are found [illegible] beach. There were others [illegible] form grey, carved and worn [illegible] into strange shapes, and [illegible] legendary charm.

The aboriginal name of the [illegible] Batisse, and opposite it, on [illegible] Sucre Island, centuries ago, a [illegible] chief. He had one child [illegible] whom the island was named, [illegible] beauty has been handed down [illegible] She had many lovers, but [illegible] her father's lodge, she was [illegible] them all. In vain they [illegible] apathetic ear stories of their [illegible] hunting and in war, and tried [illegible] ear thought by their offerings [illegible] robes of choicest skins, glistening [illegible] bracelets of strange shells and [illegible] But though she smiled on [illegible] slow, they grieved sore, and [illegible] made so many hearts ache, was [illegible] have her peace disturbed.

There appeared to the tribe a [illegible] haughtier and more athletic, [illegible] eyes than any one they had ever [illegible] one knew whence he came, but [illegible] night, around the camp fires, he [illegible] them all with stories of [illegible] wild deeds. The obdurate heart of [illegible] throbbed with a new emotion; [illegible] she was happy away from [illegible] less and disquieted. They passed [illegible] hours in her canoe, which frequently [illegible] them to this island. One morning [illegible] on the rocks of the main shore, [illegible] pacing uneasily near. Her quick [illegible] his footsteps, and raising her eyes [illegible] terrified to see him walking on the [illegible] He vanished from her gaze in a [illegible] which drifted away before the [illegible] breeze, but did not reveal her [illegible]

In her desolate loneliness she [illegible] to this island where they had been [illegible] ply together, and, sitting on the [illegible] idle thought, sifted the sand [illegible] brown fingers. As it fell it took the [illegible] birds, animals, and the arms and [illegible] children, till the beach was thickly [illegible] with the curious shapes.

Once when she went out in her [illegible] progress was mysteriously arrested, [illegible] maidens plied their paddles, and [illegible] over and looking down she saw the [illegible] face of her beloved. She implored [illegible] come back to her, but that he said [illegible] never do. For a long time they [illegible] described to her the strange and [illegible] wonderful cavernous home, and begged [illegible] to go with him there. Her heart [illegible] ed at the familiar voice, but when [illegible] her to come down with him she [illegible] with fear. Stronger, though, than [illegible] love. Bidding her companions go [illegible] tell her father she would return [illegible] she sprang into the water, and the [illegible] eddy hid her from their view. The [illegible] lamentations filled the air as they [illegible] paddled to the land. The whole [illegible] doned themselves to the ritual [illegible] savage mourning, but in five days [illegible] changed to the wildest joy, for the [illegible] up its prisoner.

Her love for her kindered continued [illegible] changed, and her life was divided [illegible] her father's lodge and her mysterious [illegible] beneath the sea. Some gracious [illegible] meet kept for her the freshness [illegible] while those who were young with her [illegible] and dropped out of the ranks of the [illegible] till even the memory of their [illegible] faded into oblivion. As they died [illegible] she withdrew herself from her earthly [illegible] though she did not forget those [illegible] Rising fearless and beautiful above [illegible] waves, she gave warning of every [illegible] She was not altogether enveloped in [illegible] and gray cloud, and her phantom [illegible] bright clear day, was prophetic of the [illegible] of some of the tribe by drowning. [illegible] whites came—but the Indians [illegible] the tradition by the stones found on [illegible] land that by them yet bear her name.

Shall we disenchant you and tell [illegible] we rowed around the end of the island [illegible] afternoon and found a clayey bank [illegible] which issued a spring! Its waters, [illegible] over the bank, cut little channels, and [illegible] ually irregular masses were loosened. [illegible] the storms came these are taken up [illegible] surge and carried out into deep water [illegible] they are tossed and worn and at last [illegible] back upon the beach smooth and [illegible] sometimes wearing but a rude resemblance to form in nature; sometimes so [illegible] elab rated it is hard to believe [illegible] wave alone have sculptured them.

We found bean-pods, the [illegible] rag-doll heads, a seal, a duck, the [illegible] a bird with a very positive beak, [illegible] flasks, discs geometrically accurate, [illegible] baby fists and arms, queer unshapely [illegible] hideous enough to be Hindoo gods, [illegible] many imperfect specimens that would [illegible] seemed very wonderful but for the [illegible] vantage of comparison with nature's [illegible] workmanship.

One would not expect to find so [illegible] mance among the slovenly, stolidly, [illegible] and altogether unattractive "Fish [illegible] as the tribes living near here are [illegible] But they cherish many imaginative [illegible] tions, handed down from those [illegible] when a superior race was undreamed of [illegible] their aboriginal dignities and [illegible] enjoyed without an overshadowing [illegible] soon of the ways of the "Boston [illegible] "King Georgemen."

A Real Great Man.

The New York *Sun* has a description of Chang, the Chinese giant, whom it describes as being nine feet high. He is 33 years old, is the son of a wealthy silk and tea merchant in Pekin, where he was born; is well educated, speaks, reads and writes English, German, French, Italian and Spanish, and is thoroughly courteous and a gentleman. The *Sun*, however, errs in saying that the individual is in America for the first time. He came to this country from China in 1870, and in the spring of 1871 exhibited himself at Young Men's Hall, in this city. Old readers of the *Free Press* will recall the very attractive sketch of him given in these columns at the time, and inasmuch as the article went the rounds of the papers, it is probable that many persons will recognize the new-comer Chang as their old acquaintance. He is very likely, without doubt at present the very tallest man in America.

Horrible Barbarities.

The West of Africa is a nice place to live in. People there very die of any disease; in fact, kings are the only ones who die natural deaths. The Chief of Whydah, in the Kingdom of Dahomey, died recently and, as is the custom with many native tribes, the death was celebrated by the sacrifice of people. The horrible rites were followed by another massacre at the time the new Chase as a token of his [illegible] predecessor. No sooner was this [illegible] the time arrived when the King of Dahomey [illegible] honour of his deceased [illegible] ceremony about 200 [illegible] [illegible] The Europeans were invited to witness the [illegible] they all refused to go. [illegible]

MRS. [illegible] was a generous [illegible] a tramp at Canton, O., [illegible] warded her by poisoning [illegible] through the stomach [illegible] him to fill, and recovered the [illegible]

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DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

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DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves. NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. RORISON.

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Firemen, as well as other people, like to talk of their old flames.

The town of Hull, England, is to have its streets lighted by the [illegible] electric illumination.

An exchange says: "Streams all over the country are running dry." This is a canard. When a stream is dry it can't run."

Bismarck's Power.

MORE THAN PRINCE REGENT, AND VIRTUALLY [illegible]

(German Letter to London Standard.)

[illegible]

The above explains how it is that Prince Bismarck can practically be Prince of the Empire as well as of the kingdom. This supreme dignity being vested in a subject in preference to the crown prince, the latter has thought it unavoidable to absent himself from Berlin for more than a year past.

But Prince Bismarck is more than prince regent. Besides being virtually independent of the crown, he has known how to eschew parliamentary control. Under the universal-suffrage system introduced by him the rural vote in the old provinces is absolutely directed by the country policemen and the pastors, who are likewise habituated to live in the pay and the fear of the government. In the new Protestant provinces this is not so much the case; but any opposition that might be offered by them is swamped by the ultramontanes. However opposed to Prince Bismarck, the ultramontanes are still more hostile to liberals, who only helped the prince to enact the late ecclesiastical laws, but as was conclusively shown a year ago, are less inclined to repeal them than the prince, who is always prepared for a bargain. Liberals in politics, the moment the ecclesiastical laws are repealed, the ultramontanes take especial delight in thwarting the liberals while their demands remain unsatisfied. By creating the ultramontane party through his ecclesiastical law, for which nothing like an adequate provocation had been given by the Catholics, the prince divided the liberals against themselves, pitted the independent Catholic against the Independent Protestant vote, and almost nullified the influence of southern Germany on the imperial parliament. Aiming chiefly at the possession of personal power as he does, and regarding everything else as of comparatively secondary interest, the prince no doubt achieved a master stroke in thus emasculating the legislature at the very moment that he created it. But the value of German unity has been greatly depreciated in the eyes of the people both by the ministerial omnipotence created and the unscrupulous tactics employed in playing out one party against the other. Of the accusations made you will be able to form an idea when I tell you that in the recent parliamentary debate the prince was all but openly charged with subsidizing socialists and salarying anti-Jewish editors, with the design of creating dissensions in the liberal camp. With reference to the anti-Jewish agitation more particularly, it is now universally admitted that it was got up by the worthy chancellor for the purpose of controlling the next elections.

The situation, it must be owned, is now [illegible] for the prince than it ever has been. His wild [illegible] of making [illegible] upon the [illegible], and support of the state; his extravagant [illegible] of resisting direct taxes if indirect ones are granted [illegible] A [illegible] effort is evidently about to be made by the liberals. Should they gain a considerable number of seats, and, for the first time since the revival of the empire, resolutely declare against Prince Bismarck, there is perhaps a chance of their being supported by the Catholics, when the power of the chancellor will soon be restricted to its proper and needful limits.

The Baby Witness.

A GLITTER OF COIN THAT ENTRAPPED AND RELEASED THE INFANT'S MOTHER.

The following touching scene recently occurred in a court of justice in Paris:

A poor, pale seamstress was arraigned for theft. She appeared at the bar with her baby of eleven months on her arm. She went to get some work one day, and stole three gold coins of 10 francs each. The money was missed, so after she left her employer, and a servant was sent to her room to claim it. The servant found her about to quit the room with the three gold coins in her hand.

She said to the servant: "I was just going to carry them back to you." Nevertheless, she was carried to the commissioner of police, and he ordered her to be sent before the police court for trial. She was too poor to engage a lawyer, and when asked by the judge what she had to say for herself, she answered: "The day I went to my employer's I carried my child with me. It was in my lap as it is now, I was not paying attention to it. There were several gold coins on the mantlepiece, and, unknown to me, it stretched out its little hand and seized three pieces, which I did not observe till I got home. I at once put on my bonnet, and was going back to my employer to return them, when I was arrested. This is the solemn truth, as I hope for heavens mercy."

The court could not believe this story. They upbraided the mother for the impudence in endeavoring to palm of such a manifest lie for the truth. They besought her, for her own sake, to retract so absurd a tale, for it could have no effect but to oblige the court to sentence her to a much severer punishment than they were disposed to inflict upon one so young, and evidently so deep in poverty.

These appeals had no effect, except to strengthen the poor mother's pertinacious adherences to her original story. As this firmness was sustained by that look of innocence which the most adroit criminal can never counterfeit, the court was at some loss to discover what decision justice demanded. To relieve their embarrassment, one of the judges proposed to renew the scene described by the mother. Three gold coins were placed on the clerk's table. The mother was requested to resume the position in which she stood at her employer's house. There was then a breathless pause in court. The baby soon discovered the bright coins, eyed them for a moment, smiled, and then stretched forth its tiny hand and clutched them in is fingers with a miser's eagerness. The mother was at once acquitted.

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To spell so common a word.
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A trifle distant at first,
But you'll soon pronounce it better—
I'd show you if I durst.
Then "i"—O bother that dimple
Just wait till I dot that "i,"
The rest of the word is simple,
And will keep till by and by.
Then the "s," the sibilant sighing,
Make it as long as you will,
Like a chord in music dying
With a shuddering tremulous thrill.
There! that "s" is finished, and sweetly,
But wait; are you ready? Yes?
I must spell the word completely,
Draw breath for the second "s."
'Tis a most important letter,
It shows that the word is done,
And I like it even better,
I think, than the other one.
I hold by these object lessons,
They illustrate things so well—
See, you've learned the very essence
Of the word you couldn't spell.

Fashion Notes.

India shawls never go out of fashion.

The toreador is a new London bonnet.

The Beauharnais is the latest large hat.

Caps are *de rigueur* for a well-dressed baby.

Fanchon bonnets are becoming vulgarly popular.

Vermicelli lace is the latest novelty in lace goods.

Furniture effects are sought for in recent costumes.

Japanese screen front dresses are of American origin.

Bangles are worn to excess by fashionable women.

White opera toilets are in the majority in London.

The Fanchon bonnet is called the *bebe* bonnet in Paris.

Hoods on dresses, as well as on wraps, grow in favour.

Fur-trimmed costumes begin to make an appearance.

Lace pins have completely superseded other kinds of brooches.

Deep fur cuffs to match the muff and collarette are much worn.

The Drogan cap is shaped very much like a French pastry cook's.

Dull red is a popular shade for young girls' and children's wool suits.

Deep yellow and coral pink China asters are the flowers of the moment.

Serpent bracelets with golden scales and ruby eyes are coming into vogue.

Driving gloves made to simulate a leopard's or tiger's claw are late novelties.

Wadded and quilted satin slippers worn for comfortable home *neligee* toilet.

The latest hoods on dresses and wraps are rounded, not pointed, in the back.

Jersey corsages and striped woolens for skirts are leading styles in skating costumes.

The only flowers used for winter hats and bonnets are made of plush, velvet, and satin.

Chenille fringes, with strands of gold or silver thread, are much used for ball-dress trimming.

The harmonies or symphonies of colour must be well preserved in Japanese screen front dresses.

Six bangles on each arm are not considered too many by girls who adopt the extreme of that barbaric style.

Dark-green and seal-brown cloth suits, trimmed with bands of fur, take the lead for elegant street costumes.

Waifs.

THE divorce lawyer's favourite fruit—a tart pair.

A LADY need not necessarily be nervous or athletic to jump at an offer.

"MARRIAGE," says an exchange, "is a knotty question." It is, indeed, but it's nice.

THE young man who was kicked out of his girl's house very properly styled her father a freebooter.

WHEN a married woman buys a pug dog for a low price, she gets a bargain, and her husband gets something to boot.

A FRIEND who has just read a handkerchief flirtation code, advises all men desiring to avoid breach-of-promise suits to wipe their mouths with their coat-tails.

MR. EVER was married to Miss Joy. The friends of the victims were shocked when the press called her "a thing of beauty," because she was a Joy for Ever."

IT is a mean thing for a handsome man to go to a town and give every indication of being in the market until half the girls are wild about him, and then send for his wife.

A FRENCH writer says there was once in the environs of Rouen a miller's daughter so pretty and so cruel that the sighs of her lovers alone served to turn the sails of her father's mill.

"WELL, well," said Billington, majestically, "we mustn't be too severe on the young fellows. I suppose I was as big a fool as any of them when I was young." "Yes," replied Fogg, "and you are not an old man now, Billington."

"DOCTOR, my daughter seems to be going blind and she's just getting ready for her wedding, too! Oh, dear me, what is to be done?" "Let her go right on with the wedding, madam, by all means. If anything can open her eyes, marriage will."

"BEG pardon, sir; but I've just caught these two young rascals making a slide in front of your doorstep, and they say as you gave them permission?" "It's quite correct. I did, policeman. The fact is, I expect my mother-in-law to luncheon."

A HUSBAND of a very fashionable and talkative wife was out walking a few days ago with his little child, when he met a friend, who admired the child very much. "It is a beautiful child," said the friend, "and looks very much like its mother, particularly about the mouth." "May be so," responded the husband-father, "but I have never seen it at rest long enough to tell what it looks like."

Before marriage,—
With wondrous care,
She seeks the mirror
And bangs her hair.

After marriage,—
With angry glare,
She grabs her slipper
And bangs her hair.

A WRITER in an art journal says: "I do not think plates look well hung on a wall. They should be put on shelves and in a kind of dresser." That writer's art taste is low. It needs cultivation. Next thing he will declare that coal-scuttles and wash-tubs do not look well hung on parlor walls, and he will relegate a decorated boot-jack to its proper place. If he were to come here and promulgate such ideas he would get bounced.

NOT long since, in one of our neighboring villages, a young lady who had been engaged to a fine young man for some time, met a richer person and soon put off the old love for the new. She wrote to her old lover requesting him to return her photograph. Here was a chance for revenge, which he took by sending her the following note: "I would gladly comply with your request, but if I do so it will spoil my euchre deck. I have a collection of photographs which I use for playing cards, and I do not wish to break it by giving away the dozen of diamonds."

"YES, I am the lady who advertised for a chambermaid. Can you fill the place?" "Yes'm." "Well, I like your looks, and I think I will take you." "Yes'm." "What is your given name?" "Mary, ma'am." "Well Mary, perhaps I had best tell you now that I am jealous of my husband. I caught him kissing my last girl, and I sent her away. If he kissed you, would you come and tell me?" "Yes." "How soon?" "Well, ma'am, I shouldn't like to set the exact time on that. If it was a little kiss there'd be no hurry about telling you. If it was a great big one, I should want to tell you right away. And yet my conscience would force me to give him a chance to reflect on the enormity of his offence!"

The Philosophy of Corsets.

It is said that the natural figure is much more like an H. than a V. says "The Science of Taste', and therefore Mrs. —— objects to any artificial contraction which draws it out of similitude with an H, supplementing her protestations by physiological diagrams, extracted from some medical work, exhibiting the terrible consequences of tight-lacing. That many women do possess figures more like an H than a V no one will deny, but to the ideal figure, such as that which is based upon an intimate knowledge of the human frame, and which should serve as a guide in all suggestions, the very converse of this description applies. Whenever exercise is taken which develops every part of the body, the waist naturally becomes slim. And not only slim, but so pliant as to succumb to pressure, and need it for "keeping one together." All people habituated to athletic discipline both wear and have occasion for cinctures of some kind. The use of corsets, then, to which the lady in question objects *in toto*, is dictated by physical requirements, and does not, moreover, necessarily lead to tight lacing; extremes of all kinds are objectionable, but an occasional indulgence in them is no argument for the abandonment of those fundamental rules from which they are offshoots. Indeed, we have already advocated the advisability of never, in any matter, departing from "the modesty of nature."

Fashionable Footwomen.

Footmen are going out, says *The London World*, and footwomen are taking their place. Dining the other night in Eaton place, the door was opened by one of the latter in a most charming and becoming livery. Black and white mob-cap for headdress, stand-up collar with white cravat and small pin in it, rich brown-cloth coat with livery buttons, cut somewhat like a man's hunting-coat, and a buff waist-coat with a high church collar—such was the uniform. I was so struck with the upper portion of the dress that I never thought of looking at the extremities; but I fancy my eye once got a glimpse, going up stairs, of red stockings and shoes with silver buckles. During dinner four winsome lasses, all similarly attired, waited on me hand and foot, and certainly never was a dinner more deftly, handed and served. Why not? Women are, by their nature much better suited for this sort of work than men. The latter think nothing of eating onions or smoking vile tobacco before serving the soup, or putting their thumbs in the gravy of one's mutton, or breathing stertorously at your ear, or perceptibly on your cranium if it lacks a covering. Besides, there is decided economy; footwomen are not taxed nor do they eat so much.

Jewelry.

Jewelry has undergone a complete revolution of late years. The set, meaning brooch and ear-rings to match, is wholly out of fashion, and the two are brought without reference to each other. Ear-rings, are small and short, solitaire diamonds being preferred to all other styles. Next comes those of tinted gold, a single leaf or flower, with a diamond dew-drop resting in its centre. Their are rubies and solitaire pearls and sapphires, which take high rank among precious stones. The long, slender lace-pin is the brooch of the day, and is shown at all prices, from the bar of wrought gold at a few dollars to the brilliant row of white diamond which costs thousands.

The new floral pins are exquisite—four leaved clovers, buttercups, daisies, geranium leaves, rose-buds,, with leaves and stems, lilies of the valley crusted with diamonds, and calla lilies, the blossom formed of silver like white satin, with leaves of green-tinted gold and pistil of the same metal in its yellowest hue. A dragon-fly, all jewels, diamonds, rubies, emeralds, and sapphires, perched on a slender golden reed, is a novel and most brilliant ornament.

Three or four bracelets are often worn upon one arm, and at a recent English wedding in high life the bride is reported as wearing seven, three upon one arm and four on the other. Serpent bracelets are much liked, and are shown in great variety, perhaps the prettiest of all being the flexible serpents of gold or silver woven in basketwork.

A more repulsive neck ornament has been introduced from Paris in the form of a viper, made of plush in natural hues. The head is of bright metal and the eyes are jewels. The tongue hangs out of the mouth. The head is worn under the left ear.

Baroness Coutts' Mansion.

The mansion of the baroness is in Piccadilly, and a visitor gossiped pleasantly about her in this strain: Her favorite brooch is a cameo of Fan, a dog of infinite good qualities, called some years since to her final rest, and her perpetual companions are Bell, a delightful bull terrier with a beauty-spot on his back, and a perfect little-black-and-tan of perfect race. At luncheon times these interesting little beasts are naturally to the fore. On either side of their mistress is a plate of the daintest Sevres *pate tendre*, from which these lucky dogs eat their cutlets of minced chicken. There is a vast wealth of Sevres and Dresden in Stratton street and Piccadilly. Some difficulty has been experienced in finding room for the superb garnitures de cheminee—vases and tea services which crop up in every corner, in superb cabinets, in covered cases, and in various nooks behind screens—for the quantity is far beyond the requirements of a dozen households. Besides superb specimens of rose pampadour, vert pomme and gros bleu, including a magnificent dinner service of priceless turquoise, rich in the magnificent heavy gilding of Sevres, there is abundance of that delightful porcelaine which might be called hair-dress Sevres, with the charming, cool, chintz-like patterns, to imitate which a very poor attempt was made at Bristol. Oriental china, too, is not wanting, and vases of malachite and porphyry. More prized, however, than these by their owner is a Shakespeare cabinet, containing the celebrated "Daniell" Shakespeare and another of the early folio editions of his complete plays, as well as the first edition of the "Sonnets." The cabinet itself is a gem carved out of a piece of heart-of-oak which once formed part of the Royal George, given by the Queen to Lady Burdett-Coutts, who has received many similar tokens of regard from her majesty—notably an engraved portrait of the "Queen's Dogs." The Shakespeare cabinet is full of relics of Stratford-on-Avon, a handsome goblet once belonging to Kemble, and a variety of boxes and other knick-knacks made from the wood of a famous mulberry tree. Lady Burdett-Coutts' interest in the higher drama is well known, and no secret is made of her admiration of Mr. Irving, who is a frequent guest of her house.

Indian Marriage.

At the agencies on the upper frontier, say an exchange, thousands of men are employed and it is not an exaggeration to say that the majority of them have Indian wives and live happily. They are not sought after by the [illegible], for the Indian girl's custom is to remain quiet until the marriage contract is made and the marriage portion paid over. The husband must have the dowry, with which he must invest his projected mother-in-law before the ceremony takes place. The process is a little out of the usual run, and a description may be of interest. The aspiring bridegroom must be well-known in the tribe before he can hope to win a wife. Her people want to thoroughly understand him and know if he can support not only her but her relations in the event of a pinch. He must be a kind-hearted man, with a temper warranted to keep in domestic climate, and he must have a good lodge and at least half a dozen horses. If he be and have all these, he can a-wooing go. Selecting the lady, he makes application to her mother, and at a council the price is fixed upon. If the girl be especially pretty her mother will demand a gun, two horses, and a lot of provisions, blankets, and cloth. A gun is valued at $60, a horse at $30, and he must furnish materials to bring the amount up to from $100 to $150. Then he tries to beat the dame down, and if he succeeds he knows there is some reason for letting the girl go; if not, he understands that he is making a good choice. The courtship is left entirely to the mother. She communicates the intelligence to the bride-elect, who dutifully sets upon preparing the lodge for the nuptials. Relatives and friends congregate, form a circle, pound a drum and have a feast, at the conclusion of which the man and girl stand up. A blanket is thrown over their heads, under which they exchange vows of fidelity, after which the mother blesses them, and the ceremony is complete. But it fares badly with a man who plentifully stocks his wedding-lodge. His wife gives away everything he gives her, and stores intended to last a month will disappear in an hour. He, if he be cautious, will give her barely enough to eat, unless he teaches economy, a lesson, which once thoroughly learned, she never forgets. For some little time after the wedding the newly made relatives haunt the lodge, demanding that they be feasted and cared for. Woe unto him who accedes in the slightest. A firm refusal, well persevered in, is all that will save him from a life of misery.

Fool Boys.

THE CALLOW YOUNGSTERS WHO PUFF CIGARETTES.

Physicians and moralists alike are pained by the spectacle, growing more common every day, of pale-faced lads, ranging in age from 16 to 20 years, who are puffing their little lives away in cigarette smoking. Day and night they throng the streets, where the peculiar odor generated by cigarettes made of cheap paper and bad tobacco renders their smoking obnoxious to others as it is hurtful to themselves. Every evening before the doors of the theatres they raise a cloud of foul smoke that is equally injurious to their own rickety constitutions and to the noses of their victims. Doubtless, also, they carry their pernicious habit into their homes—when they are old enough to do so without risk of the spanking that they deserve—thus still further doing harm to themselves and making other people uncomfortable.

The cheap cigarette is a modern invention, and a peculiarly vicious one. Twenty years ago when the cigarettes all came from Cuba and were wrapped in rice paper, smoking them did no great harm. Moreover, being make of Honrades, or some brand of equally strong tobacco, only a boy of stout stomach could smoke more than two or three of them at a time. But to meet the boyish demand cigarettes are sold nowadays both cheap and weak. They are made of mild, often bad tobacco, and for the most part they are wrapped in ordinary white paper. Rice-paper wrappings necessarily increase the cost, and the boy who wishes to prove by the ordeal of smoke that he is not a boy but a man, much prefers the article that he can get the most of for his money. Moreover the boy does not know the difference apparent to the sight between rice paper and ordinary paper, any more than he knows while rice paper burns away with scarcely any smoke at all, common paper burns with a foul smoke that cuts like a saw into the chest and throat. So he spends his money on cheap cigarettes and makes everybody around him uncomfortable while he smokes himself away into an untimely grave.

Of course the boys do not mean to sin against themselves and neighbors. They do not realize what a bad smell their nasty little cigarettes make, and they are very far from knowing what serious injury the smoke from them inflicts upon their throats and broncial tubes, and lungs. They smoke in innocency, knowing not what they do, but most earnestly believing that their smoking make men of them. Down in the depths of their hearts the most of them have no sincere affection for smoking; and in the depths of their stomachs they not unfrequently entertain a feeling of positive aversion toward it. But they hang on their pestilent habit with a persistency that in a better cause would be worthy of all praise; stifling the dictates of conscience and asserting a bad mastery over the rebellions of the flesh. And, if reasoned with, they answer in the words of dear John Leech's bad boy: "But what is a fellow to do, when all the men of his own age smoke?"

Sparrows in a Winter Bath.

Yesterday, during the sunny hour of noon, says the Hartford "Times," a flock of about a hundred English sparrows gathered upon and near a painted tin roof having a protected southern exposure, where a good deal of water had collected in the broad flat gutter. The temperature of the surrounding air was about six degrees below the freezing point, and water was evidently a scarce article, for the eager little birds rushed for it almost furiously. They dashed in by the dozen, fluttering their wings and tails, and sending the shower of water in a spray around. A dozen new-comers would be actually fighting for precedence. As fast as they finished their bath the birds went to the upper slope of the roof, next the sheltering brick wall of a higher part of the building, and there spread themselves out in the sun, like hens shuffling in a warm sand-bath, spreading out their feathers and turning themselves first on one and then on the other side. One sparrow evidently had his misgivings about taking a plunge into a winter bath; he stood shivering at the edge of the pool, like an undressed boy on the river's bank when he hesitates to take the first plunge of the season. Some of his more venturesome companions tried to push the bird in. One seized him by the tail and pulled; another fluttered his wings against him and tried to crowd him in; and a third tried to operate on his head. It was in vain; that particular bird, though seemingly desirous of a bath, evidently mistrusted the temperature of the water—or his own sanitary powers of resistance in these malarial times, and he wouldn't budge. His companions, to the number of about sixty, then gave it up and crowded together in their selected position of shelter, as closely, seemingly, as swarming bees, making a pretty sight. The social and gregarious characteristics of these sparrows are strongly marked. But they fail to find, in this country, the thatched cottage roofs, and the wheat and barley ricks, in which they are so naturally prone to burrow in English rural districts.

Lord Beaconsfield and Thackeray.

Much bitterness, says a London paper, has been excited in some quarters by Lord Beaconsfield's caraciture of Thackeray, whom the great satirist's admirers profess to identify beneath the traits of St. Barbe, the journalist in "Endymion." The uncomplimentary sketch is thought to be intended as the ex-premier's revenge for Thackeray's burlesque novel of "Collingsby." The likeness in the case as in all other cases, has been purposely distorted so as to leave room for a denial by the noble author that any portrait was intended; but everybody recognizes the original. Gushy, the rival of whom St. Barbe is always talking despairingly, is taken to be Dickens. Lord Beaconsfield has undertaken to throw people off the scent by amalgamating their characters—thus Vigo is made to be a combination of Poole, the tailor, and of Geo. Hudson, the Sunderland railway king, once omnipotent in English society, but who died in comparative obscurity some years ago. This artifice however, will not save him from severe attacks by the wrathful friends of Thackeray and Dickens.

A MILITARY commission is considering the propriety of supplying the German army with a repeating rifle instead of its present breechloader.

A lecturer once prefaced his discourse upon the rhinoceros with, "I must beg you to give me your undivided attention. Indeed, it is absolutely impossible that you can form a true idea of the hideous animal of which we are about to speak unless you keep your eyes fixed on me."

Beau Brummell.

Many interesting stories about Brummell, the famous beau, are told in an article in All the Year Round: "We are told that this eminent arbiter required two different artists to make his gloves, one being appointed to provide thumbs, the other the fingers and hand, on the ground that a 'cut' was necessary for each. The valet carrying down the load of crushed neckerchiefs, which the beau had not succeeded in squeezing with his chin down into the proper folds, and which were carelessly described as 'our failures,' is an old, well-worn legend, but trustworthy.

"When he was consulted as to what income was necessary to dress suitably on, he replied, 'that he believed that with strict economy it might be done on eight hundred pounds a year.' It is said that he always went home after the opera, to change his cravat for the succeeding parties. Like Count d'Orsay, the later dandy, he carried about with him an enormous chest, containing every appliance for the toilet, the dishes bottles, and etc., being of silver. The use of these costly articles he justified on the ground 'it was impossible to spit in earthenware.' Another of his pleasant, insolent speeches was to a friend inviting his criticism or admiration of his new coat; 'My dear ——, do you call that thing a coat?'

"At Watier's club, instituted about 1807, where gaming prevailed to an extravagant degree, he reigned. He was particularly noted for his snuff-boxes—a mania of the time—costly jeweled and enameled and beminiated boxes being displayed and given as presents. At this place he (Mr. Rikes says) was the supreme dictator, the perpetual president, laying down the law in dress, in manners, and in those magnificent snuff-boxes for which there was a rage; he fomented the excesses, rediculed the scrupler, patronized the novices, and exercised paramount dominion over all. He had great success at Macao, winning in two or three years a large sum, which went no one knew how. I remember him coming in one night after the opera to Watier's, and finding the Macao table full, one place at which was occupied by Tom Sheridan, who was not in the habit of playing, but having dined freely, had dropped into the club, and was trying to catch the smiles of fortune by risking a few pounds he could ill afford to lose. Brummell proposed to him to give up his place and go shares in his deal; and, adding to the ten pounds in counters which Tom had before him two hundred pounds for himself, took the cards. He dealt with his usual success, and in less than ten minutes won one thousand five hundred pounds. He then stopped, made a fair division, and giving seven hundred and fifty pounds to Sheridan, said to him: "There, Tom, go home and get your wife and brats a supper, and never play again.

"There are many versions of his falling out with his royal friend King George IV. His success as a spendthrift in England ended in his flight to Calais, France, where he was destined to be hunted by French baliffs, instead of English ones; to be immured in a squilid, noisome French gaol with felons; and to die in a madhouse, a painful, odious, and unregretted object. On reaching Calais he quartered himself on a Mr. Leieux, whose rooms he made quite elegant with his charming and costly china, snuff-boxes, bijouterie, mostly purchased out of borrowings from faithful friends who passed through, and who never failed to see him and give him a dinner. His debts in the town had soon mounted to nearly a thousand pounds. When his old patron became king, he fancied, not unnaturally, that the past might be forgotten. But the king visited Calais without seeing him, although Brummell sent to his majesty a gift of cordial and snuff. In time he was appointed consul at Caen, with a saltry of £400 a year. It seemed lide madness that this professional mendicant should throw up his only chance of support. But he wrote to Lord Palmerston to say that the place was a sinecure, and that it ought to be abolished. Lord Palmerston reluctantly accepted the suggestion. There was a cry, he said, for retrenchment, and what could he do? Abolished accordingly it was, and the infatuated man was left penniless. What was the motive of this mysterious act? It can only be set down to the mean, revengeful temper of this most selfish of beings. He was deeply in debt at Caen, and had been drawing on his old creditor at Calais, anticipating his income, even after its mortgage, until no more could be obtained. He was already using as lever to extract money from this person that 'it was his interest' to advance money, as, if he were forced to forfeit his position owing to not being able to pay butcher, baker, etc., all would be lost. It does not seem uncharitable to suppose that he saw no reason for performing the duties of an office the whole emoluments of which were to go to a greedy creditor, whom in a moment of pique he determined thus to panish. His own story is that he sent in his resignation with a view of obtaining something better at Havre, or elsewhere. After taking this infatuated step, the royal arms being removed from over his door, it was all over with this unfortunate. The Calais creditor was not slow to punish such treatment. One morning in 1835 he was arrested at his suit, and drrgged off to the dreadful goal."

The Irish Secretary.

The face of Foster, the Irish secretary, is not, says *Pan*, an exact index of his mind. He looks unbending, even morose. It is as if he put on the grimace of what he would wish to appear. There is an air of faded ruggedness about his large and irregular features. His bridgeless nose is thick and round in the region of the nostrils, his cheeks are wide and full, his anxious eyes are deep-set beneath a massive forward brow seamed with thought and half covered with pale patches of hair, combed down carelessly from right to left. He wears a ragged red and gray beard and a mustache—which gives the chief point of character to his face—cut close to the top of the upper lip, straight across from corner to corner of a wide mouth. Tall and somewhat fleshy, with large feet and hands, and long legs that are loose from knee to ankle, he walks with quick, uncertain strides, and sits with his body forward, toward the edge of the seat, his chin on his breast, his eyes cast down, and his hands clasped across the region below the bottom of his waistcoat.

For a man 62 years of age, Mr. Foster displays extraordinary physical vigor. In the execution of his office he seems indifferent to fatigue and impervious to its effects—unless, indeed, an occasional nap on the treasury bench can be counted against him. His manner of answering questions is short, to the point, and in extreme cases, someweat imperious. His ordinary voice, however, falls pleasantly upon the ear; it is that of a scholar and a gentleman; and when roused to an effort of oratory, few men in the house are more impressive than the rough but accomplished Yorkshireman and worsted manufacturer. Five years ago he was at the zenith of his fame, and might have been prime minister of England but for his inveterate habit of shilly-shallying. He could not make up his mind that the party would follow him.

A NEW CURE FOR MALARIA.—There is at least poetic justice in a story that comes from British India, tending to show the power of locomotives (when properly approached) to drive away the malaria which railways, or rather railway construction operations, have so long been charged with causing. A poor villager of Kattywar had been afflicted for a long time with remittent fever, and no amount of idol worship and penance availed to arrest the malady. At length a friendly neighbour advised him to approach the "Bhoot" in the newest shape in which the former had seen him recently taking his daily run in that part of the province, chafing and fuming. The fever-stricken villager consequently traveled a distance from home, and at sight of a railway locomotive, fell on his knees, tendered an offering of corn and sweets, and extolled its might. The devil was appeased; the worshipper found himself rid of the malaria.

SOME REASONS FOR DRINKING.—An illustration of fertility of resource is recounted, we think by Dean Ramsay, in the story of the dying rustic who "speered" at the parish minister if there would be any whisky in heaven. On being rebuked for this mundane anxiety and irreverent curiosity, Sandy replied in self-excuse: "That it wasna because he wad tak ony if it were offered him, but jist in respeck that it wad look weel on the table." We have not forgotten that Highland teetotaler who was found drinking the mountain-dew at his breakfast in some wayside inn where he thought he would not be known. "Och, Donald, and we thocht ye were an abstainer!" exclaimed a Deacon who happened to look in quite unexpectedly. "And so I am," replied the detected culprit, who seemed to suggest that his beverage was only toast-and-water—"so I am; but ye ken, my frien', I am no a bigoted ane."

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NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

Sir John Macdonald stated in Parliament last week, that the debate on the Pacific Railway Contract would be carried on from day to day, to the exclusion of other business, until it was either ratified or rejected.

Anti and pro-syndicate meetings have been held in all parts of the Dominion for the past two weeks.—The Reform journals declare the country dead set against the contract, while the Conservative papers assert that the people are in favor of it by an overwhelming majority. Who is right. As far as we can learn we think there is little doubt but the majority look at it favorably, and are rather delighted with the prospect of having the road built without section B bug-a-boos and St. Francis Lock mismanagement.

EUGENIA.

From a Correspondent.

MR. EDITOR,—Did you ever attend a free musical entertainment by moonlight, given by the "Boys" of your Village? If you have not, you have missed a rare treat. It got whispered around that the Eugenia lads were going to entertain a youthful comrade who had taken to himself, by the usual form of law, a wife and family. Imagine your correspondent ensconced at the upper window of a deserted mansion, (did I say window? Oh, yes! so it was, but minus the glass.) awaiting the opening of the orchestra. To the lover of moonlight, the night was all that could be desired. Presently in the distance we hear some one give the order, "Fall in. Fall into line." Here they come—a motley looking crowd. The performance commences with a salute from about a dozen muskets, then followed the music—the choisest you ever heard. The instruments were the most select the country could produce, comprising an old circular saw, steel mould boards, horns and bells. Not the kind used by the Swiss Bell Ringers; oh, no! but those that do duty in the bush during the summer months. The way in which the performers handled them was a caution; the Swiss Ringers couldn't hold a candle to them. While some performed, others engaged in a dance; but such dancing, Sitting Bull and his whole tribe at a war dance would have been completely eclipsed. A short recess brought the lady to an upper window, from which she delivered an inspiring address, expressing her great pleasure with the entertainment, which soon changed to a wrathful demonstration in the shape of firing a revolver at the performers, explaining that she had got permission to do so from ——— at a neighboring village. If laughing would make one grow fat, it is time I was measured for a new suit. But during a lull, who should make their appearance in their midst, but the laddy accompanied by the venerable majesty of the law, who read the Riot Act in a manner which the "boys" did not like to resist; but it spoiled their fun. Boys will be boys. I often wonder if ever some people ever were boys. Don't press on the lads too hard, they might get their salt water up.

EUPHRASIA.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment, on the 24th ult. Members all present. Minutes of last session of Council read and approved.—By-law No. 294 carried through the different stages and passed. The time for returning the Collectors' Rolls of the current year was extended one month. By-law No. 295, fixing indemnity of Council carried through the different stages and passed. By-Law No. 296, forming a new Union School Section with part of Collingwood Township, to be known as Union School Section No. 20, carried through the different stages and passed. The report of the Committee appointed to inspect the Collector's Roll for 1879, was received and adopted. The Clerk was instructed to hand over to John Clugston, Collector, all his bonds, as soon as the Treasurer furnishes him with receipts showing that the Rolls are all settled up. $3.10, for statute labor, struck off John Hunter's taxes, the labor being performed. The award of the arbitrators on Nelson's Hill job, town line, referred to County Council. $9 for statute labor in 1877, 1878 and 1879 struck off James Lyon's taxes, the labor being performed. The Reeve was appointed to attend to business connected with taxes paid in error by Mr. Way. The Clerk was ordered to request the County Treasurer to strike $10 off defaulters' list for 1878, on N. ½ of lot 3, con 2, this being returned in error. Taxes charged W. ½ of lot 13, con. 7, to be struck off, the land being vested in the crown. The Council moved for petitioning the Postmaster General to permit our Treasurer to deposit funds in the P.O. Savings Bank. The Treasurer was ordered to remit to Messrs Polland & Evans, solicitors, $6.14 for law expenses. The reeve's orders on the Treasurer were issued as follows, viz.,—To pay Thos. Foster $41.60 for road work, Andrew Grier $16.60 for equalizing assessment in U. S. Section in 1879, John Clugston $2.40 taxes over paid by him on part of lot 8, con 12, John Feeny $70 for cutting rock on 3rd line. George Ward $23.80 for work on 6 & 7 S. R. cons. 9 and 11, Jacob Neely $10 as caretaker of Town Hall, &c., Hugh Knott $2 for building culvert, John Neil $2.50 for road work, James Anderson $19.10 payment for himself and colleagues as fenceviewers, the amount to be registered against the lands of defaulters in payment of these fees, Alexander McEwen $2.25 for road work. John Anderson $125 part payment of Contract on Quinton's Hill. Robert Dunlop, Clerk, balance of salary and writing minutes for the papers, and $40 for Levying School Rates for 20 Sections, and $20 postage, I. D. Crabtree $40 for extra services as Treasurer of School moneys. On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Clerk.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

The Skating Rink has been completed, and is now in first-class order for skating. The grand opening will take place on Thursday, 13th inst., when the Shelburne Brass Band will provide select music for the occasion.

It is currently reported that another Hardware Store is to be started in this Village, between Nixon's general store and the railway.

Mr. J. Taylor has opened out a stock of general merchandise, in Hick's Brick Block.

The Presbytery of Saugeen will meet in Erskine Presbyterian Church, Dundalk, on Tuesday, the 18th inst., at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of Inducting the Rev. J. S. Eakin into the pastoral charge of Dundalk and Fraser Settlement. The event is to be celebrated in the evening by a grand reception and Tea Meeting to welcome the new Pastor. A first-class time may be expected from the names of the speakers given on the bill.

A Missionary Meeting was held in the Methodist Church on Tuesday last.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—In your last week's issue I see a long rambling harrangue from some one styling himself "A Farmer," but which occupation I question very much, as I do not think that any farmer in Artemesia (with one exception) could be found with such an amount of Toronto, Grey and Bruce fever on his brain as the said writer seems to have got. I do not wish to go into any correspondence with any unknown writer who is ashamed to give his name, but wish to contradict some of his false statements. He says in his letter that I said at the nomination that I was in favor of the Township of Artemesia giving a bonus of thirty thousand dollars to a railway running from Kincardine to Collingwood. I deny making any such statement, either at the nomination or anywhere else. What I did say, when asked by a farmer if I was in favor of granting a bonus to this new scheme, was, that I was in favor of giving a small bonus to a new enterprise of this kind; but I mentioned no particular sum. I may just state, however, that had I been asked to name any particular sum, it would have been less than one-half the amount I am charged with saying that I was in favor of.—He then goes on to say that "it is likely that Mr. Webster is one of the Directors appointed to aid this new railway scheme." Now, Mr. Editor, I am sorry to have to state that this is not the case. My friend Farmer tries to make it appear that the new railroad scheme is much further advanced than I represented it to be. I said that it was my opinion that it would not be many years until this scheme was before the ratepayers, it might be three, five, or it might be ten years; but that it was a mere matter of time, and that in my opinion it would be built. In regard to me signing the petition for the T., G. & B. Railway by-law, I hold that if any respectable Company is willing to place money in the Township Treasurer's hands to defray all expenses connected with the submitting of a by-law, I am still willing as a ratepayer to sign a petition to bring their scheme before the people, and give them an opportunity to vote yea or nay; and I now hold that it would be very narrow minded of me or any other ratepayer that would not do so and then vote as you see proper. I hope that if A. Farmer airs himself again in your columns, he will be honorable enough to give his right name, not have me and others blaming innocent farmers for his false productions. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for allowing me to trespass so much on your valuable space,

I remain,

Respectfully yours,

ALEX. WEBSTER.

Priceville, Jan. 11, 1881.

INFORMATION WANTED.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

DEAR SIR,—I rise for information. Can you tell me the reason why several young men and boys were last Sunday congregated at a certain house on Toronto street? and further, why they should persist in making such an uproar as to disturb the neighbors for a block or two on either side? Why were they not at Sunday School or at home, or would they like to visit our good friend on the corner? Surely such things are a disgrace to any neighborhood. What is the special attraction for young men at that place any way? Is it bad whiskey? or what?

INQUIRER.

GENERAL ITEMS.

MAGISTRATES' COURT.—John and Charles Lawrence, of Bentinck, were summoned before the Mayor and Squire Cochrane, on Friday last, on a charge of assaulting Mr. Henry Young, town constable. John was fined $5 and costs and Charles $8 and costs.—Durham *Chronicle*.

A TUMOR, weighing 6 pounds, was successfully removed from the breast of a Miss McRonald, of Bentinck, on Thursday last, by Dr. Jemeison, of this town, assisted by Drs. Yeomans and Cotton, of Mount Forest, and Bennett, of Priceville. The patient, who is staying at Mr. Jack's in this town, is progressing favorably.—*Ib.*

BROKEN ARM.—On Thursday last, while skating on the Mount Forest skating rink, a lad about twelve, son of Mr. Arch. McKenzie, post-master, Durham, had his left arm broken near the wrist by coming forcibly in contact with a young man who was skating in an opposite direction, contrary to the rules of the rink. The young man who caused the accident was not recognized as he immediately disappered.—*Ib.*

THE bonus by-laws in East and West Luther in aid of the T. G. & B. Railway improvement scheme were both defeated; that in the former township by a majority of almost four to one.—Orangeville *Advertiser*.

AN AWFUL AFFAIR.—As a party of ladies and gentlemen were seeing some friends off on the C. V. R. on Monday, and while they were bidding them adieu, and doing the customary ... away. Two young gentlemen played the part of the bars by ... and leaving the fair ones to take care of themselves, but the obliging conductor "put them off" at Alton, where they remained until the first up train brought them safely home. Young men that jump off, do the square thing and settle the fare with the conductor.—*Ib.*

LIQUOR CASE.—Erastus Wagner of St. Vincent, was charged last week before C. R. Sing and Jas. Cleland Esq. with selling liquor without license and fined $20 and costs.—Thornbury *Standard*.

CORONER'S INQUEST.—John A. Stewart, Law student, died last week, very suddenly. Coroner Albery held an inquest, Hugh Chisholm Esq. was the foreman of the jury. A verdict was returned that the Deceased came to his death from natural causes, and the jury exonerated as well the Dr who had the case in charge as the Chemist who prepared the Prescriptions, from all blame.—*Ib.*

ON Wednesday afternoon a number of liquor cases were tried before F. G. Dunbar, Esq., J. P., of this village, with the following results: Michael Callaghan, charged with selling liquor without a license, was fined $20 and costs, to be paid in thirty days. There was a similar charge preferred against Michael Shoaff, but as the constable failed to notify him, the case was not proceeded with. The charge against F. A. Campbell, of selling quantities less than three half pints was dismissed, as was also that against Wm. Mulien, of selling liquor without a license. The cases of L. Knapp and I. F. Belfrey were adjourned till Saturday, 15th inst.—*Free Press.*

AN ORDERLY TOWN.—The chief constable has not had a case arising within the town for twelve weeks past. This reflects credit on the vigilance of the constable as it is doubtful if another town in Canada can show a similar record. He deserves an increase in salary. Can any other town show a cleaner sheet.—*Bruce Telescope.*

FIRE IN PAISLEY.—On Wednesday forenoon last a fire broke out in the upstairs flat of Mr. Alex Colborne's flour and feed store, Queen Street, Paisley. This building is situated in the heart of a block of frame buildings, and it was at first feared that a clean sweep would be made of the whole. Our citizens turned out *en masse* however, and by their exertions succeeded in confining the flames pretty much to the one building where the fire originated. Mr. Campbell's liquor store on one side, and the store of Given Brothers on the other side of Mr. Colborne's building both caught in the upper story, and it is a wonder that they were saved from utter destruction. When it was feared that it would be impossible to keep the fire under control, the harness shop of Mr. Colborne, the second building south of Given Brothers' was torn down, the object being to stop the flames and save the barber shop on the corner. By the free use of water however, the demon was got under control without doing very much damage to any but Mr. Colborne's store.—*Advocate.*

MARRIED

On the 11th inst., by Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Charles Wesley Bowler, to Miss Mary Ann Hopps, both of Artemesia.

On the 11th inst., at the Parsonage, Williamsford, by Rev. W. T. Hicks, Mr. John McCann, to Miss Adeline Abbott, daughter of the late William Abbott, all of Holland.

At the P. M. Parsonage, Markdale, by the Rev. C. C. Garnett, on the 13th inst., Mr. Wm. Myers, to Miss Mary H. Rodman, all of Euphrasia.

DIED.

In Glenelg, Jan. 5th, 1881, Mary McDonald, beloved wife of John Black, aged 84 years. A native of South Uist, Invernesshire, Scotland.

Farm to Rent.

THE Subscriber wants to rent his Farm for four years, lot 16, con 9, Glenelg; 75 acres cleared; 15 acres ploughed The soil is a good Clay Loam. There is on the premises a good Log Barn and a good comfortable house, and all other buildings necessary. Plenty of Water. Terms easy, as the Proprietor must leave. Possession given 1st April. Apply on the premises to John Black on the premises, or to Arch. Butter, Markdale.

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P. O., Ont,

January 13, 1881, 18-3i

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY, Bentinck, Durham P. O

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

3,000 Cords Wood WANTED.

THE undersigned is prepared to let the contract for cutting and hauling 3,000 cords of wood from his farm 2½ miles north of Markdale, to be delivered at the station. be let in small lots to suit contractor. For particulars see

C. E. GOULD, Markdale House.

Markdale, Dec. 30, 1880. 16-3in*

Ayer's Hair Vigor,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

IT is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

The VIGOR cleanses the scalp, cures and prevents the formation of dandruff; and, by its cooling, stimulating, and soothing properties, it heals most if not all of the humors and diseases peculiar to the scalp, keeping it cool, clean, and soft, under which conditions diseases of the scalp and hair are impossible.

As a Dressing for Ladies' Hair

The VIGOR is incomparable. It is colorless, contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil white cambric. It imparts an agreeable and lasting perfume, and as an article for the toilet it is economical and unsurpassed in its excellence.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

LOVELL'S

Province of Ontario Directory For 1881-82,

TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81, Price $5.00.

MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an

Alphabetical Directory

AND A THOROUGH

CLASSIFIED

Business Directory

of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a

CLASSIFIED

BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers. Montreal, December, 1880.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a Note drawn in favor of Samuel Thompson, of Artemesia, and signed by Aaron and William Ernest, dated on or about the 1st day of July, 1880, and due on the 15th day of February, 1881, as we have received no value for the same.

AARON ERNEST, WILLIAM ERNEST.

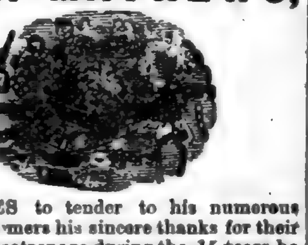
Flesherton Station, Jan. 9, 1881. 18-3i*

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16th, 1880. 14m1

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

PHOTOGRAPHS! 12 FOR $1.50

I WOULD again intimate to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that I am prepared to give you the

BEST SATISFACTION IN PHOTOGRAPHS, AMBROTYPES, COPYING AND ENLARGING!

Please give me a call, and see for yourselves.

GALLERY, two doors from Revere Hotel.

R. BAILEY.

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BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation, and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular Size, $1.00.

Mrs. Freeman's Worm Powder is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in children or adults. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brightness and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

MARKDALE HOUSE, MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 1y

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

FRESH GROCERIES, FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY and

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unequaled; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Guiness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne. Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 18 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE BRITISH CANADIAN LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, AND British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES —ATTENDED.—

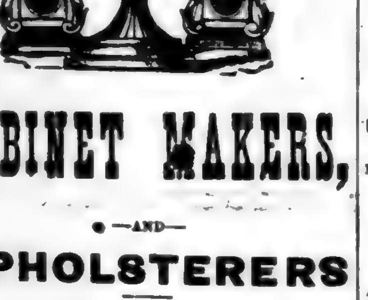
Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 18-5m

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE,



CABINET MAKERS, —AND— UPHOLSTERERS

A FULL STOCK OF **Furniture!** ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

LAST NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned, either by book or account, will do well to settle with J. P. Sproule, before the 20th inst., as all unsettled accounts at that time will be placed in other hands for collection.

DR. SPROULE.

Jan. 5th, 1881. 17-3i

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, lot 25, con. 7, Township of Artemesia, about the 3rd of December, 1880, A Bay Colt. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take him away. If not claimed within ten days after the date of this will be sold to defray expences.

JOSEPH FENWICK.

Jan. 7th, 1881. 17-3*

TENDERS

WILL be received by the undersigned, up to Feb. 1st, 1881, for building a brick house, in Flesherton; contractor to supply all material. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office.

ROBT. DAVIS, Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Flesherton.

Jan. 5th, 1881.

Fine Cheap Stationery, Envelopes, ... for Christmas and New Year Cards ... at the Standard Office.

CARD.

TO MY PATRONS.

GENTLEMEN—While thanking you for the liberal patronage extended me in my Harness Business, and wishing you the complements of the season, I beg to intimate to you that I have disposed of that branch of my business to J. GORDON, and bespeak for him the liberal patronage accorded me in the past.

Yours truly,

S. DAMUDE.

Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1880. 16-5ih

FLESHERTON Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damude, begs to inform the public that he has

REMOVED TO THE BUILDING OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,

where he is prepared to furnish

ALL KINDS of HARNESS

usually found in a *First-Class Establishment*,

And at prices to suit the times, and by using THE BEST OF MATERIAL, AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP, hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c., constantly on hand.

COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, Dec., 1880. 16

Auction Sale OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY.

UNDER and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage, which will be produced at time of sale, there will be offered for sale by Public Auction, by J. M. WEBSTER, Auctioneer, at the

VILLAGE OF MAXWELL,

in the County of Grey, on

Friday, January 14,

A. D. 1881, at the hour of 11, o'clock in the forenoon, the following Freehold Property, in one parcel, viz.:—

Lot No 7 in the 12th Concession of the Township of Osprey in the County of Grey.

The said Lot consits of 100 acres, more or less, of which about 60 acres are cleared and in a fair state of cultivation. Upon the premises, which are situated near the Villages of Feversham, Maxwell, and a few miles from Flesherton Village and Railway Station ...

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid at the time of sale, twenty-five per cent additional in one month thereafter, and the remainder to be secured by a first mortgage. For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto.

WILLIAM MULOCK, Solicitor, 6 Toronto st., Toronto

Jan. 4th, 1881. 17-3i

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

... begs to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the control of the FLESHERTON STEAM FURNITURE AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY and removed to the Furniture Warerooms

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE FACTORY

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to ... are now superior to any ... dealing to merit a continuance of ... bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of Furniture in all the Latest Styles and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and ... LUMBER! for which THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine ...

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC. AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application.

Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham st.

H. HOOPER.

Flesherton, December 28, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEAP

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEAP

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing CHEAP

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the "TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, December 29, 1880.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our Country, and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers

and a large variety of CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,

NEW PRUNES,

NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS

At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties, 5,000 Telegraph Poles, Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

... Friday, Jan. 14th, 1881

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Did you see that wedding that ... ed through town on Tuesday last.

Ladies Gold and Silver Watches very low, at Doll's, Flesherton.

The thermometer has been keeping above zero, lately and we are in hopes it will remain there.

The Durham *Chronicle* has fallen into the same error as the O. S. *Tiser* in crediting articles taken from our columns to the *Reporter*. There is no such paper in Markdale postoffice.

We notice the children of both sexes have a great habit of running and climbing into farmers' sleighs while they are on the move. It is very dangerous practice, and parents should prohibit their children doing it. It often results in serious accidents and not unfrequently has a fatal termination.

Yellow Oil is the great pain panacea, magical in its power over pain and inflammation. It cures Rheumatism and Neuralgia, Lame Back and Spinal Affections, Contraction of Cords and Muscles. Used externally and internally. For sale by all dealers.

Fire.—Union School House, No. 2., Holland and Euphrasia, was destroyed by fire on the evening of the 12th, between 8 and 9 o'clock, with all its contents. The origin of the fire is a mystery.

No medicine is more justly popular than Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. It is a positive specific for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs leading to Consumption. It loosens the tough phlegm or mucous, soothes irritation, allays troublesome coughing and heals diseased lungs. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents per boottle.

Some time in November we received from the Montreal *Witness* four local notices to be inserted in the Standard during the month of December, for which we were to receive the *Daily Witness* in exchange. We have filled our part of the contract; but up to the present we see no signs that the *Witness* is going to fill theirs. We notice that many of our *cotems* have published the same items. We wonder if they have been any more successful.

Free the system of impurities, excite the secretions to a healthy action, cleanse the blood, and tone up the weakened nerves, with that matchless medicine Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures Scrofula, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Jaundice, Consumption, Dyspepsia, Headache, Nervous and General Debility, and all Female Complaits. Every dealer in medicine can supply you with Burdock Blood Bitters. Sample bottles 10 cents, regular size $1.00.

The annual meeting of Artemesia District L. O. L., was held in Flesherton, on Tuesday, the 11th inst. After receiving and disposing of the reports from the various lodges, comprising this district, and transacting the usual business in connection with such meetings the election of officers was proceeded with as follows:—W. D. M., Jas. Brodie; W. D. D. M., Wm. Wright; D. Chaplain, E. J. Merriam; D. Sec., T. M. Bannon; D. Treas., J. Elliott; D. D. of C., James Lackie. There are seven lodges in this District in good working order. The next meeting will be held at Flesherton Station, on the 14th of June.

The Markdale House.—This Hotel under the Managément of Mr. A. Rutledge, is now doing a rushing business, and deservedly so. It is a large three story brick building, centrally located, large and well ventilated bedrooms, and is furnished throughout in the latest style. The bar is well supplied with choice liquors and cigars, and the table is A 1, and we know it, as we have been there, and we ain't a bad judge. You will find the host and hostes corteous and affable, and if you don't feel at home there it will be your own fault. It has the reputation of being the most orderly hotel in the county.

House Breaking.—Some time on Friday morning last, between 3 o'clock and daylight, the dwelling of Mr. John Best Esq., Euphrasia, was entered and $130 in cash taken. It appears that on Wednesday Mr. Best was at Meaford and drew the above amount from the Bank, he did not remain at home that night, but stayed with a sick neighbor, on Thursday night he or some of the family were up on account of sickness till 3 o'clock Friday morning, at which time all was right, but when the boy got up about daylight to build the fires he found all the outside doors open, an alarm being made it was found the money was gone. Evidently Mr. B. had been shadowed from Meaford.

Orange Valley Grange No. 826 met January 4th 1881, by special call of master, for election of officers for this year; weather preventing the last meeting in December taking place. After report of finance committee was read and approved, the Grange proceeded to the election of its officers. The following officers were elected:—Brothers, John Ford, Master; W. McLonghry, Overseer; Robert Blair, Lecturer; Thos. Irwin, Steward; M. Speer, Assist. Steward; Wm. Henry, Chap.; James McNicoll, Treas.; H. D. Irwin, Sec.; S. Cunningham, Gate Keeper. Sisters, Irwin, Ceres; Holly, Pomona; Lever, Flora; Speer, L. Assist. Steward. After installation of officers by Past Master, Bro. S. Cunningham, the Master elect delivered a few well-timed remarks on the necessity of punctuallity. Altogether it was one of the most pleasant of our annual meetings.

Life of Ed. Hanlan.—A handsome illustrated book, entitled "The Life of Edward Hanlan," has just been issued by Richard K. Fox, publisher, New York. The work is embellished with portraits of the great Canadian oarsman and some of his most noted competitors, as well as illustrations of some of the famous rowing matches in which he has taken part. The story of his life is told in an interesting manner, the most salient features being his aquatic achievements, both as an amateur and professional. Every one of the matches in which he has taken part are described in detail. In addition to his life are short biographical sketches of oarsmen who have contended with him for boating honors. No admirer of native pluck and physical manhood should fail to secure the history of a man who has done so much to make Canadians proud of their country as the home of physical wonders. The work will be mailed on receipt of 25c. by the publisher, Richard K. Fox, 183 William street, New York.

... BANKERS,
MARKDALE.
Money Loaned.

... ALLOWED AT 6 PER CENT.
... on Savings Deposits.

... Drafts issued and Collections made on all points at lowest rates.

WM. BROWN & CO.

September ..., 1880. 1-y

VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD,
Veterinary Surgeon,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

Legacies!
Pensions!
Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

STRAYED

Into the premises of the subscriber, lot 178, con. 2, west, Township of Artemesia, one Dark Bay Horse. The owner is requested to prove property pay charges and take him away.

SAMUEL WAUCHOB.
Dec. 15, 1880. 16-3

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVED

AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS

—IN—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK

FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 10-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. ..., 1880. 11-3

Meat for All
W. B. Sarjeant's
...
MARKDALE.
...
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of order.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again, thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support

W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice. As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by my self personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, an 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, FINLAY MacRAE.
Clerk. Reeve
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

Stoves! Stoves! Stoves

At the New Tinshop
MARKDALE.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT to select from of the latest and most approved designs, including

PARLOR, COOKING AND BOX
STOVES, extra heavy castings, with silver-plated trimmings,

THE BEST STOVE IN MARKET.

If you want to have comfort the rest of your days, buy a stove from W. R. Walker, that will last you your lifetime,

AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.
No puffing here—the real "Limon Pure."

TINWARE!
A LARGE STOCK ALWAYS ON HAND.
ALL KINDS OF
Tin & Copperwork!
made to order on the shortest notice.

EAVETROUGHING A PECIALITY.
Stove Ovens Lined, Hand-Irons Silver-Plated, at very low prices; Stove Polish; Dome Lead, the Challenge, the Rising Sun, Coal Oil; JOB WORK particularly attended to.

You can save money by giving me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Old metal, Hides, Sheep Pelts, Wool-pickings taken in exchange. ☞ Remember the place, next the "Markdale House."

W. R. WALKER.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-tf

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.

FLESHERTON.

To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 1-tf

Subscribe for the Standard.
We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

CHEAP CASH STORE
Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.
REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the County at

McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your AXES at McFarland's. Those $2.50 MANTLES selling fast. New DRESS GOODS at McFarland's. New FLANNELS at McFarland's. New SHAWLS at McFarland's. New BONNETS and HATS at McFarland's. New TWEEDS at McFarland's. New CARPETS at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers.

Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.

W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER. Markdale.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received sinc commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward busines with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.
ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.
HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.
BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.
GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns
GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September ..., 1880.

XMAS
SILVERWARE, WATCHES, JEWELRY, CLOCKS,
AND FANCY GOODS.

The largest and best assorted stock, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, ever shown in this section of Country.

... Silverware I have ... Fruit Dishes, Preserve Dishes, Pickle ..., ... Baskets, Butter Coolers, Card Receivers, Ladies' Companions, Cruets, Cups, Napkin Rings, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Chains, Lockets, Earrings, &c., &c.

In Watches, I have ... Hunting, and Open-face ... winders, including the ... Watches (they are the ...) English and American ... Thomas and other ... In Jewelry,—I have ... Gold sets, Chains, ... Cuff buttons, ...

DIAMOND, WEDDING, AND GEM RINGS.

My Goods have all been purchased for Nett Cash, and will be sold at Bottom Prices.

Watch Repairing a Specialty. W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.
Nov. 25, 1880. (6) Flesherton and Dundalk

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the witer.

N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING
PROMPTLY DONE.

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.
Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-11

R. J. SPROULE,
FLESHETRON.

Whilst wishing all

A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,

And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thank for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business*, as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have

ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.

In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season

THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Crockery and Classware,

AND

Fancy Holiday Presents!

ALSO

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of

Millinery, Furs,

AND

LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,

Ever shown in this Norther Country.

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE

LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!
For any Quantity of good Grain or
FARM PRODUCE.

And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of my large and complete stock of

Fall and Winter Dry Goods,

MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and MILLINERY,

And will continue to sell at a

Very Small Advance on Cost!

Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.

Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

Ballad of the Wicked Nephew.

It was a wicked nephew bold
Who uprose in the night,
And ground upon a huge grindstone
His penknife, sharp and bright.

And while the sparks were flying wild
The cellar floor upon,
Quoth he unto himself, "I will
Dispatch my Uncle John.

"His property is large, and, if
He dies and leaves a will,
His loving nephew (that's myself)
Won't get a dollar bill.

"I'll hie unto my uncle's bed,
His chamber well I know,
And there I'll find his pocketbook
Safe under his pillow.

"With this bright steel I'll slay him first
Because that is the way
They do such things, I understand,
In Boucicault's new play."

By this the anxious moon retired
(For all the stars were in);
"'Tis very dark, the nephew cried,
"But I can find my kin.

"Come forth, my trusty weapon, now!"
(Or words to that effect)
He shouted to his little blade,
Whose power he did suspect.

Then out he starts. His uncle's door
Is thirteen doors from his;
He gains the latch, which upward flies,
And straight inside he is!

One pause upon the entry stair,
And one upon the mat—
How still the house at such an hour!
How mewless lies the cat!

"O nephew! nephew! be not rash;
Turn back, and then 'turn in;'
Your uncle still is sound asleep,
And you devoid of sin;

"The gallows tree was never built
For handsome lads like you—
Get thee to bed! (as kind Macbeth
Wished *his* young man to do)."

He will not be advised—he stands
Beside the sleeping form—
The hail begins to beat outside
A tattoo for the storm.

"'Tis not too late—repent, repent,
And all may yet be well."
"Repent yourself," the nephew sneers,
And as it goes pellmell.

To right and left he carves his way,—
At least, thus did it seem;
And, after he had done the deed,
Woke up from his bad dream.

And swift to Uncle John he ran,
When daylight climbed the hill,
And told him all—and Uncle John
Put nephew in his will.

James T. Field.

AT THE TWELFTH HOUR.

BY R. E. FRANCILLON.

CHAPTER II—CONTINUED.

"I knew Derwent well; but I have seen nothing of him for some years—some time, I should say. I hope he is well?"

"He is dead, Mr. Hildreth. He died last November, in town. And his little girl"—

"Dick Derwent dead! Well. . . But a little girl? Well, he was just the man to get married before he died."

"She has no mother. She died, you know, when the child was born. Well, Mr. Hildreth, to make a long story short, Mr. Derwent had two ideas—perhaps more, but certainly two. One was an unbounded trust and confidence in your prudence and honour, as his will testifies. The other was an overwhelming dread lest his little girl should grow up a prey to fortune-hunters, or be contaminated by the companionship of other girls. He believed that every girl ought to grow up alone, with no knowledge of, or communication with, the world. He had had experiences of the other sort of thing, you see, when he was a young man. So, Mr. Hildreth, knowing your prudence, your honour, your friendship for him, and your hermit-like mode of living, he leaves you a legacy of ten thousand pounds on condition that you will, as joint guardian with myself, undertake the sole and entire charge and education of the child (she living here with you) until she attains the age of twenty-four, at which age Mr. Derwent believed that a girl, properly brought up according to his views, ought to be able to run alone. She is now in the charge of an aunt, Mrs. Joy. You accept the charge of course"——

"What, I? No. No, Mr. Dimond. Without hesitation, and most decidedly, No. Few years bring, and shall bring, no new things to me. What should I, a student, who live alone with my books, do with a girl—a child"——

"The orphan of your friend——"

"Whom I do not need, and who does not need me. No. I closed my door last night, and I close it still. I will have nothing new in my life"——

"Not—ten thousand pounds"——

"No. No, once for all." He bowed Mr. Dimond out, and went back to his work, without giving another thought of the New-Year's evening but vain attempt to creep within his doors in the shape of a child.

It was all very well for the lawyer of fifty to speak of a grown girl of three-and-twenty as if she were no more than a child in arms. Equally reasonable was it for Rupert to argue that, since Dick Derwent was unmarried some six years ago, his orphan daughter could hardly be five years old. But there is nobody so good at keeping a secret, when he likes, as your bluff, frank, hearty, talkative, open-mannered man. Mr. Dimond knew, and thought his client's intimate friends knew also, that the Squire of Combe Bassett had married once upon a time and had been left a father and a widower within a year: nor only so, but that, surrounded as he was by society of which he was unwilling to deprive himself as he was anxious that his daughter should not share it, he had taken extraordinary precautions against the discovery of her existence till she was fully grown. His friends were mostly good fellows with no money to spend, who would swoop down on an heiress after the genial manner of their kind.

One bright, cold morning, when, in midwinter, her own heart was overflowing with spring and joy, the old nurse who served and guarded her was suddenly dismissed; she was carried, by road and rail, many miles away from her old home, and presently her father came and took her to travel with him abroad. She could not speak to him of the dream which he had doubtlessly discovered, and had thus answered. It is to be hoped she was satisfied. She was docile and gentle, and her father was always kind—kind now, even in keeping her to himself; for she had seen all the human beings she needed to see in seeing one whom she saw no more. He need not have feared the adventurers and fortune-hunters whom he now, as if ruled by a craze, spent his whole time in avoiding. He need not even have made that will when he died, so that his hand, though dead, might still guard her from lovelessness in marriage and all lesser harm. Mr. Dimond must have been terribly right when suggesting that the Squire's own experiences of the world must have been before he settled down at Combe Bassett with the soul of a girl in his hands.

She mourned, honestly, when he died. Perhaps not the less because he had made her life so dull and empty. But presently she had to mourn for her living self, even more. She was an heiress—she had learned to hate the very sound of the word. And she was left in charge of another guardian: a hard, stern man, named Hildreth, so she heard; a recluse, who had been chosen by her father for the office because of his being the only man in the world who could be trusted to carry out, consistently and thoroughly, her father's views. Hitherto, her life had been slavery, but love therewith. Henceforth it must be double slavery, and therewith what must needs become hate, at least on her side.

And yet it was with a strange feeling, very far indeed from pleasure or relief, that she heard from Mr. Dimond of Mr. Hildreth's decisive, almost scornful and angry, refusal of the charge that had been left to him. She had somehow expected that he would have received her for money's sake, and then, for duty's, have made her life hardly to be borne. But here was clearly a man who would neither do a kindness nor accept a duty, if they were inconvenient to him, even for ten thousand pounds. If there were to be refusals and rebellions, they ought to have come from her.

"It seems to me you have had a lucky escape, Miss Derwent," said the lawyer, when his holiday was over and he came in person to bring her news. "There is something about that fellow Hildreth that I neither like nor understand; he's not like other people at all. He refused a legacy of ten thousand pounds. That is being far too imprudent to have the charge of a young girl."

"At any rate, *he* is no fortune-hunter," said she. "Perhaps my poor father knew that, and that was why——. And what am I to do now?"

"That's just the point, you see. The terms of the will are perfectly clear. In the event of Mr. Hildreth's refusal to undertake the charge of you—why, then, as you say, he will have proved himself very much of a fool. But, as he will also have proved that he doesn't care about money, I am—I am sorry to say—instructed to make him the offer of your hand."

"Of my hand? Of *Me*?"

"Even so. And it must be done. For, if I do not, I shall lose my own legacy; and it is too much to lose. If he refuses *that*—But he can't be such a fool as to refuse the heiress of Combe Bassett, you may be sure. Your honoured father did know men."

"But there is something else to be said, it seems to me! How if *I* refuse?"

"Then he is to have Combe Bassett *without* you. You are to have enough to live in comfort while you are single; but under no circumstances will you have anything more if you marry anybody but him. It is a cruel will, Miss Derwent; but it is a clever one for its purpose, I must say. Whatever happens, the man who marries you must marry you for love and for fortune, you see; and"——

She heard no more. No wonder, thought she, that her father had done his utmost, alive and dead, to keep her from a world where men, as a matter of course, assumed only the meanest and most sordid motives in one another—judging, no doubt, from their own experience of their own. *She* marry! Why, if her heart and soul had not been married and widowed long ago, she would return with joy to her old prison in the wood rather than give herself to any man as an uncomfortable condition attaching to her lands and her gold. Let him who had refused to be paid for the care of her ask her for herself with her lands a hundred times—she would refuse him a hundred and one. Let him take Combe Bassett and welcome, so long as he left her free.

And then the pittance that was to be hers in case she refused—even that, according to what she had been taught of the world, would be all too much; even that might be enough to attract some man who was poorer still. Was she to be a slave to the world's meanness all her days? Her heart went back to him who had loved her wholly for herself, if there was any truth in all these magical signs of love that cannot lie. What had become of him? Where was he now? Had he forgotten her all in these years? Had he sold himself to some other woman, for gold? Like enough, being a man; and men being what she had been taught they were. But, had they never been parted, he would have loved her well enough, she knew.

Since Love had been lost, better now, even than Love, was Liberty, for that had become her all. Passionately she felt, "He shall have everything but Me; I will not keep for myself one smallest coin that may make my No less full and whole." After all, there was under the skies another world, where men made no wills, hunted no heiresses, laid no plots or counterplots, never talked of love when they meant money, and, above all, were free. It is the world where we live without Love, without Gold, and Alone. It was the world wherein she herself had lived for her first sixteen years, where men were not, and where she had been tended as are the lilies of the field. It was where she had had the dream of her life, and where she might—she fancied in her heart—go back, and live alone with her dream and be Free. Never, since she left her hermitage, had she been happy for an hour. She had been, as it were, a wild flower transplanted into a garden, where it can only feel itself a weed, and dread the scents and hues around that others find beautiful. She had once longed for the world, as the wild flowers may for the gardens while they are unknown and far away; and now——Well, if she could not find her field again, any place would be better than the garden of the world; even the wayside.

She could not think or feel as those can who have grown up in the garden all their days. So little, or so much, had she learned that, when she heard such an everyday thing merely named and spoken as the sale, by a woman, of her hand and heart for the sake of keeping her land, she was as struck with unspeakable horror as if she had turned over the soil of a bed of roses and laid open the entrance of a charnel, black and foul. We, with our sensible bringing up, our well-regulated minds, and still better regulated hearts, may think her view of such everyday trifles a little overstrained. But then we have seen such things with our eyes; she had never so much as heard of one of them till now. Such a world was not to be lived in; there was nothing to be done but spread one's wings, and fly from it with all speed.

CHAPTER III.

It was the 12th of January, and Rupert Hildreth had not yet heard another word worth mentioning concerning his friend's orphan and her affairs. It is true he had received a letter from Mr. Dimond containing some rubbish or other about something that was to happen if he married the child when she became of age; but, as that could not happen for nearly twenty years, and as it could not possibly concern him in any way, he had naturally thrown the letter, half read, into his waste-basket, and, being deep in an all-absorbing investigation, had forgotten to send a word of answer. He worked on, without giving a real thought to such impertinent nonsense; and if another girl's form would sometimes come between him and his labour, or between his paper and his pen, he had become used to that ghost, and would even have missed it if it ever ceased wholly to come.

So far, therefore, he had made himself secure for another course of an old year which had so consistently proved good to him, bringing him no evil, and, on the other hand, increasing satisfaction with himself and indifference to all the rest of mankind. Every day he had risen at the same hour and worked on till his brain was heartily tired. Every night he insured himself a long sleep, too deep for dreams. The man, day by day, was turning into a machine; and so he willed.

On this night of the 12th he was working, as usual, and I was even more than usually absorbed. It was a lonely old house in which he lived, near the town, but yet with no close neighbours. These dark winter nights were as long and as noiseless as the heart of a student could desire, even though, now and then, he might hear the rush and scream of the night mail that passed Rainham without stopping, and, every hour, the chiming of the church tower. It was more to keep out these than the rush of the train that Rupert Hildreth had double windows to all his rooms, and kept them close even in summer time;—one of his principal eccentricities was a morbid antipathy to the sound of church clocks, especially when they struck twelve.

He made his servants go to bed punctually at ten, for he liked, during his night work, to feel absolutely alone. And never, since he had settled at Rainham, had he been disturbed after that hour. At first, therefore, he could hardly believe his own ears when, late in the evening, and long after his servants were out of the way, he heard a bell ring through the house—no sound of a church clock, but within the house itself, as if such an impossible thing were happening as that somebody was pulling the bell of *his* front door.

It could not be fancy—such things often happen to minds so absorbed in thought that outward things often become confused and obscured, and when the senses, cut off from real sights and sounds, are compelled to find their own food. He had almost forgotten the matter, when the bell rang once more.

It must be real, then, thought Rupert, angrily. If it happened again it would wake the servants, threw the house into a tumult, and rob him of a whole night's work—and that must never be. If only to say No to somebody, he must go down himself and stop the ringing, otherwise nothing would have moved him from his desk had all Rainham been on fire.

He opened the door just in time to save himself from another ring. By the bright light of the moon, then at her full, he saw a young girl well wrapped in a cloak with her hand upon the bell.

"What does this mean?" asked Rupert, sternly. "Who are you? What do you want here?"

"I—I'm afraid," said the girl, looking round her doubtfully, "I'm afraid I've lost my way—I saw a light here, and no other house near—I came by the train—is it very far?"

"No. It is straight along the road," said Rupert, rather roughly. It was something more than annoying to be disturbed in full work, and to be rung up at such an hour for such a trifle as a lost way.

"But—is it very far?"

"There were limits to even his cultivated likeness to a machine. There seemed something strange about the girl, he thought, as she spoke thus doubtfully and wearily. She did not look like one to be rambling about alone at midnight; and though nothing concerning a stranger could possibly mean anything to him, he had not as yet wholly ceased to be a man. "I suppose," he said, "you have friends at Rainham and are on your way to them? It is not very far, but I am afraid it is both very far and very late—for you."

"No; I have no friends. I suppose there is an inn?"

"You have business, then? Nobody ever comes to Rainham without business or friends." He thought again; for it began to seem to him that there was something about her not wholly strange. "Yes," he said, "of course there is an inn; but"——

"I have to see a Mr. Hildreth to-morrow, who lives here. That is all."

"You have to see Mr. Hildreth? And what possible reason—— You have to see *Me*?"

"*You* are Mr. Hildreth?"

"That is my name. And yours?" All his sternness had returned. Had his well trained Old Year gone crazed?

"You will know who *I* am," said she, sadly and proudly, "when I tell you why I am here. It is to tell you with my own lips, before I leave such a world as this, where men buy love, and let hearts starve, that Combe Bassett is yours, every blade of grass, every stick and stone, without your having to be put to the shame of asking for the hand of one whom you refused even to look at when she could be nothing more to you than the orphan of your friend. That is all . . . ."

"He looked, almost in amaze, certainly bewildered, from her into the dark entrance through which the night wind had followed her, as little welcome as she. "Pardon me," said he, "but this is a matter which I have absolutely nothing to do. Do you mean to tell me, whoever you are, that you are in league with those who seek to bring into my house and life the child whom I am bidden to make my wife in my old age?"

"What child?"

"What else? Are you playing me some trick"——He turned aside to light the lamp: partly to think, partly to see. "I remember—only eleven days ago some lawyer fellow wanted me to let in the New Year in the shape of a child. I refused him at the right time: it's too late now! What have I to do with Dick Derwent's child? There is an early train to-morrow: take it, and go back again. And tell those who sent you here that if wealth, and power, and glory, and wisdom, and love, came knocking altogether at my door, I would say, as I say to you—I want none of you: Go!"

"I tell you that I, Bertha Derwent, refuse"——

The lamp was lighted. ONE! struck Rainham clock. And never since Rupert had lived there had he heard so loud a stroke. For it made no muffled thud through double windows, but a full, heavy boom through the open door, which Rupert had thrown open at the second ring and had neglected to close—on *Old* New Year's Eve!

The lamplight was on both their faces: in the ears of both boomed the bell. No chimes heralded the birth of this New-Year of theirs, though that twelfth day of January is as surely New Year's Eve for those who will as Twelfth-Day is Old Christmas Day. For those who will? well, maybe any day in the year will do as well. Only it did so happen that, when Rupert left the door ajar for a young girl to enter, he had forgotten that, where evil is to be let out, and good let in, Time is good enough to give us at least Two New-Year's Days—and Old as well as a New: or rather a New as well as an Old.

"Rupert!"

"Bertha!"

"And *I* refused *you*!"

And *I* barred out *you* when I barred out the New Years—but how could I tell? And what else have I barred out? Harm, yes—but what else? Heaven knows. One blessing—how many more?"

"Do you bar me out still?"

He looked at her—then far away, as if round the world. "Neither you, nor whatever Time may bring," said he, "This is New Year's Eve for me. Good and Ill—Ill and Good, let all come: they all come from the same place by the same road. Let them all come together, so they come, at last, with you . . . . God will bless the new, and God speed the old!"

Rainham clock took a long time to strike: all this, and more had been told, when it boomed—TWELVE!

[THE END.]

De Lesseps' Luck.

ON WHAT TRIFLES OFTEN DEPEND GREAT ACTIONS.

The empress was the Isabella the Catholic of the Suez scheme. But for the Spanish ardor with which she sustained it, the Isthmus would still divide the Red from the Mediterranean sea. "Your head," she said (speaking of a course in figure) to Comte Walewski, "depends on the skill you show in helping my cousin to cut his canal." M. de Lesseps' father, who was descended from the architect of the Cathedral of Edinburgh, was sent with Lucien Bonaparte to Madrid, because he had been brought up at Bayonne and could talk Spanish as well as French. Lucien was the first ambassador named to the court of Charles IV. by Napoleon. His mission was to obtain the retrocession of Louisiania, which Louis XV. had allowed to slip from his hands. M. de Lesseps the elder went about always with him, and was the soul of his diplomacy. The New Orleans affair brought him into relations with the United States consuls, the most intelligent of whom was Mr. Kirkpatrick, who was in business at Malaga. M. de Lesseps proceeded to that town, and, assisted by Kirkpatrick, who, like himself, was of Scotch origin—but less remotely—studied the resources of Andalusia and the political condition of the south of Spain. They were drawn closer together by a romantic affair which sprang up. A notable of the province, Senor Grevigny, had two very pretty daughters, with one of whom the consul fell in love. The French diplomat became enamored of the youngest, and as Lucien Bonaparte was in high favour at the court of Madrid her father allowed her to marry M. de Lesseps, with whom she went to reside in Paris, where, in 1804, she gave birth to Ferdinand. Her eldest sister became Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and the mother of the comtesse de Montilo, who was drawn by her De Lesseps kindred to winter in Paris when her daughters had grown up. "Thus, you see," observed M. de Lesseps, "what a number of great events have in *l'enchainement des choses* depended upon my fathers early knowledge of the Spanish tongue."

Another "hinge event," which led to the execution of the Suez canal scheme, was the elder Lesseps having divined in a poor and unlettered Turkish officer, Mehemet Ali, a vast genius, and the man who was to break down the power of the Mamelukes. The French diplomat reported in this sense to his government and was instructed to be guided by his own judgment in bringing the officer forward. M. de Lesseps invited the Turk to his house, and showed himself in various ways his friend. But suddenly the officer withdrew from his company, and kept out of the way. When Mehemet was a great man he said to M. Ferdinand de Lesseps: "Your father must have been puzzled to think what my reason was for keeping aloof from him after I had accepted so much kindness. It was this: A silver knife and fork I heard the servants say, had been stolen from his table at a dinner to which I went. I was so poor that I fancied I would pass in his eyes for being the thief, and never dared after to return." Soon after Mehemet had related this anecdote he asked M. Ferdinand de Lesseps to allow Prince Said, his son, to pass his afternoons at the French consulate, in order that he might pick up the French that was spoken there. The boy grew fondly attached to the intelligent and very kind-hearted diplomat. When he was viceroy and the Suez concession was asked for, he gave M. de Lesseps a carte blanche.

The Utilizing of the Tides.

A Philadelphia engineer has invented, it is claimed, a machine by which the power of the tides can be utilized. Numerous plans have been proposed for the accomplishment of this most desirable end, but only under exceptional conditions have they been practical or economical. If the new device can harness the tide in an open channel, so as to convert any considerable portion of the vast power into working force, the inventor will rank among the great benefactors of humanity. Emerson says somewhere: Hitch your wagon to a star. A device for utilizing mechanically the free tides, as they sweep along our shores, would come next to that, since it would enable us, through converters and carriers of electricity, to hitch our wagons to the sun and moon.

Matters European.

The calling together of the English Parliament a month earlier than the date to which it had been prorogued is undoubtedly caused by the Irish disturbances. Mr. Gladstone's circular, summoning the M.P.s to meet on Jan. 6, announces that important business will be entered upon as soon as they assemble. The session promises to be the most momentous one since that which saw the repeal of the corn laws. The Government will at once grapple with the Irish question, and will unavoidably get into stormy waters. It is certain that nothing it can do will placate the Land League, and it is not probable that any measure the Ministry may propose will receive the hearty support of the Conservatives, unless, indeed, it be in the direction of coercion. Mr. Bright has expressed his opinion that "force is no remedy." It may be no remedy for bad harvests and discontent, but it is a most effective remedy for assassination and "Boycotting." Moreover, it seems to be the only practicable remedy.

Another and not less difficult problem will be forced upon the attention of the Government. There can be no doubt that

PARNELLISM IS SPREADING IN ENGLAND.

The hard times have forced farmers to seriously consider their position, and their ideas on this subject have been freely expressed at the agricultural meetings, which take place all over the country early in December. It is plain that both landlord and tenant are in a quandary. In the midland, western, and southern counties there are thousands of acres which cannot be rented on any terms. In the county of Essex alone fifty thousand acres are left untilled; the farmers have gone to London and hired out as helpers in the stables of London horse-owners at $5 a week. In view of these facts, it is not surprising to hear that, at the recent meeting of the Farmers' Alliance, a delegate was for adopting some of the principles of the Land League. There seems to be no probability of any "let up" for these tillers of the soil.

The committee who have been revising the English version of the

NEW TESTAMENT

have at length finished their work. That this has been no light task is shown by the fact that it was begun in 1870, and that for four days in every month since that time the committee have met to proceed with their duties. This makes one year and seven weeks of actual working days of seven hours each. The private study that the members have performed to prepare themselves for the monthly meetings cannot be estimated. The movement for the revision of the New Testament was initiated by the Convocation of Canterbury, Bishops Ellicott and Thirlwall and Deans Alford and Stanley being its chief instigators. An extraordinary opposition to the whole scheme was raised by the Convocation of York, headed by Archbishop Thompson; he didn't like the idea of the Bible "being laid on the table of the anatomist and subjected to this rude process;" and he "begged for breathing time before they sent their beloved Bible to the crucible to be melted down and recast." This feeling was largely shared by the older lay members of the Episcopal Church, who considered that what had been good enough for them was good enough for their children. It was explained to them that, although the New Testament might have been originally inspired, its translators clearly were not, and that numerous and important additions and errors had crept into the text; that the faults, in the light of modern scholarship, were easily eradicable; that millions of copies of the Bible are being scattered yearly through the world, and that it was an absolute sin to mislead the people into whose hands these erroneous books are put. These arguments were of no avail with the Exeter Hall class of religionists, and their "boss," Lord Shaftsbury, avowed an unconquerable hostility to the notion of having the Bible "diluted and Frenchified." The Convocation of Canterbury, however, was not to be deterred by his lordship's fears, and a working committee was chosen with power to appoint the members of the Revising Committe, who were to be "eminent for scholarship, no matter to whatever nation or religious body they might belong." The men selected were Dr. Angus, Archbishop Trench, Dr. Eadie, Prof. Hort, the Rev. W. G. Humphry, Prof. Kennedy (of Cambridge), Archdeacon Lee, Dr. Lightfoot (now Bishop of Durham), Prof. Milligan, Prof. Moulton, Dr. J. H. Newman (now Cardinal), Prof. Newth, Dr. A. Roberts, Dr. Vance Smith, Dr. Scott (Dean of Rochester), Dr. Scrivener, Dr. Tregelles, Dr. J. C. Vaughan (now Dean of Llandaff), and Prof. Westcott. A little later some additions were made to the number, including Bishop Wordsworth (of St. Andrew's), Dr. D. Brown of the Free Church College, Aberdeen, and Dean Merivale. Churchman and Dissenter, Prelatist and Presbyterian, Independent and Methodist, Baptist and Pedobaptist, the Anglican, the Lutheran, and the Reformed, they who emphasize divine sovereignty and they who put the stress on human freedom, they who see only unity in the godhead and who recognize plurality as well as unity, appear alike in the lists of the men employed.

Cardinal Newman declined to assist, and death and other causes brought down the average attendance during the ten years to sixteen. The proceedings of this committee have been kept as secret as possible, but inklings of some of the changes have got abroad, and it is whispered that the verses in the ninth chapter of St. Mark, on which is founded the idea of the good old-fashioned fire-and-brimstone hell, are to be omitted as spurious, and that the last twelve verses of the same gospel are also to be omitted or materially altered.

Probably the alteration that will cause most controversy will be the alteration of the wording of the Lord's Prayer, in which the words "from the evil one" will be substituted for the words "from evil." This will at once give new life to

THE DOCTRINE OF A PERSONAL DEVIL,

which has so languished of late. Scoffers think, however, that it will be very unfair to encourage the devil in his depredations on the human race, and at the same time to deny him a place in which to incarcerate and torment his captives.

THE FAMOUS MIDDLE PARK STUD,

founded by Mr. Blenkiron, is now dispersed, the founder's sons having determined to give up their business. When Mr. Blenkiron died nine years ago, a grand sale took place, at which 105 yearlings brought about $111,000; 129 mares and foals and 70 mares without foals brought about $340,000, and 12 sires were disposed of for about $175,000. The first day of the present sale showed little difference in the average prices between then and now. It was remarked that the buyers this year were nearly all colonists or foreigners, Australia, the Cape of Good Hope, France, Germany, Spain, and Denmark being represented. One of the mares put up was the dam of the unfortunate Blue Gown—Bas Bleu, by Stockwell out of Vexation—but, on account of her great age, she did not find a purchaser. The highest price, $7,500, was paid by Mr. Malapert, a Frenchman, for Czarina, a King Tom mare. Rosette, the cheapest mare, but by no means the lowest priced, was bought for the Cape of Good Hope. She boasts three Derby winners in her pedigree—Lord Lyon, Thormanby, and Plenipotentiary—and she is half sister to Bend Or.

Some of the English sportsmen have been having a good season. At Duppin,

A WEEK'S BAG OF HARES ALONE WEIGHED THREE TONS.

There must have been a great many times that weight of hares left on the estate; the damage done by them to the crops in the neighbourhood must have been enormous. It is hard to conceive a tamer kind of sport than a battue of hares. One might as well fire at a lot of hay ricks. Lord Sefton, with a party of six guns, killed 7,800 head of game in five days, and in Kent, the Duke of Edinburgh and his party bagged 2,700 head in a week.

To the great delight of Paris, Victorien Sardou has given up his attempts to convert the stage into a lecture platform, and gone back to the composition of comedies.

"DIVORÇONS,"

which he wrote in collaboration with M. Najac, has been welcomed with an effusion that must more than make amends for the dismal failure of "Daniel Rochat." The play is genuinely witty, intensely amusing, and altogether free from even a suspicion of the didactic vein in which Sardou has conceived most of his later pieces.

Another new play has not been so fortunate. At the Gymnase,

"LES BRAVES GENS,"

by Edmund Gondinet and M. Koning, failed unmistakably on its first production. The critics, with every desire to extenuate the disaster, accuse M. Gondinet of writing obscurely and with a turgidity improper in dramatic composition. They find his story old, and protest that the monotone of misfortune running through the piece grows at last insufferable. The characters, however, are sketched with a good deal of distinctness, and no one denies that, at times, the situations are profoundly interesting. The piece was by no means well acted, and two of the principal actors were palpably conscious of an utter misconception of the characters assigned to them. The partial success of the first performance was achieved by the three sumptuous toilettes of Mlle. Marie Magnier which surprised even Paris.

THE LION OF THE HOUR

in Paris is the Marquis of San Malato, the Sicilian nobleman, who, after running through his patrimony, took to teaching the young gentlemen of Florence how to run each other through. He is said to be the best fencing master in Europe, and the most fabulous stories are told of his skill and courage. He is an Italian d'Artagnan, and carries the scars of twenty-two wounds received in actual warfare. He has fought no less than forty duels in his time. One of them was with a young kinsman who had insulted him grossly, and whose mother interceded in her son's behalf. San Malato kept his engagement with the rash youngster, but fought him with averted face so as to give him every chance. To learn the exquisite art of fencing of this great master costs fifty francs a lesson, and the fee for permission to try an assault of arms on him is twice that amount.

Tito Mattei's new opera,

"MARIA DE GAND,"

produced at Her Majesty's, is a contemptible melange of old ideas. It is essentially conventional and commonplace; coming after such a masterpiece of originality as Boito's "Mefistofele," it was received by the London critics with an impatience that perilously bordered on disgust. Mattei is a flippant and tinselly composer who has written a number of songs of a sort sure to be popular in drawing-rooms, but who is utterly incapable of operatic composition. The melody to which he owes his fictitious fame is the "Non e ver," which so long divided the affections of amateur singers with the "Maiden's Prayer" and other sentimental nonsense. Mattei wrote it at Hombourg after he had been cleaned out at the gaming table, and sold it for 200 francs. His publishers have already made £6,000 to £8,000 by its sale. It was their subvention of £500 which induced Mr. Armitt to produce his opera at Her Majesty's.

Around Our Streets.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

'Ere you see another line of my views of things in print, a new Mayor will be elected for the "Queen City of the West," and a new Council likewise. With regard to the mayoralty I have a few words to offer. In the first place, Mr. Ald. Close is not the idol of my heart for two or three very good reasons. I don't like his connection with the Woodside property at all—no more than I like his evidence before the Railway Commission. In the second place, he is guilty of an attempt to bulldoze the Conservative electors of Toronto, by first getting up a convention for the purpose of openly introducing party politics into our municipal elections, and in the second place manipulating the Ward "bosses" and wire pullers, in such a way as to give himself the nomination. If he is elected the case will stand thus:—Nomination for Mayor, Ald. Close nominated by—Ald. Close—seconded by Ald. Close—A convention consisting of Ald. Close, comes to the conclusion that the best man to rule the City Council for 1881, is Ald. Close. Carried unanimously, amidst the wildest cheering by Ald. Close.

Of

MR. M'MURRICH

I have but little to say, and that little is like the business end of a bee—very much to the point. This gentleman poses before the electors of Toronto as an independent candidate, and why? Because he knows to a dot how many chances a Grit has in Toronto as a Grit pure and simple. Because he knows that as 1:100:: a Grits chance against a Tory—even if that Tory is as fossilized as the Onondaga Giant and so poor that he can't stand alone So what does this charmingly ingenuous Ward politician of the Grit persuasion do? He comes out as an Independent; forsooth never dreaming of carrying his own party vote straight. *Oh, no.* He would never be guilty of such a wicked thought as that. No more would he dream of carrying the "loose fish" by denouncing Tory conventions and party candidature, or would he think that the said loose fish held the balance of power between the parties! I should say not. But these are tick tax, I mean tactics, and I suppose that in the dirty trade of politics anything is fair that "scores one" for you and puts a nail in the other man's political coffin. The third in the field is

MR. JAMES BRITTON.

"Britons never shall be slaves," and Mr. B. evidently acts on that principle, for in spite of two or three previous defeats, he comes up smiling again, and announces his determination to strike another blow at the partizan spirit which is sapping all the vim from the health of our civic institutions, and is leaving his fellow citizens at the mercy of a band of brigands (metaphorically speaking), whose only thought is of squandering the city's money on useless water works, and whose only dreams are of champagne lunches at the public expense. Mr. Britton's integrity as a private individual is well known and his probity as a public man stands untarnished. As the Chairman of the Markets' Committee he was the projector of the Cattle Market Scheme, which scheme he carried to a successful termination, with credit to himself, and profit to his fellow-citizens. As a party man he has always given an independent support to Sir John A. and the Conservative party, but he is too liberal a man, not only in politics but in religion, not to see some good in everybody, no matter how much his opinions may differ as a whole. He has always been one of the foremost in charity, without the least regard for creed. That a good work was to be done has always been enough for him, no matter whether the hungry one was Catholic or Protestant. He is not a brilliant speaker, but he is a good business man, and Toronto has had far worse Mayors than he would make.

THE ALDERMANIC

nominations have given the best exhibit of the right class of men we have had out for some years, and if the people do not do their duty and throw out some of the useless ones (and I could name them if I would, but wouldn't) I for one will be awfully disgusted. There are some ex-Aldermen offering, and among them are some who ought to go in with "whooping" majorities, among them

MR. TOM DAVIES

the brewer, who in the council is the right man in the right place. He is not one of those who are very subject to "labial explosions" or in other words talking a great deal, but when he was there before he proved himself to be a great worker, both in council and committee.

HARRY PIPER

will be a great loss to the community mentally speaking, in his mind; no more will that massive intellect make itself felt within those sacred walls on Front st. No more will that musical voice, be raised in ardent defense of the coloured population of St. John's. No more will those eloquent gestures, more expressive than words, be used to signal a friend, that the man with the dog has arrived and is out side waiting to see him. I feel that I am breaking down as I think over it, and reader I have cause for my regrets, I never loved him as I ought to have, and now he is retiring from the council, I feel that we "may never look upon his like again," *et hinc illæ lachrymæ.*

So Christmas is gone and

NEW YEAR'S DAY

is coming. The custom of visiting is this year revived, and everybody announces his intention of turning himself for the nonce, into a combined walking coffee-pot and cake basket. The young ladies will of course look beautiful as they always do on such occasions and with their bewitching *smiles*, will be almost enough to tempt a hermit to take a drink. But girls, don't do it. Banish wine from your tables entirely, for all young men are not strong, all young men are not sensible, and above all most young men in the presence of a pretty girl, (like yourself for instance) are absolutely compelled by some mysterious feeling, of chivalry, to do pretty much as they are told. Have you got a brother? Or a lover? If you have how would you like to see him coming home to you, with unsteady step and flushed face? And mind you, my dear, this may be entirely accidental on his part. I have known a good many young fellows to get under the weather, without having had even the slightest intention of taking more than they should have. You would feel awfully cut up, wouldn't you? And now suppose you give some other girl's lover or brother a glass of wine at noon. Suppose it is his first, and before night he has got into a condition, which makes him an object of pity to some and contempt to others.

YOUR FIRST GLASS STARTED HIM, AND NOW DO YOU FEEL ABOUT IT?

No my dear, don't do it. It may help to cut off a table, but there is altogether too much danger of your also cutting your friends off.

A word now to [illegible]

I am [illegible] you like a [illegible] you can't fool me, for I have been everywhere. I have a few words to say to you on the same subject. Do you know that you can make more calls, make yourselves more agreeable, be better looking, and have the girls think more of you if you put your foot down on it and say

NO!

I will drink no wine this New Year. I am not one of the goody goody description—not by a large majority, as Judge Elliot says, and I occasionally drink a glass of beer myself, but I wouldn't be paid to drink anything on New Year's day—stronger than coffee. Not if it was offered to me by the prettiest girl in Toronto. But I needn't say that, for the prettiest girl is also the best, and I am quite sure she will have no wine on her table. Who is she? But what an old parson I have become, preaching away on the temperance question. Did I hear you say shut up? Allright. Happy New Year.

PAUL PRY, JR.

George Eliot.

HER LIFE, HER WORKS, AND HER STATUS AS A NOVELIST.

No one will dispute the rank of George Eliot among the novelists of her sex. In England there have been but two women whose novels have gained a place in English literature, but "Evelina" and "Pride and Prejudice" will bear no comparison with the best work of George Eliot. Years ago it was the fashion to speak of George Eliot as the worthy rival of George Sand, but time has modified the estimation in which the clever and audacious Frenchwoman was once held, and though the charm of her style can never be underrated, it is evident that her reputation as a novelist has greatly declined during the past twenty years, and no cool critic would now think of comparing the crude colouring of "Indiana" with the broad and masterly canvas of "Middlemarch." George Eliot is not only recognized universally as the first among female novelists, but she is ranked with the masters of English fiction, and is held by many to be the peer of Thackeray and even of Scott.

It has long been the fashion to say of George Eliot that her genius was essentially masculine, and it is said that her first publisher, to whom she was personally unknown, firmly believed that the "Scenes of Clerical Life" was written by a man. In the attribute of strength George Eliot's novels may be loosely said to be masculine, though this implies, and without sufficient reason, that strength is exclusively a characteristic of masculine genius. Unquestionably she had this quality. She was not confined, as are many novelists, men as well as women, to a canvas large enough only for three or four figures, and her creative power was not exhausted in drawing those. In her more important works she introduced us to a grand gallery of portraits, every one of which had its own and striking merits. In "Middlemarch," which in some respects is her greatest work, there are a dozen people, any one of whom is a distinct creation, and all of whom are painted with a power and fidelity which only a master of fiction could display. To pass from such a book to even so finished a study as Hawthorne's "Scarlet Letter," is to compare the grand canvases of Tintoretto with the cabinet work of Meissonier. No other English novelist has been thus lavish of power. The teeming brain of Dickens gave us countless caricatures; but even in "David Copperfield," the possible people, those who seem capable of self-sustained life, are very few. Sir Walter Scott lavished his best efforts on a few central figures in each one of his novels, and filled in the background with a host of lay figures, of little more individuality than belongs to the "First" and "Second Citizens" of historical dramas. George Eliot did nothing feebly. She gave as much care to the supernumeraries as to the leading actors of her novels, and the result is a sustained and uniform strength that sets them apart from all other works conceived on anything like as broad a scale.

There was, however, one characteristic of George Eliot which was distinctively masculine. There is no lack of wit and sarcasm among women writers, but George Eliot is the only woman in whose novels we find the purest type of humour. The humour displayed, perhaps consciously, by Mrs. Poyser, and, certainly unconsciously, by the delightful Mr. Brooke, is utterly unlike anything that any other woman writer has given us. This is one trait of George Eliot which fully justified her masculine name, and might have excused a careless critic in mistaking its wearer for a man. The femininity of George Eliot was, on the other hand, visible on every page of her boooks. In nothing was it more evident than in her inability to draw a hero who was at once noble and manly and real. Her pet heroes—Adam Bede and Felix Holt and Daniel Deronda—are distinctively women's men. They are as good and as impossible as the heroes of Mr. George Macdonald, whose genius is typically feminine. While George Elliot's women are irresistible—for no painter has ever excelled the long list of female portraits beginning with Dinah and Hetty and ending with Gwendoline—her men are unreal just in proportion as she strives to commend them to our admiration, and her greatest literary failure is that intolerable prig, Deronda.

CHAFF.

Actors have to face the music—that is, the music of the orchestra—and some of it is very bad.

An editor who was told that his last article was as clear as mud, said: "Well, that covers the ground, anyhow."

"I'm a man of few words," said Prendergast. "True enough," replied Fogg, "true enough; but you never tire of repeating them."

Jones thinks a man is fortune who has his will contested after death only. He says his will has been contested ever since he married Mrs. Jones.

A Hamilton man with an ingrowing nail, chopped his toe off. This remedy never fails. For sale at all hardware stores. Beware of imitations.

A Dutchman says that his neighbours are "te verst neighbours people dot never vas. Mine little pigs und mine hens come home mit dere ears split, und toder day two of dem come home missing."

A little girl, a few days since, addressing her sister, asked, "What was the chaos papa was reading about to-day?" To which the latter replied, "'Twas a great pile of nothing, and no place to put it in."

An Irishman who was near-sighted, and who was about to fight a duel, insisted that he should stand six paces nearer his antagonist than the other did to him, and they were both to fire at the same time.

There are so many inventions that "cannot get out of order," and "will last a life-time," that anybody who shall discover something that will get out of order, and will only last long enough to be carried home, will supply a long-felt want.

A public appeal has lately been made for donations and subscription in aid of the "Destitute Children's Dinner Society." Here, certainly, is an innocent and praiseworthy dine a mite plot, which all may safely conspire to help and encourage.

A base-ball boy tripped, fell, and tore his clothes while chasing a stray chicken in a neighbour's lot. He told his mother he had been sent to grass by a foul. She reached for home base, and the youth went on a strike, howling for the old man to act as referee.

An argument once arose in which Sidney Smith observed how many of the most eminent men of the world had been diminutive in person, and, after naming several among the ancients, he added: "Why, look there at Jeffrey; and there is my little friend ——, who has not body enough to cover his mind decently with; his intellect is improperly exposed."

In 1611 Holland offered a reward of 25,000 guilders (about $10,000) for the discovery of that north west passage which Prof. Nordenskjold has at last, in our day, accomplished. This offer was long forgotten, but it was never recalled; and it is now probable that Holland will pay the promised reward to the successful explorer, little though he dreamed of the possibility of such compensation when he started on his enterprise.

A St. Louis young man promised his sweetheart a sealskin sacque as a Christmas present, but had no money to buy it. In that dilemma he slipped into a dark alley, fastened a gag in his own mouth, blackened his own eye, and told those who found him that he had been knocked down by robbers who took away the sacque. But he confessed under cross-examination.

An Ancient Relic.

A NEW ORLEANS LADY WHO WAS REARED AMONG THE DIGNITARIES OF THE COURT OF FRANCE.

One day, in the latter part of the eighteenth century, says the New Orleans *Picayune*, a number of young men were playing dice in a fashionable gambling saloon in the island of San Domingo. Near a table at which two youthful players were engaged stood an elderly, handsome man, a marquis of France. At a certain stage of the game a dispute arose, and the point in controversy was referred to the gentleman standing by for arbitration. His decision enraged one of the players; hot words ensued, and the gambler struck the noble in the face. The marquis said, sternly: "Only blood can efface the stain of this insult." The young man, repenting of his folly, was profuse in apologies, but the marquis remained obdurate, and replied: "We shall send for two pistols; one shall be loaded, the other empty. We, blindfolded, shall choose our weapons and fire."

The pistols were sent for, the fateful choice made, and the loaded weapon fell to the lot of the noble. That day the lifeless body of the young gambler was borne from the dicer's table. Such was the Chevalier de Sevre, a marquis of France, one of the richest nobles in the Island of San Domingo. In those terrible days of the massacre the chevalier fell under the knife of the infuriated blacks. The marquise escaped in disguise with her daughter, a child, and found a refuge in Philadelphia, where she subsequently married Mr. De Breuil, a rich merchant.

There Mlle. de Sevre grew up a lovely young girl. At that time there were many French officers in America. One of them, Col. David, became enamored of the beautiful young creole, married her and took her to France, where he introduced her at the court of Josephine. Of this union were born two daughters, Cecelia Agnes Gertrude David and Marie Pauline. The first was born at Tours in 1804, and christened in the great cathedral of that city. Her godfather was the Baron de Vaublan, and her godmother the Countess de St. Leon.

Gen. David served in the Italian campaign under Napoleon as an adjutant commandant. He was a favorite of the Corsican, who, during the Egyptian campaign, presented him with a magnificent sword. After his death, in 1816, Miss David returned to Philadelphia, married a wealthy American and came south.

A few days ago the writer had the pleasure of visiting this lady on Jackson street, in New Orleans. Though 76 years of age, she looks scarcely 60, and retains still the traces of that beauty which attracted the admiration of all who beheld her in her youth. When asked to describe some of the scenes she had witnessed, the lady said:

"Yes, I saw Napoleon I. once. I went with my father, Gen. David, to the Tuileries, and he pointed out to me the emperor walking in the garden. I was quite a child then. My father told me to look at the great man, and to cry, 'Vive l'empereur!' When I did so, he slapped me and said: 'I am not mad with you, but I wish this to make an impression on you!'

"On another occasion, when I was going to Versailles, I saw Louis XVIII. I was in a nunnery at Versailles, and afterward went to live at Bordeaux. There I saw the daughter of Marie Antoinette, the Duchess of Angoulême, who had just returned to France. All I can remember of the scene is that there was a great crowd, and that the horses were taken from the carriage, which was pulled by men. The reins were ribbons, which were held by young ladies, who were covered with fleurs de lis.

"One day when I was girl of fifteen, a beautiful lady came in a carriage to visit my grandmother, Madame De Breuil, who recognized the visitors, whom she had not seen for years. It was Madame Jerome Bonaparte. The marquise said: 'I hear that you are married to an Italian Prince.' 'No,' she replied haughtily, 'I am Madame Bonaparte, and I will die Madame Bonaparte. The woman married to my husband is not his wife. I am.'

"I saw Joseph Bonaparte many times; he often came to visit the marquise. I have often heard my grandmother say he was one of the most unassuming men she ever met, and Jerome was just like a boy. It was difficult for him to become dignified when occasion demanded."

Sanitary Reform.

The London Society of Arts recently discussed the feasibilty of keeping a sanitary record of every house, so that the Health Board of a town should be able to give an intending purchaser or tenant a certificate of its healthworthiness. The debate made it apparent that, in the case of old houses especially, sufficient pertinent facts could not be obtained to justify such certificates.

It is easy to see how greatly they might affect the value of property; and therefore they would prove exceedingly mischievous and outrageous if they were not scientifically accurate. And that it is not possible to make them in every case, nor even in the majority of cases. Sanitary inquiry has certainly not yet reached a stage where it can point out with confidence the exact and immediate causes of disease, and fix the blame for them with absolute precision. We call it a science, just as we call political economy a science; but strictly, the term is of course misused. It may become a science, but the day is yet far off.

When municipal authorities assume to pass judgment on the healthfulness, and consequently the value, of the premises owned by individuals, they should be very sure of their facts, and that they have enough of them to form an opinion on. They can now point out remediable nuisances, and palpable defects in sanitary engineering; but if they undertook to give medical certificates as to the comparative healthfulness of the different houses throughout a town, they would be certifying to matters about which they are plainly incompetent to form an opinion of value. No dozen physicians would agree on the subject.

But, in his recent address before the American Public Health Association, Dr. J. S. Billings, its President, advocated modification of the plan suggested in London. He would have the health officer of a place obtain and keep a brief description of all its houses from a sanitary point of view. This would be merely a record of facts, to which individuals proposing to buy or rent houses could have access on the payment of a fee. The Health Board would express no opinion, but simply give a sanitary history of the property, its connection with sewers, the number and the causes of the deaths which had occurred in it, or in the square in which it was situated, and other information of that sort. It would be a sanitary supplement to the record of title, and of course might have a decided effect on the value of the property.

But Dr. Billings's plan, pretty as it is in theory, would involve so much minute detail that it would not be feasible in any municipal government on a large scale. To carry it out there would need to be a great multiplication of sanitary inspectors, and their official visits would become odious to the people. Moreover, the number of deaths occurring in a house may afford no certain indication of its condition as to healthfulness. People may take there the diseases of which they die, and an evil name be given a dwelling which it does not deserve. Property owners would justly cry out against a system of registration which put the value of their buildings in peril by following theories of the origin of disease which are not yet firmly established.

What is called sanitary science promises to become of the greatest benefit to communities. It has already demonstrated its value both here and abroad, for its tendency is obviously in the right direction—that of the prevention of disease. It has undoubtedly helped essentially to bring about the increase in the average of life which this century is showing; and it is not too much to expect that it will in the future obtain a pretty complete mastery over epidemics, though yellow fever and even typhoid fever now baffle its efforts to discover and remove their causes. But there is a growing number of men, laymen rather than physicians, for the most part, who make a hobby of sanitary inquiry, and treat it as if it was a fully fledged science against which there could be no reasonable rebellion. Dr. Billings has too high and justly deserved a reputation to lend himself to the support of the crotchets of these fanatics; but such a proposition as his is likely to be run into the ground by them.

There is, however, a sensible effort now making to effect in part the end he would attain. It is to secure the passage of a law by the Legislature requiring that when specifications for building are filed, there shall go with them specifications of the plumbing and house drainage. These would enable an expert to form an opinion as to a house's protection against sewer gas, and show him its sewer connections.

The Czar Nicholas.

SOME PERSONAL PECULIARITIES—HIS [illegible] OF JOKING WITH A [illegible]

E. C. Grenville Murray has contributed to the *Swiss Times* some personal reminiscences of [illegible] Of his mental habits and [illegible] says: "He was a man of [illegible] but very full of generous impulses [illegible] on some occasion used harsh [illegible] wards one of his Colonels, and [illegible] the officer had taken his rebuke [illegible] Czar ordered a review, and publicly [illegible] ed him at the head of his regiment [illegible] man, too, who could unbend [illegible] 1st of April a lady, who told [illegible] herself, was surprised by her [illegible] rupting announcing the Czar. [illegible] early in the morning that the [illegible] same joke of her sister in connec[tion with] the day, so she replied laughingly, '[Tell the] Czar to wait,' and went on [illegible] Presently she looked up again, [and] saw the servant standing agha[st at the] door which was still wide open, [and in] it in casque and plume was the [fig]ure of the Emperor. He had come [to bring] her good news of her son, who was [illegible] and had been ill. He was no[illegible] however, of intentional disrespect [illegible] but a modified appreciation of a [illegible] General who was Police-master [illegible] Petersburg for a short time, found [it out] to his cost. The General was [illegible] very stupid man, and was the Czar's [illegible] butt, so his Majesty was [illegible] night at a court ball to send [illegible] search of a thief who had stolen [illegible] statue of Peter the Great. The [Police-]master, finding this statue in [its] place, as any one else would have [illegible] felt mortified at the laugh raised [against] him, and determined to be revenged [in his] own way. Shortly afterward, [illegible] announced to his imperial master [illegible] the theatre, that the Winter Palace [was on] fire. The Czar rose hastily to [illegible] conflagration, and on finding that [his] master had presumed to retaliate [upon his] august self, sent him to reflect on [his in]cretion in Siberia. Finally, he was [a] faithful husband, but he was fond [of his] wife and very jealous. Her Majesty [illegible] aware of this, and unfortunately very [illegible] chievous. Whenever, therefore, [illegible] to get rid of an officer who displeased [her] she commanded him to dance with her [and] so sure as she did so he was sent [to the] Caucasus. The Czar's personal habits [were] soldierly and simple. He ate and [drank] with extreme moderation, and he slept [on] his uniform on a tent bed in his study, [with] only a military cloak to cover him. [He] allowed his son, the present Emperor, £[illegible]000 a month while travelling abroad; [the] Empress spent money so lavishly that [her] expenses for one night that she [illegible] Hanover exceeded £1,600. He gave [illegible] largely, but his personal wants [illegible] cost little indeed."

EMINENT FOLKS.

AMONG the royal people Forbes [illegible] four kings up an opponent's sleeve at a [card] table.

ANDERWERT, the newly elected pre[sident] of the Swiss confederation, shot himself on the street at Berne, last evening.

EX-QUEEN Isabella of Spain takes a [great] interest in M. de Lesseps's Panama scheme, and was one of the first to subscribe for the stock. "Money placed in it [will] reap fortunes," she tells her friends.

GEN. GARIBALDI'S health has been entirely restored by his residence on the Genoese coast. He frequently visits the villages along the coast in a canoe or small boat. [His] friends believe that he will live ten years longer, at least.

IF Queen Victoria only knew the [great] respect with which her daughter Louise Campbell has caused herself to be regarded by the American people for her sterling qualities she would not keep up an unnatural coldness towards her for a breech of convention. [Lou]ise is the one female of the English Royal Family outside of the lamented Alice, [who] has shown to the world that she possesses brains, a good heart, spirit and pluck, [and] the Queen only makes herself ridiculous [by] treating herself as if she was still but a [bread] and butter miss. True, it is none of our [concern], but we can't bear to see *so nice a family* split up without saying a friendly wo[rd].—*Buffalo Paper.*

THE Duchess of Westminster, whose [death] is announced by cable, but who was not, [as] the cable states, Mistress of the Robes [—the] Duchess of Bedford is Mistress of the Robes—was the youngest daughter of the late distinguished Duchess of Sutherland, whose name is held in such honored remembrance by many Americans, and inherited also [her] beauty, graciousness of manner, and kindness of heart. She has been for some years [a] leader of London fashion, as far as such a [po]tentate is recognized of late years. Two of her other sisters, were wedded to Dukes—Argyle and Leinster, and her eldest sister [to] Lord Blantyre, whose daughter is married [to] Mr. Gladstone's eldest son. Her last public appearance was at Epsom, when her husband's horse, Bend Or, won the Derby.

ONE of the wealthiest and most eccentric noblemen in Europe, Prince Joseph Sulkowski Duke of Bielitz, recently arrived [at] Copenhagen on his way to Norway, where [he] proposes to spend the winter in bear hunting. He was accompanied by a numerous suite consisting of a lady companion, a maitre de chapelle, a reader, a secretary, a body surgeon, a valet de chambre, two running footmen, an enormous mastiff, a huge ourang-outang, two valuable parrots, and several cages full of singing birds. One favorite member of his household, a Bengal tiger, he had been compelled to leave behind at Hamburg, [the] steamboat author ties positively declined [to] convey that retainer across the seas. Prince Sulkowski's personal habits are somewhat [out of] the common. He rises at 1 P. M., breakfasts an hour later, and listens to musical selections, performed by the members of his household until 7. From 7 to 8 takes a nap, which is followed by more chamber music until [illegible] o'clock A. M., his regular dinner hour. Having dined sumptuously, he sallies out on foot accompanied by his secretary, and walks about the town until 5, when he returns to his hotel and goes to bed.

ABOUT thirty-five years ago, when the German Chancellor was only plain Otto von Bismarck, a Pomeranian 'squire and Inspector of Dykes; he went out one day snipe shooting with a friend on some marshy land, into which his companion, a stout, heavy man, suddenly sank up to his armpits. Vainly struggling to extricate himself, the gentleman shouted for help, and, seeing Herr Bismarck approach him very slowly and cautiously, apparently looking out for the rising of some stray snipe, piteously appealed to him "leave the confounded snipe alone and [get] him out of the abominable swamp into which he had sunk so deeply that its slime was [up] to his mouth!" "My dear friend," [re]plied Bismarck, with the utmost calm, "you will certainly never get out of that hole. [No]body can positively save you. I'll tell [you] what, my dear fellow, I'll save you the agony of suffocation by putting a charge of shot into your head. Thus will you die at once more swiftly and more respectably." Stimulated to superhuman efforts by the imminent peril menacing him, the unlucky sportsman contrived to wriggle out of the mud on all fours, and, and when he had recovered his feet, broke into a storm of vehement reproach. Herr Bismarck listened to him with a sardonic smile, merely observing, "Can't you see how right I was, after all? Every man for himself!" and, turning his back on his infuriated companion, cooly walked away in search of more game.

ABOUT half of Queen Victoria's Ministers are descendants or husbands of descendants of Lord Granville's grandfather.

"WHAT is hell?" asked a Lutheran Sunday school teacher of a boy in class last Sunday. "A shirt with a button off, ma'am," replied the boy. "Explain yourself; what do you mean, sir?" asked the meek-spirited but surprised teacher. "Well, I heard my pa say to my ma the other morning, when he put on a shirt with a back button off, 'Well, this is hell.' That's all I know about it."

ACCORDING to the St. Petersburg correspondent to the *Cologne Gazette*, a Supreme Council of State is to come into existence in Russia at the Russian new year. This council is to carry on all the business of the empire independently of the Czar, the latter retaining the decision only of questions of war and peace. His union with Princess Dolgorouki will be proclaimed as a legal marriage, without her becoming, however, Empress. She is to receive the title of Duchess of Holstein-Gottorp, and her children will be princes and princesses of the same name. Henceforth the Czar is expected to live with his family in retirement at Livadia, remaining Emperor in name, but so far as Russian circumstances permit, transferring the cares of business to his son.

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It Quiets the Nervous System.
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It Nourishes, Strengthens and Invigorates.
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There are no spirits employed in its manufacture, and it can be taken by the most delicate babe, or by the aged and feeble, *care only being required in attention to directions.*

PRICE OF LARGE BOTTLES,	$1.00
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Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.

Dear Sir—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup has benefited me more for Despepsia and Liver Complaint, than any medicine I ever before used.
MRS. M. J. BRIDGE.

SAVED HER LIFE.
Kelvin, Brant Co., Ont.

Dear Sir—I have been under the doctors' hands almost continually for eight years, this year being the first that I have not employed a physician. After using your Indian Blood Syrup for a brief space of time, I was enabled to do all my work. I truly believe it was the means of saving my life.
MRS. MARY LEONARD.

CURES COUGHS AND COLDS.
Burford, Brant Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.
ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

CURES ERYSIPELAS.
Mt. Forest,
Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me. MRS. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.
Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I have used your great Idian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.
MELSON CARR.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.
Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—This is to certifiy that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.
W. N. CURROW.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.
Cross Hill, Waterloo Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—I was troubled with severe Pains in my Stomach, and also with Loss of Appetite and was unable to get anything to relieve me until I took your Indian Blood Syrup which effected a speedy cure. I shall always give your medicine the praise it so justly deserves. NANCY LEE.

SCABBY HANDS.
Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.
Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.
DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.
Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your *Indian Blood Syrup* is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. BORISON.

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Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All Instruments warranted for Six Years.

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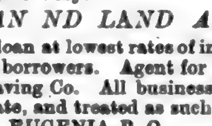
☞ *LOAN ND LAND AGENT*,
Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.
EUGENIA P. O.
Sept. 17th 1880 1-tf

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

GENERAL.

"MY dear," said a sentimental maiden to her lover, "of what do these autumnal tints, this glowing baldric of the skies, this blazing garniture of the dying year, remind you?" "Pancakes," he promptly answered. And then she realized, for the first time, that two hearts did not beat as one.

M. WIENER, the French Vice-Consul at Guayaquil, who has been exploring the upper tributary of the Amazon known as the River Napo, finds it a handsome stream, navigable for a thousand miles above its mouth The district through which it flows, as far as explored is larger than France, and has a fertile soil. The climate is mild, and the country is well adapted for the production of sugar, coffee, cocoa, and India rubber.

LABOUCHERE, in the *London Truth* says: "I am sorry to hear that all the well-meaning efforts have, up to now, failed to induce Baroness-Burdett-Coutts to reconsider her decision, and to adopt, if she so desires, instead of to marry, the American youth who is leading her into so deplorable a step. She will forfeit the life interest which she has in Coutts' Bank, her house in London, and that in the suburbs. Her relatives have wisely considered that they ought not to assent to any terms of composition which might tend to facilitate this unnatural crime for so it can only be termed. America will thus deprive the poor of the vast benefactions which the Baroness has annually contributed to their wants out of the income derived from the bank."

SAHARA girdled by a railway will no longer be the wild, mysterious desert of yore. Three French engineering expeditions, those of Pouyanne, Choisy, and Flatters, have been busy in tracing a path for a great African railroad from Algiers to the Niger, and thence to Senegal. Choisy examined the routes from Biskra to Wargla and from El Aghuat to El Goleah, south of which latter place he found practicable passes through the big sand dunes that bar the way from Insalah to Tuat. Col. Flatters, too, found these openings south of El Golesh, and discovered that in the desert there was not too arid to support a very large supply of snakes and lizards, and, what was more cheerful, antelopes in abundance. He also found the tamarisk tree luxuriant in Sahara, and claims to have discovered a lake full of fish, surrounded by vegetation.

AN unpleasant incident has occurred in connection with the approaching marriage of the Crown Prince Rudolf. A report was received in Vienna a day or two since that the Prince's wedding orders had all been sent to Paris. The new furniture and fittings of the Hradchin, the palace at Prague, which is to be the principal residence of the Crown Prince after his marriage, are, among other things, alleged to have been ordered from the French capital. Among the Vienna manufacturers this intelligence has created the greatest excitement. The Burgomaster has already interviewed the Lord Chamberlain on the subject. The reply is not yet known, but in case it proves unsatisfactory, the Municipal Council, it is said, will countermand all the orders given in preparation for the civic festivities which it had been determined to institute in honor of the nuptials.

MAJOR Penniman, a lawyer, and O. F. Robinson, Assistant District Attorney, had an altercation in Detroit court during the trial of a horse thief. Penniman accused Robinson of lying, and, tearing up a legal document, threw it into a cuspador saying: "That is what I think of you." Robinson replied that the public could judge which was the liar, and intimated that he considered the Major a coward. The Major invited his adversary to step outside, an invitation that was readily excepted. As soon as the two had crossed the threshold that separated them from the court room, and while Robinson was trying to close the door, the Major suddenly turned and struck him twice in the face with his fist. Robinson had no opportunity to retort, police officers interfering, and conducting both before the Judge, by whom Robinson was fined $10 and the Major $25. A leading lawyer of the city at once paid Robinson's fine, and was immediately reimbursed by contributions of other members of the bar; but nobody volunteered to pay any part of the Major's fine, and that belligerent counsellor had to beg for a week's time to pay his money.

THE city of Memphis, or the Taxing District, as it is now legally known, has fully emerged from the filth which has created such fearfully fatal pestilences. The first step in its rejuvenescence was the establishment of a thorough system of sewerage under the direction of Col. Waring. The merit of the system is a sewer of vitrified pipe six inches in diameter, with eight joints laid in the street, or in the alley between two streets where alleys exist, having at its upper end a field flush tank with a discharging capacity of 112 gallons. All the houses on both sides the sewer are connected with it by four-inch pipes of the same material. The six-inch sewer, after receiving not to exceed 300 house drains, discharges into a main or sub-main sewer of eight inches diameter or more, and the submains discharge into the larger ones. The size of the submains and mains are of eight, ten, twelve, fifteen, and twenty-inch diameter. The greatest flow of the twenty-inch main, about 3,000 houses been connected with it, is about nine inches deep. The discharges are made into Bayou Gayoso. This vast system cost $182,000.00. In addition to this work over five miles of streets have been paved at a cost of $160,000.00. The citizens have not only paid their heavy taxes promptly, but have expended nearly $300,000 in cleaning out, disinfecting, and filling up vaults and carrying on other needed sanitary work.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Dress Decrees Issued by the Goddess of Fashion to Her Hosts of Willing Followers.

A Survey of the Latest Styles in Costumes and Material—Monastic Designs.

Baby.

"Baby and I are alone,
Just baby and I!
His eyes look up and mine look down,
And the love that flashes in sympathy
Is the gem in the crown."

Fashion Notes

THE combination of pink and garnet is still very fashionable.

HIGH square necked bodices with elbow sleeves are worn with most evening toilets.

WHITE or tinted ostrich feather trimming is a very fashionable garniture for handsome dresses of satin brocade.

NECKERCHIEFS of tinted mull with delicate flower borders, and edged with Grecque lace, are very lovely and becoming.

FULL ruches of black Spanish lace form high frills about the necks of many handsome toilets of black brocaded velvet.

POINT colbert, which resembles Venetian rose point lace, is very effective trimming for reception dresses of ruby velvet.

IMMENSE bows of satin are fastened at the left side of the belt. These have in a measure taken the place of the belt bouquet.

HUSSAR jackets are very pretty and serviceable, made of black silk, with revers, cuffs, pockets, and wide collar of black velvet, either plain or embroidered.

BROAD colars and cuffs of Carrickmacross point are very stylish and pretty. One thing greatly in favor of the lace is that it will "do up" beautifully.

THE newest French linen table spreads have a rich silk embroidery upon the borders, done in Italian stitch. The designs are varied and often grotesque.

THE hand-painted French fans of satin and silk are masterpieces of art, and are the most elegant and fashionable of all the styles lately imported.

SMOCK polonaises are made of brown plush, shirred in at the waist and about the shoulders and wrists and trimmed with zibelinette, a handsome but very perishable feathery trimming.

HANDSOME Roman aprons are made of black satin with insertions and frills of Oriental striped silk. Bright cashmere girdles with heavy tassels or spikes attached are worn with these aprons.

PRETTY ball toilets for young girls are made with short round skirts, not coming down any lower than the ankle, and shown by the pretty XV. shoes or embroidered satin with high heels and narrow bands across the instep.

THE shoulder-knots and corsage flowers of the moment are made of artificial wild roses, a spray of Cape jasmine and clustering branches of eglantine leaves and blossoms. For trimming whole toilets, crushed roses in pink and tea shades are much employed.

STYLISH young ladies wear with the Jersey suits a long silk scarf of bright colored India silk plaid, which they wrap about their shoulders, cross in front and tie in the back, a little to the left, Highland fashion. This scarf is most appropriate as a jaunty finish to a skating costume.

SHORT ball dresses are decidedly gaining in public favor, and young ladies who attend a large party or ball, with a view to enjoy dancing, and not merely for the display of a long train to be stepped upon and mangled in the swift mazes of the "racket," are delighted with the innovation.

SILK openwork Jersey bodices are imported. They are sleeveless and call for twenty-five button kid gloves. With these bodices are to be worn a plain silk underwaist of some contrasting color. These dressy waists are more favoured by the Parisian ladies that were the original Jerseys made of stockinet.

Mother Hubbard bonnets have square crowns, towering feathers and flaring brims, which are drawn down at the sides over the ears, and tied under the chin with broad satin strings. Arrayed in one of these bonnets and enveloped in a Mother Hubbard cloak made of Roman plaids, a young lady of the period might pass for a weary wandering relic of the sixteenth century

MALTESE lace is once more coming into fashion. Those who possess a store of this once favorite lace will doubtless congratulate themselves upon the announcement. Most people, however, prefer the new popular makes, of Alencon, Languedoc, Spanish, Chantilly, and Vermicelli laces infinitely better. But tastes differ and change is inevitable, and fashion never was so famous for fidelity, and is ever declining to let "well enough" alone.

THE Beauharnais hat is affected by most ladies who like extremes in fashion. The brim of this hat is simply immense, and is covered on the outside by a heavy wreath of ostrich plumes, the ends of which reach to the shoulder. The insides of the cavern is filled in with short drooping ostrich tips, tigers' claws, owls' heads, birds' wings and beaks, and a general conglomeration of barbaric-looking trophies, brought from every point of the globe, from the Arabian desert to the Jersey flats.

Waifs.

As with a woman, so with a horse. His back hair is his main trouble.

Maiden lady's aphorism—"Where singleness is bliss it is folly to be wives."

The ladies wear gold tuning-forks for hair-pins in these degenerate days. "There's music in the hair," so to speak.

A celebrated silver-working company advertises the "Princess Louise spoons," when, in fact, the princess never spoons.

"Kissing your sweetheart," says a trifling young man, "is like eating soup with a fork; it takes a long time to get enough."

A young man in love is not necessarily a mathematician, but is nearly always a sigh for her. If you can't cipher this out we sigh for you.

Beaconsfield ascribes his success to women. Adam laid all his troubles to the same source. Adam, we are ashamed of you. Beaconsfield, you are a gentleman.

"I'd sooner be cursed than kissed," says Tennyson in his latest volume, which leads us to think that there are a great many homely women in his neighborhood.

Mr. Garfield, his wife, and the young lady who is to assist in doing the honors of the white house, have all been school teachers. The reins of government will be kept taut.

When you hear a young lady very carefully say: "I haven't saw," you may be quite confident that she is a recent graduate of one of the most thorough of our numerous female seminaries.

Leap year is over, and the rich old bachelors are beginning to raise the windows a little and get a breath of fresh air once more. In a few days they will again venture to leave their rooms.

An English magazine discourses on "Cheap Girls." It says: "No young man, not even the worst, wants anything to do with a cheap young lady." This is a mistake. No matter how cheap a girl may be, her young man always thinks she is a "little dear."

Public opinion on the subject of faithless husbands is very strong in Somerset, Ky. Mr. Love was that kind of an offender. His wife led a mob against him. He fled hastily, without coat, trousers, or boots, with the crowd in close pursuit. At the end of a mile he was overtaken, and left suspended, head downward, from a tree. He was almost frozen to death when, two hours afterward, a humane preacher cut him down.

A Wedding with Millions in it.

(From the San Francisco Chronicle.)

The bridal robe was one fit for a queen, and never before was such a costume seen in this country. The gown was of a new style of silk known as gros de tour, the point of the skirt being one solid mass of embroidery wrought upon white satin with beads, crystals, and pearls of the very finest description, the pattern for which was copied from a painting of an old court robe now hanging in the gallery of the Louvre in Paris. Down the sides of this embroidered frontpiece were panels of point d'Angleterre lace, fifteen inches wide, with revers of the pearl embroidery that joined on to the undertrain, over which fell a second train of the same magnificent silk, and which is known as the Manteau de Cour, or, to put it in English, the same style of court train that is worn at the presentation to the English Queen of to-day. It was put in deep plaits on a band, and joined to the waist under the body, which was cut in points both front and back, with bands of the same embroidery around the square-cut neck, down the front, and around the side, and laced in the back. The demi-sleeves were finished with a fall of the same rich lace about two and a half inches wide, and above it a band of the embroidery; but the crowning feature of the robe was the rich piece of lace (also point d'Angleterre, and the same width of the panels), which commenced at the point of the body in front, was carried gracefully over the hips and met in the back, falling over the entire train, and reaching to the bottom of it in two broad ways, being caught to the ground with bunches of white flowers of an indescribable style. A drapery of point d'Angletrre lace fell over the shoulders, meeting in the front, and was held together by a bunch of aubepine flowers. A perfectly plain, long tulle vail reaching to the floor was fastened to the hair with a little knot of aupepines. The ornaments were most magnificent diamonds, that once belonged to her mother. The bridegroom had mislaid the ring. The bride and groom stood beneath the floral bell, facing the minister, and Senator Sharon stood a little back of the bride, and Mrs. Davis near the groom, by Fred Sharon's side. Sir Thomas looked a trifle nervous and pale, while the bride's beauty was enhanced by a deep colour. The presence of Dr. Beers as officiating clergyman was a surprise to many of the guests, who were not aware of the fact that Miss Sharon had renounced Catholicism, and several weeks ago decided to be married by an Episcopal clergyman, and join the Church of England upon her arrival at her new home. The room was hushed into perfect silence, when Dr. Beers opened his prayer book and pronounced the first word of the beautiful service. From the beginning to the close not a word of the grooms responses could be heard by those standing even a few feet away, but Miss Sharon responded in a low, yet clear and distinct tone. Previous to the placing of the wedding ring the bridesmaid removed the bride's glove, and the groom found the ring only after a considerable search in his vest pocket, which disclosed his possession of a match box and several other useful and ornamental knick-knacks, unhappily stowed away in the same pocket. At the conclusion of the ceremony the married pair, after receiving Dr. Beers's congratulation, faced the guests and received the pleasant wishes of all those present. After that Sir Thomas relinquished his bride to the escort of her brother, and himself taking Miss Sedgwick on his arm, the four promenaded up and down the main floor corridor and through the reception rooms, dancing being started by the guests in the music hall.

An Amazon In Ireland.

Miss Gardiner, whose valiant exploits in defending herself against a large and threatning crowd in the streets of Ballina, in the county Mayo, Ireland, has been called and is well entitled to the historic sobriquet of "Awful Gardiner." Long before Boycotting was introduced, she was an object of terror and hatred in the country for the fierce severity with which she enforced what she deemed her rights, and the fearless pluck with which she encountered the consequences. Her property, which was but a small one, is situated near Killala, a small town in the north of Mayo, and not far from the confines of Sligo, which is the seat of a Roman Catholic bishopric, now filled by the Most Reverend Hugh Conway, and which, with the property round, is principally owned by the Knoxes and Knox-Gores, of the old school of tyrant tory landlords. She is entirely of this kidney herself. Her rents are high, and she has been so savage in their exaction, going round herself and ringing the last farthing from the rags of the poor, that she has been fired at twice at periods when landlord game was not in season. She is now of an uncertain age, medium-sized and of very masculine appearance, wearing hunting-boots, and a short dress; is a crack shot, and in a country celebrated, like Argos of old, for its noble deeds and daring horsewomen, ranks second only to two others, Miss Dennis and Caroline Persse, as a horsewoman. She hunts often with the same pack as she did in her girlhood, Mrs. Brassy, a daughter of Lord Clamorris, who is regarded as at present the crack horsewomen in England, and whom many Americans may have met at Melton. Miss Harriet, as she is called, always carried, before revolvers came in fashion, a huge cutting-whip, with which she has repeatedly inflicted punishment on those who provoked her anger. She will not blanch, as Boycott did, before any danger. She is game to the bone, and revels in a fight.

Gave 'em Away.

A certain fashionable lady in San Francisco, whose lovely daughters are regarded as the most elegant belles of the city, having become disgusted with the arrogance, lies, and neglect of the "coloured gemmam" who deigned to wait upon them, suddenly discharged that personage and employed a Celestial, who had been strongly recommended to her for his strict attention to his duties and perfect truthfulness. Soon after his installation, his mistress determined to give an informal "hop," and on the afternoon of the day on which the party was to take place told Lung to say "Not at home" to anyone who called. As chance would have it, one of the young ladies' most fastidious beaus, and one on whom they all wished to make a favourable impression, came to ask permission to bring a friend with him in the evening, and, on inquiring for the ladies, was told by the truthful Young: "They tell me say all gone out, but old woman she in kitchen washee dishee, the young misses they up-stairs paintee faces." It is needless to say the young man did not put in his appearance that evening, and truthful Lung is seeking another situation.

Turkish Carpets.

Ooshak, a large village of artisans, about six days' journey due east from Smyrna, is the headquarters of a manufacture of the carpets known for generations as "Turkey carpets." The patterns are Turkish, or rather, Arabesque. A carpet between seven and eight yards long will employ eight women at once, working side by side. Their wages are about eight piastres a week, which, it is calculated, comes to about forty-three cents for each yard of carpet woven. The wool used comes from the villages round about, and is bought for about a halfpenny a pound in its uncleaned state. When washed and bleached it loses at least one-third of its weight. The foundation of the carpet is made of an inferior wool, and the whole material of the fabric may cost about sixty-seven cents a yard. This does not include the dyeing, which is managed by the men, and forms the chief item of cost. The colors are produced for the most part with madder, cochineal and indigo.

Flirting on Ocean Steamers.

The officers of the ocean steamers, it is said, can, from their post of observation on "the bridge," tell more of what is going on among the passengers — flirtations and elopements—and better judge of their characteristics, whether they are fugitives from justice, commercial travellers, clergymen, or grass-widows, than the passengers learn below. One of these observing captains declares that he knows whether a young woman has left her lover at one port or expects to meet him at another. The explanation, like the explanation of many other amazing things, is simple enough. If her lover is behind her, she cares nothing for wind, rain, or fog, but gets tanned, freckled, and roughened in a highly healthful and independent fashion. But, if her lover is waiting for her, she takes infinite trouble with veils and other complexion preservatives.

Strange Experience with a Madman.

The following extraordinary story is vouched for as true: A few days ago, while a lady of Providence, R. I., of artistic tastes and habits was walking leisurely along Fifth avenue, New York, she noticed a sign of an artist's studio, whereupon she entered an open door, ascended one flight of stairs, rapped at the artist's door, heard the words "Come in," and entered a spacious room elegantly furnished. Its high windows were richly draped with heavy curtains, and, standing on the floor, was an easel after the fashion of most artists. In the room sat a man alone, with easel and [illegible] immovable, and with eyes glaring fiercely on his visitor, as if enraged at her intrusion, but not uttering a word. A few moments passed, she made a casual remark in regard to some picture, when he

SUDDENLY JUMPED FROM HIS SEAT,

rushed upon her, seized her by the throat, his eyes glaring wildly, and his features indicating the fiercest excitement, and exclaimed madly: "Now I have you! I have been looking for you for the last ten years, and now I have got you at last, and I'll kill you!" At first the shock to her was terrible and overwhelming, and she became quite unconscious, but recovering herself a little she struggled, screamed, and entreated, but to no purpose. He clung to her throat with one hand, and with the other tried to fill her mouth with her clothing. Finally, having loosed his hold, he rushed to the door, locked it,

SEIZED A LARGE KNIFE,

and began to sharpen it upon his shoe, telling her that her time had come, and she must prepare to meet her God; that he was going to cut her into inch pieces. She fell upon her knees, prayed, entreated, told him of her husband and child, and wept in the wildest agony, fully believing that her time had come, and that she must die—but with no avail. He continued to make his preparations in the most violent excitement. He told her that he should put her body in the large stove in his room, to burn it up. Finally, overcome by excitement, she sank upon the floor. At this the rage of the madman seemed to subside a little. Still, he continued his threats and preparations. After having recovered a little from her exhaustion, having now been in the clutches of the lunatic for

OVER TWO HOURS,

during which time she suffered untold agony. She now entreated him to give her some food, or something to revive her. It was now about 6 o'clock in the evening. He then went to the door, saying that he was going to get something for himself, unlocked it, opened it, went out, and locked the door behind him. Alone in the room, she screamed to the top of her voice, hoping she might bring some one to her rescue, but to no avail. He soon returned, still threatening her with instant death if she was not silent. The fiend seemed to have no other purpose but to torment her or to take her life. Finally he told her that, if she would take his arm and go quietly down stairs, she could go. Hope now dawned upon her. She told him that she would do anything. He accordingly made her walk down with him into the street. She felt

INEXPRESSIBLE RELIEF,

having got out of prison. Here she strove to extricate herself, but he threatened to dash her brains out against the walls of the building unless she went quietly. She told him she wanted to take an "up town" car. He said, "I'll go with you. I'll follow you to the ends of the earth." He entered the car with her, sat down by her side, and appeared perfectly sane. He paid her fare, and never uttered a word till she got out of the car. He followed her, and, on arriving at her residence, said to her: "You must be at my place to-morrow at 11 o'clock. I shall follow you.

YOU CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT ME."

She then opened the door and closed it upon him with unutterable relief. Thus she was once more free from the clutches of a maniac, and had escaped impending death. The affair occurred near the Fifth Avenue Hotel. The man was thin and spare, above the medium height, of sandy complexion, bald, wore a mustache, was richly dressed, wore diamond bosom-studs, and nicely-fitting buff gloves. These he put on carefully whenever he went out.

Man.

[Extracted from an Old Volume.]

The average weight of an adult man is 140 pounds six ounces.

The average weight of a skeleton is about 14 pounds.

Number of bones, 240.

The skeleton measures one inch less than the height of the living man.

The average weight of the brain of a man is three and a half pounds; of a woman two pounds eleven ounces.

The brain of a man exceeds twice that of any other animal.

The average height of an Englishman is five feet, nine inches; of a Frenchman, five feet, four inches; and of a Belgian, five feet, six and three-quarter inches.

The average weight of an Englishman is 150 pounds; of a Frenchman 136 pounds; a Belgian, 140 pounds.

The average number of our teeth is thirty two.

A man breathes about twenty times a minute, or 1,200 times an hour.

A man breathes about eighteen pints of air in a minute, or upwards of seven hogsheads in a day.

A man gives off 4.08 per cent. carbonic acid gas of the air he respires; respires 10,666 cubic feet of carbonic acid gas in twenty-four hours, equal to 125 cubic inches of common air.

A man annually contributes to vegetation 124 pounds of carbon.

The average of the pulse in infancy is 120 per minute; in manhood, 80; at 60 years 60. The pulse of females is more frequent than that of males.

The weight of the circulating blood is about twenty-eight pounds.

The heart beats seventy-five times a minute; sends nearly ten pounds of blood through the veins and arteries each beat, and makes four beats while we breathe once.

Five hundred and forty pounds, or one hogshead one and one-quarter pints of blood pass through the heart in one hour.

Twelve thousand pounds, or twenty-four hogsheads four gallons, or 10,782½ pints pass through the heart in twenty-four hours.

One thousand ounces of blood pass through the blood in one hour.

One hundred and seventy four million holes, or cells, are in the lungs, which would cover a surface thirty times greater than the human body.

Mr. Trueman H. Bartlett, the sculptor, when about to visit New York, some time since, received a letter from his friend X., a resident of that city, in which the latter mentioned, with much admiration, a fine bust of Miss Maggie Mitchell, then upon exhibition there. When Mr. Bartlett reached Gotham, X. took him to see the bust in question, expressing his enthusiasm with much warmth. "There," he said, placing the sculptor before it, "how do you like that? Isn't that fine, eh? I tell you that's stunning. Why in the world, Bartlett, don't you do something like that? Something pleasing. That's a capital bust!" "I'm glad you think so," Bartlett answered, coolly; "I thought it was fair when I made it."

MILTON was asked if he intended to instruct his daughter in the different languages; to which he replied; "No, sir! one tongue is sufficient for a woman!"

Mental Ill Health.

Mind and body are, as everybody knows, so closely related, so interdependent, that what affects one must affect the other. Nobody can be mentally well who is physically ill, and yet one who is mentally ill may not show any signs of physical ailment, and may defy diagnosis. Good health usually refers to the body; when it is sound, all desirable conditions are thought to be fulfilled. But no man can be healthful who is continually anxious and troubled without cause; who is restless, discontented, depressed, as might be said, on general principles.

Many persons, especially of our race, are chronic sufferers in this way, though they appear to be in perfect health as respects all the corporeal functions. They admit that they have little or no hope of or for anything; that they are scarcely capable of positive enjoyment; that what is called recreation, pastime, pleasure, wearies and bores them; that life is at best a burden, the world a failure, creation a blunder. Nevertheless, their brain, lungs, stomach are, they declare, just as they should be. They sleep well, have good appetite, are wholly free from aches or ailments of any and every kind. They doubtless speak the truth: their disease is not of the body, but of the mind—it is mental dyspepsia, and far harder to cure than if it were physical. It is a very subtle and singular disorder; indeed, it is not recognized as a disorder at all, but is explained as a temporary condition by general and often remote causes which have nothing to do with it. The source, or sources, of it are generally unknown, even unsuspected, either by the sufferer or by his friends. They elude research, wisdom, insight. Sympathy cannot reach them nor materially alleviate their outcome. Everything connected with the distemper is mysterious and unreducible to form. It is as evanescent as a shadow, yet as real as sorrow.

The mental dyspeptic is never conscious that he has the disease, nor can he be persuaded that he has any disease. He is aware that he is unlike other men, but he rejoices privately in the unlikeness, intrepreting it to his own vanity. His peculiar views and feelings he conceives to be, if not natural, at least proper, because, whether pleasant or otherwise, they are his. They are evidence of his understanding, his insight, his sagacity; if the world could be illuminated as he is, it would see the vanity of effort, the folly of ambition, the emptiness of life. If anybody intimates that he is morbid, he treats the intimation derisively; he is hale and hearty, though he may be neither cheerful nor hopeful. He perceives things as they are; he is not deluded by appearances, imposed upon by shams, duped by tricks. The truth is not inspiring nor encouraging. Boldness is required to confront it, and intimate acquaintance with it destroys faith and reduces contentment to a minimum. They alone have aspirations and expectations and keen enjoyments who are ignorant of the verities of the universe. If they could actually see and understand with their own eyes and their own minds, instead of receiving impressions at second hand, depending on echoes, as it were, they would be disenchanted of their fancies and surrender their illusions.

So the mental dyspepsic is inclined to think and talk. In place of considering himself out of health he believes he is robust, and that others are puny in their ideas and judgment. The highest health in his conception is evinced by the lowest view of human nature and the greatest dissatisfaction with the world. In his bitterness he looks down upon and pities the many—the vulgar multitudes he would style it—who are so unwise and so unintelligent as to hold that there are compensations in life and that the good of existence far outweighs its evil. They should pity him—for he is really pitiable—on account of his unfortunate organization, whence arises his inability to recognize beauty and virtue, and his equally unfortunate habit of looking only at the dark side of things. Pity him? How deeply he would resent the idea! Should subtle insight and profound sagacity evoke the humiliating passion of pity?

Mental dyspepsia is apt to be an inheritance, like gout, cancer, consumption, though it may be developed by a variety of external circumstances. As a rule it inheres in the temperament, and while it may be mitigated, perhaps cured, by very careful and continued treatment, it is usually too deep seated, too stubborn to be much modified. It is commonly in the blood and constitution of the child, and cannot be eradicated, because it colors the opinions and shapes the habits of mature life, and these act and react on the original ailment until both becomes chronic. It has divers names—melancholy, discontent, skepticism misanthrophy, cynicism, insensibility, cloyment,—all ranked as phrases of the mind or effects of certain conditions. That it in any manner belongs to pathology never occurs to the mass of medical practioners, and naturally enough, since they do not pretend to deal with other than the body, albeit the true physician must understand the mysteries of the brain. It is still a problem whether mental dyspepsia can be affected by anything contained in the pharmacopœia. Nevertheless, it is incontestably a disease, though too strange and variable to be classified, and displaying very different symptoms in different individuals.

Many men of distinction, especially literary men, have suffered from it. Poets and philosophers are particularly subject to it, and have been from the earliest time, Timon, Antithsenes, Diogenes, Lucretius, Byron, Pushkin, Heinrich, Heine, Musset, Schopenhauer, Poe, Tourgueneff, Carlyle, have each and all been its victims, as well as hundreds, yea thousands, whose names are unknown. It is a distemper of the era, and notably of our Nation—it should not by rights be with us and ours—and steadily grows with aggravated symptoms. Women almost never have it, and action seems inconsistent with its progress. Thought, study, seclusion, privacy, stimulate it, and, so far as it can be remedied, activity, intercourse with nature, contact with the outside world, are efficient to such an end. Mental dyspepsia may be arrested at the beginning by diligent, unwearied efforts and by counteracting influences. But it is always dangerous, and often leads to insanity and suicide—its natural results.

Marry or Pay.

AN INDIANAPOLIS STORY.

A very singular and also ludicrous story, which is none the less true, however, is told of a clerk in one of the leading business houses of this city, who became so involved that he needed $500 to extricate himself from the difficulty. By some means he discovered that a table girl of one of the hotels had by hard work saved up a considerable sum of money, and to her he applied for a loan. This was readily granted, and a note, with interest and a day of payment only some months in the future, was executed in acknowledgement of the same. The time came, and with it the same chronic inability of the maker to pay it. He pleaded for an extension of time, but this the waiter maiden refused utterly to grant, and informed him that he must either pay the sum at once or marry her. The woman was about 40 years old, and much more than correspondingly ugly, so that the debtor demurred against the imposition of such hard terms. The woman, however, was firm. With her it was either the money or a husband, and on the whole she seemed quite anxious to choose the latter. When the hero discovered the gravity of the situation he perceived no way to escape it, and finally capitulated. So the marriage was performed one evening in the early part of this week. The man belongs to a good family, and is said to be greatly humiliated by the condition in which he so unwillingly finds himself in being allied by force to a woman so inferior to himself in social position and intelligence. The woman, however, was so well pleased that she rented and furnished a house, and was ready for business before the wedding day. The names of the parties are withheld for obvious reasons.

A MAN was arrested in New York the other day, with a coffin under his arm, which he was trying to sell for ten cents. The man wanted two biers worse than one coffin.

A COUPLE arrived at San Francisco on their bridal tour, and took a room at a hotel. The bridegroom then informed the bride that he was out of money, and did not know how to get any. He said that the best thing for them to do was to commit suicide. She agreed, and suggested the use of laudanum, of which she had a bottle. They divided the drug into two equal parts, and swallowed it. The man died, but the dose proved insufficient to kill the woman, and she has recovered.

THE King of Italy, travelling in the strictest *incognito* as the Count of Pavia, is expected to spend a few days in Paris, and he will make a short visit to England, where he will be the guest of the Prince and the Princess of Wales at Sandringham, and will visit the Queen at Osborne.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Jan. 21st, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

THE Meaford *Monitor* is after us with a sharp stick for saying we did not approve of its disseminating party principles under the guise of independence, claiming that, while it is not a non-political paper, it is a non-partizen one. If landing the Reform party, or individual members thereof, up to the skies on the slightest pretext, and damning the Tories with faint praise, is being non-partizan, the *Monitor* is correct in its statement; but it will excuse us if we are of a different opinion. As regards our having no opinion of our own, if our worthy *cotem* will take the trouble to look over our first i[illegible] will see we distinctly stat[illegible] politics we w[illegible] do, but confin[illegible] matters exclusiv[illegible] at questions of the [illegible] by our bigger brot[illegible] believing that a count y paper could serve its patrons to better advantage by so doing. What our *private* political opinions are concerns no one, as long as we do not obtrude them on the [illegible] to be non-p[illegible].

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From our Corresp[illegible]

SOCIAL.—A very successful entertainment was given by the Ladies' Aid Association (M[illegible]) in the basement of the [illegible] Tuesday evening, the 18th inst. The programme consisted of [illegible] of readings, recitations, [illegible], and vocal and instrumental music. During the evening a sumptuous repast was served. The Association intend giving another entertainment two weeks from the 18th inst. We trust that on that occasion the house will be crowded.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL. — We will give full particulars of the masquerade carnival in our next week's issue. It was held on the 19th inst.

BREVITIES.—The Band gave some "NEW" music on the Rink Saturday night last......The Presbyterian Sabbath School intend purchasing an organ......Richardson's display of groceries is very tempting to people with "sweet teeth."......We have had considerable weather during the past week......The Ladies' Aid Association (Presbyterian) met for the transaction of business last Thursday.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

Twenty-ninth Council, first meeting. Maxwell, Jan. 17. 1882. The members elected for the year 1881, met, took the oath of office and qualification, and took their seats. Members present—Messrs. McGirr, Reeve; McIntyre, Deputy-Reeve; Johnston, Sing and Taylor, Councillors. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Communications were read from Jno. Rutherford, Wesley Long, John Winters, C. F. Heron, Joseph Maxwell, C. W. Rutledge, A. Bell, Pellat & Osler, J. Stolery and Hiram Somberger. Mr. McIntyre moved seconded by Mr. Johnston, that Joseph Taylor, Thomas Johnston and J. R. Sing be a Committee to inquire into the validity of the Treasurer's securities, and report to Council.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, seconed by Mr. McIntyre, that A. McGirr, J. Taylor and T. Johnston, be a Committee on Roads and Bridges.—Carried. Mr. McIntyre, seconded by Mr. Joenston, that J. R. Sing, A. McIntyre and A. McGirr, be appointed a Committee on Finance and Assessment.—Carried. Mr. McIntyre moved, seconded by Mr. Sing, that all communications and petitions be referred to there respective Committees.—Carried. Mr. McIntyre moved seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the sum of $2 be granted for the use of each polling booth, and the sum of $8 be paid to each of the returning officers for the election of 1881; that the Reeve issue his orders for the same.—Carried. Finance Committee's Report No. 1, handed in, and reported as follows: 1st—That the account of J. Rutherford for printing, amounting to $22.42, be paid. 2nd That the account of W. Long, amounting to $1.25, for locks and repairs to ballot boxes, be paid. 3rd —That the application of A. Bell, Esq., *re* taxes, lot 73, 2nd N. D. R., be laid over. 4th and 5th—That this Committee recommends a grant of $5 each to Mrs. Glover and Flora McQueen. 6th—That the application of Joseph Maxwell, for Assessing, be laid over for further consideration. 7th—That the offer of the Markdale STANDARD be laid over for further consideration; the Clerk to ask for Schedule not enclosed as stated; and that the Reeve issue his orders for the amounts recommended. All of which is respectfully submitted, J. R. SING, *Chairman*. Report received. The Committee on Roads and Bridges hand in Report No. 1, as follows:—That this Committee would recommend this Council to accept the terms offerred by the North of Scotland Mortgage Company, *i. e.*, to pay the said Company the sum of $25, and fence deviation through lot 29, con. 18, in consideration of right of way granted and deeded to this Municipality. That the Collector be instructed to collect the arrears of taxes on lot 28, range 8 S. D. R., from George Parsons, less $15 by him performed in road work, and certified by John Winters. All of which is respectfully submitted. J. TAYLOR, *Chairman*.—Report received. W. Suggitt appeared before the Council asking that a reduction be made in the taxes payable by G. W. McKenzie, on account of his having received no benefit from the property assessed. Reduction refused. The Reeve nominated Samuel B. Edwards as his Auditor. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that Neil A. McLean be appointed Auditor for the current year.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. Johnston, that Mr. Joseph Taylor be, and is hereby instructed to apply to the heirs of the late James Gibson for the Consolidated Statutes of Ontario belonging to this Municipality, for the use of the Clerk.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the Council adjourn until the 7th day of February, to meet in the Village of Feversham, and that the Clerk be instructed to get notices printed and posted up of such meeting. Carried.

W. MILNE, Clerk.

HOLLAND COUCIL.

Council met in Vogan,s Hall, for the transactions of business. Reeve in the chair. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and approved. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the following persons be exempt from paying taxes for 1880:—Widows, McDiarmid, Ball, Cæsar, Chambers, Graham, Mathews, and Jas. Robinson. Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that W. J. Spears get an order for 90c., and Thomas Lyons an order for 68c., on account of error in assessment. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that Jas. Robinson receive an order for $5, being indigent. The Reeve appointed Joshua Milligan, and the Council Jno. Sutherland as Auditor's, on motion of Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton. Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the petition of Mr. P. Lyons, with regard to U. S. S. No. 8, Holland and Euphrasia, be laid over for further consideration. Moved and seconded, that the Clerk have a column put in the Assessor's Roll, for taking census of children between 5 and 16 years of age. Moved and seconded, that R. McKinnet, be assessor at a salary of $55, and to take the censes of all the children between the ages of 5 and 16, in each section and do all the work except selecting Jurors. Moved and seconded, that the Clerk be retained at a salary of $120 per annum. Mr. Norton asked for the yeas and nays, with the following result:—yeas, Shute, Cameron & Gillespie. Nays, Norton. Moved and seconded that the accounts of Rutledge and Rutherford for printing be paid. Moved and seconded, that the Collector's Roll be extended. Moved and seconded, that S. C. Langley be refunded the sum of $20. Moved and seconded, that R. M. Galbraith be exempt from paying taxes for 1880. Council adjourned to meet on the 25th Feb 1881.

C. PRICE, Clerk.

JAN. 17th, 1881.

HAGYARD'S Pectoral Balsam is the most safe, pleasant and perfect remedy known for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. It cures Coughs Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, and all Pectoral Complaints, in the most speedy manner. A few doses will relieve the most troublesome cough in children or adults. For sale by all dealers, at 25 cents per bottle.

PROTON AGRICULTURAL SO'Y.

The annual meeting of the above society took place in the Orange Hall, Dundalk, on Thursday, Jan. 13th. The Sec'y read the Annual Report, showing the society in a very satisfactory condition, financially and otherwise; the increase in membership being over one hundred per cent. The directors recommended that the exhibition he extended to two days for this year, and that a fall ploughing match be held in connection with the society. After the report was adopted, the meeting proceeded to the election of officers for the current year, with the following results:—President, T. Hanbury; Vice-President, John Anderson; Directors, John Rundle, Jas. Robinson, Jas. Rosborough, Andrew Riddle, D. K. McArthur, Geo. Campbell, Robt. Black and Samuel Stock. Joseph McArdle was appointed auditor for 1881 on behalf of the members. The auditors for 1880, having failed to make a report, Messrs. Isaac Traynor and Joseph McArdle were appointed to audit the treasurer's books. Their report showed a balance in the treasurer's hands of $176 after paying all prizes and expenses. Vote of thanks were given to all the office bearers for the past year, and regret was expresed by all at the retirement of Duncan McMillan, late Vice-President with the hope that, although not connected with the society in an official capacity, they would still receive his good advice and encouragement.

[We are indebted to Mr. A. G. Hunter, Secretary of the society for the above report. We had to cut it down considerable, however, for want of space.]

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR.—I notice in your paper of the 7th inst., that a person signing himself "Farmer," in reporting the proceedings of the Nomination, did me a great injustice in stating that I was opposed to giving any further aid to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. I stated the very opposite, I said I was in favor of granting the required aid, provided they would carry our stuff at a reduced rate; but I was opposed to giving one cent if they would not furnish the above security. After studying the subject still more carefully, I am convinced that the above is the wisest course for us to presue. It is certain that we have the improvements to pay for in either case. The company stated positively, that if they do not get the required help that they will put on a heavy rate, and so compel us to pay it. Mr. Wragge, the present manager of the T., G. & B. Railway, stated to a ratepayer of Artemesia, that one dollar now would be worth as much to them as ten would be when the road was completed. The company has stated that if we would give the bonus they would discrimnate in our favor. If they bind themselves to reduce our rates 2½ cents per hundred each way, it would pay us to give them ten thousand dollars, as we would get back every dollar in the higher prices our grain buyers could afford to pay us for our grain. It would not be a proper business transaction on our part as a township to grant a bonus under existing circumstances, as we would be giving our money to the T., G. & B. Company, and expecting favors from the Grand Trunk Company in return for it. Bonds entered into by both companies should be sufficient security for us. I would advise "Farmer" before he attempts to write again for the press, to study Phonography in order to be able to give correct statements. Wishing the standard every success.

I remain yours &c.,

THOS. BOLAND.

Jan. 15th, 1881.

FREE the system of impurities, excite the secretions to a healthy action, cleanse the blood, and tone up the weakened nerves, with that matchless medicine Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures Scrofula, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Jaundice, Consumption, Dyspepsia, Headache, Nervous and General Debility, and all Female Complatts. Every dealer in medicine can supply you with Burdock Blood Bitters. Sample bottles 10 cents, regular size $1.00.

WE learn from the *Mail's* Telegraph reports that a fire broke out in Meaford on the 14th inst. about four o'clock in the office of C. R. Sing, totally destroying seven buliding in the central part of the town. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective stove-pipe passing through the floor from a small eating-house, occupied by Mrs. Menary, in C. R. Sing's office. The lossers are as follows:—W. H. Arkness, Jewllery and stationery, stock partly saved, insured in the Phœnix for $1,000 and Standard for $1,000; building, frame rough-cast, owened by Chas. Little, insurance $1,000. Chas. Hunter, hardware merchant, frame rough-cast building insurance on building, $1,000, and on stock $2,000, in the Phœnix, $2,000, in the Queen's, and $2,000, in the Citizens; stock partly saved. C. R. Sing's Red Block of frame buildings, occupied by Drecker Bros., barber shop; Mrs. Meanary, eating house; office of C. R. Sing, and J. F. Brownridge's grocery store; stock partly saved; no insurance; small insurance on building. Frame building owned by Thos. Plukett, occupied by Brady and York, groceries stock partly saved; insured for $800. Frame building owened by Thomas Plunkett, occupied by the Montreal Telegraph office and F. Oliver's Grocery; stock partly saved; no insurance. Total loss on buildings from $8,000 to $10,000. Had it not been for the energy of fire company here the whole of the business part of the town would have been destroyed.

WE will take a cord and a quarter of green wood, or one cord of dry two foot wood for the Weekly *Mail* for one year. The paper to be furnished upon the delivery of the wood.

GENERAL ITEMS.

YESTERDAY's fair was very largely attended by both drovers and farmers. Cattle sold well, considering the quality of some of them. The merchants did a large business in their respective lines.—*Orangeville Advertiser*.

IT is stated that during the recent cold snap an up-country editor froze to death while sitting by his office stove endevoring to keep warm on the promise of his subscribers to pay wood for their paper.—*Ib.*

MUNICIPAL DEPUTATION.—A deputation consisting of Mr. Kenneth Chisholm M.P.P. for the county of peel, Mr. Colwell Scott, mayor of Orangeville, waited upon Attorney-General Mowat Friday morning in reference to the organization of the county of Dufferin for judicial purposes with Orangeville as the county town. The deputation strongly urged the issue of a proclamation establishing the new county according to the legislation of last session, stating that the county buildings were now nearly completed and would be entirely ready for occupation in a few days. The reply of the Attorney-General was favorable, and the proclamation is likely to issue within a week.—*Ib.*

No medicine is more justly popular than Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. It is a positive specific for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs leading to Consumption. It loosens the tough phlegm or mucous, soothes irritation, allays troublesome coughing and heals diseased lungs. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents per boottle.

WHAT might have resulted in a very serious accident occurred at Mr. A. Gifford's residence one evening last week. Miss Gifford was walking accross the room with a lamp in her hand when the top of the lamp becoming disconnected from the lower part fell and broke in pieces. Some of the oil spilt on the stove and becoming ignited set fire to the carpet and a brisk little blaze at once shot up. It was extinguished, however before any serious damage occurred.—*Monitor*.

A YOUNG man named Alex McDonald, a late arrival in town, was up before the Mayor on Wednesday evening, charged by Mrs. Myles with breaking into her house. The Mayor imposed a fine, which with costs amounted to $7.50. Failing to come down with the "needful" he was sent to jail for 20 days.—*Monitor*.

A proclamamation issued by the Governor General directs that the census of the Dominion shall be taken on Monday, April 4th, and that the procedure to be followed shall be after the *de jure* system, or of the domiciled population. Of the eight shedules to be filled the first gives the nominal return of the living, and the second the nominal return of deaths within the last twelve months. The third treats of real estate, public institutions and industrial establishments. The fourth gives a return of cultivated land, of field products, plants, fruits, etc., and the fifth of live stock, animal products, home made fabrics and furs. The sixth is a return of products of the forest, the seventh of shipping and fisheries, and the eighth of mineral products.

MOUNT Forest can now boast of a new institutions yclept a Police Court. Mayor Swan is to be the presiding beak and Clerk Perry is to officiate as Police Clerk. Police office will be at the clerk's office Main street and be open from ten till four. Police Court to be held in Council Chamber, Town Hall.—*Confederate*.

BIRTHS.

In Markdale, on the 14th inst., the wife of Mr. George Wright, Cabinet Maker, of a son.

MARRIED

At the residence of the bride's father, on December 29th, by the Rev. T. Snowdon, Mr. John Herron, of Artemesia, to Miss Eliza Ann, fourth daughter of Thomas Gamey, Esq., of Osprey.

DIED

In Markdale, on the 15th inst., infant son of Mr. Geo. Wright.

THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Jan. 7th, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.00
Fall do.	1.00	to	1.06
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.27	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.75	"	6.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.06	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6.50	"	0.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.1

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National Pills, superior to all other purgatives in strength and virtue, in safety and mildness of action.

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Burdock Healing Ointment should be used in connection with Burdock Blood Bitters for curing Ulcers, Abscesses, Fevers, Sores, &c. Price 25 cents per box. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO.

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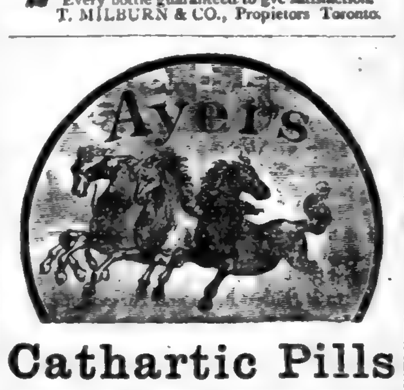
Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction. T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors Toronto.



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Combine the choicest cathartic principles in medicine, in proportions accurately adjusted to secure activity, certainty, and uniformity of effect. They are the result of years of careful study and practical experiment, and are the most effectual remedy yet discovered for diseases caused by derangement of the stomach, liver, and bowels, which require prompt and effectual treatment. AYER'S PILLS are specially applicable to this class of diseases. They act directly on the digestive and assimilative processes, and restore regular healthy action. Their extensive use by physicians in their practice and by all civilized nations, is one of the many proofs of their value as a safe, sure, and perfectly reliable purgative medicine. Being compounded of the concentrated virtues of purely vegetable substances, they are positively free from calomel or any injurious properties, and can be administered to children with perfect safety.

AYER'S PILLS are an effectual cure for Constipation or Costiveness, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Foul Stomach and Breath, Dizziness, Headache, Loss of Memory, Numbness, Biliousness, Jaundice, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Dropsy, Tumors, Worms, Neuralgia, Colic, Gripes, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Gout, Piles, Disorders of the Liver, and all other diseases resulting from a disordered state of the digestive apparatus.

As a Dinner Pill they have no equal.

While gentle in their action, these PILLS are the most thorough and searching cathartic that can be employed, and never give pain unless the bowels are inflamed, and then their influence is healing. They stimulate the appetite and digestive organs; they operate to purify and enrich the blood, and impart renewed health and vigor to the whole system.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

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LOVELL'S Province of Ontario Directory For 1881-82,

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MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an

Alphabetical Directory AND A THOROUGH CLASSIFIED Business Directory of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a CLASSIFIED BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers. Montreal, December, 1880.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a Note drawn in favor of Samuel Thompson, of Artemesia, and signed by Aaron and William Ernest, dated on or about the 1st day of July, 1880, and due on the 15th day of February, 1881, as we have received no value for the same.

AARON ERNEST, WILLIAM ERNEST.

Flesherton Station, Jan. 9, 1881. 18-3i*

TENDERS

WILL be received by the undersigned, up to Feb. 1st, 1881; for building a brick house, in Flesherton; contractor to supply all material. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office.

ROBT. DAVIS, *Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Flesherton.*

Jan. 5th, 1881. 17 tf

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All!

Now that [illegible]

FRESH GROCERIES, FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY AND LIQUORS! Everything First-Class and at RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDS [illegible] TER, equal to [illegible] section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by Dr. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment OFFERED BY THE BRITISH CANADIAN LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, AND British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES ATTENDED.

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 18-3m

MARKDALE HOUSE, MARKDALE, ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

PHOTOGRAPHS! 12 FOR $1.50.

I WOULD again intimate to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that I am prepared to give you the BEST SATISFACTION IN PHOTOGRAPHS, AMBROTYPES, COPYING AND ENLARGING!

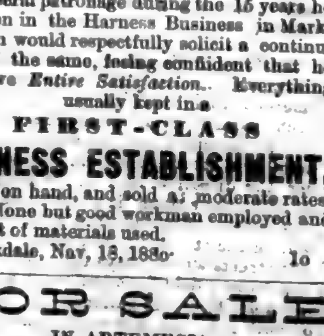
Please give me a call, and see for yourselves.

GALLERY, two doors from Revere Hotel.

R. BAILEY.

Markdale, Jan. 10, 1881. 18-3r

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a FIRST-CLASS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT, always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov, 18, 188o. 1o

FOR SALE IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY, Bentinck, Durham P. O

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 10th, 188o. 14m1

CARD.

TO MY PATRONS.

GENTLEMEN—While thanking you for the liberal patronage extended me in my Harness Business, and wishing you the complements of the season, I beg to intimate to you that I have disposed of that branch of my business to J. GORDON, and bespeak for him the liberal patronage accorded me in the past.

Yours truly,

S. DAMUDE.

Flesherton, Dec. 28, 188o. 16-5ih

FLESHERTON Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damude, begs to inform the public that he has REMOVED TO THE BUILDING OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, where he is prepared to furnish ALL KINDS of HARNESS usually found in a *First-Class Establishment,* And at prices to suit the times, and by using THE BEST OF MATERIAL, AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP, hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c., constantly on hand. COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, Dec., 1880. 16

Farm to Rent.

THE Subscriber wants to rent his Farm for four years, lot 16, con 9, Glenelg; 75 acres cleared; 15 acres ploughed. The soil is a good Clay Loam. There is on the premises a good Log Barn and a good comfortable house, and all other buildings necessary. Plenty of Water. Terms easy, as the Proprietor must leave. Possession given 1st April. Apply on the premises to John Black or the premises, or to Arch. Butter, Markdale.

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P. O., Ont.

January 13, 1881. 18-3i

FOR Cheap Stationery, Beautiful Christmas and New Year Cards call at the Standard Office.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the [illegible] control of the FLESHERTON STEAM FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FAC[TORY], AND REMOVED TO THE Furniture Warerooms TO THE NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE FA[CTORY]

[illegible] now Superior to any [illegible] commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of Furniture in all the Latest Sty[les] and during the Winter I require 100,000 FEET OF GOOD Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and LUMBER! for which THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID. Also a Quantity of Good P[ine]

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC. AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Applicat[ion]

Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham [Road].

H. HOOP[ER]

Flesherton, December 22, 1880.

SELLING OFF! FALL AND WINTE[R] AT AND UNDER COST For Cash, for 30 Day[s]

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEA[P]

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEA[P]

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothi[ng] CHEA[P]

Staple and Fancy Dry Goo[ds] OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT ROCK-BOTTOM PRIC[ES]

BOOTS AND SHO[ES] In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRI[CES] at the "TORONTO HOUS[E]" Wm. BROW[N]

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU A Merry Christmas and a Happy New [Year]

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say [illegible] been a year of prosperity with the people of our [illegible] and as others have prospered, we have been [illegible] participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially [illegible] moving into our new premises, and we solicit [illegible] patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of Christmas Good[s]

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and S[aucers]

and a large variety of CHILDREN'S TOYS

OUR GROCERIE[S]

For the season are, as usual, Well Selected, Fresh and Goo[d]

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.
The People are all asking for our TEA DUST, nothing suits so w[ell]

WE ARE OFFERING WINTER DRY GOO[DS] At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,
" 5,000 Telegraph Poles,
" Also, a quantity of Cordwoo[d]

HILL BROTHER[S]

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

STANDARD.

Jan. 21st, 1881.

OTHER NOTICES.

[illegible] weather. [illegible] was never better. [illegible] good, consequently every [illegible] beautiful hair sofa's at [illegible] Bros keeps the largest and [illegible] of stoves in the county. [illegible] parlor or bed-room set of [illegible] J. W. Bates, Flesher[ton].

[illegible] happy to see that Mr. John [illegible] about again after his ac[cident] last week.

[illegible] communications are held [illegible] until next week for want of [space].

[illegible] MCCORMICK has all [illegible] this grocery to Mr. Gould [illegible] new premises [illegible]

[illegible] on the T., G. & B. Rail[way] [illegible] been considerably behind [illegible] the past few days from snow [illegible]

[illegible] RICHARDSON has just received [illegible] lot of the excelsior tea, which [illegible] such general satisfaction.

[illegible] boat race between Han[illegible] Laycock, which was to have [taken] place on the 17th was postponed [illegible] count of the quantity of ice in [illegible] Thames.

[illegible] on Tuesday, 11th inst., on [illegible] south and Sydenham Road be[tween] Markdale and Noble's corners, [illegible] parcel containing a pair of [illegible] The finder will confer a [favor] by leaving them at this office.

[illegible] as we go to press of the [illegible] death of Mr. Jacob Keefer, one [of the] oldest settlers on the Lake [illegible] Line, Mr. Keefer paid a visit to [illegible] Mr. Geo. Keefer of Flesherton, [illegible] weeks since. [illegible] return journey home, and al[illegible] about 80 years of age. It [illegible] to last for a number of [years].

[illegible] have received the steel plate [illegible] of the late Hon. Geo. Brown [illegible] presented gratuitously to the [illegible] of the Weekly *Globe*, [illegible] frequently seen the Hon. [illegible] we can pronounce the [illegible] very life-like. Now is the [illegible] to subscribe. Call and see [illegible]

[illegible] COMMERCIAL HOTEL, PRICEVILLE [illegible] attention to the notice of [illegible] hotel to be found in another [illegible] The house has been [illegible] improved, and [illegible] courteous proprietor, Mr. [illegible] we bespeak for it a good [share of patronage].

[illegible] third annual supper of Eugenia [illegible] Orange, No. 684, came off on the 18th [illegible] The hall was crowded, and a very [illegible] evening was spent. [illegible] readings, recitations [illegible] features of the [illegible] Of course Mr. J. [illegible] with his daughter [illegible] a host in himself.—*Sec'y.*

[illegible] annual meeting of [illegible] cultural society for the [illegible] the following officers [illegible] R. Y. Burk; 2nd do. do., Jos[illegible] Taylor. Directors, Jos[illegible] R. Linley, J. R. Sing, [illegible] J. McMaster, [illegible] J. Menchions, David [illegible] Treas., Josiah Gamey.

ARTEMESIA agricultural society [illegible] annual meeting in the Town Hall [illegible] Flesherton, on the [illegible] the following officers [illegible] ensuing year:—President [illegible] Brown; Vice do., R. Oliver, Directors [illegible] Brodie, J. M. Webster, G. [illegible] Elliott and J. Bannon [illegible] elected J. Bredie, Sec.-Treas.

A DECIDED hum in the matrimonial [market] [illegible] this neighborhood. We [illegible] a gay and festive crowd leave the Markdale House on Wednesday, after previously having paid a visit to one of our ministers, we'd like to [illegible] quite expert, from the amount [illegible] practice he has had of late. The [illegible] young people will do it, we [illegible] the frequent warnings they receive [from] those who have been there.

MOUNT OATES' cold dip, promised [illegible] about the 15th arrived on [illegible] thermometer registering 10 degrees below zero on Friday morning last, and sitting round the stove [illegible] warm was the most prominent [illegible] business transaction of the day. The weather has moderated considerably since, and at the present time of writing (17th) the thermometer stands 18 degrees above zero. No [illegible] sons as yet of the promised thaw.

A CONCERT will be held in the Orange Hall, Berkeley, on Friday, Jan. 28th inst. The following [illegible] Dougal, Owen Sound, Reid and Ford of Markdale, and Messrs W. McDougal, Ford, Cæsar, Mason and Tanner are to be present. The Markdale string band will also be present. Admission 25c. and 15c. Proceeds to assist in furnishing Christ Church, Markdale.

THE annual meeting of East Grey agricultural society was held in the Town Hall, Flesherton, according to notice, on the 19th inst. The annual report was read and adopted. The President [illegible] which was received. (We will publish it next week.) The Directors [illegible] following officers:—President, Thos. Kells; 1st Vice do., R. Myles; 2nd Vice do., W. J. McGregor. Directors, S. Damude, A. Munshaw, Wm. Burnett, Josiah Gamey, R. Y. Burk, D. R. Ellis, R. Ruthven, J. Abbott, E. Shaw. Delegate, Thos. Kells.

SERIOUS FIRE.—On Monday last while Mr. James Sullivan, who resides on lot 15, con. 5, Glenelg, six miles from Priceville was attending the fair, a fire broke out in a house. The house was used for holding clothes. It is supposed that the children went into the room with a light and unknowingly set the clothes on fire, shutting the door after them, nothing was known of it until the building was in flames and past being extinguished. Loss about $4,000 [illegible] very [illegible] has the sympathy of all who know him.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, Jan. 21st, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Beautiful weather.

Sleighing was never better.

Business good, consequently every one happy.

See those beautiful hair sofa's at Bates', cheap.

Haskett Bros keeps the largest and stock of stoves in the county.

For a parlor or bed-room set of furniture, try J. W. Bates, Flesherton.

We are happy to see that Mr. John ...tyre is about again after his ac... of last week.

Several communications are held over until next week for want of ...

Mr. Joseph McCutcheon has disposed of his grocery to Mr. Gould, who will carry on the business in the ...e.

The trains on the T., G. & B. Railway have been considerably behind time for the past few days from snow ... and intense cold.

... Richardson has just received another lot of the excelsior tea, which has given such general satisfaction. Everybody wants it.

The great boat race between Hanlan and Laycock, which was to have taken place on the 17th was postponed on account of the quantity of ice in the River Thames.

Lost, on Tuesday, 11th inst., on the Toronto and Sydenham Road between Markdale and Noble's corners, a small parcel containing a pair of rubbers. The finder will confer a favor by leaving them at this office.

We learn, as we go to press of the sudden death of Mr. Jacob Keefer, one of the oldest settlers on the Lake Shore Line. Mr. Keefer paid a visit to his son, Mr. Geo. Keefer of Flesherton, ... two weeks since. We saw him on his return journey home, and although about 80 years of age, he seemed fair to last for a number of years yet.

We have received the steel plate engraving of the late Hon. Geo. Brown to be presented gratuetously to the subscribers of the Weekly *Globe*. Having frequently seen the Hon. gentleman, we can pronounce the likeness very life-like. Now is the time to subscribe. Call and see engraving, and leave your subscripton with us.

Commercial Hotel, Priceville.—We direct attention to the notice of this hotel to be found in another column. The house has been much enlarged and otherwise improved, and ... under the able management of its courteous proprietor, Mr. Thos. ...inson, we bespeak for it a good ... of business.

The third annual supper of Eugenia Grange, No. 684, came off on the 18th inst., the hall was crowded, and a very pleasant evening ... [illegible]

At the annual meeting of ... Agricultural Society ... present year the following officers were elected:—President, Wm. ...; 1st Vice ..., R. Y. Burk; 2nd ..., Joseph Taylor. Directors, J... Gamey, ... Linley, J. R. S..., ... M..., ... McGirr, J. W..., ... J. McMorris, ... Sec.-Treas., Josiah Gamey.

Artemesia agricultural society held ... annual meeting in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on the 13th inst., when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, A. ...own; Vice do., R. Oliver. Directors, ... Brodie, J. M. Webster, G. Buskin, ... Elliott and J. Bannon. Directors then elected J. Brodie, Sec.-Treas.

A decided hum in the matrimonial market in this neighborhood. We saw a gay and festive crowd leave the Markdale House on Wednesday, after previously having paid a visit to one of our ministers, who are getting quite expert, from the amount of practice they have had of late. These young people will do it, notwithstanding the frequent warnings they receive from those who have been there. Such is life.

Moses Oates' cold dip, promised us about the 15th arrived on time, the thermometer registering 10 degrees below zero on Friday morning last, and sitting round the stove to keep it warm wa the most prominent business transaction of the day. The weather has moderated somewhat since, and at the present time of writing (17th) the thermometer stands 18 degrees above zero. No indications as yet of the promised thaw.

A Concert will be held in the Orange Hall, Berkeley, on Friday, Jan. 28th inst, at which, the Misses McDougal, Owen Sound, Reid and Ford of Markdale, and Messrs W. McDonald, Ford, Cæsar, Mason and Tannar are to particpate. The Markdale String band are also to be present. Admission 25c. and 15c. Proceeds to assist in furnishing Christ Church, Markdale.

The annual meeting of East Grey Agricultural society, was held in the Town Hall, Flesherton, according to notice, on the 19th inst. The annual report was read and adopted. The President read the Directors report which was received. (We will publish it next week.) The officers are as follows:—President, Thos. Kells; 1st Vice do., R. Myles; 2nd Vice do., Dr McGregor. Directors, S. Damude, ... Munshaw, Wm. Burnett, Josiah Gamey, R. Y. Burk, D. R. Ellis, R. Ruthven, J. Abbott, E. Shaw. Delegate, Thos. Kells.

Serious Fire.—On Monday last while Mr. James Sullivan, who resides on lot 15, con. 5, Glenelg, was at Priceville attending the fair, a fire broke out in a back room of the house, used for holding clothes. It is supposed that the children went into the room with a light and unknowingly set the place on fire, and closing the door after them, nothing was known of it till the place was in flames and past being extinguished. Loss about $4,000.00; no insurance. This is a very serious loss to Mr. Sullivan, who has the sympathy of all who know him.

For the best and cheapest machine oil and coal oil, go to Haskett Bros.

J. J. White, Dentist, will be at the Revere Hotel on Wednesday next 26th inst.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine" machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

Toronto papers are still complaining about the lack of snow. We could easily spare them some and not miss it.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

Although snow is plentiful sleighing is anything but good, the roads being considerably drifted, and the pitch-holes something awful.

Bring us a cord and a quarter of good dry two foot wood, or one and a half green, and you can have the Standard for a year.

If your eyesight is failing, you try a pair of Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles. For sale only at Wilcox's.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, make it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

A Tea-Meeting is to be held by the Methodists of the Town Line appointment, on Friday, 28th inst. Admission, 25 cents; children, 15 cents. Go and enjoy yourselves.

The concert held in Lyon's Church by "Hawkins Troupe," was well attended, and the entertainment was we are told even better than that given in Markdale, on the previous evening.

Manufacturers of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

Elder Hawkins, colored, preached in the C. M. Church, here on last Sunday. The Church was filled to its full capacity. The Elder was listened to with great attention. He preached at Walter's Falls in the evening.

Ladies—Don't you fail to see those Gold Watches at Wilcox's.

On Friday morning, a woman named Mrs. Bills, who lived about two miles from the village of Shelburne, was found frozen stiff within a short distance of her home. An inqest was held in the evening, we have not heard the results.

Croup, that dire disease, has lost its terrors to those who keep Yellow Oil at hand. Yellow Oil also cures Sore Throat, Quinsey, Congestion and Inflammation of the lungs. Now is the season to guard against sudden attacks of diseases. Ask your Druggist for Hagyards's Yellow Oil.

Mr. Joseph McCutcheon announces, through the medium of posters, that he is desirous of disposing of the Revere Hotel and his two farms, one in the Township of Euphrasia, and the other in the Township of Mono. Parties desirous of purchasing real estate should not fail to call on Mr. McCutcheon, from whom full particulars ... had.

Burdock Blood Bitters is the best Blood Purifier, Liver and Kidney Regulator, and Restorative Tonic in the world. It acts upon the Liver, the Kidneys and the Bowels, curing all manner of Billious complaints, Kidney complaints, and diseases of the Blood. Ask your Druggist for Burdock Blood Bitters. Sample bottles 10 cents, regular size $1.00.

The annual meeting of Euphrasia Agricultural Society, was held in Rocklyn on Jan. 13, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, D. R. Ellis; Vice do., C. Kelley; Sec'y, T. Abercrombie. Directors, W. McConnell, R. H. Stinson, F. Eaton, S. M. Night, Thos. Gilray, Thos Jordan, J. Boyd, E. E. Knott, Auditors, R. Clark, J. D. Crabtree.

Yellow Oil is the great pain panacea, magical in its power over pain and inflammation. It cures Rheumatism and Neuralgia, Lame Back and Spinal Affections, Contraction of Cords and Muscles. Used externally and internally. For sale by all dealers.

The concert on Monday evening by the Jubilee singers, was a success, Dufferin Hall, being crowded to the door. We believe the singing was all that could be desired. The Elder gave a history of his life whilst in slavery, and narrated the incidents connected with his escape. He also gave a solo entitled "On the Road to Canada," which was received with rounds of applause.

We last week spoke of the habit children of the village have of running after sleighs, and the danger arising therefrom. We see a report in the Toronto *Mail* of last Monday, an account two accidents from this cause. In one case the boy's leg was so mangled as to require amputation. In the other the leg was badly fractured. We expect to have to chronicle something of the sort here before the winter is over if a stop is not put to the practice.

The annual meeting of the Glenelg Township Agricultural Society was held, according to notice, in Dufferin Hall, on Thursday, Jan. 13th, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Wm. Douglas; Vice President, Jas. Struthers; Secretary, A. Butter; Directors, Edward Rutledge, jr., Edward Davis, Benjamin Coleman, William Brown, Thomas Davis, Shepperd Boyce, Robert Walker, James Leander, and Adam Shiels; Auditors, A. Turner and Wm. McLaughry.

Canadian Almanac.—This old and reliable Almanac, now in its thirty-fourth year of publication, for the year 1881 has been laid on our table. It contains, besides the usual matter contained in such books, a statement of the Public Accounts of the Dominion and the various Provinces for the past fiscal year, Exports and Imports, Fisheries, Emigration and Vital statistics, Bank statistics, list of Banks and their Agencies, members of the Senate and House of Commons of the Dominion, members of Provincial Legislatures, tarif of customs, Postal information and list of officies, list of Township, County, Division and County Court Clerks, the names of the Clergy of every denomination, list of officers of Grand Lodges of the the various secret Societies, &c., &c. In fact it contains more information, indispensable to every one, than any other work of the kind we know of.—For sale by A. Turner & Co. Price 15 cents.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

In large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, Veterinary Surgeon,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER,
Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVER

AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS

—IN—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,

THE Subscriber in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is better prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented.

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov, 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

STRAYED

INTO the premises of the undersigned, lot 25, con. 7, Township of Artemesia, about the 3rd of December, 1880, A Bay Colt. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take him away. If not claimed within ten days after the date of this will be sold to defray expences.

Joseph Fenwick.
Jan. 7th, 1880. 17-3*

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support

W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice. As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

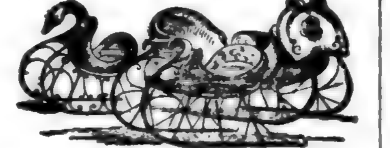
The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,



WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any ... cording to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

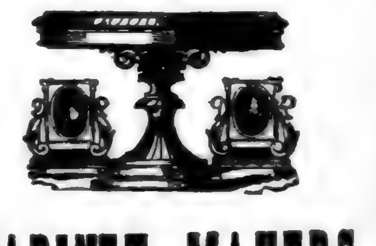
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.



CABINET MAKERS,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

A FULL STOCK OF

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

Subscribe for the Standard.
We will give it from now till the First of January, 1882, for one year's subscription.

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the Countyat

McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your AXES at McFarland's. Those $2.50 MANTLES selling fast. New DRESS GOODS at McFarland's. New FLANNELS at McFarland's. New SHAWLS at McFarland's. New BONNETS and HATS at McFarland's. New TWEEDS at McFarland's. New CARPETS at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.

W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER, Markdale.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880. 1

—XMAS—

SILVERWARE, WATCHES, JEWELRY, CLOCKS,

AND FANCY GOODS.

The largest and best assorted stock, WITHOUT EXCEPTION, ever shown in this section of Country.

In Silverware I have Tea sets, Fruit Dishes, Preserve Dishes, Pickle Dishes, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Card Receivers, Ladies' Companions, Cruets, Cups, Napkin Rings, Knives, Forks, Spoons, Chains, Lockets, Earings, &c., &.

AT DOLLS

In Watches, I have—Gold and Silver Hunting, and Open-Faced key and stem winders, including the celebrated Waltham Watches (they are the best) ... English and American key and stem winders, from $4 up. The celebrated ... Thomas and other Clocks, from 75c up. In Jewelry,—I have colored and Bright Gold sets, Chains, Seals, Lockets, Rings, Cuff Buttons, Studs, Pins, &c., &c., &c.

DIAMOND, WEDDING, AND GEM RINGS.

My Goods have all been purchased for Nett Cash, and will be sold at Bottom Prices.

Watch Repairing a Specialty. W. F. DOLL, Watchmaker, &c.
Nov. 25, 1880. (6) Flesherton and Dundalk.

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to.

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the witer.

N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 148 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.
Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-yr

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHETRON,

Whilst wishing all

A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,

And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business*, as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have

ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.

In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season, THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES,

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Glassware,

AND

Fancy Holiday Presents!

ALSO

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of

Millnery, Furs,

AND

LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,

Ever shown in this Norther Country.

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE

LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!

For any Quantity of good Grain or FARM PRODUCE.

And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of my large and complete stock of

Fall and Winter Dry Goods,

MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and MILLINERY,

And will continue to sell at a

Very Small Advance on Cost!

Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.

Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

Loving and Waiting.

T. M. GREGG.

Waiting for Him,
In patience waiting,
Waiting to see Him as He is,
Waiting to see truth and justice,
Purity and love,
Mercy and goodness
Personified in God.

Waiting for this,
In patience waiting,
Is something well worth waiting for.
Through days and nights,
Through storm and sunshine,
Waiting to see God
In clouds and majesty.

Waiting in love,
In patience waiting,
Until the clouds which spread o'er Olivet,
Shall spread o'er an astonished world,
Bearing in their soft folds
The Judge of all,
Whom every eye used to the sight
Of purity and truth
Shall behold with rapturous delight.

Waiting for Thee,
In patience waiting,
Oh God! the way of truth is slow
And hard, often winding and turning on itself;
But do Thou help us,
And we will follow it and Thee
Out of this long vale of darkness
Into the light of endless day.

Shorter! shorter
Grow the shadows—
High in heaven the sun appears;
Wake! my soul, this is the noon-tide
Of endless time—
Of endless years.

Waiting is no longer waiting,
Patience is no longer tried,
Love is all and all-absorbing
In our Lord, the Crucified.

Love is truth, and mercy love is;
Love is justice, goodness, faith;
All is love, and all is love;
Love is God, and God is loving.

Waiting then is only loving,
Loving truth and loving man,
Loving goodness, loving mercy,
Loving God, and God made man.

Thus in waiting and in loving,
We shall each God's goodness prove,
Face to face and heart to heart, then
In a life of endless love.

TEN O'CLOCK AT NIGHT AT RIVINGTON HALL.

It was with great pleasure that I heard, about a year ago, from my old friend Harry Danvers that he had succeeded to the Rivington Hall estate, and an income of some thousands a year, on the death of a distant relation. Harry and I were school and college friends; and though in late years our paths in life had widely diverged, the old affection never slumbered. We met rarely, but we kept up a more constant correspondence than is usual even among brothers.

Our last meeting was on the occasion of his marriage to a charming girl, to whom he had been long attached; soon after which event he left the —— Hussars, and went to live in Wales, near his wife's family, till the death of his far-away cousin, old Luke Danvers, of Rivington Hall, put him in possession of a fine estate and ample fortune. Old Danvers died abroad, in some German town, where he had led a life of absolute seclusion for several years—nearly forty, I think. Harry came to London on business connected with the succession, and spent most of his time at my chambers in the Temple. His parting words to me were a cordial invitation to visit him at the old Hall as soon as he had made it habitable. It had been shut up since the late owner, a man of eccentric habits, retired somewhat suddenly abroad, and would probably require to be put in thorough repair before it could be equal to the modern ideal of luxury or even comfort.

After his first letter, full of enthusiastic descriptions of the quaint beauty of the old Hall and plans for its immediate restoration, months passed without my hearing anything of or from Harry Danvers. I went on my plodding way as a struggling barrister, gaining inch by inch of the steep uphill path which leads to ease and competency in the profession I had chosen. But busy as I was, I found time to wonder at Harry's silence; and at length I wrote, having, unexpectedly, a week or two of leisure, to propose passing my holidays with him. I addressed my letters to Rivington Hall, and the post brought me an answer in due course. The tone of Harry's letter struck me very painfully. It was as affectionate as ever, but there was a deep melancholy pervading it, which was scarcely to be accounted for, even by the news which it contained, that Mrs. Danvers was even now scarcely recovered from a long and serious illness. It ended thus: "I shall be only too happy to see you, old fellow, if you can put up with indifferent accommodation and dull company; and I hope you will come as soon as you can, for the moment Helen is able to travel we are going abroad." The letter was dated "Woodfield, Rivington." I packed up at once, telegraphed to say I would be with him on the morrow, and started by the morning express.

The autumn day was drawing to a close as I jumped out of the train at the station, and found Harry waiting for me. I was quite shocked by the change in my friend's appearance and manner. Instead of greeting me with his usual cheery laugh, he came up as if we were meeting at a funeral, wrung my hand with scarcely a word, and only replied by the shortest sentences to my inquiries about his wife's health.

We drove about three miles out of the town, past a lodge with fine old iron gates, and a long park-wall, within which at some distance I could just discern the gables and chimneys of a large handsome house.

"That's it?" he said, pointing with his whip. "We live at Woodfield."

"So I saw by your letter. But why did you not carry out your plans for the restoration of the Hall?" I asked.

"Don't speak of it!" he said sharply. "And while I think of it, Burly, I must beg you not to make any allusion to the Hall before Helen. It upsets her completely."

"Why, what is the matter with it? It looks a very fine old place, and surely you lived there for some time?"

"Yes, we did," he answered gravely; "and that is why we both wish to forget that such a place exists. It is killing Helen to remain here, and yet the doctor says she must not be moved before the spring."

"Has she been very ill?" I asked, passing over the first part of his speech, though I mentally resolved to get at the truth somehow.

"Very; as nearly dead as possible with nervous fever. I doubt if you would know her again, Burley. But here we are."

While we were talking he had driven on, down a steep lane to the left, and through a little village nestling in a hollow among woods and cornfields, and quite out of sight of the Hall and its neighbourhood. We stopped at the porch of a long low house by the road-side; a groom took the reins from my friend and the servant who came to the door ushered us through a low side-passage into a cheerful room, bright with fire and lamplight, and amply though simply furnished. A lady rose from a sofa by the fire to welcome us.

I could scarcely refrain from exclaiming aloud, so great was the change in Helen Danvers. The fair young smiling bride, whom I had seen in the first bloom of happy youth, had become a pale, grave, nervous woman, startled by the slightest sound, with heavy eyes that filled with tears without any apparent reason, and bearing every mark of having received a serious shock, both bodily and mental. She welcomed me with friendly kindness; and as we chatted round the fire I could trace more resemblance to the Helen Danvers whom I had last seen on her wedding morning. We separated early for the night, and Harry carried his wife up-stairs, and returned to me with a hurried apology for leaving me to my solitary cigar, as he said Helen was too nervous to be left alone.

The next morning was bright and frosty; and after breakfast, at which meal Mrs. Danvers did not appear, Harry proposed to me to accompany him to the house of a friend, who had invited us both to shoot. Our way lay past the lodge-gates of Rivington Hall, and by daylight I could see that the house was a very large and handsome one, in the Tudor style, with terraces, stone-mullioned windows, and quaintly-twisted chimneys. The shutters were closed; the avenue, between two rows of magnificent old beeches, was grass-grown, and the lodge was uninhabited; in short, the whole place bore unmistakable signs of being left to go to ruin unheeded.

I could not resist observing to Harry that it seemed a pity to abandon so fine a place. His reply was rather startling.

"Would to Heaven that not one stone remained upon another!" he said vehemently. "The entail prevents my pulling it down, or it would have ceased to exist before now!"

"Why, what ails the place? Is it haunted?" I asked laughingly, knowing that Harry was as free from childish superstition as I was myself.

"I'll tell you that, Bob," was his earnest answer, "if you had seen what we have seen inside those hateful halls, you would never be the same man again. I know I am not; and as for Helen, poor girl, it has nearly, if not quite, killed her."

My curiosity was now thoroughly aroused; and with, perhaps, less of tact and good taste than I ought to have shown, I plied him with questions, to all of which he gave vague and unwilling answers. Somehow the subject was renewed at King's Lea, the place to which we were bound. Mr. Easton, Harry's friend, said he was possessed with the most ardent desire to see the apparition which Danvers acknowledged to have seen twice in a certain room of the old Hall; and I, little troubled by fears of the supernatural, expressed a decided opinion that I should like to see the ghost who could drive me from a place like Rivington Hall, if I was its fortunate possessor.

Between us, I think, we pushed matters too far; and at last Harry said, in a tone of deep annoyance,

"I'll tell you what it is, my good fellows, you *shall* judge for yourselves whether I am the fool you both take me for. We will all pass an evening in the oriel-room at the old Hall, and I shall be curious to see how you like it."

Mr. Easton and I eagerly took up the challenge. It was arranged that, the next day but one being the last of the month, on which alone, as Harry told us, the spectral appearances were visible, we should meet at King's Lea, and proceed together to the Hall, Danvers agreeing to tell his wife that we were engaged to dine and sleep at Easton's.

"We must be at the Hall before ten o'clock," he said. "That is the only time at which anything is seen."

On our way home we called at the cottage of an old man who was formerly gardener at Rivington Hall, for the keys of the house.

"Now don't 'ee be going there, Muster Danvers, now don't 'ee," he implored. "No luck nor good ever come of it, and never won't. It's tempting Providence, like, to put yourself in the devil's clutches."

My curiosity was strongly excited. It was as much as I could do to refrain from speaking of the old Hall before Mrs. Danvers; and during our walk the following day after the partridges, I entreated Harry to tell me what he had seen. This he firmly declined to do, but added,

"I will tell you this much. We went to the Hall, as you may remember, on our return from Italy in the spring. Old Jennings—the man you have just seen—and his wife lived there in some rooms over the stable, and kept the house aired and in tolerable order. When we arrived we found everything ready, and supper laid for us in a comfortable dining-room. It was late, and we went to the rooms prepared for us in the new wing of the house, and slept soundly. The next day Helen wished to explore the place, and we sent for Mrs. Jennings and the keys. There were a number of rooms almost bare of furniture, and the best the house contained had been collected to furnish those prepared for us. At the further end of the drawing-room was a door, concealed by a heavy velvet curtain. Helen laid her hand on the handle, but Mrs. Jennings hurried up to her. 'That's a locked door, ma'am; that don't lead nowhere, it don't. Don't 'ee try to open that, my dear lady!' 'Why not?' asked my wife, with some surprise. The old woman changed her tone at once. 'It isn't a door, ma'am, only a sham like, and I was afraid you might hurt your fingers.' 'But if it is not a door, why is there a curtain hung before it?' persisted Helen. 'Just for ornament, maybe, or to keep off the draught,' said Mrs. Jennings confusedly. 'The draught from a sham door!' laughed Helen. But the old woman hurried away without saying more. Some days passed, and we began to feel quite at home, and to plan many alterations and improvements to be carried out in the course of the summer. It was now the end of May, but the evenings were still chilly. We were sitting by a bright wood fire in the drawing-room on the evening of the 31st, when the church-clock began to strike ten. The church, as you have seen, is nearly half a mile distant; but it has a remarkably loud and sonorous bell, so that we heard it as distinctly as if it had been in the house. At that moment an icy gust of wind swept through the room, and a sound, as if of a heavy body falling, came from the farther end, near the mysterious door. Helen jumped up and caught hold of my arm. 'What was that?' she said in a frightened whisper. I thought it was something falling in the room overhead, though I heard plainly that the sound did not come from above. She was reassured by the matter-of-fact answer, but still stood, holding my arm, till in a few minutes the same icy-cold wind passed over us again, with a strange sickly smell. I own that a shudder ran through me, though I did not know why; and my wife was so terrified that she would not remain another moment in the room. The next day I was obliged to go on business to Staunton, and only returned in time for dinner. I noticed that Helen was pale and silent; and as soon as the servants had left the room she said gravely, 'Harry, that is not a false door in the drawing-room. There must be a small room there with a window like this.' The dining-room had a large bay-window at one end, raised by two or three broad steps from the rest of the room. 'So you have been making investigations, Mrs. Bluebeard?' I said, laughing. 'No; I have not been into the room. To say the truth, I think I should have been a little frightened alone; and, besides, I did not like to tell Mrs. Jennings that I had found out that she had told me a story about it. But I was walking on the terrace, and it suddenly occurred to me that the large window which corresponds to this one must be in some room we have not yet seen. It was closed with shutters; and then I thought of the false door in the drawing-room. I measured the walls by pace, and I find there must be a spare room there, lighted by the large window.' 'Shall we go and explore it?' I asked. 'Not tonight, please,' said Helen with a shiver. 'Let us stay here to-night.' And so we did. The next morning the sun shone brightly, and my wife seemed to have forgotten her fears. We made an excuse to get the keys from Mrs. Jennings; and after some difficulty, for the lock was very rusty, we succeeded in penetrating into the locked-up room. It was, as Helen had imagined, nearly square, and raised, by two or three steps, above the level of the drawing-room. It contained a heavy oak table with carved legs, which stood in the centre, a few chairs, and a cabinet of two of similar workmanship, all deeply coated with dust and cobwebs, and was panelled with oak to about two-thirds of the height of the walls. One picture, that of a dark young woman in some foreign dress, hung over the high chimneypiece; gilt dogs for burning wood stood on the wide hearth; and altogether, in spite of the forlorn state of neglect in which we found it, the room had a cheerful home-like air, which at once took Helen's fancy. To make a long story short, in spite of Mrs. Jennings' tearful remonstrances and the unwillingness of all the servants to have anything to do with the square-room, as we called it, we occupied it as a sitting-room during the whole of June, without any annoyance. Once or twice, as the clock struck ten, I was sensible of a kind of chill for which I could not account; and, glancing at Helen, I noticed that she turned pale at the same time. But we neither of us mentioned the subject, and before the end of the month I had almost forgotten that there were any suspicious circumstances connected with our favourite sitting-room. Of the circumstances of the night of the 30th of June I will not speak. You shall see and judge for yourself if I have decided rightly that Rivington Hall is not fit for human habitation; and I have no doubt that you will be in a position to form an opinion on the point after to-morrow night. My poor Helen has, as you may see, never recovered the shock she received that night; and the doctors feared so much for her reason if she remained longer in that hateful house that we were obliged to remove her as soon as she was out of danger, and as soon as possible we shall quit the neighbourhood for ever."

"But," said I, as soon as Harry had thus brought his communication to a close, "have you thoroughly sifted the matter, and satisfied yourself that no trick has been played on you?"

"Of course I have. On the night of the 31st of July I went alone, without giving a hint of my intentions to any human being, to the Hall, which had remained empty and locked up from the day we left it. I carefully examined the drawing-room, through which entrance to the square-room could be had, sounded the panels, the back of the chimney, the floor, every spot, in fact, where any one could possibly be concealed. Then I locked the door and waited."

"And then?"

"Precisely the same scene was repeated. You will, I have little doubt, witness it to-morrow night; and I will accompany you. I think you will be satisfied that I have not lightly given way to a groundless fear."

Harry spoke so gravely, and was altogether so unlike his cheery light-hearted self, that I felt some prickings of conscience in permitting him to undergo again, for the gratification of my sceptical curiosity, an ordeal that, to him, was evidently one of no little suffering. But my intense desire to witness the phenomena, of whatever nature they might be, which had so deeply impressed my friend, got the better of all my scruples, and I looked forward with impatience to the following night.

In the morning Harry told Mrs Danvers that he had accepted an invitation for us to shoot with a friend of Mr. Easton's, who lived several miles off, and that we should sleep at King's Lea. She turned whiter than ever, if possible, and exclaimed,

"O Harry! have you forgotten what night it is?"

"Come, come, little woman," he said, "I must not have you give way to uneasiness. We will ask Mary Talbot to come and stay with you. I am sure you would not wish to deprive Burley of a good day's sport."

"Certainly not," she answered, in her sweet sad voice.

I felt like a great brute; but as she was not supposed to know that I was aware of the strange events that had so deeply shaken her, I could only say a few commonplace words, hoping that I should not be allowed to cause her any inconvenience, and the matter passed over.

Our shooting that day was little more than a pretext, and after dinner we left King's Lea in Mr. Easton's dog-cart. He insisted on taking some wine in a hamper, and we were besides provided with a lamp, a packet of candles, and materials for making a fire. Harry brought with him the keys of the Hall, and on our arrival Easton sent away the dog-cart, with instructions to the servant to be at the stable-entrance, which was close to the road, at half-past ten o'clock —an order which the man received with evident unwillingness.

Passing through a large entrance-hall, and along a broad passage lighted at the end by a window through which the moon gave a faint light, we entered the drawing-room, and through it the scene of action. The room was as Harry had described it—a square chamber, well furnished with handsome carved oak, and raised by two broad steps above the level of the room through which only it could be entered. A Turkey carpet lay in the centre of the floor, showing the oak boards at the sides, and on this stood a large heavily-carved oaken table. An armchair of similar workmanship stood on each side of the large open hearth, and other chairs were scattered about. We carefully examined every portion of the room, Easton measuring the depths of the walls and I sounding the panelling on all sides, as well as the floor. Harry looked on with a faint smile on his face till I raised the carpet in the course of my investigations, and discovered a large dark stain on the boards, on the side of the table furthest from the fireplace. A similar mark ran across the floor to the top of the steps, and then spread out into another wide stain like that beside the table.

"That looks very like a stain of blood," I said, pointing it out to Danvers.

"Does it?" was all he answered, but the smile died out of his face and did not return.

When our examination was concluded we lit the fire, and piled the hearth with a number of logs of wood to make a cheerful blaze. We also trimmed the lamp, and stuck lighted candles into a variety of candlesticks which stood about on the tables. Then Easton proceeded to unpack the wine; but as he was setting it on the large oak table, Danvers called out,

"Don't do that, Easton—don't put the wine down there!"

"As you please," answered Easton; and he drew forward a small spider-legged table from a corner, and placed it near the fire. We gathered round it, and Harry drank two or three glasses of sherry in succession; but conversation flagged, and we began to feel that our experiment was not altogether an agreeable one. Harry's ill-concealed horror at the idea of the wine being placed on the large table gave me, at least, an uncomfortable sensation, while it excited my curiosity; and when Danvers and Easton seated themselves in the two large armchairs by the fire-side, I drew one to the table which was now connected in my mind with the sight we had come to see, and leaned my elbow on it. I noticed that Harry looked sharply at me as I took up my position, but he made no remark.

Some time passed in conversation more or less well sustained; then we began to look at our watches as the hour drew nearer and nearer. We replenished the fire and sat on, waiting almost in silence. If any one wants to make the most of an hour, I may suggest that he should sit doing nothing, and waiting for some unknown event which may be expected to occur at its close. I began to fancy that ten o'clock never would strike; but it did, and quite soon enough. As the first stroke of the appointed hour sounded from the church-clock, I seated myself firmly at the table, with my left arm resting on it. A glance at my companions showed me each seated in his chair, with a hand on each of its arms.

At the same instant every vestige of light from fire, lamp, and candles suddenly vanished. A cold wind swept through the room, with an indescribably nauseous smell, as of a newly-opened charnel-house.

I tried to rise, but a heavy hand was laid on my shoulder and kept me motionless. There was a sound as of two persons struggling; then a moan and a dead dull sound, such as might be made by a human body falling, and I felt the table on which I leant violently shaken. I thought one of my companions had fainted; but to save my life I could not have moved. The hand still pressed heavily on my shoulder, and with an effort I turned my head and covered my face with my arm. I felt at that moment that if I saw anything horrible I should go mad.

Things remained in this state for a time which appeared interminable—we afterwards found it must have been about ten minutes. Then the icy wind swept over us again with its sickening odour, and through my closed eyelids I felt that the room grew suddenly light.

An exclamation of horror from Easton roused me. I heard my two companions rush to the door, and followed them without opening my eyes. I forgot the steps, and fell down them. In a moment I was on my feet again, and looked back into the room. A strange bluish light pervaded it. On the table lay a human head, with ghastly staring eyes, and long hair, matted with blood, which was dripping slowly to the ground. As I gazed, horror-stricken, I saw a small white hand, like that of a woman, suddenly appear upon the table, and give a push to the ghastly head.

It fell, and rolled slowly towards me. With a shout of horror I flew down the passage, through the hall, and out into the dark autumn night. I found Danvers on the terrace supporting Easton, who had fainted when he reached the open air.

Rallying all my strength, I helped to carry him to the dog-cart which was waiting for us in the road. We were long before we could restore him to his senses, and after he recovered consciousness he made us both promise on our honour never to mention the subject to him again.

As for myself, I cannot describe the effect that horrible sight produced on me. When morning brought me some calmness and power of reflection, I attempted to apologise to my friend for having in a manner forced him to be again a spectator of the weird horrors of the oriel-room.

"He took it very quietly, and only said, "I have now gone through that scene three times, and my poor delicate Helen saw it as you did. I firmly believe that it is reenacted on the last night of every month. I suppose you will now agree with me that Rivington Hall is not a desirable habitation."

I stayed a few days longer with my poor friend, though I must confess that the place, and all about it, had become odious to me. On giving a hint to Mr. Talbot, the rector, that I should like to know what induced Danvers to leave the Hall (Harry had bound me by a promise not to speak of what I had seen), he told me that it was generally believed to be the scene of ghostly disturbances, and that old Luke Danvers had left it suddenly in consequence of something which he had seen. The former proprietor, Luke Danver's uncle, had brought a foreign bride to Rivington Hall some fifty years ago. She was very beautiful, but the marriage was not a happy one. Some time after their arrival a stranger appeared at the Hall, some friend or relation of the lady. His presence was evidently unwelcome to the husband, and high words were often heard among them; but in a few weeks all three suddenly disappeared one night. Mr. Danvers was known to be alive for several years after, but never returned to Rivington Hall; and when his nephew succeeded to the property he also left suddenly, after remaining about three months, and went abroad to the German town, whence he never returned.

Harry and his wife are now in Italy, and I hear that she is recovering her health; but they will never return to Rivington Hall, which is left to go to ruin as quickly as it may.

BIG THING ON ICE.

A Winged Steed that is Fleeter than the Tempest.

(From the Detroit Free Press.)

The speed of the ice boat is incredible, and it will when sailing across the wind go faster than the gale that propels it. This seeming paradox has been so clearly shown that I shall not take the space to explain it now.

The reason for the amazing numbers of ice boats is because anybody with a hammer and saw and a few boards can make one. Even the largest of them are not expensive except as far as the sail is concerned.

Toronto Bay is about three miles wide and seven or eight miles long, at least those were about its dimensions when I was there quite a few years ago. A long low sandy island keeps out the waves of Lake Ontario and as there is no current the bay has nothing to do when winter sets in, but freeze, and it generally stays frozen until navigation is open everywhere else.

I only had one ride on an ice yacht, but I remember the trip with tolerable clearness.

There is nothing quite so bright and fresh —especially the latter—as a student who is taking in his first experience of city life. Two of us in this callow condition had trotted down the crisp frozen street to the Esplanade, where Toronto turns out to see the skaters and the ice yachts. A gay party of four were just hoisting the big triangular sail of a yacht that lay on the ice at the wharf. The captain marked us as his prey.

"Have a ride over to the island, gentlemen?"

The delicately applied flattery which he disguised in the word "gentlemen" captured us, and my comrade answered for both and said: "We would be most happy."

We sprang down on the ice and took our places on the triangular framework.

There were no seats, unless the cross scantlings could be so called; some sat on those and some on the flooring. One of the men shoved around the sharp end of the triangle, which had fixed at the point a moveable skate attached to a lever, after the manner of the helm of a sail boat. At each other point of the triangle was a fixed skate, and from between them rose the mast. The man pushed the ice yacht out from the lee of the wharf and sprang on board. The wind merely touched the sail, yet we slid along faster than some boys who were skating could keep with us. One urchin asked if he might hang on. He was given a cordial permission, and he held the point of the triangle, and placing his feet together, skated along without any exertion. The instant we were out of the influence of the warehouses, the boat shot ahead like a thing of life. The man at the wheel winked at his companions, and suddenly veered the boat around. This was for the benefit of the boy on skates. Instead of tumbling over, however, he slid out at right angles, triumphant, kept his feet like a little man, and found time to make a derisive motion with his hand. He had been there before.

Now that the gale struck us the speed became terrific. We two held on by the timbers, but were laughed at by our companions, who, accustomed to the motion, sat unconcerned. Every now and then a patch of snow would be encountered that perceptibly lessened the speed, and when a boat struck a patch it was with difficulty that we kept our places. We skimmed among the other yachts and threaded between skaters in a way that made freedom from accident, marvelous. Most of the time one skate rarely touched the ice, merely dipping down on the crystal surface now and then to flirt a white flake of spun ice from the glistening blade. I was in a constant terror that the boat would upset, which, I gathered from the conversation of the boatmen, was a frequent occurrence. We now rapidly neared the island.

"Where do you wish to land gentlemen?" asked the wheelsman.

My friend was past speaking, so I answered: "Oh, anywhere; we're not particular."

"All right," he cried, making straight for the island until within a few rods of it, when he suddenly turned the helm about at right angles.

Natural philosophy has taught me that the ice-boat must have very hastily left her course when the helm was changed. I therefore firmly believe to this day that she did change, but personally I have no knowledge of the fact. I wasn't agoing to change my course merely because the boat did. I kept right on, and I will do my friend the justice to say that he stuck by me.

We slid the remainder of the distance to the island, rapidly assuming new postures all the while, and, allowing for increased friction, made almost as good time as the yacht would have done. The speed wasn't what we grumbled about. We rolled over a good part of the way across the island before we concluded to stop.

My friend, being a man of piety and principle, was deprived of the consolatory influence that I—who had no such scruples—proceeded to surround myself with. I gave him my opinion of our late companions in a style of rhetoric that I flatter myself did justice to the occasion. He silently brushed off his clothes and quietly took a sort of inventory of the damages, listening all the while, doubtless with some satisfaction, to my impassioned eloquence.

Our friends on the boat, who had braced themselves up when the turn came, were more than a mile away, but they again veered around, and before we could say Jack Robinson, they swooped down beside us and got out.

"I say," cried the leader with an offended look, "what did you fellows get off for? Why didn't you stay with us?"

This was adding insult to injury, and I think I expressed my sense of the fact in a manner that no one could misunderstand.

"You said you were not particular about landing, but it seems to me that if you were more particular your clothes would last longer."

I had a wild scheme at that moment of capturing the yacht and running a-muck across to the city. I whispered the idea to my friend, for the yacht was standing empty nearer to us than to the other gang, but he believed in turning the other cheek also, and wouldn't help, but proposed walking back to the city, which I objected to, so back he started alone, never answering a word to the party, who now urged him and me to go back with them.

"He'll soon get tired of that. We'll catch up to him and take him on. You'll go with us, won't you?" This was to me.

"Oh, certainly. When I'm thrown among a nice, gentlemanly lot of fellows I hope I know enough to stick to them."

"You didn't a few minutes since." Then they laughed.

"I was going to suggest," remarked another, "that he meant 'thrown *from* among a nice gentlemanly lot of fellows,'" and then the rest laughed again.

Brooding over my wrongs I went with them up to a hotel, which I think now must have been Hanlan's. There was an untuned piano there, and one of the fellows pounded thereon, while others sang. I was darkly plotting all the while. Meanwhile the four seemed determined to drink all there was in the hotel, and I wouldn't be sure but they succeeded. They started out boisterous and boosy and we were soon in the boat again.

My comrade had made very little progress, and the strong breeze was sending him further in its direction than he was making towards the city. In a few seconds we were beside him, but he would not even answer their invitations to come on board. Off sped the yacht again for half a mile, and then turning, swept back past him within a foot of his body, at a frightful speed. Then the half-drunk helmsman whirled it around and brought it to a stand-still before my frightened but stubborn chum, who again refused to come on board."

"Get aboard for any sake," said I incautiously. "don't you see he's drunk?"

"Who's drunk?" cried the helmsman, indignantly.

"You are," said I, "the whole gang of you."

Then they all solemnly affirmed that I was the only drunken man on board, although the wheelsman wanted to fight me, but was prevented by the others.

"Well, anyhow," said he, "I'll take a slice off the coat and the conceit of the other fellow," and to this they all agreed. I now trembled for the safety of my friend, and begged them to desist. With a whoop we slid along the ice for nearly a mile, and then came around. Like an arrow the boat sped towards the doomed man. The helmsman kept his eye fixed on him alone, and consequently could not attend to such trivial things as the other yachts around us. We narrowly missed several, only escaping by the quickness of their steersmen, but one big fellow, with two sails, came racing up the bay, and a rapid mental mathematical calculation induced me to fling myself once more on the ice. I heard the crash. Both boats were instantaneously reduced to kindling wood. The proverbial luck of the drunkard saved the four, but two on the other boat were somewhat badly injured.

The reason that the four were sentenced to pay for the damage they did was because of the straightforward testimony my friend gave against them in court.

"I thought you didn't believe in revenge," I said to him afterwards.

"Well," said he, dryly, "some people take theirs in idle words and in swearing. I don't swear till I get into court, and then the words count."

LUKE SHARP.

Baby's Christmas.

(Detroit Free Press.)

I'm a little one. I was just a year old Christmas eve. That's the kind of a Christmas stocking I am, and I don't care who knows it.

They've treated me shabby mean around the house this year, and I won't stand it without complaining. It's my solemn opinion that babies have as much right to "kick" as grown folks, and so here goes:

In the first place, I didn't get a thing in my stocking—not even a stick of candy. Was that the right way to use a boy a year old? Suppose there are other children in the family—who is any better than me? Ever since I came here I've had to scrub along on milk, and gruel, and sling, and soft crackers, while the rest of the family have got themselves outside of melons, grapes, apples, peanuts, pop corn and a hundred other good things. My brothers and sisters have had heaps of fun around the house, while I have had to go slow and put in half of my time in the land of Nod. They knew all this, and yet they gave me the cold shake on the Christmas business.

Whew! but wasn't I mad! I heard 'em gabbling away for a month before it came off. The children told what they were going to buy pa and ma, and nights after we went to bed pa and ma would tell what they were going to buy the children—all but me. With me right between 'em they had the brass to say that a dose of paragoric would be a good enough Christmas present for me. I just put my fat heels into pa's ribs, and clawed ma, and when they said I had the colic, I chuckled to think they couldn't tumble to the racket.

Every time anything was mentioned about Christmas I was left out, but when they tried to make a cipher of me they got the wrong boy baby by the ear. I can stand as much as any other yearling of my size, but when they tread on my coat-tails my fighting weight balances a barrel of sand.

Sick? You bet I made 'em sick! I saw the stockings all hung up and filled, and I patiently waited to give that obstinate family one more chance. They didn't take it. Not a stocking was hung up for me—not a stick of candy was saved out for the jewel of the family. On the contrary, mother slid into bed beside me and said:

"Some day this little rat will be big enough to enjoy Santa Claus."

"It will be years yet," replied the Governor as he turned over.

That's where they fooled themselves. I waited until their eyes were full of sticks, and then I suddenly began to kick and howl. It was enough to kill a horse to see 'em skip out of bed and dance me around and rush for remedies, but I didn't let up until I heard them declare that a doctor must be summoned. I gave them another racket about one o'clock, and another at five, and when Santa Claus came down the chimney he had lively music to march by.

That wasn't much of a Christmas at our house, and I was the cause of it. The more I thought of the way they snubbed me the madder I got, and when I'm mad things jingle clear back to the woodshed. They jingled at intervals all day Saturday, and when I had made the whole family wish they had never heard of Santa Claus, a doctor was called in, looked me over, and said:

"I can't see that anything ails him. I guess he's mad."

If I wasn't then I'm a clothes-pin! Let 'em snub me next year, when I'll be old enough to walk, and they'll see fur fly. I've got rights, and I'll have 'em, or break out with the chicken-pox.

Are We Building Too Many Railroads.

Whether we are building too many railroads is an extremely important question, which very closely concerns the future of the country, but whether too many or not, there can be no question that the activity in that direction now has a great and favourble immediate effect on the business of the country. The whole subject we hope to consider further when we come to review the construction of the year. But we may safely say that the construction of 6,139 miles since the 1st of January, and when all the information has been collected we shall find probably that something like 7,000 miles of railroad have been completed during the year, an amount that has only once been exceeded, and which is equivalent to an increase of fully 8 per cent, in the total mileage of the country, while the annual income in population is not usually 2½ per cent., and with the unprecedented immigration of this year can not have been more than 3 per cent. The inevitable result is that there is a smaller number of people to support a mile of railroad. At the beginning of 1880 there was about 566 people in the United States to one mile of railroad; at its end there was only 550. Already for a long time we have had a much larger proportion of railroad to population than any other country; and, though there may be circumstances, which in this country quite frequently occur, where comparatively few people can support a railroad, because its service is of extraordinary value to them, yet this process of reducing the number of persons per mile cannot go on forever. The construction in 1879 was about 4,500 miles. The effect of the additional construction of 2,500 miles over 1879, and of 4,000 miles over 1878, when already this industry had begun to recover, in many important industries, and on the demand for labor, has of course been great. All the adult male immigrants of 1880 could not have done the work of railroad construction in this country in the year, to say nothing of the productions of the materials used in construction.

Waste of Horse Life.

The number of horses in the United Kingdom has been estimated at rather more than 2,250,000, and their average value can scarcely be set down at less than £30. Their collective value, therefore, falls little short of £68,000,000. That the nation incurs a loss if this sum is spent quicker than it needs to be is a self-evident proposition; that it is so spent is certain, if horses on an average become useless at a time when they ought still to be in full vigor. On this point few will be disposed to challenge the verdict of Mr. W. Douglas, late veterinary surgeon in the Tenth Hussars, who tells us that a horse should live from 35 to 40 years, and live actively and usefully during three-fourths of this period. "All authorities," he says, "now admit that animals should live five times as long as it takes them to reach maturity. A dog, which is at its full growth when between 2 and 3 years old, is very aged at 12 years. Horses do not, unless their growth is forced, reach their prime until they are 7 or 8 years, which, by the law, leaves them to live some 30 years longer. When these facts are kept in mind, together with these other facts that three-fourths of our horses die or destroyed under 12 years old, that horses are termed aged at 6," [he should have said 8,] "old at 10, very old when double that number of years, and that few of them but are laid up from work a dozen times a year, ... the viciousness of a system which entails such misery and destruction of life cannot be to strongly commented upon." If we take the age of three years as that at which horses begin to work, and 12 as that which they are worn out, it follows that the period of their efficiency is shorter by at least 14 years that it should be. In other words the nation has to buy three horses when it ought to buy only one, and thus upward of £200,000,000 are spent every 21 years in the purchase of horses, when £68,000,000 ought to suffice. The loss, therefore, to the nation at less than £135,000,000 in 21 years.

A Locomotive to Run Eighty Miles an Hour.

The Baldwin Locomotive Works have just entered into a contract with Col. G. A. L. Roberts, of Titusville, for the construction of a passenger engine which will be able to run eighty miles an hour, and maintain this rate of speed for 100 miles without stopping. The locomotive is to weigh 38 tons, and will comply with standard guage. The driving wheels will be six feet in diameter. The forward trucks and those on the tender will be made of paper, which, it is said, will endure more wear than iron or steel. The wheels will all be of the pattern known as the broadtread, which will enable the engine to run on roads of either 4 feet 8½ inches or 4 feet 10 inches gauge. The most important feature of the locomotive will be the introduction of the Roberts patent cylinder and piston, which has proved capable of saving at least 20 per cent in steam pressure. The exhaust ports are in a continuous circle around the cylinder, in addition to the usual ports at the ends, and the steam escapes without the waste of force necessary to expel it, as in the cylinders of the old style. The tender will be so constructed as to carry a foot of water under the coal, as well as the usual amount on the sides. There will be a water chamber on the locomotive so arranged that compressed air from the air pump can be admitted in the top of the chamber upon the water, by which means a stream may be forced upon any hot bearing connected with the engine or tender. This is expected to overcome the trouble of hot boxes. The nozzles through which the steam is to pass and create a draught will be 8 inches in diameter—about three times the usual size—and the boiler will be the largest that can be put upon the standard gauge tracks. It will be the strongest locomotive ever built, and perfect in every detail. Col. Roberts, the inventor, built a similar locomotive a few years ago, which drew the fast mail train over a portion of the Lake Shore Railway, but it was not a success, owing to its poor construction. The improvements it suggested will be taken advantage of in building the new engine. It is stated that Col. Roberts, who has visited Europe several times, and studied the railway system of that country, is building his new engine for use upon the European continent.

The Discoverer of Penny Postage.

"He said, and the tears came into his eyes as he spoke, that he resolved in those early days to be like the characters in her stories, and to do something for the world." . . . . "I early saw," said Rowland, "the terrible inconvience of being poor. My mother used to talk to me more than all the others together of all difficulties, and they were very grievous. She used to burst into tears as she talked about them. One day she told me that she had not a shilling in the house, and she was afraid lest the postman might bring a letter which she had no money to pay the postage." . . . . "If, when residing at Birmingham, we received a letter from London, the lowest charge was 9d., while the slighest enclosure to 2s. 3d., though the whole missive might not weigh a quarter of an ounce. In the year 1823, taking a holiday excursion through the lake district to Scotland, and wishing to keep my family informed as to my movements and my health, (then in a depressed state,) I carried with me a number of newspapers, and in franking these, according to the useless form then required, while I left the postmark with its date to show the place, I indicated my state of health by selecting names according to previous arrangement, the more Liberal members being taken to indicate that I was better, while Tories where to show that I was falling back; "Sir Francis Burdett; was to imply vigorous health, while probably "Lord Eldon" would almost have brought one of my brothers after me in anxiety and alarm.

Turkeys in Ancient Greece.

(From the London World.)

The books will tell you that the Turkey was unknown to ancient naturalists, and even to the Old World before the discovery of America. And that it was first imported into France in the reign of Francis I., and into England in that of Henry VIII. Don't you believe it. I would back the author of sweet Monte Christo and the supberb D'Artagnan to be in possession of more wonderful knowledge than all the books in the world. What does? He says, first of all—what is true of other delightful creatures besides turkeys—that the female is always smaller and more delicate than the male. So she is, God bless her! And he adds that turkeys were known of the Greeks, who called them *Meleagrides*, because Meleager, King of Macedonia, introdued them into Greece in the year of the world 3559. But there are a great many learned ones (myself among the number) who look on this statement with suspicion. Nevertheless Monte Christo-D'Artagnan declares that Pliny (1. 37, c. ii.) unmistakably describes the turkey. Moreover, he states that one of the lost tragedies of Sophocles there is a chorus of Turkeys who wept over the death of Meleager.

ONE evening at a Paris cafe a group of idlers were discussing politics and people who change their opinions. "Well," said one, "I've never cried, 'Long live anybody.'" "Quite so," remarked one; "but then you're a doctor."

"I'm told that absence conquers love," quoted a husband, in writing home to his wife, from whom he had been some time away: "I hope, dear, it won't be so in your case." "Oh, no," she replied in her next letter, "the longer you shall stay away the better I shall like you."

German Despotism.

(From the Pall Mall Gazette.)

Those who now rage so furiously in print about Ireland and tell us that Bismarckian methods are the only way of dealing with the state of things we all deplore, that martial law will soon put down opposition, and so forth, directly turn their heads aside from what is going on in Germany. There the laws against the Socialists are strained to the utmost limits of illegality. In South Germany action is being taken in the most ruthless manner, while family after family is ejected from Hamburg without any form of trial, and their means of subsistence cut off by the police. And this, of course, must succeed. The Socialists and their friends must at once forget their grievances and fall down and worship the power which tyrannizes over them. But, then, the misfortune is that this is not so. The party of Social Democrats is making head rapidly throughout Germany at this hour. A telegram in the newspapers tells us that Herr Koempfer has been elected for the Reichstag by an overwhelming majority. Herr Koempfer is a Progressist, a member of the party which is opposed to the anti-Socialist laws, and his election has been carried by a combination between the Progressists and the Social Democrats in a direction supposed to be strongly in favor of the Government. Even the middle class is joining in the protest. It seems, then, that repression pure and simple, though it may keep disaffection out of sight for a time, but strengthens the organization below to act at a fitting opportunity.

The Home of Mark Twain.

THE PLEASANT IMPRESSIONS IT MADE UPON THE IOWA HUMORIST.

In a recent letter from Hartford, Conn., to the Burlington (Iowa) *Hawk-Eye*, Mr. R. J. Burdette writes:

"The pleasantest view I had of the city was from the cozy fireside of that wonderful home of Mr. S. L. Clemens, who was my host during my stay in Hartford. I am not a man addicted to cold weather. I am not sufficiently 'British' to wander through December and January in a short checked coat and no ulster. I am given to much wrapping up when I do go out in the snow, and to very little going out in the snow at all. I begin to shiver with the first frost, and I keep it up until the following April. And so when I can sit down before a bright wood fire, and burn up cigars while somebody entertains me, I love the icy Winter.

"I think I have never been in a home more beautifully home-like than this palace of the king of humorists. The surroundings of the house are beautiful, and its quaint architecture, broad East Indian porticos, the Greek patterns in mosaic in the dark-red brick walls attract and charm the attention and good taste of the passer by, for the home, inside and out, is the perfection of exquisite taste and harmony. But with all its architectural beauty and originality, the elegance of its interior finish and decorations, the greatest charm about the house is the atmosphere of 'homelikeness' that pervades it. Charmingly as he can entertain thousands of people at a time from the platform, Mr. Clemens is even a more perfect entertainer in his home. The brightest and best sides of his nature shine out at his fireside. The humor and drollery that sparkle in his conversation is as utterly unaffected and natural as sunlight. Indeed, I don't believe he knows or thinks that most of his talk before the sparkling fire, up in the pleasant retirement of his billiard-room study, is marketable merchandise worth so much a page to the publishers, but it is. And it is not all drollery and humor. He is so earnest that his earnestness charms you fully as much as his brighter flashes, and once in a while there is in his voice an inflection of wonderful pathos, so touched with melancholy that you look into his kind, earnest eyes to see what thought has touched his voice. And he has a heart as big as his body; I believe there does not live a man more thoroughly unselfish and self-forgetful. Two little girls and a boy baby, bright-eyed, good-tempered, and with a full head of hair as brown as his father's, assist Mrs. Clemens to fill the heart of the reigning humorist, and they do it most completely. Personally, Mr. Clemens is, perhaps a little above the medium height, of good symmetrical physique, brown hair, scarcely touched with gray, the curls over a high, white forehead; friendship in his eyes, heartily cordiality in the grasp of a well-shaped white hand, strong enough and heavy enough to be a manly hand; his age is 40 something, and he looks 35; in the evening 'after the lamps are lighted' his face has a wonderfully boyish look, and he loves a good cigar even better than Grant does.

A Big Bruin.

A THRILLING ADVENTURE WITH A GRIZZLY BEAR.

(Pittsburgh Dispatch.)

The train was delayed several hours. There were but a half a dozen passengers all told, and they all all got out on the station platform. In looking down the valley from the station (Truckee is away up in the mountains on the main line of the Central Pacific railroad) we could see some kind of an animal coming down out of the timber and making its way over the top of the snow toward the river. It looked like a steer or a mule, and none of the passengers thought it was anything else. The snow was four feet deep and frozen so hard that one could walk over the top without breaking through. Capt. Vincent Yore of St. Louis, a man well-known in steamboat circles both in St. Louis and Pittsburgh, and in fact all along the river, was one of the passengers.

The station agent, who was at once the express agent, ticket agent, and baggage-man combined, went into his little office and brought out a beautiful breach-loading rifle. Handing it to Yore, he said, sarcastically, "Here's a gun." Capt. Yore took the gun and started toward the end of the platform. The passengers, of course, never dreamed he was in earnest.

The station agent called him back when he had gone down one of the steps, and bringing out a rat-terrier dog of the light woolly Scotch pattern, said:

"Here, you'll want a dog when you go bear-hunting."

Capt. Yore turned back, picked up the dog, and putting it under the flap of his coat, started down toward the bear. The grizzly had by this time got out far enough to be plainly seen, and he made his way across the narrow valley. He looked to be the size of a horse, and did not seem to care whether there was anybody within a short distance of him or not. The Rocky mountain grizzly is the largest, and, when aroused, the most ferocious of all animals in western North America. Travellers on the Union and Central Pacific railroad are familiar with the specimen that is caged on the platform at Lathrop, the California end of the line. It has a foot like the "fifteenth amendment," and is as large at a Kerry cow.

The bear kept quietly in his course, and Capt. Yore went straight toward him. The station agent realised the danger Yore was in, and his anxiety was quickly communicated to the passengers. They got closer and closer until they were only about the length of a train apart. Yore stopped, took out the little dog and set him down. The terrier made for the bear at once, and, going behind him, bit him on the heel. The bear turned around to see what had scratched him on the foot, and the minute he turned, Yore, who had been standing motionless, watching the bear as it came face toward him, brought the rifle up to his nose and flashed it at him. The bear immediately slapped himself on the shoulder with his paw and went toward the captain. The passengers, who were watching him, were now wild with excitement. "He has hit him," said the old Californians on the train, "and now he must look out for him. The bear slapped himself on the shoulder and straightened up as if to go quickly for Yore. Then the beast broke through the snow and almost disappeared from our sight. He tumbled and rolled and waltzed around. The old Californians were almost breathless fright. "The bear is tramping out a place to fight; run, run, run!" they screamed to Yore; but he stood motionless as a statue. The little dog flew around the top of the pit the bear had made and barked.

Presently the bear got ... his assailant's position ... on Yore, he crawled out of the snow. He had just ... four legs when the dog ... and Yore let him have it ... flesh, the moment he ... the grizzly slapped ... indicating he had been hit ... a trot toward Yore, who ... left in his rifle. Twice ... bear, and at each time ... unloaded into him, bringing ... his face as quickly as if ... shuttle. After he had ... the grizzly's pace was ... much, as you could ... Yore turned to move back ... as he did so he broke through ... went down to his armpits ... expecting every moment to ... ed monster crush poor Yore ... eyes in perfect terror.

The bear had got within ... Yore, and but a few ... it. The dog bit him ... had the rifle firmly sighted ... him, two loads in quick ... stretched him as he was ... of the rifle. The whole ... less time than it takes to ... sengers rushed down with ... brought the immense bear ... and clubbed together and ... for Capt. Yore, and the ... a $20 gold piece for the little ... brought back with him to ... said he, "that dog saved my ...

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

Terence on the Modern ...

The most attractive of all ... Terence, the "Andria," ... has again been performed ... minster scholars, to the ... suitable classical scenery and ... Once more appears the old ... whose one object in life was ... suitably married to a ... damsel of whom the willful ... be enamored. Once again, ... few nights, has been seen ... minster stage that wayward ... doing all in his power to ... friend to elope with the ... so that he himself may not be ... having to marry her. We ... these annual representations of ... piece of ancient humor do good ... performers and to the audience ... follow the Latin-like nature ... Italy, or at least try to do so ... however, is not so antiquated a ... his remarks cannot be appreciated ... modern audience, and even applied ... ing circumstances. Thus it does ... quire great twisting ... few lines, which occur in the ... case of a clerical "martyr" ... ately imprisoned in England ... of court. "Now that hope is ... says Charimus, the rejected ... heart is bowed down with care" ... his friend replies with the ... counsel, "Prythee, Charimus ... cannot have what you wish, ... what you can." Better advice ... be tendered to any individual ... modern, who may happen to ... from a grief which is entirely ...

The Actress as a Rifle Markswoman.

The charming actress, Mrs. Scott-Siddons, ... is devoted to a rather unusual ... ladies, being a most enthusiastic ... shooter. With the dueling pistol ... and with catridge rifle her performance ... a matter of wonder. The lady has ... fine assortment of weapons, and ... neglects an opportunity to practice ... the fortune of a St. Louis Post ... reporter yesterday afternoon to ... little rifle soiree in the shooting gallery ... the Laclede hotel. The fair ... agreeable husband, Harry S... ... energetic manager, and a couple ... composed the audience, the ... closed to the regular run of custom ... party being introduced, and having ... of the weather and mud and the ... the Performance at Pope's, Mrs. ... stated that she was ready to ... and would shame Ira Paine. The ... attired in a rich walking suit, and ... jauntiest of little fur caps, which ... terfere with her sight in the least ... of rifles were offered for her ... With the air of an expert, she ... amined each of them until suited ... said: "Diana is ready for the ... an improvement this rifle must ... bow and arrow of her time." ... smiled, and then Mrs. Siddons ... self, squinted alone the glittering ... and was greeted with applause ... sonorous ring of the bell indicated ... eye. There was nothing unusual ... scene, except it looked very ... handsome and richly dressed ... away at the targets seventy-five ... and making one bull's-eye after ... a precision that awakened the ... the keeper of the gallery, and ... most profuse commendation from ... Sargent, who is himself a crack ... Mrs. Siddons, after some very ... ing, making seventeen bull's-eyes ... possible twenty, and the misses ... close, was introduced for the ... globe-sight rifle. She soon got the ... it, and after fifteen minutes' practice ... ten shots at the No. 5 target, making ... bull's-eyes and two elevens. Mrs. ... explained that she had always been ... pistol shooting, but only recently ... to rifles, with which she is delighted.

THE divine Sara was never intended ... crematory. She will Bernhardt.

A SOMEWHAT pathetic fact comes ... the course of a lawsuit between Mrs. ... Seguin, the singer, and the manager ... Emma Abbott opera company. ... Seguin, her husband, was in bad health ... his once brilliant abilities as a ... actor were waning fast. Mrs. Seguin ... informed that his salary was to be ... $50 a week. Knowing that he was ... on the subject of his deterioration ... former, she induced the manager ... the reduction in her own pay and ... unaltered. This was done. The ... arose when, after his death, she claimed ... salary again.

Of Course She Failed.

"So she's all broken up, ..." ... Detriot landlady when she heard of the ... ure of another woman in the same ... in Toledo. "Well, I knew it was ... question of time. I was in her house ... week, and I saw plainly that she ... economy about her. I tell you a ... must think and plan."

"Yes."

"Not only in great things but ... There's philosophy in running a ... house."

"How?"

"Well, I can't stop to tell you ... one instance. I have buckwheat ... every morning for breakfast for ... boarders. They use butter on them ... I keep the butter on ice until it is ... as a rock. The cakes are all placed ... table, not smoking hot, but mildly ... just warm enough to soften the outside ... lump of butter. In this way I ... ing of two pounds of butter per week ... the usual way of rushing on hot ... It's only one dodge out of a hundred ... the landlady who doesn't play more ... of them must ultimately come to grief."

LANDLADY—"Lor' a mussy, Mr. ... what's the matter, sir?" Maddox ... (with lively demonstrations of delight) ... "Glorious news! I'm going to be ... last! Hooray!" But he only meant ... picture was going to be hung at the Academy.

LITTLE six-years-old was taking a ... lesson in addition, and when the ... asked him: "If I were to give ... more, how many cats would you ... quickly replied, "Why, pretty ... wouldn't have any, for mamma would ... their necks with the broom. She don't ... cats."

Lord Clarina must be that Irish peer ... whom Brummagem exhausted its ... in creating a coat of mail; for he has ... temerity to announce that he is ... not to be coerced by the Land League ... will visit with the severest penalties ... whose rents is not paid on time.

A SERIOUS split has taken place ... Lord Bute ("Lothair") and the trustees ... his property. There have been differences ... for some time, and his recent action ... them in the Court of Sessions, the ... which was that he failed to obtain ... of his mother's jewels, &c., in the ... brought matters to a crisis. Col. ... who is one of the resigning trustees, ... presumptive to the Marquisate and ... large portion of the estates that ... settlement.

A clergyman meeting an inebriate ... ber, exclaimed, "Drunk again, Wilkins ... to which Wilkins, in a semi-confidential ... tone, responded, "Sho am I, parson!"

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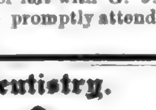

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Instructions in the use of Belting.

Oak tanned leather belts are the best for general use.

Cotton belts are best for dry places.

Rubber belts are best for damp places.

Belts should not be run too tight.

Belts too tight will tear out lace holes.

It is economy to put on a wider belt rather than make a narrow one too tight.

Vertical belts should be drawn moderately tight.

Adhesion of leather on turned iron pulleys being 1.00, adhesion of leather on turned wood pulleys is 1.25; on cotton covered pulleys 1.50; on leather covered pulleys 2.00; on rubber covered pulleys 2.50.

Narrow pulleys are usually covered by one or two widths of covering.

Broad pulleys are covered by winding narrow covering spirally around surface of same, riveting or cementing same as it is being wound around.

High speed belting should always have covered pulleys.

Belting will last longer on covered pulleys.

Leather belting with ordinary care and under ordinary circumstances will last three to five years, according to margin of power in belt.

Surplus power in a belt is never lost.

The greater the care, the greater the economy in belts.

Leather belting rots when oiled too much.

Belting rots with heat generated by slipping.

Lathes and other tools clatter mostly from elasticity of belting, caused principally by carelessly allowing them to become saturated with oil.

Heavy single, or light double, leather belting is preferable for machine tools.

Leather belts should not have a greater tension than 350 pounds per square inch in section.

Belts for ordinary work should not be run over 1,200 feet per minute.

Fan belts often run from 4,000 to 5,000 feet per minute.

Effective radius of a pulley equals radius of pulley plus half thickness of belt.

In a good working belt all air is excluded between the belt and surface of pulley; in such cases, 14 to 15 pounds atmospheric pressure is secured on the contact surface of belt on pulley.

Belts are run on pulleys with flesh side out; first because the grain side being smooth and straight makes a more perfect surface for adhesion and the exclusion of air between belt and pulley, thus transmitting 30 to 35 per cent. more power than flesh side of belt could. Second, because the flesh side being softer than the grain side, will not crack as would grain side in passing around a pulley, particularly a pulley of small diameter.

A belt one inch wide making 1,100 feet per minute is equal to one horse-power with average arc contact on pulley.

Strain on driving side of belt, independent of tension necessary to produce friction equals 33,000 h p times divided by v equals pounds. In which h p equals horse power transmitted, v equals velocity of belt in feet per minute.

Example 1: 48-inch pulley, 128 revolutions per minute has a velocity, at periphery, of say 1,600 feet per minute. Let h p equal 20, then 33,000 times 20 divided by 1,000 equals 412 pounds strain on belt due to power transmitted.

Width of belt is equal to 5,333 times h p divided by c v equals in w inches, in which w equals width of belt in inches; h p equals horse power transmitted, c equals conduct of belt on small pulley in linear feet, v equals velocity of belt in feet per minute.

Example 2: Want to transmit 20 horse power. Small pulley is 4 feet diameter, of which belt has 5 feet 3 inches arc contact, velocity is 1,600 feet per minute, or 128 revolutions; then 5,333 times 20 divided by 5.25 times 1,600 equals 12.5 inches. Supposing this 12½ or more proper 13 inch belt was 5-16 inch thick, it would contain about four square inches in section; then, as in first example, 412 divided by 4 equals 103 pounds per square inch in section would be due to power only being transmitted.

These are very simple and effective rules giving not less than 25 per cent. margin in power, which all belts need.

Profanity.

Is there any excuse whatever for profanity? To be sure there are times when it really seems as though one must fly all to pieces unless he can utter certain words which are forbidden by the second commandment, but can't we let off the explosive element by taking the name of Julius Cæsar, or pronouncing the words "mustard and vinegar!" with great emphasis. If they were only forbidden words they would answer the purpose very well, for the great necessity is to say what we ought not to say, and in that way only can we find immediate relief. We heard the other day of a man who said something intensely wrong, apparently, but who defended the utterance as quite right. He had an acquaintance who could never engage in any business without getting his partners into such a snarl that they were glad even to give the business up in order to get rid of him. He was to the last degree disagreeable. One day while in pious company and talking of this acquaintance, he said, slowly and deliberately, "Do you know, I wish that man was in—well, you know where I mean." "How awful, how monstrous, how downright wicked!" "No, not at all, he retorted. "If you only think of it a moment you will agree with me. That man never yet engaged in any enterprise which didn't bust up sooner or later, and I verily believe that if he should go to the bad place the institution wouldn't last six months. I am not profane; I am only speaking in the interest of humanity."

WOMANGOSSIP.

Fashion Notes.

Muffs are an essential part of dressy toilets.

Jersey suits are worn by both boys and girls.

Seal-coloured plush wraps are very fashionable.

Shot glace silks are fashionable for demi-toilets.

Satin is not a suitable fabric for young girls' dresses.

Scarlet jackets embroidered with gold take the lead.

Long gloves are *de rigueur* with the demi-long sleeves.

Fur caps of Jersey webbing to match suits are worn by little boys.

Small boys wear knee breeches and jackets of ribbed Jersey webbing.

Owls' heads in cut jet, with yellow eyes, make fanciful brooches.

No dressy toilet is complete without a lace jabot or cascade down the front.

Monastic or nun-like costumes are all the rage with Parisian young ladies.

Lace and crepe lisse flutings for the neck appear to be more popular than ever.

Every very handsome costume has its muff and pelerine or collar to match.

Dry goods are selling at marvellously reduced prices to make way for spring goods.

Plain dark stockings of wool or silk, ribbed, are the most fashionable at the moment.

Children wear large furry felt with very broad round brims turned up on one side.

Ladies are beginning to wear turned-down collars again, either of cambric or of lace.

Sleeves do not reach the wrist of fashionable dresses, even for those worn in the morning.

Silver serpents of the finest workmanship, with jewelled eyes, are much worn by English women.

Initial letters in hemstitching, in block or old sampler patterns, are the latest fancy in handkerchiefs.

Quiet-coloured dark cloth jackets for dressy wear have collars and cuffs of velvet embroidered with gold.

Clicking fringes of jet, with each strand of jet finished with a spike or ball, are among the handsomest trimmings worn.

Little girls wear large turned-down collars of embroidered cambric, edged with lace, and cuffs to match turned over the sleeves.

Black satin dresses are made very striking with embroideries of fine cut jet in the form of ivy leaves, fringed with jet on the lower edge.

The skirts of short dresses are fuller as a rule than they were last winter, but the front and side breadths have the same clinging effect.

Ladies who have dresses of gros-grain faille silks can make them fashionable by trimming them with brocades of satin or velvet or with plush.

Cats' heads in diamonds, with topaz eyes, a little pink coral tongue, and a blue enamelled collar around the neck, are the most fancy in jewelry.

For little girls' evening dresses the favourite material is pale blue, pale rose, or cream white nun's veiling, trimmed with satin folds and pipings of the same colour.

Corsages *a la vierge*—that is, round waists confined by a sash tied on one side back of the hip, not in front—are worn by young girls and young married women for evening toilets.

All Parisian dresses, whether for house or street, evening or day, country or town wear, are made to have a tapering effect, narrow at the bottom and somewhat bouffant on the hips.

After black, which bids fair never to go out of fashion, the favourite colours for street costumes are dark greens, garnets, violet, lapis blue, seal brown, copper red, or amber red, and all dark shades of red.

Muffs take all sorts of forms, as, for instance, envelopes, bonbon boxes, reticules, and work bags in all sorts of fanciful shapes, and then they are trimmed and ornamented with ruffles, shirrings, lace, fringes, balls, tassels, and jewelry ornaments.

For inexpensive but exceedingly effective evening dresses the dry goods houses display nun's veiling in all the loveliest evening shades of rose, blue, violet, heliotrope, water-green, white and cream colour, to be combined with brocaded grenadines and gauzes to match.

Crepe de chine in pale tints of rose, blue, violet, and heliotrope, white and cream-white forms the basis of the handsomest evening toilets, the revers, bands, pipings, and frequently the tablier and side draperies being of brocaded silk grenadine and gauze matching the crepe in colour and shade.

IT is easier to conquer the world twice over than to make a woman confess that another woman, her rival, is beautiful.

IT is more comfortable to keep house on the point of a cambric needle than to live in a fashionable set and not be in the fashion.

A CYNIC is a man who never hesitates to tell a falsehood if a falsehood will help him to make a good point. In illustration of this fact are the following lines, which were written in revenge by a man whose path of love did not run smooth:

Men have many faults;
Poor women have but two—
There's nothing good they say,
And nothing right they do.

How Women Vote in Wyoming.

In Wyoming elections, as is well known, the women are a power which can not be ignored. When the occasion seems to require it, the better sort of ladies go to the polls as well as the ignorant and vicious. From my own observation I should say that the woman voter, while less familiar with character and party principles, is most conscientious, independent and instinctively right than the male voter. They scratch their ticket a good deal. At the polls there is nothing objectionable to the lady voter. The law requires a cleared space of fifteen feet square in front of the ballot-box. The utmost quiet prevails, and when a lady walks up to deposit her ballot she meets nothing but deference and politeness from officials and inspectors. Usually they ride up to the polling-places in carriages provided by the party managers. The lady with her vote already prepared, alights from the carriage. The crowd, if any, quietly falls back to open the passage-way while she walks to the window or opening behind which sit the clerk and election judges, gives her name, drops her vote in the box and returns. Her age is not inquired into.

Healthy Women.

(Boston Traveller.)

A writer, in urging the necessity for more attention to physical culture, notes as a favorable sign the fact that the pale and interesting type of the female beauty is fast losing its popularity, and that men of position and influence are declaring for the healthy standard of womanly beauty, such as was ever recognized by Greece and Rome. This was certainly an important and happy change in public taste, and already the effects of it are to be detected in an improved condition of feminine health, for it will hardly be denied that on an average the women of to-day are physically superior to what they were a few years ago, when tight lacing and similar destroying customs prevailed.

Young people take more exercise than they formerly did. They ride and walk more, and are more in open air. They have not the insane dread of the sun's rays which they once had; but there is much room for improvement yet. Many homes are still presided over by invalid wives and mothers, who furnish a constant spectacle of sadness and misery to their families and friends, and are a subject of unlimited expense to their husbands. In such homes the greatest blessing that could be wished for would be the health of the mistress restored; but too often it is the one blessing which never comes.

American homes more than any other, perhaps, in the world, are saddest by sickly women. If this shall be so no longer it will be a great blessing to the nation. And the remedy is simple. American men are as strong and healthy as men of other nations; there is no good reason why American women should not be. All that is needed is proper attention to dress and exercise. Let women dress, as men do, so that their bodies shall not be squeezed and pressed together, but have free room for motion, and let them go out into the air and sunshine, as men do, and exercise their bodies, and the race of American women will not become extinct, as it is threatened to do. On the contrary, it will be improved, built up and beautified, and the time will shortly come when the healthy man will not have to hunt the country over for a healthy wife. We are on the right track now; and that is needed is to go ahead—and the result will soon be manifest. Women will die to be in fashion; therefore let the fashion of female beauty be vigor and strength, and all the ladies in the land will be swinging dumb-bells, practising archery, riding on horseback, and walking for a wager, but they will be in style.

A Benevolent Man.

WHOSE OFFERS WERE NOT APPRECIATED BY THE SOLICITORS FOR A LADIES' BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

(Detroit Post.)

At a meeting of the Ladies' Benevolent Society, held the other day, it was resolved that a committee of four ladies be appointed to canvass for denominations, and in the course of their peregrinations this committee yesterday dropped into Mr. Wixham's office. He received them as a gentleman should, and after the usual formalities one of them began:

"Mr. Wixham, we are asking aid for benevolent purposes."

"Ah! yes. Benevolence is a bump which should be cultivated. Are you looking after poor folks?"

"We are."

"Very proper—very proper. You all have children of your own?"

"Oh, yes."

"All of them are well fed, well clothed, and well cared for, are they?"

"Yes, sir."

"That's very proper. I presume their stockings are properly darned, buttons in their places, and they say their prayers when they go to bed? Am I correct?"

The women looked at each other in a sly way, and then at him, and one of them said:

"We shall be happy for any contribution."

"Yes'm, yes'm. You don't want this contribution for your own families, eh?"

"No, sir!" answered four voices in chorus.

"Well, I am somewhat inclined to benevolence. Hardly a day passes that I don't do something for charity. Here's an old account of $26 against Mr. ——, I know he's hard up and having a close time to get along, and yesterday I cancelled the debt.'

One of the canvassers turned red, white, and blue and looked out of the window. That was her husband, but Wixham didn't know it.

"And yesterday I found a poor, forlorn-looking little boy out here crying with hunger and cold. He said his name was Tommy ——, and he lived at No. 36 —— street. He hadn't been washed or combed for a week, and I felt sad for him. I was going to take him home and feed him, but he slipped away."

Another woman suddenly looked out of the window, and her pulse ran up to one hundred and twenty a minute, but Wixham was as innocent as a lamb of any knowledge that it was her boy.

"Then you won't aid us?" queried the spokesman.

"Oh, yes, certainly I will. I was simply figuring to see how much I could spare. I signed a note with Mr. —— last fall, and I had to pay it yesterday. That makes me feel rather poor."

The third woman didn't turn red but green, but Wixham couldn't have possibly known that it was her husband.

"Let's see. Let's see. I want to give you all I can spare. Mr. —— on —— street owes me four months' house rent, and I'll give you an order on him for $20."

The four women rose up. They rushed in a solid body for the door. They went out in a heap. Some were red and some were pale, and all mad. They tried to speak, but they couldn't and as they hastened to get away from each other, Wixham held up the half-written order, and gasped:

"How very, very singular! Perhaps they thought they couldn't collect the money."

"The Trapper's last Shot."

(From Forest and Stream.)

He was probably christened James, but is always Jim now, and along with the greater part of his Christian name he has almost entirely lost his surname. If he had been a few shades lighter he might have been "Colored Jim," but black being the absorption of all colour this name would not fit him. So he is known, wherever known at all, as "Nigger Jim." He is an expert trapper and fisherman, but, rather singularly, considering these gifts, a poor marksman. For years he lugged about or carried in his boat an ancient flint-lock Queen's arm, so deadly in its action that it would kill pickerel with only a charge of powder, so Jim said, yet he rarely brought home any spoils of field or flood but such as were gained by trap or hook. Once, however, he made a very telling shot. It was on an October morning, and he was padding his light trapping skiff up the channel of Wonakakatuk as silently as any Indian could, when, as he rounded a bend, he saw through the tall stalks of the wild rice at least a dozen ducks sitting among the lily pads in the edge of the channel, not six rods from him. Here was his long-sought opportunity, and no sooner did he descry them than a backward stroke of his paddle stopped the headway of the craft just before she poked her sharp nose in sight of the unsuspecting fowl. Then he laid his paddle in the boat without the slightest noise, and as silently lifted from its resting-place his old gun, whose true inwardness at that moment consisted of all the powder in its owner's possession and a handful of BB shot, both wadded with a half pound or so of wasp-nest. He cautiously thrust its muzzle through the rice stalks, cocked it without a tell-tale click of the ponderous lock, set the breech-plate firmly against his shoulder, laid his cheek to the stock, and took such a long and deliberate aim that a spider, setting his snare among the rushes, made fast an end of his web to the rusty barrel before Jim, shutting both eyes, set his teeth, and with a sturdy pull unhiched. There was a dazzling flash in the pan as if a kettleful of lard had caught fire, and then the noble weapon belched forth a horizontal column of flame and smoke, kicked Jim and his skiff half a boat's length astern, and gave a roar that went bellowing down the creek, across the lake, and was tossed back and forth from Split Rock Mountain to Shellhouse for five minutes before it lost its voice. When Jim got his eyes open and his wits gathered, he peered through the eddying smoke and saw—not a feather raised nor one wounded duck fluttering its last, but some riding unconcernedly with their heads knocked off and some keel up in a quarter acre of fine splinters. Then up rose two Boston men from among the rushes, and the fire, and smoke, and uproar, and vicious recoil of Jim's gun were as nothing to the vials of wrath which they poured out upon his early, devoted head. Never was such paddling done on these waters as Jim did till he put half a mile of Wonakakatuk's channel, seething with his rapid strokes between himself and the scene of bloodless slaughter. Then he shoved his boat into the rushes and skulked ashore. Next day he offered his gun for sale, giving as a reason that she burned so much powder no poor man could afford to keep her. He effected a sale at $1.53, and has done no duck shooting since. He says, with emphatic shakes of the head, "Any man that'll try to fool ducks with them wooden images 'll steal sheep! Yes, sir, course he will!"

A Village Buried in Snow.

HEROISM AND SUFFERING IN THE VIRGINIA MOUNTAINS—A THRILLING STORY OF ESCAPE FROM A TOMB OF SNOW—300 PERSONS IMPRISONED IN THE MOUNTAINS—A MESSENGER FOR AID FOUND HALF FROZEN—A RELIEF EXPEDITION SENT OUT.

BERRYVILLE, Clarke County, VA.—This evening about dusk Mr. Richard A. Ward, residing on the outskirts of the village, found a man lying in the snow near the roadside, partially insensible from cold and terribly emaciated. The stranger was at once removed to Mr. Ward's residence, where, after he had been revived and had been supplied with food, which he devoured in a ravenous manner, he startled his preserver by one of the strangest and most thrilling narratives of human distress that has ever been chronicled. The man stated that his name was Roger S. Cooper, and that he resided in the village of Paris, a small town near the summit of the Blue Ridge Mountains, on the dividing line between Clarke and London counties. He had volunteered to come to Berryville to urge the residents by all the ties of humanity and manhood to organize a relief party and go to the assistance of the villagers, who were literally buried in the snow, and to the number of about 300 were in danger of death from both cold and hunger.

The village of Paris is on the west side of the Blue Ridge, and it was directly exposed to the terrible northwesterly gale which began on the night of Dec. 20. The villagers at first beheld the snow without alarm, although as the flakes came steadily down it became evident to them that the fall would be an unusually deep one. For forty-eight hours the storm continued. On Wednesday night the snow was piled high above all the roads and paths, and was heavily drifted against houses. As the villagers retired for the night the snow was coming down faster than ever. Cooper and his family occupied a small cottage near the western slope of the plateau on which the village stands. He says that when he awoke Thursday morning he found it still dark, and supposed that the day had not yet dawned. After remaining in bed for several hours, awaiting daybreak, he got up, and lighting a lamp, saw by the clock that it was half past ten. Somewhat puzzled he went to the front door. It offered resistance to his push. To his astonishment he was confronted by a solid wall of snow. His house had been buried in a deep drift. His young wife and child, when informed of the position of affairs, at first became greatly alarmed, but were soon soothed by his assurances of safety.

Cooper is a hardy, handsome young fellow of 25. He is evidently a cool-headed, intelligent man. He says that the first thing he did was to build a rousing fire, and to insist on having breakfast before doing anything. That through with, he took a long-handled shovel and started to cut his way through the imprisoning wall of snow. He made rapid headway at first, but had not penetrated five feet before he began to be troubled by the snow taken from the tunnel. He had thrown it behind him on the floor, but it threatened soon to fill the entire interior. To add to the difficulty, it began to melt under the action of the fire, and inside of an hour the floor ran with water. The husband and father struggled gallantly at his work. The snow flew from the little tunnel into the room, where his wife endeavoured to pack it to one side. By 3 o'clock in the afternoon Cooper had cut a narrow pathway for nearly thirty feet without seeing an signs of daylight. Suddenly the roof of his tunnel dropped, and he was buried in the snow. Putting forth desperate exertions, he struggled to extricate himself. The snow was light and easily penetrated. Following the track of the tunnel he finally succeeded in bursting into the doorway, to find his wife lying senseless on the floor.

In describing his struggles through the snow, Cooper shuddered. "The feeling of suffocation which came over me," he said, "was awful. Three or four times, as I plunged blindly along striving to keep in the course of the tunnel, my head struck against the hardened walls of the track I had cut through the snow. The relief I experienced when I burst into my house is indescribable. It was a miracle that I ever got out alive." When he recovered from his exhaustion he succeeded in reviving his wife, who was now completely prostrated by cold and anxiety.

By this time the fire in the house had died away, and the floor was covered with an icy slush. Cooper made up his mind that the attempt to cut through the drift was impracticable. It occurred to him to try to get up the chimney. Placing his wife and child in bed and covering them up warmly, he made the attempt. He ascended with ease until about ten feet from the top, where the chimney narrowed, and there he stuck. He descended and got a hatchet and chisel. Reascending the chimney until he was above the level of the roof, he cut his way through the brick wall. After an hour of severe toil he crawled out upon the peaked roof of his house. Bestriding the ridge, he took a survey of the situation. The snow had piled in an immense drift, reaching to the eaves against the front of his house. He could never have cut his way out from the doorway, as he would have had to penetrate nearly three hundred feet, only to find himself on the edge of a precipice overhanging a sheer fall of several hundred feet into a small valley forming the western boundary of the plateau. Glance which way he would he saw nothing but round, unbroken mounds of snow, from many of which rose columns of smoke, indicating that there were houses beneath.

"Sitting on that ridge," said Cooper, "with the north wind whistling around me with cutting force and almost benumbed with cold, I shuddered as I thought of the coddition of the inmates of those houses from which those columns of smoke were not rising." Cooper found that the most available exit would be through the second-story frone window of his cottage, where the incline of the drift made the distance to be cut through the snow only about ten feet. Resuming his labours in that direction, in about an hour he had the satisfaction of seeing daylight through the opening, and eventually with great difficulty made his way to the house of his father, which, being in a most sheltered position, had escaped the worst fury of the storm. The men of the family soon brought out Cooper's wife and child in the same way that he had himself gotten out, and the family were soon enjoying warmth and comfort again.

The snow still descended. Christmas day dawned cold and dreary, bringing no gladness to the belated villagers. The dark sky and occasional scurrying flakes of snow were ominous of another storm. The only thermometer in the village registered 10° below zero at 8 A. M., and as the day advanced the mercury fell slowly until it registered 18° below. On Christmas night the suffering from cold, owing to the scarcity of fuel, was very great, and early the next day there were not half a dozen fires in the village. The residents, in order to keep warm, were compelled to either remain in bed or envelop themselves in extra clothing or blankets. At about 10 o'clock the burgomaster, Thomas Aldine, went around and called for volunteers to assist in cutting a way into the house of a poor widow named Mrs. Kate Witman, who, with two children, occupied a cottage in one of the most exposed portions of the village. Nothing had been heard from her for several days, and there was no sign of fire from the chimney. Within an hour about forty men were gathered around the house of the unfortunate widow, and, armed with shovels and hoes, went bravely to work in a blinding snow storm. The first man to enter the house was Mr. Aldine. Stretched upon the bed was Mrs. Witman, stiff and cold in death. When the strong men had gently moved her corpse they found by her side two children who were carefully wrapped in a blanket and some old clothing. The mother had placed herself over them in the effort to keep them warm. Mary, the eldest child, was found to be past all aid, but the other, an infant eighteen months old, showed signs of animation, and in about two hours was out of danger.

The next day, and Saturday ... In the afternoon a meeting of the villagers was held in the school room. Peter Wright, a leading citizen, presided. He spoke substantially as follows: "Men, we have got to do something. As sure as there is a God above us, if we do not there will not be a live man, women, or child in the village within a week. Let us organize a Relief Committee, who shall take charge of all fuel and provisions we have among us. By living together in as few houses as possible we can greatly economize our fuel. We have got to act promptly, or the lives of our wives and daughters will be lost. If there is any man here who has anything to say let us hear him right away. We have no time to lose and must take hold right away with a hard grip. I am ready to hear any plans you have in your heads."

There was a solemn silence. Finally an old, gray-haired farmer stood up and said: "Mr. Chairman, in the name of God, appoint the committee." A hum of approval ran through the crowd, and Mr. Wright promptly exclaimed. "All right. I'll do it." He then named a committee of fifteen, with himself as Chairman, after which he exclaimed: "Look here, men, there is no good appointing this committee unless what it says is going to be done. Are we to have full authority here or not?"

"Yes; do as you please," replied the gray-haired farmer.

"Do you all agree?" asked Mr. Wright again.

"Yes, yes," was the general response.

"All right. Now, you all hear. I propose to take hold at once; and I give all those fellows who won't do as they are told fair notice that we'll make 'em do it. Now, gentlemen, the committee is going to meet at the other end of the room, and you can all wait until we tell you what we have done."

The committee remained in consultation for about half an hour. When they returned Mr. Wright, springing on a desk, announced the result quickly and forcibly:

"Men, what I say the committee agrees to. You will all be ready to hand over your supplies of wood and food to men who will be sent around for it to-morrow. We want everything—everything, mind you—which you can eat or burn. It will all be brought here and put under lock and key. A fixed quantity of food will be given out to each family according to the number of persons. To-morrow you will move with your families into the houses around this building, and the committee will see that as many go in each house as it will hold. These houses will be heated by fires supplied by the committee, and no one must touch them or put anything on them except the committee. Each day we will appoint a number of men who will forage for food and wood. There are millions of birds frozen to death lying around in the woods about two miles from here, and if we can get through the snow we will not want for meat. All the barns and outbuildings not covered by drifts will be torn down for fuel. Now, this is all we have to say."

The next day the plans of the committee were faithfully carried out, and by night all the entire population of the village was gathered in about twenty houses in the immediate vicinity of the schoolhouse, which had been converted into a supply station. During the day the committee at times found some difficulty in enforcing the order for the surrrender of food. Several of the villagers showed a disposition to rebel, but the inexorable committee, led by Mr. Wright, helped themselves indiscriminately, ignoring all complaints. Once a man named Emory refused to comply with the requisition, and when the committee attempted to take the desired articles by force, he and his three sons seized their shot guns. Wright went up to Emory and knocked him down without a word of warning. In a moment the rebellious villagers were all prisoners in the hands of the committee, who had quickly supported their leader.

The Emorys were disarmed, and after their house had been ransacked for fuel and provisions, they were liberated. There was great suffering from frost bites. The energetic committee established a hospital in which the ailing could be cared for by the sole physician of the place. As many as fifty were suffering at one time, and several amputations had to be performed.

It was decided to send a messenger to Berryville for help. Cooper was selected. He started on Tuesday mounted on a strong horse, and supplied with a flask of whisky and a package of provisions. He travelled all that day and night. The next day the horse gave out and could go no further. Cooper went ahead on foot. He was thoroughly familiar with the woods. Throughout Wednesday night the faithful messenger tramped through the snow, Thursday morning found him still pursuing his weary way in an almost insensible condition. Cooper remembers singing, praying, and laughing alternately up to noon on Thursday, after which time he lost all sense of what took place. When found by Mr. Ward, Cooper was half covered by snow, and death would undoubtedly have ensued in a few hours.

This fearful story was told by Cooper to your correspondent in a modest, straightforward way. He passed lightly over his own brave deeds, but dwelt with earnestness on the pitiable condition of his fellow villagers. As soon as his story was made known, a party of three men in a four-horse sled were despatched to Paris with provisions and medicine. One of the number is a surgeon and another a clergyman. It is not yet known whether they can make their way through the snow. Their is great anxiety in regard to the fate of the devoted villagers on the bleak side of the Blue Ridge. A number of lives will certainly be lost by this singular blockade.

The Value of Politeness.

(From the London World.)

John Bright, the orator—whose use of pure Saxon, by the bye, is marvelous—once unconsciously converted a political opponent by the *suaviter in modo*, as contradistinguished from his usual quality, the *fortiter in re*. As the right honourable gentleman is, perhaps, unware of the circumstance himself, he will be grateful to me for telling him of it. He was riding on horseback at Llandudno, and came to a gate, near which stood a gentleman, who, though recognizing the horseman, did not show any readiness to unlatch it. Addressing him in a manner almost courtly, the Apostle of Radicalism asked that favour at his hands; and the stranger, surprised into compliance, was still further pleased when the present Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, waiting until the pedestrian had reclosed the gate, leisurely walked his animal along, and continued an agreeable conversation, in which everything local, but nothing national, was discussed. On the two separating, something like complimentary expressions were exchanged, and at the last general election John Bright had no more effective, but unobtrusive, supporter than the stranger whose political animosity he had disarmed by politeness and sociability. This story I learn from a letter written by the man himself.

A Rude Man.

(From the London World.)

A country cousin writes: "A short time ago I was staring at the lovely diamonds and beautiful things in a shop window in Regent street, (not covetously, as I am content to see others wear them,) when a man came and stood close by my side. I don't understand why men should speak to me in the street, because I am sure I look the model of stout, British matronly respectability. But they do sometimes; and this man remarked how pretty the stones were, and edged up close, and suggested that I might like diamonds. I said frankly I did. He said he should like to buy me something. I said how kind. What did I want he asked. 'Oh,' I said, 'there are so many things; but let me think. Now what is it I want most? Why, some new shoes, stockings, flannel petticoats, a scrubbing-brush for the kitchen, two sauce-pans, and three loads of manure for the garden. Oh, I do so want the manure, because it's getting late for mulching.' That rude man positively turned away, saying something unmentionable. It was so very rude, when he had asked me what a should like, and I had told him quite the truth."

A QUICK answer is like the sharp cut of a whip. "You are no gentleman, sir," said an irate individual to the person next to him. "Are you a gentleman yourself?" was the sneering inquiry. "I am, sir," was the reply, in a tone which implied a duel if any doubt was expressed. "Then you are quite right in saying that I am not one," retorted the party of the second part, "neither do I wish to become one."

THEY tell a queer story about the doctors in a certain Texas town, who were away last summer to attend a medical convention. They were absent about two months, and on their return found all their patients had recovered, the drug stores had closed, the nurses have opened dancing schools, the cemetery had been cut up into building lots, the undertakers had gone to make fiddles, and the hearse had been painted and sold as circus wagon.

KOFFEENE! KOFFEENE!! KOFFEENE!!!

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Jan. 28st, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

We have received a communication from a ratepayer of Artemesia, asking us why we do not publish the minutes of the Council of that Township, and further wishing to know if it was from malice at the loss of the Township printing. We have to inform our correspondent that the reason of their non-appearance is, we do not receive them, otherwise they would appear as regularly as those of other Townships.

We sincerely hope the advice given to the Reeves by the Thornbury *Standard* will not be acted on, but trust they will see the propriety of placing Mr. Creasor on the High School Board. We consider Mr. C. one of the most pai[illegible] and best men on the boar[illegible] not for a moment believe he [illegible] his feelings towards Mr De La Matter to influence the course he has taken in regard to [illegible] School, but was actuated [illegible] best interest of [illegible].

The Editor of the Thornbury *Standard* is allowing his feelings towards the Owen Sound School Board to over-ride his better judgement, when he advises the people of our County who are desirous of giving their children a better education than our Common Schools afford, to send them to Toronto in preference to Owen Sound. He must think those whom he appeals to are [illegible] simpletons, if he imagines he can make them believe that it is no more costly to send their children to a city to be educated than to send them to a country town. We venture to say that it would cost from $350 to $400 per annum to send a boy to any of our city schools, while in Owen Sound the cost would not exceed $250 at the most. We cannot see where the superior advantages come in, unless the *Standard* man considers the billiard saloons, theatres, gambling hells, concert halls, low groceries and houses of prostitution with which Toronto abounds are necessary adjuncts to a finished education. If so, then the preference must be awarded to Toronto, for assuredly the "hamlet on the Sydenham creek," as the *Standard* designates our County Town, hath them not; but we think the majority of our readers will agree with us, that these accessories can be very well dispensed with to the great advantage of our children.

Owen Sound has recently erected a very fine building for High School purposes, at a cost of something like $24,000, and has now a staff of teachers engaged second to none in the Province. With the exception of the University and Colleges, we know of no educational institutions in Toronto capable of imparting a better education than can be acquired in Owen Sound. Unless some of the learned professions are aimed at, we see no necessity for a Collegiate education, then why send our children to places where temptation stares them in the face at every street corner, when all that is necessary can be obtained nearer home, at less cost, and at a place free from the dens of infamy and vice that are always to be found in all large cities.

Prof. C.A.Grimmer must be a jovial companion. He is just brimful of fun. He has bee[illegible] and the following is the result of his cogitations: "The comming conjunction of the perihelia of the planets Jupiter, Uranus, Neptune and Saturn will be momentous. From 1880 to 1887 will be one universal carnivel of death." This will have a tendency to make every one feel happy, no doubt. The Pacific Coast, he goes on to say, will not suffer in comparison to any other portion of the globe.—Evidently the Professor has taken up a large tract of land in that neighborhood, or is a member of some railway syndicate and advertises it in this way with a view of disposing of it.—"Diseases will appear, the nature of which will baffle the skill of the most eminent physicians. Every drop of water on the earth or above the earth will be more or less poisonous." We will bet a nickle the professor is about starting a brewery or distillery on an extensive scale. He then goes on to tell how many people died of plagues, &c., at previous periods when some of the planets were in perihelion, and says the present occasion will outrival anything before seen or heard of. That America will loose over 15,000,000 inhabitants unless correct sanitory measures are taken. Listen to that, now, good people of Markdale, and see that your alleys, back-yards and out-houses are thoroughly cleansed, unless you wish to be entirely wiped out. We are further informed that no fish or animal food should be eaten from 1882 to 1885, as all the flesh of the animal kingdom and finny tribes will be diseased. Butchers and fishermen, hang up your fiddles and bows, for your occupations, like Othello's, will be gone. In addition to all the above horrors, we are to be overrun with murderers and robbers. He however holds out a faint hope that some of us may pull through if we drink nothing but copious drafts of warm water, confine ourselves to a vegetable diet, and keep our nostrils full of cotton saturated with spirits of camphor. How long the vegetables will remain on our stomachs after the copious drafts of warm water the Professor does not vouch for. For our part we think the cure would be worse than the disease. From 1885 to 1887 fires are to rage all over the world, and this is to kill off the plague and purify the atmosphere, and everything will return to its normal condition.—We can't see why, if fire is the only thing that is going to stop the march of this fearful scourge that is coming upon us, it could not be done at first and nip the thing in the bud. After the fires have ceased to glow those of our fellow mortals who remain on this scene of desolation will then have a high old time. The earth will never have been so healthy or fruitful, and everything will be lovely, at least so says the Professor.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF EAST GREY AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Your Directors, in presenting their Annual Report, regret their inability to report the Fall exhibition a great success. The very unfavorable weather which visited us during the time the Exhibition was held, prevented members from bring their stock and articles of manufacture for exhibition. The same cause prevented members and others from putting in an appearance, consequently the receipts at the gate were less than on former like occasions. There is also a slight decrease in membership, owing to the fact that the members did not all compete, and as their was no dollar to retain, their membership has ceased until renewed in the usual way.—It therefore becomes necessary that an extra effort be made by our successors to work up a good membership for the Society in the current year. And we would further recommend that as soon as possible proper accommodation be provided for the safe keeping of good thorough bred stock on the Show Ground. A visit to a few of the Township Exhibitions has taught us, that East Grey has within its limits some of the very best thorough-bred cattle Ontario can boast of, and unless your Directors make provisions for the safe keeping of such valuable stock, we need not nor can we expect them to be brought upon the Grounds. We believe the services rendered to the country by those enterprising agriculturists, who bring good thorough-bred animals into our midst, is under-estimated. Mixed farming is generally admitted to be the best for this part of the country; and as feeding rough, scrubby cattle does not pay, therefore the necessity of improving the grade is evident, and in the various neighborhoods throughout the riding where thorough-bred Durham bulls are kept, it is very pleasing to notice the vast improvement there is in grade cattle. Therefore every possible encouragement should be given to the importers of good thorough-bred cattle into this country. Sheep are likewise becoming a very important part of farming, the country being well adapted for that purpose. Of these we had a good display at the Fall Exhibition. Sales were effected at remunerative prices. The parties purchasing having for their object the improvement of their flock will no doubt be well repaid.—We wish them good success. The show of horses was good. A vast improvement in this class was evident. Improvement in pigs is very noticeable, caused by the importing of good stock. Of these we had some very fine specimens shown, but not as many as we should have liked to have seen. The poultry was fairly up to the average. In implements every year seems to show an improvement on the preceeding one. The display, on the whole, was grand throughout. Fall wheat was excellent, barley, peas and oats were likewise good. Spring wheat was up to the average in quality; but for some reason hard to be understood, is not yielding so as to sufficiently remunerate the producer. There was a good exhibition of roots and vegetables, and of these there has been an abundant crop. There was a large display of dairy produce, excellent in quality. The show of fruit was likewise No.1. In the departments of ladies' work, manufactures and fine arts the exhibits were numerous, beautiful in design and finish, and reflects great credit on the exhibitors.—In conclusion, it becometh us to acknowledge that we are the recipients of many favors which tend to make the people of a country happy and content. The educational system of our country is good; we have good laws to be governed by; the people are generally law abiding and orderly. We are the subjects of a noble Queen, and are proud to live under Her sovereign sway; we have reaped an abundant harvest. For these, with all other blessings liberally bestowed, we have a right to give thanks to that Great Being, who alone giveth us all good things.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

MASQUERADE CARNIVAL.—The second carnival of the season came off on Wednesday evening, the 19th inst., and was in fact a greater success than any previously held in Flesherton. Mr. F. Sarjeant the proprietor of the rink, paid good attention to it and had a splendid sheet of ice for the performers. The band discoursed sweet music during the evening, which added greatly to the enjoyment. There was between forty and fifty skaters present, besides a large audience. We were only able to obtain the names of the following characters:—Hamlet, R. Hooper; The *Globe*, Miss B. Philip; The *Mail*, Miss B. Hooper; Chineese Mandarian, J. H. Strain, Bride, Miss M. Cheesman; Tornado, A. Ferguson; Scotland, Miss M. E. Wright; Etheopian, H. Strain; Turkish Pasha, Wm. Keefer; Highland Chief, W. A. McDonnell; Base Ball, Bert Ghent; Lacrosse, F. Leitch; Gipsy Queen, Miss M. Trimble; Negro Preacher, R. Trimble; Monk, E. Strain; and a host of others. The best dress of the evening was the lady, Gipsy Queen, who took every one by surprise when she appeared on the ice, owing to her general contour and richness of dress. We hope that Mr. Sarjeant will give us another such entertainment before many weeks.

VERY TOUCHING.—The following beautiful lines were left with us the other day, to be sent to the Markdale STANDARD for publication. We will not attempt to alter the spelling or wording for fear we might destroy the "poets" meaning. To the corispondent of the Markdale STANDARD would you Be Kind enuf to send this poustry to the STANDARD for publication Dear Sir A few simple Verses I will try to relate of my friend being going to the Western States he carried parsils four years in A Store and he asked his Boss for a rise or he would do it no more Then he Went to The dock for to shovel Some Grain he shoveled scarcely one hour till his back took to pain tairing of his colar and giving his Brother his cote said he tell my Mother Im shoveling this Boat said he to the Boss will you give me some pay said he you young blagyard be out of the mens way So I went to the Steamer to Stour away in the Boat down came the captain with a big tar Roap Saying be ashore and let me see you no more that is what you get for leaving that store. Yours truely, A FRIEND.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

On Wednesday of last week I attended the annual meeting of the East Grey Electoral District Agricultural Society. There were present quite a number of experienced farmers from different parts of the Riding. After the Directors Annual Report was read, the President invited discussion on matters interesting to the Society, and the farming community generally. I was strongly impressed with the force of the arguments used in favor of the importance of improving the stock of the County by crossing with thorough-bred animals, and the vast amount of profit to be derived from so doing. But as far as Artemesia is concerned we are minus the means, but few of the farmers being able to do it, it takes quite a sum of money to do so, and those who have got the money, for some reason best known to themselves, are not willing, consequently Artemesia in this respect has come to a standstill, and it is to be feared a great many other municipalities as well. Now it is quite evident that some change in the general mode of farming must take place in order that the sons of toil may prosper. The practice in the past has been too much of grain growing—grain, grain all the time, until a great deal of the soil is worked to death, or in other words, overcroped. The grain growing properties natural to the land have, in a great many instances, become exhausted. Grain is sowed and Canada thistles and other noxious weeds are reaped. The land wants more rest than is generally given it, and more manure than our barnyards afford. Artificial manures are costly and inconvenient to get. Feeding scrubby, run-out cattle is similar to seeding a poor run-out field; the result is small profit, therefore the necessity of improving our stock. Would it not be well for our municipal Councils throughout the different municipalities to purchase say one good thorough-bred bull for each ward in their Township, and give them into the care of a proper party for the season; charge a reasonable rate for their service and keep, then sell in the fall of each year, add the amount realized over keep to the proceeds of sale and purchase again in the spring successively for a time. The bulls sold would, no doubt, be purchased by ratepayers in the Township. By persuing this course thorough-bred animals would increase rapidly in the Township, and consequently instead of the low priced, scrubby cattle that we now have, we would soon have first-class grade cattle, thereby largely increasing the profit for feeding.—And further, our cattle would be saleable; John Bull would attend our fairs every time, and his gold would be useful. I hope Reeves and Councillors will give this matter a fair consideration, and that the farmers shall try to impress upon them the necessity of carrying out some such scheme, as it would be a great boon to the farmers of their Township and the country generally. Mr. Editor, if it be your pleasure to give this a space in the columns of your valuable paper, you will oblige,

ENTERPRISE.

[We unite discussion on the above subject. We consider it a move in the right direction, and see no reason why the suggestion may not be acted upon. Agriculture is the backbone of our country, and we believe stock rising in its different lines, will be the main dependence of farmers.]—ED.

FIRE AT EUGENIA,

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

A fire of a very serious nature occured at Eugenia on Saturday morning, the 22nd inst., between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock, resulting in the destruction of Mr. Michael Akitt's large stable, together with its contents, which consisted of one horse, three cows, cutting box, set of single harness, half of a set of double harness, a quantity of hay straw, and numerous other articles. As far as we have been able to gather the following are the facts:—About 6.30 the horses were fed and harnessed for work by Mr. John Philips, one of Mr. Akitt's teamsters, while the cows in the adjoining stable were fed by Mr. John Learmont. The lamp used in connection with the stable being blown out and hung on a pin in the cow stable, as usual, the men repaired to breakfast. After breakfast, it being a stormy morning, Mr. Akitt told Mr. Philips to cut some wood at the door for a while, and make but one trip for sawlog in the forenoon. Mr. Akitt and his men then went to the saw mill to work. Mr. Philips remained at the house cutting wood, when about half-past eight he heard a noise proceeding from the cow stable, and went to ascertain the cause. Upon opening the door smoke and flame issued in a large volume. At once he gave the alarm, and ran to the saw mill for assistance. Several people seeing the smoke and hearing the cry of fire, arrived at the scene about the same time Mr. Akitt and his men returned from the saw mill. All seem to have exerted themselves to the utmost to save the three horses that were tied in the horse stable.—After repeated and hazzardous efforts two of the horses were got out, but the third, an animal of considerable value, could not be forced out of the building, and perished in the flames. We canot help but notice the heroic efforts of Mr. John Linton to rescue this third beast from the burning building. Determined never to let the best horse in the stable "die in the fire," he stuck to him until the flames were issuing from every opening in the stable, and there was no the slightest hope left, and it was with difficulty that he (Mr. Linton) was dragged out of the fire by Mr. James Learmont. Yet, Mr. Editor, while three cows, one horse, a large amount of hay, straw and implements of various kinds, together with the large stables were being burned, imagine one of our so-called Village ladies, beholding the scene with Satanic pleasure and fiendish grin, allowing such thoughts to enter her heart, and such words as the following to escape from her lips as—"It serves him right. He could not expect any better. He'll let us alone. People don't always escape. They'll catch it some time," and such like expressions. We could scarcely believe such persons lived amongst us; but the proof is conclusive. We say, Mr. Editor, we have had business transactions amounting to ever ore thousand dollars with Mr. Akitt, and found him an upright, honest and honorable man, and we feel confident that this community generally will say the same, and are only to sorry that the accident occurred.

DAVID WRIGHT.

Eugenia, Jan. 24, 1881.

[We have omited the last paragraph of our correspondent's letter, thinking that, although the porson against whom the remarks are directed might have richly deserved them, such things are best unsaid.—ED.]

YELLOW OIL is unsurpassed for the cure of Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Frost Bites, Wounds and Chilblains. No other medicine required in the household. It is for internal as well as external use. Every bottle is guranteed to give satisfaction. All medicine dealers sell it.

MARRIED

On the 26th inst., by Rev. Mr. McCleland, Mr. J. R. Carson, of Eugenia, to Miss Ellen, oldest daughter of George Richardson, Esq., of Euprasia.

DIED.

In Egremont, on the 23rd inst., after a lingering illness, James Wilson, sr., one of the oldest residents of the Township, aged about 75 years.

In the Township of Sydenham, on the 19th inst., after an illness of three days, Mr. Jacob Keefer, (father of Mr. Geo. Keefer, Flesherton,) aged 77[illegible]

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Jan. 27, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush, new	1.00	tc	1.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.06
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.27	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.75	"	6.00
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.25
Hay	6 50	"	0.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2 00	"	2.1

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, NRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandef & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau street, New York. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York.

PAY UP.

ALL parties indebeted to Dr. T. S. Sproule, either by Note or Book Account, are requested to call at the Medical Hall and pay the same *at once*, and save trouble and costs.

A TURNER.

Markdale, Jan. 27, 1881, 20-2i

50,000 FEET OF FIRST-CLASS MAPLE! WANTED,

By the undersigned, for which $1 per Standard will be paid in cash, to be cut 14 feet long. Butternut and Cherry, $2.25 to $2.50 per Staedard.

Good White Basswood, 75,000 Feet Wanted.

$1 per Standard for a good article. Paid on delivery.

JAMES CHAPMAN.

Markdale, Jan, 27, 1881. 20-2i

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

Has been in constant use by the public for over twenty years, and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

It cures Itching, Eruptions and Dandruff. As a HAIR DRESSING it is very desirable, giving the hair a silken softness which all admire. It keeps the head clean, sweet and healthy.

The State Assayer and Chemist of Mass. and leading Physicians endorse and recommend it as a great triumph in medicine.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

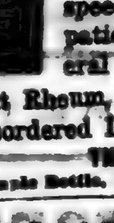
PREPARED BY R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H. Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

TENDERS

WILL be received by the undersigned, up to Feb. 1st, 1881; for building a brick house, in Flesherton; contractor to supply all material. Plans and specifications may be seen at my office.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in H. R., Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agent, Flesherton.

Jan. 5th, 1881. 17 4i



BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular Size, $1.00

[illegible] Powder [illegible] children or [illegible]

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brightness and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES, FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONFRY AND LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of **Draft** and **Bottled Ale** in this section. **Old Cider equal to Champagne.**

Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 24y

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment OFFDRED BY THE BRITISH CANADIAN

LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, AND British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED **Wanzer Family Machines.**

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES —ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

MARKDALE HOUSE, MARKDALE, ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

PHOTOGRAPHS! 12 FOR $1.50.

I WOULD again intimate to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that I am prepared to give you the BEST SATISFACTION IN PHOTOGRAPHS, AMBROTYPES, COPYING AND ENLARGING! Please give me a call, and see for yourselves.

GALLERY, two doors from Revere Hotel.

R. BAILEY.

Markdale, Jan. 13, 1881. 18-3i

Farm to Rent.

THE Subscriber wants to rent his Farm for four years, lot 16, con 9, Glenelg; 75 acres cleared; 15 acres ploughed. The soil is a good Clay Loam. There is on the premises a good Log Barn and a good comfortable house, and all other buildings necessary. Plenty of Water. Terms easy, as the Proprietor must leave. Possession given 1st April. Apply on the premises to John Black, or to Arch. Butter, Markdale.

JOHN BLACK,
Traverston P. O., Ont.

January 13, 1881, 18-3i

R. M. Galbraith,

AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds for sale.

Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-ly

CARD.

TO MY PATRONS.

GENTLEMEN—While thanking you for the liberal patronage extended me in my Harness Business, and wishing you the complements of the season, I beg to intimate to you that I have disposed of that branch of my business to J. GORDON, and bespeak for him the liberal patronage accorded me in the past. Yours truly,

S. DAMUDE.

Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1880. 16-5ih

FLESHERTON Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damude, begs to inform the public that he has REMOVED TO THE BUILDING OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, where he is prepared to furnish ALL KINDS of HARNESS usually found in a *First-Class Establishment*, And at prices to suit the times, and by using THE BEST OF MATERIAL AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP, hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c., constantly on hand. COLLARS A SPECIALTY. Call and satisfy yourselves. Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, Dec. 1880. 16

REMOVAL! REMOVA[L]

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased control of the FLESHERTON STEAM FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FA[CTORY] AND REMOVED TO THE Furniture Warerooms TO THE NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOINING THE [illegible]

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman, and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to [illegible] commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a con[tinuance of the] patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of Furniture in all the Latest S[tyles] and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and [illegible] LUMBER! for which THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PA[ID]. Also a Quantity of Good [illegible]

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, [illegible] AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Applic[ation]

Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durha[m] [illegible]

H. HOOP[ER]

Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTE[R] AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Da[ys]

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEA[P]

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEA[P]

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothi[ng] CHEA[P]

Staple and Fancy Dry Goo[ds] OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT ROCK-BOTTOM P[RICES]

BOOTS AND SHO[ES] In every Variety—CHEA[P]

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW P[RICES]

"TORONTO HOU[SE]" Wm. BROW[N]

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU A Merry Christmas and a Happy New [Year]

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that [it has] been a year of prosperity with the people of our C[ountry] and as others have prospered, we have been enab[led to] participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of **Christmas Good[s]** —NAMELY— Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Sa[ucers] and a large variety of CHILDREN'S TOYS

OUR GROCERIES For the season are, as usual, Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.
The People are all asking for our TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING WINTER DRY GOODS At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties, 5,000 Telegraph Poles, Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

[THE] STANDARD.

[Fri]day, Jan. 28th, 1881.

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READ R. M. Galbraith's advertisement.

THE place to buy watches, see Mr. Doll's advertisement this week.

FOR the best and cheapest machine oil and coal oil, go to Haskett Bros.

OUR thanks are due Dr. Sproule, M. P., for parliamentary and other papers.

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OUR LITTLE FOLKS for February is on our table. For those whose name it bears it has no superior. It is beautifully illustrated and full of interesting stories. We know of no better way of investing $1.50 than by subscribing for this magazine. Published by the Russell Publishing Co., 149 Tremont street, Boston, Mass.

ONE dose of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam will relieve a Cough so promptly as to convince the most sceptical of its merits as a Throat and Lung healer; it is the great specific for all Pulmonary complaints tending towards Consumption. The safest, most pleasant, best and cheapest Cough cure known. For sale by all dealers in medicine.

THE annual meeting of South Grey Agricultural Society, was held in the Town Hall, Durham, on Wednesday, Jan. 19th, 1881. After the usual transaction of business the election of officers was proceeded with and resulted as follows:—President, James Edge; 1st vice-President, Jas. Park; 2nd vice-President, H. J. Middaugh. Directors—Chas. Moffat, Geo. Binnie, H. Willis, Andrew Park, John Blyth, Edward Ard, Geo. Huston, Jas. Murdock, C. B. Jackes. Auditors, John A. Munro, Jas. F. Mowat.

WE have received from the Toronto News Company an English Magazine, entitled *The Union Jack*. It is superior to any of the American Magazines for youth that we have seen, as the tales contained in it are most connected with historical events, travels &c. If you want to keep your boys off the streets at night supply them with good reading. We can recommend this work to parents as in every way unobjectionable. Price 15c. per number, to be had through your [illegible]

[illegible] Seaforth [illegible] of some in[illegible] was tried at [illegible] court [illegible] a man [illegible] cutter [illegible] town, for [illegible] his work. After [illegible] Brownlee's [illegible] evening, [illegible] the horse, on [illegible] Seaforth, the [illegible] cause started to [illegible] its flight got both [illegible] broken and had to be killed. The man refused compensation for the horse and Mr. Forbes brought action against him to recover the price of the animal. The case was decided on Monday, and the verdict was against Mr Forbes. Judge [illegible] in giving his verdict, took the ground which is, no doubt, the proper one, that in hiring a horse and vehicle all risks of accidents rest with the owner, so long as it can be proven that the person hiring and using the animal or vehicle us all proper precautions for its safety, the same as he would were it his own property. It was not proven in this instance that the person in possession of the horse at the time of the accident had made default in this respect, but on the contrary both the defendant himself and several witnesses swore very positively that he had not, and, consequently, the verdict was given against the plaintiff, and he will not only suffer the loss of the horse but have the cost of the suit to pay as well.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

The newly elected Council met at the Town Hall on 17th inst., pursuant to statute. All the members present. Each member made and subscribed the declarations of qualification and of office. The Reeve appointed Chas. Moffat an auditor. Mr. Hall Moved, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that John Lyons be appointed an auditor for 1881, at a salary of $5.50.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that John S. Black be appointed assessor for the current year, at a salary of $75.—Carried. A by-law was passed confirming the foregoing appointments. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Niel, that R. J. Doyle be refunded $22.78 paid by him at tax sale for a lot in Glenelg, as no interest has been conveyed by said sale.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that Geo. Binnie be paid $4, and Thos. Davis $6, for inspecting and letting contract of bridge on con. 2. N. D. R.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that N. Haley be paid $2, for services as fence viewer.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. Hall, that widow Smith, S. ½ lot 30, con. 3, E. G. R., and Mrs. Priel, lot 1, con. 15, be exempt from taxes for 1880.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Niel, that expenses of the municipal election be paid as follows:—For each polling place $4; Deputy Returning Officers $4 each; Door-keepers $1.50 each.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Niel, that Mr. Hall be road commissioner for Ward No. 1, Mr. McMillan for Ward No. 2, Mr. Niel for Ward No. 3, and Mr. Glencross for Ward No. 4.—Carried. Moved in amendment by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that Wm. Hall be commissioner for Ward No. 3.—Lost. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the commissioner of Ward No. 3 be authorized to repair the bridge at lot 20, con. 11.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Niel, that N. McIntyre be paid $4 for delivering ballot boxes.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Niel, that widow McCormick be exempted to the extent of $8.50, taxes on lot 21, con. 5, for the year 1880.—Council adjourned to meet at the same place on 14th February next.

WM. LUCAS & CO., BANKERS,
MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

In large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.
September, 1880. 2-y

VETERINARY.
J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon*,

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER, Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,
JUST RECEIVED AT THE
"BELFAST HOUSE."
I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply
OYSTERS —IN— Every Style!
By the Plate or Can
CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE IN TOWN
My Stock of
Provisions and Groceries
Together with
Wines and Liquors,
ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.
ANY AMOUNT of PORK FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER.

THE Subscriber in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes.
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

TAILORING
C. A. OWEN,
Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to
FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!
CUTTING!
Done while Customers are waiting.
THE LATEST FASHION PLATES
Always on hand to chose from.
A Good Fit Guaranteed
—AT—
LOW RATES.
☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing a Note drawn in favor of Samuel Thompson, of Artemesia, and signed by Aaron and William Ernest, dated on or about the 1st day of July, 1880, and due on the 15th day of February, 1881, as we have received no value for the same.

AARON ERNEST,
WILLIAM ERNEST.
Flesherton Station, Jan. 6, 1881. 12-3

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

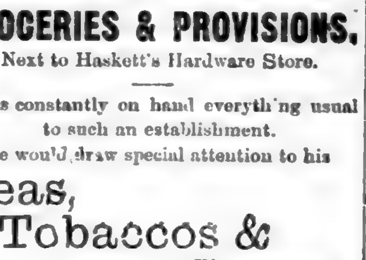
John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.
FLESHERTON.

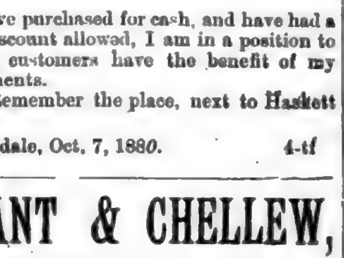
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that
I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.
☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.
Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE,

Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,


WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

FOR SALE
IN ARTEMESIA.

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 35, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN BAY, Dundalk, Dufferin P. O.
Jan. 13th, 1881.

CHEAP CASH STORE.
Reynolds & Son.
JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF
Dry Goods, Groceries,
BOOTS AND SHOES.
TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.
As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.
BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY
Don't Forget the Place.
REYNOLDS & SON.
Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!
In the Countyat
McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots
To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your **AXES** at McFarland's. Those **$2.50 MANTLES** selling fast. New **DRESS GOODS** at McFarland's. New **FLANNELS** at McFarland's. New **SHAWLS** at McFarland's. New **BONNETS** and **HATS** at McFarland's. New **TWEEDS** at McFarland's. New **CARPETS** at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. **Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.**
W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER, Markdale.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."
BUTTER & RAE
Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received sinc commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward busines with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.
DRY GOODS in all the lines.
ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.
HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.
BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.
CLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns
GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.
Keep your Eye on the Place!
WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.
Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.
BUTTER & RAE.
September 21st, 1880.

THE PLACE TO BUY
WATCHES!
Over $400 worth sold in the last month
BEAUTIFUL LADIES'
Gold Hunting Watches!
From $15 up WARRANTED.
Silver Watches.
VERY LOW.
A Time Piece To Suit All
AT
W. F. DOLL'S,
FLESHERTON AND DUNDALK.

Weaving. Weaving.
Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done
DONE WITHOUT DELAY,
AT THE
Flesherton Woolen Factory.
Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to
EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS
Will be carried on throughout the witer.
N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880 11

LUMBER AND SAWING.
The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his
Saw Mill at Little Falls
On Lot 148 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish
LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.
CUSTOM SAWING
PROMPTLY DONE.
By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.
ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.
Wm. HOGG.
P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.
Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-j1

R. J. SPROULE,
FLESHERTON,
Whilst wishing all
A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,
And Many Returns of the Same,
Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business*, as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have
ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.
In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season
THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF
GENERAL GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES.
Crockery and Classware,
AND
Fancy Holiday Presents!
ALSO
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.
Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of
Millinery, Furs,
AND
LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,
Ever shown in this Norther Country.
ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE
LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.
Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the
HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!
For any Quantity of good Crain or FARM PRODUCE.
And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered
I will now commence a
GREAT CLEARING SALE
Of my large and complete stock of
Fall and Winter Dry Goods,
MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and
MILLINERY,
And will continue to sell at a
Very Small Advance on Cost!
Until all is cleared out.
A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,
☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT
R. J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.
Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 12-15

"A Joy Forever."

We passed from out the dazzling light,
We left the rustling throng of dancers:
Miss Smith had said to me: "We might,
I almost think, sit out the Lancers."
And, wandering on, we lost our way—
A country house is most perplexing—
Miss Smith was filled with sweet dismay,
And closer clung—'twas very vexing.

We rested at a window seat,
My hand detained a hand half willing,
We murmured of the flood, the heat,
And other things as wildly thrilling.
Some mistletoe, o'erhead entwined,
Gave rise to arch but tempting banter,
I kissed her—lost my piece of mind—
And got a piece of hers instanter.

She stamped her foot, her bosom rose
And fell with maidenly vexation;
She said—but what she said, Lord knows!
For I was lost in admiration.
But there she stood, a deer at bay,
A picture for a master's sketching;
I soothed her, as a mortal may,
And thought she never looked so fetching.

My deeds were rash, my words insane—
At length we could no longer tarry—
And when we joined the dance again
Miss Smith was Kate and I was Harry.
Ten years' possession has not tired
My love, but I'm in this position:
The tantrums which I once admired
Have palled from frequent repetition.

THE PARSON'S OATH.

BY MRS. HENRY WOOD.

I.

The day was drawing toward its close, and the young charity children, assembled in the newly prepared school-room of the small village of Littleford, glancing impatiently through the windows at the shadows cast by the declining sun; for none knew better by those shadows than they that five o'clock was near.

"First class, come up and spell," called out the governess from behind her table by the window.

"There ain't no time, Miss," replied one of the girls, with the easy familiarity apt to subsist between scholar and teacher in rustic schools. "It's a'most sleek on the stroke o' five."

The governess, a fair, pleasant-looking young woman, dressed in mourning, and far too lady-like in appearance for the paid mistress of a charity-school, glanced around the hour-glass, and saw that it wanted full ten minutes to the hour.

"There is time for a short lesson, children," she said. "Put aside your work and come up."

The first class laid their sewing on the bench, and were ranging themselves round the governess's table, when a young lady, in a hat and riding-habit, followed by a groom, galloped past the windows, and reined in.

"Governess!" exclaimed a dozen voices, "here's Miss Rickhurst."

"Go on with your work, children; what do you mean by pressing to the window? Did you never see Miss Rickhurst before? Jane Hewgill, open the door."

"How d'ye do, Miss Winter?" said the young lady they had called Miss Rickhurst, carelessly nodding to the governess, as she entered. "How are you getting on? What class have you got up now?"

"Spelling," replied Miss Winter. "Jane Hewgill, why don't you shut the door?"

"'Cause here's Mr. Lewis and his aunt acoming up," answered the child. "I'm a-keeping it open for them."

Miss Rickhurst hastily rose form the governess's seat, which she had unceremoniously taken, and went to the door to meet the new comers.

Mr. Lewis, the clergyman of the parish, was a meek, quiet man of 30 years. It is certain he was not ambitious, for he felt within him an everlasting debt of gratitude to the noble patron who had stepped forward and presented him with this village living and its stipend of £150 per annum. He had never looked for more than a curacy, and half the sum. His father, dead now, had been a curate before him, and he, the son, had gone to Oxford as a servitor, had taken holy orders, and struggled on. And when the Earl of Littleford, who had silently been an eye-witness of the merits and unassuming piety of the poor young curate, presented him unexpectedly with the little village church on his estate, John Lewis raised his heart in thankfulness to the Earl, who had thus under God put WANT away from him for his span of life.

Once inducted into the living, the Reverend John Lewis worked undefatigably. Among other good works, he re-established the girls' charity school, an anciently endowed foundation, which had fallen nearly into abeyance, as many other ancient charities have in the present day. The mistress of it, Dame Fox, was old; so Lord Littleford and the clergyman superannuated her, and looked out for another; and while they were looking, Miss Winter, the daughter of Farmer Winter who was just dead, went up to Littleford Hall and asked for the situation.

The whole village liked Regina Winter; although she had received an education, and, for five years of her life, enjoyed a home (with her dead mother's London relatives) far above what Littleford thought suitable for a working farmer's daughter. They likewise took numerous liberties with her name. Regina! it was one they could not become familiar with, so some called her Gina, many Ginny, and a few brought out a short "Gin." After her father's death, she found that scarcely any provision was left for her; and, as she one day sat musing upon what should be her course, the servant Nomy, a buxom woman of forty, who had taken care of the house since its mistress died, now ten years ago, suddenly suggested that she should apply for the new place.

"What place?" asked Regina.

"The schoo missus's," replied Nomy. "The Earl and the parson are a-wanting to find one, and they do say, in the village, it will be a matter of £30 a year. Surely you'll do, Miss Giny, with the grand edication you've had."

"Too much education for a village school mistress," thought Regina. "But it would keep me well, with what little I have besides."

"Go up to Littleford Hall; go right up yourself; Miss Gina, with your own two good legs," advised Nomy. "Nothing like applying to the fountain head one's self, if business is to be done," added the shrewd woman.

"Apply to Lord Littleford myself," ejaculated Regina.

"Why not? Ain't he as pleasant-mannered a man as one would wish to come across? One day lately, not three weeks afore poor master died, the Earl was a-crossing our land on horseback, and he axed me to open the gate o' the turnip-field, and he kept on a-cutting his jokes with me all the time I was a-doing of it."

The servant's advice was good, and it proved so. Miss Winter made her own application to the Earl of Littleford and she was successful, though the Earl demurred at her request at first, for her own sake, telling her she was above the situation, and that the renumeration was very small.

As the clergyman came into the school this afternoon, he shook hands with the Squire's daughter; he then advanced and held out his hand to Miss Winter. Miss Rickhurst followed him with her eyes and curled her lips; what right had the Vicar thus associate, to be shaking hands with a charity-school governess.

"I was going to hear the class, Mr. Lewis," said the young lady, after some minutes had been spent in talking. "Jane Hewgill, tell my groom he may go on with the horses—I shall walk home. Pray, Miss Winter, where did you say they were spelling? Three syllables! how very ridiculous! C-a-t, cat; c-o-w cow; that quite as far as they need go."

"Do you think so?" returned Regina, in a cold tone, for she did not like these repeated inferences of Miss Rickhurst.

"Highly rediculous," snapped Miss Budd. "What can such girls want with spelling? If it were not for reading the Bible, I should say never teach them to read at all."

A very domineering widow was this aunt of the clergyman. Upon his appointment to the Vicarage, down she came and established herself in it, assuring him that the house would never get on without somebody to manage it. Mr. Lewis had a dim perception that he and his house would get on better without her; but he never said so and she remained.

Miss Winter went to the mantelpiece, and turned her hour-glass. It was five o'clock, and the children flocked out of school. The Vicar, Miss Budd, and Miss Rickhurst followed.

"Mr. Lewis," began the young lady, in a confidential tone, "don't you think your schoolmistress is getting above her business?"

"In what way?" he asked looking surprised.

"There is such a tone of superiority about the young woman—I mean implied superiority," added Miss Rickhurst, correcting herself.

"I have always thought there is much of real superiority about her," replied the Vicar. "But I have never known anyone who, in manners and conversation, gave one less the idea as implying it. And she gets the children on astonishingly; one might think, by their progress, she had taught them two years, instead of barely one."

"It is of no use to argue with John about Miss Winter," interposed Mrs. Budd. "He thinks her an angel, and nothing less."

"No, I do not," laughed the Reverend John, "I only think her very superior to young women in general." And Miss Rickhurst once more curled her haughty lips.

Meanwhile, Miss Winter left the school-room, with her assistant, a sickly-looking girl of 15 or 16, named Mary Brown. Regina lodged at a farm-house near, occupying a parlor and bedroom, and was partially waited on by the people of the house. As soon as they got in, Mary Brown, whose weak health caused her to feel a constant thirst, began to set out the teacups and make the tea.

"Mary," observed Miss Winter, when the meal was over, "you had better go up to your brother's for the calico, and to-morrow set about making his shirts; you know he was scolding you yesterday at their not being begun. Start at once or you will have it dusk. I will wash up the tea things."

Mary Brown put on her things and departed. But not long had she been gone when the parlor door opened and a tall, fine young man, about six-and-twenty, walked in. He was dressed in a green velveteen shooting-jacket, leather breeches, and gaiters, and a green kerchief was twisted loosely round his neck. Altogether, there was a careless, untidy look about him, and it might have puzzled a stranger to tell whether he was a gentleman or a man of a lower order. The face would have been handsome (and, indeed, was) but for the willful, devil-may-care expression that pervaded it. His complexion was fair, his eyes were blue, and his light hair curled in his neck. This gentleman was Mr. George Brown, universally known in the village by the cognomen of "Brassy." He had acquired the appellation when a boy; partly because he was gifted with a double share of that endowment familiarly called "brass," and partly because in his boyhood he displayed a curious propensity of collecting together odds and bits of brazen metal. Once, when a young child, he had stolen a small brass kettle, exposed outside a shop for sale, lugged it home, and put it in his bed. His mother on going to her own room at night, looked at Georgie, and there he was sleeping, with the brass kettle hugged to him. He had been "Brassy Brown" since, and would be to the end of his life.

Mr. Brassy Brown did not enjoy a first-rate reputation. He had inherited a little land from his father, on which was a small house, where he lived, called "The Rill," and, though he certainly could not subsist upon its preceeds alone—he had no other visible means of support—he lived well, and never seemed to lack money. He was upon friendly terms with the whole neighbourhood, from Squire Rickhurst down to the worst poacher in it; indeed, so intimate was he with the latter suspicious fraternity, that some people said he must be a poacher himself. Until recently his sister had lived with him in his cottage, no one else; but when Miss Winter found she wanted some assistance in the school she thought of Mary, compassionating the girl's lonely life, want of proper society, and weak health, and she took Mary to live with her. It may be questioned, however, if Miss Winter would have made the proposal to the girl had she foreseen that they should be inundated with visits from her brother.

When he came in Miss Winter put down the book she was reading, poured out some hot water into a basin, and began to wash up the tea things.

"Where's Poll?" began Mr. Brassy.

"She's gone to the Rill for the calico," answered Regina. "What a pity that she will have her walk for nothing!"

"It will stretch her legs for her," returned Mr. Brown, sitting down in the chair from which Regina had risen, and extending his own long legs across the hearth. "Now, Regina," he continued, "I want an answer to that question of mine."

"What question?" she inquired, a crimson hue flushing her face.

"Don't pretend ignorance, Gina, for it wont go down with me to-night," was Mr. Brassy Brown's rejoinder. "You know what I have been asking you this year past: we are by ourselves now, and I'll have it out. Will you come up to the Rill and make your home there, and be my wife?"

"Why do you persist in persecuting me thus?" exclaimed Regina, in a tone of vexation. "I have told you already that I could not be your wife. You behave like a child."

"Why don't you say like a fool?" he rejoined. "Twould be as polite as the other. What fault have you to find with the Rill—or with me? Perhaps you think I can't keep you there like a lady?—but I can. Never you mind how: I can. You shall have a good servant to wait upon you, and everything as comfortable and plentiful about you as you had in your father's home. I swear it."

Regina shook her head. "I would not go to live at the Rill—I could not be your wife, Brassy, if you offered me a daily shower of gold. And if you continue to pursue this unpleasant subject I shall send Mary home and forbid your entrance here."

"So ho, my fine madam! it's defiance between us, is it?" uttered Brassy, rising and grasping Regina's arm in anger. "Then may the devil take the weakest! I have sworn to marry you, and I'll keep my oath; I'll keep it by fair means or foul."

At this moment, after a gentle knock, the door was pushed open disclosing the person of the Vicar. He saw the angry look of Brassy Brown, and his hold upon Regina's arm.

"What is the matter?" he exclaimed. "What game are you after now Mr. Brown?"

"None of yours, parson," returned Brassy, flinging aside Regina's arm. "She affronted me, and I had as good a mind to treat her to a shaking as ever I had to treat anybody to one in all my life."

"He will kill me, some of these days, with his shakings," interposes Miss Winter, laughing, and trying to pass the matter off as a joke, for she was vexed and annoyed that the clergyman should have been a witness to it. "If he does, sir, I shall look to you to give me a Christian burial. Will you promise to do so?"

"Yes," said Mr. Lewis, falling into her mood, for he quite understood it.

"You had better swear to it, parson," added Brassy, with a sneer, for he felt savage at the interruption. "It may be more satisfactory to her."

"I swear it," returned John Lewis, giving no heed to his words in the moment's heat. But a flush rose to his brow when their purport came to him. He, a minister, to swear at this man's bidding!

"Mind you keep your oath, parson, as I'll keep mine," said Brassy Brown, swinging out of the room. "Do you hear, Miss Winter?" But neither of them answered him.

"Regina," said the Vicar, looking after the man, "he is not a desirable visitor for you."

"No," she answered, "and I wish he would not come. Not that I think there is any real harm in him, but I dislike his conversation."

"The plain fact is," resmed the clergyman, speaking with agitation, as a hectic spot appeared on his cheek, "your home here is too unprotected. Regina, will you suffer me to provide you with another?"

Oh, deeper than the flush Brassy Brown's words had called up was the rosy blush that now dyed her face! Neither she nor he for some little time past had been unacquainted with the heart of the other.

John Lewis took her hand. "Regina, you cannot be ignorant that I have loved you. Will you take pity on a lonely man, one who has had but few ties hitherto to care for him, and be his wife?"

"But—I—" she stammered, her trembling hand lying passively in his—"it will be said I am not your equal—that my birth does not qualify me for a clergyman's wife."

"Not my equal!" repeated the astonished Vicar, who was surely one of the most unworldly wise. "You are so far my superior, Regina, that I have hesitated to ask you. And it was but the thought of your unprotected state here that gave me courage to speak now."

"I was but the daughter of a small working farmer," she persisted, the tears filling her eyes with the extent of her emotion. "I am but the paid teacher of a charity school."

"*I* was but the son of a working curate," he whispered. "We were four children and my father and mother, all to subsist upon [illegible] pounds per year. I am indebted to charity, which helped to educate me, for being in the position I now am. A working farmer was immeasurably above us, Regina. We are both alone in the world; we have no ties of kindred to consult; from this time forth let us be all in all to each other."

The news traveled forth to the village, throwing up a fine hubbub in its wake; the Reverend John Lewis was about to marry Regina Winter. Mrs. Budd was pleased to be satirical over it, Miss Rickhurst was indignant, and Brassy Brown furious.

"What on earth possessed you to do it, John?" exclaimed Mrs. Budd to her nephew, when he came into the vicarage at dinner-time the day she first heard the tidings.

"Do what?" cried the Reverend John, with a conscious look and that suspicious hectic rising to his cheek.

"You have been offering yourself and your name to the charity school-mistress, they say," retorted the aunt, who feared the introduction of a wife might lead to her losing her snug home at the vicarage. "You must be out of your senses, John?"

"We shall be able to find another governess for the school," answered John, evasively. "It is past one, aunt. Is not dinner ready?"

"Dinner! You'll get bread and cheese to-day for dinner, if you get anything," resorted Mrs. Budd. "I and Betty have been too much upset this morning to think of cooking. Oh, John, you are a great fool! you might have had Miss Rickhurst."

"Miss Rickhurst!" exclaimed the Vicar, opening his eyes at the assertion.

"Miss Rickhurst, yes," mimicked the lady, "if you had not been more blind, more simple, than anybody ever was yet."

"I don't want Miss Rickhurst," answered the young clergyman, "Let her marry in her sphere of life; she would have domineered me out of house and home."

These events happened in March. The Vicar proposed being married in May, until which time Regina had to retain her place in the school. One day in April, as she was walking home from its duties, she suddenly came upon Brassy Brown, who was looking over the hedge.

"I have been watching for you, Gina," he said, very quietly. "I want to hear from your own lips whether it's true that you have promised to marry that cursed parson?"

"Yes, it is true," she timidly answered, not seeing how she could deny to him what was public news.

"How came you to conceal it from me all the time you were fooling me on?"

"I fooling you on!" uttered Regina, in surprise.

"Well—let that pass. Why did you not tell me you loved the black-coat?"

"I—I could not tell what I—did not know," stammered Regina, a blush dyeing her cheeks.

"Bosh! don't make excuses to me. I'd stake my Skye terrier against his holding-forth sermon-book that there has been love between you two this many a month past. What is it you have got in that paper parcel?"

"It is only some work," said Regina. "Good morning, Brassy. Mary is gone home already. She will wonder where I am."

"Let her wonder. I say, Regina, you remember what I told you—that I'd taken an oath. I'll keep it yet, and have you sooner or later."

The words might have imparted to Miss Winter a sort of dread, but that Brassy Brown was smiling as he spoke them—and a pleasant smile was Mr. Brassy's, with all his imperfections. Her spirits rose at seeing that smile, and she arrived at the conviction that he was forgetting his preference for her. It pleased her much. Setting these persecutions aside, and a few slips of language he was wont to indulge in, she did not dislike Brassy, and had never thought so ill of him as some in the parish were disposed to do.

"Won't you shake hands before you go?" asked Mr. Brassy.

She held out her hand over the gap in the hedge. He shook it warmly; and away she went, silently thankful that all animosity between Brassy Brown and herself was over.

Nomy, Farmer Winter's old servant, had lately married the under-keeper of Squire Rickhurst, a widower with some grown-up sons. They lived in a cottage about half a mile beyond the Rill, following the high road. That same afternoon, on coming in from school, Regina told Mary she though, as it was so fine, she should go and see Nomy. "Do you feel well enough to accompany me?" she asked.

"No," replied the girl, "my breathing is very much oppressed to-day. I feel I could not get so far. Do you mind calling in at the Rill, Rigina?"

"What for?"

"To get my cotton shawl. This is such a weight, now the spring weather's coming on, I can hardly drag to school in it. If the door should be open, and Brassy not just in the way, you can get it yourself; its lying on the middle shelf of the press in the keeping-room."

Regina started on her walk, and had nearly gained the Rill, when who should come swing down the road in front of her but Brassy Brown.

"Hallos, Regina! where are you going to?"

"I am going to see Nomy. The afternoon is so fine, I quite longed for a walk. And I want something for Mary from your house, Brassy. Can you come back and give it me?"

"Oh, bother," was Mr. Brassy Brown's rejoinder, "I have not got a minute to lose. Ted Timms is waiting for me down yonder in the gap; he is a shuffler; and he'll make it an excuse to slink off if I'm behind time. What is it you want!"

"Mary's cotton shawl. Her woolen one is too warm for this weather. Do you know, Brassy, that Mary seems to me to get weaker."

"It's no fault of mine if she does. Have the doctor to her. I'll pay."

"Can you bring the shawl down to-morrow?"

"I don't know that I can. If I get what I want from Ted Timms, I am going off for a few days. You can call in for it as you come back from Nomy's. I shall be at home then."

"Very well," rejoined Regina.

Mr. Brassy Brown went on his way and Regina on hers. She found Nomy up to her eyes in work, brewing. She was delighted to see her young lady, and hastened to set out the best china for tea, in the little keeping-room, darting away every five minutes to her work in the brew-house. Nomy had heard of Regina's new prospects, and in talking of them the time slipped away unheeded, Regina forgetting the hour, and Nomy her brewing. The former at length started up.

"I dare not leave the wort, Miss Gina," exclaimed the woman, as she attended Regina to the door. "To think that you should have come this very evening, of all others, when I can't see you back to the village."

"Oh, I shall soon be there," rejoined Regina, speaking valiantly. "The moon is shining, and I have to call up at the Rill for Mary's shawl; that will break the way. Good night, Normy."

"The Lord be with ye, dear Miss Gina!"

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Two Rejected Lovers.

(N. Y. Evening Post.)

The following story is told by a gentleman who is intimate with President Hayes and President-elect Garfield, and whose personal truthfulness is vouched for by the Cleveland, Ohio, *Herald*. "In the little village of Bedford, only twenty miles distant from Cleveland, there lived, some thirty years ago, two charming and attractive girls. To one of these President Hayes had become an ardent suitor; but the parents of the young lady had vigorously opposed their courtship, on the ground that young Hayes was poor and gave evidence of hardly sufficient ability to warrant risking their daughter's future. The match was broken off, and the lady is to-day married and well-known to Cleveland people. The other young lady had received some attentions from young Garfield, and was well disposed to reciprocate them. Her parents, however, objected to their intimacy, giving as the reason of their opposition the poverty of Garfield and the anything but bright prospects of his future. The most remarkable coincidence of the courtships was that both young ladies lived in a village of not more than five hundred inhabitants and both refused two future Presidents of the United States, because of their poverty."

It is truly said that there is only one way not to get cheated in a horse trade, and that is not to buy the horse.

The Paris Police.

HOW PEACE AND GOOD ORDER ARE MAINTAINED IN PARIS.

Pall Mall Gazette.

For purposes of description the Parisian police may be classed under three principal heads. These three branches are charged respectively with the political, criminal and civil police of Paris, and, indirectly, of all France. The several divisions are, of course, independent, and the functions of each frequently commingle and overlap, but they are, upon the whole, broadly separate and distinct. Each has its administrative, each its active portion. For the first they depend upon bureaus organized carefully, and working with that indefatigable, painstaking minuteness which is so remarkable a feature in French official life. They are served actively by an army of agents or inspectors, in uniform or out of it, according to their duties, and varying in number with the services they have to perform. The political police is ruled direct from the cabinet of the perfect. This is the central headquarter office; it consists of three bureaus, and of the general secretariat, which deals with the archives, the material, and the finance of the department.

Among the most important functions of the prefecture are those which concern the mentally afflicted. The responsibility for the first incarceration of a lunatic rests with the police. Except in case of extreme urgency it is only through the intervention of the prefecture that he can be placed under restraint. Even where the necessity for immediate removal to an asylum is obvious, its superintendent is bound to inform the police within twenty-four hours, and a close and constant inspection by numerous functionaries is kept up for six months following of the individual thus summarily disposed of. Under the ordinary process the placement or order of restraint can only be obtained after many formalities have been observed. A medical certificate, the formal request of friends, a report from the commissary of the quarter—these are the preliminary steps. Then the prefect quietly dispatches his own agents—officials in plain clothes—to bring the lunatic to the prefecture. There he is lodged in the special infirmary attached to the depot. The utmost privacy is assured; no one but the officials watches the arrival, which is by a private door. After a short stay at the depot, during which the medical officers of the prefecture examine and decide upon the mental condition of the patient, the latter, if the case is clear, is transferred to a padded cellular carriage and driven to the Asylum of St. Anne.

The whole of the arrangements by which Paris is fed are closely watched and supervised by the civil police. Laws not of yesterday have confided full powers to the prefect in this respect. The control of all halls and markets, the verification of weights, the inspection of all articles of food, have long fallen exclusively within the province of the prefecture. The system is thoroughly well organized and very efficiently worked. The eye of the police is everywhere. It examines closely all the carcasses slaughtered at the abattoirs, and, through its inspectors, who must affix the official stamp before it is sold, guarantees the circulation of sound, pure meat. A body of sworn tasters, again, are visiting perpetually all establishments for the sale of liquors; and they have full powers to seize and condemn all wine, brandy, or beer which they find to be adulterated. Other officials known as "inspecteurs ambulants," are constantly employed in watching the retailers of all kinds of food. It is difficult to deceive their keen and practiced senses, and woe to the traders who are found tripping. These inspectors have other and more inquisitorial functions; it is also part of their duty to descend into the kitchens of all restaurants and eating-houses, where they strictly scrutinize the pots and pans, not only insisting upon cleanliness, but forbidding the use of utensils which might prove injurious to health. Most important of all, the prefecture of police shares with the prefecture of the Seine the charge and control of the great Halles Centrales. Upon the police falls the government and discipline of the *personnel* and the general administration of the markets. The *facteurs*, or broker salesman, to whom all goods are consigned by the producers for sale, are nominated by the prefect, to whom they give security and are otherwise amendable, although their integrity is so proverbial that cases of misconduct are unknown. There is in all this a close attention to the creature comforts of the population which might be imitated with advantage on this side of the channel. Another service in which the Parisian is more actively useful than in London police is the control and management of the public vehicles and those who drive them. It is true that, as regards the regulation to street traffic, our own constables have little to learn—the whole active army of the prefecture would probably be perfectly helpless in dealing with a "block" in Oxford street, or on Ludgate hill. But the Parisian police authorities rule the cabmen of Paris with a much tighter hand. There is much more difficulty than with us in obtaining a license to drive: it is easier lost or suspended. The first application is followed by close inquiry into antecedents, references are made to former employers, and it is not unless thoroughly satisfied as to the candidate's character that the man's *dossier* is formed, containing his whole history, and he is numbered among the cabmen of Paris. He is now directly responsible to the prefecture, which immediately attends to and adjudicates upon all complaints against him. Short shirt is given to offenders. The most ordinary punishment is the *mise en pied*, or temperory withdrawel of the license to drive; serious cases are met with absolute prohibition, but this sentence is only pronounced by the prefect himself. The better to control the cab-men a *surveillan*, or police agent, is posted at each cab-stand or station, who records the numbers of the cabs on the rank, with the hours of departure and return. In his office is a special register for the inscription of complaints, and all charges thus entered are forwarded without delay to the prefecture. Another excellent check upon the cabmen is the law which obliges him to examine his vehicle whenever he has set down a fare; the same law exists, under pain of punishment, that he shall hand over to the police any articles that he may find. These are passed on without delay to the lost property depot at the Prefecture, where their owners can always have them on application. The depot is a curious sight, and contains a heterogeneous mixture of the most diverse and nondescript things. Only 40 per cent. of these are ever claimed, and after three years the remainder becomes the property of the state.

Another branch of the civil police seems peculiar to Paris. This is the *service de garnis*, which is charged with the domiciliary visitation of all hotels and lodging houses in the city. This work is intrusted to a body of inspectors, one hundred and twenty-four in all, whose duty it is to examine daily the registers which the law compels every landlord to keep of the names of all who have passed the night under his roof. The names extracted are transmitted at once to the Bureau des Garnis at the Prefecture. Here they are at once entered alphabetically in the records, and with such precision and promptitude that it is easy to ascertain almost at a glance the name of any individual, and where he was lodged at any particular day. The power which such a machinery must give to an execute inclined to be despotic must be obvious to everyone. No hotel escapes the law; the descent of the Prince of Wales at the Hotel Bristol, the arrival of John Smith, of London, at the Grand hotel, figures in the daily list with the names and aliases of Fil de Sole and Brute-Cervelle, whose favorite haunts are in the old palace of the Reine Blanche, near the place Maubert, or in the low dens of the Rue des Anglais (formerly Rue des Crimes) and the Rue de Galande. It is against the criminal, however, that the organization is principally directed, and as it exists to-day, it scarcely affects the personal freedom of any but those who habitually break the law

made a peer," guessed Lady T. It was true; but Macaulay said he was quite disappointed. He had wished to surprise them. My only wonder is that Lady T. did not say: "You have been made a duke."

He was very modest in choosing his title, "Baron Macaulay, of Rothley Temple, in the County of Leicester." Before assuming it, he took pains to find out if anybody else had a better right to date from Rothley temple. And yet he was honestly proud of his elevation to the peerage. In a few days he could repeat Garter's Roll by heart—laughing the while.

As far as one can judge, Macaulay was a deist who approved the forms of Christianity. He had also a historic love of Catholicism tempered by a historic love of Puritanism. He had been required to choose a patron saint out of each century, I think his choice would have fallen upon St. Bernard for the twelfth century; Lewis of France for the thirteenth; Wycliffe for the fourteenth; Huss for the fifteenth; Luther for the sixteenth; Pascal for the seventeenth; Voltaire (or Wesley) for the eighteenth. To do him justice, his ideal saint would have combined all that was good in the French encyclopedist and the English revivalist.

The Brush Electric Light.

The ancient saw about the chase of milk obtained by the still [illegible] seems to be pretty well borne out in the progress of the brush system of electric lighting. A dozen systems, so-called, have made more noise and have attracted more newspaper attention; but while they are for the most part still "promising," the Brush system has been quietly taking possession of the field. How far this is due to the superior business management of the company controlling the Brush patent it is impossible to say; the indications are, however, that the remarkable success of the brush system is mainly due to the practical genius of Mr. Brush in meeting the requirements of outdoor or large room lighting with an efficient generator, and a lamp which is so simple in construction so automatically regular in action, and so easy to keep in order, that practical business men can afford to use it. It is perhaps the least ornamental in appearance of all lamps, but it gives the light required, and calls for comparatively little care. On the score of economy the users of the lamp profess to be well satisfied; and the rapid and largely extended adoption of the system, abroad as well as at home, would seem to justify the favourable judgment which those who have tried the lamp have freely expressed with regard to its practical value.

The latest list of prominent users of the Brush light embraces twenty-five rolling mills, iron and steel works, machine shops, car works, and the like; twenty saw mills, paper mills, oil works, printing houses, and other factories and manufacturing establishments; twenty woollen, cotton, linen, and silk factories, several of them employing over a hundred lights each; a dozen mines, smelting works, etc., more than a dozen wholesale and retail stores, using from six to sixty-four lights: a dozen public parks, docks, summer resorts, and the like including a mile and a half of river front and docks at Montreal; circuses, colleges, hotels steamers; and large numbers of city lights in San Francisco, St. Louis, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Grand Rapids, and other cities besides New York and Brooklyn, where a hundred or more lights are already in use. The contracts of the company in San Francisco called for the erection of about a thousand lamps by the beginning of the current year. Wabash, Indiana, claims the credit of being the first large town to adopt the electric lamp for general illumination, four Brush lights, of 3,000 candle power each, on the court house dome, sufficing for the outdoor needs of the entire town of 10-000 inhabitants.

The company formed in London to introduce the Brush light there have already placed two hundred lights in various parts of the city, and have ordered from Cleveland nearly as many more, contracts having been signed for the lighting of the Houses of Parliament, Charing Cross Station, Ludgate Hill Station, Blackfriars' Bridge, St. Paul's Churchyard, and other conspicuous places. Even the extremely conservative British Admiralty has taken kindly to the Yankee invention, 432 lights have been purchased for the use of the Royal Navy. Mr. Brush is now making a 40-light machine (80-000 candles) designed to throw the entire current into one huge lamp, which has been ordered for the British torpedo service. The carbons for this artificial sun will be as large as a man's arm, and the light, when directed by a projector of corresponding size, will of itself be a formidable weapon of defense. With a proper system of curtains it will be possible to flash upon an approaching enemy a sudden glare of light that will be little less than blinding.

A less imposing but more admirable application to this light, and one that is being rapidly adopted, is in connection with locomotive headlights. The generator is operated by a small engine taking steam from the boiler and placed opposite the air compressors of the Westinghouse breaks. By attaching the reflector to the forward truck the light may be thrown so as to illuminate the track ahead even when rounding curves. It is obvious that the same machine which supplies the headlight will also furnish a current for illuminating the cars.

Wherever the electric light has been brought into competition with gas for lighting large rooms or open spaces, it has given a good account of itself in comparisons of cost. In very many cases, however, any comparison with gas is out of the question. With gas it is simply impossible to do certain kinds of work at night, or to do it as rapidly and well as by daylight. With the electric light night production is brought up to the level of day production. The gain of one night's increased production will often pay the cost of electric lighting for months. Practical business men are not slow to appreciate advantages of this sort. The question with them is how much will the electric light cost, but can the light be depended on for steady, uniform, certain operation, without requiring too much expert attention? The ability of the Brush lamp to meet such practical requirements would seem to be the secret of its substantial progress.—*Scientific American.*

A Good Family Cow.

(Rural New Yorker.)

I have often admired a little Alderney cow belonging to a lady friend, who modestly wishes her name not to be made public. Simply to look at such a cow is suggestive of creamy milk and golden butter. A few days since I had a talk with this friend about milk and butter, during which she showed me her account with this cow, the only one she has. A family of twelve (including servants) with occasional visitors, have to be supplied with milk; but she has generally managed to save one milking each day for butter.

She began keeping an account on the 28th of February, when the churning yielded five pounds. On the 25th of August (the day before I saw the account book) the churning gave four pounds and a half. The whole amount of butter made during the interval of six months was one hundred and ninety-one pounds. This, it seems to me, is a great show from a small cow when you take into consideration the prolonged drought, and that a large family was supplied with milk at the same time. If all the milk had been saved for butter the result would have exceeded four hundred pounds for the six months; and the lady thinks she does better than this when there is plenty of good grass. She is very careful to know that the cow is well cared for and gently treated.

I find from the dates that there were two churnings a week, those in the first week in March yielding eleven pounds, and the next week, nine and one half pounds. In the first week of June the yield was ten and a half pounds, and in the two following weeks it amounted to nine and ten pounds respectively. The last two churnings (August 25) or one week, gave eight and a half pounds. The reader can get the weekly average from the figures before given, but he must keep in mind that only one milking a day was saved for butter, and that hay had to be used for feed during a part of the drought. I have more than once eaten the butter, and can ask for nothing more delicious. I inquired, "Do you ever use artificial colouring for your butter?" The reply was decidedly earnest and characteristic. "No! I don't want any frauds about my butter." This case is given to show what can be done with a good cow, good food, kind treatment, and a goodly share of the "know how;" and this "know how" might be learned by many who have all the requirements for keeping a nice little Alderney.

There are a good many indications that republican simplicity and the idea of equality before the land cure disappearing first in the United States. The worship of wealth is everywhere, and the efforts to create a something which will pass for aristocracy is very apparent. The idea of Presidents sneaking back quietly into the ranks of mere citizens is beginning to be thought low and unworthy of a great people. Pensions and permanent Senatorships are talked of for them. There are some who fancy that General Grant can never be too much rewarded. A new office in the army is proposed for him, and new pensions bestowed, though he has been honoured and pensioned in a way never dreamed of in the early days of the Republic. All this gives indication of corruption and decay, and if the feeling grow and gather, the fear of Cæsarism as the ultimate result may not be so chimercal after all.

DAWSON habitually whipped his wife at Paducah, Ky. Wyatt, his neighbour, said to him, "If you don't stop the practice I'll kill you." The next time Mrs. Dawson screamed, Wyatt went in and kept his promise by shooting her husband through the body, though the wound did not prove fatal until a week later.

To realize how it feels to be better off, sit down on a hot stove.

KOFFEENE! KOFFEENE!! KOFFEENE!!!

Good Intentions.

"The road to hell is paved with good intentions," sounds bitterly cynical, and yet [illegible] The figure certainly expresses what a great many persons have felt, and will continue to feel, on account of the irreparable harm done by those whose benevolence is altogether superior to their understanding. Our impatience with, our intolerance of, that class, increases with our years and experience of the world. In youth we are prone, more or less to sentiment, and to take sentimental views of life. As we ripen toward middle age we harden, as it is styled; that is, we grow more and more practical, judging by results, and pinning our faith to common sense and sagacity, rather than to emotional effusiveness, and kind though empty purpose. We so tire of hearing of good intentions, seeing on every hand the injury they may work, that we are doubtless inclined, through a fierce reaction, to undervalue sensibility and more sympathetic effort.

A large number of men and nearly all women are uniformly swayed by their feelings. They obey their impulses to the neglect of reason and principle, which they seem to think the agencies of selfishness and calculation. They give credit to their fellows for their aims, irrespective of the manner of carrying them out, and take, of course, ample credit to themselves for the same sort of thing. No matter how much trouble a man may cause or how much evil he may produce, the fact that he wanted to do good is regarded, not only as an excuse and justification, but as a title to honour. They are fond of saying, "We cannot control circumstances; the best laid plans may fail; the clearest judgment may be mistaken. If we are sure of our intent, and the intent be commendable, it is all that can be asked. We must leave the rest to fortune." That is just what they do, and this is why their intents yield the reverse of desirable consequences. Fortune is blind, dull, indifferent; she must be watched guided, protected vigilantly and actively, lest she fall into pits and drag her followers after her. Even when she is so watched and guided she goes astray, and to leave her alone is worse than folly.

Good intentions are not sufficient. It would be better not to have them at all than to have them and disregard their fulfilment, which, indeed, requires more than diligence, energy, and caution. Such intentions come from the heart, but that which yields them weight and advantage in execution comes from the head; and head and heart are often, unfortunately, very ill mated. The latter may be of the gentlest and best, and the former, if not weak, far from strong. The two are seldom adjusted to one another; they cannot act in concert, and so they put things at cross-purposes. A good head—meaning a clear, thoughtful, reasoning one—will bear fuller and finer and richer fruit than a good heart unassisted, because the heart simply inspires, it does not achieve or digest.

We love to think that what we call the moral forces accomplish noble results, and they do unquestionably, though fewer than we are led to believe. Unless supported and pushed by intellect and intellectual ambition, they are frequently inoperative, and run to impressive waste. Good intentions are a moral force of a certain order, and are so seldom allied with discretion, foresight, wisdom, or any intellectual quality, that they are incapable of redeeming their fair promises. If they should merely fall short of adequate performance it would be of small moment. But they beget results the opposite of those anticipated—turning reward into loss and pleasure into pain.

We are constantly told of noxious persons that they mean well—as if meaning well were a vindication for doing ill. They say themselves that they mean well, and this is the principal testimony in their behalf. They probably speak truth; but whether they do or not is of little concern compared with the effect of their meaning. We are all too busy, life is too short, for the investigation of motives or causes. We must judge by results, and if these be desirable we do not care to inquire how they were brought about. We all prefer achievements to aims, deeds to words, performances to promises, and, however unreasonable, it is hard to convince us that excellence of purpose will repeatedly miscarry unless accompanied by a deal of inertness, misjudgment, or stupidity. When we are annoyed or disappointed or injured by some attempt ostensibly to benefit us that has really hurt us, it is simply exasperating to learn that it was conscientiously made in our behalf, but that circumstances were averse. If the attempt had been at our wish, or with our assent or knowledge, we should be obliged to pardon its consequences. But made independent of us, and in definance of our antecedents, opinions, and principles, it is not strange that we chafe and scold and long for some friendly foe to conspire against our comfort and our peace just to see if his machinations will not trouble us less than the efforts of our inimical friends.

The world and the cause of humanity and progress have probably suffered as much—perhaps more—from people with good intentions as from people with ill intentions. Some of the greatest rascals in history, as they must be regarded from any moral point—men who have persecuted, plundered, murdered, destroyed, violated all natural and ethical laws—have undeniably been impelled, as they conceived, by good intentions. They were bigots, marauders, brutes, barbarians, as we see them; but, as they saw themselves, they thought that the end justified the means, and they marched to it ruthlessly over burning towns, devastated plains, and dead and dying for. They meant well, and, while so meaning, filed the earth with evil in every form. If they had meant ill, they would have stopped short of their recorded cruelties and manifold wrongs, for the consciousness of malevolence would have made them hesitate and doubt the policy of such widespread crime.

Individuals and communities, as well as countries and ages, are hindered and afflicted by good intentions and good intenders, generally married and sometimes extinguished by lack of perception, experience, and worldly knowledge. Good intentions have done so much harm that there are few men who do not sometimes ask to be protected from their friends. Evil intentions can be more easily guarded against, and they seldom cause such great mischief. And when they result to our detriment we have the satisfaction of knowing that they were so meant. But good intentions are, if misdirected, the irony of fortune, the cynicism of friendship, the choicest food of misanthropy.

A Remarkable Diamond.

Of the many millions in value which the diamond mines and river diggings of Griqualand West have yielded, the Kimberley Advertiser says the "Porter Rhodes" diamond stands alone in water, purity, and size combined. The Advertiser says:—"This remarkable diamond was found on the 12th of February last, in one of Mr. Porter Rhode's claims in Kimberley mine, and handed to him by one of his overseers, who will reap substantially the reward of his fidelity. Mr. Rhodes has kept his secret well until the last week or two, when a few personal friends were treated to a view, some of whom suggested exhibiting it in aid of the Carnarvon Hospital, and although the seemingly high sum of one sovereign per head was charged, the sum of £120 was netted in one day in Kimberley. In weight it is 150 carats, in shape that of a dodecahedron of perfect form, spotless and flawless, with small secondary natural facets finely ribbed, which impart a beautiful satin like appearance to it. A piece has been broken off very cleanly in the line of grain or cleavage from one side of about 35 to 40 carats, and another piece of about 10 carats is gone on the opposite line of cleavage, also a very clean fracture, and at the same end of the stone, so that the whole has the appearance of the top of an egg with a small piece off one side. That it will cut a brilliant as perfect in form as in purity is the opinion of our best experts, whilst as to its water or whiteness one and all unite in pronouncing it so exceptionally fine that the sight of it can never be effaced from memory. Experts know that there are various kinds of whiteness known to the trade, some more valuable than others. The whiteness of this diamond has been tested in every known way, and it is generally described to be of a satin-like whiteness, without a particle of steely blue, pinkish or any tinge or taint of any colour whatsoever."

A comic London paper, *Moonshine*, has a sketch of the Dublin trials with Judge May "invisible" behind an iron barricade and the jurors and witnesses all fortified by bullet-proof breastplates, while the police, with rifles cocked, look out anxiously for danger, and the only comfortable individual in the neighbourhood is the man in the dock, who, with a comical leer, is contentedly smoking a dhudeen.

An Arizona Wonder.

A REMARKABLE CAVE IN THE SANTA RITA MOUNTAIN—THE BOTTOMLESS PIT.

(From the Tucson Citizen.)

For several years the existence of a curious cave near Greaterville has been known to the miners of the vicinity but the difficulty of thorough exploration has deterred many from visiting it, and half its wonderful extent is yet unknown. From P. J. Coyne, a well-known and reliable prospector, who is in the city, in company with Mr. Johnson, a *Citizen* reporter, gathered some interesting facts regarding the cave, which is known by the miners as the Aztec, is located about four miles south of the Greaterville placers, in a limestone ridge. Quite recently a party of miners, numbering eight or ten, including Mr. Coyne, determined to discover, if possible the extent and resources of the cave, and provided themselves with ropes, candles, and other necessities. They explored seventeen rooms in all, the corridors and approaches to which extend for nearly a mile from the entrance. They experienced great difficulty, as their progress was frequently interrupted by abrupt breaks in the plane of the cave, at which breaks they rapidly used up their available supply of ropes. The cave has two entrances, which lead into an oval cavity, thence a corridor leads into a large room, and thence into a still larger. In from the larger are to smaller cavities, and these comprises the extent of former explorations. In them have been found at various times in the past relics of Indian occupation, including arrows and skeletons. In one place several Indian skeletons were found in a depression in the floor of the cave, evidently fashioned by human hands. The latter room is described as being of marvellous beauty. It is irregular in shape, and is full of all the various forms which the action of lime has the power to create. In one of these rooms is a group of almost perfect statuary. It consists of a large block of limestone in the shap of a man, woman, and child, the man being in the centre, and also having the closest resemblance to humanity. The head is especially like that of a man, having the features almost distinct, and surmounted by a hat. A short distance away from the group in the flinkering candle light, the illusion is said to be absolutely perfect. At this point the cave discloses the strange feature of being two storied, to to reach the lower rooms of which it is necessary to descend by means of ropes. Here the extent of the old explorations cease, and the adventurers had to be careful lest some new and strange feature of the cave caused them trouble. In one of a group of three lower rooms was found a huge stalagmite, which was instinctively called Pompey's Pillar. It is three feet in diameter at the base, and lessens gracefully in size to the roof of the cave, 30 feet high. This is probably 600 feet below the surface. From the rooms last mentioned a corridor leads to very beautiful rooms, which were given the names of different members of the exploring party. The one named for Mr. Coyne is the largest in the cave. From what was named "Hale's Room" the party followed a steeply inclined tunnel, seventy-five or eighty feet long, which terminated in a large abyss sixty or seventy feet in diameter. After lowering one of the party down the perpendicualr sides from the mouth of the tunnel as far as the remaining rope would permit (about seventy feet), and failing to find bottom, the explorers named it the "Bottomless Pit," and returned.

Concerning Beards.

(From the English Magazine.)

The hirsute appendages of the face have, somehow or other, been invariably connected with politics, religion or fashion. Adam is always represented on the ancient monuments as wearing a flowing beard, and the Jews have so fully accepted the tradition that the more orthodox of the race cherish the appendage with pious jealousy. The Israelitish envoys "tarried at Jericho until their beards were grown;" and during the accute stage of Russian tyranny to Poland, no more severe punishment could be decreed a Hebrew than shaving—and washing—him. A Chinese without his pigtail or an Indian brave divested of his lank locks could not be more an object of commisoration than a beardless Polish peddler. In all the days of their bondage and slavery in Egypt the children of Abraham clung to their beard. For a stranger to touch it was an insult, for children and kinsmen to kiss it, the sign of supreme affection. The fugitive who reverently raised his hand to it might hope for succor, and to swear by the beard was to take an oath which not even the most infamons of them would break. The Moslem, until he got corrupted by the fashions of the Giaours, had an equal reverence for the appen-of his chin; and when Selim I. shaved, the Mollahs were too shocked to appreciate the wit of the Sultan's reason for the heinous transgression. He declared that he cut off his beard in order that his vizier should have nothing to lead him by," a reason not unlike that which induced Alexander the Great to ordain the shaving of his Macedonians, namely, to prevent their enemies laying hold of them in close combat.

The beard has often been the cause of religious schisms. The Greek and Roman Church fought over it, and the Belgian reformers were so hot on the question that they would fain have ejected all save the shaven from their ranks. Peter the Great, with that utter indifference to authority which distinguished the shipwright Czar, laid a tax on the beards of Popes and people alike, though the idea was not possibly original with the Emperor, since more than a century earlier Queen Elizabeth, unable to carry out her father's edicts against them, ordained that every beard above a fortnight's growth should pay a yearly tax of three shillings and fourpence. There have even been battles over beards, for history records how Tartars, Persians and Chinese have shed blood over some disputed questions anent shaving and clipping. But of the broils which fashion has ever caused, the greatest was that which followed the shaving of Louis, VII, of France. This monarch was married, and lived happily enough with Eleanor of Aquitaine, until in a fatal hour he cropped his hair, and, like Hotspur, "smoothed his chin." Then the troubles began which ended, as the chroniclers relate, in the King's divorce and the Queen's remarriage to the Count of Anjou, who is better known to us as Henry II. of England. With this beard-loving dame came Poitou and Guienne as a portion, and from these rich Provinces originated wars which ravaged France for three hundred

...and cost the ... lions of men who might ... peacefully in bed had ... refrained from cropping ... offending his wife.

Mr. Barnum on his ...

(From the New York ...)

Mr. P. T. Barnum, after ... the residence of his ... Samuel S. Hurd, for ... sufficiently recovered ... with his young wife for ... Bridgeport. He lay on a ... parlor, waiting for the ... his wife's sealskin coat ... "Yes, I have had a long ... he said, "and for twelve ... near going. My old ... in, lay sick at the same ... regularly every day to ... me. And yet he went ... remark regarding the ... voice, he said: "It is ... my lungs are perfectly ... kept clear of liquor and to... life, and have not an ... in my whole body." On ... if he had not lost flesh ... exclaimed; "I should ... lost fifty pounds. Look ... he said, pulling up his ... how it has fallen away. ... he remarked, as he stood ... ed his coat and vest, " ... for you, after all the ... filled it." "Mr. Barnum, ... talk any more," called ... from the adjoining room ... obey orders; she is very ... said, as she entered to enforce ... mand. Soon afterward, Mr. ... in an overcoat and fur cap, ... by his son-in-law, tottered ... the door to the carriage.

Trees with a History.

IN one grove in California ... trees, none measuring less ... in diameter.

A MAGNIFICENT white oak ... in the Quaker burying ground ... em, N. J. It is more than ... old, and is remarkable for its ... of shade. In one direction ... have a spread of 112 feet.

THE tallest trees in the ... Australia. A fallen tree ... measured 435 feet from the ... highest point of its branches ... standing in the Dandenong ... Victoria is estimated to ... from the ground to the top.

THE largest chestnut tree ... country is growing on the farm ... omon Merkle at Berks, Pa. ... nearly forty feet in circumference ... the base. The top of the tree ... ed without danger by steps ... fastened between the limbs. It ... mated that this tree contains ... seventeen cords of wood ... yields about three bushels of ... annually.

SKATING AND HUNTING ...

SOME OF THE PERILS AND MISHAPS ... OUR WINTER SPORTS.

STELLA BURGESS, an Elmira, ... aged 19, broke through the ice ... ing at Southport, Tuesday and ... ed.

IN hunting in a stalk field ... Green, Edward Mullins shot ... George Hutchinson, mistaking ...

HARRY KERR of Olean, N. Y. ... precarious condition from the ... his sled with a jutting plank ... pierced his body.

OTTO G. PAGE, aged 14, of ... skating on the lake, slipped into ... and was not missed by his companions ... life was extinct.

HARRY THOMPSON of Cleveland ... rabbit shooting on the morning ... he was to be married. The ... charge of his gun cost him his ...

SUNDAY hunting cost Mat Price ... Mills, Pa., his life, and Frederick ... Pelham, F. H., lost his by put... in the wagon with the barrels ... ward him.

THE brother of John Stevens ... ville, Ohio, cut a hole through ... the river for the purpose of ... John came along on skates, slid in ... and was drowned.

PART of the clothing of Daniel ... of Winslow, Me., was blown ... through his body by the explosion ... as he was climbing a fence with ... against his stomach.

A MR. French, a miner living ... Jefferson River, Montana, heard ... thought was the splashing of ... Hastily getting his rifle, he ... object, and William Davis lost ...

JOHN MAXWELL of Mount Ve... used his gun while hunting as ... which to leap a ditch. His ... hammer, the gun was discharged ... Maxwell lost his right hand ...

IN the regular army William ... of Shelbyville, Ky., lost a leg ... dental discharge of a gun, and ... while hunting lost his arm by ... as a crutch in dismounting from ...

ADAM WEISS of Alder, Pa., ... the rabbit but will lose his ... brakesman, as the result of a ... cursion. He carried a new ... shot gun that exploded and ... hand.

WHEN Robert Christy's gun ... ed by his slipping from a log, ... watch chain, coat, vest, and ... transferred from his person ... He was but 16 years of age, ... Plummer, Pa.

SIDNEY TALLERDAY of ... had killed one rabbit, and was ... for the spit, when his dog ... the hammer of his gun, which ... the muzzle against his breast, ... dead.

JAMES WHITESIDES, aged 21, ... Township, Ind., was all excited ... companion scared up for him ... rabbits. His gun slipped from ... and the entire charge went into ... causing instant death.

THE boat in which Isaac Bailey ... Ball were gunning on Easton's ... mouth, R. I., capsized, and ... prisoned up to his neck in ... than an hour. Ball got upon ... the boat and was rescued.

A BROKEN oar and an overturned ... all that is found of a joyous ... party who went down the ... near Richmond, on Tuesday. ... consisted of Mr. J. M. Vest, ... Morrison, accompanied by a ... wind was very high when they ... snow storm prevailed.

The farmers of Austria are ... great numbers and agitating for ... protect them against the large ... ing importations of grain and ... United States and Russia, ... made at prices with which it ... ous to try to compete. The ... also seek a reduction of the ... on the part of the banks to ... is a kind of granger movement.

EVERY advertisement which ... leading London papers for ... clerk elicit from 100 to 200 ... graphy having become of late ... education, very generally ... the number of really qualified ... ers is everywhere small; in ... of a large staff in London ... batim reports he had but ... quite a young man—whom ... implicitly.

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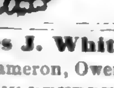

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DEAR SIR:—In February, 1876, I was afflicted with a severe Cough which grew worse, confining me to my room, and was finally pronounced incurable by my physician. In Jan., 1877, I commenced using the Indian Blood Syrup, when I at once commenced to gain in strength, and in a short time I was enabled to do a fair day's work. My Cough is now entirely gone.

ISAAC HORNER, J. P.

CURES ERYSIPELAS.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I was severely afflicted with Erysipelas for two years, and a short trial of your Indian Blood Syrup effectually cured me. MRS. JANET ANDERSON.

LIVER COMPLAINT.

Mt. Forest, Wellington Co., Ont., Can.

DEAR SIR:—I have used your great Idian Blood Syrup for Liver Complaint, and have received great benefit therefrom. I recommend its use to all similarly afflicted.

MELSON CARR.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

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DEAR SIR:—This is to certify that your valuable Indian Blood Syrup cured me of Cramps in the Stomach.

W. N. CURROW.

DISEASE OF THE STOMACH.

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SCABBY HANDS.

Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

DEAR SIR:—My Hands became Scabby, and I was unable to tell what it was and went to a doctor, who gave me medicine, which did no good. I then procured some of your Indian Blood Syrup and had taken it only a short time, when the Scabs disappeared, and now my hands are as well as ever. I can safely recommend it as a valuable remedy. MRS. HENRY HUFF.

DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your Indian Blood Syrup, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

DAVID BLACK.

CURES DYSPEPSIA AND INDIGESTION.

Westport, Ont., Jan. 26, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been afflicted with Dyspepsia for about nine years, and your Indian Blood Syrup is the only medicine that ever helped me. I would say to all suffering from this disease to give your medicine a fair trial. W. H. RORISON.

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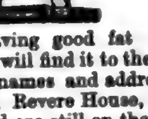

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ALL SORTS.

He was a genial, smiling man,
And fond of whisky plain;
But when he joined the temperance club
He never smiled again.
—[Somerville Journal.

Go and get your horse and cutter,
Take your girl a ride,
And if you hear her "Jolly!" mutter,
Just make that girl your bride.

"I will get my horse and cut her,
Take her rival out to sleigh;"
Then suppose he heard her mutter:
"I'm so glad he kept away."

ALL the year round—the earth.

RAISED in a printing office—The elevator.

WE personally prefer silver coin to golden opinions.

STANDS to reason—a debater who won't sit down.

MOLASSES is like adversity. Sweet are the uses of both.

CANNIBALS sometimes have their neighbors at dinner.

THE blunt talker doesn't try to get his words in edgewise.

AN epitaph for a faithful car-conductor: He took his last farewell.

THE man who was cured by a mesmerist says he was trance-fixed.

THE sign "Beware of the Dog," is stuck up that he who reads may run.

WHEN he came home tipsy he told his wife he had been out sherrynading.

"FINE sleighing," remarked the young man who paid $10 and costs for fast driving.

IT is predicted that Tennyson's new dramatic venture, "The Cup," will turn out well.

THE shoemakers very [illegible] hold a national convention on the last day of the year.

"Go, father, and fare worse," as the son said to the old man sent to jail for wife-beating.

THEY tell us matches are made in heaven, but somehow they never smell that way when you strike 'em.

"I AM just throwing out a feeler," remarked the saloon-keeper as he put the blind man into the street.

YOU can be cremated at Gotha, Germany, for sixteen dollars. But then it will cost you considerable to Gotha.

THERE are many true words said in jest, as the thoughtful compositor remarked when he set it up "mother-in-jaw."

THE race is not always to the swift. The slowest boy in the schoolroom will likely enough be the first to catch a "licking."

LET a young man once get on the trail of a young lady in a crowded ball-room and he will find her very soon and find her mad.

"IN an angry instant a man may do what a lifetime of repentance cannot undo," says Henry Ward Beecher—he may break an egg.

WE have heard of no tobacconists or liquor dealers relinquishing business, notwithstanding the advent of the swearing-off season.

THE butchers of Brooklyn have just started for sociability "The Leg of Mutton Club." Their motto should be, "In Ewe-nion there is strength."

THE population of the city of Cork is about 75,000. Think of the 75,000 Cork souls. And the bottles in which these spirits are preserved.

THE worst about kissing a Pittsburg girl is that you carry the marks of coal dust about your nose and other features till you reach the nearest pump.

"THOUSANDS have tried it and will never use any other," is the significant and pathetic encomium of a cough balsam which circulates in New England.

"FAR from the old fox at home" was what the young fox said when he was chased from his cover and had to run ten miles before he got to his hole.

BEECHER says if the city of New York were built of glass its morality would be fifty per cent. higher. And, we beg leave to add, nobody could throw stones.

IN reply to the question, "What are the wild waves saying?" we would suggest that it must be, "Come and see us next summer, and don't forget we charge $4 a day board."

"GOOD morning, Smith," said a man in a shoe store the other day, "what's this pair of boots sold for?" "What are they soled for? Why, to keep the snow out and the feet in."

TOMMY: "What does it mean, sissy, 'Laying up something for a rainy day?'" Sissy: "Don't know, Tommy; 'spect it means borrowing a friend's umbrella and never returning it."

"NOW I understand, remarked Oldenborg, with a sigh, after vainly trying to get a view of the stage over the bonnet in front of him, "now I understand what they mean by the 'height of fashion.'"

A NEW HAVEN brute saturated cotton with alcohol, tied it to a dog's tail, and then set fire to it. The dog started on a run to go under the brute's barn. Then it didn't seem so funny to the brute. He madly howled at the dog and ran after him, but before he could overtake the animal it got under the barn, but somehow the cotton went out and didn't set the barn on fire. This was poetic justice. Barn was insured for twice its value.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Fashion Notes

Irish poplin is again in favor in Europe.

Dresses are worn fastened at the back this winter.

Rose-colored tufted gauze veils are very becoming.

Gold, silver, amber and jet beads are embroidered in Roman, Persian, or elaborate flower designs upon table fabrics.

Gold-embroidered scarfs of black lace are wound around the neck and fastened with a large, old-fashioned gold brooch.

Chatelaines of gold or silver, with a multiplicity of breloques, are again worn by both French and English ladies of fashion.

Changeable broche satin sublime is a very fashionable material for combining with the new delicately-tinted cashmere goods.

The dainty Sabot casaquin, or peasant-girl's coat, has a well deserved popularity among the bewildering array of semi-long basques.

A nest of little gray mice, with shiny, lifelike eyes of jet, was lately seen upon a Quaker gray plush bonnet worn by a well-known lady milliner in Paris.

The "Directoire," "Louis XV.," and "Watteau" styles are greatly favored by the grand couturieres in Paris, as most pleasing to their customers.

The matinees of tinted cashmere, trimmed with plush and frills, jabots and fichus of cream lace are exquisitely beautiful, and nothing can exceed them for grace and becomingness.

The "Portia cloak," or "Louis XIX. mantle," or Barrister's rope," is almost a facsimile of the garb worn by Miss Ellen Terry as a doctor of laws in the play of the "Merchant of Venice."

High, full plaited ruffs of Spanish lace are immensely popular. Very often there is a frill of white lace inside, and another of black surrounding it. This makes a very effective and becoming neck dressing.

The comb worn just now with the Grecian style of hair-dressing is called a barette. The straight back is about three inches high, and is formed either of tortoise shell, solid chased silver, or pure gold and coral.

Gold-dusted and powdered locks have appeared in American ballrooms, and towering puffs and curls, adorned with glittering stars, crescents, and bandeaux of brilliants or jets, effectually complete the antique styles of dress now the rage in Paris.

Ulsters of black satin de Lyon and also of gros grain silk in black, or in colors matching the dress, have appeared. They are trimmed around the bottom of the skirt, and upon the hood and sleeves with bread bands of fur. They have usually a hat and muff *en suite*.

Some full-dress bonnets have been made by court modistes with the trimmings of feathers or lace held in place by an old-fashioned paste buckle. This ornament can not become common, as real paste is by no means easy to obtain. A companion buckle is placed on the muff to match with the bonnet.

Crinoline, when worn at all, is very small. The bustle, however, continues in favor. Those made of fine steel and lace net or pique, are most desirable, as they are light, and really form a support for the skirts worn. For wearing with long-trained evening-dresses they are an absolute necessity.

Waifs.

KISSING a girl on the cheek is like eating the skin of an orange and throwing the juicy pulp away.

THE girl who was courted by a spruce young lawyer said she liked to be protected by the strong arm of the law.

THE young girl of the period is generally pert with the other sex until she is married, and then she becomes ex pert.

PHILADELPHIA girls are quick travelers. One of them who went sleighing the other night made twelve miles on one lap.

TEACHER—Has fire any gender? Pupil—Yes, feminine. Teacher—What makes you think so? Pupil—Because I heard mamma tell papa not to hug the fire.

EXTRACT from a letter from Angelina:—"Dear Henry, you ask if I return your love. Yes, Henry, I have no use for it, and return it with many thanks. By-by, Henry."

"WELL, miss," said a knight of the birch rod, "can you decline a kiss?" "Yes, sir," said the girl, dropping a perplexed courtesy, "I can, but I hate most plagnily."

"WHERE are you going so fast, Mr. Johnson?" "Home, sir, home; don't detain me, I have just got a new bonnet for my wife, and must deliver it before the fashion changes."

SUNDAY SCHOOL Teacher (reprovingly)—"Boys, do you know what day this is?" Street Boy—"Hi, fellers here's a cove that don't know what day this is! I guess he's been out all night!"

Andrew's Bazar says that a lady who owns an amiable husband was asked how she had ever brought him to such perfection; whereupon she sweetly answered that she did it chiefly with a croquet mallet.

LADY-LIKE qualities cannot be concealed, no matter in what position she who possesses them may be placed. A Leadville lawyer was cross-examining a woman on the witness-stand, and becoming somewhat abusive, she exclaimed: "I am a lady, by thunder, and don't you forget it!"

MISTRESS—"As you've never been in service I'm afraid I can't engage you without a 'character'" Young Person—"I have three school board certificates, ma'am." Mistress—"Oh, well, I suppose for honesty, cleanliness——" Young Person—"No, ma'am; for literatoor, joggr'phy, an' free 'and drawin'!"

A COUNTRY girl at a fashionable hotel in New York noticed that all the guests used their forks only in eating their pie. Upon her return home she reported the fact to the old lady, who comforted her by observing: "You shouldn't mind 'em, Jemima; it's all because they're too tarnal lazy to use their knives."

TABLEAU Vivant—Bridegroom (to his little sister-in-law at the breakfast)—"Well, Julie, you've got a new brother now——" Julie (enfant terrible)—"Yes; and ma said the other day to pa, she didn't think he was much account, only it looked like Lottie's last chance!" (Great clatter of knives, forks, and spoons.)

ENTER Jones, the magnificent, with stranger—"A little surprise for you, Mrs. J.! Let me introduce Mr. Wiggins, whom I have persuaded to take his chance, and come and try pot luck with us; and I hope you won't starve him, hey, my love?" Mrs. Jones (courtesying)—"There's no fear of that, Mr. Wiggins. I got my husband's telegram in time."

A THIN old man with a rag-bag in his hand was picking a number of small pieces of whalebone which lay on the street. The deposit was of such a singular nature that the quaint-looking gatherer was asked how he supposed they came there. "Don't know," he replied in a squeaking voice, "but 'spec some unfortunate female was wrecked hereabout somewhere."

A GYPSY QUEEN.—At Kirk Yetholm, on the Scottish border, lives Esther, a gypsy, who enjoys the title of Queen. Her cottage is neat and vineclad. She was crowned at the age of 65 and is now 80. She has many pictures, much jewelry and a sword which was found on Flodden Field. Kirk Yetholm is the place where the original of Scott's Meg Merriles lived.

Bernhardt at Home.

Mlle. Sarah Bernhardt's Parisian household is not unlike that of the "Countess Julie Walker," in the sparkling comedy of "L'Age Ingrat." It is a constant whirl of visitors, coming and going; everybody can call who likes, and everybody does call. All the newspaper writers of Paris, the foreign correspondents, the rising artists, the aspiring dramatists are to be found in the vast studio in the Avenue de Villiers. A dozen people will happen in to breakfast and twenty will drop into dinner. There will be 20,000 francs in the house one day and no money on the morrow. In the midst of the crowd revolves the mistress of the house—talking, receiving, painting, modeling, writing, studying, the wildest, most capricious, most extravagant Bohemienne of Paris. Yet withal she is comparatively simple as regards her personal tastes. She dresses in an original and eccentric style, but not gorgeously.

George Eliot.

No one who had ever seen her, says a writer in *The Evangelist*, could make the large head (her brain must be heavier than most men's), covered with a mass of rich auburn hair. At first I thought her tall, for one could not think that such a head could rest on an ordinary woman's shoulders. But as she rose up her figure appeared of but medium height. All distance was moved by her courtesy. Her manners are very sweet, because very simple, and free from affectation. Never did a sweeter voice fascinate a listener, so soft and low one must always bend to her. But I should do her great injustice if I gave the impression that there was in her conversation any attempt at display. She is above that affectation of brilliancy which is often more flippancy. Nor does she seek to attract homage and admiration. On the contrary, she is very averse to speak of herself, or even to hear the heartfelt praise of others. She does not engross the conversation, but is more eager to listen than to talk. She makes you forget the celebrated author and think only of the refined and highly cultivated woman. You do not feel awed by her genius, but only quickened by it, as by something that calls out all that is better and truer. There is a singular earnestness about her as if those mild eyes looked deep into the great, sad, awful truths of existence. To her life is a serious reality, and the gift of genius a grave responsibility.

A Chinese Wedding.

Yesterday afternoon a bright looking Chinaman named Ah Gong appeared in the County Clerk's office at the old City Hall, San Francisco, accompanied by a very pretty Chinese girl named Toy Yenn, and asked for a marriage license. Deputy County Clerk Whalen proceeded to fill out the blank, but consumed considerable time in so doing, as he found it hard to ascertain the names and ages of the applicants, owing to his slight acquaintance with the Chinese language. The task was finally accomplished, and Ah Gong was about to consider himself well started upon the road to matrimonial happiness, when there was an invasion of the office by a crowd of chattering Celestials, men and women, at the head of whom was an old heathen who claimed the prospective bride as his own private and personal property, which he had bought and paid for, and which was worth $800. He grasped the trembling Toy by the arm and attempted to drag her from the office, but her lover objected strenuously, and the clerks in the office, sympathizing with the young people, ejected the old man and his followers from the place.

Outside the hall there had gathered by this time the whole female female population of Chinatown, and the chattering they indulged in made it seem that one or two hundred parrots had assembled together. It was seen to be a difficult thing to get Ah Gong and Toy through this crowd to Justice Burk's office, in Washington street, and sympathetic clerks showed them a way to reach that goal through a back door and Dunbar alley, when an old Chinawoman, hideous in appearance, rushed upon them, and, grasping the maiden, attempted to drag her away.

The friends of Ah and Toy, however, rescued the girl from the old harpy's claws, and, defending her from the crowd, escorted her and her beloved to Justice Burke, who tied the nuptial knot in true "Melican" fashion. Ah and Toy were then rushed into a carriage, which was waiting for them at the door, and they were quickly whisked out of sight. Whither they have gone on their wedding trip is not known.

A Duchess' Wardrobe.

There was in London, a few weeks ago, an unusually attractive public sale of the personal effects of a lately deceased duchess. The catalogue described a vast number of article of wearing apparel, all of which belonged to the late dowager Duchess of Somerset, the second wife of the eleventh duke of that title. A notion of the extensive character of this wardrobe will be given when it is stated that of shawls alone there are no less than five hundred specimens, while there are five hundred lace and other handkerchiefs, six hundred pairs of silk hose, and two thousand pairs of gloves, be, sides other articles in like proportion. These were divided into no less than sixteen hundred lots. Most of them appeared to have never been in use, and scores upon scores of handkerchiefs remain neatly folded as when they were originally purchased. In almost every case the different effects had a ducal coronet and initials embroidered upon them, but beyond this there was nothing which could be supposed to give an adventitious interest to any of them, except in two or three instances.

Of historical relics, considering the long life and distinguished position in life of the deceased lady, there were indeed singulrly few, and nothing like sensational or "fancy" bidding had been indulged in up to the arrival of the last London mail. Even a magnificent Indian shawl, embroidered in gold, and described as a present from the Shah of Persia, went for more than nineteen guineas; while a Brussels lace satchel, mounted with coronet and pearls, and said to have been offered by the Sultan of Turkey, fetched only the low price of thirty-two shillings. A Stuart tartan court dress, embroidered with a thistle and eagle in gold, the gift of the Emperor Napoleon III., realized £6, and beyond these was nothing worth noting as being specially associted with any personages of distinction. A number of cloaks and dresses of rich materials were among the lots put up, and for these, notwithstanding that they were considerably more than of average dimensions, the competition was tolerably keen. A white satin court dress, trimmed with pearls and silver blonde, with worked flowers in gold and embroidered satin front, fetched £7, and the same price was given for another dress of the same kind, but trimmed with silver lace, blonde and flowers, together with thirty old paste collettes.

Rudolph and His Bride.

The next few weeks, says the London *Standard*, will provide abundance of work for hofmarschals, royal chroniclers, court milliners, and imperial chaplains. The crown prince of Austria is on the eve of marrying the second daughter of the king of the Belgians, and the last days of February are fixed for the wedding of the future emperor of Germany with the princess Augusta Victoria Frederica Louise Feodora Jenny of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Augustenburg. The Archduke Rudolph is universally considered a youth of more than ordinary promise. An admirable linguist, familiar with all the court tongues of Europe, and with nearly every dialect spoken or likely to be spoken by his father's subjects, actual or presumtive, at the age of twenty-two, he has gained the reputation of a pundit, accomplished enough to merit the doctorate which Buda-Pesth recently bestowed on him.

His bride, the Princess Stephanie-Clotilde, is only "sweet seventeen." She is the second child of King Leopold, though between her and her sister, the Princess Louise of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, there is an interval of nearly sixteen years. She is reported to be as amiable as a girlish princess ought to be, and as accomplished as befits the wife of a husband so learned as the Archduke Rudolph. As for other qualities, of course it would be extremely churlish to even hint that beauty is not the least valuable part of the dower of the future mistress of Austria, Hungary, Bohemia, Dalmatia, and Jerusalem, and of the at least five other kingdoms, principalities, grand duchies, counties, lordships, and baronies which are among the titular appanages of the line of Rudolph von Hapsburg [illegible] is the fair princess altogether a stranger to Austria and Hungary. Great-grand-daughter of Louis Philippe, and second cousin of Queen Victoria, she is also the granddaughter of the Archduke Joseph, who, as Palatine of Hungary, established a popularity which, if followed up by the Viennese cabinet, might have saved much subsequent misery for the apostolic kingdom. The bride and bridegroom are thus near relations. Through the father of the former, who, it is needless to say, is the son of Leopold of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, uncle of the queen and the late prince consort, there will for the first time for many ages be formed a relationship between the royal families of Great Britain and Austria.

South American Warfare.

A REMARKABLE NAVAL ENGAGEMENT BETWEEN CHILIAN AND PERUVIAN VESSELS.

(From the Panama Star and Herald.)

The loss of one of their torpedo launches on the sixth of December so annoyed the Chilians that they recommenced bombarding, and for several days they treated Callao to a greater or lesser number of shots, but in no instance doing the least damage, while their own losses have been important. The heaviest firing took place on the 11th. The Angamos took up her customary position at a range of 8,000 metres and opened fire. The monitor Atahualpa, which can only steam about two knots an hour, and that only for a quarter of an hour at a time, moved from the dock and went towards the enemy. She was accompanied by two small steam launches. When about a mile from shore they opened fire on the enemy's fleet, consisting of the iron clad Huascar, the Angamos, Pilcomayo, Chacabuco, Princess Louisa, and Toro. The firing became general, and was kept up with spirit until 4 P. M., when the gun of the Angamos having burst, the whole of them moved back to the island of San Lorenzo. One hundred and five projectiles were expended by the enemy, without one of them striking a ship, launch, or battery.

In return the land batteries fired six shots, Atahualpa two, and the launches about thirty. A forty-pound shell from the Arno struck the Pilcomayo amidships, below the deck, and, bursting upward, killed a number of men who were in a group watching the fight. One of the heavy guns in the turret of the Huascar burst, killing all who were near it; and to add to their other mishaps the Armstrong gun on board the Angamos burst, blowing out the breech piece, and leaving only the muzzle part on board in the jacket to which the trunnions are attached. The part blown out went overboard, carrying a great deal of the upper works and gear with it, and damaging the vessel so severely that she was at once despatched south for repairs. Three men were killed.

This gun was the most formidable in the Chilian navy. Its range enabled the Angamos to choose a position miles beyond the reach of the batteries and fire thence with impunity. The noise which accompanied each discharge was louder than that produced by the 1 000 pounders, and it possessed the peculiarity of making two distinct reports. Although these disasters to the Chilians were not all directly produced by the Peruvians, they are immensely pleased at the result.

The Front Platform.

A CHAT WITH A GENIUS WHO HAS VIEWS ON THE COLD SNAP.

"Cold?" exclaimed the driver. "Well, I should weep! It's a wonder to me that all the car drivers in town weren't frozen stiff. I've been driving now for nearly five years and I wish I may be roasted if that cold snap didn't get down to me worse'n anything I ever struck. You folks ridin' inside were growlin—we fellers on the front was freezin'. How do you think you would like to get out of bed half a day before sun up, bolt your breakfast and anchor yourself on this stool for seventeen hours with the thermometer where it was last week? You'd want about $10 a minute—wouldn't you?—and then you wouldn't want to work mor'n about ten minutes for a day." "Frost-bitten? Oh, no; there ain't nothin' frost-bitten about me. I went out with the snow-plow—drivin' ten horses, you know, an' that's no joke on a nippin' cold day. Well, if you'll believe me, them lines cut my gloves out as if they'd bin paper. Then I went it bare-handed. Cold? I thought ever minute I couldn't stan' it no longer. Hands began to git warmer, an' I sez, 'hello, freezin' by George!' an' off I jumps an' jis soused my hands into a bucket of ice-cold water. You'd a thought I was bein' murdered, I howled so. Ain't had no trouble with my hands sence."

"How about your feet and body?"

"I never get cold in the body. I wear heavy underclothes, a fireman's shirt over that, a knit jacket, a coat an' this big over coat. Then I muffle up my ears and I'm all right but my feet—they do ketch it sometimes."

"Couldn't the company do something to shut in the platform and give you some protection?"

"Of course they could, but they won't. They don't care nothin' 'bout the men—plenty men, you know—ain't nothin' cheaper that I know of. Why, I tell you it's a wonder to me that car drivers ain't hung for murder. They have enough to make 'em kill somebody every day. Passengers swear at 'em, policemen swear at 'em, waggon drivers swear at 'em, the superintendent swears at em, the stable boss swears at 'em—it's jis' one level streak o' swearin' all day long. A man gits tired o' that and feels like takin' a hand himself with a club. What's a man to look forward to, anyhow? You git used up an' off you go. You can't save anything here, and when you git out o' this job from sickness you might jis' as well say your prayers."

The Preacher Gets Left.

George Bovard is, says the Pittsburg *Commercial*, the name of a young Methodist minister, who attended the annual conference of the M. E. church at Mercer, a couple of years ago. While there, he and a young lady teacher of the Soldiers' Orphan school, located in Mercer, fell in love with each other. Her name was Clara Shaffer. He was about to start for India to Christianise the heathen. A correspondence kept up between the two, and he wanted her to come to him, be married, and assist him in his labors. He had no money to pay her expenses, and she had none. In this emergency, a few months ago, she made a confident of "Dick Wright, a heavy clothing merchant of Mercer, and he being a big-hearted man with generous impulses, offered to supply her with what money she needed to reach her far-off lover. She gladly accepted his offer, and at once began her preparations for the long journey. "Dick" and Miss Shafer were thrown much together for a while, and about the time she was ready to start he was deeply in love with her himself. But he said nothing, and she started for New York with enough of "Dick's" money in her pocket to take her to India.

Two or three days after her departure he grew despondent, and chided himself for having given away his chance for marrying Miss Shaffer himself. A thought struck him, and that was to follow her, and, if possible, overtake her before she boarded a steamer in New York for distant India. He acted promptly on the thought, took the cars, reached New York, and found the vessel on which she was to sail. Miss Shaffer was already on board; he made known his affection, asked her for her hand for himself, was accepted, and the two returned to Mercer a few days ago as man and wife.

The outcome is a little rough on the young minister who is wrestling with superstition and idolatry in the jungles of India.

AT Tiffany's: Mr. W. H. Vanderbilt, loquitur—"Give me another half pound of diamonds, but larger ones. Tie them up more securely. The string broke off the last bundle and half of them tumbled out."

TEACHER—"Peter, you are such a bad boy that you are not fit to sit in the company of good boys on the bench. Come up here and sit by me, sir."

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Prophets of Evil.

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In response to this subject of absorbing interest now under discussion by scientists as to the simultaneous arrival of all the major planets to their perihelia, inflicting dire results and bringing about the most fearful calamities known to history and resulting in the most devastating disasters to men and beasts, Prof. Lewis Swift has written a letter to the Rochester *Herald*, in which he says:

For the last two years the popular mind has been excited to an unusual degree over the statements made by a few visionary enthusiasts, who, with a great flourish of apparent wisdom, have spread before the world the prediction that, owing to the simultaneous arrival of the major planets to their perihelia during the present year, the most dreadful calamities ever recorded in history are to occurr, such as earthquakes on a vast and destructive scale, devastating tornadoes, widespread pestilences, great loss of life by shipwrecks, famine and wars, and a thousand other things too dreadful to contemplate. In all communities there is a certain class who will give a listening ear to anything, no matter how absurd, that partakes largely of marvelousness; hence this belief, which has not a particle of evidence to support it, is widespread in all civilized countries.

I am constantly receiving letters asking when the planets will severally be in perihelion (nearest the sun), and when we are to look for a fulfillment of these predictions that will make the year 1881 famous for all coming time. These questions convince me that the delusion still exists, and has sunk deep in the minds of men, and that perhaps it would be advisable to prepare a statement setting forth the facts as they exist, and, with slight variations, will continue to exist as long as time lasts.

All planets move in orbits or paths more or less elliptical, the sun occupying the common focus of them all. It therefore necessarily follows that a planet is sometimes nearer the sun than at others. In our age (but it will not always be so) the earth is about three million miles nearer the sun on the 1st of January than on the 2d day of July. On Jan. 1. therefore, the earth is in perihelion, and of course is in that situation once a year. Every planet is in perihelion once during its year.

Mercury, the planet nearest the sun, has a smaller orbit than ours, and hence its year is correspondingly shorter, being only eighty-eight of our days, and must therefore be in perihelion every eighty-eight days. On the contrary Neptune, the most distant planet known, has a year equal in length to one hundred and sixty-four and one half of ours, and is consequently only once in perihelion during that time. It follows that the time must come when all the eight planets will be in perihelion at once. It is only a question in simple arithmetic how often this will happen.

It has been stated, and insisted upon, that this rare event, which probably has not occurred since the Mosaic creation, would take place during the present year. That this is not the case the following table will show:

Mercury	Feb 21 May 20 Aug 16 Nov 12, 1881
Venus	March 6, Oct 16, 1881
Earth	Jan. 1, 1881
Mars	May 26, 1881
Jupiter	Sept. 25, 1880
Saturn	Aug. 20, 1882
Uranus	March 25, 1882
Neptune	Oct. 23, 1882

It is not denied that this is a close agreement, when it is considered how long some of the periods of revolution are. But what of it? Who has ever proved or presented evidence that has any semblance of proof that planets arriving at their perihelion points have the least perceptible influence on either the sun or earth or any of the other planets?

Each planet, even the giant Jupiter, is a pigmy compared to the sun; in fact he will outweigh all of them combined by more than 700 times. What effect then can the simple difference in distance of any single planet, say of Jupiter, have on the heat, and light, and spots, etc., on the sun, almost 500,000,000 miles distant?

The planet Mercury is comparatively near the sun, and almost as dense as lead, and the eccentricity of his orbit is so great that he is over 20,000,000 miles nearer the sun at perihelion than at aphelion, but has any one ever perceived any changes on the sun once in eighty-eight days? Has any recurrence of magnetic storms, earthquakes, plagues, or an excess of calamities of any kind ever been noticed during his perihelion passages? If not, then it is safe to say none exists, and the subject may be classed with the thousand other delusions which exist in the minds of men, and for which no remedy is known save a through and universal education of all classes of society.

South American Republics.

(South American Gngales.)

But if pure Spaniards can do no good for themselves or their fellow-beings at home or abroad, what can be expected of Hispano-Indians, a mixture in which all the faults and vices of the European and native and American character are so blended and exaggerated as to bring forth whatever is worst in both? The Government of those South American Republics is a strange tissue of North American institutions, interwoven with the lawless practices of which the mother country is endlessly setting the example. It is a theoretical constitutionalism, illustrated by the practical *pronunciamientos*—a scramble for power and office, a contest of persons instead of principles, a chaos and a pandemonium, out of which domestic and foreign war, peculation, bankruptcy, general miscarriage of justice, and want of public security, emerge as dominant evils—now singly, now all at once, in a complex and formidable array. * * * For the present those countries must be looked upon not as States, but as mere embryos of States. * * They are more vaperous, nebulous meteors, destined, perhaps, at some incalculable future periods, to assume the consistency and living light of genuine heavily luminaries, but for the present only puzzling men of science, as they endeavor to ascertain what is there real substance, and what place they may be called to fill in the economy of the firmement.

Nautical Terms.

An "old tar," says *The San Francisco Post*, has prepared a hand-book of nautical terms for the use of persons who intend to follow the sea. In order to correct popular belief, our author gravely asserts that the berths on board ship do not necessarily add to the census. The hatchways are not hens' nests. The weigh of the ship is not the extent of her avoirdupois. The boatswain does not pipe all hands with a meerschaum. The ship does not have a wake over a dead calm. The swell of a ship's side is not caused by dropsy, nor is the taper of a bowsprit a tallow candle. The hold is not the vessel's grip. The trough of the ship is not dug out of the ship's log. The crest of a wave is no indication of rank. The buoy is not the captain's son. The men are not beat to quarters with a club. Ships are never boarded at hotels. The bow of a ship is no evidence of politeness. A sailor's stockings are never manufactured from a yarn of his own spinning. The sails of a ship are not made by an auctioneer, nor are the stays constructed by the milliner.

Retracted.

Mr. Maguire, of a Kansas town, was elected constable, and the local papers which opposed him said: "Mr. Maguire will wash himself before he assumes the office of constable." The notice maddened Maguire and he called on the editor to complain. "You object to that statement?" asked the editor. "I do," replied Maguire. "Very well, I'll retract it," said the editor, and then he put in his paper the statement that he wished to retract his announcement that Mr. Maguire would wash himself before assuming office, as Mr. Maguire denied the statement, and even that retraction didn't satisfy Maguire, but instead increased his wrath. Some men are hard to satisfy.

EDWIN BOOTH says that the most genuine compliment he ever received was on the occasion of his playing *Iago* for the first time at Grass Valley, then a new mining camp. The audience, who had not seen a play for years, were so much incensed at his apparent villany that they pulled out their "shooters" in the middle of the third act, and began blazing away at the stage. *Othello* had the tip of his nose shot off at the first volley, and Mr. Booth only escaped by rolling over and over up the stage and disappearing through a trap door. A speech from the manager somewhat calmed the house; but even then Mr. Booth thought it best to pass the night in the theatre, as a number of the most elevated spectators were making strenuous efforts to induce the Vigilance Committee to lynch "the infernal sneaking cuss."

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Feb. 4th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*. Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

There has been considerable ill-feeling displayed in Owen Sound over High School matters. The Trustees are elected by the people to manage their school affairs, and when once elected should be permitted to use their own judgement without interference from the outside public. If in their opinion they deemed it necessary in the interest of the school to make a change in the teaching staff, they would, in our opinion, be neglecting their duty did they not do so, and the "tempest in a teapot that has resulted in consequence, was uncalled for and anything but wise.

INFORMATION WANTED.

We would like to know whose fault it is that papers and letters mailed to us from Owen Sound, seldom reach their destination before the expiration of three or four days after being mailed, and then always by the train going north. The O. S. Advertiser, which should reach here on Thursday morning, came to hand on Saturday evening by way of Toronto; the O.S. Times, due here Friday mornings, reached us Tuesday afternoon by the same route. Have the Sounders gone back on the T., G. & B. Railway and send their mail matter by way of Collingwood, or does the fault lie with the Mail Clerk on the train. Will some one please rise and explain.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Mrs. Jno. Miller of the 6th con. of Bentinck, met with her death on her own farm on Tuesday last, by being run over by a team of horses driven by her husband. It appears that deceased and her husband did not live agreeably and the wife was stopping at her son's place which adjoins her own. She was on the road leading to her son's when the team ran over her. An inquest was held by Dr. Landerkin, Coroner, when a verdict of accidental death was returned. There are suspicions of foul play connected with the case, but the verdict of the inquest would seem to remove all cause of such doubts.—*Hanover Post.*

WARDEN'S SUPPER.—The Warden gave a supper on Friday evening last in the Queen's Hotel, to the members of the Council and a large number of the citizens. Like all such entertainments, this passed off to the satisfaction of everybody. But unlike most suppers of the kind, pure sparkling water graced the table instead of the decanters of wines, etc., so often used. The temperance principles of the Warden are well known, and we were rejoiced to see he sustained his professions by placing nothing in the shape of liquors before the guests. The programme was the same as is usual upon such occasions, and the gathering broke up at a late hour. We clip the above from the O. S. *Tribune*, we think the Warden's departure from the usual course pursued in such cases a move in the right direction, and we would say to others giving such entertainments "go thou and do likewise."

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—A very enjoyable affair came off in the New England P. M. Church, on last Tuesday evening, it being a continuation of a Tea Meeting held in the same place on Thursday, the 27th ult., which, owing to the stormy night, was partly a failure, hence the affair of Tuesday. One of the noticeable features in the affair was the abundance of native talent displayed. Surely no other locality is so blessed with native orators as New England; and as for a choir, where all apparently can sing, there is no trouble in selecting a really excellent choir, and such vocal music we seldom hear now a-days as is heard in New England.—With a good audience, and our genial friend, James Yelland, Esq., in the chair, backed by such an array of names as the following, viz.: Messrs. Cartwright, Hicks, R. Abercrombie, Ellis, Morwood and the pastor, together with a couple of readings from Misses Williams and Lyons, you may be sure that we had, as I said in the beginning, a very enjoyable time, and now our P. M. friends are proud to think that their last circuit debt is cleared. NEMO.

February 2nd, 1881.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The newly elected Council of Artemesia met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, Jan. 17, 1881. Present—Messrs. Christoe, Webster, Elliott, Wright and Pedlar. After making the necessary declaration and qualification of office, they took their seats. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed, the Council then proceeded to elect a Deputy Reeve for 1881. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that Mr. Webster be Deputy Reeve for 1881.—Lost. Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that Mr. Wright be Deputy Reeve for 1881.—Carried. Communications as follows presented and read:—J. J. Middleton, Esq., Reeve of Proton, *re* bridge on town line, laid over until next meeting of Council; from Luke Bradbury, *re* 30th side road, laid over from F. Nixon, *re* damages to horse on 200th side road; A. Turner, *re* taxes in Priceville; C. W. Rutledge, *re* Township printing and stationery; John McArthur, *re* statute labor on lots 1 and 2, 3 N. D. R., 1877. Copy of motion of Euprasia Council, *re* arbitration Nelson Hill contract, presented and read. Award of abitrators between Euphrasia and Artemesia deposited. By-law No. 324, appointing Auditors for 1881, introduced by Mr. Pedlar and passed in the usual way; C. C. James, Esq., Priceville, Wm. Brown, Esq., Markdale, being chosen as such Auditors. Mr. Elliott gave notice that he will, at next meeting of Council, introduce a By-law to license livery stables in the municipality, and to regulate the amount to be paid for the same. Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that John McArthur be paid $2, being statute labor charged in excess in 1877, against 1 and 2, 3 N. D. R.—Carried. Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that A. Turner be refunded $2.40 on property on Priceville, building having been burned.—Carried. Mr. Elliot moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the Reeve issue his order for $9, being half cost of arbitration *re* town line Artemesia and Euprasia. Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Elliott, that the Reeve and Deputy Reeve be a committee to inquire into Treasurer's security, and report at next meeting.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the Deputy Reeve, and Messrs. Webster and Pedlar, be a committee to devise some plan for the better protection of road scrapers, and report the same at February meeting.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that the Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Mr. Webster be a committee to whom all applications for aid to indigents shall be referred during the current year.—Carried. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Webster, that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to enter on Collector's Roll the Police Village rate omitted in Police Village of Markdale, and request the Collector for Ward No. 2 to collect the same with as little delay as possible.—Carried. Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the Clerk put up notices asking for applications for the office of Assessor for 1881, at a salary of $75.—Carried. Council adjourned to meet in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, February 7th, at 10 a. m.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The members elect of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia, for the year 1881, being, Robert Myles, Reeve; James Boyd, Esq., Deputy Reeve; William Fawcett, James Loughead and Thomas Gilray, Esqs., Councillors. The said members elect of said Council having assembled at the Hall of said Township at 11 o'clock a. m., on Monday, the 17th day of January, A. D. 1881; made and subscribed their declarations of qualification and of office, in due form; deposited the same with the Clerk, and took their seats at the Council Board. Minutes of last session of Council were then read and confirmed. James Johnston, on nomination of the Reeve, and William Douglas, on behalf of the Council, were appointed Auditors, and a By-law passed accordingly. By-law No. 298, appointing John Clugston Assessor, was carried through the different stages and passed. The time for the Collectors for 1880 to make their returns, was extended to the 1st day of February next. Jacob Neely was appointed Caretaker of the Township Hall, at a salary of $10. The Reeve and Deputy Reeve were appointed a committee to inquire into the validity of the Treas's. security as required by statute. The Reeve, Mr. Fawcett and Mr. Gilray were appointed a committee to investigate all matters connected with a report laid before Council regarding injury said to have been done to a horse on the Valley Road, and report to Council. The Treasurer was ordered to remit to the Deputy Returning officers, who acted at last municipal elections, as remuneration for their own services and that of their Poll Clerks, (and in one case a constable) the amounts placed opposite their names, as follows:—James Struthers, $7.50; James Yelland $7; Nicholas Hewson, $7.10; James Curry, $6.70; Daniel Silvethorn, $6.70; John Winter, $7.50. The Reeve's order was issued on the Treasurer in favor of J. Farewell for $10, for printing ballot papers, &c. The Treasurer was ordered to pay to Trustees of School Sections for the use of School Houses used as polling stations at last municipal election, viz.: School Sections Nos. 4, 9, 14 and 15, $2 each. The Clerk was allowed $20 for extra services connected with the municipal elections, and the Reeve's order on the Treasurer issued accordingly. The Reeve's order on the Treasurer, in favor of John Pentland, for $79, part payment for building bridge over Beaver River, and in favor of James Arthur, for $2.40, for repairing road scraper. On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in February. ROBT. DUNLOP, Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I would like to call the attention of the public generally, to what some of us have felt to be not only a violation of the law, but also a very great nuisance, viz: the very mistaken and self-conceited notion that some have, that public roads were built for their convenience alone, and that when they come along every body must clear the track, especially if they have the strongest rig. Now, these same self-conceited ones, not only show their lack of common courtesy, but also their ignorance as well; and some of them will, I am sadly afraid, have to be taught in the school of some Justice of the Peace, before they will learn to know that others have just as much right to the road as they, and that unless they are willing to yield a compliance to the requirements of the law, then those who are the sufferers have it in their power to compel them. As a sample of the carelessness, (to call it nothing worse) of which I complain, take the following: A short time since, a son of Mr. Freeman's, who resides on the town line east of this Village, was walking along on his road home, when a team, driven by one of the above-described overtook him, *knocked him down, and drove over him*, they being without bells, which is also contrary to law, and he being hard of hearing, did not perceive them in time to get out of their way, and then to show to its fullest extent their *cowardly, brutal nature*, they drove on as fast as possible and left him lying in the road, where he might have perished had not a neighbor heard his outcry. Perhaps some might say they were drunk, well, if so, then much the worse, for it is also contrary to law to be drunk, and drunken men have no right to be at large, much less to attempt to drive a team. Others think they are justified in trusting their teams in the hands of inexperienced and careless boys, and that if accidents result from either their carelessness or recklessness, they would not be responsible. This is also a mistake, for if a man employs an improper agent, he is bound to abide the result. As for instance, an individual, not such a long time since, trusted his team in the hands of his son, a young lad just in his teens, he gathered some others of the stamp, and then—Hurrah, boys! for a sleigh ride and some fun. After passing a team, they think it would be fun just to turn round and chase them. Reader, a sudden ... The same party only last week, with his careless driving, brought the Rev. Mr. Garnett's cutter to grief. Now all these things are just the way to get into trouble, and some day, some of them will run against a snag. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your kindness, I am, yours, &c.,

OBSERVER.

Markdale Feb. 1, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—In a late issue I noticed some scribling from my friend Mr. Webster, of Priceville, who doubts my occupation being that of a farmer. I will here say, I have followed that occupation all my life, and am likely to do so in the future; have been a resident of Artemesia about twenty years, and have hewn out a home from the woods. As to my having Toronto, Grey and Bruce fever on the brain, I will now say it is still on the increase. I cannot turn a cold shoulder to a railroad that was the first to come to our help, and that assisted us in disposing of the produce of our farms and the timber of our forests; brought us money and wealth; built up little towns; established many industries. I am sory my friend, Mr. W., has deserted the ship that picked us up in the storm, and is now advocating a new railway across the township of Artemesia, and says that in his opinion it will be built. Mr. Editor, we know that all new railways constructed in the County of Grey must be built by the municipalities, hence it will cost the ratepayers of Artemesia probably more than thirty thousand dollars, and when built will be of no more use to Artemesia than the fifth wheel would be to a coach.—My Friend, Mr. W., put his foot into it signing that petition, while he held the opinion it would have been norrow minded hand he not done so, and then vote against the by-law if he thought proper. Sensible men cry shame. So goodby my friend, Mr. W., for the present. It is a long lane that has no turn. Sir, I remember when the Northern railway was constructed; its troubles; the second help it received. The Grand Trunk difficulties. The building of the Credit Valley railway—its receiving help the second time. The sumbmission of the first by-law for the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway. Mr. Wm. Lackie, the then Reeve of Artemesia, lost no opportunity, either in public or private, to persuade the ratepayers to give the bonus and secure the railroad. Let it be remembered that at that time there were a number of ratepayers who held the opinion that they need not tax themselves if they only waited awhile a railroad would come to them without cost. If the township officials had encouraged that feeling, the by-law would have been voted down, and no railroad constructed. Sir, how different of late, when we remember the bonfire on the street, made of barrels and oil, by way of rejoicing; the stamping of the feet and the tallyhoing at public meetings.—Some one is to blame, for if we would consider we will say we may do without our relations, but we cannot want the railroad, and if the cost is not too much, better for us to be friends with the Co., for they may remember us for good or they may remember us for ill. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your valuable space, I must not forget to tell you that my occupation is

A. FARMER.

Flesherton P. O., Jan. 25, 1880.

GOOD CATTLE AND BAD CATTLE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Permit me a small space in the columns of your valuable paper, to give some of my views and experience of the necessity of improving our stock of cattle in this part of the country. It is a well know fact, that we are far behind in that respect in this neighborhood, I see the necessity more and more every day of a change being made in that respect. It is very evident that we are far in the back ground in that line, and consequently it is detrimental to our interests. Mr. Editor, what is the reason we scarcely ever see any drovers going through this part of the country, buying cattle for the foreign markets? I think, sir, the reason is, we have not got the right quality of cattle they require, and as long as we pursue the course we are taking we never shall see them. It does not take these men long to find out where this sort is to be found. If we had the right sort, we would soon find purchasers for them, and at remunerative prices. Now, sir, in my travels and observations, I see a marked difference in the quality of cattle and the prices their owners receive for them, beside the quality of stock in this part and the price we receive for them. There is a great difference in one cross between a thorough bred bull and a common cow. Now, sir, there is no difficulty at all in getting from 4½ to 6 cents a pound, life weight, for well bred and well fed animals; whereas we cannot get more than half that price for the common scrubs, for all they may cost as much to raise and feed them as the better grades of cattle, or, indeed, I am sure it costs more to make them of an equal weight with the better quality. I have been on a tour through the township of St. Vincent recently. Now, sir, the people in that part of the country are alive to their own interests. If you could just see what they are doing in the line of breeding and feeding cattle.—As soon as they got the right quality of cattle, they were not long without the right men to buy them. They go through in the fall of the year, and buy up the cattle to be stall fed through the winter, and delivered in the spring at a certain time, and at so much per hundred, live weight. Now, sir, it does me good to go through their stables to see these fine cattle, lying snuffing and as warm in the month of January as in the month of June. Now, sir, I think it is quite time we were making a move in the right direction. I was thinking about purchasing a thorough-bred short-horn Durham bull and bring him into the neighborhood, if I could only get the requisite patronage for an animal of that sort; but if any other person wishes to purchase one, I would withdraw my intention, and I would guarantee them my patronage at fair remunerative charges, say $1 cash, $1.25 or $1.50 credit. Hoping that some one will move in the right direction, and that all intelligent farmers will support an enterprise of that kind, I suppose we might as well give the local butchers ... I think they would not ... the farmers move in that direction. I think they would rather see the country filled up with rough, scrubby cattle, just the sort no other man would think of buying for the foreign or better market, and by that means they would have every facility for getting what they wanted for just about nothing, and still sell it at a pretty big figure.

Yours respectfully,

JOHN FORD, Farmer,

Artemesia, Feb. 1st, 1881.

MARRIED.

CARSON—RICHARDSON.—On the 26th ult., by the Rev. Mr. McLaren, Presbyterian Minister, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James Carson, of Artemesia, to Miss Mary Ellen, eldest daughter of George Richardson, Esq., of Euprasia.

MOORE—HOPKINS.—On the 20th ult., by the Rev. J. H. Barkwell, B. A., at the Methodist Parsonage, Priceville, George Alex. Moore, Esq., to Miss Annah Hopkins, all of Glenelg.

DIED.

JONES.—Suddenly, after a few hours' illness, on Saturday, 29th ult., James Jones, Esq., of Artemesia, aged 78.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 4, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.02
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.28	"	0.29
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.75	"	6.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.10

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

THURSDAY, Feb. 3rd, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.07
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	"	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	5.50	"	5.70
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.39
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 80c to $1.00; Spring wheat 75c to $1.05; Barley 50c to 75c; Peas 55c to 59c; Oats 29c to 30c; Pork $5.75 to $6.25; Potatoes per bag 40c to 45c; Butter 16c to 18c; Eggs 15c to 18c.

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

TORONTO, Feb. 3, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush		$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring,	do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley,	do.	0 79	to	1 00
Oats,	do.	0 36	to	0 37
Peas,	do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye,	do.	0 80	to	0 80
Clover Seed	do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.		6 50	to	7 00
Beef, hind quarters		5 50	to	6 50
Beef, fore quarters		3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair		30	to	0 45
Fowls,	do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace		50	to	0 60
Geese, each		50	to	0 60
Turkeys		77	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls		12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy		20	to	0 21
Butter, store-packed		18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz		0 18	to	0 00
Eggs, packed		0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl		1 00	to	1 10
Potatoes, per bag		0 50	to	0 25
Onions, per bag		0 00	to	1 55
Hay		8 50	to	14 25

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FOR SALE.

OR TO RENT, that eligible property situate on Toronto Street, in the Village of Markdale, at present occupied by Mr. Graham, shoemaker. Possession immediately.

WM. BROWN,

Markdale Jan. 31, 1881. 21-3i

—VICTORIA—

BUCHU & UVA URSI

THE GREAT SPECIFIC FOR ALL DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS AND URINARY ORGANS.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar st. New York. 20-ly

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM

Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.

Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors Toronto.

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing two notes drawn in favor of John Patchard, of the Township of Euprasia and signed by George Hale, of the said Township of Euphrasia. Said Notes were dated some time in December, 1880, one for $30, due in October, 1881; and one for $40, due in February, 1882, payable at Blantyre P. O, in the said Township of Euphrasia, as I have not received value for the same.

GEORGE HALE.

Dated this 31st day of Jan'y, 1881 21-3i*

B B B

Burdock BLOOD Bitters

Burdock Healing Ointment should be used in connection with Burdock Blood Bitters for curing Ulcers, Abscesses, Fevers, Sores, &c. Price 25 cents per box. T. MILBURN & CO., Sole Agents, Toronto.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I would call Public attention to my

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY,

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at

RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; BASS'S PORTER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

Give me a call. A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by Dr. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,

Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Monteal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of epayment

OFFERED BY THE

BRITISH CANADIAN

LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE

LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

AND

British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED

Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES

—ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. P. S.—*Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

MARKDALE HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

PHOTOGRAPHS! 12 FOR $1.50

I WOULD again intimate to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that I am prepared to give you the

BEST SATISFACTION IN

PHOTOGRAPHS, AMBROTYPES,

COPYING AND

ENLARGING!

Please give me a call, and see for yourselves.

GALLERY, two doors from Revere Hotel.

R. BAILEY.

Markdale, Jan. 13, 1881. 18-3i

50,000 FEET OF

FIRST-CLASS MAPLE!

WANTED,

By the undersigned, for which $1 per Standard will be paid in cash, to be cut 14 feet long. Butternut and Cherry, $2.25 to $2.50 per Standard.

Good White Basswood,

25,000 Feet Wanted.

$1 per Standard for a good article. Paid on delivery.

JAMES CHAPMAN.

Markdale, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-2i

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business, lately carried on by Mr. S. Demude, begs to inform the public that he has

REMOVED TO THE BUILDING

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,

where he is prepared to furnish

ALL KINDS of HARNESS,

usually found in a

First-Class Establishment,

And at prices to suit the times, and by using

THE BEST OF MATERIAL

AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP,

hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

constantly on hand.

COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

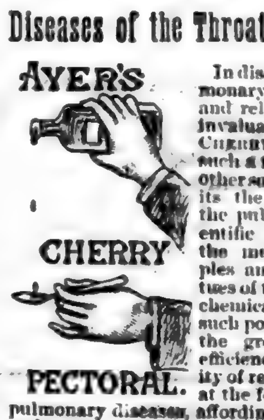
Call and satisfy yourselves. Remember the stand, the Drug Store in ...

J. GORDON.

THE BEST REMEDY

FOR

Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.



AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.

In diseases of the pulmonary organs a safe and reliable remedy is invaluable. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL is such a remedy, and no other so eminently merits the confidence of the public. It is a scientific combination of the medicinal principles and curative virtues of the finest drugs, chemically united, of such power as to insure the greatest possible efficiency and uniformity of results. It strikes at the foundation of all pulmonary diseases, affording prompt relief and rapid cures, and is adapted to patients of any age or either sex. Being very palatable, the youngest children take it readily. In ordinary Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Influenza, Clergyman's Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, and Catarrh, the effects of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL are magical, and multitudes are annually preserved from serious illness by its timely and faithful use. It should be kept at hand in every household for the protection it affords in sudden attacks. In Whooping-cough and Consumption there is no other remedy so efficacious, soothing, and helpful.

Low prices are inducements to try some of the many mixtures, or syrups, made of cheap and ineffective ingredients, now offered, which, as they contain no curative qualities, can afford only temporary relief, and are sure to deceive and disappoint the patient. Diseases of the throat and lungs demand active and effective treatment; and it is dangerous experimenting with unknown and cheap medicines, from the great liability that these diseases may, while so trifled with, become deeply seated or incurable. Use AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and you may confidently expect the best results. It is a standard medical preparation, of known and acknowledged curative power, and is as cheap as its careful preparation and fine ingredients will allow. Eminent physicians, knowing its composition, prescribe it in their practice. The test of half a century has proven its absolute certainty to cure all pulmonary complaints not already beyond the reach of human aid.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

PAY UP.

ALL parties indebted to Dr. T. ... by account ... are requested to call at the Medical Hall and pay ...

Markdale, Jan. 27, 1881. A. TURNER.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

... to inform the Public generally, that he has removed ...

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE AND SASH AND DOOR FAC...

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOINING THE FA...

... or a competent salesman ... and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to any ... and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest St...

and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and ...

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAI...

Also a Quantity of Good P...

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ET...

AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Applicat...

Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the ... Dar...

H. HOOP...

Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTE...

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Day...

Gents Over-Coats and Suits,

CHEA...

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS,

CHEA...

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothi...

CHEA...

Staple and Fancy Dry Goo...

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRIC...

BOOTS AND SHOE...

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUS...

m BROW...

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Y...

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that ... been a year of prosperity with the people of our C... and as others have prospered, we have been enab... participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially sinc... moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share o... patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Good...

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and S...

and a large ...

CHILDR...

OUR GROCERIE...

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,

NEW PRUNES,

NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our

TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOOD...

At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,

5,000 Telegraph Poles,

Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHER...

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

REMOVAL ... STRA ... ND DOOR FACTO ... Warerooms ... G ADJOINING THE FACTO ... Latest Sty ... OF GOOD ... Birch and ... ILL BE PAID ... Good Pin ... HOULDINGS, ETC., ... on Applicatio ... OFF! ... WINTER ... 30 Days ... Suits, ... CHEA ... Underclothin ... CHEA ... Dry Good ... PRICES ... SHOE ... BROWN ... New Ye ... Goods ... ERIES ... and Good. ... GOOD ... HERS

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Feb. 4th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

STEADY winter.

Snow is very dry.

SATURDAY last was a busy day.

Don't forget the masquerade on [illegible]k to-night.

Owen Sound town Council met [illegible] evening last.

There are twenty-seven prisoners in Owen Sound gaol at present.

The best and cheapest machine coal oil, go to Haskett Bros.

Snow shovels are in demand, but not used as much as they might [illegible].

Some time the the Tam O'Shanters [are] going out of date. The very [illegible] are wearing them.

[We] heard of several of the school [childr]en having had their hands and [feet] slightly frozen on Tuesday last.

[One] dose of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam [will re]lieve a Cough so promptly as to con[vince] the most sceptical of its merits as a [Throat] and Lung healer; it is the great [remedy] for all Pulmonary complaints tend[ing towa]rds Consumption. The safest, most [pleasa]nt, best and cheapest Cough cure. For sale by all dealers in medicine.

[JAM]ES OATES' cold snap was again [on ti]me, the thermometer standing at [20 be]low zero at 7 a. m. on Tuesday [illegible].

[Ask] your dealers for "Castorine" [machi]ne oil, and see that the barrel [is br]anded "Castorine," as none other [is ge]nuine.

The County of Dufferin was duly [establ]ished on Saturday and the [Coun]ty Council met at Orangeville [on T]uesday.

[Bri]ng us a cord and a quarter of [goo]d dry two foot wood, or one and a [half] green, and you can have the [STA]NDARD for a year.

VALENTINES, VALENTINES.—All sizes, [style]s and prices, suitable for persons [of al]l ages, colors, and sexes, at the [Medic]al Hall, Turner & Co.

[MANU]FACTURERS of reapers, mowers [and th]reshing machines, prefer "Cas[torin]e" machine oil to any other, it [will n]ot wear lard, seal, or elephant, [and i]s warranted not to gum. Sold [by H]askett Bros. only.

[VIT]AL STATISTICS.—The following [have] been registered with Mr. W. J. [Bell]amy, Township Clerk of Arte[mes]ia, to whom we are indebted for [the] report, for the past year:—Births, [illegible] Marriages, 12; Deaths, 13.

[Stop] that cough! you can do it speedily, [safe]ly and surely with Hagyard's Pectoral [Bals]am. Now is the season to guard against [it]. If you want to prevent consumption [neglec]t not the most trifling symptoms. [Hagy]ard's Pectoral Balsam will never fail. It cures Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, [Whoo]ping-cough and all allied pulmonary com[plain]ts. Obtain it of your druggist.

[M]R. A. S. Irving, who two years [ago] was foreman in C. Watt's foundry, [and] on leaving Collingwood the [othe]r day to take a position in a shop [in] Detroit was presented by his shop[mat]es with an address and a hand[som]e gold signet ring.—*Monitor.*

[M]ost of our subscribers, who have [made] arrangements to pay their sub[scrip]tions to the STANDARD in wood, [will] oblige us by bringing it in now [whil]e the roads are good. We are in [need] of wood and a few cords now [woul]d be just as acceptable as the [illegible].

[O]N the night of Jan. 1st while skat[ing] on the Priceville rink, Mr. [illegible] [Sim]pson, slipped and broke his leg, [whi]ch was attended by Dr. Ghent. [He] was able to walk unaided in two [wee]ks. The very successful issue of [the] cure reflects great credit on the [sur]geon in attendance.—*Grey Review.*

YELLOW Oil is unsurpassed for the [cure] of Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Frost [Bite]s, Wounds and Chilblains. No [oth]er medicine required in the house[hold]. It is for internal as well as ex[tern]al use. Every bottle is guaranteed [to] give satisfaction. All [illegible] [dea]lers sell it.

THE annual meeting [of the] Agricultur[al] Society of the N[orth] Riding [of Gr]ey was held at Owen Sound on the [illegible]th ult. when the following officers [wer]e duly elected for the year 1881:—[Pre]sident, Wm. Thompson; Vice [Pre]sident, John Douglass; 2nd Vice [Pre]sident, Jas. Cochrane; Secretary, [illegible] Gordon; T[reasurer] S. J. Park [illegible] Directors, W[illegible] [illegible]s, J. Thompson, [illegible] [Go]rdon, A. Frost.

THE Steam Hay Press of Messrs. [illegible] & Beatty, commenced operations [in] the barn of Mar[illegible] Esq., [o]n Tuesday last. T[illegible] [illegible] tons of hay to [illegible] [illegible]ge. It requires about [illegible] hands [to] manage the machine. It [illegible] [illegible]ing for the country [illegible] [d]emand has taken place, as it [illegible] [m]eans of cleaning out the overplus [illegible] [illegible] that was throughout the country, leav[ing] in its place that which is much [mo]re easily handled—cash.

ACCIDENT.—A serious accident oc[cu]rred on Friday morning last, the [illegible]th ult., at Mr. Jas. Chapman's saw [m]ill. It appears that Mr. Samuel [M]artin went to put the belt on the [pu]lley of the large circular saw, when [hi]s mitt caught between the belt and [th]e pulley, giving him a sudden jerk, [wh]ich threw him on the saw, result[in]g in the loss of all the toes on the [ri]ght foot and mangling the left foot [t]o a considerable extent. Dr. Carter's [o]ffice being close at hand he was im[m]ediately taken there by his fellow [w]orkmen. The Doctor, with the as[si]stance of Dr. McGregor, of Chats[w]orth, dressed the right foot, but [f]ound it necessary to remove the big [to]e and part of the foot on the [l]eft leg. The patient, at the present [t]ime of writing, is progressing favor[a]bly.

THE weather up to Monday even[in]g, though somewhat stormy, was [n]ot very cold. On the above evening, [h]owever, the thermometer commenced [a] retrograde movement and on Tues[da]y morning it marked 10 below zero. [It r]ised through the day and at 4 it [illegible] 2 below, from that hour it [sa]nk rapidly, at 6 p. m. marking 10 [b]elow, and at 7 a. m. Wednesday the [m]ercury was down to 20. Fortunate[l]y there was no wind, otherwise we [f]ear we should have had to record a [g]ood many casualities arising there[f]rom. We give below a register of the [s]tate of the weather during Tuesday [a]nd Wednesday. The minus mark [si]gnifying below zero:

	7 a. m.	12 m.	6 p. m.
Tuesday,	—10	—2	—10
Wednesday,	—20	—5	—10

VERY SHARP.

ROADS badly cut up [illegible].

CHEAP JOHN is around again.

A BRANCH of the Land League has been established in Toronto.

HASKETT Bros keeps the largest and best stock of stoves in the county.

F. C. STEWART, Esq., was elected the first Warden for the County of Dufferin.

A NUMBER of our towns men are laying in their stock of ice for next summer.

MR. Blake's amendment to the Pacific Railway contract was defeated on Wednesday morning by a majority of eighty-six.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted. For sale by Haskett Bros. only.

BURDOCK Blood Bitters cures Scrofula and all humors of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and the Bowels at the same time, while it allays nervous irritation and tones up the debilitated system. It cures humors from a pimple to the worst form of Scrofula. For sale by all dealers. Sample bottle 10 cents, regular size $1.00.

SCHOOL BOOKS.—All modern authorized text books for public schools, regularly in stock, at the Medical Hall, A. Turner & Co.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, make it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

COOL.—James Struthers, Esq., of Euphrasia, informed us, that on rising on Wednesday morning just as day was dawning, his thermometer, which hangs on the north side of his house, registered 34 below zero. How is that for *low*?

ON Thursday of last week a young man named Jacob Loughead, while chopping in Mr. T. W. Vanderburgh's bush was struck on the head by a falling limb and rendered insensible for some time. A very deep and long wound was cut in his head from which the blood flowed freely.—*Monitor.*

THE Orangeville Council has supplented the reward of $400 offered by Mr. J. Lindsay by offering a reward of $500 for the apprehension and conviction of the person who set fire to that gentleman's granary at the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway station on Sunday morning last.

THE Anniversary of the Meaford Road Union Sabbath School, will be held in the Frame Church, on Tuesday, the 8th inst. Tea served to children, from three p. m. to five; to adults from five to seven p. m. Progamme will consist of Recitations, Dialogues, Speeches and Music.

FIRE IN ORANGEVILLE.—On Sunday morning the 30th ult., about four o'clock a fire broke out in Lindsay's grain elevator, which was totally consumed with 20,000 bushels of grain. Mr. Lindsay is insured in the Hartford and Royal Insurance Companies, but the amount is not yet know. Supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

THE following are the newly appointed officials for the County of Dufferin as far as we have learned:—Mr. Thos Bowles, Mono Road, Sheriff; Wm. McKim, West Wellington, Registrar; John McLaren, Mount Forest, Clerk County Court; J. P. McMillan, Orangeville, County Crown Attorney; Alex. Sutherland, Barrie, Govornor of Jail. Clerks of Division Court not yet appointed.

THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST for February has been received, and as usual is replete with information for the agriculturist, horticulturist, gardener, and the home circle, no one should be without it. Remember, this very valuable magazine can be had in connection with the STANDARD for *only one dollar*; without the STANDARD $1.50 per annum. Subscriptions received at this office.

YELLOW Oil is the most deservedly popular remedy in the market for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Sprains, Bruises, Frost Bites, Sore Throat, Lame Back, Contraction of the Muscles, Croup, Quinsey, and every variety of Pain, Lameness, or Inflammation. For internal as well as external use. Yellow Oil will never fail you. Sold by all dealers in [medicine].

THE minutes of Artemesia Council would have appeared in the STANDARD last week, had the mail in which they came been on time. But the mail did not arrive until about dark and our space was by that time taken up, hence they had to lay over. The Clerk wrote us stating he would have forwarded them at an earlier date had [illegible].

A TEA-MEETING at Town Line Methodist Church was held on 28th ult. The attendance large; the eatables excellent; music by the Markdale choir, choice; proceeds about $30, applied [illegible]. Everything passed off pleasantly, and those that were there say they would like to go again. The minister and his lady left their photograph in a snow bank at Burton's [illegible] coming home.

THE concert at Berkeley on Friday evening the 28th ult., was (considering the state of the roads) a success. Those who entertained the audience with music &c., did no discredit to themselves. Miss Sargent of Williamsford, and Miss Douglass of Markdale, were the candidates nominated to cut the cake, a canvas took place at once and resulted in the election of Miss Sargent by a majority of two; after which it was cut and disposed of. We did not learn the exact amount of the proceeds.

BURDOCK Blood Bitters is the only medicine that acts upon the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and the Bowels at the same time, while it allays nervous irritation, and tones up the debilitated system. It cures all humors from an ordinary pimple to the worst form of Scrofula. For sale by all dealers. Sample bottle 10c., regular size $1.00

IN the first terrible winter spent by the Pilgrims at Plymouth, in Massachusetts, the seeds of pulmonary diseases were planted, and took deep root in families which became the progenitors of thousands of the American people. The prevalence of consumption, thus early developed, directed the attention of the most eminent physicians and scientific men to an investigation of its cause and the means of prevention and cure. The best results of professional studies on this subject are combined in Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, which is now recognized as the world's remedy for coughs, colds, consumption and other diseases of the throat and lungs. We believe it to be absolutely certain in its remedial effect. It is a safe, pleasant and reliable remedy, and if kept on hand in every household, will prove in many cases of colds, coughs, &c., a means of preventing more serious results.—*Richmond, Va., Religious Herald.*

AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds for sale.

Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-1y

Wm. Lucas & Co., BANKERS,

MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTERE T AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.

September, 1880. 2-y

VETERINARY.

J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*

HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER, Claim Agent.

Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVER AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS —IN— Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-1y

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

THE Subscriber in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Varietv of Other Cakes.

always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN, Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed —AT— LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their [illegible] wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies, WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS, HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS, HARROW AND *All kinds of Farming Implements*

Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

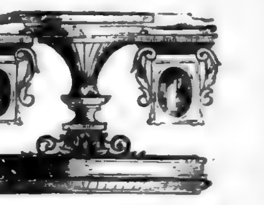
I MEAN BUSINESS, AND WILL *Sell Lower than the Lowest,*

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

GRANT & CHELLEW, MARKDALE,



Cabinet Makers, —AND— UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture! ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nav. 18, 1880. 1o

FOR SALE IN ARTEMESIA;

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY, Bentinck, Durham P. O.

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries, BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!

In the County at

McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots

To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your AXES at McFARLAND'S. Those $2.50 MANTLES selling fast. New DRESS GOODS at McFarland's. New FLANNELS at McFarland's. New SHAWLS at McFarland's. New BONNETS and HATS at McFarland's. New TWEEDS at McFarland's. New CARPETS at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers. **Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.**

W. J. McFARLAND, IMPORTER, Markdale.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received sin commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward busines with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.
ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.
HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.
BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.
GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns
GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Bloch opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

September 21st, 1880.

THE PLACE TO BUY WATCHES — Over $400 worth sold in the last month — LADIES' BEAUTIFUL Gold Hunting Watches From $16 up WARRANTED — Silver Watches, VERY LOW. — A Time Piece To Suit All, AT W. F. DOLL'S, FLESHERTON and DUNDALK

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done

DONE WITHOUT DELAY, AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the witer.

N. CAMPBELL.

Flesherton, December 15, 1880 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-p

R. J. SPROULE, FLESHERTON.

Whilst wishing al[l]

A Merry Christmas and a very [Happy New Y]ear, And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tender[ing] his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which [illegible] the past; for, whilst it is the general cry [illegible] dull times, it has been *taxing our utmost abili[ty]* [illegible] with our *rapid increase in business,* as I find, b[y] [illegible] my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, [illegible] rally have

ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING [ONE].

In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Classware, AND Fancy Holiday Presents!

ALSO

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of

Millinery, Furs, AND LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,

Ever shown in this Norther Country.

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE

LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!

For any Quantity of good Crain or FARM PRODUCE.,

And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of my large and complete stock of

Fall and Winter Dry Goods, MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING, Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and MILLINERY,

And will continue to sell at a

Very Small Advance on Cost!

Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R. J. SPROULE'S, FLESHERTON.

Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

The Ice.

Now the men are on the ice—
Crystal ice—
And they fill up all their houses in a trice.
How they giggle, giggle, giggle,
In the frozen air of day,
While the mercury runs lower
And their saws go never slower,
But up and down alway,
Like the stocks, stocks, stocks,
Or like Jacky-in-the box,
Through the crystal congelation that hides the ponds so nice
With the ice, ice, ice,
Ice, ice, ice,
Through the frozen aqua pura, through the ice.

In the summer, oh, how nice,
Cooling ice!
On the table what a blessing is a slice,
In the heated air of noon,
When the butter sinks in swoon
And the water is lukewarm
And hard to drink,
And the flies about you swarm
Like the chickens on the newly planted farm!
Oh, to think,
As you hear the sound so nice
Of the cart all drip, drip, dripping with the ice,
Once or twice
That the price
Does not pinch you like a vise.
A dollar for a slice
No thicker than the liquor
Of the ice, ice, ice,
Ice, ice!
Oh, the ice cream! oh, the cobbler! oh, the ice!

THE PARSON'S OATH.

BY MRS. HENRY WOOD.

CHAPTER I. CONTINUED.

The evening grew late, and Mary Brown sat on, in Regina's lodgings, shivering and trembling. [illegible]

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[illegible] sort of convenience to ourselves. When we find that anybody will take care of us, that we are not compelled to earn our own bread, it is surprising and humiliating to think, how many of us will consent, under various pretexts and for specious causes, to be indirectly, if not directly, dependent.

The thing is continually exemplified in men who wed rich women. They may be very independent in disposition; they may declare that they will never touch a dollar of their wives' property; they may proclaim that they will bear the entire expenses of their home. But, unless they be themselves wealthy, or have an exceptionally large income, they will fail of their high purpose. They may for a while execute their intent, but it cannot be for long. They will eventually compromise with their proper pride and share their wives' fortune, growing indifferent by degrees to the proportion that they receive.

If a woman earns but little—a few hundred dollars, say—barely enough to meet certain extraordinary expenses, or to use in charity, it is very much as if she should earn nothing. But when her earnings equal, or nearly equal, her husband's, particularly when they exceed those, a very unfavourable influence is pretty certain to be felt and a marked interior change to occur. Except he be very different from his kind, he will steadily, perhaps insensibly, lessen his exertion until his calling, whatever it be, becomes more nominal than real. As his earnings decrease his power of self-deception will increase. He will be likely to discover that it is more profitable to look after the wife's business than to attend to his own. He will degenerate in due time into her agent, and flatter himself that, but for his counsel, wisdom, and managing talent, she would be able to do nothing. He is constrained for her interest, indeed for their mutual interest, to withdraw measurably from his affairs to insure the prosperity of hers. He may not deceive himself by this transparent fallacy, but he strives to deceive others by it, and to such end expresses it constantly. When a man is willing to play second financial violin to his wife's first, there is no chance of his ever leading an orchestra of any kind.

There are men entirely virile, of ample pride and sensibility, who marry women for no better reason than love, when these already have a vocation they are averse to relinquishing. They may be actresses, musicians, writers, physicians, painters, teachers, and so deeply interested in their employment that it would seem unjust, if not cruel, to demand that they should give it up. So long as the husband can earn more than his wife, so long even as they earn nearly the same amount, they may jog on smoothly. But when his earnings, from any cause, fall below hers, there must be a shock to his self-esteem that he cannot wholly resist. It may not be from any fault or remissness of his, it may be the result of uncontrollable circumstance. Nevertheless, it marks the date of his discontent, which is well-nigh certain to increase in geometrical ratio. He is apt to grow peevish and bitter—the man who dislikes himself seldom likes anybody else—finally, so morbid and misanthropic that he will, unless remarkably strong, seek relief in dissipation. If he drink, drink will soon so abase him that he will loose all sense of shame from his peculiar position. He will not care whether he earns anything; he will surrender morally and abjectly; he will allow himself to be supported by a woman's wages; he will be, in the worst sense, a petticoat pensioner, and lose the power of blushing.

Not a few husbands of this sorry sort have grown to be sots; others have kept sober, but have sunk out of notice; others, again—and these are the luckiest, perhaps—have terminated their own lives. If the inner history of the divorce courts could be ascertained, the cause of many separations would be found to be the superior earnings of wives. It is doubtful, even if a right-minded man could be tranquil under the transfer of financial protency and authority to a woman, whether she can ever completely respect in her inmost heart the man who has permitted her to usurp his proper function. Generally speaking, it is as much the business of a man to earn the money needed for a household as it is for a woman to furnish its children, and when he neglects or shirks that business [illegible]

The Cub Bear's Delight.

(From the Little Rock Gazette.)

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[illegible] much obliged to the collector if he could only give the young man something to do—some light work, such as watchman—as he was in need, and his health would not admit of exposure. Collector Tutton was exceedingly pleased to see Dr. Paddock. Mr. Tutton's rector at Downington and Dr. Paddock were, in fact, well acquainted, and Mr. Tutton talked freely of Downington's spiritual needs. To the reverend gentleman he explained that no reliance could be placed on the recommendations of politicians, while a minister's endorsement was nearly always a safe guide. The sham clergyman got quite shaky when Mr. Tutton touched on Downington matters, but soon switched off the conversation and avoided embarassment. It is now disclosed that "Shoey" Miller, who was mixed up in the bogus naturalization business, and was sentenced to two years' imprisonment in the Eastern penitentiary, personated Rev. Dr. Paddock, and was a party to the job. The young man recommended by him was appointed and made a watchman. By a strange coincidence the young fellow was assigned to that end of the building where the sub-treasury is located. For weeks he was attentive to his duty, but all this time he was gathering points and familiarizing himself with every part of the building, and with all the persons employed in it. These facts were made known to the gang, of which he was a member, and some of the confederates visited the place to learn the by-ways.

The robbers exhibited no undue haste in moving upon their prey, but waited until the time when the quarterly interest on the United States bonds fell due. They knew that large sums of money were stored in the vaults. On Sunday morning it was discovered that a hold had been made in the side of the custom-house wall, large enough to admit of the passage of a man's body through it. A closer examination revealed the fact that this led directly into the vault. The place had been cleaned out, but the robbers had been fooled. In this apartment were stored the pennies and small coins. Next to it, and with only the thickness of a few bricks, was the huge pile of interest money. It has been presumed that the thieves believed they had struck bags of gold, and that in the darkness they merely felt of them to learn whether they were coin or not, and immediately passed them out to their confederates to carry to a place of safety. Instead of going further, the job was, for some reason, abandoned at this time, and after an outlay of thousands of dollars the burglars captured but a couple of hundred dollars' worth of pennies. It is thought that daylight came too fast for them, and they were compelled to vacate the premises, which was a good thing for the government.

George Eliot's Life.

THE INSANITY OF HER HUSBAND, MR. CROSS—A LETTER FROM HERBERT SPENCER.

The notices of the London press upon the death of George Eliot add little to what has been said here. The *Examiner* tells of the insanity of her husband, of which no previous public mention has been made. It says:

"It seems but little more than a year since we lost George Henry Lewes, her first and most trusted counselor and companion, and hardly a twelve-month since the world learned with, perhaps, some degree of surprise, that she had married a gentleman of the stock exchange named Cross. While they were on their wedding trip—it is no use now to conceal the sad facts—he lost control over himself at Venice, and threw himself from the balcony of their residence. Happily, the sea, and not the ground, received him, and he survived, but only to be placed in a *maison de sante*. Bravely Mrs. Cross set herself to face her now doubly lonely life, but the struggle, not surpassed in intensity by that of any of her heroines, did not last long, and she has now gone, at the age of 60, to the rest that must have come to her as a relief."

The following letter from Herbert Spencer was published in the London *News*:—"Though, as one among those intimate friends most shocked by her sudden death, I would willingly keep silence, I feel that I can not allow to pass a serious error contained in your biographical notice of George Eliot. A positive form is there given to the belief which has been long current that I had much to do with her education. There is not the slightest foundation for this belief. Our friendship did not commence until 1851, a date several years later than the publication of her translation of Strauss, and when she was already distinguished by that breadth of culture and universality of power which have since made her known to all the world."

The *Standard* gives some reminiscences of her early literary life. "For twenty years," it says, "the name of George Eliot has been before the public. 'Adam Bede' was published in 1859, and the only clue to its authorship was the announcement on the title page that it came from the same pen as the 'Scenes of Clerical Life,' which had previously appeared in *Blackwood's Magazine*. Several claimants to the honour of its production presented themselves. Such impostors are the common-places of literary history. Sir Walter Scott was asked by an acquaintance to congratulate him on his identity with the 'Great Unknown' who had written 'Waverley.' The master-pieces of Akenside, Sheridan, and Thompson were appropriated by Grub street highwaymen. Hood had some difficulty in establishing the fact that he wrote 'The Song of the Shirt,' and more recently there were three candidates in the field for the laurels which belonged to Mrs. Lynn Linton as the author of 'Joshua Davidson.' The pretender in the case of 'Adam Bede,' whom it ultimately became necessary for Messrs. Blackwood to expose, was a Mr. Joseph Liggins, of Nuneaton. Strangely enough he had his supporters, and a Warwickshire clergyman declared that in his part of the world every one not only knew that Mr. Liggins was the creator of 'Adam Bede,' but could identify perfectly well the chief characters. It was not for some little time afterward that the name of George Eliot became generally known, and it was still later that it transpired that the owner of the *nom de plume* was a lady."

A NEVADA miner who nearly starved to death, had nothing to eat for three weeks but snow. Pshaw! we've known people to live on snow all winter. Livery stable men with sleighs to hire at $5 an hour, will live through the summer on the last snow.

A Strange Story.

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Nearly fourteen years ago the people of the State of Arkansas teemed with the gossip of the mysterious disappearance of the wife of Robert d'Ossel, a wealthy planter, who, at that time, lived on his plantation on Arkansas river. The lady dropped out of sight and hearing as suddenly and unaccountably as if the earth had opened and swallowed her up, leaving no trace behind. Search was made everywhere, but without avail, and it was at last given up, and the theory that she had flung herself into the river gained general belief. Why she should take her life was a mystery. She had a comfortable and luxurious home, an indulgent husband, and everything that makes life enjoyable. Though a beauty, she never went into society, preferring, so she said, to shine exclusively in the domestic circle. She was childless. People envied her, but she didn't seem to care. Her whole life was centred upon one object, and that was her husband, whom she idolized. After her disappearance he married again, installing as mistress of his heart and home a fair young bride. But it began to be whispered about that the old plantation house was haunted. One old darkey had seen the ghost of the planter's first wife walking up and down the lane; another had seen the same object standing motionless in the centre of the dining-room, looking white and ghastly; strange noises had also been heard; groans and sighs awakened one servant or another at midnight, and the spirit of the dead and gone lady seemed to fill all space. Perhaps it was this which caused the planter to dispose of the property at a sacrifice. At any rate he sold out, and, with his bride, went away. Some said he forthwith returned to France; others that he left for Canada; but, as he took no one into his confidence on this point, none knew positively, and the talk about his prospective destination was nothing more than idle conjecture.

The new proprietor didn't believe in ghosts or in any sort of disembodied spirits. He moved into the house and set about making a good many improvements, not only upon it, but also upon the plantation. He cut trenches, built fences, felled forests of oak and pine, erected additional buildings; in short, changed or rather checked the advance of decay and dilapidation. Last week, in cleaning out a well, the water of which had not been used for some years, a strange object was brought to light. It was a human skeleton, evidently that of a woman. How it had come there none could tell. But the ghastly "find" revived the speculations concerning the mysterious fate of the missing wife of the former owner of the plantation, and it was readily divined that this grisly, loathsome skeleton was all that remained to tell the story of her doom. But how did she come there? Did she, in a fit of madness thus seek death? or had she been murdered, and her body flung into that dark abyss with the hope of hiding the crime? These are questions which agitate people in the vicinity, and to which no satisfactory answer can be found. All or nearly all the actors in the strange scene have disappeared. D'Ossel is no one knows where. His second wife did not figure in it to any great extent, and besides she went away with him. The servants are scattered and some of them dead. Those who are now living in the neighbourhood believe that d'Ossel murdered his wife, having grown weary of her. In support of this theory they recount numberless conversations which they overheard in which he threatened her life, he at the same time being drunk and desperate. They say, further, that his wife was slightly insane, not so much so however as to attract attention or be troublesome, but enough to make her an incubus upon such a man as d'Ossel. They assert, now since her bones have been properly interred, her spirit will no more wander about the old house where she spent so many happy hours, and where (if their story is just) she was so foully murdered. The case is a strange one and is something seldom developed—something which, when trying to decide whether it be murder or suicide, must raise a train of ugly doubts and vain surmises in the strongest mind.

A Fencing Fiend.

Imagine, if you can, says a Paris correspondent, and English newspaper office being converted into a fencing-saloon, and, if you are able to stretch your fancy thus far, you will nevertheless fail to form any idea of the scene presented recently in the house of the Rue Drouot, built for the printing and publishing of *Le Figaro*. It was announced a short time ago that a certain Baron di San Malato, the most redoutable swordsman of Italy, and who had acquired a notoriety as a fast man about Florence, intended to exhibit his prowess in Paris. The *Figaro* accordingly offered to him the hospitality of its house, for the purpose of giving a private assault of arms, to which an exceedingly small number of invitations were issued, these being restricted to the best swordsmen of the metropolis and the writers on the paper. The publishing office is of itself worth a visit, and it is especiallly interesting to English journalists by reason of its being utterly unlike any establishment of the kind in Britain. It consists of a large and lofty hall, open to the roof, and surrounded by a gallery running round the first floor, similar to that which is to be seen in many an English country house. The walls are adorned with admirably frescoes, depicting episodes of the plays of Beaumarchais, of which Figaro is the hero, and the polychromatic ornamentation is gorgeous in the extreme. Rich panoplies of arms are fixed against the walls of the ante-rooms, and on the staircases are big vases, containing handsome plants. The decoration of the central hall is completed by pictures of the royal personages who have been guests of the staff of the *Figaro*, the prince of Wales occupying the place of honour in the middle. A low platform was put down along the centre of the hall, and here the Baron di San Malato pitted himself against M. Merignac, the first professor of Paris. The Italian appeared with a foil of a peculiar description, the handle of which he held between his first and second fingers, and he wore boots, which are here never donned in the fencing-room, but are reserved for dueling purposes. He exhibited extraordinary suppleness in his movements, and assumed attitudes which, effective though they would be on the stage, would be dangerous "upon the ground." It was amusing to contrast the wild gestures, the foot-stamping, and the defiant cries of the Italian with the calm, quiet, unassuming bearing of his French antagonist. But it soon became evident in whose hands the mastery would remain, and, after a bout which lasted more than half an hour, M. Merignac scored eleven "palpable hits," against one very doubtful touch of the Baron di San Malato. One of the most curious aspects of the evening was the intense excitement exhibited by the few spectators, who were almost all adepts in the brilliant art.

In Luck.

A pretty story is being told, says the Springfield *Republican*, about one of Springfield's attractive girls, a "round and rosy" creature of many accomplishments. As the gossip runs, she was hurrying to take a train, tripped and so gracefully recovered herself as to win the admiration of a very substantial-looking old gentleman. He assisted the young woman on the train and to a seat beside himself. Conversation flowed pleasantly and acquaintance ripened fast. On parting at a station not many miles west of this city the couple exchanged addresses. The old gentleman proved to be a wealthy Chicago merchant, who opened a correspondence with our heroine. She apparently wrote as agreeably as she talked. Letters winged their way faster between the city by the river and the city on the lake. Then came a proposition—not of marriage, but that the worthy son of the susceptible parent be admitted to the correspondence. The father gradually drew out of the field, and the son more than made his place good. Do you guess it? Yes, in the fullness of time, or rather in a very little while, came an offer of marriage. It was accepted. Three souls are happy, a brilliant wedding and luxurious home are in prospect, and the railroad officials have been greatly puzzled of late by the number of Springfield girls who come stumbling, with more or less grace, aboard trains bound for the great and glorious west.

"Yes, I am going to skate," he answered, as his teeth rattled together, and his ear stood out like [illegible] on the rink at the park, like sheet-iron medals. "They tried to stuff me with a story, but I won't take it." "Did one freeze to death?" "Now, come to find out about it, he just froze his ears and nose and fingers and toes, and the rest of his body wasn't touched at all! They can't scare me with any of their tales of horror!"

Paying Cash.

"How was trade last year?"
"Oh, first-rate."
"Got stuck much?"
"Well, we had to charge up about a thousand dollars to the 'D. B.' account, but will make it up out of you cash customers this year."

The foregoing conversation occurred in a city grocery store. The grocer meant all he said when he replied that the dead beat account would have to be made good by cash customers. All merchants intend to make the men who pays cash responsible for the debts of those who do not pay at all. This has come to be generally understood, and the wonder is that cash has not rebelled against it.

Any retail dealer can buy closer with cash than with credit. The closer he buys the greater are his profits. Money put down on his counter gives him a chance to discount his paper, meet his notes and pay current expenses. Charges on the book mean cash next month, or the month after, or next year. Cash asks no favours except to be waited upon. Credit must have a bookkeeper, a collector and a lawyer. If a retail dealer in groceries asks the price of starch, he is told that he can have it so much on credit, or so much for spot cash. If the consumer asks the price of the retailer, it is one price to Cash Down or Dead Beat.

The more one thinks this matter over the more he realizes the force of the remark of a prominent Western financier, who lately observed: "The man who pays cash when he can get credit is a foot." And so say we all. If Dead Beat is to have the same price as Cash Down, with an additional advantage of sixty-six days time—which means ninety in nineteen cases out of twenty—why do any of us pay cash? Why not all take credit?

We know of several city firms who have long realized the injustice of making cash pay credit's debts. They have said that it was all wrong, but they could not see how a change could be made. They would not say to customers: "This is so much for cash down, and so much if you want credit." That plan would be offensive, but there are others. Suppose a grocer should adopt the rule of handing back to every cash customer five per cent. of the purchase? If Cash bought $5 worth of goods his rebate would be twenty-five cents. If Credit bought $5 worth, he should have the same price but no rebate. Cash would be encouraged, and Credit would only be paying for the favor, the same as he would have to if he borrowed the money. Let any grocer now doing a half-cash, half-credit business, put this plan in operation and his cash customers would increase faster than he dreams of. Scores who now ask for credit would turn about and pay cash. It is simply adopting the plan of the wholesalers. It is no experiment with them, and would not long be with retailers. Cash has preference and advantage everywhere and in all cases except buying at retail. It must be accorded an advantage there. If retailers refuse, then a citizen who pays cash when he can secure time is indeed a fool. Credit should be made the same business transaction in a grocery that it is in a bank, and cash should be appreciated in a dry-goods store the same as in dealing with jobbers.

Only a Dog.

We were all crying, every one of us. Father declared it was smoke that had got into *his* eyes and made them smart; but mother threw her apron over her head and sat rocking and sobbing for ten minutes. Phœbe and I just threw ourselves down on the floor by poor Leo, and I took his dear old shaggy head in my lap, and the hot tears dropped one by one; and Phœbe petted his poor old stiff ears and smoothed out his thin, gray hairs; and then we took off the old brass collar that was marked all over with hieroglyphics that we had scratched with pins in the proud days when he first wore it; then we cried again, and just then in walked Squire Toots, and he didn't seem to know what to do when he saw us all so distressed; he looked at us and then at Leo; then he took out his handkerchief and gave his nose a real Sunday school blowing, and said kind of huskily:

"Why it's wicked to feel so bad. Anybody d' spose it was a pusson; 'taint only a dog!"

That just made us all feel worse. There wasn't any Heaven for him to go to, and we knew we never could see him again, and we couldn't remember any life without Leo, we were such little tots when he came to us, and he had been one of the family all the time. Father used to lecture him just as he did us children. "Where did I see you to day, sir?" he would say, "Over at Mr. Mason's, associating with that dog that steals! Shame!" And then Leo would whine, and pretty soon father would say, "Go to bed, sir!" and he'd sneak off to his box in the back shed and lay awake all night to protect us while we slept, and he never once in over fourteen years was forgetful of his trust—and he was "only a dog."

Only a dog! Why, was there ever a time that we went racing home from school that Leo hadn't met us half-way to race with us and do all sorts of funny tricks at our bidding, and how proud we had always been of him with his handsome stately presence and superior manners, and how safe we felt to hear his deep-chested bark as we went to sleep.

Well, death had found him sure enough, and we buried him out in the grove in a little hollow, where he loved to lie on hot summer days, and there will be no resurrection for him, though there will be for the vilest thief he kept from our doors; but none the less, in looking over his honest, blameless life, in which he was never faithless to any, even the smallest trust, I dare apply to him the Master's meed of praise, "Well done, good and faithful servant;" though, as Squire Toots said, "He was only a dog."

A Romance of British High Life.

Many years ago, says the *Toronto Globe*, a young man made his appearence in Stratford, and passed a few weeks at the tavern which then existed to afford shelter to stage coach travelers. Whence he came, and what was his business, none could guess. Directly opposite the tavern stood the small cottage and forge of a blacksmith named Folsom. He had a daughter who was the beauty of this village, and it was her fortune to captive the heart of the young stranger. He told his love, said he was traveling *incog*; but, in confidence, gave her his real name, saying that he was heir to a large fortune. She returned his love, and they were married a few weeks after. The stranger told his wife that he must visit New Orleans. He did so, and the gossips of the town made the young wife unhappy by disagreeable hints and jeers. In a few months the husband returned; but before a week had elapsed he received a large budget of letters, and told his wife that he must at once return to England, and must go alone. He took his departure, and the gossips had another glorious opportunity to make confiding women wretched. To all but herself it was a clear case of disertion. The wife became a mother, and for two years lived on in silence and hope. By the end of that time a letter was received by the Stratford beauty from her husband, directing her to go at once to New York with her child, taking nothing with her but the clothes she wore, and embark in a ship for a home in England. On her arrival in New York she found a vessel splendidly furnished with every convenience and luxury for her comfort, and two servants ready to obey every wish that she might express. The ship duly arrived in England, and the Stratford girl became mistress of a mansion, and, as the wife of a baronet, was saluted by the aristocracy as Lady Samuel Stirling. On the death of her husband, many years ago, the Stratford boy succeeded to the title and wealth of his father; and in the last edition of "Peerage and Baronetage," he is spoken of as the issue of "Miss Folsom, of Stratford, North America."

The Baroness Burdett-Coutts to Contest the Duchess of St. Alban's Will.

(From the London World.)

It seems to be taken for granted that the provision known as the forfeiture clause in the will of Harriet, Duchess of St. Albans, will, on the approaching marriage of Baroness Burdett-Coutts and Mr. Ashmead Bartlett, be allowed to take effect without remonstrance, and that the property therein indicated will pass to other persons. I am assured that this belief is wholly without foundation. The opinion of high legal authorities on the subject has been taken, and every effort will be made to prevent a forfeiture arising from a legal accident which was not contemplated by the Duchess, and which would be oppressive and unjust in its operation. The appeal in favor of her retaining that fortune, hitherto dispensed with such thoughtful generosity, will undoubtedly be carried to the highest legal tribunal.

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Another year [illegible]
A new Year [illegible]
To [illegible]
[illegible]

It [illegible] with solemn [illegible]
And whispers of the [illegible]
And bending low it [illegible]
"How spent, the [illegible]

"Where is the record [illegible]
Where is the ledger, kept [illegible]
How has the book been [illegible]
What statement [illegible]

I open it, and turn the [illegible]
And pondering page by [illegible]
Here, on the first, its [illegible]
It needs no [illegible]

The next is fairly [illegible]
And even a wish for [illegible]
How without prayer [illegible]
Will such wish [illegible]

Here is a page bears [illegible]
Written with firmest [illegible]
No surface-reading critic [illegible]
Finds fault with [illegible]

What stands upon this [illegible]
Scarce the calligraphy I [illegible]
Ah! I remember! [illegible]
The light burned low. [illegible]

But what now follows? [illegible]
I turn the pages o'er and o'er [illegible]
Each after each contains [illegible]
And nothing more!

Ah! here at last, a well-[illegible]
Its lines in full, traced [illegible]
through;
Yes must contain some [illegible]
Some good in you.

And is it so? Ah no! ah no!
I find of earth, what's earthly [illegible]
Earth's joys, earth's pleasures [illegible]
renown,
On you appear.

I read its lengthy-worded [illegible]
Its boast—what "I" have [illegible]
How shall I on its pompous [illegible]
Strike balance true?

No! Close the book and seal it [illegible]
Anew I dare not through it go;
The lesson which it well has [illegible]
By heart I know!

Could we but blot out of our lives [illegible]
The days and hours we've spent [illegible]
How easily might be [illegible]
What would remain?

And if our years for Him were [illegible]
Doing His work—His work [illegible]
We need not fear the "B[illegible]
When life is done!

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

LORD CHIEF JUSTICE COCKBURN [illegible] a bachelor, but always [illegible] £4,000; Chief Baron Kelly, [illegible] married and leaves children, [illegible] and Lord Justice Thesiger, who [illegible] but childless, and only half the [illegible] other two, left £80,000.

JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL'S eyes have clear blue and gray tones, [illegible] dark mottlings. In [illegible] strongly indicative of his moods. [illegible] ed upon study they are [illegible] ing: in ordinary conversation they are [illegible] and cherry, but in moments of [illegible] they become very lustrous.

VICTOR HUGO has been further [illegible] the placing on the house at [illegible] he was born, Feb. 26, 1802, a [illegible] scribed with his name and birth [illegible] letters, surrounded by gilt laurels [illegible] go promised to attend the [illegible] his honor, but at the last moment [illegible] cuse.

THE first person of prominence [illegible] fashion, now so prevalent among English people, of wintering on the [illegible] the Mediterranean, was Lord [illegible] who took up his abode at Cannes [illegible] years ago, and was the means of [illegible] advantage as a winter resort into [illegible] Mediterranean shore may now [illegible] lined with the villas of rich Britons [illegible] number has steadily increased. [illegible] able that Ruffini's charming [illegible] Antonio," helped to assist the [illegible] Besides these residences on the [illegible] nean numbers of other Englishmen [illegible] country seats in other land. Sir [illegible] Dilke has a beautiful retreat near [illegible] Sir Robert Peel one on the Lake of [illegible] Lord Salisbury owns the Chalet [illegible] Dieppe; Lady Holland has a [illegible] Naples, and a millionaire Briton [illegible] lovely place where Queen Victoria [illegible] spent some days on the Lake of [illegible] our own continent, twenty years [illegible] similar movement will probably [illegible] southward, and Florida will [illegible] atial cottages as Newport.

ALONG with the news that [illegible] yachtsmen are taking an unusual [illegible] the cup won at Cowes in 1851 by [illegible] ica, comes the information that the [illegible] been thoroughly overhauled. She [illegible] ed the other day from Duffy's [illegible] at Boston. In speaking of her [illegible] ments, her commander, Capt. [illegible] a Boston branch pilot and a deep-sea [illegible] gator of celebrity, said: "The [illegible] been rebuilt from four strakes below [illegible] ter line with new top timbers and [illegible] hackmatack, and ceiling and [illegible] low pine. The fastenings are of [illegible] vanized iron, and locust treenails. [illegible] deck there are four large staterooms [illegible] four berths. All has been finished [illegible] with polished mahogany trimmings [illegible] now the same spars as when [illegible] against the Madeleine in 1876, two [illegible] from Sandy Hook and back for the [illegible] Cup. In order to remedy a [illegible] America has of running herself [illegible] and setting aft, all the time [illegible] like a Virginia fence, she has been [illegible] with an overhang of six and [illegible] Capt. Reid adds that he intends [illegible] out in racing trim early the [illegible] son.

EXCEPT an Irish landlord, says the *World*, no member of the peerage [illegible] be pitied than Lord Airlie. For [illegible] years past he has been [illegible] the career of a clever adventurer, [illegible] been pleased to adopt the name of [illegible] son, Lord Ogilvy, and, under [illegible] tion, to run up debts, forge bills, [illegible] dle people generally in all parts of [illegible] The number of applications which [illegible] lie has received for "payment of [illegible] count" from tradesmen, who [illegible] were trusting his son and heir, [illegible] credible. These bills come in [illegible] shower from all parts of the [illegible] the United States; and although [illegible] tices and warnings of all kinds [illegible] launched at the head of the [illegible] once or twice he has actually been [illegible] yet, after a short time, he is [illegible] found at his old tricks again, and [illegible] Airlie is obliged once more to [illegible] phalanx of clamorous tradesmen [illegible] have been duped and robbed. [illegible] was ever trusted half so much [illegible] one one. His manner are said [illegible] tinguished," his personal appearance [illegible] tractive, and with the fair sex [illegible] been a great hit. Meanwhile the [illegible] Ogilvy is always with his [illegible] Tenth Hussars, in India, and [illegible] such a good time of it as his [illegible]

THE Duke of Richmond enjoys [illegible] tary pension of £19,000 per annum. [illegible] Charles II. granted to the Duke of [illegible] and his heirs 1s. per chaldron on all [illegible] ported from the River Tyne and [illegible] England. This duty was received [illegible] Dukes of Richmond until 1778, when [illegible] exchanged for £19,000 per annum [illegible] upon the Consolidated Fund. By [illegible] statute, in 1801 £444,611, [illegible] £146,194 14s., and in 1834 £[illegible] 6d., were invested, in the name of [illegible] in Three per Cent. Consols in order [illegible] er these pensions. The Duke of [illegible] still receives a direct pension, [illegible] granted by Charles II., and a [illegible] sion granted by the same [illegible] deemed in 1856 for £193,777, [illegible] in addition to all this, Charles gr[illegible] Duke's ancestor and to his heirs [illegible] butlerage of wines through [illegible] butlerage being the King's right [illegible] to his own use, and at his own [illegible] much of all merchandise belonging [illegible] chant strangers out of every ship, [illegible] the same as he had occasion for. [illegible] the then Duke of Grafton [illegible] right for a perpetual annuity [illegible] chargeable upon the Consolidated [illegible] 1806, £135,563, 18s. 5d. where[illegible] purchase Consols in the name of [illegible] meet this charge. The main object [illegible] copious investments seems to [illegible] conceal from public observation the [illegible] that are received by the holders [illegible] title of Richmond and of Grafton [illegible] to evade awkward inquiries as to [illegible] ancestors did to entitle them and [illegible] terity to three handsome pensions.

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Neustadt, Grey Co., Ont.

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DYSPEPSIA AND KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

Westport, Jan. 29, 1879.

DEAR SIR:—I have been suffering for years with Dyspepsia and Indigestion and Kidney Complaint, and have tried a great many remedies, but without effect. I became very bad and could not leave my bed. I sent to your Agent, William Dier, for a bottle of your *Indian Blood Syrup*, and I do not hesitate to say that it saved my life. I am completely cured and feel like a new man. Last week my son was taken sick with severe Headache, and a few doses of your valuable medicine cured him.

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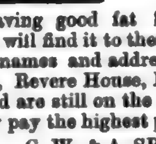

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A Thrilling Sketch.

A Lady's Account of An Indian Attack

One warm day in August, upon the bank of the muddy Colorado, we children were lazily sitting about on the ground. One sister was stringing beads taken from an old moccasin, and most of the men were sleeping under the wagons through the heat of the afternoon. There was a great stillness upon everything, save for the children's chatter, and a heat rose from the ground that smote the eyes. Suddenly there was a dreadful scream, echoed, re-echoed, multiplied; then another, and another, as when one strikes the hand upon the mouth, till in one second of the time the air seemed rent and torn with yells. In just that second the close chapparal had become black with Indians, who had crawled, serpent-like, on hands and knees, till, right upon us, in concert they could leap into sight. They wore cloths upon their loins, and had some feathers wound in their hair, with hideous paint glowing on cheek and breast. I gazed in dumb amazement, benumbed with surprise, and then I think I awoke to the excitement of the occasion. The women and children, through an air thick with flying arrows, were marshalled into one covered wagon, and there my mother wrapped us all round with feather beds, blankets and comforters. I do not think I was frightened, not because of any precocity of courage, but because of a wild excitement that filled me. I half leaned upon the knee of my sister. She said she was conscious of no pain, she felt no sudden pang, but something warm seemed running down her side, and, looking down, she saw an arrow which had pierced her flesh and protruded its flinty head from the wound. "Mother," she exclaimed, "I am shot," and fainted. My mother, the women whose spirit never failed her in this or the dreadful trials which succeded this disasterous fight, put forth her hand and drew the arrow backward through the wound. It was while thus supporting the head of the girl she supposed dying, it somehow became known to her that her husband was lying quite dead and filled with arrows under the great cotton-wood tree round which the camp was made. It was but a few moments more till one of the men spoke from the front of the wagon. Said he: "Our ammunition is given out and we do not know but it may come to a hand-to-hand fight. Get out the knives you have in the bed of the wagon." Through the backward march which followed it was even the women who rose superior to suffering and to danger. The men lost courage, hope and spirit, but the women never. A few moments after the demand for the knives, a Methodist preacher, who had seized my father's rifle, aimed at the chief with the dinner bell depending from his belt, and saw him fall. In five minutes not an Indian was to be seen, the living dragged with them the dead as they went. In the meantime, under cover of the fight, our great herd of cattle had been made to swim the river, and were safely corraled in the Mojave villages.

The Abuse of Trees.

A VIGOROUS PROTEST FROM THOMAS HUGHES AGAINST FOREST DESECRATION.

(Tennessee Letter to London Spectator.)

There are few more interesting experiences than a ride through these southern forests. The scrub is so low and thin that you can almost always see away for long distances among pine, white oak and chestnut trees; and every now and then at ridges where the timber is thin, or where a clump of trees has been ruthlessly "girdled" and the bare, gaunt skeletons only remain standing, you may catch glimpses of mountain ranges of different shades of blue and green, stretching far away to the horizon. You can't live many days up here without getting to love the trees even more, I think, than we do in well-kempt England; and this outrage of "girdling," as they call it—stripping the bark from the lower part of the trunk, so that the trees wither and die as they stand—strikes one as a kind of household cruelty, as if a man should cut off or disfigure all his wife's hair. If he wants a tree for lumber or firewood, very good. He should have it. But he should cut it down like a man and take it clean away for some reasonable use, not leave it as a scarecrow to bear witness of his recklessness and laziness. Happily not much mischief of this kind has been done yet in the neighbourhood of Rugby, and a stop will now be put to the wretched practice. There is another, too, almost as ghastly, but which, no doubt, has more to be said for it. At least half of the largest pines alongside of the sandy tracks which do duty for roads have a long, gaping wound in their sides, about a yard from the ground. This was the native way of collecting turpentine, which oozed down and accumulated at the bottom of the gash; but I rejoice to say it no longer pays, and the custom is in disuse. It must be suppressed altogether, but carefully and gently. It seems that, if not persisted in too long, the poor, dear, long suffering trees will close up their wound, and not be much the worse; so I trust that many of the scored pines, springing 40 or 50 feet in the air before throwing out a branch, which I passed in sorrow and anger on my first long ride, may yet outlive those who outraged them. Having got rid of my spleen, excited by those two diabolic customs, I can return to our ride, which had otherwise nothing but delight in it.

STEAM POWER.—The combined force of the steam-engines of the world is estimated at 46,000,000 horse power. This is considered equal to about twice the available working power of the entire human population of the globe.

Sonnets.

BY JOHN GREENLEAF WHITTIER.

REQUIREMENT.

We live by Faith; but Faith is not the slave
Of text and legend. Reason's voice and God's,
Nature's and Duty's never are at odds.
What asks our Father of His children save
Justice and mercy and humility,
A reasonable service of good deeds,
Pure living, tenderness to human needs,
Reverence and trust, and prayer for light to see
The Master's footprints in our daily ways?
No knotted scourge, nor sacrificial knife,
But the calm beauty of an ordered life
Whose very breathing is unworded praise—
A life that stands, as all true lives have stood,
Fast rooted in the faith that God is Good.

HELP.

Dream not, O soul! that easy is the task
Thus set before thee. If it proves, at length,
As well it may, beyond thy natural strength,
Doubt not, despair not. As a child may ask
A father, pray the Everlasting Good
For light and guidance 'midst the subtle snares
Of sin, thick-planted in life's thoroughfares,
For spiritual nerve and moral hardihood,
Still listening 'midst the noises round about
Of time and sense, the Inward-speaking Word,
Bitter in blame, sweet in approval heard,
Piercing the tumult of the world without;
To health of soul a voice to cheer and please,
To guilt the wrath of the Eumenides!

UTTERANCE.

But what avail inadequate words to touch
The innermost of Truth? Shall I essay,
Blinded and weak, to point and lead the way,
Or grasp a theme for angels overmuch?
Yet if it be that something not my own,
Some shadows of the Thought to which our schemes
And creeds and rituals are uncertain dreams,
Is even to my unworthiness made known,
I may not hide what yet I scarcely dare
To utter, lest on doubtful lips of mine
The real seem false, the fitness less divine.
So through the pauses of an inward prayer,
I owe the faith which seems the simple truth
At evening time, as in the dawn of youth.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Fashion Notes.

Spanish lace, beaded with gold, will be worn.

None but foreigners and provincials go to masked balls in Paris.

Golden nomie-cloth forms part of very handsome satin evening dresses.

Shirring is used to excess whenever the material is satin for ball dresses.

White satin with gold brocade is a fashionable choice for trained ball dresses.

Fancy-coloured, embroidered, and open drawn-worked table-linen is all the rage.

Cream, ecru, and buff cloths are most in favour for luncheon and breakfast tables.

The small cuff fitting inside the sleeve is at present the only style that will sell.

Pink tulle, trimmed with hollyberries without leaves, is a new fancy for ball toilets.

Dark-red hollyberries are very effective on simple tarlatan dresses of pure white.

A great deal of skill is expended at present upon paper knives and paper folders.

So much lace is worn now-a-days that a lady's lace box is rather an imposing structure.

Pretty trifles, holiday presents, are sleeve buttons and scarfpins, hand-painted on pearl, after the manner of costly dress buttons.

A Parisian fancy is for brown tulle ball dresses, trimmed with pink roses and buds.

Gold and amber fringes and embroideries appear on many handsome evening dresses.

Flowers have been excluded from winter bonnets, and feathers have taken their place.

Paris, at the present moment, has a craze for old brocades, old-stuffs, and old embroideries.

Tea caddies, with decorations in coloured alloys, becomes things of beauty as well as of use.

Floral decorations for ball dresses are made brilliant with golden stamens, pistils, and tendrils.

Dull, coppery-looking silver is in higher favour for table use than that which retains its natural colour.

The entire corsage of golden nomie-cloth is frequently worn with gold-embroidered and decorated satin skirts.

Artistic embroidery in colours and the open pattern of drawn-work ornament the finest table-linen this winter.

A pink veil is bad, a speckled veil is worse, and a pink speckled veil has happily been compared to the scarlet fever.

White or pale-tinted satins, brocaded with gold, form the trains of dresses intended for occasions of great ceremony.

It is the fashion now for ladies to decorate the silk lining of hoods with hand-painted flowers, roses, tulips, pansies and the like.

Gold trimmings in the form of embroideries, gold beads, fringes, tassels, and braids, are used on heavy white satin for ball dresses.

The silk and satin pincushions prepared for Christmas gifts are embroidered or painted. They are too handsome to be used for pins.

Gypsy bonnets, with long brims in front tapering to almost nothing in the back, bid fair to take the place of the Fachon or bebe bonnets.

One train to a gown is as much as most ladies can manage, but two trains, like those on a recent wedding dress in Paris, must have a tendency to collide.

Some of the new collarettes have bows, behind which a small woman is so absolutely hidden that she appears to be simply an appendage of the bow.

Jersey walking jackets of diagonal cloth come in black and various dark shades for promenade and carriage wear. They are pretty when perfectly fitted to the form.

On some of the napkins the outline figures are embroidered in groups representing Chinese tea-drinking scenes, or else cups and saucers that show the familiar willow design.

Hats are large and rather heavy, though they are exceedingly picturesque in the majority of instances. Long ostrich plumes are the principal trimmings of the several shapes worn.

This illustration represents the "Diana" basque made of ocean blue plush, to complete a short costume of plush and brocaded satin. The collar, cuffs, and revers are of blue satin brocaded in two shades. The basque is closed with two rows of enameled Watteau buttons. Shirred guimpe of India muslin edged with lace in the neck, and plaitings to match in the sleeves.

Arsenic Eating.

"Do you see that lady?" said a prominent chemist of Cleveland to a reporter of *The Leader*. "As sure as the sun will rise tomorrow, so surely will that woman die prematurely, in a few years, by a slow but certain self-destruction."

The scene was on Superior street, and the lady in question was standing on the sidewalk, waiting for one of the cars. The afternoon sun shone full upon her, dress and tout ensemble marked her as wealthy and refined, and her face was beautiful, but about the large gray eyes there was a wearied, troubled expression, and the marble face was almost death-like in its palor. The skin was translucent, showing the delicate blue veins beneath. It was perfectly pure and clear, but unnatural. Accepting an invitation to step into the chemist's labratory, the reporter was soon seated in a spacious room surrounded by thousands of bottles of all shapes and sizes, and the conversation turned again on the woman seen on the street.

"That lady," said the chemist seriously, "is an arsenic eater. Few have any idea how the deadly habit is spreading. Even in this city it numbers its devotees by hundreds, and the husband who prides himself on his wife's beautiful complexion, the father who presses the forehead of his daughter, and the lover who is proud of, while he is anxious about the transparent complexion of his sweetheart, never dreams for a moment that it is an unnatural effect produced by the use of a poison which would sooner or later destroy life. I am not telling this for sensation; it is a terrible truth, and I could sit down and write off a list of five hundred names of ladies who are in the habit of using this drug regularly. I could startle this city by telling it that women of many of its best families are committing a slow suicide. A practical chemist can tell at a glance a person addicted to this vice, and it has been my custom for years past to note down the persons I meet who have the mark of the arsenic habit upon them. If I were to show you that list you would be astonished."

"How is the drug usually taken?"

"Sometimes pure, in minute doses, but generally in the form of Fowler's solution. For the first few months, maybe in some cases for a year, little or no effects ensue, but after that time the beautiful pallor which you have seen is produced. After a few years the woman begins to feel her health giving way, and decides to discontinue its use. Alas, it is too late! The face changes to a livid red; every one notices it, and in despair she returns to the same course, and receives the congratulations of her friends on her restored health. After some years, however, the face gradually changes from the clear color of alabaster to a dull, ghastly complexion like chalk; the whole system, saturated with this mineral, gives way, and usually death mercifully ends a life of paralysis. Such has been the history of many of our wives and daughters, and unless the strong arm of the law steps in and puts stringent rules on the sale of this poison, it will be the history of the present rising generation.

High Heels.

A London doctor has been protesting in the *Lancet* against the fashionable, high-heeled shoes of women. He says: I have at present under my care two serious cases of "sprained ankle," solely arising from their use. The parties tripped, and, loosing their balance, were unable to recover themselves without falling, which in the one resulted in partial disability. Again, about a month since, I was consulted respecting a young lady, aged 16, whose parents were greatly alarmed at a supposed spinal affection, under which they believed their daughter to be suffering. I ordered the boots she generally wore to be brought to me, and found the heels raised two inches, tapering to the size of a shilling, and, to make matters worse, instead of corresponding to the situation of the natural heel, they were situated immediately under the arch of the foot. I recommended rest in the horizontal position for two or three days, and shoes with half-inch heels, of the breadth of the natural heel, and the toes broad in proportion, to be substituted for those previously worn. The cure was complete. No nausea, no weariness, no pain or discomfort, after a four-mile walk, have been experienced since. In walking under the previous condition every intention of nature—anatomically speaking—was fusterated, and the symptoms complained of precisely those to be expected. Not only were the firmness of step and ease in walking lost, through the natural spring and muscular action of the foot being destroyed, but every muscle whose tendons extended to the foot must have been abnormally strained, the upright position of the body preserved under difficulties, and the centre of gravity and adjacent nerve-centers seriously irritated—a state of things which, I need not tell my professional brethren, if perpetuated from youth to womanhood, must inevitably end in permanent mischief of some kind; and the sooner the voice of the profession is raised against such an absurd and pernicious practice, the better.

Woman Suffrage.

The agitation for woman suffrage is kept warm in England. Four great meetings of Englishwomen have been held during the last ten months, the first in February at Manchester, the second in May at London, the third early in November at Bristol, and the fourth at the close of the same month at Nottingham. At the last meeting Mrs. Lucas, sister of John Bright, presided, and Miss Helen Taylor, moved the adoption of a memorial to Mr. Gladstone; showing "that there are over 500,000 rate-payers in the united kingdom deprived of the power of voting in the election of members of parliament, on the sole ground that they are women. That this exclusion is directly opposed to the fundamental principle of representative government, and, therefore, unjust to such rate-payers. That the exclusion of women rate-payers from the exercise of the parliamentary vote deprives women of that free expression of opinion which is the only guaranty of liberty in the state. Wherefore, your memoralists pray that a measure may be introduced by her majesty's ministers to extend the parliamentary franchise to women rate-payers and land-owners in boroughs and counties.

A Paris Romance.

Near Paris a peasant girl was deserted by her lover, who had promised to marry. Some time afterward he called and found her washing clothes in the garden, near a well. They had been chatting a while, when suddenly the girl, as if by accident, dropped a cloth in the well, and exhibited great grief over the loss of it. Her companion volunteered to lean over in the well and fish the garment out: but while he was so engaged the girl caught him by the legs and threw him in. In reply to his cries, she told him if he would promise to marry her she would pull him out. He promised, but no sooner was he out than he brought a suit against her for trying to murder him. Then at last he withdrew it and married her.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

It is the fear of things which never happen that causes half the misery from which we suffer.

There is nothing in the world more beautiful or more helpful than a faithful friend, and nothing more difficult to find.

It is a great pity that some people grow bitter as they grow old. It seems as though the more teeth they lose the more they want to bite.

There is nothing as strong as habit. It is told of a physician, who always demanded payment on the spot, that he was so particular that when he prescribed for himself he used to take a guinea out of one pocket and put it into another.

There can be no possible harm in a good natured laugh. Indeed, it is just as truly a duty to look for the pleasant side of life, and while looking to laugh at the rollicking humor which it sometimes displays, as it is to see its more serious and sombre side. The man who honestly believes that he is always walking through a vale of tears either has the dyspepsia or else has got hold of the wrong end of religious conviction. The poet says:—

This life is not all sunshine,
Nor is it yet all showers;
But storms and calms alternate,
As thorns among the flowers.
And while we seek the roses,
The thorns full oft we scan;
Still let us, though they wound us,
Be happy as we can.

LORD LORNE'S brother, Lord Walter Campbell, who studied business in this city with the agents of Messrs. Rathbone of Liverpool, a few years ago, and subsequently entered a firm of bankers in London, is reported to have failed some months ago.

Life in the Tyrol.

CHAMOIS AND BLACK COCK HUNTING—MARRIAGES AMONG PEASANTS.

Corinthia (Austria) Cor. Chicago Times.)

In the secluded valleys of the Austrian Tyrol, as this region is sometimes called, the sports and recreations of the people are in strict accordance with the spirit of by-gone days which characterizes the stanch old race dwelling in the recesses of these almost inaccessible mountains. Living in a country lying between two of the lowest passes of the Alps, which formed the chief highways between civilized Italy and rough Germany, and constantly crossed by victorious or defeated armies marching to or returning from Italy, they have preserved a sturdy, warlike spirit, fostered by their tradititional and steadfast attachment to the ruling house of Hapsburg. The gentry and superior class of peasantry and mountaineers are very fond of target-shooting, which almost invariably follows their weddings, dances and merry-makings, which usually continue throughout the day and night. The targets are placed at a distance of about two hundred yards, and consist of a fixed bull's-eye and rings, a figure of a deer at rest and a "running stag." This consists of the wooden figure of a stag, rigged up by means of a huge pendulum in such a manner that when loosened it darts across an open space eight feet in width, between tall and dense bushes. The pace at which this imitation stag traveled was about equal to a living specimen in full flight, and the target set, over the region of the heart, must be hit while it passes this space, a momentous feat, considering the speed with which the object passes; but I have seen it done several times in succession by these expert riflemen.

A LOVE OF THE CHASE

seems inherent to this hardy people. I have already given a description of stag and chamois hunting, and limited sport is furnished to the intrepid hunter by several varieties of game birds. Among these are the black cock and the golden eagle. The black cock (*tetrao tetrix*) belongs to the grouse species, and the sport requires great hardihood and patience, and an accurate knowledge of his peculiarities. Like the pinnated grouse of the prairies, he is polygamous; but, unlike them, is shot during the pairing season, the hens being carefully spared. The descriptions the hunters give of the love-sick bird strutting and gambolling around the base of a tree for the edification of the hens who crowd around their lord and master are ludicrous in the extreme. His lone song, which consists of three distinct notes repeated constantly at more or less regular intervals, is frequently his ruin, for in the midst of his ecstacies, during the execution of the third note, he is insensible to danger, and becomes an easy prey to the rifle of the expert huntsman. Of course, if you adopt the English idea of sport you can build a miniature hut or blind of bushes in the course of the day, close to the tree selected by the jealous old cock for his morning song, patiently await the advent of the game, and then murder him in cold blood. But this is far different from the genuine sport, where foot and hand, eye and ear, are on the alert to take advantage of any indiscretion of your quick-witted opponent. It is a contest between the acute intellect of the featherless biped and the keen instinct of his feathered prototype. The golden eagle (*aquila chrysaetos*), the tiger of his race, is occasionally seen circling around his eyrie among the lofty crags, and his young are sometimes captured by the intrepied hunter. They are of immense size, sometimes measuring eight feet from tip to tip of the wings, and are the greatest foes of the chamois and roe buck, as well as the farmer's stock of young pigs, kids and lambs. I had the pleasurable excitement of seeing one of these rapacious birds carrying off a young chamois, which he had swooped down upon with resistless fury, and by the mere force of the concussion hurled down the abyss, at the brink of which it happened to be feeding. Several times the great weight of the prey obliged him to loosen his hold upon it while circling at a terrible height over ravine and peak. As it fell the eagle darted after it, and catching it in his claws, and sinking thirty or forty feet by the mere impetuosity of his downward flight, he spread his mighty wings to their widest extent and resumed his circling ascent, with his prey firmly clutched in his strong talons.

THE WEDDINGS OF THE PEASANTRY

are solemnized in the chapel, after the usual form of the Catholic Church, but there are some observances connected with them which have a character of their own. One of these consists of presentation of money to the newly-married couple by each person, be it man, woman, or child, present at the wedding. The gifts are received by the godmother of the bride, the mother never being permitted to be present at any part of her daughter's wedding. The name of the donor and the amount of the gift is carefully noted down by a brother or other relation of the bride, and when the giver marries he expects the exact amount of his gift to be returned by the bridegroom. The gift is never less than two florins, about one dollar, one of which is to pay for the supper. Sometimes articles of household furniture are presented, and in some remote valleys the custom still exists of each of the discarded lovers of the bride presenting her with a cradle. Thus, a rustic belle who has for a series of years held her court in her summer palace, the Alp hut, will sometimes find a half dozen of rough cradles at the front door on the morning after the wedding. But the most comical feature of all occurs when guest after guest stands forth and in rough, improvised rhyme and song, accuse the bride or bridegroom of any questionable incidents in their lives, and tells tales of former sins, accompanied by much laughter and shouting. They are usually assembled at the house of the "wirth," or landlord of the village, and dance the day and night away, fortified by copious potations of beer and numerous huge dishes of "speck," bacon; "knodels," balls of dough fried in lard, and "schmarn," flour, water, butter and salt. The dance is the universal valse, varied by an occasional independent "hoe-down," by some of the strapping fellows, who perform some strange gymnastics. I have seen one suddenly spring up from the floor and drop with a thud upon his knees, and then with folded arms throw his head back and strike the hard boards with three or four sounding raps, and then regain his feet with a sudden spring, without touching the floor with his hands—a feat that many an athlete of repute could not imitate. All this time their buxom partners are circling round the room alone, coquettishly spreading out their short but ample skirts, and encouraging their partners to still greater exertions. The music is generally a trombone, sax horn and flute, frequently accompanied by the "zither," which to many cultivated ears is the most charming musical instrument in existence.

In some districts of the Alps

A PECULIAR LAW

of inheritance prevails, by which the eldest son of the peasant succeeds to the ownership of the few acres of land possessed by the father, encumbered by a mortgage to each of his brothers. If he can not, by dint of the greatest economy and care, pay off mortgage after mortgage, his property is sold and his children become paupers. The girls are provided for by little savings of the parents and themselves. The opportunities for acquiring wealth are few indeed, still we find an occasional peasant owning a pretty piece of land with a comfortable house and well built and roomy barns built of stone: and, perhaps even the little church in their immediate vicinity. Formerly a municipal regulation in many rural districts compelled a man desirous of entering into the holy bonds of matrimony to prove a certain income, and also be the owner of a house or a homestead of some kind, before the license was granted. Very recently only has the Austrian Government annulled this law, presumably from the fact that this restriction causes a low state of morality among the solitary young people of the distant peaks and glens of this picturesque country.

Altogether, the inhabitants of these secluded regions afford interesting means of philosophic study, far superior to those afforded the tourist by the porter, speaking imperfect English, at the average hotel recommended by the guide book.

[illegible] Prince, Past and Present.

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The Prince of Monaco was the relentless [illegible]. His fathers, indeed, had chastised the people with whips, but Prince Honore chastised them with scorpions. Among other ingenious devices, [illegible], the Prince discovered a new mode of exaction called the monopoly of cereals. He made himself the sole miller and confectioner of his dominions. Every one must eat the Prince's bread, and pay the Prince's price for it. Any person, Monegasque or foreigner, who bought or eat of any unauthorized flour was punished by fine and imprisonment. To make matters worse, the Prince's corn was not only dear, but also bad, the cheapest and vilest sweepings of the Genoese, and Marseillais markets. Travelers passing through the country must leave their sandwiches at the Prince's Custom-house; and workmen coming to their daily work from beyond the borders could not carry their humble luncheon in their pockets, to the prejudice of our lord the Prince, his crown and dignity. The skipper of some little fishing bark who brought a few remaining loaves from Nice or Bordighera into the harbor unconsumed was liable to have his vessel confiscated and be fined a round sum of money into the bargain. Every baker had to keep a register of the amount of bread purchased by each family; and if the consumption seemed under the average, the Prince's gendarmes made a quiet domiciliary visit in search of a hidden barrel suspected to contain contraband flour. The poor wretch found guilty of eating untaxed bread went to prison and his children to the dogs. Similarly, Honore V. had a monopoly of education. He established a college at Mentone, and promulgated a law that no one but his own Professors could keep a school or give private lessons within the Principality. Moreover, he instituted a complicated cattle tax, in accordance with which every peasant had to register at once the birth and sex of every calf or lamb, on the day of its arrival, and upon stamped paper, out of which, of course, the Prince turned another honest penny. If the creature died, the fact must be notified to the Police, or else the family were held to have sold it outside the boundary line, without the knowledge and to the great damage of our sovereign lord. By these and many like petty exactions, Honore V. managed to pocket in 25 years (says M. Adolph Joanne) no less a plum than 6,000,000f.—a very reasonable remuneration for the arduous task of governing 6,000 souls. Had the office been submitted to public competition by open tender, no doubt many a respectable provincial Mayor would gladly have undertaken all the duties for a round sum of 200f. a year. Prince Florestan, his successor, was compelled to abolish the corn monopoly, but still stuck to the other princely abuses. Accordingly, in 1848, as I have already mentioned, the better half of his dominions, including Mentone and Roccabruna, declared themselves independent, and so remained till the French annexation of Nice. At that period his Highness of Monaco, always ready to look at every political change in a commercial spirit, sold to the Emperor his shadowy feudal rights over his revolted lieges for another lump sum of £160,000. Moreover, he obtained leave to open his gaming tables at the Cassino, and so prepared the way for his present magnificent fortune. A private person who should make a living by keeping roulette-tables would not be looked upon with favor in general society, but as Prince Florestan is a crowned head, and the descendant of so many respectable hereditary plunderers, with a pedigree reaching back to a land pirate of the tenth century, we must not be guilty of *scandalum magnatum* by calling him ugly names. So we will leave the poor blind old man unmolested in his great white roomy palace, haunted only by the ghosts of the ruined men who blow their brains out at Monte Carlo, after losing their last napoleon, at the appalling rate of some dozen per annum. Monaco is a beautiful little domain, but still I would not like to stand in the Prince's shoes.

Russian Sample-Rooms.

(London Globe.)

The enemies of licensed victualers in England should, if they desire a few hours' sincere gratification, take a trip to St. Petersburg, where the *kabacs*, or small taverns, are dealt with in a high-handed way quite peculiar to the dominions of the czar. These places of entertainment had, as the *Molva* explains, immensely increased in Russia until about six years ago, when the authorities suddenly resolved to take them in hand. Between that time and this they have accordingly diminished the number from 1,100 to 181, a result which speaks volumes as to the sanctity of vested interests in the Russian official mind. But with the reduction in number of those houses came a result which was not quite so gratifying in a pecuniary as in an ethical point of view. The army of drunkards which offended the eyes of moralists in the capital of Holy Russia, did certainly dwindle in a most undeniable style. But then the excise receipts in the treasury fell off also in like proportion, and during the last three years at least the minister of finance has not been exactly in a position to acquiesce very cheerfully in such a loss of revenue. Consequently, as the *kabacs* vanished, the small hotels multiplied in a corresponding ratio, and the lovers of strong drinks were also encouraged by finding a quantity of new retail stores where they might buy their favorite potations, and carry them off to be discussed at home. The *kabac*, thus persecuted and driven out of the field, threatens to become before long a rather rare relic of the past, and it may in future time be interesting to remember what were its distinguished peculiarities. The principal articles sold at the counter there are bottles of beer, which cost from 4d to 5d each, "measures" of eau-de-vie, containing as much as three liqueur glasses, and costing 3½d; and in the way of eatables nothing more epicurean than bread and salt. This frugality is not the result of any unwillingness on the part of the tavern-keepers to encourage the idleness of eating, but is imposed upon them by an order of the government. Another rule which is exactly opposed to the policy of our English law is that no *kabac* may provide its guests with seats. This restriction is, however, evaded by the simple process of sitting on the floor, while the prohibition as to selling food is frustrated by the presence of costermongers and basket-carriers, who hang about the doors and provide the drinkers with various delicacies, in the shape of herrings, onions, butter, eggs, and potatoes.

Wheat-Growing.

Mr. Mechi, the celebrated English Agriculturist, who died last December, writing to the *Mark Lane Express*, said, those who have witnessed his wheat crops during the last thirty years must be convinced that on poorest soils, such as his, great wheat crops can be profitably grown, under the needful conditions, one of them being selected seed; and this he obtained in all his cereal crops by a powerful blower, which, being used after the ordinary dressing machine, leaves only the heaviest and most powerful kernels. After doing this, one is surprised at the large number of imperfect corns that have been blown out. He has grown his largest crop of wheat, over seven quarters per acre, on several occasions on those portions of the field sown, or rather dibbled, with one peck per acre, on kernel in each dibble hole. Wheat crops require a very highly fertilized soil, for, owing to its root formation, Liebig tells us, that in order to produce one full wheat crop, there must be within reach of the roots, the manure elements of 100 wheat crops.

Again he says, quoting Liebeg, although the land is not sufficiently rich, or manured to produce a full wheat crop, many rye crops can be grown, and when these fail, oats, which possess a greater number of roots and more exhaustive power can still succeed after the rye fails. If, then, we are to grow large crops of wheat it must be by enriching our poor lands, by means of a more abundant supply of manure. Land can never be too rich for wheat, provided we do not overseed.

THE man who was cured by the mesmerist says he was trance-fixed.

A pamphlet written in Arabic is making a great stir in Constantinople. The work—which bears the character of a clandestine publication, since it is not to be found at any of the booksellers'—has been written by two sheiks, from Mecca, who came to Constantinople on purpose to complete and publish it. It is destined for distribution in all Mussulman countries. Among other things, it demonstrates the sovereignty and legitimate authority of the Caliph of the Mohammedans, to whatever climate they may belong, and to whatever Government they may be subject. It may, therefore, be considered an essentially political work, intended to strengthen and extend the power of the Sultan. It is asserted that several millions of copies have already been sent to Algeria, Tunis, and Morocco, and that a large number are to be introduced into India and the eastern provinces of Russia.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Feb. 11th 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

The Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company are, we hear, determined to push on the contemplated improvements in connection with their road. They have given out contracts for the timber for a grain elevator at Owen Sound, ties, &c. They do not, we believe, intend seeking any further aid from the townships. We are also informed that it is the intention of the management in their own hands, as their inability to secure the full amount of bonuses asked for, will prevent the carrying out of the arrangement made with the Grand Trunk.

As will be seen, by reference to our report of the proceedings of the County Council, the advocates of a House of Refuge for the poor, have again brought the matter to the notice of the Council. We regret to say it has met its usual fate—referred to a committee to report on at the June session, which means that nothing will be done. We hope the gentlemen who have taken the matter in hand will not let it rest till they succeed, as we consider the present method of assisting the poor, infirm and homeless is very unsatisfactory.

The long lost and often found Charlie Ross has again turned up; this time at a place called Aldborough, near London, living with a German named Joseph Bonn. Mr. Ross has been written to, but is rather doubtful about the boy being his son, and declines going to see him, unless better evidence is aduced than is at present forthcoming. Mr. Ross has expened $60,000 in the search for his lost child, and says he has not the heart to go when the probality is that he will meet only with disappointment. He urges those who have discovered the boy and think he is the veritable Charlie, to try and find out all they can from the boy himself, as he feels assured, if it really is his child, he will be able to remember something in connection with his early life, that would prove his identity beyond cavil.

Mr. Charles Grant, of Thornbury, who has taken more prizes for spring grain in the last two years, at our Provincial and Dominion Fairs than any other man in Ontario, paid our sanctum a visit last week So highly did our Government think of his grain that they purchased 10 bags from him to be sent for exhibition at the Corn Exchange in Egland, to show the people of Europe what "this Canada of ours" is capable of producing. Mr. Grant left with us specimens, shelled and in the ear, of his celebrated French Spring Wheat, for which he received a special Diploma at the Provincial Exhibition held at Hamilton last fall. It is the largest spring grain we ever saw, of a bright color, and full in the berry. Mr. G. is the only person in Canada who has this particular kind of wheat, and parties dsirous of purchasing some of it, will have to apply to Mr. Grant himself. The specimens are on exhibition at this office.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Council met in Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, Feb. 7th; members all present Reeve in chair; minutes of previous meeting read and approved as amended. Petitions from Alex. McLean, and others *re* Sarah McMillan, an indigent person; also petition from John McLean and others *re* bridge on town line Proton and Artemesia, presented and read. Communications as follows:—R. Windatt town clerk of Bomanville, with petition to the house of assembly. W. Parker president of the farmers association, with petition to the house of assembly, *re* the abolition of market fees in town and cities; presented and read and ordered to be signed by the Reeve and Clerk, and the corporate seal attached and forwarded to A. W. Lauder, M. P. P., Toronto. Applications for the office of assessor received as follows:—T. Granger, D. Wright, John Whitby, C. McArthur, R. Shannon, J. McArthur, W. J. Ekins. Auditors annual report presented. By-law No. 322 appointing assessor for 1881, introduced by Mr. Elliott and passed in the usual way, J. Whitby being the party chosen as assessor. Moved and seconded by Pedlar and Elliott, that the petition *re* Sarah McMillan, an indigent person cannot be entertained by Council.—Carried. Moved and seconded by Elliott and Webster, that Messrs Webster and Wright be a committee to examine Saugeen river on town line Proton and Artemesia, with a view to co-operating with the Council of Proton, in erecting a bridge over said stream, committee to report as soon as practicable to this Council the probable cost of structure and the proportion each township should contribute toward the erection of said bridge.—Carried. Moved and seconded by Elliott and Webster, that the Reeve and Dep. Reeve be a committee to finally audit the Auditor's report.—Carried. Moved and seconded by Wright and Webster, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of Alex. McKechnie for ten dollars being refund in part of taxes paid by him on lots Nos. 201, and 202, 2 E., property having been burnt after being assessed to him.—Carried.—Account of J. H. Heard repairing scraper $1.55, and account of [illegible] for $20 each, and $1 each for [illegible] $1.50 extra to collector of Ward No. 2 for extra services collecting police village rate, Markdale, were ordered to be paid. Council adjourned to meet on Monday March 7th, 1881, at 10 a. m.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

SOCIAL.—On Friday, evening the 4th inst., the Ladies Aid Association (Methodist) gave an entertainment in the basement of the church. The weather being favorable a large number was present. The meeting was called to order by the Rev. Mr. Philp, after which the following programme was rendered:—Song by Mr. Clark accompanied on violin by Messrs Campbell and Meggett; Recitation, W. Dinwoody; Song, Misses Heard and Armstrong; Reading, Mr. R. Davis; Song, Misses E. and M. Vandusen; Reading, Miss C. Davis; Song, Misses E. and M. Damude; Song, Mr. Anderson and daughter; Song, Mrs. J. and W. Trimble; Recitation, Mr. Jas. Sarjeant; Song, Mr. Anderson and daughter; Recitation, Mr. C. W. Morey; Song, Misses J., L. and A. Armstrong; Song, Mr. Anderson and daughter. Refreshments were served by the ladies about 9:30. The entertainment was a complete success. The proceeds at the the door amounted to $17.55. We understand that the association intends giving another entertainment on Friday, Feb. 18th. We hope the house will be crowded, as the very best talent has been secured for the occasion.

FIRE.—On Monday morning about 10 o'clock flames were discovered issuing from the roof of Mr. Bulmer's photograph gallery. The alarm being given a number of people assembled and managed to get the fire under control, after tearing off part of the roof. The loss will not be very great.

BREVITIES.—The Presbyterian Sabbath School of Flesherton, will hold a social at Mr. Anderson's on the evening of the 11th inst......If the attendance at the Flesherton public school continues to increase the way it is doing at present, a new school house will be the next on the programme. Three in a seat are too many......The monthly cattle fair was well attended last Monay, prices for cattle was low ......Hay is raising in valúe......Thos. Carlyle, the great literary veteran of Chelsea, died last Saturday morning, aged 86.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Council met in the house of Mr. McCullough, Dundalk, on Monday Jan. 24th 1881. The Clerk in chair administered the declarations of qualifications and office to J. J. Middletion, Reeve; John Abbott, Dep. Reeve; R. Black, and James Buckley, Councillors. Joseph McArdle, Councillor, having taken the declaration of qualification and office on the 21st of Jan., at the Clerk's office. The Council organized and proceeded to business. Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of John Norval to the amount of 60c for mending scraper belonging to Div. No. 4.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Abbott, secon'd by Mr. McArdle, that the assessment of C. McConnell on personal property be $100 instead of $200 as charged in error on the assessment roll and that the collectors roll be amended accordingly, the same amounting to $1.95. —Carried. Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that John Porter be refunded the amount in error between assessment and schedule.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the account of F. F. Teeple for repairing scrapers amounting to $2. be paid. —Carried. Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that Duncan Sinclair's road work be struck off the roll for 1880, for lot 29 in the 4th con., also Donald McDermid's road work for lot 30, con. 4, as the same is certified to be done by the pathmaster.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that Adam Traynor's assessment of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. 6, 7, 8, 9, block M., 11, 12 and 13, block Z, in Dundalk, be placed on the roll at $60.—Carried. Mobed by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that lot No. 8 being a part of 231, con. 2, be removed from the non-resident roll to Mrs. Mary Ann Adamson at a value of $100 and that she be furnished with a schedule. —Carried. Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that P. Ryan receive $4 for statute labor performed for the year 1880, for lot 22, con. 7, the same being certified by T. Fernane, Pathmaster, and that the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that Wm. Boyd be appointed Assessor for the present year for the sum of $70.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that Thos. Fennell be appointed Audior in behalf of this Council for the present year.—Lost. On nomination of the Reeve, John Page was appointed Auditor for the year 1880. Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that Peter Dow be appointed Auditor in behalf of this Council for the year 1880, and that they receive each $6 for services.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr Buckley, that the time be extended for returning the Collector's roll up to the next meeting of Council and that he prosecute the collection in the meantime with deligence.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Black, that the half yearly report of the Township Treasurer for the half year ending the 31st Dec. last be received and filed.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that the Treasurer be requested to offer to loan on real estate security the sinking fund of school sections, collected off the sections being total——balance and submit offers to the Council at its next meeting.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr McArdle, that the Clerk correspond with the County Treasurer, and learn how the back taxes accrued on lot 27, con. 17. Carried. Moved by Mr. Black, sec'd by Mr. McArdle, that Wm. Middleton receive the sum of $5 for 108 loads of gravel for gravelling the roads in this Township.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that the case of Thomas Talbot be laid over to the next meeting of Council.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that a grant of $20 be given to the trustees of school section No. 13, providing it be supplemented by the Goverment.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that this Council go into committee of the whole to examine the Treasurer's bond with Dep. Reeve in the chair, which motion submitted for approval of Council, and the committee report at the next meeting of Council.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that by-laws Nos. 228 and 234 being now read a first time, be now read a second and a third time, signed sealed and entered in the by-law book.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that this Council do now adjourn to meet at Mr. Brown's hotel, Cedarville, on the last Tuesday in February next.—Carried.

JOHN VERT,

Proton, Jan. 31st, 1881. Tp. Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—My attention has been called to an article in this week's issue of your paper *re* "Information wanted." Though not infallible, I am thankful to be able to say, as far as I am concerned, "Not Guilty." Your proper course in a case of this kind is through the Post Office Inspector.

Yours Truly,
RICHARD PRIDHAM,
Railway Mail Clerk, T., G. & B. R'y.
February 5th, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—The first Masquerade Carnival in this Village was given on the rink, newly erected, by Mr. John Hanbury, and notwithstanding the unpropitious weather, was very fairly attended by masquers and others, and the costumes of the former were very good, especialy the ladies, who dressed with extreme good taste. The flower girls of Mrs. Atkinson and Miss Hattie Jeninngs deservedly earning the praises bestowed upon them for their graceful skating. These were the only two who competed for prizes. The rest of the ladies amused themselves in circling the rink; the three representing snowflakes looking remarkably well, and the character of "old woman," by Miss Hattie Phillips, deserves a special mention. Of course the gentlemen do not care for much mention; but the worst skater does really deserve great praise in the way he tried to break his head or some other part of his anatomy. The Dutchman contributed not a little to the success of the evening, as did also the men of color. The fat man and old man were very good, and the obesity of the former contrasted greatly with the slimness of the latter, but such is life,—The twin brothers looked well in costume; but how a twin brother can look him in the face and tell him he is two or three years older, is one of those things that "no fellow can understand;" but there were the twins.

The bandits, Messrs Steinhoff and Kershaw, looked very well, and the the clown, by Mr, A. V. Galbraith, was well represented, and his skating was very graceful. The band, however, must not be forgotten, as they enlivened the evening very materially by discoursing sweet music to a very appreciative audience. The following is a list of the successfull competitiors: Fastest Skater (one mile) A. V. Galbraith; 2nd W. B. Bloomer; Fat man, Chas. Knapp; Old Man, John Marshall; Twin Brothers, W.J Shaw and J. C. Atkinson; Best Gent's Costume, George Lamon; Swell Negro, W. A. Mackay; India Chief; George Lamon; Worst Skater, W. J. Shaw; Best Lady's Costume, Mrs. Atkinson: Best Skater- Gent. A. V. Galbraith; Best Lady Skater, Miss Hattie Jenings; Tom Thumb, Harry Lamon; Flower Girl, Miss Hattie Jennings: Best dressed Lady, Mrs. Atkinson; Clown, A. V. Galbraith; Dutchman, W. Sutton. The Judges were D. McWilliams of this Village, Mr. Henry Whytby of Markdale, and Mr. Phillips of London, who gave every satisfaction in their decisions. The ice, notwithstanding the heavy thaw, was in excellent condition, which speaks well for the care taken of the rink, and it is to be hoped that many more carnivals will be held in it, as everything went off in the most satisfactory manner, and a great vote of thanks is due Mr. John Hanbury for providing a pleasant recreation these winter nights. The Shelburne people were well represented, especially Mr. Mullin, whose costume, to say the least, was excellent. Yours truly,

A LOOKER-ON.

P.S.—I had forgotten the representation of "Old Bags," who meandered round the rink in the true style, studying, from a skating point of view the intricacies of the art, and what to do with a cigar that would not light.

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BIRTHS.

[illegible]—On the [illegible] the wife of [illegible], of a daughter.

MARRIED

[illegible]—On the 17th ult., at St. Mary's, Owen Sound, by the Rev. P. O'Donohoe, C. S. B., [illegible], of [illegible] township.

Walsh—Hickey—At St. Mary's, Owen Sound, on the 31st ult., by the Rev. P. O'Donohoe, C. S. B., John J. Walsh, Artemesia, to Mary Hickey, Sarawak.

Kenny—Banks—At St. Mary's, Owen Sound, on Feb. 1st, by the Rev. P. O'Donohoe, C. S. B., Wm. Kenny, of the township of Glenelg, to Catherine Banks, of the Tp. of Sydenham.

Stearnes—Barrs—On the 2nd inst., at the Methodist Parsonage, Chatsworth, by the Rev. T. R. Reid, Mr. James Stearnes, of Owen Sound, to Miss Janet Barrs, Sullivan.

DIED.

In Toronto on the 8th inst, John Miller, Esq. Brother of Mr Isaac Miller, of this place.

In Durham on the 1st inst., Mary Sutherland, relict of the late Hugh Stoddart, aged 72 years and 3 months.

In Owen Sound, on the 7th inst., Margaret Creighton, (relict of the late Abraham Creighton) aged 82 years and 9 months.

In Glenelg, on the 29th ult, Catherine McDonald, relict of the late John McDonald, aged 78 years.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 11, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.02
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.28	"	0.29
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.75	"	6.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.00
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	8.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.10

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Feb. 10th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.07
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	"	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	5.50	"	5.70
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.50	"	8.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.39
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 80c to $1.00; Spring wheat 75c to $1.05; Barley 50c to 75c; Peas 55c to 59c; Oats 29c to 30c; Pork $5.75 to $6.25; Potatoes per bag 40c to 45c; Butter 16c to 18c; Eggs 15c to 18c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, Feb. 10, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 79	to	1 00
Oats, do.	0 36	to	0 37
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye, do.	0 60	to	0 80
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	6 50	to	7 00
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	6 50
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	30	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	50	to	0 60
Turkeys	75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 21
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 18	to	0 00
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	1 00	to	1 10
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 25
Onions, per bag	0 00	to	1 55
Hay	8 50	to	14 25

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If you need a barn?
If your fences are not sufficient?
If you want to buy more land?
If you want to clear and improve more land?

It Will Pay You

to borrow of the

NORTH OF SCOTLAND
Canadian Mortgage Comp'y

They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments. but **they do** give the most reasonable privileges of any Company lending money,

And their Costs are Low!

Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

I have also a Few Thousand Dollars of

Private Money!

To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited.

As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow,** and the place is *The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agency.*

INSURANCE!

It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a **Reliable** and **Safe** Company, and that they do their business through a **reliable Agent.**

I am prepared to take applications for the Strongest, Safest and Best Companies in Canada, and for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies are the

Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock.)

The Waterloo County and Gore District (Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Corectly** and **Neatly** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing, I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES

Attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT.

To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the **Proprietors** themselves. Correspondence solicited.

In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent.
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

[illegible] speedily cures Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.
THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

[illegible]

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,
FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY
AND
LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at
RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of **Draft and Bottled Ale** in this section. **Old Cider equal to Champagne.**
☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,
Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes,
ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Monteal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

☞ *Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.*

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE
BRITISH CANADIAN
LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE
LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
AND
British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED
Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES
—ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

MARKDALE HOUSE,
MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing two notes drawn in favor of John Patchard, of the Township of Euprasia and signed by George Hale, of the said Township of Euphrasia. Said Notes were dated some time in December, 1880, one for $30, due in October, 1881; and one for $40, due in February, 1882, payable at Blantyre P. O. in the said Township of Euphrasia, as I have not received value for the same.

GEORGE HALE.
Dated this 31st day of Jan'y, 1881 21-3i*

CAUTION.

ALL parties are hereby warned against purchasing a note drawn about the 20th of December 1880, in favor of Thos. Eiseleine, to the amount of $12.00, and falling due about the 10th of Feb., 1881, as I have not received value for the same.

A. DUNLOP.
Markdale Feb. 9, 1881. 22-3i

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate.—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16th, 1880. 14m1

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the Standard Office.

FLESHERTON
Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damude, begs to inform the public that he has

REMOVED TO THE BUILDING
OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,
where he is prepared to furnish
ALL KINDS of HARNESS
usually found in a
First-Class Establishment,
And at prices to suit the times, and by using
THE BEST OF MATERIAL,
AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP,
hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of
WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,
constantly on hand.
COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. ☞ Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.
Flesherton, Dec. 1880. 16

FOR SALE.

OR TO RENT, that eligible property situate on Toronto Street, in the Village of Markdale, at present occupied by Mr. Graham, shoemaker. Possession immediately.

WM. BROWN.
Markdale, Jan. 13, 1881. 21-3i

For Cheap Stationery, Beautiful Christmas and New Year Cards call at the Standard Office.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

[illegible] the Public generally, that he has [illegible] control of the FLESHERTON STEAM FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FA[illegible] AND REMOVED TO THE **Furniture Warerooms** [illegible] THE NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING [illegible]

[illegible]

There now a Large and Varied Stock of
Furniture in all the Latest S[illegible]

and during the Winter I require
100,000 FEET OF GOOD
Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch a[illegible]
LUMBER!
for which
THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PA[illegible]
Also a Quantity of Good F[illegible]
ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, [illegible]
AS USUAL.
Estimate of Supplies Given on Applic[illegible]

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, [illegible]

H. HOO[illegible]

Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELLING OFF!
FALL AND WINTE[illegible]
AT AND UNDER COST
For Cash, for 30 Da[illegible]
Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHE[illegible]
LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHE[illegible]
Ladies' and Gents' Underclot[illegible] CHE[illegible]
Staple and Fancy Dry Go[illegible]
OF EVERY DESCRIP[illegible]
ROCK-BOTTOM [illegible]
BOOTS AND SHO[illegible]
In every Variety—CHEAP.
Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES [illegible]
"TORONTO HOUS[illegible]
Wm. BRO[illegible]

Markdale, December 29, 1880.

WE WISH YOU
A Merry Christmas and a Happy New [illegible]

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, th[illegible] been a year of prosperity with the people of o[illegible] and as others have prospered, we have been e[illegible] participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially [illegible] moving into our new premises, and we solicit a sha[illegible] patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goo[illegible]
—NAMELY—
Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and [illegible]
and a large variety of
CHILDREN'S TOY[illegible]

OUR GROCERIE[illegible]

For the season are, as usual,
Well Selected, Fresh and Goo[illegible]
NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.
The People are all asking for our
TEA DUST, nothing suits [illegible]

WE ARE OFFERING
WINTER DRY GOO[illegible]
At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,
5,000 Telegraph Poles,
Also a quantity of Cordw[illegible]

HILL BROTHER[illegible]

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

[illegible] STANDARD.

[illegible] Feb. 11th, 1881.

[illegible] & OTHER NOTICES.

[illegible] want a bargain, try J. W. [illegible]

[illegible] Gents Hats for 75c each, [illegible] Dundalk.

[illegible] best and cheapest machine [illegible] oil, go to Haskett Bros.

[illegible] your Watch repaired [illegible] Wilcox—he does them [illegible]

[illegible] indebted to the O. S. *Times* [illegible] full report of the proceedings of the County Council.

[illegible] social held in the Manse on [illegible] the 3rd inst., was well attended [illegible] a very pleasant time spent [illegible]

[illegible] your dealers for "Castorine" [illegible] that the barrel [illegible] "Castorine," as none other [illegible]

[illegible] us a card and a quarter of [illegible] two foot wood, or one and a [illegible] and you can have the [illegible] for a year.

[illegible] DAVIS, of Flesherton, says [illegible] $1,537,000 to lend on good se[illegible] and at low rates of interest.—Advertisement.

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A VERY large [illegible] and other [illegible] of the Stratford and Huron [illegible] passed down on Tuesday, to [illegible] the Attorney General of Ontario, and urge the necessity of the above road receiving Government aid. We hope they may be successful.

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A COUGH is usually the effort of Nature to expel some morbid matter irritating the air passages of the lungs. It may, however, proceed from an inflamed or irritable condition of the throat, a slight rash or humor often being perceptible. Let the cause be what it may, the remedy should be Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. A pure vegetable balsamic throat and lung healer. For sale by all dealers in medicine, at 25 cents per bottle.

GREAT attraction at McFarland's. [illegible] that can it be is it good goods, or cheap merchandise, is it his faithful book keeper, or the amiable post office manager, the obliging clerks, or the business tact of the proprietor, or is [illegible] that Irishman. Last Saturday there were no less than eleven [illegible] in the establishment at one [illegible]. Well, one thing certain, is [illegible] McFarland is selling an immense quantity of goods.

IT has been aptly remarked that there is one thing better than presence of mind, in case of accidents, and that is absence of body: but as accidents may happen to all, Hagyard's Yellow Oil is perhaps the best remedy [illegible] better than an accident policy. Yellow Oil cures all manner of Flesh Wounds, Pains, Lameness, Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, and [illegible] and internal use in all inflammatory and painful diseases. All dealers sell it.

A RICH MAN.—Mr. [illegible] Ashdown, [illegible]

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[illegible] best stock [illegible]

THE Bri[illegible] Macleans [illegible] New Wes[illegible]

ANOTHER [illegible] splendid [illegible] at H. Gr[illegible]

TORONTO [illegible] manufact[illegible] oil. It fr[illegible]

FOR N[illegible] other m[illegible]

CONGRA[illegible] cation of [illegible] William[illegible] Misses W[illegible]

E. Re[illegible] packing very [illegible] Station, [illegible] scale.

A no[illegible] Flesherton [illegible] from Du[illegible] Durham[illegible]

USE [illegible] all kind[illegible] cellent [illegible] ing it w[illegible] sale by [illegible]

REMOVA… / …STEA… / AND DOOR FA… / …areroom… / …ING ADJOINING… / Latest St… / OF GOOD / …od, Birch and… / …ER! / WILL BE PAID / of Good F… / MOULDINGS, E… / …en on Applica… / H. HOOP… / OFF! / WINTE… / 30 Day… / …d Suits, / CHEA… / …undercloth… / y Goo… / Happy New / Good… / …'s Caps and S… / …S TOYS / …ERIE… / …n and Good… / …Value. / …E. / …Ties, / …ph Poles, / …ity of Cordwood / …THER

THE STANDARD.

Friday. Feb. 11th, 1881.

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A Rich Man.—… Ashdown, said to be one of the … men in Winnipeg—worth … $500,000— … from … & A. C. … as a journeyman tinsmith at one dollar a day wages. We do … this … By no means. All honor to the man who has the enterprise and foresight to raise himself unaided from a humble position to one of affluence and, as a matter of course influence.—*Chronicle.*

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Furniture selling cheap at J. W. Bates', Flesherton.

For a good Watch or Clock go to Wilcox the Jeweller.

Haskett Bros keeps the largest and best stock of stoves in the county.

The British Columbia outlaws, three Macleans and Hare, were hanged at New Westminster on Monday.

Another large shipment of that splendid 50c. Japan Tea, just arrived at H. Graham's, Dundalk: Try it.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

For No. 1 coal oil, castorine and other machine oils, try Haskett Bros.

Correction.—In Nemo's communication of last week instead of Misses Williams and Lyons, should read Misses Williams and Logan.

E. Robinson of Mount Forest operating very largely in hay at Flesherton Station, and has put in a new hay scale.

A number of teams arrived at Flesherton Station with square timber from Durham, that scores one against Durham railway.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

The masquerade in the Markdale rink came off on the 4th inst. As there were no prizes awarded, we will not criticise the different characters. Music was rendered very efficiently by the string band.

Those of our subscribers, who have made arrangements to pay their subscriptions to the Standard in wood, will oblige us by bringing it in now while the roads are good. We are in want of wood and a few cords now would be just as acceptable as the cash.

The world should be aroused to the deplorable condition of the females of our land! The enfeebled frame, the pale, bloodless cheeks, hollow eyes, nervous debility, and the various distressing forms of female weakness, are matters that every matron in our country should consider. All forms of Debility and Irregularities peculiar to the sex may be promptly remedied by Burdock Blood Bitters.

It is said that heat travels faster than cold, because you can easily catch cold. If you catch cold easily you can as easily cure it in its worst form if you use Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the … throat and lung remedy. … cure the most troublesome cough, allays all irritation, … Bronchitis, and all diseases … Pulmonary Consumption.

Mr. … January thaw has reached … last, only one month … We presume, like the … has been … blockade. It is … arrival by the rapidity with which it is doing its work—the snow disappearing astonishingly fast, and unless a check is put on its recklessness, we will hear the rumble of the wagon instead of the merry jingle of the sleigh bells before the week is out.

L. O. Co. Lodge.—The annual meeting of L. O. County Lodge of North Grey was held at the village of Clarksburg on Tuesday, Feb. 1. The officers elected for the present year are as follows:—James Bowes, jr., Co. Master; D. McCann, Dep. do.; A. Spencer, Co. Chap.; J. H. Delerec, Co. Secy.; J. Creighton, Co. Treas.; Thos. Gilray, Co. Director of Ceremonies; J. H. Berry, Co. Lecturer. The next semi-annual meeting is to be held at Chatsworth on the third Tuesday in June next, at 1 o'clock, p. m.

Oakville, November 16, 1880.

Mr. R. C. Balmer. Dear Sir,—It affords me unqualified pleasure to bear testimony to the benefit I have experienced from using Burdock Blood Bitters. For several years I have suffered from oft-recurring, bilious Headaches, Dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex, which now I am entirely relieved from, if not cured by using only about half a bottle of the Bitters. I beg to return you my sincere thanks for recommending to me such a valuable medicine.

I remain, yours sincerely,

Mrs. Ira Mulholland.

A Miser's Death.—Robert Taylor, an old inhabitant of London township, was found dead in his bed at home on the 8th con., a few nights ago. He was aged 82 years and a bachelor recluse. His only companions through life were dogs and cats. No woman was ever allowed to enter his door. He had amassed a fortune by stock-raising. He always kept his money hidden in different parts of the house, and once a party of robbers entered and gagged him, and then took from him a large sum of money. He was ever after suspicious of strangers, and denied them admission. He leaves a large amount in the banks of this city and one of the finest farms in London township.

ACCIDENT ON THE NORTHERN RAILWAY.

ONE MAN KILLED.

Newmarket, Jan. 31.—This morning the mail train ran off the track on the curve just north of Lundy's mill. The engine and tender kept the rails: the front end of the baggage car was off the track as well as the rear end of the smoking car, but they did not leave the road-bed. The two rear coaches, containing passengers, were wrenched from the trucks and thrown over an embankment—one of the coaches being impaled on a cedar post. A passenger named Tullford was found lying under the platform, between the two passenger coaches, dead. There is at present nothing to show how he came to his death, no outward injuries having been discovered on him. He had over $1,000 on his person. Two or three others passengers received slight bruises, while others, amongst them Conductor Hendrick, were considerably shaken when the train was being dragged over a culvert after leaving the rails. It is supposed to have been caused by the frost and the rails spreading. It is said this is the first fatal accident which has occurred on the Northern for twenty years, as far as the railway is concerned.

M. M. Gaulbraith, Auctioneer and General Land Agent Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines, also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds for sale.
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
MARKDALE.

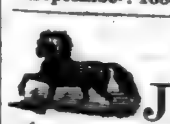
Money Loaned

In large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.
September, 1880. 2-y



VETERINARY.
J. BLOOMFIELD, *Veterinary Surgeon,*
Has commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!
Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.
A. G. HUNTER, Claim Agent.
Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,
JUST RECEIVER AT THE
"BELFAST HOUSE."
I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply
OYSTERS
—IN—
Every Style!
By the Plate or Can
CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE IN TOWN
My Stock of
Provisions and Groceries
Together with
Wines and Liquors,
ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.
ANY AMOUNT of PORK FOR SALE.
As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
The Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes.
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
—AND—
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

TAILORING
C. A. OWEN,
Fashionable Tailor,
Having rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to
FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!
CUTTING!
Done while Customers are waiting.
THE LATEST FASHION PLATES
Always on hand to chose from.
A Good Fit Guaranteed
—AT—
LOW RATES.
☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special Inducements to large Purchasers
☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

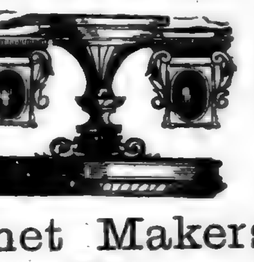
NOTICE.
All parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice. As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.
JOHN NOBLE.
N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

Public Notice.
Notice is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.
The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.
JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,
FLESHERTON.
To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

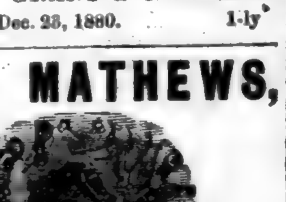
China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that
I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.
☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.
Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE.



Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



Wishes to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

FOR SALE
IN ARTEMESIA,
Fifty acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or
JOHN KAY, Bentinck, Durham P. O.
Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

CHEAP CASH STORE.
Reynolds & Son.
JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF
Dry Goods, Groceries,
BOOTS AND SHOES.
TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.
As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.
BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY
Don't Forget the Place.
REYNOLDS & SON.
Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

The NOBBIEST CLOTHING!
In the County at
McFARLAND'S.

See his $5.00 Overcoats.
See his $10 Ulsters.
See his $12 Suit.
See his $16 dress suit.
500 pairs of Boots
To choose from—Men, Women and Children's. Get your AXES at McFarland's. Those $2.50 MANTLES selling fast. New DRESS GOODS at McFarland's. New FLANNELS at McFarland's. New SHAWLS at McFarland's. New BONNETS and HATS at McFarland's. New TWEEDS at McFarland's. New CARPETS at McFarland's. New Fringes, Buttons, Silks, Laces, Flowers and Feathers.
Prices never were lower or value better. A comparison solicited.
W. J. McFARLAND,
IMPORTER. Markdale.

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."
BUTTER & RAE
Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received since commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward business with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public. Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.
DRY GOODS in all the lines.
ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.
HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.
BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.
GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns
GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.
Keep your Eye on the Place!
WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.
Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.
31st, September 1880. BUTTER & RAE.

THE PLACE TO BUY
WATCHES!
Over $400 worth sold in the last month
LADIES' BEAUTIFUL
Gold Hunting Watches!
From $16 up WARRANTED
Silver Watches
VERY LOW.
A Time Piece To Suit All
AT
W. F. DOLL'S
FLESHERTON AND DUNDALK.

Weaving. Weaving.
Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it done
DONE WITHOUT DELAY,
AT THE
Flesherton Woolen Factory.
Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to
EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS
Will be carried on throughout the winter.
N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.
The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his
Saw Mill at Little Falls
On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish
LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.
CUSTOM SAWING
PROMPTLY DONE.
By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.
ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.
Wm. HOGG.
P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.
Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-y

R. J. SPROULE,
FLESHETRON,
Whilst wishing all
A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,
And Many Returns of the Same,
Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of duh times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business*, as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business, generally have
ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.
In view of which I have … on hand …
THE LARGEST …
GENERAL G…
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND …
Crockery and Glassware,
AND
Fancy Holiday Presents!
ALSO
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.
Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of
Millinery, Furs
AND
LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,
Ever shown in this Norther Country.
ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE
LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.
Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the
HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!
For any Quantity of good Grain or
FARM PRODUCE.
And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered
I will now commence a
GREAT CLEARING SALE
Of my large and complete stock of
Fall and Winter Dry Goods,
MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and
MILLINERY,
And will continue to sell at a
Very Small Advance on Cost!
Until all is cleared out.
A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,
☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT
R J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.
Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

Knitting.

At her window she is sitting,
Little busy bright coquette,
She is sitting, knitting, knitting,
Ever at a subtle net.

Weaving in it laughter, blushes,
And delicious nods and smiles,
Tones as soft as notes of thrushes,
And a thousand nameless wiles.

Take care, my bewitching neighbour,
Take care that you do not get,
At the end of all your labour,
Tangled in your subtle net.

Selfishness.

When icicles hang from the tree,
And winter winds drearily moan,
When rivers and rivulets freeze,
There's green in some far away zone.

But what is the knowledge of this,
The joy of a far away zone?
Oh, small seems another soul's bliss,
When deep sorrow reigns in our own!

HIS VICTORIA CROSS.

By the Author of "A STRANGE WEDDING-EVE," "CLARE STANHOPE'S DIAMONDS," *&c.*

CHAPTER I.

"Poor children, it will be a sad change for them—a terrible break-up! For I fear this is but a dull house for such young things, and how can I make it otherwise?"

Colonel McLeod rested his head on his hand and sighed.

There was apparently no reason for depression, for all Colonel McLeod's surroundings betokened ease and wealth. The room in which he sat was large and handsomely furnished. The walls were covered from floor to ceiling with oaken book-shelves. On one side of the room stood a grand piano; rich Turkey carpets covered the floor; a tiger-skin was before the fire-place, whereon was stretched a magnificent collie dog of purest breed; and in the reading-chair, near which was a stand of beautiful tropical flowers, sat the owner of this great lonely house and the broad lands that surround it, who would have given up every one of his possessions to stand blameless before the world.

Colonel Loris McLeod was a remarkably handsome man; he looked scarcely more than six or seven and thirty, but a reference to the *Army List* would have shown him to be some years older. The tall slight form, with the upright military carriage, tempered with easy grace, had still all the suppleness of youth; the dark gray eyes, large and well set under the broad forehead, had lost none of their fire; and, although a changeless melancholy clouded his countenance, not one jot of the ardour and military enthusiasm of his earlier days was abated. Whatever he might suffer he remained always a soldier.

The letter which had prompted the Colonel's half regretful words had fallen to the floor, and he remained for several moments in deep and apparently sad thought. The lines of the firm but singularly sweet mouth had settled even to sternness, and the frown had deepened on his forehead, over which he kept passing his hand. Presently he stooped, and picked up the letter again.

"Poor Verner!" he muttered, and his lip quivered a little. "So he is gone. They all go so, before the one who would lay down life without a pang. How strange it seems! He who could be so ill spared is taken! And I? Of what use is this life to me? And yet perhaps I am wrong to say that; moralists tell us that no man or woman who lives is absolutely useless. And I suppose old Colin here wouldn't like another master"—and there was a tinge of bitterness in his tone. "Well, Albert Verner was one of the few who believed in me entirely, and he is gone"—he paused, and a half smile flitted over the grave features—"and leaves his poor lassies to me! Well, he might have chosen a better guardian for them!"

He again read the letter in his hand.

"They tell me I am dying," it ran; "and I am leaving my two poor children alone in a world cruel enough to well-nigh penniless orphans. I know not where to turn. I am in despair. In my strait the only one I have a faint idea who would help me is yourself. You and I were brother officers long ago. We fought side by side in the Mutiny, and I think we loved each other well. Will you try to remember the old days, Loris, and be guardian to my two darlings? They have each a little sum coming to them—just enough to keep them; but they have no friends or relatives. And the elder girl is but seventeen; and a dear wild Irish girl at that—a child——"

The letter here suddenly broke off, as though the hand of the writer had failed him. Colonel McLeod laid down the letter and took up an enclosure, penned in a business hand.

"Sir," it said, "on looking over the papers left by my late client Albert Verner, Esq., late of the—th Lancers, residing at Rocklands, Ballyshowan, Connaught, I found the enclosed letter addressed to you. I was requested by Miss Verner to examine all papers left by her father; and, finding that in this letter Mr. Verner requests you to undertake the guardianship of his children, I think it my duty on their behalf to state that these young ladies are left wholly unprotected, nor are they fitted by age, experience, or education to obtain their own living. They will each of them possess the sum of five hundred pounds, which, however well invested, would not produce sufficient for their entire maintenance. I trust you will pardon me for having brought these facts under your notice; but my late client was much esteemed by myself and my partner, and I thought it my duty to do what I could for his children.

"I am, sir, your obedient servant,

"PATRICK SULLIVAN."

The name of the firm of solicitors—one known to the Colonel—was stamped on the paper.

"Poor lassies—poor little lassies!" said Loris McLeod to himself.

Then he rose and began to pace up and down, pulling his moustache thoughtfully.

"I suppose they are living on nothing now. Poor Verner! He must have got through a lot of money; but Irishmen never have any head for business. I dare say what the children have won't keep a girl in gloves—if they wear gloves down there, by the way. But, of course, there's only one thing to be done. Dear old Albert! I cannot repay his faith in me by leaving his bairns to misery. It's very difficult to know how to act, though. Can I have them here. I wonder? That was my first thought. School?"

He shook his head. He had a horror of boarding-schools. And for home-brought-up girls too it would be cruel. For all things weaker than himself Colonel McLeod had a tenderness that almost amounted to weakness.

"At any rate they must be got into harness a little at first. What is the age of the elder girl? Seventeen. And a child at that; and I am forty, and——"

He caught his breath quickly, as though some sharp pain had seized him.

"Well, no one thinks of my marrying. I am sober enough to take care of two children, I fancy. I'll have an elderly lady to play propriety. It will break into my life awfully, though."

He half sighed, and ran his long slender fingers through his hair. He had grown used to a solitary life, and had become perhaps morbidly attached to it. He shrank from the idea of having the house invaded by a couple of wild girls, who would burst into the library when he was reading, never be punctual—and Loris McLeod had a soldier's dislike to unpunctuality—who would intrude into his most sacred haunts, and who in short must necessarily break up a retirement that he had clung to from mere habit; for naturally the Colonel loved change and society. Then again he objected to the constant society of any man or woman. He thought that no one could possibly have any affection for him, and that he could not make the girls happy.

Yet, if Loris McLeod had gauged himself truly, there were few men more fitted to win love than he. Children and women adored him, and men were drawn to him, although reluctantly, even while the black cloud that hung over his name half repelled them.

"And yet," he murmured—and he looked round the room wistfully—"young faces, young bright voices—I think I could bear them, even here. Ah, Heaven, they might have been mine even now! But these children will not be happy here," he said gloomily; and he stood looking down at the collie, whose honest brown eyes gazed back at him affectionately. "You and I, Colin, are made for each other. You don't mind what your master's mood is, so long as you have a caress—eh, old fellow?"

He bent down and patted the animal fondly on the head, and Colin rose and pushed his nose into his master's hand in response.

"After all there is no one half so faithful as a dog," said Loris McLeod, with a smile. "But then how little they know!"

Colonel McLeod was always prompt in whatever he did; it never took him long to arrive at a decision, and that done he would act upon it. He had indeed some misgivings as to what his housekeeper would say; also some as to what his fellow-officers might think; but neither caused him much uneasiness; he lived so much out of society that it mattered very little to him what society said or thought. He was not young, and the girls would be in the school-room; besides an elderly chaperon would make all things right.

"It's unfortunate," thought the Colonel, as he rang the bell for Mrs. Grant the housekeeper, "their coming just now. I should like to run over and bring the lassies myself; but it's impossible. These manœuvres are coming off and I can't get away."

Mrs. Grant received the news he imparted to her with much greater favour than he had expected. She listened to what he said, and, when he had finished, her honest face beamed with the admiration she felt for his kindness.

"If ye are not a real McLeod, sir," she said, with the familiarity of an old servant, "I don't know what a gentleman is. To think of ye putting up with a pair o' wild Irish bairns! Ah, Colonel, ye'll have the blessing, so ye will! Aweel, sir, and how soon will the young leddies be coming, and where will I put them?"

"Oh, I leave that to you, Mrs. Grant!" answered McLeod, smiling. "Only of course the best and brightest room, and I should think they would like to be together; probably they have always occupied the same room; but I can leave all arrangements to you, I know. Will you send Hector to me in twenty minutes, please?"

When Mrs. Grant had departed, charged to tell the wonderful news downstairs, which she did with many encomiums on the Colonel's generosity, Loris McLeod sat down and wrote a letter to Mr. Sullivan.

"It is my wish and intention," he said, "to receive the Misses Verner into my charge, and I pledge myself to act as their guardian and to undertake all responsibilities consequent on that assumption until they shall become of age. After that they must choose for themselves. I regret that it is absolutely impossible for me to leave my duties at this moment, or I should have had great pleasure in making myself known to you and my future charges. If you will kindly let me know however when it will be convenient for the young ladies to cross, I will send over a suitable escort, who will thus relieve you of all trouble. I beg to enclose a cheque for immediate necessities; my servant will see to everything else when she comes. I cannot conclude without thanking you for the interest you have taken in my old friend's daughters. I should have been pained had you been less frank about their affairs."

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"I like his letter," was Mr. Sullivan's comment to his wife over the breakfast-table—"a trifle reserved, but good. Let me see; wasn't there something about Colonel McLeod rather—h'm—ugly during the Mutiny?"

"I don't remember, my dear. I dare say; but it won't hurt the girls. Dear me, what a change for them, after this life, to a military household!"

When told of their future, Alice, the younger girl, burst into tears and bemoaned her sad fate, saying that she was positive she should hate Colonel McLeod, for he was sure to be a stiff martinet. But Cecil Verner stood gravely by her sister, with her arm round her, her large blue eyes dreamy with thought, and strove to comfort Alice.

"Don't cry, Alice," she said, "I dare say we shall be much happier than we think now. Perhaps Colonel McLeod isn't very strict; papa wasn't, you know. Loris McLeod! I like his name—I wonder what he is like."

CHAPTER II.

It was with no little anxiety that Colonel McLeod awaited the arrival of the two new inmates of Ridinghurst; he had sent off Janet Grant, a niece of the housekeeper, with instructions to spare no expense with regard to anything required by the sisters; Janet was to use her own discretion as to what those requirements were. He knew he could trust Janet, for she had lived for a long time as travelling maid in a nobleman's family, and, having just returned home, he had engaged her to wait on his wards.

Unfortunately the day that they would arrive from Ireland was the last day of the manœuvres, which were to conclude with an inspection by the Commander-in-Chief; and the Colonel expected to be kept late. It would seem inhospitable indeed for these homeless girls to find nobody to receive them when them when they arrived. However, there was no help for it; so Colonel McLeod rode away early in the morning, having given a last injunction to Mrs. Grant to be sure to apologise to the Misses Verner for his apparent neglect.

"Heaven bless the Colonel!" said the good dame while standing on the hall steps to see him ride off. "He's just every bit as tender-hearted as a girl, and as particular about politeness to these wild Irish lasses as if they was the Queen on her throne. Bless my soul, Grant"—turning to her husband the butler—"he looks that handsome in his uniform, you'd take him for thirty, that you would!"

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As the Colonel had expected, the autumn day had already closed in before he rode up the avenue of magnificent trees which led to the house; his eyes scanned the windows, for he half expected to see lights in the drawing-room, and his heart beat a little faster as he urged on his horse. A few moments later he sprang to the ground, and consigned his charger to Hector's care.

Mrs. Grant met him in the hall. Subdued excitement was visible in her face.

"They've come, sir; they've come," she said, taking the Colonel's helmet from his hand as he passed with a half smile at her eagerness. "And oh, sir, Miss Verner is such a bonny young leddie! Janet says she's the sweetest lassie she ever waited on. You won't wait, Colonel, now to take off that dress, will you?"—persuasively; for the good woman was anxious that the young "leddies" should see her master in his uniform.

"Why, Mrs. Grant," said McLeod, laughing, and unbuckling his sword, "you are as excited as though the children were your own. I won't wait; how long have they been here?"

"Oh, they came about five, Colonel, and I sent them in some tea! The youngest, Miss Alice, is young looking; but I thought you'd have them dine with you."

"Of course," replied the Colonel; and he turned away towards the drawing-room door, his spurred heels ringing on the tesselated pavement.

As Colonel McLeod entered the room, a tall lithe girlish figure rose from the depths of an arm-chair drawn near the fire—for the evenings were chilly—a pair of large wistful blue eyes were turned anxiously towards the door, and two delicate hands were clasped close together. So much Loris McLeod took in at the first glance, as he went across the great room; and, as his eyes rested upon that winning gracious beauty, it seemed to appeal to him with a strange force; old memories came rushing back at the sight of Albert Verner's child standing thus in that house; he forgot the words of welcome he had framed, forgot all but that a fair girlish face looked up to him with an earnest half-questioning gaze.

"My child!" was all he said, as he took both her hands in his in a close warm clasp. It was all he could say for a few moments.

The tears rushed to the poor Irish girl's eyes; she was impulsive and warm-hearted, and this welcome touched her to the quick. She had felt lonely and strange in this new unfamiliar house; but one look at Colonel McLeod's noble face had sent a thrill through her whole frame, and she felt as though she had known him for years.

"So you are Albert Verner's daughter," said the Colonel, looking down smilingly at the lovely face; and almost involuntarily he bent down and kissed her forehead with a tender reverence.

A bright flush rose to the girl's brow. She never quite forgot the joy that the gentle pressure of his lips had given to her young heart.

"But there is another, is there not?" asked McLeod, looking round. "You are not alone?"

"No. Alice—oh, Alice!"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

In some of the islands of the South Pacific where the clam attains a great size, diving for clams is one of the occupations of the natives. The diver thrusts a sharp iron rod into the mouth of the clam, which closes its shell with such tenacity that it can be pulled out of its bed. Occasionally divers who have carelessly allowed themselves to be caught in the grip of too powerful a clam have only saved their lives by cutting off their fingers, and leaving them at the bottom of the sea.

Girls' Allowances.

THE ADVANTAGES OF TEACHING THEM TO KEEP ACCOUNTS—THE COST OF EXPERIENCE—A FINANCIAL PROBLEM WHICH PUZZLES MANY MATRONS—RICH AND POOR.

(London Queen.)

One hears pretty constantly of the necessity of keeping accounts, and that, to be a good housekeeper, a woman should possess at least a rudimentary knowledge of the value of money. But, curiously enough, no one ever suggests from whence women are to get their knowledge, rudimentary or otherwise. In former days—and the tradition still lingers—it was believed that complete knowledge of cookery and housekeeping would come by nature as soon as the ring was fitted on the bride's finger, let her maiden life have been as free from any domestic care as it is possible to imagine; and many a miserable hour that delusion cost the new-made wife. But still we firmly believe that our daughters, brought up in girlhood as ignorant as anything concerning money as any lilies of the field, will develope, at any rate, a sufficient knowledge of its value and management the day they undertake the charge of a household. Some may do so, but very certainly most do not, and, in consequence, go through an immense amount of worry and trouble before they acquire experience. Now, experience must be bought. It can neither be borrowed nor given. So, in common fairness, we should try to let our dear ones buy theirs as cheaply as may be, and not, to save ourselves trouble and anxiety, expose them to the danger of purchasing it at the last moment at a price that may cost them much actual suffering, and even in some cases their domestic happiness.

ON AN ALLOWANCE.

As soon as they are able to understand a little what money is, children should have an allowance, however tiny, for their pocket-money. By means of this they will gradually learn the value and use of money. They will learn that if all is spent to-day, there will be none to-morrow—a lesson, by the way, that many of their elders would do well to learn!—and also the true meaning of charity. Giving a child money to give to the poor may be a pleasure to them, and a pretty way of helping those in want; but I doubt that teaching a child the meaning even of the form of charity that consists in giving. Simply giving our money or our time, when we have plenty of both, is hardly real charity, which surely does not mean giving what costs us nothing. But, if the money or the time has cost us some self-denial in the way of personal exertion or economy, then truly the gift blesses both giver and receiver. By the way, this may explain what one hears of so often from people, namely, "the ingratitude of the lower orders." The rich give of their superfluity, and exact in return gratitude. If gratitude were as easy as giving what it costs us nothing to spare, the exchange would be fair enough; but, unluckily, gratitude is at least as difficult a virtue as self-denial. Both virtues come naturally to some people, no doubt, but those people, I fear we must confess, are not the rule, but the exception that proves it.

BUYING EXPERIENCE.

But to return to our children and their pocket money. As soon as they are old enough for responsibility, the allowance should be increased to cover some necessaries, as well as their *menus plaisirs*. Girls at twelve or fourteen should be given so much a quarter for pocket money and for gloves, ties and the repairs of their boots and shoes. Some people give the allowance for the *chaussure* itself; but this is hardly a safe plan. Growing children should never wear either tight or short boots and shoes; but girls don't understand what suffering the transgression of this rule will entail in after years, and naturally think that if they choose to economize on their boots at some personal inconvenience it is quite fair. This allowance should always be punctually paid and the recipient be made fully to understand what she is to provide with it, and the tidiness and thorough repair of such articles should be always insisted on. As they get older, girls should always, if possible, have an allowance for their dress and little personal expenses. This is not the cheapest way of clothing them, for the mother's experience always enables her to lay out the money more profitably than the girls are able to do, at any rate at first. But to dress the girls economically and pretty is not a mother's only object. She has to teach them the value of, and responsibility entailed by, money, and lets them buy, at a low rate, and at her cost, the experience they would otherwise purchase far more dearly at their own or rather husband's expense. If properly managed, a girl's allowance will be a capital means of teaching these lessons.

KEEPING ACCOUNTS.

A girl should be given a fair stock of clothes and an account book, in which she should be taught to enter every thing she spends and receives. This book should be balanced every quarter when the next allowance is given, and strict accuracy insisted on. Debt should never be allowed. She should be taught that if a thing can not be afforded, it must be done without till such time as the means of paying for it are in hand. Still, in spite of all precautions, some girls will get into trouble. If they do, don't scold them, so as to make them hide it next time, which would entail worse consequences than even the debt; but point out her fault, pay the debt at once if possible, and hold the girl responsible for it, until by degrees and self-denial she has paid it back to you. Don't take a girl's allowance away because she is troublesome to manage, but watch her, and oblige her to be careful, encouraging her if she really tries her best, but making her feel the inconvenience and trouble caused by extravagance and carelessness. While avoiding frightening a girl from confessing her difficulties by over-severity, don't give way to the opposite extreme, and teach her to think lightly of debt. If she gets to feel that when she exceeds her allowance she has only "to go to papa" or "tell mamma," and coax the required deficit from them, or at worst, submit to a scolding, and so get it, all the good of an allowance is done away. She gets not to mind debt, for will not her father give her a check if she asks for it prettily at the right moment? Or will not mother, after half an hour's lecture, pay it out of her own pocket, while the culprit gets of scatheless.

WHERE THE MONEY GOES.

Strictly kept accounts should be insisted on. Girls can not too early learn method, and this is one very good way of teaching it, beside teaching them the value of money. One often hears people say, "Oh, what is the good of those strict accounts? I had so much in my purse yesterday and now there is only so much, and all the accounts in the world won't bring it back." Granted; but, if properly kept, they will show how the money went, and that is sometimes a difficulty when one depends on ones receipts for the large, and one's memory for the small items of one's expenditure. I heard once of a lady who was considerably annoyed by finding herself short of some money. Reckon it how she would she could not account for the loss. The house was searched, servants questioned and a thoroughly uncomfortable feeling produced in the household, as every one felt the money must have gone somewhere. The lady was very particular, and, though not keeping regular accounts, prided herself on her accuracy and memory, and keeping all her receipts and housekeeping books in splendid order. At last her husband insisted on her putting down every small sum she could remember, in spite of her protestations that she had done this herself; and little by little, with a good deal of trouble, she accounted for some of the missing change. Eventually the whole sum was accounted for by one of her children at school writing to thank her for some small present she had sent and totally forgotten. Now, if a person who is particular as to money matters can produce such confusion, imagine the results of carelessness. Until strict account is kept, no girl realizes how sixpences and shillings run up; and, had as the effect of this carelessness will be as a girl, judge what it will be when she is a woman with a household and its innumerable small wants.

A CONTRAST.

Among the poor, girls learn very early the value of money, as wives have usually a very fair idea of making the most of what comes in their way in spite of the accusation of thriftlessness so often brought against them. (When contrasting the comforts of their households with the wages weekly earned by their husbands one must remember that it is only a part of their pay which the women get, and in far too many cases only a very small part.) But girls of the upper and middle classes rarely learn any thing of money by actual experience. Their allowances are not so definitely fixed and kept to as to teach them its value even in dress necessaries. If they get into debt they are allowed to scramble on as best they can, or else they are helped out by main force, as it were. It is far easier to pay the debt when one discovers it, and let the culprit off with a more or less severe scolding, than to exercise the constant care and watchfulness that will keep the girl from mischief, or, at any rate, teach the girl to see the consequences of her folly, and help her, by self-denial, to atone for it. It may seem a hard view to take of what may be called the natural carelessness of youth; but there is an old saying, "As the sapling is bent the tree grows," and if a girl who is careless of debt is not taught right as a girl, what can she be when she grows up? If she is allowed to think that if she can not "cut her coat to her cloth," as the proverb runs, the fault lies with the cloth, not the cutter—can you wonder if, as a woman, she is extravagant and careless in money matters, fully convinced that this carelessness is at worst an amiable weakness, for which she is in nowise to blame, the real culprit being fate, which has denied her a sufficient fortune for her wants, or her husband, who fails to supply her with the necessary liberality.

Double-Handed Copy.

A REPORTER ATTEMPTS TO FURNISH COPY AT DOUBLE HIS USUAL RATE OF SPEED.

(From the Kansas City Journal.)

There is a reporter at the *Times* office who writes with equal rapidity with either hand. He is an ambidexter, and a bold, bad one at that. When there is a rush of work at the office and the devil is shouting "coppe" like a fiend incarnate, this reporter sits down at his desk in full company front, and, with a pencil in each hand, slings off local happenings by the yard. He writes on two sheets at once, and doesn't let his right hand know what his left hand is driving at, but it's driving all the same.

Yesterday he got a little off his mental base, and attempted to write up a dog fight and a wedding in high life at the same time. He got things mixed. His hands ran clear away with the gray matter in his skull, and things became terribly confused. This is the way his items telescoped each other:

"At Grace Church last night the nuptials of Mr. Thomas Johnson and Miss Julia Lawrence were celebrated in most magnificent style. A costly floral horse shoe being directly over the altar, and when the yellow cur saw the flames of anger darting from the eyes of the brindle fyste he opened with the impressive strains of the wedding march. As the handsome couple walked down the aisle the excited crowd began to get frantic, and there were yells of "Sick 'em, Bull," "At him now, Towser," as the spectators became interested in the fight. The bride was elegantly attired in pure white of the most costly fabrics, and she wore the traditional white veil and wreath of orange blossoms had him by his neck and his tongue began to loll out and his eyes to turn somersaults as if in the customary black dress suit, white gloves, ears cropped close to his head.

"He was a disreputable looking dog in the beginning, and ought to have been whipped for being so homely. He is of good family and is engaged in one of the most extensive manufacturing enterprises in the West. But the yellow cur seemed to be getting the advantage, as he had now succeeded in getting a death grip on the throat of the big brindle, and when he tenderley kissed the bride according to the ancient custom his back was covered with mud and his off hind leg was terribly chewed up.

"Among the costly presents received by the happy pair were a fine grand piano from the father of the bride hair had been scalded from his back and one eye seemed to have been struck with an anger. After a short bridal tour the happy pair will settle down to one of the hardest fought battles the reporter has yet witnessed, and it was difficult to tell which dog had been punished worst. The fight ended at exactly 4:48, after having been bitterly contested for an hour and a half were driven to the residence of the bride's parents, and he was taken to his owner's home in a wheelbarrow. He will probably never recover, and if he does will be totally blind. Besides being permanently lame in the left hind leg, the beautiful bride received the congratulations of a host of friends. The groom is one of our most promising young men, and his owner dreads the possibility of losing him, as he fears he can never replace him. The father of the bride is one of our wealthiest merchants, and the yellow fyste limped off with a knowing look in his eye and a saucy curl in his tail, as much as to say: 'Who else wants to try me?'"

The ambidexter was summarily "fired."

How our Forests are Used Up.

(From the Rochester Democrat.)

Our forests are rapidly going, while no adequate provision is being made to restore them. The State of New York has a great park full of timber in the northern wilderness, but annual fires are making havoc in that region. The great woods are probably losing more than they gain from annual growth. Wood is becoming more scarce and inaccessible every year. In many States the forests on level ground have mostly disappeared, and only remain upon high hills or mountains, which are not easily accessible. The *Monetary Times* tells how the forests disappear:

To make shoe pegs enough for American use consumes annually 100,000 cords of timber, and to make our lucifer matches, 300,000 cubic feet of the best pine are required every year. Last and boot trees take 500,000 cords of birch, beech, and maple, and the handles of tools 500,000 more. The baking of our bricks consume 2,000,000 cords of wood, or what would cover with forest about 50,000 acres of land. Telegraph poles already up represent 800,000 trees, and their annual repair consumes about 300,000 more. The ties of our railroads consume annually thirty years' growth of 75,000 acres and to fence all our railroads would cost $45,000 000, with a yearly expenditure of $15,000,000 for repairs.

In the Northwest there has been a very rapid destruction of the forests, and much solicitude is felt as to the future source of timber supply. Straw lumber has been manufactured to some extent in Kansas, and is said to answer the purpose very well. Straw lumber may be the lumber of the future. The refuse straw from the great grain-producing States of the West will be utilized. Instead of raising trees, the land can be devoted to grain, which may be sold, and the straw used for lumber. Coal for fuel and straw for inside finishing may relieve the pressure on the forests and give them a chance to grow.

Pine Culture on Waste Lands.

Scientific American.

Hitherto the abundance of natural timber in this country has made it easy to dispense with timber culture, and for the most part our land owners have taken little interest in such slow growing crops. This state of things, however, is rapidly passing away. The demand for special woods for manufacturing purposes is steadily and rapidly increasing, while the natural supply is diminishing and must ultimately become quite inadequate. Meanwhile there are millions of acres of acres of land suitable for timber culture and for nothing else, except poor pasturage, that our land owners are allowing to lie waste and idle for lack of a little forethought, and too frequently our would-be thrifty farmers will risk their surplus means in wild-cat speculations, promising but never yielding large and speedy returns, when the same money spent in planting timber would soon convert their worthless swamps and stony places into valuable properties.

A correspondent tells of a piece of land that was planted with walnut twenty-three years ago. This land was flooded every spring and summer, and was unfit for any ordinary cultivation. The trees are now from sixteen to twenty inches through, and have been sold for $27,000. No particulars are given as to the cost of planting the grove or the amount of attention it has had during the years of growth. There can be little doubt however, that the investment was small in comparison with the return, and the land would have otherwise remained entirely unproductive; to the contrary, the timber crop was so much clear gain. It is clear that our national resources might be enormously increased by a similar utilization by timber culture of lands which are now unused and unproductive; and the planters will find their groves a surer investment for the security of their family possessions than any savings bank deposit.

Jay Gould is going apparently to do the biggest thing yet in the way of monopoly. What is this world coming to? A few capitalists are going to bestride this earth like that old affair at Rhodes which everybody has heard of. What with consolidated railways, telegraphs, land grabs and so forth, the great mass of the people will soon be in the condition of slaves, and will have to pay toll and tribute to these earthly high priests of Mammon, just as they may see fit to settle. Won't there be an awful process of confiscation some day, when the people actually awake and say that this sort of nonsense must be dropped!

A Submarine Forest at Bombay.

(From the Indian Forester.)

In 1878, when excavations were made on the east side of the Bombay island for the Prince's Dock, the engineers found stumps of trees at a level of 12 feet and more below extreme low-tide mark, proving a considerable subsidence of the land on that side of the Bombay island. An account of this remarkable discovery was published in their records for 1878 by the Geological Survey, with a note by Mr. W. T. Blanford, which we reproduce below. But it will doubtless interest the readers of the *Indian Forester* to have some details relative to a subject which has a special interest for foresters. These details have been extracted chiefly from a late report by Mr. Ormiston, the resident engineer of the Bombay Port Trust.

The bottom of the dock is 45 ft. below the B. M. stone at the Bombay Town Hall, the surface being about 21 ft. below that mark and nearly 2 ft. below mean water level.

The excavation has opened out five distinct strata, the lowest of which is a rock with an extremely uneven surface. The rock (probably trap, though this is not stated in the report) was in places covered by moorum, and this by black loam. The thick loam was overlaid by a stratum of stiff blue clay from 6 to 20 ft. thick. The surface of this blue clay was nearly level, and the remains of branches, twigs, and reeds are distinctly traceable in it. The uppermost stratum was soft black clay or silt. The trees were growing on an uneven surface on the rock, and some on the moorum and black loam overlying the rock. The soil was generally very scanty, often not more than four to six inches thick, and the roots were spread out at almost right angles to the trunk. In some of the fissures of the rock there was a black muddy loam possibly the remains of decayed roots. Altogether 382 trees were found. They varied considerably in length and thickness, but appeared to be of contemporaneous growth—223 were standing upright, and 159 had fallen. The largest tree was 4 ft. 8 in. (according to the latest report 36 in. only) in girth and 46 feet in length; this was found on its side. Several others of equal girth were standing upright, but the upright trees were all broken off near the surface of the blue clay. The trees were standing at different levels, the highest being at low water level of spring tides, while the lowest was 16 ft. below low water level. Some of the forest in the Sundarbans is not much higher than the low water level of extreme spring tides. But this forest evidently had a character different from the Mangrove and Sundri Forest on the deep mud of the Sundarbans. These trees had grown on rock, or on the scanty soil overlaying that rock, and the forest probably stood above high water level. The difference at Bombay between low and high water at extreme spring tide is 16.60 feet, so that the subsidence, as indicated by the position of the trees, must have been more than 32 feet. The stumps which protruded through the blue clay into the silt were completely riddled to a short distance into the blue clay, by the perforations of the Teredo navalis or another similarly destructive animal. Lower down the holes became fewer, and many of the trees, when cut through into the blocks, showed a single hole winding towards the roots, and getting large as it approached the foot of the tree.

Of the trees found lying down, some must have drifted, as they were without branches or roots. The large fallen down tree, mentioned above, had left a complete cast of its branches in the blue clay, though the woody matter was gone.

Apparently all the trees were of the same kind except two, which it is said looked like teak trees. The wood of the others is described as fine-grained and dark, like rose-wood.

No remains of any kind were found which might have indicated human habitation; nor were any shells or other organic objects discovered in the blue clay or the ground underneath it, except one oyster-shell which was embedded in some gravel in a crevice of the underlying rock.

But it is mentioned that traces of twigs and seeds are noticed, the latter having left impressions of their shapes in the blue clay, a fine film at the outside skin in some cases adhering to the clay. None of the casts were more than half an inch wide, but they were found close together, and in a vertical position.

Below the places where these casts of seeds were traced, it is mentioned that the loam stratum was perforated with holes like rat holes, and that these were filled with very fine clay, nearly as fluid as cream. Some of the holes commenced from the surface of the loam, penetrating it for the length of a foot; others ran in a horizontal direction.

The area excavated is about thirty acres; thus there were, on an average, seven trees per acre standing. But in addition to these some of the fallen trees had probably grown on the spot. The trees were not, however, equally distributed, but were found grouped in large clusters on a portion only of the area.

Leaving to the geologist the further discussion of this most remarkable discovery, it will be well here to offer a few remarks which may be of interest to our readers. So much seems clear, that, after the land on which the trees grew had subsided below the sea, a deposit of clay gradually and slowly settled down upon the trees, and that at a later period a second desposit coming from another source, and consisting of soft silt followed.

The trees were probably killed by continued immersion in water. Soon after they had been killed, and before the deposit of stiff clay had settled around them, they were broken, and blown down by winds and waves. From what is stated in the reports which have furnished the data for these notes, it would seem that the wood is in no way petrified, but has preserved its character in a remarkable manner. It would be well to examine the structure of the wood found, and to compare it with that of Indian woods of the present day, in order to identify them, and determine whether they belong to families which are extinct, or are still found in India.

An Emperor in a Hospital.

(Letter to the London Globe.)

The Emperor, who makes it a point to leave no branch of art, science, or industry long without the encouragement of his presence, has this week being going the rounds of the Pesth hospitals in company of the physicians and surgeons attached thereto. The visits lasted in some cases three or four hours. His majesty insisted upon being informed of every detail connected with the establishment. Instruments were passed in review, and the more modern improvements of surgical apparatus carefully studied and described. Nothing was left unseen, and his majesty lingered long in the wards talking kindly to the patients. Indeed, one highly hysterical female went off into fits of excited delight, and had to be restrained till she could master her feelings. So great an interest, indeed, did Franz Joseph display, that the delighted head surgeon ventured to ask the king whether he would not like to witness an operation or two. "We have a most interesting case of caries of the leg, necessitating amputation, your majesty," said Æsclapius, smiling and rubbing his hands. "The operation is down for to-morrow, but we shall be charmed to perform it at once, if your majesty would like to see it." Then came interesting details of Esmarch, bandages, and chain-saws. Franz Joseph, however, greatly refused this seductive offer, but desired to see the poor fellow who would on the morrow occupy the operation tables. He was a young man of 28, a telegraph clerk, the chief support of his mother and sister. The sufferer began to cry at the kind and encouraging words the king spoke as he sat at his bedside. Come what may, however, he need now be under no apprehension about the future of those dear to him, for before leaving, Franz Joseph gave him his hand, with the words: "Your mother and sister shall not want."

Funeral Procession a Mile Out on Lake Erie.

At Buffalo, the other day, a funeral procession of six or eight carriages, on a very stormy day, started for a rural cemetery. They were obliged on account of the drifts to take the road that runs along the lake shore, and slowly plodded their way along what they supposed was the proper street. Finding they did not reach their destination, they stopped after a while to investigate, and found to their horror that they were one mile from land out on the frozen waters of Lake Erie. The ice was thin and treacherous, and in their bewilderment they hardly knew which way to turn, but at last, with fear and trembling and almost perished with cold, they crept back to the shore and returned with their dead to the city to defer their mournful errand to another day.

CAN a tooth that is a-king, after it is drawn out be said to have sprung from noble blood?

Our Girls.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

"Our girls" are coming grandly to the front and their state character and prospects are being discussed with a zeal, earnestness, and animation that leave nothing to be desired. Members of the rougher sex take the chief part in this discussion and say all manner of kind, patronizing or severe things about the other half of the race, according to their natural tastes, surroundings and experiences. What is to be done in the way of female education, and of female employment, what women may learn with propriety, and what rigidly ought to be kept beyond their reach, what occupations they may follow in order to earn a subsistence, and what are perfectly *au* feminine, and evidently intended by Providence exclusively for men, are all graciously settled with more or less of omniscience and authority by those who, if they don't believe any other passage in the Bible, have great faith in that which says, "I suffer not a woman to teach nor to usurp authority over the man, but to be in silence." The co-education of the sexes takes up the attention of a good many, and still another batch try to settle whether or not women should have any higher education at all, and if so, what that should be, and how it ought to be conducted. And still, amid it all, men's voices are chiefly heard and the whole bearing of these is that of pitying, patronizing protective condescension as if they were discussing the best way of managing and improving a piece of property that belonged exclusively to themselves, and with which, as a matter of right, they could do very much as they pleased. Debating clubs discuss the whole question at their open meetings, and young men and lads are the exclusive orators, while the fair sex are there as admiring spectators and listeners to have their whole *personnel* freely considered; to be told that they cannot reason, that intellectually they are essentially inferior to their lords and masters; that they can only be educated to a certain extent, and that it is neither possible nor desirable to give them the same intellectual training which their brothers, sons, and husbands must necessarily have, if they are to accomplish anything either for themselves, or for the race. Now all this is very fine, and very considerate on the part of these masculine orators and educationists, but might it not be only reasonable that the "female brethren" should also be heard from, and that men should not talk to these as if they were household chattels. Were conveniences to be utilized exclusively and always for the glory, honour and comfort of those for whom, no doubt, they were created. The discussion will do good. It has done so already, and will do still more as it goes on. In the meantime, however, would it not be well if men, and especially young men, were not quite so cocky, and not quite so patronizing in their way of conducting the discussion? Women are fully one half of the race, and with all reverence, be it spoken, are not absolutely the private personal property of the other half. They fully contribute their share to making the world what it is, and are not to be treated as if they were either supernumeries or paupers. The Rev. Knox Little, no doubt tells them that the sum and substance of their duty is to obey their husbands when they have such, and, we suppose, their pastors and spiritual advisers when they happen to be either spinsters or widows. But Mr. Little is not Solomon, and but a very small fraction of the sisterhood will be inclined to take the law at his lips. In the meantime, it is settled beyond all controversy that women, as a whole, are not so stupid nor so useless as some would imagine. And that to a great extent as they are, so is the society in which they live. Stupid, illiterate mothers, make stupid illiterate sons, and sisters whose chief duty it is to worship, coddle and obey their brothers, generally make the objects of their idolatory, soft, selfish, conceited milksops for their pains. That there are particular spheres for women's activity and energy is, we think beyond all controversy, but it is equally evident that men have frequently invaded these and supplanted the rightful occupants. We don't believe that education, even of the highest kind, if it be really what it is called, will unfit women for occupying their particular places in the human economy. On the contrary, it will make them more efficient. In the meantime let it be kept steadily in view that women are an integral part of the race, and that it is but reasonable that they should have some efficient voice in making all those social educational and other arrangements from which their whole futures have to take their cast, colour and character. It is a matter for conference and consultation among all concerned, not for a man to settle of his own mere matter of course. We should not like to see women believe that it would be in accordance with the fitness of things that she should serve before the mast, shoe horses, or tramp to the wars. But there are surely a great many things which she might very properly do which she has not yet been allowed to attempt, and there is nothing absurd in imagining her taking a loving intelligent interest in everything connected with her own and the world's destiny, and be not the less able to cook a dinner, darn a stocking, sweep a room, or nurse a baby as occasion may require. Even as things are, 'our girls' are not such useless, thoughtless triflers as many would seem to imagine, though even if they were, who is to blame but the men, who may possibly be frightened that if women get too intelligent, the nakedness of their own intellectual territories would the more strikingly and distressingly appear, and their long claimed superiority, would be seen to be an impudent assumption and an exploded myth.

The Pedestrian and the Bloodhounds

Hearing Lord W. boast that his bloodhounds would track any living thing, by scent alone, Col. A. wagered a hundred guineas they would not track a man, and asked Mountjoy to win the wager for him, assuring the startled pedestrian there was no danger of the dogs catching him as they were slow runners, and he would take care sufficient start was allowed him; the object being simply to test their power of scent. The trial duly came off over three miles of ground round Hampstead Heath. After the dogs had sniffed at Mountjoy's legs, he made his way leisurely for half the course, when the flag was dropped and the hounds set loose. They tracked their quarry splendidly, but where 600 yards behind when Mountjoy reached the inn at the end of the course, and shut the door upon them, outside which they howled their dissatisfaction until removed by their keeper. Disbelievers in the bloodhound's scent were still unconvinced, averring that they had sighted the man for part of the journey at least; and to settle the point beyond dispute, another match was made, to be run at night, the distance this time being but a mile and a half. Unsuspicious of foul play, Mountjoy went gayly on his way, but had not accomplished more than two-thirds of the distance allowed him by the conditions, when his hair stood on end, as the cry of the dogs, hot upon his trail, reached his ears. They had been purposely slipped before the proper time, without any warning. "For one second," said he, "I stood stock still, as if I had been frozen, and then dashed away and ran, as I had never done before, and have never done since. I was in perfect training and condition, but the cold sweat broke out from every pore, and poured down my body, while my legs seemed like lead, and I trembled all over. Still I kept desperately on, while nearer came the deep hoarse bay of the hounds as the scent grew warmer, and they knew they were running up to their prey. I thought I was lost. Those few seconds were like weeks, and I wondered whether they would grip me first by the leg or fly straight at my throat. Luckily, I did not lose my head; and after the first mad burst I settled down and raced away at a pace which I knew would last the distance; but still closer and closer came the horrible cry, that sounded like my death-knell; and, in sheer desperation, I put on all the speed I could. At last I saw the lights of the lonely little inn, and my heart rose within me; but at that very instant the brutes broke out into a fierce savage yell that told me that they had sighted me at last. There was a small garden in front of the house, and as I flew up to it I saw that the gate was shut. How I did it I never knew; but, blown and exhausted with terror and the pace as I was, I cleared it, darted through the door, which fortunately stood open, and slamming it to, stood with my back against it. The lock hardly closed, when bang! bang! against the panels came my terrible pursuers; and then they lay down and yelled savagely at finding themselves baulked of their prey." As soon as he felt himself safe rage took the place of fear, and, seizing hold of a bottle, Mountjoy swore he would brain Lord W. if he entered the place, a threat he would have fulfilled had not those present got him out of the room in time to prevent most justifiable homicide.

WHY is the index [illegible] like the middle class society? Because it lies between the upper-crust and the under-bred.

DARWIN rises at 6 and goes to bed at 10. That's the kind of baboon he is.

Scotch Timber Trees.

From a series of articles on the "Woods and Forests of Perthshire" recently published in the Perthshire Constitutional, we gather that fir plantations occupy a large area of the woods of Scone, Lord Mansfield being the proprietor of perhaps the most extensive old Scotch fir plantations in Perthshire. Many of the trees are from 80 to 100 years of age and the quality of the timber is magnificent. At Moorward Wood there are still a number of Scotch fir trees close upon 300 years of age. Amongst these is a very remarkable tree, appropriately called "The King of the Forest," on account of its extraordinary size. It stands in the center of a section of the old wood, which was recently cut down, and is "attended" by about half a dozen trees of large size and great beauty—worthy "attendants" upon a "king"—to protect it from the fury of the elements. The "king" stands about 80 ft. in height, has a girth of 16 feet, at 3 feet from the ground, and 13 ft. 4 inches at 6 ft. from the ground, and contains about 400 cubic ft. of timber. There is no Scotch fir of similar size south of Braemar, and it is doubtful if its equal can be found even there. Moorward extends to upward of 400 acres. In the same district, says the writer, we noticed three oaks of royal mein, the first two being *Quercus sessiliflora* and the other a *pedunculata*. The former were planted in 1808, the latter a year later; and, for "plantation" trees, are very extraordinary for their age. The first has a pure stem of 56 ft., the height is over 80 ft., it girths 8 ft. 7 in. 5 ft. from the ground, and has 78 cubic ft. of timber. The second is about the same height, is seven feet in circumference, and has 94½ cubic ft. of timber. The *pedunculata* has a stem of 57 ft., girths 6 ft. 9 in., and has 114 cubic ft. of timber. All of these trees are quite near the two-middlestone from Perth. Here too we noticed the old Coupar-Angus Road, now covered with several ash trees, bordering on 100 ft. in height and got a glimpse of a fine line avenue, fully 600 yards long.

On the Taymount estate there are 172 acres of a valuable crop of trees, 55 years of age, principally lard and Scotch fir. In the neighborhood of Taymount House there are some fine old oaks. One of these oaks on the river side on the east march of Innernytie measures 20 ft. 10 in. in girth at 5 ft. above the ground. It has a splendid ramification of limbs, and is altogether a noble tree. It is believed to be about 500 years of age.

At Lynedoch a large acreage has been planted since the Earl of Mansfield purchased the property from the late Lord Lynedoch, about 36 years ago. The woods at Lynedoch are not only very extensive, but they are of great value. Here is a great silver fir, acknowledged to be one of the finest in Great Britain. Here, also, are two magnificent *Douglasii* firs, which rank among the best to be met with in this country. The silver fir is 110 ft. high. It is about 150 years old girths 13 ft. 10 in. at 3 ft. from the ground, 13 ft. 3 in. at 5 ft. from the ground, has a spread of 45 ft. and contains 425 cubic ft. of timber. The largest *Douglasii* fir has lost its leader, but the other is perfect in all its proportions. They were planted in 1834, and both reach an altitude of 85 ft. The one measures 9 ft. 10 in. at 3 ft. from the ground, and 9 ft. 7 in. at 5 ft. from the ground, and the other measures 9 ft. 3 in. at 5 ft. from the ground. The largest tree has a spread of branch of 70 ft., and the other a spread of 45 ft.; and the cubic feet of timber in the one is 132, and in the other 121 ft. On the west side of the estate there is a large tract of larch plantation about 50 years of age, the seed of 300 acres of which is said to have been sown by the late Lord Lynedoch when on horseback. From some points of view this plantation is so extensive as to convey the impression that the whole property is one vast forest, scarcely anything but larch being visible within a very wide range. The forest is in perfect health, and when it comes to be cut down will no doubt yield a most profitable return. Only a very inadequate idea of the value of the wood on the Lynedoch property can here be given, and it is probable that during the lifetime of the late Lord Lynedoch it was even more valuable than at present, as a large tract of valuable old timber was cut down before Lord Mansfield purchased the property. Indeed, for 10 years previous to Lord Mansfield securing the property Lord Lynedoch and his representatives were making sad havoc amongst the woods, cutting down timber to the value of about £5,000 per annum during the entire decade.

"Many hearts deplored
The fate of those old trees, and oft with pain
The traveler at this day will stop and gaze
On wrongs which nature scarcely seems to heed."

Notwithstanding this wholesale destruction, the estimated value of the wood by the exposer was as high at £52,000. The Earl of Mansfield has been at enormous expense in re-foresting the plantations which were so ruthlessly despoiled. An almost incalculable quantity of young trees, chiefly Scotch fir, have been trained and planted, and now many thriving young plantations occupy the ground rendered vacant by the despoiler.

In the neighbourhood of Logie mansion house there is a large extent of fine old timber, consisting of beech, plain oak and larch. There is also a splendid avenue of Walnut trees, and several gigantic silver firs. Some of the plane trees are remarkably large. One of them contained 300 cubic feet of timber when Lord Mansfield acquired the property. The tree is still very healthy, and now contains about 250 cubic feet of good timber. Along the banks of the Almond are some very fine Weymouth pines. At the old main approach to Logie house there is a magnificent avenue of lime and beech trees. In every respect it is perhaps the finest in Perthshire. It is fully a quarter of a mile in length,—is very wide—the trees are aged, and of large dimensions, while the foliage reaches almost to the ground. It presents altogether a grand sight, and one upon which the noble proprietor may look with no small pride.

Although the plantations on the property of the Earl of Mansfield extend to about 0,000 acres. Almost the whole of this vast forest occupies ground that would otherwise be unprofitable, and an eyesore in the landscape. Some idea of the extent of planting in recent years may be gathered from the fact that for many years after Mr. M'Corquodale became forester he planted from 300,000 to 500,000 trees every year.

Proceeding along the walk at the top of the cliff skirting the banks of the Almond, near the historical wood of Methven, we suddenly meet with a monster beech, ranking amongst the largest in the country. It is believed to be about 500 years old, and may have been a large tree when the battle of Methven Wood was fought. One almost instinctively lifts his hat on coming across such a venerable monarch of the forest. Who can recount what has transpired within its protracted life-time? How many generations of mankind have lived and died since it first sprung up in that quiet spot by the side of the classic stream on whose banks Ossian sleeps? How many storms has it weathered? Has it any history beyond its general association with the bloody struggles which took place around it? If so, it must remain a sealed book forever. The tree strikes one all the more forcibly that it confronts him unexpectedly. The walk on the summit of the cliff is not fringed with trees remarkable for their size—coppice wood and young trees generally predominating on both sides. We therefore walk leisurely along the footpath without the slightest expectation of seeing anything noteworthy for some little time, but a sharp turn to the right, and a few steps onwards, bring us instantly to a standstill, in mute admiration of the gigantic vegetable wonder before us. The tree has every appearance of being over 100 ft. in height, over-topping by far many immense trees in the neighbourhood. At 1 ft. from the ground it measures 21 ft. 10 in., and at 5 ft. from the ground it measures 14 ft. 9 in. It has a splendid bole of 20 ft., and divides into five great limbs, each of which would be a large tree by itself. As yet it shows no signs of decrepitude, but seems to be endowed with perpetual youth, the whole tree being in luxuriant health and foliage. It is, unfortunately, closed in to a large extent with coppice wood, and its huge proportions are not, therefore, shown to the best advantage; but this obstruction may, in course of time, removed, and the giant displayed in all his beauty. Almost opposite the beech to which we have been referring is a very fine oak, measuring 11 ft. 10 in. at 1 ft. from the ground, and 8 ft. 9 in. at 5 ft. from the ground, with a bole of 30 ft. Close by the banks of the river is a beautiful plane, 11 ft. 6 in. at 1 ft. from the ground, and 9 ft. 1 in. and 5 ft. from the ground. The bole is about 20 ft., and the branches spread far over the river.

A YOUNG city fellow bought a farm last winter. He had a fine orchard of about two hundred apple trees, and a few weeks ago he tapped every one of them for cider.

The Widow.

In middle-class Spain, the [illegible] her servant "my daughter," [illegible] on a kind of free-and-easy footing, much authority on the mistress, and certainly little discipline on the part of the servant; and the [illegible] herself, since she has little to do, dusts with her little *beno* or broom made of strips of cloth, [illegible] room. "It was 'ours' once," [illegible] "it was his and mine; now, it is mine!" Yet she has never [illegible] with all her dusting and [illegible] never moved *his* things; [illegible] floor in the Army, her husband, lo, there, on its accustomed [illegible], though he were likely to come and put it on, and pass out, with a [illegible] ty and a kind good-bye, to the [illegible] or the parade ground, there hangs his sword at his bed-head; there, on the dressing-table burns his star of [illegible]; there are his boots, his uniform [illegible] no? "Ah!" she weeps, as his [illegible] day comes round, "pobre [illegible] bueno que ha sido a mi" ("Ah, [illegible] little fellow; how good he was to [illegible]. And then, in a flood of scalding [tears], in that lonely room, she kneels and prays to La Virgen de los Dolores. [illegible] pushes away her simple meal, the egg, the *puchero*, the cup of black [cof]fee: she wanders up and down the [illegible] "Ah! it is so lonely without [illegible]" she says, and, at night, her heart [illegible] ing with its load of troubles, she [cries] herself to sleep, her crucifix clasped [to] her breast, her pillow wet with [tears]. Sunshine, thank God, in Spanish [sor]row, often bursts upon the glistening landscape ere the clouds have [passed] away, but the clouds return; they [come] back at the recurrence of every [illegible] his, the lost one's, saint: at every [sight] of his little things; there is not, [as in] English sorrow, a steady cloudy [sea]son, and then sunlight, bright and steady if somewhat mellowed and autumnal in its glow.

The Burial Place of the Prince Consort.

The beautiful burial place of the Prince Consort has been erected at the Queen's sole expense, and cost about £200,000. It lies in the midst of shrubs in the gardens of Frogmore, many of the trees have an inscription telling when they were planted by various members of the royal family. The mausoleum is a work of the [illegible] magnificence. The richest Venetian mosaics, by D. Salviani, are employed in ceilings and walls. Magnificent paintings adorn each transept, the subjects being the Nativity, Crucifixion and Resurrection of our Lord. Marble panelling, bas-reliefs in statuary marble, and others in terra-cotta, are around, and various texts in English and in German meet the eye. The whole floor is of the most beautiful inlaid polish marble, and in the centre stands the sarcophagus containing the mortal remains of our Queen's beloved consort, Albert, "the Good." [At the] four [corners] kneeling angels, with clasped hands and opened wings, at each corner, executed by Marochetti, with a recumbent statue of the Prince, one of the last works of this sculptor. The spotless marble figure of the Prince is a perfect likeness. He is clad in [his] military uniform, with the mantle of the Order of the Garter round him. [It] lies but upon one-half of the vast sarcophagus, and is a reminder of the [wish] of the royal widow, who, in erecting this memorial, looked on to the time when, her own life ended and her work accomplished, she should be laid to rest by the side of him she ever mourns. [As] group after group entered the precincts and passed to the left of the Prince Consort's tomb, they stopped to admire another exquisite memorial placed in this sacred spot within the last year. It is Boehm's statue of H. R. H. Princess Alice, Duchess of Hesse, who is represented lying asleep with her child in her arms—that child whom she had so devotedly nursed to its last hour. Mother and child are like life, and the inscription well says of the mother, "she counted her life dear unto herself." Many fresh wreaths had been laid upon both those tombs by the Queen and Royal Family before the public were admitted.—The Queen.

An Audience of Queen Elizabeth.

Amongst the archives at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Paris is a curious document, and account [by] Hurault de Maisse of a mission upon which he went as Ambassador to the English Court in 1597. His first interview with Elizabeth took place on the 8th of December in that year, and is described with graphic minuteness. One of the court carriages came for the Ambassador of Henry IV., and conducted him to the Thames, where a boat was awaiting him, which immediately put off, and deposited him at Whitehall. He was then conducted by the Lord Chamberlain through a dark corridor—the obscurity of which made a great impression on his mind—to a private apartment in which was the Queen. Her Majesty was sitting in a low chair at the top of the room, alone and retired, at a distance from the crowd of lords and ladies in the lower part of the chamber. When he had made his reverence she advanced five or six paces to meet him, and took both his hands, after he, on his part, had humbly kissed the lower part of her dress. She then excused herself for not having received him before, by alleging an inflammation on the right side of her face. "She also made me her excuses," adds the Ambassador, "for being found in her night-dress, and began to reproach her attendants, saying, 'What will these gentlemen think to see me dressed in this guise? I am truly grieved that they should see me in this state.'" The gown in question was a close-fitting dress of white carnation, with a profusion of silver gauze. "It had open sleeves lined with red taffetta, and was garnished with other little sleeves which hung down as far as the ground, and which she kept tying and untying from time to time. She had on her head a garland of rubies and pearls, and underneath a great thick wig, of a reddish color, with an infinity of gold and silver curl-papers, and a few pearls which hung down over her forehead."

WASTE OF TIMBER.—A correspondent writing from central Missouri, says of the farming community of that section: "The waste of timber is appalling. They girdle and burn up magnificent forests of oak, hickory, ash and linden, to make room for new wheat and corn fields, while the old ones are not half cultivated. They split elegant young walnut and cherry into millions of common rails, to fence lands worth only $8, $10 and $20 per acre, and then wonder why they must pay three prices for walnut furniture from factories a thousand miles away. They even put walnut logs into sluice-ways, cabins, pig troughs, cordwood and wash-outs, without a thought that the timber famine will appal them twenty years hence.

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AN English doctor says that in large cities night air is often the best and purest air to be had in twenty-four hours, and that fully one-half of all the diseases afflicting humanity are occasioned by people sleeping with their windows shut.

A STOCK company was formed of seven boys of Belleville, Ind., for the purpose of sawing up railroad iron into chunks and selling it to junk men. They raised a capital of $6, with which they bought some tools, and began operations. One rail had not been prepared for market, however, before the shareholders were all arrested. The concern is insolvent.

ONE of the officers of the steamship City of Berlin states that he has received the current from a Siemen's dynamo-electric machine through the legs, trunk, left arm, thumb, and one finger. He says he did not like the sensation, but that he could have endured it if necessary, although the current was capable of giving four lights of four hundred candle power each.

Sir Saville Lumley, the British Minister at Brussels, who was for many years at Washington as First Secretary and Charge d'Affaires, seems to have an easy time at that capital of a quite little kingdom. His chief duty seems to be the transmission of some special biscuits from the Queen of the Belgians to her sister Queen of England. Victoria took a fancy to them when travelling in Germany, and is passionately fond of them.

A WRITER in *Nature* says that before the voyage of the Challenger scarcely thirty deep-sea fishes were known; that, although this number has now been very much increased, yet no new types of families have been discovered, and that, although perfectly novel and very interesting modifications of certain organs have been met with, there has been nothing more discovered than what might have been expected from what was known previously of the group.

Ireland is still a seething caldron, but it would seem more and more likely that Gladstone will be able to apply an effective remedy. The proverbial violence and wrongheadeduess of Milesian agitators are helping the authorities wonderfully, and bringing English public opinion, both Conservative and Liberal, to back Gladstone's repressive measures almost as a unit. Will the three Fs be carried with equal ease and determination?

THE following incident, related by a member from the Black Hills, as having occurred at a Yankton church, may be true, but lacks confirmation: "But I pass," said the minister in dismissing one theme of the subject to take up another. "Then I make it spades!" yelled a member of the committee on charitable and penal institutions from northern Dakota, who was dreamily engaged in an imaginary game of euchre. He went out on the next deal, assisted by a bald-headed deacon with a full band of clubs.

THE floods in Holland have caused wide-spread devastation and suffering. Dykes at Nieuwkuyk that resisted storm and wave for 80 years succumbed to the tempests of the wild winter, and a vast area, containing hundreds of thousands of acres and a population of 90,000 persons, was flooded. Add to this severe cold, and it is easy to form a conception of the suffering that ensued. Many houses were torn from their foundations, others fell in, and in many the inmates were made prisoners in the garrets and on the roofs, where they were subjected to all the pangs of hunger and exposure. The catastrophe was owing to the neglect of the Government to maintain the dyke in proper condition.

Death has of late been very busy with our public men. At this rate the older class will soon all have disappeared. Alexander Mackenzie is almost the only one on the one side and Sir John Macdonald on the other. These two are now looked up to as the Nestors of our politicians. And yet, according to the British standard, neither of them is an old man. They are but boys compared with Gladstone or Beaconsfield, and so have been all those who have died during the past year or two. Very few of these have been above sixty, or if so only a year or two. Men, at such ages in Britain, are thought only at their prime. Here they are regarded as perfectly ancient and venerable. And then how soon they are forgotten after they are dead. Who now either thinks or speaks on Sir George Cartier or George Brown, or Holton, or Christie? Luc Letellier has been talked of during the past few days and some have tried to show that he was a martyr and "hounded" to death. Before a month is past nobody, except his most intimate friends, will ever mention his name. I am almost tempted to play Corporal Trim, but I won't; the more especially as no Uncle Toby is exactly come-at-able, and the readers of TRUTH might not thank me for dabbling in pathos, and prosing over the inevitable forgetfulness that awaits us all.—*Toronto Truth.*

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CHAPTER II. CONTINUED.

It was such a sweet silvery voice, with just the slightest trace of an Irish accent. The last words were spoken with shocked reproach as the little figure came shyly from behind a screen and stood still with downcast eyes.

"What! you are afrid of me, my child?" said Colonel McLeod, half laughing.

He took her hands and kissed her too, and drew her forward to the light. She was a pretty girl, with likeness enough to the elder to prove her relationship, but with not one tithe of Cecil's beauty and lacking Cecil's winning grace and nameless charm—at least so Colonel McLeod thought; and he was a keen physiognomist.

"I am afraid I have not given you much of a welcome home," he said, putting Cecil back into her seat and bringing forward a chair for Alice, who had received his caress shyly and in silence, but who was now furtively scanning the tall erect figure in the glittering uniform. "I was obliged to be present to-day at the manœuvres, or I should have come to meet you myself. But you have been well taken care of, I hope?"

"Oh, yes, thank you, Colonel McLeod!" said Cecil, a little shyly, but without the slightest awkwardness of manner; and she was fast losing a certain awe she had felt at first. "And Janet was so kind to us in Ireland."

"She took us shopping in Dublin," remarked Alice, with wide-open eyes of delight at the recollection, "and bought us ever so many things. She said we were to be the Colonel's wards."

"Ah, little maid, you find your tongue when we come to the shopping!" said McLeod, smiling. "Janet was quite right—you are my wards; and I will do my best to take care of you."

Cecil raised her large eyes again with a half-wistful look; they expressed a mute gratitude that her lips could not frame into words. She wanted to say too much; her heart was full of unuttered thanks for all the Colonel's kindness; but Alice, whose shyness seemed to have quite disappeared, came to her aid with an account of the discomfort of the passage by sea.

"I was ill, but Cecil wasn't, nor was Janet. I wanted to stop at Holyhead till I was well, but Janet wouldn't; and we went on to London. Oh, I like London, Colonel McLeod! Why don't you live there?"

"Because my duties keep me at Ridinghurst," said the Colonel, who was amused. It seemed so strange to him to be listening to a girl's chatter. "I am Colonel of a regiment stationed at Hyde."

"Oh, like papa was at Cork before he left the Army! Did you know papa very well, Colonel McLeod?"

"He was a very old friend of mine, my dear," answered Loris McLeod; and Cecil noticed the slight change in his tone as he spoke. "We served together once."

"Papa used to talk of you so often, Colonel McLeod," said Cecil softly; and Alice exclaimed ergerly—

"Wasn't it in the Indian Mutiny? Papa was there, and he used to wear a lot of medals. You don't have any, Colonel McLeod. Why don't you wear them so—on your coat?"

There was a momentary pause, and a slight tremor shook the Colonel's tall figure. Then he answered quietly—

"Your father was in action after that, my child. I came home before the Mutiny closed."

"But why did you?" persisted Alice; she had no idea that she was implanting a thorn with every word.

"I suppose because I was not wanted, my dear. What a number of questions!" said the Colonel, smiling, and moving away a little from the glare of the firelight.

Cecil glanced across at her sister warningly; she had an instinctive knowledge that, for some reason, the Colonel did not wish to talk about India; but Alice never heeded any warning when she wanted to be heard; her shyness was skin-deep.

"Couldn't you get medals at home then?" she asked.

"No; only on active service."

"Wouldn't you like to have the Victoria Cross? Oh, shouldn't I, if I was a soldier!" cried Alice. "Why didn't you, Colonel McLeod?"

"Don't be so silly, Alice!" interposed Cecil quickly, vexed beyond measure at her sister's forwardness. But the Colonel only said, with a half-smile that was strangely sad and sweet—

"It is not given to every one, Alice, to win that which is the highest reward a soldier can win. If a man wears that on his breast, he may indeed be proud. But I mustn't keep you talking here now," he added; "it is getting late, and I am all covered with dust. I ought to apologise," he said to Cecil, "for coming into a lady's presence just as I am; but I would not wait."

"I am so glad you did not," said Cecil naively. "I wanted so to see you soon; it doesn't seem strange now we know you."

"Thank you, my child—" and the Colonel smiled down upon the winsome face. "I only want you to feel at home here, because this is your home now; you will soon fall into new ways. Happily, young things like you can adapt yourselves to circumstances."

"Shall we not be in your way, Colonel McLeod?" said Cecil wistfully; and she put her little soft hand into his. "Will you tell us everything you like us to do, or not to do? Because, you know"—and the girl spoke earnestly as she saw that he was about to speak—"we haven't been brought up quite like the girls you know, I am sure. We lived all alone with papa; and I am afraid you will think us very wild, and perhaps we shall often vex you. But I should like so to try to do exactly what you would wish."

This was said with a subdued impulsivness, while the girl's eyes sparkled with earnest feeling.

"Do you think I am so very strict then, Cecil?" asked Colonel McLeod, laying one hand on her shoulder and bending down a little. "Perhaps I can shape my life to yours. At any rate I make you this promise—when you are very much in my way, I will tell you. Will that do?"

There was some latent mischief in the glance he gave the girl that reassured her and lightened the burden which had been pressing on her heart. She smiled brightly, and Alice said meditatively—

"I think it would be rather nice to be your ward. Mrs. Sullivan said we must 'mind our p's and q's,' because military households are very strict; but I don't think so; you are very kind."

The Colonel laughed outright.

"Thanks for your commendation," he said: "but I don't think I am very strict. I sha'n't quarrel with you for riding the ponies bare-backed, for instance, for sliding down the balusters instead of coming down on your feet. Those are some of your tricks, I can see," as a merry glance passed from Cecil to Alice. "Well, well, be young as long as you can, only don't let the ponies throw you."

"We can stick on anyhow," said Cecil, laughing; "only I expect your horses are more frisky than our poor old Mick."

"Well, you won't want to ride bare-backed, I dare say," remarked McLeod, with a smile; "saddles and riding habits are the fashion in Hyde. You do ride in a civilized manner, I suppose?"

"Oh, yes! We used to before—before papa lost his money," said Alice. "Shall we ride, Colonel McLeod?"

"Of course. There is Janet to take you off to dress for dinner."

Alice's eyes opened and her cheeks flushed, how grand that was, she thought, to dress for dinner! Alice went out with Janet; but the Colonel detained Cecil as she was leaving the room.

"A moment my child," he said. "I wanted to say a few words to you. Your father was the oldest, the dearest friend I had. We met but little for the last ten years of his life. I did not know that he had met with reverses until the letter came that asked me to be your guardian; but remember that all I can do for his children will never repay all that he gave me—in former days. For he gave what neither gold nor interest will buy—trust. Therefore you must think yourself at home at Ridinghurst; you are both my charges. I may fail to make you happy; but it shall not be for want of striving."

He paused a second, and then added in a lighter tone—

"Run off now, and dress. If there is anything about your rooms you would like changed, or if you don't like them, come to me and tell me; or if"—half playfully, half wistfully—"you are afraid of me, Mrs. Grant will not frighten you."

"I shall never be afraid of you, Colonel McLeod," answered Cecil, with simple earnestness. "I don't know how to say all that is in my heart. You will not think me ungrateful, will you?"

No, my child, there is an endless promise of all you would say in those wistful eyes of yours," said the Colonel softly; and he dropped her hand and drew back from the door for her to pass out.

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"Shall we dress for dinner every evening, Janet?" asked Cecil when Janet had arrayed her in a long black robe of some glossy material, cut at the neck, so as to leave the fair white throat bare; and the young lady surveyed herself in her fashionably-made and stylish attire with half-pleasurable innocent wonder. Could she be the same Cecil Verner who used to race about Rocklands bare-footed, if she so pleased, and to whom dressing for dinner was the rarest of occurrences?

"If you always dine with the Colonel, Miss Verner," answered Janet, fastening back, with a jet arrow, the rich masses of silky chestnut hair that fell in unrestrained freedom over her shapely shoulders; "which I suppose you will. Military gentlemen, you know, miss, always like to see their ladies dressed well. There now, Miss Verner, you look beautiful! My Lady Agatha Cane, whom I used to dress every night o her life, never looked half so distinguished.

"Why, we are Verners!" said Miss Alice, tossing her head.

Cecil laughed a little and moved to the fireplace, and rested one little daintily-shod foot on the bright steel fender.

"It is nice, Janet," cried Alice, "to be the Colonel's ward! Why, we shall be great ladies! Being a person's ward is like being a daughttr of the house, isn't it? Only of course Colonel McLeod isn't old enough. Isn't he splendid, Cecil? Only I wish he had medals."

"You mustn't say that to him, Alice," said Cecil gravely. "You were very rude this evening. Couldn't you see that the Colonel didn't want to talk about India?"

"Oh, nonsense! I never came near any one like you, Cecil. You always see ever so many things that no one else ever does," said Alice crossly. "Janet, why haven't I got bracelets like Cecil?"

"Your sister, Miss Alice, is older than you," replied Janet. She had long since decided that "Miss Alice" was a vain and heartless young lady, and prophesied trouble in the future for her. "Now you are both ready. Do you know your way to the drawing-room, Miss Verner?"

"Yes, thanks," answered Cecil; but Alice, seized with a sudden fit of shyness, looked frightened.

"Do come with us, Janet," she whispered. "Don't you feel funny, Cecil?"

"Strange, a little," said the girl, glancing at Janet, and smiling. "But it's silly; so we mustn't give way to it. Papa would say, 'Alice, a soldier's daughter should fear nothing.'"

"Ah, you'll be the girl after the Colonel's own heart!" murmured Janet, as she turned away to arrange the room.

During dinner, Colonel McLeod found, as he had expected, that, as soon as the strangeness of entirely novel circumstances had worn off, Cecil Verner was not at a loss for conversation, that she had read a great deal and observed keenly, and that she had made as much use as possible of the limited opportunities she had had. She was full of Irish vivacity and wit, and was impulsive and generous. The Colonel discovered, in the course of conversation, that her special talent was music, and he instantly made a mental resolve that she should have the best of masters from London. She had had lessons, she told him, from a master who visited Ballyshowan, and she played a little.

"You would not think it anything," she said—they were in the drawing-room now—"but he always taught me good music. But, Colonel McLeod," she added archly, "I can sing dozens of Irish songs, and croon a lovely *keena* just like an old Irishwoman."

"You can look saucy," returned McLeod, laughing. "Will you play me something, or are you too tired?"

She flushed and half opened her lips, but she evidently resolutely put down whatever trepidasion she felt as "silly." Miss Verner had a lofty contempt for all "silliness," and she crossed to the piano, which the Colonel opened for her.

"Oh," she said, with a deep sigh of satisfaction, as she sat down before the instrument and touched the keys caressingly, "what a glorious piano! I can't play well enough for it. Please will you not be very severe, Colonel McLeod?"

He only smiled and went and sat in a distant part of the room, but where he could see her still. As he was a good musician he was well able to judge of another's powers.

Cecil played several pieces with delicacy and grace, and the Colonel saw at once that she had only wanted cultivation. Crossing to her side and laying his hand on her shoulder he told her so.

After that Loris McLeod made her sing, and he discovered that she had an exquisitely pure voice. Then Alice was called upon. She declared she could sing, but hated playing. She had never practised, it was such hard work. Cecil would stay in-doors for hours while she was scampering round the paddock on Mick's bare back. Nevertheless she was made to sing and play, while Cecil wandered round the room looking at the pictures, and Loris McLeod's dark eyes, half hidden by the drooping lashes, were resting on the graceful girlish figure in its closely-fitting black robe.

So the evening passed until it was time for the two young travellers to retire. As the Colonel opened the door for them, he had for each the same gentle "Good-night, my child; Heaven keep you," the same gentle handclasp, yet for Cecil there was a softer light in the dark grey eyes and a more tender cadence in the sweet voice.

"I like our Colonel very, very much," said Cecil gravely after a long meditation over the fire that night when Janet had left them. "I like him to say 'my child,' don't you, Allie?"

"Yes, he's very nice," replied Alice, springing into bed; "he's going to give me a beautiful new riding-habit."

"You are always thinking of clothes, Allie," reproved Cecil.

She laid her head in silence on the pillows, and half sighed; but very soon the white lids drooped and her dreams that night were all about Colonel McLeod.

CHAPTER III.

"I say, Chalmers, who on earth are those girls the Chief has with him? I met them out riding to-day. I thought you said he wasn't married and hadn't any sisters."

The question was asked by Lieutenant Fairleigh of Captain Chalmers at the mess one day about a week after the arrival of the Verners at Ridinghurst. The young Lieutenant had only just been gazetted to the —th Lancers, so he was, as yet, ignorant of many matters which were well known at Hyde. For Colonel McLeod had taken care to inform his acquaintances that the Verners were his wards, daughters of a brother officer.

"So I did, my son," responded Captain Chambers leisurely; "I thought everybody knew that those girls were the Colonel's wards. The elder girl's a beauty."

"So she is. Are they living at Ridinghurst?"

"Of course. You needn't open your eyes Teddy. The Colonel isn't so young as he looks, and Miss Verner's about seventeen, I believe, and one of those wild Irish girls. Besides, there's some old women up there to play propriety."

"He never seems to go into society," remarked the new comer.

"He doesn't care to go where he might get the cold shoulder," replied Captain Chalmers ... "You know we service men are apt to be prejudiced, and some fellows have never forgotten that Gheratpoor affair."

"Tisn't likely," said Major Rhodes curtly, "when it is not forgotten at the Horse Guards."

"More's the shame," put in Lord Kennedy, a captain in the Life Guards, who had come over from the next county, where he was visiting, but who was the guest of the —th Lancers that night.

"What's he done or not done?" inquired Teddy Fairleigh, mystified.

"Oh, it's an old story now!" answered Kennedy. "You were in petticoats when it all took place; it made a precious flare-up at the time."

"And did for the Chief," added Surgeon-Major Ferguson, with a half-sigh; "I was a youngster myself at the time—my first campaign in fact. I remember young McLeod, as brave a lad as ever drew breath, anxious for glory and to win the highest distinction. Such hopes there were about him!"

"Else he had never been trusted in such a position as that," said the Major, sipping a glass of Lafitte. "It only shows how little one can guage a man's fitness for command from ——"

"But, my dear fellow," interrupted Ferguson, "the oddest part of it was that McLeod had shown such aptitude for command, such cool-headedness and absolute indifference to danger, young as he was."

"My idea was," remarked Kennedy, "from reading about it and so on, that McLeod thought it madness to keep the place—didn't like the idea of being killed like a rat in a hole, with all the chances he had of getting distinction, and so disobeyed orders."

"No one ever charged him with want of courage," observed Chalmers; "at least, no one that I ever heard of. Besides, do you remember, Rhodes, that expedition against the frontier tribes, up in Rhotee, an out-of-the-way affair, that made no sort of noise here; but it was a masterpiece of strategy; and, by Jove, if any other fellow in the service had performed that rescue of one of his troopers, he'd have had the Victoria Cross! But McLeod was passed over, of course."

"Well, whatever his fault," remarked Lord Kennedy, "I do think a man ought to be allowed to expiate it in twenty years; they've never given him a chance to wipe out the stain, you see. It's very hard a fellow is to be ostracised at head-quarters for ever. But they're such a set of martinets!" added his lordship disdainfully,

"This youngster is dying to hear all about it," said Chalmers, laughing. "But I am not sure it's right to rake up tales about your Chief, Teddy."

"Pooh, it's all public. Generations of messes have talked it over," remarked Major Rhodes, twisting his moustache rather fiercely.

"Satisfy his appetite for scandal, Ferguson," said Chalmers; "you know all about it—you're a contemporary of the Chief."

"Oh, ay, I remember it well enough!" said the Doctor. "It was a puzzle to me then, and it's a puzzle to me now. Well, Fairleigh, it was in this way—

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

The criticism in St. Louis upon Sarah Bernhardt is that her dresses do not fit her.

Lord Wentworth, Byron's grandson, is very unattractive in appearance and manner.

The baby in "Hearts of Oak" costs the management $40 a week. It is the child of Mrs. Dear, a resident of Cleveland, who receives $20 a week for the little one's services, and has all her own and the baby's expenses paid besides. The child is now six months old, and has been on the stage three months.

The long illness which preceded Sothern's death seriously disarranged the the theatrical business in the United States. Time was reserved for him in all the large cities, and, as he would be sure to draw well if he appeared, no other engagements were made until the latest possible moment. Travelling combinations then rushed in to fill the gaps, abandoning the smaller towns in which they had contracted to appear. Thus plans were upset right and left.

Fanny Davenport essayed the part of "Camille" in a St. Louis theatre last week. Naturally, from her size she invited a comparison with Clara Morris, Bernhardt, and Modjeska; but, although she brought to the part an appearance of exuberant health, foreign to the typical "Camilles" of our stage, by the skilful use of drapery she contrived to conceal to a considerable degree her portliness; and the wasting away of life in the death scene was represented by the modulations of her voice. While strong in the emotional parts of the play, Miss Davenport seemed much too healthy to cough her life away at the loss of a lover.

There has been trouble in the Salvini dramatic company. L. R. Shewell, who was the stage manager, and played "Iago" to to the star's "Othello," was adversely criticised by the press of the various cities where he appeared. He claimed that his bad performance of the part was due to the fact that Salvini insisted upon subordinating everything to his own purposes, thus giving nobody else on the stage an opportunity to do well. When the company went to Boston, the home of Showell, he asked to be relieved from duty in that city, in order to escape the pens of the critics. Manager Stetson, discharged him permanently, and a lawsuit is the upshot. Salvini has published the following letter to the unfortunate actor: "The cause for which your contract has been annulled was not my dissatisfaction toward you. I was, on the contrary, so well satisfied with the manner in which you discharged your duties as an artist, that I have done all in my power to dissuade Mr. Stetson from his resolve. I also regret profoundly that I shall not have the pleasure to call you my companion for the rest of my artistic tour."

The Pacific Ocean Aflame.

Ships in the neighborhood of the Sandwich Islands can now witness one of the grandest spectacles that earth affords. The Mauna Loa is again belching forth its fiery torrents. The mighty forces imprisoned under the beds of the Pacific are finding vent through this volcanic cone. Mauna Loa is a volcano situated on the island of Hawaii. It is 13,700 feet high and is marked by two distinct craters, one at the summit, and the other, Kilauea, at a somewhat lower level. This island has been the scene of several marvelous exhibitions of volcanic fury. There was a great eruption in 1840 and in 1843; but these were exceeded in August, 1855, when the flow of fire, smoke, and lava continued until July, 1856. The evidence of this torrent was discovered for a distance of over sixty miles. The floor of the great crater Kilauea resembled, it was said, a lake of fire which had been scooped one thousand feet deep, and covered an area of twenty-eight square miles. This enormous vent relieves the great basin of the Central Pacific, the rim of which rests upon a volcanic formation, set with volcanoes all around. It is notable that most of the volcanoes are under the floor of the ocean, and only show themselves on islands cast up from the great deep. The evidence of violent disturbance all over the earth points to the time when the present land was under the surface of the water, and subject to volcanic action. It was the commingling of fire and water which one time or other distorted or depressed the surface of this earth. This new eruption may exceed any which has preceded it. It calls attention to the Sandwich Islands, once populated by a race of handsome, simple-minded savages. We have civilized and poisoned out of existence nine-tenths of the former inhabitants of these islands. Some day the islands will belong to the United States. The climate is temperate the year around, and with coolie labor they will grow immense crops of coffee and sugar-cane.

Not everybody will be able to see the Nautch girls, but everybody can get a pretty good idea of their dance by putting two hornets down the housemaid's back.

THE English Registrar-General estimates that the population of London will be found to have increased from 3,253,260 in 1871 to 3,707,130 in the middle of 1881. Similarly, Brighton is estimated to have increased from 90,011 to 108,062; Portsmouth, from 113,569 to 136,271; Norwich, from 80,386 to 86,437; Bristol, from 182,552 to 217,1589; Plymouth, from 68,758 to 75,700; Wolverhampton, from 68,291 to 76,850; Birmingham, from 343,787 to 400,680; Leicester, from 95,220 to 124,350; Nottingham, from 86,621 to 177,964; Liverpool, from 493,405 to 549,834; Manchester, from 351,189 to 364,425; Salford, from 124,801 to 194,077; Oldham, from 82,629 to 118,658; Bradford, from 145,730 to 203,544; Leeds, from 259,212 to 327,158; Sheffield, from 239,949 to 312,943; Hull, from 121,802 to 152,980; Sunderland, from 98,240 to 118,927; and Newcastle, from 128,443 to 151,822.

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Friday, Feb. 18th 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

PRICEVILLE.

On Wednesday evening the Rev. D. Fraser, M.A., of Mount Forest, lectured in Knox's Church, here. His subject was "The Bible and the Caldean Records." The lecturer was listened to with [illegible] attention, and several [illegible] which [illegible] the [illegible] passages of Holy Writ. The [illegible] very bad, the lecturer was [illegible] arriving, and had consequently to hurry over his subject more than should have been done. However, to Bible scholars the lecture was [illegible] and many wished that Mr. Fraser would give the lecture in a [illegible] way at some future time. [illegible] inaugurated by [illegible] Priceville friends, are calculated to fill up a great blank, and do much good.

JOLTINGS FROM MAXWELL.

From a Correspondent.

WEATHER.—Full complement here.

Roads bad since thaw, and now we see the *head* of the family eyeing with delight that piece of kindling wood just emerging from the embrace of winter.

We understand that our worthy citizen, Mr. W. Guy, has rented his blacksmith shop.

Some of our friends here see the "comet" almost every night. Watch for the "comic" boys.

A literary and Debating Society, for the purpose mutual improvement by of means of readings, recitations, debates, essays, &c., has been established here, and has met with great success. An organization meeting was held on the 7th of January, at which 28 persons became members, and the following staff of officers were enstalled for the quarter:—President, J. W. H. Milne; 1st Vice-President, George W. Allister; 2nd Vice do, R. W. Heron; 3rd Vice do. W. Inkster; Sec-Treas., E. J. J. Ferguson; Counciller, W. Ross. Regular weekly meetings have since been held with increasing prosperity. Sixty names are now upon the roll. Several members formerly belonged to other societies. Two debates have been already on the programme, the last one being—"*Resolved*, That water is more useful to man than fire." Decision in favor of the affirmative. SCRIPTO.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Will you kindly allow me space in your columns for a few remarks in answer to a communication in your issue of two weeks since, signed John Ford. There are some things in Mr. F.'s letter with which I agree, viz: the procuring of a proper quality of stock. This is very desirable, as every one knows that if the cattle are not of the right breed for slaughtering purposes, a good and profitable yield cannot be had. But what I particularly wish to notice, is Mr. Ford's desire to impute something to the local butchers of which they are not guilty. He says, "I think they would rather see the country filled up with rough, scrubby cattle, just the sort no other man would think of buying for the foreign or better market, and by that means they would have every facility for getting what they wanted for just about nothing, and still sell it at a pretty big figure." Now did ever anyone ever hear such nonsense? Mr. Ford evidently does not know what he is talking about, for if he did, he never would pen such bosh. The fact is, the local butchers, as do all butchers, wish to procure the best possible meat for their customers, thereby satisfying them, and being creditable to themselves; but so long as the farmer does not furnish the quality, can it be wondered at that the butcher does not do better. I would recommend Mr. Ford to do as he suggests, namely, procure better stock than he does at present, and he may rely upon it that the local butchers will be pleased to pay the highest price, and should there be too much for local consumption, he will find ready sale for it to drovers, who of course do not come here to purchase from the fact, that they know Mr. Ford has no suitable cattle to dispose of. In conclusion, I would say to Mr. Ford, improve your stock; and you may rely on a sure and ready sale; but so long as you breed the scrubby cattle you do at present, you must not expect butchers to pay a high price, and furnish superior meat; and further, Mr. Ford will be conferring a great boon on the local butchers, as they will, when good stock can be had near home, certainly not go a distance for it, as they have at present. Thanking you for the space occupied, I remain, Mr. Editor, Yours, &c.

WM. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Feb. 17, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I noticed in the columns of the STANDARD of the 4th inst, over the signature of Nemo, an account of an enjoyable affair which took place at New England P. M. Church on the 1st inst., being a continuation of a Tea Meeting held at the same place the previous Thursday evening. This statement is true; but Nemo also states that the Tea Meeting was partly a failure. Now I would like to ask him in what sense it was a failure? It was admitted by all that the Tea Meeting was in every way a success, and the more enjoyable of the two.—The speaking was far ahead of that given on the 1st, and of a higher order, with the exception of Cartwright and R. Abercrombie, who were not present at the Tea meeting. The singing also was fully equal to that rendered on the 1st, if not better. The failure was not in the smallness of the congregation, for the church was full, any addition to the number would have made it [illegible] for these present. [illegible] Nemo writes again I trust he will make himself acquainted with the facts, and write accordingly. JUNO.

New England, Feb. 9th, 1881.

Canadian Pacific Railway.

Speech of Mr. Sproule, M. P.

(DELIVERED IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS, OTTAWA, 25TH JANUARY, 1881, AND REPUBLISHED BY REQUEST.)

MR. SPROULE. The importance of this subject is the only excuse which I have for troubling the House at this late stage of the debate. The question is one of the utmost importance to the country from whatever point of view it is considered. If we consider the fact that the road will be a great commercial thoroughfare through a country that it is over 4,000 miles long, that it will carry the trade of an area of country that consists of over 250 millions of acres of land, we cannot fail to regard the subject as of surpassing interest to the people of this country. Viewed simply as a financial question it is also important. We have now a national debt of $147,000,000, and when we consider that the amount which will be expended in the undertaking before it is finished will equal if not exceed that amount, we must regard the question as one of great importance. In vieving this subject the question which naturally suggests itself to our minds is wether we are paying too much for the road under this contract or not—whether we will get an ample return for the expenditure. As a rule it is only by the comparison of work by work that we are able to determine whether a certain piece of work is too expensive. Now we have a road on this continent which, I think by its similarity to this, by its passing through a section of country very similar to that through which this passes, by the fact that its condition at a certain period of its history has been selected as a standard for the building of this road, and by the fact that it was built by the same class of capitalists, affords us a very fair means of comparison. The Union Pacific is only 1,029 miles long—not one-half as long as the Canadian Pacific Railway—and according to a return which was made to the Secretary of the Interior, that road cost $112,259,360, or an average of $113,110 a mile. The Central Pacific, which is also a road very much similar to ours, cost $114,388 per mile; and as we can ascertain very closely what the Canadian Pacific Railway will cost under the present scheme, we can very easily make a comparison with these two roads. We have another mode of arriving at a comparison. I find from a return given in Trout's "Railways of Canada," that the average cost of railways in the Dominion per mile is $56,532. The average in the United States is a little more, $60,425. I think when we make these comparisons we can easily see that we are getting a very good bargain for the country. If we take the lands at $2 per acre, which seems to be by general admission a fair valuation, we have $50,000,000 in lands; we have $25,000,000 in cash: we have $28,000,000 for the completed road, making in all $103,000,000. Now when we find that the Union Pacific, which is only 1,029 miles long, cost $112,000,000, and our road which is 2,700 miles long, costs only $103,000,000, I think it will be admitted we are getting good valve for our money. The average cost of railways in the Dominion is $56,532 per mile; that of the Canadian Pacific Railway is only about $28,888, so that viewed in that light too, the result is the same. These are calculations which can be easily made; we know the amount of cash; we know the quantity of land and its valve; we know what it costs to build those portions to be completed, so that we can consider, with reasonable certainty that we are not going to lose the large amount of money which the hon. members of the Opposition have predicted. Some hon. gentlemen claim that the views of the people have never been expressed upon this method of building the railway. It has been urged that the country has never endorsed this method of building the road. Speaking from my own part of the country that for the last two or three elections, especially after it was announced that the policy of building a through line had been abandoned, and that it had been decided utilize the water stretches, this question was discussed before the electors. We might ask hon. members of this House who contend that the electors have never had a chance of pronouncing upon this question, what was the occasion of the great reversal of opinion that characterized the election of 1878. There is no doubt that the National Policy had a great deal to do with it, but I can assure the hon. gentlemen that in my section of the country the result was influenced by the expenditure that was being carried on by the late Goverment in reference to building the Canadian Pacific Railway. People did not believe that it was in the interest of the country that the railway should be built piecemeal, as the Goverment was then building it. I may ask those hon. gentlemen why, if that question was so forcibly laid upon the electors, did this policy of the water stretches cease to be attractive? We hear nothing of them to day, although there was scarcely a supporter of the old Goverment throughout the country in 1874 who was not prepared to defend that method of building the Canadian Pacific Railway. Moreover, the people became disgusted in reading the developements of waste and extradagance in the Foster contract, the Kaministiquia job, the Fort Francis Locks, when $100,000, $40,000 and $50,000 were devided amongst contractors. The people finally concluded that the water stretches were only a sham. In every instace, when I have been able to take the senses of the people, I have invariably found that it was their desire to have the railway built by a company, and not by the Goverment. The history of the construction of all public works shows that they cost more when constructed by the Goverment than when constructed by private companies. Again the question will suggest itself, what do we gain by giving this contract to a private company? Several calculations have been made with reference to the cost of the Pacific Railway. I find that the average cost of the railway already built in the Dominion by the Goverment is $56,572 per mile. But we are getting the Canadian Pacific Railway built for $28,880, therefore we must save a great deal of money. If this road was built by the Goverment at the average price I have mentioned, it would cost $153,506,400. Taking from that the Goverment grant of land and money, $78,000,000, we find the difference is $74,536,400 which is saved to the country by letting the contract to a private company. In this estimate I value the land at $1 an acre. Here, I may say, that I think the valuation that has been put on that land by hon. gentlemen is entirely erroneous. They quote from returns made with reference to railroads in the United States who have sold the lands after the railway is built, and after the land has been increased in value by the building of the road. Now the Ontario Goverment has found that the price of land is about $1.50 an acre, and that in a province where there are railroads every where. Consequently land in the far west where there are no R.R. within hundreds or thousands of miles, cannot be worth as much as in Ontario. We cannot value the land after the railway is built, becavse land always advances in value. In my section of country the building of a railway has doubled the value of land, and it will be so in the North-West, consequently I say that $1 an acre is a fair value to put on the land of the North West at the present time. The amount of money the Goverment will pay, together with the land at $1 an acre, and the $28,000,000 we will pay for finishing that part of the road to be given to the Company, will in all amount to $78,000,000. Taking this sum from the $152,000,000 that this railway will cost, if it costs as much as Union Pacific Railway, which is to be the standard, you will find that there is a balance, as I said before, of $74,536,400. I say we absolutely gain that sum by giving this sum to a Syndicate. We gain this sum because I claim the Syndicate can never build the road for $78,000,000. The history of the building of railroads in the Dominion of Canada and the United States has told us in the most unmistakable language that it is impossible to build the road for that amount of money, as it is a natural consequence they have to raise the money. Now, where will they get this money? They must bring it from Europe and other countries. Therefore, by giving this work to a private Company, we not only occupy the North-West country with railroads, but we get the benefit of at least $74,536,000 which they will have to bring here and spend in the country. There is another substantial benefit which will accrue to the country by giving this work to a company, and that is with respect to immigration. In looking over the history of railroads, especially in the Western States, where railway companies have received large grants of land, and where these companies have found it to be to their advantage to get their lands settled as rapidly as possible, we find that they have adopted various schemes of immigration, and spent large amounts of money to get people to settle upon their lands and enhance their value, and to give them a return in the produce carried over their roads. It is estimated that these [illegible] have spent about 75 cents an acre [illegible] purposes. On the same calculation, the amount which the company will spend, in order to get [illegible] acres settled will be $18,750,000, and they will virtually aid the Goverment [illegible] in the interest of the country. Last year we spent about [illegible] in immigration and yet we only brought a few people to this country, and when we added to that the sum I have named, hon. gentlemen will see what a substantial benefit will accrue to the country by giving this contract to the Syndicate; without saying anything of the money brought into the country by the immigrants, and the amount they will contribute to the revenue of the country in the shape of Customs duties. It may be asked what are we saving by giving this road to a company? We are not only saving the difference between what this road will cost the country and the average cost of building railroads in the Dominion of Canada—in other words, the difference between $28,888 a mile, the cost of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and $112,113 a mile, the cost of the Union Pacific Railway—but we are saving the amount of money to be turned over by the Company to the immigration system of this country. We have had some little experience of running railroads in Canada, and we may ask if it cost us in one year $716,083 to run the Intercolonial Railway, a road 800 miles long, passing through three settled provinces where there is large trade, what must be the cost of running a road 2,700 miles long, and running for nearly its whole length through a country that is unsettled? Upon the basis of the cost of the Intercolonial, making no allowance for the difference of the countries through which the two railways run, the Pacific Railway would cost us $2,416,767 a year. If we remember that for the next ten years this road must be a non paying road, and take half the cost of running the road, estimated by hon. member for West Middlesex (Mr. Rose), or $3,000,000 a year, we find that for the ten years before that road will become self supporting, it will cost to run it $30,000,000. If we add to that sum the $18,750,000 given to this country for the encouragement of immigration, it will amount to $48,000,000, nearly equal to the amount of land and money together given by the Government for the building of the road. Many hon. members ask if the company will be likely to build and run the road provided this bargain is ratified. According to the calculation of the hon. member for North Norfolk (Mr. Charlton), the Company will derive profit of at least $75,000,000 by building the road, and if that is the case I think we shall have little difficulty of persuading the people of this country that the Syndicate will build the road and run it after it is built. The next question asked is, will the company be likely to bild the easier section of the road and then take the profits that accrue from that and leave the rest in the hands of the Goverment. Some hon. gentlemen opposite have, in the same speech, tried to prove that the company would make millions out of the road, and then, in the same speech, that they would only build the easier section and leave the rest in the hands of the Goverment. If I would offer advice to hon. gentlemen opposite, I would advise them to hold one more caucus and agree on some system of argument that would at least have the merit of consistency, and not have one section trying to prove with all the force, energy and eloquence they possess that the country will be ruined by giving this Syndicate the building of the road, and another with equal force, energy and eloquence arguing that they will build only one part and then abandon the rest of the work. I believe the conclusion the people will arrive at will be that their arguments are as equally fallacious and inconsistent on this subject as they have been on other great questions. Again the question arrises: Are we giving too much land to the Company for building the road? Figures have been cited to show the amount is disproportionate to the grants to United States railroads. I fail to see where hon, gentlemen opposite got their figures. On referring to the United States returns, I find that the Union Pacific and Central Pacific got 35,000,000 acres of land. The length of the one road is 1,029 miles, and that of the other 1,122 miles, a total of 2,149 miles, which is not equal to the length of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and runs through a more populated country. Yet those roads get 35,000,000 acres, while ours only get 25,000,000. The Northern Pacific, which was not as hard to construct or as long as ours, got 47,000,000 acres of land grant; the Atlantic and Pacific received 42,000,000 acres; and we find that up to 1878 the United States granted, for the building of railways and canals 224,056,718 acres of land. It is claimed that now a days too much land is given to railway companies. If we look at the unparalleled progress which has characterized the States that have lately come into the Union, these States which only a short time ago were a wilderness, the great advancement in material wealth which they exhibit is the best evidence we can have of the wisdom of the policy proposed, though we give proportionately a much smaller amount than was given by the United States. I believe in 1825, the first R.R. was built in the United States, and at the present there are 96,000 miles of railway there. Do they regret that they have given over 224,000,000 acres of country is the best argument to the contrary. Now we have another proposed Syndicate before this House which has been sprung on us at a very late period, and which appears to have been sprung on us with the object of making some political capital for the next elections. There is evidently no sincerity in the new offer. If we look at the names, we find that the most of those gentlemen have made money in this country, and the fact of men having made money is the best evidence that they are not ready to risk it without considerable enquiry beforehand. Is it to be supposed that men who are thousands of miles apart will agree to come together and amalgamate in a Syndicate to enter into an enterprise that must cost a large outlay? Knowing so little as these men must know about the undertaking, I would like to ask these hon. gentlemen who throw out this Syndicate as a hurt to the country, if one man of the proposed Syndicate has passed over the line of the proposed railway, or gone to the trouble of any calculation as to its cost or as to what return it will give? There is no evidence at all to satisfy and intelligent public that they have given the question the consideration it would naturally demand considering the large investment of the money it would involve. The fact that they have proposed to put up so much money but only after they were sure that their proposition could not be entertained, is the best evidence of their want of sincerity. No company would pretend to put their money in a concern without scrutinising it from every side so that they would see they would get a return for their money. No company would throw up their money hap-hazard and say: we are going to build the railway although we do not know what it will cost, or anything about it. The hon. member for Gloucester has spoken in eulogistic terms of the *personnel* of this proposed Syndicate; and say they are men whom to know is but to respect—men incapable of doing wrong. If I were in need of a character I would like to have that hon. gentleman as a friend. I think he would be very likely to give me a good one. Considering that we know some of the new Syndicate, and that their action in the past has been so questionable, and that very strong comments respecting one member at least have been made by one of the judges, we may assume that they are men of integrity. When a judge remarked that he could easily believe that a man dipped in a lake would be taken out dry, as to a certain member was not guilty of personal corruption, we must admit that the integrity of some of them is not what it is represented. If we judge those members who we do not know, by those whom we do, We must conclude that they are not the kind of men we should like to see building this road. Again, when we remember that the majority have been defeated in constituencies, it is possible that they are only acting in concert to get up some scheme that they can use when they try again to get elected in the country. I believe the people see through their scheme. As some of the organs of the hon. gentlemen opposite have [illegible] of the great crowds of people brought together to discuss the Government policy, and of their resolutions of censure, correct reports, however, have shown that some of the Opposition meetings have been thoroughly partisan and one-sided in discussion and action. In my constituency during the holidays I found the opinion prevalent among Conservatives, Independents, and able Reformers alike that it was in the interest of the country that the road should be handed over and built by a company. In that section two meetings were held, and it was represented that a requisitition was handed in to the Mayor of Meaford, asking him to call a public meeting to discuss this question. I saw one of those requisitations; it contained the names of six of the most inveterate Girts to be found in the East Riding of Grey. I I could not help suspecting the integrity of men who had spoken of a large requisition and the decision arrived at as an influential expression of public opinion; for they had only, at the first meeting, I am informed, about 50 people present, the speaking was all one sided, and the resolutions previously prepared. On another occasion a meeting was held where the people had had more time. What was the result? The resolutions in favor of the Government policy were carried by over two to one. I believe that if the country registered its verdict the vote would be two to one in favor of the Goverment scheme. For this reason, and holding these views, I believe it my duty to vote against the amendment. I think that the advantage that would accrue to the country from the scheme of the first Syndicate, would be much greater than if the railway were built as a Goverment work. Where, again, would the new Syndicate obtain the capital to build the road? We know they would require $75,000,000 over and above the Goverment grant, even provided they were able sell their lands immediately. Could they go to Europe and raise money? No doubt their names are high sounding in the Dominion, and that they could raise a little money here; but I believe that in Europe their attempt to float the bonds or their own, would prove a sad spectacle to the country, that they would fail. I am couvinced that the connection of the first Syndicate with Germany, France, England, and the United States, is another strong reason why they should get this contract. For years this country has felt a great want in reference to immigration from Germany, which we have never been able to attract, valuable as it would be to us. I am sure that if the scheme is carried out, a system of emigration would be organized that will secure masses of the best emigrants from Germany and France. Not only would the Syndicate be able to raise all the money wanted, but to apply in the working of our road their railway experience gained in the United States. They will use their influence to give this country the benefit of the railroads they own in the States. The argument of hon. gentlemen opposite, that they would make the Canadian Pacific Railway subservient to their road in the Western States, reminds me much of Lord Dundreary's idea of the tail wagging the dog. If men with only 8,000,000 acres will sink their interest in 25,000,000 for the advantage of the 8,000,000, and if men with 2,700 miles of road sacrifice their interest in it for one of 100 miles long, they will act very unreasonably; indeed, all things considered we should be justified in voting down the amendment and carrying as speedily as possible the Goverment scheme. The member for West Middlesex said that if we supported it, on going back to our constituents we should meet with disappointment; but I am sure we should come back, after giving such an account of our stewardship, as strong as we are to-day. Every argument and epithet has been used to make friends of the Goverment believe that its policy is going to ruin the country. We heard the same predictions as to the National Policy, and believe we shall have the same experience in regard to the present policy. Efforts have been made to delude the people, and induce them to believe that they are being robbed for nothing; but they can see through such statements. The member for North Norfolk (Mr. Charlton) said that this was the most gigantic railway swindle of the nineteenth century, which makes me think of an anecdote of a celebrated mayor in the Sothern States. It happened to be the custom of that country, if one was telling extravagant stories or attributing extraordinary virtues to some prominent man, to say that he was the greatest man in the county except the mayor. The custom became so prevalent, of thus honoring the mayor, that when it was neglected the offender was fined. A stranger came to that part of the country who did not understand the custom, and while illustrating the importance of a certain individual he said he was the greatest man in Tennessee. A gentlemen present suggested, that he should except the mayor. The stranger replied that he made no exception. The consequence was that he was brought before a magistrate and fined $5; that official reminding him, at the same time, of the custom of making comparisons. The stranger replied: "All I have got to say is that you are the greatest fool in Tennessee except the mayor." When the hon. gentleman said that the contract was the greatest railway swindle in the nineteenth century, I think he should have added except the swindle of the new Syndicate.

MARRIED

MCFARLANE—BROWN.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. W. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Donald McFarlane of Markdale, to Miss Flora Brown of [illegible].

BURCHILL—[illegible].—On the 9th inst., by the Rev. W. T. Hicks, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. James Burchill of Holland, to Martha, eldest daughter of Wm. [illegible], of Sydenham.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All!

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at

RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Guiness' Stout; [illegible] the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. [illegible]

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,

Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE

BRITISH CANADIAN

LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE

LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

AND

British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED

Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES

—ATTENDED.—

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing two notes drawn by me in favor of John Patchell, of the Township of Euphrasia and signed by George Hale, of the said Township of Euphrasia. Said notes were drawn some time in December, 1880, one for $40, due in October, 1881, and one for $42, due in February, 1882, payable at Blantyre P. O. in the said Township of Euphrasia, as I have not received value for the same.

GEORGE HALE.

Dated this 31st day of Jan'y, 1881. 21-3i

Legacies! Pensions! Bounties!

Parties having any of the above claims to investigate will please communicate with me at once.

A. G. HUNTER, Claim Agent,

Dundalk P. O., County Grey. 6

CAUTION.

ALL parties are hereby warned against purchasing a note drawn about the 20th of December 1880, in favor of Thos. Eiseleine, to the amount of $12.00, and falling due about the 10th of Feb., 1881, as I have not received value for the same.

A. DUNLOP.

Markdale Feb. 9, 1881. 22-3i

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

[illegible] Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes.

BISCUIT!

of every description from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880.

FLESHERTON Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having [illegible] REMOVED TO THE BUILDING OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, where he is prepared to furnish

ALL KINDS of HARNESS

usually found in a

First-Class Establishment,

And at prices to suit the times, and by using

THE BEST OF MATERIAL, AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP,

hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

constantly on hand.

COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, Dec., 1880. 16

FOR SALE.

OR TO RENT, that eligible property situate on Toronto Street, in the Village of Markdale, at present occupied by Mr. Graham, shoemaker. Possession immediately.

WM. BROWN,

Markdale Jan. 31, 1881. 21-3i

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

[illegible]

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

TO THE

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE FACTORY

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to [illegible] superior to any [illegible] commanding business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance [illegible] bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Styles

[illegible]

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and [illegible]

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC.

AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application

Don't forget the Warerooms are [illegible] next door to the Factory, Durham [illegible]

H. HOOPER

Flesherton, December 28, 1880.

SELLING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits,

CHEAP

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS,

CHEAP

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing

CHEAP

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, December 30, 1880.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our Country, and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of your patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers

and a large variety of

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,

NEW PRUNES,

NEW TEAS, at 45c. Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our

TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS

At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,

5,000 Telegraph Poles,

Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS,

Markdale, Dec. [illegible], 1880.

THE STANDARD.

Feb. 18th, 1881.

OTHER NOTICES.

[illegible] a bottle, try J. W. [illegible]

[illegible] Gents Hats for 75c each, [illegible]'s Dundalk.

[illegible] coal oil, CASTORINE machine oil, try Haskett.

[illegible] stock of Watches to [illegible] Doll the Jeweler's, [illegible]

[illegible] for "Castorine" and see that the barrel [illegible] "Castorine," as none other [illegible]

[illegible] cord and a quarter of [illegible] foot wood, or one and a [illegible] and you can have the [illegible] a year.

[illegible], son of Mr. John [illegible] Glenelg, who went to the [illegible] years ago, is here at present on a visit to their friends.

[illegible] Balm in Gilead to heal each [illegible] wound, Yellow Oil the sure remedy is [illegible] and outward use you freely may [illegible] and inflammation you should [illegible] to try it. [illegible] a quarter, 'tis worth its weight [illegible] dealer in the land this great [illegible] is sold.

[illegible] BEATTY moved his Hay Press [illegible] village to Shelburne on [illegible]. He pressed 150 tons [illegible] Markdale.

[illegible], of Owen Sound, will [illegible] Revere Hotel, Markdale, on [illegible], 23rd inst. Those desi[illegible] having their teeth inspected, [illegible] on hand.

[illegible] quantity of Spring Matresses and [illegible] lounges, for sale cheap at J. W. [illegible] Flesherton; also, picture [illegible] on hand and made to order [illegible] prices.

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[illegible] a great sale of Winter [illegible] taking place at W. J. McFar[illegible] if you are desirous of making very advantageous purchases [illegible] to drop in. See advertise[illegible] another column, and don't [illegible] to read *every word of it.*

[illegible] learn that the irrepressible [illegible] peddlar is in this neighborhood [illegible] we would advise our friends [illegible] country to fight shy of these [illegible]. The stuff they offer for [illegible] really not worth the thread that [illegible] is making it up. A word to the [illegible] sufficient.

[illegible] cough is usually the effort of [illegible] to expel some morbid matter [illegible] the air passages of the lungs. [illegible], however, proceed from an in[illegible] and irritable condition of the [illegible], a slight rash or humor often [illegible] perceptible. Let the cause be [illegible] it may, the remedy should be [illegible]ard's Pectoral Balsam. A pure[illegible] vegetable balsamic throat and lung [illegible]. For sale by all dealers in [illegible]cines, at 25 cents per bottle.

[illegible] Hanlan and Laycock race took [illegible] the 14th inst., and as usual [illegible] "raked in the shekles. The [illegible] was very light, as few could [illegible] willing to risk their money [illegible] against the "Canadian [illegible]" and even those few had to [illegible] long odds. There was little or [illegible] excitement on the reception of the [illegible] Canada, as it was a foregone [illegible] from the first that Haulan [illegible].

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[illegible] of the Ladies' Aid So[illegible] Methodist Church, was [illegible] the Vestry, on Monday, the [illegible] when they re-organized [illegible] the following officers for [illegible] year:—Mrs. M. Arm[illegible] President; Mrs. G. S. [illegible] Vice-President; Mrs. J. F. [illegible] Sec.-Treas.; Miss M. Rork, [illegible] Assistant Secretary. Directors—Mes[illegible] McDiarmid, Cornwall, McNea, [illegible] McKee, Askin, Hull, and [illegible].

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[illegible] been aptly remarked that [illegible] nothing better than presence [illegible] case of accidents, and that [illegible] body; but as accidents [illegible] to all, Hagyards Yellow [illegible] the best remedy—it is [illegible] an accident policy. Yel[illegible] cures all manner of Flesh [illegible] Pains, Lameness, Burns, [illegible] Bites, and is for external [illegible] use in all inflammatory [illegible] diseases. All medicine [illegible].

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TORONTO oil [illegible] manufacturers of [illegible] oil. Infringeme[illegible]

ANOTHER large [illegible] splendid 50c. Ja[illegible] at H. Graham's.

Ladies' solid [illegible] Watches, from [illegible] Doll's, Flesherton.

SUDDEN DEATH [illegible] a prominent law[illegible] of Owen Sound, [illegible] Saturday last, [illegible] lungs.

MANUFACTURERS [illegible] and threshing [illegible] torine" machin[illegible] will out wear la[illegible] and is warrante[illegible]

THE Proton A[illegible] a special meeti[illegible] 1st., for the pu[illegible] at which to ho[illegible] Exhibition.

THE world sh[illegible] deplorable cond[illegible] our land! The [illegible] pale, bloodless [illegible] nervous debility [illegible] tressing forms [illegible] matters that [illegible] country should [illegible] of Debility and [illegible] to the sex ma[illegible] by Burdock Bl[illegible]

THE season [illegible] fast approachin[illegible] the best we hav[illegible] Those wanting [illegible] better than cal[illegible] leave their ord[illegible] ably cheap this [illegible]

USE "Castor[illegible] all kinds of m[illegible] cellent for harn[illegible] ing it water an[illegible] sale by dealers [illegible]

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THOSE of our [illegible] made arrangem[illegible] scriptions to [illegible] will oblige us [illegible] while the roads [illegible] want of wood [illegible] would be just [illegible] cash.

GRAIN still [illegible] pretty freely, [illegible] 25 loads daily. [illegible] passing our offi[illegible] nesday. There [illegible] this place, since [illegible] the present tim[illegible] els. Not bad f[illegible]

MR. THOS. [illegible] 198, Gravel R[illegible] come to the co[illegible] agricultural p[illegible] J. W. Morrow t[illegible] on the 2nd of [illegible] stock, impleme[illegible] credit on all su[illegible] ing approved jo[illegible]

IT is said th[illegible] than cold, be[illegible] catch cold. If y[illegible] can as easily cu[illegible] if you use Hagy[illegible] the popular thr[illegible] It speedily cure[illegible] cough, allays a[illegible] tough phlegm, [illegible] ness and Bron[illegible] leading to Pul[illegible]

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OAKVI[illegible]

MR. R. C. B[illegible] affords me unqu[illegible] testimony to th[illegible] perienced from [illegible] Bitters. For [illegible] suffered from [illegible] Headaches, Dy[illegible] plaints peculiar [illegible] I am entirely [illegible] cured by using o[illegible] of the Bitters. [illegible] my sincere than[illegible] to me such a va[illegible]

I remain[illegible]

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day, Feb. 18th, 1881.

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No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE er machine oils, try Haskett

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FURNITURE ... J. Bates', Flesherton.

FOR a cheap and reliable Watch, go to W. F. Doll, Flesherton.

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ANOTHER large shipment of that splendid 50c. Japan Tea, just arrived at H. Graham's, Dundalk. Try it.

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MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

THE Proton Agricultural Society hold a special meeting on Tuesday March 1st., for the purpose of selecting a place at which to hold their annual Fall Exhibition.

THE world should be aroused to the deplorable condition of the females of our land! The enfeebled frame, the pale, bloodless cheeks, hollow eyes, nervous debility, and the various distressing forms of female weakness, are matters that every matron in our country should consider. All forms of Debility and Irregularities peculiar to the sex may be promptly remedied by Burdock Blood Bitters.

THE season for sugar making is fast approaching, and promises to be the best we have had for many years. Those wanting sap buckets cannot do better than call on Hasket Bros, and leave their order. They are remarkably cheap this season.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

THE third, and probably the last, Masquerade on the Flesherton Skating Rink is announced for Wednesday, 23rd inst. Mr. Sarjeant's efforts to accommodate his patrons has been unceasing, and we trust they will show their appreciation by giving him a bumper.

THOSE of our subscribers, who have made arrangements to pay their subscriptions to the STANDARD in wood, will oblige us by bringing it in now while the roads are good. We are in want of wood and a few cords now would be just as acceptable as the cash.

GRAIN still continues to come in pretty freely, there being from 20 to 25 loads daily. We saw eight loads passing our office at one time on Wednesday. There has been bought at this place, since the 1st Sept. up to the present time, about 100,000 bushels. Not bad for a small village.

MR. THOS. MORROW, lots 197 and 198, Gravel Road Artemesia, having come to the conclusion to retire from agricultural pursuits, has instructed J. W. Morrow to sell by Public Auction, on the 2nd of March, all his farm stock, implements, &c. Ten months' credit on all sums over $5 by furnishing approved joint notes.

IT is said that heat travels faster than cold, because you can easily catch cold. If you catch cold easily you can as easily cure it in its worst form if you use Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the popular throat and lung remedy. It speedily cures the most troublesome cough, allays all irritation, dislodges tough phlegm, cures Asthma, Hoarseness and Bronchitis, and all disases leading to Pulmonary Consumption.

IRA H. PERIGOE, having received authority for so doing, will offer for sale, by Public Auction, on Feb. 24th inst., on the farm of John Adeiar, lot 28, concession 10, township of Osprey, a number of horses, oxen, cows, and other farm stock, together with a quantity of agricultural implements. Twelve months' credit will be given on all sums over $5 by furnishing approved paper.

A CREDIT sale, by Auction, takes places on the farm of John Hagan, lot 36, concession 18, township of Proton, when a quantity of farm stock, implements, &c., will be offered for sale.—Purchases over $5 will secure you 11 months' credit on, good paper being furnished. Sale comes off on the 28th inst., and J. W. Morrow does the shouting thereat.

JONAS SAUDER, lots 221 and 222, 3rd concession, Towship of Proton, announces through posters, that he has a quantity of farm stock, implements, &c., to dispose of, which he will do on the 4th of March next, with the assistance of J. W. Morrow, Auctioneer. He gives 12 month's credit on sums over $5 by the purchaser complying with the necessary requirments.

THE Ladies' Aid Association of the C. M. Church, intend having a social in Dufferin Hall, on Tuesday evening, 22nd inst. A good programme of vocal and instrumental music, readings, recitations, dialogues, &c., has been prepared for the occasion. Admission—Double ticket, 25c; single, 15c; children 10c. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

OAKVILLE, November 16, 1880.

Mr. R. C. Balmer. Dear Sir,—It affords me unqualified pleasure to bear testimony to the benefit I have experienced from using Burdock Blood Bitters. For several years I have suffered from oft-recurring bilious Headaches, Dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex, which now I am entirely relieved from, if not cured by using only about half a bottle of the Bitters. I beg to return you my sincere thanks for recommending to me such a valuable medicine.

I remain, yours sincerely,

MRS. IRA MULHOLLAND.

DR J. C. AYER & Co., of Lowell, Mass., have favored us with a complete edition of their Almanacs for 1881, neatly bound in one volume. Turning to its contents we find ourselves prepared to discuss the weather with our afternoon callers in English, German, Dutch, Norwegian, Sweedish, French, Spanish, Portuguese, and Bohemian. We have as yet only perused the English version, and to it we are pleased to give our unqualified endorsement. Though Ayer's Almanac has long been recognized as a standard American work, yet it makes its advent each year with all the vigor and freshness of a first appearance, and is received with a hearty welcome by millions, from the rising to the setting sun. We commend it to our readers as a work replete with instructive information.

BIRTHS.

... —In the Manse of English Church, ... on Sunday, 6th inst., the ... J. Carry, B. D., ... of the ... of a son.

... —In Markdale, on the 14th inst., the wife of G. W. ... of a ...

DIED.

FOSTER.—In Artemesia, on the 16th inst., Mr. Henry Foster, Sr., aged 66 years.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 18, 1881.

Flour	$.0c	to	$.5c
Spring Wheat per bush, new	1.00	to	1.00
Fall do. do. do.	0.97	to	0.98
Barley	0.60	"	0.65
Oats	0.28	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.16	"	0.17
Pork, dressed	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.35
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	7.00	"	6.25
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.10

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 80c to $1.00; Spring wheat 90c to $1.05; Barley 65c to 85c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 29c to 30c; Pork $7.00 to $7.25; Potatoes per bag 30c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.00 to $2.25; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 2?c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

THURSDAY, Feb. 17th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.28
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	0.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.39
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

NOTICE.

THE Members of the Proton Agricultural Society, of two years' standing, are hereby requested to attend a special meeting of the Society, in the Orange Hall, at the Village of Dundalk, On **Tuesday**, the **First** day of **March**, 1881, at 9 o'clock a. m., to decide and fix upon a place to hold the Fall Exhibition of the Society, for the year 1881.

THOMAS HANBURY, President.
A. G. HUNTER, Secretary.
Dundalk, Jan. 28, 1881. 23-2i

Seed Grain for Sale.

AT the Well known Seed Farm, hereafter to be known as the *Mount Royal Farm* Lots 117 and 118, 2nd Con., North East of Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, and County of Grey, three miles from Markdale, the following varieties of Seed Grain are for sale, viz:—**White Russian Spring Wheat,** and **Black Tartar Oats;** other varieties sold out. The Black Tartar Oats have yielded, on an average, from 60 to 70 bushels per acre, the past two years, on my farm. All Seed Grain sold by me guaranteed pure, and free from other seeds and weeds, such as Wild Oats, Mustard, Red Root, Thistles, Cuckle, Chess or any other pest.

JOHN FORD,
Mount Royal Farm, Markdale P. O.
Feb. 11, 1881. 23-3i

GOLD! GOLD!

$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at

6½ AND 7 RER CENT.

per annum, STRAIGHT LOANS.

If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest?
If you need a barn?
If your fences are not sufficient?
If you want to buy more land?
If you want to clear and improve more land?

It Will Pay You

to borrow of the

NORTH OF SCOTLAND

Canadian Mortgage Comp'y

They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments. but **they do** give the most reasonable privileges of any Company lending money.

And their Costs are Low!

Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

I have also a

Few Thousand Dollars of

Private Money!

To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited.

As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow,** and the place is

The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agency.

INSURANCE!

It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a **Reliable** and **Safe** Company, and that they do their business through a **reliable Agent.**

I am prepared to take applications for the Strongest, Safest and Best Companies in Canada, and for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies are the

Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock.)
The Waterloo County and Gore District (Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Correctly** and **Neatly** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing. I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES

Attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT.

To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the **Proprietors** themselves. Correspondence solicited.

In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent.
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The ... thanks the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by my self personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any accord'g to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVER

AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS

—IN—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK

FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.

Cabinet Makers,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture!

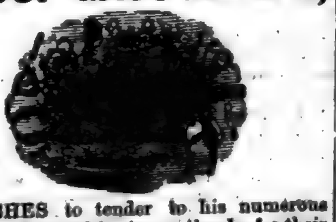
ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 10, 1880.

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA.

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 16 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Bentinck, Durham P. O.
Jan. 16th, 1881.

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry-Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.
Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.

GREAT

Mid-Winter Sale!

NOW GOING ON AT

W. J. McFARLAND'S

Every Piece of Winter Goods

MARKED AWAY DOWN.

BIG DRIVES.

10 yards ... for $1.50
10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2,50
Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents
Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.
50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.
300 yards All Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents
Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1,75, worth $3
Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6
10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50
10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3
10 yards black Velveteen for $4
20 yarks Linen Towelling for $1
12 yards heavy Wincey for $1
Colored Velveteens for half price.
50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS,

WOOLEN HOODS.

SHAWLS and MANTLES

A special discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1 will be given.

60 Men's Felt Hats at 65 cents each,
15 yards Brocaded Dress Goods for $2.00

1 Pair GENT'S KID MITTS, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie, ALL FOR ONE DOLLAR!

Ladies' Kid Mitts (lined) 60 cents.

And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.

EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS

At and Below Wholesale Prices,

Should call soon at

W. J. McFARLAND,
Wholesale and Retail.
Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received sin commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward busine with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY GOODS in all the lines.

ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.

HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.

BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.

CLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns

GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep Your Eye on the Place!

WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.

Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.

BUTTER & RAE.

THE PLACE TO BUY

WATCHES!

Over $400 worth sold in the last month.

LADIES' BEAUTIFUL

Gold Hunting Watches!

From $16 up WARRANTED.

Silver Watches

VERY LOW.

A Time Piece To Suit All

AT

W. F. DOLL'S,

FLESHERTON and DUNDALK.

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the witer.

N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880. 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 3-y

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHERTON,

Whilst wishing all

A Merry Christmas and a very Happy New Year,

And Many Returns of the Same,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been taxing our utmost ability to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business,* as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have

ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.

In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES,

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Classware,

AND

Fancy Holiday Presents

ALSO

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.

Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of

Millinery, Furs

AND

LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,

Ever shown in this Norther Country.

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE

LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the

HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!

For any Quantity of good Crain or FARM PRODUCE.

And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Of my large and complete stock of

Fall and Winter Dry Goods,

MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and

MILLINERY,

And will continue to sell at a

Very Small Advance on Cost!

Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT

R. J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.
Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Humors of Courtship and Odd Matrimonial Ceremonies Among the People of Cuba.

A Short Screed on Unauthorized Kissing, and the Unfortunate Results of Telling of it.

Reaching the Shrine of Hymen Under Difficulties—Derivation of Women's Names—A River Between Them.

Fashion Notes.

CURLS are very fashionable.

NEW opera cloaks are of shaded plush.

BUTTON gloves are no longer fashionable.

IT is not the correct thing to wear tight gloves.

CHINA crape scarfs as accessories for ball toilets are in demand.

BUTTONLESS, loose-wristed gloves take the precedence of all others

PUFFS of crimped tarlatan are the proper trimmings for widow's caps.

EASTERN combinations of Oriental colors grow in fashionable favor.

THE hair, in Paris, is dressed less flat and higher than it was last year.

WITH ball coiffures are worn bandeaux of ribbons set with precious stones.

FASHIONABLE young ladies who used to call for 5½ kids now ask for "sixes."

GOLD, silver and jewelled bandeaux are worn around the head for full dress for balls.

WHITE muslin petticoats are the only undergarments that are made fuller than formerly.

NEWLY imported French underwear of all kinds fit the form as close as possible to be comfortable.

THE favorite artificial flowers of the season are Parma violets, roses, chrysanthemums, and pinks,

GLOVES to be fashionable must be loose in the hands and fingers, but actually wrinkled around the wrists.

WHITE flowers have become things of the past on winter bonnets, they are worn to excess on evening toilets.

VOLUMINOUS jabots, mingled with flowers, are worn down the front of dresses for ceremonious occasions.

CLOAKS of satin de Lyon, with shirred yokes, are rapidly coming in vogue. Fur bands and collars are the trimmings.

WHITE Chudda shawls, enriched on the edges with Oriental embroidery illuminated with gold threads, make the most elegant ball and opera wraps.

UNDRESSED kid gloves, without buttons, light colors, very loose in the hands, and wrinkled around the wrists, take precedence of all others for evening wear.

THE large straight cloaks, with shirred yokes, which are coming in, have elbow sleeves formed of the fulness of the garment and bordered with deep fur bands.

BERTHAS or rivieres of artificial flowers are made to fit the necks of dresses, no matter what the shape may be, and are finished on the shoulders with bouquets or epaulettes of flowers.

YOUNG widows wear Fanchon or bebe caps of tarlatan, with or without strings fastening under the chignon; elderly widows wear large mob caps of the same material, with black net linings on the crowns.

Waifs.

TENNYSON TO MAUD.

Come into the garden mud,
 My darling, my life, my own;
Come with a jump and a thud,
 Ere the black bat night is flown.

For the mud of the garden is pure,
 But the mud of the street is vile,
And our footing will be more sure,
 So we'll wade in the former awhile.

JOHN calls his wife's hair-dresser her switch tender.

"THOUGH he sleigh me yet will I trust in him," says the pious maiden of her lover.

SHORT courtship: "Rachel the Lord hath sent me to marry thee," said the suitor. "The Lord's will be done," was the submissive reply.

"YOU seem to enjoy telling fibs," dryly remarked an old lady to her little niece the other day. "Yes, auntie," replied the child. "I think I do, but I enjoy having you swallow them more."

THE fashionable spring bonnet for 1881 is to be profusedly decorated with flowers, and provided in the rear with a fire-escape, so that the wearer's friends can climb to the top and see the trimmings.

"I SWEAR," said a gentleman to his lady love, "you are very handsome." "Pooh," said the lady, "so you would say if you did not think so." "And so you would think," answered he, "though I should not say so."

A TROY girl who has been deaf since childhood regained her hearing through the mediumship of a handsome young doctor who tackled her case. He sat down beside her and began telling her how good-looking she was.

A STORY is told of a North Adams young man who called on a young lady for the first time Sunday evening. After an hour or two of pleasant conversation on various subjects, the "man of the house" entered the room were the young people were sitting. He was introduced to the young man, and, after a few remarks upon the weather, etc., left the room and retired for the night. Nine o'clock came, and the caller, saying "Good Night," left for his home. The next morning, on passing the house, the young man had occasion to speak with the young lady, and when about to resume his down town journey, met "the man of the house" coming in the gate. "Well, young man, you hold on pretty long," said the old gentleman, and the poor young mam, without stopping to explain, went his way, puzzled whether to commit suicide or go a-fishing.

THE old Duchess of Somerset, the sale of whose effects took place the other day, had a passion for dress which lasted to the very end of her life, and as she held to the opinion that nothing is too good to wear and nothing is too bad to keep, cupboards and drawers were filled to overflowing, and the whole attic story of her house in Park street completely stuffed with dresses. The coronation robes worn at the crowning of Queen Victoria were there, of crimson velvet, lined with miniver. Her Grace was wont to have this robe brought to her once in three months, when she would try it on and parade before the looking glass with as much delight at her appearance as she must have felt on the occasion on which it was first donned. The Duke's coronet was there of silver, mounted in gold lace and trimmed with miniver, and his garter robes shone forth in splendor, and then came the relic of the sentiment which belongs to all alike—the Duke's wedding vest, of white satin, embroidered in silver, and kept by the wife with the same care and reverence as Marlborough treasured the lock of Sarah's hair—after so many years as bright and fresh as ever. The sale has made a great impression in London and called up stories of the dead and gone.

An Accommodating Parson.

Recently in Texas a couple bent on marriage procured a license, and set out with one or two friends to look up a parson. They reached the river, but alas! the would be bride could not cross. The only parson for long, weary miles was just across the river, while visions of irate parents with double-barreled shot guns formed a very long and troublesome procession through the minds of the two lovers. The weather was cold, the river was up, and what could they do? One of the escort suggested that he would swim the river and see, if possible, the parson, who, undoubtedly, would fix up a plan to tie the nuptial knot. He did so, found the preacher, and soon had him down on the river bank. The water was cold and deep, and he refused point black to cross over, to the very great distress of the young couple on the other side. Necessity is not only the mother of inventions, but the mother of expedients. The parson concluded to marry the couple across the river, and they joined hands and took their stand near the water's edge, while the preacher, on the opposite bank, in stentorian voice pronounced the marriage service, and declared them man and wife.

Women's Names.

Annabella is not Anna-bella, or Fair Anna, but is the feminine of Hannibal, meaning gift (or grace) of Bel. Arabella is not Ara-bella, or beautiful altar, but Orabilis, a praying woman. In its Anglicised form of Orabel, it was very much more common in the thirteenth century than at present. Maurice has nothing to do with Mauritius, or a Moor, but comes from amalric—himmelrich—the kingdom of heaven. Ellen is the feminine of Alain, Alan, or Allen, and has no possible connection with Helen, which comes from a different language and is older by about a thousand years at least. Amy is not from aimee, but from amier. Avice, or Avis, does not exactly mean advice, as some seem to think. It comes from Æd-wis, and means happy wisdom. Eliza has no connection with Elizabeth. It is the sister of Louisa, and both are the daughters of Heloise, which is Helewis, hidden wisdom. There is, indeed, another form of Louisa, or rather Louise, which is the feminine of Louis, but was scarcely heard of before the sixteenth century. The older Heloise form of the name Aloisa, Aloisia, or Aloysia, was adopted into mediæval English, as Alesia,—a name which our old genealogists always confuse with Alice. Emily and Amelia are different forms of one name. Emily is from Æmylia, the name of an Etruscan gem. Amelia comes from the Gothic amala—heavenly. Reginald is not derived from Regnia, and has nothing to do with a queen. It is Rein-alt—exalted purity. Adelais, Adelaide, Alisa, Alix, Adeline, are all forms of one name, the root of which is adel—noble. But Anne was never used as identical with Annis, or Agnes (of which last the old Scotch Annas is a variety), nor, as I sturdily maintain, was Elizabeth ever synonymous with Isabel.

Marriage in Cuba.

A correspondent at Havana sends the following to an exchange: Readers who have or have not been wooed and won, even in spite of the difficulties that often attend that exciting period of the lives of young men and women in this country, will thank fortune that nothing more than an irate father or meddlesome mother or an empty pocket-book stood in the way of matrimonial bliss. During dinner one day I was observing, while talking, a scene that was taking place near the gates of an opposite house, and I will describe it, as it illustrates well the habits of the people in love affairs. A well-dressed young man was speaking from the outside with a pretty young lady who was standing at one of the corners of the window. The lover was in such a position that the persons who were in the parlor of the young lady's house could not see him. Sometimes it happened that one of them approached the window; she then gave notice to the young man, and he would immediately start and stop at the corner of the block and stay there watching. As soon as the risk was over he would come slowly to his post, in order to continue his interrupted conversation. What a troublesome way of courting a lady! The notice I gave to the others of what was going on afforded me much information as to the method of courtship. Sometimes this sort of thing is going on at each window of the one-story houses, and not unfrequently two in each may be seen. This generally occurs when the suitor is not admitted to the house on account of not having an introduction or when the parents of the girl disapprove the acquaintance of their daughter with the suitor. The method however, is generally condemned and avoided even by the young men, who fear to depreciate the character of the the object of their affections. If they cannot visit them they take advantage of all opportunities of seeing them in public places, at a church or theatre or possibly at the house of a common friend. The chief resource used is a correspondence, in which the servants, and sometimes the friends of the young lady, act as mediators. Some of these love letters are very funny; The love-stricken heroes put the powers of the pen to the utmost; they exhaust their erudition and indulge in hyperboles, metaphors, and smiles to an alarming extent, in order to show the vehemence of their passion and make the most impossible promises. The following is copy of one written, evidently by a student, which strikes one as an amusing burlesque, but which undoubtedly was intended to express a great deal:

"MISS: Your beautiful image had scarcely struck the retina of my eye, by means of a convergent ray, when my cave vena was filled with hot blood, as if I had tasted the nectar of the gods or the heavenly ambrosia," etc.

Endearments of this kind are frequent and are often kept up for years, and even then do not end in marriage. It is not uncommon for the lover to disappoint his enamorado under frivolous pretexts, on account of natural inconstancy or for a more golden prospect, for the wealth of the young lady is the leading requisite. It is said, in justice to the fair sex, that they are very seldom inconstant, scarcely ever dismissing a lover except for very powerful reasons. Cubans generally marry rather late in life—the men when about thirty and the women when about twenty-five. This is rather singular, considering the influence of the climate. The reason for it is a hard one to find, and no satisfactory one has ever been given. It is rather singular that one of the rules respecting marriage is the same in Cuba as in many parts of the United States, particularly in New York. The bridegroom and bride start from the church where the ceremony is performed on a trip into the country, where they stay for a week or two. Then they return to the city and give notice of the marriage to their friends, who immediately go to greet them. The greatest possible secrecy, is, however, observed in the performance of the ceremony, which takes place at the time the churches are empty or leave is obtained from the bishop to be married at the lady's residence. The laws of the church forbid marriages with persons of different religious beliefs or among near relatives. The latter prohibition is, however, easily surmounted by paying the bishop a sum, the amount of which increases in proportion to the intimacy of the kindred. For legitimate marriages the consent of the fathers is necessary; if these be dead, that of the mothers must be secured. Lastly, that of the paternal or maternal grandfather, of the tutor, and in default of those persons, of the judge, provided the age of the individuals to be married be over a certain limit, will be sufficient. Clergymen and nuns are not allowed to marry, but widowers, even with children, are allowed to become clergymen.

A Paris Elopement.

There has just been an instance of French credulity and snobbishness in the Faubourgh St. Honore, says a Paris letter, which shows that snobs and fools may be found even among the natives—the autochtones, as M. Gustave Flaubert, would have termed them. Prince X.—I call him X., for his real name is yet an unknown quantity, in spite of the efforts of M. Andreieux's agents to discover his identity—Prince X. came, saw, and was admitted to several circles in the vicinity of the Palace de l'Opera. He played high, lost, and paid without hesitation; was never caught with, or even suspected of having, an extra pack of cards up his sleeve, and, finally, was invited to one of the most fashionable houses in the Roule quarter. Here he met Mlle. Y., a beauty and an heiress, who was charmed with the prince and his title, and, with the consent of her parents, engaged herself to marry him. So far everything was gay and festive; the trousseau was ordered, the date for the signature of the contract was fixed, when, just as the invitations were about to be issued, the future father-in-law received and communicated to his future son-in-law a number of letters, not anonymous, whence it appears that X. is not a prince; that he is a penniless chevalier d'industrie, and that he had been forced the leave the country of his birth for that country's good. Great was the indignation of the noble stranger, who only asked for eight-and-forty hours' time, at the end of which he would "confound his calumniators and unmask their machinations." M. Y. was only too willing to be persuaded that the suitor of his child is the real Simon Pure. He granted the request; but instead of interdicting to him all visits until the mystery should be cleared up, he authorized their continuance. Epilogue: Last Tuesday the prince and his young woman eloped, fleeing away by night to some other clime, and paterfamiliar is left unconsolable. He is a former financial functionary, immensely rich, who owns one of the most sumptuous chateaus in France, a few miles only distant from the capital, and he asks himself whether, as his heiress is self-willed and obstinate, he might not have been wiser in his generation if he had held his tongue and paid the prince's debts, instead of setting the police to discover the truth of the accusation that the Wallachian is only a discharged servant of a Boyard who resides in one of the Danubian principalities.

"MAMMA, I don't think the people who make dolls are very pious people," said a little girl to her mother one day. "Why not, my child?" "Because you can never make them kneel. I always have to lay my doll down on her stomach to say her prayers."

History of the Horse.

HOW THE HORSE ILLUSTRATES THE LAW OF DEVELOPMENT—IMPORTANT RESULTS OF PROF. MARSH'S LABORS.

(London Times.)

At the meeting of the Zoological society last week, among the papers read was one by Prof. Huxley on the application of the laws of evolution to the arrangement of the vertebrata, and more particularly mammalia. The illustrations adduced were those of the history of the horse, principally, so far as is known, from the work of Prof. Marsh on the "Eocenes of North America." The announcement of the paper had drawn together an unusually large attendance, as it was expected that the marshaling of the facts in Prof. Huxley's hands would have great interest in practically substantiating the theory of evolution, which, though foreshadowed by others, took practical shape in the work of Darwin twenty-one years ago. Prof. Huxley said: There is evidence, the value of which has not been disputed, and which in my judgment amounts to proof, that between the commencement of the tertiary epoch and the present time the group of the equidæ has been represented by a series of forms, of which the oldest is that which departs least from the general type of structure of the higher mammalia, while the latest is that which most widely differs from that type. In fact, the earliest known equine animal possesses four complete sub-equal digits on the fore foot, three on the hind foot; the ulna is complete and distinct from the radius; the fibula is complete and distinct from the tibia; there are forty-four teeth, the full number of canines being present, and the cheek-teeth having short crowns with simple patterns and early-formed roots. The latest, on the other hand, has only one complete digit on each foot, the rest being represented by rudiments; the ulna is reduced and partially encylosed with the radius; the fibula is still more reduced and partially encylosed with the tibia; the canine teeth are partially or completely suppressed in the females; the first cheek-teeth usually remain undeveloped, and when they appear are very small; the other cheek-teeth have long crowns, with highly complicated patterns and late-formed roots. The equidæ of intermediate ages exhibit intermediate characters. With respect to the interpretation of these facts two hypotheses, and only two, appear to be imaginable. The one assumes that these successive forms of equine animals have come into existence independently ot one another. The other assumes that they are the result of the gradual modification undergone by the successive members of a continuous line of ancestry. As I am not aware that any zoologist maintains the first hypotheses, I do not feel called upon to discuss it. The adoption of the second, however, is equivalent to the acceptance of the doctrine of evolution so far as horses are concerned, and in the absence of evidence to the contrary, I shall suppose that it is accepted. Since the commencement of the eocene epoch, the animals which constitute the family of the equidæ have undergone processes of modification of three kinds: 1. There has been an excess of development of one part of the oldest form over another; 2. Certain parts have undergone complete or partial suppression; 3. Parts originally distinct have coalesced. Employing the term "law" simply in the sense of a general statement of facts ascertained by observation, I shall speak of these three processes by which the eohippus form has passed into equus, as the expression of a three-fold law of evolution. It is of profound interest to remark that this law, or generalized statement of the nature of the ancestral evolution of the horse, is precisely the same as that which formulates the process of individual development in animals generally, from the period at which the broad characters of the group to which an animal belongs are discernible onward. After a mammalian embryo, for example, has taken on its general mammalian characters, its further progress toward its special form is affected by the excessive growth of one part or relation to another, by the arrest or suppression of parts already formed, and by the coalescence of parts primarily distinct. This coincidence of the laws of ancestral and individual development creates a strong confidence in the general validity of the former, and a belief that we may safely employ it in reasoning deductively from the known to the unknown. The astronomer who has determined three places of a new planet calculates its place at an epoch, however remote; and, if the law of evolution is to be depended upon, the zoologist who knows a certain length of the course of that evolution in any given case may with equal justice reason backward to the earlier but unknown stages. Applying this method to the case of the horse, I do not see that there is any reason to doubt that the eocene equidæ were preceded by metozoic forms, which differed from eohippus in the same way as eohippus differs from equus. And thus we are ultimately led conceive of a first form of the equine series, which, if the law is of general validity, must need have been provided with five sub-equal digits on each plantigrade foot, with complete, sub-equal antebrachial and crural bones, with clavicles, and with, as at present, fourty-four teeth, the cheek-teeth having short crowns and simple-ridged or tuberculated patterns. Moreover, since Marsh's investigations have shown that the older forms of any given mammalian group have less developed cerebral hemispheres than the later, there is a prima facie probability that this primordial hippoid had a low form of brain. Further, since the existing horse has a diffuse allantoic placentation, the primary form could not have presented a higher, and may have possessed a lower, condition of the various modes by which the fetus derives nourishment from the parent. Such an animal as this, however, would find no place in any of our systems of classification of the mammalia. It would come nearest to the lemuroidea and the insectivora, though the non-prehensile pes would separate it from the former and the placentation from the latter group. A natural classification is one which associates together all those forms which are closely allied and separates them from the rest. But, whether in the ordinary sense of the word "alliance" or in its purely morphological sense, it is impossible to imagine a group of animals more closely allied than our primordial hippoids are with their descendants. Yet, according to existing arrangements, the ancestors would have to be placed in one order of the class of mammalia and their descendants in another. It may be suggested that it might be as well to wait until the primordial hippoid is discovered before discussing the difficulties which will be created by its appearance. But the truth is that that problem is already pressing in another shape. Numerous "lemurs," with marked ungulate characters, are being discovered in the older territories of the United States and elsewhere; and no one can study the more ancient mammals with which we are already acquainted without being constantly struck with the insectivorous characters which they present. In fact, there is nothing in the detention of either primates, carnivores, or ungulates, which is any means of deciding whether a given fossil skeleton, with skull, teeth, and limbs, almost complete, ought to be ranged with the lemurs, the insectivores, the carnivores, or the ungulates. In whatever order of mammals a sufficiently long series of forms has come to light, they illustrate the three-fold law of evolution as clearly, though, perhaps, not so strikingly, as the equine series does. Carnivores, artiodactyles, and periosodactyles all tend, as we trace them back through the tertiary epoch, toward less modified forms, which will fit into none of the recognized orders, but come closer to the insectivora than to any other. It would, however, be most inconvenient and misleading to term these primordial forms insectivora, the mammals so called being themselves more or less specialized modifications of the same common type, and only, in a partial and limited sense, representatives of that type. The root of the matter appears to me to be that the paleontogical facts which have come to light in the course of the last ten or fifteen years have completely broken down existing taxonomical conceptions, and that the attempts to construct fresh classifications, upon the old model are necessarily futile. The Cuvieran method, which all modern classifiers have followed, has been of immense value to leading to the close investigation and the clear statement of the anatomical character of animals. But its principle, the association into sharp logical categories defined by such characters, was sapped when Van Baer showed, in estimating the likeness and unlikeness of animals, development must be fully taken into account, and if the importance of individual development necessarily follows. If the end of all zoological classification is a clear and concise expression of the morphological resemblances and differences of animals, then all such resemblances must have a taxonomic value. But they fall under three heads: First, those of adult individuals; second, those of successive stages of embryological development or individual evolution; third, those of [illegible] of the evolution of the species or ancestral evolution. An arrangement is "natural," that is, logically justifiable, exactly in so far as it expresses the relations of likenesses and [illegible] their adult and embryogenetic characters, but their morphological relations, in so far as the several forms represent [illegible] of evolution. [illegible] school to the [illegible] of Linne's teachings (imperfect and objectionable as these often were in their accidents) turns out to have been a reactionary mistake, so Cuvier's no less definite repudiation of Bonnet's echelle at the present day, the existence of a scala animantium, is necessary consequence of the doctrine of evolution, and its establishment constitutes, I believe, the foundation of scientific taxonomy. Many years ago, in my lectures at the royal college of surgeons I particularly insisted on the central position of the insectivora among the higher mammalia; and further study of this order and of the rodentia has only strengthened my conviction that any one who is acquainted with the range of variation of structure in these groups possesses the key to every peculiarity which is met with in the primates, the carnivora, and the ungulata. Given the common plan of the insectivora and of the rodentia, and granting that the modifications of the structure of the limbs, of the brain, and of the alimentary and reproductive viscera which occur among them may exist and accumulate elsewhere, and the deviation of all eutheria from animals which, except for their diffuse placentation, would be insectivores, is a simple deduction from the law of evolution. I venture to express a confident expectation that investigation into the mammalia fauna of the mesozoic epoch will, sooner or latter, fill up these blanks. Prof. Huxley proceeded to give details on which his conclusions were based, and dwelt on the fact that much further careful work is needed to clear up problems before us.

Wages and Cost of Living in China

[From the San Francisco Bulletin.]

There have been many books written on China, from the time of Abbe Huc to the present. But most of them have been too general to present any precise idea of the actual social conditions in that vast empire. Recent official observation has, however, done much to clear away the mists which obscure real life. Most of the trades which we have are carried on in the Central Flowery land. There are there the traditional "butcher, baker, and candle-stick maker." But there is a peculiarity which is not found in civilization. The artist obtains no higher rewards than the ordinary craftsman. There appears to be a dead level for all who work with hand or finger. A master workman in any of the trades in China gets $3 per week, or $156 per annum. But the workmen only get half that remuneration; $1.50 per week, or $78 per annum, is the average rate, and it is not every workman who can obtain it. Youngsters or women get 50 cents per week, or $26 per annum, It will be observed that these are the wages paid in the higher walks of art and mechanics. There is only one class of operatives who are more handsomely rewarded. Gold and silversmiths do a little better. The silk reeler or spinner sometimes gets from $1 to $2 per day, because the silk has to be reeled off the cocoons in a given time, and, as a consequence, the work has to be prosecuted day and night. Consul Denny, at Shanghai, thus figures out the expenses, per annum, of living in connection with the compensation specified:

For a Master.

For food, &c.	$72
For rent, &c.	36
For clothing	12
Total	$120

For a Workman.

For food, &c.	$45
For rent	12
For clothing	8
Total	$65

The same authority adds: "The master generally lives at the workshop, where he has, perhaps, two rooms, besides a place to cook in. The household furniture may be estimated at from $20 to $30. The ordinary workman, if married, will share a small house with a friend, and occupy one room, and have access to the kitchen. He may live with his parents, in which case his earnings go to the common fund. Under such circumstances, $10 to $15 will cover the value of the household furniture." We have no form of Chinese life in California, except in very rare cases, which corresponds to that which is here portrayed. There are only a few Chinese families in this city. Nearly all the Chinese are male adults without any family ties or connexions, at least in this country. But we get a glimpse of that peculiar state of things in China also. Consul Denny further says that if the Chinamaman is "a bachelor, and away from his family, he will either sleep at his employer's for a consideration, or stay with a friend; in either case his whole inventory consists of a box with his clothes, and his bedding." This is a complete portrait of the Chinaman in California. He is got up in light marching order.

But the common labourer, whether in field or kitchen, does not get anything like the wages of the skilled artisan. The farm labourer, during harvest time, gets, besides his meals—worth about 10 cents—from 10 cents to fifteen cents a day, or from 70 cents to $1.05 a week. He can be hired by the month for from $1.50 to $2. If he gets permanent employment he is willing to accept $12 per annum, with board and lodging. If he works for shorter terms, 50 cents a month will suffice for house rent, and $2 per annum will keep his wardrobe in repair. But there is a grade below these free labourers known as coolies, who are often glad to work for five cents a day.

Kissing and Telling It.

When the wrong man kisses the right woman or the right man kisses the wrong woman—and both sometimes happen—it does not always follow that there is a disturbance about it. The world can never know, how much unauthorized kissing has been done and forgiven and forgotten. In the naturally wild and audacious career of the human kind there is a good deal of that sort of business, and it is just as well that it is not openly dragged before the public on every occasion. If that were always done it would be very discouraging to a reasonable delightful pastime which more or less concerns everybody. Many of the cares and trials of this world find relief in a kiss; it is a very little thing, uncommonly sweet for its size, and one of the few luxuries of this world which well-organized people neverget too much of. Nobody who understand even the rudiments of kissing disdain its practice, and those who have been so fortunate as to reach something of the science of the thing are not easily restrained in their pursuit of supreme happiness. A kiss doesn't cost anything, and it's a pretty small matter to make a disturbance about, and most people will endure a good deal of kissing without getting angry about it and regarding it as a misfortune to make public complaint. Now and then, however, human nature is put to an awful test in this way, and human nature breaks down. A man may not be so particular about putting his kisses where they will do the most good; the chief aim of man is to get the kiss, and he is frequently too hasty and too reckless about it. But a woman is apt to be a little more considerate in her preferences.

There was an Illinois woman, now, who had a prejudice against being kissed by a tailor (possibly because the other eight parts of the man were not around), although the tailor was perfectly free to say that he had no prejudice against kissing the lady. He regarded her as sweet enough to kiss, and frankly told her so. There are some cold, proud women who, in some unaccountable way, have got into this world, who would not be affected by any such talk, but the number of these is very, very few. Whether the Illinois would was one of this rare kind or not is still a matter of dispute. It is also undecided whether she kissed the tailor he was a handsome man; she insists that, being a truthful woman, she could not have done so conscientiously, while he takes the opposite side of the question. There is, however, no controversy about the one point that he did kiss her, and that is the most important thing. It is not certain just what was the matter with this kiss—whether it was not up to the standard, or whether there may not be something peculiar about a tailor's kiss. But it is certain that the lady didn't lose much time in telling her husband about it, and the husband lost no time in horse-whipping the tailor for doing just what he had doubtless himself done a thousand times. In this way the matter became the property of the public, for the tailor proceeded against the husband for assault. Perhaps when the case is brought to trial we shall get some idea about what there is to a tailor's kiss which induces a woman to tell her husband about it and create a disturbance in the community. Such a course is as strange as it is unusual, and if allowed to go on unrebuked must inevitably cut tailors off from many of the good things of this world.

Thrust and Parry.

ROMANTIC HISTORY OF THE FIRST SWORDSMAN OF EUROPE.

(Paris Figaro.)

Any person who has frequented the public promenades of Florence may have occasionally met a little man, about 40 years old, of very elegant figure, well knit, firmly braced upon his legs, walking before him, with the air rather of preoccupation rather than revery. But what would especially notice about this personage is that as he walks along he never ceases to execute fencing manœuvres with his arms, variations of lunge or combinations of guard. Any one can tell you his name. It is San Malato.

As I have said, he is of no small stature, but has a finely arched foot, the sign of his race; his hand is very delicate, but strong; the sword-hilt sits firmly in it. Chestnut moustaches and hair; he is not of the swarthy Italian type. His face is full of energy, with its strongly cut features; and nevertheless there is much gentleness in that physiognomy. His whole figure compels the idea of a man powerfully muscled.

Ten years ago no one would have believed that the Baron di San Malato would ever open a fencing school. A Sicilian gentleman, he lived magnificently in Sicily. He drew upon his fortune with both hands, flinging his gold out of the windows with reckless generosity, as one loves to see great gentlemen do. His luxury had rendered him famous; his prodigality made him popular.

There was no fantasy worthy of a great lord by which he was not tempted; and none which he did not obey. Never was the man's caprice better served than by this man. He loved luxury with a luxurious love. His stables were kept like a palace; his palace like a museum. People came to see his ten splendid horses pawing marble, eating out of silver, drinking out of crystal; just as they would also visit his galleries to admire his works of art. "Le vin, le jeu les femmes," he seldom went beyond the range of that romance, and he sang it enchantingly well. He kept at once the best table, the greatest buncos, and the finest mistresses.

He played "Mæcenas" after a fashion of his own; delighting to protect music in the persons of divas, and dancing in those of the greatest choregraphic stars. Once his fancy had been taken by a roulade or a jete-battu,—a nightingale throat or the shapely limbs of a sylph, it was no use for the public to refuse to adopt the favourite. This sultan hired the theatre for himself, paid for all the seats, flung open all the doors, and said, "Enter!" A magnificent method of assuring success, surely, pitiful little protectors that we are, who vaunt of having distributed five louis to the claque!

But the feast could not endure forever at this rate. One fine morning San Malato, having by chance looked into his strong box, found it absolutely empty. Like all thorough-bred bons viveurs he did not long hesitate what to do. Nevertheless, fancy that his eyes must have become dimmed for a moment—that moment of brief farewell that we give to the irreparable past, when we are men of nerve. He looked into the future as one looks into a river upon a cold day before plunging in. He did not first put in one foot and then then the other, crying: "Aie! ca pince!"—he simply crossed himself and dived in head foremost. This was how the Baron di San Malato became a fencing-master.

To begin with, he was already a splendid fencer, one of the best. Fencing had always been a favourite diversion with him, as all manly sports are to finely-tempered natures. Taught by his father, a consummate swordsman, whom our fathers in the art of using the foils may remember to have seen at Paris, he devoted five years more to the severest study, the most carefully supervised courses of instruction. And when he opened his school at Florence, it was not only the first swordsman in Italy whom the aristocracy came to salute:—it was perhaps still more the modest pride and glorious courage of their former comrade. You can well imagine that under such conditions the fencing-hall of Via Mezza became the rendezvous of high Florentine society. For five months during his stay there, the Prince Imperial was one of the most assiduous pupils who honourod the school, together with members of the oldest nobility and the most brilliant men of elegant society. This fact speaks for itself—160 francs ror a trial of skill with the master; 50 francs for a lesson. They do things on a grand scale in Florence!

As to the romantic side of the man—or, rather the picturesque—one could never do justice to it. In the first place, it should be stated that San Malato is known throughout the peninsula, and is known in the peliar light of a legendary type. He has often been called the D'Artagnan of Italy; and certainly with good reason. Wherever there has been a noble cause to maintain, a threatening danger; wherever there was a man unjustly suffering, a woman weeping, a child crying for aid; above all, wherever and whenever the fatherland beckoned, he wasthere, San Malato! Twenty-two wounds received upon the field of battle! One of the first among those hundred and fifty soldiers of epic celebrity who, at Aspremont, held their own against seventeen thousand men! Forty duels for matters of honour! Mon Dieu, yes!—but I am sure that out of them all he did not provoke three.

Most of them occurred in Sicily. Here is one which seems to me worthy of attention. It was upon the public square of Palermo. I forget what was the political ardor which fired the fiery dispositions of the people at the time. I think it was about a candidacy. Under the blue sky they were chatting and arguing. The Chevalier de P—, a cousin of the candidate in question, spoke of his relative in terms worse than disrespectful.

"You are a coward!" said San Malato.

How comical the sequel was.

"Will you dare to repeat that in five minutes?" retorted the chevalier.

"Most assuredly," replied San Malato.

Thereupon the Chevrlier de P—— entered his residence, which faced the square. Five minutes afterward he came out and entered the group, with a revolver in his hand. San Malato went to meet him.

"Let me first make another remark: a revolver does not become your hands; it is not a weapon fit for such as you; you do not know how to use it."

And he spat in his face. Astonishment on the part of the chevalier, who remained motionless, as if rooted to the ground, his arms hanging by his side as if paralyzed. San Malato spat in his face a second time. Friends intervened and separated them. Then, of course, seconds were chosen. Swords were selected. In the evening San Malato was visited by Mme. de P——, mother of the chevalier. She knew his terrible strength and skill; she came to beg him not to kill her son.

"It shall be as you wish, madame; you may rely upon my word."

Next morning San Malato, at the moment of leaving his house, gave a letter to one of his seconds, and requested him to convey it at once to Mme. de P——. Then he went on the ground, and both men took their positions.

The chevalier attacked him furiously. San Malato parried without lunging. Three times the attack was made without any difference in the character of the contrast; the one adversary vigorous and eager, the other supremely indifferent. A witness bent forward and whispered something in the ear of the chevalier.

"Yes, it is true," said San Malato, "I do not wish to touch you. Let us continue!"

And this time the diabolical man continued the combat with his face turned toward the seconds. These finally put an end to the fantastic encounter.

"Then San Malato said to de P——:

"Go and see madame your mother. She will explain what you do not understand!"

Let us tell another story of him while we are at it—the story of another duel, but a different kind. They were fighting with sabres; the adversary was the Count De B——, the most remarkable sabreur of that time. San Malato was much less skilful. He took his weapon in both hands and charged furiously upon De B——, who retired, defending himself. They were called back to their positions. De B—— was disarmed. A third time the encounter commenced, and San Malato's sabre broke off about thirty centimetres from the hilt. Nevertheless B—— continued the fight, and the seconds allowed him to do it. Then San Malato became furious. He flung himself forward, wounded the Count De B—— desperately with the stump of his weapon, and, as a lesson, gave a severe slash to all the seconds, commencing with his own.

Nearly all of his duels have had a political origin, so that he hates politics, and anyone who talks politics before him becomes his enemy. He has three affections—three things which he adores—God, his mother, and his son. Is not this truly worthy of D'Artagnan? I need not speak of his profession, which he loves passionately. The love which swordsmen have for their swords has long been proverbial. When he speaks of it, the tenderness of his speech borrows a greater charm from the sweetness of his native language—[illegible] combination of [illegible] and [illegible] for an Italian nature.

His mission in Italy [illegible] to be the development of peculiar ideas upon the field of honor. According to him the really brave man feels his moral and physical strength doubled when he has thrown off his coat, and he assures us that he never managed his weapon more skilfully than in a duel.

To observe those muscles of steel, that sinewy suppleness, one cannot help anticipating panther-leaps and terrible surprises. But the real danger does not lie there; and it is not possible with such a man to seek points de repere from the lesson of preceding encounters. Sometimes, like a veteran swordsman, he relies wholly upon science, and leaves nothing to chance; sometimes, with the fire of a youth of 18, he gives free rein to all the resources of the most vivid imagination. He has studied the methods of all schools, and appears to have arrived at perfection in each. In fine, we shall soon see that for ourselves; for we are not all like the Sicilian brigands.

One day, when San Malato was riding in his carriage, a band of bandits appeared upon the road. They stopped the vehicle and throttled the coachman. Then the chief of the band put his head and his blunderbuss in at the window and cried in his cavernous voice:

"Get out, all of you!"

San Malato, always leaning upon his elbow in a languorous mood, exclaimed in a voice of exquisite hauteur:

"Spread your cloaks upon the ground; I might soil my feet getting down."

"San Malato! San Malato!" yelled the brigands; and they fled in terror.

I may appear to be relating a fiction; but this is historical truth; all the Italian papers mentioned it. But I only wanted to point out a difference. We cry, "San Malato! San Malato!" but far from flying, we shall all rush to meet him. En gard maintenant!

POPULAR SCIENCE.

MR. C. J. KINTNER, of the United States patent-office, believes that, judging from what has already been done in various applications of electricity, within the next decade we shall find our large telegraphic corporations operating their elevators, supplying motive power, heat, and light throughout their buildings, and electricity for their lines, from one common source of power.

A PHOTOGRAPHIC sunshine recorder has been invented by Capt. Abney. It consists of a semi-cylindrical box, with a flat lid, in the centre of which is a small hole. Round the inside of the cylinder strips of sensitive paper are fixed, and the instrument is then so placed that the sun, the hole, and the centre line of the paper are in the same plane. As the sun moves, therefore, its track will be recorded on the paper.

MR. A. H. KEANE says that the extremely low estimate of the Australian intellect formed by Mr. Wake and other ethnologists seems at least somewhat premature, and that no one can turn over the pages of Brough Smith's great work on the aborigines of Victoria without coming to the conclusion that the race has been much vilified and unduly depreciated by careless or superficial observers. Many instances are given of their skill in drawing, a capacity for which was wholly denied them. Their children constantly show themselve "quite as capable of receiving and profiting by instruction as the children of untaught parents among the white race."

IT appears from one of the recently published memoirs of the science department of the University of Tokio that there is nothing to warrant the belief entertained some years ago regarding the enormous quantities of gold and copper to be found in Japan. Whatever rich and easily-worked deposits of either metal may have existed there, they were long since exhausted. Any remunerative extraction of gold or copper must now be pursued according to scientific methods and by persons possessing capital. Coal is just now the most profitable mineral brought to the surface in Japan. There are annually exported 160,000,000 catties (a catty is about 1⅓ pounds), but the coal imported is yet about 47,396,000 catties. Copper ranks second, silver third, and gold fourth in the mineral wealth of Japan.

A SIMPLE magic lantern, from the construction and use of which a good deal of instruction and amusement may be derived during winter evenings, is described in The Scientific American. A small box, a kerosene lamp with an argand burner, a little fish-globe filled with pure water, and a common double or piano convex lens are all the materials necessary to make it. A hole is bored in the top of the box to permit the chimney of the lamp to pass through and allow the heat and the products of combustion to escape. In the side of the box a round hole is cut large enough to admit a portion of the globe, which is suspended inside the box close to the lamp. A piece of common glass is then moistened with a strong solution of sulphate of soda, and placed on a stand or clip so that the light from the lamp will be focused on it by the globe. The image of the glass will thus be thrown upon a screen when the lens is properly adjusted. The formation of the crystals of the sulphate of soda will be seen clearly on the screen, and appear like the magical growth of a forest. Any ingenious family can readily devise a great number of interesting experiments with this inexpensive lantern.

Carlyle's Visitor.

One of the most constant visitors at Carlyle's house in Cheyne Walk, is a lady, whose friendship with the philosopher began in a curious manner. Many years ago, the Rev. Dr. Thomas, now of Chapham road chapel, delivered a lecture in Stockwell on Carlyle's works. Among his audience was a young girl in humble circumstances, upon whose mind the glowing eulogies of the great master's writings made a vivid impression. Returning home she managed to became the possessor of one of Carlyle's volumes, which she read with avidity; and then, yielding to an uncontrolable impulse, she penned a letter to the author expressing her gratitude for the light which his work had been the means of throwing upon many subjects that had hitherto perplexed her. Scarcely had she dropped the missive into the post than, half-frightened, half-ashamed at her own presumption, she would gladly have recalled it. A day or two afterward a carriage stopped at the door of her father's little shop in Cambrewell, and a lady alighted and inquired for the girl who opened the door for Jane Price. "I am Jane Price," was the timid reply. "And are you the lassie that has written to Tom?" said the lady—Mrs. Carlyle. It required some little explanation before the blushing girl clearly understood that her visitor was the wife of "Tom," and that he had been so favorably impressed by the letter that he wished to see the writer. She was taken in the carriage to Chelsea, where she remained overnight; and from that day down to the present time, although she is Jane Price no longer, she has been a weekly and welcome visitor there.

How completely the Land League has overcome the considerations which have heretofore so largely influenced the minds of Irishmen is seen in the fact of such a man as Lord Granard having been compelled to invoke the aid of dragoons and constabulary. Lord Granard is among the dozen noblemen of consequence who always reside in Ireland. Except to attend the session in London, he has for twenty years rarely quitted his estates. His father's mother, the Countess of Moira—the friend and patroness of Maria Edgeworth—became, although by birth English, more Irish than the Irish themselves, and Moira House, her magnificent home on Usher's Quay, Dublin, was, ninety years ago, not merely that city's most brilliant social centre, but the very focus of the anti-Union party, of which her husband, her son (the famous Marquis of Hastings), and her son-in-law, Lord Granard, were most active members. The present Lord Granard, inheriting the traditions of his house, expressed, on more than one occasion, opinions so Irish, from a patriotic Irish Catholic point of view, as to lead to his resigning—the resignation being expected by the Government—the Lord Lieutenancy of Leitrim, as he is, too, head of the Catholic Union of Ireland, and on terms of the closest intimacy with the prelacy. Moreover, his first wife, a great heiress, was descended from one of the victims of 1798; but all this has proved to be of no avail in the present agitation.

SLIGHTLY [illegible] who [illegible] and addressed a man coming into church after a service had begun, with the remark: "Glad to see you, sir; come in; always glad to see those here who can't come early." And [illegible] the man thus addressed [illegible] presence of an astonished congregation, as he responded: "Thank you; would you favor me with the text?"

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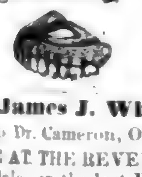

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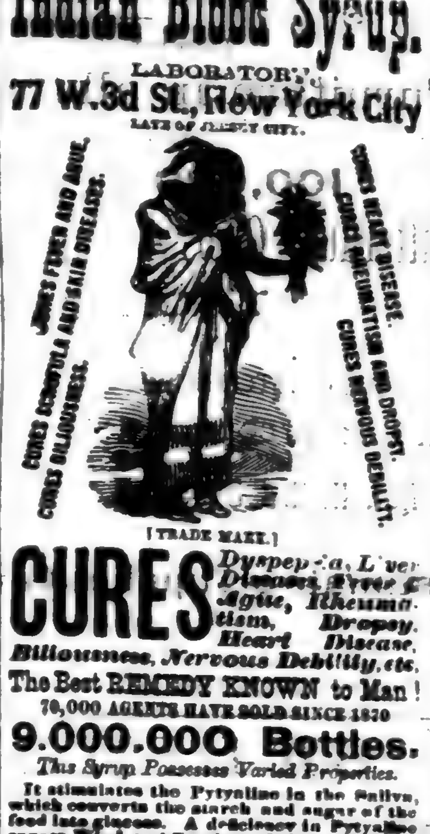

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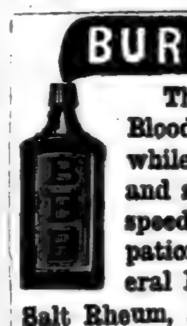

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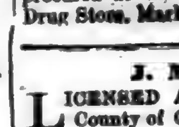

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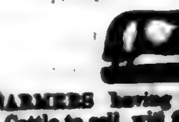

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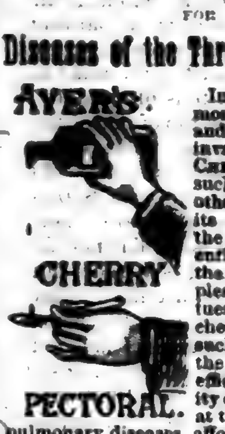

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A Hawk and a Rattlesnake.

From the Arizona Globe Chronicle.

My musing on the ages of change that it must have taken to mould the scene to its present aspect were broken in upon by a large rattlesnake gliding out on a bare rock within fifty feet of the point where I was sitting. He seemed to search around like a dog for a place to suit his snakeship, and then streched himself out to enjoy the warmth. I was thinking if it were worth while to heave a stone at the monster, when a big shadow swept down and a hawk nearly caught him napping, but not quite. The snake sprang his rattle and coiled himself ready for attack, while the hawk hovered round, making a dash, now on the right and now on the left. It was quite an interesting skirmish, but at last the snake made a spring and apparently failed to strike, and before he could recoil himself the hawk seized him with both talons close behind the head. In fact, he had him on the neck, and swept into the air, while the snake struggled and twisted, away up into the blue in wide circling sweeps, until the struggling reptil hung limp and lifeless, when the hawk came down to earth again, and, alighting on a neighbouring tree, made his meal on the snake.

A party of scholastic exiles from Germany have come to Texas, with a view of buying land in the southwestern part of the State, and founding a community of a cooperative or communal character. They are accompanied by their families, and it is said will be joined by others from St. Louis, Chicago, and New York.

The hostess who had an audience of three old maids and one man and his wife said he drew a full house—three of a kind and a pair.

Go Slow.

MADGE ELLIOTT.

When you a pair of bright eyes meet,
That make your heart in rapture beat;
When one voice seems to you more sweet
Than any other voice you know,
Go slow, my friend, go slow;
For brightest eyes have oft betrayed,
And sweetest voice of youth and maid
The very falsest thing have said,
And thereby wrought a deal of woe:
Go slow, my friend, go slow.

When you're convinced you are a poet,
And wishing all the world to know it,
Call on some editor to show it,
Your verses full of glow and blow,
Go slow, my friend, go slow;
For many a one has done the same,
And thought to grasp the hand of Fame,
And yet has never seen his name
In print. And why—waste baskets know;
Go slow, my friend, go slow.

When you to greed for money yield,
And long the mighty pow'r to wield
That's always found in golden field,
With senseless pomp and pride and show,
Go slow, my friend, go slow;
For thousands, tempted by the glare
Of wealth, have fallen in the snare
Set for the thief. And now despair,
Regret, and shame have brought them low:
Go slow, my friend, go slow.

The good old earth is never wrong;
Each of her works takes just so long;
Months pass before a happy throng
Of daisies in the meadows grow:
Go slow, my friend, go slow.
And spring gives life to summer's flow'rs,
And summer's sun and summer's show'rs
Prepare the fruit for autumn bow'rs,
And autumn frost brings winter snow;
Go slow, my friend, go slow.

HIS VICTORIA CROSS

By the Author of "A STRANGE WEDDING-EVE," "CLARE STANHOPE'S DIAMONDS," &c.

CHAPTER III.—CONTINUED.

"Gherutpoor was a small fortified town that commanded the road to Kotul, and, as you know, it had an English Resident and a small garrison, but not enough to offer much resistance. But then Gherutpoor had immense natural advantages, and a very small force was sufficient to keep in check a good many Sepoys. It was impregnable—or was thought to be so till McLeod was found to have evacuated it without a blow, and fallen back on Kotul. It was the maddest thing to do, because Gherutpoor was, so to speak, the key to that district, and, for aught he knew, reinforcements were miles away. However, he yielded up that fortress without trying to keep it, and retreated towards Kotul, as I told you. Of course he was pursued—thousands to his hundreds—and no one between Kotul, with its slender garrison and its women and children, but that little band of men.

"I think, if I'd been McLeod, I must have gone mad. However, when it was too late, he made a stand; but, by Jove, you might as well have tried to stem a tide with a pocket-handkerchief! It was just a massacre; they fought like lions, he and his men. They told me he seemed like a man inspired and seemingly invulnerable, but it was of no use; every man of them would have been cut to pieces but just then up came reinforcements from Barret's column, expecting to relieve McLeod at Gherutpoor. The tables were turned then, I can tell you; the villanous Sepoys were routed, and McLeod and about half a dozen men rescued.

"I was with the reinforcements, you know, and so was Verner, the father of these girls at Ridinghurst; he rushed forward just as a fellow was going to cut down McLeod, and slashed his head off as neatly as I could amputate a leg. But I'll never forget McLeod's look or his words," said the Surgeon gravely and sadly; "there was a kind of fierce despair in his face as he turned to Verner.

"'Why didn't you let me die?' was all he said. But——"

Ferguson filled and emptied a glass of wine before he went on.

"Of course there was a row—a regular flare-up from one end of India to the other. All sorts of yarns were afloat, all sorts of charges made. There was a court-martial; and all McLeod said before it was that he thought the place untenable, and did the best he could for his men; beyond that he made no defence. The only witnesses he called were the men saved with him, to speak to his courage, and to testify that he did not shirk going into action. He had given proof before of splendid valour. Well, the decision was not made known, but he was sent to England under arrest to have the sentence confirmed at the Horse Guards. He was a Queen's officer, I ought to tell you. The upshot of the affair was that the original sentence was quashed. There was no evidence, the authorities said, of want of courage, although there had been a grave error of judgment. I forget the exact details; he was censured, but retained his position in his regiment. Whether interest had anything to do with it I don't know, but his father was a big-wig. Still his career was blighted; almost to a man the Army condemned him, and the Horse Guards have quietly shelved him ever since. He has applied, I know, in every war since to be allowed to volunteer in any position—but, no, they won't give him a chance.

"His father wouldn't see him again after that; he had had such high hopes of him—though they say the old man loved best a younger brother who has been dead some time, I fancy. It's a wonder to me how McLeod could stand the Army after it all, so proud as he is too. But I suppose he is always hoping to retrieve his character, and, may be, he thinks it would be deserting, as it were, to cut the Army."

There was moment's silence when the Surgeon had finished his recital; a gloom seemed to have fallen upon every one. Lord Kennedy roused himself with a shake.

"It was a wretched business from beginning to end," he said. "Some people thought he was made a sort of scape-goat for those who put him there. It seems to me it was a dangerous post to give to a young lieutenant of twenty, or so."

"Well, you see, for one thing it couldn't be helped," replied Ferguson, "because the number of officers had been thinned very much, and he was sent for the very reason too that he was such a dare-devil. I was never more astounded in my life than when I found McLeod had retreated on Kotul. General Dawnay wouldn't believe it at first. Verner, you know, used to vow that there had been some foul play, and he told me that he almost went down upon his knees to McLeod to get at the truth; but all McLeod said was that he had given the only explanation before the court-martial he could give."

"I suppose," said the Major drily, "there was no truth to be got at, save what the Colonel said."

"You're desperately hard, Major," observed the Doctor, shaking his head.

"No, sir; I like the discipline of the service to be upheld, that's all," retorted the Major.

"I know Verner used to think," remarked Ferguson, "there was jealousy among some of the fellows of McLeod; but I don't think that was borne out by facts."

"No, that's true enough," said Kennedy, frankly. "I don't blame the authorities at the time; what I do blame is the hostility that pursues him still. He was kept up at that wretched little station in the hills there for years; then after that tribe affair he came home and has been here ever since. They ought to have sent him out to Ashantee."

"Well, there's trouble looming in South Africa," said Fairleigh. "Perhaps he'll get a chance."

"Humph, I've no faith in the sagacity of the War Office," growled Ferguson.

"Oh, you're a Highlander, Doctor!" said Kennedy, laughing. "You all hang together like limpets to a rock. You're teaching treason to this youngster here."

"Pooh!" returned the Doctor. "The youngest cadet in the service has his growl at head-quarters. There's not much to be taught in that line; is there Fairleigh?"

Fairleigh laughed and looked knowing, but said to Lord Kennedy as the party broke up—

"I like the Chief immensely. He seems to me just one of those fellows for whom his men would do anything."

"Yes, that is so, I believe. You know," said Kennedy, with a frank laugh, "that nearly half my misgivings about the thing are because McLeod is a man you can't help liking. He's reserved and proud—cold, some say, but I don't know. There's a something about him that draws men in spite of themselves. His men like him—they can't help it. And of course the young ones that come in have no particular prejudice. The Mutiny is like the time before the Flood to them."

"It would be odd if they didn't like him," said Ferguson stoutly. "There isn't a man in the army who devotes himself to his work as McLeod does. There's nothing he won't do to set on foot any scheme for the soldier's welfare. Ah, I know a few things about him that some don't! It's he mainly who keeps the hospital for the women and children going. He started the reading-room in the High Street, and took care that the regulations were framed on a sensible foundation."

"The band's his pet weakness, though," said Kennedy, laughing. "What he spends on that—time and money! Well, it's the best in the service, I will say; and, if ever there was an enthusiast in music, Colonel McLeod is that man."

Then the conversation drifted away from the Colonel, the card-tables were set out, and play soon absorbed the attention of all.

CHAPTER IV.

Colonel McLeod had all the pride of his race, and he had the sensitiveness which belong to a fine and noble temperament. He could never have sued for a reversal of the tacit sentence passed upon him. He simply did his duty, without looking for reward. When riding back coolly into the very midst of the enemy's ranks during the frontier insurrection of which the Doctor had spoken, in order to save the life of one of his wounded men, no vision of that magic cross of gun-metal had floated before his eyes. That was not for him; he had saved the man, and the man had thanked him with tears in his eyes; and while he lived he had followed McLeod faithfully—that was the Colonel's Victoria Cross. What he suffered lay between Heaven and his own conscience.

Colonel McLeod had begun life with brightest hopes. He was ambitious, and had glorious visions of future greatness. He had, young as he was, the confidence of his superiors, and was trusted, nay, loved, by both officers and men. Such was Loris McLeod at twenty. In the Loris McLeod of twenty years later the bright hopes and the soaring ambition lay shattered. He was banished from his father's home; for the old man, stern and terribly proud, was cut to the heart by this stain on the old name, and he never saw his eldest-born again. He died while Loris was still in India. Sometimes Loris marvelled how he had lived through those twenty years; how it was that, as each year had passed away on leaden wings, he had not ceased to cling desperately to the one thing left him, the profession he loved. He could not yield up his profession. To him it wounld have seemed a mean and cowardly act, like a desertion of his colors; and he hoped too that one day England would need his word.

The coming of the Verner girls seemed to have worked something like a revolution in the Colonel's solitary life, not only in habits, but in his own mental consciousness. It compelled him to take an interest in things of which he had grown weary; it forced him away from the constant presence of that dull brooding pain that had never left him for twenty long years; it brought to him, despite his certainty that no girl could care for him, a home interest, home responsibility; there was somebody to whom he could give pleasure, and Cecil's bright, fresh young spirit was like the mounatin air to a sick man. Her enthusiasm, her naive ideas, yet her unshaken faith in goodness and purity, all fell "like dew" on the spirit of the man who had learned to "take the world as he found it." The girl filled a gap in the Colonel's life, although he scarcely knew himself yet in what way. To him at present she was half child, half woman, and he had for her an infinitely tender reverence.

A month had passed away since the two girls had come to live at Ridinghurst, and they were now as thoroughly at home as though they had lived there all their lives. A lady of middle age, a kinswoman of the Colonel, had taken up her residence with them, and she soon became a great favourite with her young charges. Masters came down from London for them; Colonel McLeod himself went to London to choose horses for them to ride, and for the pretty little victoria which he chose to think necessary to their happiness; and, in short, Albert Verner's daughters were treated as though they had been McLeod's; nothing short of that would have suited Loris McLeod's notions of friendship.

The girls were both happy, although in different ways and for different reasons. Cecil could have been happy anywhere and anyhow with the Colonel; Alice could have been happy in Ridinghurst with or without him. She was a year younger than Cecil; but, while Cecil had not yet awakened to the knowledge that she had a heart, Alice had already set her's on lovers and admirers; she longed to "come out," to be the centre of attraction to spurred and uniformed heroes. If a lieutenant in his handsome uniform saluted Colonel McLeod in the street and glanced towards her—although probably it was Cecil on whom his eyes really rested—she began straightway to weave a dream therefrom; and she thought it a hardship that none of the officers ever came to Ridinghurst, except that horrid Doctor Ferguson and Lord Kennedy, who, dropping in to luncheon once, talked to Cecil half the time, and evidently looked upon Alice as a child.

It is probable that, for his wards' sake, if he had thought it best for them, Colonel McLeod would have even compelled himself to endure society, which could only be a continual torment to him. But he was glad that their youth precluded the necessity of opening his door to a number of idle young officers who had nothing better to do than lounge in ladies' drawing-rooms and flirt with pretty girls. When the girls were older, of course he must do what was best for them; but at present no one would expect to see them brought out.

"Why don't you ever see any one, Colonel McLeod?" Alice had asked once, half coaxingly; and he answered, smiling, that he was too busy, and that the sisters were too young.

"And too busy," Cecil had added gravely. "If we went out Ailie, we should have no time to practice and read and study."

"Study! You talk as if we were going to be governesses;" and Alice pouted.

Cecil flushed and looked down; her sensitive spirit was wounded, and a grave shade had come over the Colonel's brow. He said nothing; but, in passing Cecil, he paused to lay his hand on her shoulder and ask her some simple question about her music. Alice's remark however had given shape to a vague burden which had weighed on Cecil's heart.

Colonel McLeod sat alone in his library one evening; that was one of the habits he had not given up. The girls were in the drawing-room with Mrs. Annandale. Cecil used sometimes to wish that the Colonel would come to; but Colonel McLeod thought that they must like to be alone now and then, and that his presence would be a restraint on them. Nevertheless the library seemed very lonely to the Colonel, even though old Celia, who lay stretched on the tiger-skin, looked up fondly every time his master came near him in his walk up and down, or let his book drop on his knee, to rest his head on his hand and stroke his moustache thoughtfully.

Presently the Colonel heard a gentle tap at the door, and he said "Come in" rather dreamily; but he rose quickly as he saw a tall lithe black-robed figure cross the floor in the red glow of ... light ...

"Am I disturbing you, Colonel McLeod?" asked Cecil, pausing just on the rug. "May I speak to you for a moment?"

"An hour, if you wish, my dear child," he answered, half-smiling. ... There was ... library ... "I ... ... to your ... Sit here"—drawing forward the reading-chair.

She sat down, resting her slender hands on her knee. It seemed a little difficult for her to begin; but, after a few moments' pause, she said, looking into the blaze—

"I wanted very much, Colonel McLeod, to speak to you about my future; it has troubled me for some time."

He raised his hand to shade his eyes, resting his arm on the mantelpiece, and said quietly—

"In what way, Cecil? What do you mean?"

"Do you remember what Alice said the other day about being governesses?" said Cecil. "That made me think a great deal; it brought definitely before me that I at least ought to—that we have—— I mean we have no right to be staying here as we are, with the idea that we shall never have to earn our own living."

She finished bravely; but she had found it very hard to speak, and harder because the Colonel was silent, and she could not see his face. Was he angry? she wondered. She rose quickly and came and laid her hand on his arm half entreatingly.

"Please do not be vexed with me," she said tremulously; "but I know that my father left scarcely anything for us, and yet you make no difference; and I wanted so to tell you that I had no idea of always being a burden on your kindness."

"Hush, child—oh, Cecil, hush!"

It was as though she had wounded him deeply. His voice was full of unutterable pain; not voluntarily had the appeal broken from him, not for worlds would he have her know how she had pained him. Did she not give tenfold, he thought, for all she received? His kindness! It seemed such mockery to talk to him of "kindness" to these helpless children—kindness to Cecil, to Albert Verner's "dear lassies." The girl looked startled and wistful; but the words had scarcely passed his lips ere he had controled himself, and he said, looking down into the clear eyes raised to his—

"Is the obligation a burden to heavy for you to bear, my child? What put such ideas into your head?"

"I have thought of it for a long time, Colonel McLeod. I know I could do nothing now, because I don't know how; but in a year perhaps I could teach——"

"Would you like to leave Ridinghurst?"

"But we cannot do always as we like," answered the girl, without directly replying to the question.

The Colonel smiled a little bitterly and turned away, moving a few paces off; then, returning, he laid his hands on Cecil's shoulders.

"What shall I do, Cecil, to clear your simple heart of the idea that all the gratitude is from you to me?" he said softly. "Do you think you are very much in my way?"

"Oh, no! But we are not of your kith," answered the girl, with down-cast eyes. "We cannot always look to you for support. It is not pride, indeed, Colonel McLeod." She spoke eagerly now. "You will understand that, won't you?"

"I think I understand you fully, my child," said McLeod gravely, but with infinite tenderness. "You are a dear child to think of what you have told me. But you are troubling your mind with thoughts and misgivings that need never exist. There is no question of burden, obligation, or gratitude, that should overwhelm you. You are only a little over seventeen now; but, if influence can do anything, you should never have my consent to leave this house, except—except for a home of your own. You know nothing of the world, now, my child"—half sadly—"it is a cruel world even to the strong; and you—a brave spirit alone will not bear you scathless through the battle."

The girl's eyes filled with tears; the words she uttered dropped from her lips almost unconsciously.

"The world has been cruel to you, Colonel McLeod?"

He dropped her hands abruptly and turned away, growing pale. Yet the question did not wound him, coming from her. Cecil remembered instantly that she had no right to ask that question, and impulsively she sprang to his side.

"Forgive me—I did not mean to say that," she said, in such an earnest beseeching tone that it almost made him smile. "I am so thoughtless."

"Dear child, you have not wounded me; that is not possible," he answered gently. "I will tell you something, Cecil; it may set your heart at rest. Long ago, when I would have rushed recklessly on death, it was your father's hand that snatched me back. I did not thank him for the boon. I counted it none then; 'afterwards'"—he dropped his voice, and set his teeth for a moment, as though it cost him much to speak—"afterwards, while all others censured me—I do not say wrongly—only one stood by me, unshaken in faith, and that man was your father. Have I not said enough to show you how impossible it is for me ever to cancel my obligation to him and his? Something of this I said to you the first day you came; but not so much. So let that rest, if you can be content here." He paused; the doubt was of himself, not her.

"Content! Oh, Colonel McLeod," cried Cecil, almost passionately, "could I be otherwise than happy here? Who could be unhappy when you are so kind, so noble?"

"It takes very little to make you happy, Cecil," returned the Colonel, smiling; but her words had sent a wild thrill of joy through his heart. "A great deal of music and——"

"And you, Colonel McLeod," said Cecil. "Don't put yourself in the background." She looked up smiling now, though tears still rested on the long lashes. "I won't pain you again; but, indeed, I could not rest until I had spoken to you; and I did not know what you told me this evening, else I had never spoken."

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

What Resulted from a Clean Shave.

(Special Translations.)

On the occasion of Queen Victoria's visit to France in 1860, the prefect of the Seine charged a celebrated architect with the task of organizing a fete which he desired to give in her honour.

The architect assumed the work, and demanded to be presented to the queen as a recompense.

"Looking like a billy-goat as you do," exclaimed the prefect. "Cut off your beard and I will present you."

"Cut off my beard? never!"

For several days the unhappy architect vacillated between his love for his beard and his desire to see the English sovereign.

The latter feeling, however, proved the stronger, and at the last moment he shaved his face clean, and presented himself at the *Hotel de Ville*, where he never left the side of the prefect.

The presentations took place, but in spite of his efforts to attract the attention of the prefect, the architect was never presented. When the queen had departed he turned indignantly upon the prefect and said:

"Why didn't you present me?"

"Present you! On what pretext?"

"As the originator of the fete; as your architect."

"*Mon Dieu,*" exclaimed the prefect. "I didn't know you with your beard off."

A Very Uncommon Mania.

Burton, the traveler, tells us that a melancholy Duke of Muscovy, fell ill if he but looked upon a woman, and that another anchorite was seized with a cold palsy under similer circumstances. Here is a case of a lady having an aversion to the opposite sex; it appeared in the obituary of a newspaper some 50 years ago: "Lately, at Gray's Alms-houses, Taunton, aged 82, Hannah Murton, a maiden lady. She vowed several years ago that no fellow should ever touch her living or dead. In pursuance of this resolution, about ten years since she purchased a coffin, in which, whenever she felt serious illness, she immediately deposited herself, thus securing the gratification of her peculiar sensibility." There are many similar cases to this lady's on record, though they are manifested in a more imperfect way.

The snow in the West has been particularly damaging to the sheep men. One firm who are wintering their flocks near Copperopolis, Montana, have lost nearly half of them. They have hay, but the sheep drifted away from it during a storm, and they now find it impossible to get their sheep to the hay or the hay to the sheep.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Feb. 25th 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

The people of the County will place a proper value on the advice given them by the Thornbury paper, when they take into consideration that all the abuse of Owen Sound and its High School arises from the fact, that the proprietor did not get the advertisement announcing the re-opening of the school, amounting to the large sum of *one dollar and fifty cents.*

There has been nothing done as yet about cleaning those filthy closets belonging to the public School, and we suppose nothing will be done until some epidemic breaks out among the children, and carries off a score or so of them. They are simply a disgrace to a civilized people, and the smell arising therefrom during the thaw was quite perceptible from the road. Think of nearly 200 children being compelled to breath such an atmosphere for six hours every day.

We last week published a speech delivered by Dr. Sproule, the member for the East Riding of Grey, on the Pacific Railway contract, and have given great offence for so doing. The speech was sent to us with a request that we would find a place for it in our columns, and told to send in the bill and we would be paid for it the same as for any other advertisement. Had our member been a Reformer, and his speech against the Syndicate been offered to us on the same terms, we should have published it without the slightest hesitation. If those parties who are grumbling, are desirous of having any particular speech, opposing the one in question, published, and are willing to pay 5c per line for the privelege, they will find us accommodating. We publish the STANDARD to benefit *ourselves*, as well as the public, and as long as we are *paid* for the insertion of an article it will always find a place in our columns, provide it does not trench on private character, or is not of an immoral nature; and as long as we make no comments either for or against, we do not consider we are compromising our position of neutrality.

At the last meeting of the County Council a motion was made to have the County Treasurer advertise all lands, liable to be sold for taxes, in the papers published in the immediate locality of such lands, in addition to that required by law.

The mover gave as his reason for making the motion, that as the law now stood the tax sales were ordered to be advertised in one paper *only*, and the consequence was that very may of those, whose lands were advertised, were not aware of it, from the fact of their never seeing the paper containing the advertisement. Had they been published in the local papers he felt assured that much of the land now sold would be redeemed by thier owners. The motion, however, was thrown out on the ground that, as the law only authorized the one advertisement, the extra cost of such publication would have to be borne by the County, as it could not legally be charged against the lots so advertised. No doubt this is true, but we can't see why, instead of sending the lands to be sold to one particular paper, for publication, they are not sent to the papers where the parties interested would be most likely to see them. If the law as it now stands prevents this method, it is time people were moving to have it remedied. If it is the duty of the County Council to make the move, and they neglect doing so, the people should see to it at the next election of Reeves and Deputies, that men are sent who will. Undoubtedly a great deal of hardship is caused by the present, system and the sooner a change is made the better.

JOTTINGS FROM MAXWELL.

From a Correspondent.

Beautiful weather again. Sleighing good.

The Literary and Debating Society intend giving an entertainment soon. May it be a success. The last meeting of the society was quite a success. Among the noteworthy points of the programme, were the excellent recitation of Mr. W. L. B. Hamlin, sr., and the amusing reading of Mr. W. L. B. Hamlin, jr. A very interesting spelling match also took place. After a keenly contested combat, one side was vanquished, the other having four still on the floor.

The subject of the next debate is: "*Resolved*, That the the Negro has sustained more injury from the hands of the white man, than the Indian."

Our worthy Counsellor. Mr. Ross, has, during the past week, entered upon the matrimonial state of life.—He has the Society's best wishes.—Now that the ice is broken, we may expect several others to follow Mr. Ross' example. SERMO.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

SOCIAL.—The greatest event of the season was the Odd Fellows Social, which was held in their Hall on Wednesday evening, the 19th inst. Over a hundred persons answered the invitations which were sent out. It has seldom been our good fortune to witness such a gay and enjoyable scene. The hall has lately been re-carpeted and painted, at an expense of $100, and presented a lively appearance.

The meeting was opened by singing the "Opening Ode" of the Order.—Bro. W. Trimble occupied the N. G. Chair; Bro. H. Hooper, the V. G. Chair, the other officers and members took their respective positions, all appearing in their glittering uniform or regalia.

After singing the [illegible] a very elaborate address of welcome, thanking the assembly for the manner in which they had responded to the invitations sent out. After which the company engaged in various games and sports provided for their amusement. The Quartette Band enlivened the proceedings at intervals with choice selections of music. At 10.30 o'clock a sumptuous repast was served after which a well prepared programme was very creditably rendered. Songs were given by the Misses W. and J. Trimble, Christoe and Philps. Readings by B. Davis and H. Hooper, and last, but not least, the song and recitation of Dinwoody Bros. The programme was brought to a close by all signing God Save the Queen. It would not be too much to note the very orderly way in which everything was conducted, and among those most assiduous in making the company at home, we would mention Messrs, Wright. Trimble, Hooper, Doll, Flesher, Campell, Davis Blackburn, Sproule and Sullivan.

BREVITIES.—Spring is coming...... Mr. Sarjeant is "laying in" a good supply of ice for the summer......The Social held at Mr. Anderson's, on the 11th inst., under the auspices of the Presbyterian Sabbath School, was a success. The amount realized $13.85. ......The Social given by the C. M. Ladies Aid Association in the basement of the church last Friday evening was also a success. The proceeds at the door amounting to $18.50...... Rev. Mr. Wilson (Presbyterian) preached a very eloquent sermon in the Town Hall, last Sabbath afternoon. His text was the "Prodigal Son."...... The Flesherton Choir (Methodist) has two alto singers second to none in the County.......Hooper's Furniture Ware Rooms are well worth inspecting. Any person having a few minutes to spare, while in the Village, should pay them a visit.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

The Municipal Council of the Township of Osprey held its second meeting in the Orange Hall, Feversham, at noon, 7th February. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Communications from Town Clerk, Bomanville, respecting the Assessment Act of 1880, relating to Incorporate Companies; from J. Gillies, asking pay for keeping widow McDougall, an idigent; two from County Treasurer, respecting lot 40 in 2nd S. D. R., and lot 73, 2nd N. D. R., the first as not havingbeen returned, and the latter as having been returned on non-resident roll; from Pellatt & Osler re lot 29, con. 18, from S. R. Edwards, declaration as Auditor for 1881; from Neil A. McLean, resignation as Auditor for 1881; from W. Long, J. M. Bark and W. Hicks, application for office of Assessor; from E. Stewart, for the position of Township Surveyor and Engineer; from W. Milne, bill for flour to O. Miller, an indigent, $5.50, election expenses $4.87, and requirements for office $7.00; from W. Winters, asking remuneration for expenses incurred in connection with last illness, death and burial of Robert Noble, an indigent; from Canada Publishing Company, bill for stationery, $10.81; from John McRae, Pathmaster, asking Council to pay W. Percy $2.50 for repairing road scraper; from A. Sinclair, asking exemption from school taxes in section No. 10, he having had to pay in No. 6, Collingwood; from D. Clark and 67 others, petition to open 20th side road between 4th concession and gravel road; from J. Clark and 27 others, petition for new school section; from W. Suggitt and 4 others, setting forth that Thomas Bullock's family are in a state of actual starvation, and require immediate relief; from John Stinson and Duncan McInnis with 4 and 8 others, respectively, asking to have the township divived into wards. By-law 196 to appoint S. R. Edwards and Neil A. McLean Auditors; by-law 197 to appoint C. McLean Auditor in place of N. A McLean; by-law 198, to appoint Neil A. McLean Assessor for 1881, passed. Mr. McIntyre moved, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the Auditors' Report be received and read,—Carried. Auditors' Report read. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that J. R. Sing be allowed to correct a mistake in respect to orders to Fletcher, in Ward No. 4 accounts for 1880, if he finds he has made a mistake in respect to said order.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the resignation of Neil A. McLean, as Auditor for 1881, be accepted.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, 2nd by Mr. McIntyre, that C. McLean be appinted Auditor for 1881, in the place of Neil A. McLean, resigned; and that a by-law be prepared to confirm such appointment. —Carried. Council adjourned at 4 p. m. Council resumed at 5:30. Mr. McIntire moved, seconded by Mr. Johuston, that report No. 2 of Road and Bridge Committee, be received and adopted.—Carried.

COUNCIL ROOM, FEVERSHAM, Feb, 7, 1881.—We, the Committee on Roads and Bridges in the Township of Osprey, on viewing the petition of David Clark, Jackson Reid, Robert Kinner and others, beg to report, that whereas several parties have volunteered a certain amount of gratis work, the Council do grant an amount in accordance with the funds of the Ward to the gratis work performed on 20 side road, between 6th and 4th.—JOSEPH TAYLOR, Chairman.

Report No. 2 of Finnance Committee, presented and read as follows,—Your Committee, to whom was referred the several accounts and petitions beg to report as follows: 1st. That your Committee recommend the payment of W. Milne's account of $5.50 for flour furnished O. Miller, and also the sum of $3 for Wilson's By-laws, and $4.87 for ballot papers, telegram, and distribution of ballot boxes; and your Committee cannot recommend the payment of the account of W. Winters for buiral of Robert Noble, as there was ample time to have claimed the amount from the Council of last year; that your Committee recommend the account for stationery of the Canada Publishing Company, amounting to $10.81, be paid. 2nd. That your Committee recommend the signature of petition by the Reeve and Clerk, to the Legislative Assembly of Ontario, re Assessor Law. 3rd. Your Committee recommend your Council to prepare a petition, and place it in the hands of the Assessor to present to the ratepayers for their signature, when he makes the Assessment, to divide the Municipality into Wards. Your Committee cannot recommend any of the several applications for the office of Assessor. All of which is respectfully submitted.—J. R. SING, Chairman.

Mr. McIntyre moved, by seconded Mr. Taylor, that Report No. 2 of Finance and Assessment Committee be received and adopted.—Carried. Mr. Johnston moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that W. Percy be paid the sum of $2.50 for repairing road scraper, Reeve to issue order.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the Clerk be instructed to communicate with the Secretary of school section No. 10, Osprey, and again ask the Trustees to refund the amount of school taxes levied by said section against A. Sinclair, he having to pay rate bill in another section. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the sum of $2 be granted to W. Suggitt and Joseph Maxwell each, for attending the meeting of the Council on account of the Agricultural Commission in 1880; the Reeve to issue order.—Carried. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the petition of J. Clark and others, for new school section be taken into consideration at the next meeting; Clerk to notify all Trustees interested, including No. 1. —Carried. Mr. Taylor moved, seconded by Mr. Johnston, that N. A. McLean be paid the sum of $8 for his services as Auditor, and S. R. Edwards the sum of $10 for 1881, and that the Reeve issue order.—Carried. The Council adjourned at 8 p. m., and resumed at 9. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that N. A. McLean be appointed Assessor for the municipality for the current year and that a by-law be prepared to confirm such appointment.—Carried. Ex-Councillor Speers asked leave to address the Council. Leave granted, and Council addressed. Mr. Sing moved, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the Clerk be instructed to have the Minutes and Auditors' Report printed in pamphlet form to the number of 600 by John Rutherford—terms to be the same as last year. Mr. Johnston moved, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that this Council adjourn, to meet at McIntyre on the 1st Monday in March.—Carried.

W. MILNE, Clerk.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present—The Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Councillors Neil and Glencross. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Mr. Glencross moved, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the following accounts be paid:—C. W. Rutledge, printing, $8.89; T. & J. Brown mending road scrapers, $3; J. Shewell, chair for Town Hall, $1.60.—

Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr Glencross, that the following claims be paid;—Hasket Bros. account, $2; Joseph Lamb, Irons for the door of the Hall, 50c; John Orr, repairing bridge, $2.—Carried. A By-law was passed appointing Poundkeeps, Fenceviewers and pathmasters. Mr. Neil Moved, seconded by Mr. Hall, that Duncan McInnes be refunded $2 for statute labor charged in error. Carried. Mr. Glencross moved, seconded By Mr. Hall, that Alexander McArthur be allowed to do work on the roads in Ward No. 2, under the Commissioner of said Ward, for the amount of taxes for 1880 against lot 36, cons 2 and 3, N. D. R.—Carried The Auditors Report was laid before the Council. Mr. Hall moved, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that the accoant of Messrs. Rowsell & Hutchison, amounting to $15,20, be paid.—Carried. Mr. Glencross moved, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Councillor McMillan, be appointed a committee to examine and report on the Treasurer's sureties.—Carried. Mr. Glencross moved seconded by Mr. Hall, that the Auditors' Report be adopted, and that they be paid $5 each.—Carried. Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the Clerk be authorized to get 200 copies of the Auditors' Report printed in pamphlet form.—Carried. Council adjourn to meet at the same place on the 6th day of June.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

MAYSVILLE, Colorada, Jan., 1881.

Maysville is a smart mining town in Chaffee County, located at the mouth of the North Fork, of the South Arkansas River, in an open sunny spot, making it a desirable winter residence. The pioneer settler of the town is Amasa Feathers, upon whose ranch the place was laid out. The town has had a steady growth during the past season, and notwithstanding the unfavorable weather, new buildings are still in course of erection. The census for 1880 gives the population at 600, but that hardly furnishes an accurate idea of the actual population from which the place derives its support, as there are hundreds of miners in the gulches and hills above who get their supplies at Maysville. The capitalist seeking to invest in the mines of the district, also makes this his headquarters. The railroad, Denver & Rio Grande, is practically completed to this point, and will probably make it a terminus for one year or more. The principal firm in Maysville is the heavy grocery and supply house of Johnston & Rondol, who also have a banking office, and supply the citizens with needed facilities in the way of exchange. They are shrewd business men, always foremost in everything pertaining to the welfare of the town. The hardware trade is represented by Sullivan Bros. They carry a large and complete stock. Maysville has four hotels, six restaurants, and eight saloons, two blacksmith shops. The livery, feed and sale trade is represented by Griggs & Meyers, and the boss stable by Shorey & Reynolds, the latter being from Markdale. It would be impossible in the limits of a short newspaper article for me to write up the business of a town like Maysville. To any and all who think of investing in mines we say make Maysville your headquarters, as it is a beautiful and desirable place to live in, well located and inhabited by a good class of people. We boast of but one church, known as the Union Church, of Maysville, but you must bear in mind our town is not yet two years old. The mines in this section have not been developed to such an extent as to enable the owners to carry on work all winter, consequently the opening of cold weather and heavy snows in the mountains, make it necessary to shut down all work except on those properties that are provided with shaft houses, boarding houses and other facilities for winter. This makes our town as well as all other purely mining towns, similarly situated, comparatively dull at this season of the year. The mines of this section are among the richest in the state. At the head of the Kangaroo Gulch, is the famous Columbus mines, whence a rather steep trail is utilized to pack supplies up and ore down; the mine was sold late last fall to a New York Company for $100,000, and is stocked now to the amount of $1,000,000. The manager, Mr. G. K. Sabin, is an old time Colorado miner; a boarding house 14x81, has been erected; an ore house 14x60, and getting the mine in shape to take out 80 tons of ore daily. The mine is near the top of one of the high peaks in the range. The Black Tiger is an other famous mine, sold for $50,000; the Brighton for $100,000, Men that are poor are made rich in less than an hour, but not all of them. Prospecting is a trade, but when you strike it you are fixed; that is a common saying among the boys. There are hundreds of mines I have not spoken of or have any idea of doing so. I left Markdale in February 1880, and drove to Maysville in 60 days, arriving here last April, a distance of over 2,000 miles. Shortly after settling here, I met a Mr. Charles Richardson, brother of Mr. George Richardson, of Euphrasia, who also strayed to the "West." The weather here is warm, no snow in the immediate vicinity. Once this winter the thermometer stood 14 below zero.

MILO N. REYNOLDS.

CHURCH OPENING.—The new Canada Methodist Church at Thornbury, the corner stone of which was laid by our worthy M. P., Dr. T. S. Sproule, was opened on Sunday, 20th inst. The dedicatory services being conducted by the Rev. N. R. Willoughby, president of the Toronto Conference, assisted by the Revs. Starr, Mayn and Elliott. An eloquent and practical sermon, from the text—"Because Thou hast been my help, therefore in the shadow of Thy wings will I rejoice," Psalm LXIII, 8, was delivered by Mr. Willoughby to a very large congregation, in fact a number were obliged to stand during the services, the church being so crowded.—The church is a handsome brick building, with all modern improvements, a credit to the people of Thornbury and Clarksburg, who have errected and carried to completion such a handsome edifice. A very successful tea meeting was held the following evening, the church being litterally packed, and many having to go away for want of room. The balance of the cost of building ($8,000) was fully provided for by subscription at the tea meeting. The Presbyterian church between Thornbury and Clarksburg, which is similar to and erected at the same time as the C. M. Church, was dedicated the Sunday previous.—COM.

OUR CHAMPION.

BY WILLIAM CLARK.

England whose flag so long has braved,
The battle and the breeze,
Maintains her proud position still
As mistress of the seas.
While on the Tyne and classic Thames,
Her sturdy sons long bore,
A reputation undenied,
As champion of the oar.
Till far Australia, as her best,
Sent Trickett o'er the maine,
From brave old Sadler's grasp to wrest,
The universal name.
The glory thus was not transferred,
To foe or foreign power;
But England's daughter fair, had come
To claim it as her dower.
Lo! in the west a star appears,
No rival can withstand,
As Hanlan, his canadian oar,
Plies with a master's hand.
Louden and Plaisted vainly try,
His powers to confine;
At Burlington and on the bay,
He brought them both to time.
He sweeps Canadian waters fair,
He sweeps Columbia's streams;
Though Rieley, Ross and Courtney dare,
To test his honest claims.
Hawden and Elliott on the Tyne,
Essay to pull him down;
These contests all unite to prove
His well deserved renown.
When from Australia's distant shore,
The Sydney giant came,
With half a million gold, or more,
To vindicate his claim.
Our Hanlan took the gauntlet up,
In true Canadian style;
Throughout the course he led the way,
And cooly drew the pile.
Then, jealous of his country's name,
Brave Laycock takes the track,
And fondly courts another chance
To win her honors back.
Benignly Hanlan grants him this,
Yet camly holds the field,
While muscle, nerve, and will remain,
His place he cannot yield.
Now o'er the Atlantic's wave he comes,
To greet his native shore,
With universal honors crown'd
As *monarch* of the oar.
We'll light the torch, we'll hoist the flag,
In honor of the day
When on the Thames he proved his right,
To universal sway.
Long may he live to bravely hold,
The place so bravely won,
And in declining years may peace,
Surround his setting sun.
And when his day is past and gone,
And only known to fame,
Canadian hands shall bind a wreath
Round *Edward Hanlan's* name.

Flesherton, Feb. 15th, 1881.

BIRTHS.

FIRTH—In Glenelg, on the 15 inst., the wife of Mr. George Firth, of a daughter.

MARRIED

COOPER—MCDONALD—In Proton, on the 7th inst., by Rev. J. Morrison, Mr. Wm. Cooper, of Nassagaweya to Miss Anne McDonald, of Proton.

ROSS—OSBORNE—On Feb. 16th, 1881, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Mr. Snowden, Mr. J. W. Ross to Miss. Annie Osborne, all of the Township of Osprey.

DIED.

FOSTER—In Artemesia on the 18th William James, youngest son of John Foster, aged 3 years 9 Months.

RUMSEY—In Artemesia, on the 17th inst., John Wesley, only son of Mr. Wesley Rumsey, aged 34 months.

BURNETT—In Markdale, on the 22nd inst., Janet Burnett, aged 5 years, 3 months.

A PIECE OF SOUND ADVICE

1st, Don't borrow money, if you do you will be under a compliment, and compliments of this kind are expected to be paid back with interest.

2nd, Don't borrow money in order to make a fine display before the world, because after the show is over the world will laugh at you if you have lost your property.

3rd, Don't be fooled into borrowing money by reading flash advertisements about straight loans &c. the result is always the same in the end, you will find them crooked enough before you are done with them.

4th, Remember the borrower is servant to the lender, and has to pay well for the privilege.

But if you cannot avoid borrowing give me a call, and you will find that we can accommodate you, at reasonable interest. [illegible]

J. M. [illegible]
[illegible] P. O.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

[illegible]

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY AND

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED [illegible] equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest [illegible] Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

MEDICAL HALL.

J. A. CRAWFORD

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by Dr. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,

Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Monteal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

☞ Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE

BRITISH CANADIAN

LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE

LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

AND

British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED

Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES

ATTENDED.

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes, always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 1o-ly

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my [illegible] I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS

Sell Lower than the Lowest.

As I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my [illegible]

[illegible]

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damudo, begs to inform the public that he has

REMOVED TO THE BUILDING

OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,

where he is prepared to furnish

ALL KINDS of HARNESS

usually found in a

First-Class Establishment,

And at prices to suit the times, and by using

THE BEST OF MATERIAL AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP,

hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

constantly on hand.

COLLARS A SPECIALTY.

Call and satisfy yourselves. ☞ Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.

J. GORDON,

Flesherton, Dec., 1880. 16

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Neatly!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

AT

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

CAUTION.

A [illegible]

Markdale Feb. 9, 1881. A. [illegible] 22-31

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

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FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR [illegible]

Furniture Warerooms

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE FACTORY

[illegible]

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Styles

and during the Winter [illegible]

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and [illegible]

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC,

AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application.

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are [illegible] next door to the Factory, Durham street,

H. HOOPER

Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEAP

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEAP

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing CHEAP

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. 80 W[illegible]

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our Country and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of your patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods

NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers

and a large variety of

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,

NEW PRUNES,

NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our

TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS

At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,

5,000 Telegraph Poles,

Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

EMOVAL
STEAM
DOOR
erooms
ADJOINING THE FACTORY
competent salesman to
Superior to any
the past.
Stock of
Latest Style
F GOOD
Birch and Ash
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Good Pine
OULDINGS, ETC.,
on Application
to the Factory, Durham street
H. HOOPER.

OFF!
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STANDARD.
Feb. 25th, 1881.
Friday.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

CASTORINE No. 1 ... machine oils, try Haskett

...ode to the New Year' came too ... this issue, will appear in our ...

...M. McCarthy, Barrister, of ...ville, has been appointed Judge ...County of Dufferin.

...your dealers for "Castorine" ...oil, and see that the barrel ...d "Castorine," as none other ...e.

...owing That All ...a good Tea at low prices, Me... has prepared himself with ...pounds, imported direct. Try ...

...re threatened with another cold ...thermometer marking zero on ...day morning, and 9 below on ...ay morning.

...Baroness Burdett Coutts, was ...to Mr. Bartlett at London, on ...inst. The marriage was a ...one, very few being present.

...Season is approaching when ...Merchants will be visiting the ...lay in their spring stock, Mc... went on Tuesday last.

...of our subscribers who agreed ...s in wood for their subscrip... will please bring it now other... will require them to pay cash.

..."Castorine" Machine Oil, for ...ds of machinery, it is also ex... for harness and leather, mak... water and weather proof. For ...y dealers.

...ers who are startled at the hour of ...ht by that ominous hoarse cough of ...ttle ones, what would you not give for a ...and certain means of relief from that ...destroyer of your children, Croup? ...means you may have for the trifling ...25 cents. It is Hagyard's Yellow Oil, ...at Household remidy for all inflam... and painful diseases. Do not rest ...ght again without it.

...season for sugar making is ...approaching, and promises to be ...t we have had for many years. ...wanting sap buckets cannot do ...than call on Hasket Bros, and ...their order. They are remark... cheap this season.

NOW!

...are economically inclined, our ...will insure your patronage. ...arland is prepared to exhibit lines ...inter goods at such low prices, ...you are sure to be surprised.

...s the Busy Times:—"One of the ...exasperatingly humilating mo... in a man's life comes at about ...when he gets on his front stoop ...finds his night key is in his other. ...—We would like to know what ...were doing on the front door step ...at hour, Wes? Shouldn't "give ...self away" like that.

...up can be cured in five minutes by com... use of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam and ...Oil. Indeed, Yellow Oil is in itself a ...e used internally and applied outwardly; ...heal and strengthen the lungs the pec... Balsam may be used with great success. ...f these matchless remedies should be ...every house. To be obtained of all ...in medicine.

...MARKABLE GATHERING. At the ...of Mr. Peter Dodsworth, now a ...nt of the township of Euphrasia, ...markable gathering took place a ...time ago. A family gathering ...e persons assembled, and out of ...remarkable number seven were twins ...mates were ... present and the ...two were own twins. If there is ...her family can show a better re... for fair multiplication, we would ...them to report at once, assemble ...we will visit and publish statistics.

...E ALLEGED MURDERER BENTINCK.— ...being satisfied with the result of ...rst inquest, John Miller was ...ted on the charge of murdering ...ife, and the body of Mrs. Miller ...exhumed and a *post mortem* ex... ...ation made by Drs. Cook and ...er of Chesley, assisted by Drs. ...rkin and Lightbody of Hano... The accused was brought before ...e Campbell and Gotwalls, at ...ver, the trial lasted four days, ...a large number of witnesses were ...ined. The prisoner was commit... to stand his trial at Owen Sound. ...riew

...ASH UP.—While the mixed train, ...g north, on Monday evening had ...ed within a short distance of ...dale Station, an axle broke. The ...ls of the broken axle, along with ...r broken fragments, got under the ...next behind, tearing the running ...off, and throwing the van off the ...k. Some of the passengers, who ...e in the van jumped off, and oth... who were bound to have the worth ...their money stayed on. The train ...not halt until it reached the Station, ...stance of about sixty rod. For... tely no person was injured. The ...n was detained here until seven o'... the following morning.

...ssrs. T. Milburn & Co, Dear Sirs,—I ...been troubled with Dyspepsia for seven ...or more, and was so bad that I had ...to get up in the night and dsisolve soda ...ter and take it before I could go to sleep. ...your Burdock Blood Bitters advertised ...I got a bottle and took one teaspoonful ...times a day the first day, and it did not ...me; then I took three tablespoonsful ...times a day for four days, and that gave ...great relief. I have taken one bottle and ...I am cured of Dyspepsia or sour Stomach, ...is sometimes called. I was also troubled ...a slight attact of inflammation of the ...eys, and I think the Burdock Blood Bit... helped me of that. If I could get another ...e I think it would cure me of that ter... pain in my back, but can't get it here. ...thanks for the benefit already recived.

I remain, yours, JONATHAN TULLER.

...RANGE ANNIVERSARY. — Glenelg ...ge, No. 564, held its forth anni... ...ry on Wednesday evening, 9th ... The regular monthly meeting ...held in the afternoon, and after ...iness being disposed of the breth... present prepared the hall for the ...ption of their guests. About seven ...ck the hall was filled to its utmost ...city with the Grangers and their ...ds, although the weather was ...unfavorable and the roads almost ...ssible. The wants of the inner ...were then attended to and ample ...isions had been made by the la... for this part of the entertainment, ...quantity of good things being ...e than enough and the quality of ...best. The chair was then taken ...he Worthy Master, Bro. Chas. ...t, who called the company to ...r and entertained them with a ...erous speech, after which the ...was taken up till a late hour with ...ing, reading, recitations, dialogues, ...All present enjoyed themselves ...e full and declared it was the best ...g of the season.—*Chronicle*

ACCORDING to the returns of the assessors, the City of Toronto has a population of 77,034.

DON'T forget the Church of England concert on Monday next. McDougal is going to sing, and don't you miss it.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine" machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

A CHOICE assortment of Books by best authors from Lakeside and Seaside Libraries, just received at Medical Hall, A. Turner & Co.

REV D. WILLIAMS, of Durham, has been advised by his physician to relinguish his work for a time until his health becomes better.

THE amount paid for freight by Mr. J. Ashdown, Man., for the last twelve months foot up to the nice tittle sum of $86,000.—A fortune in itself.

MR. A. SPEERS, has purchased 26 head of cattle in this neighborhood within the last few days. He intends taking them to Manitoba.

MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

PERSONAL.—Mr. James Blair, of Illinois, was in town this week. He is on a visit to his friends in Artemesia. Mr. & Mrs. Young, of Laklet, have also been making their many friends in Markdale, a call during the week.

MR. ALEXANDER STEWART, having rented his farm, will dispose of his farm stock, implements, &c., on Monday, March 7th inst. John W. Morrow will do the honors. Ten months' credit on good joint notes, for all sums over $5.

One of the most loathsome and terrible diseases of our climate is Chronic Catarrh. When the poisoning matter is constantly falling upon the lungs. Pulmonary Consumption is certain to follow. Expell morbid secretion from the Bronchial pipes by Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the great throat and lung healer. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents per bottle.

WE have to chronicle the very sudden death, in Toronto, this week, of Dr. Tuck, of Orangeville, who, while talking to a friend to all appearance in robust health, fell forward in a fit, and notwithstanding the best efforts of the medical men who were called in, he breathed his last in the course of an hour.

ACCIDENT ON THE T., G. & B. RAILWAY.—As the afternoon train was coming from Mount Forest last Thursday, crossing Cameron's Bridge, the engine jumped the track, taking four cars with it, and leaving the coach almost over. The engineer and fireman jumped and saved their lives.—The passengers escaped with nothing worse than a fright.

ROBERT DAVIS, Auctioneer, has been authorized by Messrs. A. & F Beattie, lot No. 130, 1st Range S. W. Toronto and Sydenham Road to sell by auction, on March 3rd, their entire stock of thorough-bred and grade cattle, implements, &c. By furnishing good joint notes, you can get 11 months' credit on all purchases above $5. Parties wishing to obtain good cattle should not fail to attend.

Rheumatism is one of the most prevalent and obstinate diseases incident to our climate, but it has been disarmed of its terrors by that invincible remedy, Hagyard's Yellow Oil, an external and internal medicine whose application is so varied and useful in all painful and inflammatory diseases and wounds, as to render it a household necessity to all who suffer from pain.

I am pleased; well I am not only pleased, but delighted. My wife the other day was out shopping, and seeing some white shirts, innocently asked the price—women like, you know. When told **ONLY ONE DOLLAR!** She, without a moments hesitation, just bought half a dozen, saving about $2. Where did she get them? Why at McFarland's.

THE number of sudden death that have occurred lately is truly alarming, there being, according to the *Mail*, no less than nine in Toronto inside of one week. This only illustrates the truth of the saying, that "in the midst of life we are in death," and should impress on our minds the necessity of so living that, with His grace, we may be found, when our call comes, "not wanting."

What a multitude of martyrs suffer from Headache! either of the nervous or bilious form. The principal cause of the distress is disordered Stomach and Liver, for which Burdock Blood Bitters is a positive specific. It cures constipation of the Bowles, eliminates disease from the Kidneys, arouses the secretions to a healthy action purifies the blood, regulates the Liver, strengthens the debilitated system. Sample Bottles 10 cts. Regular size $1.00

THE first Social of the reorganized Ladies Aid Society, of the Methodist Church, came off in Dufferin Hall, on Tuesday evening the 22nd, and was in every respect a success. After refreshments the following programme was rendered:—Duet, Misses Reid & Turner; Reading by A. McFarland, entitled the old woman learning to skate. Angels meet me at the cross road, Miss Mary Large; Reading, Miss Miller; how a Dutch man set a hen, W. McDougal; Speech, A. Speers Winnipeg; Song, Miss L. Richardson; Miss Tessa Lyons. Papa's Letter; Speech, Mr. Reynolds, St. Vincent; Dutch man in love, W. McDougal; A noticeable feature of the occasion was the number of persons present from a distance. Mr. A. Speers, Winnipeg; Mr. T. Brown, Butcher, Collingwood; Mr. Reynolds, St. Vincent; Mr. Alex. Erskine, Ex. Dep Reeve, Euphrasia; Mr. Alex. Speers, Owen Sound; J. M. Reynolds, Norwood; A. McPherson, Forest; C. W. Speers, Manitoba; J. W. Armstrong, Flesherton; A. McFarland, Belfast, Ireland; Mrs. Young, Lakelet. Proceeds. $14.20. Another Social will be given in two weeks from the above date.

THE annual meeting of the Royal Black Knights, of Ireland, of the Counties of Wellington and Grey, in connection with the Loyal Orange institution, held their annual meeting in Orangeville, on Monday evening, Feb. 7th, 1881, when the following Sir Knights were elected officers for the current year:—Sir Joseph McArdle, of Hopeville, County Grand Master; A. A. J. Perfect, of Orangeville, Deputy County Grand Master; J. C. Irish, Wareham, C. G. Chap.; John Whitters, Orangeville, C. G. Reg.; John Mason, Orangeville, C. G. Treas.; A. Johnson, Camville, 1st, C. G. Lecturer; J. Dodds, Orangeville, 2nd, C. G. Lecturer; W. J. Morrison, Orangeville, 1st, C. G. Censor; A. Hunter, Orangeville, 2nd, C. G. Censor; J. Cornulous, Orangeville, 1st, C. G. Standard Bearer; J. Paisley, Orangeville, 2nd, C. G. Standard Bearer, B. McGuire, Orangeville, Pursuivant. County Grand Committee, Thos. F. Reid, Bowling Green; Chas. Smith, Elma; Thos. Carson, Orangeville; Wm. Vogan, Williamsford; and ... Dundalk. ... vote of condolence was passed and forwarded to Bro. W. J. Morrison, the retiring master, in his sad bereavement on the loss of his beloved wife, who lately died; and was compelled to be absent from the chapter this evening on account of other members of his family being ill; and also thanking him for his able services as master for the past two years.

BIRTH.

LAMB—In Markdale, on the 3rd inst., the wife of Mr. Joseph Lamb, of a son.

MARRIED.

SWEENEY—WELSH—In Priceville, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. Father Cashen, John Sweeney, to Miss Welsh, daughter of Mr. Thos Welsh, of Artemesia.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 25, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.97	to	0.98
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes,	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.16	"	0.17
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.26
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.10

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.00; Spring wheat 90c to $1.06; Barley 65c to 80c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 29c to 37c; Pork $7.00 to $7.25; Potatoes per bag 30c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.oo; hides $7.oo; grass seed $2.oo to $2.25; Hay $7.oo to 7.5o; wool 25c to 28c; lard 1oc; tallow 6c

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, Feb. 24th 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.3o
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

Seed Grain for Sale.

AT the Well known Seed Farm, hereafter to be known as the *Mount Royal Farm* Lots 117 and 118, 2nd Con., North East of Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, and County of Grey, three miles from Markdale, the following varieties of Seed Grain are for sale, viz:—**White Russian Spring Wheat,** and **Black Tartar Oats;** other varieties sold out. The Black Tartar Oats have yielded, on an average, from 60 to 70 bushels per acre, the past two years, on my farm. All Seed Grain sold by me guaranteed pure, and free from other seeds and weeds, such as Wild Oats, Mustard, Red Root, Thistles, Cuckle, Chess or any other pest. JOHN FORD,
Mount Royal Farm, Markdale P. O.
Feb. 11, 1881. 23-3i

GOLD! GOLD!

$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at
6½ AND 7 RER CENT.
per annum, STRAIGHT LOANS.
If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest?
If you need a barn?
If your fences are not sufficient?
If you want to buy more land?
If you want to clear and improve more land?
It Will Pay You
to borrow of the
NORTH OF SCOTLAND
Canadian Mortgage Comp'y
They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments. but **they do** give the most reasonable privileges of any Company lending money.
And their Costs are Low!
Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

I have also a
Few Thousand Dollars of
Private Money!
To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited.

As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow,** and the place is
The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agency.

INSURANCE!

It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a **Reliable** and **Safe** Company, and that they do their business through a **reliable Agent.**

I am prepared to take applications for the **Strongest, Safest and Best Companies** in Canada, and for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies are the
Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock.)
The Waterloo County and Gore District (Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Corectly** and **Neatly** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing. I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES

Attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT.

To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the **Proprietors** themselves. Correspondence solicited.

In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent.
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 23-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 22, 1880. ...

Meat for All

AT
W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind those that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

NOTICE.

THE Members of the Proton Agricultural Society, of two years' standing, are hereby requested to attend a special meeting of the Society, in the Orange Hall, at the Village of Dundalk, On **Tuesday,** the **First day of March,** 1881, at 9 o'clock a. m., to decide and fix upon a place to hold the Fall Exhibition of the Society, for the year 1881.

THOMAS HANBURY, President.
A. G. HUNTER, Secretary.
Dundalk, Jan. 28, 1881. 2h-2i

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.
FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any cording to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVER
AT THE
"BELFAST HOUSE."
I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply
OYSTERS
—IN—
Every Style!
By the Plate or Can
CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE
IN TOWN
My Stock of
Provisions and Groceries
Togther with
Wines and Liquors,
ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.
ANY AMOUNT of PORK
FOR SALE.

As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.

Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞ None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA.

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Gibson, opposite the lot, or
JOHN KAY,
Dundalk, Durham P. O.
Jan. 19th, 1881. 15-tf

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF
Dry Goods, Groceries,
BOOTS AND SHOES.
TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.
REYNOLDS & SON.
Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.

GREAT
Mid-Winter Sale!
NOW GOING ON AT
W. J. McFARLAND'S
Every Piece of Winter Goods
MARKED AWAY DOWN.

BIG DRIVES.

10 yards black Cashmere for $1.50	Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6
10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2.50	10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50
Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents	10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3
Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.	10 yards black Velveteen for $4
50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.	20 yarks Linen Towelling for $1
3oo yards All-Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents	12 yards heavy Wincey for $1
Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1.75, worth $3	Colored Velveteens for half price.
	50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS,
WOOLEN HOODS.
SHAWLS and MANTLES
A special discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1 will be given.

6o Men's Felt Hats at 65 cents each,
15 yards Brocaded Dress Goods for $2.00
1 Pair GENT'S KID MITTS, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie, ALL FOR ONE DOLLAR!
Ladies' Kid Mitts (lined) 6o cents.
And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.

EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS
At and Below Wholesale Prices,
Should call soon at
W. J. McFARLAND,
Wholesale and Retail.
Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

"FACTS CANNA BE DENIED."

BUTTER & RAE

Thank the public and friends in general for the liberal support they have received sin commencing business, and will still stick to the rule of doing a straightforward busine with all customers. No flattery used or baits given to gull the public Every article sold on its own merits, and by keeping their stock well assorted and fresh in all the lines, they will always give their customers good value for their money.

DRY OODS in all the lines.
ORDERED CLOTHING a specialty.
HATS and CAPS, new and stylish.
BOOTS and SHOES, Cooper & Smith's celebrated make that has stood the test against all comers in all styles and newness.
GLASSWARE and CROCKERY all paterns
GROCERIES, cheap and fresh.

Keep your Eye on the Place!
WHEN YOU VISIT MARKDALE.
Douglas' Brick Block opposite the Drug Store.
BUTTER & RAE.
21st September 1880.

THE PLACE TO BUY
WATCHES!
Over $400 worth sold in the last month.
LADIES' BEAUTIFUL
Gold Hunting Watches!
From $18 up WARRANTED.
Silver Watches,
VERY LOW.
A Time Piece for Sale at
W. F. DOLL'S
FLESHERTON AND DUNDALK.

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it
DONE WITHOUT DELAY,
AT THE
Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS
Will be carried on throughout the witer.
N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 188o 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his
Saw Mill at Little Falls
On Lot 148 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish
LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.
CUSTOM SAWING
PROMPTLY DONE,
By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.
ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.
Wm. HOGG.
P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.
Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-ly

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHETRON,

Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thanks for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of duh times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business,* as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have
ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.
In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season
THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF
GENERAL GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Crockery and Classware,
AND
Fancy Holiday Presents!
ALSO
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS.
Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of
Millinery, Furs
AND
LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,
Ever shown in this Norther Country.
ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE
LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.

Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the
HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!
For any Quantity of good Grain or FARM PRODUCE,
And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered

I will now commence a
GREAT CLEARING SALE
Of my large and complete stock of
Fall and Winter Dry Goods,
MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and
MILLINERY,
And will continue to sell at a
Very Small Advance on Cost!
Until all is cleared out.

A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,
☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT
R. J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.
Flesherton, December 16, 188o. 14-ly

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Seven Times a Widow, but Still in the Matrimonial Ring—A Passenger in the Wrong Berth.

Useful Hints as to Artistic Dress Effects—Encouragement for the Owners of Large Mouths.

Jealousy and Bad Pistol-Shooting—Kate Field's Toilets—Fashion Society Diversions.

Fashion Notes.

Long talma capes of silk or satin are stylish.

Red satin balayeuses are gradually disappearing.

A short dress made of rich material is admissible anywhere.

White or black jet bonnets are *en regle* for day or evening wear.

Bayadere striped plush is much used for trimming fancy costumes.

Cashmere drapes gracefully over skirts of white or colored satin.

Large hats for some faces are more dressy and becoming than small ones.

Short waists are coming in style again, and will be worn with short skirts ar trains.

Venetian point, Alencón, and real Spanish are three styles in laces which are now in special vogue.

The new tinted cashmeres are made into quaint house dresses in the Holland style of two centuries old.

Marked effect is given to sober-toned and black garments by the tendency to high coloring in the general styles of dress.

For evening and dinner dresses, young girls wear robes of light-colored nuns' veiling, or very light cashmere, trimmed with surah or satin.

Magnificent satin fabrics are imported covered with Vesuvius beads of fine quality, whose dazzling rays give the material the effect of being covered with precious stones.

The fashionable bracelet for the moment is a narrow band of hammered gold, from which depends a fine gold chain, and a circlet, inside of which is a diamond pendant.

Ball dresses of light materials, such as gauze, net, and crape, may be either plain or elaborately embroidered and finished with long garlands or wreaths of variously-colored flowers.

Very becoming indoor jackets are made of blue Hindoo cashmere, with wide borders of Oriental cashmere of the brightest colors. Ruffles of yellow lace are worn around the neck and wrists.

Fichus of India mull, decorated with hand-painted borders and edged wite Grecque lace, are worn crossed over the bodice in front, the sash ends being carried to the back and fastened with a bunch of Watteau ribbons.

Black Brussels net scarfs, appliqued with velvet leaves which are covered with iridescent beads, are worn upon bonnets of black plush. They are fastened at the sides of the hat with scarabees or beetles of the natural size.

The "Laveuse" polonaise, with upturned skirts, a la washerwoman, is still in favour. The polonaise is made of self-colored material, and the wide *rever* at the bottom is usually faced with plush, brocade or watered silk.

Shot glace silks, less expensive then brocades, are very fashionable for demi-toilet dresses, and are trimmed usually with satin or lace. These silks have in a degree taken the place of faille, whose popularity is completely at an end.

A novelty in underwear is the V-shaped chemise, with the yoke in that design formed of medallions in embroidery, alternating with bars or squares of Valenciennes or torchon lace, with edging to match. A handsome petticoat is finished with heavy Medesa lace in antique pattern.

Waits.

She many suitors did refuse,
With air composed and calm;
But when the right one asked her hand,
He carried off the palm.

A gentleman the other evening objected to playing cards with a lady, because, he said, she had such a winning way about her.

The time has arrived when an invitation to a wedding is equivalent to lending the groom ten dollars and feeling thankful that he didn't ask for more.

There is just as much vindictiveness wrapped up in the "O shucks!" of a woman as there is in the well-developed and complicated anathema of a Texas cowboy.

"Take back the love thou gav'st me," she sang. It was a love of a bonnet, but didn't match her complexion, and she wanted him to exchange it for one that did.

Pater familias: "Well, Jennie, if you must marry this winter, I suppose you must. Take either of them Jennie—the plumber or the coal dealer; both are good men."

The principal of a young ladies' seminary has so exhaustingly inflicted her pupils with "deportment" that, when left alone, her girls of 16 act like sixty.

"Do you favour my suit?" said Claud to Angelina, the other day. "Yes," was the crushing reply, "I look with more favour on the new clothes than I do on their owner."

Indiana has a law to prevent weak-minded persons marrying. A crusty bachelor insinuates that the weak-minded are the only persons who ever think of doing such a thing.

"I declare," said a gentleman to his lady-love, "you are very handsome." "Pooh," said the lady, "so you would say if you did not think so." "And so you would think," answered he, "though I should not say so."

A exchange tells of a young lady who, six months after a happy marriage, on being asked if she was much troubled with cold feet, simpered hesitatingly and with ingenuous simplicity replied: "Ye-yes; but—but they're not my own."

"A sea-skin sack, hey!" said Czardine to his oldest daughter. "Look at yer first mother. She wasn't allers askin' for seal-skin sacks. No, sir, a fig leaf satisfied her, and we learn that when she went to church the lilies of value want rigged up like her."

A well-known euchre-player named Down married a Miss Trump, which, according to the rules of the matrimonial game, turned the Trump Down. She then made it clubs and stove-pokers, and he has never been able to hold any hands since. We pass.

Land of the free: "You boast that your country is the land of liberty," said a young English nobleman, who had married an American lady, to a Yankee traveler at a London chop house. "You call it the 'ome of freedom and all that, but it's a beastly fact that I never lost my independence till I went there."

Georgeous Dresses.

Kate Field described to a *Providence Journal* reporter, the other day, the costumes made for her by worth, in which she is this winter dazzling American audiences at her entertainments. She stated that she had purchased five dresses which cost in the vicinity of $2,500, and had been pronounced models of elegance, and by all the terms in the enthusiastic vocabulary of feminine appreciation. She described one of these dresses, which was honoured with a description in a recent number of the London *Court Circular*. The style is Empress Josephine, the foundation being of new gold satin, and the back of the same. The front is of coffee-coloured velvet, trimmed adown the front with pearls, and on the bottom with lace and pearls. The bodice is cut square and filled in with lace, and the neck is adorned with a high ruffle of pearls. The colours of the dress are denominated bird of paradise, and blue satin plaiting is inserted between the coffee-coloured velvet and new gold. The style is one of the latest of Worth's inventions, and the costume is valued at $590. Pearl ornaments are worn with it. Miss Field then gave a racy description of a conversation she had with Worth in regard to the superiority of American satins over the French material, which grew out of her exhibition of a piece of American black and cardinal satin purchased in New Jersey. She sought to persuade him to order samples, and, after examining the material, the famous artist said: "Yes, I see that you are going to compete with us on our own ground; and I don't question that, in a few years, you will succeed in excelling us, because French silks are unquestionably deteriorating by reason of the use of sizing in the black shades, so that they quickly become shiny and creasy. But, much as I disapprove of the inferior condition of French silk, you can not expect me to injure the country of my adoption. The same spirit that actuates you to buy American silks here is the spirit that actuates me to uphold French manufactures. I will make up your material for you, but you can not expect me to give an order." "So, for the first time in the history of Parisian dressmaking," triumphantly said the saucy Kate, "American satins were made into a costume by Worth."

Something More Than Souvenirs.

Six years ago a lady of this city, says the Hartford *Courant*, was calling on a gentleman friend who had recently returned from a protracted sojourn in China, and who had brought back a large number of curiosities as presents. After admiring the many peculiar things from the Celestial empire, the gentleman gave her what she supposed to be a dozen ordinary smoked pearls as souvenirs. After a while they were laid away, but not until two of them had been given to a domestic in her household. A few days ago the lady was visited by an old friend from a distant part of the country, and her attention was called to the pin he wore on his scarf, recognizing it as similar to the "pearls" she had laid away. Her visitor told her that it was a cat's eye pearl from China, and that it was exceedingly rare and quite valuable, and was the prevailing rage among New York fashionables. The lady took her jems to a jeweler recently and had the satisfaction of learning that they were worth from $30 to $40 apiece, and now she is to have them set in a lace pin. They are a trifle larger than peas, and iridescent, and have in the centre of one of the flattened sides an almond-shaped spot of a different colour, which render them very similar to cat's eyes.

Why She Married Him.

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the *Easler Nachrichten* describes at length the "reconciliation scene" between the czar's wife, Princess Dolgorouki, and his daughter-in-law, the wife of the crown prince. It took place in Livadia. At the reception of his son and daughter-in-law, the czar, for the special honour of the latter, for whom he has always shown warm affection, worn the uniform of her own regiment—the Gatschina Cuirassiers—formerly the regiment of the Empress Maria. Immediately after the first greeting, which was very ardent, the czar turned to the crown princess eagerly and said: "Make a visit to my wife as early as possible." The lady replied that she would not delay it for a moment, and went straight to the apartments of the Princess Dolgorouki. When she appeared in the doorway she saw the czar's wife prostrate on her knees before the sacred "icon." The visitor remained standing. The new empress had not noticed her. As soon as the latter discovered her visitor she remained in her kneeling position, and turning her face, streaming with tears, upon the crown princess, she threw up her hands and exclaimed: "Forgive me! I have done it for my children's sake." The reconciliation between the two ladies is said to be complete.

Ladies, Lunches.

Ethereal and spirituelle as the New York girls are often supposed to be, they seem to develop most surprising appetites at the fashionable luncheons, and seek for invitations to them in a manner worthy of a better cause. Last winter, says a correspondent, the number of these ladies' luncheons was innumerable, and they have already begun this year, if possible, on a larger and more expensive scale. They afford opportunity for so much rivalry in regard to decorations of the room where served, of extravagance of menu, and in the providing of other attraction which may charm the ears or delight the eyes of other guests. In general, a ladies' luncheon, however, is served somewhat as follows: The date being fixed upon, and the list of guests made out, the invitations are sent, and, in almost every case, favorable answers soon received. Great must be the obstacle which prevents a girl from accepting an invitation to a ladies' luncheon. Doctor's advice is disregarded, other engagements thrown to the wind and gleeful acceptance joyfully penned. The drawing-room is then prepared for a number of small tables, holding from four to six girls at each, which are each spread with a snowy-white cloth, on which are placed glittering silver and china. A handsome dinner-card is laid at each place, and either a choice bouquet of roses or a beautiful bonbonniere fille with sweets. Care is taken that intimate friends, where possible—or, at least, girls who are congenial—shall sit at the same tables. Handsome hangings are drapad round the room, and the mantlepiece and chandelier are covered with choice flowers. The fashion this year is to entirely shut out the daylight with heavy portieres, and light the room entirely with wax candles. The rich soft glow which these produce, combined with the heavy hangings of the drawing-room in a city house, and the abundant flowers, makes a most charming picture. Maid-servants, trimly dressed, with snow-white aprons and caps, serve the lunch. This important feature of the entertainment consists of oysters, salads, and ices, together with confectionery of all sorts. Conversation is generally, of necessity, rather gossipy in its tendency, and happy is the young man of any society prominence whose name is not brought in and his character discussed. The tender mercies of a number of New York girls at a luncheon are, indeed, cruel.

Sweet Woman's Mouth.

Wide mouths have come into fashion for women. This is a change from the prevailing style of the past year or two. The proper mouth for the present season, says *The New York Graphic*, is worn in a constant but mild smile, the corners being drawn back horizontally, with the lips left closed. The expression is one of amiable, quiet satisfaction with all the world—as though the mind was free from sorrow and the feet free from corns. Care should be taken not to broaden this into an active grin, except on mirthful occasions; nor should the lips be compressed. All should be in repose. The lips may be reddened, if the natural color be too light. A practice of painting the exposed membrane of the upper lip broad and bright just at the centre has crept in, but it is bad, for it gives an artificial and sensuous look. The fashionable belle has cut the puckering string of her mouth and no longer murmurs "prunes prunes, prunes." She can kiss ten men simultaneously and give good satisfaction, where before only one could find room at a time. The reader who supposes that the above is fanciful and not plain, straightforward fashion news is very much mistaken. Women can change the style of their faces, if not at will, at least considerably. The hair over the forehead can be so arranged to produce a desired outline for the upper part of the face; the mouth can be made to widely vary its expression, the eyes can be kept partly wide open or languidly half-closed; the cheeks can be rounded by using "plumpers," the eyebrows can be arched or straightened; the colar can be controlled to a high degree. Thus it is apparent that women can, if clever, have to some extent the face she wants. The nose is about the only intractable feature. It sticks right out in unalterable independence, defraying all efforts to shorten or straighten it. Let me interpolate the fact that not one women in ten ever laughs or smiles naturally. Knowing full well our defects of teeth or expression, we try to hide or reform them. I know a girl who will never go to the minstrels or any other funny show because she isn't pretty when she laughs. If inadvertantly caught by something comic, she buries the laugh in a handkerchief; but whenever possible she does all her laughing internally. This wrenches her terribly, and sooner or later some of her vitals will get broken all to pieces; but she prefers death to a display of her scraggy teeth.

A Romance of the Rail.

A lady—maiden lady by choice—was travelling westward in the company of an elderly widower friend, who had been east making purchases, and gallantly volunteered to see the lady safely to her journey's end. The lady was forty, but looked much younger.

A sleeping section of a Pullman car had been secured for her, and a lower berth of the adjoining compartment for the gentleman. The day and evening had passed in delightful companionship, and about eleven o'clock they bade each other good night, and retired behind their curtains—she, to divest herself of outer garment, and replace the same by a loose wrapper, comfortable to sleep in, and still dressed in the event of accident. Then tying a handkerchief about her head to keep her "frizzes" from getting out of curl, she curled herself close to the back of the berth, and went to sleep.

The gentleman, on the contrary, could not woo slumber, so he got up, and, armed with a good cigar, went into the smoking-car to enjoy it and fraternize for the time being with some of his own sex. Our friend found a "good fellow," and two hours quickly passed away. A [illegible] bolt changed hands several times, and then the elderly widower returned to his car, kicked off his boots, and threw himself upon the [illegible] which he fancied was his berth, and fell into a profound slumber. How long the maiden lady had slept she did not know, but she was awakened by feeling the pressure of the bed clothes binding her in close quarters, and raising her head she observed her friend and protector, who was peacefully snoring a somnific lullaby which kept time to the roar and racket of the train. Happily, the mistake flashed upon the lady, and, taking in the situation, her first thought was to awaken him and get him out before the accident should have an observer. Trembling, yet bravely, she began to shake the intruder, and was rewarded by a muttered "Yes, yes, all right!"

"O, Mr. T., please—please wake up; you are in the wrong berth," she began to plead.

"Yes, yes; time enough—all right!"

She began to quake with anxiety and a possible unpleasant denouement, and, nerving herself, she reached out both hands and made a grab for his hair and beard.

"Good gracious!" was the wide-awake response, as the man sprang into a sitting position and faced his almost crying lady friend, whose appreciation of the ridiculous overcame her fright for the instant, as her woman's wit came to her aid, and, with a burst of laughter, she said:

"Mr. Pickwick, where's your night-cap?"

"My dear madame, a thousand pardons."

"Never mind; but go, for goodness sake! I know it's a mistake."

He sneaked away, feeling like a fool, and admiring the lady's good sense to such an extent that it will result in a wedding.

Moreau.

(Fortnightly Review.)

Upon August 27, 1813, there was fought at Dresden one of those tremendous battles which sufficiently proved Napoleon's unequaled mastery of the details by which great victories are won. The French Army, 130,000 strong, had to encounter an allied force of 160,000 men; but the allied left, composed of Austrian troops, was separated by a precipitous defile from the main body. Instantly profiting by the mistake, Napoleon sent Murat to attack the Austrian left, which he turned, and burst with his irresistible cavalry, 12,000 strong, upon the rear. The rout was complete, and then Napoleon addressed himself to the Russian right, which he drove back upon its reserve. At this moment Moreau, conspicuous in front of a Russian division, was struck on the right knee by a cannon shot, which, passing through his horse, shattered his left leg also. Both legs were amputated, but mortification set in, and five days later he died. His embalmed body was carried to St. Petersburg, and buried with great pomp in the Catholic Church. His widow received a lump sum of £20,000, and a Russian pension of £1,200 a year; nor was there any dissent among his contemporaries from the opinion confirmed by the subsequent judgment of posterity—that France, however rich in great Generals, had produced few abler fighting soldiers than Jean Victor Moreau. Marmont indeed proclaims with truth that "Moreau knew nothing of strategy. His skill displayed itself in tactics. Personally brave to a fault, he handled well, in presence of the enemy, troops occupying ground within the limits of his vision; but he delivered his principal battles with only a portion of his force." Such was also the verdict of Jomini; but the campaign of 1796, the passage of the Rhine in face of the enemy in 1797, and the battles of Biberach and of Hohenlinden are sufficient to place Moreau on a very high pedestal. With all his falsifications of history at St. Helena, Napoleon could not deny that Moreau—whom he hated for many reasons, but especially because Moreau was bitterly opposed to the creation of the Legion of Honor, which he turned into ridicule—had no superior among his Generals except Massena, Dessaix, and Kleber, of whom the last two fell early in the wars of that convulsive period. Subsequent writers of all countries have ranked Moreau as inferior in the field to Napoleon alone. When Massena met Wellington, and had to recoil from before the impregnable lines of Torres Vedras, the weight of years, acting upon a constitution naturally feeble and impaired by war, had begun to tell upon the French General, and, without detracting for a moment from Wellington's transcendant merits, Englishmen may, perhaps, be permitted to rejoice that their great commander had not, with far inferior strength, to face Moreau as Generalissimo in Spain, with Jomini as his chief of staff, instead of Massena, Marmont, Soult, and King Joseph, acting separately. Indeed, Moreau and Jomini, serving thus together, would have been as formidable a pair as Blucher and Gneisenau.

The Fortifications of Paris.

It was said in Louis Philippe's times that the fortifications of Paris were rather made to quell disturbance within than to offer resistance to enemies without. We all know that since 1870 great enlargements and modifications have been made in these fortifications. Why Paris should require fortifications at all has often been questioned. But Paris differs from all other capitals of the world, for Paris is France. Centralization has existed through so many centuries that once Paris falls the *mot d'orde* for all France is wanting. M. Tenot, who has just written a most interesting study on the fortifications of Paris, commenting on this necessity of making Paris impregnable, says: "The importance of Paris results from historic forces which are irresitab-e. Contemporaneous France did not create it, but is oblged to make the best of it." In 1840 the exped ency of M. Thier's fortifications were questioned, but as the Saturday *Review* has it, "the utility of fortifying the place received a practical answer in 1870." If not for at least the temporary check the Germans received before Paris, and the necessity they felt of reducing it, they would "have swept all over the land in irresistable power. The wisdom of M. Thiers becomes quite evident, then, and that latter criticism which declines to give this statesman thd merit of being sound on military topics is fairly refuted. Formerly, the forts were situated some two thousand to three thousand yards away from the bastioned *enceinte*. To-day, artillery has so much greater precision with increased range that the outer circle has been moved back a distance of from 8,000 to 18,000 yards. "The important advantage gained is that it would require an army three times more numerous than the Germans brought up against Paris in 1870 to shut the city in now, as they did before." With a necessity on the part of the besiegers to cover more ground comes the advantage to the besieged of concentrating attacks by sorties on particular points. In the larger forts there are 60 new rifled steel pieces, with a range of 8,000 yards. The whole of the exterior forts and batteries can be held by 20,000 men. A German critic, who has been looking at the defences, gives the following opinion: "On the whole, then, we consider that five or six forts must be taken and three or four silenced before an efficacious bombardment of Paris could commence." The whole effort seems to have been on the part of the new French engineers in charge to remove the enemy so far as to preclude the chance of placing batteries near enough to affect Paris. In increasing the circle, which is not large enough from a main centre to prevent it being armed and fought, it necessarily augments in much larger proportion the line of attack on the part of the enemy. They must invest a circle of 100 miles, whereas in 1870 50 was the limit. The army necessary to defend Paris would be 80,000 regulars and 120,000 "territorials," but from the forces in the field no extra soldier would be drawn. It is supposed that if an enemy could bring together 20 army corps of 30,000 men each, he might succeed in establishing a blockade, but then before he could reach that stage Epinal, Belfort, Langres, Besancon, and many other strong places recently fortified would have to be carried. What has been done once may be done again, but very certainly the nut which was cracked by Moltke in 1870 will present greater difficulties when the next gigantic struggle takes place.

In California the males formerly outnumbered the females very largely, but this disproportion has been gradually decreasing, and now the disparity is comparatively small. According to the last census, the population of the State, exclusive of Chinese, who are nearly all men, is 789,686, of which number 443,271 are males and 346,415 females.

A liveryman thinks the great want of the day is young men with three arms. He vaguely says it would lessen the number of sleighing accidents, but no one seems to understand his meaning.

The names of towns and settlements in Arizona possess the merit of originality. Here are some of them: Tombstone, Good Enough, Tough Nut, Contention, Family Fuss, and Discipline.

Recollections of an Equestrian Manager.

RAREY THE HORSE TAMER.

Every one remembers the advent of Rarey to England, and the perfect furor created by his wonderful feats at horse-taming. It may surprise many to learn that before he came out in this character, Rarey had had previous experience with horses, and that the lad gained the foundation of his great power over the horse by closely studying the methods that have from time immemorial been constantly practised by the circus trainer. Nevertheless, the power which he exercised over the wildest and most stubborn horses struck every beholder with wonder. Animals which on account of their furious temper had been given up by trainers and grooms as hopeless, were speedily rendered amenable to reason by his subtle treatment. The *fortiter in re* always gave place to the *suaviter in modo*. Rarey never feared a horse, and never gave the animal grounds for supposing that such a sentiment was possible. Introduced into his presence, sometimes at the risk of those who did so, the horse-trainer soon established a friendly footing with his dangerous equine companion. Bidding the astonished grooms leave the animal and himself to their own company, Rarey calmly surveyed his patient, and proceeded to coax and wheedle and stroke first the head, then the neck, and finally the forequarters, until he had in a measure allayed the fears and softened the ire of the animal. This, he termed "gentling." Next, by a series of quietly executed manceuvres—one of which was the strapping up of the forefeet—the biped had the quadruped lying helpless at his feet, subdued and docile enough to permit of the man reclining at full length upon the prostrate horse! After a while the straps were removed, and upon the animal regaining his feet, Rarey would quietly mount and ride him out of the inclosure.

The point of chief importance in the management of a horse is to study his humours and whims; not with the idea of actually giving way to them, but in order to attain the desired end through them. The trainer must not play a hectoring part, he must "stoop to conquer." Every horse of spirit is nervous at strange noises and strange sights; and equally so at having articles to which he is unaccustomed placed upon his back or neck or head. Let him see all that is going on. *Take him into your confidence.* If he is about to be bridled for the first time, the way not to do it is to hold him by the forelock and mane, while you vainly endeavour to force the strange thing over his head. The way to do it, is not to seem anxious to do it at all; let the horse see the bridle, and sniff at it; let him know that there is not much harm in it. He will then let you quietly put the apparatus over his head without fear or resistance.

A peculiar method is requisite to make a horse lie down, more particularly if you are a stranger to him. Having accustomed the horse to your presence, having fed him from your hand, and stroked and caressed and 'gentled' him, he will look upon you as a friend and be ready to obey you. A series of little taps upon one foreleg, and he is down upon one knee; the other knee is made to follow. In this position, the horse will submit to be gently rolled over on to his side, almost as though in a trance. Let each act be gentle and he is content. Once the horse is down, he becomes your slave; and this first victory may be best confirmed and subsequent lessons rendered less troublesome, by feeding him with some choice morsel while he is down; or if he will not eat in that position, directly he arises. Do not let your victory have in it any sting of defeat for him. The nearer that the trainer approaches the spirit thus indicated, the more successful he will be; and if he wanders too far from it, he will achieve no success at all.

Some years ago, General Airey in the course of a conversation with me, most fully endorsed the above views as to the great power of mingled firmness and kindness *alone*, without a knowledge of horses' temperaments, without great tact and insight into their individual characters, will be of little if any service with extremely stubborn and fractious animals. A proof of this was given by Rarey before General Airey's own eyes. These two gentlemen happened to meet at Mason's livery-stables, and a discussion was raised respecting the powers of the American tamer. The General did not believe that Rarey was gifted with any such power; he was of opinion that if a horse was beyond the influence of combined firmness and kindness, he was beyond our influence altogether. There was in Mason's stables an utterly intractable steed, well known to General Airey, which had never yet been harnessed; or if harnessed, had resisted all efforts to drive him. He was an irreconcilable. The General said that if Rarey had any special power, he would be able to bring it to bear upon this horse. Rarey at once undertook that he would unaided harness the horse, hitch him to a brake, and drive him up and down Piccadily. The challenge was accepted; the General frankly reiterating his full conviction that neither Rarey nor any one else could do it. But in an incredibly short time Rarey emerged from the stable with the horse harnessed as he had promised, and drove him as quietly as a lamb up and down Piccadilly.

THE REMALKABLE MEMORY OF HORSES.

It scarcely needs stating that a good memory is indispensable in learning anything. And if a horse has to learn a trick or routine performance, he can only do so by remembering it from time to time of going through it. Both horses and dogs have wonderful memories; but I will narrate one or two instances relating to the horse.

I was once driving to Long-Milford in Suffolk at a spot where there was a bridge leading over a river. As we appoached the bridge, the horse pulled up, and would not move on again without whipping. For some time I was at a loss to account for this freak; but it afterwards occurred to me that the last time I had crossed that bridge and with the same horse, I had pulled up at that very spot to speak to a man I had met.

Unless there is a reason to the contrary we always prefer occupying the same field each time we visit a town. Sometimes it happens that the stud-groom, who is generally with the first wagon, forgets which field it is. But by giving the horse his head and leaving him to himself, he will most certainly pull up at the right gate. The groom never finds him to be wrong, and drives straight in.

When in Southampton some years since, I had to pass up High street daily, and had a different horse almost every day. Whichever horse I had, he would slacken speed at the Star Hotel and want to turn into the yard. Upon mentioning this to the stud-groom, he explained that five years previously, when the circus was in Southampton, the stud had been stabled at the Star, and the horses had not forgotten the place again.

THEIR REMARKABLE INTELLIGENCE.

I have my opinion, founded upon close and varied observation, that horses can and do convey to each other very exact intelligence by the various sounds they produce, from the proud, sonorous neighings of a full-spirited horse, down to the whinnyings and snortings and other little sounds with which all keepers of horses are familiar. Once, in a long stable containing twenty stalls in a row, a horse at the one end was dying. Near the other end was a horse of a timid disposition, which shewed marked signs of dread and extreme nervousness, as though conscious of what was going on; trembling from head to foot, and streaming with perspiration. I feel convinced that intelligence of what was passing had reached this horse, and that being of a nervous temperament, the poor animal had been troubled to the painful extent we had witnessed.

Another example of a different kind. It often happened that I was away from the Company for weeks and months at a stretch; and on some of these occasions I had to return along the road by which the circus was coming, thus meeting the vans one after the other all down the line. When yet there was some distance between myself and the nearest van, my horse would scent or see the lead van-horse and salute him with a loud neigh. This would be at once answered by the van-horse, which seemed to pass the signal to the rear down the line, where it was taken up from horse to horse to the very end, perhaps three-quarters of a mile away. Then as I rapidly drove by and met the vans, each horse would turn towards mine as he passed, greeting him with a friendly and joyous neigh; apparently holding a short conversation in passing, as though welcoming each other after a separation. For it must be noted that it was *only after long absence* that such demonstrations took place.

HOW TO WATER A HORSE.

On the question of giving a horse water, when to do it and when not, much popular ignorance exists. Every one knows that, "while one man can take a horse to the water, twenty can't make him drink." But every one does not stop to think that it is because he is not thirsty that he will not drink. Now, if a horse is given an unlimited supply of water after a long dry run, he drinks heartily, and then danger [illegible] from [illegible]. The proper method is to let the horse cool down before he drinks. That is very good as far as it goes; but [illegible] tion would be far better. When a horse is doing a long distance, offer him water frequently—as frequently as possible without inconvenience. He will either sip a mouthful or so, or none at all. The instincts of the horse serve this case, and as reason in men. Let the horse use his instincts freely, and as a rule he will never indulge to his own injury.

SENSITIVE TASTE AND SMELL OF THE HORSE.

Horses have a quick sense and delicate palate. The least impurity in the water or in the vessel that contains it, will frequently cause the horse to refuse it. A curious incident bearing upon this point happened some years ago when a London distiller was suspected of conveying a large quantity of spirits off his premises without paying duty. An excise officer had his attention drawn to a horse-trough which was so situated that it might have been possible to run the spirits through it and away in some manner underground, in the night. But professional evidence was adduced to prove that, had such been the practice, horses would never have drunk out of it as they did; for the odour of the strong raw spirits would have clung to the trough and tainted the water.

Here is an illustration of the natural instinct of the horse when guided by his sense of smell. One of our men had bought or had been given the skin of a lion which had recently died; and as the circus was just leaving the town, he threw it on to the driver's seat of one of the vans, to have it tanned at the next town. The horse in that van was a very quiet one, that had been with the circus for years. Nevertheless, the animal immediately showed signs of fear, which increased in spite of all endeavours to pacify him. Then, breaking loose from all restraint, he kicked and reared and plunged about in the wildest manner until he had broken the harness and escaped. Various conjectures might be made as to the manner in which the horse's fears were aroused; but I think it probable that all those creatures which are liable to become the prey of carnivorous beasts, have been endowed by nature with an instinct which enables them to distinguish their foes from other animals.

Kings and Kingdoms.

ODD FACTS ABOUT THE RULERS OF THE EARTH AND THEIR TERRITORIES FROM THE "GOTHA."

[New York World.]

Very interesting reading indeed an appreciative student can find between the two scarlet covers of Herr Justus Perthes' "Almanach de Gotha" for 1881, the hundred and eighteen year of its publication. For all that may be said "among our fierce democracy" as to kings and nobles, and without for a moment pretending to contend that our Americans are like the immortal "Tommy" and "dearly love a lord," the fact remains that personal gossip and statistics concerning those who in the nature of things are removed from the sphere of daily and commonplace life are always acceptable—often fascinating. And a very pleasant companion Herr Justus Perthes is for a jaunt among the imperial, royal, princely, and noble families of Europe, though we have sometimes to complain that, in his easily-to-be-accouted-for discretion, he omits to mention enjoyable facts which do not exactly "consist" with the dignity of his distinguished subjects. For instance, we are not told that the empress of Austria's brother Prince Charles Theodore of Bavaria, is a diplomaed doctor, and a very good one, too; nor, that the Landgravine Marie Alexandria Augustine Louis Eugenie Martilda, duchess of Wurtemberg, royal highness, and widow of the Landgrave Charles of Hesse-Philippsthel, went through the bankruptey court, last year, like the most piebeian of land-ladies or milliners. Under the head "Russia" there is no mention of the beautiful Princess Dolgorousi, and from the list of the male members of the house of Reuss—all of whom are Henries, and are numbered in the order of their birth, a new series beginning with a new century—we at last miss the name of Prince Henry XX., who married a circus-rider, Mlle. Clotilde Loisset, and was compelled to sacrifice his princely rank, become plain Baron von Reichenfels, and emigrate to Bulgaria to become aid to his old comrade, Prince Alexander I. Under the title "Wurtemberg," too, we miss the name of the Princess Pauline, a self-willed woman of 26, who on May day last year renounced her title and position, became plain Fraulein von Kirback, and married Dr. Willim, of Breslau, a young physician who passed his examination on the eve of his marriage, and apparently obtained a good wife, since, when the court preacher at the altar dwelt with disparaging flattery on her sacrifice, the ex-princess interrupted him with the remark that she was only too glad to give up all to obtain the man she loved. The princess is distantly related to the Princess Victoria, the future empress of Germany. More by token, this latter princess' aunt (sister-in-law to the Princess Helena of England, married another physician, Dr. Esmarch, of Kiel, while this last lady's uncle married as his second wife, in 1864, Miss Lee, of New York. The roll of the house of Hatzfeldt, too, is now illumined by the name of the young prince who married another circus-rider, Mlle. Emilie Loisset; still another equestrienne's name is lacking from the "Gotha"—the ex-princess of Salm-Salm. Whether circus-riders or gardeners' daughters rank lowest in the opinion of the editor cannobe said, but he certainly scorns to mention the union of the head of the house of Erbach-Erbach with Fraulein Luck though he records the morganatic marriages of his two sons. This family traces its descent from Charlemagne's daughter Emma, or Imma, and his secretary and biographer, Eginhard, whom, as readers of Longfellow remember, the princess carried from her bower pick-a-back, lest the print of his footsteps on the snow should betray their loves. The value of this story is impaired by the fact that Charlemagne had no daughter Emma, so far as is known; that his daughters generally were "a bad lot," that Eginhard says none of them ever married, and that the episode of the snow-storm had been told of Henry the Black more than two centuries before it was told of Eginhard.

How much of pathos and tragedy some of these closely-printed pages contain! One name alone appears in the first section under the title "Maison Bonaparte—Ligne Imperiale de France," that of the ex-empress Eugenie, widowed, childless, and motherless, though twice that family has occupied the proudest position in the book established before Napoleon Bonaparte was born. The ex-empress has played a more heroic part than did the wife of Napoleon I. Metternich has told us how Maria Louisa, when the conqueror asked her in marriage, desired her father to dispose of her without any regard to her personal preferences, but solely with an eye to the interests of the empire. He has also told us that Napoleon was a remarkably good husband to her, forbearing to vex her as he had incessantly vexed Josephine. But Sismondi has preserved the letter which the empress wrote in the midst of the agony of the hundred days, hoping fervently that Count Neipperg had not broken his poor dear leg; this same Count Neipperg she subsequently married, and their son is alive, the head of the inconspicuous house of Montenuovo. The second section of the Bonaparte notice is devoted to the Jeromist branch—"Plon-Plon's" wife by the way, was the "Iphigenia of Italy," ever as Maria Louisa was the Iphigenia of Austria—but in law, religion, and justice it should contain the names of the descendents of Betsey Patterson. Just across the page comes the family of Bourbon. What thrones remain to them after more than two centuries of planning, plotting, conquering, and marrying. Denmark and Saxe-Coburg-Gotha unquestionably hold the first place in Europe at the present through their alliances. Christian IX. twenty years ago was leading the life of a retired country gentleman in Denmark with a comparatively limited income. One of his daughters will be Queen of England, another empress of Russia, and a third would be queen of Hanover but for Bismarck, while the fourth child has ascended the throne of Greece. One prince of the house of Saxe-Coburg married the queen of England, and another the queen of Portugal; a prince of that house sits on the throne of Belgium; his sister was for a brief and perilous period empress of Mexico; and so on down a long list.

A glance at the table of ages and reigns will rather surprise the average reader, whose preconceived ideas on the subject of history are generally of the hazist and most inaccurate sort. No one will be astonished to learn that the evergreen emperor of Germany, now nearly 84 years old, is the oldest of living sovereigns, the next in point of age [illegible] April 25, 1808; Leo XIII, born March 2, 1810; the king of the Netherlands, born Feb. 19, 1817, and Prince Adolph, of Schaumbourg-Lippe, born on the 1st of August in the same year. The King of Denmark is sixth on the list; the Czar, seventh; Queen Victoria, eleventh; Dom Pedro of Brazil, sixteenth, and the emperor of Austria, twenty-fourth, the two sovereigns under thirty being Prince Milan, of Siberia, born Aug. 18, 1854, and King Alfonso XII, of Spain, born Nov. 28, 1857, who in his short life has assisted at two revolutions, has been married twice and shot at twice. But the positions are materially changed when we come to regard the length of each ruler's reign. Dom Pedro, of Brazil, heads the list, having ascended the throne April 7, 1831, at the age of six; the duke of Brunswick (April 20, 1831), comes next; Queen Victoria is third—June 20, 1837; Francis Joseph of Austria is sixth—December 2, 1848; the king of the Netherlands seventh—March 11, 1849; the czar is twelfth, and the Emperor William (as king of Prussia) only nineteenth. King George of the Hellenes ascended the throne more than five months before his father assumed the royal dignity. The junior sovereign is Charles, prince of Schwarzburg-Sonderschausen, who, though a man of fifty, only began to reign on the 17th of July last.

Upon the list of orders there are inscribed 158 different orders, some of which contain several classes, while 24 other decorations are mentioned conferred by dethroned sovereigns or no longer recognized by the countries to which they are attributed. France has a single order—the Legion of Honour—Austria has 9, Bavaria 13, Spain 13, Prussia 12, and Russia 8. Six orders went out with the kingdom of the two Sicilies; three with the downfall of Maximilian—those of our Lady of Guadeloupe, the Mexican Eagle and St. Charles, and one with the overthrow of Lopez, the tyrant of Paraguay. Republican orders are not uncommon—apart from the Cross of the Legion of Honour, a strict republican might accept the order of Santa Rosa of Honduras; the order of Chivalry of San Marino, the order of San Juan of Nicaragua, or the Medal of the bust of Bolivar, of Venezuela. The ladies cannot complain that no stars and crosses are provided for their gentle breasts, since to them are allotted the Starry cross, of Austria; the Bavarian cross of Merit and orders of St. Elizabeth, of Theresa, of St. Anne, of Munich, and of St. Anne, of Wurzburg; the cross of the Legion of Honour; the Victoria and Albert, Crown of Indian and cross of St. Katherine, of England; the Grand cross (only) of the Order of the crown of the Wends, of Mecklenburg; a Persian order—not named; the Order of St. Isabella, of Portugal; the Prussian Order of Louisa and Cross of Merit; the Order of St. Catharine, of Russia; the Order of Sidonia, of Saxony; and the Order of Olga, of Wurtemberg.

Among the states enumerated in the second part of the book some deserve a passing notice. There is the republic of Andorra, for instance, with a population variously estimated at from four to eighteen thousand—where, by the way, they tried to get up a revolution the other day. It has for its suzerains the "godless" republic of France and the Catholic Bishop of Urgel, who divide the nomination of the judicial authorities, and receive as tribute annually the sums respectively, of $192 and $178.20. The parishes, or rather four heads of families in each parish, elect the council, from which the syndic is chosen. By the way, during four months of the year the Bishop of Urgel is Pope of Andorra, and nominates to ecclesiastical offices without asking the sanction of Leo XIII. Andorra offers rare facilities for the establishment of another foreign mission. Bolivia presents the interesting spectacle of a standing army composed of 8 generals, 359 officers of high rank, 654 superior officers, and 2,000 men. Hayti, the statistician says, cautiously, "has an outrageously large number of generals," and a fleet of two ships—on the stocks; the late pope had a fleet of one vessel, but Leo XIII, abolished the papal navy, we believe, from motives or economy. Under the head of Lichtenstein we find no notice of the fact that that gallant little principality with its population of 9,124 souls is still at war with the German empire! It is, for when Prussia and Austria made peace in 1866, they forgot to include Lichtenstein in the treaty, and hence Prince John II,—the enumeration of his royal family takes up nearly three pages of the Almanach de Gotha—has been left to wage war single-handed against the Kaiser, Bismarck, and Moltke for nearly fifteen years. Monaca has an army of nine officers and sixty-three men, and may be expected to offer a desperate resistance when France—as she soon will—gobbles up the principality whose gambling hells now put such immense sums into the pockets of Prince Roland Bonaparte, the husband of Mlle. Blanc. The little republic of San Marino is better prepared to resist any attack on its independence by Italy, since with only 7,816 inhabitants it has an army of 950 men, including 131 officers. How many rosiers would offhand class Samos with Bulgaria—and, indeed, with Egypt—as a tributary principality of Turkey? And finally, what a standing army Uruguay has! It originally contained 2,190 men, but having been reduced by a regiment of cavalry and a battalion of infantry, if can not now number more than 1,625 soldiers of all arms, who will be led to victory when necessary by 2 brigadiers, 8 generals, 59 colonels, 83 lieutenant colonels, and 1,000 other officers.

Wealth and Meanness.

JOAQUIN MILLER IN CALIFORNIA.

I tell you that, in nine cases out of ten great acquired wealth lifts up in monumental testimony the meanness of its possessor. I know two neighbors, old Californians, who had about equal fortunes. They were both old settlers, both rich and respected. In that fearful year, 1859, when the dying and destitute immigrants literally crawled on hands and knees over the Sierra trying to reach the settlements, one of these men drove all his cattle up to the mountains, butchered them, and fed the starving. He and his Mexicans pack all the mules with flour, which at that time cost almost its weight in gold, and push one night and day over the mountains to reach the strangers there and feed them, so that they might have strength to reach his house where they could have shelter and rest. The other man cold and cautious, saw his opportunity and embraced it. He sat at home and sold all his wheat and mules and meat, and with the vast opportunities for turning money into account in that new country soon became almost a prince in fortune. But his generous neighbour died a beggar in Idaho, where he had gone to try to make another fortune. He literally had not money enough to buy a shroud; and as he died among strangers, by the roadside, he was buried without even so much as a pine board coffin. I saw his grave there only last year. Some one had set up a rough granite stone at the head, and that was all. No name not even a letter or a date. Nothing. But that bowlder was fashioned by the hand of Almighty God, and in the little seams and dots and mossy scars that cover it he can read the that chronicle the secret virtues of this lone dead man on the snowy mountains of Idaho. The children of the prince are in Paris. Upheld by his collossal wealth, their lives seem to embrace the universal world. He is my friend. He buys all my books and reads every line I write. When he comes to this sketch he will understand it. And he ought to understand, too, that all the respect, admiration and love which the new land once gave these two men gathers around and is buried beneath that moss-grown granite stone; and that I know, even with all his show of splendor, that his heart is as cold and as empty as the dead man's hand.

How We Abuse Our Horses.

If we say that of all brute animals none is more valuable to man than the horse, and that the neglect of any means which may promote his welfare and efficiency is a blunder not easily distinguishable from crime, we may fairly be charged with uttering truisms. If we urge that this value is not recognized as it should be, and that this neglect is miserably common, we may still be accused of wasting breath on statements which no one would think of calling into question. Every one, we may be told, is well aware that the management of horses is very faulty, that their lives are shortened by the ignorance of those who have charge of them rather than by any wanton cruelty, and they are rendered practically useless long before their existence is brought to an end. To the plea that the same, or much the same, things may be said of men as of horses, we may answer that the blame must be apportioned to the degree of confidence with which evils affecting either men or horses are allowed to go unchecked, or are fearfully dealt with; nor can failure to improve the condition of mankind form a reason for refusing to do what may improve the condition of horses.

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The fact has been figured out that the world owes about $30,000,000,000 and is manifestly unable to pay its debts. The world would evidently be in a bad fix if its creditors were residents of another planet and should commence proceedings to close up accounts. But whatever the world owes, it owes itself. It is like a nation which owes a large debt to its own people. A failure to pay its debts will not diminish the amount of wealth in the nation. Debt-creating is a process by which the accumulations of the wealthier classes are concentrated in one fund on the promise that interest shall be paid for the money thus taken charge of until the principal is returned. The individual bondholder of a nation whose credit is good can get his coin whenever he wants it by selling his bond; but if the time should ever come when the mass of bondholders wanted to sell, bonds would go down to zero. Government then will have been the agent by which the surplus wealth of the classes that have something was distributed. Who gets the money so distributed it is hard to say. In some cases the bondholders get a portion of it in their dealings with the Government contractors, officeholders, and the various capacities in which the Government is served. Military and naval nations distribute large sums in paying the common soldiers of their arms and navies, and the workman who manufacture arms, the farmers who furnish provisions and other material for the use of either branch of the service. That a time will come when the debts thus accumulated will be wiped out by some other process than payment is apparently an assured fact. The bulk of the world's indebtedness was created within eighty years. The European nations most heavily loaded with debt in 1880 had no debt of any consequence in 1800. Within these 80 years a debt has been piled up which calls for one-third of their annual revenue. Of course taxes must be increased to meet this additional expense. If taxes fail more debt is created. Occasional payments made in prosperous and peaceful years do not materially affect the ratio of increase during a long period of time. The astonishing feature of this debt-creating business is, that the power to increase debt seems in proportion to the debt already incurred. France owes some $4,700,000,000, the annual interest of which is $203,000,000; yet France could add another thousand million to its debt now more easily than it could have borrowed the amount of its present interest when it had no interest to pay. England owes $4,000,000 and if a threat of war should occasion a demand for a few hundred millions more, the value of the present debt would not be materially impaired. These debts could not have been created if there had not been people in the world who had money to spare, and could not be materially increased if there were not some people in a similiar financial condition. The loss of a force liquidation, if ever made, will fall on the class that has accumulated wealth, rather than on the class which has hard work to make a living.

EMINENT FOLK.

LADY LISGAR, widow of the late Governor-General of Canada, is among the Boycotted.

THE Queen of Portugal is a lover of art, and has given a large sum towards the completion of the Duomo at Florence.

SEVEN hundred thousand women in France and Italy are employed in the manufacture of raw silk from the cocoon.

MR. BRADLAUGH continues his attacks on the British Pension list, which later in the session will probably be heard a good deal about.

IN reference to the marriage of Lady Burdett-Coutts, a London paper thinks it necessary to state that should there be issue (the bride is 66) the eldest son will inherit the title, but he and the other children will bear the name of the father.

EMPEROR WILLIAM is now growing thin in his body, and his legs have diminished in rotundity; his military coats are thickly padded, and his trousers are cut very large. The old man's strength is evidently failing, but he boasts that he is as active as ever.

THE Princess Louise will return to her husband in May, and the two will join a large party of English visitors in a fishing excursion on the lower St. Lawrence. The princess will then, with her English guests, visit Manitoba and the northwest provinces of the Dominion.

COUNT CARLO MENABREA, son of the Italian ambassador in London, and one of King Humbert's masters of ceremonies, has just tried to prove that men may die and worms may eat them for love. He was disappointed in his young affections, and thereupon shot himself in the face with his revolver. But he only succeeded in disfiguring, not in killing himself.

PRINCE BISMARCK has appeared in Berlin so much better in health that he seems to have taken a new lease in life. His complexion has lost its sickly pallor, and he seems in excellent spirits. Scarcely a day passes without a conference between the emperor and the prime minister, whose burly figure is often seen by the pedestrian through the lace curtains of the imperial study as he bends in explanation or inquiry over the writing-table.

DRAMATIC NOTES.

"No, no," said the manager, "she'll never make a star, though she is pretty and talented. Why, she hasn't got mad and refused to play since I've employed her. She won't fight her husband, and when I advised her to thrash an editor she seemed shocked. There's not the making of a Bernhardt, or an Oates even, in her."

Edwin Booth at Home.

Very youthful in appearance, in fact almost in proportion as young-looking as Mr. Hare, whose resemblance to him is remarkable, Mr. Booth is yet in his tenth lustre; but, allowance being made for nervous wear and tear, is, in manner, gait, and speech, a young man. He may be taken, indeed, as an illustration of Mrs. Kealy's theory, that acting is a very healthy profession. Smoking incessantly when not on the stage, Mr. Booth is otherwise the most abstemious of men. On the ground that his nervous temperament will not bear the excitement of stimulants, he drinks nothing stronger than tea, and eschews dinners and diners, junketings and frolics, of all and every kind. A member of any number of clubs, he never goes near one of them, and lives entirely at his movable home. Once in a while he may dine, on a Sunday, with pleasant friends; but such occasions are few and far between, and his daily routine of life is of the most modest and quiet kind. In defiance of the prevailing fashion of living in the open air, he never goes out except under compulsion. Rising late, he is content to pass his day over a book, struggling against the depression which follows the excitement of appearing on the stage, and only recovers himself as the hour for action approaches. It was once asked at what precise hour Mr. Macready "began to be Macbeth." In the case of Mr. Booth the hour is variable, depending very much on when reaction sets in. When he has done his work he goes home, not like Mr. Toole, "to his tea," but to what Americans call "a bite of supper," followed by a prolonged interview with a very fine meerschaum, a gossip with his wife, and a spell at a book by his fireside. He is one more instance of the quiet home-loving instincts of men who are imagined by the good-natured public to lead lives of gayety and splendour—the centres of admiring crowds of worshippers, the *pierres de touche* of such *raconteurs*, wits, and humorists as are still left to us.

A Cunning Cat.

(From the Carson Appeal.)

A gentleman who took a trip into the country yesterday, when on the plains, a mile from any house, noticed a cat, a huge one, almost as large as a fair-sized dog. It was lying upon the ground, its feet uppermost, in such a way that he had no doubt that it had fallen a victim to some vicious dog. Around it, feeding unsuspectingly, was a flock of small birds. The apparently lifeless cat was within range of the vision of the observer for some time, and just as he was thinking how much easier it would be for the animal to feign death and catch a bird by deceiving it than by slipping up to it, he was astonished to see the cat suddenly roll over and grab one of the feathered tribe that was very near. The other birds flew away a hundred yards or so and alighted. The cat only made one or two mouthfuls of the game, and then crept around to the windward of the birds, laid itself out again, and once more successfully played the dead dodge. The gentleman drove away wondering how many birds it took to satisfy the feline's appetite.

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The Valley of the Jordan.

The valley of the Jordan [illegible] as an enormous hothouse for [illegible] colony. Here might grow palms, cotton, indigo, [illegible] sorghum, besides bananas, pineapples, sweet potatoes, and other garden produce. Rising a little [illegible] the country [illegible] maize, castor-oil, millet, flax, [illegible] melons, gourds, cumin, coriander, [illegible] ochra, brinjals, pomegranates, [illegible] figs—and [illegible] wheat, barley, beans, [illegible] various sorts, [illegible] would from the staple products [illegible] especially [illegible] wine and [illegible] adopted to silkculture; while [illegible] forests, carob or locust bean, [illegible] jujube, almond, balsam, [illegible] profitable [illegible] profusion. All the fruits of [illegible] Europe, such as apricots, peaches, plums, [illegible] pears, quince thrive with [illegible] extreme elevation, [illegible] the fruits and vegetables [illegible] might be cultivated, while [illegible] growing eucalyptus could [illegible] with advantage [illegible] less plains. Not only does [illegible] ordinary variety of soil and [illegible] thus compressed into a [illegible] exceptional advantages [illegible] cultural point of view, [illegible] sion of the Dead Sea [illegible] would furnish a vast [illegible] by the exportation of [illegible] mineral deposits. [illegible] of potassium, 200,000 [illegible] annually [illegible] tically inexhaustible; [illegible] bitumen, [illegible] procured [illegible] shores. [illegible] fact, that the Dead Sea [illegible] unexplored [illegible] the application of capital [illegible] prise to [illegible] perty.—*The Land of Gilead.*

The Turkey.

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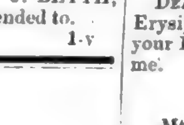

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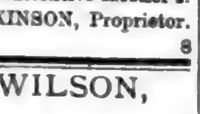

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Henry Stull became seriously involved in St. Louis through his boastfulness. While drunk, late at night, he entered a barroom and declared that he had just killed a man. "I'm harmless as a turtle dove when let alone," said he, "but when they crowd me I'm a terror. Three men attached me in the street, and I killed one with a knife. You'll see it all in the papers to-morrow." He showed the knife, washed it and his hands carefully, and made all the men and women in the place promise solemnly not to betray him. His story was pure fiction; but it happened that a man had been stabbed to death in the same neighbourhood. Stull was arrested, and it was with difficulty that he proved his innocence.

ALGERIA is beginning to develop a taste for the fine arts. Not long ago the success of the exhibition at Algiers took every one by surprise, and now another, which has been organized at Oran, is equally successful. "The pictures sold," says an enthusiastic correspondent, "as if by enchantment."

England is being flooded with what are now called New York sovereigns. These are counterfeit coins made in America so perfectly as to have deceived the English experts for some time. They have exactly the same weight and diameter and give the proper ring, but are a little thicker than the true coin, which defect was only discovered when they were put up in rouleaux.

Boyhood.

No pallid winding sheet,
No coffin, and no dim
And narrow earthly grave
Were made by man for him.

And yet he is as dead
As any corpse that lies
Secreted from the light
Of the encircling skies.

Dead, many years ago!
His spirit passed away
So swiftly, silently,
I cannot tell the day.

I loved him passing well,
This boy, light-souled and fair,
Because he loved me so,
And bore the name I bear.

Doubt.

The waves are breaking on the beach,
And on the soft, wet sand I stand;
Far out as human sight can reach
The ocean stretches from the land.

What is it that ye seek to reach?
Cold, curling, crested waves, that roar
An uninterpretable speech
Along the endless, wreck-strewn shore?

"Oh, tell me that beyond the sea
A peaceful harbour lies!" I wail.
A mocking echo answers me,
"Lies! lies!" and I can see no sail.

Retrospection.

The gray-bearded man feels no pleasures
So dear as the joys he has lost.
As roses of summer seem sweeter
When viewed through a vista of frost.

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CHAPTER IV. CONTINUED.

"I am glad you did, Cecil. Never let any trouble worry you that I can lighten."

The girl half moved away, then paused, came back, and put her arm in the most beseeching, coaxing way within his.

"Why do you stop in here all alone?" she said persuasively. "I'm sure you can't want to be busy every evening. What do you do?"

The Colonel laughed; he did very little now of an evening; he could not read or write when across the hall he could hear their merry chatter, their joyous laughter, or Cecil's piano. Not that these things disturbed or annoyed him, but they raised a thousand memories within him.

"I am obliged to confess, Cecil, that I do very little," he said; "but I always did spend the evening in the library. It had everything here that I wanted."

"Has it everything now?" said Cecil, archly.

"Just at this moment, yes," he answered quickly; but added directly, "Young people don't always care for the presence of their elders, Cecil; it causes restraint."

"Oh, no, no! Never with you!" interrupted Cecil eagerly. "Won't you come now and play?" she added coaxingly.

"If you really want me, my child."

"Thanks; how good of you!" And Cecil led Colonel McLeod captive to the drawing-room—a willing captive enough.

And so it was that another of the Colonel's solitary habits was given up, and his evenings were no longer passed in the library, unless he really had business to do; then Cecil would come and put her curly head in at the door and say in her witching way—

"When are you coming in, Colonel McLeod? The piano has been open this half-hour."

CHAPTER V.

It was a somewhat secluded life that the Verners led at Ridinghurst; for Colonel McLeod himself never went into the society that Hyde afforded, and indeed he had not more than a bowing acquaintance with the families around; so, of course, Cecil was never asked anywhere, especially as it was understood that she was not "out."

Wonder and gossip were rife in military circles. Mrs. Rhodes, the Major's wife, declared that no doubt Colonel McLeod did not care to bring Miss Verner into society. She supposed he was bringing her up for himself. She wondered if Miss Verner knew that story about Gherutpoor. She ought to be told. Captain Chalmers's sister, to whom she imparted her surmises, thought nothing of the kind, and hoped the Major's wife would do nothing indiscreet.

The idea was absurd, she said. Miss Verner was like a child. She had talked to her at the review a great deal, and had met her once or twice besides. She had seen her with the Colonel, and his manner was just what it should be to a girl more than twenty years younger than himself. And she was quite sure that Colonel McLeod would not marry now. "Little Miss Alice is the flirt," added Miss Chalmers, with a knowing nod. "Did you see her at the review with Fairleigh of 'ours'?"

"I think," remarked the Doctor's wife, who was calling on the Major's wife, "that Lord Kennedy is very much struck with Miss Verner. She is very beautiful, certainly, and a most interesting girl. It is certain that he goes to Ridinghurst more than any one else."

"But then he is fond of the Colonel," suggested Mrs. Rhodes.

"Oh, my dear lady, trust me, gentlemen don't find such charms in the society of their own sex as all that! It would be a very good match for Cecil Verner. I suppose the Chief will give them something on their marriage."

So gossip did not pass by the occupants of Ridinghurst. It was quite true that Lord Kennedy found his way to that mansion more often than was warranted by his affection for the Colonel. No one knew that better than Loris McLeod.

Well, he thought, Cecil was eighteen now, but she was very young to have a lover; yet many girls in the world were married at her age. Of course she would marry some day, and leave Ridinghurst. Why not? Besides, Lord Kennedy was very good and noble-hearted, and would love Cecil well. He would have no fear in trusting her to his care. Did Cecil care for him? Would she be happy in leaving Ridinghurst? And Lord Kennedy was in the prime of life, mused the Colonel, fitted in every way to make the girl happy. Yes, it would be a happy thing for her, for the bright-haired, soft-eyed child, who sang about the house like a lark, and always ran to meet him when he came home. Yes, he believed he would make her happy. Loris McLeod said this to himself over and over again, as he paced the library in the growing dusk of the short winter day, with his arms folded tightly over his breast, his lips compressed; and the old gloom, which she had chased from his brow, had gathered again. Presently he sank down upon a chair and bowed his head on his crossed arms. She was not for him to love and cherish, he thought bitterly. What had he to give her? A ruined, shattered life. Spotless and unstained must be the name he would offer. He had stretched out his hands to grasp honour and glory, and they had been swept away from him. His youth and his early manhood had passed away and left him loveless. Now love came to him too late, and that too must be crushed and hidden. It was another torture to bear, another victory to win.

There was a knock at the door. Colonel McLeod rose erect and calm. He could almost have anticipated the announcement the servant made—that Lord Kennedy asked to see Colonel McLeod if he were disengaged.

"Yes, I am not busy. Show him in here, Hester," said the Colonel quietly; and he pressed his hand for a moment to his heart, as though to try to still its throbbing. He knew, as if he had already been told, the object of the interview that Lord Kennedy desired.

Lord Kennedy came in with quick, alert step. He was a tall soldierly man, nearly ten years younger than the Colonel, with an open brow and bright earnest eyes—the very man to win a girl's love, Loris McLeod said inwardly. And a bitter pang pierced him, as he clasped the outstretched hand in silence.

"Sit down, Kennedy," said the Colonel to the young man. There was no change in his sweet musical voice and quiet reserved manner. "What fortunate chance, may I say, has brought you to Ridinghurst this afternoon?"

"No chance, Colonel," answered Lord Kennedy, with a smile. "I rode over from Stoneminster on purpose to talk with you. I wonder if you have any idea why I have come?"

Colonel McLeod drew back a little to where the shadow of the mantel-shelf fell upon his face. Then he said quietly—

"I might guess wrongly. You had better tell me, dear boy."

The young man rose, and rested his arm on the mantel-piece for a moment. He could never know all the agony that that man, so erect, so calm, so kind, was battling with in those few seconds.

"You must surely have seen," Lord Kennedy then said, looking into the fire, and speaking rather hurriedly at first, "that I have ventured to come more often to Ridinghurst during these last few months than I did before, Miss Verner came to live under your guardianship. Can you wonder that, gifted as she is with every attraction to win a man's love, I have dared to hope that she might learn to give me her heart? I know she is very young," the young man continued eagerly, as though to forestall objections that might be raised—"but surely not too young to understand the power she holds! I would not go to her before I spoke to you, because you have a right to know in what position I desire to stand. You will give your consent, McLeod, and let me win her if I can?"

He spoke earnestly and eagerly. He had a noble stainless name to offer, untarnished honour, a love without regrets, and a life unshadowed to give Cecil Verner.

"You have my consent to win Cecil if you can," answered Loris McLeod steadily. "There is no man I know to whom I would more readily trust her. If she loves you, she will be happy with you."

Lord Kennedy flushed crimson, and in silence stretched out his hand. It lay for a moment in the Colonel's close firm clasp—a clasp that meant much. His loyal heart knew no half-measures. Ungrungingly and without reserve, he was renouncing the prize that he might once have won. Yet he was thankful for the darkness, thakful that the bitterness of such self-renunciation could not be seen in his white lips, in the agony that shadowed his dark eyes.

"You have made me very happy!" said Lord Kennedy, after a moment. "Ah, I know what you would say! But, still, tell me if you think I have perhaps some place in ner heart."

"My dear boy, how can I tell?" said the Colonel, with a half smile. "Can I read a young girl's heart? How do I, twice her years, know what may have changed her from a child to a woman in a year, a month—ay, a moment?"

"But, frankly, do you think she has any idea that I come purposely to see her? Does she think of me as a possible lover?"

"Again I cannot say. Girls do not make confidents generally of their guardians; still, I don't imagine that Cecil's thoughts run much on lovers. But that is for you to find out."

"Ah, I feel so nervous when I think of asking that dear girl for her love!" said Lord Kennedy, looking down. "My heart fails me. She is too abrupt. And yet I cannot live like this, knowing nothing of my fate; and it would be very wrong to her."

There was silence for some moments. Loris McLeod was bracing himself for that ordeal that he knew must come. He read, as clearly as though it had been said in words, all that was passing in Lord Kennedy's mind. Oh, why was this last sacrifice asked of him whose heart was torn by so many wounds?

"McLeod," said Kennedy, raising his head, "you will think the request perhaps a strange one for me to make; but, ah, if you knew how I fear—if you would speak to Cecil—Miss Verner first—ask her if I may dare hope—you could——"

The Colonel moved somewhat restlessly. Nevertheless his voice and his manner were kind even to tenderness.

"Don't you think, dear boy, you can plead your own cause better than I could?" he said.

Then, as Lord Kennedy was silent, he turned away and walked slowly down the darkening room.

"Strange," he murmured, half smiling, "we men, who face death a thousand times without the quiver of a nerve, tremble before the thought of a look from a woman's eyes!"

He came back to the place where the young man stood, and then resumed his former position. Lord Kennedy looked up questionably.

"You must think me a coward, McLeod," he said in a low voice. But the Colonel answered—

"No, Kennedy, not more than I suppose all men are when it comes to the turning point in their lives. And perhaps you are right here—that is for to judge. I will speak to Cecil if you like."

"Oh, McLeod, how can I thank you?"

But for the shadow in which the Colonel stood, Lord Kennedy must have seen the ghastly whiteness that overspread McLeod's face, and the sudden shrinking at those eager thanks. But the Colonel said quietly—

"By not thanking me, my dear boy. But remember that in speaking to Cecil I can only tell her that you wish to become a suitor for her hand, that if she loves you, I will give her into your keeping, because I trust you. But I can in no way urge her, or bias her mind. I mean that I must leave her perfectly free and unfettered to make her own choice."

"I could—I wish to ask nothing more," replied Lord Kennedy. "It is only because she is so different from other girls that I ask you, as it were, to prepare her, for what I so fear might be a shock. You understand, McLeod?"

"Perfectly! Well, then, I will do this for you." He paused a moment, and then added, "And you are willing to trust me in this, Kennedy?"

"Trust you? Why, of course!" exclaimed the young man in surprise. "What can you be thinking of, McLeod?" I know—at least I fancy—that if Cecil—forgive me, Miss Verner—leaves you, you must feel it. Who would not miss her? But, look here, McLeod"—and Lord Kennedy put his hand on the Colonel's arm—"I tell you this—if you said you'd plead another fellow's cause with a girl you cared for, I shouldn't have a fear—not one."

"You must have great faith in human nature, Kennedy," said McLeod, half bitterly, half sadly. "Well, I thank you for your trust in me personally."

"But you don't half believe it?"

"I did not say so, dear boy; it might be a dangerous experiment. However, let that pass. Lovers are proverbially impatient"—and he spoke with a smile now. "I suppose you will expect to hear from me—when?"

"Nay, I must leave that to you," answered the young man; "only I shall be on thorns till I hear——"

"Ah, it comes to the same thing!" said the Colonel, rather drily. "Well, I will write to you as soon as possible—to-morrow perhaps. Don't be building up palaces of hope, my good fellow; there may be bitter disappointment in store for you. But it is ill preaching caution to a lover."

Lord Kennedy smiled and colored slightly. He shook his head as he held out his hand.

"I suppose you think it is all madness, McLeod?" he said, half laughing. And he could not understand the momentary glance of the Colonel's soft dark eyes. "Good-bye. I can't say how I thank you for your generous kindness in receiving me. It is something to have the approval of such a man as you."

Loris McLeod bowed his head as though in thanks for the young man's frank praise; but he said nothing in answer now. So near as was the close of that terrible interview, the strain seemed to him almost more than he could bear. Nevertheless he saw his visitor to the door, and watched him ride ... his hands across his forehead, he bent down on the desk before him, and a hoarse whisper passed his lips.

"Oh, Cecil! Oh, my life, my heart! Miss her! How shall I give her up?"

Then came a terrible fear that he might fail here when honour bound him—that he could not look into those large clear eyes and not tell her how his heart was hungering for her love. Would not his lips utter, even against his will, other words than those he would speak.

He started up suddenly, and almost staggered to his feet, his hand grasping the arm of the chair.

"Ah—her voice!" He heard her singing as she came across the hall, the notes clear and sweet as those of a bird. She must have just come in from riding, he concluded. She was coming there; to the library; but he could not meet her now—not now.

"All in the dark!" cried Cecil.

The sweet fresh voice seemed to pierce his heart now like a knife. She came in, her riding-dress gathered in one hand; and she threw down her hat.

"Oh, such a jolly ride, Colonel McLeod! But—why—what"—she stopped abruptly, bent forward, and then sprang to his side—"what has happened? You look as though you had had some terrible shock!"

Her voice, her touch, her actual presence forced him to make one supreme effort—an effort that for a moment seemed to make his heart stand still.

"I cannot see you now," he half muttered, turning aside. "It is nothing. I had—another time. Leave me, child—in pity leave me—alone!"

She was startled, bewildered, and pained by the change she saw in him. Colonel McLeod was usually so quiet and reserved in manner; but, when he spoke to her just now, it seemed that all his control could not render his voice steady. And what was the meaning of those quivering lips, and that bowed head? Oh, what could have happened to cause him such bitter pain? Cecil wondered. Yet she had no right, no claim to strive even to soothe him when he bade her go. How could she, who was so young, intrude on this awful sorrow of a man between whom and herself stretched a wide gulf of years? She turned away sorrowfully with drooping head, all her brightness gone, and walked down the room.

He saw it all, and knew that her pain was for him; yet he let her go. He stood motionless, looking at the tall slender form vanishing in the darkness. Leaning forward, with one hand pressed to his heart, the other still grasping, with an iron clasp, the arm of the chair, he heard the door close, and her light step on the pavement without; but there was no joyous singing now. Then, with one deep-drawn breath that was almost a sob, he dropped upon one knee, raised his eyes to that dear symbol of all he must ever love and cling to, the glittering sword above him, and murmured, "For honour—for honour!"

CHAPTER VI.

Cecil entered her dressing-room with a sort of stunned feeling. The quick sympathetic nature had long since discerned that Colonel McLeod's life had been a very sorrowful one, and, with a child's earnest faith, Cecil had striven hard to bring to him some of her sunshine and brightness. But what was this fresh blow that had struck him? What could it all mean? Had bad news come from South Africa, whence there were more than rumors of war? Was he going out? Surely that would have been to him a cause for rejoicing rather than for such anguish as she had read in his face!

She wearied herself with conjectures to which she could find no answer, and she stood quite still by the toilet-table, her hands crossed before her, the tears gathering in her eyes and dropping one by one on the cover. Alone in bitter pain! Why might she not be with him? Why not try to soothe him? Yet she could well understand how the mere presence of one he loved best would be a new torture in any suffering. And why should he care to have her beside him?

The door opening roused her and taught Cecil Verner her first lesson in dissimulation. She brushed away her tears and appeared to be very busy with her riding-habit as Alice entered, eager, excited, and flushed.

"Oh, Cecil," she cried, springing forward, "what do you think I have just heard?"

"What?" said Cecil, turning listlessly.

"Ah, you won't be apathetic, I promise you!" returned Alice, shaking her head and brimming over with her news. "It's about your Colonel!"

Cecil started as if stung, and flushed suddenly.

"What—what do you mean?" she asked, with no want of interest now. Her first idea was that it was something connected with the war.

"Do you remember," said Alice, "my asking him about medals the first day we came, and he didn't seem to like to talk about it? Well, it's all explained now. I've been hearing the strangest story from Mr. Fairleigh. You know know I went with Mrs. Annandale to Hereford Court, and, while the old fogies talked, we strolled about the gardens. I was great fun, Cecil, and I know the Colonel doesn' care for Fairleigh."

"I suppose that constitutes the 'fun?'" said Cecil drily, but with a flash of her bright eyes.

"Oh, well, not exactly! I'm not such a hero-worshipper as you. Thre doesn't seem much to worship here, I should think. Don't fly at me, Cecil. Just listen. Fairleigh told me that Colonel McLeod had been tried by a court-martial in India for 'failure in duty' and condemned, and that, though the people at the Horse Guards reversed the sentence and only censured him, no one has thought anything of him since, and——"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A Plain Statement of Facts.

(London Truth.)

We English have not yet fully realized what utter knaves the ruling Pashas in Turkey are. We solemnly read their dispatches and their State papers as though they were not written with the deliberate intention to deceive, and we ask them to make pledges, as though they would be binding on them. So long as we regard these scamps as anything but a gang of shameless tricksters, ready to sell themselves and their country to the highest bidder, we shall vainly endeavour to handle the Eastern question. There are but two arguments which they understand—money and the stick. If we are not prepared to buy them or to beat them, we should not waste time in negotiations, but withdraw from all communication with them.

If the time ever comes when a lie will help a man you will be able to tan leather with the bark of a dog.

A young man in Russia of decided ability was attacked by an acute disease brought on by dissipation. After his recovery he was found to have lost all his mental faculties except calculation and memory. These were increased to such a degree that he could surpass all mathematicians in power of mental calculation, and could repeat poetry which occupied several minutes in reading after hearing it only once. In all other respects he is a helpless idiot.

The Cross of the Legion of Honour is counted especially honourable when worn by a tradesman in France. A legionary who goes through the Bankruptcy Court ceases *ipso facto* to belong to the order. To be decorated is to be sure of credit. Merchants therefore strive hard to obtain the decoration, which must not be paraded in advertisements, or on trade circulars or cards.

A Melbourne correspondent writes: "A singular circumstance is reported from a hot, dry valley in New South Wales. Last year the drought there was of long duration, and the denizens of the apiaries suffered much from it. This year the bees have made provision against a similar emergency. They have filled a large number of the external cells in every hive with pure water, instead of honey. It is thought that the instinct of the creatures leads them to anticipate a hot summer."

MAUREL, the baritone, who sang so acceptably in New York a few years ago, has been engaged at the Paris Opera for three years. He is to receive $300 a night, and is to appear at least ten times a month during his first year, eleven times during the second, and twelve during the third. He is to have three month's leave of absence in each year. At present he is singing at Florence.

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Friday, March 4th 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

CARNIVAL.—The third masquerade carnival of the season was held on the Flesherton skating rink, on Wednesday 23rd ult. Owing to the stormy weather, the attendance was not as large as usual, but those present seemed to enjoy themselves exceedingly. The ice was all that could be desired, even better than on previous masquerades. Mr. F. Sarjeant the proprietor has made an allowance for the very cold night by having an extra supply of hot coffee, cakes and sandwiches on hand, which was highly relished by those present. The brass band rendered some very fine music during the evening, which put considerable life into the skaters.

FIRE.—Last Friday evening a fire which might have proved disasterous broke out in the Mr. Sproule's dwelling house, caused by a lamp falling off the table, the oil took fire and burned the window curtains and part of the carpet before the flames could be subdued. Mr. Sproule was very fortunate in seeing the fire before it had made much headway.

SOCIAL.—The L. A. A. will hold a social in the basement of the Methodist Church, on the 4th inst.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

The thaw took our sleighing for a day, but a fall of snow has made good roads again, and the usual amount of business is going on again. Large quantities of grain coming in. Excitement over the election case is not running very high as one side is keeping mum on the question and working quietly. Trial to come off at Owen Sound about the 10th. Mr. Hicks has timber on the ground for a large grain elevator to be erected in the spring. Mr. J. S. Wilson is running his hay press night and day, he presses 7 bundles every hour 200 lbs in each bundle. Bring on your hay. Great rush of saw logs and wood to town.—FAST ASLEEP.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Council met as per adjournment, at Cederville, on Tuesday 22nd, Feb. 1881, at 10 a. m. The Council all present; Reeve in the chair; minutes of former meeting held at Dundalk, were read and confirmed. Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that the D. R. officers for the last municipal election be paid for their services, also the owners of the several polling houses according to the by-law regulating the same including mileage.—Carried. Moved by McArdle, seconded by Abbott, that the time for returning the collector's roll be extended to the first of April.—Carried. Moved by Buckley, seconded by Black, that the clerk be requested to let the printing by tender.—Carried. Moved by Abbott, seconded by McArdle, that the reeve issue an order in favor of Widow McDonald for the sum of $1.40, the same being over paid to the collector in paying her school tax for 1879.—Carried. Moved by Buckley, seconded by Abbott, that Wm. Clarke, Esq., having paid $2 in excess of full amount of taxes against lot 19, con. 13, for 1879 that the said be refunded to him, and that the Reeve issue an order in favor of the same.—Carried. Moved by McArdle, seconded by Abbott, that this council grant $25, to improve the town line between Proton and Egremont, at concessions 7 and 8 of Proton, providing the township of Egremont supplement this sum, and that Thos. Rogers be appointed with a commissioner from Egremont to expend the same.—Carried. Moved by Black, seconded by McArdle, that the arrears of taxes against lot 27, con. 17, be erased from the collectors roll, as the same was entered through error.—Carried. Moved by McArdle, seconded by Buckley, that Thos. Finnell be appointed auditor in behalf of this Council, in place of Peter Dow, not qualifying.—Lost. Moved in amendment by Black, seconded by Abbott, that Andrew Riddell be appointed auditor in behalf of this council, to audit the amounts for 1880, Peter Dow who was appointed at first meeting declining to act.—Carried. Moved by Buckley, seconded by Abbott, that S. S. No. 11 get a grant of $20, providing it is supplemented by the Government.—Carried. Moved by Abbott, seconded by McArdle that the petition of Mr. Riddell and others in respect to the formation of a new school section be received and lay on the table until next meeting of coucil and that the clerk give the notice required by statute.—Carried. Moved by Abbott, seconded by McArdle, that the sum of $2.76 be paid to J. J. Middleton, being money disbursed by him for share of cost in obtaining opinion from Hon. Ed. Blake, as to the legality of the annual collection under by-law 174.—Carried. Moved by Abbott, seconded by Buckley, that the account of Stovel & Son for minute book and 1000 collector's receipts amounting to $5.50 be paid and that taxes on the roll against Widow Gillies for lot 7, con. 14, $1.15, be erased, being in indigent circumstances.—Carried. Moved by Buckley seconded by Abbott, that bylaw appointing auditors having been read a first and second time be now read a third time, engrossed in the minutes and numbered 225.—Carried. Moved by McArdle, seconded by Black, that J. A. Scarlett be paid the sum of $1 being taxes accrued on $50 of assessment placed against him at court of revision.—Carried. Moved by Black seconded by Buckley, that bylaw for fixing the remuniation of members of the council having been read a 1st and 2nd, be now read a third time, engrossed in the minutes and numbered 222.—Carried. Moved by Abbott, seconded by McArdle, that this council receive their pay to date.—Carried. Moved McArdle, seconded by Abbott, that the council adjourn to meet at Scarlett's hall, Hopeville, on the first Tuesday in April next.—Carried.

JOHN VERT,
Tp. Clerk.

Proton, Feb. 24th, 1881.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met for transaction of business; Reeve in the chair; Minutes of former meeting read and approved. A petition was presented signed by D. Squires and others with respect to opening No. 9 and 10 sideroad, was laid over for further consideration. The auditors' report was presented by Mr. Sutherland. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the auditors' report be adopted. Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Daniel Black be paid the sum of four dollars on account of statute labor performed by him. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the clerk write to the Crown Land office for a map of Williamsford, in the County of Grey. Moved by Mr. Norton seconded by Deputy Reeve, that the clerk ask tenders for the printing of the minutes, auditors' report and voters' list. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the Reeve and Clerk sign an indemnification to the trustees of St. Luke's Church, Williamsford, with respect to the sale of church property in that villiage as to protect them from any expenses that might arise from the selling of such property. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Mrs. McDiarmid get and order for $10 to buy provisions for her family the same being destitute. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the application of a certain number of the ratepayers of school section No. 2 Union, H. & E., be not entertained, that we the council refuse to aid in the matter. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Robt. Stefford get an order for $8.66 on account of error in assessment. Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that the collectors' roll be extended till the 20th March. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that this council adjourn to the 5th of April.

CARSON PRICE.
Clerk.

Holland Centre, Feb. 25th, 1881.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—In the name of the Trustees I have to thank you for your plain practical observations in reference to the school closets, which appeared in last week's STANDARD. At first I was disposed to think your remarks were too severe, but personal observation have since convinced me that the facts are (making due allowance for pardonable exaggeration) as stated by you. For such a state of affairs we have neither excuse nor apology to offer, it is quite inexcuseable; yet in common fairness and justice we cannot admit that the trustees are to blame. During the summer holidays we had the closets thoroughly cleaned and renovated. The school, for reasons known to many of your readers, during autumn and early winter, owing to which the idea never occurred to the Trustees that the closets had become particularly offensive at this early day. Now for the resposibility, you Sir, would not expect that the trustees should be continually keeping "watch and ward" over the school and premises, this we conceive to be the duty of the teachers, and certainly if the had done their duty in the premises and reported the case to the trustees, the evil would have been remedied before it assumed such disagreeable proportions.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, March 2, 1881.

THE (CHURCH) ENVELOPE SYSTEM.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—The above system is being introduced in the villages generally, as it has been in towns and cities. The Presbyterian and Methodist churches in Dundalk, have both introduced them, and I understand that J. B. Graham has charge of the book for the former, and J. Symington for the latter, to whom parties in that place are to apply to for evelopes. They have been used in the Presbyterian church Markdale for some years, and in the Methodist church for over a year. In Flesherton they talk of bringing them into use. A few words as to the working of the system might be of interest to the readers of the STANDARD, espacially those who may think of introducing the system into any of the different branches of the church. For instance the Methodist Church, Markdale. Each member of the church, or congregation, or any person who wishes to give anything towards the ministers salary, is supplied with say a dozen envelopes, that is, one for each week during the quarter. Their name is taken down in a book kept for the purpose, and numbered, their envelope having the same number, they put into the envelope the amount they wish to give each week, seal and place it on the collection plate each Sunday. The amounts are entered in the book and paid to the minister the day following. An account is kept in this way of what is received through the envelopes as well as from other sources and a financial statement is made out at the end of the year, and printed, a copy for every one who gave anything in any way towards the ministers salary, and how much each one contributed. The system is, I think, a very convenient one for those interested, and should be encouraged by all who would like to see their minister paid.

Yours &c.,
PROGRESS.

ORANGE VALLEY SCHOOL.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Permit me a small space in the columns of you valuable paper to give a small account, but still a correct account, of an erruption that took place in the Orange Valley school, section No. 2, Artemesia, caused by Bartholemew Wright, trustee of said school, by sending his children to school after rising up in eight days time from having the diphtheria. When I John Ford, trustee of said school, heard that they were going to be sent to school in such a short time after having the disease, I went out on the morning they were to come to prevent them from going to the school, I met Mr. Hall, the school teacher on the road, and I told him what I heard was going to take place. Then I met with Batty Wright's children, first I questioned the little girl about it, she told me it was about a week from they had the disease. Then I met with the boys, the oldest boy told me it was about two weeks since he had it. I didn't know at the time that the other boy had it, but he told me afterwards in the school house that it was about eight days from he had it. I told them at the time when I first met them on the road that I could not allow them to go to school for some time, so they went home, I told them I wondered that their father ever dared to send them, and told that if Mr. Wright was not satisfied with that, he could go to Mr. Cunningham the other trustee, I suppose he did go but what took place I cannot exactly say. I went out on the following morning, after sending the children home to turn a boy out of the school that was only an intruder there from another section, as the school house was crowded to its utmost capacity, with the children of our own section, to my great astonishment I found Mr. Wright's children back to school. I went down to see the other trustee about it, and also to see about turning the intruder out of the school. We were coming up to the school and met Batty Wright on the road, we told him what we were about, and asked him to keep his children at home for some time, he said he would not and defied us to turn the intruder out, we then went to the school house to see what could be done about things. We were not sure we could turn Mr. Wright's children out according to law, but we turned the intruder out immediately. We decided for to have a doctor called in. The doctor came and he gave it as his opinion that there was not much danger as to the disease spreading. I went to the school the following morning to hear the doctors decision. The teacher told me what the doctor had said. I said then that I was not satisfied with the decision. I thought that there was false representations made to the doctor, and if there had been truthful statements made and a thorough explanation of the case, I had no doubt the decision would have been different. It turned out as I thought it was, Dr. Christoe told me afterwards it was Batty Wright that gave him the information, and told him it was two weeks clear from they had the disease in the house or something to that affect, and mislead the doctor proving by his own statements to the doctor and also to Mr. Cunningham and me, and by what the boys and little girl had told me on the road and in the school house before the teacher and also the scholars, that it was only eight days from they had it till they were sent to school. I had forgot to mention the doctor told me if he had got a correct statement of the case, that his decision would certainly have been different to what is was. When I seen that nothing else would do, I concluded to call a public meeting of the ratepayers to discuss the question, and to see what could be done in the matter, which was held on Saturday, Feb. 19th, 1881, in the school house, at 2 o'clock p. m. Mr. Anderson of Orange Valley was elected secretary, and his majesty the Little King of the West was elected chairman, which he did not fill to the satisfaction of the people, nor very creditably to himself. When the discussion took place on the question every one that spoke denoucred Batty Wright and his actions in the matter, except Batty the Premier and His Majesty King Whitby, which upheld the premier and his proceedings. When the question was dicussed all through, and explanations made as far as we knowed of then, when a vote was going to be taken to see what side the people was on, it was to this affect moved by John Ford, seconded by Christopher Irwin, that all ratepayers and voters in this school section that upholds me in the action I have taken in trying to prevent Batty Wright's children from coming to this school after so recently rising up out of, or from such a contagious disease as diphtheria, and to try to prevent the spread of the same, and all ratepayers in the said school section that denounces Batty Wright and the action has htake he and the course he has pursued in sending his children to school after so recently rising up out of the said disease shall take this side of the school house, and all ratepayers in the said school section that denouces me in the action I have taken and the course I have pursued and all said ratepayers that upholds Batty Wright in the action he has taken and the course he has pursued shall take that side of the school house. This was the form of voting that I wanted, but it was taken by a show of hands, and ever one in the house voted against Batty Wright except himself and his majesty the little King, which did not vote at all. His Majesty tried to twist and twine and construe thibgs in every possible shape to modify his premier's guilt, but he did not get his subjects in this part of his little kingdom to coinside with him and his premier as they are not quite so loyal to him as they are about his own court. I had forgot to mention the prosperous state the school was in before the eruption, we had about 75 or 80 pupils attending school, and then it dwindled down in a few day to about half the number, thereby causing a great loss to the section in many respects, which I consider Batty Wright ought to be compelled to pay all damages. Thanking you Mr. Editor for the space you have give me in your valuable paper.

I remain yours respectfully,
JOHN FORD,
Trustee of S. S. No. 2, Artemesia.

THE meeting held in Campbell's Hall on Thursday last to take into consideration the building of another grain warehouse here, was well attended. Some $1,400 stock was promised, and a provisional committee appointed to come to an understanding with the railway company as to rates and otherwise get the matter into proper working shape. There is scarcely any doubt now that the enterprise will succeed. It will be an excellent thing both for the village and surrounding country, and should receive a libral encouragement from the residents of both.—*O. S. Advertiser.*

IT is now definitely settled that Mr. Rae will build a steam grist mill here during the coming summer. He has selected and purchase a site near the railway station and intends to remove here in a few days. It is expected the mill will contain three run of stone—one for custom work, another principally for chopping, and a third for shipping. If a steam grist mill succeeds anywhere it should here. Should the new grain warehouse, grist mill, and the tannery be built here during the coming summer it will create considerable stir and be an excellent thing both for the village and the section of country around it.—*O. S. Advertiser.*

ODE TO THE NEW YEAR.

BY REV. ....

[The following lines were written by Mr. Robert Reid, father of the first Mrs. Beattie. They were discovered by a member of the family a short time since, among some old manuscripts, and sent to us with the request that we would publish them, which we do with pleasure.]

Again swift footed time hath sped
Its annual fixed career,
And we've .... step begun
A new eventful year.

Fit season sure by heaven designed,
For retrospective view,
To call the period passed to mind,
And life begin a new.

How swift the flight of time has been,
How short the past appears;
A scanty glance surveys the scene,
Of many absent years.

Yet short and fleeting as they are,
Important things depend,
On what report to heaven they bear,
And how their flight shall end.

From God they came, and space afford
To man's .... and use;
To God they fly, with full record,
Of blessing or abuse.

I would my squander'd days redeem,
My tears unspent bemoan,
And all my future life esteem
As held for God alone.

UNCLE ISAAC'S VIEW

Some of the finest expressions of religious faith, and of its infinite value, have come from the warm hearts that beat under the swarthy bosoms of the African race. When the "Lime-Kiln Club" was called on to state its position towards the atheist's doctrine of no God, the president called on "Uncle Isaac Walpole" to give the sense of the meeting ... old man, says the *Free Press*, wrinkled, and burdened with the weight of seventy years, rose in his seat, looked about and quietly began:

"If dar am no God den dar am no furchur. When we close our eyes in death de soul dies wid us an' we moulder to dust de same as de brutes. It has been a long journey to me. In my heart am de graves of wife and chill'en. My days have bin cloudy an' full of woe. My nights have been dark an' full of sorrow. I have bin robbed, cheated, abused an' made to feel my wretchedness, but nebber, not eben in my darkest hour, did I doubt dar was a God, nor did I loose faith in Him. Take away dat faith to-night—Make me believe dat dar am no Heaben—tell me dat I won't meet my poor old Chloe an' de blessed chill'en up dar 'mong de angles, an' you would crush me down an' brake my ole heart. Dat's all I pear to be libin fur—to wait de Master's call to close de ledger of life an' *go home!* I am old an' poor an' lowly, but Leah in my breast am a feelin' dat I wouldn't sell fur all de gold in de world—dat all de arguments of a million ob men could not change—a feeling dat poor as I am an' lowly as I am, de grave will not be de las' of me." During his remarks the hall was as quite as the grave. When he had finished it was a full minute before any one moved. Then Brother Gardner softly said, "As says Uncle Isaac, so say we all."

BIRTHS.

IRWIN—In Markdale, on the 28th ult., the wife of Joseph Irwin, of a son.

McINTYRE—In Markdale, on the 27th ult., the wife of John McIntyre, of a son, still born.

SYMINGTON—In Dundalk, on the 23rd Jan'y, wife of Joseph Symington, Esq, Station Agent, of a daughter.

DOUGLAS—In Dundalk, on the 27th Jan'y, the wife of Mr. D. Douglas, Saddler, of a daughter.

NELSON—In Dundalk, on the 23 Febr'y, the wife of Mr. Wm. Nelson, of a son.

MARSALL—In Dundalk, on the 24th ult., the wife of Mr. W. L. Marshall, of a son.

MIDDLETON—In Dundalk, on the 27th ult, the wife of Mr. George Middleton, Post Master, of a son.

McCAULY—near Dundalk on the 27th ult., the wife of Mr. D. McCauly, of a daughter.

REID—In Dundalk, on the 28th ult., the wife of Mr. James Reid, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

COULTER—GRAHAM—On the 17th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Dennis Miss Lizzie Graham, of Artemesia, to Mr Joseph Coulter, of Etobicoke.

DIED.

WHANCH—At the residence of Mr John Abercrombie, 7th Con. of Euphrasia on Sunday, 27th ult., Charles Levie Whanch, aged 21 years.

DOUGLAS—On Friday, 25 ult., William Walter youngest son of Walter Douglass, Esq, 10 con, Euphraisa.

HAMILTON—In Holand on the 26th ult., John Wesley, youngest son of Henry Hamilton.

DAVIS—In Artemesia, on the 26th ult., Wm. Davis, aged 25 years.

Auction Sale
OF VALUABLE
Farm Property.

UNDER and by virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL,
IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,
In the County of Grey,

On Thursday, the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1881,

AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,

The following valuable lands and premises, viz.:—Lots numbers one hundred and nineteen and one hundred and twenty, in the first concession South-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less, excepting thereout a portion heretofore sold to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company. On the premises there are said to be good frame buildings.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale; forty per cent. in thirty days with interest at seven per cent.; balance can be had for five years with interest at seven per cent per annum.

For further particulars apply to
LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD,
25-4i Solicitors, Toronto.

Sale of Valuable Farm Property

UNDER and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage made by Donald McIntyre, default having been made in payment thereof, will be sold by Public Auction, at the "Markdale House." Markdale.

On Saturday, March 12th, 1881,

At 12 o'clock, noon, the following Property:—The East half of lot number 24, in the 9th con., of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres; soil clay loam; 25 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, balance well timbered; no buildings.

TERMS.—The purchaser shall pay a deposit of $100 at the time of sale, the balance of half of the purchase money in two weeks thereafter; remaining half in cash, or secured by a mortgage payable in from one to five years at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars, apply to
CREBAR & MUIR,
Vendors' Solicitor, Hamilton.
February 21st, 1881. 25-3i

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All!

Now the ....

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY AND LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED .... TER, ... section.

Get your Holiday supply of above Goods.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 3-ly

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE OF BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by Dr. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Teas, and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Monteal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Get Money at 7 per Cent.

To discharge a Mortgage bearing 8, 9 or 10 per cent.; to buy more land, or improve your buildings.

Liberal Privileges of Repayment

OFFERED BY THE BRITISH CANADIAN LOAN AND INVESTMENT COMPANY.

SPECIAL RATES FOR SPECIAL SECURITIES.

AGENCY OF THE LANCASHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, AND British America Assurance Co.

THE UNEQUALLED Wanzer Family Machines.

Organs at Reduced Rates.

AUCTION SALES ATTENDED.

Parties requiring anything in my line, will do well to call and see me. *P. S.—Several improved farms for sale.*

T. HALL, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-3m

ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF THE TREASURER'S RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG,

For the year ending December 31st, 1880.

DR. RECEIPTS.	$		PAYMENTS.	CR. $	
To Taxes,	$10591	02	By bal due Treas. as per last audit	$85	89
" Fines,	17	00	" Roads and Bridges,	929	40
" Land Improvement Fund,	497	59	" Salaries and expenses of Municipal Government,	700	10
" Clergy Reserve,	31	01	" School Section Rates,	5418	88
" License	187	53	" School Equivalent,	445	00
" Non-Resident Lands,	969	74	" County Rates,	3949	28
" Town of Durham,	35	24	" School Debentures,	329	60
" Interest on Bank Deposit,	35	75	" Charity,	116	98
			" Markdale Village Rate,	76	02
			" S. Grey Agricultural Society,	25	00
			" Miscellaneous Expenses,	23	81
			" Bank account,	2200	00
			" Balance in hand,	67	93
	$12367	88		$12367	88

We have examined the above accounts, with vouchers, and find them correct.

(Signed) CHARLES MOFFAT, JOHN LYONS, } Auditors.

Glenelg, Feb. 7th, 1881.

A NEW ELECTION In Euphrasia.

THE Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at

6 Per Cent., Yearly!

ON STRAIGHT LOANS,

This is the *Lowest Rate ever offered in the County of Grey.*

OFFICES:—Lot 26, Con. 4, Euphrasia, and MEAFORD,—Next door to Royal Hotel.

N. B.—A large amount of private money to loan on *Good Notes or Second Mortgages.*

E. E. KNOTT.

March 3, 1881. 25-3m

Final Warning.

ALL Parties indebted to the Undersigned, either by Note or Book Account, are requested to pay up before the 15th inst., as I have given up business here, and will put all in Court that remain unsettled on that date.

N. B.—All .... who have agreed bring .... will please deliver them before the .... as I will not take them after that date .... last notice.

JOHN BENSON.

Markdale, March 1st, 1881.

A GOOD CHANCE

A GOOD BLACKSMITH WANTED, to hire for a year, or rent the shop and tools. For particulars, apply on the premises, or by letter to

Mrs. MARK RICHARDSON,
Markdale P. O.

Markdale, March 2, 1881. 25-4i

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRATS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of ....

HORSE SHOEING .... General Jobbing!

As we .... all .... ed, ...

Shop .... Hotel ....

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

.... inform the Public generally ....

FLESHERTON STEAM FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FAC[TORY]

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE ....

Where by .... of a competent .... prepared to .... superior .... patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

.... Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest St[yles]

and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and .... LUMBER!

for which THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good F........

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, E[TC.] AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Applicat[ion]

Don't forget the Wareroom is removed next door to the Factory, Durham st.

Flesherton, December 23, 1880. H. HOOPE[R]

SELLING OFF!

FALL AND WINTE[R]

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Day[s]

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEA[P]

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEA[P]

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothi[ng] CHEA[P]

Staple and Fancy Dry Good[s]

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRIC[ES]

BOOTS AND SHOE[S]

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the "TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BOW[ES]

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Y[ear]

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our Co[untry] and as others have prospered, we have been enable[d to] participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods

NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Sa[ucers]

and a large variety of

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our TEA DUST, nothing suits so well.

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS

At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,
5,000 Telegraph Poles,
Also, a quantity of Cordwood.

HILL BROTHERS

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 4th, 1881.

LOCAL AND OTHER NOTICES.

For good watch go to Wilcox the ....

.... goods are now being offered at Reynolds & Son's.

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.... who sit down in the .... street shouldn't wear .... when the weather is .... This is merly a suggestion.

.... of all descriptions selling .... in order to make room for .... stock. Reynolds & Son.

.... your dealers for "Castorine" .... oil, and see that the barrel .... "Castorine," as none other ....

.... white rats may be seen in a .... Hotel, Chatsworth. .... heard of six white mice, but .... seen white rats before.

.... the social at the house of .... ledge, Sr., Wednesday evening .... A cordial invitation is extended .... Rev. J. W. and Mrs. Savage ....

.... the jeweller is the only one .... who keeps Lazarus & Morris' .... the best in the world. Call .... a pair.

.... some cheap jewelry peddlars .... Now, good folks, if you want .... buy it from those who live .... their money here, and .... their business reputation .... to sell you *trash.*

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.... may I go out to skate?" .... darling Julia, ... don't you try the figure 8, ... will surely fool you? .... you make the lightening whirl .... your spring muscle, ... will see a foolish girl .... riding on her bustle."

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...T. Milburn & Co, Dear Sirs,—I ...n troubled with Dyspepsia for seven ...more, and was so bad that I had ...get up in the night and dissolve soda ...and take it before I could go to sleep. ...ur Burdock Blood Bitters advertised ...a bottle and took one teaspoonful ...es a day the first day, and it did not ... then I took three tablespoonful ...es a day for four days, and that gave ...relief. I have taken one bottle and ...m cured of Dyspepsia or sour Stomach, ...ometimes called. I was also troubled ...light attact of inflammation of the ...and I think the Burdock Blood Bit...ed me of that. If I could get another ...think it would cure me of that ...in my back, but can't get it here. ...nks for the benefit already recived. ...remain, yours, Jonathan Tuller.

A. W. Eaton has an [illegible] very cheap. See adv.

For No. 1 [illegible] and other machine oils [illegible] Bros.

Great credit [illegible] plement Warerooms, Dundalk, on March 15th. J. W. Morrow [illegible] the [illegible].

You will always find at Reynolds & Son's, the cheapest of teas, our new dust tea is remarkably good and cheap.

Manufacturers of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

One of the most loathsome and terrible diseases of our climate is Chronic Catarrh. When the poisoning matter is constantly falling upon the lungs, Pulmonary Consumption is certain to follow. Expell morbid secretions from the Bronchial pipes by Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the great throat and lung healer. Sold by all dealers at 25 cents per bottle.

LOOK BEFORE YOU STOP. That is examine W. J. McFarland's new arrivals of spring prints, black cashmeres and lustres.

J. W. Morrow is big on auction sales. He "bosses" one on the farm of Mr. George Acheson, Township of Proton, on Monday, March 14th.

The more you know about W. J. McFarland's Teas the more you like them. He sold 574 pounds last week, no wonder he can import direct from the place of growth.

R. J. McCoy, Markdale, Licensed Auctioneer for the county, sales attended in all parts of the county. The only Licensed Auctioneerin Markdale for 1881.

Butter & Rae say there is a great rush at their store; that three women were after a pound of Butter—no, a dozen herring. Read their advertisement, then call on them and see for yourselves.

Messrs. McKenna & Mason having entered into partnership, announce that they are prepared to turn out anything in their line from a wheel barrow to a first-class carriage.

The season for sugar making is fast approaching, and promises to be the best we have had for many years. Those wanting sap buckets cannot do better than call on Hasket Bros, and leave their order. They are remarkably cheap this season.

Our P. M. friends intend holding a tea meeting in the school house known as the 70 school house, about four miles up the gravel, on Friday evening next, a good programme has been arraged; admission 25c.; tea at 7 p. m; a good time is expected.

Sad.—An accident happened on the 18th ult., to Wm. Davis a young man 25 years of age, which resulted in his death eight days after. Drs. Christoe, Carter and McGregor attended him. His friends wish us to say that he received the kindest attention by the people where the accident happend (Robt. Thompson's, Lot 140, 2nd con., west T. & S. road, Artemesia, and also from Dr. Christoe.

Rheumatism is one of the most prevalent and obstinate diseases incident to our climate, but it has been disarmed of its terrors by that invincible remedy, Hagyard's Yellow Oil, an external and internal medicine whose application is so varied and useful in all painful and inflammatory diseases and wounds, as to render it a household necessity to all who suffer from pain.

In another column will be found the advertisement of money to loan, of Mr. E. E. Knott, Euphrasia, at 6 per cent. yearly. This is, we believe, the the lowest rate yet offered, and he has taken the trouble to send us a circular from headquarters to prove that he is authorized to do so. Mr. Knott has built up a very extensive business in the money loaning, and real estate line, and his name is known as a very straight forward business man, and unusually energetic, backed up by a very high financial standing, himself, there is no question about his being in a position to relieve the borrowing public, and we would recommend them to give him a trial.

We understand that the ticket holders of the Dundalk skating rink, were quite dissatisfied with the proprietor because he charged them the the same as others for admittance to the mas querade. We believe the general custom is for ticket holders to pay when they go as spectators only. Now as the proprietor has been to considerable expense in building the rink, thereby furnishing a place for healthful amusement, and has only given one masquerade this long winter, while his neighbors have given three or four each, we think the least the ticket holders and others interested can do, is to encourage the proprietor to give one more before the season closes, and support him well if he consents.

What a multitude of martyrs suffer from Headache! either of the nervous or bilious form. The principal cause of the distress is disordered Stomach and Liver, for which Burdock Blood Bitters is a positive specific. It cures constipation of the Bowles, eliminates disease from the Kidneys, arouses the secretions to a healthy action purifies the blood, regulates the Liver, strengthens the debilitated system. Sample Bottles 10 cts. Regular size $1.00

Fatal Termination of a Runaway.—Once more a sudden death has to be recorded, but this time it was caused by an accident liable to befall even the strongest or most careful. The name of the victim is John Perritt, a young married man, 32 years of age, residing at No. 139 Queen street east, and at the time of his death a student in the Toronto School of Medicine. Twelve months ago he removed to this city from Rocklyn, near Meaford, where he occupied the position of postmaster for the past five years, and until recently he boarded on Shelbourne street but in January last removed to his last residence. Last night he had an appointment at the Walker house, and while crossing Queen street, opposite Osgoode Hall, was knocked down by a runnaway horse, and received the injures from which he died. When picked up he was still breathing but quite unconscious, and was carried into the Osgoode house, where the proprietor, Mr. Smith, did all in his power to bring him round. Drs McDonald and Wagner were soon in attendance, but their service were of no avail, and in a few minutes the unfortunate man breathed his last. He leaves a widow and two small children. Coroner Riddle was duly notified, and although he cannot take the required oath, will hold an inquest at the St. George hotel, corner of Queen and George streets, to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock. An examination of the body showed the top of the skull to be fractured, and leads to the supposition that after he was knocked down the deceased had been kicked by the horse.—*Mail.*

MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, March 4, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.5[illegible]
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.05
Fall do. do.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Barley	[illegible]		[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]		[illegible]
Peas	[illegible]		[illegible]
Potatoes	[illegible]		[illegible]
Butter, per lb.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Eggs, per doz.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Pork, dressed	[illegible]		[illegible]
Beef	[illegible]		[illegible]
Geese, per lb.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Ducks, per pair	[illegible]		[illegible]
Fowls, per pair	[illegible]		[illegible]
Turkeys, per lb.	[illegible]		[illegible]
Sheepskins	[illegible]		[illegible]
Hides	[illegible]		[illegible]
Grass seed	[illegible]		[illegible]
Hay	[illegible]		[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]		[illegible]
Green Apples, per bushel	[illegible]		[illegible]
Lard	[illegible]		[illegible]
Tallow	[illegible]		[illegible]
Dry Cord Wood	[illegible]		[illegible]

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.00; Spring wheat 90c to $1.05; Barley 60c to 80c; Peas 58c to 60c; Oats 29c to 27c; Pork $7.00 to $7.25; Potatoes per bag 30c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 16c; beef 5c to 6c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.00 to $2.25; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 21c to 26c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, March 4th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.00	to	[illegible]
Fall do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.75
Oats	0.30	"	0.32
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.50
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

Seed Grain for Sale.

AT the Well known Seed Farm, hereafter to be known as the *Mount Royal Farm* Lots 117 and 118, 2nd Con., North East of Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, and County of Grey, three miles from Markdale, the following varieties of Seed Grain are for sale, viz:—**White Russian Spring Wheat,** and **Black Tartar Oats;** other varieties sold out. The Black Tartar Oats have yielded, on an average, from 60 to 70 bushels per acre, the past two years, on my farm. All Seed Grain sold by me guaranteed pure, and free from other seeds and weeds, such as Wild Oats, Mustard, Red Root, Thistles, Cuckle, Chess or any other pest. JOHN FORD,
Mount Royal Farm, Markdale P.O.
Feb. 11, 1881. 23-3i

GOLD! GOLD!

$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at
64 AND 7 RER CENT.
per annum, STRAIGHT LOANS.
If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest?
If you need a barn?
If your fences are not sufficient?
If you want to buy more land?
If you want to clear and improve more land?
It Will Pay You
to borrow of the
NORTH OF SCOTLAND
Canadian Mortgage Comp'y
They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments. but **they do** give the most reasonable privileges of any Company lending money.
And their Costs are Low!
Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

I have also a
Few Thousand Dollars of
Private Money!
To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited.
As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow,** and the place is
The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agency.

INSURANCE!
It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a **Reliable** and **Safe** Company, and that they do their business through a **reliable Agent.**
I am prepared to take applications for the Strongest, Safest and Best Companies in Canada, and for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies are the
Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock.)
The Waterloo County and Gore District
(Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING.
Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Corectly** and **Neatly** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing. I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES
Attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT.
To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the **Proprietors** themselves. Correspondence solicited.
In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.
ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent.
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that
I MEAN BUSINESS,
and will
Sell Lower than the Lowest,
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.
[illegible]

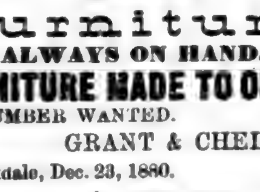
Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of [illegible]
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their [illegible]
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
[illegible]
Special inducements to large Purchasers
☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel.
☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,
FLESHERTON.
To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,
JUST RECEIVER
AT THE
"BELFAST HOUSE."
I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply
OYSTERS
—IN—
Every Style!
By the Plate or Can
CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE
IN TOWN
My Stock of
Provisions and Groceries
Togther with
Wines and Liquors,
ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.
ANY AMOUNT of PORK
FOR SALE.
As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE,

Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞ None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

FOR SALE
IN ARTEMESIA.
FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or
JOHN KAY,
Bentinck, Durham P. O.
Jan. 18th, 1881. 19-tf

Public Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 2nd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.
The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.
JAMES BROWN, FINLAY McRAE, Reeve. Clerk.
[illegible] of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

CHEAP CASH STORE.
Reynolds & Son.
JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF
Dry Goods, Groceries,
BOOTS AND SHOES.
TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.
As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.
BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY
Don't Forget the Place.
REYNOLDS & SON.
Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.
GREAT
Mid-Winter Sale!
NOW GOING ON AT
W. J. McFARLAND'S
Every Piece of Winter Goods
MARKED AWAY DOWN.
BIG DRIVES.

10 yards black Cashmere for $4.50
10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2.50
Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents
Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.
50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.
300 yards All Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents
Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1.75, worth $3
Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6
10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50
10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3
10 yards black Velveteen for $4
20 yarks Linen Towelling for $1
12 yards heavy Wincey for $1
Colored Velveteens for half price.
50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS,
WOOLEN HOODS.
SHAWLS and MANTLES
A Special Discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1, will be given.
60 Men's Felt Hats at 65 cents each,
15 yards Brocaded Dress Goods for $2.00
1 Pair GENT'S KID MITTS, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie,
ALL FOR ONE DOLLAR!
Ladies' Kid Mitts (lined) 60 cents.
And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.
EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS
At and Below Wholesale Prices,
Should call soon at
W. J. McFARLAND,
Wholesale and Retail.
Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.
Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.
SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND
BUTTER & RAE
In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their
WINTER GOODS AT COST!
NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS
In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.
☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINEE. ☜
New Goods Arriving Daily.
In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.
Ordered Clothing a Specialty.
☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.
N. B.—We trust teat all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the **15th inst.,** the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.
BUTTER & RAE.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, [illegible] 1-ly

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!
THE Subscriber having purchased the business lately carried on by Mr. S. Damude, begs to inform the public that he has
REMOVED TO THE BUILDING
OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE,
where he is prepared to furnish
ALL KINDS of HARNESS
usually found in a
First-Class Establishment,
And at prices to suit the times, and by using
THE BEST OF MATERIAL,
AND GOOD WORKMANSHIP,
hopes to receive a fair share of your patronage. A good supply of
WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,
constantly on hand.
COLLARS A SPECIALTY.
Call and satisfy yourselves. ☞ Remember the stand, the Drug Store is next door.
J. GORDON.
Flesherton, Dec., 1880. 15

THE PLACE TO BUY
WATCHES!
Over $400 worth sold [illegible]
LADIES' BEAUTIFUL
Gold Hunting Watches
From $20 to $ WARRANTED.
Silver Watches
VERY LOW.
A Time Piece To Suit All.
W. E. DOLL'S
FLESHERTON and DUNDALK.

Weaving. Weaving.
Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it
DONE WITHOUT DELAY,
AT THE
Flesherton Woolen Factory.
Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to
EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS
Will be carried on throughout the witer.
N. CAMPBELL.
Flesherton, December 15, 1880. 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.
The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his
Saw Mill at Little Falls
On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish
LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.
CUSTOM SAWING
PROMPTLY DONE,
By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.
ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.
Wm. HOGG.
P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.
Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-ly

R. J. SPROULE,
FLESHERTON,
Would take this opportunity of tendering his sincere thank for the very liberal patronage which he has received in the past; for, whilst it is the general cry on all sides of dull times, it has been *taxing our utmost ability* to keep pace with our *rapid increase in business,* as I find, by reference to my Books, my cash sales and grain receipts, and business generally have
ALMOST DOUBLED THE PAST YEAR THAT OF THE PRECEDING ONE.
In view of which I have now on hand for the Holiday Season
THE LARGEST and MOST COMPLETE STOCK OF
GENERAL GROCERIES,
DRY GOODS, CLOTHING,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Crockery and Classware,
AND
Fancy Holiday Presents!
ALSO
CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S CARDS
Also, the Largest and most Complete Stock of
Millinery, Furs
AND
LADIES' COATS AND MANTLES,
Ever shown in this Norther Country.
ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT THE
LOWEST REMUNERATIVE CASH PRICES.
Having made extensive alterations and improvements the past season in my Grain Warehouse, at Flesherton and Flesherton Station, I am prepared to pay the
HIGHEST PRICE IN CASH!
For any Quantity of good Grain or
FARM PRODUCE.
And as I keep buyers constantly on both Markets, Flesherton and the Station, all will find a READY SALE for Grain when offered
I will now commence a
GREAT CLEARING SALE
Of my large and complete stock of
Fall and Winter Dry Goods,
MENS' AND BOYS' CLOTHING,
Hats, Caps, Furs, Ladies' Coats and
MILLINERY,
And will continue to sell at a
Very Small Advance on Cost!
Until all is cleared out.
A call is respectfully solicited to get quotations before purchasing elsewhere,
☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE FOR BARGAINS IS AT
R. J. SPROULE'S,
FLESHERTON.
Flesherton, December 16, 1880. 14-ly

WOMEN GOSSIP.

Meet me in the moonlight—
Meet me in the dell;
If the stars behold us,
Will they ever tell?
Meet me when the moon be bright, love,
Never heed the skies!
Need we gaze at heaven—
Are they not your eyes?

Let the gentle breezes
Whisper as they fly;
Still they cannot echo
All that we may sigh.
Who shall ever listen
Who shall ever tell
We were in the moonlight,
Kissing in the dell!

Fashion Notes.

Vandyke red is to take the place of cardinal.

Iron rust is the latest shade of brick-dust red.

Yellow will again be fashionable in the spring.

Violets are the flowers of the passing moment.

Ecru and drab kerseymeres will be much worn.

Ginghams plain and plaided will be used again.

Black lace and white lace are universally becoming.

The popular border for dark percales is the dainty chain.

There will be a run on Roman striped goods this spring.

Bonnets are large and wide projecting over the forehead.

Stewart's counters are already bright and gay with spring goods.

Muslin bobs showing the throat are to take the place of linen collars.

Shirrings will be used to excess on cotton and linen dress goods this spring.

No young girl should dress in velvets, laces, and jewels fit for a dowager.

New cotton dress goods show a repetition of the colors of the passing season.

Pale, invalid women should not wear diamonds nor flashing jewelry ornaments.

Linen Scotch plaid ginghams will be the popular novelty of the coming season.

Heavy surfaced camel's hair goods, kerseymeres and serges will be much worn this spring.

No radical changes are observable in the new plates sent out with spring goods from Paris.

Do not emphasize the large stomach of a little three-year-old child with a broad sash tied around it.

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Two fine rings on the fingers of one hand look better than both hands loaded with flashing diamonds.

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The American printed lawns in delicate colors and designs rival the French goods to perfection, and they are sold at 12 cents a yard.

Turquoises, moonstones, velvet surface finished amethysts, and pale pink corals are the ornaments for delicate, pale and slender women.

The new cotton sateens, momie cloths, and percales have both light and dark grounds, on which are borders and figures in Oriental and Surahed designs.

Wails.

Women of letters—Real-estate agents' wives.

"You will love only one, George, darling?" "Sometimes," he said.

[illegible]

When you hear a young lady very carefully say "I haven't saw," you may reasonably presume that she is a recent graduate from one of the most thorough of our numerous female seminaries.

[illegible]

Men, Women, and Suicide.

[illegible]

Men and Women.

The genders or sexes we know are three,—masculine, feminine, and neuter,—or, as Sydney Smith said, "Men, women, and clergymen." The men Charles Kingsley aptly divides into—(1) Honest men, who mean to do right, and do it; (2) knaves, who mean to do wrong, and do it; (3) fools, who mean to do whichever of the two is pleasanter. [illegible]

sible of. The mooney girl has a brightness of her own indeed, but it is visible to the always turns his full, glowing face to us, the moon is only in its full radiance thirteen times in the year. Lovers and poets may dream of the moon, but the work of the world must be done by the sunshine. "Which is not exhaustive," says Mr. Commp, Professor of Mathematics at Omm—in College; "men and women are merely plus or minus quantities, or married or single. Two minus quantities put to one plus quantity,—an axiom in mathematics, my dear sir;" which [illegible]

The Ladies Wanted Some Breakfast.

A few years ago a steamer drew into the port of Sydney with a lot of passengers, among whom were a large party of American ladies. [illegible]

Can't Do Without it.

The following correspondence over the telephone wire yesterday is a further proof of the fact that no one but a bald-headed man could do without one:

"Hello, central!"
"Hello!"
"Connect me with the signal bureau."
"All right—go ahead."
"Hello! signal!"
"Hello!"
"Is it going to thaw to-day?"
"Yes, there are indications."
"Will it be warm?"
"Getting around to the south."
"Do you think I can safely have my hair cut?"
"Wait a minute until I consult the barometer, thermometer and wind-gauge."
(Silence for half a minute.)
"Hello!"
"Hello!"
"Yes, you can go ahead. There won't be a cold day to speak of for the next twelve hours. There is a cold wave moving up the Ohio Valley, and a snowstorm is reported at Cheyenne, but if I were you I'd take my chances on the hair cutting and get my neck shaved to boot."
"All right—much obliged."
"Good-bye."

The Russians in Central Asia.

(From the Pall Mall Gazette.)

The news of the capture of Geok-Tepe will be received with much satisfaction throughout Russia. The operation with which the Tekkes defended their stronghold is almost unparalleled in the annals of Central Asiatic warfare, and it is indeed fortunate for us that the Afghans were made of different stuff from the Turkomans of the Oasis. [illegible] the Turkoman territory [illegible] a civilized [illegible] Central Asia.

A Mountain of Silver.—The captain of a whaling vessel just returned from the Arctic Ocean says that, while his vessel was [illegible] the mountain [illegible] 300 or 500 feet [illegible] found what [illegible] San Francisco and [illegible] as soon as the [illegible]—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

Referring to trade marks, the *Carpet Trade Review* says that Gutenberg won a suit about one, and that the English Parliament authorized them as early as the thirteenth century.

Michael O'Shaughnessy's Funeral.

There is not much mock-solemnity about the poor Irishman's funeral. The hearse, mourning-coaches, and other usual paraphernalia give place to a train of open carts, on the foremost of which is laid the coffin; the length of the whole procession varying with the popularity of the deceased. But there is no want of feeling in the simplicity; and such a procession usually possesses a natural solemnity of its own, as it slowly passes, for miles perhaps, by mountain and moor until it reaches its destination, in some lonely but too often neglected burial-ground.

But if the generality of funerals among the poor Irish are not remarkable for an appearance of mock-misery, that of Michael O'Shaughnessey the cattle dealer had none of any kind. It went to the other extreme; it was a very chapter of accidents—a very joke at death, though not altogether an unsuitable way for so merry a fellow to go to his grave. Mike was dead, waked, and lay in a coffin on a cart at his cabin door, whence his funeral was about to start. The widow O'Shaughnessy was very sad; for Mike, for five-and-twenty years, had been a good husband to her; but most of her groaning and wailing had been exhausted at the wake; and it was with a respectable subdued grief, a sense of proud proprietorship and conscious dignity, that she took her seat in the cart on the top of Mike's coffin. Every face she saw round her, she knew; every eye looked sympathy; and the widow's frame of mind was more complacent than it had been since Mike's death. It was a fine winter morning; and the procession, which was nearly a quarter of a mile long, started early, as there were five miles to be passed at a walking pace between the village and the burial-ground. The cart bearing the body of Mike was drawn by his own horse Shoneen, and driven by Daveen, the youngest, but only son then left at home; and Daveen could not suppress a smile of triumph at the dignity of his post.

The procession started, and passed safely and steadily out of the village; and steadily and solemnly it continued for something like a mile; but it was the calm that comes before a storm. A gentleman of the neighbourhood, one of the race of improvers, had established on his farm a steam-plough, a contrivance hitherto unknown in that part of the world; and it so happened with him that he was making a first trial of it on this particular morning. It was therefore hardly to be wondered at that, when our mourners came to the field in which the engine was at work, Shoneen should show his disapproval of such a foreign institution by shying at it. Daveen did his best to "soother" his astonished and indignant steed; but his efforts were in vain; Shoneen took fright, broke into an uneasy trot, and from that into a runaway gallop. Daveen stood up on the coffin, to get more command over him, and pulled with all his might; but it was of no use. The widow screamed, but kept to her post, clinging on to the sides of the cart. Shoneen was tearing along like the wind. The whole train of carts behind followed—a quarter of a mile of them—at the top of their speed, in chase of the runaway. The hunt continued, growing keener and more exciting every minute. Those behind were striving who should come up first. The whip was laid on unsparingly. They shouted, gesticulated, and encouraged each other and the horses. Ragged urchins, beggars brandishing sticks, boys on donkeys, every one they came up with joined in the pursuit, and all enjoyed it.

'The hounds are out to-day,' cried one; 'but 'twill be a good fox that'll give them such a run as Mike O'Shaughnessy's giving us this day.'

'Faith, 'tis more like a dhrag-hunt,' cried another.

'Hurry on, boys,' from a third; 'let's be in at the death.'

'Arrah,' from another, ''tis Micky himself would have liked to have been out of his coffin this day—'twould just plase him.'

And so on, as field and common and hill were left behind in turn; Daveen doing his best, as he could not pull in, to guide his horse, as he dashed over the rough roads, over steep bridges, and through the brooks that ran across their path, a hundred times narrowly escaping an upset. The widow in terror would fling her arms about wildly, which those behind took for signals of encouragement, and redoubled their efforts to come up with them. The joking continued all the while. 'I often heard tell of a runaway weddin',' said one; 'but bedad, who ever heard tell of a runaway funeral before?'

It did not last much longer, though, for the cavalcade came up with a drove of pigs, which it could not pass, and then Shoneen suddenly halted, nearly jerking the widow and her deceased lord into their midst. With the recovery of her breath, the widow turned to Daveen. 'Ah, Daveen'—very reproachfully—'was that any way at all to be dhriving your poor misfortunate dada to the grave? Shame, Daveen! If it had been an exciseman now, or a Prothesant itself—but your own dada!'

'Not a step farther,' replied Daveen, much crestfallen, 'will I dhrive Shoneen this day. The divil himself is in him—so he is.'

They were waiting in the road for the stragglers, some having been left behind in the chase; and even the presence of the widow could not now check the fun among the people.

'Well done, Daveen!' said one; 'you dhruv your dada in great style. 'Tis this very way he'd choose to go to glory himself; he always had a great mind for a hunt.'

''Tis the way,' said another. 'Shoneen knew 'twas the last time he'd be carrying the ould masther; he was jist showing how willing he was to the work.'

'He knew we were late,' said a third; 'and he wouldn't be kaping his Riverance's dinner waiting.'

'O Micky, Micky!' cried the widow, apostrophising her deceased lord, 'you were an onaisy crature in your life, and you can't go to the grave—God bless you!—like a dacent Christian. Here, James Barry, come and dhrive Mike to the grave; I won't thrust Daveen again with the reins.'

Again they fell into order, and got under-way, traveling slowly, to make up for the dignity lost by their late speed. But the fates were against the widow; and Mike was not to be buried without another mishap. They were about a mile and a half now from their destination, passing along a lane with high banks on each side, as quiet as they had previously been boisterous; but the merriment, though subdued, was ready to break out again on the least provocation. The widow had resumed her seat on the coffin, and James Barry, a middle-aged man, had taken Daveen's post. As they slowly and peacefully passed down the long lane, a shrewder woman than Mrs. O'Shaughnessy would not have pictured any near misadventure; but it so happened that the foxhounds were out that day, and that a certain Major, a dark and fierce-looking man, was riding a black horse, and riding hard, at a little distance from the rest of the 'field.' The land on one side of the lane along which the funeral was passing was above the level of the lane, there being a high bank on the side next the lane, and only a moderate fence towards the field. Over this land came the Major, riding hard; and coming to its end, saw what he thought an easy fence, little dreaming that, between, was a lower level—a road—a funeral. Over he went—over, and alighted on the top of the first cart, sending the widow and the coffin flying into the ditch. Oh, the confusion of that moment! The widow in the ditch had flung her arms around the coffin, and shrieked in terror. 'Marciful saints!' she cried, ''tis the divil himself come for Micky!' and the sudden appearance of the stranger on the black horse certainly looked suspicious. 'But I won't lave you, Mike O'Shaughnessy; I'll sthand by you to the last!'

The widow was not the only frightened one—an awful whisper went from end to end of the procession that his Satanic majesty had appeared on a black horse, and was to take part in the ceremony! But in another minute, seeing the unfortunate Major trying to pick up himself and his horse, their momentary fright was gone, and gave place to shouts of laughter. The widow all the while hugging the coffin in the ditch, kept glancing in terror at the mayor, who, covered with mud from head to foot, began to look human.

''Tisn't the divil at all, Biddy,' cried one; ''tis only an army Capt'n.'

'Faith, and that's a most the same,' exclaimed another.

Biddy started up; her fear and grief were lost in indignation. 'Arrah, bad scran to you!' she cried, shaking her fist at the Major, 'you thafe o' the world—you ould black-garred! Oughtn't you be ashamed of yourself, to be desthroying a poor widdy woman going paceably with her husband to be buried! What harrum did Mike ever do you, that you should dhrive his corp and his widdy into a dyke? May yourself fare worse, when 'tis your own turn to be buried! Oh, wirra, wirra! you've desthroyed us both!'

'My good woman,' said the Major, choking with laughter, 'I hadn't the least idea that'—

'You hadn't the laste idea! I know well you did it for the purpose. 'Tis a party thing for a fine gintleman like you to be coming over from England to play off your jokes on the widdy and the fatherless, lepping unknownst on top o' them, and skatterin' a dacent funerial into a ditch.'

'Be aisy, Biddy,' said a bystander. 'Twasn't done for the purpose at all. I know his Honour well, and often see him go to the barracks. He's a good gintleman, and I'll go bail he's as vexed as yourself about it.'

'Maybe,' said another, with a grin, 'his Honour will sthand the price of a new coffin.'

'What would be the good of a new coffin?' said the Major. 'You couldn't take him out of the old one and put him into it.'

'I didn't say to sthand a new coffin, your Honour, but the price of one.'

The Major took the hint, and gave the widow a sovereign, which restored peace.

'Long life to you, sorr! and may it be many a day before your Honour's coffin has to thravel, and may it never lie graceful in the bottom of a ditch!' said one.

'And may the fox lade in the opposite direction from your road to the cimith'ry,' cried another.

And so on until the coffin was replaced in the cart, the mud scraped off, and the widow reseated on it; and with many a blessing on the Major, the procession set off again. There was no further accident. Mike was buried at last; and a merrier day, his friends said, they had never spent. Requiescat!

In a Captive Balloon.

This is almost my first introduction to captive work, and the sensation is most decidedly not too pleasant or reassuring. The great balloon above tugs and struggles, as if perfectly conscious of a humiliating state of captivity, and longing to be free. This is especially the case whenever a gust of wind puts a considerable extra strain on the guy rope. The latter, as I have said, is fastened to the hoop above one's head. But it rides against the light wicker work of the car, which creaks and groans in response in a doleful and somewhat distressing manner. Were it not for a powerful spring of india rubber, which checks the oscilliations of the guy rope, and tends to steady the balloon, the effect on one's nerves might be much than it is. But, fortunately, there is not too much time for noticing these matters, for there is a constant necessity for letting go ballast, to meet the continually increasing weight of suspended guy rope below, or the balloon would soon cease to rise. At last the ballast is all expended, and the guy rope is paid out no further. The wind has caused the balloon to drift off to a considerable distance horizontally from the point of departure below, and she now settles into a condition of approximate equilibrium. The height above the ground is shown by the barometer to be about 1,000 feet. The long guy rope hangs in a graceful curve below. The portion next the balloon, for hundreds of feet, is nearly vertical, and that near the ground almost horizontal. But of this I see little. One or two timid glances are quite sufficient, for one's head, naturally a very indifferent one where it is a question of looking down from giddy heights, is not yet acclimitized to the situation by practice in ballooning. So I cannot look at the ground under, or nearly under, the balloon without a shudder and a decidedly creepy sensation. Above all, one must avoid looking down the guy rope, for this, in its long centenary, extending far below, reach after reach, and ending almost in a vanishing point, gives a measure to the eye of the giddy height. And to look along it makes one's brain reel—far worse, as I afterward find, than looking down from thrice the height in a free trip where there is no guy rope. For military purposes, for reconnoitering that is, there can be no question of the value of such a suspended point of observation as this. Every detail in the innumerable buildings below—the workman going to and fro in their work, the ships passing and repassing on the Thames, the Beckton gas-works on the further shore and lower down the river, the artillery exercise ground on Woolwich Commons, the Herbert Hospital and other buildings further away—everything is seen, and in the clearest possible manner. For there is a very sensible advantage in the clearness of view from a balloon as contrasted with that obtained on the ground level, even where the latter is perfectly free and unobstructed by obstacles. It is well known to astronomers, and to all who have to make careful observations of distant objects, that the vision in a horizontal direction is greatly interfered with by the unseen exhalations from the ground, and the varying density of the lowest strata of air at and near the ground. Whereas, at a high angle, as here from the balloon, the rays of light have only to traverse a very limited amount of light of these disturbed strata, and are consequently much more unimpeded and reliable. But the day is wearing on, and I want to get away as early as possible for a free run, so I signal with a flag to lower. The drum is set in motion, and the Sappers below apply themselves steadily to wind the talisman down. This is rather a long business, and the oscillations of the rope which it causes give rise to sensations which remind me very unpleasantly of the rolling of a vessel at sea in a ground swell. It is not without much thankfulness that at last *terra firma* is reached. The Talisman has lost some considerable amount of gas in the captive ascent, owing to the expansion due to the diminished barometric pressure at 1,000 feet from the ground.

How They Learn to Cook.

(New York Hotel Mail.)

The Australian lady of station who does not know how to cook, one may almost say does not exist. Every detail of the cuisine she is acquainted with. A story is told by Austrian ladies of another who, having neglected her education, allowed, at a great dinner party she gave, two dishes of the same color to be served in succession, a fault for which she was hardly to be forgiven. The Princesses of the Royal households attend a course of lectures from a chief entirely upon the order of serving. Young ladies do not learn the art of cooking at cooking clubs, or from public lessons as here in America, and they rarely learn in their own kitchens. It is the custom to go to some great house, the house of a Princess, or at a very rich banker's, where there are famous chefs, from whom they learn. When a chef engages to cook for a great house he stipulates that he is to have the privilege of teaching as many young ladies as he chooses. These young ladies need not even know the mistress of the house, and they make their arrangements with the cook only. For a course of lessons lasting through the winter each pupil pays the cook 30 gulden, about $15. This includes instruction in every particular. If a banquet is to be given, a grand breakfast, or an elaborate supper, the young ladies are notified, and are there to see the dishes decorated and to learn the order of serving. They watch every process. Were you to descend to a kitchen at such a time you would no doubt find these girls suffused with blushes; for these lessons always foretell marriage, and are the last and finishing touches of a maiden's education. But it would be a breach of etiquette for any member of the household to trespass in that department, which belongs to the cook and his noble young pupils. This is very much as if the cooks of the Astors and Vanderbilts were permitted to receive a half dozen young ladies from Fifth Avenue on the occasion of a very grand dinner party and explain to them the mysteries of each dish as it left their hands. Since young ladies must be in the dining-room themselves on such occasions in their own households, it follows that these processes they cannot watch at home, never mind on how grand a scale things are. And so in Austria all noble young ladies learn these things in another kitchen than their own.

The Poet and the Engraver.

I am reminded of what I heard yesterday anent a literary veteran and a famous old artistic engraver. The literary man is Dr. Holland and the famous artistic engraver the English Linton, long resident in New York. He was engaged for the illustration of Dr. Holland's "Katrina"; one day he was summoned by the publishers and shown the blocks, which outmeasured the page, and asked to refit them. "Oh, no!" he couldn't do that. But he must; there was no alternative.

"Oh, yes, there was!"

"What was that?"

"Cut off a few of Dr. Holland's verses,—they would never be missed!"

There was a slight unpleasantness for years between the Doctor and Mr. Linton, for this and similar slips of Mr. Linton's tongue, but they made it up not a great while ago, and the old artist engraver now holds a discreet and respectful silence where he once held forth to the amusement of his auditors.

The uncertainty of meal taking brings with it a craving for stimulants.

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

"The Danites" had its thousandth performance a few nights ago in Philadelphia, and is worn out. The Rankins, to whom it has brought a fortune, intend to try another mining camp play next fall.

Classic Tickets.

Common in classical antiquity were the tickets of admission to circuses and amphitheatres. These are frequently little "squeezes" of baked clay, the material having been pressed into moulds bearing the effigies appropriate to certain stages, as tiers of seats in the theatre, or such as were proper to the city to which each belonged. For example, an elephant stood for one place or tier, an eagle for another. On the back of many of these tickets are to be seen the imprints of the thumbs of the makers, veritable signs-manual of classical antiquity—marks of thumbs that perished 2,000 years ago.

What Caused Sothern's Success.

The late Edward A. Sothern once said that he owed his success on the stage chiefly to earnestness "doing as well as I know how," he added, "never acting on the impulse of the moment, and thoroughly understanding what I had to do. I owe much of my success to the elder Wallack and to Rachel. Wallack showed me the necessity of conveying at a rehearsal what you intend to do at night, and the importance of paying strict attention to the minutest detail. He was one of the most thorough stage managers I ever met. We were like a set of school-boys under discipline. We had to give a reason for everything, and therefore to study hard."

Pinafore's Successor.

Pinafore is to have a successor. A new nautical comic opera is soon to invade this country. Its title is "Billee Taylor." He P. Stevens, the writer of the libretto, is a clever man, though this is his first success. The music is by Edward Solomons, and is light and catching. The story of the opera is foundered on the old song of "Billy Taylor," a well known mariner's ditty, and the authors, in order to preserve the copyright of their work, spelled the name differently. It now reads "Billee." The time of the action is 1805, when the press gang was in full sway. The first act opens with a view of Southampton Harbor at the old inn of the Royal George, where the villagers have met to rejoice over the approaching wedding of Billee and Phebe, a charity girl. Two years elapse before the second act begins. The scene represents Portsmouth Harbor. Ships are coming and going, while the sailors and their sweethearts sit around the docks watching some seamen dancing the hornpipe. In Pinafore there are "the sisters, and the cousins, and the aunts;" in the Pirates of Penzance there are the twenty-four charming daughters of the Major-General; and in "Billee Taylor" there will be an array of charity girls and another set of peasant girls. It requires sixty persons to produce the opera.

Stage Ghosts.

We fear the ghost of the stage has by no means the awe-inspiring effect upon the youthful play-goer of the present day that it once had. We remember many a gear ago how even amidst the primitive surroundings of Richardson's show the appearance of the ghost deeply moved our juvenile hearts. There was a sort of creeping, shivering sensation combined with the expected mystery that we should not altogether object to feel again; for instance, when the ghost revisits the glimpses of the moon in "Hamlet," or comes to young De Franchi in his Corsican home with that strange warning of what is taking place in Paris. The pleasant writers of those agreeable essays recently published under the title of "Free Lance" have some amusing speculations upon the ghost theory, and possibly they are right in supposing that some respect for ghosts yet lingers in the minds of a few, especially in a lonely, remote, shadowy, old houses with avenues of trees leading up to the front door where in the autumn shadows it would not seem unreasonable to conjure up ghostly voices from the rustling of the crisp withering leaves, or to fancy a spectral shade floating in the evening dust from the dim distant meadows. In many old houses too there are legends and strange traditions of strange noises and unexplained tones, which amongst the imaginative easily suggest supernatural visitations. There are various degrees of ghosts. Some are altogether of so shadowy a kind that, beyond a passing feeling of strangeness when they are referred to, they leave but a faint impression upon the mind; but the stage ghost is generally of a substantial kind. In "Hamlet" he has a good strong voice, not at all affected by the chilly atmosphere of the sepulchre, or rendered husky by the warmer place, where, for a time he is supposed to have been immured. He walks about the stage with a firmness of tread altogether different from the kind of ghosts we read of in romances. If any reader would experience the old fashioned mysterious feeling about ghosts he should read the stories of Charles Brockden Brown, the American novelist. They were once popular in England, but appear to be now utterly forgotten. Yet Mr. Wilkie Collins himself hardly tinyes our nerves to the extent that Charles B. Brown does in some of his descriptions. We remember a scene in one of his novels where he describes with astonishing force the effect of hearing somebody or something pacing the floor of a room overhead, where the listener feels it impossible for any human creature to be concealed. Our modern novelists would find it difficult to reach the power displayed in this scene. But the writer has the advantage of being able to work upon the feelings and to appeal to the imagination of the reader. There is not the same difficulty there is upon the stage to awaken an interest in the ghost. The supernatural visitation in the novel is only described, and therefore, the reader can give it any shape or horror he pleases. But there is always the danger on the stage that familiarity will breed contempt. According to the modern plan we are too much at home with the ghosts. We lose sight altogether of their shadowy attributes. We remember reading a letter by Dickens describing the first representation of Gounod's "Faust." So carefully had all the stage been contrived that Dickens says it give him quite a weird sensation. The lurid glare we are accustomed to see whenever the Fiend appears, was cleverly contrasted with the tender, soft, ethereal bluish color surrounding Marguerite, and giving the heroine an appearance of delicacy that threw into stronger relief the figure of the Tempter. We wish the stage had preserved to a greater extent some traditions of the past. For instance, we have read that in Marlowe's Faustus, the audience was deeply impressed by the appearance of the demon. When the modern version of Faust is played little attempt is made to give him a supernatural character. The Prince of Darkness is, in fact, a "modern gentleman." But since there are plays, operas, and tragedies, in which ghostly personages have to appear, it might be well for our stage managers to consider whether they could not make them a little less real. Play-goers are willing to lend themselves to the illusion of the stage, but the stage should lend itself to the imagination as well. Surely it need not be so difficult to get some new ghost business so as to make "Hamlet," "Macbeth," "Richard," and other grand plays in which spectral figures appear more effective than under the ordinary conditions.

CULINERY GEMS.

The stew is the great dish of the future.

Stews should not be cooked too long, as then they evaporate valuable particles.

It is impossible to get warm in cold weather with undigested food in your stomach.

Fish should never be boiled but steamed, so that no fine properties are dissolved in the water.

Exclusive diet on peas, beans and lentils, do not develop the brightest and quickest tone of mind.

Food is only coarse when coarsely cooked, as the plainest materials contain nutritious and dainty elements.

It's a great mistake to eat half raw steaks on a cold winter's day. Half raw meat yields much less nutrition than well cooked meat.

Vegetables are the life and soul of healthy living, and should not be neglected at any meal.

If meals are kept irregularly in youth something creeps up in adult age which shows diminished vitality.

The want of a warm meal in the middle of the day is to people who have had perhaps but a slight breakfast and have been in the cold winter air, the cause of disease and want of vitality.

British Bobbies.

AN INTERESTING HISTORY OF THE GREAT POLICE FORCE OF THE ENGLISH CAPITAL.

(New York Times.)

Perhaps nothing more clearly shows the devotion with which the English people adhere to the old forms of government than the story of the police systems of London. Systems is the word used, for there are two separate and distinct police forces for the metropolis of London. The city of London, as is well known, constitutes but a small part of the metropolis, and in the heart of a great community, swarming with people and crowded with buildings, its few squares and small population after business hours, still maintain a local government of lord mayor, aldermen, magistrates, and police as well. To speak more accurately, the city of London, with an area of 688 acres, and a population of 74,897, (males 36,459, females 38,438,) is situated in the centre of a metropolis containing an area of 78,868 acres, or 123 square miles, with a population of 4,534,040. These figures are from the metropolitan police district census Dec. 31, 1878. Nor need we look for a comparison beyond the city of New York, which has drawn into its folds towns which lie in the county of Westchester. The subject can easily be made plain to the reader. Suppose, as an illustration, that, notwithstanding the growth of New York in bricks and mortar, it should still, as a corporation, remain bounded by the East and North Rivers, the Battery, and Canal street, its limits half a century ago. That little nucleus of the great city would hold to the whole about the same relation in extent that the city of London does to the modern Babylon. There have been frequent efforts to change this anomalous condition of affairs, but the "city" of London, governed by its ancient charters and special acts of parliament, thus far has been able to resist successfully the various measures aimed at uniting the corporation with the metropolis which surrounds it and joins it. In 1830, Sir Robert Peel (it is from this gentleman's connection with the constituting statute of the London police force that the officers were nicknamed "bobbies" and "peelers") obtained the passage of an act which created the present police force of London. It does not include the city of London. An attempt was made by Lord Melbourne, in 1839, to unite the city with the metropolitan system, but so powerful an opposition came from the corporation of the city of London that the measure was abandoned, and rather than accept the share which would fall to the city for the payment of its police, if in the metropolitan system, the corporation spurned the sum (about £40,000, or $200,000), and resolutely taxed the rate-payers to pay their own police. Under the metropolitan act the British treasury, out of the consolidated fund, defrays one-fourth of the cost of the metropolitan police, the other three-fourths being raised by taxation. In old London every citizen was liable to be called upon to do police duty in the district where he resided. He might employ a person to do the work, although he became responsible for the deputy's misdeeds. In the time of Queen Elizabeth beggars and vagrants had so increased that beadles were appointed to assist in clearing the streets. They in turn were succeeded by city marshals, who remained in power down to 1839, when the new police acts went into operation in the city of London and metropolis.

THE CITY OF LONDON POLICE.

The following is the present organization of the city of London police: Col. C. B. Frazer is the chief commissioner, with a salary of £1,800 ($9,000) per annum, the Mayor Bowman, chief superintendent, who receives for his services £820 $5,000 per an. The police force of the city of London is under the commissioner's command, and it consists of inspectors who receive about $18 per week on an average; 12 detectives at 51s. 3d. each ($12.81). 64 sergeants, whose pay, according to grade of service, ranges from 38s. 11d. each ($9.97) down to 36s. 10d. ($900), and 391 policemen (constables), who receive weekly 32s. 3d. each ($8.06); 320 constables at 28s. 8d. ($7.16); 110 constables at 24s. 7d. ($6.39), making with the services of an assistant superintendent at 137s. 7d. per week ($34 75), a police surgeon at £600 per annum, ($3,000), and three clerks at £250 per annum ($900), a total force of 826 men, who cost the city of London, as is contained in the estimate for 1880, £100,100, or $500 000 to maintain. There are 61 men on private service at the postoffice, the Bank of England and other banks, telegraph offices, and stores. The yearly pay is £95 a man ($475), and the department receives £5 873 yearly for their services or ($29,365). The system of payment of pensions to policemen who have been rendered unfit for duty after long and honorable service has been in force in both this and the metropolitan departments for many years. The city chamberlain of the corporation of London paid to superannuated policemen in 1880, £19 311 17s. 7d., or $46,555. This amount was raised by the fines for assaults on policemen, which amounted to £121 2s., or $605, and by the amount received by the deduction in the pay of the police for misconduct, sickness, etc. Col. Fraser the commissioner of the city police, was appointed by the common council of the city of London in 1863, and is considered an able officer. Mayor Bowan, the assistant commissioner, was also appointed by the common council, and has long been connected with the force. He is a man of middle age, with military bearing. George B. Childs, F. B. C. S. E., was appointed by the police committee of the common council in 1844. He has therefore, been connected with the department thirty-six years.

The uniform of the police of the city of London is very nearly the same as that of the metropolitan police, save a slight variance in the formation of the helmet and the cuff-band, which is a red and white stripe instead of the blue and white of the metropolitans. There are 520 public-houses and 147 beer and wine houses in the district. The police force of the city of London is formed into six divisions. The headquarters are in the Old Jewry, and there are six station-houses within the city limits. The officers are on duty day and night, and the chief office and station houses are never closed. There is a committee of the board of aldermen on police affairs, exercising a supervision over the force. That a detached police force in the heart of the metropolis is at variance with the principle upon which the police is established in every other town in the kingdom few deny.

THE METROPOLITAN POLICE.

The metropolitan police district extends over the whole of the county of Middlesex (in which is the city of London), but the metropolitan police district does not include the city of London. It was established on the 29th of September, 1829. The metropolitan district also takes in the surrounding parishes of Surrey, Kent, Essex, and Hertford, and those also of which any part is not more than 15 miles, in a straight line, from Charing Cross. It is, therefore, a very large district, and is directly under the control of the chief commissioner. The population of the district, Dec. 31, 1878, was 4,534 010, with an area of 439 823, acres or 688 square miles; inhabited houses, 577,839. Col. Sir E. Y. Henderson, K. C. B., is the chief commissioner, with a residence and £3,800 per annum ($9 000). There are also two assistant commissioners at £800 each ($4,000), and a director of criminal investigation at £800 ($4,000) per annum. There is also a chief superintendent, who receives £800 ($4,000); four district superintendents, who pay is £725 per annum ($3,625), and 25 superintendents, whose pay ranges from £300 per annum ($1,500) to £475 ($2,375). Six hundred and two inspectors of the first class receive $15 62 each per week; 602 of the second class $13.87, and 786 sergeants $5.32 each. There are 8,397 constables (policemen) who pay is either $5 20, $5.14, or $5.08 per week. The authorized strength of the police this year—1880—was 10,477. Of these 9,206 were available for duty in the metropolis, consisting of 21 superintendents, 544 inspectors, 728 sergeants, and 7,913 constables. There are 20 divisions of the metropolitan police, with a force numbering from 150 to 700 men each. This does not include the dock-yard force at Woolwich, Portsmouth, Devonport, Chatham, and Pembroke, numbering over 1,200 officers and men. During the past year the growth of the city has necessitated the increase of the force by the appointment of 2 inspectors, 7 sergeants, and 51 constables.

A RETURN of offences other than agrarian in Ireland in 1880, presented to the House of Commons, shows that the total number of such offences was 3,084. Of these nineteen were murder and forty-four manslaughter. The total number of cases in all Ireland in which offenders were convicted was 694; the number of cases in which offenders were made amenable but not convicted, 420; the number of offenders awaiting trial is 155; the number of cases in which offenders were neither convicted nor made amenable, 1,815.

The American Love of Tobacco.

Whether or not a devotion to the "weed" is a necessary product of Republican liberty as developed on American soil, one of the golden apples, so to speak, which the tree of freedom, when tended so carefully as it is across the border, is sure to bring forth in all glorious magnificence, is a question which may be left to those who are fonder of solving such difficulties. Be the cause at any rate what it may, the fact still remains a more than usually stubborn and striking one, that the Americans are excessively fond of this product of nature, and in a form, too, which, in those who have not been "educated up" to the requisite standard of endurance, is sure to inspire disgust and positive repugnance. Whether it be a result of that state of things which Charles Dickens so ingeniously describes when he tells us he mistook a call to dinner for the alarm of fire, and people in their haste to "get back to business" bolt their food with too great rapidity, and too little regard to the convenience and abilities of their stomachs, and in consequence of their unreasonable haste are driven to seek some alleviation of the uncomfortable symptoms which by and by make their appearance; or whether in that eagerness

TO AMASS A FORTUNE

which is so prominent a feature of American life at the present time, they are too abstemious in their manner of eating and drinking, and by a similar process of reasoning are led to a similar, though not precisely the same course of conduct as the newsboy who took his suet dumplings because they were "fillin;" or whether the custom be provocative of that mechanical ingenuity for which our neighbours are so justly proud, and so is prolonged to the furtherance of such praiseworthy ends; or whether the custom sprang simply from the natural craving which unemployed nervous energy has to expend itself on something, however trifling or even dirty that something may be; to enter into anything like an exhaustive discussion of such interesting and instructive matters as these, would require, according to the proverbial form of expression, not a mere essay, however long or short, but an entire volume. It may be that all these already mentioned are factors in that dexterity in the use of tobacco for which Americans are everywhere so conspicuously famous, or it may be that none of them are. It may be simply a sign and symbol of exuberant freedom, an evidence of the great doctrine that

ONE MAN IS AS GOOD AS ANOTHER,

or even, in fact a great deal better if he has only impudence proportionate to his vanity, and an earnest of the fact that every man is entitled to the utmost possible liberty of action so long as he does not interfere with the law of the land. It is a blessing to many in affording scope for the exercise of skill and energy which might otherwise be allowed to lie altogether dormant. Who will deny that the time which has been occupied in learning to keep the "quid" in the proper position in the mouth, so as to hinder as little as possible the free exercise of the organs of speech, in rolling it round in such a way as to extract the utmost of nutriment and inspiration, while at the same time imparting to the countenance the requisite expression of a mean between far-seeing intelligence, and vacuous imbecility, and, last but not least, in acquiring that skill in propulsion, that accurate judgment of distance by the eye, and steadiness of aim, which is so provocative of large admiration and no little envy; who will deny that that time might have been otherwise, and shall we say, more injuriously, spent? No! No! we say. Let liberty flourish, and let

TOBACCO-CHEWING,

as an industry and a fine art on American soil, never, never die! What visitor to the great Republic has not wondered at and admired the truly democratic impartiality with which the devotees of the "weed" distribute their attentions. Sidewalks, walls of houses, windows, ceilings, floors of offices, warehouses, houses even, fences, porches, door-steps, railings, monuments, gravestones, cars, omnibuses, boats, steamers, everything is a mark and a receptacle, and if American marksmen are not the best in the world it is from no want of constant practice both by day and night. To do the "gentlemen" simple justice however, it must be said that this "diversion" is not a usual one during the hours of slumber. This may be the case with the more hardened and experienced veterans, but the vast majority before retiring for the night eject their pellet into vacancy, without caring very much where it may alight. This is the universal custom among them if the "quid" has been exhausted of all nourishment before bedtime, and of all those who are well to do, or extravagant, in any case; but of such as are prudent and careful, whether from necessity or choice, the usual plan is, if the mouthful is not yet fully accounted for when bedtime comes, to remove

THE DELICATE MORSEL

from the cheek as carefully as possible, lick it gently with the tongue all round so as not to waste any of the valuable moisture which may still adhere to its surface, press it very very carefully and not at all roughly between two pieces of blotting-paper, dry it thoroughly, and set aside till next morning. There are numerous variations to this plan of procedure no doubt, but this is the general rule, any departures are due to merely local prejudices or traditions. This national custom is truly democratic in that it is not confined to any one class of society, but is widespread, indeed ubiquitous, in the influence it exerts on all sorts and conditions of men. Smokers are numerous enough, as indeed they are everywhere, but smoking is not so exclusively an American national custom, as chewing is; and chewers are, as might be expected, legion, while spitters are like the sand that is upon the sea-shore, or the stars in the sky, or the leaves of the trees, that cannot be numbered for multitude. Everybody chews, and everybody spits,—the august Senator, terrible and majestic in his profundity, and filled with enthusiastic conceptions of what is due to the dignity of his own personality, and of the elevated order to which he has the honour to belong; the 'cute and

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who, *yes Sirree, you bet*, is fitted to run the mill of the whole creation at any time when there happens to be occasion for his services, the learned judge upon the bench, the lawyer pleading at the bar, and the prisoner before it, the minister of the gospel, the doctor, and the printer's *diavolus*, all sharpen their wits, enlighten their understandings, steady their nerves it may be, and, "in idea," at any rate, keep up the manly exercises of archery and rifle-shooting by incessant practice at butts more or less accessible and convenient, both to themselves and to others, though at the same time also to the no small detriment of their teeth and prolongation of their visages. These latter inconveniences however, are not for a moment to be set against the pleasure and desirableness of producing at least the show of wisdom though the reality may be far enough away. Having recently some leisure time to spend in one of the largest cities of one of the foremost States in the Union, we dropped into a court-room where a man was on trial for his life. We were met at the door by a withered and shrivelled up old man who did not seem to have thrived very well at his favorite exercise, though he still clung lustily to it with what few teeth he had yet remaining. Being too late for a seat, this

CANDIDATE FOR THE MAYORALTY,

as he assured us he was, insisted on our making our way behind and among a dense mass of men, nearly every one of whom was either sternly at work in seeking to bring a fresh piece of stubborn tobacco into due subjection, or having succeeded in that desirable pursuit, was ruminating comfortably thereupon, digesting the knotty evidence, and the subjugated morsel, at the same time, with an air which was evidently a heart-break and despair to numerous smallish boys who had come there for lessons in wisdom and manhood. Strange as it may appear, the manner in which the "quid" is acted upon, and the ability to "squirt" its juice both straight and far, are in some circles, the *tests* by which a man is tried, and his fitness to move in the innermost or more remote spheres of social intercourse, resolutely determined. One young man behind us awoke our admiration by the intense earnestness with which he applied himself to the great end of life; we were in some alarm for our continuations, owing to the densely packed state of the room, and the necessity always laid upon excessive energy to relieve itself. To do him justice however, when the moment for expectoration came, he always glanced downwards before perpetrating the act. Having at length got to the front we looked about for the judge, the prisoner, the lawyer, etc. They were all seated as in the custom there. The judge we at first mistook for a reporter. He was sitting at one end of a long desk, and was busy taking notes. By and by he got interested in a large book which looked like a Walker's dictionary, and presently

HE EJECTED A LONG STREAM from his mouth into the [illegible] sumed was a spittoon [illegible] feet away. From the way in [illegible] formed the feat we concluded [illegible] lexicographer and himself [illegible] opinions on some point, [illegible] was by no means a novice at [illegible] which he had just given [illegible] example. The counsel for the [illegible] was cross-examining a witness [illegible] and was plainly in a state of [illegible] perturbation, for he needed to [illegible] after almost every question. [illegible] to be so deliberate as the judge [illegible] and so just dropped his [illegible] general fund of nastiness [illegible] very carefully to see [illegible] story is told of a half-witted [illegible] to haunt the Edinburgh Court [illegible] many years ago. Lord Erskine [illegible] man at that time, and not [illegible] fame as he afterwards became [illegible] him one day as he was sitting [illegible] Court, and not inside as was [illegible] tom. "Are ye no gauwn' [illegible] day, Jimmy?" Erskine asked [illegible] not the day," our worthy [illegible] pointing to a figure of Justice [illegible] over the doorway, "there's [illegible] ye might tak' *her* in wi' ye [illegible] her." If Justice is troubled [illegible] stomach at all, one wonders [illegible] tempted to *come out*, just [illegible] from many of the American courts [illegible] very similar in many respects [illegible] have mentioned. The

SPITTOON [illegible]

in every place in which [illegible] amount of cleanliness is at all [illegible] with all their ingenuity it [illegible] so little skill, originality and [illegible] design, are expended by [illegible] cousins on the improvement [illegible] national a feature that it [illegible] strike even the least observant [illegible] with surprise and no little [illegible]

The Doctor and the C[illegible]

No two professions should [illegible] to such intimate and cordial [illegible] as those to which belong the [illegible] the body and the healers of [illegible] There can be no more fatal [illegible] than that which brings them [illegible] tile attitudes with reference [illegible] other, both having in view the [illegible] of their fellow-creatures. But [illegible] a territory always liable to be [illegible] about between them. There [illegible] tients who never tell their [illegible] the grief which lies at the [illegible] their ailments. He goes through [illegible] accustomed routine with the [illegible] thinks he has all the elements [illegible] for the diagnosis. But he has [illegible] deeper into the breast than the [illegible] and got no nearer the heart [illegible] wrist. A wise and experienced [illegible] man, coming to the patient's [illegible] not with the professional [illegible] face which suggests the under[illegible] the sexton, but with [illegible] countenance and a sympathe[illegible] with tact, with patience, [illegible] the right moment—will [illegible] shy spirit into a confess[illegible] doubt, the sorrow, the [illegible] morse, the terror which [illegible] the bodily symptoms, and the [illegible] dening of which into a loving [illegible] ing soul is a more potent anod[illegible] all the drowsy syrups [illegible] And, on the other hand, the [illegible] nervous and over-sensi[illegible] which have been wrought [illegible] torturing spiritual exercises [illegible] best confessor would be a [illegible] wholesome-minded physician [illegible] a person to have become [illegible] religious stimulants that [illegible] to what are known to the [illegible] sanity as hallucinations. [illegible] voices whispering blasphe[illegible] ears, and sees devils coming [illegible] and thinks he *is going* to [illegible] pieces, or trodden into the [illegible] pose that his mental con[illegible] plunging him into the dep[illegible] pondency, at last reduce him [illegible] of despair, so that he now [illegible] taking his own life, and [illegible] himself whether it shall be [illegible] halter, or poison, and after [illegible] tioning is apparently mak[illegible] mind to commit suicide. [illegible] a manifest case of insanity [illegible] known as melancholia? W[illegible] prudent physician keep [illegible] under the eye of constant [illegible] in a dangerous state of [illegible] mental alineation? Yet this [illegible] act transcript of the mental [illegible] of Christian in "Pilgrim's [illegible] and its counterpart has been [illegible] thousands of wretched lives [illegible] by the act of self-destruction [illegible] so nearly taking place in [illegible] the allegory. Now the wond[illegible] from which this example is [illegible] next to the Bible and the [illegible] Thomas a Kempis, the best-k[illegible] ligious work of Christendom [illegible] yan and his contemporary, [illegible] had met in consultation o[illegible] of Christian at the time [illegible] meditating self-murder, it [illegible] sible that there might have [illegible] ference of judgment. The [illegible] would have one advantage [illegible] consultation. He would [illegible] tainly have received a Chri[illegible] tion, while the clergyman [illegible] ably know next to nothing [illegible] or manifestations of mental [illegible] disease. It does not [illegible] theological student [illegible] for his practical duties until [illegible] learned something of the effe[illegible] ly derangements, and, abo[illegible] become familiar with the [illegible] mental discord in the wards [illegible] sane asylum.—*Oliver Wen[illegible] in North American Rev[illegible]*

Divorces in New Eng[illegible]

In Vermont in 1860 there [illegible] divorces. In the same [illegible] there were 167. In New H[illegible] the rate had increased from [illegible] to 240 in 1875. In Mass[illegible] number had increased from [illegible] to 600 in 1878. In Mass[illegible] 1878 there was 1 divorce [illegible] 21 8-10 marriages, as ag[illegible] to every 41 marriages in [illegible] 1968, 2,072 divorces were [illegible] New England, of which [illegible] Maine, 241 in New Hamps[illegible] Vermont, 600 in Massach[illegible] in Connecticut, and 196 in [illegible] land.

Vulgarity in [illegible] spicuous because [illegible] gar rich man oug[illegible] dress circle, wh[illegible] and put him in[illegible] fitted him.

The natives of the [illegible] Sawaii, one of the Samoan [illegible] a German sailing vessel, but [illegible] without loss. The German [illegible] then demanded a payment of [illegible] of punishment, and under [illegible] amount was finally, though [illegible] paid. The German Govern[illegible] comes magnanimous, and [illegible] to be paid over to a fund for [illegible] pital in Apia, the chief [illegible] Islands.

At the insane asylum of [illegible] France, the other day, there [illegible] age of 103, a patient named [illegible] had been an inmate of that [illegible] ever since 1797. He was [illegible] the idea that his body was [illegible] glass. Haunted by this bel[illegible] to have scarcely moved during [illegible] three years he passed in the [illegible] have only opened his lips [illegible] during that period, to ask for [illegible]

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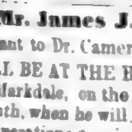

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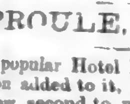

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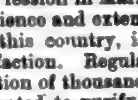

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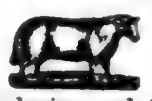

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In his room up near the sky,
And never a hint of his terrible rage
Could be seen in his deep blue eye.

With pencil and scissors he toiled away
Nor looked from his paper up,
But his soul was seared with an anguish wild,
And on gore he could calmly sup.

Beneath the shirt-front so snowily white
Reposed a rubble-stone heart,
For the editor man was reading a piece
Which he tersely described as "tart."

"Dod-rot the darn poets!" he fiercely said,
"With their soul-songs and other gush;
If I had my way I would sink their stuff
Along with the fishery slush."

A fair-haired maid stepped softly in,—
The editor's girl, I ween,
Full quickly he looked from the manuscript up—
"Ah, 'tis you, my heart's own queen."

The editor-men have pretty tough times,
And often their bones do ache;
But in winning the hearts of the maidens fair,
The editors capture the cake.

More Truth Than Poetry.

Father, tell me what are Editors?
Are they men, or beasts of prey?
I heard some one say, their creditors
Kept them in ambush, night and day.

Alas, how soon the hours are over,
Counted us out to play the lover!
And how much narrower is the stage
Allotted us to play the sage!
But when we play the fool, how wide
The theatre expands! beside,
How long the audience sit before us;
How many prompters, what a chorus!

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HUSBAND AND WIFE.—The experience of many a life, "What a fool I've been!"—The experience of many a wife, "What a fool I've got!"

"You seem to have a picket me," as the boy said to the fence when it detained him by the subsequent part of his pants. Would you say he was boy-cotted?

"O dear!" exclaimed penniman, "I wish I could excel in something! I do believe if I should kill a man it wouldn't be anything but murder in the second degree!"

TOO TRUE.—The Arab horse is not broken until his fourth year. That's where they differ from teacups. But then Arab horses are not washed by the average kitchen girl.

An editor in Georgia says: "Gold is found in thirty-six counties in this State, silver in three, copper in thirteen, iron in forty-three, diamonds in twenty-six, and whiskey in all of them; and the last gets away with all the rest."

A stranger in Galveston asked an old resident how malarial-fever could be distinguished from yellow-fever. "As a general thing," was the reply, "you can't tell until you have tried it. If you ain't alive, then it is most likely yellow-fever."

"Is it law you're talking about? Look, now, when I was a soudger I shot twenty men for the Queen, and she gave me a pinshun; but if I was only to shoot one stray fellow for myself, bedad, I'd be tried for murther. There's law for yez."

They were watching the seagulls whirling in graceful circles above the waters of the bay, while the rays of the sinking sun covered the landscape with a flood of gold. Finally he turned to her, and in a voice trembling with emotion, asked: "Darling, if we were seagulls, would you fly away with me and be at rest?" To which she answered, with her gaze fixed on a far-off mass of castellated clouds: "No, George; I'd let you fly away, and then I'd have all the rest I wanted here."

Did you ever see a woman slip down? Of course you never looked, but then you've seen them. She don't flourish around like an intoxicated jumping-jack, filling the air with arms and bad words, as a man does; but she simply abbreviates, so to speak, like a crushed hat or patent drinking cup, while you stand by and wonder you never noticed that hole in the sidewalk before.

THE famous iron ... of the Lombard's which was carried to Vienna by the Austrians in 1859 and afterward surrendered by them, is jealously guarded in the cathedral at Monza. It was almost falling to pieces from age, but lately has been restored.

A down-east girl, who is engaged to a lumberman, says she has caught a feller.

Jack Chiddy.

A True Incident of the Rail.

Brave Jack Chiddy! Oh, well you may sneer,
For the name isn't one that sounds nice in the ear;
But a name is a sound—nothing more—deeds are best,
And Jack had the soul of a man in his breast.

Now, I heard you say that you're fond of a tale
If it bears upon railway men and the rail.
Well, here is one that will suit you, I know,
Though it happened a good many years ago.

Jack Chiddy—there you are smiling again
At the name, which I own is both common and plain—
Jack Chiddy, I say, wrought along with the mates,
Year in and year out on a section of plates.

Simple enough was the work, with no change
But to see that both lines were in gauge and range;
Fasten a key there, and tighten a bolt,
All to keep fast trains from giving a jolt.

Strange when one thinks where a hero may rise,
Say at times, in a moment, before our eyes,
Or right from our side ere we know it, and do
The work of a giant-and pass from our view.

But the story? you say. Well, I'm coming to that,
Though I wander a little—now, where was I at?
Let me see. Can you catch, shining round and clear,
The mouth of the Bramlington tunnel from here?

You see it! Well, right on the bank at the top,
When stacking some blocks, all at once, down the slope
A huge slab of stone from the rest shore its way,
And fell down on the up-line of metals and lay.

One sharp cry of terror burst forth from us all,
As we saw the huge mass topple over and fall,
We stood as if bound to the spot, dumb of speech,
Reading horror and doubt in the faces of each.

Then one of our mates snatched a glance at his watch,
Gave a start and a look that made each of us catch
At our breath, and a cry, that thrilled our hearts through.
"My God! the 'Flying Dutchman' is overdue!"

Hark, straight from over the hill we can hear
A dull, dead sound coming straight to the ear,
Then a short, sharp whistle that told with its blast
That the "Dutchman" was into the tunnel at last

And there on the rail lay that huge mass of stone.
And the "Dutchman" behind coming thundering on;
In a minute or less he would come with a dash,
And a hundred lives would be lost in the crash.

"Now, for your life, Jack!" for Chiddy had flown
Down the bank, and three leaps brought him close to the stone.
Not for his own life, for wife and child's sake.
Thought he, but the hundreds that now were at stake.

'Twas the work of a moment. With terrible strength
And a heave of the shoulder the slab moved at length—
Slipp'd clear off the rail—when, half muffled in smoke,
From the mouth of the tunnel the "Dutchman" broke.

There was one sharp whistle, a roar, and a crash
Of wheels ringing clear on the rail, and a flash
Of coiling smoke, and a glitter and gleam
Of iron and steel, and then down fell the steam.

Not a breath could we draw, but stood blank with dismay
As the train tore along, making up for delay;
Till at last from us all burst a shout and a cheer,
When we knew that the "Dutchman" had pass'd and was clear.

And Chiddy? Ah me! you will pardon these tears,
For he was my mate on the rails many years.
When we found him, one look was enough to reveal
That Jack's life's-blood was red on the engine-wheel.

Brave Jack Chiddy! Now you don't sneer
At the name which I own is but harsh to the ear;
But a name is a sound—nothing more—deeds are best,
And Jack had the soul of a man in his breast.

HIS VICTORIA CROSS

By the Author of "A STRANGE WEDDING-EVE," "CLARE STANHOPE'S DIAMONDS," &c.

CHAPTER VI.—CONTINUED.

'It's a falsehood—a base falsehood!" cried Cecil sharply; her blood bounded in her veins, and mounted to her brow, while her eyes flashed. "It is not true—it cannot be true."

"But it is," said Alice vehemently. "Mr. Fairleigh said every one knew it; he was surprised that we had not heard; but, of course, Colonel McLeod takes care we sha'n't hear. That's why he keeps us mewed up here like nuns. Fairleigh showed me a history of the Mutiny, and it's there in black and white—only mentioned, you know—and he said Lord Kennedy knew it and——"

"Hush—hush! Don't, Alice; for pity's sake, be quiet!" said Cecil, in a voice of such keen anguish that it disconcerted the younger girl.

Cecil turned and pressed her hands to her hot temples. She kept repeating to herself with white lips—

"It is not true—it cannot be true—there must be some mistake—yet—yet——"

Was this the clue to his suffering? Was this the explanation of his manner that day? Was this what he had meant when he told her of her father's "trust" in him? And then there came a gleam of light across the darkness; her father had believed in him. Why, then there must have been some error. Courts-martial were not infallible, nor even the Horse Guards.

"Alice," she said quickly, turning round once more and dropping her hands to lock them tightly together, "Colonel McLeod must have meant this—what you tell me—when he said that our father trusted him; he said it to me; twice he has done so; he alone believed in him when the world censured. So, Alice, there must be some error. Don't you see?"

"No, I don't see," answered Alice shortly. "Papa was partial, I dare say; it's not likely that everybody was wrong and papa right—a court-martial too."

"But you say their sentence was reversed. They can be wrong then."

"Oh, well, perhaps there was interest! How should we know? How odd you look, Cecil!"

"Never mind me," returned Cecil, with an impatience rare to her. "What was it he said was done?"

"Fairleigh? Oh, Colonel McLeod had to hold some place that he didn't hold! And so the Sepoys got in, and there was a frightful massacre; only the Colonel and a few were saved, because reinforcements came up. I shouldn't like to be Colonel McLeod, that's all!" concluded the Colonel's ward thankfully.

"There is more nobility, bravery, and loyalty in Colonel McLeod's soul, Alice," said Cecil deliberately, "than you would ever attain to if you lived a life of prayer and penance! Do you never remember that we should have been penniless and alone in the world but for his generosity? Have you no thought for the unwearied kindness he has shown us here, the countless benefits he has loaded us with? No, it's of no use crying, Alice; tears are not feeling. You can cry for an hour, but you are just as selfish and shallow at the end as you were at the beginning."

Cecil spoke with a bitterness she had never before shown nor indeed felt. Then she left the room; she was trembling from head to foot, profoundly excited by the passion of feeling aroused within her. Her first idea was to go at once to the Colonel and ask him to tell her the truth; but then, she told herself, it would be an additional agony to him to think that this story was known to the children of Albert Verner. No, she would not go to him; she must remain in suspense as to the truth of the story.

Never before had Cecil known what it was to go through such an evening as she passed that day, bearing a burden to which she was unaccustomed, trying to seem her usual self, and failing. She said she had a headache, and, under that plea, she sat throughout that wretched evening in a low chair by the fire-side, holding a screen, as if to shield her from the light, while Alice played chess with Mrs. Annandale. Colonel McLeod did not come into the drawing-room. He had sent a message, asking to be excused from joining them at dinner; he had business, he said; and Hector, who delivered the message, added that the Colonel had ordered his horse not long after Lord Kennedy had left, and had ridden out alone.

"Lord Kennedy has been here then?" said Mrs. Annandale; but Cecil made no answer. What news had Lord Kennedy brought to give a fresh shock to Loris McLeod?

The Colonel had to go into Hyde early the next morning. He saw Cecil for a moment or two, and greeted her in his usual grave, half-tender manner, which made her tremble with a strange vague feeling that was half dread, half hope of she knew not what. But he said not a word of what had passed the day before. Perhaps it pained him to think that other eyes had looked upon his suffering.

In the afternoon Cecil was practising, or trying to practise, in the library. She thought she was still absent, and would not return until later; but the Colonel came in and went straight to her side. She started up, flushing from cheek to brow in confusion.

"I thought you were out still," she said a little hurriedly, "or I should not have come here. Forgive me."

"You were made free of the library long ago, my child," replied Colonel McLeod, with a grave, sweet smile; "but I want you for a little time, Cecil, if you can spare it to me."

"I am not busy; and, if I were, my time is yours," she said.

She locked her hands tightly together, trembling a little inwardly, and in wondering silence took the low chair he brought forward for her.

"I am going," said the Colonel, taking up his favourite position by the mantelpiece, "to speak to you, my child, on a subject that may startle you perhaps a little. You have no mother or father, so I must stand in their place; and with you it is best to come at once to the point. Lord Kennedy came to see me yesterday"—he saw her start and raise her eyes quickly to his face; then they dropped again. "He asked my permission to become a suitor for your hand."

He had expected the girl to be startled, agitated, bewildered at the intelligence, which would probably come upon her as something new and strange; but he was not prepared for the shock his words seemed to give her. She sprang towards him and put out her hands with incoherent words, and an almost wild entreaty in her large eyes.

"No, no—I cannot—I never thought—oh, Colonel McLeod, don't say I must think of that—don't let him take—take me from——"

She bowed her face on his arm in a fit of uncontrollable weeping; and for a moment the Colonel stood quite silent, looking down on the trembling form, on the shapely head, and on the silken curls that swept his hand. What was the cause of this terrible agitation? Cecil was not weak, nor a girl to indulge in tears on the slightest occasion; and yet now she was weeping passionately. His lips moved; he bent down in mute agony for a second, then raised his head once more firmly, and laid one hand on the girl's head with infinite tenderness.

"My child, my child, dry your tears! You must not think I would ask you to do anything for which you had no inclination. What is it, Cecil, that troubles you so much?"

It was some moments before the girl could control herself; and then she whispered brokenly—

"Forgive me, please—forgive me! I ought not to be so foolish. I will be calm now. I am so sorry."

"Dear child, there is no need," said the Colonel gently. "I fear this is but a rude awakening from your happy childhood!" He half sighed, but spoke again—"Can you listen to me now, Cecil?"

"Yes," answered the girl in a low tone, with face averted.

"Forgive me the question, my child. Had you no thought, no vague idea even, why Lord Kennedy has come so often of late?"

"No. I thought he was your friend, Indeed, indeed I never meant to deceive him, to let him think I cared for him—as he wishes," said Cecil, low and earnestly.

"But you might learn to love him, my child?"

"No, no—never," whispered Cecil. Something seemed to be striving to find utterance from her heart. She wanted to say that she would never leave him to loneliness and gloom—now less than ever; but she could not find words.

A thrill of unutterable joy passed through Loris McLeod.

"Listen, Cecil," he said, with a quietness that dare not stray into one tender word. "You are very young now; you are almost, I think, in feeling a child. Can you truly gauge what your heart may feel when the thought of love and marriage is less strange to you? Can you send a man, who loves you well, from you, without even a hope that he may one day win you? Remember, Cecil, I don't want to urge you in any way; your own heart must be your guide; but I say that, if you can love Lord Kennedy, he will make you happy. I want you not lightly to cast aside a love that is very true and earnest; you hold a man's life in this little hand, Cecil."

His voice faltered and failed; he drew in his breath quickly; he could scarcely bear the clinging touch of that little hand; he could not utter another word, although bitter self-reproach was stinging him. Had he been true to his trust?

Presently Cecil raised her head and pushed back the thick wavy hair from her forehead. She said half dreamily, as though speaking more to herself than to him—

"A man's life in this hand? Will he care so very much? Is it true that women have such power? Colonel McLeod," she said wistfully, "if I said that I did not care for him now as he wished, but allowed him to think I might do so in a little time—a year or two—he would hope, would he not, and think I should not send him away again?"

"What then, Cecil?"

"That would be deceiving him. Please bear with me, Colonel McLeod. I know I am only a young girl," said Cecil pleadingly—but there was in her tone a resolution, a clear comprehension of what she was saying, that assured him she spoke deliberately—"but in this I know I shall never change. I shall never love Lord Kennedy as he would wish his wife to love him. I like him—I have been very happy when he has come; but that is so different from any feeling one ought to have for the man one must look up to above every other. I am so sorry, oh, so sorry! Do you want me very much to marry Lord Kennedy?"

Her wistful eyes looked up to his, seeking an answer and appealing to him with pathetic pleading. How could he give the lie to that love throbbing in his heart—how say the words that would influence her perhaps to strive painfully to please him? For he knew that Cecil spoke the truth; she would never give her heart, her life unreservedly, to the man who had asked these of her. She must have seen the gray pallor that came to his face, the convulsive quiver of his white lips. With a last effort of self-control he turned aside, folding his arms tightly over his breast; and the girl flushed and shrank back.

"If you can be happy!" he muttered hoarsely.

For one moment after that Cecil stood absolutely still, her eyes turned with a startled, half-bewildered, questioning look on him. And in that brief space of time a sharp revulsion came to Loris McLeod. He knew that a moment's weakness had almost caused the betrayal of that which he had exerted every power of his will to keep secret. He was doubly bound in honour. And honour was the guiding star of his life; all else might fail him—there was only that left to cling to. Should that go too? He raised his face once more, deathly white, but set in an unalterable resolve. He did not look towards the girl, who started, as if from a dream, when she heard the soft voice, quiet with the intensity of inward emotion.

"Your own heart must guide you, Cecil," he said, as though that had been all his answer to her appeal. "You must not think of me in this decision; only be sure of what that decision must be."

He could hear her quick irregular breathing, could hear her hands clasped and unclasped; he dared not trust himself to meet her eyes.

At length she spoke, low and hurriedly, moving away as she did so.

"I cannot give him hope. I shall never change. Tell him—ask him to forgive me. I did not mean to deceive him. Must I—must I see him?"

"No, my child, unless you would wish."

"No—oh, no!" She shrank in terror from the thought, scarcely herself understanding how much this shrinking was due to a wild fear that he might divine something she must hide from every eye. "May I go now?" she half whispered; and, hardly heeding the answer, she went out from his presence mechanically.

CHAPTER VII.

Day after day passed slowly and heavily to Loris McLeod. The additional burden of the love which might have been the crown and glory of his life—but which, coming now, reached him too late—was almost more than he could sustain. And yet he was used to endurance. He had always had his burden to bear; but it had never seemed heavier than now, when he had to meet Cecil day after day, to do battle hourly with the temptation to take, if it might be, the happiness that lay at his door; to keep ever before his yearning eyes that stern code of honour by which he had lived, and at least to keep that honour stainless.

Yet outwardly there was no change in his manner to Cecil Verner. True, he rarely, as before, went out with her for those long rides or walks which had been wont to make up the pleasure of his life. He had, he said, little time, when Alice asked him once why he had given them up.

Cecil studied harder than ever in those winter days; and Mrs. Annandale said she grew pale and nervous, and had lost some of her bright merry ways. She wondered if she had loved Lord Kennedy, and if Colonel McLeod had raised obstacles and parted them.

To Cecil the hard lesson of endurance she must practise now came as something new and strange. She knew that somehow there was a change in her inner self. She looked out no longer with a child's wonder on the world. There was a vague unrest on her spirit. Why could she not go in the old way to the library, she wondered, as Loris McLeod sat writing or reading, and put her hand on his shoulder and see him look up with that sweet and tender smile? Why was there a slight cloud between them, a shrinking restraint she strove in vain to cast off when in his presence? Yet Cecil felt that she could be quite her old self if she might only have knelt at his feet and laid her head down and felt his gentle hand rest lightly on her brow.

So passed the dark winter days—anxious days for many English hearts, for the air was laden with war news from South Africa.

Then suddenly there came the awful tidings of the fatal field of Isandula, and the glorious defence of Rorke's Drift. Almost before the call was made for reinforcements, men came forward to volunteer, and first among those who so volunteered was Loris McLeod. He did it without hope, only with a passionate prayer that this time he might not be denied. For now it seemed impossible to bear this life he led. He felt that his self-control must fail him soon. He could see that in some way Cecil was changed, that some trouble lay on her heart. Was it that she had mistaken her feelings with regard to Lord Kennedy, and that his absence had shown her clearly now that she loved him? The Colonel tried to force himself to think this might be true; yet his own heart dared to whisper another story.

At Hyde conjecture and eager questioning were rife. Were the —th Lancers going out? Of course the Colonel would go then. Nothing was known. No orders had come from head-quarters as yet. Both officers and men were eager to be sent out; and, at the mess, in barracks, indeed everywhere a Lancer's uniform was to be seen, there was but one topic of conversation—the war, and the chances of taking part in it.

In silence Colonel McLeod waited—in suspense that was an agony. He had not said even to Cecil what he had done. She knew that he must have volunteered, because she knew him so well. But as he had not spoken on the subject, she shrank in her new shyness of him from seeking a confidence he had not volunteered.

One afternoon Cecil entered the library to fetch a book. It was one of the days on which Colonel McLeod's duties always took him into Hyde, whence he rarely returned till late. She thought he was still absent. She had not ventured into that room of late. She paused therefore with a start when, on entering, she saw that the library was not tenantless. But the shock was not at the sight of him she half dreaded to meet, but at the attitude, the whole appearance of the man, which betokened something so like despair.

He sat, with his arms crossed on the table, his head resting on them, perfectly still; yet the bowed form told of suffering before which the girl's half-trembling fear vanished, the woman's noble impulse to soothe and strengthen filling her heart. She had no thought of herself, of all the doubts and self-communing that had destroyed her peace of late. She simply knew that he suffered, and that for him she would have braved even death, if that might save him from pain.

With light gentle footfall she came to his side, and then paused, shrinking from wounding him afresh by intruding on his anguish. Yet, soft as had been her step, he must have heard it, or was instinctively conscious of her presence; for he raised his head and looked up, with only a dim consciousness that it was Cecil who had come to him. Her coming might be an additional sting; but the greater pain had swallowed up the lesser for a time. Then he dropped his head again and said slowly—

"Why do you come to see my humiliation?"

She bent forward, deathly pale, with a sinking heart—the word struck her sharply.

"There is none," she said in a low tone.

"What is it?" What has happened? Oh, Colonel McLeod, tell me—in pity tell me!"

His breast heaved, and his hands tightened their clasp together.

"There is no atonement—none!" he muttered hoarsely. "Twenty long years cannot expiate it, twenty years of patience cannot blot out one false step. They will not give me even the chance to redeem a dishonoured name. Oh, Heaven, the dishonour was not mine—not mine!"

Trembling, awe-struck, the girl heard those words. A few weeks before they would have sounded without meaning to her; now she read them by the light of a later knowledge. She saw at once all that had fallen on him, how his last hope had been crushed. She had scarcely need to read the official letter he half pushed towards her. It only said, with one exception, what had been said to many others, that it was found impossible to accept the services of all who had tendered them. The exception lay in the last words, that Colonel McLeod's request to be permitted to volunteer even in the ranks could not be entertained.

Hot tears rushed to Cecil's eyes and fell upon her hand. It seemed to her a cruel thing to deny to him all hope of winning back a stainless name. He asked to go out, not in his own rank, but to waive all rank and position, and serve in any way. No; he had been censured. Perhaps graver suspicions had lain behind that censure, and Loris McLeod was "not known" at head-quarters.

Once more the low passionate voice spoke. The deep reserve of years had broken down before the on-rushing of the flood. Perhaps he scarcely heeded that he was not alone; yet there could have been no bitterness for him in Cecil's presence, else he would have recalled to himself even in this agony how bare he was laying all the wounds of his heart.

"Have I failed these twenty years in any service? Have I been unwilling to bear the censure that seemed to them just? If"—he rose now and paced the room, locking his hands so tightly that the blue veins stood out like cords—"if I had been verily guilty of all and everything that had been charged to me, is it just thus to make oblivion an impossibility? I asked not mercy or generosity, but bare justice; and that, as a mercy, if I may not live for England, at least—at least that I might die in her service. But I must endure, and still endure through years yet to come; and, still enduring, die—my grave dishonoured, my name stained to the last!"

He covered his face, shivering from head to foot.

"What am I to do now with this life that is left me?" he said, sweeping his hand across his forehead, and brushing back the waves of hair. "I had thought I was inured at last to inactivity, could bear to live on day after day in a dead monotony; but that is broken up. How shall I bind myself again to a double yoke?"

He sat down again to his old position, but stretched out his right hand as if, in very helplessness, seeking strength of which he was bereft, and his voice sank to a whisper.

"Cecil, Cecil, come to me! You are young and noble; you have not exhausted the well-springs of your life. Tell me how I may still live bravely and patiently."

She sprang to him and knelt beside him, her tears falling fast on the hand she clasped in hers. She could speak no word. Her passionate impulsive nature was moved to its very depths. It startled him, this bitter weeping that shook her slender form. It seemed to awaken him as if from a dream, to restore to him in part that self-control so swept aside that he had taken no thought of what he said, had forgotten all but the terrible agony, the keen sense of a bitter injustice. But now he bent over her and strove to force back the deep tender love that would thrill in every tone of his voice.

"My child, my poor child, forget, forgive my madness, my weakness! I have startled you with words that should never have passed my lips. Cecil, do not give me the additional reproach that I have suffered the shadows of my life to fall on yours."

"No, no," she said, almost inarticulately—"not reproach. Oh, if I might bear it all for you!"

"Heaven forbid!" he said quickly. "Your name is free from stain, dishonour; mine——"

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A Sunken Island in Lake Michigan.

(Sturgeon Bay Expositor.)

From Mrs. Josephine Graham we learn some particulars concerning the so-called "sunken island" in the vicinity of Port du Morts (Death's Door). Mrs. Graham states that the island was situated in Lake Michigan, about five miles southeast of Rock Island, and known as "Little Gull," because of its whiteness and appearance of a gull at long range. The island was irregular in shape, being about fifty feet in width by one hundred feet in length; was entirely a formation made of small stones, ranging from the size of a walnut to rocks weighing several pounds. By no means was the island a place of vegetation, for not even grass grew upon it. In the summer of 1846 or 1847 Mr. Graham built a fish shanty or house on "Little Gull," to be handier to his nets that were set "outside." Into the small fish palace, on the island of sea pebbles, Mrs. Graham went and cooked for her husband during the summer months, but, as fall approached and old Michigan began to froth, the inhabitants of "Little Gull" returned to Rock Island, where terra firma was more extended. The next season Little Gull was too small to even "squat" on—having diminished a good deal during the winter. It continued to grow smaller each year, and long years ago disappeared below the surface of the water. Then the spot was referred to as the "outside shoal." Still the work of "going down" continued, and small sail crafts of light draft could navigate over the shoal. A few years ago the water over the shoal was of a depth sufficient to hide the appearance of a shoal, and a large steamer suffered a heavy loss by grounding on the bar. To-day the once dry island is covered by fathoms of water. By the superstitious it is claimed that the disappearance of Little Gull island is a mystery, and that the neighboring islands have also settled a number of feet. Landmarks prove the latter statement untrue, while the mystery connected with the "sunken island" does not seem to be be difficult to solve. The fact that the little island was entirely formed of small stones—unquestionably heaped up by the sea—it does not seem unreasonable to suppose that the same power that rolled the stones up could also level or roll them down again.

A Runaway Train.

(Las Vegas (N. M.) Optic.)

The most hair-raising episode that ever happened to a New Mexican mountain railway train fell to the lot of Conductor Blessingham Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, on the west slope of Glorietta summit. The train comprised nearly thirty loads, and as it entered upon the descent, Jake Brown, the engineer, threw on the water brake, but found that it was broken and would not work. The train gained momentum to such a frightful extent that the switch-cables and hooks lying on the pilot base in front were hurled from their place into the air, breaking one of the locomotive's guard-rails. Brown called for brakes, but the train men had already set every one, and realized that the train was beyond their control. Seeing that nothing could be done to stop the mad course the train was running, Brown jumped from the cab while going at the rate of sixty miles an hour, and landed seventy two feet distant, actual measurement. Blessingham, who was on the caboose with Pawnee Charley and wife as passengers, fearing that the train was going to destruction, cut his way-car loose, and checked it with the brakes, while the train continued its velocity down the long grade. The fireman stood at his post like a hero, and while the engine was plunging down the flight at a giddy speed, he crawled out on the foot-board and poked sand through the sand-box, thinking that it might assist the wheels in getting a grip upon the rails. As the train sped around Material curve, which is "short and steep," the velocity was so great that the locomotive ran on one rail, and overbalanced so greatly that it came within an ace of losing its equilibrium. The brakemen on deck were obliged to lie flat and cling to the running-boards for safety. For six miles those badly-frightened men stuck to the ship and faced the horrors of death. Below Concito is a natural basin, with three miles of level track, and it was on this stretch—the runaway train was mastered and stopped. Some of the cars were laden with iron for the front, but they were unloaded before the train stopped by the material being hurled in all directions. Just how the train held to the rails as well as it did is a mystery which the philosophers must solve—we can't.

The Influence of Poe.

(London News.)

Poe, like Pope, threw himself into a war with dunces. He hit and thrust at them vigorously, he exposed a score of cheap popularities, he was merciless to the inexpensive reputations then readily acquired by every tootler on the whistle of Miss Eliza Cook. Since the time of Poe American literature has wonderfully advanced in the acquisition of force and of polish. American novelists, for example, almost gives us lessons in elaboration of style, in reticence, and in well-calculated effects. American poets are, perhaps, too numerous. That they get a hearing, as they do, and appeal to a really large public, says much for the interest of the people in contemporary verse. In form, in the mere art of versifying, even the minor American poets of to-day show wonderful versatility and deftness. Commonplace is much less successful than it was of old. In fiction, analysis is almost too careful. We can not but think that this rapid ripening of the American Muse (who was a raw, unformed school-girl in the lifetime of Poe) is due in part to the influence of that critic. His method is as unlike the method of Mr. Matthew Arnold as possible. But he exercised the same kind of influence. Like Mr. Arnold, he introduced some tinge of French thought and of French literature into the workmanship of his countrymen. Perhaps be was not a wide reader, and the element of affectation in his nature may be detected in his quotations of obscure Latin authors in his oriental allusions. It is hard to say how much knowledge was implied in these allusions—how rich the mine was from which Poe dug these sparkling fragments. Still, he judged the writers of his own country with some knowledge of other literatures. As he was quite ruthless in his criticisms he did good, but at his own cost.

A provoking mistake—(Charlie, his sister Grace and her friend are skating together on the pole grounds.) Charlie—"This way of crossing arms is really very confusing." Grace (after a moment's pause)—"Stop squeezing my hand, Charlie."

An Irish Romance.

When I arrived at Kilmurray, one of those storms which come from the Atlantic, and in an instant envelop the islands in a cloud of wind-driven mist, made me seek refuge in a cabin. It was a crowded busy peasant's home, and as I sat by the fire—the warmest seat being given me with the invariable hospitality of these people—I found abundant material for observation and reflection. Whatever cleanliness was possible in a family of eight occupying one huge room along with two pigs was carefully maintained; at least, the mother and the children were neatly and comfortably attired, the earth well swept, and the pigs were confined to the limits assigned them. An old woman was carding wool, a child rocking the cradle, and the mother spinning at the wheel. The chickens, also driven in by the rain, one by one hopped up the ladder to their roosts among the rafters, from which they watched over their ruffled feathers the busy family and the blazing hearth with so much approval and satisfaction that I am sure, if chickens be susceptible to emotion, these were very tender ones indeed. A dog sneaked in, and seeing a stranger, went out into the rain again. The dogs, which are not numerous on the islands, are of the most miserable and condemned aspect, and seems to feel their ignoble ancestry, as they invaribly jumped over a wall or ran into some obscurity on the approach of a stranger. While drying my dripping garments, I saw for the first time, seated in a corner, as if to screen himself from observation, the figure of a young man clad in white flannel, the costume of the island. His face was thin and sad, and of the same color as the garments he wore, and he gazed at the fire with such a dejected and hopeless expression as led me to infer that he was the fated victim of some terrible disease—consumption, perhaps—and was feebly waiting through the long hours of the day and night the death he knew to be so sure and near. I spoke to him, striving in my pity to appear unconscious of perceiving his misery. Without answering he rose abruptly and left the cabin. The looks of concern and inquietude in the faces about me told me of some unusual sorrow, which the mother, leaving her spinning-wheel, explained to me in a low voice. She told me that the young man, her eldest son, poor Owney, as she called him, had until a month before been the most healthy and cheerful member of the family; ready and prompt at work, and the life of the household, when a letter came from America to a neighboring family inclosing money to pay the passage thither of their eldest daughter. It appeared that the young man had long entertained a secret passion for this girl, and when he heard that he probably would never see her again, he declared his love to her, and besought her to remain. So far from being unmindful of his affection, she avowed her willingness to marry at once, if he would accompany her to America immediately afterward. This was impossible; his own family was unable to assist him, and the few people who possess money on the island would not lend it without security. The practical damsel saw, on the other side of the Atlantic every prospect of improving her material condition, and doubted not that husbands were as plentiful there as elsewhere; while, if she remained, she knew the drudgery and hopeless slavery that were the lot of all around her would be hers also. Therefore she told her suitor if he would not accompany her she would not listen to his suit. When the young man found his upbraidings useless, he gave way to despair, and had not worked or spoken since his cruel sentence had been pronounced. Every day he grew thinner and more wan, and he did not partake of sufficent food to support life. All the solicitude and tenderness of his mother had not succeeded in arousing within him his former self, and with tears running down her cheeks she told me she thought he had lost his reason forever.

Some weeks previously the school-master had written for them to a priest, a distant relative of the family, who lived in Connemara; but they had received no reply, and she supposed he had neither help nor counsel to give. I pondered for a long while, as I sat by the fire, upon what often proves to be the unfortunate sincerity of men, and I could not refrain from deploring the no less frequent levity of my own sex. In passing through the village a week afterward I stopped to say good day to these kind people, when I found the house a scene of bustle and confusion. My erewhile love-sick swain was, when I entered, making himself a pair of pampootees; and as he bade me good day over a dangerously starched collar, his face glowed with health and energy. The now cheerful and happy mother informed me that since my last visit they had received a letter from the priest in Connemara, inclosing his blessing for her son, and the money to pay his passage to America. She had very busy knitting him stockings, and making him a fine white flannel suit to be married in, and which thereafter he would not again wear until his arrival at New York, so that he would make a decent appearance in the new world, as became the relative of a priest. He was to be married to the object of his choice the next day, and they were to start immediately afterward upon their long voyage. As I left, the damsel, whose month's delay to prepare her outfit had given such a fortunate respite to her lover, thrust her head inside the door, and calling upon Owney to be sure and wear the blue stockings she had knitted him to the chapel on the morrow; and then, with her little retrousse nose turned up to the sky ran blushing away.—J. L. Cloud, in Harper's Magazine for March.

Khalil Effendi's Death.

(From the London Telegraph.)

During the last hours of Khalil Effendi, the venerable Sheik-ul-Islam, who died a short time ago at Constantinople, twelve softas, stationed in his death chamber, were incessantly engaged in chanting chapters from the Koran, with the pious object of facilitating the passage of his soul from this world to the next. As soon as he had breathed his last, his six wives were admitted to his bedside, where they set up a piteous crying, beating their breasts the while, and continued to give expression to their grief in this dismal manner until removed by the eunuchs in order that Khalil's body might be prepared for its interment, which took place within seven hours of his death. After been bathed in perfumed water, the aged dignitary's corpse was enwrapped in the folds of a costly white turban which he had worn upon his head for thirty consecutive years previous to his decease. This, and this only, was Khalil's winding sheet, tightly swaddled in which his remains were borne to the cemetery upon the shoulders of four young softas, after the ninety virtues of Allah had been duly recited over his bier by the senior Ulemas of the Stamboul clergy. When the burial ceremony had been concluded, a funeral feast was held in the departed Sheik-ul-Islam, at which all the reverend personages who had taken part in the funeral were splendidly regaled. Khalil, who had held his high office for many years, and was greatly reverenced by the faithful, left a handsome fortune behind him to be equally divided among his many children.

Col. A. W. Drayson writes the *London Daily News* from Halifax, Nova Scotia, to announce that he has made an astronomical discovery, the result of ten years investigation. It is: "That the earth rotates annually once round a second axis, which second action is not coincident with the axis of daily rotation. This movement is due to she fact that, owing to the preponderance of land above the water in the northern hemisphere, and owing to the mass of land in Asia, Europe, and Africa on one side of the earth, the centre of gravity of the earth is not coincident with the centre of the earth, and, consequently, is not located in the plane of the equator. The results of the discovery are most important, as the changing positions of the stars from month to month can, by the aid of this discovery, be calculated, so that the endless observations of scores of computers at various observatories become no longer necessary."

At the marriage of Lord Brooke and Miss Maynard at Westminster Abbey, Prince Leopold takes the part of "best man."

A RETURN of offences other than agrarian in Ireland in 1880, presented to the House of Commons, shows that the total number of such offences was 3,084. Of these nineteen were murder and forty-four manslaughter. The total number of cases in all Ireland in which offenders were convicted was 694; the number of cases in which offenders were made amenable but not convicted, 420; the number of offenders awaiting trial is 155; the number of cases in which offenders were neither convicted nor made amenable, 1,815.

AN English authority says that reform is much needed in the American railway system as respects safety, speed, and punctuality. Straightening the lines and building them better, he thinks, would yield the desirable results.

The Elmira *Advertiser* thinks that pretty soon it will be cheaper to be cremated than to keep on living.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 11th 1881.

NOTICE.

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THE D[illegible] prorogued, we [illegible] about the 18th inst.

THE Provincial Legislature was prorogued on Friday last, with the usual ceremonies.

EDWARD HANLAN returned home to Toronto on Friday last and received a right royal welcome. He was presented with a Tea Service valued at something in the neighborhood of $1000, a cheque for $500, a bronze clock and several other articles.

THE coroners' jury in the case of Mrs. Peter Bladsalls, of Lynden, Ont. returned a verdict of murder against the accused, for having caused the death of one Maggie McKay, by producing an abortion. It appears from the woman's own confession that she has been following this diabolical business for some years, with success, but like the "pitcher that goes often to the well gets broken" at last, so this wicked women has been caught in her nefarious business, and will have to pay the penalty of her crime.

JOHN GORDON Esq., after holding the position of President of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway for over twelve years, last week tendered his resignation, which has been reluctantly accepted. W. H. Beatty Esq., the solicitor of the Company, has been elected to fill the vacancy thus caused. We do not think the Company could have made a better selection, as Mr. B's long connection with the road in the capacity of Solicitor has enabled him to get thoroughly posted in all matters connected with it, and no doubt that knowledge will be put to good advantage by the new President.

RAILWAY AID.

After cons[illegible] numberless int[illegible] deputations, [illegible] have granted ai[illegible] the following [illegible] roads.

1. The Ontario Sault Ste. Marie Railway from Gravenhurst to Sault Ste Marie, a distance of 300 miles at the rate of $2,850 per mile

2 The Erie and Huron Railway from Rondeau, on Lake Erie, to Dresden, a distance of 40 miles, at the rate of $2,000 per mile.

3 The Stratford and Lake Huron Railway from Harriston to Wiarton, a distace of 62 miles. at the rate of $2,000 per mile.

4. The first section of the Georgian Bay and Wellington Railway, from Mount Forest to Durham, a distance of 16 miles, at the rate of $1,500 per mile.

There is a good deal of dissatisfaction expressed at the government having discriminated against the Georgian Bay and Wellington railway in favor of the other roads. The following from the *Grey Review* hits the nail on the head exactly:—

"To say that withholding Provincial aid from the northern section of the Georgion Bay and Wellington Railway will be disastrous to the interests of Durham and the municipalities lying between Durham and Owen Sound, might seem somewhat hyperbolical, but, as there is no possibility of bulding the northern section of this line without Provincal aid, it is very evident, that by withholding Provincial aid now, those interests will be seriously injured and great injustice done to the ratepayers who have contributed towards the building of the road. It is possible that some connection may exist between this railway policy of the Ontario Government and a Bill which has just passed its third reading, to amalgamate the G. B. & W. R. and S. & L. H. R. Companies, the new company thus formed to be henceforth known as the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay, and Lake Erie Railway Company. These lines will virtually become the property of the Grand Trunk, and it may well suit the interest of that corporation to make Durham the terminus of the Durham branch of the new line, in view of the facts that it has secured Wiarton as the terminus of the main line. But we submit, that Provincial aid to railways is suppose to be given in the interests of the people and not in the interests of railway companies, and that however the proposed arrangments may suit the Grand Trunk, it is a positive injury to the municipalities."

FIRE.—Last Saturday, the Rev. E Spencer, lot 1, con. 5, Keppel, met with a very serious loss by fire—his stable and contents, together with all his stock excepting one calf, being consumed. The disaster occurred while the family were at dinner, a[illegible] it was discovered, the stable [illegible] sheet of flames. Neighbours [illegible] promptly on the ground and as it was found impossible to save the burning building, which was near the dwelling, all efforts were directed to saving the latter, with success. The fire is supposed to have had its origin from some hot ashes which had been thrown out by the children a short time before. No insurance. As Mr. Spencer is held in high esteem, the neighbours called a meeting the following Monday, and, after expressing their sympathy for his misfortune, appointed the chairman and secretary to wait upon the rev. gentleman for the purpose of asking permission to replace some of the stock destroyed.—*Echo.*

John Merden, a farmer's boy living on the 8th concession of London township, is a selftaught taxidermist, and has a collection of 1,800 specimens. A very large proportion of these are native birds, which he captured and set up during leisure moments after his regular farm work was done.

PRICEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

Priceville lives, moves, and not only has a being, but a very energetic one. Business has increased, is increasing, and will increase. New life and energy is being put into business matters. Goods are sold cheaply for cash. King credit, the curse of the farmer is dethroned He has dropped his sceptre of authority; he no longer rules. The farmer finds that he saves immensely by buying for cash or produce; he [illegible] pleased at his bargains. The [illegible] is rejoiced too, and in the exuberance of his joy commences [illegible] and frolic; and among the many ways of enjoyment possessed by them they proceed to the curling rink; and frequently have games for the Oysters. The following is a summary of those games:

GAME No. 1.

John McRae,	George Tryon,
John McLeod,	N. B. Grier,
John McArthur,	J. Aussum,
A. Webster, (Skip) 7,	T. A. Conkey, (Skip) 6,

No. 2.

John McRae,	George Tryon,
John McLeod,	N. B. Grier,
John McArthur,	Joe Aussum,
J. Webster, (Skip) 5,	T. A. Conkey, (Skip) 9,

No. 3.

John McRae,	Dr. Bennett,
John McLeod,	N. B. Grier,
John McArthur,	Joe Aussum,
A. Webster, (Skip) 9,	T. A. Conkey, (Skip) 4,

No. 4

A. Webster,	T. Nichol,
John McArthur,	Joe Aussum,
T. Conkey,	John McLeod,
Wait, (Skip) 14.	C. McMillen, (Skip) 7,

No. 5.

T. Nichol, 11,	F. Wait, 5,

PUSH.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR.—In perusing the *Grey Review* of the 13th of Jan'y, ult., I notice in the Dundalk items an article, over the signature of "Old Zero" in reference to municipal Election of Proton, stating that funds had been posted in the hands of Conductor Chambers, of the T., G. & B. R.'y for the purpose of betting on issue of such Election. It having been repeatedly intimated to me that I was the person referred to as C. C., and there being no other employee on the T., G. & B. R.'y of that I am the person the subject same name, I very naturally suppose of Old Z's. insinuations; and now, Sir, if such is the case, I emphatically deny the charge, and furthermore declare it to be a black falsehood. I am prepared to prove that I was in no way connected in pools, stakes, or bets on result of said election. It appears to me that O. Z. in dissimulating, wanted to whip some one else over my back—an action only worthy the meanest coward. His *nom de plume* was well chosen, for, as already stated, if he tried to play on me the doings of another, he is a mere cipher. From the tune of his palaver all through, one would imagine he had been in the employ of P. T. Barnum as chief clown, for the past decade. In conclusion I would say if I am the individual he styles C. C. I demand an apology; and if not let the palavering O. Z. explain. As he seems afraid to give his name, I will not follow his example. By giving the above publicity in your valuable paper, you will confer a favor on, yours Respectfully

W. H. CHAMBER, T., G & B R'y

Owen Sound, Feb, 28th, 1881.

P. S.—I sent a copy of the above letter on the 22nd ult., to the Editor of the *Grey Review*; but somehow or other it failed to appear in the columns of last weeks issue of that tiney little sheet.—W. H. C.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I observe in the STANDARD lately that you had been found fault with for committing a breach of political neutrality by inserting Mr. Sproule's spech in Parliament on the Syndicate question. You answer that the insertion was paid for was, in itself, complete; but even supposing that it had not been so paid for, surely it is the least we can expect of a local newspaper—political or non-polical—to give us a report of our local members speeches. How otherwise are many of us to become acquainted with our members views on public questions as they come up. My own political opinions and those of our sitting member do not accord on many points; but that is no reason why I, or any other Reformer, should be deprived of knowing as to how Mr. Sproule's are developing on public matters. Mr. Sproule was elected as a Conservative, chiefly by Conservatives; but once elected he is member for the whole riding, and I am sure that all really liberal Reformers will be glad at all times to peruse Mr. Sproule's utterances on public questions.

Yours,

REFORMER.

Mr. Hogg, Reve of the Town of Collingwood, has been unseated from want of sufficent property to qualify on.

SELF-DESTRUCTION.—James Gibson living on the 4th concession of Cartwright hanged himself in his own woods on Saturday, 26th ult.

IF any of our subscribers in the village do not get the Standard regularly they will please report to us at once, so that we can have the cause removed. We have a new carrier boy, and he may have missed some.

A MODERN SAMSON.—Wm. Brown, of Bentinck, shouldered and carried a barrel of salt one quarter of a mile, then putting the barrel on the ground took it by the chimes and threw it fourteen and a quarter feet. This feat took place yesterday in Bentinck, and was witnessed by J. W. Boulden, harness maker, and several others, of this Town.—*Review.*

TENDERS FOR PRINTING.—The Township of Normanby at its last meeting instructed the Clerk to invite tenders for the Township Printing in no less than three Counties. It is a wonder they did not include the City of Toronto in the list. As there is a printing office in the Township, the proprietor of which pays his share of the Township expense, we think that the Council should get the printing done there without sending outside the County. If there was a job of road making to let, the Council would not send to another County for tenders and we see no reason why a resident should not get the trifling profit of the Township printing in preference to strangers. We most respectfully decline to tender for the printing of the Township of Normanby.—*Post.*

THOSE of our subscribers who agreed to pay us in wood for their subscriptions will please bring it [illegible] when we will require [illegible].

SUDDEN DEATH.—A young man named Goodwin, about 25 years of age, eldest son of Mr. John Goodwin farmer, living near Thornton, was found dead yesterday afternoon in a barn belonging to his father. It is supposed that he died of heart disease. Dr. J. W. Norris, coroner was notified, but did not consider it necessary to hold an inquest under the above circumstance. The deceased was highly respected.

The Thunder Bay *North Star Miner* urges the establishment of rolling mills and blast furnaces at that place. It expresses the opinion that "Thunder Bay is the one point most favourable for the erection of rolling mills and blast furnaces, and capitalists can find no better site, and no better time than the present for the establishment of industries of this nature. There is here the necessary deposite of ore in quality and quantity, the opportunity of disposing of their manufacture at a large profit, and the matter of labour is also favourable, for it is generally abundant at fair wages."

SUPPOSED FIND.—Some days ago Mr. J. Ferguson, of this town, was digging a well, he found about two feet below the surface a hard substance which he supposed was rock. He broke off several pieces and one of them he took to Mr. S. H. McKitrick, who melted it down in his furnace and gave it as his opinion there was a considerable quantity of iron ore in it, but could not say then whether it was really iron ore or not. It is said this stone is very extensive hereabouts and steps will be taken by the parties owning the land on which it is found to find out exactly what it is composed of.—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

OUR prohesey as to the likelyhood of having to chronicle an accident occuring from children running after farmers' sleighs, has proved only too true. On Friday last Willie Noble, a little boy, aged between six and seven years, son of Mr. Alfred Noble, in company with two other lads were riding on a sleigh, when little Noble fell off, the other two jumped off, one falling across the prostrate lad, the other jumping on his legs, and breaking one of them half way between the knee and the body. The little sufferer was picked up and carried home. Dr. Carter set the broken limb and he is now doing, to use the common phrase, "as well as can be expected."

THE ILLUSTRATED SCIENTIFIC NEWS.—One of the handsomest of publications is the Illustrated Scientific News, published by Munn & Co., New York. Every number contains thirty-two pages, full of engravings of novelties in science and the useful arts. Ornamental wood work, pottery, vases and objects of modern and ancient art are finely shown. The March number contains, among various other subjects illustrated, full description of the manufacture of paper hangings, with engravings; how the deceptive curve is produced in casting the ball by the baseball pitcher, his attitude, how he holds and handles the ball, all fully illustrated. The number before us also contains engravings of Capt. Eads' proposed ship railway across the Isthmus, and a novel hydraulic railway locomotive. In addition to all this it contains many valuable recipes for artisans and housekeepers. This publication will be foud instructive and entertaining to all classes, but will be best appreciated by the most intelligent. Published by Munn & Co; 37 Park Row, New York, at $1.50 a year, and sold by all news dealers.

SPEND YOUR MONEY AT HOME.—The following excellent advice, which we find in an exchange, we judge not to be entirely inapplicable to ourselves:—It is your home; you cannot improve it much by takinig your money away to spend or invest There is no way of improving a place so much as by encouraging good merchants, good schools, and good people to settle among you, and this cannot be done unless you spend your money at home. Spend your money at home, for "that is where you get it." Spend your money at home, because when it is necessary to get credit, it is of your own town merchants you have to get it, and they must wait for the money; spend it at home. Spend your money at home. It will make better business for your merchants; they can and will keep better assortments and sell at lower rates than if the only business they could do is what is credited out, while the money goes to other places. Spend your money at home. Set the example now. Buy your dry goods, groceries and meats at home, and you will see a wonderful change in a short time in the business outlook of the place; therefore deal with your merchants at home. Your merchants are your neighbors and your friends; they stand by you in sickness—are your associates. Without your trade they cannot keep up business. No stores then, no one wanting to buy property to settle on and build up your place.

TO RENT OR SELL.

LOT No. 2, Toronto street, Markdale. Now occupied by Joseph Sproule. For particulars apply to

MARSHALL BEARD, Markdale P. O.

Markdale, March 8th, 1881. 26-4in

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor, FLESHERTON.

Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

☞ Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.

Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice. As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

REMOVED!

FROM my old stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Store, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellry, Wedding and Fancy Rings, Clocks, &c. &c.

Watches and Clocks carefully repaired and brought to time. All work guaranteed for one year. I shall be in

DUNDALK

personally every Friday.

All orders left at my store will be promptly attended to. Thanking my numerous customers for their very liberal patronage, I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

W. F. DOLL.

March 3rd, 1881. 26-3in

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS Promptly and Tastily!

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Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed —AT— LOW RATES.

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Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

Organ for Sale.

A FIVE OCTAVE ORGAN, nearly new, one of Glough & Warren's (New York) celebrated Instruments. Cost $209.00; will be sold at a great reduction on above price.

A. W. EATON.

Markdale, March 2, 1881. 25-3*

Auction Sale OF VALUABLE Farm Property.

UNDER and by virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL, IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON, In the County of Grey,

On Thursday, the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1881,

AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,

The following valuable lands and premises, viz.:—Lots numbers one hundred and nineteen and one hundred and twenty, in the first concession South-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less, excepting thereout a portion heretofore sold to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company. On the premises there are said to be good frame buildings.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale; forty per cent. in thirty days with interest at seven per cent.; balance can be had for five years with interest at seven per cent per annum.

For further particulars apply to, LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD, Solicitors, Toronto.

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Sale of Valuable Farm Property

UNDER and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage made by Donald McIntyre, default having been made in payment thereof, will be sold by Public Auction, at the "Markdale House," Markdale.

On Saturday, March 12th, 1881,

At 12 o'clock, noon, the following Property:—The East half of lot number 24, in the 9th con., of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres; soil clay loam; 25 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, balance well timbered; no buildings.

TERMS.—The purchaser shall pay a deposit of $100 at the time of sale, the balance of half of the purchase money in two weeks thereafter; remaining half in cash, or secured by a mortgage payable in from one to five years at the option of the purchaser.

For further particulars, apply to CREBAR & MUIR, Vendors' Solicitor, Hamilton.

February 21st, 2881. 25-2i

A NEW ELECTION In Euphrasia.

THE Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at

6 Per Cent., Yearly! ON STRAIGHT LOANS, This is the

Lowest Rate ever offerered in the County of Grey.

OFFICES:—Lot 26, Con. 4, Euphrasia, and MEAFORD,—Next door to Royal Hotel.

N. B.—A large amount of private money to loan on

Good Notes or Second Mortgages.

E. E. KNOTT.

March 3, 1881. 25-3m

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES, DEMOCRATS, WAGGONS, ETC., AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING AND General Jobbing!

As we warrant all our work. A call is solicited, and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-3m

A GOOD CHANCE

A GOOD BLACKSMITH WANTED, to hire for a year, or rent the shop and tools. For particulars, apply on the premises, or by letter to

MRS. MARK RICHARDSON, Markdale P. O.

Markdale, March 2, 1881. 25-4i

BURDOCK [illegible]

[illegible] Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO. [illegible]

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We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

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BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Monteal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

☞ *Physicians Prescriptions, and Family Recipes dispensed at all hours.*

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Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Pianos and Organs.

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS!

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All Instruments warranted for Six Years.

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Uxbridge, Ont.

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[illegible] the Public generally, that [illegible] proprietor of the

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE FACTORY

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to attend to their wants. My facilities are now superior to any [illegible] commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Styles

and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and Ash

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC., AS USUAL.

Estimate of Supplies Given on Application

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham street.

H. HOOPER

Flesherton, December 28, 1880. 14

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits, CHEAP

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS, CHEAP

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing CHEAP

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that it has been a year of prosperity with the people of our County, and as others have prospered, we have been enabled to participate with them in their prosperity.

Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share of your patronage for the year 1881.

We are now offering a fine collection of

Christmas Goods

—NAMELY—

Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and Saucers

and a large variety of

CHILDREN'S TOYS.

OUR GROCERIES

For the season are, as usual,

Well Selected, Fresh and Good.

NEW CURRANTS,

NEW PRUNES,

NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.

The People are all asking for our

TEA DUST, nothing suits so well

WE ARE OFFERING

WINTER DRY GOODS

At LOW PRICES to clear them out.

NOTICE.

WANTED—10,000 Railway Ties,

[illegible] Telegraph Poles,

Also, a quantity of Cordwood

HILL BROTHERS

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

[illegible] OTHER NOTICES.

[illegible] has an organ for sale [illegible]

[illegible] oil, CASTORINE [illegible] oils, try Haskett [illegible]

[illegible] democrat buggy, [illegible] for sale. Nearly [illegible]

[illegible] are sole [illegible] Castorine machine [illegible]

[illegible] Balsam [illegible] a drug, but is a [illegible] balsam. It cures by loosening [illegible] corrupt matter from the [illegible] it from the system. [illegible] Bronchitis, Hoarseness, and [illegible] yield to it promptly.

[illegible] of purchasing a [illegible] well to call at this office [illegible] a number of choice [illegible] for sale.

[illegible] gives those who are [illegible] a polite reminder, in [illegible] unless they wish a call [illegible] they must settle up [illegible] inst.

[illegible] for some time past with [illegible] as a result of constipation [illegible] was induced to try Burdock [illegible] which proved very efficacious, [illegible] headache and constipation. I [illegible] it to all similarly afflicted. S. R. ROGERS. [illegible] Grey County, Ont.

[illegible] dealers for "Castorine" [illegible] and see that the barrel [illegible] Castorine," as none other [illegible]

[illegible] jeweller is the only one [illegible] keeps Lazarus & Morris' [illegible] the best in the world. Call [illegible]

[illegible] Castorine" Machine Oil, for [illegible] machinery, it is also ex[illegible] harness and leather, mak[illegible] and weather proof. For [illegible]

[illegible] Folks" for March is be[illegible] seem to improve each [illegible] beautifully illustrated, and [illegible] stories just suited for little [illegible] price $1.50 per annum. [illegible] the Russial Publishing [illegible] Tremont Street Bos[illegible]

[illegible] for sugar making is [illegible] and promises to be [illegible] have had for many years. [illegible] sap buckets cannot do [illegible] call on Hasket Bros, and [illegible] order. They are remark[illegible] this season.

[illegible]—Why Mr Jones, what in [illegible] all this disturbance about? [illegible] matter? JONES—Oh! I am [illegible] with the dress shirt and [illegible] purchased at McFarland's [illegible] I am bound to get six [illegible] they are all so'd.

[illegible] of reapers, mowers [illegible] machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it [illegible] lard, seal, or elephant, [illegible] warranted not to gum.

[illegible] IS THE BEST POLICY."—[illegible] is sweetest when gained by [illegible] Hagyard's Yellow Oil is an honest [illegible] speaking; it cures more [illegible] Pains, Lameness, Stiff Joints, [illegible] Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Rheu[illegible] Deafness, Colds, Sore Throat and [illegible] than any other remedy offered [illegible] No household should be without it.

[illegible] having pure seed grain for [illegible] do well to let it be known [illegible] STANDARD. It will only [illegible] one insertion in the local [illegible] where every reader will see [illegible] are many inquiring for [illegible] there are also some anxious [illegible] market for the same. Try [illegible] finding each other.

[illegible] ROLL for School Section No. [illegible] Highest number of [illegible] obtainable. 800. Fourth Class [illegible] Breen, 268. Senior Third [illegible] Taylor, 250; E. Montgom[illegible] Junior Third Class [illegible] Montgomery, 173; J. Lum[illegible] Second Class—D. Mc[illegible]; W. Thomson, 260; A. [illegible] 56. First Class—M. Corlett, [illegible] Barmby, 275; M. Martin, [illegible] GRAHAM, Teacher.

[illegible] William Scott, a young [illegible] without friends or relations, and [illegible] his living by doing odd jobs [illegible] citizens, met with rather a [illegible] accident on Saturday evening, [illegible] cutting wood for Mr. James [illegible] It appears that whilst [illegible] stick the axe glanced and [illegible] side of his foot inflicting [illegible] wound. He was taken into Mr. [illegible] house, and had his foot [illegible] dressed by Dr. Carter, and [illegible] progressing favorably, though [illegible] some time before he will be [illegible] work again.

[illegible] ROLL—The following is the [illegible] of the pupils in S. S. No. 4, [illegible] for the month ending Feb. 1881. Forth Class—1 Harriet G. [illegible] Second Joseph Orr Stin[illegible] James F. Hutchison. Third [illegible] First John Stinson, Second F. [illegible] Third Thomas Lyons. [illegible] Class—First Robert Lyons, [illegible] Thomas Taylor, Third Richard [illegible] First Class—Senior—Joseph [illegible] Second Francis Carson, [illegible] William Brown. First Class—[illegible] Mary Lodlow Second Mar[illegible] Third John Ludlow. [illegible] LITTLE, Teacher.

[illegible] On Sunday morning, about [illegible] a. m., Mr. Geo. Haskett, of [illegible] Haskett Bros., was awak[illegible] his slumber by the smell of [illegible] upon descending to the shop, [illegible] some miscreant had built [illegible] the cellar close to the division [illegible] Askin's Grocery and their [illegible] then discovered the fire had [illegible] through the flooring and had [illegible] the lower shelf. With the [illegible] of some of their neighbors, [illegible] aroused by the cry of fire, [illegible] soon subdued, without ma[illegible] damage to the building. For[illegible] it was so early discovered, [illegible] minutes more would given it [illegible] way that nothing could have [illegible] building, and the stock, from [illegible] the room where the fire origi[illegible] would also have been distroyed. [illegible] we believe is fully covered [illegible] We have not learned [illegible] suspicion rests, but we [illegible] wretch will be discovered. [illegible] the matter more henious [illegible] that the Messers Haskett [illegible] the store, and had Mr. G. [illegible] a heavy sleeper it is [illegible] probable we would have [illegible] upon to announce the [illegible] as well.

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SEVERAL articles [illegible] this week but will appear [illegible]

THE weather for the [illegible] has been very pleasant [illegible] is the order of the [illegible]

A large stock of pr[illegible] Timothy seed, just r[illegible] Medical Hall.—A. T[illegible]

READ Mr. Bulmer's [illegible] in another colum, and [illegible] good photo, or wish o[illegible] will know where to go[illegible]

Rev J. W. Savage [illegible] Methodist church, M[illegible] morning, at half p[illegible] Flesherton, at 6:30 p[illegible]

READER have you a c[illegible] yield to the usual remedie[illegible] not despair, but try Hag[illegible] sam the best cough cure [illegible] of this safe and pleasant [illegible] up the most obstinate [illegible] dealers sell it at 25 cent[illegible]

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Farmers, in the [illegible] Flesherton, whose [illegible] pairing, or have tho[illegible] ing new ones should [illegible] Mr. J. Gordon.

R. J. SPROULE, F[illegible] purpose of making [illegible] importations, will [illegible] thirty days, offer h[illegible] at greatly reduced [illegible] in another column.

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March 11th, 1881.

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Several articles are crowded out this week but will appear in our next.

The weather for the past few days has been very pleasant and sugar making is the order of the day.

A fresh stock of prime Clover and Timothy seed, just received, at the Medical Hall.—A. Turner & Co.

Read Mr. Balmer's advertisement in another column, and if you want a good photo, or wish one enlarged, you will know where to go.

Rev J. W. Savage will preach in the Methodist church, Markdale, Sunday morning, at half past ten, and in Flesherton, at 6:30 p. m.

Reader have you a cough that does not yield to the usual remedies? Do not delay, do not despair, but try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam the best cough cure known; a few doses of this safe and pleasant medicine will break up the most obstinate cough. All medicine dealers sell it at 25 cents per bottle.

Nothing sets a man off so much as a good-fitting suit, and H. Meggitt, of Flesherton, says he is just the man to suit you to a nicety. Give him a call.

Farmers, in the neighborhood of Flesherton, whose harness wants repairing, or have thoughts of purchaseing new ones should not fail to call on Mr. J. Gordon.

R. J. Sproule, Flesherton, for the purpose of making room for his spring importations, will, for the next thirty days, offer his immense stock at greatly reduced prices. Read Adv. in another column.

Mr. Doll, of Flesherton, has removed his branch shop in Dundalk to Mr. Deans Hardware Store. He is showing a well assorted stock of gold and silver watches, rings &c. Give him a call.

A Lecture will be given in the Presbyterian Church, Priceville on Wednesday, March 16th by Mr. Henry Meldrum. Subject—Prespyterianism, its history and worship. Admission 10 cents.

Mr. Joseph Swift, lot 275, Con. 1, S. W. Toronto and Sydenham Road Melancthon, has rented his farm, consequently he has no need of his farm stock, implements, &c, and has instructed Mr. J. W. Morrow to dispose of them on Tuesday, March 22nd. Ten months' credit on all sums over $5.

Many most remarkable cures of Deafness have been performed by Hagyard's Yellow Oil the certificates of which the proprietors will cheerfully furnish; it is the most potent remedy known for all varieties of Inflammatory action—taken internally and externally applied, it cures Croup, Rheumatism, Colds, Sore Throat, and is a perfect panacea for all manner of pain, lameness and flesh wounds.

R. J. McCoy has received instruction from Wm. Wilson, Esq. to knock down all and sundry, of his farm stock, implements, Household furniture &c., to the highest bidder on Friday March 25th, at lot 12 con. 12, Holland, $5 and under, cash, over that 10 months' credit.

An unreserved credit sale of farm stock &c, takes place on March 24th, on the premises of Mr. W. Neal, lots 163 and 164, 3rd Range S. W. Toronto and Sydenham Road, when Robert Davis will be on hand to show off the good points of the various things offered, and select your patronage therefor. Credit to Jan'y 1st 1882, on all sums over $5.

Westward, ho!—Messrs A. & A. McAulay having concluded to follow Horace Greeley's advice, and go West, or rather North-west, wish to dispose of their stock, implements, &c., and have given J. W. Morrow authority so to do, on Saturday, March 12th. Ten months' credit will be given, provided the paper is acceptable, on purchases over $5.

Mr. Brown of the "Toronto House," Markdale, embraces the present opportunity to inform the young men who frequent the skating rink that he is prepared to furnish them, on reasonable terms, with *good strong serviceable pants* which will fortify them against mishaps in future such as befel the gay "Lothario," referred to in last week's Standard.

"How thin is Sara Bernhardt, Pa,
The shadow of a shade?"
"Why, just about as thin, my child,
As poor-men's lemonade."

But if Sara would only take Burdock Blood Bitters she could add to her flesh and beauty very materially. These popular bitters are no fancy drink, but a pure and powerful tonic that acts upon the Stomach, Liver, Skin, and Kidneys, purifying the blood and regulating the secretions, while it renews exhausted vitality. See testimonial in another column.

The social held at Mr. Edward Rutledge's last Wednesday was a decided success. Rev. J. W. Savage gave a short account of his trip to Europe. The younger portion of the crowd amused themselves with singing and games. All seemed happy. The company dispersed about eleven o'clock, leaving the Ladies Aid Society richer about $13. The next social of the series will be held in Dufferin Hall, a week from next Tuesday.

We clip the following from the Corvallis "Gazette" Oregon, as the groom was a former, resident of Markdale, and his many friends will be pleased to know that Charlie has been, and gone, and done it. "We had the pleasure of being present at the marriage of A. C. Ewart and Miss Nettie Chase at the residence of Mr. George Tucker in this city on last Wedensday evening. The ceremony was preformed by H. P. Dunning and took place at 8 o'c.ok. A large number of guests were in attendance and a number of costly presents, indicating the high esteem in which the contracting parties were held by their numerous friends. This wedding was one of the social events of the season and highly enjoyed by all who where present; the bride was handsome, and Charlie—well, he was just as happy as mortal man could be under the circumstances. We join with many others in wishing the happy couple a long life of perfect happiness.

Surprise—On Saturdy evening, the Teacher and superintendent of Salem Sabbith School, with there wives, surprised their colleague, Mr. Joseph Pedlar, by taking possession of his domicile. Soon the ladies had the tables groaning under an abundance of tea and tea cakes of a superior quality. After tea had been disposed of, and all comfortably seated, the superintendent of the School Presented Mrs. Pedlar with a handsome pocket Bible, with the following inscription:—"Presented to Mrs Joseph Pedlar by a few friends, as a mark of their appreciation of valuable services rendered by her to Salem Sabbath School." With pleasant chat, songs and Instrumental music, a very happy evening was spent. Mr. and Mrs. Pedlar and family did their utmost to make their guests happy, and this evening will long be remembered as one little spot in which memory loves to dwell.

...yards ... worth 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, ... cents per yard, worth double the money. They are selling fast. Come.

...woman in Manitoba gave birth to five children, all boys, the other day. Who will say anything about the sunny south now? We were thinking of emigrating to Manitoba, but if that is how they do things there, we beg to be excused.

Personal.—Mrs. A. Mc...'s who has been on a visit to her relatives in Manitoba for some time, returned home last saturday looking none the worse for her sojourn in the land of the blizzard and low temperature, and now Mac's good humored face is rippling all over with smiles, we heartily welcome Mrs. M. home. Mr. and Mrs. Savage, (the latter an old resident of Markdale and sister of W. J. McFarland Esq.) are here at present on a visit to their friends.

THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

Friday, March 4, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.00	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.97	to	0.98
Barley	0.60	"	0.60
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.16	"	0.17
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.06
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	0.00
Wool	0.28	"	0.30
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	2.00	"	2.10

Final Warning

ALL Parties indebted to the Undersigned, either by Note or Book Account, are requested to pay up before the **15th inst.**, as I have given up business here, and will **put all in Court** that remain unsettled on that date.

N. B.—All parties who have agreed to bring either Wood or Saw Logs, will please deliver them before the 15th inst, as I will not take them after that date. *This is the last notice.*

JOHN BENSON.

Markdale, March 1st, 1881. 25-2i

GOLD! GOLD!

$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at

6½ AND 7 RER CENT.

per annum, straight loans.

If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest?
If you need a barn?
If your fences are not sufficient?
If you want to buy more land?
If you want to clear and improve more land?

It Will Pay You

to borrow of the

NORTH OF SCOTLAND

Canadian Mortgage Comp'y

They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments. but **they do** give the most reasonable privileges of any Company lending money.

And their Costs are Low!

Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

I have also a

Few Thousand Dollars of

Private Money!

To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited.

As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow,** and the place is

The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agency.

INSURANCE!

It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a **Reliable** and **Safe** Company, and that they do their business through a **reliable Agent.**

I am prepared to take applications for the Strongest, Safest and Best Companies in Canada, and for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies are the

Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock.)
The Waterloo County and Gore District (Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Corectly** and **Neatly** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing, I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES

Attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT.

To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the Proprietors themselves. Correspondence solicited.

In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent.

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

and will

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 1-1

JOB WORK done neat and promptly at the Standard Office.

...for All

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line in

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROW AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

OYSTERS, OYSTERS,

JUST RECEIVER

AT THE

"BELFAST HOUSE."

I have fitted up a room over my Store where I can supply

OYSTERS

—in—

Every Style!

By the Plate or Can

CHEAPER THAN ANY ONE

IN TOWN

My Stock of

Provisions and Groceries

Togther with

Wines and Liquors,

ARE VERY CHEAP AND GOOD.

ANY AMOUNT of PORK

FOR SALE.

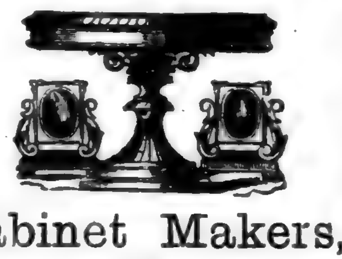
As I do no puffing or blowing, I want the Public to give me a call and be convinced what bargains I am giving, before you purchase elsewhere.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.



Cabinet Makers,

—and—

UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

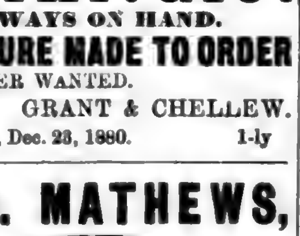
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 10

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Dundalk, Durham P. O.

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-4t

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 11, 1880.

MARKDALE HOUSE.

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three-storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.

GREAT

MID-WINTER SALE,

NOW GOING ON AT

W. J. McFARLAND'S

EVERY PIECE OF WINTER GOODS

Marked Away Down.

BIG DRIVES!

10 yards ... for $1.75
10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2 50
Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents
Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.
50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.
300 yards All-Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents
Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1.75, worth $3
Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6
10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50
10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3
10 yards black Velveteen for $4
20 yarks Linen Towelling for $1
12 yards heavy Wincey for $1
Colored Velveteens for half price.
50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS, WULLEN HOODS,

SHAWLS AND MANTLES.

A Special Discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1, will be given.

60 Men's Felt Hats at 65 cents each,
15 yards of Brocade Dress Goods, $2.00,
1 pair Gent's Kid Mitts, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie, all for ONE DOLLAR.
Ladies' Kid Mitts, (lined) 60 cents.

And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.

EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS

At and Below Wholesale Prices,

Should call soon at

W. J. McFARLAND,
Wholesale and Retail.

Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN EUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust teat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the **15th inst.,** the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1-ly

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM

HARNESS,

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

and a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March, 1881. 18

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

... Public attention ... stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

AND

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at

☞ RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest ... equal to Guinness' Stout; and the ... of Draft and Bottled Ale ... section. Good Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 14, 1880.

THE PLACE TO BUY

WATCHES!

Over $400 worth sold in the last month.

LADIES' BEAUTIFUL

Gold Hunting Watches!

From $15 up WARRANTED.

Silver Watches,

VERY LOW.

A Time Piece To Suit All,

AT

W. F. DOLL'S,

FLESHERTON AND DUNDALK.

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to.

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the witer.

N. CAMPBELL.

Flesherton, December 15, 1880. 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-11

STOP. MARK. LEARN!

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GREAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of General

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLINERY,

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Hats and Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closest buyers. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honest dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently **I can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FASM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Flax Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quanties of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollers for every one idvested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and ten barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS!

ARE ARRINING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 1-1y

Chapultepec.

I too, I will go back.
I will turn back the wheels of Time,
And enter once again the Garden of Delight
That was called Youth.
That was called Youth—am I grown old?—it is not true—
I have heard lies before.
Alas, alas! That was called Youth.

On yesterday—I swear it was but yesterday—
I kissed her on the mouth.
They say she has been buried three-and-thirty years,
And they are all liars—I still am young,
I am still young—how else?

Ten days ago—ten days, no more—
I forded with bare feet the shallow brook,
And watched the little school of shining minnows stem the stream.
My brother was there with me, and we laughed;
Yes, and we fought, because I would go first. And then
We held each other's hand and, naked, ran
And splashed the water high and laughed again.
I wonder why he comes no more! It is so long—so long!
Every day I look for him.

And this—it, too—is all a lie—this, too—my hair,
It is not gray, but dark as night,
As dark as Egypt's night when her first-born died.
For here, see here! this is a lock of it—
She kept it twenty years.
And here—it was his doing, Satan's—
I lost it—yes, poor clown, I lost it.
The day we stormed Chapultepec,
I was forty years old that day.

That was that day, but that night—
That night a letter came; it was edged with black.
I read it there by the camp fire's light
Among the cypresses.
(You know the cypresses around Chapultepec.)
I read it—I do not know what it said—it was edged with black.
In ever saw her any more.
The cypresses around Chapultepec!
And the long moss waving in the night wind!
Come, I will whisper it to you; it is not moss, that, it is crape
Hanging from the cypresses.
I heard a wolf howl away off,
They said it was a wolf, but I knew, I knew
It was Satan laughing.

All through the long night Satan laughed at me
While I sought him,
Ever keeping just beyond my maddened reach.
I saw his gray form creep along the dark ravines
And glide through air,
While I, bruised by falls, and torn,
Stumbled o'er the nopals and the cactuses.
They say they traced me on the morrow to where I lay.
At the foot of a high rock,
By shreds of cloth that hung blood stained
Upon the bristling points of cardo leaves.
And on the hooked and barbed thorns of that wild desert.

Pshaw! this is a dream, a lying dream—
And I am young, and she is here.
I will wake up—
To-morrow I will wake.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

The Princess of Wales and Her Daughters—Pleasing Effects of the Rivalry Between Mrs. Langtry and the Other Professional Beaties.

Brides at the Breakfast table—Fashion Matters—Waifs, &c

Fashion Notes

The habit costume is in high favour.

New tinsel lace is shown in steel for new bonnets.

Shades of honeysuckle will be used on new bonnets.

Mulberries are in great demand for mourning bonnets.

Mahogany and geranium pinks are new colours in millinery.

Vandyke red is the latest colour, a shade darker than cardinal.

Duchesse de Berry hats of black velvet and jet are very stylish.

Indian beads cut in red jasper ornament new lace pins and earrings.

New open work Tuscan braids have border woven with gold tinsel.

Crushed roses of pink and crimson will be worn upon spring hats.

Clear medium French blues are revived as the latest rival of navy blues.

Some of the new patterns in cambric imitate embroidery in Roman pearls.

Bishop's purple *ereque* is employed to relieve delicate tints in spring bonnets.

The torquoise is largely used set in rows side by side with diamonds or pearls.

Only delicate trimming should be used on the open-work Tuscan straw bonnets.

Immense bows of very broad satin ribbon have taken the place of belt bouquets.

Japanese velvet matched in colours to the dress is much employed for dress trimmings.

Artificial roses in the fine chiffon now in use are readily mistaken for natural flowers.

A silver cub bear lying on its back with playful paws is a new ornament for the mantel.

Embroidered collars for children are larger than ever, and come in showy open-work designs.

Turned down Byron collars are imported extensively in open-work and Irish point embroidery.

The latest novelty is Irish point embroidery, which simulates the open patterns o Irish point lace.

Swiss muslin with gold dots is used for morning caps. They are fastened with quaint pins of gold.

The most fashionable rings are of hammered gold, made in pliable strips, and wound around the finger.

After dinner coffee sets in cream china, with bands of blue and gold, and decorated with gay little humming birds.

Quaint point-shaped breakfast caps of pleated rows of Breton lace are trimmed with full rosettes of pale rose or blue.

Wreaths of roses shading from deep damask to pale concha-shell pink are used on bonnets of yellow Tuscan straw.

The English walking hat promises to be revived in rough and ready straw and fancy braids for spring and summer use

Cotton foulards are of superior quality and silky finish this season. The new ones are very pretty in patterns and colour.

The monastic style of dress is much in vogue. It is in exact copy of the Trinitarian garb, except the Maltese cross and head-dress.

Sets of jewelry are in forms of pansies with petals enameled in natural colours. A tiny diamond is imbedded in the centre of the flowers.

Waifs.

A SLEIGH-RIDE without a girl is a cold and aching void.

GENTLEMEN who are continually inveighing against fashion worship should remember that it makes a heap of difference whose dress is gored.

A CHIVALROUS exchange things when a man marries a widow he should give up smoking. "She gives up her weeds"—he should be equally polite.

It would be quite easy to pay the national debt by imposing a tax on beauty. There isn't a woman living in the country who would not demand to be assessed.

What is the difference between a honeycomb and a honeymoon? A honeycomb consists of a number of small cells, while honeymoon is one great sell.

MISS SOPRANO (who has just finished playing): "Did I drop any notes, Susan?" Her cousin (from the rural districts): "No, not as I knows on, but I'll look under the pianny an' see."

Why mourn for Grimes—his daughters live;
On fashion's streets we find 'em.
And they wear "Old Grimes's coat,"
All buttoned down behind 'em.

AN aristocratic papa, on being requested by a rich and vulgar fellow for permission to marry "one of his girls," gave this rather crushing reply: "Certainly. Which one would you prefer—the waitress or the cook?"

Nervous bride, who has been reading an account of the condition of the public thoroughfares, to her husband: "My darling if you love me you won't go out to-day." Husband—"What's my pootsy wootsy afraid of?" Nervous bride—"Why, it was only the other day that I asked you if you knew how to swim, and you told me you didn't."

Mrs. Langtry's Limbs.

It appears, says the Brooklyn *Eagle*, that the second-rate beauties have conspired to present an aggregate of loveliness against which the features of Mrs. Langtry, unassisted, cannot cope. She has been successful in dealing with some of them in detail, like Mrs. Wheeler, whose arms are too slender for beauty, but whose lower extremities are plump to the verge of distraction. This, Mrs. Wheeler accidentally discovered, and invented a new fashion which concealed the upper members and freely exposed the lower, thus dealing Mrs. Langtry a cruel blow, for that exquisite creature is represented as possessing an arm for a sculptor, developed at the expense of the less public [illegible]

Brides at the Breakfast Table.

There is no more trying time to bride and groom than to appear at breakfast. One morning this week there were nineteen newly wedded husband's and spouses distributed among the prominent hotels. Just imagine the amount of sweetness concentrated in those thirty-and-odd souls, and all in one town! The hotel clerks can tell the newly-mated pairs at a glance, and a peculiar mark is affixed beside their names on the register which indicates that a bonquet of white roses will ere long find its way to the bridal chamber. Then there is another method for ascertaining if it is not a fresh couple. The husband writes "Mr. Smith" with a bold hand, and then hesitates. The clerk could dash it off in a second, but the young man leans down and adds "and wife." Then he gazes admiringly to see how "Smith and wife" looks on a book for public scrutiny. He is an inch taller, and feels that he has become a man of family, and is entitled to some recognition. But the trying ordeal comes with the entry into the hotel dining-room. The bride blushes, and imagines that every one in the room has his eyes upon her. Such cooing and billing as goes on at the table! "Let's be like old married folks," she whispers; but that will not do, and the more she tries to disguise herself the more does she convince folks that she is really just what she is. Under one roof alone there were nine of these couples last week, and the brides at breakfast looked at each other like sisters for consolation. It has been many a day since such a swoop was made upon the national capital. There is always a couple on hand, but when nearly a score meet it shows that business has picked up, and that the ministerial pocket-book is swelling. Some people attribute this marked increase in doubling-up to the severity of the weather.

Alexandra and her Daughters.

The Marquis Du Lau, says *The Fiagaro*, owns a statuette of white marble by a celebrated sculptor. It represents a lady of the court of Henry II. Her frail and pliant figure is molded in a long brocade petticoat, slightly turned up on one side. Her bust is encased in a stiff waist, loaded with precious stones. The head is delicate and noble, with a profile of the renaissance, and her features are chiseled as finely as cameo. A cap adorned with streaming feathers hide a portion of her hair. Such is this statuette—a jewel become a woman—a little fairy—half object of art, half apparition. It is the portrait of her royal highness the princess of Wales by M. D Epinay. An exquisite and truly royal image, representing better than any other an almost supernatural beauty.

Once descended from her pedestal the princess becomes a gentle, kind young woman, a careful mother, and an unpretending, almost citizen-like housewife. It is noticeable that when people seek to praise a princess they call her citizen-like, while in praise of an ordinary citizen's wife they will say that she is a princess in manner. A blending of these two qualities, so vastly different from one another, is necessary to the real gentlewoman. She must be a princess in heart, in soul, in generous sentiments, in courage and in appearance, and a *bourgeoise* in hospitality, in the love of the fireside, in the care of her children, and in principles of wise economy.

Every morning at 9 o'clock the three daughters of the princess of Wales take their music lesson. They have "mamma" waked up, who, a few minutes later, appears in her dressing-gown and remains with them till the lesson is over. Nothing interests the princess more than the education of her daughters. In music she can fully appreciate their progress, being herself a consummate musician. Her delicate, dreamy, thoroughly Danish nature betrays itself in her touch. She dotes, above all, on the melodies of Chopin and Schumann, and she plays them with wonderful talent.

The three young princesses, Louise, Victoria and Maud, differ as greatly in character as in physiognomy. The eldest, Louise, has the fine features and the grace of her mother; she is gentle, gay, and affable, in short, the Parisienne of the three. Victoria, the second daughter, is the image of her father. She is proud, rather reserved, and attaches herself little to people. When she does grow fond of some one, however, her affection never wavers. She unites to a thorough consciousness of her own dignity a generous heart, easily moved. Her intellect, which is greatly developed, only renders her the more engaging. The youngest sister, Princess Maud, can still be called a baby. She is but 10 years of age. In appearance she bears a great likeness to her grandmother, the Queen. She is good-hearted, and at times even a little serious.

The private apartments of the princess of Wales, both at Sandringham and at Marlborough house, are fitted up completely in the French style. One would believe oneself transported to a mansion in the Champs Elysees. Scattered about everywhere on plush-covered tables are an infinity of knick-knacks, such as small porcelain dogs, bird-cages with stuffed birds, figures in Dresden china, tiny flowerstands of France or Sevres, inkstands, blotters, knives, and what not, just as in the shops of Rue de la Paix. The princess' writing paper comes from Paris, as well as her dressing tables and all the latest fashionable baubles. Her different pieces of furniture are surrounded by low screens, which, in many cases, she herself has embroidered. Many objects in ivory, enamel, silver, and mother of pearl recall Prince "Bertie's" voyage to India.

Frendship, grace, and kindness—such is the motto of that royal home, where Paris is proud to occupy so large a space.

Turkish Policy in Armenia.

(From the London News.)

Although there is no truth in the report that an insurrection has broken out in Armenia, yet the conduct of the Turkish Government in that Province is well calculated to provoke a rising of the people. They are introducing large numbers of Circassions into the gendarmerie ostensibly charge with the duty of maintaining order in the country. There have been considerable differences of opinion as to the numerical proportion which the Armenian Christians bear to the Kurds and other Mussulman inhabitants of Armenia. The Turks appear determined to settle this question in a very high-handed manner. They have introduced into the country large numbers of Moslem emigrants from the Caucasus, so that substantial increase may take place in the number of the faithful. The Armenian Patriarchate at Constantinople appointed agents to make an informal but approximate census of population; but the Turkish authorities have arrested these persons, and seized their papers. By such unsatisfactory methods is the Porte endeavouring to show that Armenia should be blotted out of the map and henceforth be known as Kurdistan. Even in Constantinople all the pictures representing the old Kings and heroes of Armenia have been seized, and many of their vendors put in prison. If no outbreak takes place in Armenia it will certainly not be for want of provocation.

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uscript, "a wild, hairy man was exhibited at Charing Cross that danced on a tight rope with a balance to music. He also drank a glass of ale, took off his hat, and smoked his pipe like any other Christian." Previous to that animal's appearance, the following letter appeared in the *Standard* of April 3, 1711, probably intended as an advertisement:

HONORED SIR: Having heard that this nation is a great encourager of ingenuity, I have brought with me a rope dancer that was caught in one of the woods belonging to the great Mogul. He is by birth a monkey, but swings upon a rope, takes a pipe of tobacco, and drinks a glass of ale like any reasonable creature. He gives great satisfaction to the quality, and if you will make a subscription for him I will send for a brother of his out of Holland, that is a very good tumbler, and also for another of the same family, whom I design for my "Merry Andrew," as being a great mimic and the greatest droll in the country where he is now.

Later, trained monkeys were used in London in a play called "The Expedition of Alexander the Great," and as the warrior passed through the various roads of Asia the animals appeared, dancing and throwing themselves from tree to tree in a most natural manner, while to the infinite amusement of the spectators and the mortal terror of the "noble army," showers of manufactured coccanuts fell upon the stage.

Drawings which are more than four hundred years old represent horses standing on their forelegs and beating time with their hind ones on a drum held by the showman, and in 1612, at a grand court festival, Moses Pluvruel, riding master to Louis XIII. of France, accompanied by nine gentlemen, went through a ballet dance on horseback, executing leaps into the air and graceful returns that were wonderful in the extreme. The following is from a show bill in the time of Queen Anne: "To be seen at the Ship upon great Tower Hill, the finest taught horse in the world. He fetches and carries like a spaniel dog. If you hide a glove, a handkerchief, a door key, a pewter basin, or so small a thing as a silver twopence, he will seek about the room until he has found it, and will then bring it to his master. He will also tell the number of spots on a card and leap through a hoop, with a variety of other performances."

According to Strutt, these exhibitions led to the formation of a regular circus, and at that time the experiment was probably first tried in the form of a regular company. On this point he says: "I believe a modern species of exhibition was introduced to public notice about forty years back, by a man named Price, who displayed his abilities at Doborey's, near Islington. Soon after, a competitor by the name of Sampson made his appearance, and he again was succeeded by Astley. The latter established a riding school near Westminster bridge, and has been a successful candidate for popular favor. These performances originally took place in the open air, and the spectators were exposed to the weather, which frequently proved unfavorable, interrupting the show, and sometimes preventing it altogether. To remedy this, Astley erected a kind of amphitheatre, completely covered, with a ride in the middle for the display of horsemanship, and a stage in front, with scenes and other theatrical decorations. To his former divertisements he then added tumbling, dancing, farcical operas, and pantomines. The success he met with occasioned a rival professor of horsemanship named Hughes, to build another theatre for similar performances not far distant, to which he gave the pompous title of the Royal Circus. Hughes was unfortunate, and died some years back, but the circus has passed into other hands, and the spectacles exhibited there in the present day (1800) are far more splendid than those of any other of the minor theatres."

In Calabria, and especially in the city of Lybaris, the people were noted for the skill they showed in training horses. This might truly be placed among the lost art or tricks, for, though we have our trained studs now, we can in no wise educate them up to the standard of the ancients. The Lybrian horses were so generally and thoroughly drilled and trained that the Crotonians, when marching against them in time of war, provided themselves with pipes and musical instruments, and so defeated the riders with incredible slaughter, as the horses, on hearing the notes, reared up and attempted to go through the figures and dances they had been taught, thus causing great confusion, and ultimately the defeat of their owners.

In olden times the hare, which is now thought to be so untractable and timid, was rendered so bold by constant training that in all the fetes and shows it held quite a prominent position; and in a very old manuscript found in the Harleian Library there is an engraving which represents a hare marching up and down, and beating a tabor to an admiring crowd of spectators. Johnson notes a similar case in the above-mentioned shows. A hare was trained to attack a dog, and as the latter rushed at his antagonist it would spring in the air, and, landing on the back of the dog, would drive its sharp claws into the flesh just before the ear, and cling with a tenacity worthy of a better cause.

Dogs rarely figure in the old engravings, and evidently the wonderful sagacity of those of these later times is not hereditary, or perhaps they have just arrived at that state of culture which results from years of careful selection. One animal only is found among the old paintings, and he is merely represented as sitting on his haunches in a most melancholy position, while a man stands in front, endeavoring, with the assistance of a huge club, to make him remain in this decidedly uncomfortable position. Even in comparatively modern times they are seldom spoken of. In 1664 "Doggies that dance the morrice" were mentioned as acting in Ben Jonson's play of "Bartholomew Fayre," and soon after a company of dancing dogs appeared at Southwark Fair, called the "Ball of Little Dogs." The showbill said: "You shall see one of them, named Marquis of Gaillerdain, whose dexterity is not to be compared; he dances with Mme. Poncette, his mistress, and the rest of their company, at the sound of instruments, all of them observing so well that they amaze everybody." At the close it declares that they have danced before the Queen and all the nobility. The most remarkable feat, however, was that of a larger dog that balanced a pole on his back that supported a large barrel that formed a roost for a cock.

The following is told of an exhibition given near Pall Mall, London, in 1700: "A number of little birds, to the amount, I think, of twelve or fourteen, being taken from different cages, were placed upon a table in the presence of the spectators, and there they formed themselves into ranks, like a company of soldiers; small caps of paper, having some resemblance to grenadiers' caps, were put on their heads, and diminutive imitations of muskets, made from wood, secured under their left wings. Thus equipped they marched to and fro several times, when a single bird was brought forward, supposed to be a deserter, and set between six of the musketeers, three in a row, who conducted him from the top to the bottom of the table, on the middle of which a small brass cannon charged with a little gunpowder had previously been placed. The deserter was placed in front of the cannon and his guards divided, three retiring on the right side and three on the other, while he was left standing by himself. Another bird then immediately came forward, and a lighted match being put into one of its claws, he hopped boldly on the tail of the cannon, and, applying the match to the priming, discharged the piece without the least appearance of fear or agitation. The moment the explosion took place, the deserter fell down and lay motionless, like a dead bird. But at the command of his tutor he rose again, and, the cages being brought, the feathered soldiers were stripped of their ornaments, and returned to them in perfect order."

The "Sulphur King."

(London Globe.)

The story of Ignazio Genuardi, whilom baron, senator, and "sulphur king" of Sicily, adds another to the many proofs which are constantly forcing themselves into notice of "the mutability of human affairs." This person, who has recently been placed as a hopeless lunatic in a private asylum at Palermo, is the son of a Sicilian letter-carrier who, having raised by means of speculations in the very smallest way a modest sum of money, bought with it a plot of land near the village of Committini. The land so bought turned out to contain a valuable sulphur deposit, the working of which brought the postman's family immense wealth. Ignazio amassed a fortune, which is said to have amounted to three millions sterling, was created a baron and senator, and obtained sufficient influence to secure for his son, who was in the priesthood, a bishop's mitre. With his immense wealth he contrived to make himself so highly popular that he never returned from the exercise of his senatorial functions in Rome without being feted as if he were a prince.

But a change came. The son of the postman thirsted to be a leader of society, and spent enormous sums in the endeavour to gratify this desire. He was aided by certain friends in dissipating his wealth, and to such an extent that he not only spent every cent, but became deeply involved and was made bankrupt. He was also arrested for fraud, was tried, and was sentenced to imprisonment. The effect of this reverse of fortune was to turn him into a hopeless lunatic; and to convert his former admirers into abusive enemies. Formerly Genuardi was to the people of Gigenti "the honest and rich capitalist," and "the benefactor." Now he is "the swindler Genuardi, who never had a sovereign of his own to fly with. "Formerly he was "the shrewd, the accomplished, the scholarly;" now he is "the dull blockhead who got himself made a senator when he was hardly fit for the post of usher," and is, to boot, one of the most wretched inmates of a lunatic asylum.

Patrolling the Ocean.

(New York Times.)

Has not the time come for the governments of England and the United States to take some action to diminish the risks of ocean navigation? Every municipal government patrols its streets, and there is no good reason why the great ocean highway should not be patrolled. Were England and the United States each to provide two steamers the route between New York and Liverpool could be thoroughly patrolled. These government steamers could remove sunken wrecks, warn passenger steamers of the locality of icebergs, and afford relief to shipwrecked vessels. A steamer with her machinery broken down would be towed free of charge by the patrol steamer, and would not, as is now too often the case, decline assistance in order to save $30,000 or $40,000 of salvage. A shipwrecked crew compelled to take to their boats would have a reasonable degree of confidence that in two or three days' time a patrol steamer would pick them up, and the owners of a missing steamer would have good reason to believe that, were she in danger or distress, help would be not far off.

The cost of patrolling the ocean highway would be inconsiderable in comparison with the benefits that would be secured thereby. Part of it might be paid by a light tax on vessels in the Atlantic trade, and the payment of such a tax would probably be more than balanced by the decrease in insurance premiums which would follow. We are compelled yearly to send naval steamers on aimless cruises in order that the young students of the Naval academy may learn practical seamanship. Were we to convert our practice ships into patrol ships, the navy department would incur little additional expense, and the safety of the ocean passage would be greatly increased.

Married Maniacs.

(Glasgow Herald.)

Sheriff Barclay, at Perth, has just held an inquest under the prisons act on a man who had died in the lunatic ward of the general prison for Scotland. The evidence disclosed some eventful and very romantic phases of this man's life. He had been arraigned at a circuit court at Jedburgh for the crime of murder, but, on proof that he had been and still was insane, he was ordered to be detained in prison during the pleasure of her majesty. He was in 1865 transmitted to the lunatic wards of the general prison. In 1875 he was so far restored that, on medical certificates, he was released on probation under an order of the secretary of state. He then took up his abode at Coldstream, of which place he was a native. Soon after his first commitment to the prison a woman in another county was also brought before a justiciary court charged also with murder. She in like manner was found to be insane, and accordingly was commited to the general prison. The two had seen each other within its wall. She too, had so far recovered, as soon after his release she was also set at liberty on a probationary order. She wended her way to Coldstream, and there the two lunatic murderers were wedded together. The man soon relapsed into a state of lunacy, and attempted to commit suicide, and therefore was recommended to his old quarters at Perth. At no lengthened interval the woman, now his wife, also replased into lunancy and was sent back to the prison where her husband had preceded her. He died from cancer in the stomach on the 9th of January last, and was buried in the graveyard of the prison. The wife is still an inmate of the lunatic ward of the general prison.

An Irish Family in Bed.

Malachi Higgins is the tenant in possession of five acres of the divided farm. The house in which he lives was built by his father when on his marriage that portion of land was allotted to him. It is a cabin consisting of a single room. The walls are made of tempered mud mixed with straw, and the water that oozes from the rotten thatch makes slimy patterns upon their white-washed faces. In this one room is a bedstead, raised about eighteen inches from the mud floor, on which a feathered bed is placed over a thick layer of straw, and in this bed sleeps every member of the family: Malachi Higgins, his wife, and the girl's heads one way; the boys' heads at the other end of the bed. Before his father succeeded in procuring a bed the family adhered to the primitive custom of sleeping "stradogue." At night, rushes and ferns being spread upon the floor, the husband and wife lay down in the middle, the youngest girl next the mother, the youngest boy next the father, and so on in graduation of age until at the extreme ends were the strangers sleeping on the outside of their respective sexes. The bedstead being raised so high off the ground affords a comfortable place where the pigs can sleep, and in winter the additional warmth supplied by the animals is welcome. The other end of the apartment is large enough to accommodate the cow and the ass, so Malachi Higgins sees no necessity for erecting a shed for these useful beasts.

A Frenchman is about to be beheaded. Under the guillotine a priest approaches him and says: "My friend, have you any last wish to make? The wish of a dying man is sacred." "Yes," replied the doomed man, "I want to learn English."

In forty years the imports of British India have risen from the value of eight millions sterling to that of fifty-three millions. The exports have advanced from twelve to sixty-seven millions sterling. The imports from the United Kingdom are valued at thirty millions sterling per annum. The exports amount to twenty-eight millions.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

Cousin Charley's Story.

BY MARY HALLOCK FOOTE.

Half-past five, or even a quarter to six o'clock, seems very early on a dark, winter morning; and so Robbie's mother found it when he woke at that hour and sat up in bed, calling: "Make it light!" Robbie went to bed at six o'clock, and no wonder he felt so bright and rested before dawn; but mamma, who went to bed at ten, was quite willing to wait until the sun rose to make it light.

"Why don't you keep him up an hour later, Helen?" Aunt Jeanie said. "Perhaps he would sleep later in the morning."

"But Grandmamma said:

"Let him go to sleep as long as he will; he will sit up late enough and lie abed late enough by and by. I always let my children sleep when they wanted to, and slept myself when I could."

Aunt Jeanie's little boy went to bed at eight o'clock, but he was five years older than Robbie. Walter was eight years old, and Robbie looked up to him in all things quite as if he were a man. One evening Cousin Charley was telling Walter a long story. It was a story Walter heard many times, but he was not at all tired of it. He never thought to ask Cousin Charley if he were tired of telling it. They sat together on the sofa in the dimmest corner of the room; Cousin Charley told the story in a low voice, for Grandmamma was reading, and Aunt Helen and Walter's mamma were talking over the pictures of boys' suits in a book of patterns.

"Don't you think this pretty, Jeanie,—this was one with a sailor collar and plaits in the back?" Aunt Helen was saying. "But don't you think Robbie looks well in those large collars—his shoulders are so high?"

While the two mammas bent their heads over the book, Cousin Charley's voice could be heard, although he spoke so low: "The rain came down, trickling down the trunk of the hollow tree, and wet his bed. So Mister Wolf thought he would look around for better quarters."

"Charley, don't make yourself too fascinating," said Aunt Jeanie; "It is nearly eight o'clock."

"Oh, Mamma! he's just in the best part!" said Walter.

"I'll give you ten minutes. Can you finish it in that time?"

The story was finished in ten minutes more, but Charley talked fast toward the end of the time.

The next morning, at five o'clock, all was quiet in Aunt Helen's room, the lamp was unlit, the fire unkindled, and a pale glimmer of moonlight shone through the curtain, for the moon had risen late and was making the most of her time. Tick! tick! sounded from the hall below, where the old clock talked to itself all night long and never slept.

Quarter past five, half past, and Robbie still asleep. Tick! tick! tick!—ten minutes' more rest for Mamma. Now there is a stirring and heaving of the counterpane; an arm, short and fat, clothed in white flannel, is thrown out. Robbie turns over on his back and breathes more quickly. Robbie is waking. Presently, uprises the tumbled white head: "Mamma! Mamma! Make it light!"

Mamma rouses herself, thinking she cannot have been asleep more than an hour.

"Robbie, do go to sleep again. It isn't morning yet. Can't Robbie sleep a little longer?"

Robbie throws of the coverlet and and sits up in the bed.

"Robbie don't want to sleep. Robbie did sleep! Make it light!"

"Come, lie in Mamma's arms a little while. See how dark it is! that is the moon shining."

Mamma takes Robbie close in her arms, feels his hands to know if they are warm, and slipping one hand under his night-gown, softly rubs his back, and smooth fat legs, hoping to soothe him into quite. "Listen to the clock ticking—tick! tick! tick! Everybody in the house is asleep! Grandmamma is asleep, and Aunt Jeanie's asleep, and Walter's asleep, and Katy's asleep, and pussy's asleep, down in the dining room, by the fire. Now, Robbie shut his eyes and asleep, too.

May be a little dream will come!"

Mamma is almost asleep herself by this time, and stops rubbing. "Want to see pussy!" Robbie says, lifting his head. "Mamma, get pussy!"

"Mamma could n't get pussy now. Poor pussy! She wants to sleep. Robbie shall see pussy after breakfast."

"Where is breakfast? Robbie want breakfast!"

"There is no breakfast yet. Katy is fast asleep,—the kitchen is all dark, and the dinning-room is all dark, and the dishes are shut up in the closet, and the bread and butter are in the pantry, and—Robbie shut his eyes and try to sleep. When he wakes up again, may be it will be light."

"Robbie is 'wake! Make it light now!" Robbie places both hands on Mamma's chest and raises himself in bed; he crawls up a little higher and buries one hand in the pillow; a braid of Mamma's hair is under the hand.

"Oh, Rob! Don't pull Mamma's hair! Do lie down!"

"Make it light!" Robbie says, and mamma hears him drumming on the head-board with his fat feet. Mamma looks at the watch and finds that he has only wakened at his usual hour, so she puts on her slippers and wrapper, lights the lamps, places the screen before it, and touches a match to the kindlings, already laid in the fire-place. Robbie is so interested watching all these preparations for his comfort that he lies quite still. The fire roars and crackles, and a bright, dancing light chases the shadows across the ceiling. Mamma is just lying down again, when Robbie calls:

"Ammals! ammals! Want my ammals!" Mamma puts on her slippers again, and gets the Noah's ark, with the animals rattling around inside, most of them without legs, and several of the species entirely extinct.

"And the boat!" Robbie commands, from his high seat on the pillows. The boat is really the snuffer-tray, an old fashioned silver-plated one, which had stood on the high Mantel, holding the snuffers, ever since Mamma could remember. The snuffers had not been used for almost as long a time, and were very stiff in the hinges; but the tray was still in active service, playing various parts in the children's dramas. At present it was used as a boat, in which the animals from the ark were ferried over the rolling sea of bed-covers. Robbie had no faith in the sea-worthy qualities of the ark. It stood on the [illegible], and the [illegible] with one leg,

[illegible] Liszt.

(From [illegible].)

The bell of St. Croce, in the hill campanile over the cloisters which form part of the Villa d' Este, rang out at 12:00. It was a bad bell, like most Italian bells, and I naturally alluded to the superiority of Belgian bells, above all others, rather to my surprise, Liszt said: "Yes, but how are they played? I remember being much struck by the Antwerp carillon." I described to him the mechanism of the carillon clavecin and [illegible], and reminded him that the Antwerp carillon was much out of tune, Bruges being superior as well as of heavier calibre, and Mechlin bearing off the palm for general excellence. We stopped short on one of the terraces, and he seemed much interested with a description I gave him of a performance by the great carilloneur, M. Denyn, at Mechlin, and which reminded me of Rubinstein at his best. He expressed surprise when I alluded to Van den Gheyn's compositions for bells, laid out like regular fugues and [illegible] voluntaries, and equal in their way to Bach or Handel, who were contemporaries of the great Belgian organist and carilloneur. "But," he said, "the Dutch have also good bells. I was once staying with the King in Holland, and I believe it was at Utrecht that I heard some bell music which was quite wonderful. I have listened myself to that Utrecht carillon, which is certainly superior, and is usually well handled. We had again reached the upper terrace, where the Abbate's midday repast was being laid out by his valet. It was a charming situation for lunch, commanding that wide and magnificent prospect to which I have alluded; but Autumn was far advanced, there was a fresh breeze, and the table was ordered indoors. Meantime, Liszt, laying his hand upon my arm, we pass through the library, opening to his bedroom, and thence to a little sitting-room, (the same which commanded that view of the Campagna.) Here stood his grand Erard piano. "As we are talking of bells," he said, "I should like to show an 'Angelus' which I have just written;" and opening the piano, he sat down. This was the moment which I had so often and so vainly longed for. When I left England it seemed to me as impossible that I should ever hear Liszt play, as that I should ever see Mendelssohn, who has been in his grave for 33 years. How few of the present generation have had this privelege. At Bayreuth, I had hoped, but no opportunity offered itself, and it is well known that Liszt can hardly ever be prevailed upon to open the piano in the presence of strangers. A favorite pupil, Polig, who was then with him at the Villa d' Este, told me he rarely touched the piano, and that he himself had seldom heard him; "but," he added with enthusiasm, "when the master touches the keys, it is always with the same incomparable effect, unlike anyone else; always perfect." "You know," said Liszt, turning to me, "they ring the 'Angelus' in Italy carelessly; the bells swing irregularly, and leave off, and the cadences are often broken up thus:" and he began a little swaying passage in the treble—like bells tossing high up in the evening air; it ceased, but so softly that the half-bar of silence made itself felt, and the listening ear still carried the broken rhythm through the pause. The Abbate himself seemed to fall into a dream; his fingers fell again lightly on the keys, and the bells went on, leaving off in the middle of a phrase. Then rose from the bass the song of the Angelus, or rather, it seemed like the vague emotion of one who, as he passes, hears in the ruins of some wayside cloister the ghost of old monks humming their drowsy melodies, as the sun goes down rapidly, and the purple shadows of Italy steal over the land, out of the orange west! We sat motionless—the disciple on one side, I on the other. Liszt was almost as motionless; his fingers seemed quite independent, chance ministers of his soul. The dream was broken by a pause; then came back the little swaying passage of bells, tossing high up in the evening air, the half-bar of silence, the broken rhythm—and the Angelus was rung.

Steam and Iron on the Sea.

SOME OF THE GREAT OCEAN STEAM-SHIPS—MONSTERS BUILT—LARGER ONES IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION—THE DAY OF SAILING SHIPS OVER.

(From the New York Sun.)

At the close of last year there were in course of construction on the Clyde about fifty steamers of upward of and about 3,000 tons each. Twenty years ago there were not half as many steamers of that size in the whole world. The few that did exist were looked upon as marine curiosities.

Among the steamers on the stocks in the Scotch yards are one of 8,500 tons, one of 7,000 tons, one of 6,250 tons, one of 5,500 tons, and two of 5,000 tons each. These are all designed for the transatlantic steamship companies, and are double and three times the size of the vessels in use not longer ago than fifteen years.

The Great Eastern, it is true, was launched in 1858, and was larger than any of these steamers, but she was rather a phenomenon than a step in the orderly progress of naval architecture. For the purposes for which she was built, those of a great freight and passenger steamer for long voyages, the Great Eastern proved unfit, and her construction brought heavy financial loss on her builders. It was only the development of ocean telegraphy that gave her a chance opportunity which saved the huge ship from complete failure as a useful vessel.

Now, however, we find the ocean steamers every year increasing in size, and immediately going into active service. The new Cunard steamer, the Servia, for instance, will be of 8,500 tons, if we take the Custom House measurement, but of about 11,000 tons of actual weight when loaded for sea. She therefore approaches the Great Eastern in size; but, unlike her, will be a vessel thoroughly adapted to the severe and steady use required of an ocean steamer on one of the great Atlantic lines, and unlike her, she represents in her construction the latest advances in practical marine architecture.

Steamers of a tonnage equal to that of the Servia will hereafter be common on the greatest of our ocean highways, that between New York and Liverpool They have been rendered possible by the introduction of the screw propeller, and by the success of the compound engines. These two improvements have revolutionized the carrying trade of the world. It is now done by the steamers rather than the sailing ships, upon which steam must more and more encroach until it controls all but a very small part of commerce. Already three-quarters of the merchant marine of Europe are steamers, and the European nations generally are rapidly increasing their commercial navies in the same direction.

The last paddle wheel steamer built for the Cunard line was the Scotia, launched in 1861. Compound engines were first introduced at about the same time. Very nearly simultaneously, too, iron began to supersede wood as a material for shipbuilding. From that time forward our shipyards steadily declined in activity, and our share of the carrying trade of the world became less and less. From that time, moreover, dated the establishment of England as the great builder of ships for the world. Steam and iron revolutionized naval architecture and made England the master of it.

Steamers of greater and greater size will be built, for the larger they are the more cheaply they can carry freight The power and consequent cost of fuel increase only about as the area of the midship section, while the carrying capacity, of course, increases in a much higher ratio. These steamers, too, must of necessity be of iron.

Can we compete with the Clyde shipbuilders in construction of such vessels? When we can, and only then, American shipbuilding will resume its old importance in comparison with that of England, and our share of the carrying trade of the world will be restored to us. That is the nub of the whole question of supremacy in the shipbuilding and carrying trade, about which we hear so much talk.

The South African Dutchmen have given their British friends more trouble than was expected. These slow-going, plodding, somewhat easy and good-natured people, you know, when they do get their dander up are no joke by any manner of means. The Boers seem to have much of the spirit of their forefathers, the famous Dutchmen of the great Republic.

Greece is still making a tremendous noise for so small a state, and threatening to do terrible things, if, if, if— but Europe seems inclined to pay no great attention to what either she or Turkey does so long as they keep within decent bounds at all, and do not set all their neighbours by the ears. It must be humiliating to be a little state in Europe with so many big fellows looking patronisingly on, and always ready to give a metaphorical shake or box on the ear whenever things don't exactly suit them.

The Land System in Ireland.

(From [illegible].)

"Landlordism," as it is now very generally called, or the system by which the land in Ireland is held and cultivated, is on all hands acknowledged to be largely responsible for the deplorable state of things that has for so long reigned almost supreme in that unhappy country. By the vast mass of the Irish people themselves, and by an increasing number of thinking men everywhere, it is considered a perfect curse, a bane, and inevitable hindrance to anything like progress or prosperity. A system which gives complete control of the sole means of earning a livelihood which it is any way possible to the great mass of the Irish peasantry, to a minority in many cases very largely removed from all sympathy with the majority both by birth,

[illegible] AND RELIGIOUS ASSOCIATIONS

and by habits, may well be questioned as to the capacities for good that it contains. However the principle of "the greatest happiness for the greatest number" may be considered an excellent one in theory, in Ireland at any rate the practical aspect of the case has had so attenuated an opportunity of displaying itself, that to all intents and purposes it has remained a theory and nothing more. Perhaps also it is destined to remain a theory, and will most assuredly remain such, will shine dimly through the uninteresting nebulosity of theoretical basiness, if the thoughtless and merely animal injustice, or the deliberate tyranny of the "happy" minority, is the only Providence, that is to say the only instrument of Providence, to which a less fortunate majority can look for an extension of that benefit, which philosophers consider as the great end of existence, and the "summum bonum" of human life. "The least misery of the least number" rather than "the greatest happiness of the greatest number" would seem to us the more reasonable way in which to grasp the "great unknown" phantom which has floated like some beautiful mirage before the eyes of many of

THE GREAT AND GOOD OF ALL AGES;

but that of course is mere matter of opinion on our part, and whichever view of the possibilities of human life be adopted, the results may, probably enough in the end, amount to very nearly the same thing. One advantage, however, of what may appear to many as the more desponding and presumptuously sceptical view, is most undeniably that the subsequent disappointment, which is sure to be felt sooner or later, will be lighter in the one case than in the other, and the inducement to try again, consequently greater. In Ireland, at any rate, at the present moment and for long centuries in the past, it might well seem that to lessen the amount of human misery even though to an indefinitely small extent, was all that man could hope to do.

It is impossible to realize the depth and sincerity of this great Irish movement which is making itself so widely felt over the whole civilized world, unless we fully understand that to the great majority of the Irish people, the cultivation of the soil is their only means of living. Deprive them of that and starvation stares them in the face at once.

THE LAND IS TO THE IRISHMAN,

in most cases what the sea is to every fisherman, it is his very life. Now, as a certain well-known writer has pointed out, take a limited area of the sea, assign to it some three millions or more of fishermen, manage things so that every other means of living is closed against them, rule off this tract of sea into a number of sub-divisions, more or less microscopical, give the absolute control of these into the hands of an alien race not fishermen at all; give that race the power to extract nine fish and a half in every ten fish caught, for the privilege of using one of the microscopical tracts of water aforesaid and getting a "living" out of it; endow this alien race with the capacities of minor and terrestrial Providences, so that they shall be able to say to this man "go" and he goeth, and to another man "come" and he cometh, and so that they shall be at perfect liberty to "evict" any fisherman who is already paying nine fish and a half, but who has a wife and six children to support, and cannot conscientiously promise to give the nine fish and threequarters which a neighbour more fortunate it may be as regards the good things of this world, or perhaps only less scrupulous, has been willing to offer to the landed or rather "watered" gintleman and proprietor, for the privilege of being given a chance to live; do all this and you will have a fairly intelligible notion of what

BRITISH JUSTICE AND FAIR-PLAY

have been able to accomplish in Ireland for some hundreds of years back, and you will cease to wonder moreover that the "fishermen" and the "alien race" do not always look at the world and things in general through lenses of the same texture and decisiveness. From a purely commercial standpoint of "individualistic" selfishness, it is no doubt an exercise of power in the highest degree legitimate, and to be harmonized in an excellent way with whatever remnants of a moral nature "science" and "advanced thought" in their wisdom may have left us, to secure from a man who through no fault of his own has been brought into this world, and who since he is here is naturally anxious to remain as long as possible; to secure we say from such an one, the nine fish and a half which he is pleased to offer as an inducement to be allowed to live, or even nine fish and three-quarters for that matter of it, or nine fish and nineteen twentieths, if he thinks he can live himself or even support a wife and family into the bargain on the one twentieth of the fish, which no power in Heaven or on earth can make more than a twentieth. That of course is his look out.

EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF,

and "Deil tak' the hin'most," is a most wise, just and excellently Christian maxim, and has been acted on in Ireland by those who should have known better, in a most praiseworthy and assiduous manner. As results go to show however, the practical carrying out of this great truth does not seem to have given universal satisfaction. "Hold perfectly still until you are bled, or at any rate until we can devise some method for your relief," would not be considered a very reasonable command to lay on any man who was troubled with the attentions of a vampire, nor would it be thought a case for very strong "coercive" measures if in spite of all warnings and advice to the contrary, the unfortunate victim were to work himself into a state of considerable nervous excitement. It might be hard on the vampire perhaps, but still, most people would be inclined to try a more or less rough application at that end of the question, even though the unfortunate animal should be deprived of a full half of its supper or "income," as in this case it would be. It is sad, of course if a labouring man has to go without his dinner more or less frequently, to live in

SQUALOR AND NAKEDNESS,

and see his children growing up to a heritage of dirt and degradation, but God made the world, we didn't, the presence of suffering in this world is a great mystery, man's heritage is woe, he is "born to trouble as the sparks fly upward," but we can't explain it, and we are not responsible for it, it is a sad thing for the Irish peasant no doubt, but still, if it comes to be a question between the more or less complete emptiness of the Irish peasant's stomach and the more or less overflowing fulness of the Irish landlord's purse, then at all hazards the "rights" of property must be preserved, and the essential distinction between a "gentleman" and a "man" placed in the clearest of all possible lights. This is the philosophy of many. That there is an essential difference between a "gentleman" and a "man" every intelligent person will admit, and indeed his intelligence may in a manner be guaged so to speak by the tenacity with which he clings to this conviction. There being so many intelligent persons in this world, and the essential difference aforesaid having been one of the dearest of this world's maxims for a long long time, it will be easily understood that the above mentioned view of the "Irish Question" is by no means an unusual one, even though it may not meet with universal acceptance.

KING HUMBERT and Queen Margherita were welcomed enthusiastically during their recent first visit to the island of Sicily. The vivas were loud and hearty in every town their Majesties passed through, and they did not fall in with a single brigand.

The present quarter of the nineteenth century seems an epitome of all the past centuries, and a modern newspaper a birdseye view of all past history. The most savage barbarism and most enlightened civilization stand side by side, and are chronicled [illegible]. The savage [illegible] shown in the Peruvian war can hardly have been surpassed by much that happened during the middle ages, while a description of the Cooper Institute and its lecturer could only have been possible at this late age of the world.

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The Sultan and Hobart Pasha.

(From the Manchester Guardian.)

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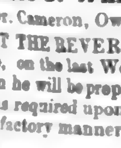

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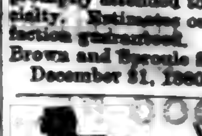

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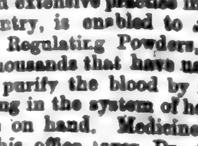

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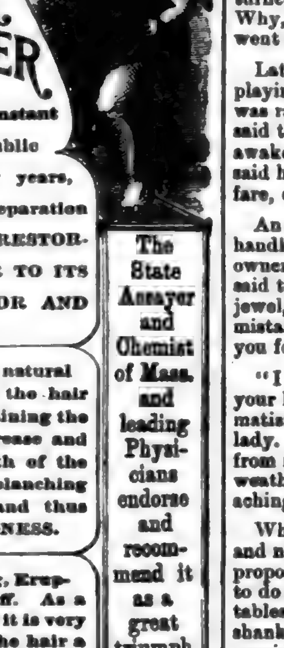

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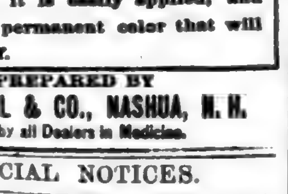

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A MORNING SMILE.

Cannibals are captiv'ating creatures.

Punch says that "the wind is ill-tempered to the shorn lamb."

What is the prime object of soldier's drills? To make holes in the enemy.

Wheat is "thrashed" for the purpose of getting out the grain; a boy is "thrashed" to get out the chaff.

Glass eyes for horses are now made with such perfection that the animals themselves can not see through the deception.

An Indian chief, after the romantic manner of his nation, calls his musket "Book-agent," because it is an old smooth-bore.

No one ever yet saw a man who made a move to separate two dogs engaged in battle as long as his own dog was having the best of it.

A popular cry among the Irish mariners who are guiding their ship of state through stormy political waters: "Stand by your Davitts."

"Lie! well I guess he does lie," said his neighbor Jones. "Why, he's so fond of lying that he won't let a clock strike right in his house."

The following recipe for eloquence is given by a "down-east" orator: "Get yourself chock-full of the subject, knock out the bung, and let Nature caper."

A tailor was startled the other day by the return of a bill which he had sent to an editor, with a notice that the "manuscript was respectfully declined."

Parnell's Lambs.—Paddy: "But what'll we do, Mike, if the liberator becomes a landlord himself?" Mike: "Och, sure, thin, we'll just shoot his tinants for him!"

Edison has dropped his electric light and is now experimenting to see if a cow can not be made to give ice cream by wrapping her in congealed water before milking.

X. arriving from Naples, is questioned by a friend: "Had you no adventures in Italy?" "No." "No brigands?" "I turned them all to flight." "How so?" Why, if I saw an ill-looking individual I went and begged charity of him."

Late the other evening a merchant was playing cards with a railroad official who was rather sleepy at the time. "I pass," said the merchant. The railroad man was awake in an instant. "No, you don't," said he, "not on this line. You pay your fare, or walk."

An Irishman was accused of stealing a handkerchief of a fellow-traveller, but the owner, on finding it, apologized to Pat, and said that it was a mistake. "Arrah, my jewel," retorted Pat, "it was a two-sided mistake—you took me for a thief and I took you for a gintleman."

"I suppose that you are very glad that your husband is entirely cured of his rheumatism?" said a doctor to a fashionable lady. "Yes, I suppose I ought to be, but from now on we will have to guess at the weather or by a barometer, if his bones quit aching before a damp spell."

When the twenty-four hours of each day and night are numbered from 1 up to 24, as proposed for the benefit of clockmakers, and to do away with P. M. and A. M. of time tables, 21 o'clock will be considered as the shank of the evening, and 17 o'clock will be considered as the proper time for dinner.

"What is the meaning," asked a Galveston school-teacher, "of the term 'non compos mentis?'" None of the boys knew, whereupon the teacher explained: "It means that because you don't know it you are liable to be called 'non compos mentis.' Do you understand now what it means?"

There is a marble lamb on the tombstone of an old man, and when an old friend saw it for the first time, he exclaimed: "How appropriate!" "Was he of a gentle disposition?" "Whew! I guess not. He would shoot in a minute, but he always overfed himself on spring lamb and green peas. That's what killed him, I reckon."

The night editor of a Nova Scotia journal wrote the following head line to one of his cable dispatches: "The British Lion Shaking His Mane." He was unable to eat his breakfast the next morning when he found the printer's version of the matter staring him in the face thus: "The Briaish Lion Skating in Maine."

A little miss has a grandfather who has taught her to open and shut his crush hat. The other day, however, he came with an ordinary silk one. Suddenly he sees the child coming with the new stovepipe wrinkled like an accordeon. "Oh," grandfather," she says, "this one is very hard. I've had to sit on it, but I can't get it more than half shut."

A DEVOUT Methodist asked Wesley what he thought as to his marrying a certain woman well known to both. Wesley advised him not to think of it. "Why," said the other, "she is a member of your church, isn't she?" "Yes," was the reply. "And you think she is truly a Christian woman?" "Yes," said Wesley, "I believe she is." "Well, then, why not marry her?" "Because my friend, the Lord can live with a great many people that you and I can't."

A boarder asked a diminution of his rent because of the dampness of his room. It was naturally refused, and the boarder gave notice that he would leave. He got even with his landlord by planting a beautiful mushroom in his bed-chamber, and whenever anyone came to see the apartment he would call to the servant girl: "Bridget, see here; what is this mushroom doing in this room? It seems to me that I told you to take it way." To which Bridget replies: "I did as you told me, sir, but another must have grown there since."

"When is a man not a man?" asked Jones. Of course he expected everybody to give it up, and then he was going to say, "When he is a shaving." But they didn't give it up; not a bit of it. One said it was when he was fool enough to deal in conundrums; another answered it was when he worked over jokes a thousand years old, and a third told Jones to look in the glass and see for himself. Jones said he didn't see what in time they were driving at, but somehow he had lost all interest in his conundrum, and hadn't the heart to tell them the true answer.

Be as Thorough as You Can.

Whatsoe'er you find to do,
Do it, boys, with all your might!
Never be a little true,
Or a little in the right.
Trifles even
Lead to heaven,
Trifles make the life of man;
So in all things,
Great or small things,
Be as thorough as you can.

Let no speck that surface dim—
Spotless truth and honor bright!
I'd not give a fig for him
Who says any lie is white!
He who falters,
Twists or alters
Little atoms when we speak,
May deceive me;
But believe me,
To himself he is a sneak!

Help the weak if you are strong,
Love the old if you are young,
Own a fault if you are wrong,
If you're angry hold your tongue.
In each duty
Lies a beauty,
If your eyes you do not shut,
Just as surely
And securely
As a kernel in a nut!

Love with all your heart and soul,
Love with eye and ear and touch;
That's the moral of the whole,
You can never love too much!
'Tis the glory
Of the story
In our babyhood begun;
Our hearts without it—
Never doubt it—
Are the world's without a sun.

If you think a word will please,
Say it, if it is but true;
Words may give delight with ease,
When no act is asked from you,
Words may often
Soothe and soften,
Gild a joy or heal a pain;
They are treasures
Yielding pleasures
It is wicked to retain.

Whatsoe'er you find to do,
Do it, then, with all your might;
Let your prayers be strong and true—
Prayer, my lads, will keep you right,
Prayer in all things,
Great and small things,
Like a Christian gentleman;
And forever,
Now or never,
Be as thorough as you can.

HIS VICTORIA CROSS.

By the author of "A STRANGE WEDDING-EVE," "CLARE STANHOPE'S DIAMONDS," &c.

CHAPTER VII.—CONTINUED.

"Not yours—you said so—I knew it; you said so." Wistfully, appealingly, the beautiful earnest eyes were raised to his, the slender hand was laid on his; and he turned aside with quivering lips.

"You have heard that?" he muttered, shading his eyes with one hand. "Do not heed what I said—I forgot that you were here—I know scarcely what I said. So you have heard that story of my life? Forgive me, Cecil; I could not tell you."

"I heard it weeks ago," she answered, more steadily now. "I would not even ask you, because I did not believe it was all true—my father trusted you."

"Dear loyal heart!" said Colonel McLeod softly, half regretfully. The words came involuntarily from his lips. "Who wins this will win gold."

She crimsoned to her very brow, gave one fleeting glance upward and met the dark soft eyes that spoke such yearning tenderness all unconsciously, and then her head dropped upon his hand. One brief second she struggled; but her loyal heart triumphed.

"You have won it," came in a low whisper.

Then the bowed face was lifted gently and drawn to his breast, his arms enfolded her, his lips were pressed to her forehead, and his tremulous passionate words fell like music on her ear.

"Cecil, is it so, my heart's life—my darling!"

It seemed as if even for him the sunlight might shine in its dazzling brightness. She loved him. Her pure fresh heart was given to him. Come what might, life could never be quite the mere dull monotony of days to Loris McLeod.

Then a sharp revulsion came. He had no right to hold her to his breast so; yet, oh, how could he put her from him—sever this new sweet tie?

"Cecil," he murmured hoarsely, "it must not be; leave me while there is time; do not tempt me—for Heaven's sake do not tempt me!"

But the girl's slender hands only clasped his more closely as she hid her face on his breast.

"You will not send me from you?" she murmured brokenly. "You are not angry with me? I could not see you suffer."

"My heart, you are only too dear to me," said McLeod; and he stopped, striving for self-control. "How can I link your young life to mine, blighted, seared, weary? How can I give to you a name shadowed with dishonour?"

Cecil raised her head with a quick proud movement.

"It is not dishonoured to me," she said in a clear distinct voice—"to me you are all that is noble and brave. What care I that your life has been blighted? That will only make me cling closer to you."

The fair head drooped again, and a half-smile of exquisite peace stole over the beautiful lips.

"Oh," she said, closing her eyes and drawing a long quivering breath, "it is so little I can give to you who give all to me! Why to think that I, only a weak, fragile girl, should be aught to you!"

"Cecil, hush; you exalt me too much!"

Her joy and her fulness of love and trust held him with a strange awe, while to her it seemed so wondrous that this man, to her the noblest on earth, should have her crowned with the diadem of his love.

"Cecil," he said a little hurriedly, "listen. You trust me so perfectly that you never think that there may have been more than justice, according to the known facts, dealt to me. Why should you suppose that there was no dishonour in my yielding up, without a blow struck for defence, what had been given to me as a charge to hold, come what might?"

"I don't know," she answered simply, in absolute childlike faith. "I thought perhaps you found, after all, you could not hold the town. I know you would never have shrunk from encountering any numbers, nor would you have led your men to certain death without good reason."

She felt him shiver from head to foot; yet still he spoke with a forced calm.

"It might have been, Cecil—as some believed of me—that I was young and wild for glory, and could not brook to die there behind walls, without any chance of the glory I coveted."

"No," answered Cecil directly, "that is impossible; you would not care to win glory at the expense of a soldier's greatest crime but one—disobedience—you would not care to step to fame over the bodies of the men you had sacrificed."

Colonel McLeod turned aside, veiling his eyes with his hand.

"Child—child," he said with bitter sadness, "will nothing shake this blind faith of yours? What though I sinned in neither of these things? Was I right to shield a ——" He covered his face suddenly and bent down. "No, no, I cannot say it—not that, my bright-haired lad. Could he know what he was doing?"

The girl's cheeks grew pale at these words, yet she said nothing and asked no question. To recall that past was almost to endure its agony again. She could tell that by the quick heavy breath he drew, by the tense clasp of the hand that held hers, and by the low slow whisper when at last he spoke, telling of the mental and physical exhaustion that follows sharp mental pain.

"No word of this that I must tell you has passed my lips until now," he said, not then raising his head. "I had thought to let the bitter secret die with me; but you have a right to know, and I—Heaven help me!—I cannot choose but clear my honour to the woman I love."

He paused a moment, then went on more quietly.

"You know, Cecil—you told me—all the facts of that time; you know that I suddenly abandoned Gherutpoor and fell back on Kotul. It was perfectly true that the fort was well-nigh impregnable in fair siege; but when I evacuated it it was already too late to make resistance. We had been betrayed. There were subterranean passages piercing the hills on which the fortifications stood. I knew nothing of them, nor did any one else, save, as I found afterwards, one man—that was my brother, Cecil."

She started and flushed, then grew pale again, but only a half-exclamation of pain escaped her. Her heart was aching for the man who had blighted his own life and borne another's dishonour with such untold heroism.

"Very few people knew that I had a brother," the Colonel went on in the same quiet manner—"none, I think, in India. He was my mother's darling, Cecil, and my father's pride—a fair-haired bright-eyed lad. I don't think any one knew the nature that was masked by the fair winsome face. I thank Heaven my mother died before Archie —— But it matters little; she would never have known it. Well, he was always wayward and unsteady—a spoiled darling; and my mother, when she died, bad me watch over him and guard him. I promised her I would; and I did so as far as I was able. I loved the lad, as most did; and it was the bitterest grief I had known then when he ran away from home. He was at a private tutor's—my father had to remove him from Eton—and he must have got involved in some affair which he feared to reveal at home; in addition to which he had always a passion to go to India. He was sixteen then. I never saw or heard of him again till I went out to India, not long after the outbreak of the Mutiny; then he came to me, almost destitute, deeply penitent for the past. I dare not say that was feigned; I think he was true then—Heaven knows I may not judge him. I loved him—I could not turn from my mother's darling. He said he had suffered much, and had been at various native Courts; but he spoke little of that part of his life. I kept him near me as much as possible; he was serving in the ranks, Cecil, and he went with my men to Gherutpoor.

"One night he was missing—he had stayed beyond the walls, we thought, and had fallen into the enemy's hands and probably been shot. Not long after that, while we were anxiously looking for reinforcements, I had just made the rounds of the ramparts the last thing one night, and was going off to get an hour's sleep, when one of our natives came up and gave me a scrap of paper. I knew the writing directly, and the cipher used was one known only to Archie and myself—one we had invented as children. He was a prisoner, he said, among the Sepoys. He had betrayed the town under threats. There were underground passages of which he alone knew; he had revealed them; they had laid mines in them under the town, and intended to blow up the whole place late that very night. There lay about four hours between us and certain destruction, Cecil; and more, the road to Kotul would then lie absolutely defenceless. Their garrison was weak, and there was no one to warn them.

"There was no time then to feel the blow that at another time must have paralyzed every nerve. There was no defence to be made. My brother said he had managed to warn me; it was all he could do. I know not to this day whether this was all—all—treachery. Perhaps if I had known, even then, could I have betrayed my own brother, and brought foul shame on the name we bore? My father, too—it would have broken his heart!"

Colonel McLeod paused again. He was white to the lips; yet they burned like fire, and the blood coursed hotly through his veins; but he nerved himself to finish his story.

"There is little more to add, Cecil. The garrison was roused; and, under cover of the darkness, we marched out—like men," he said, with strong bitterness, "we dared not face an enemy. Was that a light thing to bear? But the Sepoys did not blow up Gherutpoor when they found it empty; the gates must have been quietly opened by—my brother. I thought I might reach and strengthen the garrison at Kotul, unless we should chance to fall in with reinforcements. The rebels, in overwhelming numbers, came up with us while miles of country lay between us and Kotul; and my men fought with the courage of lions; but it was hopeless. They fell around me by scores, whilst I, whose only prayer was for death, seemed to bear a charmed life. Then reinforcements came, but too late to save aught but the life that was a curse to me——"

"Hush, hush! Oh, Loris, no!" whispered Cecil, with passionate earnestness. Heaven is too merciful to lay that curse for ever upon you."

"Forgive me, my child!" he answered, with a deep humility that touched her to the quick. "Your simple faith is a rebuke to the bitterness that burns within me sometimes. I may have seemed patient outwardly; but I have not always been so, Heaven knows! Such patience as I have is bought with tears of blood."

He paused for a moment.

"You know," he went on, "that I was tried by court-martial? The sentence was death, Cecil; but the Commander-in-Chief in India sent the case home for final consideration, and that sentence was reversed. But the under-current of suspicion has ever been at head-quarters—that I have always known—that I betrayed Gherutpoor. The only explanation I could give was not satisfactory; and I had disobeyed orders."

He rose as he spoke the last words, raised the girl gently from her kneeling posture, and laid his hands on her shoulders.

"You know now, Cecil," he said softly and quietly, "all that rests on this name I bear. It is dishonour. I would not drag you down to that, my child. If it were but given to me to redeem that name! But this is all over now."

She threw herself upon his breast with an intensity of passion that startled and shook him to the heart, quivering with deep-drawn sobs, which could not be quieted, even by his loving touch and soothing whispers.

"It is for your sake, darling!" he said, at length when she lay tranquil like a tired child, clinging to him as though she could not bear to miss the clasp of his hand. "I strove to hide from your eyes this love I bear you. I could have borne to see you the wife of another if you could have been happy so. And now I have, all unwittingly, brought the first cloud on your young life, my Cecil!"

He put back with lingering tenderness the clustering curls from her brow, and met the blue eyes that looked up with such wistfulness.

"You do not know what it would be to live day after day under the cloud that shadows this life of mine. I have passed my youth, dear, and I have grown used to walking in shadow. Sunshine is not a necessity to me as it is to you in the springtime of life."

"Don't; I can't bear it!" she cried, with a quick gasp, as the sweet voice faltered and was silent. "There would be no sunshine for me without you. I could not live, and should break my heart to know you were lonely and weary, and I was not with you. You called me your 'sunshine' once. Oh, let me be that, let me be happy in trying to lighten your burden!"

"Cecil, Cecil, spare me! My own heart pleads so for this joy! A moment—hush with me!"

He released her, and turned away, walking from her down the long room. How could he be strong here, when those dear wistful eyes looked into his, and those clinging fingers were touching his?

She drew back, watching him, her lips half parted, the colour flitting over her soft cheek.

While Loris McLeod still strove with the deathless love that pleaded for her, he heard not the mad galloping of a horse's hoofs without on the gravel, or the loud echoing peal of the bell. But Cecil did, and knew not what strange impulse made her bound forward to the door, and then stop, pressing her hand over her throbbing heart. She had no distinct thought, she did not know what she expected; but yet, when a light tap was heard at the library-door, and Hector entered, her eye fell without surprise on the yellow envelope he carried.

"Give it to me," she said quietly. Is any one waiting?"

"No, Miss Verner. An orderly from Hyde brought the telegram on," said Hector; and he withdrew.

Then the girl sprang to the Colonel's side, and he turned to her. He had given no heed to what had passed; and she put the telegram into his hand. With a violent effort he forced himself to calmness, and tore open the envelope.

The next moment the paper dropped from his hand. With a smothered cry he sank down upon a chair near him, and bowed his head on his locked hands.

"At last, at last! Thank Heaven!"

And yet the message that Cecil read with rapture was only a summons to dire danger, perhaps to death. It ran thus—

"Join the —th at Chatham at once, embark on the 22nd. Colonel Darnley ill. Insurrections there."

CHAPTER VIII.

"It may be, Cecil, that I shall never come back to you, but, whatever befalls, I shall die, Heaven willing, as a soldier should die. And so farewell, my own darling!"

They were the last words Colonel McLeod spoke, as he folded the girl in his arms, and pressed his lips to hers with lingering tenderness. It might be the last time he should so hold her to his heart, so kiss those soft lips, so meet the brave loving gaze of those blue eyes.

He could not speak; but he smiled, and took the wistful face in his hands, looking down upon it as though he would grave every line on heart and memory.

Then he turned away, and went out into the hall, where Hector, his faithful attendant, awaited him, where there were signs of departure; and through the open doorway could be seen the noble chestnut horse the Colonel always rode, led up and down by a groom. The servants all collected to say the last "good-bye" to the master, and old Colin stood looking wistfully in the entry.

Mrs. Annandale and Alice, whose ready tears were flowing, came out from the drawing-room.

The Colonel had already taken leave of them, and had told Mrs. Annandale alone that he left Cecil as his promised wife, which information had greatly pleased his kinswoman, though it had not very greatly astonished her.

"What, tears, my little maid?" said the Colonel, with his bright gentle smile, as he put his arm round Alice, and kissed her once more. "A soldier's lassie? Be brave and hopeful, my child. I dare say I shall come back to Ridinghurst, after all."

The servants crowded about him, the women in tears; and for every one, from the stately butler down to the little kitchen-maid, who half hid behind the house-keeper's skirts, between grief at the Colonel's departure and wondering awe of his uniform, he had a firm hand-clasp and gentle word of farewell.

But, when he had sprung into his saddle and had gathered the reins in his hand, while Hector sat like a statue awaiting his master's word, Colonel McLeod glanced round, half paused, then, as if some thought had struck him, called to Cecil to come out.

"Only a fancy," he said a little hurriedly, bending down to her and holding her hand in his ungloved right hand. "Yours must be the last touch. Heaven watch over you, my heart's dearest!"

They watched him down the long avenue as far as they could see; and, long after horse and rider were lost to sight, they could hear the click of the hoofs echoed back from the quiet country roads.

Then Cecil turned back with her sister to the drawing-room and stood by the fire, looking down into the blaze, one hand resting on Colin's brown head—he was her charge now.

There was a dreamy smile lighting up the large eyes, her thoughts were far enough away from that spot, and her heart was all aglow with a noble enthusiasm.

"I should have thought you would have been more sorry for Colonel McLeod's departure," said Alice disconsolately. "Why, you are actually smiling!"

Cecil turned to her sister with a half start, as though she had been awakened from a dream.

"Was I?" she said. And then she stooped over Colin, and her bright hair fell like a veil of gold over her soft clear cheek. "Don't you know, Allie, how the Highland women used to send off their soldiers to the wars?"

But Alice made no answer. She did not understand Cecil in the least.

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"McLeod! Ah, by Jove, this is the jolliest thing a fellow can see!" was the earnest hearty greeting of Lord Kennedy when, after a day's continuous duty, the Colonel sat in his room writing.

Colonel McLeod had not seen Lord Kennedy till now, and, as that young officer burst into his apartment almost without the ceremony of knocking, he rose quickly and advanced to meet him with outstretched hand.

"I declare I could pitch my cap up in the air!" cried Lord Kennedy, seating himself on the table. "The time seems to pass like lead till we're off. And perhaps after all"—philosophically, though with an under-current of sadness in his manner—"it's only food for the assegais we'll be."

"The chances of war," said the Colonel, with a fleeting smile. "Your people, Kennedy—how do they take it?"

"Like bricks! Aren't they Englishwomen!" replied Lord Kennedy, puffing with suspicious vigour at a cigar he had just lighted. "Fancy my mother turning out at four o'clock in the morning to see me off last week! There are plenty of Spartans among modern women."

"I have left one at Ridinghurst," said Colonel McLeod, who knew his young friend was hovering round the subject.

"Ah!" Lord Kennedy looked up with suppressed eagerness. "Cecil—I can't help calling her that—how does she take it?"

Colonel McLeod was sitting by the table, resting his forehead on one hand. He said now, looking up straight into Lord Kennedy's frank eyes, not answering his question—

"Kennedy, isn't your family intimately related to that of Lord Tredegar?"

Lord Kennedy coloured, looked down, and then said off-hand—

"Yes; my eldest sister's his wife, that's all. What on earth has that to do with Miss Verner?"

"You cannot deceive me, Kennedy," said the Colonel gently. "Did you think it would hurt me to owe this command to you, dear boy?"

For a moment Lord Kennedy sat looking at the Colonel, too much taken aback to speak.

"How did you know?" he said at length.

"I am right, then?"

"You will make so much out of nothing," said Lord Kennedy. "I knew your application had been refused, and I was mad. So, as soon as old Darnley was kind enough to get sick, I worked what interest I had. You see you're a first-rate man, so it was all right; and a certain person out there you know, who shall be nameless, wrote me—I know him—'Why on earth don't we have out McLeod! I wish I had him with my column.'"

The young man paused a second; then he said, turning aside and speaking in a low voice—

"I know you would give worlds to go out, McLeod—forgive me—and I got an idea—I must have it out—you won't be vexed?—after I saw you that day it came back to me—that you had been sacrificing yourself for what you thought would be for Cecil's happiness and mine. I was so taken up with my own selfish feelings that it never crossed me before. If that were so, whichever way it went, you would want tenfold, if that could be, to go out. That's all the truth, McLeod. If I have pained you, you'll know it was unwittingly, and pass it over."

The Colonel in answer only put out his hand and clasped that of the younger man in silence. It was many minutes before he could speak at all.

"Dear noble friend," he said softly, "you will never know quite all that you have done for me. You still trust me, Kennedy! I have felt like a"—he drew in his breath sharply and bit his lip, taking up another phrase quickly—"as though I were deceiving you till you knew this. And I should never have given her a name unredeemed from the breath of dishonour. I cannot say much in thanks for your noble generosity; words are but vain to pay such a debt as this!"

"It's nothing, nothing," answered the young man hastily, as he walked away to the mantel-piece, where he stood silent for some time; nor did McLeod intrude upon what must inevitably be thoughts tinged with bitter pain even to a heart so noble as this. "Well," said the young man at last, turning round, but with a quiver in his voice, "Heaven bless her! And you—I don't grudge you the jewel because I can't wear it myself. She will be happier with you than I could have made her. I don't know that I understood her as you do; though I—— You'll tell her how glad I am?"

And then, without waiting for an answer, Lord Kennedy rattled away about military subjects. The conversation lasted until a late hour, when the two men parted.

Not many days after that the transports stood out to sea; and every heart beat high with hope and longing as each moment bore them onward to the goal where honour and glory might be won.

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Fashions for Men.

COATS SHORTER—TROUSERS TIGHTER—VESTS HIGH—THE NEW COLORS.

The tables of tailors are laden with the newest goods, and the mandate has gone forth that there is to be an approach to more plainness of style. Nothing that may be called loud is to be tolerated. As to the materials in imported goods, English and Scotch suitings are to be plentiful. The latest samples show great varieties of Meltons, wooliens, Scotch cheviots, basket goods and diagonals. Meltons are in all colors, and there are many styles of mixed goods from which to choose.

The colors are to be generally more sombre, and certainly not so pronounced as heretofore. Among the mixed goods are some red and black, and with the novelties may be seen what is called an olive green. The green is a delicate shade, and barely distinguishable, and not enough to offend the most stanch Tory.

In regard to shapes there is to be a wide margin to suit the most varied tastes. Tailors agree that there is at present a good deal of individual sovereignty in dress. A man with thin legs will not usually hold himself up to ridicule by wearing the old-fashioned tight pantaloons they used to call "gun covers." Fashions are becoming more and more elastic, and the time has gone by when any fashion plate will be made an iron rule for men. Single-breasted cutaways are to be worn, with an occasional three or four button cutaway where the wearer rebels against one button only. In spring overcoats the prevailing style is loose, buttoned up high, with a tendency to roll over the collars so as to show the silk lining and give a stylish appearance. Prince Albert coats are to be a leading feature, buttoned up high in the neck. The vest will be high, without collar. Some of the young fellows show a disposition to rebel against the Prince Albert coats as better fitted for more elderly persons. Coats for business suits are to be made with small rolling collars to a great extent. Trousers are to be worn rather close fitting to the form of the legs, the bottoms small and shapely. Young men who aspire to lead the fashion favor tight trousers. The tightness will not, however, be carried to an extreme.

Tailors say that a custom is rapidly spreading among fashionable men to leave orders for clothing with merely general instructions to "make it up according to the latest style." This leaves it to the cutter's option or his knowledge of the special tastes of his customer to modify the style to suit particular cases. For exact or extreme fashions there is a tendency to short coats as well as to tight trousers, so that the young men who follow the latest styles will present a very natty appearance. All coats are to be made shorter. There is little change in dress suits, except a tendency to make the coats shorter. The fact is that so few men can afford to wear out a dress coat in a short time that there is positive and effectual rebellion against any sudden or frequent changes in that respect.

Besides the olive green referred to there are among the novel colors blue and olive mixed, brown and olive, and other novel combinations of shades. Business suits for summer wear are to be made of blue Scotch cheviots in skeleton form, rather tighter fitting than last year. As usual, most of the finer imported goods are imitated skilfully in cheaper qualities. A suit that costs $40 at a fashionable tailor's may be bought for $15 in a cheap store. There is a great rush for clothes made to order at low rates, and many low-priced establishments have sprung up all over the city.

Common Sense in Advertising.

(New York Post.)

A model advertisement is designed to satisfy the rational demand of a probable customer to know what you have got to sell. The successful advertiser, therefore, observes three rules: First, he aims to furnish the information which the public wants; second, he aims to reach that part of the public whose wants he is prepared to satisfy; and third, he endeavors to make his information as easy of acquisition by the public as possible.

The commonest and handiest thing in the American family is the newspaper, and, as nearly all the shopping proceeds from the family, from its needs, intelligence, its taste, and its fashions, it follows that the thoughtful and successful advertiser approaches the family by this means. He does not waste his money and his time in loading his advertising-gun and shooting it off skyward in the streets, at all creation, on the chance that some willing customer may be going that way, and may be brought down; on the contrary, he takes account of the advertising ammunition which he has on hand, and loads and points his gun through the columns of some reputable newspaper at the game he wants to hit.

Besides knowing that newspapers are the best means of advertising and how to pick out the best newspapers for his purpose, the successful advertiser fully appreciates the importance of persistent advertising. Mr. Bryant used to say that the great influence of the press depends for one thing upon its power of iteration. Presenting the same subject in many forms, it finally wins attention and acquiescence. Used in this thorough and systematic way, the advertising columns of the newspapers are as useful and essential to the merchant, as means of telling the public what he has to sell, as the clerks behind the counter are to show his goods when the people come to examine them.

The Khedive of Egypt has given orders to the Grand Chief of the Religious Corporations that the ceremony known as the "Doseh" must henceforth cease. The "Doseh" was a procession which took place annually in Cairo in the national ceremony known as "Mewled-el-Nabi," and consisted of the passage of a sheik on horseback over his prostrate coreligionists. The Khedive has also made important modifications in reference to sects who at these ceremonies devour serpents and submit themselves to blows from swords; "in short, for the future these religious fetes will alone consist in the offering up of prayers."

THE sun is getting high enough to limber up snow drifts.

English Farmers in Despair.

THE EFFECT OF BAD HARVESTS AND OF AMERICAN COMPETITION—A HOPELESSNESS OF THE FUTURE.

(From the London Economist.)

It may be from fear of America, it may be from the long continuance of unprofitable harvests, it may be from the rise in the expenditure especially upon labor, or it may even be from increased intelligence, but there is a hopelessness about farmers complaints which experienced men, familiar with their ways, never remember before. They hardly look for any improvement. They do not speak of the bad times as exceptional. They do not, among each other, talk of prices as sure to improve. Above all, they throw up their farms on apparently light provocation. Experienced land agents notice a total difference of tone, an indisposition to haggle, a sort of determination to make none but low offers, and to stick to them. The tenants, as they say, seem not to want the farms, and make offers too low to be entertained, in a kind of spiteful sport. Very often no offers at all can be obtained, and the land is either thrown upon the landlord's hands or goes out of cultivation. The latter occurrence was formerly most unusual in Great Britain, and seems almost impossible; but there is no reason to doubt the statements made that in every county in the south and east large numbers of farms formerly yielding good rents are lying idle, the landlords being unwilling to let at low rents to men who ask long leases, and unwilling to cultivate for themselves or able to bear a temporary loss. We know in our own experience of a district in which eleven farms, poorish to fare as to soil, are deserted and untilled, and have read advertisements of a quite extraordinary character in the way of temptation to tenants. Of farms in the landlord's hands, and of farms broken into two or three, there is no end, while land in modest patches is sunk in value to a degree which suggests a kind of dread among tenants as well as land buyers. There is a feeling of hopelessness, in fact, abroad among farmers of the better class, and of reluctance to remain in the business, which of itself may produce important effects, willingness to farm having been an important element in the trade. It differed from all others in its attraction for a class—those who preferred country life and were content not only with modest profits, but with almost an entire adsence of those chances which in many walks of life are so attractive. Now that willingness has disappeared.

ABOUT NOTABILITIES.

A RUSSIAN school has been opened in Rome for the children of the Russian families who have followed thither the Czar's sons Servius and Paul.

KING LOUIS of Bavaria has just given Wagner eighty thousand dollars for a new opera, of which he is to enjoy the first performance alone by himself.

THE Empress of the French gave $250,000 for Mr. Longman's villa, which is to be her future home. The house is a good one, and stands in very pretty picturesque grounds, but there is only a small quantity of land attached to it.

THE Prince of Wales gave a dinner to twenty-five guests recently at the Marlborough Club, London, to decide on the qualifications of a new *chef de cuisine*. Each guest was to give his unbiased opinion on the back of the menu card before him. The cook was voted unanimously not up to the mark.

THE celebrated Italian embalmer, Paolo Gorini, lately died at Lodi, aged 68. His whole life was devoted to science, and he died a beggar. The State gave him a splendid funeral, and the day after his burial a subscription was started to raise him a monument.

THREE biographies of Mr. Carlyle are in preparation. Mr. Froude will, it is believed, bring out very speedily the fragment of autobiography left by Mr. Carlyle, and will reserve till a future period the publication of his biography of the deceased.

A NEPHEW of the great Dr. Edward Jenner, Mr. Stephen Jenner, now eighty-seven years old, lives in great destitution at Heathfield, near Berkeley, England. He was the subject of many of his uncle's experiments.

THE new hotel of the Duc and Duchesse de Tremoille has been furnished from top to bottom with the gifts of friends. The Comtesse de Pourtales sent a wonderfully wrought fire-screen, and there were pianos, harps, escritoires, and all the rest.

A FIRM in Bremen has the commission to make the uniforms for the army of the King of the Sandwich Isles. The army consists of 400 men—100 cavalry, who will have the same uniform as the German yellow Dragoons, and 300 infantry. The organizer of this force is Herr Hogemann, a native of Bremen, with whose services the King is much pleased.

AN Italian writer says that our modern millionaires are nowhere in comparison with some of his countrymen, as follows: Mark Antony spent $1,000,000,000 in merely sowing his wild oats. Nero gave $100,000,000 in presents to his friends. Heliogabalus gave a dinner that cost $200,000; the toilet of Agrippina on a special occasion footed up to $1,500,000, and her box of jewels at home was worth $2,000,000.

Parnell seems to have broken himself at last. Was he from the first an honest agitator, or a mere demagogue? Opinions differ. It would be difficult to say which in many respects. However much he loves his country, at anyrate he seems unwilling to run the risk of anything like martyrdom for her sake. For all this we think Parnell was really in earnest to a certain extent at anyrate in his efforts for Ireland, and that his efforts, and the efforts of others, will eventually bear good fruit.

THE Troy treasures of Dr. Schilemann lately exhibited at South Kensington, London, and now presented to the German Government, have arrived in Berlin, and will be displayed in the new Ethnological Museum on completion of that building. The Emperor has addressed to the learned Doctor a letter thanking him in the name of the Empire for the precious and patriotic gift, and expressing the hope that he may further be privileged to continue his unselfish and scientific labors with equal success to the honor of the fatherland.

Cruelty to Cattle on Shipboard.

(London Telegraph.)

If certain rumors respecting the intolerable sufferings to which horned cattle are subjected during their transport from America to this country be founded on fact, it is high time that the board of trade should turn its serious attention to the subject. In all probability strenuous efforts will be, if they have not already been, made by the society for the prevention of cruelty to animals to obtain official protection for the unfortunate creatures doomed to endure the horrors of a long sea voyage with the shambles as its goal, in order that English tables may be plentifully supplied with fresh beef. Under favorable weather conditions a bullock passes its time on board ship in a chronic condition of fear and misery; but "when the stormy winds do blow," and the vessel rolls heavily, the agonies it suffers are such that their mere contemplation for a few seconds might melt a heart of stone. That wilful torture should be permited to aggravate the already unbearable torments to which a severe gale condemns these wretched beasts, appears incredible; yet we have been assured that expedients of such dire cruelty that we forbear from shocking the public by describing them are mercilessly put in practice in order to compel oxen, maddened by sheer physical pain, to leap overboard when the movement of the vessel is so violent as to prevent the possibility of their being dealt with by the crew. It is a significant fact that, within the last few days, a vessel which left the shores of America with a cargo of five hundred and ninety-four live bullocks should have arrived in the port of London with only forty five of its horned passengers, the other five hundred and forty-nine having perished during the voyage "in consequence of heavy weather."

THE late Thomas Brassey, "England's wealthiest son," so far at least as personal property was concerned, was a native of Cheshire, and his sons have lately restored the southeast angle of the cathedral in his memory. Mr. Brassey bequeathed to his eldest son his modest patrimonial estate, a farm in Cheshire, but divided thirty millions of dollars between the three.

A NEW sort of portable fire escape has just been patented, which consists of an arrangement in the form of a large telescope, which can be extended upward, forming a tower reaching to the top stories, and from the upper section of which a door can be opened and a bridge stretched across to the burning house. Over this person can go and descend within the great tube, which is protected by a covering of sheet iron.

THE STANDARD.

[illegible]day, March 18th 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

[illegible] year 1881 thus far, has been [illegible] of accidents and sudden [illegible]. One day it is a poor house [illegible] down and several of its inmates perish in the flames. Another [illegible] is a tenement house, and again [illegible] lives are lost. Then comes [illegible] destruction of the Palace Hotel, of Dr. R. V. Pierce, and now an explosion [illegible] a Boiler testing shop, when [illegible] of our fellow men are sent to [illegible] an account of there stewardship [illegible] a moment's warning. The accident was caused by the explosion of a large Boiler while being [illegible]. There were twenty five boilers in the building at the time [illegible] her employers as was also the [illegible] or of the firm. The later [illegible] of the employees were blown [illegible] the street, through the walls of [illegible] and knocked into an unrecognizable mass. Every one in the [illegible] was more or less injured, [illegible] largest portion being either killed [illegible] or are not expected to recover.

[illegible] repeating attempts [illegible] of Russia [illegible] out the [illegible] the Czar. [illegible] of Russia was not all that [illegible] ared in this age of enlightenment [illegible] the late Czar had introduced [illegible] which had greatly ameliorated the condition of the working classes. [illegible] very reforms had made him [illegible] enemies especially his freeing [illegible] serfs from bondage. The Nihilists [illegible] advantage of this discontent, [illegible] been endeavoring to revolutionize [illegible] country and advance their infidel [illegible]. The first step was to get [illegible] the Czar, and we regret to say [illegible] they have at last succeeded. [illegible] Saturday the 12th inst. whilst returning from a military review a [illegible] bomb filled with nitro-glycerine [illegible] thrown under his carriage, which shattered the carriage, but hurt no [illegible]. However the occupants had [illegible] alighted, when another was [illegible] which fell at the Czar's feet, [illegible] lating him in a fearful manner, [illegible] his death in a few hours. [illegible] 20 others were also injured and [illegible] ral killed

[illegible] following remarks are by Mr J. [illegible] Sheldon, one of the English tenant, [illegible] delegates who visited this country [illegible] year, to see what inducements [illegible] held out to the old country [illegible] farmer who wished to emigrate.

[illegible] things in Canada strike [illegible] er powerfully: the vastness of [illegible] country; the unbounded faith the [illegible] have in the future greatness of [illegible] country; and the cheerful loyalty [illegible] the Old Country which is everywhere found. The liberty of the Canadian farmer, grand and unconven[illegible] as it is, and the independence [illegible] mind and of position, considerable [illegible] even complete as it is in many [illegible], do not develop into licence and [illegible] lessness, but into cheerful and [illegible] rous habits of life. Loyalty to [illegible] Old Country and pride in their own [illegible] leading features in the political [illegible] of the people; hospitality to [illegible] rs, and readiness to impart in[illegible] and render services, are [illegible] features in their domestic life; [illegible] living faith in the future of [illegible] Dominion, based on a knowledge of [illegible] exhaustless natural wealth, and of [illegible] inherent energy of its citizens, is [illegible] minent in their conversation. [illegible] is not the aristocracy of [illegible] th, but that of labor and [illegible] brains—personal merit, in fact—[illegible] holds a foremost pl[illegible] estimation of the people."

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

Mr. Hanbury held his [illegible] for the season on the rink [illegible] was very well attended [illegible] others. Owing to the [illegible] former it would be [illegible] [illegible] where all [illegible]. The race on skates was won by Joseph Atkison, M. Wilson second. The [illegible] race caused great amusement to the spectators, if not to the competitors who had a bad time of it keeping their feet, some of them performing [illegible] sitting posture to an upright one. The race however was won by Wm. [illegible] eterson, Jas. Kershaw second and John McAulay third. The ice was in splendid condition and every one appeared to enjoy themselves thoroughly. It is hardly necessary to say that the affair was a decided success, and the only regrets heard were that it was the last for this season. Mr. Hanbury was as undifatigable as usual in seeing that everything was done for the comfort of both spectators and skaters, which tended not a little to the success of the evening, and I trust next year that there will be more of such pleasant evenings with the same genial proprietor.

Yours &c.,

A LOOKER ON.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

SWELL AFAIR.—The *swell affair* of the season was the social given by the Oddfellows of Dufferin Lodge, No. 186, in the lodge room, on Tuesday evening, the 8th inst. The social was got up more especially for the married people, and we make bold to state that it even eclipsed the one given a few weeks previous for the enjoyment of the young folks. About 8 o'clock the officers and members clothed in regalia, took their respective positions. Bro. W. Trimble occupying the N. G. chair and Bro. H. Hooper the V. G. chair. The meeting was then opened by all singing the opening ode of the order, after which the N. G. gave an address of welcome to the large number who had answered the invitations sent out. The several games and sports of the evening were then indulged in for a considerable length of time, after which a sumptuous repast was furnished, when the tables were cleared a very interesting and instructive programme was rendered, readings were given by Bro. H. Hooper and Bro. M. P. McMaster; recitations by Bro. Blackburn and Clark. Songs by Mr. & Miss Anderson, Misses Philp and Trimble, also a song by Mr. C. W. Morey; Speaches by Rev. Messrs Philp and Savage, Dr. Christoe, Mr. M. Richardson, and Mr. J. W. Henderson, Toronto. After this Bro. W. Trimble again thanked the people for their attendance and hoped that many such evenings would be spent in the the same manner. Before closing we would say that this was without exception *the* entertainment of the season. Great praise is due the bretheren for the very orderly manner in which the whole evenings amusements were conducted. Among those most noticable in making the company at home were Bros. W. Taimble, W. F. Doll, J. Blackburn, D. Wright, H. Flesher, M. P. McMaster, R. Trimble, J. Sullivan, A. Beattie, W. Bradley and Mr. McPherson, and every one present seemed to enjoy themselves exceedingly. About 12 o'clock, the meeting was brought to a close by all singing the National Anthem. We noticed a large number as they were leaving the Hall, humming the familar old song "Happy to meet, sorry to part and happy to meet again."

BA[illegible].—Mr. J. W. Armstrong has [illegible] into his new brick residence, [illegible] he and his family be [illegible] for many years to come, to enjoy [illegible]. Flesherton now sports a [illegible] and bank, but a bank [illegible] of money in it. We [illegible] is getting tony.... [illegible] social held at Mr. [illegible] th inst, in aid of [illegible] Presbyterian Sabbath School was [illegible] proceeds were $16.... The L. A. A. of the Methodist Church, will hold a social in the basement of the church, on Friday the 18th inst., and on the following Friday the Presbyterians will hold one in the the Town Hall.........No vacant houses in Flesherton.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia, was held pursuant to adjournment, on the 26th February. Members all present. Minutes of last session of Council read and confirmed. Petition signed by J. Deleree Esq., and 28 others, praying for redress of grievance inflicted by Holland Council, on U. S. S. No. 1, E. & H., laid before council. The Clerk was ordered to request the Co. Treasurer, to strike off $4 off the amount of taxes, returned to him, against the E. ½ of lot 4, con. 6, for the year 1880, and to get John Alexander to perform four days statute labor next summer, in lieu of said $4. The resignation of Thos. Reid, as one of the Treasurer's securities, was accepted. The report of committee appointed to enquire the nature of claim made by Mr. Blackwell, for damage to a horse, on the road was laid before council, and adopted, and the Reeve ordered to make defence against any attempt to recover such reported damage, as the claim seems unreasonable and illegal. The Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Mr. Gilray, were appointed to examine the Auditors' Report now laid before council. The Reeve and Mr. Loughead, were appointed a committee to confer with parties having fences on the old mail road, in order to get the fences removed at an early convenience. The Treasurer was authorized to receive from the Clerk of the court the amount deposited there by R. Myles, in case of Bell, vs. corporation of Euprasia, and to give receipt to said Clerk, for full amount on account of balance being paid. The Township Clerk to furnish the Treasurer with copy of resolutions John Pickerin was authorized to spend $6 for relief of old Mrs. Gray, an indigent. The Reeve to issue money order for said amount. The Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Clerk, were appointed a committee to examine the Collector's rolls for 1877 and 1878, as it is made to appear that there is a mistake in a former report. The Clerk was ordered to notify John Wilson, to return $10, which he re[illegible] from this Council in error. The Reeve was appointed to get side roads 3 and 4 in the 5 concession chopped and cleared 2 rods wide. The Clerk was ordered to notify the Reeve of Holland, that this Council has ap[illegible] Boyd Esq., Heathcote [illegible] in U. S. matters, and [illegible] wish and determination [illegible] therein. Arrange[illegible] into with Nelson [illegible] to arrears of taxes [illegible] roads. On motion of Mr. Gilray and Mr. Boyd, the council resolved to not be responsible for any contracts let in the year 1880, except those in course of completion viz., the jobs let to John Pentland, John Anderson & Joseph Doharty. The time for the Collectors to return their rolls was extended one month. The Treasurer was ordered to remit to J. Rutherford, Owen Sound, $20.70 for stationary and printing. The Reeve's orders were issued as follows, viz.:—To George Crabtree $1 for repairing chimney of Town Hall; James Anderson, $65 salary as Collector for 1880; James Johnston, $14 as Auditor; W. Douglas, $14, as Auditor; R. Dunlop, $6.90, registration fees for 1880. C. Watt, $35, for iron furnished for bridge as per order of John Pentland; $10 was granted for the relief of Mrs. Clark who is indigent and sick. On motion being made and seconded the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in March next.

ROBERT DUNLOP,
Tp. Clerk.

A CASE OF BLACKMAIL.

The preliminary enquiry which took place before the Mayor and three other magistrates into the charge of indecent assault made against Dr. Washington of this town, which was reported in the *Mail* of the 11th inst., closed last night at twelve o'clock, having lasted since 7.30 p. m. of the 11th inst. The charge was so evidently an attempt to blackmail—the prosecutrix and her husband being compelled to admit several ineffectual attempts to obtain money from the doctor on a promise to hush the matter up—that the magistrates summarily dismissed the case. The assault was alleged to have taken place during a treatment by the doctor for acute flexion of the uterus. The cross-examination of the woman Hall, who made the charge, and who by the way was, until recently, a resident of the United States, was conducted by Mr. Elgin Myers of this town. [illegible] he completely succeeded in breaking down her examination-in-chief and in demonstrating her whole story to be manufactured. Dr. Washington, who is a married man of good standing, and of the most exemplary character, is once more restored to the fullest confidence of the public.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

DEAR SIR.—I noticed in your last weeks isue an articule in referance to the accident which befel Willie Noble. I think you must have been misinformed regarding the true circumstances of the affair. He did not get hurt while riding, or hanging on a sleigh, as stated as no sleigh was near at the time. The true statement of the case is,—that while coming from School, Willie Wright pushed him down, and then jumped on him, breaking his thigh; after which he (Wright) pushed a boy by the name of Hewitt on him; after this they ran away. This is a true statement of the affair, as was seen by three or four different parties. His teacher Miss Lyons, was the first to assist him while lying on the street.

THE CHILDS GUARDIAN.

IRELAND'S TROUBLES, THEIR CAUSE AND CURE.

BY W. M. CLARK.

Oh Ireland, fair land of my fathers, I love thee,
For thee oft my heart hath in sympathy bled;
Oh! why should opression still hover above thee.
Or why should thy children be crying for bread.

No land upon earth can for beauty surpass thee,
No people more kind, tender hearted and free;
Then why should contention forever harrass thee,
Or landlord and tenant at enmity be.

Thy talanted statesmen, so honored in story,
Thy heroes, the bravest the nations have seen,
Their memory we cherish, untarnished their glory,
Should ever reflect o'er thy valleys so green.

Then, why o'er the range of thy heather clad mountains,
Should violence triumph, or bloodshed be rife;
Should bitterest emnity poison thy fountains,
Thou fairest of lands, that hast given me life.

Oh! charge not thy woes to the Lion of Britain,
In seasons of danger thy strength he has been;
The secret lies deep in tradition's unwritten,
And mysteries dark by the masses unseen.

Thy land hath in darkness so long been enshrounded,
In vain superstition and ignorance deep;
Thy limited area thy sons have o'er crowded
While despots a grasp on their intelects keep.

Give Ireland a free, open bible to-morrow,
And liberty grant to the consience of men;
She'll soon rise above all occasion of sorrow
And quietly rest in contentment again.

Let landlord and tenant acknowledge their duty,
And each set about his own part to improve;
Her happiness soon will outrival her beauty,
And all dwell in loyalty, union, and love.

We've room for thy sons in our glorious Dominion,
With plenty in store for the diligent hand;
Where each may express and enjoy his opinion,
And each as a man in his dignity stand.

We've prairie to conquer, we've forest to level,
And welcome for all who are willing to come;
Escape from contention, so fruitful of evil,
And find in our noble Dominion a home.

Oh! Ireland, fair land of my fathers, I love thee,
I long for the day when thy strife should be o'er;
With freedom's bright star shining brightly above thee,
And thou shalt be torn by dissension no more.

When released by the Gospel from priestly oppression,
With frredom of conscience and unity blest;
Thy sons shall rejoice in their noble possesion'
The land of their fathers in plenty possess'd.

With the yoke of the tyrant removed from thy shoulder,
Thy sons shall arise in the stature of men;
And the sages of Ireland grown wiser, as older,
Shall never submit to be fettered again.

When the loud swelling trumpet from ocean to ocean,
Proclaims the glad tidings, our country is free!
And Ireland released from internal commotion,
More firmly united to Britain shall be.

Flesherton, March, 1881.

THE poem entitled Bachelor's Hall will appear next week.

CURE FOR DIPHTHERIA.

The following remedy is taken from Dr. Chase's receipt book:—"We have received a receipt for the cure of diphtheria from a physician who says that of 1,000 cases in which it has been used, not a single patient has been lost. The treatment consists in thoroughly swabbing the back of the mouth with a wash made thus: Take table salt, 2 drs.; black pepper, 1dr.; golden seal, 1dr.; nitrate of potash, 1dr.; and alum, 1dr. Mix and pulverize, put into a teacup which half fill with boiling water; stir well and then fill up with good vinegar. Use every half hour one, two and four hours as recovery progresses, the patient may swallow a little each time. External—Apply 1oz. each of spirits of turpentine, sweet Oil, aqua ammonia, mixed, to the whole of the throat, and to the breast bone every 4 hours keeping flannel to the part;

BIRTHS.

WILSON,—In Markdale, on the 11th inst., the wife of Rev. A. Wilson, of a son.

FOX,—In Markdale, on the 14th inst., the wife of Mr. Wm. Fox, Plasterer, of twins, boy and girl.

DIED.

DAVIS'—In Artemesia, on the 6th inst., the wife of Thomas Davis, Esq., Sr., aged 62 years.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL
CURES RHEUMATISM
[illegible]

R. J. McCOY,
Agent for the following Implements, &c.:
The Massey MOWER, [illegible] HARVESTER, and celebrated HAY RAKE (Sharp's.)
Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,
DICK'S ALTON PLOUGHS.
ALL KINDS OF Fittings and Repairs Kept constantly on hand.
SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS FOR SALE, CHEAP.
Licensed AUCTIONEER FOR THE COUNTY.
Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.
Charges Moderate.
R. J. McCOY.
Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 27.

TAILORING
C. A. OWEN,
Fashionable Tailor,
HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to
FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!
CUTTING!
Done while Customers are waiting.
THE LATEST FASHION PLATES
Always on hand to chose from.
A Good Fit Guaranteed
—AT—
LOW RATES.
☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-tf

Auction Sale
OF VALUABLE
Farm Property,
UNDER and by virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at the
MUNSHAW HOTEL, IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,
In the County of Grey,
On Thursday, the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1881,
AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,
The following valuable lands and premises, viz.:—Lots numbers one hundred and nineteen and one hundred and twenty, in the first concession South-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less, excepting thereout a portion heretofore sold to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company. On the premises there are said to be good frame buildings.
TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale; forty per cent. in thirty days with interest at seven per cent.; balance can be had for five years with interest at seven per cent per annum.
For further particulars apply to,
LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD,
25-4i Solicitors, Toronto.

HAGYARDS PECTORAL BALSAM.
Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.
☞ Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors Toronto.

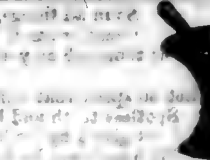
A NEW ELECTION
In Euphrasia.
THE Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at
6 Per Cent., Yearly!
ON STRAIGHT LOANS,
This is the
Lowest Rate ever offerered in the County of Grey.
OFFICES:—Lot 26, Con. 4, Euphrasia, and MEAFORD,—Next door to Royal Hotel.
N. B.—A large amount of private money to loan on
Good Notes or Second Mortgages,
E. E. KNOTT.
March 3, 1881. 25-3m

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!
McKENNA & MASON
HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as
BUGGIES,
DEMOCRATS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AND
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES,
And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to
HORSE SHOEING
AND
General Jobbing!
As we warrant all our work, A call is solicited, and we guarantee satisfaction.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel
Markdale, March 3, 1881.

TO RENT OR SELL.
LOT No. 2, Toronto street, Markdale. Now occupied by Joseph Sproule. For particulars apply to
MARSHALL BEARD,
Markdale P. O.
Markdale, March 8th, 1881.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.
Squander your money [illegible]
W. BULMER,
The People's Photographer,
Flesherton.
Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging at low rates.
FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.
We are now receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and [illegible]
Bring your pictures and have them [illegible]
BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

MEDICAL HALL.



CHANGE of BUSINESS.
We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased
THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS
Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.
As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of
Fancy Goods, Toys,
And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.
Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY,
Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils, Teas, and Tobaccoes,
ALWAYS ON HAND.
Agents for Monteal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.
☞ Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.
A. TURNER & CO.
Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Pianos and Organs.
J. A. CRAWFORD
DEALER IN
PIANOS AND ORGANS!
OF THE
Uxbridge Manufacture.
Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to
GIVE ME A TRIAL!
I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.
Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.
All Instruments warranted for Six Years.
ADDRESS,
J. A. CRAWFORD,
LOCK BOX 73,
Uxbridge, Ont.
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VICTORIA BUCHU & UVA URSI
THE GREAT SPECIFIC
DISEASES [illegible] KIDNEYS [illegible] URINARY ORGANS

Organ for Sale.
A FINE OCTAVE ORGAN [illegible]

REMOVED!
FROM my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to [illegible]
Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellery, Wedding and Jem Rings, Clocks, &c., &c.
[illegible]
DUNDALK.
[illegible]

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!
[illegible] inform the Public generally [illegible] control of the
FLESHERTON STEAM FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY
AND REMOVED TO THE
Furniture Warerooms
IN THE
NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE [illegible]
Where my customers will always find me, or a competent [illegible] and attend to their wants. My facilities are now superior to [illegible] by strict [illegible] dealing to merit a continuance [illegible] patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.
I have now a Large and Varied Stock of
Furniture in all the Latest St[illegible]
and during the Winter I require
100,000 FEET OF GOOD
Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and [illegible]
LUMBER!
for which
THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.
Also a Quantity of Good [illegible]
ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC.
AS USUAL.
Estimate of supplies Given on Application.
☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, [illegible]
H. HOOP[illegible]
Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELING OFF!
FALL AND WINTE[illegible]
AT AND UNDER COST
For Cash, for 30 Day[illegible]
Gents Over-Coats and Suits,
CHEA[illegible]
LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS,
CHEA[illegible]
Ladies' and Gents' Undercloth[illegible]
CHEA[illegible]
Staple and Fancy Dry Goo[illegible]
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT
ROCK-BOTTOM PRICE[illegible]
BOOTS AND SHOE[illegible]
In every Variety—CHEAP.
Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the
"TORONTO HOUSE"
Wm. BROW[illegible]
Markdale, December 20, 1880.

WE WISH YOU
A Merry Christmas and a Happy New [illegible]
In reviewing the past year we cannot but say, that [illegible] been a year of prosperity with the people of our [illegible] and as others have prospered, we have been [illegible] participate with them in their prosperity.
Our business has rapidly increased, especially since moving into our new premises, and we solicit a share [illegible] patronage for the year 1881.
We are now offering a fine collection of
Christmas Good[illegible]
—NAMELY—
Vases, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Cups and [illegible]
and a large variety of
CHILDREN'S TOYS
OUR GROCERIE[illegible]
For the season are, as usual,
Well Selected, Fresh and Good
NEW CURRANTS,
NEW PRUNES,
NEW TEAS, at 45c, Splendid Value.
The People are all asking for our
TEA DUST, nothing suits so [illegible]
STARTLING DISCOVERY!
WE ARE OFFERING
WINTER DRY GO[illegible]
At LOW PRICES to clear them out.
NOTICE.
WANTED,—10,000 Railway Ties,
5,000 Telegraph Poles,
Also a quantity of Cord[illegible]
HILL BROTHER[illegible]
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880.

[illegible] Potrait's of the late Hon. G. [illegible] have arrived. Subscribers to [illegible] Globe who get their mail at Markdale P. O., will call at [illegible] Jewellry store, for said Potrait.

[illegible].—On Wednesday last a [illegible] Henry Becker of this place, [illegible] side walk and dislocated [illegible] shoulder. Dr. Landerkin attended [illegible] and no doubt it will be [illegible] in a few days.—*Hanover Post*

[illegible] ELECTION.—The nomination [illegible] of Euphrasia took place [illegible] on the 15th inst. [illegible] Patterson, [illegible] The Election will take place Tuesday, 22nd inst.

TELEGRAPH.—"A Flesherton [illegible] has sprained his leg pulling off [illegible] boots." McFarland desires the people of Flesherton [illegible] to understand [illegible] Boots and Shoes warranted not [illegible] off; and also, warranted to go [illegible] when they are on. N. B.—[illegible] just recieved.

[illegible].—On Tuesday last the house [illegible] Joseph Young, 1st con. [illegible] Bentinck, was totally destroyed by [illegible] Mr. Young and his wife were [illegible] at the time and everything in [illegible] house was lost. This will be a [illegible] hardship to Mr. Young who has [illegible] commenced housekeeping [illegible] no Insurance.—*Hanover Post.*

[illegible] J. Blyth has received instructions [illegible] John Bigham, to sell without [illegible] on his premises [illegible] lot 18, [illegible] 6, Euphrasia, on Tuesday March [illegible] inst., all his farm stock, implements, household furniture &c. $5 [illegible] under cash, over that amount 12 [illegible] months' credit by furnishing good [illegible].

[illegible].—W. J. McFarland has seven [illegible] and two Warehousemen, yet [illegible] have to go away without being [illegible] upon, the rush of customers is [illegible] great. No wonder his competetors [illegible] and say some naughty things, [illegible] they see their customers driving [illegible] their door. Let them [illegible] great purchasing public fully recognizing the *Fact that they save money* in every instance by dealing with McFarland.

[illegible] having pure seed grain for [illegible] would do well to let it be known [illegible] the STANDARD. It will only [illegible] 50c for one insertion in the local [illegible] columns, where every reader will see [illegible]. There are many inquiring for [illegible] and there are also some anxious [illegible] find a market for the same. [illegible] plan of finding each other.

THERE will be four division courts [illegible] Dufferin. The first division will [illegible] Orangeville for its head, and will [illegible] comprise Orangeville, East Garafraxa, [illegible] the township of Amaranth as far [illegible] as the southerly boundary of lot [illegible] in each concession. The second [illegible] division will comprise the village of [illegible] Shelburne, and that portion of Amaranth not included in the first division [illegible] the township of Melancthon. The [illegible] division will comprise Mulmur [illegible] and the fourth the township of Mono.—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

[illegible] A DISASTROUS fire occured in [illegible] on the morning of the 12th [illegible] which destroyed the Customs [illegible] Inland Revenue [illegible] and club room of No. 1 C[illegible] [illegible] Bat., and several [illegible] the Customs' officials [illegible] and books and the [illegible] Revenue documents are supposed to [illegible] they being in the vault. No [illegible] Company lost everything, and the [illegible] others suffered more or less. The origin [illegible] the fire is not positively known [illegible] supposed to have originated in a [illegible] small office at the rear part of the [illegible] ground floor.

STANDARD.

Friday, March 18th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Sugar making now.

Snow is going fast.

Thursday was St. Patrick's day.

Wilcox has something "nobby" in gold spectacles, for those with weak eyes.

For No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE or other machine oils, try Haskett.

Have you a cough that does not yield? Do not delay, do try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, the best cough cure known; a few doses, safe and pleasant medicine will break up the most obstinate cough. All medicine dealers sell it at 25 cents per bottle.

Don't fail to see Wilcox's stock of clocks—Seth Thomas and other makers, in great variety.

Parties desirous of purchasing a farm would do well to call at this office. We have a number of choice improved farms for sale.

Mr. McKenzie will commence operations in a short time. Marble works. He has one shipment of raw material on hand, and is now taking orders in this section of country.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making them water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

Whatever.—May be said to the contrary, W. J. McFarland has the Capital, Experience, and Enterprise, that enables him to offer goods, not only cheaper, but superior, to any in the market.

Spring will soon be upon us, and farmers will soon begin operations. Those in want of the latest improved agricultural implements, should read J. McCoy' advertisement in another column.

The Potrait's of the late Hon. G. Brown, have arrived. Subscribers to the Weekly Globe who get their mail matter at Markdale P. O., will call at Wilcox's Jewellry store, for said Protraits.

Accident.—On Wednesday last a young lad, Henry Becker of this place, fell on the side walk and dislocated his shoulder. Dr. Landerkin attended to the matter and no doubt it will be all right in a few days.—*Hanover Post*

Mr. S. VanDusen, will sell, by Public Auction on the 19th inst, at McCullough's Hotel Dundalk, a quantity of farm stock, implements &c. $10 and under, cash, over that amount 9 months credit on usual terms.

Having suffered for some time past with bilious Headache as a result of constipation of the Bowels I was induced to try Burdock Blood Bitters, which proved very efficacious, removing both headache and constipation. I strongly recommend it to all similarly afflicted. S. R. ROGERS. ... Grey County, Ont.

New Election. The nomination for Reeve of Euphrasia ... at ... on the 15th inst. the ... gentlemen were nominated ... candidates for election ... Patterson, Car... and H... The Election will take place on Tuesday, 22nd inst.

By Telegraph.—"A Flesherton man has sprained *his leg pulling off his boots.*" McFarland desires the ... Flesherton and ... to ... that ... Boots and Shoes warranted not to ... when he take them off; and also warranted to give comfort when they are on. N. B.—1,... pairs just received.

Fire.—On Tuesday last the house of Mr. Joseph Young, 1st con. W. D. ..., Bentinck, was totally destroyed by fire. Mr. Young and his wife were absent at the time and everything in the house was lost. This will be a great hardship to Mr. Young who has recently commenced house-keeping. He had no Insurance.—*Hanover Post.*

G. J. Blyth has received instructions from John Bigham, to sell without reserve, on his premises W½ lot 18, con. 6, Euphrasia, on Tuesday March 22nd inst., all his farm stock, implements, household furniture &c. $5 and under cash, over that amount 12 months' credit by furnishing good paper.

Mad.—W. J. McFarland has seven Clerks, and two Warehousemen, yet many have to go away without being waited upon, the rush of customers is so great. No wonder his competetors are mad and say some naughty things, when they see their customers driving past their door. Let them squeal. The great purchasing public fully recognizing the *Fact* that *they save money* in every instance by dealing with McFarland.

Parties having pure seed grain for sale, would do well to let it be known through the Standard. It will only cost 50c for one insertion in the local colums, where every reader will see it. There are many inquiring for seed, and there are also some anxious to find a market for the same. Try our plan of finding each other.

There will be four division courts in Dufferin. The first division will have Orangeville for its head, and will comprise Orangeville, East Garafraxa, and the township of Amaranth as far north as the southerly boundary of lot 26 in each concession. The second division will comprise the village of Shelburne, and that portion of Amaranth not included in the first division and the township of Melancthon. The third division will comprise Mulmur, and the fourth the township of Mono. —*Orangeville Advertiser.*

"How thin is Sara Bernhardt, Pa,
That shadow of a shade?"
"Why, just about as thin, my child,
As pe-nie lemonade."

But if Sara would only take Burdock Blood Bitters she could add to her flesh and beauty very materially. These popular bitters are no fancy drink, but a pure and powerful tonic that acts upon the Stomach, Liver, Skin, and Kidneys, purifying the blood and regulating the secretions, whilst it renews exhausted ... See testimonial in another column.

A Disastrous fire occured in Belleville on the morning of the 12th inst., which destroyed the Customs' and Ireland Revenue offices, also the ... and club room of No. 1 C... 15th Bat., and several other ... The Customs' officials ... papers and books and the Inland Revenue documents are supposed to be safe, they being in the vault. No. 1 Company lost everything, and the others suffered more or less. The origin of the fire is not positively known, but is supposed to have originated in a small office at the rear part of the second floor.

Beautiful weather.

Dr. ... will ... thanks for the Report of the Tenant Farmer Delegates.

Benson of the "Belfast" has changed his advertisement this week. We would advise all to read it.

Preaching in the Orange Hall, Markdale next Sunday, at 3 o'clock P. M., by Rev. C. C. Garnett.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam contains no dangerous narcotic drug, but is a purely vegetable healing balsam. It cures by loosening the phlegm and corrupt matter from the Lungs and expelling it from the system. Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, and all Pectoral diseases yield to it promptly. All dealers sell it.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

We want the public to understand that we do not take notice of anonymous communications, especially when they are not accompanied by the name of the writer.

Mr. G. Wright having made a fortune, concludes to retire and give others a chance, and has given Mr G. J. Blyth instruction to sell his entire stock of furniture for what they will fetch. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock to day.

The season for sugar making is fast approaching, and promises to be the best we have had for many years. Those wanting sap buckets cannot do better than call on Hasket Bros, and leave their order. They are remarkably cheap this season.

Manufacturers of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

The *Farmer's Advocate*, for March, has been received. This is Canada's best agricultural paper and should be in the hands of every farmer in the Dominion. Subscription; $1 per annum in advance; $1.25 if not so paid. Subscription taken at this office,

"HONESTY IS THE BEST POLICY."—Our daily bread is sweetest when gained by honest toil Hagyard's Yellow Oil is an honest oil, and honestly speaking; it cures more cases of Aches, Pains, Lameness, Stiff Joints, Flesh Wounds, Burns, Scalds, Bruises, Rheumatism, Deafeness, Colds, Sore Throat and Inflammation, than any other remedy offered for sale. No household should be without it.

This is the way they do it up at Wiarton:—

And now the boys and girls do glide
Upon the glassy ice,
And as they cut a pigeon wing
They say, "Oh my! how nice!"

But when they strike a frozen lump
And light upon their noses,
They sing a pean to the stars,
And softly mutter "Moses!"

School Section No. 10 Township of Proton, Honor Roll for month of February, Marks obtainable 200. 3rd Class, Robert Frazer, 185; Josephine Pattison, 174; Fred'k Johnson, 158. Senior 2nd Class, Sarah Johnson, 192; Carrie Johnston 187; Annie McLean, 185. Junior 2nd Class, Ida ..., 183; Jennie Middleton, 187. 1st Class, Aggie Johnston, 186; ... Nason, 170; Katie McQuarry, 160. A. Graham, Teacher.

The *American Agriculturist* for March is on our table. We have so often spoken of this valuable farmer's monthly that it leaves us nothing more to say in its favor. The information contained in the articles headed—"Hints for the month;" The Fruit Garden;" The Kitchen and market Garden;" are worth more than the price of the Magazine. Take it all together it is a perfect gem in its way. Subscription $1.50 per annum. Published by the Orange Judd Co., 721 Broadway, N. Y.

Many most remarkable cures of Deafness have been performed by Hagyard's Yellow Oil the certificates of which the proprietors will cheerfully furnish; it is the most potent remedy known for all varieties of Inflammatory action—taken internally and externally applied. it cures Croup, Rheumatism, Colds, Sore Throat, and is a perfect panacea for all manner of pain, lameness and flesh wounds.

Honor Roll of School Section Number Seven, Glenelg, for the month of February. Fourth Class—Maximum number of marks, 500. Martha Anderson, 488; Neil Campbell, 398; Thomas Anderson, 361; Sarah Beaton, 360. Third Class—Maximum No. of marks, 500; George Arrowsmith, 427; Albert Arrowsmith, 406; David Arrowsmith, 404; Alexander Anderson, 536. Second Class—Maximum No. of Marks, 400—Janet Beaton, 311; Devina Anderson, 305; Angus McTaggart, 304; Alexander Campbell, 170; First Class, Norman Campbell, 170; M. J. Cunningham. Teacher.

Impaled.—On Thursday last a strong and hearty young man, about 17 years of age, named Murdock, second eldest son of John McLeod, Nichol, near Elora, was engaged in hauling manure on his father's farm. The sleigh had no sides on, and the load was built narrow and steep. His father cautioned him to take a long turn as one of the team was a colt. The young man was endeavoring to follow his advice, when one of the runners of the sleigh raised up by coming in contact with the manure heap, the young man who was standing upon the load, losing his equilibrium, jumped to save himself. He had not noticed that the manure fork slipped off the load, and was standing prongs upward. Instead of alighting upon the ground he impaled himself upon the fork, where he remained balanced for a few seconds, and then fell over. A younger brother, in response to his cries for assistance, endeavored to pull the weapon from his quivering flesh, but could not. He made a second attempt, the father running towards him and giving directions to pull straight, and was successful. Dr. Savage is in attendance. The tines of the fork entered the back thigh, taking an upward direction toward the body, making four distinct wounds, varying in depth from seven to eight inches.

NOTICE.

All parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, as I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the Standard Office.

Markdale, March 17, 1881.

Spring Wheat per bush. new	1.00	to	1.05
Fall do. do.	0.9[illegible]	to	1.00
Barley	0.80	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.65
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.50
Butter, per lb	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese, per lb	0.06	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.35
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.7[illegible]	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed	2.50	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.25
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	2.00

GOLD! GOLD!

$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at

6½ AND 7 PER CENT.

PER ANNUM, STRAIGHT LOANS.

If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest?
If you need a loan?
If your fences are not sufficient?
If you want to buy more land?
If you want to clear and improve more land?

It Will Pay You

to borrow of the

NORTH OF SCOTLAND

Canadian Mortgage Comp'y

They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments; but they do give the most reasonable privileges of any company lending money.

And their Costs are Low!

Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

I have also a Few Thousand Dollars of

Private Money!

To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited.

As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow**, and the place is *The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan and Insurance Agency.*

INSURANCE!

It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a **Reliable** and **Safe** Company, and that they do their business through a **reliable Agent.**

I am prepared to take applications for the **Strongest, Safest and Best Companies** in Canada, and for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies are the

Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock.)
The Waterloo County and Gore District (Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Corectly** and **Neatly** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing, I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES

Attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT.

To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the **Proprietors** themselves. Correspondence solicited.

In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent.

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 1-tf

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor,

FLESHERTON.

Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

☞ Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.

Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

B B B
Burdock BLOOD Bitters

Burdock Healing Ointment should be used in connection with Burdock Blood Bitters for curing Ulcers, Abscesses, Fevers, Sores, &c. Price 25 cents per box. T. MILBURN & CO., Sole Agents, Toronto.

A GOOD CHANCE

A GOOD BLACKSMITH WANTED, to hire for a year, or rent the shop and tools. For particulars, apply on the premises, or by letter to

Mrs. MARK RICHARDSON, Markdale P. O.

Markdale, March 2, 1881.

... for All

W. B Sarjent's

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants ...

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROW AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the

"BELFAST HOUSE."

Also a fresh stock of

Groceies, Provisions,

CANNED FRUIT,

BISCUITS

—AND—

CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut

Side Pork.

FOR SALE. ALSO.

POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,

THE BEST IN TOWN.

BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE,

Cabinet Makers,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

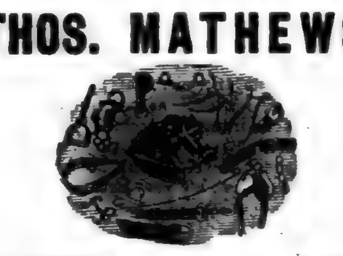
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confiident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nav, 18, 1880 1o

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Bentinck, Durham P. O.

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 12, 1880. 6tf.

MARKDALE HOUSE,

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOUSE is ... with every modern ... the season ... best ... Wines, Liquors and Cigars ...

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.

GREAT

MID-WINTER SALE,

NOW GOING ON AT

W.J. McFARLAND'S

EVERY PIECE OF WINTER GOODS

Marked Away Down.

BIG DRIVES!

10 yards black Cashmeres for $1.50
10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2.50
Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents
Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.
50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.
300 yards All-Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents
Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1.75, worth $3
Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6
10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50
10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3
10 yards black Velveteen for $4
20 yarks Linen Towelling for $1
12 yards heavy Wincey for $1
Colored Velveteens for half price.
50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS, WOLLEN HOODS,

SHAWLS AND MANTLES.

A Special Discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1, will be given.

60 Men's Felt Hats at 65 cents each,
15 yards of Brocade Dress Goods, $2.00,
1 pair Cent's Kid Mitts, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie, ALL for ONE DOLLAR.
Ladies' Kid Mitts, (lined) 60 cents.

And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.

EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS

At and Below Wholesale Prices,

Should call at once at

W. J. McFARLAND,
Wholesale and Retail.

Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust teat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the **15th inst.,** the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o-ly

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM

HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March, 1881. 18

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of good cheer is at hand, I would ... attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

AND

LIQUORS!

Everything First-Class, and at

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WOMAN GOSSIP.

A Merciful Provision of Nature Which Keeps Kisses from Showing—An Empress with a Rival—Some Late Vienna Gossip about Royalty—An Unfortunate Flirtation.

Lady Gasford's Encounter with an Enraged Lion—The Dances of Fashionable Society.

Why the Slippers were Never Finished.

The lillies grew beneath her hand
On slippers that are seen no more!
Their race of usefulness is o'er!
They're buried under Time's dark sand,
And nothing can their life restore,
As when in young Love's flowery land,
The lillies grew beneath her hand
On slippers that are seen nó more!

They would—if finished—have been grand!
But she became my wife before
They were half done!—you understand
How, then—though now the work's a bore!—
The lillies grew beneath her hand
On slippers that are seen no more!

Desdemona.

I told her of my three years' cruise,
Its haps and mishaps, and when I
Had finished, in her sweet, rapt muse,
She murmured breathlessly, "Oh, my!"

And when I told my journeys o'er,
From torrid zone the lands of snow,
She paused in wonderment before
She softly cried, "You don't say so!"

And when I told of dangers, fears—
Our shipwreck, when we suffered so,
Half frightened, and almost in tears,
She faltered forth, "I want to know!"

Fashion Notes.

All poke bonnets have strings.

Handkerchiefs will again be worn.

Old blue is a new shade of this colour.

Bordered robe dresses will be much worn.

Pendant lockets are no longer fashionable.

Ball earring in rolled gold are very fashionable.

Poke bonnets of medium size will be worn again.

Small women can not wear bordered robe dresses.

Lace pins have superseded all other kinds of brooch.

White continues to be the livery of festive occasions.

Mahogany red shades prevail in the new Tuscan straws.

Egyptian designs are preferred in millinery ornaments.

Steel and silver laces appear among new millinery goods.

Small bonnets will be revived in the spring to a limited extent.

Feathers and flowers will be used to excess on spring bonnets.

The new millinery ornaments combine gold, steel, jet, and silver.

Very wide ribbons will be used in trimming early spring bonnets.

The use of gold thread in embroidery is the feature of the season.

Coral and seaweed patterns appear in the borders of new printed goods.

A few Fanchons or bebe bonnets appear among early spring importations.

A large proportion of the new printed cotton dress goods are bordered on the edges.

Handkerchief and robe pattern dresses are becoming only to women of good stature.

There is an effort made to mitigate tight sleeves with slashes near the arm-hole.

Long scarf pins, with rich, ornamenta heads, are coming into vogue for ladies wear.

Panaches of tufts of feathers will be more used on bonnets than long single plumes.

The glove of the passing moment is the buttonless, loose, wrist-wrinkled *gant de Suede*.

Beautiful humming birds are embroidered on satin with illuminated and iridescent beads.

A stylish necklace is composed of a gold or silver fringe formed of balls graduated in size.

Children's costumes are cut up into too many sections this spring to be pretty or in good taste.

Desirable novelties in summer silks have illuminated and shaded stripes in bright and delicate colours.

A cotton crepe cloth has ground of the crinkly surface and bordered in deep-coloured designs in bright hues.

Art needlework societies in smaller towns produce more truly artistic embroideries than those in large cities.

Flower pompons, in which a few heron feathers form the central aigrotte, are seen in leading millinery houses.

The smooth wooden or tiled floors of the French, dotted over with rugs, are coming into favour in American houses.

Peasant waists laced in the back are worn over tarlatan waists and skirts, with a tunic to match of the material of the waist.

It is said that plaids will gradually succeed to the reign of popularity which has been accorded to brocades.

Balayeuses are of imitation lace, profusely quilled, and spread out in many rows beneath the train, or they are set upon a plain or a fluted band of gold galloon.

Waifs.

What is the best butter?—An old ram.

When a New York young man pops the question he now says: "Let's consolidate."

Surprise parties are coming into vogue again. The person who is to be surprised issues the invitations through a friend.

It was the divorced lady who married a chimney-sweep who said that she had at last found a husband that sooted her.

We don't just see why a woman should like her mirror better than a man, for the man will flatter her and the mirror won't.

The pretty face of a woman is like a clock's—not much account unless there are good works back of it.

A Philadelphia choir singer is so modest that she always gets it: "As unmentionables the hart for cooling streams."

WELL-BUILT WOMAN.—Analabasterneck, marble brow, and arch expression has been said to constitute a well-built woman.

"Neuralgia" is the charming name borne by a charming girl. Her fond mother found it on a medicine bottle, and was captivated with its sweetness.

"There's that lucky dog, Newwed, who's just married a million!" Tom Tinchacer—"Never marry for money, my boy; but if you meet a nice girl with plenty of tin, try to love her."

The revelations of the two weeks may be regarded as, in a great measure, conclusive in reference to the styles which will obtain in millinery for the spring and summer. For the last eight or ten seasons, in this department of the wardrobe particularly, there seems to have been very close sympathy with nature in its dislike of sameness and in its delight in variety. The millinery that has been recently opened is remarkable in these characteristics. The shapes of bonnets and hats are almost as numerous as the specimens exhibited, and in materials and trimmings we may safely say the variety has never been exceeded.

Dances

The dances of the upper ten this winter, are the waltz, the polka, and the "heel-and-toe polka," with now and then a lancers thrown in as a sop to many fast-dying Cerberi, whose dancing days are supposed to be over, but who hang on tenaciously from year to year, and for the decorous delight of the very few maidens who have been brought up in the still fewer households were round-dancing is yet considered an abomination and an invention of the enemy. The "german" is simply a combination of figures, which allows each couple dancing it a turn every time, and permits them to choose other partners and give favors, but only the three round dances alluded to above are permitted. In certain sets two very popular dances, last winter and this, have been and are the "racket" and "society" waltzes. They need little description, for there are few who have not seen with a shudder the wild jumpings, the frantic see-sawings, and apparent mad frenzy of those who participate in them. Upon the floor of the Pavillion at the garden, or other places at public balls, their devotees can be seen transforming the beautiful waltz, with its slow, gliding movement, into a dance worthy of a low concert-room, and which certainly affords to those objecting to round dances sufficient and strong arguments against them. The fact that they are generally tabooed in respectable drawing-rooms shows their true nature, and a lady who has once danced them seldom cares to repeat the experiment. Their seeming continued popularity is inexplicable but most condemning to those who still indulge in them.

A Kiss on the Sly.

There is to be found much refreshment, in a well proportioned kiss. This everybody acknowledges, though only a frank few have the courage to acknowledge it openly. And it is a curious fact, as yet unexplained by the philosopher, that the slyer the kiss is the more there is in it of refreshment. A kiss that is paid as a forfeit before a whole room full of people is prosaic, not to say embarrassing. The girl laughs, which spoils the romance, and the fellow, ten to one, blushes. Neither of them think much of it, and they both are apt pretty soon to forget all about it. But let the same fellow kiss the same girl when nobody is looking—and the situation is as different as possible. That sort of a kiss, fired off in a hurry behind a door or in a conservatory, is like an electric shock and is as sweet as whipped cream. The taste of it sort of holds on and constantly suggests the propriety—or impropriety, as the case may be—of trying it again. And the laughing and blushing are exactly reversed. The fellow laughs, with spoiling the romance a bit, and the girl blushes like a pink carnation.

It is queer that the very same thing should under such slightly altered circumstances be so entirely different, nor is it any the less queer because the difference has existed from the earliest ages of the world. Kissing on the sly was the rule among the prehistoric races, just as it is the rule now. This proposition is demonstrable by comparative proof. That eminent French savant, M. Elie Berthet, has shown that all the peculiarities of primitive man are represented in the savage races extant to-day. In his exhaustive work upon the "Aboriginal Races of America" Dr. Bancroft indirectly affirms that kissing on the sly is the rule and the converse the exception among our barbarous brethren; and the same is true of those scientifically interesting people, the Australian Maories. From these facts we may reasonably infer that our remote ancestors, the troglodytes, did their sparking in much the same way that sparking is done now-a-days — unobstrusively, and with a good deal of quiet satisfaction. And it is doing them nothing more than justice to add that their heads were what is vulgarly termed "level."

Being thus sanctioned by the customs of the past and indorsed by the use of the present, the mystery that is held to be conducive to comfortable kissing doubtless will endure until the end of time. It is right that it should. Think for a moment what a lot of trouble there would be if this old-fashioned game of addition of lips and division of pleasure should not be accompanied by a discreet silence.

An Empress Fooled

A private letter recently received from an American lady, sojourning in Vienna, contains the following interesting gossip:

We have been very much disappointed this week at the announcement of the postponement of the marriage of the crown prince of Austria with Stephanie, the Belgian princess, for which preparations on a grand scale have been going on here all winter; a perfect carnival season the nuptial week would have been. The postponement is indefinite; the reasons given is the princess' extreme youth; her parents say she is but a mere school-child, not strong, and they fear that the balls and festivities generally given in her honor would be too much for her, particularly as she has not yet been to a ball or anything of the kind. You know royal etiquette obliges her to come to Vienna to be married—her husband being of higher rank, an emperor's son and she only a king's daughter—and, besides, as Austria is a first and Belgium only a second-rate power. Poor little thing, I do not doubt she was so homesick at the idea of coming away off here so forlornly to be married, that her father and mother had not the heart to let her go. Alas! for the fine innumerable costumes of the countesses and princesses which through the kindness of a shopkeeper, or modiste, we are privileged as strangers, to gaze upon—of superb materials, stiff with embroidery in crystal beads, chenille, gold thread, silver, jet and garnet. Among the Viennese modistes there is a good deal of bitter feeling, as the empress sends to Paris for almost her entire wardrobe, and, as she is at the head of fashion there, other ladies of course follow her example, which robs the Viennese of their wealthiest customers.

But they were all pleased just now to hear the following story: One of the leading modistes of the city, hoping to succeed where others had failed, took several of his newest costumes to the empress. With one of the dresses she was enchanted and anxious to purchase it, but his price was more than she thought even she ought to afford. She coaxed him to sell it for less, but, no, he would not; so he departed. All day and all that night she thought and thought about that dress, and the more she thought the more she desired to possess it. So, early in the morning she sent a messenger to the shopkeeper to order the dress. She must have it, and would take it at any price. Alas! the manager returned, looking very woeful, having the shop-keeper's regrets that her majesty was too late, as he had sold it to the emperor the afternoon before. Then she thought: "That dear man, some one has told him I longed for that dress, and he is going to surprise me with it; but he shall not get ahead of me, the dear old duck." So off she drove and bought the finest present she could find, took it to the emperor, and presented it with a sweet speech and smile. He accepted it with utmost grace, showing both his pleasure and surprise. She withdrew, and waited and waited for the expected gift. It came not. Later in the day she learned that her dear emperor had purchased it for, and presented it to, a favorite opera singer. One can imagine the weeping and gnashing of teeth about that time in the Austrian winter palace.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

THE voice of the majority is no proof of justice.—*Schiller.*

MANY a man saves his life by not fearing to lose it, and many a man loses his life by being over-anxious to save it.

Too much asseveration gives a ground of suspicion. Truth and honesty have no need of loud protestations.

WHERE the mouth is sweet and the eyes intelligent, there is always the look of beauty and a right heart.—*Leigh Hunt.*

FEW things are impracticable in themselves, and it is for want of application rather than means that men fail of success.

IN all evils which admit a remedy, impatience should be avoided, because it wastes that time and attention in complaints, which, if properly applied, would remove the cause.

IT is necessary sometimes to refrain from questioning our friends, that we may not draw from them what we ought not to know, and especially that we may not tempt them to deceive us.—*Madame Swethchme.*

A MAN with a good sound constitution, a good stomach, a good heart and good limbs, and good headpiece, is rich. Good bones are better than gold, tough muscles than silver, and nerves that flash fire and carry energy to every function are better than houses or lands.

ANTICIPATION.—Never anticipate misfortune. Troubles come soon enough without looking to them beforehand; and, moreover, by constantly expecting sorrow and disappointment, we destroy the happiness of the present, which it is our bounden duty to enjoy to the full extent; and troubles that come unexpected are often the least severe.

How Raisins are made in California.

In Mr. Blower's vineyard, Yolo county, the grapes are allowed to remain on the vine until of a golden color and translucent. Then they are picked and put on wooden trays two by three feet in size, placed between the rows, sloping to the sun. When half dried they are turned by putting a tray on top, and by inverting them both, are transferred to the new tray. When the grapes lose their ashy appearance, and after removing the green ones, the rest are put into large sweat boxes, placing sheets of paper between every twenty-five pounds of raisins. They are left there for two weeks, when the stems are tough and the raisins soft. The packing follows, in which iron or steel packing frames are used, the raisins being assorted, weighed, inspected, and made presentable. Mr. Blowers prefers a rich, moist, sandy loam, in a warm climate for raisins, and believes that winter irrigation will destroy insects and keep the vines in a thrifty condition. He prefers to plant vines eight by ten feet apart, or even ten by ten feet, and use fertilizers.

Into the Valley of Death.

GEORGE ALDRIDGE'S RIDE WITH THE SIX HUNDRED AT BALAKLAVA.

(From the New York Sun.)

A painter who should want a model for a British dragoon, having the front, the form, the seat of a veteran trooper, with clear blue eyes, a beard the color of sunshine, and a modesty that blushes when he is spoken to, might do worse than seek George Aldridge, at Charles W. Dickel & Co's riding academy in West fifty-sixth street.

Aldridge happened to enlist in the 11th hussars, at Brighton, the watering-place, in 1852, when he was 23 years old. Two years later, between 9 and 10 o'clock on an October morning, the hussars were "at ease" in the shelter of what was called French Hill in the Crimea. On the previous day there had been signalling all along the Russian lines, and the allies knew that something was going to be done. The 11th had been reconnoitering that morning with the 4th, the 8th, and the 17th hussars. They formed a light brigade, but there were so many absentees on account of sickness, that the brigade numbered only 680 men. The men were stretching their legs on the ground, and feeling that their part of the work was over for the day. To their right, between them and the black roads of Balaklava, was Earl Lucan's and Lord Scarlet's heavy artillery. Behind them was an approaching body of infantry, but it was yet twelve miles away. It was felt that no move would be made until that ground could be covered with a forced march. It had been found that the Russians were about to move down through a ravine behind Sugarloaf hill, toward Balaklava harbor, where lay the British supplies. Sugarloaf hill bristled with Russian guns. Further in front the Russians had pushed a twelve-gun battery of thirty-two pounders. To the left were the Russian redoubts on a range of chalk hills, but it was the twelve-gun field battery that menaced the road to Balaklava. French hill, behind which lay the light brigade, was a mile and a half from this battery. Between it and the battery was a plain, across which the battery covered the road.

Aldridge was in troop A, on the right of the 11th, which formed the right of the first line, two horsemen deep. He casually noticed Capt. Nolan riding down toward them from Earl Lucan's heavy brigade. He did not give the matter much thought. He saw Capt. Nolan salute Lord Cardigan who commanded the Light Brigade. He could not hear what was said, and did not care to hear it. Soon, however, Lord Cardigan had a long look at the guns over the hill. Then he turned to the brigade, and, as if explaining the matter to a party of gentlemen, said:

"Men, there are the guns (pointing toward the field battery,) and we've got to ... them."

Aldridge says the men all felt that some mistake must have been made. There was no infantry to support them, so far as they could see. But Trumpet Maj. Dan Wall blew the order, "Advance; echelon from the centre;" and the brigade formed and moved forward at a walk up over the hill. The Eleventh and the Seventeenth formed the first line, two deep. Behind the Eleventh, but extending beyond it, rode the Eighth, while the Fourth rode in the rear of the left of the first line, while extending beyond it.

"Here goes the last of the Cardigans," said the leader, as he rode over the hill.

His only brother had previously been killed in a charge in India.

Lord Cardigan six feet high, rode a fiery chestnut horse, with a white off heel. He had the kind of face, Aldridge says, that men love to follow into battle. Beside him rode the trumpet-major; behind him rode his adjutant, while in front of the men rode the captains. The men wore scarlet trousers, and blue jackets. Their breasts glittered with yellow braid and fine rows of gilt buttons. A slung jacket, buckled around their necks, swayed with its dangling sleeves from their left shoulders, while from the tops of their bearskin busbys the bright scarlet bags depended to the shoulder.

Aldridge's size placed him in the front rank, and as the Light brigade trotted into the plain he saw the Russians at their guns less than a mile and a half away; while soon the heavy guns from the redoubts further to the left began to blaze. Aldridge saw troops C. and I. of the Royal Horse artillery galloping upon the left flank. Their guns were soon unlimbered, and poured a shower of shell and canister into the Russian battery. It was partly a cross fire, and it was kept up until the advance of the troopers finally sent off the Russians from their view. So much aid the Light brigade got in their charge.

A few men had quitted their saddles when the order, "Front; form line!" was sounded. This drew the entire body out into one line two horsemen deep. The battery was now feeling their ranks with broken shell and canister. The heavy guns were throwing shell from the redoubts, and Sugarloaf hill was thundering in the distance. "Canter!" was the next order, and then the bugle sounded. "Charge; open order!" The long line drew out from the centre to give space for each man to use his sabre. This was at six hundred yards. The guns of the battery could be loaded and fired now without aim, and the Russians, screened by their foes from the fire of the Royal Horse artillery, made good use of their time. They stood on their guns until their dragoons were within two hundred yards. Then they broke and scattered in all directions. Their work was done. Aldridge saw some of them tugging to get out their sabres as they ran. So hard had they worked on their guns that they had poked the sword-knots, up under their belts behind to keep those weapons out of their way. Many of these were overtaken by the long line of horsemen and sabred. As the brigade galloped through between the guns their order was broken, and thereafter the only order maintained was what came from previous habits of drill. Lord Cardigan was still in front, and that showed every man where he ought to go.

The guns were now silent, but behind them were revealed squadrons of Polish and Cossack cavalry.

"I can see them now," said Aldridge, "in their dark gray uniforms, standing bolt upright in their stirrups, astride of their stunted ponies, and grasping their long spears. These spears had a sharp steel point on the handle end as well as on the other end. This was for service at close quarters."

Through these squadrons, as they stood waiting, the Englishmen made their way. Outside the question of the quality of the men, a reason why the English broke through was that they were better mounted. Their horses were heavier. Some were speared to death, but comparatively few. When they had broken through the lines, Lord Cardigan was seen leading the way back through the open space, and all his men followed him. Had the commanders of the Russian cavalry had presence of mind, Aldridge says, they could have captured every man left alive in the brigade, but they seemed to be struck dumb with astonishment.

Back through the guns again Lord Cardigan led the way. Again one cannon from the redoubts and from Sugarloaf hill stormed at them with shell, and it was not long before the field battery had been remanned and was pouring shell and canister into their backs. The slaughter in going and coming was frightful. Troop A, to which Aldridge belonged, started into charge with one hundred men. It returned with only seventeen alive, and only one man out of the seventeen was not wounded. This lucky man was Farrier Sargeant G. Hash. Aldridge was wounded six times in the lower part of his right leg with pieces of broken shell, but the bone was not broken. He was near the right of the line. His first wound was received in the early part of the charge, at the same time that Col. Maud, who commanded the Royal Horse Artillery, was wounded. Col. Maud afterward obtained for Aldridge a position on the Brighton police force. Before he left the military service he was made a drill sergeant or rough rider. He never drank a drop of liquor, and while he was in the service he was never sick a day. As a policemen, he once captured a wife-murderer, who blew off part of Aldridge's coat tail with the discharge of a horse-pistol in the streets of Brighton. He also saved from drowning a little son of George White, the chief of the Brighton police force. He has a four-clasp medal, on the clasps of which are the words, "Alma," "Inkerman," "Balaklava," and "Sebastopool." He also has a Turkish medal given by the sultan.

Capt. Lefroy, now a clergyman at Boadville, N. Y., is a survivor of the Balaklava charge.

FIRMNESS without mildness is harsh and forbidding; mildness without firmness becomes weak and contemptible; both united make a character respectable and amiable.

AT Bucharest a few weeks ago three young ladies were examined for their baccalaureate, and although assured by one of the examiners that she had passed satisfactorily, one, fearing this was not the case, killed herself.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

Cousin Charley's Story.

BY MARY HALLOCK FOOTE.

Mamma was just falling into a doze, unconscious of the heavy sea and the ship-wreck so near, but now she roused herself and began a search for the lost animals. The spotted deer had been recovered, against the headboard, and represented the city of New York. It was a stormy passage to New York. The snuffer-tray reeled and rocked, and Japhet, the captain, was lost overboard while trying to rescue the camel and the spotted deer. Robbie met with so many losses that at last he cried out, in his trouble: "Mamma, only one e'fant, and two cats, when there came a rush of footsteps along the hall, and a knock at the door.

"Aunt Helen! May I come in?"

"Walter! Walter!" cried Robbie, bouncing about in the bed. "Oh, Walter!"

Walter was admitted, and joyfully embraced by Robbie, who was now quite willing that Mamma should do whatever she liked. The room was cozily warm, and Mamma took of the flannel sack she had put on over Robbie's night-gown. She put a saucepan of water over the coals to heat, and sat in her low chair, before the fire, watching it.

"Can't you play some quiet play Walter?" she asked. "The bed gets into such a state when you prance about like that. Can't you tell Robbie a story?"

"Oh! I know a story—a good one—Cousin Charley's story. Want to hear a story about a wolf and a fox, Robbie?"

Robbie was ready for anything Walter might propose.

"See! We can play it was right here," said Walter. "Play this is where the wolf lived. He lived in a hollow tree; it was n't a very good place to live, because, when it rained, the rain ran down the trunk of the tree and fell on the bed. Play this was the wolf, Robbie." Walter had selected a yellow-and-white cat from the animals of the ark; and it resembled a wolf from having once had four legs and a tail. The resemblance was now very slight indeed; but Walter encouraged Robbie's faith by explaining to him that it was a "funny kind of wolf. We don't have that kind now."

"Nice wolf," said Robbie. Where's the tree wolf lives in?"

"Aunt Helen, can't you find something we can play is the tree?"

"Will this do, Walter?" Aunt Helen handed him one of the tall, plated candle-sticks that stood on the mantel. "It is light-colored and smooth; you can play it's a beech-tree."

"Oh, yes! But where's the hollow in the tree? Never mind!—we'll play it's on the other side; and the wolf did n't live there long, anyhow. He's just going away now, Robbie, because he had such a bad night with the rain. Here he goes walking through the wood, and through the wood, and through the wood, and over the hill, and by and by he comes to a cave. A great big rock—two rocks, that lean up against each other,—and inside there was a big, dark hole, 'way in ever so far! Oh, Aunt Helen! Please, will you give me the 'froggy' book."

Aunt Helen handed the "froggy" book, ond Walter opened it in the middle, and stood it up against the headboard.

"Well, he came to the cave, and he thought he'd look inside. So he went in and it was a splendid place in there to live. It was pretty dark, but wolves don't mind the dark. It was dry, and warm, and he scraped together a lot of leaves and made a bed, and so he slept there that night, see, Robbie, there's the old wolf in the cave! Hear him breathe!"

Robbie almost stops his own breathing as he peers into the cave, and listens to Walter's heavy snorts and sighs. The story is becoming exciting.

"And now it's morning, and he gets up and he feels lonesome. It's such a big place to live in alone. So he says to himself: 'I think I'll try to find some one to come and live with me. He had nothing to eat but part of a chicken, so it did n't take him long to eat breakfast. Then he went out of the cave and walked around, and walking around, and walked around, till he came to the hollow tree where he used to live, and there he found a fox, sitting in front of the tree. This is the fox, Robbie; it's a real fox, not a play fox; see what a sharp nose it has, and a bushy tail."

The fox was one of the few animals which had escaped mutilation or total destruction in the ark, and the perils of shipwreck afterward.

"Well, old fellow," said the wolf, "where are you living, nowadays?"

'Oh, I'm not living anywhere in particular. I slept here last night, but I shan't try it again.' 'Pretty mean place to sleep,' said the wolf—'I've tried it myself. I've found a first-rate place now; plenty of room for two. Come and see it, and if you like it you can live there with me.' The wolf had heard a great deal about the fox's cleverness. He knew he was n't very clever himself, so he thought it would be a good thing to have the fox for a partner."

"What's 'partner'?" Robbie interrupted.

"Oh, never mind, Robbie! Cousin Charley said partner. It's Cousin Charley's story. Robbie will know what a partner is when he gets a big boy. See, here they go, the wolf and the fox, through the wood, and over the hill, and now they go into the cave together. The fox says it is just splendid, just the very thing he had been looking for. 'All right,' said the wolf; 'make yourself at home.' So the fox scraped together some leaves and made a bed for himself. 'Look here,' said the wolf; 'my cupboard's empty!' Cousin Charley said there was a kind of shelf in the rocks, like a closet, where the wolf kept his food when he had any. Well, he hadn't any that day, so he told the fox he would have to go, hunting, and the fox said he'd go along, and they would divide between them what they caught.

The wolf thought to himself, 'Now I shall live like a lord, for the fox must be a great hunter.' 'Now,' said the fox, 'you go along this side of the hill, and I'll go along the other side, so we wont miss anything, and we'll meet at the cave. I'll wait dinner for you if I get home first, and you wait for me.' So the wolf said he was satisfied with that plan, and he went along the hill,—here he goes,—and the fox goes on the other side.

Now, the wolf had good luck. He had n't gone far when he heard a rustling in the bushes, and he kept very quiet, and what does Robbie think he saw?"

"What he saw!" said Robbie, too impatient to guess.

"He saw a 'itty, bitty rabbit, with long ears and a pink nose."

"Oh, a wabbit! a wabbit!" cried Robbie.

"And the wolf waited quiet in the bushes till the rabbit jumped past him; then he pounced on him and bit him behind the ears."

"Oh, no! No, he didn't!" cried Robbie, much excited. "He didn't bite wabbit!"

"Why, yes, Robbie—that's what Cousin Charley said. He had to, because he hadn't anything to eat. I don't believe it hurt the rabbit—only just a minute."

"Play it was n't a wabbit," said Robbie. "Play it was a big—big——"

"Wild-cat," said Walter.

"Well, yes! A big wild-cat!"

(CONTINUED.)

"A Dancing Party."

From the Toronto Truth.

Life is indeed very "fu' o' seriousness," and nowhere we think can the ordinary mind become so impressed with the truth of this important statement, as at a fashionable dancing party. The man who is not sobered by such an experience, must have something abnormal about him, there must be a screw loose somewhere, and we pity him from the bottom of our hearts. The ennobling consciousness of having duty to perform, and the resolute determination to bear all things rather than shrink from the performance of that duty, cannot surely be his, if he is not impressed by the presence of these virtues in the ball-room. For there they flourish in all their perfectness if anywhere, and he who does not carry away with him from the spectacle of the mazy dance, enlarged conceptions of the dignity and grandeur of life, and the importance of having some definite "aim," should be at once pitied and forgotten. For indeed he has missed his destiny, the predestiny of man. We know of nothing so well calculated to throw the requisite mantle of solemnity over all terrestial surroundings, as one of these assemblages.

OFFICIAL BALLS,

we are quite sure have never been fully appreciated in this respect. And from an educational point of view too, they have never yet had anything like full justice done to the undeveloped possibilities of good which we are confident exist in them though unknown as yet and perhaps undreamt of. Let any ordinarily intelligent school boy view the imposing spectacle of grey-haired senators, and elderly females, treading solemnly the mazy involutions of the *valse*, gliding so gracefully and with such perfect *abandon* over the polished surface of the ball-room floor, the manly arm of the one meanwhile encircling so reverently the slender waist of the fair one, the look of intense pre-occupation which manifests itself on his countenance, the compressed mouth, the serious eye, the cheeks slightly reddened by the exercise—after the exercise has been prolonged beyond a certain point however, it is very often the case that the mouth of an elderly dancer at any rate, becomes slightly open, as if he experienced some difficulty in breathing. This may be the case with all, but our observations have not extended so far.

THE WAY OLD PEOPLE DO IT.

We have naturally looked to venerable age for our impressions. But to proceed. These things it will be admitted cannot fail to influence ingenuous youth in a very marked degree, and if we might venture to suggest, as so many are doing just now, some educational improvement, it would be that periodical balls be held in some suitable place, the pavilion would do as well as any, to which relays of school children should be taken with all due reverence and sobriety, the performers in these balls being in every case, whatever the province has of excellence either in Law, Medicine, Theology, or the Fine Arts. And above all let the children see grey-headed Statesmen and Senators dance. The Spartans were great believers in object lessons, though in training their youngsters they were as careful to point out what to avoid, as what to imitate. We might safely trust to the good sense of our children, however, that they would not seek to *avoid* the imitation of anything their elders might do in such august assemblages as these could not fail to be.

THE SKILL NECESSARY.

The sense of intelligent force directed to the accomplishment of an intelligent end, *would* in such a case be overwhelming, and could not escape the notice even of the most obtuse. The advantages which would accrue to a child from such a course of training, may be imagined, but cannot be described. They would at least be equal, if not superior, to what could be secured by a visit to a menagerie, or any other highly moral and religious "show." The benefits that *would* in this way result to the whole human race, are incalculable. We hope the Minister of Education may see his way clear to adopt some recommendation of this sort. But we have digressed somewhat. We were trying to describe the appearance which leaders of society so frequently present, when they display themselves in the ball-room, and which so admirably qualifies them to win our admiration and esteem.

A PROMINENT OFFICAL ON THE FLOOR.

A Cabinet Minister, member of Parliament, or other dignitary, making a variety of evolutions in company with a member of the opposite persuasion, his motions laboured, his eye fastened on vacancy, his whole body above the lower limbs, in an alarming state of tension, rigid as a telegraph pole, or bent like a letter Q, his face clammy with a sense of his own dignity, or blushing with the unaccustomed exercise, his lips fixed as for martyrdom, or starting apart to let the struggling breath escape, an aspect of intense seriousness, and realization of the awfulness of existence pervading the whole; —all this we say might but awaken derision in the profane, but in them alone. Light minds these are, on whom serious impressions are impossible.

HOW THE LADY LOOKS.

And then the lady, who shall describe the dignity of her appearance, as she towers in majesty above the head of her gallant swain, or steals a hurried glance beneath his arm-pit, or gazes complacently over his shoulder, with much the same aspect as a ruminating cow. She also looks intensely serious, and a "bystander" instinctively feels that that grand mystery, the "development" of "soul" is taking place before his very eyes. As in the commonplace existence, however, of less exalted natures, the tragedy and comedy lie so frequently side by side, so even in such a typical assembly as we have tried to describe, the imperfection which is inevitably intertwined with all terrestrial things, makes itself felt. Strive after dignity of demeanor as they may, attain to a very considerable extent the object of that striving as they may, there is yet, nearly always, notwithstanding their exertions, something overwhelmingly "funny" about a Ball, and the dancers themselves seem half conscious sometimes that they fail in appearing to the very best advantage.

The Tongue of the Maid of Athens.

Maid of Athens, we must part!
Your will is strong, your temper's tart;
And, when I go and when I come,
Your tongue swings like a pendulum.
Hear my prayer before I go,
Remember 'tis my last request,
And, if you can for an hour or so,
Keep it still and let me rest.

By those banged looks all unconfined,
Blown all about by every wind;
By that curled nose all out of joint,
Like an interrogation point.
Check that tongue's eternal flow,
Oh, heed, I beg, this one behest,
And, if you can for an hour or so,
Keep it still and let me rest.

By those lips that never close;
By those crossed eyes which daunt their foes;
By my bald head, so prompt to tell
What words can never speak so well,
Your tongue is darting to and fro;
You pour forth words like one possessed;
But, if you can for an hour or so,
Please keep it still and let me rest.

Maid of Athens, I am gone;
I'll be at peace when I'm alone.
Yet, though I fly to Istambol,
Your strident tones shall fright my soul.
Can I cease to hear thee? No!
That tongue is heard from east to west;
But, if you can for an hour or so,
Oh, keep it still and let me rest!

Ghosts by the Dozen.

MATERIALIZATIONS BY THE WHOLESALE—EDDY'S ... REMARKABLE EXPLOITS.

(New York Tribune.)

"There will be no seance to-night," said William Eddy, as he came to the door of the house in Eighth avenue in response to the ring of a *Tribune* reporter. "When will there be another?" "I don't know; we are going away in a few days." "Can't I come in and talk with you a moment?" "Well, there's nobody here but a few friends. I think not." "Have you seen the accounts in the papers about the attempt to expose you the other night?"

This question aroused Mr. Eddy's curiosity. He had heard of the newspaper reports but had not seen them, and he opened the door to learn more about them, but shut it relentlessly in the face of a black-bearded man who stood behind the reporter and said he was going to California soon and wanted to see the spirits before he left New York. In the little front parlor over the meat shop were assembled the members of the household and a few family friends. Horatio Eddy was absent. The party consisted of William Eddy, his cousin Frank, who acts as business manager of the seances, Mr. and Mrs. D, the occupants of the flat, an old Polish doctor, a Frenchman and his wife, a young woman, said to be a medium, and the reporter, whose name and avocation were unknown to the company, and who was received in a friendly way as a confirmed spiritualist.

It was Sunday night, and William Eddy made up his mind that there should be no public seance but only a quiet little affair for the entertainment of the party of friends; so he refused to answer numerous rings at the bell. The reporter determined to adapt himself to the ways of the company, make no attempt at disturbing the ghosts, keep his eyes open and closely observe the performances. A look into the little hall bedroom from which the spirits appear showed the bed had been placed squarely in front of the spacious hall-door, which was besides locked and bolted. It seemed tolerably plain that the ghosts would not come through that door, which, by the way, led into the common hall used by the three families inhabiting the building. As the one window of the room looked out on Eighth avenue the apparitions could not reasonably be expected to enter there.

The theory uppermost in the mind of the observer was that William Eddy disguised himself with clothes hidden in the bed and personated the different apparitions. Some colour was given to this idea by the smudgy, indistinct appearance of the ghosts seen at the previous sitting described in the *Tribune*. The theory did not stand the tests of the evening's performance, however, as will be seen hereafter, and a new one was developed.

At a quarter after 8 William Eddy went into the hall bedroom and lowered the curtain hanging across the open door. Cousin Frank struck up "The Sweet Bye-and-Bye." A brown paper shade was put over the lamp, but it was still light enough to distinguish faces across the room. No sooner was the tune sung through than the curtain was lifted and out stepped an elderly woman in white with a gray woollen shawl across her shoulders. "Good evening, Mrs. Eaton," said one member of the company after another.

The spook said "Good evening" in a perfectly clear feminine voice and chatted awhile familiarly. By the side of the door hung a key and a clothes brush, which furnished a convenient mark for the reporter to measure the comparative height of the apparitions. The woman was considerably shorter than the medium in the dark bedroom and not so stout. Evidently it was not he. "Turn up the light, Frank," said Mrs. Eaton, as she stepped behind the curtain. The paper shade was removed and out came the ghost again, this time in the full light. Face and clothing were plain enough now. The voice as she talked with different members of the circle had the nasal tone, and the language had the grammatical faults of the colloquial dialect of New England country people.

The most remarkable of the masculine apparitions was a tall, portly man with a large head, bushy gray hair, and long gray beard. He wore black trousers and a dark sack coat, but he had not taken the trouble to put on either his waistcoat or his boots, a neglect of the proprieties which was pardonable from the circumstance that the old gentleman evidently felt at home. He was introduced as E. V. Wilson, a Spiritualist lecturer well-know throughout the country, who died not long ago. Frank said he had been recognized by fifteen hundred people at a Spiritualist camp-meeting last summer. The face was distinct and strongly individual, and a peculiarity of the figure, besides its portliness and size, was the shortness of the arms and a singular awkwardness about the movements of one shoulder. Mr. Wilson demanded a strong light, and, reappearing, delivered a brief lecture in a loud, clear, bass voice. He was sorry there were so few present, and wished those persons who had attempted to expose the performance a few nights ago had come again. "It is well for them that they cannot expose it," he continued, "for if they could, if this is all a humbug, then there is no future life and they themselves are of no more account than the sands on the sea shore." After some further remarks, expressing his pleasure at meeting his friends, the portly gentleman withdrew.

In all of the apparations except two of the children the flesh-tints looked natural, but the eyes were invariably filmy and expressionless, resembling the eyes of a dead person. The drapery looked substantial enough to be real. Frank said he once weighed all the familiar spirits on a platform scale. Mrs. Eaton, a stout matronly person, who looked as if she would tip the beam at 150, weighed only 40 pounds.

The last ghost was the same good-natured Mrs. Eaton, who announced that the performance was over. Scarcely had she withdrawn than Frank pulled up the curtain and out stepped the medium, William Eddy, looking as if he had been asleep. After a few minutes' conversation, Eddy brought a brown cotton curtain from the back room, placed a round table in the corner of the parlor, put a bell and tambourine on the table, and hung the curtain across so as to partition off just enough space for the table. He then sat down in front of the curtain and called the Frenchman and the young woman to sit with him. Cousin Frank then buttoned a long apron around the necks of the medium and the woman which fell over their knees and concealed their hands. Behind the curtain there was not room enough for a man to stand on either side of the round table. The three setters were of course visible, as they sat directly in front of the curtain, which came up back of them to a height of about eighteen inches above their heads. The room was well lighted. Immediately hands were shown through slits in the curtain and the instruments made a racket. A guitar and banjo were handed over the top of the curtain to the ghostly inmates of the triangular space, and were thrust from under the curtain and played upon.

The most interesting part of the performance, however, was the writing of messages upon cards and scraps of paper which were handed with a pencil to the outstretched hands and flung back into the room. Five distinct hand writings were thus produced. Two were evidently the work of illiterate persons, the spelling and grammar being very bad. One message, signed by a woman's name, was written in a beautiful feminine hand. One purported to come from the brother of the Polish doctor and one from the brother of the master of the house.

Now for a theory to account for these mysterious doings. There was nobody behind the curtain—that was shown at a previous sitting, when a newspaper man sprang behind it with the agility of a terrier after a rat, and found nothing but the table and the musical instruments. Besides there was no room for anybody larger than a 10-year-old child. Not one of the thirteen ghosts that came out of the hall bedroom was William Eddy, who was the only person there when the performance began. They might have come through a secret opening in the wall from the adjoining house, but the profits of Eddy's seances would not warrant the expense of hiring two buildings on Eighth avenue, and employing thirteen persons to personate spirits. The reporter, thinking the affair over on his way home, was disposed to fall back on hypnotism. Dr. Hammond says he can make a man believe a broomstick is a pretty young woman, and can set women dandling sticks of wood, supposing them to be real babies. Why should not the power of hypnotizing subjects be extended so as to embrace a room full of people and make them fancy they see and hear materialized spirits? True, the reporter did not feel hypnotized. He thought he was wide awake. He joined in singing the Sunday-school hymns, talked with the ghosts and was vastly entertained. But maybe he was mistaken. Perhaps the whole company were in a magnetic sleep, and only fancied themselves awake. In any case it was a queer performance.

Bertha Bandoline's Romance.

BY WILKIE COLLINS.

It was a dreary November day.

From the gray sky, over which swept vast masses of leaden coloured clouds, came a steady, descending rain, which beat down upon the earth in a pitiless way, making the stone line of utterly cheerless gloom. Drip, drip, drip, came the cold drops from the eaves, and before they reached the ground were joined by other drops that had plashed against the window panes in a vicious way, only to be beaten back and sent to join their mates that had attached other portions of the house with equal nonsense.

It was a modest little structure this, against which the entire forces of the elements seemed to be combined, but although small, it had a determined look, and stuck its various angles and sides out into the storm in a calmly defiant way.

In a cosy little room of the cottage sat a girl of nineteen summers and about 400 falls. The excess of fal's were due to the extreme length of the skating season the previous year. Bertha Bandoline was a proud, sensitive girl, who instinctively shrank from publicity of any sort, and the first time the ice came up and met her, she sat there calmly for an instant, and then rose, saying softly to herself, "I've broken my bustle."

Warm words of sympathy and affection came from those around her, but she only smiled sadly, and went home a wiser but bustleless girl. The next day her father received a bill for a new bustle. He looked at it for a moment and thought of the days gone by when Bertha would climb on his knee as he sat before the glowing grate, and after pulling at his beard and saying how much she loved papa, would fall asleep in his arms, the flickering blaze of the fire making strange lights and shadows around her head, with its tangled masses of yellow hair that lay upon his shoulder. She still sat in front of the fire, with her head in the same place, but the shoulder belonged to another person.

"My daughter is very dear to me," said the old man, as he paid the bill.

Unconsciously he had told the truth.

Bertha is still sitting in her boudoir. Boudoir means room, but it is more high-toned. Kind words cost nothing, and even being good to yourself keeps you in practice. The rain still fell. "It is the threnody and dirge of my happiness," said Bertha in a low, despairing voice. "Rupert will never love me again. It seems as if he had sailed away in the ship with the lights and the music and the merry passengers, and left me all alone on the dark waters in an oarless, sailless boat beneath the midnight sky."

Bertha did not know what threnody meant, but slung it in at random. But we can forgive this. She was often too previous in her language. All must pity a young heart torn by conflicting emotions, hesitating between faith and doubt in one it loves. Who can paint the blackness of a nature that would betray a trust so sacred? Is not its possessor worthy of eternal damnation?

I should smile.

But while Bertha sits enshrouded in her own sombre thoughts and forebodings, where is the object of her passion?

In a gilded haunt of sour mash stand two young men. On is Rupert, the other is Jim.

"Jim who?" do you ask. Never mind. A glittering bauble is spinning on a surface of polished wood.

It is a quarter.

Finally its revolutions cease. The young men bend eagerly over it.

"You've lost, Jim."

"Oh?"

"Give us the same as before"—this to a man behind the counter. In another instant a tiny glass went to Rupert's lips

Does he love Bertha?

I cannot tell a lie—I don't know.

How Many Apples did Adam and Eve Eat?

Some say Eve 8 and Adam 2, a total of 10 only.

We think the above figures entirely wrong. If Eve 8 and Adam 8 2 certainly the total will be 90. Scientific men, however, on the strength of the theory that the antediluvians were a race of giants, reason something like this; Eve 8 1 and Adam 8 1 2; total, 163.

Wrong again. What could be clearer than if Eve 8 1 and Adam 8 1 2 the total was 893?

If Eve 8 1 1st and Adam 8 1 2, would not the total be 1,623?

George Washington says Eve 8 1 4 Adam and Adam 8 1 2 4 Eve; together they got away with 8,938.

But if Eve 8 1 4 Adam, Adam 8 1 ; 4 2 oblige Eve. Total, 82,056.

We think this however, not a sufficient quantity, for though we admit that Eve 8 1 4 Adam, Adam, if he 8, 0 2 8 1 2 4 2 keep Eve company. Total, 80,282,056.

Everybody is wrong again. Eve, when she 8 1, 8 1 2 many, and probably felt sorry for it, but her companion, in order to relieve her sorrow, 8 1 2, Therefore Adam, if he 8 1, 8 1 4 2 4 2 fy Eve's depressed spirit. Hence both ate 81,896,054 apples.

Railway Prizes.

Mr. Hinton R. Helper, a wealthy resident of St. Louis, and well known throughout the country as the author of the "Impending Crisis," some time ago offered $5,000 in prizes for three prose articles and two poems in favour of the construction of a double track steel railroad through the centres of North and South America. The prizes have been recently awarded as follows: First prize, $1,300, to F. R. Hilder, of St. Louis; second prize, $1,200, to Fred. A. Beelen, Cortland on Hudson, N. Y.; third prize, William W. Archer, Richmond, Va.; fourth prize, $1,000, F. D. Carpenter, Washington, D. C.; fifth prize, $500, F. A. Deekens, Norwich, Canada. The first three were in prose and the last two in poetry. They are to be published in pamphlet form.

Pebbles Spotted With Gold.

Newsfrome Cassair, British Columbia, reports everything frozen up. Provisions are plentiful and cheap. A few mines are running tunnels on the Takou Auk quartz ledges. The news is very exciting. The washed pebbles, as well as the large boulders found in the creeks, are streaked and spotted with gold. A town called Harrisburg has been started near the diggings and several houses and stores and a steam saw-mill are under way. It is supposed that the ledges will be traced into Canadian territory.

Sphinx heads, Egyptian beetles, asps, obelisks, pyramids, and lotus designs will be the favourites in bonnet and hat ornaments.

A TORONTO husband has kept track the past year of the number of times his wife has threatened to leave him, and the figures are 121. She is there yet, however.

AN editor, the day after experiencing religion, wrote: "The storm last Wednesday caused great d—age in H—rtown, Pa. A man named G—drey was dangerously injured."

ONE of the most beautiful models in Paris is a young woman who comes from the blue-grass region of Kentucky. She was deserted by her husband abroad, and she now supports herself by posing.

THE "rock-a-way," according to the London *World*, is the latest variety of the waltz. It is largely patronized by the indolently inclined. It derives its name from the swaying motion produced by changing the foot on the first note of each bar only, and is a lazy development of the old "hop" waltz.

The head of brakeman Snodgrass of Corry, Pa., once round, is now long and slim. While he was making a coupling his head was caught between the bumpers, and so horribly squeezed that it is lengthened. He is cross-eyed and an inch taller, but he will recover, and his intellect is as clear and as bright as ever.

The South African Dutchmen have given their British friends more trouble than was expected. These slow-going, plodding, somewhat easy and good-natured people, you know, when they do get their dander up, are no joke by any manner of means. The Boers seem to have much of the spirit of their forefathers, the famous Dutchmen of the great Republic.

There are some very straightforward people in Toronto. One of them went into *The Telegram* office, and sauntering up to the desk, asked: "I hear that the bible has been revised. Do you know if many important changes have been made?" "A good many, I believe." "Then there is no mistake about Ananias being struck dead for lying?" "No, I believe not." "Well if I was you I would find out about it," and he strolled out as unconcernedly as you please.

The Bowie Knife.

TRAGIC STORY OF ... THAT BORE THE ...

(From the ...)

A feud has existed ... two parties of the parish ... Miss., on Red River ... were Dr. Maddox, ... the Blanchards on the ... Curreys, the Wellses ... the other. A challenge ... between Dr. Maddox ... Wells, and a meeting ... take place near Natchez ... tember, 1827. Hither... paired with their fr... agreed that no person ... present but the com... seconds and surgeons ... meeting was a large ... mediately below the upp... Natchez. The sand-bar ... of considerable width, ... and below with forest ... opposite side of this bar ... the friends of each party ... parties was something ... batants than the other. Col. ... the second of Maddox. ... and James Bowie and Gen. C... had long existed a deadly feud ... months before Gen. Currey ... Crane with a shot gun, on R... disabling one of his arms.

The parties to the duel ... the spot selected for the ... different directions. The p... were soon arranged. The ... took their positions and ex... shots without effect, and the ... was amicably adjusted.

Bowie was just in the edge ... woods with Gens. Wells and ... armed with pistols, Bowie ... huge knife. As the dueling party ... ed to leave the grounds Bowie ... started to meet them. The ... Maddox and Crane on the opp... of the sand-bar seeing this and ... thest from the party started to ... meet them as soon as they should ... the retiring combatants. Gen. C... was the first on the ground, ... followed by Bowie. Currey ... intely advanced upon Col. C... remarked. "Col. Crane, this is ... time to settle our difficulty," ... menced drawing his pistol. ... the same. Crane was armed ... brace of dueling pistols and ... awaited the attack of Currey. ... moment Currey was seized ... brother and begged to desist ... and Crane fired at each other ... without effect. There were ... said Bowie was wounded. ... statement I think most prob... Bowie stopped, felt of his hip ... drawing his knife limped toward ... who was watching Gen. Currey ... leased from the hold of his ... Currey was advancing. At this ... ent Crane leaped across a small ... cut through the sand by the ... flowing from the acclivities above ... resting his pistol upon his right ... fired at Currey, wounding him ... He fell.

Crane was now disarmed and ... advanced cautiously upon him ... ing his pistol he struck Bowie on ... head, as he avoided his knife ... and felled him to the ground ... retreated a step as his fri... Wright advanced upon him, ... a long slender spear, drawn ... walking cane which he carried ... ed Bowie, who *made a pass to* ... spear with his knife, in which h... The spear was of cold iron, and ... the breast bone bent and went ... upon the rib. Bowie at this ... seized Wright and fell, pulling ... down with and on top of him, ... ing him strongly to his person. ... was a slender and by no means ... man and was powerless in the h... Bowie, who coolly said to him ... Major, you die:" and plunging the ... into his heart killed him instantly.

This knife was made by ... Bowie out of a blacksmith's ... large file and was the original ... famous Bowie knife. When ... Bowie received it from his brot... was told by him that it was "strong ... of admirable temper. It is more ... worthy in the hands of a strong ... than a pistol, for it will not ... Crane and Wright are both your ... mies; they are from Maryland ... birthplace of our ancestors, and ... brave as you are, but *not so cool* ... are both inferior in *strength* to you ... and therefore not your equal in a ... fight. They are both dangerous ... Wright the most so. Keep this ... always with you. It will be your ... in a last resort and may save your ... After this conflict Resin P. B... carried this knife to Philadelphia ... it was fashioned by a cutler into ... form of a model made by him ... presume the knife is yet in the pos... ion of some member of the family.

There was no reconciliation bet... Crane and Bowie after the con... though Crane aided personally in car... ing Bowie from the ground and Bo... thanked him and said: "Col. Cra... do not think under the circumst... you ought to have shot me." Al... immediately upon the attack of C... upon Crane the fight between ... friends became general, in which ... were several wounded, but W... and Currey were the only p... killed. All the men engaged in ... terrible affair were men of wealth ... high social position, and the two p... included almost every man of for... in the extensive and wealthy pa... Rapides. All are gone save ... and Wells, both very old and ... siding in the same parish.

College Poetry.

Oh, she wears a sealskin sacque,
When it snows;
And her stunning suit is black
As a crow's;
Short; and thinks it is a pity,
Charming, jolly, wise and witty,
Has a retrousse—so pretty—
Little nose.

In her basket phaeton,
When it blows,
With her striking glasses on,
Out she goes;
And she's just as sweet as ...,
And she sits there so sedately,
With her cheeks and lips so ...
Like a rose.

She plays Chopin, Liszt and Spohr
For her beaux,
And she speaks of "Pinafore"—
Heaven knows!
With a naughty "D" and "...";
But she's awful nice and clever;
If she liked me, I'd endeavor
To propose.

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Sioux Indians.

SOME ACCOUNTS OF THEIR SOCIAL RELATIONS AND SUPERSTITIONS—THE CUSTER MASSACRE.

(Deadwood Pioneer.)

On Sunday last a *Pioneer* reporter enjoyed a lengthy conversation with Joe Hoskiss, lieutenant of Indian police, stationed at Cheyenne river agency, who is now in attendance as a witness upon a United States district court. Joe is a half-breed, who has lived with the Sioux a greater portion of his life, yet he is a very intelligent person and a ready and entertaining conversationalist. He was educated at St. Louis, speaks several languages fluently, and has had extensive experience on the frontier.

The Sioux are very superstitious, are controlled by legends in whatever they do, and never embark in an undertaking without first having the assurance that they are in the right. In their way they are a very religious people, cherishing the greatest respect for the rights both of property and person, of every member of the tribe. The chastity of their women is also noteworthy, and even their mode of warfare is in accordance with the teachings of the great spirit. True, they are often accused of great atrocities, but if history was searched, it would be found that members of the tribe had suffered similar torture and death at the hands of the whites, the circumstances of which had been remembered and retaliated at the first opportunity. The Indian has the utmost reverence for the "Great Spirit," but no belief in the existence of an evil one. They use no profanity, nor anything corresponding to a white man's oath. Their ideas of the hereafter are vague, but impressive nevertheless.

They belive that every act and episode of life below will be repeated in the "happy hunting grounds," even to the minutest details, hence the burial of implements of war and toil with every deceased.

Probably one of the noblest actions in Indian history was the rescue, in 1862, of eight persons—two women and six children—from the Santee camp, at the mouth of Grand River, by Four Bears, now in this city. The captives were adopted into the tribe, and one, Julia Wright, forced to marry a son of Black Hawk, then a prominent chief. Four Bears procured their liberation partly through purchase, (giving four horses,) and partly by strategy, and after passing through many perils, returned them to their homes. For this noble act Four Bears was promised remuneration by congress, but the promise has never been fulfilled. During his recent trip to Washington he brought the matter before Secretary Schurz, when assurance was again given that the reward would soon be forthcoming.

The relation existing between members of a family are very peculiar. For instance, brothers and sisters do not fraternize—are very distant—scarcely recognizing each other. Mothers-in-law are also ostracised immediately upon the marriage of their children.

Marriage is nothing more than purchase and sale, negotiated by the nearest friends of both parties, but the relations assumed are considered sacred, and are seldom violated.

The Custer massacre, in which many of the Cheyenne Indians participated, is seldom mentioned, and never only in the most cautious manner. It was not at the time considered a victory, nor is it remembered as an event reflecting honor upon the tribe. On the contrary, such few accounts as have been gleamed from those who participated, indicate that a route of the Indians was nearly accomplished, and would have resulted had Reno not shown the white feather. His Battle, head warrior of the tribe, is very emphatic in his denunciations of Reno, and says that Custer's death and many of his command is attributable to his (Reno's) cowardice. A map is now being prepared at the agency showing the position of the Indians, both when the charge was made, and soon after, when Reno attacked from the south. Custer led the charge to the head of the draw and ordered a volley fired into the lodges opposite. Immediately two thousand braves arose from the sage brush in the rear of the soldiers and began their terrible work. Custer gave the order to about wheel and charge, and, with the three hundred, galloped toward the foe. The latter were too numerous and too thoroughly armed; the onslaught was checked; the enemy came up with a yell: the field became a scene of the wildest confusion and death. Custer's horse fell mortally wounded, and as the gallant officer endeavored to extricate himself from the entanglement a bullet passed through his leg, and, while sitting there bewildered, faint, and helpless, a boy quietly approached from the rear, and delivered a death-blow with a clubbed rifle. The battle was over; annihilation was complete, and the search for plunder began. Almost the first body examined was that of the heroic officer, from whose pockets they took a package, carefully opened it, and beheld the long auburn locks so characteristic of the general, and which had been cut only a day or two before. The Indians at once recognized their victim, and, respecting him in life, they respected him then. The body was covered with a blanket and left, unmolested. The Indian loss was very heavy,—exactly how great is not definitely known,—but Joe believes that it equalled our own.

Sir Charles Tupper it seems, is going to England to recuperate. I often think what would take place with Canada supposing four or five men, who have all lately been sick, were to shuffle off this mortal coil. Suppose Tupper and John A. on the one side, and Alex. Mackenzie and Blake on the other, were to make tracks for the shadowy land, who could be found to fill their vacant chairs? For the life of me, I could not say, nor do I believe any other person could. It is of no use to say that there are plenty of capable, but untried men. Where are they? The mischief is that a large number have been only too well tried, and have been found incurable mediocrities. And yet they would fight for place and power, like Kilkenny cats, as soon as their present leaders were under the clods. Oh well, perhaps it is time enough to speak of all that when the men are actually dead.

The New Birth.

HERMAN MERIVALE.

... Of old from Sinai's hill;
And the mystic words of wonder
Thrill the believer still;
He sees in the vault above him,
With the eye of Faith alone,
Crowned round by the souls that love Him,
The great Creator's throne.

He sees,—in the day of danger,—
The column of cloud that led
From the land of the alien stranger
His Israel whom He fed;
And knows,—tho' his footsteps wander
Astray in a twilight land,—
That his home is building yonder,
By the one unerring hand.

He sees,—in the night of peril,—
The pillar of fire that shone
From the halls of pearl and beryl,
To light God's children on;
And feels that straight from heaven
When the eye of sense grows dim,
Shall a grander light be given
To all who trust in Him.

On the page of the mighty Ocean
He reads the mightier still,
Who curbs its restless motion
By the law of His loyal will;
And while its course diverse
It murmurs, or sings, or raves,
He lists to the voice Eternal,
In the language of the waves.

He marks in the plants around him
The throbs of a life their own,
While the wordless worlds that bound him
Whisper their undertone.
From the hawk and the hound yet clearer
He hears the secret fall,
Which nearer to him and nearer
Brings the great God of all.

In the leaves that blow and perish
In the space of a single hour,
As the loves that most we cherish
Die like the frailest flower,—
In the living things whose living
Withers or e'er they bloom,
He reads of the great thanksgiving
Which breathes from the open tomb.

The bright Spring leaves returning
To the stem whence Autumn's fell,—
And the heart of Summer burning,
To change at the Winter's spell,—
The year that again repasses,—
The grain that again revives,—
Are signs on the darkened glasses
That bar and bound our lives.

I know how the glass must darken
To my vision more and more,
When the weak ear strains to hearke
When the faint eye glazes o'er;
But the glass shall melt and shiver,
Once kissed by the fighting breath,
And the light beyond the River
Shine full in the face of Death.

Strong-set in a strong affection,
We look to the golden prime,
When a mightier Resurrection
Shall burst on the doubts of Time;
And the thoughts of all the sages,
Like the waves of the fretful main,
At the base of the Rock of Ages
Shall foam and fume in vain.

HIS VICTORIA CROSS

By the Author of "A STRANGE WEDDING-EVE," "CLARE STANHOPE'S DIAMONDS," &c.

CHAPTER IX.—CONTINUED.

"Back, McLeod! In Heaven's name back! 'Tis too late! 'Tis certain death!"

Colonel McLeod gave no more heed than if those voices that would fain have detained him had been idle puffs of wind; perhaps indeed he scarcely heard them as he dashed back among the yelling savages, who, still flying before the pursuit of the Lancers, assegaied those who came in their way.

Riding back with two other officers when the pursuit was almost over, the Colonel had paused to see that none were left behind, and in that keen swift glance he had seen one face, the sight of which had sent a wild thrill to his very heart.

Not one second did he pause, but turned and dashed back. It all passed in less than two minutes.

They saw him one second alone surrounded by Zulus. They saw the gleam of steel as his sword dealt death at each blow, and, before the two men could reach the spot, quickly as they spurred to render help, the Colonel rode out, supporting before him the well-nigh senseless form of a trooper of Lonsdale's Horse.

"McLeod, by Heaven you have a charmed life!" cried Lord Kennedy, who was one of the officers with him. "You haven't left one of the wretches. But," he added hastily, "you are wounded!"

"Hush!"—and Lord Kennedy started, and looked with a half-questioning glance into the noble face that bent over the wounded man before him, so changed and hoarse was the sweet clear voice. "It is nothing—a flesh wound. We must ride back as quickly as we can; the man is badly wounded."

The Colonel drew a sharp quick breath, and Lord Kennedy heard the almost agonised whisper—

"Oh, Heaven, is it too late, after all!"

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"It's a question of hours, Colonel. At most he may live that; but, as to recovery——"

And the surgeon glanced towards the pallet bed on which lay perfectly motionless the slight form of the man Colonel McLeod had rescued, and shook his head.

Then he glanced covertly into McLeod's face, which was hardly less deathly white than that of the dying man. He wondered why Loris McLeod should feel such a deep interest in the trooper, why he had brought him to his own tent instead of taking him to the ambulance, and had lavished on him every possible care.

"I knew that from the first," said Colonel McLeod in a cold measured voice that betokened a very tempest of feeling suppressed; "you have done all you can; I shall not forget it. Will he be conscious?"

"He is conscious now," replied the surgeon, glancing over towards the bed; "his eyes are open; he is sensible."

McLeod turned quickly, and a sudden flush crossed his cheek. With one step he was by the man's side, and he bent low over the ghastly face; one gentle hand was laid on the fair matted locks that lay damp on the man's brow.

With a sharp cry the man pressed one hand to his forehead, and a wild look of horror and dread crossed his face as he saw, as through a mist, the face beside him.

With an almost superhuman effort he raised himself on one arm and so remained, making convulsive efforts to utter some word, that only resulted in a half-articulate whisper.

"You here? Have you come to denounce me now? Oh, it has been a living death—your scorn——"

But the Colonel's right arm was passed round him, and the quivering form was drawn to his breast.

"I have not come to denounce or to scorn, only to remember that my brother is given back to me once more," he said in low steady tones. "Archie, oh, Archie, rest here; trust the love that has lived through all!"

His voice faltered and broke; he could only bow his head in silence and strive with the agony that for one moment must have way. He thought of the days long ago, when his darling fair-haired brother had twined on his breast and had made a thousand plans for the future, and hopes for a bright future. Oh, bitter, bitter memories now, when his brother lay there once more, heart-beating unto heart, after twenty long years, wounded unto death, in the camp at Ulundi!

Exhausted, Archie McLeod lay for many minutes perfectly still, the horror and dread slowly dying away from his face as he instinctively gave way to that all-conquering power of love that seemed to enfold him and shelter him. But, after a brief space, he opened his eyes.

"Who is that?" he whispered, half raising his hand to point to the erect figure of the surgeon, who had drawn back in wondering silence, but who now stepped forward.

"Don't you know me?" he said, bending down. "Doctor McAlister? Yes, I see you do. You're not in pain now, are you?"

"No"—faint and scarcely above a whisper came the answer; "but, you know, Doctor, that's not for long. I'm getting numb; you needn't tell me I'm dying. How long?"

"You haven't many hours, my poor lad," said Doctor McAlister kindly. He glanced toward the Colonel as he spoke. "Have you known this man, Colonel?" he asked in an undertone.

"Ay, I know him!"

Only four words—so simply, so softly uttered, yet they outlined a life's unutterable woe.

The surgeon somehow could not find words to answer. Just then Archie spoke.

"Doctor, give me something to give me a spurt. Can't you?"

McAlister poured out a strong cordial and gave it to the Colonel. Archie swallowed the liquid eagerly, and in a moment seemed to rally.

"I want you to do something for me, Doctor," he said, speaking slowly, but more clearly. "You wonder at all this. Didn't Loris McLeod bring me out from those confounded Zulus?"

"Yes, at infinite risk. What then?"

"Well, I'm glad he did; not that I love life—it's a curse to me; but that was paying back good for evil—eh, Loris?"

"He wanders," said the surgeon, half interrogatively; but Archie roused himself, knitting his brow.

"Not at all," he said hastily. "Don't you think I've not my senses about me. Go, Doctor, if you want to do the last service a dying man'll ask you, and fetch the General—our General, you know. Be quick; tell him I've something to say to him—to go, you know—go to—to the Horse Guards."

McLeod almost sprang to his feet with a smothered cry.

"No, no, Archie! Forbear in Heaven's name—not that! McAlister, stay!"

"Go—quick, quick!" the younger brother gasped, clasping tightly Loris's right hand. "Don't mind him; he mustn't suffer any more. Tell the General he must come."

McLeod sank down with a deep groan.

"I have suffered, and can still suffer," he whispered, his voice hoarse with agony. "Save honour still, Archie."

But the surgeon had gone; and that clasp of Archie McLeod, powerful only because it was so weak, held the Colonel; and the dying man looked up with almost a smile.

"It's the only way I can die easy," he said. "I have been a coward. I ought to have confessed it all long ago; but I was afraid, and I dreaded facing the outcry and then—death!" He shivered and closed his eyes. "Well, it's come now without my doing; but, Loris, I have been fighting for the old country. You never knew I was in the Flying Column, did you? You're not with that, are you? I saw you, but I couldn't face you, Loris, only say once you forgive me for that."

"Who am I that I should judge you, Archie?" said Loris. "I do forgive you." Then he added, with quivering lips, "Archie, if you love me, spare me this last blow."

"No, that I can't do," replied Archie; "my life is going. I've pretty well spoiled yours for you, and you shan't suffer any more for that affair. It's tardy justice," he added, with a heavy sigh.

He lay back perfectly quiet for some minutes on the cushion that supported his head; then he moved again restlessly.

"Is—you know, Loris, what I told you about the Sepoys using threats to make me betray Gherutpoor. Oh, how you start at the very word! I don't mean that was an excuse. I did shrink from doing that, though I was so friendly with the chiefs. I managed to let you know. I wouldn't have done so much for any one else; I didn't know there would be such a flare-up over it."

"Never mind that now, Archie," said the Colonel in a low voice, laying his hand tenderly on his brothers forehead; he could only remember that he was dying, the long years of shame and sin seemed somehow unreal and mists; and still withal there was a sense of being sharply wounded and stung. "Unless it be to ask Heaven's mercy for that sin."

Archie turned his face away with a groan.

"Ah," he said bitterly, "that's no good! I don't believe, and you don't, in a fellow living a coward's life and squaring it all up in an hour when confession can't hurt him. Remorse isn't repentance. Ah—there is some one! Loris, stay."

For, with one bound, Loris McLeod had reached the entrance to the tent, across which a curtain was drawn. He set his teeth, and there was an almost desperate look in the large bright eyes as he stood there in the opening and met the half-inquiring gaze of his commanding-officer, who was accompanied by Doctor McAlister.

"The man is dying," said the Colonel; "it is useless to trouble you, Sir Everest; he is not fit to see anyone. Forgive me if I ask you not to enter."

"My dear McLeod, forgive me if I disregard your wish," answered Sir Everest, laying his hand gently on the Colonel's arm. "McAlister has told me what he witnessed and what the wounded man said. There is some grave mystery here which ought to be cleared up. It is plain you have been suffering for the deed of another man; and it is my duty to help to remove a stigma from the name of one of the bravest officers who ever served the Queen."

He spoke gravely and gently; but through all there was a ring of command which, even in this moment of desperate conflict, Loris McLeod, loyal to that obedience which was a creed with him, could not disregard. There was a second's dire struggle; then he bowed his head in mute acquiescence and drew back for the General to pass.

But he was as white as the man from whom the life was slowly ebbing, although calm outwardly.

"Stay one moment," said Sir Everest, as the surgeon passed on to the pallet with some cordial for Archie which should give him temporary strength. "McLeod, what is this man to you?"

"He is my brother. Spare me more."

Loris stepped to his brother's side and knelt down, putting his arm round him, that Archie might lie more at ease supported on his breast. Then Archie spoke in slow low tones, pausing every now and then to draw his breath.

"I'm glad you've come, sir," he said, raising his dim eyes to that kindly face on which every man in the Flying Column looked with such pride and affection. "There's right to be done; and I know you'll see that Loris McLeod, my brother, has justice at last. Take down all I say, and I'll sign it, if I can, in your presence; then it'll be all right."

McAlister fetched writing-materials from the place the Colonel indicated, and wrote down, as Archie McLeod spoke, that confession of bitter shame and wrong.

Not once did Loris McLeod move or speak; his head was bowed, his eyes drooping, but his white lips were compressed, and his teeth set as in a vice; only such signs were forced from him by an agony that had scarcely been greater when he had heard in the flush of youth that hope was ever for him.

Sir Everest stood with folded arms listening to the strange tale which he heard with mingled emotions—deep thankfulness that a brave and noble life should be cleared, and sympathy and sorrow for that man's suffering.

Archie told nothing, nor did he make any palliation of his crime. He told the story of the betrayal of the Indian fort simply and truly.

"Now give me the pen," he said, when he had concluded, and his voice was becoming ... "let me sign," and he half raised himself, speaking in gasps and fixing his glassy eyes on the General with an almost wild entreaty. "You'll send—see him cleared——"

"I swear that I will carry out your wish to the uttermost," answered Sir Everest, with quiet solemnity. And then the surgeon brought the paper and pen.

"Lift me, Loris. You must guide my hand."

A shiver ran through every fibre of the Colonel's frame; but he nerved himself with a fierce effort to the task, raising the form that lay so heavily against him and putting the paper before him. Archie stretched out his hand for the pen. The fingers that held it were almost nerveless. He looked up entreatingly, that look pleading more powerfully than the whispered "Guide my hand, Loris."

Loris took the cold hand in his warm clasp; his fingers lay on the bueless ones that held the pen. It was brother guiding brother to sign to his dishonour. His breath came quickly, a mist rose before his eyes, and his hand fell.

"I cannot!" he said hoarsely.

There was a moment's intense silence. The far distant challenge of a sentinel as the officer went his rounds could be distinctly heard. Sir Everest touched the Colonel gently.

"McLeod," he merely said; but the word was enough.

With a kind of desperation Loris McLeod nerved himself one more. He took Archie's hand without faltering, and guided the pen that slowly traced for the last time the name "Archibald Cameron McLeod."

"Cameron McLeod!" said Archie, with regretful bitterness, as the pen dropped, and he lay back exhausted in his brother's arms. "The mother's name! He is noble enough to wash out the stains I've brought on it!"—half questioningly to the General, who bent and signed the document with McAlister, as witnesses.

"Aye," he answered in a deep low voice, "there lives no nobler man on this earth than Loris McLeod!"

"Yes, that's true," muttered Archie; and he smiled. Then a new eagerness came into his face, and he half raised his hand. "General, one thing—I sha'n't serve you any more, you know. Will you mind shaking hands just this last time? I have fought for England. I have not shrunk from my snare, have I, sir?"

Almost too deeply moved for words, Sir Everest clasped Archie McLeod's hand in his.

"I do not shrink from holding your hand in mine," he said falteringly. "You have always done your duty as long as I have known you. May Heaven forgive you!"

Then Sir Everest turned and touched the surgeon.

"Come away," he said softly. "Leave them together at the last."

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Hours afterwards, when the cold gray dawn was breaking, and the reveille sounded, and all the camp burst suddenly into the life of a new day, Loris McLeod was found to answer the call, rising from that long, long vigil, of which each second was freighted with a life's anguish. And Archie McLeod too had answered the reveille that called him to arise in the dim darkness and go forth to the Unknown Land.

CHAPTER X., AND LAST.

The news spread like wild-fire through the camp that the Archie Lovell of Lonsdale's Horse, who had just died of his wounds, was not "Lovell" at all, but Colonel McLeod's brother.

It would not have been possible to keep that secret, all the circumstances attending his death being so unusual. And Sir Everest deemed it only right and just that the Commander-in-Chief and all those who knew Loris McLeod should be acquainted with the facts of that mystery which had been an everlasting puzzle to those who had served in the Mutiny.

And, after all, what did it matter? All the world would know it soon. Sir Everest had sent off Archie's confession with the despatches that very day. All the newspapers would be trumpet-tongued with the story. It was only another bitter ordeal to bear—one of many, Loris thought, he would have to go through.

There was an intense quiet pleasure expressed by all; but no one uttered a word of congratulation; a warm hand-clasp, the look that spoke as much as words, but unlike words, could not wound—that was all.

It would have been mockery indeed to congratulate Loris McLeod on the restoration of all he had lost, when all was bought with a brother's dishonour.

In those days of silent anguish Colonel McLeod scarcely knew whether the cost was not too dear wherewith honour had been given back. He could have borne, he thought, with a dull aching at his heart, to live on in shadow, having in some sort redeemed his name in this brief campaign.

Now all that he had suffered—perhaps erred to guard so closely—was bruited about. The old name was tarnished; the spots were not rubbed off the shield. Yet now he had all for which, when he lacked it, he had passionately yearned and prayed. Honour, love, the reward for such dauntless bravery as he had shown, were his; and they fell at his feet, and he looked at them with eyes dim with pain. They seemed so burdened that he said bitterly they had come "too late."

He blamed himself for being unthankful, making little allowance for the utter depression which followed so great a mental strain. He had one passionate longing—to see Cecil, to feel the touch of her tender hands, to hear the low sympathetic voice, and to know this love was untinged with one single thought of bitterness.

Archie McLeod was buried at Ulundi with others who had fallen as he had.

So it was all for the best. There could be only a feeling of unfitness in the publicity inseparable from such a funeral as his must be if brought home to Castle McLeod

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The newspapers published the official letter which the Commander-in-Chief forwarded to Colonel McLeod. The letter expressed the greatest satisfaction that the stigma under which so brave an officer had lived, and for which he had wrongly suffered, had been at length removed. It touched lightly on the noble generosity which had elected to bear the penalty of a brother's guilt, and warmly eulogised the services rendered to the country by Colonel McLeod.

The papers also published the fact that Colonel McLeod went down to Ridinghurst the day after an interview with the Commander-in-Chief, that he received from his regiment, the inhabitants of Hyde, and his tenantry a perfect "ovation," and that in the course of a day or two he was to be summoned to Scotland, where the Queen herself would place on his breast the Victoria Cross.

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The old library at Ridinghurst yet once more; and Cecil McLeod, the wife of two months, is standing in the red glow of the firelight as she stood one short year before, when Colonel McLeod in measured tones told her how her hand was sought in marriage.

Now her husband's arm is round her, and she leans against his breast. He has but just come in.

It has been a field-day, and the fire-light gleams on his handsome uniform, on the medal on his breast, and—on the Victoria Cross. Old Colin lies blinking in the heat, looking up with great contentment at the two he loves best; and Loris McLeod is saying, with a smile that is very bright, tinged with that melancholy sweetness which gives half its charm to the noble face—

"I am recalling, Cecil, one day, more than two years ago, when I sat alone in this library and read that you were coming to my home. It seemed scarcely home then; and I remember wondering how I should adapt myself to new habits of life and thought, and how I should try and make you happy. It seems like a dream."

"But it is no dream that you have made me happy—so happy, my husband," answered Cecil, looking up, her white hand almost unconsciously straying to the symbol on his breast. And he bends down and kisses the pure brow uplifted to him.

A. D.

There has been some surprise that nothing was left in her will by George Eliot to her husband, Mr. Cross, but that all the money went to the family of her first husband. This was however an arrangement entered into previous to her second marriage, by the express desire of Mr. Cross who is himself very well off.

Little Johnny's Anecdotes.

HE TELLS NUMEROUS STORIES ABOUT NUMEROUS KINDS OF ANIMALS.

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Mark Twain on the Wrong Scent.

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Profits of Brokers.

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Slaves Of The Turkomans.

(Pall Mall Gazette.)

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Court Dances At Berlin.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 25th 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$6.00
" " Mail, "	6.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

THE Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway Company, have been offered 96 cents on the Dollar for their $1,000,000 issue of five per cent bonds.

WE learn from the Mail, that the Elevator at Toronto for the T. G. & B. Railway Company is being pushed with all possible speed. Its capacity will be 100.000 bushels and its elevating power 6.000 bushels per hour

SLEIGHING is fast disappearing, and their are many indications that spring is approaching, and we would give our fellow citizens a word of warning. nothing contributes so much to the propagation of disease as dirty yards and closets. Now is the time to clean up, and we can assure those who neglect doing so, that they will suffer for it before the summer is over. We have no faith in the fearful visitations, fortold by a certain professor, of cholera black death &c, but we do believe there will be considerable atmospheric disturbance, and consequently more or less sickness resulting therefrom; therefore it becomes absolutely necessary that we take every precution in not having anything round our premises that will have a tendency to feed disease. Scarlet fever, Typhoid and Diphtheria are making their appearance in various parts of the province, and we certainly will not escape a visit from them unless our warning is attended to.

WE recieved an anomymous communication from Williamsford relative to some unpleasantness that took place in the church there on Sabbath last. In the first place we have repeatedly stated that we would pay no attention to any communication that had not the *Bona-fide* name of the wirter, as a guarantee of good faith, for should we do otherwise we would be flooded with endless communications from any and all who suffered some wrong, real or imaginary, and thereby continually get ourselves into hot water. In the next place, we consider, even admitting the statement sent us is correct, that the agrieved party was as much to blame as the Minister. A church is supposed to be the house of God, dedicated to his worship, although one may not agree, with the form used in any particular church, he should be willing to conform to its rules while attending when politely requested to do so, or else keep away.

EUGENIA.

From a Correspondent.

The annual tea meting in connection with the Union Sabbath School, was held in the Orange Hall, Eugenia, on Friday evening, the 16th inst. The programme, as usual, consisted of Dialogues, recitations, Vocal and Instrumental music. Speeches, were delivered by a number of local celeberites. The Superintendent of Salem Sabbath School adressed the children in a few select and well chosen. Scriptural promises, followed by the Rev. Mr. Madden the resident C. M. Minister, who gave an excellent and instructive adress. The receipts at the Door amounted to nearly $23. This speaks in itseelf the interest taken in the Sabbath School work in Eugenia. We beleive this is the largest sum taken during the whole season, out of the many entertainments which have been given. It may be asked, how is so much interest taken in the Sabbath School; simply because it is conducted on purely union principals, and any attempts to introduce Sectarian Schools have had very sudden deaths. Now that relegions instruction is nearly Tabooed in our common Schools, let us support our Sabbath School.

Now is the season when you may expect to be asked, how much sugar have you made? Sugar Bush, work is now the order of the day.

Is it any use to tell you that we expect to have spring.

Quite a number of cattle are dying, and no one seems to know the nature of the ailment.

Yours Truly, J.

Eugenia, March 21st, 1881.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, March 7th, 1881. Present Messrs Christoe, Wright, Webster, Elliott and Pedlar. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Communications from S. J. Parker and S. H. McKitt.ick read. Report of committee on Treasurer's securities read and adopted. Application of the trustees of school section No. 4, asking to have the following lots attached to said section viz.:—Lots 41, 42, 43, 44 and 45, 3rd S. D. R. Lots 41, 42 and 43, 2nd S. D. R. By-law No. 323 appointing the following municipal officers for 1881 introduced by Mr. Pedlar and read a first and second time. Fenceviewers—Peter Muir, R. Whittaker, Angus McLeod, Dugald Currie, Joseph Aussum, Jas. Beatty, R. D. Irwin, W. Blair, Robt. Shannon, Jas. Hemphill, D. Stinson, John Duncan, B. Lever and J. Sharp. Poundkeepers—Geo. Tuck, Alexander Rutledge, J. H. Heard and M. Akitt. Pathmasters—Wm. Henry, W. Gal[illegible], [illegible] W. [illegible] J. Sharp, A. White, J. Harrison, [illegible] Bannon, Geo. Ludlow, R. Ludlow, J. Foster, Thos. Davis, Jas. O'Brien, A. Holley, R. Thompson Jr., J. Legard, D. McMullen, John Blackburn, D. White, Jas. Wallace, S. Theaslown, Wm. Hutchinson, John Walker, Jas. McNichol, T Granger, W. Wright, Donald McLeod, Donald McKenzie, Geo. Dale, F. Shier, R. J. Carson, W. Ludlow, W. Watson, C. D. McMillen, Jos. Watson, M. McDogall, W. Bell, W. Mead, Jeremiah Taylor, Walter McAulay, D. McMillen, Ward Harrison, James Vause, D. Kenedy, Angus McLeod, Peter Muir, J. Parliament, E. Stone, R. Whittaker, John Fisher, P. Holeman, W. Cooper, M. Sullivan, C. Boyce, Jos. Fenwick, R. Akitt, T. Gilbert, Geo. Parks, John Fenwick, W. Purvis, G. Turner, Thos. Kells, R. Warling, G. Gordon, J. Williamson, James Lackey, Arthur Sewell Jr., James Scott, Robert Cruthers, J. Williams, D. Campbell, W. Bialby, F. Gee. Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the Clerk be instructed to ascertain if a plan of McDonald's survey on mill plot, Priceville, has been registered and to procure a copy for use of municipality if possible.—Carried. Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the application of the trustees of S. S. No. 4 be filed and that proper notices be given the parties interested, by the Clerk, immediately, that this Council will deal with the matter at the next session. The purport of application being to detach about 500 acres from S. S. No. seven and attach the same to S. S. No. 4.—Carried. Council adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY,
Tp. CLERK.

CURE FOR DIPHTHERIA.

A correspondent of a Victoria paper writes;—Should you or any of your family be attacked with diphtheria, do not be alarmed, as it is easily and speedily cured with a doctor. When it was raging in England, a few years ago, I accompanied Dr. Field on his rounds to witness the so-called "wonderful cures' he performed, while the patients of others were dropping on all sides. The remedy, to be so rapid, must be simple. All he took with him was powder of sulphur and a quill, and with these he cured every patient without exception. He put a teaspoonful of flour of brimstone into a wine glass of water, and stirred it with his finger, instead of a spoon, as the sulphur does not readily amalgamate with water. When the sulphur was well mixed he gave it as a gargle, and in ten minutes the patient was out of danger. Brimstone kills every species of fungus in man, beast, and plant in a few minutes. Instead of spitting out the gargle, he recommended the swallowing of it. In extreme case, in which he had been called just in the nick of time, when the fungus was too nearly closed to allow the gargling, he blew the sulphur through a quill into the throat, and after the fugune had shrunk to allow it, then the gargling. He never lost a patient from diphtheria. If a patient cannot gargle, take a live coal, put it on a shovel, and sprinkle a spoonful or two of flour of brimstone at a time upon it; let the sufferer inhale it, holding the head over it, and the fungus will die. If plentyfully used, the whole room may be filled almost to suffocation; the patient can walk about in it, inhaling the fumes, with doors and windows shut. This mode of fumigating a room with sulphur has often cured most violent attacks of cold in the head, chest, &c., at any time, and is recommended in cases of consumption and asthma.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

MORMONISM IN HOPEVILLE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I think it not out of place to let the outside world (away from Hopeville) know of the intense excitement that is now prevailing in the quiet village of Hopeville. About one year ago a Mormon, or "latter-day saint" Elder, by the name of McIntosh, made his appearance in the vicinity of Hopeville, where, by a series of meetings, he procured some converts, and on Monday last the same person appeared according to notice publicly made, in Scarlett's Hall in this village, and is still carryon a series of meetings, with the prospect of drawing more members to his church. All parties that hear him, speak of his great ability as a speaker, and some are talking of trying to procure him as the next candidate for the Proton Reeveship; for his able tongue and cleverness in quoting the scriptures, causes all who attack him to be put *hors de combat*. On Monday night the meeting was rather noisey, but Tuesday night there was a full house and good order. He was taken to task by a Mr. Bush a Millerite who hailed from London, Ont., but after some sharp firing and some unpleasant and unseemly expressions, Mr. Bush was fairly "Bushed," and had to secumb to the Latter-day Saint; but by the able arguments of the Latter-day saint and the Millerite, there appeared a poor chance for the poor plain Episcopalian, Presbyterian, or Methodist. Wednesday night the house was thinner, not so many of the respectable community attended; but a few young men and boys from the the west side of Proton, well known for their quarling propencity put in an appearance. They followed their usual custom when they all come together and made it very unpleasant for the Saint. What shall follow we shall see. Yours,

AN OBSERVER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—The diphtheria is still lurking in this section of country, and we have no guarantee that the Village of Flesherton may not be attacked this spring. Now do you not think, Mr. Editor, that it would be well to have a board of health organised to examine the back yards, and in case of any nuisance being found to have them removed. It may save Rachel much weeping for her children the ensuing summer.

Yours &c,
VILLAGER.

Money! Money!

THE undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent, according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY,
Lot 130, 1st west T. & S. R. Artemesia,
Flesherton P. O.
March 23, 1881. 28-tf

BACHELOR'S HALL.

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To the [illegible]

Come all [illegible] a song,
It is short, [illegible]
[illegible] you long;
'Tis a list of the sorrows that [illegible]
A young man while keeping a Bachelor's Hall.

CHORUS.

Oh! Bachelor's Hall,
Oh! Bachelor's Hall,
Woe's me for the sorrows
Of Bachelor's Hall.

The first week I managed exceedingly well,
And swore 'twas elysium thus lonely to dwell;
But things got untidy—my patience grew small,
And I vowed it a bore keeping Bachelor's Hall.—Cho.

One night I returned from my travels with glee,
Expecting a cup of most excellent tea;
But found that my sugar, young hyson and all,
Had banished like winkie, from Bachelor's Hall.—Cho.

I was asked to a party, and promised to go
And went to rig up for business, when lo!
Shirts, dickies and collars, white stockings and all,
Were black as the stove-pipe of Bachelor's Hall.—Cho.

A friend dropped upon me at dinner one day,
And coolly informed a fortnight he'd stay;
I smiled and said welcome, but oh! it was gall,
To be pestored with strangers at Bachelor's Hall.—Cho.

[T]hings all went to wreck—I cannot tell how,
At last I was forced neath misfortune to bow;
And married a widow, fair, forty, and tall,
And so bade adieu to old Bachelor's Hall.—Cho.

My song it is ended, and so is my sorrow,
No more I'm distracted with care for to-morrow;
My plump, buxom widow, she manages all,
Which is heav'n when compared with Bachelor's Hall.

Oh! Bachelor's Hall,
Oh! Bachelor's Hall,
Young gents be aware
Of Bachelor's Hall.

SELLING below cost for the next 20 days. Butter and Eggs taken in exchange. Reynolds & Son.

The Dominion Parliament was prorogued Monday at 3 o'clock, after being in session since the 9th of December.

The last Masquerade of the season takes place on the Markdale skating rink to-night (Friday.) A big time is promised Admission 10cts. Masquers free.

BIRTHS.

PATTERSON,—On the 14th inst. the wife of A. C. Patterson, Flesherton, of a son.

MARRIED.

BEST—STINSON—At the residence of the bride's father, on Wednesday, 23rd February, by the Rev. D. McLeod B. A., Mr. James Best, to Miss Sara Ann, second daughter of Mr. David Stinson, all of Artemesia.

CAMPBELL—MCDONALD—At Garson's Hotel, Durham, on Wedensday the 16th inst., by the Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., Mr. Hugh Campbell, of Glenelg, to Miss Mary Ann McDonald, daughter of John McDonald Bentinck.

WHITTEN—HARRISON—on the 22nd inst., At the residence of the brides parents, by the Rev. S. C. Philp, John Whitton, carpenter and builder, to Miss Alice Harriston, all of Artemesia.

DIED.

CLARK,—In Artemesia, on the 15th inst., Mr. Joseph Clark, of cancer.

MACRAE—In Glenelg, on the 15th inst., Donald MacRae. Father of Finlay MacRae, Esq. Reeve of the Township, in the 73rd year of his age.

AUCTION SALE OF

VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Glenelg and Holland, in the County of Grey.

There will be sold on

Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at

RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

By virtue of powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following property:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Angus McMillan, Lot number 38, in the 2nd concession north of the Durham Road, of the said township of Glenelg, containing by admeasurement 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—40 acres cleared.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgages from Samuel Young, Lot 57, in the 2nd concession, North-east of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—45 acres cleared, a good dwelling house, barn and stable.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to
JONES BROS. & McKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOHN LYONS,
Markdale.
Toronto, March, 15, 1881. 28-3i

Auction Sale

VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Artemesia and Proton in the County of Grey.

There will be Sold on

Friday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at the

McCULLOUGH'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF DUNDALK.

BY virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the Sale, the following property:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon, Lot No. 37, in the 3rd Concession, South of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, County of Grey, containing 50 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 10 acres partly cleared. The property is situated about 10 miles from the Village of Dundalk.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGuire, Lot 17, in the 17 Concession of the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 30 acres cleared and under cultivation, with a log house and barn erected thereon.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For farther particulars apply to
JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOSEPH McARDLE, Esq.,
Hopeville.
Toronto, 14th March, 1881. 28-4w

In Chancery:

DEWSON VS. WILSON.

PURSUANT to an order of the Court of Chancery, made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. TAYLOR, ESQUIRE, Master in Ordinary of this Court, by R. S. Meeking, Esquire, Auctioneer, at

McDERMOTT'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF BOND HEAD,

At the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, on

The 9th day of April 1881,

The following lands and premises, in one parcel namely; Broken Lot number three, in the first Concession, of the Township of West Gwillimbury, in the County of Simcoe, containing fifteen acres more or less. Also, pursuant to the above mentioned order, there will be sold by Robert Davis, Esquire, at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL

In the

VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, on

The 12th day of April,

A. D., 1881, the following lands and premises, in two parcels, namely:

PARCEL I.

The South west part of Lot number two hundred and twenty, in the second concession south of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres more or less.

PARCEL II.

Lot number one hundred and twenty-one, in the first concession south-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS of SALE.

One tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, and a sufficient amount within one month thereafter, without interest to make together with the cash payment one quarter of said purchase money, the balance to be secured by mortgage on the premises, at six per cent per annum, payable in three equal yearly payments.

Each parcel will be sold subject to a reserved bid fixed by the said master.

The other conditions of sale are the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery.

Further particulars can be had from DENISON & MACKLEM, 15 Toronto street; MESSRS. McCARTHY, HOSKIN, PLUMB & CREELMAN, Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated at Toronto this 16th day of March, A. D., 1881. Signed,
28-3w. T. W. TAYLOR.

FOR SALE.

ONE Yoke of 5 year old steers, well broken and handy. One span of working horses, young. One filly 4 years old, well broken in saddle and harness. One colt 2 years old.

WM. BROWN.
Markdale, March 24th 1881. 28-3i

A NEW ELECTION In Euphrasia.

THE Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at

6 Per Cent., Yearly!

ON STRAIGHT LOANS,

This is the

Lowest Rate ever offerered in the County of Grey.

OFFICES:—Lot 26, Con. 4, Euphrasia, and MEAFORD,—Next door to Royal Hotel.

N. B.—A large amount of private money to loan on

Good Notes or Second Mortgages.

E. E. KNOTT.
March 3, 1881. 25-3m

WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS, Sewing Machines, Organs, Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881.

[illegible]

MEDICAL HALL.

CHANGE of BUSINESS.

We take pleasure in announcing to the residents of Markdale and surrounding Country, that we have purchased

THE DRUG AND STATIONERY BUSINESS

Lately carried on by DR. SPROULE, and trust by strict personal attention to business, and by keeping a full assortment of the BEST MATERIALS in the above lines to merit the support of the general public.

As the Holiday season is fast approaching, we have purchased a LARGE and VARIED Stock of

Fancy Goods, Toys,

And many other Articles, Useful and Ornamental, for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Job Lots for Christmas Trees at Reduced Rates.

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

PATENT MEDICINES, AUTHORIZED SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, Dye-Stuffs, Paints, Oils Teas, and Tobaccoes, ALWAYS ON HAND.

Agents for Montreal Telegraph and Vicker's Express.

Physicians Prescriptions and Family Recipies dispensed at all hours.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

Pianos and Organs.

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All Instruments warranted for Six Years.

ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,
LOCK BOX 22,
Uxbridge, Ont.

Organ for Sale.

A FIVE OCTAVE ORGAN, nearly new, one of Clough & Warren's (New York) celebrated Instruments. Cost $209.00; will be sold at a great reduction on above price.

A. W. EATON.
Markdale, March 2, 1881. 25-3i

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the Undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice. [illegible]

JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 11, 1880.

REMOVED!

FROM my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Store, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellry, Wedding and Jem Rings, Clocks, &c., &c.

Watches and Clocks carefully repaired and brought to time. All work guaranteed.

DUNDALK.

[illegible]

W. J. [illegible]

[illegible] $1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at

7 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

[illegible] paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest? If you want to buy more land? [illegible] improve more land?

IT WILL PAY YOU

to borrow of the

North of Scotland Canadian Mortgage Com[pany]

They charge no fines? they do not [illegible], nor charge [illegible] give the most reasonable privi[leges] [illegible] lending money.

AND THEIR COSTS ARE L[OW]

Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special [illegible]

I have also a few thousand dollars of

PRIVATE MONEY

To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. [illegible] and the [illegible] is limited. As many English and Scotch capitalists are with[drawing] capital from the market, I believe [illegible] in the money market may soon [illegible] Money has reached rock bottom. [illegible] time to borrow, [illegible]

The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan [and] Insurance Agency.

INSURANCE

It is of the greatest importance to Insurers that they select a Reliable Company, and that they do their business through a reliable Agent. I am [prepared] to take applications for the Strongest, Safest and Best Companies in C[anada] for a Stock Company, at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. [illegible]

Lancashire and Citizens, (Stock)

The Waterloo County and Gore District,

(Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING. Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c. short notice, and work Correctly and Neatly done. In this line my b[usiness has] increased and is increasing, I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied [free of] charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT. To any having lands to dispose of [I] offer a splendid chance to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your [property is] sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the Propr[ietors] themselves. Correspondence solicited. In every department of my business I [make] carefulness, correctness, and fair dealing the prominent features, [and] as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General A[gent]

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the control of the

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACT[ORY]

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

TO THE

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOING THE FACT[ORY]

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competant salesman [to] [illegible] and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to any time [since] commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance [of the] patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Style[s]

and during the Winter I requre

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and [illegible]

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pi[ne]

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDINGS, ETC.,

AS USUAL.

Estimate of supplies Given on Applicatio[n]

Don't forget the Warerooms are [illegible] next door to the Factory, Durham [illegible]

H. HOOPE[R]

Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits,
CHEAP

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS,
CHEAP

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing
CHEAP

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, December 30, 1880. 13

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop, owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,

DEMOCRATS,

WAGGONS, ETC.

AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

General Jobbing

[illegible]

Shop on Mill street, [illegible]

Markdale, March 2, 1881. 26-3m

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailo[r]

HAVING rented the Tailoring [Depart]ment over McFarland's store, [begs] to inform the public of Markdale and [sur]rounding country, that he is pr[epared to]

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Taste[fully]

CUTTING

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PL[ATES]

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guarant[eed]

—AT—

LOW RATES.

Remember the Pl[ace] Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880.

[...] 25th, 1881.

OTHER NOTICES.

[...] wanted, Apply at this [...]

[...]epairing a specialty, at [...] and have it [...]

[...] coal oil, CASTORINE [...]chine oil, try Hackett [...]

[...] for the past week has [...] as a womans tem[per]

[...] Dentist, of Owen [...] at the Revere Hotel on [...], 30th inst.

[...] oil company, are sole [...] of "Castorine machine [...] will be prosecuted.

[...] of those Waltham [...] Watches to hand, at [...], Flesherton and

[...] the course of a week or [...] our readers the acts that [...] at the late sessions [...] Legislature.

[...] dealers for "Castorine" [...], and see that the barrel [...] "Castorine," as none other

[...] Tartar Oats are all gone. [...] on hand.—JOHN FORD, [...] Farm.

[...] GAUGE.—The Northern [...] commenced the prelim[inary] preparatory to the change [wh]ich is to take place on the

[...]storine" Machine Oil, for [...] machinery, it is also ex[cellent for h]arness and leather, mak[ing it soft] and weather proof. For [...]ers.

[...] glad to see that the closets [...] have been attended to, [...] thoroughly clean. If the [...] would only exercise a little [...] night be kept so.

[...] that Wilcox is still on [...], so to speak, and this [...] opened some fine goods [...], Knives, Forks, Spoons. [...] there's more to follow.

[...]ERS of reapers, mowers [...] machines, prefer "Cas[torine" mac]hine oil to any other, it [...] lard, seal, or elephant, [...]ted not to gum.

[...] Pectoral Balsam; a few doses [...] distressing cough, and a [...] bottle has cured many a [...] Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, [...] and Soreness of the [...] grand specific for all throat [...] leading to consumption.

[...] call the attention of our [...] to a manure heap on [...] street. We labored under [...] that streets were for [...] and not for private indivi[duals to make] a barnyard of.

[...] at Flesherton Station are [...] from the snow disap[pearing r]apidly and the amount of [...] quatities of Hay, Grain, [an]d Cordwood coming in. [...] have a rough time of [...]

[...]—Why become a suffering mar[tyr] [...] BURDOCK BLOOD BIT[TERS] [...] cure the cause of all varities [of] [...] Nervous Headaches, cleanse [...] regulate the Secretions, relieve [...] the Bowles, purify the Blood, [...] the Liver, and tone up the Nervous [...] distressing headache will be un[known] [...] bottle 10 cents, Large Bottle

[...] the Ontario Legislature [...] ment to the municipal [...] introduced a cause, to pre[vent ...] hanging on waggons, [v]ehicles of any kind. We [...] enforced.

[...] Ball has received the [...] the government of car[rying the mail] between here and Flesh[erton] [...] commences the 1st of [...] which date the mail is to [...] weekly instead of semi-[weekly as he]retofore. Mondays, Wed[nesdays and] Fridays are the days it [...] eaford.—*Monitor.*

[...] rapidly the population [...] is increasing, we may [...] house is [...] ney. There are severa[l ...] have started business [...] not able to bring there [...] want of a house. We [...] be a good investment [...] has the cash to erect [...] rent.

[...] purifyers, BURDOCK BLOOD [...]dily change the sallow [...] health and beauty. [...] acts promptly on the [...] and strengthens the [...] by Nervous or General [...] Druggist for a Trial [...] only 10 cents, Large Bottle

[...] COURT.—A case came [...] Messrs Armstrong [...] for obtaining goods [under false] pretenses. It appears a [...] Fagan traded a horse [...] Mr. Cochrane with E [...] again traded with F. [...] Cochrane not liking [...] legal steps and recover- [...] The present trial is to [...] again. The case was [...]

[...] Chatsworth, on the [...] chopping, prepairing [...] machine, a limb fell [...] Thomas Shea, son of [...] maker of this place [kn]ocking him down and [...]ound, Dr. McGregor [...] are glad to say he is [...] injured, as was re[...] round in a few days.

[...] Mark Twain's prize poem [...] incident to Spring. [...] Burdock Blood Bitters is [...] by all who have [...] Blood Purifing Tonic and [...] the market. It cures [...] the worst Scrofula to [...] Sample bottle 10 cents, [...] in medicine.

[...]dvertising was never [...] than in the fol[lowing ...] three or four [...] John Ford advertised [...] seed grain for sale [...] this paper, a copy of [...] the reading room of [...]. A member [...] paper noticed the ad [...] the result was, that [...] of wheat were pur[chased] last week, for Fall [...]. The wheat [...] variety and [...] seed at $1.15 per [...] after this that [...]

[...] Bay Sugar C[...] McBride App[...] [...] goods [...]

FOR something [...] in the watch li[ne] [...]

THE [...] ed, at Reynolds [...]

A gentleman [...] were married, [...] 1st.

ROBERT Myles [...] Reeve of Euphr[asia] [...] a majority of 1[...]

PARTIES want[ing ...] should read the [...] drew Beatty's.

SIR we cleari[ng ...] Son for the ne[xt ...] ducements.

THE spring [...] with the Euphra[sia ...] takes place on [...] Rocklyn.

MR. Swan [...] opened an im[plement ...] in Flesherton, [...] Buggies and [...] well as farm im[plements].

DR. T. S. S[...] home from Ott[awa ...] fatigues of the [...] to have told o[n ...] appears as hal[e ...]

THOS BANNO[N ...] from Flesherto[n ...] by its mate, w[...] Tuesday night. [...] the effects.

WE are cre[dibly informed ...] Mr Gould inte[nds ...] taining ten br[...] This is just w[...] is not a vacant [...]

THERE has [...] hay pressed at [...] past winter. T[...] Steam, and cau[...] They pressed [...] 22nd ult.

HAGYARD'S PECTO[RAL ...] of the most healing [...] Balsam, which ent[...] used by the native[s ...] discovered, and a[...] vegetable tonics, s[...] is a specific for all [...] lungs. Thousands [...] nually, and it is con[...] preparations of the [...]

TO ADVERTIS[ERS ...] greatly improve[d ...] first week in Apr[il ...] 300 extra copie[s ...] tion. Send in y[our ...] good time.

THE Minutes [...] ceived last wee[k ...] out. We have [...] that will enable [...] cations that reac[h ...] Wednesday in e[...] and we think it [...] factory to our pa[trons].

BY refrence [...] columns, it will [...] Strain, of Flesh[erton ...] Establishment fo[r ...] Tin ware, also h[...] tural implements[, wag]gons, Sewing Ma[chines, Fan]ning Mills, Stove[s ...]

IN cases of chroni[c ...] have failed to cure, [...] has achieved its gre[atest ...] eases of the Blood. I[...] fula, Dyspepia, Nerv[...] tism, Piles, Female C[...] of lost Vitality are pr[...] novating Tonic. T[...] cents.

OUR LITTLE ON[ES ...] recieved, and in [...] proved with eac[h ...] troduce it into [...] will never regret. [...] te a family man. [...] a glance he thor[...] them. Call and s[...] office. Subscripti[...]

THE Enumerat[ors ...] met in Flesherto[n ...] Artemesia—J. W[...] Brodie. Collingw[ood ...] E. Rorke, R. Alb[...] R. Dunlop, J. L. [...] A. McGirr, J. [...] Melancthon—H. [...] er. Shelburne—[...] Proton—J. McAr[...] Mesford—J. B. L[...] —J. H. Burnett, [...]

ENUMERATORS F[OR ...] Owen Sound — [...] Creighton, David [...] ham—William [...] Turner, Cornelius [...] —James Gillespie, [...] Sullivan, John Mi[...] Derby—Irwin F[...] Keppel—Francis [...] Jr, Thomas Petma[n ...] —Robert I. Campb[ell ...] Chambers.

TALK is cheap, b[ut ...] to buy goods. W[...] the worst abused [...] Solid chunks of har[...] ed upon him dail[y ...] priced One-ide[a ...] Good natured, dry [goods ...] ies dealers who ca[n ...] his energy; his [...] his stock and pric[es ...] dealing. They kno[w ...] the largest business [...] and they are mad. [...]

SUDDEN DEATH.—[...] last a farmer living [...] Hepworth, named [...] drank a very large [...] whisky at Plow's [...] the effect of caus[...] Thursday morning. [...] held by Coroner C[...] medical examinatio[n ...] that death was cause[d ...] soning, and a verdic[t ...] rendered by the jur[y ...] was a man generally [...] neighborhood, and [...] dicted to the use of [...] or twice a year he w[...] freely, and he has no[...] to the fell destroye[r ...] wife and ten childre[n ...] untimely end.

THE social at D[...] Tuesday evening w[as ...] cess. After a couple [...] enjoyment, the Ea[...] posed of in a man[...] highly of their goo[...] programme was open[ed ...] dale string Band, wh[o ...] pieces during the [...] performances, were [...] highly appreciated. [...] ladies and gentleme[n ...] gave many pieces, a[...] several of the Hawkin[...] its. Their singing [...] small measure to the [...] evening, and hope [...] again to Markdale, [...] given by Willie Davis, [...] son, and J. W. H. Mi[...] and a recitation by W[...] The programme, on [...] rendered in a very cre[ditable ...] and did no discredit to [...] We hope to enjoy man[y ...] The proceeds amount[ed ...]

THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 25th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

...girl wanted, Apply at this...

...Repairing a specialty, at... Send yours and have it ...properly.

...No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE ...er machine oils, try Haskett

...weather for the past week has ...changeable as a womans tom...

...J. J. White Dentist, of Owen ...will be at the Rever Hotel on ...day next, 30th inst.

...nto oil company, are sole ...cturers of "Castorine machine ...fringements will be prosecuted.

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New sugar coming in. McFarland shipped ... 12 000 lbs. ...

For something you can depend on in the watch line, go to W. F. Duff's.

Ten thousand dozen of Eggs wanted, at Reynolds & Son. Highest Price.

A gentleman of 77 and a lady of 72 were married, in Belleville on the 16th inst.

ROBERT Myles Esq. was re-elected Reeve of Euphrasia last Tuesday by a majority of 150.

PARTIES wanting to borrow money, should read the advertisement of Andrew Beatty's.

SIX so clearing sale, at Reynolds & Son for the next 20 days. Strong inducements.

THE spring show, in connection with the Euphrasia agricultual Society, takes place on Friday, April 22nd at Rocklyn.

MR. Swan in Mount Forest has opened an implement establishment in Flesherton, and has a number of Buggies and Democrats for sale as well as farm implements on on hand.

DR. T. S. SPROULE, M. P., returned home from Ottawa on Thursday. The fatigues of the session do not appear to have told on the Dr. any, as he appears as hale and hearty as ever.

THOS BANNON, who lives three miles from Flesherton, had a horse kicked by its mate, while in the stable, on Tuesday night. It has since died from the effects.

WE are creditable informed that Mr Gould intends building a row containing ten brick dwelling houses. This is just what is required, as their is not a vacant dwelling in the Village.

THERE has been over 200 tons of hay pressed at Flesherton Station the past winter. The Press is driven by Steam, and can press 20 tons per day. They pressed 20 tons in 9 hours on 22nd ult.

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSOM is composed of the most healing balsams and gums. The Balsam, which enters its composition, were used by the natives when America was first discovered, and are combined with other vegetable tonics, so blended together, that it is a specific for all affections of the throat and lungs. Thousands of bottles are used annually, and it is considered one of the standard preparations of the day.

TO ADVERTISERS.—We purpose to greatly improve "The Standard" the first week in April, when we will issue 300 extra copies for free distribution. Send in your advertisements in good time.

THE Minutes of Artemesia were received last week, but were crowded out. We have made arrangments, that will enable us to insert communications that reach us before noon on Wednesday in each week, after this, and we think it will prove more satisfactory to our patrons,

BY refrence to our advertising columns, it will be seen that Mr. Wm. Strain, of Flesherton has opened an Establisment for the manufacture of Tin ware, also keeps on hand agricultural implements of all kinds, Waggons, Sewing Machines, Organs, Fanning Mills, Stoves &c. Give him a call.

IN cases of chronic disease which doctors have failed to cure, BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS has achieved its greatest triumph. All diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys, Scrofula, Dyspepia, Nervous Debility, Rheumatism, Piles, Female Complaints and all forms of lost Vitality are promptly cured by this renovating Tonic. Trial Bottle only costs 10 cents.

OUR LITTLE ONES for April has been recieved, and in our Estimation improved with each issue. Once introduce it into our homes, and you will never regret. The Editor must be a family man, as it can be seen at a glance he thoroughly understands them. Call and see specimens at this office. Subscriptions taken here.

THE Enumerators for East Grey, met in Flesherton on Wednesday. Artemesia—J. Webster, T. Wells, J. Brodie. Collingwood—A. Campbell, E. Rorke, R. Albury. Euphresia—R. Dunlop, J. L. Wilson. Osprey—A. McGirr, J. Maxwell, J. Sing. Melancthon—H. H. Walker, D. Fisher. Shelburne—J. T. Hemstreet. Proton—J. McArdle J. Abbott, Sr. Mesford—J. B. LeRoy. St. Vincent—J. H. Burnett, N. Read.

ENUMERATORS FOR NORTH GREY.—Owen Sound—Simon Park, John Creighton, David Simpson. Sydenham—William Johnston, William Turner, Cornelius Duggan. Holland—James Gillespie, James H. Deleree. Sullivan—John Milburn, Joseph Duffy. Derby—Irwin Follis, John Meahy. Keppel—Francis Mills, Gavin Shaw, Jr, Thomas Petman. Brooke Village—Robert I. Campbell. Sarawak—T. Chambers.

TALK is cheap, but it takes money to buy goods. W. J. McFarland is the wrost abused man in Markdale. Solid chunks of hard names are heaped upon him daily by those High-priced One-idea, Old Fogy, Good natured, dry goods and groceries dealers who cannot keep pace with his energy; his business tact; and his stock and prices, and his square dealing. They know McFarland does the largest business North of Toronto, and they are mad.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On Wednesday last a farmer living in the vicinity of Hepworth, named John Harrison, drank a very large quantity of malt whisky at Plow's Hotel, which had the effect of causing his death on Thursday morning. An inquest was held by Coroner Cameron, and the medical examination disclosed the fact that death was caused by alcoholic poisoning, and a verdict to that effect was rendered by the jury. The deceased was a man generally respected in the neighborhood, and was not usually addicted to the use of spirits, but once or twice a year he would indulge too freely, and he has now fallen a victim to the fell destroyer. He leaves a wife and ten children to mourn his untimely end.

THE social at Dufferin Hall on Tuesday evening was a decided success. After a couple of hours of social enjoyment, the Eatables were disposed of in a manner which spoke highly of their good quality. The programme was opened by the Markdale string Band, who performed many pieces during the evening. Their performances, were excellent and were highly appreciated. A company of ladies and gentlemen from Maxwell gave many pieces, among which were several of the Hawkin's Troupe favorits. Their singing contributed in no small measure to the pleasure of the evening, and hope they will come again to Markdale. Readings were given by Willie Davis, Messers Ferguson, and J. W. H. Milne, of Maxwell, and a recitation by W. L. B. Hamlin. The programme, on the whole, was rendered in a very creditable manner and did no discredit to all concerned. We hope to enjoy many such evenings. The proceeds amounted to $13.

MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, March 17, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush. new	1.00	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Oats	0.30	"	[illegible]
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.50	"	0.50
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	[illegible]	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.90	"	0.00

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor,

FLESHERTON.

Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

☞Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.

Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

A GOOD CHANCE

A GOOD BLACKSMITH WANTED, to hire for a year, or rent the shop and tools. For particulars, apply on the premises, or by letter to

Mrs. MARK RICHARDSON, Markdale P. O.

Markdale. March 2, 1881. 25-4i

R. J. McCOY,

Agent for the following Implements, &c.:

The Massey

MOWER,

HARVESTER, and celebrated

HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)

Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,

DICK'S ALTON PLOUGHS.

ALL KINDS OF

Fittings and Repairs

Kept constantly on hand,

SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS FOR SALE, CHEAP.

Licensed AUCTIONEER

FOR THE COUNTY.

Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.

Charges Moderate.

R. J. McCOY.

Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 27.

Auction Sale

OF VALUABLE

Farm Property.

UNDER and by virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL,

IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

In the County of Grey,

On Thursday, the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1881,

AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,

The following valuable lands and premises, viz.:—Lots numbers one hundred and nineteen and one hundred and twenty, in the first concession South-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less, excepting thereout a portion heretofore sold to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company. On the premises there are said to be good frame buildings.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale; forty per cent. in thirty days with interest at seven per cent.; balance can be had for five years with interest at seven per cent per annum.

For further particulars apply to,

LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD, Solicitors, Toronto.

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TO RENT OR SELL.

LOT No. 2, Toronto street, Markdale. Now occupied by Joseph Sproule. For particulars apply to

MARSHALL BEARD, Markdale P. O.

Markdale, March 2nd, 1881.

JOB WORK done neat and prompt at the Standard Office.

Meat for All

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past two years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply them ... in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their season.

Special inducements to large Purchasers

☞Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROW AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the

"BELFAST HOUSE."

Also a fresh stock of

Groceies, Provisions,

CANNED FRUIT,

BISCUITS

—AND—

CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut

Side Pork.

FOR SALE. ALSO.

POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,

THE BEST IN TOWN.

BRANDY,

CIDER,

ALE,

PORTER,

TEAS and SUGARS.

CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.

Cabinet Makers,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

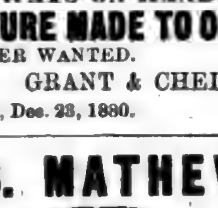
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nav, 18, 1880. 1o

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA.

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 36, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY, Bentinck, Durham P. O.

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-11

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 11, 1880.

MARKDALE HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three-story brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The Travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 16

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.

GREAT

MID-WINTER SALE,

NOW GOING ON AT

W. J. McFARLAND'S

EVERY PIECE OF WINTER GOODS

Marked Away Down.

BIG DRIVES!

10 yards ... for $1.50

10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2 50

Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents

Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.

50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.

300 yards All Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents

Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1.75, worth $3

Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6

10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50

10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3

10 yards black Velveteen for $4

20 yards Linen Towelling for $1

12 yards heavy Wincey for $1

Colored Velveteens for half price.

50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS, WOLLEN HOODS,

SHAWLS AND MANTLES.

A Special Discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1, will be given.

60 Men's Felt Hats at 65 cents each,

15 yards of Brocade Dress Goods, $2.00,

1 pair Gent's Kid Mitts, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie, ALL for ONE DOLLAR.

Ladies' Kid Mitts, (lined) 60 cents.

And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.

EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS

At and Below Wholesale Prices,

Should call soon at

W. J. McFARLAND,

Wholesale and Retail.

Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust tat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER.

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

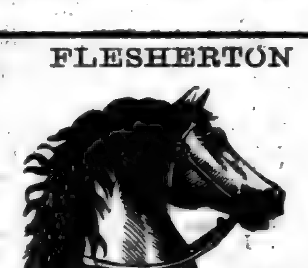
OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 26th, 1880. 18-ly

FLESHERTON



Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM

HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand, the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Basswood timber wanted.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March 1881. 16

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

AND

LIQUORS.

Everything First-Class, and at

☞RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Guiness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 3-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton.

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

Weaving. Weaving.

Any person having work to do in the above line, can get it

DONE WITHOUT DELAY,

AT THE

Flesherton Woolen Factory.

Having nearly all orders completed at present on hand, as is usual at this season of the year, those favoring us with work, may rely upon having it promptly attended to

EVERY BRANCH OF THE BUSINESS

Will be carried on throughout the winter.

N. CAMPBELL.

Flesherton, December 15, 1880 14

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. ...OCC.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880. 2-11

STOP. MARK. LEARN!

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GREAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLINERY,

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantics of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invected in it,* and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and ten barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS!

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 14-tf

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Fashion Notes.

Long overskirts will be in vogue this spring.

Only one variety of flowers is used in the same hat.

The style called "albums" is quaint and very striking.

High hair-dressing, in the style of Louis XV., is now la mode.

Bonnet crowns of black net are wrought with cut-steel beads.

Plastrons of very rich material are seen on the new basques.

Piano-backs give a wide scope for peacocks' feather application.

Lace spun of straw will be a novelty on new spring and summer hats.

Flowers and feathers will be about equally used upon spring bonnets.

Twilled Scotch ginghams, such as Lady Macbeth wore still hold their own.

Most of the new dresses for school-girls are double-breasted, and have large buttons.

Cretonnes, for shirtings and dresses, show designs of butterflies, dragon-flies and horse-shoes.

To make a belt bow requires a yard and five-eighths of eight-inch ribbon—no more, no less.

A very handsome finish to sheer white dresses is to have the white muslin edged with black lace.

Cream, mauve, pale pink, and moonlight blue combine exquisitely with the fashionable silver lace.

In evening dresses loops or scarves of silk or soft satin surah can be twisted with the drapery at the back.

Some of the new patterns of cotton goods, both for indoor and outdoor costumes, have the appearance of embroidery.

Very handsome are the fronts of white or colored silks, quilted and let into dresses and covered with a lattice-work of pearls.

A number of the new figures on spring cambric are exact copies of wedge-shaped cuneiform figures seen on Assyrian antiquities.

The rich lace collars and cuffs which some mammas add to their little boys' velvet suits are not half so elegant as plain white linen.

Blue tarlatan with a decoration of lilies makes a pretty dress for some young girls, but the color does not suit all complexions by any means.

Those who have laid away their plain silks in lavender will be rejoiced to hear that there are prognostications of a revival of that style of dress.

Poke bonnets ought only to be worn by those whose faces are so beautiful that even this ugly style cannot mar the effect of their lovely lips and brilliant eyes.

Lace muffs, covered with small, spring flowers, are dressy additions to simple, dark dresses, and, together with lace and flower headdress or frillsome, are used for concerts and the opera.

Jabots of creamy lace with a bunch of strawberries, leaves, and flowers, with a hanging cluster of fruit, or with a small bunch of mandarin oranges and leaves, are worn at the side of the belt.

Pale lemon-color and brown, pale and dark royal purple, amethyst and deep violet, seal-brown and gold, pale coral and deepest crimson, cream and maroon, myrtle and sea-green, also cinnamon and yellow pottery shades, are all good combinations.

One of the best models for a cotton dress expresses the Jersey design, with a low-cornered throat and embellished with a handsome muslin fichu; the "monk" style of sleeve and apron overskirt, with the wrinkled model, and deeply pointed on the left side.

A coat bodice of plain black or embossed velvet is most desirable at this time in the year, as it may be worn late into the spring with various skirts. Such a corsage does not really require trimming, but a rich chenille fringe tipped with jet added round the neck and across the front renders it more dressy.

Chemisettes are very useful not only to improve a worn dress, but serve to vary perfect toilets. One style is cut out of soft muslin or net to fit the neck and throat. It is then covered with lace, a full ruche is added round the throat and it is put on under the bodice with the fronts and round the neck and secured in the center by pins to the under body before the dress is fastened.

Waifs.

The sealskin sacque is "dear and yet so far."

Mrs. Livermore is lecturing on "How Shall we Reach the Boys?" Let her ask the girls.

Bartlett-Coutts loves to lounge and smoke a cigar while his dovey sits at the piano and warbles "Will you love me, darling, when I mould?"

The Baroness Coutts' marriage was romantic and the papers will get along all right until the young husband makes a mistake and calls her grandma.

The Syracuse *Standard* asks: "Will some one tell us what Mrs. Langtry's maiden name was?" Certainly. Her maiden aim was to marry Mr. Langtry.

Young lady, examining some bridal veils —"Can you really recommend this one?" Over zealous shopman—"Oh, yes, miss! It has been used several times."

The English papers are amazed at the details of Senator Sharon's house and its ground-plan, published in the report of his daughter's wedding, considering the same of much value to house-breakers.

A Boston doctor advertises for a wife who, among other qualifications, must have brains than the advertiser. Should think he would have great difficulty in finding such a woman.

They met, they smiled, they wept, they loved.
He called her Jane, she called him Thomas—
A richer man rode down the lane,
And Tom brought suit for breach of promise.

After The Party. — Elderly Coquette: "And I'm sure you naughty girls sat up ever so late talking us over! How I should like to have hid myself behind a screen and heard it all!" Horrid boy—"No, you wouldn't!"

"Dance," said the young lieutenant, "by Jehosophat, I'll become the best dancer in Washington! Hang it, I don't want to go out west and fight Indians, and if I become the favorite dancer do you suppose the daughters of the senators will let their pa permit me to be sent away? I know what's what."

"I declare I'll never go to another matinee as long as I live," said young Mrs. Guffey the other day, throwing herself into a chair and fanning herself indignantly. "Wasn't the play good?" asked Guffey. "Oh, good enough, I suppose; but that ill-bred, great stuck-up Mrs. Diffendorfer sat before me with such a lovely bonnet on that I couldn't hear a word."

Mr. Ashmead Bartlett Burdett-Coutts and his wife are expected soon to make a visit and an extended tour in this country. Mr. Bartlett is said to be a remarkably fine-looking man, with a fresh complexion, and many proportions to his six feet of stature, and the lady is a very well preserved English woman.

Queen Margherita's bedroom is furnished in pale blue satin; the mattresses are of white brocade; the bedstead is of dark wood, and over the head hang an ivory crucifix and a little oil-painting framed in gold; easy-chairs are by the fire-place, above which is a picture of the little Prince of Naples. Adjoining this is the Queen's study, hung with ceil-an-lait satin, and beyond are the dressing-rooms, lined with mirrors, and decorated with rare china.

A New Fashion.

The latest fashionable Parisian whim adopted here, and a very pretty one, is the sending of bouquets and baskets of flowers to a newly-engaged young lady by her various gentlemen friends, to express their congratulations. A basket sent the other day to a young Boston lady, whose engagement is announced, was composed of Jacqueminot and Marshal Neil roses, violets and lilies of the valley; it was in a standing basket, and on each side was an immense bow of pink satin ribbon, two fingers wide, with long ends reaching to the floor. In the knot of each bow was tucked a bunch of violets.

Bad Dressing.

Heavily-ornamented skirts, says the London *Truth*, fatigue the hips and dorsal region, and induce a languid and drawn-down appearance of face. They also affect the digestion. Tight-lacing spoils the complexion, and gives a red nose and congested look to the shoulders. Ideas can not flow so freely when the waist is squeezed. Therefore, therefore, the repartee in conversation, so good for one's health and all that is brought by the ... [illegible] ... ceremonious dinners and receptions. ... [illegible] ...

First Love.

Here is the danger which lies in first love. Always it is vowed to an ideal. Once in a thousand times, perhaps, the actual person is found so much to resemble the imaginary figure that the exalted sentiment may drop, and rest upon that reality without shock or change. But commonly the difference is world-wide. ... [illegible] ...

Rachel's Guitar.

The great *tragedienne* was not exempt from human failings. Her greatest as is well known, was her cupidity. ... [illegible] ...

Toothsome Hints.

It is natural for some people to have better teeth than others, but all must give attention to their cleansing and other treatment if they would have good teeth in old age. A moderately stiff brush should be used thoroughly at least twice a day—morning and night. Soft water (blood-warm) and pure castile, or the best of that soap—white castile, for instance—are the only requisite besides the brush. Powders are generally injurious to the enamel, and so are the much advertised liquid mixtures. Strong acids, like lemon-juice, are destructive, and the mingling of hot and cold food or drink at meals is very harmful. Candy, brown or dark, nutritious food, like well-baked Graham bread and crackers, promotes tooth growth; white soft, watery food tends to weaken the teeth. It is now the opinion of leading dentists in Europe and this country that the cause of there is so much tooth decay in early life, is the lack of phosphate in the soft materials given to children as food, which an swallowed without any chewing. On the appearance of decay a good dentist should be employed. Much toothache is due to indigestion and constitutional debility, and to other affections of the nervous system. So called "neuralgia" may be traced to decayed, carious teeth. Care in the matter of food and in the cleaning of the teeth would save a vast dea of suffering and expense.

Caricaturing the British.

(From the Pall Mall Gazette.)

In the streets of Lahore, according to an Anglo-Indian contemporary, the popular amusement of late has been a satirical representation of the Afghan war. A performing monkey is ordered by his master to show the British marched into Afghanistan. The monkey came jumping along, dressed in a coat for the occasion in all the bravery of redcoat, yellow trousers, plumed hat, and a great gun. He strutted about to a lively accompaniment on the tom-tom, and ever and anon would make a feint with his gun at an imaginary foe. After a little time, the monkey appeared minus of false moustaches, and soon they had to be given up. Then at last the command was given to show how the British came back from Kabul. The monkey directly went down on his hands and legs, snatching up a dirty old rag, came forward clutching his stick and limping on three legs. Covering his face with a cap, amid the shouts and roars of laughter which greeted this surprise. This hoop-the-trick of travelling Afghanistan was recommended that the Indian government in the laughter of the Native drifted in advance by the late Government. The laughter of the Native public must be mitigated the prestige which we have gained by that maddened enterprise.

Can't Stop Laughing.

THE STRANGE MALADY WHICH AFFLICTS A NEW JERSEY FAMILY.

(Frenchtown, N. J., Cor. Philadelphia Times.)

Straight across the Delaware from here, and back among the hills which run parallel with the river for many miles, lives a family concerning whom the strangest stories are told. The father and son are farmers, and all live in a large, substantial house a few rods from the road to Doylestown. They are all chronic laughers, having an affliction of the muscles of the face and throat which compels them to give vent to apparent merriment at stated intervals. The malady first appeared in the father about ten years ago. He was usually a very quiet man, enjoying fun, but manifesting his enjoyment without much noise. He was seated at the dinner table one day in the spring of the year, eating steadily, and not engaging in any of the conversation which the other members of the family were carrying on. Suddenly, without any cause, he burst into a loud fit of laughter, so extremely different from his accustomed laugh that all were attracted by it at once. When asked what was the reason for his sudden outburst he made no reply, but continued his merriment. Some of the boys thought he had hysterics and pounded him on the back, but it did no good. After a few moments he made motions for pencil and paper, and wrote that he was unable to control his risibles, and asked them to sent for a doctor.

The rural physician came, but could give no remedy that stopped the laughter. Peal after peal of what sounded like the heartiest kind of fun came from him, and nothing could avail to prevent it. The doctor finally came to the conclusion that he was the victim of a nervous attack, and, leaving a nervine, departed. The father continued laughing until about sundown, when he suddenly stopped and fell on the floor completely prostrated. He soon grew better, however, ate a hearty supper and spent the evening much as usual. No signs of a return of the old trouble appearing, he went to bed and was soon fast asleep. Along about 2 o'clock in the morning, however, his wife was awakened by his laughter, and the same symptoms manifested themselves as on the afternoon previous. He kept it up until 7 o'clock, laughing loud and strong. At 7 o'clock the noise suddenly ceased and did not occur again until dinner time. Thus it continued, recurring each day shortly after noon, and in the night about 2 o'clock, and has ever since. As the week passed he grew so accustomed to the disease that he was caused very little inconvenience by it. He did not get tired out, as at first, and was soon able to go about his work—sowing seed and plowing corn, digging vegetables, and watering the cattle—while laughing immoderately. He could not talk while under one of the spells, but carried a slate and pencil around with him, after the fashion of a deaf and dumb person.

The troubles was very regular in its coming and going, and only occasionally broke forth at unlooked-for seasons. Once the old man was taken in church, just when the minister was exhorting his hearers in the most solemn strains, and spoiled the effect of the discourse, besides disturbing the equilibrium of the clergyman. Another time he was found by one of the neighbours lying beside the road, lying beneath a log of flour, laughing at a terrific rate. He had been taken while driving home from the mill, and the suddenness of the sounds frightened the horse, causing it to run away and dump the driver and part of his load out on the road. For eighteen months the father was the only one of the household affected with the malady. Several of them had complained from time to time of an inclination to join the father in the laugh, but none of them did so until nearly two years after he was first taken. Then Mary, the youngest child, suddenly burst into a similar fit during one of her father's attacks. From that time on she has laughed at about the same hours as her father does. One by one the remaining members fell victims to the strange complaint, until three years ago there was but one left free, and that was Charles, the oldest son. He long exemption led him to believe he would escape the contagion. But he was mistaken, and in 1878 he was taken in a first attack while petitioning for the hand of a Harrisburg damsel. So frightened was the lady by the queer behaviour of her suitor that she ran from the room, and it was long before his explanations could induce her to see him again. She is now one of the family here, and although she has been in the household ever since the malady, never minds the hideous chorus of laughter which twice a day resounds through the house. It is regarded as rather strange that none of the neighbours should have caught the infection, but such is the case, although many of them mingle constantly with the family.

Everything possible has been done to alleviate or remove the malady, but without perceptible effect. Several eminent physicians from the leading cities have visited the home and grown interested in the case. They all confess themselves baffled, and want one or two of the family to go to the city, where they can receive constant treatment. This they refuse to do. Their peculiar trouble, so noticeable and odd, has made them very sensitive, and they shrink from any scheme where they will be subjected to public scrutiny and remark. They go to church or the store in the village close by, and attend social gatherings occasionally in the neighbourhood in the evenings, but only among life-long friends. People within a radius of a few miles are so accustomed to the thing that they never mind or mention it. Consequently, very few people outside of the immediate vicinity, and the physicians who have attended them, are cognizant of the circumstances.

The years of incessant laughter have told somewhat on the faces of the family, but less so than might be expected. The father's face was so very noticeable. There are scores of lines under the eyes and above the cheeks, caused by the drawing up of the skin. Then their mouths have become wider, and they drop down ... The most marked result of the disease, however, is in the voice. The father's fine bass voice ... all the same inflection and intonation. Most of them have more or less trouble with their eyes, several having become "near sighted." The pupils have contracted and the entire eyeball is diminished in size. This is accounted for by the contraction of the eyes while laughing and the effort required to see while they are under going an attack. Very little physical annoyance is caused by the laughers. They read and write, sleep and work without any trouble. The only thing they seem to be unable to do while attacked is talk, and that can readily be understood. Several grandchildren have been born to the family, but in one instance they were taken soon after birth with the malady at about the same hours as their parents. Of course they do not laugh as the older ones do, but they cry and express all the signs of joy which characterize the others. They have been ... a day, and never cry while in that state.

Ischia.

The island of Ischia which has come into such sudden and mournful prominence lately from the terrible disaster that has fallen on it, is the ancient Aenaria or Inarime, fabled in mythological story as the country beneath which the monster Typhoeus was concealed. In the eastern corner of Campania, between the Bay of Naples and that of Gaeta. It is in Homer who tells us that the Latin poets converted into Inarime of which was lashed by Jupiter with flashes of lightning. This horrible monster, in the ... of course, the gentle expression of the ancient world, fabled to itself one of the gigantic forces of nature, was the god of Tartarus, and the Earth. Accounts differ, however, as to his genealogy, and some seem to give Juno the honour of having been his mother. He was a most terrible and ferocious prodigy, not by very prepossessing in appearance, nor is some of those who generally of modern would in any way feel proud. He had no less than a hundred heads, and all with his fearful ... while uttered the most terrible voices, there was no one, that made every dreadful sound ... with him. He rebelled against the Gods, and was at length subdued by Jupiter with a flash of lightning, and buried in Tartarus, under Mount Ætna. In which account ancient Aenaria. The modern Ischia has about twenty-five or thirty thousand inhabitants and is ... The soil is extremely fertile ... medicinal waters, for the excellence of its climate ... it is about twenty-four square miles in circumference ... and contains several villages and hamlets. It suffered greatly from an earthquake in 1828, and there was some slight shock in 1867 ...

THE reason "Dobyn's Sure Cure" sells so freely is that it is a sure cure for Catarrh and Neuralgia. Immediate relief is given. Sure and permanent cure is effected in a few days.

RELIGIOUS MATTERS.

In Scotland during the last five years more new Baptist chapels have been built and more debts cleared off than in the previous 40 years.

The report of the Pan-Presbyterian Council just issued gives the number of this denomination in the world about 3,000,000 of communicants.

Mrs. Valeria Stone, of Malden, Mass., gave, the last year, to educational institutions of the Congregational denomination, no less than $1,000,753.

Dean Church's memorial asking for toleration for Ritualism in the Church of England has received the signatures of no fewer than 3,538 clergymen.

Madagascar has 70,125 church members, nearly seven-ninths as many as the Congregational churches of Massachusetts. The London Missionary Society has 30 agents there, but nearly all the Pastors are natives.

The Rev. Lord John Thynne, D. D., sub-Dean of Westminster Abbey, is dead. He became Canon at Westminster in 1831, and was 82 years old. He assisted at two coronations—those of William IV. and Queen Victoria.

An anti-vivisection prayer-meeting was held recently in Edinburgh, but a number of medical students made such a noise that the meeting was closed sooner than was expected. There were singing, praying, and a short address.

It appears that Parker Memorial Hall, Boston, is to remain in the hands of the Twenty-eighth Society after all. The purchaser has intimated that he cannot complete his agreement. A Spiritualist has advanced $25,000 toward paying off the mortgage. Through his generosity the society retains possession of the hall.

Mr. Robert Arthington, of Leeds, has lately offered the Church Missionary Society the sum of £5,000 for investment toward providing a fund for the maintenance of a steamer and a staff of agents on the Upper Binue and Lake Chad. Grave fears are entertained for the safety of the society's agents on the Victoria Nyanza.

The Prime Minister and Mrs. Gladstone have each contributed the sum of 10 guineas to the fund for a memorial to the late Mr. Lowder, who was for some years Rector of St. Peter's, London Docks. It is desired to raise £10,000, toward which £3,000 has been subscribed, for parochial institutions and the building of a clergy-house.

An English Church paper learns that it has been resolved to issue a royal commission to inquire into the whole question of ecclesiastical judicature in England since the act of the submission of the clergy, with a view of recommending such changes as may relieve the present strain, largely due to the anomalous character of the courts claiming to be spiritual, as well as to their singular findings.

Some time ago the wife of the Governor-General of the Province of Chili, China, fell sick, and Miss Howard, an American missionary physician, as a last resort, was called to attend her. She was cured, and the Viceroy, Li Hung Chang, full of gratitude, opened a public dispensary, and placed Miss Howard and Dr. McKenzie in charge of it with no restrictions. This movement, which is epochal in China, has developed into a hospital which has just been opened in a fine building in the native style, costing $6,000. The wealthy Chinese contributed freely. The ceremonies of the opening of the hospital were graced by the presence of the Viceroy and several nobles.

Glass Eyes.

A reporter of the Chicago *Inter Ocean* has been investigating the trade in glass eyes. From the leading dealer in the West, a firm which has sold glass eyes for many years, he learned that they sell annually as a thousand wearers of them in that city, and that from 600 to 800 eyes are sold there every year. The best eyes are made at Uri in Germany, the manufacture centering at that place on account of the convenience there of fine silicates and other minerals needed in the business. The German eyes withstand the corrosive effects of tears and other secretions better than those made in France.

At Uri, are made also vast quantities of eyes used by taxidermists in mounting birds, animals, and other natural history specimens, besides a superior quality of glass marbles for children's games.

The artificial eye is a delicate shell or case, very light and thin, and concave so as to fit over what is left of the eyeball. The shell is cut from a hollow ball or bubble of glass, the iris is blown in, and then the whole is delicately recoated.

The trade in Chicago has undergone a curious change. Twenty years ago there were many more sales of dark eyes than light, but from that period on the sale of dark eyes has been perceptibly dying out. Now nearly all are light eyes, say twenty light to one dark. In Boston the per centage is even larger, about thirty-five blue or light eyes to one brown; while on the other hand, in New Orleans fifty brown or dark eyes are sold to one blue. Regarding the change of colouring Chicago of course fashion has nothing to do with it. No one has yet been able to explain it. The statistics shall be that the change simply shows that the influx of population has been from the East principally and from northern Europe.

Surgical operations are performed much more skillfully than formerly. Time was when it was deemed necessary to take out the eye so that the artificial eye became a fixed, glassy, staring object. Now amputation of portions of the eye can be performed in such a way that the artificial glass eye fitted on the stump, which moves quite naturally.

Sometimes those who have lost an eye will have two or three artificial substitutes. They will use one for the day-light with a small pupil, and another for night time with a large pupil to offset the dilatation.

MISCELLANEOUS.

How publicly and in a way of course that the matter is carried on by the Dutch Boers in South Africa, Lord Kimberley recently showed in Parliament by a quotation from a letter written by the wife of a Boer, in which she states that a "Boer had come home with six head of cattle and one Kaffir girl, and that another came home with thirty-two Kaffir girls, whom he wanted to sell for half a sovereign a piece."

Ischia, the scene of the frightful earthquake in which probably 200 lives have been lost, is a remarkably fertile island at the northern entrance of the bay of Naples, much resorted to by travellers for its famous warm baths. Near its centre is a volcano, which, though it has not been in eruption for centuries, is still active, and there are a dozen smaller volcanoes on the islet, which contains only twenty-six square miles, and a population of about 25,000. Its present fate revivifies the historic reputation of the Venetian region as one where nature brings side by side her beauties and terrors.

THE "resonator" is the name given by Signor Beck to an invention for increasing the volume and power of the human voice when singing. This appliance is based on the principle given by the hard portion of the palate, which acts as a kind of sounding board when the mouth is open for singing, and it is for the purpose of increasing the efficiency of the palate in this respect that the resonator has been designed. It consists of a gold plate fitted to the upper part of the mouth, as the gold plate of a set of artificial teeth—the plate being attached to the natural upper teeth—much in the same way as the gold plate of a set of artificial teeth—the gold plate being curved at the front both directions, convex downward in both directions. A hollow sounding board, as it may be termed, is thus formed, and is said to have a remarkable effect on the volume of sound produced by the person wearing the instrument. It is also claimed that the apparatus has no prejudicial effect upon the distinctness of articulation, and that it can be worn without the slightest inconvenience after moderate practice.

A Triumph of Dentistry.

At the last meeting of the Medical Society of Strasburg, reported in the Medical Gazette of Strasburg, Dr. Jules Bockel ... [illegible] ... M. Sauval, dentist, ... extracted a ... with ... it slightly ... he sawed ... it with gold ... The lady ... the tooth replaced ... mouth, and, ... at the ... operation ... as well as ... remarkably described ... [illegible]

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

Cousin Charley's Story.

(Concluded.)

"Well, never mind what it was, but the wolf got something for his dinner. He had enough for himself, and then he went back to the cave, and waited and waited. 'Here he is,'" said Walter, propping the wolf against the side of the cave. "He's so hungry he can't stand up. And now back comes the fox, over the hill here, and he has n't a single thing. 'You've been long enough,' said the wolf; 'you must have had bad luck.' 'Luck!' said the fox; 'I had no luck at all. But I suppose you have enough for us both.' 'I have n't any more than I want for myself,' said the wolf. 'But I said I'd divide, and so I will.' And the wolf divided, but they had to get up very early next morning and go hunting again. The wolf was home first that day. It was a good day for hunting, and it seemed to him very strange the fox should come again with nothing at all. But he did. He had had bad luck again, and so the wolf divided. But he began to wish he had n't asked the fox to live with him. The next day and the next day it was just the same. The wolf had to hunt for both, and he got very tired of it. He thought about it a great deal, and the more he thought, the more it seemed to him very queer the fox had such bad luck. One day, when he was home early, he thought he would go in search of the fox, and see what he was about. There was snow on the ground, and he could follow the fox's tracks. He followed along till he came in sight of the hollow tree, and there he saw the fox. He had had good luck that day, sure enough! For, on the ground beside him, there were a fat goose and two squirrels. The wolf watched him; he was scratching and digging in the snow; by and by he had dug a big hole, and he put the goose and squirrels in and covered them up, and wherever there were spots of blood on the snow, he licked them up. 'Aha!' said the wolf to himself. 'I know you now, Mister Fox! Fine good feeding you've had between my house and your cupboard! The sooner we part the better.' But the wolf did n't say a word to the fox, because he did n't want to quarrel with him. He was afraid of such a clever partner; but he made up his mind he would n't feed him any longer. He went home to the cave and ate all he wanted for his own dinner, and what was left he hid away. When the fox came, he found the cave empty. No wolf, no dinner. Nothing but the beds of leaves. The fox waited a long while, and when the wolf did n't come, he went back to the hollow tree and dug up one of the squirrels for his supper. But he went back to the wolf's house to sleep. The next morning, the wolf lay asleep in the bed, beside him. The fox spoke to him and shook him; then the wolf turned over, and said he was sick and could n't hunt that day. So the fox went away by himself. It was a bad day for hunting—very windy; and the snow blew so, he could n't see far before his face. He lay in the bushes and watched, but he could n't find a thing to eat, so he had to go back to his own hole under the hollow tree. He was scraping the snow away from the hole, when a wind blew through the bare trees—a great wind that came from a long way off. The fox heard it coming, and heard the trees creak and rattle their dry boughs. It came on, whoo-oo-oo! till it struck the hollow tree! over it went, and the fox was underneath. He lay there all night; he was n't dead, but he could n't stir; the tree held him down, and one of his legs was broken. He lay their all the next day; and his legs hurt him so, he could not help crying, and he was awfully hungry. When it was evening again, and the moon shone on the snow, he saw a shadow coming, slow—slow—across the white moonlight. It was old Master Wolf, who had come to look for his partner. He was walking softly, for he thought the fox might be at some of his tricks; but the fox was quiet enough now. 'Well,' said the wolf, 'here you are!' 'Yes here I am,' the fox said 'I hope you have n't waited dinner for me.' The wolf saw the blood on the snow. He knew it was the fox's blood and that he was hurt. 'It serves him right,' he said to himself. The fox turned his eyes up at him, for he was fastened down, and could n't move his head. 'You need n't come back to the cave,' said the wolf, 'there is n't room for two. Good-night;' and then he went back over the hill. But he walked very slowly. He kept walking slower and slower, and by and by, he stopped and listened. The fox had tried not to moan while the wolf was there, but now his pain made him cry out, and the wolf heard him, for the woods were still. 'After all,' he said, he's my partner. I chose him myself.' He thought about it a little while longer, and then he went back to the tree, 'See here, now,' he said to the fox, 'I don't owe you anything, but I don't mind doing you a good turn if you wont expect anything more from me.' 'I don't expect anything,' the fox said. 'I never have. I have n't asked you to help me, have I?' 'No, you have n't, but I will.' He worked away at the tree, digging and gnawing, until he got the fox loose, and he crawled out and limped away over the snow. 'Better take along what you've got in your hole!' the wolf called after him. 'Thank you! I'll leave that for you,' said the fox. 'I owe you more than that.' The wolf did n't take it, though he was hungry. Somehow it seemed to him it would n't taste good. But the fox came back that night, and dug up the old goose and carried it away. The wolf never saw him again.',

Now there was silence in the room, and Mamma, listening for Robbie's voice and not hearing it, rose and went softly to the bed. Robbie was fast asleep, and Walter lay on his back, making funny shadows on the wall with the wolf and the fox.

"Was n't that a nice story, Aunt Helen?"

"Yes; but do you think Robbie understood it, Walter?"

"But he liked it," Walter said. "He likes things he can't quite understand."

When Robbie awoke, Walter was standing by him, all dressed, and the sun was shining into the room.

"Where is the wolf and the fox?" he said, sitting up in bed.

There lay the old Noah's ark and the "froggy" book, but the wood and the cave and the hollow tree were gone.

Customer—"These cigars I bought here yesterday were mighty bad." Dealer—"Bad? Why, sir, I've sold thousands and thousands of those cigars, and you're the first one to find fault with them." Customer—"I don't know anything about that, but I know that when I tried to smoke——" Dealer—"Ah, I see, I see! That's were you made a mistake. I supposed that you wanted them to treat your friends with. I thought there must be some mistake about it."

University Thought.

(From the Toronto Truth.)

The intellectual life of any nation is generally understood to centre in its Universities, and to find there its fullest development and most complete expression. This expectation, it will be readily admitted, is a perfectly natural and just one, and in most cases at any rate, if not universally, the facts of the case will prove that it is well founded. Everything that training and assistance can do to fit a man for the work of life is there done. There, if anywhere, he has opportunities to plant the seeds of what in after years may develope into perfect and full-rounded character. It is thither that the best intellects among the youth of a country naturally gravitate, whether urged by love of culture and learning for their own sakes, or by more vulgar ambition. Naturally, therefore, every tendency of thought and feeling that manifests itself in such a place, is a matter of no small interest and importance, and will be watched with greater or less anxiety. It is a matter for public concern, and one in which the public generally is bound to be interested, for a country educates its youth, not more for their good than for its own interests. We have had the privilege lately of seeing a paper which is said to be a typical exponent of University College thought. If this be really the case we are sorry for it. But we can hardly believe that such is the case. It would be a melancholy thing, and cause for deep humiliation, if the minds on which our country is supposed to have most reason to congratulate itself, were content to be represented by any such organ as the 'Varsity has shown itself to be. The name alone is almost a condemnation. A string of utterances, supposed to be apophthegms, and meant to be witty, instructive and amusing, are given with all the assurance of a Delphic oracle, or a Bacon at the very least; a laboured article on some metaphysical or moral subject, in which the writer makes nothing clear but that he is wholly beyond his depth, some bad spelling as an example of a species of humour which is so common now-a-days as to be rarely appreciated, these are marked features of this wonderful production. Its tone it would appear is "liberal." Its liberality takes a form that is not uncommon in these days. It makes admirable confusion between sound and sense, displays an incredible amount of youthful insolence and self-assurance, which it mistakes for the righteous anger and contempt of superior wisdom; it confounds what is very like shallow and presumptuous blasphemy with profound and farseeing insight into all things that have been, are now, or ever shall be; it patronizes its elders, and is altogether very peculiar and praiseworthy. We are glad to think that Mr. Lorimer has not done badly on the whole, in his "Institutes of Law," and though unfortunately, his views and those of the 'Varsity do not coincide on many important points, that of course is a mere matter of time. If the 'Varsity had the circulation it so richly deserves, all the false views by which that gentleman has injured the race, would be speedily condemned. These things the editors of the 'Varsity would be greatly the better of—a few more years, a little more modesty, a little less conceit and confidence in their own acquirements, a little more reverence, and not a little more common sense.

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

Bernhardt has agreed to prolong her stay in this country. There is naturally more length than breadth in her stays.

A gentleman who happened to be in Rome a few years ago, when Sothern was there, went out one day to the Pincian Hill to witness the sunset. "The afternoon, a fine one, had brought out the Nabobs in carriages, and the bobs on foot. As the orb sank, and the band ceased to play, a hand fell lightly on my shoulder, and a voice said, 'Ring down; the red fire's out.' It was the voice of Dundreary on the hill of Lucullus."

THE elder Coquelin, whom Edwin Booth regards as the greatest French artist he has seen, is far more Irish than French in appearance, and is the image of Oliver Goldsmith. The well-set observant, comic eye, the nose, the full cheeks, and the *bocca ridente* of the actor resemble closely those of the Irish poet, dramatist, and novelist. Coquelin would be just as poor as Goldsmith, if his wife did not take his money from him to invest. He lets her draw every centime that he earns. At home he is one of the most amiable of human beings.

ADELINA PATTI spends her money freely, and drives hard bargains with managers. But she is charitable, and helps many a broken-down artist with a quiet munificence of which the world never hears. Her kitchen costs her comparative little her tastes in this direction being simple. When she is going to sing, Patti dines about 4, the meal being an extremely light one. A long nap follows, and she is fresh for the evening's work. Her refection in the intervals of singing is of various kinds, now a raw egg, now a glass of lemonade, She has even been known to take a cup of tea. After the play she is often the life of a supper party. Though lacking the gift of wit, she enjoys it keenly in others, and has a lively sense of humor. The secret of her charm lies in her animal spirits. She is gay, and makes others gay.

MINNIE PALMER is the star of a dramatic company now travelling in the West. Sadie Bigelow was until lately a member of the same organization. Both are pretty, talented, and popular. The cause of Miss Bigelow's withdrawal is given by her as follows: "One night we were playing poker, Miss Palmer and myself, when I bet five cents, that she wanted to 'see' my hand. She said she had only a penny left, and I told her that if she wanted to 'call' me she must borrow four more. Thereupon she said I was a real mean thing, and we had a few words. Once after that she came into the room where I was playing, and said she would not join in the game if I continued in it. This I regarded as an insult, and I threw up my hand at once." Efforts at reconciliation were so far successful that the actresses kissed each other, but the quarrel broke out afresh, and Miss Bigelow, collecting her salary by the help of a Sheriff, resigned.

MR. BOOTH'S success as *Lear*, says the *London World*, has been almost unqualified. The performance is remarkable for its elaboration, refinement, and subtlety; for its force, passion, and tenderness. But Mr. Booth's voice has suffered, either from the influence of the weather or from the stress of his nightly exertions; the symptoms of over-fatigue are too evident; his grand tones do not always come when he calls for them, his declamation has lost its resonance, and his special gifts as an elocutionist prove to him of much less avail than usual. Mr. Booth has thus been unable to render full justice to himself and his intentions. He has powerfully affected his audience, however, by the picturesqueness, the artistic symmetry and consistency, the absolute abandonment of his representation of the character. Few actors can have rendered at once so forcibly, and yet with such minute finish—due regard being had, of course, to the requirements of histrionic effect—the physical and mental infirmities of *Lear*, his senile peevishness and peremptoriness, his ungovernable wrath, his vengeful frenzy, his terrible despair and most pathetic death.

The Great Western Railway.

It is assuredly no insignificant token of returning prosperity that this road has at length been able to declare a dividend of three per cent. on its ordinary stock. This will be a source of gratification to everyone. Constructed as that road was, with an extravagance that bordered on wastefulness, it is highly satisfactory to think that it is now, in all likelihood, about to become a "paying" concern. This favourable state of things is largely due to the excellent management of General Manager Broughton, whom everyone we are sure will be most ready to congratulate on the success which has crowned his endeavours. It should also be a very great cause for gratitude to all who have the interests of their country at heart, for no evidence could well be stronger that the depression under which the Dominion has been labouring for some years past is being thrown off, and that we are entering upon an era of, let us hope, hitherto unexampled prosperity. The announcement of the declaration of this dividend is one that cannot fail to have a beneficial effect upon business throughout the whole Dominion, and will in this way be shown to be not less a cause than an effect. The evil results of extravagance which have been experienced for so many years in the management of this great line, should be a warning to those who may engage in other similar enterprises, or indeed in enterprises of any kind, to avoid the rock on which a wealthy corporation like the Great Western Railway Company so nearly made shipwreck.

The man who digs one hundred feet into the ground for water gets along well.

INTERESTING ITEMS.

The Queen has granted Lady Dufferin[illegible] an additional pension to that which she already enjoys.

Toronto Aldermen are making an awful racket just now over the salary bill. Couldn't they let things stand as they are for some time? The tendency is generally to the rising side, but not always. Good men ought to be well paid.

A French chemist is reported to have given a striking proof of domestic affection. He condensed the body of his deceased wife into the grains of an ordinary seal, and had her highly polished and set in a ring. He made a nice income by betting with lapidaries and others that they could not tell the material of the seal in three guesses, and after pocketing the money would burst into tears, and say "It is my dear, dear wife."

The snow storms instead of being over for the season have been worse than ever. It snowed nearly in Scotland for seventy hours steadily, and, of course, by the end of that time, things were pretty well covered up. Away up in the North West it has been the same thing, and throughout Ontario it has not been very different. The days however, are getting long, and the strength of the sun is such, that much more inconvenience in this way is not to be expected. It is to be hoped that the melting will be gradual, and the spring freshets not very destructive.

The Boers are still giving a good deal of trouble. They are showing themselves first-rate marksmen and sturdy fighters, but there is not much use in expending a great deal of sympathy upon them, as if they were "free men battling for their hills." In this poor, suffering world there are plenty more deserving objects on which to expend both one's sympathy and tears. No more thorough going tyrants in their own way could be found than those same Boers, and the cry about their being old Puritans fighting for liberty is just so much rant, and very poor rant even at that.

How admirable the consistency in many ways of the American Republic! What noble examples has it not set before England and other places, of honour and fair dealing with weaker peoples. How faultless has been its own conduct in regard to the Indians. From what pure motives of charity and brotherly love have its wars with these nations been carried on. How entirely have her shop-keepers and accredited agents of Government combined to give the Red men elevated notions of American Christianity. How rarely is it brother Jonathan that charity and liberty begin at home! "A century of disgrace," is what a recent writer calls the doings of the Republic towards the Red man, and the phrase is just about right.

Garfield has been inducted into office, and everything goes on serenely so far. Some say his Cabinet is made up of mediocrities with no man of mark in the whole number except Blaine. Others are of quite a different opinion, and I think they are right. Whether the Cabinet, however, is mediocre or bright, it seems to give great satisfaction, and hopes are strong that Garfield's term will be a prosperous one. For a wonder his message was very short, written in good crisp English, with a manly ring about it throughout, which seemed to indicate that the new President knows what he is about, and is determined to let all understand that if any thought that he was a mere jack in the box, they will soon discover their mistake. The administration of Hayes was a very quiet, but a very useful one, and if Garfield leaves a personal record as satisfactory as his predecessor has done, he will be a happy man. By the way, that was a very narrow escape which Mr. Hayes made on his way home from the pomps and vanities of Washington. It was just a wonder that he and his family were not all killed in the collision which took place with the train on which he travelled.

The Irish difficulty still continues, but, as the Coercion Act is now in force, a good many of the most obstreperous talkers will soon find themselves within the four walls of a prison. The land bill has not yet been made known. It is to be hoped it will be satisfactory when it comes. In any case it is absurd nonsense to think that giving the wretched peasant farmers of Ireland their few acres of ill-cultivated land in fee simple will do much or any good. They are living, and have been for ages, in the most abject poverty. Their farming is of the most contemptible character. They multiply like rabbits in a warren, and suppose they had the ownership of their wretched little patches to-morrow what would it matter, unless they had more skill and greater thrift? The land laws no doubt need to be amended, but the number who want to live on the land is far greater than can do so with comfort. Make a peasant proprietary merely, and in twenty years things would be as bad as ever, with the land out of the hands of nine-tenths of these cultivators again and the same cry of the wretched for help would be raised, and with as good reason. Besides, what right has any man, who farms his five or ten acres, to have the State put him in possession of that or even to help him to get it, any more than the man in the city has a right to get a present of the house he occupies or the shop in which he does business? Free trade in land, with cheap, simple conveyances for small as for large lots is about all that Government can do. With, of course, security that the proprietors will not come and sweep up all the tenant's improvements without the slightest compensation. That sort of work has been going on too long, not only in Ireland but all the world over, and the sooner it is stopped the better will it be all round.

A Project for the Year 2,000.

Lake Mackenzie is one of those "possibilities of North America" recently suggested. The lake would result from a proposed closing of the northerly outlet of the valley of the Mackenzie River, at the line 60° north, and storing up the water of 1,260,000 square miles. And to this could be added the water of other large areas. It would be a lake of about 2,000 miles in length by about 200 of average width. Its surface would have an altitude of about 650 feet above sea level. It would cover with one continuous surface the labyrinth of streams and lakes which now occupy the Mackenzie Valley. It would be a never failing feeder for the Mississippi. It would connect with Hudson Bay and with the "great lakes," and also with the interior of Alaska by connecting with the Yukon and its affluents. By concurrent results and other "possibilities" it would become during some months of each year, a navigable water, adding not less than 12,000 miles of communication to the Mississippi. It would complete the interior lines of river courses by connecting them. Cutting the "divide" which now exists between the Mississippi and Mackenzie would do this. This work is small when measured by its results, and it becomes easy of accomplishment under the methods proposed. The connecting of the Upper Mississippi with the proposed Lake Mackenzie would be easily made if that lake had a surface at the proposed altitude of 650 feet above the sea. The outflow from such a lake, having a length of more than 2,000 miles from south to north, and draining a very wide range of altitudes and latitudes, would be a timely and enduring one. This lake would make possible and easy the straightening of the Lower Mississippi. It would also contribute to the proposed ship canal from Cairo, Ill., to the Gulf of St. Lawrence, by the almost straight line which cuts the Wabash Valley, the Lakes Erie and Ontario, and the Lower St. Lawrence. This commercial channel, receiving all the waters converging at Cairo, would complete the demand for a constantly open ship channel from the St. Lawrence to the sea by way of the Strait of Belle Isle. That demand can be complied with, and the shortest and best line of communication can be thus opened between the interior and the seaboard.—*St. Louis Republican.*

There is a story being freely circulated at the London clubs and in society that a mysterious man was traced into Windsor Castle, where he was last seen with a flat candlestick in his hand, and that it cannot be proved he ever came out. Many believe he is there still, conceal like the burglar at Bournemouth, who terrified Lady Faversham and her young daughter, and on coming out of his hiding place under the sofa coolly announced he had been there a whole day, and intended to let his companions in the following night to steal and plunder anything they could lay their hands on. The courage and sangfroid shown by the two ladies on the occasion were admirable beyond all praise. They showed no signs of surprise or alarm, rang the bell, and quietly ordered the servant answering it to hand the burglar over to the police. The burglar, in his turn was taken aback by this presence of mind and coolness that he forgot to try to escape, and allowed himself to be pinioned like a bird in a ... [illegible]

In spite of the troublous times in Ireland they are anticipating fine social gayeties there. Lady Cowper, the vice-regal chatelaine is to have Drawing-rooms and levees in March, and the Guinnesses are to give fancy balls.

Word on the [illegible]

(From the San [illegible])

Woman is by nature so ... sistent a creation ... even her most ... illustration, the other day ... up, of Nob Hill, ... railroad velocity ... jabber to each other ... out either in the least ... plying to what the other ...

"It's just a mean ... you good-for-nothing ... est Pungleup girl, ...

"All right," said her ... "we'll try an experiment ... friend, Miss Glackerson ... street. Now, I'll wager ... suit you want to ... 'Roast turkey and cranberry' ... sponse to the first ... she makes without her ...

"I never heard anything ... surd," replied Miss P. " ... as well have that suit ... for anything, so I'll just ... a lesson.'

"Mind now," said her ... door bell rang, "fair-play ... change your expression ... must repeat the sentence ... and manner—that is to ... breath—all run together ...

Just then Miss Glackerson ... to the parlour, and through ... old P. could hear the ... exchange, and Miss G. ... even the smallest comma ... mark—

"Oh! you lazy thing ... ago don't look at this ... going to have flowers ... changed why weren't you ... was there."

"Roast turkey and cranberry," rapidly inserted Miss P. ... words with that preliminary ... gargle with which all women ... cult reason, invariably ... tion when desirous of being ...

"Going to Mrs. Blodgett's ... tinued Miss Gluckerson, ... rattle of a brook over the ... Smith is going they tell ... promised me a new ... saw that hateful Mrs. Grapp ... street buff overskirt and ... fancy."

"Roast turkey and cranberry—"

"Oh, George Skidmore's ... Ouch! got a flea in my ... just eating me up alive ... Sunday did you get that ...

"Roast turkey and cran—"

"The girls at Clark's are to ... Thursday Jennie Giggles is ... square cut with inside illusion ... boots can't you come round to ... morrow and stay th—"

"Roast turkey and—"

"Night, show Milly your ... That man with a light overcoat ... again yesterday Jim O'Neill ... this candy frightfully stale."

"Roast turkey—"

"Ma thinks Mrs. Brown ... those ferns are just too lovely ... cuffs clean this morning are my ... ing out yours ain't Lillie ... met Charlie Biggs the other ... he said something nice about ... quick!"

"Roast turk——"

"Why how perfectly absurd, Linda," interrupted the ...

"You don't listen to a word ... asking about Charlie Biggs and ... George Snelley thinks you ... tell me what did he say ... what are you hugging me for?"

"And, Tilde," ... Miss Pungelup, after the ... explained and her ... had lost by a scratch, "I believe ... that if you hadn't thought ... then I shouldn't have ... winter."

All of which goes to show ... lo ... one subject upon which ... to secure the temporary ... scrutable female mind.

"These be Thy Gods O ..."

(From the Toronto Truth.)

We have no wish to detract from honest merit, nor in the ... degree to depreciate well-earned ... We are willing for the sake of ... believe that Hanlan, like ... Sayers, has honestly "tried to ... to his native land." We ... private suspicions on that point ... but in the meantime, at any ... content that there should ... ance. It may be our opinion ... also the opinion of a good many ... any thoughts of his native ... honour and glory, never entered ... tleman's head. His only thought ... was to prosecute his trade, and ... money for himself as possible ... fectly willing to ...

GIVE HANLAN ALL THE ...

be really deserves, but we do ... cally protest, in the name of ... decency and common sense ... senseless and childish ... wastes the city's money, and ... laughing-stock of all who ... professional "sport" as the ... sons of men.

"O wad some power the giftie ...
To see oursels as ithers see ...
It wad frae mony a blunder ...
And foolish notion."

Hanlan is a good rower— ... granted; what else can be said ... his trade, luckily for himself ... workman to the fore as yet ... not so respectable a one either ... be. Though innocent enough ... associations are rapidly making ...

A VERY PARADISE OF ...

Hanlan has made a good ... He may make more. Let ... prosper. Let him make it ... can. If he can't do this, ... many merchants, lawyers and ... no right to throw stones at ... case, let him ply his craft ... the Thames, or on the waters ... tse-Kiang, or whenever or ... pleases, let him make his ... or dishonestly; but let him ... because some foolish ... "the freedom of the city," and ... getting up a "household fund" ... little bits of school-boy Latin ... some foolish pedantic ... tablish some parallel between ... ancient Greece, and the ... modern times, let him not ... people of Toronto, as a ... as anything like ...

THE LITTLE ...

he may have come to ... are sure he is much too ... to wonder sometimes at ... who should know better ... would only let him alone ... and attend to his own business ... of nothing so foolish ... long time as a decent ... an elder in the Kirk ... con, and a member of ... General Assembly, ... fore the footlights of a ... shreds of Latin from the ... ing to make it appear ... the true type of the ...

AND THE LIEUTENANT ...

with the patronizing ... tenance, shedding light ... Does the country give ... and a free house to ... as these? We trow not ... chette the Canadian ... a reception as Hanlan ... The whole affair had ... cial and country-town ... as to be disgusting. ... people flocking to hear ... cry, and thinking ... men of wit. The two ... very little for a ... or the intelligence of ... Let us hope that both ... be over, and that the ... be found sitting "clothed ... minds."

The cause of Lady Florence ... departure for South Africa ... out of the *Morning Post* ... severe message from the Queen ... Lord Chamberlain, for ... ing room without the ... pets prescribed by court ... intimation that if she ... Queen's forgiveness she ... next drawing room with ... submission fluttering ... ness. This Lady Florence ... to avoid any difficulty ... Dunbar on the day ... the reception. There ... to how Lady Florence ... dies. To suit the ... dress and accoutrements ...

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HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
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Wiliamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-ly

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Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
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FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

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The VIGOR is incomparable. It is colorless, contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil white cambric. It imparts an agreeable and lasting perfume, and as an article for the toilet it is economical and unsurpassed in its excellence.

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.
A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!
Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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ERRORS OF YOUTH.
A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York.

MATTERS DRAMATIC.

MR. PERCY WINTER, a son of the dramatic critic, has devoted himself to the stage, and has joined Miss Genevieve Ward's company.

IT is rumored that Salvini, on returning to Italy, will devote himself to the management of a school of dramatic art in Florence.

IT illustrates the lengths to which a fashion runs when a leading London music publisher says that a successful ballad nowadays must be written in a quaint, sharp, staccato style in vogue in the days of Queen Anne.

THE Metastasio Theatre at Rome caught fire last month, but the flames were easily extinguished, as there was little inflammable matter about the building, which is almost wholly of stone and brick. No theatre was ever burned down in Rome since the fall of the Roman empire.

"BALL this evening, dear?" inquired Desdemona of Othello, when she saw him loading up his old navy revolver. "No, not this evening, s'mother evening," he replied, as he reached for the pillow and wedged it softly down her œsophagus.

FIRST-CLASS singers of church music are in good demand. Miss Emma S. Howe, a well-known Boston vocalist, goes to Mr. Beecher's church, in Brooklyn, at a salary of $1000 a year. She succeeds Miss Hattie L. Simms, who goes to St. Thomas's New York. Mr. George Werrenrath is continued at Mr. Beecher's church as its tenor, at an advance of $500 on his salary.

ADELAIDE KEMBLE SARTORIS said of Braman's singing that when the little thickset Jewish-looking man stood up to sing a single line, "But the children of Israel went on dry land," then paused, and in the hush followed with three words, "through the sea," that seemed carved out of solid stillness, then "our breath failed and our pulses ceased to beat, and we bent our heads as all the wonder of the miracle seemed to pass over us with those accents, awful, resonant, radiant, triumphant."

AN exciting scene took place in Paris at the Opera ball, which was unusually brilliant. A young woman who had been standing near the buffet, perceiving a gentleman with whom she was acquainted passing by with a rival beauty, exclaimed: "I knew very well that you were deceiving me," and attempted to stab herself with a dagger that she had concealed in her domino. The force of the blow was suddenly deadened by an opportune piece of whalebone, and before the victim of the green-eyed monster could repeat the blow she was disarmed and arrested. The wound is very slight.

Eager for the Fray.

Beattie the poet was on one occasion presented by the manager of a theatrical company which visited Montrose with an order for two to the boxes. As a special treat Mr. Beattie asked a well-known character in the town, famous for his great height and bodily strength, named John Tweedale, to accompany him. The play was "Macbeth," and the tragic incidents seemed to have powerfully affected John, who was making his first acquaintance with the stage, for at that part of the play where the murdered Banquo stalks upon the scene, Beattie rose up hastily in his seat, and, extending his arms towards the actors, exclaimed, in earnest tones, "For Heaven's sake, gentlemen, stop the play; John Tweedale's flegged!" Silence at once fell upon the audience and actors, till up rose bulky John, whose anxiety to see the tragedy was gaining the better of his fears, and, with white, scared face cried out "It's a lee, gentlemen. I'm not the least flegged; gang on wi' the Slaughterin'."

Opera Glasses.

A writer of the *Gaulois* says that the grandmothers of the present generation of Frenchwomen did not make much use of opera glasses. The single opera glass came into use in the reign of Louis XIV.; under Louis XIV. no spectator who respected himself came to the theatre without one, as you may read in Marivaux's "Paysan Parvenu." The double glass or *jumelle* as at present in use was invented, according to Edward Fourmer's account, in 1825. The writer above referred to is right in saying that women used the opera glass but little; their attention was concentrated on the stage and on their own little group of friends. The modern woman makes, on the contrary, constant use of the opera glass. As soon as ever she enters her box or her stall she inspects the house, an operation which requires from ten mintes to a quarter of an hour. During the performance the inspection of *la salle* will be continued at intervals until the approximate value of each rival's toilet and jewels is fixed to the satisfaction of the *lorgneuse*. The manner of holding the opera glass is a point to be studied and adapted to the style of beauty. A woman who has fine arms will hold the glass with both hands; a woman who has fine hands will take off her gloves; a woman who has a long neck will recline back on her chair, and from time to time let the glass rest against her chin and make it give the effect of a *mouche sur un ...*, etc. In short, *l'art de lorgner* is worthy of a chapter in any treatise on coquetry. Jewelled opera glasses are now coming into fashion. Soon we shall hear that a really chic lady will pay 10,000 francs for her fan; 15,000 francs for her handkerchief, and 20,000 francs for her opera glass.

The King of Bavaria has given up drinking very old wines, and his Chancellor has recently sold to a London firm some of the most venerable wines that ever reached England. Among these the most noticeable are the Steinwein, grown in the Bavarian State vineyards ... grown in the year ..., and ... the famous comet year, 1811. These wines are valuable ... and the quantity which remains is so small that they will ... be ...

The Church Organ.

THE GRAND OLD INSTRUMENTS OF EUROPE. THE GREAT DUTCH ONE AT HAARLEM.

Of all instruments this is the most noble, possessing powers of the greatest extent and variety. How the sober dignity of its tones harmonize with the dark massive pile which we walk around and view with wonder! While gazing on the heavy towers on high, its hollow tones within speak of mass and vespers, long gone by, and all the train of superstitious chivalry. And as we pace the long drawn aisles of light and shade, where the glowing beams of tinted windows fall on the youthful fair, kneeling to ask heaven's grace—so beautifully expressed by the poet:

"Rose bloom fell on her hands together pressed,
And on her silver cross soft amethyst,
And on her hair a glory like a saint."

How the solemn tones in heavenly grandeur roll along? It is only upon the Continent that we can enjoy these sublime sensations. Holland, the Low Countries and Germany are spread over with these majestic instruments in profuse variety. At Haarlem there is one of stupendous size; the effect of which surpasses everything the mind can conceive. They are sounds which seem to roll from the skies into the deep abyss of harmony. In the puritanical service of the Dutch, nothing but psalmody is performed. For the purpose of leading their immense congregations of not less than three thousand voices singing in unison, these organs are furnished with an enormous pipe called the vox humana, which so predominates over the rolling thunder of the double diapasons that you might conceive it to be the voice of a monster, concealed in the mountain of sounds. The grandeur of this organ is much augmented by the vastness of the church in which it stands. Higher than Westminster Abbey—it fills up the end of the large aisle, reaching from the roof, and from one side to the other, the pipes having the appearance of vast columns of silver. The extemporary flourishes which the organist introduces between the lines of the psalm, can only be compared to a commotion of the elements or the rolling of the surges upon the shore. The largest organs in England are but mere toys compared to this magnificent instrument, which strikes the senses with awe and wonder. The writer was in the organ loft of Westminster Abbey, when the king and queen of Owhyee, Sandwich Isles, where introduced by the Dean, and placed near himself in the choir. The king, a vulgar-looking man, perfectly black, dressed in a black coat, white waistcoat, and peagreen gloves, which were not long enough to conceal his sooty wrists, stood up the whole time of the service, gazing with amazement at the roof. The queen, a tall, fine, masculine figure, was struck upon the first burst of the organ, as to be thrown into extreme agitation, so much so, that she would have leaped out of the stall in which she was placed, had not her maid of honor (An English lady), prevented her by laying hands upon her. Every time the organ recommenced with its full volume of sound, this ... During the service she settled down into something like composure and at the conclusion was led out by the dean and ...

...The next morning a Dutchman, driving his cows through the lane on the way to pasture, saw one of them stop and snuff a fiddle that was lying in the grass, covered with dew. Then he saw Joost sprawled out upon the turf fast asleep. Near him was a yellow stone bottle, which although empty, still had the aroma of schnapps. Joost, when aroused, went toward home with a lame step and an aching head. Recalling his experiences of the night, he went back the same day, and there in the boulder was the exact print of the devil's cloven foot.

Profits by Tobacco Monopoly.

WHAT THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT MAKES OUT OF THE SALE.

Bismarck, finding the monopoly of tobacco manufacture to be a prominent source of prosperity to the French Government, proposes the same system for Germany. In the seventeenth century the French Government assumed the right to control the manufacture of tobacco, and in 1674 transferred the monopoly of manufacture to contractors, who agreed to pay for the privilege a sum based on the probable earnings. This system was in operation until the reign of the first Napoleon, when a commission appointed by him reported that the only way of benefitting both the Government and consumers would be for the State to manufacture tobacco exclusively. The reasons given were that the work being under one control would dispense with nine-tenths of the general expenses which would be incurred by individual manufacturers. The credit and capital of the State being greater than that of any individual, it could make use of all new discoveries and machines for simplifying labour, and thus reduce the cost; it would abolish all expenses of show, advertising, high-priced stores, &c., and having no interest in making a profit to the disadvantage of the consumer, would avoid all adulterations. The system went into practice in 1810, and has not since undergone any modifications. In 1811 the sales reached over 50,000,000 francs, the expenses being 31,000,000, and the net profit being 19,000,000. In 1878 the receipts were over 397,000,000 francs, the expenses about 65,000,000, and the net profit over 332,000,000. In this sixty-seven years the expenses were but little more than doubled, while the net profit has increased seventeen fold. As cigars, which constituted the principal part of the production, are made almost exclusively by hand, the reduction of expenses and the great growth of receipts were chiefly accounted for by the division in manual labour when united in large masses under one administration. The manufacture of matches is also a Government monopoly, and the profit from it, added to that of tobacco, amounted to 348,210,000 francs, or about $69,642,000, a sum sufficient at five per cent. to pay the interest on the five thousand millions levied in 1871 by Germany, and leave an overplus for amortization which by compound interest calculation, would sink the whole debt in thirty-... Government ... The average wages paid by the ... 6 1-5 francs a day, while jewellers, the highest paid of French workmen, received from private employers, but an average of 5 1-7 francs a day. In addition to paying the highest of average wages, the Government gives to its employees during sickness, or after a certain period of service, a pension so satisfactory that a position in the employ of the State is eagerly sought for by French workmen. The expenses of management, clerks, agents, storage, freight, &c., reached in 1878 but 1 1-7 per cent. on the gross receipts. French manufacturers and merchants expend 12 to 15 per cent. for these items.

THE Davidson County mines in North Carolina have yielded half of all the gold dug east of the Mississippi River, and the iron deposits are regarded as inexhaustible. In asking for the emigration of skilled laborers the State points to 66 cotton and woollen mills, 290 tobacco factories, 20 iron foundries, 10 furnaces, and the foundations of more mills to be built this summer. North Carolina is only fourteen hours ride from New York city, and it is claimed that the cost of a journey from here to the West will buy a good farm down there.

A vegetarian society has been founded in Paris, and has just issued its first Bulletin, in which we are told that the object of the society is to discover the "elementary regime most advantageous to the human species." Vegetarianism ought to commend itself to many French people, with whom "rosbif" and "biftek" are not the institution that they are in England. The great bulk of the French lower and lower middle classes, like the peasantry and the bulk of the working classes in Scotland, are vegetarians without being conscious of it, and probably from necessity.

THERE is a man in Hamilton who lives so fast that he is now absolutely older than his father; and it is thought he will soon overtake his grandfather. His mother, a quiet, elderly lady, he has left behind long ago, as well as two maiden aunts.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 1st, 1881.

The Euphrasia Election resulted in the return of Mr. Myles for Reeve by a majority of 166 over Mr. Kerr. Below is the returns:—

	Johnson	Kerr	Myles
No. 1	2	8	58
No. 2	1	24	59
No. 3	1	20	69
No. 4	0	9	26
No. 5	1	0	18
No. 6	4	6	11
Total	9	67	233

No. 1 is Kimberley, 2 Heathcote, 3 Rocklyn, 4 Erskin's, 5 Struthers, 6 Curry's.—*Monitor.*

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

Now that the snow is about gone, is it not about time that the street cleaning had commenced. Some of the Blacksmith should take the hint before there is any more said.

Some people would tell us that this is sugar weather, but the weather bulliten says that there is more snow coming.

The adjourned trial of Watt vs. [illegible] $600. We hope this will be a warning to people who are inclined to trade horses to be cautious.—Villager.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

The Skating Rink is sinking in the centre, owing to width of span and kind of timber. Very few risk their lives in it now.

The hay press has been removed from here to Blyth, as the roads are unfit for drawing hay.

Mr Peter McGregor, is going to add a planer to his mill.

Mr. Phillips Druggist, has left here and has been succeeded by Mr. Parsons, of Cookstown.

Mr. W. J. Hicks, has a quantity of timber on the ground for the erection of a new granary, to be completed in time for next winter.

WILLIAMSFORD.

From our Correspondent.

Dear Sir.—The several services which continued for nearly eight weeks in the Methodist church here, we believe, resulted in good being done. A large attendance, good attention, first class order, and an increase in the membership of about 50, are one of the chief features of the services. The Minister in charge has said that in none of his past experience has had such universal good order. So much for the village that has by some been badly reported of.

We are informed that the Temperance Society here is in a very prosperous state at present.

Mr. Joseph Archer, while at his father's, fell from the loft in the barn, and recieved very serious and almost fatal injuries. Dr. McGregor promises recovery, complete, in a short time.

On Friday last, wondering eyes gazed at several couples of youthful men and madains, as they drove up to the Vogan House, where one of the happy pair was joined in matrimony by the Rev. Mr. Cameron, of Chatsworth.—H.

Williamsford, March 29th, 1881.

Correspondence.

Notice.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the Standard.

Sir.—I was agreeably surprised to see the quality of Fall & Spring Wheat, Oats and Peas, now instore at Markdale Station. They are the best samples I have seen in any part of this western Peninsula. My first impression of the land in Bentinck, Glenelg and Artemesia, was that it was almost worthless, at least only fit for sheep pasture. Its ruggid, stoney surface, dotted with intervening gravelly knolls and ridges, on which by the way, when not cleared grow the finest of Maple Elm, Hemlock &c. Numerous ravenes or valleys watered by the purest and most abundant springs, which unite in little rivulets that meander along the base of the hills. The little streams are shaded with Evergreens, such as cedar, tamarick and balsam, all indicative, to my mind, of land unsuitable for grain raising; but the fact of 150.000 bushels of grain, such as referred to, being shipped from Markdale Station in one year, is the logic that dispels my former theory. I would advise those requiring good seed such as wheat, oats or peas, to procure it from this section of country. It is strange that land so productive of staple cereals is held by the present occupants at such low figures—say from $20, $25 and $30 per acre. The bad stage of cultivation in which the land is in at present throughout the Township [illegible] its legitimate value. There is a rich field for improvement, and large profits would be the result to those who may purchase at present prices. The production of grain is not the only pleasure peculiar to this section of country. Its valleys and streams are visited by the lovers of piscatorial sport from New York, Boston, Toronto, Hamilton and London, during the holidays. Angling for the sportive speckled trout is an amusing pastime. The abundance of fish in these limpid streams may be immagined from the fact that one hundred weight of trout has been taken by one angler in 8 hours, I have been told. It is said that two fools are necessary for successful fishing, viz:—One at each end of the rod. Well two negatives make a positive, so one hundred pounds of trout is a positive fact, whether secured by fools tact or tackle. The little village of Markdale is on the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railroad, otherwise called the narrow gauge, and distant from Toronto 8 or 9 hours run. The road is not desirable to travel by—being slow, suffocating, crooked and shaky, indeed it seems as if [illegible] out of some third-class railroad. The company [illegible] uniform gauge, the same as other roads. The [illegible] by the travelling public. Those who visit this place either on business or pleasure, will find good accommodation at the Markdale House, kept by Mr. [illegible]. The village has a population of 600, and is growing. It contains 10 or 12 stores, post office, telegraph offices, bank, three hotels and [illegible] Dr. Sproule, M. P., [illegible] village who is building a fashionable and expensive house. The villagers are looking forward to incorporation. [illegible] interests [illegible] by Mr. C. W. Rutledge, Editor and proprietor of the Standard. This is a local weekly conducted with spirit [illegible] trickery mars its usefulness. Politicans are given [illegible] berth, with perfect freedom to paddle their own [illegible] industry and honest enterprise. The farmers friend, business mans counseller, and the medium through which public and personal grievances may seek and find redress. Accept my thanks for your valuable space.

Jas. A. Black.

Markdale, March 28, 1881.

Pressure on our columns is so great that many articles are crowded out this week.

Yellow Oil is par excellence the remedy for Pain, Lameness, Rheumatism, Croup, Deafness, Burns, Frost Bites, Stiff Joints, and all flesh wounds. Any medicine dealer can furnish it.

BIRTHS.

Whitby,—On the 26th ult., the wife of John Whitby, of Artemesia, of a daughter.

[illegible] 26th ult., by the Rev. Jas. Cameron, Mr. John Thomas Quinn, to Miss Margaret Speers, both of the Township of Holland.

Elliot—Carson—At the residence of the Bride's brother, Eugenia, on the 22nd of March, by Rev. J. Ward, Mr. Thos. Elliot Jr., of Artemesia, to Miss Elizabith Carson, eldest daughter of Mr. John Carson, of the township of Clarke.

Graham—Ferguson—At the residence of the bride's father, on Wednesday, 29th March, by the Rev. J. R. Gilchrist, Mr. Henry Graham, eldest son of Corwell Graham, to Esther, eldest daughter of Thos. Ferguson, all of Melancthon.

DIED.

Davis—In Markdale, on the 26th ult., Chas. eldest son of T. E. Davis, Builder, aged 3 years and 6 months.

Davis—In Artemesia, on the 23rd ult., Chas. Morden, eldest son of Mr. Wm. Davis, aged 2 years 6 months.

Davis,—In Artemesia, on 28th ult., Ethel Maud, only daughter of Wm. Davis, aged 1 year and 5 months.

Thomas—In Markdale, on the 31st ult., William Wesley, eldest son of Mr. Grovenor Thomas, shoemaker, aged 2 years, 10 months.

In Chancery:

DEWSON VS. WILSON.

Pursuant to an order of the Court of Chancery, made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. TAYLOR, ESQUIRE, Master in Ordinary of this Court, by E. S. Meeking, Esquire, Auctioneer, at

McDERMOTT'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF BOND HEAD,

At the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, on

The 9th day of April 1881,

The following lands and premises, in one parcel namely: Broken Lot number three, in the first Concession, of the Township of West Gwillimbury, in the County of Simcoe, containing fifteen acres more or less. Also, pursuant to the above mentioned order, there will be sold by Robert Davis, Esquire, at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, on

The 12th day of April,

A. D., 1881, the following lands and premises, in two parcels, namely:

PARCEL I.

The South west part of Lot number two hundred and twenty, in the second concession south of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres more or less.

PARCEL II.

Lot number one hundred and twenty-one, in the first concession south-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS of SALE.

One tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, and a sufficient amount within one month thereafter, without interest to make together with the cash payment one quarter of said purchase money, the balance to be secured by mortgage on the premises, at six per cent per annum, payable in three equal yearly payments.

Each parcel will be sold subject to a reserved bid fixed by the said master.

The other conditions of sale are the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery.

Further particulars can be had from DENISON & MACKLEM, 15 Toronto street; MESSRS. McCARTHY, HOSKIN, PLUMB & CREELMAN, Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated at Toronto this 16th day of March, A. D., 1881. Signed.

28-3w. T. W. TAY

Money! Money!

The undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent. according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY,
Lot 130, 1st west T. & S. R. Artemesia,
Flesherton P. O.

March 23, 1881. 28-tf

AUCTION SALE

OF

VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Glenelg and Holland, in the County of Grey.

There will be sold on

Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at

RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

By virtue of powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following property:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Angus McMillan, Lot number 28, in the 2nd concession north of the Durham Road, of the said township of Glenelg, containing by admeasurement 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—40 acres cleared.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Samuel Young, Lot 37, in the 2nd concession, North-east of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—[illegible] acres cleared, [illegible] house, barn and stable.

TERMS.—[illegible] to be paid down on the day of sale. [illegible] terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE, Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

[illegible] JOHN LYONS, [illegible] Markdale.

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as usual. We would invite an early inspection whether you want to buy or not.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, March 30th, 1881. 29-tf.

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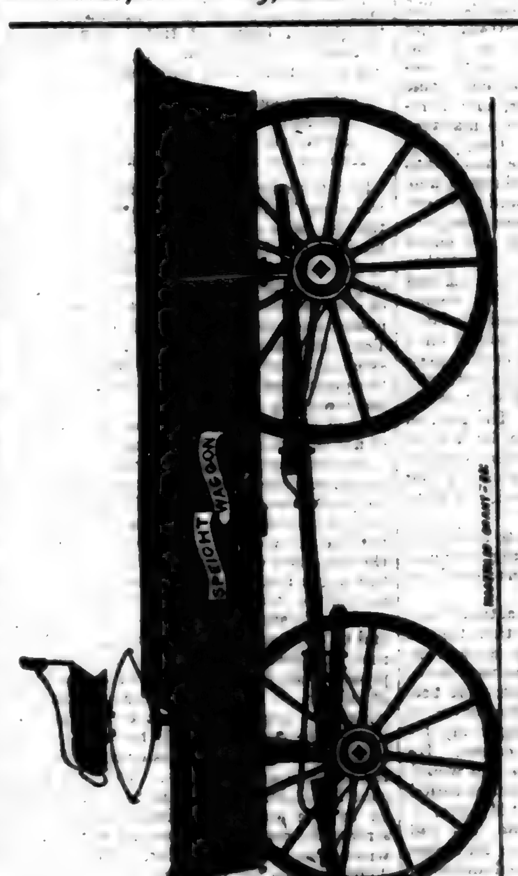
THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



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Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

WANTED

To exchange a new Dexter King Buggy for a good horse. Enquire of W. H. GUY.

Maxwell March 31 1881. 29-3i

E. D. Macmillan,

(MARKDALE and DURHAM.)

Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Office over McFarland's store, Markdale. Money to loan on easy terms. 27-ly

FOR SALE.

One Yoke of 5 year old steers, well broken and handy. One span of working horses, young. One filly 4 years-old, well broken in saddle and harness. One colt 2 years old.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, March 24th 1881. 28-3

A NEW ELECTION

In Euphrasia.

The Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at

6 Per Cent, Yearly!

ON STRAIGHT LOANS.

[illegible]

Lowest Rates ever offered in the County of Grey.

[illegible]

Auction Sale

OF

VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Artemesia and Proton in the County of Grey.

There will be Sold, on

Friday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at the

McCULLOUG'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF DUNDALK,

By virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the Sale, the following Properties:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon, Lot No. 37, in the 3rd Concession, South of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, County of Grey, containing 50 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 10 acres partly cleared. The property is situated about [illegible] miles from the Village of Dundalk.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGowan, Lot 17, in the 17 Concession of the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About [illegible] acres cleared and under cultivation, with a log house and barn erected thereon.

TERMS.—[illegible] money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE, Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

[illegible]

MEDICAL HALL

[illegible]

SEEDS!

FIELD SEEDS,

INCLUDING

CLOVER,

TIMOTHY,

CARROT,

MANGEL WURTZEL, &c, &c.

GARDEN SEEDS!

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 18 tf

Pianos and Organs.

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All instruments warranted for Six Years.

ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,

LOCK BOX 75,

Uxbridge, Ont.

Organ for Sale.

A Five Octave Organ, nearly new, one of Clough & Warren's (New York) celebrated Instruments. Cost $200.00, will be sold at a great reduction, on [illegible]

A. N. [illegible]

Markdale, March 2, 1881. [illegible]

NOTICE.

All parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice. As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be attended.

[illegible]

REMOVED!

From my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Shop, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellry, Wedding and Jem Rings, Clocks, &c, &c.

Watches and Clocks carefully repaired and brought to time. All work guaranteed for one year. I shall be in

DUNDALK

[illegible]

[illegible] Canadian Mortgage Co.

[illegible]

AND THEIR COSTS ARE L[OW]

[illegible]

I have also a few thousand dollars of

PRIVATE MONEY

To invest on very reasonable [illegible] interest. [illegible] and Scotch capitalists [illegible] and the amount is limited. [illegible] money market may soon [illegible] capital from the market, I believe a change in the [illegible] Now is the time to borrow, [illegible]

The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan Insurance Agency.

INSURANCE!

It is of the greatest importance [illegible] that they select a Reliable [illegible] Company, and that they [illegible] a reliable Agent. [illegible] to take applications for the Strongest, Safest and Best Companies in C[anada] [illegible] for a Stock Company at rates as low as any reliable Mutual. My Companies [illegible]

[illegible] Citizens (Stock)

[illegible] and Gore District,

(Mutual and Cash.)

Conveyancing. Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, [illegible] short notice, and work Correctly and Neatly done. In this line my [illegible] increased and is increasing. I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

Auction Sales attended in either Town or Country, and Bills [illegible] charge; also all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

Lands for Sale and to Rent. To any having lands to dispose [illegible] offer a splendid chance to advertise. It don't cost you [illegible] sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the Proprietors themselves. Correspondence solicited. In every department of my business I [illegible] carefulness, correctness, and fair dealing the prominent [illegible] as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General [illegible]

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the control of the

FLESHERTON STEAM

FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACT[ORY]

AND REMOVED TO THE

Furniture Warerooms

TO THE

NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUILDING ADJOINING THE [illegible]

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman [illegible] and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to any [illegible] commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have a Large and Varied Stock of

Furniture in all the Latest Style[s]

and during the Winter I require

100,000 FEET OF GOOD

Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and [illegible]

LUMBER!

for which

THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.

Also a Quantity of Good Pine

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDING, ETC.,

AS USUAL.

Estimate of supplies Given on Applicatio[n]

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham st[reet]

H. HOOPE[R]

Flesherton, December 28, 1880.

SELING OFF!

FALL AND WINTER

AT AND UNDER COST

For Cash, for 30 Days

Gents Over-Coats and Suits,

CHEAP.

LADIES' FUR MANTLES AND SHAWLS,

CHEAP.

Ladies' and Gents' Underclothing,

CHEAP.

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT

ROCK-BOTTOM PRICES

BOOTS AND SHOES

In every Variety—CHEAP.

Everything AT UNUSUALLY LOW PRICES at the

"TORONTO HOUSE"

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, December [illegible] 1880.

MARKDALE

CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

Having leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,

DEMOCRATS,

WAGGONS, ETC.,

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of [illegible]

[illegible]

General Jobbing

[illegible]

TAILORIN[G]

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailo[r]

Having rented the Tailoring D[epartment] over McFarland's store, [illegible] to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared [illegible]

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily

CUTTING

[illegible] Customers are waiting

THE LATEST FASHION PLATE[S]

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guarantee[d]

AT

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Pla[ce] Over McFarland's Store.

[illegible] 1880.

STANDARD.

April 1st, 1881.

OTHER NOTICES.

...ol's day.

...on Wednesday night, ...hen roost robbers have ...

...ng you can depend on ...ne, go to W. F. Doll's.

...coal oil, CASTORINE ...hine oils, try Haskett

...airing a specialty, at ... yours and have it

...SAPARILLA is sold by all ... is a positive remedy for ...he blood.

... has a couple of span of ...or sale, together with ... See hand bills.

...ealers for "Castorine" ...and see that the barrel ...Castorine," as none other

...s been several taffy pulls, ... thinks it small he didn't ...e says, he and his girl are ... taffy pulling.

...ar works have secured ... build five hundred cars ...da Pacific railway. The ...ill be about $100,000.

...Why become a suffering mar... when BURDOCK BLOOD BIT... are the cause of all varities ...or Nervous Headache, cleanse ...egulate the Secretions, relieve ...the Bowles, purify the Blood, ...Liver and tone up the Nervous ...distressing headache will be un... ...ple Bottle 10 cents, Large Bottle

...making is at a stand still ...e sun makes its influence ...er it strikes, the wind is, ... The large purchases of ... so far, have not proved a ...le investment.

...ERS of reapers, mowers ...g machines, prefer "Cas...chine oil to any other, it ...r lard, seal, or elephant, ...nted not to gum.

...ESTER, Esq., Priceville, ...hrough posters, that he can ...rdinary bargains to his ... spring goods, he is also ... highest price for Butter

...ous purifyers, BURDOCK BLOOD ... ...edily change the sallow ... freshness health and beauty. ...the Bowels, acts promptly on the ...Kidneys and strengthens the ...broken by Nervous or General ... your Druggist for a Trial ...t is only 10 cents, Large Bottle

..., a blacksmith, formerly ...t the foundry in Clarks...mitted suicide at Stayner ...unst. Deceased was addicted ...t when sober was a quiet ...able man, a good work... ...ell connected. His remains ... to Meaford, were his family ...Times.

...McBRATNEY, Esq., of the ...of Proton, has instructed ... Morrow to sell by Public ... April 4th at his residence, ...rm stock, implements &c. ...rchases of $5 and under, ...mount 11 months credit by ...the necessary paper.

...as been quite a raid com... the hen roosts late. As ...can learn, all who keep hens ...red to a greater or lesser ...me loseing as many as 25. ... hens are laying just now, ... serious. It ought to create ...e, however, when Foxes are ... so rapidly.

...GRIER Esq., of Priceville, ...but recently entered into ... fully understand the value ...s Ink, as evidenced by the ...f posters he has ordered. ...man is bound to succeed. ...re worth reading, and hav... ...them do as he requests you, ...spect his stock, and doubt... ...will find things just as he re...hem.

...of chronic disease which doctors ...to cure, BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS ...d its greatest triumph. All dis... ...Blood, Liver and Kidneys, Scro... ...a, Nervous Debility, Rheuma... ...Female Complaints and all forms ...ity are promptly cured by this re... ...Trial Bottle only costs 10

...g man of Clarksburg, in put... ...ded revolver in his pocket ...ast week, accidently dischar... ...weapon, and for a few seconds ...he was Alexander III. of ...nd the central figure in a ...ilist, plot with the exception ...g company with the southern ...f his pantaloons, no damage ...ained.—O. S. Times.

...O MEDICINE. Mr. J. Wyatt, ...ngham, N. C., has a little boy, ... old, who has been suffering ...kin disease, breaking out all ... since he was born. He in... ...e saw the advertisement of ... Ayer's Sarsaparilla in the ...Times, and bought a bottle of ...administered it to the boy, ...s there has been a wonderful ...ment. The breaking out is ...disappearing, and the boy's ...is good for the first time.— ...Va., Times

...Social in Dufferin Hall on ...evening in aid of the Presby... ...School, was indeed a ... A very pleasant evening was ... all appeared to enjoy them... ...the full. These Socials ...e becoming so common, are ...e place of the teameetings to ... extent, are productive of ... more than one way. In the ...e they are in aid of worthy ...and in a social point of view ...ot estimate their value. Our ...ature is well worthy of being ...d, for without it our lives ...e almost void of enjoyment. ...unt relized was $10.00.

...hos. Race, cattle dealer of ... Shipped on Wednesday ...a car containing 22 steers 4 ...ears old, to be fed for the ... markets. The demand for ...rs and good cattle generally ...ed, while there is little or no ... for the poorer class. Now ...nanimous feeling among far... ...ears to be that it will pay to ... their stock, by introducing ... breds, we would say to all ..., if your neighbor brings in a ...-bred bull, give him encour... ... and support, and do not ...n (your neighbor) to loose ... his efforts to do good in this

IT is about time ... coming in.

A few choice improved ... for sale very cheap and on easy terms. Apply at this office.

Toronto Oil company, are sole manufacturers of Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

A splendid lot of those Waltham and Illuminated Watches to hand, at Doll, the Jeweller, Flesherton and Dundalk.

Any persons having a farm to rent, would do well to leave particulars at this office, as we know several parties wanting to get placed.

We notice that ... is on the warpath, so to speak, and this week he has opened some fine goods in Silverplate, Knives, Forks, Spoons, &c, and still there's more to follow.

THOSE who wish to take the advantage of the extra edition, we intend issuing next week, will please send in their advertisements, not later than Monday noon.

MR. J. H. Brownell, collector of Customs, Kincardine, has resigned that office, and purposes going back to the newspaper profession. He and Mr. W. Rastall, jr., have purchased the Orangeville *Advertiser*.

Mr Alfred Ward, lot 182 con. I West of Toronto and Sydenham Road, has a thorough bred short horned Bull for services. Farmers wishing to improve their breed of cattle should patronize him.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

HAGYARD'S Pectoral Balsam; a few doses relieves the most distressing cough, and a twenty-five cent bottle has cured many a sufferer from Asthma, Bronchitis, Croup, Influenza, Hoarseness and Soreness of the chest. It is the grand specific for all throat and complaints leading to consumption.

WE are pleased to note that Mr. E. D. Macmillan, of Durham, has opened a Law office here, under the management of Mr. D. F. Macmillan, late of the Hon. Stephen Richard's office, Toronto.

THERE is at the steam saw mill over 500,000 feet of hardwood and about the same amount of soft wood sawlogs. The proprietor, Mr. Chapman, is driving it to its fullest capacity. He is shipping almost daily to Toronto, where there is a demand for all his surplus stock.

TORONTO, GREY, AND BRUCE RAILWAY.—The traffic returns of the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce railway for the week ending March 19th amounted to $6,807, an increase of $1,238, or nearly one fifth over the corresponding week of 1880. The increase was chiefly in freight.

"HAIL beauteous, bounteous, gladsome Spring"—this was Mark Twain's prize poem —but the dire diseases incident to Spring, spoil the romance. Burcock Blood Bitters is the prize remedy prized by all who have tried it as the best Blood Purifing Tonic and System Regulator in the market. It cures all Blood Humors from the worst Scrofula to a common Pimple. Sample bottle 10 cents, for sale by all dealers in medicine.

THE Toronto News company have issued Josh Billing's Cook Book and Piktorial Proverbs. Josh says in the introductory remarks the receipts are not to be considered arbitnry, as he has never been able to cook his own goose just exactly right. A good hearty laugh, it is said will help digestion, therefore, if the cooking is not all right, the laugh will certainly be provoked by reading this little work, and we would recommend all to buy it. Fifteen cents, to be had from all News dealers.

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSOM is composed of the most healing balsams and gums. The Balsam, which enters its composition, were used by the natives when America was first discovered, and are combined with other vegetable tonics, so blended together, that it is a specific for all affections of the throat and lungs. Thousands of bottles are used annually, and it is considered one of the standard preparations of the day.

THE advance in sience and art the last few years has been very great, and in no branch have greater strides been made than in Agriculture. To keep pace with the rapid improvements being daily made, every farmer should have at least *one* good agricultural periodical, and of the many now being published we can safely recommend the American Agriculturist. Subscriptions taken here, where specimens can be seen. Price $1.50 per annum.

JAS. A. BLAIR, Esq., is desirous of selling his farm containing 100 acres, being lot's 89 & 90, 2nd con. next T. & S. Road, Glenelg, from 75 the 80 of which is cleared, it is wall fenced, and well watered, and in a good state of cultivation. Log house and barn on the premises, and a young orchard. About 10 acres in fall grain. Part cash, and balance secuerd by mortgage, bearing interest at 6 per cent. Apply at this office, or to F. B. Leys, London.

AROUND TOWN.

HASKETT Bros have purchased from Mr. Joseph McCutcheon the Revere Hotel property for $ 4·000.

MR. Robert Askin, of Brampton, has purchased the stock and business of Mr. Geo. Wright, Cabinetmaker, and will be on hand in a few days, he is bringing with him a valuable hearse.

D. J. SHANAHAN, of Penetanguishene, has commenced the waggon, carriage and blacksmithing business opposite the drug store.

MR. T. Mathews is prepairing to build a large livery stable.

MR. John Orr has the brick on the ground for the purpose of veneering his dwelling house on Mill street.

MR. G. THOMAS, boot and shoe maker, of Walter's Falls, has moved to town, and is now in partnership with Mr. Alex Kay, in the boot and shoe business.

Mr. Benson, of the Belfast House, is making preparations to build an addition to his brick block.

Mr. John Irving, Pumpmaker, has bought a lot, nearly opposite the STANDARD Office, and is preparing to build a pump factory.

Mrs. Caswell has erected a dwelling house on Mill St. this spring, and will soon have it completed.

Mr. Geo Ritchie is completing his dwelling, built last season.

C. W. ... has purchased a lot on Mill St from ... for $ 700.

Mr. Harry Marshall, of ..., has leased Richardson's blacksmith shop, and has moved his family ...

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN,

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

... puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

☞ Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor,

FLESHERTON.

Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

☞ Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.

Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

A GOOD CHANCE

A GOOD BLACKSMITH WANTED, to hire for a year, or rent the shop and tools. For particulars, apply on the premises, or by letter to

MRS. MARK RICHARDSON,
Markdale P. O.

Markdale, March 2, 1881. 25-4i

R. J. McCOY,

Agent for the following Implements, &c.:

The Massey
MOWER,
HARVESTER, and celebrated
HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)

Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,

DICK'S ALTON PLOUGHS.

ALL KINDS OF

Fittings and Repairs

Kept constantly on hand,

SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS FOR SALE, CHEAP.

Licensed AUCTIONEER

FOR THE COUNTY.

Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.

Charges Moderate.

R. J. McCOY.

Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 27.

Auction Sale

OF VALUABLE

Farm Property.

UNDER and by virtue of Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL,
IN THE VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

In the County of Grey,

On Thursday, the thirty-first day of March, A. D. 1881,

AT THREE O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,

The following valuable lands and premises, viz.:—Lots numbers one hundred and nineteen and one hundred and twenty, in the first concession South-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, more or less, excepting thereout a portion heretofore sold to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company. On the premises there are said to be good frame buildings.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale; forty per cent. in thirty days with interest at seven per cent.; balance can be had for five years with interest at seven per cent per annum.

For further particulars apply to

LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD,
Solicitors, Toronto.

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TO RENT OR SELL

LOT No. ... Toronto street, Markdale. ...

JOB WORK done neat, cheap, and promptly at the STANDARD Office.

Fresh and Canned Meats

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

Special inducements to large Purchasers.

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

John ...

Manufacturer and Dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROW AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

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BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the

"BELFAST HOUSE."

Also a fresh stock of

Groceies, Provisions,

CANNED FRUIT,

BISCUITS

—AND—

CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut

Side Pork.

FOR SALE. ALSO,

POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,

THE BEST IN TOWN.

BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS.
CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, March 17. 1881. 5-ly

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE.

Cabinet Makers,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1n

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, lot 23, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Enquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Rockwell, Durham P. O.

Jan. 12th, 1881. 19-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the said road and lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, ... Reeve.

CHEAP CASH STORE.

Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

READ EVERY WORD.

GREAT

MID-WINTER SALE,

NOW GOING ON AT

W. J. McFARLAND'S

EVERY PIECE OF WINTER GOODS

Marked Away Down.

BIG DIVES!

10 yards ... for $1.5	Extra Fine Mink Muffs $4, usual price $6
10 yards Fancy Flannel for $2.50	10 yards heavy Black Lustre for $1.50
Men's Fine White Shirts 50 cents	10 yards heavy Grey Flannel $3
Fine Wool Clouds 65c, usual price 90 cents.	10 yards black Velveteen for $4
50 pairs Ladies Corsets 75c, repuced to 50c.	20 yarks Linen Towelling for $1
300 yards All Wool Tweeds worth 85c, down to 67½ cents	12 yards heavy Wincey for $1
Ladies' Fine Cloth Mantles $1.75, worth $3	Colored Velveteens for half price.
	50 Leather Belts, 10 cents

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, HATS, BONNETS, WOLLEN HOODS,

SHAWLS AND MANTLES.

A Special Discount of 20 per cent. on all purchases exceeding $1, will be given.

60 Men's Felt Hats at 60 cents each. 15 yards of Brocade Dress Goods, $2.00.

1 pair Gent's Kid Mitts, 1 pair of Braces, and 1 Tie, ALL for ONE DOLLAR.

Ladies' Kid Mitts, (lined) 60 cents.

And hundreds of other articles EQUALLY CHEAP.

EVERY ONE IN WANT OF DRY GOODS

At and Below Wholesale Prices,

Should call soon at

W. J. McFARLAND,
Wholesale and Retail.

Markdale, Feb. 15, 1881. 1-ly

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust that all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

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Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

WOMAN GOSSIP

Changes of Fashion Which have Cast Fairy-Like Blondes in the Shade.

Some of the Tortures of Being in Style—Calcutta Women—Waifs, &c.

Tortures of Fashion.

Fashion is pitiless in putting clothes on women. The comfort of the wearer is never taken into consideration. She must make her body conform as far as possible to the shapes of her garments, and never mind the pinches, distortions, and exposures. To have her waist compressed and her abdomen held back, is too common to excite any protest; she endures those things as a matter of course. Tight and high-heeled shoes are also an ordinary torment; and it is unjust to say that she might wear loose ones if she would, for it must be borne in mind that neat feet are expected of her. Men's feet are partly covered by their trousers, and therefore do not show the full size; but women's have no such advantage, and when visible are seen for all they are worth. It will not do to enlarge them for the sake of ease; nor to lower the heels, for no device that improves them must be neglected. Going to the other end of a fashionable woman, we find her head covered or uncovered to suit the passing caprice of style. In the present cold weather, if she wears a bonnet, it is a mere strip across her back hair, affording not the slightest warmth. She goes with her brain chilled and her ears aching alongside a male escort which is muffled warmly from neck to pate. He condescendingly asks her if she is cold, and she replies, "Oh, no; I'm as warm toast," being careful not to let her teeth chatter. All along the whole length of herself, betwixt head and feet, she is subjected to tortures of dress. Pins stick into her in places that she cannot reach at the time; garters are too tight, and stop the circulation of blood in her limbs; corset-steels break, and the sharp ends prod her sides; changes from the flannels of every day to the bareness of evening costumes give her fully in spots when elaborately done up; she is covered with contrivances of ornament that a man would not bear the annoyance of, like tight gloves, heavy earrings, and uneven fastenings; and, above all, she is sure to itch in numerous places. I have known moments when I would have given my purse and contents for a good claw at the calf of my leg. Man grumbles at the slightest inconvenience in the way of dress; but woman

"Must sit on her style,
And continue to smile,"

though a bent pin is at that very moment under her. I mention these things so that the husband or father, when he sufferingly pays the bill for a fine female costume, may understand that the wearer is incidentally punished for her extravagance. Those "Olivette" ballet girls at the Fifth Avenue theatre looked free and untrammeled in their tights and jerseys; but some of them were tortured by stays, bandages and paddings into shapes which were handsomer than nature had given them, though not one-tenth as comfortable. An expert was employed in the symmetry department, and his treatment of the girls was with an eye single to the glory of the show. They were a great hit in their seeming freedom of attire, however, while those Nautch dancers at Daly's theatre, in all the real unrestraint of mere gauze, were pronounced unsightly and a failure.

It is a beautiful woman, indeed, who can let nature take the place of art to any great extent in her fashionable make-up.

Calcutta Women

The women of Calcutta are, as a rule, very beautiful, in so far as we can reconcile beauty with the olive complexion, but fade rapidly after reaching the age of maturity. It is not infrequently that we see women at the age of 25 with furrowed jowl and crow's feet visibly encroaching the corners of their large, lustrous, black eyes, and at the age of 30 may have a decided stoop and decrepit gait. The early decline is due to two causes. The very early and tender age at which nuptials are performed, and the destructive influence of the climate. Barring that relic of barbarism, the nose-ring, there is no creature more comely, more lovely than a "mem sahib" of Bengal, between the ages of 12 and 18. Cleanliness is their constant care, which is a virtue to begin with. A figure somewhat below the medium height, and unhampered by corset or weighty skirt, arrayed in a loose, flowing robe of white, the upper portion of which is thrown carelessly over the left shoulder, exposing to view the swelling bust and well-rounded arm. The upper portion of the body is encased in a sleeveless jacket, generally of some brilliant colour, and tastefully worked with silk, or gold and silver thread. The arm is bare from shoulder to wrist, which is encircled by many bands of either silver or gold. The lower part of the ample robe is drawn tightly over the hips and looped at the left side, defining boldly the contour of a faultless figure. These ladies, in the matter of stockings, are not desultory, as they wear no shoes, and, consequently, no stockings, and little of the ankle is visible between the borders of their robe and the curious little mirrored toe-rings and resonant bells. The luxuriant black tresses are parted at the forehead and combed in thick folds behind the ears, which are pierced in many places and studded thickly with jewelry, and fall in close braids over the shoulders.

Waifs.

It is possible for three people to keep the same secret, but only after two of them are dead.

"Downy" way of putting it: Men are geese, women are ducks, and birds of a feather flock together.

A young bride being asked how her husband turned out, replied that he turned out very late in the morning and turned in very late at night.

A tax on matches is to be repealed, so the attacks on the Bernhardt will now cease. They cannot speak lucifer any more.

Japanese kettledrums, with Japanese decorations, young ladies in Japanese dress, and Japanese articles to sell, are the new amusement.

Dreamy young lady in a railway carriage to cheerful and exceedingly healthy-looking young man: "Oh, sir, are you æsthetic?" "No, ma'am; I'm a butcher."

Mr. Beadle's envy: "What a lucky man Jones is!" exclaimed Beadle. "He is an A. B., A. M. and an LL. D., and I see by this card that he is now an R. S. V. P. He's a lucky dog!"

College wit: "Yes," said the school girl who had risen from the lowest to the highest position in her class, "I shall have a horse-shoe for my symbol, as it denotes having come from the foot!"

The latest *chic* is for gentlemen to wear in their shirt-bosoms for evening dress buttons of mother-of-pearl, traversed with solder threads, as if they were sewed on with threads of gold. Sleeve-buttons are similar.

A soft voice in woman always goes with a gentle spirit. A gentleman sitting in a friend's parlor engaged in conversation with him was startled by a noise down stairs, and paused to ask: "What's that—a crash of crockery?" "No; that's only my wife calling to me."

A little girl in Boston calls one of her dolls, a jointless creature, "her woman's right doll." "But why do you call her so?" asked her aunt, a lecturer upon that much-discussed question. "Oh, 'cause Aunt X," the child answered, "she's just like you, she can't ever sit down and be comfortable."

Adele Terchout, a beautiful girl who flashed through Paris in the last year of the Second Empire, under the title of La Comete, with dresses from Worth, portraits by Cabanel, sonnets from Theophile Gautier, offers of marriage from ancient dukes, mansions in the Champs Elysees, equipages, and diamonds, died a week or two since, of a lupus, in a hospital.

Society note: "Miss Diffenback, the accomplished and beautiful cantatrice of West Hill, slapped her mother over the head with the dish-rag last Tuesday evening, because the old lady wouldn't let her go down and sing in a Dutch chorus at the masquerade in Bogus Hollow. Miss Diffenback has the true temper of a lyric artist, and our city will yet be proud of her.

A grand ball: They had a grand ball at Leadville to celebrate Washington's birthday. Over four hundred were present, six barrels of liquor were consumed, and seven men killed at a free fight, which was excellently managed. The whole affair was very recherche, and will be remembered as one of the most delightful social affairs that ever was enjoyed by the best society of Leadville.

Lovely woman: "My wife got mad—terribly mad at me last night," said Rachey, "she threatened to leave me and ... [illegible] ... and, by Jove, I was awfully scared, for I think she meant it. But I had presence of mind. ... [illegible]"

[illegible] ... it ... manage, anyway."

Cupid's twists and turns: "Yes," said old Mr. Rich, "I'm bound my son shall marry old Mr. Wealthy's daughter, and, though they don't like each other, old Wealthy and I have arranged it. We'll make our wills leaving them our property only on condition that they marry, and with codicils giving it to them anyway; these codicils only to be produced after they've tied the knot."

Two country spinsters were stopping at a friend's house in Boston after their return from a scientific lecture. They occupied the same department, and shortly after midnight one of them started up, and, awaking the other, exclaimed in great trepidation: "Betsey, I believe there is a man under the bed!" Betsey merely raised her finger in an admonitory way, and replied: "Don't make a noise then, Jane; you might scare him away."

A sad case: Two loving beings that had plighted their truth some years ago, and were about to be married, are separated forever. They were sitting together one evening, going on about as usual, when she observed to him rather pensively: "Charley, you don't understand anything about hugging; you haven't got the knack of it." "Indeed," he replied in a disheartened tone, "that's very strange, for I've been practising on two or three other girls for several months."

Elocutionary Aspirants.

QUEER PERSONS WHO THINK THEY POSSESS DRAMATIC TALENT.

"There are some queer persons who try to learn elocution," a well-spoken professor said. "It is really surprising to see with what persistence those who are positively disqualified will strive to acquire the declamatory art. Public school education is responsible for a good deal of this. Take a class of college boys; they are almost men, marked. It is obvious that some of them have no aptitude for elocution. Their voices are inadequate; their action is irretrievably bad. Yet the curriculum requires that they should declaim regularly. No amount of natural disqualification relieves them from the duty. The result is that they only furnish sport for their companions, and go through the college course with only a perfunctory performance of this part of their duties. Of course, this is in direct conflict with the most advanced thought on the subject of education. Both common sense and science dictate that it is a waste of time to try to teach some persons some things. Vast sums of money and long periods of time might be saved by refraining from attempts to perform the impossible in teaching.

"But there are some funny instances of persons of more mature years trying to learn elocution. Persons who have had little or no education in school, who can neither read or pronounce, to whom a proper name is an insurmountable obstacle and a word beyond the commonplace, a Rubicon, think they can be fitted to shine in elocution. Those persons always trip up on pronunciation. They make the most ludicrous blunders without the faintest conception why they are laughed at. You may say that we ought not to try to teach such persons. You might as well say that a dry-goods merchant should not sell unbecoming goods. Here is a young fellow who is doing moderately well in business. He goes into company and finds that elocution is all the rage. He sees others brought into prominence by readings and recitations. He thinks that he can make his mark, and he comes to me or some other professor to get instruction. I had a young grocer who took a notion to read Shakespearean pieces. He tripped over every unusual word, he stumbled over every proper name, and he absolutely fell down on the point of memory. It was only by dint of hard hammering that I could get him drilled into one twenty-minute reading. Finally I got tired taking his money, and had to send him away.

"Then I had a fat, fussy little fellow, who took a notion to play Hamlet, with a dramatic association. I told him frankly that his physique was not fit for the character. Imagine the melancholy Dane with a paunch! I had a big butcher once who wanted to play Claude Melnotte. He was better fitted to lug a side of beef than to toy with Pauline. It seemed wrong to take his money, but I was afraid to tell him the truth. I believe the audience cured him at his first and last attempt. But the climax of absurdity was a little bantam fellow, who took a fancy for heavy parts. He wanted to play Coriolanus, or Richard III., or other parts that required voice and action. I never saw him trying one of those characters without thinking of the fable of the toad and ox. His tragedy was always very funny. When I first began teaching I used to try to get these fellows to listen to the truth. I got no thanks for my honesty, and only lost my customers. Now, when any one comes to me to be taught I do the best I can to teach him. I never get tired taking their money as long as they don't get tired paying.

"Some of the toughest customers we have are the young women. They think that if they are healthy and good looking they have a good capital for the stage. As a matter of fact, some of the most successful actresses have not been by any means good-looking women. Charlotte Cushman was by no means handsome, and Sarah Bernhardt has been the butt of ridicule for her lack of what are usually called personal charms. But there are hundreds of young women, with capital to back them who think they can be fitted for the stage in a few lessons. They have no previous education or training. They are trying to read without learning their letters. They can only look pretty. They cannot comprehend why a word may not be pronounced one way as well as another. They take a correction as a personal offense. As for the properties of time, place and circumstance, they know them not. These young women are the bonanzas of professors of elocution. Every season finds them in the field. They get their admirers to hire neglected theatres and give them a chance. They struggle manfully or womanfully with Pauline or Ophelia, or some one of the characters in society plays. Each part requires special teaching. Of course if we should advise them as we know, we should say to them: 'You had better abandon the stage and save your money.' As it is, we merely say: 'Great is Diana of the Ephesians, for by this craft we have our wealth.'

"Other pupils are the infant phenomena. They are the most vexatious. It is well known if a man is tall he tries to appear taller; if a woman has a small foot she tries to make it smaller. So if wealthy persons have a youngster who shows a talent for spouting they try to develop it. It always makes me sad to see a stripling spluttering and struggling with some terrific effect of declamation when he ought to be playing tag or hop scotch. But there would be no use in my telling the parent that. They would only go to some other professor. So I just sing it is to some poor folks that rich folks will spend their money foolishly."

A Bride's Terror.

The following is told by *The Cheyenne Sun*, of recent date:

On the west-bound Union Pacific train on yesterday was a newly-wedded pair, who were as loving and tender as people in that interesting condition of life usually are. They had a section in a sleeping-car and were on a bridal trip to the Pacific coast. Near Sidney a wheel on the sleeper was broken, and the train stopped at that place about an hour to put on a new pair of wheels. Here, during the delay, Mr. Goodwin, who is the bridegroom alluded to, got out to kick up his heels and look around, and while he was absorbing the beauties of nature and some other things about the town, the train, which is one of those things that doesn't wait for time or the "tied," quietly rolled out, leaving Mr. Goodwin, and bearing away his bride. Then there was consternation in Sidney, and on board the Pullman. The bride was in a state bordering on distraction because of her lost liege, and vainly, though frantically, did the groom put in his best locomotion to catch the retreating train. As he and the bride were one, with a very clear case of "a poor eager one on board that was left behind" it was fun to everybody else except the two most deeply interested. Failing to catch the train on foot, he clambered into the cab of a locomotive which happened to be puffing about the place, and [illegible] solicited the engineer, a [illegible] man with a [illegible], saw how it was, and proceeded to obtain proper authority as quickly as possible, and started with Mr. Goodwin on a stern chase after the flying train, that was trying to make up an hour of lost time, and which was provided with a new pair of wheels. Away the extra locomotive sped, on the wings of love and sympathy and steam. Goodwin pulled the engineer and fireman, and helped to shovel coal, and at Antelope, thirty-seven miles away, the wild-eyed, panting husband overtook the bride [illegible] ... had run away with ... [illegible]

[illegible] HOUSE.

IN THE CATACOMBS OF PARIS—[illegible] IN HUMAN BONES—A [illegible] INTO THE DARK, DARK CAVERNS OF DEATH—[illegible] [illegible] JOKES.

[illegible]

Yankees are no match for Frenchmen in practical economy. The Parisians make even their bones pay. They use their own bones. When they are through with them, and they have gone through the formality of a few years' burial, they are dug up, put in the catacombs, and made a show of for visitors. There is always a visitor. Many thousands of strangers a day linger in Paris, and that is where the profit comes in, and is wrung out of these clever people. So the bones of the grand and great grand-parents of the present generation of Frenchmen, [illegible] ... with the rats scuttling through them, are still useful. I went down among those thousands and thousands of dead men and women in company with some three hundred living men and women of all tongues and countries. It was on Thursday—a visiting day. The other "visiting day" is Saturday. The entrance to these tombs is at the Boulevard d'Enfer, or boulevard of Hell, if you want the English of it. [illegible] ... the [illegible] of the swarming three hundred bought a candle. The end of each candle was stuck in a square bit of pasteboard which protected one's dress from the drippings. There were two hundred candles two more [illegible] ... three visitors is [illegible] ... know this, and the French were not going to tell us and spoil the sale of two hundred candles. Having bought the candles we, the three hundred, were in a bare yard partly inclosed by high board fence. We waited at least two hours. Waiting is a [illegible] in Paris. The native population is brought up to wait, and will confidently sit in a street-car a full hour ere it is time to start, and knowing this too—a thing which no American could [illegible] ... after the French drizzling fashion. There was no shelter save umbrellas. Two hundred umbrellas were raised. The three hundred stood under them and longed to see the bones below. The rain ceased. Still we waited, candles in hand. Some bright spirit thought to light his or her candle. There we stood with our three hundred candles burning and three hundred people waiting.

STILL WE WAITED.

The candles burned, flickered, flared, and spluttered. Then some more cautious and economic spirit thought to blow his candle out. All the rest blew their candles out. Why burn the candles in the full light of the day when the dark catacombs were waiting for us all below, full of bones? Another half-hour passed. Conversation went on in English, American, French, Italian, German, Spanish, and Yankee. We waited and wondered, for no one was seen about who seemed in authority over the bones. Then a report was spread among us that something or somebody was coming to do something about it. At this all again lit their candles. But nothing was done. The candles burned dejectedly. Fifteen minutes afterward the economic spirits commenced putting theirs out again. As before, every one else then put theirs out. The candles smoked and smelled vigorously. Thus passed two hours, and not a bone. Suddenly a door at the upper end of the yard was thrown open. The time had come. The three hundred again lit their candles and crowded toward the opened passageway. Here we were strained through one at a time. This unexpected delay caused a congestion of the entrance of men, women, and candles. The nearer one got to the straining point the worse became this congestion, so that we were wedged into a solid mass of humanity-lighted candles. People's arms became caught and fastened in certain positions by the pressure; so were their candles, which blazed, burned, and blackened whatsoever they touched. The candle had no option in the matter, nor did the person who held it, nor did the person burned by it. Emerging from this in single file, some with scorched or greased coats and dresses, we found ourselves in the passageway leading to the hole. Then we went down ninety-two steep stone-steps, and traversed a long passageway underground without meeting any bones. Thus we tramped a long time in single file without seeing a bone. On the rocky ceiling was a

CONTINUOUS BLACK MARK.

This followed would lead to either entrance, and so afford any laggard a sure guidance. Underneath the mud in places was greasy in consistency, tarry in tenacity, and whitish in colour. It was the gypsum mud abounding in Paris. It lumped on our shoes, and gradually overspread our garments, which broke out in irregular white patches.

At last the long-wished-for piles of disjointed skeletons came into view. They were "faced up," with skulls and the larger bones in front, as regularly as a pile of bricks. But behind all was osseous confusion. Rib-bones and skulls, tibias and fibulas, backbone joints and breast bones, bits of skulls with moldy hair attached, leg bones and arm bones, all piled together by the ton, by the million, all of the dull, rusty colour which bones assume in damp places. Here were skulls once covered by the *bonnet rouge*. Here were fleshless jaws which had howled at Louis XVI., and roared the first Marseillaise; rib of aristocrat, leg of *canaille*, arm of beauty, foot of fish woman, and all the interstices filled with the little feet and finger bones of the thousands of the past and forgotten Jeans and Jacques, Jeanettes, Josephines, Paulines, Blanches, and Louises, who lived and suffered and sinned and enjoyed and died generations ago—all flung here, a horrible kaleidoscope mass of

DISJOINTED SKELETONS

like the rusty wheels and springs of 10,000 old clocks piled in a heap. These heaps were dated 1792, 1806 and 1814, and upward. The inscriptions over the various piles were in some cases from scripture, in others from Rousseau and other writers. The older the sepulture the more frequent and voluminous the epitaphs. For the present, they seemed content without a line. Perhaps they deem that bones now carry their own sermon. A man ahead of me busied himself with pulling out the teeth of every skull he could reach. He may have been a dentist after new stock. We passed vacant spaces between the heaps of bones which yawned into horrible darkness and were barred with chains to prevent live idiots from straying away into them. A young German did his best to lose himself in these forbidden spots. He would turn aside, go as far as he could, until his progress was arrested, then lean over the chain and howl. Others of the party at times howled and shouted. There is a species of man that always does this in strange places. It seems their only means of expression. Another visitor tapped every skull within reach with his stick. Many of the women laughed and [illegible] ... what remained of human beings. And why not laugh? Why all this conventional solemnity in the presence of the cast-off mechanisms of men and women? Looked at in the light of a chemical anatomical sentiment, there is no occasion for depression. It is only a mass of phosphate of lime, and put in its proper place would insure a good crop of wheat or vegetables.

I noticed that many of the skulls were pierced with holes either about the forehead or temples. I thought these might be

BULLET PIERCED SKULLS,

the mementoes of barricades and street fights. Then it occurred to me that the holes had been made by the sharp pick-points while they were being disinterred, and all the battle romance was taken away. Because the poorer Frenchman only holds his six feet two of earth for a few years when he is dug up to make room for another to go through the decomposing process. It's a sad thought, and a sad sight, too, to see these temporary resting places of the dead. Over the remains of husband or child the may, for a few years, be seen Sunday after Sunday caring for the few flowers she has planted. But the slender purse may only afford a five-years' grave, and that time expired the workmen tears away the slender, humble wooden paling, [illegible] ... little wooden cross, and roots up the flowers. The bones are dug up and added to those nameless piles before us, to become a show and even jest for visitors. The grave receives another occupant, and another mourner plants flowers upon and hangs immortelles over it. All about poverty's burying grounds of Paris may be seen idly [illegible] the little toys in plaster of [illegible] ... placed by ... [illegible] ... over the bones of those now exhumed children. The immortelles, swept away from graves where ... [illegible] ... in the catacomb, lie in great heaps on the borders of these cemeteries, and the little plaster or china toy which covered the temporary grave of infancy is tossed about on every side, as well as the temporary wooden crosses ... [illegible]

[illegible] ... known the size and history of it [illegible] ... and each of [illegible] ... we are [illegible] ...

The fronts of these bone piles are ornamented with fancy work in bones. The designs in skulls, leg bones and thigh bones are wired together. ... [illegible] ... of me kept saying, "How pretty!" ... French People ... [illegible] ... his taste. I couldn't admire it.

[illegible] WORK IN SKULLS.

[illegible] ... suggest Dahomey and a savage cannibalistic taste in the fine arts. However, it doesn't hurt the bones, and perhaps the coming man will be so hard-hearted by continuous applications of science and reason that he will trim his parlor with the polished skulls of generations of ancestors. We came to a spring in a larger vaulted room. The water was clear and limpid, but no one drank. Through too much [illegible] ... [illegible] ... brandy and [illegible] ... dry. I do not think that the sight of so many bones conduces to a total abstinence practice. Though the [illegible] ... the desire for spirits does not always fly from the living. I confess this is a ghastly joke. But it was born there in the catacombs. By this time we were tired of bones and wished only to reach the other end of the tombs. Bones had ceased to [illegible] ... One heap was as good as forty. The crazy, howling young German had been [illegible] ... got lost, and issued howls with less fervor. The dentist's pockets were, I believe, half full of teeth, and the skull-tapper with the cane seemed to have satisfied himself that they were all empty. The awe and terror of the ladies had partly given way to a sense of vexation as the blotches of white mud continued to break out on their gowns and its paste to incumber their thin shoes.

In France it is supposed that a fee must come in somewhere during the course of a free show. So, as the long line of 300 in single file neared the other side of the catacombs and those at the head

FIRST SAW THE GLIMMER OF DAY.

struggling down the stairway, they put their hands in their pockets and rattled the sous there, expecting that the inevitable official would appear somewhere and hint at his expected gratuity. Those in the rear, hearing the rattling, guessed at its meaning and dived down into their pockets and likewise rattled, and thus this thought and consequent rattling of coppers went along from one to another down the long line of three hundred until the very last man fell before it, just as the extreme brick in the row is the last to fall when the first is tipped over. Strange to say, no fee taker appeared. The bones were genuinely gratuitous. All the pennies went back to the pockets again. All expected of us were our half, or rather quarter-burned candles. These were flung in a heap, and became somebody's perquisites. Three hundred quarter-burned candles make a very creditable accumulation of tallows, and are probably sold over again to the next visitors. It was interesting when one had emerged to wait and see our companions as they came out of the dark hole. They blinked like owls. As the light struck their eyes their faces assumed a dazed, imbecile sort of expression. After recovering vision, their next regards were fastened at the white mud stains on their clothes. As the full extent of the damage dawned upon them, and on turning their heads over their shoulders they found their respective rears to be even in a worse condition than the front, they swore in various tongues.

Modern Witchcraft

HOW A DESIGNING SCOUNDREL TOOK ADVANTAGE OF A SUPERSTITIOUS FAMILY.

(Buffalo Courier)

Two years ago the family of Michael Bender, consisting of himself, his wife, and three daughters, who reside in the town of Clarence, become the victims of an unfortunate hallucination. They believed they had been bewitched by a highly respectable family in the neighborhood, the oldest of five daughters belonging thereto being accredited with having originated the evil spell. If one of the Benders was ill, if the live stock on the farm took sick, strayed away, or were injured, or if there was any occurrence of an unpleasant nature it was attributed to the witches. There also lived in the town a decrepid German, 65 years of age, named Benedict Smith, who claimed the power of curing disease by incantation or the pronouncing of cabalistic words, as well as the ability to neutralize and prevent the doings of evil spirits which might endanger the life, health, liberty and happiness of mankind. To him the Benders applied to have the witches which besieged them and their house exorcised, and in response he went through certain forms whereby he claimed to rid them of the annoyances to which they believed themselves subjected. They were all very superstitious and had frequent recourse to Smith for this kind of relief, so that he became a regular visitor to the family in order to carry on his performances in an effectual manner. Finally some of the neighbors, being more observing than others, discovered that Mrs. Bender and her daughters, the youngest only 17 years of age, were accustomed to visit Smith's house, and that to avoid being seen, as they hoped, they made their way stealthily through a strip of woods to the hovel in which he lived. He had been cunning enough to take advantage of their ignorance and idle fancies, and had so worked upon their feelings that he had them completely under his control. They were always ready to do whatever he might ask of them, and what has recently transpired concerning the mysterious visits makes up a starting and revolting story, which stamps Smith as a consummate scoundrel. The neighborhood is excited, and were it not for the fact that he has been safely lodged behind the bars of the country jail, he would stand a fair chance of being summarily dealt with.

Last Saturday Smith made his appearance before Mr. Samuel Freeman, Justice of the peace, accompanied by Katie Bender, the youngest of the family, and stated that they desired to be made man and wife; that she was in a delicate condition, for which he believed himself to be responsible, and that he was desirous to shield her honor and legitimatize their prospective offspring. Nevertheless the scoundrel knew he had on the 17th of september, 1877, married Josephine Johnson, who subsequently deserted him and is still living. Justice Freeman, however, performed the ceremony. When the particulars of the marriage became generally known the indignation of the people was very great and a warrant was sworn for Smith arrest. He was taken into custody that evening and Justice Freeman committed him to await the action of the grand jury. On Monday the prisoner was brought to Buffalo and given into custody of Jailer Tucker. The girl has confessed that when she and her sisters and mother visited Smith at his home they did so for the purpose of being treated for ill health. The treatment given them was certainly peculiar. The old man would procure a tub of scalding hot water, and he and the women would assume the most primitive of costumes. One would wrap herself in a sheet, and while seated over the tub receiving a steam bath, the others would dance about her in a fantastic manner, chanting a weird song. Each one of the women took a bath after this fashion, and all fell a prey to the designs of their "doctor." Katie believes that as a consequence there is a possibility of her mother and sisters being in a condition equally as critical as her own.

Smith is a blear-eyed, disgusting specimen of humanity, whose body is bent and palsied with age.

During the past twelve years the population of the city of Toronto, where the International Sunday School Convention is to be held, has increased fifty-two per cent. The total population, including the suburban villages outside the city limits, closely approaches 90,000. Toronto has every prospect of outstripping her eastern rival, Montreal, and is rapidly becoming one of the leading cities on the Western Continent. For people with means who wish to settle in a flourishing and progressive city, it is held up by Londoners as a most desirable place, possessing good society, the excellent educational advantages afforded by the Divinity colleges, universities, and public and private schools, healthy climate, and easy access to the best sporting grounds in the province. So says the *New York Sun*.

A statement has recently been made by the Adjutant-General ... [illegible]

[illegible] ... little birds collect in the trees in crowds, and when a flock of pigeons come sweeping over they make a rush for them in a body and take right hold, tooth and nail, and so the pigeons swoop down to get out of the way, they are literally chased out of the Park.

In the pigeon case in the museum are some of the bones of that [illegible] ... unlimited bird

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the giant of pigeons, being the only specimen in this country. Two hundred and fifty years ago they were found in the Mauritius Islands in great quantities. It was a curious bird, as large as a swan. The bill in the case is not unpigeon-like, though one hundred times the size of its modern representative. They were sluggish birds, unable to fly, and laid a single egg about the size of a turkey's. Bontius, an old Dutch writer at the period, gives the following quaint account of them: "The dronte, or dodders, is, for bigness, of mean size between an ostrich and a turkey, from which it partly differs in shape and partly agrees with them, especially with the African ostriches, if you consider the rump, quills, and feathers, so that it was like a pigmy among them, if you regard shortness of legs. It hath a great ill-favored head, with a kind of membrane resembling a hood; great black eyes; a bending, prominent, fat neck; an extraordinary, long, strong, blue-white bill, only the ends of each mandible are a different color—that of the upper black, that of the nether yellowish—both sharp pointed and crooked; its gape huge, wide, as being naturally voracious. Its body is fat and round, covered with soft, gray feathers, after the manner of an ostrich's on each side. Instead of hard wing feathers, or quills, it is furnished with small soft-feathered wings of a yellowish ash color, and behind, the rump, instead of a tail, is adorned with five small curled feathers of the same color. Four toes on each foot—solid, long, as it were, really armed with strong black claws." They at one time were so plentiful that they were killed for the stones that were found in their stomachs, and on which the sailors sharpened their knives.

ANOTHER QUEER PIGEON

that lived at that time, and which is now extinct, is the solitaire. It was found on the island of Rodriguez. It was larger than a turkey, and in general respects resembled the dodo. Another was the Nazarene, that was twice as large as the dodo. But the most remarkable was the didunculus, a living relative, and closely allied to the dodo. The bird was rather larger than our common partridge, and possessed the curious naked skin surrounding the eyes which characterized its ancestor.

One of the finest of the thirty or more different species of pigeons is the Oceanic fruit bird of the Pelen Islands. There they are found in thousands, feeding on nutmegs. They become very fat, and the fat, which has a strong flavor of the nutmeg, is considered a great dainty by many. It is said that they grow so fat that when shot they fall on the ground, and are shattered to pieces by the fall. Not only are they valuable as a means of subsistence, but they seem to have been appointed to help carve out the laws of nature. It is a well-known fact that the nutmeg has to pass through some chemical process before it will grow, and in the stomach of these birds the nutmeg is prepared for reproduction.

Among this family of birds

THE PASSENGER PIGEON,

is one of the most wonderful. Wilson's description of their camping grounds is: "As soon as the young were fully grown, and before they left their nests, numerous parties of the inhabitants from all parts of the country came with waggons, oxen, beds, cooking utensils, many of them accompanied by the greater part of their families, and encamped for several days at this immense nursery. Several of them informed me that the noise in the woods was so great as to terrify their horses, and that it was difficult for one person to hear another person speak without bawling in his ear. The ground was strewn with branches, broken limbs, eggs, and young squab pigeons which had been precipitated from above, and on which herds of hogs were fattening. Hawks, buzzards, and eagles were sailing about in great numbers, and seizing the squabs from their nests at pleasure, while from twenty feet upward to the top of the trees the view through the trees presented a perpetual tumult of crowding and fluttering multitudes of pigeons, their wings roaring like thunder, mingled with the frequent crash of falling trees." It is utterly impossible to estimate the numbers that congregate together. On some trees more than three hundred nests were found, and the branches were continually falling, owing to the weight of the old birds. The amount consumed by a flock of these birds is wonderful. Wilson calculates that, taking the breadth of a column of pigeons he saw to be only one mile, its length to be 250 miles, and to contain only three pigeons in each square yard (taking no account of the several strings of birds one above the other), and that each bird consumes half a pint of food daily, all of which assumptions are below the actual amount, the quantity of food consumed in a day would be 17,000,000 bushels. Supposing this column to be

ONE MILE IN BREADTH,

and flying at the rate of one mile a minute for four hours, and supposing that each square yard contains three pigeons, the square yards in the whole space, multiplied by three, would give 2,230,000 birds! In the Kentucky country, where they are mostly found, they appear suddenly, darkening the sky so completely that all work and labor is given up until they have passed. The air is literally filled with pigeons, and in some places mortars are used to bring down hundreds at one discharge. Their rapidity of flight is wonderful.

The wood doves or ring pigeons are better known in France than elsewhere. Our domestic pigeon is only a modification of the blue rock pigeon, and this is proved by the fact that if the domestic and blue or wild rock is allowed to breed the young will in many cases resemble the wild rock, with its plain plumage and barred wings. The domestic pigeons are divided into two classes, the colombrio and the aviary pigeons. The former are almost wild, and the latter are those with which we are so familiar.

The question how

CARRIER PIGEONS,

find their way home is probably one never to be determined. Some writers assert that the birds are guided by land-marks, and give as proof, that when the ground is covered with snow the birds are confused, and others say that they are influenced by some magnetic or electric current, and on this point it is noticed that birds either fly east or west, north or south, and when started rise at a great height, and for a minute hesitate, and then by unknown instinct they dart off in the right direction. The exact date of their utilization is not known, but as far as we know, Noah had the honor of having first pressed into service our feathered friends. Pliny says that these birds were used by Bruno and Hirtius during the seige of a town by Marc Antony. In 1574, at the seige of Leyden, they were used by the Prince of Orange, and by their means he succeeded in [illegible] ... beseiged. To show his gratitude he ordered that the sagacious birds should be fed on strawberries, and when dead that they should be embalmed with all honors. In Pliny's time navigators from Cyprus and Egypt carried these birds on their galleys, and on their safe arrival liberated them to convey the good news to their families. Of the different kinds of carrier pigeons the Belgian bird is preferred. It has a short beak, large round head, and broad shoulders. The fancy carrier, with large wattles on the beak, is often used, but is vastly inferior to the former.

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[illegible] ... these eyes, and [illegible] ... Such arts and sciences as these have no high-sounding names ending in "-ology," or familiar brave termination, which invariably, or at least very frequently, marks the

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They are, we must confess, somewhat plebeian or vulgar, though it is difficult too to see just how that can be, as they are greatly practised by many who consider themselves the very "salt" of the fashionable world. Now, for example, to take that very ordinary occupation of riding in a carriage, and by this we will understand in the meanwhile, riding in any sort of a conveyance whatever. For the same remarks will in great measure apply to the nobleman's coach and four, and to the butcher's cart and horse. Man is assuredly a "riding" animal, no less certainly than he is a "clothes-wearing" animal, or an animal marked by any other more or less prominent characteristics. Whether it be merely from the inspiriting sensation which springs from experience of a motion more rapid by far than any to which we can hope to aspire by the unaided appliances of nature, or from the feeling, however momentary and in other respects even disappointing, of being raised above the "madding crowd's" ignoble strife, certain it is that mankind everywhere and always have been extremely fond of riding, unless indeed we except that form of locomotion usually called "riding on a rail," which has not yet become so popular as it might be. Yet who knows that this very means of transit may not become in the highest degree fashionable, when the progress of time and the rapid advance of civilization have brought the more usual contrivances within reach even of the vulgar. Fashion consisting largely in a

CEASELESS STRIVING AFTER.

What the fewest can have, or care to have, we wonder that this very simple expedient has never occurred to anyone. Now has anybody, we wonder, watched with the eye of a philosopher, the processes of getting out of and entering a carriage, and the still more difficult and intricate process of sitting there, without feeling that there is here an "art," and, in some of its manifestations at anyrate, a very "fine" one? And by no means a simple one either, as any person may convince himself in five minutes by trying to adopt that easy, graceful lounge in the corner of a carriage seat, that apparently artless and natural, taking of one's wholly deserved ease, which can only come by long and assiduous practice. "Mind" must be bestowed on this as on every other art, or no excellence can be attained therein. That seraphic loll beneath the robes and wrappings, that calm survey of all things here terrestrial, is no effort of pure unaided genius, but the reward of labour and much hard toil. And indeed to the thinking mind it will readily appear that to look up from the depths or down from the heights of a carriage on the laboured motions of more sluggish and peripatetic humanity, with the proper admixture and commingling of urbane generosity and loftiness of demeanour is not by any means an easy thing, and that any one who attains that height of perfection is worthy of great regard and commendation. Being an art that requires extensive and all-engrossing attention, it will be found in all likelihood to be brought to the highest state of perfection by members of the female persuasion, as these have in general more unoccupied time on their hands than their sterner companions, as also a more intimate and accurate regard for all external aids to dignity and virtue, likewise to beauty. Some of the sex make a practice of using the eyeglass to assist their surveys. This instrument it will be found is largely used when the vehicle has been brought to a standstill, and there is reason at once for examining the world of mankind from a height, even though that height be a comparative mole-hill, and of keeping up the requisite degree of self-possession. We cannot recommend this practice, however. It is striking, no doubt, and sure to make

WALKERS FEEL THEIR INFERIORITY,

if anything will, but there is something mechanical about it. Nothing to the bold supercilious glance of the naked eye. Much might be said as to the genesis of this art, if time and space permitted, but enough has already been advanced to cause the intelligent readers of Truth to think for themselves. It is an ancestral habit in all likelihood, and has been "developed" from a very lowly stage. The very earliest germ of this carriage-riding propensity in mankind is doubtless the sensations experienced by one of our protoplasmic ancestors when he found himself undergoing some rocking motion, whether on a blade of grass or elsewhere. The same feeling of complacency which is frequently manifest in the countenance of him or her who rides in a carriage, is visible also not seldom in the face of him whom we are taught to regard as another of our ancestors—the monkey—namely, when swinging on the branch of a tree. But all such profound speculations as to the genesis and developement of this interesting phenomenon must be kept for another issue at anyrate.

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

In a battle of the elements, they generally get the drop on us.

We are oftener more cruelly robbed by those who steal into our hearts than by those who break into our houses.

All great things are done little by little. Atoms make worlds. The greatest fortunes consist of farthings. Life is made up of moments.

The effusions of genius, or rather the manifestations of what is called talent, are often the effects of distempered nerves and complexional spleen, as pearls are morbid secretions.

Poverty has, in large cities, very different appearances. It is often concealed in splendour, and often in extravagance. It is the care of a great part of mankind to conceal their indigence from the rest. They support themselves by temporary expedients, and every day is lost in contriving for to-morrow.

The pursuit of truth in its countless variety of forms is one of the great aims of life. All desire it in some measure, and the degree to which the love of truth triumphs over appetite, passion, and inferior desires, determines the character of the man. Besides this, all human interests are involved in and dependent upon it.

A Batch of Spanish Proverbs.—It is easy to undertake, but more difficult to finish a thing. This term is equally applicable to all ranks—Whoever is ignorant is vulgar. By the street of By-and-by one arrives at the house of Never. Between the "Yes" and "No" of a woman man should not undertake to thrust the point of a pin. Patience and shuffle the cards. A soldier had better smell of gunpowder than musk. Other men's pains are easily borne. A bad cloak often covers a good drinker. Pray devoutly and hammer on stoutly. When a thing is once begun, it is almost half finished. Lay a bridge of silver for a flying enemy.

[illegible] ... as a fact that life prisoners are [illegible] ... the [illegible] ... they may seem to be, they have no [illegible] ... an attempt is being made to amend the penal code of California by having life sentences commuted upon the life insurance tables, and permitting the discharge of a prisoner after the term he was likely to live, when sentenced, has expired.

The crest emblazoned on a San Francisco millionaire's carriage, a rising sun, is considered appropriate, because he has risen from [illegible] ... and his wife from domestic service.

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[illegible] ... ly wonder, I think, that the ancients sought in every way to win her approbation.

[illegible] ... they said, in no beautiful palace, but in hollow mountain caves, apart from men, where she fostered and cherished the souls of those little children who had died an early death. There, in her kingdom under the earth, she plowed the ground with her plow, the little souls working with her the while, it being their part to water the fields.

The most beautiful tradition connected with this heathen goddess is that known as the "Legend of the Pitcher of Tears." Full as this legend is of contradictory ideas, it shows the grief that mothers feel when their little ones die, and how the hope of one day meeting them again helps them to bear long and sorrowful years of loneliness.

Lady Bertha was once passing with her little train down a green and lovely meadow-land, across whose length ran a wall to mark some boundry line. One by one, the children bravely clambered over the wall, but the last little one, who bore in her arms a heavy pitcher, in vain tried to follow her sisters.

A woman who had lost her child by death a short time before, was standing near, and immediately recognized the darling for whom she had been weeping so many days and nights.

Rushing forward, she clasped the child to her breast. Then the little one said: "Ah! How warm is mother's arm! But I pray thee, weep not so bitterly, else my pitcher will become heavier than I can bear! See, dear mother, how all thy tears fall into my pitcher, and how they have already wet my robe. But Lady Bertha, who kisses me and loves me tenderly, says that thou, too, shalt come to her one day, and that we shall then dwell togther in the beautiful gardens under the mountain for ever and ever.

And so, the legend tells us, the mother wept no more, but let her darling go, while from that hour she was resigned and patient, her heavy heart finding comfort in the thoughts of that happy meeting, in the "beautiful gardens under the mountain," that was sure to come.

Later, Lady Bertha had also the oversight of all spinners. On the last day of the year, which was sacred to her, and which used to be called "Punchentag" in German before the Christian rechristened it "Sylvestentag," it is said if she found any flax on the distaff she spoiled it, and in order to win her entire approval, her festival-day had to be observed with meagre fare—oatmeal porridge, or pottage and fish. Indeed, a most terrible punishment awaited all who ventured to eat anything else on that day. Lady Bertha, you see, could be very severe when she was displeased; the slightest sign of disrespect to herself was always promptly resented by this shadowy lady.

As time went on, paganism gave place to Christianity in the German fatherland, and Frau Bertha descended from her high estate of goddess, becoming little more than a terror and a bugbear to frighten children, who, by this time, were taught to think of her as a hideous being with a long iron nose and a remarkably long foot.

In France, too, the long foot played a prominent part, for the traditions of Lady Bertha are by no means confined to Germany alone. As the story goes, King Pepin fought in combat for the hand of a very beautiful maiden and accomplished spinner, Bertrada, the daughter of a Hungarian king. King Pepin having won the day and covered himself with honor, the prize was declared to be his, and the beautiful maiden, accompanied by a large suite, was sent by her father to be queen over France, while the fame of the fair lady's beauty travelled even faster than she herself. This was not strange, however, for excepting the drawback of one deformed foot, her beauty was wondrous indeed.

But it happened that a certain wicked lady of honor was not at all pleased with the choice King Pepin had made, and which she [illegible] her own ambition; so, quietly bribing some men as wicked as herself, to carry off the Lady Bertrada and slay her in the woods, she put in her place her own hideous and hateful daughter.

The fraud, you may be sure, was soon discovered, and the false queen instantly put to death by command of the royal and wrathful bridegroom.

Late one evening, when the king was riding through the woods after a long day's hunt, he came out on the banks of the river Main, in which he found a maiden diligently spinning in the pale moonlight. She was extremely beautiful, and her feet were remarkably long. Then the king gave a cry of joy, for he knew he had found the real Bertrada, alive, after all; and happy once more, he carried home to his castle his lost bride.

This Bertrada, or Bertha, was the mother of the great and famous Emperor Charlemagne, and in some [illegible] ... you will find on the walls of many French churches quaint pictures of ancient queens perfect excepting one deformed foot.

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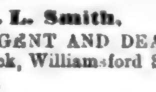

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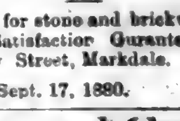
HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds on hand.
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-ly

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
MARKDALE.
Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.
Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
WM. LUCAS & Co.
September, 1880. 2-y

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.
Next to Hackett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
... I MEAN BUSINESS, ...
Sell Lower than the Lowest
...

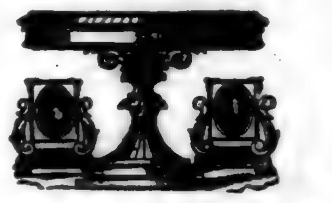
John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROWS AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Mill streets,
FLESHERTON.
To my Patrons.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor,
FLESHERTON.
Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.
Cutting done while customers are waiting.
A Good-Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

R. J. McCOY,
Agent for the following Implements, &c.:
The Massey
MOWER,
HARVESTER, and celebrated
HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)
Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,
DICK'S
ALTON PLOUGHS.
ALL KINDS OF
Fittings and Repairs
Kept constantly on hand,
SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS
FOR SALE, CHEAP.
Licensed AUCTIONEER
FOR THE COUNTY.
Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.
Charges Moderate.
R. J. McCOY
Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 27-m3

GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE.



Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

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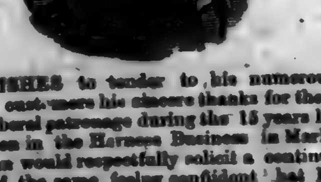

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he will give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, ... 1880. 1a

Organ for Sale.
A FIVE OCTAVE ORGAN, nearly new, one of Clough & Warren's (New York) ... Instruments. Cost ... will be sold at a great reduction on above price.
A. W. EATON.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-2f

Public Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots ... on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established. ...

THE PRESS AND THE PLOW.

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To cheer our labourer's hearth.

We sing the honor of the Plow,
And honor of the Press—
Two noble instruments of toil,
Each with a power to bless.
The bone, the nerve of this fact age.
True wealth of human kind;
One tills the ever faithful earth,
The other tills the mind.

SABBATH SCHOOL MUSIC.

ADDRESS TO THE SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION, HELD IN MOUNT FOREST ON THE FIRST DAY OF MARCH, BY THE REV. D. M'LEOD, B. A., OF PRICEVILLE.

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen:—

I have been appointed to address you on this subject by your committee without my knowledge or consent. I made enquiries why they hit upon me, and was surprised to learn that it was because I was an old piper. It appears, then that the love for the Great War Pipes of Scotland is so deep rooted in the committee as to influence them much in their decision on the question of Sabbath School Music. While the subject is a very interesting one, is is difficult. To prepare reading matter for the young is acknowledged to be no easy task.

Doubtless, much is writen intended as reading and music for children, which is stamped with the character of

"Hi! diddle diddle,
The cat and the fiddle.
The cow jumped over the moon."

If it was intended that this state of things should continue, the committee would have selected to address on this subject one of the old fiddlers around me. But, it seems a change is desirable, and therefore' they have chosen a Highlander from a Highland congregation, taking as his model the musical instrument of the Highlanders Let us see then, what are the peculiarities of Pipe Music, and we will find what is required in our Sabbath School music,

1st.—It is simple.
2nd.—It is of convenient compass.
3rd.—It is appropriate.
4th.—It is instructive.

1. SIMPLICITY.—It is possible to make a chanter from an oat straw, upon which may be played, with accuracy, the most intricate tune within the whole range of pipe music. It is not, then, too much to ask that tunes intended for so delicate and immature an instrument as that formed by the vocal organs of a child, should be so simple that they might be sung with ease. Many tunes of such a character are to be found in the Hymn Book (Gall & Inglis) which we chiefly use, and are deservedly popular. Take for example the tune set to the words

"Jesus lover of my soul;"

Its simplicity puts it within the reach of young and old.

Many tunes, however, in this same hymn book are far from being simple: for example, the tune to the words—

"Around the throne of God in heaven
Ten thousand children stand."

In music for children the gradation from one note to the next should be easy. The time should be simple,—without demisemiquavers. Slurring—this grand sliding up and down the scale, in which professionals are expected to excel—should be avoided as much as possible. It follows, if music is to be easy.

(2) IT MUST BE WITHIN CONVENIENT COMPASS.—This is the second peculiarity which I noticed in pipe music. It is only possible to produce nine tones upon the chanter. This is one tone more than I would like to require from any ordinary child. Nothing is more hurtful to the vocal organs than to force them to strike notes which are too high or too low. Besides, singing must be disagreeable, when these organs are strained and pained. However, if we teach our children to sing let the music be of such a character that it may be performed without constraint, and without danger of injury to the frail structure which produces the voice. If we force a child to sing tunes of too high a pitch, the voice may cease to be musical, and become broken and squeaking. The first tune above mentioned is a good example of one within convenient compass. The other is fault in this respect, embracing one note more than can be played on the pipes. It goes both too high and too low.

It is plain that if a tune should be suited for the voice for which it is intended, it should also be ap-[illegible]

What kind of tunes did he give them?

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Nobody upon hearing

"Hornpipes, jigs, strathspeys and reels,"

Could mistake them to be intended for anything else than dancing and merry-making.

Equally appropriate for the regular tramp of an armed force are all such tunes as,

"The March of the Cameron men."
"The Campbells are coming."

And

"The bonnaid bhoag bhiorach
Air Alasdair Gorm."

The marches and kindred music of the Highlands are acknowledged to be the most warlike; and some have, therefore, supposed that the pipes are only suited for military purposes. Nothing could be more erroneous. We have already noticed that the prince of dancers selected them for his grand ball. Although it was held in a church, in defiance to all sanctity, he did not use the organ.

There is a great deal of pipe music well suited for the domestic circle. Such a tune as the "Taladh," or "Nurse's Song," well played upon the pipes, would have a far happier effect upon the baby than a dose of Soothing Syrup. His sleep would come sooner and be more refreshing

But their is another class of music for which the pipes are singularly adapted and that is the

LAMENT.—These were usually played at funerals. On the death of a hero, or chieftain, the very instrument that instilled his brave spirit into his followers, and inspired them to deeds of valour, during his life, gave full and true expression to their sorrow and deep grief, when they were bearing his remains to their last resting place. Sir Walter Scott mentions one of these tunes which is said to have been played before leaving home for the battle field by the McLeod's piper, McCrimmon, who had the presentiment that he never would return:—

Cha till, cha till, cha till mi tuilleadh,
Gad thilleadh Mac Leoid
Cha bheo Mac Criommoin.
Mo dhith, mo dhith, gun tri lamhan,
Da laimh's a phiob,
Is lamh's a chlaidheamh.

For this clas of music the pipes have a peculiar *minor* wail which thrills the soul and moves the breast. This same *minor* peculiarity which, when properly managed, thrills and moves the stoutest heart—with mournful sympathy, is equally well adapted to soothe and console the sorrow stricken and bereaved widow—and to lull to sleep the restless babe.

All will agree however, that a tune which is intended for a wedding should not be played at a funeral. A story is told of a young man who thought himself a piper. In the course of time his mother died. He undertook to play the *Lament*. The day of the funeral the solemn procession was formed. The women sat around with their shoulders rocking mournfully from side to side, according to custom; and many an

"Och,a's och, 's mo run a bhean,"

gave vent to theartfelt grief. Sandy blew up his pipes. He found them very hard "to tune." He screwed the drones up and down to get them to sound in harmony with the chanter. Success at last crowned his efforts, and he strikes out with the tune—

"Mo ghala chas thu
Mo ghala chas thu
Mo ghala chas 'as a fhraoch thu."

Then, waving his bonnet over his head, he shouts in triumph

"Sudie ghillean, fhuair mi leamel"

This instance shows that a would be musician may disguest and confound a whole assembly by giving music inappropriate to the occasion.

But what has all this to do with Sabbath School Music? Nothing, unless we learn something from the example of the Highland composers. If pipe music is always appropriate for the purpose for which it was intended, so should Sabbath School Music be. Surely, what is intend for the praise of God should receive as much care as what is designed for mere amusement, or some worldly object.

A child who is endowed with an ear for music, is also endowed with taste to distinguish what is appropriate from what is irrelevant or vicious.

And if his ear or taste is not improved by the tunes we teach him, it must be impaired. There are many beautiful tunes with suitable words given in our Hymn Book. Indeed the compliers have been very successful in keeping within the requirements of the Sabbath School tunes. For example the tune to the words

"One there is above all others,
O, how He loves

Beauty and simplicity, and purity of thought and sentiment, and expression, are generally combined. Tunes and hymns, partaking of the these virtues, should be taught and sung in our schools.

The very opposite qualities, however, are not unfrequently found in music and hymns intended for the "Nursery of the Church." Sometimes the beauty of the tune carries along the words with it, and gives them a popularity of which they are not worthy; sometimes the words bear the tune along; but there are others which seem to have nothing to recommend them unless it be ridiculousness. They are not fit even for Street whistling. We can imagine a Sabbath School singing the hymn beginning with the words—

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pass fit a sing dance, others for the dance of witches in *Kirk Alloway*; and some are often set to words which are made to give expression to things unscriptural, nonsensical and impossible, then all this jargon is mixed up with solemn and important truths. Nothing absurd and impossible can be poetical. Where then is the poetry in

"Ring the bells of Heaven!"

The tune set to the words—

"Whosoever heareth, shout, shout the sound,

is better calculated to move the "light fantastic toe" than the devotional feelings.

There is another good popular tune which is made to carry along with it words whose sentiment is heathenish,

We are waiting by the river,
We are watching on the shore,
Only waiting for the boatman,
Soon he'll come to bear us o'er, &c.

The above seems to be borrowed from Virgil's description of the Styx, which, according to heathen mythology, encircled the lower world seven times, and on its shores the souls of the departed waited their turn for the boatman Charon to ferry them across the livid waters, in his dusky boat. The souls of those whose bodies were not duly buried, were not allowed to cross for 100 years. The river has done good service for the Church of Rome, and its name is preserved in her Catechism for children. But surely it is time that all reference to it was banished from books intended for the devotional service of the young in the Presbyterian Churches.

In another very popular hymn the poor "Sailor" on life's rough sea is toldin most enlivening strains that he is "Safe in the Life boat"; and he is encouraged, or rather commanded, to "pull for the shore." He must

"Heed not the rölling waves,
But bend to the oar."

But then all at once he is to

"Leave the poor old stranded wreck,
And cling to self no more."

Still he is to "pull for the shore" all the same. No wonder the poor sailor would be confused and confounded with such instruction. Virgil had the good sense to provide a ferry-man (furnished with a paddle) and a boat for the passengers; but our author would seem to deprive them of a boat and ferryman, and their own entity besides, and to leave nothing but "the oar" to "pull for the shore," and reach the other side of the "foaming billows." Such music is not edifying; it is confusing and in appropriate. The words and the music should be suited to one another, and both should be appropriate for the worship of God—the purpose for which they are intended.

The next peculiarity of our chosen instrument, is—

(4) IT IS INSTRUCTIVE.—Upon it the competent performer can express his every feeling. The silver-sounding strains, and the murmuring warblings of the Pipes of Old Scotia, have been instrumental in training a nation in deeds of bravery and valor, and also in acts of sympathy and love. Now, if our music, whether intenned for young or old, fails to lead us to one or all of these virtues, it fails in everything. The æsthetic in us, our taste for the beautiful, the sublime, and the grand—needs to be drawn out, cultivated and refined. For this purpose music is invaluable. Sabbath School music should be such as is calculated to give vent and expression to the feelings of reverence gratitude, joyfulness, humility and love, which the children are taught to entertain in the presence of HIM who knows the heart.

There is one kind of music which is too much neglected both in Sabbath Schools and congregations—namely, music in the *minor* mode. Many, even of those who are in the choirs, regard all *minor* music as hateful. Its hatefulness to them arises from one, or all, of three causes:—First—it is somewhat difficult, and they dislike the labor of acquiring a knowledge of it; Secondly—they lack the proper training to practice it successfully, thirdly; their want of cultivated taste. No music is sweeter, or more expressive of feeling than that in the *minor* mode. We should practice more of it in our schools, in our churches, and our homes.

In conclusion, allow me to say that our Sabbath School music should not be boisterous. The wild, rude nature will find sufficient opportunity for development outside of the class room. Let our music be such as is calculated to suppress vicious emotions, and to elevate and strengthen the nobler feelings and aspirations. Then will the remembrance of our Sabbath School music continue to send a cheering gleam all along the pathway of life, until the pearly gate opens to a briter glory.

BETWEEN 7 and 8 o'clock on Monday morning Mr. Nathan Merrick, of Thornbury, was striken down almost instantly by heart disease. He was at the time having a pleasant chat with Mr. Wm. McKinly, when he suddenly said he felt something in his throat. He was told to take a drink of water, and turned to go to his own house, and sat down on Mr. Rutherford's step, and in a moment fell over a corpse—all signs of life but a few faint gasps being extinct. Dr. Howell was sent for with speed, and the friends of the deceased could scarcely recognise the real fact when the Dr. told them Mr. Merrick was dead. The diseased was about 65 years old, and was a peaceable and honest man.—*Thornbury Standard.*

A Washington special to the *Herald* states that Garfield said yesterday to a distinguished Western Senator—"Senator, as a personal favour to me I want you to take up and champion this Mormon question in the Senate. We must stamp out polygamy. I want this to be one of the distinguishing features of my administration. But [illegible] the ... children who have been born under the Mormon rule, if for no other reason than this, because [illegible]

OSPREY COUNCIL.

The Municipal Council, of the Township of Osprey met on the 7th of March at McIntyre, pursuant to adjournment from the 7th of Feb'y last. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Communications from County Treasurer, list of lands liable to be sold in 1881; Richard Taylor, bill for expenses on rolls; McLeod, circular re road surveys; from N. A. McLean, declaration as assessor; from Angus Cameron, re Alex Sinclair's school privileges; from Ira Porgee and 13 others, asking to have Feversham formed to a road division; from John McRae and 24 others, asking to change bondary of school section No. 4; from John Winters and 19 others, asking that school section No. 4 be not changed so as to effect site of school house; from Trustees of school section No. 4 and 65 others, asking that no change be made in boundary of school section No. 9. On motion, the Council adjourned till noon. Council resumed at 1 P. M. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the Clerk be instructed to write to the county Treasurer asking of him if any arrears of the taxes returned against lot No. 51, in the Range, North of the Durham Road, and if any, to erase them.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that James Gillies be paid the sum of $8, for taking care of Annabella McDougal from the 3rd of December last in addition to seven dollars, her due from last year, being the full amount due for her keep up to the 3rd of March 1881; and that the Reeve issue his order for eight dollars.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that James Gillies be, and is hereby instructed, to procure the keep and take charge of Widow McDougal until the 3rd day of May, and that the treasurer remit the sum of ten dollars to James Gillies at that date for such expense to Nottawa, and that the Clerk furnish the Treasurer a copy of this motion.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Johnston, that the Clerk be instructed to ask the county treasurer if Lot No. 32, in the 1st Con. N. D. R. Osprey, has been sold for taxes, if so, for what amount, such lot having been sold by the crown on 28th of May, 1880.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Jonhston, that the account of Richard Taylor, for express charges on the Assessement Rolls, amounting to 55 cts be paid, and that the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. Taylor, that the Clerk be and is hereby authorized to send the minute book to John Rutherford, to have the minutes of 1880 printed.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Sing, seconded by Mr. McIntyre, that the Council adjourn until the fourth day of April, to meet at the Orange Hall, Singhampton.—Carried.

WILLIAM MILNE Clerk.

P. S. The Clerk will be obliged if Teachers in Osprey will send him their address, and also that of their Section.—W. M.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR.—In my last letter I stated that I intended to watch and see the progress of Mormonism in our neighborhood, but since the meeting mentioned, we had only one meeting, which was on Thursday night following. As the evening was approaching, there was an appearence of trouble in the Mormon camp, from crowds of youths who assembled in the street, but by a little caution from the proprietor of the Hall, nothing serious occurred, and the Elder preached a very able discourse from Revelations, and at the close of the service he informed his hearers that he had a call to go to another neighborhood to preach "Glad tidings of the new Gospel" being restored, after being lost four years, unto the poor unbelievers; and I have only to say that some belive, so far, in his docterine that quite a few argements are held in consequence. Our neighborhood was quietly slumbering after the Mormon excitement, when we heard of a contruct of marriage made in our midst, and the boys preparing for a chivrari. I can say that our neighborhood is not bad on such unlawful gatherings, very few weddings are this way disturbed here, but in this case the groom was a widower, it not being five months since the neighborhood turned out to bury his first wife, and she being one of the most respectable young women in our place, the boys though they would chastize him a little for marrying so soon after the death of his dear and kind wife, so on the nights of Tuesday, 22nd and, Wednesday 23rd, about 40 men and boys kept the neighborhood alive by the reports of cheers, horns, guns, cow bells, &c; and at last succeded in raising the money, which was spent in whiskey, and to the amusement of some caused a few local quarrels to be stired up. What was very disgraceful in the matter, we heard of boys not over 16 years of age having been so drunk that they had to be helped home by their friends. Such gatherings I cannot approve of, as they lead on to worse, and when such practices are begun it is hard to check them. In this case, the youths were not checked by their parents as much as they should have been in making this gathering; but after due consideration, when they think of the bad habits commenced by their sons, more especially in drinking, they may wish that they had done more to stop it. Hoping, sir, that as we are drawing into the busy times now, that our neighborhood will be more quiet, so I will now bid you adieu.

AN OBSERVER.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness, and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

... Any person who takes the paper from the office ... must pay all arrearages ... whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

N. B. Any person who takes the STANDARD for more than three weeks, without notifying us that he does not wish to subscribe, will be held responsible for a year's subscription.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The newest kiss is called parasite kiss.

Carlyle thought women were especially fitted to be doctors.

Mrs. Partington says that since the invention of the needle gun there is no reason why the women shouldn't fight as well as the men.

There is a painful rumor afloat that ice crop has been touched with the frost, and that high prices may, consequently, be expected next summer.

YELLOW OIL is *par excellence* the remedy for Pain, Lameness, Rheumatism, Croup, Deafness, Burns, Frost Bites, Stiff Joints, and all flesh wounds. Any medicine dealer can furnish it.

—An old man named Lyons, from the township of Holland, who evidently had the normal action of his intellect somewhat deranged, took up a position on the corner of Sykes and Trowbridge streets on Monday, and proceeded, in his opinion, to enlighten all who choose to listen to him on the subject of religion.—*Monitor.*

For all purposes of a Family Medicine, Hagyard's Yellow Oil is at the head of the list. It is used with unprecedented success, both internally and externally. It cures Sore Throat, Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites; relieves and often cures Asthma.

A little love, a little glove,
A little rosebud for a token;
A little sigh for days gone by,
A little girl heart broken.

Another man woos Sarah Ann
With bank book well extended;
A social crown, a house in town,
And Sarah's heart is mended.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.—The turns of traffic on the Grand Trunk for the week ending March 19th show total receipts of $216,748, an excess of $15,486 over the corresponding week of 1880. The miles of line open are 1,406½. The increase in traffic receipts for the past 12 weeks over the corresponding weeks of 1880 has amounted to $108,369.

If you suffer from any chronic disease arising from Impure Blood, Sluggish Liver, disordered Kidneys or inactivity of the Bowels: if your Nervous System is debilitated from whatever cause arising, do nt despair, but procure a trial bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters; it will only cost 10cents' Large Bottles $ 1.00. For sale by all medicine dealers.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY MILES OF PAPER.—The paper upon which THE MAIL is printed comes from the Merritton mills in immense rolls, in the web, weighing nearly 400 pounds each. From Monday morning until Saturday night 170 miles of this paper pass through the printing machines, are printed on both sides, cut, pasted, and folded ready for the carrier. This immense web of paper, if streatched across the country, would make a white streamer three feet wide reaching from Toronto to nine miles beyond Kingston, on its way to Montreal.

A MISTAKE.

It is a great and often fatal mistake to take repeated drastic purgatives for constipation of the bowles, they induce piles ond cause debility of the bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters is a safe and perfect regulator of the bowels, arousing the torpid Liver and all the secretions to a healthy action; acting on the Kidneys, and renovating and toning the system in the most perfect manner.

DIPHTHERIA is reported from nearly every quarter of the Dominion, and shattered families are its memorials wherever it appears. It is strange that a disease that has proved so deadly has not ranged more unitedly and determinedly against it the medical faculty and civil authorities. It has been conclusively proved that the proverbial ounce of prevention is of vast importente in stamping diphtheria out before it hase time to become epidemic. A medical gentleman in Nova Scotia, who has for years male a special study of the causes and prevention of the disease, and, in his practice in different parts of the Province, has had abundant field for effort in those directions, has given voluminous evidence to the public from the platform and through the press to prove that diphtheria, as well as other zymotic diseases, owes its origin to impure air and water, these caused by unclean surroundings, and its fearfully rapid spread to the unguarded approach and contact of healthy persons to and with those suffering from the disease. In one of his latest letters to the local press the doctor gives several instances in his practice where the disease in its most virulent forms had been stamped out of communities by the timely adoption of separation of the sick from the other members of the family and strict quarantine of the infected house. It is sheer blasphemy to lay to the account of Providence a scourge brought upon a community by disregard of the laws of hygiene, and let run its dire will through imprudence of the people generally and the carelessness of the authorities.

We clip the above from the Montreal *Witness*, and would recommend its careful perusal by our readers, and especially those in our village. What with dirty yards, filthy closets, a grave yard at our very doors, and manure heaps in our streets, the wonder is that the health of the village is as good as it is.

Do not let prejudice stand in the way of relief if you suffer from any lingering disease, Burdock Blood Bitters cure others, why should it not benefit you? It is a specific for all forms of Blood, Liver and Kidney Complaints, Nervous Headache, General Debility, Scrofula and all diseases of the Secretory system. ...

Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,
Dep. 7:30 a. m. 12:20 p. m. 5:00 p. m.

Carlton	7.53 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.06 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.38 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 7th, 1881.

NOTICE.

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Canada Farmer "	1.00
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Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
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Our Little Ones "	1.50

WE this week give a slight sketch of the progress of Markdale, and it is our intention, as soon as we get over the rush of the spring business, to give like sketches of the neighboring villages. Any of our friends who can forward us statistics in connection with the locality in which they live will greatly oblige us.

THE state of affairs in Ireland appears to be growing worse. A fatal encounter took place between the police and the people on the first of the month, which resulted in two men being shot dead, four or five severly injured, and about thirty others wounded. Such a state of affairs is deplorable in the extreem, and we much fear that more blood will be shed and many homes made desolate ere peace is restored to unhappy Ireland.

MARRKDALE—ITS PAST AND PRESENT.

We venture the assertion, that few places in the Dominion can boast of such rapid advancement as Markdale, during the past ten years.

Ten years ago it was nothing but a little hamlet, consisting of one or two stores, post office, a tavern, blacksmith shop and ten or fifteen private residences. To-day there are nine stores, at which you can purchase anything you require almost as cheaply as in Toronto; two tailors' shops, where you can have the outer-man adorned in a style that will compare favorably with any city in our broad Dominion; the fair sex have not been forgotten either, their wants being supplied by three first-class millinery and dress-making establishments; three grist mills, two saw mills, one steam sash, door and furniture factory, with a shingle and planing mill attached; two furniture establishments, five blacksmiths' shops, two carriage shops, two harness shops, a drug store, in which there is a branch office of the Montreal Telegraph Company and Vicker's Express, one jeweller's and watchmaker's establishment, where the Dominion Telegraph Co'y have an office; three shoe shops, three hotels, two coopers' shops, marble works, two butchers' shops, two bakers and confectioners, one hardware and tin shop, two grain elevators of 50,000 bushels capacity each, a pump factory, a law office, a good school presided over by three efficient teachers, there are four resident Ministers, a newspaper and job printing establishment, and several other branches of minor importance.

The buildings in the business portion of the Village are chiefly of brick, three stories in height, and would do [illegible] There are quite a number of [illegible] residences of brick also, which show an amount of taste and solid wealth rarely to be met with in Villages the size of Markdale, and from the quantity of building material laid down during the past winter, the progress of our stirring little Village in the future will be even greater than in the past, and promises fair, ere another decade passes over our heads, to be an incorporated town.

There are still some branches of business much needed to increase our importance and add to our material wealth, viz.:—a Foundry and Machine shop, a Woolen Factory, and a Tannery. If proper steps are taken and a little energy displayed, we see no reason why these branches should not be added to our other flourishing industries the coming season. There is no better openning in the Province of Ontario. The Village is situate in the centre of the County, and is surrounded by as fine and wealthy an agricultural district as is to be found in any portion of the country, is on the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, which will shortly be widened to the standard gauge; has unlimited water-power, and for those prefering steam, there is wood in abundance, which can be had at $1.50 (4 feet long) and upwards, per cord when purchased in quantities. There is not a foundry within seventeen miles, and if a man of the right stamp takes hold of the business, we have no hesitation in saying that an extensive and lucrative business could be done.

A tannery and woolen factory would be an equally good investment. At present the wool and hides are shipped away, one buyer alone shipping over 12,000 pounds during the past winter. We have not been able to ascertain the number of hides sent away.

So, oh! ye men of money, if you wish to place your funds where you will be sure of a speedy return on the outlay, come to Markdale. At least when you are out prospecting drop in on us, and our word for it you will go no further when you see the thrift of our people, and the signs of wealth and prosperity that surrounds us on all sides.

WE have recieved the 10th annual Report of the Ontario Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, for the fiscal year, ending 30th September, 1880. During the year, the attendance reached 284, the largest number that has at tended in any one year since the Institution was opened. Of this number 162 were males and 119 were females. From the time the institution was opened, on the 20th October, 1870 to the 30th September 1880, 498 pupils were admitted.

Some very interesting statistic respecting those 498 deaf mutes have been collected from the institution register by the superintendent. From these returns it appears that no less than 215 of those pupils were deaf mutes from birth, that in 73 cases, their deafness was caused by fevers of various kinds, in 29 by colds, in 12 by accident, in 12 by measles, in 20 by spinal disease, in 75 cases by various other causes, and in 68 cases the causes of the deafness were unknown.

The superintendent, Mr. Mathison, states that there are vacancies for several pupils in the institution, and reqnest us to try and prevail on the parents of any deaf mutes, should we know of any, to make application for their admission to the institution, and should this meet the eye of any so afflicted we trust they will make the necessary application without loss of time.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

Mr. Richardson's chimney caught on fire at the time of the Social, and the alarm was sounded and caused quite an excitement. This is the third or forth occasion that the village has been warned out; The wolf may come some day, People should clean out their pipes and chimneys instead of burning them out.

THE Social held on the 25th March by the Flesherton Presbyterian Sabbath School, was a grand success. Dr. Sproule, M. P. called the meeting to order, after which, a lengthy Programme was disposed of. One feature in it was supply a of refreshments, and very excellent coffee, proceeds $22.00 the committie have decided to purchase an Organ, as they have suffiecnt funds on hand to pay for the same. Terrible snow storm yesterday. Vennor is right this time. While turning a large engine on the Flesherton station turntable on Wednesday 6th, and when about half turned the table gave a lurch, and the engine running forward run over the table, which is about right feet from the ground, smashing both engine and table considerably. Luckily no one was hurt much. No blame can be attached to the employees.

SUDDEN DEATH.—John McArthur, an old resident of Artemesia, near Flesherton Station, died very suddenly. He took home a grist from the mill on Wednesday evening, apparently in his usual health, and was found dead in his room on Thursday morning. He was about 70 years of age.

John Handy, about the last of the colored race in Artemesia, died after a short illness at his residence, on the Durham Road, on Wednesday morning.

A silver mine has been discovered on the farm of Mr. [illegible], Hastings county.

The Farmers' club of Oshawa have resolved to grow amber sugar-cane. Over a hundred acres have already been guaranteed, and a factory will be erected in readiness for next season's work.

[illegible] wild geese are flying westward. Is that a sign that this sort of [illegible] is going to stay?

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

Mr. Parsons, of Cookstown, has opened out a large stock of Drugs and seeds, in the premises recently occupied by Mr. Philips.

Mr. Taunton's horse ran away with the cutter last Friday, making a total wreck of the cutter.

We were visited by a [illegible] on Tuesday.

Preparations are being made for utilising the maples in this vicinity.

Mr. Thomas Hanbury is making a large addition to his premises by putting a work shop to the back, thereby giving him a much larger space for his stock.

Straw hats are making their appearance around town.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met at Vogan's Hall for the transaction of business. The Reeve in the chair. Members present —Messrs. Cameron, Shute and Gillespie.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that Wm. O'Mara get an order for $141, as separate school taxes collected in error from 1872 to 1877 inclusive.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that the communication of Robert Dunlop, Clerk of Euphrasia, with regard to Union School Section, be laid over till next meeting, on account of their not being a full Council.

Mr. Shute moved, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the petition of Ed. Muldoon be laid over till next meeting of Council.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that the By-law No. 4, appointing pathmasters, poundkeepers and fence viewers, be read a first, second and third time, and engrossed on the minutes.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that $6 be paid to the Police Trustees of Chatsworth, on account of non resident tax.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that Alexander Campbell be notified by the Clerk to pay over to the Township Treasurer the amount of $10, being an omission of the Clerk in not carrying out the amount on Roll of 1879.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that we go into Committee of the Whole, to investigate the Collector's Roll of 1879.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the report of the above mentioned Committee be adopted and engrossed on the minutes.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

We, the Committee above referred to, having carefully examined the Collector's Roll for 1879, are satisfied with the correctness of the same, with the exception of $10 and eighty cents already referred to, which was made in carrying out the amount across the Roll. WM. HOWEY, Chairman.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that we adjourn till the 28th day of May next, then to meet as a Court of Revision.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia, was held pursuant to adjournment, on the 26th day of March, 1881. Members all present; Minutes of last regular meeting of Council read and approved.

The time for the return of the Collector's rolls, was extended for one month.

A numerously signed petition, relative to the expenses incured through sickness and death of Charles Wyonch, an indigent, was laid aside until next meeting of Council, and Messrs. Boyd and Gilray appointed a committee to investigate all matters connected therewith.

The report of J. G. Sing, Esq., P. L. S. regarding the completion of the erection of Kerr's brigde and his account for superintending said building, together with his account for surveying was laid before the Council and accepted, all of which labor being performed by order of Council in 1880.

The Clerk was ordered to obtain information from the County Treasurer, in reference to arrears of taxes, standing against the N. E. ¼ of lot 8, concession 5.

By-law No. 300, fixing indemnity of councillors for the current year was carried through the different stages and passed.

On motion of Mr. Gilray and Mr. Loughead, the Council will meet at Treasurer's office, at one o'clock p.m., on the second day of April next, for the purpose of making a final settlement, with John Clugston, the late Collector.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to Dr. McClelland, Walter's Fall's, $15,00, being payment for medical attendance on the late Chas. Wyonch, an indigent.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to Messrs. Rowsell & Hutchinson, Toronto, the sum of $36.12, being payment for stationary furnished to this municipality.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to the parties entitled to receive the same, the following described amounts, being expences incured by the holding of the last election, for a Reeve, caused by the unseating of the Reeve, who was elected in January last, viz:—To the Deputy Returning officers, $39.50; Four members of Council, for one special meeting, $8; Messrs Pollard & Evans, for legal advice, $5; J. Rutherford, for election papers, $8.90; School Trustees &c., for polling stations, $10; J. Farewell, for printing by-law, preamble thereto, ballott papers &c., and postage, $20.05; R. Dunlop, Tp. Clerk, for mileage travelled, and all other services connected with said election, $32. [illegible]

The Wimbledon trial, which has been before the courts at Toronto for the past two [illegible]

An elopement which had a smack of Gretna Green about it—although, perhaps, scarcely so romantic in its details as some of the famous border marriages, but nevertheless caused considerable excitement among the friends of the parties interested, came to light yesterday.

The facts of the case are as follows; —Some time ago the affections of a certain blacksmith doing a good business in the village of Sullivan, county of Grey, became centred on the fair daughter of a well-to-do farmer, who resided in the immediate vicinity. The young lady reciprocated, but her parents refused their consent to the marriage of the lovers, on the ground that intended bridegroom was a widower; and so strong was their disapproval that they positively prohibited all intercourse between the pair. The consequence was that cladestine meetings were held, and an elopement was decided upon. The preparations for this step were made in the most deliberate manner. The blacksmith sold his shop, disposed of his business, and collected all his accounts due him; while the lady, apparently resigned to separation, went about her usual duties in the most cheerful manner possible. On Monday morning the lover after quietly sending off his trunk during the night, started on a visit to his brothers in Thornbury. Driving to Owen Sound, he took the stage to Meaford, and proceeded thence to Toronto by the Northern Railway. Stopping at St James' over night, he in the morning hunted up a couple of friends resident on Adeliade street, and together they awaited further developements. Pursuant to agreement, the lady, about five o'clock yesterday morning, packed her trunk and quickly took her departure from the domicile. She was driven by a friend to Chatsworth, took the seven o'clock train on the T., G. & B. Railway to Toronto, and before her absence was discovered was far beyond the reach of pursuit. Arriving safely in Toronto yesterday evening, she was met at the station by the friends referred to, who conducted her to St. James' where her lover was anxiously awaiting her appearance. After the four had partaken of tea together, the happy couple took the midnight train to Detroit, where they will be married upon their arrival. It is the intention of the man to go into business in Detriot, as he is possessed of some means. Both parties are highly respected and moved in the highest society in their native village.—*Meaford Monitor.*

BOLD ATTEMPT AT ROBBERY.

Winnipeg, March 29.—Paymaster Tims, of the Canada Pacific railway, while out at Rat Portage last week along with his assistant, Mr. Shea, paying the employees of the road was surprised by four men after night just as he was about to enter the postal car, one of whom snatched his valise, in which there was at the time $5,000 and ran down the embankment. Mr. Tims immediately drew his revolver and fired after them, but without effect, as the night was exceedingly dark, and could only see a few feet. Messrs. Tims and Shea then returned to the station and procured a lantern to make search for the thieves. The satchel was found intact, and had evidently been dropped at the first shot, the robber having apparently stumbled in his effort to get away.

GLENELG REFORM ASSOCIATION.

The Reform Association of Glenelg, met at Hall's mills, on Saturday last. Most of the leading Reformers of the Township were present, but no doubt many were absent on account of the bad state of the roads. The following efficers were elected for the year:—W. Hall, Pres.; W. Glencross, Vice Pres.; Geo. Binnie, Sec.; Chas. Moffat, Treas. An executive committee was appointed, and also delegates to central association. A draft constiution and by-laws was presented by a committee appointed at last meeting which was adopted by the association. The question of having a demonstration in the Riding was heartily endorsed by those present, and judging by the representatives, the Reformers of Glenelg, will do their share in making it a success. Matters relating to organizations were then taken up, discussed, and the best meeting ever held by the association then adjourned to meet again at the call of the President.—*Review.*

EUROREAN NEWS.

THE BRADLAUGH CASE.—The Court of appeals sustains the decision of the Lower Court that Mr. Bradlaugh had not the right to take an affirmation instead of the oath. Mr. Bradlaugh will appeal to the House of Lords. To night in the House of Commons Mr. Henry Labouchere, who is Mr. Bradlaugh's fellow-member for the borough of Northampton, moved for the issue of the Speaker's writ for a new election to fill vacancy caused by Mr. Bradlaugh's expulsion. The writ [illegible] so will be challenged on the ground that his conviction in the case just decided has disfranchised him and made him ineligible for a seat to sit as a member of Parliament.

New Spring Goods

ARRIVING DAILY AT

W. J. McFarland's

SPRING SHOWS.

Euphrasia, Friday, April 22nd, at Rocklyn.

Collingwood Township, at Clarksburg, Thursday, 28th April.

St. Vincent, at Meaford, Friday April 29th.

[illegible], at Owen Sound, Monday 25 April.

Shelburne, April 21st, at Shelburne.

MARRIED

PRITCHARD—CASTLE.—At the Methodist Parsonage, by the Rev. [illegible], on Thursday, March 31st, Mr. [illegible] Pritchard, of Euphrasia, to Miss Sarah A. Castle, of Sullivan.

YOUNG—LANDER.—At Durham, on Wednesday the 30th March, by the Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., Mr. William James Young of Glenelg, to Miss Maggie Lander, daughter of Thomas Lander, Esq., Registrar of South Grey.

DIED.

WHITBY.—In Artemesia, on the 1st inst., Infant daughter, of Mr. John Whitby.

LOCKYER.—In Markdale, at the residence of her son, S. Hall, Esq., 3rd inst, Mrs Lockyer, aged 76.

CREIGHTON.—In Owen Sound, on Friday morning April 1st, after a lingering and painful illness, George P. Creighton, Sr., aged 61 years, 11 months and 11 days.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, April 7, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.5o
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, April 7th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.95	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.75
Oats	0.00	"	0.3o
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.5c; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, April 7, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 79	to	0 91
Oats, do.	0 39	to	0 40
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye, do.	0 80	to	0 80
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 oo
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 oo
Chickens, per pair	o 6o	to	0 70
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 4o
Ducks, per brace	5o	to	0 6o
Geese, each	50	to	0 6o
Turkeys	1 00	to	1 75
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	17	to	0 2o
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 oo	to	1 5o
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 65
Onions, per bag	2 o0	to	2 50
Hay	8 50	to	14 25

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street, New York. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar st. New York. 20-ly

D. J. SHANAHAN'S WAGON and Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,

SPRING WAGGONS,

LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

REMOVED

FROM my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Store, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches,

Jewellry, Wedding and Jem Rings, Clocks, &c., &c.

WATCHES and CLOCKS

Carefully Repaired

and brought to time. All work guarantee for one year. I shall be in

DUNDALK,

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All orders left at my store will be promptly attended to. Thanking my numerous customers for their very liberal patronage. I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

W. F. DOLL.

March 3rd, 1881.

Cathartic Pills

Combine the choicest cathartic principles in medicine, in proportions accurately adjusted to secure activity, certainty, and uniformity of effect. [illegible]

Farmers' AND Mechanic's A[illegible]

DUNDALK P. O., COUNTY OF GREY [illegible]

Parties who wish to BUY or RENT, a good FARM, will call at my office in [illegible] examine my LIST of FARMS FOR SALE. Owing to my very extensive [illegible] Selling, and Renting Farms, I have adopted a system of conducting this branch of [illegible] business, which gives entire satisfaction, to both SELLER and PURCHASER. [illegible] and call, before you close a bargain elsewhere, as you can REALIZE more [illegible] your money by buying land in this locality than in any other section in [illegible] give me a call and be convinced. SEND FOR CATALOGUE.

[M]ONEY TO LEND.

I am now lending money, at the lowest current rates of interest, and I am well aware of the sharp competition amongst agents, in lending money, therefore I wish it to be DISTINCTLY understood, that I am in a position to lend money on the very best terms, and for the lowest rates of interest. As I am in connection with the leading MONEY INSTITUTIONS of the Dominion, and do business DIRECT with them, you can therefore rely on terms &c., &c.

Parties who have BAD TITLES to their PROPERTY, or those who have claims to OLD COUNTRY LEGACIES, or been connected with the AMERICAN ARMY, would do well to correspond with me, or if possible call and see me personally, as I attend to the INVESTIGATION of such claims. SEND FOR CIRCULAR.

N.B.—All business entusted to me will always receive my prompt attention.

[illegible] P. O., COUNTY GREY.

Parties who wish to BUY or RENT a good FARM, will call at my office in Dundalk, and examine my LIST of FARMS FOR SALE. Owing to my very extensive business in Selling and Renting Farms, I have adopted a system of conducting this branch of my business, which gives entire satisfaction to both SELLER and PURCHASER. Be sure and call, before you close a bargain elsewhere, as you can REALIZE more value for your money by buying land in this locality than in any other section [illegible] give me a call and be convinced. SEND FOR CATALOGUE [illegible]

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N.B.—All business entusted to me will always receive my prompt attention.

A. G. HUNTER [illegible] DUNDALK P.O. COUNTY GREY.

FARM FOR [illegible] RENT for a TERM [illegible] 50 ACRES [illegible]

Markdale, April 4th, 1881.

FOR SA[illegible]

ONE [illegible]

THE STANDARD.

Friday. April 7th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Ladies solid gold hunting cased watches, from 18.50 up, warranted, at W. F. Doll's.

Wilcox is daily opening new goods in the Jewellery line. See his stock.

For No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE and other machine oils, try Haskett [illegible]

Leave your order with Miss Douglas for hair switches, Saratoga waves, &c. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Go to Wilcox for your Wedding Rings, boys, he is dishing them out every day, Sunday excepted.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

Silver and electro plated ware, suitable for wedding and birthday gifts, at Doll's Flesherton.

Get your Horse Bills at the "Standard" Office, 4 cuts to choose from.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

Any persons having a farm to rent, would do well to leave particulars at this office, as we know several parties wanting to get such.

Manufacturers of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

A Missouri man won a breach of promise case because a contract made on Sunday is illegal. Our fair friends should be careful hereafter, and not let their "fellers" "pop" the question on Sunday.

Black silk Fringes.
Black Cashmeres.
Black Lustres.
Black Silks.
Black Kid Gloves.
Black Shawls
Cheap! Cheap! Cheap! at
W. J. McFARLAND'S

Ask your druggist for a trial bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, it will only cost you 10 cents, and a few doses will prove its efficiency as a health restoring Tonic-regulator of the Bowels, Liver and Kidneys. It is a specific for all diseases arising from impure blood and disordered secretions.

Another warning to those, who are in the habbit of running stove pipes through the roof instead of building chimneys, occurred on Wednesday, at the house of Mrs Richardson, Toronto street. Fortunately it was discovered before it had made much headway, and was put out with very little damage to the building.

New Carriage Works.—D. J. Shannan, has just opened out in the Waggon, Carriage, and blacksmith line, in the Brick building next to Miss Burch's, on Mill street, where he is prepared to do all work that may be entrusted to him, in a first class manner. Read *advertisement* in another column, and then give him a call.

Two brothers named Scott, who are somewhat crippled, and not of the brightest intelect, were sent to Owen Sound as vagrants on Thursday afternoon. *These poor unfortunates* met with severe accidents a short time since by cutting their feet. For want of a House of Refuge these men, who have to be sent to Jail to mix with criminals and outcast.

F. McRae Esq., Reeve of Glenelg, entertained a few of his friends in Markdale at a supper in the Revere House, on Monday evening last. A very pleasant time was spent, the chief topic being the procuring of the proper title to what is known as the "New Road" in Glenelg leading to the village of Markdale, and the further improvement of the same,

The Weather.—Venor's snow storm was right on time and was fierce while it lasted. He also insinuates that this is the dying struggle of the winter, and that spring will be well advanced by the 15th. We sincerely hope he may be as correct in this as he was about the snow storm. Six months of steady winter inclines us to wish for a change.

A Sanitary Lesson.—The *Herald's* Albany special says:—A sensation was created at the hearing on the New York street cleaning bill last night when a letter from Dr Peters was read stating that for the first time in the history of New York true spotted typhus fever, which only originates where great filth abounds, had made its appearance in New York without being traced to importation. The *Herald* passes the severest criticism on the legislators who seek to delay the immediate passage of the street cleaning bill.

Mr. A. Spears, of Owen Sound, shipped from this station on Monday last, 9 head of young cattle, most of them about two years old whose united weight was 10,355 pounds. These cattle were bought from Messrs Campbell and Taylor, of Drumore, in the township of Proton, and were a cross between our common cattle and thorough bred Bull. This should be an inducement to our farmers, in Glenelg and Artemesia, to improve their stock. We would like to know how many head of miserable scrubs, of the same age, we have in this neighborhood, it would take to turn the scale at the above mentioned figures. Another item to be considered is, that these cattle, netted to their owners 4½ cents per pound, live weight. Friends, wake up and be moving in the matter right away, unless you wish to be left behind in the race altogether.

From a private letter received from East Liverpool, in the state of Ohio, we learn the details of a most shocking [illegible]. It appears that a man named [illegible] and family, who occupied the rear end and upper portion of a building in which there was a feed and drug store. The feed store took fire about midnight, from causes not at present known, and had made such headway ere it was discovered, that of the eleven persons in the building, only three escaped, Mr. Slone, his mother and one child. His wife, six children, and a man who attended the feed store perished in the flames. The agony of Mr. Slone was fearful to behold, and it was all the by-standers could do to prevent him from throwing himself into the burning building and trying to attempt the rescue of his wife and children. The charred remains of the unfortunate [illegible] were recovered next day, the poor mother clasping her babe to her breast.

To buy a good reliable [illegible] money, go to W. F. Doll's, [illegible] Dundalk.

Bedroom Clocks, very cheap at Wilcox's.

A large quantity of Easter Cards just arrived at Miss Douglas', next door to the Standard office.

Over one hundred solid gold wedding and gem rings, from $1 to $12, at W. F. Doll's. "No excuse young man," I guarantee a good fit.

We often wonder how W. J. McFarland sold such immense quantities of Boots and shoes; but do so no longer after pricing them.

The next sitting of the Division Court will be held at Flesherton, on Friday the 22nd inst., at 10 a. m.—J. W. Armstrong, Clerk.

There are a few of our subscribers who have not yet paid their subscription. They will greatly oblidge by handing it in to us or remitting by mail at once.

K. O. T. M.—Allofficers and members of Markdale Tent No. 218, are requested to attend in Dufferin Hall, on Monday evening, first, as business of importance must be attended to.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

Mr. George P. Creighton, one of Owen Sound's oldest and most respected citzens died on the first of April, after a lingering and painful illness.

White Cottons.
White Counterpanes.
White Shirts.
White Brilliants.
Cheap! Cheap! Cheap! at
W. J. McFARLAND'S.

This week we issue a number of extra copies of the Standard, some of which we send out as samplecopies. Those who recieve them we hope to have the pleasure of adding to our list of subscribers.

There is no necessity for dilating upon the merits of the goods offered by W. J. McFarland. He is king, and his reputation is too widely spread, and his name is indissolubly associated with enormous sales, with good value. and honorable dealing.

There will be an important credit auction sale, on lot 87, con. 18, township of Proton on Monday April 11th 1881, when the entire farm stock, implements, household furniture, &c. of John Middleton will be offered for sale by, J. W. Morrow Auctioneer. The usual terms are offered. See bills.

R. Davis, Auctioneer of Flesherton, has recieved instructions from A. G. Campbell, lot 160, Range 1, N. E. Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, to sell by public auction on Monday, April 18th inst., all of his farm stock, implements, &c. Sums of $5.and under, cash; over that amount 9 months' credit, on furnishing good paper.

Persons wanting to borrow money, buy, rent or sell their property, would do well to read the advertisement of A. G. Hunter., Esq., to be found in another column. When a man occupies two columns of the Standard, he means business, therefore if you want any thing in his line be sure and call, you will find him a "Boss" man to deal with.

Honor Roll of S. S. No. 4, Artemesia for the month of March, 1881. —Fourth Class—Marks obtainable 350—1st Joseph Orr Stinson, 320; 2nd Harriet A. Armstrong 307; 3rd James Hutcheson, 275. Third Class —Marks obtainable, 300—1st John W. Stinson, 245; 2nd Ellen J. Ross, 220; 3rd F. W. Armstrong 215. Second Class—Marks obtainable 250; 1st John Lyons, 221; 2nd Robert Lyons, 214; 3rd Edith A. Baunon, 200. First Class—Senior—Marks obtainable 200; 1st Joseph Armstrong, 180; 2nd Francis Carson, 172; 3rd William Brown, 156; First Class—Junior—1st Margaret A. Parks 160; 2nd Margaret Patton, 143; 3rd William T. Moore, 130.—Thos. H. Little, Teacher.

Charivari.—On Monday night last, a number of parties collected, for the purpose of charivaring a Mr. Pritchard, of the 12th line, Euphrasia, who had returned from getting married. When opposite the house they began freely using their instruments of torture, such as bells, horns, &c., to the great anoyance of the newly married couple. He, Pritchard, called forth with a gun and went to meet them, and as soon as he got close enough to see them he fired into the crowd and peppered six of them pretty freely with shot about the head and face. One of the parties named Edward Steers, had twenty grains of it lodged in his face and head, completely disfiguring his countenance, and injuring both eyes, so that it is doubtful if he will ever have the use of them again. Dr. Sproule was summoned to attend to them, who says they are all likely soon to recover, except Steers, but of him he entertains doubts of being able to save his sight.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

Fire.—On Saturday morning last, Mr. Geo. McMullen of the 3rd concession of Sydenham, started out to Woodford with a load of hay, and on his return during the day, found that his dwelling house with contents had been totally consumed in his absence. The fire caught in the upper part of the house, supposed to be from the stovepipe, and Mrs. McMullen tried to save what she could, but was unable to get much out before the flames compelled her to retire. Mr Mullen's granary not being good, he had stored most of his grain upstairs, and it was consumed with the house. As their was no insurance, the loss will be a heavy one to him.

Mr. T. A. Brown of Collingwood has again been awarded the contract for Government supplies of cattle for the Northwest. Under the late Government all such supplies were brought in from the States, but now our own farmers have the benefit of furnishing them.

The annual meeting of the North Grey Teachers' Association will be held in Owen Sound on Wednesday and Thursday, April 13th and 14th, for which an interesting programme has been prepared. The services of Miss Lewis of Toronto have been secured for the meeting. Miss Lewis, who is a graduate of the Philadelphia School of Elocution, will give a public Entertainment in the Town Hall, under the auspices of the Association. She will be assisted by the leading amateurs of the town.

WANTED [illegible]

[illegible] W. H. GUY.

[illegible] March 31 1881. [illegible]

Auction Sale OF VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Artemesia and Proton in the County of Grey.

There will be Sold, on

Friday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at the

McCULLOUG'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF DUNDALK.

BY virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the Sale, the following Properties:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon, Lot No. 17, in the 3rd Concession, South of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, County of Grey, containing [illegible] acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 10 acres partly cleared. The property is situated about 10 miles from the Village of Dundalk.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGuren, Lot 17, in the 17 Concession of the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 20 acres cleared and under cultivation, with a log house and barn erected thereon.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to
JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE.
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOSEPH McARDLE, Esq.,
Hopeville.

Toronto, 14th March, 1881. 28-4w

A NEW ELECTION In Euphrasia.

THE Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at

6 Per Cent., Yearly!

ON STRAIGHT LOANS,

This is the

Lowest Rate ever offerered in the County of Grey.

OFFICES:—Lot 26, Con. 4, Euphrasia, and Meaford,—Next door to Royal Hotel.

N. B.—A large amount of private money to loan on

Good Notes or Second Mortgages.

E. E. KNOTT.

March 3, 1881. 25-3m

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store; wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

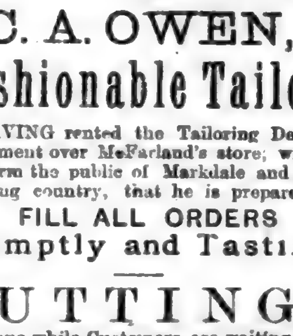
LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place,

Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-m6

FLESHERTON



Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

J. GORDON.

Flesherton. March. 1881. 16

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice [illegible] in the best style [illegible] Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, [illegible] OTHER PARTIES, supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

[illegible]

Markdale, Nov. [illegible]

[illegible]

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the

"BELFAST HOUSE."

Also a fresh stock of

Groceries, Provisions,

CANNED FRUIT,

BISCUITS

—AND—

CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut

Side Pork.

FOR SALE. ALSO.

POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,

THE BEST IN TOWN:

BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS.
CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA;

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Bentinck, Durham P. O

Jan. 18th, 1881. 18-tf

In Chancery:

DEWSON VS. WILSON.

PURSUANT to an order of the Court of Chancery, made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. TAYLOR, ESQUIRE, Master in Ordinary of this Court, by E. S. Meeking, Esquire, Auctioneer, at

McDERMOTT'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF BOND HEAD,

At the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, on

The 9th day of April 1881,

The following lands and premises, in one parcel namely: Broken Lot number three, in the first Concession, of the Township of West Gwillimbury, in the County of Simcoe, containing fifteen acres more or less. Also, pursuant to the above mentioned order, there will be sold by Robert Davis, Esquire, at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, on

The 12th day of April,

A. D., 1881, the following lands and premises, in two parcels, namely:

PARCEL I.

The South west part of Lot number two hundred and twenty, in the second concession south of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres more or less.

PARCEL II.

Lot number one hundred and twenty-one, in the first concession south-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS of SALE.

One tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, and a sufficient amount within one month thereafter, without interest to make together with the cash payment one quarter of said purchase money, the balance to be secured by mortgage on the premises, at six per cent per annum, payable in three equal yearly payments.

Each parcel will be sold subject to a reserved bid fixed by the said master.

The other conditions of sale are the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery.

Further particulars can be had from DENISON & MACKLEM, 15 Toronto street; MESSRS. McCARTHY, HOSKIN, PLUMB & CREELMAN, Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated at Toronto this 16th day of March, A. D., 1881. Signed,

28-3w. T. W. TAYLOR.

Money! Money!

THE undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent. according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY,
Lot 130, 1st west T. & S. R. Artemesia,
Flesherton P. O.

March 23, 1881. 28-tf

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Glenelg and Holland, in the County of Grey.

There will be sold on

Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at

RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

By virtue of powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following property:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Angus McMillan, Lot number 36, in the 2nd concession north of the Durham Road, of the said township of Glenelg, containing by admeasurement 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—40 acres cleared.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgages from Samuel Young, Lot 57, in the 2nd concession, North-east of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—45 acres cleared, a good dwelling house, barn and stable.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to
JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOHN LYONS,
Markdale.

Toronto, March 15, 1881. 28-3i

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that no debts are of anyone unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, [illegible]

HILL BROS.

Wish to inform the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that they have partially opened their

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT,

And have secured the services of MISS MULLIN, Who from long experience in the Millinery business, will be enabled to give our friends

ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

We have partially opened, and will be fully prepared, as the season advances with all the

LATEST NOVELTIES.

Remember our goods will be

ALL NEW.

We respectfully solicit a fair share from our friends and the public generally. We don't do any button-holing, but will treat all courteously when making purchases, and tust our prices will be right. Our general stock will be found

Well Assorted

as usual. We would invite an early inspection whether you want to buy or not.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, March 30th, 1881. 29-tf

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.

LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

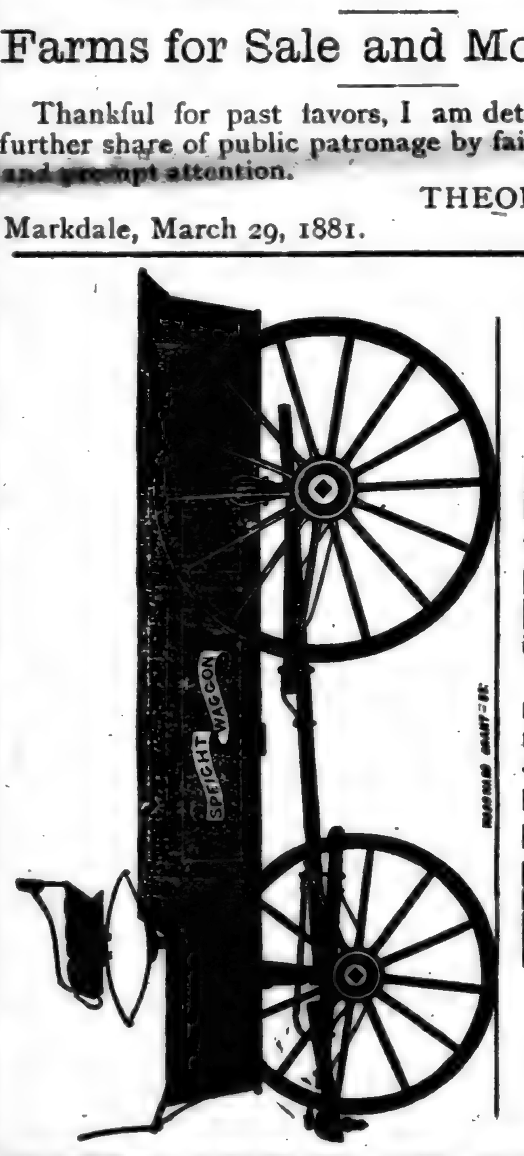
Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf



WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,

Sewing Machines, Organs,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton.

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 18, 1881.

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 145 in 2nd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE.

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber the same [illegible]

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Mrs. Freeman's Worm Powder is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in children or adults. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brightness and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All!

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

AND

LIQUORS.

Everything First-Class, and at

RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Guiness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 5-ly

MEDICAL HALL,

SEEDS!

FIELD SEEDS,

INCLUDING

CLOVER,
TIMOTHY,
CARROT,
MANGEL WURTZEL, &c, &c.

GARDEN SEEDS!

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 18-tf

Pianos and Organs.

J. A. CRAWFORD

DEALER IN

PIANOS AND ORGANS

OF THE

Uxbridge Manufacture.

Having a thorough knowledge of Musical Instruments I would invite those desirous of purchasing an instrument to

GIVE ME A TRIAL!

I can furnish good testimonials from parties to whom I have sold that they will be dealt honorably with in all cases. By corresponding with me I will convince parties that I will sell cheaper than they can buy elsewhere.

Monthly or quarterly instalments would be accepted, with a small payment down.

All Instruments warranted for Six Years.

Address,

J. A. CRAWFORD,

[illegible]

PAY THE PRINTER.

When the cold storm howls around the ho[illegible]
And you by the light of taper,
Sit closely by the evening fire,
Enjoying the last paper,
Just think of him whose work thus helps
To wear away the winter,
And put this query to yourself—
Have I paid the printer?

From east and west, from north and south,
From lands beyond the water,
He weekly brings you lots of news
From every nook and quarter;
No slave on earth toils more than he,
Through summers' heat and winter;
How can you for a moment, then,
Neglect to pay the printer?

Your other bills you promptly pay,
Wherever you do go, sir;
The butcher for his meat is paid,
For sundries is the grocer;
The tailor and the shoemaker,
The hatter and the vintner;
All get their pay—then why neglect
To settle with the printer?

PROROGATION OF THE LEGISLATURE

LISTS OF ACTS PASSED.

At the late session of the Ontario Legislature, the following bills were assented to:

An act to authorize the Trustees of St. Andrew's Church, Williamstown to sell certain lands.

To amend the acts respecting the Yorkville Loop Line Railway Company.

To authorize the Trustees of the Union Church, of Port Colburne, to sell certain lands.

To incorporate the City of St. Thomas.

To amend the act to incorporate Knox College.

To organize the municipality of Neebing.

Respecting the Canada Mortgage Agency (Limited.)

To consolidate the debt of the town of Windsor.

To provide for the sale of the rectory house and lands belonging to St John's Church, in the township of London.

To incorporate the St. Catherines and Niagara Central Railway Company.

Respecting the Hawkeye Gold and Silver Mining Company.

Respecting St. Paul's church, in the town of Woodstock.

To transfer the securities of the Anglo-Canadian Mortgage Company to the Company (Limited).

Respecting the Hamilton and Dundas street railway company.

To amend the act incorporating the Lake Scugog Marsh Lands Drainage Company.

To amend the several acts relating ot the Toronto Grey & Bruce Railway company.

Respecting the debenture debt of the county of Simcoe.

To amend the acts relating to the Credit Valley railway Company.

To amend the act to incorporate the Roman Catholic Bishops of Toronto and Kingston, in Canada, in each Diocese.

Amalgamating the Port Dover and Lake Huron, the Stratford and Huron and the Georgin Bay and Wellington railway companies, as the Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay, and Lake Erie Company.

Respecting Water and Gas Works at Parkdale.

Respecting the Phœnix Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Ontario.

To incorporate the Port Royal and Detroit River railway company.

Respecting the Port Rowan and Lake Shore railway company.

To extend the time for the completion of the Erie and Huron Railway.

To vest in the newly appointed Trustees of the Marriage Settlement of B. H. Dixon, the property therein comprised, and to authorize the sale and leasing thereof.

Respecting the Midland Railway of Canada.

Respecting the Whitby, Port Perry, and Lindsay Railway company.

To change the name of the town of Clifton to that of Niagara Falls.

To incorporate the Toronto Baptist College.

To enable the Trustees of Bethel Congregation, of the town of Orangeville, to sell certain lands.

To incorporate the Federal Fire Insurance Company, of Ontario.

To authorize the Law Society of Ontario to admit Francis Hew Eccles as a Barrister-at-Law.

To incorporate the Weston and Duffin's Creek railway.

To authorize the village of London East to construct and maintain waterworks, and to incorporate said village as a town.

Respecting the Prince Edward County Railway Company.

To incorporate the Chatham and Charing Cross Railway Company.

To authorize the Corporation of the city of London to sell certain lands.

To amend the Act respecting the Trent Valley Railway Company.

Respecting the debt of the county of Lennox and Addington, and to enable the said county to consolidate the same.

To vest certain lands in the town of Woodstock in trustees, and to authorize a sale of the same.

To legalize a certain by-law of the county of Frontenac and the sale of the debentures issued thereunder.

To change the name of the Sarnia Gas Company, to confirm a by-law of the town of Sarnia, and to extend the powers of the said company.

To change the name of the village of Petersville to London West.

Relating to the incorporation of the village of Brockton.

Respecting the Georgian Bay and Wellington Railway Company.

Respecting the village of Millpoint.

Respecting the Waterloo County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Ontario.

Respecting the Credit Foncier Franco-Canadian.

To amend the Charter of incorporation of the Victoria Rolling Stock Company, Ontario.

To amend the acts incorporating the Toronto Gravel Road and Concrete Company.

Respecting the Grand Junction Railway Company.

Further to amend the acts relating to the Hamilton and North Western Railway Company.

To close part of a certain road allowance between the township of Kingston and the village of Portsmouth.

To confirm certain assessments of the city of Kingston.

Respecting the Toronto and Ottawa Railway company.

To consolidate the Superior Courts; establishing a uniform system of pleading and practice; make further provision for the due administration of justice.

To amend the Jurors' Act of 1879.

Respecting Interpleader.

To amend the Act respecting the registration of co-partnerships and business firms.

To amend the Registry Act.

To give increased efficiency to the laws against illicit liquor selling.

Respecting snow fences.

To make provision for the administration of justice in the county of Dufferin.

To make provision for the safety of railway employees and the public.

For protecting the public interest in rivers, streams and creeks.

To amend the Ontario Drainage Act

For further improving the School Law.

Respecting the University and Colleges at Toronto.

To amend the Act respecting the inspecting of Asylums, Hospitals, Common Gaols, and Reformatories in this Province.

To amend the act for protection of insectivorous and other birds beneficial to agriculture.

Respecting returns required from incorporated companies.

To amend the Act respecting the sale and management of timber on public lands.

To give increased stability to mutual fire insurance companies.

To amend the law respecting the registration of births, marriages and deaths.

To further provide for the release of dower of married women in certain cases.

To extend the powers of the Law Society of Upper Canada

To make further provisions respecting the Central Prison, the Andrew Mercer Ontario Reformatory for Females and the Industrial Refuge for girls

To extend the powers of companies incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies' Letters Patent Act.

To incorporate the Sault St Marie Railway Company.

To further amend the Revised Statute respecting Mortgages and sales of Personal Property.

The Municipal Amendment Act of 1881.

Respecting the appointment of guardians for infants.

To regulate the fees of certain officers and others.

To prevent the spread of the Yellows around peach, nectarine and other trees.

To amend the law securing to wives and children the benefit of assurances on the lives of the husbands and parents.

Respecting aid to certain railways.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

CHAPTER I.

The sun was setting over a broad and gleaming Irish lake, which reflected its radiance in a thousand dimpling wavelets that formed a path of light across the water to the west. To the north lofty hills were veiling themselves in the purple mantle of evening, though here and there a bold projection caught a rosy flush from the departing orb. Trees grew down to the lake, and willows dipped their drooping braches in it. In the distance were thickly grouped woods; and scattered hamlets sent up thin lines of smoke into the air. Over all this was the glow and richness of early autumn.

Beneath a great Irish oak, the huge roots of which stretched nearly to the lake, were seated a merry paty of young people, whose voices and laughter broke pleasantly the stillness of the hour and place. Two ladies occupied the rough wooden seat that surrounded the trunk, at their feet reclined a young man in shooting costume, his gun lying near by him. Beside the elder of the young ladies stood another gentleman, a handsome distinguished-looking man, with the air of a soldier. Not far off two children were playing—a boy of about nine, a girl of six. One of the ladies was a brunette, with a warm, glowing complexion, dark large bright hazel eyes, irregular features, and a merry arch expression of face. The other—perhaps a year older—was taller, with a complexion of cream and roses, rich auburn hair, and those wonderful dark-blue eyes, with long black lashes, which are the peculiar beauty of her countrywomen; for Glorvina Desmond was an Irish girl.

She was undoubtedly as beautiful a woman as artist ever strove to depict. In repose her face had rather a sad expression, for, as her young companion seated beside her used to say, Glorvina was like an Æolian harp, responding to every air-wave that passed over her, whether grave or gay; and just now she looked anxious and sad, for the times were troubled, and she was patriotic and reflective. But when she smiled her face was brightened with a light that made it inexpressibly brilliant and bewitching, and, had she not been the heiress that she was, she would still have wielded a mighty power over men. She was very rich. Both father and mother had died in her infancy, and she had been adopted and brought up by her English mother's brother, who had died three years before and left her to guardianship of a cousin of her father, Mr. Coghlan—the owner of St. Kevin's Priory. His daughter, her devoted friend Eva, was by her side. The reclining sportsman was young Tim O'Brien, a neighbor and an old friend. The other gentleman was Captain Leicester, of the—th Hussars, which regiment, with detachments of Marines, and even to the Guards, had been sent to Ireland to endeavour to keep the land tranquil; for the Whiteboys were a source of terror, and neither life nor property was safe in the unhappy, though beautiful island.

The girls had been discussing the subject of the troubles; for danger was drawing near their own home.

"Papa," said Eva, "found a paper stuck on the hall door this morning. It had a coffin rudely drawn upon it, and told him to prepare for death, since he could find no better employment than serving the enemies of his country. It was signed 'Captain Rock.'"

"I expected they would attack him," observed Tim, "for he has been active in surpressing their meetings; and he being the magistrate who read the Riot Act before the soldiers fired at Callinarz was, of course, an unpardonable offense in their eyes."

"But it is shameful," Eva went on; "for papa is so good to his tenants and to everybody! They used to love him with all their Irish fervour before these disturbances broke out."

"And these disturbances have been created by vile political agitators," exclaimed Glorvina. "The people are a generous, hotheaded, patriotic race, and wicked men take advantage of their very virtues to lead them into peril. For my part," she added more calmly, "I think they have just cause for complaint. As a nation, we have been for centuries systematically ill used by England; but it is not by secret societies or assassinations that Ireland's wrongs can be righted. It is her deadliest enemies who suggest such a course."

"And what will Mr. Coghlan do, Miss Desmond?" asked Captain Leicester anxiously. "Will he not move his family to Dublin?"

"No I think not," she replied. "It would not do to obey the orders of such people; it would make them a hundred times worse. If one loyal gentleman were to fly at a threat, everybody would be served with one of Captain Rock's processes, and the country would be left to the Whiteboys."

"Yes. Of couse he ought not to leave; but surely, you ladies——"

"Do you think we would leave papa?" interrupted Eva indignatingly. "Not one of us would do so; would we, Glory?"

"No, indeed," responded Glorvina. "My guardian will take precautions, but we shall not leave him; indeed he treats the warning with contempt.

It is Mrs. Coghlan who has had bolts and bars put to doors hitherto ignorant of them.

"But, surely," said captain Leicester, "it would be well to have some of our fellows at the house. Would Mr. Coghlan permit me to stay there with a few men?"

"You can ask him replied Glorvina; "and we are obliged for the offer, Captain Leicester; but I don't think he will accept it." Here the children interrupted the conversation by rushing impetuously up to them, Nora exclaiming—

"Eva will you speak to Teddy and make him give up my ball?"

"Eva," exclaimed Teddy, "she gave it to me, and now she wants it back again!"

Eva laughed, and said that Nora ought not to ask to have a gift back again; but that, as she was only a little girl and he a big boy, she thought it would be more manly if he returned it.

"And I," added Eva, "will buy you a new cricket-ball at the fair next week in place of it."

"I hope my tutor will play cricket with me," said the boy, as he gave back Nora's ball to her. "Do you think he will?"

"I dare say he will," was his sister's reply.

"Is he going to have a tutor at home," asked Tim.

"Yes; mamma can't bear to part with him—after poor Dan!"—with a sigh. Little Dan Coghlan had been killed at school by an accident in the playground. "Papa has engaged a clergyman to live with us to teach Teddy."

"And the Parson is not alarmed by the possible danger of his position here?' asked Tim, laughing.

"No papa told him the country was disturbed; but of course, he knew it. He is an Irishman from Dublin University. He will not be afraid."

"I should think not!" exclaimed Teddy. "Fancy a grown-up man afraid! What would Glorvina say to that? Why, do you know, she means to marry the bravest man she can find; and I want her to wait for me?"

There was a general laugh as Teddy drew up his little figure with the air of an infant hero.

"I really think I will wait for you, Teddy," said Miss Desmond, holding out a small white hand to him; "you are such a darling!"

"Thank you, Glorvina!" cried the boy; and, turned to her, he threw his arms around her neck and kissed her. "I will make haste to grow up and deserve you!"

Glorvina, releasing herself from his embrace, rose.

"The sun is gone quite out of sight," she said. "We had better return to the house, Eva; it grows chilley now after sunset.

Miss Coghlan complied with her request, and they turned homeward, Captain Leicesters by Eva's side, and Tim O'Brien by Miss Desmond's.

"And so" he said to her, as they walked a little in advance of the others, "you mean only to wed a hero, Miss Glorvina? I'm thinking I would take service under King George, if it would give me a chance of winning you!"

"Being a soldier does not necessarily make a man a hero," she replied laughing.

"But it gives him an opportunity of showing if he's one or not! Tell me, should I have a chance with you if I wore Leicester's fine feathers?"

"Not any," she replied firmly, though kindly. "If you had achieved feats worthy of the Round Table I could not love you, Mr O'Brien. Pleaselet us not return to this subject; it is useless, and disagreeable!"

A frown rested on Tim O'Brien's face.

"I never give up anything I have resolved to have," And in spite of yourself, I will win you yet, Glorvina!"

Looking greatly annoyed, Miss Desmond drew up her stately figure, turned suddenly back to her companions, and joined them with some slight remarks about the evening; then taking Teddy's little hands into hers, she walked beside them on the grass, and gave Mr. O'Brian no further opportunity of pressing a suit hehad obstruded on her for some time past in vain. In truth, Glorvina; was more than indifferent to Tim O'Brien; she disliked him instinctively, though he was a great favorite with all the Coghlan family, and was treated as a son of the house. She had a distrust of him for which she could scarcely account, unless it was for her belief in physiognomy, which told her that Tim's very handsome face bore nevertheless the impress of a crafty nature.

On their return to the house, they found tea ready for them, and Mrs. Coghlan seated before the urn. She was a very pretty woman, still in the flower of her age. Her husband, who stood near the window, was many years older, and slightly lame. Tim O'Brien was cordially greeted by both, and Captain Leicester by the host, who had been out of doors when the young soldier called in the afternoon and walked with the young ladies to the lake.

"I saw your father, Tim" said Mr. Coghlan, as they sat at their meal, "I find that he also had a missive from Captain Rock—confound him!"

"Oh, sir, you never told us of it!"

"I did not know it till this minute," replied Tim, a dark flush spreading over his face; "but I suppose all the gentlemen are in for the same."

"What is Mr. O'Brien going to do?" asked Mrs. Coghlan, a little anxiously.

"He did as I did," replied her husband—"exhibited his precious epistle to the bench to-day; and more troops will be sent for; but I don't see that they are really required. I think we make to much of those threats.

"But they have been awfully fulfilled in the case of poor Brown and L'Estrange," said Captain Leicester gravely, naming two agents who had been recently shot.

"That is true, and it is a disgrace to the country. But they were Englishmen and were extremely severe on the tenants. All who have been threatened have not actually suffered. Certainly neither O'Brien nor I will be scared away from our homes."

"Was the warning to my father exactely like your own?" asked Tim O'Brien, still looking anxious."

"Not quite!" laughed Mr. Coghlan. "He is to be spared and protected if he will deposit one hundred pounds for the good of the cause' under the great stone near Creightown village."

"And will he do so?" asked Tim with eagerness.

"Of course not! There is no fear of O'Brien's paying the blackmail to the rebels. But it is a new idea—the only warning with such a clause in it."

"If it would save him and mother from danger, I think he had better pay it said Tim.

"My dear boy, it would be treason to do so! No, no! If we treat their menaces with contempt, the rascels will soon give up their foolish attempt to frightening us."

"I am not sure that they are mere threats," persisted Captain Leicester; "and I was saying just now, Mr. Coghlan, that I should be happy to bring some of our men here and remain for a few days till we see if any attempt is made to carry out their threats.

"We are very much obliged for your kind offer," replied Mr. Coghlan; "but we could not think of troubling you Your presence would be acknoledgment of fear on our part. Besides, remember how near the barracks are to us. Why you must be able to hear our alarum-bell if we rang it; it can be heard in the village close to you!"

"Then pray ring it at the slightest alarm!" said the soldier. "We are always on the watch now, keep in barracks, and ready at a minute's notice to go anywhere."

Then the conversation took another and more lively turn; and, when tea was over, the two young men departed. Captain Leicester had to be early in barracks, and Tim O'Brien declared that he thougt it would be prudent to accompany him so far.

"For" he added "I have my gun, you know, if we should be interrupted."

"And I," said Leicester,, with a quiet smile, "have pistols."

As the two young men passed the lodge gates, the young officer glanced back rather uneasily.

(*To be continued.*

LOVE WITHOUT NONSENSE.

About two months ago a young woman entered an office in Justice Alley and took a seat without speaking to any one, and it was only after 2 long hours had dragged away that his Honor inquired what he could do for her.

"I want to get married," was her prompt reply.

"To whom?"

"To the fellow who has been waiting on me."

"Where is he?"

"I don't know. He agreed to be here long ago, but I shant' wait any longer. We'll come in some time during the week."

In about ten days she appeared with a white haired William on her arm and said they were ready to be married, but just then a fire alarm was turned in and away went the lover at the top of his pace to see the fun. As he did not return in the course of an hour the girl said she guessed they'd postpone the marriage to another day. On the fourth day after, the pair once more entered the office but a law suit was in progress. They sat together, hands clasped and eyes full of love, while the lawyers abused each other, but after the case had hung out till about dusk they got discouraged and went out, the girl saying to his honor:

"Never mind—some other day will do as well."

"But don't get discouraged?"

"Oh no. We simply thought we'd get married, but there is no cause for any rush about it."

Three days elapsed, and his Honor sat looking into the bowl of his pipe when the pair opened the door, walked in and removed their hats, and the woman said:

"If you haven't got anything to do just now you may marry us, and I'll get back to my sweeping and dusting."

The cermony was speedily begun and concluded, and the bride turned to resume her shawl with the rmark:

"William, I'll pay the fee, and you can hand it to me sometime during the month," and she took out a wallet.

"All right, Mary. I'll be over and see you the last of the week."

"Very well—go 'long, William."

She paid the fee, waited for a certificate, and went out with the remark:

"Excuse the bother, sir, but we did think it best to marry, and I'm sure we're quite obliged to you in addition."—*Detroit Free Press.*

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Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

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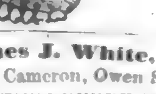

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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
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FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
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IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

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Meat for All
AT
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The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
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China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that
I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.
Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.
Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 6-tf

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROWS AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.
FLESHERTON.
To MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,
Fashionable Tailor,
FLESHERTON.
Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.
Cutting done while customers are waiting.
A Good Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
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Agent for the following Implements, &c.:
The Massey
MOWER,
HARVESTER, and celebrated
HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)
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DICK'S
ALTON PLOUGHS.
ALL KINDS OF
Fittings and Repairs
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FOR SALE, CHEAP.
Licensed AUCTIONEER
FOR THE COUNTY.
Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.
Charges Moderate.
R. J. McCOY.
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GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE,
Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
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THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workmen employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

Organ for Sale.
A FIVE OCTAVE ORGAN, nearly new, one of Clough & Warren's (New York) celebrated Instruments. Cost $209.00; will be sold at a great reduction on above price.
A. W. EATON.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-31*

Public Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.
The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.
JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf

WHERE IS YOUR BOY TO-NIGHT.

Life is teeming with evil snares,
The gates of sin are wide,
The rosy fingers of pleasure wave
And beckon the young aside.
Man of the world, with open purse
Seeking your own delight,
Pause! ere reason is wholly gone—
Where is your boy to-night?

Sirens are singing on every hand,
Luring the ear of youth,
Gilded falsehood with silver notes
Drowneth the voice of Truth,
Dainty lady in costly robes,
Your parlors gleam with light,
Fate and beauty your senses steep—
Where is your boy to-night?

Tempting whispers of royal spoil
Flatter the youthful soul
Eagerly entering into life,
Restive of all control.
Needs are many, and duties stern
Crowd on the weary sight,
Father, burried in business cares,
Where is your boy to-night?

Pitfalls lurk in the flowery ways,
Vice hath a golden gate,
Who shall guide the unwary feet
Into the highway straight?
Patient worker with willing hand,
Keeping the home hearth bright,
Tired mother, with tender eyes,
Where is your boy to-night?

Turn his feet from the evil paths,
Ere they have entered in,
Keep him unspotted while yet he may,
Earth is so stained with sin.
Ere he has learned to follow wrong,
Teach him to love the right,
Watch, ere watching is wholly vain—
Where is your boy to-night?

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

"I hope we may not hear the alarum bell to-night," he said. "I can't get over an uncomfortable foreboding about the family. Coghlan is to confident. Did you notice that the shutters were not even closed when we left? Any one out side would be able, with the lights inside, to see all over the room. And they have only two men-servants in the house—that old butler and a mere lad. I shall advise Coghlan to hire another man—a good strong fellow."

"Better not," replied Tim curtly. "Those who he has are trustworthy, both of them. A stranger might let in the White-boys."

"Hilloa!" exclaimed the officer, stopping short. "What is that in the copse?"

Tim turned and just distinguished a gleam of white disappear behind the trees at the side of the road.

"Bridget Mahoney's white cow," he said, laying his hand on Leicester's arm as he was raising his pistol. Nothing worse I assure you. I have often seen the creature here. I saw her as I walked past to-day."

The young soldier dropped his arm.

"I hope you are right," he answered doubtfully; "but I thought it resembled a human figure."

"Not a bit of it," declared Tim; "only everybody nowadays has White boys on the brain."

There was a tinge of sarcasm in his tone, and Captain Leicester looked around at him sharply. But Tim had no sneer on his lip; on the contrary, he looked grave and even troubled, and his companion turned away in silence.

At the barracks gate they parted company. Captain Lecister did not invite him to go in and spend the evening with him; and young O'Brien a little disappointed—for he corted the military—walked on, muttering to hinself—

"A coneited ass! I wonder if it is the heiresss he's after? But of course it is! Money and beauty united most always win the day against mere prettiness and a small portion, such as Eva has! But he shall never have Glorvina—by Heaven!"

CHAPTER II.

The alarum from St. Kevin's did not call out the military that night or the following one, and the household began to forget their uneasiness. Mr. and Mrs. Coghlan and Eva went into town on the morning of the second day after receiving the warning; the father on business and also to bring back the expected tutor; the lady on the plea of shopping, but, in reality, because they both had an unspoken dread of loosing sight of the beloved husband and father. Glorvina would doubtless have gone also, had she not yielded to Mrs. Coghlan's entreaty that she would stay at home and take care of the children. The mother would thus be relieved of one part of her anxiety; for people were beginning to dread a repetition of the atrocities which had disgraced the rebelion begun by Lord Edward Fitzgerlad and persued after his death with revolting cruelty.

Glorvina had the children with her all day, and, weary at last, had left them with the nurse, when she heard the sound of wheels in the avenue; and, thinking the family had returned, ran to her room to smooth her hair, disorded in romping with the little ones, and then descended to the drawing-room, confirmed in her idea by seeing a pile of luggage at one end of the hall.

On throwing open the door she was startled to find, not the Coghlans, but a stranger standing in the room. He turned as the door opened, and she precieved that he was a slight, pale young man, wearing spectacles and the dress of a clergyman. He was not more than five feet eight in hight, and a stoop—caused probably by habitual bending over books—rather detraced from his stature. Glorvina guessed at once that this was Teddy's new tutor, and she advanced to greet the stranger, who looked shy and frightened, she thought, as he precieved her,

"You are Mr. Surridge, I believe?" she said, smiling. "Allow me to introduce myself to you as Glorvina Desmond—Mr. Coghlan's ward. I suppose you have somehow missed Mr. Coghlan, since you have arrived here before him. He and Mrs. Coghlan went into town to day, partly with the intention of meeting your coach and bringing you back with them."

"Mr. Coghlan told me of his intent to do so," replied the stranger, with a shy, diffident air, "and I waited for some time—an hour at least—at the inn. Then the Landlord told me that possibly, owening to the state of the country, Mr. Coghlan might be prevented from coming to town; so I thought it better to go on. I hired a car, and came here. But"—pausing a little—"a rather alarming incident occured on the way. My driver sang rebel songs—chiefly 'Shan Van Voght'—the whole way we came, whispering to me once that he did it for protection. At last we meet four men. One addressing my driver, asked if he had seen Pat Malone in the town that day. He answered, 'No; he ain't seen, and he's not a-coming to-day, I hear.' The fellow who had spoken muttered an imprecation and turned away. My driver lashed his horses; then, turned to me, said, 'The Virgin forgive me for that lie! If they find it out it's my life that will pay for it!' I asked, 'Did they mean any harm to this Patrick Malone?' His only answer was a whistle. But I am certain those men were on an evil errand. Do you now of any Patrick Malone in this neighborhood, Miss Desmond?"

Glorvina turned very pale.

"My guardian's name is Patrick Malone Coghlan," she said, "and he has reciently recieved a warning from Captain Rock."

The young man looked very grave

"Then probably he owes his life today to my car driver," he said. "This is an awful state of things!"

"It is indeed," agreed Glorvina "But pray sit down, Mr. Surridge; I trust my guardian will soon be home."

Glorvina seated herself, and then came a singular pause. The moment the subject which had interested and excited him ceased being discussed the stranger became even more shy than he had been on Glorvina's entrance. He looked away from her, answered her remarks and questions in in a confused manner, and was evidently thoroughly uncomfortable. Glorvina, accustomed to the bold self-assertion and assurance of their young Irish neighbours, was surprised and a little amused at his shyness. Yet the student who moved his hands so nervously and looked so bashfully away from her was unmistakably a gentleman. His face was refined and intellectual, though not handsome, and his voice sweet, with the tone of cultivation in it. Would her riotous child-lover Teddy ever obey one whose manner was so timid and diffident? She feared not. But other and heavier fears were busy at her heart. The day was fast waning, and the Coghlang had not returned.

She was beginning to express her anxiety about them when she heard again the sound of wheels, and, going to the window, saw, with glad thankfulness, her friends safely returned. She ran into the hall to meet them, and to tell them that the tutor had arrived.

"Tiresome fellow?" exclamed Mr. Coghlan. "We have been waiting for him this hour! We sent the boy up to the inn to ask him if he would come to us at Doctor Delayne's. He sent back word that he would be with us as soon as he had found his luggage, which he had lost, if we would be kind enough to wait on him. We waited till we were weary, but he never came. I did not think it right for Eva and her mother to be out any later; so we sent word that he was to follow us, and at last set out for home!"

"How extraordinary!" exclaimed Glorvina. "He certainly never recieved any message. He told me that he had waited an hour for some tidings of you, and then Kavanagh presuaded him to go on in a car."

Kavanagh is the hotel keeper.

"But the boy told me that it was Kavanagh who gave him the message!" declared Mr. Coghlan.

"It is some blunder," said his wife curious to see their new inmate. "Come in and speak to Mr. Surridge." And, entering the drawing-room, followed by the two girls, they gave the tutor a cordial greeting.

He heard with shy amazement of the message which he had neither received nor sent, and no little wonder was excited by the incident.

"Could it be," diffidently suggested the new tutor, "that the landlord had purposely delayed Mr. Coghlan, knowing that he would be waylaid?"

And then he repeated the story of the car-driver's conduct.

Mrs. Coghlan turned pale and grasped her daughter's hand; the father looked grave and puzzled.

"It might be so," he said slowly; "for no one knows who is really in league with the White boys, and Kavanagh, the landlord of 'The Shamrock,' owes me a good turn ceartainly Well your lives are in heaven's hands."

"But you shall not drive into town again for a manylong day!" exclaimed his wife vehemently.

"There will be no need for some time," he replied. "I have secured a good sum from the bank, and you have laid in provisions for a seige."

"That is pleasant to know," said a rich voice at the open door, and, turning in surprise, they saw Tim O'Brien standing there. "How are you all?" he added, advancing. I found Connors at the hall door getting in packages, so I came in unannounced."

"Glad to see you," said Mr. Coghlan, shaking hands. "We have just returned from town, as you perceive. Sit down, my good fellow, and you shall have dinner soon. It is much after the usual time."

"Well, I won't refuse, for I got but a snack at Biddy Latouche's as I came along."

"Mr. Surridge," said their host, turning to the tutor, "will you allow me to show you to your room? Murphy will have taken your luggage to it by this time."

The words directed O'Brien's attention to the clergyman; he turned and looked at him with a cool impertinence which was peculiar to Tim; and Glorvina noticed that, though the tutor flushed as he met that gaze, he returned it steadily and with dignity; then he left the room with his host.

Glorvina, not wishing to be alone with O'Brien, put her arm around Eva and went up-stairs with her to help her to remove her walking dress. Little Norah met them at the top of the stairs, and kissing Eva, who ran by her side into her bedroom.

"So that is the new tutor!" exclaimed Eva. "Teddy will never mind him! He looked frightened to death when we spoke to him."

"I am afraid Teddy will lead him a life!" responded Glorvina, laughing. "He is so shy! He put me in mind of Marlow in dear Goldsmith's play of 'She Stoops to Conquer' when he had his first interview with Miss Hardcastle. After one wild stare at me, he never looked into my face again; and after telling me, with eager excitement, of the car-driver's words, he grew so confused that I could make nothing of his sentences."

"Oh, I remember Marlow!" said Eva, laughing. "We saw the play acted in Dublin. A fellow who could not say 'bo to a goose,' but came out all right at the end. But it is provoking of uncle Alfred to send such a man to teach Teddy. Ted will never mind him. Ted does not even mind Tim O'Brien. And uncle Alfred said this man was such a wonderful and so learned!"—disappointedly.

"That may be quite true dear. He is probably totally unused to the society of ladies. He has wasted all his life at Trinity, depend upon it. But Teddy would have better appreciated a sportsman than a bookman."

"And so would mamma and I," replied Eva. "Mamma has been saying what a protection a strong young man—a gentleman too—would be in the house to defend papa in case of real danger. But this poor man—why, a breath of air would blow him away like a puff of thistle-down! A fine protector, truly!"

The dinner bell—unusually late that day—interrupted their chat, to which Norah had listened intently, resolving to confide it at once to Teddy as she did shortly afterwards, to that young gentleman's profound disgust.

"A fellow like that to come to teach me!" he exclaimed indignatly. "I'll teach him, Norah, you may depend!" And hereupon Master Teddy began to devise a trick which was to have much more important results than he dreamed of.

All unconsious of the designs against him, the tutor had meanwhile made his simple toilet, and descended to the drawing-room. Dinner was served soon afterwards; and James Surridge, a silent, or nearly silent, observer, perceived with satisfaction that the family of his employer were corteous, pleasant, and refined people with whom it would be easy to get on.

"O'Brien," said Mr. Coghlan, as the soup was removed, "have you heard of Captain Rock's disclaimer of your father's warning?"

"No, sir," replied Tim.

"Well, a paper has been affixed in the market place, signed by Captain Rock and declaring, 'on the honor of an Irish gentleman,' that Mr. O'Brien's warning never came from him, and that it is for the rights of Ireland and not for the 'dirty gunieas' they are 'up.'"

"Oh, I am glad!" exclaimed Glorvina. "It is such a shameful come down from their pretensions. They may be rebels; but they are not thieves."

"My dear," said Mr. Coghlan gravely, "surely you do not rank assassination beneath theft—I mean as a crime of less magnitude?"

"Oh, no," replied Glovina, "of course not! But still——"

"No, no, child," interrupted her guardian, "don't excuse them. They ought to come forth openly and fight for what they deem their rights like men, not shoot down unoffending people from behind hedges."

"Yes, indeed!" sighed the girl. It gave her a bitter pang that her countrymen should thus belie their manhood.

There was much discussion as to the new tutor when the ladies returned alone to the drawing-room. Mrs. Coghlan highly appoved of him.

"A gentlemanly modest young man," she said, secretly rejoiced that the new inmate of their house was so little attractive; for the sole objection she had made to a resident tutor was that Eva might fall in love with him.

"And she is not rich enough to a poor man," she had declared to her husband, "since the place is entailed on Teddy."

(To be continued.

A RAILROAD DEPOT BURNED.

LOSS TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

A fire broke out at midnight, on March 30th, in the freight warehouse of the Quebec, Montreal, and Ottawa railway at Hochelaga, just outside the city limits. There being little water available and only one engine at hand the flames spread with frightful rapidity until they had a full grasp of the entire building. A quantity of powder which was stored within exploded and consummated the work of destruction. The fire spread to the passenger depot, which it soon reduced to ashes. An employee of of the railway had a narrow escape from being burned to death, and owes his life to the firemen from the east end, who hastended to the scene, but could do nothing to quell the flames owing to the want of water. The origin of the fire is unknown at present. The loss cannot be definitely estimated, but is thought to exceed twenty thousand dollars, including the goods that were in the warehouse. Both the passenger and freight depots were of wood.

A man named Phileas Prevost was killed near the depot when the fire broke out, by an engine running over him he was attempting to cross the line. Mr. Payette, who was rescued by the firemen, ... severely injured.

VITAL STATISTICS.—The number of births, marriages and deaths recorded for the city of Hamilton for the past three months ... deaths 181 ... a large natural increase.

Farmers AND Mechanic's Agency,

DUNDALK P.O., COUNTY OF GREY, ONT.

Parties who wish to BUY or RENT, a good FARM, will call at my office in Dundalk, and examine my LIST of FARMS FOR SALE. Owing to my very extensive business in Selling, and Renting Farms, I have adopted a system of conducting this branch of my business, which gives entire satisfaction, to both SELLER and PURCHASER. Be sure and call, before you close a bargain elsewhere, as you can REALIZE more value for your money by buying land in this locality than in any other section in Ontario. Just give me a call and be convinced. SEND FOR CATALOGUE.

ADDRESS, **A. G. HUNTER,**
DUNDALK P. O., COUNTY GREY. THE PEOPLES AGENT.

MONEY TO LEND.

I am now lending money, at the lowest current rates of interest, and I am well aware of the sharp competition amongst agents, in lending money, therefore I wish it to be DISTINCTLY understood, that I am in a position to lend money on the very best terms, and for the lowest rates of interest. As I am in connection with the leading MONEY INSTITUTIONS of the Dominion, and do business DIRECT with them, you can therefore rely on terms &c., &c.

Parties who have BAD TITLES to their PROPERTY, or those who have claims to OLD COUNTRY LEGACIES, or parties who have been connected with the AMERICAN ARMY, would do well to correspond with me, or if possible call and see me personally, as I attend to the INVESTIGATION of such claims. SEND FOR CIRCULAR.

N. B.—All business entusted to me will always receive my prompt attention.

A. G. HUNTER,
DUNDALK P. O., COUNTY GREY. ESTATE AND LOAN AGENT.
APRIL 6th, 1881.

FARM FOR SALE, OR RENT for a TERM of YEARS. 50 ACRES ... W. BROWN. Markdale, April ... 1881.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 2nd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7.20 a. m.	12.20 p. m.	5.00 p. m.
Carlton	7.53 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.06 p.m.
Klein'urg	9.05 a.m.	2.12 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.06 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.06 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.20 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.25 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.20 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n& Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.38 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 15th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper,

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$6.00
" " Mail, "	6.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to givenotice by letter(returning the paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for payment,

2. Any person who take a paper from the post-office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has suscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

3. If any person ordered his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

N. B. Any persons who takes the STANDARD for more than three weeks, without notifying us that he does not wish to subscribe, will be held responsible for a year's subscription.

We learn, as we go to press, that the Scott Act was defeated in Hamilton yesterday, by a majority of 1,200.

ADVICES from England state that the health of Lord Beaconsfield is in a very critical condition, and that very slight hopes are entertained of his recovery.

LAST week's issue of the STANDARD contained a supplement presented to our readers by the well known firm of T. Milburn & Co., Toronto. The various preparations of their house have long been staple productions in the market, and their medicines, to our especial knowledge, have gained a well-deserved popularity. Their latest production is a Tonic and Blood and System Renovating Compound, known as "Burdock Block Bitters." Most of our readers are familiar with the medicinal virtues of that common pasture weed Burdock, and many a matron is wont to resort to its healing virtues, and many a cure has been performed in a simple manner when medical sience and skill have been baffled. We are informed that during the past year there has been gathered a large supply of this root alone, affording the diggers a handsome remuneration. Many other roots, herbs and barks are likewise gathered, and the hands engaged in the manufacture of Burdock Blood Bitters are pushed to their utmost in preparing this compound for the trade. Although we learn that the remedy has been scarcely a year before the public yet the demand already exceeds the supply, but the proprietors now inform us that their facilities are perfected for any emergency. However prejudiced any may be to the use of a patent medicine, when one sees the number of testimonials that have been published they must be forced to acknowledge such marked evidence of its curative properties that they can only wonder why any should be sceptical. We would ask the particular attention of our readers to the advertisement, assuring them that whatever is claimed by the proprietors of this remedy may be implicitly relied upon. The season of biliary complaints and blood diseases is now approaching and we advise the afflicted to test the virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters.

We notice that the streets in front of Noble's blacksmith shop, Mansion House and Reynolds & Son store has been scraped, and the winter's accumulation of dirt drawn into heaps for removal. This is a move in the right direction, and an example which some others in our village might follow. In fact it is an imperative necessity if the health of the village is of any importance to our people. The cleaning of the streets, however, is not all that is necessary, the yards, outhouses and cellars require to be attended to, and that right soon. The warm weather is now rapidly approaching, and if the accumulated filth and dirt that may be seen in all directions is left to be acted on by the daily increasing heat of the sun the miasma arrising there from will carry death and desolation into every house in the village.

We regret to have to use such strong language, but we think the occasion calls for it. We cannot look camly on and see the health of the little ones jeopardised without having our word to say in their defence. There are two streets in our village the equal of which we do not believe can be found in any other place in the Dominion, we allude to Elizabeth and Queen streets. Our citizens need never hope to see much of an addition to our population, unless better sanitary measures are adopted.

We hope oureaders will take these remarks in the spirit they are meant, and act on them. By so doing they may save themselves a good deal of bitter sorrow in the future.

PRICEVILLE.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

We held our quarterly examination in the public School of School Section No. 7, Artemesia, on Friday, April 1st, and are sorry to say there was a poor attendance of the ratepayers. It is astonishing how little interest parents take in the progress of their children. The Trustees were greatly pleased with the success of the Teacher's efforts in imparting instruction, and the aptness with which the scholars answered all questions put. One of them remarked the good feeling existing between the Teacher and the Scholars. This school was very near depopulated during nine months of last year in consequence of the fever raging in Priceville and vicinity, though we are glad to say only one case proved fatal in this section. There is some prospect of a school house here to take the place of the substantial though rustic log one, which is falling behind the times, in consequence of the rapid stride education is making in our day.

It is astonishing how good the sleighing keeps on the back roads, and it so late in the season; there is fully six feet of snow some places around here on the roads yet.

[This should have appeared last week but was crowded out.]

HOLLAND CENTRE

From a Correspondent.

A certain young man of this community has been growing up for more than eighteen summers, but strange to say he has of late taken suddenly to growing *down*—the down is especially to be seen on his upper lip.

One of our enterprising young men was led as a victim to the matrimonial altar, on Wednesday last. We wish him success. Mr. Sheins another of our foremost young men is preparing to build a beautiful residence on Front Street. What is to follow *that* your correspondent sayeth not.

Several of our mechanics are about to leave for fairer climes. Some are going to the "Great Lone Land", and one to the presuming *Markdate*.

On the 29th ult., the annual Missionary meeting was held in the Methodist Church here. There was a good meeting, the Rev Mr McDiarmid, of your town was the chief speaker.

The mud is not so deep here as when the young man lived, who said, "It is a mistake, the centre of the earth is not a mass of fire *it is only mud*."

Mr Alfred Williams is building a steam Saw Mill at *Berkeley*.

The hens about here are doing their duty for Easter.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Proton Council met as per adjournment, at Hopeville, on Friday April 5th, 1881, at 10 a. m.

Members of Council all present.

Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of two previous meetings were read and confirmed.

As notified the trustees of school sections Nos. 4, 7 and 13 were in attendance.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Black, that the petition of John McLuhan and a number of others praying to be allowed to form Unions with the school sections of West Luther be received and that the clerk is hereby instructed to give the required notice to the trustees of sections Nos. 9 and 3 and the matter will be considered at next meeting of Council.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the petition of A. Riddell and others praying for the formation of a school section in and around Hopeville out of parts school section 7, 4 and 13 be not granted as the territory of two of the sections purposed to be effected is now so small that they can with difficulty maintain efficent schools.—Carried.

Moved in amendment by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that the petition of Andrew Riddell and others asking for a school section in the neighborhood of Hopeville be laid on the table until next meeting of Council and then considered.—Lost.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that the claim of Thos. Talbott against this Council, be laid over for farther consideration.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that the Clerk be instructed to write the County Treasurer to erase the arrears of taxes on lot 18 con. 1 for the year 1878.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that James Doyle be refund $13.98 it being paid to the County Treasurer and paid to the Township Collector for the year 1878 by mistake as taxes on lot 16, con. 1.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that Christopher Irvine having paid taxes on lot 18, con. 17, to the Treasurer after the Collector before the defaulters roll, and before said roll is sent to the County Treasurer, that the Treasurer be requested to erase said lot from defaulters roll and sign a receipt for the same to the said Irvine.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that the bill of Calvin Vert for messenger to this Council be paid, amounting to $3.50.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Black, that the petition of certain ratepayers of S. S. No. 12 praying to have said section united to S. S. No. 3, be allowed to lie on the table until next meeting of Council for further consideration.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that John Moore receive the sum of $25, for deviation of road on lot 10, con. 19, and that a conveyance of the whole deviation be made to the Council before the said amount is paid and that Isaac Trayner, P. L. S., be employed to make a survey and plan of the same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the report submitted to the Council by the Treasurer of the Collector's roll just returned showing amount of roll $9023.07, amount collected $8860, exemptions $119.98, be received and engrossed in the minutes.—Carried. Moved by Mr. McArdle seconded by Mr. Abbott, that his Council adjourn to meet in Mr. Gordon's Hotel, Dundalk, on Friday the 15th April, 1881.—Carried.

JOHN VERT,
April 6th, 1881. Clerk.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday April 4th.

Present—Dr. Christoe, Reeve; T. Wright, Dep. Reeve; Messrs. Webster, Elliott and Pedlar, Councillors.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved of as read.

Communications were read as follows:—F. Nixon, Dundalk, *re* damages to horse on 190 side-road. J. Dormer, *re* refund in part of taxes on account of loss of building by fire. S. H. McKittrick, Orangeville, and G. Wilkinson & Co., Aurora, *re* road scrapers. A. R. Fawcett, Flesherton, *re* township printing.

R. Myles, Reeve of Euphrasia, personally waited upon the council.

Accounts as follows ordered to be paid:—W. Richardson, stationary and telegrams, $6.09; Mrs. Thompson, bread for Sherwood's family $8.25; W. M. Clark, repairing chimney on Town Hall, $1.65; R. J. Sproule, postage for three months $1.17; W. R. Rombough, for plan of McDonald's survey, Priceville, $5; W. J. Bellamy, quarter salary as Clerk and Registrar, $37.50.

Petitions as follows presented and read:—Police Trustees, Markdale, *re* commutation of statute labor. J. Henderson and others, *re* opening part of 180 side-road.

Application of trustees of school section No. 12, received. By-law No 524, to authorize trustees of school section No. 12, to borrow money introduced by Mr. Webster, and read a first and second time.

Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that by-law No. 323 appointing municipal officers for 1881, be now read a third time.—Carried.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that Samuel Bowles be allowed to perform two days satute labor for Lot No. 22, Con. 14, charged against said lot in 1880, and that upon certificate of pathmaster, that said work has been performed, he be refunded $2, and that Adam Hislop, be allowed to perform statute labor for 1881, for lot 24, con. 11, on new Valley road.—Carried.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the prayer of police trustees, of Markdale, be granted and that a by-law be introduced in accordance therewith, statute labor to be commuted at sixty cents *per diem*.—Carried.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the Reeve and Clerk be a committee to finally audit the Auditors' report, and that two hundred copies be printed.—Carried.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the township printing be given to Mr. Fawcett, of Flesherton, and that all former resolutions regarding printing be rescinded.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that Joseph Dormer be refunded $8.40, being taxes in part, on account of loss of barns and contents by fire.—Carried.

Council adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY,
April 4th, 1881. Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Will you be kind enough to give space in you valuable paper to to the following remarks, having saw some of your correspondents in your issue of the 7th of April, about the greater want felt in Markdale, of a woolen factory. The writer has run a custom woolen mill at the village of Markdale during the past seven years and intends to run it this season. Now if the people of this place feel the want of a one set factory, let them subscribe one thousand dollars bonus to the undersigned and I will give a guarantee to put in the necessary machinery and run the factory, and thus would give this merchant you speak of who bought such a large amount of wool, an opportunity to get it made into cloth, and thereby employ a number of hands, and keep the capital floting in the village for the benefit of all parties. Why not give the preference to the man who has spent twenty-three years amongst you and bore the burden in the heat of the day.

While I remain yours, a lover of justice and truth,

W. P. RITCHIE.

Markdale, April 9th, 1881.

[We do not think the village is inclined to the giving of bonuses, but we do think there are advantages which would warrant a good live business man to invest capital in any of the manufacturing lines which we mentioned last week and they are open to all.—ED. STANDARD.]

The election for reeve of Collingwood to fill the place of Mr. Hogg, disqualified, took place on Saturday. Mr. Moberly was elected by a majority of 171.

A ROUGH TIME

EXPERIENCE OF SETTLERS IN DAKOTA.

From the Boston Globe.

A story told by Joseph Sterrette, of Big Lake, Dakota, who has just managed to break through the terrible snow blockade in that section of the country, gives only a fair statement of the troubles experienced by the settlers during the severe winter. Mr. Sterrette pre-empted 160 acres of farm land in Big Lake two years ago, and at once moved on it with the family and settled down to work. At the end of the year he was in shape for farming, and had a comfortable cabin. He laid in the quantity of fuel and prepared for winter, but it proved more severe than he or his neighbors had calculated. In fact Sterrette's better preparations for the rigour of the season turned out to be the only means which prevented himself, family, and several neighbors from starving and freezing to death. In February he found it necessary to rescue the entire families of two neighboring farmers, not so well housed, from perishing by cold, by taking them into his own house. The cold was so steady and so bitter that before the season was half over the fuel which he had gathered to last until spring was all consumed. Then he and the men staying with him went out and took down the fences and out houses and burned them. The heavy snow fall, which at this time blockaded the railways, was piled in such drifts about the house were Sterrette and his neighbors were domociled as to absolutely cut off all communication with the outside world. The mercury fell lower than ever; the winds grew fiercer, and the surrounding snow caked and solidified. At this time they dug their way—or rather mined it—through the blockade to the railway near by, and dug out ties which they chopped up, took home, and burned to cook their scanty food and save their wives and children from freezing. When the ties and telegraph poles that could be reached were consumed, it was decided to dig through to the cabins of those sheltered in Sterrett's house and break them up for fuel. This was done. The bitter cold still continued Sterrett's furniture was next sacrificed even to the beadsteads, trunks, and children's toys. While the cold imprisoned pioneer's were upon this last supply of fuel a consultation was held and it was decided to make a desperate attempt to drive through the deadly blast on the crust for relief. John Becker agreed to go. A sleigh was prepared, and five horses hitched to it, Becker started. It was a terrible undertaking, and when the brave man left there were tears frozen upon his cheeks. Becker persisted in taking a fine shepherd dog. He gave as his reason;—"I don't know what may happen; I would rather bury Carlo in my belly than have him freeze to death." Sterrette and his companions became alarmed when at the end of two days Becker did not return, and they started out for him. They had not gone far when they came across a hole in the drift where Becker had broken through. The man was found curled up in the sleigh frozen dead. His faithful dog was lying huddled up against his breast dead. The five horses were standing lifeless on their feet, all frozen stiff. The men carried Becker's body back, made a coffin of the sleigh, nailed the corpse up in it, and then revently placed it in a corn crib until the weather should permit of its burial. Soon after this, and just as the party was on the point of despair, the weather moderated sufficently to break the snow blockade, and Sterrette and friends found relief. A neighboring family during this time had no other food than soup made from an ox-pelt which happened to be in the house when the blockade began.

AVIRAGO'S HIGH JINKS.

A well dressed woman by the name of Margaret Hogg, claiming to be a sister of Martin Hogg, of Harriston, arrived there from Leadville, Colorado, on Thursday, April 7th, remaining over night and next day. She undertook to view the town, and in doing so partook of an occasional drink until she became rather under the influence of liquor. While looking around the market she came in contact with a couple of men, when a conversation took place, which ended in a quarel, and the woman knocked and kicked both men out of time in short order. From this she proceeded to one of the hotels and while one James Close was trying to make a trade of some kind in the bar-room she approached, and making her brag of having killed several men in Leadville she tried her skill on Close. Drawing from her pocket a revolver she pulled the trigger twice, but the weapon did not go off. Close asked the hotel-keeper if the pistol was loaded. He replied "no," and that she had pointed it at him several times during the day, and it never went off. The woman then snapped the pistol again, when it went off, the ball just grazing and burning the cheek of Close. She then retired and took the after noon train which was due and left for Paisley. A message was at once sent to Paisley for her arrest, and she was brought back here on Saturday morning, when she was brought before the mayor, convicted and sent down for trial. Next morning while in charge of the constable she asked for a few minutes leave, which was granted, and she left and has not been heard of since. The constables are in hot persuit after her, but have not overhauled her yet. She is a large manly loooking woman, with plenty of money, and seems to be putting in a good time generally.

LATER.—The woman Hogg has been captured at Clifford and will be brought back here this evening, when she will likely be more closely looked after.

THE OKA INDIANS.

A SCHEME FOR THEIR REMOVAL TO ONTARIO

It is understood that arrangements have been made for the transfer of the Oka Indians at Two Mountains to another section. During the present week Mr. Choquet, representing the Seminary authorities, and Mr. McGirr, agent of the Indians, where at Toronto interviewing the Ontario Government in relation to the purchase of a tract of land for a reserve. Ten thousand acres were arranged for in the Parry Sound district. It is said the price to be paid is 50 cents an acre. The Seminary St. Sulpice are to pay for the land, and also the cost of removing the Indians to the new reservation, which has yet to be selected. Yesterday afternoon Messrs. McGirr and Choquet had an interview with the Superintendent of Indian Affairs, who is to manage the business now under way, in the presence of Chief John Tavishe and Ignace Altonie, two of the Oka tribe, when matters were agreeably arranged. Mr. Choquet left for home last evening. Mr. McGirr saw Mr. Vankoughnet again to-day, and left for Oka with the Indians to-day. The land about to be purchased will be selected without delay, and the removal of the Indians begin at an early day. The carrying out of the present arrangements will thus finally settle the long pending Oka Indian troubles.

THOROUGHBRED STOCK IMPORTATIONS

HALIFAX, April 11—The Dominion line steamship Texas, from Liverpool, which arrived this morning, has the largest consignment of thorough bred cattle ever imported into Canada. It consists of sixty pure bred polled Angus, Hereford, and shorthorn bulls and two Clydesdale stallions for the Cochrane Ranche Co., who are about starting a stock farm of 10,000 head at the foot of the Rocky Mountains. There are also three Guernsey cows, imported by Hon. J. J. C. Abbott, eight Clydesdale stallions for Beatty and Holderness, Toronto; fifty Oxford Down sheep for various parties in Ontario, and over one hundred head of thoroughbred polled Angus, Hereford, and shorthorn animals, male and female, including a Duke bull and Barrington and Leavington heifer, and seventy-five Oxford Down sheep for Senator Cochrane's stock farm at Compton. They will be shipped through on a special train, in bond, to Point Levis, where they will be quarantined. Prof. McEachran takes charge of the shipment.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

A car-load of horses will de shipped from London to Winnipeg this week.

Diphtheria is still prevalent among children at Ottawa, and deaths are occuring daily.

Mr. J. Salter, of London, is in correspondance with the Wingham authorities in reference to starting a cotton factory there.

It is stated there is a detective in London, under instructions from the general manager of one of the banks, keeping an eye on the personal habits of bank clerks.

Latest advices recieved by the Department of the Interior in regard to Sitting Bull were to the effect that he was on his way to surrender to the American authorities.

DEATH FROM POISONING.—News comes from Tara of the death from poisoning on Wednesday of last week of Mr. Samuel Muir, a well known resident of the village. His wife died about three months ago, after a lingering illness, and he lived alone since that time. It is not known whether the poisoning was accidental or intentional. Another family living in the same house heard his cries, and when the door had been forced open, found him beyond medical aid, expiring in a few minutes afterward.—*O. S. Times.*

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A man named Geo. Patton, of the township of Keppel, was tried before a bench of magistrates on Monday, 11th inst., on a charge of having fired the dwelling of one Campbell, of that township. Patton was remanded until tomorrow, when the case will be resumed, and additional evidence adduced.

SPRING SHOWS.

Euphrasia, Friday, April 22nd, at Rocklyn.

Collingwood Township, at Clarksburg, Thursday, 28th April.

St. Vincent, at Meaford, Friday April 29th.

County, at Owen Sound, Monday, 26 April.

Shelburne, April 21st, in Shelburne.

BIRTHS.

ANDERSON—At Williamsford, on the 1st inst., the wife of Mr. A. M. Anderson, of a daughter.

MILLER—In Mount Forest, on the 24th ult., the wife of Mr. Wm. Miller, blacksmith, of twin sons.

LEVER—In Artemesia, on the 11th inst., the wife of James Henry Lever, of a daughter.

CREAR—In Markdale, on the 13th inst., the wife of J. Crear, Station Agent, Markdale, of a daughter.

DIED.

JACKSON—In Holland on the 9th inst., Catherine, relict of the late David Jackson, aged 83 years.

MILLER—In Mount Forest, on Monday 28th March, Ellen Robison, beloved wife of Mr. Wm. Miller, aged 38 years and 4 months.

HAMILTON—In Sydenham, on the 18th March, Mr. John Hamilton, aged 63 years.

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THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, April 15, 1881.

Flour	5.90	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.03	to	1.10
Fall do. do. do.	0.94	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.63
Potatoes.	0.80	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.15
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	[illegible]	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.47
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.35
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]	"	0.2[illegible]
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	[illegible]
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, April 14th 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.02
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.76
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	0.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.28
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.08; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.5c; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

TORONTO,

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, April 14, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1	08	to	$1	10
Wheat, spring, do.	1	10	to	1	18
Barley, do.	0	79	to	0	91
Oats, do.	0	39	to	0	40
Peas, do.	0	63	to	0	67
Rye, do.	0	80	to	0	80
Clover Seed do.	0	00	to	0	00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7	50	to	8	00
Beef, hind quarters	6	00	to	7	00
Beef, fore quarters	3	00	to	4	00
Chickens, per pair	0	50	to	0	70
Fowls, do.		40	to	0	40
Ducks, per brace		50	to	0	60
Geese, each		50	to	0	60
Turkeys	1	00	to	1	75
Butter, large rolls		12	to	0	15
Butter, tub dairy		17	to	0	20
Butter, store-packed		18	to	0	20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0	13	to	0	14
Eggs, packed	0	00	to	0	00
Apples, per brl	1	00	to	1	50
Potatoes per bag	0	50	to	0	65
Onions, per bag	2	00	to	1	50
Hay	8	50	to	14	25

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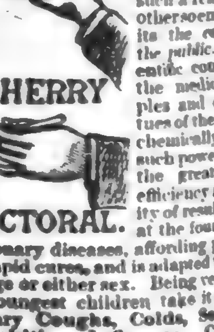

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... April 15th, 1881.

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... ROLL.—For March, S. S. No. ... Kenethon. Marks obtainable ... Fourth Class—Ann Jane Breen, ... Annie Dean, 156. Senior Third ... Montgomery, 169. Second ... Wm. Thomson, 177; Jane ... 174; Richard Breen, 169. ... First Class—Maggie Corbett, ... Annie Martin, 183; Lizzie ... 180. Junior First Class—... Taylor, 150; Geo. Wellwood, ... RHONDA GRAHAM, Teacher.

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Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
[D]ozen Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, direct from manufacturers.
[Y]ards Black Broad-Cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
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... Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
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96 " " 50 " " 75 "
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Durham—Third ... month.
Priceville—Mon...
Hanover—Mon...
Mount Forest—T... each month.
Guelph—First We... month.
Harriston—Friday ... Fair.
Drayton—Saturday befo...
Elora—The day before ...
Douglas—Monday bef...
Hamilton—Cyrstal P... the day after Guel...
Berlin—First Thursday in ...
Brampton—First Thurs... month.
Listowel—First Friday ...
Fergus—Thursday ... Forest.
Fe[v]ersmont—Fifteenth ... April, June, August, Oc... cember.
Primrose—Wednesday pr... Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd ... each month.
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Markdale, April 6th, 1881.

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DUNDAL[K]

personally every Friday.

All orders left at my store will be promptly attended to. Thanking my numerous customers for their very liberal patronage, I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

W. F. DOLL...

March 3rd, 1881.

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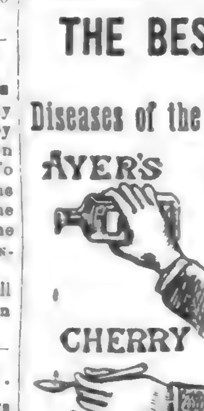

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[TH]E STANDARD.

[Fr]iday, April 15th, 1881.

[LOC]AL & OTHER NOTICES.

... sugar making weather.

... pulls and sugar socials are the order of the day.

... Wilcox's stock of jewellry—a ... just arrived.

... us 15 lbs. of good maple mo[lasses] and we will give you the STAND[ARD f]or one year.

... will bring us five dozen of ... for Easter, for which we wi[ll give the] STANDARD SIX months.

... our dealers for "Castorine" ... oil, and see that the barrel ... "Castorine," as none other ... same.

[Rob]ert Askin, Cabinet Maker and [Under]taker, has arrived and opened ... Burn's block. He has also a ... for hire.

[Me]ssrs. Corbett, of Owen Sound, ... secured the contract of the [mach]inery for the elevator at Toron[to], which is being built for the T. G. [& B.] R.

[An]y persons having a farm to rent, ... do well to leave particulars at [this] office, as we know several parties ... ing to get such.

... to Miss Burch's for Fancy ... Laces, Fringes, and all the ... of the season. Spring stock [of mi]llinery just opened out.

[We] have been authorized to state, [that] any one found fishing before the ... season, will be prosecuted [with]out respect of persons.

... Curtains and Carpets give tone [to a] house. W. J. McFarland has Curtains from $1. per pair up, Carpets at 30c, 65c, 75c and $1. ... [exce]llent value.

[Mr]s. T. G. Morgan, Hair Dresser, [will] be in Flesherton on Thursday, ... inst. Parties wanting hair done [in]to Switches, Puffs or curls will ... at the Flesherton Hotel.

... dont know whether it was to ... ize our new barber, or that he ... een attending taffy pulls, which ... one of our prominent citizens ... ove his flowing beard.

[Acci]dent on the 13th inst., a daugh[ter of] Mr. Francis Walker of Glenelg, ... 18 years of age slipped and fell ... g her arm below the elbow it ... t by Dr Sproule.

... "Castorine" Machine Oil, for ... ds of machinery, it is also ex[cellent] for harness and leather, mak[ing it w]ater and weather proof. For ... dealers.

... —Mr B. Wright of Art[emesia] ... has a heifer not yet three years ... is the mother of three living ... one of them a year old, and ... er two calved within the past ... s, both of which give every in... n of living. We would like to ... beaten.

... Eggs.—Mr. G. J. Blyth placed ... table on Monday, 11th inst., ... ggs laid by his thorough bred ... hens on that day, measuring ... ively. 8x6¼, inches, 7¾x6¼, ... 7¼x6½ inches, and turning the ... 10 z ... Next.

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... CHAPMAN.

... druggist for a trial bottle ... ock Blood Bitters, it will only ... 10 cents, and a few doses ... ve its efficiency as a health re... g Tonic-regulator of the Bowels, ... and Kidneys. It is a specific for ... seases arising from impure blood ... isordered secretions.

... readings, recitations and addresses, [inter]spersed with vocal and instru[mental] music is a pleasant way of ... g an evening, but when in ad... warm sugar is thrown in it be... "perfectly sweet." If you go [to D]ufferin Hall next Monday, you ... get all this for 20c.

[W]HAT is the price of your best ...?" asked a Flesherton swell of one [of Mc]Farland's girls. "Only one ...." "Ain't you a little dear?" ... yes," she replied, "At least ... says so." Kids, Ties. Shirts, ... Collars, Braces, Silk and ... Handkerchiefs, and under... —Bottom prices, at McFarlands.

... younggentlemen of our usual... te village must have been in the ... condition as the moon the other ...—pretty near full, otherwise ... would not have mistaken Grant ...ellew's sign for a target, and ... their skill as marksmen by firing ... at it, and disturbing the much ... rest of our hard working Citiz[ens] with their midnight orgies. Boys ... it again, or you might be ask[ed to] contribute to the township funds.

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FOR No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE and other machine oils, try Hackett Bros.

DIVISION court in Dufferin Hall, Markdale, 10th June, to commence at 2.30 o'clock.

ANOTHER car load of seed wheat shipped fram Markdale, to Bracebridge this time.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

McFARLAND'S new Milliner has arrived. We heard a young man say since her arrival, he is sorry he is engaged.

THE next sitting of the Division Court will be held at Flesherton, on Friday the 22nd inst., at 10 a. m.—J. W. Armstrong, Clerk.

A BARGAIN.—A beautifull Parlor (Lady Dufferin drawing room) suit, will be sold at cost. J. W. Bates, Flesherton.

THERE is to be a sugar festival in Dufferin Hall, on Monday, 18th inst., for the benefit of the P. M. Church fund. Admission 20c, or six for $1.

MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Casttorine" machine oil to any other, i- will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

For all purposes of a Family Medicine, Hagyard's Yellow Oil is at the head of the list. It is used with unprecedented success, both internally and externally. It cures Sore Throat. Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites; relieves and often cures Asthma.

WE were in Mr. Bradley's Mill, Flesherton, last week, and judging from appearances he is doing a rushing business. He has a good stock of logs in for his saw mill, and is doing a good gristing business. From our short acquaintance of Mr. B. he is worthy of sucess.

THE snow is rapidly disappearing, and the roads are anything but pleasant to travel on. Some of our exchanges speak of having seen robins and other harbingers of spring, but as yet we have not been visited by anything of that kind in this locality.

JOHN HOPKINSON, Auctioneer, has received instructions from James Graham, lot 16, con. 12, township of Proton, to sell without reserve, on Tuesday April 16th, all of his farm stock, implements &c. All sums under $5 cash over that amount 9 months credit on furninshing satisfactory paper.

To ascertain if a man is energetic and pushing, and keeping up with the times, you have only to look in your local paper and see how much space he occupies in its advertising columns. That McFarland is one of the right stamp is evident from the fact that he is no niggard in this respect. See his advertisement in another column.

GENERAL ITEMS.

It is now proposed that the New-York World's Fair be put off until 1892, the anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus.

During the six years between 1870 and 1876 there were 63,442 persons exiled to Siberia by the Government of the late Czar.

A FACT.—It is a fact that Ireland spends yearly on intoxicating drinks about fifty million dollars, enough to buy out all the landlords and obivate the necessity of paying rent. Some of the Irish prefer to drink the whiskey and shoot the landlords.

FOUND DEAD.—A man named James Kennedy residing about a mile and a half from Durham, in Bentick, was found dead in his bed this morning. We understand that an inquest will be held this afternoon.—*Review.*

ACCIDENT.—One day last week, as a brakesman named Ryan, was coupling cars at the T.G. & B. Railway station his head was caught between the couplings and recieved a slight squeeze. If the couplings had come together an inch further than they did, instant death would have been the result.—*Orangville Gazette.*

A LITTLE ten-year-old son of Mr. J. Wiggans, of this town, has been taken sudenly ill by a bite of a dog, which had been given poison a few days ago. A rash has broken out entirely over the whole of his person, but under the treatment of Dr. Washington, it is to be hoped the little fellow will soon be able to be about again.—*Orangeville Gazette.*

THE trial of Mrs. King, the mother of the unfortunate girl who died recently from the effects of an attempt to procure an abortion, was tried at Owen Sound on the 8th April before the Police Magistrate. A few days ago a brother of the unfortunate girl was tried for having procured the drug from the druggist in Wiarton, when he, in his evidence, stated that his mother had sent him for it and that she administered it. She was arrested and lodged in Owen Sound gaol, and after hearing the evidence to-day, she was committed to stand her trial at the next assizes.

FROM THE MOUNT OF OLIVES.—Our townsman, Mr. R. McKnight, has just recieved a valuable curiosity in the shape of a ruler from wood grown on the Mount of Olives, and manufactured in Jerusalem. Everybody in Ontario has heard of Mr. D. A. Jones, of Beeton, and his enterprise in importing bees from the Holy Land. While in Palestine, he purchased an olive tree on the slope of the Mount of Olives, had it brought into Jerusalem, and there made into various articles as curiosities. one of these he has sent to Mr. McKnight, Secretary of the Ontario Bee-keepers' Association and we have no doubt it will be highly prized by that gentleman.—*O. S. Times.*

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C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.
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Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust that all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

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FALL AND WINTER!
AT AND UNDER COST
For Cash, for 30 Days.

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Markdale, December 29, 1880. 1-ly

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,
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J. GORDON.
Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

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JOHN MONTGOMERY.
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There will be Sold, on

Friday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1881,

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TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

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(Mutual and Cash.)

CONVEYANCING. Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work Correctly and Neatly done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing, I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.

AUCTION SALES attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT. To any having lands to dispose of I offer a splendid chance to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the Proprietors themselves. Correspondence solicited. In every department of my business I make carefulness, correctness, and fair dealing the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. D VIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 77-tf

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the entire control of the

FLESHERTON STEAM
FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY
AND REMOVED TO THE
Furniture Warerooms
TO THE
NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOINING THE FACTORY,

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to look after and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to any time since commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of
Furniture in all the Latest Styles,
and during the Winter I require
100,000 F ET OF GOOD
Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and Ash
LUMBER!
for which
THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.
Also a Quantity of Good Pine.
ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDING, ETC.,
AS USUAL.
Estimate of supplies Given on Application.

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham street. ☜

H. HOOPER.
Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

CHEAP CASH STORE.
Reynolds & Son.

JUST ARRIVED A FULL SUPPLY OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,
BOOTS AND SHOES.

TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

Don't Forget the Place.

REYNOLDS & SON.
Markdale, Dec. 31, 1880. 9

Burdock Blood Bitters

FOR SALE!

One span of driving horses; 1 span of working horses; 1 set of double harness; 1 new waggon; 1 light Sulky. Will be sold cheap for cash, or good note, on short time.

... Markdale, March, 1881.

FOR SALE.

ONE Yoke of 5 year old steers, well broken and handy. One span of working horses, young. One filly 3 years old, well broken to saddle and harness. One colt 2 years old.

Markdale, March ..., 1881.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Permit me most respectfully through the medium of the STANDARD, to offer a few suggestions to farmers. Having had ample opportunity for observing the system of farming, or rather want of system, practiced throughout these northern counties. I flatter myself on being capable of giving a few common sense hints of a practical nature that if adopted, would add very materially to the prosperity and comfort of the farming community. "I will speak unto wise men, let them judge what I say."

In the first place farmers should never go beyond their means, that is, keep out of debt, except when there is a good prospect of unmistaken gain; be ware of store bills, little foxes spoil the vines, pay as you go, and when you have nothing to pay with, go without. If your means are small exercise the greater economy. Remember to save the cents, the dollars will take care of themselves. Your home may be an humble one, but make it as comfortable and attractive as your circumstances will permit. Then there will be no occasion for seeking vicious enjoyment at the card table, or in the bar-room.

The farmers motto should be, a little house well filled, a little wife well willed, *easily found*, and, a farm well tilled, yes, *well tilled*. Don't undertake to cultivate more than you can do well. Few acres well tilled, will produce more than twenty acres done in a lazy, slovenly manner.

Farmers summer-fallow your land, by all means, have at least a few acres yearly in this condition. As a substitute for manure, sow clover, and when it is twelve or sixteen inches high, plough it under, it is an excellent fertilizer and will be the means of filling your barn with grain, try it.

Now for stock; this branch of husbandry is being regarded in different parts of the Province as the only means of resting the exhausted soil, and replenishing empty coffers, and I think there is no section of country better adapted for raising stock, nor more needed than here. But farmers I appeal to you, for your own sakes, do raise better stock, get rid of those caricatures that stagger about your barnyards, I wonder you are not ashamed of them, they look as if they had made a codicil to their will, and were making a last effort to get to the tanyard, and as to hogs, well all that can be expected of some of them is a grunt. Surely where peas can be raised in such quantity and quality—pork of the very best fibre might become a profitable article for exportation, try it. Then a nice flock of sheep—they are meat, drink, diet and lodging, to farmers; six good ewes will stock a farm in two years, produce four hundred per cent, with but little trouble and less expense. Then a span of good mares will do the work of an ordinary farm, and raise two colts every year, worth at least $80, this I know for a fact.

I would say don't purchase more farming implements than you absolutely require and when required, go to the manufacturer direct, and you will save money.

Keep from passing your notes to pedlars, and endorse for no man,—never.

Have a shed for all your farm implements, and don't have them out in the fields, and behind fences, when you have done with them. I have often seen ploughs frozen in the fields and the handles protruding through the snow like elk's horns; reaping machines, harrows and waggons, in like manner. Well, now, we will not speak evil of our neighbor; but would you not agree with me that the farmer, (*save the mark*) who acts in this carless, lazy manner, should have a dose of *cat o' nine tails* laid on his posteriors? Don't wince, if the cap don't fit don't wear it. *Fun aside*,—do please, do have a place for everything, and everything in its place; habituate yourself to economy and neatness, and you will find it both pleasant and profitable.

I have thrown out a few hints with honesty of purpose, and a sincere desire for the prosperity of those for whom they are intended; and if they should benefit *one*, by practical adoption, I will feel repaid a thousand fold for my trouble. I am satisfied; yes, confident, that the few suggestions I have made, if carried out systematically, would produce the fruits of wealth and comfort, and that the domestic and social condition of the farming community would undergo a radical change, so that squalid poverty and discontent would be supplanted by the fear of God, love of country, and general prosperity.

Thanking you for your valuable space,

Yours truly,

JAMES A. BLAIR.

COUNTY ITEMS.

CHATSWORTH

On Monday evening last the tenders for erecting the new grain warehouse here were opened and the contract awarden to Messrs. J. & W. Taylor for $1,690. The building is to be 40 feet by 70 feet with 24 foot wall and of a capacity of 40,000 bushels, It will have four parallel stone walls 70 feet long under it, and will be filled from the second floor, which will be approached by a bridge. The warehouse will be built on the modern plank principle and will be one of the best and most convenient north of Toronto, and a credit to the place.—*Adv.*

WILLIAMSFORD

On Saturday last a son of Mr. McCan was kicked in the thigh by a horse.

Same day Mr. George Stanley was putting an addition to his barn, on turning one of the logs the man at the corner struck his axe into the log intending to help to turn it, in doing it he cut Mr. Stanley's fore finger clean off above the upper joint, and the second finger was also cut to the bone. How the thumb, in fact the whole hand, escaped, is a miracle. Dr. Dannard, who had just returned from Mr. McCan's, hurried to the spot and dressed the wound.

John Douglas, Jr., cut his leg with the axe while hewing.

A son of Mr. Rossman's managed to cut two toes off his younger brother's foot. Mr. Rossman is rather unfortunate. One of his daughters a few days ago while amusing her self with her school mates fell and broke her leg.

Ephriam Page, a brother of the young man who cut Mr. Stanley, had an ear cut off in the chopping bush. A rather close shave.

We are indebted to the Owen Sound Advertiser for the above items.

HER LAST SLEIGH RIDE.

"Oh, mamma! is it snowing?" "Yes, darling it has just begun." "Isn't it nice, mamma; you know I want to live to hear the sleigh bells again." "Hush my child, mamma will not let you die. No, darling, you shall have many sleigh rides yet before you die." No, not many, mamma; if I could have just one it would be so nice." A little girl who had seen the snow come and go nine times lay dying in her humble home on St. Antoine street. Weeks and weeks the fever had burned within her and its fierce fire showed itself in the deep blue eyes and the lovely, innocent face. The mother, an ever constant watcher at the sufferer's pillow, had never given up hope, but the child, with that knowledge which seems to come to all before death knew that she would never join her merry playmates over on the school ground. Day by day as the fever burned she had wished for the snow to come, and when the white flakes fell the other day the loving mother changed the child's position that she might, unwarned, catch the first glimpse of the fleecy snow. The child gazed out into the flurried air long and earnestly, and then when the pain made her writhe, she turned an appealing look to the sad-faced mother, and said: "But mamma, I don't believe I shall ever have another sleigh ride. Now promise me that if the snow is on the ground when I die you'll have my coffin carried to the grave on a sleigh." "Why my sweet child, why do you make such a request! You shall not die—you will grow better to morrow." "But, mamma, promise me will you? Please, mamma, please." "Yes darling, yes." "Oh thank you, mamma; that's so nice. See, it is growing dark outside. Pull the bed near the window, mamma, so that I can see the street lamp. There, see—the flakes—they glisten Just—like—diamonds. It will be sleighing in the morning' mamma, and I shall hear the bells." Like the snowflake that falls upon the warm earth she melted away, and no one knows whether she woke to hear music and bells on that morning we shall one day open our eyes upon. A few days after passers by turned to look at a small funeral procession, and wondered why the undertaker had put his hearse upon runners so early in the season.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A FATHERLESS COUNTRY.

A man recently received a woodcut picture of George Washington, and pinned it to the wall near his office door. One day while at work his little girl came into his room, and espying the picture, started the following dialogue:—

"Who is that a picture of, papa?"

"Washington."

"Who was Washington?"

"Father of this country."

"Why was he called father of this country, papa?"

"Because he fought for its independence, and was a great good man."

"Is he alive now, papa?"

"No."

"When did he die?"

"December 14, 1799."

"Who is the father of this country now, papa?"

"No one; it's fatherless."

The little one was silent for a few moments, and then inquired:—

"Was he the little boy who could not tell a lie?"

"The same."

"Well, this country will never have another father, will it, papa?"

And the conversation was concluded with the emphatic remark:—

"Never! not even a step father!"

COLLISION ON THE NORTHERN RAIL WAY

About 6.30 on the morning of the 8th inst, as the Hamilton train was backing in here before starting on her regular trip a freight special collided with her about half way between Allandale and here, killing one man and injuring others. The man who was killed is a mechanical engineer in the railway's employ named Thornto, who came up from Toronto last night to make some repairs. He worked all night and before starting for home said he would take a run over and see Barrie. He was just entering the baggage-car from the platform when the trains met, killing him instantly the back of his head being completely jammed in. It is reported he leaves a wife and large family. The engine on the fraight train was running backwards, pulling the train, and she struck with such force that the tender was driven completely into the passenger coach, and the cab of the engine was smashed very badly. The fireman jumped without receving injury, but the engineer stood at his post, receving only a slight cut on the of side the head. His escape from death was most miraculous, as the cab of his engine is a complete wreck. One of the trainmen got his feet crushed but escaped otherwise, It is reported that a man was in the passenger-coacd when the train left Allandale, and has not been seen since. It is feared he is under the engine-tender, which is still buried in the passenger-coach. The collison has wrecked an engine, baggage-car, passenger-coach, and some flats. The track has been cleared, and trains are now passing as usual. There are a great many theories advance as to the cause of the accident, but it is hard to say who is to blame or how it happened. There was a heavy fog at the time, and the passengers at Barrie station could not see the train at a quarter of a mile off.

At 6.30 this afternoon an inquest was held on the body of David Thornton, who was killed by the railway collison this morning. After hearing evidence the jury returned a verdict blam both conductors and both firemen for negligence, and expressing their belief that the company should see that the rules are strictly enforced. The young man who lost his toes is Butler, not Bedford, as stated in the morning report.

If you suffer from any chronic disease arising from Impure Blood, Sluggish Liver, disordered Kidneys or inactivity of the Bowels: if your Nervous System is debilitated from whatever cause arising, do not despair, but procure a trial bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters; it will only cost 10 cents. Large Bottles $ 1.00. For sale by all medicine dealers.

RAISING A NEW CROP OF HAIR.

It was one of the by-laws of Heartache's Heavenly Hair Restorer, that it should be used liberally before retiring, rubbing itself into the scalp. Just before he went to bed that night, the man bolted the back door, put the cat in the woodshed, come in whistling the Fatinitza waltz, danced up to the clock shelf, and poured out what he supposed to be his hair fertilizer, he mopped it all over the scalp and stirred it well around the roots of the little hedge of hair at the back of his neck.

The glue bottle, by an unearthly coincidence, was nearly the same in shape and size as the hair sap bottle.

He went to bed.

"George," said his wife, turning her face to the wall, "that stuff you're putting on your hair smells as bad as a pan of soap grease."

"Perhaps I had better go up stairs and sleep," snarled George. "You're mighty sensitive! You wouldn't xpect that a man can put stuff on his head that will make his hair grow, and have it smell like the essence of wintergreen, would you?"

They went to bed as mad as turks.

This particular bald-headed man like a good many other bald-headed men, had to get up and build the fires. When he arose, next morning the sun peeped in at the window and saw the pillow cling to the back of his head like a great white chignon. At first he did not realize his condition; he thought it must have caught on a pin or shirt button. It looked ridiculous, and he would throw it back on the bead before his wife saw it, so he caught it quickly by one hand and "yanked."

"Oh! Oh! Darnation fishhooks! whats been going on hear? Thunder an' lightnin'!" and he began to claw at his scalp like a lunatic. His wife sprang up from her couch and began to sob hysterically.

Oh, don't, George! What is it? What is the matter?"

George was dancing about the room, the pillow dangling by a few hairs, his scalp covered with something that looked like sheet copper, while the air was redolent of war like expletives, a sif a dictionary had exploded With a womans instinct the poor wife took in the situation at a glance and exclaimed:

"It is the glue."

The bald headed man sat down in a chair and looked at her a moment in silence and then uttered the one expressive word:

"Glue!"

Now began a series of process and experience unheard of in the annals of chemistry.

"Jane, you must soak it off with warm water. I've got to go to Utica to-day."

"I can't, George," she returned in agility tone: "it's water-proof."

"Yes I might have known it; and I suppose it's fire-proof too, ain,t it?"

He scratched over the smoothe plating with his finger nails.

"It's as hard as iron."

"Yes—he said it was glue," replied she inocently, "can't you skin it off with your razor, George?"

"Don't be a bigger fool than you are, Jane. Get me that coarse file in the woodshed."

It may be imagined what followed, and now as the bald-headed man sits in his office he never removes his hat, for his entire skull is a howling waste of blistered desert, relieved here and there by cases of black court-plaster

A MISTAKE.

It is a great and often fatal mistake to take repeated drastic purgatives for constipation of the bowles, they induce piles ond cause debility of the bowels. Burdock Blood Bitters is a safe and perfect regulator of the bowels, arousing the torpid Liver and all the secretions to a healthy action; acting on the Kidneys, and renovating and toning the system in the most perfect manner.

STRANGE HALLUCINATION.

A curious case came up in the court of Chancery April 1st before Vice-Chancellor Blake, being an application by Mrs. John Albaugh, a handsome woman of Garafraxa, county Wellington' for a commission of lunacy for her husband, who is a wealthy man. Mrs. Albaugh testified that they were married 30 years ago, and that he had been insane for 18 years. One of his hallucinations was that his family were all devils and it would be no crime to kill them. For 16 years he had lived in a room by himself, which he kept locked when he occupied it and did his own cooking He had raved about calling meetings of the people to get up a raid on the banks in order to get gold and silver to pave the streets of New Jerusalem, which was to be located on his farm. He had threatened her life frequently He had been in the asylum twice. He had told her that he had fasted for forty days, because no one that had a dirty stomach could enter New Jerusalem. He had often threatened to roast the house and all the devils in it. He labored under the hallucination that she was to be Queen of the new city and ride on a scarlet horse and marry the Pope, which was to be the last wedding in the world. He had given her $1,500 which she spent in raising her family. The arguments in the case will be heard on Friday.—*Spectator.*

Do not let prejudise stand in the way of relief if you suffer from any lingering disease, Burdock Blood Bitters cure others, why should it not benefit you? It is a specific for all forms of Blood, Liver, and Kidney Complaints, Nervous Headache, General Debility, Scrofula and all diseases of the Secretory system. Trial Bottles 10 cents.

ENTERPRISE.—Just to show the enterprise of our fellow-townsman, Finlay MacRea, Esq., ex-Warden of this county, we may mention that he in company with Mr. Robert Bull, carpenter and builder, with seven workmen, went into the Township of Glenelg, thirteen miles from Durham, on Monday last, the 4th inst., and erected one story and a half framed dwelling House, 16x20, and had almost completed before dark, it only taking a few hours work form, two men to finish it next morning ready for occupation. Who says there is no life in Durham after this? All the workmen but two came back to Durham on Monday night.—*Review.*

YELLOW OIL is par excellence the remedy for Pain, Lameness, Rheumatism, Croup, Deafness, Burns, Frost Bites, Stiff Joints, and all flesh wounds. Any medicine dealer can furnish it.

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the

"BELFAST HOUSE,"

Also a fresh stock of

Groceies, Provisions,

CANNED FRUIT,

BISCUITS

—AND—

CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut

Side Pork.

FOR SALE. ALSO.

POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,

THE BEST IN TOWN.

BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA.

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Bentinck, Durham P. O

Jan. 13th, 1881. 13-tf

In Chancery:

DEWSON VS. WILSON.

PURSUANT to an order of the Court of Chancery, made in this cause, there will be sold with the approbation of T. W. TAYLOR, ESQUIRE, Master in Ordinary of this Court, by S. Meeking, Esquire, Auctioneer, at

McDERMOTT'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF BOND HEAD,

At the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, on

The 9th da of April 1881,

The following lands and premises, in one parcel namely: Broken Lot number three, in the first Concession, of the Township of West Gwillimbury, in the County of Simcoe, containing fifteen acres more or less. Also, pursuant to the above mentioned order, there will be sold by Robert Davis, Esquire, at the

MUNSHAW HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF FLESHERTON,

at the hour of twelve o'clock noon, on

The 12th day of April,

A. D., 1881, the following lands and premises, in two parcels, namely:

PARCEL I.

The South west part of Lot number two hundred and twenty, in the second concession south of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres more or less.

PARCEL II.

Lot number one hundred and twenty-one, in the first concession south-west of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing fifty acres, more or less.

TERMS of SALE.

One tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash at the time of sale, and a sufficient amount within one month thereafter, without interest to make together with the cash payment one quarter of said purchase money, the balance to be secured by mortgage on the premises, at six per cent per annum, payable in three equal yearly payments.

Each parcel will be sold subject to a reserved bid fixed by the said master.

The other conditions of sale are the standing conditions of the Court of Chancery.

Further particulars can be had from DENISON & MACKLEM, 15 Toronto street; [illegible] HOKIN, [illegible] & CREELMAN, Solicitors, Toronto.

Dated at Toronto this 16th day of March, A. D., 1881. Signed,

28-3w. T. W. TAYLOR.

Money! Money!

THE undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent. according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY,
Lot 130, 1st west T. & S. R. Artemesia,
Flesherton P. O.

March 23, 1881. 28-tf

AUCTION SALE

OF

VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Glenelg and Holland, in the County of Grey.

There will be sold on

Thursday, the 14th day of April, 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at

RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL,

In the

VILLAGE OF MARKDALE,

By virtue of powers of sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following property:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Angus McMillan, Lot number 28, in the 2nd concession north of the Durham Road, of the said township of Glenelg, containing by admeasurement 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—40 acres cleared.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgages from Samuel Young, Lot 57, in the 2nd concession, North-east of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—45 acres cleared, a good dwelling house, barn and stable.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale. For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & McKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

Or to JOHN LYONS,
Markdale.

Toronto, March 15, 1881. 28-11

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-2

Get your Horse Bills at the "Standard" Office, 4 cuts to choose from.

HILL BROS.

Wish to inform the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that they have partially opened their

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT,

And have secured the services of MISS MULLIN, Who from long experience in the Millinery business, will be enabled to give our friends

ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

We have partially opened, and will be fully prepared, as the season advances with all the

LATEST NOVELTIES.

Remember our goods will be

ALL NEW.

We respectfully solicit a fair share from our friends and the public generally. We don't do any button-holing, but will treat all courteously when making purchases, and tust our prices will be right. Our general stock will be found

Well Assorted

as usual. We would invite an early inspection whether you want to buy or not.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, March 30th, 1881. 29-tf.

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.
LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.
BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,
CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Uneaqualled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.

WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,

Sewing Machines, Organs,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton.

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell, at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 19, 1881. 28

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 145 in 3rd Range N. R., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING

PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber to return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood timber wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, P[roprietor].

THIS HOTEL ... recently ... First-Class ... with the best ... and cigars, and the table ... the season. The ... rely upon every attention ... fort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only ... a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive ...

Merry Christmas and Happy New Y[ear]

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to ... stock of

FRESH GROCER[IES,]

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFEC[TIONERY]

AND

LIQUORS

Everything First-Class, and at

RIGHT PRICE[S]

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MAL[T] ... TER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottle[d] ... section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINT[YRE]

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

MEDICAL HA[LL]

SEEDS

FIELD SEEDS

INCLUDING

CLOVER,
TIMOTHY,
CARROT,
MANGEL WURTZEL, &c.

GARDEN SEED[S]

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market [prices].

A. TURNER

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880.

STOP. MARK. LEA

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your M[oney]

R. J. SPROULE[']S

GREAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SAL[E]

AT THE

POST OFFICE STO[RE]

FLESHERTON

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I ... reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock o[f]

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILL[INERY]

Ready-Made Clothing

BOOTS AND SHOES

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE

and in order to do so,

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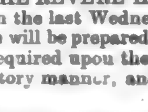

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The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, ... McRAE,
Clerk. Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6t.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

Some previous hints of her fears had perhaps decided Mr. Coghlan's brother in his choice of the shy, quiet looking clergyman whose college testimonials were so good and whose manner was so unattractive.

Mrs. Coghlan's estimate of the tutor's retiring disposition was confirmed by his conduct that evening, when the gentlemen joined them. He seated himself at a distant table and amused himself with looking at the book of engravings, while Tim O'Brien coaxed Eva to take her harp and by-and-by was singing with her and Glorvina. Both girls sang delightfully and Tim had a fine rich barytone voice. They sang national songs together admirable, while seated unnotised and under no constraint, the young clergyman gazed and listened, feeling as if he were in Paradise.

The music went on till late—till Murphy, the old buttler, brought in the hot water glasses, and whiskey for the usual brew of toddy; then Tim O'Brien declared he must be going.

"Nay," said the hospitable Squire, "not to-night. The times are not fit for solitary night-walks. Lily will have a bed got ready for you."

"It is not I that will refuse such an offer," laughed O'Brien, pretending to speak with a stronger accent than usual. "I will only too thankfully accept the chance of a breakfast with these ladies on the morrow."

So it was decided that their young neighbor should sleep at the Priory, and Mrs. Coghlan gave the needful orders for his bed-room to be prepared.

CHAPTER III.

St. Kevin's Priory was a large building of an oblong form, with a centre court of great size. The front faced the south, and there were turrets at some height at each end of the greatest facade, though there were none at the other two corners of the house. The eastern turret was a tall tower, at the top of which was suspended an alarm; the western one was full of small chambers used as bachlors roomswhen the house was full of guests during the shooting-season; for the stairs leading to the upper story from the south corridor were so remarkably steep that few ladies would have cared to ascend or decend them. They had in fact been built from a door made in the wall of the tower to connect its rooms with the family apartments, and thus save the guests from ascending the corkscrew staircase from the ground floor to their rooms.

The family slept in the corridor from which the staircase ascended, and there was no slight put upon the tutor by fixing his room in the turret, where O'Brien also was to be domiciled that night.

There were other guest chambers on the west side, but not connected with the inhabited part of the house. The servants slept in the east wing, in which were the officies. The north side was uninhabited, though still left furnished. It was said to be naunted, and was carefully avoided by the servants.

The room in which tutor now found himself was even on three sides, and rounded on that of the tower, where there was a long window commanding, as he percieved, a glorous view over the park, now softly defined in the clear moonlight. The room was well fitted up, and had a bookcase and a writing-table.

To his own surprise, for he had had a long and fatiguing coach journey, and was wont to slumber profoundly every night the young tutor could not sleep for thinking of the matchless eyes and of the thrilling voice which had called back the past as Glorvina sang, "The harps that once through Tara's Halls." How the air and the words haunted him! How those eyes smiled at him through the darkness and 'murdered sleep,' ! The stable-yard clock was beneath his window. He heard twelve, one, two, three, strike, yet no slumber came to his eyes. Presently there was a sound—a muffled tread outside his door. The tutor's hearing was quick. He sat up in bed and listened. Yes, there was certainly a step outside. Who could be moving at that hour?

Suddenly he heard a tremendous crash, and then a faint groan. The tutor sprang out of bed, lighted his candle by the rushlight which, in those days of steel and flint, was usually kept in bed-rooms, and hastened out of his room. There was no one outside, as he could see plainly, the circular landing, surrounded by four chambers, being brilliantly illuminated by the moonbeams falling through a sky light. He advanced to the head of the stairs, and saw, lying at the bottom of the flight, a human form motionless.

He hurried down at once; but before he reached the bottom, Mr. Coghlan's door was opened, and he also appeared with a light, followed by his wife.

What had happened was plain enough, Tim O'Brien lay stuned at the bottom of the stair case. Mr. Coghlan and the tutor were soon bending over him; they raised him gently in their arms, and he uttered a groan, but by-and-by opened his eyes and then exclaimed, "My arm!"—glancing at his right arm, which hung useless at his right side.

"It is true; he has broken his arm," said Mr. Coghlan. "Help me to carry him into this chamber, Surridge, please. It is a mercy it is not his neck, seeing the distance he has fallen."

Between them they raised and supported O'Brien into a large chamber opened from the corridor. Everybody was awake now, and two fair heads looked out of two near doors to see what was the matter. Mrs. Choghlan hastened to tell the girls, while O'Brien was placed on the bed.

"We must send off Tom for the doctor at once," remarked Mr. Coghlan.

"If you—if Mr. O'Brien liked," said James Surridge diffidently, "I can set the arm. I studied surgery when I was thinking of going out as a missionary."

"By all means," exclaimed Mr. Coghlan, "that is—— I suppose you would be glad to have it done, Tim, at once? And meanwhile send for the doctor to see it is all right."

After a moment's hesitation, O'Brien sullenly assented, and, with astonishing skill, considering he was only an amateur surgeon, the tutor set the bone, his hand seemed to be strong and tender. At the end of the operation O'Brien thanked him graciously.

"It feels all right," he said.

"Neverless I shall tell the groom to ride over for Doctor Macnamara at once," decided Coghlan.

"Will you send me a sponge and some vinegar?" asked the tutor. "The arm must be painful, and wetting the bandage will releave the pain."

"Do you mean to stay with me?" asked O'Baien, glancing up at him.

"Yes certainly till the doctor comes?" and Surraidge quietly drew a chair to the side of the bed and sat down.

"You are a good fellow," said Tim greatfully.

The young clergyman sat beside the suffer till daylight, when the doctor came. Doctor Macnamara examined the arm, declared he could not have set the bone better, and asked how the accident happened.

"I thought," replied Tim, "that I heard a slight noise in the house, so I got up and went out to see what caused it. I had no candle; the moon was sufficient, I thought. I stole softly down-stairs but on the third or fourth step, I tripped over something—I fancy a strong string—and fell at the bottom of the stairs, as you know."

"A flight of forty steeps, fully!" exclaimed Mr. Coghlan. "He means the bachelors staircase, which leads to the turret chambers."

The doctor shook his head.

"I wonder he did not break his neck!" he said. "I remember how steep the staircase is. Well, you must keep quiet now, Mr. O'Brien, and it will soon be all right. But was their any one in the house?"

"Not a soul; and there has been no visible attempt either at the enterance," replied Mr. Coghlan,

"Then it must have been some sound from the stable-yard I heard," said Tim.

"Like enough! I am sorry your kind intention to defend us should have cost you so dearly, Tim" continued his host; "but we are obliged to you just as much as if you had caught an army of invadors.'

"We had better leave O'Brien now," observed the doctor, "and go and examine the string of which he speaks. I hope this is not a bit of mistake of Master Teddy's."

"I will send one of the woman-serants to relieve you in a few minutes, Surridge," said Mr. Coghlan to the tutor; "and you had better go and make up your loss of sleep."

Then the doctor mounted the steep stairs to see how the accident had occured, and found that a skipping-rope had been ingeniously tied from baluster to baluster. It hung loose after the mischief had been done, forced by O'Briens fall.

"What a shameful trick!" exclaimed the master, angrily. "I will whip master Ted for this; it must be his doing."

"It might have caused even a worse misfortune," said the doctor gravely, "than it has."

Then they descended the stairs together, the doctor consented to stay for breakfast, and Mr. Coghlan proceeded at once to the nursery, to find Teddy. The boy was sleeping a happy smile on his face—Teddy Coghlan was a beautiful child—but his father, seriously angry, was by no means mollified by the pretty picture. He awoke his son at once.

"Teddy," he said sternly, as the blue eyes opened, "what is this you have done? Did you tie a string acrose the bachelors stair-case?"

"Papa" exclaimed Teddy, "what is it?"

"What is it? You naughty boy, you have nearly broken Tim O'Briens neck!"

"Tim O'Briens!"

"Yes sir; he has fallen down the bachlors stairs—tripped up by a skipping roap."

"Oh, papa" said Teddy "I am sorry! I meant it for the new tutor."

"The new tutor! and why should you want to break his neck?"

"I didn't want to break his neck!" whimpered Teddy. "I only wanted to play trick because Norah said that he was a muff and that Glorvina hated him!"

"Norah is a wicked child to tell such falsehoods! But you had no right to play such a trick as that. How did you manage it?"

"I listened till I heard a new step go by?" sobbed Teddy; "then I got up and went out. Nurse had not come up from her supper, so I tied the skipping-roap. I thought I would get up early and see him tumble."

"You were a very cruel wicked boy? You might have killed him."

"Oh, no, no!" cried Teddy. "It doesnt kill one to have a tumble."

"Some tumbles do," said his father drily. "At any rate one has broken Tim O'Brien's arm; so prepare for a whipping master Teddy."

And the punishment followed in due course.

CHAPTER IV.

Teddy's first introduction to his tutor was as a penitent, who had to apoligize for intending mischief; and James found it needful to point out to the boy the greater danger of practical jokes. Teddy was much impressed by the gentle reproof of his tutor, in whom he saw none of the stupidity assigned to him by Norah.

"It's just like girls," he said to himself, "to fancy a fellow is a fool if he does not care for them. I will punch Nora's head for her."

The tutor found time to visit O'Brien very often that morning, and to do all he could for the young man's relief.

'My father has been sent for I suppose?' said Tim, on one of these visits.

"Yes Mr. Coghlan has sent to him; but Tom brought word that your father had gone to Ballinara and would not be back till the evening."

There was a pause; and Tim said—

"Would you mind doing something for me? You will walk out, I suppose to-day?"

"I am going out with my pupil presently."

"Then would you mind going over to our place and telling the gamekeeper what has happened to me? He will be expecting me to go out with him and some friends as I had appointed and he can go to them and explain my absence."

"I shall be very happy," replied the tutor. "Where shall I go?"

"To Polwarth. Oh, Teddy nows the way? He has often riden over there on his pony with Coghlan."

"It is not to long a walk for the boy, I suppose?" asked James.

"No; he could walk twice as far, the young scamp! I will give it to him for the trick he has played me!"

Surridge promised to do as O'Brien asked; and soon afterwards set out with Teddy for his walk.

"Is Tim better?" asked the boy penitently.

"Yes; he seems free from pain."

"It must hurt very much to break hee's arm," observed Teddy. I am glad it was not you; but I didn't mean to hurt Tim.

"Can you show me the way to his home?" asked the tutor.

"Of course I can; but it's a jolly long way."

'Too long for your little legs?'

(To be continued.

A ROLAND FOR AN OLIVER.

A most amusing book is "The adventures of Mick Callighan, M. P.," just published in London. Mick, on theevening before leaving his paternal roof to seek his fortune, goes to the room of his tutor, Father McQuade, whom he found enveloped in a capacious night robe, surmounted by a night cap of the ancient extinguisher shape, tied around his head with a red cotton handkerchief af a wonderful pattern.

"An' now," said he, "kneel down till I give ye me blessin'. I'm not in me canonicals, but all the picthers I've seen of the blessed Saint Pether represents him wid bare legs—seein,' I suppose, bein' a fisherman, he had frequently to wade in the salt wather: an' as for driss, I never seen more an him, nor I've an meself this blessed minnit. It's nat the vistmints makes the praste, Mick, nor the gintleman ayther, as may be ye'll foind to your cost."

In thecourse of events Mick gives assistance to a man driving pigs to market. Both being hungry, they go into an eating house, and one of them takes up a dirty newspaper, which is well marked with mustard.

"Musthard?" said Larry: "fege? that minds me av Mick Murphy an' Dan Collins, two frins av moine that come over to England for the rapin' av the harvist, an' was walkin' on the quays in this town; an' mind ye, now, Danny had been over before, but Micky had niver been out o' the car-radjus o' the town o' Tipperary. they wor that hungry after the voige they didn't what to do at all, at all. When Danny sees 'Ristorant' wrut up over a shop, 'See now,' sez he, 'that's a place to ate; an' in they both goes: an' thin sur, they sees the waither wid a towl over his arm, and sez Danny, sez he, 'What can we get to ate?' 'Anything at all,' sez the waither. 'thin bring me a plate of mate,' sez Danny. So in comes the waither wid a plate of mate an' a large bowl of musthard; an' moind ye, now, nayther Micky nor Danny had iver seen musthard before in all their born days. 'What's the pay for the mate?' sez Danny. 'A shillin, sur,' sez the waither. 'An' what's that?' sez he, pointin' to the bowl. 'that's musthard,' cez the waither. 'An' what do you do wid it?' 'Yes ates it wid the mate, to be sure,' sez he, 'An' what the pay for it?' 'Nothin', sur,' sez the waither. Thin Danny looks at Micky, an' Micky looks at Danny, an' they both winks. Whin the waither turned his back, sez Danny, 'See here, now, Micky,' sez he 'I'll tell ye what we'll do, we'll pocket the mate for the journey, an' ate the stuff he gives for nothin',' an' wid that Micky rowls up the mate in his handkercher an' puts it in the crown av his hat; an' Danny he kep' stirrin' up the musthard an' after a while he opens his mouth an' takes a great dollop av it. Down goes his head, an' the tears kep' runnin' down out av his eyes. 'Danny, lad, sez Micky, 'what does be the matter wid ye?' Danny wouldn't let on at all, at all. 'But,' sez he, 'whiniver I think o'the death o'me great-grandfather, that wor kilt at the battle o'the 'Boyne, I can't kape from cryin' at all.' 'Don't take on wid ye like that,' sez Micky. 'Here, now, we're över in England, an' we'll make a power o' money at the rapin' before the harvest's over.' All this toime Danny he was stirrin' the musthard, an' he hands the spoon to Micky. he takes a big spoonful too, an' the tears come runnin down his nose. Danny wakes up, an' sez he, 'Micky,' sez he, 'what does be the matther wid ye?' 'Fegs,' sez Micky, 'I'm cryin because ye wern't killed along wid your great-grandfather at the battle of the Boyne?' Ha, he, ha? Begorra, he gave him a rowlint for an illiphist that toime.

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APRIL 6th, 1881.

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Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.18 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.06 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.30 p.m.
Depart	11 30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkeley	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.08 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9 16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkeley	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.03 p.m.	
Orangeville—			
Arr.	11 15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 22nd, 1881.

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THE REV. DR. PUNSHON

We feel sure that all our readers, without distinction of creed, will deeply regret to hear of the death of the Rev. Dr. Punshon, the eminent Wesleyan divine, at the early age of fifty seven. Most people will remember especially those of the religious body of which he was such a shining light, the five years he passed in Canada, and recall the cheery voice and eloquent tongue of the first minister of the Metropolitan Church. The following short sketch of the Rev. gentleman we condense from the Toronto *Mail*

He possessed a rare power of moving the masses by a fervid manner, and a secret power of persuasion which had nothing of the purely senseational element about it. The speech came from the heart, and did its secret work there. It is not too much to say that Dr. Punshon infused a fresher and higher vitality not only into the Methodist Church, but into the entire Christian community, with whom his essentially catholic spirit made him from the first, a welcome guest.

In 1868 he left England for Canada, and entered upon a new field of triumphant labour. During his residence at Toronto he certainly occupied the first place as a pulpit orator. But that was not all. He was a zealous worker in the cause of his Church and that of religious life generally. That he was utterly unselfish his whole course proves. His whole career showed a cheerful and hearty willingness—or rather vehement desire—to spend and be spent in the cause of his Master. As we have already said, he breathed new life into the Methodist body in Canada, his energy and fervour were manifested on all hands. The Metropolitan church arose under the spell of his eloquence as if touched by the wand of an enchanter. He was perhaps the most effective agent in bringing about Methodist Union; whilst the Victoria College Endowment, and the Foreign Missions of the Wesleyan Church, notably that to Japan, owed to his exertions the success which attended them. Dr. Punshon held the presidency of the Wesleyan Conference here five times, so complete was the confidence of the Church in his administrative ability, so warm their admiration of his zeal, power, and devotion.

Of late years the almost herculean labours of Dr. Punshon appears to have told upon his powerful *physique*. Certainly no one who had the pleasure of meeting him in Toronto, and enjoying his genial society, could have thought it probable that he would be cut down at so early an age by the breaking of "the wheel at the "cistern." Death may overtake men in many ways, by casualty or diseases; but no one could have anticipated that the robust frame we used to see in the streets or in the pulpits of the city was so early to be laid low. We can only add a simple expression of our sympathy with our Methodist brethren, by whom the loss will be felt most keenly. Others can remember the sturdy manlines and willing sympathy of the departed minister; but they alone can fully measure the loss.

Earl Beacon'sfield, England's late Premier, died on Tuesday morning 19th inst., at four o'clock r. m. The announcement was not unlooked for, as he had been suffering from asthma for some time past, and very little hope was entertained from the first, of his ultimate recovery. Thus one by one of the great statesmen of the age keep dropping off.

Obituary.—We are again called on to notice the death of another of our settlers, in the person of Mr. Archibald Park of Bentinck, who died last Sunday evening at the ripe age of 84 years. Mr. Park had been ailing for a few months and gradually went off. He came to Bentinck 31 years ago, and has always been noted as one of our best agriculturists. He took great interest in raising superior and thorough-bred stock and in the Agricultural Society, of which he has been vice-President for some years. His family are mostly well-to-do, and show the fruits of an early training, based on the principle that Industry and economy are the sure ways to success. His friends and neighbors will no doubt miss his genial countenance and exemplary mode of agricultural pursuits.—*Review.*

FLESHERTON

From a Correspondent.

While out delivering bread on Saturday, the 19th inst., Mrs, Thompson who was accompanied by her two children, met with what might have proved a very serious accident. Some of the barness became loose, causidg the horse to kick and swerve to one side precipitating the waggon with its occupants and bread over an enbankment of from 7 to 8 feet. Mrs. T. was considerably brused, but the children escaped with a few scratches.

Quite an excitement was caused by a runnaway team and a man running after them, quite black in the face. Upon inves tigation it was found to be no phenomenon, as the man had been born so.

A well known hard case was seen passing through our village in a farmers waggon, who stated he had found him lying on the road in an insensible condition with his head shaved, and his face painted. His trouble did not appear to have ended as he was lying in the bottom of the waggon with a circle tooth harrow over him. Verily the way of the transgressor is hard.

The Enumerators are here and, they have a column in which they put down all the widows; upon being asked why they did that by one of that class, it was stated because Sir John was going to get then all a man each.

Correspondence.

Notice.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

IS THE GRANGE INSURANCE COMPANY THE IDEAL OF THE GRANGE.

To the Editor of the Standard.

Sir,—As an interested member of the Grange Insurance company from its ealist formation, and also having acted in the capacity of an agent for the company. I have been examining the annul repoat of 1881, and unless some one can convince me to the contrary, I have come to conclusion that the Grange Insurance Company has not in any respect reduced the cost of insurance, but on the contrary, has set a most extrordinary example of extravagance in its management. I sustain my conclusions by *facts and figures* taken from their annul report of 1880, and I have just taken the Sydenham Insurance Company as a comparison, shewing the expenditure of both in detail:—

The Sydenham Fire Insurance Company

Amt paid for losses during the year of 1880	$1573.78
Paid Fire Inspector	12.50
" Director's Fees	1.20
" Salaries	120.00
" Printing	8.20
" Postage	20.67
"Stationary	3.63
" Petty Expences	00.00
" Auditors	00.00

Dominion Grange Insurance Company.

Amt. paid for losses during the year of 1880	$2181 62
Paid Fire Inspector	91.90
" Legal Expences	51.88
" Director's Fees	465.80
" Salaries	2118.75
" Printing	140.84
" Postage	171.59
" Stationary	13.70
" Petty Expences	50.63
" Auditors	63.25

By the above statements which are taken from the reports of each of the Companies it can be seen that it costs the Grange Insurance Company $143,-78 (between Legal and Inspection) expenses to settle sixteen losses amounting to $2181.62, and the Sydenham Insurance Co. $12.70 to settle four losses amounting to $1578.78, just about eleven times less expenses Sydenham than in the Grange Company. In the next place take the salaries. The Grange Co. pays its directors $465.80, and the Sydenham Insurance Co. $58, only about one seventh the cost. The Grange pays its Manager Treasurer and Secretary $2118.75, when the Sydenham Co. only pays $120, showing that the Grange Co. pays seventeen times more for such officers. Then take the item of postage in the grange Co., $171.59, which would pay postage of three cents each on nearly 60,000 letters. This is perfectly absurd. I do not care who would tell me, unless, that the man that mailed the letters paid postage on himself every time he went to the office. Now the fact is by comparison shown above, and by further comparing the aggregate expenditure of the Companies, less the amount paid for fire claims, viz. :—The Grange Insurance Co. $4,775,-05, and the Sydenham Co. $290.08, just about seventeen times less. Well, Mr. Editor, you may say, and so may my fellow farmers. Oh? Knott is an agent for a Stock Insurance Co., and probably does not like the Grange Co., that he is insured in the Sydenham, &c.; but, sir, I say no! I highly respect the officers of the Grange Insurance Co. I am of course an agent for a Stock Company. I have no interest in the Sydenham Insurance Co., but my insurance is expiring in the Grange, and a large number of other farmers insured in the Grange as well, who I insured myself has been asking me what was my oppinion about the Co. I have always said I believed it to be one of the safest Companies for agricultural insurance in Canada, but I certainly think that it might not be so expensive. It is not seventeen times a better Company than the Sydenham Co., one of our home institutions. It does not give you 17 times more security. It has only about one-third more, all told, of policies in force today, and these policies does not cover over one-third more risks, and I see no reason why that such enormous salaries and other expenditures should be enacted. The object of paying good officers well is highly recommendable; and no one will deny the ability of the founder of this institution who now is almost the heart and liver of it. It is nevertheless our duty as policy holders to guard against the first appearance of extravagance. And it is quite evident that their is no paralell between the economy of our friends of the Sydenham Mutual and the Grange Insurance Company. If there is, will some one prove it to me?

E. E. Knott.

Springfield, Euphrasia, March 31st, 1881.

To the Editor of the Standard.

Sir.—We observe that the president of the Glenelg Agriltural Society has called another meeting of the directors at the "Revere House" Saturday evening, 23rd inst., at 8 o'clock, to further consider the case of the defaulting late secretary treasure of saidSociety-it is to be hoped that Mr. Lyons will at once pay over the money in default to the society, and therefore save further trouble and expense. We trust that this unplesent case will, in future, prove a warning to all Treasures having itching palms, and an overmastering desire to appropriate public funds intrusted to their charge and lead them to pause before committing an act which might result in giving them free quarters in the provincial Penitatiary for half a decade.

A Reader.

GENERAL ITEMS.

Diptheria is prevailent at Cumberland, and many deaths are reported.

Joseph Whitley has discovered a 12-inch gold lead near Dartmouth, N. S.

A new Method church will be erected at West Winchester during the comming summer, at the cost of $13. 000. The necessary sum has already been subscribed.

Thirteen cars loaded with cattle for the English markets passed through Levis on Saturday from Toronto to Halifix, where they will be shipped for Glasgow.

Parties from Guelph, Ont., are arranging to start a woollen mill in Victoria, B. C., if they recieve a bonus of five thousand dollars from the city, five thousand from the provience, and free water taxes.

The London Ministerial Association yesterday discussed the question of amusements in the church, especialy devoting themselves to dancing, card rlaying, and theatre-going. No conclusion was arrived at, although a number of the members expresed view very liberly in their character.

The Napenee Town Council has resolved to submit a by-law to the people to grant a bonus of $5 000 to a company with a prosposed capital of $50, 000 to assist in the errection of glass works with a ten pot furnace, to employ not less than 45 men, and pay not les than $700 in wagies. The promoters having engaged 800.000 feet of lumber and secured about ten acres of land, of which five were given *gratis* by Mr. J. S. Cartwright of Toronto.

—The Barnesville (Ga.) *Gazette* says: "there is a lady living in this county who has had five husbands. She lives on the old Hightower Trail, and married four widowers in succession. The remarkable coincidence connected with this good lady's matrimonial ventures is that all her husbands lived on the same road and just one mile and a half from each other. The first widower lived one and a half miles from the lady, who was a widow, the second, third and fourth lived about the same distance from each other, so she has in turn had charge of each of the residences, and is now living happily with her fifth husband, within seven miles of her original home.

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HOW TO GET A WIFE IN INDIA.

(Life in Bombay.)

When a man in a decent rank of life wishes to marry, and can prove that he possesses the means of maintaining a wife, it is customary for him to apply to the mistress of the Byculla School, state his wishes and qualifications, and inquire into the number and character of the marriageable girls. An investigation immediately follows as to eligibility; and if all promises satisfactorily, he is forthwith invited to drink tea with the schoolmistress upon an appointed evening, to give him an opportunity of making his selection. The elder girls are then informed of his intended visit and its purport; and those who desire to enter the matrimonial lists come forward and signify their wish to join the party. Frequently four or five competitors make their appearance on these occasions in the mistress, room. The gentleman, while doing his best to make himself universally agreeable, yet contrives in the course of the evening, to mark his preferance for one particular lady. Should these symptoms of bedding affection be favorable recieved, he tenders his proposals in due form on the following morning. But it often occurs that the sellected lady does not participate in the inamorato's sudden flame, in which cass she is at perfect liberty to decline the honor of his alliance, and reserve herself for the next tea-party exhibition.

We have known the the instance when an amorous old gentleman from an out station presented himself three successive times at these soirees in the hope of obtaining a wife to cheer the solitudes of his up country residence, but all in vain; the young ladies unanimously reject dhim ith the highest disdain, wondering "how such an ugly old fellow could have the impudence to think of a wife? But a very different reception is given to the young dashing sergeant or smart-looking conductor; their attentions are never repulsed, and the announcement of the "chosen intends," as Miss Squeers would say, is anticipated with the utmost impatience by many anxious young heart. The wedding speedly followed, the bride.s modest "trousseau,, being provided from the funds of the estabishment, and every girl in the school cheerfully contributing her aid in the manufacture of the dresses.

Narrow Escape.—Mr Andrew Saunders, a son of Mr. David Saunders, of Sarawak, met with an accident, on Thursday last, which nearly terminated his life. While driving a load of lumber, it upset and fell on top of him leaving onlf a portion of his legs visible. A gentleman passing accidentally noticed his legs, and set to work at once to recover the body, believing that life was extinct. Further assistance arriving, the load was removed, and it was found that Mr. Saunders was still alive, although severely brused and an arm broken. The marvel is that he was not smothered in the mud, as he was altogether unrecognizable when taken out of it. He is doing as well as can be expected considering the injuries received.—*Tribune.*

DIED.

Askin—In Markdale, on the 19th inst., Ada Estella, daughter of Mr. Richard Askin, Merchant, aged 1 year, 10 months and 18 days

Norton—In Holland on Sunday 10th inst., John James youngest son of William and Elizabeth E. Norton, aged 6 years 2 months and 18 days.

SPRING SHOWS.

Euphrasia, Friday, April 22nd, at Rocklyn.

Collingwood Township, at Clarksburg, Thursday, 28th April.

St. Vincent, at Meaford, Friday April 19th.

County, at Owen Sound, Monday, 26 April.

Shelburne, April 21st, in Shelburne.

THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

Friday, April 15, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.00	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, April 14th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.72
Oats	0.00	"	0.3o
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	8.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.0[illegible]; spring wheat $1 to $1.08; Barley 60c to 70c; Peas [illegible]; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 70c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 10c to 13c; lard 9c to 10c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $3.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c tallow 5c

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto, April 14, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 08	to	$1 40
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 72	to	0 91
Oats, do.	0 39	to	0 40
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye, do.	0 90	to	0 90
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 60	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	to	0 70
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	50	to	0 60
Turkeys,	1 00	to	1 75
Butter, large rolls	20	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	17	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	1 00	to	1 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 65
Onions, per bag	0 00	to	0 00
Hay	8 50	to	14 00

Major Bruce of London, who lost 300 plum trees by the recent frost, has now discovered that nearly all his peach trees had been destroyed.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

BEST and COMFORT to the SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

$2 Watches. Stem winders $8.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO., 133 Nassau St. New York.

STARTLING DISCOVERY!
LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.
A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

PIMPLES.
I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau street, New York. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.
The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.
Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.
A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York.

REMOVED

FROM my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Store, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellry, Wedding and Jem Rings, Clocks, &c., &c.

WATCHES and CLOCKS

Carefully Repaired

and brought to time, All work guarantee for one year. I shall be in

DUNDALK,

personally every Friday.

All orders left at my store will be promptly attended to. Thanking my numerous customers for their very liberal patronage. I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

W. F. DOLL.

March3rd, 1881. 26-3m

Money! Money!

THE undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent. according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY,
Lot 130, 1st west T. & S. R. Artemesia,
Flesherton P. O.
March 29, 1881. 28-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100 and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880. 6tf.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—[illegible], 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, [illegible] 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; [illegible] 6:30 p. m.; [illegible] 11th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, [illegible] 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6:30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., and 6.30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. G. B. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. S. [illegible], Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. G. G. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

Auction Sale
OF VALUABLE
FARM PROPERTY,
In the Township of Osprey, in the County of Grey.

UNDER and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at Messrs. **Smith & Myar's** Auction Rooms, No. 151 Yonge Street, in the **City of Toronto**, in the County of York on

Saturday, the 7th day of MAY, A. D. 1881,

At the hour of 12 o'clock, noon,

The following valuable Lands and Premises:
Lot number twenty-seven, in the Fourth Concession, North of the Durham Road, in the Township of Osprey, in the County of Grey.
There is a small clearing on the property, and the soil is good.
This is a valuable property.
TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, balance within one month from the day of sale.
For further particulars apply to
LEYS, PEARSON & KINGSFORD,
Vendors' Solicitors. Toronto.
Dated at Toronto this 6th day of April, A. D. 1881. 32 3i

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NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

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And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING
AND
General Jobbing!

As we warrant all our work. A call is solicited, and we guarantee satisfaction.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel
Markdale, March 8, 1881. 15 3m.

WANTED
FOR the season, a good brick-maker apply to
ALEX. WEBSTER,
Priceville, Ont.
Priceville, April 12th, 1881. 31 3m

WANTED
80 GOOD STORE PINS, for a cheese factory, for which highest price will be paid in cash, by weight or otherwise. To be delivered on the end of May.
W. B. SARGEANT
Markdale, April 14th, 1881. 31 2m

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REYNOLDS & SON'S, Come One, Come All.
As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at LOWEST CASH PRICES. Call and examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere.
Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard.
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Mens' Felt Hats 75c
Prints, 6c and upwards.
Tweeds for 60c and upwards.
Good fresh Teas for 25c and upwards.
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10 pounds of Currants for One Dollar.
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Toronto, April 14th, 1881.

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[THE] STANDARD.

[Fri]day, April 22nd, 1881.

[LOCAL] & OTHER NOTICES.

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...14th, 1881.

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...00 Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8½, 9, 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
... Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
...0 Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
... Dozen Table Napkins, 6½ cents, direct from manufacturers.
... Yards Black Broad-Cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
...0 Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
... Mens Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manufacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents; old price 40 cents.
90 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " " $1.50 "

FACTS.—W. J. McFARLAND Keeps the best assorted stock North of Toronto.
W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
2761½ Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brillianteen Dress Lustre, 12c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New Cashmeres, cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.
Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer. Wholesale and Retail

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 22th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

See Wilcox's stock of Jewellery.

FARMERS have commenced their spring work.

BEAUTIFUL weather, though fires are comfortable in the evenings.

FOR an A 1 Gold or Silver Watch, go to E. D. Wilcox.

WORK will soon commence on the ...ied & McDougal brick block.

DIVISION court in Dufferin Hall, Markdale, 10th June, to commence at 10 o'clock.

A large quantity of comon chairs at J. W. Bates, Flesherton, selling now at 40 cts.

EUPHRASIA Agricultaril Society's spring show to day at Rocklyn.

THE spring assizes for the county of Grey will open on Tuesday April 26th at Owen Sound.

READ Mr. Browns new advertisement in another column. He is offering some good bargains.

THE Easter examination of Union S. S. Markdale, was held last week, full particulars next week.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

MESSRS McCoy and Blyth announce a grand Union Auction Sale on or about May 7th, for particulars see bills.

ASK your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

THE next sitting of the Division Court will be held at Flesherton, on Friday the 22nd inst., at 10 a. m.—J. W. Armstrong, Clerk.

A BARGAIN.—A beautiful parlor (Lady Dufferin drawing room) suit, will be sold at cost, J. W. Bates, Flesherton.

J. J WHITE, dentist, will be at the Revere Hotel, on Wednesday, 27th inst., parties requiring his services will please remember.

SUGGAR making has been the order of the day among farmers, and we believe they have had a good return for their labour, some having made over ... lbs in oneweek.

MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

AND how the small boy is seen digging for worms, and although the season for fishing has not arrived speckled beauties are daily taken from their native element. Where is the fishery inspector?

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

HILL Bros are putting the finishing touches on their fine brick block. All other things promise fair for a lively time for masons, carpenters, plasterers, &c., the comming summer.

Our readers will please excuse us for lack of the usual amount of matter this week. The rush of job work is so great, and the impossibiuty of getting extra help, is our only excuse.

ANY persons having a farm to rent, would do well to leave particulars at this office, as we know several parties wanting to get such.

BUILDING operations have commenced already, there being no less than five buildings in various stages of completion at the present date—a pump factory, a livery stable, and three dwelling houses.

THE Post-master requests us to say, that the post-office will positively be closed at 7 o'clock p. m., sharp, every evening; and parties asking for their mail matter after that hour will be refused.

WALL PAPERS of every quality, from the cheapest goods to the highest grades of art, in Gilt and Bronze—3,000 rolls at W. J. McFarland's.

THE *Illustrated Scientific News* for April is to hand. The illustrated are numerous and of a first class order. Any mechinic who wants to keep with the times should take this realy useful publication, Subscription $1,00, per annum, Published by Munn & Co, 37 Park Row, New york. Subscriptions recieved here, where specimens may be seen.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—On Monday evening last, as announced, the congregational meeting was held in the Presbyterian church in this town, to try and come to amicable arrangementin regard to union of the congeration. A vote was taken wether the congeration would accept the proposal of those who have separated from the congregation, as it was belived by some that by this means many of those who had left the church would be brought back. The proposal was rejected by a large majority leaving the state of affairs in nearly the same state as it was.

A good milch cow for sale 6 years old. Apply at this office.

Flour, Oatmeal and Cornmeal, for sale at Reynolds & Son's.

FOR No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE and other machine oils, try Haskett Bros.

If you want the nobbiest Dress Goods in Town, call at Reynolds & Son's.

JUST received at the Medical Hall, a Choice Assortment of Lawn Croquet and Walking Canes, all suitable for summer wear.

WANTED.—10,000 dozen Eggs, and 10,000 Rolls of Butter, for which the highest price will be payed. Reynolds & Son.

THE subscription price of the Toronto Daily Mail and Globe has been raised to $7 per a... The weeklies of the same papers remain at the old price.

A meeting will be held at the Revere Hotel on Wedenesday evening the 27th, to elect a secratry and treasurer, in connection with the comming Queen's Birthday celebration in Markdale. All interested are requested to attend, impertant business to be attended to.

The Canada Temperance Act was carried in King's County. N. S., on Friday, by a majority of over 1'200. Voting on the Act will take place in Annapolis County this week.

The Presbyterian body are preparing to erect a handsome brick church in London South. Within as many years three fine churches, rivalling those in the city, have been erected in this rising suburb.

RUNNAWAY.—A team of horses belonging to Mr. Richard Haley of Glenelg, took fright while at the elevator on Wedenshay last, and run towards the village, and were caught by Mr. Allen McDougal nearly opposite Haskett Bros. They did not become detached from the waggon and no harm was done.

REYNOLDS & SON have becomn so satisfied advertising pays, that they have found it necessary to increase their space to enable them to let their patrons know that they are keeping pace with the times. Read their advertisement carefully, and then call and be convinced that they are live men, and do what they say.

Seeding is now fairly commenced and farmers are busy, and as the season for seeding is short and is getting well advanced there is no time to be lost in order to have it done in good time. Fall wheat is having a hard struggle for existence, and if rain does not soon come their will be a great many fields to be resown with other grain. If this crop should be a failure, it will be a heavy loss to the country, as there was a great amount of it sown the past season.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—John James Bryden, son of Mr R. C. Bryden of this place, who is at present residing near Harrisburg, had a pretty close call on the 16th inst, He was working in the woods, and had taken a gun out with him, which he stood against a log, when about to return home he went to pick up the gun, in doing which he struck the hammer against the log, causing it to go off, (the gun we mean, not the log) lodging some of the charge in the rim of his hat.

BURGLARS.—Some evil disposed person, or persons, made a froceable entry into the grocery store of Mr. Gould, on Tuesday night last, and appropriated some of the contents, and not contented with that, but must need mix up some rice, sugar, and sundry other articles into a confused mass. Mr. Gould is absent and the amount taken cannot be ascertained until his return. We have not learn whether suspition is attacted to any one. Our energetic constable has taken the matter in hand, and we hope his efforts to trace the miscreant will be successful.

A MAPLE sugar Social was held in Dufferin Hall on Monday evening last. We have attended an aimost unlimitted number of social the past winter, but decidedly this was the sweetest of them all. There was biscuits and hot sugar provided in abundance, with an occasional draught of cold water to assuage the thirst caused by the essence of maple. After all were satisfied, or we might say dissatisfied, because they were not able to dispose of any more, a programme consisting of vocal and instrumentel music, Readings, recitations &c., was very creditably carried through, and was thoroughly appreciated by those present. Proceeds over $8.

A shocking accident incident on Sabbath desecration occurred on Sunday last, on the farm of Fred Gohl. Mr. Casper Hartman had left a child 3 year of age there while he attended divine service, and during the absence of the senior members of the family a number of youths were playing ball, one of which struck it with considerable force, striking the child on the nose, literally knocking it off. Dr. McLean was immediately summoned but was able to do comparatively little for the poor child. A lifelong disfigurement is inevitable in addition to the acute suffering even if it should survive. It ought to prove a serious sermon for the ones participating in the game, and severe punishment should be meted out to them. Mr. Hartman has the sympathy of his numerous friends.—*Review.*

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There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, is in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

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Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

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Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

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Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-1y

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Reynolds & Son.

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TEAS A SPECIALTY, 5lbs. FOR $1.00.

As we are doing a CASH BUSINESS, we will not be undersold by any other house in town.

BOOTS & SHOES A SPECIALTY

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One span of driving horses; 1 span of working horses; 1 set of double harness; 1 new waggon; 1 light Sulky. Will be sold cheap for cash, or good note, on short time.

Dr. SPROULE.

Markdale, March, 1881.

FOR SALE.

ONE Yoke of ... years old ... well broken and handy. ... young. ... years old, well broken to saddle and harness. ...

Markdale, March 24th, 1881.

CRAZED WITH [illegible]

The Rev. George H. Pool, who lived in seclusion in Brooklyn, was attacked by small-pox in his clandestine appartments, and before he knew what was the matter, was snatched by the health board and carried off to the Flatbush hospital, where he died of the dreadful malady, and, seeming to have neither money nor friends, was buried in the Potters Field. It was subsequently ascertained that he was a minister; that he had been pastor of the Fourth Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia; that he owned and had lived alone in a house in Camden, N. J., without even a servant to cook his meals.

In his Brooklyn room he lived economically, and even penuriously, having only a little oil stove over which he prepared his food. It was then rumoured that he was rich, and the Philadelphia *Times* has published a long list of property which it estimates to be worth $550,000. I happen to know, says a New York correspondent of an Indianapolis paper, of the shadow that was on this mans singular life. It is two years since I first met the Rev. George H. Pool in the business office of a mutual friend down town. He was a tall and erect man, but not very stately, and wore a sleek black wig. He seemed quiet and self contained. He dressed always in clerical black, and wore a cloth cloak and silk hat. His face was shallow, his expression thoughtful, and he seldom smiled. I soon learned some items of his history.

He was a Philadelphia preacher; he was rich, and he was a bachelor of fifty-five years, now in love for the first time in his life. With whom? With a friend of mine—a married woman, who has been for some years separated from her husband, but from religious scruples, was not divorced. She repelled his advances, of course, and resented his protestations, but his infatuation was complete. He declared to her friends, as also to his own, that he could never be happy, and life was not worth having unless she would get a divorce and marry him. He came on often from Philadelphia, and renewed his siege.

She was an intelegent and attractive woman, practicing her profession in this city. He persecuted her at her house, importuned her at her office, waylaid her on the street. Soon he began to neglect his church. He besought his friends to pray that the Lord would permit him to marry the object of his choice. He called a meeting of his trustees and told them that the love of the Lord had been superseded; that he was madly in love with a woman who could not marry him if she would, and would not if she could; that he would resign his charge if they wanted him to, but he would not give up the pursuit on which his hopes were set. They reasoned with him seriously, and set forth his neglect of duty, but he resigned, and came to Brooklyn last summer. He pursued here two objects, one, the lady I have spoken of, and the other, preaching the gospel among the sailors. To her, through friends, he offered everything if she would put an end to his suffering by becoming his wife. He would give her $10,000 he said; he would give $100,000 to any object she named; he would surrender to her all his property. He was a shrewed business man.

Inheriting a little money from his father, he early went West and opened two country stores, hiring men to manage then for him. He bought goods himself while preaching in Pennsylvania, and supplied the stores. He also made money in patents and in real estate, of which he owned a good deal in Kansas, Illinois, Minnesota, and Albion, Mich. He owned $80,000 worth of lots in this city. He told the story of his hopeless love to scores, perhaps to hundreds, and craved the intercession of everybody who he thought could have any influence. Very well, he said one day in despair, if she cannot love, I will her my cottage at Cape May, and $50,000 and she may give up her business and go there and live all her life, and I will never go near her. At another time he said—I would rather go back and give up all my property and be a day laborer, if that would make her mary me, even if she should never be able to walk a step or lift up her head. It seems to have been a case of unique infatuation and devotion; and his tragic end—dying in a small pox hospital, with not a friend informed of his whereabouts, and buried in the Potters Field before one of them knew that he was sick—presents a ghastly contrast. It is a waving of the yellow flag from Cupids head quarters.

Adventurous Trip.—On saturday last a resident near Wiarton named Watchorne started to move to St. Vincent, and while the father of the family came around by the way of Owen Sound with a load by waggon, the mother with six little children started on the ice by sleigh, coasting down Colpoys Bay and up to Presque Isle, where they arrived near dark. Unable to find shelter for the night they attemped to cross the bay to Leith, but missed their way in the dark, and struck the shore below Leith, with no house in sight. Here the oldest boy left his mother with the rest of the children on the shore in the bitter cold, while he went in search of a house. He soon found one, but was informed that they had no room for them, and was directed to Leith—so the half-frozen party had to go on in search of the village. Here they found there was no public house, and were directed to keep on to Annan, which they reached at midnight, and were admitted after rousing Mr. Chas. Lemon, the proprietor of the hotel there. When they got into this hospitable shelter they were nearly frozen, and could not of held out to go much farther—the mother carrying a baby only six months' old, while the rest of the children were quite young. They stayed there till morning, and then procured a waggon, arriving safely at their home in St. Vincent; but they are not likely soon to forget the experience of their trip across Owen Sound bay and losing their way in the bitter cold of last Saturday night.—*O. S. Times.*

Mothers who are startled at the [illegible] of midnight by that ominous hoarse cough of your little ones, what would you not give for a prompt and certain means of relief from that dread destroyer of your children, Croup? such a means you may have for the trifling cost of 25 cents. It is Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great Household remedy for all inflammatory and painful diseases. Do not [illegible] over night again without it.

TARRED AND FEATHERED.

An [illegible] Marriage and the Extraordinary Sequel.

A correspondent at Gilboa, in the Catskill Mountains, gives the particulars of the recent tarring and feathering of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Cantine by a party of eight masked men. Mrs. Cantine is 19 years old and her husband 22. The woman says she left her first husband on account of his drunkness, and that, being too poor to get a divorce, she and Cantine went before Justice of the Peace Shafer and were sworn together. This proceeding scandalized the neighborhood, and the couple recieved fur ther censure on account of the alleged attempt of Cantine to levy blackmail on Oscar Jackson, the village storekeeper, by charging him with trying to seduce Mrs. Catine. The woman said to the correspondent: At midnight last Wedensday we were awakened by the bursting in of the door. I saw a crowd of men coming into the kitchen. Some of them had masks on, and all of them had their faces blackened. One of the men struck my husband in the face, and then four grabbed him by his arms and legs and pulled him out on the floor and stripped him. He kept saying, Boys let me up. They threw him face down on the floor, and held him there while they put the tar and feathers on him. There were eight men in all. As soon as the first four had pulled my husband out of bed the other four seized me. Two of them held my arms down by my sides as I sat on the side of the bed. Only one man handled the tar, so I had to sit on the edge of the bed and see my husband ill-treated There was pint cups of tar. One cup-ful they used on him and the other on me. A man with mittens on dipped the mittens in the tar and spread it over my husbands body. When he had spread it all over him they put on the feathers. When they had finished with my husband they carried him to a corner of the kitchen, where two men held him on the floor. Then the other six got around me. They put me down on the floor, the same as they did him. The man with the mittens began by putting tar in my face and eyes It made my eyes smart at first and blinded me. He rubbed tar over my body. He also put on feathers. I begged them to stop. I did not dare to scream because I was afraid they might kill me. When they had finished, they cautioned us that if we made any noise or attempt to follow them they would come back and kill us. Then they left us, and all went out same way they came, leaving us lying there naked in the cold and dark. As soon as they had gone we made a fire and went to work to get the tar off. We scrubbed away all the rest of the night, and it wasn't until 9 o'clock the next morning that my husband looked well enough to go out. Then he went over to his fathers house and told what had happened. It was days before I got the tar off me. They put some in my hair, too, and that was almost impossible to get out. Several arrests were made and three men were found guilty of participating in the assult and were fined $20 a piece.

Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is a purely vegetable healing balsam. It cures by loosening the phlegm and corrupt matter from the Lungs and expelling it from the system. Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all pectoral diseases yield to it promptly. It costs 25 cents per bottle.

A MISTAKE.

"Mistakes will happen in the best of families."

A person with a basket on his arm, stepped into one of our shops and asked the man:

"What is the price of spring chickens?"

"Three shillings for a good one."

"Do you know my fine fellow that you made a mistake this morning when I was trading with you."

"A mistake?"

"Yes, sir; a very serious mistake."

Why, I don't remember what it was."

"A mistake, sir, that your employer would not tolerate for a moment,"

"Well, sir, what is it?"

"A mistake, sir, that would be considerable, if it had happened to any other man; but, sir, I have always made it a rule to correct mistakes, even if they are in my favor."

"For goodness sake, what's the matter?"

"I have been put to considerable trouble to rectify it; labor that I am called upon to perform as a duty under the principle that honesty is the best policy, and I hope that you will take a lesson from this event, and not repeat it in the future,"

"What is the mistake?"

"You know I purchased this morning, one dozen eggs."

"Yes"

"Well, sir, when I arrived home I discovered that you had made a mistake."

Well, what is it?"

"Instead of a dozen eggs you had put up a dozen of spring chickens"——(uncovering the basket and showing a dozen broken eggs in various stages of developement)——and as the price of spring chickens is 3s, and eggs only one penny, it makes a difference of 11d. each; and not wishing to cheat your employer, nor having any desire to go into the poultry business, I have brought them back, and will gladly change them for eggs, as I consider it only a mistake on your part."

The man took the basket and emptied the contents on the street, put in a dozen eggs, and handed the customer a cigar. The man winked out of the right eye——

"Don't say anything about this."

Customer winked out of his left—

"Oh, that's all right." (Exit.)

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We have pleasure in noticing that Mr H. Hincks Stephens, son of Mr. W. A. Stephens, has passed his final examination in Toronto as Provincial Land Surveyor. He leaves shortly for Ingersoll to assist in locating and building a branch line of the Credit Valley Railway.—*O S. Times.*

A PLUCKY BOY.

A PLEASANT SKETCH TO READ.

The boy marched straight up to the counter.

"Well, my little man," said the merchant complacently—he had just risen from such a glorious good dinner—"what will you have to day?"

"Oh please, sir, mayn't I do some work for you?"

It might have been the pleasant blue eyes that did it for the man was not accustomed to parley with such small gentlemen, and Tom wasn't seven yet, and small of his age at that. There were a few wisps of hair on the merchant's temples, and looking down on the little appealing face, the merchant pulled at them, gave the ends of his cravat a slight brush, and then his hands traveled down to his vest pocket.

"Do some work for me, eh? Well, now, about what sort of work might your machinery calculate to be able to perform? Why, you can't look over the counter."

"Oh, yes I can, and I'm growing, please growing very *fast*—there, see if I cant look over the counter."

"Yes, by standing on your toes. Are they coppered?"

"What, sir?"

"Why, your toes. Your mother couldn't keep you in shoes if they weren't."

"She can't keep me in shoes, anyhow, sir," and the voice hesitated.

The man took pains to look over the counter. It was too much for him; he couldd't see the little toes. Then he went all the way round.

"I thought I should need a microscope," he said very gravely, "but I reckon if I get close enough I can see what you look like."

"I'm older than I'm big, sir," was the neat rejoinder. "Folks say I'm very small for my age."

"And what might be your, age sir?" responded the man with great emphesis.

"I'm almost seven," said Tommie, with a look calculated to impress even six feet nine. "You see my mother hasn't anybody but me, and this morning I saw her crying because she couldn't find five cents in her pocket book, and she thinks that the boy who took the ashes stole it from her—and—I—haven't had any—breakfast, sir."

The voice again hesitated and tears came in the blue eyes.

"I recon I can help you to breakfast, my poor little fellow," said the man, feeling in his pocket. "There, will that quarter do?"

The boy shook his head sadly "Mother wouldn't let me beg, sir," was the simple reply.

"Humph! where is your father?"

"We never heard of him, sir, after he went away. He was lost, sir, in the steamer City of Boston."

"Ah! you don't say. That's bad—but your a plucky little fellow, anyhow. Let me see;" and he pondered, puckering up his mouth and looking straight down into the boy's eyes, which were looking straight up into his. "Saunders," he asked, addressing a clerk who was rolling up and writing on parcels, "is cash No. 4 still sick?"

"Dead, sir, died last night," was the low reply.

"Ah, I'm sorry to hear that. Well, here's a youngster that will take his place."

Mr. Saunders looked up slowly, then he put his pen behind his left ear, then his glance traveled curiously from Tommy to Mr. Towers.

"Oh, I understand," said the latter, "yes, he is very small, indeed, but I like his pluck. What did No. 4 get?"

"Three dollars, sir," said the still astonished clerk.

"Put this boy down four. There, youngster, give your name, and run home and tell your mother you've got a place at four dollars a week. Come back on Monday and I'll tell you what to do. Here's a dollar in advance; I'll take it out of your first week's pay. Can you remember?"

"Work, sir—work all the time!"

Tommy shot out of the shop. If ever broken stairs, that had a twist through the whole flight, cracked and trembled under the weight of a small boy, or, perhaps, as might be better stated, laughed and chuckled on account of a small boy's good luck those in the tenement house enjoyed themselves thoroughly that morning.

"I've got it, mother! I'm took! I'm cash boy! Don't you know when they take the parcels, the clerk calls 'cash!' Well, I'm that! Four dollars a week, and the man said I had real pluck—courage, you know. And here is a real dollar for breakfast; and don't you ever cry again, for I'm the man of the house now."

The house was only a 10x15 room, and how those blue eyes did magnify it. At first the mother looked—well, it passes my power to tell how she did look, as she caught the boy in her arms, and huged him and kissed him, while the tears streamed down her cheeks. But they were tears of thankfulness now.

With the approach of Spring, Biliary Complaints prevail that often lead to serious results. Guard against their attack in time by using Burdock Blood Bitters: the best Liver invigorator, Kidney Corrector, Regulator of the Bowels and Secretions, and the purest, most permanent Tonic in the world. For sale by all dealers.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

A glass factory with $50,000 capital is being started in New Glasgow, N. S., by Ontario capitalists.

The vote on the Shelburne by-law to raise $8,000 to build a town hall was carried on Saturday by 22 majority.

A car load of carriage horses were shipped from Belleville to New York on Saturday, and another car will be shipped this week.

Late accounts from the Ottawa valley say that the fall wheat has not been damaged by the late severe frost to the extent anticipated.

Lumbermen returning from the Gatineau and Ottawa say this is the best year they have had for a long time, wages having everywhere advanced.

A cough is usually the effort of Nature to expel some morbid matter irritating the air passages of the lungs. It may however, proceed from an inflamed or irritable condition of the throat, a slight rash or humor often being perceptible. Let the case be what it may, the remedy should be Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. A purely vegetable Balsamic throat and lung healer. For sale by all dealers in medicine, at 25 cents per bottle.

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the "BELFAST HOUSE."

Also a fresh stock of

Groceies, Provisions, CANNED FRUIT, BISCUITS —AND— CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut Side Pork. FOR SALE. ALSO. POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY, THE BEST IN TOWN.

BRANDY, CIDER, ALE, PORTER, TEAS and SUGARS, CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

FOR SALE IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or JOHN KAY, Bentinck, Durham P. O.

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

D. J. SHANAHAN'S WAGON and Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for CARRIAGES, SPRING WAGGONS, LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

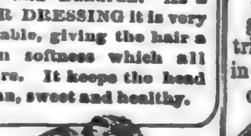
HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

Has been in constant use by the public for over twenty years, and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

It cures Itching, Eruptions and Dandruff. As a HAIR DRESSING it is very desirable, giving the hair a silken softness which all admire. It keeps the head clean, sweet and healthy.

The State Assayer and Chemist of Mass. and leading Physicians endorse and recommend it as a great triumph in medicine.



BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

PREPARED BY R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H. Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

REMOVED

FROM my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Store, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches, Jewellry, Wedding and Jem Rings, Clocks, &c., &c.

WATCHES and CLOCKS Carefully Repaired and brought to time. All work guaranter for one year. I shall be in

DUNDALK, personally every Friday.

All orders left at my store will be promptly attended to. Thanking my numerous customers for their very liberal patronage, I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

W. F. BOLL.

Markdale, [illegible] 1881. [illegible]

Money! Money!

THE undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent. according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY.

Lot 180, 1st [illegible] Flesherton P. O.

March [illegible], 1881.

HILL BROS.

Wish to inform the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that they have partially opened their MILLINERY DEPARTMENT,

And have secured the services of MISS MULLIN, Who from long experience in the Millinery business, will be enabled to give our friends

ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

We have partially opened, and will be fully prepared, as the season advances with all the

LATEST NOVELTIES.

Remember our goods will be

AaLLLl NnEeWw.

We respectfully solicit a fair share from our friends and the public generally. We don't do any button-holing, but will treat all courteously when making purchases, and tust our prices will be right. Our general stock will be found

Well Assorted

as usual. We would invite an early inspection whether you want to buy or not.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, March 30th, 1881. 29-tf.

Markdale General Agency IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co. LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co. BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co., CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Wanzer Sewing Machines, Uneaqualled in range of work and ease of motion.

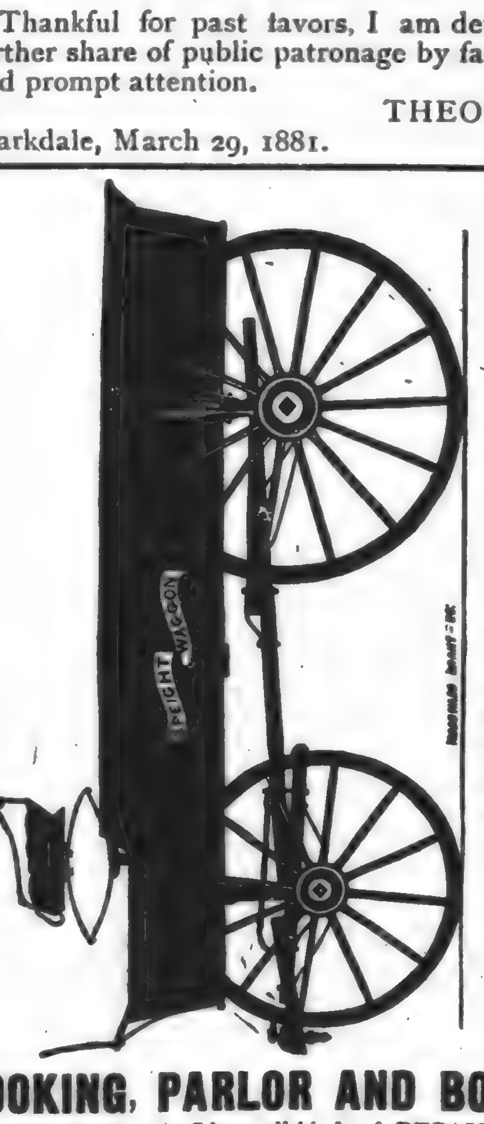
DOHERTY ORGANS, Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



WILLIAM STRAIN, Dealer in all kinds of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS, Sewing Machines, Organs, Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER, The People's Photographer, Flesherton.

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 148 in 2nd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to [illegible]

Flesherton Station, Nov. 26, 1880.

MARKDALE HOUSE, MARKDALE, ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and [illegible] every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The bar [illegible] with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the [illegible] the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid [illegible] fort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel [illegible] a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES, FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY AND LIQUORS

Everything First-Class, and at RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; TER, equal to Guinness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled [illegible] section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

MEDICAL HALL

SEEDS!

FIELD SEEDS, INCLUDING CLOVER, TIMOTHY, CARROT, MANGEL WURTZEL, &c., &c.

GARDEN SEEDS A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880.

STOP. MARK. LEAR

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money.

R. J. SPROULE'S GREAT ANNUAL CLEARIG SALE AT THE POST OFFICE STORE, FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving *daily*, I have decided on reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLINERY, Ready-Made Clothing, BOOTS AND SHOES, Hats, Caps and Groceries TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all new, well bought, and well worth the attention of [illegible] In GROCERIES you will find everything of First-Class Value.

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants [illegible] lages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous [illegible] tions) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they [illegible] not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom [illegible]

You will find everything that I sell just as I represent it, [illegible] as you can possibly get for your money anywhere, as I have always [illegible] dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can [illegible]

The Lowest Possible Prices! For CASH and FARM PRODUCE, BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat, Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also [illegible] Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make [illegible] paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested* in it, and as I [illegible] that every Farmer [illegible] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, [illegible] selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the Lowest Cash Price laid down [illegible] direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this [illegible] country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection [illegible] purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

[illegible] Sproule & Carter, [illegible] Surgeons, Accoucheurs [illegible]

Legal.

Dentistry.

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL

ROYAL HOTEL, MEAFORD, Ont.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL, PRICEVILLE, Ont.

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...TLEDGE, P...

...torey brick bu... recently...
It is furnished in First-Class style...
...s and Cigars, and the...
...may rely upon every attention...
...ercial Travellers. The only...
...nins. Good Stables and...

...and Happy New Y...

...and, I wish to call Public...

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...Champagne.
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A. McINTY...

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INCLUDING
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...RROT,
...WURTZEL, &c., &c.
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...OICE SELECTION,
...be sold at lowest market rates
A. TURNER & C...

...ARK. LEAR...
...here to get the best value for your Money...
...SPROULE'...
...REAT ANNUAL
...RIG SALE
AT THE
...FFICE STOR...
...LESHERTON.
...GOODS, FURS, MILLINER...
...-Made Clothing,
...OTS AND SHOES.
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...LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
...t and Under COST
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...1st of Apr...
R. J. SPROU...
1881.

Markdale Standard

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IS PUBLISHED
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...time to meet the early mails.
...s the latest Foreign and Provincial ...ocal Intelligence, County Business, ...cial Matters and an Instructive ...y.
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Drs. Sproule & Carter,
...icians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c.
...FICE.—Medical Hall; residence at ...dale House.
...kdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

DR. PURDY,
...YSICIAN, SURGEON, ACCOUCH...ER, EUGENIA P. O. 6-tf.

Legal.

E. D. Macmillan.
(MARKDALE and DURHAM.)
...TTORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN ...Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Office over ...riend's store, Markdale. Money to loan ...ny terms. 29-1y

Chas. R. Wilkes,
...rrister at Law, - Owen Sound
...FICE.—Miller's building, over Robin... ...Poulet Street. 1-y

Frost & Frost.
...ARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Convey...ce, &c. Owen Sound, have resumed at ...sherton. Office open every Thursday, as ...
...s Frost, J. W. Frost, LL. B.
...County Crown Attorney. 1

James Masson,
...ARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, ...Chancery, Owen Sound.
...pt 17, 1880. 1-y

James Lamon,
...TTORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN ...Chancery, Notary Public, &c.
...ney loaned at lowest rates on personal ...al estate. Lands bought and sold. ...r and seller introduced free of commis...
DUNDALK.
...ember 21st, 1880. 1

...nveyancers & Land Agents.

Wm. Brown.
...UER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., Commissioner in B. R. &c.
...nveyancing in all its branches promptly ...ded to and carefully executed.
...B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate se...y.
...rkdale. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

W. L. Smith,
...GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursey Stock, Williamsford Station.
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Alexander Brown,
...SSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed ...ctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, ...rchants, and Land Sales, Punctually at...ded to and charges made very moderate.
...riceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr.,
...AND, LOAN AND GENERAL AGENT Owen Sound. Money to Loan at low ...tes of interest. Principal payable at the ...d of a term of years, and interest half year... ...or yearly, or principal and interest repay...ble in instalments.
☞A number of desirable Improved Farms ...r sale. 1-y

J. G. Sing,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having purchased Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's entire stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys ...ce within the last fifty-five years, I am ...repared to make Surveys in strict accord...nce therewith. Profiles and Estimates ...r Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications ...r Building Bridges, furnished on applica...n. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. ...rders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, ...arkdale, will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound,
WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in ...ch month, when he will be prepared to per...rm all operations required upon the mouth ...the ... satisfactory manner, and upon ...sonable terms. 1-y

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL,
MARKDALE.
T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.
THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, ...d is now second to none in the county. ...ood stabling and attentive ostler. First...ass accommodation for commercial travel... Terms $1.00 per day. 17-1y

ROYAL HOTEL,
MEAFORD, Ont.
...& J. McGIRR, - Proprietors.
Every accommodation for the travelling ...blic. The bar is well stocked with the ...nest Wines and Liquors and the best ...nds of Cigars.
...ree 'bus to and from all trains.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL
PRICEVILLE, Ont.
Large and commodious Sample Rooms; ...ood Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder ...well supplied with the best the market af...rds; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.
...ember 24th, 1880. 8

SUBSCRIBE for the "Standard," the best ...local paper in the county.

GEORGE WILSON,

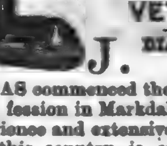
BUTCHER

Mill St., Markdale, next door to Expositor Office.

☞Meat delivered at any house in town.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

J. M. Webster,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.
☞LOAN AND LAND AGENT,
Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.
EUGENIA P. O.
Sept. 17th 1880. 1-tf

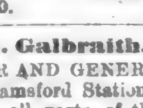
T. E. DAVIS,
BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobs promptly attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction guaranteed. *_* Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE.
December 31, 1880. 15-y



VETERINARY.
J. BLOOMFIELD,
Veterinary Surgeon
HAS commenced the practice of his profession in Markdale, and from his long experience and extensive practice in England and this country, is enabled to guarantee satisfaction. Regulating Powders, the admiration of thousands that have used them, warranted to purify the blood by removing diseases lurking in the system of horses and cattle, always on hand. Medicines may be procured at his office, over Dr. Sproule's Drug Store, Markdale. 1-y

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds on ...
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-1y

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
MARKDALE.

Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
WM. LUCAS & Co.
September, 1880. 2-y

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
☞Shop on Mill areett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
☞Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS,
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that
I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.
☞Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.
Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. [illegible]

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROWS AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,
FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-y

H. MEGGITT,

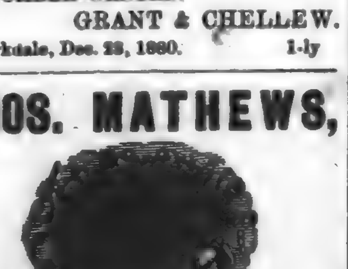
Fashionable Tailor,
FLESHERTON.
Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.
Cutting done while customers are waiting.
A Good Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
☞Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

R. J. McCOY,
Agent for the following Implements, &c.:
The Massey
MOWER,
HARVESTER, and celebrated
HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)
Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,
DICK'S ALTON PLOUGHS.
ALL KINDS OF
Fittings and Repairs
Kept constantly on hand,
SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS FOR SALE, CHEAP.
Licensed AUCTIONEER
FOR THE COUNTY.
Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.
Charges Moderate.
R. J. McCOY.
Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 27-m3

GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE.

Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-1y

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeing confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1e

Organ for Sale.
A FIVE OCTAVE ORGAN, nearly new, one of Clough & Warren's (New York) celebrated Instruments. Cost $200.00; will be sold at a great reduction on above price.
A. W. EATON.
Markdale, [illegible] 25-21°

Public Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.
The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.
JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, Reeve.
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 17, 1880. 64

HEART'S CONTENT.

Far, far away, 'mid purple seas,
The lonely isle I dream of lies;
Deep blue above its waving palms
Arch sunny skies.

And where a lofty sun-kissed hill
Slopes down to the shining sands,
Half hidden by its myrtle trees,
My cottage stands.

And through its pleasant halls I roam
In summer time, when days are long,
And hear above the sighing waves
A fountain's song.

For on the lawn a fountain flings
Cool spray upon my lillies white
All day, until with darkness fall
Cool dews of night.

Wide windows has my island home,
All open to the balmy air,
And many a sheltered, shady nook,
And winding stair.

Sometimes a well-loved visitor
Comes blithely thro' its friendly door,
Oh, then my heart forgets all doubt,
And asks no more.

All is our own, my love's and mine;
We reign supreme without one fear;
Our vassals are the white sea birds
And shy, wild deer.

Oh, lonely isle and blessed lot,
And happy heart beyond compare;
God grant that we may ever prove
Worthy a life so fair.

You ask where lies this paradise—
This golden land so far away?
I answer where the morning breaks
Beyond the day.

Far, far beyond the setting sun,
Whose clouds of rose and amber blent
Have caught their tint from flowers that bloom
In fadeless Heart's Content.

'Tis underneath the sky of Love,
Encircled by the sea of Dreams,
Watered by Fancy's ever clear,
Unfailing streams.

So when I watch with pensive eyes
The glory of the day's decline,
Fond thoughts, like pilgrims, journey toward
That far-off clime.

For there I see my love's dear face,
I lean my head upon his breast;
The world is wide and full of strife,
But here is rest.

Blow, cruel winds of life and fate,
Blow till your icy breath is spent;
Ye cannot mar the blessed peace
Of happy Heart's Content.

EVA KATHERINE MUNN.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

Teddy flushed.

"Of course not"—with dignity. "Come along!'

Then they started on their walk. It proved however much too long a walk for such a child; and Surridge was feeling vexed that they had undertaken it when they at length reached the keepers lodge.

Larry Mulligan, Mr. O'Brien's gamekeeper, was a short thick-set man, with—the tutor thought—a very evil countenance. He listened sullenly to the news they brought, and muttered that it was a bad job.

'Tell the young masther, please sir,' he said 'that I will explain matters, and hope he will soon be well.'

'Would it be possible to get a convenance from here to take us back to St. Kevin's?' asked the tutor. 'I am afraid this little lad will scarcely manage to walk back.'

'Well,' replied the keeper, 'there is the masther's pony; you could have that, may be, if so be you wouldn't mind leading him and sending him it home again.'

Surridge thankfully accepted the offer; and Teddy, who felt—though he would not acknowledge it—some fatigue, brightened at the idea of a ride. The keeper set off to the stable to get the pony, and the tutor and the boy rested meanwhile in the lodge, where the buxom girl was moving about, busy with her household cars. By and by she brought Teddy a cup of milk, and, as the boy took it, Mr. surridge drew a shilling from his pocket and begged her to buy a ribbon at the fair with it. The girl looked pleased.

'Are you the gentleman who's come to live at the Piorory, sir,' she said, 'to teach Master Teddy?'

'Yes, I am?'

'Ah, well, it's safe, I hope the saints will keep you!' she responded.

'Why safe? Do you apprehend any danger?' asked the young man.

She hesitated.

'The country's sorely troubled,' she said. 'If I may give advice to the kind ladies up to the Priory, I would't if I were they, walk out of the grounds at all, at all!'

'I will tell them what you say. You know them, then.

'Do I know them? Arrah, all the country knows them! Pretty Miss Eva, and Princess Glorvina, as we call her, the flower of Erin! Why my sister lives servant at their farm. It's a hard place Kathleen has, but a dale happier than mine with ould Mulligan!'

Here she stopped somewhat abruptly, for sound of hoofs approaching told her that old Mulligan was at hand and she darted back to her work.

Surridge thanked the keeper, put Teddy on the pony, and walked beside him homeward, without seeing any one on the way. The roads were strangely deserted. In fact there was a sense of danger in the air, and it seemed as if the rush of an approaching storm were over everything.

The next few days passed without incident.

Mr. O'Brien came to see his son, and wished him to return home for his mother's nursing; but Tim, who bore pain impatiently, declared that he felt too ill to move, and remained the following day also in bed.

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The clergyman who officiated in the nearest Protestant church to St. Kevin' the pastor of a very small congregation recently found himself compelled—by business, he said; some thought by fear—to go to Dublin, and as he had not been able to find a substitute to do his duty, he had begged Mr. Coghlan to ask his son's tutor, when he arrived, to [illegible]. With this request the young clergyman readily complied and on the next Sunday he preached at the parish church.

The extreme refinement of his appearance was more noticeable in the white surplice than out of it; and, with some wonder, Glorvina allowed to herself that he was not "not bad lookin," and had an air of gentle dignity.

Were it not for the diffident and nervousness which hurried his delivery somewhat, she would also have thought his sermon excellent. It was on charity in its fullest and widest sense, and might have been listened to with approbation by any one.

That Sunday was the last of O'Brien's stay with them. He had lingered longer than the Doctor thought absolutely necessary, but the hospitality of the family had never suffered him to see that they were somewhat weary of his presence. For he was restless; he wandered about the house, and startled Mrs. Coghlan by appearing suddenly in strange and unexpected places; and his temper, tried probably by pain, had shown itself as morose and irritable, even to Glorvina.

Surridge had faithfully delivered the message of the keeper's servant girl to Mrs. Coghlan. She thanked him and promised that the advice should be acted on, and the young ladies confined for the present. The park was large enough to make the confinement merely nominal.

Mrs. Coghlan was daily better pleased with the tutor. Teddy had taken both to him and to his book in a surprising manner. Indeed Mr Surridge had actually rivalled Glorvina in the boy's affections. He extolled his tutor as the wisest and finest of men; and by degrees Mr. Surridge's shyness, though not his diffidence wore off, and the young man did himself justice, save with Miss Desmond. Whenever she spoke to him he grew nervous, blushed to the roots of his hair, stammered, and talked nonsense. Glorvina was partly amused partly provoked by him, and occasionaly teased him by jests and smiles, which the sensitive clergyman knew not how to interpret. Almost from the first moment he saw her he had loved her with the strong passion of a reticent and proud nature. But how hopeless seemed that love! He was of good birth, but had no fortune; for he was the youngest son of an ancient but impoverished family; and she, he soon learned, was a wealthy heiress, who might aspire to a coronet without presumption.

He told himself every day that it was madness to think of her, yet thought of her incessantly. His eyes would sometimes grow dim with tears of deep emotion when she sang to the harp some of the pathetic ballads of their country, and he belived that no one saw or noticed his feelings. But one pair of keen eyes was often on him of whom he had no suspicion or dread. Norah Coghlan was undoubtedly an infant terrible and nothing escaped her observation.

One evening, as Glorvina was singing Silent O'Moyle, the tutor's features probably expressed his emotion more strongly than usual, for Norah came up to him and said—

'Why do you sit here by yourself and sigh so? Don't you like Glorvina singing? I don't when she sings such dismal ditties. I like funny songs. Can't you sing funny songs? But of course, you can't; you are too stupid for that—aint you? I heard Glorvina say you were like a man in a play—a man called Marlow—and Eva said he couldn't say 'bo to a goose.' But you could do that couldn't you?'

Surridge murmured something unintelligible.

'Well of course you could,' Norah went on—'you are not so stupid as all that; but you are not like Captain Leicester, or even Tim.'

Teddy here interupted this pleasant monologue by dragging his sister away to look at his puppy. The sensitive clergyman was stung to the soul by the chatter of the child, which confirmed all his diffident fears.

It was true then that Glorvina rediculed him, held him up as an object of scorn. Her courtesy was only pity—condescention. She did not consider him even in the position of a friend. It was too cruel a trial

He stole out of the room to his own chambers, and did not return again to the drawing-room that evening. What had he to do amongst them—the shy, diffident lonely stranger, who had no true part in their joy or their grief?

CHAPTER V.

The young tutor could not sleep that night. The words reported by the infant terribly haunted him. Glorvina despised him, and thought him a fool. All her goodness to him, her efforts to help and cheer him, had been sacrifices of her own pleasure benefit another. There was a keen pang in knowing that she held him in contempt and that his ungraceful ways moved her mirth.

At the first dawn of the gray light of morning he rose, bressed himself and went out. Though now the middle of September, the air was not cold—only pure and bracing; and, as it played on his burning brow; it refreshed and calmed him. James Surridge was a true lover of nature. She could always comfort him in all his sorrows. He was a devout man too; and, by the time the sun began to rise, he had succeded in overcoming the agony which had been so fearful keen, and was composed, though sad. He had in the mean time passed through the lodge gate and entered a long narrow lane on one side of the main road which led towards Mr. Coghlan's home-farm. Thence the tutor could return across the meadows to the Priory by the way Teddy had shown him.

On reaching the farm, he took the road, and opened a gate, was soon in a meadow of some extent, bordered by clumps of elm trees. He had crossed two meadows, still pearly with the morning dew and redolent of the sweetness of the dawn, when he was startled by terrified screams, and, looking up, he saw a girl running at full speed, pursued by a furious bull. Surridge was close to the hedge. He tore a stake from it and rushed to save the endangered woman. Dashing sideways at the animal, he gave it a blow with his stake, which checked its course and at once turned its fury on him. But the tutor was light and nimble. He sprang to one side and avoided its onset, and, moved backward, kept it at bay with blows from his stake. Then perceiving that the girl was out of sight, he suddenly—after a crushing blow at the bull—turned and sprang over the fence which separated the meadow they were in from another. It was a leap which brought him on his face on the other side; but he was up in a moment, and, seeing that the animal was struggling frantically to force its way through the hedge after him, he ran off as fast as he could towards the farm. And now he saw, as he neared the buildings, that the alarm was given, and that several of the farm hands, armed with pitchforks were running towards him.

It was time, for the bull had torn the fence apart, and, with bleeding side, and fiercer than ever, was roaring and coming after him with head lowered and tail in the air. The laborers however interposed now with shouts and threatenings; and Surridge paused at a tolerable distance to breath.

'Why, parson, be it you?, exclaimed one of the farm hands, stopping as the others ran on. 'Sure it's the bold heart ye have to go aginst a craythur like you! And its obliged we are to you for saving our Kathleen from him.'

'The blessin' of the virgin be on you, sir!' panted Kathleen, coming forward, trembeling anb sobbing. 'I thought my last hour had come.'

'Thank Heaven for your deliverance,' said the tutor gently but solemnly, 'as indeed I ought also for mine. It was a narrow escape for both of us.'

'Ay, sure it was, your rivarance! but you had need to run the risk—and only for poor me too!'

Surridge glanced at her as she spoke—in truth, she was not gifted with the national beaty. Her face was broad, flat, and summer freckled; her bare arms and feet showed that she was of the lower orderer of the peasantry—the farm druge in fact. The farm hand noticed his glance, and exclaimed—

But sure, sir, as good a lass as ever breathed; ready to help anybody The saints bless her and you for saving her.'

Surridge nodded good-humouredly.

'I am very thankful to have been in time,' he said. 'Good morning to you. I suppose the men will secure the bull?'

'Ay, sir, Mick's got a rope around his neck now!'replied the lobuorer, looking toward the scene of the conquest. 'It's a vicious brute the carythur is! By your leave sir, I'll go past it with you. My pitchfork would be a good help if it gets loose again; and there is no telling what it may do.'

Surridge thanked him and accepted his offer, said 'good-bye,' to Kathleen and started once more on his homeward way, entering into conversation with his companion as they walked together; for with the poor whom he was used to aid and teach, James had no shyness. They understood him as he understood them.

The family were at breakfast when the tutor entered the Priory hall, and were not a little uneasy at the absence of their chaplain at prayers. Surridge apologized, but said nothing of the cause of his detention. He was to shy to relate the story of his recent prowness. But, before breakfast was over. Norah startled him with the exclamation.—

'Why, Mr. Surridge, you have a split in the back of your coat!'

Crimsoning, the young clergyman was obliged to explain that he had had an encouter with a bull, and had probably torn his garment in the struggle, and then eager questions and cross-questionings compelled him to stammer out the story of his own exploit. There was a murmur of applause as the tale closed. Teddy called out that his tutor was 'a regulad brick' and Mrs. Coghlan declared that the action was heroic.

'And I am so much obliged to you for saving poor Kathleen,' said that sweetest voice which was his heart's music, 'she is an especial favorite of mine.'

James could only blush and stammer in reply; but he felt that he was more than rewarded for risking his life that morning: and then, at a whispered hint from Glorvina Mrs. Coghlan desired Mr. Surridge to let the needlewoman, who resided in the house, have his coat to repair ot once.

'I shouldn't wonder said Norah to him in the course of the morning—'no I shouldnt' wonder at all, Mr. Surridge, if Glorvina married you. She always says she would marry the bravest man she knew, and you are very brave; and, though your coat is torn, she can buy you a new one.'

For the first time little Norah trembled at the anger which flashed from the tutor's eyes.

'How dare you child,' he cried, as she shrenk back—'how dare you? Never talk of Miss Desmond's marrying in that way. It is too much!'

Norah, terrified, retreated to cry alone, or, rather, with her doll; to whom she confided her inquires, promising her at the same time that she would tell Glorvina how cross that silly tutor was, and how he had said it would be quite dreadful to marry her! For thus Norah had understood his words.

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Another threatening notice on the hall door, and very diffident this time, said Mr. Coghlan, as he joined the tutor in the breakfast-room, soon after this incident; and he placed a dirty piece of paper, which he held in Surridge's hands.

The tutor took it and glanced over it. It ran thus—

'Mister Coghlan,—Ye have been warned once bekas ye helped the dirty sodiers at Callinore; but we spared ye bekas ye have ould Irish blood in yer veins. But if ye go to Dublin and bear witness against the boys who have done their duty, it's [illegible] shall and all belonging to ye. 'Captain Rock.'

'I don't quite understand to what it alludes,' said the tutor.

'Well, when they made a riot and were going to burn the town down, I read the Riot Act—being the nearest magistrate—before the soldiers fired on the mob. Some of the rioters were wounded, and two killed; but it was a pure act of self-defence on our part, I assure you, though much to be gretted. Three of the ringleaders were captured, one in the act of endeavoring to knock me off my horse with his shillelagh. I am summoned to Dublin to bear witness against him at the approaching assizes, and, unhappily, I saw him knock down and kill a helpless man who was on the side of the law and order, my evidence is sure to hang him. That is why they threatened me; but the threats, of course, can make no difference in my conduct, I must do my duty.'

(*To be continued.*

BOSS FOR FIVE MINUTES.

Soon after dinner hour yesterday a specimen tramp appeared at the door of a house on John-street, and before he could be ordered off the steps, he began:

"Sir, I'm a tramp."

"Yes, I see you are."

"But I am not here to ask for food, money or clothing. I have just had a bite, my clothes are good enough, and if I had money I should get drunk and be sent out."

"Well, what do you want?"

"There are four tramps down the street and I know they will call here. It is now five years, since I began to travel around. I suppose I have been called a loafer, a thief and a deadbeat a thousand times, and I have been shot at, clubbed, broomsticked and scalded times without number. Now I want a change."

"How?"

"Well, all I ask is that you will let me represent your house when those tramps come up."

This was agreed to. He sat down on the steps, removed his hat and lighted the stub of a cigar and was reading a circular when the fellows slouched up and entered the yard.

"What in Arkansas, do you fellows want in my yard?" exclaimed the tramp, as he rose up.

"Suthen to eat," was the humble reply.

"Somethin to eat. Why you miserable, thick-ribbed cadaverers, don't you get up to work and earn it then? Do you suppose I have got nothing to do but keep a free hotel for loafers?"

"No one gives us a show," growled the third man.

"That's your cue. Nobody will take you in with your old rags and dirt and sore heels and weup over you, and ask you to please be good, put you in the parlor bedroom and feed you on chicken broth. How awful it is that you can't be put on ice and laid away where you won't melt."

"Will you give us something?" impudently demanded the fourth.

"Will I? You are just right I will? I'll give you five seconds to get out of the gate, and I'll tell you in addition that if I ever see you in this neighborhood again I'll tie you into hard knots and hire a sore eyed dog to bite you to death? Git up and git? Move on—hurry—out with you?"

They shuffled out as fast as they could, and when they had turner the corner, the tramp put on his hat, put out his inch of cigar for another smoke and said to the gentleman:

"You have done me a great favor, and I am grateful; I already feel better for the change, and I solemnly believe if I could only have got an excuse to throw them over the fence, I should have been ready to reform and start out as a lecturer! Good bye. I shall never forget your kindness."

TOO LITERAL.

There was one minister's son, now ordained—and a very faithful and useful pastor he has been—a member of a large ministerial family, who in his academic days was as full of mischief as the proverbial minister's son is supposed to be. He taxed the well-known elastic patience of the "Doctor," as the headmaster was called, to the last degree. Finally the doctor said to him, after a capital act of misconduct, "You must prepare yourself for a severe whipping." When the appointed time came, the doctor was on hand, much more affected, apparently, than the irrepressible mischief-maker. After a solemn discourse in that most melting tone of voice that no one can forget that ever hear it, the doctor drew his rattan and laid it with considerable unction upon the boy's back. Nothing but dust followed the blows. The subject of discipline was entirely at his ease, and evidently quite unconscious of the stroke. "Take off your coat, sir!" was the next command, for the doctor was a little aroused. Again whistled the rattan around the boy's shoulders, but with no more effect. "Take off your vest, sir," shouted the doctor. Off went the vest, but there was another under it. "Off with the other!" And then to the astonishment of the administrator of justice, he exposed a dried codfish, defending the back of the culprit like a shield, while below there was evidently stretching over the other exposed parts of the body a stout leather apron. "What does this mean!" said the doctor. "Why," said the great rogue, in a particularly humble and persuasive tone, "you told me, doctor, to prepare myself for punishment, and I have done the best I could." It was out of the question to pursue that act of discipline any further at that time. And it is doubtful whether it was ever resumed again.

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[illegible] ...ew ... without ... hair ... out from natural causes ... again. The celebrated [illegible], who was formerly physician-in-chief of the St. Louis Hospital at Paris, and who is known throughout the world as the most learned specialist for affections of the skin, told me one day that there was nothing that could make the hair grow after the baldness had come on gradually. This I believe firmly; if there was anything of the kind, we would not see so many New York doctors with heads so completely destitute of hair as the backs of turtles. I am even persuaded that these gentlemen would follow the example of those Greek heroes who, under the leadership of Jason, made a voyage to Colchis to bring back the Golden Fleece. Modern Argonauts, the doctors, would consider themselves happy if they could bring back from such a voyage the secret of restoring the human fleece.

I don't think I am far from the truth when I say that during the past twenty-five years that I have practiced the profession of hairdresser, I have made the trial upon different bald heads of more than five hundred different hair tonics, and I am bound to admit that I never saw a single head the hair of which was restored after baldness. After so many failures, I am completely undeceived as to the value of all the preparations, and I would not now recommend any one of them, because I would be afraid to commit the crime that is designated by the words, "obtaining money under false pretenses." In my pathological studies upon the hair, I have found that people who prespire a great deal from the head are apt to get bald. The bad habit of wearing hats indoors is also very hurtful to the hair. In 1806, after the famous battle of Jena, in which the Prussians were completely defeated by Napoleon I., Baron Larrey, the celebrated military surgeon, perceived that many of the German prisoners were completely bald. Surprised, he made inquiries as to the cause of this, and he found that they owed their baldness to the shape—as homely as unhealthy—of their caps. The foul air of their head gear, having no issue, destroyed the vitality of the hair.

OUTBREAK OF CHOLERA PROBABLE

Dr. Willard Parker speaking at the New York medical meeting said: It must be understood that within a few days we shall have the heat of summer upon us, and the effect of that will be fearful. It is well to inquire what we shall do in such a case. In 1849 the last visitation of cholera broke out on the 17th of May. We have only from now to then to get this city cleaned—that is, we have only one month. If the heated weather were to come there never were so many factors for producing disease, at one time, than there are now. We want, then, a power to act at once. We have already indications of pestilence. The severe winter has enervated us, for we always find after a severe winter that we have a great deal of sickness. It is because the nervous system is so enervated by the pressure of winter that the conditions are found favorable to an outbreak of pestiience, if there is accompanied therewith a cause for pestilence. In the present circumstances of our city I think that the conditions are favorable for such an outbrake in our midst. If this should be the case it is impossible for me to say what the effect of that will be. Great guilt will be at the door of some one. I will not call it murder; I cannot call it manslaughter. It is killing, and you may call it what you choose. To guard this city against a pestilential invasion is of the first importance, for this city is a sort of key to the outside world. Pestilence or cholera is famous for travelling in broad higways, and if you have cholera it will be impossible to hedge it in this city alone for it will travel along the states, find its way to New Jersey and the New England States, and thus disseminate itself over every part of the Union. The number of deaths in 1832 from the cholera was about twenty thousand; in 1849 the number was about fourteen thousand. Prevention is better than cure.

MISS COLE'S TEETH

FOURTEEN OF THEM TRAVELLING AROUND ALL OVER HER BODY.

A most remarkable story comes from Middletown, Orange county, N. Y. A maiden lady at that place on the 5th of January, 1869, swallowed a new set of false teeth, which became separated from the rubber mould in which they had been set, while masticating her food. Before she could eject the food from her mouth the teeth had gone down into her stomach. The family physician was summoned, but all his efforts were unavailing. The teeth caused her no discomfort, and in a short time the matter was entirely forgotten. A few days ago Miss Cole, the lady in question, felt a sharp pain near her left shoulder, and upon examining the spot found what appeared like a wen under the skin. With the aid of a penknife she extracted a hard sudstance, which proved to be a tooth. She was at a loss to know how the tooth come in such an unusual spot till she suddenly recollected that she had, twelve years ago, swallowed her set of teeth. During the past four days the lady has been cutting teeth all over her body and had, at last accounts, recovered twelve of the fourteen teeth that had formerly constituted her full set. She is axiously awaiting the arrival of the other two. She has placed the teeth in a glass case and will keep them as mementoes.

THE ROAD TO BE HANDED OVER.—The arrangements have been made for the widening of the gauge of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway this summer, to be completed by the time the fall trade commences. The road will then be handed over to the Grand Trunk, who lease it for twenty years. The municipalities who voted bonuses to the road will now be called upon to hand over the moneys so voted to the present company. When the improvements contemplated are made, this section of the country will have better railway facilities than many parts of the Province.—*Gazette.*

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Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.12 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.20 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.		5.05 p.m.
Laurel	11.59 a.m.		5.20 p.m.
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.		6.00 p.m.
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.		6.50 p.m.
Proton	1.35 p.m.		7.11 p.m.
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.		7.35 p.m.
Markdale	2.15 p.m.		8.05 p.m.
Berkly	2.35 p.m.		8.28 p.m.
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.		8.46 p.m.
Arnott	3.05 p.m.		9.06 p.m.
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.		9.16 p.m.
Rockford	3.38 p.m.		9.36 p.m.
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.		10.10 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.25 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
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EARL BEACONSFIELD.—Obsequies to place on the 26th inst., at Hughenden members of the Royal Family, Ministers, and ex-Ministers, with the exception, of Hon. Mr. whose Gladstone, created con-siderable absence comment.

A CASE of considerable interest was tried on Wednesday last at the "Revere House," in our Town, before Messrs. Brown, Black, and Struthers, J. P.'s, in which Mr. Thomas Sullivan, of Glenelg, was indicted for perjury, and although eleven witnesses gave evidence on behalf of the prosecutor, Mr. Sullivan was honorably acquitted of the serious charge. Mr. J. D. McMillan appeared for the prosecutor, while the accused was defended by Mr. D. F. MacMillan.

THE latest novelty in American, Jewlety, at W. F. Doll's Flesherton and Dundalk.

THE weather is all that could be desired by farmers. There has been this week two very fine, and much needed showers of rain, and vegetation is now well advanced for the season of the year. There is considerable grain sown in this section of country, and if the weather continues fine the seeding will be finished in good time. We fear the greater part of the fall wheat is a complete failure, still we think it wise to leave it say to the 5th May, and if there is then a reasonable prospect for half a crop, don't plough it up; it would be as safe as other grain taking into consideration the extra labor and seed; but if it is deemed wise to plough up then sow to Barley.

CROQUET Sets, Lacrosse Sticks, &c., at Doll's Flesherton.

Mr. Wm. Hendrie [illegible] a letter to the *Mail*, states the rumour that the T. G. & B Railway is to be handed over to the Grand Trunk as premature. He states that he has succeeded in obtaining a much more favorable offer than that of the Grand Trunk and call upon the people of Toronto, whom he says [illegible] interested in the matter, to assist him in urging the Directors [illegible] the Grand Trunk Scheme. The municipalities in this section of country, who voted bonuses did so under the distinct understanding that the Road was to be leased to the Grand Trunk, and we doubt much whether they will be parties to any other arrangements.

To HAVE your watches repaired properly take it to W. F. Doll, Flesherton. Satisfaction guaranteed.

AN OLD SETTLER GONE.—We regret to have to announce this week the death of James Knott, Esq., of Euphrasia. He was one of the earliest settlers of that Township and his departure will be mourned by a large circle of friends and relatives. He became a resident of that Township 33 years ago, and by indomitable perseverance and industry, hewed out for himself one of the most beautiful homes in the county, and was respected by all. He was for years a member of the Township Council, and was its first Deputy Reeve, and father of the ex-Reeve, Mr. E. E. Knott. No one who had the pleasure of his acquaintance but will regret to hear of his demise.

W. F. DOLL, of Flesherton, has just recived a beautiful line of 10, 12 and 15k collored ann Bright Gold Chains, Necklets, Sockets, &c., direct from the factory.

At a meeting of the Board of License Commissioners for the License District of South Grey, held on the 19th inst., the following applications for license for the year 1881-82 were granted:

DURHAM—Tavern John Gibbons, Thomas Carson, W. F. McAlister.—Shop: Henry Parker.

BENTINCK.—Tavern: Guy Chittick, William Reid, William Bernia, Thos. Allen. Shop: Jos. R. McGaw, Sam. Norsworthy.

GLENELG.—Tavern: Thos. Sproul, George Ryan, Jos. Gibbons, Wm. O'Hara. Shop: Angus McIntyre, Wilson Benson.

EGREMONT.—Tavern: Harvy Noble, John Fitzgerald, William Smith.

NORMANBY.—Tavern: David Kenny, Charles Reckine, John Herman, Henry Ringle, Frederick Hinsberger, John Himmler, George Bersche, Geo. Vogt, John P. Klempp.

SPRING SHOW.—The Spring show of Horses and Bulls for the North Riding of Grey took place in Owen Sound on Tuesday last. The day was fine and a very large number in from the country. The show of General Purpose Horses was very fair, but that of Heavy Draft was not as good as previous years. A number of Bulls were shown of a suprior e breed. We notice one young bull aged 13 months, owned by Mr. A. C. Beattie, which is a very fine animal and well deserving of a prize. The following is the list of prizes awarded:

Heavy Draft Stallion—1st prize, Geo. Watson; 2nd Wm. Keefer.

Roagster Stallion—1st, John Davis; 2nd, Wm. Shepherdson.

Durham Bull over 2 years—1st James Burr; 2nd, John Cunningham.

Durham Bull under 2 years—1st, Robt. Johnstone; 2nd R. P. Frazer; 3rd, Andrew Beattie.—*Advertiser*.

EXAMINATION OF SENIOR DEPARTMENT IN MARKDALE UNION SCHOOL.

THE following is the result of the Easter Examination of the above department:—

FIFTH CLASS.

Grammar—Susan Davis, 87; Dinah Cunningham 86 and one-seventh; E. J. Bailey, 83 and two-sevenths.

Arithmetic—E. J. Bailey, 72½; Maggie Smith, 78½; Agnes Whyte, Annie Thibaudeau, and Wm. Davis, each 55.

Natural Philosophy—Tessie Lyons, 95; E. J. Bailey, 86 and two-thirds Susan Davis, 81.

Geometry—Fannie Ford, 75; Susan Davis, 70; Martha Anderson, 68.

Chemistry—Fannie Ford, 76½; A. Whyte, 73½; Annie Thibaudeau, 65.

Geography—E. J. Bailey, and Fannie Ford, each 71½; Tessie Lyons, 63½; Agnes Whyte, 61½.

History—Fannie Ford, 73½; Agnes Whyte, 71; Tessie Lyons, 70½; Maggie Smyth, 64½.

Book keeping—Dinah Cunningham and Tessie Lyons, each 78½; Fannie Ford, 75; Susan Davis, 72½.

FOURTH CLASS, SEN.

The standing of those who succeeded in passing from the fourth to the fifth class:—Robt. J. Browne. 75½; Robt. McLoughry, 72½; Frank Arnold, 68½; Lincoln Might, 62; Ellie Ford, 60½; Christena Wilson, 54½.

Mamie Bowes failed in Arithmetic; Samuel Douglass failed in Grammar. Otherwise they passed the examination commendably.

FOURTH CLASS JUN., IN ORDER OF MERIT.

Fred. Stephens, J. Hollinghead, Spence Wilson, Alice Ford, Minnie Dundass.

Those who passed successfully the entrance examination to the Senior Department in order of merit:—Ida Benson, Berta Reid, Donald McDuff, Maggie Bailey, Edith Noble, and Tena Bryden.

Many more of the pupils in the fifth class attained a high standing, but I find it convenient to publish the names of the three highest only.

R. D. IRVINE, Teacher.

PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

THE most notable point here just now is the absence of any great commotion, except among the rural population, who are trying to make up for the lateness of the spring by working early and late.

We are stepping a little ahead of the neighboring villages here in regard to educational accommodation, as a new school house, built with all the latest improvements, both in style and convenience, is on the tapis. The tender accepted was $2,3000.

It is rumored that a brick-yard is to be started shortly in the vicinity of the village.

As [illegible] I think there is great need of some kind of society by which our young men could find some way of passing their evenings to better advantage than at present. It is a well known fact that the want of employment is one of the most frequent causes of vice, especially among the young. The most of our villages can boast of some kind of general improvement society, and whether in some state they only go there to spark, I think, nevertheless, that is far preferable to standing around taverns and street-corners, and passing remarks on all passers-by. There was some attempt to furnish some literary entertainment in the shape of a Reading Society, but I am sorry to say it fell through.

SURROUNDED BY VENOMOUS SERPENTS.

READ the following, and then say whether we have no heroines.

A young lady of Glenelg, being charmed by the return of that welcome visitor, who has just burst the congealed bands of a northern winter, determined to enjoy the respiration of a balmy atmosphere and bask in the rays helios, then shining in his meridian of splendor. With this intent she betook herself to her wonted resort, and after comfortably seating herself, she began to draw with her far reaching fancy the depth of meaning and the beauties of expression from the pages of Shakespeare. While thus engaged she raised her eyes from the book to ponder on the passage, when to her horror she beheld a dark venomous looking serpent (one of a species of the adder) lying in a coil at her feet. Uttering a frantic scream she sprang to her feet, and sought safety in an opposite direction, but alas! her cry and movement disturbed the baskers and to her troubled brain it appeared as if she were bounded by one writhing mass, but her feeling of timidity subsided as fast as it had arisen, and seizing a missile with the determination of a Joan of Arc, she fearlessly began the work of execution, and when the task was finished, there covered the spot no less than thirteen of those venomous reptiles, each over two and a half feet in length. When this heroine could find no more victims, like Alex.'r the Great, she sat down and wept.

We would just add that the ladies of Glenelg must be possessed of large destructiveness. Young men, take warning in time.

OWEN SOUND, April 26.—A man named Jas. McLaren, a carpenter by trade, attempted suicide to-day by taking a dose of laudanum. For some years past he has been involved in somewhat compicated domestic troubles with a neighbor. This morning he proceeded to a drug store in town and procured an ounce of laudanum. he had no sooner taken the drug than a member of the family ran and called in some of the neighbours. A doctor was hurridly sent for and administered the necessary remidies, which were successful. McLaren offered resistance to taking the remedies, and expressed his determination to repeat the dose at some futer time.

Mothers who are startled at the our of midnight by that ominous hoarse cough of your little ones, what would you not give for a prompt and certain means of relief from that dread destroyer of your children, Group? such a means you may have for the trifling cost of 25 cents. It is Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great Household remedy for all inflammatory and painful diseases. Do not rest over night again without it.

PROTON COUNCIL.

The Council met as per adjournment, on Friday, the 15th day of April, 1881, at Dundalk.

Members of the Council present were,—The Deputy Reeve, and Councillors McArdle, Black and Buckley. The Deputy Reeve presiding.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

As notified, the Trustees of School Sections Nos. 8 and 9, were in attendance.

Several communications received.

Petition from School Section No. 8, description of deed from Isaac Traynor, and a communication from Township Treasurer.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the petition of Peter Walker and twenty four others, praying that there be no action taken to alter the boundaries of School Section No. 8 be granted.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr Black, that the tender of C. W. Rutledge, Esq., of the Markdale STANDARD, for printing to this Council, be accepted.—Carried.

Mr. Buckley moved, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that the Clerk correspond with the County treasurer, and have the taxes against lots Nos. 31 and 35, in the 14th con. erased, as they are paid to the Township Treasurer. Carried.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that Isaac Traynor is hereby appointed to make a deed of part of lot 10, con. 19, to this Council for road allowance.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that an order be drawn in favor of Thomas Fernane for $8, as per motion of Council passed, for road work.—Carried.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the Assessor, Wm. Boyd, having deposited his Roll with the Clerk, be paid his salary, the amount being $70, with $6 for disbursement and extras.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that Patrick Fernane be allowed $8, for performing 8 days road work for lot 24 in 10th con., for 1879.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that each road division be entitled to the non-resident road work in or near that division, on application and approval of the Council, and the Councillor of the electoral division be empowered to let and inspect the same, or may authorise the pathmaster to do it if required, and the Clerk to draft a By-law to that effect.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the Clerk have the taxes erased from lots 23 and 24 in the 8th con., now in the County Treasurer's books for 1879, as the taxes have been paid to the Township Treasurer.—Carried.

Mr. [illegible] school section No. [illegible] bond, being $[illegible].—Carried.

Mr. Buckley moved, seconded by Black, that the Clerk be authorized to request the County Treasurer to send a statement in full of the arrears of taxes against lots 214, 215 and 216, in the 4th range, for the year 1877.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that the petition of John McLuhan and others to withdraw from School Section No. 9, be laid over until the next meeting of Council that is to be held at Cedarville.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that as John Cooper was allowed to perform $10 worth of gravelling on 37 side-road, for part of arrears of taxes against lot 36, con. 8, under the Councillor of the division, by a motion of Council made on the 3rd December, 1880, and as the job was not completed on account of it being let in the winter, that he be allowed till the 15th day of July' 1881, to complete the same, and providing he give a bond for the fulfilment of the same, and pays the balance of arrears of taxes to the Township Treasurer, and that the Clerk be authorised to have the same erased from the County Treasurer's Books.—Carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that this Council form themselves into a committee to examine the Treasurer's Bond.

Council went into committee on Bond of Treasurer's, with Mr. Abott chairman.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

We beg leave to report that this committee is of the opinion that it is to the interest of this municipality the Treasurer furnish other and additional security satisfactory to this Council. Joseph McArdle, James Buckley, and Robert Black Committee. John Abbott, Chairman.

Council resumed.

Mr. Wm. Boyd profferred himself as one of the securities, and was accepted by the Council.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that the Treasurer's Bond be received and approved of.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that this Council adjourn to meet at Scarlett's Hall, on the third Tuesday in May as a Court of Revision.—Carried.

JOHN VERT, Clerk.

Clerk's Office, April 18, 1881.

Major Bruce of London, who lost 800 plum trees by the recent frost, has now discovered that nearly all his peach trees had been destroyed.

MARRIED

WALKER—BRADY.—On the 27th inst, At the residence of the Brides mother, By Rev J. Ward, Mr John Walker of Artemesia, to Miss Ellen Brady, of Euphrasia.

DIED.

LEGARD.—In Artemesia, on the 21 st inst., James, son of Mr. Joseph Legard, aged 18 years.

SARJEANT.—In Markdale on the 25th inst, William J. F, only child of W. B. Sarjeant, Butcher, aged 4 years and 6 mo.

KNOTT.—At his late residence, Springfield farm, Euphrasia, on Sunday, 24 th April, James Knott, in the 66 year of his age.

SPRING SHOWS.

Euphrasia, Friday, April 22nd, at Rocklyn.

Collingwood Township, at Clarksburg, Thursday, 28th April.

St. Vincent, at Meaford, Friday April 19th.

County, at Owen Sound, Monday, 26 April.

Shelburne, April 21st, in Shelburne.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, April 29, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	[illegible]
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	[illegible]
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, April 28th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	[illegible]
Oats	0.00	"	[illegible]
Peas	0.60	"	[illegible]
Potatoes	0.30	"	[illegible]
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	[illegible]
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	[illegible]
Beef	4.00	"	[illegible]
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	[illegible]
Wool	0.25	"	[illegible]
Lard	0.10	"	[illegible]
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 29c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 10c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 21c to 22c; lard 1oc; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, April 28, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 [illegible]
Barley, do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Oats, do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Peas, do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Rye, do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Clover Seed do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Beef, fore quarters	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Chickens, per pair	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Fowls, do.	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Ducks, per brace	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Geese, each	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Turkeys	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Butter, large rolls	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Butter, tub dairy	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Butter, store-packed	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Eggs, fresh, per doz	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Eggs, packed	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Apples, per brl	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 65
Onions, per bag	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Hay	[illegible]	to	[illegible]

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Markdale, March 24th 1881. 28-?.

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Priceville—Monday before Durham.

Hanover—Monday before Durham.

Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.

Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.

Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.

Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.

Elora—The day before Guelph.

Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.

Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

Berlin—First Thursday in each month.

Brampton—First Thursday in each month.

Listowel—First Friday in each month.

Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.

Rossmont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.

Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.

Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.

Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.

Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.

Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.

Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.

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Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

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Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard.

Muslins, 10c. per yard.

Mens' Felt Hats 75c

Prints, [illegible] upwards.

Tweed, [illegible] upwards.

Good fresh Teas for 25c. and upwards.

10 pounds of Light Sugar for One Dollar.

12 pounds of Currants for One Dollar.

Coal Oil 30 cents per gallon.

10½ pounds Raisins for One Dollar.

GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY [illegible]

[illegible] Prints, new spring [illegible] cents, fast colors.

[illegible] of Tweed 50 cents—worth [illegible]

[illegible] of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 [illegible]

[illegible] Table Napkins, 6½ cents, [illegible]

[illegible] Black Broad-Cloth, $1.25 [illegible]

[illegible] Duck Overalls, 50 cents, [illegible]

[illegible] Jersey Shirts, 75 cents.

$1.00. Chord Index $1.00.

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THIS IS A

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For Learning to Play

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Any person, Young or Old, whether have any Musical talent or not can learn or PLAY ANYTHING, in a VERY SHORT TIME what would take years in the old way, besides a great expense for Books, Tuition, ec., &c. Sen, pre-paid on receip of $1.

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ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,

429½ King Street East, Toronto.

Toronto, April 14th, 1881.

STANDARD.

April 29th, 1881.

OTHER NOTICES.

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[illegible] offers special bargains [illegible] Feathers, Gloves, lace, [illegible]

[illegible] Spoons, &c., &c., in [illegible] at Wilcox's.

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[illegible] will remove in a few [illegible] the street to Dr. Sproul's [illegible]

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[illegible] great marvel of [illegible] climax of medical [illegible] Burdock Blood Bitters. [illegible] diseases of the Blood, Liver, Stomach, [illegible] Skin and Kidneys, Female Complaints, Scrofula, General [illegible] Nervous Debility, and is a reliable [illegible] all broken down conditions [illegible] system. Sample Bottles 10 [illegible] supplied by all dealers in [illegible]

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SOMETHING [illegible] AT W. J. McFARLAND'S

Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8½, 9, 10, 11, and 12½ cents, fast colors.
[illegible]ces of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
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[illegible]rds Black Broad-Cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
[illegible]airs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
[illegible]ens Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, [illegible]—worth [illegible]
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, [illegible] cents. Pur[illegible]
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, [illegible] price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " " $1.50 "

[illegible] W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
2761½ Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brilhanteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New [illegible]

Grand opening of the millinery show room[illegible]. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

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GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY [illegible]

[TH]E STANDARD.

[Fri]day, April 29th, 1881.

[LOCA]L & OTHER NOTICES.

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G. J. BLYTH has sold his residence to Mr. Lucas, Esq., Banker.

[Mrs.] Burch offers special bargains [in Os]trich Feathers, Gloves, lace, [&c].

[Silv]er Forks' Spoons, &c., &c, in [great] variety at Wilcox's.

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[Mr.] McINTYRE will remove in a few [days] across the street to Dr. Sproul's block.

[Tor]onto oil company, are sole [manu]facturers of "Castorine" machine [oil. In]fringers will be prosecuted.

[illegible] No. 1 [machine] oil, CASTORINE [illegible] tools, try Haskett [illegible]

[illegible] Or. [illegible] [c]hange [ba]rrels. It is now an [illegible], and is much im[proved] [illegible] we wish the [illegible]

[illegible] for "Castorine" [illegible] oil, [illegible] that the barrel [is bra]nded "Castorine," as none other [genuine].

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[WANTED] IMMEDIATELY. A lady [for a] small family. Address appli[cations] [illegible] to X, Box [illegible], [illegible] Ont. We take the above [as a wa]y of advertising for a servant [fro]m the Toronto MAIL. Lady ! What next? If this is not [the e]xtreme height of codfish arist[ocracy], will some please tell us what is. [We p]resume the next thing will be—[Wa]nted Immediately—A Gentleman [who] thoroughly understands the care [of h]orses.

[Th]e great marvel of healing—the [crow]ning climax of medical discoveries [is Bu]rdock Blood Bitters. It cures [all d]iseases of the Blood, Liver, Stom[ach], Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, Fe[male] Complaints, Scrofula, General [and N]ervous Debility, and is a reliable [remed]y in all broken down conditions [of th]e system. Sample Bottles 10 [cents]. Supplied by all dealers in [medi]cine.

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THE Grand Duke Nicholas, of Russia, has been found guilty of complicity in the plans of the Nihilists, and sentenced by the Czar to imprisonment for life.

With the approach of Spring, Biliary Complaints prevail that often lead to serious results. Guard against their attack in time by using Burdock Blood Bitters: the best Liver invigorator, Kidney Corrector, Regulator of the Bowels and Secretions, and the purest, most permanent Tonic in the world. For sale by all dealers.

A YOUNG bride being asked how her husband turned out, replied that he "turned out very late in the morning, and turned in very late at night." Mr. J. W. Macfarland turned out promptly this week, Three Wedding Outfits—Silk Dresses, Parasols, Real Laces, Hats, Orange Blossoms, Lace Veils, Kid Gloves, &c. The Brides looked charming. Get your wedding fixings at McFarland's.

OWEN SOUND

ACCIDENT.—James Horn working in Camerin & McLeod's factory, had the 3rd finger of his left hand taken off with a circular saw on Saturday last, and the other finger on the same hand more or less damaged.

THE ELEVATOR.—As intimated last week, the directors of the T. G. & B. R. came up by special train last Wednesday evening. The object of the visit was to make arrangements for building operations, etc. The contract for building the elevator will be let next week, after which the building will imeditaly be proceeded with. It is to be built directly opposite the dry dock, and a dock frontage is to be built from the present railway station to the elevator.

DISCHARGED WITH CAUTION.—The girl Connely, who was up before the magistrate last week, was discharged with a strong caution, and upon a promise that she would not steal again.—*Tribune.*

ORANGEVILLE

POLICE COURT.—Jno. Tweedy, of Garafraxa, was up before the Mayor and Jno. Gillespie, J. P., on Monday last, charged with the theft of a watch, but as no one appeared against him he was discharged.

ENTERPRISE.—Messrs Stewart & Bennett will ship for England on the first week of May 200 head of cattle. The greater part of these animals are now in their possession, and the balance will be obtained in the neighborhood.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Thursday of last week, as Mr. Jno. Ferguson, of this town, was passing through the yard at the rear of Dean's Hotel, stumbled against some obstruction and fell, breaking his leg. Medical attendance was at once procured, and the injured man is now progressing as farorably as can be expected under the circumstances.

ACCIDENT.—On Sunday afternoon last, a two year old boy of Mr. Wm. Ryan, of Mill Street, followed its father into the stable, where he had gone to attend to his horses. The child walked up against one of them, and the horse kicked him in the forehead, making a very severe wound. We are happy to be able to state that the child is rapidly recovering from the affects of the blow.—*Gazette.*

ROCKLYN.

From a Correspondent.

THE Euphrasia Agricultural Society's Spring Show came off, as advertised, on the 22nd inst. The day was all that could be desired, and the turn out of spectators was large. The show of horses was up to the average; bulls good, but few in number. We had no imported draught horses.

PRIZE LIST.

Canadian Draught Horses—1st, G. Watson; 2nd, Ed. Shaw.
General Purpose Stallions—1st, A. Densmore; 2nd, Wm. Fauson.
Carriage and Roadster Stallions—1st, Wm. Shepherdson; 2nd, none entered.
Blood Stallions—1st, Alex. Mitchell.
Aged Pedigree Bull—1st, R. Clark.
Pedigree Bull calved in 1880—1st, R. Clark; 2nd Wm. McConnell.

DURHAM.

THE FAIR.—The usual monthly Fair was held here on Tuesday last. The number of cattle on the ground was not large. Mr. George Moore, of Normanby, sold a cow for $55. Milk cows sold from $22 to $35. Steers sold from $25 to $52 each, or fat cattle from 4½ to 5½ cents live weight. Considerable business was done, and some good horses were sold at fair prices.

RESIGNED.—The Rev. Mr. Wray, Incumbent of Trinity Church, in this town, has resigned his charge. Since Mr. Wray has resided in Durham, from the catholicity of spirit, and sociable qualities he has become very popular with the ministers of the different denominations, and many of their adherents, who will be sorry to see him leave.—*Review.*

A freight train arrived at the Durham station on Friday last, about noon, bringing several car loads of salt and other freight. The train left about two o'clock on the return trip, taking a car load of wheat for Mr. [illegible] of Woodstock, and several [illegible] [illegible] remedy [illegible] on the [illegible] Chronicle.

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If you want

BILL HEADS,
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NOTES,
RECEIPTS,
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SALE BILLS,
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Or in fact anything in the printing line, don't fail to call at the

StandarD OFFICE,

Toronto Street,

MARKDALE,

Where work is [illegible] in first-class style and at city prices, and [illegible] forget it.

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE,

One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.
Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

LOVELL'S

Province of Ontario Directory For 1881-82,

TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,
Price $5.00.

MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an

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AND A CLASSIFIED

CLASSIFIED Business Directory

of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a

CLASSIFIED BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to anncunce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16th, 1880. 14m1

FARM FOR SALE,

OR TO

RENT for a TERM of YEARS.

50 ACRES, nearly all cleared and free of stumps, 1½ miles from Markdale.

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 4th, 1881. 30-3i

FOR SALE!

One span of driving horses; 1 span of working horses; 1 set of double harness; 1 new waggon; 1 light Sulky. Will be sold cheap for cash, or good note, on short time.

Dr. SPROULE.

Markdale, March, 1881. 30-2in

Money! Money!

THE undersigned has a large amount of private funds to lend, at from 6 to 7 per cent. according to amount required and security offered.

ANDREW BEATTY,
Lot 130, 1st west T. & S. R. Artemesia,
Flesherton P. O.

March 23, 1881. 28-tf

REMOVED

FROM my old Stand opposite the Post Office, Dundalk, to Mr. Deans' Hardware Store, where I have a well assorted stock of

Gold and Silver Watches,
Jewellry, Wedding and Jem
Rings, Clocks, &c., &c.

WATCHES and CLOCKS

Carefully Repaired

and brought to time. All work guarantee for one year. I shall be in

DUNDALK,

personally every Friday.

All orders left at my store will be promptly attended to. Thanking my numerous customers for their very liberal patronage. I would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

W. F. DOLL.

March 2nd, 1881. 26-3m

ROYAL HOTEL,

MEAFORD, Ont.

J. & J. McGIRR, PROPRIETORS.

Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.

Free bus to and from all trains.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL.

PRICEVILLE, Ont.

Large and commodious Sample Rooms; Good Bed Rooms, &c. The bar and larder well supplied with the best [illegible]

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns, Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust that all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 8, 1881. 1

Announcement!

LATE IMPORTATIONS

OF

Sesaonable Goods,

AT

Greatly Reduced Prices,

AT THE

TORONTO HOUSE.

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 15, 1819. 1-ly

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March, 1881. 16

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or

Iced and Ornamented,

and a large

Variety of Other Cakes.

always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. [illegible], 1881. 1n-ly

Auction Sale OF VALUABLE FARMS,

In the Townships of Artemesia and Proton in the County of Grey.

There will be Sold, on

Friday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1881,

At one o'clock in the afternoon, at the

McCULLOUG'S HOTEL,
In the
VILLAGE OF DUNDALK.

BY virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the Sale, the following Properties:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon, Lot No. 37, in the 3rd Concession, South of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, County of Grey, containing 8[illegible] acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 10 acres partly cleared. The property is situated about 10 miles from the Village of Dundalk.

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGuron, Lot 17, in the 17 Concession of the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 20 acres cleared and under cultivation, with a log house and barn erected thereon.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOSEPH McARDLE, Esq.,
Hopeville.

Toronto, 14th March, 1881. 28-4w

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

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☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

[illegible] 11-m

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$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency at

6½ AND 7 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

STRAIGHT LOANS. If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest? If you need a barn? If your fences are not sufficient? If you want to buy more land? If you want to clear and improve more land?

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They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you 12 per cent. on over due payments: but they do give the most reasonable privileges of any Company lending money.

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Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security.

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All persons who have an orchard should go over it carefully now, cutting all twigs off which have the eggs of the tent-caterpillars deposited on them. They can now be detected by careful observation, and for the benefit of those who do not know them we will give a slight description of them. They are of a dark grey color, almost brown, resembling the bark of the tree, and form a ring, generally about half an inch long, which completely encircles the twig on which they are deposited, and as the warm weather approaches this grows somewhat larger. All old trees which have loose bark would be benefitted by scraping the body and large limbs with a hoe, being careful not to injure the lower bark; after which they should be washed with lye or diluted soft soap. Young trees which have smooth bark do not need scraping, but the washing would do them good. If you desire a heavy crops of fruit you must keep the land rich on which the trees are planted. They produce better and are less liable to disease.—*Farmer's Advocate.*

A correspondent of the N. Y. *Tribune* says:—"I should like to tell my fellow-readers of an experiment which I have tried. It is a protection against trunk-boring and root sucking insects affected by simply making a little gutter round the collar of the tree and pouring from a gill to a pint or more of gas-tar into it. No ill effects have followed in any known case through several years' use in several distinct places; even when applied, as it usually has been, in the warm, growing summer time, before the insects deposit their eggs. On the contrary, a deeper green and greater vigor have followed the application, showing that it probably bars off the germs of even more minute and insidious devastators than the visible insects.

The following is from a writer in the London Garden: "In Covent Garden I heard a very good account of Canadian apples, and was surprised to learn they were beating the American produce out of the field. There seems some reason for this, as the Canadian apples are better packed; the American barrels are usually "topped up," in market parlance—a layer or two of good fruit at the top, and then fruit of a poor quality below. On the other hand, the Canadian fruit is generally fairly good throughout, the barrels are well packed, and considerably larger than those of the Americans. A very excellent apple which has been coming in large quantities is the Golden Russet; it has a high and rich flavor. In some sales lately, Canadians, when compared with Americans, were in the proportions of over six to one. This must be encouraging to the Canadians, and should teach the Americans to pack honestly if they wish to keep their trade."

An additional inducement to see that trees are maintained in free-growing health exists in the fact, brought prominently forward at a Massachusetts farmer's meeting, that the fruit from diseased trees will not keep. To which might be added that so long as it does keep it is inferior in flavor and juiciness. Unfortunately, a tree is like a pig in one respect—it is very difficult to cure when once sickened. The most frequent cause of disease is the disruptive effect of untimely or violent frost. This is remediable only in one way, and that is the preventive course of only planting varieties with constitutions capable of withstanding even so severe a winter as the present. Much may be done, however, with less ironclad sorts, by care to avoid any check of growth during the proper growing season; by encouraging early and even growth so that it may be completed before autumnal frosts, and by taking measures to keep the roots from being gorged with wet while the trees are leafless and the tops from being so parched and shrivelled by winter winds as to be incapable of [illegible] supplies when they are wanted.

A NOTE OF WARNING.—The present winter has been one remarkably adapted to the welfare of insect life, and it will not be strange if our common insect pests should be more than usually abundant during the coming summer. The open winter of a year ago, with its frequent thawing and freezing, seemed to have a marked influence on the abundance of insects, as last summer was particularly noticeable for their scarcity. Doubtless other conditions render the working of this rule, (or what seemed at least to be a rule,) variable, but still it may be worth remembering, for though we cannot control the weather, we may be "fore warned," and so keep on guard in order to apply the proper checks upon the first appearance of noxious insects, when they may be expected in abundance; or on the other hand, enjoy some sense of security when we consider that an open winter has killed off many of them.

A BURIED CITY IN ALGIERS.

French newspapers report the discovery in Algiers, by the archæologist M. Tarry, of a city which had been entombed in the sand. M. Tarry's attention had been awakened by the mound-like appearance of the sandy soil, and some digging brought to light the minarets and upper portion of a mosque. Further excavations laid bare a terrace, a tower, and about a dozen houses, all in excellent preservation. He reported his discovery to the Government of Algiers, which has undertaken to have the site thoroughly explored. The place is in the southern part of the province, not far from the town of Ouargla, and exposed to the full blast of the sandy winds from the desert. Probably a succession of siroccos bearing clouds of sand completely filled up the streets and houses, making the town uninhabitable, and so drove out the population. At present there is no ground for conjecture as to the date of the occurrence.

A family table ought to be bright and cheerful, a sort of domestic altar, where every one casts down his or her offering, great or small, pleasantness or peace; where, for at least a brief space in the day, all annoyances are laid aside, all stormy tempers hushed, all quarrels healed; every one being glad and content to sit down at the same board and the same bread and salt, making it, whether it were a repast or a dinner of herbs, equally a joyful, almost a sacramental meal.

Division Court in Dufferin Hall, Markdale, 10th June, to commence at 11.30 o'clock.

A FEW FACTS FOR CANADIANS TO REMEMBER.

A correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, travelling in Texas writes:—In some large districts of the State, though the soil is of good quality, it is of so scant depth—the stone being everywhere so near the surface—that it dries out entirely early in the summer, and the grass dries up or is changed to hay, and only such crops can be grown that will ripen in a short season. I saw some prosperous "model farms," as the land agents call them, in various parts of Texas, on which nearly everything is grown that anybody need wish to produce here. But it should be observed that this is usually accomplished by an unlimited use of costly fertilizers, which the farm itself does not pay for, most of these places being the property of men whose wealth is acquired in other pursuits. Even on these farms the crops often fail on account of drouth. In a region so vast as this State scarcely anything can be affirmed of it as a whole. I find myself not quite able to agree with all the accounts and estimates of the gentlemen who have land to sell in Texas. Their eulogies of the agricultural capabilities of the State appear to me somewhat extravagant. But there is a great deal of land in the State which I did not see, and I do not pretend to say what its quality may be.

People intending to emigrate to this State to farm should come first to see it, or send some competent person to look at the country during the latter part of the summer. Any observant farmer can at that time of the year judge pretty well about the fitness of the soil and climate for his pursuits and interests. It is significant to observe that the land agents urge people to select their locality "before they come" to the State. One of the great railroad corporations advertises to the effect that it is better for immigrants to decide where they wish to go before they leave their old homes, as they can make a better selection then than if they wait to see the country; and the land agents say that if people begin to look around for a better part of the State they are never satisfied. The farmers all through Texas say that the reason of their not using "vegetables" more than they do is the fact that vegetables will not "keep" in this climate, and there is only a short season in the spring when "garden stuff" is available for food. They have plenty of it then, but it soon becomes too dry and hot for later planting to do any good. Potatoes are not good unless eaten when they "first come," and the sun soon cooks cabbage in the field, or the worms eat them. The reason they live mostly on bread and bacon is because nothing else will "keep" without excessive trouble and expense. All this is only what the people themselve told me; I cannot say, from my own observation, that it is true. It does not apply so fully to Northern Texas, where the climate is much cooler than in the central and southern regions of the State.

The temperature is very variable and uncertain almost everywhere in Texas, this State being especially exposed to sudden and severe storms of wind from the north, during which the temperature falls with frightful rapidity—a few hours sufficing for a change from almost tropical heat to cold that seems to pierce to the very marrow. The northern portion of the State is scourged by pneumonia, diphtheria, and kindred diseases. Large portions of the South, indeed, suffer greatly from these maladies. I saw a woman on the cars yesterday who was on her way back to her old home in Georgia, after living some ten years in Texas. Her husband was "a Baptist preacher," she told me, and in one of the great storms of the past winter he went away to preach at a school-house not far from their home. The weather increased in severity till "the wind turned everything to ice." The poor man's feet and legs were frozen so badly, and he was so greatly prostrated, that it was decided that amputation would not save his life. He lingered for a few weeks, and died. Of course the winter just closing has been one of extraordinary severity, but an old Texan said to me yesterday: "Young man, ye kin bet yer life 'taint safe to fool with this climate." And he added: "Ef ye've got anything warm, for outside or inside, take it along. Ye may need it afore night."

CURED BY PRAYER.

It is now more than a week since Miss Addie M. Goodrich, of Narval, in the state of Illinois, decided to stop taking medicine and trust wholly to prayer. Miss Goodrich, who has been bedridden for years, is a devout Methodist, and some days ago a friend read to her from the New Testament the story of a miraculous cure, and then prayed that she, too, might be healed. As the words were uttered, Miss Goodrich affirms that she felt a sudden accession of strength and a desire to rise from the bed, but her friends dissuaded her. Then she redoubled her prayers for health and got all her pious friends to pray for her. Finally, her doctor told her to pray for strength to get out of bed the next morning, assuring her of his confidence that the prayer would be answered. With this encouragement, she prayed continuously until the morning arrived, and with it the doctor. He prayed, and a sister prayed, and then Miss Goodrich got up, exclaiming, "Saviour, give me strength!" and walked to the chair—for the first time in nearly four years. Ever since she has been growing stronger and the neighbours look at her with awe. Her own firm belief is that she has been supernaturally cured and the singular feature of the case is that the attendant physician agrees with her.

A Kentucky preacher rose to speak, and opened the Bible. The first verse that met his eyes happened to be, "The voice of the turtle shall be heard in the land." "Brethren," said he, "at first sight one would not think their was much in this text; but, on a little consideration, you will see, there's a great deal in it. Now you, all Know what a turtle is. If you've been along by a pond you have seen them sitting on a log sunning themselves. Now, it is said, 'The voice of the turtle shall be heard in the land.' But the turtle hasn't any voice that anybody ever heard, so it must be the noise he makes in plunging off the log into the water. Hence, we must conclude that immersion is meant, and that immersion will become universal.

The remarks made by parrots, apparently with pertinence, are sometimes grotesque and astounding—as in the story told of a parrot who was present on board ship during very bad weather, when the sailors knelt on deck in a circle to pray for deliverance. The parrot watched their movements no doubt, for he correctly remembered the circumstance. It is said the captain came up from the cabin, where he had been to examine the chart, while the men were at prayer, and cried aloud: "Leave off praying, you lubbers, and get to the pumps, we're nearing land!" On arriving in port, Polly was sold to a clergyman, and in due course was placed in the vicar's dining-room. The first morning after his arrival there, he saw the servants come into the room one after another and kneel down to prayers with the family. Polly's memory instantly reverted to the scene on board ship, and he cried out with a loud voice: "Leave off praying, you lubbers, and get to the pumps! we're nearing land!" A bombshell in falling among these devout persons could not have put them into a great consternation than they were put by this irreverent exclamation.—Animal World.

Winnipeg *Times*: "Wheat at Pembina, Dakota, is 72 cents; at West Lynn, Manitoba, it is 90 cents. The towns are only a mile or two apart—but the international boundary line is between them. So that farmers north of the 49th parallel are in a far better position than their neighbors to the south, not only as regards prices but also in respect to the much larger average production per acre of Manitoba lands.

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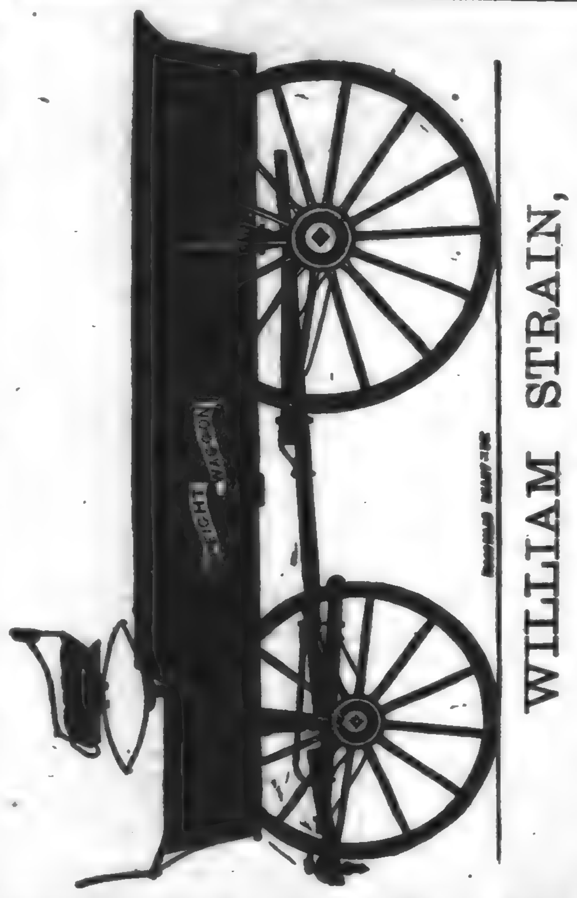
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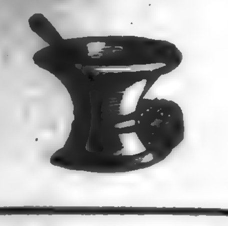

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All of which will be sold at lowest market [prices].
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Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880.

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GENAERL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLI[NERY]
Ready-Made Clothin[g]
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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
and in order to do so,
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FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DA[YS]
The stock is all new, well bought, and well worth the attention of the [illegible]
In GROCERIES you will find evrything of First-Class V[alue]
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You will find everything that I sell just as I represent it, and [illegible] as you can possibly get for your money anywhere, as I have always [illegible] dealing is the only true course for a business man.
My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can [illegible]
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For CASH and FARM PROD[UCE]
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Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of S[pring Wheat], Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; [illegible] Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you [illegible] paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.
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And I will have opened out and show
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One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into [this] country.
Thanking one and all for their liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting [illegible] purchasing elsewhere,
I am, your obedient servant,
R. J. SPRO[ULE].
Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

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[illegible] Medical Hall; residence at [illegible]
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[illegible] J. G. [illegible]
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[illegible] HOTEL, [illegible] Proprietor.
[illegible] HOTEL.
[illegible] HOTEL, [illegible]
[illegible] Sample Rooms [illegible]
[illegible] ATKINSON, Proprietor.

FARM AND GARDEN.

All persons who have an orchard should go over it carefully now, cutting all twigs off which have the eggs of the tent-caterpillars deposited on them. They can now be detected by careful observation, and for the benefit of those who do not know them we will give a slight description of them. They are of a dark grey color, almost brown, resembling the bark of the tree, and form a ring, generally about half an inch long, which completely encircles the twig on which they are deposited, and as the warm weather approaches this grows somewhat larger. All old trees which have loose bark would be benefitted by scraping the body and large limbs with a hoe, being careful not to injure the lower bark; after which they should be washed with lye or diluted soft soap. Young trees which have smooth bark do not need scraping, but the washing would do them good. If you desire a heavy crops of fruit you must keep the land rich on which the trees are planted. They produce better and are less liable to disease.—*Farmer's Advocate.*

A correspondent of the N. Y. *Tribune* says:—"I should like to tell my fellow-readers of an experiment which I have tried. It is a protection against trunk-boring and root sucking insects affected by simply making a little gutter round the collar of the tree and pouring from a gill to a pint or more of gas-tar into it. No ill effects have followed in any known case through several years' use in several distinct places; even when applied, as it usually has been, in the warm, growing summer time, before the insects deposit their eggs. On the contrary, a deeper green and greater vigor have followed the application, showing that it probably bars off the germs of even more minute and insidious devastators than the visible insects.

The following is from a writer in the London Garden: "In Covent Garden I heard a very good account of Canadian apples, and was surprised to learn they were beating the American produce out of the field. There seems some reason for this, as the Canadian apples are better packed; the American barrels are usually "topped up," in market parlance—a layer or two of good fruit at the top, and then fruit of a poor quality below. On the other hand, the Canadian fruit is generally fairly good throughout, the barrels are well packed, and considerably larger than those of the Americans. A very excellent apple which has been coming in large quantities is the Golden Russet; it has a high and rich flavor. In some sales lately, Canadians, when compared with Americans, were in the proportions of over six to one. This must be encouraging to the Canadians, and should teach the Americans to pack honestly if they wish to keep their trade."

An additional inducement to see that trees are maintained in free-growing health exists in the fact, brought prominently forward at a Massachusetts farmer's meeting, that the fruit from diseased trees will not keep. To which might be added that so long as it does keep it is inferior in flavor and juiciness. Unfortunately, a tree is like a pig in one respect—it is very difficult to cure when once sickened. The most frequent cause of disease is the disruptive effect of untimely or violent frost. This is remediable only in one way, and that is the preventive course of only planting varieties with constitutions capable of withstanding even so severe a winter as the present. Much may be done, however, with less ironclad sorts, by care to avoid any check of growth during the proper growing season; by encouraging early and even growth so that it may be completed before autumnal frosts, and by taking measures to keep the roots from being gorged with wet while the trees are leafless and the tops from being scarched and shrivelled by winter winds as to be incapable of freely [illegible] supplies when they are wanted.

A NOTE OF WARNING.—The present winter has been one remarkably adapted to the welfare of insect life, and it will not be strange if our common insect pests should be more than usually abundant during the coming summer. The open winter of a year ago, with its frequent thawing and freezing, seemed to have a marked influence on the abundance of insects, as last summer was particularly noticeable for their scarcity. Doubtless other conditions render the working of this rule, (or what seemed at least to be a rule,) variable, but still it may be worth remembering, for though we cannot control the weather, we may be "fore warned," and so keep on guard in order to apply the proper checks upon the first appearance of noxious insects, when they may be expected in abundance; or on the other hand, enjoy some sense of security when we consider that an open winter has killed off many of them.

A BURIED CITY IN ALGIERS.

French newspapers report the discovery in Algiers, by the archæologist M. Tarry, of a city which had been entombed in the sand. M. Tarry's attention had been awakened by the mound-like appearance of the sandy soil, and some digging brought to light the minarets and upper portion of a mosque. Further excavations laid bare a terrace, a tower, and about a dozen houses, all in excellent preservation. He reported his discovery to the Government of Algiers, which has undertaken to have the site thoroughly explored. The place is in the southern part of the province, not far from the town of Ouargla, and exposed to the full blast of the sandy winds from the desert. Probably a succession of siroccos bearing clouds of sand completely filled up the streets and houses, making the town uninhabitable, and so drove out the population. At present there is no ground for conjecture as to the date of the occurrence.

A family table ought to be bright and cheerful, a sort of domestic altar, where every one casts down his or her offering, great or small, pleasantness or peace; where, for at least a brief space in the day, all annoyances are laid aside, all stormy tempers hushed, all quarrels healed; every one being glad and content to sit down at the same board and the same bread and salt, making it, whether it were a repast or a dinner of herbs, equally a joyful, almost a sacramental meal.

Division court in Dufferin Hall, Markdale, 10th June, to commence at 9.30 o'clock.

LIFE IN TEXAS.

A FEW FACTS FOR CANADIANS TO REMEMBER.

A correspondent of the New York *Tribune* travelling in Texas writes:—In some large districts of the State, though the soil is of good quality, it is of so scant depth—the stone being everywhere so near the surface—that it dries out entirely early in the summer, and the grass dries up or is changed to hay, and only such crops can be grown that will ripen in a short season. I saw some prosperous "model farms," as the land agents call them, in various parts of Texas, on which nearly everything is grown that anybody need wish to produce here. But it should be observed that this is usually accomplished by an unlimited use of costly fertilizers, which the farm itself does not pay for, most of these places being the property of men whose wealth is acquired in other pursuits. Even on these farms the crops often fail on account of drouth. In a region so vast as this State scarcely anything can be affirmed of it as a whole. I find myself not quite able to agree with all the accounts and estimates of the gentlemen who have land to sell in Texas. Their eulogies of the agricultural capabilities of the State appear to me somewhat extravagant. But there is a great deal of land in the State which I did not see, and I do not pretend to say what its quality may be.

People intending to emigrate to this State to farm should come first to see it, or send some competent person to look at the country during the latter part of the summer. Any observant farmer can at that time of the year judge pretty well about the fitness of the soil and climate for his pursuits and interests. It is significant to observe that the land agents urge people to select their locality "before they come" to the State. One of the great railroad corporations advertises to the effect that it is better for immigrants to decide where they wish to go before they leave their old homes, as they can make a better selection then than if they wait to see the country; and the land agents say that if people begin to look around for a better part of the State they are never satisfied. The farmers all through Texas say that the reason of their not using "vegetables" more than they do is the fact that vegetables will not "keep" in this climate, and there is only a short season in the spring when "garden stuff" is available for food. They have plenty of it then, but it soon becomes too dry and hot for later planting to do any good. Potatoes are not good unless eaten when they "first come," and the sun soon cooks cabbage in the field, or the worms eat them. The reason they live mostly on bread and bacon is because nothing else will "keep" without excessive trouble and expense. All this is only what the people themselve told me; I cannot say, from my own observation, that it is true. It does not apply so fully to Northern Texas, where the climate is much cooler than in the central and southern regions of the State.

The temperature is very variable and uncertain almost everywhere in Texas, this State being especially exposed to sudden and severe storms of wind from the north, during which the temperature falls with frightful rapidity—a few hours sufficing for a change from almost tropical heat to cold that seems to pierce to the very marrow. The northern portion of the State is scourged by pneumonia, diphtheria, and kindred diseases. Large portions of the South, indeed, suffer greatly from these maladies. I saw a woman on the cars yesterday who was on her way back to her old home in Georgia, after living some ten years in Texas. Her husband was "a Baptist preacher," she told me, and in one of the great storms of the past winter he went away to preach at a schoolhouse not far from their home. The weather increased in severity till "the wind turned everything to ice." The poor man's feet and legs were frozen so badly, and he was so greatly prostrated, that it was decided that amputation would not save his life. He lingered for a few weeks, and died. Of course the winter just closing has been one of extraordinary severity, but an old Texan said to me yesterday: "Young man, ye kin bet yer life 'taint safe to fool with this climate." And he added: "Ef ye've got anything warm, for outside or inside, take it along. Ye may need it afore night."

CURED BY PRAYER.

It is now more than a week since Miss Addie M. Goodrich, of Narval, in the state of Illinois, decided to stop taking medicine and trust wholly to prayer. Miss Goodrich, who has been bedridden for years, is a devout Methodist, and some days ago a friend read to her from the New Testament the story of a miraculous cure, and then prayed that she, too, might be healed. As the words were uttered, Miss Goodrich affirms that she felt a sudden accession of strength and a desire to rise from the bed, but her friends dissuaded her. Then she redoubled her prayers for health and got all her pious friends to pray for her. Finally, her doctor told her to pray for strength to get out of bed the next morning, assuring her of his confidence that the prayer would be answered. With this encouragement, she prayed continuously until the morning arrived, and with it the doctor. He prayed, and a sister prayed, and then Miss Goodrich got up, exclaiming, "Saviour, give me strength!" and walked to the chair—for the first time in nearly four years. Ever since she has been growing stronger and the neighbours look at her with awe. Her own firm belief is that she has been supernaturally cured and the singular feature of the case is that the attendant physician agrees with her.

A Kentucky preacher rose to speak, and opened the Bible. The first verse that met his eyes happened to be, "The voice of the turtle shall be heard in the land." "Brethren," said he, "at first sight one would not think their was much in this text; but, on a little consideration, you will see, there's a great deal in it. Now you, all know what a turtle is. If you've been along by a pond you have seen them sitting on a log sunning themselves. Now, it is said, 'The voice of the turtle shall be heard in the land.' But the turtle hasn't any voice that anybody ever heard; so it must be the noise he makes in plunging off the log into the water. Hence, we must conclude that immersion is meant, and that immersion will become universal."

A PARROT STORY.

The remarks made by parrots, apparently with pertinence, are sometimes grotesque and astounding—as in the story told of a parrot who was present on board ship during very bad weather, when the sailors knelt on deck in a circle to pray for deliverance. The parrot watched their movements no doubt, for he correctly remembered the circumstance. This said the captain came up from the cabin, where he had been to examine the chart, while the men were at prayer, and cried aloud: "Leave off praying, you lubbers, and get to the pumps, we're nearing land!" On arriving in port, Polly was sold to a clergyman, and in due course was placed in the vicar's dining-room. The first morning after his arrival there, he saw the servants come into the room one after another and kneel down to prayers with the family. Polly's memory instantly reverted to the scene on board ship, and he cried out with a loud voice: "Leave off praying, you lubbers, and get to the pumps! we're nearing land!" A bombshell in falling among these devout persons could not have put them into a great consternation than they were put by this irreverent exclamation.—Animal World.

Winnipeg *Times*: "Wheat at Pembina, Dakota, is 72 cents; at West Lynn, Manitoba, it is 90 cents. The towns are only a mile or two apart—but the international boundary line is between them. So that farmers north of the 49th parallel are in a far better position than their neighbors to the south, not only as regards prices but also in respect to the much larger average production per acre of Manitoba lands.

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March 23, 1881. 28-tf

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In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I [illegible] reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of
GENAERL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLI[NERY]
Ready-Made Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Hats, Caps and Grocer[ies]
TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
and in order to do so,
Will Sell at and Under C[ost]
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DA[YS]
The stock is all new, well bought, and well worth the attention of the [illegible] In GROCERIES you will find everything of First-Class V[alue] [illegible] As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of [illegible] lages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with [illegible] tions) outside our natural business relations, in order to improve the [illegible] not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom [illegible] You will find everything that I sell just as I represent it, and [illegible] as you can possibly get for your money anywhere, as I have always [illegible] dealing is the only true course for a business man.
My Groceries are all bought for strictly spot cash, consequently I can [illegible]
The Lowest Possible Price[s]
For CASH and FARM PROD[UCE]
BUT NOT FOR CREDI[T]
I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of
PURE SEED GRA[IN]
Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of S[pring Wheat], Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; [illegible] Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, [illegible] paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.
I am now selling large quantities of
COARSE LAND SA[LT]
FOR MANURE,
Which will pay every Farmer Five Dollars for every one invested in [illegible] that every Farmer [illegible] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try [illegible] selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the Lowest Cash Price [illegible] direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for spot cash at Bottom Prices.
I would also intimate that my
SPRING IMPORTATI[ONS]
ARE ARRIVING DAILY,
And I will have opened out and show
On The 1st of Ap[ril]
One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into [this] country.
Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting [illegible] purchasing elsewhere,
I am, your obedient servant,
R. J. SPROU[LE]
Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

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A. McIn[illegible]

[illegible]CALHA[illegible]

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INCLUDING
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A. TURNER &[illegible]

[illegible]MARK. LEA[illegible]
[illegible] best value for your [illegible]
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[illegible]ARIG SAL[illegible]
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[illegible]OFFICE STO[illegible]
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[illegible]arch 10, 1881.

Markdale Standard
IS PUBLISHED
[illegible] FRIDAY MORNING
[illegible] to meet the early mails.
[illegible] the latest Foreign and Provincial [illegible] Intelligence, County Business, [illegible] Matters and an Instructive [illegible]
[illegible] advance, $1.50 in three months, [illegible] paid till the end of the year. No [illegible] continued until all arrearages are [illegible] at the option of the publisher. [illegible] refusing papers without paying [illegible] held responsible for the years sub[illegible] until they comply with the rules.
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C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

[illegible]SSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

[illegible]rs. Sproule & Carter, [illegible]ians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c.
[illegible] - Medical Hall; residence at [illegible] House.
[illegible]dale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

DR. PURDY,
[illegible]SICIAN, SURGEON, ACCOUCH[illegible], EUGENIA P. O. 6-tf.

Legal.

E. D. Macmillan.
(MARKDALE and DURHAM.)
[illegible]ORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN [illegible], Conveyancer, &c. Office over [illegible]'s store, Markdale. Money to loan [illegible] terms. 29-ly

Chas. R. Wilkes,
[illegible]ster at Law, - Owen Sound. [illegible].—Millers's building, over Robin[illegible], Poulet Street. 1-y

Frost & Frost,
[illegible]RRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT [illegible] Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Convey [illegible] &c. Owen Sound, have resumed at [illegible]. Office open every Thursday, as [illegible]fore.
[illegible] Frost, J. W. Frost, LL. B.
[illegible]nty Crown Attorney. 1

James Masson,
[illegible]RRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, [illegible] Master in Chancery, Owen Sound. [illegible] 17, 1880. 1-y

James Lamon,
[illegible]TORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN [illegible]ancery, Notary Public, &c. [illegible]y loaned at lowest rates on personal [illegible]l estate. Lands bought and sold, [illegible] and seller introduced free of commis[illegible]
DUNDALK.
[illegible]mber 21st, 1880. 1

[illegible]eyancers & Land Agents.

Wm. Brown.
[illegible]R OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., [illegible]missioner in B. R. &c. [illegible]yancing in all its branches promptly [illegible] to and carefully executed. [illegible]—Money to Lend on Real Estate se[illegible]
[illegible]dale. Sept. [illegible] 1-y

W. [illegible]
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J. G. [illegible]
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Dentistry.

[illegible] James [illegible]en Sound, [illegible]tant to Dr. Ca[illegible]E HOUSE, [illegible]LL BE AT T[illegible] Wednesday in [illegible] Markdale, o[illegible] prepared to per[illegible] upon the mouth [illegible] month, when [illegible]ner, and upon [illegible] all operations [illegible] the most satis[illegible] [illegible]onable terms. 1-y

[illegible] HOTEL,
[illegible]EVE[illegible]DALE.
[illegible] Proprietor.
[illegible] has had a large ad[illegible] thoroughly refitted, [illegible] one in the county. [illegible]tive ostler. First-[illegible] commercial travel[illegible] per day. 17-ly

[illegible] HOTEL,
[illegible]OYA[illegible]
[illegible] PROPRIETORS.
[illegible]J. McGI[illegible] the travelling [illegible] stocked with the [illegible] accom[illegible]ers and the best [illegible] The [illegible] W[illegible]l trains. 1-y

[illegible]L HOTEL,
[illegible]OMILLE, Ont.
[illegible] Sample Rooms: [illegible] The Bar and larder [illegible] the best the market af[illegible] and attentive Hostler's [illegible] ATKINSON, Proprietor.
[illegible] for the "Standard," the best [illegible] the county.

[illegible] Standard.
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GEORGE WILSON,

BUTCHER

Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougall's Harness shop.
Meat delivered at any [illegible] in town.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

J. M. Webster,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER FOR THE County of Grey.
LOAN AND LAND AGENT.
Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.
EUGENIA P. O.
Sept. 17th 1880 1-y

T. E. DAVIS,
BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobs promptly attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty. Estimates on all work free. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE.
December 31, 1880. 16-y

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Sheep and Cattle.

FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1

R. M. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. [illegible]oderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing [illegible]es; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees [illegible] Agricultural Implements, and Machinery all kinds on [illegible]le.
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 18[illegible]. 20-ly

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
MARKDALE.
Money [illegible]aned
IN large or small [illegible]ts, at all times, on good endorse[illegible], or on collateral security.
INTEREST 6 PER CENT.
Allowe[illegible] Savings Deposits.
Draft[illegible]d and Collections made on all points, [illegible]est rates.
WM. LUCAS & Co.
Septem[illegible] 1880. 2-y

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[illegible]B. Sarjent's
[illegible] returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
[illegible] patronage dur[illegible] past [illegible] and begs to remind that he [illegible] to supply their [illegible] as
CHEAP
[illegible]ny one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
[illegible] promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Special inducements to large Purchasers
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

China TEA Store
R. ASKIN
General dealer in
GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.
Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.
Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.
He would draw special attention to his
Teas,
Tobaccos &
Sugars,
Which for quality and Lowness of Price
CANNOT BE SURPASSED.
As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that
I MEAN BUSINESS,
AND WILL
Sell Lower than the Lowest,
as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.
Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.
Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.
Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.
Markdale, [illegible] 14mal

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROWS AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.
FLESHERTON.
To my PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements, of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,
Fashionable Tailor,
FLESHERTON.
[illegible] prepared to fill all orders promptly.
[illegible]ing done while customers are waiting.
A Good Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

R. J. McCOY,
Agent for the following Implements, &c.:
The Massey
MOWER,
HARVESTER, and celebrated
HAY RAKE, (Sharp's,)
Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,
DICK'S
ALTON PLOUGHS.
ALL KINDS OF
Fittings and Repairs
Kept constantly on hand,
SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS
FOR SALE, CHEAP.
Licensed AUCTIONEER
FOR THE COUNTY.
Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.
Charges Moderate.
R. J. McCOY
Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 27-m3

GRANT & CHELLEW,
MARKDALE.
Cabinet Makers,
—AND—
UPHOLSTERERS
a full stock of
Furniture!
ALWAYS ON HAND.
FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER
LUMBER WANTED.
GRANT & CHELLEW.
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT.
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 16, 1880. 1o

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres
FOR SALE,
One Mile from the Village of Markdale.
There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, is in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.
C. W. RUTLEDGE,
Proprietor.
[illegible] Farm, Markdale P.O.

THE MOONLIGHT TEXT.

BY [illegible] C. CLAY.

Only the moonlight, pale and still
Looks in on the desolate place,
Only the moonlight, cold, white, dead
Touching the dead white face;
And the moonlight throws quaint silver bars
Across the broken door,
And is peeping in at the attic roof
And creeping in at the door;

There's only a broken table and chair,
And a lamp that has flickered out,
While the cobwebs swing from the blackened roof,
And the shadows flight about.
But the cobwebs hang in the mystic light
Fairy castles of silvery thread,
And the shadows slip away from sight
At the moonbeam's silent tread.

Something they give of its girlish grace
To the frail, worn form on the bed,
And touch with wonderous beauty the face—
The haggard face of the dead,
'Tis a beauty akin to that it wore
In the years that seemed so long,
When the future held all things in store,
And life was a beautiful song.

Dead! and alone—with no human eye
To drop a pitying tear;
Dead! and alone—with no kindly hand
To smooth the tangled hair.
A glint of gold is holding still
For all the years of woe,
And it catches the gleam of the moonlight still,
As it falls to the floor below.

What is it the moon's white fingers touch
As they grope o'er the dingy floor?
A book—and open, just as it dropped
From the hand that can close no more.
Only one sentence is shining forth;
But it gleams in letters of light:—
"Though thy sins shall be like scarlet,
As wool I will make them white."

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

'For your sake any one would dare it,' he answered; then, startled at his own presumption, he blushed and turned away, forgetting politenees in his confusion and passing through the door before the lady.

'Any one would think I was a banshee,' she said to herself with a smile; but she would not notice her companion's confusion; and they parted amicably at the door of the north room.

Her remark however about the difficulties of escape rather haunted him. Would it be well to provide against it? But there was no hurry at preasent. That evening he read aloud to them one of those marvellous fictions which still deligted the world, and they forgot in it the Whiteboy's warnings and even the fate of Dan O'Rourke.

The following afternoon Captain Leicester called, and they walked in the grounds, the tutor seeing little of his beautiful enchantress.

The next day Tim O'Brien came in at dinner-time, and remained till the short day was drawing in. As he was leaving by the avenue, he met the tutor returning from the lodge, where he han been to see if any newspapers had arrived, as they sometime did in the afternoon. At Tim's request, he turned and walked back up the avenue with him.

'Surridge,' said O'Priens pausing, 'there is a rumor in the town that O'Rourke is condemned! Have you heard of it?'

'No indeed, I have not! I hope you said nothing of it in the house?'

'No, I thought it best not to do so. I fear the peopfe will be infuriated by it. It was Coghlan's testimony that hung him.'

'I suppose so; but itwasin evitable.'

'I don't think you are safe,' said Tim. 'Would you like me to come up and sleep at the Priory to be a second hand?'

'Thank you for the offer, but I think it is not necessary,' replied the tutor. He had a repugnance to the man. 'It would only alarm the ladies.'

Tim O'Baien looked rather admiringly at the tutor.

'By the powers, Surridge,' he said with his strong Irish accent, 'you have pluck enough for a man twice your size! It is a bold thing to live with only an old man and a boy in the danger you are all in.'

The tutor only smiled:

'I wish the women were safe,' added Tim. 'If Coghlan chooses to be shot, why, let him; but I am awful anxious for the ladies.'

'And indeed so am I,' replied James; 'and I trust he will take them away on his return.'

'Urge it upon him,' exclaimed Tim with energy. 'Let them leave even before his return if possible.

The tutor readily promised that he would advise it, and added—

'I heard at the lodge just now that your father has actually paid the sum formerly demanded by the Whiteboys. Is it true?'

Tim flushed a little.

'Well, yes, it is,' he replied reluctantly. 'You see there had been another warning or two contradicting Captain Rock's denial; my mother got frightened, and made him do it. But we shall be obliged to go to Dublin after all, I think.'

'It was a mistake to pay,' said the tutor. 'Mr. Coghlan would not have allowed Mr. O'Brien to do so if he had been at home. But here is the lodge; I must wish you good-by, and thank you for your offer.'

They parted, and O'Brien went on alone. He had reached the narrowest and darkest part of the road leading towards his home, when a tall powerful man sprang suddenly from the hedge and stood before him.

'Captain,' exclaimed Tim in a low voice 'who would have thought of seeing you here?'

'Not you, I believe,' was the reply; 'for you would not have been at your dirty tricks again, Misther O'Brien. So you have got a hundred pounds from your father, have you, for the good of the cause? You lying gossoon?'

Tim stood confused and silent.

'Now look here,' continued Captain Rock, 'we are up for a grand cause, and for vengeance; but we ain't thieves. Thieves! Some a one of us, except yourself; and you'll manage to return that money in my name, or—And he put his hand to his breast, where he had a pistol.

'But Captain,' remonstrated Tim, 'it's only my own father I've taxed. It's more froic, man—just a bit of fun for a laugh.'

'Arrah, It's no laughing matter!' exclaimed the Whiteboy. 'Your jest will prove of the grimmest. Send back the money at once, or Mister O'Brien may chance to see his dear son hanging from the oak before his dining room window, with the word 'thief' pinned on his breast.

Tim was throughly frightened; with all his brag, he was at heart a coward.

'I will give back all I can;' he said doggedly; 'but I have spent twenty pounds of it.'

'It's a sieve for money to run through you are,' replied the other scornfully. 'But tell me, have you done the job you undertook? Your fall hindered it so long, as it is.'

'I have,' muttered Tim 'and It's accursed I am for the deed. But you'll remember your promise?'

'To spare the colleen? Ay, that will be for her own sake! But this money You will put the whole on your father's brekfast table with this paper tomorrow morning, or meet your due.'

'Impossible!,' exclaimed Tim. 'I shall have to get the twenty pounds somewhere—'

'I'll lend it to you,' said the outlaw; 'and you'll pay me, I know, in time, for you value your life above that sum or any other. Here it is'—opening a leather bag he drew from his pocket and countang out the guineas; 'and let it be your last act of that nature, Misther Tim, in your name. And now for your report sir.'

The two men then walked slowely on, in low and ernest conversation. Tim was entirely subjected to the will of the tall rough-looking man, who was the Whiteboys' Chief. He loved Glorvina in his fashion; and he meant, in the event of danger from his confederates, with whom he was of course personally secure, to appear as her chivalrous rescuer. Mr. Coghlan's death would relieve him from all debts owing to him; for Tim knew wel where the I O U's he had given were kept, and he would assuredly be able to secure them at the time of confusion.

At length as the road opened and houses appeared, the pair stopping for an instant.

'You will not forget?' said the Whiteboy threateningly.

'I will not. And—and you have not heard about O'Rourke?'

'I have, and the other martyrs to our cause. We will have life for life, for him and for them.' And with the[illegible] [illegible] away.

CHAPTER IX.

'If you please, sorr,' said Murphy the next day to the tutor, as he was starting with Teddy for his morning walk, 'is it by the farm you'll be going this morning?'

'We can go that way if you like, Murphy,' was the reply.

'Then if you just would, sorr, and order Nancy Bryant to send us down a pair of fowls for to-morrow's dinner I'd be obliged.'

'We will do so, Murphy;' and they started on their walk, in which the ladies did not that day join them.

It was a fine morning, fresh and bright, with just a touch of frost in the air. The meadow through which they passed was no longer dangerous on account of the bull, which had been secured; and Teddy ran on fearlessly in front of his tutor. On the way they met Captain Leicester walking briskly towards the Priory.

'This is much the shorter road from the barracks,' he said, after they had exchanged greetings, 'and I have always taken it as it is a straight path as a crow flies, only there are sundry gates to leap.'

'And in dirty weather plenty of mud by the pig-sties,' put in Teddy.

Leicester laughed, nodded, and went on.

They saw no one about as they approached the farm; but, as they drew near the door, they heard Nancy Bryant's voice raised to a high pitch.

'It's a sin and a shame,' she said; 'and it's not true Irish they are that will side with the vile Sassenach, that ought to be driven every one on 'em into the sea. It's revenge the boys will give you, Sarah mavourneen, for the wrong they've done ye.'

The tutor advanced to the door and called Mrs. Bryant. In a moment the woman appeared, looking very sullen. The tutor delivered his message, and then said—

'Who is the poor woman within whose sobs I hear?'

'It's Sarah O'Rourke,' was the reply 'Dan O'Rourke's sister, sorr. It's the ill news she has this day.'

'I am sorry for her,' said the tutor gently—'poor soul!'

'She is a poor soul indeed!' muttered the woman. 'Her brother's murered, or as good, and she with those eight fatherless babes to feed!'

The tutor put his hand in his pocket; then paused.

'I should like to speak to her,, he said.

The woman who had noticed the action, made way for him to enter the kitchen' where Sarah O'Rourke sat rocking herself in a chair, Kathleen, with red eyes standing by.

'My poor girl,' said James approaching her, and patting his hand kindly on her shoulder, 'I am truely sorry for you.'

There was such tender symythy in his tone, that the girl raised her bowed head and looked at him with her tear-swollen eyes.

'They are going to hang him, sur—to hang my brother!' she cried with a wail.

'It is a bad trial to you, Sarrah. Will it comfort you to know that your poor brother has had the best possible defence?'

'No? Has he, sir?'—eagerly. 'I have only heard what folks tell me. Bridget can't write, poor soul—nor he neither, and she'd be in too sore trouble to do so, if she could.'

'Well, Mr. Coghlan, who very [illegible] willingly confessed what he had seen Dan do, engaged the best counsel to be had for him, and hoped that the clever lawyer might undo the harm he couldn't help doing him.'

'And did he that, surely?' cried the girl. 'An' a power of money that cost, don't it, sir?'

'A great deal, but Miss Desmond will pay anything for him and you, though it is right I should tell you that Dan has done wickedly.'

She hung her head.

'I know,' she allowed, 'he killed poor Barney O'More. I was heart broken to hear his wife cry for him. But we forget all they had done when our dear one's are in trouble,' she said pathetically.

'We do indeed! And, Sarah, I am sure if any effort can save your brother, it will be made by Mr. Coghlan. His wife heard from him to day, and he says he is staying in town over the trial to try what he can do to save him—to get him respited.'

'The Virgin bless him!' sobbed Sarah.

'And, if he does not succeed, it will not be his fault, remember,' added the tutor.

Then he took a guinea from his pocket.

'You must use this to feed the children, Sarah,' he said, giving it to her. 'And I will speak to Miss Desmond about them. She will be sure to take care that they would not want.

Sarah was eloquent in thanks for the clergyman's kindness. He saw that she was greatly consoled by the fact that a 'great lawyer' had been employed for her brother's defence. Moreover a hope of pardon had dawn on her.

The clergyman glad to have let the people know that Mr. Coghlan had done his best for them, then left the farm with Teddy, who was looking very grave and puzzled.

'An' there goes a heretic that ought to be saved, if it's by a miracle!' exclaimed old Nancy, a devout Roman Catholic. 'And saved he will be by conversion by-and-by, you may depend!'

'It's he that saved my life from the bull,' said Kathleen.

'Then it's lucky he is; and may his words come true!' ejaculated Sarah as she rose to return to her little charges.

Surridge hastened on his return to inform Glorvina of his interview with O'Rourke's sister. He found her engaged chatting to Captain Leicester, with Eva and Mrs. Coghland; but, at a hint that he wished to speak to her, she came out and led the way to the study. She listened to his accoant with eyes brimful of tears.

'The poor soul!' I am sorry for them! But you gave Sarah just the comfort she needed, Mr. Surridge. How good you are! We must send the aid again, but your generous help will suffice for thepresent.

That evening Glorvina was more than gracious to the tutor. She made him draw into their family circle and by dint of good-humoured teasing found out that he could sing, and at once pressed him into her service for duets, Captain Leicester being evidently to engrossed by Eva to lend the aid of his baritone voice; and James, as it proved, sang admirably. He had a fine voice, and, as he interpreted some of the tender old ballads of the country, Glorvina was fascinated by his expression and pathos.

'Now we have found out that we have caged a singing bird, we shall not let it be silent,' she said playfully. 'Why, Mr Surridge, we don't know what we may develop in you next!'

She met his eyes as she spoke, and a sudden blush burned on her cheek. She put aside her work and went to the fire, where the others were sitting.

That night, when the girls went up to bed, Eva put her arms around Glorvina and led her into her bedroom.

'I want to speak to you, Glory—to warn you!'

'About what?'—with rather a consious plush.

'Oh, I think you guess! That poor little tutor!,

'Mr. Surridge! Why do you call him little? He is as tall as your father.'

(To be continued.

TO PUBLIC SPEAKERS.

Public speakers and singers who would possess a clear voice, freedom from hoarseness and sore throat should use Hagyard's Pectoral balsam, a safe, pleasant and certain healer for the throat and lungs; it speedily breaks up a cold and cures all pulmonary complaints, that so often lead to incurable Consumption.

One of the ground? on which an Ohio wife demands a divorce is that her husband habitually sleeps with a pistol in his hand.

The following is from an advertisement published at Bristol, Conn.: "Lost, strayed, or stolen from his bereaved household, one red-headed man five feet and eight inches tall, full set of false teeth on upper jaw, and one realone on lower jaw. Please cause said man to be arrested and returned to his bereaved wife."

ANGRY wife (time, 2 A M.)—"Is that you, Charles?" Jolly husband—"Zash me." Angry wife—"Here have I been standing at the head of the stairs these two hours. Oh, Charles, how can you?" Jolly husband (bracing up)—"Shtandin' on your head on t'shtairs? Jenny, I'm shprised! How can I? By Jove can't! Two hours too? 'Strornary woman!"

A CINCINNATI young woman killed her baby by stabbing it thirteen times with a knife. The only witness of the crime was her lover. Ohio law does not compel a husband to testify against his wife in a criminal trial, and therefore the marriage of the couple was considered a sure way of saving the prisoner. The authorities undertook to prevent the union, but were sufficiently vigilant for a marriage ceremony was surreptitiously, [illegible] legally, performed in jail.

HE WASN'T DECEIVED.

A prominent Detroiter was yesterday toiling up Woodward avenue with his hat on the back of his head and his handkerchief in his hand, when he was halted by a stranger who seemed to have shared the quarters of the ground-hog for the last month of winter.

"You live in the city, I take it?" queried the stranger.

"Yes, sir."

"Are you posted on the weather?"

"I presume so."

"Do you think we'll have any more sleighing this spring?"

"No, of course not."

"Any show for any more blizzards?"

"I don't think so."

"Is it your candid opinion that spring is here?"

"Why, yes."

"May have one more snow storm, eh?"

"I don't think so. Everything indicates that spring is at hand. But why are you so interested in the weather?"

"Well, the case with me is just this: My partner and I travel through the country and mend tinware and sell peppermint essence during the summer. He's been down in the poorhouse for the last month, and I've been scraping along on an income of twenty-seven cents per day. If you are a citizen of standing, and you seem to be, and if you know anything about the weather, and you appear to, I'll drop a postal card to my pard to come up and join me and we'll head for the country. Do you guarrantee that it won't snow like blazes in less than twenty-four hours?"

"No, sir! No, sir! No, sir!" shouted the indignant citizen, as he started on.

"You won't, eh?"

"No, sir! No, sir!"

"Then, sir, it is plain that you meant to deceive me! But you can't do it—no, sir. I'll at once invest in two more snow-shovels and another pair of mittens, and before night I'll have contracts to take care of about 600 feet of the next blizzard! Let 'er come, sir—let 'er whoop right along!"
—*Detroit Free Press.*

"Where have you been for the week back?" enquired a man of his neighbor; "I have not a weak back," retorted he, "you misunderstaud me," remarked his friend; "but if you ever get a weak back try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures all debility arising from disordered Kidneys, Liver or Blood, and is the best purifying Tonic in the world. All medicine dealers supply Sample Bottles at 10 Cents, Regular Size $1. 00.

DOES WEALTH BRING HAPPINESS?

On one of the last days of his earthly existence Mr. John Hopkins, of Baltimore, called his devoted gardener to him and said: "I am beginning to hate this place, because it does not bring in money. Did you ever feed hogs? Have you not observed that the strong animals bear away the ears of corn and that the weaker ones pursue them squealingly, in hopes that some or all of the treasure, will be lost or dropped?" The gardener replied that the sketch was a true one. "Well, then," said Mr. Hopkins, "I am that strong hog. I have that big ear of corn, and every piggish rascal in Baltimore is intent upon stealing it or wresting it from me? Sir," he said, turning brusquely to the gardener, "do you think a very rich man is happy?" The gardener answered, "The extreme of poverty is a sad thing. The extreme of wealth, no doubt bears with it many tribulations." Mr. Hopkins rejoined: "You are right, my friend; next to the hell of being utterly bereft of money is the purgatory of possessing a vast amount of it. I have a mission, and under its shadow I have accumulated wealth, but not happiness."

IT WAS ALL RIGHT.

Several people were making purchases in a Woodward Avenue grocery yesterday, when an old man with a cane in one hand and bundle in the other stood in the door and asked:—

"Did any of you drive up here in a sleigh?"

"Yes, I did," replied one.

"Was it an old white hoss?"

"Yes."

"And an old woman in the cutter?"

"Yes."

"And can she mannage that hoss?"

"I guess she can."

"Then it's all right," said the man of the cane and bundle. "The old hoss has run away, and the old woman was hanging to the dashboard and yelling murder with all her might, but if she can manage him there's no use in any body getting excited. Let me inquire what the price of cranberries is to-day."—Detroit Free Press.

PHILADELPHIA dentist's sign:—"You never miss the toothache till the root comes out."

A drunken man can scarcely walk in a straight line. He's more used to a rye-tangle.

A young lady was heard to remark in regard to her father's snoring, that "the neighbors all set out their wash-tubs, thinking that a thunder-storm was coming up."

An Irish gentleman hearing of a friend having a stone coffin made for himself, exclaimed; "By me sowl, and that's a good idea! sure an' a stone one 'ud last a man a lifetime!"

"Och," said a love sick Hibernian, "what a recreation it is to be dying of love! It sets the heart aching so delicately there's no taking a wink of sleep for the pleasure of the pain!"

"Gracious me!" said an old lady in a witness box, "what curious critters you lawyers are! Do you s'pose I can tell you everything about nothing I don't know nothin' about?"

[illegible] even [illegible] of development know as training. At a recent rowing match at Philadelphia, two plucky lads in one of the boats fainted as soon as the race was over. There condition, which was apparently good, was actually abnormal, and their systems gave way because the strain which their muscles met was too great for their vital functions. Recently a similar but more serious calamity occurred at Sag Harbor. A Brooklyn lad who had taken part in a pedestrian contest, when removed from the track, fell down dead. He had prepared himself for walking and running, and depleted his vital organs to build up his limbs. When the strain came the impoverished and most important part gave way. The severe muscular exercise of college athletes has carried off many fine young men with consumption, heart disease, and other disorders, directly traceable to the absurd overwork required of their bodies. There is a limit to human endurance. That limit is reached when the body is impaired in one quarter to benefit special organs. The severity of the test by which athlete prizes are won seems designed rather to award the laurels to him who is the least healthy, because more unevenly developed, than to the really best man.—*Boston Jour. Chem.*

A REAL NECESSITY.—No house should be without a bottle of HAGYARDS YELLOW OIL, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure-all and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercy.

TOBACCO SMOKE.

In further research on this subject Dd. LeBon finds that colodine, the new alkaloid existing in tobacco smoke (with other aromatic principles, and prussic acid, as well as nicotine) is a liquid of agreeable and very penetrating odor, and as poisonous as nicotine, the twentieth part of one drop sufficing to paralyze and kill a frog. It is the prussic acid and various aromatic principles that cause headache, giudiness and nausea in smoking certain tobaccos that contain little nicotine. Other tobaccos, rich in nicotine, have no such effects. The tobaccos containing most prussic acid and collodine are those of Havana and the Levant. The dark semi-liquid matter which condenses in pipes and cigar-holders contains all the substances just named, as well as carbonate of amonia, tarry and coloring matter, &c. It is very poisonous, two or three drops of it will kill a small animal. The combustion of tobacco destroys but a small portion of the nicotine, and most of these appear in the smoke. The proportions absorbed by smokers varies according to circumstances, but hardly evtr falls below 50 centigramm[illegible] per 100 grammes of tobacco burnt. About the same amount of ammonia is absorbed at the same time. Naturally more of the poisonous principles are absorbed where the smoke is breathed (as in a room); less in the open air. A frog placed in an open receiver containing a solution of nicotine, with about one drop of that substance to a little water, secumbs in a few hours. Tobacco smoke contains about 8 milliters of carbonic oxide per 100 grammes of tobacco burnt. The poisous properties of to-bacco are not due to this gas, as has been maintained in Germany.—*Sdientific American.*

If a Woman were to change her sex, of what religion would she be?—A hethen (heathen).

Good partners at cards—a chimney sweep and a bugler. One can follow soot, and the other can trumpet.

The fool seeketh to pick a fly from a mule's hind leg; the wise man letteth the job out to the lowest bidder.

A young lady, intending to paint her cheeks with rogue, put all the paint on her nose, and did not discover her error until requested to sign "the pledge!"

The Liver, the Skin, the Kidneys and the Bowels, are the natural cleansers of the system; secure their healthy action by nature's grand remedy, BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. It cures Scrofula—It cures Liver Complaint—It cures Dyspepsia—It cures Female Complaints and purifies the Blood while it restores strength and vitality to the shattered system. Trial Bottles 10 Cents.

In a little town in Missouri a lady teacher was exercising a class of juveniles in mental arithmetic. She commenced the question: "If you buy a cow for $10—" when up came a little hand. "What is it, Johnny?" "Why, you can't buy no kind of a cow for $10. Father sold one for $60, the other day, and she was a regular old scrub at that."

All forms of Nervous Debility so commonly prevalent yield to the vitalizing powers of Burdock Blood Bitters. It is the best regulator of the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys, the most perfect Blood Purifier and permanent Tonic known. Purely vegetable, safe and pleasant to take, and unfailing in its effects as a health restorative. Sample Bottles 10 Cts.

"Haven't I got a better undershirt than this! it's split clear down the back," is what a Tipton man snarled at his wife on Sunday morning. And when the lady looked in and saw her indignant husbadd standing with his arms run down the legs of his drawers, and looking for some place to put his head through, she shrieked and ran out of the room to conceal her emotion.

Hagyard's Yellow Oil is a perfect panacea curing by external and internal use all inflammation, pain and soreness; Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Deafness, Colds, Kidney complaints, Burns, Frost Bites, and Flesh Wounds of every variety. For sale by all dealers.

A very refined young school miss gives it as her opinion that it is improper to call those aboriginal chieftains Spotted Tail and Sitting Bull. It would be better, she thinks, to say "Freckled Narrative" and "Reclining Bovine."

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.53 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.18 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:?? a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.33 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, May 6th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto,
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DAILIES.	
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" " Mail,	6.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

T., G. & B. R. R.

It appears that the arrangement to lease the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway to the Grand Trunk Company is to be opposed, and that hopes of having through traffic to the seaboard by way of either New York or Montreal are not to be realized, if the efforts of Mr. Wm. Hendrie prove successful.

It appears that Mr. Hendrie, although a bondholder and Director of the T., G. & B. R'y., is also more largely interested in the Hamilton and North-Western Railway, which is now amalgated with the Northern, and hence his desire to thwart the Grand Trunk arrangement.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on Friday last, Mr. Hendrie moved, that the offer of the Hamilton and North-Wester and Northern be accepted, when it was moved in amendmedt by Mr. J. J. Middleton, seconded by Mr. Thos. Gibson, and resolved, that as the proposal now made in writing by the Hamilton and North-Western and Northern Companies, is the same as that made verbally by the committee from those Companies, and declined by this Company, the papers now submitted by them be laid on the table, and no fur action taken thereon. The amendment was carried, and now Mr. Hendrie is going to bring the matter before the bondholders and shareholders.

Fortunately for the people of this County no agreement can be ratified without the consent of the Lieutenant Govenor in Council. This Mr. Hendrie thinks he can obtain, and no doubt he will put forth every effort to do so; it therefore behoves our people to attend the monster deputation now being got up to interview the Lieutenant Governor in opposition to Mr. Hendrie's views.

Some of our readers may ask,—"What difference does it make what Company runs the road, as long as the gauge is widened and it is well managed?" The difference is this—If the Grand Trunk lease the road, grain and other produce could be shipped through to any desired point without breaking bulk. This would induce buyers from a distance to come among us, causing better prices to be paid from the fact of the greater competition; but should the Norther get controll of the road our hopes in this respect will be futile. And further, we have been informed upon excellent authority, that Mr. Cumberland used his best endeavors to induce Mr. Wragge to raise the freight on grain. What will follow should he get control of the road our readers can imagine.

Another object these gentlemen have in view is to prevent any of the traffic from the great North-West from passing over this route, a great portion of which would if the G. T. take our road, to the great injury of the Northern, hence the strenuous opposition now being offered to the closing of the bargain with the Grand Trunk.

It is all very well for Mr. Hendrie to talk about the interests of Toronto being jeopardized by the Grand Trunk arrangement. The interest of the municipalities and Toronto, are widely differen. We must have the original bargain carried out. To let the Nortnern have it would place us in a worse condition than we are at present? therefore we hope the Deputation for Thursday, 12th inst will be largely attended. The fare both ways is only $1. Messrs Wragge and Beatty wished to take those composing the deputation free but; as the board was not a unit on the matter they were unable to do so. Don't forget the 12th inst. Our present and future welfare depends on opposing Mr. Hendrie's scheme, and that can only be done by *large* and *influential* deputation.

THE following is the programme of semi annul meeting of South Grey Teachers association, to be held in Flesherton, on Thursday and Friday, 19 and 20th May, 1881. 1. President adddress. 2. Rev. J. Somerville,—Permanency of the Teacher's work. 3. J. Tait, B. A.—How to teach Eng. History. 4. W. O'Connor, B. A.—Natural Philosophy. 5. J. A. Greg,—How to secure Uniformity of Classification in the schools of the county. 6. M. N. Armstrong,—theory vs. Practice in teaching. 7. W. J. Galbraith,—Geometry to beginners. 8. R. D. Irwin,—Arithmetic to beginners (class.) 9. W. A. Jones,—Teachers' encourgement and discouragement. 10. M. P. McMaster,—Mistakes in teaching reading to beginners. 11. N. W. Campbell,—Gramitical Analysis and Parsing. 12. W. G. Alister,—Geography to juniors. 13. C. W. Morey,—Geography, with class. 14. J. C. Buchanan,—How to teach composition. 15. Election of Officers. Questions for drawer to be sent as early as possible to M. N. Armstrong, Durham, or W. A. Jones, Yeovil. A suitable entertainment will be provided for Thursday evening. All masters and teachers, shall regularly attend the Teachers' Institutes, at such times, and under such regulations, as the Inspector shall direct.—Extract from public School Regulations. WM. FERGUSON, I. P. S. President. J. C. BAIN, Secretary.

THE SCOTT ACT IN LAMBTON.

The Scott Act came into force in the County of Lambton on Monday last, and the state of affairs, as regards the travelling public, are rather unpleasant. The hotel keepers have closed their houses and fenced in their sheds, and sternly refuse admitance to any and all—friend or foe alike.—The farmers have to leave their teams on the streets, and stage drivers who have patronized the same hotel for the last seven years, were refused even a feed of oats for their horses. Commercial travellers who arrived by the trains at Sairnia and other places found no porters awaiting their coming, and were seen wending their way up street dragging their ponderous trunks after them, but, alas! only to find the hotel doors bared against them, and nothing stronger than ginger pop or John Bull Bitters with which to revive their drooping spirits obtainable. The hotel keepers say the will adhere to this plan as long as the act remains in force. As the Act cannot be repealed for three years, the probability of their holding out is rather doubtful. In the meantime arrangements are being made by the temperance people, as rapidly as possible, for the accommodation of the public.

MRS. T. G. MORGAN, Hairdresser, will be in Priceville on Thursday, 12th inst., at Tuck's Hotel, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and at Flesherton Hotel from 2 to 4 p.m.

FLESHERTON

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

Mr. William Elder is resolved that every bill shall be made low. He has removed a mountain of clay opposite his residence, and is building a stone fence that will be an ornament to our Village. Thomas Davis, Esq., architect, from the Valley, is overseeing the work.

While the men were levelling the hill above referred too, they came across a bread cake at the depth of four feet from the serface, quite fresh and good. it was supposed to have been deposited there about 12 years since. One of the men tasted it, and declared it quite eatable.

On Monday, May 2, while putting cornice on Joseph Smith's house, William Sloan received a severe fall from the breaking of the scaffold. Besides being badly shaken, he received a couple of severe wounds on the forehead. I am happy to say, however, that he is getting along nicely.

Mrs. W. Bradley has had a very severe attack of inflammation of the lungs, and on Sabbath was very low, so much so, that a second doctor was called in; but by the skilful care of Dr. Christoe, who was with her from the first, she has rallied, and hopes are now entertained of her recovery.

We had a fashionable wedding call at our Village last week, and after a halt for refreshments, they bade us adiew, and went South. They had not gone far ere a desire seized them to see who had the fastest nag. Result—nine buggies more or less damaged.

AT LAST.— Durham has got a train into the town at last. A cargo of salt has been hauled in by an engine and their is great rejoicing thereat. We congratulate our neighbours on this seasonable arrival so that they need not be afraid of their lamb and mutton going to waste. If the next train brings some sugar and lemons they will be able to indulge in ice cream to their hearts content. No doubt they can get a supply of ice at home, without importing it by Railway.—*Post.*

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—A few days ago my attention was drawn to a communication in your valuable paper, signed E. E. Knott, whose property has been insured in the Dominion Grange Mutual Fire Insurance Association for four years past. I at once came to the conclusion that Mr. E. E. Knott would reinsure his property in the Sydenham Mutual Fire Insurance Company, as he would have a perfect right to do if he so desired. This article was dated 31st March last. I trust you will allow me space to briefly refer to this communication. Judge of my surprise a few days after, at receiving an application from Mr. E. E. Knott and his respected father for four years in the Company I represent, for over $4,000—it therefore does seem with all its faults Mr. E. E. Knott loves this Company still, but dislikes its manager. The object of Mr. Knott's letter appears to be two-fold, 1st to secure, if possible, a newspaper war between the Sydenham Mutual Fire Insurance Company and myself; 2nd to vent a little of his spleen against me personally. He will not succeed in creating a war between the directors and officers of the Sydenham Company and myself, as for the last four years the Companies mentioned, their directors and officers, have worked together very harmoniously, and I can assure Mr. Knott that I have the most kindly feelings for the officers and directors of the Sydenham M. F. Insurance Company. As to the 2nd apparent object of your correspondent, I beg to say, if it affords him any gratification to misstate figures, and misrepresent the Dominion Grange Insurance Company to make a little cheap capital for his Stock Company, he is welcome to all the pleasure and profit he can secure. It is quite true Mr. Knott was at one time an agent of the Company I represent, for East Grey. He informed me he could not attend to the work outside his own Townships, he employed a young man of whom our Board knew nothing, and who was quite incompetent, and set him to work as a sub-agent. This was not satisfactory to our Board of Directors. Mr. Daniel Wright, of Collingwood Township, was appointed to the agency. That gentleman is old enough to be willing to receive instruction in his business, and act accordingly, the result being that he stands at the head of our list of agents for quantity and accuracy of work. Mr. Knott also informed me that he would like the appointment of Inspector to our Company. The subject was laid before the Board who wisely concluded that losses should be adjusted by the Director living nearest the locality of loss. I learned that because I carried out the wishes of my Directors Mr. Knott had no friendly feeling towards me personally. I will say here that Mr. Knott's figures given are nothing but imaginary figures, and not the true figures as given in our Report, a copy of which Mr. Knott has in his possession. and it is time enough when that gentleman gives correct figures, to answer his communication. Your correspondent states as follows: "The Grange Insurance Co. pays its Manager, Treasurer, and Secretary $2,-113.75." This is *untrue* and a *fabrication.* In the Report referred to, under the head of Expenditure, any member by examining the Report, will find the following: "Salaries, including policy writing, $1,250.50," which is the amount paid for salaries of above officers including accountant's salary, which is $500 itself, and he is worth every cent of it. Again Mr. E. E. Knott informs the readers of THE STANDARD in comparing the Grange Company with the Sydenham Company, as follows, (the language is Mr. Knott's, not mine,) "It has only about one-third more all told policies in force to-day, and these policies do not cover over one-third more risks, &c." At the close of 1880 the Sydenham Company had as follows:

Policies in force, 903.

Amount at risk	$1,043,122.00
Premium Notes	19,808.24
At the same date the Grange Company had as follows:	
Policies in Force 34.39.	
Amount at Risk	4,181,552.00
Premium Notes and cash net after all deductions	105,256.30

Policies in force not one-third more, but nearly four times as many. Amount at risk was not one-third more but over four times much. Capital, not one-third more, but over five times as great. The Sydenham Company makes a good showing for a local Company The Grange Company being not a local but a Provincial Company, ought to be larger. So much for Mr. E. E. Knott's accuracy. Where figures in other respects are so wide of the mark, I will not attempt to follow him. Mr. Knott again says: Now, the fact is, by comparison shown above, and by further comparing the aggregate expenditure of the Companies less the amount paid for fire-claims, viz: The Grange Insurance Co., $4,775.05, and the Sydenham Co., $290.08, just about 17 times less." What! Elisha! $4,775.05 besides fire claims! Are you sane? This is too big to be swallowed by any one. The question arises, 1st, can Mr. Knott read? If so, then why such incorrect figures? I must seriously say that I cannot, considering Mr. Knott's position, for one moment believe it possible for him to be so ignorant of plain statements of figures, as is shown in his communication. Can it be possible that he is so lost to all self-respect as to deliberately coin the figures for malicious purposes, when over three hundred farmers in East Grey have the Reports to refer to, I cannot think so ill of friend Knott. These inaccuracies must arise from either one cause or the other, and your readers must judge for themselves. As to Postage, I would say that we send reports to our members at one cent each. Reports to members, Sub.-Grange and Division Grange Secretaries in 1880, cost

about	$33 00
Notices of notes maturing, and sending out notes when paid, cost on about 600, 3 cents each, or 6 cents on notices and Notes when paid,	36 00
Monthly circulars to agents and directors about	8 00
We have thus on three items alone	$77 00

Mr. Knott's cheap [illegible] 000 letters and his insulting remarks connected therewith I will not notice further than to say he can see a detailed daily postage account at our office which can be proved correct on oath, and the Directors have very carefully examined and certified this expenditure. Mr. Knott was careful not to compare the losses of the two companies, Sydenham $1573.78 with the Grange Company $2181.62, because it did not suit his purpose taking the proportion of each Company's risks held our losses to be equal to that of the Sydenham would be three times greater than they were, or about $6,000. We actually had a favorable year, our losses being below an average, and those of the Sydenham Co. being above an average, and such a comparison for a single year would show our company to advantage, but would be unfair to the Sydenham Co. as we would be putting our best year against their worst year, and Directors cannot be held accountable for occasional heavy losses. At the same time I do hold that a few hundred dollars spent in paying Directors and other experienced officers in carefully examining in minute detail every application for insurance; being careful to allow no one to over-insure, is well spent, and sometimes saves thousands dollars in losses. I regret, Mr. Editor, to have trespassed on your space, and trust friend Knott will not compel me to again ask space for gratuitous advertising, for his or any other Company, but if he is really spoiling for a fight let him bring out his own Stock Company, which he must consider inferior to ours or he would insure in it.

Yours truly,
R. J. DOYLE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The public should know, especially the members of the Glenelg Agricultural Society, that there are gentlemen occupying the responsible position of Directors of said society, who seem disposed at the present juncture to sacrifice the interests of said society to private friendship. It is a most singular thing that gentlemen, who in private personal matters are known to be exacting to the last cent, will so readily, and apparently with profound indifference allow tens of dollars of public money to be wrongfully withheld from the society because it has by some hocus-pocus art found its way into a friend's pocket. There is no denying the fact that this sort of conduct on the part of any body of intelligent men, betokens a conspicuous lack of moral stamina coupled with a very limping sort of honesty, which cannot fail to discount them seriously in the estimation of all right thinking men. If the late defaulting Secretary-Treasurer justly owes the Society $150, why in all conscience, we ask, should the Directors accept of a less sum, and that too without interest? To do so would simply be offering a premium to dishonesty, a course which surely no right-minded, honourable man would care to follow.

A DIRECTOR.
MARKDALE, April 25, 1881

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—At the Quarterly business meeting of the Methodist Church Markdale, held on the 2nd inst, there was an intimation from Holland Centre Mission, to the effect that steps would be taken by Chatsworth Circuit at the coming District meeting (which will be held in Owen Sound on the 17th inst.,) to do away with the above mission, by reuniting it with Chatsworth, all except that part known as Walker's appointment, which would be reunited with this circuit.

There are as many appointments now on this circuit as can well be attended by one minister. However, we think the Markdale portion of this circuit is prepared to make the following offer on condition that the people of Walker's appointment, and those of Pleasant Valley will amalgamate and build a Brick Church at 70 side-road on the gravel, viz:—$300, a sum which we think would pay for half the cost of a brick building large enough to accommodate the two congregations combined.

An adjourned meeting of the board will be held in the vestry on the 16th inst., at 2 p.m., when there will be a good opportunity for those interested to consider the matter.

A MEMBER OF THE BOARD.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The members of the Glenelg Agricultural Society and others interested will be pleased to hear that the Directors have succeeded in obtaining from the late defaulting Treasurer a portion of the money due said Society. On Saturday night last Mr. Lyons paid over the sum of $122 25, which will at once be available for the use of the Society—the balance, amounting to about $50, will probably be forthcoming before the fall exhibition. The Directors deserve the thanks of the society for their energy and perseverance in bringing this unpleasant business to a successful issue. Had the defalcacation not been discovered there is no telling where the matter would have ended, or how long the society would continue to exist under the annual fleecing to which it was subjected. This case furnishes a striking illustration of the ease and readiness with which a *Smart* Treasurer may appropriate the funds of a voluntary society, composed as Township Agricultural Societies generally are, of honest, simple, unsuspecting farmers.

In a voluntary association the idea of self and individuality is so lost in that of generality that the same close scrutiny and attention is not given to its affairs that would be bestowed where personal interest is involved, so that notwithstanding all the checks and safeguards which Government and Municipal Councils may devise in the shape of Annual Returns and Yearly Audits, &c. The *Smart* man can, like the illustrious O'Connell, "drive a coach and four through them all and carry off the Lion's share of the spoils."

GENNA.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—To every thoughtful, well-disposed, and patriotic citizen of our fair village the occurrence of the last few days cannot fail to impress the mind with the gravest apprehensions. That there are baleful influences at work in our midst cannot be denied. The death-roll amongst our little ones but too plainly attests th[e] fact. It is deplorable that notwithstanding all that has been said and written in reference to the sanitary condition of our village. Notwithstanding all that has been suffered by our people from the dire effects of the plague-breeding "pest" house which one of our butchers has been allowed to maintain in the very midst of the most densely populated portion of the village, the work of destruction still goes on.

Nothing it seems will move our Police Trustees to a sense of the duty which they owe to the public. The spirit of mammon we fear so dominates our business men that they are afraid to speak out their minds in reference to this or any other question of public utility lest they offend a customer that apparently nothing short of a general plague involving every household will arouse them from their stupid—nay brutal—indifference.

Will not the tears of bereaved mothers move them? Will not the ghosts of the departed innocents whose blood is crying to heaven for vengeance affright them? We fear not, nothing but a dip down deep into their pockets will avail—that alone can influence some natures.

Who will apply the sovereign balm? Who will take the initiative in an honest endeavor to "rescuing the perishing?"

OBSERVER.
MARKDALE, May 5th, 1881.

COUNTY ITEMS.

SUDDEN DEATH.— A lad named Micks, about 15 or 16 years of age, son of Mrs. Micks, of Egremont, who was in the employ of Mr. Wm. Greenwood, 6th con., Glenelg, died veery suddenly on Saturday last. He was, it appears, out on that day driving a team harrowing, and although complaining of a sore throat nothing serious was apprehended, and he continued at work until Mr. Greenwood noticed that he appeared sick and told him to sit down and that he (Mr. Greenwood) would finish the harrowing himself when he got through sowing, and the lad did as requested, but when Mr. G. returned after crossing the field, which only occupied a few minutes, he found the poor boy quite dead.—*Chronicle.*

FIRE.—On Friday afternoon last between one and two o'clock, the frame barn, stables and sheds, the property of Mr. Alex. McComb, lot 18 con. 1st, S. D. R., Glenelg, were completely destroyed by fire together with contents, consisting of a quantity of wheat, oats, peas, barley, five tons of hay and farm implements. The only property rescued from the burning buildings was a fanning mill and a bag of wheat and in getting out the latter Mr. McComb had one of his hands and his head very badly burned. The origin of the fire is not known but is supposed to have been caused by a spark from burning brush on an adjoining farm; the wind being high at the time. The buildings and contents were insured in the London Mutual for $700. Loss about $1500. —*Chronicle.*

FIRE.—A destructive fire occurred on the premises of Mr. McMaster on Saturday last, which resulted in utterly destroying his barn and its contents, it is reported the fire originated from matches which his children were carelessly handling.—*Union Standard.*

On Friday last a horse belonging to Mr. J. Sparling, Euphrasia in going to water was caught by a buckle on the harness in some way, and commencing to kick tore a gash about a yard and a quarter long on the inside of the thigh and along the abdomen. G. B. Holmes, V S. put thirty-seven stitches in it.—*Monitor.*

ON Friday evening last, Miss Robertson, who with her patrents left town on Wednesday to reside in the city for a short time previous to going to the old country, was presented by the teachers of the Presbyterian Sabbath School with a very handsome Bible Dictionary. On the Tuesday evening previous Miss Robertson entertained her Sabbath Sshool class at tea, and they presented her with a magnificent pair of vases.—*Monitor.*

DIPHTHERIA.

A RADICAL CURE FOR THE INSIDIOUS DISEASE.

DR. H. P. GAUTHIER, of St. Paul, has an article in the last number of the Chicago *Medical Review*, which by reason of the prevalence of diphtheria in this section, is of peculiar interest just now. The article is as follows:—

While a Natchez, Miss., in the early part of 1865, I was led through my experience to adopt the treatment I now propose to describe. For some years subsequent to my return to Illinois, I treated all the cases I encountered (fifty in number) with complete success, by the same means, and I have since treated 150 cases, with the same satisfactory result, except in two cases, where death occurred, the patients being almost moribund when coming under treatment. Previous to the adoption of the present mode of treatment, my results were by no means as satisfactory, the disease proving fatal in at least one-third of the whole number of cases. The treatment which has proven so successful in my hands, is as follows: The patient is ordered tincture of iodine in ten or twelve drop doses every hour, well diluted with water, so long as the fever lasts, subsequently reducing it to ten drops every three hours: local applications of the drug are made use of at the same time. These latter should be made by the physician himself at least twice a day. For internal use I gave latterly the decolorized tincture; bread and starchy articles of diet are used in abundance. Such is my treatment. Having given it in detail, I shall now cite afew cases, dealing at first with the unsuccessful ones.

CASE I.—Six years ago I was called to a patient on Robert Street—a boy six years of age—who was cyanotic, and whose throat displayed the usual diphtheritic patches, some of them proceeding to gangrene. The case was seen in consultation with Dr S of St. Paul, but despite all efforts, soon he died.

CASE II TO III.—In the course of the next week, I was again called by the mother of the last patient to see two children ill from the same disease, but only in the early stages. The iodine treatment was freely and fully used, and despite a very severe illness, the patients recovered perfectly.

CASE IV.—Five years ago I was called to see a child lying in a neat frame house, built upon dry sand. The child's family, together with another French family of [illegible] members, occupied the house. On my arrival, I found the child nearly moribund from diptheria, and he soon died. Six children in the same house were attacked with the disease, but being promptly treated in the way indicated, recovered.

The two cases already cited are the only ones in which death has occured since my adoption of the above treatment.

CASE V.—Fifteen days ago a worn-out cripple came up to see me from the timber region, much run down physically, and with his throat in a dangerous condition. The prompt free use of [illegible] enabled him to engage in his usual avocation in the course of six days.

These, and numerous other cases show that the remedy is of decided value sufficent to warrent its trial in every case of diphtheria, to the exclusion of other consitutional remidies.

IN A QUANDARY.

One of the census enumerators, whose district is in St. John's Ward, Toronto, a few days ago called at a pleasant-looking little cottage, and made known his errand. He was kindly received by the lady of the house, who signified her willingness to answer all the questions propounded.

"What is the age of your husband?" asked the polite man with the big book.

"Thirty-six years," was the reply.

"And your own," enquired the privileged person.

"I am thirty-two," she blushingly made answer.

"What does your family number" was the question,

"I have nine children, said the comely housewife, as she gathered the bevy of little ones around her.

The enumerator fancied that a mistake had been made in the number, and endeavored to count them himself, but failed owing to the restlessness of the youngest.

"Would you please give their ages, madam?"

"Yes, Mary is aged ten; then there's David and William, they are eight."

"Now ain't that peculiar," erupted the enumerator, "both of the same age?"

"Not at all," replied the mother, rivetting her eyes on the carpet. "They are twins."

"Oh! I see. Please continue."

"Robert, he is six past; and Maggie and John has just turned five."

"Ah, same ages. No mistake, madam?" said the questioner enquiringly, as he lifted his eyes from the tabulated sheet in front of him.

"No sir, they are twins," exclaimed the lady. The enumerator felt hot, and showed his colour on his cheeks.

"Then their's Maddie and Maud.', continued the mother, "they are aged three years and two months."

A silence followed, and the statisical hunter clutched his pencil, looking puzzled, but determined to stifle any remark that might rise to his lips. The mother appeared to be waiting for the usual request for explanation and the silence was finally broken by the enumerating man asking, in a choked voice, "Twins I suppose, madam?"

An answer was given in the affirmative, and the age colum was completed when little Hessie was entered as the one-year-old baby.

The enumerator's kindly old face wore a puzzled expreion as he left the house, and his mind is constantly reverting to the cosy little home where he entered the family of twins.—*Mail.*

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He groaned in his sleep, and his wife arose to light the lamp. He beheld a display of striped stockings, and then murmured to himself: "I've got 'em sure this time" "Got what?" she inquired. "Got the delirium tremens. I'm seeing animals of all kinds. I've just seen a zebra." She turned down the light, and the menagere closed.

A CARD OF THANKS.

Brooklin, March 30th, 1881.

To Mr. S. BEAL, Agent Dominion Grange Mutual Insurance Association

SIR,—I have to thank you for your care in the general selection of risks in your Company, and the directors, for careful management, by which has been secured such an excellent financial standing in four years.

I was one of the first insured in the Company, to the amount of $800, I paid $6, and gave an undertaking besides. My undertaking has been returned to me unassessed, and eighty cents in cash paid back, I have thus secured the most reliable insurance of $800 for four years for five dollars and twenty cents, or sixty cents on the $100 insurance.

The Company appears to be working truly on the Mutual principle, it rarely if ever occurred in Canada that the insured received back any portion of the money paid in to an insurance Company. May your success be still mor marked in the future.

Yours truly,
THOMAS MCBRIEN,
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A Good Chance.

To rent for one or more years, Lot 9 con. 9 Euphrasia, terms easy, 60acres in grass. Apply to,
W. J. McFARLAND.
Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

NOTICE.

All parties, are hereby warned against transpassing on above lot.
THOS. H. YOUNG.
Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF PROTON

The Court of Revision for the Township of Proton, for the current year, 1881 will be held at Hopeville, in Mr. J. A. Scarlett's Hall, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1881 of which all parties interested will please take notice, and govern themselves accordingly. The Court will open at 10 a. m.
JOHN VERT.
Township Clerk.
Proton May 5th 1881. 34

FOR SALE!

One span of driving horses; 1 span of working horses; 1 set of double harness; 1 new waggon; 1 light Sulky. Will be sold cheap for cash, or good note, on short time.
Dr. SPROULE.
Markdale, March, 1881. 29-tf

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As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at LOWEST CASH PRICES. And examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere.

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Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard. Muslins, 10c. per yard. Mens' Felt Hats 75c.

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Toronto, April 14th, 1881.

[illegible] Yards of Prints, new spring [illegible] and 12½ cents, fast colors. [illegible] Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth [illegible] Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, [illegible] Dozen Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, [illegible] Yards Black Broad-Cloth, $1.2[illegible] Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cent[illegible] [illegible]ns Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

[THE] STANDARD.

[Fri]day, May 6th, 1881.

[LOCAL] & OTHER NOTICES.

[illegible]r, Oatmeal and Corn meal, for [illegible] Reynolds & Son's.

[illegible] novelty in American, Jewlery, [illegible] Doll's Flesherton and Dundalk

[illegible] and concertinas, very cheap, [illegible]cox's.

[OUR] DEVIL says Spring is coming, [illegible] as he saw two house-flies on [Wed]nesday.

[illegible] Sets, Lacrosse Sticks, &c., at [illegible] Flesherton.

[If] you want the nobbiest Dress [illegible] in Town, call at Reynolds & [Son's].

[The] stores will be closed at 7 every [even]ing accept Saturday for the summ[er] months.

[illegible]ro oil company, are sole [manu]facturers of "Castorine machine [oil]." Infringements will be prosecuted

[The] close season for trout ended [last] Saturday, and fishing parties are [illegible]ous.

[HAVE] your watch repaired properly, [go] to W. F. Doll, Flesherton. Satisfac[tion gu]aranteed.

[Ask] your dealers for "Castorine" [mach]ine oil, and see that the barrel [is bra]nded "Castorine," as none other [is ge]nuine.

[Of] late there has been quite a stir [in ma]trimonial circles. We guess it [must] be those cheap Wedding Rings [illegible] Wilcox, the Jeweller, sells that [illegible]es the "Boys."

[W.] F. DOLL, of Flesherton, has just receiv[ed a b]eautiful line of 10, 12 and 15k colored [and b]right Gold Chains, Necklets, Lockets, [&c., d]irect from the factory.

[For] No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE [and o]ther machine oils, try Haskett

[Mr.] Gordon's "Young Netherby," [will t]ravel in the vicinity of Dundalk, [Shel]burne, Rosemont, Blackbank, &c., [this s]eason. He is a fine horse. and [we d]oubt not but will be well pat[roniz]ed.

[We] feel assured that the many [frien]ds of Mr. Robert Gordon, of Dun[dalk], will regret to learn of the seri[ous] loss he has met with in the death [of h]is fine heavy draught Stallion "[E]ngland's Glory."

OUR Devil say he is not partial to [s]ervant girls. beg their pardons, lady [help] we should say. Upon waking [on] this morning he found a pair of [b]oots in his bed, and he hasn't [gone] to Tom's or Sandy's either.

[The] "Canadian Serenaders" have [com]menced their concert season. At [pres]ent their choruses are rather [weak]; but will gain in strength no [doub]t as the weather gets warmer.

[Use] "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also [exc]ellent for harness and leather, m[akin]g it water and weather proof. For [sale] by dealers.

[W]ANTED.—10 000 dozen Eggs, and [illegible]00 Rolls of Butter, for which the [high]est price will be paid. Reynold[s & S]on's.

THE young people of Flesherton in[tend] giving a concert in the Town [Hal]l, Flesherton, on Wednesday, 1[illegible]th [inst]. They have secured the services [of s]ome first-class talent from [illegible]. Proceeds in aid of Parsonage [Fu]nd.

GARDENING is pretty well advanced, [so f]ar as laying out of the beds and [pla]nting is concerned, but vegetation [is v]ery backward. We expect to be [abl]e to announce that Cucumbers, [new] potatoes, &c., were offered for [sale] for the first time this season, [abo]ut September next, if the heavy [fros]ts at nights continue.

[THE] "Boys" of our village say they [do] not intend letting Toronto have [the] only "Champion of the World." [As t]hey can't hope to excel on water, [the]y have taken to foot-racing, and [we] expect shortly to see a challenge [in] the *Mail* for the Championship and [$1]0,000 a side for a spurt of from one [hu]ndred yards to as many miles.

NECK TIE SOCIAL.—The Ladies' Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church Markdale, intend having a Neck-Tie [Soci]al on Friday, the 13th inst., in [illegible]in Hall. Now, "boys," you [shou]ld all go, and take Betsy Ann or [S]arah Jane along, too. There is going to be a "boss" time, "you bet," [an]d don't you forget it." Admis[sion] 15c.; double ticket, 25c.

[M]R. Robert Gordon, of Dundalk, [has] bought a half interest in the cele[brate]d Hambletonian trotting stallion [Gene]ral Scott, from Mr. William Nel[son], for which he gave £550. The [Gene]ral will travel between Dundalk [and] Owen Sound, and will be at the [Rev]ere Hotel, Markdale, every Friday [eve]ning.

APPLICATIONS will be recieve up to the [illegible]th inst., for sexton for the Methodist Church, Markdale. Specifications [to] be seen by applying to G. [illegible], Esq., who will also recieve the [appl]ications. Duties to commence [1]4th June. By order of Trustees.

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[H]ONOR ROLL OF S. S. No. 6 GLE[NELG] for the month of April, 1881. [Fou]rth Class—Marks obtainable 5[illegible] [1st] Maggie Dondelly, 405; [2nd illegible] McKee, 361; 3rd Mary Smar[t] [illegible] Barbara Torry, 335. Th[ird illegible]—Marks obtainable, 450—[illegible] [illegible] McCarty, 267; James McKe[e illegible] Mary Torry, 260; Cassie Walke[r illegible] —MINNIE THIBAUDEAU, Teache[r].

REYNOLDS & SON'S, Come One, Come All.

As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at Lowest Cash Prices. And examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere.

Prints 6c. and upwards. Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard. Muslins, 10c. per yard. Tweeds for 50c. and upwards. Good fresh Teas... Mens' Felt ...

SOMETHING ... W. J. McFARLAND

...00 Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8½, 9, 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
... Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
... Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
... Dozen Table Napkins, 6½ cents, direct from manufacturers.
... Yards Black Broad-Cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
...0 Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
...8 Mens Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

2... Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00— ...
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manufacturers
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " $1.50 "

...—W. J. McFARLAND ... assorted stock ... Toronto. W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going. 2701½ Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap. ...0 Yards Brilianteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c. New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New Cashmeres, cheap! New Umbrellas, cheap! Grand opening of the millinery show rooms ... All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.

In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer, Wholesale and Retail

THE STANDARD.

Friday, May 6th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Flour, Oatmeal and Corn meal, for sale at Reynolds & Son's.

The latest novelty in American, Jewlery, at W. F. Doll's Flesherton and Dundalk.

Violins and concertinas, very cheap, at Wilcox's.

Our DEVIL says Spring is coming, sure, as he saw two house-flies on Wednesday.

Croquet Sets, Lacrosse Sticks, &c., at Doll's Flesherton.

If you want the nobbiest Dress Goods in Town, call at Reynolds & Son's.

The stores will be closed at 7 every evening accept Saturday for the summer months.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted

The close season for trout ended last Saturday, and fishing parties are numerous.

To have your watch repaired properly, take it to W. F. Doll, Flesherton. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

Of late there has been quite a stir in matrimonial circles. We guess it must be those cheap Wedding Rings that Wilcox, the Jeweller, sells that catches the "Boys."

W. F. Dall, of Flesherton, has just received a beautiful line of 10, 12 and 15k colored and Bright Gold Chains, Necklets, Lockets, &c., direct from the factory.

For No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE and other machine oils, try Haskett Bros.

Mr. Gordon's "Young Netherby," will travel in the vicinity of Duncalk, Shelburne, Rosemont, Blackbank, &c., this season. He is a fine horse, and we doubt not but will be well patronized.

We feel assured that the many friends of Mr. Robert Gordon, of Dundalk, will regret to learn of the serious loss he has met with in the death of his fine heavy draught Stallion "England's Glory."

Our Devil say he is not partial to servant girls, beg their pardons, lady helps we should say. Upon waking up this morning he found a pair of old boots in his bed, and he hadn't been to Tom's or Sandy's either.

The "Canadian Serenaders" have commenced their concert season. At present their choruses are rather weak; but will gain in strength no doubt as the weather gets warmer.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

Wanted.—10,000 dozen Eggs, and 10,000 Rolls of Butter, for which the highest price will be paid. Reynolds & Son's.

The young people of Flesherton intend giving a concert in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Wednesday, 11th inst. They have secured the services of some first-class talent from Toronto. Proceeds in aid of Parsonage Fund.

Gardening is pretty well advanced, as far as laying out of the beds and planting is concerned, but vegetation is very backward. We expect to be able to announce that Cucumbers, New potatoes, &c., were offered for sale for the first time this season, about September next, if the heavy frosts at nights continue.

The "Boys" of our village say they do not intend letting Toronto have the only "Champion of the World." As they can't hope to excel on water, they have taken to foot-racing, and we expect shortly to see a challenge in the *Mail* for the Championship and $10,000 a side for a spurt of from one hundred yards to as many miles.

Neck Tie Social.—The Ladies' Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church of Markdale, intend having a Neck-Tie Social on Friday, the 13th inst., in Dufferin Hall. Now, "boys," you should all go, and take Betsy Ann or Sarah Jane along, too. There is going to be a "boss" time, "you bet," "and don't you forget it." Admission, 15c.; double ticket, 25c.

Mr. Robert Gordon, of Dundalk, has bought a half interest in the celebrated Hambletonian trotting stallion General Scott, from Mr. William Nelson, for which he gave £550. The General will travel between Dundalk and Owen Sound; and will be at the Revere Hotel, Markdale, every Friday evening.

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Steamer Manitoulin leaves Owen Sound Saturday evening for Sault Ste. Marie and Manitoulin ports. For rates of Freight and Passage, apply to Edw. Todd, Agent, Owen Sound.

Stricken but True.—Alex. Irwin, Esq., a gentleman who resides a mile and a half from here, and was one of the first settlers, is now in his 83rd year, and has in the last six months two new teeth, and has another now cutting, which he informed us, is very annoying. He says he can sincerely sympathize with children teething.

On Saturday night last a Horse belonging to Rev. C. C. Garnett of this place got loose in the stable and by some means got the door open and rambled off. It was reported, and partly believed by the owner, that the beast had been stolen but he was agreeably disappointed on the Monday evening following when the Horse returned, somethe worse for his tramp.

Our Little Ones.—For May is to hand. We have spoken so often of this beatiful little Magazine for children, that it really leaves us nothing further to say. To be appreciated it must be seen. Call at this office and take a look at it, and we feel sure you will subscribe for it for your little ones $1,50 per annum. The Russell Publishing Co., 149 Tremont Street, Boston.

Honor Roll for U. S. S. No. 1 Artemesia and Euphrasia, for the Month of April:—Sen. Third Class—Ella J. Stuart, Lily Halstead, Willie T. Gordon, Wm. H. Stuart. Jun. Third Class—R. A. Scott, Willie H. O'Brien, Thos. Hepburn, Willie Way, Isaiah Matthews. Sen. Second Class—Jas. T. O'brien, Geo. Allen, Mary Jaffrey. Senior First Class—Robt. J. Stuart. Jun. First Class—Lucy Simons, Robt. H. Allen, Maggie A. Scott, Lydia Simons. Regular attendance, Willie Hugh O'Brien. Kate A. Gaudin, Teachea.

The farmers in this neighborhood will have no lack of horses to choose from with which to improve their stock the coming season. For heavy draught purposes, Mr. Alex. McLoughry is on hand with "Heart of Oak. For general purposes, we have Palmer's "Montreal Champion;" Robert Freeborn's "True Young Briton;" Henry King's "British Ensign," (this last mentioned, although but rising three, is of good size, and as far as we can judge gives every indication of being a very fine animal). In the trotting and roadster line, Mr. J. K. Trimble has "Clear Grit to the fore. Now, gentlemen, you can pay your money and take your choice. We have given you their names, you can study up their pedegrees and other particulars by reading the bills.

PROPERTY RECENTLY CHANGED HANDS.

Mr. Mewtrie, of Nicholl Township has purchased lot 89 & 90, 2nd West of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, For $2-200.

Mr. Kirkwood from near Kingston bought 100 acres from Joseph Logan of Euphrasia for 2 500.

Thos. Mullarky has purchased from R. J. McCoy, lot with pump factory, for $600.

Mrs. Alex. Rutledge, bught o Mrs. Alexander's property in the village for $500.

GREY ASSIZES.

At the Assize Court, held in Owen Sound on Tuesday, the case of John Miller, of the township of Normandy, was tried. The case was one of alleged murder against Miller for killing his wife by driving over her with a team. At the investigation before the magistrates held in the village of Hanover, the evidence was of the usual circumstantial character, which, together with the general knowledge of the husband, and the wife's friends, and of domestic quarrels, led to the committal of the prisoner for trial. His Honour, after hearing the evidence on behalf of the Crown, thought it was not sufficiently strong to necessitate the calling of witnesses for the defence, and accordingly discharged the prisoner.

Julia Ann King, and James King, her son, of the township of Keppel, who were committed on a charge of murder by the Police Magistrate for having counselled, aided, and assisted Mary King to procure an abortion which resulted in her death, were today discharged by the Grand Jury, in whose opinion not sufficient evidence was adduced to warrant the case being proceeded with. The disposal of these has considerably lightened the criminal calendar, and it is expected the court will conclude its business tomorrow.

If rain does not come pretty soon, milk will have to be sold by dry measure.

A bad marriage is like an electric machine; it makes you dance, but you can't let go.

"Stockings, miss? what number?" —"Why, two, of course. Do you think I've got a wooden leg?"

We have no objection to a man borrowing trouble; but we want him to keep it to himself after he has borrowed it.

Nothing in this world yields larger and quicker returns on the amount invested, than poking a wasp with your finger to see if he feels well.

"I cant hold the baby any longer," said a young father, "it's getting too heavy."—"Pshaw, Edward! you used to hold me for hours and never complained."

It is probably that brigade camps will be formed at the following places this season, viz.:—No. 1 military district, at London; No. 2 military district, at Niagara; No. 5 district, taken in the Montreal corps, at Laprairie; and No. 6 embracing Quebec. The localities in Nos. 3 and 4 district have not yet been selected.

A girl ran away from home, and the father advertises her as "Laura, age 18, dressed in a straw hat." What a fix she'll be in if that hat should blow off.

A meeting was held at the Mansion House on Wednesday evening, to make further arrangements for the celebration of the Queen's Birthday. A Turner was elected secretary, and C. W. Rutledge Treasurer. A big day is expected, full particulars may be seen on Posters next week.

BIRTH.

Wilson—In Markdale, on the 3rd inst., the wife of Geo. Wilson, Butcher, of a daughter.

DIED.

Arnold—In Markdale, on the ... inst., Chas. F., 5th son of Mr. James Arnold, aged 8 years 3 months 4days.

Hurst—In Markdale, on the 3rd inst., Grace E. only daughter, of J. S. Hurst, aged 1 year 11 months.

Arnold—In Markdale, on the 3rd inst., Sarah A. only daughter, of James Arnold, aged 5 years.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

REST and COMFORT to the SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

$2 Watches. ... Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. ...

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street, New York. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, April 29, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.50	"	0.50
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.3o
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 66c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 09c to 10c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.5c; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, April 28th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	to	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	[illegible]	"	0.3o
Peas	[illegible]	"	0.60
Potatoes	[illegible]	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Pork	[illegible]	"	0.00
Beef	[illegible]	"	5.00
Sheepskins	[illegible]	"	1.25
Hides	[illegible]	"	7.00
Hay	[illegible]	"	9.00
Timothy	[illegible]	"	2.40
Wool	[illegible]	"	0.30
Lard	[illegible]	"	0.12
Tallow	[illegible]	"	0.07

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The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation, and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Consti...

... Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

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Sample Bottle, 10c. ... T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular Size, $1.00

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In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

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☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust that all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto, April 28, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1	08	to	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wheat, spring, do.	1	10	to	[illegible]	[illegible]
Barley, do.	0	79	to	0	92
Oats, do.	0	37	to	0	40
Peas, do.	0	65	to	0	67
Rye, do.	0	80	to	0	90
Clover Seed do.	0	00	to	0	00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7	50	to	8	00
Beef, hind quarters	6	00	to	7	00
Beef, fore quarters	3	00	to	4	00
Chickens, per pair	0	60	to	0	70
Fowls, do.		40	to	0	40
Ducks, per brace		50	to	0	60
Geese, each		50	to	0	60
Turkeys	1	00	to	1	75
Butter, large rolls		12	to	0	15
Butter, tub dairy		17	to	0	20
Butter, store-packed		18	to	0	20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0	13	to	0	14
Eggs, packed	0	00	to	0	00
Apples, per brl	1	00	to	1	50
Potatoes, per bag	0	50	to	0	65
Onions, per bag	2	00	to	2	50
Hay	8	50	to	14	25

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6:30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.
Berlin—First Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday after Orangeville.
Marsville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

Auction Sale

OF VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTY,

In the Township of Osprey, in the County of Grey.

UNDER and by virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a certain Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be sold at Messrs. Smith & Myar's Auction Rooms, No. 151 Yonge Street, in the City of Toronto, in the County of York on

Saturday, the 7th day of MAY, A. D. 1881,

At the hour of 12 o'clock, noon,

The following valuable Lands and Premises:

Lot number twenty-seven, in the Fourth Concession, North of the Durham Road, in the Township of Osprey, in the County of Grey.

There is a small clearing on the property, and the soil is good.

This is a valuable property.

TERMS—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, balance within one month from the day of sale.

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CIDER,
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PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
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Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

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There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside, a Milk House bricked inside, a Frame Stable and Driving House and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well beside the house, a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

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ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

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The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the **entire control** of the

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Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

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JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

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IMAGINARY EVILS.

Let to-morrow take care of to-morrow,
There's no use to anticipate fate;
There's no use to anticipate sorrow,—
Life's troubles come never too late.

If to hope over much be an error,
'Tis one that the wise have preferred:
And how often have hearts been in terror
Of evils that never occurred.

If thy faith is founded on life,
Then let life be your whole aim;
Live righteous, live meek and useful,
And like Socrates you'll rise to fame.

But this world lasts but only a day—
That is, for the giddy and vain;
Their pleasures are only but sorrows,
And vanish like wind on the main.

Then have faith and thy faith shall sustain thee,
Permit not suspicion and care
With invisible bonds to enchant thee,
But bear what God gives thee bear. to

By His spirit supported and gladdened,
Be ne'er by forebodings deterred,
But think how oft hearts have been saddened
By fear of what never occurred.

Let to-morrow take care of to-morrow.
Short and dark as our life may appear,
We may make it still darker by sorrow,
Still shorter by folly and fear.

Half our troubles are half our inventions,
And often from blessings conferred,
Have shrunk from the wild approbation
Of evils that never occurred.

J. D.

HOW EARLY GARDENING PAID.

An incident never put in print, may afford a useful hint to many. While travelling through Eastern Iowa several years ago, we were taking lunch at a railway restaurant, when a man rushed up, saying he had heard of our passing, by a telegram the conductor had sent ahead, and urged our stopping over night to see his place, and give a talk to the farmers of the neighborhood. On being assured that an engagement in Illinois would prevent it, he fairly pulled us out on to the platform, and pointing to a fine place on an elevated position, with excellent buildings, etc., said, "your *American Agriculturist* gave me that splendid farm and home" A little startled at this, we had barely time to get a brief explanation before the train started, and even forgot to ask his name. It was as follows:

"Several years ago, you wrote that if any enterpising man living in the vicinity of a large village, or of two or three smaller ones, would manage to put his early peas, corn, beets, cucumbers, etc., etc., into market a week or two ahead of others, he could get two or three prices for the first offerings. That this could be done by selecting a warm, dry plot, by draining it well if needed, by putting in seed very early, and protecting with straw or other covering when cold nights or frosts threatened, after the plants were up And especially by the following plan: Have prepared a lot of pieces of sod, a foot square or so, if pretty well rotted and free from fresh grass roots, all the better, but not essential; moisten them with weakish liquid manure from the barn-yard. Into this, marked off into little squares of the size required by different plants, put peas, corn, etc., etc., one seed in a square. Place several rows of these sods along the south side of a board fence. Keep them sufficiently moist to sprout the seeds, and start the growth, using larger pieces for potatoes. In cold nights, cover with coarse cotton cloth, which may afterwards be bleached and cut up for family use; or have straw at hand to throw over when needed. When the warm, settled weather arrives, and the ground is all ready, with plenty of well-rotted manure worked in, cut the sods into squares, so that each piece will have a plant in it with two or three weeks growth already made. Put these pieces in the ground at proper distances; plants go right on with their growth, and thus much time may be gained in the maturity."

"I acted upon this advice, extending the operation largely; had my sods prepared in autumn, and well frozen in winter, and on a small area got seed enough started thus to plant over two acres. My early garden stuff was the town talk, brought in a heap of money, and in this way I was able to pay for that land, and get forehanded enough to put up those buildings, and I don't owe a cent. That's the way your paper gave me all you see up yonder"—and the moving train cut off the narrative—the last words we heard sounding like this: "I have competitors now, but I have enough else to do, and don't need to do so much with the early stuff."

FORWARDING MELONS AND OTHER PLANTS.

Probably every one who has a garden in the Northern States, wishes, for one reason or another, that the season had been a little longer. Melons, especially, are apt to be caught by the early frost, and the promise of a fine crop blighted. It is easy to lengthen the season, but it must be done at the first rather than the last end of it. This may readily be done by those who have hot-beds and cold frames, with which to *forward* the plants. This term "forward" is a convenient one, and is applied by gardeners to whatever hastens the ordinary growth. Melons and various other plants may be forwarded in the farm-garden at a very slight expense. That the sun warms the ground during the day is a well-understood fact, that this heat, or a portion of it, is lost during the night, is equally well known. Now, if a portion of the earth in which plants are growing be warmed during the day, and we prevent it from losing this heat during the night, it is evident that such plants will have a great advantage over those without such protection. All our melons, cucumbers, squashes, and other plants of that family, come from tropical or warm countries, and in order to yield the best returns in our northern gardens, need every advantage we can give them. Every one may not find it convenient to start his cucumber, melon, and similar seeds, on pieces of sod, or in pots, in a hot-bed or frame, but he may hasten, or forward the same in the open ground. All the expense or trouble required is, to make a lot of frames, one for each "hill," of six or eight-in. boards, and a foot square. It may be more convenient to get boxes from the store, at little or no cost. It makes no difference if the boxes are somewhat larger than the size named; the object is to get a box without top or bottom. Over such a box or frame, tack a piece of thin muslin or cotton cloth, and the thing is ready. Sow the seeds in the usual way, and every afternoon when the day begins to cool—soon after 3 o'clock, usually—turn these frames over the "hills." This will hasten the germination of the seeds, and when the plants come up, continue to protect them in this manner. If a cold windy day occurs, it will be better to leave these covers on than to expose the plants to the weather. This use of the covers or frames may be continued until the plants get too large for them. Not only plants thus treated be much ahead of those without such protection, but they will also be largely preserved from the attacks of the "striped bug" so injurious to melons, cucumbers, and related plants, especially when young. Of course the use of these requires some attention, and the leaving off of the covers during a chilly night may undo all that has been done; but gardening requires attention, and whoever has once used these or similar covers will not give them up.—*American Agriculturist.*

ORCHARD AND NURSERY.

Grafting is an operation that had better be done too late than too early. The best time is when the buds on the stock are swelling, and if necessary may be continued until the trees are in full bloom. At this season the bark slips readily, and much care will be required when sawing off a limb, not to make a bad wound by peeling down. This can be prevented in great part by cutting through the bark with a strong knife all round the limb where the saw is to go. Buds should be left upon the stock until the union of the graft is insured, which will be known by the buds on the graft starting into growth. After this rub off the buds upon the stock. The growth of the graft will need some attention; should but a single bud start, and push upward very rapidly, a long slender shoot will be produced, easily blown about by the wind and thereby loosened from the stock. All such will require checking by pinching off the top so that lateral branches may be formed. There seems to be a strong desire to give the trees the second place on the land, and put some other crop first. Those who do not care enough for an orchard to devote the land to it, should not plant one. Young trees, not yet in bearing, are not injured by having a hoed crop between them. But when the trees begin to bear a fair crop they deserve and should have all the soil. A clover crop to be fed off by pigs is the best thing for the orchard and for the pigs. This will enrich the soil, as the only thing removed is in the shape of flesh, while a large amount of vegetable matter in clover roots and manure is accumulated.

Insects.—An increase of insect pests will come with the warmer growing weather. The eggs of the Tent Caterpillar will be among the first to produce "worms," which, if left to themselves, will soon begin their ravages upon the foliage. Their coming is easily recognized by their "tents" and these should be destroyed at once. The best time to take them is early morning before they have left their nests or "tents," when the whole family may be removed and crushed. The bare hand is the best for all within reach; for those upon high branches use a pole with a swab dipped in ley or petroleum. If a newly set tree is found infested with Oyster-shell Bark Lice, it is the shortest way to pull it up and burn it. An old tree with this pest should be painted over with some non-drying oil, lard oil; crude petroleum has been used with some success. The presence of the Borers is known by the sawdust which they make. The best cure is a knife and a wire or a whalebone probe. Cut only enough to allow the entrance of the probe; never girdle the tree as we have seen some do who were hunting the borers. The Curculio of the plum stings the fruit when it is quite small. Jar the trees when the fruit is set in the early morning, and so long as the insects are caught. The sluggish beetles are caught upon sheets spread beneath the trees or arranged with poles to be held by two persons; put the insects into the fire or otherwise destroy them. Plant Lice, that sometmes crowd upon the growing tips of the cherry and other fruit trees, can be removed by syringing them with tobacco water; those within reach may be bent down, and dipped in the same juice.—*American Agriculturist.*

STARTING PLANTS EARLY.

A writer on gardening gives the following hints on starting tender seeds, such as tomatoes, squashes, melons, and the like: "It is desirable in transplanting not to check growth by disturbing the roots. A good way to avoid this is to scrape out turnips, fill them with good soil, and with two or three good seeds, setting them in a warm light place, and keeping them moist. When the weather is suitable, place them out in the garden at the proper depth; the turnip will decay. and the plant will thrive unchecked if properly cared for. Do not use potatoes instead of turnips. Another method is to get squares of sods, say six inches wide, from good, mellow soil, turn them bottom up, and put in such seeds as squash, or melon, or sweet corn, and treat them in the same way, not puting out til the weather is quite warm, and then protecting against bugs. For more delicate plants, flowers, etc., make little square paper boxes out of thin writing paper, or thick newspaper, merely folding them at the corners as you would a paper covering of a book, taking them with a needle and thread; make them about three inches square and two inches deep, fill with good soil, start the seeds and put out at proper time boxes and all, without disturbing the roots. If you fear the paper is too strong for the roots to penetrate, cut carefully on the bottom of the box the shape of a cross, and all will be well."

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Flesherton. March. 1881. 16

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JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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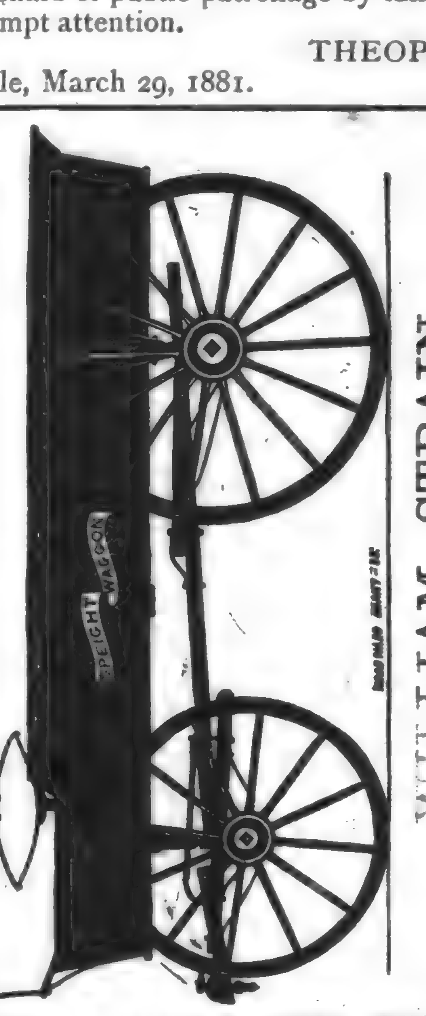

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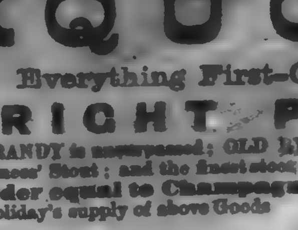

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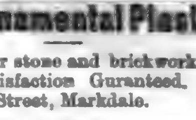

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A Good Fit Guaranteed.
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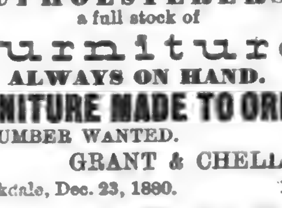

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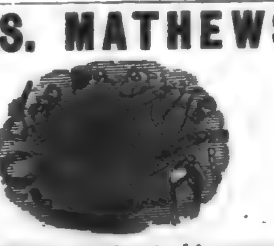

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One Mile from the Village of Markdale.
There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.
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TINKERING A "RELIC."

Detroit Free Press.

Three or four months ago, when a Detroiter returned from a long European tour, he brought with him, among others relics, a clock purchased at a pawn shop in Paris and believed to be about four hundred years old. The article was not punchased for its 'time,' as it had not ticked a tick for thirty pears, but the case was of course workmanship, and the whole a relic of considerably value. It has beenon exhibiton in the owner's office on Larned street for the last two months, and has excited much wonderment and curosity. The other day, while the owner was temporally absent from his room, a travelling clock tinker made the tour of the building. Seeing the room open and the old clock off duty, he walked in with the remark:—

'Man would say no if he was here, but I'll have the old machine ticking before he gets back, and if he dosen't want to come down with fifty cents I'll take a quarter. I've passed the age when I can afford to be mean with anybody.'

The clock was yanked down from its brackets, thrown on its back on the desk, and in thirty seconds a screwdriver had seperated it into half a dozen pieces.

'Lots o'rust and dust and durt, but I can have her ticking away like a streak of lightning in less than—'

At a moment the owner stood at the door. It took him adout twenty seconds to comperhended what was occurring, and during this interval the tinker coolly observed:

'Didn't find you in, but its all the same, I presume. I'm always willing to fix a clock for a gentleman and leave the question of pay to him.'

'Hold! you villian!' shouted the gentleman as soon as he could get his breath. 'Great heavens! but what have you done?'

'Took your dust-box to pieces, oilad up several of the wheels, straightened out about a dozen kinks, and in ten minutes more I'll have it ticking away as cheerfully as a bull's eyewatch at a husking-bee.'

'Stop! stop! I command you to stop!

'Shouldn't a bit wonder, and I don't delieve it has ticked twice since the battle of Waterloo.'

'It was a relic—I bought it in Paris—I paid $76 for it as a sacred relic.'

'Paid to much—altogether too much but that's a side issue. Shall I go ahead to fix her up to run?'

'No! no!'

'Won't charge you but fifty cents.'

'No! no!'

'Might perhaps do it for a quarter.'

'I tell you no! How dare you come in here and lay hands on my clock during my absence? I'll have you arrested!'

"Don't! I'll fix it for nothing if you won't!'

The best thing the owner of the clock could do was to ask the tinker to put the parts together as they were at first. That was accomplished in five minutes time, and as the tinker packed up his tools he humbly remarked:—

'I han't made a cent out of this job, and hove lost half an hour's time, but yet there's nothing mean about me. Gimme seventy-five cents and I'll make that clock look to be two thoussand years old in two jerks of a lamb' tail!'

ONE VACCINATION TOO MANY.

Bright and early yesterday morning a middle-aged man, of anxious look and and much corporosity, called at the City Hall and went for the Chief of Police with:—

'Haf we some shmallbox in Detroit?'

'I believe we have a sporadic case or two,' was the reply.

'Und doze somebody haf to get waccinated to keep him away?'

'Every citizen should protect himself.'

'How many dimes was I get waccinated to keep dot shmallbox out of mein house und saloon?'

'Oh, I guess once will do.'

'Vonce? great shiminy! no more ash dot? Shust wate a minute!'

He jerked off his coat and pushed up his shirt sleeves and pointed to four spots on his left arm and five on his right, and said:—

'Four und five makes nine dimes dot I vhas waccinated in four days?'

'How is that?'

'How ish dot? Dot's what I likes myself to know? I vahs shusht reading about dat shmall-box do odder dav in der Sherman papers, when two men vhalks in mine saloon und says:—Sharley, dot shmall-box is all over down, und you must be waccinated, or der Gommon Gouncil vhill close you oop! So I was waccinated for two shillings und swei class beer.'

'Yes?'

'It vhas shust two hours more as a man coms in und say he vhas sant to waccinate me on der odder arm, und I pays him two shillings and class of beer.'

'Yes?'

Before night a man mit spectacles comes in und says he was sent by der Healthy Poard to see oof I vhas waccinated. I show him two blaces, but he shakes his headt und says:—'Dot waccination am too high oop, und you vhill get der shmall-pox in der hands. Den he makes dot blace here, und I gif him twenty five cents und class beer.'

'Yes?'

'Vhell, in der course of four days six more men comes aroundt to waccinate me by order of der, Mayor, der Gufernor, der Bresident, der Poard of Bublic Vorks, and I doan, know vhat else, und efery time I bays two shillings und class beer. Vhen I vhas waccinated nine times I begins to pelieve I vas a greenhorn, und vhen der tenth man comes aroundt I hit him on der head mit a pottle und vhalks oafer to see you about it. Vhas it all right?'

'I guess the boys were guying you.'

'Vhat is dot?'

'Why, you haven't really been vaccinated at all.'

'N-o!'

'No, and you'd better be vaccinated again.'

'Waccinated again! Waccinated den dimes! Nefer! Pefer I vhas waccinated den dimes I catches der shmall-pox und goes to ped mit him all summer! Dot's some close pins for I sen!'

Hagyard's Yellow Oil is a perfect panacea curing by external and internal use all inflammation, pain and soreness; Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Deafness, Colds, Kidney complaints, Burns, Frost Bites, and flesh Wounds of every variety. For sale by all dealers.

A MAN WITH A RUBBER JAW.

A stranger arrived in St. Catharines on Tuesday last on a prospecting tour. He seemed to make his head quarters anywhere, for the time being, where ardent spirits were sold. He informed several bar room longers confidentially, that he just came from Hamilton, where he dad concluded an engagement with the Scott Act people as a frightful example. His engagement, had not been a brilliant success, in the opinion of the Scott Act people, for seeing that they had given him the grand bounce as a dead beat, though he was prepared to prove that he was no dead beat at all. He says he was the inventor of an anti-tippling machine, by means of which a man might take a night out with the boys, and yet go home perfectly sober. He claimed by means of this machine to be able to make his fortune, if he could only succeed in closing up the rum shop directly under his own nose, and stick to his machine.

"How is it you didn't succeed with the Scott Act people in Hamilton?"

"Well," he replied, "they wanted me to do to much chin music and to clothe myself in rags and go round as a frightful example at their meetings. I got around all right three or four times, but on the last occasion I got full and I kicked up a circus and then they Chisholmed me."

"Well, that is not to be woundered at when you didn't fulfill your engagement."

"Yes, but as I said before its all along of the rum shop right under my nose. I tell you, friend, its all very fine to talk about putting the bottle to your neighbors month, but I've not got that far yet. I have just stuck it under my own nose and ther it remains."

"I dare say. but what about your wonderful anti-tippling machine. Why didn't you sell that to the Scott Act people of Hamilton?"

"Bless your heart they wouldnt have it! Further than that they said I was worse than King Dodds. But I'll just bet you one dollar I can take in all the drinks you'll pay for. and walk out of this bar room sober as a judge."

The bet was made. The man first drank two schooners of lager, two drinks of the worst whiskey in the place, known as blue lightning. He next got away with about half a pint of rum, a glass of cider, and some stale porter. This seeming to have no effect he got his dollar, and was then asked how he managed it.

The fellow produce from under his vest a rubber bag which was so fixed to his lower jaw as to produce a sort of double month. Into this receptacle he poured all the fluid he had drank and emptied it outside the door.

The bar-tender immediately seized a club and told the man with the rubber jaw to get out as he wanted no such critter around spoling good liquor.

A HUNTING ADVENTURE.

FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

A short time ago Hon. E. C. Tully, of Bitterwater, had occassion to visit the Laguna ranch, a few miles from this place, across the mountain. He went on foot, taking his gun with him, thinking he might see a wildcat, and and also desiring protect himself from the deer which at times were nemerous in the mountains. Sure enough he saw three deer, and as they looked fierce he fired at one. It bounded towards a clump of bushes although it had been hit. Mr. Tully went to see any trace of blood could be found, when he suddenly heard a sound from the bushes that he supposed emanated from a she bear with cubs. "Never," said Mr. Tully, "was I so badly frightened. I looked for a tree, but there was none that I could climb." His gun was a muzzle loading rifle, and he knew that it requires a centre shot to kill a bear. But there was no alternative; he had to hand his ground. These thoughts of course passed through his mind in an instant. We entertained the opinion that Mr. Tulley would have vamoosed but he was frozen to the spot by terror. In less time than it takes to tell it, the climax was reached by the deer bounding out of the thicket, and falling a few yards from Mr. Tully at the edge of the brush. The surprise was so great and gratifying that he said aloud: "Well I got you after all," but had no sooner said it than he noticed a huge Calaforina lion wound around the deer. He supposed the deer was mortally wounded, and waited for a convenient opportunity when he shot the lion in the head. The deer was no sooner released from the grip of his capter than he sprang to his feet and ran as only a frightened deer can, much to the discomfort of the gentleman who had now recovered from his fright, and hated to see his venison taking such a hasty and unceremonious depature. He got the lion, though. It was a huge fellow, measuring seven feet from tip to tip.

A REAL NECESSITY.—No house should be without a bottle of HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure-all and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercy.

BURGLAR AND BULLDOG.

THE FLIGHT OF A MOONLIGHT MECHANIC ARRESTED BY A DOG—THE FUGITIVE [illegible] OF THE GAME.

WAKEFIELD, Mass., May 4.—Last night a police officer heard a noise in the office G. W. Aborn, coal dealer, which led him to suspect that a burglar or burglars had effected an entrance, and was at work within. The proprietor and the neighbours were aroused, and the place surrounded. While one of the men went to get a bulldog the burglar made a dash from the front door. Mr. Eaton, a neighbour, opened fire, calling upon him to surrender, but the burglar continued his flight over the railroad and across the fields. The dog by this time was on his track, and bothered the burglar so that officer Malony came up with the chase. A lively scrimmage ensued, the officer receiving an ugly blow across the mouth and another across the side of the head with the desperado's revolver, which he had fired once and snapped the second time, the burglar getting his deserts in the form of a beauty mark across the forehead from the officers billy. In the midst of the *melee* a young man came up and rendered such material aid to the officer that the hard-pressed refugee exclaimed, "I give up," and the darbies were snapped on. The burglar proved to be a negro unknown in the neighbourhood, and seemingly a desperate character.

TO PUBLIC SPEAKERS.

Public speakers and singers who would possess a clear voice, freedom from hoarseness and sore throat should usa Hagyard's Pectoral balsam, a safe, pleasant and certain healer for the throat and lungs; it speedily breaks up a cold and cures all pulmonary complaints, that so often lead to incurable Consumption.

A SMALL BLACK HEROINE.

My washerwoman told me of a little black herione, who ought to be immortalized. She is only four years old and was left alone with the baby a year old while the mother went out for a day's work. while the good old auntie was over soapsuds she heard some boys shouting, "The Potomac is out of its banks," She started bareheaded towards her dwelling, saw the river whirling round it five or six feet deep. The poor old woman was frantic, and a member of the life-savidg crew took her in and ferried her to the door. There was not a sound the poor little ones must have drowned. The mother's cries brought a kinky head to the window "Here we is, mammy; I fetched siss up in loft, cause there is water down dar'." Then the baby was lifted up by the small arms to see mammy, and in a few minutes both the little ones were enjoying their first ride in a boat.—*Concinnatti Commercial.*

"Where have you been for the week back?" enquired a man of his neighbor; "I have not a weak back," retorted he, "you misunderstand me," remarked his friend; "but if you ever get a weak back try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures all debility arising from disordered Kidneys, Liver or Blood, and is the best purifying Tonic in the world. All medicine dealers supply Sample Bottles at 10 Cents, Regular Size$1. 00.

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IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Conner's Fortunes," &c., &c.

FROM an oversight of the compositor, three or four Chapters of this story were overlooked, therefore our readers will excuse us if we take them back a little.

The young clergyman looked very grave and anxious.

"I see that you must not yield to threats in this matter," he said "but surely Mr. Coghlan, while the animosity of this unlucky affray lasts it would be wiser to leave the place and take your family to Dublin."

"I don't believe we shall be safer there if Daniel O'Rourke is hanged on my evidence," replied Mr. Coghlan. "His relatives would not find it too far off for vengeance. However say nothing of this notice to the ladies; it will only harass them for nothing."

"When do you go?"

"Early in November, and this is the eighteenth of October. I shall leave on the first, and confide my family to your care till I return, Surridge, when I hope to move them to Dublin."

The entrance of Eva interrupted their conversation.

The long period which had followed Captain Rock's first warning without fulfilment of his threats had gradually caused the family to forget the peril which lurked around them. It is true they heard of fearful outrages in other parts of Ireland; but a lull seemed to have fallen on their part of the country. Glorvina and Eva no longer kept to the grounds in their daily walks; but, at Mrs Coghlan's request, joined Teddy and his tutor in their rambles, to the great delight of both the pupil and his preceptor. Captain Leicester often joined them also; and Surridge was relieved on perceiving that much of his attention was bestowed on Eva.

They had not seen quite so much of Tim O'Brien lately. He had been from home "visiting friends," he said. But a day or two before Mr. Coghlan's departure he called and asked to speak to the squire. The interview was rather a long one, and the family noticed that Tim looked very grave after it. That night Mr. Coghlan observed to his wife when they were alone—

"I fear Tim O'Brien is extravagant; he is always in want of money. Though," he added, "I allow his father keeps him too short."

"It's a pity," replied the sagacious little woman, "that poor Tim should not have a profession. An idle lad, energetic and active as he is, is apt to get into trouble. I wonder where he goes on those long visits he makes?"

"I am sure I can't tell you," said Mr. Coghlan. "But he is 'hard up' again as he calls it, and has borrowed a pretty large sum altogether of me at intervals. However I told him to-day that this must be the last loan I make him. It would be unjust to my children to risk more."

Mrs. Coghlan was of the same opinion; she had been uneasy more than once at her husband's good-natured loans to Tim O'Brien.

CHAPTER. VI.

It was the eve of Allhallows. Mr. Coghlan was to leave for Dublin on the next day, but his family attached no sense of danger to his journey, being in ignorance of the Whiteboys last threat. On the contrary, they were in high glee. Captain Leicester and a young brother-officer—a cornet named Quarles—O'Brien, and Lucy Walker, the clergyman's daughter, who had come on a visit to the Priory, were gathered round the drawing room fire with the other members of the family after dinner.

"Do you know what to-night is" asked Glorvina of the tutor. "It is All hallows Eve, and we must try and learn our fortunes."

"Do you believe in such idle superstitions?" he asked.

"Of course! Am I not a true Irish girl? I adhere to the faith of my forefathers in such harmless matters as a point of honour. You will join us?"

"The parson will not think it befitting his cloth," said Tim good-naturedly; "will you Surridge?"

He had been very civil and gracious to James since he had set his arm.

"I se no serious objection," was the reply, as the tutor drew a chair up beside Glorvina.

"First," said the young lady solemnly, "we must burn nuts together, and you shall begin. Here are two; one represents yourself, the other you must name."

"Let it be me," cried little Norah eagerly; "and if I don't pop off, I shall be Mrs. Surridge."

The tutor smiled, and put the nuts side by side, as he was directed, on the bar. Alas, Norah flew off with a bounce, quite befitting the little damsel's character!

"Oh, dear," she exclaimed, "how tiresome! And there are Captain Leicester and Eva—it is Eva, isn't it?—burning so brightly side by side."

There was a laugh; a flush on Captain Leicester's face and a visible blush on Eva's. Then young Quarles volunteered to burn a nut with the child, Miss Lucy Walker's having flown off from his. Glorvina had held two nuts in her fingers for some minutes.

"Glorvina," whispered Tim at her side, "may I not try with you?"

"No; we will not risk a false augury," she replied gravely. "Let me see, whom shall I select?" Then, with a sweet indifferent smile at the clergyman, as if the idea of his being a lover were fantastic nonsense—"Mr. Surridge, you shall be my chosen nut."

As she spoke, a flood of crimson rushed over his face. For an instant he looked up at her. What did she read in those despairing passionate eyes? Glorvina started and dropped her nuts. It was not possible to mistake that look of hopeless passion. She did not know very well what to do; but it was surely best to appear not to have seen and understood. She [illegible]

[illegible] "Nay," she replied quietly, "Mr. Surridge and I are great friends. [illegible]"

And so in fun [illegible] burned [illegible] side by side [illegible]

[illegible] the room [illegible] hazard [illegible] one filled with water, another filled with earth, another with paper, the fourth [illegible] and was declared to be the destined bride of [illegible] in the earth, and was consequently told that she would marry one who lived by the land; and Glorvina picked out some pieces of paper, which gave her, of course, to one of the learned professions. Captain Leicester and young Quarles complained that the Army had no chance in this divination; but Mrs. Coghlan, who entered into the fun, assured them that the water represented all who served their country.

There was much innocent mirth till the children went off to bed. Mrs. Coghlan had already gone to arrange a little business still unsettled.

"Shall we sow hemp-seed to-night?" asked Tim.

"What is that?" was the Englishman's question.

"Well, you take a pocketful of hemp-seed and sow it around the church, singing, 'Hemp-seed, I sow you—hemp-seed, I sow you; let my love come and mow you.' The phantom of the future husband then appears and reaps the hemp with a sickle; if a lady, she flits by with a scythe."

"By all means let us try it," said the Cornet. "Is the church far off?"

"No; just outside the gates. Let us go! We can wait in the porch and let the hemp-seed sowers go round one by one," said Tim.

"I scarcely like the idea," declared Mrs. Coghlan; "in these times—"

"Oh, mamma," interrupted Eva, who was unusually excited by the fun of the evening, "I don't believe in 'these times'; I believe the Whiteboys are only a dream."

"At any rate," observed Captain Leicester, who also seemed anxious for the excursion, "you will be safe with us; we have swords, and O'Brien can take that tremendous shillelagh of his without which he never stirs."

And so the excursion was settled, in spite of some wild remonstrances from the tutor, who sincerely wished that Mr. Coghlan was here to forbid it. In fact he stole away to that gentleman's study to warn him; but could not find him there, or in his room, and when he returned to the drawing-room he found all the young people gone.

"Mr. Surridge," said Mrs. Coghlan anxiously, "they have all run off like a parcel of silly children. I wish you would be so kind as to go after them and see that no harm comes of their frolic."

The tutor instantly assented to her request, and at once set out after the revellers. It was a clear bright starlight night; the heavens with their myriad stars looked down solemnly on the hushed earth. The only sound he heard as he hurried up the avenue was the whispering of the leaves of the trees which bordered it. He reached the lodge gate as the church clock struck twelve and then he walked even faster towards it; but though he went at his best speed, he found on reaching the porch, in which the young people were huddled, that Lucy Walker and the Cornet had already sowed their hemp-seed without any result.

"I will go next," declared Glorvina, glancing to the spot where Eva and Leicester were chatting in the shadow of the porch, oblivious evidently of why they had come—"Now!"

And, with a merry nod at those she departed. The others remained chatting. Surridge felt a strong anxiety. The moments went by and appeared endless to him; the others talked cheerfully together; Only he and O'Brien stood at the entrance of the porch, listening. At length James said—

"I think I had better go and see where Miss Desmond is."

"I would," exclaimed O'Brien, "if we had not solemnly pledged ourselves not to follow each other for ten minutes or a quarter of an hour, and it is not that time since she left us."

"I am bound by no promise," replied the tutor, and, without another word, he walked quickly in the direction Glorvina had taken.

The church was very large—it had once been a Catholic cathedral—and he had not reached the end of it when he heard a wild cry. He ran forward, and, turning the corner, saw her leaning against a buttress. Was it the starlight that made her face so pale and gave that awful look to her eyes?

(To be continued.)

A RAILWAY BRIDGE BURNT.

MILTON, May 4.—A smash up occurred here on the Credit Valley railway to-night. While a train was passing through the town a wheel of the caboose broke, which caused the stove to be overturned, setting fire to the car, also to the bridge upon which it stopped. The car and bridge were totally destroyed, also were the rails for about one hundred yards along the track. The conductor was slightly hurt in jumping from the bridge to the ground. The fire occurred at 8 p.m.

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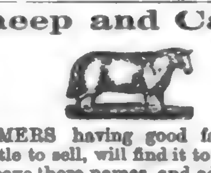

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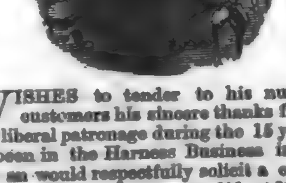

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TINKERING A RELIC.

Detroit Free Press.

Three or four months ago, when a Detroiter returned from a long European tour, he brought with him, among others relics, a clock purchased at a pawn shop in Paris and believed to be about four hundred years old. The article was not purchased for its 'time,' as it had not ticked a tick for thirty years, but the case was of course workmanship, and the whole a relic of considerably value. It has beenon exhibiton in the owner's office on Larned street for the last two months, and has excited much wonderment and curosity. The other day, while the owner was temporally absent from his room, a travelling clock tinker made the tour of the building. Seeing the room open and the old clock off duty, he walked in with the remark:—

'Man would say no if he was here, but I'll have the old machine ticking before he gets back, and if he dosen't want to come down with fifty cents I'll take a quarter. I've passed the age when I can afford to be mean with anybody.'

The clock was yanked down from its brackets, thrown on its back on the desk, and in thirty seconds a screwdriver had seperated it into half a dozen pieces.

'Lots o'rust and dust and durt, but I can have her ticking away like a streak of lightning in less than—'

At a moment the owner stood at the door. It took him adout twenty seconds to comperhended what was occurring, and during this interval the tinker coolly observed:

'Didn't find you in, but its all the same, I presume. I'm always willing to fix a clock for a gentleman and leave the question of pay to him.'

'Hold! you villian!' shouted the gentleman as soon as he could get his breath. 'Great heavens! but what have you done?'

'Took your dust-box to pieces, oiled up several of the wheels, straightened out about a dozen kinks, and in ten minutes more I'll have it ticking away as cheerfully as a bull's eyewatch at a husking-bee.'

'Stop! stop! I command you to stop!

'Shouldn't a bit wonder, and I don't delieve it has ticked twice since the battle of Waterloo.'

'It was a relic—I bought it in Paris—I paid $76 for it as a sacred relic.'

'Paid to much—altogether too much but that's a side issue. Shall I go ahead to fix her up to run?'

'No! no!'

'Won't charge you but fifty cents.'

'No! no!'

'Might perhaps do it for a quarter.'

'I tell you no! How dare you come in here and lay hands on my clock during my absence? I'll have you arrested!'

"Don't! I'll fix it for nothing if you won't!'

The best thing the owner of the clock could do was to ask the tinker to put the parts together as they were at first. That was accomplished in five minutes time, and as the tinker packed up his tools he humbly remarked:—

'I han't made a cent out of this job, and hove lost half an hour's time, but yet there's nothing mean about me. Gimme seventy-five cents and I'll make that clock look to be two thousand years old in two jerks of a lamb' tail!'

ONE VACCINATION TOO MANY.

Bright and early yesterday morning a middle-aged man, of anxious look and and much corporosity, called at the City Hall and went for the Chief of Police with:—

'Haf we some shmallbox in Detroit?'

'I believe we have a sporadic case or two,' was the reply.

'Und doze somebody haf to get waccinated to keep him away?'

'Every citizen should protect himself.'

'How many dimes was I get waccinated to keep dot shmallbox out of mein house und saloon?'

'Oh, I guess once will do.'

'Vonce? great shiminy! no more ash dot? Shust wate a minute!'

He jerked off his coat and pushed up his shirt sleeves and pointed to four spots on his left arm and five on his right, and said:—

'Four und five makes nine dimes dot I vhas waccinated in four days?'

'How is that?'

'How ish dot? Dot's what I likes myself to know? I vahs shusht reading about dat shmall-box do odder dav in der Sherman papers, when two men vhalks in mine saloon und says: —Sharley, dot shmall-box is all over down, und you must be waccinated, or der Gommon Gouncil vhill close you oop! So I was waccinated for two shillings und swei class beer.'

'Yes?'

'It vhas shust two hours more as a man coms in und say he vhas sent to waccinate me on der odder arm, und I pays him two shillings and class of beer.'

'Yes?'

Before night a man mit spectacles comes in und says he was sent by der Healthy Poard to see oof I vhas waccinated. I show him two blaces, but he shakes his headt und says:—'Dot waccination am too high oop, und you vhill get der shmall-pox in der hands. Den he makes dot blace here, und I gif him twenty five cents und class beer.'

'Yes?'

'Vhell, in der course of four days six more men comes aroundt to waccinate me by order of der, Mayor, der Gufernor, der Bresident, der Poard of Bublic Vorks, and I doan, know vhat else, und efery time I bays two shillings und class beer. Vhen I vhas waccinated nine times I begins to pelieve I vas a greenhorn, and vhen der tenth man comes aroundt I hit him on der head mit a pottle and vhalks oafer to see you abodt it. Vhas it all right?'

'I guess the boys were guying you.'

'Vhat is dot?'

'Why, you haven't really been vaccinated at all.'

'N-o!'

'No, and you'd better be vaccinated again.'

'Waccinated again! Waccinated den dimes! Nefer! Pefor I vhas waccinated den dimes I catches der shmall-pox und goes to ped mit him all summer! Dot's some close pins like I am!'

Hagyard's Yellow Oil is a perfect panacea curing by external and internal use all inflammation, pain and soreness; Rheumatism, Stiff Joints, Deafness, Colds, Kidney complainnts, Burns, Frost Bites, and flesh Wounds of every variety. For sale by all dealers.

A MAN WITH A RUBBER JAW.

A stranger arrived in St. Catharines on Tuesday last on a prospecting tour. He seemed to make his head quarters anywhere, for the time being, where ardent spirits were sold. He informed several bar room longers confidentially, that he just came from Hamilton, where he dad concluded an engagement with the Scott Act people as a frightful example. His engagement, had not been a brilliant success, in the opinion of the Scott Act people, for seeing that they had given him the grand bounce as a dead beat, though he was prepared to prove that he was no dead beat at all. He says he was the inventer of an anti-tippling machine, by means of which a man might take a night out with the boys, and yet go home perfectly sober. He claimed by means of this machine to be able to make his fortune, if he could only succeed in closing up the rum shop directly under his own nose, and stick to his machine.

"How is it you didn't succeed with the Scott Act people in Hamilton?"

"Well," he replied, "they wanted me to do to much chin music and to clothe myself in rags and go round as a frightful example at their meetings. I got around all right three or four times, but on the last occasion I got full and I kicked up a circus and then they Chisholmed me."

"Well, that is not to be woundered at when you didn't fulfill your engagement."

"Yes, but as I said before its all along of the rum shop right under my nose. I tell you, friend, its all very fine to talk about putting the bottle to your neighbors month, but I've not got that far yet. I have just stuck it under my own nose and ther it remains."

"I dare say. but what about your wonderful anti-tippling machine. Why didn't you sell that to the Scott Act people of Hamilton?"

"Bless your heart they wouldnt have it! Further than that they said I was worse than King Dodds. But I'll just bet you one dollar I can take in all the drinks you'll pay for. and walk out of this bar room sober as a judge."

The bet was made. The man first drank two schooners of lager, two drinks of the worst whiskey in the place, known as blue lightning. He next got away with about half a pint of rum, a glass of cider, and some stale porter. This seeming to have no effect he got his dollar, and was then asked how he managed it.

The fellow produce from under his vest a rubber bag which was so fixed to his lower jaw as to produce a sort of double month. Into this receptacle he poured all the fluid he had drank and emptied it outside the door.

The bar-tender immediately seized a club and told the man with the rubber jaw to get out as he wanted no such critter around spoling good liquor.

A HUNTING ADVENTURE.

FROM THE PACIFIC COAST.

A short time ago Hon. E. C. Tully, of Bitterwater, had occassion to visit the Laguna ranch, a few miles from this place, across the mountain. He went on foot, taking his gun with him, thinking he might see a wildcat, and and also desiring protect himself from the deer which at times were nemerous in the mountains. Sure enough he saw three deer, and as they looked fierce he fired at one. It bounded towards a clump of bushes although it had been hit. Mr. Tully went to see any trace of blood could be found, when he suddenly heard a sound from the bushes that he supposed emanated from a she bear with cubs. "Never," said Mr. Tully, "was I so badly frightened. I looked for a tree, but there was none that I could climb." His gun was a muzzle loading rifle, and he knew that it requires a centre shot to kill a bear. But there was no alternative; he had to hand his ground. These thoughts of course passed through his mind in an instant. We entertained the opinion that Mr. Tulley would have vamoosed but he was frozen to the spot by terror. In less time than it takes to tell it, the climax was reached by the deer bounding out of the thicket, and falling a few yards from Mr. Tully at the edge of the brush. The surprise was so great and gratifying that he said aloud: "Well I got you after all," but had no sooner said it than he noticed a huge Calaforina lion wound around the deer. He supposed the deer was mortally wounded, and waited for a convenient opportunity when he shot the lion in the head. The deer was no sooner released from the grip of his capter than he sprang to his feet and ran as only a frightened deer can, much to the discomfort of the gentleman who had now recovered from his fright, and hated to see his venison taking such a hasty and unceremonious depature. He got the lion, though. It was a huge fellow, measuring seven feet from tip to tip.

A REAL NECESSITY.—No house should be without a bottle of HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure-all and by the afflicted as Angel of Mercy.

BURGLAR AND BULLDOG.

THE FLIGHT OF A MOONLIGHT MECHANIC ARRESTED BY A DOG—THE FUGITIVE THROWS UP THE GAME.

WAKEFIELD, Mass., May 4.—Last night a police officer heard a noise in the office G. W. Abern, coal dealer, which led him to suspect that a burglar or burglars had effected an entrance, and was at work within. The proprietor and the neighbours were aroused, and the place surrounded. While one of the men went to get a bulldog the burglar made a dash from the front door. Mr. Eaton, a neighbour, opened fire, calling upon him to surrender, but the burglar continued his flight over the railroad and across the fields. The dog by this time was on his track, and bothered the burglar so that officer Malony came up with the chase. A lively scrimmage ensued, the officer receiving an ugly blow across the mouth and another across the side of the head with the desperado's revolver, which he had fired once and snapped the second time, the burglar getting his deserts in the form of a beauty mark across the forehead from the officers billy. In the midst of the *melee* a young man came up and rendered such material aid to the officer that the hard-pressed refugee exclaimed, "I give up," and the darbies were snapped on. The burglar proved to be a negro unknown in the neighbourhood, and seemingly a desperate character.

TO PUBLIC SPEAKERS.

Public speakers and singers who would possess a clear voice, freedom from hoarseness and sore throat should use Hagyard's Pectoral balsam, a safe, pleasant and certain healer for the throat and lungs; it speedily breaks up a cold and cures all pulmonary complaints, that so often lead to incurable Consumption.

A SMALL BLACK HEROINE.

My washerwoman told me of a little black herione, who ought to be immortalized. She is only four years old and was left alone with the baby a year old while the mother went out for a day's work. while the good old auntie was over soapsuds she heard some boys shouting, "The Potomac is out of its banks," She started bareheaded towards her dwelling, saw the river whirling round it five or six feet deep. The poor old woman was frantic, and a member of the life-savidg crew took her in and ferried her to the door. There was not a sound the poor little ones must have drowned. The mother's cries brought a kinky head to the window "Here we is, mammy; I fetched siss up in loft, cause there is water down dar'." Then the baby was lifted up by the small arms to see mammy, and in a few minutes both the little ones were enjoying their first ride in a boat.—*Concinnatti Commercial.*

"Where have you been for the week back?" enquired a man of his neighbor; "I have not a weak back," retorted he, "you misunderstand me," remarked his friend; "but if you ever get a weak back try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures all debility arising from disordered Kidneys, Liver or Blood, and is the best purifying Tonic in the world. All medicine dealers supply Sample Bottles at 10 Cents, Regular Size $1. 00.

"NE PLUS ULSTER."

A GARMENT THAT PROMISES TO BECOME A SUMMER FAVORITE WITH ALL.

(FROM THE DETROIT FREE PRESS.)

The ulster for the coming summer speak for itself on sight. It can be worn with tails or without. The tails can be lowered by means of hinges to drag on the walk, or they can be raised or slewed around to form extra pockets for holding four clean shirts apiece. The collor is fitted with a rubbber tube to hold any sort of drink fitted for the occasion. A quart of hard cider can be carried to a Sunday school picnic, and slyly imbibed at the convenience of the wearer without any one being the wiser. All the man has to do is to turn his head to the left, slip an amber mouth piece into his jaws, and slowly get away with his tonic, while he seems to be lost in amazement at the wonder of nature. The ulster is a life preserver, and when blown up will sustain the weight of three school ma'ams and a lecturer from Japan. If occasion requires it can be quickly converted into a water proof tent capable of sheltering a small family. The right hand pocket is sheet-ironed for use as a kettle in which to make tea or boil eggs, and the left hand is a sort of refrigerator in which to store perishable goods. Each sleeve is provided with a secret pocket for the benefit of those who want to get four aces into a poker hand, and a sheath for a bowie knife is stitched into the back in the most secure manner. Folded one way the ulster forms a jib sail, and can be attached to any boat in five minutes. Folded one other way yvou have a stretcher on which to carry off the fat woman who fell from a tree and broke her leg.

It is the ne plus ulster. It contains good look with a right smart of conveniences. It hides a hump between the shoulders covers up a stop, and a bow legged man is made to appear as graceful as an antelope. There are seven diffrent spots on which to scratch matches three flaps on which to wipe the nose and a Texas steer may play with the wearer all day and not be able to spoil the set of garments. Send in your orders before the rush begins.

All forms of Nervous Debility so commonly prevalent yield to the vitalizing powers of Burdock Blood Bitters. It is the best regulator of the Liver, Bowels and Kidneys, the most perfect Blood Purifier and permanent Tonic known. Purely vegetable, safe and pleasant to take, and unfailing in its effects as a health restorative. Sample Bottles 10 Cts.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Conner's Fortunes," &c., &c.

FROM an oversight of the compositor, three or four Chapters of this story were overlooked, therefore our readers will excuse us if we take them back a little.

The young clergyman looked very grave and anxious.

"I see that you must not yield to threats in this matter," he said "but surely Mr. Coghlan, while the animosity of this unlucky affray lasts it would be wiser to leave the place and take your family to Dublin."

"I don't believe we shall be safer there if Daniel O'Rourke is hanged on my evidence," replied Mr. Coghlan. "His relatives would not find it too far off for vengeance. However say nothing of this notice to the ladies; it will only harass them for nothing."

"When do you go?"

"Early in November, and this is the eighteenth of October. I shall leave on the first, and confide my family to your care till I return, Surridge, when I hope to move them to Dublin."

The entrance of Eva interrupted their conversation.

The long period which had followed Captain Rock's first warning without fulfilment of his threats had gradually caused the family to forget the peril which lurked around them. It is true they heard of fearful outrages in other parts of Ireland; but a lull seemed to have fallen on their part of the country. Glorvina and Eva no longer kept to the grounds in their daily walks; but, at Mrs Coghlan's request, joined Teddy and his tutor in their rambles, to the great delight of both the pupil and his preceptor. Captain Leicester often joined them also; and Surridge was relieved on perceiving that much of his attention was bestowed on Eva.

They had not seen quite so much of Tim O'Brien lately. He had been from home "visiting friends," he said. But a day or two before Mr. Coghlan's departure he called and asked to speak to the squire. The interview was rather a long one, and the family noticed that Tim looked very grave after it. That night Mr. Coghlan observed to his wife when they were alone—

"I fear Tim O'Brien is extravagant; he is always in want of money. Though," he added, "I allow his father keeps him too short."

"It's a pity," replied the sagacious little woman, "that poor Tim should not have a profession. An idle lad, energetic and active as he is, is apt to get into trouble. I wonder where he goes on those long visits he makes?"

"I am sure I can't tell you," said Mr. Coghlan. "But he is 'hard up' again as he calls it, and has borrowed a pretty large sum altogether of me at intervals. However I told him to-day that this must be the last loan I make him. It would be unjust to my children to risk more."

Mrs. Coghlan was of the same opinion; she had been uneasy more than once at her husband's good-natured loans to Tim O'Brien.

CHAPTER. VI.

It was the eve of Allhallows. Mr. Coghlan was to leave for Dublin on the next day, but his family attached no sense of danger to his journey, being in ignorance of the Whiteboys last threat. On the contrary, they were in high glee. Captain Leicester and a young brother-officer—a cornet named Quarles—O'Brien, and Lucy Walker, the clergyman's daughter, who had come on a visit to the Priory, were gathered round the drawing room fire with the other members of the family after dinner.

"Do you know what to-night is" asked Glorvina of the tutor. "It is All hallows Eve, and we must try and learn our fortunes."

"Do you believe in such idle superstitions?" he asked.

"Of course! Am I not a true Irish girl? I adhere to the faith of my forefathers in such harmless matters as a point of honour. You will join us?"

"The parson will not think it befitting his cloth," said Tim good-naturedly; "will you Surridge?"

He had been very civil and gracious to James since he had set his arm.

"I se no serious objection," was the reply, as the tutor drew a chair up beside Glorvina.

"First," said the young lady solemnly, "we must burn nuts together, and you shall begin. Here are two; one represents yourself, the other you must name."

"Let it be me," cried little Norah eagerly; "and if I don't pop off, I shall be Mrs. Surridge."

The tutor smiled, and put the nuts side by side, as he was directed, on the bar. Alas, Norah flew off with a bounce, quite befitting the little damsel's character!

"Oh, dear," she exclaimed, "how tiresome! And there are Captain Leicester and Eva—it is Eva, isn't it?—burning so brightly side by side."

There was a laugh; a flush on Captain Leicester's face and a visible blush on Eva's. Then young Quarles volunteered to burn a nut with the child, Miss Lucy Walker's having flown off from his. Glorvina had held two nuts in her fingers for some minutes.

"Glorvina," whispered Tim at her side, "may I not try with you?"

"No; we will not risk a false augury," she replied gravely. "Let me see, whom shall I select?" Then, with a sweet indifferent smile at the clergyman, as if the idea of his being a lover were fantastic nonsense—"Mr. Surridge, you shall be my chosen nut."

As she spoke, a flood of crimson rushed over his face. For an instant he looked up at her. What did she read in those despairing passionate eyes? Glorvina started and dropped her nuts. It was not possible to mistake that look of hopeless passion. She did not know very well what to do; but it was surely best to appear not to have seen and understood. She

... If there ... will fly ... ful voice at her side ... and she felt as if ... struck him, as she saw ... pallor which succeeded the glow on the tutor's face as he caught the words.

"Nay," she replied gently, "Mr. Surridge and I are great friends. We shall burn with the calm steadiness of friendship."

And so in fact it proved. The nuts burned clearly and brightly side by side to the last.

Other games were played. They were successively blindfolded, turned out of the room, and returned to touch at hazard four saucers placed in a row—one filled with water, another filled with earth, another with paper, the fourth empty. Lucy upset the water and was declared to be the destined bride of a sailor; Eva put her fingers in the earth, and was consequently told that she would marry one who lived by the land; and Glorvina picked out some pieces of paper, which gave her, of course, to one of the learned professionals. Captain Leicester and young Quarles complained that the Army had no chance in this divination; but Mrs. Coghlan, who entered into the fun, assured them that the water represented all who served their country.

There was much innocent mirth till the children went off to bed. Mr. Coghlan had already gone to arrange a little business still left unsettled.

"Shall we sow hemp-seed to-night?" asked Tim.

"What is that?" was the Englishman's question.

"Well, you take a pocketful of hemp-seed and sow it around the church, singing, 'Hemp-seed, I sow you—hemp-seed, I sow you; let my love come and mow you.' The phantom of the future husband then appears and reaps in dumb show with a sickle; if a lady, she flits by with a scythe."

"By all means let us try it," said the Cornet. "Is the church far off?"

"No; just outside the gates. Let us go! We can wait in the porch and let the hemp-seed sowers go round one by one," said Tim.

"I scarcely like the idea," declared Mrs. Coghlan; "in these times—"

"Oh, mamma," interrupted Eva, who was unusually excited by the fun of the evening, "I don't believe in 'these times;' I believe the Whiteboys are only scarecrows!"

"At any rate," observed Captain Leicester, who also seemed anxious for the excursion, "you will be safe with us; we have swords, and O'Brien can take that tremendous shilelagh of his without which he never stirs."

And so the excursion was settled, in spite of some wild remonstrances from the tutor, who sincerely wished that Mr. Coghlan was there to forbid it. In fact he stole away to that gentleman's study to warn him; but could not find him there, or in his room, and when he returned to the drawing-room he found all the young people gone.

"Mr. Surridge," said Mrs. Coghlan anxiously, "they have all run off like a parcel of silly children. I wish you would be so kind as to go after them and see that no harm comes of their frolic."

The tutor instantly assented to her request, and at once set out after the revellers. It was a clear bright starlight night; the heavens with their myriad stars looked down solemnly on the hushed earth. The only sound he heard as he hurried up the avenue was the whispering of the leaves of the old trees which bordered it. He reached the lodge gate as the church clock struck twelve and then he walked even faster towards it; but though he went at his best speed, he found on reaching the porch, in which the young people were huddled, that Lucy Walker and the Cornet had already sowed their hemp-seed without any result.

"I will go next," declared Glorvina, glancing to the spot where Eva and Leceister were chatting in the shadow of the porch, oblivious evidently of why they had come—"Now!"

And, with a merry nod at them she departed. The others remained chatting. Surridge felt a strong anxiety. The moments went by and appeared endless to him; the others talked cheerfully together; Only he and O'Brien stood at the entrance of the porch, listening. At length James said—

"I think I had better go and see where Miss Desmond is."

"I would," exclaimed O'Brien, "if we had not solemnly pledged ourselves not to follow each other for ten minutes or a quarter of an hour, and it is not that time since she left us."

"I am bound by no promise," replied the tutor, and, without another word, he walked quickly in the direction Glorvina had taken.

The church was very large—it had once been a Catholic cathedral—and he had not reached the end of it when he heard a wild eerie cry. He ran forward, and, turning the corner, saw her leaning against a buttress. Was it the starlight that made her face so pale and gave that awful look to her eyes?

(*To be continued.*

A RAILWAY BRIDGE BURNT.

MILTON, May 4.—A smash up occured here on the Credit Valley railway tonight. While a train was passing through the town a wheel of the caboose broke, which caused the stove to be overturned, setting fire to the car, also to the bridge upon which it stopped. The car and bridge were totally destroyed, also were the rails for about one hundred yards along the track. The conductor was slightly hurt in jumping from the bridge to the ground. The fire occured at 8 p. m.

The Liver, the Skin, the Kidneys and the Bowels, are the natural cleansers of the system; secure their healthy action by nature's grand remedy, BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. It cures Scrofula—It cures Liver Complaint—It cures Dyspepsia—It cures Female Complaints and purifies the Blood while it restores strength and vitality to the shattered system. Trial Bottles 10 Cents.

Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF PROTON

The Court of Revision for the Township of Proton, for the current year, 1881 will be held at Hopeville, in Mr. J. A. Scarlett's Hall, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1881 of which all parties interested will please take notice, and govern themselves accordingly. The Court will open at 10 a. m.

JOHN VERT.
Township Clerk.
Proton, May 5th 1881. 34

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.46 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.05 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.23 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, May 13th, 1881.

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FLESHERTON

[illegible] of the "Quiet City," [illegible] refuge from the [illegible] of the day while list[illegible] "concord of sweet [illegible] rendered in the concert of Wednesday evening. The [illegible] beauty constituting the com[illegible] in itself, an attraction; [illegible] the flowing richness [illegible] selections, rendered in [illegible] grace, leaving noth[illegible] to be desired but a larger audi[illegible]. With a programme so unique, [illegible] most dangerous to particular[illegible] "Well done," was the universal [illegible]. The magnificent form and [illegible] of Mr. Anderson, the superb character songs and sketches by Mr. McDougal, will long be remembered, while the duett "Don't mean to be [illegible]," was the true outspoken feelings of the sweet singers' hearts, which, doubtless, will soon be reciprocated by some of the young gentlemen present. The European mania caused several gaps in the programme; but hard-shell jokes by the Rev. Chairman kept up the interest; but why a song should be called an "article" we fail to discover. Among the distinguished guests we observed his Worship, the Mayor of Markdale, his Eminence, the Arch-Bishop of Manitoulin, with various prelates from remote parts. The bachelor element was well represented,—single, alone, unblessed they came, without their sisters, their cousins or their aunts.

Yours truly,

DEACON SNUKES.

COUNTY ITEMS.

OBITUARY.—Another of our old residents, Mr. Robert Hoy, passed away on Friday last, aged 65 years. He had suffered severly from cancer for about two years before his death, which must have been his dearest friend the sweetest and the best. The deceased was buried under the auspices of the Orange Order of which he was an enthusiastic member. The funeral, which took place on Sunday last was a large and impressive one. The Clarksburg Band headed the procession playing the dead march in Saul. The funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. F. D. Brown.—*Union Standard.*

FIRE AT WILLIAMSFORD.—We regret to learn that on Tuesday afternoon the large Woollen Factory of Messrs. Cliffe & Shaw at Williamsford caught fire, it is supposed from sparks from the engine, and although the hands and others were on the spot, the flames spread with such rapidity that it was found impossible to save the building, which was destroyed with most of contents. The loss will be a severe one to Messrs. Cliffe & Shaw, whilst it will also be a great loss to the village, of which the factory constituted the chief industry.—*Times.*

VICTIMIZED.—On Thursday last a man who represented himself as a Mr. Hurd, a cattle buyer from Toronto, came to the City Hotel, and stating that he had a drove of cattle coming, wished pre[illegible] for having them fed. He succeeded in getting 50c. from the proprietor. He next went to W[illegible]. He also visited Wilkinson's butcher shop, and proposed selling some of the cattle, getting $1 from Mr. Wilkinson. The latter soon found out that he had been victimized, and had the pretended cattle dealer arrested. He had been having a good time in the meantime, and when arrested had only 85c. left. He was taken before Thos. Scott, Esq., J. P., and remanded for a week.—*Times.*

A SINGULAR DRIVE.—The other day a friend of ours, with an acquaintance, went for a drive, and having taken the "bit" out of the horse's mouth to allow it to have a "bite" started off at a "two-forty' speed for home without putting the bit in again, and it was curious to see the wheels of the buggy drive through every puddle hole on the road, which were rather numerous. Frequent attempts were made to steer around them, and it was rather odd to notice the smile that appeared on the faces of several Jehus met on the road, but after driving several miles the cause of the 'splashing' that took place was discovered and the wrong made right. It was well that the horse besides being a very fast traveller, possessed another good quality of being very docile or something more serious might have happened.—*Review.*

ACCIDENT TO JUDGE MACPHERSON.—On Monday evening last, Mr. O'Connor of Walkerton, who was the guest of Judge Macpherson, had just left the parlor for a few minutes when he heard a noise, and running back, found the Judge on the floor, in the midst of flames. It appears that a lamp which stood on a small table had been accidently upset' breaking on the floor, and spreading flames over the carpet. The Judge threw himself on the carpet to smother the flames, when his dressing gown caught fire. Mr. O'Connor immediately snatched a piano cover and with it succeeded in smothering the flames; but not before the Judge had been severly burned, from the effect of which he has since been confined to bed.—*Times.*

SHOT.—News was received intown the latter part of last week that Mr. F. W. Pearce, of Midway, Kentucky, (brother of Mr. C. C. Pearce, License Inspector, and Mr. A. Pearce of the *Tribune,*) had been fatally shot by a young man named Williams, with whom he had a dispute. We understand the murderer has been captured, and is now in custody.—*Times.*

A FALL FROM A WAGGON.—On Sunday last as Mr. & Mrs. McGregor, of Sullivan were driving to church, the back seat of the democrat on which they were sitting was jerked from its place, and they both fell backwards, alighting on their heads, and were badly injured. Mrs. McGregor appears to suffer the most. As they are both advanced in years the result may be very serious.—*O. S. Tribune.*

DISTRICT MEETING.—The Methodist Ministers of the Owen Sound District will hold their annual District Meeting in the Methodist Church, Owen Sound, commencing on Tuesday, May 17th, at 9 a. m.—*O. S. Tribune.*

BOMB THROWING AT HOME.—The influence of the late assassination of the Czar has been felt even in this remote region. In fact, it is likely that being blown up by a bomb will soon become the fashionable way of disposing of criminals, they considering it an honor to go off with the same force which royalty in Russia appears to choose. In proof the popularizing of this plan, we would cite an instance which occurred on Saturday night last, on the hill near the R. C. Church. About the last hour, the whole neighborhood was awakened by a terriffic explosion in the direction of a house of bad reputation. On Sunday morning a passer-by was called in to examine the destruction. He describes the scene as follows:—A piece of gass piping, loaded with powder, had been thrown through the window into the house. This exploded, bursting into something over 40 pieces, breaking chairs, bursting an oil can, tearing up the floor, and blowing some of the boards off the sides of the house. A bomb was also thrown int Ben Addy's (colored) house. From this it appears that Canadians can manufacture bombs as well as the Russians, and use them, too. They don't want to be caught at it though, and certain parties are suspected.—*O. S. Tribune.*

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—When subscriptions were being solicited for the purpose of celebrating the Queen's Birthday, it was stated that the grounds for the games and sports were to be chosen as central as possible. Now, it appears the games are to be held at one side of the village. What is the reason of the change? Is it to benefit one particular house? To me it looks very much like it.

Your's &c.,

FAIR PLAY.

THE following is the programme of semi-annul meeting of South Grey Teachers association, to be held in Flesherton, on Thursday and Friday, 19 and 20th May, 1881. 1. President adddress. 2. Rev. J. Somerville,—Permanency of the Teacher's work. 3. J. Tait, B. A.—How to teach Eng. History. 4. W. O'Connor, B. A.—Natural Philosophy. 5. J. A. Greg,—How to secure Uniformity of Classification in the schools of the county. 6. M. N. Armstrong,—theory vs. Practice in teaching. 7. W. J. Galbraith,—Geometry to beginners. 8. R. D. Irwin,—Arithmetic to beginners (class.) 9. W. A. Jones,—Teachers' encourgement and discouragement. 10. M. P. McMaster,—Mistakes in teaching reading to beginners. 11. N. W. Campbell,—Gramitical Analysis and Parsing. 12 W. G. Alister,—Geography to juniors. 13. C. W. Morey,—Geography, with class. 14. J. C. Buchanan,—How to teach composition. 15. Election of Officers. Questions for drawer to be sent as early as possible to M. N. Armstrong, Durham, or W. A. Jones, Yeovil. A suitable entertainment will be provided for Thursday evening. All masters and teachers, shall regularly attend the Teachers' Institutes, at such times, and under such regulations, as the Inspector shall direct.—Extract from public School Regulations. WM. FERGUSON, I. P. S. resident. J. C. BAIN, Secretary.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, May 2nd. Present, Messrs. Christoe, Webster, Elliot and Pedlar. Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the following accounts be paid:—Mrs. Thompson, for bread to Norman Boyles and Mrs Wallace, $7.62; James Massin, for services at Division Court, $4.00

By Laws Nos. 324 to authorize a loan to S. S. No. 12; 325 to commute statute labor in Police Village of Markdale; 326 to detach certain lots from S. S. No. 7, and attach the same to S. S. No. 7; 327 to amend By-Law 323, were introduced and passed in the usual way.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the sum of $600 be appropriated to the repairing of highways in the Township, $150 in each ward, Councillor of each ward to be a Commissioner for expending the same, and that the work be done as soon as practicable.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that the Reeve correspond with Messrs Kilgour, of Mount Forest, relative to road scrapers and if price is satisfactory to order from twelve to fifteen.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the Councillor for each ward collect the road scrapers in his ward at some central place and have those that are worth repairing repaired, and repart the number at next meeting.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Elliott, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that this Council meet as a Court of Revision on the 6th of June next, and that the Clerk give notice as required by law.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

BY-LAW NO. 325,

Of the Township of Artemesia to commute statute labour in that portion of the Police Village of Markdale within the bounds of the Township of Artemesia.

Whereas by petition to this Council by certain inhabitants of that portion of the Police Village of Markdale, within the bounds of the Township of Artemesia showing that it is expedient to commute the statute labour within the limits aforesaid at the rate of sixty cents per diem for the purpose of building sidewalks and repairing the streets of said village.

And whereas this Council deems it right and proper to grant such request.

It is therefore enacted by the Corporation of Artemesia:

1st. That the statute labour as above set forth be commuted at sixty cents per diem.

2nd. That R. S. Rae be the Pathmaster for collecting and expending the same for the present year, and then any one this Council may appoint.

3rd. That the statute or by-laws governing the receipts and expenditure with the proper returns to the Clerk be observed.

4th. That parties outside of said Village but living on road division as formerly existing, shall not be compelled to commute without their consent.

This By-Law to be of full force and effect from and after passing thereof.

Passed in open Council the 2nd day of May, 1881.

ORANGEVILLE

FALL IN SUGAR.—On Saturday, as a carter was turning his wagon in front of one of the stores on Broadway, through some awkwardness one of the barrels, of sugar which formed part of the load, fell among the horses' feet and started them off. Fortunately they were brought up before they had gone far, but not before another sugar-barrel met the fate of the former, and the "sweetness" was scattered in the street. The affair happened a little too early for wasps, but the small boy was in attendance in large quantites.—*Gazette.*

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Saturday the 23rd ult., an unfortunate accident occurred on the farm of D. Connaway whereby 6 men were seriously injured and Thos. Rowan, of Erin township, will prodeply lose his life, if he is not already dead. The cause was the falling of the bent of a frame shed, which was in course of erection. The foolish custom of forming side and rushing the erection for the sake of the credit of one side winning was the cause of the melancholy occurrence. Thep ratice is to be much deprecated, and should be discontinued.—*Gazette.*

BURGLARY.--Yesterday moring Chief of Police Wilkins recieved a telegram from Shelburne stating that about sixty watches had been stolen from the store of Mr. A. V. Galbraith, watchmaker there. The Chief is on the track of the burglars, and if he gets his eagle eye on them, they will have to give up "burgling" for some time to come.—*Gazette.*

MR. Bowler, Brick Maker, has the past week got in a "Martain" Brick Machine which is capable of moulding 20,000 bricks per day. So great is the demand for this class of building material, Mr. B. found it necessary to put in machinery in order to supply the demand.

BIRTH.

RUTLEDGE—In Ohio, on the 16th April, the wife of Joseph S Rutledge, of twins, a boy and girl.

MARRIED

BATE—TAYLOR—At the residence of the brides father, on the 27th ult., by Rev. Mr. Madden, J. W. Bates furniture dealer of Flesherton, to Miss Elizabeth A. daughter, of Jeremiah Taylor of Artemesia.

DIED.

RUTLEDGE—In Ohio, on the 27th inst., Chas. W. S. son of Joseph S. Rutledge, aged 2 years 2 months.

LITTLEJOHNS—In Artemesia, on the 28th ult., Mrs. Joseph Littlejohns, aged 85 years.

A Good Chance.

To rent for one or more years, Lot 9-con. 9 Euphrasia, terms easy. 60acres in grass. Apply to,

W. J. McFARLAND.

Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

Court of Revision.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the First Court of Revision for the purpose of Revising the Assessment Roll, of the Township of Euphrasia, for the current year, will be opened for the transaction of business, at the Hall of said Township, at 10 o'clock a. m., on Saturday, the [illegible] day of May, next.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Euphrasia, 2nd May, 1881

VETERINARY.

F. J. NIXON.

Veterinary Surgeon

GRaduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to. RESIDENCE, [illegible]

35-3m.

Auction Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

Under and by virtue of powers of sale contained in mortgages, there will be sold by Public Auction, by George Noble: Auctioneer, at the Markdale Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, on

Thursday, the 26th day of MAY, A. D. 1881,

At the hour of 3 o'clock, P. M.

The following parcels of Freehold Property:

Parcel No. 1.—Lot number 69, in the third range East of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the township of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less, about 25 acres of which are cleared, well-fenced and in a good state of cultivation, the balance are covered with good hardwood timber. The buildings consist of a log house and log barn. This Lot is about one and a half miles from Berkley Station, on the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, and about 6 miles from the Village of Markdale.

Parcel No. 2.—The West half of Lot number 30, in the 12th Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less, about 20 acres of which are cleared, well-fenced and under cultivation, the balance are covered with good hardwood. The buildings consist of a log house and log barn. This Lot is about 8 miles from Flesherton Village and 3 miles from Eugenia.

Terms of Sale.—Ten per cent of purchase money down at time of sale; one-third of the remainder within one month thereafter, and the balance to remain on mortgage, or be then paid at the option of the purchaser.

The properties will be sold subject to a reserved bid.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto.

MULOCK, TILT, McARTHUR & CROWTHER,

Vendors' Solicitors.

Dated 2nd May, 1881. 35-2w.

Mortgage Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

In the Township of Artemesia

Under and by virtue of the provisoes and powers contained in two mortgages made by **Henry Williams** to the **Farmers' Loan and Savings Company,** and to **William J. McFarland** respectively, which will be produced at the time of sale and subject to conditions which will be then read, there will be sold by Public Auction by **A. S. Vandusen** Auctioneer, at **Rutledge's Hotel,** in the **Village of Markdale,** on

Monday, the 6th day of June, 1881.

At One o'clock P. M.

The following desirable farm.

Lot number *Seventeen*, in the *Thirteenth* Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres be the same more or less. There are about 60 acres of said land cleared. The buildings consist of a small log shanty. It is well watered, and within easy distance of Markdale Station.

Terms of Sale.—One half in cash at the time of sale, and the balance as may be agreed upon.

There will be a reserve bid.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, A. S. VANDUSEN, Flesherton, or to MESSRS. LANE & ROWE, Owen Sound, the Vendor's Solicitors.

LANE & ROWE,

Solicitors for the Vendor.

Dated the 6th day of May, 1881. 35-3w

Burdock BLOOD BITTERS

Osprey Court of Revision.

The Court of Revision of Assessment Roll, for the Township of Osprey, will hold its first sitting on Monday, the 30th May, at 10 a. m. in the Orange Hall, Maxwell.

Wm. MILNE

Clerk.

Maxwell 11th May 1881 35-2w.

HAGYARDS PECTORAL BALSAM

Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.

Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction. T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors Toronto.

A NEW ELECTION In Euphrasia.

THE Undersigned is prepared to advance Money on First-Class Farm Property, with large margins, at

6 Per Cent., Yearly!

ON STRAIGHT LOANS,

This is the

Lowest Rate ever offerered in the County of Grey.

OFFICES:—Lot 26, Con. 4, Euphrasia, and MEAFORD,—Next door to Royal Hotel.

N. B.—A large amount of private money to loan on

Good Notes or Second Mortgages.

E. E. KNOTT.

March 2, 1881. 25-3m

VICTORIA BUCHU & UVA URSI THE GREAT SPECIFIC DISEASES [illegible] KIDNEYS [illegible]

W. L. Smith,

GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station.

Sept. 17, 1880, 1

HILL BROS.

Wish to inform the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that they have partially opened their

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT,

And have secured the services of **MISS MULLIN,** Who from long experience in the Millinery business, will be enabled to give our friends

ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

We have partially opened, and will be fully prepared, as the season advances with all the

LATEST NOVELTIES.

Remember our goods will be

AALL NNEEWW.

We respectfully solicit a fair share from our friends and the public generally. We don't do any button-holing, but will treat all courteously when making purchases, and tust our prices will be right. Our general stock will be found

Well Assorted

as usual. We would invite an early inspection whether you want to buy or not.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, March 30th, 1881. 29-tf.

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.

LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

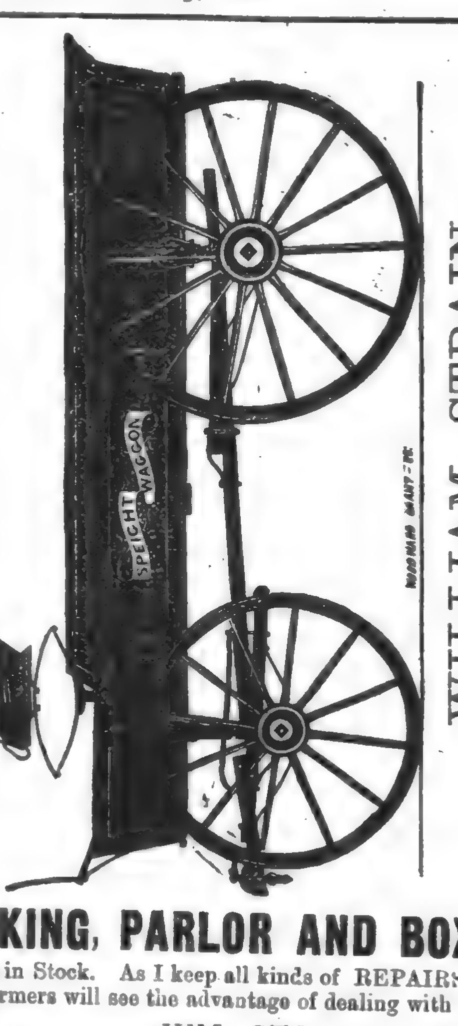
Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



WILLIAM STRAIN, Dealer in all kinds of AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS, Sewing Machines, Organs, Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 143 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING PROMPTLY DONE,

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

P. S.—Wood turner wanted to make broom handles on a gauge lathe, steady job if work satisfactory.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 25, 1880.

MARKDALE HO[illegible]

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Prop[illegible]

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected [illegible] every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. [illegible] with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all [illegible] the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid [illegible] fort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel [illegible] a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public [illegible] stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRU[illegible] CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIO[illegible]

AND

LIQUOR[illegible]

Everything First-Class, and at

RIGHT PRICES!

My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT [illegible] TER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled [illegible] section. **Old Cider equal to Champagne.**

Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTY[illegible]

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880,

MEDICAL HA[illegible]

SEEDS

FIELD SEEDS,

INCLUDING

CLOVER,

TIMOTHY,

CARROT,

MANGEL WURTZEL, &c., [illegible]

GARDEN SEEDS

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market [illegible]

A. TURNER & [illegible]

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880.

STOP. MARK. LEA[illegible]

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Mone[illegible]

R. J. SPROULE[illegible]

GREAT ANNUAL CLEARIG SALE

AT THE

POST OFFICE STOR[illegible]

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have [illegible] reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENAERL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLI[illegible]

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COS[illegible]

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the [illegible] **In GROCERIES** you will find **everything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recom[illegible] tions) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that [illegible] not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the [illegible]

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that [illegible] dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can and will [illegible]

The L west P ssible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODU[illegible]

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAI[illegible]

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring [illegible] Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh [illegible] Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make [illegible] paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quanties of

COARSE LAND SAL[illegible]

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one idvested* in it, [illegible] that every Farmer [illegible] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, [illegible] selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by [illegible] direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this [illegible] country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection [illegible] purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881

SOMETHING [illegible]

4000 Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8½, 9, 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
40 Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
300 Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
25 Dozen Table Napkin, 6¼ cents, direct from manufacturers.
75 Yards Black Broad-Cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
160 Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
48 Mens Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

[illegible] Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $[illegible].
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manfacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " " $1.50 "

W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
7611 Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brilliantean Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New [illegible] all at bottom figures.

[illegible] cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.
Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week.
All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, [illegible] Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with [illegible] all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer, Wholesale and Retai[l]

THE STANDARD.

Friday, May 13th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

MONDAY, hot.

TUESDAY, hotter.

WEDNESDAY, hottest.

THURSDAY, Hottenest.

FRIDAY, at the present time of writing, is in the future, so we can't say what it will be.

SEE Wilcox's stock of Jewellery. Some new goods.

THE Firemen of Owen Sound intend having an excursion to Meaford on the [illegible] inst.

SEVERAL communications and other articles are crowded out this week. Will appear next week.

SERVANT girl wanted, apply to Mrs. T. G. Morgan, corner of Queen and Mark streets, only one partial to children need apply.

THE first boat of this season from Manitoulin come to Owen Sound on Saturday the 7th.

A PERSON from Mindemoya, Manitoulin, who left the Island on the 6th instant informed us that their was at that date a considerable quantity of snow in low places and in the bush.

SETH Thomas Cloks. The best made. At Wilcox's.

There is to be a grand day in Markdale on the 24th. Prizes are offered for foot racing, jumping, putting the stone, Tug of war, Jig dancing &c. The committee are determined that it shall be the Boss' celebration in the county. For particulars, see posters.

The Garnett Lacros club, of Dundalk intend giving an Entertainment on Friday evening, May 20th inst., in the Orange Hall of that village, see posters for particulars.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infrungements will be prosecuted

As will be seen by posters, Mr. G. [illegible] Birth is offering his household furniture for sale, by public auction, this (Friday) afternoon at one o'clock p.m. As Mr. B. is leaving town everything will be sold without reserve, and good bargains may be expected. Terms cash.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

THE Deputation to wait upon the Governor-in-Council, in oppositton to Mr. Hendrie's views as regards the disposal of the T., G. & B. Railway, passed through on their way to Toronto yesterday and was very largely attended.

THE refreshing rains of the last few days, and the warm days since had a wonderful effect on vegetation, and it looks as if we really might say with safety that winter is over.

To HAVE your watch repaired properly, take it to W. F. Doll, Flesherton. Satisfaction guaranteed.

THE Ladies' Aid Association of the M. Church of this village will give a concert in Dufferin Hall on the evening of the 24th. A good entertainment is promised and we would recommend all to attend. Particulars next week.

ONE of our boys went home the other night, as usual, and went to bed. No sooner had he touched the bed than he was seized with a peculiar sensation. When he returned to consciousness he found himself comfortably ensconced on the floor. [CONUNDRUM] Does the fault lie with the boy, or with the hired girl?

ASK your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

WE thought sliding was ever for the season, but it appears that we were mistaken, and to prove that we were one of the men engaged in shingling the new shed just erected for the accommodation of the public patronizing the Markdale House, took a slide from the ridge pole and before he was aware of it was nicely seated on the ground. We are happy to say no damage resulted further than the party alluded to prefers standing to a sitting posture.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

FISHING is all the rage just now, even the fair sex being affected, and it is not an unusual sight to see a score or so wending their way to the fishing grounds. On Saturday last, while one of Markdale's fair daughters was thus engaged, she got a bite.—Whether the fish was too heavy, or her fear of loosing it, she plunged in is not know, but the first thing her companions knew she was seen in the water. Fortunately the young lady was tall, and the water not over deep or the result might have been serious.

HONOR ROLL OF S. S. No. 4, ARTEMESIA, FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL, 1881. Fourth Class, marks obtainable 325—1st, Jos. O. Stinson, 306; 2nd Harriet G. Armstrong, 289; 3rd, Annie [illegible], 269. Third Class, 275—1st, [illegible] Stinson, 256; 2nd, Martha Lyons, [illegible]; 3rd, Ellen J. Ross, 218. Second Class—1st, Robt. Lyons, 251; 2nd, Rachel Taylor, 246; 3rd, Howard Armstrong, 234. Sen. First Class, —1st, Jos. Armstrong, 175; 2nd, [illegible] Gillies, 167; 3rd, Wm. S. Moore, [illegible] Jun. First Class—1st, Jane [illegible], 165; 2nd, Eliza Ross, 158; [illegible] Margaret Ludlow, 146.—[illegible] Lowe, Teacher.

Marriages, Births, and Deaths inserted free of charge in the Standard. Items of news, will be gladly recieved from any of our readers and published free. Don't be afraid of bad spelling or poor grammar, we will fix that all right, "Send along the news," some one will be pleased to read it in the paper.

MR. C. W. Speers passed through here on Tuesday last, en route for England, with one hundred head of very fine cattle, which averaged about 1,500 lbs live weight, and are said to be the finest lot that ever left the County of Grey. Twelve of the said cattle turned the scales at the enormous weight of 2,100 lbs each. We understand from Mr. Speers that he leaves Montreal on to-day (Friday) by the steamer Queen King bound for London, Eng. and as this is the first direct shipment made by any indivaul from our County, we wish C. W. great success, and a pleasant voyage.

WANTED.—10,000 dozen Eggs, and 10.000 Rolls of Butter, for which the highest price will be paid. Reynolds & Son's.

THE regular quarterly meeting, together with the Dedication, of the Holland Centre, Methodist Church will take place at the above place, on Sabbath next, May 15th, Commencing at 10 o'clock a. m. Rev. Chas. Fish, chairman, of the district will conduct the service. At 6 p. m. Rev. T. B. Reid of Chatsworth will preach in the same place.

WE have to apologize to our readers for the small amount of reading matter in this week's issue, but the press of job work has been so great, that notwithstanding we have been working up to 12 o'clock every night we are unable to furnish a better baper this week.

If you want the nobbiest Dress Goods in Town, call at Reynolds & Son's.

MR. Thos. McNea, of the steam sash, door, plaining & shingle factory started last Wednesday, for the North shore, for a Schooner load of pine lumber.

FOR No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE and other machine oils, try Haskett Bros.

A. G. HUNTER, Estate & Loan Agent, recieved 88 lbs of mail matter from the Dundalk Post Office on Wednesday, the 27th day of April, which can be certified by the Post Master.

FOR Bird Cages, and Croquet sets, call at J. W. Bates, Flesherton.

THE value of medicens compounded by a thoroughly educated physician and scientific chemist must be apparent to all. As such we take pleasure in commending Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cathartic pills. Public confidence in them has steadily increased until now their use can be said to be universal. Great and permanent popularity does not come without great merit. Our experience convinces us that Ayer's Pills are superior to any others in all the use for which a cathartic medicine is employed. They are pleasent to take, and are perfectly safe, sure and effectual. Ayer's Pills satisfy all the requirements of a reliable family physic and their timely use undoubtedly prolongs many lives and promotes the health and comfort of thousands.—*Northern Ohio Democrat.*

DUNDALK.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

MR. JOHN GARDINER is building a fine store 22 feet by 60 feet, to be occupied by him as a store.

Mr. Hicks has rented his large Brick for a flour and feed store to a Mr. Farrel of Arthur. Just what's wanted.

Messrs. McCullough & Graham have made a decided improvement in front of their premises by placing a sidewalk ten feet wide instead of the former six foot one.

Mr. Ketchum is very actively engaged in preparing the ground and material for the erection of his tannery. He is also buying all the hides offered.

Mr. Cloughly is still improving the Dundalk grist mill by adding a bran duster and an apparatus for making oatmeal.

The editor of the Flesherton *Advance* paid our village a visit a few days ago and was surprised to find such a large place, and regretted he had not started his paper in Dundalk.

Butter and Eggs are taken at par in exchange for goods in all the stores in the village.

The T., G. & B. Ry. Co'y have cleaced the station yard of ties, distributing them below Orangeville.

Quite a movement here for tan bark.

DUNDALK DIVISION SONS OF TEMPERANCE No. 410.—The above Division has been re-organized. The following are the officers elected:—Bro. Rev. J. S. Eakins, W. P.; Sister Potter, W. A.; Bro. J. J. Crombie, R. S.; Sister S. J. Graham, A. R. S.; Bro. J. Simington, Treas.; Bro. T. Hanbury, F. S.; Bro. Rev. A. Potter, Chaplain; Bro. Sutton, Conductor; Sister Hanbury, A. C.; Bro. Whitby, J. S.; Bro. F. Middleton, O. S.; Bro. P. McGregor, P. W. P.; Bro. T. Hanbury, D. G. W. P. Division opens with a good membership. Night of meeting, Friday evening.

No less than three Newspaper men visited our town last Friday & Saturday viz:—Mr. Cuttle of the Gazette Orangeville, Mr. Fawcett, Flesherton, and Mr. Rutledge, of the Markdale Standard. Our town must be rising in importance in the estimation of the above class of business men, and will no doubt in the near future have a paper as well as places of less business. In the mean time the Markdale Standard man holds the fort.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

$2 Watches. Stem winders $[illegible]. White metal Hunting Case [illegible] for your own use or speculative purposes. [illegible] New York.

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham st., N. Y.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau street, New York. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, April 29, 1881.

Flour	5.0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	0.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.08; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.oo; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.oo to 7.5o; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, April 28th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.30	"	0.3o
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	8.00
Timothy seed,	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Wool	0.28	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

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Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

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Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS are the only Boots worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust that all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, April 26, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1	06 to $1	10
Wheat, spring, do.	1	10 to 1	18
Barley, do.	0	79 to 0	91
Oats, do.	0	39 to 0	40
Peas, do.	0	63 to 0	67
Rye, do.	0	80 to 0	80
Clover Seed do.	o	oo to 0	00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7	50 to 8	00
Beef, hind quarters	6	00 to 7	oo
Beef, fore quarters	3	00 to 4	oo
Chickens, per pair	o	6o to 0	70
Fowls, do.		40 to 0	4o
Ducks, per brace		5o to 0	6o
Geese, each		50 to 0	6o
Turkeys	1	00 to 1	75
Butter, large rolls		12 to 0	15
Butter, tub dairy		17 to 0	22
Butter, store-packed		18 to 0	20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o	13 to 0	14
Eggs, packed	o	00 to 0	00
Apples, per brl	1	oo to 1	5o
Potatoes, per bag	0	50 to 0	65
Onions, per bag	2	o0 to 2	50
Hay	8	50 to 14	25

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 1o;3o a. m.; 28th, 6.3o p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:3o p. m.; 12th, 1o;3o a. m.; 19th, 1o:3o a. m.; 27th, 6:3o p. m. Sabbath School, 2:3o p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every sabbath at 1o:3o a. m., and 6:3o p. m. Sabbath School at 2:3o p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:3o. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

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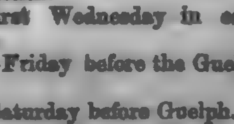
Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 1o:3o a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:3o p. m. Sabbath School at 2:3o p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:3o p. m.

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS.

Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

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Markdale, Sept. 17. 1880. 1-y

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.
Berlin—First Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

A CARD OF THANKS.

Brooklin, March 30th, 1881.

To Mr. S. BEAL, Agent Dominion Grange Mutual Insurance Association.

SIR,—I have to thank you for your care in the general selection of risks in your Company, and the directors, for careful management, by which has been secured such an excellent financial standing in four years.

I was one of the first insured in the Company, to the amount of $800, I paid $6, and gave an undertaking besides. My undertaking has been returned to me unassessed, and eighty cents in cash paid back. I have thus secured the most reliable insurance of $800 for four years for five dollars and twenty cents, or sixty cents on the $100 insurance.

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Yours truly,
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ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

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AND REMOVED TO THE

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Estimate of supplies Given on Application.

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Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 15, 1818. 1-ly

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17. 1880.

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50 ACRES, nearly all cleared and free of stumps, 1½ miles from Markdale.

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 4th, 1881. 30-3i

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There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, inside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm. Cedar sufficient for fencing; balance of farm hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good markets, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

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Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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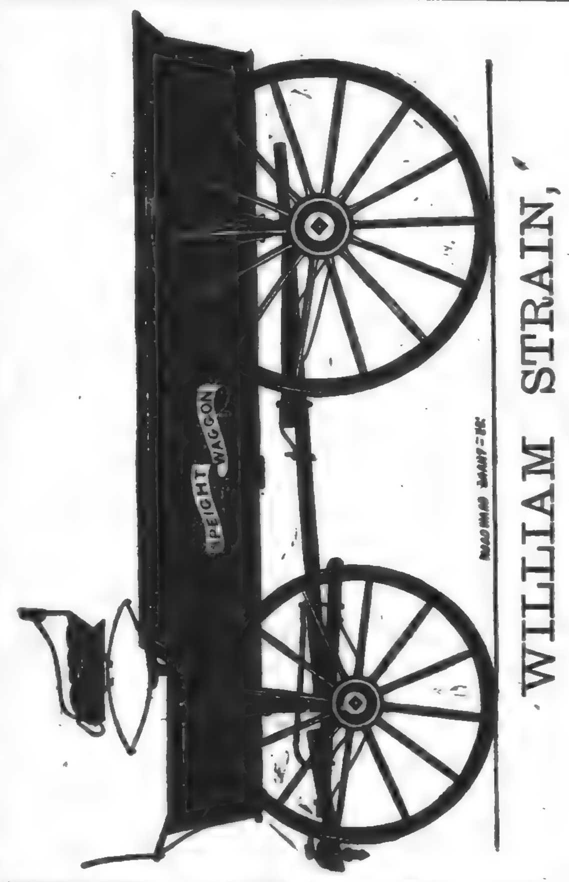

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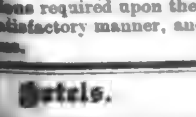

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Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF PROTON

The Court of Revision for the Township of Proton, for the current year, 1881 will be held at Hopeville, in Mr. J. A. Scarlett's Hall, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1881 of which all parties interested will please take notice, and govern themselves accordingly. The Court will open at 10 a. m.

JOHN VERT.
Township Clerk
Proton May 1881 5th 34

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Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

THE OLD PARISHIONER AND THE MODERN PARSON.

[BY MARGARET ...]

"Why, John, I haven't seen your face
In church for weeks, I know."
"No, sir, it's such a queerish place—
When it's restored I'll go."

"When it's restored! Why, John, you've seen
The chancel that's just built—
With painted windows, carved oak screen,
And reredos all of gilt.

"With decoration it abounds,
There's a new altar too.
The organ cost three hundred pounds,
It's all restored quite new."

"Yes, ...old Ned, the other day—
What had a stroke, I mean—
He's quite restored to health they say.
But ... gone clean.

"Dark windows may be beautiful
For them as likes the look;
But I, with old eyes getting dull,
Want light to read my book.

"When I was young (you'd think it odd),
The ... climbed in ...
They ... made me think of God
And all His tender care.

"But now if I look up, I greet
Them figures done in paints;
I'd go a long way not to meet
Saints, if such folks be saints."

"Ah, John, they didn't teach high art
When you were put to school;
But how do you like the singing part—
Come, that's a better rule?"

"Why, sir, they're thinking far too much
How tunes go now-a-days;
Give me the old hundredth psalm and such,
That's more what I call praise.

"We used to sing it—such a crowd—
Maybe the notes weren't true;
Maybe we sung a bit too loud,
Because our hearts sang too.

"But now grandson—pert young lad—
He says he's got much higher;
Says he, 'You're not to sing, granddad,
You'll interrupt the choir.'

"'You thinks a deal about that thing,
The choir,' says I to him;
But I can't see why you can't sing
Without your bedgown, Jim.'

"New chancel's mighty fine, but ne'er
Can we make out, who knows
What's gone with the Commandments there—
What have you done with those?

"You're all for pretty tiles and bricks,
For carving gilt and scroll;
What good could them tall candlesticks
Do to a poor lost soul?

"Sir, there's a many things restored
No use to such as me;
We want to hear about the Lord,
You only talk of She!

"We used to pray the prayers, and then
The parson prayed from heart;
Now, you all seem to think 'Amen'
The most important part.

"But, sir, I scarcely like telling you
How it sounds when you intones."
"Well, John, what is it like? Speak true."
"Machine what grinds the bones!

"We had a minister once, sir—
'Twas long before you came—
A man that was a minister,
Not only in the name.

"Your decorations, copes and stoles,
He didn't need such aid;
He cared too much for our poor souls
To think how his gown was made.

"I've seen him pleading with us thus,
With tears in eyes he stood;
Somehow those tears preached more to us
Than twenty sermons could.

"The rich and poor came far and near,
The church would overflow;
It's getting full again I hear—
Folks come to see the Show.

"Now it's most like the play I see
In London town one day,
All very well for a play, maybe,
But not for prayer, I say.

"Do you think, sir, such a queerish whim
Can please the Lord, forsooth?
He said—we were to worship Him
In spirit and in truth.

"So that's why I don't come, you know;
I will when it's restored;
But now, sir, I don't dare to go,
Because I fears the Lord."

CASTING A MONSTER CYLINDER.

FORTY FIVE TONS OF MOLTEN METAL SUCCESSFULLY POURED INTO A MOULD.

[From the N. Y. Times.]

What is declared to be the largest steam-engine cylinder in the world was cast yesterday afternoon in the Morgan Iron Works of John Roach & Son, at the foot of East Ninth Street. It is 18 feet long, 9 feet 2 inches in diameter, and required for its casting 45 tons, or 90,000 pounds, of gun-metal. It is intended to accommodate a piston stroke of 14 feet. The metal in the thinnest part is 1¾ inches thick, and the flanges at the top and bottom are 2¾ inches thick by 5¾ inches wide. Under the top flange the cylinder has a belt 16 inches wide, another 6 inches wide above the bottom flange, and between these two three more belts, each 6 inches in width. The thickness of the metal at the belts is 2¼ inches. A nozzle for the upper steam-chest is cast on the cylinder, with an opening 14¼ by 68 inches, the metal on the top of this nozzle being 1¾ inches in thickness, and on the sides and bottom 1¼ inches. The casting of this massive piece of work was done in a mould constructed of brick, lined with loam, the outside being covered with heavy iron plates to prevent the matrix from bursting when the molten metal was poured in. The mould is constructed of one cylinder of brick and loam within another, the space between them being the required thickness of the casting, the flanges, belts, and other parts of the work being accurately delineated in the matrix. Over half the mould was sunk in the solid earth which forms the flooring of the iron works. It required the metal 3 hours and 20 minutes to melt, and the 90,000 pounds were then transferred by the labor of 100 men to two huge tank-ladles, each having a capacity of about 15 tons, and two large crane-ladles. The tanks were connected with the mould by pipes, and the crane-ladles were attached to huge cranes. At 1 o'clock John Roach, who personally supervised the casting, gave the order to begin the pouring. The molten metal was turned into the mould from the two tanks on either side, and at the same time the two crane-ladles were swung over, and from all four a red stream of liquid metal began to flow into the matrix. The air of the room became so heated that it was with great discomfort that the few gentlemen who were invited to witness the casting were able to remain. Among the guests was Mr. Borden, the agent of the Old Colony Steamboat Company, and according to his timing it took precisely two and a half minutes to complete the pouring and fill the mould. The operation was watched attentively by Mr. Roach and his foreman, and when it was completed, both pronounced the casting to have been successful. It will require about ten days for the metal thoroughly to cool, and for several days it will remain red hot. When perfectly solidified, the upper part of the mould will be demolished, and the cylinder will then be dug from its resting place in the ground. It is intended for the engine of a new sidewheel steamer.

REMEDY FOR SCARLET FEVER.

Dr. E. Woodruff, for nineteen years a practising physician at Grand Rapids, Michigan, furnishes the Springfield *Republican* with the following remedy for that much dreaded disease, the scarlet fever:

"Wash the child from head to foot with strong soda water, warm, then wipe dry. Then immediately bathe freely with oil from beef marrow or oil from butter, applied freely. Then give freely catnip tea, or some good sweatening article, pennyroyal, etc. Repeat every half hour, or as often as they get worrisome or wakeful, and in one or two days they will be entirely cured.

I have been called to cases where they have been fully broken out, and in this way entirely cured in twenty-four hours. I have had thirty cases on hand at a time, and never lost a case in my life. But now I am old and about to give up my business, and I see by the papers the town is infected with the epidemic I wish to do all the good I can. It is so simple. You do not need to call a doctor. A good nurse can attend to them. If by opening the pores of the skin and sweating you can let off the poison, which is an animalcule, or animal in the blood, the cure is complete.

The same is equally good in fevers of all kinds, hard colds and coughs. I take the ground that all diseases are caused by a stoppage of the pores of the skin, retaining the poison, or living animals in the blood, and all you have to do at first is to open the doors of the system and let them out, or drive them out. All people know a warm bath is good. But you apply the oil to the skin and it keeps the pores open for a long time and gives the enemy a chance to get out. I hope all will try it and they will soon be convinced."

CONFIDENTIAL.

The other morning when Mr. Jones entered his family drug store to have a prescription put up he found a new clerk in attendance. Mr. Jones has considerable curiosity, and while he waited he began:

"Been here long?"
"Only two days."
"Going to stay?"
"I think so."
"Old clerk gone for good?"
"Yes."
"Come from New York?"
"No. I came from St. Louis."
"Didn't like the town, I suppose?"
"Oh, fairly."
"Got a better offer here, I presume?"
"Well, not much better."
"Druggist related to you?"
"No."
"Going to marry his daughter?"
"Haven't thought of it."

There was a brief rest until the clerk had finished his labors, and then he beckoned Mr. Jones into the back room and said:

"You look like a person who can be depended on, and I'll tell you in confidence why I came here. I liked St. Louis, and I had good wages, but I happened to kill three or four persons by putting up wrong prescriptions, and I thought a change of location would relieve my sorrow. This is on the square, you know, and nothing is to be said unless I lay out two or three of your leading citizens, in which case I shall give up the drug business altogether and go sailing a sand barge."

Jones went out feeling his left ear and looking into vacancy, and his sore throat got well without the help of the gargle.

LAUGHTER IN CHURCH.

The Shrewsbury *Chronicle* says:—"On Sunday last, an announcement, which caused some amusement to the congregation, was made in a church which is situated in the northwesterly suburb, and outside the boundary of the borough. The clergyman had just given out, among other announcements, that in the afternoon a christening service would be held, and that parents desiring to have their children christened must bring them to the church before 3 p.m., when the clerk, who is a little deaf, convulsed the congregation by solemnly adding, that those who had not got them could be supplied with them in the vestry after the service at sixpence each. It transpired that the clerk thought the clergyman had announced that he intended to adopt a new hymn book at the Easter services—hence the grotesque blunder."

And old couple were walking down street the other day, reading signs when they ran across one "Johnson's Shirt Store." "Well I declare?" exclaimed the old lady. "I wonder who tore it?"

A young woman of Springfield, Mass., was determined to circumvent a young man whom she suspected of a desire to escort her home from the Baptist church sociable. The entertainment was held in the basement and she laid a plan to gain the audience room above by means of the back stairs and to escape thence to the street while her would-be cavalier was preparing to pounce upon her at the basement door. All went well until a false step in the darkness sent her splashing into the baptistry, which had remained open since the previous Sunday.

SAVED BY HER CALVES.

The utility of a pair of patent sawdust calves was strikingly illustrated last Saturday in Philadelphia. Shortly after 4 o'clock in the afternoon a mad cur, pursued by two perspiring policemen, dashed into Eighth street from Walnut and caused such a flutter among the petticoats as that locality has seldom witnessed. Among the femininity that was bouncing along was a nymph who flings her shapely legs before the footlights of the Grand Central theater. This female could not face a rabid canine, so she bundled up her petticoats and made a dash with the others for safety. Her legs, which had served her so well before, did not go back on her this time, for the mad dog, probably attracted by the development below the knee, drove his poisonous fangs into her stocking and went howling on. The ballet dancer, more dead than alive, was dragged into a drug-store, where an eager and anxious crowd of men examined her legs. Their fears were allayed, however when the discovery was made that the canine had only destroyed the sawdust padding which the young woman had tied to a lean shank to give it roundness and attractiveness. The eager anxious and solicitous men departed much sadder and a heap wiser.

ROASTED TO DEATH.

An accident occurred here at an early hour this morning which resulted in the terrible death of a father and son. David Reese and family resided at about three miles from this place. Between 1 and 2 o'clock this morning their house was discovered to be on fire. The sleeping apartments were filled with smoke and the occupants were awakened with great difficulty. The family escaped from the burning building at the risk of their lives. Mr. Reese and his son then made an effort to save some necessary clothing, when suddenly and while they were inside, the building fell in with a crash upon them, the flaming timbers covering them and roasting them to death. One loud, terrible cry was heard, and then all was over. Mrs. Reese also narrowly escaped with her life, but was terrible burned about her hands and feet while fighting her way out of the flames. Hundreds of neighbors soon flocked to the scene of the terrible disaster, and when the flames had got down the bodies of the victims were removed from the ashes. The cause of the fire is unknown.

PROPOSED REVISION OF THE PSALMS IN METRE.

At the meeting of the Synod of Toronto and Kingston of the Presbyterian Church in Canada on Wednesday an overture was read from Brock Street Church, Kingston, representing that the General Assembly should be overtured to take action looking to providing a new version of the Psalms in metre, as the present version, owing to faults in metre, could not well be used in the churches. This overture was submitted to the Presbytery of Kingston, and by them referred to the synod in 1879; but it was not considered until 1880, when it was laid on the table for the year. Rev. Andrew Wilson, of Brock Street Church Kingston, said the revision han been adopted by the United Presbyterian Church of America and by the Presbyterian Church in Ireland. There were many obsolete terms used in the revision in use in Canada. To say nothing of errors in translation. There was also lack of variety in metre, giving no opportunity of singing many tunes with which the people were familiar. He believed the revision in use by the North American Church was a very good one, and he would be glad to see it adopted. After some discussion the overture was laid on the table.

A newly-married couple at the Cleveland railroad station amused the passengers. It was evident, says a local reporter, that they were slowly consuming by a terrible burning of the unquenchable flame of young love. They wandered to and fro along the entire length of the station, the one arm of the swain encircling the waist of Mrs. Swain, and the other bearing their luggage, a three-pound Saratoga. After exercising sufficiently they repaired to the waiting-room, and there whiled away the remaining time before the arrival of the train by billing, cooing, caressing and kissing, until even the clerk in the fruit stand smiled. He was politely told by the man with the wife that he was lacking sense. Several others who didn't know what love is, were also unable to suppress their merriment. As excess of feeling, no matter of what kind, will turn on the faucet to the fountain of tears, this young couple wept copiously. At last the train arrived and the loving pair departed. No doubt the passengers on the train received their money's worth of amusement during the ride.

HEROIC RESCUE.—On Monday afternoon, a fishing boat from Big Island arrived off Southampton, but owing to the large quantity of loose ice she could not make the harbor. After making several attempts to land, she got fastened in the ice, and all on board would have perished but for the aid rendered them by three fishermen of the port, named Frank Coosley, M. Murray, and George Dobson, who procured a small boat, and managed to drag it three miles over the ice, until they reached them. On getting to the boat they found it contained three persons, two men and one woman, all of whom would have perished with cold before morning. The woman was perfectly helpless. Great praise is due to the men, who so bravely risked their lives to save those in distress.—*Pt. Elgin Free Press*

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

"Miss Desmond, have you been frightened? What is it?" he asked greatly alarmed by her look.

She burst into a wild laugh.

"You—you!" she cried. "Save me!"—and she fell suddenly into his arms. She had fainted.

Distressed and alarmed as he was a sensation of sudden rapture passed through the tutor's frame as he clasped her. It was a keen delight to support this beautiful girl in his arms with her head resting upon his breast; but he would not yield to his selfish pleasure for a moment and he shouted for assistance. In a few second the whole party responded to his call. Lucy ran instantly with Mr. Quarles to the sexton's house, which was near at hand, for the key of the vestry into which the gentlemen then bore Glorvina, placed her by Eva's directions flat on the floor, and sprinkled her face with water, while Eva and Lucy rubbed her hands. At length Glorvina opened her eyes with a deep sigh, and gazed round with bewildered look.

"Where am I?" she asked.

"Quite safe under the church roof," replied James gently.

"Oh"—sitting up and pushing the hair from her forehead—"I have been ill, I think!"

"Yes dear you fainted," said Eva tenderly. "Are you better?"

"Much better—quite well," replied the girl, making an effort to rise, in which Mr. Surridge assisted her. "What an absurd illness! I never fainted before in my life."

"Did you see anything dear Glora, that frightened you?" asked her cousin.

Glorvina started, shuddered voilently, and turned still whiter than she had been before.

"No questions now, if you please, Miss Coghlan," interupted James. "We had better get Miss Desmond home at once."

Glorvina readily agreed to the proposal, accepted the tutor's arm, and the party considerably mystified and puzzled, turned to the house.

Mrs. Coghlan was frightened when Glorvina, deathly pale, was led into the drawing room, and at once hushing all inquires she took her up to her room. The others stood round the fire, puzzled and bewildered; but James noticed that Captain Leicester was still by Eva's side, soothing her alarm with very lover-like devotion.

"I can't imagine what Glorvina has seen," said Lucy Walker. "Something horrible, I am sure. She is so brave and strong that it must have been something supernatural to have started her."

But no one knew. Mrs. Coghlan returned to say that Glorvina was better, and would not appear that night.

"And indeed," she added, "it is time all you foolish young people went to bed also, for it is past one."

To Eva it was a relief to say good-night to the guests, and she ran off to see how Glorvina was; but she did not, to her surprise, find her in her chamber. She hastened at once to her mother's room.

"Mamma, where is Glorvina?"

"She is with your father in the study dear. She will be up by-and-by; and Eva, ask her no questions to-night."

Eva promised, though she was a very martryr to curiosity, and, returning to her cousin's room, waited patiently till Glorvina very pale and exhausted, appeared; then she made haste to undress her and get her into bed; and by that time Mrs. Coghlan appeared with a glass of wine-and water, which she insisted on Glorvina drinking. The girl meekly obeyed her, and then, sinking wearily back on her pillow, closed her eyes with a deep sigh.

"Let her sleep. Go to your room at once, Eva," commanded her mother. "I will sit with Glory a little while. Good-night dear." And, kissing her daughter, Mrs. Coghlan dismissed her.

CHAPTER. VII.

"If you please Mr. Surridge, will you go to papa in the study?" asked Teddy at his tutor's door, before James was dressed the next morning.

"I will go directly," was the repy; and the young clergyman, hurrying his toilet, was in two or three minutes in Mr. Coghlan's study, and he found that gentleman with a very harassed look on his face.

"Good morning, Mr. Surridge," he said. "You found Glorvina, I hear last night doing those absurd rites. Did you see anything that might have frightened the girl?"

"Nothing," replied the tutor.

"Nor hear anything."

"Yes, I heard a most painful wail or cry—I suppose it saw Miss Desmond's scream of terror."

Mr. Coghlan shook his head.

"No," he said; "she heard it also. The fact is, my dear fellow, she has been dreadfully alarmed. A figure appeared to her, she tells me, with floating hair, a death like-face, and blood-stained white robe, and told her that Death, not a lover, was on her footsteps—that unless Dan O'Rourke were saved not one of this family would be alive at Christmas."

"Good Heaven!" ejaculated the astonished tutor.

"It is a fact. But you and I who know of the late warning can read the mystery aright. The supposed banshee—for it was evidently an imitation one—was no doubt an accomplice of the O'Rourke faction, and the warning was thus impressed the lady as their last chance. Moreover Glory is rich and patriotic, and they have not miscalculated on its possible effect on her. She came to me last night to implore me not to appear against Dan O'Rourke. But of course I must. Honour and duty command it. And ... sacred to an ... Irishman ...

"Why, ... words!" exclaimed Mr. Coghlan. "And indeed, I think you're been right in a way—an Irish way at least"—laughing. "And now I must entreat you, while I am absent to take great care of my treasures, Surridge. Don't let them venture beyond the grounds; and if you want another man ask Tim O'Brien to come and spend a night or two here."

"No! Mr. Coghlan," said the tutor firmly, "if you will allow me to advise you, you will not think of having Mr. O'Brien as a guard here; he is reckless, careless, reckless. We shall be safer alone; or if we need more hands, there is a man on the farm we can trust."

"As you please," assented the Squire. "I have no great liking for Tim myself; but I should not hesitate to make him useful, and he is a strong fellow. Well, now to breakfast with what appetite we may."

Miss Desmond did not appear at breakfast, and the other members of the party were rather late. The guests were to leave that morning—except Lucy—and it was decided that they should all accompany their host to the town where he would take the Doublin coach. The tutor requested Mr. Coghlan to allow him to accompany them.

"I have some purchases to make," he stated; "and as I do not wish to leave the Priory again until you return I had better go to day."

Mr. Coghlan assented; and after their farewells had been said, they drove off all together in the old and seldom-used family coach. O'Brien and Captain Leicester both offered their services to the Squire in taking care of the ladies during his absence.

"Thank you both," he said cheerily. "I shall be obliged if you will keep an eye on them; but they are quite safe with my friend Surridge."

The tutor saw Mr. Coghlan safely off by the coach, and then went about his own purchases. They were of a rather singular description. He went to an ironmonger's and inquired if his order sent by post had been executed. Yes, half a dozen thin, but strong iron bars and staples were ready. When should the tradesman send to fix them? His customer—who was absolutely unknown personally to him—would take them himself. He would also take a supply of nails, screws and a screw-driver sent to the Shamrock Inn for him.

The order was duly executed for him, and the family coach thus laden carried the tutor back to the Priory. He ordered the footman to take the packages to his own room, and then joined the family. He was glad to see that Miss Desmond was with them e but it was a very pale Glorvina who rose and gave him her hand.

Then he had to relate how Mr. Coghlan had gone off, and how the town looked; he also produced a newspaper and the last new book, which had been one of his thoughtful purchase for Mrs. Coghlan and the ladies. Nor had he forgotten a puzzle for Teddy and a doll for Norah.

The tutor, at Mr Coghlan's request had moving to, and was to remain during his absence in, a guest-chamber on the west side of the house which commanded the great stair-case and from which also he could see all over the great centre inner court.

When moved his books and wardrobe, assisted by Teddy, the boy had persuaded him to go and look at the "haunted rooms," as they called them—on the north side. They were gloomy, lacking sun, and the furniture was old and mouth-eaten. The rooms opened into each other, with havy massiven oaken doors. Ode windows did not look out upon the inner court as the south bed-room did, but upon the park.

"They are awful dull rooms, ain't they?" said Teddy. "Norah and I very seldom play here, though we have never seen gosts."

"What heavy doors!" observed the tutor, "But they are without fastenings, it would be impossible to break them open, I should thik."

The boy did not answer him; indeed the words scarcely seemed to be aedressed to him. The tutor went the end window of the last chamber—it had two—and, opening the lattice gazed out and downward. It appeared to be placed at an immense height up. The old moat had been filled in at the north-west corner, and its great depth made the window higher by twenty feet than it would otherwise have been.

"Are the rooms below them used?"

"Oh, no, sir!" said the boy. "They are just like prisons, with great bars of iron at the window. They have not been used since Lord Edward's time, Murphy says. They can't be even made into store-rooms, they are so damp; but you can see them if you like."

The tutor declined the offer; but from that day he resolved to turn the upper north rooms to account; and Mr. Coghlan's absence gave him the desired opporunity.

The morning after the gentlmam's departure, James Surridge rose at day-break; and before breakfast had conveyed his yesterday's purchases of bolts, bars, screws, and nails to the haunted rooms. His idea was to make the apartments by these fastenings useful as a fortress, should the house at any time be attacted by the rebels, who would then have nine doors to burst open before they could reach the family in the last room, affording an amount of delay which might bring succour.

When Teddy started off, after his lessons, to play with Norah, the tutor at once proceeded to exert his skill as a putter-on of staples and bolts; and he was not a bad workman. He had succeded in completing four of these sets of fastenings and was about to commence the fifth, when a light footstep struck on his ears and looking up, he percieved Miss Desmond standing looking at him in utter amazement.

(*To be continued.*)

The only living representative of Sir Walter Scott's family is a great-granddaughter in her twenty-ninth year, residing at Abbotsford.

"What is your wife's particular little game?" asked a friend of a hen-pecked husband. "When she gets thoroughly mad," he answered. "It's draw poker."

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96 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " " $1.50 "

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W. J. McFARLAND, Importer Wholesale and ...

THE STANDARD.

Friday, May 20th, 1881.

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THE new Methodist Hymn Book, is for sale, at Wilcox, The Jeweller.

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THE account of the Necktie Social held on Friday last is unavoidably crowded out. Will appear next week.

KIMBERLY correspondence came ot hand when going to press. Will appear next week.

Mr Alex Rutledge paid $700 instead of $500 stated in our columns a week ago. Our mistake.

MESSR Hill Bros. have opened out their spring stock of Millinery, and solicit an inspection of the same advertisment next week.

Mr McNea has returned from the north shore, and has now a schooner load of lumber at Owen Sound on its way to Markdale.

A steam saw mill is to be built this season opposite McNea's Factory by an extensive lumber dealer from Hanover.

PARTIES, wanting pasture for their cattle can be accommodated by applying to Isaac Brown. Good feed and plenty of water. For terms, see hand bills.

Great preparations are being made by the committee of management, for the celebration of the Queen's Birthday The athletic sports with be held on the old ground.

To let people know that you are in business, there is nothing like advertising, and Mr. Geo. Noble sees the truth of this. Read his advertisment in another column.

ASK your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

J. J. WHITE, Dentist, of Owen Sound, will be at the Revere Hotel on Wednesday, May 25th inst., those requiring his service, will bear it in mind.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

There is to be an unreserved sale of furniture and other household effects belonging to Mr. G. J. Blyth at the Revere Hotel on the morning of the 24th. Parties wanting good furniture at a bargain will do well to attend.

ALWAYS original, and copying after none, W. J. McFarland offers one lot Ladies black Silk Jackets for $1 each, 60 pairs kid Balmoral Boots $1.50 per pair; 60 pairs kid shoes $1.25 per pair; 1.000 pards print 5 cents; 1.000 yards 12½ cents. First choice always the best. They are selling fast.

The proprietor of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS challenges the world to produce the record of a medicine that has achieved a more wonderful success, or better credentials in so short a period of time as has this great BloodPurifier and System Renovator. Its cures are the marvels of the age. Sample Bottles 10 cents.

WE would call special attention to the advertisment of Mr. Geo. Nixon, of Dundalk to be found on our third page. We have not room this week to speak of Mr. Nixon's establishment as it deserves but would recommend all who want a first class article, at a fair price, to give him a call.

An honest medicine is the noblest work of man- and their is no remedy that is more justly meritorious in 'curing the ills that flesh is heir to' than Burdock Blood Bitters, the Great Blood Purifier and System Renovator ... Liver Complaint, Dys[illegible] ... Kidney, Com[illegible] ... arising from ... [illegible] bowels or disordered secretions, and the best Nervine and Tonic in the world.

WANTED.—10.000 dozen Eggs, and 10.000 Rolls of Butter, for which the highest price will be paid. Reynolds & Son's.

THE Ladies Aid of the C. M. Church Markdale hold their annual Bazaar and concert on the 24th inst. There will also be a dinner in conection with the Bazaar. The dinner and Bazar will be held in the frame building next the STANDARD Office and the concert in Dufferin Hall. Dinner 25c Concert 25c. Tickets for concert and dinner 40c. For particulars see posters.

For all purposes of a family medicine HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL will be found invaluable. Immediate relief will follow its use. It relieves pain, cures chilblains, frostbites, scalds burns, corns, rheumatism, neuralgia, &c., &c. For internal, use it is none the less wonderful. One or two doses frequently cure sore throat. It will cure croup in a few minutes. A few bottles has often cured asthma. Colic has been cured in fifteen minutes by a teaspoonful dose. It cures with the utmost rapidity. It is really a wonderful medicine.

As a health renewer Burdock Blood Bitters acts like a charm. In Malaria, Bilious Complaints, Scrofula and all disorders of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys, this great combination of Vegetable Medicines proves a certain specific. A few doses regulate the bowels and as a restorative Tonic it has no equal. Trial Bottles 10 Cents.

TEACH THE BOYS TO BE HELPFUL.—You make a mistake, mother, when you teach Jennie always to put her things in their right place, but permit Joseph to leave his lying anywhere. Do not wait so much on the boys. There should be one rule in the household, so far as order is concerned, for sons and daughters, not, as so often their are two very dissimilar rules. Let the boys learn to make beds, and set the table, to help about the house, it will make them not less manly, but more gentlemanly.

Burdock Blood Bitters is not a Whiskey Stimulant or fancy drink to pander to the depraved appetite of the intemperate, but a pure vegetable life-giving Tonic and regulator of the Secretions. It acts promptly on the Bowels, the Liver, the Blood and the Kidneys, purifying and giving tone to the entire system. Try a Sample Bottle which costs only 10 Cents Large Bottles $1.00.

Neither the syndicate, the Scott Act, or the Irish question cause half the sensational comment, that is caused by the popularity of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. This great remedy is marvellous in its success in curing Chronic disease when other medicines have failed. It is the best Blood Purifying Tonic and Liver Invigorator known. A specific for all diseases of Blood, Liver and Kidneys. Sample Bottles 10 cents.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

WEATHER fine.

SEEDING about over.

MR McGREGOR is putting a planer in his saw mill just what is wanted.

BUILDING has fairly commenced and bids fair to be extensive this season.

EUGENIA.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

A GREAT deal of the fall wheat in this section of the country has had to be ploughed up, and the ground is being re-sown with Spring Wheat or Barley. This is going to entail a heavy loss to farmers, as a greater area of fall wheat was sown than in previous years. Those who have been lucky enough to sow late will not suffer so bad. Should other causes of loss not interfere farmers are working their level best both man and beast to catch up with the season.

Although Eugenia is not one of the fastest go-ahead towns in the world it can claim its share of enterprise when the Fishing season comes round. From the numerous spots dug behind old buildings, old logs turned over, and every conceivable place where angleworms are supposed to hide, one would suppose a good trade was being done in that line, and that the unwary worm must have a hard time of it. We seldom hear anything in the way of the Big Fish yarns that reach us from some of the more ambitious little towns around us.

Farmers are becoming alive to the importance of improving their breeds of cattle, sheep, &c. The age of scrubs is surely doomed, and high time it is.

The potato bug may now be seen around the fields no doupt prospecting in regard to future operations. Who in the world invented Tatey Bugs, anyhow?

COURTS OF REVISION.

The court of Revision for the Township of Osprey, Euphrasia, Glenelg Artemesia will be held on the following dates.

OSPREY.—On the 30th May, inst., in the Orange Hall, Maxwell.

EUPHRASIA.—on the 28th of May, inst., in the Township Hall.

GLENELG.—On the 30th of may, in the Township Hall.

ARTEMESIA.—On June 6th in the Town Hall, Flesherton.

SEVERAL communications and other articles left over till next week.

NOTICE.—Strayed from his home, near Dundalk on the 7th May, a young man of unsound mind, aged 24; Dark complection dark mustache, dressed in drab drill trousers, Grey flannel shirt, straw hat, without coat or vest. Any person who can give any information as to his where-abouts, will confer a great favor to his father.—WM BOWLES Dundalk P. O. county of Grey.

COLLAPSE OF A BUILDING.—A two story brick building occupied by Messrs Grant & Chellew as a Furniture Factory collapsed on Wednesday, the south wall falling outward and going into the cellar recently dug for the new Brick block of Messrs Reid and McDougal. It is generally supposed it was caused by removing too much of the earth from the foundation, while digging the cellar above mentioned, Mr Chellew was in the building at the time, and had a miraculous escape. Persons outside hearing the cracking called to him to run out, which he did promptly and had just succeeded in reaching the door when the building fell. Considerable of the Furniture was irretrievably ruined, and most of it more or less damaged. We haved not learned what Messrs Grant and Chellew's loss is. The building is owned by Mr Wilson Benson who estimates his loss at about $800.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood. that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—It is indeed rare that a "Director" of any Society appears in public to criticize his compeers, but still more surprising that one who was representative for others regarding the matter of which he complains, and a consenting party to the settlement should so act.

Will it believed that this matter, in which "A Director" speaks so hard of his fellow-directors, was laid before the Commissioner of Agriculture all the evidence possible was had in review, and the sum recommended by him to be accepted was $122.25 only, that there was not sufficient evidence for the balance of $28, and that, a director, fully endorsed this recommendation. But such are the facts and yet this strange man, "a director," berates the other directors, and almost calls them dishonest, (limpingly so.) I might ask by what law he is governed, or by what "hocus-pocus" principle. Right with the Commissioner, he is entirely wrong with the Directors, and urging a different course. Surely the man is beside himself!

The Directors of the Glenelg Agricultural Society are proud to announce that they courted no man's favour in this matter. They appealed to the highest authority, and deputed the very man who complains, and letters in our possession prove most conclusively what I have stated.

The Directors have acted for the benefit of the Society only, and did not feel disposed to risk losing the government money and put the Society to expense and endanger it's existence by trying to recover a matter of which (while it probably did exist) they had not evidence to prove. They have kept faith with the public and intend to do so while entrusted with the management of the Society.

The only difference is that they have no feud with the late Secretary beyond the sum found and proven due to the Society, and it would have been better for "a Director" if he had stated things as they are.

Your's Truly,
A DIRECTOR.

HOPEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

At a barn raising, on the farm of John Scarlet everything went smoothly until all was complete das far as the raising of the barn was concerned, but the boys got like the moon sometimes, pretty full, and late in the evening actualy flowed over with profane language, and their pugilistic proclivities got the better of their judgment. Mr. Scarlet got a wound on the head but not dangerous. Boy's dont take too much again when it can be had free.

ORANGEVILLE

POLITENESS.—On Saturday a young lady was observed making her way from the T. G. & B. depot with a large valise in her hand. A young man who was going along the opposite side of the street, also carying a valise, crossed over to her side and, on overtaking her, asked to be allowed to carry the valise. Now this was very nice on the young man's part, but we have been wondering since then if he would have been so eager to relieve her had she been ugly,—not very ugly, you know, but cross-eyed, or with a broken nose, say, or a wry-neck, or a red head. —Gazette.

POLICE WANTED.—Orangeville presents the curious spectacle of the county town without a single policeman. Such being the case, of course rowdies have it their own way, and our town will very soon have an unenviable reputation, if indeed it has not already acquired it. Our town Council should not, and must not, allow cheese-paring motives of economy to interfere with the proper and just arrangements for the peace of the town. —Gazette.

FORCIBLE ENTRY.—A case of some intrest was tried before the Mayor on Saturday in which Walter Colthard, of the Masson manufacturing company was tried for making forcible entries into a store belonging to John Munn, of this town, thereafter removing certain implements belonging to the above company whose affairs are in course of liquidation. Chief Constable Watkins had arrested the prisoner the same morning in the Paisley House. Mr. J. P. McMillan, Crown Counsel, prosecuted, and Mr. Robb defended Mr. Munn gave evidence to the effect that the door was locked, and that when he saw it after the removal of the goods, the lock was hanging as if the staple had been drawn, and the goods, he found had been removed. A young man of the name of Henry had seen Messrs. Colthard and Beaty at the store on the day in question, and was sure the door was secure before they meddled with it, as he had tried it, wishing to get in him self. He could not say which of them opened it, but he was quite sure one of them did it. After cross examination, which only elicited to confirmation of the above statement (a some what irregular piece of procedure, by the way) the Court dismissed the charge. Squire Wilson, Reeve of Mono, occupied the bench along with his Worship. We understand the case is to come up afresh against both Colthard and Beatty, for Munn is "a stayer."—Gazette.

A man has invented a process by which he proprosss to improve the worst case of bald head, by simply planting upon them fresh crops of hair taken from the heads of other persons. Now why not graft on a new head at once? We know scores of men who would be vastly benefitted by the process.

DIED.

MILLER—In Euphrasia, on the 13th inst., Margaret beloved wife, of Samuel Miller, aged 27 years.

JEFFERSON—In Euphrasia, on the 16th inst., Ann beloved wife of, Samuel Jefferson aged 41 years.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

$2 Watches. Stem winders $8.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO., 182 Nassau St., New York.

STARTLING DISCOVERY!
LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

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INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

COURT of REVISION
TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.

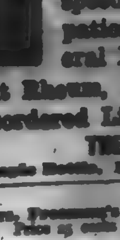
Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision, of assessment for the Township of Glenelg, for the year 1881, will be held at the Town Hall, on Monday the 30th day of May 1881, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAS. BROWN.
Township Clerk.
Glenelg May [illegible] 1881. [illegible]

COURT of REVISION
TOWNSHIP OF ARTEMESIA.

The first sitting of the Court of Revision, for the Township of Artemesia, will be held in the Town Hall Flesherton, on Monday the 6th day of June, A. D. 1881, all parties interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

W. J. BELLAMY.
Clerk.
Flesherton May [illegible] 1881.



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The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation, and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.
Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular Size, $1.00

Mrs. Freeman's Worm Powder is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in children or adults. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brightness and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS.

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS are the only Boots worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust teat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.
Markdale, March 8, 1881. 1

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, May 20, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)
TORONTO, May 19, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 79	to	0 91
Oats, do.	0 39	to	0 40
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye, do.	0 80	to	0 80
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	to	0 70
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	50	to	0 60
Turkeys	1 00	to	1 75
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	17	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	1 00	to	1 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 50	to	0 65
Onions, per bag	2 00	to	2 50
Hay	8 50	to	14 25

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6 30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting. Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 2 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street, New York. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address Rev. E. A. Wilson, 194 Penn St. Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

A CARD OF THANKS.

Brooklin, March 30th, 1881.
To Mr. S. BEAL, Agent Dominion Grange Mutual Insurance Association

SIR,—I have to thank you for your care in the general selection of risks in your Company, and the directors, for careful management, by which has been secured such an excellent financial standing in four years.

I was one of the first insured in the Company, to the amount of $800, I paid $6, and gave an undertaking besides. My undertaking has been returned to me unassessed, and eighty cents in cash paid back. I have thus secured the most reliable insurance of $800 for four years for five dollars and twenty cents, or sixty cents on the $100 insurance.

The Company appears to be working truly on the Mutual principle, it rarely if ever occurred in Canada that the insured received back any portion of the money paid in to an insurance Company. May your success be still mor marked in the future.

Yours truly,
THOMAS McBRIEN,
34-3 Whitby tp. Co. Ontario.

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the
"BELFAST HOUSE."

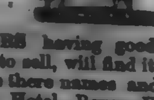
Also a fresh stock of
Groceies, Provisions,
CANNED FRUIT,
BISCUITS
—AND—
CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut Side Pork. FOR SALE. ALSO. POTATOES.

MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,
THE BEST IN TOWN.
BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

COLD! GOLD!

$1,537,000

To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at
6½ AND 7 PER CENT. PER ANNUM
STRAIGHT LOANS. If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest? If your ... payments are not sufficient? If you want to buy more land? If you want to improve more land?

IT WILL PAY YOU
to borrow of the

North of Scotland Canadian Mortgage Co.

They charge no fines? they do not equalize your payments, nor charge you ... on any due payments: but they do give the most reasonable privileges of ... party lending money.

AND THEIR COSTS ARE LOW

Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering ...

I have also a few thousand dollars of
PRIVATE MONEY

To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a ... and the amount is limited. As many English and Scotch capitalists ... capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may ... Money has reached rock bottom. Now is the time to borrow, ...

The Flesherton Real Estate, Loan Insurance Agency.

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The Waterloo County and Gore District, (Mutual and Cash.)

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AUCTION SALES attended in either Town or Country, and Bills ... charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.

LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT. To any having lands to ... offer a splendid chance to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till ... sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the ... themselves. Correspondence solicited. In every department of my business ... carefulness, correctness, and fair dealing the prominent features, ... as low as any reliable man.

ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and ...
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased ... control of the

FLESHERTON STEAM
FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FAC...

AND REMOVED TO THE
Furniture Warerooms
TO THE
NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOING THE ...

Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman ... and attend to their wants. My facilities are now Superior to ... commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.

I have now a Large and Varied Stock of
Furniture in all the Latest St...
and during the Winter I require
100,000 FEET OF GOOD
Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and ...
LUMBER!
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THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAI...
Also a Quantity of Good F...
ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDING, ET...
AS USUAL.
Estimate of supplies Given on Applic...

Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durh...

H. HOOP...
Flesherton, December 23, 1880.

Announcement!

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OF
Sesaonable Goods
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Greatly Reduced Pri...
AT THE
TORONTO HOUSE

Wm. BROW...
Markdale, April 15, 1880.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 34-tf

FARM OR SALE,
OR TO
RENT for a TERM of YEARS.

50 ACRES, nearly all cleared and free of stumps, 1½ miles from Markdale.

Wm. BROWN.
Markdale, April [illegible], 1881. [illegible]

A Choice Farm of ...
FOR SALE,
One Mile from the Village of ...
There are about 100 acres ... of which is in a high state of ... fit for a Reaper or Mower to ... are on the premises a Frame ... inside; a Milk House ... Stable and Driving House, and ... Young Orchard commencing to ... Well, beside the house; a ... Stream runs across the farm; ... and for fencing, balance of ... (a First-class Maple Sugar bush of ...) trees). The farm is well ... state of repair, and in a ... ing within a mile of good ... school houses, and all ... ences.

C. W. ...
Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

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...! New Embroideries ... millinery show room ... vers, Silks, Bonnets, ... aces, &c., &c. Under ... milliner. ... crowded from cellar ... res.

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...h the Flesherton Agency, at ... CENT. PER ANN... and 10 per cent. interest? ... want to buy more land? ... prove more land?

...L PAY YOU

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Canadian Mortgage Co...

...equalize your payments, nor charge ... give the most reasonable privileges ... any lending money.

COSTS ARE LO...

...ing specially large loans, offering special ...

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...nd at 7 per cent. interest. ... English and Scotch capitalists ... change in the money market ... ow is the time to borrow, ...

Real Estate, Loan an... ance Agency.

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...surers that they select a Reliable ... through a reliable Agent. ... Safest and Best Companies in ... as any reliable Mutual. ...

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... Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements ... tly and Neatly done. In this line ... doing the largest business in the ...

... in either Town or Country, and Bills ... ank and Stamps.

...O TO RENT. To any having lands to ... to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your ... I also realize better prices than the Proprie... ... In every department of my business I ... and fair dealing the prominent features, ... the past.

ROBT. DAVIS,

...ver, Commissioner in B. R., and General ...

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... always find me, or a competent salesman to ... ... are not superior to ... by honorable dealing to merit a continu... ... liberally bestowed in the past.

... a Large and Varied Stock of

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Wm. BROWN...

...ndersigned ... will call ... her notice, ... all at your ... send out a ... will be suf-

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A Choice Farm of 150 Acres

FOR SALE.

One Mile from the Village of ... There are about 100 acres cleared, ... of which is in a high state of ... fit for a Reaper or Mower to ... are on the premises a Frame House ... inside; a Milk House, bricked ... Stable and Driving House, ... Young Orchard coming ... Well, beside the ... Stream runs across the farm ... cut for fencing, balance of ... (a First-class Maple Sugar ... trees). The farm is well ... state of repair, and in a ... ing within a mile of ... school house, and all ... ences.

C. W. ...

Maple Leaf Farm, ...

THE TORONTO HOUSE!

DUNDALK.

The Subscriber wishes to inform the Public in general that he has on hand a very extensive stock of

DRY GOODS, Ready-Made Clothing, HATS,

Millinery, Groceries, Crockery, and

BOOTS AND SHOES

IN DRY GOODS,

I am showing all the latest designs in Dress Goods. An immense stock of Prints, Shirtings, Ducks, Denims, also a very large range

OF A 1 TWEEDS

SUITS MADE TO ORDER BY A FIRST-CLASS TAILOR, AND A PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED.

READY-MAD SUITS FROM $7 UPWARDS. Gents' Hats in Great Variety, at BOTTOM PRICES.

The Millinery Show Room

Contains all the LATEST STYLES, and is in Charge of a FIRST-CLASS MILLINER.

GROCERIES

FRESH AND CHEAP, in every line.

TEAS A SPECIALTY

FROM 5 POUNDS FOR $1.00 UPWARDS.

CROCKERY!

PRICES LOW, AS USUAL, AND STOCK COMPLETE.

IN BOOTS AND SHOES I can safely say that I have the

LARGEST AND BEST Assorted STOCK

IN THE COUNTY, AT LOWEST PRICES.

I invite the attention of Cash Buyers, as an inspection will satisfy them that they can SAVE MONEY by Purchasing Goods at the

TORONTO HOUSE.

Highest Prices allowed for FARM PRODUCE.

GEORGE NIXON, Dundalk.

Dundalk, May 19th, 1881

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Mortgage Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

In the Township of Artemesia

Under and by virtue of the provisions and powers contained in two mortgages made by Henry Williams to the Farmers' Loan and Savings Company, and to William J. McFarland respectively, which will be produced at the time of sale and subject to conditions which will be then read, there will be sold by Public Auction by A. S. Vandusen Auctioneer, at Rutledge's Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, on

Monday, the 6th day of June, 1881.

At One o'clock P. M.

The following desirable farm.

Lot number Seventeen, in the Thirteenth Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres be the same more or less. There are about 60 acres of said land cleared. The buildings consist of a small log shanty. It is well watered, and within about 9 miles of Markdale Station.

Terms of Sale.—One half in cash at the time of sale, and the balance as may be agreed upon.

There will be a reserve bid.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, A. S. Vandusen, Flesherton, or to Messrs. Lane & Rowe, Owen Sound, the Vendor's Solicitors.

LANE & ROWE,
Solicitors for the Vendor.

Dated the 6th day of May, 1881. 35-3w.

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

Having leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, including

BUGGIES, DEMOCRT, WAGGON, ETC., AND AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

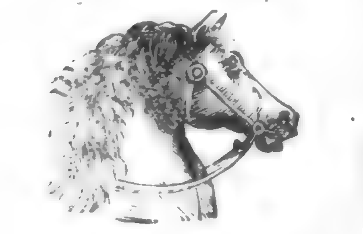
And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to HORSE SHOEING AND

General Jobbing!

We warrant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction. ... Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 27 3m.

FLESHERTON



Harness Shop!

... begs to inform the public ... constantly on hand a large ...

... BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS,

... style and of the ... BEST OF MATERIAL,

... a good supply of WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c., always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

Remember the stand the Post Office is ... N. B.—Stave timber wanted.

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March, 1881. 16

Court of Revision.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the first Court of Revision for the purpose of Revising the Assessment Roll, of the Township of Euphrasia, for the current year, will be opened for the transaction of business at the Hall of said Township, at 10 o'clock a. m., on Saturday, the 28th day of May, 1881.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Euphrasia, 2nd May, 1881

Osprey Court of Revision.

The Court of Revision of Assessment Roll, for the Township of Osprey, will be held the first sitting on Monday, the 30th May, at 10 a. m. in the Orange Hall, Maxwell.

Wm. MILNE, Clerk.

Maxwell 11th May 1881 35-2w.

R. J. McCOY,

Agent for the following Implements, &c.:

The Massey MOWER, HARVESTER, and celebrated HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)

Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,

DICK'S LATON PLOUGHS.

ALL KINDS OF **Fittings and Repairs**

Kept constantly on hand.

SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS FOR SALE, CHEAP.

Licensed AUCTIONEER FOR THE COUNTY.

Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.

Charges Moderate.

R. J. McCOY.

Markdale, March 17th, 1881.

HILL BROS.

Wish to inform the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country, that they have partially opened their

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT,

And have secured the services of **MISS MULLIN,** Who from long experience in the Millinery business, will be enabled to give our friends

ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

We have partially opened, and will be fully prepared, as the season advances with all the

LATEST NOVELTIES.

Remember our goods will be

AaLlLl NnEeWw.

We respectfully solicit a fair share from our friends and the public generally. We don't do any button-holing, but will treat all courteously when making purchases, and trust our prices will be right. Our general stock will be found

Well Assorted

as usual. We would invite an early inspection whether you want to buy or not.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, March 30th, 1881. 29-tf.

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.
LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.
BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,
CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

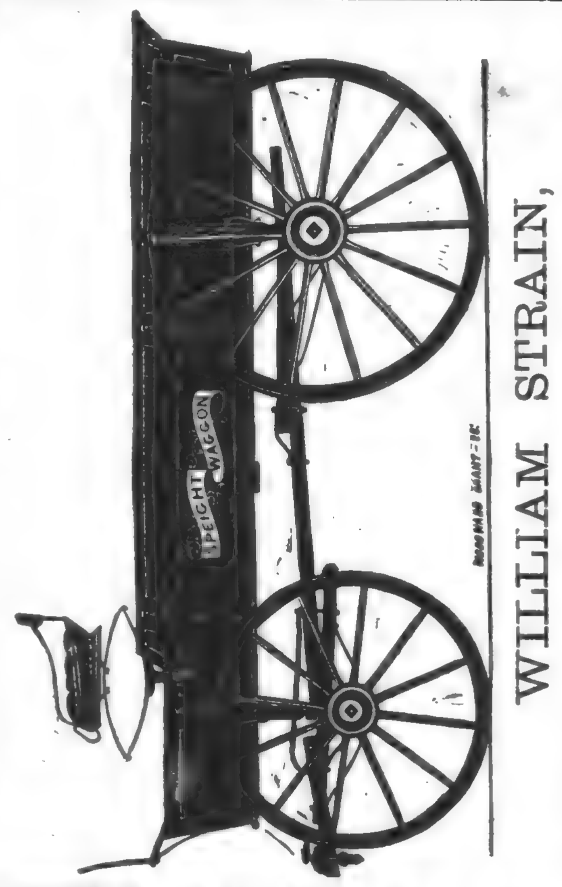
Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,

Sewing Machines, Organs,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend,

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

LUMBER AND SAWING.

The subscriber begs to intimate that he has his

Saw Mill at Little Falls

On Lot 145 in 3rd Range N. E., Toronto and Sydenham Road, Artemesia, in full operation, and is prepared to furnish

LUMBER, LATHS ETC., ETC., TO ORDER.

CUSTOM SAWING PROMPTLY DONE.

By the thousand or on Shares. Parties delivering Logs can have their lumber for return loads. The sawyer at the Mill can arrange for sawing.

ALL KINDS OF SAW LOGS PURCHASED.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Nov. 30, 1880.

MARKDALE HOUSE.

MARKDALE,

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

This Hotel is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. The house is furnished in First-Class Style. The bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Room ... The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,

FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY

LIQUORS.

Everything First-Class, and at **RIGHT PRICES!**

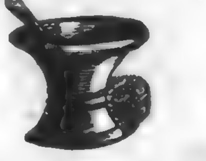
My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Guiness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods ...

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

MEDICAL HALL



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FIELD SEEDS,

INCLUDING

CLOVER,
TIMOTHY,
CARROT,
MANGEL WURTZEL, &c., &c.

GARDEN SEEDS!

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13-tf

STOP. MARK. LEARN!

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GREAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENAERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,

Ready-Made Clothing, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all new, well bought, and well worth the attention of the closest buyers. In GROCERIES you will find everything of First-Class Value.

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many. You will find everything that I just as I represent it, and as good value as you can possibly get for your money anywhere, as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can and will sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer Five Dollars for every one invested in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, I have decided on selling to each and every one of them at the Lowest Cash Price laid down by the carload from the Manufacturers, and bought for next cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage during the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 30, 1881. 14-tf

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

The Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them that he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES, (Either plain, or Iced and Ornamented)

and a large Variety of Other Cakes

Always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best English factories in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONS!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 10-ly

FOR SALE

IN ARTEMESIA.

Fifty acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or

JOHN KAY,
Bentinck, Durham P. O.

Jan. 13th, 1881. 18-tf

D. J. SHANAHAN'S

WAGON and **Carriag Works,**

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for CARRIAGES, SPRING WAGGONS, LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing and all kinds of repairing in our line attended to in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

THE BEST REMEDY

FOR Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.

In diseases of the pulmonary organs a safe and reliable remedy is invaluable. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL is such a remedy, and no other so eminently merits the confidence of the public. It is a scientific combination of the medicinal principles and curative virtues of the finest drugs, chemically united, of such power as to insure the greatest possible efficiency and uniformity of results. It strikes at the foundation of all pulmonary diseases, affording prompt relief and rapid cures, and is adapted to patients of any age or either sex. Being very palatable, the youngest children take it readily. In ordinary Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Influenza, Clergymen's Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, and Catarrh, the effects of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL are magical, and multitudes are annually preserved from serious illness by its timely and faithful use. It should be kept at hand in every household for the protection it affords in sudden attacks. In Whooping-cough and Consumption there is no other remedy so efficacious, soothing, and helpful.

Low prices are inducements to try some of the many mixtures, or syrups, made of cheap and ineffective ingredients, now offered, which, as they contain no curative qualities, can afford only temporary relief, and are sure to deceive and disappoint the patient. Diseases of the throat and lungs demand active and effective treatment; and it is dangerous experimenting with unknown and cheap medicines, from the great liability that these diseases may, while so trifled with, become deeply seated or incurable. Use AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and you may confidently expect the best results. It is a standard medical preparation, of known and acknowledged curative power, and is as cheap as its careful preparation and fine ingredients will allow. Eminent physicians, knowing its composition, prescribe it in their practice. The test of half a century has proven its absolute certainty to cure all pulmonary complaints not already beyond the reach of human aid.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Auction Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

Under and by virtue of powers of sale contained in mortgages, there will be sold by Public Auction, by George Noble, Auctioneer, at the Markdale Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, on

Thursday, the 26th day of MAY, A. D. 1881,

At the hour of 2 o'clock, P. M.

The following parcels of Freehold Property:

Parcel No. 1.—Lot number 69, in the third range East of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less, about 25 acres of which are cleared, well fenced and in a good state of cultivation, the balance are covered with good hardwood timber. The buildings consist of a log house and a log barn. This Lot is about one and a half miles from Berkley Station, on the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, and about 6 miles from the Village of Markdale.

Parcel No. 2.—The West half of Lot number 20, in the 13th Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less, about 25 acres of which are cleared, well fenced and in a good state of cultivation, the balance are covered with good hardwood. The buildings consist of a log house and a log barn. This Lot is about 6 miles from Flesherton Station and 5 miles from the village of Eugenia.

Terms of Sale.—Ten per cent of purchase money down at time of sale; one-third of the remainder within one month thereafter, and the balance to remain on mortgage. ... reserved bid.

The properties will be sold subject to a reserved bid.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto.

MULOCK, TILT, McARTHUR & CROWTHER,
Vendors' Solicitors.

Dated 2nd May, 1881. 35-3w.

FOR REASONS NOT GIVEN,

The Cheapest Place to Buy Goods

REYNOLDS & SON'S,

Come One, Come All.

As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at Lowest Cash Prices. And examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere.

Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard.
Muslins, 10c. per yard.
Mens' Felt Hats 75c

Prints, 6c. and upwards.
Tweeds for 60c and upwards.

Good fresh Teas for 25c. and upwards.
10 pounds of Light Sugar for One Dollar.
12 pounds of Currants for One Dollar.
Coal Oil 30 cents per gallon.

10½ pounds Raisins for One Dollar.

GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY Cheaper than ever at ...

$1.00. Chord Index $1.00

Wondrful Invention

THIS IS A

MECHANICAL DEVICE

For Learning to Play

CHORDS AND ACCOMPANIMENTS

ON THE

PIANO AND ORGAN

Any person, Young or Old, whether have any Musical talent or not, can learn or PLAY ANYTHING, in a VERY SHORT TIME; what would take years in the old way, besides a great expense for Books, Tuition, etc., etc. Sent, pre-paid on receipt of $1.

—ALSO—

PIANOS & ORGANS

FOR SALE AT

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ADDRESS,

J. A. CRAWFORD,
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Toronto, April 14th, 1881.

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... $1.00 in three months, ... all arrearages are ... discontinued ...

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PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

Drs. Sproule & Carter, ... Surgeon, Accoucheurs ... Medical Hall; residence at ... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

DR. PURDY, ... SURGEON, ACCOUCHEUR ... 6-tf.

Legal.

... D. Macmillan. ... (MARKDALE AND DURHAM.) ... ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN ... Conveyancer, &c. Office over ... store, Markdale. Money to loan ... 22-ly

Thos. R. Wilkes, ... at Law, — Owen Sound. ... Millers's building, over Robinson ... Poulett Street. 1-y

Frost & Frost, ... TERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT ... Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers ... have resumed ... office open every Thursday, as ... J. W. FROST, LL. B. ... Crown Attorney. 1-y

James Masson, ... TER and ATTORNEY AT-LAW, ... Chancery, Owen Sound. ... 1880. 1-y

James Lamon, ... NEY-AT-LAW, SOLICITOR IN ... Chancery, Notary Public, &c. ... to Loan at lowest rates on personal ... estate. Lands bought and sold, ... solicitor introduced free of commission. ... DUNDALK. ... 21st, 1880. 1-y

Conveyancers & Land Agents.

Wm. Brown, ... OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., ... in all its branches promptly ... and carefully executed. ... to Lend on Real Estate ... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown, ... Issuer of Marriage Licences, Fire and ... Insurance Agent. Commissioner ... &c. Conveyancer and Licensed ... for the County of Grey. Farmers ... of years, at low rates of interest ... and Land Sales, Punctually attended ... and charges made very moderate. ... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr., ... LOAN AND GENERAL AGENT ... Money to Loan at very low ... Principal payable at the ... term of years, interest half yearly ... or principal and interest repayable ... instalments. ... of desirable Improved Farms ... 1-y

J. G. Sing, ... UNION AND PROVINCIAL LAND ... Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator ... and Markdale. Having purchased ... of the late Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's ... of original Field Notes, Plans, ... Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys ... the last fifty-five years, and being ... to make surveys in strict accordance ... Profiles and Estimates ... Plans and Specifications ... ing Bridges, furnished on application ... received by mail, or by ... by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, ... will be promptly attended to. ... 17, 1880. 1-y

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White, ... to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound, ... AT THE REVERE HOUSE, ... on the last Wednesday in ... the same day ... operations required upon the mouth ... satisfactory manner. ... 1-y

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE. ... SPROULE, Proprietor. ... popular Hotel has had a large addition ... added to it, thoroughly refitted, ... and attentive ostler. First-class ... accommodation for commercial travellers. ... $1.00 per day. 17-ly

ROYAL HOTEL, MEAFORD, Ont. ... McGEE, Proprietor. ... accommodation for the travelling ... the best of Wines and Liquors and the ... and from all trains. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL. ... PRICEVILLE, Ont. ... Sample Rooms ... The Bar and larder ... the best the market of ... and attentive Hostler's ... THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor. ... 1880.

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Meat delivered at any house in town.

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Money to loan at lowest rates of interest, in sums to suit borrowers. Agent for Farmers' Loan and Saving Co. All business matters strictly private, and treated as such.

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BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobs promptly attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE.

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Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-ly

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

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Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

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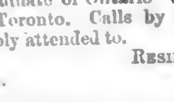

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Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to.

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Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

China TEA Store

R. ASKIN

General dealer in

GROCERIES & PROVISIONS.

Next to Haskett's Hardware Store.

Keeps constantly on hand everything usual to such an establishment.

He would draw special attention to his

Teas, Tobaccos & Sugars,

Which for quality and Lowness of Price

CANNOT BE SURPASSED.

As puffing is no part of my desire, I merely ask intending purchasers to give me a call and be convinced that

I MEAN BUSINESS,

AND WILL

Sell Lower than the Lowest,

as I have purchased for cash, and have had a good discount allowed, I am in a position to let my customers have the benefit of my investments.

Remember the place, next to Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Oct. 7, 1880. 4-tf

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes residence.

Markdale, Dec. 24th, 1880. [illegible]

SUBSCRIBE for the "Standard," the best local paper in the county.

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,

HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,

HARROWS AND

All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-y

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor,

FLESHERTON.

Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.

Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

GRANT & CHELLEW,

MARKDALE,

Cabinet Makers,

—AND—

UPHOLSTERERS

a full stock of

Furniture!

ALWAYS ON HAND.

FURNITURE MADE TO ORDER

LUMBER WANTED.

GRANT & CHELLEW.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1880. 1-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS

HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov, 18, 1880 1o

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while Customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-m6

Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF PROTON

The Court of Revision for the Township of Proton, for the current year, 1881 will be held at Hopeville, in Mr. J. A. Scarlett's Hall, on Tuesday, the 17th day of May, 1881 of which all parties interested will please take notice, and govern themselves accordingly. The Court will open at 10 a. m.

JOHN VERT.
Township Clerk.

Proton May 1881 5th 34

A Good Chance.

To rent for one or more years, Lot 9 con. 9 Euphrasia, terms easy, 50 acres in grass. Apply to

W. J. McFARLAND.

Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

NOTICE.

All parties, are hereby warned against trespassing on above lot.

THOS. H. YOUNG.

Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

AND THEN.

And then, when the glorious sunlight
Of God's eternal love
That has ever kept your pathway bright,
Beams on you from above.

In that world unknown to sorrow
Where all tears are wiped away,
May the portals of glory usher
You into eternal day.

May you in the brightest mansion
Of that all glorious home
Find a peace, a joy, and welcome
'Round God's eternal throne.

May your song then blend with the angels'
When the hosts of heaven shall ring;
May your voice take up the chorus
While the glad hosannahs ring.

When the thousand times ten thousand
Of God's redeemed shall meet,
And you are among that number,
Will your joy not be complete?

And then, from the farthest distant shore
The blood-washed throng shall come,
With a soul made clear and a heart made pure,
To join in the welcome home.

And then, when the crown for each child of [illegible] grace
That have onward and upward striven,
Is placed on each head by the King of Kings,
Reserved to that day in heaven.

May your brow wear the brightest diadem
Of all that glorious throng,
And the seat nearest God's right hand be yours,
And the gladdest be your song.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

"What can you be doing, Mr. Surridge?" she exclaimed. "Putting on fastenings to doors that are never used?"

"But it is possible that we may require to use them," hesitated the tutor, afraid to alarm her, yet feeling that he must account for what he was doing. "It is by no means impossible that we—that you—may need defence if the country becomes more disturbed than it is at present; and it occurred to me that these heavy doors, with fastenings not known to the neighborhood, might be defended against numbers."

"No doubt," she replied, raising her eyebrows and smiling scornfully, "but there is really no cause for these nervous apprehensions, Mr. Surridge."

He crimsoned. He longed to tell her that he had no apprehensions for himself, but that he feared for her, for whom he would have given a thousand lives. But he could find no words. In Glorvina's presence he was always embarrassed and awkward.

"You have lived in Dublin all your life," she continued, seeing his confusion, "and are doubtless more alarmed than we country folk are at the occasional outbreaks of our fiery and passionate people; but, believe me, they will do us no harm. To use a Scotch proverb, 'Their bark is waur than their bite.'"

"But, Miss Desmond," stammered the tutor, "the papers teem with accounts of assassinations."

"More than half exaggerations and untruths," she interrupted. "I am quite aware that we run some risk from the national feeling for revenge; but I trust—nay, I believe, that when my countrymen know my guardian is helping Dan O'Rourke to defeat the evidence he is compelled to give against him, they will understand that we were injuring them against our will."

"But," he said, "news travels slowly to these western wilds, Miss Desmond, and it is difficult to remove prejudices from the minds of the peasantry. Believe me it is not cowardice, but common prudence, which induces me to take these precautions."

A perceptible sneer curled her beautiful lip.

"A very apprehensive prudence," she said. "Pray lay aside your nails and leave the old Priory doors as they are. We will not let any one hurt you."

It was too much. Shyness banished, and he burst forth:

"You insult me madam! It was from no cowardly fear for my own safety that I acted, but for yours, and for the helpless wife and children of Mr. Coghlan, who—say what you will of Whiteboy chivalry—are in deadly peril. But be it as you will;" and he threw down the screw driver. "I will obey you, and leave the other doors untouched."

He made her a grave and profound bow and walked away. She stood for a moment, stunned. This haughty man, the mute, shy tutor! It was marvellous!

And then a pretty smile stole over her features. She picked up the screw-driver and looked at it, weighed it in her hand, and laid it down gently. Then she gathered up the iron bar, and put it in a corner of the room, went back and gazed at the neatly fixed staples, and with another smile, left the north wing, closing the doors after her.

CHAPTER VIII.

That evening the tutor did not join the family; he was writing letters in the schoolroom; and they missed him. Of late he had often read aloud to them, and he read remarkably well. And now there was actually a new novel by the "Great Unknown" which he had begun the previous evening, and which Mrs. Coghlan would not have read without him. Glorvina was especially vexed. He had been almost perfectly silent during dinner, replying only when he was spoken to, and he had not appeared since; and she knew that she had cruelly wounded him. Her generous nature awoke, and she felt the keenest remorse for the insult she had offered to him. She could not sleep that night for thinking of her now-repented fault.

The next morning she was early in the study, where family prayers were always read. The tutor and Teddy were already there. She advanced at once with extended hand.

"Mr. Surridge," she said frankly, "I beg your pardon for my unprovoked impertinence yesterday. I was not really in earnest."

He was crimson, he stammered, and she could make nothing of his answer; but she understood the trembling hand that grasped her own.

"What did you do? How very you naughty, Glory?" asked Teddy, hanging round her. "Tell me—what does it mean?"

"Only that your Glory was a cross ill-natured girl; but, you see, Mr. Surridge has forgiven me." And a smile of exquisite sweetness irradiated her beautiful face.

The tutor's voice was full of feeling that morning as he read the prayers; and Glorvina secretly acknowledged that there was a great charm about this shy awkward man, who won respect from all, in spite of every drawback.

That day, after early dinner—which they always had when the master of the house was away—the tutor sat down to his books, his usual occupation, while Teddy was off to walk or play with Norah, when a knock came at the door. His "Come in" was answered by the appearance of Miss Desmond. He rose, surprised.

"Mr. Surridge," she said smiling, "I shall not think myself forgiven unless you continue your wise task of yesterday. I shall know if you have quite forgiven me by your resuming your work and letting me help you."

What could he do, but yield a rapturous humble assent? And together they hastened to the north rooms.

"These are dismal chambers indeed," said Glorvina, as they passed through them, "and are said to be haunted."

"So Teddy told me. Who or what is the ghost?" he asked smiling.

"The murdered wife of Feargus Coghlan, who lived three hundred years ago. He killed her in a fit of jealousy, and she has become the family banshee." She turned a little pale as she spoke. "Do you know Mr. Surridge," she went on, "I have seen her."

"You mean the other night?" he asked.

"Ah, you have heard! Well, I did; and let my guardian say what he will, I believe it was a real banshee that appeared to me. The churchyard walls are high. No one could have entered by the gate, which is opposite to the porch, without our seeing him, for Tim O'Brien was watching it. The figure rose suddenly before me from the monument of that very Feargus of whom I spoke to you. I could see the moonlight through its hand. Its voice was an awful whisper, like the wind sighing at midnight."

"And the face? he asked.

"It was veiled thickly; but the awful eyes gleamed through at me."

She shuddered again.

"I do not believe—I never can believe—in such appearances, Irishman as I am!" said the tutor gently. "Believe me, it was a despairing effort of some of the O'Rourkes. The pretended ghost may have been concealed in the churchyard before we went there. The monument—I know the great pile you mean—may have easily concealed her or him."

"But how could any one know that we were going to sow hemp-seed that night?"

"Has it never been done here before?" he asked.

"Never," she replied.

"But Norah may have heard you say that you would engage in the games and reported it in her nursery; and then what more likely than the hemp-seed sowing?"

"I don't think she did. No," she continued after a pause. "The banshee also told me my future fate, Mr. Surridge. If the warning it gave me comes true, I shall believe the whole will."

"Let me implore you not to take such an idea into your mind," he said earnestly; "the belief in predictions is too apt to lead to their fulfilment."

She laughed a little mischievously.

"Well, if the prediction were fulfilled," she said, "it would do no harm. It was only that I should marry the bravest man I had ever seen."

The tutor made no reply. He had now resumed his work. Glorvina, drawing a faded tabouret to his side, insisted on handing him the screws. She could not do too much to atone for her unkind jeer. So, quite thoughtless of the harm she was inflicting in another manner, she sat and laughed and chatted with all the animation of her Irish nature; and by degrees the tutor ceased to be shy, and talked to her very much at his ease.

At last the ninth door had staples affixed to it and all was done. Glorvina looked round merrily, though they were in the haunted chamber.

"Now," she said, "the fortress is ready for defence. But seriously I think one would be rather like a rat in a trap in it, for one couldn't get out."

"There is a window."

"But look at the descent. Who would dare it?"

"A brave man would," he replied.

"My future husband perhaps," she said jestingly.

**This is the end of the portion omitted in our issue of May 6. Our readers will now take up the story from that date.*

"But he looks little. And why do you call him so? Surely you can't ——" pausing with sudden wonder.

"Oh pray don't be so mysterious, Eva! What is it you want to say?" demanded Glorvina impatiently.

"I only meant to tell you that I think it unkind of you to flirt with that poor little man" an impatient gesture again from Glorvina—"I do indeed! Why, to-night, as he was singing, I noticed his eyes when I went past the harp, and he was looking at you—unseen as he thought—as if he worshipped you."

"What if he does?" demanded Glorvina.

"My dear, how cruel! Surely Glory, you cannot find pleasure in making another person unhappy! And that is what you will do with this poor young man and his hopeless love!"

"Nonsense, Eva! you have nothing but love in your head ever since you have known Captain Leicester."

"I won't say a word more to you," she said tartly. "I have warned you, and now, if you break that man's heart, you will have to answer for it to your conscience."

"'Men have died, and worms have eaten them, but not for love,'" quoted Glorvina, and, pinching Eva's ear, she kissed her and went to her own room. There she sat down and sank into a reverie.

Is it true? Does he love me?" she murmured half aloud. "I think he does. Yet it is too absurd. I who have always been so ambitious! No, I must look up to my husband with admiration and reverence. This poor young fellow is not to be thought of. Well, then, I suppose I ought to be careful and keep out of his way. But he interests me; he is good, true, strangely simple and unworldly. Heigh-ho!"

As she rose with a sigh, she was startled by a loud unearthly yell, which seemed to come from just outside her window. Glorvina, though superstitious, was brave. She rushed instantly to the lattice and put back the curtains, but saw nothing; then she opened the casement and looked out. There was no one visible. The moon was up, a clear, brilliant fall moon, which revealed the whole lawn beneath, but there was no human being visible.

"The banshee, I suppose," she muttered as she closed the window. "Shall I go and tell Eva? Yet no; she could do nothing. Perhaps she heard it. Ah, here she is!"—as a knock came to the door. And, opening it, she found Eva outside.

"Glory, did you hear that noise?" she asked uneasily.

"Yes, it sounded awful; did it not?"

"What could it be—the banshee?"

—"I hope so really," replied Glorvina; "for it at least won't do us any bodily harm."

"Glory, may I sleep with you?" asked Eva.

"I get so nervous at night now. I wish papa were home. There is nobody but old Murphy and the tutor if any of the Whiteboys came."

"Mr. Surridge could defend us, I am sure," said Glorvina.

"That slight man! Why, he would be of no use at all! Teddy could help as much."

"Well you can stop with me," said Glorvina. "So don't be afraid any longer. I assure you I am equal to contend with any banshee."

(*To be continued.*

SPOILING HIS LOGIC.

Here is a ludicrous instance of "speaking out in meeting," which transpired in a small parish in the South of Scotland:

The good old preacher—an earnest, simple-minded man, who regarded his flock as a gathering of children of large growth—was holding forth upon the story of Jonah; and, in approaching the climax, he indulged in a bit of rhetorical flourish, to the following effect:

"And what kind of a fish was it, my breathern, that God had appointed thus to execute His holy will? was it a shark, my breathern? No, ti could not be a shark, for God would in ever have given the tender flesh of His beloved prophet to be torn by the terrible teeth of that voracious monster. What fish was it then, my brethern? Was it a salmon, think you? Ah no, That were not possible. There's no salmon in the deepest pool of the Tweed could swallow a man. Besides, you ken, it's mair natural for a man to swallow salmon than for salmon to swallow man. What, then, was it? Was it a sea-lion, or a sea-horse? Or was it a sea-dog, or a great rhinoceros? Ah, no. Those are not Scripture beasts, ava. Ye're as far aff't as ever. Which of the monsters o' that great deep was it, can you tell me, that swallowed him?

At this point an aged dame, who had been sitting on nettles, believing her minister to be really at a loss—thinking he had forgotten the name of the fish—as he raised his hand, and took a survey of his audience, previous to capping the climax, knocked him from his bias by crying out:

"Hoot, sir! it was a whale you ken!"

The minister gasped for breath, and looked daggers.

"Out upon ye, for the graceless old wife that you are, thus to tak' the words out o' the mouth o' God's minister! You've just cut in and tumbled the beautiful fabric o' logical sequence all to pieces!'

"Aweel," muttered the ancient dame, with a firm closing of her jaws, "I dinna care for that. It wer' a whale ony way!"

The whale which has been on exhibition in various places has just been embalmed Cleveland by a secret process which is expected to preserve the huge creature for an indefinite peroid of time. The operation required the services of three Cleveland butchers, who consented to play the role of Jonah in a manner and for a purpose which that performer never contemplated when he created the part. They descended into the whale's stomach and cut away superfluous portions of the flesh and removed the entrails. Leviathan was then washed out as clean as a whistle from stem to stern preparatory to the embalming process.

HIS CONQUEST.

"See me 'mash' that pretty damsel," said a larky young man with the latest style of silk plug, to his friend on West Grand Street about 9 o'clock on Saturday evening. Quietly stepping up to the pretty damsel's side he lifted the aforesaid silk plug and remarked in winning tones: "Excuse me, my dear young lady, but it is rather late for you to be on the street unprotected; permit me to accompany you to your home." Instantly a broad face of sable hue was turned upon the insinuating interlocutor and between a set of gleaming ivories flashed the following: "Look a heah, young fellah, I doan want none o' yer lip; gim me a single word mo' o' yer sass an' I'll flop yer on yer back, do you heah?" Both young fellows [illegible] and gave up the "mash" with a [illegible] feeling [illegible].

HIS MODESTY.

The other night a policeman observed a man hanging around the enterance to a Michagan avenue hall in a queer sort of way, and he asked him if he belonged to the order then in session up stairs. The man replied that he did, and the officer inquired:

"Then why don't you go up?"

"Well, I was thinking about it."

"Haven't been expelled, have you?"

"Oh no."

"Aren't afraid of anybody?"

"No."

"And you hav'nt lost your interest?"

"I might as well tell you," said the man after beating around a while longer. "I went down to Toledo a few days ago, and somehow the story came back here that I was drowned. My lodge thereupon passed resolutions to the effect that I was honest, upright and liberal, and a shining ornament, and that what was its loss was my gain. I wasn't drowned, as you see, I kind o'hate to walk in on 'em and bust those resolutions. Iv'e tried it three times, and I can't get higher up than the fifth stair before I weaken."—*Detroit Free Press*

On Friday morning last the train from the north, due here about 8.40 a.m., run over a cow belonging to Mr. Geo. Bell. The animal, with a number of others, was on the crossing of the railway and second line, and although the engineer sounded an alarm whistle, the bovine stubbornly refused to move until struck by the approaching engine. After the accident, Mr. Stein, who is a neighbour of Mr. Bell's, came to the conclusion that the cow was his, and bemoaning his loss, he proceeded to look after the beef and hide. It appears that animal much resembling the one killed is owned by Mr. S., and it was impossible by examining the mulated carcase to tell to whom it belonged, and it was only when the cattle came home in the evening that it was discovered that Mr. B. was the loser of the beef. The cow was valued at $40, and is a loss to her owner which he can ill afford.—*Stayner Sun.*

A POD FULL OF P's.—We do not know to whom to credit the following, but it contains truth as well as alliteration.—"Proverbial philosophy.—Persons who patroniye paper should pay promptly, for the pecuniary prospects of the press have peculiar power in pushing forward public prosperity. If the printer is paid promptly and his pocket-book is kept plethoric by prompt paying patrons, he puts his pen to paper in peace; his paragraphs are more pungent and pointed, he paints his picture of passing events in more pleasing colors and the perusal of his paper is a pleasure to the people. Paste this in your pocke-book.

BABY IS DEAD.

"Baby is dead!"

Three little words passing along the line copied somewhere and soon forgotten. But, after all was quiet again I leaned my head on my hand and fell into a deep reverie of all that those words may mean.

Somewhere—a dainty form, still and cold, unclasped by mother's arms to-night. Eyes that yesterday were bright and blue as skys in June dropped to-night between white lids, that no voice can raise again.

The soft hands whos rose leaf fingers were wont to wander lovingly around mother's neck and face, loosely holding white buds, quietly folded in confined rest.

Soft lips, yesterday rippling with laughter, sweet as woodland brook falls, gay as a trill of a forest bird, to-night unresponsive to kiss or call of love.

A silent home—the patter of baby feet forever hushed—a cradle bed unpressed. Little shoes half-worn—dainty garments—shoulder knots of blue to match those of yesterday, folded with aching heart away.

A tiny mound, snow-covered in some quiet graveyard.

A mother's groping touch in uneasy slumber for the fair head that shall never rest upon her bosom. The low sob, the bitter tear, as broken dreams awaken to sad reality. The hopes of future years wrecked, like fair ships that suddenly go down within sight of land.

The watching of other babies, dimpled, healthy, laughing, strong, and this one gone; the present agony of grief, the future emptyness of heart, all held in those three little words, "Baby is dead!"

Indeed, it is well that we can cope and soon forget the words so freighted with woe to those who receive and send them. And yet it cannot harm us now and then to give a tender thought to those for whom our careless pen stroke is preparing such a weight of grief.

WANTED.—A number of papers are inserting the following advertisement without charge:—"Wanted—About seventy-nine young men, of all shapes and sizes, from the tall, graceful dandy, with the baseball moustache (nine on a side,) down to the little hump backed, carrotyheaded, weazel-eyed upstart. The object is to form a gaping corps to be in attendance at the street corners, church corridors or vestibules, each Sunday, during the comming summer, before and after divine service, to stare at the females and to make delicate and gentlemanly remarks on their person and dress. All who wish to enlist in the above corps, will appear at the various street corners next Sunday both morning and evening, when they will be duly inspected, and their names, personal appearance, and quantity of brains, registered in a book, kept for that purpose, and to be published. To prevent a general rush, it will be as well to state that none will be enlisted possessing intellectual capacity, superior to that of a well-bred donkey."

Detroit Free Press: You won't find a Canadian fooling around with paste or mucilage to make a postage stamp stick. He sits down and sews the blame thing on.

[illegible] the interest [illegible] the editor [illegible] young man, [illegible] whom he had just engaged as assistant. Before leaving he [illegible] the ambitious young editor not to omit any chance to go unimproved to force the paper and its very low subscription price upon the attention of the public.

"Always keep before your mind the fact that the object of this paper is to extend its circulation," he said, "and whenever you see a chance put in a puff on the *Herald* in any notice you may make, pile it as thick as you can. Keep the people stirred up all the time, you understand, so that they will believe that our paper is the greatest in the United States."

The parting tear was shed, and the editor left. The following night, while he was far away from home, his wife died very suddenly. Upon the assistant developed the unpleasant duty of announcing the sad intelligence to the public. He did as follows:

GONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.

"We are compelled, this morning, to preform a duty which is peculiarly painful to the able assistant editor, who has been engaged on this paper at an enormous expense, in accordance with our determination to make the *Herald* a first class journal. Last night, death suddenly and unexpectedly snatched away from her domestic hearts (the best are advertised under the head of Stoves and Furnaces upon our first page), Mrs. Agatha Burns, wife of Rufus P. Burns, the gentlemanly editor of the *Herald*. Terms, three dolars a year, invariable in advance. A kind mother, and an exemplary wife. Office over Coleman's grocery, up two flight of stairs. Knock hard. 'We shall miss thee, mother, we shall miss thee.' Job printing solicited. Funeral at half-past four, from the house just across the street from the *Herald* office. Gone to be an angel now. Advertisments inserted for ten cents a square."

Well, the editor arrived home that day, at noon. Slowely and sadly he was observed to arm himself with a double barreled following piece, into which he inserted two pounds and a half of bullets. He marched over to the office followed by an immense crowd. The assistant editor was busy at the time, painting a placard to be tacked on the hearse. It bore the legend: "By your coffins of Simms, over the *Herald* office." The assistant cast his eyes around, and preceived his chief. Care was set upon that wan cheek, and thunder clothed his brow. He leveled his gun. The assistant did not wait. With one wild and awful yell, he jumped from the second story, and struck out for the golden shores of the Pacific. It is believed that he eventually swam over to China. But there is only one editor now, and the clerk in the office has standing orders to blow out the brains of any man who brings any obituary notice to the paper.

EPITAFFY

Sometimes a pun or play on the name is introduced such as on the epitaph of John White:

Here lies John a shining light'
Whose name, life, actions, all were White.

The following was rather epigrammatic than epitaphic, in regard to the Rev. John Chest:

Beneath this spot lies buried
One chest without another,
The outer chest was all that's good:
Who says so of the other?

William Wilton, buried in Lambeth, certainly did not write the epitaph which bears relation to him:

Here lyeth W.W.,
Who never more will trouble, trouble you.

Nor, we may safely say, did Owen Moore pen the following:

Owen Moore is gone away.
Owin' more than he could pay.

More likely to be genuine are these epitaphy which involve a bit of bad logic, syntax, or grammar in their composition. In a graveyard at Montrose is said to be the following:

Here lies the bodies of George
Young and all their posterity
For fifty years backwards.

And in Wrexham churchyard as follows:

Here lies five babies and children dear,
Three at Oswestry and two here.

Akin to this in logical blundering is:

Here lies the remains of
Thomas Milsom, who died in
Philadelphia, Marh, 1758;
Had he lived he would have
Been buried here.

And another at Nettlebed, in Oxfordshire:

Here lies Father and Mother and Sister and I;
We all died within the space of one short year;
We be all buried at Wimble, except I.
And I be buried here.

Lord Byron is credited with an epitaph on an old neighbour of his, near Newstead:

John Adams lies here, of the Parish Southwell,
A carrier, who carried his can to his mouth well
He carried so much and carried so fast.
He could carry no more, so was carried at last,
For the liquor he drank, being to much for one,
He could not carry off, so he's carrion.

When the celebrated Gen. Wolfe died a premium was offered for the best written epitaph on the brave officer. A number of poets of all descriptions entered the competition, and among the rest was one who addressed his communication to the editor of the *Public Ledger*, as follows:

He marched without dread or fears
At the head of his bold grenadiers;
And what was more remarkable—nay, very particular,
He climbed up rocks that were quite perpendicular.

"My dear," said a smiling spouse to her other half, a morning or two since, "I'm going a shopping; I want a little change." "Pooh!" responded the ungallant man, "that would be no change at all, you go shopping every day."

One landlady, innocent of grammatical knowledge, advertises that she has "a fine airy, well-furnished bedroom for a gentle man twelve feet square;" another has "a cheap and desirable suit of rooms for a respectable family in good repair," still another has "a hall bedroom for a single woman 8x 12."

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:20 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Carlton	7.50 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.36 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.06 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.00 a.m.	2.18 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.06 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.06 p.m.
Orangeville— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.30 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Orangeville— Arr.	11.15 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, May 27th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

A SHOCKING ACCIDENT happened on the evening of the 24th inst. at London, Ontario. The Steamer *Victoria* was returning with an excursion party from a place called Springbank, when the boat suddenly, and without apparent cause, crumbled to pieces, precipitating all on board, some 600 human beings, into the water. At the present time of writing about 150 bodies had been recovered. It was impossible to tell with any certainty how many had perished. As the suddenness and awful nature of the calamity has naturally thrown every one in the city into the wildest state of horror and confusion, and it will be some days before the people will be sufficiently calm to find out who are missing. In several cases whole families have perished. It is stated by some that the cause of the accident was the over-crowding of the boat. A searching investigation should be made, and if the rumours prove true the government should interfere with a strong hand to prevent the inhuman wretches who, for the sake of a few dollars, will permit their boats to be so over-crowded as to endanger the lives of all on board.

Since the above was in type fuller returns have been received, and the list of the victims now reach 217. From the Toronto *Mail* we clip, in a condensed form,

THE STORY OF THE ACCIDENT

is clearly told by Mr. W. D. Eckert, head master of the London East public school. He says:—"The decks of the steamer were packed with people, principally ladies and children. I was on the upper deck during the passage, and shortly after leaving the dock at Springbank a good many passengers began keeping time with the listing of the steamer, and went as far as they could from side to side each time the vessel surged. Many people made fun of it at first, and a good deal of hallooing was done, such as, 'Get out your lifeboats,' etc. While this was proceeding up-stairs, the passengers on the lower deck were running to and fro endeavouring to keep their feet from getting wet, and fully fifteen inches of water ran from gangway to gangway across that portion of the boat. When she surged, the people below yelled and screamed in a terrible manner. Captain Rankin was at the wheel. While nearing the bend below the Cove bridge, probably two hundred yards west of it, a greater rush of the passengers than had hitherto been experienced took place, followed by a crackling noise. The women screamed, the children yelled, and for the moment the faces of several men in my vicinity turned ghastly pale. The scene was heightened by one man jumping overboard, and almost instantaneously after the posts which upheld the hurricane deck gave way in consequence of so many people holding on to them to save themselves from being swept overboard, and

THE DECK ITSELF FELL WITH A CRASH

upon the heads of those beneath. All who could do so grabbed something to hold by, and very many were drawn into the water by their nearest neighbors. Those who could swim were prevented from doing so, first by the crash of the deck upon their heads, and, secondly, in consequence of the crowd of people who were huddled together underneath the lumber.—Then came a general crash, and the boat appeared to break up into several pieces, principally from stem to stern. The catastrophe was but the action of a few minutes. I was caught between two stanchions, and after floundering about in the water for a few moments, managed to free myself from the debris and swam to the shore. The shouting and calls for help were of the most heart-rending description. They lasted only a few minutes, however. One gentleman, whose name I do not know, swam to and from the wreck a dozen times or more and saved 14 or 15 people who had freed themselves from the floating timbers. Many of my pupils were on board. I have no hesitation in saying there were from 200 to 300 more passengers on the boat than there ought to have been. The excursionists, as a rule, generally take the boat home which leaves about half-past five, and that is the principal reason I fancy why the Victoria was overloaded."

For Ice Cream go to A. W. Eaton's Residence Brown St. opposite Dr. Sproules new residence.

If the joyus manner in which the anniversary of the natal day of our gracious Queen is any indication of loyalty, then Markdale must be put down as loyal to the core. From an early hour on Tuesday morning vehicles of all description came pouring into the village, and by noon, a pretty good crowd could be seen around the streets, Hotels, and other places, where eatables could be procured, and although the latter places were pretty numerous, it was after 2 before all appeared to have their appetites appeased after which they wended their way to the grounds where the athletic games and sports where to be held. Although the competitions were not very numerous, they were all first class, and the competitors for the various prizes were close and keen. The committee of management deserve greatcredit for their untiring exertions to make everything pass off smoothly and successfuly, which they succeeded. Below we give the prizelist, and we think some of the scores will compare favorably, with many places of much larger pretentions than the unassuming village of Markdale.

PRIZE LIST.

100 yard race—A. McDougall, Markdale, 1st; A. W. Senior, Arthur, 2nd.

Old Mens' race—John Brown, Holland, 1st; Alex. Wilson, Glenelg, 2nd.

100 yard race, boys under 16, Neil McGregor, Chatsworth, 1st; Albert Richardson, Markdale, 2nd.

Boys under 12—M. Fleming 1st; G. A. Wilson 2nd.

Extra Race, boys—R. Benson 1st; W. Bailey 2nd.

Quarter-Mile race—A. McDougall 1st; John Elliott, Euphrasia, 2nd.

Half-Mile race—J. Elliott 1st; W. Logan, Holland, 2nd.

200 yard race—A. McDougall 1st; W. H. Johnston, Toronto, 2nd.

Standing Jump—A. McDougall 1st, 11 ft. 11½ in.; A. W. Senior 2nd, 11 ft. 7½.

Standing Jump, boys under 16—N. McGregor 1st, 10 ft. 3 in.; R. Sproule 2nd, 9 ft. 9 in.

3 Standing Jumps—A. McDougall 1st, 36 ft. 5 in.; F. C. Johnston 2nd, 34 ft. 5 in.

Running Hop, Step and Jump—A. McDougall 1st, 44 ft.; E. H. Speers 2nd, 41 ft.

Standing Jump, boys under 12—R. Benson 1st, 8 ft. 9¼ in.; E. Sproule 2nd, 8ft. 8 in.

Running Long Jump—A. McDougall 1st, 19ft. 10½ in.; A. W. Senior 2nd, 19 ft. 8 in.

Standing High Jump—W. H. Johnston 1st, 4 ft. 8¼ in.; 2nd, a tie between A. W. Senior & F. C. Johnston.

Running High Jump—A. McDougall 1s, 5 ft.; W. H. Johnston 2nd, 4ft. 10 in.

Vaulting—A McDougall 1st, 9 ft. 8 in.; F. C. Johnston 2nd, 9 ft. 8in.

Putting 14 lb. Shot—J. Campbell, Walters Falls, 1st, 40 ft. 10 in.; J. McIntyre, Priceville, 2nd, 39 ft. 2 in.

Putting 21 lb. Shot—J. Campbell 1st, 31 ft. 7 in.; J. McIntyre 2nd, 27 ft. 7 in.

Best Step Dancer—R. Sproule 1st; D. McCanna 2nd.

Horizontal Bar Performance—A tie between E. Sproule, A. Richardson, R. Sproule, and R. Benson.

THE Neck-Tie Social announced for Friday evening, 20th inst., by the L. A. A., Presbyterian church here, was something new and rich, which financially and otherwise, proved a success beyond anticipation. The very fine evening and good roads brought out quite a number from the vicinity and neighboring village, who went home fully satisfied that they had spent a very enjoyable evening. The first thing on the programme was the Fish Pond, which seemed to be the chief attraction. After the Ties were all matched, and we must say, some of them very satisfactorily, the fishing commenced. Two good lines were provided, and for nearly an hour, were cast in the pond with wonderful rapidity. Some were fishing that evening that had not fished for years, young and old had a haul going home. The laugh occasioned by the above sport was worth the admission alone. After the fruit was passed round Man's Dread was introduced to the notice of those who wished to see it. Some of our young gents would not believe that such a small thing would be the dread of any man. 'Tis plainly seen they have not experienced it yet, or their opinions would be different. We hope none of the young ladies of Markdale will be compelled to resort to the use of such a dreadful little thing. The comical Reading of Messrs. McDaugal and Irwin met with hearty applause. The String Band was called on several times and did credit to the name. The proceeds, we understand, amounted to something over $22.

TEMPERANCE IN WILLIAMSFORD STATION.

At the regular meeting of Holland Centre Lodge, No. 223, United Temperance Order, held May 5th, the following were initiated as officers for the ensuing term:

President—Geo. Skene, re-elected.
Vice-Pres.—Jno. W. Bruce.
Sec.—Wm. Stevenson, re-elected.
Treas.—Sister M. A. Sargent.
Junior Counsellor—Sister C. Price.
Sen. Counsellor—Sister H. McKay.
Financier—Bro. R. Carter.
Recorder—Sister C. R. Sargent.
Marshal—Bro. P. McKennit.
Dep. Marshal—Sister R. Crowther.
Guard—Bro. W. Stevenson.
Past Pres.—Bro. A. J. Avison.

This Lodge, in spite of many difficulties and obstacles, is steadily advancing. It now numbers upwards of 40 members in good standing, new names are constantly being added to the roll, and many of the young people of this place, though surrounded by temptations in the shape of "grog shops," are earnest and faithful members and workers in the good cause.

Its regular meetings, which are held every Thursday evening in the Methodist Church (kindly granted by that body for the use of the Society), are well attended, and after the Lodge business is transacted, an instructive entertainment consisting of debates, readings, recitations, &c., is generally held, in which both officers and members alike energetically participate.

Socially and morally the Lodge is doing a good work, and its members have just reason to be pleased at the result of their efforts, in the noble work of reclaiming the drunkard and raise the fallen; and by their banding themselves together, forming a more effectual safe-guard against the coming approach of that stealthy and insidious vice, which has proved itself such a deadly enemy to the peace, happiness and prosperity of so many homes in our fair Dominion, and to so many homes even in our own village and neighboring country.

Yours, &c., B. W.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

A MAN came up the street the other day seeking help to get his horses out of the swale below the tannery, the crossing is in such a bad condition that his team fell through the holes. The other roads in the neighborhood are in almost an impassable condition. What do we pay a council for if they do not look after the roads. If things remain as they are we might as well be without one altogether.

We have a new printing office here. They have a notice posted up in their office which reads as follows:—"NOTICE.—*No loafers allowed.*" We have no loafers in our village, and I think he had better send that old foggy notice to where he brought it from.

The 24th passed off very quietly with us. The day was chiefly taken up with pic-nic parties, some going to Bruster's lake and others to Eugenia. the remainder stayed at home and walked in the Park.

An unusual aroma was discovered on Monday and people commenced searching around their stables and outbuildings to find out the cause, after a time it was ascertained to arise from a dead cow that had been left to rot in the sun. The question was asked why our city fathers, who are supposed to look after such matters, had permitted such a nuitance to exist; when lo and behold, it turned out that the cow had been the property of one of them and that another had drawn it there with his team.

The boys of our village are persecuting the sparrows very much. If our heavenly Father takes notice of one sparrow, what will he think of these boys who are committing wholesale slaughter among them. We warn them that if they don't desist, they will be apt to take an excursion to our county town.

KIMBERLEY AND VICINITY

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

Sir accepting the cordial, invitation you extended in last weeks issue, and being assured that you would correct bad grammar and spelling. I venture the following, Dare was some oxcitement at dot steam sawmill, tomorrow dot Mr. Sawyer vas walk on creek, dat vas cross der log, and he vas slip into de vater heels over der head, and der school shmall poys vas laff, und laff, und laff, till dot creek shust got up out of Mr. Sawyer und say 'by tam' you school poys you laff some much more you will not have some much face to wash mit your mother, it vas all mouth.

A picnic to Keak's lake is the programe for the 24 inst., about 35 have signified their intention to go.

Building is going on very extensively in the valley nearly every farmer that has not got a barn is building this summer.

The Queens Hotel is doing a rushing business, lots of Methodist preachers seeking repose and pleasure in wielding the fly for the unwary finny tribe. In short business is good all through the town (if you will allow the term). The saw mill & shingle mill are running to their full capacity, ten hours per diem. The blacksmith and waggon maker are doing quite a trade in new rigs, waggons, buggies & spring boards. We expect another blacksmith to start in a few weeks in the person of Horace Hurlburt. If the weather keeps fair till Sunday I will write again.

JOHNNY SNODGRASS.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

A LACROSSE Match was played here on Friday afternoon the 20th inst., between the "Grays" of Shelburne and the "Garnetts" of Dundalk, which resulted in favor of the "Grays," they winning three straight games. The games throughout were closely contested, and kept up for a considerable length of time, and have no doubt that if both clubs devote more time to practice they will show a good record this season.

The concert in the evening under the directorship of Mr. Parsons was a decided success, and reflects credit to all parties who took part therein. The following programme was rendered which was heartily applauded:—Instrumental, by Mr. W. P. Rundell; Recitation, Bernardo Del Carpio, Mr. J. J. Crombie; Song, Castles in the Air, Miss Lamon; Duett, The Moonl't Sea, Misses Graham and Rundell; Cornet Solo, Mr. Ketchum; Dialogue, Troublesome Servant, Messrs. Shaw and Sutton; Song, Beautiful Day of the Past, Miss C. Phillips; Recitation, Mr. Black; Song, Little Farm well Tilled, Messrs. Symington, Atkinson, and Rundell—accompanied by Mrs. Atkinson on the organ; Recitation, Messrs. Strachan and Crombie; Duett, Cornet and Organ, Mr. and Mrs. Ketchum; Song, What are the Wild Waves saying, Mrs. Atkinson and Mr. Rundell; Song, Minute Gun at Sea, Mrs. Atkinson and Mrs. Gardner; Instrumental Duett, Musto Gallop, Miss Graham and Miss Rundell; Chorus Piney Woods, Mrs. Atkinson, Mrs. Gardner, Mr. Rundell and Mr. Symington. The Black Statue, Characters, Messrs. Atkinson, Shaw, Sutton, Crombie, Whitby, and McQuarrie. Proceeds, about twenty-five dollars.

SAD.—Mr. Wm. Wilson Bentinck buried his eldest daughter this week, this being the fourth of his family which have died of consumption within the past two years.—*Hanover Post.*

THE TORONTO, GREY AND BRUCE ROAD.

It does not often happen that the *Mail* and *Globe* agree on any question, but after a good deal of floundering on the part of both they appear at last to have agreed upon what it is best to do with the Toronto Grey and Bruce railway. At one time they favored leasing it to the Grand Trunk at another they thought the Northern ought to get it and now they say it should be worked by the company as an independent road.

No doubt it would be a desirable thing if the company could hold and work the line. But, unfortunately for the company, that is the one thing it is not able to do. The money of the share and bondholders, of the municipalities and of the government, to the amount of $4,000,000, has been expended on construction and equipment. More money was needed for renewals and repairs, for changing the gauge, the paying off the floating debt arrears of interest on the bonds—but where was it to come from?

The municipal grant was $968,000, the bondholders advanced $1,783,464, and government gave a subsidy of $360 000. The municipalities and the government when appealed to refuse to give any further aid, and the bondholders were growing restless and urgent. Every project of the old board reorganizing the road and widning the gauge had failed, and then the control of the road and its affairs was handed over to the bondholders. This was in June of last year.

The new board re-opened negotiations with the municipalities, suggesting an arrangement by which the Grand Trunk might operate the line, if considered desirable in the interest of all parties. The directors believed that this could be accomplished, from interviews had with the general manager of the Grand Trunk, and at a convention of delegates from the municapalities the suggestion was approved. The scheme was to raise $1,000,000 by preference debenture stock and additional municipal aid, change the line to the standard gauge, re-lay it with steel rails, pay off its liabilities and arrange with the Grand Trunk to work it,

The terms of the proposed lease were rejected by Mr. Hickson as extravagant, but were accepted by the directors of his company in London, much to the surprise of everybody. Legislation was required, and a bill was introduce last session authorizing the Tronto, Grey and Bruce board to lease the road to any other railway company. But to this proposal vigorousobjections were urgedby en or twelve members whose constituents were interested in the road. They remembered that the Hamilton and Northwestern had recieved large bonuses from the municipalities on the understanding that it was to be a competiting line to the Northern, but that when it suited their purpose the directors of the former road handed it over to the latter. They were willing that the road should be leased to the Grand Trunk, but under no circumstances to the Northern partly because the lattar would be given monopoly of the trade of the northern and northwestern counties, and partly because it was not itself financially able to give a guarantee of operating the line. Finnaly it was agreed that the line might be leased to the Grand Trunk, or, with the assent of the governor in-council, to the Great Western or Northern.

Meantime the bondholders were making their arrangements for improving the track, and the prospects of the road were brightening every day. Capitalists no longer looked askance at the securities, but showed their confidence by offers of 96 for the new preference bonds. This was not because the business of the Tronto, Grey and Bruce was improved—for it was not—but simply and solely because it was about to pass into the hands of the Grand Trunk. Then Mr. Hendrie, of Hamilton, moved by a desire to benfit his own city and the Hamilton and Northwestern road, procured an offer from the Northern Company; hence all the present agitation.

This recitation of facts is necessary to show how the Toronto, Grey and Bruce came to possess any value in the eyes of railway men and capitalists. The municipalities when appealed to last year voted $85,000, and if the bondholders proposed to operate the road themselves their securities would go a begging in the market. If the Grand Trunk offer was withdrawn now their condition would be as helpless and hopeless as a year ago. It is consequently the sheerest folly to advise them—as the *Globe* and *Mail* are doing—to reject the offer of both the Grand Trunk and Northern and operate the road as an independient line.—*Toronto World.*

For all purposes of a family medicine HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL will be found invaluable. Immediate relief will follow its use. It relieves pain, cures chilblains, frostbites, scalds burns, corns, rheumatism, neuralgia, &c., &c. For internal, use it is none the less wonderful. One or two doses frequently cure sore throat. It will cure croup in a few minutes. A few bottles has often cured asthma. Colic has been cured in fifteen minutes by a teaspoonful dose. It cures with the utmost rapidity. It is really a wonderful medicine.

COUNTY ITEMS.

Last Saturday evening we were visited by a severe storm of lightning and rain. Mr. James Sullivan, of the fifth con. Glenelg, had a calf struck by the lightning. It was paralyzed for about twenty-four hours, but strange to say, is now doing well.—*Review.*

The new Congregation of Knox Presbyterian Church held their first service in the Town Hall, on Sabbath last. A large congregation assembled both morning and evening, and listened very attentively to the discourse of Rev. Mr. Smith, who conducted the service.—*Review.*

THE catch of trout in this locality has been so far remarkably good, a fact that is visible on the radiant faces of the devotees of the piscatorial art. As an instance of this we might mention that, on Monday, Messrs. I. F. Belfry, F. A. Campbell, Thomas Jennings and J. McLachlan, went up to Reid's pond, in Melancthon, and caught about thirty dozen speckled trout. This is a true story.

On Thursday afternoon last, sparks from the chimney of the cabinet factory here, ignited the straw lying around an adjoining stable, which would soon have been in flames, if the fire had not been seen in time, and promptly extinguished. Fortunately there was no wind blowing at the time, if the fire had got fairly started, nothing could have prevented a disastrous conflagration. —*Shelburne Free Press.*

A STRANGE CASE.—A man named Crispin, of Brant Township, who has been living at Bay City for some time, recently returned and brought back a wife with him, who had been married to another man several years ago. On Friday last, the first husband made his appearance at the residence of Crispin, and demanded his wife and child; but she refused to go with him. We understand that he left again, and whether he will make any further effort to obtain the woman, is not known. Crispin and the woman have been living together for four or five years.—*Post*

CUTTING STAVES.—The Messrs Knechel employed a man to feed the machine for cutting staves, in their factory here and he went to work with great confidence having had some experience in the business. In a short time he got his fingers too close and lost a piece of one of them, he tied it up and and went on with his work as before but very soon the same thing happened again and the finger was nearly all taken off. This obliged him to give up. Having no one else that was able or willing to do this work, Mr. P. Knechtel went at it himself and cut the whole stock of stave bolts, without meeting with a scratch. The work is exceedingly difficult and dangerous and very few men can be found willing to engage in it. As a rule, it will be found that stave cutters are short of some of their fingers, and perhaps a hand.—*Post.*

APHORISMS ON THE CULTURE OF CHILDREN.

BY DR. P. H. CHAVASSE, F.R.C.S., ETC., ENGLAND.

'None has yet penetrated into the mystery of a mother's influence over her child. Science is beginning to show how all important is this influence before birth, but science has not yet found out what germs of character are earliest developed and fostered by the magnetism of a mother's love, in its direct bearing on the physical and mental growth.

'A little child can only judge of you by your action. It is no use preaching *at* or to him. Your actions toward him speak more volubly, forcibly and effectually than words.

'Boys ought never to be allowed to sleep with (female) servants. Many a pure, innocent boy has had his body weakened and his mind corrupted for life by this practice being allowed.

'When a child is unusually naughty and cross, the chances are that he is not well......Let him have a run and a romp out of doors, and, if possible, in the green fields.

'Never deceive your child. If you once do, he will never believe you again; and mischief will be done which years will not repair.

'The best physicians for many complaints are—Dr. Diet, Dr. Quiet, and Dr. Merryman:—diet, rest and cheerfulness.

'Every child ought to have his flower garden—a plot of ground that he might call his own—that he might, to his heart's content, dig and delve, plant and sow.

'A quacking mother (one who is always dosing her children) is a misfortune to her child, and makes plenty of work for the doctors.

'Some mothers deserve a whipping more than do their children; she having encouraged a fault by bad management, is the real offender.

Temperance, early rising and sponging the whole of the body every morning, either with tepid or cold, are preventives of cold, provocatives of health, helps to longevity and sharpeners of the intellect. "The method by which," says Sir Astley Cooper, "I preserve my own health, are temperance, early rising and sponging the body every morning with cold water immediately after getting out of bed, a practice which I have adopted for thirty years, and although I go from the hot theatre into the wards of the hospital on the severest winter nights with merely silk stockings on my legs, I scarcely ever had a cold.'—*Canada Health Journal.*

BIRTH.

SPARLING—At Vandeleur, on the 11th inst., the wife of Mr. James P. Sparling, of a son

BURNETT—In Markdale, on the 18th inst., the wife of Mr. Burnett, of a daughter.

New Testament.

REVISED EDITION.

A stock just received at the Medical Hall
A. TURNER, &c.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.
Berlin—First Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

NOTICE.

The adjourned Court of Revision, for the Township of Proton, will meet at Cedarville for the final Revision on the second Tuesday in June 1881. The Court to open at 10 a.m.

JOHN [illegible], Township Clerk.
Proton, 26th May 1881. 37-2w

[illegible] Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.
Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto.

NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received up to the 10th of June, by Wilson Benson, for the building of a small frame building in Markdale. Specifications may be seen at the Belfast House.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-3w

Burdock
BLOOD
BITTERS

ROBT. ASKIN,
MARKDALE,
Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture!
—AND—
UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
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and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.
Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-4w

Mortgage Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

In the Township of Artemesia

UNDER and by virtue of the provisoes and powers contained in two mortgages made by **Henry Williams** to the **Farmers' Loan and Savings Company,** and to **William J. McFarland** respectively, which will be produced at the time of sale and subject to conditions which will be then read, there will be sold by Public Auction by **A. S. Vandusen** Auctioneer, at **Rutledge's Hotel,** in the **Village of Markdale,** on

Monday, the 6th day of June, 1881.

At One o'clock P. M.

The following desirable farm.

Lot number *Seventeen*, in the *Thirteenth* Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres be the same more or less. There are about 60 acres of said land cleared. The buildings consist of a small log shanty. It is well watered, and within easy distance of Markdale Station.

Terms of Sale.—One half in cash at the time of sale, and the balance as may be agreed upon.

There will be a reserve bid.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, A. S. VANDUSEN, Flesherton, or to MESSRS. LANE & ROWE, Owen Sound, the Vendor's Solicitors.

LANE & ROWE,
Solicitors for the Vendor.
Dated the 6th day of May, 1881. 35-3w

Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargent's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

A Good Chance.

To rent for one or more years, Lot 8 con. 9 Euphrasia, terms easy, 60acres in grass. Apply to,
W. J. McFARLAND.
Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

NOTICE.

All parties are hereby warned against trespassing on above lot.
THOS. H. YOUNG.
Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite M. Bowes' residence.
Markdale, Dec. [illegible] 1880. 14m

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is now complete, comprising
Trimmed Hats & Bon[nets]
CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES
RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND
ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMIN[GS]
LADIES' MANT[LES]
CUT AND MADE TO ORDER
Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches.
We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.
Thankful for past favors, we would solict a continuance of the same.
HILL BROS.
Markdale, May 28th, 1881.

Artemesia Warehouse,

FLESHERTON STATION.
Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete stock of
Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,
HARDWARE, CROCKERY,
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,
All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.
Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.
Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured for sale.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, May 27th. 1881.

MARKDALE Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BOTTOMS,
FRA[MES]
Lumber, Lath and Shing[les]
Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.
The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage thave given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.
I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of
PINE LUMBER
ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.
Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the [illegible] and will have another schooner load in a few days.
All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Tur[ning]
Done in a first class manner.
THOS. McNA[B]
Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

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EIGHT-PAGE PAPER
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Agents receive 25 Cents for every yearly subscriber. Any party sending us three subscribers will receive a copy, post-paid, of the Farmer's Account Book, worth one dollar, in place of the usual commission. Send a post card for Sample Copy of our Weekly, which is sent free. The only paper in Canada that publishes a Draught Column. Address
SPECTATOR PRINTING COMPANY,
Hamilton, Ont.
Nov. 11, 1880.

Province of Ontario Directory
For 1881-82,
TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,
Price $5.00.
MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an
Alphabetical Directory
AND A THOROUGH
CLASSIFIED
Business Directory
of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
CLASSIFIED
BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.
JOHN NOBLE.
N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.
Markdale, Dec. 17, 1880. 14-tf

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Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND.
The Court of Revision for the Township of Holland, for the current year, will be held in Vogan's Hall, Holland Centre, on Saturday, the 28th day of May, of which all parties interested will take notice, and govern themselves accordingly. The Court will open at [illegible]
CARSON, [illegible]
Holland Centre, May, 1881.

The Reform Association

OF East Grey, will meet in Convention in the Town Hall Flesherton, on Tuesday, 14th June, 1881, at [illegible] p. m. Meantime a limited number of circulars will be issued; but as it is manifestly impossible to reach all the friends of Reform throughout the Riding, all are requested to attend without further notice.
By order of the President.
WM. [illegible]
Markdale, May 26th, 1881.

[THE] STANDARD.

[Friday], May 27th, 1881.

[LOCAL AND] OTHER NOTICES.

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[...] dry weather.

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[...], Clocks, & Jewelery in [...] and at the right prices, [...]'s.

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Pieces of Tweed, 50 cents—worth 70.
Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
Dozen Table Napkins, 6½ cents, direct from manufacturers.
Yards Black Broad-cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
Mens Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

25 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manufacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " " 75 "
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W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
2764½ Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brillianteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New

Cashmeres, cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.
Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

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The want of a hearse has long been felt in Markdale, but that is no longer the case, as will be seen by reference to our advertising columns. Mr. R. Askin, who recently bought out Mr. George Wright's furniture establishment, has supplied the want.

Mr Benson is making preparations to rebuild and will erect a much larger building than the old one, he intends making a solid front with the Reid & McDougal block making a frontage of 128 feet in all.

We learn that one of the players for the jig dancing competition on the grounds on the 24th, got into serious trouble by so doing. It may be judged how he fared when his little boy was heard to ask his mother what made his pa's whiskers thinner on one side than they were on the other.

Mrs. Morgan—I am very much pleased with the Switch and Puffs you made for me, and take pleasure in recommending you to any one desiring work in your line.
Mrs. C. W. Rutledge.
Markdale, May 23rd, 1881.

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It appears that the murderers of the Donnelly family are likely to be brought up again, the brothers Feely having made a confession fully corroborating little Johnny O'Connor's evidence. As far as can be learned the parties most interested appear to labor under no apprehension as to the final result should they again be brought to trial, as they feel confident that no jury will convict them on the Feeley's evidence. Time alone will prove if their surmises are correct.

The proprietor of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS challenges the world to produce the record of a medicine that has achieved a more wonderful success, or better credentials in so short a period of time as has this great BloodPurifier and System Renovator. Its cures are the marvels of the age. Sample Bottles 10 cents.

The people of Markham were recently greatly startled at the discovery of a large quantity of human remains, and all sorts of rumours and conjectures were indulged in. There were about 500 skulls dug up besides other portions of bones belonging to the human body. Professor Wilson, of Toronto, went down to investigate and came to the conclusion that they were the remains of Indians and must have been in the ground fully 800 years.

Personal.—It is with pleasure that we announce the return of Mr. A. Speers, jr., from the North-West Territory, whither he went last fall to pursue his occupation of droving. It is unnecessary for us to make any further remarks than that Mr Speers intends resuming business here, as the entire farming community know the generous treatment they have received at the hands of that gentleman while associated with his brothers in the past. Mr. S. speaks in glowing terms of the North-West, and believes it is destined to lead in our Dominion as an agricultural country before another five years passes over us.

An honest medicine is the noblest work of man- and their is no remedy that is more justly meritorious in curing the ills that flesh is heir to' than Burdock Blood Bitters, the Great Blood Purifier and System Renovator. It cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, Kidney, Complaints, and all troubles arising from impure blood, constipated bowels or disordered secretions, and the best Nervine and Tonic in the world.

Shocking Death.—Mrs. Thomas Boyd, Holland Township, about six miles from here, came to her death on Monday evening the 23rd inst., in a most heartrending manner. She started a little fire in front of the house in order to drive the misquitoes away with the smoke. It appears her dress caught fire, and she being very feeble (being 79 years of age) was unable to make sufficient exertion to extinguish the fire and perished before assistance came. Her husband was not more than half an hour from the house and when he returned found to his horror his wife quite dead. Mrs. Boyd was much respected and had made many warm friends in the Township of Holland, where she had long been a resident. Mr. Boyd has the deepest sympathy of the neighborhhod in his sad bereavement.

Neither the syndicate, the Scott Act, or the Irish question cause half the sensational comment, that is caused by the popularity of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. This great remedy is marvellous in its success in curing Chronic disease when other medicines have failed. It is the best Blood Purifying Tonic and Liver Invigorator known. A specific for all diseases of Blood, Liver and Kidneys. Sample Bottles 10 cents.

The Fair :—on Tuesday last the usual Monthly Fair was held. The number of Cattle offered was not very large, but very good animals were disposed of. Mr. Wm. Irvine of Bentinck sold a three year old steer which weighed 1590 lbs. for $72. Mr. James Edge sold another that weighed over 1600 lbs. A number of milch cows were also offered. The attendance of people was not very large, and the fair was over at an early hour.—Review.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, May 20, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.11	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.06	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel,	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.25	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Thursday, April 28th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.95	"	0.97
Barley	0.50	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

Toronto, May 19, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 79	to	0 91
Oats, do.	0 39	to	0 40
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye, do.	0 80	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	to	0 70
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	50	to	0 60
Turkeys	1 00	to	1 75
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	17	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	1 50
Potatoes per bag	0 50	to	0 65
Onions, per bag	2 00	to	2 50
Hay	8 50	to	14 25

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

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A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

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Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

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Services in Dufferin Hall every alternate Sabbath at 11 a. m., and intervening Sabbaths at 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. Bible Class and Prayer Meeting on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

COURT of REVISION

TOWNSHIP OF ARTEMESIA.

The first sitting of the Court of Revision, for the Township of Artemesia, will be held in the Town Hall Flesherton, on Monday the 6 th day of June, A. D. 1881, all parties interested will please take notice and govern themselves accordingly.

W. J. BELLAMY.
Clerk.
Flesherton May 20th 1881. 35-1w

COURT of REVISION

TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.

Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision, of assessment for the Township of Glenelg, for the year 1881, will be held at the Town Hall, on Monday the 30th day of May 1881, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAS. BROWN.
Township Clerk.
Glenelg May 14th 1881. 36-2w.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
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GEO. NOBLE.
Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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AND
OTHER PARTIES,
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JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, st, 1880. 10-ly

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IN ARTEMESIA,

FIFTY acres of land, Lot 25, south of Durham Road, 18 acres of cleared land with log house, and well fenced. Inquire of Robert Oliver, opposite the lot, or
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Jan. 12th, 1881. 18-4f

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SPRING WAGGONS,
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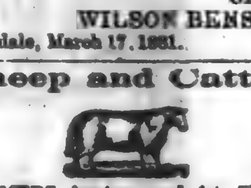
BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

Auction Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

Under and by virtue of powers of sale contained in mortgages, there will be sold by Public Auction, by George Noble: Auctioneer, at the Markdale Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, on

Thursday, the 26th day of MAY, A. D. 1881,

At the hour of 3 o'clock, P. M.

The following parcels of Freehold Property,

Parcel No. 1.—Lot number 62, in the third range East of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the township of of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less, about 25 acres of which are cleared, well-fenced and in a good state of cultivation, the balance are covered with good hardwood timber. The buildings consist of a log house and log barn. This Lot is about one and a half miles from Berkley Station, on the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, and about 6 miles from the Village of Markdale.

Parcel No. 2.—The West half of Lot number 30, in the 12th Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less, about 20 acres of which are cleared, well-fenced and under cultivation, the balance are covered with good hardwood. The buildings consist of a log house and log barn. This Lot is about 8 miles from Flesherton Village and 8 miles from Eugenia.

Terms of Sale.—Ten per cent of purchase money down at time of sale; one-third of the remainder within one month thereafter, and the balance to remain on mortgage, or be then paid at the option of the purchaser.

The properties will be sold subject to a reserved bid.

For further particulars apply to the undersigned at Toronto
MULOCK, TILT, McARTHUR & CROWTHER,
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Dated 2nd May, 1881. 35-2w.

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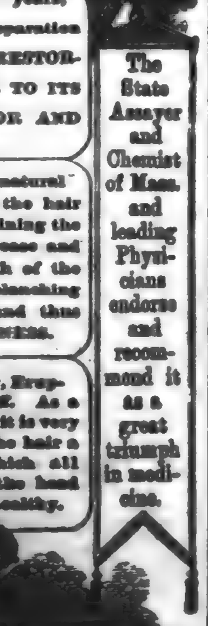

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It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

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Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg ...

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ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881.

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

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FLESHERTON STEAM
FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY
AND REMOVED TO THE
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I have now a Large and Varied Stock of
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100,000 FEET OF GOOD
Butternut, Cherry, Basswood, Birch and Ash
LUMBER!
for which
THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.
Also a Quantity of Good Pine.

ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDING, TC.,
AS USUAL.
Estimate of supplies Given on Application.
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H. HOOPER.
Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

Announcement!

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Wm- BROWN.
Markdale, April 15, 1818. 1-ly

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FOR SALE,
One Mile from the Village of Markdale.

There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, is in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality ...

FARM OR SALE,

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RENT for a TERM of YEARS.

50 ACRES, nearly all cleared and free of stumps, 2½ miles from Markdale ...

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment on the 30th April, 1881. Members all present. Minutes of last session of Council read and approved.

Messrs. Boyd, Gilray, and the Reeve were appointed a committee to investigate all matters connected with the building of a new road in the valley (which has been asked for), and to report at the next meeting of Council. A By-Law was passed appointing pathmasters, poundkeepers, and fenceviewers as follows:

Pathmasters—J. McCallen, G. Emery, C. Clark, J. Ferguson, L. Bentis, jr., R. Carefoot, W. Pringle, D. Bath, C. Fawcett, D. Wallace, J. Rear, H. Conn, T. Julian, M. Atkins, W. Loughead, G. Wilson, N. Hewson, J. Devins, J. Johnston, R. Bell, A. Way, A. Hall, J. McClung, T. Milne, H. White, J. Martin, J. Hodgson, R. Camplin, H. Hurd, H. Reid, A. Bell, A. Londry, T. McConnel, R. Loughead, W. McElroy, B. Smith, T. Wiggins, J. Plewis, A. T. Buchannan, F. Eaton, W. McConnel, D. Clark, T. Burritt, P. Harris, J. Hurlburt, D. Patton, C. Morwood, Jr Knott, W. Clarke, W. J. Loughead, R. Gardner, J. Neely, J. Millar, R. Snelgrove, E. Stokes, J. Pickerin, R. Braidner, T. McAffee, jr., C. Kelley, J. Anderson, J. Nelson, D. R. Ellis, J. Yelland, J. Braidner, J. Ormsby, S. Braidner, B. Black, J. Manning, J. Clark. W. Boyd, G. Beattie, S. Wright, G. Yeaddell, S. Quinton, W. Douglas, N. Laird, D. Silverthorn, W. J. Boyd, J. King, J. Paterson, jr., W. Marshall, J. Struthers, F. Eagle, J. A. Hawken, T. Muxlow, J. Hall, W. Sewell, J. Thompson, H. Smith, N. Curry, R. McCullough, E. Mick, G. Dickson, F. Burton, D. Logan, R. J. Halbert, A. Davidson, E. Wickham, G. King, R. Wyville, J. McCarter, J. K. Rawlings.

Poundkeepers—A. McKewen, G. Wilson, sr., J. Badgerow, J. Gordon, J. M. Thurston, T. Jordon, J. McKenzie, S. Wiley, J. H. Perry, G. Richardson, J. Stitts, J. Hawken, G. Shepherdson, R. Elliott, T. King.

Fenceviewers—J. Conn, T. Black, W. Wilson, W. Ellison, J. O'Bryan, A. Way, J. Myles, T. Ellis, T. McConnel, D. Loughead, J. Yelland, F. Burch, J. Nelson, W. Boyd, jr., J. Anperson, J. Arthurs, E. Hudson, W. Kelley, J. A. Hawken, F. Taylor, J. Curry, R. Sparling, A. Murdock, R. Johnston, W. M. Artley.

The time for returning the Collector's Rolls was further extended.

Moved by Mr. Gilray, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the County Treasurer be authorized to accept from William Peterson the sum of $19.42, being the full amount of arrears of taxes chargeable against the S. ½ of lot 2, in the 3rd concession of Euphrasia, minus road work, as the road work has been performed, and that the Clerk transmit to the County Treasurer a copy of this resolution.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Gilray, that the Report of Committee appointed to make a final settlement with John Clugston, Collector, for the years 1878-79 be accepted, and that the amount of balance due which is shewn to be $7.00½ be accepted by the Treasurer as balance of payment in full. But that if any error should appear in future in any of Mr. Clugston's reports, &c., that he be still held responsible for such amount—car.

A petition signed by James Paterson, and 27 others asking relief for Mrs. J. Mick was laid before the Council, and the Reeve issued an order on the Treasurer for $10, for said purpose. The Reeve's order was issued in favor of John Abercrombie for the sum of $35, as payment of expenses and labour performed in taking care of C. L. Wyocuh, an indigent, during sickness. Said amount to cover also expenses of his burial.

Money Orders were issued in favour of Thomas Jordan for $50, being salary as Collector for the year 1880, and in favor of G. Richardson for $6, expenses of Arbitration concerning work on Nelson's hill, Town line Euphrasia and Artemesia.

The Clerk was ordered to get 500 copies of the Minutes of Council for last year together with the Auditors' Reports, published in pamphlet form.

On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in May, and will then meet as a Court of Revision, at ten o'clock a.m., in the Township Hall.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Clerk.

If the Scriptures are to be quoted they must be weil and truthfully quoted or they are liable to do more harm than good to the quoter. Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, discovered this when in behalf of the Chinese he quoted St. Paul's declarat on: "For God hath made of one blood all nations of the earth." "Go on—quot the remainder of the sentance." "There is no more of it," said Hoar. "Oh, yes there is," rejoined General Miller, "for the Apostle Paul said in addition to the words which the Senator has quoted, 'and hath determined the bounds of his habitations.' This was greeted by the Senate with peals of laughter, overwhelming the Massachusetts Senator with confusion. He questioned the accuracy of the quotation, and Miller producing a copy, read the whole passage.

COUNTY ITEMS.

THE RAILWAY.— We hear the whistle of the railway almost every day in Durham. On Tuesday last a train brought up a large quantity of freight for different parties in Town, and we understand that freight will be brought regularly from the present time. Ballasting is being proceeded with as rapidly as possible with one gravel train, and in a week or two regular trains will be run.—*Review.*

SINGULAR HAIL STORM.—Yesterday (Wednesday) Durham was visited by a rather singular Thunder storm. About half-past two o'clock it commenced raining. Just when it commenced a few hailstones fell of rather a large size, followed by a large down pour of rain without hail, which lasted only a few minutes, but just as it ceased, and as the thin edge of the cloud appeared to be right over Durham, and very high up, a quantity of hailstones fell of an extraordinary size and shape. Some of the stones were more than an inch across and of an irregular shape. Some clear as glass while others were opaque and white, and some were in the shape of a potatoe with four or five small ones attached. We picked up seven which completely cover-ed the palm of the hand, and no two alike. There was no wind the time the large hail fell. We did not hear of any damage being done.—*Review.*

Mortgage Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

In the Township of Artemesia.

Under and by virtue of the provisions and powers contained in two mortgages made by Henry Williams to the Farmers' Loan and Savings Company, and to William J. McFarland respectively, which will be produced at the time of sale and subject to conditions which will be then read, there will be sold by Public Auction by A. S. Vandusen Auctioneer, at Rutledge's Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, on

Monday, the 6th day of June, 1881,

At One o'clock P. M.

The following desirable farm:

Lot number Seventeen, in the *Thirteenth* Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres be the same more or less. There are about 60 acres of said land cleared. The buildings consist of a small log shanty. It is well watered, and within easy distance of Markdale Station.

Terms of Sale.—One half in cash at the time of sale, and the balance as may be agreed upon.

There will be a reserve bid.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, A. S. VANDUSEN, Flesherton, or to Messrs. LANE & ROWE, Owen Sound, the Vendor's Solicitors.

LANE & ROWE,
Solicitors for the Vendor.

Dated the 6th day of May, 1881. 35-3w

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRT,
WAGGON, ETC.,
AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING
AND
General Jobbing!

As we warant all our work. A call is solicited, and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-3m.

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

Court of Revision.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the First Court of Revision for the purpose of Revising the Assessment Roll, of the Township of Euphrasia, for the current year, will be opened for the transaction of business at the Hall of said Township, at 10 o'clock a. m., on Saturday, the 28th day of May, inst.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Euphrasia, 2nd May, 1881

Osprey Court of Revision.

The Court of Revision of Assessment Roll, for the Township of Osprey, will hold its first sitting on Monday, the 30th May, at 10 a. m. in the Orange Hall, Maxwell.

Wm. MILNE, Clerk.

Maxwell 11th May 1881 35-2w.

R. J. McCOY,

Agent for the following Implements, &c.:

The Massey MOWER,
HARVESTER, and celebrated
HAY RAKE, (Sharp's.)

Wilkinson's PLOUGHS,

DICK'S LATON PLOUGHS.

ALL KINDS OF

Fittings and Repairs

Kept constantly on hand.

SEWING MACHINES AND ORGANS FOR SALE, CHEAP.

Licensed AUCTIONEER FOR THE COUNTY.

Bills provided and Sales attended to in all parts of the County.

Charges Moderate.

R. J. McCOY.

Markdale, March 17th, 1881. 37-m3

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronise the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.
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BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,
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Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Uneaqualled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

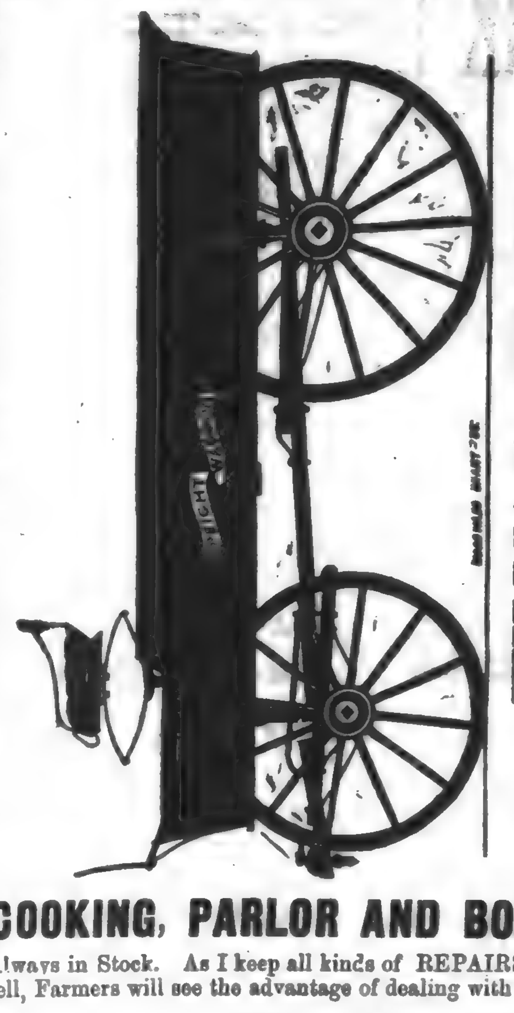
Unsurpassed in beauty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



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Dealer in all kinds of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS AT COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust tat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account will call at my shop and settle without further notice, As I have not time to visit you all at your homes, and it is too expensive to send out a collector, I hope the above notice will be sufficient.

JOHN NOBLE.

N. B.—Warning is hereby given, that receipts are of no value unless signed by myself personally. JOHN NOBLE.

Markdale, Dec. 17. 1880. 14-tf

FARM FOR SALE,

OR TO

RENT for a TERM of YEARS.

50 ACRES, nearly all cleared and free of stumps, 1½ miles from Markdale.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, April 16, 1881. 30-3i

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres FOR SALE.

One Mile from the Village of Markdale. There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside, a Milk House bricked inside, a Frame Stable and Driving Shed, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear, a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school houses, and all necessary conveniences.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

Maple Leaf Farm, Markdale P.O.

ALEX. [illegible]

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. [illegible] with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only [illegible] that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to All.

Now that the season of Good Cheer is at hand, I wish to call Public attention to my stock of

FRESH GROCERIES,
FRUITS, CANNED GOODS, CONFECTIONERY
AND
LIQUORS.

Everything First-Class, and at

☞ RIGHT PRICES!

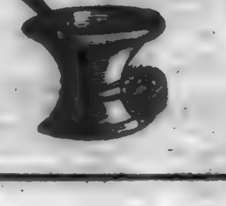
My BOTTLED BRANDY is unsurpassed; OLD RYE, the purest; MALT, the best; PORTER, equal to Ginness' Stout; and the finest stock of Draft and Bottled Ale in this section. Old Cider equal to Champagne.

☞ Get your Holiday's supply of above Goods

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 9-ly

MEDICAL HALL



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FIELD SEEDS,

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CLOVER,
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GARDEN SEEDS!

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

STOP. MARK. LEARN!

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GREAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENAERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers.

In **GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can and will sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollers for every one invested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and ten barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car [illegible] bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10, 1881 14-ly

FOR REASONS NOT GIVEN,

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REYNOLDS & SON'S,

As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at LOWEST CASH PRICES. Come One, Come All. And examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere.

Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard. Muslins, 10c. per yard. Mens' Felt Hats 75c

Prints, 6c. and upwards. Tweeds for 60c and upwards.

Good fresh Teas for 25c. and upwards. 10 pounds of Light Sugar for One Dollar, 12 pounds of Currents for One Dollar, Coal Oil 30 cents per gallon. 10½ pounds Raisins for One Dollar.

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Large and commodious Sample Rooms; good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
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Sept. 17, 1880. 1

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Meat delivered at any house in town.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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F. Z. NIXON,
Veterinary Surgeon
Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to.
RESIDENCE, DURHAM
25-3m.

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Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.
Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
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For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
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MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
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Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand. Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done in the city of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 16, 1880. 16-y

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
[illegible]
FLESHERTON.
[illegible] ... prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description, the best of their kind in the market, and at prices as low as any, according to the quality of the work. [illegible] I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made. Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with these in quality or price. 11-47

H. MEGGITT,
Fashionable Tailor,
FLESHERTON.
Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.
Cutting done while customers are waiting.
A Good Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the [illegible] years he has been in the Harness business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

TAILORING
C. A. OWEN,
Fashionable Tailor,
HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to
FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!
CUTTING!
Done while Customers are waiting.
THE LATEST FASHION PLATES
Always on hand to chose from.
A Good Fit Guaranteed
—AT—
LOW RATES.
Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.
Markdale, Nov. 25, 1880. 11-m6

D. J. SHANAHAN'S
WAGON and Carriage Works,
Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us withtheir orders for
CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.
Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.
Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus ensuring a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.
Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

Sheep and Cattle.
FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave their names and address at Mc-[illegible] Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned will call on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. [illegible]
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

Public Notice.
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W.T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is now properly [illegible]
The corporation of the township of Glenelg do not [illegible]
JAMES BROWN, FINLAY MacRAE,
Clerk. Reeve
Township of Glenelg, [illegible]

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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIT CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Octr 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th, 10:30 p. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6:30 p. m.; Dec 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; [illegible] Sabbath School [illegible]

HOUSE CLEANING.

I hear the carpet-beater's stroke,
I see the dusty carpet smoke,
I hear the swash of brush and pail,
And soap-suds taint the summer gale.

The front piazza open spreads
A view of chairs and feather beds;
While on the line hang coats and pants,
[illegible]

Through open windows, robbed of sash,
The crazy curtains flap and lash;
The chamber window sports a dress—
[illegible]

High o'er the din a woman's voice
In merry cadence doth rejoice,
Bare-armed, dishevelled, 'midst the noise—
Behold the [illegible] of our joys!

Thrice happy then the chap who can
Be gone a week "to see a man;"
Nor prematurely homeward hie,
But give the whitewash time to dry.

"O woman! in our hours of ease,"
We never dreamed of pranks like these;
The cleaning spells have come, no doubt,
E'er since Eve cleaned old Adam out.

SPRING SPORTS.

Now digs the boy the garden plot,
With energy intense,
Until he bags a tribe of worms,
And then he skips the fence.

Then off he skoots to where the stream
Doth very gently swish;
And with much patience, and his hooks,
Enticeth sundry fish.

And then with slow and weary steps,
Homeward doth he wend—
And he is led to a back shed,
And frightful cries ascend.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

CHAPTER. X.

Others besides the young girls had heard the banshee-cry, and were alarmed at it. The servants talked of it next day with bated breath. Mrs. Coghlan was puzzled and uneasy.

James Surridge alone read it rightly. He was convinced that these strange incidents pointed to an endeavour by some of the people to warn the members of the family of approaching danger. Glorvina was very popular with the peasantry, as a sympathiser with their cause; and Mrs. Coghlan and Eva were beloved for many acts of kindness. Probably Mr. Coghlan himself, the clergyman thought, was not personally disliked, though the fanatic rebels might mean to startle other magistrates by his fate. He was confirmed in his opinion next morning during his walk with Teddy. They met Kathleen, who, having perceived that the boy had run on with his hoop out of hearing, turned back and said to Mr. Surridge—

"If you plaze, sorr, may I spake wid ye?"

"Surely, Kathleen. Is there anything I can do for you?"

"No sorr, it's not for meself I would spake. But, oh, there's terrible anger about, sorr, 'cos of the boys as is to suffer next week at Dublin! And it's wishin' I am that the family was away! Indade, sorr, it would be better if ye'd take a holiday for a bit yerself."

"Would you have me forsake my friends in peril, Kathleen?" he asked reproachfully. "Surely that is not what you would do?"

"I hope not, sorr; but I haven't the bold heart you have. And it would be death to anyone who took the part of those the boys had sintenced."

"But, Kathleen, this is all very wicked. Those who know murder is about to be committed and do not warn the victims are almost equally guilty with the murderers, and run a risk of sharing their fate in the end."

"But it's not murder at all, at all, I'm not spaking of," she retorted angrily. "only justice, sorr! And, if folks can't get it, they'll take it!"—and she was passing on, but Surridge took hold of her arm.

"Stay," he said. "In return for the life I gave you, Kathleen, tell me if any immediate danger beyond the risk every one now runs in this unhappy country is hanging over the Priory!"

"It's not to the likes of me they would tell it if there was," she replied. "And if they had, it isn't Kathleen who would betray a trust. But I've eyes and ears, and I tell you, sorr, that you and Miss Glorvina to had better get out of the Priory before Mr. Coghlan returns." And, snatching up her pail, she walked away.

"It is just as I feared—Heaven help us!" sighed the tutor rather hopelessly; for that morning there had come a letter from Mr. Coghlan announcing his speedy return, but not a word in it of any intention to remove his family to a safer home.

He had been, he said, unable to save O'Rourke's life by getting a pardon, but he had seen the man and received his forgiveness, and even his thanks for what he and Miss Desmond had done for him and promised for his family.

"His wife was with him," he added, "and was also grateful. The priest has convinced O'Rourke of his guilt, and the man is very penitent. I think, after this reconciliation with the condemned man himself, we need fear no revenge from the people. I shall not wait over the execution now, but be with you on Thursday next."

It was Tuesday now; on Thursday Mr. Coghlan would be home; on Friday O'Rourke would suffer. The tutor wished that Mr. Coghlan, if he would not remove his family, had at least remained over the execution, and till the feeling against him had somewhat passed away. But Coghlan was a wrong-headed, reckless man, though honourable and tender-hearted.

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On Thursday evening the Squire came home, grave, and yet glad to see his family again. He thanked the tutor for his care and attention; and James Surridge, when alone with him again, pressed on him the advisability of the family's going to Dublin for a time. But Mr. Coghlan persisted in his opinion that all danger was over.

"The threats," he said, "were made to save O'Rourke; but, now that he is sentenced and as good as dead, they will not annoy us again."

There was a good deal of gloom hanging over the family the next day. It was Dan O'Rourke's death-day, and there are few who would not be affected, at even involuntarily, causing a man to suffer the last penalty of the law.

They were all glad when Tim O'Brien came into dinner, and cheered them by his own unusually boisterous spirits. So wild at times did his glee appear during the meal, that Glorvina more than once looked at him with a fear that he had been drinking.

After dinner however, when he joined them in the drawing-room, his exuberant gaiety seemed to have deserted him. He sat quiet, answering occasionally at random, and sometimes appearing to be listening, Glorvina thought.

The girls had seated themselves at work at a small table near the fire; the children were playing on the hearthrug with a puzzle their father had brought them. Mr. Coghlan proposed a game of whist with his wife, Tim and the tutor. The card-table was drawn forward, and they had just taken their seats at it, when there was the report of a gun and a crash of glass; for a shot, striking the pier-glass, had shivered it.

There was a loud cry from the startled women. The tutor, springing up, rushed to the window and instantly closed and barred the shutters.

Happily no one was hurt, though, had not Mr. Coghlan happened at that moment to have bent forward over the table, the shot must have gone through his head. The family looked at each other in stunned alarm. Then little Norah burst into a violent fit of crying, and Eva clasped her arms around her father's neck. The tutor turned back and approached Glorvina.

"Take them all to the north rooms, Miss Desmond," he said, "and secure yourselves; I will ring the alarm;" and he snatched up a candle from the table and left the room.

Mrs. Coghlan rang the bell violently. The servants, already alarmed by the report of the gun, thronged in, looking pale and scared, while Glorvina whispered a few brief sentences to her guardian.

"An admirable thought!" he answered. "We will go at once."

"Where—what?" asked O'Brien eagerly.

"Into hiding," said his host drily. "Be so good as to take care of my wife, and lead her up-stairs."

"But surely," exclaimed Tim, "we men will not hide! Let the ladies do so by all means; but we must try a few shots with the rebels."

"My good fellow," replied Coglan, "I neither wish to kill nor be killed. A man's blood is a heavy weight on the soul. Lead Mrs. Coghlan to the north rooms. Murphy are all the doors and windows secured?"

"Yes, sorr," replied the trembling servant "Mr. Surridge sees them all fastened himself at dusk every night."

"Yet the shutters of that window"—pointing to it—"are not closed."

"But, sorr, I fastened them with my own hands," declared the man.

"Oh, never mind, don't dispute about it!" cried Glorvina impatiently. "Make haste up-stairs."

The tutor had hurried to the bell-tower, which was opposite to the bachelors' turret. The rope from it hung in an empty room opening upon the south corridor, where the family slept; but it was hooked up out of Teddy's reach, lest in a fit of mischief he should alarm the neighborhood.

The tutor uncoiled it and pulled it with all his strength; there came only a faint sound as from a feeble stroke. Surprised, he renewed his effort with greater force. The rope yielded to his hand this time, and came clattering to his feet. Greatly surprised and dismayed, he held the fallen end to the candle, and perceived that it had been cut through, except one strand, which was frayed and torn by the recent pull. The strand left had sufficed to support it until a strong pull brought it down. They were betrayed! No call for help could be given. The tutor, with a sigh of discouragement gathered up the rope.

Meanwhile, Mr. Coghlan, arrived at the head of the stairs, paused.

"I wonder we don't hear the bell," he said. "Perhaps Surridge can't find the rope; I will go after him. Glory, dear, take them to your hiding-place"—waving his hand towards his family.

Glorvina, with a lingering glance, obeyed. Her guardian turned away, and they hurried into the first of the north rooms.

"Well secured, I see," said Tim; and, taking the bar of the first door in his hand, he was about to put it in the staples; but Glorvina caught his arm.

"Not till they—not till my guardian comes!" she exclaimed.

"But listen to the noise below, at the front door," remonstrated Tim. "We dare not wait. It might peril the whole family."

"At all risks it must be left," she ordered sternly; "yet no; take the others on to the last room and secure them. I will wait here and admit my guardian and Mr. Surridge."

"I will not leave you, Glorvina!" he exclaimed. "Do you know that I would die for you? They shall walk over my dead body before they reach you."

"But I am in no danger yet," she said.

"Are you not? Listen then!"

And Glorvina did in fact hear the sound of heavy blows at several places on both doors and shutters.

"Oh, hasten, dearest uncle!" she cried in agony. "Go into the last room and fasten yourself in at once!"

"Not without my husband"—"Not without papa," cried both the other ladies.

Glorvina sighed hopelessly. Why did not the alarm ring? Why did they not come? Ah, soon the Whiteboys would intercept them between the north and south corridors! Her nerves were strung to a pitch of tension which made it an effort to resist screaming, when, just as a crash announced that the hall door was forced, Mr. Coghlan and Mr. Surridge came. She dragged her guardian in with one hand, the other extended to the tutor. They were in and the bar was up, just as rough voices and a yell of rage rose from the hall.

"Let us proceed without delay," said the clergyman in his calm quiet tones. "[illegible] fasten every door after us."

And thus in silence and haste they bolted, barred and barricaded the doors one after another, till the last chamber was reached.

Then Murphy placed the candles on the table, and Mrs. Coghlan sank into a chair.

"But, uncle," exclaimed Glorvina, "why did you not ring the alarm to call the soldiers?"

"The rope was cut, my darling," he answered—"severed all but a strand, which the first pull separated. Some traitor's work! Look, Surridge has it on his arm, I suppose to keep for evidence on a future day—if we ever see one," he added.

For the noises from below, of shouts, yells, and blows on doors, reached them even there. Then the tutor drew Mr. Coghlan aside.

"We are safe here," he said in a low tone, "only till these men batter in the doors. It will take them some time; but they may use fire and ultimately they must succeed, for they are many and have stout arms and axes. Some one must descend from this window and run to the barracks."

"But the height above the ground is awful through the moat being there; and they will have sentinels posted outside, you may be sure."

"No matter; it must be risked. It is the only chance to save the ladies and children. That is why I brought the rope. It will be nearly the length. We can add some strips of tapestry to it and tie it to the bedpost."

"It does seem in truth our only chance," replied Coghlan; and, turning back to his family, he announced the tutor's plan and its necessity. "Unfortunately I am lame," he added, "or I would undertake the enterprise myself; but one of us must go. Murphy, I fear you are too old, my faithful fellow"—as the old man stepped forward to offer his services, though with a pale face.

The footman shrank back trembling as his master chanced to glance at him.

"They would cut us to pieces," said the man with chattering teeth.

"I never thought of you," said the Squire contemptuously; there are gentlemen present! Tim O'Brien, I ask you for this service without hesitation, because you will do it for her you love."

But Tim O'Brien stood as pale as death and as silent. Glorvina by a sudden impulse came to his side.

"You have said you would die for me," she murmured. "Do this for me!"

He went to the window and looked down; then turned away with a shudder.

"I cannot see the bottom distinctly in this obscurity," he said; "yet—yes, there is something white at the bottom of the wall." And he turned away sullenly.

"I had hoped," broke in the soft diffident voice of the tutor, "that you would do me the honour of asking me, Mr. Coghlan. Will you permit me to go, since no one better can be found?"

"My dear fellhw," said the Squire, pressing his hand, "rather say how can I thank you for the offer."

"We must be quick," declared the tutor; and he tore down some of the old tapestry; "the ladies can help us with this, if any one has scissors."

Glorvina was by his side in a moment.

"Here is a pair," she said. "Oh, forgive me that I did not estimate you rightly till now."

He answered her by a happy smile. What cared he for Whiteboys or high walls if he pleased her?

The rope was ready, the heavy bedstead was pulled to the window, the rope fastened securely to it; and it was time, for now the ruffians had tracked them to their shelter, and were already assailing the first door with awful yells and execrations.

The tutor stepped up to the window-sill.

"Pull up the rope when you feel it free," he said. "And adieu!"

Then, with that gentle smile they knew so well, he seized the rope and swung himself off.

Glorvina breathed deeply; then, looking up, she saw Tim, with an evil look on his face, approach the post to which the rope was attached, and which now creaked as it was drawn by the descent of the tutor. She sprang forward in a moment and laid her hand on the knot. He marked the gesture and turned away, angry and discomfited.

(To be continued.)

An old hostler on his death-bed in Coburg, said to those around him that he wished the contents of his trunk given to the Presbyterian church of the town and the eldest daughter of his employer. The trunk was found to contain about $4,000 mainly in small coin, just as it was 'tipped' to him by guests at the hotel.

LIGHTNING.—On the 14th inst. The barn of Mr. Henry Mencer, near Elmwood was struck by lightning and his son had a narrow escape of being killed. The boy was almost blind for some time and it was feared that he would lose the sight of one eye, but we are glad to learn that he is recovering and that his sight will be restored.—*Hanover Post.*

THE FRUIT GARDEN.

The beds of Strawberries, if not already mulched should have the ground covered with straw or coarse hay at once, before the berries get large enough to fall to the ground. Newly set beds will need to be kept clear of weeds, and the soil stirred frequently. Picking and packing for market are very important operations. It should be remembered that appearance goes a great way in selling fruit. Over-ripe berries should be left out, as a single one may spoil the sale of the whole box. Have the crates of a size that they can be handled easily, and mark them plain and neatly. The fruit canes of the Blackberries, and Raspberries should be tied up to stakes or trellises. The young growing canes form the fruiting ones for the next year; cut away all except 3 to 5 to each stool, and when large enough tie them up; they should be pinched off at 4 feet for raspberries and 6 feet for blackberries. The currants and Gooseberries will be better with a good mulch of litter from the barn-yard, or chips from the wood-pile. Keep a sharp lookout for the "Currant worm," beginning to fight it from the very first. White Hellebore is the standard remedy. See articles on page 247. The one-year-old grape-vine set this spring should be allowed to grow but one shoot. If older vines were set, they should not be allowed to bear, but devote all their energies in getting established. All growing shoots should be kept secured to stakes or trellises.—*American Agriculturist.*

KITCHEN AND MARKET GARDEN

So much depends upon keeping the weeds in check that, unless the rake, hoe, and cultivator are used promptly and effectively the returns will not be profitable. A well kept vegetable garden is not only a source of comfort, but also of ecomony to every farmer. Too many people go from one end of the season to the other without a fair supply of fresh and wholesome garden vegatables. Salt pork and dry beans are excellent in their way, but not suited for constant use in hot weather. It is not pracitable for farmers in general to have fresh meat continuonsly and the frequent use of salt meat may be made vastly more acceptable if it is accompanied by an abundance of fresh vegatables. Farmers, of all others, should have vegetables in the greatest variety and abundance, from radishes, lettuce, young onions, green peas, etc., among the earliets, to tomatoes, cabbage, Lima beans, and other among the largest. Moreover their should be, during the season, a full abundance of Melons and Watermelons—not one or two, now and then, but a daily wheelbarrow load—enough for the whole family twice a day. Provide for a succession of all the crops that will bear planting at frequent intervals through the season. By this time the asparagus will have its season and the tops should be allowed to grow and prepare the murishment for the early shoot, of the next year's cutting. The shade of the tops will prevent the growth of most weeds. The Lima beans should go in at once, if not already planted. A little attention will be needed to aid the young vines to take the pole. The bush sorts of beans should be sown in succession. The "Refuge" is regarded as the best late variety, especially for pickling. The early crop of cabbages should have frequent hoeings. If the cabbage worms appear remove them by picking, or the use of water heated to 160 degrees. A garden is not complete without sweet corn, which should be sown at frequent intervals, that there way be a long season of fresh ears. Cucumber vines are frequently troubled by insects; dust the young plants with a mixture of ashes and plaster. Sow for pickles the last of this month, and in well manured rows. put in a plenty of seed to allow some for the bugs. Egg plant need very rich soil. The potato bug will destroy them if not watched. The remedy is the same as when on potato vines.—

Squashes are subject to several enemies which work, some on the leaves and others bore into the stems. Hand-pick the first, and cover the stem with earth near the roots, to prevent the others. Tomatoes will need trellises by means of which the fruit can be kept from the ground. Fruit ripened in the free air is much better than that which has matured in contact with the ground. A simple framework of poles is quickly and easily made.—*American Agriculturist.*

HOW TO DESTROY CURRANT WORMS.

"H. G.," Cheshire, Conn., writes that he has used air-slaked lime to currant worms, and finds it "to do the work pretty surely," and congratulates himself that he runs "no danger from poison." This last remark has reference to the use of White Hellebore, which some fear to use because it is poisonous. With regard to this we would say that when Hellebore is promptly used, at the first appearance of insects, its use will be discontinued long before the fruit is ripe. Were the fruit to be but partially covered with the powder, it would be so soild no one could eat it. Were one to eat a berry upon which was any considerable porton of powered Hellebore, the taste would at once prevent the eating of more. Indeed we can not see how it is possible for any injury to result from the eating of fruit from bushes upon which Hellebor has been used to kill insects. The poison has been widely used for many years, and we have never heard of any ill results from its application. When dusted upon the bushes as a dirty powder, it may cause severe sneezing but it is vastly better to use it mixed with water. Place a tea spoon-ful of powder in a bowl; pour upon it a little boiling hot water; stir so as to wet every partical, then add more water, stir well and pour into a pail; then rinse the bowl and pour the washings into the pail, which is then to be filled with cool water. This preparation [illegible] with this as with all [illegible] Those who [illegible] and where there are but two or three bushes, it is advisable to do so, can avoid much of the necessity of [illegible] by destroying the eggs of the caterpillar. These are laid upon the underside of the lower leaves of the bushes, and the leaves themselves may be plucked, or the eggs crushed between the thumb and finger.—*American Agriculturist.*

THINGS YOU KNOW AND DON'T KNOW.

CURRANT WORMS.

Break off the young sprouts or suckers that start from the roots of currant bushes and there will seldom be any trouble from the currant worm.

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Recent experiments in England show that thin sowing of wheat in drills is more productive than thick sowing. By special culture on small plots, a single grain to the hill has given a yield of 100 to 162 bushels to the acre, according to the *Experiment Record.*

TOMATOES

If you would have a full crop of good tomatoes, water the young plants twice each week with rich liquid manure. Nip off many of the new shoots and tie the heavy stems up so as to expose the fruit to sun. Mulch thickly around the main stem and thin out where the fruit grows too closely.

TO TELL THE AGE OF A HORSE.

The following is the method of an Alabama gentleman:—"After the horse is six years old a wrinkle comes in the eyelid at the upper corner of the lower lid, and every year thereafter he has one well defined wrinkle for each year of his age over nine. If, for instance, a horse has three wrinkles, he is twelve; if four, thirteen. Add the number of wrinkles to nine and you will always get at the age.

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Suffolk and Berkshire pigs may be profitably fed, to be sold at nine or ten months, upon clover, corn meal, linseed meal, or corn and oatmeal. Half a pound of linseed meal per day on the average, to six-month-old pigs, would be sufficient.

HENS AND CHICKENS IN THE FRUIT YARD.—Poultry get a goodpart of their living from insects, provided they have the oppertunity. The fruit yard to our sorrow, is often to much frequented by noxious insects. By a bringing together of the fowls and vermin, double good is accomplished, the former are fed and the latter destroyed. Chickens are very fond of fruit and will devour it soon after it drops from the tree, and in this way both the worthless fruit and the insect usually contained in it, will be consumed. One of the most successful fruit growers we are acquanied with keeps poultry under his trees at nearly all times and feels that they do much to make his fruit what it is—fair to the eye, pleasing to the taste, and filling to the pocket-book.—*American Agriculturist.*

DON'T GO TO KANSAS.

The Berlin *News* publishes the following letter from Kansas; dated May 3rd the writer of which, it says, belonging to one of the most intelligent families in the county of Waterloo, and is in politics a strong Reformer:—

"I suopose many are anxious to hear from Kansas. As I am a resident, I think I will be able to state some facts. A wheat state Kansas cannot be called; as there is hardly a good crop once out of five years. Farmers cannot depend on growing wheat in the State. By all appearance wheat cannot be redconed at a higher arverage than 10 to 15 bushels for the season; But this is not the worst. How can a farmer eqpect to make money when his highest price is only 70 cts. per bushel? Another thing, is, what is the reason the great majority of the farms are [illegible] on mortgages? Many people say because not every one has enough money to start with. But what is the reason that the mortgages are not lifted when they come due? Simply because they do not get the crops and prices to get the money for the same. And more, on these mortgages, the lowest interest is 10 per cent and many are as high as 12 to 15. How can a man afford to pay this? There is another drawback in the state, and that is that it is apt to get fearfully dry or to wet. One of the two is almost certain.

About our mud I will give you a small example. In the month of March I saw a man driving an empty wagon having two stout mules attached thereto, and to say the truth he was sure to get stuck every ten rods. The four wheels of the wagon were a solid mas as of mud. To see a spoke, fellge or tire was in vain, not a glimpse though of the whole size of the wheels could be obtained. This is the kind of mud we occupied in March.

High winds are also very bad here. Winds have done so much damage to fall wheat in some localities as the wheat is broke off by wind. When a high wind gets up its temper here the air will be all full of dust, so that it is impossible to see ten rods.

A person died at Eger, in Bohemia, a short time since, who lived in a room by himself for thirty years. During all that time he neither washed, combed his hair, nor cut his finger nails.

An English Queen's cousel asked a witness if he was a guager? "Yes," said the witness. "That is," continued the lawyer, "you taste wine." Precisely, was the reply. "Ah one has only to look in your face to see that," retorted the longrobed gentleman. The witness, quick as thought, replied: "Yes, and one has only to look in your face to see that you share my little weakness."

The chaplain of an Illinois Legislature prayed that God would give the members 'more wisdom and greater promptitude.' The Maine chaplain during the recent deadlock cried out: 'O Lord, have compassion upon our bewildered representatives and senators. They have been sitting and sitting, and have hatched nothing. O Lord, let them arise from their nest and go home, and the praise shall be Thine.' Pennsylvania chaplain recently prayed: 'Give these lawmakers, O God! more brains—more hearts—more [illegible].'

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DUNDALK.
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A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots
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AT
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The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
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and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
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Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
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FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand. Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
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Tea Meetings, Socials,
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Markdale, Nov. 18, [illegible] 1880. 10-y

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Manufacturer and dealer in
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All kinds of Farming Implements
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FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made. Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,
Fashionable Tailor,
FLESHERTON.
Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.
Cutting done while customers are waiting.
A Good Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 14 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

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C. A. OWEN,
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HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country, that he is prepared to
FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily!
CUTTING!
Done while Customers are waiting.
THE LATEST FASHION PLATES
Always on hand to chose from.
A Good Fit Guaranteed
—AT—
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Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.
Markdale, Nov. 25. 1880. 11-m6

D. J. SHANAHAN'S
WAGON and Carriage Works,
Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for
CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
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Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.
Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.
Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

Sheep and Cattle.
FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave their names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 12, 1880.

SUBSCRIBE for the "Standard," the best [illegible]

HOUSE CLEANING.

I hear the carpet-beater's stroke,
I see the dusty carpet smoke,
I hear the swash of brush and pail,
And soap-suds taint the summer-gale.

The front piazza open spreads
A view of chairs and feather beds;
While on the line hang coats and pants,
Which [illegible]

Through open windows, robbed of sash,
The crazy curtains flap and lash;
The chamber window sports a dress—
Pathetic signal of distress!

High o'er the din a woman's voice
In merry cadence doth rejoice,
Bare-armed, dishevelled, 'midst the noise—
Behold the partner of our joys!

Thrice happy then the chap who can
Be gone a week "to see a man;"
Nor prematurely homeward hie,
But give the whitewash time to dry.

"O woman! in our hours of ease,"
We never dreamed of pranks like these;
The cleaning spells have come, no doubt,
E'er since Eve cleaned old Adam out.

SPRING SPORTS.

Now digs the boy the garden plot,
With energy intense,
Until he bags a tribe of worms,
And then he skips the fence.

Then off he skoots to where the stream
Doth very gently swish;
And with much patience, and his hooks,
Enticeth sundry fish.

And then with slow and weary steps,
Homeward doth he wend—
And he is led to a back shed,
And frightful cries ascend.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands, "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

CHAPTER X.

Others besides the young girls had heard the banshee-cry, and were alarmed at it. The servants talked of it next day with bated breath. Mrs. Coghlan was puzzled and uneasy.

James Surridge alone read it rightly. He was convinced that these strange incidents pointed to an endeavour by some of the people to warn the members of the family of approaching danger. Glorvina was very popular with the peasantry, as a sympathiser with their cause; and Mrs. Coghlan and Eva were beloved for many acts of kindness. Probably Mr. Coghlan himself, the clergyman thought, was not personally disliked, though the fanatic rebels might mean to startle other magistrates by his fate. He was confirmed in his opinion next morning during his walk with Teddy. They met Kathleen, who, having perceived that the boy had run on with his hoop out of hearing, turned back and said to Mr. Surridge—

"If you plaze, sorr, may I spake wid ye?"

"Surely, Kathleen. Is there anything I can do for you?"

"No sorr, it's not for meself I would spake. But, oh, there's terrible anger about, sorr, 'cos of the boys as is to suffer next week at Dublin! And it's wishin' I am that the family was away! Indade, sorr, it would be better if ye'd take a holiday for a bit yerself."

"Would you have me forsake my friends in peril, Kathleen?" he asked reproachfully. "Surely that is not what you would do?"

"I hope not, sorr; but I haven't the bold heart you have. And it would be death to anyone who took the part of those the boys had sintenced."

"But, Kathleen, this is all very wicked. Those who know murder is about to be committed and do not warn the victims are almost equally guilty with the murderers, and run a risk of sharing their fate in the end."

"But it's not murder at all, at all, I'm not spaking of," she retorted angrily. "only justice, sorr! And, if folks can't get it, they'll take it!"—and she was passing on, but Surridge took hold of her arm.

"Stay," he said. "In return for the life I gave you, Kathleen, tell me if any immediate danger beyond the risk every one now runs in this unhappy country is hanging over the Priory!"

"It's not to the likes of me they would tell it if there was," she replied. "And if they had, it isn't Kathleen who would betray a trust. But I've eyes and ears, and I tell you, sorr, that you and Miss Glorvina to had better get out of the Priory before Mr. Coghlan returns." And, snatching up her pail, she walked away.

"It is just as I feared—Heaven help us!" sighed the tutor rather hopelessly; for that morning there had come a letter from Mr. Coghlan announcing his speedy return, but not a word in it of any intention to remove his family to a safer home.

He had been, he said, unable to save O'Rourke's life by getting a pardon, but he had seen the man and received his forgiveness, and even his thanks for what he and Miss Desmond had done for him and promised for his family.

"His wife was with him," he added, "and was also grateful. The priest has convinced O'Rourke of his guilt, and the man is very penitent. I think, after this reconciliation with the condemned man himself, we need fear no revenge from the people. I shall not wait over the execution now, but be with you on Thursday next."

It was Tuesday now; on Thursday Mr. Coghlan would be home; on Friday O'Rourke would suffer. The tutor wished that Mr. Coghlan, if he would not remove his family, had at least remained over the execution and till the feeling against him had somewhat passed away. But Coghlan was a wrong-headed, reckless man, though honourable and tender-hearted.

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On Thursday evening the Squire came home, grave, and yet glad to see his family again. He thanked the tutor for his care and attention; and James Surridge, when alone with him again, pressed on him the advisability of the family's going to Dublin for a time. But Mr. Coghlan persisted in his opinion that all danger was over.

"The threats," he said, were made to save O'Rourke; but, now that he is sentenced and as good as dead, they will not annoy us again."

There was a good deal of gloom hanging over the family the next day; it was Dan O'Rourke's death-day, and there] are few who would not be affected at, even involuntarily, causing a man to suffer the last penalty of the law.

They were all glad when Tim O'Brien came into dinner, and cheered them by his even unusually boisterous spirits. So wild at times did his glee appear during the meal, that Glorvina more than once looked at him with a fear that he had been drinking.

After dinner however, when he joined them in the drawing-room, his exuberant gaiety seemed to have deserted him. He sat quiet, answering occasionally at random, and sometimes appearing to be listening, Glorvina thought.

The girls had seated themselves at work at a small table near the fire; the children were playing on the hearthrug with a puzzle their father had brought them. Mr. Coghlan proposed a game of whist with his wife, Tim and the tutor. The card-table was drawn forward, and they had just taken their seats at it, when there was the report of a gun and a crash of glass; for a shot, striking the pier-glass, had shivered it.

There was a loud cry from the startled women. The tutor, springing up, rushed to the window and instantly closed and barred the shutters.

Happily no one was hurt, though, had not Mr. Coghlan happened at that moment to have bent forward over the table, the shot must have gone through his head. The family looked at each other in stunned alarm. Then little Norah burst into a violent fit of crying, and Eva clasped her arms around her father's neck. The tutor turned back and approached Glorvina.

"Take them all to the north rooms, Miss Desmond," he said, "and secure yourselves; I will ring the alarm;" and he snatched up a candle from the table and left the room.

Mrs. Coghlan rang the bell violently. The servants, already alarmed by the report of the gun, thronged in, looking pale and scared, while Glorvina whispered a few brief sentences to her guardian.

"An admirable thought!" he answered. "We will go at once."

"Where—what?" asked O'Brien eagerly.

"Into hiding," said his host drily. "Be so good as to take care of my wife, and lead her up-stairs."

"But surely," exclaimed Tim, "we men will not hide! Let the ladies do so by all means; but we must try a few shots with the rebels."

"My good fellow," replied Coglan, "I neither wish to kill nor be killed. A man's blood is a heavy weight on the soul. Lead Mrs. Coghlan to the north rooms. Murphy are all the doors and windows secured?"

"Yes, sorr," replied the trembling servant "Mr. Surridge sees them all fastened himself at dusk every night."

"Yet the shutters of that window"—pointing to it—"are not closed."

"But, sorr, I fastened them with my own hands," declared the man.

"Oh, never mind, don't dispute about it!" cried Glorvina impatiently. "Make haste up-stairs."

The tutor had hurried to the bell-tower, which was opposite to the bachelors' turret. The rope from it hung in an empty room opening upon the south corridor, where the family slept; but it was hooked up out of Teddy's reach, lest in a fit of mischief he should alarm the neighborhood.

The tutor uncoiled it and pulled it with all his strength; there came only a faint sound as from a feeble stroke. Surprised, he renewed his effort with greater force. The rope yielded to his hand this time, and came clattering to his feet. Greatly surprised and dismayed, he held the fallen end to the candle, and perceived that it had been cut through, except one strand, which was frayed and torn by the recent pull. The strand left had sufficed to support it until a strong pull brought it down. They were betrayed! No call for help could be given. The tutor, with a sigh of discouragement gathered up the rope.

Meanwhile, Mr. Coghlan, arrived at the head of the stairs, paused.

"I wonder we don't hear the bell," he said. "Perhaps Surridge can't find the rope; I will go after him. Glory, dear, take them to your hiding-place"—waving his hand towards his family.

Glorvina, with a lingering glance, obeyed. Her guardian turned away, and they hurried into the first of the north rooms.

"Well secured, I see," said Tim; and, taking the bar of the first door in his hand, he was about to put it in the staples; but Glorvina caught his arm.

"Not till they—not till my guardian comes!" she exclaimed.

"But listen to the noise below, at the front door," remonstrated Tim. "We dare not wait. It might peril the whole family."

"At all risks it must be left," she ordered sternly; yet no; take the others on to the last room and secure them. I will wait here and admit my guardian and Mr. Surridge."

"I will not leave you, Glorvina!" he exclaimed. "Do you know that I would die for you? They shall walk over my dead body before they reach you."

"But I am in no danger yet," she said.

"Are you not? Listen then!"

And Glorvina did in fact hear the sound of heavy blows at several places on both doors and shutters.

"Oh, [illegible], dearest aunt!" she cried in agony. "Go into the last room and fasten yourself in at once!"

"Not without my husband"—"Not without papa," cried both the other ladies.

Glorvina sighed helplessly. Why did not the alarm ring? Why did they not come? Ah, soon the Whiteboys would intercept them between the north and south corridors! Her nerves were strung to a pitch of tension which made it an effort to resist screaming, when, just as a crash announced that the hall door was forced, Mr. Coghlan and Mr. Surridge came. She dragged her guardian in with one hand, the other extended to the tutor. They were in and the bar was up, just as rough voices and a yell of rage rose from the hall.

"Let us proceed without delay," said the clergyman in his calm quiet tones, "and fasten every door after us."

And thus in silence and haste they bolted, barred and barricaded the doors one after another, till the last chamber was reached.

Then Murphy placed the candles on the table, and Mrs. Coghlan sank into a chair.

"But, uncle," exclaimed Glorvina, "why did you not ring the alarm to call the soldiers?"

"The rope was cut, my darling," he answered—"severed all but a strand, which the first pull separated. Some traitor's work! Look, Surridge has it on his arm, I suppose to keep for evidence on a future day—if we ever see one," he added.

For the noises from below, of shouts, yells, and blows on doors, reached them even there. Then the tutor drew Mr. Coghlan aside.

"We are safe here," he said in a low tone, "only till these men batter in the doors. It will take them some time; but they may use fire and ultimately they must succeed, for they are many and have stout arms and axes. Some one must descend from this window and run to the barracks."

"But the height above the ground is awful through the moat being there; and they will have sentinels posted outside, you may be sure."

"No matter; it must be risked. It is the only chance to save the ladies and children. That is why I brought the rope. It will be nearly the length. We can add some strips of tapestry to it and tie it to the bedpost."

"It does seem in truth our only chance," replied Coghlan; and, turning back to his family, he announced the tutor's plan and its necessity. "Unfortunately I am lame," he added, "or I would undertake the enterprise myself; but one of us must go. Murphy, I fear you are too old, my faithful fellow"—as the old man stepped forward to offer his services, though with a pale face.

The footman shrank back trembling as his master chanced to glance at him.

"They would cut us to pieces," said the man with chattering teeth.

"I never thought of you," said the Squire contemptuously; there are gentlemen present! Tim O'Brien, I ask you for this service without hesitation, because you will do it for her you love."

But Tim O'Brien stood as pale as death and as silent. Glorvina by a sudden impulse came to his side.

"You have said you would die for me," she murmured. "Do this for me!"

He went to the window and looked down; then turned away with a shudder.

"I cannot see the bottom distinctly in this obscurity," he said; "yet—yes, there is something white at the bottom of the wall." And he turned away sullenly.

"I had hoped," broke in the soft diffident voice of the tutor, "that you would do me the honour of asking me, Mr. Coghlan. Will you permit me to go, since no one better can be found?"

"My dear fellow," said the Squire, pressing his hand, "rather say how can I thank you for the offer."

"We must be quick," declared the tutor; and he tore down some of the old tapestry; "the ladies can help us with this, if any one has scissors."

Glorvina was by his side in a moment.

"Here is a pair," she said. "Oh, forgive me that I did not estimate you rightly till now."

He answered her by a happy smile. What cared he for Whiteboys or high walls if he pleased her?

The rope was ready, the heavy bedstead was pulled to the window, the rope fastened securely to it; and it was time, for now the ruffians had tracked them to their shelter, and were already assailing the first door with awful yells and execrations.

The tutor stepped up to the window-sill.

"Pull up the rope when you feel it free," he said. "And adieu!"

Then, with that gentle smile they knew so well, he seized the rope and swung himself off.

Glorvina breathed deeply; then, looking up, she saw Tim, with an evil look on his face, approach the post to which the rope was attached, and which now creaked as it was drawn by the descent of the tutor. She sprang forward in a moment and laid her hand on the knot. He marked the gesture and turned away, angry and discomfited.

(To be continued.

An old hostler on his death-bed in Coburg, said to those around him that he wished the contents of his trunk given to the Presbyterian church of the town and the eldest daughter of his employer. The trunk was found to contain about $4,000 mainly in small coin, just as it was 'tipped' to him by guests at the hotel.

LIGHTNING.—On the 14th inst. The barn of Mr. Henry Menser, near Elmwood was struck by lightning and his son had a narrow escape of being killed. The boy was almost blind for some time and it was feared that he would lose the sight of one eye, but we are glad to learn that he is recovering and that his sight will be restored.—Hanover Post.

THE FRUIT GARDEN.

The beds of Strawberries, if not already mulched should have the ground covered with straw or coarse hay at once, before the berries get large enough to fall to the ground. Newly set beds will need to be kept clear of weeds, and the soil stirred frequently. Picking and packing for market are very important operations. It should be remembered that appearance goes a great way in selling fruit. Over-ripe berries should be left out, as a single one may spoil the sale of the whole box. Have the crates of a size that they can be handled easily, and mark them plain and neatly. The fruit canes of the Blackberries, and Raspberries should be tied up to stakes or trellises. The young growing canes form the fruiting ones for the next year; cut away all except 3 to 5 to each stool, and when large enough tie them up; they should be pinched off at 4 feet for rasberries and 6 feet for blackberries. The currants and Gooseberries will be better with a good mulch of litter from the barn-yard, or chips from the wood-pile. Keep a sharp lookout for the "Currant worm," beginning to fight it from the very first. White Hellebore is the standard remedy. See articles on page 247. The one-year-old grape-vine set this spring should be allowed to grow but one shoot. If older vines were set, they should not be allowed to bear, but devote all their energies in getting established. All growing shoots should be kept secured to stakes or trellises.—*American Agriculturist.*

KITCHEN AND MARKET GARDEN

So much depends upon keeping the weeds in check that, unless the rake, hoe, and cultivator are used promptly and effectively the returns will not be profitable. A well kept vegetable garden is not only a source of comfort, but also of ecomony to every farmer. Too many people go from one end of the season to the other without a fair supply of fresh and wholesome garden vegatables. Salt pork and dry beans are excellent in their way, but not suited for constant use in hot weather. It is not pracitable for farmers in general to have fresh meat continuously and the frequent use of salt meat may be made vastly more acceptable if it is accompanied by an abundance of fresh vegatables. Farmers, of all others, should have vegetables in the greatest variety and abundance, from radishes, lettuce, young onions, green peas, etc., among the earlists, to tomatoes, cabbage, Lima beans, and other among the largest. Moreover their should be, during the season, a full abundance of Melons and Watermelons—not one or two, now and then, but a daily wheelbarrow load—enough for the whole family twice a day. Provide for a succession of all the crops that will bear planting at frequent intervals through the season. By this time the asparagus will have its season and the tops should be allowed to grow and prepare the murishment for the early shoot, of the next year's cutting. The shade of the tops will prevent the growth of most weeds. The Lima beans should go in at once, if not already planted. A little attention will be needed to aid the young vines to take the pole. The bush sorts of beans should be sown in succession. The "Refuge" is regarded as the best late variety, especially for pickling. The early crop of cabbages should have frequent hoeings. If the cabbage worms appear remove them by picking, or the use of water heated to 160 degrees. A garden is not complete without sweet corn, which should be sown at frequent intervals, that there way be a long season of fresh ears. Cucumber vines are frequently troubled by insects; dust the young plants with a mixture of ashes and plaster. Sow for pickles the last of this month, and in well manured rows. put in a plenty of seed to allow some for the bugs. Egg plant need very rich soil. The potato bug will destroy them if not watched. The remedy is the same as when on potato vines.—

Squashes are subject to several enemies which work, some on the leaves and others bore into the stems. Hand-pick the first, and cover the stem with earth near the roots, to prevent the others. Tomatoes will need trellises by means of which the fruit can be kept from the ground. Fruit ripened in the free air is much better than that which has matured in contact with the ground. A simple frame-work of poles is quickly and easily made.—*American Agriculturist.*

HOW TO DESTROY CURRANT WORMS.

"H. G.," Cheshire, Conn., writes that he has used air-slaked lime to currant worms, and finds it "to do the work pretty surely," and congratulates himself that he runs "no danger from poison." This last remark has reference to the use of White Hellebore, which some fear to use because it is poisonous. With regard to this we would say that when Hellebore is promptly used, at the first appearance of insects, its use will be discontinued long before the fruit is ripe. Were the fruit to be but partialy covered with the powder, it would be so soild no one could eat it. Were one to eat a berry upon which was any considerable porton of powered Hellebore, the taste would at once prevent the eating of more. Indeed we can not see how it is possible for any injury to result from the eating of fruit from bushes upon which Hellebor has been used to kill insects. The poison has been widely used for many years, and we have never heard of any ill results from its application. When dusted upon the bushes as a dirty powder, it may cause severe sneezing but it is vastly better to use it mixed with water. Place a tea spoon-ful of powder in a bowl; pour upon it a little boiling hot water; stir so as to wet every partical, then add more water, stir well and pour into a pail; then rinse the bowl and pour the washings into the pail, which is then to be filled with cold water. This preparation [illegible] the mature [illegible] or [illegible] effective remedy [illegible] with things as with all similar [illegible] depends upon applying the remedy early. Those who will take the pains and where there are but a few bushes, it is advisable to do so, can avoid much of the necessity of poisoning by destroying the eggs of the caterpillar. These are laid upon the underside of the lower leaves of the bushes, and the leaves themselves may be plucked, or the eggs crushed between the thumb and finger.—*American Agriculturist.*

THINGS YOU KNOW AND DON'T KNOW.

CURRANT WORMS.

Break off the young sprouts or suckers that start from the roots of currant bushes and there will seldom be any trouble from the currant worm.

[SOWING] WHEAT.

Recent experiments in England show that thin sowing of wheat in drills is more productive than thick sowing. By special culture on small plots, a single grain to the hill has given a yield of 100 to 162 bushels to the acre, according to the *Experiment Record.*

TOMATOES

If you would have a full crop of good tomatoes, water the young plants twice each week with rich liquid manure. Nip off many of the new shoots and tie the heavy stems up so as to expose the fruit to sun. Mulch thickly around the main stem and thin out where the fruit grows too closely.

TO TELL THE AGE OF A HORSE.

The following is the method of an Alabama gentleman:—"After the horse is six years old a wrinkle comes in the eyelid at the upper corner of the lower lid, and every year thereafter he has one well defined wrinkle for each year of his age over nine. If, for instance, a horse has three wrinkles, he is twelve; if four, thirteen. Add the number of wrinkles to nine and you will always get at the age.

LINSEED MEAL FOR PIGS.

Suffolk and Berkshire pigs may be profitably fed, to be sold at nine or ten months, upon clover, corn meal, linseed meal, or corn and oatmeal. Half a pound of linseed meal per day on the average, to six-month-old pigs, would be sufficient.

HENS AND CHICKENS IN THE FRUIT YARD.—Poultry get a goodpart of their living from insects, provided they have the oppertunity. The fruit yard to our sorrow, is often to much frequented by noxious insects. By a bringing together of the fowls and vermin, double good is accomplished, the former are fed and the latter destroyed. Chickens are very fond of fruit and will devour it soon after it drops from the tree, and in this way both the worthless fruit and the insect usually contained in it, will be consumed. One of the most successful fruit growers we are acquanied with keeps poultry under his trees at nearly all times and feels that they do much to make his fruit what it is—fair to the eye, pleasing to the taste, and filling to the pocket-book.—*American Agriculturist.*

DON'T GO TO KANSAS.

The Berlin *News* publishes the following letter from Kansas; dated May 3rd the writer of which, it says, belonging to one of the most intelligent families in the county of Waterloo, and is in politics a strong Reformer:—

"I suppose many are anxious to hear from Kansas. As I am a resident, I think I will be able to state some facts. A wheat state Kansas cannot be called; as there is hardly a good crop once out of five years. Farmers cannot depend on growing wheat in the State. By all appearance wheat cannot be redconed at a higher arverage than 10 to 15 bushels for the season; But this is not the worst. How can a farmer expect to make money when his highest price is only 70 cts. per bushel? Another thing is, what is the reason the great majority of the farms are resting on mortgages? Many people say because not every one has enough money to start with. But what is the reason that the mortgages are not lifted when they come due? Simply because they do not get the crops and prices to get the money for the same. And more, on these mortgages, the lowest interest is 10 per cent and many are as high as 12 to 15. How can a man afford to pay this? There is another drawback in the state, and that is that it is apt to get fearfully dry or to wet. One of the two is almost certain.

About our mud I will give you a small example. In the month of March I saw a man driving an empty wagon having two stout mules attached thereto, and to say the truth he was sure to get stuck every ten rods. The four wheels of the wagon were a solid mas as of mud. To see a spoke, felloe or tire was in vain, not a glimpse though of the whole size of the wheels could be obtained. This is the kind of mud we occupied in March.

High winds are also very bad here. Winds have done so much damage to fall wheat in some localities as the wheat is broke off by wind. When a high wind gets up its temper here the air will be all full of dust, so that it is impossible to see ten rods.

A person died at Eger, in Bohemia, a short time since, who lived in a room by himself for thirty years. During all that time he neither washed, combed his hair, nor cut his finger nails.

An English Queen's counsel asked a witness if he was a guager? "Yes," said the witness. "That is," continued the lawyer, "you taste wine." Precisely, was the reply. "Ah one has only to look in your face to see that," retorted the longrobed gentleman. The witness, quick as thought, replied: "Yes, and one has only to look in your face to see that you share my little weakness."

The chaplain of an Illinois Legislature prayed that God would give the members 'more wisdom and greater promptitude.' The Maine chaplain during the recent deadlock cried out: 'O Lord, have compassion upon our bewildered representatives and senators. They have been sitting and sitting, and have hatched nothing. O Lord, let them arise from their nest and go home, and the praise shall be Thine.' Pennsylvania chaplain recently prayed: 'Give these lawmakers, O God! more brains—more brains—more brains.'

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 2nd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7.30 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangevil's Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, June 3rd, 1881.

NOTICE,

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto,
W. W. BUTCHER, Manager,
Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$6.00
" " Mail, "	6.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmer's Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

T., G. & B. RAILWAY.

A MEETING of the English bondholders of this Company held on the 31st ult., at which Messrs. Beatty and Cumberland were present, a cablegram dated the same day states that Mr. Cumberland has purchased a large number of English bonds for the purpose of obtaining a majority of votes in favor of the lease to the Northern. Upon a vote being taken, it stood 14 for the Northern and 4 for the Grand Trunk. However, the bargain cannot be closed without the consent of the Ontario Government, and this we do not think they will get, at least we hope not.

THE state of Ireland appears to be daily growing worse, and unless prompt measures are immediately adopted, law and order will have to be enforced at the point of the bayonet.

MR. CROOKS, acting as Attorney General during the absence of Mr. Mowat, has given instructions to have a searching investigation made into the cause of the disaster at London. We hope the Crown Attorney will use his best endeavors to place the guilt if any there is, on the proper shoulders, and that the authorities will show no leniency, should it be proved that the accident was caused by criminal negligence.

MEASURES to extradite the Feeleys have been taken, and we have every reason to believe they will be successful. In the meantime rumors are afloat that others of the Vigilance Committee, fearing the result of the bringing back of the Feeley's, are very anxious to turn Queen's evidence. Should this prove true, there is a strong probability that the perpetrators of the horrible butchery in Biddulph will yet meet with their desserts.

MERRITON, to judge from the reports in the Toronto dailies, is striving hard to rank with places in the United States. Only the other day a young girl of about 15 years of age was criminally assaulted by six fiends in human form and treated in such a brutal manner that she has since died. One of the resident magistrates stated to a reporter, that the place is filled with young rowdies of the most desperate character, and that cases of criminal assault, abortion, poisoning, and drunkenness are of daily occurrence. A nice state of affairs truly.

SOUTH GREY TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION PRESENTATION.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

AT the meeting of the South Grey Teachers' Association held at Flesherton, on the 19th and 20th of May, a beautiful ebony walking-cane, with massive and richly chased silver mounting, suitably inscribed, and accompanied by a very neat and kind address, was presented to Mr. Ferguson, Public School Inspector, by the teachers of Melancthon, who by the recent formation of the County of Dufferin, are now withdrawn from his Inspectorate.

The meetings were held, and the presentation was made in the sumptuously furnished Oddfellows' Hall, kindly lent for the occasion. There was a very large attendance of teachers present. Mr. Greig, of Owen Sound Model School, and Mr. Tait, of Collingwood Collegiate Institute, by their presence, addresses, and illustrations of the teachers' work, added greatly to the success of the meetings.

Mr. Tait kindly devoted both days to the work of the association, his many pupils all appeared glad to meet him again.

Several of the teachers and of the officers of the Association, express their surprise and regret that notwithstanding the manifested patriotic attachment they feel towards our own County Institutions, High Schools, etc., it has been hitherto impossible to obtain the presence of any representative of our own County High School at any meeting of this Association.

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MAXWELL, May 23rd, 1881.

PRICEVILLE.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

ON Tuesday, the 23rd ult., the corner stone of our new School House was laid, a large concourse of citizens being present. The building will be of brick, 36x54 feet, two storey, and will rank in capacity with any country town school house in the county of Grey. From the building plan I judge that the exterior ornamentation of the building will be an attractive feature to the picturesque beauty of our town. A number of coins of the day, copies of the leading Canadian newspapers including the *Review*, and MARKDALE STANDARD, are among the deposits which future antiquaries will discover when the demands of an over-crowded population will cause them to raze the educational structure we are now building.

Mr. John McArthur is erecting a fine brick structure on the site of his premises burned down last spring, and will be adapted to any mercantile or other business purpose.

Mr. Thomas Conkey is erecting a fine brick building on a site between the store premises of Dr. Ghent and Thomas Nichol, and will be a necessary filling up of a gap on that side of Kincardine street.

Our saw mill is running night and day, thanks to the business energy of Mr. John McLeod, where lumber of all kinds can be had at terms that will astonish builders for cheapness and good quality. The grist mill has had a complete suit of new clothing for summer wear.

Among our commercial changes I may mention that a very formidable rival for supremacy has arisen in the person of Mr. N. B Greir, in the premises lately occupied by Mr. Hall.

Last Saturday the sign-board of the Crown Hotel, kept by Mr. Tuck, was raised. The illuminated painting of the sign, surmounted by as pretty a piece of scroll work in wood as we have seen for many a day, adds a very attractive feature to the already progressing appearance of the Crown Hotel. The painting and work was executed by Mr. James McDowell, of this town.

Thanks to the skill of our medical men, that dire curse of humanity, diphtheria, has had no existence here for many a day. Dr. Bennett has been called to a number of cases in the neighborhood of Markdale, and with success.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The Semi-Annual meeting of the South Grey Teachers' Association was held in the Oddfellows' Hall, Flesherton, on Thursday and Friday, the 19 and 20th ult. A large representation of teachers was present from all parts of the South Riding of the County. Great interest was manifested throughout the whole proceedings owing chiefly to the presence of Mr. J. Tait, Mathematical Master of the Collingwood Collegiate Institute, and Mr. Greig, of Owen Sound.

The programme of work done was as follows:—

1st, Mr. Armstrong—Theory vs. Practice in Teaching. 2nd, W. J. Galbraith—Geometry to beginners. 3rd, R. D. Irvine—Arithmetic to beginners. 4th, J. Tait—How to teach History. 5th, M. P. McMaster—How to teach reading to beginners. 6th, W. A. Jones—Teachers' encouragements and discouragements. 7th, N. W. Campbell—Grammatical Analysis and Parsing. 8th, C. W. Morey—How to teach Geography. 9th, J. Tait—How to teach Natural Philosophy.

On Thursday evening a very successful entertainment was given in the Town Hall.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, M. N. Armstrong; Vice President, W. J. Galbraith; Sec. Treas., J. C. Bain; Delegate to Toronto Convention, W. J. Galbraith. Managing Committee, M. P. McMaster, D. McDonald, J. C. Bain, and two others whose names we did not receive.

The Association meets next October at Durham.

IMPROVEMENTS.—We are glad to see that the Agricultural grounds have been levelled and graded and stands erected for judges. The 1st of July will be celebrated on these grounds by Horse Racing and Games of all descriptions.

FRUIT FESTIVAL.—The Ladies' Aid Association gave a Fruit Festival in the Town Hall on the evening of the 24th May. The programme, which was very creditably rendered, consisted of Songs by the Misses Damude, Christoe, Phillip, Vandusen, Philp, and J. R. Anderson, Dialogues by Misses Carr, Kearns, and Messrs. Anderson and Beattie, Speeches by Revs. Ekins and Garnett. Rev. Mr. Wilson occupied the chair during the evening. The proceeds amounted to $26.65. We congratulate the ladies on the great success of the entertainment.

WHO IS IT?—The person who wrote the correspondence from Flesherton last week is not very well acquainted with the roads leading into our village. We consider the roads are in first-class order, and the Council deserve great praise for keeping them in good condition.

From another Correspondent.

Mr. Wm. McMullen has suffered two raids on his sheep by dogs. The first one some two weeks ago, and the other on Monday morning last. His loss on the two occasions were 20 fine sheep. This section of country is infested with dogs, but fortunately Mr. Mac shot at and wounded one of the guilty animals, so that he was enabled to follow him home and have him killed.

Our Village is likewise infested with the hog tribe, so much so that you can scarcely get along the road or sidewalk for the worst specimens of the hog kind. They are so bold that you may be called upon some day to narrate the untimely end of some of our lady helps, as they often take a tour into the kitchens. Why do not our city fathers have the nuisance abated by having them put in pound or buried, as they did the cow, when they could not live any longer in the atmosphere.

Our Council speak of repairing the road to the station, but they are tardy in starting because of a woman. Never mind she has not said much yet.

Mrs. Wallace's imbicile son went to the well to-day (30th ult.) and some way not known fell in and was drowned. He was quite dead when found.

The prodigal has returned, but in a different style to the one we read about. Mr. R. McKenzie has returned home from Manitoba, after spending a number of years in proserity. His welcome was hearty as his family supposed him dead, not having heard from him for some time.

We have bidden adieu to Mr. Doll for some time, as he took his departure for the land of his nativity on Saturday last. We wish Mr. Doll a good time, and may he bring back lots of German Silver.

Mrs. Merriam and Mrs. Wm. Cullen have been very ill, and at one time there was very little hope of their recovery; but we are happy to say they are now out of danger.

A. E. Gammey, son of Josiah Gammey, passed through here bound for Manitoba last week, and if he reports favorably his father intends following him after a time.

MAXWELL

From a Correspondent.

PRESENTATION.—A great many of the Congregation of St. Mary's Church, Maxwell, having for some time entertained the wish to make an acknowledgment to the Rev. Jas. Ward, their pastor, of the inestimable service he has conferred upon the mission here since he was appointed thereto, came to the resolution to do so, and with that intention purchased some valuable books for the purpose.

The presentation took place at the house of Mrs. Madill, Lot No. 5, Con. 6, Osprey, on Thursday evening last, 19th inst., where a few of the subscribers to the testimonial had assembled by special invitation, and a handsome entertainment was provided by Mrs. Madill and her daughters which was done ample justice. The address was read by Mr. Wm. L. B. Hamlin, Sr., and the presentation make by Miss Madill. The address was as follows:

RESPECTED AND REVEREND PASTOR, a large portion of your flock being desirous of expressing their personal regard for you, not only on account of your inestimable services in the cure of souls, and the solid religious advice which you never fail to give,—but also duly appreciating the beneficient and kindly manner in which that advice hasever been given, and hailing you therefore as a true Christian and Champion of Christ's Holy Catholic Church, we beg leave to offer these books for you acceptance, trusting that you will kindly receive the same, thus proving your appreciation of the spirit in which our offering is made. We sincerely hope that you may be long spared to us to conduct the affairs of Holy Church, and to minister to our spiritual wants. In this hope we remain dear pastor and friend, your faithful flock of St. Mary's.

Rev. Mr. Ward on rising to reply, said that he always felt a great difficulty in replying to an address on such an occasion, and stated that he had been informed when first comming to the mission in these parts, that the Maxwell parish was cold, stony, frosty, &c., that, in fact he would find Maxwell a thorn in his path. He was glad to say that the thorn did not press him sorely, that stones were disappearing or were gathered, and that the frost had in a great measure thawed; he found Maxwell and its vicinity a very congenial location for the pure Catholic doctrine of our Holy Church. He dwelt much upon the Catholicity of the Church of England, and said that he firmly beleived that she had more title to the term Catholic, than any other church in Christendom, having been founded in the Apostolic era. After a long and most interesting speech which was attentively listened to, the Rev. gentleman concluded by thanking his faithful flock for this, the first gift he had received since he entered upon his mission.

Diphtheria I understand is rather prevalent in the neighborhood, also scarlet fever.

The Census takers have about finished their labors here.

Business here is pretty lively and seems likely to continue.

Seeding is over and better weather could not be than we had during seeding. There was not a great breadth of fall wheat sown, and about one half of what was, is ploughed up and resown with other grain. The crops are looking excellent, and a heavy crop of hay may be reasonably expected.

ON the morning of the 24th ult., this ancient little village presented quite a stirring appearance. Early in the morning numerous fishing parties wended their way to that famous trout stream, the Beaver, with success.

Several came all the way from Priceville, a distance of 15 miles. An extensive picnic party from Flesherton and vicinity, bound for Brewster's Lake, also passed through the village. We are sorry to say that some of them at least did not leave a very creditable reputation behind them. Some of the party, especially some whom we should have considered ladies, under other circumstances, displayed their ignorance and immodesty by insulting peaceful citizens whom they chanced to meet on the street.

Nor was this the most. Not being contented with the ample accommodations afforded them by Mr. Tuck, the proprietor of the well-conducted Hotel of this village, some went so far as to carry away sundry articles of the toilet, such as soap, etc., (perhaps they required it.) They also tried to show off their smartness by knotting up towels, etc., found in the room.

We are glad to know that there were some respectable parties in the company who knew how to conduct themselves properly.

MAXWELL, May 30, 1881.

AS Wednesday's mail train was on its way north, the baggage van got off the track about half a mile south of Arnott, and while assisting to put a rope under the car to draw it on again Mr. Watson, of Orangeville, got his arm badly bruised. He was put on a lorry and sent on to Chatsworth, but on arriving there it was found the doctor was away, and they proceeded on to Owen Sound. Of the four doctors of the town only one, we are informed, would go to the poor man's relief. One of them after promising to go in half an hour, and upon being again sent for at the expiration of the time, refused to go at all, saying he was not going to be at the beck and nod of every Tom, Dick and Harry. It appears also that there was a doctor on the train, who sat and looked on, without offering to do anything to alleviate the poor man's suffering. A good deal of indignation at the treatment they received is felt by the train hands.

HOPEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

IN our neighborhood the farming community are about through with their seeding, and the crops look well. The late rains have had a wonderful effect on vegetation, and in Proton we have every prospects of good crops this season.

The 24th passed off quietly. In the early morning the inhabitants were aroused from their slumbers, by a royal salute from the Anvil Battery, after which most of our inhabitants wended their ways to the various streams in and around here and passed the day in fishing, the village in consequence wore the appearance of Sunday.

Hopeville can boast of a Temperance Society called the *Hopkin's Wave*, which has for its object the abstaining from all intoxicating liquors as a beverage, which is not patronized by our Publican, but its members, however, can get "Morey Bitters" by giving a peculiar wink to the landlord.

We hear that Hopeville has now a magistrate and constable, which was much needed. We have not heard of a court being held yet.

Our business men here are doing a good business, and our mechanics are all doing a good stroke of work, and we have fair prospects of a good season.

Mr. Geo. Weir, lot 7, con 12, had a very narrow escape from fire, by sparks igniting his roof; but by his own and his neighbors' exertions, it was subdued before much damage was done. George is a plucky little man, and he required all his pluck that time.

Your's &c.,
OBSERVER.

[A portion of our correspondent's article we have taken the liberty to omit, as we consider it of too personal a nature to be given under a fictitious name.—ED.]

HOLLAND CENTRE

From our Correspondent.

The anniversary of the Queen's Birthday was celebrated in Williamsford, by Athletic games sports and amusement, everything went off well. A large number were present considering the size of the place. The following prizes were awarded.

100 yd. race—1st, E. J. Nevings; 2nd, Hugh Ross.

200 yd. race—1st, E. J. Nevings; 2nd, P. McCormick.

75 yd. race—1st, M. Ward; 2nd, W. Vogan.

Standing Jupm—1st, H. Seabrook; 2nd, J. Greenaway.

10 standing jumps—1st, J. Gawley; 2nd H. Seabrook.

5 Standing Jumps—1st, J. Gawley; 2nd, H. Seabrook.

Standing hop step & jump—1st, P. McCormick; 2nd, J. Gawley.

Running Jump—1st, P. McCormick; 2nd, J. Gawley.

Hurdle race—1st, E. J. Nevings; 2nd, P. McCormick.

Ladies race—1st M. J. Vogan.

Wheel barrow race—1st, P. McCormick.

Throming the hammer—1st, W. Vogan; 2nd, M. Hamilton.

Throwing the ball—1st, J. Kerly; 2nd, M. Hamilton.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Proton Council met as per adjournment as a Court of Revision on Tuesday, 17th ult., at Hopeville.

The members of Council all present. Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Each member of the Court of Revision took and subscribed the oath required by law.

The appellants were the following:—Henry Bird, Alex. McCannell, Don. McDonald, John McDonald, Peter Dow, Wm. Howes, E. Wragge for T. G. & B. R'y Co., Reginald Fowler, R. Beattie, Dugald Ferguson, Daniel Ferguson, Jno. Aldcorn, Jas. Bryden, Jas. Smith, Jas. Gillies, Alex. Gillies, T. McLaren, Ebenezer Bellamy, James Bellamy, Sam. Gregson, Jas. Watkins.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that the Assessor be called as a witness in the cases that may come before the Court, and that the applicants or witnesses be heard on oath.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, that Jno. McDonald, lots 14 and 15, con. 11, be reduced on each $100.

That Peter Dow, lot 25, con. 15, be reduced $100.

That Wm. Howes, lot 24, con. 6, Roll sustained.

That the T., G. & B. R'y Co. be placed on the Roll for Station and dwelling house $800, grain house $100, laurie house $25.

That Alex. McCannell lots 29 and 30, in cons. 18 and 19, the roll sustained.

That Robt. Beattie, lot 18 con. 18, be reduced $100.

That Dugald Ferguson E. ½ of 2, and W. ½ of 1, in the 18th and 19th cons., each be reduced $50.

That John Aldcorn, lot 6, con. 17, be reduced $150.

That Daniel Ferguson, for E. ½ of lot 1, con. 19, be assessed on Res. Roll at a value of $250.

James Bryden, lot 19, con. 2, be reduced $100.

Jas. Smith, lot 18, con. 9, and lot 16, con. 8, be each reduced $50, and that for lot 16, con. 7, the roll be sustained.

Jas. Gillies, lot 15, con. 7, be reduced $50.

Alex. Gillies, lot 16, con. 7, be reduced $50.

Thos. McLaren, lots 12 and 13 cons. 8 and 9, that lot 12 con. 9 be reduced $50, and also his Per. Property be reduced $40.

James Bellamy, lot 32, con. 6, be reduced $50.

Ebenezer Bellamy, lot 30 con. 6, [illegible]

Owner.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that Mrs. Mary McNalty be placed on the Roll for lot 19 con. 17, instead of Wm. McNalty.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that Chas. Gillies be placed on the Roll as Farmer's son for lot 14, con. 7.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that the Personal Property of Samuel Rogers be reduced on the Res. Roll $80, he being assessed for a span of horses which was not paid for.—carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that Alex. Taylor be placed on the Roll as Owner for lot 2, con. 16, and John A. McDonald for lot 38, con. 18, as Farmer's Son, and Maurice Moore for the W. ½ of lot 16 con. 4, as Farmer's Son, and John A. Adams for lot 12 con. 2, as Farmer's Son.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that lot 4 con. 17 be placed on the Res. Roll to Wm. Knox, at a value of $750, and John Aldcorn for lot 5 con. 17, at a value of $350, and lot 30 con. 11, now on the Roll to Thos. Rutherford, be placed on the Roll to Joseph Elkerton, and lot 32 con. 9, now on the Roll to Joseph Elkerton be placed on the Roll to Thos. Rutherford, and lot 4 con. 6, now on the Roll to Robert Gillespie, be placed on the Roll to Robert Kennedy, and lot 18 con. 11, be placed on the Roll to Peter Fettes, and lot 33 con. 8, be placed on the Res. Roll to Mr. Buist, and lot 27 con. 5, now on the Res. Roll to Robt. Kennedy, be placed on the Roll to Robt. Rathwell.—car.

Revision Court deferred till 14th June, at Cedarville, and Council did some general business.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that the Auditors' Report be received and passed, and that the Clerk get 150 copies printed.—carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Abbott, that the Reeve issue an order on the Treasurer to D. K. McArthur for $6.00 as Auditor, and $1 for disbursement and extra services.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that a hundred dollars be expended in each division out of the present funds of the Municipality to be let and inspected by the Councillor of the division, said funds to be paid in again on receipt of funds for Road Improvements.—carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that this Council make a grant of $10 to improve the 27th Side Road, providing it be supplemented by $5 from each of the Divisions Nos. 2 and 4.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that a grant be made to improve the road opposite lot 31 cons. 8 and 9, provided the Councillor for the division make a similar appropriation from the funds of the division.—car.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Black, that the Treasurer be requested, on the Reeve's order, to loan John Moore the sum of $20 until he makes the Corporation a proper conveyance of the deviation Road across lot 10 con. 19, not being later than the first day of October next.—car.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that the Reeve issue orders on the Treasurer for the Councillors' pay up to date and also for $2 to the Clerk for to procure Postage Stamps.—carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that this Court of Revision adjourn to meet at Cedarvile on the second Tuesday in June at 10 a.m., for the final revision of the Roll, and other business.—carried.

JOHN VERT, Clerk.

PROTON, May 19th 1881.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met at Vogan's Hall for the transaction of business.

Reeve in the chair. Present, Messrs. Norton, Shute, Cameron, and Gillespie.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Mr. Norton retract his statements with regard to certain matters published in the Owen Sound *Times* derogatory to his colleagues.

The yeas and nays being called by Mr. Norton were as follows:—

Yeas—Shute, Cameron, Gillespie.
Nays—Norton.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that Thos. Stafford be made pathmaster instead of W. Sorby.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Robert Erwin be pathmaster instead of Rich. Clark.

Moved by Mr. Norton seconded by Mr. Shute, that Messrs. Milligan, Partridge, and Dunbar remain in Brown's road beat.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that F. McCann be allowed to do his work on 40 side road.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Deputy-Reeve, that the Clerk notify Pat. Matthews to remove his fence and to take all other obstruction off the road opposite his place.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that this Council grant the sum of $30 to 60 side road, W. T. S. Road, in case Glenelg grant a similar amount.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that $50 be granted to repair Town line between Holland and Sydenham, $25 to be spent on each side of the sixth line, also $50 between Holland and Euphrasia $25 on each side of 15 and 16 side road, in case Sydenham and Euphrasia each grant similar amounts.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the Council of the Township of Holland, do not feel inclined to appoint an arbitrator in the matter of Union S. S., as we do not consider we have done anything wrong in the matter.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that the order of John Pearn for fixing the Sauble bridge and con. be paid.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the second report of the Township Auditors be laid over till next meeting of Council for further consideration.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that the Council adjourn until the 8th day of June, when road inspectors will be appointed.

CARSON PEARN, Clerk.

HOLLAND CENTRE, May 28, 1881.

Council met as a Court of Revision. Reeve in the chair. Members all present.

There being no appeals to investigate, after some trivial changes it was moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the Court stand adjourned till the next meeting of Council, on the 8th day of June.

CARSON PEARN, Clerk.

HOLLAND CENTRE, May 28, 1881.

LIST OF THE DEAD.

The following is a list of the dead and missing as far as it has been possible to secure names, as the police found it impossible to prevent friends removing bodies. Several bodies lie at the drill shed for identification. The total number of the drowned whose bodies have been recovered was 217 at midnight.

Abbott, Hudson.
Amesbury, Minnie, London East.
Anderson, H.
Ashbury, Mrs. Wm., Maple street.
Bailey, Ross.
Baskerville Lizzie.
Baskerville, John.
Batchellor, Ida
Beaty, Harry, aged 6.
Beaton, Lillie, aged 14.
Berne, John.
Boomer, Chas., aged 16.
Breeze, Thos.
Burns, James
Burns, Ida, & Maud, daughters of James.
Caldwell, Samuel.
Clarke, John, shoemaker.
Clark, Jas.
Cline, Mrs. W.
Cole, Albert, aged 7.
Collings, Lizzie.
Connell, Miss Maria, Richmond street.
Conroy, Henry.
Cooper, Miss Fanny.
Cornish, Misses (2).
Coughlin, Miss Jennie.
Craddock, May.
Curran, Mrs. John.
Dagon, Mrs. Wm., and child.
Darch, John, sr.
D'Arcy. Jas.
Davison, Thos.
Deacon, Wm. S
Deadman, Alice.
Debeau, Mrs. and child.
Dennis, Miss Hannah, Palermo.
Diver, Mr., wife and two children.
Dyer. Wm.
Edmunds. (2).
Evans, Mrs. Elizabeth.
Evans, 2 children of Geo.
Ferguson, Miss.
Ferrogood, 2 sons of Geo.
Fitzgibbon, Richard.
Fitzgibbon, Mrs.
Fox, Misses (2), Clinton.
Fryer, Mr., sr.
Fryer, Mr., jr., wife, and niece.
Gibson, Miss.
Glass, Wm.
Glavin, Mrs. M., and child.
Gorman, Chas.
Goss, Annie F.
Grafton, Polly.
Graham, Joseph.
Graham, S. P.
Graydon, son of S. H.
Griffith, Miss Julia, Westminster.
Hall, Ben. and child.
Hall, Mrs.
Hall, Geo.
Harris, Jas.
Hearn, Jas., cigarmaker.
Heron, Jas.
Heron, Mrs., William street.
Hobbs,—, plumber, and 4 children.
Hogan, Minnie, Waterloo street.
Jones, Annie.
Jones, Mrs., and 2 children.
Kelly, (an emigrant) and two sisters living in the city.
Kelly, Mrs.
Kendrick, Miss, Adelaide st.
Kilburn, J. W.
Kilburn, Mrs.
Laskie, Mrs. Wm. and child.
Latham, Dollie.
Leclair, Johnny, London South.
Lester, Thomas.
Loughrey, Eddie, London West.
Macky, Miss.
Maddiver, W., Westminster.
Magee, Harvey, aged 15.
Maloney, Miss.
Marham, Rosetta.
Martin, Chas.
Masuret, two children of Mr.
Matthews, Mrs., and child.
McAllister, Miss Annie, Horton st.
McBride, Wm, City Assessor.
McConnell, Miss.
McDonald, Miss, Goderich.
McIntosh, Ada, Dundas st.
McLennan, Mr.
McMorgan, Mrs. W.
McPherson, Kitty.
McPherson, Mary, aged 15.
Meekey, Mrs.
Meredith, Mr. J. C., clerk of the Division Court.
Middleton, Miss.
Millman, W. H., and two sons, Montreal.
Moore, Mrs. John, and child.
Morrison, Willie, aged 6, London East.
Morrison, John, aged 14, London East.
Morrison, Nellie, London East.
Oronhyatekha, son of Dr.
Owens, Masters (2)
Parish, Herbert (purser, and son of manager of boat).
Pohlo, S.
Perkins, J.
Phillips, eldest son of John.
Pike, Mrs.
Pile, Samuel.
Powell, two nephews of Mr. A. B.
Prescott, Emma.
Prescott, Nellie.
Quinn Margaret, aged 17.
Rogers, J., plumber.
Robertson, Thos., manager Bank of British North America.
Scott, Mrs., Ann street.
Scott, Mrs. W., Oxford street.
Share, Alfred.
Shey, Henry.
Shipley, Misses (3,) Carling.
Shires, J.
Short, Jas.
Street, Wm.
Stevens, Charley, aged 13.
Stevens, Lizzie daughter of ex-Ald. Stevens.
Sneilman, Mr. and two children.
Smart, Mrs. Harry, and two children.
Smith, Edwin.
Smith, Miss Minnie.
Smith, Mrs. (widow).
Smith, Mrs. S., and daughter, South street.
Smith, son of A.
Smith, Orville, aged 17.
Steamen, Mr., wife and child.
Stephens, Thomas.
Stevens, Mrs. Thomas, and three children.
Stevens, Willie.
Stevens, Frank, wife and four children.
Stewart, E.
Stonehouse, Mrs.
Street, George.
Stuart, Lizzie, aged 18.
Swannville, Miss.
Taylor, Miss.
Thayer, Mr.
Tremer, George, London West.
Tremer, Willie, London West.
Vick, Richard.
Wall, Wm.
Wall, Mrs.
Walsh, Geo.
Wannacott, Wm.
Wastie, Alfred, aged 15.
Watson, Nellie.
Weatherhead, Jas.
Westman, Willie, Dundas st.
Young, Joseph.

A CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS.

Patrick Quinlin, only son of Mr. Thos. Quinlin, of 6th con. Glenelg, went over to Margnette a year ago. He was expected home in May, but was drowned on the 2nd ult., by slipping off a sawlog where he was working at the above place. His body was not found until the 23rd and was forwarded to his parents home, and arrived at Markdale Station, on themixed train, the 31st ult. His remains were intered on the day following at the R. C. Church, 8th line, Glenelg, and was followed to their last resting place by a very large number of sorrowing friends and acquantances he was about 30 years of age, a strong fine looking man and respected by all who knew him.

In Owen Sound on the 21st ult., Harry Thompson, of Notters store, was standing on the wharf and took a fit, and fell into the water, and before assistance could be rendered life was extinct. He leaves a wife and one child to morn his loss.

John Wallace lot 1[illegible] T. & S. R. [illegible] years of age, was found near the house on the [illegible] young man was of unsound [illegible] is supposed to have [illegible] the well, and to have [illegible] in.

FIRE.—On Saturday morning [illegible] inst., [illegible] the [illegible] ing occupied by Mr. J. [illegible] known as the California [illegible] House, was discovered on fire. The alarm being given a [illegible] soon collected and succeeded [illegible] ducing the flames before [illegible] had been made. Damage [illegible] of about $2 was done. [illegible] ginated on the inside [illegible] in what way is a [illegible] fire had not been [illegible] control the consequences [illegible] doubt have been serious.

BIRTH.

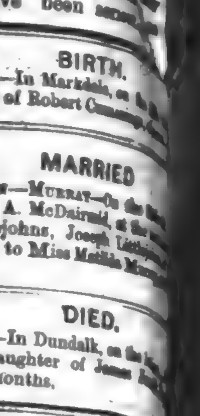
CUMMINGS—In Markdale, on the [illegible] the wife of Robert Cumming, a [illegible]

MARRIED

LITTLEJOHNS—MURRAY—On the [illegible] Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, at the [illegible] C. Littlejohns, Joseph Little[illegible] tomesia, to Miss Matilda Murray [illegible] sia.

DIED.

FARRELL.—In Dundalk, on the [illegible] infant daughter of James [illegible] aged 5 months.



Horse-Shoeing a Spe[cialty]
Markdale, June 2, 1881.

MONEY to L[OAN]
AT SIX 6 PE[R CENT]
STRAIGHT LOANS, on Farm [Securi]ty. Private Funds.
J. G. [illegible]
Markdale, June 2nd, 1881.

A. McINTYRE.

Will move into my new premises shortly in Sproule's B[lock] shortly. No time to write advertisements just now though ready to wait on you should you drop in. N[ew] goods in my establishment.

A. McINTYR[E]

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

Millinery! Milliner[y!]

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and sur[round]ing country that their stock of Millinery is nicely as[sorted] comprising

Trimmed Hats & Bonn[ets]

CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND

ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMINGS,

LADIES' MANTLE[S]

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches

We won't take up your time reading a long advert[isement] but would solicit a call, believing we can give enti[re satis]faction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a conti[nuance] of the same.

HILL BR[OS.]

Markdale, May 28th, 1881.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Fact[ory]

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS

Lumber, Lath and Shing[les]

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Fil[led]

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full [illegible]

PINE LUMBE[R]

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESS[ED]

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the [illegible] and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Tu[rning]

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNE[illegible]

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

[SO]METH[ING]

Yards of Prints, new spring s[tyles] and 12½ cents, fast colors.
Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth
Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55
Dozen Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, di[illegible]
Yards Black Broad-cloth, $1.25
Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
[illegible] Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

[TH]E STANDARD.

[Fri]day, June 6th, 1881.

[LOC]AL & OTHER NOTICES.

[The] Council meets at the Town [Hall] on Monday, the 6th inst.

[Try] those Automatic Lead Pencils, [at Wi]lcox the Jewellers.

[Go to] A. Dunlop, for the best Ice [crea]m in town.

[Gl]ass & Electro-Plated ware suit[able] for presentations, &c., at W. F. [illegible] Flesherton.

[Mar]kdale grange, had a cargo of 12 [tons] of land plaster delivered to them [last] week.

[G]ames.—Lacrosse Sticks, Croquet, Rubber Balls, &c., &c., at W. F. [illegible], Flesherton.

[The] "Little Jewel" Clocks at Wil[cox's] are a novelty the Smallest Pen[dulu]m Clocks made. See them.

[Mr.] S. Howes lost a very fine cow [last] week, disease *Hollow Horn*. Mr. [Mc]Farland lost one with the same [dise]ase, a short time ago.

[For] No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE [and] other machine oils, try Haskett [Bros].

[An] immense stock of Solid Gold [We]dding Rings from $1 up, at Doll's, [Fle]sherton & Dundalk.

[Rev]. Joseph Edge, one of the students of the Montreal Methodist College [will p]reach in the Methodist church [ne]xt Sabbath evening at 6,30.

[A m]eeting, of the directors of Os[prey] Agricultural Society will be held [at Mc]Intyre, on the 11th inst., at 2 [o'cloc]k p. m.

[Mr. Ja]mes Reynolds, lately employed in [the] Medical Hall, Markdale, is now [stud]ying for a Druggist, in Toronto. We [are] glad to learn he is getting on well.

[The T]oronto oil company, are sole [man]ufacturers of "Castorine machine [oil.] Infringements will be prosecuted.

[The] County Council meets in the [Cou]ncil Chamber, Owen Sound, on [the 2]0th inst., for the transaction of [busi]ness.

[Jam]es M. Reynolds, has joined his [broth]er Milo, in *White Pine* Colorado. [They] are keeding Store & Post Office. [Our] best wishes attend them.

[Ask] your dealers for "Castorine" [mac]hine oil, and see that the barrel [is] branded "Castorine," as none other [is] genuine.

The freshing rains and warm weather of the past few days, has had a very beneficial effect on vegetation, and [pres]ent indications promise a boun[tiful h]arvest.

[Use] "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also ex[cel]lent for harness and leather, mak[ing] it water and weather proof. For [sale] by dealers.

[Par]ties in Flesherton having any business to transact will find Mr. [Mac]millan, of E. D. Macmillan's law [offi]ce at Munshaw's hotel on Tuesday [of eac]h week.

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BIRTH.
CUMMINGS.—In Markdale, on the ... the wife of Robert C...

MARRIED
LITTLEJOHN—MURRAY.—On the ... Rev. N. A. McDiarmid ... C. Littlejohns, ... tenensia, to Miss Martha Murray ...

DIED.
FARRELL.—In Dundalk, on the ... infant daughter of ... aged 5 months.

Horse-Shoeing a Speci...
Markdale, June 2, 18...

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AT SIX 6 PER ...
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A. McINTYRE.

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...L BROS.,
Ladies of Markdale and surr... ... Millinery is nicely asso...
...Hats & Bonne...
...ATS AND SUNSHADES.
...S, FEATHERS AND T...
...S AND TRIMMINGS,
...MANTLE...
...ADE TO ORDER.
...well assorted in all branches.
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HILL BR...

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...OULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS, FRA...
...ath and Shingle...
Orders Promptly Fill...
...the people of Markdale ... in the past, and in future keep a ...
...LUMBER
...ESSED AND UNDRESSE...
...of Pine Lumber and Lath ... other schooner load in a ...
...lain and Fancy Tur...
...e in a first-class manner.
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PRICES THAT TELL.

...00 Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8¼, 9, 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
...Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
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...Dozen Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, direct from manufacturers.
...5 Yards Black Broad-cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
...0 Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
...8 Mens Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
300 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24 and 25 cents. Purchased from manufacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " $1.50 "

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600 Yards Brillianteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New Cashmeres, cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.

Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday June 6th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

GLENELG Council meets at the Town Hall, on Monday, the 6th inst.

See those Automatic Lead Pencils, Wilcox the Jewellers.

Go to A. Dunlop, for the best Ice-cream, in town.

SILVER & Electoro-Plated ware suitable for presentations, &c., at W. F. Doll's Flesherton.

Markdale grange, had a cargo of 12 tons of land plaster delivered to them this week.

GAMES.—Lacross Sticks, Croquet sets, Rubber Balls, &c., &c., at W. F. Doll's, Flesherton.

The "Little Jewel" Clocks at Wilcox's are a novelty the Smallest Pendulum Clocks made, See them.

G. S. Bowes lost a very fine cow this week, disease *Hollow Horn.* Mr. McFarland lost one with the same disease, a short time ago.

For No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE and other machine oils, try Haskett Bros.

An immense stock of Solid Gold Wedding Rings from $1 up, at Doll's, Flesherton & Dundalk.

Rev. Joseph Edge, one of the students of the Montreal Methodist College will preach in the Methodist church next Sabbath evening at 6,30.

A meeting, of the directors of Osprey Agricultural Society will be held at McIntyre, on the 11th inst., at 2 o'clock p. m.

Stanely Reynolds, lately employed in the Medical Hall, Markdale, is now studying for a Druggist, in Toronto. We are glad to learn he is getting on well.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil." Infringements will be prosecuted.

The County Council meets in the Council Chamber, Owen Sound, on the 20th inst., for the transaction of business.

James M. Reynolds, has joined his brother Milo, in *White Pine* Colorado. They are keeping Store & Post Office. Our best wishes attend them.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

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DIVISION Court will be held in Markdale on the 10th inst.

Thos McKee shipped yesterday 100.000 shingles to Bell river on the Canada side, opposite Detroit.

Flowers in the house are both ornamental and a source of pleasure. Mr Turner, fully appreciating this, has a large stock of very fine ones for sale at the Medical Hall for 15c upwards.

MR McINTYRE expects to move into the new shop now being fitted up for him, Sproule block. He says he is too busy to change his advertisement until that takes place, but not too busy to wait on those who may favor him with a call.

THE Show grounds of the East Grey Agricultural Society have been greatly improved, and the Fleshertonias are making extensive preparations for a grand day on the 1st of July, when horse racing athletic sports &c will be indulged in.

Mr Thibandeau, two miles from this place, has now 80 head of cattle on his stock farm, which have been bought up this spring, and are in a very thriving condition. His farm consisting of 400 acres, is well watered and especially adapted to stock raising.

THE *American Agriculturist* for June is to hand. Its contents are varied and useful as usual. It's exposure of the many humbugs that are daily being perpertrated on the farming community, is alone worth the price of subscription Published by the Orange Judd Co., 751 Brodway New York City at $1,50 per anum.

EXTRAORDINARY EGG.—It is rare to find two yolks in an egg, but three is something extraordinary. Mr. Chas. Bernard near Rockwood, has one of this kind, the three yolks being quite distinct and visible on making a small incision in the egg, Its dimensions are 7¾ inches in circumferance across the broad side, The egg is from a common hen.—*Monitor,*

WE have received the first number of the Dominion Odd Fellow. It is, as its name would indicate, devoted to the interests of that order. It is a neat, well printed, eight page paper. Being personally acquainted with its publishers, we feel safe in saying that the promises contained in the first number will be fully carried out, and heartily recommended it to the brotherhood. Published at Napanee by *Messrs* Templeton & Beeman, at $1 per annum, in advance.

CUT THIS OUT,—Persons handeing bank bills should be careful not to take in any $2 Dominion notes from No. 145,001 to No. 115,000, nor any $1 Dominion notes from No. 355,001 to 356,000 as the Government has refused to redeem them, they being part of the lot stolen from the Rociever-General's office in Toronto some time ago.

ROBBERY.—George Clemens lot 2, 17th Con., Keppel, went to Owen Sound on Thursday of last week, and during his absence some one broke into his house and abstracted therefrom $50 and a doubled barrel shot gun together with $70 belonging to Mrs. Clemens, who was also absent at the time. Suspicion rests upon certain parties, but nothing definate has yet transpired.—*Echo.*

A CERTAIN young man of our village, and a would-be lady-killer, while out driving with a young lady of a neighboring village, made indecent proposals to her, which were indignantly repulsed. Upon her return home she informed her big brother, who immediately armed himself with revolvers, dirk knives, and sundry other implements of war, determined to annihilate that young man or die in the attempt. Hearing that the man he was after had made a bee line for Markdale, he started in pursuit. Getting into a rig with some others that were bound hitherward, he sat down by the individual he was after, and began narrating to him the errand on which he was bent, showing him a revolver, fully loaded, with which he intended to cut short the career of the gay lothario who had so fearfully insulted his sister. What that young gent's feelings were can better be imagined than described. On the road the brother spied an individual, whom he took to be his man, from the description given by his sister, and immediately jumped out and went for him lively. While he was mopping the road with him the really guilty party made good his escape. How the thing will terminate we can't say, but one thing is evident Markdale has one inhabitant the less.

PERSONAL.

W. F. DOLL, of Flesherton, has gone on a visit to the Old Country. The night previous to his departure, quite a number of the young people of the village met at Mr Richardson's, to wish him a pleasant voyage, and a speedy return. Mr Doll will visit Birmingham, Paris, and other promenent business centres, while gone, anb we believe he intends bringing back a large stock of goods from those places. His business has been placed in the hands of a competant workman during his absence and all orders will be promptly attended to.

W. J. MCFARLAND, Esq., leaves for Europe on Saturday next, for the benefit of his health. No doubt however Mac will keep his eye open during his travels and we expect to have to announce on his return, that he has imported heavily. The business during his absence will be under the supervision of Mr. Bowes. Mr. R. D. Biggar, of Oakville, a former resident, and for some years book-keeper in Mr. McFarland's establishment, will assist Mr. Bowes. With the many other friends of Mr. B. we extend to him a cordial welcome back, and hope his stay among us will be permanent.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, May 20, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, April 28th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.19
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.15
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.25	"	0.30
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 12c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1 00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, May 19, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 08	to	$1 10
Wheat, spring, do.	1 10	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 79	to	0 91
Oats, do.	0 39	to	0 40
Peas, do.	0 63	to	0 67
Rye, do.	0 80	to	0 80
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	3 00	to	4 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	to	0 70
Fowls, do.	40	to	0 40
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	50	to	0 60
Turkeys	1 00	to	1 75
Butter, large rolls	12	to	0 15
Butter, tub dairy	17	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	18	to	0 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	1 50
Potatoes per bag	0 50	to	0 65
Onions, per bag	2 00	to	2 50
Hay	8 50	to	14 25

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!
Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

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has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.
A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

$2 Watches. Stem winders $3.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO., 133 Nassau St., New York.

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.
A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
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Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th, 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6:30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

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Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37 4w

Mortgage Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

In the Township of Artemesia

Under and by virtue of the provisoes and powers contained in two mortgages made by **Henry Williams** to the **Farmers' Loan and Savings Company,** and to **William J. McFarland** respectively, which will be produced at the time of sale and subject to conditions which will be then read, there will be sold by Public Auction by **A. S. Vandusen** Auctioneer, at **Rutledge's Hotel,** in the **Village of Markdale,** on

Monday, the 6th day of June, 1881.

At *One o'clock* P. M.

The following desirable farm.

Lot number *Seventeen,* in the *Thirteenth* Concession of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, containing one hundred acres, be the same more or less. There are about 60 acres of said land cleared. The buildings consist of a small log shanty. It is well watered, and within easy distance of Markdale Station.

Terms of Sale.—One half in cash at the time of sale, and the balance as may be agreed upon.

There will be a reserve bid.

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LANE & ROWE,
Solicitors for the Vendor.
Dated the 6th day of May, 1881. 35-3w

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Montreal, December, 1880.

NOTICE.

The adjourned Court of Revision, for the Township of Proton, will meet at Cederville for the final Revision on the second Tuesday in June 1881. The Court to open at 10 a. m. ...
JOHN VERT,
Township Clerk.
Proton, 25th May 1881. 37-2w

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NOTICE.

TENDERS will be received up to the 10th of June, by Wilson Benson, for the building of a solid Brick building in Markdale. Specifications may be seen at the Belfast House.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-2w

The Reform Association
Of East Grey, will meet in Convention in the Town Hall Flesherton, on Tuesday, 14th June, 1881, at one o'clock p. m. ... a limited number of circulars will be issued; but as it would be manifestly impossible to reach all thereby, friends of Reform throughout the Riding are requested to attend without further notice.
By order of the President,
WM. BROWN, Secy.
Markdale, May 25th, 1881, 37-3w

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Special rates given to parties wanting specially large loans, offering special security
I have also a few thousand dollars of
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To invest on very reasonable terms, and at 7 per cent. interest. This is a rare chance and the amount is limited. As many English and Scotch capitalists are withdrawing their capital from the market, I believe a change in the money market may soon be expected. Money has reached rock bottom. **Now is the time to borrow,** and the place is
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AUCTION SALES attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.
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ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!
The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the **entire control** of the
FLESHERTON STEAM
FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY
AND REMOVED TO THE
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TO THE
NEW AND COMMODIOUS BRICK BUIDING ADJOING THE FACTORY,
Where my numerous customers will always find me, or a competent salesman to look after and attend to their wants. **My facilities are now Superior** to any time since commencing business, and I trust by honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed in the past.
I have now a Large and Varied Stock of
Furniture in all the Latest Styles,
and during the Winter I require
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for which
THE HIGHEST PRICE WILL BE PAID.
Also a Quantity of Good Pine.
ALL KINDS OF SASH, DOORS, MOULDING, TC.,
AS USUAL.
Estimate of supplies Given on Application.
Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham street.
H. HOOPER.
Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

Announcement!
LATE IMPORTATIONS
OF
Sesaonable Goods,
AT
Greatly Reduced Prices,
AT THE
TORONTO HOUSE.
Wm. BROWN.
Markdale, April 15, 1881. 1-ly

MARRIAGE EXTRAORDINARY

There lives in North Carolina a family notable for nothing, so far as we know, but for an idiosyncratic fondness for being married in unheard of and absurd places. The telegraph has just announced the wedding of the youngest daughter in a clift near Cave creek, one hundred and fifty feet in the air, the place being, old tradition says, an Indian refuge. The father and mother of the romantic young woman took upon themselves the holy bonds of matrimony in a a baloon, which, by the way, became unmanageable before the bridal party came to earth, so that they barely escaped with their lives, passing he bridal night tossing about in a bank of very wet clouds, the bride being deadly sea sick. The eldest son of the family kept up the traditions of his home by wedding his bride in a diving- bell, although in taking a second wife he contented himself with a simple marriage by telegraph. Another son bore home his blushing consort from a marriage in a railroad car; and still a third brother contrived that his wedding should come in as a part of a performance of amateur theatricals, no one besides himself, the bride and the magistrate who performed the ceremony, being in the secret. What bizarre antics the next generation will devise it is difficult to imagine, but at least the fool-catcher need not consider his occupation gone while any of the family remains at large.

RED-HEADED GIRLS

A lady correspondent who ought to know writes from New York to say that red-headed girls are all the rage. Those who have fiery heads by nature now account them selves lucky. Lemon blondes have lost their grip, and black heads join them in envying the reds. Red hair is attainable but with considerable trouble, for bleaching must be followed by dyeing, and the process requires frequent repetition. Moreover, the peculiar complexion that usually accompanies red hair cannot be simulated. It has a clear palid hue for a groundwork (and this might by itself be counterfeited), but on it appear pale, reddish freckles, and to paint them it would be too delicate an operation to undertake. Red hair is becoming common on the streets and in public assemblages, but the real is too easily distinguished from the false that the fashion is not likely to last long. In the matter of hairdressing, while it is no longer correct to ware the hair high on the head and in voluminous puffs, braids and frizzes, as was fashionable only a year ago, it is nevertheless evident that the close, flat style of coiffure is going out of date. Curls and loops are added from week to week, and gradually we are returning to the elaborate style of hairdressing, which is the only one suitable for the complicated details of the general toilet of to-day. When done in red hair, the fussiness is effective. Women with red hair are called "rossas." When attired with taste, they are bewitching—if they have fine complections and eyes blue, gray, dark, brown or bronze-tinted; they should dress in either very dark or very light colors. Grays, drabs, yellows, bright blue, bright green, mauve, lilac, and rose do not become them. They may wisely wear black, dark blue, dark voilet, pearl and cream white, water blue and the palest tints of Nile Green.

NO SECRETS FROM SCIENCE

The doctor arrives at the hospital to make his daily visit of inspection and receives the ticket of a new patient, 'X, musician in German band; pulmonary consumption.'

He proceeds to his patient's beside, surrounded by his admiring class.

'Well, my good fellow, you spit blood, don't you?'

'Yes, doctor; I—'

'That'll do; we know all about it. and you have cold sweats at night, eh?'

'Yes, sir, and—'

'I fancy now by my occupation you are a musician?'

'Yes, I play—'

'Be silent! You belong to a brass band and you have over exerted yourself—have fairly blown your lungs away puffing into your instrument. Gentlemen, you perceive that sickness as no secret from science. What instrument do you play, my good man?'

'The cymbals, sir.

UNCLE ZACK'S WISDOM.

The world would be more happy, and the mass of people in it just as wise, it they would whistle more and argue less.

Very amiable, good-natured are those people who can have their own way in everything.

The everlasting longing for something we have not, ought to satisfy us that there are great things in store for use.

There is no charity in helping a man who will not help himself.

A man may learn infidelty from books and from men, but never from nature.

Humanity is the safest foundation to build any kind of superstructure on.

A man's heirs are sometimes his most impatient creditor.

Fish was given to man to lengthen his reason.

Most of the unhappiness of this life comes from not knowing the true value of things.

Money and fame are the two things men work hardest for, and after death one is worth just about as much as the other.

Mercy is sometimes an insult to justice.

Compliments are often nothing more than gilt edge falshoods.

What moral armies need just now is more rank and file and fewer brigadier-generals.

It takes two to make a quarrel and two to keep it going; it only needs one to end it.

Jealousy is simply another name for self love.

He who is ashamed of his poverty will surely be arrogant in his wealth.

There is hope for a man as long as he can blush.

"So you enjoyed your visit the circus, did you?" inquired a young man of his adored one's little sister. "Oh, yes! And do you know, we saw a camel there that screwed its mouth and eyes around awful; and sister said it looked exactly as you do when you are reading poetry at the evening parties."

HIS CONSCIENCE SMOTE HIM.

'What's the feel'in in this yere office about lendin' me a quarter?' asked an attenuated tramp at the cashier's desk of the Eagle office yesterday afternoon

'There are strong prejudices against it,' returned the cashier;

'Does it go so far as to reach itself to a dime?' inquired the suppliant,

'I think it reaches to that extent, said the cashier.

'You don't appear to recognize me pardner.'

'Well you don't refer to anything of which I have extended information.'

'There's a great deal of money in me, if I'm properly worked. I only need keerful handling.'

'Money in you, how?' asked the cashier becoming interested.

'If I was taken where I belonged there'd be great wealth for us both. I'm priceless in the proper quarter.'

'Give me your address and I'll send you over,' said the cashier.'

'Make it twenty-five cents and I'll give you the information. Put up somethin' as a guarantee of good faith and you've got me. Two bits in cash invested in me will make your eyes hang out.'

'I'll go a quarter on you,' said the cashier, handing over the money. 'Who are you? How's anything to be made out of you?'

'Stranger,' said the grateful tramp bursting into tears: 'stranger, I won't deceive a kind hearted man like you. I was going to tell you that I was Sitting Bull but I ain't; I'm only Alexander T. Stewart's long lost, dead body.

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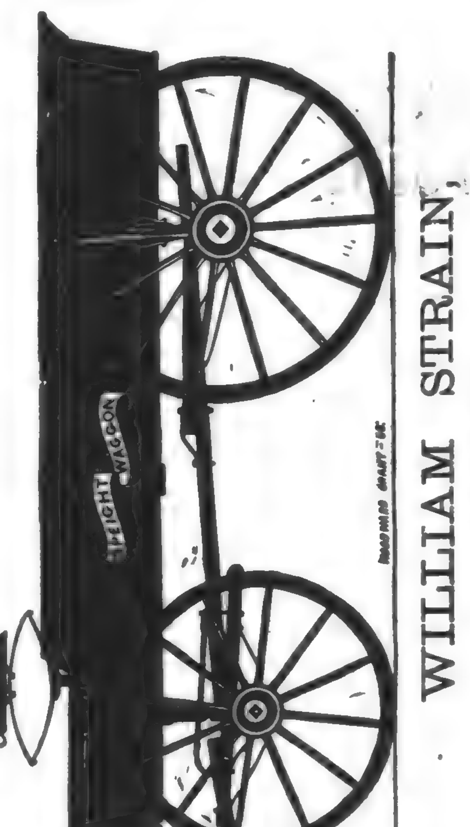
Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



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WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

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Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

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Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

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THOS. H. YOUNG.

Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

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Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th. 1881. 9-tf

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Flesherton, March 10, 1881 14-ly

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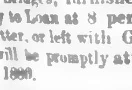

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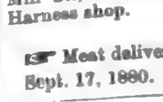

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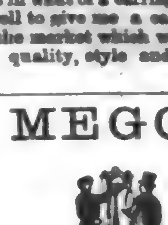

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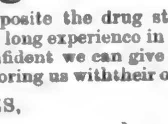
Sheep and Cattle.



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Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

MONEY IS KING.

I am lord of all—the poor—the rich :
The king his throne, the beggar his ditch,
At my behest must loose or hold,
Or, "hey, presto change !" and lo behold
The king's a beggar—the beggar enthroned
Now each in his former state disowned.
Thus my puppet move, as I pulled the string,
For I am Money and Money is King.

In the nation's hall I proudly stand,
For I hold the prize in my good right hand
Of member minster, senator all—
I buy them up both great and small,
I buy their honor, manhood and truth—
They'd sell what they call their souls in sooth
And their empty lives to my feet would
bring.
For I am Money and Money is King.

See the maiden of beauty rare—
Her only downer is her golden hair,
A faultless face, a matchless form ;
A heart with human passions warm ;
She'll go to the market where beauty is sold
And barter her fresh young charms for gold.
If the compact's sealed with the marriage ring,
Her buyer is Money, and Money is King.

I buy the love of a maiden or wife,
I buy the stroke of dagger or knife ;
I buy the judge, the jury, the law,
That will find convincement for me a flaw ;
I buy the witness who'll deftly swear
That white is black and black is fair ;
And loud and long will my praises sing,
For I am Money, and Money is King.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

Mr. Coghlan had been helping the men to steady the rope, leaning out of the window to do so better.

"He is down !" he exclaimed, after that intense and anxious pause. "The rope flies loose ! But, hark ! An imprecation—a blow ! Good Heaven, he has come down upon a Whiteboy !"

There was a wild possionate cry in the room, and the next moment Glorvina fell into Tim O'Brien's arms, which caught her as she staggered.

"Put her on the bed. O'Brien," said Coghlan in a broken voice. "No wonder she is horror stricken. The poor, brave fellow! Well he has done his best, and we must do ours! Eva, Lily"—turning to his weeping wife and daughter—"see to Glory. But, perhaps, it will be better for her if she never wakes !"

CHAPTER XI.

It was as they had guessed. The tutor had come down upon the head of a Whiteboy, whose garb revealed him even in the darkness of the thick misty night. Happily for Surridge, the blow knocked the man down ; but he sprang instantly to his feet, and, with an imprecation and a shout, rushed at the breathless clergyman. But the tutor parried with great dexterity a blow from a knife, though in doing so he had his left arm cut open from the top to the bottom, and in return levelled his assailant by a well-planted blow which fell—accidentally—between the eyes and stunned him. Then, fearful that the man's shout would in an instant bring his fellows, the tutor fled with his greatest speed towards the meadows. He was right ; he was still in sight when those who had heard their sentinel's cry came to the spot, and the fellow, reviving, pointed to the fugitive.

"He fell on my head," he gasped, "and then knocked me down !"

"Pursue him !" cried the voice of Captain Rock himself—"pursue him if you love your lives, or he will bring the soldiers on us !"

Then, sure that the fugitive would be caught, he turned to the house.

"I would smoke them out, only the fire would be seen by the soldiers and betray us."

Three of the Whiteboys, all swift of foot, had started in pursuit of the flying tutor. He had had the start by three or four mintes, but he did not know the path so well as they did, and besides, he was bleeding fearfully from his wound. He began to feel faint and exhausted, and could already hear their approaching footsteps. Happily for him the night was cloudy and misty. Just as he felt that the race was nearly over, something dark seemed to obstruct his path. He came right up against it, and found it was a huge pig-sty. And now the steps were nearer and the voices audible.

"I will not be butchered," he murmured, leaping over the fence of the sty with the last effort of his strength, and creeping into it. A monstrous sow and her little ones, disturbed by his entrance, grunted and moved in their sleep. The tutor crept under her huge side, pulled the straw litter over him, and fainted.

Meanwhile the pursuers, keeping the straight path, which was well known to them, passed the sty without a thought of the shelter it afforded their destined victim, and paused only when the barracks loomed in sight.

"He has got there !" gasped the foremost one.

"And the sodgers will be upon us in no time !" cried another. "Hark ! What's that sound ?"

And, turning, all three fled back at their best speed.

"There is the farm," said one ; "can he have gone in there ?"

"Pooh ! Nancy wouldn't harbour him, and the dog would have given notice if he had gone into the yard."

As he spoke, a lattice near them opened, and a girl's head appeared.

"What is it buoys ?" asked a low voice.

"We are afther the heretic parson, Kathleen. He's gone to rouse the sodgers, and has got away from us. Is he in the yard, think ye ?"

"The dog wouldn't let him in," she replied.

"Oh, but the dog knows him ! Here, come and open the gate ; we'd best look for him !"

"Ay," she said, "I'll be out in a minute."

And she soon appeared an' let them in, hushing the great mastiff that guarded the farm. They searched cowhouse and loft ; but there was no sign of human being. The girl let them out and walked a little way with them down the lane. As they passed the pig-sties one of them said—

"Can he be in there ?"

"Faith no, Terence," replied the girl. "The ould sow would soon let ye know if he was."

"Good night, then mavourneen," said the man. "He's reached the barracks, and we must be off at once and get away."

"Good night," returned the girl ; and, as they ran off at full speed, she muttered, "And its glad I am ye never found him. Ye shouldn't have harmed him though, if ye had."

As the girl passed the sty on her way back, a deep groan startled her.

"Holy Virgin save us !" she cried, crossing herself. "What's that ?"

And then, with a sudden suspicion, she hastened into the house, got a lantern, and went back to the sty, stirring up the great sow, who, in moving and lying on the tutor's wounded arm, had brought back his senses by the pain. Underneath her on the straw lay the pale and bleeding man. He opened his eyes, recognised her, and murmured—

"Kathleen, save me !"

"And it's save ye I will, poor darlint !" said the warm-hearted drudge ; and, crawling into the sty, she soon discovered the wounded arm, tore her petticoat into strips, and bound it up deftly. "Now," she said, "crawl out if you can ;" and with her assistance, he did so. But was very weak. "Sit ye still on the straw," she said kindly, "and I'll bring ye drop of whiskey That'll soon set ye up ; and I'll hide ye till daylight."

She placed him on a heap of straw, and, scarcely listening to his feeble thanks, hurried off to the house, never thinking that he could move alone, or she would not have left him. But she was scarcely out of sight when, with a mighty effort, he raised himself and went staggering on to the barracks.

The whiskey had to be taken from a cupboard, the key of which was, happily, lost, and Kathleen was some time finding it. When she returned with the glass of the "craythur," as she called it, her patient was gone.

"The buoys have returned and found him !" she sighed. "Poor sowl; it's sorry Kathleen is for you !" And with a heavy heart, the girl went back to the house.

Thus unmolested, the tutor—to whom even the girl would now have been a formidable foe—staggered on to the barrack gate and gave the alarm. His message was barely told before he fell again insensible at the sentry's feet.

CHAPTER XII., AND LAST.

The inmates of the Priory were in deadly peril. The first door took longer to break open than the hall-door had ; it yielded at last however, shivered to pieces by the axes of the rebels. But, when they found that the next door, and the next, demanded the same labor, they were infuriated. There was a cry several times of "Burn it down !" but their captain interfered.

"The ould wood would burn like tinder," he said, and the sodgers would see the flames. Besides, we've promised to save Miss Desmond, who is one of us, and we will. Work on with a will, boys !"

But they began to think it strange that the pursuers had not returned, and the captain grew uneasy. The fourth door was down, but there were five others ; and every moment, if the tutor had escaped, placed their necks in jeopardy. Still the men's blood was up ; obstacles only roused and infuriated them, and the captain knew that he dared not order a retreat. The fifth door took still longer to break open ; the sixth, which was wedged, was almost immovable, and the axes had to cut through the panel low down for the arm to go through and remove it. The doors were of a thickness not dreamed of in modern times ; and thus the rebels had only just broken open the last but one after two hours' toil. In the meantime the pursuers had come back and warned them of danger approaching ; but the men, growing more and more dogged as the resistance opposed to them was more provoking, would not heed.

The inmates were in the last room. Glorvina had revived, and now sat pale, mute, as if turned to stone, Eva trying to arouse her. Mrs. Coghlan, clasping her little ones to her beating heart, wept silently. Tim O'Brien stood with folded arms leaning against the wall and gazing at Glorvina with a sort of sullen despair. He—perhaps he alone—had read her swoon aright.

And now the crashes, the imprecations, the sound of hideous voices, drew nearer and nearer, and the party could at last distinguish the cries of "We will have their hearts' blood !"

There was a nearer, louder crash, than a blow on the last door, which seemed to fall on Mrs. Coghlan's heart as her little Norah screamed with childish affright. The sound, revealing how near the assailants had drawn to their victims, and hailed with a shout of fiendish glee from the Whiteboys.

"Here they are, buoys, at last !" cried a voice.

Then something was muttered.

"And that's true for you ; it'll save time," replied the stentorian tones of Captain Rock. "Hillo, Misther O'Brien ; are ye there ?"

Tim made no answer. But Glorvina, starting to sudden life in her care for others, answered loudly—

"Yes, Mr. O'Brien is here."

"Then bid him open the door for his friends."

She turned and confronted Tim. The traitor's head dropped beneath her glance of scorn.

"It was for your sake," he murmured.

"Traitor !" was her reply.

But his friends outside were impatient.

"Now look you, Tim O'Brien," said the same commanding voice, "I order you by your oath to open this door, and cause no more delay, which is risky for you and us. Open at once, or—you know the forfeit."

The coward actually moved to obey; but Glorvina threw herself across his path and stood with back to the door.

"You shall kill me first, vile traitor!" she said.

Perhaps Tim would have used his strength and moved his slight opponent from his path, but Coghlan, who had been stunned by grief and indignation, suddenly seized him and pulled him down. Murphy flew to his master's assistance, and the footman, with ready intelligence, drew out his knife, cut off pieces of the alarm rope, and bound Tim hand and foot, he making scarcely any resistance.

"Will you open ?" again shouted Captain Rock. "Obey at once, or you shall die with these traitors of Ireland!"

"I am bound hand and foot," muttered Tim.

"And we are saved !" shrieked Eva. "The Hussars—the Hussars !"

Yes, there was the gallop of horses and the sound of the trumpet !

Captain Rock threw down his axe with an imprecation. He and the Whiteboys had heard the approaching horsemen, and they at once made off. But escape was not easy now.

Guided by a handkerchief which Eva waved from the window to their friends, the soldiers came right on the Whiteboys, and there was a hand-to-hand fight. A few broke through the Hussars and got away ; but half or more of the band were taken, and were finally bound and confined in the lower rooms of the house on the north side.

Then Captain Leicester knocked at the door to tell the family they were safe, and to ask admission. He entered looking flushed.

"You are safe ; I am thankful to say," he announced.

Mr. Coghlan wrung his hand, while Mrs. Coghlan and her daughter could only thank him by their tears. The relief from that agony was almost too much to bear. His eyes lingered tenderly on Eva ; but it was Glorvina who came to him and laid her hand on his arm, saying in a strangely hoarse voice—

"How did you know ?"

"That brave fellow Surridge brought the tidings," he replied. "He came covered with blood and could only say. 'Whiteboys at the Priory ! Ride, for life or death rests on your speed!' We needed no other bidding."

"He is not dead ?" she asked with white lips.

"I really can't say. He was carried in and the doctor went to him. I hope he will live."

Then suddenly his eyes fell upon the bound form of O'Brien.

"Mr. O'Brien !" he exclaimed in amazement.

Coghlan glanced down at the prostrate traitor.

"Yes, this gentleman," he said bitterly, "was a friend and ally of the Whiteboys. He was—I believe I have good grounds for thinking so—kind enough to cut the rope of the alarm-bell at the time he was enjoying my hospitality, thus insuring our destruction had not my son's tutor risked his life for us."

"Then he must consider himself my prisoner," said Leicester haughtily ; and leaving the room, he soon returned with two or three of his soldiers, to whose charge he committed the detected traitor.

The exhausted family descended with him to the drawing-room. Murphy received orders to give the soldiers the best food and drink the house supplied. Refreshments were also brought to the chilled and weary ladies and children, and then Mr. Coghlan suggested that they should go to bed.

"Sleep sweetly," whispered Leicester to Eva, as she said 'Good morning,' —for day was drawing near, though it was not yet light. "We watch over your safety."

Mrs. Coghlan, Eva, and the wearied children were soon wrapped in slumber.

Not so Glorvina. She had known

(*To be continued.*

PROOF OF ANIMAL LIFE IN OTHER PLANETS

Two interesting problems which have long preplexed the scientific appear to have been at last definitely solved by the eminent geologist, Dr. Hahn. These questions are, first, whether or not celestial bodies, other than the earth, belonging to our solar system are inhabited by animate beings, and secondly, whether the meteoric stones from time to time cast upon the surface of this globe emanate from incandescent comets or from volcanic planets. That they at no time formed a part of the earth itself has been conclusively demonstrated. Dr. Hahn has recently completed a series of envestigations upon some of the huge meteoric stones that fell from the skies in Hungary during the summer of 1866. Thin laminæ of these mysterious bodies, subjected to examination under a powerful microscope, have been found to contain corralline and spongeous formations, and to reveal unmistakeable traces of the lower forms of vegetation. All the organisms, animal and vegetable, discovered by Dr. Hahn in the delicate stone shavings he has thus dealt with indicate the condition of their parent world to be one of what is technically termed "primary formation.' But the presence of water in that world is proved by the fact that the tiny petrified creatures revealed by the magic of the lens one and all belong to the so-called subaqueous classes of animals. They could not have existed in comets, at least if the assumption be corrected that these are in a state of active combustion.—*London Telegraph.*

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BUYING HIS NEIGHBOUR'S WIFE.

(FROM THE INDIANAPOLIS JOURNAL.)

In Jackson township, Decatur county a bachelor bought a neighbor's wife of her impecunious husband for $100, with the understanding that the latter was to retain charge of the two children. He then sold his farm and went west, taking his purchase along.

HUNTING ON THE PLAINS.

It is estimated by competent authorities that 100,000 buffalo hides will be shipped out of the Yellowstone country this season. Two firms alone are negotiating for the transportation of 25,000 hides each. When to this is added the immense amount of skins and furs of other kinds—deer, elk, antelope bear, beaver &c.,—some idea may be formed of the extent of the Yellowstone pelt and fur trade.

Most of our citizens saw the big load of buffalo hides that the C. K. Peck brought down last season, a load that hid everything about the boat below the hurricane deck roof. There was 10.000 hides in that load and they were all brought off the Yellowstone on one trip and transferred to the C. K. Peck. How such a load could have been pilled on the little Ferry not even the men on the boat appeared to know. It hid every part of the boat, passing only the pilot house and smoke-stacks. But such a load will not be attempted again. For such boats as ply the Yellowstone there are at least fifteen full loads of buffalo hides and other pelts. Reconing 1.000 hides to three car loadsand adding to this fifty cars for the pelts it will take at least 320 box cars to cary this stupendous bulk of peltry east to market. These figures are not guesses, but estimates made by men whose business is to know about the amount of hides and furs awaiting shipment.

Nothing like it has ever been known in the history of fur trade. Last season the out-put of buffalo hides was came out of the Yellowstone country, or less than a third of what is there now awaiting shipment.
about the average, and last year only about 80,000 hides

The past severe winter caused the buffalo to bunch themselves in a few valleys where there was pasturage, the slaughter went on all winter There was no sport about it, simply shooting down the famine tamed animals as cattle might be shot in a barnyard.

To the credit of the Indians it can be said that they killed no more than they could save the meat from. The grater part of the slaughter was done by white hunters, or butchers rather, who followed the business of killing and skinning buffalo by the month, leaving the carcasses to rot. When the buffalo are all killed off, as they bid fair to be in a very few years at this rate, then everybody will wonder that the Government did not do something to preserve this, the noblest of animal game, or at least prevent the killing of the buffalo for the hides alone.—*Sioux City Journal.*

ROYALTY AT HOME.

HOW THE PRINCESS OF WALES SEES TO THE BRINGING UP OF HER DAUGHTERS —A FAMILY GROUP.

Every morning at 9 o'clock the three daughters of the Princess of Wales take their music lesson. They have "mamma" waked up, who, a few moments later, appears in her dressing-gown, and remains with them till the lesson is over. Nothing interests the Princess more than the education of her daughters. In music she can fully appreciate their progress, being herself a consummate musician. Her delicate, dreamy, thoroughly Danish nature betrays itself in her touch. She dotes, above all, on the melodies of Chopin and Schumann, and she plays them with wonderful talent. The three young Princesses, Louise, Victoria and Maud, differ as greatly in character as in physiognomy. The eldest, Louise, has the fine features and the grace of her mother ; she is gentle, gay and affable, in short the Parisienne of the three. Victoria, the second daughter, is the image of her father. She is proud, rather reserved, and attaches herself little to people. When she does grow fond of some one, however, her affection never wavers. She unites to a thorough consciousness of her own dignity a generous heart, easily moved. Her intellect, which is greatly developed, only renders her the more engaging. The youngest sister, Princess Maud, can still be called a baby. She is but ten years of age. In appearance she bears a great likeness to her grandmother, the Queen. She is good hearted, and at times even a little serious. The private apartments of the Princess of Wales, both at Sandringham and at Marlborough House, are fitted up completely in French style. One would believe oneself transported to a mansion in the Champs Elysees. Scattered about everywhere on plush-covered tables are an infinity of knick-knacks, such as small porcelain dogs, bird cages with stuffed birds, figures in Dresden china, tiny flower stands of *Faience* or Sevres, inkstands, knives and what not, just as in the shops of the Rue de la Paix. The Princes' writing paper always comes from Paris, as well as her dressingtables and all the latest fashionable baubles. Her different pieces of furniture are surrounded by low sreens, which in many cases she herself has embroidered. Many objects in ivory, enamel, silver and mother-of-peral recall Prince "Bertie's" voyage to India.

A commercial traveller from Boston, having had a run of hard luck in prosecuting business, received from his firm the following exhilirating despatch ; "If you can't make expenses, come home at once." To which he sent the following reply: "All right. Can make plenty of expenses, but no sales."

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"MEASURING THE BABY."

Don't measure the baby ! There is an old superstition that if you do it will die before the year is out, and it's always best to be on the safe side. Do you see that name written in lead pencil on the door-casing ? Well, that's were we measured the baby. If you get down on your knees you will be able to read, "Jim, just so high." It wasn't a year ago that we all came out here, father, mother, and the girls and got down on the grass and stood him up there. He was a right to look at—all pink and white, with the softest rings of hair and eyes like violets in the spring, and he'd laugh and tumble down and we'd all laugh and cheer him up again, and Jennie had the pencil on his head and scratched the wall, and then we wrote that to mark the spot, but I've wished many a time since I'd never had it done. You see we had been reading some poetry verses about that very thing and it just fitted to our baby exactly in the beginning :

"We measure the riotous baby
Against the cottage wall,
A lilly grew on the threshold,
And the boy was just as tall."

That was so like our baby that I cut the verse out, and pasted it in the blank leaf of the big Bible. Then Jennie said there were more verses that suited him, but after getting the full drift of the poetry, I most wished we hadn't seen it, but I took two more verses and let them go with the others here they are:

"His eyes were wide as blue bells,
(That's like Jim exactly ?)
His mouth like a flower unblown :
(That's him again).
Two little bare feet, like funny white mice,
Peeped out from his snowy gown.

"And we thought with a thrill of rapture,
And yet had a touch of pain,
When June rolls round with her roses
We'll measure the boy again."

Now, if it had stoped there, as I expected it would, I'd have nothing to say and there'd be another mark on the door casing "as much higher," but—but—well what's the use of beating about the bush in this way. You see there's no mark there, and it wasn't any superstitition after all. I went to-day into the room where he lay, all white and peaceful like and so still that it was a sin to cry and disturb his sleep, and I added the rest of the poetry, that Jennie has kept without knowing why, to the old Bible.

"We measured the sleeping baby
with ribbons white as snow,
For the shining rosewood casket
That waited him below.

And on of the darkened chamber
We went with a childless moan
To the height of the sinless angles
Our little one had grown."

That tells the story of little Jim better than I can tell it ; that is why there's a hush over all the house, and the sun is to bright, and the birds have stopped singing, and we can neaver again measure the baby, for he has gone "so high" that we can only reach him dy the golden ladder of death.

WOMAN AS PREACHERS.

WHO SUCCEEDED AND WHO FAIL—OBSTACLES IN THE WAY.

The Universalist and Unitarian theological schools admit women, but so far no young women have gone into the pulpit from them. There are, however, a number of young women who are pursuing theological studies in Methodist Schools. among the successful women preachers who are married are Mrs Van Cott, Mrs. Amanda Smith and Mrs. Willing. Miss Sarah Smiley, Miss Vincent, of Boston, and Phœbe Hanaford have been before the public for years. The Rev. Mrs. Ellen Gustin, of Massachusetts, is an ordained preacher in the denomation in which President Garfield was formerly a preacher, and is pastor of a church. Referring to the fate of Miss Mary Phillips, one of the girl preachers said: "I dont wonder she died, for the opposition we meet is enough to kill any one who is not kept alive miraculously by the lord."

"Are girl preachers popular ?' was asked.

'With aged people, middle-aged married couples, youths and misses they are popular. With wife-hunting men, old bachelors, or men in love, and with young women looking for husbands, or those in love, they are not popular. Spinsters, however, greatly admire them, and to some extent envy them for the independence of their position, matrimonially considered, and the respect they exact serves to make their positions enviable to those having been disappointed. The life of a girl who is preparing for the ministry is one of self-denial as to dress and fashion, theatres, and worldly amusements, and it is difficult nowadays in cities to pass through such an ascetic existence outside of a convent. But women know that conscience and duty call them as loudly as they call men, and that happiness comes only with obeying Our comfort to the sick and dying, our sympathy with the afflicted, our simple life and habits give us place in the hearts of our parishoners. One preacher said to me that wherever men could behold the spectacle of vestal virgins dedicated to God they were more moved than by a thousand sermons.'

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"How do you like my spring clothes ?" asked Leander. "Pretty well," replied Hero, doubtfully, and then added, "but I think I should like you better in a walking suit." He sat wrapped in silent thought for about five minutes, and then got up and walked slowly away in the suit he had on.

NEW PASTOR.—Rev. Mr. Asbury, from Almyer, County of Elgin, has been appointed to the Incumbency of Trinity Church, Durham. The rev. gentleman conducted service here on Sunday last, morning and evening. Regular service will commence on and after June 5th.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday, 14th inst., Mr. Thos. Barclay, a wood worker in Mr. Cochrane's foundry here, had the little finger of his right hand taken off at the first joint by a plaining machine.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto, —Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
[illegible]	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.36 p.m.
[illegible]	8.36 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
[illegible]	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
[illegible]burg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
[illegible]	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
[illegible] Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
[illegible]	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
[illegible]	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
[illegible]eville—			
[illegible]	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
[illegible]	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
[illegible] Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
[illegible]	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
[illegible]burne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
[illegible]dalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
[illegible]	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
[illegible]	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
[illegible]	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
[illegible]	2.35 p.m.	8.29 p.m.	
[illegible]	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
[illegible]	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
[illegible]	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
[illegible]	3.35 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
[illegible] S[illegible]	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

[illegible] Sound, depart	6.20 a.m.	12.30 noon.
[illegible]	7.04 a.m.	12.30 p.m.
[illegible]	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.
[illegible]	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.
[illegible]	7.48 a.m.	1.25 p.m.
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

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THE STANDARD.

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destroyed in many places. The fruit crop, which up to the last week promised so favorably, is completely ruined it is said. In many places it is reported that ice formed to the thickness of half an inch and in the county of Lennox the ground was frozen to the depth of half an inch. In the Gatineau district some of the farmers have commenced to replant so great has been the damage. We believe nothing approaching the severity of this visitation has been Experienced since the year 1831.

DUNDALK.

(Written specially for the STANDARD.)

THERE is no philanthropic Irishman who may chance to see the above name, but will revert his mind back to the bygone days of yore, when he will remember the beautiful little seaport town in the Emerald Isle.

Many a heart has felt glad at the name of Dundalk, and many more will enquire where this Dundalk is situated, and what connections it has with the old seaport town. But the Dundalk we wish to call your attention to is situated on the line of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway in the County of Grey, being 28 miles north of Orangeville, 40 miles south [of] Owen Sound, 12 miles north of Shelburne, and 12 miles south of Flesherton. Situated on the boundary line between the Townships of Proton and Melancthon, we look upon [Dund]alk as being centrally located for business, for by taking the four points of the compas, any man, with any degree of calculation, will at once see that there is a large area of country to support the village of Dundalk. There are no other markets or villages on the north or south nearer than twelve miles, and on the east and west nearer than thirty miles. Consequently Dundalk is bound to go ahead of its rivals.

In proof of this fact, when we remember [that] only eight years ago, the [spot u]pon which Dundalk stands to-[day was] in a dense wilderness, hav-[illegible] the Waterous bush saw [illegible] over with a few boards [illegible] poles, surrounded [illegible] Doyle, [illegible] Beatty entered into a speculation, having purchased over 200 [acres] [illegible] block, upon which [illegible] village plot and named [it] [illegible] Dundalk, which is a [illegible] the love they had for the [illegible] their ancestors.

Dundalk has steadily increased both in business and population, so that to-day it can boast of its 800 inhabitants. [The] business places we will enumerate in the following manner, which may be of interest to the many readers of the STANDARD, viz: Two gristing and flouring mills, three good saw mills in [illegible] which must be [illegible] proof of the building [illegible] going on in Dundalk and [illegible] store [illegible] by J[illegible] Dean [illegible] of [illegible] state, cabinet [illegible] wagon shops, [illegible] and retail [illegible] and commer[illegible] [illegible] Dr. Mc[illegible] [illegible] Mr. [illegible] and [illegible] to the prosperity [illegible] manner in which they [illegible], and last but not least, [the edu]cational department of Dundalk [is] worthy of note, which is superintended by Mr. Potter, assisted by [illegible]. Due credit to the in[habit]ants of Dundalk for the substan[tial] [churches] they have erected, namely, [illegible] Methodist, Presbyterian [and] [illegible] Churches. Under the [illegible] of the Rev. Mr. Potter [illegible] Methodist church has [illegible] [illegible] their church, which [illegible] will give ample room and [illegible] all.

When we recapitulate and review the business facilities of Dundalk, with its numerous occupations, we are compelled to acknowledge its rapid growth during the few years of its existence. And from a personal knowledge, we know there is a splendid opening in Dundalk for several manufacturing establishments, such as an oatmeal mill, foundry, machine shop, planing [mill], [illegible] factory, cheese factory, [illegible] and several other [branch]es of business which could be carried on to good advantage, and [illegible] it is now definitely de[cided] [to] [illegible] the gauge of the T., G. & B. Railway and [illegible] to the standard broad gauge, the track to be laid with steel rails from end to end, which will give open commerce to every branch of industry, and will be a safe guarantee for good investments in the new Town of Dundalk.

We desire to congratulate the business men of Dundalk on having been successful in sustaining their business and reputations, without one exception, through the business crisis of the past three years—now they bid fair to success.

In our next we will give notice of our Railway Station and market facilities, and give a further sketch of the surroundings of Dundalk and show from whence it derives its support.

AD REFERENDUM.

"Maggie, dear, if I should attempt to spell Cupid, why could I not get beyond the first syllable?" Maggie gave it up, whereupon William said: "Because when I come to C-u, of course I cannot go further." Maggie said she thought it was the sweetest conundrum she had ever heard.—*Buffalo Express.*

We were visited by a very severe frost on Sunday and Monday nights, and Vennor's phropecy last winter that we should have frost in June proved true. The gardens that looked so promising a few days since, now present a very woe-be-gone appearance. From all parts of the country we learn that the damage has been very great. Spring wheat, Clover, Corn and Potatoes &c., being almost utterly [illegible]

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

TO KINGSTON AND BACK.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

Perhaps a short account of our visit to the late P. M. Conference held in the ancient City of Kingston, may be of some interest to some of your readers. The Conference time is always, more or less, a time of interest to Methodists, especially to the preachers, therefore it was with a mixture of emotions that we found ourselves starting upon our conferential journey.

The first thing that struck our attention after leaving Markdale was the comfort of the car in which we journeyed which far exceeded our expectations after all that we had heard of the Narrow Guage. But this feeling soon gave place to an interest in the crops as we caught glimpses of them by the road side. Though the fall wheat appears to be badly injured, the spring crops are very forward, especially as we drew near to the city and we were not astonished to find as we were returning that both rye and wheat had shot out in head. Arrived in the City we were surprised at the wonderful advances that had been made since our last visit, but as our visit was necessarily short, we could not do more than give it a passing glance. We were reminded by the grocery windows that we had left the north behind, for green cucumbers, green peas, ripe tomatoes, and strawberries everywhere stared us in the face, and tempted our appetites so much so that a good brother with whom we journeyed *treated* to strawberries and cream. Now, behold about forty of us comfortably seated on board the good steamer *Armenia* steaming out upon the beautiful waters of Lake Ontario, and what with a good boat, a genial captain, courteous crew, jolly company, and the lake like a mill-pond for calmness, we had a really enjoyable trip. A pleasing feature of which was an impromptu entertainment held from 8 to 10 in the evening in the main cabin consisting of speeches, recitations and singing, after which divine worship was conducted by one of the elder brethren; and we all re[tired] to our staterooms for a comfort[able] night's repose. Early morning found us off "the Ducks," and by 8 o'clock we were all safely landed in the ancient yet beautiful City of Kingston.

In approaching Kingston from the [lake] the first object of interest that [meets the eye] is the beautiful Asylum for the Insane, next the strong walls and massive buildings of the Penitentiary. Now our attention is called to the round martel towers which dot the bay and the shores of the islands, and from which together with Fort Henry, there frown down upon any invading [foe] the black mouths of many threatening cannon. We might just say that B battery 120 men Royal Canadian Artillery are stationed here at present, and that the training college [for] military cadets is situate here, but [illegible] said when looking at [one of] the Armstrong gun, "what a good thing it is that we can let these dogs [sleep] [illegible] may they never awake in anger."

Among the many churches with which Kingston is blessed, the largest and most handsome is, of course, the Roman Catholic Cathedral of St. Mary's, which is capable of seating 1,480 people with standing room for [illegible] more. It is very beautifully decorated with paintings and images, of the various Saints especially her to whom it is dedicated. All of whom to our sorrow we found were objects of worship, and not Him who died to save us. Next in order is St. Peter's Anglican Cathedral, we were not privileged to view the interior, but from the outside [we] [were] impressed that it was a grand church. Next in size was St. Andrew's, the leading Presbyterian church of the city. Among the Methodist Churches of the city the new M. E. Church is the largest and best finished. It is a new church, which cost some three years ago $25,000, there are several other churches, as many denominations are represented in the city, but we have not time for a description.

Our Conference has been one of much harmony, and while there has been many changes this year, still we trust all has been done with a desire to glorify the master whom we serve. Immediately upon the Conference being opened and organized a telegram of sympathy was ordered to be sent to the Mayor of London, expressing the sympathy and sorrow felt by the Conference for the terrible calamity that had overtaken the inhabitants of that city. On Sabbath the various pulpits of the city were filled by ministers of the conference. On Tuesday the third reading of the stations was reached, but owing to the division of the work and the taking up of new work, they had to be returned once more to the committee. When a final reading was reached, among the removals we notice that the Rev. C. C. Garnett, goes from Markdale to Gravenhurst, and the Rev. J. S. Corcoran, of Grand River, comes here, also the Rev. P. Flint, who formerly laboured here, removes from Toronto 4th to Pickering, the Rev. W. Walker goes to McGillivaray West, and the Rev. S. Fisher, of McGillivaray, takes his place here.

Though we much desired to visit our Provincial Prison, other affairs so much engaged our attention that we found no opportunity, though several of the brethren did, so much so, that on Monday afternoon the President of the Conference was led to ask "Where are the delegates?" and received for an answer, "In the Penitentiary!" We must just say one word in conclusion, that it has never been our lot to attend a Conference that was more royally entertained than the late Conference at Kingston, and as the Pastor of the Kingston church said, the only difficulty was to find delegates to put into the Homes offered by the friends of the city of all denominations.

After another very enjoyable voyage and pleasant ride upon the much-abused "Narrow Guage," we found ourselves at home again on Thursday evening, having spent a very enjoyable time.

Yours &c.,

C. C. G.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—A great deal has been said and written of late in reference to the affairs of the Glenelg Ag. Society, its management, &c., and apparently one man is made the "Scapegoat," and has to bear all the odium of whatever mismanagement or embezzlement of the funds which has been going on. Now, I ask, how it came to pass that when an investigation was ordered, that the investigation committe was restricted to the time Mr. Lyons was Treasurer? Why not go back to the beginning and make the investigation thorough and complete? I look upon the whole affair as partial and invidious; had the investigation been made to cover the whole time of the Society's existence, Mr. Lyons would have had no cause of complaint, and if every thing has been conducted on the "Square," all along, such investigation would harm no one, but would greatly strengthen the Society and restore it to the confidence of the public.

OBSERVER.

Artemesia, May, 23rd 1881.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

The Simple Simon that asked, "who is he?" that wrote the correspondence, is *simple indeed*, to make an assertion that your correspondent was not acquainted with the roads. He appears to make the statement in regard to the passibleness of the roads from what some one has been telling him. He uses the word "we," surely the Council would not have the assurance to say that the roads are in repair at all, what was said was true, and the half as not yet been told; and if you want to hear it in a more comprehensive manner, you can have it. The crossing is far worse than stated, and the gentleman alluded to in my last got so thoroughly drenched, that the money in his vest pocket was wet; and go on to the next two bridges, and you will find them little better,—holes in both of them. Turn and go to the station, and behold the centre of the road, instead of being the highest, is the lowest in nearly all cases, with the water coursing down the middle of it, in fact it is hard to tell whether it is a gravel road or not. See the state of the 140th side road, and by Plew's mill it is fearful, the corduroy ribs stick up and out, the deviation is shunned by most people; the same state of roads is to be found in Tyrone and up Mr. Buskin's line, where three rails constitute a culvert, and the farmers were under the necessity of repairing the road with stones. At the time the man got his team swamped, the pathmaster was ordered out, and he left it in pretty much the same condition, save putting a few round stones into a rotten, tumble-down hemlock crossway. Some of our old-countrymen would confer a favor on your correspondent if they would give our Council a hint in your next issue how the leading roads are kept up in the Old Country.

Our monthly fair was well attended by buyers, who were anxious to purchase at top prices, but the class of cattle was not good or many in number. The farm implement men took advantage of the gathering to introduce their wares, but the frost the previous night daunted the farmers from purchasing largely.

I have only two births to report this week, but hope to be able to send in a long list shortly.

STATION ITEMS.—There is a large quantity of ship knees lying at the station which are destined for Portland.

John Whittaker is removing a hill off his lot and filling up the road, which will improve his lot and greatly benefit the road.

Dog shooting and poisoning is all the rage at present. Just what we want.

The sheep buyers are flocking round pretty thick,—Purdy McMullen, Whittaker, and others are in the field.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

The Council met at the Town Hall, on the 30th May, 1881, pursant to notice, and organized as a Court of Revision.

All the members present the Deputy Reeve in the chair.

Appeals heard and Assessment Roll amended as follows.

The personal proprety against Irwin Anderson struck off; Lot 18, Mill St. South, Priceville, placed on the Non-resident roll.

Thos. Nichol entered as owner for Lot 51, on 1st Con. N. D. R.

Jas. E. Lauder entered on Roll for W½ of Lot 16, Con. 5.

James Sullivan assessed for W½ of Lot 23, Con. 5, instead of John McDonald.

Geo. Grant and Alfred Chollow struck off the roll, and the propriety added to Wilson Benson's assessment. Mr. Benson assessment reduced to $250.

E½ of Lot 24 Con. 9, assessed to Donald O'Hanely.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, Seconded by Mr. McRae, that the assessment roll as amended be now finally passed and certified by the Clerk, and the Court of revision closed.—Carried. Roll certified to by the clerk, and Court of Revision closed.

WE learn from the Owen Sound *Tribune*, that an attempt at robbery was made on Saturday night last. The burglar entered the residence of Mr. John Dobbin, and made his way up two flight of stairs, to the room of Mr. J. Brown, of Wrights flour & feed store. After rifling his pockets of some $6 in change, he got possession of the keys of the store and safe, and then took his departure for the store. Something must have interfered with his plans as nothing was missed next morning. That the burglar had been to the place was evident from the fact that several partly consumed matches were found at the door. A valuable watch and chain was hanging on the bedpost, but escaped the notice of the pilferer. The robber must have been an old hand or the people in the house must have been heavy sleepers, as not a soul was disturbed, and knew nothing of it until next morning, when Mr. Brown's pants were found in the basement, where they had been left.

A number of Dominion land surveyors left Ottawa last night for the North-West to lay out Townships.

Magistrates' Court.

BEFORE MESSRS. BROWN, STRUTHERS, HAMILTON, AND ELLIOTT.

ED. SARGENT VS. MATILDA GREENAWAY.

WE give this week a full report of a case of assault tried before the above Justices, we, as a rule, would prefer not giving details of such cases; but as a good deal of interest has been taken in this trial, and having been requested to do so, we have departed from our usual course and give it in detail. The trial came off on the 28th ult.

EDWARD SARGENT, complainant, sworn, said—On the evening of the 25th ult., I was on my way home from my father's to my own place. I had been helping my father that day to dig a cellar; on my way home I met Robert Clark, who told me to beware, as the peacemaker was ahead of me. I knew who he meant as Mrs. Greenaway, my wife and sisters were ahead of me, and I hurried on to catch up to them. After I had caught up to my wife and sisters, we met Mrs. Greenaway, the defendant. She stopped me and said, "You denied that to me." I said I did not deny it, she then told me I was a d——nation liar. My sister and my wife then took hold of my arm to pull me away, telling me not to talk with her at all; she, Mrs. Greenaway, then said to my sister "to go home for a dirty bitch." I then said to her, "'Tilda, she is no more a b—h than you are," with that she picked up a stone and struck me on the head with it. I was stunned, and nearly fell. I threw myself against her to prevent her picking up a second one, which she was trying to do. When she was getting up again she tried to pick up another stone, and my wife went around and tried to take the stone out of her hand. My wife told her "for God sake, go home and have peace;" with that Mr. Greenaway, her husband, came up. Mrs. Greenaway told her husband that I called her a "b—h;" but I called her no more of a b—h than she had called my sister. She, Mrs. Greenaway, then said to my wife that she was sorry for her getting into such a thieving, wh—ing, b—hing family as we were; she also said that only for my wife she would lay me a corpse on the road. She called all manner of scandalous names to and at myself and my sisters. The blow raised a lump on my head, and my neck was stiff the next day.

Cross-examined by defendant's Counsel—All that I have stated is correct. There was something farther occurred when her husband came up. She, Mrs. G., picked up another stone and dared me to come on, while her husband was present. Nothing farther occurred that I can recollect now. I understood that the word "Peacemaker" used by Mr. Clark applied to Mrs. Greenaway, as she generally went by that name in the neighborhood. The word "That" applied to a story she had charged me with telling in reference to the manner she, Mrs. Greenaway had treated her girl. Mrs. G. called me a liar before I called her a d——d liar. She called my sister a b——h and a wh—e. I did not call Mrs. G. a b——h; I said my sisters were no more b——hes than she was. The stone hurt me. I threw myself against her to prevent her picking up a second stone, in this way I knocked her down. I neither struck or kicked her.

MARY ANN SARGENT, sworn—I am wife of the complainant, Edward Sargent. On Wednesday evening last, in company with two of my sisters-in-law, were on our way home to our place from my father-in-law's where my husband was helping them to work. On our way Mrs. Greenaway passed us, after a little, Mrs. Greenaway, who had turned, was coming back, and we met her. My husband, in the meantime, caught up to myself and sisters-in-law, and we were all four together when we met Mrs. Greenaway. Mrs. Greenaway accused my husband of telling some story; my husband denied it; she then called him an infernal liar; my husband called her a d—d liar in return; she then hit him with a stone. He, my husband, pushed her from us, as she was trying to pick up another stone. I caught her by the arm, and begged her not to strike him; she then turned to me and said she was sorry for me getting into such a wh——sh, thieving family. My husband told her that his sisters were no bigger wh—s than she was. Mrs. Greenaway's husband came up at this time. I was so much excited that I hardly know what was said. Mr. G. said he would find some one to fix my husband for them. She, Mrs. Greenaway picked up another large stone, and I took it from her; she said only for me she would lay my husband out a corpse. I did not see my husband strike her; I don't think he could have done so without me seeing it.

Cross-examined by defendant's Counsel—The first I heard was Mrs. Greenaway accusing my husband of telling some stories; my husband denied it; Mrs. G. called him an infernal liar; my husband called her a d—d liar. She then picked up a stone and struck my husband. My husband pushed her from him, and I think she stumbled to the ground. She picked up a stone a second time and I tried to get the stone from her; my husband pushed her down a second time. Mr. Greenaway then came up. He said he would find a man who would fix my husband for this. Mrs. Greenaway picked up a third stone while her husband was there, I took it from her and begged her for God sake to have peace. My husband did not punch her against the ground.

CHARLOTTE SARGENT, sworn, said—On Wednesday evening last, my brother, his wife, and myself were going up the road toward my brother's place, when we met Mrs. Greenaway, who asked my brother if he had told some stories; he said he did not; she said he did; he again denied it; she then called him an infernal liar; my brother called her a d—d liar. I took my brother by the arm and asked him to come away, and not quarrel with her. She then turned upon me and called me all sorts of names. My brother told her his sisters were no more what she called them than she, Mrs. G., was. She then struck him with a stone. He said d—n you, would you strike me? and shoved her back. She picked up another stone, and was going to strike him, and he shoved her over again. She picked up a third stone; my sister-in-law went in between them and took the stone out of her hand. She, Mrs. Greenaway, said to my sister-in-law that she was sorry she got into such a thievish, wh——sh crew. Her husband came up then. Mr. G. said he would find somebody to pay back for that.

Cross-examined by defendant's Counsel—My brother said his sisters were no more wh—es than she was. I did not hear my brother call her a d——d wh——e. He pushed her down. She picked up a second stone, and he pushed her down again. She picked up a third stone. I did not see my sister-in-law help Mrs. Greenaway up. I did at first want my brother to come away and not disgrace himself with her. I never spoke to her myself on the occasion.

MATILDA GREENAWAY, sworn, said—A few days before the occurrence, my father said that Edward Sargent had told my sister-in-law, Mrs. Clark, that I had struck my girl Mary and threw her out. I felt very angry at this, as I had never struck or ill-used the girl in my life, and I purposed asking Ed. the first chance about it. On the morning of the occurrence I met Ed. Sargent at Mr. Fanning's store in presence of Johnson Freeborn and my father. I asked him if he had told that I had abused her; he denied it, and wanted to go with me to Mrs. Clark to clear up the matter. I said "no, if you say you did not tell it I am satisfied." Through the day I understood Mrs. Clark went to Sargent and asked him why he had denied what he had said; he told her, as I understood, that he had forgotton, as I had taken him unawares, but that he would tell me of it when he met me. This I learned from my brother, Robert Clark. That evening I met him, Ed. Sargent, on the road; we had a few words, when his sister and his wife came up. I asked him why he denied the story; he said he denied having seen me slapping or throwing out the girl; but did not deny the rest. I said, "didn't you tell me before my father and Freeborn that you had told her nothing. He called me a d—d liar. I called him a liar; he repeated the words with additional force, adding that I was a b—h and a wh—e. I told him to keep those words to himself, and called his sister some bad names. He called me names, and I struck him with a stone, and told him not to call me a wh—e; and he said "you are a G—dd—d wh—e; I tried to strike him again with a stone, and he either with his open hand, or shut hand, I don't know which, but he knocked me into the ditch off the road. When I fell I could not get up, and moved around lest he should kick me. When I had got partially up on my hands, he caught me by the shoulders and sonsed me down again, and threw me against the side of the ditch. His wife then came up and caught me to help me up, and his sister took him by the arm, and said, "come away, and don't dirty your hands with her." Just as I got up, my husband came up, and enquired what all this was about. I told him part of what had taken place. My husband told him, Sargent, that he was no man for striking a woman. My husband told him he might law away; but that he, Sargent, would pay for it with a hide full of sore bones. Sargent was trying to tell my husband his way of the case, and I told him not to deny what he had said. I picked up a stone and told to strike me now when my husband was present. His wife caught me, and I think took the stone from me, and begged me not to bring any more quarrels for her sake. I said, "for your sake I will," and I told her I pitied her for getting into such a nest, and added that she might as well have got into h—l.

The defendant was fined $5 and costs, amounting in all to $9.60; to be paid in 10 days or in default to go to gaol for one month.

GREEN BAY.

GREEN BAY, May the 30.—Our farmers are nearly through seeding. The season has been very favorable and vegetation is well advanced for this season of the year.

Mrs. Wooley is seriously ill.

We have heard that Jas. Burnett, of Sheguiandah; has rented his farm and that he intends taking a trip to Dakota.

On Saturday last our trustees let the clearing of the school ground to W. Stringer for $5.

The following parties in our vicinity will either build or finish the buildings named this summer: R. Somerville, addition to barn; W. Idle, addition to barn and house for Rev. D. Idle: T. Batman, school house; W. Muncaster, addition to barn for S. Skippen; W. Sturgis, house and blacksmith shop.—*Manitowaning Expositor.*

ST. JOSEPH'S ISLAND.

HILTON, May the 31.—Our Island was favored with a much-needed shower last week. After a three days' rain crops are doing their very best. J. DeGeer, of Richard's Dock, has about eight acres of as fine looking fall wheat as may be seen in Ontario, at least so say steamboat travellers.

J. Hyland lost about fifteen acres of spring crop by fire last week. If the summer be a dry one and the fire find its way into some of those large cedar swamps where timber has been taken out there will be warm work for not a few of the settlars.

On the 24th the Hilton and Bruce Mines base ball club met on the diamond field of the latter and played a friendly game which resulted in favor of the Bruce club by 16 to 28. The Hilton boys are loud in their praise of the manner in which they were treated and think that even a defeat has charms when received at the hands of such men as they of the Bruce.

Affairs looked interesting the other evening when some of our town-folk went in pursuit of a bear. Of course the bear vanished in some inexplicable way and the tailor is the only person who profited by the expedition.

News of the London disaster was received here by the Quebec at 6 o'clock in the evening of the 25th, which fact shows that we are not at all times foreign to the latest news.

His Lordship the Bishop of Algoma and S. J. Dawson, M. P., where passengers on the Winnipeg last Saturday on her up-trip.—*Manitowaning Expositor.*

On Sunday last two of our citizens were driving out to Paisley, when they passed a log heap, and three dogs were energetically barking and scratching around it, a halt was made and one of the logs found to be hollow, a long pole was inserted and some kind of an animal had taken refuge therein, visions of grey and black fox or other equally valuable animals, with mental calculations of what the skin would fetch rapidly passed through the mind of these two worthies, in a short time the animal was forced out and killed by the neighborly dogs. Alas for the sudden crash of exalted hopes, it proved to be a ground hog.—*Chesley Enterprise.*

The market is full of preparations for the hair, some of them good, and many of them good for nothing. R. P. Hall & Co., of Nashua, N. H., manufacture and sell an article of real merit, which has been advertised in the Express for the past year, and we have taken no little pains to inquire how it has been liked by the public. One of our druggists informs us that he has more than double the amount of Renewer than of all other hair preparations combined, and when a person once uses it, he will use no other, and that it is not only bought by the young people as a dressing, but by older persons for removing dandruff, preserving and increasing the growth of the hair and restoring its natural color. Another druggist says that he sells three or four times as much of Hall's as of all others.—*Hampshire Express, Amherst, Mass.*

THE TURNING POINT.—Some fifty years ago, a revivial at Yale College a young man of promising talents became deeply serious. His father who was a man of infidel principles, hearing of it, sent for his son to come home. He did not care to have him become a Christain. The summons was obeyed; he went home. And the result was that he soon lost his serious impressions, and remains unconverted. In due time he graduated, studied law, and commenced practice in that profession. But his life was a failure. He became a sceptic, acquired a taste for intoxicating liquors, became a drunkard, and his father and friends had to support him and his family.

It might have been different. Had to remained in college under the influence of that revival, with many of his fellow-studients, he might have become a Christain, consecrated his talents to Christ, and have been useful in his service.—*American Messenger.*

JACK.—Jack is a boy who lives to please. It is hard for him to say "No," but he does say it when he cannot do right if he says "Yes."

One day Ned Jones came to him and said, "Come, Jack; let's learn to smoke."

"No," said Jack, "not I! I hate to see a man smoke, and its worse for a boy."

"Why," said Ned.

"Because a boy ought to have a clean mouth and a sweet breath," said Jack.

That's true, said Ned and so ought a man, but he will not if he learns to smoke while he is a boy. Yes, it is worse to see a boy smoke than a man for it shows what the man will come to be!—*Band of Hope Review.*

HONOR ROLL of S. S. No. 4 Artemesia, for the month of May. Fourth Class—Marks obtainable 375; 1st, Joseph Stinson, 344; 2nd, Harriet G. Armstrong, 340; 3rd, Charlotte Armstrong, 283. Third Class—Marks obt. 275; 1st, Ellen Ross, 261; 2nd, John Stinson, 197; 3rd, Leah Hutcheson, 195. Second Class,—Marks obt. 375; 1st, Howard Armstrong, 361; 2nd, Robert Lyons, 357 [illegible] Edith Bannon, 348. First (Senior,)—1st, Joseph Ar[mstrong] [illegible] 2nd, John Gillis, 3rd Wm. [illegible] First Class, (Junior,)—1st, [illegible]

[illegible] 2nd, [illegible] Campbell.

THOS. H. LITTLE, Teacher.

There is no occasion for swearing [in] [the] [office] of a newspaper office, [illegible] useful in proof-reading [illegible] necessary in getting [illegible] it has been known, also, [illegible] assist the editor in looking over [the] paper after it is printed. But otherwise it is a very foolish and [illegible] habit.—*New York News.*

BIRTHS.

SPROULE—In Markdale, on the [illegible] wife of J. F. Sproule, of a son.

ROWE—At Bar Head Mills, on the [illegible] the wife of Mr. W. J. Rowe, of a [illegible]

AYLEN—At Sharon, York county, [illegible] inst., the wife of Rev. J. E. [illegible] [illegible]ter.

VARTY—In Flesherton on the [illegible] wife of Wm. Varty, of a so[n].

HAMILTON—on the 7th inst., the [wife of] Henry Hamilton; of a daughter.

LEVENS—In Flesherton, on the [illegible] wife of Mr. W. Levens, of a son.

MARRIED

EDMUNDS—BASKERVILLE—In the [illegible] Church, Manitowaning, on the [illegible] by the Rev. J. Baskerville, Rev. [illegible] Edmunds, of Sandfield, to Emma, [illegible] of officiating clergyman.

THOMPSON—QUINN—At the Markdale [illegible] Markdale, on the 8th inst., by the Rev. C. Garnett, George Thompson, [illegible] Collingwood, to Miss Sarah Jane Quinn [illegible] St. Vincent.

DIED.

HULL—In Markdale, on the 14th [illegible] Hadley, son of J. H. Hull [illegible] years 1 month.

DIXON—In Artemesia, on the [illegible] Dixon, relict of the late [illegible] aged 68 years.

HILL—In Artemesia, on the 7th inst., youngest daughter of Mr. John Hill, 8 years 2 months.

HANNAH—In [illegible] Margaret Hannah, [illegible] nah, age 18 [illegible]

TO LET.

50 Acres of [illegible] Pasture [illegible] to Let.

The subscriber [illegible] of Cattle, Horses [illegible] Wm. [illegible]

Markdale, Ju[illegible]

SHTOP! HOW YOU [illegible]

T. MALARKEY

MARKDALE

CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS, WASH[illegible]

Repairing [illegible]

D. MAXWELL

REAPER, MOWER [illegible]

Ploughs, [illegible]

Markdale, [illegible]

STRAYED [illegible]

J. SYM[illegible]

Millinery! Millinery!

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale [and surround]ing country that their stock of Millinery is [now] [complete], comprising

Trimmed Hats & Bonnets

CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUN[SHADES]

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND [illegible]

ORNAMENTS, AND TRIMMINGS.

LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted [illegible]

We won't take up your time reading a [illegible] but would solicit a call, believing we [illegible] faction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would s[olicit] [a] continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW [illegible]

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale [illegible] very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes [for] a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future [illegible]

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED

Having received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the [illegible] and will have another schooner load in a [illegible]

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEAL

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

SOMETHING [illegible]

[illegible]ds of Prints, new spring styles, [illegible] 12½ cents, fast colors.

[illegible] of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70 [illegible]

[illegible] of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 a[nd] [illegible]

Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, direc[t] [illegible]

Black Broad-cloth, $1.25—[illegible]

[illegible] of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.

Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

[THE] STANDARD.

June 10th, 1881

OTHER NOTICES.

[For] [fi]ne ice cream, go to A. [illegible]

[A] [fre]sh, durable Buggy, go [illegible] & Mason.

[illegible] on the late disaster [illegible] appear in our next.

[illegible] Brown has 50 acres of [illegible] [to] [l]et. See advertisement.

[illegible] coal oil, CASTORINE [illegible] machine oils, try Haskett.

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[illegible] of cattle wanted to [illegible] farm of Mr. Isaac Brown [illegible] [w]est of Markdale.

[illegible] Road and Euphrasia [illegible] came to hand too late [illegible]

The 31st Battalion, of Grey [illegible] [illegible] Monday next [illegible] [illegible] in their annual [illegible]

[illegible] oil company, [illegible] [man]ufacturers of "Ca[storine]" [illegible] Infringements [illegible]

A Farmer [illegible] [illegible] be [illegible] Reeve [illegible]

[illegible]ting [illegible] [illegible] daily at Markdale.

[illegible] dealers [illegible] and [illegible] Castorine [illegible] genuine.

The atmosphere [illegible] must be exceedingly [illegible] [illegible] said [illegible] of the Sun.

[illegible] feelings of the Court [illegible] the townships of [illegible] Euphrasia [illegible]

[illegible] Court.—[illegible]

[illegible] Grey, [illegible] Sound, on [illegible]

[illegible] water [illegible] by dealers.

[illegible] Saturday [illegible] our citizens [illegible] eclipse [illegible] year. It [illegible] 11 o'clock.

[illegible]

[S]OMETHING [OF] INTEREST AT W. J. McFARLAND'S

[illegible] Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, [illegible] 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
[illegible] of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
[illegible] of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
[illegible] Table Napkins, 64 cents, direct from manufacturers.
[illegible] Black Broad-cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
[illegible] pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
[illegible] Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manufacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
[illegible]

FACTS.—W. J. McFARLAND Keeps the best assorted stock North of Toronto.
W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
2761½ Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brillianteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New Cashmeres, cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.

Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.

In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer, Wholesale and Retail

FLESHERTON STATION.

[THE] STANDARD.

[Fri]day June 10th, 1881.

[LOCAL] & OTHER NOTICES.

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[illegible] Company, are sole [illegible] Castorine machine [illegible] will be presented [illegible] complementary [illegible] Hotel, this [illegible]

[illegible] L. O. L. No. [illegible] it is decided to celebrate [illegible] at Markdale. Good [illegible]

[illegible] ders for "Castorine" [illegible] see that the barrel [illegible] Castorine," as none other [illegible]

[illegible] round Flesherton [illegible] warm, as Peri[illegible] the Advance to [illegible]

[illegible]

THE *Farmer's Advocate*, for June is recieved. We have had no time to look over it, but doubt not it is as full of information as usual, interesting and useful to the farmers. Price $1 per annum in advance. Subscriptions recieved at this office.

Mrs. John Gallagher, was one day last week gathering herbs in the bush on their farm, four miles from here in Glenelg T'p, when suddenly she came very close to a bear before seeing it. It followed her some distance homewards. She lost her apron in the excitement which is all the harm done.

ED. JOS. HARTLEY, of Simcoe County, visited town the other night with Miss Lenora Marie Breen, and while here they decided that it was not good for Edward to live alone. The English Church clergyman was accordingly secured, the church opened and lighted, and then followed a skirmish for the necessary witnesses to complete the ceremony. These were picked up on the street in the persons of Messrs. Wm. Legate, Joseph Hughes, and Ward House, the latter giving the bride away. The couple had their photo taken by Osborne in the morning and left on the noon train for Mount Forest, as happy as doves, apparently not caring a cent whether Edward "kept school" any longer or not. May their lives ever be thus.—*Orangeville Tiser.*

The circus visited Fergus on Saturday, when the "sharpers" were hard at work. The post office was robbed of $140 while the postmaster was at the door looking at the procession. Another mode of robbing was tried without success. Two well dressed men drove to the Bank, alighted and went in and told the banker that a man wanted to speak to him in the buggy, who made enquiries about purchasing a draft to send to the Old Country, and a third party slipped in at the door and got into the safe and was found their by Mr. Ross, but unluckily escaped. Still another plan was resorted to viz.: selling tickets outside the gate, and when any one bought one they wouldn't give them change back, but would disappear through the crowd. Not a few got cheated out of $4, $5, and $10 bills in this way.

THAT NEW TESTAMENT.—A decent old Scotchwoman called into our [illegible] recently, and after sinking [illegible] and wiping her honest, [illegible] which was bathed in a [illegible] perspiration, said: "Maister [illegible] I've been lookin' ower that [illegible] and it's fairly gane [illegible] about me. Fat think ye? There's [illegible] auldfarrant hellavar noo, [illegible] the auld de'il is a vagrant [illegible] There's a place they [illegible] biggit up in place o' [illegible] ancient reekie hole that dyvours [illegible] used to be sent till. Ken ye if [illegible] name has ony connection wis [illegible] or Haddocks? If it has, It's likely caller, and fat will they due for roastin the feesh ony way?" The old lady's theology was too deep for us, and we said we would take the opportunity of asking the Revision committee, and then let her know. She was evidently relieved, and said "[illegible] eye" with a most thankful air. —*[illegible] Gazette.*

PERSONAL.

Mr. R. [illegible] Borden, of this place, left here on Thursday morning for Hillsdale, where he will act as book-keeper for the firm of Laird & Parker.

COUNTY ITEMS.

The piling in the river between the steamboat and railroad docks is now finished. It is apparently a good substantial job, much improving the appearance of that part of the river, and when the earth filling behind the piling is finished, it will add considerably to the width of the street.

BEAR SHOT.—On Friday last, Mr. Robt. Kerr, of the 12th con. of Sullivan, shot a she bear. She had three [illegible] but they all scampered off and took refuge in trees, Mr. Kerr being unable to find them. Three years ago he had shot at a bear, which escaped, and on skinning this one he found the bullet imbedded in her, thus showing it to be the same bear that he had previously shot.

HOME AGAIN.—On Friday evening last our old townsman, F. M. Butchart, Esq., arrived home from the Northwest, where he has been sojourning for a couple of years past. The captain looks hale and hearty and since his return has been interviewed by large numbers of our citizens, anxious to hear his opinion of the Northwest. It is needless to say he is in extacies with the territory, which he believes to be the best country out of doors, and speaks in glowing terms of its prospects. He is also more convinced than ever of the good effect of the National Policy. But there is never a rose without a thorn, and the Captain's thorn in this case is that he cast in his lot at Rapid City, expecting the Pacific Railway to cross the Little Saskatchewan at the point, and make it a city in reality as well as in name. The Company, however, have decided to run the line about twenty miles south of Rapid City; and Capt. Butchart is loud in his denunciation of the Syndicate and everything connected with them. Another cause of complaint is that a portion of the territory has been taken into Manitoba. He says that while the Northwest Territory is fine rolling land, a large portion of the Province is under water every spring, and what they have taken in will be taxed to drain Manitoba, and to keep up government machinery which they do not require. Barring these two specific complaints, however, Capt. Butchart's account of the country is most favorable.—*O. S. Times.*

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GOOD WHEAT.—On Monday last Mr. Thomas Nichol, of Normanby, laid on our table a stock of Fall Wheat which measures 2 feet 6 inches long, the head of which was just shooting out. Mr. Nichol informs us that he has thirteen acres which is thick on the ground, and of which the stock was an average specimen. This is remarkable good for this time of the year.—*Review.*

EXCURSION PROPOSED.—It is proposed by the Orangemen of South Grey to run an Excursion to Guelph from Durham on the 23rd inst., if arrangements can be made with the Grand Trunk. It is expected that about fifteen hundred people will go on this excursion. We hope it will take place as it will be both profitable and pleasant for our farmer friends to visit the Agricultural Collage.—*Review.*

Mr. Robert Myles, Reeve of Euphrasia has a heifer a little over a year and a half old which gives milk,—about a half gallon a day. The milk is of the purest and the best quality. He cannot account for it. The heifer itself is rather inferior, and was always kept separate from the other cattle. Of course it never had a Calf.—*Thornbury Standard.*

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.02	to	1.05
Fall do. do. do.	0.98	to	1.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.00	to	1.03
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley,	0.60	"	0.75
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 28c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 00c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 23c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush.		$1 10	to	$1 15
Wheat, spring,	do.	1 12	to	1 18
Barley,	do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats,	do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas,	do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye,	do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed	do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.		8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters		6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters		0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair		0 60	to	0 65
Fowls,	do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace		00	to	0 00
Geese, each		00	to	0 00
Turkeys		0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls		00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed		00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz		0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed		0 00	to	0 00
Apples per brl		2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes per bag		0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag		1 80	to	2 00
Hay		6 00	to	10 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Crystal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—First Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

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JOHN VERT.
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WM. BROWN, Sec'y.
Markdale, May 25th, 1881. 37-3w

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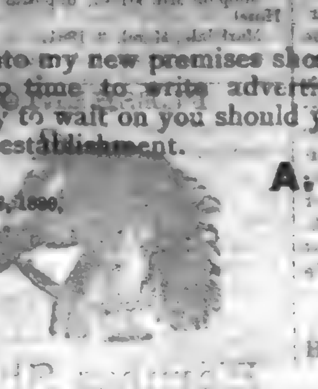

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EARS AS AN INDEX OF CHARACTER.

Large ears can hear things in general, and denote bread, comprehensive views and modes of thoughts, while small ears hear things in particular, showing a disposition to individualize, often accompanied by a love of the minute. Large ears are usually satisfied with learning the facts of a case with the general principles involved—too strict enumeration of details, especially all repetition of the more unimportant, is wearisome to them. People with such ears like generally, and are as a general thing well fitted, to conduct large enterprises, to receive and pay out large sums; in buying or selling would prefer to leave a margin rather than reduce the quantity of any sort to the exact dimensions of the measure specified, and in giving would prefer to give with a free hand and without a too strict calculation as to the exact amount. Small ears, on the contrary, desire to know the particulars of a story as well as the main facts; take delight often in examing, handling or constructing tiny specimens of workmanship, are disposed to be exact with respect to inches and ounces in buying or selling to the extent, at least, of knowing the exact number over or under the stated measure given or received. People with such ears would, in most cases, prefer a retail to a wholesale business.

SELLING WOMEN IN BRITISH COLONIES.

In the house of Commons the other day Mr. Summers asked the Under Secretary for the Colonies whether the British Government in Natal recognized the sale of the women, and sanctioned the right of a native insolvent to include the marringeable value of his daughters in the assets of his estate. Mr. G Duff said that the Zulus of Natal, who out number the white by something like twenty to one, were still to a great extent governed by their own laws and customs. One of there customs was that a bridegroom, when he asked for a girl in marriage, gave to her father a certain number of cattle for his consent. That agreement would be recognized by our authority, provided there were evidence that the young lady herself consented. (Laughter.) He had no information on the second question.

A CANNON TO SHOOT TEN MILES.

The making of the patterns for the Lyman-Haskell acceleration or multi-charge gun at the Scott foundry of the Reading Iron Works was begun recently. The gun will be twenty-five feet long and have a bore six inches in diameter. Along the bore four pockets will be located, in each of these which a charge of powder will be placed, with the view of accelerating the speed of the ball after it leaves the chamber of the gun and during its progress through the bore. Experts who have seen the drawings and given the subject of the manufacture of heavy ordance a study have expressed the oponion that the gun will throw a ball a distance of ten or twelve miles, whereas five miles is a good range for the best cannon. The charge of powder will be 130 pounds, and the weight of shot 150 pounds. It is calculated that a shot from the gun will penetrate through two feet of solidwrought iron.—*Reading Eagle.*

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TWO CHILDREN HANG AND BURY A BROTHER.

A despatch from Statesville, N. C., says, Absolom, Brown a widower living near here, went away from home yesterday, leaving his three children alone. The youngest of these children a boy, age 5 years, had long been sickly, and the two older children, a boy and girl, concieved the idea of putting him out of the way. They accordingly tied a rope around his neck and swung him to the joist of the house, where he was found a few minutes later by a colored woman of the neighborhood, who passed through the lot on an errand. This woman cut the child down and laid it on the bed, when it began to gasp and finally regained consciousness. She then went her way, and, returning homeward sometime later, stopped again at Brown's house, where she ascertained that the brother and sister had taken the young child off the bed, carried it out behind the garden and buried it. She hastened to the scene of the burial, dug the child up and carried it to the house. The child died to-day from the shock.

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Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

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COFFINS,
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A Splendid Hearse
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FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.
Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-4w

Markdale General Agency
IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET
Money at the Lowest Rates.
STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.
If you want Insurance patronize the
UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.
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Wanzer Sewing Machines,
Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion.
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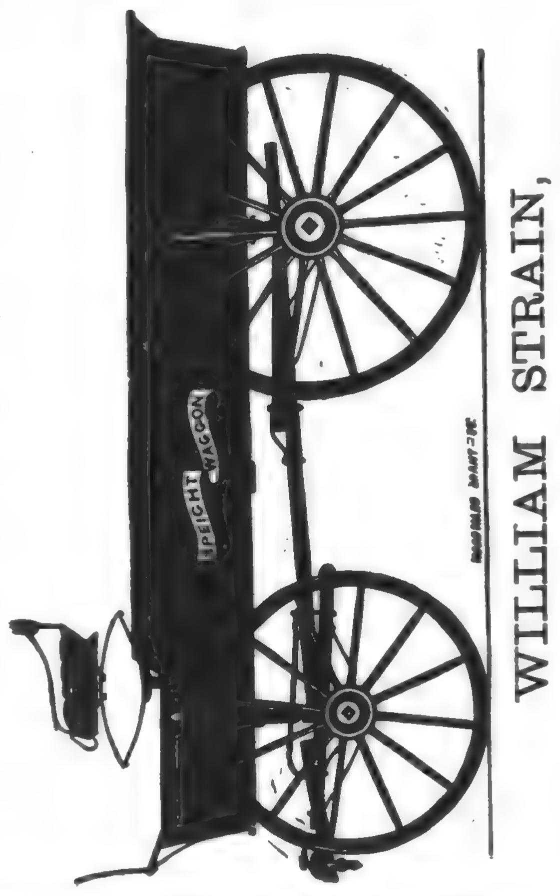
Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.
Farms for Sale and More Wanted.
Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.
THEOPHILUS HALL.
Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



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Sewing Machines, Organs,
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COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES
Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.
WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.
Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.
Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of
W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton
Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.
FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.
We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.
Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.
BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.
Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.
SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND
BUTTER & RAE
In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their
WINTER GOODS AT COST!
NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS
In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.
☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜
New Goods Arriving Daily.
In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.
Ordered Clothing a Specialty.
☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.
N. B.—We trust teat all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.
BUTTER & RAE.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

A Good Chance.
To rent for one or more years, Lot 9 con. 9 Euphrasia, terms easy, 60acres in grass. Apply to,
W. J. McFARLAND.
Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

NOTICE.
All parties, are hereby warned against trespassing on above lot.
THOS. H. YOUNG.
Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.
Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.
Markdale, Dec. 18th, 1880. 14m

A Choice Farm of 150 Acres
FOR SALE,
One Mile from the Village of Markdale.
There are about 100 acres cleared, the most of which is in a high state of cultivation and fit for a Reaper or Mower to work on. There are on the premises a Frame House bricked inside; a Milk House bricked inside; a Frame Stable and Driving House, and Log Barn; a Young Orchard commencing to bear; a good Well, beside the house; a never-failing Stream runs across the farm; Cedar sufficient for fencing, balance of bush hardwood, (a First-class Maple Sugar Bush of some 400 trees). The farm is well fenced, in a good state of repair, and in a choice locality, being within a mile of good market, churches, school house, and all necessary conveniences.
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MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.
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Artemesia Warehouse!
FLESHERTON STATION.
Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of
Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,
HARDWARE, CROCKERY,
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.
Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.
Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 3-4t

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SEEDS!
FIELD SEEDS,
INCLUDING
CLOVER,
TIMOTHY,
CARROT,
MANGEL WURTZEL, &c., &c.
GARDEN SEEDS!
A CHOICE SELECTION,
All of which will be sold at lowest market rates
A. TURNER & CO.
Markdale, Dec. 9, 1880. 13 tf

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And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at
R. J. SPROULE'S
GREAT ANNUAL
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POST OFFICE STORE,
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In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of
GENAERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,
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Hats, Caps and Groceries
TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
and in order to do so,
Will Sell at and Under COST,
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.
The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers.
In GROCERIES you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**
As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.
You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.
My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at
The Lowest Possible Prices!
For CASH and FARM PRODUCE
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I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of
PURE SEED GRAIN!
Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.
I am now selling large quanties of
COARSE LAND SALT,
FOR MANURE,
Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollers for every one ivested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer [in] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and [ten] barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.
I would also intimate that my
SPRING IMPORTATIONS
ARE ARRIVING DAILY,
And I will have opened out and show
On The 1st of April,
One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.
Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,
I am, your obedient servant,
R. J. SPROULE,
Flesherton, March 10 1881. 14-1y

FOR REASONS NOT GIVEN,
The Cheapest Place to Buy Goods
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As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at LOWEST CASH PRICES. Come One, Come All.
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Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard.
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Sept. 17, 1880. 1

GEORGE WILSON,

BUTCHER

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Veterinary Surgeon
Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to.
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For the County of Grey.
Agent for the following reliable Companies:
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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

WM. FOX,
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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.
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Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
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OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov, 18, st, 1880. 10-ly

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets.
FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,
Fashionable Tailor,
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Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.
Cutting done while customers are waiting.
A Good Fit Guaranteed.
The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.
Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a
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None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
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WAGON and
Carriage Works,
Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for
CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.
Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.
Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.
Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

Sheep and Cattle.
FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!
SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!
Just arrived at the
"BELFAST HOUSE."
Also a fresh stock of
Groceies, Provisions,
CANNED FRUIT,
BISCUITS
—AND—
CONFECTIONERY,
Any amount of Cumberland cut
Side Pork.
FOR SALE. ALSO,
POTATOES.
MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,
THE BEST IN TOWN.
BRANDY,
CIDER,
ALE,
PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP,
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, March 17, 1881. 6-ly

LINES.

Composed on the death of Chas. W. E. Rutledge, son of J. B. and S. A. Rutledge.

Our home was cheer, our hearts with joy
[illegible] pleasure,
Till Death has borne away our boy,
A fond and precious treasure.

Oh cruel death! Oh cruel grave!
That snatched from us our pride,
And left us here to mourn and grieve,
While he has crossed the tide.

Tho' but a span from earth to heaven,
The gulf seems wide and deep,
Since from our arms and fond embrace,
Thou'rt gone, we're left to weep.

The days and hours glide swiftly by,
And soon our lot shall be
To leave our home beneath the sky,
And soar away to thee.

Oh may the God whose just decree
Has called our darling home,
[illegible]
Prepared to meet our doom.

And when we've paid the debt we owe,
In death with rapturous joy,
Our souls in transport home will go,
To meet our darling boy.

J. S. R.

THE VICTORIA DISASTER.

The morning of that fatal day,
Rolled o'er the town its level ray,
And showed in garb of light attire,
Son, daughter, brother, sister, sire.

All downward to the river's banks
They wend their way with jokes and pranks;
Determined that this day shall be
Remembered long for gayety.

A steamer there their freight will bear.
Whose name is linked with England's fame
Victoria, a name so dear
To both Canadian heart and ear.

What is the cause of all this mirth?
To pay a tribute to thy birth?
'Tis so, indeed, and blithely gay
They'll spend that twenty-fourth of May.

The last on board. They quickly sail
Along to Springbank's sunny dale,
And there there light hours of that day
They while away in sports and play.

Some walk, some talk, but all agree
To drink of pleasure full and free,
At last they all have filled the day,
And homeward wend their watery way.

Some are contented now to sit,
But others to and fro do flit,
To view each passing sight and scene
That opens to their vision keen.

When all at once upon their sight
A ship glides silent through the night,
All rush unto one side to see
This ship and who upon her be.

But ill the vessel could withstand
The equal weight at her command,
And when unto one side it came
She lurched with the unequal strain.

A crash is heard, then fear did thrill
A silence still and deep, until
O'er vale and hill one awful scream
Did rend the air as through a dream.

And then that living mass is poured
Oh dreadful doom to be be deplored,
Into the deep and cold dark waves,
Some ne'er to rise, but for their graves.

Oh Londoners we blend our tears
With yours for those who on that morn
Left you with joy and not with fears,
So sudden from your bosom torn.

Oh God, we know except from thee
Such dire mishap there could not be,
But we would ask that for their woe
Thy sympathising love should flow.

O soothe those hearts by anguish riven,
With such a powerful stroke from heaven
And grant that this a warning bear
To all our hearts for death prepare.

HENRY D. LEITCH, Priceville.

IN THE MIDST OF PERIL.

By the Author of "Hidden Quicksands," "A Relentless Foe," "Maggie O'Connor's Fortunes," &c., &c.

Not so Glorvina. She had known Tim O'Brien from boyhood; she understood how vain and weak he was, and how the hope of winning her by a sham rescue had lured him on. And then there was his old father. It would break his heart to have his son brought to a disgraceful death. She did not attempt to undress. She stole out towards the room were Tim was a solitary prisoner and watched. Only one sentinel at the door, and he was walking carelessly up and down. She advanced to him.

"Will you oblige a lady?" she asked, with her sweetest smile.

"If it's in my power, ma'am," he replied respectfully.

"I wish to say a few words to Mr. O'Brien—the prisoner," she said. 'Will you let me in?" And she offered him a five-pound note.

The man's eyes sparkled at the sight of it.

"I don't see that it can do any harm," he answered; but, if I do, ma'am, you'll never tell I did?"

"I solemnly promise you I never will."

"Then pass," he said unlocking the door and admitting her.

Tim was sitting at a table, his head bowed on his arms. His bonds had been removed, and food stood by the side of him. He looked up as she entered.

"Glorvina?" he exclaimed.

"Yes, Tim; I have come to see if I cannot save you."

"You forgive me then? You do not utterly scorn and loathe me?"

"I pity you—I pity still more your good old father!"

"Oh, Glorvina, I did it all for love of you—because I wanted to appear to save you, to seem the bravest of the brave, since courage was the charm to win you; and I knew, I felt I was a coward!"

He bowed his head in utter shame as he spoke.

"It was a terrible delusion," she said, with repressed contempt; "but now we have no time to talk. These windows are so closely barred that no sentries are thought to be needed outside them. I bring you a file"—she gave it to him—"and you can cut through the bars, I think, unheard, as the door is thick. Once out you know how to escape from the grounds by one of the by-paths. But stay, you will need money. Here are fifty pounds—all I have just now—and let me hear in some way when you are safe."

He had fallen at her feet, and seizing her hand, he covered it with kisses and tears. She drew it away with a feeling of loathing.

"Make haste!" she said. "You have no time to lose."

Then she advanced to the door and called "Sentry," rapping on it at the same time. The sentinel, on the watch for her summons, opened the door, and she passed out swiftly. The man glanced in, saw that his prisoner was safe, and locked the door.

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The next day it was found that O'Brien had escaped, and that two bars of the window had been cut through. In his heart Coghlan was glad that his old friend's son had not to endure the awful fate awaiting the rebels; and no great efforts were made to trace him. That morning Leicester had a long conversation with his host, in which he represented to him how dangerous longer residence at the Priory would be, and he besought him to take the ladies to Dublin, and to give him Eva in marriage.

"When," added the young soldier, "I will sell out, and you can all come and stay with me and my wife in my place in England."

To both requests the father assented; indeed the ladies had vowed they would not remain at St. Kevin's. It was settled that the Hussars should stay to guard them during the needful preparations for departure, a duty which proved equally agreeable to Eva and her lover; and, thus for a time united, it was almost with regret they saw the day come when they were to leave their old home, though now full of such terrible memories.

Mr. Coghlan had gone, the day after their rescue, to see and thank the heroic clergyman to whom they owed their lives. He found him still weak and his arm painful; loss of blood had been the chief injury, and the flesh wound promised to heal well; but what a wound it was—the whole length of the arm! It was wonderful, the doctor said, that he had not bled to death.

The Hussars kept him with them till he was well, and nursed him with tender brotherly care. They thought him such a hero that they regretted he was not one of themselves. Captain Leicester was excessively kind to him; and it was with him he journeyed to Dublin when he was well enough to resume his educational duties. It was even then a very pale and weak young man who entered the handsome Dublin drawing-room behind his friend—now soon to become a bridegroom—and who received, with his old diffidence and bashfulness, the thanks and congratulations of the family.

Teddy now looked up to Mr. Surridge as the greatest of heroes; and the boy's innocent admiration and hero-worship were almost touching; even Norah abated her efforts at teasing, and felt as much reverence for the tutor as she was capable of.

He had been back only three days, when, as he was sitting writing in the new school-room, he heard a knock for admittance. At his "Come in," Glorvina entered, looking very lovely from the brilliant carnation that burned upon her cheeks.

She held two or three quill pens in he hand, and with a little nervous laugh she said—

"I have come to ask if you will be so good as to mend these pens for me Mr. Surridge. I am so stupid at doing it."

He took them from her hand, and, with a ready "Of course, with pleasure," proceeded in a matter-of-fact way to comply with her request. She seated herself at the table and played with her rings. By-and-by she said timidly—

"Do you know, Mr. Surridge, that I think you are the bravest man I ever knew, or ever shall know?"

"Oh, Miss Desmond!" he exclaimed deprecatingly, and coloring deeply.

"And," she continued, "don't you remember that the banshee promised me that my husband should be the bravest man I ever knew?"

He sprang to his feet, his face aflame.

"Miss Desmond," he exclaimed, "what can you, what do you mean?"

"What I say"—with an arch smile, and holding out her hand. "Oh, don't be so stupid!"—stamping her foot. "How can I marry the bravest man, if he won't ask me?"

Another moment, and he was kneeling beside her, looking up with happy incredulous eyes into her blushing smiling face.

"Oh, Glorvina, it is impossible!" he cried. "I—I adore you; but you—you cannot possibly love such an ugly fellow as I am. It is just pity, or generosity, or gratitude"—piteously—"that makes you speak thus."

"It is neither pity nor gratitude," she said, very shyly now.

"Then it is love! Oh, Glorvina, my sweet, my darling, say that you love me!"

And she murmured it in his arms.

When at length they parted the girl said with a merry laugh—

"It was as near being a proposal on my part as well as could be, James. But I saw it was hopeless to leave matters to you, and I thought I would play Desdemona."

"Dear how could I speak?" he said tenderly. "You so rich, so beautiful! I could not have dared."

"Yet you dared death for me," she said with emotion. "Ah, James, the banshee prophecy is fulfilled! I shall marry the bravest man I know."

A double wedding took place soon afterwards, of James and Glorvina, Eva and Captain Leicester; and, on their return from the honeymoon, which was spent on the Continent, the Coghlans joined them in England.

But by-and-by, when "the troubles" were over, the family returned to Ireland. By that time popular feeling in the neighborhood had undergone a revulsion in their favor. Mr. Coghlan had provided for the widow and children of O'Rourke, and the poor woman had told her friends how hard the Squire had tried to get a pardon for her Dan.

The quick-witted people began to see why he had acted as he did, and to understand that he did not love [illegible] less because he had done his duty. Moreover, the agitators were no longer active.

Glorvina and her husband often visited St. Kevin's Priory. James had, soon after their marriage, sent a handsome present to Kathleen, which enabled her lover at once to "speak to the priest," and, on their marriage, to set up in a little holding of their own. Here one day Kathleen owned to them —when questioned by James—that the appearance of the banshee had been planned by Captain Rock, and that the figure had been represented by an agent of his; also that she herself had been employed to wail beneath Glorvina's window. For the people knew that the [illegible] sympathies were with them, and were anxious to save her and the tutor from the danger threatening the family.

Glorvina in just used to declare to her husband that she had been shamefully inveigled into marrying him by this pretended prophecy; but he read the truth in her eyes even before she added—

"Yet I shall always bless the Whiteboys for showing me that the man I already loved was worthy of a princess."

She had, long before, received a letter, given to her by an unknown messenger, which informed her that Tim O'Brien had reached America in safety. He told Glorvina in it that he meant to begin a new life, and "for her sake." try to keep at least an honest man.

Often, when children blessed their union, and their love, tried by years, grew only more tender, Glorvina would bless the happy peril to which she owed her husband.

[THE END.]

PEALS OF TRUTH.

NOBODY can be so properly the closest friend of a son and daughter as the father who has worked both from infancy and the mother who has lived for them through the years of their life from the nursery upward. Our home acquaintances should be our best beloved.

IT is very surprising that praise should excite vanity; for, if what is said about us be true, it is no more than we know before, and it cannot raise in our own esteem; if it be false, it is surely a most humiliating refletion that we are admired only because we are not known, and that a closer inspection would bring forth censure instead of commendation.

The following dress was worn at a recent bridal reception in San Francisco: A royal purplesin, lined with crimson; dead gold plaques adorned the sides; a drapery of *eau de Nile* silk, graceful depending from the right shoulder, was caught up to the base of the train; artistic *jardiniers* bordered the skirt, form which arose vines at smilax, enriching neck and arms branching off at the back of the head into a short of bower, which enclosed an artistic ruffle arrangement of pea cocks' feathers; tiny harebells wreathed the brow, and garlands of sun flowers and tiger lilies fell in graceful festoons from the shoulders. On each plaque a motto appropriate to the occasion was painted.

TRUST.—When we examine human relations closely, we find that all the happiness they promise, all the opportunities they offer, all the advancements they promote, are entirely dependence upon the trust that is included in and inspires them. Except for our trust in one another, we could never feel the least security of life or limb, of property or reputation. All that a man values, save his owner honor, is at the mercy of those around him. They can take his life at any moment and in hundred different ways. They can steal or lay waste his property, burn his dwelling, destroy his family, ruin his good name. How is it that he can enjoy a moments peace, knowing the posibilities that surround him? Simply because he trusts. He knows that the general goodwill and right feeling of the community are sufficently developed to prevent more than a remote possibility of such injuries. He even believes that the desire to befriend and help one another is strong enough to assure him of a certain amount of sympathy in time of need.

A QUESTION FOR CHRISTIANS.

Social and religious circles in Buffalo are to a certain extent, much exercised just now over a case which promised to be of unusal interest. A young Sunday School teacher, a lady of irreproachable charaher, a member of the church, and an earnest young Christain, who dispenses spiritual comfort to her scholars Sunday after Sunday, has, it appears, been in the habit of assisting her father—who is a saloon keeper—to dispence spirtuous comfort to his customers on the intervening week-days. The young lady's *confrers* in the church desire her resignation for the above season. They say she is not consistent in thus mixing her liquors—we mean her father's mundane employment—with her Sunday School work, and want her to give up one or the other; but she will do neither. She says that she fails to see any more harm in selling the liquor over her father's bar than her opponents do in buying and drinking it; and we don't know but that the young lady is right—so far. Those who are throwing stones at her should see that they are not living in glass houses—as it would seem some of them at least, are. If—as appears to be the case—they are given to buying and drinking strong drink, they surely cannot find much fault with their young sister for selling it. There may be a doubt as to her father's wisdom in desiring or premitting her presence in his bar; and her line of argument may be placing the responsibilitie and duties of the Christain on a very low basis; but all the same it does seem unreasonable that those who drink the liquor should object to those who sell it. The objection is not the fact, that she is saloon keeper's daughter. As we understand the case, that fact does not come into consideration at all. The objection is to her selling the liquor, and the question at issue is simply this. Can a Sunday School teacher, an avowded Christain, consistently sell that which is on all hands acknoleged to be the cause of much misery here and hereafter? the question of total abstinence or temperance does not come into consideration at all; and therefore, by raising the objection they did on the grounds upon which it is founded, the young lady's opponents have placed themselves in the wrong; for, if it be inconsistent with her profession of Christianity to sell the liquor, it must be inconsistent with their profession for Christianity to drink it.

FALSE ECONOMY.

Many people think it economy to buy cheap food, and save the articles which really are more necessary than they believe. There are people who really grudge ten cents for vegatables because they say it is to dear; others will restrict their childern in milk: others will buy no fish, because there is nothing in it; others will deny the little ones a refreshing orange or banana, and others will never have a pudding on the table.

Meat and bread, hot ca kes; chops and steaks they call cheap, because it is real food. These people forget that variety really nourishes the body and makes up for the food which can alone supply our requirements. Besides that there is no real economy in it. Meat and bread cost more than vegetables and puddings combined with them. The former leave you straving for something else, which you have to satisfy, with a good mixed diet supply all your wants.

HOW THE SNAKE GETS A NEW SUIT.

"Some people think that snakes only shed their skins at certain season of the year," said the keeper. "That's a mistake. If they are fed and kept right warm they change their coats about every eight weeks through the year." "Does it pain them?" "Not a bit of it. You see the skin is forming underneath and the other gradually gets dry, When it is ready to shed it loosens round the lips, and the repitl rubs itself against the earth or rock in the cage, and turns the upper part over the eye and the lower part over the throat. Then it commences to glide around the glass case all the time rubbing itself against something until the entire skin is worked off. Sometimes this takes three days; occasionaly in a few hours. I don't believe they have a bit of entelligence. For all I feed them, they would as lief bite me as any stranger. I can dandle a great many of them with safety, but it's only the knack of the thing—not that they won't bite, but they can't get the chance.

THE LIME KILN CLUB.

"When a man axes me who libes nes' doah," began the old man as the triangle sounded to order. "I answer him Brown or Jones or White, or whatever de name may be, but when he goes beyond dat an' axes what salary de man airns, how often his wife changes bonnets an' how dey make seben dollars a week go further dan I kin fo'teen, I become a clam. I has no business to know, an' when I do know I won't tell. I used to have some curosity in dis direcsdun, but I has got ober it of late y'ars. When I know dat a certain man, receivin' a salary of $12 per week, kin give parties, hire carriages an' dress his wife in silk, it makes me glum. Dat is, it used to. I used to wonder why I couldn't do de the same thing on de same money, but I nebber could. When de ole woman used to tell me dat starin womun had new silks, new hats, new close an' new shoes once a month de y'ar roun,' an' we havin' to lib-clus on de same money, it made me mad. Dat is, it used to. When I saw men who owed for their washin' struttin' aroun' like lords, while I had to work seben days in a week an' pay my debts, I felt like smashin' frew the sidewalk. But I has got obar all dis. When I meet a woman who kin dress like a banker's wife on de $10 or $12 per week paid her husband, I doam' 'low myself to eben fink about it. When I see a man buying a twenty cent cigar, sportin' a cain takin' champagne, while his children at home bar'foot, I try to believe it am all right. When a lady wid $300 worf of close on axes me to do a job of whitewashin' in a parlor whar' de bes pictur's come from a tea store an' de bes' cha'r am under chattel mortgage, I doan' stop to see who she am foolin'. Nayburs ob mine who owe all the butchers widin a circle of a mile, kin pay fo'dollahs fur a libery rig on Sunday an' I shan't criticise. Wives may go shoppin' every night an' gin parties ebery night an' my ole woman will keep the cabin jist de same. Since we quit wonderin' and speculation' ober dese fings we feel much better. We know fur a fact jist how fur we kin make money go. If odder folks kin lib like lords on a salary of $600 a y'ar it's a streak of good luck an' none of our business. My advice to you to am let such fings pass. Dey am mysteries wid which we have no bizness, an' de mo' you ponder ober dem de less you will enjoy what you have honestly airned by hard work an' saved by good economy."

HAIR.

Not less than ninety per cent. of the women and five per cent. of the men in this country wear more or less false hair. This enormous consump-tion of the ar[illegible] ... the face, charming coquetly to a hue, having a [illegible], a bandeau or a preserved [illegible], bangs or waves arranged at the [illegible]. Some people think that [illegible] never grow gray headed. The fact is, one third of white threads may be mingled with such hair, and few will notice it. The same proportion of blonde-haired people turn gray as those with any other colored hair.

The proportion of people who dye their hair is also surprising. Some twenty per cent. are said to do this. Of course, the greater proportion of his dyers are white haired people. A white head is often, though not always, a sign of a life of trouble.

The dresser is more than often amused by requests from the country for "cold water frizzes." These, of course, comprise an article which will curl easily by application of watter and are easily supplied. Curly hair has been the fashion for a year or more.

Of the two human hair is the most called for. Hair-raising is a sort of industry in Europe. The peasant girls, who are much in the open air, get their heds cropped once a year, and thus furnish a portion of the supply. They are satisfied with a stipend so small that an American woman would scorn to touch six times its value. Of the material imported France supplies half the trade and England and Germany divide the rest. The raw material finds its way here in great quantities, and is made up on this side of the watter. The business is young yet in this country.

KEEPING HIS PLACE

"You know Jones," said Rogers; "confound him, I don't believe he cares for nothin'. Once he went yachting with us, and while we was all admirin' the sea and the scenery, there he sot and sot on the edge of the boat with his legs danglin' over readin a book, and diden't seem to care for nothin', and the girls went up to him and talked to him, and all they could get out was a 'yes' or a 'no' till they give it up as a bad job. All of a sudden there came a squall, and the boat she gave a lurch, and before we knowed what had happened he'd been pitched overboard into the water, and when we fished him out, would you believed it, he had his thumb on the place where he'd stopped reading when he wentdown."

SUMMER FOOD.

The great danger in warm weather is in cooking too much and in eating too great a quantity of heavy farinaceous food. Of late years a public opinion has been created against meat in warm weather, and many persons abstain from it who did not at all understand that they may be doing themselves more injury by the warm bread and biscuit, the rich pies and puddings, the heated butter in vegetables, the fried potatoes, the tough omelets, and the thousand and one ways in which people who are accustomed to meat endeavor to make up for its absence.

Meat in excess is not good at any time, and less is required in warm weather than in cold: but to the worker, and to those who lead active lives, meat once in the day is not too much in the warmest weather, and it ought to be of a good, nourishing, digestible sort, such as tender roast beef, broiled stake or chops, roast or stewed veal, roast lamb or chicken. Fish can be made use of in summer, especially the solid kinds, such as blue fish, twice in the week with very great advantage; but it ought not to take the place of meat, nor be used in addition to it, at least, not upon ordinary occasions. A dish of nicely cooked meat or fish, two vegetables, a salad, an *entree*, a simple pudding, or dish of fruit, and some light graham rolls, or whole wheat bread, is good enough dinner for any one whose taste has not been very greatly indulged and perverted

Salads should be simply dressed during the summer so as to get all the benefit possible from the fresh lettuce, the watter-cress, and green garden growth of which it is composed.

Fried dishes should be discontinued, and potatoes should give place to peas, greens, rice, spinach, cauliflower, and the various delightful products of the summer in the vegetable line, which culminate in the everwelcom corn and tomatoes. Potatoes contain more starch than any other kind of food in common use, and have consequently less nutritive quality; they therefore return less for the time and trouble required to digest them than the same amount (in bulk) of other foods. Moreover, they take long to ripen, and before they are ripe, are not fit for food at all. The early, what are called "young" potatoes, therefore, are about the poorest ingredient that can be introduced into the regular bill of fare, and as "old" potatoes are often "grown" or begun to decompose, which they show by black spots, it is really of importance that they be discontinued for a while, even those who are very much wedded to them, returning with double zest to their favorite dish after a brief respite, and when it has acquired mealy perfection.

Eggs are very useful in summer. Nothing can surpas for lightfulness and healthfulness the summer morning breakfast of fresh soft boiled eggs, crisp, cool water-cresses, well-made cocoa, graham or oatmeal rolls, or toast. Of course to this may be added a dessert of fruit, the fresh strawberries or strawberry cake, the stewed rhubarb for those who like it, the decorative red and white currants well mixed with powdered sugar, marmalade, not to be compared, however, to the sanitary quality of fruit fresh and free from its weight of cooked sugar.

Do not drug the system with nauseous purgatives that only debilitate. Burdock Blood Bitters is natures own Cachartic, it acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver and the Kidneys, arousing all the secretions to a healthy action. It purifies the Blood and cures all Humors, even the worst form of Scrofula, and tones up the Nervous and Debilitated.

The most miserable man in the world is the dyspeptic, and dyspepsia is one of the most troublesome difficulties to remove, but BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS always conquer it. It stimulates the secretions, regulates the bowels, acts upon the Liver, aids digestion, and tones up the entire system. Trial Bottles 10 Cents, Large Bottles $1.00.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.—Union Station.			
Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.56 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Belton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.06 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12 00 noon.
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.

ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.23 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, June 17 h. 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Daily Globe per year,	$6.00
Mail, "	6.00
WEEKLIES.	
Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
... Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

IRELAND.

Affairs in Ireland are fast approaching a crisis, and we expect every day to hear that the mobs who have gathered to prevent the officers of the law from carrying out their instructions, have at last been fired upon. The Government appear to think the forbearance they have shown up to the present has been misplaced, and now state, through Mr. Forster, Home Secretary, for Ireland, that they hope that the large force now in Ireland, and which would be strengthened if necessity demanded, would prove to the Irish people that the law was not to be upset with impunity, and that however painful its execution in individual cases might be, it must be carried out at all cost and at all hazards.

THE LONDON DISASTER.

MR. GEORGE PARISH, manager of the Thames Navigation Company, and Captain Rankin, of the ill-fated steamer *Victoria*, have been arrested for manslaughter, at the instance of a man named Jones, postmaster at London West. As far as we can judge from the evidence that has been taken during the investigation, which has been an exhaustive one, the boat was totally unfit and unsafe for the work she was engaged in. The boiler was fastened in the most superficial manner, and there were many other defects. We consider the Inspector of Steamers was as culpable as the parties who have been arrested, for granting a certificate to such a ramshackle concern. The evidence shows that he was either extremely careless or downright ignorant, and should be promptly dismissed and his place filled by some one who has a slight regard for the lives of his fellow creatures.

THE jury in the investigation as to the cause of the London disaster, after many hours' deliberation brought in a verdict of censure only against the Manager, Captain, and Engineer of the *Victoria*. The captain is blamed for accepting the position of captain and wheelsman, thereby being unable to pay proper attention to the management of his boat. The engineer was blamed for not keeping the hold free of water and for not informing the captain of the dangerous condition of the boat. The Manager was blamed for not having sufficient hands on board, and the Inspector comes in for a rap over the knuckles for granting a certificate to such a gingerbread concern as the *Victoria* proved to be.

After weeks spent in examining witnesses, and putting the country to an enormous expense this is the result—a mere vote of censure. This is all the satisfaction to be received by those whose homes have been made desolate and their hearts bowed down with sorrow.

This is all the punishment to be received by the men who, for the sake of a few dollars, hurled hundreds of people to an untimely grave without a moment's warning. Out upon such a farce say we.

THE STORM.

The storm which passed over here on Monday seems to have been universal, and a great deal of damage has been done in all parts of the Country. It appears from the reports recieved that the people of the United States suffered severly. In Dismonies, Iowa, hail stones fell as large as goose eggs, smashing glass and killing poultry. The wind blew down houses killing one man and blowing his wife and child a quarter of a mile. In Taxes houses were carried away bodly and many people took refuge in their cellars. In Minesota we learn that great damage was done to Railroads, telegraph lines, houses and the crops, and several people killed. In Kansas buildings were destroyed, and many were severely hurt. From several places in Canada we hear of barns and churches being struck with lightning, fences blown down, and houses beingu nroofed, but at the time of writing have heard of noloss of life. In Exeter, near London, it is said hail stones were as large as hen eggs, and did a great deal of damage.

Since writing the above fuller accounts of the effects of the great storm have been recieved, and is proves to be one of the most disastrous that has occured for many years. At Kingston, several persons were injured by lightning. At Sharon, houses were unroofed trees blown down and telegraph wires broken. From Peterbrow, Bellevelle and several other places we hear the same story. At Mount Forest the hail fail was very severe, where it was said towards the end of it the stones were more like chunks of Ice, one piece was picked up by Mr. Thomas, Stovel measuring 12 by 18 inches.

In the United States the accounts are appalling. Houses were lifted from their foundations and dashed to pieces. Horses and cattle were taken up by the wind and carried quite a distance, and hurled to the ground in a lifeless state. At St. Joseph, in the state of Missouri, it is stated that fifty people have lost their lives, and from various places comes the report of people being killed. The distruction of calves, sheep, and poultry has been very great from the hail, and the growing crops, where they were sufficiently advanced have been completely destroyed. The amount of window glass and green houses that have been destroyed is beyond computation. At Topeka a horse was taken out of his stable by the wind, carried over a hill & dashed to the ground a mile distant. A woman's trunk was lifted out of her bed-room along with her watch. The latter was discovered a quarter of a mile from the house dashed to pieces, but the trunk has not been seen since.

Taking it altogether it has been something beyond anything that has visited us even in the memory of the "oldest inhabitant," and we hope never to be called on to be record such another.

THE farewell supper given to Mr. Geo. J. Blyth on Friday evening last, was a very enjoyable affair. Shortly after 9 o'clock, about 30 guests sat down to a sumptuous repast served up by mine host Mr. T. Sproule, of the Revere. Among those present we noticed Dr. McGregor, Chatsworth, Jno. Frost, Esq., Owen Sound, and Mr. Fawcett, of the *Advance*, Flesherton. After due justice had been done to the viands, the cloth was removed, and toasts and speeches were in order. Dr. McGregor, in the absence of Dr. Sproule, who had been called away, but put in an appearance later in the evening, filled the chair, and Mr. A. McIntyre the Vice-Chair, but being called away early in the evening, his place was ably filled by Mr. A. Turner. The first toast, of course, was the Queen and the Royal family, which was drank with all honors. The toast of the Governor and the Parliament of Canada was responded to by Dr. Sproule, and John Frost, Esq. The Army and Navy was given by the Vice-Chair, Song, Red, White and Blue, Mr. T. G. Morgan. The next in order was "Our Guest," which was given by the Chair in a very neat speech. Messrs. J. Frost, A. Turner, A. Butter, Thos. Sproule, and A. McIntyre spoke in eulogistic terms of Mr. Blyth, to which he responded in feeling and appropriate terms. The learned professions were responded to by Drs. McGregor and Sproule, and John Frost, Esq. Our mechanical and Agricultural interests brought Messrs. Sullivan, Shanahan, and Butter to their feet. "The Press" was responded to by Messrs. Fawcett, of the *Advance*, Morgan, of the STANDARD, and Blyth, of the late *Expositor*. "The ladies, God bless them," received due justice from the hands of Mr. Turner, and Mr. Thos. Sproule responded to the toast of the "Host and Hostess." This brought the proceedings to a close.

We regret our space prevents us from giving some of the speeches in full, as they were really good, and were listened to by those present with the greatest attention.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From a Correspondent.

THERE is a dearth of news here at present, neither births, deaths nor marriages, and no rowdyism or church excitement, really nothing of a political or peculiar nature to write about except the frost that visited us last Sunday night, and that is, it is to be supposed, pretty well known. The early garden vegetables in the shape of beans, tomatoes, &c., have received their death warrant. The grain crops have suffered to a large extent, with the exception of fall wheat, which is almost a failure here. The other crops before the frost were looking well and there was a good prospect of a bountiful harvest. But a good warm rain and warm weather would soon make things look bright again. There has been no three yolked eggs laid here yet, the chickens of that breed not having come to maturity yet.

FEVERSHAM

From our Correspondent.

There was quite an excitement created in this quiet neighborhood last week, over a barn raising, which took place on the farm of Mr. Jas. Reid, 8th con., Osprey. It appears there was a report circulated previous to the day of the raising that there would be a contest between the north and south portions of the neighborhood. The north included the 10th and 12th lines the south the 6th and 8th lines. Although there was little or no attention paid to the report by the southerners, the northerners were busily engaged selecting their best men for the occasion, so on the day of the raising they gathered together and came *en-masse* to the raising quite jubilant over their expected success? "But alas, for their boasting they were badly beaten. Not satisfied with this, they commenced using some rather strong and abusive language, which finally led to blow's, when one young man from the 12th line, and the principal agitator, came to the conclusion he would be more comfortable elswhere, and for this purpose made a bee line across the orchard for the opposite side of the field. It would have been much better had he selected a more suitable route and not run through the top of an apple tree, (dwarf) almost if not totally destroying it. But we trust Mr. Reid will fully consider the circumstances, and this young man's abhorence of fighting, and deal lightly with him. Although the row did not amount to much, those young men went home crestfallen, (having been twice beaten) we hope wiser men than when they came. We trust that they will refrain in the future from undertaking what they are not able to accomplish.—OPEN EYE.

EUPHRASIA.

From a Correspondent.

The excitement at present in this vicinity is the late frost, which was very severe, more especially where the land is low and damp In the neighborhood of Epping, nothing is injured, not even the most tender vegetables, while one or two miles south every thing in that line was utterly destroyed, even the fruit in the famous Queens valley is baked as in an oven, in fact all through the valley to Thornbury, it is the same cry, while we are sorry to say the crops are badly injured, and in some cases have to be ploughed down and resown. We have the same account from Meaford gardens, utterly ruined, also grain damaged. Hadn't Vennor something to do with it.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met as a Court of Revision in Vogan's Hall.

Reeve in the chair. Members present—Messrs. Norton, Shute, Gillespie, and Cameron.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that $50 be struck off Wm. Roe's assessment on account of getting his barn destroyed by fire.

Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that lot 10 con. 3 be placed on the Roll against Jas. Land.

Deputy Reeve moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that John McClure be placed on the assessment roll for W ½ lot 40, con 3, instead of Wakefield.

Deputy Reeve moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Assessment Roll as now amended be passed.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

Council met at Vogan's Hotel for the transaction of business.

A petition headed by Robert Hammill and 20 others was presented by the Deputy Reeve in favor of opening up road past Gore A.

Mr. Cameron moved, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that a portion of the road money be spent on the above mentioned road, and that the Clerk notify Mr. Wright.

Deputy Reeve moved, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Chas. Carney be refunded the sum of $2.97, as taxes overpaid.

Mr. Shute moved, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that we apportion $125 to each ward to repair roads.

The money was apportioned as follows:—

SOUTH WARD.

$20, side road 50, west of 4th con., called White's side road; $38, 4th con., from Jackson's to Kirton's; $15, 50 side road East, near George Walker's; $10 60 side road near Sorby's; $10 Pear's side road from Sutliff's; $10, side road at Anderson's; $15, Armstrong's side road swamp; $1, taking out stone 2nd con., near Jackson's; $6, for scraper.

NORTH WARD.

$12 for road scrapers; $10 on 9 & 10 side road between 11 and 12 cons.; $10 on Blind line opposite lot 2; $10 on con. 10 opposite lot 8; $25 on Maguire's hill; $5 on 12 and 13 side road near Henderson's; $10 on hill near Massie's; $10 on crossway on six side road between 6 & 7 cons.; $10 on 4th con. near Gill's; $5 on 15 & 16 side road between 8 and 9 cons.; $10 on 8 side road near Dunbar's; $5 on 12 and 13 side road con. 9; $3 on con. 10 opposite lot 10; $5 on con. 10 opposite lot 12.

WEST WARD.

$12, 2 road scrapers; $4 new culvert near John Gunn's, T., G. & B.; $15 on 3 side road at Cunningham's corner; $5 on Boulton's hill 3 side road; $10 on Laverty's hill; $29 along Wright's grove; $10 on No. 6 side road by E. Howey's; $10 on hill near Big Head river; $5 on bridge on 2nd con., lot 30 E. T. S. R'd; $2.50 to remove stones on 31 side road; $5 on 20 side road near Downy's; $10 on 4th con. by Thos. Gill; $5 on 2nd con., by Delanty; $2.50 on 30 side road 2 and 3 Ranges.

EAST WARD.

$10 continuation of 40 side road near Hamilton's; $10 on hill opposite John Deavitt's; $10 on hill opposite Joseph Sanderson's, 2nd & 3rd cons.; $25 on hill at Matthew Crofford's; $1, remove stone opposite J. Jackson's; $15 between Dennis Hamilton's and 50 side road 2nd con.; $10 between Robt. Scott's and 10th line; $8 on 60 and 70 side road 3rd con. near J. Lyon's; $5 on 15 and 16 side road; $2.50 on 30 side road N. E. along 2 and 3 Ranges; $10 on 50 side road opposite J. Crofford's; $2.50 on 30 side road N. E. along 2 and 3 cons.

Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the following persons be appointed road overseers as follows:

Wm. Farly, West Ward, at 5 per cent.; Wm. Bradly, North Ward, at 6 per cent.; Robt. Clark, East Ward, at 6 per cent.; Thomas Armstrong, South Ward, at 7 per cent.

Deputy Reeve moved, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Messrs. Norton & Shute be a committee to look after locating road round Jackson's Hill, 4th con.

Mr. Gillespie moved, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that this Council adjourn till the 8th of July.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

EUPHRASIA CONUCIL.

THE Council met as a Court of Revision on the 29th ult.

The following action was taken in reference to appeals made, viz:—

Joseph Henderson's assessment confirmed on N. ½ lot 5, con. 7.

Charles Devit's assessment reduced $100 on E. ½ lot 16 con. 6.

Christopher Knott's assessment confirmed on part lot 18 con. 5.

Thos. Sparling's assessment reduced $50 on N.W. part lot 24 con. 6.

Robert Garbutt's assessment confirmed on N. ½ lot 10 con. 5.

Samuel Wright's assessment reduced $50 on S. ½ lot 14 con. 9.

Wm. Wilson's assessment reduced $100 on W. ½ lot 19 con. 2.

D. A. Creasor, Barrister, assessed for lot 7 con. 2, at $1000.

Wm. Reynard, assessed for E. ½ of lot 13, con. 7 at $700.

John Sparling placed on Roll as Farmer's Son.

Andrew Kirkwood, assessed for S. ½ lot 8 con. 10, instead of J. Logan, who has sold to Mr. Kirkwood and removed.

John Clugston, assessor, appealed against the assessment of Noble Clark as being erroneous, Mr. Clark to be notified.

The S. part of lot 5, con. assessed to Thomas Hults, Chamburg.

The S. ½ of lot 14 con. 7, taken from W. Cartwright's assessment and placed on Non-Res. Roll.

Andrew Dawn, whose name was omitted on the Roll was assessed for E part lot 27 con. 2.

The E. ½ of lot 20 con. 8, placed on the Non Res. Roll.

The assessment of the W. ½ of lot 18 con. 6 corrected.

On motion being made and seconded, the Court adjourned until 10 o'clock, a.m., on Saturday 11th June.

The Council resumed. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Gilbert Cooledge was appointed pathmaster instead of William Sewell, not assessed.

James Erskine was appointed pathmaster instead of John Pritchard, removed.

The Reeve was instructed to confer with the Reeve of Collingwood T'p regarding the opening of the south end of Town line of Euphrasia & Collingwood.

The committee appointed to make enquiries concerning a new road in the valley of Beaver River, which has been asked for, was instructed to communicate with interested parties and ascertain the value of land for said road, &c., and lay an estimate before the Council at an early opportunity concerning the probable cost of establishing such road.

Money orders were issued as follows:—In favour of Joseph Hawken for $10, for building a bridge, making repairs on the 11th line at lots 15 and 16, and in favor of Messrs. Wilson for $1, for professional services.

The Council adjourned until 2 p.m., Saturday 11th of June.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Clerk.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at Town Hall, on 6th inst. All members present. The committee on Treasurer's sureties reported security satisfactory.

bridges were refered to the road

Petetion for the aid to road, and Commissioners.

A petition respecting statute labor from the Police Trustees of Markdale recieved.

Moved by Mr. McMillian, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the following account be paid, C. W. Rutledge, printing, $22.70; J. & J. Brown, mending scraper, 50c; C. B. Jackes, Legal advice, $5.00; Mrs. Reid, expenses attending meeting of road committee, $5.00; J. Brown, postage account, $8.49.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Glancross, that the Council authorize the Reeve to appoint an arbitrator in the matter of compensation for road through lots 99 & 100, con. 3 W. T. & S. R., and lot 22, con. 21, or to agree with the parties as to the amount of compensation.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the Deputy Reeve and commissioners for ward No. 3, let contracts on the new road between lot 20, con. 10 and Bar-head Mills, where necessary.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Neil, that $10,00 be granted as charity to Widow Lexington.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that Thos. O'Donnell, be paid $45.00 on account of bridge contract.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the appropriations for Ward No. 3 be $135,00 and for Ward 1, 2, & 4, $100,00 each.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that Chas. McKinnon, be paid $14,50 being one half the cost of covering the Rocky Saugeen bridge.—Carried.

The Trustees of Union School Section, No. 12, Artemesia and Glenelg, applied for authority to raise, by way of loan, the sum of $900,00 on Glenelg Portion of the section, to pay for erection of a School house.

A By-law was passed in terms of the application.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the Clerk be authorized to order three road scrapers from S. H. McKitrick, Orangeville, for the use of Pathmasters, and have them sent to Mr. Hall, at Markdale Station, and that Mr. Glencross be authorized to purchase E. Motley's scraper.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that Wm. Smith, be allowed to perform his statute labor opposite lot No. 107, Con. 3, W. T. & S. R., for the year 1881.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that John. S. Black be paid $75,00, as salary for assessing, and $5,00 for distributing notices.—Carried:

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that the Reeve be authorized to purchase a road on lots, 54, 55, 56, con. 2, E. G. R.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that Mrs Atkinson be refunded $7,52, arrears of taxes for 1877, charged in error.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the claim presented by Joe. McArdle, for refund of taxes for lot 16, con. 14, amounting $11. 18, be paid to the party entitled to recieve it.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet at the same place on 22nd, August nest.

DUNDALK

COLAPSE OF A BUILDING.—The building erected a few days since in Dundalk for a tannery was brought low by the wind storm on the evening of the 13th inst. It was built of scantling frame 28x58 feet two story. Mr. Ketchum (the owner) was up on the building half an hour before, and was fully satisfied with the workmanship of the contractor, Mr. Cross. The villagers turned out in the evening after the storm was over, and dismembered the wreck, piling the timbers and scantling up neatly and promised the contractor further aid in the re-erecting of the same.

On Tuesday last we were through the township of Proton from Dundalk to Hopeville & Cedarville. The land in that section of country is much bettor than we expected to find it, being the first time we have been in that part of said Township. We took particular notice to things generally along the way; crops are looking well, the bad effects of the late frost, which are so general, are not to be seen in Proton; even the vines and the gardon vegetables at Hopeville were not injured. The above Township is well adapted to stock raising and dairy purposes, and we believe if there were a few good cheese and butter factories established, say five miles apart, the people would fast acumulate wealth.

THE WHEAT CROP.

The Chicago *Tribune* has been investigating the condition of the wheat crop, and it finds that the United States wil have little wheat to spare this year. As the grain trade has been of enormous advantage to that country for several years, the fact that they will not have as much as usual will have great significance in forecasting the business outlook for the future. The *Tribune* says:

First—The winter wheat crop of the whole United States will not aggregate more than two thirds the yield of last year.

Second—The acreage now sown to spring wheat is twenty per cent. less than in 1880; the yield per acre promises to be not greater this year than last.

Third—Only about 7,500,000 bushels of wheat reman in the hands of millers and in elevators in the country, and not more than one-third of the quantity will reach our lake ports, unless prices should advance so much as to induce millers to ship their reserves instead of grinding the grain.

If these estimates be correct the situation resolves itself into this: We have enough wheat on hand to supply our own needs up to the next harvest, and that harvest will supply all the wheat wanted for bread and seed in the United States during the next crop year. But nothing more. Not a bushel for export!

A spirited and fastidious girl of Ottawa, Ill., declined to be married, though the guests were assembled and the bridegroom waiting, because the train of her dress did not hang properly. Expostulation was in vain. She said that she had put a great amount of thought and money into the garment and it would be a life long sorrow to her if she wore it when conscious that it was not a success. The wedding was postponed a week.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I noticed in the last issue of the *Advance*, an article defending the conduct of certain parties passing through Maxwell, from Flesherton on the 24th of May.

It is evident that the reply was made either by the parties using the insolence, or by some one for them, who knows no better than to countenance such conduct. Such slang phrases as "You are too fresh," etc., with the many others used, are in my estimation anything but lady-like, and do not apply very forcibly to persons walking quietly on the street.

I would suppose that the parties using such expressions were either a little green or "too fresh" themselves, unless they have purchased largely of, and used effectively that cargo of land salt lately brought to Flesherton.

I presume the juvenile of that village will be highly educated in all the slang of the day, under the fostering influence of such "respectable and refined" young ladies.

Their insults were by no means confined to the "two *would be* gentlemen in carpet slippers." Several others in the village were also attacked and abused.

Person sitting within their houses were not let alone. Nor did it stop in the village. A picnic party, from near Collingwood, was insulted in a similar manner at the lake, being called "Nottawa Bugs," etc.

What a noble record of their exploits! One of the party gave some of our villagers clearly to understand that they were ashamed of the actions of some of the party that day. I am surprised that any person in this village, knowing the circumstances, would countenance such conduct, but some are ever inclined to be meddlesome.

Now, I by no means wish to cast a slur upon the respectable people of Flesherton, but I ever shall discountenance such conduct as I have referred to.

I am glad to know that the cap fitted the right parties, and hope they may profit by it in future.

VERITAS.

MAXWELL, June 14th, 1881.

COUNTY ITEMS.

ONE OF THE SAVED.—Wm. Campbell, formerly of the Lake Shore, latterly of Markdale, and well known in Owen Sound, was one of the rescued ones at the late *Victoria* disaster. He jumped from the boat as she began to go to pieces, and reached the shore in safety. —*Tribune*.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.—An ineffectual attempt was made to burglarize the residence of Mr. W. Manders on Thursday night last. The night-walkers managed to effect an entrance into the kitchen, but in doing so disturbed the household, who in turn disturbed the marauder, and he vamossed without even getting a broken hairpin. It is plain that we have at least one of the light-fingered gentry in town, and it is also plain that it will be to the advantage of residents to look after their valuables with an unusually sharp eye.—*Tribune*.

COUNTY COURT.—The County Court commenced here on Tuesday. Judge McPherson being unwell and unable to attend Court, S. J. Lane, Esq., presides. There are two criminal cases to be tried, and eight civil suits Mr. Geo. Corbet, Jr., is Foreman of the Grand Jury. We will give a report of the proceedings in our next issue.—*Advertiser*.

ABOUT SMALL-POX.

Conflagrations startle a man, tornadoes make him nervous, earthquakes take his mind off his business for eight or ten minutes; but if you want to frighten a big six-footer right out of his boots just yell "small-pox" at him. Not one person in a hundred will pass a small-pox sign on a house without taking the outer edge of the walk, and during a scare every ache and pain which grabs a man is supposed to be the forerunner of the dread disease.

The other day a prominent Detroit physician received a call from a man who carried an alarmed look in the corners of his eyes and who said that he came for a prescription.

"What ailse you ?" queried the doctor.

"I feel bad all over."

"Any particular symptoms ?"

"Well I've got a back ache and I'm feverish, and my throat is sore, and I've got a pain in my chest."

The doctor took a look at his tongue, felt of his pulse, and said:

"I think two or three quinine pills will brace you up, and I'll give you a gargle for your throat"

The man made no further remarks, but after he had pocketed his prescription and got out doors he turned around and shook his fist at the office and growled out:

"I'm going to have small-pox, and and I know it, and the minute I begin to break out I'll come hear and give it to everybody around the house, clear down to your old bob-tailed Scotch terrier and cross-eyed cat!"

BIRTHS.

WRIGHT—In Artemesia, on the 14th inst., the wife of Bartholamew Wright of a daughter.

MORROW—In Glenelg, on the 10th inst., the wife of Thomas Morrow, of a son.

MARRIED

WRIGHT—KEEFER—In Flesherton, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. S. C. Philps, Mr. David Wright, merchant, to Miss Bella Keefer, second daughter of Mr George Keefer, of the same place.

SMITH—HUTTON—On the 15th inst., by the Rev. N. A. McDairmid, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. James Perkins, Mr. Robert Smith, of Artemesia, to Miss Jennie Hutton, of Euphrasia.

DIED.

McGEE—In Artemesia, on the 14th inst., Eveline McGee, aged 19 years.

If you are suffering with a cold do not fail to try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam; it is daily relieving its hundreds throughout our Dominion. It is pleasant and palatable.

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN, Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and the surrounding country, that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily!

CUTTING!

Done while customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-tf

Thumb and Fingers

For everybody will be found at the

THORBURY NOVELTY WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to inform the farmers of Grey and Bruce, that he has bought the right of the above named counties to make and sell Dillingham's patented Thumb and Finger Barley Fork, which is pronounced by all who have seen it to be the best Barley Fork out. You can load three loads to two against any other Barley Fork. I am also turning out an Extra good lot of the

Mastin Grain Cradles and Spinning Wheels,

This season. Good Fork and Hoe Handles can be bought here from 5c to 10c each.

☞ Give me a call, and I will guarantee satisfaction.

J. H. HAMILTON, THORNBURY.

Thornbury, June 16, 1881. 40-4w

The liver is the grand organ of the system; when torpid or congested bad blood and ill health are certain results. Burdock Blood Bitters cure all diseases arising from disordered Liver, Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys, purifying, regulating and strengthening. It regulates the Bowels, cleanses and enriches the Blood, and imparts tone to every organ of the body. Trial Bottles 10 Cents.

TO LET.

50 Acres of Good Pasture, Watered, to Let.

The subscriber will take a limited number of Cattle, Horses, &c., to pasture.

Markdale, June 6, 1881. W. BROWN.

SHTOP! HOW YOU WAS!

T. MALARKEY, QUEEN STREET, MARKDALE, Keeps constantly on hand CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS, WASH-TUBS, &c., &c. Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.

AGENT FOR D. MAXWELL'S CELEBRATED REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE —ALSO— Ploughs, Harrows, Gang Plows, Etc. Etc.

Markdale, June 9, 1881.

STRAYED.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned, on Monday night, ... a reddish colored cow, 5 years old, white belly, horns turned in, and ends ... both horns. Any person giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Dundalk, June 9th, 1881. J. SYMINGTON.

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the road open through lots 99, 100, 101, on the 3rd concession W.T. & S.R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road on said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McMILLAN,

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular Size, $1.

Mrs. Freeman's Worm Powder is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worm in children or adults. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brightness and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

Millinery! Millinery!

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is nicely assorted, comprising

Trimmed Hats & Bonnets

CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND ...

ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMINGS,

LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches.

We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881.

MARKDALE Sash and Door Factory

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS MOULDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS, FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA...

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

...ETHI...

...s of Prints, new spring styles ... 12½ cents, fast colors. ... of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70. ... of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and ... Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, direct ... Black Broad-cloth, $1.25—wo... ... of Duck Overalls, 50 cents. ... Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

...STANDARD.

June 17th, 1881.

OTHER NOTICES.

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... walk in front of the ... this week.

... continues dry.

... the sale of furniture ... Grant and Chellew's ...

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... brisk, large quantities ... coming to market, also a ... wheat.

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... durable Buggy, go ... Mason.

The ... shop in the Sproule block ... is now being fitted up ... as possible, and he expects to ... in the course of a week ... he intends to add largely ...

... indications of rain, as we ... press, and we hope they ... prove delusive, as a good ... much needed, and would do ... amount of good.

... No. 1 coal oil, CASTORINE ... machine oils, try Haskett ...

... O. S. volunteers passed down ... special train on Monday evening ... their way to Niagara for 12 days ... drill.

... Brown, is now removing to ... Bros block, where she will ... to wait on her many customers ... ladies of Markdale and ... generally. Remember the ... next door to Haskett's Hardware.

... your dealers for "Castorine" ... oil, and see that the barrel ... "Castorine," as none other ...

... Burgess and company gave ... entertainment "Our Sleighing ... in Dufferin Hall on Wednesday ... which was well attended. ... was not equal to some given ... amateurs during the ...

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PRICES THAT TELL.

SOMETHING OF INTEREST AT W. J. McFARLAND'S

Yards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8½, 9, 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
Pieces of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
Yards of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
Dozen Table Napkins, 6½ cents, direct from manufacturers.
Yards Black Broad-cloth, $1.25—worth $2.50.
Pairs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
Mens Vincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manfacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " " $1.50 "

FACTS.—W. J. McFARLAND
Keeps the best assorted stock North of Toronto.
W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
2761½ Yards Shirting, 10, 14, 17, 20 and 23 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brillianteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New Cashmeres, cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.

Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feathers, Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer, Wholesale and Retail

THE STANDARD.

Friday June 17th, 1881.

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Two communications reached us just as we were going to press, consequently were to late for this issue.—Will appear next week.

We would call attention to the advertisement of Mr. J. H. Hamilton, of Thornbury, which will be found in another column. His Barley Forks, (which we consider unequalled) and other goods, can be had of any of our merchants.

As one of our medical men was strolling along the sidewalk last Saturday night, he noticed a man taking it easy in the shade of one of our large brick blocks. Upon asking him what ailed him, and what he was doing there, the fellow replied, "'Zall right, Doc', (hic) jest lookin' at ze 'clipse."

If you want anything in the line of Jewellery, a Wedding Ring for instance just try our Jeweller, E. D. Wilcox.

Says the Toronto *Mail*:—Next Sunday, according to Professor Grimmer, is the day upon which this world's affairs are to be wound up. We are, according to the learned and very scientific professor, to be subjected to a tremendous heat in which no living creature can exist. The world is to approach the sun with wonderfull velocity and is to be consumed by fire. It seems wicked to neglect Professor Grimmer's warning, but in view of the fact that no one knows the day nor the hour, the Professor's prophecy may be considered a piece of impertinence. Besides, does not Mr. Vennor predict cool weather for the entire month of June?

Plated ware, Knives, Rings, Spoons &c., at Wilcox's.

New Barley Fork.—Mr. J. H. Hamilton of Thornbury, manufacturer of Cradles, Spinning Wheels, &c., is now manufactaring a very useful patent Barley Fork. It is without doubt the best Barley Fork made. An extra finger is so attatched to the handle as to prevent the grain sliding back on the pitcher, or being blown off by the wind. Farmers will at once precieve the benefit of such a fork.

Run Away.—On Wedensday, a team belonging to Mr. Geo. Drew, took fright in rear of Noble's blacksmith shop, and ran out on Toronto Street. They had only gone a short distance when the tonge of the wagon fell from the neckyoke, and ran under the sidewalk breaking the tonge and one axle. Fortunately no person was hurt.

Engagement & Wedding Rings, in great variety, at Wilcox's the Jewellers.

When doctors disagree who shall decide. The people often decide by "throwing physic to the dogs,' and trying BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS, and the result is always satisfactory. Burdock Blood Bitters is the *Multum in Parvo* of medical science, curing all diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys. A trial bottle only costs 10 cents. A dollar bottle may save you many dollars in doctor's bills.

The first cotton mill in California is in process of erection.

Trickett, the Australian oarsman, arrived in New York recently, and of course the irrepressible interviewer was on hand. Among other things that Trickett is reported to have said is that he had no wish to tackle Hanlan again, that he considered Ned the best man he ever met, and he had seen not a few. Of Ross he preferred to say nothing. There is some talk of Trickett challenging Riley, but there is nothing decided definitely as yet what course he intends to pursue.

Reader have you tried every known remedy for Chronic disease, Impure Blood, disordered Liver or Kidneys, Nervous and General Debility, Constipation of the Bowels, with the manifold sufferings pertaining thereto? Have you given up in despair? Try Burdock Blood Bitters; it will not fail you. A Trial Bottle only costs 10 Cents. Regular size $1.00. Any dealer in medicine can supply you.

Picture framing done neat and cheap at W. J. Bates, Flesherton, a great variety to choose from.

At a meeting of the Grand Black Chapter of the Royal Black Knights of Ireland, held in connection with the Grand Orange Lodge of B. N. A., on motion of Joseph McArdle, of Hopeville, County Grand Master of Wellington and Grey, it was decided to hold the next annual meeting if the Grand Black Chapter at Orangeville on the 3rd of June, 1882.

200,000 Pine Lath for sale at the Markdale Sash & Door Factory.

Amongst the many delagets attending the Grand Orange Lodge of B. A. is Joseph McArdle, Esq., the County Grand Master, of Wellington, and Grey, of the Royal Black Instution an old resident of the Township of Hope, who is spending a few days visiting his friends here, and who is very warmly recived by his many old friends and acquaintances. He looks both hale and hearty and by appearance is growing with the times in the new parts of this Province.—*Port Hope Times.*

Another Schooner load of pine lumber and lath arrived this week at T. McNea's lumber yard.

The Farmers Advocate for June is to hand and is an exceptionably fine number. This Magazine is the only one of the kind published in Canada and every farmer should subscribe for it. In this number the *Advocate* offers a prize of $100,00 for the best herd of fat cattle for export. The herd to consist of three animals four years or under, the bona fide property of the exhibitor.

A Chicago artist who, it is said, can earn $10,000 a year, has been an habitual drunkard for five or six years. His wife has sued a saloon keeper for $25,000 damages on the ground that it is due to his influence that her husband squanders his money and neglects his work. He should have stuck to the water colors she thinks, and not have tinted his countenance as he has done.

The remarks of the Jersey City *Journal* have a widely extended application: "A society has a hundred members. To notify them of a meeting by postal card costs $1, and they pay it without comment. But if it costs a quarter to notify the members through the paper, they would prefer the postal card system. However, if a notice in the paper costs nothing, they jump at it as a lucky chance.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.05	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.05
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	[illegible]
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	[illegible]	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c: sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 10	to	$1 15
Wheat, spring, do.	1 12	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	to	0 65
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	6 00	to	10 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

$2 Watches. Stem winders $2.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO., 133 Nassau St., New York.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers whishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau street, New York. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIT CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

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JOHN VERT.
Township Clerk.
Proton, 25th May 1881. 37-3w

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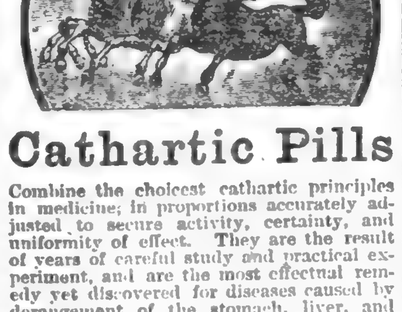
By order of the President,
WM. BROWN, Sec'y.
Markdale, May 25th, 1881. 37-3w



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ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Met as a Court of Revision in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, the 6th inst. Present, Messrs. Christoe, Wright, Webster, Elliott, and Pedlar.

After each member had taken the necessary oath as such member the Court opened, when the following appeals were heard and disposed of as follows:—

W. D. Varty, assessed for lot 19, Flesher's survey.

James Wallace, assessment reduced $100.

Joseph Maxwell, assessment reduced $100.

Thos. Nichol, assessment reduced $200.

Thos. Coukey assessed for 36 feet of lot 4, Kincardine st. north.

Jas. A. Fryon, assessed for part of lot 4, Durham st south.

M. Akitt, assessment reduced $300 on Mill reserve part of 8, Eugenia.

W. G. Pickell, assessed for lot 140, 2, west as owner, on resident roll.

Andrew Kennedy, assessed as owner for lot 169, 2, west on Resident Roll.

John Duncan, appeal against assessment of lots 168 and 169, 2 and 3 west, dismissed.

James Sullivan, assessed on Resident Roll as owner for part of lots 6 and 8, Block A, Beachell's survey, and 2, 6 & 7, Block H, Beachell's survey.

David Henderson, appeal against assessment of lot 15, 1, S. D. R., dismissed.

Peter Holman, appeal against assessment of lot 4, con. 5, dismissed.

Jeremiah Forsyth, requesting to have Albert Smith's name inserted as joint owner with him for lots 29 & 30, con. 4, request granted.

William Hogg, appeal granted as follows:—$100 off part mill reserve No. 8, Eugenia; $150 off lots 143, 144, and 145; $400 off lot 8, Lattimere's survey; $400 added to lot 10 Lattimere's survey.

W. D. Watkins, to be assessed in lieu of T. B. Gilliland for certain lots in Eugenia, request granted.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that this Court adjourn to meet again on the 17th day of June, at 1 o'clock p.m., to correct palpable errors on Roll of 1881.—car.

After the above cases were disposed of the Council took up the general business when the following communications, petitions, &c. were disposed of.

F. Nixon, Dundalk, re. damages to horse on 200 side road laid on the table for further consideration.

Kilgour & Sons, Mt. Forest, re. road scrapers.

H. H. Stovell, Mt. Forest, re. road scrapers.

Petitions from J. H. Stewart re. ditch on 10th con. opposite lots 30 & 35, laid on the table until next sesion.

W. J. Henderson and others re. bridge on centre line, referred to Mr. Pedlar for inspection.

William Kay, Hotel keeper, Markdale, re. refund of part of license fee.

Alexander Rutledge, Hotel keeper, Markdale, re. refund of part of license fee, not entertained by Council.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the following accounts be paid:—J. Whitby, salary as Assessor for 1881, and postage, $77; John Rutherford, printing and stationary, $19.20; C. W. Rutledge, advertising Court of Revision, $1.20; A. R. Fawcett, printing Auditors' Reports, and other jobs, $23.50; W. J. Bellamy, [illegible], $1.18; E. J. [illegible] young Wallace, [illegible] $00; Mr. Strain, [illegible], $1; James Williamson, refund of statute labor, $2.50; Thos. Gilbert, repairing scraper, $1.50; G. Wilkinson & Co., 1 road scraper, $5.32.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the following parties be paid the sums opposite their names for collecting road scrapers:—A. Webster, $2.00; Jas. Lackey, $1 50; S. Pedlar, $1.50; T. Wright, $2.00.—carried.

Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the Reeve issue his order in favor of C. C. James and W. Brown for $12.00 each for salary as Auditors for 1881.—car.

Mr. Wright moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the Reeve order 14 scrapers from S. [illegible] Kittrick, of Orangeville, 4 to be shipped to A. Elliott, Markdale, 4 to A. Webster, Flesherton, 4 to S. Pedlar, Flesherton, and 2 to Thorp Wright, Flesherton.—car.

Mr. Wright moved seconded by Mr. Elliott, that Kincardine Street Priceville, from lot 6 to 8 inclusive, be opened up and that this be authority to pathmasters of Priceville to notify parties interested to do it immediately so that there may be a free ingress and egress to parties desiring to travel it, and that the Clerk notify pathmasters of this immediately.—car.

Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Elliott, that the Deputy Reeve be instructed to notify the County Council that unless they repair the Priceville bridge and all deviations on gravel roads throughout this Municipality requiring repairs, that this Municipality will cause a *mandamus* to be issued to compel the said County Council to show cause why they will not do said repairs.—carried.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that part of lot 12, con. 14, and lot 16, con. 11, be placed on pathmaster's list for road division No. 64.—carried.

Council adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

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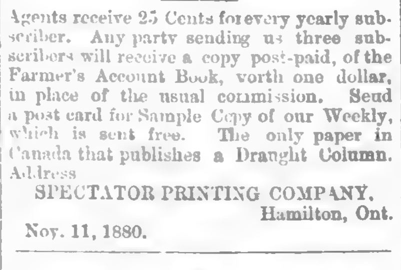

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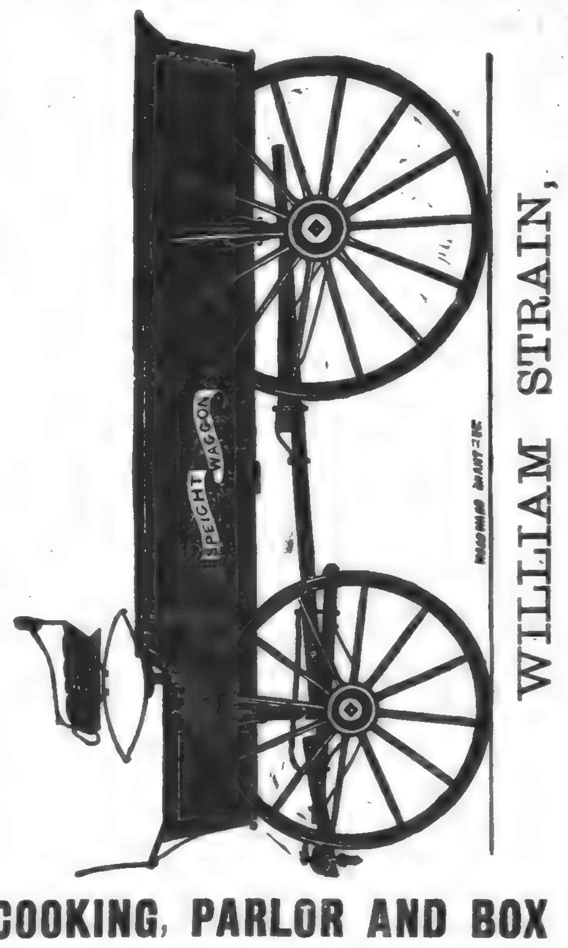

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Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

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GARDEN SEEDS!

A CHOICE SELECTION,

All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.

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And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

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GREAT ANNUAL

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In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

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The stock is all **new, well bought**, and well worth the attention of the closet buyers. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollers for every one idvected in it*, and as I am anxious that every Farmer this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection befor purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10 '88. 41-ly

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The Cheapest Place to Buy Goods

REYNOLDS & SON'S,

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Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard. Muslins, 10c. per yard. Mens' Felt Hats 75c

Prints, 6c. and upwards. Tweeds for 60c and upwards.

Good fresh Teas for 25c. and upwards. 10 pounds of Light Sugar for One Dollar, 12 pounds of Currants for One Dollar. Coal Oil 30 cents per gallon. 10½ pounds Raisins for One Dollar.

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[Ja]mes. R. Wilkes, [Barrister] at Law, - Owen Sound. [Office] Miller's building, over Robinson['s] Poulet Street. 1-y

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James Masson, [BARRIS]TER and ATTORNEY AT-LAW, [Solicitor] in Chancery, Owen Sound. 1880. 1-y

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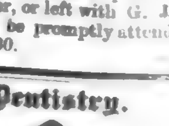

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Hotels.

[REV]ERE HOTEL, MARKDALE.

[J. SPR]OULE, - Proprietor.

[This pop]ular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, [and is] second to none in the county. [illegible] and attentive ostler. First-[class accom]modation for commercial travel[lers.] [Term]s $1.00 per day. 17-ly

[RO]YAL HOTEL, [ME]AFORD, Ont.

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Every accommodation for the travelling [public. The] bar is well stocked with the [best Win]es and Liquors and the best [Cig]ars. [Bus to] and from all trains. [illegible] 1880. 1-y

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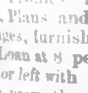

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December 21, 1880. 13-y

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GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursey Stock, Williamsford Station.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1

GEORGE WILSON,

BUTCHER

Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougal's Harness shop.

☞ Meat delivered at any house in town.
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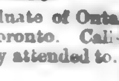

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F. Z. NIXON.
Veterinary Surgeon
Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promply attended to.
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Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,
MARKDALE.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co.
September, 1880. 2-y

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal;
AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

WM. FOX,

Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!

BRIDES' CAKES!

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 13, st, 1880. 1o-ly

John M. Hand,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROWS AND
All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor,

FLESHERTON.

Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

☞ Remember the place opposite Richardson's store.
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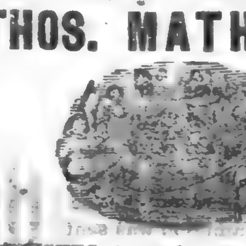
THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLAS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold as moderate rates.
☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nav. 13, 1880. 1o

D. J. SHANAHAN'S

WAGON and
Carriage Works,

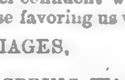
Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.
Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the

"BELFAST HOUSE."

Also a fresh stock of

Groceies, Provisions,
CANNED FRUIT,
BISCUITS
AND
CONFECTIONERY,

Any amount of Cumberland cut

Side Pork.
FOR SALE. ALSO,
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MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,
THE BEST IN TOWN.
BRANDY,
CIDER,
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PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, ... and ..., terms moderate.—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Sewen's residence.
Markdale, Dec. 16 4mt

THE NEW VERSION: A MUTILATION AND PROFANATION.

DR. TALMAGE'S SERMON LAST SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 5, 1881.

"And when they came to Nachon's threshing floor, Uzzah put forth his hand to the ark of God and took hold of it, for the oxen shook it. And the anger of the Lord was kindled against Uzzah, and God smote him there for his error."—2 SAMUEL 6: 6 and 7.

The Bible like the Ark—It and Its Contents Sacred—The meaning of the Agitation—Every man's Stake in the Property—Denominational Anxiety—Our Verdict Demanded—Reasons for Rejecting it—I. It is Too Late to Reconstruct the Bible—II. Its Mechanical Inferiority—A Literary Botch—III. Its Amazing Triviality—Infinitesimal Changes—IV. Issued at an Inopportune Time—V. It Shakes the Faith of Men in the Truth of the Bible—VI. It Opens the Door for Future Revisions—Other Masterpieces for Revision—Practical Advice—Hold on to Your Bible—The Commentary of Tears—A Solemn Prayer.

THE sacred chest of acacia wood called the ark of the covenant, about four feet by two, golden lidded, golden hinged, and mounted by two cherubims, and made to contain the divine covenant, and at one time holding a bowl of wilderness manna and Aaron's rod that budded, was the most sacred box ever formed. It was in the presence of that chest that God communed with the Israelites. *Improperly to touch that box was death.* All the people understood it. On one occasion fifty thousand and seventy people lost their lives by irreverence to the box. The circumstances of my text were these: That precious chest was being transferred on a cart drawn by oxen. Now, oxen are an uncertain team, especially when on a hot day they come near a shadow; for without reference to the safety of that which they draw, they dart aside for the cool place. For this or some other reason the oxen with this precious chest made some sudden start and the box rocked, and Uzzah, the driver, put his hand upon it. He had no business to touch it under any circumstances. Under the judgment of God this driver drops dead by the cart wheel.

We have *a sacred chest,* an ark of the covenant, the Bible. Like the ark of old it contains the divine covenant and the manna for poor wildernessed pilgrims, and the rod of trouble that has budded into fragrant consolation, and over it the mercy seat. It is so sacred that the hands of worldly criticism and the hands of pedantry and the hands of useless disturbance had better keep off it. Wrongly to touch that omnipotent box—which is our ark of the covenant—is to die.

We are in the midst of

A GREAT AGITATION

consequent from the new revision of the Scriptures. We had a translation two hundred and seventy years old, embosomed in the warmest affections of all the good of earth, interlocked with the best secular literature, and pronounced by Webster and the Washington Irvings as the masterpiece of English prose; the translation at work blessing and revolutionizing the nations for good, and all Christendom satisfied with the translation, except a few doctors of divinity. But two companies, an Old Testament Company and a New Testament Company, have been busy for ten years changing the book, and a few days ago the New Testament Company launched the results of their labors upon the world. After great universal advertisement of the intended book and the dramatic withholding of the book till a certain day, and then withholding it till a still further day the work comes forth. The English printing press keeps a tight grip on the copyright, and when our American publishing houses offered a large sum for reproducing the book simultaneously, the English presses rejected the offer in cavalier and abrupt style.

Two million copies are sold in two days. What a compliment to the Scriptures! Yes, but be not deceived. Did the two million people suddenly become passionately fond of Scripture reading? No. These two million Bibles went into houses where the Bible was already enthroned. All those of us who honored the book wanted to know what these men had been doing for ten years with our favorite book. Had we a statue in New York City Hall Park that had been the pride of the nation since its foundation, and sculptured and lifted at vast expense, and thirty-eight men for ten years had been busy under cover, changing that statue, on the morning the cover dropped and the changes should be revealed, there would be no room in the streets or squares approximate to hold the spectators.

In addition to this general curiosity which we all felt about the iconoclasm of parts of our best book, the denominations of religionists were anxious to see if there peculiar views would be favored or opposed by the new version. The Baptists wanted to see what the revisionists had done for immersion, and the Presbyterians what had been done about the decrees, and the Episcopalians to see what had been done about Apostolic succession, and the Methodists to see what had been done about free grace, and the Congregationalists to see what had been done about the democracy of religion, and the Universalists what had been done with future punishment, and so we all rushed for the revised New Testament.

The Church and the world have the famous revision before them. We are

ASKED FOR OUR VERDICT.

We all have a vote. The humblest person in this house has a vote. "What do you think of it?" is the perpetual question. Some say, "I like it very much." Others say, "I like it to a certain extent." Others say, "I want a year to consider it," which means, "I want to hear what others say, and then I will say the same thing." There are many who do not want to offend the ecclesiastical Ring, for each denomination has such a ring, and there is as much bossism in the Church of God as in the world, and monopoly would rule the kingdom of Christ, if it could, as it rules the money markets and legislatures of the world. There are two voices that have not yet been fully heard.

First, the unpretending Christian scholarship of America and England is displeased more than it can express at many of the changes made, and the other voice is the voice of the great masses of Christian people, nine hundred and ninety-nine out of every thousand, who regret in the depths of their soul that this revision has been attempted, and who look upon it as a desecration and a profanation and a mutilation and a *religious outrage.* That last sentiment will come up like the surges of the Atlantic after a storm of ten days.

I shall give you *my reasons* for rejecting this new revision of the Scriptures. I am willing to take it as a commentary, and to stand it respectfully on my bookshelf beside other human opinions of the word of God. But to put it upon my private study or in my family room or on my pulpit, as a substitute for King James' translation, I never will. I put my hand on the old book and take the oath of allegiance. So help me God! I am glad to know that Lord Shaftesbury and the Archbishop of York, and many other strong men on the other side of the sea, are anti-revisionists. But supported by high authority or no authority, I here and now take my stand.

These fifty men for ten years busy in *tinkering the New Testament* agree in the statement that they find no new doctrine. Differing on many other things they all agree here. If it had been found that the old translation was teaching any false ideas of God or the soul or eternity, I would say, by all means give us a new revision and put forth immediate and mightiest effort for the organized obliteration of the old translation. The world cannot afford to have wrong notions of God and the soul and eternity. But *the new version keeps all the old doctrines.* Then what good reason could there be for this disturbance of sacred association, this loosening of the faith of Christendom.

I. It is *too late to reconstruct the Bible.* When King James' translation was made the Bible was a sparsely circulated book, and the changes made caused no perturbation. But this revision of 1881 is a depreciation of 300 million copies of the Bible out in the world and doing their work. It assails the magnificent liturgy of the Episcopal Church and makes all her prayer books vast inaccuracies. It makes the inscriptions on the graves of your dead untrue. It reflects on the old family Bible, and to the uninitiated leaves nothing about it certain save the record of marriages and births and deaths. If this new revision succeed, for the next few years you will have to watch your children's evening offering of the Lord's prayer and jerk them up short before they run over the "evil one" into an uninspired doxology. It is an out and out war against all the religious literature of the age. Away with your Cruden's and Brown's concordances. Your Bible dictionaries wrong. Matthew Henry's commentary wrong, Kitto's readings wrong, Zahn's archæology wrong. All your religious books wrong. In matters of religious accuracy it means chaos and old night.

Who undertook this impertinence on the other side of the sea? I know not the qualifications of the archbishops and archdeacons and professors who have done the work on the other side of the Atlantic. I understand that many of them are far from being the best scholars of Great Britain. I know that men with great titles are often the merest accidents and their high office no sign of scholarship. D. D., L. L. D., and F. R. S., are often the *heavy baggage of a very slow train.* I only judge them by this revision. It is pedantic and capricious, and false to the principle which they declared at the outset would guide them; namely, that they would make no unnecessary changes.

As to the work done by *the American revisionists,* I have this to say, one gentleman here takes the responsibility of choosing a group of American scholars to revise the New Testament. The gentleman taking this responsibility having been born and educated in a foreign land was not especially adapted to make wise selection among American scholars. This gentleman in making the selection derided the living and dead generations of Bible readers by saying and reiterating: "The Christian people for years have been drinking the the water of life from the jawbone of a royal ass." This gentleman selects a group of scholars to revise the New Testament, and excepting four of them they are unknown outside of their little circle. I could call the roll of a hundred scholars superior to all these employed in this work except the illustrious Dr. Woolsey. If such a work must needs be done, why not call in a convention of all the great and good scholars of America, and have them make selection of revisionists? Where in this New Testament Company is the scholarship of Princeton, and Columbia, and Middletown, and New Brunswick?

II. The work is a

LITERARY BOTCH

which will never be adopted if all the people fearless of criticism and rebuff speak out their real sentiments. To come down to *the mechanical arrangement* of this new version, I vehemently reject the mode of putting the Scripture in columns like a solid newspaper column instead of the division of verses as in our present translation. It is the charm of our old book that a business man or a wife overborne with household cares, or an invalid with no power of consecutive thought, can take up a verse and carry it all day.

I open a page of this new version and I find a paragraph a column and a half long. By this new translation one will be tempted to think "I can't take the whole page, so I will take nothing." That shortest verse in the Bible, an ocean of sympathy compressed in two words—Jesus wept—is set in a solid paragraph of one column and a half. You can find it if you look long enough for it; but it needs to stand out isolated and alone in its grandeur, and tenderness, and pathos, and omnipotence of meaning. Another mechanical misfortune is the dropping of the headings of the chapters. It is an important part of the old translation. We all want to know what the chapter is about before we begin to read it.

III. I reject the new version for

ITS AMAZING TRIVIALITY.

You have more control over your sense of the ridiculous than I have if you can read without a smile some of the changes made or proposed. You remember Christ's sermon where He speaks of the inaptitude of putting new wine into old bottles. In our revision of 1881 it is rendered: "No man putteth new wine into *old wine skins,* else the skins burst and the wine is spilled and the skins perish. But they put new wine into fresh wine skins." The change is evidently made to show that the bottles of olden time were made out of the skins of animals, but is it not just as easy to explain the bottles to the people as to explain the wine-skins? "Show me a penny," said Christ wishing from the kingly stamp on it to illustrate its earthly currency. That will not do, say the American revisionists. Instead of "Show me a penny," "*show me a denarius.*" The revision changes the "beasts" of Revelation into "living creatures." But will you not have to explain the living creatures as well as the beasts. The old translation was too much for the delicacy of the American part of the New Testament Company. Where it says of Simon Peter "he girt his coat about him for he was naked," the American Committee suggests that it should read in the margin "had on his undergarment only." The old translation said: "Neither do men light a candle and put it under a bushel but on a candlestick." The revisers reject "candlestick" for "stand."

The new revision makes other changes of how little importance judge ye when it says that the old translation which reads "into a mountain" ought to be "into *the* mountain;" where the old translation says "into a ship" it ought to be "*the* ship," and instead of "*a* teacher in Israel" it ought to be "*the* teacher," instead of "*a* good fight" it ought to be "*the* good fight," and instead of "*a* crown of righteousness," it ought to be "*the* crown of righteousness," and instead of "a bushel" "*the* bushel," and instead of "*covered* with waves" it ought to read "becoming covered," and instead of "nets break" it ought to read "were breaking," and instead of "straining at a gnat," it ought to be "straining *out* a gnat" and other infinitesimals of difference with which I shall not worry your patience.

Thirty-eight men for ten years hunt for inaccuracies, and all this only a foretaste of what we shall have when after three years more of labor the forty-one members of the old Testament Company will launch their work. I have sometimes wondered what the thirty-eight gentlemen of the New Testament Company and the forty-one gentlemen of the Old Testament Company might have accomplished for good if they had spent the last ten in preaching the old translation instead of finding fault with it, and if the hundreds of thousands of dollars which directly and indirectly have been expended in the preparation of this new revision had been put into the American Bible Society and the British Bible Society for the spreading abroad of that old translation out of whose loins civilization and Christianity were born, and under whose influence England and America are what they are, and the dark skies of heathendom begin to flame with the morning.

What the world wants is not critics but evangels; not men to knock the doxology out of the Lord's prayer but men to make all nations kneel proclaimingly at the feet of Christ. "Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory for ever, Amen." At the opening of service to-day I led you in the Lord's prayer according to the new version, stopping before the doxology, but I will never do it again, either in public or private unless in *my dying prayer* my breath should go out at that point, and then I would finish it in heaven, for that is the only part of the Lord's prayer appropriate for both Church militant and Church triumphant.

IV. I reject this revision because it comes

AT A MOST INOPPORTUNE DATE.

The great battle between sin and righteousness is fully open and all the battteries are unlimbered. While the forces of heaven and hell are in hand to hand fight it is asked that we stop

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SHAME AND SUICIDE.

AN ORANGEVILLE GIRL ATTEMPTS TO TAKE HER LIFE IN A BUFFALO DEN.

BUFFALO, June 14.—Mrs. Lavidia McCockrell, in a moment of remorse, occasioned by meditation on the fast life which she had recently begun to lead, attempted to commit suicide last night. According to a statement which she made it appears that some years ago she led a very fast life at Orangeville, Ont. McCockrell became fascinated with her and they were married. The couple removed to Bradford, where they lived happily until Mrs. McCockrell discovered, as she says, that her husband was unfaithful to her. In a fit of despair she resolved to resume her life of shame, and three weeks ago came to Buffalo to carry out her resolution, entering one of the lowest dens on Canal street. She woman took a teaspoonful of morphine, but prompt medical assistance saved her life. She is about 30 years of age and is the mother of two children, who are with their father at Bradford.

A FRENCH HEROINE

One of the celebrities of the Paris market is a woman who keeps a vegetable stall and who wears the red ribbon of the Legion of Honor. This woman, Annette Drevon by name, was formerly cantiniere to the Thirty-second Regiment of Infantry and to the Second Regiment of Zouaves, which she accompanied through the campaigns of Africa and Italy and during the war with Germany. Of the seven or eight female members of the Legion of Honor she is the only one who received the distinction for an act of valor upon the field of battle; and she was decorated after the battel of Magenta for rescuing the regimental colors from two Australian soldiers who had captured them. During the war with Germany she was with the Forty second Regiment in Metz, and upon the surrender of that fortress she was sent off to Germany with the survivors. Just outside of Metz a Bavarian soldier insulted her, and she pulled out her revolver and shot him through the heart. For this she was condemned to death, and would have been shot but for the intervention of Prince Frederick Charles, who hearing that a woman was to be executed, made inquiries into the case, the result being that Annette Drevon was set at liberty. She lived in great poverty for some time, but Marshal MacMahon happening to hear about her gave her a sum of money sufficient to enable her to set up the stall at which she now sells carrots, turnips, and other aids to digestion.

IRON IN OXFORD COUNTY.—A correspondent of the Brantford *Telegram* writes: "No little excitement prevails in this section over the fact that a large bed of iron ore has been discovered on the farm of Nelson Muma, one mile south of Drumbo. Fabulous prices have been already offered Mr. Muma for the bed, but he is inclined to know more of its value prior to selling. In fact many in the neighborhood are so excited that they actually go out at night with spades and dig in any ravine on their farms to try and find the hidden treasure, without being observed."

JAMES BOWIE

ANECDOTES OF THE INVENTOR OF THE BOWIE KNIFE.

On one occasion Bowie, whose reputation had reached Memphis, arrived by boat at that city, or rather at what was then known as the Third Chickasaw Bluffs. The bank from the boat landing to the top was about one hundred and fifty feet high, and a large number of people were watching the arrival of the strangers. Looking down one of them recognized Bowie as he stepped over the gang plank and made the remark, "There comes Jim Bowie."

"What!" shouted a big flat-boat man, then known as the "Memphis Terror," as he looked down the bluff; "What! Jim Bowie? That's the fellow I've been looking for months. Jim Bowie! Why——him, I'll whip him so quick he won't know what hurt him. I'll whip him if I never whip another man as long as I live! Stand by, boys and see the fun!"

Bowie came slowly up the bank. In his hand he carried an old umbrella. He had no weapon and was evidently not expecting or in fact prepared for a fight. The ... did not escape the now thoroughly interested spectators. Up ... the ... man, promptly, as Bowie reached the top of the bluff. "Is your name Jim Bowie?" He asked.

Bowie replied that it was.

"Then," shouted the flatboatman, as he squared off, "I think you a d——d rascal and I'm going to whip you right here and now."

Bowie was a man of few words. He stood and gazed at his adversary, who was more emboldened than ever. "I think you're a d——d coward," he yelled, "and I'm going to knock your head off," and so saying the "Memphis Terror" advanced to the conflict.

Bowie never flinched. His keen eye was fixed on the "Terror," who at this moment was face to face with him. But as the man of Memphis drew a dirk from his breast, Bowie stepped back a foot and thrust out his umbrella as if to keep his antagonist at bay.

The "Memphis Terror," seized the umbrella with one hand, made a pass at the inventor of the famous knife with the other. In doing so he pulled the umbrella to himself, leaving free in the right hand of Bowie his murderous weapon, which till this moment had been concealed in the folds of the impromptu sheath. The sight of Bowie standing there, with the knife in his hand and the gleam of vengeance in his eyes, was too much for the "Terror."

From the Bouncing bully he became transformed into a craven coward in a second.

His face turned pale and his knees trembled, while the dirk dropped from his hands as he gazed on Bowie's weapon with staring eyes. "Put it up; put away that scythe, for God's sake, Bowie, I was mistaken in my man."

Bowie advanced a step.

"Don't—don't kill me!" besecched the bully; "for God's sake, don't go for me with that scythe and I swear to you I'll never attack another man as long as I live."

Bowie looked at his now thoroughly demoralized opponent for a moment, and then turning on his heel with the expression "Coward," walked rapidly away. Thenceforth the "Memphis Terror" was a changed man, and until the day of his death he never lost the sobriquet of "Put up that scythe."

Bowie was very fond of music and dancing, and on occasions where he would enjoy both he invariably appeared in the best of humor, and the reserve which had begun to characterize him at this time appeared to thaw out. It was on one occasion at a dance, when he was in such favorable conditions, that I had an opportunity of a free and easy chat with him about some of the encounters in which he had been engaged. Referring to the disparity in size between himself and some of the men whom he had met in conflict I asked him how he regarded his chances under such circumstances.

"Suppose," said I, referring to a man of herculean build, who stood near, "suppose you were attacked by such a man as Hob Johnson there. What then?"

"Oh," dryly responded Bowie, "I would cut him down to my size!"

WHAT THE BASHFUL CLERK WANTED

Old Pinchem sat in his private office the other day figuring up his profits for May, when his head clerk, looked as pale as a sheep and as red as a cow by turns, entered and began:

Mr. Pinchem, I—I——"

"Have you got those goods off for Kalamazoo?" interupted the old man.

"Yes, sir, they gone off. Mr. Pinchem, I have long——"

"And about that order for starch?"

"That has been attended to, sir. Mr. Pinchem, I have long wanted to speak to you."

"Ah! speak to me. Why, I thought you spoke to me fifty times a day."

"Yes, sir, I know, but this is private matter."

"Private? Oh! Ah! Wait till I see how much we made on the last 10,000 pounds of soap. Six times four is twenty-four; five times two is ten, and two carry are twelve; three times seven are twenty-one and one—ah, well, go ahead; I'll finish this afterwards."

"Mr. Pinchem, I have been with you ten long years."

"Ten, eh? Long years, eh? Any longer than any other years? Go ahead."

"And I have always tried to do my duty."

"Have, eh? Go on."

"And I now make bold—"

"Hold on! What is there bold about it. But never mind—I'll hear you out."

"Mr. Pinchem, I want to ask—ask—I want to ask—"

"Well, why don't you ask then? I don't see why you don't ask, if you want to."

Mr. Pinchem, I want to ask you for—for—for—"

"You want to ask me for the hand of my daughter. Ah? Why, didn't you speak right out? She's yours, my boy! Take her and be happy. You might have had her two years ago if you had spoke of it. Go 'long now i'm busy."

"Mr. Pinchem."

"What, you here yet? Well, what is it."

"I want to ask you for—for—"

"Din't I give her to you, you rascal."

"Yes, but what I wanted to ask you for was, not the hand of your daughter, but for a raise of salary."

"Oh, that was it, eh? Well, sir, that is an entirely different matter, and it requires time for serious thought and earnest consultation. Return to your work, and some time next fall I'll see about giving you a raise of a dollar a week. Six times four are twenty-four and two to carry, and three times——" —M. Quad.

THE NEW VERSION: A MUTILATION AND PROFANATION.

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to discuss whether our weapons might not be hammered into a little better shape, whether we can't have a better tassel put on the hilt of our sword since they make better tassels now than they used to. While the apocalyptic angel is flying through the midst of heaven proclaiming to all nations, and kindreds, and people the Gospel, we are criticising the angel's plumes and trying to catch him till we can stroke his feathers another way.

V. Again I reject this new revision for

IT SHAKES THE FAITH

of many in the truth of the Bible. Out and out infidelity, after hundreds of years of bombardment, instead of demolishing, has only driven the Bible further into the affections of the world. The chief danger is from the mistaken friends of the Bible. Unbelief and scepticism are not logical. But you have taken men as they are. The revisionists begin their work by saying there are in the New Testament ten thousand mistakes, and that there are one hundred and fifty thousand varieties of reading to the New Testament. The devil takes these statistics, which you can manage without damage to yourself, and he makes them the everlasting ruin of a great multitude. This movement will turn more souls into stark infidelity than the thirty-eight gentlemen of the New Testament Company will ever argue out of it, though they should live the eight hundred and ninety-five years of Mahalaleel, the nine hundred and sixty-two years of Jared, and the nine hundred and sixty-nine years of Methusaleh aggregated.

The greatest work of the last two hundred years has been to have the people understand that this was the word of God; the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth. And now you say there are only 10,000 mistakes in it, and only about 135,000 readings; 40 changes to be made in the Sermon on the Mount. You say they are not radical mistakes. Why, then, all this excitement of the public mind? Look out lest while with torches you are hunting for *rats in the cellar*, you do not set in conflagration the august temple.

For ten years, and ever since I heard of the movement, I have deplored it. But there has been no good time to speak on the subject till now. I may be scoffed at for my words in very high places, but I am only putting into words the sentiment of more people than ever thought strongly the same way on any one subject since the world was created, and they will be heard; and this is only the muttering of the on-coming tempest of popular indignation cis-Atlantic and trans-Atlantic. *Hands off the ark of the covenant.*

THE END OF THE WEDGE.

VI. I reject this new version because it opens the door for revisions innumerable. Have you any idea that these changes will stop here? In the back part of this New Testament there are twelve pages of practical protest on the part of the Americans of the New Testament Company, against the revision of the Englishmen and Irishmen of the same company. Hence, we shall have another revision to revise this, and another revision to revise that, and as in 1823, Noah Webster published his revision of the Bible, and Professor Noyes and Moses Stuart and Bishop Ellicott, and Dean Alford offered their revision of different portions of the scripture, so we shall have revision on top of revision, revisions in flocks, revisions in herds, revisions in swarms; and after a while Presbyterian revision and Baptist revision and Episcopalian revision—perhaps I shall issue a revision! and the time will go on if we allow this thing to pass without denunciation until the church will go into paroxysms of revision and there will be nothing intelligent, satisfactory, and appropriate left either in Bible or prayer-book, but the ejaculation, "Good Lord deliver us!"

These discoverers of 10,000 mistakes, and the 135,000 different readings have actually got hold of the music of the angels over Bethlehem. If those angels had known that they were within hearing distance of the New Testament Company, they would not have sung so loud. Instead of the translation which says, "On earth peace, good will toward men," it is to read "on earth peace among men in whom He is well pleased." The rythm gone, the sweep of meaning gone, the Christmas carol choked till it is black in the face. I wonder if the brethren will not go on, now they have their hand in, and give us a new revision of Handel's "Messiah," and Haydn's "Creation," and chisel out a few improvements on Powers' Greek Slave, and touch up Angelo's "Last Judgment," and improve the sunrise and the sunset, and show us the aorist of the spring blossoming of last year, and let us have universal revision.

Meanwhile to private Christians let me give

A WORD OF PRACTICAL ADVICE.

Hold on to your pocket Bibles, your family Bibles, your church Bibles.

THE OLD BIBLE IS GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME.

It has brought so many sons to glory I am hoping through its teaching to get safely there myself. The old Bible is good enough for you. If you have money that you want to spend in augmenting your scriptural knowledge, do not spend it on this mutilation of the Scriptures, but purchase Scott's or Clarke's or Barnes' or Jacobus' or Alexander's or Bridge's or Stuart's or French's or Plummer's commentaries. The three hundred million copies of King James' translation will soon vote down the four or ten million of the new revision. Besides it will take more than seventy-nine revisionist to revise the memory of whole generations of Bible readers. The Bible as you now quote it, will be the Bible as quoted till the end of time.

The only revision your Bible will bear, will be the marks of your own lead pencils in the margin, stating how certain passages have been illumined in your own solaced experience. I should not wonder, if upon some of the consolatory passages of the Old Testament, you wrote your own commentary not with pen and ink, but by the indellible signature of a tear. Better than Gustave Dore's illustration of the Scripture would be that Bible illumination. I also advise all private Christians all up and down the earth, and teachers of Sunday-schools, parents and all ministers of the gospel who have unterrified utterance, to be quick and vehement in their protest against this scholarly profanation. Speak out now or forever hold your peace.

I pray God that this excitement about the new revision may wake us all up to a higher appreciation of that great monarch of books before which the Iliads and the Odysseys and the Korans and the Vedas and the Shasters and the Zend-Avestas and the national libraries of earth must kneel. By its torch may we find our pathway to the end of the pilgrimage, and on its pillow of gracious promises may we drop off into the calm, cool dreamless slumber that waits for the first resurrection.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rocktord	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, June 24th, 1881.

NOTICE,

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

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" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
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Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

THE trial of Mr. Geo. Parish, manager of the Thames Navigation Company, and Capt. Rankin, commander of the steamer *Victoria*, for manslaughter, commenced on Monday last, but was adjourned until the 27th inst., as the magistrate before whom the case was being tried is a major in the militia, and had to leave London for the camp.

THE state of affairs in Ireland seems to be slightly improved, owing in a great measure to the influence of the Priests, who are advising the people to avoid coming in contact with the military, and to wait patiently for the passage of the Land Bill. The opposition to the latter is almost altogether withdrawn and there is every prospect of its passing in a short time. There is some fear, however, of its being quashed in the House of Lords, or so mutilated as to do away with its usefulness.

THE belief that the affairs of the world would be wound up on Sunday last, was more wide spread than was generally supposed. In Ottawa, Montreal, and several other places, many sat up all Saturday night waiting with quaking heart and trembling limbs, for the event to take place. To add to their terror a slight shock of earthquake was felt in Ottawa and Montreal. In the latter place one individual was found at the top of the mountain in a demented state and a young lady is said to have gone hopelessly insane. To comfort the nervous and weak-minded people we may state that the Rev. H. Grattan Guinness states in his work entitled the "Approaching end of the Age" that the end of the present dispensation will not take place until 1919; after that the millenium. In the meantime the old world jogs on the even tenor of its way just the same as if we had no Vennor, Prof. Grimer, or Moses Oates, and people are again breathing freely.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

AN adjourned meeting of the Court of Revision for the Township of Euphrasia was held at 10 o'clock a.m., on the 11th inst.

Members of Council all present.

Wm. Gilray's name placed on the roll as Farmer's Son.

Noble Clark assessed W. ½ of E. ½ of lot 28 con. 6, in addition to his other assessment. Total assessment, $2500.

Abraham Taylor's name placed on the roll as owner of S. ½ lot 29 con. 4.

Wm. Moore, Clarksburg, assessed for S. E. ¼ of lot 10 con. 4.

A few more changes were made in the Assessment Roll, and the following resolution passed:

Mr. Gilray moved, seconded by Mr. Boyd, that the Court of Revision for the Township of Euphrasia, for the year 1881, having heard all appeals made against the assessment for the current year, and having carefully considered the same, and made all changes in the said Assessment Roll for the said year, which seemed just and right, said Court now hereby finally revises said Assessment Roll, and orders the Clerk to certify to it as being so revised.—Carried.

The Court arose.

Council resumed at 2 o'clock p.m.

Minutes of last session of Council read and approved.

The Reeve and Mr. Loughead were appointed a committee to get Griffith's bridge properly fixed.

J. D. Crabtree was re-appointed Treasurer at a salary of $100, and a By-law was passed accordingly.

The Clerk was ordered to communicate with the Crown Land Department concerning the resuming of lot 14, con. 8.

Messrs. Fawcett, Boyd and Loughead were appointed a committee to take such action as they may deem prudent in the repairing of the 7th line at lot 25.

The application of Messrs. Ellis & Plewis for improving the 4th line at lot 6, accepted on condition that the parties interested furnish the teams gratis, the labor to be performed under the supervision of J. Plewis, pathmaster.

The Reeve was authorized to ascertain what can prudently be done in the way of cutting down a hill on 12 and 13 side line, con. 2.

A proposal made by the Corporation of Holland to expend $50 on the Town line of Euphrasia and Holland, on condition that Euphrasia do likewise, was laid before the Council and accepted.

George Vickers was appointed pathmaster instead of Wm. McElroy.

Gilbert Cooledge was appointed pathmaster instead of Wm. Sewell.

The Reeve was instructed to correspond with the Reeve of Collingwood T'p with regard to the southerly end of the town line Euphrasia and Collingwood.

The Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Clerk were appointed to examine the Collectors' Rolls for 1880 with a view to the immediate payment of any balances that may be due by the Collectors.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to Thos. Gamey $2, being part of expense of arbitration.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows: To Robt. Hetherington, $10.87, for work on roads: John Clugston, $80, salary as Assessor for 1881; Robt. Dunlop, $30, part salary for current year; Robt. Dunlop, $2.50, for notifying for Court of Revision; John Pickerin, $6 for relief to Mrs. Grey, an indigent; Christopher Kelley, $8, for road work.

On motion being made and seconded the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in July.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Clerk.

PROTON DISTRICT LODGE.

THE Proton District L. O. L. met at the lodge room of No. 1136, on June 14th. They were received by Bro. Kennel, who also attended to their teams. Bro. Kennel is noted for the warm and generous manner with which he welcomes any and all who may call at his house.

The meeting opened at 4 o'clock p. m. when they immediately proceeded to discuss business in connection with the order.

Bro. Geo. Rutherford from Shelburne addressed the Meeting and endeavored to covince them that the District should celebrate the 12th at Dundalk.

Bro. N. A. McDonald spoke next, and stated that the members of his Lodge hid not wish to go to Dundalk this year. They had been out twice to meet the Lodges from that District, and they had never returned the visit.

Bro. T. Hanbury, said it was impossible for Dundalk Lodge to come to Hopeville, or to No. 1136 this year. There were Lodges coming to visit them from a distance and they would have to remain at home to receive them.

Bro. Wm. Armstrong spoke next, and said he thought the Dundalk Lodge had every night this year to come and make 1136 this year.

Bro. J. W. Morrow said he would like to see the District Lodge all at Hopeville, but he could not see how they could.

Bro. T. Hanbury again spoke and stated that under Existing circumstances it was impossible for Dundalk Lodge to come to Hopeville this 12th. It was moved by Cro. Hanbury seconded by Bro. N. A. McDonald, that the matter be left to each Lodge to go where they thought proper.—Carried.

The meeting then closed and tea was served.

All seemed to enjoy themselves. It is likely that 1202 will go to Dundalk and 1186 will go to Hopeville to celebrate the 12th this year.—COM.

FLESHERTON.

From our own Correspondent.

On Thursday, 16th inst; Mr. James Sullivan had four cattle run over by the night train going North, one of them was killed outright, and the others more or less injured.

Mr. William Cullen sold his lambs for $2,75 each, and is building a picket fence along the front of his farm.

Mr. J. W. Armstrong is moving a mountain at present, it is going slow but sure.

The hole in the bridge just north of the village was filled up in a sort of away a few weeks since, but is now nearly as bad as ever, last saturday a gentleman, a stranger, was driving along the road in his buggy and not expecting to meet with such a bad hole so near an enterprising village like Flesherton drove right into it before he was aware of it, and got the full beneft of the lurch. Result a broken spring. Others may have done the same, or worse but we have not heard of it as yet.

Two cars of lambs were shipped from Flesherton station on Monday last. One by Mr. McMullen, and the other by Mr. McDonald.

We are now getting a lot of new sidewalk laid down, and other improvements are in progress.

OSPREY.

From our own Correspondent.

Last week's rain gave the crops through this township an excellent appearance. They were greatly injured however by the recent frost, especially that which was on low and new land. Yet there is nothing to prevent all from looking forward to an abundant harvest.

AT BADJEROS CORNERS—Business is booming. Mr. McQuarrie's, steam saw mill is kept in constant operation by the clever and energetic foreman, Alexander McDougall. They were so very bussy last week that they thought no time could be lost by going to Collingwood to see the circus. But when it was known that the school children were to have an hoiliday, and that some person was to be absent from the old store, work was suspended for the space of at least 24 hours.

The Episcopal Methodist are building a new church 38x26, veneered with brick. The members of the Presbyterian church are rendering considerable assistance, particularly the merchants.

AT MCINTYRE—Neil McLean is erecting a large building about 60x30, in connection with his hotel. The lower part of the structure is to de used as a driving shed, and the upper part as a hall for public gatherings. Mr. McLean deserves great credit for the manner in which his house is conducted. He spares no pains in rendering every thing as comfortable as possible for the travellers, and exercises great care in the sale of spirits; therefore very few are to be seen about his place in a state of intoxication.

AT SINGHAMPTON—Messrs Grant & Son, have almost completed their stove factory. The engine is on the ground, and they expect to be in full operation in a few weeks.

WIDE-A-WAKE.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

I am desirous of saying a word in regard to old maids, if you will allow me space in your valuable paper. I am an old maid of nineteen. I left school two years ago, and in that short time men's vulgarity has so disgusted me, that I have determined to live the life of an old maid. Being able to support myself and having a very comfortable home, I have been the recipient of fifty-seven letters from men who wish to be supported. That goes to show why old maids are so numerous. Some characteristics of an old maid are neatness, which is unusual in a man, and a desire to die a natural death, not an unexpected one, like most married ladies suffer nowadays. I should think men could be in a more profitable business than that of raking over the characters of old maids, which are too good to suit the disposition of man, who is conceited enough to think that if a lady looks in his direction she has been captivated by his supposed beauty and extremely attractive ways, and his never absent thought is, "I am the great I am."

OLD MAID.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I drew the bow not at a venture, but to strike, and I know what I am speaking about, and say nothing on supposition, nor take every thing for granted as Ratepayer does.

Of what is the County Council composed, but representatives from Township Councils.

Ratepayer says that they have a dispute as to which corporation should do the repairs. A nice family quarrel, and pretty representatives we send to the County Council, who cannot get Artemesia her share of road improvement. According to Ratepayer we have no roads we can call our own—they have a dispute. A pretty pass, truly, for such a thriving township. Something of the same sort existed when Mr. Kells took the Township in hand some years since. Would it not be advisable for the Council to seek his advice in settling their quarrel. I have noticed that his presence on Council days always had a very beneficial effect.

Ratepayer says—"Oh, no, his motive is transparent—bad". Sir, I have no motive further than the duty I owe to the place I live in, and should I ever be a Councillor, I will gain my election in a very different manner from those who at present circle round the Council Board; walking round with a stick late and early, shaking hands to the elbow, and "How is your wife?" and "how are you?" and kissing slobbering babies, and "who are you going to vote for on Monday?" No, sir, it is far beneath my dignity. In regard to my gloves, I intend to wear what I please, and if I see fit to buy a horse I can pay for it, and if I give a note for it my paper will not be at a discount. Can Ratepayer say as much? Nay, more, I have never been a beaten Councillor. In regard to the silly chattering, I am tired listening to the Sparrow with his *mine we*. If the gentleman had lost his horse in the swail, the law would soon have shown Ratepayer who had to keep the roads in repair, with not a little expense. The best man in the Council was shamefully treated, and kept out of the County Council because he stood up for his rights.

Ratepayer says the Council have never been apprised of the state of the roads. If a commercial man takes a salary from a firm, does a member of the firm go round with him and show him where to sell? The people have their busines to attend to instead of running after the Council and begging them to do their duty.

Ratepayer can see that the sidewalks are in a fearful state and extremely unsafe for the aged to walk on.

A stranger strolling round our village in the evening would frequently meet with unpleasant shocks by stumbling over the broken planks, and finally come to the conclusion that the said sidewalks belonged to some widow woman. Notwithstanding all this there must be no money expended—"there is a dispute." Rather take the risk of a broken leg, or a team lost in a broken bridge, or anything else. Shame on such narrow-mindedness. At a meeting held a short time since, to take into consideration the repairing of the roads to the station the Reeve would only promise $150, without calling a meeting of the ratepayers. One of our enterprising merchants got up and said if that was the best he could do for a road of such importance, we might as well all go home. The old adage will apply in this case, "lose the sheep, because they have to pay a farthing for tar."

If I hear from Ratepayer again I would advise him that he avoid personalities and slander, and discuss the question as a public one, or I will find out who he is.

YOUR CORRESPONDENT.

When doctors disagree who shall decide. The people often decide by "throwing physic to the dogs,' and trying BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS, and the result is always satisfactory. Burdock Blood Bitters is the *Multum in Parvo* of medical science, curing all diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys. A trial bottle only costs 10 cents. A dollar botle may save you a good many dollars in doctor's bills.

The following are the stations of the ministers of the C. M. Church in Collingwood, Owen Sound, and Walkerton Districts for the ensuing year:

COOLINGWOOD DISTRICT—Collingwood, John G. Laird, E. Sallows (superannuated); Kirkville, — Liddy, under superintendent of Collingwood; Thornbury, Daniel F. Gee; Meaford, Wm. Johnston, Wm. Elliott, Superannuated; St. Vincent, Richard Clarke, (Meaford); Maxwell, Thos. J. Snowdon; Horning's Mills, Jno. C. Willmott, M. A., Geo. Brown (Lavender) Avening, George Edwards; Stayner, Henry Wilkinson; Parry Sound, W. Casson; Parry Island, Shawanaya, and French River, Native Assistant, under Superintendent of Parry Sound; Christian and Beausoliel Islands, Allen Salt.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT—Owen Sound, Charles Fish, Jas. Scott Superannuated, — Danard; Brookholm, Robert Johnson; Woodford, H. Leith; Walter's Falls, David Perry; Chatsworth Charles V. Lake; Williamsford Station Henry Thomas; Markdale, Neil A. McDiarmid; Flesherton; Samuel C. Philp, Jr.; Eugenia Falls, J. Grandy; Dundalk, Austin Potter; Priceville, S. C. Edmands; Wiarton, William Torrance; Lyon's Head, One to be sent (Colpoy's Bay); Hepworth, J. Leggett; Allenford, Robert Godfrey; Cape Crocker, H. Bawtenheimer.

WALKERTON DISTRICT—Walkerton, Edmund S. Rupert, M. A.; Mildmay, Alexander Thibedeau; Hanover, Nathaniel S. Burwash, H. Spear, H. Holmes, Supernumerary; Durham, J. Stanley, M. A.; Chesley, William Tindall, Joseph Edge; Invermay, Joseph Galloway; Arkwright, John Webster, R. H. Leitch, H. Hall Supernumerary; Paisley, Jonde Greene; Eden Grove, John Pepper, B. A.; Tiverton, David D. Rolston; Port Elgin, William Smythe; Saugeen, T. Culbert.

The cheese factory, near this place, is now in operation, and bids fair to be successful. So far the prospects are very encouraging.—*Free Press.*

REMOVALS IN TOWN.

Mr. Wm. Lucas, has removed to his residence on George St.

Mr. John Lewis, to his new dwelling on Sydenham St.

C. W. Rutledge, to his residence on Mill St.

Mr. Reynolds, to McKeown's Brick house Sydenham St.

Mr. John Hill painter, to corner of Mark and Queen St.

Mr. Eisline, (Bricklayer,) to Mill St.

Mr. Richard. Askin, to Mill St.

Miss BUNCH, is now removed to Haskett Bro's block, where she will be happy to wait on her many customers, and the ladies of Markdale and vicinity generally. Remember the stand next door to Haskett's Hardware.

HURRAH FOR THE VOLUNTEERS.

On last Saturday, 11th inst., Mr. John Harrison had a barn raising, when Major Field, with his gallant troops, after a hard days drill, marched the distance of two miles and assistaned at it. Although the barn was 42x65, and of heavy material, they were only 17 minutes from the time they commenced until the rafters were safely placed on the top of the barn. There were 180 men present. After the barn was raised, the volunteers went through a portion of their drill and after receiving a hearty cheer they marched back to Flesherton. Long may they live, and be able and willing to give a helping hand at anything that calls for their help. The barn framed by Mr. John Whitten. —COM.

COUNTY ITEMS.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—The town was startled by a report that Mrs. Haley, mother of Mrs. John Shewell, of this Town, and who lives near Holstein, had been killed on the Railway near the village. She was struck by a flat car of one of the ballast trains and died shortly after being struck.—*Review*

DURING the storm on Monday evening, a considerable portion of the wall on the second story of Mr. William Robertson's new brick residence was blown down. The damage amounts to the loss of material and the time required to replace the wall.—*Free Press.*

RUNAWAYS.—A serious runaway occurred in Glenelg on Thursday morning last. Two ladies were driving when the horse ran away smashing the buggy and throwing the occupants out. Dr. Jameson was sent for to attend to the injuries of one of them, Miss Flora McDonald, whose injuries were of a serious nature. On Sabbath last a young man named Robert Henry was seriously injured near Dromore, Egremont, by a runaway.—*Review.*

On Sunday afternoon about four o'clock, the woodshed adjoining the house of Mr. Alfred Parker, who lives behind the railway station, was discovered to be on fire No one being at home at the time, the fire gained such headway that nothing could be done towards saving the house, which was burned to the ground. But with the assistance of some of the neighbors, and some persons from town who hastened to the scene, most of the furniture in the lower part of the house was saved, but a lot of things which were in the upper storey was destroyed, the fire spreading so quickly that nothing could be done toward getting them out,—*Monitor.*

A BEAR.—A large bear has been in the neighborhood of Scone. A man named Scheldroth was chased by it lately and was fortunately saved from harm by the assistance of his son. Mr. Lester of Elmwood met it on the road one day last week, and having procured assistance started in pursuit of his bear ship, but it escaped in the bush.—*Post.*

BIRTHS.

MCLEOD—In Markdale, on the 22nd inst., the wife of Donald McLeod, Jr., of a daughter.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received up to the 1st of July, for the erection of a Two Story Brick Building, 24 by 34, to be completed in September,

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the STANDARD Office.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Markdale, June 23, 1881.

Dissolution of Partnership.

TAKE NOTICE, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of Grant & Chellew, as Cabinet Makers, in the Village of Markdale, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Any liabilities due by the late Firm are to be borne by Mr. Geo. Grant, who will hereafter carry on the business, and any debts due them are to be paid to him.

Dated 23rd June, A. D. 1881.

GEORGE GRANT,
ALFRED CHELLEW.

Witness, D. J. MACMILLAN. 41-3i

TO LET.

50 Acres of Good Pasture, well Watered, to Let.

The subscriber will take a limited number of Cattle, Horses, &c., to pasture.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, June 8, 1881. 39-ly

SHTOP! NOW YOU VAS!

T. MULARKEY,

QUEEN STREET,

MARKDALE,

Keeps constantly on hand

CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS

WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.

Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.

AGENT FOR

D. MAXWELL'S

CELEBRATED

REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE,

—ALSO—

Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills Etc. Etc.

Markdale, June 8, 1881. 39-ly

Harvest Tools

Scythes,

Snaths,

Cradles,

Hay Forks,

Barley Forks

Rakes,

Sickles,

&c., &c.,

CHEAP!

AT

Haskett Bros.

Markdale, June 23, 1881. 41 al.m.

WANTED.

A GOOD Driving Horse ... years old ...

J. S. ...

Markdale, June 23, 1881.

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring ... over McFarland's store ... to inform the public of Markdale and surrounding country that he is prepared to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily

CUTTING

Done while customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to choose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞ Remember the Place

Over McFarland's Store

Markdale June 16, 1881.

STRAYED.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned, on Monday night, ... a reddish colored cow, 5 years old, ... belly, horns turned in, and ends ... both horns. Any person giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded.

J. STINSON

Dundalk, June 9th, 1881.

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the ... road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., ... the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, ...

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

Thumb and Finger

For everybody will be found at the

THORBURY NOVELTY WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to inform the farmers of Grey and Bruce, that he has bought the right of the above ... counties to make and sell Dillingham's patented Thumb and Finger Barley Fork, which is pronounced by all who have used it to be the best Barley Fork out. It ... load three loads to two against any other Barley Fork. I am also turning out an extra good lot of the

Mastin Grain Cradles

Spinning Wheels,

This season. Good Fork and Hoe Handles can be bought here from 5c to 10c each.

☞ Give me a call, and I will guarantee satisfaction.

J. H. HAMILTON,

THORNBURY.

Thornbury, June 16, 1881.

Millinery! Millinery

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is nicely assorted comprising

Trimmed Hats & Bonnets

CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES,

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND THE

ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMINGS,

LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches

We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS

Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

MARKDALE Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North ... and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

...ETHI...

... of Prints, new spring styles ... 12½ cents, fast colors. ... Tweed 50 cents—worth 70. ... Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and ... Table Napkins, 6½ cents, direct f... ...ck Broad-cloth, $1.25—wo... Duck Overalls, 50 cents. ...ancy Shirts, 75 cents.

...STANDARD.

...une 24th, 1881.

...OTHER NOTICES.

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... dealers for "Castorine" ... and see that the barrel ... "Castorine," as none other ...

A PANIC ... Davidson, w... extensive bu... number of ye... er has wou... suddenly, a... a lawyer's h... al hundred ... rendered a f... mand for pa... poor are ser... season of ... being scarce ... mercy shown ... the people a... himself, ... about as saf... judge. It ... that drives ... es for he is ...

The liver ... organ of the ... or obstruct... are certain ... Bitters cure ... disordered ... or Kidneys, ... strengthens ... Bowels, cl... Blood, and ... organ of the ... Cents.

PRICES THAT TELL.

[SO]METHING OF INTEREST AT W. J. McFARLAND'S

[Y]ards of Prints, new spring styles, 5, 7, 8½, 9, 10, 12 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
[Piec]es of Tweed 50 cents—worth 70.
[Ya]rds of Table Linen, 35, 45, 55 and 75 cents.
[Doz]en Table Napkins, 6¼ cents, direct from manufacturers.
[Yar]ds Black Broad-cloth, $1.45—worth $2.50.
[Pai]rs of Duck Overalls, 50 cents.
[Men']s Wincey Shirts, 75 cents.

20 Mens Black Broad-Cloth Coats, $5.00—worth $8.00.
200 Pairs Large Scissors, 10 cents, desperate cheap.
5 Bales of Duck, 12½, 15, 16, 17, 20, 24, and 25 cents. Purchased from manfacturers.
160 Ladies Parasols, 25 cents, old price 40 cents.
96 " " 50 " " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " " $1.50 "

FACTS.—W. J. McFARLAND Keeps the best assorted stock North of Toronto.
W. J. McFarland has a resident buyer, Mr. W. E. Southgate, always in the market, who gets every bargain going.
2761½ Yards Shirting, 10, 12, 17, 20 and 25 cents, very cheap.
600 Yards Brillianteen Dress Lustre, 22c, cheap at 30c.
New Dress Goods, cheap! New Linens, cheap! New

Cashmeres, cheap! New Embroideries, cheap.
Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feather Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c. &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer, Wholesale and Retail

[THE] STANDARD.

[Frida]y, June 24th, 1881.

[LOCAL] & OTHER NOTICES.

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[Ask you]r dealers for "Castorine" [o]il, and see that the barrel [is branded] "Castorine," as none other

[The be]st cure for tooth-ache is an [applic]ation of cold steel, and the man [who knows] how to make the applica[tion is] White, who will be at the [Hot]el on Wednesday next,

[...] oil company, are sole [manufactur]ers of "Castorine machine [oil; infring]ements will be prosecuted

[...] this week a sermon by [...] Brooklyn on the new [...] bible, which will be, no [doubt, inter]esting to all our readers. [Co]pies of the "Standard" [may be had] at this office for five ct.

[A lot] of Ladies dress goods, [to be had] at W. J. McFarland's, be [sure to see] them.

[Half o]f the Word's writing is [done with st]eel pens. Esterbrook's [can be procu]red from any stationer, [or wholesa]le from Brown Bros.,

[A s]chooner load of pine lum[ber] arrived this week at T. [...]ber yard.

[...] of road jobs were let by [...] Hall and Neil, in the [...] Head mills; on Mon[day ...]re to be completed in

[Casto]rine" Machine Oil, for [m]achinery, it is also ex[cellent for ha]rness and leather, mak[ing it water] and weather proof. For

[KILLED ON] THE TRACK.—On Thurs[day a cow bel]onging to Mr. McFadden [was struck] and killed by a train in [...] We suggest that it would [pay the Railwa]y Company better to [kill ...] than cows and horses, [...] ones.—O. S. Advertiser

[Casto]rine" Machine Oil, for machinery, it is also ex[cellent for ha]rness and leather, mak[ing it water] and weather proof. For

[The narrow] gauge on the Northern [...] to Meaford and Pen[etanguishene] was completed by ten [o'clock on Mo]nday morning. One of [the result]s of this chance is that [the train whi]ch left Hamilton at 6.45 [...] with passengers for [...]es a clear run through to [...] instead of having to tran[sfer at Colli]ngwood as formerly.

[...] Jeweller has got a fine [lot of En]gagement and Wedding [rings. Do]n't you forget it.

[In the cas]e of Queen vs Greenaway. [The defendan]ts were fined as follows: [...] $15 fine and $45 costs, [...]way $10 find and $40 [costs or on]e month in gaol each. [...]ay was find $2 without [costs to b]e paid. The other two

[...] the like a good wife can[not be too highl]y prized. Haskett Bros. [...] with the Scythe. Try

[D]uring the night of Wed[nesday last th]e oat meal mill of Mr. [...] was broken into and [a quantity of oa]t meal stolen, together [with some sm]all tools taken from a [...] thieves brought a light [...] the [...] to carry their [...]—O. S. Advertiser.

[The weather m]ay effect the crops, but [...]ent Haskett Bros. from [selling scythe]s and other harvest [tools cheaper] than any other house

[As will be se]en by advertisement, in [another colum]n, Mr. J. G. Irving wants

[Those s]uffering with a cold do [not fail to try] HAGYARD'S PECTORAL [BALSAM, which is d]aily relieving its hun[dreds throughou]t our Dominion. It [is pleasant and p]alatable.

[Contractors s]hould read advertise[ment. Tender]s wanted for the erec[tion of a two] story brick building. [Plans and spec]ifications can be seen

[The most m]iserable man in the [world is the dys]peptic, and dyspepsia [is one of the m]ost troublesome dif[ficulties to rem]ove, but BURDOCK [BLOOD BITT]ERS always conquer [it. It regulat]es the secretions, re[gulates the B]owels, acts upon the [Liver, aids dig]estion, and tones up [the whole syste]m. Trial Bottles 10 [Cents. Large B]ottles $1.00.

A PANIC IN DUNDALK.—Mr. D. Davidson, who has been carrying on an extensive business in Dundalk for a number of years, as general store keeper has wound up his business very suddenly, and placed his accounts in a lawyer's hands for collection. Several hundred of these accounts were rendered a few days since, with a demand for payment at once—rich and poor are served alike. It being the season of the year when money being scarce among farmers, and no mercy shown on the part of Mr. D., the people are panic stricken. Mr. D., himself, resides in Toronto—just about as safe at this time we would judge. It is not his circumstances that drives him to such harsh measures for he is wealthy.

The liver is the grand purifying ogan of the system; when inactive or obstructed bad blood and ill health arre crtain results. Burdock blood Bitters cure all diseases arising from disordered Liver, Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys, purifying, restoring and strengthening. It regulates the Bowels, cleanses and enriches the Blood, and imparts tone to evere yrgan of the body. Trial Bottles 10 Cents.

WE learn from the *Advance* that a melancholy accident took place in Flesherton on Saturday, 11th inst. We immediately sent our reporter to ascertain the facts, and learned that a smart young dorg ran over a man—no, that's not it; we mean a smart young man ran over a sulky riding on a dorg. No; we have not got it right yet. A dorg was run over by a smart young man, now we have it. Below we give a sketch of the accident,

DON'T fail to see the Thumb and Finger Barley Fork before making your purchase and we know you will buy no other. To be had from any of our local dealers.

Do not drug the system with nauseous purgatives that only debilitate. Burdock Blood Bitters is natures own Cachartic, it acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver and the Kidneys, arousing all the secretions to a healthy action. It purifies the Blood and cures all Humors, even the worst form of Scrofula, and tones up the Nervous and Debilitated.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—On Friday last, a young woman who gave her name as Mrs. Brown, and her residence New York, arrived at Niagara Falls by the New York Central railway, and registered at one of the hotels. After breakfast she sauntered out and viewed various points of interest. About 2 p. m. she found herself on Luna Island, near the brink of the Falls, and threw her parasol into the water, which was quickly swept over the great cataract. At this juncure her strange motions were noticed by Mr. Furloug, a carriage driver, and Mr. Perry, a commercial traveler. They hastened to the spot and grasped her just as she was gathering her skirts around her to make a plung into the water. She was at once conveyed to the Spencer House, and a decetive was engaged to keep track of her movements. He showed her a telegram he was about to send to the chief of police, New York, fully describing her, she relaxed, and then told the wife of the clerk of the hotel that she had been brought up in the Ursuline Convent and married her guardian, with whom she had trouble about some property. She is at present under strick survillance.—*Hamilton Spectator.*

Reader have you tried every known remedy for Chronic disease, Impure Blood, disordered Liver or Kidneys, Nervous and General Debility, Constipation of the Bowels, with the manifold sufferings pertaining thereto? Have you given up in despair? Try Burdock Blood Bitters; it will not fail you. A Trial Bottle only costs 10 Cents. Regular size $1.00. Any dealer in medicine can supply you.

A WARNING.—There is a class of people who, when they pay their fare, suppose while on board a steamer they can act as they please without regard to the safety or comfort of others. The recent calamity at London has had no effect upon them, but it has on the steamboat captains of this port, and they seem determined to enforce their authority. Capt. Turner, of the Luella, has made the first move in the matter, and yesterday charged a young man named Robert Moffatt with a breach of the Marine Act. On the fourth of June last Moffatt and a companion were on the upper deck of the steamer, and both were requested to go below by the captain. The first refused, and was thrown down the stairway, but Moffatt interfered, saying that their were not men enough in the crew to put him down. It only took about one minute for him to find out his mistake, but in the meantime his struggles created quite a panic among the lady passengers and children on board. On hearing the evidence the Magistrate informed Moffatt that he was liable to be fined $100, but as this was the first case he would only inflict a fine of $5 and costs or 30 days. In any other case that might come before him, however, he would make it heavier. Captain Turner deserves credit for following the matter up after his unruly passenger had been ejected.—*Mail.*

120 pairs womans fine button shoes at W. J. McFarland's, worth $2,50 selling for $1,50 per pair, a real bargain.

THE picnic held yesterday at the Irish Lake was in every respect a success. The weather was cloudy and cool. Over 800 persons were on the ground. The dinner which cost only 10, cents, was more like a fifty cent one, comprising an abundance of the best the country could afford, and the cooking reflected great credit on the ladies.—The music, by Allan Park and brother—violin and fife—was excellent, and the young people enjoyed themselves to the full in tripping the light fantastic toe. The prizes for athletic sports were as follows:—Standing jump—1st, James McDougall, Markdale; 2nd, John Gillespie. Foot Race—Fred. Tanner, Markdale; 2nd, J. McDougall. Putting the Stone—1st, A. McMillan, Glenelg; 2nd, D. Kay, Markdale. Everything passed off in a most orderly and satisfactory manner. The total absence of intoxicating liquor on the grounds was a noteworthy circumstance, for which Father Cashen deserves great praise.

Farmers should remember that Rixford's Grass Scythes, are the only reliable article of the kind now made. Each one fully warranted, Haskett Bros. have them. Call and get one and don't you forget it.

ACCIDENT.—Mrs. D. McLeod Sr., accidently fell into the cellar yesterday breaking some ribs and receiving other injuries, but we hope not serious.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5,0o	to	5.5o
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.0 5	tc	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.05
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75		1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.3o
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.oo; hides $7.oo; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.oo to 7.5o; wool 25c to 28c; lard 1oc; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 10	to	$1 15
Wheat, spring, do.	1 12	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs...	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 oo
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 oo
Chickens, per pair	o 6o	to	0 65
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 0o
Ducks, per brace	0o	to	0 0o
Geese, each	00	to	0 0o
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 oo	to	2 5o
Potatoes per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 0o
Hay	6 00	to	10 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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By order of the President,
WM. BROWN, Sec'y.
Markdale, May 25th, 1881. 37-3w

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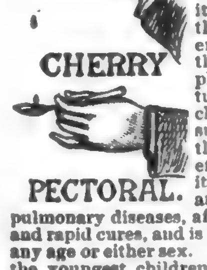

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TWO THIEVES PLAY THE BUGGY TRICK ON A CITY BANKER.

CAUGHT AND FORCED TO DISGORGE.

A daring attempt was made at noon yesterday to rob the banking office of Messrs. Kerr & MacKellar, north-west cornes of Scott and Front street. Mr. MacKellar had gone to lunch, leaving his partner alone in the office. A man entered, and approached Mr. Kerr, said that a gentleman seated behind a restive horse wished to see him on business outside. He followed the man outside and saw a middle-aged person in a buggy. The latter said that he had an extensive business connection in Germany, and wanted to know if Mr. Kerr could

NEGOTIATE SOME BILLS FOR HIM

in that country. The banker answered the question, when the man in the buggy commenced a long, rambling conversation on the system of Canadian banking. The ignorance he displayed on the subject, and the forced attempt to prolong the conversation, excited the suspicion of Mr. Kerr. That gentleman stepped towards his office door, remarking to the man who had extensive business connections in Germany, that if he desired further information he would have to call without a buggy. When Mr. Kerr appeared at the door, he saw a neatly-dressed young man ascending the stairs leading from the office to the street In an instant the whole scheme which had been laid to trap him flashed through his mind. The neat appearance of the young man, however, nearely proved his salvation, as Mr. Kerr was loth to stop and openly accused him of robbery. "Better be sure than sorry," said the banker, as he afterwards related his adventure. The young man was stopped, and asked to re-enter the office. He enquired the reason when he was directly charged with

HAVING ROBBED THE OFFICE.

He became very indigiant at the accusation, and declined to do as requested. Mr. Kerr, however, was not so easily put off, and taking hold of the young man forced him into the office. Pressing him agains the counter, the young man was asked to give up every cent he had taken. He denied he had taken any money, but on being thoroughly shaken and threatened with further violence, he put his hand into his pocket and pulled out about $500 and placed it on the counter. Mr. Kerr retained his hold on the man, who made several attempts to escape. As soon as the man in the buggy noticed the scuffle going on, he drove rapidly west on Front street. The banker held on to the theif for about ten minutes, in hopes that a policeman would pass. He asked a boy to call the manager of the Dominion Telegraph Company, but that gentleman was absent from his office. Mr. Kerr also attempted to telephone for a detective, but was unsuccessful. After keeping the thief pinned up against the counter for the space of time mentioned without anyone coming to his assistance, Mr. Kerr released him, and administering a couple of well-directed kicks allowed him to depart. He lost no time in getting out of sight.

HOW IT WAS WORKED.

Mr. Kerr is of the opinion that the thief was concealed around the corner at the entrance on Front street, and as soon as he saw him leave the office to go to the man in the buggy he dodged down stairs. The till was reached by passing around the counter at an opening on the east side. All the boxes had been relieved of their contents, and if the conversation on the street had been continued for three seconds longer, the thief would have got away with the booty. The interception by Mr. Kerr was a lucky one for himself and partner. Both gentleman complain of the continued absence of the police in the localily mentioned. Had he received assistance the daring thief would now have been in the police station. In inspecting the premises, previous to the attempt made, the man in the buggy and the thief had called several times to get American notes changed into Canadian money. A description of the men was given to the detectives, but up to a late hour last night their arrest had not been effected.—Mail.

A STRANGE CUSTOM.

DANCING AND REJOICING OVER THE DEATH OF A CHILD.

Wakes in some portions of Ireland, and dances over the dead in Mexico, are common, but in the part of the civilized world people frown down upon the custom as only fit to be practiced by barbarians. Still, there was in this city last evening at the residence of Francisco Ramos, a Mexican on Losoyo street, adjoining San Antoine ice street. A child eight months of age died yesterday morning, and the parents did not weep, but rejoiced over the loss. They loved their little one, yet rejoiced because it was taken away in its purity of infancy to join the angle host up yonder. They were glad they had been thus made instrumental in adding another chorister to the hosts singing hosannahs on high. So they determined to demonstrate their rejoicing to the world by inviting friends and relatives about them, and having a dance—a wake, as the world regard such demonstrations. An *Express* representative chanced around the place about 9 o'clock p. m., found the house brilliantly lighted and quite a number of persons present. A harper seated in front of the enterance door, was playing a family waltz, and three or four couples were dancing to the music. Under the gallery shed, and just behind the harper, lay the dead infant, a pretty little girl. She was dressed in black, and had been placed upon a box that was covered with a white cloth, trimmed with red about the borders. The hands of the infant were nicely folded, and within was placed a bouquet of artifical flowers of crimson hue. Resting loosely about the head of the deceased was a coronet of white artifical flowers, and a similar wreath encircled the lifeless frame, while roses, pinks and several kinds of wild flowers were strewn promiscuously about the remains The little departed one was actually nestled in a bed of natural and artifical flowers and wreaths of vines. Quite a number of ladies and gentlemen who passed that way were invited within by the father and admired the pretty little infant, but looked with strange thoughts upon the scene in the adjacent room, were rejoicing took the place of those common expressions and demonstrations of grief that are manifested where the loved ones of the family circle are taken away to be here no more forever. This was the first scene of the kind the reporter ever witnessed in this city.—*San Antonio, Express.*

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,

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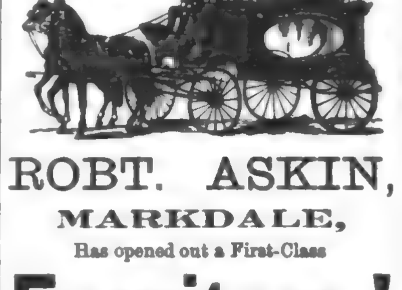

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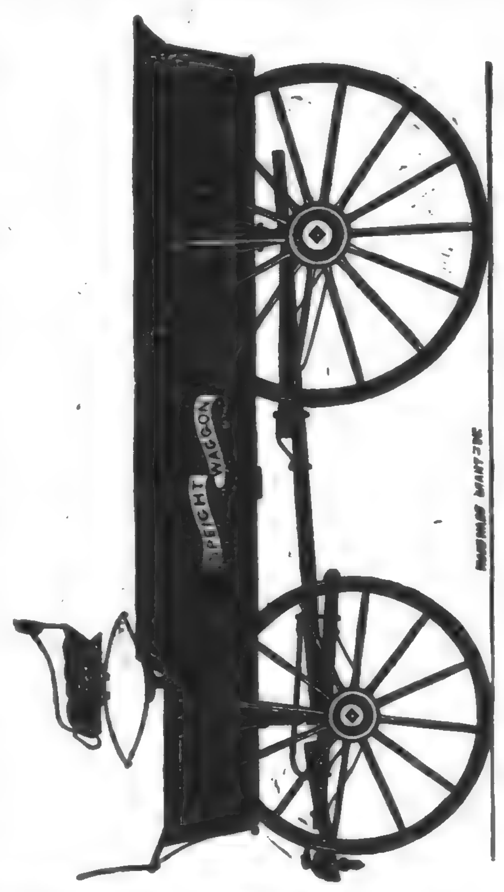

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WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

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The People's
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Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

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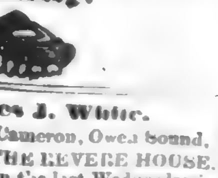

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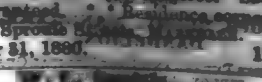

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Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDonnell's Harness shop. ... delivered ... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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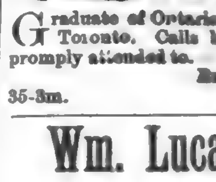

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GEORGE NOBLE, INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT, LICENSED AUCTIONEER For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country ... Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

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CHEAP as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY always kept in their Season.

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT. Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY, **BAKER,**

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES, either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT! of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the **CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!**

BRIDES' CAKES! supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

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Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

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Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

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A Good Fit Guaranteed

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

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THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLAS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT, always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nav, 18, 1880. 1o

D. J. SHANAHAN'S WAGON and **Carriage Works,**

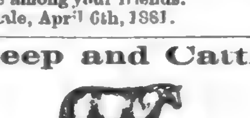
Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for CARRIAGES, SPRING WAGGONS, LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 20-m3

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

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SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!

Just arrived at the **"BELFAST HOUSE."**

Also a fresh stock of **Groceies, Provisions,** CANNED FRUIT, **BISCUITS** —AND— **CONFECTIONERY,**

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WILSON BENSON. Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

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STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds. J. G. IRVING. Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m

$2 Watches. Stem winders $8.50. White metal Hunting Case $1. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. ...

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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STARTLING DISCOVERY! LOST MANHOOD RESTORED. A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, ...

A MOTHER'S PRAYER.

BY THEODORE TILTON.

With eager arms a mother pressed
A laughing babe against her breast;
Then thus to Heaven she cried in prayer;
"Now, even as his face is fair,
Oh, Lord, keep thou his soul within
As free from every spot of sin."
From Heaven the Lord an answer made;
"Behold, I grant as thou has prayed,"
Within the door the darkness crept,
And babe and mother gently slept,
From belfries rang the midnight bell,
The watchmen answered: "All is well,"
The mother at the cradle's side
Awoke to find the babe had died.
With grief to set a woman wild
She caught and grasped the marble child,
Until her heart against his own
Was broken—beaten stone.
'Oh God!" she cried in her despair,
"Why hast thou mocked a mother's prayer?"
Then answered He: "As I have willed,
Thy prayer, oh woman, is fulfilled;
If on earth thy child remain,
His soul shall gather many a stain;
At thy behest I stretched my hand
And take him to the heavenly land."
The mother heard and bowed her head
And laid her cheek against the dead,
And cried; "Oh God! I dare not pray,
Thou answerest in so strange a way."
In shadow of a taper's light
She moaned throughout all the lonely night,
But when the morning brought the sun
She prayed: "Thy will, oh Lord! be done."

COUNTY COUNCIL.

From the Owen Sound Times.

THE County Council met on Monday evening last. Dr Christoe, Warden, in the chair. The Warden addressed the Council as followe:—

GENTLEMEN OF THE COUNCIL,—Were it not for the pronounced opinion of last session in favor of a written address, I should have felt it my duty now to have omitted it, believing as I do, that it is necessarily a document of very little importance, inasmuch as the subject matter of those addresses appear in a more practical form before the standing committees, and their opinions often collide with those expressed by committee on Warden's address.

I congratulate you, gentleman, on the favorable circumstances under which we meet. As agriculturist you will deplore with me the cold wave that did so much harm, yet the recent rains have so invigorated the crops that there are fair prospects of a tolerably prosperous harvest.

Since our last meeting, your committee appointed in the interests of the township of Melancthon and Shelburne, to adjust all matters of finance consequent upon the formation of the county of Dufferin, met first in the village of Flesherton and afterwards in the village of Shelburne; and it is pleasing to know that the meetings were harmonious and the settlements just—awaiting only the ratification of the several corporations interested. The reports in due time will be read and laid before the committee of Finance and Assessment.

The accumulated interest on By-law 174, or the T. G. & B. R. By law, will no doubt interest gentlemen representing the group, and with the assistance of the Council will determine whether there shall be an annual distribution of this interest or not. The question of leasing the T. G. & B. R. is a subject engrossing the public mind and is fraught with considerable importance to the municipalities interested—even the late Grand Jury failed not to express an opinion on the subject. It will not be forgoten that a large deputation waited on the Government of Ontario a short time ago, to impress them that it was their duty to exercise their prerogative, a power invested in them by an Act of the last Provincial Parliament, against an arrangement with the Northern and Hamilton & Northwestern Railways. Such it was alleged, and as I believe, would be inimical to the interests of this county, the road itself, and especially to Owen Sound. An expression of opinion by so many representative men of this county would be of no little importance towards a just decision.

In examining the printed minutes and Auditors' report, their get up is exceptionally good; and I am sure the report shows studious care. The accounts are so simplified that the most simple cannot be excused if he fail to comprehend them. The sums granted for those labors have been well earned—but I regret that this picture has been marred by the lateness of their publication.

For the benefit of the members of this Council who do not know—myself included—it would be well to understand by what authority those large sums of money are paid under the head of "Board of Examiners," "July Examinations," and "December Examinations." It seems so anomalous that any person or persons should have power to draw from our Treasury, unless so empowered by by either the statate or authority from this Council. Under either case, it must, I think, appear resonable that before paid these accounts should pass the scrutiny of the committees of the Council, who are the custodians of the peopl's money. If it be customary so to do, merely, it must be bad. having drawn your attention to it, I am sure you will give the matter your consideration.

The equalization of assessments at this session will require your careful attention.

In conclusion I have only to add, that as usual, I trust our deliberations will be characterized by the greatest harmony; and I shall not delay in placing papers before you promptly.

I am, yours,
W. S. CHRISTOE, *Warden.*

The Council tuen ballotted for a committee on the Warden' address, when the following gentlemen were selected: Messrs. McNichol, Murdoch, Myles, Sing and McRae.

After some unimportant business, the Council adjourned till Tuesday at 3 p. m.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

The Warden presented a statement of the Government apportionment for Public Schools in the various townships, which was referred to the Education Committee; also, a number of accounts, and a communication from J. C. Spragge, Auditor, with reference to increase of salary, which were referred to the finance committee.

Mr Stark presented a petition from the ratepayers of Sullivan with reference to the boundaries of school sections. It was referred to Education Committee.

Messrs. Inglis, McKnight, Rutherford and Dobie adressed the Council on behalf of the High School, asking further aid. The facts briefly set forth were that the county of Grey gives less to its High School than any of the surrounding counties—that the annual expenses of the school are $4,500, of which the Government only grants $950, and the county $950, leaving $2,600, to be made up by the town, in addition to paying its share of the county grant. This is irrespective of the amount spent on capital account—The fine buildings they had erected having cost the town about $20,000, the interest on which would be $1,200 annually, making a total annual contribution to the High School by Owen Sound of $3,600, as against the $950 which the county contributed, while fully one-half the pupils were from the country outside the town. It was also set forth that the ratepayers of the town had resolved to keep the school free to all—it being now the only High School in the neighborhood which did not impose a tax on those attending—that efforts were being put forth to make the school second to none in the Province, and one of which the county might feel proud; but it involved a very heavy burden on the town, and unless they got further assistance from the county, the Trustees might not be able to carry out all the improvements they contemplated. What was asked, that instead of making a spasmodic grant, the county should increase the annual grant it now gave, say by 50 per cent., or an increase of $500. The county now only gave the minimum it was compelled by law to give, while other counties treated their High Schools much more liberally.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Malcom, That having heard the request of the High School Board for an increased annual grant, the Education Committee be requested to take the matter into consideration, and report at this session.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned till Wednesday at 10 a. m.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The Warden made a statement with reference to the finances of the East Grey Agricultural Society. A statement was read from the County Treasurer that he had invested certain sinking funds in debentures of loan societies at 4½ per cent. Letter from Gaol Physician, with reference to salary. Petition from school section in Holland.

The Warden also presented the report of special committee on the settlement with Melancthon and Shelburne. The report was adopted.

Mr. McKechine presented report of Finance Committee. It recommended a grant of 25c. per man per day to 31st Battalion while engaged in drill, and passed a number of accounts.

A petition was presented from residents of Keppel, asking for a grant of $100 for county line between Hepworth and Wiarton.

The Council went into committee on the Finance report, Mr. Stark in the chair. On the clause respecting the volunteers, Mr. Murdoch that it be struck out. Mr. Middleton moved in amendment that the amonnt be reduced to 10c. per day. Messrs. McIntyre, Kœnig, Sing and the Warden spoke against the grant, and Messrs. McGirr, McRae, McColman, Middleton and Kennedy in favor of it. Mr. Murdoch's, motion was carried. The remaining clauses of the report were passed and the committee rose.

On the motion for the adoption of the report, Mr. McColman moved to refer it back to insert the clause respecting the volunteers. The amendment was lost on the following vote.

Yeas—Wright, McColman, Campbell, Kerr, Stark, McRae, Hall, Howey, Cameron, McGirr, Sparrow, Vasey, Read, Fox, Kennedy, Malcom, McKechnie—17.

Nays—McNicol, McCallum, J. Messenger, Myles, Boyd, Murdoch, Lawrence, Totten, Clark, Kœnig, Blyth, Winkler, Middleton, Abbot, Sing, Long, Donald, McNaught, McIntyre—19.

The report was then adopted.

Mr. Myles presented report of special committee on the Warden's address.

After some preliminary discussion on the railway clause, The Council went into committee of the whole, Mr. Clark in the chair.

The clause with refereuce to the railway re-echoed the Warden's sentiments that the proposed leasing of the T. G. & B. R. to the Northern Railway would be fraught with evil to the interests of the Municipalities which have contributed to the construction of the road, but recommended leaving the matter in the hands of the Executive, as they felt confident their prerogative would be exercised justly.

On that clause coming up, Mr. Middleton, seconded by Mr. Lang, moved an amendment as follows.

That clause No. 5 be amended by striking out all the words after "who have contributed to the construction of the road," and the following substituted: Would recommend that a strongly worded memorial be drafted signed by the Warden and countersigned by the Clerk, and having the corporate seal attached, for immediate presentation to the Lieutenant Governor in Council, praying that any arrangement having in view the working of the T. G. & B. R. by the Northern and Northwestern Railway Companies be not ratified, as such would be prejudicial to the interests of a large preponderance of the population, territory and wealth of this county, and contrary to the wishes and best interests of the whole of the municipalities which have contributed by way of bonus to the construction of the said T. G. & B. R.

The amendment was adopted by an overwhelming majority.

On the clause which stated that the Board of Examiners had a right to draw their pay without submitting accounts to the Council, the Warden moved to have the opinion of the County Solicitor on the point.

The report recommended that the equalization of assessments be made on the basis of the report of the County Valuators.

The committee rose, and the Council adjourned till 7 p. m.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Mr. McRae gave notice that he would move to dispense with the December session.

A communiction was presented from Mr. Miller, asking an increase of salary as Court House keeper.

The report of committee on Warden's address was adopted.

Mr. Sing presented the report of committee on County Property, which was adopted.

Mr. McKechine presented report of Education Committee, which recommended amongst other things, that the Council memorialize the Government for the disendowment of Upper Canada College. On motion of Mr. Murdoch, the report was adopted.

Council adjourned till Thursday at 2 p. m.

The most miserable man in the world is the dyspeptic, and dyspepsia is one of the most troublesome difficulties to remove, but BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS always conquer it. It stimulates the secretions, regulates the bowels, acts upon the Liver, aids digestion, and tones up the entire system. Trial Bottles 10 Cents, Large Bottles $1.00.

NERVE.

"What constitutes nerve?" asked the *New York World* the other day of its readers. One man will answer that it is presence of mind; another will say that it is pluck; another that it is being cool and collected in an emergency. It is none of these. It is something back of all of them, and something which a man never had unless it was born in him. Instances of presence of mind are met with every day in the army.

An officer out in charge of foragers or on a reconnoissance would be suddenly attacked. Presence of mind would aid him to form his men for defence. He had that presence of mind, even though his face was as white as flour and his chin shaking. Brave men are common enough in the ranks. Call for men to face certain death and a hundred privates would step out at once, yet test their "nerve" and they have none.

Among two or three cases in mind, that of John Melrose, a trooper in the 6th Michigan Cavalry, is recalled. He was an undersized, quiet spoken man, and he had that wonderful nerve which not three men in the whole brigade possessed. While acting as a scout in the Shenandoah Valley he was one day eating his dinner in a farmhouse, when in walked seven Confederate soldiers. They knew him for a Union scout, and he knew them for Confederates. A brave man would have made a rush or had a fight. Melrose simply looked up and as they filed in smiled over his fix, and spoke out:

"Say, old woman, put on more dinner, here, and we'll have a good square meal together!"

"You are my prisoner," said the sergeant of the squad, as he advanced.

"Yes, I know it, but I'll pay for a dinner for you and your men just the same! Sit right down and make yourselves at home."

His nerve upset the soldiers, and after a moment they took seats at the table, forming a complete circle around the board. As soon as they began to eat he began to think of escape. It was summer, and the window behind him and ten feet away was open. If he stood up, all eyes would be upon him, and any excuse to leave the room could not be thought of.

The meal was about half finished, and the captors and captive were chatting away, when Melrose suddenly flung himself backward, upset his chair, and bounded through the window. The soldiers ran out and fired at and pursued him, but he made good his escape.

In the Luray Valley, just before the affair known as the Woodstock Races, Melrose and his companion fell out of ranks to forage. After securing a supply of meat they pushed on after the column, and were riding at a gallop when five bushwhackers, well-mounted, came out of the cross-road about twenty rods ahead of them.

"We are dead men!" said the scout's companion, as they came to a halt.

Looking back they saw four more bushwhackers climbing the fence to take position on the highway. Melrose calmly viewing their situation, said:

We will charge them! Fall in behind me and there will be less danger. Draw your sabre and strike hard!"

The other dared not try it, though he was a brave man. He, therefore, kept his place as the scout dashed forward. Melrose rode straight at the men with drawn sabre, and the volley they fired went over him. He struck the line, sabred a man as he passed, and rejoined the column. His companion was never heard of again, probably being murdered in cold blood.

In 1864 Melrose and three other foragers were captured in the Shenandoah Valley, taken to a small encampment, and the four placed in a log house under guard until their cases could be disposed of. They talked the situation over, and the bravest of 'em could see no hope of escape. Melrose quietly listened to their discouraging remarks, and as quietly replied that he would be inside the Union lines before midnight. There was a circle of sentinels around the building, which had but one door. The sentinels paced within six paces of the building, and the one in front could see the prisoners through the doorway. Melrose said that if all would rush together, the sentinels would be confused and either hold their fire or fire wild. The three men had participated in more than twenty battles, and were known as brave fellows, but here they wanted nerve, and nerve was what they hadn't got.

"Very well, then, I will go alone," was the quiet announcement, and as night came on Melrose was ready. Standing in the doorway he asked the sentinel what time it was.

"You git back thar, or I'll shoot," was the prompt reply.

"Yes, I'm going right back," said the scout as he dashed on the man, hit him a stunning blow, and made for the woods. He had to run across an open field in full view of the camp and, though it was dusk, he could be seen plainly for quite half the distance. More than fifty shots were fired at him, and then pursuit began, but he reached the woods and made his escape.

He was one day scouting up the valley, having on a mixed uniform, when he suddenly came upon two ferocious looking guerillias while crossing a thick wood. They were seated on a log, backs to him; but at the sound of his step they sprang up and covered him with their carbines. It would have been bold to bolt, and take the chances of being hit. Melrose never slackened his pace or changed his countenance, but walked directly up to the men and quietly said:

"I've got news for the colonel, and I want you both to go along and show me the way."

"Who said so?" quickly asked one of the men.

"If I miss the way there'll be an awful row, for this is important news," he answered.

"Who be you?"

"Come along and ask the colonel."

"Well, you can't ... up there. You ... the road ... it for a mile, and when you ... old log stable on the right, turn ... blind road."

"Why can't one of you come along?"

"You can't miss the way. We're watching here for game."

Melrose then slouched off in a lazy, tired sort of manner. He had got about fifty feet when he heard them cock their guns. He did not turn his head or quicken his pace.

"He's a Yank—shoot him!" called out one of the men; but the scout walked on. They were trying him; but he had the nerve of a Napoleon, and he kept his leisurely pace until well away from their neighborhood.

Do not drug the system with nauseous purgatives that only debilitate. Burdock Blood Bitters is natures own Cathartic, it acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver, and the Kidneys, arousing all the secretions to a healthy action. It purifies the Blood and cures all Humors, even the worst form of Scrofula, and tones up the Nervous and Debilitated.

TEARING UP THE BIBLE.

EXTRAORDINARY PROPOSITION OF AN ORTHODOX PROTESTANT CLERGYMAN.

(Rev. Dr. Swing in Chicago Alliance.)

It so happens that all modern difficulties of any moment, in one direction of the holy Sciptures, are not difficulties with a rendering, but with the subject matter, however interepted. There should be in the new version elimination of whole chapters and whole books, on the ground that they make the sacred volume too large to be printed in good type and still be portable. A small Bible always means that the type is almost microscopic. A popular Bible should be at once portable and of fair, clear type, and to make this possible a large part of the old testament should be omitted from the editions of the future.

Not only are the laws of the Mosaic state repealed and dead, and therefore unworthy of a place in this guide of the public, but they are the laws of a semi-barbarous age, and cast no little of their imperfection over upon the fair pages of the new testament. The new testament has suffered much from thus being found in bad company. Those treaties are valuable as being a part of the history of the Jewish state, but not as being a part, much less valuable part of Christianity. Many of the Hebrew laws were so unjust that their presence in the popular Bible makes it essential that each clergyman and each Sunday school teacher shall spend much time in explaining the relation of Mosaic things to Christain affairs—an explanation to be made easier by a withdrawal of the cause. The laws about women and slaves are particularly unjust, and their presence in the good book will always complicate the injury: "What is inspiration?" If, almost all Christain scholars admit, those laws were the temporary suatutes of a nation, temporary compromises between a horrid epoch and a kinder one in comparison, that legal literature should have lapsed into quietness along with the Hebrew, the Amorite, and Jebusite, and not be spread out to-day before our youth, as forming some part of the divine truths to be believed. Besides the savage injustice in some of those laws there is much that offends against refinement of our more civilized times. No minister, no family, dares read aloud all of the old testiment. It came from a far off time, and jars like a discord upon the modern heart. The Bible has already been so deeply injured by the timidy of its friends that now, since the rage for a new version has come, it is high time a demand was made that the best of all books be set free from some of the weights which so impede its progress.

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BY THEODORE TILTON.

With eager arms a mother pressed
A laughing babe against her breast;
Then thus to Heaven she cried in prayer;
"Now, even as his face is fair,
Oh, Lord, keep thou his soul within
As free from every spot of sin."
From Heaven the Lord an answer made;
"Behold, I grant as thou has prayed,"
Within the door the darkness crept,
And babe and mother gently slept,
From belfries rang the midnight bell,
The watchmen answered: "All is well,"
The mother at the cradle's side
Awoke to find the babe had died.
With grief to set a woman wild
She caught and grasped the marble child
Until her heart against his own
Was broken—beaten stone.
'Oh God!" she cried in her despair,
"Why hast thou mocked a mother's prayer?"
Then answered He: "As I have willed,
Thy prayer, oh woman, is fulfilled;
If on earth thy child remain;
His sou lshall gather many a stain;
At thy behest I stretched my hand
And take him to the heavenly land."
The mother heard and bowed her head
And laid her cheek against the dead,
And cried; "Oh God! I dare not pray,
Thou answerest in so strange a way."
In shadow of a taper's light
She moaned throughout all the lonely night,
But when the morning brought the sun
She prayed: "Thy will, oh Lord! be done"

COUNTY COUNCIL.

From the Owen Sound Times.

THE County Council met on Monday evening last. Dr Christoe, Warden, in the chair. The Warden addressed the Council as followe:—

GENTLEMEN OF THE COUNCIL,—Were it not for the pronounced opinion of last session in favor of a written address, I should have felt it my duty now to have omitted it, believing as I do, that it is necessarily a document of very little importance, inasmuch as the subject matter of those addresses appear in a more practical form before the standing committees, and their opinions often collide with those expressed by committee on Warden's address.

I congratulate you, gentleman, on the favorable circumstances under which we meet. As agriculturist you will deplore with me the cold wave that did so much harm, yet the recent rains have so invigorated the crops that there are fair prospects of a tolerably prosperous harvest.

Since our last meeting, your committee appointed in the interests of the township of Melancthon and Shelburne, to adjust all matters of finance consequent upon the formation of the county of Dufferin, met first in the village of Flesherton and afterwards in the village of Shelburne; and it is pleasing to know that the meetings were harmonious and the settlements just—awaiting only the ratification of the several corporations interested. The reports in due time will be read and laid before the committee of Finance and Assessment.

The accumulated interest on Bylaw 174, or the T. G. & B. R. By law, will no doubt interest gentlemen representing the group, and with the assistance of the Council will determine whether there shall be an annual distribution of this interest or not. The question of leasing the T. G. & B. R. is a subject engrossing the public mind and is fraught with considerable importance to the municipalities interested—even the late Grand Jury failed not to express an opinion on the subject. It will not be forgoten that a large deputation waited on the Government of Ontario a short time ago, to impress them that it was their duty to exercise their prerogative, a power invested in them by an Act of the last Provincial Parliament, against an arrangement with the Northern and Hamilton & Northwestern Railways. Such it was alleged, and as I believe, would be inimical to the interests of this county, the road itself, and especially to Owen Sound. An expression of opinion by so many representative men of this county would be of no little importance towards a just decision.

In examining the printed minutes and Auditors' report, their get up is exceptionally good; and I am sure the report shows studious care. The accounts are so simplified that the most simple cannot be excused if he fail to comprehend them. The sums granted for those labors have been well earned—but I regret that this picture has been marred by the lateness of their publication.

For the benefit of the members of this Council who do not know—myself included—it would be well to understand by what authority those large sums of money are paid under the head of "Board of Examiners," "July Examinations," and "December Examinations." It seems so anomalous that any person or persons should have power to draw from our Treasury, unless so empowered by by either the statute or authority from this Council. Under either case, it must, I think, appear resonable that before paid these accounts should pass the scrutiny of the committees of the Council, who are the custodians of the peopl's money. If it be customary so to do, merely, it must be bad. having drawn your attention to it, I am sure you will give the matter your consideration.

The equalization of assessments at this session will require your careful attention.

In conclusion I have only to add, that as usual, I trust our deliberations will be characterized by the greatest harmony; and I shall not delay in placing papers before you promptly.

I am, yours,

W. S. CHLISTOE, *Warden.*

The Council tuen ballotted for a committee on the Warden' address, when the following gentlemen were selected: Messrs. McNichol, Murdoch, Myles, Sing and McRae.

After some unimportant business, the Council adjourned till Tuesday at 3 p. m.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

The Warden presented a statement of the Government apportionment for Public Schools in the various townships, which was referred to the Education Committee; also, a number of accounts, and a communication from J. O. Spragge, Auditor, with reference to increase of salary, which were referred to the finance committee.

Mr Stark presented a petition from the ratepayers of Sullivan with reference to the boundaries of school sections. It was referred to Education Committee.

Messrs. Inglis, McKnight, Rutherford and Dobie adressed the Council on behalf of the High School, asking further aid. The facts briefly set forth were that the county of Grey gives less to its High School than any of the surrounding counties—that the anual expenses of the school are $4,500, of which the Government only grants $950, and the county $950, leaving $2,600, to be made up by the town, in addition to paying its share of the county grant. This is irrespective of the amount spent on capital account—The fine buildings they had erected having cost the town about $20,000, the interest on which would be $1,200 annually, making a total annual contribution to the High School by Owen Sound of $3,600, as against the $950 which the county contributed, while fully one-half the pupils were from the country outside the town. It was also set forth that the ratepayers of the town had resolved to keep the school free to all—it being now the only High School in the neighborhood which did not impose a tax on those attending—that efforts were being put forth to make the school second to none in the Province, and one of which the county might feel proud; but it involved a very heavy burden on the town, and unless they got further assistance from the county, the Trustees might not be able to carry out all the improvements they contemplated. What was asked, that instead of makeing a sapsmodic grant, the county should increase the annual grant it now gave, say by 50 per cent., or an increase of $500. The county now only gave the minimum it was compelled by law to give, while other counties treated their High Schools much more liberally.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Malcom, That having heard the request of the High School Board for an increased annual grant, the Education Committee be requested to take the matter into consideration, and report at this session.—Carried.

The Council then adjourned till Wednesday at 10 a. m.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The Warden made a statement with reference to the finances of the East Grey Agricultural Society. A statement was read from the County Treasurer that he had invested certain sinking funds in debentures of loan societies at 4½ per cent. Letter from Gaol Physician, with reference to salary. Petition from school section in Holland.

The Warden also presented the report of special committee on the settlement with Melancthon and Shelburne. The report was adopted.

Mr. McKechine presented report of Finance Committee. It recommended a grant of 25c. per man per day to 31st Battalion while engaged in drill, and passed a number of accounts.

A petition was presented from residents of Keppel, asking for a grant of $100 for county line between Hepworth and Wiarton.

The Council went into committee on the Finance report, Mr. Stark in the chair. On the clause respecting the volunteers, Mr. Murdoch that it be struck out. Mr. Middleton moved in amendment that the amount be reduced to 10c. per day. Messrs. McIntyre, Kœnig, Sing and the Warden spoke against the grant, and Messrs. McGirr, McRae, McColman, Middleton and Kennedy in favor of it. Mr. Murdoch's, motion was carried. The remaining clauses of the report were passed and the committee rose.

On the motion for the adoption of the report, Mr. McColman moved to refer it back to insert the clause respecting the volunteers. The amendment was lost on the following vote.

Yeas—Wright, McColman, Campbell, Kerr, Stark, McRae, Hall, Howey, Cameron, McGirr, Sparrow, Vasey, Read, Fox, Kennedy, Malcom, McKechnie—17.

Nays—McNicol, McCallum, J. Messenger, Myles, Boyd, Murdoch, Lawrence, Totten, Clark, Kœnig, Blyth, Winkler, Middleton, Abbot, Sing, Long, Donald, McNaught, McIntyre—19.

The report was then adopted.

Mr. Myles presented report of special committee on the Warden's address.

After some preliminary discussion on the railway clause, The Council went into committee of the whole, Mr. Clark in the chair.

The clause with refereuce to the railway re-echoed the Warden's sentiments that the proposed leasing of the T. G. & B. R. to the Northern Railway would be fraught with evil to the interests of the Municipalities which have contributed to the construction of the road, but recommended leaving the matter in the hands of the Executive, as they felt confident their prerogative would be exercised justly.

On that clause coming up, Mr. Middleton, seconded by Mr. Lang, moved an amendment as follows.

That clause No. 5 be amended by striking out all the words after "who have contributed to the construction of the road," and the following substituted: Would recommend that a strongly worded memorial be drafted signed by the Warden and countersigned by the Clerk, and having the corporate seal attached, for immediate presentation to the Lieutenant Governor in Council, praying that any arrangement having in view the working of the T. G. & B. R. by the Northern and Northwestern Railway Companies be not ratified, as such would be prejudicial to the interests of a large preponderance of the population, territory and wealth of this county, and contrary to the wishes and best interests of the whole of the municipalities which have contributed by way of bonus to the construction of the said T. G. & B. R.

The amendment was adopted by an overwhelming majority.

On the clause which stated that the Board of Examiners had a right to draw their pay without submitting accounts to the Council, the Warden moved to have the opinion of the County Solicitor on the point.

The report recommended that the equalization of assessments be made on the basis of the report of the County Valuators.

The committee rose, and the Council adjourned till 7 p. m.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Mr. McRae gave notice that he would move to dispense with the December session.

A communiction was presented from Mr. Miller, asking an increase of salary as Court House keeper.

The report of committee on Warden's address was adopted.

Mr. Sing presented the report of committee on County Property, which was adopted.

Mr. McKechine presented report of Education Committee, which recommended amongst other things, that the Council memorialize the Government for the disendowment of Upper Canada College. On motion of Mr. Murdoch, the report was adopted.

Council adjourned till Thursday at 2 p. m.

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"What constitutes nerve?" asked the *New York World* the other day of its readers. One man will answer that it is presence of mind; another will say that it is pluck; another that it is being cool and collected in an emergency. It is none of these. It is something back of all of them, and something which a man never had unless it was born in him. Instances of presence of mind are met with every day in the army.

An officer out in charge of foragers or on a reconnoissance would be suddenly attacked. Presence of mind would aid him to form his men for defence. He had that presence of mind, even though his face was as white as flour and his chin shaking. Brave men are common enough in the ranks. Call for men to face certain death and a hundred privates would step out at once, yet test their "nerve" and they have none.

Among two or three cases in mind, that of John Melrose, a trooper in the 6th Michigan Cavalry, is recalled. He was an undersized, quiet spoken man, and he had that wonderful nerve which not three men in the whole brigade possessed. While acting as a scout in the Shenandoah Valley he was one day eating his dinner in a farmhouse, when in walked seven Confederate soldiers. They knew him for a Union scout, and he knew them for Confederates. A brave man would have made a rush or had a fight. Melrose simply looked up and as they filed in smiled over his fix, and spoke out:

"Say, old woman, put on more dinner, here, and we'll have a good square meal together!"

"You are my prisoner," said the sergeant of the squad, as he advanced.

"Yes, I know it, but I'll pay for a dinner for you and your men just the same! Sit right down and make yourselves at home."

His nerve upset the soldiers, and after a moment they took seats at the table, forming a complete circle around the board. As soon as they began to eat he began to think of escape. It was summer, and the window behind him and ten feet away was open. If he stood up, all eyes would be upon him, and any excuse to leave the room could not be thought of.

The meal was about half finished, and the captors and captive were chatting away, when Melrose suddenly flung himself backward, upset his chair, and bounded through the window. The soldiers ran out and fired at and pursued him, but he made good his escape.

In the Luray Valley, just before the affair known as the Woodstock Races, Melrose and his companion fell out of ranks to forage. After securing a supply of meat they pushed on after the column, and were riding at a gallop when five bushwhackers, well-mounted, came out of the cross-road about twenty rods ahead of them.

"We are dead men!" said the scout's companion, as they came to a halt.

Looking back they saw four more bushwhackers climbing the fence to take position on the highway. Melrose calmly viewing their situation, said:

We will charge them! Fall in behind me and there will be less danger. Draw your sabre and strike hard!"

The other dared not try it, though he was a brave man. He, therefore, kept his place as the scout dashed forward. Melrose rode straight at the men with drawn sabre, and the volley they fired went over him. He struck the line, sabred a man as he passed, and rejoined the column. His companion was never heard of again, probably being murdered in cold blood.

In 1864 Melrose and three other foragers were captured in the Shenandoah Valley, taken to a small encampment, and the four placed in a log house under guard until their cases could be disposed of. They talked the situation over, and the bravest of them could see no hope of escape. Melrose quietly listened to their discouraging remarks, and as quietly replied that he would be inside the Union lines before midnight. There was a circle of sentinels around the building, which had but one door. The sentinels paced within six paces of the building, and the one in front could see the prisoners through the doorway. Melrose said that if all would rush together, the sentinels would be confused and either hold their fire or fire wild. The three men had participated in more than twenty battles, and were known as brave fellows, but here they wanted nerve, and nerve was what they hadn't got.

"Very well, then, I will go alone," was the quiet announcement, and as night came on Melrose was ready. Standing in the doorway he asked the sentinel what time it was.

"You git back thar, or I'll shoot," was the prompt reply.

"Yes, I'm going right back," said the scout as he dashed on the man, hit him a stunning blow, and made for the woods. He had to run across an open field in full view of the camp and, though it was dusk, he could be seen plainly for quite half the distance. More than fifty shots were fired at him, and then pursuit began, but he reached the woods and made his escape.

He was one day scouting up the valley, having on a mixed uniform, when he suddenly came upon two ferocious looking guerillias while crossing a thick wood. They were seated on a log, backs to him; but at the sound of his step they sprang up and covered him with their carbines. It would have been bold to bolt, and take the chances of being hit. Melrose never slackened his pace or changed his countenance, but walked directly up to the men and quietly said:

"I've got news for the colonel, and I want you both to go along and show me the way."

"Who said so?" quickly asked one of the men.

"If I miss the way there'll be an awful row, for this is important news," he answered.

"Who be you?"

"Come along and ask the colonel."

"You can't ... We're watching here for game."

Melrose then slouched off in a lazy, tired sort of manner. He had got about fifty feet when he heard them cock their guns, but he did not turn his head or quicken his pace.

"He's a Yank—shoot him!" called out one of the men; but the scout walked on. They were trying him; but, he had the nerve of a Napoleon, and he kept his leisurely pace until well away from their neighborhood.

Do not drug the system with nauseous purgatives that only debilitate. Burdock Blood Bitters is natures own Cachartic, it acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver, and the Kidneys, arousing all the secretions to a healthy action. It purifies the Blood and cures all Humors, even the worst form of Scrofula, and tones up the Nervous and Debilitated.

TEARING UP THE BIBLE.

EXTRAORDINARY PROPOSITION OF AN ORTHODOX PROTESTANT CLERGYMAN.

(Rev. Dr. Swing in Chicago Alliance.)

It so happens that allmodern difficulties of any moment, in one direction of the holy Scriptures, are not difficulties with a rendering, but with the subject matter, however interepted. There should be in the new version elimination of whole chapters and whole books, on the ground that they make the sacred volume too large to be printed in good type and still be portable. A small Bible always means that the type is almost microscopic. A popular Bible should be at once portable and of fair, clear type, and to make this possible a large part of the old testament should be omitted from the editions of the future.

Not only are the laws of the Mosaic state repealed and dead, and therefore unworthy of a place in this guide of the public, but they are the laws of a semi-barbarous age, and cast no little of their imperfection over upon the fair pages of the new testament. The new testament has suffered much from thus being found in bad company. Those treaties are valuable as being a part of the history of the Jewish state, but not as being a part, much less valuable part of Christianity. Many of the Hebrew laws were so unjust that their presence in the popular Bible makes it essential that each clergyman and each Sunday school teacher shall spend much time in explaining the relation of Mosaic things to Christain affairs—an explanation to be made easier by a withdrawal of the cause. The laws about women and slaves are particularly unjust, and their presence in the good book will always complicate the injury: "What is inspiration?" If, almost all Christain scholars admit, those laws were the temporary suatutes of a nation, temporary compromises between a horrid epoch and a kinder one in comparison, that legal literature should have lapsed into quietness along with the Hebrew, the Amonite, and Jebusite, and not be spread out to-day before our youth, as forming some part of the divine truths to be believed. Besides the savage injustice in some of those laws there is much that offends against refinement of our more civilized times. No minister, no family, dares read aloud all of the old testiment. It came from a far off time, and jars like a discord upon the modern heart. The Bible has already been so deeply injured by the timidy of its friends that now, since the rage for a new version has come, it is high time a demand was made that the best of all books be set free from some of the weights which so impede its progress.

Other leaders will come along after a time to make changes of a more radical nature, and from their hands the Bible will come ready to be the hand book of the Christians of the next century. The bible will always live and always lead men.

Reader have you tried every known remedy for Chronic disease, Impure Blood, disordered Liver or Kidneys, Nervous and General Debility, Constipation of the Bowels, with the manifold sufferings pertaining thereto? Have you given up in despair? Try Burdock Blood Bitters; it will not fail you. A Trial Bottle only costs 10 Cents, Regular size $1.00. Any dealer in medicine can supply you.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that a severe accident happened to Mr. Wm. Branigan, Normanby, when returning from Church here, with his family, on Sabbath last. When approaching his own place the tongue dropped out of the carriage and the horses ran away, overturning the vehicle and throwing out the occupants, Mr. Branigan falling under. When extricated he was found to be seriously injured; but we are glad to learn that he is getting along favourably. The others escaped with slight injury.—*Post.*

When Squashes and melons first break ground, give them a dusting of compost, made of equal parts of sifted unbleached wood ashes and gypsum or land plaster. This will protect the young plant from the "striped bug," and its use may be continned with advantage until the vines get so strong as not to care for the enemy. As a top dress to any garden crop, it will be found beneficial.

The liver is the grand purifying ogan of the system; when inactive or obstructed bad blood and ill health arre crtain results. Burdock blood Bitters cure all diseases arising from disordered Liver, Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys, purifying. restoring and strengthening. It regulates the Bowels, cleanses and enriches the Blood, and imparts tone to every organ of the body. Trial Bottles 10 Cents.

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If you are suffering with a cold do not fail to try HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM; it is daily relieving its hundreds throughout our Dominion. It is pleasant and palatable.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Summ't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

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NOTICE.

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Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
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Our Little Ones "	1.50

A communication signed "Cisma," and one in answer to "Old Maid," with several articles crowded out this week, will appear in our next.

WE are pleased to state that at the meeting held in Toronto, on the 28th ult., of the Directors and Shareholders of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, it was decided that the road should be leased to the Grand Trunk. There has been great rejoicing along the Line at the result, especially at Owen Sound, where the flag was run up on the Town Hall, upon reception of the news, and a torchlight procession in the evening.

ASTRONOMICAL.—The conjunction of planets which many of our contemporaries have been for some time past predicting for the morning of Sunday, June 19th, was unfortunately not visible in this city on account of cloudy weather. Monday morning at the hour predicted the sky was again unfavourable. But on Tuesday at about 3 a. m. four of the plannets were to be seen in the eastern heavens, a little below the moon. The interior planets, Mercury and Venus, were shining with great brilliancy, undimmed by the approaching dawn. A little further to the south were Saturn and Mars. Venus, like our noon, presents different phases to us in its orbit around the sun. Last, night it presented an appearance exactly similar to our satellite (which is now in its last quarter), its silver bow hanging like a miniature moon in the sky. The various phases of this planet are only visible through a telescope, but one of ordinary power will quite suffice for the purpose. The diagrams which have been given in the columns of several of the papers show this conjunction as taking place in the constellation Taurus, and in the neighbourhood of that famous star, Alcyone (eta Tauri), the principal star of the Pleiades, which is now regarded as most probably the centre of the universe.. The approach of the sun, however, rendered it impossible to see either this star or any of the other planets when they rose at this season. Many people who were terrified by the predictions of evil consequent on a conjunction of the planets, or who erroneously think that the symbolism of the great pyramid points to the speedy end of the world, will be interested to know that the Rev. H. Grattan Guinness, in his well-known work, "The Approaching end of the Age," gives the year A. D. 1919 as the approximate date for the close of the present dispensation, after which comes the millennium. The only calamity which has befallen the earth which can be directly traced to the baneful influence of the heavenly bodies is, perhaps, the recent fire in Quebec.—*Mail.*

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

BURGLARY.—The store of Wm. Hogg was burglarized on Friday night, and the cash box, containing some $65, was carried off; entrance was made from the cellar. There is no doubt that the thieves were well acquainted with the premises. The empty cash box was found a short distance from the store. All we can say at present is, that we hope the thieves will be discovered, and a rimming full measure of justice meted out to them.

The plentiful rain has revived a good deal of crop, which was damaged by the frost, and hopes are entertained, that with good harvest weather, things may not be so bad as was anticipated. The hay crop will, beyond a doubt, be very light; not more than half a crop at best.

The little enterprise that is left in Eugenia is no doubt exerting itself, but why don't the people offer a bonus to some enterprising manufacturer. There is ample room, unequalled water power, or is it decreed they shall lay idle forever. We confess our expectations, which were at par some 15 of 16 years ago, can now be discounted; yes, getting far below zero.

Statute labor is now the order of the day, all vieing with each other to see who will tire first at leaning their chins on the shovel handle.

FLESHERTON.

From our own Correspondent.

SOMETHING UNUSUAL.—Two of our Villagers and friend Tom met to take a cup o' kindness, but "Old Tom" got master of the situtation and after considerable wrestling, put the whole three down.

It is said the volunteers were very sober and orderly while at Niagara, onlyone getting the worse of liquor during their stay there. When he came home, we had him chastized and rubbed down with a brick-bat.

There has been more drunken men seen in our streets the past two weeks than usual. The whiskey must either be stronger or the men have become more thirsty since the road improvements.

Mr. Richardson, is raising up his old Warehouse, and is going to veneer it with brick, and finish it off into shops to rent.

Something wanted here is another Hotel. There is a splendid opening for one. I do not mean a grog shop, but a first class house. Will not some other village divide with us.

I will write "Old Maid" a letter after a while, if the letter she gets does not suit her.

Mr. W. Bradley has purchased a large quantity of No. 1 Fall, and White Russian Wheat, and is turning out a splendid class of flour.

TO THE FRIENDS OF U. S. S. No. 1, ARTEMESIA AND GLENELG.

FRIENDS—I propose holding a public examination of the pupils in my school on Thursday, July 7th, beginning at 1 o'clock p. m. After the causality and comparison of the pupils have been tested, alimentiveness will be exercised, when each one present will be called upon to participate of the good things which shall be provided by the young ladies of the school. You are respectfully solicited to attend. Come along fathers and mothers and witness the proficiency of your children while under my supervision; encourage us by your presence in the noble work we are engaged; let your children see that you are more than interested in this *the* department of their training. If you cannot come during the exercises of the examination, come to our festival, which will take place about 4 o'clock p. m.—Come along and let us have a pleasant time together, and encourage the young people in their labors.

Your humble servant,

R. D. IRVING, Teacher.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

Statute labor, is the order of the day.

Crops are looking well since the rain.

Mr. Wm. Nelson will open out a general store next week.

A big time expected on the 12th.—Several Lodges will spend the day here.

BELLEVILLE, June 22.—The following are the particulars of the killing of a hunter by a bear, in the township of Carlow: The famous old hunter and trapper, Dennison, of the Bog Opeongo lake, and formerly of Dennison's bridge, on the Madawaska, having set a trap for a bear, went to examine it in company with a little boy. It appears that the bear had got caught, but had broken the chain to which the trap was attached, and came upon them quite unexpectedly, and the old hunter tripping over a log was immediately seized by the bear, when a struggle for life and death commenced. Dennison called to the boy to run to the canoe to save himself, which he did. The little fellow, who was only eight years old, paddled the canoe a distance of nine miles to the nearest settlers, who returned with him and found the lifeless remains of Dennison sadly mutilated, an arm, a leg and other bones being broken, They succeeded in killing the bear and returned with the body.

HYMENIAL.—On Tuesday evening, a few of the village friends of the newly married Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller gave them an agreeable surprise, by calling upon them and presenting Mrs. Miller with a very handsome China Tea Set. The visitors were treated to a very substantial l[illegible]n, after which a couple of hours were merrily spent in hilarious games. The intruders then departed, all expressing happiest wishes for the wellfare of the joyful pair. Such episodes tend materially to smooth the path of life's rough way.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—In this age of change it is not at all surprising to find man's ingenuity at work on things sacred as well as secular.

Any one acquainted with the government and worship of the Apostolic Church, must, on reflection, be deeply impressed with the awful difference between it and our every day practice now-a days. Indeed our way of doing things now differs very much from the way in which we sought to accomplish the same ends twenty years ago.

If funds are wanted for Sabbath School or Church purposes, Tea meetings, socials, Festivals, or some such entertainments, are at once resorted to, and these have been carried out lately with so much zeal that it would seem we are practically pandering to the *sensuous* that we may be able to support the *spiritual*. Being convinced that our present system in these matters has a strong tendency to lower the spirituality of our ecclesiastical institutions, I venture to send you these few lines. My object is not to find fault with any sect or church, but rather to show where I think we are all in error, and try if possible to turn the attention of the leading members in our various churches to adopt other means for the support of Gospel ordinances. It is admitted on all hands that a certain amount of money is needed to properly manage our ecclesiastical matters, and the question is often asked, "What is the best way to raise the necessary funds?" I admit there is a difficulty, for there are many church going people who get up their back if you ask them for a dollar, they admit that some money is required, but they will raise a thousand objections rather than try to do anything to help matters, and when at last you get some trifle it is given with such an unchristian spirit that one feels almost inclined to say—well, keep it.

In Patriarchal days a *tenth* of *all* was *freely* given. It is recorded that Abram gave a tenth of all to the High Priest. Jacob also *freely* offers a tenth of all to God.

Under the Mosaic Law a tenth was commanded to be given for sacred purposes, and you will please observe that it was to be a tenth *of all* "whether of the seed of the land, or of the fruit of the tree, it is the Lord's." And concerning the Tithe of the Herd, or of the Flock, whatsoever passeth under the rod the tenth shall be holy unto the Lord, besides the Lord was to get the first, and not the dregs, nor gleanings, nor only a tenth after every other claim was paid. By the Prophet Malachi we learn that the Jews were charged by God with *robbery* when they witheld the tithes.

Under the "new and better covenant" it is different. There are no direct commands from the great lawgiver, we are left in this as in many other things, to the "freedom of our own will." Still our duty is clear. The injunction is to give as the Lord has prospered us, and not to let our right hand know what our left hand doeth. Paul says to the Christians in Corinth, "Upon the first day of the week *let every one of you* lay by him in store as God hath prospered him &c.," Now, sir, how does this correspond with our present way of doing things?

If all these who profess to be Christians were to give a *tenth of all*, there would be no need of resorting to such questionable methods as we have had so largely developed among us this past season to raise funds for religious purposes, nay, if we will take the Apostolic injunction for our model, which I think Christians are bound to do, and give as the Lord has prospered us, there would be no need to complain for want of funds.

True, spiritual things must be spiritually discerned, and if the prosperity referred to by the apostle is intended to apply only to our *spiritual* prosperity then the problem is solved. The difficulty of raising funds inside the church instead of appealing to the outside would be apparent, for there are many indications of a "falling away," of a "leanness" in this respect. I believe there is—always has been, and ever will be—a "seed" in the church that although the church should be shorn of its leaves and appear like her great Head "as a root out of dry ground." Still there will be a seed left, and that seed will always be ready to give as "the Lord has prospered him." Indeed, I truly believe that the *real* Christian feels it to be not only a duty to give thus, but a privilege when he is in a position to give "liberally, and I am sure there is not *one Christian* who would not much rather put his hand into his pocket and give his share for *truly religious* purposes, than see his "Father's House" turned into a "House of Merchandise," where so much bread and butter, songs and laughable recitations &c., are given in exchange for twenty-five cents, wherewith to meet the requirements of a Christian Church. This is surely not Christianity, and the sooner the practice is abandoned the better.

Do not suppose Mr. Editor, that I am unfriendly to Congregational Tea meetings—not at all, I like the friendly social gathering, but we should "do all things to edifying." In looking back to the time when such meetings were first held in connection with churches, I see another cause of sadness, another "falling away."—When congregational tea meetings or soirees were first introduced, it was for purposes very different from those so ardently pursued now-a-days. The original intention was a sort of "re-union" upon a purely intellectual and Christian basis, a feast was provided well qualified to nourish and cheer the Christian on his pilgrimage heavenward. Several eminent divines along with some other "Fathers in the church" would bring out their treasures new and old, and food enough to satisfy all. These addresses were interspersed with Sacred Anthems, from the best musical composers, sung, not played, by the best singers to be had; I say not played, for in those days Dissenters needed not the assistance of an instrument in praising their Maker. No, "they tuned their heart." At these meetings admission was always *free*, and the necessary expenses defrayed by collection. The poor and the rich all mingled together; all felt at home. Austerity and rudeness were alike unknown. The idea of selling the cake, speeches, and singing for the sake of profit was never thought of, to do so is an innovation of recent date, and that too of an anti-Christian type. The Christian church is likened to a family—part of the family of heaven, let us therefore have our congregational tea meetings in a family way, and let them be instructive and edifying, and let us cease to aim so much at "drawing a crowd" for the purpose of replenishing the coffers of the church.

Hoping that you will find space and that others may come forward and discuss in a friendly way this important subject. I may in a week or two send you a few lines in reference to our worship compared with the Apostolic and early Christian Churches.

Your's truly,

M.

One of two things should be done when ever a young tree has been planted—either mulch around the treewith straw, leaves or grassy sods, cut into pieces, or keep the ground cultivated all summer. The mulching need not be done before the middle of June.

The well-known family medicines of Dr. J. C. Ayers & Co. have been before the public forty years, and time strengthens the favorable impression with which they were at first received. We have been in the habit of using them ourselves, and recommending them to our acquaintances. Ayer's Pills are a perfect regulator of the system; Ayer's Extract of Sarsaparilla is the best known purifier of the blood; Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is a safe and sure remedy in complaints of the throat and lungs; and Ayer's Ague cure is an effectural cure in cases of Fever and Ague and other malarial fevers. Those medicines are compounded with skill and accurate medical knowledge, and they are in no sense to be classed with the cheap nostrums of the day. The formulas from which they are prepared are not secret, but are furnished to all physicians, and are published for the benefit of all interested.—*St. Johns, P. Q., News.*

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I noticed in the editorial column of the last issue of the *Advance* a cutting criticism of a poem on the late London Disasterr It is worthy of notice. I remember reading of a poet whose first attempt did not even receive the honor of being abused, and who afterwards attained considerable celebrity. How much greater my success! I have on my first attempt attained to the great honor of being abused by the Editor of this, though barely fledged, yet already widely-famed local educator, known for the immense amount of solid and digested matter it contains. O! Fame, how have I grasped thee? I don't pretend to be either a Homer or a Virgil yet, but who is to say what I shall be? I refer you to the *Advance*. Did the first essay of either of these receive such an honor? This Editor don't pretend to criticise any part of the production; but with a four lined couplet of most likely his own production (for who else has the genius for it) which certainly does him credit, though my advice to him would be to try again, and then,—swallow the pen. If I had known this maiden attempt of mine was to receive such an honor, how many sleepless nights I would have spent over it, how many almanacs I would have consulted, how I would have weighed each word and balanced each sentence before I would have launched it before such a critic. O, abused and ill-used muse, how will I have to spurn thee from me in the future for fear of killing some Americans. Though perhaps in riper years when I am able to judge of such a production, if thou shouldst seize and retain me in thy grasp in spite of fate I will certainly favor the *Advance* with the first production, knowing that his judgment will not suffer its publication if not worthy of that honor. Looking far into the future I can see him sitting in his sanctum, in all the glory of gray hairs and a life well spent, and reviewing the past, thinking especially of the labor he has expended that the natives of Artemesia might not be imposed upon by any ignorant rhymer.

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PARODY.

The great boo-hoo from Flesherton: See last week's *Advance* on "What we require."

I.

It does seem strange that there should be
In Flesherton a lack,
Of either push or enterprise—
Yet such is the hard fact.
(Oh! Oh!! Oh!!!)

II.

We actually in the village have
A Brick-yard;
But in the whole place there are not five
Brick Buildings.
(Prodigious!)

[illegible]

VII.

But then those other poor souls are
in a worse fix,
For they live in a state of nature;
And like poor Mungo Park in the
wilds of Africa,
Have neither house nor shop.
(Are there no umbrellas in Flesherton? If not, why not get up a subscription?)

VIII.

But this state of things must stop;
For have we not men of means in
our midst,
Who could easily put up houses or
shops.
And then, boys! look how it
would pay!!
(Aye, that's it! how it would pay?)

IX.

Then who will break the ice?
Oh! who will break it, who?
For Flesherton's in a dreadful fix,
And the *Advance* in a great boo.hoo!

CHORUS:

Hoo! boo! hoo!!
It's an awful hullabaloo!
But Flesherton's got in a dreadful fix,
And it's organ sobs boo-hoo! boo-hoo!
And it's organ sobs boo-hoo!!!

Editor STANDARD:—

Dear Sir, That notable article in the "Advance" last week, is a beautiful illustration of refined poetical modesty. The writer is evidently unaware of the divine poetical breathings that involuntarily flow from his pen. I would fain rescue this rose from the sad fate of blushing unseen. Hence the foregoing parody, Mr. Editor, which I have sent you, well knowing that you will rejoice in resuscitating from self-immolation this astonishing genius. Shades of the mighty poets of the ages! Your work's done! A new poetical epoch is commenced, and he of the "Advance" is its exponent. Poor Clark! Poor Clark!! Poor Clark!!! Then observe the critical acumen displayed in that other article beginning with "Our palmiest days." Ponder, Sir, the length and breadth of that expression—"In our palmiest days!" Imagine the author of that immortal poetical production given above, having enjoyed "palmier days." If such his power of creation now, what must it not have been in the "palmy days." Palmy days and boo-hooing have a close connection in some minds, but of course would not hold good in his. Those who read the poetical critique, and then those fine poetic breathings in "What we require," will probably agree with me that undoubtedly a "Daniel has come to judgment."—Tremble, ye local poets! The gifted Nine have located in Flesherton, and preside only in that "house or shop" occupied by the "Advance."

QUIZ.

SCARLET FEVER.

Dr. Both, of Boston, furnishes *Good Health* with a paper in which he discusses scarlet fever and its treatment:

It always begins with a loss of appetite; then red patches; then recovery, or otherwise quick or slow death, according to circumstances. To arrest its course, and to prevent its ravages, medicines and manipulations *ad libitum* have been tried in vain; for more children die of scarlet fever now than one thousand years ago.—But why? Because nothing, absolutely nothing, is as yet known as to what scarlet fever is; and what is still worse, there was, until recently, no need felt of such knowledge.

It is as unnecessary for a child to die of scarlet fever as it is that it should be blind with cataract. Let us see. At anytime before the body has finished its ineffectual struggle we are able to help it, not by wonderful medicines, but by the knowledge of anatomy, and the application of common sense. We consult the sympathetic nerve, and do what it commands us to do. We must give the child salt when it wants it; we must give it acid when it has fever and anxiously craves it—not vinegar, but lemon juice, because the first coagulates albumen, the latter does not, on account of the surplus of oxygen which it contains. To imitate the soothing mucous in the intestines, which is now wanting, and to give some respiratory food at the same time, we add some gum-arabic. To restore and relieve the injured nerve, we apply moist warmth.

In practice we can fulfil all this with the following simple manipulations: Undress the child and bring it to bed at the first signs of sickness. Give it, if it has already fever nothing but lemonade, with some gum-arabic in it. Then cover its abdomen with dry flannel. Take a [illegible]ll folded bed sheet, and put it in [illegible]ling hot water; wring it out dry [illegible] means of dry towels, and put this [illegible]r the flannel on the child's abdomen. Then cover the whole, and [illegible]it. The hot cloth will perhaps require repeated heat. According to [illegible] severity of the case, and its stage [illegible] progress, prespiration will commence in the child in from ten minutes to two hours. The child is then [illegible]ved; it soon falls asleep. Soon after the child awakes it shows slight symptoms of returning inclination for food; help its bowels if necessary, with injections of oil, soap and water, and its recovery will be as steady as the growth of a green-house plant, if well treated. Of course, if the child is already dying, nothing could save [illegible] or if it has already effusions in the [illegible]ing of the heart or brain, it is much better that it should die. But if the above is applied in due time, under the eyes and direction of a competent physician, I will guarantee that not one in a hundred children will die of scarlet fever. I know this will startle some of my readers, but I shall go still further. I maintain that a child will never get the fever if properly treated. If a child has correctly mixed blood, it will not catch the disorder [illegible] put in bed with a sick child. This [illegible] still more startling, but nothing is easier of proof. The same is also true [illegible] whooping-cough, cholera infantum, &c. I refer to Prof, Von Niemeyer's treatment of whooping-cough; it consists of equal temperature in a room [illegible] 75 degrees, and the regulation of appropriate digestion. He warrants, by following this simple course, every case of whooping-cough to disapper in three weeks, I think even this could be shortened. Lemon-juice, salt, gum-arabic, and heat, are all that is required in cholera infantum—only the restoration of digestion is here more difficult, on account of the intestinal linings being injured directly.

NO [illegible].—No man can do a good job of work, preach a good sermon, try a law suit well, doctor a patient, or write a good article when he feels miserable and dull, with sluggish brain and unsteady nerves, and none should make the attempt in such a condition when it can be so easily and cheaply removed by a little Hop Bitters.—*Albany Times.*

MARRIED

[illegible]—In the Methodist Parsonage, [illegible], by the Rev. Mr. Johnston, on the 24th inst., Mr. Samuel Miller, of Glenelg, to Miss [illegible], of Markdale.

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STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, Euphrasia, on Town-line Euphrasia and Holland, on or about the 26th of May, Four Ewes and Four Lambs. Three of the Ewes are white and one grey—Lambs are all white. The Ewes are marked on the right shoulder with tar, and one Lamb has a black spot on its hind leg. Any person who will give such information as will lead to their recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

ADAM HOLBERT.

Harkaway, June 29, 1881. 42-3 in.

STRAYED.

From Lot 183, 1st con. N. E. of T. & S. Road, Artemesia, one White Ewe and Lamb. Ewe had at time lost a rope around neck, and lamb was lame of one hind leg. Any person givin information as to their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

WM. DAVIS.

June 28, 1881. 42-1 in.

STRAYED.

From the premises of the subscriber, lot 25, 5th con. Glenelg, on the 23rd of June, 5 two-year-olds, two of which were Steers, both were grey in color, one with large horns. 3 heifers, one of which is the same color as steers, the other two red, one slightly brindled.

JAMES SULLIVAN.

Priceville, P. O.

Glenelg, June 30, 1881. 42 3 in.

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Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches.

We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement, but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solict a continuance of the same.

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Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

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SASH,
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The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

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PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North Sho[re] and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 27-tf

Harvest To[ols]

Scythes,
Snaths,
Cradle[s]
Hay Fork[s]
Barley Fork[s]
Rakes,
Sickles,
&c., &[c.]

CHEA[P]

AT

Haskett Br[os.]

Markdale, June 23, 1881.

Thumb and Fing[er]

For everybody will be found at

THORBURY NOVELTY W[ORKS]

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes [to inform] the farmers of Grey and Bru[ce] [counties] has bought the right of the above counties to make and sell Dillin[ger's] tented Thumb and Finger Bar[ley Fork] which is pronounced by all who have [used it] to be the best Barley Fork out [illegible] load three loads to two against a[ny other] Barley Fork. I am also turning out [an ex]tra good lot of the

Mastin Grain Cradle[s]

Spinning Wheels

This season. Good Fork and Rak[e] can be bought here from 5c to 18c[illegible]

☞ Give me a call, and I [gua]rantee satisfaction.

J. H. HAMI[LTON]

Thornbury, June 16, 1881.

NOTICE TO CONTRAC[TORS]

TENDERS will be received [until the] [illegible] of July, for the erection of [a] Brick Building, 24 by 34, to be [illegible] September. Plans and Specifications may be [seen at] the STANDARD Office. The lowest or any Tender not [necessarily] accepted.

C. W. [illegible]

Markdale, June 23, 1881.

Dissolution of Partne[rship]

TAKE NOTICE, that the Par[tnership] heretofore existing between the und[ersigned] under the name of Grant & Cheller [Cab]inet Makers, in the Village of Mark[dale] this day been dissolved by mutual [consent]. Any liabilities due by the late F[irm will be] borne by Mr. Geo. Grant, who w[ill] carry on the business, and all [debts due] them are to be paid to him. Dated 23rd June, A. D. 1881.

GEORGE GR[ANT]

Witness, D. J. MACMILLAN.

TO LET.

50 Acres of Good Pasture, Watered, to Let.

The subscriber will take a limited [number] of Cattle, Horses, &c., to pasture.

Markdale, June 8, 1881.

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Markdale, June 9, 1881.

WANTE[D]

A GOOD Driving Horse [illegible] years old, about 15½ hands.

Markdale, June 20, 1881.

[illegible] Yards of Prints, new [illegible]
and 12½ cents, fast color
[Pie]ces of Tweed 50 cents
[Ya]rds of Table Linen, 35,
[illegible] Table Napkins, 6¼ cen[ts]
[Ya]rds Black Broad-cloth, $
[Pa]irs of Duck Overalls, 50 c
[illegible] Wincey Shirts, 75 cen[ts]

[THE] STANDARD.

[Fri]day, July 1st, 1881.

[LOCAL] & OTHER NOTICES.

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[The] Comet the great attraction.

[For a] nice cheap Chain or Seal, try Doll's.

[illegible] strain on gate hinges since [the app]earance of the Comet.

[Revi]sed version of New Testament, [large] and small print at Medical Hall, [illegible] & Co.

[illegible]

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96 " " 50 " 75 "
105 " " $1.15 " $1.50 "

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That money can be had at 6 per cent, is a sure indication that the times are good and the country in a prosperous condition. If any of our readers doubt that the needful can be procured at the above rate, they can ascertain the fact by calling on Mr. J. G. Irving, who has any amount to lend on good security, at 6 per cent. only.

It appears that some evil disposed person as twisted a wrong meaning out of a paragraph published in these columns some few weeks ago, touching a rumor detrimental to the characters of the wives of Messrs. Geo. and Jas. Ward. To set the matter at rest we now state that we were shown a written denial, signed by Mr. McFarland, stating that there was not the least particle of truth in the rumor.

On our last visit to Dundalk, we noticed that Mr. Peter McGrogor, had put a first class Planer and Matching Machine into his saw mill, and is now turning out dressed lumber and matched flooring. He also turns out large quantities of undressed lumber, Shingles, and Lath. Mr. McGregor's enterprise deserves to be crowned with success, and we hope the people of Dundalk and vicinity will patronize him largely.

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Serious Railway Accident,—The mixed train going north on Saturday night last, met with rather a serious accident when near Berkeley station. The train ran over some cattle which had got on the road, resulting in throwing three cars off the track, one of which was filled with horses intended for Manitoba. Two of the horses were killed, and several others severely injured. Fortunately none of the train hands were injured. It was a narrow escape, however, as the embankment where the accident occurred is rather steep. One of the cattle was killed, and some of the others injured,

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The time for receiving Tenders will be extended to the 8th inst. Those already received will not be opened until that time.—C. W. Rutledge.

Wedding Rings in great demand now, and Wilcox, our Jeweller, is showing some beauties.

Underhand.—Last Monday our Town was visited by Mr. T. Harris, License Inspector for South Grey, in consequence of a letter received by him, purporting to come from Peter E. Duff, giving information against certain parties here for alleged infractions of the License Law. When Mr. Harris called upon the alleged informant, he discovered that the letter was a forgery. Either the parties wished to perpetrate a mean act, and lacked the brute courage to carry out their design ; or, wished to play a practical joke upon Mr. Harris, bringing him here on a fool's errand.—Either view of the case is contemptible.

The remedy that has had the most remarkable success in the cure of diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, and, indeed, every kind of summer complaint, brought on by eating improper food, such as raw vegetables, unripe or sour fruits, bad milk, impure water, etc.,—the remedy that is the most pleasant, rapid, reliable, and effectual, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is the finest remedy for summer complaints known. For sale by all dealers.

Maine farmers are going to make a study of the subject of artificial fertilizers this summer, under the management of the Board of Agriculture. Plots of one-twentieth acre each, will be planted with barn manure, dissolved bone back and potash, a full ration of complete fertilizer. Farmers are expected to conduct the experiments with care, and to note the appearance of the crop during the entire growing season. Although experiments of this kind cannot be expected to settle the many questions the first year, yet they will tend to make farmers more familiar with nature and action of special fertilizers, and may, after a time, acquaint them with any peculiarity in the composition of the soil in their own farms.

Thousands of our little ones are lost annually from cholera infantum, diarrhœa and the summer complaints, whose lives might be preserved by the timely use of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the greatest and most reliable specific known for all summer ailments. For sale at all Drug Stores. See advertisements in another column.

A writer in the *American Farmer* has tried the following, worked well into the sod under pear trees, to prevent bight, and so far as tried, with satisfactory results: One quart of slacked lime, one quart bone phosphate, and one once of sulphur for each tree.

THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.00	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.0 5	tc	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	1.00	to	1.05
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes,	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75		1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	7.00	"	8.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Thursday, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.00
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 21c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

Toronto, June 9. 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 10	to	$1 15
Wheat, spring, do.	1 12	to	1 18
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 60	to	0 65
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 13	to	0 14
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	6 00	to	10 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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$2 Watches. Stem winders $8.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO., 132 Nassau, New York.

STARTLING DISCOVERY!
LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.
A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham st., N. Y.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20 ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau street, New York. 20-ly

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th, 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School; 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

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Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every Sabbath at 6.30 a. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Bible Class on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

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Markdale June 15, 1881. 40-tf

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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The Reform Association

OF East Grey, will meet in Convention in the Town Hall Flesherton, on Tuesday, 14th June, 1881, at one o'clock p. m. Meantime a limited number of circulars will be issued; but as it would be manifestly impossible to reach all thereby, friends of Reform throughout the Riding are requested to attend without further notice.

By order of the President,
WM. BROWN, Sec'y.
Markdale, May 25th, 1881. 37-3w

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

Has been in constant use by the public for over twenty years, and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

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JOHN NOBLE, General Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty.

Markdale, June 2, 1881. 14-tf

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For 1881-82,

TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,

Price $5.00.

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The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.

Montreal, December, 1880.

A. McINTYRE.

Will move into my new premises shortly in Sproule's Block shortly. No time to write advertisements just now, although ready to wait on you should you drop in. No stale goods in my establishment.

A. McINTYR.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

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ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881

REMOVAL! REMOVAL!

The undersigned wishes to inform the Public generally, that he has purchased the entire control of the

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FURNITURE, AND SASH AND DOOR FACTORY

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Also a Quantity of Good Pine.

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Estimate of supplies Given on Application

☞ Don't forget the Warerooms are removed next door to the Factory, Durham street.

H. HOOPER.

Flesherton, December 23, 1880. 1-ly

Announcement!

LATE IMPORTATIONS

OF

Seasonable Goods,

AT

Greatly Reduced Prices,

AT THE

TORONTO HOUSE.

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 15, 1881.

THE LIME-KILN CLUB.

"Some one has kindly sent me some werry interestin' statisticks on religus affairs," began the President as he held up a pamphlet. "It gibs the number of converts in India, Africa, China an' Japan doorin' de las' y'ar; it gibs de number of Sunday schools in America; it gibs de number o' Christians in each State in de Union; it gibs de amount of money collected fur heathens, an' de number of Bibles and Testaments printed las' y'ar. While I am werry much obliged to de unknown donor, I mus' confess my disappointment at not findin' fuller perticklers. Fur instance, how many Americans war' saved las y'ar? I can't fin' dat one single clergyman went down among de poo' an' lowly an' saved a soul from perdishun. While dey am cryin' ober de heathen across de sea America has 25,000,000 sinners. Fur ebery sermon delibered in makin' heathen converts abrod America has ten murders, a hundred robberies, an' no end of smaller crimes. Show me a clergyman who stands in his pulpit an' sheds tears ober de niggers of Africa, an' I'll show you more vice an' wickedness widin gunshot of his church dan he could fin' in a hundred squar' miles in Africa. Has any preacher in Detroit or Chicago or New York saved de soul of one single home heathen dis las' y'ar? Has any congregations raised one single nickle to convert gamblers, thieves, prostitutes an' defaulters to Christianity? while our ministers shed tears ober de darkness which reigns in Egypt, one-fifth of our populashun make Sunday a holiday. I kin walk out on dat day an' see races, games, excursions, open stores, fights, riots an' drunkeness. Who could see mo' in Africa? Ebery day I read of murder, robbery, arson an' plunder. Kin it be any worse in China? Ebery newspaper am full of elopements, defalcations an' scandals. Am society in Japan any worse?

"I tell you, my frens, dar am a heap in de Bible dat am all right, an' dar' am a heap in dis so called Christianity dat am all rong. Christianity dat will send thousands of dollars ober de sea an' let white women at home shibber wid cold an' hunger fur bread isn't founded on the Bible. Christianity dat preaches virtue an' den furnish a list of 228 church scandals in a single ya'r cannot be respected. Christianity dat sniffles ober de poo' an' yit leaves dem widout a visit or a word or a nod am purty thin stuff. Christianity dat holds noon prayer meetins down town an' beat its house rent, water tax, an' gas bills up town haint de sort I'm lookin' arter. Christianity dat keeps away from de wicked, wicked theater, an' owes de grocer four six months, de butcher for a y'ar, an' makes a sewin' gal do $10 wort of work for about $6, won't be incouraged in dis club.

"Yes, I'ze much obleged to de pusson who sent me dis leetle book, but I shall still cling to my belief dat when the day of judjment finally arrives de Lawd will have no trouble in pickin' out the hypocrites an' liars from the airnest, conscienshus Christian diskivered in de crowd. I say nuffin' again pure religion; I say nuffin' agin square' Christians. But when dat las' day rolls 'roun' I'd sooner stan' befo' de Lawd charged wid highway robbery dan wid havin' been a sham Christian an' a sanctimonious hypocrite."

NOTES ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS.

Turkeys are very useful in destroying insects, and of great service in orchards in devouring winfalls, and preventing the growth of worm eaten fruit.

Give the young chickens a weekly feed of chopped onions. It helps to keep them healthy. A medium size onion minced very fine is enough for a brood.

Hanging baskets should be placed where they can have an abundance of light and sunshine, and not near the stove or register. If the light comes from one side, the basket should be turned every day.

Those who wish to keep insects in check must never have any tomorrow about their ways, but act as soon as the eggs, chrysalis, or vermin in any size are seen. Destroy the first lot and it is rare that there is much trouble after..

A man can raise more corn on twenty-acres if it is thoroughly manured, carefully ploughed, and kept free from weeds, than he can on forty acres, with the same amount of manure and time to give to it that he could give to his twenty.

When doctors disagree who shall decide. The people often decide by throwing physic to the dogs,' and trying BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS, and the result is always satisfactory. Burdock Blood Bitters is the *Multum in Parvo* of medical science, curing all diseases of the Blood, Liver and Kidneys. A trial bottle only costs 10 cents. A dollar botle may save you a good many dollars in doctor's bills.

The *Prairie Farmer* says, "weeds on gravel walks may be destroyed and prevented from growing again by a copious dressing of the cheapest salt. This is a better method than hand pulling, which desturbs the gravel and renders almost constant raking and rolling necessary. One application early in the season, and others as may be needed, while the weeds are small, will keep the walks clean and bright.

Matthew Crawford states in an exchange that the destruction of tomato plants by the cut worm may be avoided by making a comact mound of earth about the plants as large as a teacup, the cut worm being unable to climb. Another way, which we have long practiced, is to wrap around the stem, if the cut worm is feared, a few inches of paper or a large green leaf of any kind, before drawing the earth around it. They will not take the trouble to knaw through the paper or leaf.

The effects of Pairs green applied to potato vines upon the tubors, has been the theme of considerable discussion. H. C. Fish, of Worcester, applied an ounce of pure Paris green around and on the tubers in a hill of potatoes, which were about one third grown and submitted to a pratical chemist for Analysis, who reported though he found Paris green adhering to the skins, it was easily removed by washing, and no trace whatever of arsenic was found in the tubers themselves.

Now is the fighting time for the gardener. Currant worms on the currant bushes, cut worms eating the cabbage plants, all sorts of bugs at work on cucumber and squash plants is the order of the day. But the pests, including potato bugs, can all be destroyed. White hellebore sprinkled on the leaves of the currant bushes in the morning when the dew is on will save your currants. Sulphur placed around your tomato and cabbage plants will keep of the worms to a great extent. Soot from chimneys and stovepipes, and wood ashes with lime, are good to keep away insects of various kinds.

A Canadian agriculturist last season tried an experiment with potatoes that is worth noting. It was done by scooping out every eve from the potato and inserting in the flesh of it a single eye, of different kind, and planting the seed thus prepared, obtaining thereby very curious crosses, which he exhibited at the Toronto Industrial Exhibition. The tubers were small as the first year's product from seed, and appear to partake of the characteristics of both the orignal varieties; whether they reproduce themselves the second year or revert to one or other of the types, is yet to be determined original.

Girls Take Warning.—A county exchange says:—"On getting up on Sunday morning last Mrs. A. Washburn started to yawn, and put her jaw out of joint. The service of a doctor had to be procured to replace it." Young men whose girls are accustomed to yawn repeatedly during their presence, should paste this on the outside rim of their hats.

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRTS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
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AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

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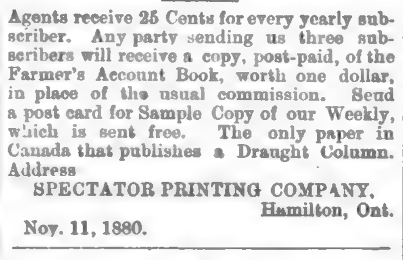

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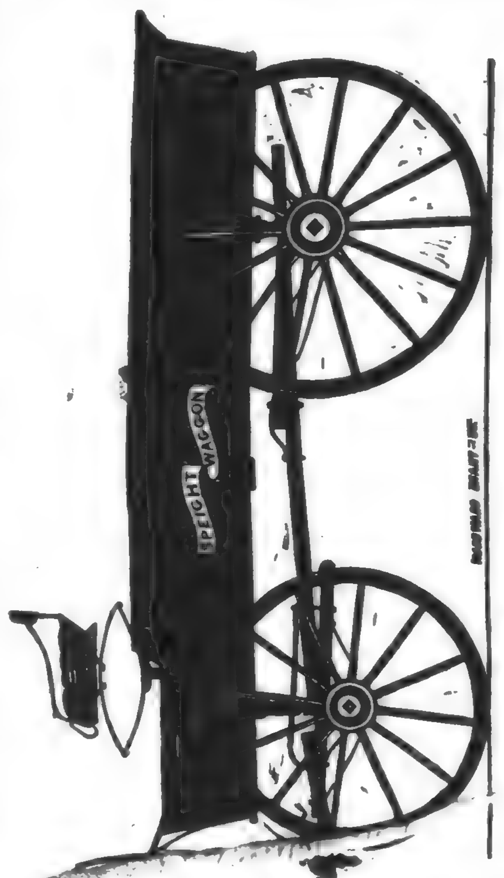

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Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

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Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

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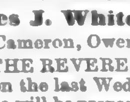

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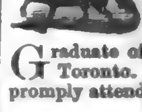

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Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

H. MEGGITT,

Fashionable Tailor, FLESHERTON. Is prepared to fill all orders promptly.

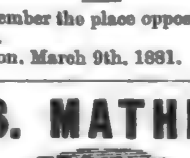
Cutting done while customers are waiting.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

The Latest Fashion Plates always on hand to choose from.

Remember the place opposite Richardson's store. Flesherton, March 9th, 1881. 26-m3

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a FIRST-CLAS **HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,** always on hand, and sold, at moderate rates. None but good workman employed and the best of materials used. Markdale, Nav, 18, 1880. 1o

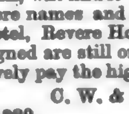
D. J. SHANAHAN'S WAGON and Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for CARRIAGES, SPRING WAGGONS, LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends. Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices. C. W. & A. SPEERS. Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS! Just arrived at the **"BELFAST HOUSE."** Also a fresh stock of **Groceies, Provisions,** CANNED FRUIT, **BISCUITS** —AND— **CONFECTIONERY,** Any amount of Cumberland cut **Side Pork.** FOR SALE. ALSO. **POTATOES.** MALT AND RYE WHISKEY, THE BEST IN TOWN. BRANDY, CIDER, ALE, PORTER, TEAS and SUGARS, CHEAP. WILSON BENSON. Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

MONEY to LEND AT SIX 6 PER CENT. STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold ..., ... Private Funds. J. ... IRVING. Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m

COUNTY COUNCIL.

From the Owen Sound Advertiser.

THURSDAY, 2 P.M.

Council met pursuant to adjournment from yesterday. Warden in the chair.

Mr. Cameron, presented report of Road and Bridge Committee, which on motion was adopted.

The Warden read the report of the School Inspector of North Grey.

Mr. McRae moved and Mr. Reid seconded, That no session of this Council be held in December, as a saving of $800 can be accomplished thereby, and that no other session be held unless ... the Warden thinks it necessary to call a special meeting ...

Mr. McRae said he had made a similar motion at a previous meeting of this Council; thought that no member of this Council should cast his vote against this motion, without giving a good and substantial reason for so doing. Was in conversation with the County Treasurer, and that gentman though there was no necessity for a December Session.

Moved in amendment by Mr. Middleton seconded by Mr. Myles, that June and December Session be done away with in future, and that the rate be struck in January instead of June.

The mover of the amendment said the necessity existing for a December Session had passed away. The same might be applied to any other session The rate could be struck in January as well as June; though they could as well do away with June Session as December.

Mr. McIntyre thought that if the business of each session could be done in three days instead of six, it would be more economical; but three sessions were necessary. Did not consider it would be wise to make a donation to the present Warden, for instance, before he completed his duties.

Mr. Fox though there was a good deal of buncome about both resolutions the best economy would be to reduce the pay to $1.50 or $2.00 per day, and do the business in three or four days.

Moved by Mr. Totten, seconded by Mr. Clark, in amendment to the amendment. That the three sessions of the Council be held the same as usual, but that the sessions be no longer than four days each.

Mr. A. Read, said that it had not been shown as yet taht there was any necessitp for a December Session. Did not thing either amendments amounted to anything. The result of the amendment to the amendment could be to necessitate Special Sessions, which would not be much economy. Did not see the use of bringing forth Reeves here in December to do nothing at all.

Mr. Blyth thought it would be well to do away with December Sessions, Was of the same opinion as the Reeve of Glenelg.

Mr, McNicol thought it was necessary to hold three sessions, but was in favour of shortening them.

Mr. Murdock moved a third amendment as follows:—That the December Sessionbe not dispensed with, but that this Council meet on Wednesday instead of Monday next December.

Mr. Read said not a single member had as yet shown the necessity for a December Session. The speaker wanted to know what had been done in December last, If there was any necessity for a third session, let the Warden call a special session,

Mr. Clark said he noticed a good deal of loafing around the streets by the members of the Council. Thought the business could be done in less time. The Warden—had suggested that the address should be done away with, which if done, would be the means of saving one day.

Mr. Murdoch's third amendment was put and declared a tie. The Warden gave his casting vote in favor of the 3rd amendment, thus making the December Session four days instead of six.

Mr. Sing, presented report No. 2 of County Property Committee, recommending that owing to the high price of coal that hereafter wood would be used instead.

Mr. Sing in presenting his report said the expense of coal the past session was upward of $590, which he thought to much, and suggested that a wood furnace substitated for the one now in use, which he thought would be much cheaper in the end.

On motion Report No. 4 of the Finance and Assessment was adopted and engrossed on the minutes.

Mr. Sing presented Report on House of Industry, recommending that no action be taken in the matter at present.

On motion of Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Stark, Report No. 2 on Road and Bridges was adopted and engrossed on the minutes.

Mr. McKechnie presented Report No. 2, of Finance and Assessment.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Donald. That the Report of Special Committee on House of Industry be adopted and engrossed on the minutes.—Carried.

Mr. McKechnie, introduced By-Laws Nos. 292, 293, and 294, for to regulate and assess the different municipalities of the County, and for purpose of levying a rate to meet expences for 1881, which were read a first time, ...

On motion By-Laws Nos. 292, 293, and 294 were read a second time.—Carried.

Mr. McRae, Chairman of Printing Committee, presented his report, recommending that the accounts of James H. ... for printing January minutes and advertising Courts, &c., be paid; also suggested that the Clerk be requested to furnish a copy of the minutes to the printer at least ten days after adjournment, which was adopted.

Council adjourned till 7 p. m.

COUNCIL ROOM, 7 P. M.

Council met. All the members present. The Warden in the chair.

The Report of School Inspector Grier, for East Riding, was read by the Warden, giving attendance of scholars in the different Townships.

The Council went into committee of the Whole on Report No. 2 of the Educational Committee. Mr. Campbell in the chair.

Clause 1, recommending an additional grant of $500 to the High School, was read and passed after considerable discussion. The Report was adopted and engrossed in the minutes.

Mr. McKechnie presented Report No. 3 of Finance and assessment.

On motion of Mr. Middleton, seconded by Mr. Sing, the Council went into committee of the whole, Mr. Myles in the chair.

Clause 1—Recommending that the salary of Mr. John Miller, Court House-keeper, be increased from $90 to $150 was passed.

Clause 2—Haye had under consideration a matter of arranging a settlement on the separation of Melancthon and Shelburn from this County, which had been recently left to arbitration, which was passed.

The Warden said he was one of the arbitrators in this matter, and the only thing not being finally settled was under By-law No. 174.

Mr. McRae advocated the adoption of the agreement rather than going into arbitration again.

Mr. McGirr, thought it would be well for the Treasurer to address the Council on the arrangement with Melancthon.

Mr. Parker, the County Treasurer, was then asked to address the Council. He shewed the basis upon which the award of $2100 to be paid to Melancthon under general account had been arrived at, and also award of $272,96 to the County under By-Law 107, and the award of $12,235 to the Municipalities grouped under Railway By-Law 174. At the first meeting held at Flesherton, it was mutually agreed that the County of Dufferin should issued its debentures at 10 yrs with interest at 6 per cent payable half yearly for the above amount of $12,235, but subsequently it was found that under the Special Act incorporating the County of Dufferin it was provided that each municipality forming the County of Dufferin, should settle its own indebtedness with the County from which it was taken. This discovery necessitated another meeting of the arbitrators to change the award from County of Dufferin to the township of Melancthon, which meeting was held in Shelburne, but unfortunately he was not able to be present, or yet Mr. Middleton, therefore the Warden was the sole representative for our County. At this Shelburne meeting the former award as to general account and By-Law 107 were sustained, but the award to By-law 174 was slightly changed in this respect, that Melancthon refused to provide a sinking fund to meet the $12,235, but preferred to pay the amount in ten annual payments with interest at 6 per cent on unpaid principal, to which the Warden finally agreed. This arrangement was was not as good as that entered into at Flesherton by about $650, but as fair and equitable settlements has been effected under general account and By-Law 107, he would not recommend the matter to be again opened up to arbitration, as it was quite possible if again opened up that a much settlement of $12,235 might be arrived at, in such case with the present rate of interest we are receiving on our sinking fund investments, such a settlement would be worse than even the Shelburne one, in fact many points such as Melancthon claim to a share of the profits on sinking fund already paid in, might be raised, and endless litigation and expense be caused, therefore taking every thing into consideration he strongly urged upon the Council the desirability of ratifying the Shelburne award.

Mr. Sing presented Report No. 6 of County Property Committee recommending that the Coal Stoves in the Court House and Goal be replaced with Wood Stoves, and that the Coal Furnaces be also replaced with one for burning wood. That 120 cords of wood be purchased for the use of Goal and Court House.

Council went into Committee of the whole on By-Law No. 296 to levy a rate to meet interest on By-Law No. 174, which was passed without amendment.

Mr. Sing presented Report of Special Committee, recommending that the salary of the Gaol Surgeon be increased from $250 to $260, which was adopted.

Council adjourned until 7 p.m. Friday evening.

FRIDAY EVENING 7 O'CLOCK.

Council meet Friday evening and adjourned until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

SATURDAY 9 A.M.

Members all present, the Warden in the chair. Minutes of Friday read and confirmed.

Moved by Mr. McKechnie, seconded by Mr. Messenger, That By-Laws Nos. 292, 293, 294, 295 be read a third time and engrossed on the minutes.

Mr Murdoch said in prosecuting a Pedlar for selling without a licence, in his township, the result of the case was likely to be adverse to them on account of not having a certified By-Law in regard to the same.

Moved by Mr. McColman, seconded by Mr. Thompson, that the 25c. per day per man be granted to the rank and file of the 31st Battalion now in camp at Niagara, and that such same be paid by the Treasurer to the Captain of each Company for distribution among the men, and that certified lists of the same be furnished to this Council—*carried*.

The yeas and nays being called for on this motion were as follows:—

Yeas—Wright, McColman, Campbell, Kerr, Stark, McRae, Hall, Howey, Cameron, Reid, McKechnie, Fox, Sparrow, Vasey, Kennedy, Malcom, Thompson—17.

Nays—McNichol, McCallum, Messenger, Myles, Boyd, Murdoch, McIntyre, Totten, McNaught, Winkler' McGirr, Sing, Abbott, Long Donald—15.

Capt. Butchart, being present, thanked the Council for the grant they had just made to the Volunteers of the 31st. It was an acknowledged fact that our Regiment was the best drilled and finest regiment at camp this year. The good conduct of the 31st was remarked by overyone. One of his reasons for coming from Manitoba was to go into camp with and take command of his company once more at least.

Moved by Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. Hall, that $50 be granted to repair the sink-hole in Allen's swamp on the Toronto and Sydenham road —*lost*.

Mr. McKechnie moved an amendment that $49.99 be granted, and that $75 be also granted for the purpose of covering the Bridge in the town of Durham, which was lost.

On motion made and seconded the Council adjourned until the second Wednesday in December at 7 o'clock, p.m.

No GOOD PREACHING.—No man can do a good job of work, preach a good sermon, try a law suit well, doctor a patient, or write a good article when he feels miserable and dull, with sluggish brain and unsteady nerves, and none should make the attempt in such a condition when it can be so easily and cheaply removed by a little Hop Bitters.—*Albany Times*.

JOKE ON PHRENOLOGY.

Fowler, phrenologist, was the victim of a mean trick by a Washington man. The latter had three photographs of himself taken, in one of which he appeared dressed as a woman; in another as a well to do architect; in the third as a spectacled professor. Then he sent the photographs on to Fowler for phrenological description. He received in a few days three charts. The "architect, was described as an impulsive person, of strong lung power, etc.; the "woman" seemed to have less lung power than the architect, and appeared "able to convert nutritious materials into healthy nutriment rapidly and abundantly." The two were well adapted to marriage. As to the "professor," he was described as unfit to marry, being of uncongenial temperament, etc.

STRANGLED IN A PERAMBULATOR

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Crabbe, of Vanauley street, Toronto, met its death on Tuesday under somewhat peculiar circumstances. Its mother had it out during the forenoon in a perambulator, and on coming in just before noon placed it, still in the perambulator, in a darkened room while she attended to her culinary duties. On going into the rooom sometime afterwards Mrs. Crabbe was horrified to find the little thing suspended from the carriage by the strap used to fasten it in and quite dead. It had evidently tried to get out, and in so doing had got caught by the neck after its body was over the side. The police were notified and subsequently the coroner. An inquest was not deemed necessary.

"MURDER WILL OUT."

DR. H. C. HALL SUSPECTED OF HAVING BEEN ... BY HIS ... A MAN ...

DAVISBURG, June 30.—About thirteen months ago Mrs. H. C. Hall died under circumstances which led to the belief that her death was caused by poison administered by her husband, a prominent physician of this place, but more recently from Corunna, the supposed cause being his criminal affection for a widow named Murgatroyd.

Dr. Hall was arrested on a charge of murder, but previous to his arrest the body was exhumed by his direction and the viscera removed by Dr. W. C. Wade, of Holly, assisted by the widower, and it is claimed sent to Detroit for analysis, though that has not been proved, and no trace of the parts can be found. The body was returned to the grave, but a few nights afterwards was stolen, and from that day till this morning it has been impossible to obtain any information which would lead to its recovery. In the meantime, Dr. Hall has been tried, the jury has disagreed, a new trial has been ordered, and the accused released on bail.

This morning, in consequence of the confession of a man who said he was one of the six who robbed the grave, the body was found under a straw stack on the farm of Isaac Davis, about half a mile from the cemetery in which it had been buried. The news of the discovery spread like wildfire, and soon hundreds of people from the neighborhood assembled at the spot, coming by every train from villages and cities along the line of the railroad, and by teams from other points, until this afternoon over 2,000 were thronging this little village, the total population of which is only a trifle over 300. The body was crammed in a barrel, the head and feet projecting from one end, and the whole in a perfect state of preservation; the skin white as marble, the flesh hard, and the features as beautiful in death as they had been in life. There was not a trace of offensive odour, and the opinion was freely expressed that so much arsenic must have been administered to the poor woman previous to her death as to act as a perfect preservative. The excitement was intense, and still continues. The impression is now universal that the woman was murdered by her husband, and if he had been where he could have been captured at any time to-day or this evening he would have been strung up to the nearest tree without the ceremony of a trial. As it is, there is a strong sentiment in favor of capturing and hanging him wheresoever he may take refuge, even if he has himself locked up in gaol for safety, as it is now thought he will do. He was in Corunna when the discovery was made to-day, and in obedience to a telegraphic warning started for Pontiac, where he now is. When he passed through that place, on the train which was here at 9 o'clock this evening, he was notified of the feeling against him, and of the necessity of his presence being unknown. There was an immense crowd at the depot, but they were not told of his being on the train, and to guard against discovery he crouched under the seats, those who were aware of his doing so not letting it be known until after the cars had left the station.—*Detroit Free Press.*

A WONDERFUL CLIMATE.

A WOMAN PRESENTS HER DELIGHTED HUSBAND WITH SEVEN GIRL BABIES AT ONE TIME.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 20.—A few days since the *Courier-Journal* contained a special from its Nashville correspondent to the effect that a woman residing in Jackson County, that State, had given birth to seven children at one time. The correspondent to-night telegraphs that after the first child was born the pains of labor continued. An examination convinced the physician that there were two instead of one, and the woman was soon delivered of a second child. Both girls. The physician gave directions as to the care of both mother and children, and prepared to take his leave. Before reaching his horse at the gate he was recalled, and delivered the woman of another girl baby. Again the physician took his leave, and again was recalled.

BRINGING TO LIGHT ANOTHER GIRL BABY.

This was considered remarkable, and the physician was greatly puzzled over the matter. He, however, congratulated the husband on his good fortune and departed for home. He had not gone more than half a mile when he was overtaken by the excited husband of the woman, who, in breathless haste, informed him that there was still another child to be born. Hastening back the physician arrived in time to aid in delivering the woman of her fifth child. The physician was then prevailed on by the husband and father to

STAY DURING THE REMAINDER OF THE NIGHT.

He was not slow to accept the invitation and sat down to await developments. In the course of 15 or 20 minutes he was again called to the bedside of the woman and very soon the sixth child was breathing the breath of life. Morning dawned and the doctor took his leave, having had no sleep during the night. He threw himself across the bed on his arrival at home, and was soon sound asleep. About eight o'clock he was aroused by his wife, who stated that Mr. B—— was at the gate and wished to see him immediately. "What is the matter now?" asked the doctor. "Mary appears to be going to —— you know," replied Mr. B——.

"WHAT! ANOTHER ONE?"

exclaimed the doctor, excitedly. "That's it," said Mr. B., with a smile spreading his mouth from ear to ear. The doctor mounted his horse and was soon at the house of Mr. B——. He was too late, to be of any service, as the seventh child, a girl, was born ...

The doctor ... his services during the rest of the ... services were ... gentleman who made the above statement, and it is ... his exact words says he has seen the seven babies several times, and while not large, weighing from four to five pounds each, they appear to be

HEALTHY, WELL DEVELOPED CHILDREN.

The occurrence has created considerable excitement in the neighborhood, and the people for miles around flock to see the woman and her babies.

The husband is described as being of small stature, and, in fact, exceedingly thin, while the woman is said to be strong and healthy. Physicians here are considerably excited over the affair, and some are talking of paying the family a visit. A most singular feature of the children is that all of them have blue eyes and so closely resemble each other that it is hard to tell "which from t'other."

A BRIDE OF A DAY.

Mrs. Mahoney, Meriden Conn., who has just been divorced from her husband, to whom she was married more than two years ago, enjoys the reputation of being the only live woman who never lived a day with her husband. On the evening of the wedding a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother. Late in the evening the groom was missing. The bride joined in the search for him, and finally found him lying in a bed-room dead drunk. The sight aroused the fiery temper of the bride, and there followed a scene. She declared she would not live with him. The friends of the newly-made couple tried to conciliate the bride, but they did not succeed, Mahoney had apartments nicely furnished, to which he intended to bring his bride, but the inducements of a pretty home seemed to have no effect on the bride. She was only 16. The household goods were sold, and Mrs. Mahoney went to Vermont and Canada, where she had relatives.

AN ACCOMMODATING RAILROAD.

Several days ago a stranger made his appearance at the Union depot and asked Officer Button how long before a Grand River Valley train would go out.

"In about twenty minutes," was the reply.

" then I'll have time to get a drink, won't I?"

"You will."

"That's good. I always perfer to travel on a stiff horn of whiskey."

He returned in five minutes, wiped his mouth on the back of his hand and asked:

"Has any train gone yet?"

"No sir you still have fourteen minutes to spare.

"That's good, and I guess I'll go back for a little brandy."

When he again returned he felt in good spirits, and, ascertaining that he still had six minutes to spare, he said:

"Now that's what I call liberal, and I'll lay in one more drink."

The last one proved more than he could bear up under, and he was not seen again for three hours. Then he came around with a wobble in his gait and an uncertain look in his eyes, and asked:

"Shay, what time does that Gran' River Valley train go out?"

"In about four hours."

"Fo' hours? Why, that'll give me time to get drunk again. Most 'commodating railroad I ever saw, eh?"

"Yes."

"Shay, I doan' want to be mean. Go'n tell superintendent he needn't wait for me any longer, 'cause 't may delay others. He's a zentleman, he is, an' I'm, a zentleman, I am but when a zentleman holds a train for me mos' half a day I can't impose upon him any longer. Shay, do you ever cry when you get zhrunk? I do, an' if you've no 'jeckshuns I'll cry now."

No objections being made he cried.

TO PREVENT DIPHTHERIA.

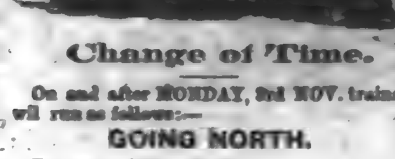
To prevent diphtheria, and finally exterminate it, every man, woman and child throughout our land and the world should be brought to obey the laws of life and health. Parents should regularly feed, properly clothe and duly restrain all children, before they come to the years of understanding and accountability. This alone would do much. A late prominent physican of Paris estimated that 8,000 chilhren had died in that city, during the thirty years of his practice there, from short sleaves, short pants, and other kindred imprudence in the dressing of children. And I am fully convinced that as large a portion are sacrificed, in towns at least, in this country, for the same cause—all for the wicked fashion. And from careful observation, in this country and abroad, I am confident that at least as many more are carried off by improper food and irregularity in taking it; together with poisonous candies, and other unwholesome and indigestible trash, that no child or other person should eat.

WAS HE MURDERED.

ANOTHER MYSTERIOUS CASE AT THE FALLS.

The dead body recently found in the Niagara River, near the Canadian ferry at Niagara Falls, proved to be that of Oliver L. Rowell, who until February last resided at Bath, N. Y., and came to the Falls at that time for the purpose of establishing himself in business as a carriage painter. He had about $800 in money with him. He put up at the Niagara House, and was last seen in company with a man named Doyle, clerk of the Niagara House, and another man McKay. He suddenly disappeared and no trace has been found of him since until his dead body was picked up in the river. He was identified more by the clothing than anything else, owing to the body being much decomposed. A post-mortem examination revealed the fact that a pistol bullet had been fired into the head of Rowell, but whether by himself or some other person could not be determined. The jury brought in a verdict to that effect. The probabilities is that he was murdered for his money. He was a sober, man, of quiet disposition.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.



Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7:20 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.20 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.06 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.20 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Orangeville—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, July 8th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

WHAT THE STANDARD WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

FEWER young boys on the streets after nine o'clock at night.

MORE of our villagers follow the examample of Messrs. Bowes, Hull, Dundas, E. Rutledge, and one or two others, in beautifying their grounds.

FEWER cows running at large.

BOYS of from 10 years up not permitted to use tobacco.

LESS profanity on our streets.

THE December sittings of our County Council done away with.

OUR County Council tackle the House of Refuge question, and settle it either one way or the other.

DOMINION DAY IN FLESHERTON.

THE weather was all that could be desired. At an early hour teams commenced pouring in loaded with men, women and children. A noteworthy feature on entering the village was the unusually large number of flags floating in the air from the business places as well as from many private dwellings, which betokens loyalty to our Dominion.

The horse races, which took place on the grounds of the East Grey Agricultural Society, came off in the afternoon, giving general satisfaction, and without any serious accident. The course was in excellent condition. There was good competition in each race. We have not yet learned what the receipts at the gate amounted to, but would judge from appearance there must have been over 1,000 spectators. We are unable to secure the prize list so far.

ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

On Saturday last, the whole world was thrown into deep sorrow at the report flashed over the wires, that an attempt had been made in cold blood, to assassinate the President of the United States.

No possible reason that we can see lead to the atrocious act. No more genial, talented and impartial statesman ever filled the chair of President of the United States. The high esteem in which he was held the world over, is shown by the messages of sympathy and sorrow that have been sent to him from all quarters of the globe. It is asserted by some that the cowardly scoundel who perpetrated the deed is insane, and was lead to the act from a desire to gain notoriety. Others again say it is the result of a deep laid plot by certain wire-pullers, to get the President out of their way as he was too straightforward and honorable to suit their purposes. For the sake of humanity we sincerely trust the first is the correct theory. At the time of writing the President is still alive and hopes are now being entertained of his ultimate recovery. We trust that these hopes may prove true and in saying so we believe we but utter the sentiments of every individual in our broad Dominion.

INTERESTING TO LADIES.

Our lady readers can hardly fail to have their attention called this week to the latest ... of improvements in the most useful of all domestic implements, the "sewing machine."

As we understand it, a machine for family use should meet first of all these requirements: It should be simple in its mechanism, so as to be easily managed; it should run easily, so as not to weary the worker unduly; it should do a wide range of work, that the owner need not wish for any other machine; it should be as nearly noiseless as possible, that it may not be a nuisance; it should be light, handsome, and durable, and as cheap as is consistent with excellence throughout.

These conditions the "Light Running New Home" certainly meets.

It has also several very important and useful attachments and "notions" of its own, which go far to make good its claims to popular favor.

Now a great many families have been and are still using the old machines—waiting for the times to improve; waiting for the latest improvements in designs and excellence.

But why delay longer? Considering the low price at which good machines are now sold, and the improvements that are made, now is a good time to buy, and the "New Home" specially recommends itself to purchasers on account of its superior mechanical construction, ease of management and reasonable price. Nearly half a million have been sold in the last three years, all of which are giving universal satisfaction. This unrivalled machine is manufactured by JOHNSON, CLARK & CO., 30 Union Square, New York, who wish us to say that all who will send for their new illustrated catalogue and enclose their advertisement (printed on another page), will receive a set of fancy advertising novelties of value to those collecting cards, &c.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

THE Meaford Road Union S. S. visited Eugenia on Monday, and celebrated their annual pic-nic.

From the smiling countenances of the couples met we would imagine they had enjoyed themselves immensely, notwithstanding that the thermometer registered 60° odd in the shade.

RED TAPE.—The Duputy Commissioner of Crown Lands is to visit Eugenia on Thursday, the 7th in order to settle a dispute in regard to certain reserves which had been asked for Agricultural Show Grounds. How they cannot grant lands reserved by the Crown without consulting private individuals who have forceibly taken possession of government land, knowingly, seems strange. Thursday may explain.

BIG BARN RAISINGS, Logging bees, stoning bees, etc., are having a big run. Lots of Turnips. ! ! !

Mr. Wright, from Manitoba, on a visit to some friends here, says that country is improving rapidly.

Land that could have been bought two years ago for $500.00, will now command as many thousands. How am dot for high? By golly, dot ish not so slow.

OSPREY.

From our own Correspondent.

Haying has commenced, and there is scarcely half a crop.

Spring crops are looking well.

There is considerable building going on, Mr. Thos. Gamey is erecting a brick house, and Mr. Jonathin Hickling also.

From the appearance of the crops, and prospect of good markets, there is no reason for discontent or grumbling, but rather the opposite.

DUNDALK.

Hot weather.

DUSTY roads.

BUSINESS quiet.

THE Tannery is progressing.

MR GORDON'S Horse, that got hurt at Flesherton races, has recovered.

AGRICULTURAL meeting here last Tuesday; result Fall Exhibition in Hopeville.

MR. THOS CAUGHLEY is putting two run of stones in his mill for Oat Meal; will also continue two run for gristing Flour.

DURING the months of July and August a weather report will be issued from the Meteorological Office, Toronto. The report is issued for the special benefit of the farming community and will indicate the probable state of the weather during the next twenty four hours. These reports have heretofore been issued at 10 a. m., and have been found to be very reliable. The change in time which has been made for the benefit of the farmers will no doubt be of good service. The report can be seen at office of the Dominion Telegraph office in Wilcox's Jewelry store.

By the timely use of the Extract of Wild Strawberry you may avert all disagreeable summer complaints, diarrhoea, dysentery, cholera morbus, etc., nothing is so pleasant in its cure, so rapid, reliable, and effectual, as Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. And the value of this medicine as an antidote in sour stomach, colic, cramps, seasickness, vomiting, and other irritations of the stomach and bowels is incalculable. It is safe and sure, and should be carried in the haversack of every traveller and tourist.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—A few weeks since your correspondent "Observer" called attention to the fact that the recent investigation of the financial affairs of the Glenelg Agricultural Society was after all but a partial affair, as it only extended over the time which Mr. Lyons was purse-bearer.

At the time that investigation was ordered it was silently assumed that the apparent deficiency was solely confined to the time of Mr. Lyons' Treasurership. Whether this was a correct assumption or not time and a further investigation alone can determine. There is no denying the fact that a very general, perhaps not always openly expressed, opinion prevails throughout the community that a further investigation should be instituted.

In view of this fact it is the duty of the Directors without delay to order such further investigation as the nature and exigency of the case demand.

At present there are numerous intelligent and well-to-do farmers in the vicinity of Markdale who ought to be, but who are not members of the Society, and who it is said are kept out because they have no faith in the "management." In order, therefore, to restore public confidence and to satisfy those friends of the Society who have given assistance so generously in the past, it is highly desirable that a further investigation of the accounts of the Society should be had. Of course, if the Directors fail to do their duty in this respect, the next annual meeting will not likely fail to note the fact and apply the needed remedy, viz: A radical change in the Directorate and a thorough investigation.

CISMA.

MARKDALE, June 25, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Will you kindly allow me, one of the injured ones, space to reply to the insinuations of an "old maid" whose letter appeared in the STANDARD of June 24th.

This maid of nineteen summers (as she says) is, in my estimation if a maid at all, twice, or perhaps more than twice, nineteen, whose hopes of ever possessing (*that boon of all earthly happiness*) a man is utterly blighted; therefore, to have satisfaction some way she vents her spite on the nobler sex. I for one hope it will be the means of easing her *poor heart*. I cannot conceive, my dear sir, how any lady of the tender years of nineteen could use such language towards men or have the experience she relates of the opposite sex. She seems very anxious to have her sentiments brought before the public, and in a way that is intended to prejudice the minds of younger ladies than herself, against the very beings she would give her eye-teeth to possess.

You can't be sure of the sentiments
Of a woman you see in print,
Nor yet be sure of herself for,
She's not as hard as flint.

You's truly,
½ past 3 & Twenty.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

The annual Pic-nic in connection with Zion Sabbath School, Glenelg, was held in Mr. Jack's Grove, on the 22nd inst. The day was fine but considerably cool for the season of the year, consequently the time was not so enjoyable as it otherwise would have been. The eatibles provided by the ladies were all that could be desired; and, after all had partaken heartily, the audience was called to order by Mr. Hunt, who briefely refered to the Sabbath School and its working. Mr. Thos. Cook, Sec., gave for the information and guidance of those concerned an account of moneys expended the standing of pupils, &c. Readings, Recitations and Discourses followed, and were listened to with marked attention.

Our good friend, Mr. Banks, of 2nd Con., Glenelg, entertained the audience at some length, and endeavored to impress upon those present the necessity of united effort in carrying on the Sabbath School. Rev. Jos. Edge brought the intellectual part of the entertainment to a close, by a few happy and suitable remarks, after he had for some time dwelt on the necessity of recreation, and the possibility of suitable enjoyment of an innocent and sinless nature.

"AUDIO."

Glenelg June 28th 1881.

We learn from the Telegraph reports to the Mail that 600 pic-nickers who partook lemonade, on July 4th, at a place called Warrensburg in the state of Mo., were poisoned, caused by acid being put into the mixture. Eight have died and 100 are in a critical condition. The vendor of the stuff has been arrested.

WE have received specimen sheets of Lovell's Business and Professional Directory for the Province of Ontario. It is got up in Mr. Lovell's usual style, and when we say that, no further praise is necessary. A work of this kind is a prodigious undertaking and requires a great amount of business energy and outlay of money, and we sincerely hope Mr. Lovell will receive the united support of the business community of Ontario. Subscription for the work is $5, which, considering the magnitude of the work, we consider is very cheap. For rates of advertising see adv. in another column.

WE learn from the O. S. *Advertiser* that while the ... was in progress on Dominion Day in that town the clothes of a young lady named Woolrich, who was driving round the grounds with a person named Brock, were ignited by a spark from a cigar which the young man was smoking. As soon as the young lady felt the fire she jumped from the buggy and started to run, and of course was almost immediately enveloped in flames. She was immediately surrounded by some gentlemen and forcibly thrown down, and the flames smothered, but not until her entire clothing was almost completely consumed. She was severely burned, but we are happy to say she is recovering slowly from her injuries.

QUITE a number of the children belonging to the Markdale and Orange Valley Presbyterian S. Schools, their parents, and a number of friends to the good cause gathered at Thompson's Grove, Orange Valley, on July 1st to hold their annual picnic as announced. Old Sol favored us with his appearance that day, and before he had got far on his journey flocks of the small folks could be seen joyously wending their way to the grounds. By noon the pots were singing about "The cosy cup of Tea." S. S. Picnics are always for the amusement of the young and judging from the manner in which the juveniles took part in the swinging, croquet, base ball, and the alimonious part, they put in a staving time. The Teachers did not turn out as well as they should have done, in future we hope such will not be the case.

The ladies of the Congregation fully sustained their reputation, not only for quality but for quantity of eatables. There was also base ball, croquet, and swings, for those who liked such amusements, about 4 o'clock the assembly was called to order and Mr. E. Hicks, the Superintendent of the School called to the chair, after which a very suitable programme was gone through with, consisting of recitations, and dialogues by several of the scholars, all of which were well rendered, while two or three showed really superior talent, then the report by the Sec.-Treas., Mr. John Wiley, showed a good, healthy, financial state Short addresses were given by Mr. Bowes, Markdale, and the two retiring pastors, Revs. Walker and Garnett, the whole interspersed with good singing by the school, after singing the Doxology, the benediction pronounced by the Rev. C. C. Garnett, all took their homeward way, feeling all the better of having met. Proceeds, $23.00

EAST GREY REFORM ASSOCIATION.—An adjourned meeting of East Grey Reform Association was held at Flesherton on Thursday, 28th ult., when the following officers were elected:—President, Jas. Clelland, Meaford; 1st Vice, Thos. Gillilands, Eugenie; 2nd Vice, Mr. Henderson, Flesherton; 3rd Vice, H. Graham, Dundalk; Wm. Brown, Markdale, was re-elected Secretary-Treasurer. The following gentlemen were appointed Conveners of the different Township Associations, each one to be President of the same *ex officio*, until others are elected:—Artemesia—Thorp Wright, Flesherton P. O. Collingwood Township — Dr. Hunt, Clarksburg P. O. Euphrasia—W. J. Clark, Epping P. O. Holland—John Cameron, Arnott P. O. Osprey—Archibald McIntyre, McIntyre P. O. Proton—Duncan McMillan, Hopeville P. O. St. Vincent and Meaford—Mr. Christie, Meaford P. O.

FASHIONEBLE WEDDING.—We have this week to chronicle another victim to the wiles of Cupid. Mr. A. Dunlop, Baker and Confectioner, becoming disgusted with single blessedness, shuffled off the mortal coil of bachelorhood and became a full-fledged benedict on Thursday night, June 30. The happy man was supported through the trying ordeal by Messrs. George Bloomfield and —— Tait. The blushing bride, Miss Hattie Bloomfield, who looked charming, was supported by Miss Lemon, Owen Sound; Miss Tais, Meaford; and Miss Amelia McFarland. We would give a description of the Ladies' dresses, but although a benedict ourselves, our *forte* does not lie in that line. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's father. Mr. and Mrs. Dunlop have our best wishes and we hope their journey through life will be brim full of happiness, and we doubt not it will be, as they did not forget the Printer.

ANOTHER enjoyable affair came off at New England on Wednesday the 22nd ult., when the Zion Primitive Methodist S. S. held their annual anniversary picnic. Though the day was a little chilly, still every body and their wives and sweethearts seemed to enjoy themselves.

THE Annual Pic-Nic of Christ Church Sunday School was held on the 1st inst, in Mr. Walker's grove. The day was all that could be desired, and the attendance was good. From 1 o'clock until four was spent in croquet, swinging, base ball, and singing. In the cool of the evening races and jumping was the order of the day, and the various prizes were keenly contested for, after which the little ones were collected for supper. Judging from the rappid manner in which the good things disappeared, the youngsters evidently thought this the best part of the program. Shortly after 6 o'clock all wended their way homewards apparently well pleased with their afternoon's enjoyment.

"We have just ... a copy of the *Electric Age*, No. 3 of ... a monthly journal published in the interest of the Science of Electro-Therapeutics, edited by S. Vernoy, 197 Jarvis-street, Toronto. It treats on the cause and cure of diseases by Electricity, the essence of life, health, happiness, &c., supported by authority well calculated to convince the sceptic. This is a branch of science of vast interest to afflicted humanity, and we need all the light and improvement possible—the more the better. The evidence given as proof of the marvellous results is conclusive."

FROM the many reports and rumors that are afloat it is likely that the attempt on President Garfield's life is only the beginning, what the end will be it is impossible to say. Blain has been threatened; the Vice President has been told that should Garfield die he, Arthur, will not be permitted to take his place, and now it is Conklin that is to be slaughtered. Happy country, those United States.

A sad accident occurred near the Sauble on Dominion Day wherby a young man named Wakefield lost his life. He was riding one of his horses to the pasture when the animal bolted throwing him on his head and fractured his skull. He lived about 24 hours, but never was conscious.—*O. S. Advertiser.*

ACCIDENT.—While gumming a saw a Mr. Moore, of Flesherton, got his skull fractured from the bursting of an Emery wheel which he was using. His injuries though serious are not likely to prove fatal as he is said to be in a fair way to recovery.

WE have recieved No. 2 of the *Leader*, a new paper in Tara. It is a 24 column, neatly got up, with a good advertising patronage to commence with and is to be independent in politics. We wish our *cotem* success.

THE Orange Lodges composing this District, with several neighboring Lodges, intend celebrating the 12th in Mardale this year.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

A NEVADA SNAKE STORY.

Probably there is no animal on earth so intelligent and humane as a Nevada rattle snake. A little girl, four years old, belonging to a farmer, who was run away with in the mountains the other day while her father got out of the waggon to get a drink—at the spring. As she was one of twelve daughters, he hated to spoil the set, and so pushed on after her, but with little hopes of overtaking the frightened animal. Presently he found the horse right on the edge of a precipice unable to move one inch. One end of the strap had caught round his fetlock, the other end round a tree and held him tight. When the farmer went to pull on the strap he jumped about ten feet, for a rattle snake was holding the horse. It had wound its tail around the horse's leg, its neck was turned three times round a sapling, and its teeth where fast in the wood. It was twelve feet long, for the farmer measured it, A few pounds more strain would have snapped the snake clear in two. The snake wasn't over five feet long really, for when the farmer took the strain off it came right back to its natural size, for the snake is a very elastic animal. The child wasn't frightened in the least. This story must be true, for the farmer was there and saw it all, and *says* it is true. He wanted four copies of the paper—the *Carson Appeal*—if it published the item, to send to his relatives in the East. We take the liberty of extending the information to his acquaintances in the other parts of the country. Those who know him best and admire him most will be glad to hear that he is doing so well out in Nevada.

The Southern papers are full of wonders and freaks of nature. The Louisville *Courier-Journal* contained recently a marvellous tale about the mother of seven children at a birth, and now we read in a South Carolina paper of a lawyer who charged a fee for his services which his client declared was exorbitant. Finally the lawyer said: "Well, sir, you know me well enough to know that while I do not overcharge my clients, I hold myself professionally bound not to underbid my brethren of the profession. I shall not sue you, for you are my old friend as well as a client, and the matter is left entirely to your own discretion." The next day the client paid the amount he deemed just, and on getting a receipt handed the lawyer a note and departed. The note expressed his thanks and gratitude for the able manner in which his case had been conducted, and along with this note was a handsome amount which he begged his counsel to accept from him as a mark of his esteem, great regard and gratitude. These newspapers must not tax the public credulity too far.

A Minnesota school teacher who was in the habit of making love to his pupils, was sued by one of them for breach of promise. He had been so attentive to so many that he could not remember anything, particularly, which occurred between himself and plaintiff, until she produced a photograph of him in the act of kissing her. In a moment of unusual spooniness she had persuaded him to sit for his picture with the resule mentioned, and the jury found a verdict in her favour.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—The Ontario Minister of Education has just given an important decision. Mr. Lee, a member of the Board of the Toronto Collegiate Institute, had his seat contested on the ground that he could not legally be a trustee and act as secretary and treasurer of the Board, but the Minister has written that there is nothing in the Act of 1881 or any previous Act to disqualify any trustee from holding the position, providing the work is done gratuitously. Mr. Kee has had no remuneration for the work, and he therefore retains his seat.

An organ costing $10,000 has just been placed in the Queen's Avenue Methodist Church at London, and will be heard for the first time next Sunday. It is the best organ in western Ontario.

The proceedings in connection with the extradition of the Feenleys had been completed by one of the constables quitting the gaol and making a formal arrest on the charge of murder. The information is laid by Patrick Donnelly. The next step will be to bring the prisoners before a magistrate, which probably be done this week.

A LITTLE girl called one of her dolls, a jointless creature, her "woman's rights doll." "But why do you call her so?" asked her aunt, a lecturer on that much discussed question. "Oh, 'cause," the child answered, "she's just like you; she can't ever sit down and be comfortable."

MARRIED.

CONNOLLY—HUGHES.—At the R. C. Church, Glenelg, on the 6th inst., by Rev. Father Cashen, Mr. Thomas Connolly, of Glenelg to Miss Ellen Hughes, of Artemesia.

DUNLOP—BLOOMFIELD.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Markdale, by the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, on the 30th June, Mr. A. Dunlop, Baker, to Miss Hattie Bloomfield, all of Markdale.

DIED.

STRAIN,—In Flesherton, on Friday, July 1st, Alice, daughter of Wm. Strain, aged two years and 8 months.

HACKEN.—At Flesherton Station, Monday, July 4th, Harry, youngest son of Wm. Hacken.

ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS ! REWARD.

THE above reward will be paid to any person or persons giving such information as will lead to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who, on the Fourth day of July, 1881, wrote a threatening letter to Mrs. McFarland.

W. J. McFARLAND,
PER J. D. B.

Markdale, July 5, 1881. 43-1i

5000 Telegraph Poles, WANTED IN JULY,

ON the T., G. & B. Railway, between Dundalk and Markdale, from 30 to 50 feet long, for which the highest price will be paid in cash.

WM. NELSON.

Dundalk, July 7, 1881. 43-1i

Voters' List, 1881

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG, COUNTY OF GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the third and fourth sections of "*The Voters' List Act*," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal elections, and that said list was first posted up at my Office, at Durham, on the thirtieth day of June, 1881, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said list, if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated this fourth day of July, 1881

JAMES BROWN,
43-1i Clerk of the said Municipality.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Glenelg, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1881, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of Nine Hundred Dollars, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of Union School Section No. 12, Artemesia and Glenelg, to erect a school house in said section, and that said By Law was registered in the Registry Office in the South Riding of the County of Grey, on the Sixteenth day of June, A. D. 1881.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months from the date of registration, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the Fourth day of July, 1881.

JAMES BROWN,
43-3i Clerk.

Thumb and Fingers

For everybody will be found at the

THORBURY NOVELTY WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to inform the farmers of Grey and Bruce, that he has bought the right of the above named counties to make and sell Dillingham's patented Thumb and Finger Barley Fork, which is pronounced by all who have seen it to be the best Barley Fork out. You can load three loads to two against any other Barley Fork. I am also turning out an Extra good lot of the

Mastin Grain Cradles and Spinning Wheels,

This season. Good Fork and Hoe Handles can be bought here from 5c to 10c each.

☞ Give me a call, and I will guarantee satisfaction.

J. H. HAMILTON,
THORNBURY.

Thornbury, June 16, 1881. 40-4w

HAGYARDS PECTORAL BALSAM.

Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.

☞ Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors Toronto.

STRAYED.

FROM Lot 133, 1st con. N. E. of T. & S. Road, Artemesia, one White Ewe and Lamb. Ewe had at time lost a rope around neck, and lamb was lame of one hind leg. Any person givin information as to their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

WM. DAVIS.

June 28, 1881. 43-1 in.

D. J. SHANAHAN'S WAGON and Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,

SPRING WAGGONS,

LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

MONEY to LEND AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING.

Markdale, ... 1881. 33-3m

Harvest Tools

Scythes,

Snaths,

Cradles,

Hay Forks,

Barley Forks

Rakes,

Sickles,

&c., &c.,

CHEAP!

AT

Haskett Bros.

Markdale, June 23, 1881. 41 al.m.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, Euphrasia, on Town-line Euphrasia and Holland, on or about the 28th of May, Four Ewes and Four Lambs. Three of the Ewes are white and one grey—Lambs are all white. The Ewes are marked on the right shoulder with tar, and one Lamb has a black spot on its hind leg. Any person who will give such information as will lead to their recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

ADAM HOLBERT.

Harkaway, June 29, 1881. 42-3 in.

STRAYED.

From the premises of the subscriber, lot 25, 5th con. Glenelg, on the 23rd of June, 5 two-year-olds, two of which were Steers, both were grey in color, one with large horns. 3 heifers, one of which is the same color as steers, the other two red, one slightly brindled.

JAMES SULLIVAN.
Priceville, P. O.

Glenelg, June 30, 1881. 42 3 in.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received up to the 8th of July, for the erection of a Two Story Brick Building, 24 by 34, to be completed in September.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the STANDARD Office.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Markdale, June 28, 1881.

TO LET.

50 *Acres of Good Pasture, well Watered, to Let.*

The subscriber will take a limited number of Cattle, Horses, &c., to pasture.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, June 8, 1881. 39-ly

SHTOP! ... T. MULAR... CHURNS, ... WASH-TUBS ... Repairing Done ...

D. MAXWELL ... REAPER, ... MOWER ...

Markdale, June 1 ...

July 7th, 1881. JOHNSON, CLARK ...

Robt. S. ...

TAIL[OR] ...

Sydenham St ...

MARKDA[LE] ...

Markdale, July 7, 1881.

Dissolution of Partnership

TAKE NOTICE, that the ... heretofore existing between the ... under the name of Grant & Chis... inet Makers, in the Village of ... this day been dissolved by mutual ... Any liabilities due by the late Firm ... borne by Mr. Geo. Grant, who ... carry on the business, and ... them are to be paid to him.

Dated 23rd June, A. D. 1881.

GEORGE G...
ALFRED C...

Witness, D. J. MACMILLAN.

WANT[ED]

A GOOD Driving Horse ... years old, about 15½ hands ...

Markdale, June 20, 1881.

MARKDALE Sash and Door Facto[ry]

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS, FRA[MES]

Lumber, Lath and Shin[gles]

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Fi[lled]

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity ... very liberal patronage there given him in the past, and hopes by close attention ... a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBE[R]

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESS[ED]

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the ... and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turn[ing]

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA...

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, July 1st, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

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Markdale, July 7, 1881.

...RAYED ... ADAM HOLBERT.
...RAYED ... JAMES SULLIVAN.
CONTRACTORS. ... C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Dissolution of Partnership.
TAKE NOTICE, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of Grant & Chisholm ... Dated 23rd June, A.D. 1881. GEORGE GRANT. ALFRED ...
Witness, D. J. MACMILLAN.

...LET. ...ood Pasture, well ...d, to Let. ... WM. BROWN.

WANTED
A GOOD Driving Horse ... Markdale, June 20, 1881.

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...ORS, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS,
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...00 Yards of Prints, new spring styles, ... 9, 10, 11 and 12½ cents, fast colors.
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Grand opening of the millinery show rooms next week. All the novelties in Flowers, Silks, Bonnets, Hats, Feather Costumes, Ribbons, Laces, &c., &c. Under the superintendence of a first-class milliner.
In fact my premises are crowded from cellar to garret with goods, all at bottom figures.

W. J. McFARLAND, Importer. Wholesale and Retail

THE STANDARD.

Friday. July 1st, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Very warm.

Rain wanted.

Haying has commenced.

...son's new Brick building is up ...story.

A new side walk this week on Queen ...

...... shipped 6,000 lbs of ... last week.

...e Alexander has removed to ...is, Walpole Township.

G. J. Blyth has left town and resides in Owen Sound.

The letter from our Correspondent crowded out. Will appear next week.

Several new, four inch plank, crossings in the village this week. Quite an improvement on the old bumpers.

"Temper is everything," and in the pens of the Esterbrook Steel Pen Company the temper will be found all that is to be desired.

The Rev. J. Eakin, B. A., Presbyterian minister of Dundalk, will preach (D.V.) in the Dufferin Hall, Markdale, on Sabbath evening next at 6.30 p.m.

We understand there is to be an excursion on the first of August to Chicago. Fare $10, good for eight days.

The Rev. A. Wilson, Presbyterian minister of Markdale, will preach (D.V.) in Dundalk on Sabbath next at 6.30 p.m.

The hay crop is very poor, would almost require the aid of spectacles to find it. Wilcox has the celebrated Lazarus & Moris.

We would call attention to the adv. of Mr. R. S. Rae in another column. His reputation as a tailor is too well established to require any puffing from us.

As will be seen by advertisement Mr. Wm. Nelson, of Dundalk, wants 500 telegraph poles during this month for which the highest price will be paid.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

Mr. J. H. Hamilton wishes us to state that any infringement on the Thumb and Finger Barley Fork will be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law.

For the special benefit of the farming community the weather probabilities will be received at the office of the Montreal Telegraph Company here during the months of July and August at 8 a. m.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

Honor Roll of S. S. No. 4, Artemesia, for the month of June.—Fourth Class—marks obtainable, 875. Joseph Orr, 834; Jos. Higginbotham, 815; Annie Bannon, 311. Third Class—Ellen Ross, 306; Jno. Stinson, 219; Jas. Higginbotham, 207. Second Class—Hilliard Hutcheson, 351; R. Lyons, 349; Edith Bannon, 336.—Thomas H. Little, Teacher.

Thousands of our little ones are lost annually from cholera infantum, diarrhœa and the summer complaints, whose lives might be preserved by the timely use of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the greatest and most reliable specific known for all summer ailments. For sale at all Drug Stores. See advertisements in another column.

Runaway Accident.—While Mr. J. Montgomery, Baker, of this Village, was going from Flesherton Station to Flesherton Village on Tuesday, his horse took fright at something and ran away. Mr. M. was thrown out and the waggon ran over him. He was injured about the head and also internally. He was brought home on Wednesday.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

The Rev. Mr. Corcoran, the minister who takes the place of Rev. C. C. Garnett, arrived last week, and has entered upon his duties. Mr. Garnett took his departure for Gravenhurst a week ago yesterday.

Be Wise and Happy.—If you will stop all your extravagant and wrong notions in doctoring yourself and families with expensive doctors or humbug cure-alls, that do harm always, and use only nature's simple remedies for all your ailments—you will be wise, well and happy, and save great expense. The greatest remedy for this, the great, wise and good will tell you, is Hop Bitters—rely on it.—*Press.*

Bazaar and Garden Party.— The Ladies' Aid of Christ Church, Markdale intend having a Garden Party and Bazaar on the 12th inst. The Bazaar will be held in the shop lately occupied by Mr. Walker, Tinsmith, and the Party in the Garden adjoining. The garden will be lighted up with Chinese Lanterns, and there will be Strawberries, Ice-cream, Lemonade, Music and singing. Refreshments can be had in the Garden during the afternoon at moderate charges. Proceeds in aid of the Church funds.

Brooches, Eardrops, Rings, Lockets, &c., &c., in great variety, at Wilcox's.

Mr. and Mrs. ...... will accept our thanks for the large piece of Wedding cake left on our table on Wednesday. Our P. D. says it was just "Boss" and wishes that some more big hearted folks would get married.

Spectacles, to suit all sights, at Wilcox the Jewellers.

We noticed on Wednesday, the delivering of three very fine steers to Mr. A. Lyons, cattle dealer, by Mr. John Ford, of Mount Royal Farm. One of the animals was two years old, and the others three. The price paid for them was $125. Such stock is a credit to the raiser, and Mr. F. thinks a decided refutation to the assertion made by one of our village butchers some time since, that he, Mr. F., raised nothing but scrubs.

Travellers and tourists should always be provided with Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the best remedy in the world for curing suffering brought on for eating unripe or sour fruits, bad milk, impure water, change of water and climate. The great remedy for all summer complaints.

Some contemptible wretch, on Monday last, taking advantage of the absence of her husband to frighten a lady, sent Mrs. McFarland a threatening letter. A reward of $100 has been offered for such information as will lead to the discovery and conviction of the dastard.

The most pleasant, rapid, reliable and effectual remedy yet discovered for diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, and all summer complaints, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is unsurpassed as a reliable specific in the above diseases, is well known as a great remedial agent, and is more highly valued the longer it is known. Travellers and tourists should carry a supply in their haversack. For sale by all Dealers in Medicines.

The Ladies Aid Society in connection with the Methodist Church held a Strawberry and Ice Cream festival in "Fleshers Grove," which was well patronized. The eatibles were served up in good style and were powerfully good. They also held a concert in the evening which was well attended. Proceeds of both combined $60.

Two car loads of Implements, manufactured by Haggartt & Cochrane Brampton and St. Thomas, were shipped to Dundalk two weeks ago, and have all been sold since that time by W. H. McCartee, of Meaford, agent for Grey Co., and still they come. The above machinery is very popular, as the great number of sales effected goes to prove.

Thousands of children are lost annually from cholera infantum, diarrhœa, and the summer complaints, whose lives might be preserved by using Extract of Wild Strawberry. Physicians recommend and use it constantly. It is a remedy well known, and more highly valued the longer known. It is for sale at all drug stores, and is within reach of every one. See advertisements in another column.

The banks will not be permitted to issue $4 bills after the 1st of July, and the bills of that denomination will be all destroyed as they are returned to the various banks of issue. In future the Government only will issue bills of less denomination than $5.

A game of Lacrosse in Manitawaning last Tuesday between the club of the place, and Owen Sound club. The Manitawaningites beat in two straight games.

The remedy that has had the most remarkable success in the cure of diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, and, indeed, every kind of summer complaint, brought on by eating improper food, such as raw vegetables, unripe or sour fruits, bad milk, impure water, etc.,—the remedy that is the most pleasant, rapid, reliable, and effectual, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is the finest remedy for summer complaints known. For sale by all dealers.

Copies of Testimonials for Dillingham's Thumb & Finger Barley Ford.—Mr. Sidney Dillingham's Patent Thumb and Finger Barley Forks surpass all other Barley Forks that I have seen. It carries the forkful to the load in as compact a form as if it were bound. In a windy day one man can do the work of two. I have ordered four forks for this season, one for each of my farms.—H. Reazin Fenelon.

I have used Mr. Dillingham's Barley Fork and find it to work complete. I had two steel forks, and from the effectual working of this fork, I was induced to buy two of them which work to my entire Satisfaction and can consequently recommend it to all farmers.—W. H. Jewell, Mariposa.

I take much pleasure in recommending Dillingham's Barley Fork, as I firmly believe it has to-day no equal. I used one last Season, and have ordered another for next season. —D. J. McKinnon, Oak Wood.

Having used Mr. Dillingham's Barley Fork, I find it to do its work complete and the very thing designed for loose barley. I have steel forks besides two of Mr. Dillingham's, but prefer the latter to any I have ever seen or used, and highly recommend its utility to the public.—E. Richie, Cambry.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.20	"	0.25
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.24
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	[illegible]	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.00	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Thursday, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.50	"	0.50
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	5.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 27c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 20	to	$1 23
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 28
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs...	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 30	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

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Will move into my new premises shortly in Sproule's Block shortly. No time to write advertisements just now, although ready to wait on you should you drop in. No stale goods in my establishment.
A. McINTYRE.
Markdale, Dec 18, 1880.

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To lend through the Flesherton Agency, at
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STRAIGHT LOANS. If you are paying 9 and 10 per cent. interest? If you need a barn? If your fences are not sufficient? If you want to buy more land? If you want to clear and improve more land?
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CONVEYANCING. Deeds, Wills, Leases, Mortgages, Agreements, &c., &c., on short notice, and work **Corectly** and **Neaty** done. In this line my business has increased and is increasing, I am now doing the largest business in the Riding.
AUCTION SALES attended in either Town or Country, and Bills supplied free of charge; also, all necessary Blanks and Stamps.
LANDS FOR SALE AND TO RENT. To any having lands to dispose of I offer a **splendid chance** to advertise. It don't cost you a cent till your farm is sold, and you can withdraw at any time. I also realize better prices than the Proprietors themselves. Correspondence solicited. In every department of my business I make **carefulness, correctness,** and **fair dealing** the prominent features, and charge as low as any reliable man.
ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent
Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

Millinery! Millinery!
HILL BROS.,
Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is nicely assorted, comprising
Trimmed Hats & Bonnets,
CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES,
RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND TIES,
ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMINGS,
LADIES' MANTLES
CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.
Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches.
We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement, but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.
Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.
HILL BROS.
Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

Announcement!
LATE IMPORTATIONS
OF
Seasonable Goods,
AT
Greatly Reduced Prices,
AT THE
TORONTO HOUSE.
Wm. BROWN.
Markdale, April 19, 1880.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Proton Council, as per adjournment, met at Cedarville as a Court of Revision for the final Revision of the Assessment Roll and other business, on Tuesday, 14th June, 1881, at ten A. M. Members of Court all present. The Reeve presiding. The Minutes were read of the previous meeting and confirmed. Several communications and petitions were received and read.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Buckley, That Charles Gilbert be placed on the Roll as Owner for lot 14 con. 7.

Wm J. Armstrong and Charles Armstrong, Tenants for lots 236, 237 and 238, 1st Range.

Charles Fothergill, Tenant for five acres and house of lot 220, Range 1, at a value of $100.

James Fannel, Tenant for lot 5, Main-st., part of lot 231, con 2, W. G. Hicks, Owner, at a value of $200.

G. Saunders, Owner, G Liddell, tenant, for lot 20, con. 12, at a value of $700.

Hugh McGurrin, tenant for lot 17, con. 17, at a value of 550.

Wm Wood be placed on the Roll for $100 instead of $50.

Jas McMullen, Owner lot 24, con. 5, and Patrick and Jas Phelan, tenants.

Joseph McArdle be placed on the Roll, owner of 2 acres assessed to Jno Hopkinson for $350, being part of lot 12, con. 12.

Benjamin Snears, assessed for lot 28, con. 5.

Thos Rutherford, owner for lot 9, Block M, instead of Isaac Traynor.

Adam Traynor, owner for lot 32, con. 7, and 31. con 9, instead of Isaac Traynor.

L. W. Yeomans, owner of lot 29, con. 3, instead of John Page, removed.

Hugh Wilson, owner for lot 17, con. 6, instead of John Page.

Abbott—Buckley—That lot 11, con. 6, on Non-Resident Roll, be entered in the Resident Roll to Arch'd McCannell, and lot 33, con. 1, to Jas D. Stevens, Kleinburg. Carried.

Black—Buckley—That William Egan's assessment be reduced $60, personal property on account of the death of 12 of his cattle. Car.

Abbott—Buckley—That Michael Ryan be placed on the Roll for lot 22 con. 7. now assessed to Patrick Ryan—Carried.

McArdle—Abbott—That the whole of lot 10 on the 5th con. be assessed to James McEwen, and that the east half of said lot, assessed to Duncan be struck off the Roll. Car.

McArdle—Abbott—That the personal property assessed against Rob't Gillespie of lot 4 in the 6th con., be struck off the Roll as against the said lot. Car.

Buckley—McArdle—That Patrick Mulhall be placed on the Roll as owner of lot 39, con. 9, instead of John Mulhall. Car.

Buckley—Abbott—That Mrs. Tamnon, lot 21, con. 7, and also James Logan, lot 27, con. 7, be placed on the Roll as supporters of the Separate School, Section No. 6. Car

Abbott—Buckley—That lots G & H (Doyle's Survey) Dundalk, now assessed to Samuel McCullough, be placed on the Roll to John Gardiner, and that John Montgomery be placed on the Roll as owner for lot 39, con. 11, instead of Farmer's Son; and Jas McLean be placed on the Roll for Farmer's Son for lot 19, con. 15.—Carried.

Black—Buckley—That the Assessment Roll, as amended, be now finally passed and certified. Car.

At this stage the Council proceeded to the general business of the Township.

Abbott—McArdle—That the Reeve issue an Order to the Trustees of School Section No. 11, for the $20 granted said Section on presenting the Inspector's Certificate. Car.

Abbott—Buckley—That the petition of John McLuhan and others to detach the 1st con. from lots 8 to 12 inclusive, from S. Section 9, and joined to a Union Section of Proton, Luther, Arthur and Egremont, be granted, and that Edward Cavanagh be appointed Referee on behalf of this Township. Car.

Abbott—Buckley—That the Petition of John Mulhall and others be received, and that a grant of $10 be given to improve the road on cons. 2 and 3, at lot 28, provided a similar amount be expended by the Councillor of the division. Car.

McArdle—Buckley—That the Petition of Henry Yemen and others be received, and the parties be heard the next meeting of Council, and that the Clerk give the necessary notice to those interested. Car.

Buckley—McArdle—That this Council grant $5, providing that the Councillor of Division No. 1 grant $5 for the purpose of putting on a Bridge and cutting on the Hog's-back on the West side of said bridge.—Carried.

McArdle—Black—That lot 10 on con. 7 be placed in the Road Division of Alexander Gillies. Car.

McArdell—Black—That the acc't of Stovel & Son for $6 72 and C. W. Rutledge of $10 10, be paid, Car.

McArdle—Abbott—That the Petition of James Fletcher and others be received, and providing the petitioners perform the amount of work proposed in their petition, under the Councillor in the Division, and that Mr. Buckley grant $10, then this Council grant $10. Car.

McArdle—Black—That the application of Thos. Rogers and others for this Council to memorialize the Honourable the Postmaster-General to have a regular Mail route established between Mount Forest and Dundalk, via Cedarville and Hopeville, and to have a regular Stage on the said Road, and that J. J. Middleton, John Abbott, and Joseph McArdle be a Committee to draft the same. Car.

Abbott—McArdle—That the Reeve issue an Order in favour of Thos. Talbot for the am't of $20, as a settlement in full of his claim for having his lot sold by the Sheriff, through an error in his assessment. Car.

Black—McArdle—That the Taxes in arrear for lot 2, con. 19, for the year 1880, be erased on Mr. Daniel Ferguson paying the Treasurer the sum of $5 70, being total balance—Carried.

Black—McArdle—That a grant of $10 be given to improve the Townline between Egremont and Proton, con. 19 providing Egremont give an equivalent to said amount. Car.

Buckley—McArdle—That this Council adjourn to meet at Mr. Hay's Hotel, Bell's Corner's, on the second Tuesday in July. Car.

JOHN VERT,
Tp Clerk.

Clerk's Office,
June 28, 1881.

This confounded slang does raise the very mischief. When a handsome young wife went to a hardware store to get one of those wooden contrivances to smash potatoes, and said, "I want a smasher," every man in the shop, from the boss to the office boy, started to attend her.

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,

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J. GORDON.
Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

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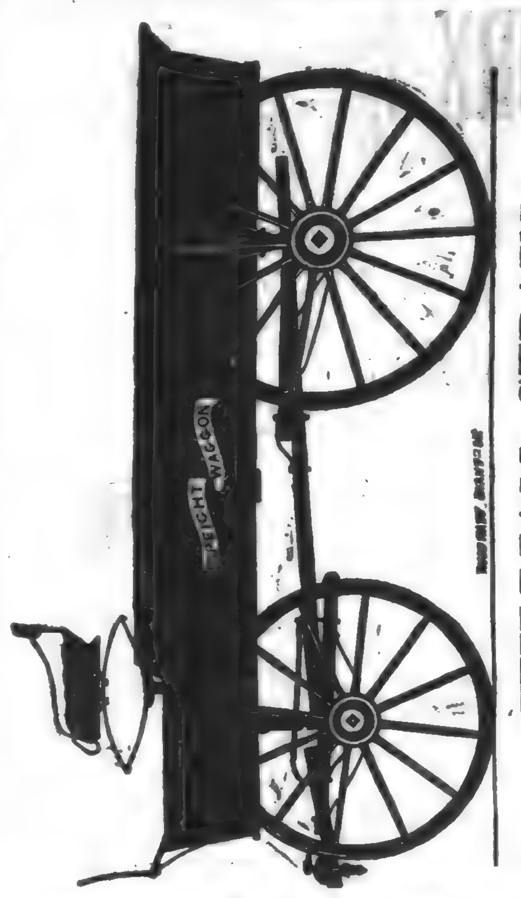
THEOPHILUS HALL.
Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



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Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.
Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

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The People's
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BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

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Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

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W. J. McFARLAND
Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

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All parties, are hereby warned agaist trespassing on above lot.

THOS. H. YOUNG.
Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

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Markdale, Dec. 16 4mt

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Wm HOGG.
Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

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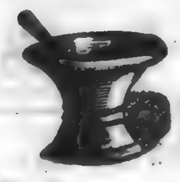

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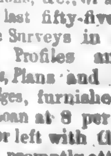

Mr. James J. White, ...ant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound, WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in ...month, when he will be prepared to perform operations required upon the mouth ...most satisfactory manner, and upon ...able terms. 1 y

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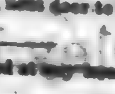
R. M. Galbraith, AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction ... attended in all parts of the County. ... sold on Commission. Rates moderate. ...s, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also ... and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds ... Two choice farms for sale on easy terms. Money to loan at bottom rates. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 20-ly

T. R. DAVIS, BUILDER & CONTRACTOR (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobs promptly attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE. December 31, 1880. 16-y

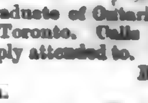
W. L. Smith, GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station. Sept. 17, 1880. 1

GEORGE WILSON,



BUTCHER

Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougal's Harness shop. ... Meat delivered at any house ... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y



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F. Z. NIXON. Veterinary Surgeon

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IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT. Allowed on Savings Deposits.

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AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE. MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36 ly

WM. FOX, Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Meat for All AT **W. B. Sarjent's.**

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of MARKDALE and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats delivered promptly on receipt of orders;

SAUSAGE & POULTRY always kept in their Season.

☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT. Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES, either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes always on hand. Also,

BISCUIT! of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

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BRIDES' CAKES! supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND **OTHER PARTIES,** supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY. Markdale, Nov. 18, ... 1880. 16-ly

John H. Heard, Manufacturer and dealer in **Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,** WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS, HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS, HARROWS AND *All kinds of Farming Implements* Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets, FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work. Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made. Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

SHTOP! NOW YOU VAS!

T. MULARKEY, QUEEN STREET, MARKDALE, Keeps constantly on hand **CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS** WASH-TUBS, &c., &c. *Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.*

AGENT FOR **D. MAXWELL'S** CELEBRATED REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE, —ALSO— Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills Etc. Etc. Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

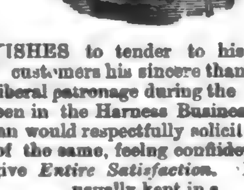
Province of Ontario Directory For 1881-82,

TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81, Price $5.00.

MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an **Alphabetical Directory** AND A THOROUGH CLASSIFIED **Business Directory** of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a CLASSIFIED BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL. The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

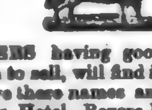
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers. Montreal, December, 1880.

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a FIRST-CLAS **HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,** always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. ☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used. Markdale, Nov, 18, 1880 1o

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS. Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!

SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS! Just arrived at the **"BELFAST HOUSE."** Also a fresh stock of **Groceies, Provisions,** CANNED FRUIT, **BISCUITS** —AND— **CONFECTIONERY.** Any amount of ... **Side Pork** FOR SALE. ALSO. **POTATOES.** MALT AND RYE WHISKEY, THE BEST IN TOWN BRANDY, CIDER, ALE, PORTER, TEAS and SUGARS, CHEAP. WILSON BENSON. Markdale, March ..., 1880. 6-ly

$2 ...

A COMMERCIAL BUCCANEER.

THE CAREER OF THE SCHOONER FERRET.

(From the London Times.)

Our Melbourne correspondent gives a connected account of a series of frauds into which a few disjointed telegrams and paragraphs have hitherto only allowed us an occasional glimpse. The name of the ship Ferret will henceforth be made memorable by a bold system of swindling commenced in this country, continued along the route to Australia, and finally cut short in the capital of Victoria. The adventures of Walker and Henderson, or whatever were the real names of these knights of the seas, between the months of October, 1880, and April, 1881, read like a modern revival of the age of piratical enterprise. The depredators are a hybrid between the bold buccaneer of the old-fashioned story-books and the common mercantile swindler who figures at the Old Bailey. The latter strain is, indeed, uppermost in this latest development of civilized robbery. A dash of the romance of the salt sea and a large supply of cool effrontery are the only ingredients which rescue Walker and Henderson's venture from the list of every-day devices recorded in our police reports. It must be acknowledged that the scheme was bold in conception, that it was carefully thought out, and that its execution displayed considerable maritime and mercantile experience.

THE ROMANTIC FERRET.

The owners of the Ferrett, a steamer of 346 tons, were the Highland Railway Company. A stranger coming to Glasgow, giving the name of Walker, and professing to act as broker in behalf of a principal named Smith, chartered the ship from the company, stating, as it appears, that Smith intended to take a six months' yachting cruise for the benefit of his wife's health. What looked like good references were, no doubt, supplied to the company, and also to the ship-chandler from whom Walker obtained ship's stores, including an ample and excellent stock of wine, to the value of £1,490. These goods were paid for by a three months' bill, which was afterwards dishonoured. As soon as the steamer had finished her overhauling in one of the Clyde yards, it was taken down to Cardiff by a temporary crew. At Cardiff a new crew was shipped, and coal was taken on board, and Smith and his invalid wife made their appearance. Thence the ship went to Milford Haven, and from Milford Haven it started on the 1st of last November, ostensibly for Marseilles. The Highland Railway Company, it is needless to say, had not received their charter money, or, if a portion had been paid, had not received the balance. The coals, like the ship's stores, were probably paid for with paper.

THE SINGULAR CONDUCT OF SMITH.

Thus cheaply hired and equipped, the Ferret passed through the Straits of Gibraltar, with Smith, or Henderson as he afterwards called himself, as owner, and Walker as purser. So far, all seemed straightforward. The Ferret was well on its way to Marseilles. Smith and his wife were already beginning to revel in that balmy Mediterranean climate which was to restore Mrs. Smith to health, when a remarkable course of behaviour was adopted by her husband. After passing Gibraltar, and on the same day, the steamer's funnel, previously white, was painted black; and her boats, before blue, became white. The next of Mr. Smith's eccentricities was to turn the ship's course round in the night, and steer back past Gibraltar with lights obscured. Then, when nearly out of the Straits, he caused two boats, some buoys and casks, and other articles, all bearing upon them the name of the Ferret, to be thrown overboard. The man who would escape his creditors for a season leaves a hat and some clothes by the river bank or seashore. The jettison above-mentioned had a somewhat similar object. The sea was credited with another victim, and Smith and Walker pursued their voyage rejoicing. Some of the crew desired to know the reason of these remarkable tactics, and the engineer, in particular, importuned Smith for an explanation. The answer, when at last given to the engineer, and then to the crew, was hardly such as to set suspicion at rest. Smith said that his yachting expedition was to combine profit with pleasure. He was going to trade between Brazilian and other ports. But he was a political exile from the United States, whose lynx-eyed agents were doubtless on the watch to arrest him anywhere and everywhere. Naturally it became necessary that he should double about, change his ship's number and aspect, give the outside world reason to believe she had foundered with all hands, and enter the crew under false names. This somewhat violently improbable explanation was followed by threats to blow out the brains of any man who should be over-communicative, and by promises of handsome remuneration.

"WAS FOR PLUNDER."

On November 21, Cape Verd was reached, stores were taken in, and a bill—fraudulent of course—was given in payment. Leaving Cape Verd the name of the ship was changed to "the Benton." The severance of identity was now complete. The whole world was before the confederates as a field for plunder. They had already settled their plan of campaign. They steered for Santos, where, after some delay, they obtained on freight, by false pretences, a cargo of coffee for Marseilles. Nothing was further from their thoughts than a voyage to Marseilles. They steamed off for Cape Town, and on the way the paint-pot and fitters' tools were again brought into use. The name of the ship was this time changed to "the Iona." Thus rehabilitated, the vessel made Cape Town on January 29, and the coffee which had been obtained for nothing was sold for between £18,000 and £15,000. The next point was Melbourne, ... the steamer was docked and overhauled, the master still probably drawing on an imaginary London firm by way of payment. Mauritius was quitted, and Melbourne was reached on April the 20th.

THE CAPTURE.

At Melbourne the adventurers' career had reached the end of their tether. A vigilant eye noticed the similarity of the vessel, as it entered the docks, to the Ferret as described in the hue and cry raised in various parts of the world by telegraph. A few days' observation strengthened these suspicions, and a search by the Customs authorities proved them to be correct. Smith now become Henderson, his wife and Walker decamped, but the Melbourne police tracked and captured the principal actors, and the invalid lady, whose cruise had been extended so greatly beyond its original limits, surrendered herself. The eyes of the crew were somewhat tardily opened to the character of their employers. They atoned for their simplicity by giving every information at the police court investigation, and they vied in painting Smith and Walker probably even blacker than reality. Thus ends an episode, the final passages of which might suggest a ballad for a water "Policeman X."

A GREAT WINDFALL.

THE SUCCESSOR TO THE LATE EARL OF MAR DISCOVERED AT LONDON ONTARIO.

A dispatch from London, Ontario, makes the following statement: After years of patient searching, and the difficulties which poverty raised, a workman in the car shops in this city has traced up what seems to be an indisputable claim to one of the richest estates in all Scotland. The greatest excitement and interest has been awakened by the romantic history of the man who has thus been elevated into prominence, and there is every probability that he will soon be put in possession of his rights. It will be remembered that some years ago the Earl of Mar died without leaving a direct heir to his immense estate, and by right of succession a nephew Lord Kellie, assumed the the title and property of the dead nobleman, valued at one hundred million dollars.

Now, however, it has been discovered that the Earl had a son, and that son is believed to be John Francis Erskine of this city. The tracing up of the Earl's proofs has necessarily been slow and unsatisfactory, from the fact that Mr. Erskine was poor and hampered by a family, and men who could have helped him doubted his story.

The facts of the case are briefly these; In 1825, two years before the marriage of the Earl to the daughter of Lord Monteith, a child was born to the lady, who afterwards became its legitamate mother by marriage to the father. When an infant the little boy was secretly given into the care of a poor but respectable family whom the Earl paid well for the service rendered. Latter on, when the little one had grown up to five or six years old, he was placed under the care of a man named Campbell and sent to Canada. His guardian frequently told him in latter years that he was the son of one of Scotland's noblest Earls, who should some day be placed in possession of documents that would enable to him go home and live in luxury. The old man seemed under a strong pledge however, not to reveal the parentage of his ward, and although he broke his promise so far as to intimate on many occasion that the young man was the heir to the Earldom of Mar, he never allowed the documentary proof to go out of his hands. He said all would be left in proper shape at his death. A few years ago, however the man died very suddenly without leaving the needed documents for the establishment of his ward's claim to the property of the dead Earl. Later on, however, while excavations were being made in an outhouse on the Campbell homestead, a bottle was found with several letters in it from the Earl of Mar with reference to his son. This seemed to be all the proof necessary, but in addition to that Mr. Erskine has visited Scotland quietly and found the people who had taken care of him when an infant and handed him over to Campbell. The paper held by them, and also those found in the bottle, set forth certain marks by which the heir could always be known, and these the climant undoubtedly bears. His resemblance to the late Earl is so striking, despite the changes which hard work has made, that the friends of the nobleman have no difficulty whatever in identifying Mr. Erskine as his son. Articles of gold and silverware, as well as a ring, the in the presumptive heir's possession, bearing the initials of his mother and father. Leading lawyers in this country and Scotland hold out the strongest encouragement to Mr. Erskine if he can only manage to meet the present occupants of the estate and prove himself the heir at law. Men of Mars are offering to unite in a joint stock company to establish the claim if a bond is given to pay a certain percentage on their investment According to the outlook, Mr. Erskine's working days are over, and his installment as the Earl of Mar remains only a matter which time will quickly bring about. He is being visited by thousands, and his story, as it is learned, awakened the deepest interest everywhere.

Following are copies of the letters found in the bottle:

MR. HUGH CAMPBELL—SIR: I send you the thousand pounds, the clothes, and the child as agreed on, whose name is John Francis Erskine, ...

BY ... AND ...

as he is sickly, and his medical attendant recommends his removal to the fresh air of America; and in order that he may be known I give the marks: One on the side, and on the calf of the left leg there is a mark, and near the left ear; there is a ... in a sight of the left eye, and on the edge of the left hand ... a mark of a diamond. I also send you a gold watch, chain and seals for him and I want you to call him Richard Campbell till further orders.

I have signed, THE EARL OF MAR.

P. S.—When you are to sail for America, call and you will be furnished with everything that will be wanted for the comfort of the child and yourself, and a chest of books that was bought at Mr. Callender's auction for my heir, whose property you shall consider them to be. Dated this day in the of Glasgot first Monday of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five. I have signed,

ERSKINE, EARL OF MAR.

We acknowledge that John Francis Erskine is ... the ... I ... on the ... hand ... between the thumb and forefinger, with a mark of a diamond.

(Signed), WILLIAM HAMILTON, JOHN ROSS.

Hamilton, C. W., Feb. 7, 1839.

MR. HUGH CAMPBELL—I am going to Scotland next summer, and in case of death or accident I hereby acknowledge the boy in your care to be John Francis Erskine, the last law at mail heir, of the line of Erskine, Earl of Mar, known at present under the name of and Richard Campbell, and, as I understand, you have allowed the word Callender to be added to him. I consider him to be my sole heir and executor, directing him to pay all my just debts. In testimony, I have set my hand and seal in the year of our Lord, Feb. the 7th, 1839.

Signed, ERSKINE, EARL OF MAR.

Written in our presence and in the presence of each other.

(Signed), WILLIAM HAMILTON, JOHN ROSS.

Quebec, June 8, 1850.

MR. HUGH CAMPBELL—SIR: We regret to inform you that the Earl of Mar is dead, and the only male heir now alive is the boy in your charge, whose right name is John Francis Erskine, Earl of Mar, but known at present as Richard Campbell, to which we understand you have allowed the word Callender to be added. Mar requested you to send him home to his friends, who will take care of him till he is of age, and see him established in his estate which is the estate and Earldom of Mar. For we know that he is the lawful heir.

(Signed), WILLIAM HAMILTON, JOHN ROSS.

The discovery of those letters infused fresh life into the presumptive heir, and he sat to work and collected together all the letters which he then had in his possession. He went to work cautiously, having to climants with an abundance of money to contend, but the success of his researches so greatly strengthened his case that he has placed it in the hands of a legal firm, as already stated, and confidently anticipates success.

THE ABOLITION OF PETTICOATS.

It would appear that the doctrine of woman's emancipation from the trammels of feminine dress, promulgated some time ago with considerable vigor by strong minded ladies in the United States, have recently been enthusiastically adopted by an association of German matrons and maidens, which, under the significant title of Clothing League for the Abolition of Petticoats, recently held its first public meeting in a concert room of the Brunnen Strasse, Berlin. A chairwoman having been duly elected, the proceedings were opened by an eloquent speech setting forth the inconveniences and disadvantages, from a sanitary point of view, of the flowing garments hitherto deemed appropriate wear for civilized females. This discourse pronounced it to be the sacred duty of every member of the association to discard, with the utmost promptitude, such objectionable raiment typical of all the disabilities wrongfully ascribed to woman by her oppressor, man, and to assume in its stead a dualistic form of covering for the legs as well as for the arms. This daring programme of action was heard with acclamations of approval by all present save one, a Frau Peters, who courageously stood up for the denounced petticoat, upon the ground that it was far more becoming than trousers to the female sex. Her protesting voice, however, was drowned in a storm of indignant clamor, and a resolution embodying the sentiments previously enunciated by the Chairwoman passed by an overwhelming majority of the fair leaguers.—*London Telegraph.*

An America lady now assists at the lectures of the celebrated physiologist, Prof Virchow, and is the first student of her sex ever entered at the University of Berlin.

A correspondent of a French paper, commenting on the number of mysterious disappearances constantly occurring, not only in France, but also in England, starts a curious theory. He maintains that death occasionally is actual dissolution. Persons attacked by this form of disease suffer no previous illness, have no warning of their approaching end, but suddenly cease to exist, and as immediately fade from sight. He asserts that some years ago he actually witnessed this phenomenon. He was out walking with a friend, with whom he was engaged in an interesting discussion on a political question of the day, when instantaneously his companion vanished, and from that hour to to the present time has never reappeared. He has little doubt that many of the missing persons so earnestly searched for by friends and by the police have in like manner vanished into thin air. At the moment of his friend's disappearance a strong sulphurous odor was noticed, but beyond this nothing remained ... The question is, he thinks, worthy of a medical investigation.

THE CREAMERY vs. THE WORK OF FARMERS' WIVES.

The superiority of the creamery system over the usual farm dairy was pointed out by a farmer at the late meeting of the Iowa Improved Stock Breeders' Association. He speaks as follows of the advantages to the farmer's wife:

For thirty years our farmers' wives have been endeavoring to solve this problem, and for thirty years they have failed. They have toiled and drudged at the churn, and the price of butter doled out in trade at the country store has not paid for the toil and drudgery. Still woman's toil proved two things, that a calf raised by hand is as good at a year as a calf that has followed its dam; and secondly, that the runty pig which would have died on corn and water along swelled out to ample proportions when fed on milk. And therefore the shrewd farmer saw that milk must be had for the pig, that the cow must in some way be the centre of his system, that the pig and the calf must be raised, and that the bondage of the wife to the churn must be broken. Hence the unusual favor which the creamery has met in the State wherever railroads have rendered the creameries possible.

The creamery takes away half the drudgery of the farmer's wife. But whilst it removes the drudgery it retains the income—the monthly income—not in store accounts but creamery cheques—good as gold. And the best part of it is that this income is derived from that part of the milk that the farmer can most readily spare. It is a fact not generally known, that for the formation of bone and muscle, skim-milk, buttermilk and whole milk are practically equal.

This monthly income is, therefore, practically clear gain. Having thus received one profit from his cow—a profit fully covering the cost of her yearly keep and interest on the investment—he has in the calf a cheap and an available package in which to condense his grass and hay, straw and cornstalks for shipment to the markets of the world. And this the second great advantage of the creamery.

But if the creamery blesses the farmer's wife in delivering her from the bondage of the churn, it confers an equal favor on the farmer in prying him out of the ruts and compelling him to think. For he now must needs study how to get all the cream from the milk, how to feed his stock to the best advantage, and rising higher, he is, before he is aware, balancing in his mind the merits of rival breeds and different systems of management—in a word, he begins to acquire an education which, though not recognized by the schools, will go farther in fitting him for the business of life than much that has favorable recognition.

CURED OF DRINKING.—"A young friend of mine was cured of an insatiable thirst for liquor, which had so prostrated him that he was unable to do any business. He was entirely cured by the use of Hop Bitters. It allayed all that burning thirst; took away the appetite for liquor, made his nerves steady, and he has remained a sober and steady man for more than two years, and has no desire to return to his cups; I know of a number of, others that have been cured of drinking by it."—From a leading R. R. Official, Chicago, Ill.—*Times.*

A NEWSPAPER WONDER.

The *Railway Journal*, an American newspaper, containing the latest intelligence with respect to home and foreign politics, the money market, Congress debates, and the theatrical events is now printed and published daily on the trains running between New York and San Francisco. All the news with which its columns are filled is telegraphed from the different parts of the States to certain stations on the line, collected by the editorial staff travelling on the train, and set up, printed and circulated among the subscribing passengers while the iron horse is persistently traversing the plains, and valleys, crossing rivers, and ascending mountain ranges. Every morning the traveller may have his newspaper served up with his coffee and thus keep himself informed of all that is going on in the wide world during the seven days' journey covering over 3,000 miles of ground. He who pays his subscription at New York, which he can do at the railway ticket office, receives the last copy of his paper on the summit of the Sierra Nevada. The production of a news sheet from a flying printing office at an elevation of some 10,000 feet above the level of the sea is most assuredly a performance worthy of conspicuous record in journalistic annals, and highly creditable to American enterprise.

DANGER! BEWARE! As you value your life, beware of opiates in diarrhoea mixtures. They quell pain, but checking too suddenly, the results is inflammation. DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT WILD STRAWBERRY, made from the Wild Strawberry plant and other healing vegetables, is nature's own cure for all forms of bowel complaint.

A teacher was explaining to a little girl the meaning of the word "cuticle." "What is that all over my face and hands?" said he. "It's freckles, sir," answered the little cherub.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS cures all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, female complaints, nervous and general debility, and builds up the entire system when broken down by disease.

Miss Parnell's nationality can never be disputed after her humorous declaration that the first gun fired in Ireland was a kettle of hot water.

A woman pianist who plays with only one hand is just now the talk of Paris. If we remember rightly, the Italian organist invariably plays with only one hand. The Italian has a wonderful turn for music.

AROUND THE WORLD.

Scarlet fever is decimating the horses in Paris.

In Paris the world's pavements are early in the morning washed by men who liberally use the hose.

German waitresses have been introduced in a cafe at Rome, and are very popular. They are called "Kalerine" in Italianized speech.

Only one telegraph line is in operation in China—from Shanghai to Woosung, twelve miles. An effort is now being made to extend the wires to Tientsin, but the native mandarins are opposed.

DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY cures all forms of bowel complaints in infants or adults. The most safe pleasant and perfect remedy known. Purely vegetable and free from opiates or poisonous drugs.

An English company has just been formed to build a light road railway in Lombardy, which will connect the various towns and villages in that part of Italy. These road railways are said to have been a success.

Sisters of Mercy have hitherto done the principal work of nursing at the Paris hospitals. Acting on the repugnance which a large section of the community have shown towards the monastic system, a proposal has now been made to substitute lay nurses for the sisterhood.

The editors of alll the principal Japanese newspapers have been fined for the publication of a document addressed by two of the Ministers to the Government deprecating official trading and too much paternal interference with trade. The paper was surreptitiously obtained by the leading metropolitan sheet, and almost universally copied by other papers.

Hobart Pasha said the other day that England's friendship was as important to Turkey as to herself. "The Sultan (he adds) was the head of the Mussul man religion, which extended to the very walls of China and throughout Hindostan. The Turks were a noble race, that with a little consideration would mount to its proper place and prove a good ally in time of need."

A POSITIVE FACT.—It is now established beyond controversy that DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY is the most perfect cure for all forms of bowel complaints, including cholera murbus, dysentery, colic, cholera infantum, nausea, canker of the stomach and bowles, piles, etc. Beware of opiates and poisoning drugs, that only check for a time produce inflammation. WILD STRAWBERRY is safe and certain in its effects.

The urgent representations of the Pope's physicians have caused the Cardinals to be consulted whether the Pope shall not leave Rome in the autumn. They replied that such a provisional change of residence would not imply a cessation of the imprisonment. The villa of Duke Grazioll at Frascati has been talked of for the Pope's temporary residence, but nothing has been decided.

A serious difference has arisen between Count Corti, the Italian Ambassador at Constantinople and the Porte, arising out of the disappearance of a young Italian lady, who is said to have entered a Turkish harem, and gone over to Islam. Count Courti has imperatively demanded her surrender, and has, it is stated, declared that if the Porte persists in refusal to order that she shall be restored he will break off all personal intercourse with Assim Pasha.

Husbands are not as exact in their statements as they should be. One of them said that he suffered from cold feet, then looking at his wife, he added, "but they are not mine," leaving the company to suppose that they were his wife's. Again a Rhode Island husband advertises that his wife has runaway and left him, and adds, "caused by rum," but he doesn't say whether it was he or she who drank the rum.

The account of the execution in Tunis of the fanatic who murderer M. Seguin says that when brought out to be shot he was little more than a skeleton, having refused all nourishment, lest there should be pork fat in it, which would prevent him from going to heaven. Terribly afraid he might be beheaded, because then Mohammed could not lift up his body by the hair. It was a great consolation when he learned he was to be shot and he said Mohammed was waiting to receive him.

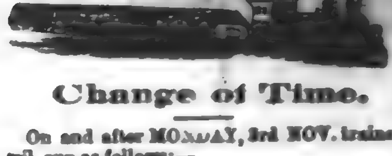
The idea of putting up female candidates in the approaching general election in France is not likely to be carried out. Mlle Maria Derisme, a lady who takes an active part in political affairs, was asked by some ultra-Radical electors to stand for Paris. She has declined on the ground that it would only be a waste of time and trouble, as her election would be sure to be quashed. She hopes, however, that the day will come when women's rights will have been sufficiently recognized by law to enable them to sit in parliment.

Mr. Suter, who was recently carried off by brigands in Greece, says that his captors made up for their lack of morality by their punctilious performance of ecclesiastical ceremonies. They used most profane and blasphemous language; but they were superstitious, and were strict in their religious observances. They fasted the whole of Lent, and celebrated Easter day with great solemnity, their salutations including kisses, which were also bestowed upon the captive. They burned incense, Chanted an Easter hymn, and also crossed themselves before and after meals.

Quite a notable engineering undertaking has just been completed in Russia, in the shape of a long bridge over the Volga, on the Syoran and Orenburg railway, connecting the cities of Syoran, in the Government of simbirsk, with that of Samara. The width of the river is nearly a mile, and as it is liable to the occurrence of heavy spring floods, the piers—of which there are fourteen altogether—had to be built 100 feet above mean water level, the depth of the water being more than fifty feet. The great girders, 364 feet long and twenty feet wide, were all rivetted and put together on the right bank of the river and then floated to their position. The whole cost of the structure, which is regarded as a model of its kind, was 1,000,000 silver roubles.

A great many people who want to be wrapped up well when they retire at night dislike very much to be rapped up in the morning.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.



Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:20 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.12 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.42 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE— Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.38 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, July 15th, 1881.

NOTICE.

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SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmer's Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

THE 12TH AT MARKDALE.

THE various lodges composing this district celebrated the anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne at Markdale this year. Vandeleur lodge was the first to put in an appearance, and marched to the lodge room of the home lodge. After a short rest the two lodges went out to meet the lodge from Berkeley. Upon their return the other lodges kept arriving until by 12 the following had reported: Vandeleur, Berkeley, Orange Valley, Eugenia, Flesherton, and Flesherton Station. After dinner they formed into procession and marched to Walker's grove and were addressed by some of the leading members of the institution, after which they returned to town, and the fife and drum bands of the various lodges collected in front of the Revere Hotel, and for a time the air resounded with Boyne Water, Protestant Boys, Rise, Sons of William, and the other tunes so dear to the Orange heart. By 6 o'clock the visitors had all departed, and our village, which had been thronged with about as large a crowd as we ever saw here, had resumed its wonted quietness. Notwithstanding the large number of people collected, everything passed off very quietly and harmoniously, and there were, we are happy to say, very few under the influence of liquor, and those few we were told did not belong to the institution.

THE 12TH IN DUNDALK.

THE Battle of the Boyne was celebrated in Dundalk in a manner which was indeed creditable to those who took part. There were eight lodges in all, two of which were Young Britons. The latter deserve special mention, one lodge belonging to Dundalk, and the other from Osprey, each of which were in full dress, one in Blue and the other in White, and were apparently well drilled to stepping to time with the music. A very appropriate address was given by Rev. A. Potter to about 500, being about half the number who came to Dundalk to spend the day. Another note-worthy circumstance was the absence of disorder and drunkenness, the village being almost depopulated early in the evening, and all quiet after a good day's enjoyment.

ITEMS.

We are to have a Newspaper in about six weeks.

A VERY extensive business is being done here in telegraph-poles.

J. Gardiner, Tinsmith, has removed to his new and commodious building across the street from his old stand.

Wm. Nelson is now in full blast in the general store business.

Mr. D. McMullen is going to build a shop this season for his Baking and Confectionery business.

Mr. H. Mason has opened a tailoring and outfitting establishment opposite the Post Office. Also dressmaking in connection.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT.

BEFORE WILLIAM [illegible] AND [illegible], ESQS., J. P'S.

Thomas W. David, vs. Anne, George, and Henry David.—This was a case brought by the above named plaintiff against the defendants for turning cattle into his crops. On the evidence of several witnesses it was proved that the cattle were turned into a bush used in common by both parties for pasturing and that the cattle could get into plaintiff's fields of themselves, as there was no fence to prevent them from so doing. Case dismissed.

BEFORE WM. BROWN AND A. ELLIOTT, ESQS., J. P's.

Anne David vs. Francis Dring.—This was a case for using abusive language, and we must say that in all our experience we never heard its equal. From the evidence it was proved that one was as bad as the other, and the magistrates dismissed the case, with a reprimand to plaintiff and a caution not to use such language again.

Francis David vs. T. W. David.—This case was for trespass in moving a line fence. Defendant fined $2 and costs, and to pay plaintiff $3 damages, to be paid in ten days; failing in which to be committed to gaol for one month at hard labor.

Anne David vs. T. W. David.—This was a case brought by plaintiff against the defendant for using abusive language. After examining several witnesses who proved that some very disgusting language passed between both parties, the court fined the defendant $10 and costs; to be paid in ten days, or 21 days in gaol at hard labor.

THE BIDULPH TRAGEDY.

The preliminary examination of the Feehleys took place this week at London before Squire Peters. After hearing the evidence of Patrick and William Donnelly, a Mr. McConnell, and the boy Connors, who testified to the fact that the Feehleys had made admissions more or less criminating themselves and the members of the Vigilence Committee, the magistrate committed them to stand their trial, bail being refused.

As far as we can judge the evidence is pretty strong, one of the witnesses, Mr. McConnell, swearing positively, that James Feehly stated he could and would hang thewhole lot of them if he wasguaranteed protection.

THE lunatic that runs the smut machine, in Thornbury has been picking at us for sometime past with a view, no doubt, to get us to notice him, but considering the source from whence it eminates we will treat it with silent contempt.

President Garfield to the time of our going to press is progressing favorable, and the Doctors say if no unfavorable symptons set in that he will be out of danger in a week. The abstemious habits and the strong constitution of the President are greatly in his favor and with God's blessing there is every hope of his ultimate recovery.

Vennor says that July, though probadly entering cool and showery most sections will rapidly merge intosultryness and excessive heat shortly after the forth or fifth of the month. From the 5th to the 10th excessive heat will continue, with frequent and severe storms of winds, hail, and thunder, during which casualties from lightning are much to be fered. Between the 10th and 12th of the month similar atmospheric conditions are likely to continue, with thunder and lightening storms of almost daily occurrense, and hurricane of heated winds. Approaching the 20th, heavy showers accomplished by hail will occur more frdquently, with very sultry and muggy intervals. In the neighborhood of the 21st and 22nd days torrents of rain will likely fall in western Ontario and throughout a large portion of the U. States, while in the western and south-western States in particular cyclones, hurricanes, and most destructive hailstorms are likely to cause widespread havoc and loss of life and property. Unsettled and stormy weather, with intervals of great heat, will occur up to the 25th of the month, after which a decided and cooler change may take place, with cool to cold nights about the 27th and 28th. Hot weather however, will againe set in towards the last day of the month, or the entry of August.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Monday of last week Mr. Thos. Laughton, farmer of Egremont, was on his way to Durham with a team of horses and wagon and when coming down a hill on the Durham Road, a short distance east of Ryan's Hotel one of the traces became unhitched and Mr. Laughton got out and re-hitched it, but just as he was getting into the wagon again the tongue dropped from the neck-yoke, when the horses became unmanagable and ran away, throwing Mr. L., out at the foot of the hill, badly injured him in the back, from the effects of which he is not expected to recover.—*Chronicle.*

EIGHT children have died at Baltimore from lock jaw caused by burns recieved from discharging toy Pistols and three others are expected to die.

FLESHERTON.

From our own Correspondent.

I notice in the Advance of the 7th inst., a paragraph in Flesherton items to the "Standard," construed in a manner which was not intended. Far from it, while the Flesherton Hotel is a credit to the place, it is no reason why there is not a good opening for another, which would at least have a tendancy of making them a little more obliging. The same issue has it that Flesherton has a population of 600. That must have been on cost.

A case came before J. W. Armstrong, J. P., John Galbreath plaintiff vs., J. Silley. Defendant was fined $5 and Dominion day.

STRANGE.—According to the *Advance* of the 7th., a Mr. C. Tenney sent a telegram from Toronto at 8 o'clock a. m. June the 30th to a person living in Flesherton, saying he would be up by the afternoon train, and it so came to pass that Mr. T., arrived in Flesherton Village before the delivery of the telegram. The first train leaves Toronto at 7.30 a. m., did the train wait until 8 for him to dispatch his message, or did he overtake the train perhaps the wrong man came.

I noticed a communication in the Standard July 1st signed "M." His views on the subject I consider sound and Scriptural. I have been watching further discussion on the subject, but I have come to the conclusion that "M" soars to high to be attacked by ordinary men and most ministers. We have arrived at the day when 25c will admit to our social gatherings for church purposes company, that people who think there is no harm in dancing would not like to be found dead within a ball room.

GREEN BAY.

GREEN BAY, July 4.—Our crops look well. We are informed by those who have paid us visits from below that our crops are much ahead of those in the older settled parts of Ontario; this is gratifying to think that much abused Manitoulin is likely to have a bountiful harvest. We believe the crops in our vicinity are ahead of anything on the Island. We notice particularly a heavy piece of meadow owned by R. Somerville, which he expects will yield two tons to the acre. We can assure the readers of the *Expositor* that we will send all reliable information in regard to our oil discovery. It would not be justice to your readers if I did not mention our bear story. It has been the whole talk for days. A day or two ago some one noticed bruin walking leisurely along one of our roads. The cry was raised, and all left their work to join the chase. The assailing force was mustered in less time than it takes to write it, some came on horse back to win or die. When the onset was made the odds were nine to one. One woman was armed with seven buckshot, and she sincerely wished bruin had these in his carcase. The forces had at their command one gun, several clubs, and twenty-three acres of stones. They hit on the plan of surrounding the bear "like Paddy did the Hessians," wisely coming up in single file. One smart, brave young man came up within a rod of his bearship but he had an inquiring mind and began studying anatomy rather than war. The man with the gun, we are told, was afraid to shoot until the bear began the retreat; when he fired and fairly struck a—a piece of birch bark. Our army is vexed sorely for his bearship escaped unhurt. They are angry enough to fight bears or correspondents so don't tell who wrote this.—*Expositor.*

PROVIDENCE BAY.

PROVIDENCE BAY, June 29.—Farmers are jubilant over the the very promising indications of a bountiful harvest. The Council are going to repair the Mindemoya bridge immediately. Morrisonia rejoices in another building.

PROVIDENCE BAY, July 2.—New potatoes are quite common around Lake Mindemoya. Messrs. Vincer, Cranston, Smith and others had them on the table two weeks ago. Garden stuff of every kind in plenty.—*Expositor.*

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—A very wide and important subject was opened by your correspondent "M" last week. I don't suppose that many will feel inclined to differ with him as to what is really the Scriptural way of supporting religious objects. I suppose that Pastors and all those who take an interest in raising the revenues of the various denominations are at one in preferring that the money could be got freely, voluntarily, and without the use of any extraneous means, such as those referred to by "M." Still, there is no doubt but there often has been debt wiped out by such means, when to all human appearance the debt would have stuck.

Now, it is just here I think where the point lies. Money is wanted. Two ways of getting hold of the money present themselves. The one way is inducing the people to give for the object in view, and it alone. The other way is to combine some popular amusement or social enjoyment and charge double the actual cost, part of the charge going to the enjoyment, the other for the religious object. By taking the first mentioned way it may seem as if there was no human appearance of accomplishing the object in view. Whereas the other way strikes every one as likely to be popular and successful, and is consequently at once adopted.

The fallacy here is in arriving at a decision on the real strength of human appearance. However much money may be wanted for a certain object might it not be better to wait until the more excellent way was inculcated and could be acted on. If it is a fact that individuals are justified by faith, and by faith alone, may it not be also a fact that the support of the Church is dependent in a great measure on faith. If human appearance is taken for guide, then faith is excluded. But if the best scriptural ways of raising money be only persistently proclaimed and stuck to, then faith is brought into active operation, and, while the way may be often dark and difficult, yet, there is no doubt that in the collective, as in the individual case, light will sooner or later arise in the darkness. The great trouble is that religious bodies should be so ready as they often are to get themselves in debt and then when they feel the trouble the aim too often is to wriggle out of it anyhow. No church need expect to grow in vitality by pandering to mere popularity, even supposing that this popularity should give it a large money support. It seems to me that this is an open sore in the church, and I shall be glad to see what "M" or others have more to say on the matter.

Yours truly,

A SUBSCRIBER.

TEARING UP THE BIBLE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD:

DEAR SIR,—I observed an article headed as above in your issue of July 1st. I confidently expected that some of our learned Divines would have made a reply to this most astounding production of the Rev. Dr. Swingin, of Chicago. They seem to have plenty of time for garden parties, Festivals, Socials and such like, but when the "cloven hoof" dons a ministerial cloak, mounts to the pulpit and with "a mouth speaking great things," tear to pieces the blessed Bible, "the man" of the Christian Council—his Pole star—his guide through life and comfort in death, then it is found that the words of Scripture are verified "they all slumbered and slept." I believe there never was a time when so much money was raised in one way and another for religious purposes as now. Never has there been so many men preaching as now, never so many teaching Sabbath School as now, never in all these eighteen hundred years has religious *professors* been so eager on dollars and cents as now, and never in all Christian history has there been a time when the church was so sound (spiritually) asleep as now. It is most gratifying to these professors to be able to record the proceeds in dollars of this, that and the other entertainment. But where is the additions "to the church of such as shall be saved" being recorded? Echo answers, Where? I have not time to fully answer this Chicago Dr., nor is it necessary, the article carries its mark along with it. There is falsehood written on its very face. The Mosaic Law dead? Why Mr. Editor there is not a civilized country in the world whose laws are not based upon the Mosaic law. This gentleman wants a "popular" Bible. The Bible never was popular, Christianity is not popular, the Christian is not popular! Our Saviour said "My kingdom is not of this world," and to his followers he said "ye are not of this world, I have chosen you out of the world." Again it is written "come out from among them." The world and christianity—true christianity—have always been at variance, and just as sure as some form of christianity or a church becomes popular, so sure is it that the spirit of the Master is wanting, when the world gets the ascendancy in a church, piety declines. The two cannot prosper together. "What fellowship hath righteousness with unrighteousness," "and what communion hath light with darkness," "and what concord hath Christ with Belial, or "what part hath he that believeth with an infidel? Oh how the infidel would from Bob Ingersoll down to the man who will not so much as put his thoughts into words but "saith in his heart there is no God" how they will chuckle and extol this new accession to their numbers. The very Devils in hell will hold "high carnival" over this apostate production, and will be ready to give him a seat of honor in their assemblies. A few mornings ago I came upon a group of men sitting listening to a man talking to them. The talker was a fearful swearer. I have heard many swearers, but for cool, deliberate, studied swearing, this beat them all. He was a stranger to me. I asked him if he was paid for all this swearing, with another oath he told me that he was not a Bible man. This was his sole excuse. Now he has a mate in this Rev. Dr. Swingen, of Chicago, and I suppose the next time some one speaks to him of the evil of swearing on Scriptural grounds, he will repeat that he is not a Bible man, he is a follower of Dr. Swingen.

But again Swingen says it was "a semi barbarous age," "a horrid epoch." Besides the savage injustice of some of those laws there is much that offends against the refinement of our more civilized times. The language of the Bible is unmistakeably plain, this shows its truth and ought to be an argument in its favor. Would Milton's "Paradise Lost" have been worth reading had it not shown the revolt in Heaven in the most hideous colours. If Byron's works had not been what they are they would not have shown the appalling extent to which sextuality and every vice was encouraged in the Courts of Europe in the age of which he wrote. Burns' Jolly Beggars would not have been Jolly Beggars at all if it had been clothed in language such as would suit this Rev. Dr. So with the Bible to record faithfully the doings of the people under the various dispensations, if we may so call them, recorded in the Old Testament. It was necessary to tell what by God, by his people, and also by the Heathen nations surrounding the "chosen seed" Mr. Swingen need not feign to be so much shocked by reading the Bible. If there be a Pandemonium on earth, I am told Chicago is that spot. We might defy this Dr. to point to a single passage in the whole of the Bible that is not eclipsed by every day life in the eighteen hundred and eighty-first year of grace. Every day in our refined Canada we read or Court trials where the evidence given in public court "unfit for publication." The Old Testament extends over 4000 years and I am bold enough to say that the history embraced in that long period has been a thousand times repeated in the Christian era, and our own beloved Ontario a history more "horrid" and "barbarous" may be written every five years. What crime is there recorded in the Bible which we have not had exposed to public gaze, even at our own doors within the short space just mentioned.

We conclude by stating our solemn conviction that if this Rev. Dr. would, like Paul, seek only to preach Christ and him crucified, the Bible would no longer be a stumbling-block to him, nor would he seek to make it popular by tearing it to pieces.

M.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I see by the Flesherton *Advance* that "Ratepayer" is still glorying in the shame of the Council, and holds to his old peculiarity of cutting his antagonist down to his own contemptible and sycophant level,—He frowns at your valuable paper for bringing before the public the present state of affairs. He never seems to look back to the time when he could not get the local papers to publish his rubbish, and to gratify his evil desires carried the township printing to Owen Sound; but those days are passed, as he encourages a paper to our village that will be obliged to publish whatever he chooses to write, or go down. They should be consolidated and they might obtain a patent for their smut machine; the one could generate the smut, and the other could scatter it abroad. He accuses me of ignorance, and ridicules what he is pleased to call my scribling; I should judge from his braying that he is an educated ass. But back to the question. Since the last communication I wrote you, Mr. Editor, I see that there is a stir amongst our pub servants. I see from the minutes of the last Council meeting that a motion was carried to cause a *mandamus* to be issued to compell the County Council to repair the gravel roads, or show cause why they should not; down right shame to the Reeve and Deputy Reeve, after their being at the head of the two Councils for so long a time. But they have a dispute as to which corporation should do the repairs.—They go to the County Council and do very little else but quarrel and squabble. Why should not Artemesia assume her own gravel roads repairs? If she has more roads than the other townships so much the better. What right has Osprey or Proton to contribute towards repairs of the gravel roads in Artemesia. Better by half assume the repairs and quit quarreling, and stop the money that would come to Artemesia going to other townships; but "Rate-payer cannot see through it. He made a mistake the first time in saying anythin about the quarrel, he covers it up last time about as well as they are fixing the roads—a lick and a promise. The old swail crossing got a bit of gravel put on it, but no drain opened, consequently the water backs up and makes the place very deep and soft, and the old rotten logs keep giving way and the gravel put on all goes to waste; but it cannot be fixed. Nevertheless there can be good roads on the town line between Euphrasia and Artemesia and to Markdale, and heavy expense for arbitration, while our leading road is so narrow that few teams like to cross the swail bridge, the logs are so broken off at the end; and $2,000 in the band! and could not give a grant to make a road to the station. What have the people to do with the Council? They elect them as proper men to look after their interests. Go on and do your duty, there are sensible men in the township, and if you do happen to be with the majority it does not prove that you are in right. If you do not do your duty it is more than probable you will find yourselves in the minority at the next election. I would like "Ratepayer" to show me where the $1,000 was spent the past year on special requirements. I notice I gave the Reeve too much credit when I said $150. I take that back. I always like to give the benefit of the doubt and not make the Reeve appear too small. But back to my wee bridge that the people of Tyrone came to see. The architecture of, and the endless expense of iron, where the very best cedar was in abundance and would have made a better bridge for half the cost, the bridge is now impassible, and many more things, if I am forced to scribble again, I will tell the public where the chairman of the finance committee found a smart boy to help them to amend the railway by-law.

I am your

CORRESPONDENT AND RATEPAYER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I see in your last weeks issue a correspondence over the signature of "Cisma," complaining that the late investigation into the Treasurer of the Agricultural Society's Books was not satisfactory, in that it did not extend over the time of the previous Treasurer's term of office, and suggesting that an another investigation should be be instituted for the purpose of going over the books while I was Treasurer. Of course being the only Treasurer the society ever had besides Mr. Lyons, this is directed at me. If your correspondent is manly enough to come to me, or come out over his own signature, and not meanly shield himself behind an *alias*—the cloak of all cowards—I shall be happy to afford him or any other respectable member of the Society any information I can, so as to set their minds at rest; but so long as it is done in the spirit of treachery and meanness that this is, as evidenced by his base insinuations, and then the moral cowardice of not giving his real name, I shall consider it beneath me to take any notice of it.

WILLIAM DOUGLAS.

Markdale July 12th 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—There are a few men who have escaped as yet, performing their statute labor in Markdale. If the Pathmasters neglect their duty they will leave themselves responsible, and will have to render an account some of these days.

RATEPAYER.

ACROSTIC

ON THE DOMINION OF CANADA, BY [illegible], ALLENFORD, ONT.

[Written for THE STANDARD]

D ominion of Canada, home of the free,
O f all earth's Dominions no others like thee,
M ay Heaven's rich blessings descend on thee [still,
I n [illegible] the [illegible] to fill;
N o foeman's foul tread ever hasten thy fall;
I n God be thy trust, for in him is thy all.
O h! may the fulfilment of promise Divine,
(Not threatenings of wrath) in its fullness be [thine,
O f national blessings the people can boast,
F rom the seething Atlantic to Columbia's [bold coast.
C anadian made Statutes, where else can be [found
A code of such laws if you'd search the [world round.
N o lack of militia, well trained and warlike,
A word would call forth with Great Britain [to back;
D espite of all danger they'd rush to the [scene,
A sserting their love for their country and [Queen.
H ow balmy and fragrant the breezes that [blow,
O 'er Canada's landscapes and waters that [flow;
M y prosaic pencil can hardly convey,
E motions that move me while musing this [way.
O h let all thy future in mercy disclose,
F orbearance, and friendship till menaced by [foes.
T o gird on your armor, 'twill then be your [time,
H igh lift up your banners and show them [your prime
E xceedingly subtle, meanwhile is your foe,
(F oul, frantic and raging) Intemperance you [know.
R ise, rise in thy might, then crush with thy [hand,
E ternally banish this plague from thy land,
E nchanting and dear are thy sceneries to me,
Dominion of Canada, home of the free!

BETTER YET.

On a Canadian Southern train the other day a Detroiter had a seat behind a couple who got on at a little station near St Thomas, and he thought he had seen the man's face. before He was looking at him sharply and trying to remembr where he had met him, when the man turned and asked:

"Aren't you Thomas———, of Detroit?"

"Yes; and aren't you William———, of Buffalo?"

"Yes."

"I thought so when you come in. And ain't you running away with old Judge Black's daughter of St. Thomas?"

I've got a better thing than that," whispered William as he leaned over the seat. "I'm running away with his wife."—*M. Quad.*

"I threw this off in ten minutes," softly said the poet, placing a manuscript on the editorial table. The editor said that when it came to speed, no long haired poet should distance him; and he threw it off in less than ten seconds—off the table into the waste basket.

The Paris *Voltaire* relates a fresh attempt to assassinate the Czar. It states that a short time ago the Czar was about to step into his bath, when he thought that the water had a bluish tint, which could not be produced by the medicated salts and perfumes which are always thrown into it. Being surprised at this, he immediately sent for the servant who had prepared the bath, and questioned him about the unusual color of the water. The man was embarrassed for an answer, and when ordered to get into the bath himself he refused to do so. On this the Czar had him placed in it by force, the result being the death of the man a few hours later from the effects of the immersion. The analysis of the water proved that it contained the most pernicious ingredients.

The condition of the Jews in Russia is improving somewhat. In one village in the district of Kieff the peasants have voluntarily compensated the Jews to the extent of 800 roubles for the loss they have suffered, the amount of money, though insignificant, being evidence of a return of humane feeling. Good effect is also expected from orders given by the Metropolitans of Moscow and Kieff to the clergy of those districts to preach against the persecution of the Jews.

Here is a story for those little boys who have a mind to run away with the circus. Leotard Carlo was made a performer in the ring when he was only two years old, beginning as a posturant for riders, and afterwards becoming expert on the trapeze. He wore the brightest of spangled costumes, smiled industriously while at work, and altogether was an object of envy to juvenile spectators. A few days ago a pitiably ragged and wan lad of twelve was caught stealing a drink of milk from a can in one of our city streets. Being arrested, he said he was Leotard Carlo, that lameness had incapacitated him from gymnastic feats, and that for months he had been a starving, shelterless tramp.

A Missouri woman got up before daylight last Sunday morning, put on a big washing, hoed the potatoes, killed and dressed three chickens for dinner, beat a neighbor woman out of a dollar on a bet as to the weight of one of the fowls, licked her husband for interfering, picked a gallon of gooseberries and washed and dressed seven children for Sunday School. This may be considered as high proof enterprise.

LINDSAY, July 12.—Shortly after the return of an excursion train on the Victoria Railroad at a late hour last night, fire was noticed in the interior of one of the coaches, caused by a spark from the engine passing through the open door and and lighting in the upholstering. Through the exertions of the fire brigade and some of the railroad employees the fire was confined to the one coach.

DIED.

DAVIS—In Glenelg, on the 2nd inst., David Davis, aged 64 years.

MARRIED

WILSON—DAWSON—On the 7th inst., at the bride's father, Samuel Wilson of Artemesia to Annie E., second daughter of James Dawson, Esq., of Leeds Co.

Harvest Tools

Scythes,
Snaths,
Cradles,
Hay Forks,
Barley Forks
Rakes,
Sickles,
&c., &c.,

CHEAP!
AT
Haskett Bros.

Markdale, June 23, 1881. 41 al.m

Thumb and Fingers

For everybody will be found at the THORNBURY NOVELTY WORKS.

THE SUBSCRIBER wishes to inform the farmers of Grey and Bruce, that he has bought the right of the above named counties to make and sell Dillingham's patented Thumb and Finger Barley Fork, which is pronounced by all who have seen it to be the best Barley Fork out. You can load three loads to two against any other Barley Fork. I am also turning out an Extra good lot of the

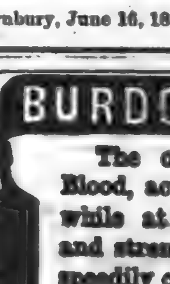
Mastin Grain Cradles and Spinning Wheels.

This season. Good Fork and Hoe Handles can be bought here from 5c to 15c each.

☞ Give me a call, and I will guarantee satisfaction.

J. H. HAMILTON, THORNBURY.

Thornbury, June 16, 1881. 40-4w



BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular Size, $1.

Mrs. Freeman's Worm Powders is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in children or adults. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brightness and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS MOULDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS, FRAMES,

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for their very liberal patronage there given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

Have just enlarged my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North Shore, and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

Robt. S. [illegible]

TAILOR

Sydenham [illegible]

MARKDALE

Markdale, July 7, 1881.

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881.

STRAYED.

FROM Lot 133, 1st con. N. E. of T. & S. Road, Artemesia, one White-faced Lamb, Ewe had at time lost a rope on neck, and lamb was lame of one foot. Any person giving information as to its whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

June 26, 1881.

MONEY to LEND

AT SIX 6 PER CENT

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold Security. Private Funds.

J. G. [illegible]

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881.

LO[cut off]

[...]rtly. In th[...]

THE STANDAR[D]

Friday, July 15th, 188[1]

LOCAL & OTHER NOTIC[ES]

Farmers busy.

Business quiet.

Ice cream and lemonade large[ly] [...]nd, the later preferred w[...] in it.

A letter from another old maid [...] next week.

[...] are scarce, a few [...] find ready sale now.

The Garden Party held on the [...] a success, financially, and t[...] all was say for it.

[...] O. G. "Tiser" is to come out [...] last week. Glad t[...] [...]any.

[...] Montgomery is recov[ering] [...] from the effects of the acc[ident] [...] last week.

America was discovered by [...], the Icelander, in the [...] and 896 years after, the E[...] Steel Pen Co., turned out [...]

The Collingwood Messenger [...] [...]ed hands, and the Daily Ed[...] [...]tinued, Messrs Wilson Rhin[...] [...] Wesley of Barrie, are the [...] proprietors.

[...] quantities of cattle and s[...] [...]e being shipped from here[...] farmers are receiving very [...]

[The] contract for the new "Stand[ard]" [...] has been let to Wm. McL[...], Contractor & Architect, M[...] $1125.00. It is to be 2[...] [...] story stone, and two s[...] [...] be complete in september[...]

[...] assortment of Picture, Mo[uldings], Photo Frames, cheap at Gra[...] [Ca]binet maker.

[A] thunder storm which pa[ssed] [...]ere on Sunday, did a [...] [amoun]t of damage throughout [...], a number of houses [...] having been struck with li[ghtning]. We have not heard of any [...]

[The] weather probabilities are is[sued] [by the] Dominion Telegraph Co., [...] [...] a.m. every morning for [the] benefit of the farmers. T[...] seen a Wilcox's Jewellery s[tore], [...] the Post Office.

[Mr.] A. Dunlop, is now prepare[d to supply] all who favor him with [...] in Bread (warranted [...] weight 24 hours). Pas[try], choice Confectionery & [...] in his new premises, lately [...] by A. McIntyre, Mill St., [...] Medical Hall.

[The] residence of Mr. Richard [...] Owen Sound was entered [...] early morning of the [...] and abstracted from the [...] of Mr. Notter the sum of $1[...] escaped without disturbing [the] inmates. There is no clue [to the] perpetrator.

"Castorine" Machine Oil, [...] kinds of machinery, it is also [...] for harness and leather, m[...] water and weather proof. [...] dealers.

[Mr.] Robt Askin fell through a p[...] the other day a distance of ab[...] and a cook stove after hi[m] [...] been a heavy man no do[ubt] [...] injuries might have been serio[us] [...] only weighs 215 lbs.

[Ask your] dealers for "Castorin[e]" [...] oil, and see that the bar[rel is] [brand]ed "Castorine," as none oth[er] [...]

[...]—On Thursday last [...] Miller was starting out [...] trip, and when oppo[site] [...] her heater head burst. S[...] [...]urn back and get the dama[ge] [...].—*Tribune.*

[A] man named Wm. Devlin, of [...] of Melancthon, while loadin[g] [...] poles on a train of the T[oronto,] Grey and Bruce railway, nor[th of] [Shelb]urne station on the 13th ins[t.] [...] the train and died instantl[y]. [...] disease is supposed to hav[e been] [the] cause.

[F]riday afternoon an accide[nt] [...] of rather a serious nature [...] [...]tor named Biddell, workin[g] [...] building now being rebuilt [...] Constable Egerton, on Poule[...] While working on the ro[of] [...] and fell off, a distance [...] [...] feet, cutting himself bad[ly] [about the] head and hands.—*O.*

[...] oil company, are so[le] [manufac]turers of "Castorine machi[ne oil]" [...] arrangements will be pr[...] [...]

GARNER'S VAMPIRES.—On D[ominion] Day at the Paisley Races, [...] celebrated race horse, Kin[...] [...] the first prize in the [...] race in 3 straight heat[s] [...] July, at the running ra[ces] [...] horses bred in the Provinc[e] [...] carried off the first priz[e] [...] greatest of ease. As a bree[der] [...] horses Mr. Hannah is ge[...] [...]—*Advance.*

FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WI[LD STRAWBERRY] [...] cures summer complaint[s], [...] dysentery, cholera morbu[s], [...] infantum, sour stomach, coli[c], [...] cramps, canker, piles, leu[...] [...] all manner of fluxes.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

Shortly. In the meantime Goods are being cleared out to make room for the large stock which is now being selected personally by Mr. McFarland from the largest houses in Europe.

THE STANDARD.

Friday. July 15th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Hot.

Farmers busy.

Business quiet.

Ice cream and lemonade largely in demand, the later preferred with a ...ck in it.

A letter from another old maid ap... next week.

...are scarce, a few bags ...ld find ready sale now.

The Garden Party held on the 12th ...s a success, financially, and that is about all we can say for it.

The O. S. 'Tiser is to come out in a new dress next week. Glad to hear ... Jimmy.

Mr. Montgomery is recovering ...ly from the effects of the accident ...mentioned last week.

America was discovered by Leif ...ricsson, the Icelander, in the year ...004, and 826 years after, the Ester...rook Steel Pen Co., turned out their ...st pen.

The Collingwood Messenger has ...nged hands, and the Daily Edition ...ntinued, Messrs Wilson Rhinehart ... W. Wesley of Barrie, are the pre...nt proprietors.

...ge quantities of cattle and sheep ...e now being shipped from here, for ...ich farmers are receiving very good ...ces.

The contract for the new "Standard ...fice," has been let to Wm. McLeod ...ilder, Contractor & Architect, Mark...le, for $1125.00. It is to be 24x34 ... one story stone, and two story ..., to be complete in september.

...rge assortment of Picture, Motto, ... Photo Frames, cheap at Grant's, ... Cabinet maker.

The thunder storm which passed ... here on Sunday, did a vast ...ount of damage throughout the ...ntry, a number of houses and ...s having been struck with light...g. We have not heard of any loss ... life.

The weather probabilities are issued ... the Dominion Telegraph Co., here ...7:30 a. m. every morning for the ...ecial benfit of the farmers. They ...n be seen a Wilcox's Jewellery store ... at the Post Office.

Mr. A. Dunlop, is now prepared to ...it on all who favor him with their ...ronage in Bread (warranted to ...d weight 24 hours). Pastry, ...cuits, choice Confectionery & Ice ...am in his new premises, lately oc...ied by A. McIntyre, Mill St., next ... to Medical Hall.

The residence of Mr. Richard Not...r of Owen Sound was entered on ... night or early morning of the 6th ..., and abstracted from the pants ...ket of Mr. Notter the sum of $165, ... escaped without disturbing any ... the inmates. There is no clue to ... perpetrator.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for ... kinds of machinery, it is also ex...lent for harness and leather, mak... it water and weather proof. For ... by dealers.

Mr. Robt Askin fell through a plat...m the other day a distance of about ... feet, and a cook stove after him. ...d he been a heavy man no doubt ... injuries might have been serious; ... he only weighs 215 lbs.

...k your dealers for "Castorine" ...chine oil, and see that the barrel ...anded "Castorine," as none other ...nuine.

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...named Wm. Devlin, of the ...hip of Melancthon, while loading ...ph poles on a train of the To..., Grey and Bruce railway, north ... Shelburne station on the 13th inst., ... off the train and died instantly. ...rt disease is supposed to have ... the cause.

On Friday afternoon an accident ...rred of rather a serious nature to ...rpenter named Biddell, working ... the building now being rebuilt for ... constable Egerton, on Poulett ...st. While working on the roof ...lipped and fell off, a distance of ...nty-five feet, cutting himself badly ... the head and hands.—*O. S.* ...

...ronto oil company, are sole ...facturers of "Castorine machine ... Infringements will be prosecuted

...e George's Victorians.—On Do... Day at the Paisley Races, A. ...h's celebrated race horse, King ...ge, took the first prize in the ...running race in 3 straight heats. ...e 2 July, at the running race ... horses bred in the Province, ... George carried off the first prize ... the greatest of ease. As a breed... fast horses Mr. Hannah is get... to be notorious.—*Advance*.

... Fowler's Extract of Wild ...wberry cures summer complaints, ...rhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, ... infantum, sour stomach, colic, ..., vomiting, canker, piles, leu...ea, and all manner of fluxes.

A drowning accident occurred at Owen Sound on the morning of the 11th inst at an early hour. A young girl, daughter of Mrs. Wilkins, who resides on the bank of the river, went in bathing and got into deep water. Her mother, hearing her cries for help, rushed into the water to save her child, who had then sunk, and would have been drowned also but for the timely arrival of Mr. J. Douglas who succeeded in getting her ashore. The body of the girl was recovered in a short time, but not before life was extinct. Coroner Cameron was notified, but considered an inquest not necessary.

Engagement and Wedding Rings, in great variety, at Wilcox's the Jewellers.

On the evening of the 6th inst., a little daughter, of Mr. J. B. Cuttle of Orangeville Gazette, aged about two years accidentally fell into a tub of water and was drowned.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

Attempted Suicide.—Mrs. Wilkins, Owen Sound the mother of the girl who was drowned on the 11th inst., tried to commit suicide by jumping into the river, having a stone attached to her neck. She was rescued by Peter Wilson who happened to be at hand, before she had accomplished her purpose. It is supposed that grief for the loss of her daughter lead to the rash act.

Burdock Blood Bitters cures scrofula, erysipelas, salt rheum, piles, and all humors of the blood. Cures dyspepsia, liver complaint, biliousness, constipation, dropsy, kidney complaints, headache, nervousness, female weakness, and general debility.

Rev. Mr. Spurgeon's Home.—He lives at Palace Station, seven miles south from the centre of the city. A little over a mile in a cab brought me to the house. It is a delightful situated a piece of ten acres, sloping towards the south. Mr. S. showed me the fernery, the flowers and the garden. Then we went to the stable; and as he opened the door, Mr. S. said: "There, you may eat your dinner off any part of the stable you please, it is so clean." Nor was the praise extravagant; the straw in the stalls had, at its outer edge, a narrow rim of straw matting, so that, in a sense, it might be said that the stalls were carpeted. Over two of the stalls were the names of the occupants, "Brownie" and "Beauty." Mr. Spurgeon said: "My horses are under the law. They observe Saturday. On the day, they are never taken out, no matter who wants to go any where. So that when they carry me to town on Sunday, their Sabbath is not interfered with."

PERSONAL.

Messrs. F. Beatty and Roderick McKenzie, two young men of Artemesia, left Markdale on the 12th inst. bound for Montana.

We have received papers from Mr. W. J. McFarland in Liverpool. We are glad to be able to state that he (Mc) is in good spirits after his voyage.

REMOVALS.

McIntyre moved his grocery from the old stand across the street to Dr. Sproule's block on Monday, and is now ready to receive his old friends and customers in his new store. It is more roomy and better adapted to his business than his old stand. New advertisement shortly.

A. Dunlop, Baker, takes McIntyre's old stand, which has been fitted up to suit his business.

Mr. John McIntyre has removed to his new residence.

Mr. James Burns' family has gone to Toronto, where he has been engaged in house building for some time past.

George Ritchie, has removed to his new dwelling, Mill street, below the elevators.

Grovenor Thomas, Shoemaker, removed to Sydenham Street.

Burdock Blood Bitters

-VICTORIA-
BUCHU & UVA URSI
THE GREAT SPECIFIC
...
URINARY ORGANS

HAGYARDS PECTORAL BALSAM
Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.
Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.50
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	0.45	"	0.55
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	[illegible]	"	[illegible]
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.00	"	0.35
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	0.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 16c; beef 5c to 5½c: sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 27c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

(*Especial to the Standard.*)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 20	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 23
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 30	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—First Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

HOP BITTERS.
(A Medicine, not a Drink.)
CONTAINS
HOPS, BUCHU, MANDRAKE, DANDELION.
And the Purest and Best Medical Qualities of all other Bitters.
THEY CURE
All Diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Kidneys, and Urinary Organs, Nervousness, Sleeplessness and especially Female Complaints.
$1000 IN GOLD.
...
Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N. Y., & Toronto, Ont.

STRAYED

From the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, Euphrasia, on Townline Euphrasia and Holland, on or about the 28th of May, Four Ewes and Four Lambs. Three of the Ewes are white and one grey—Lambs are all white. The Ewes are marked on the right shoulder with tar, and one Lamb has a black spot on its hind leg. Any person who will give such information as will lead to their recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

ADAM HOLBERRY.

...June 23, 1881. 42-3 in.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-tf

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NOTICE is hereby given that the road upon through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

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Markdale, June 2, 1881. 14-tf

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It is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

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STRAYED.

From the premises of the subscriber, lot 25, 5th con. Glenelg, on the 23rd of June, 5 two-year-olds, two of which were Steers, both were grey in color, one with large horns. 3 heifers, one of which is the same color as steers, the other two red, one slightly brindled.

JAMES SULLIVAN.
Priceville, P. O.

Glenelg, June 30, 1881. 42 3 in.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Glenelg, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1881, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of Nine Hundred Dollars, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of Union School Section No. 12, Artemesia and Glenelg, to erect a school house in said section, and that said By-Law was registered in the Registry Office in the South Riding of the County of Grey, on the Sixteenth day of June, A. D. 1881.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months from the date of registration, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the Fourth day of July, 1881.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

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Dated 23rd June, A. D. 1881.

GEORGE GRANT.
ALFRED CHELLEW.

Witness, D. J. MacMillan. 41-3i

A. McINTYRE.

Will move into my new premises shortly in Sproule's Block shortly. No time to write advertisements just now, all though ready to wait on you should you drop in. No stale goods in my establishment.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880.

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ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 11-tf

Millinery! Millinery!

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is nicely assorted, comprising

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LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches.

We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement, but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

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Markdale, July 7, 1881.

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Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

HOW HE CAUGHT THEM.

A celebrated and somewhat eccentric preacher in London, played a little trick on his people in order to get them to come to church early. They had been in the habit of coming whenever it suited them, thereby causing him much annoyance. This minister on Sunday told his people that he would, on the next Sunday, have something of unusual importance to communicate to them, but that in order to avail themselves of the benefits of it they must all be in their seats at the very moment appointed for beginning the service. It turned out that all he had to communicate was the expression of his pleasure at finding them all in their seats in season. Only two persons were late, and the others grinned at them as they came in on tip-toe, and took their seats. It was the impression of most of those who were thus lured into a spasmodic punctuality, that the minister had sold them very cheap.

LIVER WOUNDS.

[From the Rochester Democrat.]

The works on surgery generally set down gunshot wounds through the liver as exceedingly dangerous. The Surgical History of the war of the Rebellion, by Surgeon General Barnes, gives the statistics of such wounds, which show a good percentage of recoveries. The Surgeon General writes: "In fifty-nine cases the injury to the liver was the dominant lesion, and the cases in this group may be termed uncomplicated cases." Of the fifty-nine cases, twenty-five had a favorable result. The danger of wounds of the liver were first, primary hemorrhage, and afterward traumatic peritonitis, or abscess of the hepatic parenchyma. Reports by the surgeons attending President Garfield do not indicate the exact nature of the wound. It is probable that it is not yet fully known; but it is believed that the liver is shot through. The surgical history says that gun shot wounds at short range are more lacerated than at long range. The pistol of the assassin carried a bullett as large as a musket ball, and its execution must have been terrible. Complicated cases of shot wounds through the liver are such as are associated with fractures of ribs, lesions of the lung, of the diaphragm, stomach, hepatic ducts or gall bladder, of the spleen, pancreas, kidneys, or blood vessels. Of one hundred and fourteen cases of complicated wounds of the liver, thirty-seven cases are recorded by the Surgeon General as having recovered. This per cent., even, is encouraging to the anxious people who are watching every sign reported from the bedside of the suffering President. The great danger is now undoubtedly from peritonitis or abscess. The impact of a bullet at short range causes a stellate fracture of the liver. This is owing to the outer surface being harder than the inner. Such fractures are very serious.

THE MAN WHO WAS MIXED.

"Really, but I hope you will excuse the intrusion," said a shabby-looking man as an insurance agent looked up.

"You are excusable, Sir. What did you wish?

"Well, you see—I'm a bit mixed. Was it Napoleon or Washington who crossed the Alps?"

"Napoleon, [illegible]?"

"Just so—thanks. I was inclined that way myself, but yet I know that Washington was always scooting around and he might have taken it into his head to cross the Alps. Good day, sir."

He passed down the hall thirty feet, and then turned and protested.

"Say, don't think ill of me, but I am still mixed up—dreadfuly mixed. Will you answer me one more question?"

"Yes."

"Wasn't it Nero who commanded the sun to stand still?"

"No, [illegible]."

"I had an idea that it was Joshua, but I didn't dare put up money on it. Nero was always fiddling around, you know, and I had a dim idea that he might have taken a whack at the sun. Very much obliged to you, Sir."

This time he went half way down stairs and returned on tip-toe. The agent looked up and saw him in the door and sharply quered?

"Well?"

"Mixed again!" pleaded the stranger, "Say, I want to ask you just one more question."

"Yes."

"Did you ever lend a man a dollar to help him on his way to Columbus to see his dying wife?"

"Never! You are thinking of old Diogenes. He used to shell out to every dead-beat who came along."

"Mixed again, by thunder!" muttered the man, and as he passed down stairs he took great pains to set his feet down on each step like a man who had bet on three of a kind and found a flush taking his money.—*M. Quad.*

WICKED FOR CLERGYMEN.—REV.—, Washington, D. C., writes: I believe it to be all wrong and even wicked for clergymen or other public men to be led into giving testimonials to quack doctors or vile stuffs called medicines, but when a really meritorious article made of valuable remedies known to all, that all physicians use and trust in daily, we should freely commend it. I therefore cheerfully and heartily commend Hop Bitters for the good they have done me and my friends, firmly believing they have no equal for family use. I will not be without them."—*New York Baptist Weekly.*

A young girl in Dortmund, Germany, robbed her lover of a valuable watch, which she pawned. The young man having missed the watch, notified the police, who traced the theft to the girl. When brought to trial she avowed her guilt with many tears and sobs, alleging that, unable to purchase her wedding dress, and being ashamed to confess her poverty to her future husband, she had purloined his watch with the object of realizing a sufficient amount by its hypothecation to equip herself decently. It is pleasant to know that this piteous confession was responded to in a gallant and magnanimous spirit by the despoiled bridegroom, who declared that "the prisoner was and ever would be his only love, and that he would marry her out of hand if the judge would consent to set her at liberty." Without a moment's delay, the tribunal annulled the arraignment, and the generous lover carried off his [illegible] triumph.

MARKDALE
CARRIAGE WORKS!!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRATS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AND
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING
AND
General Jobbing!

As we warant all our work. A call is solicited, and we guarantee satisfaction.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel
Markdale, March 8, 1881. 25-3m.

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HARNESS,
Made in good style and of the
THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,
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Flesherton. March. 1881. 16

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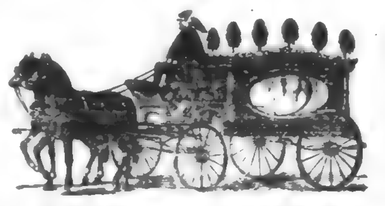
ALFRED CHELLEW.
Witness, D. J. MACMILLAN. 41-3i



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Call and see for yourselves.

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Markdale, April 6th, 1881. [illegible]

Markdale General Agency
IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET
Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the
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DOHERTY ORGANS,
Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.
THEOPHILUS HALL.
Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.

WILLIAM STRAIN,
Dealer in all kinds of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES
Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.
WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.
Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of
W. BULMER,
The People's
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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.
Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND
BUTTER & RAE
In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their
WINTER GOODS AT COST!
NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS
In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

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☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS are the only Boots worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust that all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.
BUTTER & RAE.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

A Good Chance.

To rent for one or more years, Lot 9 con. 9 Euphrasia, terms easy, 60 acres in grass. Apply to,
W. J. McFARLAND
Markdale, May 5th 1881. 34-3

NOTICE.

All parties, are hereby warned against trespassing on these lot.
THOS. H. YOUNG.
Niagara Falls, May 5th. 34-3

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. C. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Sproule's residence.
Markdale, Dec. 16 [illegible]

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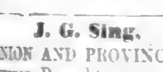

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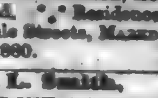

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Variety of Other Cakes
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For 1881-82,
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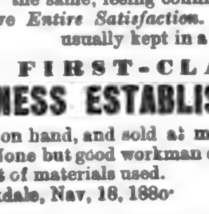
of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
CLASSIFIED
BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
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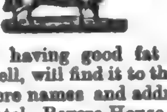

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WILSON BENSON.
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VIOLA'S REVENGE.

By the Author of "My Lady's Secret," "A Waif's Fortune," "The Lady of Gordon Lea," &c.

CHAPTER I.

A shattered stone column, a headless marble Apollo, a fountain which once was fed from a pool high up on yonder hillside, but which ceased to play five hundred years ago. In the shadow of the idle fountain a girl sleeping.

It was very hot up there, although there was a gentle breeze from the cool waters of the bay. It was not an English sky, or an English seascape. Both were intensely, beautifully blue. But he who climbed the narrow winding path and halted by the broken column to wipe his heated brow was an Englishman, every inch of him; English in his breadth of chest and spareness of flank, and lean, but muscular, length of limb; Anglo-Saxon in the sunny gold of his hair and the colour of his eyes, which were blue as the sky or the shifting waters of the bay; Briton in the mingled energy, audacity, and folly of this climbing excursion, undertaken at an hour when the olive-hued sons and daughters of the soil were taking their siesta.

Eugh—how hot it was!

He looked toward the idle fountain, longing for the music of the merry waters leaping and plashing in the basin; but he saw only the skirt of a robe and a bare protruding foot, whiter, daintier, of more exquisite symmetry than that of the headless Apollo. A dozen paces, and he got a clear view of the sleeper who dozed in the shade.

An Italian girl, that was evident, with a sweet face, child-like and innocent, regular features delicately chiselled, raven hair, and long eyelashes under beautifully arched brows—a lovely face, in truth, were it not for the sallowness of the complexion.

The young Englishman's eyes rested upon her approvingly, from the crown of her small shapely head, pillowed upon wild flowers and tangled weeds, to the sole of her bare white foot, and he saw no blemish in this Southern maiden. But this was a land of handsome women; her immature beauty interested him less than that which lay in her lap, a branch of purple grapes.

Purple grapes; and he with tongue parched with thirst! No matter what might be the penalty, he must put forth his hand to take and eat. They belonged to a poorly clad Italian damsel and purple grapes were as plentiful as English blackberries in autumn.

The Englishman coolly seated himself beside the sleeper and demolished them one by one until nothing was left but the stalk. Then he took a piece of gold from his pocket and flung it carelessly into the girl's lap, and turned to go; but a stone tripped him up, and he fell, not without noise, over the shattered column, and lay, as he fell, silent and hidden; for the sleeper, aroused, was rubbing her eyes and lifting her little head from the wild flowers and weeds.

"*Per Baccho!*" said the girl in the musical Italian tongue. "Behold a marvel! Surely one of the Gods has descended, and has eaten my grapes and paid me for them in gold! Which would it be, I wonder? When the earth was young, and his exchequer was full, perhaps—for the English had not stolen all his wealth—Jupiter visited Danae in a shower of such pieces as this. Poor old Jupiter, no longer king of gods and man! Perhaps he has sold his chariot, and is reduced to ramble afoot, feeling hunger and thirst, and paying for his entertainments. For a bunch of grapes, a piece of gold! Verily he pays like a god!"

"Or like one of the English who stole his wealth."

The girl started at the sound, and, with a quick movement, hid that dainty blue-veined foot beneath the skirt of her shabby dress.

Her voice trembled as she replied, but only with the laughter she was endeavoring to suppress.

"'*Vox et praterea nihil*' Yes, surely it is a god!" she said. "But the god speaks the Italian with a barbarous English accent. Sir Englishman, come forth."

"To confess myself a thief?" said the stranger rising.

"Nay; but to acknowledge, like a courteous guest, the hospitality you have received from a daughter of the land."

And again through the girl's musical tones was heard the shaking of laughter suppressed. Her great lustrous eyes, deep fringed, were bright with welcome, and with a glad pride in the height and strength, the gracious majest of presence, and the fair Saxon comeliness of this freebooting visitor; for she, self-styled a daughter of the land, was English also, though her beauty was that of her Italian mother, and had developed thus far under sunny Southern skies.

"And who taught you Latin, little one?" he asked, as he threw himself at her feet upon the wild flowers and tangled weeds, and forgot the sallowness of her complexion, looking into the deep-fringed eyes and noting how like a row of pearls in a setting of coral were the little teeth he saw between parted lips. He was no longer in haste to go. Here, in the shade of the fountain, he might spend idly and deliciously an hour of his life, its restlessness subdued for a while.

"A father learned and holy, of the monastery yonder," she replied. "He taught me to read the grand old poets who wrote when the earth was young. Of them all, I love Lucretius best."

"Child, you are quite a blue-stocking."

Putting his bantering thought into the strange tongue in which they were speaking, he translated literally. Her dark eyes flashed angrily, and were lowered for one instant to make sure that the little bare foot was securely hidden.

"I do not understand—I do not wish to understand," she cried, shaking her lap, so that the coin he had dropped there was thrown out, and rolled to his feet, where it lay unheeded. "Take your gold and go."

"But," he began, half amused, half dismayed.

"Go," she cried again, enforcing the command with an imperious gesture.

This child-woman of fifteen, whose childhood was revealed in the tender innocence of her sweet face and whose womanhood was displayed in the precocious development of figure characteristic of the hot south, had suddenly assumed the tone and manner of an outraged queen.

"In my country," said the young Englishman persuasively, "blue-stocking is a name applied to a woman distinguished by unusual learning. I ought to have remembered that an idiomatic expression——"

He did not complete the semi-apology. A sudden change of gesture told him that she had repented her displeasure.

"I am not a blue-stocking," she said adopting in her penitence, the term which had offended her. "I am only a poor little Italian girl, just able, thanks to the good fathers, to read the books they lend me from their great library, to sing the songs old Spemio has taught me, and to play upon the organ a few of the tunes he loves best."

"She who can read and write, and who has access to a great library, may become the wisest woman in the world."

"But I am lazy—so lazy, you would not believe!"—and a whimsical uplifting of elbows gave expression to the words.

"Then you have my hearty sympathy," returned the young man, stretching himself indolently upon the green carpet whereon he lay. "Looking back upon the score of years I have spent in this wicked world, I seem to have been incessantly grinding upon the intellectual treadmill; and I am weary of the toil. Yours is the wiser part, little one, to bask in the sun and slumber in the shade, to play with the children and listen to the old wives' tales, to eat the purple grapes, to drink the red wine, to thrive, almost as the flowers thrive, upon pure air and sunshine, needing in addition only the handful of macaroni that would not, in England, keep life in a beggar's dog. Yours is the poetry of existence, and mine the prose."

"Words—idle words!" said the girl. "Would such poetry content you, even for one week?"

"Frankly, I do not know. I am blissfully content at this instant; but I question whether the pure air and sunshine are alone responsible for my frame of mind. It will last until you leave me, or bid me go once more."

"Would you obey?"

"Yes; unless the command were issued in some spirit of misapprehension."

"Then you may remain until—until you are weary of the society of a poor and ignorant girl like me."

"Poverty and ignorance are relative, compared with men I know; and very poor for my station."

"What is your name?"

"Claude Armidale," answered the young man, after an instant's hesitation. "Will you tell me yours?"

"Viola."

The name was very musical in the liquid Italian accent, and the girl looked very beautiful in the slight embarrassment caused by indecision whether or not to reveal a surname which might betray the secret of her nationality. It was excellent fun, she thought, to masquerade as a peasant-girl.

Perhaps there was in her heart a spice of female vanity, which made regret that the shabby dress she wore was so thoroughly in keeping with the character, and of female pride, which forbade a confession which, by exciting surprise, would call attention to her toilet. Therefore she answered only—"Viola."

"It is worthy of you," said Lord Claude Armidale—for he too had a motive for concealment.

The tone was low and earnest; the impulsive words were not an idle compliment. Looking into his blue eyes, she read there "confirmations strong as proofs of Holy Writ;" and for the first time during the interview Viola blushed. It was long before she met his glance again, and in the place of the old fearless frankness had come a new delicious trouble, a strange intense pleasure that was almost pain.

Nevertheless they sat there, talking in gentle murmurs, while at times there were long silent interludes that were more eloquent by far than speech.

What they said to each other, and how they said it—with what tender inflections of the voice, with what glances, burning or shy—Who shall tell? But they talked, those two, until the cool night-breeze blew in from the sea, until Viola shivered in the shade, until Lord Armidale remembered that "Nature abhors a vacuum," and that he had not yet dined. Then they clasped hands and parted, with formal gravity, but with a mutual promise that on the morrow they would meet again.

CHAPTER II.

"To-morrow night, when the moon shall have risen." That was the last appointment made by Claude, Lord Armidale, and Viola. One of them was sitting at the foot of the headless Apollo keeping it.

She might have been taken for a statue herself, so still was she, with the quietude of perfect happiness.

It seemed a long fifteen minutes since she glided like a ghost round the idle fountain to keep tryst in the moonlight—a long fifteen minutes! And in all that time she had stirred but once. Then she had thrown out her arms toward the path by which he would come, and had whispered something to the zephyr that was toying with the hair upon her brow.

It was wondrously calm up there, the silence intensified, rather than broken, by an occasional murmur from the village or the barking of the herdsman's dog.

Below, the moonlight shimmered upon the waters of the bay, and the white-sailed feluces looked like a painted ship upon a painted sea. Above, golden lights, dimmed by the outer splendor, were twinkling in the windows of the monastery. The silent watcher, sitting at the foot of the Apollo, drinking in the beauty of her surroundings, wondered whether Heaven itself could be more fair.

The place was Heaven to her. Her love was holy—all the guilelessness of her young soul was in it, as well as all the strength. There was passion too; but as yet the passion had not been stirred, as yet hers was an early phase of the religion of love—a phase of blind, speechless adoration—a silent rapture.

Hark! A plunging stone kicked from its place in the winding upward path—a quick, firm step—an emerging figure, tall, graceful, yet majestic withal.

"Oh, Claude, Claude, my love!"

There was no prudish reticence about this Italian maid. The first shy sweet sense of shame no longer availed to withhold her from his embrace. Her arms were thrown about his neck, her head was pillowed upon his breast. Every line of her pale eloquent features were aglow with love, but likewise with saintly stainless purity; and, as he looked upon her and thought of the proposal he was about to force his lips to utter, he was ashamed.

"You are late, my Claude?"

"As befits the bearer of bad news, darling. I am summoned to England in hot haste. To-morrow morning, at daybreak, I must go."

There was a wail of dismay, an almost painful tightening of clinging arms.

"But you will return?" she cried.

"Dearest, I do not know."

"Claude, take me with you."

She had not meant that such a prayer should come from her; but in that supreme moment she had no thought of maidenly reserve. That belonged to the time of her security, to the moments when, waiting in the moonlight, she wondered in what words this English gentleman, so young, but of so grand a presence, would ask her to become his wife. She had pictured his delight when she should answer him in his own tongue with the revelation that she was no Italian peasant girl, but English and well-born, though poor.

Such had been the musings which had kept her patient under the delay; but she forgot them now.

"Claude, take me with you!" she cried; and he, knowing that he intended to exert all his influence, all his powers of persuasion, to this end, was so astounded at the simplification of anticipated difficulty that he fenced with the demand.

"Do you love me well enough, little one?"

She did not answer the needless question in words, but nestled closer, as though that were ample response.

"Presently," she said, "you shall come with me to our cottage on the hill-side yonder, and I will tell my father how we love one another, and will ask him to let you take me away. He will be astonished at first, and a little angry perhaps; but I always get my own way in the end. Early in the morning the good fathers of the monastery will make us man and wife; then I will follow you, if need be, to the end of the world, Claude, my beloved."

"Man and wife"—he almost groaned at the words. "I will follow you to the end of the world"—ay, like strolling players or itinerant musicians. He thought of the absurdity of the proposition, pictured his "wife" forsooth, presiding at a dinner-party or holding a reception in a London drawing-room. To the proud spirit of Lord Armidale, such a *mesalliance* appeared as impossible as it would have done to a prince of the blood. And yet his better self felt all the pathos of that declaration—"I will follow you, if need be, to the end of the world, Claude, my beloved."

"Viola," he said, "you know me simply as a poor English gentleman. The poverty remains, but I am, in truth, a great English lord."

"Yes," answered the girl simply.

The revelation was not a startling surprise to her; she had one to make shortly of equal force.

He was noble and grand enough to be a prince, she thought; but his confession suggested no disparity of station. Even when she had run barefooted amongst the courteous Italian peasants, ragged and shabby as they, she had been to them as a king's daughter—a princess in disguise, the excellent, the illustrious one—loved the more dearly for her condescension when she drank of their thin wine and ate their macaroni, but respected not one wit the less.

"Our manners and customs forbid that I should marry you," he continued. "You would not be happy in discharging the duties which would devolve upon you. Nay, to do so would be impossible; for such task requires a special education amongst surroundings other than these, dear child. Come with me as my companion, but not as my wife."

He found courage to look at her as he spoke the words, and he knew that she was only beginning to comprehend.

That she could not be his wife she understood; and the terrible agony, the frozen, dumb despair of her wan features touched him keenly; for he loved her, this Italian peasant-maid, as he never hoped to love a woman of his own caste. He forgot all about dinner-parties and drawing-rooms, and what society would say of its new acquisition if she became Lady Armidale.

At that moment he would have been more than content to make her his wife had the obstacles been such considerations alone. But there were some things he could not forget—the mortgages on his broad acres, to wit—the load of debt which grew heavier every year—the imperative necessity that he should marry a woman rich enough to redeem the acres his ... loved.

"I am an English lord," he repeated, "and I have great estates; but they are so burdened with debt that, when the yearly charges have been paid, the merest pittance is left—a bare thousand pounds a year, not more. When I marry, it must be some rich woman who can free them from all encumbrances."

What did he mean? the girl was wondering. What did he mean with his talk of poverty and of a "pittance" of a thousand a year? Why, her father had but a hundred pounds per annum, which came to him in quarterly instalments from beyond the seas, and he was accounted rich by the villagers, and was respected for his wealth as well as for his rank! Her thoughts were a horrible whirl and confusion of ideas; but in the chaos two cruel truths began to take shape and consistency. He had been befooling her all this time by his profession of love; he was trying to befool her now by his profession of poverty.

(To be Continued.

A POSITIVE FACT.—It is now established beyond controversy that DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY is the most perfect cure for all forms of bowel complaints, including cholera murbus, dysentery, colic, cholera infantum, nausea, canker of the stomach and bowles, piles, etc. Beware of opiates and poisoning drugs, that only check for a time produce inflammation. WILD STRAWBERRY is safe and certain in its effects.

TWO-AND-A-HALF-DOLLAR CHRISTIANS.

There are a great many people in their religons that remind me of "Uncle Phil," a pious old darkey of the old times in Texas. Well, Phil was a fervent Christian with a great gift of prayer. He attended all the night prayer meetings on the neighboring plantations, and could pray louder than any of the brethren. But Phil had one weakness—he dearly loved money, and different from the negro generally, he loved to hord it up. Near by us lived a man who, not troubled by any scruples, would pay Phil a dollar to work in his field on Sundays. One Sunday as Phil came home after dark I accosted him with:

"Where have you been, Phil?"

"Oh, just knocking about, massa."

"You have been working for Miller."

"Well, you see, massa, the old fellow is in needs, and he just showed me a silver dollar and I jest couldn't stand it."

"Ain't you afraid the Devil will get you for breaking the Sabbath?"

Phil scratched his head a minute, and said:

"I guess the Lord 'll 'scuse me, massa."

"No. He says. Remember the Sabbath day and keep it holy."

Phil went off looking pretty sober, and it was not long before I heard his voice in fervent prayer back of the barn, and so I thought I would slip down near enough to hear.

"Oh Lord!" I heard him say, "I have this day ripped and teared, cussed and sweared at them confounded oxen of Miller's, and jest broke the Sabbath day. Oh, Lord, please forgive me; please forgive me, for you knows I's nothing but a misserable heathen, anyhow. If you'll jest forgive me this time, I'll never do it again as long as I live; 'cepting he gives me two dollars and a half a day."

At this point I was obliged to beat a hasty retreat, but I am thinking that Poor Uncle Phil isn't the only $2.50 Christian in the world.—Louisville *Christian Observer.*

A great many people who want to be wrapped up well when they retire at night dislike very much to be rapped up in the morning.

WHAT BECAME OF THE QUEENS OLD DRESSES.

The following advertisement appeared recently in a New York paper: Ladies desirous of purchasing articles from the wardrobe of Queen Victoria can do so by calling at Mrs. Martin,——West Forteth street. The vendor of the cast-off clothing told a reporter for the Mercury that every three months witnesses a complete renewal of Queen Victoria's wardrobe. It falls the perquisite of the maids of honor who, in fact, recive no other reward These exalted but frugal ladies sell itin a lump, and divide the money it bring among them. The discarded garb of Britian's greatness having been packed in bundles is transcorted by night to the residence of a Mrs. Marks who recieves it from the trusted carrier and returns the money. She does with it what ladies and gentleman, who deal in cast off clothing, plebian or regal, the world over do with their wares. It finds a ready sale in London, at comparitively enormous prices, to ladies who desire to possess some souvenir of their sovereign. In free America the demand is equally great. The customers are all natives, but they gush over the remnants of royal finery with as much fervor as any fullfledged cockney toady ever could. The first thing they do is to kiss them the next is to try them on. Then they commence to criticise them; but there's one thing they never do, which is to refuse to pay the price.

WICKED FOR CLERGYMEN.—Rev.—, Washington, D. C., writes: I believe it to be all wrong and even wicked for clergymen or other public men to be led into giving testimonials to quack doctors or vile stuffs called medicines, but when a really meritorious article made of valuable remedies known to all, that all physicians use and trust in daily, we should freely command it. I therefore cheerfully and heartily commend Hop Bitters for the good they have done me and my friends, firmly believing they have no equal for family use. I will not be without them."—*New York Baptist Weekly.*

THE LIME-KILL CLUB.

Although the club had a full dozen invitations to participate in outside parades and celebrations, most of the members remained in Detroit on the Fourth. Paradise Hall was open to callers from 9 a. m. to 10 p. m. and the register shows that over 600 visitors passed the portals. Among others were ex Judge Sufficiree, of Canada; Col. Shellbark, of Wisconsin; ex Senator Cauliflower Jones, of Ohio; Miss Ada Hooper, the "Colored Nightingale of Virginia, and the representatives of several colored military civic societies. During the afternoon Miss Hooper sang several songs and took up a collection for the benefit of the Chicago fire sufferers. At 4 o'clock sixty members of the club indulged in a street parade lasting for an hour, and then returned to the hall to indulge in lemonade, buttermilk, root beer, cocoanuts, peanuts, and other patriotic fodder.

WHO ARE INSANE?

"What I war' going to remark," began Brother Gardner as the hour arrived and the triangle sounded, "am to ask who among you am insane? I should like to make out a list as soon as possible, an' I hope dat no lunatic will feel backwards about handin' in his name.

"You look surprised," continued the old man, as he walked up and down in front of his desk, "but I am quite satisfied dat we have at least a dozen lunatics among us. De man dat shot de President could read law an' plead it; he could cheat, lie, swindle, bilk hotels, buy an' sell, court an' go on long journeys, an, yet he am declared to be crazy. No one else knowed it 'till he became an assassin. If he hadn't tried to commit murder he would still be looked upon as a dead beat instead of a lunatic. Now I propose to take time by de 4-lock and make a list of de lunatics in our club fur de benefit of de purleece. Let each assassin stan' up as his name is called by de Seckretary."

The Secretary went through the roll in his usual sing-song way, and not a member stood up.

"Werry well," said the president, "let de Seckretary make a note of dis. You have all plead guilty to bein' perfectly sane, an' you mus take de consequences. If ary one of you walk out of a grocery wid a cod fish under your coat, or am oberhauled by de purleece wid a bag of chickens on your back, doan' try to shirk the consequences by pleadin' insanity."

TWO JUDGES ON MODERATE DRINKING

Judge Ardagh, junior judge of Simcoe Cunty, Ontario, in his instructions to the clerks and bailiffs of the Division Courts in that County, quotes the following amongst other extracts from the papers of the senior judge, issued more than ten years ago:

"One point more upon which I claim no right to direct, but in a kindly spirit to officers would say a word.

"As nearly every trade has its peculiar disease so every position in life has its particular temptations—that of bailiff is the almost insensible gliding from the temperate use of intoxicating beverage to habits of drunkenness. My advice is to abstain altogether. I know as a fact that spirituous liquors will not strengthen men to bear exposure and fatigue, and there is great peril to persons circumstanced as bailiffs are, who take them as a habit.

"I regret that in one case in this County I felt called upon to remark, whatever may be the cause of neglect of duty by bailiffs the character of the Court suffers thereby. A dullard, a drunkard, or a drone is not a fit person for any office of trust, and such a one it becomes a duty to remove."

To this Judg Ardagh adds:—

"I entirely agree with my brother, Judge Gowan, in the foregoing observations, and I wish all officers to bear this in mind."

DANGER! BEWARE! As you value your life, beware of opiates in diarrhœa mixtures. They quell pain, but checking too suddenly, the results is inflammation. DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT WILD STRAWBERRY, made from the Wild Strawberry plant and other healing vegetables, is nature's own cure for all forms of bowel complaint.

CREMATION HALL.

A correspondent of the Pall Mall *Gazette* writing from Gotha, Germany, describes the Cremation hall in that place, with the exception of Milan, the only one in Europe. It was built two and a half years ago, and since that time the bodies of 52 persons, including five women, have been incinerated. The correspondent writes: "Nine hours of preliminary preparation are necessary; and it must be explained in order to remove any feeling of repugnance on the part of the reader, that the body is not burned in flame, but is reduced to ashes by air heated to 600 deg. Reaumur. Two hours elapse before the ashes are collected—six pounds being the usual in the case of a man, four in that of a woman. As I have before said, the process is not visable, and is so scientific that every element of horror is eliminated. The ceremony takes place in silent solemnity, only the necessary officials and one or two near relatives being admitted. I think few visitors will visit this ceremation hall without being deeply impressed in favor of a system so advantageous to the living, and, it must be admitted—at least, of France and Germany—also advantageous to the dead. Here, as in France, the law compels such prompt interment that in many cases it has been known to take place before the breath has left the body. In Algera I have known personally a victim of this misapprehension; and my German friends system as, irrespective of other advantages preventing premature burial."

A new epidemic has made its appearance in the Novgorod district in Russia. The suffers are seized with constant bleeding at the nose, and their bodies are marked with lage black spots. The disease would appear to be contagious, as a quarantine has been established around the affected district.

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Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.53 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.06 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12 00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE— Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, July 22nd, 1831.

NOTICE.

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Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
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Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
	1.50

THE Hon. Edward Blake is at present making a tour of the Maritime Provinces.

FIRE.—A dwelling house, and stable on the farm lately occupied by James Hogan, Artemesia, about 12 o'clock on Thursday night, the 14th., was destroyed by fire. Cause of fire unknown.

THE ship laborers' strike in Montreal is about over. Leonard, the Secretary of the Union, was arrested on Monday, and it is likely he will be severely punished, as a loaded revolver was found on his person when arrested. The balance of the men appear to be thoroughly cowed.

THE body of a young lady was discovered on the afternoon of the 19th, opposite Queenston, by James Robbins, of Lewiston, N. Y. The body is apparently that of a young lady about 16 or 18 years of age, five feet four or six inches in height, dark brown hair, full, round face, good teeth, and has been nice looking. Her clothing, of which she had retained nearly the whole, consisted of a white cotton chemise, with a woven cotton waist or jersey over it. The dress is of black cashmere, modern style, with bead and lace trimmings; stockings, white cotton, of good material, and number three or three and a half kid button shoes, with French heels, without heel plates.

GRAND MASONIC EXCURSION.—The members of Lorne Lodge, Shelburne, intend availing themselves of the Civic holiday in their little town by giving an excursion to Toronto and Lorne Park on Friday the 29th inst. The train leaves Markdale at 5.00 a.m., arriving in Toronto at 10:30, when the steamer *Empress of India* will be in waiting to take excursionists to the Park. Returning, the train leaves the city at 5:00 p.m., and reaches here about 10:30. Return tickets are offered at the very low rate of $1.25, children half-price, and those who desire it may return on any of the regular trains next day by payment of 50c. extra. Owing to the change of gauge there will be but few excursions this summer, so the present opportunity should be improved. Tickets to be had from Mr. McFarland, here, and at the station and also on board the train. The Shelburne Brass and Quadrille Bands will accompany the party. See large posters for full particulars.

THE CROPS.

Haying is well advanced, and a great many are through. The crop is much better than was expected some time ago, some fields yielding one ton per acre, yet, on the whole, the crop is a slight one, not averaging over half a ton per acre. Fall wheat will be ripe in a few days. There was a greater breadth than usual sown, fully half of which has been ploughed up and resown with other grain—chiefly barley. What is left will be, we would judge,—a three-fourth crop. Oats, Peas and Barley promises an abundant crop. Potatoes never looked better.

FRUIT.—The strawberries have been almost a total failure, Apples and Plums will be a light crop. Taking into consideration the high price for stock, the prospect for good market and a full average crop of grain with the high prices paid through the season for butter and eggs, the farmers prospects are indeed encouraging.

VICTORIA DISASTER.

THE case against Captain Rankin and Mr. George Parish, was concluded on Monday. They were sent up to stand their trial for manslaughter, bail being accepted—Parish in $2,000 and one surety of $1,000; Rankin, two bondsmen in $1,500 each.

FLESHERTON.

Correspondence to the STANDARD.

The natural scenery of Artemesia is generally allowed to be second to none in Ontario. We have the Eugenia Falls, which are fast gaining a national reputation, and although not quite so extensive as the Falls of Niagara, are, as a natural piece of scenery, not so very far behind after all. The chief difference, perhaps, lies only in the fact, that at the one one place there is a Suspension Bridge, at the other there isn't. But the thought has occurred to us, that the lack might be very easily supplied. Everybody knows that there is a bridge on the Saugeen at Tyrone, the transportation of which to Eugenia Falls might prove ornamental, if not useful. The architectural features of this bridge are of a highly scientific order, and reflect no ordinary credit on the remarkable mechanical genius of him who constructed it. Niagara has its Suspension Bridge, and Eugenia may thus also have its suspension; for one of the beauties of this erection is that, it will pass for a suspension or any other kind of bridge. As the Council can afford to spend the people's money on such a bridge, and place it in a locality where it does not appear to be appreciated, we would suggest its removal to Eugenia, and thus combine artificial with natural beauty. This additional attraction would, doubtless, draw crowds from all quarters, and if the bridge was once in position over the falls, a small charge of 10c. per head for each one crossing the suspension might bring in quite a little revenue, which could be applied to swails and sidewalk repairs around Flesherton.

EUPHRASIA.

From our own Correspondent.

WE had a grand celebration on the 12th at Rocklyn. Great crowd, quiet orderly, and respectable. Everybody was there, and their cousins, and—and —the young men say *somebody* else was there too. If this is not true, just ask some of the young men on the 5th con. Euphrasia.......A daughter of John Gibson, of the 4th, died to day from the intense heat of the 9th.......A short editorial in your last requires explanation. Your readers here do not know whether you mean the Messrs. Andrews or *Jerome the faultless*, by the "lunatic who runs the smut-machine at Thornbury. Please rise and explain, and enlighten thou our understanding, O ye Editor....... The spring crops in this section never gave promise of a more bountiful harvest. Hay crop light, potato bugs plentiful.

[For the benefit of our correspondent and our readers in general, we beg to say that the Messrs. Andrews are unknown to us, consequently we could not have referred to them.—ED.]

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

As announced the Deputy Commissioners of Crown Lands visited this place, and examined parties in regard to the reserves. We had what is generally considered some tall imported swearing on the occasion.

As every ratepayer is more or less interested in Township improvements, we notice some very independent remarks from your able correspondent in Flesherton, whoever that individual is, but how he dare have the boldness to call the attention of the Township officials to the dangerous and bad state of the roads, particularly from the Village to the Station, well known that some one's corns must get trampled upon. Oh, fellow sinner; corns are sore things. Never mind, the bad hole East of the Village is fixed, and that flat may yet get a sprinkling of gravel put on it to keep the wagon wheels from sinking to the hubs.

Another good hotel wanted in Flesherton. True. The great wonder is you have been so long without it. Every body knows it is wanted; but you, Mr. Correspondent, to have the boldness to print the fact. You will likely have your grog stopped if you don't look out. Wild mustard will soon be as plentiful a crop as wild oats, it something is not done to compel those who have it on their farms to try and destroy it before it spreads further.

It seems from the report of the Co. council that the cost of the Warden's address to the county every year is in the neighborhood $183.

THE PIC-NIC OF THE SEASON.—The Union S. S. held their annual pic-nic in the grove at the Falls, on the 4th, the weather was all that could be desired, being sufficently cool for the young folks to enjoy themselves to the full at the different swings erected for the occassion. Not only the young but some of the older heads of families indulging in this favourite pastime. If rich cookery will give one the dyspepsia this was just the place for it, and for tea, we have a fancy that sleep will not be our portion to night. After all had satisfied the cravings of the inner man, the superintendent made some select remarks, and called upon the Rev. Mr. Grandy [illegible] benefit of Sunday School work. After speaking to the children, and all joining the Doxology, they seperated for their homes well pleased with the day's entertainment.

PROLIFIC.—Mr. Geo. Latimer says, he had a hive of bees which, like the Canadians, sent forth a swarm on Dominion Day, and like good loyal subjects, on hearing the sound of fife and drum, again swarmed on the morning of the 12th; and this being the 14th, the day selected for Eugenia S. S. pic-nic, in honor of the occasion, again sent off a third swarm, all are strong in numbers. Beat this if you can; 3 swarms in 14 days from one hive.

How about our gravel roads? We see nothing in the minutes of last County Council concerning them, or has the *Advertiser* omitted that past. How is it, with our Reeve as Warden, that Artemesia should be put to the expense of applying to the superior Court for a *Mandamus* in order to get her rights. Councillor Webster evidently means business, and we hope to get some light on the subject by-and-by.

MANITOULIN.

FROM THE EXPOSITOR.

On Saturday evening last as the Str. Asia was coming down Lake George she was met by a steam barge with schooner in tow. The Asia was running very slow at the time and the swell from the barge threw her stern off and brought her quarter right in front of the schooner's bow. The Asia was cut nearly in two and sank in a deep hole where she now lies almost in an upright position. No lives ost.

On Wednesday evening last the house of Wm. Lockyear, of Assignack, was burned to the ground. The contents were totally destroyed. The fire is supposed to have originated from a spark from a bush fire. Loss about $450.

LITTLE CURRENT.

Messrs. Hambly of Hamilton and Jardine of Aylmer arrived by the Emerald on Sunday to spend a few weeks on the Island.

The Twelfth passed off rather quietly this year as the turn-out was small owing to the wet weather. However a very enjoyable time was spent. The Sheguiandall lodge arrived by Griffith's tug and made a grand display with that of Little Current, headed by a Highland piper. Dinner was served in English's hall after which the Orange fraternity repaired to the Methodist church where an appropriate address was delivered by the Rev. J. R. Gibson. The crowd dispersed at an early hour well pleased with the day's proceedings.

Blue-berries are ripe on the North Shore and are coming in in large quantities at 50c. per pail.

Potatoes weighing 7oz. have been dug here this week and green peas are in vogue,

GREEN BAY.

GREEN BAY, July 12.—Haying has commenced and the crop is the best we have had for years.

Our highly esteemed friend Batman has found that "it is not good for man to be alone." He has taken a partner to share his joys and sorrows. We wish him and his fair bride every success in life and may the sun of his happiness ever shine on his course through the squally (no pun meant) sea of matrimony.

We expect another wedding to report shortly. Thibaudeau can still supply all with licenses.

Last week three men of experience and capital visited our oil find. They were well pleased with the prospect. Yesterday it was visited by Bowes, of Little Current, and Dr. Smith, of Stratford. The result we know not, except that one of the parties will begin drilling in a few days. One thing is certain, the indications are good and first come first served. Who will be the first to develop this promising mine of wealth?

Experts say that the paint referred to in a former letter is brown umber.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met at Vogan's Hall for the transaction of business. Reeve in chair. Members all present.

Mr. Dumna made application for remuneration for deviation on 60 side road con. 3, being owned by him.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that Mr. Dumna be paid $30.00 for deviation above mentioned, he furnishing to this Council a good and sufficient deed of the same at the next meeting of Council.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that one barrel of flour be bought for Mrs. Ward, being in indigent circumstances, and that Mr. Robert McKinnet see to the same.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the report of Messrs. Shute and Norton with regard to Jackson's deviation be adopted and engrossed on the minutes.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that a surveyor be employed to survey deviation at Jackson's hill.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Norton, that Mr. Shute be appointed to go with surveyor to survey deviation above mentioned.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that $15.00 be expended on 40 side road between 1 and 2 cons. E. G. R., in case it be supplemented by the parties interested giving 15 days' work.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that W. J. Jackson receive the sum of seven dollars as part compensation for steer having broke his leg in crossway.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Chas. Delane receive an order for $2.50 for gravel got for road.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that an order be issued for John McNabb for survey deviation between Holland and Sydenham.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the sum of $20 be given to open up 9 side road between the 10th and 12th cons., in case the people interested give an equivalent.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Reeve be appointed to meet the Reeve of Sullivan to equalize the Union School Section in Holland and Sullivan.

Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Messrs. Shute and Norton receive an order for $2 each for acting on Committee on Jackson's deviation.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that the sum of $20.00 be granted to the Holland Agricultural Society, by request of Mr. Cameron.

Moved by Mr. Cameron, seconded by Mr. Shute, that all errors made by officers of this Municipality to the loss of the Township when proven shall be paid by the person making such errors.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that $5.00 be granted to repair crossway on con. 4, E. T. S. R., near Gill's.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Deputy Reeve, that this Council adjourn until the 16th September 1881.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

HOLLAND CENTRE, July 8, 1881.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This Council met in Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, July 4th, 1881.

Present, the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve, and Councillors Webster, Elliott and Pedlar. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Mr J. O. Stewart waited upon Council *re* completion of ditching 10th con.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid.—

Donald McLean, rep. scraper,	$2.50.
Wm. Watson, " "	$2.00.
A. McDonald, " "	$2.00.
Jas. Watson, " "	$4.00.
Thos. Addison, " "	$2.75.

Mrs. Thompson, bread furnished Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Wallace, $4.92. W. J. Bellamy. qr. salary as clerk, $87.50.

Road jobs as follows ordered to be paid. Ward No. 1—James Henery $5.88, Donald Kenedy $7.00, Donald McArther $2.75.

Ward No. 2—Thos. Kells, $35,60, M. spear $9.50, R. Blair $17.

Ward No. 3—A. Doupe $24.50 Jas. Love $18.60, J. Cornfield $7.00, J. Lyons $15.20, W. G. Pickle $6.00, Colmar Day $13 50, D. McLeod $10, Wm. Wright $9.00.

Ward No. 4—Joseph Pedler $5, T. B. Gilliland $5,25, J. R. Pedlar $13, James Fisher $10,80, Sylvester Boyce $10.

Monthly statement from Treasurer presented and read.

Report of committee to examine town line Proton and Artemesia, presented and adopted, and Messrs. Wright and Webester appointed and instructed to co-operate with Proton representative in building a bridge across Saugeen river.

Thirty Dollars were granted to complete ditching on 10th con., providing commissioner for Ward No. 4 expend $30 and the people intrested, twenty dollars in work or money.

Claim of Mr. Nixon of Dundalk, re damages to horse on 200 side road laid over from last session, not entertained by Council,

Mr. Webster was appointed to get legal advice in regard to entering an action against the County, to compel them to repair deviations and bridges on gravel roads.

Robert Cooper refunded two dollars being for statute labor performed for non-resident lots in 14th con.

Council adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY,
Tp. Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

THAT 'THREATENING' LETTER.

SIR,—The contents of that "threatening" letter recently received by Mrs. McFarland is no mystery, consequently there cannot be any breach of propriety in referring to it through your columns. We attach no importance whateyer to that letter, believing it to be the output of some thoughtless mischief maker; yet while we take this view of the matter the question naturally and necessarily presents itself—What is the spirit which evokes the language of that letter?

That a great crime has been committed in our midst is generally acknowledged; a crime all the greater because the law provides no adequate punishment for the offence, yet a crime which every virtuous person in the community, especially every father and mother regards with loathing and horror.

That the perpetrator of this crime has returned to his former haunts apparently unabashed and indifferent, regardless of the feelings of those whom he so cruelly and so cowardly insulted is also undeniable.

That the moral sentiment of Markdale and community is so obtuse, so vitiated, so thoroughly degraded and brutalized as to permit this wretch unwhipt and unrepentent, to come back so soon and resume his place in society must, to outsiders, appear marvellous in the extreme, and cannot fail to strike beholders as indubitable evidence of the depravity which rankles in our midst.

How is this? Why is it that such blackguards can feel at home in Markdale? Why, simply this, at every street corner, nay, almost every step, he can find his counterpart in some moral bankrupt whose record is perhaps even blacker than his own, ever ready to give countenance and encouragement "hail fellow well met," who helps to swell the "scumscurvy" brigade.

There is no denying the fact that those who harbur and countenance such disreputable "sneaks" as Owen, manifest a callous indifference to the feelings and susceptibilities of respectable people greatly inconsistent with common decency, let alone the higher requirements of refined Christian society.

Taking this view of the matter, is it any wonder if some one taking advantage of the occasion has tried so frighten certain parties into a compliance with the requirements of decency, propriety and self-respect. Does any one suppose that if Owen on his return to Markdale had been treated with scorn and derision which he deserved, and which his crime had justly merited, that he (void of feeling though he be) could have long braved the withering contempt which would have met him at every turn? Certainly not! He would have betaken himself to some far off field where "his name and his fame" were alike unknown; and who would say that his departure would be any loss to Markdale?

WM. BROWN.

MARKDALE, July 15 1881.

GRAVENHURST.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Perhaps a few notes from this enterprising town may not be out of place. The first query may be, Where is it? In answer to this I would just say that it is situated on a sandy knoll, laying between a small lake about 5 miles long by 1¼ wide, called Gull lake, on the East, and Muskoka bay on the west, about 44 miles North-east from Barrie, and is the terminus of the Northern Railroad, 115 miles by rail from Toronto. The second question, perhaps, would be, What is it? I answer that it is an incorporated village, with a population variously estimated at from 1,500 to 2,000, and is, and from the nature of things must, for a considerable time continue to be, a commercial centre of considerable importance. Lying at the end of the railway traffic, and at the head of the inland navigation traffic, which opens up to the steamers leaving here daily, a voyage of some 60 miles to the back country, away up to the heads of Lakes Joseph and Rosseau, and up the Muskoka river to Bracebridge; also to the line of stages, which runs from the north point reached by the steamers from here, away to Lake Nipissing, connecting there with a steamer belonging to the same company, and so bringing the trade for that whole district, a distance of 100 miles north through this place. It is also headquarters of the Lumber trade for a large area, in fact all that can be reached by the lakes or any of the streams emptying into them. We have, with Gravenhurst as a centre, in a radius of some 5 miles, about 20 saw and shingle mills, which employ a great number of hands, a saw mill here that will not cut 15 or 20 thousand feet of lumber per day is hardly classed as a saw mill, many of them cutting from 30 to 40. There are several general stores, and quite a number of provision and feed stores, one large hardware store, and 2 or 3 tin and stove shops, 5 hotels, and several private boarding houses, 4 Churches, vis: Roman, Episcopal, Presbyterian, C. Methodist; the P. Methodists preach in the Town Hall, and if all were full about 500 of the population would still be out in the cold. More anon.

C. C. G.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I noticed a communication in last week's *Advance*, *re*. the 12th in Markdale, reflecting discredit on the Hotels of that place, regarding the quality and quantity of eatables, which was no doubt overdrawn. However, one thing is sure, we had a first-class dinner at Mrs. Caswell's.

OBSERVER.

The annual S. S. Pic-nic in connection with St. Mary's Church, Maxwell, took place on Wednesday, and was a very pleasent affair. About 30 of Christ Church congregation of Markdale went out, including the choir.

Those people who have for years past annually expressed sorrow for bald-headed men in fly time have simply wasted their breath. Surgeons declare that flies avoid bald heads on account of the odor of the scalp, and that one shock headed man will suffer more from fly bites in one month than ten bald heads will all summer. Keep your sympathies for the heathen of Africa, who are beset by flies, fleas, snakes, lizzards and scorpions the year round.

ANOTHER COMET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 16.—J. M. Schæberle, of Ann Arbor, Mich., has discovered a comet in right ascension 5 hours, 48 minutes, declination north 38 degrees, 45 minutes. The comet was seen this morning in the constellation Auriga by Prof. Swift. It is larger and more luminous than the one Prof. Swift discovered on May last. The comet is telescopic. This is the fourth comet discovered since May last. Prof. Swift thinks it is the comet of 1812. It is moving slowly towards the north-west.

Prof. Swift reports thhe new comet has probably not yet passed round the sun, and may increase in brightness enough to be visible to the naked eye. Its motion is north-west, and it can be found near Capella.

A TOWN IN RUINS.

OVER THIRTY PERSONS KILLED.

CHICAGO, July 16.—The town of New Ulm, on the Minnesota river, 65 miles from St. Pauls, containing 3,500 people, was wrecked by a cyclone this afternoon. The wires went down in the river, and the only meagre details have been received. It seems two currents of air swept over the valley simultaneously, coming from different directions. The scene was appalling. Stone and brick buildings were rased to the foundations, and the air was full of *debris*. The town is down a mass of ruins. West Newton, in the neighboring county, was also visited, and a family of three killed. So far as known twelve were killed twenty wounded, some very seriously, in the New Ulm valley. In one instance the headless body of a girl was found on the prairie. In another, the trunk of a man was found. An old gentleman was found dead with his arms clasped around a tree. Many people had limbs broken; they are mostly Germans.

NEW ULM, Minn., July 17.—The cyclone which struck this place on Friday evening was of the most terrific character. Over 100 buildings were demolished, and upward of thirty persons killed and wounded. Though other towns in the vicinity felt the shock, the full force of the cyclone vented itself here. Two tornadoes met directly over this place, and the work of destruction was accomplished in less than fifteen minutes.

THE COURSE OF THE CYCLONE

could be distinctly discerned, and seemed to be moving in separate volumes from the north and south. Clouds gathered with great rapidity and there was a perfect blaze of fire balls. It would have been almost as dark as midnight had it not been for the continual dashes of lightning. The thunder and lightening were terrific, and the wind blew a hurricane, while the rain descended in blinding sheets. There was a moment's lull, then the cyclone struck the town, almost destroying it in a minute. At the end of that time it disappeared as suddenly as it came. Its effect are almost indescribable. Some houses were struck by lightning, other lifted up bodily by the violence of the wind others demolished by flying *debris* from other buildings. Scores of dwelling and stores are entirely destroyed. Very few escaped uninjured, but many had their roofs blown off or were so badly unjointed that they will have to be pulled down and rebuilt. The storm was most destructive in the north end of the city, where

WHOLE BLOCKS OF FRAME BUILDINGS WERE SWEPT AWAY.

Hardly a barn or stable escaped, and it is estimated that over 100 horses and cattle were killed. The roof of the hotel was carried for blocks through the air and hurled against Jacob Miller's house, which it completely demolished, but fortunately the Miller family escaped before the rash came. The Mayor estimates the loss at half a million. The lowest estimate is $350,000. None of the property is insured. Many have lost their all. The citizens, however, met the disaster bravely, and are taking prompt steps to repair the damage. The streets are filled with *debris* and on every hand evidences of the force of the storm were visable. The large brick meat market, the Methodist and Lutheran churches were swept away, the steeples of three Catholic churches blown off and the buildings gutted. A hotel was partly destroyed, the roof of the court-house carried off, and many business places and two public schools destroyed. The lightening struck the depot three times. Every liverystable is in ruins, and a new brewery costing $30,000 was destroyed. The lightening struck the flouring mill and shattered the building, letting out 20,000 bushels of wheat. A number of the buildings struck by lightning caught fire, and the town would have been destroyed this way but for the rain. Whole lumber yards were destroyed. The storm was fearful to contemplate. People on the streets were literally blown away and a number wounded by the flying *debris* Whole tin roofing was sent through the air and twisted and crumbled like paper. A large quantity of grain was destroyed in the valley, wheat land being cut clean and smooth. Subscriptions for the sufferers are already coming in. The storm was about a mile wide.

ST. PAUL, July 16.—Latter reports show that the storm which devastated Fairfield was the most destructive ever known in Minnesota. It swept a strip of country a mile wide and forty long. Houses, barns, and farm machinery were strewen in all directions. Stock was killed by wholesale. Fifteen persons were killed and wounded. Some bodies were not recovered until the following morning, been dropped half a mile away. The people are left in a most pitiable plight, without shelter or clothing.

At Cairo five were killed by the cyclone. Two bodies were found denuded in a tree 89 rods from a house. At West Newton five bodies were found.

WHOLE FAMILIES KILLED.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 17.—The cyclone on Thursday night destroyed two large elevators near Crookston. The New Ulm cyclone devastated the country forty miles in extent. The damage is yet unknown, but a large number of people have been killed and wounded outside New Ulm. In some instances whole families were killed, and on one farm twenty-five cattle were found dead.

PROSPECT HOUSE, Niagara, July 16.—Frank Blackman, a resident of Stamford, aged 35 years, and employed by H. H. Wright as a basket maker, a sober and industrious fellow, married, and has two children, tried to end his life about four o'clock this morning. Blackman left his sleeping apartment adjoining the basket factory secured a driving line, fastened it to a beam in the shed outside, arranged a berry crate to stand on, fixed the line around his neck, and kicked the crate from under him, but his weight stopped the knot, and left him standing on his feet on the ground. Finding this method not successful, he took his large jackknife from his pocket to cut his throat. Just as he made an incision in the left side of his neck, inflicting a deep gash, he noticed some of the employees moving about. Fearing he might be detected and prevented from accomplishing his deed he ran upstairs to his sleeping apartment, took a loaded gun from its place on the wall, cocked it, rested the stock on the floor and placed the muzzle to his breast, stooped over, touched the trigger, and the charge entered his shoulder, inflicting a painful but not dangerous wound. In bending over to reach the trigger, the barrel being long must have shifted the gun from his breast to his shoulder. The household was aroused by the report, and on learning the cause a doctor was immediately sent for, who dressed the wounds. At present the patient is doing well. No cause has so far been ascertained for the rash act, further than that Mrs. Blackman has been visiting with her father over two months, with the children. Blackman has for the past few weeks appeared very melancholy.

VENNOR'S LATEST.

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MONTREAL, July 19.—Vennor predicts that the stormy period of July is at hand. On the 16th he expects a falling barometer and wind storms. For the week commencing Sunday 17th, high winds and cooler, wet and stormy weather; some very heavy rain storms in both Ontario and Quebec on the 29th; another period of excessive heat on the 22nd, 24th, and 25th, with severe wind storms. A decided cool to cold change on the 27th, 28th, and 29th, with showery weather and severe storms, chiefly in the west. This cold wave may carry frosts in the western sections, both in Canada and United States.

BIRTHS.

MCLEOD.—At Manitowaning, on the 8th inst., the wife of James McLeod, of a daughter.

WATSON.—In Holland, on the 15th inst., the wife of Thomas Watson, of twins, boy and girl.

MARRIED

STONEHOUSE—MCLEOD.—In Toronto, on the 13th inst., by the Rev. Dr. Hunter, of the Canada Methodist Church, Mr. Oliver M. Stonehouse, to Miss Lizzie, third daughter of D. McLeod, Esq., of Markdale.

HAGYARDS PECTORAL BALSAM.

Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.

Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction. T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors Toronto.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING on *Wednesdays and Saturdays*, By Thomas Smith. Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

VICTORIA BUCHU & UVA URSI THE GREAT SPECIFIC FOR ALL DISEASES OF THE KIDNEYS URINARY ORGANS.

Robt. S. Rae, TAILOR, Sydenham Street, MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m

STRAYED.

From Lot 133, 1st con. N. E. of T. & S. Road, Artemesia, one White Ewe and Lamb. Ewe had at time lost a rope around neck, and lamb was lame of one hind leg. Any person givin information as to their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded, WM. DAVI.

June 28, 1881. 42-1 in.

MONEY to LEND AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds. J. G. IRVING

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

Harvest Tools

Scythes, Snaths, Cradles, Hay Forks, Barley Forks, Rakes, Sickles, &c., &c.

CHEAP AT Haskett Bros

Markdale, June 23, 1881.

Respectfully yours, JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881.

MARKDALE Sash and Door Factory

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS, FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles, Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-tf

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In the meantime

THE STANDARD.

Friday, July 22nd, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

...ortly. In the meantime Goods are being cleared out to make room for the large stock which is now being selected personally by Mr. McFarland from the largest houses in Europe.

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...OLD WEATH... ...R THE NEXT

...Vennor pre... ...d of July is ... expects a ...nd storms. ...ng Sunday ...r, wet and ...y heavy rain ...Quebec on ...l of exces... ..., and 25th, A decided ... 27th, 28th, ...ather and ... the west. ...y frosts in ...in Canada

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Harvest To...

Scythes,

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Hay Fork...

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...STANDARD.

...day, July 22nd, 1881.

...& OTHER NOTICES.

...weather.

...Tuesday night.

...getting plentiful.

...of another garden party.

... is showing a full line of ...-Plate.—See his stock.

... are causing very em... ...adjectives to be extensively...

...ing in the Jewellery line cheap ...at Wilcox's.

...Edward Large, who has been ...Uncle Sam's Dominions for ...five months, returned home...

... WHITE, Dentist, of Owen ... will be at the Revere Hotel on ...day, July, 27th. Parties in... ...should bear it in mind.

...Flour, you all know surely by this ...McIntyre is the only one that sells ...in town, and the only kind the...

...—The young lady who ...badly burned here on the 1st ...is progressing favorably.—O. ...

...G. Grant, has in a new and vari... ...anything in the line of furni... ...want you will find there, and ...right prices.

...belonging to Mr. Joseph ... was struck by lightning last ... and badly damaged, but ... Several hogs under ...ing were killed.

...to McIntyre's for all kinds of Pork— ...and fresh to hand.

...Sabbath, the 24th inst., a student ...Knox College will preach in the ...Hall, Markdale. Service in ... at 10.30 a. m., and in the ... at 6.30 p. m.

...“Castorine” Machine Oil, for ...of machinery, it is also ex... ...for harness and leather, mak... ...water and weather proof. For ...dealers.

...Sabbath next the 24th inst., the ...S. Fisher, Primitive Methodist ..., will preach in the L. O. Hall, ..., at 3 o'clock p. m. All are ...invited.

...oil company, are sole ...manufacturers of “Castorine machine ...Infringements will be prosecuted.

...are the best of prospects ...good foundry and machine shop ... in full blast in Markdale this ...

...arrivals of Dry Goods, at ...& Sons; also fresh Groceries ...hand.—See them.

...DRESS.—The O. S. Advertiser ...to us in an entirely new “dress” ...greatly improved in appearance. ...congratulate you, Jimmy, that ...is so good with you. Go on ...prosper.

...been keeping quiet until I would ...into my stand, Dr. Sproule's new block. ...for Fresh Groceries, Fruits, &c. A. ...McIntyre.

...have received two numbers of ...Northern Methodist, a monthly ...published at Portage du ... It is well printed, and well ...adapted for the purpose for which it ...published—a means of communica... ...between the Pastor and his flock. ...cents per annum.

...member, McIntyre sends all goods ...his place to any one in town, on ...notice.

...METHODIST CHURCH.—The Rev. Mr. ..., the newly appointed assistant ...Mr. Burwash has commenced his ...here. Mr. Speer has been in ...Manitoulin Islands the past year ...his account of the work of the ...church there, especially among the ...Indians, is exceedingly interesting. ...welcome Mr. Speer to this neigh... ...hood.

A large assortment of coffins and ...funeral furnishings, just arrived at R. ...undertaking establishment.

...SAMUEL WILSON, arrived with ...better half last Saturday, from the ...home of her parents in Leeds County, ...and was met at the station by a large ...number of well-wishers (young people) ...who escorted them to the residence of ...the groom's father. The happy pair ...will take their departure for their ...home in Manitoulin next week.

A new stock of furniture just to hand at Grant's furniture ware rooms, next door to STANDARD Office.

AN Explosion took place in the Fireworks Establishment of Dixon Bros., Hamilton, blowing the building to pieces, and severely injuring three men and sending a fourth about thirty feet against a fence. One of the victims was so badly burned that the flesh dropped from his hands and arms. The doctors think the whole of the injured men will recover.

“THE Glorious Twelfth” was loyally celebrated by the various lodges of this district this year at Rocklyn. Headed by the Meaford Cornet Band after dinner, which by-the-way was got up in grand style by “mine host” Berry, they marched to Black's grove, where stirring addresses were delivered by Revs. McLaren and Clarke. After the speaking the procession reformed and marched back with their gay banners unfurled to the breeze, through the arches of evergreen to the agricultural grounds, where the usual cheers were given, and the brethren quietly dispersed. The brethren are to be congratulated on the orderly manner in which their celebration was conducted, and much credit is due Mr. Berry for the accommodation he afforded with the space at his disposal.—*Monitor*.

DIED IN JAIL.—A man who was well known around here as Dr. Eloot, died recently in Walkerton Jail. Deceased was given to drink and was frequently put in jail as a vagrant. He was not a regular physician, but practised medicine when opportunity offered.

As the season for Peaches, Pears, Grapes, and all kinds of Fruits is approaching, McIntyre wishes to let the public know that his is the right place to look for them, as he will always have them on hand, at market prices.

MARRYING HIS STEPMOTHER.—The Clifford *Arrow* reports a marriage between a man and his stepmother. A son of the late Mr. Procknow of the Township of Carrick, married his father's widow who is much older than himself. They continue to live on the old homestead.

ASK your dealers for “Castorine” machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded “Castorine,” as none other is genuine.

ALMOST AN ACCIDENT.—On Dominion day, at the pic-nic in Normanby several persons had a narrow escape from what might have proved a fatal accident. As the people were sitting under the trees, near where the speaking was going on, a large limb fell from a tree in the midst of them, and yet strange to say no one was injured. The escape was most miraculous.

DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY cures summer complaints, diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, sour stomach, colic, nausea, vomiting, canker, piles, leucorrhœa, and all manner of fluxes.

A DISASTROUS fire occurred on Monday morning at Woodbridge, causing a loss of about $15,000. The fire broke out in a stable belonging to a baker, and so insignificant did it appear that no alarm was given. The wind being high, however, it soon spread, and that so rapidly, that Mr. Wallace, M.P., telegraphed to Toronto for assistance. The call was promptly responded to, and well it was, as the entire village would have been destroyed. As it is, a considerable portion of it was consumed.

The golden age—the present—when Esterbrook's popular Steel Pen are within the reach of all. The stationers can supply them. Wholesale by the leading Toronto stationers.

THE Steamer *City of Winnipeg*, running from Collingwood to Duluth, was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 19th inst., whilst lying at her dock at Duluth. The passengers were all saved, but four of the crew are missing, one fireman, one porter, and two waiters. She was insured for $30,000—valued at $50,000.

USE “Castorine” Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

BURGLARY.—The premises of Mr. Ira Fike were entered on Sunday or Monday night last and most of his barber apparatus stolen. As the parties who perpetrated the theft are well known to Mr. Fike, if the articles are not returned forthwith, he will take action at once.—*Review*.

WHY do you trouble Dunlop looking for McIntyre, he has moved across the road to Dr. Sproule's New Brick Block. Now for busines—everything in Groceries, Liquors and Provisions, Fresh and Good, at McIntyre's.

THE Rev. Mr. Tindall leaves for England on Tuesday next, being advised by his physicians that a change of climate is necessary for his health. All will wish the Rev. gentleman a pleasant voyage and a speedy return, completely restored to his usual degree of health.—*Enterprise*.

PERSONAL.

MR. TOWNSEND, of the *Grey Review*, gave us a call on Saturday last.

W. H. THURSTON, of Thurston, Pearce &Co., *O. S. Tribune*, put his good-looking physog in our sanctum on Monday.

AROUND TOWN.

SIXTEEN buildings erected and in course of construction in Markdale this summer, and others proposed.

John Irving has removed, this week, into his new pump factory, Sydenham Street.

Johnston Bros., of Meaford, have opened a marble works establishment on Mill street.

A SAD CALAMITY.—On Monday last a son John Lochead with another boy was bathing in the Scone mill dam. He was only about eight years of age and consequently could not swim, it seems while walking along the bank he somehow slipped down, the water being deep and no person at hand to assist him, he was unfortunately drowned before help could be got. The other boy who was younger than the deceased ran and alarmed his mother, who in turn hurried over to the mill, and sought assistance, but it was too late, when the body was found life was extinct. The parents have the sympathy of the community.—*Enterprise*.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	0.45	"	0.55
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75		1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

THURSDAY, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

TORONTO, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush		$1 20	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring,	do.	1 20	to	1 23
Barley,	do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats,	do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas,	do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye,	do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed	do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.		8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters		6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters		0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair		0 35	to	0 45
Fowls,	do.	0)	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace		00	to	0 00
Geese, each		00	to	0 00
Turkeys		0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls		00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed		00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz		0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed		0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl		2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes, per bag		0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag		1 50	to	2 00
Hay		8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, Euphrasia, on Town-line Euphrasia and Holland, on or about the 28th of May, Four Ewes and Four Lambs. Three of the Ewes are white and one grey—Lambs are all white. The Ewes are marked on the right shoulder with tar, and one Lamb has a black spot on its hind leg. Any person who will give such information as will lead to their recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

ADAM HOLBERT.

Harkaway, June 29, 1881. 43-3 in.

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Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-tf

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NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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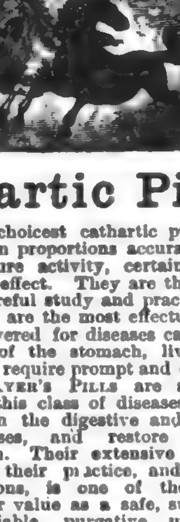
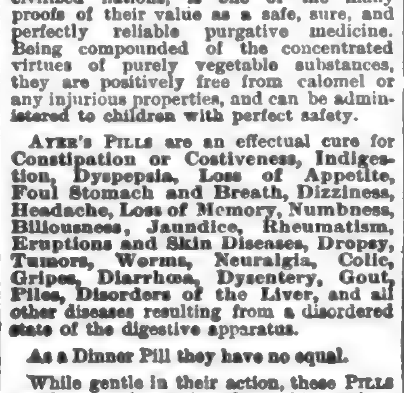


Genearl Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty.

Markdale, June 2, 1881. 14-tf



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From the premises of the subscriber, lot 25, 5th con. Glenelg, on the 23rd of June, 5 two-year-olds, two of which were Steers, both were grey in color, one with large horns. 3 heifers, one of which is the same color as steers, the other two red, one slightly brindled.

JAMES SULLIVAN.
Priceville, P. O.

Glenelg, June 30, 1881. 42 3 in.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Glenelg, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1881, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of Nine Hundred Dollars, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of Union School Section No. 12, Artemesia and Glenelg, to erect a school house in said section, and that said By-Law was registered in the Registry Office in the South Riding of the County of Grey, on the Sixteenth day of June, A. D. 1881.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months from the date of registration, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the Fourth day of July, 1881.

JAMES BROWN.
43-31 Clerk.

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Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., and General Agent

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 51-tf

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HILL BROS.,

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Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

Announcement!

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AT THE

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Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 15, 1878.

THE STEP-MOTHER.

The stepmother's lot is hard. From the first she is a target for ill-nature. Her marriage is generally an unsentimental one. She needs a home, and her husband requires a mother for his children. It is a business transaction on both sides. But if little sentiment exist, the call of duty is clear and many a step-mother who subsequently meets with abuse starts with a desire to do her duty. But her husband's children repel her by their unkindness, and unjust suspicion. Every fault that she commits is sized on to prove that she is true to the character of her class; and the children triumph in the vindication of a general truth. She cannot always reckon on the support of her husband for he loves his children and hates family disputes. He is apt to side with his children as against a legal wrongdoer. The wife, although she may have married prosaically, does not like to be set at naught in her own house, and she determines to get the better of her husband. Every source of domestic anarchy thus becomes increased, until the entire house is plunged into all the miseries of a sort of civil war. And the poor stepmother bears the entire blame. Girls, old and young, should think carefully before consenting to occupy such a trying position. Better face the terror of old maidenhood than undertake duties which it is impossible to fulfil to the satisfaction of all concerned

CURED OF DRINKING.—"A young friend of mine was cured of an insatiable thirst for liquor, which had so prostrated him that he was unable to do any business. He was entirely cured by the use of Hop Bitters. It allayed all that burning thirst; took away the appetite for liquor, made his nerves steady, and he has remained a sober and steady man for more than two years, and has no desire to return to his cups; I know of a number of, others that have been cured of drinking by it."—From a leading R. R. Official, Chicago, Ill.—*Times.*

A REMARKABLE PONY.

A well authenticated and extraordinary case of the sagicity of the Shetland pony has just come under our notice. A year or two ago Mr. Wm. Sinclair, pupil teacher, Holm, imported one of the little animals from Shetland on which to ride to and from school, his residence being at a considerable distance from the school buildings. Up to that time the animal had been unshod, but sometime afterward Mr. Sinclair had it shod by Mr. Pratt, the parish blacksmith. The other day Mr. Pratt, whose smithy is a long distance from Mr. Sinclair's house, saw the pony, without halter or anything upon it, walking up to where he was working. Thinking the animal had strayed from home, he drove it off, throwing stones after the beast to make run homewards. This had the desired effect for a short time but Mr. Pratt had only got fairly to work once more in the smithy when the pony's head again made it's appearance at the door.

On proceeding the second time outside to drive the pony away, Mr. Pratt with a blacksmith's instinct took a look at the pony's feet, when he observed that one of the shoes had been lost. Having made a shoe he put it on, and then waited to see what the animal would do. For a moment it looked at the blacksmith as if asking whether he was done, then pawed once or twice to see if the newly shod foot was comfortable, and finally gave a pleased neigh, erected his head and started home at a brisk trot. The owner was exceedingly surprised to find the animal at home completly shod the same evening, and it was only on calling at the smithy some time afterwards that he learned the full extent of his pony's sagicity.

ALMOST A TRAGEDY.

At Havay, near Mons, their lately lived a peasant, the dampness of whose cottage led him to try the experiment of an auto de fe on a small scale as a cure for his ills. Some weeks ago—owing, it is presumed, to the unsatisfactory nature of his habitation—he lost a child, and, what appeared to him at least as serious, a cow. He and his wife also felt poorly. The twain accordingly decided to consult the wise man of the village—'le devine,' as that functionary was called. It appears that few Belgian hamlets are without a devine of this discription. "Go home," he said to the peasent, "and to-morrow morning burn the first person who crosses your door-step. That person will have been the cause of your ills. I will take care that God sends him." The countryman went home as directed, and, with the aid of his spouse, prepared a kind of funeral pile in the biggest room in the house. Early next morning arrived a neighbor, a kind hearted woman, who had rendered all sorts of services to the pair. Notably, she had nursed their child during its last illness. The peasant exclaimed: "Ah, it's you. I might have thought so," then seized the luckless woman and bound her to the pile. His wife had meantime bolted the door, after which she sat fire to the wood. The screams of the victim in no way softened them and her life might have ended in torture had not a lucky inspiration occurred to her. "Don't let me die without confession," she moaned. "That's only fair," replied the peasant, and sent his wife for the priest, who lived only two doors off. The woman executed her consnsision faithfully enough, and the tragedy was cut short—just in time. The Mons tribunal condemened the peasant to two months and his wife to forty days' imprisonment, and to pay the victim 300 francs.

Dr. Loring, the new commissioner of agriculturel, is the son of a clergyman who lived at North Andover, Mass. The story is told that he and his brother were gaunt boys. Their father sent them one day to an adjacent cattle show with some very fat hogs to exhibit. The boys were rather proud of the many compliments paid to the hogs, until a farmer came along and said to an acquaintances: "Mighty nice hogs those of Parson Loring's; but why dont he feed his boys more and hogs less.

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MARKDALE
CARRIAGE WORKS!!
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HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as
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AND
AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to
HORSE SHOEING
AND
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As we warant all our work. A call is solicited, and we guarantee satisfaction.
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Made in good style and of the
THE BEST OF MATERIAL,
And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of
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always on hand.
Scotch Collars A Specialty,
And a good fit guaranteed.
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Flesherton. March. 1881. 16

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If you want Insurance patronize the
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Wanzer Sewing Machines,
Uneaqualled in range of work and ease of motion.
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Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.
Farms for Sale and More Wanted.
Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.
THEOPHILUS HALL.
Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.

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Dealer in all kinds of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.
COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES
Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.
WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.
Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.
Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of
W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton
Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.
FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.
We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.
Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.
BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.
Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.
SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND
BUTTER & RAE
In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their
WINTER GOODS AT COST!
NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS
In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.
☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜
New Goods Arriving Daily.
In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.
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☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.
CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.
N. B.—We trust teat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.
BUTTER & RAE.
Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

D. J. SHANAHAN'S
WAGON and
Carriage Works,
Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for
CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.
Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.
Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.
Markdale, April [illegible], 1881.

Dissolution of Partnership.
TAKE NOTICE, that the Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of Grant & Chellew, as Cabinet Makers, in the Village of Markdale, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Any liabilities due by the late Firm are to be borne by Mr. Geo. Grant, who will hereafter carry on the business, and any debts due them are to be paid to him.
Dated 23rd June, A. D. 1881.
GEORGE GRANT,
ALFRED CHELLEW.
Witness, D. J. MACMILLAN. 11-2t

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.
Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of [illegible] and Queen streets, opposite Mr. [illegible] residence.
Markdale, Dec. 16

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Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.
Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

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A CHOICE SELECTION,
All of which will be sold at lowest market rates.
A. TURNER & CO.
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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
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The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers.
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As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.
You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.
My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at
The Lowest Possible Prices!
For CASH and FARM PRODUCE
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I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of
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I am now selling large quanties of
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Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and ten barrel lots at the Lowest Cash Price laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.
I would also intimate that my
SPRING IMPORTATIONS
ARE ARRIVING DAILY,
And I will have opened out and show
On The 1st of April,
One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.
Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,
I am, your obedient servant,
R. J. SPROULE.
Flesherton, March 10 '88 14-tf

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The Cheapest Place to Buy Goods
REYNOLDS & SON'S,
As they have purchased a well assorted stock of Goods for CASH they are now prepared to offer Goods at Lowest Cash Prices. Come One, Come All.
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Extra heavy Cotton, 9c per yard. Muslins, 10c. per yard. Mens' Felt Hats 75c
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THIS IS A
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Any person, Young or Old, whether have any Musical talent or not, can learn or PLAY ANYTHING, in a VERY SHORT TIME, what would take years in the old way, besides a great expense for Books, Tuition, etc., etc. Sent, pre-paid on receip of $1.
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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

DR. PURDY,
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E. D. Macmillan.
(MARKDALE and DURHAM.)
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Chas. R. Wilkes,
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BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday, as [illegible]
ALFRED FROST. J. W. FROST, LL. B. County Crown Attorney. 1

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DUNDALK.
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Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound,
WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth in the most satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1 y

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Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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Sept. 17, 1880. 1

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Mill St., Markdale, [next] door [to] McDougall's Harness shop.
[Fresh] meat delivered to any house in town.
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F. Z. NIXON.
Veterinary Surgeon
Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to.
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Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.
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AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand. Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 18[illegible] 1-ly

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WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
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HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
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Having upwards of twenty years experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!
T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET,
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Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
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CELEBRATED
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RAKE,
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CLASSIFIED
BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
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THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nav. 18, 1880 1o

Sheep and Cattle.
FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!
SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!
Just arrived at the
"BELFAST HOUSE."
Also a fresh stock of
Groceies, Provisions,
CANNED FRUIT,
BISCUITS
—AND—
CONFECTIONERY,
Any amount of Cumberland cut
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FOR SALE. ALSO.
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MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,
THE BEST IN TOWN
BRANDY,
CIDER,
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PORTER,
TEAS and
SUGARS,
CHEAP.
WILSON BENSON,
Markdale, March 17, 1881. 5-ly

HOW TO GET RICH.

[The following lines were composed by a young lady teacher at the Hamilton [illegible] School.—]

Put on the air of an eight-lived fatty,
If you're only a penny whistling [illegible]
Pass where you can for a [illegible]
If you're only a road side thistle.

Blow whenever you blow your horn,
So people can understand,
That you may be sharp, but you won't B flat
In society's great brass band.

Pass the plate or hat in church,
With the usual Sabbath air;
But more with a mild, religious squeak
That people may know you're there.

If you carry a [illegible] six inches long,—
And a [illegible] scarce [illegible] longer—
[illegible]
And the longer it is the stronger.

But if in the order of nasal tubes
Your organ is brief in measure,
Then brevity being the soul of wit,
Consider your pug a treasurer.

Love your neighbour, but mark the force
Of the Gospel rule of grace;
The more you admire yourself my friend,
The higher your neighbor's place.

Clink your dime in the deacon's face,
As if you were throwing gold,
And give with an eye to the business hope
Of reaping a hundredfold.

Whether your reading is little or great,
Quote rightly or never quote;
Polish your uppers though down at the heel
And never endorse a note.

Always advance best hand, best foot,
(Best hand, best foot your own),
And thus youmay feast on the fat of the land,
While others enjoy the bone.

VIOLA'S REVENGE.

By the Author of "MY LADY'S SECRET," "A WAIF'S FORTUNES," "THE LADY OF GORMON LEA," &c.

"But for all that, Viola—Viola my darling," he continued, "I cannot give you up. What need of priestly blessing to rivet our marriage vows? Come with me to my own land, where the heavens are not so blue, nor the earth so fair as in your sunny Italy, but where men love truly and cleave faithfully to those whom they adore. Say that you will not send me thither companionless, Viola my beloved!"

She understood now. Light, dazzling and pitiless, had broken in upon her.

He could not quite read the expression of that gray stony face which looked towards him in such steadfastness under the white moon. He was troubled by a presentiment that it augured ill for the success of his solicitations; but, having put his hand to the plough, he could not turn back.

"Our life shall be a dream of delight, Viola; every moment that I can spare from my duties shall be devoted to you. All that belongs to me shall be yours, to the half of my kingdom. You shall have masters for all you care to learn; I will teach you myself as much as I can. But, above all, dear, that magnificent voice of yours shall be trained and developed. So far as I can judge, organs far inferior and beauty much less striking have commanded a fortune in a week upon the English stage. Your future shall be my care; but—"

Her eyes had been upon him all the time—those wonderful lustrous eyes, deep-fringed, burning as though aflame.

He had felt that his pleadings grew weaker and weaker, and at that "but" he stopped.

"Have you finished?" said Viola in English.

"Ye-es," replied the young nobleman, too astounded at hearing from her lips the accents of his native tongue to remember that there were arguments he had not yet advanced.

"Then go!" said the girl, pointing to the path by which he had ascended. The attitude, the gesture, the intonation were, he thought simply sublime. In spite of himself he fell back a pace or two ere he could collect his thoughts sufficiently even to commence a protest.

"But, Viola——"

"Never dare to call me by that name again!" she burst forth, with vehemence which told of fierceness repressed. "Go your way, Lord Armidale, without another word, and ask of Heaven the forgiveness that I will never grant. The last week has taught you, I think, how an Italian girl can love; you have yet to learn how she can hate. Her love you know; some day—maybe in the long, long future—you shall experience her revenge; meanwhile I would spare you an exhibition of her scorn. Again I bid you go!"

With laggard steps, urged still by that pointing finger, he retreated from her, past the choked-up fountain which had been idle for five hundred years, past the stone column overthrown and shattered centuries before. Where the path began he paused and looked wistfully, but vainly, for some sign of relenting. The next instant she was alone.

Alone, crouching at the foot of the Apollo, with two demons whispering in her ear—the one of love, the other of revenge. Was it possible that it was only a week since the stranger entered her life? Alone; and she had never known loneliness before!

CHAPTER III.

Without the room, a fair Herefordshire landscape, a section of the Valley of the Wye, and all it so far as the eye could reach, from the trim gardens below to the distant hills, the property of one man. Within the room, a faint and earthy smell—a bed whereon the owner lay dying.

It was a chamber of goodly proportions, but uncarpeted, and unadorned. No soldier in barracks, or monk in cell, could point to a contrast, in neatness, cleanliness, and general discomfort, between his own sleeping conveniences and those of this wealthy English gentleman. To sleep upon a hard mattress stretched upon a narrow iron bedstead, to emerge from the morning plunge into ice-cold water and shake himself like a dog upon the bare boards of a dressing-room in which, even in the depth of winter, no fire was kindled, were in thorough keeping with the stern character and iron resolution of Squire Burgot of Burgot Grange.

[illegible] Sybarite was he to complain of crumpled rose-leaves. The sheets of his bed, though white as driven snow, were of coarse texture, and the fire to be observed in the grate was a concession, not to the requirements of illness, but to the prejudices of the nurse. It was the nurse whom Squire Burgot was calling now in a voice husky and broken, and strangely unlike his old trumpet-tones.

"Mrs. Bland," he murmured—"Mrs. Bland!"

From a chair by the fire a silver-haired, red-visaged old gentleman rose, and crossed the room with a step the noiselessness of which must have been acquired by continual practice.

He passed round the matress, until he could see the patient's face; and he started perceptibly as he noted how ashen was its hue, how pinched and drawn were the features. The sick man's eyes opened; angry recognition lighted up the sunken orbs.

"Oh, you are Mrs. Bland!" he said, with feeble sarcasm. "Why on earth does not the nurse come when she is called?"

"I sent her out of the room. What can I do for you, Burgot?"

"Nothing; there never yet was a doctor who did anything but bungle in trying to assist Dame Nature. I will tell you something more for your edification, Preece. Mrs. Bland is here to wait upon me; not to run errands for you."

"She will be back presently."

"Then why, in the name of wonder, do you not hand me some stuff to gargle my throat, or something? A pretty doctor, not to see that his patient can hardly speak!"

"Try another dose of your medicine."

"I won't! Faintly I won't! I'll see you in the warmest region on earth before I swallow another drop of your filthy compound! It is my belief——"

"Don't exert yourself quite so much talking, Burgot."

"It is my belief," continued the sick man, with malicious satisfaction in his own disobedience, "that you are trying to poison me by inches, that you may come into the hundred or two you think I may have left you for acting as my executor. Gloriously sold you will be! But, I tell you, Preece; I will write you a cheque for five hundred pounds within half an hour if you will help me to dress, and let me walk down stairs to do it."

A sad smile was the Doctor's only response.

"You will not? A nice confession—a pretty pass you have brought me to, after five weeks of bolusing. I will tell you plainly my opinion, Dr. Preece. It is that you are no better than a quack, sir—a quack."

Unmistakable was the acrimony of that discourteous speech; but it evoked no retort.

After one keen glance at the other's face, the sick man spoke again; but this time the anger left his voice, and his utterance was hardly louder than a whisper.

"Preece," he said.

"What is it, old friend?"

"Forty years," said the dying man, "we have argued, and wrangled, and quarrelled; and I liked you all the better because you were the one man in the neighborhood who was not afraid of my rough tongue, and who did not shun the crossing of swords with me in a dispute. Why you liked me Heaven alone knows."

"I saw the gold beneath the iron," was the reply.

"That cannot be it; yet the fact that you like me remains, I hope and believe. But, Preece, I never said the like to you that I have said to day without a row; and I think it would have been a subject for a real duel, not a verbal one, had I called you a quack before. Am I so ill as that implies, old friend?"

Doctor Preece's eyes filled with sudden tears; but he did not answer. The dying man's eyes were not so dimmed that he could not see them. Into those changed feeble tones of his there came an affectionate gentleness, of which few people would have believed Squire Burgot capable.

"Nay, do not fear to tell the truth, Preece. I had thought myself good for fifteen years as yet; but I am no coward—to be afraid of the leap every man must take. When will it be?"

"To-night," said the doctor solemnly.

"So soon? No time to fetch William then? I should liked to have seen William. I fancy I have not behaved quite well to him, Doctor, first and last."

"You know best," replied Doctor Preece. For ten years he had at odd times dinned this tardily admitted truth into unwilling ears; but he would not say so now.

"I was nearly twenty years his senior," pursued the Squire feebly. "I do not remember sowing many wild oats in my youth, and it was natural perhaps that, when the boy went to the bad, I should be rather hard upon his follies. When he sold his commission, married that Italian woman, and let me into the unpleasant duty of paying a few thousands to square his turf losses and save the family name, I thought I did well to be angry. When I settled a hundred a year upon him, on the sole condition that he should not return to England without my sanction, I considered I had done as much as justice required. The lad must be a true Burgot, Doctor, for he has never offered to eat humble-pie to be restored to favor. Of late I have been wishing for a reconciliation. I should like to see William again."

Doctor Preece was silent. What could he say? In his heart he was repeating the mournful refrain which so often answers such longings—"Too late—too late!"

"But I can make amends to him," continued the Squire, with reviving animation. "Take my keys, Doctor, and unlock the old cabinet in the corner. Often have Mrs. Robert and 'Dear Clara' wondered at the strange whim which led me to keep such an unsuitable article of furniture in my bedroom. That is right; now take out the fifth drawer and press a spring on the right in the recess. Have you done it? Do you see my will?"

"I thought that your will, bequeathing everything to Mrs. Robert Burgot and her daughter Clara, with the exception of a hundred a year to William and five thousand pounds to his daughter Viola, was duly executed long ago," said Doctor Preece, who began to think his patient's mind was wandering.

"Just so—just so; a dummy will, executed to stop Mrs. Robert's mouth, and destroyed immediately. No will made by me is in existence; the one you hold, which is yet unsigned, exactly reverses the provision of its thousand pounds. William enjoys the income from the estate until his death, when it reverts to Viola and Viola's children, or, in the event of her death, to Mrs. Robert and Clara. Call in two of the servants, Preece, and let me sign at once."

"But Clara——"

"Clara is amply provided for, or will be, at Mrs. Robert's death," said the Squire, with a touch of his old arbitrariness. "Will you ring, or must I get out of bed and do it myself? Do not thwart me, old friend; I feel that my time is getting short."

Thus adjured, Doctor Preece obeyed. In a few minutes the will was signed and attested with all legal formalities. The Squire lay back upon his mattress, keeping that last solemn vigil which so rarely seems too long—waiting for death.

He waited patiently, almost cheerfully, accepting the inevitable with a composure the Doctor had hardly anticipated. Very bright and clear was the sick man's mind towards the last; but he would not admit his sister-in-law and Miss Dallas to a parting interview.

"I am weary of their falsehood, their submission, their fulsome flattery!" he cried. "Ever since Robert died, poor fellow, and they came to live at the Grange, they have been awaiting this hour and speculating upon the advantage they might reap from it. Preece, old man, I would give something to see their faces when the will is read."

Then the Doctor tried to turn the dying man's thoughts into a more solemn channel, but with indifferent success.

"Let me alone," was the impatient rejoinder. "Do you think a few minutes at the last is going to weigh a man's life? I stand or fall by what has been done already, and by the help of One who has promised to pull me through. But, Preece, say 'good-bye' to Willie for me. I should have liked to see the boy again."

Willie? The boy? Dr. Preece smiled sadly, thinking that "the boy" must be now forty years of age.

"Doctor, I should like to die at peace with all my friends. There is nothing, I hope of the daily bickerings of forty years?"

"Nothing, Burgot—nothing."

"That is well. You might give an eye to niece Viola—the niece I have never seen—for my sake. Willie would be sure to let the girl run wild. And, Preece, I feel drowsy, as though I might get a wink or two of sleep. Where is your hand?"

Upon that hand the fingers of the dying man tightened as he sank in a peaceful slumber.

The friend of forty years, who had eaten almost daily at his table, and had wrangled as often as he had dined, who knew better than any man living his virtues—which were hidden—and his faults—which were patent to all the world—who loved the stern old Squire like a brother—ay, better than ever a Burgot had loved his own near kindred, sat by him at the last, and held his hand, until that peaceful slumber was merged in the sleep that knows no waking—the sleep of death.

CHAPTER IV.

In a vine-wreathed arbour, upon a sunny hill-slope, sat William Burgot reading the announcement of his brother's death.

There was no fraternal sorrow in his face; that was hardly to be expected, seeing that the dead man had severed all ties of kindred and had doomed him to exile for many years. Nor was there elation which would have been natural at the unexpected change in his own fortune—neither sorrow nor elation, but stupid troubled surprise—surprise which verged upon dismay—was written upon his handsome features; and he repeated vaguely a phrase from the lawyer's letter which lay upon his knee—"The rent roll of your estate is close upon fifteen thousand pounds."

Fifteen thousand a year! A handsome competence truly; a magnificent bribe for the commission of a wrong.

When much reflection had mitigated William Burgot's surprise, perplexity, not unmixed with fear, remained.

"If I only dared," he muttered—"If I only dared!"

He sat there thinking, until it was time for the evening meal.

"If Viola were in the plot, If I could make a *confidante* of Viola!" was the point to which, from time to time, his meditations brought him. After some such exclamation, he heard her voice calling—

"Papa, papa; where are you?"

And he answered—

"In the arbour, child."

The rustle of a dress, a firm and stately step upon the rocky soil, and she stood before him.

"Viola," he said, "Duke Burgot—your uncle Duke—is dead."

"Yes," replied the girl in a tone of indifference. "I suppose I ought to say that I am sorry; but that would hardly be the truth. I never saw uncle Duke, and I have no great love for England or for English people."

"Yet you are continually talking of going amongst them."

"Because the great purpose of my life calls me thither."

"You may abandon it, Viola. There will be no need for you to earn your fortune upon the stage; a ready-made one awaits your acceptance. Burgot Grange, and estates which bring in about fifteen thousand English pounds per annum [illegible] bequeathed to me, and, at my death, will revert to you."

"Fifteen thousand English pounds every year?" repeated the girl with an air of bewilderment. The magnitude of this sum rendered it fabulous and incredible to one who had esteemed her father's quarterly allowance of five-and-twenty pounds a handsome income. "Papa, will our neighbours, the other English gentry, be as rich?"

"Not many of them, I dare say."

"Then we shall move in the best society—with [illegible] lords, for example?"

"With your [illegible] of [illegible], your blood, and your beauty, you may have a lord for [illegible], Viola, if you like."

"Then [illegible] the [illegible] ment of my life-purpose," said the girl sadly.

"To marry an English lord?" laughed her father. "Is that the secret of your continual borrowings from the library of the monastry? Is that why you and old Spezzio are always exercising that wonderful voice of yours? Has that been your ambition all these years?"

"Ask no questions, papa. Let us go in to supper."

"There is something I want to tell you first," said William Burgot, desperately.

His fingers were crumbling and twisting the lawyer's letter. With an effort he raised his eyes to his daughter's face, so frank and ingenious in its brilliant dark loveliness.

Again he said to himself, "If I only dared!"

"Yes? What is it?"

"I have forgotten," said William Burgot. "No matter; I may remember it perhaps by-and by."

As he rose from his seat something fluttered to the ground; it was a draft for two hundred and fifty pounds, sent by the the lawyers, who had taken the liberty to assume that their esteemed client would be glad to have a little ready money.

As his uneasy fingers closed upon the first fruits of his good fortune, sudden resolution strengthened the corners of his mouth; and he registered a silent vow that only in dire extremity should that treacherous memory of his be quickened.

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In an oriel window at Burgot Grange two women were standing. They might have been "two sisters of one race," so juvenile were they both in appearance. Mrs. Robert Burgot, who must have been very near her fortieth birthday, delighted to remember that within the last eighteen months she had twice been reminded of "that charming waltz you gave me at the Hunt Ball, Miss Dallas," the waltz in question having been accorded by the other lady, Clara Dallas, the daughter of her first marriage.

They possessed certain points in common which conduced to their marked resemblance and helped to mitigate the elder's seniority.

Both dyed their hair the fashionable golden tint, and called the process "bleaching." Both had slim, graceful figures. Both had good complexions, tiny features, pale, washed-out eyes, and were insipidly but decidedly pretty. Both had very small hands, which were generally well gloved, and very small feet, which were generally shod to perfection. Both spoke in voices which never rose above an intelligible murmur. Both prided themselves upon their excessive good-breeding, and both would rather have violated one of the Ten Commandments than have been guilty of a social solecism, or transgressed one of the unwritten ordinances of English society. Both were caressingly affectionate in manner, and both were hypocritical.

"It is twelve minutes," said Mrs. Robert, consulting a diminutive gold watch, "since we saw the white smoke of the train wreathing through the valley. In three minutes the travellers will arrive. Dear Clara, I do hope we shall be able to make a favorable impression upon them."

(*To be Continued.*

THE LONDON JEWISH PRESS ON THE REVISED VERSION.

The *Jewish Chronicle* regards the New Testament in a measure as a branch of Jewish Literature worthy of study equally with the Apocrypha and Philo. And all the great Jewish scholars of Germany are accustomed to deal with it in this manner using it as an authority for the customs and thoughts of Jews in the times in which it was written. But, as a matter of course, the New Testament has a further and more direct interest as the documentary foundation of the Christain religion, which claims to be a continuation and consummation of our own. From this point of view it is of interest to observe that the chief changes which a necessarily hasty perusal has brought to light tell in favor of Judaism in a long continued struggle between church and synagogue. Thus, the evidence for the Resurrection of Jesus is considerably weakened by the admission made in the marginal notes of the new version that the concluding verses of the Gospel of Mark are absent in the two oldest Greek manuscripts. The passage in John's Gospel about the three witnesses is wisely omitted, and a strong text for the doctrine of the Trinity thus removed. The Broad Church will be embarrassed to find the doctrine of a personal spirit of evil admitted into the Lord's Prayer. One of the most charming anecdotes about Jesus—His treatment of the woman taken in adultery—is now recognized to be a late interpolation, and this lends some strength to the conviction that many of the New Testament narratives are *ben trovati.* Throughout the addition of "Christ" to the name Jesus is said to be absent in the most trustworthy authorities, and the [illegible] origin of his claims to divinity is thus shown. The New version is in many ways an additional confirmation of the position Jews have always taken up in [reject]ing the extravagant claims of the [follo]wers of Jesus. The care and [illegible] with which it has been [illegible] [illegible] accomplishment of the still more difficult task entrusted to the Old Testament Revisers.

The *Jewish World* says: "Looking at the matter from an unprejudiced point of view, we can but regard the revision as a great mistake. It must not be forgotten that the authorized version of the New Testament holds a peculiar position among Anglo Christians. It is not regarded as the Old Testament is among the Jews. The vast majority of Christians rarely realise that the New Testament is a Greek book, and that the version they revere is but a rendering from another tongue. Textural criticism and differences of interpretation, the relative authenticity of different readings, are matters of which they have heard nothing. The new revision will bring home to them the many imperfections of the book they had always worshipped. It will place it before them in the same position as any other literary work of former times. It will force upon their convictions the fact that it requires treatment like other ancient documents, criticism and emendation and omission; that there are contradictory versions and irreconcilable differences; that there are words which it is admitted, have been left out, yet have a good claim to be kept. [illegible] Christians will find that saying [illegible] [illegible] youth and age, joy and suffering; phrases that have imbedded themselves in their literature; supposed utterances of Jesus himself, are not even found in authoritative copies of the Original. The revision will raise vague doubts, distractions and uncomfortable notions which can never again be allayed. In brief, the book hitherto surrounded as by a halo of divinity is reduced, by the mere fact that it admits of criticism, to the level of an ordinary work compared and revised and amended.

A ROPE OF WOMANS HAIR.

In his detail of Indian horrors that came under his notice, Mr. Markley, the New Mexico Indian killer, stated that in 1867 he gave an Indian half a dollar for a hair rope ten feet in length and about the size of his little finger. He untwisted the end and found that it was made of red, auburn and black hair, which, from the length of each hair, was evidently that of a woman. He questioned the Indian, who told him the rope was made from the hair of the women and girl whos were slain in the Mountain Meadows massacre for complicity with which murder Jno. D. Lee, the Mormon was tried and shot a few years ago. The place where he purchased the rope was at Paleronagote, sixty five miles from Mountain Meadow, where the most harrowing and brutal massacre of modern times occurred.—*St. Louis Republican.*

THE HUMAN TAIL.

It is intimated that the missing link between the man and the monkey has at length been found, and that there is in preparation for the museum at Rio de Janeiro, a human skeleton belonging to a race long since passed away, possessing peculiarities of structure not found in any race now living. What is most extraordinary about it is the prolongation of the spinal column into a tail twenty inches in length. This does not prove that the human species originally had tails, but it tends that way. What is wanted is something that will afford the world positive proof of what at present it has only presumptive evidence, and though the facts may possibly be against the theory that at some remote period of the world's history men had tails, the probabilities all tend to show that they were so favoured; and that tails were as much a portion of the human anatomy as arms an legs are now. The most distinguished scientists who have gone into this question readily admit that the human frame in lacking is one essential feature on account of the spinal column coming to an abrupt, premature and impotent conclusion. They claim that the human figure cannot be considered perfect so long as it lacks a tail. At what particular period in the history of the world tails first began to disappear we have no means of discovering. Every attempt to make that point clear has met with failure and vexations disappointment. It may be looked upon as being more than simply probable, however, that tails began to disappear from the human form shortly after chairs were invented, the constant friction of the tail with the chair gradually wearing the less brittle of the two substances down to the stub. This stub finally disappeared altogether, leaving hardly a vestige behind. There are those who take a slightly different view, while still retaining the chair theory, and attribute the loss of the human tail to the natural precipitancy and carelessness of mankind when about to sit down. They hold in brief that the human tail was not worn off by friction but was broken off by sudden contact. Thus, through the carelessness of their primary progenitors the people of the present age are compelled to go through life without even the semblance of a tail.—*Toronto Telegram.*

A $10,000 ROBBERY.

A HAUL MADE BY THREE THIEVES AT A NEW YORK RAILWAY DEPOT.

NEW YORK, July 15.—At 1.30 this afternoon an alarm was received at police head-quarters announcing the fact that three men, apparently peddlers, had stolen $10,000 in bills. Later it was ascertained that the money belonged to Jacob Ruppert, a brewer. His clerk, Charles Messersmidt, drove in a light waggon from the brewery, on 92nd street, to deposit the money in down town banks. With him was the office boy. They carried $9,800 in bills done up in a package and a bag filled with silver dollars. At 42nd street their waggon was run into by a vendor's waggon, in which three men were seated. The suppposed peddlers sprang from the waggon; two attacked the clerk, while the third cut the reins of the horse. In an instant they seized the package of bills, jumped back into their waggon, whipped up their horses, and drove furiously away. The bag of silver fell in the street. Messersmidt ran after the retreating robbers, but was compelled to give up the chase, as the thieves drove at fast [illegible]

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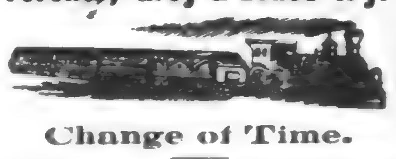

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains wil run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Station			
Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Belton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Station			
Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE— Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, July 29th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, Is authorized to receive advertisements fo this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office fo the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" Mail "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
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MONTHLIES.	
Farmer's Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

We have received a communication from Mr. C. A. Owen, in answer to Mr. Brown's letter of last week, but as Mr. Owen did not see fit to face the accusations he made, we decline to publish it.

The *Advance* man lost a subscriber last week and he felt so bad about it that he saw fit to devote nearly quarter of a column to the abuse of the man who did not see fit to take his paper.

OUR Correspondent's letter came too late for this week's issue, as also the letter of "M." To insure insertion correspondence should reach us not later than Tuesday, as by the time the mail reaches us on Wednesday, we generally have all the necessary copy in hand repuired for the paper.

THAT article on the Thomas cat, in last weeks Flesherton *Advance* was truely brilliant. The funny men of the Detroit *Free Press* and Burlington *Hawkeye* will have to "brace up," or the Flesherton man will "knock 'em higher 'an a Kite."

Dr. Ryle, who is now Bishop of Liverpool, has addressed a fraternal letter to the Wesleyan Methodist Conference, thaking its members for their services in the cause of Christianity they have rendered to England. Time works great changes.

A MEETING of the Directors of the Glenelg Agricultural Society was held in the Revere House, on Wednesday, the 27th inst., when a prize list was made out, which will be printed in pamphlet form. Each member of the Society can obtain a copy by applyng to the Secretary. The fall show will be held in Markdale on Tuesday, October 4th. One Dollar will be the membership fee until Friday, the 29th inst., (to-day), after which $2 will be demanded.

UPON reading the leading article in last weeks issue of the Flesherton paper we labored under the impression that the learned individual, who wields the Editorial pen of that sheet, wished to insinuate that we wrote our own Flesherton correspondence under a *nom de plume*; but as he states in an other column that "Ratepayer hangs out at Flesherton Station, we must be in error. We would hear say for the information of that learned gentleman that whenever we have anything to say, we will not stoop to shield ourselves under a *nom pe plume* but come out boldly and give it, without any beating about the bush, and we wish the Flesherton man to do the same.

The editor of the Flesherton paper in its last issue accuses us of misrepresenting him as to the course he intended to pursue in regard to politics. We have not the first number of the *Advance* by us, and therefore are not positive as to what the editor said, consequently cannot say whether we are accused wrongfully. However the editor admits himself that he said nothing about politics, and that he in reality was on the fence, and was "riding a wee," to see on which side it would pay him best to get down on. As the *Advance* made no statement as to the course it intended to, pursue neither saying whether it was Tory, Grit, or Independent one would naturally suppose it meant to be nuetral, at least such was the inference we drew, and so stated. Had we known that he was astradle the fence, waiting the course of events, to see what party it would pay him best to serve, we would so have stated, and been only too happy to give him a helping hand. We can assure the worthy Editor, we have not the slightest antipathy to him, in fact don't care two pence about him—whether he is Grit, Tory, Independent, Canada First, or Neutral. The starting of the *Advance* has done us no harm, to tell the truth it has had quite a contrary effect. Our subscription list has increased and so great has been the increase in job work that we have had to put another man on, and this has been done without any puffing and blowing on our part, nor have we got other papers to puff us up, leaving our work to recommend its self.

We beg to assure the *Advance* we had not the slightest intention of misrepresenting it, we take it all back and admit you did not say you were non-policital, but that you realy did not know what you would be until you saw which party bid highest for your valuable services, and that after due delibration and considerable hesitation you think it will pay you best to get off the fence and become a Liberal Conservative.

The Thornbury *Standard* has a stiring article anent the tax sales advertising, and we heartily agree with the editor in saying that it is a crying shame that something has not been done to remedy the evil.

We believe that many a farm has been lost to its original owner from the fact that these lands have been always advertised in *one* paper *only* at the extreme end of the county, and as a consequence never seen by four-fifths of those most deeply interested. We maintain that everychance should be given the orignal owner to redeem his property, by having it advertised in the paper nearest the locality where the land is situated. By the present method it might as well be advertised in the Manitowaning Expositor.

We notice from the same paper that the Council of Collingwood township are moving in the matter and are determined to have the lands advertised in the local paper. All honor to them, and we sincerely hope that other townships will follow their example. We feel satisfied that the outlay would not be grumbled at by the ratepayers. As the *Union Standard*, says the cost would be but trifling, and would be repaid a hundred fold.

DUNDALK ITEMS,

MR. Hewitson, Merchan, thas succeeded Mr. D. Davidson in the store and mercantile business in Dundalk. We wish him success.

MR. WM. Nelson, is in his old place again in the mercantile Business.

MR. Mason, tailor, has tried his hand in the exhibition of several good fits on some of our gentry.

R. J. Doyle has his stave Machine in full blast again cutting staves.

Charles Vanalstine has sold his farm of 150 acres to Mr. Irvin through the agency of A. G. Hunter.

J. Gardiner has a very large stock of stoves in, we counted 43 in his new premises last week.

The methodist church repairs will soon be complete.

PROTON COUNCIL.

As per adjournment, Proton Council met at Bell's Corners, on Tuesday, July 19, at 10 a.m. Members all present. Reeve in the chair. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by Messrs. Abbott and Black, That the Referee's on Union S. Section Luther and Proton be received, and that the Clerk draft by-laws for the same.—car.

Moved by Messrs. Abbott and Buckley, that a School Section be formed of the South East part of School Section No. 11, comprising lots 30 to 42 in the 1st con., lots 20 to 42 in the 2nd con., lots 36 to 42 in the 3rd con., and lots 26 to 42 in the 4th con., all inclusive, and the Clerk draft By-laws for the same.—car.

Moved by Messrs. McArdle and Black, that a grant of $50 be made to improve the 7th side road on the 11th and 12th cons.—car.

Moved by Messrs. McArdle and Buckley, that a grant of $18 be made on the town line between Proton and Luther in lieu of that amount being laid out by the T'p of Luther, that the Councillor of Division No. 1 let and inspect the same.—Lost.

In amendment by Abbott and Black, that this Council does not recognise any indebtedness to the boundary of Proton for money expended by West Luthur last year, and that any grant made this year should be on consideration of the opposite Municipality giving an equivalent.—car.

Black—Abbott—that a grant equivalent to that offered by Artemesia not to exceed $60, be made to erect a bridge over the Saugeen river opposite lot 5 in the 13th con., Proton and that the Reeve be appointed to act in letting and inspecting the same.—car.

McArdle—Abbott—that Alex. McDonald be allowed $1 lieu of difference of part assessment by one horse died after the assessment, and that the Reeve issue an order in his favor.—carried.

McArdle—Buckley—that an order be drawn to Peter Whittle, for $1, as per bill, for mending Seal.—car.

Abbott—Black—that the sum of $100 be granted to improve the 37th Side road between the boundary of Luther and the 8th con. in full of all claims for statute labor accrued in taxes between the 22nd side road and Melancthon and the 1st and 7th cons., inclusive, and that Messrs. Buckley and Abbott let and inspect said work, and that any portions of motions of Council passed on the 15th of April relating to the same, contradictory to this be repealed.—car.

Abbott—Black—that the petition of Jas. Fletcher and 14 others praying for a grant to improve con. 4 from lot 27 to 29 inclusive be received and that a grant of $10 be given provided that those interested perform 10 days' labor gratis.—car.

McArdle—Buckley—that James Fletcher be appointed Pathmaster instead of John Jennings, being unable to act from sickness.—car.

McArdle—Black—that the account of Neil A. McDonald for mending scrapers to $2, be paid.—car.

McArdle—Buckley—that the Clerk procure one copy Harrison's Municipal Manual and whatever amount of stationery is required for the use of the Council.—car.

Buckley—McArdle—that the assessment of Jas. Phelan be changed so as to accord with his Schedule.—car.

Buckley—Abbott—that in view of the almost impassable condition of the boundary between Proton and two municipalities of Luther, a grant of $100 be made to improve said road—$25 of which to be expended opposite West Luther, and $75 opposite East Luther, provided the two opposite Municipalities named grant and equivalent. The township of Melancthon and Village of Shelburne having each granted $100 to improve the continuation of the said road, and that Mr. Buckley be requested to act with the representatives of the other Municipalities in letting and inspecting the said work. Mr. McArdle votes 'no.'—car.

Buckley—Abbott—that this Council grant $5 to open and improve the 27th side road between the 3rd and 4th cons., providing that the Councillor of Division No. 1 give $5 more from the appointment of his Division.—car.

Abbott—McArdle—that a grant of $20 be given to improve side road 17 between cons. 9 and 10 on condition that those interested perform 20 days labor gratis.—car.

Buckley—that a grant of $50 be made to meet similar grant voted by the Council of Egremont at its last meeting to erect a bridge on the boundary line of Proton and Egremont opposite con. No. 5, Proton and that the Deputy Reeve be appointed to co-operate with the Reeve of Egremont in letting and inspecting the same.—car.

McArdle—Buckley—that the petition of John Begley and others be received and that the Council grant $10 providing the Councillor of the Division grant $10 out of his appointment and the people of the neighborhood give 5 days work gratis.—car.

Abbott—Black—that a grant of $10 be made to clay a portion of cross way on the 27th side road con. 14.—car.

McArdle—Abbott—that a grant of $10 be made on the 22nd side road at cons. 8 and 9 to improve the road. car.

Buckley—McArdle—that his Council grant $5 on the 22nd side road on 7th con., to improve the road help to make it passable, and also $5 on the 17th side road provided it is supplemented with 3 days' work gratis.—car.

Black—Buckley—that the arrears of taxes against lot 35, con. 5, be erased for the years 1878 and 1879 as the owner, Jeremiah Phelan, has performed road jobs to satisfy the same.—car.

McArdle—Buckley—that the Treasurer keep a record of all non-res. and defaulters' lands and the amount against each lot for references and Auditors' Reports.—car.

McArdle—Black—that the Reeve issue an order to the Clerk for $3 for Postage stamps, also to draw an order to pay for one stone hammer for Division No. 2, as soon as it is procured by the Councillor of that Division.—car.

Buckley—Black—that the Reeve issue orders for the Councillors' pay up to date, and that Mr. McArdle be paid $1 for services as committee on the Moore deviation of road, lot 10, con. 19.—car.

Abbott—Black—that the account of Rich. Clare for coffin supplied for the late Mrs. Hanna, an indigent, be paid and that the Reeve issue an order for the same, amount, $8.—car.

Black—McArdle—that a bridge be erected on the Saugeen river, on cons. 18 and 19 opposite lot 6, and that the Reeve and mover let and inspect the same.—car.

Black—Abbott—that lot No. 8 con. 18 be placed on the Res. Roll to Jas. Quinn and lot 28 now on the Non-Res. Roll in the name of Reginald Fowler at the value of $800.—car.

Black—Abbott—that this Council do now adjourn to meet at Reid's Hotel, Dundalk, on the 3rd Tuesday in August.—car.

JOHN VERS, Clerk.

W. F. Doll, Flesherton, has a lot of nobby Bracelets from 20ct up, also a quantity of violin findings.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—In reference to Mr. Douglass' communication anent the Glenelg Agricultural Society, which appeared in your issue of the 15th inst., please allow me space for a few remarks. For the sake of brevity I shall address myself directly to that gentleman.

Now, Mr. Douglass, for a quiet talk. You appear Sir to be out of temper and think by an exhibition of anger and the free use of bad language to silence further criticism. In this you are quite mistaken. Do you suppose that getting angry is any sign of innocence? Why no; quite the reverse. You will remember that Mr. Lyons got in a "towering rage" and threatened all manner of vengeance upon those who first dared to suggest that something was wrong with his accounts, yet the investigation revealed the fact that over *one hundred and fifty dollars* of the Society money had found its way into the wrong pocket. Come, come, William, this getting angry may be very convenient, but it won't do; people don't frighten so readily. You say "if your cor. is manly enough to come to me &c., I shall be happy to afford him or any other member of the society any information I can, &c." Umph! Now, seriously, Mr. D., do you think that this "hole and corner" sort of business would satisfy the public? No, no! a thorough investigation by a committee duly appointed by the society will alone suffice. None of your "star chamber" humbugs. Do you suppose the public are concerned to know who "Cinna" is? (not "Cisma" as incorrectly printed) or to know that Mr. Douglass was Treasurer during those years? "Office don't make the man"!

What the public want to know, and what they have a right to demand is —*Has the money been properly accounted for?* No matter who was Treasurer. Never mind the "coward's cloak" or the "treachery and meanness"; these terms are simply "dust" to throw in peoples' eyes.

Come, William submit your books to investigation—nay, *demand* an investigation, and thus forever allay suspicion and put and end to cavil.

CINNA.

ARTEMESIA, July 23, 1881.

A GREAT ENTERPRISE.—The Hop Bitters Manufacturing Company is one of Rochester's greatest business enterprises. Their Hop Bitters have reached a sale beyond all precedent, having from their intrinsic value found their way into almost every household in the land.—*Graphic.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

A garden party will be held at Rev. N. A. McDiarmid's on the evening of the 8th August. Full particular next week.

MR. Joseph McLeod returned on Wednesday from Manitoulin Island, where he has been on a visit for the past two weeks, and informs us that the crops are looking excellent on the Island, and the more he sees of the place the better he likes it.

Try Doll's for a good razor, very cheap, also a quantity of nice butter knives, very low.

BENSON has nearly completed re building his store that colapsed a short time since, and has also added to its length together with an addition to the store occupied by himself, which makes a decided improvement in its appearance.

For a good Gold or Silver watch try W. F. Doll, Flesherton & Dundalk.

Mr. T. Mullarkey showed us some stalks of wheat, pulled from a 9 acre field belonging to James Carter, Glenelg, which measured over 4 feet 6 inches. The straw looks strong and healthy and the heads appear full at a distance, but closer examination discloses the fact that it is badly attacked by the midge.

For a real good clock try W. F. Doll, Flesherton & Dundalk.

ACCIDENT.—On Sunday afternoon as Mr. C. Fox and Chas. Anderson were driving from the latter's carriage house to the street the horse took fright and ran away, dashing the buggy against a telegraph pole and throwing the occupants violently out. Mr. Fox sustained several slight bruses and a cut on the forehead; Mr. Anderson was badly brused about the face and head, and is still confined to his bed. The buggy was badly broken up.—*Tribune.*

Call and see Doll's lot of new coin silver chains, his gold plated chains, examin his new lockets and seals &c., &c., Flesherton & Dundalk.

STILL ANOTHER COMET.

ANOTHER CELESTIAL VISITOR APPROACHING THE EARTH—A TOTAL NEW COMET.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 23.—Professor Swift saw Schueberelo's comet this morning with the naked eye. It rises earlier every night, and will soon be visible in the evening sky. The tail is about one degree long. The comet is coming directly toward the earth on its way to perihelion, the passage of which will be made about August 18th. It will be twenty-five times brighter than when first seen. Swift thinks it is an entirely new comet.

BOSTON, July 23.—The observers at Cambridge do not think the new comet is that of 1887, and doubt if it will prove a comet of which there is any record.

JULY.

During this month summer complaints commence their ravages. To be forewarned is to be forearmed. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best known preventative and cure for all forms of bowel complaints and sickness incident to the summer season.

THE CANADIAN RIFLE TEAM AT WIMBLEDON.

[From the Toronto Mail.]

LONDON, July 21.

This afternoon the Canadian camp at Wimbledon was the scene of quite a gay and fashionable gathering. The Duke of Cambridge had expressed a wish to see the team parade, and a distinguished company came to see him and do honour to the Canadians. Among those who were present were the Earl of Kimberly, Colonial Secretary; Sir John Macdonald, Sir John Rose, Sir Garnet Wolsely, Right Hon. W. H. Smith, Col. Gibson, commandant of the team, and others. After having inspected and spoken to the Canadians individually, His Royal Highness congratulated the team on its success in having won the Kolapore cup on the previous day. He said that he was really very much gratified at their having obtained it. He and all Englishmen were gratified at the success and prosperity of the great country they represented, and the fact that they had secured this prize, although rather humiliating in one respect, was still a cause of congratulation, because it showed that the contest had been as fair, frank, and above-board as it could be. He hoped that their success would stimulate them in coming to Wimbledon again and again, and that eventually one among them would succeed in carry off the great prize of the meeting, the Queen's prize. The number of their members who got into the first sixty in the competition for that prize, he said, showed that rifle shooting was improving in Canada, and that they might yet bring over the lucky man who would carry off that honour.

The Earl of Kimberly said that last year he had the pleasure of visiting the Canadian team, but on this occasion it was more gratifying because they were successful in the truest sense. They were all proud of the progress of the Dominion in art science, and commerse, but more especially on an occasion of this kind they were extremely proud of the measures which they had taken for their own defence. There was nothing which consolidated a community more, or added more to its dignity or self-respect, than that it should provide for the defence of the country. In doing so they were providing for the defence of the British empire. It had given him much pleasure to be again among his Canadian friends, including Sir John Macdonald.

Col. Gibson said that a couple of years ago Sir John Rose had been pleased to give a sum of £500 for a prize to the Dominion Rifle Association, and that the donor would now present it.

Sir John Rose, in doing so, referred to the fact that his Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge had honoured the Canadian team with a visit every year in which it had come to England. Canada had, with great spirit and sacrifice, provided for her self-defence. He believed it was beginining now to be understood that the reserve power of the country was in the power and loyalty of the Canadian people. It was well known that the Canadians possessed the essential elements that constitute soldiers. They were inured to hardship, needed little commissariat, and were trained to the use of the rifle from boyhood. Their success in winning the Kolapore cup was very gratifying. He hoped that he would live to see the day when the Canadians would carry off the Queen's prize. Should it ever be so, they would find that the winner would receive the commendations of all.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD'S ADDRESS.

Sir John Macdonald said that it had made his heart glow that morning on reading that the Canadians had won the Kolapore cup. It was a gallant fight. After years of defeat the Canadians had had luck again. He congratulated the team, especially Col. Gibson, on their success. Although he sympathized with the English team, yet he thought they could afford the Canadians an occasional victory. They were all of one race, under one common allegiance, and if there should be any rivalry between the militia and volunteers of Canada and England, it should be as to who could be most loyal. It was gratifying to find that their progress and the efficiency of the militia forces were being steadily watched by the Commander in chief of her Majesty's forces. Their militia would not desire to be considered a mere holiday force. He believed if the time should come when England was involved in war, Canada would do her fair share man for man in fighting for the common cause and common flag. He should go back to Canada and tell the people how proud he was this day, and how the victorious team had been honoured by his Royal Highness and by the Colonial Minister. He hoped that this year's victory would not be lost. Canada would have to fight for it, and must send as good a team every year.

AUGUST

The summer season now reaches its climax, and is prolific in developing bowel complaints. Over-indulgence in fruit, immoderate drinking of iced waters and summer beverages, in a few houres prouced fatal ravages among children and adults. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the most reliable remedy for all forms of summer complaints. Safe, pleasant and prompt in its effects. All dealers keep it.

AS OTHERS SEE US.

MARKDALE.—On Saturday last we paid a short visit to Markdale and were surprised to notice the great improvement made in the appearance of the village in three years time. Several very handsome brick blocks of stores have been erected, and 6 more stores are in course of construction. A novel feature in the new buildings is the artificial stone—made of sand, cement and lime, which has the hardness and durability of fine grained free stone, and moulded in various forms. This stone is used for door jams, window sills, key stones for arches, etc., and is said to cost less than a third of what stone costs. Mr. A. McIntyre has removed into a commodious brick store just erected by Dr. Sproule, and next door to Butter & Rae. Mr. Rutledge of the *Standard* is going to put up a brick building for a printing office. Mr. T. Sproule, formerly of the T. G. & B. R. is doing a good business and becoming very popular among the travelling public.—*Grey Review.*

HUGGED AGAINST HIS WILL.

A most ludicrous scene transpired in a place not a thousand miles from the city of Louisville one night the other week, and although a little annoying to the parties concerned, was just so innocent and funny that we cannot refrain from giving the general outlines, suppressing names of course. Two sprightly and beautiful young ladies were visiting their cousin, another sprightly and beautifuly young lady, who like her guests, was of age that turns everything into fun and merriment. If the truth were told, we fear that we should have to record that these three misses were just a bit fast. They were fond of practical jokes and were constantly playing tricks on each other. All three occupied a room on the ground floor and cuddled up together in bed.

Two of the young ladies attended a party on the night in question, and did not get home until 11.30 o'clock. As it was late they concluded not to disturb the household; so they quietly slipped into their room thro the low, open window.

In about half an hour after they left for the party, a young Methodist minister called at the house where they were staying and craved a night's lodging, which was of course granted. As ministers always have the best room, the young lady (Fannie) who had not gone to the party was entrusted with the duty of sitting up for the absent onesand informing them of the change of rooms.

She took up her post in the parlor, and as the night was sultry, sleep overcame her and she departed on an excursion to the land of dreams.

We will now return to the young ladies who had gone to their room through the window. By the dim light of the moonbeams, as they strugled through the curtains, the young ladies were enable to descry the outlines of Fannie, as they supposed ensconsed in the middle of the bed. They saw more—to wit, a pair of boots. The truth flashed upon them at once. They saw it all. Fannie had set the boots in the room to give them a good scare. They put their heads together and determined to turn the tables on her. Silently they disrobed and stealthily as cats they took up their positions on each side of the bed. At a given signal they both jumped into bed, one on each side ofthe unconscious parson, laughing and screaming, "Oh, what a man!" They gave the poor bewildered minister such a genuine hugging and tussling as few parsons are able to brag of in the course of a lifetime.

The noise of the proceedings awoke the old lady, who was sleeping in an adjoining room. She comprehended the situation in a moment, and rushing to the room, she opened the door exclaimed: "Gracious, galls, it is a man, sure enough.

There was one prolonged consolidated scream, a flash of muslin through the door, and all was over.

The best of the joke is that the minister took the whole thing in earnest. he would listen to no apologies the old lady could make for the girls. He would hear no excuse, but solemnly folded his official robs about him, and silently stole away.

Querry—Was he mad at the girls or—at the old lady.

A CHURCH CONTRIBURION.

"How much is the ante?" whispered a Red Gulch miner with a single $20 gold piece to the deacon with the collection plate in the Babtist Church at Black Rar, Col. He was told to contribute what ever he chose, whereupon he said he'd chil in a dollar, and proceeded to take $19 change. The deacon softly replied that no change was given. A struggle ensued, the plate was upset, and the congregation were in the act of "jumping the deacon's claim," when the minister, an old californian, leaned over the pulpit with a large navy revolver, and observed. "The brethren will please take notice that I've got the drop on them, and any brother who decline to go to his seat or who touches any of that money will have a funeralat his house to-morrow at 2 o'clock p. m. Our mining friend from Red Gulch will kindly release the deacon's throat, or he is a dead man. The $20 gold piece went to save the heathen.

A LUNATIC'S FREAK.

A WELL-TO-DO FARMER, LOCKED UP FOR INSANITY, SETS FIRE TO HIS CELL.

LINDSAY, July 15.—A man named Andrew Egelston, who lives in the township of Cavan, was this morning put in a lock-up on a charge of insanity. He had been wandering about the streets all night, and had by some means fallen into the river. Shortly after being put in the lock-up he set fire to his straw hat, which in turn ignited the sides of the cell. As soon as the fire was discovered the brigade turned out and extinguished it, not, however, untill the cell was considerably burned, and Egelston was somewhat scorched and nearly suffocated. He is quite a well to-do farmer in Cavan, and has friends there, to whom he was sent.

BIRTHS.

SMITH—In Markdale, on the 23rd inst., the wife of Mr. T. Smith, (Barber), of a daughter.

WALKER—In Markdale, on the 25th inst., the wife of Mr. John Walker, (carpenter) of a son.

MARRIED

CHELLEW—LYONS—In Markdale, on the 27th inst., by Rev N. A. McDiarmid, at the residence of the brides father, Mr. Alfred Chellew, Cabnite Maker, of Collingwood, to Miss Annie Maud, second daughter of John Lyons Esq., of Markdale.

STRAYED.

STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, Priceville, 2 ewes and 2 lambs. One white ewe and one white lamb, also one gray ewe and one gray lamb. White ewe marked with stripe on one side. Both ram lambs, with long tails. Any person giving such information as will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded.

MICHAEL REILEY.

Priceville, July 26, 1881. 46-3 ins.

VICTORIA BUCHU & UVA URSI THE GREAT SPECIFIC DISEASES KIDNEYS

FOR HORSE POWERS, —AND— DUSTLESS Grain Saving Separators, GO TO THE Durham Foundry.

Steam Power furnished if required.

A. COCHRANE.

Durham, July 28, 1881. 46-2wks.

Voters' List, 1881

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND, COUNTY OF GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the third and fourth sections of "*The Voters' List Act*," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal elections, and that said list was first posted up at my Office, at Holland Centre, on the twenty-eighth day of July, 1881, and remains for their inspection. Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated this [illegible] day of July, 1881

CARSON PRICE.

46-1 ins. Clerk of the said Municipality.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING ON *Wednesdays and Saturdays,* By Thomas Smith, Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

Robt. S. Rae, TAILOR, Sydenham Street, MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. [illegible]

STRAYED.

From Lot 133, 1st con. N. E. of T. & S. Road, Artemesia, one White Ewe and Lamb. Ewe had at time lost a rope around neck, and lamb was lame of one hind leg. Any person givin information as to their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded,

WM. DAVI[illegible]

June 28, 1881. 42-1 in.

MONEY to LEND AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

Harvest Tools Scythes, Snaths, Cradles, Hay Forks, Barley Forks, Rakes, Sickles, &c., &c. CHEAP AT Haskett Bros.

Markdale, June 2[illegible], 1881.

Respectfully yours, JOHNSON, CLARK

July 7th, 1881.

MARKDALE Sash and Door Factory

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS MOULDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS

Lumber, Lath and Shingles Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having at received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA[illegible]

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

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STANDARD.

[illegible]ay, July 29nd, 1881.

& OTHER NOTICES.

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Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

The public will have them—the pens of the Esterbrook Steel Pen Co's make [illegible] stationers are ready to supply [illegible]

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East Grey[illegible] hold their F[illegible] 7th of Octo[illegible] ARE YOU [illegible]

Don't f[illegible] Fowler's [illegible] It is a [illegible] ness, and [illegible] complaint[illegible] change of [illegible] at home [illegible] at hand [illegible]

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Do you feel miserable, tired, half-sick, no appetite and out of sorts generally? Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters is just the medicine you want, a few doses will at once relieve you. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle, price 50 cents. At A. TURNERS & Co. Special agents Markdale.

THE storm of Sunday night has done a vast amount of damage to crops and buildings through Ontario. The standing grain has been badly laid, and a number of barns and houses have been destroyed by lightning.

East Grey Agricultural Society will hold their Fall show, on the 6th and 7th of October in Flesherton.

ARE YOU GOING TO TRAVEL?

Don't forget a supply of that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is a superior remedy for sea sickness, and a positive cure for all bowel complaints induced by bad water, change of diet, or of climate. Whether at home or abroad, it should be kept at hand in case of emergency.

Mr. Peter Harris, of Euphrasia, brought us in a bunch of Timothy hay, which he pulled out of a field of six acres measuring 5 feet 6 inches. Mr. H. tells us that the yield will be over an average and is very uniform throughout.

NO HOSPITAL NEEDED.—No palatilal hospital needed for Hop Bitters patients, nor large salaried talented puffers to tell what Hop Bitters will do or cure, as they tell their own story by their certain and absolute cures at home.—*New York Independent.*

On Wednesday, Aug. 3rd, a meeting of the Presbytery will be held in the Presbyterian Church at McIntyres Corners, at 10,30 a. m. At 2 p. m., of the same day the ordination and induction of the Rev. Mr. Chisholm will take place. The congregation purpose holding a social in the evening.

KILL BY LIGHTNING.—A cow belonging to Mr. Silas Phillips, of the township of Osprey, was struck by lightning and killed an last Saturday.—*Advance.*

A UNITED meeting of the Presbyterian Congregation of Markdale and Flesherton, will be held in the Methodist Church, Flesherton, on Monday next, August the 1st at 2 p. m., for the purpose of moderating in a "call" to a minister of said Congregation.

NATURE MAKES NO MISTAKES.

Nature's own remedy for bowel complaints, cholera morbus, cholic, cramps, vomiting, sea sickness, cholera infantum, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all diseases of a like nature belonging to the summer season, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which can be obtained of all dealers in medicine.

The "American Agriculturist" for August is to hand. Its contents are varied, useful and entertaining. It is a work that should be in the hands of every Farmer, Gardener, and Florist. price $1,50 per annum. Subscriptions taken at this office, where specimen numbers may be seen.

One half of Brooklyn is tickled with joy because it has been proven that Guiteau belonged to Beecher's church and not to Talmage's, and the other half of the city is gloomy for the same reason.

We have had considerable rain the past few days which will be of great benefit to the root crops. The hay, barley, and fall wheat, which is being, harvested in many parts of Ontario, will, we fear be somewhat damaged.

TOO MANY LOVERS.—Sunday night there was considerable disturbance on Cannon street. Two men were smitten with the charms of one female, and got into an altercation as to who should see the lady home. One of them, a bus-driver for one of the leading hotels, became very angry, and used rather strong language, and the affair culminated in his arrest, and he saw his rival walk off with the girl.—*Spectator.*

The Duke of Athol, who is at present on a visit to Manitoba and the Northwest, is stated to have said at Winnipeg the other day, that he should return to Scotland a sadder and a wiser man; that since he had seen the Canadian Northwest, he did see how it was possible for British tenants to compete with the people of Canada, and he saw nothing for it but a reduction of rents all round.—Score one Canada.

ALTHOUGH we have not got a brick yard in our Village, yet, nevertheless, so brisk are building operations, that men are not to be had to enable the contracts to complete their contracts on time.

We learn that Mr. Gould has let a contract for six dwelling houses.—This will supply a want long felt to certain extent. For the past year many families have been prevented from coming to our Village from the fact that dwelling houses were not obtainable. Although buildings are going up in all directions, it is next to impossible to get a house to rent, for the reason they are bespoke six months ahead; and yet some people have the hardihood to say that Markdale is not progressing.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	0.45	"	0.55
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

THURSDAY, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.65
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
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Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

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Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 20	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 23
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 35	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, Euphrasia, on Town-line Euphrasia and Holland, on or about the 28th of May, Four Ewes and Four Lambs. Three of the Ewes are white and one grey—Lambs are all white. The Ewes are marked on the right shoulder with tar, and one Lamb has a black spot on its hind leg. Any person who will give such information as will lead to their recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

ADAM HOLBERT.

Harkaway, June 29, 1881. 42-3 in.

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Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured, Sufferers wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar st. New York 20-ly

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TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th, 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6:30 p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School, 2:30 p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every Sabbath at 6.30 a. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting at 6:30 p. m. Bible Class on Fridays at 7:30 p. m.

ST. JAMES CHURCH DUNDALK.

Services—11 o'clock a. m. July 24th and each alternate Sabbath, W. Bevan, Incumbent.

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STRAYED.

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 25, 5th con. Glenelg, on the 23rd of June, 5 two-year-olds, two of which were Steers, both were grey in color, one with large horns. 3 heifers, one of which is the same color as steers, the other two red, one slightly brindled.

JAMES SULLIVAN.
Priceville, P. O.

Glenelg, June 30, 1881. 42 3 in.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Glenelg, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1881, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of Nine Hundred Dollars, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of Union School Section No, 12, Artemesia and Glenelg, to erect a school house in said section, and that said By-Law was registered in the Registry Office in the South Riding of the County of Grey, on the Sixteenth day of June, A. D. 1881.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months from the date of registration, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the Fourth day of July, 1881.

JAMES BROWN,
43-3i Clerk.

Burdock BLOOD BITTERS

A. McINTYRE.

Will move into my new premises shortly in Sproule's Block shortly. No time to write advertisements just now, all though ready to wait on you should you drop in. No stale goods in my establishment.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, Dec. 16, 1880. 2-ly

THE TEN Insurance Commandments.

1. Thou shalt insure thy real and personal estate and all that thou hast against fire, for—

Defending thyself from misfortune until old age,
Thy happiness shall equal thy wisdom.

2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acquire;
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance, for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thirst thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shall be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not be paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy insurance thou will be poorer than a church rat.

If thou fallest into poverty
People will care but little for thee.

10. Thou shalt do all thy insurance with **Robert Davis**, the Conveyancer and Land and Insurance Agent at Flesherton, for—

He represents only the best companies, and
He guards well his patrons' interests.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Real Estate, Loan, and Estate Agent, Flesherton
Branch office, Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, every Thursday.

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

Millinery! Millinery!

HILL BROS.,

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LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches. We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement, but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

Announcement!

LATE IMPORTATIONS

OF

Seasonable Goods,

AT

Greatly Reduced Prices,

AT THE

TORONTO HOUSE.

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, April 15, 1880.

THE NATIVE MICHIGANDER.

I have been studying him for a week. About 7 o'clock every evening he comes in from his farm and takes a seat beside me on the verandah of the country hotel. No one introduced us. He came stumping along the first evening, flung down his old straw hat and exclaimed:

"Durn my hide if it isn't durn hot!"

I had been roasting all day, and so I struck hands with him at once. He has never asked whether I was the Duke of Sutherland or a railroad switchman, and I have never asked why he didn't cut his hair, shave off his matted whiskers and fix a tin spout in one corner of his mouth to accommodate the flow of tobacco juice.

The native Michigander is a good fellow at heart, but he has his eccentricities.

"Yes, I struck this State over fifty years ago," he said to me the other evening, as he hunted in his hind pocket for his plug tobacco, "I've heard the wolves howl, and b'ars roar, and the panthers scream."

"You have, eh?"

"You bet I have! Yes, sir, and I've lived all winter on acorns, slept all summer on a tree top, and walked forty-two miles through the woods to prayer meeting."

"Then you must be pious?"

"Pious? Durn my old hide to ballyhack and gosh all the fish hooks to thunder, but I rayther recon I am! Pious? Why, how in thunder and blazes and tea kettles could I have borne up if I hadn't been pious! Say, did you ever live in the woods forty miles from the nearest human hyena, black or white?"

"Never."

"Did you ever have to go barefooted in snow four feet deep?"

"No."

"Ever shake with the ager right along for 281 days, Sundays included?"

"No."

"Dod rot your pampered countenance, of course you never did! What did you ever do towards making Michigan the great and glorious State she now is?"

"Well, I've run a law mower."

"Run a thunder to blazes! How many acres of forest do you 'spose I've cut down?"

"Two."

"Two! Why you onery hyena, my old woman has slashed down over forty herself, and she's left handed at that! I calkerlate, sir—I solemnly calkerlate that I've cleared off at least 500 acres of the toughest kind of forest. Ah! sir, but you petted and pampered children of luxury little dream of what us natives had to endure. How much tea do you suppose I had in my house the first ten years of our pioneer life?"

"Twenty-five chests."

"Twenty-five Thunders!" he roared as he hunted for more plug, "we had just two drawings and no more!"

"Couldn't you get trusted at the corner grocery?"

"Get trusted! Corner grocery! Why, you infernal young lunatic, wasn't I located forty miles from the grocery! That's what I've been telling you all along. Old pioneers couldn't afford sich luxuries as that. How much do you 'spose our outfit cost us for house keeping?"

"Perhaps $5,000, but that's according to the style of your carpets, piano and paintings. Did you have lace curtains hung on poles?"

He jumped up and down like a man with a piece of beefsteak in his wind pipe, and I thought he was a goner. However, after a higher jump than his crooked old legs seemed capable of he blurted out:

"You infernal durned fool, but we didn't have nothing that we couldn't carry on our backs. Do you 'spose we was a foolin' around with pianers out there in the vargin wilderness. Lace curtains hung on poles. Not much! If I'd had a spare shirt on a pole I'd have been perfectly satisfied. None of you spiled children of luxury kin have any idea of how we had to get along in them old days."

"I presume not."

"One winter when the old woman was sick I had nothing to feed her but salt coon and corn dodgers."

"Oyster soup would have been nice."

"Oyster thunder! Who knew anything about oysters fifty years ago? Don't I keep telling you that I was fifty miles in the woods?"

"Yes but why didn't you get out?"

"Git out? what fur?"

"Why you might hav got out and lived on your mother-in-law and had a trotting horse, a plug hat, a diamond pin and high living. You were foolish to stay in the woods, where you had no ward caucuses, or military parades, or circus processions, or ginger beer or banana puddings."

We generally end here. The old native chokes and gasps and jumps up and down and kicks his hat into the street and goes away saying:

"Them durned pampered idiots of luxury wouldn't keer two cents if the hull State was growed up to jack-pines so thick that a rabbit could't squeeze through"

But next night he comes again to wrestle me for the championship.—*M. Quad.*

A MOTHER'S DEVOTION.

A very peculiar case of a mother's devotion to her son, a manic, has just come to light. About eighteen years ago a family named Harrington moved to Portsmouth, R. I. Nearly four fears after, a son, William, then about ten years of age, suddenly disappeared. About three weeks ago the mother of the boy died. Some of the people at her funeral heard a strange noise, and, on going to a small, dark room in the attic, found there a young man, havig scarcely any clothing, covered with hair. The husband of the woman told the following story: The young man, he said, was his son, who had mysteriously disappeared so many years ago. When about two years old the boy became insane, and soon was a raving maniac. The mother refused to let him be taken from her, but placed him in an attic room, where at times she was compelled to tie him. During all these years he had been confined there, and the mother was the only living person whom her son had seen. She was accustomed to visit him and feed him, with her own hand, and had jealously guarded her secret from the neighbors, fearing that steps would be taken to tear the boy away from her. When she died, the father attempted to follow her example, but was not equal to the task. Young Harrington has been removed to the insane asylum at Cranston, R. I.—*Boston Journal.*

SUN SPOTS.—Not since the great sun storms of last fall has the sun's disk been so speckled as it is this week. Not far from the centere are two enormous groups of spots, each including one vast cavernous hole surrounded by many smaller ones. East of these groups the disk, over a broad space is covered with scattered spots of all sizes and intermingled with the crinkled lines of faculæ, which showed that tremendous disturbing forces are at work. Comets it is suspected sometimes throw the sun into a state of excitement bo stoning him with the meteors that belong to their trains. Whether the present comet has been making a target of the sun remains to be learned. But evidently it is not the kind of comet to refrain from such sport out of respect to the sun, judging from the way the Albany astromers saw it whisking its tail in the face of the North star.

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THEOPHILUS HALL.
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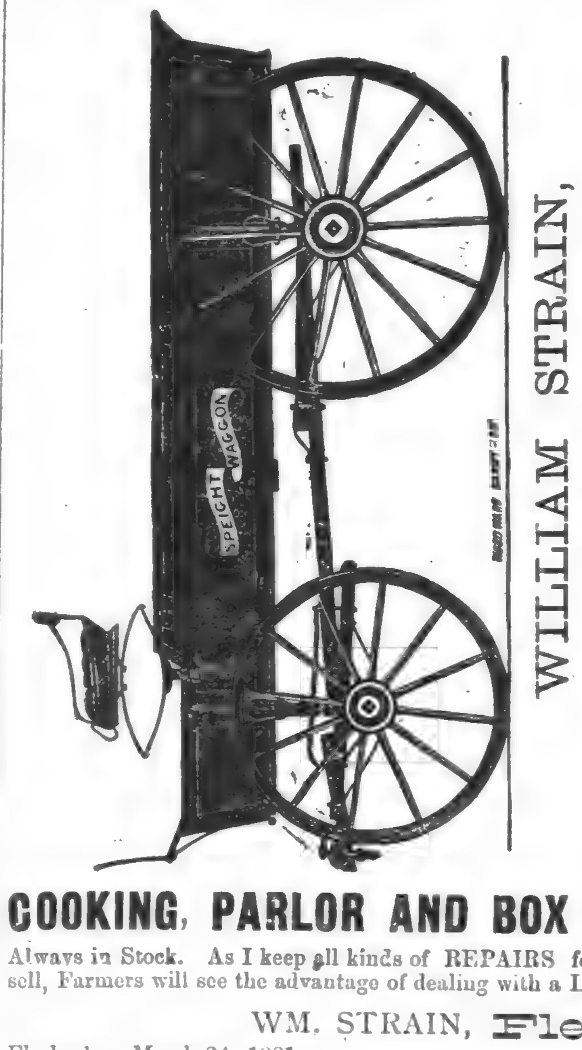

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Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

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BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

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Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-m3

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JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

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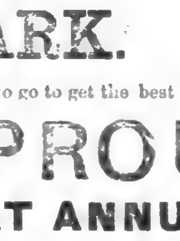

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And examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere.
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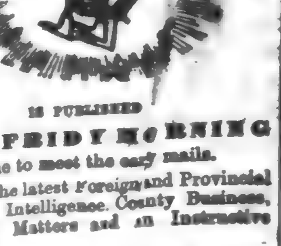

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A number of desirable Improved Farms for sale. 1-y

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THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

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Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.
Free 'bus to and from all trains.
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A few choice farms for sale on easy terms, Money to loan at bottom rates.
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BUTCHER
Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougal's Harness shop.
Meat delivered at any house in town.
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CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots.
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
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MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.
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Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY
BRIDES' CAKES!
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov, 18, 1880 1-y

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,
FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

SHTOP!—HOW YOU WAS!
T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET,
MARKDALE,
Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
AGENT FOR
D. MAXWELL'S
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RAKE,
—ALSO—
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of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
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BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

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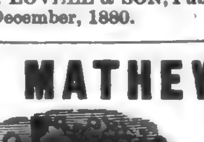

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nav, 18, 1880 1o

Sheep and Cattle.

FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
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BROAD GAUGE AT LAST!
SEEDS! SEEDS! SEEDS!
Just arrived at the
"BELFAST HOUSE."
Also a fresh stock of
Groceies, Provisions,
CANNED FRUIT,
BISCUITS
—AND—
CONFECTIONERY,
Any amount of Cumberland cut
Side Pork.
FOR SALE. ALSO.
POTATOES.
MALT AND RYE WHISKEY,
THE BEST IN TOWN.
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WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, March 17, 1881. 4-ly

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VIOLA'S REVENGE.

By the Author of "My Lady's Husband," "A Waif's Fortune," "The Lady of Gordon Lea," &c.

"Dear mamma, the heartiness of our welcome and the sincerity of our congratulations will be sure to please."

Something in the tone, placid as it was, grated upon Mrs. Robert's ear and awakened uneasiness.

"It is of the utmost importance," she went on, "that we should continue to reside at Burgot Grange."

"Yes; it is such a delightfully lively residence—particularly in winter—immediately after the death of its late owner."

Mrs. Robert's uneasiness deepened.

"You would not like to be turned out of the Grange, to exchange such society as it offers for that which we might command, living upon our joint income in town or at a watering-place?"

"I do not know," said Clara slowly.

"Where would be your chance of winning Lord Armidale?"

"Just where it has rested for the last six months, whilst his lordship has been exploring Palestine."

"But you felt so sure of him, Clara."

"Just as I felt so sure of the wealth and position for which we have for five years played a weary, waiting game, and which passes at last into the possession of this Italian adventuress and her father."

"Clara—dear Clara—this is madness!"

"I know it. You need not fear, mamma, that, because I hate these interlopers, I shall fail to ingratiate myself with them. I can hear the wheels of the brougham. Let us go to the door to meet our beloved relatives and welcome them to the enjoyment of that which should have been our own."

CHAPTER V.

The travellers had been received with effusion; they had eaten, drunk, and the home-coming had been made pleasant to them.

William Burgot, who had been at first strangely embarrassed and ill at ease, found his tongue and his lost confidence after drinkidg a glass or two of choice vintages that had lain since his youth in the cellar of the Grange.

The amiable manners of his sister-in-law particularly commended themselves to him. He had lighted her bed-room candle, and he said "good-night" to her once. But he still held her hand in his, whilst he made a little speech expressive of gratification.

"I think it only right to tell you, Mrs. Burgot——"

"Call me Mrs. Robert; it sounds more brother-like," she interposed plaintively.

"Mrs. Robert—that I am agreeably surprised and delighted at the kind reception you and Miss Clara Dallas have accorded to my daughter and myself. I had feared that natural disappointment at the provisions of my late brother's will——"

The little hand he had made a prisoner squeezed his fingers slightly; its fellow raised to Mrs. Robert's eyes a square of embroidery, called by courtesy a handkerchief.

"I trust, William—I may call you William, may I not?—I trust misfortune will never render me unjust. I do not grudge you the good fortune which might have been mine. I have sufficient wealth for my own simple requirements and for Clara's. I have but one thing to regret."

"And what is that, Mrs. Robert?"

"The loss of a home. For five years William, I have been led to believe, by him who is gone, poor fellow, that in this house I should end my days. He made a will by which I was placed precisely in your present position, and Clara in that of dear Viola. We shall not feel the loss of fortune, but it will be a bitter wrench to leave the old home."

"Why should you leave it Mrs. Robert?"

The widow's white fingers fluttered a little in his detaining grasp, and she darted at him from her pale eyes as reproachful a look as they were capable of emitting.

"I trust you do not think, William, that, because Clara and I remained to welcome you to the Grange, and to order the household for a day or two until Viola has quite recovered from the fatigue of her journey and is able to relieve us of the responsibility, it is our intention to intrude upon your hospitality. No; our boxes are packed, and we are ready to depart the instant——"

"But why should you depart?" said William Burgot argumentatively. "The Grange is large enough for all of us, and it will be much more cheerful for an extra inmate or two. Viola must have somebody to chaperon her; in fact, we are both of us so ignorant, owing to long residence abroad, of the usages of English country-life, that it will be of inestimable service that some kind friend should point out mistakes and short-comings. You may not be aware, Mrs. Robert, that I once had, whilst serving in India, a mild attack of sunstroke, which left my memory very hazy concerning all prior events."

Mrs. Robert was not aware, but was intensely sympathetic, if the expression of her pretty face could be trusted.

Inwardly she was wondering why her brother-in-law confessed so sheepishly to this attack of sunstroke, as though it had been a crime. In her own mind she decided that the confession was only half-truth, behind which probably lay unrevealed some disgraceful escapade of the fellow's wild youth.

"I remember with perfect distinctness," continued William Burgot, "my courtship of Viola's mother, my marriage—in fact every event of the last twenty-one years. But of my boyhood, youth, and early manhood I retain but misty impressions, only a few of which are sufficiently clear to be reliable. I am haunted by two fears—the one is that I may offend old friends by failing to recognize their altered features, the other that I may, during long residence abroad, have forgotten the duties, privileges, and customs which attach to my present position as a wealthy English landowner."

"Neither of your bugbears is very formidable," smiled Mrs. Robert sweetly; and, as she spoke, she wondered at the earnestness of the man.

Great beads of sweat stood upon his brow, and his handsome features were pale with suppressed excitement. Was it possible, thought the widow, that the mild attack of Indian sunstroke had slightly turned the poor fellow's brain?

"Pardon me," he went on, "both of my bugbears are in my eyes most formidable. I want you to defend me from them, standing between me and them. Mrs. Robert, I want you to chaperon me as well as well as Viola. In offering to yourself and Miss Dallas a permanent home at the Grange, I am studying my own interests, believe me, rather than yours."

"Then all my objections are anticipated. We shall be very pleased to remain, William, provided that, after sleeping upon your offer, you do not repent it. Now I must run away, or I shall get no beauty-sleep—a thing women of my antiquity cannot afford to dispense with. Once more, good night."

Blowing him a kiss from the tips of her white fingers, Mrs. Robert swept gracefully from the room. Very jubilant was her face as she climbed the broad staircase, troubled only by a passing reflection that, by playing her cards still better, she might perhaps have won, not only free maintenance for herself and Clara, but also a slight addition to their income.

She paused by the young lady's door, thinking to impart the glad tidings. The sound of murmuring voices betokened that Clara was not alone. Then the widow sank gracefully to a kneeling position upon the soft mat by the door, and applying her little ear to the keyhole, listened long and intently. When she arose, there was a satisfied smile upon her lips and in her colourless eyes.

"Of course they are becoming the best of friends," she murmured, as she went softly along the corridor towards her own room. "Dear Clara knows on which side her bread is buttered, and will not exhibit to my niece the mood which alarms me. With care and tact, we may still reign at Burgot Grange as though it belonged to us. As for the present owner, he is handsome, he seems amiable, and I shall be able, I feel sure, to twist him round my finger. How vexations that, in this prejudiced country, a woman cannot marry her deceased husband's brother!"

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Mrs. Robert's deceased husband's brother was at that instant a very absent-minded man.

He had resumed the chair from which he had risen to bid her "good night." At his elbow were a stand of liqueurs and a glass partly filled with potent spirit, to which he had not yet added the complement of water.

Between his lips was a cigar which he had unconsciously, after a few whiffs, permitted to go out, whilst in his right hand he held the stalk of a consumed fuzee, regarding it with eyes that saw not.

"I should like to look at the old home," said William Burgot, thoughtfully.

He consulted his watch; the hands pointed to eleven o'clock. He went to the window, and, drawing aside the curtains, watched a white moon rising in a jewelled dome. Relighting his cigar, and emptying at a draught that partly-filled glass of potent spirit, William Burgot passed into the hall and began to don a thick overcoat before the eyes of the wondering butler, who was so astonished that he forgot to assist him.

"I am going out of doors to smoke my cigar," said William Burgot. "I shall return in half an hour or so."

"You must be careful not to lose yourself," answered the butler respectfully. Recalling some of the late owner's eccentricities, he had begun to tell himself that such freaks as these must be expected of every Burgot.

"Lose myself?" said his master. I know every inch of this whole estate, man, as well as you know the pimples on your face."

"Beg pardon, sir, I'm sure," rejoined the butler humbly.

He was vexed to the soul at that allusion to his pimples; and, having opened and closed the outer door, he went into the servants' hall and abused a sleepy footman with virulence. Meanwhile William Burgot, passing round the Grange, struck into its background of woods, with assurance which proved that his boast of knowing every inch of the old estate was no idle one.

It did not occur to him that this knowledge might be difficult to reconcile with the haziness of his memory concerning all events prior to his attack of sunstroke.

By winding rarely-trodden ways, under bare black branches gloomily out-lined against a gloomy sky, across open grassy glades upon which the hoar-frost sparkled in the moonlight, went the master of Burgot Grange, the proud possessor of estates yielding a rent-roll of fifteen thousand pounds per annum, until he came to a cottage in the wood—a cottage that was little better than a heap of ruins.

A low wall, moss-grown and broken down, surrounded it. William Burgot remembered—in spite of the mental haziness incidental to sunstroke—that it had once enclosed a garden, in which gooseberries and currants and cherries grew prodigally, but in which the rabbits made sad havoc amongst lettuces and broccoli. A smokeless ivy-covered chimney stood up against the sky. William Burgot remembered how the white wreaths from a wood fire used to curl out of it, and how the ivy had not climbed half so high.

In the cottage wall was a gaping hole which the ivy vainly tried to fill. William Burgot remembered that it had once been a diamond-paned window, from which a checkered, loving face, with a sweet perpetual refined softness upon it, had been wont to gaze wistfully.

He turned away. There was no stinging wintry wind to make his eyes water, there was no dusty summer breeze to make them smart; yet William Burgot drew the back of his hand across them. Could it be to brush away a tear?

Then he turned from the ruined cottage and the memories which the Indian sunstroke had not dimmed, and went back, with a faltering step, by the lonely rarely trodden ways to his proud position, his stake in the county, his lordship of Burgot Grange, and his rent-roll of fifteen thousand pounds.

CHAPTER VI.

In the Vye Valley there is a little meandering brook which runs babbling and singing from its birthplace far away amongst the hills. It is an uncertain little brook, capricious as a woman, never knowing its own mind.

Now it is shallow and swift, now deep and sluggish, now it goes straight as an arrow for two hundred yards, as though its immediate intent was to mate itself without delay with that most beautiful of rivers, the English Rhine; now it flies off at a tangent and shilly-shallies here and there postponing the inevitable union for a mile or two. But with all its inconsistencies, trout and grayling love it; and old Isaac Walton might, with great contentment, have thought out a few chapters of his *Complete Angler* beside its shallow reaches and shady pools.

One of his disciples was strolling along its banks this bright July morning. He was a man in a shooting-coat and knickerbockers of brown velveteen; his shoulders were broad and his legs shapely; and, if he had tried to make himself look like a keeper, the attempt was a dead failure.

If Claude, Lord Armidale, donned the rags af the filthiest beggar who ever tramped along the high roads of Great Britain, he would still look an aristocrat.

He had half filled his basket, although he had, at starting, grumbled like a Briton to the boy who carried his landing-net that the water was too clear and the wind was not in the right quarter.

But he had reached the last of his mortgaged acres, and did not like the notion of "trying back" again, although a board warned him concisely that "Poachers and tresspassers will be imprisoned without the option of a fine."

"I think I will take my chance of that," commented Lord Armidale gravely; then a vision of the embarrassment of his brother-magistrates when he should appear before them as a poacher and a tresspasser, caused his blue eyes to laugh for an instant.

The vision faded, and the silent laugh died out all too suddenly. Those blue eyes of his, which Viola had once likened to Italian skies or the shifting waters of the bay, were sadder than in the old days when he had lain down at her feet amongst the wild flowers and tangled weeds to spend an idle hour.

There was little other change in him to tell that five years had come and gone since then.

Perhaps the gold in his hair was a shade darker, his face a shade more sunburnt than of yore. Perhaps his broad chest was a shade deeper and may be a stone in weight had been added to that lean muscular frame.

"The new man seems a decent fellow," pursued Lord Armidale, in meditation, as he threw his fly with practised celerity within a small expanding circle in the centre of which a great fish had just risen. "I must return his call this afternoon, and suggest a mutual understanding that we fish each other's waters. Ah, I thought so!"

The ejaculation was one of triumph. The great fish, espying that tiny marvel of silk and feathers alighting within a foot of his nose, had come at it with a greedy, open-mouthed eagerness, and, as he dived for his cool shady retreat amongst the roots, was brought back, almost without a struggle, to the surface.

Then a contest began, which drove all thoughts of afternoon calls from the fisherman's mind for the next five minutes, and which ended in a material addition to the weight of the morning's spoils, after which the angler returned to the contemplations which were incompatible with the more active experiences of his recreation.

"I must call and renew my acquaintance with 'dear Clara.' I wonder whether a trout knows sometimes the exact intentions of the biped on the bank, and goes examining with sheer supercilious curiosity, and nothing more, every cunning bait that is thrown to him, until, he never quite realizes how, he is artfully struck and landed. Upon my soul I am not quite sure whether 'dear Clara' would not have landed me, had I not fled quite beyond sight of the flies she threw. Confound it all! I missed that fellow—all Clara's fault. Try it again, my finny friend."

(To be Continued.

KNEW WHEN TO QUIT.

"I think I may be excused for a little show of pride in saying that I knew when to quit Wall street," he observed as an elevated train carried them over the great thoroughfare.

"So you used to speculate, eh?"

"Yes, I was on the street for seven years."

"Made your pile, I suppose?"

"Yes, I made and lost money the same as the rest. At one time I could draw my check for $98,000, and that isn't so bad for a man who went into Wall street with only forty dollars in his pocket."

"and you knew when to quit?"

"Yes, sir."

"That was when—when?"

"That was when I had enough left to pay my fare to Elmira and hire a boy to carry my satchel up to my father-in-law's house," was the quiet reply.

SINGLE VS. MARRIED SOLDIERS.

It has long been a mooted point whether single or married men make the best soldiers.

Some maintain that the lack of wife and family tends to make a man more reckless of his life—therefore a good soldier.

Others say that the married man is almost a veteran when he enters the ranks, being inured to combat—therefore a good soldier.

In the recent Tunisian campaign a colonel was questioned upon this.

"Both are right," said he. "Look yonder—do you see that battalion of happy, devil-may-care fellows! They are all single men, and they would take their lives in their hands. But look again—do you see those taciturn, sombre, gloomy looking men there? They are all married, and in a hand to hand fight they are terrors."

"What is the name of the battalion?" asked the inquirer.

They are called," said the colonel, gravely, "the Children of Despair."

NO HOSPITAL NEEDED.—No palatial hospital needed for Hop Bitters patients, nor large salaried talented puffers to tell what Hop Bitters will do or cure, as they tell their own story by their certain and absolute cures at home.—*New York Independent.*

HE REALIZED HIS DANGER.

"Jim Webster, did you hear Parson Blodso say in his sermon last Sunday whar de chicken thieves were gwine to spend dar vacation after dey had shuck demselfs ob dis fleshy tabernacle?" asked Uncle Mose.

"I did hear dat ar sermon, and I was mightily impressed wid it."

"Yeer don't realize de troof cb it, Jim"

"Yes I does realize it, Uncle Mose. I realize it so much dat I has made up my mind to quit stealing chickens rest in peace and turn all my 'tentions to turkeys and ducks."

JULY.

During this month summer complaints commence their ravages. To be forewarned is to be forearmed. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best known preventative and cure for all forms of bowel complaints and sickness incident to the summer season.

FUNNY SCENE ON AN ACCOMMODATION TRAIN.

A very amusing incident occured on a Fort Wayne railway lately. Just before one of the accommodation trains pulled out from the Federal station, a well-dressed and very respectable looking individual, slightely the worse of a little "tam," entered the car, and approaching a lady who was occupying part of a seat, and said:—

"Madam, is th (hic) is seat taken?"

The lady very pleasantly answered, "No sir."

"Madam, may I (hic) sit down?"

"Yes, sir, you may."

The boosy individual took a seat, and in a few moments the train started. He sat seemingly contented and happy for a few minutes. All at once he threw his arms about his fellow traveller, and kissed her vehemently several times.

Several passengers in the crowded car at this relaxed their features. The fellow kept up his loving method of procedure and the lady appeared to be resitting him as best she could. Finally a number of the most determined of the passengers made a simultaneous bounce for the bossy man. One individual raised a window and it looked as if the fellow was going to hunt terra firma, when he suddenly seemed to take in the situation.

"What doos yi (hic) yon fellows want?"

The only answer was a more determined effort to lift the speaker from his place. Then the other occupant of the seat turned and took part in the conversation—

"Gentlemen," she said, "this is my husband."

"Oh—"

The man and his wife had entered the car before any of the other passengers, and he had gone out for refreshments. When he returned, feeling very humorous, he addressed his partener in such a tone that everybody could hear him, as though she was a stranger, and that's what fooled them.

NATURE MAKES NO MISTAKES.

Nature's own remedy for bowel complaints, cholera morbus, cholic, cramps, vomiting, sea sickness, cholera infantum, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all diseases of a like nature belonging to the summer season, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which can be obtained of all dealers in medicine.

THE DEVIL'S CRADLE.

In a church not far north of Aberdeen one of the members was in the habit of sleeping every Sabbath during the sermon. One day, however, the quietness and gravity of the church were upset by the sleeper losing his equilibrium and falling right on his head in the passage. The minister, who was a plain spoken old man, stopped short in his sermon, "John, ye've got money a soun' sleep in the devil's cradle, but he has fairly cupit ou ye the day."

AUGUST

The summer season now reaches its climax, and is prolific in developing bowel complaints. Over-indulgence in fruit, immoderate drinking of iced waters and summer beverages, in a few hours proved fatal ravages among children and adults. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the most reliable remedy for all forms of summer complaints. Safe, pleasant and prompt in its effects. All dealers keep it.

HOW ENGLISH WOMEN SHOOT.

Lady Florence Dixie, who, when last heard of, was in the camp at Bennett's Drift, camping out, and cooking her own rations with the help of Sir Beaumont, has re-established the somewhat damaged reputation of her country men for shooting. There was a Dutch Boer one of the four told off to guard the Boer leaders attending the Royal Commission. This Boer talked very big about his shooting powers and very small about those of the English. Lady Florence challenged him, therefore, to a trial of skill. The match was arranged. The Boer shot with a Martini Henri rifle, Lady Florence with a Winchester, at bottles placed at a distance of 100 yards. To the delight of all the onlookers, Lady Florence hit her bottles one after the other as if they were elephants, and the Boer went away signally defeated and with the conviction that if all Englishmen can't shoot, some Englishwomen can.

Do you feel miserable, tired, half-sick, no appetite and out of sorts generally? Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters is just the medicine you want, a few doses will at once relieve you. Go to your Druggist and get a bottle, price 50 cents. At A. TURNER & Co. Special agents Markdale.

HE TOOK HIS PAY IN KISSES.

The following "good one" is told at the expense of a dentist, located not far from Ovid, N. Y. A young lady while under the influence of an anesthetic had four teeth extracted. As she was a very handsome "subject" the dentist, who was an unmarried man, could not resist the temptation, of stealing a kiss for every tooth he extracted. The young lady was not so much under the influence, however as he thought, and decided to be even, with him, and so on arising from the chair she said she had forgotten her purse, but would send the amount, two dollars, the next day by a friend. The following day the friend went to the office and presented the dentist with a bill from his fair customer, in which she gave him credit for extracting four teeth, two dollars, and charged one dollar each for the four kisses, and added; "Please remit the balance, two dollars." He paid the bill.—*Ithaca Journal.*

ARE YOU GOING TO TRAVEL?

Don't forget a supply of that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry; It is a superior remedy for sea sickness, and a positive cure for all bowel complaints induced by bad water, change of diet, or of climate. Whether at home or abroad, it should be kept at hand in case of emergency.

LAST WORDS.

However physiologists may question the importance of the feeble utterance of the dying, it is certain that mankind in general find a deep significane in the last words of those who are vanishing into the unknown life.

"He raves!" said the physician, when Dr. Adams, rector of fhe high school at Edinburgh, was passing away; but, as we catch the last words of the raving, our own eyes are dimmed: "It grows dark, boys," stretching forth his hand; "you may go."

"All my possessions for a moment of time!" moaned Queen Elizabeth.

Wesley, calmer, said as he died, "The best of it all is, God is with us."

And deaf Beethoven, whose soul had ever been filled with harmony, exclaimed gladly, at the last, "I shall hear."

"Is your mind at ease?" Goldsmith was asked by his physicians. "No, it is not," was the mornful repily, and he spoke no more.

How different the parting words of Dr. Wm. Hunter: "If I had strength to hold a pen, I would write how easy and pleasant a thing it is to die."

Or the assurance of President Edwards, as his dying grasp loosened on hard forms of dogma; "Trust in God and you need not fear."

Byron said, wearily, "I must sleep now." Goethe, turning to his wife, called for "Light, more light." Dr. Johnson died in a tumult of uneasiness and bread. Cowper sank to rest as peacefully as a child. "I am taking a fearful leap in the dark," cried Hobbes, the deist. "Now, Lord, Lord, received my soul!" whispered Herbert on his last "sweet day."

Politeness was no longer a ruling passion, but a chrism, when Chesterfield in dying, said, "Give Dayrolles a chair." And surely something was forgiven of Charles the Second when he bade farwell to earths pomp and wickedness in "Don't let poor Nellie starve."

Haller's last words were, feeling his own pulse, "The artery ceases to beat." Petrarch died suddenly and silently in his library, his hand upon a book, and Sis Isaac Newton was winding his watch when he was ushered into the life that hath no end.

Talma, the great actor, exclaimed pitifully as he went, "The worst of all is, I cannot see." John Locke murmured, "Oh, the depth of the riches of the goodness and knowledge of God." The dying admonition of the learned Grotious to his race, was, "Be serious." Scarron, the French wit, said faintly to his weeping friends, "Ah! mes enfants, you cannot cry as much for me as I have made you laugh in my time;" and Lord Thurlow, in reckless wonder, exclaimed, "I'm shot if I don't believe I'm dying!"

When poor Robert Burns gasped with his last breath, "Don't let the awkward squad fire over me!" he did not allude to his commentators and critics, yet what a significance the words should have for them! And how little Annie Boleyn thought, when, awaiting the executioner, she clasped her fair throat, that "It is but small, very small," would link her forever to the heart of Christendom.

Yes, we cannot doubt that many of the most eloquent sermons mankind has ever listened to have fallen from dying lips. Cæsar grieved "And thou Brutus!" John Quincy Adams' "This is the last of earth;" Mirabeau's frantic-cry for "Music," after his life of discord; George Washington's "It is well"—do they not grow richer in meaning every day? And is it not still blessed to remember the last moments of Melanchon, the friend of Luther? "Do you want anything?" asked his loved one, eagerly. "Nothing but heaven," he answered, gently, and went smiling on his way.—*Hearth and Home.*

The main line of the Pacific railway west of Winnepeg is being built at the rate of nearly two miles a day.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE— Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto, —Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

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NOTICE,

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Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmer's Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little One "	1.50

WILFORD'S LITERARY MICROCOSM.

We have received the first number of Wilford's Literary Microcosm, a monthly journal started in the interests of Science and Religion; launched mainly to oppose the materialistic theories propounded by Darwin, Huxley, Tyndall, &c. This first number shows vigor of thought and expression, that will no doubt command the attention of the quarter of a million of readers to whom it has been addressed. It is just the kind of a paper that is wanted at the present time, as may be judged from a slight consideration of some of its leading articles "The immortality of the soul, can it be proved by science?" "Scientific Follies;" "Doubts;" "The Bible and Immortality;" Scientists and the wave theory of Sound," &c. It is edited by A. Wilford Hall, author of the "Problem of Human Life," a very remarkable book on the Christian side of the materialistic controversy now raging. We would advise all readers of scientific works to procure this paper. It can be clubbed with the STANDARD and obtained at even a less cost than it is sold singly to subscribers.

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION.

Following is the result of the entrance examination to the Owen Sound High School. There were 90 candidates, of which 35 were provisionally admitted, 6 recommended and 49 rejected. Those marked with a * are only admitted on recommendation, and may yet be rejected. Highest number of marks obtainable, 560.

Beatty, Isabella, 312.
Clark, Jennie, 293.
Creasor, Annie Maud, 315.
Davis, Zilla Euphemia, 364.
Delong, Clara Margaret, 383.
Greenfield, Eliza, 280.
Grier, Winnifred, 306.
Lewis, Minnie, 288.
*Middleborough, Maggie, 266.
*McGill, Catherine Octavia, 269.
Norton, Emma, 301.
Notter, Dorothea, 286.
Pearce, Daisy, 375.
Power, Victoria, 289.
Vandusen, Edith, 311.
Breese, William, 269,
Carson, James Henry, 323.
*Corbet, Robert Andrew, 271.
Freeborn, Robert J., 324.
Henry, Charles F., 316.
Hill, Richard, 274.
Julien, Louis Frances Raymond, 326.
Kelso, Henry, 314.
Keogh, William, 320.
Lunn, Frederick Charles, 325.
Malcolm, John, 307.
Miller, Erastus Scott, 377.
Miller, George A., 353.
Miller, William Harrison, 317.
*McBride, James, 278.
McClean, Frederick William, 298.
McCullough, John W., 294.
McEwen, Robert J., 284.
McGregor, Archibald, 341.
McLean, William John, 343.
Notter, Charles, 293.
Pearce, Frederick W., 349.
Pridham, Alfred, 345.
Robertson, Hector, 324.
*Stewart, John H., 269.
Stinson, Joseph Orr, 286.
—O. S. Tribune.

FLESHERTON.

From our own Correspondent.

Harvest is fully commenced here, but laborers are very scarce at any wages.

A splendid rain West of here on Saturday, Sunday it rained to the East of us, and on Monday at 2 p.m., Flesherton was visited with such a downpour that the water ran in streams through the streets and formed miniature lakes in low places.

The C. M. Sabbath School held their annual Pic-nic to-day, August 2nd and had a fair gathering in the Beaver Meddow. As the day was fine, they had a very enjoyable time. The procession started from the Church with the usual number of flags.

THAT FLESHERTON CORRESPONDENT AGAIN.—For the satisfaction of your numerous readers I would say, that your correspondent is not a bitter enemy to the Reeve or to any of the Council and have nothing to say to them individually, but in the capacity of Councillors only, and I am in earnest on the road question and not "for fun," as the *Advance* has it, and as the question is being discussed apart from the excitement of Election times, the *Advance* and not be decieved, for the ratepayers are watching the discussion with the utmost interest and it will have its weight. If I were "Ratepayer," I would let some one else blow the trumpet for the Council.

ROCKLYN.

From a Correspondent.

The crops in this section are looking splendid, in fact never looked better even in the memory of the "oldest inhabitant."

SMART.—One of our Township Collectors hurried up and collected all the taxes in good time, but took the loan of about $140; no interest to pay, you know, but the borrower; but the Council had to go to the bank. Querry.—Did they get the money without interest?

LITTLE CURRENT.

(From a Correspondent.)

OUR Island is believed by those who have never seen it to be a desert. Well, remember there is a fertile spot in every desert. The past two years have been very unfavorable to the farmers of Manitoulin. But judging from present appearances, crops will be good this year. The season so far has been very favorable.

The haying has fairly commenced, and we believe that in our locality double the quantity has been grown.

Near Pike Lake great quantities of coal oil is believed to exist, and steps are being taken to test the region by boring. One thing is certain, the earth below the surface is well soaked with crude oil. Experts say that it is of a better quality than Pennsylvania oil. The proprietor dug down ten feet and about a gallon of crude oil gathered on the water at the bottom. The owner will send specimens to any one who wishes to have a sample.

There is lots of paint in Green Bay which mixes with oil, and it is said to be brown umber. This may some day prove a source of wealth.

On Friday last our village was visited by the Marquis of Lorne. He was very plainly dressed. He expressed himself as being highly pleased with the Georgian Bay scenery. He rejoiced in the fact that Manitoulin was progressing very favorably. He was elated at the loyal manner in which he was received, and the love held by the people for Queen and Country. He visited Chief Negobo in his camp accompanied by the Rev. R. Hill, and took leave about 12 at night. As a speaker he would not take the laurel; however, he left a very favorable impression with our people, and the the Indians are well pleased with the presents of pork and flour. The hearty wish of our people is "God Save the Queen, and Bless the Campbells." Some of our people were so glad of his visit that they did not cease shouting for joy until the "sma' 'ours" had broken in.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.
LITTLE CURRENT, July 25, 1881.

ALONG THE WAY TO McINTYRE.

Harvest is on, and the sound of the reaper may be heard cutting the golden grain. The prospects for a bountiful harvest are excellent. If nothing happens between now and the end of harvest to damage the crops the yield will doubtless be much above an average. There are many signs of prosperity. A number of new buildings have been erected and some now in course of construction, a few of which we notice below, along the 6th line of Osprey. Mr. Thos. Gamey, a brick house. Mr. John Radly, Jr., a barn; Mr. John Radly, Sr., a barn; Mr. W. L. B. Hamlin, a grainhouse; Mr. Richard Maxwell, a dwelling house; Mr. D. K. Preston, a barn. The appearance of the country on the 4th line, at McIntyre's Corners, is far above our expectations—the crops in that section looking even better than they do on this side. There are at the above place a hotel, which is indeed a credit to the place, being large, with good and extensive outbuildings, and kept in a respectable manner by Mr. McLean. A general store by D. C. McFarlane, whom we understand does a very large business, and a brick church, (Presbyterian), which reflects great credit on Rev. Mr. Chisholm, B. A., the minister, and his congregation. We spent a very pleasant evening on Wednesday last in the above church on the occasion of the Ordination and Induction of the above minister, of which we will give full particulars next week.

For a good Seth Thomas Clock go to Wilcox the Jeweller.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Some weeks ago I promised to send you a few thoughts on our Congregational Worship.

In all ages worship has been a leading feature in our Constitution, both privately and publicly. It would seem that man must have something to worship—some object that he can adore. From the earliest time this has been the case. The children in our Sabbath schools can tell how that nearly four thousand years ago, Laban pursued after Jacob, his son in-law, because Rachael had stolen his household gods, and how the children of Israel, their wives, their sons, and their daughters took the rings out of their ears and gave them to Aaron to make a calf, that they might worship it. Indeed the command, the very first in order, given by God through Moses to his own Israel, "Thou shalt have no other Gods before me," shows clearly that the people were worshippers, and that worship then was much as it is now, viz: "Idol Worship."

I believe there never was a people who did not worship something or another, and frequently the object of worship is only an imaginary one. Even the Athenians, who were noted for their learning had an altar inscribed "To the Unknown God," and almost universally, people are very zealous in their Idol worship. Sacred and profane history alike attest this fact.

But it is with our worship as Christians at the present day that we are most interested, and when we think of the light, indifferent manner in which this is often gone about in public, we are almost led to cry out "Ichabod!" thy glory is departed.

I do not know how it is, but it seems to me that we are year by year growing more indifferent to the worship of "the Living and True God." The audacious conduct of some, when public worship is going on, is very remarkable. "God is a Spirit, and they that would worship him, *must* worship him in *spirit and in truth.*" When a congregation rises up to praise God by singing an Hymn or a Psalm, or when they kneel down or stand up to pray to the Searcher of hearts, is it always done with that solemn humility and Godly fear which ought to characterize us in all our approaches to a throne of Grace, either in praising the infinite Goodness, Love, and Mercy, that has been our constant attendants, or in supplicating a continuance of the blessings we are daily and hourly receive, both of a spiritual and temporal nature? I fear not; if it was so our "material" surroundings would not occupy so much of our attention, we would not stare so much at others, nor listen so much to others singing or to the tones of a musical instrument, "the work of man's hands," nor be so much taken up adjusting the folds of baby's dress, or looking round to see if others are paying as much attention to our "Pet," (our Idol if you like) as we ourselves are doing. Many, as they rise to praise, seem to look upon it as a pastime; they listen to the voices of others, or the tones of an organ, and seem determined to take as much sensuous pleasure out of it as they can; they seem to have very little of the feeling of David, the sweet singer of Israel, when he said: "I will sing to the Lord as long as I live." "I will sing praise to my God while I have my being." "I will sing of the mercies of the Lord for ever; with my mouth will I make known Thy faithfulness to all generations."

Perhaps many do not know that the singing in our churches is intended for Praise to our Maker. Many of our ministers neglect the good old way of prefacing the reading of the Hymn or Psalm with the injunction, "Let us worship God by singing to *His* praise &c." Too commonly the page or number of the Hymn or Psalm is given and read out without any such preface. I think the use of this preface has a good effect, it is a reminder. We need line upon line, and precept upon precept.

Sometimes the music may be at fault. The choir or leader may sing a tune that is not known to the congregation generally, and sometimes the "time" may be wrong. Very much depends upon the selection of appropriate tunes and singing in suitable time. We are to "sing with the heart," that is, we must express with our lips what we feel in our hearts, and that we may the better do so such tunes ought to be sung that will best help our lips to give expression to the sentiments of our hearts. "Time" should be suited to this end; no choir ought to sing a tune unknown to the worshippers, the whole congregation ought to be the choir, every one ought to sing, and sing his or her best, "making melody unto the Lord." I think it would be well if our musical leaders would select more "minor" tunes than they do. We seldom hear a tune in the "minor key," the tunes in use in all our churches, so far as I can judge, are nearly all "majors." I dare say these are the most popular, and are easier to sing, but they don't stir the soul as "minors" do. It is admitted on all hands that our best tunes are in the "minor key." When a "major" tune is being sung, we naturally feel inclined to beat time with our hands or with our feet; when a "minor" is sung it awakens the emotions of the soul, and our hearts, not our feet, beat in unison. Some may object to "minor" tunes as being too grave and solemn, but the real worshipper will not do so. He likes them because with their assistance he can much better express the feelings of his heart.

There has been a great deal of wrangling as to the most suitable position for the body, when we are engaged in worship. Some people insist on kneeling at prayer, as being the best mode; others prefer standing, and others sitting. In my opinion, it is of very little importance which mode is adopted, if the heart be right. I believe, in the Apostolic Churches, the simplest and most suitable mode would be adopted in this, as well as every thing else. For instance, when our Saviour instituted the supper, it was partaken of in the same way as an ordinary meal. St. Matthew tells us "now when the evening was come, He *sat down* with the Twelve, and *as they were eating*, he took bread and blessed it, and brake it and gave it to his disciples saying, &c." For several centuries after the Apostles had gone to their reward, it was accounted unlawful to kneel on the Lord's day, this posture being reserved for days of fasting and humiliation. This is asserted by Tertullian, and the Council of Nice passed a solemn decree to the same amount, because on that day is celebrated the joyful rememberance of our Lord's resurrection. The posture both of Public Prayer on the Lord's day, and of receiving the communion, was *invariably standing*. In fact kneeling at the the Lord's table was not introduced until Transubstantiation arose, and with Transubstantiation, it ought by Protestants, to have been laid aside. When men began to believe that the sacramental elements were really transmuted into the body and blood of the Redeemer, there was some color of apology, for kneeling and adoring them, but when this error was abandoned, that which had grown out of it ought to have been abandoned also.

After our Saviour instituted the Supper he preached a sermon, the like of which has never been preached since. It begins with the fourteenth chapter of the Gospel according to St. John. And afterwards they sung an Hymn, and the service was over. Here in my opinion we have all that is needed—all that was intended we should have for our example in this respect. On that ever memorable night He looked up to His Father, He blessed and gave thanks; He prayed; He preached a sermon, and the congregation, our Saviour and His Apostles sung an Hymn, and then left the room. Here we have the three elements: Prayer, Preaching, and Praise. If we do likewise we will follow his example. All these additions to this simple mode are innovations of man's invention.

One of the earliest practical errors which gained ground in the Christian community was the adoption of the principle that the *ministers* of religion might lawfully add at *pleasure* to the rites and ceremonies of the church. In consequence of this error, Augustine complained as early as the beginning of the fifth century that for one appointment of God's, ten of man's had crept into the Church, and formed a burden greater in some respects than was the ceremonial economy of the Jews. Our Saviour (Matt. 15-19) repeats the words of Isaiah "But in vain do they worship me teaching for doctrines the commandments of men." We ought to see that our worship is not "in vain." We ought to ask ourselves the question, are we teaching or practising the commandments of men, in our mode of worship, rendering it "vain?" I fear we cannot answer "No." We must say "Yes;" Notably instrumental music; but perhaps more of this at another time.

Your's
M.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I see in your issue of the 15th, that your correspondent "Subscriber" has taken some notice of my communication in the STANDARD two weeks previous. "Subscriber" thinks there is an open sore in our church management. I think very few will doubt this, and the important question is, "How is it to be healed?" It is quite true that much money has been raised and many debts paid off by Popular Public entertainments, but is it right to do so? I hardly think that "the end justifies the means" in this case. We must not "do evil that good may come." I would say to "Subscriber" that in my opinion it is wrong to have debt on our churches, our Parsonages, our Manses, and further it is wrong to promise to pay our minister more than we are rightly able to pay.

If debt places an individual in a false position, if it hinders his usefulness as a neighbor, as a member of the Church, or of society at large. How much worse is it for a body of Christians to be in debt? The evil it may do is incalculable. Paul, in his letter to the Church at Rome, enjoins the members of that church to "owe no man anything," and it would be well for our Redeemer's cause if Christians, individually or collectively, would act upon this injunction. I should like well to have "Subscriber's" views on either increasing our church income or lessening our Church expenditure, so as to keep out of debt. If this can be done, an important point would be gained.

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SIR,—Ratepayer may write under the *alias* of General Jackson, Tom Davis, the Architect, or any thing else, but he is the genuine "Robinson Crusoe" after all, and as the *Advance* has got things mixed up, we might as well after this give the gentleman his own name, as this man would be monarch of all he surveys.

We will direct him to some of his own remarks in his last struggle. He says,—"As if I felt interested in the prosperity of the village." I defy him to find a single line that has a tendency to impede its progress, but quite the reverse. One week later and I would have had the credit of the article the *Advance* brought out on the want of enterprise in the village, and the article that made such a demand for labor. Had that article come from my pen, Crusoe would have set his big fist down on it as he did on the road repairs; but this man Crusoe is a dangerous person to attack or dictate to, he has so many Fridays whom he has charmed with his spittle. But no one lives in a house of his in the village and no shops belong to him, consequently he has no interest in the prosperity of the place, and cares not whether there are any roads to promote commerce either by rail or gravel. It is generally under-tood that he is a land shark; that means low rate of taxation and bad roads.

Because Alderman Dickey did not say to him, "Robinson, this is a splendid island you rule," he kicked overboard Artemesia's best interests a year ago, consequently no broad gauge yet.

Another thing he says,—the grapes are very sour. Now, Mr. Editor, he is barking up the wrong tree. I find it is the correspondent he is after, instead of seeking how the roads may be repaired.

If anyone should know me let that person keep quiet, until I show these *beauties* up to a demonstration.

The *Advance* seems a bit curious also. It would suit both these gentlemen better to turn their attention to the station road. It would be a shame to see a road as soft in December as the road is now. If there are no repairs made this summer, it will be impassible this fall.

Crusoe's definition for the Council is incapable. We will let that stand. As to their acts, they do not act enough. I see that no action was taken in Mr. Nixon's case for injuries to his horse in some broken bridge. I am no prophet, but I foretold that law suit. He will say next that the County Council is to blame, of which he is the head. He denies that he had to bear the shame of listening to the Webster-Elliott motion for a *mandamus* to be issued, but states it was only to see if there was just cause; but he will falsify anything.

The Priceville bride is another case in point. I wonder if Crusoe's lame goat has a nest in it. He says the conclusions are at present, that the County cannot compel the Township to take back the numerous deviations from original road allowances without their consent, and the Township will do no repairs on the deviations because they will not accept the gift. The pathmasters will not do any work on the gravel road at all, because the Township has to see "if there is a just cause for a *mandamus* to be issued," and the gravel road is left to the charity of some man with a load to put stones in the old culverts to enable him to cross. "Legal advice to be consulted." *What next!* He says he knows no better thing to do than that the Reeve and Deputy Reeve seek a small grant for our gravel roads. If they will give us the money to repair the station road, which they built the town hall with, it will do in the mean time until we can choose men from amongst us who will do their duty. He says the Reeve has a settled rule of action, viz:—To promise none of the people's money out of the Council." The Reeve always fiddles on that string. "Call a meeting of the Ratepayers!" Doubtless many of the Ratepayers will remember the large sum of money that was distributed among the several municipalities. A by law was introduced into the Council appropriating a portion of that grant for the purpose of erecting a town hall, subject to a decision of a meeting of the ratepayers. Strange to say everyone took an interest in the matter, and had their say as to where and how the money should be spent. It will be remembered that 99 out of every hundred went dead against the by-law, yet, notwithstanding all this, the Council, laughing in their sleeves, passed their illegal by-law, and built the town hall against the wishes of the people, (worse and more of it), and in last year's audit I see they take credit for building it out of the Township funds. If that $800 is not put on the Station road, where the people wanted it—$500 between Flesherton and the station, and $300 between the station and Priceville—the next thing you will hear of, I will call an indignation meeting and give those honorable men a hoist. The Priceville councillor lost his election the next year through it and has never been in favor since.

The amending of the accumulated interest by-law which I promised to tell you about, Crusoe puts the blame on the Council's Solicitor. Notwithstanding that he was the Chairman of the Finance Committee, and the whole combined wisdom of the County Council, after hearing the by-law read, he saw nothing wrong. Adjourned; came home; all O. K; went to bed; the Council Minutes went to the printing office, and low and behold a grave blunder is discovered by a boy in the office. Before they were warm in bed, they were wired to return next day to rectify the previous day's blunder, at a cost to the County of $200 more or less.

I see, Mr. Editor, that one of your able correspondents gives the cost of the Warden's Adress at $133!—"Ye gods and little fishes" did any ever hear the like in nothingness for so much money. No wonder some of the Councillors thought it could be very readily dispensed with. I may here state that I have more than the Reeve in tow—the Council.

It is hinted that if I go on the Reeve will swoop down on me; I wonder if he will bring Friday along to assist him. He, Crusoe, says he has a very excellent Friday this year. We hope he will do great execution when he goes down to co-operate with Proton on the Town Line. Mark how the Town Lines are looked after.

He says the Township had gradually sunk in debt to the tune of $2,500 when a majority of the present Council were elected; but he omits saying that that year's taxes were not collected until the end of the following January, consequently the Council was not in arrears, and the present Council can claim no credit for the present standing of the Township.

He says, "having abandoned every argument of my last, &c." Now, sir, I do no propose to follow him from Township to County Council; from that to sideroad; from that to Keppel, and back to what he calls "his mare's nest" in the Tyrone Bridge. When he is cornered in one place he flies to another.

YOUR CORRESPONDENT.

DARING ATTEMPT AT BURGLARY.

COUNTY TREASURER'S OFFICE ENTERED.—THE PREMISES SURROUNDED AND THE BURGLAR CALLED ON TO SURRENDER, BUT HE MAKES A BOLD DASH FOR LIBERTY AND ESCAPED!

As our readers are aware, our town has recently been the scene of several burglaries, while unsuccessful attempts, in which the burglars have been scared off before effecting enterance, have been of frequent occurrence. As might be expected, the feeling that we have burglars amongst us has made our citizens take extra precautions; and though it not been generally known, some of our merchants have assumed the *role* of amateur watchmen, in additional to the regular force. Of course in a case of this kind it would defeat their object to have them known, and we withhold names. Notwithstanding these precautions, however, reports of attempts in different parts of the town still continued to alarm our citizens, and it was not till Saturday night, or rather Sunday morning, that the burglar was at last detected in his work and brought to bay. About half-past one on that morning one of the amateur force (a merchant in the grocery line,) was passing up Poulett Street, when his quick ear detected a sound in the establishment of Parker & Co., in the rear part in which the County Treasurer's office is situated, and listening at the keyhole he could distinctly hear a regular sound as of sawing through a door. It would have been madness to attempt to capture the burglar alone, and equally injudicious to make a noise which would alarm and allow him to escape, so he noiselessly posted off to obtain assistance. Fortunately he had only to go to the next corner when he found a constable, and they were soon joined by a number of other citizens, the whole catuiously approached by the middle of the road to avoid noise. It was evident the burglar was taking his work leisurely, for listening at the door they could still detect the sound of sawing; and as there was time, the force, which had now swelled to fifteen or twenty, was dispersed around the building so as to cut off every avenue of escape. Having made sure work for a capture, the member of the firm who sleeps over the shop was awakened, apprised of what was going on below, and got to throw the key down through the window. It was rightly suspected that the burglar, now hearing what was going on, would get behind the door and make a dash the moment it was opened, so preperations were made to recieve him and and the door flung open, when out bound *a big black dog*! The animal had been locked up through mistake, and its panting in the close, warm atmosphere being mistaken for the sound of sawing. The tableau at the supreme moment when the supposed burglar was about to make his dash for liberty ought to be immortalized in the pages of *Grip*. The valient constable, revolver in hand, was ready to pierce the desderado with a bullet if he offered resistance—on either side of the door where a well known watchmaker a caragious grocer and several others undistinguished in the darkness, but the simultaneous click of their pistols distinctly audible as the door swung on its hinges—while a valiant down town druggist had taken up his station in the middle of the road with a shot gun, determined to make sure of the villan if he escaped the crowd at the door; and beside him a hard-ware clerk, for want of a better weapon, was keeping up a fusilade with stones bound to hit somebody before he hesisted. A doctor, with a present ment that somebody was going to be hurt, hovered on the outskirts, to be ready with his service. It is needless to say the canine escaped, but it isn't safe to mention burglar in the presence of any of the valiant crowd who assisted at the attempt continue that morning.

A Union School picnic of Sections Nos. 7 and 12 Proton took place on Tuesday, the 5th inst., and was one of the most successful that was ever held in that district. The pupils, numbering about ninety formed into a procession and marched to the picnic grounds with their colors flying, singing as they went. The grounds were tastefully decorated for the occasion. On their arrival Mr. Campbell was installed as chairman and did justice to the excellent programme which had been prepared. The Egremont choir which was present, did much to enliven the time between recitations, dialogues, etc. An address given by Duncan McMillan, Esq., was well received. After the programme had been disposed of the young ladies prepared tea to which ample justice was done, and the display of good things provided reflects great credit on the ladies of Proton. Swingings, croquet, races etc., afforded much amusement to the large crowd assembled which numbered upwards of three hundred. Several teachers were present amongst whom we noticed Miss Wright of Priceville and Messrs. McDonald, Sharp, Young and McLean of the neighboring sections. At the close of the proceedings a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Campbell for the very able manner in which we had filled the chair, and also a vote of thanks to the choir and to the teachers, Miss Coleridge and Miss Cross. After singing the National Anthem the crowd dispersed to their several homes having enjoyed the best picnic of the season.—*Advertiser.*

REMOVED

I beg to inform my many friends that I have removed into my new premises in Dr. Sproule's Brick Block. Too busy to give particulars this week; but might say I have fresh goods arriving daily, which I will dispose of at lowest living rates for cash.

CALL AND SEE ME.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, August 3rd, 1881.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The only Medicine that successfully purifies the Blood, acts upon the Liver, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, while at the same time it allays Nervous Irritation and strengthens the Debilitated System, perfectly and speedily curing Biliousness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Headache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Nervous and General Debility, Female Complaints, Scrofula, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, and every species of Chronic Disease arising from Disordered Liver, Kidneys, Stomach, Bowels or Blood.

THE BEST BLOOD PURIFYING TONIC IN THE WORLD.

Sample Bottle, 10c. T. MILBURN & CO., SOLE AGENTS, TORONTO. Regular size [illegible]

Mrs. Freeman's Worm Powder is a safe, sure and effectual destroyer of worms in children or adults. Price 25 cents or 5 for $1.

Mrs. Freeman's New Domestic Dyes are perfect in every color. For brilliancy and durability they have no equal. Price 15 cents per package.

THE Presbytry of Saugeen will meet in Dufferin Hall, Markdale, on Tuesday, 16th inst., for the ordination and induction of Rev. Mr. Wilson into the pastoral charge of the Markdale and Flesherton congregation Services will commence at 2 o'clock p.m., and it is hoped that those who have never had an opportunity of witnessing this solemn service, whether Presbyterians or others, will be present on this occasion. We understand it is the intention of our Presbyterian friends to have a soiree on the evening of the induction service to allow the young folks an hour's pleasant recreation.

ENGLISH CHURCH.—This new church was lit up on Tuesday evening with gasoline for the first time. It is a very fine edifice, and does honor to the members and is a credit to the town. It is to be opened on Sunday next. Services will be held that day, and a confirmation service will be held in the evening. The fine reed organ which was in the old church has been removed to the new one, where it finds a fitting place, and will sound to advantage in its new position.—The old bell is to be used in the mean time, until such time as the congregation is able to purchase a set of chimes. We congratulate the members of the congregation on having so fine a building to worship in.—*O. S. Tribune.*

ENCOUNTERED A BEAR.—While returning from Tara on Saturday night, Mr. Donald Sinclair had a very exciting experience with his team and a bear. His bearship was sitting beside the road through Sullivan swamp, and as soon as the horses noticed the brute they became very much alarmed, and commenced to rear and plunge in a terrific manner. Mr. Sinclair, however, managed to maintain control over them, and succeeded in getting past the bear, which never stirred from its position. Mrs. Sinclair and a child were in the rig, and were very much frightened. In the language of our informant, "bears are as thick in the Sullivan swamp as hair on a dog."—*Tara Leader.*

SERIOUS RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.—On Saturday last as Mr. Thos. McComb of Glenelg was driving a load of shingles down the hill just East of this Town, known as Watson's Hill, the shingles moved, causing Mr. McComb to fall off between the horses, one of them kicking him and fracturing his leg, and a bunch of shingles falling off the load on the horses back caused them to run away, scattering the shingles along the road, and leaving the unfortunate driver helpless on the road. The horses were stopped after going over half a mile, and Mr. McComb taken to his mother's near by, and on Sunday evening he was taken home. His injuries are of a serious character, but it is hoped he will soon recover.—*Review.*

BIRTHS.

ROWE.—At Vandeleur, on the 16th ult., the wife of Mr. John Rowe, of a daughter.

LITTLEJOHNS.—In Artemesia, on the 30th ult., the wife of William Littlejohns, of a daughter.

SHOP TO RENT.

THAT large and commodious brick building, (two storeys), adjoining Mr. Benson's grocery store, suitable for any business can be had on reasonable terms, either by the month or for a term of years. For terms, &c., apply to

W. BENSON, Markdale.
August 4th, 1881. 47-tf.

New Boot and Shoe Shop.

THE subscribers beg to inform the public generally that they have opened a shoe shop in the premises lately occupied by D. McLeod, on Mill street, where they are prepared to take orders for all kinds of work in their line. Repairing done promptly.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

As we do a strictly cash business we can afford to work at bottom prices. A call respectfully solicited.

W. McLEOD & CO.
Markdale, Aug. 4th, 1881. 4t.

Voters' List, 1881

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF PROTON, CO. OF GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the third and fourth sections of "The Voters' List Act," the copies required by said sections to be so transmitted or delivered of the list, made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at Municipal elections, and that said list was first posted up at my Office, at Proton, on the twenty-third day of July, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, and remains there for inspection. Electors are called upon to examine the said list, if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated at my office, at Proton, Lot 19, Con. 9. 27th July, 1881.

JOHN VERT,
Clerk of Tp. of Proton.

WANTED.

A SMART, STOUT BOY, [illegible] or 16 years old, to learn the [illegible] business. [illegible]

Markdale, Aug. [illegible]

Voters' List, 18[illegible]

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FOR HORSE POWERS [illegible] —AND— DUSTLESS Grain Saving Separators GO TO THE Durham Foundry [illegible] Steam Power [illegible] quired. A. COCHRANE. Durham, July 28, 1881.

JOHNSON, CLARK [illegible]
July 7th, 1881.

R. M. Galbraith
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL Agent, Williamsford Station. Sales attended in all parts of [illegible] Goods sold on Commission. [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines, Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery [illegible] on sale. A few choice farms for sale [illegible] Money to loan at bottom rates. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

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Shortly. In the mea[illegible]

THE STANDARD.

Friday, August 5th, 1881.

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BUSINESS quiet.

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The Doctors will be apt to have their rest broken these nights apples are getting to be of a very good size, and the small boy is after them.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

The health of the President is favorable towards complete recovery, the physicians now state that they think he is out of danger.

McIntyre says he is too busy to write out full particulars, but wishes his friends to remember that he has removed to his new premises. See advertisement in another column.

WALLACE Ross has challenged Hanlan to a contest for the championship of the world and $2,000. Hanlan must now accept the challenge or forfeit his title.

WE learn from the *O. S. Advertiser*, that a bear was shot on the farm of Andrew Garvey, 9th con., Township of Derby by Peter Rogers and Andrew Smith, one day last week.

We would draw attention to Mr. Cochrane's advertisement, in another column, of Horse Powers, Dustless Grain Separators, &c., The Durham Foundry is noted for turning out first class work.

GLENELG Agriculture Fall Show will be held on Wednesday, the 5th October instead of the 4th, as Euphrasia hold theirs on the latter date.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

EAST Grey and Township of Artemesia Union Fall Exhibition will be held in the village of Flesherton, on Thursday and Friday, October 6th and [illegible]

THE Rev. J. S. Corcoran, Primitive Minister, will preach on Sabbath next (Aug. 7) in the Orange Hall, Markdale, at [illegible] o'clock p.m., from Luke 15 28: "He was angry, and would not go in." The general public are kindly invited.

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[Ne]w advertisement for Medical Hall [this] week. Mr. Turner says he has just what you want in his line and of the best quality, and invites inspection.

About a week since, in a certain [illegible] not 1000 miles from Markdale, [while] the head of the family has been [absen]t for some time, a gentleman [was] dining, and was asked to say [grace], which he did in a very proper [manner]. This being done, he asked [the you]ng lady at the table what part of [the fow]l she preferred. She said she [would] take a piece of the blessing. [QU]ERY.—Was the young lady's [mind] on the fowl or the blessing?

[Mr.] Brown is offering some big [barga]ins in Boots & Shoes, at the To[ronto] House. Don't fail to read his [adver]tisement.

[BE]ARS.—While Mr. Thos. Morrow, was picking raspberries on Mon[day l]ast, on his farm in Glenelg, 2½ [miles] from Markdale, his dog started [thr]ee bears within four rods of [where] he was standing. The bears [turne]d on the dog two or three times [and] finally disappeared.

[If] you want a good pair of boots go [to Gr]ay & Thomas, the only place in [town] where you can get a good article. [Ad]vertisement next week.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

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The health of the President is favorable towards complete recovery, the physicians now state that they think he is out of danger.

McIntyre says he is too busy to write out full particulars, but wishes his friends to remember that he has removed to his new premises. See advertisement in another column.

Wallace Ross has challenged Hanlan to a contest for the championship of the world and $2,000. Hanlan must now accept the challenge or forfeit his title.

We learn from the *O. S. Advertiser*, that a bear was shot on the farm of Andrew Garvey, 9th con., Township of Derby by Peter Rogers and Andrew Smith, one day last week.

We would draw attention to Mr. Cochrane's advertisement, in another column, of Horse Powers, Dustless grain Separators, &c., The Durham Foundry is noted for turning out first class work.

Glenelg Agriculture Fall Show will be held on Wednesday, the 5th October instead of the 4th, as Euphrasia hold theirs on the latter date.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

East Grey and Township of Artemesia Union Fall Exhibition will be held in the village of Flesherton, on Thursday and Friday, October 6th and 7th.

The Rev. J. S. Corcoran, Primitive Minister, will preach on Sabbath next (Aug. 7) in the Orange Hall, Markdale, at 3 o'clock p.m., from Luke 15 28: "He was angry, and would not go in." The general public are kindly invited.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

Persons desirous of obtaining a good milch cow or a yoke of young cattle should not fail to attend the Auction Sale at S. McCullough's Hotel, Dundalk, on the 9th inst. Several yoke of cattle, and 8 cows in calf, the property of Robert Gordon, Esq., of Osprey, will then bo offered for sale by Wm. W. Morrow, County Auctioneer. Three months' credit will be given on joint notes, or ten per cent off for cash.

New advertisement for Medical Hall this week. Mr. Turner says he has got just what you want in his line and that of the best quality, and invites an inspection.

About a week since, in a certain house not 1000 miles from Markdale, where the head of the family has been absent for some time, a gentleman was dining, and was asked to say grace, which he did in a very proper manner. This being done, he asked a young lady at the table what part of the fowl she preferred. She said she would take a piece of the blessing.

Query.—Was the young lady's mind on the fowl or the blessing?

Wm. Brown is offering some big bargains in Boots & Shoes, at the Toronto House. Don't fail to read his advertisement.

Bears.—While Mr. Thos. Morrow, [illegible] was picking raspberries on Monday last, on his farm in Glenelg, 2½ miles from Markdale, his dog started three bears within four rods of where he was standing. The bears turned on the dog two or three times and finally disappeared.

If you want a good pair of boots go to Kay & Thomas, the only place in town where you can get a good article. See advertisement next week.

Accident.—On Tuesday last, as a son of Mr. Andrew Nesbit, was driving out one of their horses, it kicked him in the face, breaking the upper part of his nose, and laying open the frontal sinews. The forehead is badly cut and the outer table of the skull fractured. Dr. Sproule was sent for and dressed the wounds. He thinks he will recover, but says the face will be considerably disfigured.

A leading Druggist in the west says "I have sold more of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters in four months than any other medicine I ever handled. It seems to please every time." For sale by A. Turner & Co.

On Monday, 1st inst., as a Mrs. Fraxer, of the township of Derby, was going into Owen Sound in a neighbor's waggon, and when approaching Cemetry hill, the horses became unmanagable and ran down the hill, throwing her out, breaking both arms and injuring her otherwise very seriously. She was conveyed to the City hotel as soon as possible, and Dr. Land sent for. It was found necessary to amputate one arm. Her recovery is very doubtful.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

A Garden Party will be held at the Methodist Parsonage on Monday evening next 8th inst., commencing at 5.30. Admission 15 cents, Refreshments will be served without extra charge. Ice Cream & Lemonade may be obtained by payment of additional charge. The Lawn will be brilliantly lighted with Chinese and other Lanterns. All Welcome.

The Flesherton paper has an article in its last issue accusing a certain 'Printer' of dishonesty because he offered to print the ballot papers for the Township of Euphrasia at what he, the *Advance* man, considered too low a price. We would ask, which was the most dishonest, the man who was willing to do printing at fair remunerative rates, or the man who charged a certain township $18, for what could have been got for $10, or $12 at the most in any other office in the County, and has his little account reduced $6, for his trouble.

More Fraud.—In our issue of the 7th ult., we published an account of a bold attempt at fraud by a Lightening Rod Agent in the Township of Holland We now learn that a more successful attempt has been made by perhaps the same gent on an easier dupe in said township on the Toronto and Sydenham road, to the tune of some $180. We have been favored with the card left by the said Gentleman with the intended dupe No. 1., Mr. Joseph O'Hara, Massie, P. O. The probability is that the same person is the confidence man in each case. The Globe Lightning Rod Co. London, being the parties who have that agent on the road, should see to that no more of such proceedings are carried on in their name. The probability is that this person can now be hunted up, as Mr. O'Hara informed us he can identify him. When will the Country people learn to show such oily tongued gentry the door promply—*O. S. Tribune.*

In the hot months of July and August the blood should be kept pure and cool, with an occasional dose of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Consitpation Bitters a worthy family medicine. In large 8 once bottles, 50 cents, at Turners & Co.

A Bear Scare.—One of our local bear hunters had a rather vexatious experience on Tuesday evening. A berry party was organized and proceeded to Barford's grove on the afternoon of that day. Everything went on satisfactorily; the berries were splendid—ripe and pleantiful. The party stayed till near dark; and then their departure was very precipitate. One of the party discovered a large black (as she thought) bear coming towards them. The alarm was immediately given, and a general stampede for home was the order. Their tale was soon told, and Mr. Gark got down his rifle and started in quest of bruin, accompanied by several juveniles. On reaching the spot indicated, the sportsmen was rejoiced to see the bushes moving and hearing his bearship. He waited around in hopes of getting a good shot. Presently a small pig came grunting along between him and his prey. He felt sure of the bear now, as he thought it would certainly come out to attack the porker. His expectations were realized. In a very few moments he heard the brute tearing through the brush toward the pig. He braced himself against a stump and got his rifle into position. The pig displayed no alarm, and stood still until its—mother, a large black sow, the property of Mr. Berford, came up to it.—*Leader.*

Any quantity of empty bottles and flasks wanted, at Benson's, for which the highest price will be paid.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	0.45	"	0.55
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.06	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.35
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 75	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, June 9th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.08
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.30
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 99c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.oo; hides $7.oo; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.oo to 7.5o; wool 25c to 28c; lard 1oc; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 20	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 23
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 oo
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 oo
Chickens, per pair	o 35	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 0o
Ducks, per brace	0o	to	0 0o
Geese, each	00	to	0 0o
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 oo	to	2 50
Potatoes. per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 0o
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 12, Euphrasia, on Town-line Euphrasia and Holland, on or about the 28th of May, Four Ewes and Four Lambs. Three of the Ewes are white and one grey—Lambs are all white. The Ewes are marked on the right shoulder with tar, and one Lamb has a black spot on its hind leg. Any person who will give such information as will lead to their recovery, will be suitably rewarded.

ADAM HOLBERT.

Harkaway, June 29, 1881. 42-3 in.*

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20 ly

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A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured, Sufferers wishing [illegible] the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

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Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

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Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th. 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 1o;3o a. m.; 28th, 6.3o p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:3o p. m.; 12th, 1o:3o a. m.; 19th, 1o:3o a. m.; 27th, 6:3o p. m, Sabbath School, 2:3o p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

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Services every Sabbath at 1o:3o a. m., and 6:3o p. m. Sabbath School at 2:3o p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:3o. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

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Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 1o:3o a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

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Services in Dufferin Hall every Sabbath at 6.30 a. m. Sabbath School at 2:3o p.m. Prayer Meeting at 6:3o p. m. Bible Class on Fridays at 7:3o p. m.

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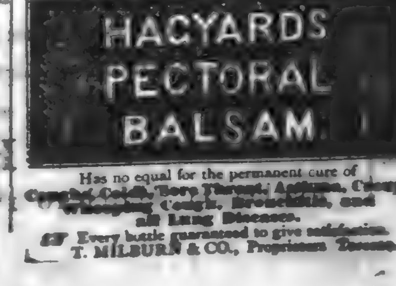

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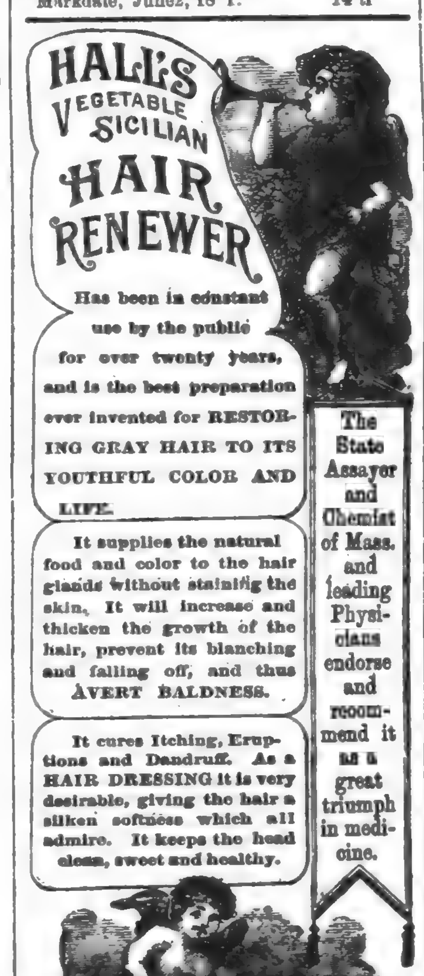

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TAILOR,

Sydenham Street,

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Markdale, August, 3rd, 1881.

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1. Thou shalt insure thy real and personal estate and all that thou hast against fire, for—

Defending thyself from misfortune until old age;
Thy happiness shall equal thy wisdom.

2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst not make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acquire,
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance; for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of wine thou drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thirst thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shall be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not have been paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy insurance thou will be poorer than a church rat.

If thou fallest into poverty
People will care but little for thee.

10. Thou shalt do all thy insurance with **Robert Davis**, the Conveyancer and Land and Insurance Agent at Flesherton, for—

He represents only the best companies, and
He guards well his patrons' interests.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Real Estate, Loan, and Estate Agent, Flesherton. Branch office, Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, every Thursday.

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 26-tf

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CAUGHT AT LAST.

A CANADIAN MURDERER ARRESTED AT EAST SAGINAW.

Evening News' Special of Saturday.

East Saginaw, July 23.—On the 27th of June, 1870, a logging-bee was held in Mulmur township, Simcoe Co. Ont. On the evening of that day some young men engaged in jumping, and a quarrel ensued. A quiet, inoffensive man, named Jno. Bangman, endeavored to quiet the trouble between two of the young men, when he was struck on the head with a sled roller, in the hands of Henery McCormick, fractured his skull, from which death resulted on the following day. McCormick fled the country, and not a word was heard of him until three weeks ago, when J. Murphy, a Government detective at Toronto, learned that McCormick was in the vicinity of East Saginaw. He came here on Tuesday, and yesterday, accompanied by Officer Summerfield of this city, proceeded to Coleman, which is some 40 miles east of here, on the Flint and Pere Marquette road, and found McCormick, on a farm about two miles from Coleman. They arrested him, and brought him to this city; and he is now in the county gaol awaiting the necessary extradition papers to be obtained. McCormick has lived for 8 years in this vicinity, and has a family of eight children.

A Great Enterprise.—The Hop Bitters Manufacturing Company is one of Rochester's greatest business enterprises. Their Hop Bitters have reached a sale beyond all precedent, having from their intrinsic value found their way into almost every household in the land.—*Graphic.*

A NEW SWINDLE.

The ingenuity of swindling is inexhaustible. It would seem as though their devices were almost as numerous as the people. No sooner is one scheme exposed than another, quite as well calculated to deceive, is put in operation. A new scheme is now being worked among the farmers in this neighborhood. The impostor is a young man of about 20, and he has been swindling the unwary under the pretense of plating silver ware with a liquid preparation which he carries with him. Many people who are generally regarded as well posted, have been mulcted in considerable sums of money by the swindler. His plan of work is to stop at a house and offer to do plating at a very reasonable figure. Should the head of the house exhibit any hesitancy his suspicions are allayed by the stranger platting one spoon, which has the appearance of being all right. In most all cases his work takes and he is allowed to do considerable plating for which he receives his pay. But before he departs admonishes the family to permit no one to touch the ware plated until some hours have elapsed and it has time to harden. By this means he manages to get a good distance from the scene of his triumphs. When the time comes for examining the plating on the spoons or silverware, we are informed that it not only comes off on the first using but the metal in the spoons or other ware is made brittle by the plating operation, and generally ruined.—*Exchange.*

Dr. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY.

Cures summer complaints, diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, sour stomach, colic, nausea, vomiting, canker, piles and all manner of fluxes.

LOGICAL SEQUENCES.

There is nothing like having a logical mind. When an eccentric old gentleman hired a new servant his first question was, 'My man, do you understand sequences? 'I don't know, sir, but if you will explain I will do my best replied the serving man. 'What I mean, is this,' continued the the aged philosopher, when I want you to lay the cloth you ought to know enough to put on the table knives and forks and everything else that is necessary. That is sequence.' All went well for a while, and the logical faculty of the servant became wonderfully developed. He could reach a conculsion from a mere hint, and as for an inference, he could draw one from a look or sign or a gesture. One day the old gentleman fell sick and sent his man for a nurse. He was gone a long time, but at length returned with half a dozen men at his heels. 'What does it all mean?' cried the enraged sick man. 'Why,' replied the newly fledged logician, 'when you sent me for a nurse I knew the sequence of an apothecary; the sequence of an apothecary is a physician; and I haven't kept my eyes open for more than forty years without knowing that the sequence of a doctor is an undertaker; and so, Your Honor, they are all of them below stairs, waiting for your orders.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Cures scrofula, erysipelas, salt rheum, piles and all humors of the blood. Cures dyspepsia, liver complaint, biliousness, constipation, dropsy, kidney complaints, headache, nervousness, female weakness and general debility.

WONDERFUL TESTS

HOW PEOPLE CAN BREATHE AND LIVE IN NOXIOUS GASES.

Mr. Fleuss has recently given at Portsmouth, before officers of the admiralty, an exhibition of his new diving dress and apperatus for enabling persons to live and work in noxious gases. A diving dress and helmet are only used by Mr. Fleuss for the sake of warmth and personal comfort when below the water, neither being in any way necessary to breathe. He carries below with him the raw material of life in the shape of concentrated oxygen, contained in a small reservoir or tank which he slings over his shoulder like a napsack. At every respiration he draws from his stock by means of a tube and mouthpiece; the exhaled gas, after being strained through a sponge saturated with caustic soda, returns to replenish the tank, the impure ingredients alone being permitted to escape. In this way the diver can remain under water three or four hours and can penetrate into situations which are impossible to the ordinary diver, who is compelled to drag a lengthing pipe at every step, and is always liable to the danger of getting entangled with the means which supply him with air. Mr. Fleuss descended into the stream basin, which he traversed from end to end without experiencing any difficulty, either as regards locomotion or breathing. On the following day he demonstrated his ability to work in smoke and poisonous gases. The test on this occasion was a remarkably servere one. A fire was kindled in the wastehouse with all kind of dockyard refuse, the smoke given off being one of the densest and most pungent description. Mr. Fleuss carried the same magazine with him as before, but divested himself of his diving dress, his only procection being a pair of goggles which covered his eyes and fitted tight upon his nostrils. Thus armed and provided he entered the smoke, in which he was willing to remain an hour or more, but at the end of half an hour he was desired to come out, as it was considered if he could remain in the midst of such fumes for that length of time, a longer time was superfluous. On emerging Mr. Fleuss was apparently as fresh as when he began.

AN OCEAN TRAGEDY

The mate and four seamen of the schooner Eustice, which was blown up in the Gulf of Calafornia on June 14th by the insane cook, arrived in San Francisco a fortnight later, with a vivid story of tragic events which they have survived. On the morning of the 13th the cook displayed symptoms of insanity, but later in the day he seemed to have regained his reason, and, having attended to his work, went to his quarters to bed, as it was supposed. Soon afterward Captain Hornsby went below to light a cigar, and a moment later staggered back to the cabin door, holding his hands over his heart and calling for assistance. It was found that he had been stabbed and in a moment he fell dead. The cook, who was in the cabinet, shouted that he would kill the first person who molested him and then fire the vessel, which contained 2,000 kegs of powder. It would seem as if the mate and crew must have been cowards; but at all events they barricaded the cabin door and made every prepration to abandon the vessel in case it were set on fire. The following day they discovered smoke issuing from the cabin skylight, and forthwith lowered one of the boats which hung from the davit and pulled away. In ten minutes the leeside of the quarter deck was a sheet of flame, and five or ten minutes later there were two ternific explosions in quick succession. The mate and crew got to shore the following day and thence made their way to Mazatian, where they took the steamer to San Francisco.

STRAYED.

From the premises of the subscriber, lot 25, 5th con. Glenelg, on the 23rd of June, 5 two-year-olds, two of which were Steers, both were grey in color, one with large horns. 3 heifers, one of which is the same color as steers, the other two red, one slightly brindled.

JAMES SULLIVAN.
Priceville, P. O.

Glenelg, June 30, 1881. 42-3 in.

NOTICE.

NOTICE s hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Township of Glenelg, on the 6th day of June, A. D. 1881, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of Nine Hundred Dollars, for the purpose of enabling the Trustees of Union School Section No, 12, Artemesia and Glenelg, to erect a school house in said section, and that said By-Law was registered in the Registry Office in the South Riding of the County of Grey, on the Sixteenth day of June, A. D. 1881.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months from the date of registration, and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the Fourth day of July, 1881.

JAMES BROWN,
43-3i Clerk.

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM

HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March, 1881. 16

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRATS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

General Jobbing!

As we warrant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 1, 1881. 3-3m.

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronise the
UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.,
LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.
BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,
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Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.

WILLIAM STRAIN,
Dealer in all kinds of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS A COST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust teat all Customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the 15th inst., the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

D. J. SHANAHAN'S WAGON and Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1880. 10-1y

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. THOMAS MACRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16

ROBT. ASKIN, MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all

FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,

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A Splendid Hearse

for hire at moderate rates.

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From the Common to the

Best and Latest Styles,

in everything in the line.

Call and see for yoursel ves.

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SPECTATOR PRINTING COMPANY.
Hamilton, Ont.

Nov. 11, 1880.

STRAYED.

From Lot 133, 1st con. N. E. of T. & S. Road, Artemesia, one White Ewe and Lamb. Ewe had at time lost a rope around neck, and lamb was lame of one hind leg. Any person givin information as to their whereabouts will be suitably rewarded.

WM. DAVI,
June 28, 1881. 42-1 in.

MONEY to LEND

AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

MARKDALE HOUSE.

MARKDALE,

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for *Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

Artemesia Warehouse!

FLESHERTON STATION,

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

STOP. MARK. LEARN!

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GREAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENAERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINI POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closest buyers.

In GROCERIES you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and ten barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 34-1y

Millinery! Millinery!

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is nicely assorted comprising

Trimmed Hats & Bonnets,

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RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND THE

ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMINGS.

LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches. We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement, but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solicit a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881.

MARKDALE Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRA

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for very liberal patronage thave given him in the past, and hopes by close attention a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED

Having at received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA

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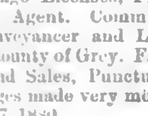

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Hotels.

...VERE HOTEL, MARKDALE. ...PROULE, - Proprietor.

...popular Hotel has had a large ad... ...added to it, thoroughly refitted, ...second to none in the county. ...bling and attentive ostler. First... ...accommodation for commercial travel... ...Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

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...Boot and Shoe Shop.

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...red Work a Specialty.

...a strictly cash business we can af... ...work at bottom prices. A call re... ...y solicited.

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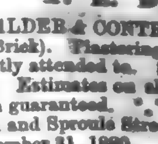

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Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougal's Harness shop.

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Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence—Queen Street, Markdale.

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Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

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CHEAP as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

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Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

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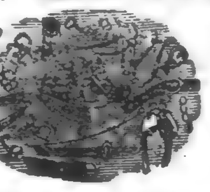

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VIOLA'S REVENGE.

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But "my finny friend" had felt or seen the hook, and silently declined the invitation. The angler's thoughts went back to their theme.

Not that I cared at all. Never but once had I the hook in my jaws—up there on the Italian hill-slope, hard by the headless Apollo and the dry fountain and the broken column behind which I lay hidden after stealing her grapes. Viola—Viola!"

He had forgotten all about the fishing. He was wandering along leisurely, and the boy, following with the landing-net began to gape and wonder.

He would have wondered still more could he have seen what his master saw so clearly—not the pleasant green valley and the rippling brook, but the shimmering of soft Italian moonlight, and two statues, one headless, and one with a relentless pointing forefinger bidding him "go."

"Here!" cried Lord Armidale; and the lad, awed by the imperious ring of his master's voice, drew near with trembling hesitancy. "Take my rod carefully to pieces, and carry it and the basket to the house. The sun is getting too hot for the sport."

It was a poor excuse, addressed in point of fact not so much to his attendant as to himself—a poor excuse for one who had so lately borne with indifference the blaze of sunshine on the banks of old Nile. He laughed harshly at the weakness of it as he threw himself upon the ground and dug his elbows into the thick grass of the aftermath.

"Viola!"

He murmured the name once or twice, and he wondered the while whether it would not have been more truly well with him if he had wedded that Italian maiden, whose individuality possessed so strange a fascination.

His aunt, old Lady Rivers, whose wealth had almost cleared the estate of debt, might in that case have disinherited him. Instead of being able to lord it in the halls built by dead and gone Armidales, he might now be rusticating in a little white Italian villa and asking himself sorrowfully how three or four dark-eyed lads and lasses might be reinstated in the position which should be theirs by birth. Yet the picture had an odd charm.

He had been prudent, and he had prospered accordingly; but he knew that something was lacking in his life. Never again might it be sweet and full as in that brief pastoral of long ago. The lips of many fair women might be pressed to his; but never again would their warmth thrill him as the touch of her lips had done. His intelligence might thrust and parry with keen feminine wits; but never would the wit delight him like that curious combination of ignorance and of learnig, of meekness and of pride, of utter loveing abandonment, which changed with such curious facility to utter contemptuous hate.

"Viola, Viola!"

He covered his face with his hands, shutting out the fair English landscape, and, in an instant, he stood again in that sultry southern land, watching one who slept in the shadow of an idle fountain, her head pillowed upon wild flowers and tangled weeds.

Then the restless features lighted up with archness and mirth, the dark eyes flashed with swiftly-aroused anger, melted with sudden contrition, and glowed with the love-light which long lashes tried vainly to conceal. Vivid, as though the years that had passed were but days, was every heart-photograph. There was a strange melancholy pleasure in turning them over and over—pleasure that became each instant more and more like pain, until he grew impatient of of his own weakness and raised his head.

"Viola!"

It was a whisper of astonishment. For a moment he thought he was the subject of an optical illusion. Not a dozen yards away, clad in virgin white, watching him from above a gate which barred further progress, stood the Italian maid herself. Lord Armidale sprang to his feet and advanced towards her, hat in hand; but the rapturous eagerness of the first few steps changed with almost ludicrous rapidity to confusion and uncertainty.

"I—I fear I am trespassing," he said.

It was a lame speech when he was as convinced of her identity as of his own—a lame greeting after five years estrangement; but between recognition and utterance there had been time to remember the cause of the estrangement and to note embarrassing changes in her appearance and demeanour.

"You are tresspassing; but I believe my father is not disposed to resent liberties of that description," she answered.

It was Viola; there could be no matter of doubt. Had he felt any, the sound of her voice would have dissipated it. Full, mellow, sweet, low-pitched, but essentially feminine, he would have recognized it amongst ten thousand.

But, oh, the coldness, the smooth indifference with which she spoke! And, oh, the marble pride which sat enthroned upon her calm features!

"You are—you are——" he stammered.

"Yes, I am Miss Burgot," was the frigid reply; and the beautiful eyes took note unsympathetically of his discomfiture.

Then he understood the depth and breadth of that old offence of his—understood too, that it was her policy to ignore it, and that it behoved him as a gentleman to follow her one. That old assault must be buried in oblivion; to mention were to revive it.

"I had intended to return your father's call to-day, Miss Burgot."

"If you follow the footpath by which I came, it will lead you to the Grange. You will find him at home, and I do not doubt that he will be delighted to see you."

Polite words which would have been cordial but for the complete indifference of the tone.

"May I be allowed to open the gate for you?" asked Lord Armidale.

"Thanks; I do not intend to prolong my ramble."

A sudden hope came to him. If she was about to return and the interview could thus be protracted, might he not possibly, with care and patience, break down this barrier of icy reserve and win forgiveness?" He stood before her, bareheaded and humble, protesting by tone and gesture, as he might not do in words.

"Dare I venture to suggest that, as our routes are identical, we might find our way to the Grange in company, Miss Burgot?

"Our routes are not identical," answered the girl curtly; and with that she turned her back upon him, and went towards the brook, plucking a wild flower or two on her way, as though, having rebuked his presumption, it was too trivial a thing to remember for an instant.

So he went slowly and with many a backward glance along the field-path; but the glances were not returned; and the heart of Claude, Lord Armidale, was heavy within him.

"Better anger than indifference!" He was thinking that he would far rather see her stand--as when he last left her—with pointing finger and eyes aflame, driving him from her presence, than encounter this frigid disdain.

She was not so emotionless as he thought. Now that he was not near to see, Viola Burgot's eyes were shining like stars; her lovely face, unmasked, was working with anticipatory triumph.

"It is coming; at last—at last," she whispered. "After all these years, the hour of my revenge is at hand!"

CHAPTER VII.

Down in the hollow which hid the nearest village, just a mile by the shortest cut through the fields from Burgot Grange, nestled a little weather-beaten church of gray-stone.

Sadly in need of restoration was it; for, although the massive walls presented as bold a front as ever to the procession of centuries, the high-backed pews, the shabby pulpit with the gigantic sounding-board, and even the communion-rails were in the last stage of worm-eaten dilapidation; while the ancient gallery—the front seats of which had within the memory of man been filled with vigorous performers upon "the cornet, flute, harpsachbut, psaltery, and dulcimer, and all kinds of music"—was now deserted by common consent, lest the rustics therein assembled should some day fall through upon other members of the congregation below.

Until the advent of the present Squire, the little weather-beaten church had stood small chance of badly-needed renovation. Its Vicar was a meek retiring man, whose awe of the stern master of Burgot Grange was both ludicrous and pitiable. In secret he cherished a dream of the interior as it should be; but to render that dream a reality a strong subscription-list would be required.

To broach to his only wealthy parishioner a scheme which would demand from him, as a preliminary, a cheque in three figures was beyond the meek Vicar's power. Even from his staunch friend Doctor Preece he hid the thoughts of his heart until the late squire had for some months been gathered to his fathers. Then, and not until then, did the Vicar unburden himself.

"I will discuss the matter with Miss Viola," answered the Doctor gaily.

During those months, Doctor Preece had faithfully fulfilled the parting injunction of his deceased friend—"You might give an eye to niece Viola—the niece I have never seen—for my sake," said Duke Burgot, as he lay dying.

In pursuance of that verbal trust, the Doctor and his charge had become cronies—allies—the firmest of friends.

He had conceived a sincere affection for her; and the quantitity of sincere affection in the girl's existence was lamentably small.

William Burgot was proud of his queenly daughter; he admired her, indulged her, and deferred to her every wish, but hardly with paternal tenderness. Miss Burgot's lovely face, Miss Burgot's majestic figure, Miss Burgot's magnificent voice had been the talk of the shire ever since she burst upon it like a brilliant meteor. But the brilliancy was cold: it did not attract true regard.

Unstinted love, proffered by half the eligible swains in the country, lay at her feet; unstinted hatred was lavished upon her by less beautiful women, evoking only a smile of disregard or disdain; but Doctor Preece was her only friend.

He did not understand her, he fancied that, beneath the pretty scornful indifference and aristocratic repose she had adopted as to the manner born, there seethed a lava-tide of Italian passion.

He thought that there was a life within a life, the inner life being made up of a mystery and a purpose. What the mystery, what the purpose, it was not for him to ask, but simply to win the confidence of his dead friend's niece so effectually that, should she ever need help, she might come to him.

In rough, honest fashion, ignoring the rebuffs with which she met his first advances, he made her understand that in trying to win her esteem and liking he was fulfilling his duty to the dead.

It was smooth sailing for Doctor Preece after that. He was surprised at the eagerness with which she acceded to his representations that the long-cherished desire of the meek Vicar's soul ought to be gratified.

He knew that, although a Protestant in creed, the spiritual fervour was not fed by the cold ritual and austere services of the little gray church in the hollow.

He had heard her speak of the chapel in the monastery, its dim religious light, its kneeling, emotional worshippers, its incense and its flowers, and the rich waves of harmony which spread through it when old Spezzio laid his white fingers upon the organ-keys. He believed that she loved no other house of prayer; and he was surprised and touched to find that for his sake she could entertain such genuine interest in the scheme.

"Here is papa's contribution to head the list," she said, the second time the project was mooted, putting into the Doctor's hand that cheque in three figures for which the Vicar had not dared to beseech the late Squire. "I will solicit all the people I know for subscriptions, and we will make you up any deficiency by holding a bazaar and concert."

So it came to pass that, within one month of the formal introduction of Lord Armidale to Viola Burgot, his lordship's name figured on the list for a subscription which was only second in munificence to that of her father; also that upon a certain day the village in the hollow wore quite a gala aspect, whilst the carriages of half the shire paraded its one long straggling street. The bazaar was in full swing.

On each side of the village schoolroom—a long, low, narrow room, its whitewashed walls hidden by many-coloured flags and by curiously and wonderfully made paper adornments—was a row of stalls, presided over by aristocratic maids and matrons, who played at shopkeeping with infantile delight and cheated their customers with serene composure and roguish glee. Dawdling from stall to stall, laughing, jesting, flirting, haggling, and disbursing with the best of grace in the world the loose silver they had come there to throw away, went a well-dressed throng of ladies and gentlemen who would be quite content if, by way of value received for their money, they passed an enjoyable afternoon.

Doctor Preece was there, of course, acting as an amateur showman, inducting credulous people who were willing to pay a shilling for a peep into a mysterious recess in which about forty works of art with high-sounding titles were supposed to be on exhibition, whilst from behind the green-baize curtain which screened them came bursts of laughter to pique the curiosity of the outer world.

Mrs. Robert was there, and "dear Clara" attired exactly alike, in most becoming costumes, wearing dainty little caps, and looking more like sisters than ever as they presided at opposite stalls.

William Burgot was there, chatting with neighbcring Squires, and made much of by spinsters of all ages. Who does not know how to appreciate a middle aged widower with fifteen thousand a year? In fact everyone was there except Lord Armidale.

Bright eyes were looking for him longingly. "Dear Clara's" hopes were buoyant, for had he not renewed his visits to the Grange with more than the old frequency?

And was it not evident that the attraction was herself, not that frigid Italian adventuress, with her airs of an empress and her monosyllabic disdain, which kept barely within the bounds of civility? And had he not promised "dear Clara" after much entreaty, that he would certainly look in for an hour, if only to suffer himself to be fleeced for a good cause by her pious hands!

The "adventuress" was on the *qui vive* likewise. Besieged at the head of the room by a crowd of masculine adherents, to whom she unblushingly sold at fabulous prices button-holes of flowers and useles knick-knacks, she answered with repartee and badinage their insipid jests and compliments; but her deep-fringed lustrous eyes wandered over to the door-way, looking for a head crowned with sunny golden hair, a noble head, modelled after the ideal type of ancient Greece, although beauty of feature and graciousness of expression were tempered by an air of careless, but imperious command.

She saw it at length, visible above the dead level of the throng. Lord Armidale was exchanging frequent salutations, pausing here and there, but steadily approaching her.

"Does she love him?" thought Dr. Preece; and the worthy man was perplexed. He saw her lovely face pale and harden, saw her hands tremble for an instant, saw the eager welcoming light in her beautiful eyes, but the light was cold and fierce.

"She is a curious enigma," said the honest man with a sigh.

"Would you accord me the extreme favor of an introduction to the enigma? Any fellow would be charmed to study it," said a voice at his elbow.

The voice belonged to an upright soldierly looking gentleman, to whose personal appearance no exception could reasonably be taken, unless upon the ground that his bushy upturned eye brows and his scanty upturned moustache gave him somewhat the aspect of a middle-aged stage Mephistopheles. So thought Viola Burgot, when, after a moment's reflection, Doctor Preece asked permission to introduce Colonel Petitt.

"I warn you, Miss Burgot," said the Colonel, with an urbane smile which, oddly enough, confirmed a slight prejudice the girl was conscious of feeling towards him, "that 'silver and gold have I none.' Fair banditti have extracted the last coin from pockets that are never too well supplied with cash. I requested the honour of an introduction because your name was once 'familiar in my ears as household words.' Twenty years or more ago, your father and I were bosom-friends."

"Did you know my mother?" asked Viola, forgetting her prejudice in awakened interest. Would he be able to tell her a little about that poor Italian girl-mother whose young life had been sacrificed that a babe might be born into the world?

"I had not that happiness. Your father and I were engaged in the same regiment before he sold his commission. He was in Italy at the time I ... ... will be ... glad to renew his acquaintance with you."

"To tell the truth," laughed Colonel Petitt, "I need to be reassured upon that very point. When a poor man renews his acquaintance with a rich one, the gladness is usually on the side of the former. I confess to disappointment at not seeing him here this afternoon. Twenty years could not so disguise an old friend that I should fail to recognize him instantly."

"Yet he stands within ten paces," said Viola, smiling.

"No!"—and the Colonel's eyebrows were elevated until he looked more like Mephistopheles than ever as he scrutinised all the masculine faces within the given distance. A gesture from Viola brought one of the gentlemen towards her.

"Papa," she said, "let me present you to an old acquaintance; Colonel—Colonel——"

She had forgotten the name; and the Colonel did not supply it. Extreme wonderment was written upon his features, while upon those of William Burgot was a kind of vague and troubled bewilderment.

"You must pardon my haziness of memory," apologized the Squire slowly. "A sunstroke from which I once suffered, whilst serving in India——"

"I do not remember it said the Colonel sharply; "nor do I remember your features; my memory must be affected also. And yet, Burgot, we were like brothers during that year we served together in the old seventeenth."

With the words—as the two men stood gazing at each other's faces—there came into William Burgot's eyes a flash of recognition—of recognition, coupled with something that looked like fear.

"I remember now," he said slowly. We were both young slim fellows in those days; but time has made me fat and round, whilst you are little altered. No wonder you did not know me, Pettitt"

"Not in the least," said the Colonel. The flash of recognition, confirmed by the spoken name, was surely evidence enough that this man was his old comrade! Yet why had he turned so pale? Why did his voice quiver? Why that look of apprehension?

"Nor I you, at first," continued William Burgct. "But, although your identity escaped me, and although my memory has of late failed me strangely—a fact I ascribe, on the principle that any excuse is better than none, to sunstroke in India—I have not quite forgotten the past. Do you remember that night in the trenches at Luckimpore?"

"Remember it!" cried the Colonel; and for a moment his resemblance to Mephistopheles was obliterated. "Why, man, you saved my life!"

"Don't mention it," said William Burgot, with a pallid smile. "Where are you staying?"

"At the one wretched inn this wretched village boasts."

"Then you must chance your quarters to Burgot Grange. I will send a carriage for you at twelve o'clock tomorrow morning. What do you say?"

"That I gratefully accept your offer.'

"It is settled then. Excuse me now; there is a man at the bottom of the room to whom I must say something. We shall have plenty of leisure to-morrow to chat about old times"

"May I pass you? Many thanks," said the courteous, high-bred tones of Lord Armidale. But the Colonel did not hear. He was watching his old comrade's retreating figure.

The crowd was thinner now, and William Burgot's portly frame moved through it with ease; passed at once into the open air, stopping to speak to no man at the bottom of the room.

'Hang me if I understand it!' muttered the Colonel. "If he is William Burgot, what on earth is he afraid of? If he isn't William Burgot, how on earth came he into possession of the family property? How could he recollect me, or that affair at Luckimpore? And now I think I seem to know his features, and they are not unlike those my old chum. Well, there is a secret somewhere and I will improve the shining hours by ferreting it out. Secrets are mines of wealth sometimes to the fortunate holders."

(To be Continued.

CREAMERIES FOR ONTARIO.

BY PROF. L. B. ARNOLD.

It is but a few years since the prairies of the West were of all places on the continent the most notorions for bad butter. Now the West and Northwest rival the best localities in the East in the excellence of their product. The change which has come over the character of Western butter is due to the introduct of creameries—a result common to their introduction. Wherever the co-operative system of butter making has been adopted similar consequences have followed invariably though not always in so marked a degree. It is not because as good butter cannot be made in families as in creameries that the average product of the latter so much excels that of the former. It is because the latter are conducted by trained experts, who are provided with the best facilities and most approved apparatus for doing the work, while in families butter-making is generally but one of a thousand household duties to share the attention of the housekeeper, usually with but poor facilities and littele or no training.

Butter-making in Ontario now approximates somewhat the former condition of that art in the West. Its general product is heterogenous in quality, and the average character is low. There are localities and individuals here and there that have devoted special attention to butter-making, that turn out goods fine enough to grace a royal table. These examples stand out in bold relief as indications of the capacity of the Province for assuming a high standard in the butter-making world. What is wanting is the introduction of creameries. In these there is now a sad deficiency, there being very few yet introduced. I have seen enough of Ontario to know positively that there is no good reason why it may not reach the highest pinnacle of fame in the production of butter. Grass is nowhere sweeter or more abundant, and nowhere retain its freshness for a greater portion of the season, and water is everywhere plenty and good. Nature has done all that is necessary, if dairymen will only do their part as well.

The co-operative system of cheese-making, coupled with an application of the best skill and intelligence and enterprise, has given to Ontario a proud distinction for the excellence of her cheese. No better cheese is made on the American continent than is now annually turned out of the factories of Ontario. The same distinction might as certainly be reached in the production of butter if the same skill and efficiency were applied to that branch of dairy industry.

To make such an advance, the co-operative system must be applied the same as it is in cheese-making. It can never be attained by the slack and unequal skill which prevails in private dairies. Whenever the creamery system is adopted it will be found that an improvement in quality, and consequently in price, will speedily follow, with no increase in cost in the manufacture. This should be a sufficient inducement to strive for them.

In the States the existence of creameries has improved a great controlling agent in regulating the relative production of butter and cheese. So many factories contain both cheese-making and butter-making apparatus, that they can easily change from cheese-making to butter-making, or the reverse, to such an extent as to prevent a very excessive production in either. Whenever a given quantity of milk will net more turned into butter than it will made into cheese, it is converted into butter; but if cheese nets the most, it goes into cheese. This easy change from one to the other is often the occasion of larger returns to the dairyman than he could otherwise obtain. The aggregate profits of dairying are thus increased, and the annual returns rendered more certain and even. The dairymen of Canada may as well avail themselves of this advantage as their neighbors in the States, and it would be very gratifying to see them do so. Co-operative butter-making is the necessary agent to effect such a result.

AUGUST

The summer season now reaches its climax, and is prolific in developing bowel complaints. Over-indulgence in fruit, immoderate drinking of iced waters and summer beverages, in a few houres prouced fatal ravages among children and adults. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the most reliable remedy for all forms of summer complaints. Safe, pleasant and prompt in its effects. All dealers keep it.

THE DEAD ALIVE.

A MISSING DAUGHTER TURNS UP AFTER TWENTY-EIGHT YEAR'S ABSENCE—STOLEN BY INDIANS.

ST. JOHN, Aug. 4.—Twenty-eight years ago a little girl, Annie Halliday, six years of age, whose parents reside at Chates cove, N. S., was missing, and some three hundred men turned out to look for her, but she was not found, to the great grief of her parents, and after all hope had died out her funeral sermon was preached. A few days ago word was sent to the family that Annie was alive and living with some Indian families within a few miles of her former home. Two of her brothers proceeded to the place and found their longlost sister the wife of a young Indian, and mother of two children. She went with them to the old homestead, which she recoguized, and told how she was stolen by Indians. She refuses to forsake her Indian husband, and her parents are troubled how to act to get her to remain with them.

THE LATE DR. PUNSHON.

HIS LIFE AND WORK RECORDED BY THE WESLEYAN CONFERENCE.

As the names of deceased brethern were taken up by the Wesleyan Conference, in session in Liverpool, the first name mentioned was that of Wm. Morely, Punshon, M. A., L. L. D. The obituary, which had been prepared by the editor, Rev. B. Gregory, was a chaste and able sketch of the character career of the departed. When it had been read, at the suggestion of Mr. Arthur, several stanzas of the hymn commencing

"Come let us join our friends above"

were sung, after which Mr. Arthur spoke with great feeling of his friendship with Dr. Punshon, who was in every respect a wonderful man. But he hoped they would not dishonor the Head of the Church by saying "We shall never look up his like again." He also bore testimony to Dr. Punshon's great discretion, While very few had his gift of speech, so few had his gift of silence. Dr. Pope having had to conduct several memorial services on the occasion of Dr. Punshon's death, had been led as a matter of duty to study his character, but what had been at first a duty had become to him a charm. The more he studied it the more he admired and wondered at it. Rev. John Kilner, one of the mission secretaries, said the Mission House had been a sad house since Dr. Punshon's death, and testified to his devotion to the minutest details of his duty. Rev. Wm. J. Morris, a young minister, referred to Dr. Punshon's sympathy with young men, and relatea a very moving instance of his passionate desire for the spiritual results of his ministry.

A SNAKE STORY.

The following snake story, in which the *mephitis americana* takes an important part, comes from the Township of Glanford, and its veracity is vouched for by one who is cognizant of the facts. Last Saturday on lot 12, con. 2, residence of Geo. Hazlett, was seen a skunk, which becoming frightened, took refuge in the hollow stump of a decayed tree. Mr. Hazelett and Benj. Solee, immediately determined to capture the beast, which was done at short notice, in consequence of the effluvia which prevaded the atmosphere thereabouts. The animal was laid out in state, and as it looked rather large they determined on opening it, which was attended with the astonishing result of finding twenty-seven live snakes. One of these escaped, but the remainder were killed. History does not record the fact whether the skunk and snakes will be stripped and left as an heirloom to coming generations, but their death is as true as true can be.—*Mail.*

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.06 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p m.	7.35 p m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Orangeville—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m. 11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.	
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.56 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, August 12th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

DEATH OF COL. CUMBERLAND.

IT has been known for some time past that the health of Lieut.-Col. Fred. W. Cumberland, Managing Director of the Northern Railway, was in a very precarious state, and therefore our readers will, in a measure, be prepared to hear of his death, which took place at his family residence on Friday last. His death will be sorely felt by the board of Directors of the Northern Railway, for he was the life and soul of it, and it is only through his energy and untiring efforts that the Road is in existence to day, as it was in a pretty critical financial condition at the time he assumed control of it. Mr. Cumberland was in his sixty-second year at the time of his death.

THE PRESIDENT'S HEALTH.

THE health of the President was not as satisfactory on Saturday last as usual, and the physicians in attendance found it necessary to perform another operation, in doing which they ascertained the location of the bullet, and from the knowledge so gained they feel satisfied that neither the liver nor the peritoneum has been touched. Dr. Agnew, the principal physician in attendance, says the wound is not near so serious as was at first thought. He has little or no hopes of being able to extract the ball, but has very strong ones of his ultimate recovery.

Fall grain is an unusally heavy crop in the neighbourhood of Perth, and if well saved will, it is expected, redeem to a great extent last year's failure.

MR DILLON, a leading agitator of the Irish Land League, who was imprisoned some time since for his treasonable utterances, has been realesed, unconditonally, and it is said other prominent offenders will shortly be released also.

AGRICULTURAL laborers appear to be scarce all over the Province. In the Ottawa district the farmers are offering $2 per day and are unable to procure the necessary help to secure their crops, which are said to be unusually good this year, and far above the average.

The regatta in Toronto, on the 7th & 8th of Sept., the first week of the Industrial Exhibition, promises to be the greatest aquatic event ever held in America. Trickett, Ross, Hanlan, and all the big guns will take part. The Railways are going to run cheap Excursion trains on those days so as to enable all who wish, an opportunity to see the celebrated oarsmen of the world.

ANOTHER BEAR STORY.

On Monday of last week, Mr. Wm. Crofford, 12th con., Township of Proton, while passing through a swamp on his road home, saw what he took at first to be a pig, but on approaching he discovered, rather to his dismay, that it was a bear. He passed on, having no weapons with which to attack his bearship. He had proceeded but a short distance when another one came out of the swamp a few yards ahead of him. Here was a dilemma. What was he to do? He was in nearly as bad a fix as the gallant six hundred at Balaklava.

Bear in front of him,
Bear in rear of him,
and for ought he knew,
Bears all around him.

Plucking up courage, he threw a stick at the one in front of him, which brought forth an ominous growl. Then, like Bob Acres, he felt his courage all oozing out at the tops of his fingers, and thinking "discretion the better part of valor," took to his heels; but unfortunately in his haste he did not look where he was going, tripped and rolled over. Poor William, he thought his last hour had come, rapidly there passed through his mind the agony of the dear ones at home who were watching for the one who would never come. However, finding he was not molested, he rose to his feet, look round, and to his great delight found his enemies had all disappeared, and he went on his way rejoicing.

THE USUAL RESULT.

IT is not to be denied that a good sewing machine is one of the most important appurtenances of the modern household.

We thought we had a good machine in our household until one day the agent of the *New Home* presented himself at our door and proceeded to deliver an oration upon its characteristic merits.

"But," we answered, "our machine serves us nicely and suits us well, and we do not care for another."

The agent, however, was persistent, and finally begged the privilege of leaving one of his machines with us, "for the ladies to try."

The request was not unreasonable, so we granted it—but more to oblige the agent than anything else; for we really did not want the machine, and had not the remotest idea of buying it.

The machine once in the house, it was natural that the ladies should look it over. They did so, and as a consequence fell in love with it. They say that without the slightest wish to decry or disparage any other machine, this, all things considered, is, in their opinion, the most desirable one to be had.

The upshot of the whole matter was that the old machine was disposed of, and the "Light Running New Home" installed in our household—a very fair and satisfactory arrangement being made with the agent.

It is pronounced a genuine beauty and a real comfort, and "our folks" wanted us to tell other folks about it.

This unrivalled machine is manufactured by JOHNSTON, CLARK & CO., 30 Union Square, New York, who wish us to say that all who will send for their new illustrated catalogue and enclose their advertisement (printed on another page), will receive a set of fancy advertising novelties, of value to those collecting cards, &c.

ORDINATION AND INDUCTION AT McINTYRE.

On Wednesday, the 3rd inst., McIntyre presented a very attractive and gay appearance, every one we met was in holiday attire, and all seemed to have their minds set on some particular object: and so it was, for on that afternoon the Presbyterians of McIntyre, Maxwell and Feversham were to be united to Mr. Chisholm, B. A., as their Minister.

The services took place in the church, a nice plain, brick edifice with very comfortable fittings inside. The wise people of McIntyre acted on the good old plan of getting a cage before they got the bird; now they have both, and our desire is to see them prosper

At McIntyre there is a firs-trate hotel with ample accommodation, "out and in," managed by an active and obliging proprietor, and there is a very fine store, where nearly everything, from a needle to an anchor, may be had, owned by an intelligent and obliging gentleman, and now they got a young, active and accomplished minister in Mr. Chisholm, and if the good folks in this locality do not go ahead it will certainly be their own fault.

The proceedings of the day began shortly after 10 o'clock, when the Presbytery of Saugeen met in the church at McIntyre with the Rev. D McLeod, of Priceville, Moderator.—Mr. Chisholm was examined in the various subjects prescribed by the Presbyterian Church before ordination, viz:—a Lecture, a popular Sermon, and an Hebrew critical exercise; also on Biblical Greek and Hebrew, Theology and Church History, all of which were very highly satisfactory, showing that Mr. C. had received a thorough training at Queen's College. Rev. Mr. Eakin, of Dundalk, preached, after which the Moderator asked Mr. Chisholm the usual questions, which were all promptly answered. Mr. Chisholm then seated, and the members of Presbytery laid their hands on him (1 Timoth 4 chap. 14 ver.), while the Moderator offered up a very impressive and fervent prayer; after this was over the members of Presbytery gave their newly ordained brother the right hand of fellowship The Moderator next proceeded to address Mr. Chisholm on his duties as a Christian Pastor, taking as his text Paul's advice to Timothy, "Take heed to thyself." (We will give the address in full next week.) This was an admirable address, many practical points were presented in it, and if Mr. Chisholm "take heed" to them all, he will be a model minister indeed. Rev. Mr. Morrison, of Proton, addressed the congregation on their duties to their pastor, after which Mr. C. shook hands with the members and adherents of the Church, and the Ordination and induction of Rev. John Chisholm to the Pastorate of McIntyre, Maxwell and Feversham Congregation was concluded.

In the evening there was a very nice Tea Meeting in honor of the event. After a plentiful supply of the best of cake and delicious tea, the audience were called to order and Mr. Wm. Brown, Merchant, Markdale, was voted to the chair. After a few opening remarks a long and rich programme was begun. Rev. Mr. Eakin, of Dundalk, was the first speaker, followed by Revs. Mr. Morrison, Proton, Mr. McLeod, Priceville, and Mr. McGregor (Congregationalist), McIntyre, also Mr. Pollock, a fellow student of the newly ordained minister, and Mr. Meldrum, of Flesherton Station. Mr. Anderson sung several of his best songs during the evening accompanied by Miss Anderson, and the Singhambton choir sang two pieces with much taste and precision, accompanied by a young lady belonging to the choir. There was a cake brought forward which was intended to have been an "election cake," but this was not carried out, and on motion of Mrs. Chisholm the cake was presented to Mr. Anderson for his kindness in adding so much to the entertainment. Mr. A. made a suitable reply. A collection was taken up instead of selling the cake. We could observe some who were not all suited on the cake business, not that they were displeased at Mr. Anderson getting it, for he is a general favorite wherever he goes, but they had their minds made up for a brush at an "election" and would not give one cent to the collection, saying that if it had been managed as proposed it would have turned in over twenty dollars. We would not be sorry to hear that McIntyre folks (and others as well) were so much divided on this point that in future there would be no "election cake" in the matter. The meeting throughout was a very pleasant one; all joined in wishing Pastor and people happiness and prosperity, and judging from the manner in which they have wrought so harmoniously in the past the prospects for the future are very bright. After singing "God Save the Queen" all took to their respective homes well pleased with what they had seen, and heard, and tasted.—COM.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

COUNCIL met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, August 1st. Members all present. Reeve in the chair. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Communications from John Creasor, Owen Sound; S. H. McKittrick, Orangeville, and W. Milne, Maxwell, presented and read.

Petition from John Gibson and others presented and read.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—John Talbot, gravel, statute labor, $3.16; George Moore, gravel, statute labor, $2.28; Thos. Lauder, Reg. By-Law, $3.02; W. Richardson, Telegrams. $1.79.

By-law No. 328 to authorize Trustees of S. S. No. 12 to borrow money, 329 to repeal 324, 330 to levy school rates, 331 to levy rates, 332 to levy Police Village rates for 1881, introduced and passed in the usual way.

Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Elliott, that in accordance with the petition of John Gibson and others, Alfred Ward and Wm. Parks be notified by the Clerk to remove their fences off side road 180, 1st and 3rd con. W. T. & S. R. respectively.—car.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the application of Hugh McPherson relative to culvert be referred to Councillor for Ward No. 1.—carried.

Mr. Webster moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the Clerk notify Jos. Galbraith to move his fence from gravel road allowance opposite lot 118 1st West.—car.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that Councillor for Ward No. 4 be instructed to see to repairing bridge opposite lots 79 and 80, 1st N. D. R., the same being in unfit state for travel.—car.

Mr. Christoe moved, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that in order to settle the matter between Commissioner Wright and Jas. Cornfield, the Council do favor the sum of $5.50.—car.

The following road jobs were ordered to be paid:—Ward No. 1—M. Williamson, $30.25; S. Henderson, $4.75; Peter Muir, $5. Ward No. 2—John Blain, balance of special grant on townline last year $9.20; William Hill, $35; Thos. Granger, $34. Ward No. 4—H. Fenwick, $39.84; G. Rutledge, $5.25; R. Cooper, $10; Scott Jamison, $2; Jas. Fisher, 80c.; John Clinton, special grant on townline Artemesia and Osprey.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that C. Bellamy be paid $2 being statute labor charged, said work having been performed.—car.

Mr. Elliott moved, seconded by Mr. Pedlar, that the following persons be appointed Collectors for the current year at a salary of $32 each, and that a By-law be passed at next session giving effect to the same. Ward No. 1—John Haggard; Ward No. 2—W. McLoughry; Ward No. 3—John Higginbotham; Ward No. 4—W. T. McLeod.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

COUNCIL MEETINGS.

Proton Council meet at Reid's Hotel Dundalk on the 6th.

Glenelg at the Town Hall on the 22nd.

Holland, at Williamsford Station the 16th Sept.

Osprey at McIntyre on the 22nd Sept.

Euphrasia Council meets on Saturday Aug. 27th.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Those of your readers who have desire a to witness a truly Apostolic ordination in contradiction to the mono-modial or episcopal form, should not fail to avail themselves of the privilege of being present in Dufferin Hall, Markdale, on Tuesday, the 16th inst., at 2 o'clock p.m. At said time and place the Presbytery of Saugeen of the Presbyterian Church in Canada will meet to set apart according to the simple rites and ceremonies of the early Christian and apostolic church a Pastor of the Markdale and Flesherton congregation. All those who have a desire to understand and appreciate the Scriptural form of ordination as practised by the Apostles and their immediate followers, should attend, as an occasion like the present may not soon present itself in Markdale.

In order that those who witness the interesting ceremony referred to may be profited thereby, the writer would respectfully suggest a careful perusal of the following portions of the sacred scripture, viz:—Acts, 6 & 6, 8 & 17, 13 & 3, also 1 Tim. 4 & 14, and cognate passages.

I am sure Mr. Editor, that in this age of religious life and christian activity, a reference to these matters which appertain to higher duties of life cannot be taken amiss by any of your readers or considered out of place even in a secular journal, I therefore offer the above remarks without further apology.

WM. BROWN.

MARKDALE, Aug. 9, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—It is known to some of your numerous readers that one of the young lady teachers in the Markdale Public School was married during the vacation.

Refering to this matter I understand it has been circulated by some wicked designing person that the trustees refused to allow the young lady in question to give up her position till the end of the year.

I beg sir in the name of the Board to give this report a distinct and unequivocal denial. Mrs. Chellew has never either directly or indirectly, either by herself or any other person, asked the trustees to relieve her of her position. Had she chosen to do so, a repuest very reasonable, would have been at once granted. It is not true, therefore, that the trustees have been so cruel as to prevent the young wife from accompaning her husband to Collingwood or elsewhere.

Why, sir, what are the facts; I have had several applications for the position but have invariably told the parties that as Mrs. Chellew *had not asked to be relieved*, the presumption was that she intended to teach till the close of the year, to which the trustees would offer no objection.

Why any one should give currency to such a stupid fulsehood I cannot divine, people don't generally act meanly or churlishly without a motive—the motive in this case is entirely wanted, hence the improbability of rumour.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale Aug. 8 1881.

ON Tuesday afternoon a picnic was held in the grove of Mr. Armstrong adjoining the village in honour of the Misses Reid and Miss McIntyre who are about leaving our village, the former for the States, and the latter for Toronto. About thirty sat down to tea, which really did credit to the ladies of Markdale, and we are safe in saying that the gents present did full justice to the good things provided (the Lemon Pie not excepted). After tea a pleasant time was spent in games, singing, recitations, &c., and as the day declined the party repaired to Dufferin Hall, where the evening was spent in social amusements, and at a late hour the party dispersed well satisfied with the day's recreation. We all join in wishing the Misses Reid and Miss McIntyre success in their new homes.

THE Masonic Excursion on Friday, under the auspices of Lorne Lodge, here numbered between 400 and 500. A large contingent came from Markdale, Flesherton, Dundalk and other places. The train being somewhat late in arriving at Toronto, the *Empress of India*, which was to have taken the excursionists to Lorne Park, had departed without them. The excursionists consequently amused themselves in their own way, which was probably, on the whole, very satisfactory. The party was accompanied by the Shelburne brass and string bands, who considerably enlivened the tediousness of the journey. The affair, on the whole, was a financial success, and as such, very creditable to its originators.—*Free Press.*

SERIOUS RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.

Since last issue there has been quite a series of runaway accidents in this Town. On Friday last a blind man delivering tea having engaged Mr. Henry Williams to drive him round and while thus engaged the horse took fright and ran away, throwing Mr. Williams out and breaking his shoulder blade. The tea was scatered along the road and other injuries done Mr. Williams was conveyed home, and medical aid procured, and we are glad to hear that he is progressing favorably. Meanwhile a constable from Walkerton arrived with a warrant and arrested the blind man for pedling without a license. He was taken to Walkerton and fined.

On Monday last a team belonging to Messrs. McKechnie ran away in the Station yard, where they had been drawing lumber, and running over logs, stumps and stones dashed through the board fence at the South end, breaking a post off short, and running down the hill towards the river struck a stump and rolling over several times landed at the bottom in a confused heap, the waggon tongue and reach being broken, and one of the horses had it's leg so badly fractured that next day it had to be shot. That will be a serious loss to Mr. McKechnie, as the horse was a good one.

On Tuesday a team belonging to Mr. McCauliff, of Normanby, ran away from McKechnie's Mill up to Garafraxa Street, and in turning a corner fell, and were captured before they could get away again. In this case no serious damages was done.—*Grey Review.*

ACCIDENT OR SUICIDE?

A MAN DROWNED IN THE DON YESTERDAY MORNING.

Yesterday morning about ten o'clock a commotion was caused at Riverside by the report, brought to the village by a little girl named Gossman, that a man named John Bolton had been drowned in the river. Bolton lived with his brother on De Grassi-street, and was married only recently. The circumstances attending his untimely end are to a large degree enveloped in mystery. The following are versions of the affair, the only witness to the event, other than deceased's brother, being the little girl mentioned above. The two brothers were together at the Kingston-road bridge, when deceased propcsed that they should plunge into the river together; but the suggestion did not meet with a response. Then, again, it is said that deceased was drowned while attempting to rescue a dog which accompanied him. The animal got into the water, and Bolton while in the act of taking off his coat with the intention, it is said, of rescuing his canine friend, overbalanced himself, fell back over the bridge into the water, and was drowned.

It seems no one but the girl Gossman was near the bridge when the man met his death. She ran home and raised the alarm. She at the time was unable to give a coherent account of the affair. The fact that deceased did get into the river was sufficiently proved, it is thought, by the finding of his coat on the bank, and the recovery from the river of his hat. The coat was identified by Mr. Bartlett, Bolton's father-in-law.

At twelve o'clock Esplanade Constable Williams arrived with the necessary apparatus for dragging the river, and after a search of about two hours succeeded in finding the body, which was at once conveyed by County Constable Bedley to the late home of the deceased on Degrassi-street.

A street car driver with whom the two brothers returned from the city in the morning, states that they were both under the influence of liquor, and that they had no dog with them. The surviving brother says that when they got to the bridge deceased took off his coat and jumped from the centre of the bridge on the south side, into the water after a dog that had somehow got into it and was struggling to get out, but when questioned as to particulars, his answers were very confused, and it was evident that he was too drunk to be able to give any reliable account of the affair. Of this much be speaks with certainty, that his brother jumped off the bridge, that he only rose to the surface once, and that he himself ran to the bank to see if he could render him any assistance and then ran home to tell them that Jack was drowned. The girl Gossman, the only other person present at the time, says that she saw both men on the bridge, and that deceased went down the embankment at the city end, between the sidewalk and the Club boat-house. He fell in from that bank, and sank about twelve feet from shore, and about thirty feet on the south side of the bridge. This account is corroboratee by a man who was working at the time at Davies' brewery, and saw what occurred from the top of the building. He says that deceased went to the end of the bridge and took off his coat, and in endeavouring to get over the rail fence he fell over and rolled down the embankment.

The deceased, John Bolton, was an employee of Marchemont Bros., and was said to be fairly steady and industrious. On Monday he went to an excursion at Lorne Park, and did not resume work yesterday morning. The report that he was married only the previous evening is not correct, as he had been married for some months. It is not known whether an inquest will be ordered to enquire into the facts of the case.—*Globe.*

We do not often make any editoral mention of the proprietary medicians advertised in our column, but we believe it to be a duty we owe to our readers to call their attention to the advertisement of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Ague Cure which appears in this issue of the paper.

We know from experience that nothing is more disheartening than the insidious approaches and periodical attacks of malarial and miasmatic disorders. The remedy prepared by Dr. Ayer & Co. has been in use many years, and has proved a positive antidote for disorders of this nature. It is, withal, a safe and harmless one to take, being composed entirely of vegetable ingredients, without either quinine or minerals, unlike other so called Ague Cures, and consequently incapable of producing the deplorable effects which follow the use of these drugs. Our western people owe a debt of gratitude to Dr. Ayer for the production of this valuable medicine. Its timely use will save much suffering and we recommend it with the greatest confidence in its ability to do all that is claimed for it.—*Athens, Ark., News.*

TRAVERSTON.

From a Correspondent.

Mr. and Mrs. Glencross and Mrs. William Glencross, met with a very serious accident when returning home from Durham on Saturday evening, 6th inst., a little before dark, at the bridge at the north end of Mr. Jack's place, 8th con. Glenelg. When descending the hill to the east of the bridge, the carriage in which they were seated went suddenly down in front off a ledge of rock, raising the hind wheels with a sudden jerk, threw the occupants out, disabling the ladies so that one of them had to be carried home, the other managed to walk with the assistance of a person on each side of her. Dr. Jamieson, of Durham, arrived about 12 o'clock same night and attended to their wounds and bruises. They are progressing, so far, favorably, though very sick and sore, being badly bruised about the head and body.

The road where the accident occurred is very unsafe for travel, and many have predicted serious misshaps when happening to pass that way.—We hope the attention of the proper officials will be directed to this, and other dangerous places, in order to prevent or guard against occurences of this kind.

We understand that Mr. Philip Meggitt, who was sun-struck lately while working at the foundation of Mr. Hall's barn, at Hall's Mills, Glenelg, is now able to resume work, though somewhat deaf especially on one side. People exposed to the scorching rays of the sun in excessively hot weather should endeavor to keep the head cool, with water, leaves, linings, &c., and thereby help to prevent casualties. Had Mr. Meggitt fallen very far he would undoubtedly have been killed, as it was he was insensible when found, though he fell only about five feet.

PADDY FROM CORK.

THE CENSUS.

A summary of the results of the recent census was published on Monday of last week, and the population of the different Provinces, with their increase since 1871, are found to be as follows:—

Province.	1871.	1881.
Ontario	1,620,851	1,913,460
Quebec	1,191,516	1,358,469
New Brunswick,	286,594	321,129
Nova Scotia	387,800	440.585
P. E. Island	94,021	107,781
Manitoba	12,728	49.509
Brit Columbia	33,586	60,000
Territories and Manitoba exten.	60,500	100,000
	3,686,596	4,350;933
		3,686.596
Total increase		664,337

INCREASE BY PROVINCES.

Provinces.	Increase since 1871.
Ontario	292,609
Quebec	166,958
New Brunswick	35,535
Nova Scotia	52,785
Prince Edward Island	13,760
Manitoba	36,781
British Columbia	26,414
Territories and Manitoba extension	39,500

Taking into account that during the decade the country has passed through a period of depression which had a tendency to lessen immigration and thus retard the growth of population, the aggregate increase of 661,337 to the population of the Dominion is a gratifying one, tending to show that notwithstanding this drawback, the country has made a substantial progress. Ontario, of course, takes the lead in progress, but a remarkable feature of the census is the very large increase made by Quebec, numbering 166,958, while in the decade between 1861 and 1871 that Province only increased 79,950. The Maratime Provinces, though not making such rapid progress as Ontario and Quebec, have yet made rapid progress, the aggregate increase being about the same as between 1861 and 1871. The population of British Columbia as given above, is only an estimate, and in some of the remoter districts of the other Provinces the numbers are estimated too; but the figures will be found very near the mark. The population for Manitoba is that within the old boundaries. The principal cities of the Dominion, the figures for which are given, have also made rapid advance—the only exception to the rule being St. John, N. B., which owing to the great fire and other untoward circumstances shows a decrease from 28,806 to 26,128. The population of the other cities, compared with that of 1871, with their respective increases, are as follows:—

	1871.	1881	Increase.
Montreal	107,225	140,682	33,457
Toronto,	56,092	86,445	30,353
Quebec City	59,699	62,447	2,748
Halifax,	29,582	36,102	6,520
Hamilton,	26,716	35,965	9,249
Ottawa	21,545	27,417	5,872
London,	15,826	19,763	3,937
Kingston,	12,407	14,093	1,686

Our own County, we find, has increased from 56,895 in 1871 to 74,104—the populations and increases of the different ridings being as follows;—

South Grey,	18,622	21,129	2,507
East Grey,	22,193	29,358	7,165
North Grey,	16,580	21,317	4,737
	56,895	74,104	14,709

—*O. S. Times.*

FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Monday last John Krumholtz, a youth of 15, accompanied by a younger brother, was teaming tan bark into Colpoy's village On arriving at Spragge's hill the younger boy got off to lock the waggon wheels. Before this was accomplished the horses started down the hill. The bark slid forward and the unfortunate youth was thrown to the ground, the waggon passing diagonally over his chest. When picked up he was insensible. Dr. Beatty was immediately summoned but life was extinct before his arrival. We cannot have a more opportune time for calling attention to the dangerous grade of the hill in question. A little money judiciously expended might prevent the recurrence of another such a calamity.—*Ebbor.*

GOLD

Or its equivalent, can purchase any thing you may require in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, or in fact anything that is usually

FOUND

In a general country store

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Purchasieg, you should always ascertain where you can purchase to the best advantage, that is get the best goods at the lowest price, and the place is

BUTTERR & RAE'S

MARKDALE

August 9th, 1881.

REMOVED.

I beg to inform my many friends that I have removed into my new premises in Dr Sproule's Brick Block. Too busy to give particulars this week; but might say I have fresh goods arriving daily, which I will dispose of at lowest living rates for cash.

CALL AND SEE ME.

A. McINTYRE

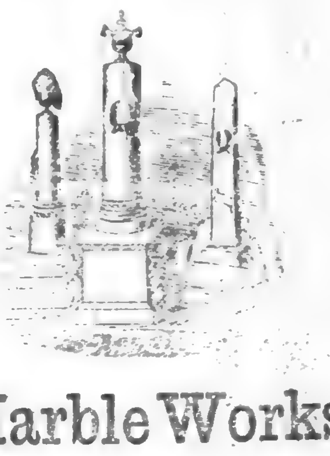
Markdale, August 3rd, 1881.

SUBSCRIBE for the STANDARD the best local paper in this section of the County. To the end of the year from date only 40 cents.

DIED.

IRETON—In Glenelg, on the 5th inst., Mrs. Robt. Ireton, aged 23 years.

MARKDALE



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Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. H. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

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HAS NOW ON HAND

A Fresh Supply of Liquors

WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

IN GROCERIES!

Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,

Teas a Specialty.

Miscellaneous Articles!

Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.

P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Benson.

Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

Venner's Predictions!

For this month's Weather, prepared expressly for STODDART'S REVIEW. Sample copy mailed for 3 cent stamp. J. M. Stoddart, Pub., New York, Phil., or Chicago.

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BUCHU & UVA URSI
THE GREAT SPECIFIC
DISEASES KIDNEYS

Voters' List,

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ... IN THE COUNTY OF GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given that I ... transmitted or delivered to the ... sons mentioned in the second ... "*Voters' List Act of 1876*," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant ... Act of all persons appearing by the ... vised Assessment Roll of the ... pality to be entitled to vote in the ... pality at elections for members of the ... lative Assembly, and at Municipal ... and that the said list was first posted ... my office, at Euphrasia, on the ... August, 1881, and remains there ... tion. Electors are called upon to ... the said list and if any omissions ... other errors are found therein to ... mediate proceedings to have the ... corrected according to law.

Dated at Euphrasia, this ... ust, A.D. 1881.

ROBERT ...

45-2t Clerk of the ...

Voters' List, 1881

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ... COUNTY OF GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given that ... transmitted or delivered to ... sons mentioned in the Third and ... Sections of "*The Voters' List Act*," ... pies required by said section to be ... mitted or delivered of the list ... to said Act of all persons appearing ... last revised Assessment Roll of ... municipality at elections for ... the Legislative Assembly, and at ... cipal elections, and that said list ... posted up in my office, at Maxwell ... Third day of August, 1881, ... there for inspection. Electors ... upon to examine the said list ... omissions or any other errors ... therein, to take immediate ... have the said errors corrected ... law.

Dated at my office, at Maxwell, ... 1881.

WILLIAM MILNE, ...

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK ...

July 7th, 1881.

R. M. Galbraith,

AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL Agent, Williamsford ... Sales attended in all parts of the ... Goods sold on Commission ... Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines, Fruit and Ornamental Trees ... tural Implements, and Machinery ... on sale.

A few choice farms for sale ... Money to loan at lowest rates. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

WANTED

A SMART, STOUT BOY ... or 18 years old, to learn the ... business.

JOHN ...

Markdale, Aug. 2nd, 1881.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

Shortly. In the meantime Goods are being cleared out to make room for the large stock which is now being selected personally by Mr. McFarland from the largest houses in Europe.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, August 12th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Farm Laborers in demand.

School re-opened on Monday.

Small boys suffering from pains under the third vest button.

Personal.—Mr. John Benson, who [illegible] been in Toronto for some time [illegible] returned home on Saturday last [illegible] a visit.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine [illegible] Infringements will be prosecuted.

The Marble works are in full operation, and the proprietor appears to be [illegible] pretty busy, as indeed he ought, [illegible] the work he turns out is first-class.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel [illegible] branded "Castorine," as none other [illegible] genuine.

A foot race took place on Monday evening between A. Speers and D. McCanna, of this village, which was easily won by the first named. We [illegible] not learn the amount of the stakes.

The Reid & McDougall block is progressing rapidly, and when finished [illegible] be quite an ornament to our village. Work on the new Standard office is being pushed forward vigorously.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for [illegible] kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For [illegible] by dealers.

Are you going to travel? Don't forget a supply of that Dr. [illegible]'s Extract of Wild Strawberry. [illegible] a superior remedy for sea sickness and a positive cure for all bowel complaints induced by bad water, change of diet, or of climate. Whether [illegible] home or abroad, it should be kept [illegible] hand in case of emergency.

The word Falcon, the name of Esterbrook's well known steel pen, is derived from *Falx*, a reaping hook, suggested by the shape of the Falcon's [illegible].

The "Castorine" Machine Oil, for [illegible] kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For [illegible] by dealers.

Why can't they leave such things [illegible] said an undertaker not a thousand miles from Markdale, when he [illegible] in his local paper the warning against eating unripe fruit. "It spoils [illegible] business."

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS Cures scrofula, erysipelas, salt rheum, piles and all humors of the blood. Cures dyspepsia, liver complaint, biliousness, constipation, dropsy, kidney complaints, headache, nervousness, female weakness and general debility.

Fire.—Last Friday evening about [illegible] o'clock a barn belonging to Mr. Al[illegible] Warner, 9th line of Euphrasia, [illegible] struck by lightning and burned together with stable and a quantity of [illegible].

FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY. Cures summer complaints, diarrhœa, dysentery, cholera morbus, cholera infantum, sour stomach, colic, nausea, vomiting, canker, piles and all manner [illegible] fluxes.

Narrow Escape.—Mr. Frank Beat[illegible], of Artemesia, who started on the [illegible] July for Montana, had a very narrow escape from death on his way [illegible] as he was a passenger on the *City [illegible] Winnipeg*, which was burned at [illegible]. He lost most of his clothing.

We omitted to mention last week [illegible] W. McLeod &Co. had started a [illegible] and Shoe shop on Mill Street, [illegible] premises lately occupied by D. [illegible]. They guarrantee satisfaction, and we would recommend our [illegible] to give them a call.

How much labor the Recording Angel would have escaped had old Noah forgotten to take a pair of flies [illegible] the Ark. We are a moral man, but [illegible] much fear had our minister been [illegible] this morning about 5 a.m., [illegible] would have been told that we were [illegible] straight to that place where [illegible] put battered type.

Miraculous Escape.—A little girl, daughter of Mr. Jas. F. Sproule, had [illegible] most miraculous escape from being killed one day last week. Escaping from her mother's watchful eye, the little one attempted to go down the [illegible] stairs, which are very steep and [illegible] a length, and losing her balance [illegible] from top to bottom, receiving a pretty severe shaking and some slight bruises. The mystery is the child was [illegible] killed.

A Great Enterprise.—The Hop Bitters Manufacturing Company is [illegible] of Rochester's greatest business enterprises. Their Hop Bitters have [illegible] a sale beyond all precedent, [illegible] from their intrinsic value found [illegible] way into almost every household [illegible] the land.—*Graphic.*

The First of the Season.—Thos. [illegible] Esq., Artemesia, has already [illegible] the product of a twenty acre [illegible] of Barley, being the first threshing we have heard of in this locality [illegible] season. The product was seven [illegible] and fifty-eight bushels and [illegible] of clean barley, being an average of thirty-seven and [illegible] bushels per acre.

A new lot of Wedding Rings just to hand at Wilcox's.

The Standard from now until the end of the year for 40 cents.

For a good Seth Thomas clock go to Wilcox.

Benson has a new advertisement in this week, to which we would call the attention of our readers.

Selling off balance of summer goods at Cost, to make room for our Fall and winter stock.—Reynolds & Son.

The Prize list for Glenelg Fall Show will be out this week; and for Proton, next week.

The minutes of Euphrasia Council have been received. Unavoidably crowded out. Will appear next week.

Strange but True.—An apple tree may be seen in Mr. Mark Armstrong's orchard, adjoining the village, this week in full bloom.

We are happy to see that Mr. Jno. Montgomery is able to be around again after the severe accident he met with some time since, by his horse running away.

An entertainment will be given in Dufferin Hall, on Tuesday evening the 16th, after ordination services. Admission 25 cent. For particulars see Posters.

Messrs. Butter & Rae say that gold has been found in Markdale. Well, we can hardly believe that, but there is no doubt but that their store is well supplied with everything needed in the family and at very reasonable rates. Read their advertisement and then give them a call.

For the next two weeks, only, will sell balance of stock at cost.—Reynolds & Son.

Mr. Rutledge, of this journal, went to Toronto on Tuesday to purchase more type and other material. This has been rendered necessary by the very large increase in our patronage, arising from the prompt and satisfactory manner in which we turn out our work.

W. Benson has now in stock a fine selection of peaches, lemons, and every other fruit constantly on hand in their season, which will be supplied at the lowest market price. Give him a call.

A poor woman entered the elevator from the Lower to Upper Town, Quebec, at the top, on Friday. Before reaching the bottom the population was increased one, she having given birth to a child on the way down. The poor woman walked to her home in Champlain street unaided.

Dyspepsia can readily be cured by taking according to directions Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They greatly aid the digestive powers and tone the whole system. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. For sale by A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

Mr. Vennor now predicts a great change in the weather about the time the new comet is in its perihelion. This will occur on the 20th instant. During the week ending on that day he thinks we shall be nearly frozen by frosts and strong cold northerly winds.

There is no better family medicine than Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They are taken alike by both old and young. They invigorate the system. They should invariably be used instead of those little well-known nauseous purgatives called pills. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

If a reporter does not dish up a certain amount of local news every week he is called a poor stick, but what can the poor fellow do when everything is as dull as dishwater, not even a dog-fight to vary the dull monotony of the scene.

For all Liver and Kidney complaints and affections of the Stomach and Bowels use the great Dyspepsia remedy, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large 8 oz. bottles containing 70 teaspoonful doses at 50 cents a bottle. A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

First class Job Work done promptly and cheaply at the Standard office.

The Garden Party on Monday evening at the Methodist Parsonage was in every respect a success. The evening being pleasent, the party was largely attended, about 200 being present. The amusements were heartily enjoyed by all, in fact every one seemed brim full of fun. The refreshments were dispersed with a relish. The Ice cream and lemonade were also made scarce, and those bouquets, what a variety, from the modest garden flower to part of a potato patch. Some of the young ladies were a little *dear*, we mean with their bouquets. The pastor and his amiable lady did all in their power to add to the enjoyment of those present. Proceeds $86.

There are a number of our Subscribers who have not paid their subscription. We need money for carrying out our contemplated improvements, such as a quantity of new job type, building a new office, and making other improvements rendered necessary from the rapid increase of our business. This, as all know, requires considerable funds, and we will feel obliged to those who are in debt to us, if they would call and pay up.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	0.4	"	0.55
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 75		1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, June 9th 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.00	to	$5.50
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.03	to	1.06
Fall do. do. do.	0.96	"	0.97
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.00	"	0.3o
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.10	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.22
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1 03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 25c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7 50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Egg 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.oo; hides $7.oo; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.oo to 7.5o; wool 25c to 28c; lard 1oc; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

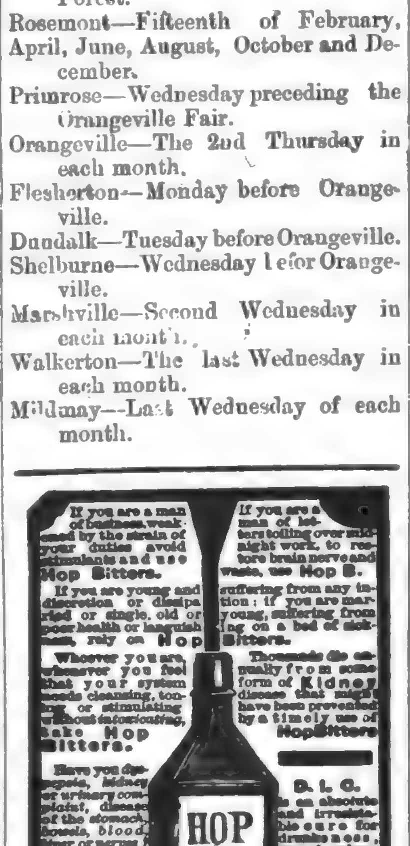
(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 20	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 23
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lb	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 oo
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 oo
Chickens, per pair	o 35	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	0o	to	0 0o
Ducks, per brace	0o	to	0 0o
Geese, each	00	to	0 0o
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 oo	to	2 5o
Potatoes per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 0o
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday befor Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.



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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever [illegible] will not tell you at once that it will [illegible] the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

STARTLING DISCOVERY! LOST MANHOOD RESTORED. A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

PIMPLES. I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20 ly

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CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m. Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 1o;3o a. m.; 28th, 6.3o p. m.; Dec. 5th, 6:3o p. m.; 12th, 1o:3o a. m.; 19th, 1o:3o a. m.; 27th, 6:3o p. m. Sabbath School, 2:3o p. m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every Sabbath at 10:3o a. m., and 6:3o p. m. Sabbath School at 2:3o p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:3o. Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every [illegible] 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. [illegible] & 4th Sabbath at 1o:3o a. m., in the [illegible] Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Services in Dufferin Hall every Sabbath at 6.30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:3o p.m. Prayer Meeting at 6:3o p. m. Bible Class on Fridays at 7:3o p. m.

ST. JAMES CHURCH DUNDALK.

Services—11 o'clock a. m. July 24th and each alternate Sabbath, W. Bevan, Incumbent.

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Markdale, June 2, 1881. 14-tf

Is a compound of the virtues of sarsaparilla, stillingia, mandrake, yellow dock, with the iodide of potash and iron, all powerful blood-making, blood-cleansing, and life-sustaining elements. It is the purest, safest, and most effectual alterative medicine known or available to the public. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy, nor one so potent to cure all diseases resulting from impure blood. It cures **Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Pimples and Face-grubs, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Mercurial Disease, Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, and General Debility.**

By its searching and cleansing qualities it purges out the foul corruptions which contaminate the blood and cause derangement and decay. It stimulates and enlivens the vital functions, promotes energy and strength, restores and preserves health, and infuses new life and vigor throughout the whole system. No sufferer from any disease which arises from impurity of the blood need despair who will give Ayer's Sarsaparilla a fair trial.

It is folly to experiment with the numerous low-priced mixtures, of cheap materials, and without medicinal virtues, offered as blood-purifiers, while disease becomes more firmly seated. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a medicine of such concentrated curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and most reliable blood-purifier known. Physicians know its composition, and prescribe it. It has been widely used for forty years, and has won the unqualified confidence of millions whom it has benefited.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-3m

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MARKDALE.

A FULL ASSORTMENT IN THE FOLLOWING LINES KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Dye Stuffs,
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Patent Medicines,
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Toilet Articles,
Pure Drugs and Chemicals,
Choice Teas and Tobaccos.

Agents for Vicker's Express and Montreal Telegraph Companies.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 13

JUST ARRIVED

—AT THE—

'TORONTO HOUSE,'

MARKDALE,

A SPLENDID LOT OF

BOOTS and SHOES

SUITABLE FOR

Fall and Winter Trade!

WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT

Prices that Cannot Fail to Attract Attention.

Intending purchasers should see our goods and prices, before buying

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, August, 3rd, 1881.

THE TEN Insurance Commandments.

1. Thou shalt insure thy real and personal estate and all that thou hast against fire, for—

Defending thyself from misfortune until old age,
Thy happiness shall equal thy wisdom.

2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst not make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acquire,
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance, for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of wine thou drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thisrt thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shall be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not have been paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy insurance thou will be poorer than a church rat.

If thou fallest into poverty
People will care but little for thee.

10. Thou shalt do all thy insurance with **Robert Davis**, the Conveyancer and Land and Insurance Agent at Flesherton, for—

He represents only the best companies, and
He guards well his patrons' interests.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B. R., Real Estate, Loan, and Estate Agent, Flesherton Branch office, Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, every Thursday.

Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING!

Wednesdays and Saturdays,

By Thomas Smith,

☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Main and Queen streets, opposite Mr. [illegible].

Markdale, Dec. 10

CHRONICLES.

Hear me, oh ye tillers of the soil; open ye your ears and harken into my voice

Put not your trust in men who show unto ye models of strange and wonderful inventions, else ye be bamboozled and decieved.

Look not upon the model of the machine that goeth forth into the field to reap and gather up the sheaves.

Nor upon the pump that requireth not human aid to sednce from its subterranean bed the sparkling waters for the refreshment of lowing kine.

Turn ye away from him who presenteth them; flee from the sound of his velvet embroedered voice.

Else it bit ye like a serpent and sting ye like the prickings of the concience of him who defraudeth the publisher and payeth not his yearly tithes.

From his lips droppeth tafly as droppeth the sap from the sugar trees in the camps of our fathers.

Shun him, oh ye agitators of the clodded field, for he will draw over thine eyes the fleecy substance which is wool; yea, verily, he will hornswoggle ye with words that are pleasant unto the ear.

He will say unto ye: "Sign ye this covenant that ye may act in my stead and supply the toiling masses with my handiwork.

"Serve ye as my agent, for will ye not therefore wax rich; will not the silver and gold flow into thy coffers.

"Sign quickly I beseech ye, that another may not reap the golden harvest in thy stead.

And when ye sign or engrave upon the covenant thy seal, he will go on his way rejoicing, caying unto himself:

"Verily, did I not strike the duffer handsomely; did I not turn the trick in bang-up shape?"

When a fortnight passes the machines have come not; the wonderful mechanism hath failed to meteralize.

But in their sted there cometh unto ye a person clothed in fine raiment ... a look of dignity.

And preacheth unto ye your own ... saying:

"Pay unto me what thou owest; ... up the ducats, else I bring ye ... the judge.

... here thy note of hand for ...10."

... ye will wax sore afraid, and your heart will be in your bosom as heavy as the biscuit of the amateur cook!

And ye will go down into your garments for scrip and pay the amount, ... the stranger wears an electric smile.

And when the man of fine raiment ... ye will say unto your wife; ... verily, am not I a confounded ...

... she will softly reply, "You ...

... you will seize your ledger and ... the debit side thereof:

...complishness .. ..$722,10.

... the credit side thereof:

...ience...$10,000,000,000,000.

...ORSE WHICH DIDN'T COTCH ON.

... three days ago a colored ... a horse and wagon ... depot on Woodward ... and asked how long before a ... would pass. He was told that ... only eight minutes to wait, ... explained:

... horse am an animal dat I ... on his mawin', an' I want ... how he will stan' de rail-...

... had seen about twenty ... and was as thin as sheet-iron ... there was a general laugh at the ... his being afraid of anything. ...theless, as the Lake Shore train ... in the distance, the old horse ... his head, picked up his ears and ... considerably animation. As ... came in sight he began to ... and the driver held a stiff line, ...

... Napoleon! Dat's only de ... railroad comin' in! Steady, ... what's de use o' puttin' on ...

... the train thundered in, the horse ... up and pawed the air, shook off ... who grabbed the bridle, and ... around, he upset the waggon ... ditched it and went up the Pon... with the forward wheels ... after. The owner was picked ... in a dazed condition, more ... than injured, and when one ... crowd remarked that the horse ... stand the railroad very well, ... man replied.

"Well, I dunno. He 'peared to ... de railroad all right; but it was ... ingine an' de kivered kyars ... he didn't cotch on to. I 'spects ... the way he acted dat he's been ... ober free or fo' times."—M. ...

...THARIO ROUGHLY HANDLED.

...TTAWA TEACHER TAKEN FROM HIS ... AND DUCKED IN A POND.

...TAWA, Aug. 4.—An Ottawa young ... has gone through an unpleasant ... at Murray Bay, where he has ... enjoying his summer vacation ... is that a couple of nights ago ... at the hotel where he was ... was unceremoniously visited ... after midnight by some parties ... were disguised, and, despite his ... efforts, he was taken out ... place and ducked in an ad... pond to such an extent that it ... him some time to get over the ... of the forced bath. The letter ... the intelligence does not give ... particulars of the affair; but from ... is written it is quite evident that ... was a woman in the case. The ... is said to have been administered by some of the employes ... hotel, who may have been jealous of the captivating qualities of the ... young man, whose city occupation is that of a teacher in one of ... public schools.

A BLACK WALNUT STORY.

... smartest Texan, and. in fact, ... smartest farmer I ever met, is ... Graves, who lives on a 100 ... farm west of Waxahatchie, in central Texas. After Mr. Graves ... shown me his cattle and cotton ... took me over to see his woods.

"Well, what of it?" I asked, as ... pointed out a ten acre forest.

"What of it?" Why them's black walnuts, sir. Ten acres of 'em. Planted 'em myself, ten years ago. See, they are ten inches through. Good trees, eh?"

And sure enough there was ten acres of hand-planted walnut trees. Th... ...ed about 200 feet apart, 200 to the acre—in all 2,000 trees.

"Well, how did you get your money back?" I asked.

"Black walnuts are worth $2,50 a bushel, ain't they? I'll get 400 bushels this year. That's $1,000. A hundred dollars a year is good rent for land worth $15 an acre, ain't it?"

"Well, what else?" I inquired, growing interested.

"The trees," continued Mr. Graves, "are growing an inch a year. When they are 20 years old they will be nineteen incnes through. A black walnut tree nineteen inches through is worth $15. My 2,000 trees ten years from now will be worth $30,000. If I don't want to cut them all I can cut half of them, and then raise a bushle of walnuts to the tree—that is, get $2,500 a year for the crop. Two hundred and fifty dollars an acre is a fair rent for $15 land, ain't it?"—*Chicago Tribune.*

JULY.

During this month summer complaints commence their ravages. To be forewarned is to be forearmed. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best known preventative and cure for all forms of bowel complaints and sickness incident to the summer season.

TEN DAYS TOO LATE.

A man who lives in the Saginaw Valley was at the depot to take the train for home. As he was buying his ticket, an old friend who lives here, slapped him on the shoulder and gave him a greeting. After a few salutions, the Detroiter asked:

"Have you married again?"

"No."

"Do you want to?"

"Yes."

"Come with me, I know a widow whom I can recommend."

"Can we get back to the depot in fifty minutes?"

"Yes; easily."

"Very well; lead the way."

That's all there was said about it until they reached the Central Market. The Detroiter walked the Valley man up to the stand of a well known and fair looking widow and said:

"Mrs. Black, my friend has only a few minutes to spare. You are a widow?"

"Yes."

"Three children?"

"Yes."

"Healthy, good natured, and a member of the Baptist church?"

"Yes."

"Very, well; this is Mr. Blauk of Saginaw; he is forty-seven years old, sound as a dollar, owns a good farm, has two children, and is looking for a second wife. Do you like his looks? Will you encourage him? Do you think you could love him? He is in a hurry, and can't fool away time. Yes or no?"

"No," replied the widow, as she arranged her pie plant and radishes; "he's ten days to late; I am engaged to a widower in Toledo."

"That's honest injun?"

"True as I live."

"Nuff sed—good morning, and he has thirty-one minutes left to go to the train."

And the Saginaw widower picked up his grip sack and walked off without a change of countenance.—*Detroit Free Press.*

No Hospital Needed.—No palatilal hospital needed for Hop Bitters' patients, nor large salaried talented puffers to tell what Hop Bitters will do or cure, as they tell their own story by their certain and absolute cures at home.—*New York Independent.*

NATURE MAKES NO MISTAKES.

Nature's own remedy for bowel complaints, cholera morbus, cholic, cramps, vomiting, sea sickness, cholera infantum, diarrhœa, dysentery, and all diseases of a like nature belonging to the summer season, is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which can be obtained of all dealers in medicine.

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM

HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an early call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices, for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

MARKDALE CARRIAGE WORKS!!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, eg to inform the Public, that that they are qrepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, puch as

BUGGIES,

D EMOCRTS,

WAGGONS, ETC.,

AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

AND

General Jobbing!

As we warant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-3m.

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.

LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION.

Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Uneaqualled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

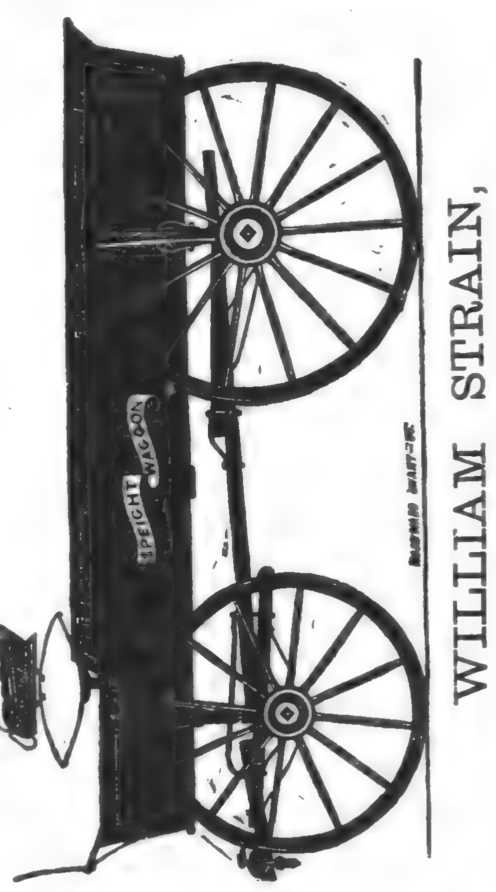
Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,

Sewing Machines, Organs,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

THE RUSH. THE RUSH.

Three Women after a Dozen Herrings.

SPRING HAS MADE ITS APPEARANCE, AND

BUTTER & RAE

In order to make room for their Spring Stock, offer all their

WINTER GOODS A CO ST!

NOW IS YOUR TIME TO GET BARGAINS

In Dress Goods, Clouds, Shawls, Men's Caps, Shirts, Drawers, Overcoats, Flannels, &c.

☞ DON'T PASS THE PLACE AS WE MEAN BUSINESS. ☜

New Goods Arriving Daily.

In Tweeds, all patterns. Cottonades, Ducks, Shirtings, Ginghams, Denims, White and Grey Cottons, Dress Goods, Prints, Hollands, Towellings, Collars, Ties, Braces, Colored and Dress Shirts, and all small ware usually kept. Hats in Felt and Fur—all prices.

Ordered Clothing a Specialty.

☞ Don't forget that COOPER & SMITH'S BOOTS *are the only Boots* worth buying, and we are the ONLY SHOP in Town that keep them.

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE IN ALLL STYSES.

N. B.—We trust teat all customers will remember that we MUST have money. If accounts are not paid by the **15th inst.**, the Bailiff will deal with them after that date.

BUTTER & RAE.

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 1

D. J. SHANAHAN'S

WAGON and

Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,

SPRING WAGGONS,

LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the yeast money, thus securing a repetition of inour esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friens.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-3m

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Markdale, Dec. 16

ROBT. ASKIN,

MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

—AND—

UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS,

CASKETS,

SHROUDS,

and all

FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,

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From the Common to the

Best and Latest Styles,

in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

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W. BENSON, Markdale.

August 4th, 1881. 47-tf.

MONEY to LEND

AT SIX **6** PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

MARKDALE HOUSE.

MARKDALE,

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

Artemesia Warehouse!

FLESHERTON STATION,

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

☞ All kinds ot Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

STOP. MARK. LEARN!

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GREAT ANNUAL

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POST OFFICE STORE,

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENAERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINI POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers.

In GROCERIES you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quanties of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollers for every one idvected* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer ... this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and ... barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection befor purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10 1881 14-ly

Millinery! Millinery!

HILL BROS.,

Would announce to the Ladies of Markdale and surrounding country that their stock of Millinery is nicely assorted, comprising

Trimmed Hats & Bonnets,

CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES,

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, FEATHERS AND ...

ORNAMENTS AND TRIMMINGS,

LADIES' MANTLES

CUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

Our General Stock is well assorted in all branches. We won't take up your time reading a long advertisement but would solicit a call, believing we can give entire satisfaction to our patrons.

Thankful for past favors, we would solict a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage thave given him in the pact, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having st received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath, from the North and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA...

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THIS IS A

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For Learning to Play

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Any person, Young or Old, whether ... have any Musical talent or not can learn or PLAY ANYTHING, in a VERY SHORT TIME, what would take years in the old way, besides a great expense for Books, Tuition, etc., etc. Sent, pre-paid on receip of $...

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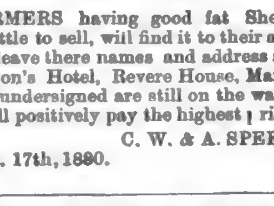

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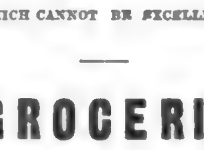

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CHAPTER VIII.

"What have you for sale, Miss Burgot, to the lucky possessor of Fortunatus's purse?"

"Do you possess it, my lord?"

"Not exactly; but I am not so poverty-stricken a wretch as I once was," said Lord Armidale; and through the jesting tones ran a vein of meaning.

"Were you once a wretch, or poverty-stricken?" asked the girl, with an inflection of contempt which stung him to swift anger.

But the anger was impotent. He dared not answer the question, dared not allude to the past which she had elected to ignore. That it was ever in her mind, as in his, he knew full well; and he had educated himself to bear every taunt in silence, that his present humility might perchance atone for the old insult which he dared not ask to forgive, lest the mention of it should be esteemed a repitition.

"I am not poor now, and my purse is at your service. If I were Fortunatus, I would ask you to share it."

He saw her eyes sparkle with triumph. Love lent him subtle intuition; he divined that, in spite of her coldness and disdain, his homage was sweet to her.

Never had he found her in the melting mood, never had she relaxed the vigilance with which she seemed to impress upon him that she held him as almost beneath her scorn; and he hoped—the wish being father to the thought—that, sooner or later, she would be content with the unacknowledged expiation, and forgive.

She might have brought him to her feet, he reasoned, by the merest *soupçon* of hypocrisy some women practise so readily.

That she delighted to humiliate him he knew; but, if there were not behind the delight in his punishment a half-formed intention eventually to condone the offence for which it was inflicted, why could she not take her revenge and let him go?

One look of interest, of sympathy, of tenderness would bring him to her feet. He believed that she knew it, and kept watch and ward over herself lest that look should be bestowed.

He thought that she would like to have him there, pleading as for dear life, baring his heart to her, suing for pardon and for love; but he hoped that her desire to postpone the *eclaircissement* arose from an undefined wish first of all to punish him thoroughly for by-gone sin. He did not fathom the depth of Viola's revenge.

It was mapped out so plainly in that aching heart of hers, which he had rendered desolate.

It would indeed be sweet to pierce his soul with bitter poisoned words, with barbed darts that should hold and sting and rankle, as for five years had rankled the remembrance of that happy time in which, not content with befooling her, he would fain have brought her to shame. Her revenge would be all the sweeter for the thought that she had used no womanly arts to expedite it, that he had come blindly to his doom, in spite of her coldness, her indifference, her contempt.

It was pleasant to her already, although she had occasional misgivings as to the completeness of her power over him. What would it be in the supreme moment?

Sometimes she faltered, not in her purpose, but in the determination that she would not lure him to his fate. This very day of the bazaar, as he stood before her, frank and fearless, a king amongst men, she burned with impatience for the hour when, bowed and helpless, he should lie at her mercy. At her mercy—ay, her mercy should be such as, in the old days, he had meted unto her!

"You will come to the concert to-night?" she asked.

It was not an invitation, but the coldest of conventional inquiries.

"Will you be there?"

"I sing," replied Miss Burgot. "By-the-bye, that reminds me that I shall need a litt respite. Dr. Preece, can you find a lady-substitute to take charge of my stall?"

"Let me escort you to the carriage," said Lord Armidale, offering his arm when the substitute had been found and thanked. And, with a flush of resentment, she accepted a courtesy she could not readily refuse.

Surpassingly beautiful she looked, as, with that flush still upon her cheek, she swept through the throng which drew aside to let them pass.

"A well mated pair," murmured Colonel Pettitt maliciously to Miss Clara Dallas, who tossed her head and turned away.

"I did not answer your question about the concert," said Lord Armidale.

I have forgotten it," replied Viola listlessly.

"I shall certainly be there. I would not lose the opportunity of hearing you sing for anything you could mention, Miss Burgot."

By way of reply she gave him a glance, calm, supercilious, and questioning, as though to ask what possible interest she could feel in such an announcement. Nevertheless the certainty that he would be there recurred to her during the homeward drive more often than she would have liked him to know.

She thought of it as she sipped a cup of tea and trilled a snatch or two from favorite songs, rejoicing that her glorious voice was at its very best to-day. She thought of it as she gave herself into the hands of her maid to be robed in a costume Worth had sent down the previous day.

She thought of it as she drove through the twilight to the school-room; and, when the carriage stopped, he with whom her thoughts had been busy appeared at the window, waiting that he might be privileged to hand her to a seat.

It was to him she sang presently, when her turn came, and she stood forward upon an improvised platform to warble in the ears of those stolid well-bred English folk a song of the sunny South. They admired and marvelled at her self-possession; but in truth she was hardly conscious of their presence.

Once she had chanted this Italian lay, so full of fire and passion, to a crowd of herds and muleteers, and they had crowded round to kiss the hem of her robe and crown her with flowers like a goddess. That had indeed been a triumph; but she cared not at all for the gentle applause of phlegmatic islanders. She saw but one face in the well-dressed mob, and she set herself to move it with pride and love and admiration. She had her reward.

Then she went back to her seat, ignoring the tumult and shouts of "*Encore, encore.*"

Her name was on the programme for one more song, and that must suffice; she had no desire to cheapen herself for the sake of a little noisy adulation. All in good time her turn would come once more.

Once more she stood before them. It was an English ballad this time, simple and homely. After long deliberation, she had chosen it, thinking of him the while. Her eyes fell upon his face, eager, expectant, in keeping with the hush, the dead silence of the crowded room. Once more she sang to him alone.

What did he think of it all? Through one verse he watched her, decked out in her bravery of silk and flowers and lace and jewels, which made her marvellous beauty yet more fair. Through one verse he hung upon the wondrous melting tones of her superb voice; then he covered his face with his hand.

And she, magnificent actress that she was at that moment, with a heart as hard as the nether millstone, rejoiced to think that every note echoed in his soul.

The concert was over. He came to hand her to her carriage, with his grand features, so noble, yet so delicately cut, all flushed and moved as her song had left them, and his blue eyes shining with unutterable love.

"You will let me come to you to-morrow?" he whispered. And she leaned back in her corner pretending not to hear.

Mrs. Robert and "dear Clara" were with her, or she would have laughed aloud with glee. At last her revenge was mear at hand. To-morrow, by that hour, he would have knelt before her, and the iron should have entered into his soul.

"If you please, miss," said a footman, when they reached the Grange, "the Squire would be glad to see you for a few minutes in the library."

A thrill of shapeless apprehension troubled Viola Burgot as she crossed the threshold of theroom in which her father "would be glad to see her for a few minutes."

Illumined by firelight and lamplight, the library was yet in semi-darkness, for the lamp was turned low, and a shade concentrated the feeble radiance upon the table on which it stood. The long tiers of books had grim and ominous aspect, and the girl shuddered as she mentally called them a regiment of the dead.

As William Burgot came forward to hand her a chair, the gleam of the embers showed that he was pale and agitated. Then he went back to his own seat, and his features became indistinguishable. Silently, Viola nerved herself to hear something as yet indefinite, but terrible.

"I want you to tell me, Viola," said William Burgot—and his voice sounded solemn and strange—"whether you have ever received from me less than a father's kindness and a father's care?"

"Never!" answered the girl impulsively.

Then her thought reverted to that old Italian life, when she had been allowed to rove as freely as a wild bird and to busy or amuse herself as inclination might prompt. Little paternal care had been shown in those days; but the freedom had been in harmony with her surroundings, and accorded with her sense of a general fitness of things; moreover he had been kind always.

"Never!" she repeated, by way of confirmation.

"Then it will surprise and shock you to learn that I am not your father, nor am in any way related to you."

It was a cruel blow, but merciful in its directness. With a stunned feeling, Viola half rose from her chair and sat down again.

"Who—who are you?" she gasped.

"My name is Charles Singleton. Do you remember the ruined cottage to which I took you one day and my description of the gamekeeper and his wife who lived there when I was a boy? Those people were my father and mother."

"Go on—go on!" murmured Viola.

The man was rough enough, the woman was a refined and educated lady. What secret in her early life brought them together I do not know; but the ill assorted union was not for her a happy one. Her greatest consolation was the task of educating me and fitting me for a better position. I repaid her care and fulfilled her ambition by running away from home to enlist as a private soldier. I had been two years in the ranks when the regiment was joined by a young subaltern, in whom I recognised my old playmate and foster brother, William Burgot."

"My father?" said Viola interrogatively.

"Your father," he assented; and the girl gave a sigh of thankfulness.

It was something to be allowed to preserve her own identity as the kaleidoscope of deception was shaken.

"I was appointed his body servant; and, whilst we outwardly preserved the distinctions of rank, we kept up in private the affectionate intimacy of boyhood. He took me with him to Europe upon furlough; and when he married your mother and sold out, he bought my discharge. Within a year his wife died in giving you birth; within two years William Burgot died also."

"Why—why did you assume his name?"

"For your sake, and at his request. He was greatly troubled towards the last by the thought that no provision could possibly be made for your welfare. It was not likely that his stern brother Duke would receive the child of a *mesalliance* which caused the estrangement. William had no income beyond the pittance of one hundred a year allowed him by the late Squire that he might not starve. It was agreed between us, when the ravages of his disease could no longer be ignored, that we should remove from the village where your mother died to a more healthy part of Italy, that we should exchange names, and that, when he was gone, I should contrive to receive the allowance, and should in all things take his place. It was not until I learned that the false William Burgot was expected to take a quiet and undisputed possession of Burgot Grange and fifteen thousand a year that I awoke to the magnitude of the fraud."

"It was no great fraud," said Viola; "they belong to me."

The false William Burgot's hand went up to screen his darkened face.

"Not so, dear child," he said. "They belong to Mrs. Robert and her daughter. You are by English law illegitimate."

"Illegitimate!" cried Viola.

"The marriage was valid enough in Italy where your father proposed to end his days, but, when a Protestant Englishman marries a Roman Catholic foreigner, there are certain forms which must be complied with to legalize the marriage as an English one. From ignorance or carelessness, these forms were neglected. By English law you have no right to inherit your father's property or even to bear his name."

There was a long silence, deep and deadly, as though he had struck her to the heart. She did not gasp or moan or cry out; she bore the blow with stubborn fortitude, constraining herself to hold her peace until she could ask, in ordinary accents—

"Why keep this secret for twenty years, and tell it to me to-day?"

"Because I am very near detection. The Colonel Pettitt to whom you were talking knew William well as a beardless youth, and me as William's servant. He has forgotten me, but is astonished to find me so unlike his old chum. He is coming here to-morrow to stay for a few days, and I may possibly be able to hoodwink him through my intimate knowledge of his Indian experiences. To do so is the only chance to retain all that we have gained. Your woman's wit must advise and help me, Viola."

"I will not perpetuate a wrong," said the girl.

"There is no wrong. Duke Burgot intended the property to revert to William and to yourself, and your moral right to it is not affected by the illegality of your claim. However, I do not press for immediate decision; Col. Pettitt will not be here till twelve o'clock to-morrow. Think the matter over calmly in all its bearings; only keep this in mind, if you retain your present position but a few months longer, you may then exchange it for a yet prouder one. It is evident to me, Viola, that you may be Lady Armidale."

"I wish you good night," she answered abruptly; and with that she rose from her chair, gathered her robes about her, and swept from the room.

CHAPTER IX.

It was the morning after the bazaar. Mrs. Robert and "dear Clara" were discussing the events of the previous day, and the widow was growing excited.

"I tell you, Clara," she enforced, "you are letting Lord Armidale slip through your fingers, as you have done so many smaller fry. Until yesterday I confess I had hopes; but his pointed attentions to that haughty minx Viola dashed them all to the ground."

"I do not believe she would accept him."

"Ridiculous!" cried Mrs. Robert. "It is true she does not go purring about him with pretty airs and winning ways and soft speeches, as you or I would do; that is not her *forte.* Every woman to her style; and Viola's is to be grand and imperious and disdainful as an empress; the *role* suits her type of beauty."

"Beauty!" exclaimed "dear Clara" in angry protest.

"We cannot but admit that she is very lovely, my dear. Everybody says so—raves about it in fact; and what everybody says must be correct. But, as I was remarking, Viola does not go about purring about him—she affects superb indifference; but I have studied her closely, and I am convinced she intends to be lady Armidale. What girl in her senses would refuse such a match and such a man? The prize is lost to you, unless you can win it by some bold *coup.*"

"Such as making him an offer and forcibly abducting him in the event of its refusal," said Clara, with bitter sarcasm.

"Dear Clara," retorted Mrs. Robert, in the most dulcet of murmurs, "since you think proper to turn the subject to ridicule, I will let it drop. At your age I had accepted the most eligible of my suitors, had married him, and was a widow. I have worn well, and will do so; but a year or two hence you will find eligible suitors by no means plentiful."

(To be Continued.

THE LIFE OF A NEWSBOY.

I'me stuck with all these papers. Won't you please buy one?" The speaker was a bright eyed boy whose age, judging from his size, might be guessed as not more than ten years. Still, even under the light of a street lamp, lines of a premature age could be seen upon his pinched features. His attire was that of the street Arab—pantaloons sustained by one suspender, a torn woolen shirt, and a brimless cap.

"What keeps you out so late?"

"I would have been abed hours ago only I lost a dollar and thirty-five cents, all that I had earned during the day, and I could not go home without some money, so I had to buy a new lot of papers and go on selling."

"I suppose you lost your money pitching pennies?"

"Not much," the gamin responded with traces of injured innocence in his tone. "You don't catch me gambling. I've stood and watched the boys pitching pennies, and I made up my mind that nobody but them what's got plenty of money ought to gamble. I could not afford to lose a cent, so you don't see me gambling. I don't want even to know how."

"How much money can you earn a day?"

"That depends on the luck. I generally manage to take about a dollar home with me every night. You see I've got a mother and four young brothers to look after. It takes all I can earn to keep them going. It was good times just after the President was shot. I made nearly two dollars one day."

"Does not your mother do anything to help support the family?"

"Not much. Sometimes I have to get up in the morning and get the breakfast for the kids before I go to work. They are a pile of trouble to me, and it takes all that we can make to keep them at school. After school hours they go out and sell papers. They can't make much, but every little helps. We manage to keep them at school, and they'll know how good that is when they get as old as I am. I had no chance to go to school."

"You know how to read and count, don't you?"

"Oh! I can read and write and count better than they can now, but I taught myself. What I learned was by hearing them going over their lessons. That is, I learned to read that way. As soon as I got a start the rest came easy."

"I think I saw you at Mr. Child's dinner on the Fourth of July. Did you enjoy it?"

"You bet I did. A boy stole my ticket before we got on the train and I came near getting left, but the gray-whiskered gentleman who bossed the excursion made it all right. Then I got a seat at the table along side the feller that stole my ticket and I gobbled his cake to get square with him. You bet I wasn't going to get left. We were having a first-rate time and had just got to the strawberry Ice cream when the news came that the President was dead and the afternoon papers were getting out extras. I just took one spoon full of Ice cream, made sure of my car ticket and got down town as quick as I could. It was business with me, and I scooped in a dollar and a half. It ain't often that you get such a chance to make money on the Fourth."

"What do you expect to do for a living when you get older?"

"If it wasn't for the brats I'd go into a printing office and work my way up there. They pay boys so little that I can't afford to do that until the youngesters are better able to look out for themselves. In a year or two I'll be able to fix that up."

A FOOL ONCE MORE.—For ten years my wife was confined to her bed with such a complication of ailments that no doctor could tell what was the matter or cure her, and I used up a small fortune in humbugstuff. Six months ago I saw a U. S. flag with Hop Bitters on it, and I thought I would be a fool once more. I tried it, but my folly proved to be wisdom. Two bottles cured her, she is now as well and strong as any man's wife, and it cost me only two dollars such folly pays."
—H. W., Detroit, Mich.—*Free Press.*

A MODEL JUSTICE.

Justice O'Connor, of Antonito, Colerado, fell asleep in a railway car, and because a brakeman woke him up he caused the breakeman's arrest. Being in bad humor, his honor went into the hotel, covered the landlord with two revolvers, and abused him to his heart's content. The next evening the Justice rode through the town on horseback, armed with a repeating rifle and two revolvers, threatening all whom he saw. Late at night the Vigilance committee took possession of him in the bar room, and hanged his honor in an old slaughter house. It came out that he had been connected with a gang of robbers, the other members of which he promptly discharged as often as they were brought before him.

HAVE COURAGE.—You may suffer from scrofula or some foul humor, your liver may be conjested, your lungs diseased, your kidneys deranged, your joints distorted with rheumatism, you may be almost a walking skeleton, yet despair not. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS has cured others—it may cure you.

THE FATE OF A SPY.

A Nihilist of St. Petersburg was found to be in connection with the police in respect to the doings of his brother Nithilists. So they invited him to a dinner one evening, and the next day his body was found in a cemetery, with his throat cut from ear to ear. His experience was worse than that of the Russin spy who was among the Nihilists in this city. His business was suspected, and they met in his room s for a convivial evening. He was drugged, and his prapers were searched, confirming their suspicion. When he awoke from his stupor he found a letter advising him to quit the city at once. He went. A few months later he was murdered in Europe, and it was conjectured that the Nihilists on whom he was spying there were his slayers.

THE GREAT TRIUMPH of the 19 century is the great medical climax BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS, cures all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, nervous and general debility, and is the purest and best tonic in the world.

THURINGIAN PEASANTS AT CHURCH.

The Sunday morning service is the best time for seeing the picturesque costumes of the peasants. Before the hours of service arrive, groups of men women, and children assemble in the church yard, the girls having for the most part no covering to their heads save such as is afforded by their own abundant hair tightly platted in coils round their heads. The elder women wear a most elaborate head dress, composed apparently of broad silk ribbons, so arranged as to stand up over the forehead in a sort of tiara, while down the back ends hang in four long broad streamers. All the women wear, even in the hottest weather, great cloaks of divers patterns and colors, very full all round the neck, somewhat after the manner of an Elizabethan ruff. As each woman wears from three to five or more thick skirts, and this cloak over all, the apparent dimensions of a Thuringian peasantess rival those of your ladies in the days of crinoline. The men have for the most part given up their old peasant costumes, and adopted the hideous garments of civilization, and apparently conscious of their want of picturesqueness slink into the back-ground. Presently the bell begins to ring, and women and girls stream into the ground-flour of the church. Men and boys are relegated to the three row of galleries which, one over another, line the walls of the church up to the very ceiling.

THE GREATEST POPULARITY OF DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY is where it has been longest known. Time cannot detract from its merits. It is the old reliable remedy for all bowel complaints incident to the summer season.

BELLS IN BELGIUM.

At the present time the countrymost celebrated for its large and varied collection of bells, in addition to its other interesting associations, is Belgium—a fact relized by comparatively few tourists when they commence to investigate its queer old towns. But if the object is once studied, the pleasure to be derived from a sojourn here is greatly enhanced. This land of bell founders, particularly those of the sixteenth and eighteenth centuries, when Van den Gheyns, Hemony and Dumery lived. Of those three Hemony attained the greatest eminence, constructing, amongst numerous other works, the Mechlin chimes and the greater number of Antwerp bells. The cathederal at Antwerph contains fifty-five bells, besides the carillon and five other bells of great antiquity: of these latter the two principal ones are the curfew, and the carolus, given by Charles V, which is only rung twice in the year, and requires sixteen men to pull it. This bell was exceedingly costly, being composed of silver, copper and gold, and is valued at the sum of $100,000; the action of the clapper has worn away the sides a good deal. Dumery was the founder of the Bruges carillon, which consists of forty bells and one large bourdon.

Looking over the Belgian plains from the belfry of Notre Dame at Antwerp (the spire of which is 403 feet from the foot of the tower), a magnificent panoramic view is obtained; no less than 126 steeples can be counted, including Mechlin Cathedral and St. Gudule at Brussels, and from these belfries carillon are wafted on the air, playing operatic and other melodies, marking the hours as they pass in musical manner. It is quite a mistake to suppose that bells rung every seven minutes is an interruption; their constant recurrence is found to give life and vivacity to these quaint old cities, besides penetrating into the country for miles round; and it is wonderful, after a residence here, how the familiar music is missed when no longer heard.

The geographical aspect of Belgium is well adapted for the transmission of carillons, as it has been found that the penetrating sound on bells is much increased by being rung in a plain or valley, especially a water valley. The belfrey at Tournay, which rocks when the waether stormyin a very ominous manner, contains forty bells. A light is always kept burning after dark in the highest gallery, and if a fire breaks out, the tocan is sounded by the watchman, who is there night and day. The construction of the tambour carillon which produces such charming music, is exactly similar in principle to a musical box. It consists of a barrel with a number of little spikes on it, each of which lifts a tongue, which pulls a wire, and raises a hammer that strikes the required note on a bell In the last century the clavecin, or key board, was used, and the carilloneurs used to preform on this. One of the most celebrated of these players was Van den Gheyns, who used to perform quite elaborate pieces of musi on the bells.

The reason that so many belfries have beenerected in Belgium is doubtless owing to the incessant civil wars that used to ravage the country. It was on this account that in fortifying towns like Ghent and Burges, the first thing to be done was to build the tower, and the second to put up the bells, in order to have the means of calling the people together whenever an out break occured. According to this arrangement, it frequently happened that the bells were the property of the town, whilst the tower belonged to the cathederal chapter. These belfries are extensively decorated with the names of the tourists visiting them, and at Strasburg the signatures of Goethe and Klopstock are shown with pride. It seems an extraordinary thing that in this, as well as in other cathedrals, there is no better mechanical appliance used for swing bells than the wheel, with a rope over it, which is precisely the plan employed by the Chinese more than a thousand years ago.

HONORED AND BLEST.—When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were skeptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and to-day the discoverers of that *great medicine,* Hop Bitters, are honored and blessed by all as benefactors.—*Democrat.*

Hail-stones the size of hen's eggs fell at Deadwood the other day. It is strongly suspected that the only thing that prevented them from going as large as elephant's eggs is the fact that elephants don't lay them.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,
Dep. 7:30 a.m. 12:20 p.m. 5:00 p.m.
Carlton.......7.52 a.m. 12.45 p.m. 5.20 p.m.
Weston......8.05 a.m. 1.00 p.m. 5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't 8.30 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge...8.45 a.m. 1.50 p.m. 6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg....9.05 a.m. 2.13 p.m. 6.24 p.m.
Bolton.......9.25 a.m. 2.37 p.m. 6.43 p.m.
Mono Road..9.50 a.m. 3.05 p.m. 7.05 p.m.
Charleston..10.35 a.m. 3.50 p.m. 7.50 p.m.
Alton.......10.50 a.m. 4.05 p.m. 8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—
Arrive....11.10 a.m. 4.25 p.m. 8.20 p.m.
Depart...11.30 a.m. 4.45 p.m.
Orangeville Junction 11.45 a.m. 5.05 p.m.
Laurel............11.59 a.m. 5.20 p.m.
Shelburne........12.30 p.m. 6.00 p.m.
Dundalk..........1.15 p.m. 6.50 p.m.
Proton...........1.35 p.m. 7.11 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville 1.55 p.m. 7.35 p.m.
Markdale.........2.15 p.m. 8.05 p.m.
Berkly...........2.35 p.m. 8.28 p.m.
Williamsford.....2.50 p.m. 8.46 p.m.
Arnott...........3.05 p.m. 9.06 p.m.
Chatsworth.......3.15 p.m. 9.16 p.m.
Rockford.........3.38 p.m. 9.36 p.m.
Owen Sound.......4.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart 6.30 a.m. 12.00 noon.
Rockford.........7.00 a.m. 12.30 p.m.
Chatsworth.......7.20 a.m. 12.55 p.m.
Arnott...........7.30 a.m. 1.06 p.m.
Williamsford.....7.48 a.m. 1.28 p.m.
Berkly...........8.05 a.m. 1.48 p.m.
Markdale.........8.30 a.m. 2.15 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville 8.56 a.m. 2.45 p.m.
Proton...........9.15 a.m. 3.10 p.m.
Dundalk..........9.35 a.m. 3.30 p.m.
Shelburne........10.15 a.m. 4.15 p.m.
Laurel...........10.47 a.m. 4.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction 11.00 a.m. 5.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—
Arr. 11.15 a.m. 5:20 p.m.
Dep. 7.15 a.m. 11.35 a.m. 5.40 p.m.
Alton.......7.35 a.m. 11.55 a.m. 6.00 p.m.
Charleston..7.50 a.m. 12.10 p.m. 6.18 p.m.
Mono Road..8.25 a.m. 12.47 p.m. 7.05 p.m.
Bolton......8.45 a.m. 1.10 p.m. 7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg...9.05 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge..9.25 a.m. 1.50 p.m. 8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt 9.40 a.m. 2.05 p.m. 8.33 p.m.
Weston.....10.00 a.m. 2.27 p.m. 9.00 p.m.
Carlton....10.10 a.m. 2.39 p.m. 9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,
Arrive...10.30 a.m. 3.00 p.m. 9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, August 19th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.

Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" Mail "	7.00

WEEKLIES.

Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
[illegible] Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20

MONTHLIES.

[illegible] per year,	$1.00
[illegible] "	1.50
[illegible] "	1.50

NO PAPER.

Printers require a holiday as well as other people, as they are but mortals after all, consequently there will be no paper issued from our office next week.

[illegible] we once cultivated turnips and [illegible], and tilled the soil, and are [illegible] a hatred of the fact. We have also occasionally driven geese to water, and [illegible] too accustomed to [illegible] and hissing to be annoyed [illegible].

We [illegible] our very dear friends of the [illegible] and Flesherton [illegible] can find nothing worse to [illegible] than that we once followed Agricultural pursuits for a living, we can afford to laugh at their silly diatribes. If it amuses the poor fellows, we have no objection. Keep at it gentlemen. Farming is not a dishonorable occupation in our estimation, by no means.

PRESIDENT GARFIELD Monday undoubtedly witnessed the most unsatisfactory stage of the President's illness since he was wounded. The official bulletins contain little or no information, and what little their was proved very unsatisfactory to the general public. The attending physicians are very reticent especially to the members of the press, consequently their was great difficulty in supplying the public with any information as to the exact condition of the patient. It is generally admitted that the situation is very grave, and that the chances are, as to his death or recovery, about even.

A BRUTAL murder was perpetrated in Ottawa last week by a crowd of roughs. It appears an old and inoffensive old man got married, and the "boys" thought they would celebrate the event by a charivari, and thereby obtain a little free whiskey.—The old gentleman not approving of the honor, refused the demand made for $2, and as a consequence the row increased, whereupon he went out to endeavor to disperse the crowd, when he was deliberately stoned to death.

Some 20 of the participants have been arrested and we trust that no leniency will be shown them. Can nothing be done to put a stop to this barbarous custom. It is not long since a young man, not far from Markdale, was shot in the face at a charivari, which resulted, we are informed, in the total loss of his sight.

As we were going to press we received the following information by Telegraph from our Flesherton correspondent. Mr. David White Sr., a farmer living a little below this village East of Toronto and Sydenham road, met with instantaneous death by falling off a load of grain which he was hauling into his barn, and dislocating his neck.

Mr. Thibaudeau, has purchased the present season (to date) 300 head of cattle for his stock farm. He has disposed of the most of them, and is still buying. The amount of money which has passed through his hands in connection with the above business this season, is over $8,000.00.

KIMBERLEY.

From our own Correspondent.

Heavy rain on Saturday.

Clear and cold on Monday.

The farmers are busy engaged gathering their crops, which promises a good remumeration for their labor. The farmers say that their spring crops are the best they have had for a number of years.

Plewes has his mill in full blast again, he having given the machinery a thorough overhauling.

Mr. S. Gaudin and F. Thurston Killed a milk snake one day last week measuring 3 feet 4½ inches in length.

J. R. Fawcett of this place has a pet owl, which flew into the house on Sunday night. Some of the superstitious advise the annihilation of his owlship.

Sermons were preached on Sabbath by the Rev. Mr. Large, M. E. of Meaford and Mr. Gaudy, C. M. of Eugenia.

No saw-dust now nor artificial sawyers.

Mr. Casting, of Toronto, has got the front of his lot laid out in ¼ acre building lots and 3 acre park lots. The surveying was done by Mr. Gilliland P. L. S. of Eugenia.

By thump, we are going to have an incorporated village in the near future.

The music factory spoken of recently in the *Advance* has turned out its first instrument, which does credit to the manufacturer,

FLESHERTON.

From our own Corretyondent.

ACCIDENT.—While driving along the station road, Master Fred. Leich colided with another vehicle. He had Mr. R. Davis' little boy with him, and was forced to jump out and let the horse go. The buggy upset and the horse took it in tow until it was a total wreck. Cause—narrow cuts of long standing. They are so narrow that it is next to imposible for one team to pass another without coliding. The merchants and others should never let the Council rest until they repair that road. We hope to see a large number of the ratepayers wait on the Council at its next meeting, to see what action they intend taking in the matter.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

Rumor has it that a jewelry peddlar visited this picturesque Village last week, and by some means got drugged and robbed of all his jewelry and cash, in all amounting to over one hundred dollars. How much truth there is in it I am unable to say. The matter seems to be kept very quiet.

The Fall wheat harvest is about finished, and Spring grain, owing to the past scorching week, has ripened rapidly and is being havested, and is going to be a good average crop.

We are in receipt of the premium list of the East Grey and Township of Artemesia Agricultural Societies. The sums offered in prizes is very liberal, and doubtless will be taken advantage of this fall.

News is very scarce, not even a marriage taking place for gossips to pass remarks on.

People never seem to tire of picnics;—still they come. Why don't some of them come here? Plenty of room.

DUNDALK.

On Thursday the union Picnic of the Canada Methodist, and the Presbyterian Sunday Schools, held their picnic in Mr. McConnels grove, and we were well pleased with the manner in which the programme was carried out; both old and young appeared to fully enjoy themselves. We counted eight swings on the ground. and all in full working order, and it was pleasing to see how the fair sex enjoyed the lofty swing. Such unity we have not enjoyed in Dundalk for years. There appeared to be no distinction of party, and this is just as it should be, and we trust it may continue.

Ample justice was done to the very rich dainties provided by the schools. We do not hesitate to say, that the ladies in connection with Dundalk can compete with any part of the county of Grey, for fine and fancy pastery, for such they always have on every occasion. Long may they live.

The Broad Guage will soon be in Dundalk, and then ! ! !

Good crops in the vicinity of Dundalk, gives promise to a good fall trade.

The Canada Methodist Church in Dundalk, is now being painted, which will add much to its appearance and comfort.

THE TORONTO GREY & BRUCE.—The work of reconstructing the Toronto Grey & Bruce railway is going forward steadily, though hindered somewhat by the difficulty of procuring laborers. About one half of the steel rails needed to relay the track have already been distributed along the line, and the remainder will be laid down in a few weeks. As soon after that as the new bridges are completed and the alterations are made in the grading and alignment the steel rails will be laid, which will probably be about the beginning of October. The new elevator in Toronto is nearly finished, and it is expected that work will soon commence on one at the Owen Sound terminus. None of the new issue of bonds have yet been placed on the market, and it is not probable that they will be until the legal troubles of the road have subsided. A few months ago the whole amount might have been disposed of on the London money market at 105, but the contentions that have since taken place, and the application for the appointment of a receiver have depreciated them by five to ten per cent. All persons interested in the prosperity of the road will desire to see the litigation ended. —*World.*

A farmer, near Kingston, was shot, it is supposed, by a neighbor, who has since left for parts unknown.

ADDRESS

To the Minister, at the Ordination and Induction of Mr. Chisholm in the Presbyterian Congregation of Osprey, at the Presbyterian Church, McIntyre's Corners, August 3rd, 1881.

DEAR BROTHER,—

In the words of Paul to Timothy, I would say to you "Take heed to thyself, and to thy teaching."

Thy first consideration is thyself; that thine own heart be right before God. When thine own heart is right before Him thy work will be acceptable unto Him, and thou shalt have pleasure in it. His service will be a delight to thee; otherwise it will be a burden, a heartless task. In the midst of the trials, difficulties, heart-breakings, which invariably accompany the service of the holy ministry, the faithful servant will find a resting-place in the bosom of his God; there lodge every burden. Go unto Him with thy temptation—temptation which may act as a thorn in thy flesh, and He will say unto thee as unto His servant of old, "my grace is sufficient for thee." Beware of the malice of Satan—beware of it, when it comes through the agency of unreasonable men. Take heed to thyself against the openly wicked, whose sins go before them to judgment, who are easily marked and distinguished as those who are serving sin, who made shipwreck of the faith such as Hymenaeus and Alexander, whom Paul delivered unto Satan, that they might be taught not to blaspheme. Take heed also to thyself against the sly hypocrite whose words are as oil in thy presence, but as the poison of asps behind thy back. Enter not into their secret; unto their assembly let not thine honor be united."

You will have many friends here. There are many warm hearts ready to greet you. Friendship is worth having, and by no means to be lightly esteemed. It is expected of you to be friendly to everybody. In this respect you are to follow your Master, the Lord Jesus Christ, who in His friendship sought the good of everybody—even the outcast. In this sense you are to be the friend of the sinner, and the profligate. Alas, for human weakness, some enter into friendship with great readiness. There are those who expect so much in return for their friendship, that to keep it is exceedingly difficult. Yea, there are some unless you enter with them into their own ways, whether their ways be right or wrong, you cannot hope to keep it. It may not be worth having at so dear a price. Let it go. Take heed to thyself.

There are others who are not very ready in forming friendship, who are more retired in their nature. The stream of their affections runs slowly and smoothly, but it runs deep. What it lacks in swiftness it gains a thousandfold in profoundness. The friendship of such people is worth seeking and worth keeping. In order that we may possess it we must *win* it. We can win it only by our real merit—our faithfulness in duty—our sincerity and honesty of purpose. In proportion as the friendship of these has been hard to gain, so will it be the more easily retained. They are not of the fickle kind of folk who turn with every wind. It may happen that many of those who seem cold towards you at the beginning of your ministry will, in the course of time, become your most faithful and devoted friends; while on the other hand, some who may be most gushing in the display of friendship, may also be first to turn their backs upon you. Let not these things trouble you, neither be surprised at them. It was so with Christ, and with many a good man before and after His sojourn among men. Take heed to thyself. Keep a conscience void of offence. Thus shalt thou have peace with thyself, and approbation with thy God.

Take heed to thyself and to thy teaching. You will have a good deal of teaching to do. Take heed that it is of the right quality. A stewardship or dispensation of the Gospel is committed unto you. God has been pleased to count you faithful and call you to this ministry. Thank Him for His mercy. Much of the teaching must needs be to put the people in remembrance of what they already know, knew long ago. God's people will never get weary of the Gospel. They hate profane and vain babbling, strivings about words, talking of knowledge falsely so called, which does not feed the soul. It is no bread to them. Give them the bread of life. Prepare it for them the best way you can. In the prepartion of your discourses there is ample room for the display of individuality. Be yourself by all means. Be not bound and cramped too much by the rules and laws laid down by men for building up sermons, but these have their use and are valuable. Be not a mere imitator, only imitate the Lord Jesus, our great example. Teach your people in your own way, but teach them from the word of God. Let the message be His and from Him, delivered by man to men, but as a man who knows whereof he affirms; knows it so well that it has become part of himself.

The end of all your labours should be that you and your people be brought to love God more and more. Where love is, the bond of union and peace will ever increase in strength.

The material prosperity of the congregation is not the principal thing to be aimed at. It is an object to be sure, but unless such prosperity is grounded upon sound basis it is valueless. The outward growth of the congregation is intimately connected with its spiritual growth, but the spritual is the chief. Bodily exercise profiteth little, but godliness is profitable in all things, having the promise of the life that now is and of that which is to come.

You may sometimes find it necessary to teach men how they ought to behave themselves in the house of God. You may have need to use your authority, and your tact, and experience, and skill of human nature, in exemplifying good behaviour and in enforcing it. You are to-day put into the position in which you will have to remind men of their duties—men who are maybe older, richer, greater, wiser than yourself. This is a trying position for a man of a humble mind—a dangerous position for a vain novice. You are no novice. You have known the scriptures from a child. You have spent many years studying men and things, during all of which time you have professed your faith and passed through many temptations unscathed. Take heed of the danger however, but remember the words of Paul to Timothy, "Let no man despise thy youth." Men do not despise a man in the faithful discharge of duty.

False doctrines will try to creep in here, and there, imported by men whom Paul compares to dogs, men who creep into families, get into their affections on the sly, and with a smooth oily tongue, and a silly giddy heart and head, and lead captive silly people of both sexes, who are very fond of learning new things and new interpretations; yes, ever learning, but never able to come to the knowledge of the truth. These false doctrines you may need to hammer to pieces and scatter so as to expose them, that they may vanish before the light of the truth—the glorious light of the sun of righteousness. "Fear not, lo I am with you always."

In conclusion, take heed to thyself and to thy teaching. Guard and feed the flock committed to thy charge. Be faithful, fearless, enduring trials, patient, persevering, committing the keeping of thy soul unto God in well doing as unto a faithful Creator, who having proved thee faithful, will place upon thy head the crown of life that fadeth not away.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

FROM THE OULD SOD.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I fear you will class me as a very tardy correspondent, inasmuch as I have not written you before this. Well, to tell the truth, which is always the best, I have often thought of redeeming my promise by sending you short sketches of my wanderings; but have not until the present time been able to screw my courage up to the sticking point, and now that I have commenced to scribble, I scarcely know where to begin, or what to say to interest your numerous readers. Perhaps it would be just as well to begin at the beginning, although to me full of painful recollections of that terrible affliction, *sea-sickness*, gentle reader, which took possession of me from the time I placed my foot upon the deck of the steamer, and would not let go its hold no matter how strenuously I struggled against it. For nine days I was confined to my berth, and many a time wished myself back in Markdale or at the bottom of the ocean.

The first land we sighted was Ireland, to me as pleasing a sight as water to the thirsty traveller in the sandy desert, and after a few more hours of agony, Liverpool was reached. As usual, our luggage was searched, which operation cost me the loss of a book, and friend Doll a box of cigars; for even in free trade England, so called, they have custom houses, and officers, who collect revenues pretty carefully. After passing the customs, we were allowed to pass the luggage porters when they had collected a shilling for doing absolutely nothing, as I handled my luggage myself. One can scarcely turn round in this country, especially if a foreigner, without it costing him a shilling. A shilling for the waiters at the hotels; a shilling for a candle and a bit of soap; a shilling for the porter; another for the "Boots;" and still another for attendance; and if you show the least weakness, the cabby will ask an extra sixpence or a shilling "just to drink your honor's 'ealth with, as it is a 'orrible chilly day, you know."

Liverpool, the entry port for the shipping of the world, with its forests of masts, miles of magnificent docks at which floats hundreds of vessels, from the tiny pleasure yacht up to the full rigged East India merchantmen, ladened with the spices of the East, and the mighty Atlantic steamers, with their cargoes of meat, wheat, and cotton; its seven and nine storied warehouses; its massive cotton and corn exchanges, public buildings, handsome private residences, and parks, forms a picture of solid wealth especially pleasing to those engaged in commercial pursuits.

From Liverpool I boarded the great Northern fast Express train for Manchester, and was whirled along at the rate of 60 miles an hour. If the English are slow at somethings, they are certainly the fastest at collecting shillings and railway travelling. Every Yankee you meet here, and there are a good many here at the present time, have to acknowledge that railway travelling in this country is much superior in point of speed to America.

You can smell the smoke of Manchester for miles before you reach it. As Liverpool has its forests of masts, so Manchester has its forests of huge chimneys, towering high up in the air, and emitting great volumes of smoke completely shutting out the sun's light, and making it comparatively dark at mid-day. Manchester has a population of about 500,000, mostly engaged in the manufacture of cottons, felts, rubbers, &c. To me, coming from the bright, clear atmosphere of Canada, the smoke and smell was stifling and very oppressive. I made my purchases as quickly as possible and left for Birmingham, where Mr. Doll had gone to purchase some jewelry. From Manchester to Birmingham, and indeed right through to London, on both sides of the railway for miles inland, you will see one continuous line of large manufacturing establishments of all kinds, where iron, steel, cotton, woolen, silk, brass, gold, crockery, hardware, in fact everything man requires, except religion, from a 1000 pound cannon, to kill his fellow man with, down to a lady's hair pin is manufactured. I was just thinking while whirling past these great busy hives of industry, that we in Canada, in order to become a great and prosperous people, must imitate our grand old mother, who so carefully and patiently nursed and *protected* her manufactories in their infancy, until now they are strong and powerful, and enabled to weather the successive failure of crops here, and the keen competition from America and other protected countries, although the American, Canadian, and French protective tariff is a sore spot with them here. They would much rather we would send them our wheat, pork, cheese, beef, &c., and that they would do all our manufacturing for us.

From the manufacturing centres of England I proceeded to Stratford-on-Avon, the birth-place of the immortal Shakespeare, where I visited his tomb, sat in his chair, and thought of the many pleasant hours I have spent reading the life-pictures, which no doubt he penned while seated in the old chair which I was then sitting in. Thence by fast train from the little peaceful County Town, with all its hallowed memories, to the great bustling City of London, with its 5,000,000 human beings, the most populous city in the world. It cannot fail to impress the visitor no matter how careless or superficial an observer he may be. Nothing is better calculated to afford the traveller a good insight to London, and enable him to take his bearings, and to dispel the first oppressive feelings of solitude and insignificance which creeps over one, than a drive through the principal quarters outside an omnibus, where you get a much better view than by a cab, besides being much cheaper; and if you can manage to get a seat beside the driver, and he happens to be obliging, a shilling would make him so, he will give you more information about the streets, buildings, monuments and other sights, than you could possibly get in any other way.

London has doubled its size within the last half century, and now covers an area of 122 square miles; is lighted by 1,000,000 gas lamps; has 300,000 domestic servants, and there are more Scotchmen in London than in Edinburgh, more Irish than Dublin, and more Roman Catholics than in Rome. It consumes annually 10,000,000 bushels of wheat, 400,000 oxen, 1,500,000 sheep, 130,000 calves, 250,000 hogs, 8,000,000 head of poultry, 4,000,000 pounds of fish, 5,000,000 oysters, besides lobsters and other food; and the Londoners require to wash down all that amount of food, the modest amount of 180,000,000 quarts of ale and porter, 8,000,000 quarts of spirits, and 31,000,000 quarts of wine, not to speak of 150,000,000 gallons of water daily supplied by the various companies.

To me, London has been the most interesting city I have visited. I was, by the kindness of a friend, permitted to hear the Hon. E. Gladstone, Forster, Bright, Parnell, O'Donnell, and several others speak in the House of Commons. Hundreds of interesting and Historical places have been pointed out to me; such as the spot upon which the martyrs suffered for their faith; Guy Fawkes' cell and the gateway under which the two sons of Edward IV were murdered by their cruel uncle, Lady Jane Gray's, Sir Walter Raleigh's and many other noted persons' cells, and the inscriptions the unhappy inmates cut into the stone. I visited Wesley's chapel, and sat in the pulpit that John Wesley preached in, and plucked a flower from off the grave of Adam Clark; visited the tower, and inspected the jewels, &c. On Sabbath went to church, like a good Christian, three times, which is better than a great many Christians do; heard the Rev. Newman Hall, Spurgeon and Canon Farrer, three of London's greatest preachers.

After ten days spent in London I went to Paris, the gayest and wickedest city in the world, of which I will say a little in another letter, as I fear this will weary your readers.

From Paris I went to Edinburgh, where I met with more genuine hospitality than in any place I have been; thence to Glasgow, the *dirtiest*, and then on to Ould Ireland, where I am staying with an Irish family named McFarland, and am enjoying the rale ould Irish hospitality, with an occasional drop of the *pothen* by way of divarsion.

Will write yau again when the spirits moves.

W. J. McFARLAND.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I notice in last weeks issue a letter from Wm. Brown, blowing his horn in connection with a Presbyterian ordination on the 16th inst., said to be "according to the simple rites and ceremones of the early Christian and apostolic church" and that "all those who have a desire to understand and Appreciate the Scriptural form of ordination should attend." I have heard since that a teameeting or something of that sort is to be held on the evening of the ordination, at which a 25c charge is to be made. I suppose Mr. Brown also considers this to be part of the simple rites and ceremonies of Apostolic times, and that the 25c charge is the regular orthodox Apostolic and Scriptural method of church support. Oh! Oh!! Oh!!!

CONSISTENCY.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—In your last week's issue I noticed a letter from Wm. Brown, in which a claim to true Apostolicity is made for the Presbyterian body. Now, if this means anything, it must mean that the Apostles and early Christians were Presbyterians. Supposing this to be so, how does Mr. B. account for the universal predominance of Church government by Bishops, Priests and Deacons during the first fifteen centuries of the Christian era? Unless it happened upon a certain night that all the people professing Christianity went to bed Presbyterians and got up next morning Episcopalians, and so complete was the change, and so thoroughly ignorant of it were they, that not a single historian was found to record the wonder. Would it not be rather odd, Mr. Editor, if Mr. B. should have such an experience? Be the day far off!

Every person who knows anything of Church history knows that the Presbyterian form of Church government was unknown to the world until the sixteenth century. If so, what becomes of Mr. B's claim to Apostolicity for Presbyterianism.

Mr. B. refers to Acts xiii-3 will he find out how many of those who took part in the ceremonies last Tuesday were truly Apostolic in regard to fasting as preparitory to take part in an ordination.

To be truly Apostolic it may be necessary to unite Apostolic ceremonies at ordinations but it is *absolutely* necessary to have Apostolic authority, which is possessed by no Protestant body except by the Catholic and Apostolic Church of England.

J. WARD.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The Flesherton paper has a name or at least gives itself a name. It calls itself the *Advance*. This enterprising sheet actually manages last week to give notice of the illness of the late manager of the Northern Railway, Mr. Cumberland about a week after his death and burial. Surely *Advance* is a misnomer, one of the many shams of this modern era.

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To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I have been reading those letters by "M," on church affairs. In his last he asks for Subscriber's view on increasing church income. I waited a week to see what Subscriber would say, but there being no reply in last weeks "STANDARD," I will give "M" my view. Lay on a tax. Why not tax for this as well as for many other less important matters? O, but says "M." we must have voluntary free-will offerings. Of course we must, and if we tax ourselves voluntarily and of free will is it notallright? Our national and municipal taxation is self inflicted. We are a free people taxed by our representtatives in other words by ourselves. Consequently our taxes are voluntarly free-will offerings. Well if we elect office-bearers in a congregation and appoint them to get the town Clerk's assessment role and clap on a tax on each member to raise the necessary annual amount required would not that be a voluntary free-will offering? O, but some may say again The Gospel is free, without money and without price. Well, who says it isn't? But the Bible don't say that we are to get our Chapels free, our Parsonages free, our Pastors free. Not at all. The Gospel is to be distinguished from its adjuncts. Tax the adjuncts but leave the Gospel free. So thinks.

TAXARIOUS.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I observe some discussion in your paper as the best way of supporting the church, It seems to be a difficult thing all round to get money enough for religious purposes. Whiskey gets the name of being a means of great evils. Is it not possible to make it a means of doing some good. I wouldsuggest that every time that any one spends ten cents in treating he should hand another ten to the bar keeper who might have a special till for church purposes, and thus the tavern keepers could act as general church treasurers. It appears to me that this would solve the financial question for the church. Some sticklers might find fault with the plan. But what scheme is there with which some fault could not be found. Some people say better throw your money away than spend it on whiskey, but this plan would secure for a good purpose as much as throw away. Others say that money spent on strong drinks is so much given to the evil one. Well, allowing that to be so, it would help to equalise matters if as much was given to Him who is the essence of all good. Again, some think it useful and necessary sometimes to fight the devil with his own weapons, now this would be better than that because it would show by clear contrast the benefits accruing from the respective ten cents and would also show that we had some sense of.

FAIR PLAY.

To the Editor of the STANDARD,

SIR,—In his last communication your correspondent "M," comes down hard upon debt, especially church debt. There are three kinds of debt that may be referred to, viz:—Individual, National and Ecclesiastical. In regard to the first, is it not a fact that the individual who is not in debt in some way or other is apt to get lazy, careless, indifferent, frequently loses his business energy, and does not attract that amount of interest from others which indebtness to them would doubtless create for him. Then National debt is by some wise acres in national domestic economy considered to be a national calamity, while it is strongly argued by others that a nation to be prosperous must have its debt. It acts as a spur to national energy, creates an international interest, and is humanly speaking a great incentive to everlasting peace. In a similar way debt ecclesiastical may have a energising influence in keeping churches in a state of vigourous activity, acting as a preventative of a careless indifferent laziness in church matters, and smooths the way to a state of harmonious brotherly action between the pulpit and the pew. On these premises therefore it may well be argued that the best way of increasing our church income, is to lose no time in getting into debt, keep piling it up, and not be in any very particular hurry in getting out of it. As to lessening church expenditure so as to keep out of debt being the other part of "M's." query. This would never do. It would be a going backward and if debt has any of the advantage referred to it would be superfluous. The point is, as we advance into debt find out means to follow it up so as not altogether lose sight of it. A great many ingenious ways have already been hit on for this purpose, such as Festivals, Soirees, Concerts, Garden Parties, Raffles, Bazaars, &c., and it must be allowed even by "M." that they have been effective if not conclusive. Debt has been scourged, docked and shortened by these methods, but it is still moving forward Could not "M." try his ingenuity in inventing some new and sensational way of still farther lessening the shadow of this ogre of the church, or could he not do something to improve the said Raffles and Festivals in accordance with principals. Does "M." want to drive all Sociality out of the church. Is the devil's disciples, only to have their social, gatherings and christs disciples alone to remain sour solem, and selfishly apart? If I want to give a Yorker to help build a church or pay a certain church debt, am I not giving voluntarily and square out of my pocket as "M." advocates when I give it by way of a Raffle or Social Spree in a garden or otherwise, even suppose I pay another Yorker for the fun of the thing. The open sore perhaps is in whether we give our quarters for God's glory or our own enjoyment. If these can be combined, why not? If they cannot, let "M." demonstrate the fact and if so demonstrated, by all means let the the thing be knocked on the head.

Yours Truly,

SUBSCRIBER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The mountain has labored for two weeks and brought forth a mouse on the road repairs.

Which is the Blockhead?

The *Advance* of June 8th says:—"Two thousand dollars, or there abouts, would make the road to the station almost perfectly level. We hope prompt action will be taken in the matter, for assuredly $2,000 could not be better spent."

Advance July 28th:—One would think to read what certain corre pondents have been writing in reference to the County gravel roads in Artemesia Township, that they were totally unfit for travel in many places, when the very opposite is their condition, as any man outside of an asylum would acknowledge."

Surely if it would take two thousand dollars to repair 1½ miles of the road, they must be in a very bad condition, and in his last issue he states, that his devil says something ought to be done to the station road, and says he told the truth. This is only one more instance of a boy advising the Council, (Ensign Field should be proud of his son) Then he adds,—"We certainly think the Council should expend some money on that station road, and the sooner the better."—Why, Mr. Editor, the truthfulness of the old Devil himself would put the *Advance* to shame; but then the editorials are like Crusoe's scurulous style, and correspondents of any note would not contribute to such a sheet, The Eugenia critique may find to his surprise that Crusoe's scissors have been through his articles,

Ever and anon Friday of the *Advance* groans because you have a correspondent in Flesherton; but there is nothing wondeful in that, because the ablest correspondents in this locality does homage to deities of higher order than that of a Mud-Turtle. Ratepayer will hear from me next week.

YOUR CORRESPONDENT.

REMOVED.

I beg to inform my many friends that I have removed into my new premises in Dr Sproule's Brick Block. Too busy to give particulars this week; but might say I have fresh goods arriving daily, which I will dispose of at living rates for cash.

CALL AND SEE ME.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, August 3rd, 1881.

BIRTHS.

MATHEWS—On Monday the 15th inst., the wife of Alexander Mathews, of a son, still born.

SPROULE—In Flesherton, on 15th inst., the wife of R. J. Sproule, Merchant, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

TROYER—TUCKER—In Owen Sound, on the 17th inst., by the Rev., Canon Mulholland, Br. Jacob Troyer, conductor T.G. & B. R., to Miss Lucy Elizabeth Tucker, eldest daughter of Mr. John Tucker, Owen Sound,

DIED.

CARTER—In Holland, on the 10th inst., Hannah, youngest daughter of Mr. Robt. Carter, aged 4 months, 15 days.

IRETON.—In Glenelg, on the 11th inst., infant and only child of Mr. Robert Ireton, aged 3 weeks.

NOTICE.

THE subscribers in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49 tf.

WANTED.

A SMART, STOUT BOY. ABOUT 16 or 18 years old, to learn the Baking business.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 3t.

Venner's Predictions!

For this month's Weather, prepared expressly for STODDART'S REVIEW.

Sample copy mailed for 3 cent stamp.

J. M. STODDART, Pub., New York, Phil., or Chicago.

Voters' List, 1881

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF EUPHRASIA, IN THE COUNTY OF GREY.

NOTICE is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the second section of "*Voters' List Act of 1876*," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to said Act of all persons appearing by the last Revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal Elections, and that the said list was first posted up at my office, at Euphrasia, on the Third day of August, 1881, and remains there for inspection. Electors are called upon to examine the said list and if any omissions or any other errors are found therein to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

Dated at Euphrasia, this 5th day of August, A.D. 1881.

ROBERT DUNLOP,

Clerk of the said Municipality.

40-3t.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

Shortly. In the meantime Goods are being cleared out to make room for the large stock which is now being selected personally by Mr. McFarland from the largest houses in Europe.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, August 19th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

Large crowd in town yesterday.

We had a call from Mr. Watson, of the Meaford *Monitor* on Monday.

C. W. Rutledge has sold his farm (Maple Leaf) to J. B. Thibaudeau' for $4,000.

Mount Forest High School re-opens Sept. 1st. See advertisement in another column.

The 18th has arrived, but where is that cold snap and snow storm that Vennor promised us.

Fruit is commencing to come in, rather small, but we cannot say that of the price asked for it.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted,

Friend Shanahan appears to be doing a rushing business to judge from the number of stylish rigs he turns out.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

W. J. McFarland, Esq., was to sail from Liverpool yesterday, the 18th. Our best wishes attend him and his voyage home.

Subscribe for the Standard the best local paper in this section of the County. To the end of the year from date only 40 cents.

Improvements are constantly being made in the manufacture of steel pens. Esterbrook's are of superior excellence For sale by all stationers.

We this week publish a very interesting letter from our esteemed townsman W. J. McFarland, Esq., who is now on a visit to the Old Country.

The Rev., S. Fisher, Primitive Methodist minister, will preach in Orange Hall on Sabbath next, at 3 o'clock p. m. All are kindly invited.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

The first lot of goods purchased by Mr. McFarland while in England arrived here this week, and now we may expect to see a big rush to Mac's store.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

We learn that the skating Rink in Dundalk fell in one day this week with a fearful crash, and is now a total wreck. This will be a serious loss to its proprietor Mr. John Hanbury.

Business is booming in Markdale we have not an idle machanic in town, all our industries are working to their, fullest extent and they can't keep up with the demand, and new industries will be opened before the winter season.

We see the *O. S. Advertiser* is advertising for 10,000 servant girls, what are you going to do with them, Jimmy, would not *one* be sufficient, or are you going to start a Mormorn colony of your own.

Kay & Thomas, shoemakers, announce that they have the largest stock of leather in town. They say they no specialty, but take the same pains with *all* branches. See advertisement in another column.

For all Liver and Kidney complaints and affections of the Stomach and Bowels use the great Dyspepsia remedy. Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large 8 oz. bottles containing 70 teaspoonful doses at 50 cents a bottle. A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

Fifty per cent of the pupils of the Markdale School who went to the late examination at Owen Sound, succeeded in passing, two of whom took life certificates. This is a result unsurpassed, perhaps unequalled by any Public School in the County, and speaks well for the teacher of said School

Dyspepsia can readily be cured by taking according to directions Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They greatly aid the digestive powers and tone the whole system. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. For sale by A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

Harvesting is well through, a number being already done. The yield, we believe, will be over an average, and the quality good. This, together with fine harvest weather is very encouraging to farmers, and in fact to all, as the success of any business in an agricultural country depends very materially on the prosperity of the farmer.

There is no better family medicin than Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They are taken alike by both old and young. They invigorate the system. They should invariably be used instead of those little well-known nauseous purgatives called pills. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

We are pleased to announce that the following young ladies passed very creditable examination and were granted certificates Miss Maggie Smith, Miss Tessie Lyons, Miss Fanny Ford and Miss Liza Jane Bailey We tender them our congratulations.

Burglary.—On Sunday night the store of Richard Notter, Owen Sound was entered by burglars, and a small quantity of money taken. Owen Sound appears to be infested with a nest of burglars, as not a week passes without the papers recording one or more cases of the kind and no clue to the perpetrators. What are the Owen Sound police doing. We believe they have a chief of police and three or four constables, and yet burgelers are of almost daily occurrence, and yet the aforesaid police have been unable to find any clue.

Quite an exciting incident occurred at the residence of one of our villagers on Tuesday night. The head of the family was sitting quietly enjoying his evening smoke and conning over the colums of the *Mail*. His better half was at the other end of the table, like Queen Dido, darning a hole in a stocking, and the two boys were sitting at the back door laying out plans for the morrow, and searching for the comet. Suddenly the quiet serenity of the scene was disturbed by a fearful scream and in rushed the two boys with palid faces and protruding eye balls. With some difficulty they were quieted and asked what was the matter, oh, such a big black bear made a rush at us and growled. Out rushed the valiant father, seazing an axe as he went, followed by his wife with a heavy iron poker, and the boys bringing up the rear, holding high the lamp so pa and ma could have plenty of light. After searching all round the premises and finding nothing, they looked out on the road, and there spied Mac's big black Newfoundland dog trotting quietly away with a bone in his mouth. Thus ended what might have proved another very exciting bear story.

ORDINATION AND INDUCTION IN MARKDALE.

The services in connection with the Ordination and Induction of Rev A. Wilson to the Ministry of Flesherton and Markdale congregations of the Presbyterian Church, took place at the latter place, in Dufferin Hall, on Tuesday, the 16th inst., and was largely attended by members of the congregations and others.

An entertainment was given in the evening, tea being served from 6 to 8. The *Tea* was excellent (provided by McIntyre) and the pastry was truly rich. After tea, which was served in the first flat in the Hall, all repaired to the upper floor, and Mr. Meldrum was voted to the chair, which he filled in his usual off-hand business like manner. He first called on Mr. Snider, Presbyterian Student, who spoke for a short time on the Training of Children, which was no doubt considered a very appropriate subject for a young man. Mr. and Miss Anderson then gave one of their popular songs, which was appreciated very highly. Mr. Milne, of Maxwell, gave a reading in his usual masterly manner. Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre gave a favorite Scotch song, after which came Rev. Mr. Chisholm, who stirred the mirthfully element, and dwelt particularly on the necessity and benefits of liberality in the lives and actions of the people. Mr.——a song, Dr. Sproule M. P., spoke a few words in a masterly manner. Misses Rorke & Lazier Duette. Rev. McDairmid, (Methedist), afew words, especially congratulating egtf congregations on their very wise and judicious choice of a minister, in the person of Mr. Wilson. Mr. & Miss Anderson were again called on and gave anotherthrilling Scotch song, and were not permitted to take their seats again in the congregation, but were enchored and kindly obeyed the request to the satisfaction of all present. Rec. D. McLeod. Priceville, was then called to the platform, and gave a few remarks in his earnestand appropriate way. Miss Rorke & Lezier, were again called on, and rendered a piece of music which was very highly applauded. Rev. Mr. Wilson then gave a short address, after which one of the most pleasing and interesting events of the season came to an end. All, we believe, were well satisfied with their evenings enjoyment.

The *Mail* gives currency to the following incident, which exposes the essence of meanness:—The head master of a public school in a western county has been recieving $425 a year, or a trifle more than $8 a week. in return for his services as instructor of the neighborhood. Just before the holidays, an educational tramp offered to undertake the work for $400 per annum, or at the rate of fifty cents per week less than the master was recieving. Now, if the trustees had been mean men they would have accepted the offer at once. But as there is not a spark of meaness intheir composition, they determined to wait upon the schoolmaster and inform him of the lower offer they had recieved. They waited upon him accordingly and told him that he could either continue his position at reduced salary or give to a cheaper man. Next year the trustees will be wondering how it is the school master does not preform his duties so heartily and so cheerfully as formerly. But they will have the satisfaction of knowing they are keeping him humble. There is nothing like compelling the minister and the teacher to pratice humility.

Wheat Experiments.—Mr. Sealey, Reeve of Waterdown, has just threshed out seven acres of fall wheat of this year's groth. The patch realized 485 bushels—an average of 69 bushels an acre, proving a very good yield of excellent grain. It may interest farmers to know how the three descriptions of seed sown by Mr. Sealey turned out. There was sown on the 7 acres 10 bushels of hack wheat which produced 100 bushels; 10 of Fultz, producing 153 bushels; 14 of Clawson, realizing 230 bushels. How does the experience of other farmers correspond with this? The hack wheat was a trial, and at the rate of yield recorded cannot be regarded as satisfactory. Mr. Sealey says the oats in his district have never turned out better. He has several magnificent fields. As to the time for fall wheat sowing, his long experience has taught him that early seeding is by far the best. He always tries to sow betwee the 1st and 10th of September.—Hamilton *Times*.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5,25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.13	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.12
Barley	0.45	"	0.55
Oats	0.30	"	0.31
Peas	0.60	"	0.62
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.14	"	0.14
Eggs, per doz.	0.13	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.75		1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	10.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.40	"	0.50
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Thursday, June 18th 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.50	to	$6.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.08	to	1.15
Fall do. do. do.	1.08	"	1.15
Barley	0.60	"	0.65
Oats	0.34	"	0.36
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.12
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.21	"	0.25
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 60c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c; sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c

TORONTO.

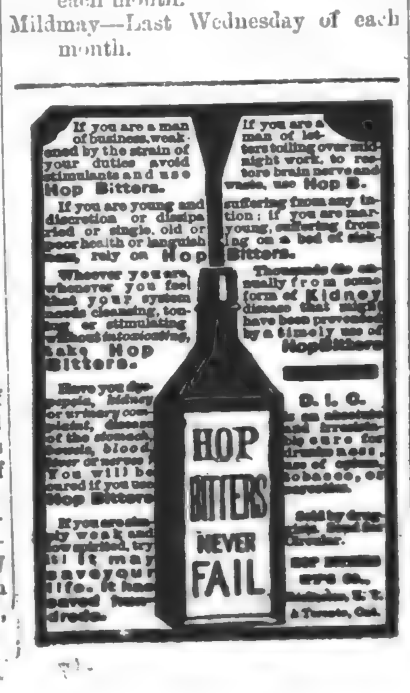
(Special to the Standard.)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 20	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 23
Barley, do.	0 55	to	0 60
Oats, do.	0 40	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 65	to	0 73
Rye, do.	0 00	to	0 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 00	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 35	to	0 45
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair,
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
Shelburne—Wednesday before Orangeville.
Marshville—Second Wednesday in each month.
Walkerton—The last Wednesday in each month.
Mildmay—Last Wednesday of each month.



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2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst not make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acquire,
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance, for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of wine thou drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thisrt thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shall be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not have been paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy insurance thouwill be poorer than a church rat.

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THE COOL CAPTAIN AND THE LISPING LIEUTENANT.

A good story has been told of a lisping officer having been victimized by a brother office (who was noted for his cool deliberation and strong nerves), and his getting square with him in the following manner.

The cool joker, the captain, was always quizzing the lisping officer, a lieutenant, for his nervousness, and said one day in the presence of his company. "Why, nervousness is all nonsence; I tell you, lieutenant, no brave man will be nervous."

"Well," inquired the lisping friend, "how would you do, thpose a thell with an inch futhee thould drop itthelf in a wall angle, in which you had taken theltor from a company of tharpthootherth, and where it wath thertain if you put out your nothe you'd get peppered ?"

"How ?" said the captain winking at the circle, "why take it cool, and spit on the fusee."

The party broke up, and all retired except the patrol. The next morning a number of soldiers were assembled on the parade, and talking in clusters, when along came the lisping lieutenant. Lazily opening his eyes, he remarked, "I want to try an expirement thith morning and thee how extheedingly cool you can be."

Saying this, he walked deliberately into the captain's quarters, where a fire was burning on the hearth, and placed in its hottest centre a power caister, and instantly retired. There was but one mode of egress from the quarters, and that was upon the parade ground, the road being built up for defense; the occupant took one look at the canister to comprehend his situation, and in a moment dashed at the door, but it was fastened on the outside.

"Charlie let me out if you love me," shouted the captain.

"Thpit on the canither ?" shouted he in return.

Not a moment was to be lost; he had at first snatched up a blanket to cover his egress, but now, dropping it, he raised the window, and out he bounded, sans everything but a very short under garment, and thus, with hair on end, he dashed upon a full parade ground. The shouts which hailed him brought out the whole barracks to see what was the matter, and the dignified captain pulled a sergeant in front of him to hide himself.

Why didn't you thpit on it ?" inquired the lieutenant.

"Because there was no sharp shooters in front to stop a retreat," answered the captain.

"All I've got to thay, then, ith," said the lieutenant, "that you might have thafely have done it; for I thwere there wathn't a single grain of powder in it." The captain has never spoken of nervousness since.

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The next day he did drop in, and sitting down on my desk, began: "Nothing in this world, my friend, will pay so big a percent. on a little money invested as a policy in the Mutual Benefit Association, the most, and in fact, the only sound company on earth, capital over seven million, and so prompt—why I insured a man last week for $10,000, and the same day he was run over by a street car, so when I sent in the policy and premium, I just said by way of a P. S: "Run over by a hoss car not an hour after insured; better send on check as he can't live; both legs cut off." The very next day I got a check payable to his heirs $10,500. Dividend, my friend, was more than the premium, and don't you call this prompt? That man's widow got this check before he had been dead fifteen minutes."

"But," said I, "I have no wife and don't want any life insurance, I tell you."

"The investment, my young friend—the investment. Look at the dividend. This may get $560 in one hour, you might say; and then you might have a wife some day. Now, you want a policy in this company, I know you do. I am an old man; have a large and varied experience, and I know you are just aching for one of these policies, only you are so extremely modest. Now, I'll just make out your application; it only costs you—let me see. How old are you ?"

"Twenty-six, but"

"Twenty-six—hum. Father living ?"

"No."

"How old was he when he died ?"

"Twenty-seven years old."

"Twenty-seven, hey? what did he die of? Accident, I presume."

"No, sir; consumption."

"Consumption? You don't look consumptive."

"But I am consumptive, and—"

"Mother's living I doubt not ?"

"No, sir; she died at twenty-eight."

"What was the cause of her death?"

"Insanity, sir, hereditary insanity; family's full of it. All my brothers, thirteen of us in all, sir, died between twenty-four and twenty-eight of the same disease. Dangerous, too, some of them; my oldest brother was taken about this time one day and he killed his partner, a book keeper, three clerks and fourteen customers before they could secure him, and—"

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"The President is able to sit up."

"I don't believe it—don't believe one end of no such story !" she said as she left her bundles and boxes and parcels, and came over to share my seat.

"But the papers say so."

"I don't keer two cents for the papers! I tell you the President hasn't been doctored right any of the time, and no body kin make me believe that he's gettin' better. Young man, are you a doctor ?"

"No ma'am."

"You needn't 'mam' me, because I'm a plain woman. It's a pity you ain't a doctor, for I could prove ye a humbug in about two minits Do you know what is killing off so many in this country ?"

"It's death, isn't it ?"

"Of course its death—death and the doctors! And them doctors have done their very best to kill the President! Do you remember what they done the day that he was shot ?"

"Um. Let's see? Probed for the ball and gave him morphine, didn't they ?"

"They did," she replied, as she jammed the parasol into my ribs. "That's just what killed my nephew in the army. He was shot by a cannon ball, and them doctors probed and probed and probed, and when they had got around to decide that the ball had gone clean through him and knocked off the roof of a barn half a mile away, the poor boy was dead, Morfeen! I have saved over a hundred nayburs from the grave and I never even sot eyes on morfeen! how much I have pitied the poor President, and how I have wished I was there ?"

"What for ?"

"What fur? Why, to turn them tarnal doctors out doors, and have the President out choping wood in four weeks! It makes me biling mad to read their way of treatin him."

"What would you have done ?"

"Don't ask me—don't ask me! I feel like spanking the hull crowd! have you read the papers every day ?"

"Yes."

"Well, have you read that they have soaked his feet one single time since the day he was shot ?"

"No."

"Of course you haven't! Did they put horseradish drafts on his feet ?"

"Not once."

"Have they gin him a smartweed sweat ?"

"No."

"Or tried mustard poultices ?"

"No."

"Has he had one single drink of catnip tea since the day he was shot ?"

"No."

"Have they used any flax seed aout him ?"

"No."

"Haven't heard of their digging any ginesen, sarsaparilla, wild turnip, sweet flag, burdock or sweet sicily ?"

"No."

"No you haven't!" she exclaimed as she just missed my nose with that amiable parasol. "All they've done is to talk about his perspiration being up to 102 his normal pulse and his temperature from 90 to 98. If it was me my temperture would be up to 300 and I'd make thingsp hum. It's the shamefacedest case I ever heard of, and you jist mark what I tell you—that them tarnal doctors will sniff at lobelia and number six and turn up their noses at mustard plasters till all of a sudden the President will begin to sink and sink, and even cold sage tea and mutton tallow won't save him."—M. QUAD.

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THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

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Flesherton. March. 1881. 16

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McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

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WAGGONS, ETC.,

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AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

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Or its equivalent, can purchase any thing you may require in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, or in fact anything that is usually

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Purchasieg, you should always ascertain where you can purchase to the best advantage, that is get the best goods at the lowest price, and that place is

BUTTERR & RAE'S

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Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL.

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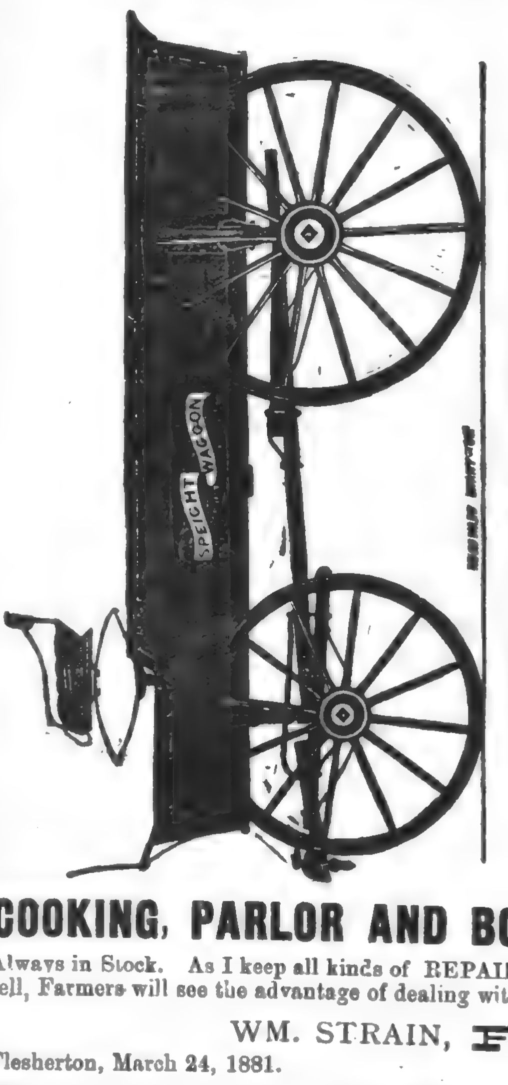

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Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

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Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

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Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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SPRING WAGGONS,

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Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friens.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-3m.

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate—A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

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Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

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Wm. HOGG. 2-tf

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You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

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Thankful for past favors, we would solict a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

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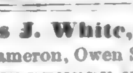

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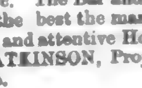

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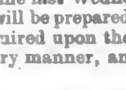

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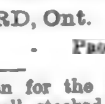

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Fresh and Corned Meats delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

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☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

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NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

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BRIDES' CAKES. supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND **OTHER PARTIES,** supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

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Markdale, Nov, 18, 1881 6 o-ly

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Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

Province of Ontario Directory For 1881-82,

TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81, Price $5.00.

MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs o announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an

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The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers. Montreal, December, 1880.

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WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feelng confiident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

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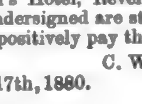
Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

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Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

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Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets.

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P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Benson.

Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881. 1y

VIOLA'S REVENGE.

By the Author of "My Lady's Secret," "A Waif's Fortune," "The Lady of Gordon Lea," &c.

"A year hence I shall be married" said Clara, with quiet decision.

"Indeed! May I ask to whom?"

"To William Burgot."

"William Burgot has never bestowed a thought upon you of a matrimonial nature."

"I know it."

"Dear Clara," responded the widow, with as much irritation in her dulcet tones as they were ever permitted to express—will you or will you not leave this game of 'cross purposes and crooked answers'—and explain?"

"I think I will," answered her daughter, somewhat dubiously. "The very next time Lord Armidale calls, I want you to contrive that I see him alone, and put into execution that bold *coup* you vaguely recommended just now."

"And if it fails? He will very likely be here to-day. I thought I heard the sound of a horse at a gallop just now."

"If it fails, I shall fall back upon middle-aged William Burgot, with his fifteen thousand a year. If he had only a third of the money, I would marry him in spite of Viola. You must make the way smooth by affecting, in consulting with him, maternal anxiety on account of the variableness of my spirits, hinting——"

"Lord Armidale is asking for Miss Viola, ma'am. Can you tell me where I shall find her? interrupted, at that instant, a somewhat simple footman, whom the master of the house had recently engaged, without first taking Mrs. Robert's opinion upon his merits. At the time she had almost resented the omission as a slight. Now she remembered it with thankfulness.

"I will tell Viola," answered the lady sweetly, rising. "Wilkins, you can ask Lord Armidale to await her here."

So it came to pass that his lordship, crossing the threshold, saw a room which he took to be empty until a smothered sob arrested his attention. Then he saw a slender girlish figure lying at full length, face downward, upon the sofa, the girl's shoulders heaving as with suppressed, but almost uncontrollable emotion.

Miss Dallas!" he cried: but the figure did not stir. "Miss Dallas! Clara!"

He was close beside her now, Mrs. Robert—who, the coast being quite clear, was taking observations through the key-hole—observed with much satisfaction. But as yet his exclamations had won no response.

The mourner moved her head a little, as though to conceal her face yet more effectually. Just the tip of a shell-like ear and part of the contour of a peach-like cheek were visible now; and—quite by accident, of course,—a small white hand peeped out invitingly from amongst the folds of her dress.

He began to feel a very honest, genuine, manly compassion for a woman in distress; also, being a man, he was sensible that the situation was not without its charm, and that it would be rather a pleasant occupation to wipe away the tears of this pretty grieving doll. Why, once upon a time, he confessed to an infinitesmal *tendresse* for the girl; and he still retained a sincere liking for her. So he took possession of the small hand, and was gratified to discover that it returned his pressure.

"Dear Clara, what is your grief?" he asked. "May an old friend claim the right to comfort you?"

Mrs. Robert, watching the scene from her post of espial, could not use both eyes and ears at the same moment; and, although she felt she would almost give the latter to overhear the dialogue, it was even more interesting to study the action.

Mrs. Robert was so engrossed by her study that she faled to detect the approach of the footman, who had not sense enough to beat a stealthy and noiseless retreat.

"If you please 'm——"

"What is it," inquired Mrs. Robert, with a face of crimson.

"If you please 'm, Miss Viola is in the green-house."

"Thank you. I could not find her. Oh Wilkins, take away this mat and shake it. I think I dropped a shilling amongst the wool just now."

She turned away sick at heart; for she read in the man's face the utter incredulity with which he received the order. Her spying would be the talk of the servants' hall, and it was a sad blow to have been detected in the meanness; so sad a blow that she could scarcely console herself by the reflection how well "Dear Clara's" grand *coup* was succeeding.

"Call me Miss Dallas!" wailed that astute young lady, clutching convulsively at the fingers which had clasped her own. "Why stab me in the heart with kindness which recalls too—too vividly days when no one had come between—days when we were all in all to each other?"

Very gently, but firmly, Lord Armidale disengaged his hand, and at the corners of his lips a half-smile began to show itself. The acting had been very good, and he had been completely deceived by it; but that last sentence, so unmistakable in its meaning, so exaggerated and untruthful, convinced him that he was a witness of acting only.

"Miss Dallas," he said in that tone of easy jocose politeness before which even true sentiment hides its diminished head, "I cannot accept the compliment you are good enough—in jest or irony—to pay me. But one woman in the world has ever been all in all to me, and that woman is——"

"Viola Burgot!" cried Clara snappishly.

"Just so. I am here, hoping to find her alone."

The brief silence that followed was more embarrassing perhaps to Lord Armidale than to the outstretched figure on the lounge.

When Miss Dallas spoke again it was in her ordinary accents, languid, conventional, emotionless, with only a soupçon of earnestness in very their monotony.

"My lord," she said, "you are too true a gentleman, I know, to enjoy this morning's triumph. Will you try to forget it, and spare me the mortification of believing that garbled account is amusing the gossips of the neighborhood?"

"I will never speak of it in any circumstances."

"You are very kind and good, my lord. Viola is making a tour of the greenhouses; you will find her in one of them."

CHAPTER X.

There he found her, amongst green tendrils and spreading leaves and rich fruit-clusters; in her hand a bunch of purple grapes.

Purple grapes! For a moment his eyes grew dim, and he saw again an Italian sky and an Italian sea, a shattered column and a headless Apollo, an idle fountain, and in its shade a girl sleeping.

Then he came back to reality. No nut-brown southern maid was this, with shabby frock and bare foot—dainty and blue-veined—peeping from beneath it; but a proud patrician Englishwoman, whose pale loveliness of feature expressed nothing but aristocratic repose. As she gave him a slender hand, soft and white, and almost as cold as snow, he was tempted to wish that it were the hard brown palm of long ago.

Was the artificial existence in which she now lived and moved and had her being quite as grateful to her as the free wild life in which he saw her first? It was borne in upon him that she pined for something as he stood there, speaking to her mutely with the tender pressure of the hand. Could his love supply it? Why were there dark shadows under her beautiful eyes? What was the cause of the unnatural pallor of her cheek and the icy coldness of her little fingers? A weird and horrible fancy came to him about death in life. Would it not be well to break down this frigid unnatural composure, even though it were replaced by the anger and the scorn which startled him in the fair white moonlight long, long ago?

"Give me a peace-offering, Viola," he whispered. "I stole your grapes once, do you remember, as you slept in the shade? Give me a bunch now in token that you have forgiven me for that offence and all others."

Did she hear the pleading whisper? She made no sign as she stood there, listless and still, and let him draw the grapes from listless fingers.

"Oh, my darling—my darling, did we not love each other in the dear old days?"

She shivered a little—shivered in the stifling hot-house air; but otherwise her apathy was quite unmoved. At any cost, he thought he would rouse her; hot anger were far better than this.

"The love wronged and insulted you," he cried; "but it was faithful always. I went forth from your presence, and became a wanderer on the face of the earth. I dared not return, but I could not forget. I sought in many lands for one who might take your place; but I could not find her, Viola my beloved. I found many women—and some of them were beautiful—whose wealth would have redeemed from debt the lands I hold in trust for my children, but I could not marry. Oh, my dearest—my own dear love, do not let the past rise like a wall between us! Forgive me and be my wife!"

At last she turned towards him, at last he thought she was moved by his appeal. He almost stretched his arms towards her with a quick instinctive gesture of invitation; but they fell again to his side as he looked into her lustrous eyes.

He had seen them glow with indignation, flash with scorn, sparkle with rage, and he would rather have encountered those three evils than have met that steady glassy stare. In the dear old days he had seen those glorious orbs melt with love. There was no tenderness, no human passion, no human feeling, in them now. Her lips moved, and he nerved himself to accept dismissal sadly, but with patient fortitude, as a man should do.

"Lord Armidale, I will be your wife."

It was so unexpected, that assenting rejoinder, that for an instant, in the reaction from his fears, he forgot the strangeness of her manner. He had possessed himself of her ice cold hands, and he would have drawn her to his breast, but that there was no maidenly yielding, half-willing, half coy, to his embrace.

"You must spare me that for the present," not in hurried protest, but with listless measured calmness. Looking into her lovely face, he noticed how haggard and wan it was, how distinct were the dark circles which told of sleeplessness and mental pain.

"Say that you love me, Viola?" he cried passionately.

She took a second or two to consider her reply. He could almost hear his heart throbbing in the stillness. When she spoke, it seemed to him as though with mental effort she was recalling an answer she had learned by rote.

"Once I loved you; now I have promised to be your wife. Once I wore my heart on my sleeve, and I suffered; now you will not see my heart until we are joined together by vows that cannot be riven asunder."

"And then? And then, Viola, my beloved?"

She made an attempt to smile; there played upon her features a ghastly mockery of mirth, a counterfeited playfulness.

"Long ago," she said, "I told you you had yet to learn how an Italian girl could hate; and in my tortured heart I vowed to be revenged. The day I become your wife my revenge will have begun."

CHAPTER XI.

"Fifteen thousand a year, a house like Burgot Grange—which to me appears as perfect as modern architectural skill can devise—and three beautiful women to make one happy in it. Your lot, Burgot, is about as blissful as the human imagination can conceive," murmured Colonel Pettitt slowly.

He looked more than ever like a stage Mephistopheles, as holding a glass of ruby wine to the light, he half closed one eye, and the other peered, not at the wine, but round the rim of the glass, at his host. The bushy upturned eyebrows and the scanty upturned mustache seemed to his *vis-a-vis* to question, with a sinister twist, the reality of the bliss of which he spoke.

William Burgot shifted uneasily upon his chair, although he answered with a light laugh and affected carelessness—

"I suppose one of the beautiful women will soon be trying to make another happy. I was told so in rather plain language this afternoon."

"By Lord Armidale?" said the Colonel, "By Jove! I thought as much when I saw the pointedness of that young fellow's attention at dinner, and I felt sure of it when he rushed away just now from the choicest claret I have tasted for a blue moon. I congratulate you, Mr. Burgot, with all my heart. Is she fond of him, do you think?"

"It would be odd if she were not—the finest, handsomest, grandest-looking gentleman in the shire, run after by half the women for twenty miles round. Why do you ask, Pettitt?"

"Because her manner is particularly cold and indifferent, that is all. Ah, we little thought when we used to reckon up our chances at Bungalore, that we should be sitting here at this instant, one of us the prospective father-in-law of a real live lord—eh, Burgot, my boy?"

For once Colonel Pettitt's speech was hearty and truthful, with no under-current of insincerity. Sitting at the table of this county magnate, drinking his wine, and contemplating his greatness, he forgot vague suspicions Had William Burgot met that remark frankly and easily, they might never again have been arcused.

But, instead of doing so, he rose hurriedly from the table, upsetting a wine-glass in his clumsy haste, and exhibiting far more discomposure than the trivial accident warranted.

"I hate the very name of Bungalore; and it angers me to be reminded of those old Indian experiences!" he said. "It—it makes me think of the quarrel with my brother. Let us join the ladies."

With a perplexed but significant smile upon his rather handsome countenance, the Colonel followed. As they entered the drawing-room, Clara looked up with a little smile of welcome and drew aside the skirt of her dress, revealing a vacant chair.

"May I dare to interpret that movement as gesture of invitation, Miss Dallas?" asked the Colonel, bending his head to whisper the interrogation.

William Burgot, too much absorbed to heed the by-play or the bright responsive smile, marched to his favorite chair, and thither Mrs. Robert followed him.

"I have not yet had a chance to congratulate you upon our dear Viola's happiness," said the lady, in that soft low voice of hers.

"Thank you very much," he replied absently.

"I am sure you have my warmest sympathy. Only a parent understands the pure joy which one can feel in the bliss of a beloved child; and only a parent"—here Mrs. Robert took out a lace-bordered handkerchief and applied it delicately but effectively to the corners of her eyes—"only a parent knows the misery of seeing a daughter's affections blighted and a settled melancholy growing upon her."

"You don't mean to say, Mrs. Robert," answered William Burgot, with sudden interest and a faint recollection that he had more than once suspected Miss Dallas of "setting her cap" at the young nobleman, who was now his daughter's accepted lover—"that Clara has a sneaking kindness for Lord Armi——"

"Blind man!" cried the widow reproachfully.

"Who is it then? I do not know—"

"Of course you do not know!" exclaimed Mrs. Robert with as much vehemence as a whisper could express. "But I ought to have known, William, that when a free woman and a free man are living on terms of pleasant and almost affectionrte intimacy beneath the same roof, one of them—and generally, alas, the poor woman—comes in time to desure ——"

But here the widow's voice faltered, and she appeared to weep behind her lace-bordered handkerchief.

"The woman is in love with me," thought William Burgot, laying that flattering unction to his soul with masculine complacency. "But, my dear Mrs. Robert," he continued, "have you forgotten the Table of Kindred and Affinity?"

"The Table of Kindred and Affinity has been my preservation, William; but for poor Clara there has been no such safeguard."

"You don't mean——"

"Oh, no, I mean nothing—nothing, except that her poor cheeks get paler and paler and her fluctuations of spirits grow more and more marked daily: that when you speak kindly to her she brightens up and seems feverishly gay, and, when you neglect her, she looks simply wretched! Oh! I mean nothing; for not even to her own mother will she reveal the truth! But I have eyes as well as other people."

"Bless my soul!" exclaimed William Burgot, aghast.

"It is not a match for you, of course. With your large income you look with contempt upon the money which will be hers when I am gone, and the five thousand poor Duke left her. I dare say we seem to be paupers in your eyes, William Burgot; but paupers have hearts, I fear, as my dear girl knows to her cost."

"But—but, Mrs. Robert, you don't think she really cares for me?"

"Ask her," rejoined the lady emphatically.

"I—I will think of it," he said.

At that moment he was asking himself whether, bearing in mind certain unpleasant contingencies, it might not be well to 'hedge' against Fate by securing that modest fortune of which Mrs. Robert spoke with such vehement depreciation.

It was a model apartment, the drawing-room of Burgot Grange, quite large enough for three couples to be conversing out of ear-shot of each other. It would seem that the "feverish gay" mood was upon "dear Clara," and her manner towards the Colonel was decidedly suggestive of an incipient flirtation. Very different was the demeanour of the lovers whose vows of betrothal had that day been spoken.

Viola was at the piano, playing apparently from memory, for there was no music open upon the rack. Lord Armidale, in a low chair at her feet, had composed himself to listen. He watched the girl's beautiful face with a lover's admiration, but with perplexity such as an accepted lover ought not to feel.

Was he seeking a clue to the enigma in the sweet sounds that arose as the long white fingers swept the keys? She was thinking of her revenge. For it was not destined to be the less sure and deadly because William Burgot's revelation had modified its form.

She had intended to carry out her scheme as originally planned; intended to let him plead for her love and show her all his heart; and then to wound him with cruel words and bitter taunts and scoffing gibes, such as should pursue him—in memory—until they had avenged the bitterness of the hour when he had insulted her in the fair white moonlight.

But would not that revenge be a brief triumph? Sooner or later it would transpire perhaps that she, being illegitimate by English law, was no better than an impostor; that she wasnot, intruth, a great lady and rich heiress, but merely the poor Italian peasant-girl to whom he had in the first instance proffered light love and light fealty, as to one unworthy to be his wife. Discovering the truth, would not he congratulate himself upon a fortunate escape?

(*To be Continued.*

HAVE COURAGE.—You may suffer from scrofula or some foul humor, your liver may be conjested, your lungs diseased, your kidneys deranged, your joints distorted with rheumatism, you may be almost a walking skeleton, yet despair not. BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS has cured others—it may cure you.

ENCOURAGING WEDLOCK.

A SCHEME TO PROMOTE MATRIMONY AMONG THE MASSES.

At the next meeting of the Ontario Legislature, application will be made for the incorporation of the National Marriage Dowry Association. The object of the promoters of the scheme is in all probability to make money, but the result of their quest of money will undoubtedly be to encourage the man and the maid to wed. The society first began its operations in Indiana, and is now casting its benevolent arms over the bachelors and spinsters in other states, territories, and provinces. In the words of the circular the association is established "to encourage lawful wedlock, to promote economy, to endow homes and to make married life the end and aim of the rich and poor alike." The scheme is as follows:—Supposing John Smith, on this 18th day of August, casts his lot in with the association. He pays in the first place $5 for his certificate, and a semi-annual payment thereafter of $1. In case some of his co-insurers marry, and there not being sufficient funds in the treasurer's hands to pay the sum to which the newly-married man is entitled, an assessment of $1 is levied all round. These are the payments to which he is liable. The benefits are, that should he marry on the 18th of August, 1882, he is entitled to $200. Should his marriage not occur for five years, he would be be entitled to $1,000, and so on. We don't suppose the ladies are excluded from the association. It's a grand scheme. Any young lady who was known to have one of these certificates would be the observed of al observers, and the admired of all admirers. At church and market places she would not want for swains. When the scheme is once in full swing the crop of marriages would be a couple of hundred bushels to the acre. In a few years it will be hard to find an unmarried person over twenty-two years of age. The manufacture of cradles and baby carriages will become two of the chief industries of the country, and happiness and general joy will extend from Halifax to New Westminister.

TRY BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS; the great system renovator, blood and liver syrup, acts on the bowels, liver and kidneys, and is a superb tonic.

FROM BED TO BOARD.

THE MAN WHO SOLD HIS WIFE FOR A DOLLAR.

[From the New York Tribune.]

A. Lauten, a manufacturer of jewelers' cases, in Great Jones street in this city, lives at Tenth avenue and Second street Mount Vernon. About a year ago he hired Ferdinand Janren, a builder of West Mount Vernon, to put up a house for him. While the work was in progress Mr. Jansen had many opportunities of seeing Mrs. Lauten, a woman who weighs 250 pounds. They became very intimate and were accustomed to meet frequently. This was noticed by the neighbors, and anonymous letters were sent to Mr. Lauten informing him of the fact. His wife, however, explained them to his satisfaction. About six weeks ago Mrs. Lauten however, absented herself from home for three days. When she returned she declined to say where she had been, but made a confession to her husband of her love for Jansen. It was subsequently ascertained that she and Jansen had been stopping at a hotel at Farmingdale, Long Island, as husband and wife.

Recently Jansen called at the house of Mr. Lauten, apparently ignorant that his intimacy with Mrs. Lauten had become known. Mr. Lauten met him, and in the discussion which followed made some bitter remarks about his wife's conduct. She heard them and immediately went to her room. She soon returned with pen, ink and paper, and said to her husband: "Now, I want to see whether you are man enough to state on that paper that you will sell me to Jansen for one dollar." Mr. Lauten expressed his readiness to do so and Jansen gave him the money. Mrs. Lauten said that she was willing to be sold for the dollar. Friday last Mrs. Lauten removed from her house a load of furniture, pictures and jewels which her husband had previously given her. At the same time Jansen removed a load of furniture from his house in West Mount Vernon, and the two loads were driven together to Lexington avenue and One-hundred and second street, where Jansen and his dollar companion have taken up their abode. Mrs. Lauten as she left her Mount Vernon home is said to have shed some tears.

Mr. Lauten has begun a suit in the Supreme Court of this city for an absolute divorce from his wife. On the other hand, Mrs. Caroline Jansen has begun a suit for divorce from her husband. While Jansen was absent from his home with Mrs. Lauten, his wife sold for $1,200 the building which she and her husband had occupied, of which she was the owner.

IT NEVER FAILS.—Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is an unfailing remedy for all kinds of bowel complaint.

NOVELTIES IN SWINDLING.

HOW THE INGENIOUS SHARPERS OF THE CITY KEEP AHEAD OF THE TIMES.

"The old trick of swindling verdant people whovisit themetropolis are playing out, and it has been found necessary for the sharpers to invent new ones," said one of Pinkerton's detectives to a reporter of the Star, one day last week. "Such old time dodges as mock auctions, dropping pocket-books stuffed with paper, and confidence games, have been so thoroughly exposed that the dupes are so few in number that it does not pay the sharpers to follow the business."

"Once in a great while a country man is coaxed into purchasing a worthless watch under the impression that he is getting a great bargain. The victim in such a case, however, must have hailed from the most remote rustic region of the Green Mountain State, or from some other locality equally as secluded."

"What is the most favored method of swindling at the present day?"

"Advertising for partners."

"How is that?"

"Well, some fellow, having exhausted all other methods of making money, causes to be inserted in the newspapers an announcement that he is the proprietor of a valuable patented invention which he is anxious to introduce in the market; but, unfortunately, he does not possess sufficient capital. If some person who has the means will invest and take an equal share in the enterprise great returns can be expected."

"And are their many gudgeons who will take such a bait?"

"Plenty of them. There is a glamour that usually surrounds patent right enterprises which is as seductive as a lottery."

"Will capitalists invest money without adequate security?"

"Yes; that is, they will take an interest in a worthless invention in return for their cash, and actually believe that they are getting the big end of an immense bargain. Within a short time they find that the so called wonderful scheme is unremunerative, and that they have nothing to show for the money they have invested."

"Why do not the swindled parties seek redress in the courts?"

"Because they have been defrauded in a legal manner—that is, technically they have no grounds for going to law in the matter. They have bought a pig in a poke, and must abide by the consequences."

"Cannot the swindlers be arrested and punished for obtaining money under false pretenses?"

"No; because the value of a patent right is a thing that depends a great deal upon luck and chances, and it can be argued that an invention which is worthless to-day may be valuable in the future."

Another comparatively new method of swindling is by what is known as the game of "tossing the ball," which is in successful operation at many places in the city. It may be described as follows:—A wooden figure, representing a man, is set up, and the game is to toss a rubber ball into its wide open mouth or great staring eyes. The feat seems perfectly easy of accomplishment, and there are plenty of verdant men and boys who are willing to pay a small sum for the chance of winning a prize. The swindle consists in the hollow rubber ball being made with one side thicker and heavier than the other, so that it is next to impossible to throw them with any certainty of aim. It is said that this little contrivance for duping the unwary is almost as profitable as the three card monte game, even when the latter was in its balmy days.—*N. Y. Star.*

THE GREATEST POPULARITY OF DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY is where it has been longest known. Time cannot detract from its merits. It is the old reliable remedy for all bowel complaints incident to the summer season.

Mr. John Carr, of Holland Landing, Ont., is the owner of a feline animal which gave birth about a week ago, as he supposed, to several kittens. On Sunday last, hearing the young serenaders making considerable noise he proceeded to the haymow, whence the mewing came, when, to his astonishment, he found six kittens all united together at the thighs by a ligament—the hind legs of the several animals being crossed and mixed up. It is a singular freak of nature and since the fact has become known that Mr. Carr has such a natural curosity, scores of people have called to see for themselves. They are all alive, and if Mr. C. can succeed in rearing them no doubt Cole's combination will pay him handsomely for them when visiting Newmarket in September next.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:30 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.30 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.06 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.36 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.56 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 2, 1881.

NOTICE,

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DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmer's Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our own Correspondent.

THERE has not been anything very exciting taken place here lately. All hands being busy engaged taking care of the harvest products for which the weather has been all that could be desired. The crops have been good and have been saved in good condition, and with a few exceptions are all secured.

There has not been much threshing done here yet, but what has been threshed has turned out well, in some cases the yield has been great. Mr. Wm. Somers threshed three acres of barley which yielded over 50 bushels to the acre. This beats the case noted by the STANDARD some time ago.

Messrs. J. Rowe and Wm. Bielby are going for a tour of inspection to the great lone land. We wish them success in their mission, they intend starting in about two weeks.

Mr. Thomas Gilbert lost a threshing machine in the barn of Mr. Warner, burned by lightning some time ago. Mr. Gilbert has been unfortunate, this being the second machine he has lost in that way; yet he or his sons are still on the war path, having a threshing machine that is equal to the best of them. They can do as big a day's work and do it as well and as cheap as any other machine.

The correspondent of the *Advance* seemed to think that it was something wonderful that he had to communicate about when he said that the lightning and Vandusen were after Mr. Gilbert; perhaps he is one of the fortunate ones who receives no such visits.

There has been quite an improvement going on here in the shape of new buildings being put up. This shows that the times are improving.

DUNDALK.

From our own Correspondent.

Crops are excellent, and will be all reaped and gathered in this week.

Rev. Mr. Potter gave an eloquent address to a full church last Sabbath evening.

Mr. William Nelson, who has been confined to his bed for some weeks past, is on the mend, and is now considered out of danger.

Stormy Garrett arrived by morning train from Owen Sound gaol, where he has been serving an apprenticeship for abusing his wife and family. Served him right.

Mr. W. J. Hicks will raise his large grain warehouse this week.

SAD ACCIDENT.—A very sad accident happened on the T. G. & B. Railway, near Williamsford Station, last week. Alex. Essan, (son of the contractor of stone bridges and culverts on this end of the above line), while attending to business for his father was on a stone train, and accidently fell between two cars while in motion, several of which passed over his body, killing him instantly. We understand Mr. Essan is the contractor who built the Union Station at Toronto.

OSPREY.

Mr. Thomas Walker, a well-known farmer in the Melanco Settlement, met with an accident, on Aug. 17th, which proved fatal in a very short time.

It appears that he was leaving the field for his barn with a load of sheaves and in passing a piece of the road which was very rough, part of the load fell off and frightened the horses. Mr. Walker, who was sitting near the front of the load, was thrown off and fell on his face, the wheels of the waggon passing over his body lengthwise, completely separating the ribs from the vertibrae, and crushing the right arm at the shoulder. He suffered intense pain for about an hour and forty minutes and then expired—we trust in peace.

Mr. Walker was married only five weeks previous to this sad accident, and therefore leaves a young widow to mourn his loss; also an aged and infirm father, and a brother who is not capable of working the farm on account of defective eyesight.

The members of the bereaved family have the sympathy of all their neighbors and friends.

Harvesting throughout the township is in an advanced stage, and in the course of another week it will be securely housed or stacked. All crops this year are far above the average and vastly superior to any returns they have ever had in this part of the country.

ÆQUANIMITAS.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

ROAD COMMISSIONERS.—We have before pointed out some of their inconsistencies of Municipal Councils appointing themselves Road Commissioners. Why not fill all the other offices, viz.:—Assessors, Collectors, Pathmasters, Poundkeepers, &c., &c. No thanks—no money in short. We don't mean to say that all undertake the duty simply for the pecuniary benefit; they are above that. Look at the minutes of the August meeting of the Artemesia council. It was moved by Mr. Pedlar, seconded by Mr. Wright, that Mr. Pedlar see to repairing a certain portion of road that was unsafe for public travel. If all monies were voted in this way it would be all right. This is what you call eating the cow and choking on the tail. That's where the fun is. Did the Commissioner want to make believe that he was extremely anxious to have this road repaired, but could not without the consent of the council. No, that is too thin. No sane man could be made to believe that the council would vote down such a motion, the road being in the Commissioner's ward, they could not interfere with it. Let us read the motion in its true bearing. Moved by the Commissioner for Ward No. 4 that the Commissioner for Ward No. 4 attend to the repairing of certain portions of road in the Commissioner for Ward No. 4's jurisdiction, the same being unsafe for travel. What in the name of Jupiter is the duty of these self-made Commissioners. We would be very little surprised after this to hear of such motions as "I move, seconded by myself, that I be Reeve, or Warden, for the ensuing year—carried." The motion of the Commissioner for Ward No. 4 is the best unintentional vote of censure and condemnation against the system that could have been made, and deserving of much commendation. How long will the people of Artemesia tolerate this system? The pay they receive for letting and inspecting, if placed in the hands of the Overseers of Highways, would be expended in work and repairs on the roads, and there would be no need of bringing motions in Council. They are the men who know where the unsafe places are, and are willing to work when money is being expended, and at the proper season. Perhaps more of this another time.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia was held pursuant to adjournment, on the 30th day of July, 1881. Members all present. Minutes of last session of Court of Revision, and last session of Council, read and approved.

A petition, numerously signed, asking for repairs on 24th and 25th sidelines, laid before Council and accepted, and the Deputy Reeve appointed to attend to the matter.

Messrs. Boyd and Fawcett were appointed to ascertain the circumstances of Mrs. Micks and to authorize the Reeve to take action in her case if necessary.

The statute labor charged against James McGee, struck off road list. The request of Charles Fawcett not complied with, on account of the state of finances. The Reeve, Deputy-Reeve, and Mr. Loughead were appointed a committee to examine the assets and liabilities of the Township, and ascertain what rate must be levied for the current year.

The report of the Financial Committee showing that one cent in the dollar will be required, laid before Council, and a by-law carried through the different stages levying said rate.

Richard Snelgrove, pathmaster, was ordered to get all fences removed from road allowance in his division, on 27th and 28th sideline.

J. D. Crabtree, Esq., John Berry, and Christopher Kelley were appointed a committee to carry out County by-laws establishing a quarterly fair at Rocklyn.

William McConnel, Esq., and George Vickers, Esq., were appointed to value certain work performed on 24 and 25 sideroad.

J. D. Crabtree, Treasurer, authorised to accept $10.84, taxes charged against E. half lot 13, con. 7, and the County Treasurer requested to withdraw said land for sale. The Treasurer instructed to receive $7.60½, the balance by John Clugston, Collector, and to give Mr. Clugston a proper receipt.

By-law No. 304 to borrow $500, carried through the different stages and passed. The Reeve and Treasurer to borrow said amount from W. C. Smith & Co., Bankers, Thornbury.

By-law No. 305, appointing a referee on union school business, carried through the different stages and passed.

Wm. Drinkel was authorized to perform part of his statute labor opposite his own place, to assist him in getting access to highway.

The Reeve and Deputy-Reeve were appointed to get a plan and specification for bridge over Saugeen river on 11th line.

Geo. Cruikshanks exonerated from blame and pecuniary liability for removing stone from 3rd line, and the Clerk to notify the pathmaster to that effect.

The Reeve was authorized to get sideline 3 and 4, con. 1, improved.

James Struthers, Esq., was appointed referee on union school business.

Mr. Gilray was authorized to get improvements made on sideline 3 and 4, con. 7.

A claim for damages to a waggon on the road, made by John Davis, was laid before Council and laid aside for further consideration.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows, viz:

To W. H. Neil, $42, for work on roads; John Neil, $10, for do.; Joseph Doharty, $65, for do.; John Blain, $38, for do.; Chas. Howard, $3, for do; J. Lawrence, $19.30, taxes charged in error; S. Braidner, 50 cts, for plank for road; John Clugston, $4, for gravel for road; Andrew Grier, $99, said amount being ordered by Wm. Kerr, contractor, for building approaches to new bridges; Robert Garbut, $5, for road work; Robert Hetherington, $25, part payment for repairing hall; George Graham, $9, for lumber for bridges; D. McArthur, 50 cents, for repairing road scraper; J. B. Fawcett, 50 cents, for repairing road scraper; Wm. Eaton, $5, for plough broken on roads, being certified to by Mr. Gardner, pathmaster; J. Plewis, $52.42, being an equivalent to gratis labor on 4th line near Kimberly.

On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in August next.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood, that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Apparently there is no depth of meanness too low for some creatures to reach, or no height of idiotic folly to which they cannot soar. Of the truth of this we have had abundant evidence in our village during the past week, and that in quarters where better things were looked for. It is no secret that certain foolish parents were very angry because their children did not succeed as well as some others at the late examination at Owen Sound.

I understand some of these bumpkins have gone so far as to charge our worthy teacher with corrupting the Board of Examiners by purchasing examination papers beforehand and assisting some of his pupils to work them the night before they wrote. Now, Mr. Editor, this is a serious matter. Put into plain English it stands thus: Our teacher has been charged with having, for a consideration, induced the Board of Examiners, at the head of which stands the Rev. Canon Mulholland, to do an act compared with which horse-stealing or highway robbery would be but trivial offences.

Your readers will naturally ask: "Why all this fuss, and splutter and ebullition of childish wrath?" Let us try and explain. Mean-souled people are always envious and jealous, they cannot endure to see their neighbor prosper equally with themselves. This meanness of soul is a sure indication of mental weakness and incapacity. Weak-minded persons are, as a rule, vain and full of self-conceit, heartless and disingenuous—wholly incapable of performing a generous, large-hearted and disinterested act. This class of persons, though they may possess a certain amount of "smartness," which they themselves are apt to mistake for cleverality, yet, in intellectual capacity, they are always weaklings—utterly incapable of grasping a subject which rises somewhat above their own mediocre natures.

These people, in their self-conceit and ignorance, never think to blame themselves for any failure which they or theirs may suffer. Under these circumstances a little friendly counsel and enlightenment may serve a good purpose.

Sir, there is no fact in the natural world more clearly demonstrated than the hereditary transmission of quality—"like begets like" is an adage as old as the hills, and scientific investigation has in these later ages clearly demonstrated its truth. Physiology and psycology conjointly with comprehensive investigation have established beyond doubt that if a certain trait of character, either mental, moral or physical, be largely developed in the parent, the same trait of character will generally be found in the child. In conformity with this universal law, can we reasonably expect that the children of these mean-souled, weak-minded people should be crowned with the same degree of success which might naturally and reasonably be looked for in others?

After all, Mr. Editor, there must be some truth in the "Darwinian" theory, viz: That man is but an emanation of the monkey.

Some people, even at this late age of the world's history, exhibit traits of character wonderfully illustrative of the unmistakable traces of the Baboon element which still pervades their natures. The prevalence of this Monkey element in human nature manifests itself in pride, vain glory, self-conceit, jealousy, envy, selfishness and all the baser passions which deform and disfigure our frail humanity.

Trusting that those for whose benefit these lines are penned will receive them in the true spirit of meekness and contrition befitting the occasion whereby permanent benefit may accrue to themselves, I beg to take my leave for the present.

ZOONOMY.

MARKDALE, Aug. 30, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—In reply to Mr. Ward, I say Yes! Presbyterians claim that their church, as regards its government, is truly Apostolic; not because the early christians were called by that name, but because that in its form of government and polity in the nature, number and quality of her officers, as in the ordinary administration of her affairs as a church, she conforms more closely to the Apostolic than any other branch of the Christian Church known to the present or any preceding age since about the close of the second century.

The word Presbyterian is to be understood as expressive, not so much of a particular creed or articles of faith, but of that peculiar form of republican government which obtains in that church—in this sense only shall we discuss the question at the present.

We hold that "whatsoever is not clearly taught or fairly deducible from the word of God" is not to be received as an article of faith or followed in practice. We find but two orders of church officers in the Apostolic Church viz: Bishop or Elder, called also Presbyter or Pastor and Deacon. See Acts xi, 30; xiv, 23; xx, 17. Titus i, 5. James v, 14; &c., &c.

The elders of Ephesus were overseers or bishops, as the word indicates, by appointment of the Holy Ghost; the elders of Crete were to possess all the qualifications required in bishops, and Paul commands the elders to act as bishops by "feeding the flock, &c." Acts xx, 28; Titus i, 5-9; 1 Timothy iii, 1-7; 1 Peter v, 1-4. There was a plurality of elders in every congregation or company of believers. It was so in Jerusalem, Ephesus, Philippi, in the churches of Asia Minor, and Crete, Acts xv, 2; xiv, 23; xx, 17. See also 1 Tim., 3rd chap. throughout where but two classes of rulers are mentioned in the church.

The Priest has no place in the Christian church, seeing he has no sacrifice to offer, for "Christ our great High priest" offered the sacrifice of himself "once for all," Heb. 10th chap., &c.

For the origin of the office of Deacon see Acts 6th chap. Besides these *two* classes of officers, viz: Bishop, Elder, Presbyter, or Pastor, for all these different are applied to one and the same officer, and Deacon, *we can find no other in the New Testament Church*. It rests therefore with those who hold to Episcopacy to point out upon what portions of scripture they base their tripartite form of church government. Will Mr. Ward therefore have the goodness to tell us where he finds Bishops, Priests and Deacons associated in the government of the Apostolic Church?

Mr. W. asks how we account for the silence of history in reference to the change from Presbytery to Episcopacy? Well, to begin, we do not regard the argument as of the slightest importance, it is one that has done duty for the thousandth time, it figured largely in the *Globe* last winter, it was one of Mr. Langtry's special pillars. What does it amount to? Will it bear the scrutiny of intelligent criticism? Stripped of all superfluous verbiage, the question stands thus: Do we find Episcopacy in the Apostolic Church? We are constrained to answer "No!" Do we find Episcopacy in the present day? We reply "Yes, rampant, in the Roman, the Greek, and the Anglican churches. It therefore must have arisen at some intermediate period between the present and the New Testament ages whether historians noted the fact or not. To argue from the silence of history that the change never occurred would be simply preposterous. We regard Mr. Ward's sweeping assertion "Every person who knows anything of Church history, knows that the Presbyterian form of church government was unknown to the world until the sixteenth century," as of a piece with the rest; respect for the gentleman and for the position he occupies restrains me from characterizing this assertion as it merits.

Permit me to say, for the information of that gentleman, that there are *many* people who know *something* of church history and other history who differ from him as wide as the poles on that question.

Perhaps the most laughable part of Mr. Ward's article is to be found in the closing sentence—we note "the Catholic and Apostolic Church of England" of which King Harry, the wife-killer, was the first Pope.

Now, as everybody knows, the word "Catholic" means universal. By what stretch of imagination can the Rev. gentleman apply the term to one of the smallest Protestant denominations in the world? If his church's claim to Apostolicity has no better foundation than the claim to Catholicity, he may just as well give up, he is simply beating the air.

WM. BROWN.

MARKDALE, Aug. 23, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The success which the pupils of the Markdale School achieved at the late examination deserves more than a passing notice. As reported by the *Advertiser* we find that of one hundred and forty odd pupils who wrote at Owen Sound but twenty-three were successful, of whom four or over one-sixth, were from Markdale and of the fourteen, two, or one-seventh were from our school.

The significance of this success will be more apparent from the following comparisons. The County of Grey contains three considerable towns, Owen Sound, Durham, Meaford, and six rising ambitious villages—Markdale, Chatsworth, Thornbury, Clarksburg, Flesherton, Dundalk, Priceville—yet from the whole County but twenty-three pupils were successful, of whom four were from Markdale. Of the other nineteen successful candidates, I understand fourteen were from the Owen Sound High School, this would leave but five to be distributed among the other towns, villages and rural districts.

This showing is certainly very creditable, and reflects the highest praise upon all concerned and cannot but be accepted as an ample vindication of the enlighted policy pursued by the Trustees in securing the services of a thoroughly competent and trained teacher for the head Mastership.

The rising generation at least owe a deep debt of gratitude to those who promoted and successfully carried out the union of the Schools, through which alone results so pronounced could possibly have been attained.

From the above it is clear that Markdale School has become *par-excellence* the training School of the County—a feat which young people through the surrounding townships preparing for the teaching profession would do well to bear in mind.

SIR, It is gratifying to know that the efforts of the teachers are appreciated both by parents and pupils, for never before in the history of the School was such a successful examination as that held immediately before the late vacation.

The lively interest of the parents was apparent from the number who attended and the general expression of satisfaction which sat on every countenance, together with the words of encouragement, sympathy spoken by many, bore ample testimony to their approval and the goodwill and cordiality existing between teacher and pupils were apparent to the most casual observer.

Perhaps the most pleasing feature of the evening's proceedings was the presentation of a valuable gold chain an and address to the master by the graduating class as an expression of their esteem and regard and slight recognitions of his service in their behalf. I must not fail to mention the strawberry festival provided by the young lady pupils—in fact a sumptious entertainment to which both pupils and visitors did ample justice. Short speeches by some of the clergy of the village and others followed, after which proceedings closed about seven o'clock p. m. This terminated the spring session of the Markdale Public School for 1881.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale Aug. 22, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I was mair than astonished to see a correspondent o' yours that ca's himsel' "M" stickin' up for singin' minor tunes in Kirks, an' sayin' that minor tunes stir the saul sae muckle better than major tunes Noo, I'm sure that ony body that hears singing in oor Kirks, canna but allow that minor tunes only are sung, an' as for them stiring the saul, they wadna stir a moose. "M" maun surely be few when he speaks o' sic a thing, or else he doesna onderstan' English. Ony man wha kens onything aboot singing, wad say that it's major tunes we need sang in oor Kirks—strong, michty, powerfu' leadin, an' no dronin' awa at humdrum minor tunes. The great want is precentors, wha can sing we vir, an' pit some life in't. Failin' that, the neist best thing's an organ that will toot loud eneuch an' keep time to a T, sae that a body can join in wi't. There's nae use in miscaing organs, If we can mak organs to dae the wark better than the organs made by by the Almichty, I dinna see for why we shouldna use them. We are tauld in the guid Book to "mak a loud noise joyfully," an' if major tunes an' organs will help us tae dae that, then doon wi' the minor tunes "M" surely canna hae muckle rumgumption aboot music, or he wadna hae spoken see about major andminor tunes; but in charity I wad say that he made a mistake, an' pit major for minor, an' *veesy versy*.

Yours tae command,

TAMAS TICKLE.

FROM THE OULD SOD.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—My last left me in Ould Ireland, where I still am travelling round sight seeing and gaining health; but before commencing to talk this country, let me say a few words about Paris and some other places I have visited. From London to Paris is 240 miles, *via* Newhaven and Dippe, and usually occupies twelve hours.

In journeying from London to Newhaven, you travel through one of the finest agricultural sections of England The farms are large, fields well cultivated, and beautifully enclosed with hawthorn hedges, kept in excellent trim. Wheat, oats, barley, and garden stuff are chiefly cultivated, and everything looked flourishing. The farmers throughout England are in excellent spirits about the crops, as they are much superior to what they have been accustomed to for the past three years.

From Newhaven, a small watering place on the south cost of England, I took passage in a neat, trim little boat, which takes you across the English Channel, some 60 miles, to Dippe in France, and it was just here that my troubles began, as my knowledge of French is very imperfect, my education having been neglected in my youth. I could only make the natives understand what I wanted by going through a pantomine, and gesticulating like a circus clown. Dippe has a population of 22,000, chiefly engaged in oyster fishing, ivory carving, drinking wine, and fleecing those who are unfortunate enough not to understand French. It contains more ugly and deformed women to the square foot than any place I have touched yet.—For head-gear, they wear great high peaked caps similar to those seen in the pictures of our great-great grandmothers, heavy wooden shoes, no stockings, a handkerchief, that was once white, pinned across their shoulders, and a petti-coat that reaches to about their knees, made of coarse yellow and green striped stuff, which completes their outfit. Their faces resemble their petti-coats, being a mixture of green and yellow. From Dippe to Paris only occupies a run of a few hours on very well appointed cars, but at a much slower speed than in England. On our way we pass through Normandy, similar in many respects to Ireland, but unlike Ireland the people are contented, and apparently happy on two meals a day, and those not of the best. I don't think our Canadians would care to live on two meals daily and not grumble.... Their farm houses are not scattered over the country such as ours are, but are huddled together generally in one long street, in many cases some two or four miles from their farms. The houses are low, thatched, one story, whitewashed buildings, and as near alike as two peas. As in England, wheat, rye, oats, and along the slopes of the hills vineyards are cultivated. Crops are good and are mostly housed, or, rather, stacked, as they have no barns, or at least not what we in Canada would call a barn, to put their grain into.

Of Paris, the metropolis of France, it is difficult to give a description at all satisfactory in the short compass of a letter. In point of actual size and population it is far inferior to London, and in point of wealth and business transactions London is far ahead; but as regards the enjoyments and gaieties of life, the Parisians must certainly carry off the palm. The inhabitants pride themselves upon being accounted the most fashionable, gay and polished people in the world, and nothing pleases a Frenchman more than to hear you praise their city, It contains a population of 2,000,000, and has a circumference of nearly 22 miles, and no city in the world has such splendid wide and clean streets and boulevards, which run through it from one end to the other. On each side of the boulevards trees are planted, principally elm, which are trimmed up in such a manner as to form an arch over head for miles, and nothing can be more delightful on a hot summer's day than a drive through and along the boulevards. They are wide, and at intervals adorned with monuments of noted men, obleiks, &c.—They are always gay and brilliant, and crowded with fashionable well dressed people. The cafes, or eating and drinking stands, are great institutions, peculiar to Paris, having existed for over a century and half. They are to be found in every Quarter of the city, and generally decorated with much taste and splendor. When lighted up at night it is difficult to describe anything so perfectly enchanting. Here it is the Frenchmen and women are seen in all their glory, seated near a small table in front of the cafe out on the side-walk, enjoying their dinner, their lunch or their wine. Nothing can be more jolly or delightful looking. Every seat generally occupied, both inside and outside, by men, women and children, all either eating, drinking, smoking or talking. The blaze of thousands of fancy colored gas lights, the reflection of mirrors, the clinking of glasses, the rattle of knives and forks, and the chattering of the charming ladies, and the merry laugh of innocent children, is very pleasing and enchanting. All Parisians drink wine, from the toddling child to the grey haired old man, and drink it in abundance, and singular to say during my stay in Paris I never saw a drunken man or woman, excepting on the night of the great National Fete they hold on the 14th July to celebrate the birth of the new Republic, and then only a few young who had imbibed rather freely of the free wine which the government distributed all over Paris in thousands of gallons. On that night I attended the grand review of some 100,000 men of the French army held at Longchams. The day was excessively hot and some 50 of the soldiers had to be carried off the field from the effects of sun stroke. The French soldiers did not impress me very favorably. They were dressed very slovenly—wide red trousers, blue jacket and a great big cap, a cross between a grenideer's and a cavalryman's cap. In size and soldier appearance they are much inferior to the British soldier. In speaking about the size to a Frenchman, he said all their largest and best men were killed during the Franco-German war, significantly added they would yet have their revenge, and march through Berlin as the Germans did through Paris. I think they will have to wait a long time before that takes place. The sights of Paris are many and grand. I shall only mention a few. First, the theatres are legion, and upon them millions are lavished. They are open every day, Sunday and Saturday, indeed Paris knows no Sabbath,—shops, theatres, concerts, saloons, cafes and all the rest, are in full blast on that day, and if possible gayer than on week days. The Tulleires, the former residence of Napoleon, is in ruins, and stands facing the Cham de Ellise, a monument to the Communists who destroyed it after the fall of Sedan. Further along to the right Place Vendome, a beautiful Corinthian pillar 220 feet high, made out of the cannons captured by Napoleon I, during his wars with Russia and Austria in 1805. It is ornamented with representations of the battles he fought and won (Waterloo is not there.) To the northeast lies the magnificent church of the Madeline, richly decorated with scripture scenes. It is 328 feet long, and 188 feet broad, and cost $2,500,000 to build. We next come to the Louvre, the most beautifully decorated building in Paris. It was here that Henry III, Henry IV, Louis XIII, Louis XIV, Charles IX, and other French monarchs lived, and from here walked to the scaffold many a head that wore a crown. It was on this spot that the massacre of St. Barthelemy took place, when 100,000 souls were sent unprepared to meet their Maker. Lastly, Versailles, the most visited, and decidedly the most favorite resort near Paris. It was here that Louis IV resided, surrounded by all that money could purchase, and detested by his people. His palaces and grounds were the most magnificent in the world, and simply defy description; suffice it to say, that the palace and grounds cost the enarmous sum of two hundred million dollars, and yet all this did not make him happy, as he died a miserable death.

Many other places of equal note was visited, such as the tomb of Napoleon I, on the banks of the Sein, where he wished his body to be buried as he said, in the midst of his beloved people whom he loved so well.

Art is particularly well represented in Paris in all its various branches—*statuary, oil painting*, painted glass drawing, engraving, water color drawing, &c.

The Botanic Garden is admirably arranged, and contains some 18,000 different species: Mr. Bowes would no doubt linger there for hours.

The Managerie, though containing many more specimens, is much inferior to the one in London, as are also the geological specimens.

Fearing I have wearied the patience of your readers, I must halt. I had intended giving you a short sketch of my trip through Scotland and Ireland, but will have to defer it to my next.

W. J. MCFARLAND.

REMOVED.

I beg to inform my many friends that I have removed into my new premises in Dr. Sproule's Brick Block. Too busy to give particulars this week; but might say I have fresh goods arriving daily, which I will dispose of at lowest living rates for cash.

CALL AND SEE ME.

A. McINTYRE.

Markdale, August 3rd, 1881.

BIRTHS.

FLEMING—In Markdale, on the 28th ult., the wife of Mr. Wm. Fleming, of a son.

FORD—On the 29th ult., the wife of J. W. Ford, (miller), of a daughter.

MUNSHAW—In Flesherton, on the 24th ult., the wife of A. Munshaw, Esq., of a daughter.

SULLIVAN—In Flesherton, on the 24th ult., the wife of Mr. Jas. Sullivan, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

GREGORY—ARMSTRONG.—On the 23rd ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Charles Gregory, of Toronto, to Miss Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. Armstrong, of Markdale.

GRAHAM—BROWN.—On Tuesday, 30th of Aug., at the P. M. Parsonage, Markdale, by the Rev. J. S. Corcoran, Thos. Jas. Graham, of Sandfield Township, Manitoulin Island, to Miss Sarah Ann Brown, daughter of Edward Brown, Holland Township.

BLACKBURN—SIMMONS.—At the Presbyterian Manse, Markdale, on the 31st ult., Mr. Geo. H. Blackburn, to Miss Francis C. Simmons. All of Artemesia.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a promissory note for $150.25, purporting to be made by me in favor of the "Globe Lightning Rod Co.," was obtained from me by one D. Rutherford, who represented himself to be an agent of said Company, as, and for an a knowledgement for the receipt of lightning rod material, I having previously agreed to act as the Company's local agent. As I never purchased said material and never intended to give any note therefor, payment of said note is refused.

(Signed), THOMAS KNIGHT.

Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881. 51-tf.

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS, On the premises.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

Farm for Sale.

LOT No. 9, Concession 10, Glenelg, containing 100 acres—80 of which is cleared and under cultivation, the balance well timbered, chiefly hardwood. On the premises is a barn 60x24, a house and outbuildings, and a young orchard, is well watered and well fenced with cedar rails. It is situated 5½ miles from the thriving village of Markdale. Title good; possession given at once. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the proprietor is going West. Apply to

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P.O.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

September 2nd, 1881. 51-8t*

NOTICE.

THE subscribers in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49 tf.

WANTED.

A SMART, STOUT BOY, ABOUT 16 or 18 years old, to learn the Baking business.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 3t.

Vennor's Predictions ...
... for STORMS ...
Sample copy mailed ...
J. M. SHOEMAKER, Pub., New York, Phil. & Chicago.

MT. FOREST HIGH SCHOOL.

RE-OPENS

SEPTEMBER 1st, 1881.

Nineteen Pupils passed the Intermediate Examination, July 12, 1881.

JOS. REID, B. A., Head Master.

Board can be had from $3 up.

Mt. Forest, Aug. 19, 1881. 49-3-in.

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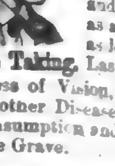

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

Before Taking. After Taking.

Full particulars in our pamphlets, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing

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DR FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY

Cures Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Cramps, Colic, Sea Sickness and Summer Complaint; also Cholera Infantum, and all Complaints peculiar to children teething, and will be found equally beneficial for adults or children.

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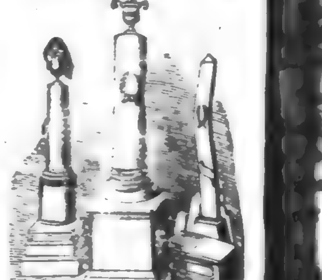

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Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of ... executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881.

THE KEY TO HEALTH.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size ...

For sale by all dealers.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto.

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881.

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...y friends that I have ... mises in Dr. Sproule's ... to give particulars ... I have fresh goods ... ll dispose of at lowest

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BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

THE MOST POPULAR ... SEWING MACHINES ... NEW HOME

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

Shortly. In the meantime Goods are being cleared out to make room for the large stock which is now being selected personally by Mr. McFarland from the largest houses in Europe.

THE STANDARD.

...day, September 2, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

...NDALK Monthly Cattle Fair next ...day, 6th inst.

...John Orr is having his house ...ill St. vaneered with brick.

...Geo. Wright has returned from ...t Ste. Marie, where he has been ...last spring.

...Carter is now in Sault Ste. ... and is working up a good ...ice.

...had a call from Mr. Fawcett, ...the Advance, and Mr. Watson, of ...Monitor, last week.

The President has taken a turn for better the past few days, and unless a relapse takes place there are strong hopes of his recovery.

Good cheap Preserve Jars a specialty at Reynolds & Son.

Rev. A. Wilson will preach in the Methodist church, Markdale, next Sabbath evening, at 6.30.

The Ladies' Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church, Markdale, will hold a bazaar on Wednesday, Oct. 5th, day of the Glenelg Fall Show.

...complete assortment of Authorized School Books at the Medical ...A. Turner &Co.

...is commencing to come in. ...purchase made here was by ...Brothers, last week at $1.10 for ...and $1.05 for fall wheat. The ...were not of the best.

...oil company, are sole ...owners of "Castorine machine ...fringements will be prosecuted,

...proceedings of Proton and ...Township Councils crowded ...gether with several communications and items of interest. Will ...next week.

...your Preserve Jars from Reynolds & Son, cheapest in town.

...Corcoran, P. M. Minister, will preach in the Orange Hall, ...on Sabbath next, at 3 o'...m. All are kindly invited.

...has just received a fine ...ment of apples, peaches, plums, ...tions, &c., and will have ...few days. Look out for ...advertisement next week, too busy to ...sert it this week.

...your dealers for "Castorine" ...oil, and see that the barrel ...ed "Castorine," as none other ...

Mr. Grant has removed ...furniture business, to Benson's ...brick building, opposite Haskett's ...where he will be glad to meet ...customers.

...is it you see so many beautiful ...worn now-a-days? Because ...sells a genuine article at a ...able price. He has a large ...

...J. McFarland landed in Quebec ...nday, together with W. F. Doll ...Miss Richardson of Flesherton. ...latter two are expected home to-... Mr. McFarland will arrive next ...

...heavy rain storm passed over this ...just as we were going to press ...accompanied by the severest thunder ...lightning we have witnessed in ...time. It was of short duration, ...ever.

...scribe for the Standard the best ...paper in this section of the ... To the end of the year from ...y 40 cents.

...Cradling.—On Tuesday Aug... Mr. David Lewis cradled 7 ...and 20 rods of barley on lot 2, ...Euphrasia, from 7.30 a. m., ...m., we would live to know if ...can beat that, if such there ...him out.

...Castorine" Machine Oil, for ...kinds of machinery, it is also ex...cellent for harness and leather, mak...ing it water and weather proof. For ...by dealers.

...a first-class Carriage or Waggon go to D. J. Shanahan's, he is ...ing off the balance of his stock at ...ly reduced prices' to make room ...a large stock of cutters and sleighs, ...member the place, opposite the ... Store, Mill Street, Markdale. ...is your chance for a good bargain.

The brick work on Messrs. Reid & ...gall's block is completed, and is ...haps the finest building so far in ... the block is 82 feet front by 50 ...deep, three story high, and seven ...cellar under the whole size.

The Standard office, is now being ...ed forward and will be completed ...a month, the proprietor has ...to have it built larger than ...tenders called for, and has therefore added six feet to the length.

Another Sacrifice on the Hymeneal Altar.—Last week Mr. C. Greg... builder, of Toronto, took to himself a wife, one of our esteemed young ...(an old schoolmate) Miss Eliza... Armstrong, eldest daughter of ...Wm. Armstrong, of this place. ...wish them a long and happy life.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

A good young team of oxen wanted. Apply to H. Hamilton, Harkaway P. O.

An extensive sale of Lands by public auction at McCullough's Hotel, on Monday, 5th inst. Fine valuable farms in all. See advertisement in another column.

A Large Bear.—One day last week Mr. Richard Stunnel, 9th line Euphrasia, spied a very large bear in pursuit of his sheep in the field. Bruin disappeared when he saw Mr. S.

And Still Another.—While Mr. J. Orr was on his way home from Markdale, about a week ago, a bear crossed the road in front of him, two and a half miles west of the village. Where is our sportsmen and crack shots? Let us hear of the death of some such game as above mentioned.

The good accomplished with steel pens is incalcable, but the cost of a box of Esterbrook's is only nominal. The stationers have them. The trade supplied by Brown Bros., Toronto.

For all Liver and Kidney complaints and affections of the Stomach and Bowels use the great Dyspepsia remedy, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large 8 oz. bottles containing 70 teaspoonful doses at 50 cents a bottle. A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

The second annual Picnic of No. 5 R. C. Separate School, Glenelg, will be held at Webster's School House, on Wednesday, 14th inst., when there will be Athletic Games, good music, &c. Dinner at 12, noon. Admission to the grounds, including dinner, 25c. See bills for further particulars.

Dyspepsia can readily be cured by taking according to directions Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They greatly aid the digestive powers and tone the whole system. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. For sale by A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

Mr. Samuel Caswell, Sr., formerly of this place, who has been in Manitoulin for a numbe of years, gave us a call on Saturday, 20th ult., and left here on the following Monday for Ireland. He informed us that he received a Pass from Winnipeg to the above place. Object, to encourage emigration.

In consequence of the amalgamation of the Telegraph Companies, the rates which were reduced about a year ago to 20 cents per 10 words have been raised to the old price, 25 cents, on all lines, and no night messages will be sent for less than 25 cents, for which amount any number of words up to 25 will be taken. This arrangement came into effect on the 29th ult

There is no better family medicine than Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They are taken alike by both old and young. They invigorate the system. They should invariably be used instead of those little well-known nauseous purgatives called pills. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner &Co., special agents for Markdale.

Hill Bros. have planted four hitching posts in front of their establishment, which we hope to see used for that purpose, as it is a great inconvenience for persons when coming to a crossing to have to go round a team in order to get across the street. There are some who seem especially fond of leaving their team standing over the crossing. We hope to see other merchants do likewise.

Harvest is about over, and has been at least one of the finest we ever had, the weather has been dry and exceedingly warm, consequently the crops have been housed earlier than usual. The late spring wheat is rusted considerable, but with that exception the yield will be above an average. Markets are on the rise and will likely rule high through the season. Threshing is now the order of the day. Farmers are looking pleasent, and why should they not. There is no time a man can look pleasent so easily as when he is in the midst of prosperity.

The Saddest of Sad Sights.—The grey hairs of age being brought with sorrow to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rarer every year as the use of Cingalese Hair Restorer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former color and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the change of years, resting assured that no Grey Hair at any rate will come to sadden us. Sold by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

Accident.—A son of Mr. Wm. Douglass, aged about 10 years, while playing in the yard, stepped on a piece of broken glass, inflicting a wound an inch in depth in the sole of his foot, severing an artery. He bled profusely. Dr. Sproule was called in who succeeded in stopping the bleeding by compression, as it was impossible to pick up the artery from the nature of the wound. This should be a warning to people to be a little more careful as to where they throw their broken glass. The little fellow is doing pretty well, but will have to be kept very quiet for three or four weeks.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says everyone having tried 'Teaberry,' the new toilet gem. Get a 5 cent sample.

A CHICAGO GIRL AT CONCORD.

A young lady on the West Side has just returned from Boston. While there her uncle, who is a reporter on a sporting paper, took her to the Summer School of Philosophy at Concord. She heard some one read an essay on the Absoluteness of Absolution, and became infatuated with the doctrine taught.

"Chawles," said she to her lover the other evening (he is a clerk in a harness store). "Chawles, do you realize that you cannot differentia the indissoluble absoluteness of the absolute?"

"No," he replied, "to tell you the truth, I don't," and as it was the first time he had seen her since she got back, the suggestion uttered struck him with some alarm.

"Did you ever stop to inquire," she began again, "into the inchoation or the rudimentary incipients of the rhapsodical coagmentations of your thoughts of love?"

"Well, not to speak of," he said.

"Then, if there is one drop of blood in your heart that pulsates for me; if there is one concest, nooscopic or psycological, that in the incogitancy of your dreams or in the perquisition of your walking hours, absorbs a thought of me, I beg that you would eliminate any abstruse or equivocal particles of distrust from the profound and all transpicious abnormality of your love."

"Great heavens, Maria, have you swallowed a dictionary?"

"No I have not," she said, with a look of stern and forbidding displeasure; "I have been to the school of philosophy at Concord." Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Honored and Blest.—When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were skeptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and to-day the discoverers of that *great medicine*, Hop Bitters, are honored and blessed by all as benefactors.—*Democrat.*

BRIC-A-BRIC.

A HUSBAND WHO LAUGHED

Several men were making purchases in a Michigan avenue store yesterday, when a man who had been looking out of the window for some time turned and said:

"Well, that's a bad case."

"What is it?" enquired two or three at once.

"Well, I don't know who is the husband of this woman out here in the wagon, but if I were he I'd go across the street and smash that fellow's head."

"Why?"

"Why, because he has been working like a beaver for this last half hour to get up a flirtation with her."

At this one of the men began to chuckle. Then the chuckle ran into a laugh, and finally he had to sit down.

"What's the matter with you?" some one asked.

"Why, I'm—I'm that womans husband."

"Are you? And you are laughing over the flirtation!"

"I—I can't help it," he said as he went off into another fit. "Just think of him a flirting and a strutting up and down and a doing the purty when the old woman out there has been stone blind for seven years—ha! ha! ha!"—M. Quad.

A Fool once More.—For ten years my wife was confined to her bed with such a complication of ailments that no doctor could tell what was the matter or cure her, and I used up a small fortune in humbug stuff. Six months ago I saw a U. S. flag with Hop Bitters on it, and I thought I would be a fool once more. I tried it, but my folly proved to be wisdom. Two bottles cured her, she is now as well and strong as any man's wife, and it cost me only two dollars such folly pays."—H. W., Detroit, Mich.—*Free Press.*

Beware.—The Yankee patent right men are on the war path, the farmers should beware. Their modus operandi in this case are as follows: A man representing himself as general agent for Ayer's sharpeners, with headquarters at Toronto, calls and desires his intended victim to become an agent for a township, and on inducing him to become so produces a memorandum of an order of a quarter of a gross of the sharpeners with an agreement that as he sells them he is to remit one half the proceeds to the company at Toronto and keep the other half. A few days after another man calls representing himself attorney for the company, and producing a bill of shipment demands immediate payment for the goods or a note for the same which, if not complied with, endeavors to frighten his victim into payment by threats of legal proceedings. Several in the neighborhood of Fulton, Lincoln county, have been victimized to the extent of $198.—*Spectator.*

And now an old Italian prophecy has been raked up and this little globe is to be relieved from further duty on the 15th of November next. The prophecy was uttered in the fourteenth century by Leonardo Aretino, who, it is claimed was the "boss" prophet of the country at the time. The course of destruction will last for fifteen days; on the first day the sea will overflow its boundaries, and on the second will penetrate even to the center of the earth. On the third day all river creatures and on the fourth all sea creatures will perish. On the fifth the birds will die, on the sixth the houses will fall in, on the seventh the rocks will be cleft, on the eighth there will be a great earthquake, on the ninth all the mountains will fall in, on the tenth all men will become dumb, on the eleventh the graves will be opened, it will rain stars, on the thirteenth all men will die, on the fourteenth Heaven and earth will be burned, and finally will follow resurrection and the day of judgment.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

Friday, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5.25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.10	to	1.5
Fall do. do. do.	1.10	to	1.15
Barley	0.60	"	0.65
Oats	0.30	"	0.32
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.35
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0.50		0.50
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10.00	"	12.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Thursday, June 16th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.50	to	$6.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.08	to	1.15
Fall do. do. do.	1.08	"	1.15
Barley	0.60	"	0.65
Oats	0.34	"	0.36
Peas	0.50	"	0.55
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.12
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	6.00	"	9.00
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.21	"	0.25
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Fall wheat 90c to $1.03; Spring wheat $1 to $1.06; Barley 50c to 70c; Peas 58c to 59c; Oats 23c to 33c; Pork $7.25 to $7.50; Potatoes per bag 60c to 60c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 00c to 18c; beef 5c to 5½c: sheep skins 75c to $1.00; hides $7.00; grass seed $2.50 to $2.75; Hay $7.00 to 7.50; wool 25c to 28c; lard 10c; tallow 6c.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto, June 9, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30	to	$1 33
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to	1 33
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 86
Oats, do.	0 42	to	0 44
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 89	to	0 93
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 50	to	0 00
Beef, hind quarters	7 50	to	8 50
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 65
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	00	to	0 00
Turkeys	0 00	to	0 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	13	to	0 15
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	2 50
Potatoes, per bag	0 40	to	0 45
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	8 00	to	11 00

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Durham—Third Tuesday in each month.
Priceville—Monday before Durham.
Hanover—Monday before Durham.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Douglas—Monday before Elora Fair.
Hamilton—Cyrstal Palace Grounds the day after Guelph.
Berlin—Frst Thursday in each month.
Brampton—First Thursday in each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Fergus—Thursday following Mount Forest.
Rosemont—Fifteenth of February, April, June, August, October and December.
Primrose—Wednesday preceding the Orangeville Fair.
Orangeville—The 2nd Thursday in each month.
Flesherton—Monday before Orangeville.
Dundalk—Tuesday before Orangeville.
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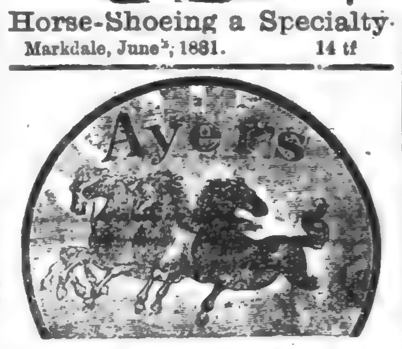

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Thy happiness shall equal thy wisdom.

2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst not make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acquire,
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance, for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of wine thou drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thirst thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shall be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not have been paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy insurance thou will be poorer than a church rat.

If thou fallest into poverty
People will care but little for thee.

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Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to make up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of ... and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' ...

Orders by Mail promptly attended to.

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

WHAT AN OLD FARMER SAYS.

This is the advice of an old man who has tilled the soil for forty years:—

I am an old man, upwards of three score years, during two score of which I have been rich and all I need; do not owe a dollar; have given my children a good education, and when I am called away shall leave enough to keep the wolf from the door. My experience is that:—

1. One acre of land, well tilled and well prepared, produced more than two which received only the same amount of labor used on one.

2. One cow, horse, mule, sheep or hog well fed is more profitable than two which recieved only the same amount necessary to keep one well.

3. One acre of clovergrass is worth more than two of cotton where no grass or clover is raised.

4. No farmer who buys oats, corn or wheat, fodder and hay, can keep the sheriff from the door to the end.

5. The farmer who never reads the papers, and sneers at book farming and improvements, always has a leaky roof, poor stock, broken down fences, and always complainins of 'bad seasons.'

6. The farmer who is above his business and entrusts it to another to mange, soon has no business to attend to.

7. The farmer whose habitual beverage is cool water is healthier, wealthier and wiser than he who does not refuse to drink.

HUMOROUS.

After throwing eight boys over the fence from a water-melon patch, the woman charged thus:—Now, see 'ere boys, you'll keep this thing up till you get me riled.

A medical journal at Munich says that diphtheria caught by kissing is likely to asanme much severer form than if the disease were contracted or imparted in some other way. This should be a warning to married men and hired girls.

"My brethren," said a western minister, "the preaching of the gospel to some people is like pouring water over a sponge—it soaks in and stays. To others it is like the wind blowing through the chicken coop. My experience of this congregation is that it contains more chicken coops than sponges."

A preacher, who was annoyed by the ladies of his congregation turning about in their seats, paused in his discourse to say; "Ladies, if you will give me your attention for a few moments, I will keep a good look out on the door, and if anything worse than a man enters, I will warn you in time for you to make your escape."

THE LIME KILN CLUB.

"I wouldn't gin a cent fur de man who quotes old proverbs an' adopts second han' mottoes," began the old man as the crunching of harvest apples suddenly ceased. "Dis am an aige fur ebery man to hold his own plow, an' who am content to let some one else hold it must be satisfied wid cobs in place of co'n. Ef I was so poo' an' low down dat I had to pick rags I would have my own maxims an' mottoes. Instead of sayin' Doan' put off till to-morrow what can be dun to-day, I wou'd have it; 'now ole man, you git right up an' dust and sling mo' rags dis week dan any odder chap kin in a month.' 'De oder day I met Comeback Jones. You know he am 'bout sixty y'ars old, an' 'bout as hard up as a woodchuck in a b'ar's grip. I axed de ole man how he was keepin' up wid de purcesshun, an he replied: 'Wall ize mighty hard up, but dey say it am a long lane dat has no turn. Just fink of an ole man wid one No. 18 in de grave waitin' fur a turn in de lane to bring him heaps to eat an' lots to w'ar? All frew life he has carried dat second han' sayin' wid him, an' am yet a believer in it. Why didn't he have one of his own? If he had said, 40 years ago: 'Doan' foller any lane, but cut cross lots,' de wolf wouldn,t be arter him today. A man who has de will to make a motto has de pluck to make it a success. 'Buckle down to bizness' am a better motto dan any book kin give ye. Let me, in' closin', quote some of de mottoes an' maxims belongin' to members of dis club:

"Sir Isaac Walpole—'Doan drap fifty cents in reachin' fur a dollar.'

"Waydown Bebee—'When ye can't dig frew a wall climb ober it.'

"Giveadam Jones—'Git dar' if it takes a leg.'

"Pickles Smith—'Ye can't swim a ribber by sittin' on a bank.'

"Samuel Shin—'Sot yer alarm clock fur 6 in de mornin.'

"Trustee Pulback—'If de road am up hill stiffen yer back bone a little mo."

"Kyan Johnson—'De man who w'ars his hat on his ear shows de empty side of his head.'

"Brutus Jackson—'Hoe co'n wid yer hans an' arms 'stead of yer mouf.'

"Elder Toots—'Take a job at fust sight, but doan' trade hosses till ye think it ober."

HE DID.

The following open letter was then read:

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Aug. 3, 1881.

Bro. Gardner,—Did you, some seven or eight weeks since, advocate the establishment of the whipping post for petty offences? Please give me a direct answer, in order to decide a wager. Very truly,

SOLOMON WHITE.

"I did," said the old man, as he arose, "an' I do now, an' I shell in de fucher, onless de need of it passes away. In de fust place, does it degrade a man any mo' to warm him up wid a rawhide dan it does to put him in jail or sot him to poundin' stone on de street? In de nex' place, kin a mean man be degraded? In de las' place, we am all awar' dat not one petty offence in five am punished, bekase de law doan' tech it, or bekase it's too much trouble an' expense to prosecute. Sartin pussons make a biz ness of loafin. How many of 'em kin you convict of vagrancy? Sartin pussons insult lone women on de street. How many of 'em have eber been jailed? Dar am a dozen udder offences dat de law doan' tackle, or if it does de 'fenders git 'cla'r. What punishment am it to a loafer to go to jail for a month. He gits plenty to eat, an' a good bed to sleep on, an' gains five pounds of let. If dat same man was tied up an' thirty lashes laid on his ba'r back he'd open his eyes pow'ful wide. Go on de riber, go on de dyars, walk on de street, an' you find de loafer. He pushes an' crowds an' abuses an' insults. What kin you do wid him? Make complaint an' de law will play wid him an' let him go. Let an officer give him a soun' floggin' an' his hat would come down off his ear in no time. De wippin' post may be barbarous, but what do you call it when a loafer follows your wife fru de streets? It may be degradin', but what do you call it when three drunken loafers take possesshun of a 'scurshun boat an' knock men down an' frighten women half to death. Take a tramp, a loafer, a drunkard or a petty thief, tie him to a wippin' post an' play a rawhide on his back for five minutes an' you have done mo' to make dat man respect de power of law an' de rights of odder men dan any workhouse sentence could do."

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CURIOUS FACTS.

It is said that cats with blue eyes are always deaf.

Statistics go to show that suicides are more frequent in hot weather than during a lower temperature.

According to Arristotle large ears are an indication of imbicility, while small ones announce madness.

Among the Indians near the Amazon there are no words for numbers, and a similar want of arithmetical power.

It was once believed that the house leek, if grown upon the roof, would protect the house from being struck by lightning.

The guanaco of Patagonia, is described as having the head of a camel, the body of a deer, wool of the sheep, and neigh of a horse.

The Ashantee of Africa, like the ancient Greeks, when he drinks, spills a little of the liquor on the ground as an offering to the gods.

The bombadier beetle when touched produces a noise resembling the discharge of a minature musket, while a blue smoke issues from its body.

The Barbab tree of South Africa may be barked or burned without injury to the tree, and it continues to live and grow for some time after it is cut down.

Chinese mandarins or governors often sentence offenders to lie on the ground and receive thirty strokes of the bamboo, while for great crimes men are strangled or beheaded.

Some animals have regular cemeteries to which they retire to die. The llama of Soute America has its district cemeteries, in which bones are found bleeching in great numbers.

During a heavy shower at Milbrook, Ont., countless myriads of small black toads fell with the rain. Shortly after the rain, next day, in some places, it was almost impossible to step on the sidewalks without crushing some of these little hoppers.

Those persons who are found of tracing great events to small causes may find a strong instance in the death of the late ex Prince Imperial of France. He was very agile, and would unquestionable have vaulted into his saddle, with an excellent chance of escaping from the Zulus, but the leather of the saddle flap (probably supplied by a fraudulent contractor, whose nefariousness was overlooked by a careless store inspector) tore in his hand, and a piece of rotton leather perhaps changed the late of empires.

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And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

AND

General Jobbing!

As we warrant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-3m.

GOLD

Or its equivalent, can purchase any thing you may require in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, or in fact anything that is usually

FOUND

In a general country store

IN

Purchasieg, you should always ascertain where you can purchase to the best advantage, that is get the best goods at the lowest price, and that place is

BUTTERR & RAE'S

MARKDALE.

August 9th, 1881. 1

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates.

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES LOW.

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.

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BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.,

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Wanzer Sewing Machines,

Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion.

DOHERTY ORGANS,

Unsurpassed in beanty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted.

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

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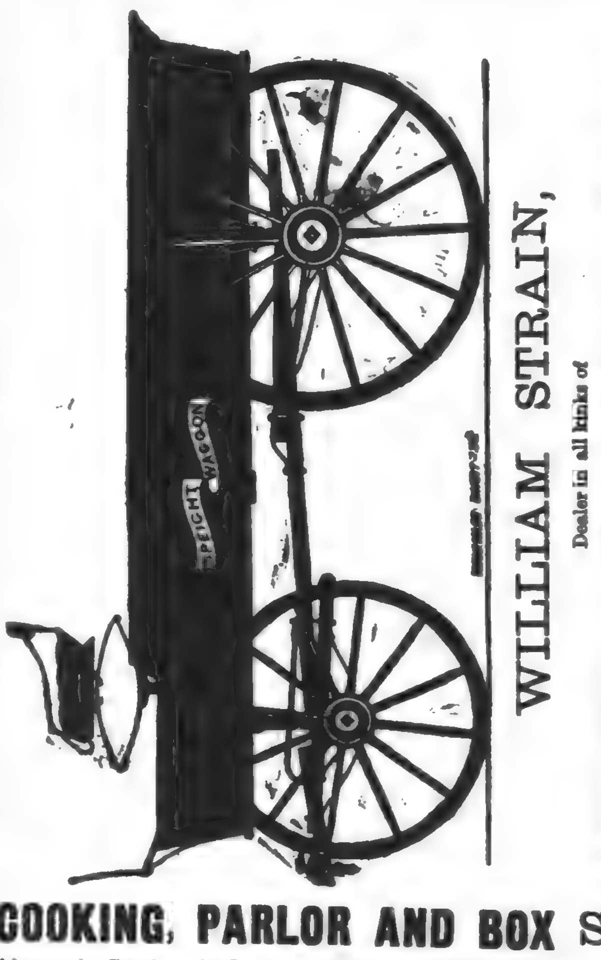
Markdale, March 29, 1881. 29-tf.



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Sewing Machines, Organs,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS or the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. TRAIN, Flesherton

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore,

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

D. J. SHANAHAN'S

WAGON and

Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,

SPRING WAGGONS,

LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of your esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-3m

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY McRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING!

ON

Wednesdays and Saturdays,

By Thomas Smith,

☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. [illegible]

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Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

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UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS,

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W. BENSON, Markdale.

August 4th, 1881. 47-tf.

MONEY to LEND

AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

MARKDALE HOUSE.

MARKDALE,

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick bui'ding, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience, It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

Artemesia Warehouse!

FLESHERTON STATION,

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th. 1881. 2-tf

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And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

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CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

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GENAERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,

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Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and [illegible] each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

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COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

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I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

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Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10 1881 14-tf

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HILL BROS,

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Trimmed Hats & Bonnets

CHILDREN'S HATS AND SUNSHADES,

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LADIES' MANTLES

OUT AND MADE TO ORDER.

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SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

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FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled

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ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED

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All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA

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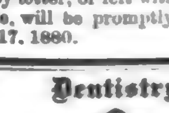

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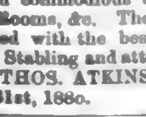

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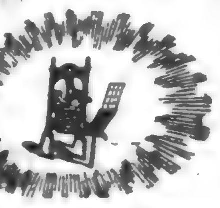

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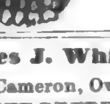

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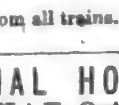

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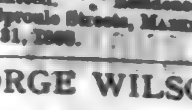

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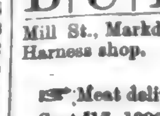

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SAUSAGE & POULTRY
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☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
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Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

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and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES,
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1881 3 9-ly

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Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
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Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS;
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Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
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CELEBRATED
REAPER,
MOWER, and
RAKE,
—ALSO—
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Markdale, June 9. 1881. 80 ly

Province of Ontario Directory
For 1881-82,
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Price $5.00.
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AND A THOROUGH
CLASSIFIED
Business Directory
of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
CLASSIFIED
BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
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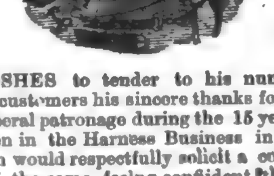
Montreal, December, 1880.

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale. an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
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FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
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Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,
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Miscelaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.
P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 8-y

VIOLA'S REVENGE.

By the Author of "My Lady's Secret," "A Waif's Fortunes," "The Lady of Gorson Lea," &c.

Nay, this should be her revenge—to accept his homage, giving him nothing in return; to permit him a lover's torment, but not a lover's privileges; to treat him with cold and studied indifference until vows had joined them indissolubly together; and then to reveal to him and to his world the successful imposture and taunt him with his shame.

Revolving her new design, she let her fingers stray into improvisation. Watching her wan, cold face, watching for the clue he needed, he sat and listened.

It seemed to him that in the rippling notes there were the song of birds, the dash of merry waves, the gladness of the sunshine, the laughter of little children. Then the gladness grew and grew until it was almost pain. There was a thrilling intensity in those broken chords, those little irregular pauses, those restless harmonies that changed ever before their full fruition. It seemed to him that her music was like the rapture of a human soul, imperfect as yet, but developing ever towards perfection. At length the rapture was broken by a crash of discord.

Then there was a storm for a while, storm and struggle and wild fierce agony, until the storm died away to sheer exhaustion, and nothing was left of it but long low moanings.

They hurt him—those long low moanings, and once he thought of puting a sprightly fantasia before her and bidding her play it; but he changed his mind and waited, watching for the clue.

What did it mean, this march of the notes, gathering strength and swelling louder, clearer, to a burst of exultation? She stopped abruptly and her slender hands lay idle upon the keys.

"What have you been playing?" he asked.

"I have been playing my thoughts," answered Viola, with frigid composure.

CHAPTER XII.

In the Wye Valley the trees began to don their autumn livery. The weeks crept slowly by, but still Colonel Pettitt stayed on at Burgot Grange, like an "Old Man of the Sea" astride William Burgot's shoulders, declining to be removed.

The incubus grew almost unbearable, yet the unwilling host made no effort to dislodge his guest.

In occasional looks and tones, in allusions, pregnant with veiled sarcasm, to their ancient intimacy in India, William Burgot detected dormant suspicion; and he feared to arouse a monster which might turn and rend him.

As to the Colone he was perfectly content. The wines, the viands, the amusements, the society, were quite to his taste, and particularly the society. This middle-aged Mars had found in Clara Dallas a Venus to his liking, and he was madly in love with her.

Clara smiled sweetly upon her adorer and accepted his homage—when William Burgot was not present—most graciously. She was glad to have this second string to her bow, to be fitted and used, perhaps, if the first should snap. Failing William Burgot and his fifteen thousand a year, she might be glad to fall back on Colonel Pettitt and his half-pay, particularly if his half-pay were supplemented by a good private fortune. She prepared many dainty lures to entrap the Colonel into communicativeness upon the latter point, but without result.

He saw the lures, he was conscious of the mercenary nature of his goddess; he knew that, however sweet her smiles, however gracious her manner, she would not permit a definite declaration of his affection unless he could surround himself, like Jupiter, with a shower of gold. A charmed circle was drawn about her, over which no one might pass but he who was treasure-laden. He felt that if he should be rash enough to break through, it would be the prelude to a summary dismissal.

For the Colonel was poor, very poor, for a man in his position; and likely to remain so, unless in following up certain vague suspicions he might chance to find a royal road to fortune.

He was not jealous of William Burgot; for the Squire's manner towards Clara was not one to inspire mistrust or to afford Mrs. Robert occasion to felicitate herself on the result of skillful diplomacy. He let the girl make court to him, in her playful kittenish way, whilst the Colonel smiled benignantly, as upon an affection of filial regard. But, remembering Mrs. Robert's overtures, and noting the continual endorsement of them visible in Clara's little attentions, William Burgot felt too disgusted to respond. It would be time enough, he reasoned, to pluck this over-ripe plum when the chance of starving became more imminent.

"What are your plans for the morning, Burgot?" asked the Colonel one day at breakfast.

"I think we might try the covers adjoining Armidale's land—in fact, I arranged last night that we should meet him at ten sharp."

"How delightful!" cried Mrs. Robert. "It is quite warm to-day out of doors. We can bring luncheon, and help you to demolish it. I do so enjoy those feasts in the open air!"

So it came to pass that at a given time there was a reunion beneath a noble old tree, hard by a belt of gorse. It was a picturesque scene—the glorious autumnal tints of the foliage, the heap of slaughtered game, the warm furs and gay ribbons of the ladies, the diversity of male attire—the gaiters and shooting-boots of the gentlemen, the velveteen of the keepers, the liveries of the servants.

All went merry as a marriage bell, until William Burgot, stepping back carelessly, caught his heel against a protruding root, and came crashing down amongst the underwood, with a groan of pain.

"Are you hurt?" was the simultaneous ejaculation.

"There is something wrong with my arm," he answered, as half a dozen willing hands helped him to rise. "An awkward twist, I fancy, to say nothing of about forty thorns."

"Oh, let me help you to draw off your coat," cried "Dear Clara."

Very gently she performed the suggested survise, and rolled back the white sleeve of his shirt to ascertain what mischief was done. A few pricks and scratches where the thorns had entered, a slight discoloration, was the extent of it. But all the lookers-on remarked a healed wound, scars which told how horribly the flesh must once have been ploughed up and torn. Colonel Pettitt regarded the scars with strained earnestness. When he spoke his voice was less loud than usual, and an odd quiver of excitement ran through it.

"Only a wild cat could have given you those beauty-marks," he observed. "Once I saw a poor fellow's arm ripped open in a similar way. Do you remember the tiger-hunt of Jungapore Burgot?"

Did he remember? William Burgot's face turned ghastly pale. For one instant he met the speaker's glance, then his eyes sought the ground.

"How ill you look!" cried Mrs. Robert. "Dear Clara, give the poor fellow some brandy in a tumbler!"

"I fear its a nasty sprain—the pain is intense," replied William Burgot, huskily. "You must all excuse me. I shall go home."

He did not wait for condolences or for remonstrances, but strode away. Clara hurried after him, with expressions of solicitude. Colonel Pettitt watched her with eyes that were full of triumphant amusement.

He drank much champagne and made jests as they ate the *al fresco* repast; and he shot very wildly afterwards, missing many birds without the slightest impairing of his joyousness. When the sport was over, and he and Lord Armidale were slowly returning to the Grange, they encountered "dear Clara" and Viola, who had come to meet them. As a matter of course, Lord Armidale took possession of his betrothed, and Miss Dallas and the Colonel were left to entertain each other.

They walked through the wooded ways together, and they paused for a moment in a dell where the leaves had drifted together, to note how the great artist Nature had dashed her colors on the trees and made them look beautiful. And, so strong is the magician Love, this middle-aged soldier grew young again; all the forgotten romance of his nature came surging to his heart. All through his after-life he would remember how, at that instant, dead leaves rustled about his feet, the wind sighed through half-denuded boughs, and the touch of Clara's hand upon his arm thrilled him with ecstacy.

"My stay at the Grange has been a very happy one," he said; "but the happiest experiences must have an end. To-morow I go away."

"So soon, and so suddenly?" asked Clara. Her eyes, her reproachful tones, said much more, filling him with almost delirious joy, yet, in the height of his delirium, he recognized that he must not presume upon the tenderness they implied.

"I am called away on pressing business," he said. "I am going to Italy."

"On what errand?" asked Clara, with the most innocent and child-like directness.

"To develop a gold mine," said the Colonel, with a jocose playfulness. "Until to-day, Miss Dallas, I have been a poor man; now I see a fair prospect of becoming a rich one. I believe my gold mine will produce not less than five thousand a year. In that case, would you like to go halves with me?"

He looked into her eyes eagerly. In spite of the jocoseness, he was trembling with eagerness, and he saw clearly enough that she apprehended the serious meaning which underlay his jest. Clara Dallas became suddenly grave, and hesitated for many seconds ere she answered. Then, with a beaming smile, she uttered the monosyllable "Yes," and let him withdraw the gloved hand from his arm and press his lips to it passionately.

He broke into jest and laughter again after that; the homeward walk was a very merry one. When they reached the Grange he asked for his host, and was informed that William Burgot intended to dine alone in his study, having given orders that no one should disturb him.

So Colonel Pettitt, ere he entered to dress for dinner, asked for pen and paper and wrote a brief note.

"Dear Burgot,—I am called away hastily on pressing business, and I regret that, as I must leave by early train to-morrow and you are desirous of an invalid's privacy, I shall have no opportunity to thank you personally for all your hospitable kindness. I am, for the moment, very short of cash; can you conveniently increase my indebtedness by lending me one hundred pounds?"

"Yours,
"M. Pettitt."

"There," murmured the Colonel, in triumphant soliloquy—"if that draws first blood, as I feel sure it will, I shall know that I am on the right track."

As he was tying his cravat, the servant returned, bearing an unaddressed envelope containing ten ten-pound bank-notes, bearing also the message that the Squire's arm was so painful that he could not hold a pen; but he was very sorry to learn that Colonel Pettitt was forced to depart so hastily, and he would be pleased to entertain him again at as early a date as possible.

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Dinner was over at Burgot Grange, and Clara was saying "Good-night" to everybody, in spite of the Colonel's whispered reproaches, pleading that she must really go and entertain their invalid for half an hour.

She found him in his study, lying back in an easy-chair, but with an expression upon his haggard face which denoted anything but mental ease. He felt that the game he had played so long and so skillfully was almost lost. But there was yet one move to be taken which might save him from utter ruin.

"Clara," he said, "do you know that Viola and Lord Armidale are to be married this day month?"

"No," she answered, in surprise.

"It was only settled to-day. Could we not arrange a double wedding?"

She looked at him earnestly, not quite sure of his meaning.

"Our wedding Clara."

There was not a word of love—not a profession of attachment. Her thoughts flew back to that scene in the dell, only a few hours old, when the leaves rustled about her feet and the wind sighed through the branches, and the consciousness of a man's strong passions stirred her sluggish blood a little.

Certainly she should have preferred the Colonel; but William Burgot had fifteen thousand a year.

"Clara will you be my wife? Will you marry me this day month?"

And "dear Clara, thinking she would take marvellously good care the engagement was not proclaimed until the Colonel had deaprted, answered—

"I will."

CHAPTER XIII.

The weeks crept slowly, slowly. All things are comparative, and, above all, the flight of time. It was a long, long month which preceded the day fixed for the double espousals—the marriage of Lord Armidale and Viola Burgot, of William Burgot and Clara Dallas.

Doubtless there were multitudes of insolvent merchants and impecunious men of pleasure looking forward to the coming maturity of bills they could not hope to meet, to whom the month appeared to melt away with incredible swiftness; but to these four happy or unhappy lovers it seemed as though it would never come to an end.

How many mariages would take place if the contracting parties, who anticipated them with such eagerness, could throw off the glamour of soft mendacious speeches and loving half-truths, and read with accuracy each other's hearts? How very rarely do men tell "the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth" to the woman whom they profess to adore! Somebody once wished, in a moment of enthusiasm, that he had windows to his soul. Perhaps it never occurred to him how very often he would need to put up the shutters, and to stop with care every chink and crevice through which a warning beacon-light might faintly glimmer.

Lord Armidale had won his bride in sense; but not as he won her long years before, when they had lounged amongst the wild-flowers and the weeds, beside the idle fountain. the shattered column and the headless Apollo.

Then she had given herself to him utterly. All the rich treasure of maidenly affection she had lavished ungrudgingly and without stint, with a child's innocence, with an Italian woman's fiery enthusiasm, with burning impassioned words which concealed nothing; for in her spotless purity and her unconventional ignorance she knew not that there was aught to conceal. She had shown him every thought of her young heart and had made him feel that in every fibre of her being she belonged to him, and to him alone.

Now she had given herself again, promising to become his wife; but as yet there was no real surrender. Long *tete-a-tetes* had they, as English custom allows, long walks, and rides and drives, in which she talked fluently upon every conceivable topic with erudition which astonished him, proving how indefatigably she must have ransacked the books of the monastery and bringing to mind again and again his jesting speech of their first interview "She who has access to a great library may become the wisest woman in the world."

But when he would have discussed a dearer theme, their mutual love, she was unaccountably silent and irresponsive. His tenderest eloquence could do no more than bring a look of inexplicable sadness into her beautiful eyes; and when, forgetting with a lover's impetuosity his awe of her queenliness and of her stately unapproachability, he would have caught her to his heart, she shrank with the old cry, "Spare me for the present—not yet, not yet!"

No wonder that Claude, Lord Armidale, was eager for the day when all reticence should be at an end and he should in truth possess his lovely bride.

Nor was the girl herself less eager. The strain upon her was so great, the constant necessity of self-cntrol was so imperative and so trying, it was so difficult and so repugnant constantly to wear the mask of even passive hypocrisy, that she panted for the day when she might dash it to the ground, and stand forth, her own avenger, to enjoy with vindictive delight the completeness of her retaliation.

"Dear Clara" was not less anxious to be united to the man of her choice. Colonel Pettitt had started for Italy, she reasoned; but in this age of swift steamers and express trains, such a journey was a mere bagatelle, to be accomplished in an incredibly short time, if such were the will of the traveller. How long would it take the Colonel to develop the gold mine, or, in more sober English, to transact the business which might make him a rich man? Probably, thought Clara, he had heard of the death of a distant relative of whom he was the direct heir; so large a fortune could hardly fall to him in any other way.

(To be Continued.)

"What ... it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says everyone having tried "Teaberry," the new toilet gem. Get a 5 cent sample.

CONTROLLING CONTAGIOUS DISEASES IN ANIMALS BY VACCINATION.

Dr. D. E. Salmon, veterinary surgeon presents somewhat at length in the *American Agriculturist* for Sept. reasons for believing that we shall very soon come to control such contagious diseases as Pleuro-pneumonia, Glanders, Antrax, Rabies, Texas Cattle Fever, Cholera among Hogs, Fowls etc., by a system of inoculation, similarly to human vaccination for small-pox. He says: ".....Not to mention other facts bearing on the subject, it may be added that their seems good reason to believe that, with a mild form of virus of the different contagious diseases, we may be able, not only toward them off by vaccination, but that we may carry the insusceptibility to the most perfect degree, and by confering this quality on all the breeding animals, we may createbreeds that will transmit it by heredity and thus rid ourselves of the ravages caused by the animal plauges. Much research, however, is still required to settle these points, and to render the methods of vaccination practical and safe; but with an out-look brighter than ever before, it is advisable to redouble our efforts in this direction, and to accomplished all that the most advanced scisnce of the time canattain to. We shall doubtless meet many discouragements, and be foiled many times in our endeavors, but with determination, energy, and perseverance, success must surley crown our efforts at last, and this class of diseases which has discouraged our most advanced thinkers, and has been shrouded in the profounndest mystery for so many years, will disappear—conquered by that perfect science which patient work alone candevelop.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Cures all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, female complaints, nervous and general debility, and builds up the entire system when broken down by disease.

PREPARING FOR THE FAIR.

In the September number of the *American Agriculturist* Dr. George Thurber illustrates a comon trouble at our local fairs as follows: "People bring things, which, not being properly exhibited, are unnoticed, and, as a consequence, they do not bring anything next year. It should be the business of some one at every fair to look out for these details. Many a good housewife robs her garden to make up a large decorative bouquet, and when she reaches the fair, finds no place to put it. It can only be laid down some where, probably in the sun, no one to take charge of it or care for it. It is the neglect of these little things that discourages contributors. Take such a bouquet, for example, a proper person in charge, if he could not find a proper vase to hold water for it, he would take some newspapers, make a big ball of mud around the stems, bind the papers around the ball, and the bouquet could stand erect on its mud base, and remain fresh for days........ Those who have in their gardens cannas, castor oil plants, large coleuses, or other decorative plants that can be spared, can do much toward decorating, but they must begin a weekor two beforehand. Get from the store, nail-kegs, and boxes of various sizes; if likely to be heavy put in rope handles Take up such plants as can be spared for the purpose, and pot them in these kegs or boxes, taking up as much earth with the roots as practicable. Do this towards night, place in shed or in other sheltered place, where the wind will not reach them, and water both soil and foilage. The few that wilt will recover in a day or two, when they may be placed outside. When ready to take them to the fair, use stakes and twine to prevent them from jolting in the wagon and getting broken. When the plants are set in place, cover the kegs or boxes with brown paper. If one has plenty of Arbor-vitæ trees, he can cut them judiciously and find that the twigs or branches are things of which their cannot be too many for decoration. Let whoever goes to the fair with the intention of working, take a paper of stout tacks another of stout pins, balls of twine, fine and coarse, several pencils, some blank cards, a stout jack knife, and above all, a cheerful spirit, that leads to the doing of everything that needs to be done to make all things show to their best—bring order out of chaos."

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

The virtue of the most of the patent medicines with which the market is flooded lies in the name, but the virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters lie in the *fact* that they cleanse the blood of impurities, and cure dyspepsia, biliousness and indestion. Price $1 00, trial bottle 10 cents.

A BABY'S GRAVE.

A baby's grave at Glasgow, Md., received for nine years the most careful attention, flowers being frequently planted on it, and the sod always kept in perfect order. Mr. Brown and Mrs. Ellison, each unknown to the other, were doing this work of love. Each had lost an infant and supposed this was its grave. Brown had erected a tombstone lately, and then controversy arose, Mrs. Ellison insisted that it must be taken down. The Church authorities held several meetings of investigation without reaching any conclusion, and then somebody suggested that a neglected grave near the disputed one be opened. This was done, and Brown conceded that the coffin found therein was the one that had inclosed his child. The stone was then removed.

THE OLD RELIABLE.

The remedy that has stood the test of time is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Almost infallible to cure dysentery, cholera morbus, and all manner of fluxes, cholic cramp, cholera infantum, and every form of summer complaints.

FOOLING THE FAMILY.

On a Canadian Southern train, the other day, was a man with his wife and several children, bound for some point in the West, and when St. Thomas was reached the man got out with others and rushed into the eating house, and hurriedly called for coffee, bread, meat, etc., and began to cram himself so fast that a disgusted Detroiter at his elbow finally laid down a silver dollar on the counter.

"Dollar—yes—I see," mumbled the man, with his mouth full; "yes, I'll bet a dollar to a cent that I'm a hog, but you'll lose if I kissed the bet. You see I told the old woman and children that we couldn't get anything to eat this side of Detroit, and I forgot to fill up in five or six minutes and get back, or they'll tumble to the racket. Please pass the mustard—only fifty seconds left to fill up, pick my teeth and get back!"—*M. Quad.*

A GENERAL DEFEATED.

A Mrs. J. G. Robertson writes: "I was suffering from general debility, want of appetite, constipation, etc., so that life was a burden; after using Burdock Blood Bitters I felt better than for years. I cannot praise your Bitters too much.

THE LATCH STRINGS OF HEAVEN.

That quiet old colored man, known to every one around the Central Market as Rise Up Jerry, will be missed from the rounds he traveled for years. He is dead. He was living with his daughter on Wilkins street, and had been poorly for a long time. Jerry was past 80 years old, and while he had grown feeble for a year or more, no one suspected that death was near. The other day, as he sat in his big rocking chair, and, after he had been dozing for half an hour, he asked for his two grand-children. They were called in, and as they hung about his knees the old man said:

"Chill'en, dis ole frame hain't got long to hang on. I'se feelin powerful queer to-day, an' I want ye clost to me. De little chill'en am de latch strings to de gates ob Heaben."

In the shade of a plum tree, with the birds singing above and the breeze tempering the heat, the children nestled down, and all three fell asleep—a sleep in which the old man's soul passed away so quiet that he did not move a hand. When the children awoke he had long been dead. They had gone with him across the dark valley—walked in the radiance of Heaven's beacon—halted at the golden gates and lifted the latch string. Softly the gates swung open at their childish touch, and the old man had kissed them and passed through.

HAVE YOU TRIED IT?

If so you can testify to its marvellous powers of healing and recommend it to your friends. We refer to Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the grand specific for all summer complaints, diarrhœa, cholera morbus, dysentery, cramps, cholic, sickness of the stomach and bowel complaints of infants or adults. Let its merits be known to all who have not used it.

WIT AND HUMOR.

Chimney sweeping must be an agreeable business, for it soots every one that tries it.

"There must be punishment," said the country schoolmaster, as he ate the stubborn boys dinner.

The indications are now that Guiteau will be unwept, unhonored and unswung.

Model wives formerly took a stich in time; now, with the aid of a sewing machine, they take one in no time.

It is said that thirty persons in a small town in Michigan were poisoned recently by eating sausages. This comes from leaving brass colars on dogs.

Table Bear Sold Here, was the sign over the door of an alehouse, and a a wag, on seeing it, said that he thought the bear must be the landlord's old bruin.

Housekeeper—How can you tell an egg is bad? One way to tell is to taste it. If it makes you so sick you want to die to get rid of the taste, you can feel pretty sure it is a bad egg.

The greatest run of luck on record is that of a Baltimore cigar dealer, who, within the last four months, has inherited a fortune, drawn a big lottery prize, found $7,000 burried in the cellar of his house, and lost his mother-in-law.

A newly acquire habit—"Look heah, Uncle Mose, you fooled me wid dat ar hoss I buys from you last week. He jest drapt dead in his tracks."—"He nebber drapt dead in his tracks or anywhar else as long as I had him, goin' on twenty years."

A hunter who had long striven to catch a weasel asleep, was unsuccessful until it occurred to him to invite the watchful vermin to attend a sermon on biology by a popular clergyman from Boston. The unsuspecting animal gratefully accepted the invitation, but death did not end all, as he entered upon a higher plane of existence as a tobacco pouch.

He was saying, "As the pearly column of smoke in a winter's atmosphere rises unbroken heavenward, so my heart rises to thee. As the sunflower follows the cruel sun that gives it light, so my breast follows thee.—As the blue brook runs its unhindered course to the sea, so my soul goes to thee." Said she—"Henry, now that we are engaged, will your penknife cut corns?"

"THE BEARE IS A BEASTE," says a quaint old book published in London three centuries ago, "whose flesh is good for mankynd; his fat is good, with laudanum, to make an ointment to heal baldeheaded men to receive the hayre agayne." we know of many "balde-headed men" who would be glad to "receive the hayre agayne," but we do not desire to encourage them in a trial of bear's fat and laudanum. Far from it. We, however, do not hesitate to commend Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.'s Hair Vigor, which not only has the effect in some cases of making the hair grow on heads once bald, but cleans the scalp and restores gray and faded hair to its original color and vitality, imparting to it the glossiness and softness of youth. The evidences of its utility are too numerous and of too high a character to admit of any doubt. It required years of study and scientific experiment to decide upon the combination of ingredients that would accomplish what Ayer's Hair Vigor now does.—*The Interior, Chicago, Ill.*

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Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. trains will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Station			
Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a. m.	12:20 p. m.	5:00 p. m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9 16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Station			
Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12 00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4-15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE— Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.27 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 9, 1881.

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HOPEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

The harvest in this neighborhood is near all completed, and never was better.

The weather has been very hot, and every thing very dry. The wells are about dried up, and a scarcity of water prevails.

Bush fires are breaking out, and look very dangerous. On the 31st August the wind raised and created considerable alarm to those in the neighborhood of the fires, but towards evening it calmed down again, not without doing some harm, however.

Mr. Henry Munshaw, who has been putting in his first year's farming in Proton, on lot 28, in the 13th concession, had his frame barn and outbuildings burned, together with his entire crop and three horses. I have not heard if there was any insurance, but believe their was a small one. His loss, however will be heavy.

Hopeville is still improving some.—Between building, and improvement in buildings, it is progressing steadily.

FLESHERTON.

From our own Correspondent.

J. Teeter had his team killed by lightning while his boy was driving them from the field on Sept. 1st.

Mr. Doll arrived home from the Continent. There was a grand demonstration and bonfire and the boys had their hands greased with the needful.

Monday, at 3 p.m., the aerial region became of a dense Egyptian darkness, at half-past three the shops were all lighted up for the evening and schools dismissed, and at five the sky assumed the appearance of a sea of brass and remained that way until sundown. The atmosphere was oppressive; there was also a quantity of ashes drifting. Some attributed the phenomena to it being council day and they being so lax in their duty; others thought the end was coming, but I will not attempt to say what was the real cause, I will not attempt to philosphize. We are pleased to say that the Council did take a step in the right direction, and considered the matter worthy their attention with the exception of Sam Pedlar; but poor Sam came out the buzzard. He will himself stand out in the cold next year. I wonder if Barny O'Hare would know a hole in the sidewalk from an auction sale bill. It is surprising how fast some people are in the manner of their surroundings. But we did not reckon that our Pathmaster could have as good Irish in so short a time with Mr. Kingston this summer. The grant to the roads was $75 between the village and the station, and $100 from the station to Priceville, a small favor but thankfully received. Where is Ratepayer now? Echo answers where?

Mr. J. Herd left yesterday for Toronto with some very neat got up honey for the exhibition.

Dr. Sproule, M. P., disturbed the peace of a quiet family in this village this morning. We wish Dr. and Mrs. Sproule many happy days.

JOTTINGS FROM MAXWELL.

From our own Correspondent.

The average man thinks it has come to be "pretty near warm" just now; 98 in the shade!

The harvest is pretty well advanced in this neighborhood and there is every prospect of one of the best crops evere grown in this township.

The editor of the *Advance* passed through this village Saturday last, on a butcher's cart. We thought he would be in *advance* of that, after his agricultural diatribes against the STANDARD.

Mr. J. W. H. Milne, of this village, has left us to go to Kingston to further prosecute his studies at Queen's. He has the best wishes of his numerous friends here and elsewhere.

One of our enterprising young lads, having a desire to try his skill, and also to try the running capabilities of a tricycle, lately built by Mr. Stephens, of this place, afforded considerable amusement to a number of our villagers. Mounted on the vehicle, he started, and all went well for about a hundred yards when—ah! woeful tale—one wheel rolled over a little higher ground than the other—he lost his balance, and capsized, nothing daunted, he again made an attempt, and it was not until he met with similar success that he withdrew.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves reponsible fo the opinions expressed by our correspondents

REMINISCENCES OF A TRIP FROM OWEN SOUND TO SAULT STE MARIE.

Being aware that Algamo at present attracts great attention from the fact that a railway will be some day built from Sault Ste Marie to French River. As I am well acquainted with the political, social and financial affairs of this extensive District I purpose enlightening your readers, on questions of the day in Algoma. But first of all I will give some ideas of a journey through part of Algoma. Leaving Owen Sound by one of the steamers of the Collingwood and Sault line, you sail through the calm waters of the Georgian Bay, with the Bruce Peninsula to the westward for about eighty miles, here the more turbulent waters of Lake Huron flow through what is known as the gap. From here to Killarney the scenery is grand; past islands some of them devoid of vegetation, some again are like Juan Fernandez, man is lord of all he surveyes. Presently the whistle is blown and the fenders are let down to keep the vessel from the dock. Killarney owes its existence to fishing and cordwood. It is the best fishing station on Georgian Bay or Lake Huron. The fish are packed in water tight boxes with ice, these boxes are mounted on wheels, and hold about four tons of ice and fish. The average is one hundred of such boxes a week. We are now one hundred and ten miles from Owen Sound thirty miles westward brings Manitowaning, on Manitoulin. It is a flourishing village and promises some day to be capital of Manitoulin. Twenty miles northward Little Current is reached. It has been settled longer than the last named place; but the people are not alive to their own interests. The Government is at present deepening the channel, at an expense of twentyfive thousand dollars, which makes Little Current a little "flush". The steam boat channel has a depth of 12 feet of water, this will not let heavy laden vessels of large size through, and as this, the inside route, is the best and calmest, it is desirable that the channel be deepened. The bottom is hard limestone. But as I have occupied space enough I conclude for the present hoping to continue the subject next week.

LOUIS N, THIBAUDEAU.

LITTLE CURRENT.

From our own Correspondent.

August 26th, 1881.

In my last I had begun to tell of the Channel work at Little Current. Well a hole is drilled about four feet into the rock with steel drills made of 1½ inch bars. These are handled by three men each, who stand on a flat scow, and raise the drill up and down after the manner of a churn dash. A large hole is left in the centre of the scow; an iron pipe runs down from the surface of the water to the rock, this guides the drill as it works up and down. When three or four holes are drilled, the diver puts in as many charges of dynamite. Dynamite is glycerince mixed with clay. These cases of dynamite are joined to wires coiled on a reel lying on the scow. When the diver ascends, the other ends of the wires are inserted into an electric battery. Then the scows are moved a few feet, and about twenty turns given to the battery, and a sharp report is heard, and the water is seen bubbling to the surface with perhaps one or two dead fish. Then the diver goes down and picks the broken rock into an iron basket which holds a yard. Then the basket is hauled up by means of a windlass. The stone is loaded on scows and taken to form a breakwater. A force of about twenty men takes up about twenty cubic yards a day. After a short description of the diving part of the work I am done with Little Current.

The diving suit consists of an inside suit of woolen cloth, and an outer one made of rubber. This suit has coat, pants and socks, as it were, all in one garment. Into this the diver gets as if it were a bag with legs on. Then a helmet is put on, resting on the shoulders, to this the edges of the dress are fastened so as to exclude water. Then the head piece, made of zinc, with two eye glasses, and one mouth glass is screwed to the helmet. The dress is now both air tight and water tight. It is however connected by hose with the air pump. My pen fails to describe the air pump, but it is worked by two men who turn it after the manner of a grindstone. The diver descends by means of an iron ladder, and can remain under water two or three hours. I nearly forgot to say that he has one hundred and twenty five pounds of lead as weights attached to his sides; besides boots which weigh twenty five pounds each. The whole is under the able management of A. T. Kilganan.

LOUIS. N THIBAUDEAU.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—The height of a hill may be easily determined by the depth of the valley below. Pure undefiled Nature, has no contradictions. He who assumes virtue is at least expected to be possessed of that valuable commodity, and that his antecedents will be a proof of the genuiness of his claim.

In the last issue of your valuable paper appears an advertisement over the signature of "Kay & Thomas," announcing to their patrons that all work done in their shop during the past summer would be repaired free of cost, for that "it was the fault of a bad and unprincipled young man we had working for us during that time."

Sandy and Grove how could you tell such a lie? The devil, incarnate, could not be guilty of a more unblushing falsehood! Is not the record of your villainous work a standing topic of comment throughout the country during the past seven years? The inferior quality of your work, and the leather you applied therein, is a standing disgrace to the boot and shoe trade of Markdale; and the work coming from the celebrated firm of Kay & Thomas, will, no doubt need speedy repairs, as many a confiding customer can testify to; but the boldest piece of impudence it has ever been my lot to witness is the fact of Kay & Thomas endeavoring to saddle the evil effects of their rotten stock upon the shoulders of your humble servant. The public may be well aware that I was not the purchaser of the rotten leather that has caused grief in many a well regulated family. No doubt a consciousness of guilt caused them an (useless) attempt to shift the odium of their own villainy upon my head. It is a generally recognized rule, that when scoundrels injure you they wish to persecute you afterwards. I could afford the loss of $7.30 in a settlement with Kay & Thomas, and say nothing about it, neither would I notice any words coming from moral bankrupts, were it not that in duty bound to those I am associated with in business, I desire to set myself right before the public.

Had it not been brought to my notice by the public, I would not have supposed that I was the person meant in the scurilous advertisement referred to. I am not in the habit of handling filthy things—let me wash my hands.

With kindest regards to yourself, Mr. Editor, and your numerous readers, I am, yours truly,

WILLIAM MCLEOD.

Markdale, Aug. 16th, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—In your last issue a correspondent signing "Taxarious" suggests the plan of levying a "tax" to raise money for church purposes. He would have church officers go to the assessment roll and "clap on a tax on each member." Of course the various denominations would have to "go and do likewise."

I have seldom met with a man who did not claim to belong to some religious denomination, at the same time there might be considerable difficulty in tracing church connection, some having to go back to relatives long deceased, in order to get a footing in any church; but if a tax was in the comet many of the loose fish who swim in shoals would come boldly out and deny "the God that bought them," and fling churches and everything religious to the wind. This would be "judgment beginning at the house of God." Even this, in my opinion, might "work for good; the world and the church are too near neighbors. There is a strong feeling of dislike to the man who does not go to 'meeting;' he who does not attend public worship with and religious body is generally looked upon as an infidel; few indeed can stand being rated as an infidel: but if Taxarious had his way, there are many who, in the meantime, purchase the popular belief that they are Christians, by attending some place of public worship, and putting a copper into the collection box as it goes round, (you know, sir, that a copper makes as much noise as a quarter), who, if a tax was imposed, would throw all these considerations aside, and resist the tax on the principle (?) that he does not believe it right to tax religion! money is his god, and rather than part with it he will be called infidel, or anything else you choose. But Taxarious seems like a good many more now write to the Press, he does not seem to put himself to much trouble to trace the working of the system he proposes. He has logic and reasoning enough in some ways, but seems to overlook the inevitable results of his proposal if adopted: for the system of supporting churches by *municipal* means was once introduced, the next step (an easy one, to) is to *Provincial* Legislature, and surely no one could object to a "Minister of Religion" as well as a Minister of Education, &c., in our administration, hence a *State* Church or Churches, and I cannot for a moment suppose that Taxarious is ignorant of the baneful effects of a State Church—a Church supported by and under the control of the State, receiving its laws, rites and ceremonies from Blake and Company instead of the everlasting Jehovah. Church history abounds with evidence of the enormous evils of a State Church! No Church in connection with the State can long retain spiritual purity. It has never been so in the past, and it would be vain to look for it in the future! The Church and the world are two distinct organizations. Our Saviour said, "My kingdom is not of this world." "Ye," He said to his followers, "are not of this world." "I have chosen you out of the world," &c., &c., and the nearer the Church comes to the world she is the further from her great Head. It has always been so. Some may ask proof for these sweeping statements. The intelligent Christian [illegible] the truth of my statements; but to satisfy others I will give one proof, one quite at hand, a proof so plain "that he who runs may read."

I will not ask you to go back many hundred years, not even to the time when the Pope swayed the destinies of the whole continent of Europe, nearly; but we will take the Anglican Church. The Episcopal Church as established in England, and as it exists in the United States, and in Canada, at the present day, so that there can be no cavil about it.—Why is it that that Church symbolizes so much with Popery, by retaining so many rites and observances practised in that Church, which are clearly unscriptural; and claim their origin in the Church of Rome, such as Liturgies, stated Holidays, as Easter, Christmas &c.; Godfathers and Godmothers; the sign of the Cross in Baptism; Confirmation; kneeling at the Lord's Supper? I boldly maintain that there is not one passage in all the New Testament commanding or even sanctioning any of these rites. Ha, "Thus saith the Lord," cannot be produced for any one of them. They all had their origin in a corrupt Church,—a Church full of man's inventions and abominable superstitions; and why are they still in the ritual of the English Church? just because that Church is a State Church, completely under the control of the secular power and the high dignitaries of the Church! It is a well established fact that the first Liturgy for the Protestant Episcopal Church of England, was a digest of the five Romish missals of the several dioceses of Satum, York, Hereford, Bangor, and Lincoln, in the second year of King Edward's reign, and these constitue the basis of the Book of Common Prayer as now used in Great Britain and America; and in the reign of Elizabeth, when the Liturgy of the Church of England was being settled, a great many of the pious and most learned in that Church were exceedly anxious to abolish these Romish rites, or, at least, have them left optional, or indifferent. When the divines appointed to report brought in a report, which left it indifferent, the Queen drew her pen over the lines which represented it, and left it binding; and it is just as binding to day as it was three hundred years ago, not because it is the will and command of God, but because the Crown and the Court Clergy now, as then, wish a gorgeous ritual, rather than conform to "Heaven's artless, easy, unincumbered plan;" hence, in that Church, there are altars, candles, incense and many gaudy trappings to please and satisfy the outward man, instead of looking to the Lamb of God which taketh away the sins of the world; but further was it not because "the law allowed it" that a brutal soldiery went forth, and in the name of Majesty, burned, or shot, or cut asunder, many men, women and children, sparing neither age nor sex, simply because they would not conform to the rites and cerimonies of the National Church! A government may aid a Church with a little money under some circumstances, and do little or no harm. The British government have aided Dissenters at times.—There was a "Regium Donun" grant to a Dissenting body in Ireland, which we are told did good; but I maintain the two ought to be separate and distinct, or, at least, that the Crown have no right to dictate in matters of religion. We have this very strikingly illustrated in Britain. South of the Tweed (England) where, as we have seen, the Crown and Court Clergy regulate the wotship, we have a host of innovations of man's invention, whereas north of the tweed (Scotland), where the *people*—not the *Government*—inaugurated and completed the Reformation, the Church is comparatively pure and free from these innovations. Let us, therefore, Mr. Taxarious, support our churches without municipal aid, or the "strong arm of the law," and let us see that our rights as Christians are kept inviolate, and "stand fast in the liberts wherewith Christ has made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage.

Your correspondent "Fair Play" takes "new gtound." I am afraid if Religion cannot be supported without going hand-in-hand with whiskey, its chances are small indeed.—If the money spent on whiskey was spent for religious purposes how very different it would be! but it is a fact that the men who spend most on whiskey, are not only poor men in the church, but are also exceedingly weak, if not dangerous, members of society. The word of God does not condemn the *moderate* use of intoxicating liquors, neither do I condemn them; but the Bible does condemn the immoderate use of them, and so should every man worthy of the name; so, then, Mr. Fair Play, I cannot go with you on the whiskey,—I will reply to subscriber next week.

M.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Judging from Mr. Brown's last letter, it is quite evident that he is very imperfectly informed on the side of the matter he has undertaken to defend, and on the other side of the question it is quite clear he knows nothing at all, and before Mr. Brown undertakes to discuss Church matters again I would recommend him to learn the A B C of Church history. It is a strong temptation to come down heavily upon him, but as it would be too much like bringing out a cannon to shoot a fly, we will allow his position to save him this time; moreover his tone and diction are such that as a correspondent, I cannot allow myself to take any further notice of him, but, as silence on my part might be misconstrued, and as a great many of your readers are interested in this question, if you will kindly allow me the space, I will put the matter as briefly as the nature of the subject will admit of.

Among the Jews none could approach the presence of God but such as were particularly appointed by Him. When God instituted offerings and sacrifices, and the other positive parts of His worship, He at the same time set apart a peculiar order of men to be the administrators of them, so that the persons who were minister were equally of divine institutions with the ministrations themselves. Thus Aaron and his sons and the Levites were consecrated by the express command of God (Leviticus, viii) and had all of them their distinct commissions from heaven; and no less than death was the penalty of invading their office (Num., xviii-7).

And as St. Jerome rightly observes, "What Aaron and his sons and the Levites were in the Temple, such are the Bishops, Presbyters, Deacons in the Christian Church." These are appointed by God, as they were, and therefore it can be no less sacrilege to usurp their office. Nay, it must be far greater, because the honour of the ministry rises in proportion to the dignity of the ministration; and therefore, as it cannot be denied, but that realities are more valuable than types, and heaven is better than the Land of Canaan, so the sacraments of the Gospel are certainly to be preferred before all the offerings of the Mosaic Law.

And if we would but consider our Saviour's example, we should find that, though he wanted no gift to qualify him for this office, as having the divine nature inseparably united to His human, and giving sufficient evidences of his abilities, when but twelve years old. And although the necessity of the times called loudly for such an instuctor, yet He would not enter upon His office till He was externally commissioned thereto by the visible descent of the Holy Ghost upon Him, and by an audible voice from Heaven proclaiming Him to be the Messiah, when he was about thirty years old.

All the former part of His life He spent in a private capacity, doubtless to teach us that no internal qualification, no good end, or intention, can warrant a man's excorising anyholy function without a divine commission.

And we may observe that though our Saviour had many followers, yet none of them presumed to preach, or baptize, or perform any other sacred office, till thay were particularly commissioned by Him. He first commissioned the Twelve, that they might be with Him, and that He might send them forth to teach, and to have power to heal sickness, and to cast out devils (Mark iii, 14-15). And afterwards the other seventy which went out upon a like errand, were especially appointed by Him. So likewise after His resurrection, when He advanced the eleven to be Apostles, He did it in a most solemn manner, first breathing on them and communicating to them the Holy Ghost. And after He had assured them of his authority, He gave them the power of the keys and the authority to exercise all the holy offices in the Christian Church, and to convey the same authority to others, promising that He would be always with them, even to the end of the world. From which it is plain that it was our Saviour's express will and intention that all those who are ministers in His Church should either mediately or immediately derive their authority from Him. And accordingly we may observe that in the beginning of Christianity, all those who officiated in divine matters received their commission either from Christ himself or from Apostolic hands. The seven Deacons were constituted by the Apostles (Acts, vi, 6) and St. Paul and St. Barnabas ordained elders in every church which they planted.

The other Apostles used the same method, as did also their successors after them, as is sufficiently evident from Scripture and ancient history, which abundantly proves the necessity of a divine commission, in order to the being a minister in the Christian Church. If it be asked "Who may be truly said to have this divine commission?" we need not doubt to affirm that none but those who are ordained by such as are now commonly called Bishops, can have any authority to minister in the Christian Church. For that the power of ordination is solely lodged in that order is proved from the institution of our Saviour and the constant practice of the Apostles. That the power of ordination lodged in the Apostles was of divine institution, I suppose no one will question who reads these words of our Saviour to them after His resurrection. "As my Father hath sent me so send I you," (John xx, 21) "And so I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world," (Matt. xxviii, 20). From which it is clear, first, that it was by a divine commission that our Saviour ordained His Apostles; secondly, that by virtue of the same commission the Apostles were empowered to ordain others; and thirdly, that this commission to ordain was always to continue in the Christian Church, and to remain in such hands as the Apostles should convey it to. From which it naturally follows that whoever has a power to ordain, must derive it from the commission which our Saviour received from God and gave to His Apostles.

The only way then to know in whose hands this commission is now lodged, is to enquire what persons were appointed by the Apostles to succeed them to their office. Now it is plain to any person reading the Scriptures without prejudice, that there were three distinct orders of ministers in the Christian Church in the Apostles' day, which were designed to continue to the end of the world.

For besides these two which our adversaries allow, viz: Deacon, Presbyters or Elders, who are sometimes called Bishops, we read of another order which was superior to, and had authority over both these; such were the Apostles Timothy, Titus, and others.

For it is plain from the Epistle St. Paul wrote to the two last mentioned that they presided over the Presbyters. They had power to enforce them to their duty, to receive accusations against them, and judicially to pass sentence upon them, which abundantly proves their superiority, and several others were appointed by the Apostles to the same office; as St. James, surnamed the Just and Epaphroditus, who were termed Apostles or Bishops by all antiquity. Any reasonable man will grant that the words Bishop and Presbyter being promiscuously used were Presbyters being called Bishops in Scripture, does not prove that therefore all the powers which belong to those we now call Bishops were lodged in the Presbyters. The only method then to prove that the power of ordination belongs to Presbyters, is to show that whoever in scripture are called Presbyters or Bishops were invested with that power, which can never be done. For if Presbyters or Elders had the power of ordination, for what reason can we suppose that St. Paul should leave Titus in Crete on purpose to ordain elders in every city, as he did, (Titus, i, 5) when we know that that island had been converted to christianity long before Titus came thither, and therefore doubtless had many Presbyters among them to preach and administer the sacrament to the inhabitants, and as to Timothy's ordination, St. Paul ascribes it to his own laying on of hands (2 Tim. i, 6). Although one or more Presbyters might lay on their hands in concurrence with him to testify their consent, as is the custom at the present time in the ordination of a Presbyter, and even sometimes at the conseration of a Bishop. The Apostolic office was designed to continue in the Church of Christ, and so the Apostles took care to ordain some to succeed them who were at first called Apostles, though they afterwards in modesty declined so high a title, and took the title Bishop, which in consequence was only used when referring to those who succeded to the Apostolic office and to what has been said we might for further proof add the joint testimony of all Christians for fifteen hundred years together; nor can one single instance of a valid ordination be produced in all that time other than by a Bishop. It seems therefore very strange that if Presbyters ever had the power of ordination, they should so tamely give up their right without any complaint, or so much as leaving anything upon record as witness to their original authority to after ages.

The argument in brief is as follows:—In the lifetime of the Apostles we find three orders, Apostles, Presbyters or Bishops, and Deacons. In the next generation we find three orders, Bishops Presbyters, and Deacons. The last thirty years of the first century is almost an entire blank in Church history, so that we cannot distinctly connect the latter with the former; but it is only reasonable from the abovefacts that the later Bishops were appointed to succeed to the position and authority of the Apostles; that the title of Bishop originally common to all Presbyters was upon the decease of the Apostles appropriated to those filling their office, and to none other. So we may therefore safely affirm that the Episcopal form of government subsisted in fact, if not *in name*, in the Church from the very beginning.

J. WARD.

FALL SHOWS.

INDUSTRIAL—At Toronto, from Monday September 5th to 17th.
DOMINION EXHIBITION—At Halifax, N. S., from 21st to 30th Sept.
PROVINCIAL—At London from Wednesday Sept. 21st to 29th.
EAST GREY—At Flesherton, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 6th and 7th
SOUTH GREY—At Durham, Wednesday, and Thursday, Sept. 28th and 29th.
HOLLAND—At Chatsworth, on Friday, Sept. 30th.
PROTON—At Hopeville, on Friday, Sept. 30th.
GLENELG—At Markdale, Oct. 5th.
EUPHRASIA—At Rocklyn, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th.
SULLIVAN—At Desboro, on Wednesday, Oct. 5th.
EGREMONT—At Holstein, on Tuesday, Oct. 11th.
DUFFERIN—At Orangeville
MELANCTHON—At Shelburne

MARRIED.

JACKSON—HANBURY.—At the residence of the bride's mother, on the 7th inst., by Rev. A. Potter, Mr. Robt. Jackson, of Holland, to Mrs. Hanbury, widow of the late R. G. Hanbury, of Dundalk.

SPROULE—FLESHER—In Flesherton, on the 7th inst., by the Revs. Philp and Galloway, T. S. Sproule, M. D., M. P., of Markdale to Miss Mary Alice, second daughter of W. K. Flesher, Esq., of Flesherton.

DIED.

LARGE—In Markdale, on the 5th inst., Mabel Harriet, second daughter of Edward Large (Builder) aged 5 years.

STRAYED.

CAME into the premises of the Subscriber, lot 103, con. 3, west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, early in August, a Yearling Steer, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

R. H. BOYCE.

Glenelg, Sept. 5, 1881. 52-3t

TENDERS

FOR the erection of Snow Fencing along the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 17th September. Plans and Specifications can be had on application, or may be seen at the Head Office of the Company, Toronto. All material supplied by the Company.

EDMUND WRAGGE,
General Manager, T., G. & B. Ry., Toronto.

Toronto, Sept. 7, 1881. 52-2t

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Lot 231 and 232, concession 3 S. W. T. S. Road, 106 acres, 50 cleared, balance hardwood and mixed timber, very valuable, being situated within half a mile of Dundalk; frame farm buildings.

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Lot 27, concession 4, 150 acres, under lease.

TOWNSHIP OF MELANCTHON.

Lot 28, concession 4, N. E. T. S. R. 100 acres.
Lot 29, " " " " " "
Lot 28, " 5, " " " "
Lot 29, " 5, " " " "

These lots will be sold en bloc or in parcels. Would make a fine stock or dairy farm. Within 4 miles of Dundalk.

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Lot 24, con. 3, S. D. Road, 80 acres, timbered, near Dundalk. Lot 47, con. 3. S. D. Road, 80 acres, timbered. Lots 49 and 50, con. 2, S. D. Road, 100 acres, upon which is erected fair farm buildings, large clearance, free of stumps; soil clay, and it is considered one of the best grain farms in the township; now under lease.

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Nov. 11, 1880.

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By Thomas [illegible]

Markdale, July 21, 1881.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to inform the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls [illegible]

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure Cure for Coughs, Colds, Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, [illegible] Williamsburgh, N. Y.

W. L. Smith,
GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN [illegible]

Sept. 11, 1879.

LOOK OUT FOR NEW ADVERTISEMENT!

Shortly. In the meantime Goods are being cleared out to make room for the large stock which is now being selected personally by Mr. McFarland from the largest houses in Europe.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 9, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

A little rain is badly needed at the present time.

Many of thewells in the village are about dry.

The heat the past few days has been intense.

Vennor's forecasts of the weather for the past month, and date, has been anything but accurate.

The STANDARD and *Weekly Mail* for $2 for one year. STANDARD and *Globe* for $2.50.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted,

A sudden change in the weather on Wednesday, the thermometer fell 30 degrees during the day.

Bush fires are raging in many places in Ontario, and an incalulable amount of damage has been done.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other genuine.

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Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

The *Farmer's Advocate* for Sept. is on table. This is a valuable periodical and should be supported by our agricultural friends, subscription received at this office.

Mr. Wragge, General Manager of the T. G. & B. Railway, will recieve tenders for the erection of snow fencing, along the line of the above road, up to Sept. 17th. See advertisement in another column.

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The *American Agriculturist* for Sept. has been recieved. The more we see of this valuable Magazine the more we like it. We will furnish it in connection with the STANDARD or HERALD for $1 per annum.

Mr. John Benson, who has been residing in Toronto for some time past, paid the village a visit last week, for the purpose of removing his family to ... They left yesterday,

We are informed that a lady not a thousand miles from Markdale, was so frightened that Gabriel's trumpet was ... sound that a neighbor had to run and get her a glass of brandy to steady her nerves.

The STANDARD for one year for the small sum of $1. The above price must be strictly in advance, or the old price $1.25 will be charged. Send in your names at once, and get the best paper in the county. Address, STANDARD Office Markdale.

Wilcox, the Jeweller, is prepared to pierce your ears free of charge, and has got the very latest kind of an ear piercer which preforms the work as quick as chain lightening, and gives no pain. Don't fail to see the piercer and then invest in a pair of drops.

IS IT POSSIBLE.—That a remedy made of such common, simple plants as Hops, Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., make so many and such marvelous and wonderful cures as Hop Bitters do? It must be, for when old and young, rich and poor, Pastor and Doctor, Lawyer and Editor, all testify to having been cured by them, we must believe and doubt no longer.—*Post.*

Wednesday next will be a grand day in Toronto. All the Granges in the province are to attend the Industrial Exhibition on that day. A special train will leave Markdale station at ... o'clock a. m., arriving in Toronto at ...30 a. m. Tickets good to the ... Fare $2.20.

THE SADDEST OF SAD SIGHTS.—The ... years of age being brought with ... to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rarer every day, as the use of Cingalese Hair Renewer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former color and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the ravage of years, resting assured that no Grey Hair at any rate will come to sadden us. Sold by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

In the hurry of going to press on Thursday evening last we omitted to mention that the Rev. A. Wilson was the officiating minister at a marriage that took place on that day. We regret this exceedingly as it was the first couple Mr. Wilson had married since he was ordained. Such mistakes, though very annoying, are likely to occur in the best regulated offices. We do not think any one who known us, would for a moment harbor the thought that it was purposely with the direct intention of insulting Mr. Wilson, or the respectable body over which he presides.

Dr. Carson never claimed for his Stomach and Constipation Bitters any Miraculous POWER OF HEALING, but in the quiet consciousness of their medicinal virtues he prescribes them for those who suffer from derangement of the stomach, Bowels Liver and Kidneys. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

W. J. McFarland arrived on Wednesday train, together with his wife and family who met him at Belleville, and were met at the train by a large number of friends. They were conveyed to their residence where a number of their warm friends gathered to give him and Mrs. Mc. a welcome after his trip to British Isles, and to enjoy "a cosy cup o' tea." The boys of the village also paid him a complement by having an immense bonfire on the square. Mr. Mc. feels well and is much improved in health.

On Monday afternoon many persons were under the impression that the oft repeated prophesy of the ending of all things was about to take place. At 2 p. m. the sun had a blood red appearance, and at 4 o'clock it could not be seen at all, and lamps had to be lighted. The sky overhead presented a weird and lurid glare. However it was ascertained that the phenomenon arose from dense smoke caused by bush fires, and the timid again breathed freely. At 6 o'clock it was as dark as midnight, and people going about the street had to carry lanterns. Ashes and burnt leaves fell in quantities and at times was almost blinding.

STILL ANOTHER.—We are pleased to chronicle the marriage of one of our prominent citizens, Thos. S. Sproule, Esq., M. D., M. P., to Miss Mary Alice Flesher, second daughter of W. K. Flesher, Esq., ex M. P. for East Grey. The interesting ceremony was performed at seven o'clock on Wednesday morning by Revs. Messrs. Philps and Galloway. The bride looked handsome, richly and artistically dressed and splendidly veiled. We are not accustomed to describe ladies' dresses, in fact we go to church on other business, so our lady readers will pardon the omission this time. When we get a little older in the Editorship we may try our hand. After the usual hand shaking and joy-wishing were over, the party repaired to the long dining-hall and did ample justice to a most sumptuous breakfast. The party then formed a procession and accompanied the happy couple to Flesherton Station, where they boarded the train for a somewhat extended bridal tour. We wish Dr. and Mrs. Sproule long life and much happiness.

Mr. W. F. Campbell held meetings in the several stations belonging to the Shelburne Mission, under charge of Rev. M. Turnbull, on the 13th inst. At the first meeting held in Dundalk the Incumbent opened the meeting with prayer and a short address. Rev. Mr. Campbell dwelt upon the importance of each one contributing, as God had prospered him, towards those "vast fields of missionary labor lying beyond our own immediate bounds," which were to a great extent powerless from want of means. The collection ($11.25) may be considered extremely good, as the majority of the inhabitants are by no means well off; the country being comparatively new. At Shelburne the meeting proved to be a very interesting one, there being four clergymen present—Rev. Mr. Rooney, (Toronto Diocese), Rev. R. S. Radcliffe, (Niagara Diocese). Each of the above named gentle spoke, and Mr. Campbell then gave a very clear statement of Diocesan and North-west Mission work. At Inistioge Mr. Campbell was met by the Rev. Mr. Ward of Markdale, who kindly took part in the proceedings with Mr. Campbell. Several people afterwards remarked that much light had been thrown on mission work, which had hitherto been very improperly understood by them.

DUNDALK.

From a Correspondent.

Mr. Robert Gordon shipped a car load of first-class horses, to the City of New York, we wish Mr. Gordon a profitable return.

Mr. Samuel Mossop, the young man who was nearly killed by the falling of one of the plates, at the raising of W. J. Hicks grain storehouse, on last Saturday, is able to be around.

Mr. Thos. Cloghley is making extensive improvements to his flouring mill by adding machinery for the Manufacture of Oatmeal, and will soon be ready for operation.

On Sabbath last, the funeral of C. Abbott, took place at his fathers residence A discourse was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Eakin of Dundalk. After which the funeral cortege wended its way to the Frazer burial ground, where the corpse was laid in its last resting place.

An important Auction Sale will take place at McCullough's Hotel, Dundalk, on Tuesday, Sept. 13th inst., when a quantity of cattle, implements &c., will be offered for sale by J. W. Morrow, Auctioneer. Three months' credit on furnishing good paper, or eight per cent off for cash.

As a family Medicine Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters are rapidly taking the place of pills, they are equally effectual, do not gripe, weaken, or produce nausea and are purely vegetable. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

A SAD AND FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Friday evening, the 22nd inst., Chas. Abbott, son of John Abbott, Esq., Dep. Reeve of Proton, while on his way home from Dundalk, in company with two other young men, was thrown off the waggon, receiving injuries which caused his death at 5 o'clock the following morning. The deceased had been fitting himself for School Teaching, and had obtained a life certificate a few days previous to the sad event. His parents have the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

Arrived per S. S. *Circassian*, Allen Line Mail Steamer, several cases of dry goods, comprising Gents, ready-made clothing, Tweeds, with a large assortment of Ladies' German and English Jackets, furs, and other fall goods, for W. S. Hewitson, of London House, Dundalk.

Those who are subject to Biliousness, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion or any Kidney Affection, should take the advise of an able physician and use Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

THE Methodist Church at Dundalk, which has been undergoing repairs and otherwise improved, is to be reopened on Sunday, 18th inst. Rev. C. Fish, of Owen Sound, Chairman of the district, preaches morning and evening, and Rev. Mr. Eakins, Presbyterian Minister, Dundalk, preaches in the afternoon. There will be a Harvest Home Festival, held in connection with the re-opening on Monday, 19th. Admission 25cts, children under 10 years 15 cts.

Dundalk Division Sons of Temperance No 410, held an open Lodge in the Orange Hall, on the evening of Friday last, which was well attended the hall being filled. Rev., J. S. Eakins, W. P., presiding. The meeting was opened with prayer by the Chaplain, Rev. A. Potter. Excellent addresses were given by Rev. J. S. Eakins, Rev. A. Potter and J. J. Middleton also a Recitation by M. Jennings. The following Ladies and gentlemen contributed much to the evening's entertainment in singing, viz.:—Miss. Rundle, Miss. C. Philips, Mrs. Gardiner. and Mrs. Atkinson Mr Symington, and Mr. W. Rundle. We think the Temperance Division in this place is deserving of more support.

Correspondence.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I see the *Advance* of the 11th of August contains a long article from "Crusoe" of the Canibal Islands upon the show business. But it is his native element and would perhaps make a better showman than a reeve or warden, because when there is township matters of any importance to adjust Mr. Creasor has to be feed by the township. He is famous for personalities and ridiculing a man's best efforts to do good. A nice way for a local brother and a class leader to hold a man up before a Sabbath school, and when he fancied he was wrong in the man he triumphed over it. See how John Bull treats his brother and the irreverent quotations from the Bible—punning upon scripture, &c. Now, Mr. Editor, I waited to see if that person that was so basely abused, innocently with others, would retaliate, but in vain; they treat him with silent contempt; and as he is so far beneath their notice I will disdain to have anything more to say to him except ask him if the reeve shines to any better advantage since he made an exhibition of him to the public. Not many will dream that the reeve wrote those letters himself. The man that would write and oppose what would be a boon to the public of this locality would, in my estimation, have a poor chance to go to Parliament, when he would oppose improvements of such importance at home, what would he be worth as an M. P. The boat will never be launched. In regard to the town hall—no one said it was not right to build it. But why not build it out of township money and take credit for such, and let the grant go to the roads—$2,000 in the bank at 3 per cent. and such roads! But to say anymore about the roads would be like digging in the ashes as the roads are in a scadalous condition and to be seen by every person. I will let the people be judges. He has ceased to speak of township matters; perhaps the best policy, because he was generally committed himself. Now, Mr. Editor, I will give him a text for the next time he preaches—1st Kings ix, 2—"Be thou strong therefore and show thyself a man." These words were spoken by David to Solomon just on the eve of Solomon's accession to the throne of his father David." A man who is so full of himself that he can hold nothing else would have said "Why, I have nothing to do with manhood *I am a king.*" But Solomon's wish was to be a true and noble man rather than a king which was far better. There are many reeves and wardens who have not been true men; they are either forgotten or only remembered with contempt and hatred, and there have been men who have sprung from even as low rank as that of a grain buyer that will shine for ever. Now, Mr. Editor, if this ratepayer will go into his best room and introduce himself to himself he will not like his companion; and if the old man's vision was clearer he would see my name on the roll, and if he has a desire to look into my moral and financial character he will find no blurs in the shape of church trials or church cloaks, or fifty cents on the dollar. And to you, *Mr. Advance*, if your last pepper-sauce was too hot it served you right. Take a lesson not to interfere in behalf of a self-constituted, infalible council again, but "folk maun do something for their bread and sae maun death." He says now that he has attained a certain knowledge he will turn to his attention to matters of more importance, viz: A boy dressed in woman's clothes in Markdale. But, Mr. Editor, the unthankful always existed. If it had not been for Correspondent and the STANDARD he would have had nothing of importance to print; now that the stream has dried up I am at a loss to know what he will do; but suppose like the rest of the royal family with the long ears, after having drink will quietly kick the bucket. Veracity—Fred Leitch's smash up not so. What way then? Tell his story No. 2. Strange to say it occurred in the very cut that Crusoe's tenant had the road job and the one that never was thought to be properly finished, but how the rent was paid that year is only known to Crusoe, Jack Smith and the lamp post. I ... hinted that I have instructors. I have my eye. But none but fools can agree with ratepayer. Also that I will be challenged for my name. Mr. Editor, my name is ready when he gives his, and if I hear any more from him I will publish his name, per my council. Thanks for space in your valuable paper.

YOUR CORRESPONDENT.

Markdale, August 24, 1881.

Messrs. A. Turner & Co.,

Gents—I take much pleasure in certifying to the benefit I have experienced from the use of B. B. Bitters. I have suffered much for years back from Dispepsia and constipation.—Last spring I used four bottles of B. B. Bitters, purchased from you, and am happy to say have enjoyed perfect health since. Yours truly,

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CHATSWORTH.

(*By Telegraph to the Herald.*)

An accident occured on the farm of John Atkinson on the first inst., which will likely prove fatal to a man named John Morrison. While running a steam threshing machine, the engine did not seem to make enough speed for the machinery and he turned the steam on suddenly, which broke the knuckle next the engine. The end of the tumbling shaft went up in the air 10 or 12 feet, and fell on the head of Morrison, dealing him a fearful blow. He has remained unconscious ever since, and will probably die.

Since the above was in type we learn that Morrison died in about an hour and a half after the accident,

Those in want of fruit should read McIntyre's new adv. in another column.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, June 10, 1881.

Flour	5,25	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.10	to	1.5
Fall do. do. do.	1.10	to	1.15
Barley	0.60	"	0.65
Oats	0.30	"	0.32
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.55
Butter, per lb.	0.17	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.12	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.50	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	[illegible]	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.45
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.07
Sheepskins	0 50		0.60
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Hay	10 00	"	12.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

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A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetiser Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B...

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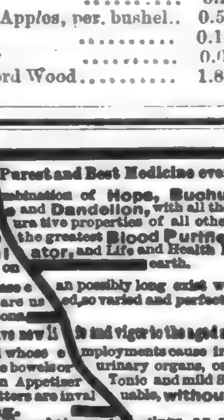

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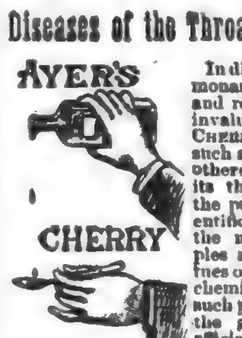

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Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49-tf.

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September 2nd, 1881. 51-3t*

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Defending thyself from misfortune until old age,
Thy happiness shall equal thy wisdom.

2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst not make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acquire,
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance, for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of wine thou drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thirst thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shal be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not have been paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy Insurance thouwill bebepoorer than a church rat.

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Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 93-tf

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August 9th, 1881.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at at the Town Hall, August 22nd, pursuant to adjournment. All the members present.

Mr. Glencross moved, seconded by Mr. Hall, That the following accounts be paid:—S. H. McKitrick, road scrapers, $15; W. Hall, freight on road scrapers, 95c; J. Elder, repairing scrapers, $3.25—carried.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the following amounts be paid for contracts on new road to Markdale, viz.:—Donald O'Hanley, $44; John Wilson, 26.65; John Black, 21.50; John White, $17.25; Patrick Connor, $6.90; James Farden $5; Henry Boyce, $3.—carried.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the account of C. W. Rutledge, for printing, amounting to $37.80, and the account of the Registrar of South Grey for fees, $7.45, be paid—carried.

A communication from J. C. Glencross, claiming damages for an accident on the approach to the bridge at lot 5, con. 8, was read.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that a committee be appointed consisting of the Reeve, Mr. Hall and Mr. Neil, to investigate into the cause of the accident at the bridge at lot 5, con 8, and also to have power to repair the bridge and approaches, if necessary, and that Mr. Glencross commissioner for Ward No. 4, superintend the work in the event of a contract being let—carried;

By-law No. 204, levying rates for the current year, was introduced and read a first and second times.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Neil, that $20 be granted to assist Glenelg Agricultural Society—

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that By-law No. 204 be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in the minutes—carried.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the Reeve be refunded $4.50 being the amount expended by him in procuring a title to a road on lots 55 and 56, E. G. R., and that he be authorized to employ a surveyor to make a survey and plan of said road—carried.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Neil, that N. Hobson be paid $8 for work on cons. 4 and 5—carried.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Neil, that $10 be granted to repair approaches to bridge on the town line of Glenelg and Artemesia, providing Artemesia grant an equal amount—carried.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded Mr. McMillan, that E. Motley be paid $5 for a road scraper—carried.

Council adjourned to meet at the same place on 3rd October next.

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PROTON COUNCIL.

The Council met as per adjournment at Dundalk, on Tuesday, Aug. 16th, 1881, at 10 a. m.

The members of Council were all present, the Reeve in the chair.

The minutes of previous meeting at Bell's Corners read and confirmed.

Several communications, bills of accounts, &c., received and read by the Clerk.

Moved by Mr. Buckley, seconded by Mr. Abott, that a grant of $6 each to widows Bryce and Davis be made, both being indigent and infirm.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the passage of By-law giving a portion of School Section No. 3 to a section in the opposite township be allowed to remain until next meeting of the Council, and that the Clerk be requested to notify both parties interested of the import of this motion—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that the arrears of taxes against lot 14 in the first concession, be erased, as there is evidence sufficient that the same has been returned in error amounting to $3.71—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that that a grant of $5 be given to improve the crossway on the 29th side road at con 9 and 10, on condition that those interested give 10 days gratis work—carried.

Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that a grant of $50 be made to improve the 12th con., from the 27th side road to to the line of the old survey, that a bridge be erected over the stream crossing the 10th concession, opposite lot 34; that $25 be expended on the 14th and 15th concessions respectively, in divisions Nos. 4 and 3 east of the 22nd side road; and that $100 be granted to the 5th division for improvements of roads in consideration of that division having had no special grants during the year; that $25 be granted to improve the 22nd side road in the 7th, 8th, and 9th cons.; that $10 be granted to aid in gravelling the 4th con., between Cedarville Hotel and town line of Egremont—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that the Councillor of Division No. 1 be empowered to let and inspect a road job opposite lot No. 8, in the second con., to improve the road, and also to draw water off the said lot now dammed in it—carried.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that a refund of $14 be make to Henry Graham for taxes collected in 1881, through an error in assessing the portion of his property on the non-resident roll in 1877 contrary to request—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that the Clerk bring the pathmasters schedules for the present year to the next meeting of the Council for examination by the council, and that he also report to the Council the names of all pathmasters in default, so as to be dealt with by the Council—carried.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that C. W. Rutledge be paid the amount of his bill, being $31.06, for printing voters' List, Auditors' Report, &c., &c.,—carried.

Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the By-law regulate the expenditure of statute labor which may [illegible] in taxes, read a first and second time, be now read a third time signed, sealed, and engrossed in the By-law Book, and [illegible] 234—carried.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the Clerk be requested to [illegible] from the Provincial Treasurer the amount of moneys in his possession for road improvements to the credit of this municipality—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that a grant of $25 be made to crossway the 27th side road at con. 9, the road being impassible, provided the people interested give 25 days gratis work, and this grant will cover all claims on account of arrears of back statute labor on that road division—carried.

Mr. Buckley moved, seconded by Mr. McArdle, that a grant of $5 be given to the crossway between lots 8 and 10, on the 2nd and 3rd cons., providing the parties interested give 5 days gratis work—carried.

Mr. Buckley moved, seconded by Mr. Black that the Collector be paid salary for 1880, and the sum of $12.50 for loss of money which depreciated by bank failure, and $2.50 to cover disbursement while Collector—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Abott, that Skeffington Bell be appointed Collector for this township, to collect all the rates of the township for the sum of $85; and that he give good and sufficient bonds, with good parties as securieties to the amount of $16,000, and the sureties to be approved of by this council, and the Clerk draft a By-law to this effect—carried.

Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that By-law No. 31, for the purpose of levying a rate on the Police Village of Dundalk, read a first and second time, be now read a third time, sealed, signed, and engrossed in the minutes; and that By-law 232, defining the boundaries of School Section No. 14, read a first and second time, be now read a third time, and signed, sealed and engrossed in the minutes—carried.

Mr. Black moved, seconded by Mr. Buckley, that the account of John Vodden, for $2.50, for mending scrapers, be paid; and also 25cts for same purpose to F. F. Teeple—carried.

Moved by Mr. Abbott, seconded by Mr. Black, that the account of John Vert, for 80c for express account, be paid—carried.

Mr. McArdle moved, seconded by Mr. Abott, that an order be drawn in favor of Thomas Hanbury for 80c, due as interest on sinking fund for school debenture—carried.

Mr. Abbott moved, seconded by Mr. Black, that the bill of Creaser & Morrison, amounting to $6.03, be paid, and Isaac Traynor's bill, to the amt. of $12.50, for services as surveyor on deviation of John Morr's, and on line between the old and new survey, be paid—carried.

A By-law, after going through a regular course of three readings, to establish a union school section comprising portions of the townships of Arthur and West Luther in the county of Wellington, and the township of Proton in the county of Grey, and comprising the arrangements made by the school referees of the said townships and the Public School Inspectors of North Wellington and South Grey, was passed by Proton Council, signed, sealed and numbered 235.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Abbott, that this Council adjourn to meet on the 3rd Tuesday in September next, being the 20th, at Hopeville, Scarlett's Hotel—carried.

JOHN VERT, Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Aug. 18, 1881.

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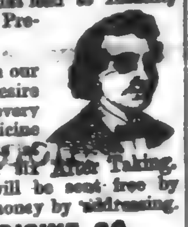

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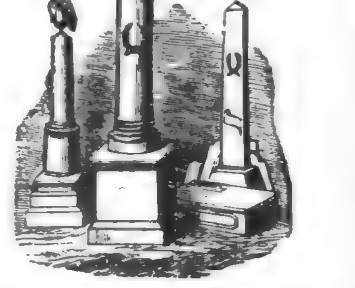

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The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quanties of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one idvected* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On The 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection befor purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10 1881 14-ly

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage [illegible] in the past, and hopes by close attention to merrit a continuance of the same.

[illegible] extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

[illegible]

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

[illegible]

THOS. McNEA

Markdale, May 26th, [illegible]

REMOVED.

I beg to inform my many friends that I have removed into my new premises in Dr. Sproule's Brick Block. Too busy to give particulars this week, but might say I have fresh goods arriving daily, which I will dispose of at lowest living rates for cash.

CALL AND SEE ME.

A. McINTYRE

Markdale, August 3rd, 1881.

Artemesia Warehouse

FLESHERTON STATION

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured for sale.

Wm. HOG[illegible]

Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881.

Markdale General Agency

IS THE BEST PLACE TO GET

Money at the Lowest Rates

STRAIGHT LOANS, NO FINES, CHARGES [illegible]

If you want Insurance patronize the

UNION FIRE INSURANCE Co.

LANCASHIRE FIRE and LIFE Co.

BRITISH AMERICA ASSURANCE Co.

CONFEDERATION LIFE ASSOCIATION

Wanzer Sewing Machine

Unequalled in range of work and ease of motion

DOHERTY ORGANS

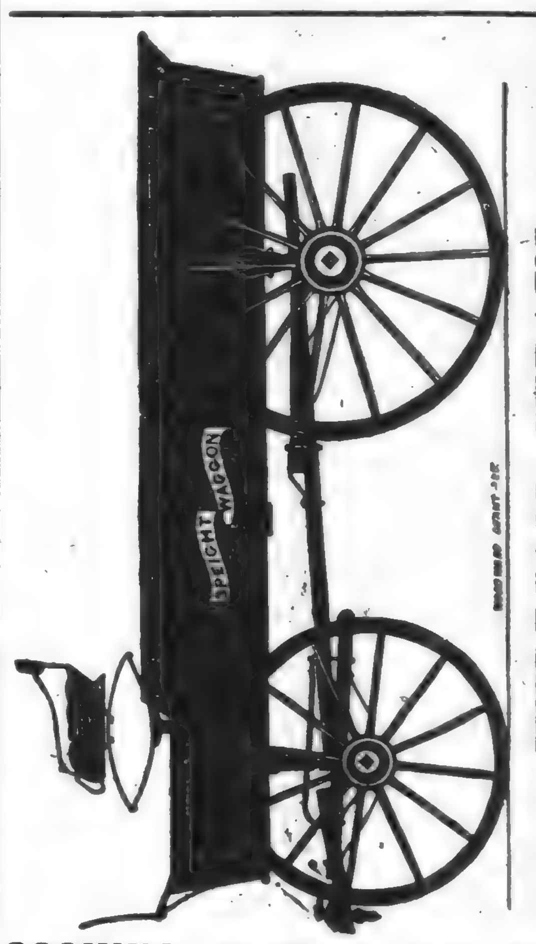
Unsurpassed in beauty of tune and power.

Farms for Sale and More Wanted

Thankful for past favors, I am determined to merit a further share of public patronage by fair and honest dealing and prompt attention.

THEOPHILUS HALL

Markdale, March 29, 1881.



WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS, Sewing Machines, Organs,

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the [illegible] I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton

Flesherton, March 24, 1881.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs [illegible]

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging [illegible]

FRAMES AND FRAME FIX[illegible]

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices [illegible] secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by [illegible]

B[illegible]

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

D. J. SHANAHAN'S

WAGON and

Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,

SPRING WAGGONS,

LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and [illegible] neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the [illegible] money, thus securing a repetition of [illegible] orders and the benefit of your [illegible] among your friends.

Markdale, [illegible]

Public No[illegible]

NOTICE is hereby given [illegible] road open through [illegible] 101, on the 3rd concession [illegible] the township of Glenelg, [illegible] tablished.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen [illegible]

JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. [illegible]

MONEY to L[illegible]

AT SIX 6 P[illegible]

STRAIGHT LOANS, [illegible] ty. Private Funds [illegible]

Markdale, June [illegible]

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Sewed Work a Specialty.

As we do a strictly cash business we can afford to work at bottom prices. A call respectfully solicited. No Split Leather used in the Shop.

W. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Aug. 4th, 1881. 4t.

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Bricklayer, Plastering and Country Jobs promptly attended to. Stonework a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, Markdale.
December 21, 1880. 16-y

GEORGE WILSON,
BUTCHER
Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougal's Harness shop.
Meat delivered at any house in town.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

VETERINARY.
F. Z. NIXON,
Veterinary Surgeon
Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to.
RESIDENCE, DUNDALK
35-3m.

MARKDALE

Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
DUNDALK.
Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.
Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
WM. LUCAS & Co.
September, 1880. 2-y

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.
A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-1y

WM. FOX,
Plain & Ornamental Plasterer
Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand. Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY.
BRIDES' CAKES,
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. [illegible] 1-ly

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets,
FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!
T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET,
MARKDALE,
Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
AGENT FOR
D. MAXWELL'S
CELEBRATED
REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE,
—ALSO—
Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills
Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

Province of Ontario Directory
For 1881-82,
TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,
Price $5.00.
MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an
Alphabetical Directory
AND A THOROUGH
CLASSIFIED
Business Directory
of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
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BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

THOS. MATHEWS,
WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLAS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov, 18, 1880. 1o

Sheep and Cattle.
FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SMEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets.
Teas a Specialty.
Miscelaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.
P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new building and require the money.
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881.

For the STANDARD.

HOME AGAIN.

DEDICATED TO W. J. McFARLAND, ESQ., ON HIS RETURN FROM EUROPE.

BY W. H. CLARK.

Loved Markdale, thou spot of earth dearest to me,
Thou home of my loved ones, I greet thee with pleasure;
I have longed in my absence, thy spires to see.
Thy memories have yielded me joy without measure.
Thy interests are mine, in the conflicts to come,
I love thee, fair Markdale, because thou art home.

Who then are of the woodman the echoes awoke,
And daily we witnessed the forest receding,
The march tramp of progress was heard in each stroke,
Till the swift locomotive the ox-team succeeding,
The harbinger proved of rich blessings to come,
Which have fell to thy portion, fair Markdale, my home.

Though we bost of no leniage of pure Saxon blood;
Though we point to no castles by Norman erected,
Yet her commerce now flows where the forest once stood;
And surprised at the change a few years have effected:
We gaze at bright visions of ptospects to come;
Yes, Markdale, I love thee, because thou art home.

I have wandered afar, o'er the deep rolling sea;
I have sought distant climes for amusement and pleasure;
But ne'er for one moment forgetful of thee:
Where is all I hold dearest, my best earthly treasure,
When foot-sore and weary, wherever I roam,
In my dreams of the night I see resting at home.

As I ranged o'er fair Erin, my own native isle,
In beauty surpassing the isle's of the ocean.
Though dominant reigns discontentment, the while;
Though thy peace may be marred by internal commotion;
While I trust in thy future, there's bright days to come,
Yet I would not exchange for thee, Markdale, my home.

Mid Britain's vast ruins, whose ivy clad walls
Have for centuries their grand legends been keeping;
Her temples of learning, her abbies and halls,
Where the dust of the great for ages been sleeping.
While I stand neath the arch of St. Paul's mighty dome,
Even there restive memory flies back to my home.

As I pass o'er the channel to bright, sunny France,
And mix in the festive enjoyment of Paris
Where each purpose of life seems its joys to enhance
And its cares, as though never permitted to harrass
While there, amid scenes all enchanting I roam,
Full often my mind wanders back to my home.

Sweet home! There's a charm for the soul in that word,
Which distance but serves to intensify, rather
Than 'minish its powers whenever 'tis heard,
Sweet memories redolent of love round it gather,
Whatever our pleasures wherever we roam,
There's nothing so sweet as the memories of home.

Markdale, Sept. 6th, 1881.

VIOLA'S REVENGE.

By the Author of "MY LADY'S SECRET," "A WAIF'S FORTUNES," "THE LADY OF GORMON LEA," &c,

A few interviews with lawyers, and the matter would be sufficiently settled to admit of his return, to explain fully his windfall and to claim her promise to share it. In such a case her engagement to that very cool and matter-of-fact wooer William Burgot would certainly be broken off, whilst the Colonel could hardly be expected to forgive and marry a girl who had played fast and loose with him in so unprincipled a manner.

Between the two stools "Dear Clara" would come to the ground, the affair would be a piquant object of gossip for Herefordshire scandalmongers, and her fall, matrimonially considered, would be about as fatal as that of one "Humpty Dumpty," who had an equally awkward tumble, with results which "all the king's horses and all the king's men" could not rectify.

William Burgot was perhaps the most impatient of them all. He knew, as well as though the fact had been told him in so many words, that the sight of the "beauty-marks" upon his arm had quickened Colonel Pettitt's slumbering recollections.

The Colonel's speech about the "tiger-hunt of Jungapore" proved that he had discovered his host's identity with the real William Burgot's servant. Puzzled at first to account for the Colonel's sudden departure, a casual remark from "dear Clara" that their late guest had been summoned hastily to Italy, confirmed his worst apprehensions. To hunt up evidence which might brand him as an impostor was the nature of Colonel Pettitt's business.

The false William Burgot would have given five years of his life to annihilate time and to secure a union which would not only constitute him the master of "dear Clara's" five thousand pounds, but would make it to the interest of the family generally not to punish him for the fraudulent impersonation, the legal penalty for which he did not know, and concerning which he feared to enquire. So he accepted the suspense, bearing it as best he might. He became feverishly hopeful, as well as feverishly anxious, as the momentous event drew near. The month was almost at an end now; in a few days, he would be safe for Colonel Pettitt had made no sign.

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It was the day previous to that fixed for the double marriage, and Lord Armidale had ridden over to spend a few hours of it with his beloved. The house was a busy one, and nobody found leisure to attend to him. For twenty minutes he had been cooling his heels in the drawing-room, awaiting her appearance.

What masquerade was this? Into that luxurious apartment stole a beggar-maid, whose tattered habiliments were in ill-keeping with its magnificence—a girl in shabby brown dress, creased with long and careful preservation. He recognized the figure and the robe, and he recalled the scene in which he first saw them—the fierce heat, the intense blue of the sky and of the bay, the shattered column, the headless Apollo, the idle fountain.

"Viola!" he cried wonderingly.

"Yes, I am Viola; and this is the hour of my revenge!" she answered.

He did not understand, save that she was masquerading, and that it behoved him to patiently await an explanation. He had such varied experiences of her moods—he had borne so much from her since the day she consented to become his wife, that, after the first shock of surprise, he was not greatly astonished.

Very calm and strong and grand—a lover of whom a queen might be proud—he looked as he stood before her, awaiting her pleasure.

"My lord," she continued, "when you insulted me years ago and we parted in anger, I vowed to be revenged. To fulfil that vow became the aim of my life. No matter how I hoped to accomplish it. When Duke Burgot died, and William Burgot succeeded to his inheritance, I knew that the way was being made easy. When you and I met face to face, I said to myself that the hour of my revenge was at hand."

She was cruelly pale; her lovely eyes shone with feverish light, her voice trembled with repressed but bitter energy. Lord Armidale began to feel that he stood on the brink of some strange revelation, but he only bowed in token of his attention.

"My plan was very simple—to fascinate you with such poor beauty, wit, and accomplishments as I possessed, to win you back to the old allegiance without visible effort, and most of all, without the old response, and afterwards to reject with scorn and contumely your proffered hand. On the very eve of success I learned from him whom you suppose to be my father that his real name is Charles Singleton, the play-mate, foster-brother, servant, and friend of the dead William Burgot, whose illegitimate child I am."

"Illegitimate!" cried Lord Armidale.

"Even so, my lord. Then I knew that if the imposture were eventually discovered, you would rejoice at your fortunate escape. A better scheme of vengeance occurred to me. It was to accept and marry you, then tell you all the truth and taunt you with your shame."

"Go on—go on," said Lord Armidale, brokenly.

"The project would have succeeded, had not my own firmness given away. My lord, for the second time, I have changed my project. Viola's revenge is now accomplished."

From under the ragged kerchief about her throat she unclasped a chain he had given to her, with a portrait-locket hanging to it. From one of her white fingers she drew the engagement-ring, and added it to the glittering heap. The diamonds flashed back the firelight as she pushed the jewels towards him.

"I release you from our engagement; all is at an end between us. My lord, I am so humble now that I see, even more clearly than you did in the old days, how wide a gulf separates an English peer from a poor Italian beggar-maid, the child of shame."

Her voice broke; her head was bowed; she could not see through the welling tears what infinite compassion and love glorified her companion's noble countenance.

"I have only to ask forgiveness," she went on, after a pause, "before we part for ever, for the great wrong I have done you, so far exceeding that I suffered at your hands. Your goodness, kindness, patient forbearance, have taught me a truth I partly suspected before, that the love I gave you on the Italian hill-slopes is immortal and cannot die. Fierce hatred and the burning desire for vengeance [illegible] but phases of [illegible] [illegible] a blaze of [illegible]"

Blinded by her tears [illegible] see that he [illegible] until her hands were clasped in his and she knew that he had stirred from that attitude of grave attention which he at first assumed.

"Then you love me still, Viola?"

"Love you! Oh, my lord—Claude my beloved, I would I might die for you a thousand deaths! I would to Heaven it were possible I might for ever serve you, be your handmaiden and your slave, though I can never become your wife."

He had drawn her into his embrace. For the first time since their betrothal, the little head fell upon his shoulder and the ripe red lips were all his own. He was whispering to her that by that hour on the morrow priestly blessing would have hallowed their union—that nothing but death should stand between them thenceforward.

CHAPTER XIV., AND LAST.

Church bells were ringing merrily, many-coloured flags streamed from the windows of the houses of the village, and the little station in the hollow was gaily decorated with flowers and evergreens.

"What is the meaning of all this fuss?" asked Colonel Pettitt, alighting from an early train and addressing the enquiry to a porter who touched his cap to him.

"Double wedding, sir. Lord Armidale and Miss Viola—Mr. William Burgot and Miss Dallas."

"What?" almost screamed the Colonel.

"The Squire and Miss Clara Dallas are being married."

With a savage imprecation Colonel Pettitt turned away and went to his old quarters at the inn. More than ever like a stage-Mephistopheles was the Colonel, as he listened to the landlord's corroboration of the tale.

Then he asked for a private room and ordered breakfast. In the bygone times he was wont to inspire the landlord's respect by the nicety of his taste, almost amounting to squeamishness, in matters of eating and drinking. But on this particular morning he made no demand for a bill of fare and answered hastily, "Anything—anything," when they offered him a choice of dishes.

"There is something wrong with the Colonel," commented the landlord to his better half; and his buxom helpmate answered—so many a true word being spoken in jest—

"Poor gentleman; he looks as though he had been crossed in love!"

Colonel Pettitt was not a good man, a pattern man, or a man with chivalrous ideas of honour; but at least he might be accorded this faint meed of praise, that the foolish love of his middle-age was a strong, genuine, unselfish passion, and worthy of a better return.

He saw the folly of it now, as he sat in mine host's sand-strewed parlor and awaited the serving of the meal. The idol he set up in the temple of his heart had fallen from its pedestal and was hopelessly shattered. The sight of the fragments angered him; he could never piece them together again and reinstate it.

Never again could bend the knee at "Dear Clara's" shrine, although he knew full well that a dozen sentences spoken in her ear would induce her to discard the suitor she was marrying in such unseemly haste and implore him, Colonel Pettitt, to pardon her and be reconciled.

No; the tidings of her perfidy had slain his love and awakened a fierce thirst for vengeance. He asked himself whether it did not behove him to stop this marriage, arranged with such guilty precipitation during his brief absence.

He smiled once or twice as he revolved the question; and mine host, encountering his fixed preoccupied stare and his joyless smile, shuddered involuntarily, wondering what made the Colonel look so strange.

There was yet time. He might drive to the Grange, ask to see "dear Clara" or Mrs, Robert, and impart information which would deaden the clangour of the bells and change the merry sound of wedding festivities in to weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth.

But, instead of taking this course, the Colonel ate a few mouthfuls of breakfast, drank a few glasses of wine, and sauntered down to the church. An evil face, white, hard, and determined, was Colonel Pettitt's as he selected a pew to his liking.

William Burgot perceived it in the midst of the ceremony and dropped the ring he was about to place on his bride's finger. His trembling hands almost refused their task; each moment he expected to hear his accuser's voice forbid the marriage; but he was happily disappointed. He and "dear Clara" and Lord Armidale and Viola were duly joined together in the bonds of Holy Matrimony, whilst the evil face looked on unmoved.

The Colonel joined the group presently, and murmured stereotyped congratulations [illegible]

"Of course you will join us at breakfast?" said William Burgot huskily. [illegible] the Colonel answered grimly that [illegible]

At the breakfast, amid the popping of champagne corks and the sound of merry laughter, he rose to his feet, and an expectant hush fell upon the revellers.

"Madam," said the Colonel sternly, addressing "dear Clara," "permit me to offer my congratulations upon your marriage with a man in every respect worthy of you. I allude to the impostor who has hitherto been known as William Burgot, but whom we may now begin to address as Charles Singleton, and who has no more right to Burgot Grange and to the princely income he derives therefrom than I have.

There was a strange confusion of tongues and an hysterical shriek from Mrs. Robert. "Dear Clara" turned white to the very lips. Had she sold herself for nothing to a man whom she did not love? Had the Colonel suppressed information which might have saved her, in revenge for her faithlessness? She knew now the meaning of his sudden journey to Italy. This secret was the gold mine he thought to develop.

Lord Armidale was rising to his feet, and the confusion of tongues ceased.

"Permit me to say," he observed, "In justice to Mr. Charles Singleton, that he was the deceased William Burgot's foster-brother and friend, that he assumed his name and the guardianship of his daughter, my dear wife, by William Burgot's dying request; and that, although he had certainly no right until to-day, to Burgot Grange and, "he has just acquired such right by his marriage with Miss Clara Dallas, their lawful owner."

"Nonsense!" cried Colonel Pettitt sharply. "The lawful owner is your wife, my lord."

"The lawful owner is my ward, Viola," testified the false William Burgot. "I deceived her once by representing that her father's marriage with her Italian mother was not, by English law, legal; but the statement was untrue. I have been in a manner forced to speak and act falsely; but I am glad to think that nobody has really suffered in consequence."

"Except one, who richly deserves her punishment—Clara Singleton, your wife!" growled the Colonel vindictively.

But "dear Clara" had fainted.

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"Dear Clara" and Charles Singleton are making the best of their loveless union, living on the interest of Charles Singleton's little fortune, eked out by an allowance from Lord Armidale. Strange to say, Mrs. Robert has married Colonel Pettitt, and report says they are very happy. Be that as it may, there is one couple about whose wedded bliss there can be no shade of doubt; Lord and Lady Armidale bless daily the joyful consummation of "VIOLA'S REVENGE."

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IS IT POSSIBLE,—That a remedy made of of such common, simple plants as Hops, Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., make so many and such marvelous and wonderful cures as Hop Bitters do? It must be, for when old and young, rich and poor, Pastor and Doctor, Lawyer and Editor, all testify to having been cured by them, we must believe and doubt no longer.—*Post.*

A CURIOUS PERSON.

A curious person died reciently in Paris at the age of 72 years, the Count Napoleon Bertrand, son of the companion of Napelon I. at St. Helena. The Count every year used to hire a room in a hotel and go to bed for three months, after having given orders for food to be brought to him once a day and not a word be spoken by the servent. He was asleep during the seige of Paris. One day the bread was so abominable that he flew into a rage and forced the waiter to tell him the reason was that the city was besieged by the Prussians. Count Betrand was stupefield for a moment. At last he got up and wondered about the hotel for a time, saying to himself, "Paris besieged! besieged! what ought a Bertrand to do?" And after a few minutes' reflection, he said: I will go to bed." And he went to bed and slept out the siege.

THE SADDEST OF SAD SIGHTS,—The grey hairs of age being brought with sorrow to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rarer every year as the use of Cingalese Hair Restorer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former color and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the change of years, resting assured that no Grey Hair at any rate will come to sadden us. Sold by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

SCHNEIDER'S TOMATOES.

Schneider is very fond of tomatoes. Schnider has a friend in the country who raises "garden sass and sich." Schnider had an invitation to visit his friend last week, and regale himself on his favorite vegetable. His friend Peifer being busy negotiating with a city produce dealer, on his arrival, Schneider thought he would take a stroll in the garden and see some of his favorites in their prestine beauty. We will let him tell the rest of his story in his own language.

"Vell, I valks about a leetle vhile roundt vhen I see some of dose dermatters vat vas so red und nice as I nefer did see any more und I dinks I vilt put myself out side bout a gouple ov dem, shust to gif me a leetle appetite for dinner. So I pulls off von of der reddest and nicest-looking of dose dermatters, und dakes a pooty goot bite of dot, und vas chewing it up so fry quick, vhen—by shimminy! I cort I hat a piece of red-hot coals in mine mouth, und vas chewing up dwo or dhree bapers of needles, und I felt so pad, alreaty, dot mine eyes vas vool of dears, und I made vor an old oaken bucket dot I see hanging der vell in, und I vas goomin' along.

"Shust den mine vriend Peiffer came up und ask me vot made me vee so pad, und if any off mine vamily vas dead. I tolt him I vas dot only vone off der vamily dot vas pooty sick, und den I asked him vot kind of dermaters does vas vot I had shust been bicking; und, mine graciotts, how dot Dutchman laughed, und said dose vas red beppers dot he vas raisin' vor bebbersess. You bet mine life I vas madt. I rader you gif me fifty tollars as to eat some of dose bepper sass dermaters.

THE YANKEE AND THE DRUGGIST

"Be you the drugger?"

"Well, I s'pose so; I sell drugs."

"Wall, have you got any of this sintin' stuff as the gals put on their hanke' chers?"

"Oh yes," replied the druggist.

"Wall our gal's gwine to be married, and she gin me a quarter and told me to invest the hull 'mount in scentin' stuff, so's to make her sweet, if I could find some to suit; so if you've a mind I'll just smell round."

"The Yankee smelled round without being suited, until the druggist got tired of him and taking down a bottle of hartshorn, said:

"I've got a bottle of scentin' stuff that will suit you. A single drop on a handkerchief will stay for weeks, and you can't wash it out; but to get the strength of it, you must take a good smell."

"The hartshorn knocked the Yankee down. Do you suppose he got up and smelt again. Not he; but rolling up his sleeves, he said:

"You made me smell that everlasting stuff, mister and now I'll make you smell my fist!"

NOTHING MEAN ABOUT THEM

A gentleman who was yesterday standing in front of the Opera House, was approached by a tramp who appeared to have tears in his eyes as he said:

"Say, mister, my wife is dying, an' I want to get twenty-five cents to buy some medicine."

Before any answer could be made a second tramp came from the other direction and haulted and asked:

"Say, mister, can't you lend me a quarter? I've got to get something for my cough or I'll be dead before the snow flies."

"Here you are—one wants a quarter to save his dying wife, and the other wants a quarter to cure his cough. Now what shall I do about it?"

"Is your cough very bad?" asked tramp No. 1 of No 2.

"T-terrible!" coughed No. 2 in reply.

"Well, There's nothing mean about me," continued No. 1. "This is my second wife, and no great shakes at that, and maybe the medicine wouldn't help her any. I'll wave all claim and he may hand you the quarter."

"Oh, I c-couldn't t-think of it," coughed the other. "Maybe I'll get over this, while your p-poor wife certainly needs medicine."

"Well, here's a quarter for each of you," said the citizen as he witnessed their unselfishness, and while he hastened on the next corner to tell a friend that the world was growing better the philanthropists halted on one block the other way to play pigeon-hole for the drinks.—M Quad.

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A considerate daughter: "I don't see how I'd got along without Mary, nohow," Mrs. Blucher observed, pausing to wipe the perspiration from her aged features and put another ladle of soft soap into the steaming suds, while her daughter's voice at the piano could be distinctly recognized floating out from the adjoining parlor. "I don't see how I'd get along without that gal nohow. Alays on them days when I have the tiringest work she just picks out her nicest pieces like 'Sweet rest by-and by,' and 'Mother's growing old,' and sing 'em for me afore she gets out on the lawn to play croquet with the other young folk. 'Taint every gal as ud be so thoughtful, I kin tell you. Now, most of 'em would jest bang away with 'Jordan is a hard road to travel' or 'Whoop 'em up, Eliza Jane,' but she ain't none of that sort. She's a pile o' comfort to me—a pile o' comfort;" and Mrs. Blucher fanned herself vigorously with her soiled apron, preparatory to running the clothes through the second water

A NEIGHBORLY FAMILY

A family from down in Indiana moved into a house on Second avenue last week, and before night had borrowed tea, sugar, eggs, milk, and kerosene from as many different neighbors. After three or four days the new family ceased to borrow promiscuously, and settled down on one particular neighbor. At an early hour in the morning a small boy appeared and said.

"Say, we are out of tacks and want to put down our carpet. Ma wants to know if she can borrow a few?"

A hunt was made and the request granted, but in ten minutes the boy returned and said:

"Say, we've mislaid our tack-hammer, and ma wants to borrow yours."

He got it, and this time it was twenty minutes before he returned and said:

"Say, ma's pulled all her teeth out pulling at that carpet. She wants to know if you won't lend her one of your boys?"

One of the boys was sent over, but it was a very obstinate carpet, and back came the boy with:

"Say ain't your husband home?"

"Yes; what do you want?"

"Well ma's mislaid her husband somewhere, and she wants to borrow yours to pull one end of that carpet through two doors and across a hall."

The line had to be fixed somewhere and it was fixed here.—*Detroit News.*

Ostrich farming is a new and apparently a very profitable industry now being prosecuted in Natal. A company which set about the cultivation of birds about [illegible] years ago, has proved such a success that its shares are selling at £10 premium.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry'.

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train willrun as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.18 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.58 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

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Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
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OUR IMPROVEMENTS.

Of the many improvements that have been made in our town during the season, there is none more noticeable than the block erected by Messrs. Reid & McDougall, the buildings being connected. The site commands the best business portion of the town, and in fact, is a great feature in the ornamentation for which our town has justly become celebrated. The westerly part, comprising two store buildings, with a frontage of eighty feet, and it is to be regretted that Mr. McDougall did not make that portion of his building correspond with that of Mr. Reid in the fourth story. However, the extra cornishings of the windows of McDougall's share of the block will redeem any faults there may be in the "upperstory."

A REAL NECESSITY.

We presume there is hardly a lady to be found in our broad land who, if she does not already possess a sewing machine, expects some day to become the owner of one.

The household of a young wife is now considered incomplete without a sewing machine.

Next to her lover the thought uppermost in the mind of the maiden just blooming into womanhood is a sewing machine.

When asked by her parents or affianced what her Christmas or birthday present shall be, the answer in a majority of cases is, "A sewing machine."

But after the mind has been fully made up to purchase one of these indispensable article, the question arises as to what kind of a machine to buy.

It should be so simple constructed that the most inexperienced can successfully operate it.

The other points mainly to be considered and which are the most desirable, are durability, rapidity, capacity for work ease of operation, regularity of motion, uniformity of tension and silence while in operation.

Of all the various machines now up on the market, the "Light Running New Home" fills the above requirements most satisfactory.

It it is said to combine the good points of all other sewing machines, and, in addition, has many new improvements and labor saving devices.

The price is no higher than that of other machines, and, every lady who is the happy possessor of one may rest assured she has indeed a treasure.

All who send for the company's new illustrated catalogue and enclose their advertisement (print on another page), will recieve a set of fancy adv. novelties of value of those collecting cards, &c. Their address is, JOHNSON, CLARK & CO., 30 Union Square, New York.

BUSH FIRES.

The amount of damage done this season by bush fires, not only in Canada, but in portions of the United States also, is beyond computation.

In many parts of Ontario fires have been raging for the past month or six weeks. In the County of Frontenac they are still burning with unabated fury, destroying timber, root crops, barns, houses, and, in fact, everything that comes in its way, and in some places the ground is said to be burning to the depth of four feet.

In our own County, in the vicinity of Owen Sound and adjoining Townships, the fire has gained increased vigor from the continued drought, and innumerable barns, houses, fences, &c., have fallen an easy prey to the fell destroyer. The smoke arising therefrom, although not quite stopping navigation, has greatly impeded it.

In the Muskoka District, and the Counties of Oxfork, Huron, Bruce and Perth, wide-spread damage has been done. In the latter county the accounts are heart-rending in the extreme, some families being utterly ruined. Traffic on the Stratford and Huron Railway had to be suspended for a time; and it is said that unless rain soon falls that that portion of the county in which the fires exist, will be totally devastated.

In the Ottawa Valley the fires have done great damage; many farmers losing everything they had, even to their live stock, and in some cases narrowly escaped with their lives.

In the State of Michigan the damage is even more deplorable. Not only were barns, houses, nine towns and villages swept away by the devouring element, but over 500 lives have been lost. In many instances whole families have been utterly exterminated.

The Mayor of Port Huron has appealed to the Canadian people for help for the sufferers in the following despatch sent to the leading newspapers:

AN APPEAL TO CANADIAN CHARITY.

PORT HURON, Sept. 9.—Our country has been devastated by fire. The suffering is beyond description; people are in a starving condition. Will the seed wheat, provisions, and clothing. Orders have been received from the Secretary of the Treasury that all goods for this purpose will pass free of duty.

(Signed) E. C. CARLETON, Mayor.

JOTTINGS FROM MAXWELL.

From our own Correspondent.

Weather cool.

Heavy rain fell here Saturday night

Several in our midst have scarcely recovered from the fright occasioned by the great smoke of Monday week. We fancy they felt a "little" unprepared.

Threshing is now the order of the day, and the yield seems to be average if not above.

Numbers are leaving for the Exhibition in Toronto, or to make an Exhibition of themselves we hardly know which.

According to the opinions of men who *should know*, we have reason to expect the much talk of "Credit Valley R. R. extension," make its way through our village at an early date.

The Maxwell Literary and Debating Society resumed last Friday evening. Little else than general business was attended to, but the programme for next Friday promises to be very good. We wish it success.

This Society has been steadily improving since its organization in January last, and this season bids fair to excel the last.

KIMBERLEY.

Village unusually quiet this week; about the only thing to relieve the monotony was a dog fight, a boy on one side and a man and his wife on the other. The boy's dog being a better fighter the old man and woman pitched in to the boy and dog, whereupon the boy gave the old pair the go-by and showed them his heels and came in the easiest of winners by about, well say—two lengths.

Some person put fire at the base of the rock on the east mountain on Saturday night and its reflection presented a most magnificent sight as seen from the valley.

Since the excitement about a certain newspaper man committing matrimony, we have have not heard anything about pan-cake batter nor fishery inspector.

Petty thieving seems to be in vogue just now. Two of our villagers assert that their milk rooms have been visited; from one butter was stolen and milk from the other. I have heard one man say that they had better not disturb his domestic peace or he will present them with a longing for a surgeon, which we hope he will if they visit him.

There is a good deal of sickness here just now, nearly all being dysentry.

Scene in Country P. O.—P. M. distributing mail. Old lady in rocking chair, knitting. Enter strange lady. P. M.—Good morning. Mrs. T.—O. L. to stranger.—Why, yeou ben't Mrs. T., be's yeou? S. L.—No; I beant Mrs. T. Oh, you bea that lady from the S. O. L.—No I beant that lady from S. I bea from Toronto, so be it. What is to be will be whether it comes to pass or not.

The Dundalk HERALD is a decided success, a few copies have been returned, and a greater number of names have been added to the list of subscribers. Those to whom it was sent are highly pleased with it and the great majority have become *bona-fide* subscribers so that we have now over 400 subscribers to the HERALD. We invite correspondents from any subscriber an local matters. You all have a chance to make the HERALD still more interesting. When writing for the paper write "printers copy" on the envelope and leave it open and it will only cost one cent postage. Notice of marriages free—send them along, births and deaths also free, together, with all matters not intended for the pecuniary benefit of any individual.

QUEEN'S VALLEY.

We are pleased to notice the improvements going on in the valley. There is a Gristing Mill, Saw Mill, Factory, General Store, Wagon Shop, Blacksmith Shop, Temperance Hotel, Post Office, and several other places of business. We also noticed a new survey of village lots. Such are the improvements made during the last two or three years.

The crops have been good throughout that section this year and the people are hopeful.

MAXWELL PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The following is the honor roll for the above school for August, 1881.

Fourth Class—Ella Kerr, George Heron.

Senior Third Class—Richard Preston, Lily Long.

Junior Third Class—Annie Heron, Lily Hamlin, Eddie Tuck.

Second Class—Calista Preston, Joseph Fenwick.

Senior First Class—Frank Tuck, Samuel Beatty.

Junior First Class—Charlie Heron, Amy Kerr, Willie Harrison.—E. J. J. FERGUSON, Teacher.

TRAVERSTON CORRESPONDENCE.

We understand Mr. Chas. Kennedy of the Traverston Woollen Mills, who lately received injuries from an accident while adjusting part of the machinery, is now on a fair way of recovery. We hope friend Charles will soon be able to resume his particular duties, as the loss must be considerable to the firm at this busy season of the year. There are far more orders for yarn than can be supplied, and altogether business at the Traverston Woollen Factory has been quite brisk this year.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment, on the 29th of August, 1881. Members all present.

Minutes of last session of Council read and confirmed.

Notice from Collingwood Township Council laid before Council, stating [illegible] Mr. Fleming referee on union school business.

A claim was made by a Mr. McArthur for damages to a buggy on 7th line. It was however made to appear that said gentleman must have driven too near the side of the road. The matter was laid aside.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to John Rutherford, Esq., Owen Sound, $37.00, payment for stationery and Voters' List.

By-law No. 306 was passed, levying School Rates for the current year.

On petition of John White and others, for cutting rock at lot 30, 11th line, the Council resolved to examine the matter minutely, and to carry out the prayer of said petition if they deemed it reasonable and just, taking into account the present state of finances of Township.

Thomas Jordan was appointed collector in the 5 easterly concession, at a salary of $45.00; and Andrew T. Buchanan in the 7 westerly concessions at a salary of $55.00, and By-law passed accordingly.

By-law No. 309, for carrying out the provisions of the County Council establishing a fair in Rocklyn, was carried through the different stages and passed.

The Reeves orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows, viz.: To J. Farewell, for advertising Court of Revision, $3.36; publishing Auditors' Report, $12.00; publishing adjourned meeting of Court of Revision, $2.00; Printing 500 copies of Minutes of Council and Auditors' Report for 1880, containing 44 pages printed matter, $44.00. Isaac Garrett, $5.00 for cleaning hall, stove pipes, windows, &c. Robt. Dunlop, $20 for transcribing and prepairing for publication Minutes of Council, 1880, $20.00; for preparing Voters' List, &c., $25.00. Jesten Badgero, $3.10, for repairs to plough broken while performing statute labor, being certified to by Henry White, pathmaster. Thomas Reid, $146.50, for road work, ditching.—John Davis, $1 55, damage to a waggon. Robert Hetherington, $57.00, for repairing Town Hall. William Warner, $19.00, for work on 3 & 4 side road, con. 7.

The Council adjourned until the last Saturnay in September.

ROBT. DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

The latest Venezuelan Army List contains the names of 32,222 Generals. As the regular army of the republic consists of exactly 12,000 men, each, Venezeulan soldier may count upon three generals to convey to him, individually, his instructions in the field.

A convention has been concluded between Greece and France, subject to the confirmation of the French Chamber, by which France is authorized to explore and excavate the sites of Delphi upon the same terms as the German excavations were carried out at Olympia.

A bogus Countess, with a "secretary" and retinue, has lately gone through a number of Vienna tradesmen. She was, however, arrested when about to leave her swell hotel, in man's attire, by a hotel porter, and Countess and suite are among the most fashionable arrivals at the city prison.

Children are wonderful treasure trovers. They are always tumbling over caskets and other valuable deposits. The other day some urchins playing on the slope of the Bugberg, at Weissdorf, scraped up a gilded iron casket. On being forced open it was found filled with pearls and stones, rings, gold and silver ornaments, gold and silver coins, dated 1517, 1612 and 1624.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Your correspondent "M" concludes he cannot go with me on whiskey. I didn't ask him to have anything to do with whiskey. My suggestion was for every ten cents spent on treating, another should be given to the tavern keeper as a sort of Church Treasurer. Many a decent man spends numerous ten cents in grog, and still continues a worthy member of the church. If a tavern keeper can be a church member, as many of them are, or can be, what is to hinder them acting as Church Treasurers in the way proposed? If the selling of whiskey, or the drinking of whiskey in a moderate way is no bar to church fellowship, how should there be any bar to receiving any money collected in the manner referred to? Do we ever hear of any church refusing the offerings of those who sell liquor or drink it? An authority which a great many believe in, avers that

> "Freedom and whiskey gang the gither,
> Tak' aff your dram."

Religion and freedom usually go together and if whiskey cannot go hand in hand with them why does not the church say so? "M" says in effect "religion and whiskey cannot go hand in hand." The Church in effect says they can. If "M" is right he has some reason for objection to my modest proposition. If the church is right I do not see the shadow of ground against establishing this new class of Church Treasurer either in the interests of the Church or those of

FAIR PLAY.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—I suggested lately an unencumbered plan for raising the needful for religions purposes and here I have "M" last week coming down upon me like an avalanche, as if a State Church was already looming in the distance. There might be a great many worse things than a State Church. But a [illegible] need not necessarily follow the taxing by the Church of its members. "M" traces taxation up to a church receiving its laws, rites and ceremonies from Blake and Company. It is rather to be supposed that Blake & Co. have their hands full just at present. Be that as it may, "M" evidently argues on the hypothesis of history identically repeating itself. It often does so. In this case, however, it cannot, as the church has never been known hitherto voluntarily to go to the assessment roll and clap on a tax on each member and afterwards become a State Church. Let "M" read up the history of State Churches and he will find that it was through superstition and not by taxation that the State at first enthralled the Churches. Afterwards it may have come to pass that the State said, "As we support, therefore we legislate for you." But in the first instance the State captured the church for the sake of the support the church would give to the State and not that the State should support the church. Hence whatever evils have flowed from State Churches. But is it not possible for such a scheme of taxation as I indicated being carried out without bringing the church under State control in regard to its moral and religious government? We are said to have no State Churches now on this Continent, and yet all our denominations have to submit more or less to legislation in a corporate sense so far as their real estate is concerned. Well, does not the most of the pecuniary difficulties of our religious bodies consist in their trying to raise the needful to pay for this real estate? Where then would be the harm in receiving permission from the legislature to tax its own membership. The one piece of legislature would no more than the other make a State Church out of any denomination, But "M" is afraid that a regular taxation system would cause many to fling churches and religion overboard, and yet "M" has been very ably arguing throughout all his correspondence in the STANDARD that the world and the church are too much mixed. In this I cordially agree with him and am therefore all the more astonished that so acute an observer as "M" should reject a scheme which by his own admission would so much serve to separate the world from the church. Therefore repeat, "tax the adjuncts but leave the gospel free. The adjuncts are already subject to legislation, and the Church is not considered a State Church. Neither would permission from the legislature to clap on a tax on church members for payment of these adjuncts make a State Church of it. "M" goes on to speak of the enormous evils of a State Church, and appears to think it nothing but a union of the world, the devil and the flesh, and yet he cannot agree with the simple tax test whereby he would get rid of what he very properly describes as "the loose fish who swim in shoals," in the present no-State Church. In a critical historical disquisition "M" then delivers some knocks on our Episcopal friends, and closes with wiping out your correspondent "Fair Play" in a whiskey discussion, which, however, is rather out of my line, as, like Topsy's Irishman, I can only swallow whiskey when there is no potheen handy.

Yours truly,

TAXARIOUS.

The steamer "Columbia" of the North-eastern line, foundered off Frankfort, Mich., and fifteen lives were lost, most of whom were residents of Collingwood.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I was amused with the communication of "Tamas Tickle" which appeared in a late issue of your valuable paper.

"Tamas" does not seem to have studied music all his life; I can almost imagine that he is in blissful ignorance of the various Scales, Keys, and Moods made use of in the commonest tunes he hears sung, and I believe he would as soon set himself to measure the distance from Markdale to "John O'Groat's" as he would to ascertain the distance of a "minor third."

As Tamas seems to be a little "mixed" about Tunes, I think the best way to bring him to his senses will be to ask him what sort of tunes his father made of at family worship; or what sort of tunes they were which he might hear ascending from nearly every hearth as he took a stroll through the less frequented streets of his native Town on a Sabbath evening between eight and nine o'clock; or if he does know anything about music, if he ever joined in Public Worship when the Precentor sung "New London" to the Psalm beginning "O Thou my soul bless God the Lord," or "Redemption" to the paraphrase "'Tis finished was his latest voice," or Invocation to the verses beginning "O send Thy light forth, and thy truth," or Elgin to the beautiful paraphrase "The wretched prodigal behold, in misery lying low," or Coleshill to the touching words "Such pity as a Father hath unto his children dear," and if he has done so, I would like to know how he felt as these tunes, and others equally grand, were sung with a solemnity and earnestness befitting the occasion; and sung too, in regard to pitch and time so that all, from the oldest to the youngest, could join in the service, and how he feels now, when the same words are sung to Americanized tunes, and pitched so high that only a few in a congregation can even "screech" out the highest notes; and in break-neck haste, so that articulation is almost impossible. But if Tamas is not acquainted with such tunes as I have named, nor with the Psalms and Hymns I have referred to, which is hardly possible in a Scotsman, I would refer him to his National Poet, Robbie Burns, with whose writings and their full meaning no doubt Tamas is at home. He will find in the "Cottar's Saturday night," the following lines "And let us worship God;" he says with solemn air:

> "They chant their artless notes in simple guise,
> They tune their hearts by far the noblest aim;
> Perhaps Dundee's wild warbling measures rise,
> Or plaintive Martyrs worthy of the name.
> Or noble Elgin beats the Heaven-ward flame,
> The sweetest far of Scotia's holy lays,
> Compared with these Italian trills are tame.
> The tickled ear no heartfelt raptures raise;
> Nae unison hae they with our Creator's praise."

Yes, Mr. Editor, these, and such as these, are the tunes and songs that lighted up the family altar, and kept the incense burning bright—that cheered the persecuted saints in caves, in clefts of the rock, on the rugged mountain side, or at the stake among burning faggots, when the sword of the persecutor was ever ready to shed their blood; they cheered the Christian pilgrim then, and I would ask Tamas would they not do the same now if as fervently and reverently engaged in? I think I hear him say "Amen, so let it be." Tamas says, "If we can mak' organs to dae the wark better than the organs made by the Almichty, I dinna see for why we shouldna use them."

Whenever Tamas conscientiously says that "we can"—that the thing formed can say to Him that formed it, "Why hast thou made me thus?" Then I will say with him "use an organ;" till then I am content to praise with the "calves of my lips." I may here say that the "Dundee" referred to by the Poet is not the tune called by this name in American publications the right name of the tune there called "Dundee" is French, "French" is a major, while the real "Dundee" is a minor.

M.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR—I noticed a short time since, that the Editor of the *Advance* held up his hands in holy horror because a young man in your Village dressed himself in women's clothes and played some antics on the street. To this I have no objection; but would like to ask this highly virtuous young man why he omitted to notice the extremely disgraceful and immoral actions of some of the fast youths of this Village and a certain tramp and his wife?

Yours, &c.,

ENQUIRER.

Flesherton, Sept. 7th, 1881.

FALL SHOWS.

INDUSTRIAL—At Toronto, from Monday September 5th to 17th.

DOMINION EXHIBITION—At Halifax, N. S., from 21st to 30th Sept.

PROVINCIAL—At London from Wednesday Sept. 21st to 29th.

EAST GREY—At Flesherton, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 6th and 7th

SOUTH GREY—At Durham, Wednesday, and Thursday, Sept. 28th and 29th.

HOLLAND—At Chatsworth, on Friday, Sept. 30th

PROTON—At Hopeville, on Friday, Sept. 30th.

GLENELG—At Markdale, Oct. 5th.

EUPHRASIA—At Rocklyn, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th.

SULLIVAN—At Desboro, on Wednesday, Oct. 5th.

EGREMONT—At Holstein, on Tuesday, Oct. 11th.

DUFFERIN—At Orangeville, Sept. 28, 29 and 30.

MELANCTHON—At Shelburne, Oct. 6th and 7th.

Dr. Thomas, of the Methodist Church of Chicago, who has been on trial for heresy, has been found guilty on all the charges.

DIED.

RICHARDSON—In Markdale, on the 10th inst., Mary C. only child of James and Annie Richardson, aged 15 months 3 days.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Sept 16, 1881.

Flour	0.00	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.22
Fall do. do.	1.20	to	0.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.34	"	0.35
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.00
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	0.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.25
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.00
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	10.00	"	12.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, Sept 16th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	0.00
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.20
Barley	0.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.32	"	0.34
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	10.0	"	12.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.20	to	$1.22
" " "	2	1.15	to	1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.22
" " "	2	1.16	to	1.20
" " "	3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley "	2	.65	to	.79
" "	3	.50	to	.57
Peas "	1	.65	to	.65
" "	2	.60	to	.62
Oats "	1	.34	to	.35
Butter "	1	.18	to	.20
Eggs		.24	to	.14

TORONTO.

(Special to the Standard.)

Toronto September, 16th, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 32	to	$1 34
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 74	to	0 85
Oats, do.	0 42	to	0 43
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 92	to	0 95
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 50	to	8 50
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 40	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	45	to	0 65
Geese, each	50	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 50
Butter, large rolls	20	to	0 24
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 16	to	0 18
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	2 25
Potatoes per bag	0 60	to	0 75
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	10 00	to	13 50

FOR SALE.

A THREE YEAR OLD MARE, LARGE size.

53-3t. WM. BROWN.

ESTRAY.

CAME INTO THE PREMISES of the undersigned, Lot 5, Con. 6, Osprey, in July last, a two year old Steer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away.

DAVID MADILL.

Osprey, Sept. 13th, 1881. 53-3in.

Farm to Rent.

SOUTH HALF LOT 7, CON. 12, EUPHRASIA, 100 acres, 80 cleared and under cultivation. House, barn and stables on the premiics, also well watered. Will rent for a term of years. Situated three miles from Markdale. For further particulars apply to JOHN LYONS, on the premises, or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD office, Markdale.

Euphrasia, Sept. 15th, 1881. 53-3t*

STRAYED.

CAME into the premises of the Subscriber, lot 103, con. 3, west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, early in August, a Yearling Steer, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

R. H. BOYCE.

Glenelg, Sept. 5, 1881. 52-3t

TENDERS

FOR the erection of Snow Fencing along the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 17th September. Plans and Specifications can be had on application, or may be seen at the Head Office of the Company, Toronto. All material supplied by the Company.

EDMUND WRAGGE, General Manager, T., G. & B. Ry., Toronto.

Toronto, Sept. 7, 1881. 52-2t

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Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly.

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TOWNSHIP OF PROTON.

Lot 231 and 232, concession 3 S. W. T. S. Road, 100 acres, 50 cleared, balance hardwood and mixed timber, very valuable, being situated within half a mile of Dundalk; frame farm buildings.

Lot 21, concession 19, 100 acres, valuable timber land, near Proton station.

Lot 34, concession 13, 100 acres, on leading road between Dundalk and Hopeville.

Lot 27, concession 4, 150 acres, under lease.

TOWNSHIP OF MELANCTHON.

Lot 28, concession 4, N.E.T.S.R. 100 acres.
Lot 29, " " " " "
Lot 28, " 5, " " " "
Lot 29, " 5, " " " "

These lots will be sold en bloc or in parcels. Would make a fine stock or dairy farm. Within 4 miles of Dundalk.

Lot 26, concession 6, N. E. T. & S. Road, 100 acres, timbered. Lot 34, con. 7, N. E. T. & S. Road, 85 acres, timbered. Will make good farms.

TOWNSHIP OF OSPREY.

Lot 34, con. 3, S. D. Road, 50 acres, timbered, near Dundalk. Lot 47, con. 3, S. D. Road, 50 acres, timbered. Lots 49 and 50, con. 2, S. D. Road, 100 acres, upon which is erected fair farm buildings, large clearance, free of stumps; soil clay, and it is considered one of the best grain farms in the township; now under lease.

For further particulars inquire of

JAMES LAMON, Vendor's Solicitor.

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Stacks of Ready-made Clothing,
Stacks of Mantles for the Ladies.

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We are determined to continue the large increase in our business. Our milliner, Miss Mullen, will return by the 1st of Octoebr, at which date we purpose re-opening that branch of our business, and trust to continue that part of our business in the past satisfactory manner. Thanking you for past favors and trust to be favored with a continuance of the same.

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Markdale, September 14th, 1881.

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Toronto, April 14th, 881,

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THE STANDARD.

[illegible] September 16, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

[illegible] sidewalks need repairing badly

[illegible] Watches, in all colors of the [illegible] W. F. Doll's, Flesherton.

[illegible] weather the past few days has [illegible] frightfully cool.

[illegible] Rings from 90c. up, at W. F. [illegible] Flesherton.

[illegible] Council will meet on the [illegible], instead of the 16th.

[illegible] Rings from $5 to $20 at W. F. [illegible] Flesherton.

[illegible] inspect our fall stock, no [illegible] show goods, Reynolds & [illegible]

[illegible] President is again improving, [illegible] are entertained of his recovery.

[illegible] Hill Bros. new advertisement. [illegible] stock of fall and winter goods, [illegible] and mantles, &c.

[illegible] for everybody at W. F. Doll's, [illegible] and Dundalk.

[illegible] oil company, are sole [illegible] of "Castorine machine [illegible]. Arrangements will be prosecuted, [illegible]

[illegible] of Artemesia Council came [illegible] for this week together with [illegible] of interest, which will appear in our next.

[illegible] your dealers for "Castorine" [illegible] oil, and see that the barrel [illegible] "Castorine," as none other [illegible] genuine.

[illegible] building for the foundry about [illegible] opened here is being pushed forward rapidly, and will be ready for occupation in a few weeks.

[illegible] buy a watch till you see Mr. Doll, [illegible] Flesherton.

Mr. John Fallice, lot 11, con. 5, [illegible] has an apple tree which has [illegible] fruit twice this season and is [illegible] bloom the third time.

[illegible] a doubt the cheapest and best [illegible] Watches to be found anywhere is at [illegible] Doll's, Flesherton.

Mr. James Noble has erected two [illegible] houses—one on Elizabeth [illegible] and one on Mark street—which [illegible] veneering with brick.

[illegible] Burton will please accept our [illegible] for those beautiful Tomatoes [illegible] left at our office, they were [illegible] best we have seen this season.

[illegible] F. Doll, of Flesherton, has just returned from his tour on the Continent, where he has purchased a large stock of Watches, [illegible] Give him a call for bargains.

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THE STANDARD.

...day, September 16, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

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...nderful Watches, in all colors of the ..., at W. Doll's, Flesherton.

...e weather the past few days has ... delightfully cool.

...Gold Rings from 90c. up, at W. F. ..., Flesherton.

...LAND Council will meet on the ... instead of the 16th.

...Rings from $5 to $20 at W. F. ...

...ll and inspect our fall stock, no ... to show goods, Reynolds & ...

...e President is again improving, ...opes are entertained of his re-...

...Hill Bros. new advertisement. ...stock of fall and winter goods, ...ery and mantles, &c.

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...RONTO oil company, are sole ...ufacturers of "Castorine machine ...infringements will be pr secuted,

...UTES of Artemesia Council came ... for this week together with ...items of interest, which will ap-...n our next.

...k your dealers for "Castorine" ...ne oil, and see that the barrel ...nded "Castorine," as none other ...ine.

...uilding for the foundry about ...posed here is being pushed for-...idly, and will be ready for oc-...tion in a few weeks.

... a watch till you see Mr. Doll's ...Flesherton.

...John Fallice, lot 11, con. 5, ... has an apple tree which has ...fruit twice this season and is ...n bloom the third time.

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MR. WM. MILILGAN lost a span of horses last week in the following manner:—As far as we can learn, Mr. M. runs a threshing machine, and had his horses in a stable together with those of his partner; some of the horses became untied during the night and got kicking, breaking a leg of each of Milligan's horses. The loss is a very serious one to Mr. M., who is ill able bear it.

HOW TO GET SICK.

Expose your self day and night, eat too much without exercise; work too hard without rest; doctor all the time; take all the vile nostrums advertised; and then you will want to know

HOW TO GET WELL,

which is answered in three words—Take Hop Bitters!—*Express.*

DUNDALK.

From our own Correspondent.

EVERY train appeared to be loaded with passengers for the Exhibition, during each day this week.

WE notice Peter McGregor is completing his residence with brick veneering. When complete it will be very handsome.

THE broad guage railway track crossed over Main street on Monday, at one o'clock p.m., with a gang of eighteen men, destined for Owen Sound.

R. J. DOYLE'S Patent Fruit Barrel, manufactured in Dundalk, is exhibited at the Industrial Exhibition, of which we will notice more particularly at some future date.

H. GRAHAM'S sale, as announced in the HERALD, is progressing favorably, a large amount of goods being sold daily. Call and get some of the bargains.

APPLE stealing from the orchards is becoming the custom among the young folks. Remember, boys, you might as well steal a man's money as his apples, it is the same crime in the eyes of the law.

GRAIN is now coming to market freely. The first load of oats was bought last week by Mr. Hewetson, at 34c. per bushel. The first load of spring wheat, the property of Mr. Wm. Hope, of Melancthon, was purchased by Mr. Duncan. Dundalk promises to be a good market this season.

EUGENIA AND QUEEN'S VALLEY.

We once had the impression, that Flesherton would eventually have a spur line of Railway, extended from Flesherton Station on through to Eugenia and the Queen's Valley in the township of Euphrasia, but having taking a moonlight drive through Flesherton, Eugenia, and the Valley and from thence to Thornbury. We venture to say that no Railway will pass through that section the next fifty years.

It is the highest, lowest, and roughest roads that we have travelled on in our rambles through the County of Grey, we should be sory that the people of Flesherton should pillow themselves up with the idea, that they will have a spur line or any other line of Railway pass up through the rough hilly section of country.

RAMBLER.

HAVE YOU TRIED IT?

If so you can testify to its marvellous powers of healing and recommend it to your friends. We refer to Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the grand specific for all summer complaints, diarrhœa, cholera morbus, dysentery, cramps, cholic, sickness of the stomach and bowel complaints of infants or adults. Let its merits be known to all who have not used it.

Correspondence.

REMINISCENCES OF A TRIP FROM OWEN SOUND TO SAULT STE MARIE.

(Continued from last week.)

RYDAL BANK Sept. 3rd. 1881.—Resuming our journey from Little Current we sail among numerous Islands to Mudge Bay, a distance of thirty miles. On the way we pass LaCloche, a Hudson Bay post on the north shore. It has a store owned by the company, who trades with Indians, Mudge Bay is owned chiefly by R. Henry, who has extensive pine limits there. His saw mill is half a mile from the beach, and the lumber is run from the mill to the shore in a shde. A good tract of land lies south of Mudge Bay; but it is chiefly in the grasp of this magnate. We sail northward from here to Spanish River, twenty miles distant. Before entering the river the boat passes through a channel so narrow that one could almost jump on shore on either side. This place is controlled by Chaffey Bros., Pine, nothing but pine supports this place. The population is half breeds who work in the mill and pick blue berries, and make sugar. The Syndicate's line is settled this far, and work will be commenced shortly. Twenty miles to the south brings us to Gore Bay on Manitoulin. It has the best hotel in eastern Algoma. It does a thriving business with tourists, about twenty American people were, at the time of our visit, spending apleasent time there. Gore Bay is supported by the farming community and lake travel. Forty-five miles more brings us to Meldrum Bay on Manitoulin, but it is in the night and I can give little information. Twelve miles brings us to Cockburn Island. It is about nine by sixteen miles in size, or contains abont a township and a half. The land is excellent, so we have been told by judges, but it labors under the "timber grievance." Let me explain this, a company has the exclusive right to cut and ship timber anywhere and everywhere on the Island whether the land is owned by settlers or government. This gives the settler no chance to save timber. He can cut it for his own use or in a fallow, bet he can not sell any, but the licensee can cut and ship as long as the land is not deeded. A settler cannot get his deed until his conditions of three years settlement are complied with, in the meantime the timber is cut. This question has two sides however, and I will consider it at some future time.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—After I sent you that letter aboot the major an' minor tunes my wife, Tibbie, says tae me, "Tammas Tickle," says she, "you're a daft gouk: dae ye think the Editor has naething else tae do than prent a letter trae you?" an' then when she saw it in the paper, 'deed she was neither to haud nor bind, but ran aboot tae a' the neebors, showin' them her Tammas's letter. Weel, Tibbie an' me we were awfu' impatient for the neist STANDARD, expeckin' that crabbit customer "M" would be in a fearfu' rage at me for gein' him sic a cuttin' up, an' that he would gie me tit for tat; but lo an' behold when the paper comes "M" hasna a word tae say.—Says Tibbie, "Odd, Tammas, ye've fairly dumfoondered him. He whacks richt an' left at tha ither chaps, but he's feared tae meddle wi' you."—"'Deed, an' sae he may," says I, "I gied him logic for ance, an' be he wha he may he likes, he has sense enuch tae ken when he's floored. My certie if he'd just answered back a single word I'd greased his loof the neist time, but he kens fine my logic is onanswerable." Noo, maister Editor, I canna help ritin' just tae tell you the gran' moral effeck my letter has had. I've nae the least doout but oor precentor has read it. When he stood up tae sing in the kirk on Sabbath he just lookit me stracht i' the face as muckles tae sae "noo, my man, ye'll hae nae mair cause tae complain o' any want o' major tunes," and wi' that he pipit oot for a' the warld jast like a trambone, an' a' the congregation sang wi' tremengies, viz: just as it suld be. This is enkooragin, sir, tae you as well as me to dae a' that lies in oor pooer tae' put things richt i' the moral fabtic. Faint heart never won fair lady, as I tell Tibbie when speakin' aboot sendin' the letter tae you.

Yours tae command,

TAMMAS TICKLE.

Our fall stock arriving daily, complete in every line don't fail to give us a call, Reynolds & Son.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHRIST CHURCH.

Services—Sept. 26, 10:30 a. m.; Oct. 3rd, 6:30 p. m.; 10th, 10:30 a. m.; 17th, 10:30 a. m.; 24th, 6:30 p. m.; 31st, 6:30 p. m.; Nov. 7th 10:30 a. m.; 14th, 10:30 a. m.; 21st, 10:30 a. m.; 28th, 6.30 p, m.; Dec 5th, 6:30 p. m.; 12th, 10:30 a. m.; 19th, 10:30 a. m.; 27th, 6:30 p. m, Sabbath School, 2:30 p, m. Rev. James Ward, Incumbent.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH.

Services every sabbath at 10:30 a. m., and 6:30 p. m. Sabbath School at 2:30 p. m. G. S. Bowes, Superintendent. Prayer Meeting, Thursday Evenings at 7:30. Rev. N.A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

PRIMATIVE METHODIST.

Services every 1st and 3rd Sabbath at 3 o'clock p. m. Every 2nd & 4th Sabbath at 10:30 a. m., in the Orange Hall. C. C. Garnett, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Sabbath School in the Dufferin Hall every Sabbath morning at 9:30. Preaching at 11 a.m. every Sabbath. Bible Class and Prayer meeting every Friday evening at 7:30. A. WILSON, Pastor.

ST. JAMES CHURCH DUNDALK.

Services—11 o'clock a. m. July 24th and each alternate Sabbath, W. Bevan, Incumbent.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing ... the advertiser's experience can ... so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar st. New York

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HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are repared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRTS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING
AND
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As we warant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

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No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetiser, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

D.I.C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto, Ont.

JOHN NOBLE, Genearl Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 1881. 14-tf

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

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Nov. 11, 1880.

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ON

Wednesdays and Saturdays,

By Thomas Smith.

Orders filled for Tocush Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street, New York. 20-ly

W. L. Smith, GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station. Sept. 17, 1880.

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

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Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an earl call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A pecialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

Robt. S. Rae,

TAIL OR,

Sydenham Street,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m

NOTICE.

THE subscriber in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49-tf.

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS, On the premises.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

Farm for Sale.

LOT No. 9, Concession 10, Glenelg, containing 100 acres—80 of which is cleared and under cultivation, the balance well timbered, chiefly hardwood. On the premises is a barn 60x24, a house and outbuildings, and a young orchard, is well watered and well fenced with cedar rails. It is situated 5½ miles from the thriving village of Markdale. Title good; possession given at once. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the proprietor is going West. Apply to

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P.O.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

September 2nd, 1881. 51-6t*

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a promissory note for $150.25, purporting to be made by me in favor of the "Globe Lightning Rod Co.," was obtained from me by one D. Rutherford, who represented himself to be an agent of said Company, as, and for an acknowledgement for the receipt of lightning rod material, I having previously agreed to act as the Company's local agent. As I never purchased said material and never intended to give any note therefor, payment of said note is refused.

(Signed), THOMAS KNIGHT.

Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881. 51-4t.

$2 Watches. ...

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y.

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AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL.

In diseases of the pulmonary organs a safe and reliable remedy is invaluable. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL is such a remedy, and no other so eminently merits the confidence of the public. It is a scientific combination of the medicinal principles and curative virtues of the finest drugs, chemically united, of such power as to insure the greatest possible efficiency and uniformity of results. It strikes at the foundation of all pulmonary diseases, affording prompt relief and rapid cures, and is adapted to patients of any age or either sex. Being very palatable, the youngest children take it readily. In ordinary Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Influenza, Clergyman's Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, and Catarrh, the effects of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL are magical, and multitudes are annually preserved from serious illness by its timely and faithful use. It should be kept at hand in every household for the protection it affords in sudden attacks. In Whooping-cough and Consumption there is no other remedy so efficacious, soothing, and helpful.

Low prices are inducements to try some of the many mixtures, or syrups, made of cheap and ineffective ingredients, now offered, which, as they contain no curative qualities, can afford only temporary relief, and are sure to deceive and disappoint the patient. Diseases of the throat and lungs demand active and effective treatment; and it is dangerous experimenting with unknown and cheap medicines, from the great liability that these diseases may, while so trifled with, become deeply seated or incurable. Use AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and you may confidently expect the best results. It is a standard medical preparation, of known and acknowledged curative power, and is as cheap as its careful preparation and fine ingredients will allow. Eminent physicians, knowing its composition, prescribe it in their practice. The test of half a century has proven its absolute certainty to cure all pulmonary complaints not already beyond the reach of human aid.

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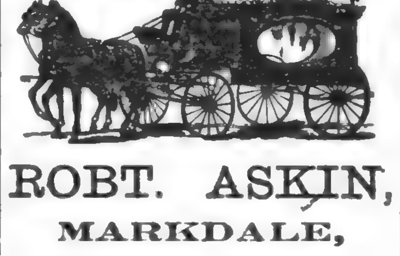
☞Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-13



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Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

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1. Thou shalt insure thy real and personal estate and all that thou hast against fire, for—

Defending thyself from misfortune until old age,
Thy happiness shall equal thy wisdom.

2. Thou shalt not insure more than thou dost possess, for insurance is a business wherein thou canst not make money. This is simply thy duty in order to preserve what thou hast acquired.

Preserve that which thou shalt acqure,
Whoso is prudent guardeth his goods.

3. Thou shalt not insure less than thou dost possess—for what thou dost not insure, will not be paid in case of loss.

Though poverty is not a vice
To lose all is not a pleasure.

4. Thou shalt not make excessive declarations of value respecting thy property in case of fire; but thou shall state truly that which belongs to thee, that thou mayest not have a lawsuit or gain a bad reputation

As we make our bed so must we lie.

5. Thou shalt also exhort thy neighbors, thy friends, and thy relations to insure themselves, that they may escape loss, and that poverty through a loss by fire be not laid to thy charge.

That which comes by the flute goes by the drum.

6. Thou shalt not backslide, nor hinder thy neighbor from making all these insurances, for those who are so improvident as not to insure are those who are most visited with losses; no one pities their condition.

Those that are beaten pay the fine.

7. Thou shalt not search for evasion to get rid of the expense of insurance, for it is low in proportion to thy position; thou canst put by as much as the value of the bottles of wine thou drinkest, and thou wilt then have sufficient for all thy insurance.

The pitcher that goes often to the well must in the end be filled.

8. Thou shalt regard the expense of insurance like the expense of thy meat and drink; and as thou canst not do without these, because thou hast hunger and thirst thou shalt not more hesitate about insurance, because it will give thee security, repose, consolation, and aid.

In thirst and misfortune
A pear in reserve is a pleasure.

9. Thou shal be careful when thou insurest that thou selectest a reliable and safe company and that the agent is an honest one, because in so doing in case of a loss thy money shall not have been paid for nought, and if thou lose thy property and not get thy Insurance thou will be poorer than a church rat.

If thou fallest into poverty
People will care but little for thee.

10. Thou shalt do all thy insurance with **Robert Davis**, the Conveyancer and Land and Insurance Agent at Flesherton, for—

He represents only the best companies, and
He guards well his patrons' interests.

ROBT. DAVIS,

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Flesherton, Feb. 9, 1881. 22-tf

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Or its equivalent, can purchase any thing you may require in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, or in fact anything that is usually

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MARKDALE.

August 9th, 1881. 1

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Ready Made Clothing,
Millinery,
Groceries,
Crockery,
Glassware,
Boots and Shoes.

AT LOWEST PRICES.

GEORGE NIXON.

DUNDALK, Sept. 8, 1881.

Agriculture.

SUGGESTIONS OF AND FOR THE SEASONS.

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(From the American Agriculturist for Sep. 1)

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THE leading farm work for September, in many parts of the United States, is the sowing of the fall crops. This involves putting the soil in thorough readiness, and the selection, and the sowing of the seed. There are a number of essentials in the proper preparation of the seed bed, all of which should obtain in every field devoted to a grain crop. The soil should be rich, either by the accumulated fertility of long years of undisturbed vegetation—the virgin soil, or made so by the addition of a fertilizer in the form of barn-yard dung or the so-called "chemical manures." Of these two, that made in the barn-yard and stable is to be the first chosen, and the superphosphates and other "salts" only used as a supplement to the barn-yard manure, or in cases where the latter is not to be obtained. Next to richness should come a fine tilth. This requires that the soil be well plowed in a thorough manner, and afterwards stirred in a thorough manner with a harrow or some other cultivator—in fact with any implement, until the lumps are reduced, and the whole soil is in a fine mellow state. The importance of the mellowness of the soil for all seeds cannot be too strictly insisted upon, as without it the seeds do not come into intimate contact with the particles of earth, and therefore cannot make a good start, and many of them will not grow at all. With a good supply of plant food, in a condition to be readily taken up by the young plants, the next thing is to select the seed, and sow it properly. To put the matter of selection in a nutshell—sow the best seed to be found, even if it costs double that of the ordinary sort. When the fact becomes more thoroughly known that of two kinds of grain, for example, under identical conditions, one will yield twice as much as the other, more attention will be given to a proper selection of seed. It is not for us to say which variety of wheat or other grain is the best; that depends upon local circumstances and conditions, and each farmer must, after careful study, decide for himself. The "Clawson" wheat is at present taking a high rank for yield and quality in many localities. It may not be the best for all places. Were it not for the Hessian Fly, early sowing of wheat should be recommended in all cases. Late sowing is a disadvantage in itself, as the plants make a smaller growth before winter sets in. The richer the soil the later the sowing may be done with safety.

CHOLERA INFANTUM.

That terrible scourge among children may be speedily cured by Dr. Fowlers Extract of Wild Strawberry. All forms of bowel complaints, nausea and vomiting, from an ordinary

PLOWING AND PULVERIZING

Our first plowing, some fifty years ago, was done with a wooden mould-board. Then came in the wrough iron mould board, hammered out by a blacksmith. About forty years ago the introduction of the cast iron mould board, with replaceable point, caused no little excitement among formers, as they could be produced so much more cheaply than wrought-iron, and being harder they wore longer, But on our stony farms the gain was partly counter-balanced by the breaking of the "points," and often of the "land side" and even mould-board itself. A few years later the steel mould-board and points came into use, and subsequently the chilled iron plows. But during all these fiftyyears of improvement, and from time immemorial before that, the chief ends aimed at have been the perfecting of the old instrument, in form, to meterial in the frame, in coulters, guiding wheel, etc. The principal has been the same, viz., the cutting off of a furrow slice and inverting it more or less perfectly.

But there has all the while been the feeling that Jethro Tull was right in claiming that thorough *pulverizing* the soil was the great requesite of cultivation. And to secure this we have had a succession of implements devised, as cultivators, rotary diggers, rotary harrows, etc. Most of them have been valuable so far as they have helped towards dividing the soil, so as to provide a finer seed bed. But we are inclined to believe that Charles E. Sackett has now made such modifications and additions to the comon plwo as to amount to a radical and most valuable change in its mode in operation and in the desirable results produced. Here is a general idea of it; First a surface plow which is readily and quickly adjusted to cut off two, three, or four inches in depth of the soil, and turn it well over into the bottom of the previous furrow. Following this, upon the same bearer or frame, is another plow, adjustable to to take up a sub furrow of any desired depth. But this second, or sub-slice, is not merly turned over in a mass upon the top of the first one with only such breaking as the lifting and turning over will secure. Quite different. Upon the frame is an open work wrought iron wheel or cylinder, say 40 inches in diameter, which follows upon and smooths down in part the first turned slice of land, with its grass stubble, weeds, etc. The second furrow is thrown into this revolving wheel, and carried round and round on its inside, among its teeth, and against open-work bars on the rim and outer side, and it is so broken and pulverized it drops out upon the buried sod or surface furrow. The result is, that the soil is pulverized quite as much as it could be done with harrow and roller, and without any tramping and packing by teams; it is left light and fine and in excellent condition for receiving seed. There is also provision for attatching both seed drill and fertiliver distributor. In brief, at one operation the ground is plowed, finally divided; sod, stubble etc, buried, and seed sown. There are several simple, ingenious devices for raising and lowering the plows and wheels, for various depths, for turning at the side of the field, for self-transporting, etc., etc., that would need engravings and lengthy descriptions to expiain them fully.—*American Agriculturist for September.*

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Cures all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, female complaints, nervous and general debility, and builds up the entire system when broken down by disease.

THE THOUSAND ISLANDS.

In a beautifully illustrated article in *Harper's Monthly* for September 2nd on the Thousand Islands the following about Carleton and Grenadier Islands will be interesting to our readers:—Below Cape Vincent is Carleton Island, where a number of stone chimneys atrtact the attention. These are ruins of a fort built by the British troops during the revolution. The stone parapet and the ditch cut in the limestone rock still mark the outline of the fort. Three more historic incidents of minor interest are connected with these Islands. Grenadiar Island, opposite Alexandria Bay became, during the war of 1812, a refuge in storm for the unlucky expedition fitted out at Saskett's Harbour under General Wilkinson, for the proposed capture of Montreal. It was an ill-advised affair. The expidition was storm stayed on Grenadier some time, and finally proceeded down the river to Crysler's farm, near the Long Sault, where the undertaking terminated with the defeat of the American army. The guide books point out the battle ground, which may be seen from the steamer's deck The second was the war of Grindstone Island, a boundary dispute in 1823, at which time an earth work, yet visable, was thrown out of that island, and the third was theburning of the Canadian steamer Sir Robert Peel in 1838 by Bill Johnson and a lot of "patriots." Everybody who comes here must hear this story, with all its apocryphal incidents, and take a look at the dock on Wells' Island, where the vessel was burned—and therefore I forbear. Many tourists rushed through the Thousand Islands, in true American style, on a big steamer, drop the morning paper or the latest novel just long enough to glance over the rail at a pretty vista of channel or a cosy island home, and imagine they have seen the Thousand Islands. Just so the swift Yankee spends fifteen mortal minutes by the watch in "doing" the Louvre, or St. Peter's, or the galleries of Munich. Whoever does that loses one of the most inspiring opportunities of a lifetime. There is only one such archipelago in the world, and no man looking for the gems of nature's handiwork can afford to sail through the Thousand Islands and not know what they are.

THE OLD RELIABLE.

The remedy that has stood the test of time is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Almost infalliable to cure dysentery, cholera morbus, and all manner of fluxes, cholic cramp, cholera infantum, and every form of summer complaints.

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CO-OPERATION OF THE WIFE.—No man ever prospered in the world without the co-operation of his wife. If she unites in mutural endeavors, or rewards his labor with an endearing, smile, with what confidence will he resort to his daily toil, meet difficulty and encounter danger, if he knows that he is not spending his strength in vain, but that his labor will be rewarded by the sweetness of home! Solitude and disappointment enter the history of every man's life, and he is only half provided for his voyage who finds but an associate for his happy hours, while for his months of darkness and distress no sympathising partener is prepared.

AROUND THE WORLD.

A volcano has been discovered in Idaho.

A new ironclad of the largest size is to be built in Germany for the Chinese Government.

Dysentery is increasing to an alarming extent in the German army, and many regiments are compelled to discontinue taking part in the manuvers.

The Czar has lately received models of different weapons and engines of assassination, with a written request that he should select one to be used upon his own person.

Signor Bertinatti, long Italian Minister at Washington and the husband of Miss Dehon, of Boston, died last month in Holland, where he was representing King Humbert.

The Hippodrome in Paris recently started running matches for ladies, and at the Nimes the organizer of the bull fights has engaged women instead of men to act as matadors.

There is a weekly sale in Paris of toads, which are bought in casks, filled with damp moss. One hundred good toads are worth from $15 to $17. These are bought for gardens.

A feature in the case of Kimri Nixon, who stole $1,000 from an estate of which he was trustee, at Komoka Ind., is the fact that he has long been a Quaker preacher of note.

A GENERAL DEFEATED.

A Mrs. J. G. Robertson writes: "I was suffering from general debility, want of appetite, constipation, etc., so that life was a burden; after using Burdock Blood Bitters I felt better than for years. I cannot praise your Bitters too much.

The Jewish population of Vienna is reported to have more than doubled itself, according to the recent census within the past ten years. In 1879 it was 30,200. It is now 72,000.

The official language in the Transvaal is to be Dutch, and no other will be allowed in the law courts. This will, of course, place the British residents and natives at a disadvantage.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

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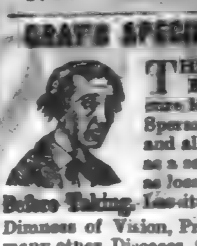
M. Got, the eminent French comedian was drawn, while at the Conservatorie, in the conscription, and having no funds, had to serve. His Colonel, however, interested the famous Mlle. Mars in his behalf, and after he had served for some time in the cavalry she bought him off.

Ayoob Khan makes no movement from Candahar but he is said to be enlisting in his service all men there who have previously served as soldiers There is reported to be a good deal of quarreling among the troops. All within the British frontier is quiet.

NIL DESPERANDUM.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.



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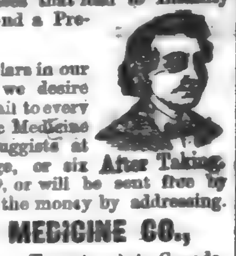

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HILL BROS.

Markdale, May 28th, 1881. 29-tf

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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

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The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

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I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

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Flour, Flour, Flour,

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!

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McINTYRE'S Coffee. Coffee.

McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL!

McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork,

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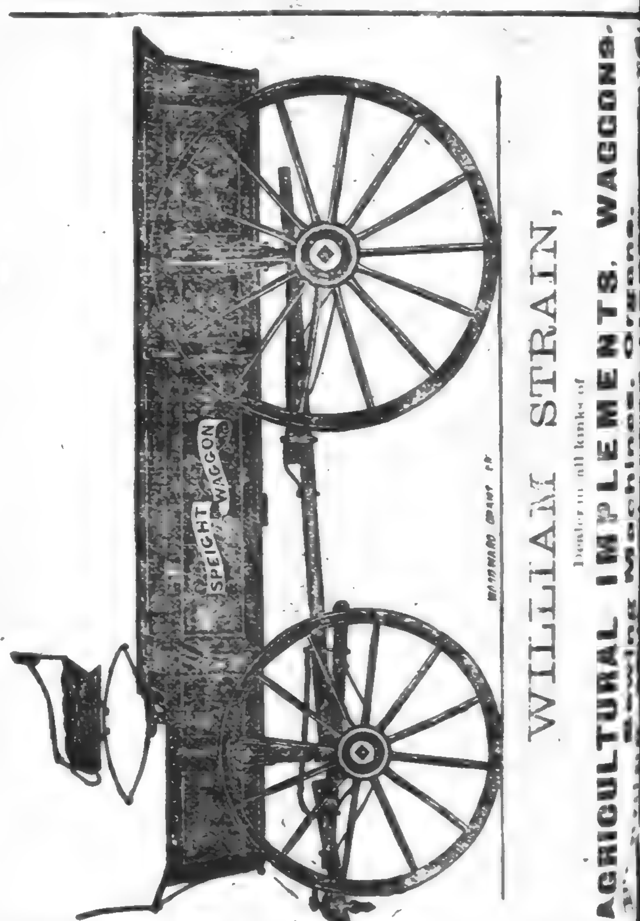

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Flesherton, March 24, 1881.

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Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 3-3m

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The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

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Clerk.

Township of Glenelg, Oct.

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C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Carter, Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c. Office—Medical Hall; residence at [illegible]. Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

DR. PURDY, PHYSICIAN, SURGEON, ACCOUCHEUR, Eugenia P. O. 6-tf.

Legal.

Chas. R. Wilkes, Barrister at Law, Owen Sound. Office—McLeod building, over Robinson's Poulet Street. 1-y

Frost & Frost, BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT LAW, Solicitors in Chancery, Convey ancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Markdale. Office open every Thursday, as usual. J. W. Frost, LL. B. County Crown Attorney. 1

James Masson, BARRISTER, ATTORNEY AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Owen Sound. 1-y

James Lamon, ATTORNEY AT LAW, SOLICITOR IN Chancery, Notary Public, &c. Money to loan at lowest rates on personal or real estate. Lands bought and sold. Settlers introduced free of commission.

DUNDALK. 1880. 1

Wm. Brown, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., [illegible] B.R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches promptly and carefully executed. Money to Lend on Real Estate security. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown, [illegible] Fire, and Life Insurance Agent, Commissioner in B.R. &c., Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, Stock and Land Sales, Punctually attended to, charges made very moderate. S. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr., LOAN AND GENERAL AGENT [illegible] Money to Loan at low rates [illegible] Principal payable at the end of [illegible] and interest half yearly [illegible] principal and interest repayable in instalments. A number of desirable Improved Farms for sale. 1-y

J. G. Sing, DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, [illegible] and Markdale. Having purchased the Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's Notes and Field Notes, Plans, &c., Instruments, &c., with all his Surveys made within the last fifty-five years, I am [illegible] Surveys in strict accordance [illegible] Profiles and Estimates of Building Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. Orders by letter or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to. Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White, Successor to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound, WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth in a satisfactory manner, and upon [illegible]. 1 y

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE.

SPROULE, - Proprietor.

[illegible] Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, [illegible] second to none in the county. [illegible] stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-1y

ROYAL HOTEL, MEAFORD, Ont.

J. McGIBB, - Proprietors.

Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the best Wines and Liquors and the best of Cigars. [illegible] to and from all trains. Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL. PRICEVILLE, Ont.

Large and commodious Sample Rooms; good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder supplied with the best the market affords. Good Stabling and attentive Hostler's. THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor. October 31st, 1880.

New Boot and Shoe Shop.

The subscribers beg to inform the public generally that they have opened a shoe shop in the premises lately occupied by D. [illegible], on Mill street, where they are prepared to make up all kinds of work in the [illegible]. Repairing done promptly.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

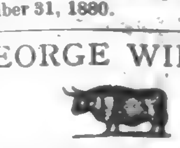
We do strictly cash business we can afford to work at bottom prices. A call respectfully solicited. No Split Leather used in the Shop.

W. McLEOD & CO. Markdale, Aug. 4th, 1881. 4t.

R. M. Galbraith, AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Lands sold on Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds for sale. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881. 30-ly

T. E. DAVIS, BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobs promptly attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE. December 31, 1880. 16-y

GEORGE WILSON,



BUTCHER

Mill St., Markdale, next door to McDougal's Harness shop.

Meat delivered at any house in town. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

VETERINARY.

F. Z. NIXON, Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate of Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto. Calls by Mail or Telegraph promptly attended to. RESIDENCE, DUNDALK. 35-3m.

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Lucas & Co., BANKERS, MARKDALE

Money Loaned

In large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS & Co. September, 1880. 2-y

GEORGE NOBLE, INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT, LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE. MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

WM. FOX, Plain & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale. Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of MARKDALE and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as CHEAP as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY always kept in their Season.

Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.

NOTICE,—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT. Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER.

The Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES, either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes always on hand, Also, **BISCUIT!** of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the **CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY.**

BRIDES' CAKES. supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials, AND OTHER PARTIES. supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY. Markdale, Nov. 18, 1881 8 1e-ly

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies, WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS, HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS, HARROW AND *All kinds of Farming Implements*

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made. Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!

T. MULARKEY, QUEEN STREET, MARKDALE,

Keeps constantly on hand **CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.** *Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.*

AGENT FOR **D. MAXWELL'S** CELEBRATED REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE, —ALSO— Plougns, Harrows, Gaug, Drills Etc. Etc.

Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

Province of Ontario Directory For 1881-82,

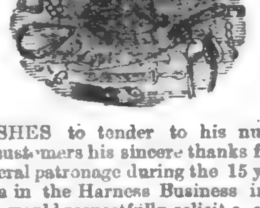
TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81, Price $5.00.

MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an **Alphabetical Directoy** AND A THOROUGH CLASSIFIED **Business Directory** of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a CLASSIFIED BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

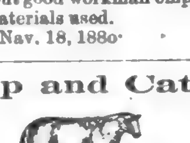
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers. Montreal, December, 1880.

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years be has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a FIRST-CLAS **HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,** always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. None but good workman employed and the best of materials used. Markdale, Nav. 18, 1880. 1o

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at McCutcheon's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS. Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

W. BENSON

HAS NOW ON HAND

A Fresh Supply of Liquors WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

IN GROCERIES!

Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,

Teas a Specialty.

Miscellaneous Articles!

Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.

P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Benson. Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

BECAUSE I'M TWENTY-FIVE.

'Tis wonderful strange how great the change,
Since I was in my teens,
Then I had beaux and billet-doux,
And joined the gayest scenes.
But lovers now have ceased to vow,
No way they now contrive
To poison, hang, or drown themselves—
Because I'm twenty-five.

Once, if the night was ev'er so bright,
I ne'er abroad could roam,
Without "The bliss, the honor, Miss,
Of seeing you safely home."
But now, I go, through rain and snow,
Pursued and scared alive—
Through all the dark, without a spark—
Because I'm twenty-five.

They used to call, and ask me all
About my health so frail,
And thought a ride would help my side,
And turn my cheek less pale.
But now, alas! If I am ill,
None care that I revive;
And my pale in vain may speak—
Because I'm twenty-five.

Now, if a ride improves my side,
I'm forced to take the stage,
For this is deemed quite proper for
A person of my age.
And then no hand is offered me,
To take me out alive;
They think 'twont hurt me now to fall—
Because I'm twenty-five.

O, dear! 'tis queer, that every year
I'm slighted more and more;
For not a beau pretends to show
His head within our door.
Nor ride, nor card, nor soft address,
My spirits now revive:
And one might near as well be dead
As say—*I'm twenty-five.*

THE TRAIL OF FIRE.

WALLS OF FIRE SIXTY FEET HIGH.

FLAMES WHICH OUTRAN GALLOPING HORSES.

BEAR, DEER, AND HUMAN BEINGS SEEKING THE SAME SHELTER.

(M. Quad in the Detroit Free Press.)

On Saturday the 3rd inst., along the eastern shore of Michigan a thin cloud of smoke rested over the forests and gave the lake a hazy look. On Sunday this cloud was thicker. Cattle and had a wild, excited look, and fowls acted in a strange manner. Fires had been burning in Sanilac, Huron, and Tuscola counties, but no one apprehended any danger. Farmers had set fire to slashings to clear the ground for fall wheat, but this happens every fall, and the fact that not a drop of water had fallen in from fifty to seventy days was not considered by those who saw the smoke-clouds and replied that the was no danger. Behind that pall of smoke was a greater enemy than an earthquake, and it had a tornado at its back and 200 miles of forest in the front.

Monday morning the smoke cloud was thicker. Far out in the lake it settled down until lamps on shipboard had to be lighted to see the compass, and there was a weirdness about it which made sailors fear. At noon, on land, no midnight was ever darker. Lamps were powerless to light even a small room. All business was suspended in the streets of the towns, and in the country farmers gathered their wives and children about them, and whispered that it was the coming of the judgment. Hot waves swept through the forests and over the farms, parching the green leaves as if they had been placed in hot ovens. Smoke was everywhere—thick, bitter smoke, which blinded men and suffocated children in their mother's arms. From noon until 2 o'clock a strange terror held the people in its grip. Then, all of a sudden, the heavens took fire, or so it seemed to hundreds. In some localities it came with the sound of thunder. In others it was preceded by a terrible roaring, as if a tidal wave were sweeping over the country. Almost at the same minute the flames appeared in every spot over a district of country thirty miles broad by a hundred in length. A billow of flame ten, thirty, forty, and in some places sixty feet high, fanned by a hot and brisk southwest wind, rolled over this tract and left behind it the charred bodies of hundreds of people, thousands of live stock, and one can hardly tell how many homes. The very air was in flame. A gas formed ahead of the wall of flames, and this snapped and crackled and scorched and withered and left green leaves as dry as powder.

At Richmondville, ten miles above Sanilac, 150 people had comfortable homes, stacks of hay and grain, teams, cows, pigs, sheep and no fear of the fire which they knew was burning a mile away. At two o'clock the flames rushed out of the woods, leaped the fences, ran across bare fields, and swallowed every house but two and roasted alive a dozen people. It is hardly forty rods to the beach of the lake, and yet many people had not time to reach the water. Others reached it with clothing on fire and faces and hands blistered. The houses did not burn singly, but one billow of flame seized them all at once and reduced them to nothing in ten minutes. The two buildings saved were spared by the flames—not saved by the hand of man. The flames swept both sides of them, as if mercifully intending to leave some landmark of the hamlet and some place to shelter women and children and the sick. Forty families in and around this hamlet raced through flame and smoke for the lake. Some reached it, to remain in the water for hours, while others fell on the highway and were burned to a crisp. There was no time to save anything from the houses, and when I rode through the district families which but a day before had been possessed of plenty were not the owner of a knife or spoon. Women were bareheaded and barefooted, children still worse off, and bareheaded men sat on the parched ground and wondered if God had not forsaken them. Every bridge and culvert in this section is gone, and we had to make long detours through fields to pass the spots. Where stood a fine farm ten days ago is now a blackened waste. Where stood a green forest is now a picture of desolation such as you cannot imagine. A terrible cyclone struck this district with the flames, and I saw many and many a spot where the billow of fire jumped a clean half mile out of the forest to clutch house or barn. The roaring and crashing were awful. Horses ran here and there, neighing and almost screaming in their terror; cows and oxen plunged and bellowed and the most savage dogs were so overcome by fear that they ran back into the blazing house and died in the flames. In this awful confusion, with trees crashing down before the cyclone, and the houses being unroofed by its terrible power, while a great billow of flame came sweeping on as fast as a horse could gallop, fathers and mothers were called upon to save themselves and chidren. The highways were lines of fire. Rivers and creeks wer dry ditches. The only chance to escape was to rush for the open fields, and yet in the open fields, men, women and children were burned to cinders. Those who preserved their thought through the confusion preceding the appearance of the flames seized woollen blankets, wet them thoroughly, and drew these over them as they crouched down on the plowed ground, and where this plan was followed their lives were generally saved. In some cases people lay out in the fields fourteen long hours before it was safe to rise up. In a small cornfield above Richmondville twenty-eight people spent the latter part of the afternoon and all night before the flames passed on. To windward of them was a field of peas, and, when the flames got into this, the party in the corn were pelted for hours with hot peas, which were shelled by the fire and wind and carried along by the hot blasts. Wet blankets, constant vigilance, and the standing corn saved these people; but in other localities, where persons sought the same refuge, they were smothered and burned.

Ira Humphrey, the mail carrier, between Elmer City, and Bad Axe, left the former place about 10 o'clock in the morning. The fire was then raging three miles down his route, but he could not be persuaded to give up the trip. His transportation was a horse and buggy, and he made straight for the fire and tried to pass through. Failing in this, he, with blistered face and hands, turned back towards Elmer, only to discover that the flames had cut off his retreat. He halted at a corner where school house stood, and was here joined by about a dozen people who had been driven from their homes. While men were praying, women screaming, and children dumb with terror, the old veteran coolly unhitched his horse, removed the harness, and left the beast as fair a chance for escape as he had himself. He then gathered all the people in the rear of the school house, where they were partly sheltered from the heat, and here he encouraged the men and quieted the women as far as he could. At this time the party were surrounded by a wall of fire, and two dwelling houses only a few rods away were fiercely blazing. Look which way they would there was no escape. The highway fencing here was of heavy logs, and the heat was intense. The fire was backing in from a swamp one way, and in all other directions a great red wave of flame was making a solid wall from the roots to the tops of the highest trees. They knew that the school house must go. When the flames began to crackle in the roof the whole crowd knelt down to pray.

"Yes we all fell down and prayed," said one of the women to me. "We were all huddled together, arms around each other, and yet we could not hear each other's voices We knew that our last hour had come, and I kissed my four children and told them we should all be dead in ten minutes more."

When the heat from the school house became intolerable the whole party scattered. Here was where Mrs. Denison and her child and sister perished on the highway, falling down in flames before the eyes of the husband and father. A man named Jones had his horse here, and when driven out he leaped upon the animal and let him go at will. The horse took down across the front of the fire, into a low wet spot, and though badly singed he carried his rider to a place of safety. Jones had his clothing nearly burned off and his hands and face blistered, but his life was saved.

Humphrey ran south, probably believing that the fire in that direction having burned the longest, would give him the best show for escape. Twenty rods from the school house the heat became so intense that he turned to the west into a field of corn, and here his body was found. It was burned and blistered in a dozen places and most of the clothing had burned off. He lay with his face in the dirt, and the contracted limbs were evidence that death had been full of tortures. Some of the party saved themselves by burrowing in the ditches, and others preserved in the fields. The horse took the road home at a gallop, and though badly burned he ran the gauntlet of the flames.

On this line road sixty-nine farmers were left without house, barn, fencing, furniture or food, and in many cases one or more members of the family had been roasted alive. In one instance four families were living in a little old stable which the fire had somehow spared, and were cooking a sort of hoe-cake over a fire at the door. Their sole cooking utensil was an old dust pan which had been taken from the yet hot ashes of a burned farm house.

To the north of this the Thornton family were wiped out with the exception of a boy. Thornton had hitched up his team to drive the family to a place of safety, but when he saw that they were all surrounded by the flames he unhitched the horses in despair. Before they could be unharnessed they bolted in different directions, and the old man became so confused that he ran directly towards a big slashing, which was then a perfect mass of flame, and dropped and died with his head towards it. Meantime the mother and children had taken refuge in the root house. This was a structure mostly sunk in the ground and the roof well covered with earth. Here they were all right for a time, but when the father failed to join them one of the sons went out to see what caused the delay. He was hardly out the place before the door through which he had passed was in flames. In this emergency he ran to a dry creek, and by lying on his face and keeping his mouth to the ground he lived through it. I talked with a woman who lived neighbor to the Thorntons, and who escaped by fleeing to a field of plowed ground, This was only a few rods from the root-house, and said it was fully an hour before the screams and shrieks and groans from the people inside grew quiet in death. One by one they were suffocated by heat and smoke, and their bodies presented a horrible appearance.

To one riding through the district it seems miraculous that a single soul escaped. The fire swept through the green trees the same as the dry. It ran through fields of corn with a speed of twenty miles an hour, and fields of green clover were swept as bare as a floor Dark and gloomy swamps, filled with ponds of stagnant water, and the home for years of wild cats, bears &c., were struck and shrivelled and burned almost in a flash. Over the parched meadows the flames ran faster than a horse could gallop. Horses did gallop before it, but were overtaken and left roasting on the ground. It seemed as if every hope and avenue of escape were cut off, and yet hundreds of lives were spared. People spent ten to twenty hours in ditches and ponds, or in fields under wet blankets, having their hair singed, their limbs blistered and their clothing burned off piece by piece.

In between Elmer and Cumber there was an old man named Goodrich, who was living with his son-in-law. Goodrich is nearly 80 years of age, and has been ailing all summer. Only the day before the fire it was thought that he must die. When he heard that the flames were approaching he got out of bed and dressed himself, and was led out on a plowed field and covered with a wet blanket. Here he lay for several hours with his feet out to the heat. He had on a good pair of cowhide boots, and the heat actually baked them. I could pick the leather to pieces with my fingers, and it only needed a slight grip of the thumb and finger to draw the iron nails from the heavy soles. While Goodrich had his feet blistered the scare cured his sickness, and I myself saw him walk a distance of nearly a mile.

All in through this district the people were convinced that the day of judgment was at hand. The sky was first as black as midnight. Then it turned as red as blood. Then came the terrible cyclone with its awful roar, and the boldest man among them was struck with terror. A mile north of where the old man Goodrich lived was a family which had a crazy son. When the smoke began to darken the country he began to get excited, and on the dark day, two hours before the flames came, he mounted a horse and galloped up and down the country, crying out that the last day had come, and that the earth was to be swept clean. Later he was seen rushing headlong towards the flames, whooping and cheering, and no doubt he perished first of all. The horse itself seemed to partake of the rider's spirit and his shrill neighs answered the cheers of the rider.

In dozens of cases the first flame spared houses and barns, but after seeming to have passed on for miles, suddenly circled backed and made a clean sweep of everything. Unless one rides over the burned district, he cannot believe the eccentricities of a forest fire. In the great swamp between Sanilac and Sandusky it burned everything to the roots for a mile in breadth. Then it left patches from ten feet to ten rods wide. Then again it struck in and burned lanes hardly twenty feet wide, leaving half a mile of fuel on each side. In timber it seemed to strike the green trees harder than the dry ones. It was like a great serpent making its way across the country. It would run within three feet of a wheat stack and then glide away to lick up a house. It would burn a stack and spare a barn ten feet off. It was hard to credit some of the sights before my eyes. In one case the two hubs of a seed-drill in a plowed field were burned out and every spoke in each wheel left perfect. No damage was done to any other part of the machine, and the fire stopped of its own accord. Near by a man had been chopping the day before and left his axe sticking in a small beech tree. This tree burned down to the axe, fell over, and was entirely consumed, and yet the handle of the axe was not even scorched. I saw wagons where three wheels were burned off and the fourth left intact, and again where only one wheel of the four had suffered. Houses defended by a dozen men and plenty of water burned to the ground, while others abandoned to the flames stand there to-day. I saw a house where the front door-step was burned away and the flames then refused to do further damage. Again where one of the props was consumed and nothing else even scorched. A coloured woman living back of Richmondville had eight children to care for, and her husband was absent. She was throwing things out of the house when the fire sprang from the woods and caught the roof in a dozen places. She made a run with the baby in her arms and the other seven around her and escaped. The house, well curb, fence, fruit trees and all else were consumed, and yet two pillows flung out on the grass in her excitement, were not even scorched. I looked them carefully over and could not find where even a spark had struck them. Again, I saw where furniture had been buried in the plowed fields half a mile from the woods, and chairs and tables were reduced to ashes—people felt the heat while the fire was yet miles away. It withered the leaves of trees standing two miles from the path of the fiery serpent. The very earth took fire in hundreds of places, and blazed up as if the fire fire was feasting on cordwood. The stoutest log building stood up only a few minutes. The fire seemed to catch them at every corner at once, and after a whirl and a roar nothing would be left. Seven miles off the beach, at Forrester, sailors found the heat uncomfortable. Where some houses and barns were burned we could not find even a blackened stick. Every log, beam and board was reduced to fine ashes.

Seven miles back from the lake, at Forester, a farmer gathered up fifteen persons in his wagon and started for the beach. The fire was close behind them as they started—so close that the dresses of some of the women and children were on fire from the sparks. It was seven miles up hill and down, with corduroy, ruts and roots, and the horses needed no whip to urge them into a mad run. As the wagon started the tire of a hind wheel rolled off. They could not stop for it, and yet, on a good road, the wheel would have crushed down in going twenty rods without it. It is an actual fact that the horses pushed over that seven miles of rough road at a wild run and the wheel stood firm. A delay of five minutes at any point of the road would have given fifteen more victims to the flames which followed on behind. I saw the waggon at the lake, I saw the tire seven miles away on the roadside.

The people who sought the beach had still to endure much of the heat and all of the smoke. Wading out to the shoulders they were safe from the flames, but sparks and cinders fell like a snow storm, and the smoke was suffocating. The birds not caught in the woods were carried out to sea and drowned, and the waves have washed thousands of them ashore. Squirrels, rabits and such small animals stood no show at all, but dear and bear sought the beach and the company of human beings. In one case a man leaped from a bluff into the lake and found himself close behind a large bear. They remained in company close to the bank nearly all night, and the bear seemed as humble as a dog. In another instance two of the animals came out of the forest and stood close to a well from which a farmer was drawing water to dash on his house, and there they were with him for two hours before they deemed it prudent to jog along. Deer came out and sought the companionship of cattle and horses, and paid no attention to persons rushing past them.

Half enough coffins to bury the dead could not have been got into the burnt district in a week. Some were burried with neither coffin nor shroud, while others had rude boxes as their last receptacle. In Carsonville, in one case, the coffin was made of roof boards taken from a shed, sawed up with a cross-cut saw, and fastened together with nails taken from the ashes of the victim's burned home.

The dead are buried, but there is left a horribly desolate waste of country full of the ashes of prosperity, and crowded with sick, wounded and discouraged humanity, whose tears and groans must open the heart of sympathy in every corner of the country.—Turn which way they will, they see black ruin and utter desolation.

THE FIRST STEP.

Self-respect is the first step in all reformations; and when your blood is laden with impurities and you are suffering from billiousness or dyspepsia, the first step to a radical cure is to take Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1 00, trial size 10 cents.

GHOST HUNTERS SCATTERED BY A CLUB.

For some time the residents of Temple street, Peterson, N. J., have seen a ghost, at the usual hour when ghosts walk—midnight. The apparition was that of a woman bearing a child in her arms. The neighbors alleged that the figure was in the habit of taking a look at the surroundings and then sitting down in full view of a group of houses which cluster around Helgram & Mayer's mill, and which are occupied by the firm's employes. The story is circulated, too, that the apparition is no ghost at all, but that it is a case of kidnapping, that the woman is in hiding somewhere in the neighborhood, and that every night in this way she goes out to take the air. This rumor has moved every mother's heart, and on Wednesday night a crowd gathered at the spot, among them a great many women. They were armed with different kinds of weapons, and lighted the place with torches. The hunt began at the hour of twelve, but it proved in vain, and the ghost hunters were about to start for their homes, when sudddenly the sound was heard: "Here comes the ghost." At the same time a figure dressed in white rushed through the crowd in half a minute, and the figure was left victor of the ground. The truth of it was that the white figure that so madly chased the crowd was a young man who had watched the progress of the party, and when it was about to disperse thought to hasten its footsteps. The female ghost has not appeared since.

WORTHLESS STUFF.—Not so fast my friend; if you could see the strong, healthy, blooming men, women and children that have been raised from beds of sickness, suffering and almost death, by the use of Hop Bitters, you would say "Glorious and invaluable remedy."—*Philadelphia Press.*

A BANG-UP AFFAIR.

A St. Louis paper chronicle with genial particularity the recent simultaneous marriage of three daughters of Dr. Bang, of that city. As a first-class, bang-up bit of society news, this report seems to appropriate the muffin. Dr. Charles Bang, the father has for many years kept a drug store on the corner of Fifteenth street and Franklin avenue, and the bridegrooms are respectively a candy manufacturer, a bank teller, and a dentist. They are described as being every way worthy of the fortunate matrimonial prizes they have drawn. The wedding went off cheerfully. When Mr. Bang, having signed an affidavit for one daughter, was called to sign a second one, he exclaimed:

"What! must I sign again?"

"Certainly," replied the clerk; this isn't a job lot. You have to sign for each one."

When the applications were all made out, the clerk said to Mr. Bang,

"You ought to feel happy to get so many daughters of your hands at once."

The doctor replied:

"They took all I had; that breaks up the family."

"Yes," said Mr. Wetzel, "that was a regular wholesale business; we made a clean sweep."

When the clerk was asking for the names that went together in the licenses, Dr. Herman exclaimed:

"Don't you make any mistake, now, and give me the wrong girl; I want the one that belongs to me."

When everything was concluded, except paying fees, Dr. Bang said:

"The next thing is—"

"The next thing is," interupted Mr. Wetzel, one of the prospective husbands, to go out and get some beer."

"But the licenses are not paid for yet."

"No matter, we can pay for them in the morning when we get them."

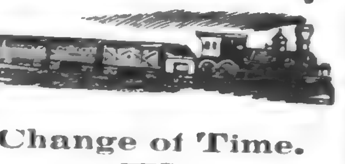
The party then filed out gleefully, and no doubt had the beer. The triple marriage recalls an anecdote related of an eccentric minister a number of years ago, who was called upon to marry three couples at once. The parties were standing around promiscuously, waiting for the arrival of the minister, and when he came in he marched up to them exclaiming: "Sort yourselves."

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.

And none more so than to neglect the incipient stages of bowel Complaints in infants or adults. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the most prompt and pleasant remedy to administer, and is always reliable to cure cholera infantum, dysentery, cholic, cramps and all summer complaints. For sale by all dealers.

The story has reached St. Petersburg from Geneva and Paris that the Russian nobility are so dissatisfied with the conduct of the Czar that they have joined a socialist association, which they support by large sums of money and the object of which is the assassination of the Czar and his brother Valdimir.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry'



Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train willrun as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.06 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep. 7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.	
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto, - Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 23, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

[illegible] are received at this office [illegible] Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES

[illegible] per year, $7.00 [illegible] 7.00

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Weekly Globe, per year, $1.50 [illegible]

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[illegible] to Toronto [illegible] of the doings at the R. [illegible] the [illegible] from [illegible] and several other interesting [illegible] crowded out. Will [illegible]

[illegible] RAILWAY

[illegible] been compelled to change [illegible] of the above road [illegible] Mr. W. Hendrie, [illegible] opponent to the road [illegible] to the Grand Trunk, has [illegible] President in place of Mr. [illegible] The rest of the Board are of [illegible] and although they [illegible] their intention of [illegible] as an independent [illegible] no doubt but that the [illegible] will have entire control of [illegible] may [illegible] to have freight [illegible] and all our interests [illegible] to the Northern.

[illegible] who [illegible] strenuously opposed [illegible] granting of the bonuses will now [illegible] opportunity of regretting [illegible] folly, and find more taken out of [illegible] pockets, in the way of increased [illegible] than they would have had by [illegible] what the old Board asked. [illegible] an old proverb that "fools learn by experience," and we are under the impression that the experience of those who so bitterly opposed the granting of the bonus will be pretty [illegible]

However, there is still a slight hope left, as the Grand Trunk have moved [illegible] the fulfilment of the original bargain, and intend fighting the battle to the bitter end. We sincerely hope they will be successful, but at present things look rather gloomy, as the new Directorate own nearly three-fourths of the bonds. From want of space we are unable this week to discuss this question more fully, but shall refer to it again next week.

DEATH OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

PEACEFUL CLOSE OF A NOBLE LIFE.

After a struggle with death for a period of almost unexampled length, the President of the United States succumbed to the fell destroyer, and died quietly on the night of Monday, 19th inst., at 10:35 o'clock. Thus has passed away one of the noblest men who ever filled the Presidential chair, cut down at a comparatively early age by the treacherous hand of a brutal assassin. We doubt if any individual during the present or past ages ever excited such universal sympathy the world over. His cheerfulness, his patience, his courage, his submission to the will of his physicians, and his manly fortitude during the prolonged struggle of eighty days had won the admiration of the whole world, and now that death has put an end to his suffering, we doubt not his family will receive the heartfelt sympathy of all civilized nations. We will conclude this painful subject with the following remarks taken from the Toronto *Mail.* There was a pathetic spirit of prophecy in his remark to his wife—"What is the use of struggling for the little pinch of life I "shall get at best?" It has indeed been but a pinch; and that little time was so painful that death at first would have been better. But he has had his last hours soothed by the tireless love of his family, and the ceaseless sympathy of his people and of the world; and he had the consciousness not always present with public men in Republics, that the future of his family had been assured by the grateful generosity of a nation. There is no need at this date to repeat for public information the facts of his life; these have long been familiar. The fact of his death is the melancholly circumstance which at this moment overtops them all.

WHAT THE STANDARD WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

The side walks repaired.

The boys have some respect for others at church, if they have none for themselves.

Our delinquent subscribers sending in the *needful.*

A few street lamps erected and lighted up those dark nights.

A few more of our well-to-do bachelors take unto themselves a helpmeet.

A Literary Society, or something of that kind, organized, for the amusement and instruction of our young people now that the long evenings are approaching.

To hear from some more of our Correspondents.

The fine weather continue during the Fall Shows.

Some more hitching posts in our village, and fewer dogs.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

SHE CAUGHT HIM.—We have just heard of a scene which was enacted a short time ago near this place, in which all present derived immense amusement, except the parties more immediately concerned,--a young man of this neighborhood, who all of those who were acquainted with him imagined to be innocent of any matrimonial alliance, but the ways of transgressors are hard, as no doubt the poor fellow discovered, and his appetite for a hearty meal (to which he was applying himsely), destroyed by the appearence of a Lady at the door of the farm house where he was employed, in search of her absent lord. Shewas requested to walk in and take a chair. The young man answered her day as though she was a casual acquaintance How long have you been here James? Why did you not write to me? But he could not see any reason why he should write to her. Matters began to look a good deal like that Monday afternoon. What, not write to her, not write to his wife? He indignantly repudiated the assertion, when, at this, her form and voice rose to an eagle altitude, and in accents anything but indicative of conjugal felicity, dared him to deny her. Did not her very appearence and the proofs, she had in the shape of a duly signed license, which she read, call the circumstances to his mind. She now "Held the Fort," and under threats of arrest, pains and penalties, he surrendered, and was marched off by the home guard to a conveyance which she had at hand, to try once more the blessing in store for him at home.

What becomes of all the Auditors reports of this Township? Does Ward No. 1 not deserve any? Not one ratepayer whom we have asked if they have seen any of them has done so. Why are they not left in the P. Office for distribution? Not one te be seen in that public instusion. By what constituted authority has any person the power to retain them in his possession being the property of the ratepayers of the Township? Perhaps they are only intended to be seen by a few individuals, if so, why the expense of printing so many? Perhaps it would be well to compell parties to account for them, as they must know they are the property of other people.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Your correspondent "Subscriber" writes in such a peculiar way that I don't know what to think of him; he speaks so lightly about debt, that I am forced to conclude that he must be altogether ignorant of its practical effects.

Apparently he has never been hauled up before Judge McPherson, has never had a visit of the Bailiff, has not even been "dunned" by a creditor, knows nothing at all of the enormous cost of entering suit, issuing summons, duplicate, service, mileage, return, hearing, entering judgment, issuing execution, Bailiff's fees, expense of sale, ruin of having your goods sold by Bailiff &c., &c., besides the sleepless nights, and wearisome days to self, wife and family, a meanly clothed back and empty stomach, the jeers of of one's enemies, the cold shoulder of our warmest (pretended) friends, and the general depression, disgrace, and demoralization attending even a single suit, and as misfortunes seldom come singly, it often happens that one small debt ruins a family for life. "Subscriber" seems ignorant of all this, and talks about wiseacres of one class and another who seem to think that *debt* is one of the chief necessaries of *Life,* and argues that "the best way of increasing our church income is to lose no time in getting into debt, keep piling it up," says he, "as we advance into debt find out means to follow it up, so as not altogether lose sight of it." This is curious reasoning. Subscriber is anxious not to lose sight of it. Why, sir, there are hundreds of thousands who are exceedingly anxious not only to *lose sight* of their debts, but to lose them "teetotally," so that no one will ever see them more. But creditors have better memories than debtors. Creditors are a superstitious sect, great observers of set days and times. Says Franklin, "If your cannot pay at the time, you will be ashamed to see your creditor; you will be in fear when you speak to him; you will make poor, pitiful, sneaking excuses; and by degrees come to lose your veracity, and sink into base, downright lying; for the second vice is lying; the first is running into debt!' Yes, Mr. Editor, "it is hard for an empty bag to stand upright," and "a ploughman on his legs is higher than a gentleman on his knees."

Debt, did we say? Why sir, debt is, directly or indirectly, the parent of nearly all our troubles! Without debt there is very little use for Courts, Bailiffs, Lawyers, Jails, Poor-houses, and many other consequent evils; our County and Provincial taxes would be reduced fifty per cent! One part of the community would not get so fast rich; nor the present debt-contract ing party so fast poor; there would be more equality and consequently more happiness; if men, particularly farmers, would resolve to buy nothing on credit that they could possibly do without, how many would be added to the list of *producers,* who are at present running to and fro in the country, making "lots of money" off the class who esteem debt lightly, and who are ever ready to buy if they can get credit; let the earnings of these be added to the savings of the others, and the increased prosperity to all be applied to Religious and Benevolent purposes and we might say the Millenium would be begun.

It would rather amuse Subscriber if he were to make a little enquiry into the financial position of many churches, particularly those in cities. Does he know that in many cases there are from fifty to one hundred thousand dollars and upwards on many of the city churches? This must be a fearful burden, and must retard most seriously the prosperity of these congregations.

The debt on churches in the country is comparatively trifling; still no debt however small in amount is a trivial matter. If all our congregations were free from debt what bickerings and strife and money lectures from the Pulpit would be saved? A congregation with a thousand a year of income can pay their minister a comfortable salary, keep up a good Sabbath school, and do many other useful things; but if some thousands of debt were on their church, the utmost pinching on all sides would have to be resorted to, the minister probably a hundred or two short, and every one dissatisfied. All who have taken part in church management know that there are difficulties enough without debt; if it were not so, would the schemes which Subscriber mentions, concerts, garden parties, festivals, soirees, raffles, bazaars, &c., ever be resorted to as a source of income? I trow not, therefore I say keep out of debt, if at all possible, and if you cannot keep entirely free, let the debt be the minimum, and such that in two or three years at most, it will be "lost sight of" by the liberality of our members paying it off. Subscriber asks, does M. want to drive all sociality out of the church? I emphatically answer, no; by no means; but let our social meetings *be* social meetings; meetings for the enjoyment of each other; mutual, friendly, social intercourse; let dollars and cents be far from such meetings; we are invited to a festival, a garden party, or the like, admittance 25c., whether is it us or the 25c. that is wanted? assuredly the 25 cents; away with such friendly (?) gatherings, call them *money* gatherings, not friendly gatherings. If the Sabbath school requires a dollar a year from me to keep it up, can I not just give the dollar at once, instead of so many ladies and others being put about collecting and begging and baking as much that I and others may get a "gormandize" three or four times a year. I am sure that the money spent and time wasted in getting up these meetings is generally of more value than the total receipts; by all means let us have our social gatherings. What is there to hinder A., who has plenty of strawberries and cream in their season to invite B., C., D., E., F., and G. and their wives and their families to a strawberry and cream festival some fine summer evening, and if there be a musical instrument on hand let them have music and singing, and dancing too, if they like, and the intervals taken up with intellectual intercourse, and if they are christian families, the infinite Love, Goodness, and Mercy of "our Father in Heaven" will not be forgotten; we read in Malachi that in his day, when religion was very low, when both Priest and people were reproved for their many sins; when money! money! was the cry. "Who is there, even among you, that would shut the doors for nought? neither do ye kindle a fire on mine altar for nought." Even in these degenerate days we say, the true saints we believe had their social meetings, for we read that "then they that feared the Lord spake often one to another; and the Lord hearkened and heard it; and a book of remembrance was written before Him for them that feared the Lord and that thought upon his name." We do not say make these social gatherings prayer meetings, not at all, let every thing be done decently and in order, social meetings in their own place, and prayer meetings in their own place; as to congregational gatherings, they would have to be managed somewhat different, but never let us have a gathering under the mask of *Christian* sociality where the chief aim is at drawing a promiscuous crowd for the purpose of raising money for church purposes. Subscriber asks if Christ's disciples are to remain sour, solemn, and selfishly apart; I can answer, no; no true disciple of Christ will be either "sour" or "selfish;" true, he will "remain apart" from many things, and among the chief of these, will be bad, or ungodly company. The disciple of Christ who is "sour and selfish," is proclaiming to the world his own *hypocrisy*; a good man *cannot* be sour and selfish; a Christian looks to his great Head for a pattern, and looking to all that is recorded of our Saviour we neither find sourness nor selfishness, but we find the social element *very strong.* We frequently have marriages taking place around us, at which there must always be at least one bearing the name of Christian, compare the present usage in regard to marriages with the marriage in Cana of Gallilee. I suppose if Dr. Sproule had provided a plentiful supply of cakes and wine and asked the Governor of the feast to pour out a glass to the Reverend gentlemen who were officiating and *helping* at the ceremony they would have considered themselves insulted, and decency outraged; yea, we have known where a home made commodity has been used at the Sacrament of the supper, rather than adopt the divinely appointed means; this is not acting upon our Saviour's example, who at the marriage, when a want of wine ensued, miraculously produced a supply, whereby the festivities were continued; and if He had thought best to institute the supper with water, or any other liquid, it would have been easy for him to do so; but he took wine, the first Priest we read of, Melchisedec, presented cakes and wine to Abraham. I do not say that we should introduce wine at all our social gatherings, but if, on occasions of rejoicing, such as a marriage feast, *good* wine was served to the guests, I, for one, could see no harm. From these remarks "Subscriber" will see that I am not a friend of "sourness" nor "selfishness." To Subscriber I would say in a word let us *cheerfully* contribute *liberally* for *all religious* purposes, and let us have as many *social gatherings* as you like, only don't let them stink of "filthy lucre."

M.

THAT THREATENING LETTER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

In your issue of the 22nd of June, I find that one Mr. Brown has been airing himself to the public, in order to let them know that *he* is a *moral* man, endowed with a keen sense of right and wrong, that he can sniff villainy in every breeze that fans our beloved village. Well some are born great, some acquire greatness, and some have greatness trust upon them, to this latter class belongs Mr. Brown Nature denied him even a mediocre share of common sense, consequently we find him rushing in where angels fear to tread. However I think the careful reader will agree with me, that in penning that letter Mr. Brown injured himself more than any one else. *Some* might have had a *slight* suspecion who the author of that contemptible and criminal threatening letter was, but now very few of your intelligent readers could hesitate to point with a dead certainty to the author.

No wonder that he can talk so glibly about that letter being "no mystery" &c. That which is a mystery to the innocent, is quite plain to the perpetrator of an evil deed.

Mr. Brown talks about crime, black guardism, &c., with a flippancy that would cause the uniniated in his ways to believe him a virtuoso, Now I would ask who is this sanctimonious phypocrite, that he should set himself up as a moral mentor to the people of Markdale, and hurl at their heads the sweepings ascertions he did? Is there not considerable of the pharisee through out the whole tone of the letter,—a thanking God that he is not like other men.

The tone of Mr. Brown's letter would lead the casual reader to believe that crime had been committed or attempted, and that I am the author. Nothing is farther from the truth. I am ready (though perhaps bashfully un willing) to meet the facts in the face any day.

It is foregin to my sense of respectability to hold up to the gaze of a morbid public the *fair* cause of this trouble, in which I am defamed by this legalized (?) libeller—one whose testimony passes as an idle sound through the atmosphere, and is not regarded but with derision by all classes of our community.

Common courtesy and an inherent sense of decency and honor, seals my lips from an avowal which would place me *right* before the public. One person's name has been dragged through the scandal monger's gutter, and whose fame and respectibility I endeavored to shield; but now that her uncle has opened afresh the silence of infamious accusations, she may well exclaim, "Save me from my friends."

It is to be regretted that Brown has vented so much spleen to so little purpose. He either has an itch for writing with the gratifying accompaniment of seeing his plebian name in print, that has caused him to make the fearful onslaught he did in your last issue, something in the style of the man who carried virtue in his hand and the Devil on his tongue.

Brown says "a great crime has been committed, * * all the greater because the law provides no adequate punishment for the offence." In the first place he belies the Statute Book, and in the second place he is making a bid for the election of his worthless carcas to Parliament.

But, I may be wrong in all these premises, he may be only taking an ingenious mode of building shattered reputations. If Brown intends to build up his reputation and popularity by libelling and black-mailing, or giving expression to the dark venom of own black heart, I can only say that he is too well known by the respectable people of the county, and he must resort to some other mode of pulling down the curtain of contempt that intervenes between himself and public favor.

It is a wonder to me, Mr. Editor, that so moral a man as this same Mr. Brown, could consent to remain in a place where rowdyism, blackgaurdism &c., reigns rampant, where most of the population are from the country, and have brought with them their filthy and disgusting moral habits into the village. After all, is this great display of holy horor caused by what he terms my great crime,—is it not rather an attempt to strike a cowardly blow at a successful commercial rival, over my shoulders?

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space you have given me in your valuable columns, I remain

Your's truly,

C. A. OWEN.

REMINISCENCES OF A TRIP FROM OWEN SOUND TO SAULT STE MARIE.

(Continued from last week.)

ROYAL BANK, Sept., 10th 1881.

Twenty-one miles takes us from Cockburn to Thessalon on the Northern Shore of Lake Huron. One of the best saw mills in Algoma is here, also stores, shoe-maker's shop, and other conveniences. The Country back is settling very fast. This, with the lumber trade does, and will keep business lively. A very promising silver vein has been found within rifle shot of the dock, a few days ago. Four hundred acres were taken up on the head of it, and mining is all the talk. It is said to be a second "Silver Islet." As people around Markdale will like to know what the land on the North Shore is like, I will describe it, Imagine a country with lofty hills and mountains and large valleys, studded with little lakes, with a few muddy creeks and rivers. Timbered with birch, pine maple, soft elm, ash, and shrubs, these heights of granite (no lime stone on the North Shore, not even a pebble) and the valley's of clay with scarcely a stone. And you have the physical features of the North Shore as well as I have seen and can describe them. The want of lime stone is a great one. All our lime is brought from Manitoulin, Owen Sound and else where. Your readers will think that there will be no goïtre or swelled neck here on this account. We are told that there are several bad cases of it. The women are saved the trouble of knocking the lime off the pans and kettles.

The country is laid out in sections of 460 acres. No roads are left in the survey, but the patent reserves five per cent for roads to be taken where necessary. This is a good idea in a rough country, as it saves much expense in cutting down hills, when a deviation will save it. The land is sold at 20 cents an acre, and we think every male can purchase half a section. We expect Algoma will recieve a great impulse on the exact location of the railway. There is talk of two railway's, but if we get one we will be satisfied.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.

MELANCTHON COUNCIL.

The Council met at the Town Hall on Monday, September 5th, 1881, pursuant to adjournment. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. A number of communications, petitions, accounts, etc., were presented and read.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that this council grant the sum of $20 on townline of Nottawasaga and Melancthon to suppliment the grant made by the council of Nottawasaga, and that the Reeve superintend the same.—Carried

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that whereas the Commissioners appointed to examine the Grand River on the road at Lot No. 25, and report as to the advisability of building a bridge over the same, and in case the Commissioners consider it would be very difficult to erect said bridge, it is resolved that the Engineer be instructed to examine said stream and report as to the advisability of making a deviation of said road across Lot 55.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the Commissioners having recommended the expending of $25 in opening the concession S. W., it is resolved that $25 be expended as recommended.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the council having examined petition of Wm. Hope and others, asking for a supplementary grant to subscriptions set forth in their petition, it is resolved that this council do grant the sum of $58 to be expended on 230 side road so soon as the subscription work is performed.—Carried.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the petition of Abm. Brown and others, asking relief for Robert Rockley and family, they being in indigent circumstances, be granted, and that the Reeve issue an order for $5,75 so that they can get a barrel of flour.—Carried.

Mr. Corbett moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that that whereas a difficulty exists in regard to the townline between the townships of Mulmur and Melancthon, and the council of Mulmur have decided to procure a proper survey of the same, the Clerk is hereby instructed to notify the Clerk of the municipality of Mulmur that this council will pay half of the expense so incurred.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg moved, seconded by Mr. Bailey, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of James Sawden for $12,25, for repairing road scraper, and for railing and repairs at town hall.—Carried.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the reeve issue an order in favor of Widow Devlin for $2, for forty loads of gravel supplied to James Sawden, pathmaster, for gravel road.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the report of Messrs. Hogg and Bailey, on Mill Street, Horning's Mills, be accepted by the council, and that the Reeve superintend and let the work.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the Clerk is hereby instructed to notify Wm. Reid, Esq., that we decline making any grants on townlines unless the same is supplemented by the neighbouring municipality.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg moved, seconded by Mr. Bailey, that the Reeve issue an order in favor of J. Brown, for $3, for drawing the three contracts and three bonds for the drainage contracts.—Carried.

By-law No. 77, for the appointment of Collectors for the year 1881, was read the requisite number of times and passed.

By-law, No. 78, for raising an additional thirty three and one-third per cent. on drainage by-law, was read the requisite number of times and passed.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that the following persons get the amount opposite their respective names for road work done under the commissioners:—N. B. Allen, $30; Jas. Thomas, $3,32; John Connors, $35; James Kennear, $10; Patrick Connor, $5: James Claydon, $8,70; Wm. McDonald, $15; Bowley Arnold, $1; James Paterson, $4.—Carried.

The council then adjourned to meet again on Monday, 3rd day of October next.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

BIRTHS.

BOYLE.—In Glenelg, on the 7th inst., the wife of Mr. Charles Boyle, of twin girls.

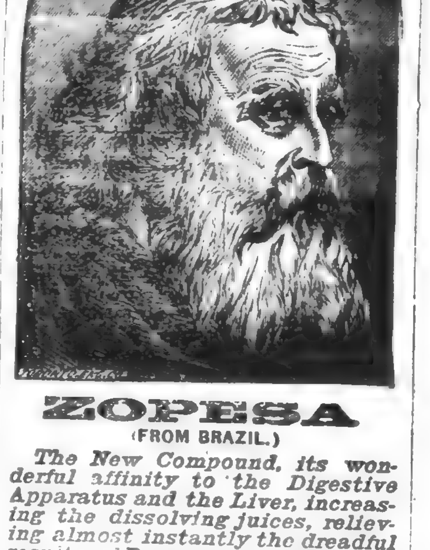
MARRIED.

MILLER—MCNALLY.—On the 16th inst., at the residench of the bride's father, by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Daniel Miller, of Euprasia, to Miss Susan, third daughter of Mr. Wm. McNally, of Holland.

TUCK—CLARK.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Maxwell, on the 6th inst., by the Rev. John Chisholm, B. A., Mr. Sandford Tuck, to Miss Hannah Clark, both of Maxwell.

WILCOX—SPANHOUSE.—At the residence of the bride's father, Osprey, on the 7th inst., by the same, Mr. George Wilcox, of Pary Sound, to Miss Sarah Spanhouse.

CAMPBELL—CRIPS.—At the residence of the brides father, on the 7th inst., by the same, Mr. Hugh Campbell, to Miss Mary A. Crips, both of Synghampton.



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The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

FARM FOR SALE.

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range east of T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, containing 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation. Soil, Caly-Loam, free from stone, well fenced, and well watered. A new frame house, and a good frame barn on the premises. Forty acres of good hardwood bush. This desirable property is situated 4 miles from Markdale, and will be sold on easy terms. Price, $2,500. For particulars, apply on the premises to

J. T. & J. QUINN.

Markdale, Sept. 22. 1881. 54-6tn

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

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My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

W. M'LEOD & CO.,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

ATTENTION!

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HILL BROS.

Many lines of Goods bought after the fall of ten per cent. in price, hence we [illegible] prices will be right.

Stacks of Winceys,

Stacks of Tweeds,

Stacks of Boots and Shoes,

Stacks of Ready-made Clothing,

Stacks of Mantles for the Ladies

Call and See Us.

GOODS PLENTIFUL AND PRICES LOW.

We are determined to continue the large increase in our business. Our [illegible] Mullen, will return by the 1st of Octoebr, at which date we purpose re-opening [illegible] of our business, and trust to continue that part of our business in the past [illegible] manner. Thanking you for past favors and trust to be favored with a continuance [illegible] same.

HILL BROS.

N. B.—We are open to buy any quantity of Butter, Wheat and all kinds of [illegible] you don't see us on the market let us know before you sell.

Markdale, September 14th, 1881.

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Toronto, April 14th, 1881.

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ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

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TENDERS

FOR the erection of Snow Fencing along the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 17th September. Plans and Specifications can be had on application, or may be seen at the Head Office of the Company, Toronto. All material supplied by the Company.

EDMUND WRAGGE,

General Manager, T., G. & B. Ry., Toronto.

Toronto, Sept. 7, 1881. 52-2t

JOHN NORVAL,

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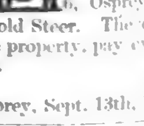

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DAVID MA[illegible]

Osprey, Sept. 13th, 1881.

Farm to Rent.

SOUTH HALF LOT 7, CON. 12 EUPHRASIA, 100 acres, 80 cleared and under cultivation. House, barn and stables on the premiies, also well watered. Will rent for a term of years. Situated three miles from Markdale. For further particulars apply to C. W. JOHN LYONS, on the premises, or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD office, Markdale

Euphrasia, Sept. 15th, 1881. 53-3

STRAYED.

CAME into the premises of the Subscriber, lot 103, con. 3, west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, early in August, a Yearling Steer, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

R. H. BOYCE.

Glenelg, Sept. 5, 1881. 53-3

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 23, 1881.

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R. H. BONE.
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THE STANDARD.

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LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

A few farms for sale and to rent, together with stray cattle. See advertising columns.

Call and see McIntyre's new and select stock.

Pressure on our columns this week prevent us from giving an account of our visit to the Toronto Exhibition; but we will give it in our next.

For a good Watch at a reasonable price, go to E. D. Wilcox.

Seth Thomas' clocks are decidedly the best made. Get one from Wilcox the Jeweller.

Do you want a set of Harness, light or heavy, or a whip, trunk, Saddle, or anything in our line, just call at D. Douglas' Dundalk, opposite the Post Office.

Butter & Rae give those indebted to them a gentle hint that they require settlement of all over due accounts. Read what they say in their advertisement.

Mr. Doll is giving wonderful bargains in ...

A New R. C. Church is being built at Melancthon, about 7 miles East of Dundalk. It is 32x52 feet, solid brick, and will be a substantial edifice. It is expected to be opened in October.

As I was passing by Mr. McIntyre's shop I happened to look at his window. I saw some bottles there. I stepped in and bought one. Yum, ... I am hurrying back to get another.

Those who are subject to Biliousness, Constipation, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, or any Kidney Affection, should take the advice of an able physician and use Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles 50 cents. A. TURNER &Co., special agents for Markdale.

W. McLeod & Co. have something interesting to those who have had a ... misfortune. Read their new advertisements in another column, ... if you are one of the unfor...

... will ... his new store, Richard... ... next week.

W. J. Rowe has been fitting up ... Mills, and is now in a position to guarantee satisfaction to those who many favor him with their patronage. The road at the mill is ... improved.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," ... everyone having tried 'TEABERRY,' the new toilet gem. Get a 5 cent sample.

A large potatoe is on exhibition at ... office, grown by Henry Boyce, ... It weighs 2lbs. Eight of ... would make a man a meal, or ... taken three times a day ... would no doubt be val... ...regulating pills(?)

We overheard one lady remark to another that it beat all how crowded McFarland's store is every day, one ... get waited on for ever so long. I declare I would rather wait an ... than go elsewhere, for Mac. certainly does sell cheaper than any ... I have ever been into.

As a family Medicine Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters are fast taking the place of pills, they ... equally effectual, do not gripe, ... or produce nausea and are ... vegetable. In large 8 oz. bottles 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., ... agents for Markdale.

Messrs. Mabee & Welsh, contractors, ... erecting the foundry building for ... They have a dozen or more ... at work, and expect to have it ... in and roofed by the 1st of October, when Mr. Moffatt will put in ... machinery at once, and commence ... with the least possible delay.

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... Markdale House is being ... improved this week, by the ... of balconies on Sydenham ... Streets. It adds much to the appearance of this fine building, ... away with that unfinished ... appearance that it always had. The ... are being put up by Mr. ... of Flesherton.

... Silver Watches at $12, usually sold ... warranted for two years, at Doll's.

ROOST ROBBING.—Mr. Orr in... us, that three of our village ... visited his place on Sunday ... and carried away several of his ... Mr. Orr says he knows the ... implicated well, and unless ... is made he will prosecute ... utmost rigor of the law. We ... he will, as it is time these midnight ... should be put a stop to.

... can save from 20 to 40 per cent. by ... your watches from W. F. Doll. In ... as usual every Friday and every fair ... store in Mr. Dean's block.

... Allen, a young man from ... neighbourhood of Markdale, ar... home on a visit this week from ... His employer being a ... extensive owner of flour mills, ... &c., &c., and having been ... burned out by the late fire. He ... will return as soon as his ... gets part of his buildings ... which will be in about a ...

...TUE ACKNOWLEDGED.

... Ira Mullholland, Oakville, ... "For several years I have ... from oft-recurring billions ... dyspepsia, and complaints ... to my sex. Since using your ... Blood Bitters I am entirely ...

The cheapest and best stock of Furniture at G. Grant's.

A Bazaar and Concert will be held on the day of Glenelg Fall Show, by the Ladies Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church. For particulars, see posters.

BE PREPARED.

Many of the worst attacks of cholera morbus, cramps, dysentery and cholic come suddenly in the night, and the most speedy and prompt means must be used to combat their dire effects. Dr. Fowlers Extract of Wild Strawberry is the remedy. Keep it at hand for emergencies. *It never fails* to cure or relieve.

Picture, Photo, and Motto frames in abundance, at Grant's Markdale.

THE mixed train on the T. G. & B. R'y going north on Wednesday, left the rail, doing considerable damages to the track. The Mail train going south on Thursday morning was delayed about four hours in consequence.

CANADIAN CHOLERA.

This terrible disease is but little less fatal than real Asiatic cholera, and requires equally prompt treatment. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry will cure it as well as all other forms of bowel complaints of infants or adults if used in proper time.

The circulation of the blood has been demonstrated by the microscope and the proof of the circulation of Esterbrook's Pens is that they are found everywhere.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

ASK your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

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A visit to W. J. McFarland's immense establishment will well repay any one in want of goods. He and his large staff of hands are working night and day with their coats off opening huge bales and cases of dress goods, winceys, shirtings, shawls, mantles, silks, satins, carpets, laces, tweeds, flowers, &c., &c., selected personally from the manufactures by Mr. McFarland while in Europe.

The shades of evening were falling fast,
As through Markdale city passed
A blooming maid in cashmere dressed,
With this device upon her breast
McFarland's cashmeres are the best. Price 55 cts., all wool.

Her brows were knit beneath her veil,
Her eyes flashed like a comet's tail,
And in clarion bugle sung
The tones of that outlandish tongue
Go to McFarland's for your winceys, kid gloves, and everything you want, he imports direct.

Oh stay, the young man cried, and rest
Thy tired head upon this vest.
A tear rolled down her painted cheek,
But still she answered with a squeak
The greatest hit of the day—clothing for young, clothing for old, and boots—thousands of pairs—cheap, at McFarland's, and don't you forget it.

THE SADDEST OF SAD SIGHTS.—The grey hairs of age being brought with sorrow to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rarer every year as the use of Cingalese Hair Restorer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former color and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the change of years, resting assured that no Grey Hair at any rate will come to sadden us. Sold by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

DEATH OF REV. LACHLAN TAYLOR.—The news of the death of Rev. Lachlan Taylor, which took place at Sackville, New Brunswick, on Sunday the 14th inst., will be received with universal regret throughout Canada. No minister of the Methodist Church in the Dominion was more widely known, and more universally liked. A native of the Highlands of Scotland, he was possessed of a full share of the Celtic energy and eloquence, and in the position of agent of the Bible Society, which he occupied for many years, as well as in the subsequent lectures on his travels, he was familiar in every portion of the Province, and many will be the regrets expressed that the eloquent tongue of Dr. Taylor is now stilled in death.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

THE GREATEST PART OF DUNTROON DESTROYED BY FIRE.—THE RESULT OF CARLESNESS.

About 9 o'clock on the evening of the 16th inst., a fire was discovered in the stable of H. Watson, hotel-keeper, consuming the building in a short time. From this the fire extended to the store of J. Gray, in which was the office of the Montreal Telegraph company, the dwelling of Dr. Kirkland the store of W. Campbell blacksmith shop of Mr. Cluson, and two other houses were also consumed. The fire is supposed to have originated from leaving a lamp in the stable.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—In reply to W. S. Christoe, (he denies Ratepayer) I am in a position to address him by his pet name. But I am sorry to say, Dr., that you are no more righteous than he. It is a pity to see a reeve and a warden subscribe to such an obscene epistle. "When the wicked rule, the people mourn." What must the fountain be when such an unclean stream proceeds from it? If dame Rumour be true, I am not the first that rebuked you. When you drew a picture of the most degraded, dissipated, drunken profligate that could dwell in your imagination, and his ragged little boy, then you stated that this man described in your lecture was the father of your *being*, and you were the little boy. Then a young man in the audience rebuked you with the following quotation "Honor thy father and mother, ... Gen. ix, 22." If that be true, and you have attained to the estate your man Friday of the *Advance* pictured you to have, then there is hope in store for Dodds, whose antecedents are respectable, and is worthy to be called a man. Your theory would establish the notion that labor, however honourable, is degrading; but this is only believed by those whose education has been barely sufficient to make them believe, that idleness and gentility are allied. I have stated work, and draw the largest salary of any man in Flesherton, and have not changed my occupation; but aspire to be a first-class judge of grain and head miller, and am not at the beck of every Biddy and Bridget in the land at all hours, rain, hail, or snow; or chimney-sweep, or Tom, Dick, or Harry, and bound to obey; but how appreciated please enquire in the neighborhood of Eugenia. Doubtless, Mr. Editor, the Dr.'s history is fresh in the minds of your numerous readers, since Mr. G. J. Blyth circulated it through the medium of the *Expositor*. However, it matters little to me, I do not stoop to dabble in dirty matters. My history is very short, Dr., I mean to live, to have a name when you will be forgotten. A man may occupy high and honourable positions and qualify for the same on property owned in another's name and be a poor, miserable creature himself. You mistake when you think I assume pleasantry, I am only amused looking at you driving in the old dilapidated chaise; perhaps you will look spruced up a bit when you get Dodds' old harness on. One would think the old horse and rig, not omitting yourself, had been in the ark with Noah. In regard to my articles and their merit or demerit, we will not differ; but look to the effect. Ratepayer said the roads were in first-class condition, I held they were not, which has been proven to a demonstration, from the fact that the Council gave a grant to be applied to the very section of the road complained of, and when the commissioner went over the road, he said the grant was only an introduction to the requirements and that it was too late to expend money except to patch it up. You watched the correspondence between Ratepayer and I, and should have taken action in the matter, and done your duty like a good honest public servant, and saved your popularity that you pay so much adoration to; but you are timid in your policy; yet rash and vain of your wisdom; yet constantly guilty of follies; yet a slave to the basest personalities; jealous of your rights; yet from want of courage, continually allowing young men to show you the township's requirements; and I showed you that you kicked Artemesia's best interests to the wind, because it happened to be popular with a few loons that howled well for you on election days. If you had been sincere in your convictions you were excusable; but I have taken the calibre of your head, and lo, it is shallow. Every man should show his principles, and let people know what he believes, especially on great religious, moral, commercial or political questions. If he does, he will not be called a sycophant or a fool. But the day will come, yea, has come that we see the T., G. & B. railway passing into the hands of the Northern Company. Now they control the Hamilton & North-Western and Credit Valley,—four lines east of us. We have Messrs. Hendrie &Co., owning the entire stock in our road, and Mr. Wm. Hendrie, President. If any of your readers doubt the statement, please be referred to last week's Owen Sound *Times*; and who got the credit of saving the township from paying the bonus? You, Dr. If Artemesia had known your mission the morning your first smoke curled through the roof of the old log cabin you took refuge in, they would have put on sackcloth and ashes. When will the year of jubilee come. But you may object that it was correspondent who caused the roads to be repaired, and say it was the men that waited on the Council; perhaps it would be no offence to say that I sent those men; and were they not both respectable and responsible, and sound business men, not like your followers, and do not require blowing up like the Sampsons of the *Advance*; although that editor vowed not to notice Dodds, see the way he howled. I have no doubt, Dr., when you got this dose that you will act what is called the *Banshee*.

It generally takes three to manage Dodds. The only difference is, in this and the last, a woman figured to some advantage; but Barney O'Hare may turn out like you, Dr., no man at all. Still I cherish your convictions and agree that you made a mistake in rebuking Sandy. Nay, you thought to silence Sandy.

Your statement about the Widow Thompson is a downright falsehood, and she was not a widow at the time. She was going to give my money to another miller, and when she paid up she was at liberty to deal with whom she saw fit. If you are anxious about the success of the *Advance*, never write another line for its columns, and it will succeed; although the moral rays of Flesherton has not penetrated it to any depth yet, and it is you that is to blame, doctor. Certainly the remarks of the Editor on the eliminating bodies are learned. But what could you expect when he draws his inspiration from you, doctor? If the municipalties suffer loss from your actions in the railway matter, I suggest the tar you have prepared be applied to yourself. Fare-you-well, doctor. Glory in your shame. With the best wishes for the success of the STANDARD,

Yours, G. L. DODDS.

MR. EDITOR,—Absence from home, and stress of work since my return, prevented me from attending sooner to the Rev. Mr. Ward's communication which appeared in the STANDARD of the 9th ... Now, however, with your permission, I shall devote a little time to the consideration of that diffuse and ... production.

My first impression on reading that letter was one of surprise and pity; surprise that a gentleman of his assumed culture and refinement should allow himself to indulge in the use of language so unbecoming; pity that his vanity should prompt him to assume such lofty airs.

We quote: "It is a strong temptation to come down on him, but as it would be too much like bringing out a cannon to shoot a *fly*, we will allow his position to save him this time." Very considerate indeed; wonderful forbearance! Now, it is possible that this may be considered a grand "hit" in some quarters; in our opinion it is simply coarse, vulgar and egotistical, and betrays a familiarity with the language of the fish market, strangely inconsistent with good breeding.—The Rev. gentleman is doubtless a mighty man in his own estimation, a veritable CANNONUS MAGNUS, and henceforth the traditional "Roaring Meg," and the "Great Gun of Athlone" will have to be relegated to a back seat, and the great ecclesiastical cannon of Markdale take their place. Nevertheless we are convinced, notwithstanding Mr. Ward's self-imposed title, that the world will persist in gauging his ability and learning by a far more unerring standard; and that gentleman need not be surprised, if he find that instead of being considered a real cannon, he is voted but a mere ordinary squirt-gun. It is no sign of courage to see a person boasting of his prowess, neither is it any sign of superior learning or ability to see a person boasting of knowledge; on the contrary, the braggart is generally a coward, and the boasted scholar but a mere pedant.

Mr. Ward thinks that I am deplorably ignorant of "Church History," and professes to have discovered this from my letters. Now this is another instance of that gentleman's marvelous prescience, as no ordinary mortal could have arrived at that conclusion from the data referred to. We have said nothing as yet about church history for the simple reason that it sheds but very dim and doubtful light on the subject under discussion, viz.: the government of the Apostolic Church.

The Rev. gentleman admits, and very justly, that the "last thirty years of the first century is almost an entire blank in church history;" why, then, does he persist in fishing among the uncertain, obscure, and often contradictory pages of profane history for a counterpart to his "Catholic and Apostolic Church" if he is satisfied that it is to be found in the New Testament? Is that not enough? "To the law and to the testimony, if they speak not according to these it is because there is no truth in them."

Mr. Ward would like very well to draw off the attention of your readers from the *well-known* writings of the Apostles, to the *little known* writings of the so-called Apostles' successors; doubtless conscious of the fact that the Apostles in their writings give no sanction or encouragement to the pretentions either of the Romish or Anglican hierachy. Church history, while it may be serviceable as corroborative testimony, yet if it conflicts with scripture, it cannot be acknwledged as of the slightest value. While we speak thus let it not be supposed that we dread an appeal to church history or any other history. No! on the contrary, from these sources we can show most unmistakeably the gradual rise and developement of that gigantic apostacy which arose upon the ruins of the early Christian church, and which overshadowed Christendom for a period of nearly thirteen hundred years; from the same source we learn that the form of government which that apostate Church adopted was the Episcopal. How do we account for the fact that the Churches of the Reformation, with the singe exception of the Anglican, rejected Episcopacy as a Romish invention? Shall we be told that those eminent reformers, Calvin, Knox, Zuinglias, Melacthon, &c., knew nothing of Church history? Why did the Church of England alone of all the Reformation Churches, cling to Episcopacy? Why this! The Church of England was and still is a gigantic politico-religious organization, gotten up for the express purpose of bolstering up monarchy and aristocracy; just as Orangeism was gotten up in after years to prop up the State Church and landlordism in Ireland. A careful study of English history will convince any candid inquirer of the truth of this. The English Church was just as much a creation of the State as any city or municipal corporation, and hence, as a State engine, it was meddled and organised so as to serve the purposes of the state, and King James I, though a simpleton, yet he had sufficient acuteness to see this, hence his famous remark, "To Bishop, no King."

Mr. Editor, we were led to make these preliminary remarks for the purpose of defining more clearly the relative merits of the question at issue, viz.: "Presbyter versus Episcopacy." We shall now proceed, *seriatim*, to the consideration of Mr. Ward's letter. Mr. Ward remarks, "Among the Jews none could approach the presence of God but such as were particularly appointed by Him." Who denies this? Why does the Rev. gentleman lose his breath in combatting a theory which we all admit? Mr. W. next quotes Jerome, "What Aaron and his sons and the Levites were in the temple, such are the Bishops, Presbyters and Deacons in the Christian Church." Now Jerome died in the year 420; he lived at a time when the Church had fallen from its original purity, and had begun to "teach for doctrines the commandments of men." Evidently Jerome was then engaged as Mr. Ward is now in offering an apology for the Episcopal heresy, to which the Church had not yet become wholly reconciled. This shows us that Mr. W. claims that his Church is modelled after the Jewish Temple,—the Bishop taking the place of the High Priest. How does this comport with Paul's teaching in the 9 and 10th of Hebrews: let us see.—"But Christ being come an high priest of good things to come, by a greater and more perfect tabernacle not made with hands, that is to say not of this building; neither by the blood of goats and calves, but by his own blood he entered in once into the holy place, having obtained eternal redemption for us." Heb. ix, 11 and 12. "And for this cause he (Christ) is the mediator (or priest) of the New testament." Heb. ix, 15. "But this man after he had offered one sacrifice for sins, for ever sat down on the right hand of God." Heb. x. 12. A careful perusal of the 9th and 10th chapters of Hebrews and cognate passages will convince the reader that Christ himself is the "high priest" of the Christian Church, notwithstanding what "Jerome" or Mr. Ward may say to the contrary. What are we to say, then, of those who thus sacrilegiously and blasphemously usurp the place and assume the title of our "High Priest," who "hath passed into heaven now to appear in the presence of God for us." Heb. ix, 24.

Now, Mr. Editor, it would be obviously impractical for me to attempt in one article to fully dispose of and confute the numerous and glaring blunders into which Mr. Ward has fallen in his last essay; as your space will not allow of this at present, neither have I had the time to do so; but during the ensuing weeks I shall, if spared, do so, to that gentleman's entire satisfaction.

Mr. Ward need not suppose that this question can be settled by a mere wave of the hand, or an oracular nod of the head, however learned or pretentious. I now close part I of my reply.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!
Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Sept 23, 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.22
Fall do. do. do.	1.20	to	0.00
Barley	0.60	"	0.77
Oats	0.33	"	0.33
Peas	0.65	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.50	"	0.60
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.20	"	0.22
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50		1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	10.00	"	12.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
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Brown's Household Panacea
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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20 ly

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A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

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July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

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A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49-tf.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a promissory note for $150.25, purporting to be made by me in favor of the "Globe Lightning Rod Co.," was obtained from me by one D. Rutherford, who represented himself to be an agent of said Company, as, and for an acknowledgement for the receipt of lightning rod material, I having previously agreed to act as the Company's local agent. As I never purchased said material and never intended to give any note therefor, payment of said note is refused.

(Signed), THOMAS KNIGHT.

Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881. 51-tf.

R. M. Galbraith.

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It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

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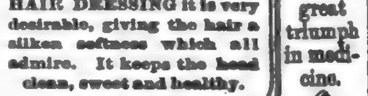

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS

will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

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FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily

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Done while customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

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Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-ly

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MARKDALE,

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Furniture!

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COFFINS,

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Call and see for yourselves.

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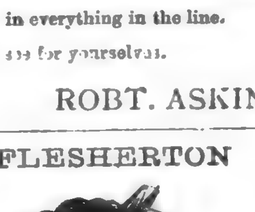

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THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM

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Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an ear call, as he will sell at the lowest living prices for cash. A good supply of

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted.

J. GORDON,

Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

W. L. Smith.

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Sept. 17, 1880. 1

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—FOR—

R. DAVIS'

MAMMOTH

LAND LIST

—TO BE—

Issued about 27th Sept.

All parties wanting lands in the County of Grey should see this List. The largest list of lands for sale ever issued in this County. Those having lands to dispose of should send in the description of their properties for insertion, not later than Saturday, 24th inst.

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BUTTER & RAE'S

MARKDALE.

To All Whom it May Concern.

As the season has arrived when money is plentiful and we have no collector but the bailiff, we must have our accounts by the 10th of October.

August 9th, 1881.

Robt. S. Rae,

TAIL OR,

Sydenham Street,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 45-6m

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Wednesdays and Saturdays,

By Thomas Smith.

☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

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MARKDALE

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McKENNA & MASON

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BUGGIES,

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And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

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As we warant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

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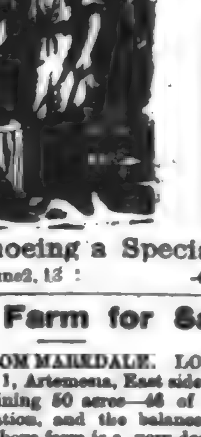
Orders by Mail promptly attended to.

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

JOHN NOBLE



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Markdale, June 2, 18... 4tf

Farm for Sale.

LOT No. 9, Concession 10, Glenelg, containing 100 acres—80 of which is cleared and under cultivation, the balance well timbered, chiefly hardwood. On the premises is a barn 60x24, a house and outbuildings, and a young orchard, is well watered and well fenced with cedar rails. It is situated 6½ miles from the thriving village of Markdale. Title good; possession given at once. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the proprietor is going West. Apply to

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P.O.

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September 2nd, 1881. 51-6t

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 113, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS,

On the premises,

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-4t

PATRONS OF HUSBANDRY.

From the O. S. Advertiser.

At the summer meeting of Grey Division Grange, held at Annan on 7th July, the following reports of committee were read. The Annan ladies entertained the officers and members in the Drill Shed with a sumptuous dinner, and such a tea as Annan Ladies are famed for getting up on short notice.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CO-OPERATION.

Your Committee on Co-operation beg to report as follows:

Your committee did not carry out your suggestion of last meeting, believing the Fall to be the only time such undertakings can be successful by taken hold of, and if worked up long before the time for action, interest is likely to die out and the whole thing fall to the ground. Your committee proposed to meet about October and examine Bro. Hope's papers and mature a scheme to submit to the Grange when action is likely to be taken. Your committee would also advise patrons more generally to use their present means of co-operation, believing if they attended the meetings of the sub-granges and fully recounted their experience in farming, and heartily endeavored to cultivate a more sociable feeling among farmers, they would co-operate more to one another's advancement than by going into store keeping. Your committee believe the committee appointed by the Dominion Grange to correspond with co-operative societies in Great Britian is a step in the right direction and likely to prove highly beneficial. All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) H. Pamey, D. McLean, J. Long, A. Gifford.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON SEED GRAIN.

Your Committee on Seed Grain beg leave to submit the following report. Your committee reiterate the belief that to obtain the best results seeds should be changed every two years, not only from one class of soil to another, but locality should be changed as well, we believe that a change of soil as well as a change of locality is beneficial to the success of a full crop: we also believe that although the fall wheat has been a partial failure, we would recommend patrons to get the best seed that can be got and prepare the soil thoroughly, and sow in good time and trust in Providence for the result, sow as early as the first of September. Should any of the patrons have any new varieties your committee would recommend them to report.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

David Armstrong, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DOMESTIC ECONOMY.

We, your committee on Domestic [illegible] beg leave to report.

The subject of Domestic Economy we feel to be a subject of so great importance that it would require much more consideration than in the limited time at our disposal we are enabled to give it, especially as it has been [illegible] all the members of the Grange at the dinner table [illegible] provided for us by our [illegible] Grange. We [illegible] recommend that in each of our [illegible] a half hour at least [illegible] essays, recitations and music, &c., as altogether too [illegible] of the time in the homes of our [illegible] with work to the [illegible] of those matters which would be a great benefit to us both [illegible] morally, we would suggest that an essay be written to read at the next meeting of the Division Grange, in which the subject can be [illegible] to better advantage.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

[illegible] Mrs. Long, A. Gifford, P. Christie, H. Reid.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON STOCK.

Your committee beg leave to report that the Durham breed of cattle is the most profitable stock you can raise on a farm for dairy purposes is the general opinion of your committee.

2nd. As regards the different kinds of sheep we have arrived at the conclusion that the Leicester and Cotswold are the most profitable we can raise on a farm.

3rd. We are of the opinion as regards pigs, for profit the full bred Berkshire.

4th. Your committee also believe that the sooner stock is matured for either old country or home market the better, and the more attention that is paid to the breeding of stock from full blooded sires the more will those engaged find it a good and profitable investment.

(Signed) G. Harkness, Chairman.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BANKING AND LOANING.

Your Committee on Banking and Loaning have nothing of interest to convey to the Grange since our last meeting on the subject of banking.

The subject of an Agricultural Bank now occupies the attention of the Executive Committee of the Dominion Grange, and the necessity for such an institution has been endorsed, but your committee are not aware of any recent action in connection with the organization of such an institution.

Your Committee learn that the Grange Trust has increased the capital stock of the Company to $2,000,000 by having secured supplementary letters patent with a view of more fully carying out the principles of cooperation by allowing borrowers to participate in profits. The directors are taking steps to organise a Board of Reference in Great Britian, whose principal duty it will be to bring prominently before the attention of capitalists the special features of this company, and secure money at the lowest possible rate for investment among our brethern, who in common with other farmers have in years past paid high rates of interest. The influence of the company for good it is believed will be very great indeed, its influence already having been observable.

In short, your committee hope that the Grange Trust, The first Co operative Loaning Company in Canada, will be productive of very great good to the members of the Grange.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) R. J. Doyle, H. Reid.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL LAW AMENDMENTS.

We, your Committee on Municipal Law Amendments beg to submit the following:

1st. Your Committee regret very much that no action has yet been taken towards the abolition of Market Fee provisions, we find that in accordance with your instructions the Secretary forwarded to the Government, also to Messrs. Creighton, Lander and Waters a memorial duly signed and sealed, praying that the power to impose Market Fees be withdrawn from Corporations, and would suggest that this meeting instruct the Master and Secretary to again petition as before, such petition to be forwarded some time before the close of the present year.

2nd. Respecting a change in County Councils your committee hold the same view as that express by your commitee of last year, viz.: the work could be much better done by a Board of Commissioners chosen as explained in that report, and which would cost but a fraction of the present system. But we would advise that this and other important matters such as the assessment laws, &c., be left in abeyance until we secure attention to our wants in the question of Market Fees, in the meantime to carefully digest those questions and ascertain what will best meet our requirements. We would recommend that the provisions of the Herd Law be extended and some means provided for enforcing it. All of which is respectfully submitted,

J. Bowes, M. Denton, A. Gifford. R. A. Stark.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON HORTICULTURE.

Your Committee on Horticulture beg to report as followes:

1st. That your committe regret that the fruit crop in this division has been seriously damaged by late frosts, which appears to have been sectional to a certain extent. Your Committee would strongly urge upon Patrons of Husbandry to under drain their orchards and gardens, which may be considered the most effectual preventative from injury by frosts, as also of securing the best results in many other respects. Your Committee are strongly impressed with the fact that it is difficult to find any locality in Canada where the apple, pear and plum will succeed better than Grey Division. Much, however, depends on the varities planted. Your committee would strongly recommend planting for market purposes of but few varities, as the tendency is to planting too many varieties of fruit, much of which is unfit for shipping and must of necessity be less remunerative. Plums. Those only which ripen slowly and which can be shipped to a foreign market should be grown for market. We would especially mention the following varities of pears as those which have been the most generally successful in this section, the order of merit being the order in which named: Flemish Beauty (standard); Bartlett (standard); Dearborn's Seedling (dwarf); Duchesse d' Angoulême (dwarf); Vicar of Wakefield (dwarf). Your committee are of opinion that the late ripening varities of plums are much more profitable than those ripening early, as the former varieties arrive in market at a time when their is not much fruit offering for sale. All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. J. Doyle,
R. Harkness.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON IMPLEMENTS.

Your Committee on Implements beg leave to report as follows:

From the fact that the time given your Committee is so short that they have not been able to present as full a report as they would wish. They find also quite a diversity of opinion in regard to some of the implements recommended, but from some particular advantages recommend the following as generally satisfactory: The Harvest Queen Reaper, Toronto Mower, Tiger Rake, Noxon Bros. Combined Drill and Broadcast Seeder (although we consider the price charged for seeders exorbitant). The Spring Tooth Harrow is considered the best harrow for rough land. The question of a perfect pea harvester was discussed by your committee, but they not having any personal experience in the matter would beg leave to refer any member wishing information to Mr. W. Keefer, Annan, who is agent for the Tolton Pea Harvester, which is claimed to cut 8 acres per day, which would be a great saving both in time and money compared with the present slow and laborious method. Herewith is appended a price list of articles manufactured by D. Christie, Esq., Owen Sound:—Harvest Queen Reaper, $100; Tiger Rake, $24; Gang Plough, $18; Grain Crusher, $25; Scufflers, $7.50 to 12; Fanning Mills, $24; Rollers, $28; Common Plough, $7 to $30. A reduction of 10 per cent. will be made from the above if ordered by the dozen. Your committee would also recommend that members patronize our home industries where it is practicable, but when obliged to order from a distance that they do so through Mr. Harris, agent Grange Supply Co., Toronto. All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. A. Stark, T. P. Leonard,
Rob't Walker, S. Edmonstone
H. Reid.

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If Rachel was a pretty girl and kept her face clean, we can't see what Jacob had to cry about.—*Daily Telegram.*

How do you know but that she slapped his face for him.—L. Y. M. C. A. News.

The cause of Jacob's weeping was the refusal of Rachel to allow him to kiss her again.—*Nonconformist.*

It is our opinion that Jacob wept because he had not kissed Rachel before, and wept for the time lost.—*National Reformer.*

The fellow wept because Rachel told him to do it again, and he was afraid.—*Methodist Recorder.*

Jacob cried because she threatened to tell her mother.—*Christian World.*

Jacob wept because there was only one Rachel to kiss.—*Southport News.*

A mistake. Not his eyes but his mouth watered.—*Chester Chronicle.*

Our opinion is that Jacob wept because he found that it was not what it was cracked up to be.—*Manhattan Examiner and Times.*

Jacob thought it was a fast color, and wept to find the color come off.—*Fine Art Gazette.*

He was a fool. He did not know what was good for him.—*Saturday Review.*

Jacob wept because Rachel bit his lip.—*Peterboro Review.*

Jake did not weep any tears, he only cried with a loud voice, yum! yum!—*Toronto Mail.*

Yes he wept; his cheeks were *streaked* with tears when he *swotted* her and thought of the *ring* as he saw in the future the *calves* he had *herd* of, fearing some one would *La-ban* upon his marriage. (See Gen. 30, xxix 29, xxvi.)—*L. V. Journal.*

Jacob wept because he found on kissing Rachel she had been eating onions.—*Dundalk Herald.*

Couldn't be that Jacob wept for getting what is acknowledged to be the height of human bliss. Perhaps the new revision that is now in progress will throw some light on the subject.—*Markdale Standard.*

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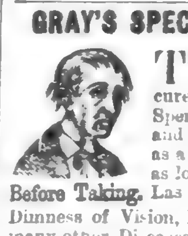

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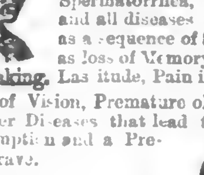

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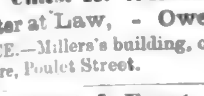

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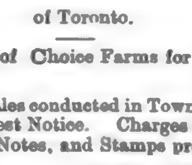
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE. May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at T. Sproule's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.
C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets
FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale. an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

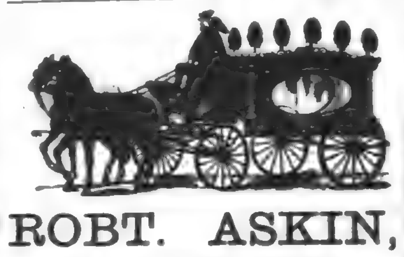
SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!
T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET
MARKDALE,
Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
AGENT FOR
D. MAXWELL'S
CELEBRATED
REAPER,
MOWER, and
RAKE,
—ALSO—
Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills Etc. Etc.
Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

Province of Ontario Directory
For 1881-82,
TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,
Price $5.00.
MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an
Alphabetical Directoy
AND A THOROUGH
CLASSIFIED
Business Directory
of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
CLASSIFIED
BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants to his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continuance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept, 17th 1880. 1

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,
Teas a Specialty.
Miscellaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.
P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES,
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov, 18, 1818 1o-ly



ROBT. ASKIN,
MARKDALE,
Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture!
—AND—
UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Commonest to the
Best and Latest tyles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN,

A DREAM.

I sat by the railway station,
And I fell into a dream,
I dreamt I was in Proton,
Before it received its name,
And as I stood in the wild-wood,
I heard the howl and the scream,
Of wolves in the swamps of Proton,
And I was afraid in my dream—
But Proton's swamps and Melancthon's,
Appear to be all the same,
And no one knew of their pathways,
Save he of the copper stain;
I trembled on seeing the wild-cat,
And ran when I heard her scream;
And when I awoke, the engine
Was blowing off her steam;
But the day was calm and sultry,
(I waited the "evening train,")
My ears grew deaf to the engine,
And I was asleep again.
Me thought I rode with a teamster,
Through mud, on a heavy load,
Who told me they called the high-way
"Toronto and Sydenham Road."
I saw the men of this township
Come into it one by one,
And saw them endure those hardships
That to the forest belong:
Their roads were nothing but pathways—
House—ill looking and small—
Still they were joyous and happy,
In spite of the hardships all.
I saw them go to the market,
They seemed to be proud two own,
A sleigh with a team of oxen
To bear their purchases home.
And as I traveled the wild-wood
The oxen began to roar,
And starting up from my slumber
My dream again was o'er;
But closing again my eyelids
The vision returned once more:
But I was not in the city,
Whose magnitude vexed me sore,
Whose streets were longer and straighter
Than streets familiar to me—
Buildings—more splendid and greater,
Than I was accustomed to see—
But as I travelled its sidewalks
The mystery passed away,
I found on reading the sign-boards
That city's our "Dundalk" to-day.

J. C. W.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER I.

THE large, loud-voiced clock over the stables struck nine, and announced to all whom it might concern that the breakfast hour of Sir John Dangerfield, Baronet of Scarswood Park, Sussex, had arrived.

Scarswood Park! A glorious old place, lying deep down in the green heart of a Sussex woodland! A glorious old place, where the rare red deer disported amid the emerald glades, and dusky, leafy aisles of the oak and beech! A vast and stately park, sloping down to the tawny sea-shore, and a vast odd stately mansion, its echoing turrets rising high above the towering oak and copper beeches, and its eastern windows sparkling in the red sunlight of this bright September morning like sparks of fire.

Within and without the great house all was still; a breakfast table, sparkling with crystal, rich and rough old silver, gay with tall glasses of September roses, and snowy with napery, stood ready and waiting in a spacious room.

Through the open windows the sweet, hay-scented morning wind blew, and far off you caught in the summer stillness the soft wash of the waves on the yellow sands, more than a mile away.

At the last chime of the loud-voiced clock the door opened, and Sir John Dangerfield came into the room. A silver-toned French time-piece on the marble mantel began a twinkling waltz, preparatory to repeating the hour; the birds, in their gilded cages sang blithely their welcome; but the baronet glanced impatiently around in search of something or somebody else.

'Not down yet,' he said. 'That's not like Katherine! She is not used to dissipation, and I suppose last night's concert has made her lazy this morning. Thomas,—to a footman, appearing like a tall plush spectre in the doorway—tell Miss Katherine's maid that I am waiting for breakfast. Has the *Times* arrived?'

'Yes, Sir John.'

Thomas presented the folded Thunderer to his master and vanished.

Sir John Dangerfield flung himself into an easy-chair, that groaned in every joint with his three hundred pounds of manhood, and opened the damp London paper, perfuming the room with the smell of printers' ink. He was a tall, portly gentleman, this Sussex baronet, with a handsome, florid face, and an upright, military bearing. For three months only had he reigned master of Scarswood; three lives had stood between him and the baronetcy, and, a colonel in the Honourable East India Company's Service, he had, four months before this sunny September morning, about as much idea of lording it in Scarswood Hall as he had of ever sitting on the throne of England. Suddenly, as if a fatality were at work, these three lives had been removed, and Colonel Dangerfield, of Her Majesty's H. E. I. C. S., became Sir John Dangerfield, of Scarswood Park, and, with his daughter and heiress, came back to England for the first time in fifteen years. He was a widower, and Miss Dangerfield, his daughter, his heiress, his idol, had been born in England, and was two years old when her father had first gone out to India, and grown up nearly seventeen before she ever set foot on English soil again.

He unfolded his paper, but he did not read. The loud singing of the birds, the dazzling brightness of the summer morning, disturbed him, perhaps. It dropped on his knee, and his eyes turned on the emerald lawn, on the tangled depths of fern and bracken, on the dark expanse of waving woodland—terraces, lawn, and copse—all bathed in the glorious golden light.

'A fair prospect,' he said—'a princely inheritance! And to think that four months ago I was grilling alive in Calcutta, with no earthly hope but that of retiring some day from the Company's service with chronic liver complaint and a colonel's half-pay. For myself it would not matter; but for Katherine!' His face changed suddenly. 'If I could only be certain she were dead! If I could only be certain my secret was buried with her! It never mattered before—we were out of her reach; but since my accession to Scarswood, since my return to England, that wretch's memory has haunted me like an evil spirit. Only last night I dreamed of her—dreamed I saw her evil black eyes gleaming upon me in this room. Pagh!'

A shudder of disgust—a look of abhorrence; then he lifted the paper again—and again he dropped it.

A door far above closed with a bang; a fresh young voice, carolling like a bird; the quick patter, patter, patter, of little female feet downstairs—the last three cleared with a jump; and then the door of the breakfast-room was flung wide, and the heiress of Scarswood Park flashed into the room.

Flashed—I use the word advisedly—flashed in like a burst of sunshine—like a hillside breeze—and stood beside her father in fluttering white muslin, pink ribbon, waving, brown hair flying, grey eyes dancing and her fresh, sweet voice ringing through the room.

'Good morning, papa!' Miss Dangerfield cried, panting and out of breath. 'Is breakfast ready? I'm perfectly famished, and would have starved to death in bed if Ninon had not come and routed me out. And how is *your* appetite, papa?—and I hope I have not kept you waiting too long—and, oh! wasn't the concert perfectly de—licious last night!'

And then two white arms went impetuously around the neck of the Indian officer, and two fresh rosy lips gave him a kiss that exploded like a tornado.

Sir John disengaged himself laughingly from this impulsive embrace.

'Gently, gently, Kathie! don't quite garrot me with those long arms of yours. Stand off and let me see how you look after last night's dissipation. A perfect wreck, I'll be bound.'

'Dissipation! A perfect wreck! Oh, papa, it was heavenly—just that! I shall never forget that tenor singer—who sang Fortanio's song, you know, papa, with his splendid eyes, and the face of a Greek god. And his name—Gaston Dantree—beautiful as himself. Don't talk to me of dissipation and a wreck; I mean to go again to-night, and tomorrow night, and all the to-morrow nights while those concerts are given by the Talbots.'

She stood before him, gesticulating rapidly, with the golden morning light pouring full on her face.

And Miss Katherine Dangerfield, heiress and heroine, was beautiful, you say, as an heiress and heroine should be? I am sorry to say No. The young ladies of the neighborhood, otherwise English misses with pink and white complexions, and perfect manners, would have told you Katherine Dangerfield was lanky and overgrown, had sunburnt hands and complexion, too small a nose, and too large a mouth and chin. Would have told you her forehead was low, her complexion sallow, and her manners perfectly horrible. She was boisterous, she was a hoyden, she said whatever came uppermost in her mind, was utterly spoiled by a doting father and had the temper of a very termagant. They would probably have forgotten to mention—these young ladies—that the sallow complexion was lit by a pair of the loveliest dark-gray eyes, that the tall, supple figure of seventeen gave rare promise of stately and majestic womanhood, that the ever ready smile with parted the rosy lips displayed a set of teeth flashing like jewels.

They would have forgotten to mention the wonderful fall of bright brown hair, dark in the shadow, red gold in the light, and the sweet freshness of a voice so silver-toned that all who heard it paused to listen. Not handsome—you would never have called her that—but bright, and blithe as the summer sunshine itself.

'Well, papa, how do I look? Not very much uglier than usual, I hope. Oh, papa,' the girl cried, suddenly clasping her hands, 'why why, *why* wasn't I born handsome? I adore beauty—pictures, music, sunshine, flowers, and—handsome men! I hate women—I hate girls—vain, malicious magpies—spiteful and spiritless. Why don't I look like you, papa,—you handsome, splendid old soldier? Why was I born with a yellow skin, an angular figure and more arms and hands than I ever know what to do with? Whom do I take after to be so ugly, papa? Not after you, that's clear. Then it must be after mamma?'

Miss Dangerfield had danced over to the great mirror on the mantel, and stood gazing discontentedly at her own image in the glass.

Sir John, in his sunny window-seat, had been listening with an indulgent smile, folding his crackling paper. The crackling suddenly ceased at his daughter's, and the smile died wholly away.

'Say, papa,' Katherine cried, impatiently, 'do I look like mamma? I never saw her, you know, nor her picture, nor anything. If I do, you couldn't have been over and above particular during the period of love's young dream. Do I inherit my tawny complexion, and square chin, and snub nose, and low forhead, from the late Mrs. Colonel Dangerfield?'

Her father laid down his paper, and arose.

'Come to breakfast, Katherine,' he said, more coldly than he had ever spoken to her before in his life, 'and be kind enough to drop the subject. Your flippant manner of speaking of—of your mother, is positively shocking. I am afraid it is true what they say of you here—Indian nurses, the lack of a mother's care, and my indulgence, have spoiled you.'

'Very well, papa; then the fault's yours and you shouldn't blame me. The what's-his-name cannot change his spots, and I can't change my [illegible] any more than I can my looks. But really and truly papa, do I look like mamma?'

'No—yet—I don't know.'

'No—yes—I don't know.' Intelligible, perhaps, but not satisfactory. When I am left a widow, I hope I shall remember how the dear departed partner of my existence looked even after thirteen years. Have you no portrait of mamma, then?'

'No! In Heaven's name, Katherine, eat your breakfast, and let me eat mine.'

'I am eating my breakfast,' responded his daughter testily. 'I suppose a person can talk and eat at the same time. Haven't you rather got a pain in your temper this morning, papa? And I must say I think it a little too hard that I can't be told who I take my ugliness from. I'm much obliged to them for the inheritance, whoever they were.'

Sir John again laid down his paper with a resigned sigh. He knew of old how useless it was to try and stem the current of his daughter's eloquence.

'What nonsense you talk my dear,' he said, 'You're not ugly—you don't want compliments Katherine? I thought your cousin Peter paid you enough last night to satisfy even your vanity for a month.'

Katherine shook her head impatiently until all its red-brown tresses flashed again.

'Peter Dangerfield—wretched little bore! Yes, he paid me compliments, with his hideous little weasen face close to my ear until I told him for goodness sake to hold his tongue, and not drive me frantic with his idiotic remarks! He let me alone after that, little grinning imbecile will be asking me to marry him one of these days—mark my words!'

'Very well—suppose he does?' The baronet leaned back in his chair and raised his paper nervously before his face. 'Suppose he does, Kathie—what then?'

'What then!' The young lady could but just repeat the words in her amaze and indignation. 'What then! Sir John Dangerfield—do you mean to insult me, sir? Put down that paper this instant, and look the person you're talking to full in the face, and repeat "what then," if you dare.'

'Well, Kathie,' the baronet said, still fidgeting with his paper screen and not looking his excited little commanding officer in the face, 'Peter's not handsome I know, nor dashing, but he's a clever little fellow, and my nephew, and in love with you. and will make you a much better husband, my dear, than a much better-looking man. Handsome men are always vain as peacocks, and so deeply in love with themselves that they never have room in their conceited hearts and empty heads to love any one else. Don't be romantic, my dear—you'll not find heroes anywhere now except in Mudie's novels. Peter's a clever little fellow, as I said, and over head and ears in love with you.'

'A clever little fellow! A clever little fellow,' repeated Miss Dangerfield, with intense concentrated scorn. 'Papa,' with dignity, 'a few minutes ago you told me to change the subject. I make the same remark now. I wouldn't mary your clever little fellow not to save my own head from the gallows or his soul from perdition. Sir John, I consider myself doubly insulted this morning! I don't wonder you sit there excruciating my nerves with that horrid rattling paper and ashamed to look me in the face. I think you have reason to be ashamed! Telling your only child and heiress she couldn't do better than throw herself away on a pitiful little country lawyer, only five feet high, and with the countenance of a rat. If it were that adorable Gaston Dantree now. Oh, here's the post. Papa! papa! give me the key.'

Miss Dangerfield, forgetting in a second the late outrage offered her by her cruel parent seized the key, unlocked the bag, and plunged in after its contents.

'One—two—three—four! two for me from India—one for you from ditto, in Major Trevanion's big slap-dash fist. and this—Why, papa, what lady correspondent can you have in Paris? What an elegant Italian hand! what thick yellow perfumed paper, and what a sentimental seal and motto! Blue wax and "*pensez a moi.*" Now, papa, who can this be from?'

She threw the letter across the table. With her first words the face of the Indian officer had changed—a hunted look of absolute terror had come into his face.

His hands tightened over the paper, his eyes fixed themselves upon the dainty missive his daughter held before them, his florid healthy color faded—a dull, grayish whiteness crept over his face from brow to chin.

'Papa!' Katherine cried, 'you're sick, you're going to have a fit. Drink this—drink it this moment and come round.'

She held a glass of water to his lips. He obeyed mechanically, and the color that had faded and fled, slowly crept back to his bearded, sun-browned face. 'There,' said Miss Dangerfield, in a satisfied tone, 'you have come round. And now tell me, was it a fit, or was it the letter? Tell me the truth, sir, dont prevaricate!'

'It was one of my old attacks, Kathie, nothing more. You ought to be used to them by this time. Nothing more, I give you you my word. Go back to your breakfast, child,' he said, testily, 'and don't stand staring there in that uncomfortable way.'

'My opinion is, papa,' replied Miss Dangerfield, with graverty, 'that you're in a bad way, and should turn your attention immediately from the roast beef of old England to water gruel and beef tea. A fine old English gentleman of your time of day, who has left his liver behind him in India, and who has a Sepoy bullet lodged fast in his left lung, and a strong tendency to apoplexy besides, ought to mind what he eats and drinks, and be on very friendly terms with the nearest clergyman. Aren't you going to read that letter, papa, and tell me who the woman is who has the assumption to write to you without my knowledge? No, where are you going?' for Sir John had risen hastily, his letters in his hands:

'To my study, Kathie. Finish your breakfast, darling, and don't mind me.' He stooped down suddenly and kissed her, with almost passionate tenderness. 'My darling,' he said, 'Heaven bless and keep you always, whatever happens—whatever happens.

He repeated the last word with a sort of anguish in his voice, then turned and walked out of the breakfast parlor before his very much amazed daughter could speak.

'Well,' exclaimed Miss Dangerfield at last, 'this does cap the universe, doesn't it?' This question being addressed to vacancy received no reply. 'There's a mystery here, and I don't like mysteries out of sensation novels. I have no secrets from papa—what business has papa to have secrets from me?'

She arose with an injured air, gave the bell a vicious pull, and walked in offended dignity back to her room. The broad, black, shapely oaken staircase went up in majestic sweeps to the regions above. Miss Dangefield ascended it slowly and with a face of perplexed thought.

'It was never an attack—don't tell me—it was that nasty, vicious, spidery written little letter, and what business had she to write it?' I shall insist upon papa giving me a full explanation at dinner-time. No woman in Paris or any other wicked city shall badger my precious old soldier into an early grave. And meantime I shall have a gallop on Ilderim over the golden Sussex medows.

She entered her room singing the song the handsome tenor had sung at the concert the night before, the melody of whose silver voice, the dusky fire of whose eyes, the dark foreign beauty of whose face had haunted her romantic seventeen-year-old mind ever since.

'How handsome he was—how handsome—how handsome, If ever I marry, it shall be a man—a demi-god like that. Peter Dangerfield, indeed!—Nasty little bore. Still I would rather have him in love with me than have none at all. I wonder if it is I, myself, he loves, or Scarswood Park, and the heiress of eight thousand a year. Ninon! my green riding habit, and tell them to fetch Ildrem around. And oh, Ninon, my child, tell that tiresome groom I don't want him perambulating behind me like an apoplectic shadow. Ildrem and I can take care of ourselves.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

IS IT POSSIBLE.—That a remedy made of of such common, simple plants as Hops, Buchu, Mandrake, Dandelion, &c., make so many and such marvelous and wonderful cures as Hop Bitters do? It must be, for when old and young, rich and poor, Pastor and Doctor, Lawyer and Editor, all testify to having been cured by them, we must believe and doubt no longer.—*Post.*

A TRIP FROM MARKDALE TO TORONTO BY THE NARROW GAUGE,

Left the station on the 7th bright and early on an excursion to the Exhibition. Arrived at Flesherton station about 6 a, m. without hap or accident. Before reaching Shelburne, however, the engine gave out; having taken a rest and a drink in the big swamp, and having been mended, it started away with us to Shelburne, whence a delay of about an hour was necessary for repairs. When all things were got in readiness, we steamed off and arrived at Orangeville at 10.05 a. m.. There we had to repair and wait for the train from the west, whose enfine ran short of water. We started however at 11.40, so that our delay was only one hour and thirty-five minutes.

From this out we sped along gaily till we arrived at the next watering place. The smoke kept every body on board in mind of the fact that they had eyes and noses, to which they must attend above all other things; hence the news boy's peaches and pears were at a discount. The hills in the distance seemed to be twice the ordinary height. This strange appearance is supposed to be owing to the great volume of smoke held in the atmosphere. The air being thus denser than ordinary, causes a refraction of the light, so that any object in the distance appears elevated. The phenomenon is well known to sailors, and they call it *looming*. It is rarely noticed inland, yet in hilly parts it may be observed quite distinctly before or after a change of weather. It is owing to a particular state of the atmosphere, and is a species of *mirage.*

During all our delays we felt quite happy. We were rather a social crew, gathered principally from from the neighboring villages of Markdale, Flesherton, Priceville and Dundalk.—There being a large number of cars, the people from each village could occupy places by themselves. There was, however, quite an interchange of positions as well as of opinions.—Nearly all the professions and occupations of the country were well represented, Yet we missed one couple who had been made happy that morning. We wished them much joy and were looking for them in the train coming behind.

By the way it was commonly reported aboard, that a prominent member of the township fathers when in Council on the dark Monday was so over-awed by the appearance of the heavens, that when discussing the repairs of a certain piece of road, he advised his brethren that it was time for him and them to give up the care of sublunary things, and prepare for another road. If men leave their preparation till such signs appear, they will have a hard road to travel. Other people were also scared. Your correspondent "M." is good at giving advice on these subjects; perhaps you better ask him to give these weak worldlings a lesson or a lecture on dark days through your columns.—There is a story told of a Yankee Senate having once been overtaken with a dark day. A faint-hearted member moved to adjourn the house because, in his opinion, the world was coming to an end. Another honorable member opposed the motion, "Because," said he, "if it is the day of judgment I desire to be found at my post doing my duty, and if it is not the day of judgment no member of the house need be afraid, therefore I move in amendment, that the lamps be lit, and the house proceed with the discussion." It need hardly be added that the amendment was carried.

All on board enjoyed themselves, and well they might. They left home for that purpose, and it would be their own fault if they made themselves miserable by any regrets. All the train hands were exceedingly obliging and patient. There was one place where there patience and good nature were put to the test very severely.—When the engine broke down in the middle of a swamp, they had to turn out with crowbars, cold chisels, hammers, axes and blocks of wood, to fix the venerable mas of iron. Here the men were soon surrounded by a crowd of staring, gaping pleasure seekers, all apparently curious to learn something about the construction of a steam engine or cow-catcher. and many of them passing such remarks as they thought clever. Now it is very hard on human nature to be gazed at and made a butt of for the remarks of those who are standing idle, especially when one is working hard and faithfully at unpleasant work for the good of those very spectators. Yet these good men took all in the calmest, happiest mood, and the jolly engineer seemed to have all his men under complete control. and thoroughly trained to make the best of their few advantages in an emergency. When all things were got ready the passengers began to discuss the merits of the road, and they all came to the conclusion that it would be a great pity if the Grand Trunk or any other company would get it, as the probability was that in such a case all these hands would all be dismissed and strangers put in their places. Every one knew that it was not the fault of any body that we were delayed, but simply that the engine got a little out of sorts. All aboard that day will hail with satisfaction the news that the Narrow Gauge is to become a Broad Guage, and is to be run as an independent road. The Grand Trunk would make us hewers of wood and drawers of water to their main line.

At Woodbridge when going up the hill our old horse took anotion that his load was too heavy, but instead of refusing to pull, he applied all his strength, broke the harness, and went off to the next station with only one car, leaving us all to our fate. We might either roll back into the hollow, or down brakes and remain where we were. He returned, however, in about 20 minutes, hooked on to the remaining cars and took us all safely into the city, where we arrived at 3.30 p. m.. Although we were five hours behinn time, no one was any the worse for having left home so early in the morning, prepared to have a pleasant time of it come what might.

The Exhibition was well worth going to see, were it for nothing else than for arrangement of the grounds; but besides this there were so many things of interest that one could spend the whole ot the two weeks there with pleasure and profit. DOMINIE.

SOMETHING IN THE BED.

Judge Pitnam has a habbit of slipping his watch under his pillow when he goes to bed. One night, somehow, it slipped down, and as the judge was restless, it worked its way down towards the foot of the bed. After a bit, while he was lying awake, his foot touched it; it felt very cool; he was surprised, scared and jumped from the bed, said:

"By gracious, Maria, there's a toad or something under the covers; I touched it with my foot."

Mrs. Pitnam gave a loud scream, and was on the flour in an instant.

"Now don't get to hollering and waken the neighbors," said the judge. "You get me a broom or something and we'll fix the thing mighty quick."

Mrs. Pitnam got a broom and gave it to the judge, with the remark that she felt as if snakes were creeping up and down her legs and back.

"Oh, nonsense, Maria! Now turn down the covers slowely while I hold the broom and bang it. Put a bucket alongside the bed so we can shove it in and drown it."

Mrs. Pitnam fixed the bucket and gently removed the covers. The judge held the broom uplifted, and as the black ribbon of the silver watch was revealed, he cracked away at it three or four times with the broom, then he pushed the thing into the bucket, Then they took the light to investigate the matter. When the judge saw what it was, he said:

"I might have known—it is just like you women to go screeching and fussing about nothing. It's utterly ruined."

"It was you that made the fuss not me," said Mrs. Pitnam.

"You needen't try to put the blame on me;" then the judge turned in and growled at Maria until he fell asleep.

In a certain Welsh village it was customary to assemble the young people after service and enlighten their ignorances by chastising them; the subjects being generally drawn from a small manual entitled "Mother's Gift on Sunday Points of Scripture Doctorine,". After many comparitively easy questions put upon a Sabbath afternoon, came on which fairly puzzled the juveniles.

"What," asked the teacher, "are the wages of sin?"

There was considerable hesitation among the pupils, and an older lad being present the teacher turned to him and repeated the question:

"John, my lad, can you tell me what are the wages of sin?"

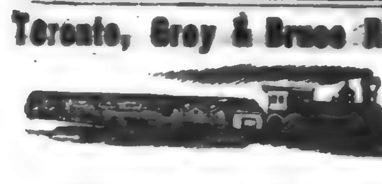
After a pause for consideration, John, with a glance of intelligence, replied:

"Well, sir, I canna tell for certain—but—what should you say to eighteen pence a day and find yourself?"

Two girls at Waupaca, Gregen, tossed up for a lover, and the looser acted as bridesmaid at the wedding. Two girls at Bowerton, Mich., instead of drawing lots, have amicably started for Utah with a lover in tow, expecting to enjoy what the lawyers would call each an undivided half of one husband.

Fifty thousand women are needed in Arizona at once, and no questions asked.—*New Haven Register.* Then they won't go. They want to emigrate to a place where there'll be one question asked.—*Boston Post.*

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y



Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangevil'e Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Fleshert'n & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Orangeville— Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	9.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.38 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.39 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, September 30, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.

Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.0
" " Mail, "	7.0

WEEKLIES.

Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1 00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20

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Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

TORONTO EXHIBITION.

On Wednesday, 14th inst., your reporter got on board the cars for the City, with the intention of seeing the Exhibition, and having a good time generally. By the time we reached Dundalk, we began to be uncomfortably crowded, and upon reaching Orangeville there was hardly standing room even on the platforms. At Orangeville another passenger coach was attached to our train and was filled almost as soon as coupled. Then box cars were brought into requisition, and they also were soon filled. All went "merry as a marriage bell" until we were past Alton a short distance. Here the tender took to the sulks and left the rail. There was a difference in this case to the one mentioned by our correspondent, whose letter will be found on our first page, the passengers did not stand round gazing at the train hands, but went to work with a will to get the tender on the track again. After considerable labor we succeeded in getting it on again, but had gone only a few yards when the postal and express car followed the evil example of the tender. However we got off again, and met with no further mishap and arrived at the City close on 5 o'clock p.m., nearly two hours behind time. Upon reaching the City, our first thought was to secure a resting-place, which, from the crowded state of the hotels, was rather difficult to do. However, after wandering about until nearly 10 o'clock, we dropped into the Bull's Head, kept by Mr. J. B. Mullaney, No. 146 Niagara street, and would wish to stop at no better house. Mr. Mullaney is an old newspaper man, and of course your correspondent received every attention. Thursday, we visited the Exhibition.

To give an account in detail of all we saw would take up more space than you could spare.

The first thing that attracted our attention was McKelvey's cream gatherer. It is in our estimation the best thing of the kind we ever saw. In the same Hall we saw a cider press at work.

Our next visit was to the Machinery Hall. Here was every implement that a farmer requires, Reapers, Mowers, Self-binders, Threshing machines, Ploughs, Harrows, Sulky Rakes, &c., &c. If the usefulness of the implements exhibited were anything in comparison to their looks, they would all be first-class.

Waterous, of Brantford, had a grand display. They had a portable saw mill and grist mill at work on the grounds.

Haggart & Bros., Brampton, had an excellent display of Mowers, Reapers, Threshing machines, Portable engines, and a self-binder, which used either cord or wire, and appeared to do its work well.

Elliott & Son had a self-binder on the ground which used wire only, and the Osborn binder with cord, was also on exhibition.

The Stove room was the next place we visited. It was simply grand. The three principal exhibitors were the Oshawa Stove Company, McClary & Son. London, J. G. Strathern. The Oshawa Company had the largest exhibit, but in our opinion, McClary & Son's were, as far as workmanship was concerned, the best.

William Buck, of Brantford, showed a number of coal oil stoves, and to prove that they were capable of doing all he claimed for them, baking roasting and coffee-making was going on all through the day.

The poultry house was the next place to claim our attention. We think it is bad policy to have poultry exhibited at this season, as they are moulting, and consequently show to disadvantage. The exhibit however was good and of every imaginable variety, The ducks, we did not think much of. In fact we have seen better at County shows. The Turkeys were the finest we ever saw, as were also the geese.

We next went through the Horticultural Hall, and the sight that met our gaze was a sight not to be forgotten. Potatoes, Turnips, Carrots, Squashes, Mangles, and grain of every description. In this building the Muskoka district exhibited specimens of grain and roots; Sault Ste. Marie, grain, roots, and minerals; Manitoulin Island, grain, roots, minerals, and Indian work, The three above places received a Bronze Medal each. We then visited the butter and cheese factory which was working and turning out butter and cheese daily. In the butter department they churned three times a day, turning out 150 pounds of butter at each churning, From thence we directed our steps to the Main building, To give a description of what this building contained would occupy too much space, but will merely say that to go through it would amply repay the expense incurred in going to Toronto. The exhibit of cattle, though not as large as last year, was exceedingly good, as was that of sheep and pigs. Taking it all together the Exhibition was a grand success, and one of which Toronto might well be proud of. Of course, being newspaper man, we could not leave Toronto without paying the *Mail* and *Globe* offices a visit. In the latter office we happened to drop in just as the *Evening News* was going to press, and saw the whole process. It is wonderful the progress that has been made in printing in the past 30 years. Fifteen years ago, we were asked by a wool carder, who was looking at a steam press that was taking 1,500 impressions an hour, why presses could not be mahe to turn out papers as fast as rolls of wool were by a carding machine. We laughed at him, and told him it could never be done; but now the papers are printed on both sides, pasted, and folded at even a faster rate. Your readers may form some idea of the expense incurred in carrying on an establishment like the *Mail* or *Globe* when they are informed that the wages paid for the week we were there, in the type setting department alone, in the *Mail* was over $800.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

REPLY TO MR. WARD,—PART II.

WE entirely agree with Mr. Ward, that our Lord was very careful, both by precept and example, to impress upon his followers the necessity for due and proper authorization for the discharge of any sacred office in the Christian Church. Hence the visible descent of the Holy Ghost at His baptism, not to fit Him for His work, but to attest the divine nature of His mission, and to make this cognizable to the human senses; hence His oft repeated declaration, "As my Father hath sent me, so send I you," but we observe that Christ rarely, if ever afterwards, referred to this as evidence of His divine mission; it was "the works that I do they testify of me." When John Baptist sent two of his disciples to ask Jesus in reference to this, His reply was "Go show John those things which ye do hear and see, the blind receive their sight, the lame walk, the deaf hear, the dead are raised to life, and the poor have the Gospel preached to them."

The immediate followers of Christ were commissioned not only to preach the Gospel but they were also endued with the power of working miracles; "as ye go, preach, saying the Kingdom of heaven is at hand. Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils; freely ye have received, freely give;" Matt., x, 7-8.

The other seventy were also endowed with like power, Luke x, 9-17, and we know from the subsequent record that the apostles exercised these miraculous gifts in attestation of their mission and we remark that this power of working miracles was the peculiar and special sign of apostleship.

"Truly the *signs* of an apostle were wrought among you in all patience, in signs and wonders and mighty deeds," 2 Cor. xii, 12.

"And by the hands of the apostles were many signs and wonders wrought among the people," Acts, v, 12.

Paul healed a cripple at Lystra, Acts xiv, 10, see also Acts xix, 12—"The Lord gave testimony unto the word of his grace and granted signs and wonders to be done by their hands," Acts xiv 3.

Will Mr. Ward claim that those whom he now calls apostles' successors are endowed with like gifts? If not why not? Let those who claim to be the apostles' successors show by working miracles that they are such in reality and they will end all cavil, or if they cannot do so let them honestly renounce such arrogant pretensions.

The apostles as such have no successors, and in the very nature of things it is impossible that they could have. One of the special qualifications of an apostle was that he had seen the Lord, Acts i, 21-22; an eye witness can have no successor, The apostolic office was extraordinary and temporary, was never designed to be perpetuated—the work of the apostles viz: founding and organising the church having been accomplished they passed away and left no "successors."

The same may be said of the evangelists, who were the apostles' assistants and delegates in organizing churches; such were Timothy and Titus and others who are honorably mentioned in the New Testament, whose sphere of duty was not confined to any particular congregation or place but extended throughout every province and country wherever a company of believers were found. If Bishops are the legitimate successors of the apostles, why, we ask, did they not take the name? Was it their excessive "modesty" which led them to steal the name of another order in the church, rather than take the name which, if their claim be just, rightly belonged to them?

The Rev. gentleman goes on to say, "Our Lord spent all the former part of His life in a private capacity doubtless to teach us that no internal qualification, no good end or intention can warrant a man's exercising any holy function without a divine commission." By "internal qualification" Mr. Ward evidently refers to the operation of God's spirit in the heart and soul of the individual and the call of the Holy Ghost to the work of the Gospel ministry, which is without "observation," and invisible to the carnal sense; this he thinks is of small importance compared with the ordination of an "Apostolic" successionist which he styles the "divine commission." Now this is precisely the position taken by the Church of Rome, it is also the position which the Romanizing party in Anglican church commonly called "Puseyites" take, and viewed in the light of reason, Scripture, and morality, no doctrine could be more repugnant to the cherished principles of Protestantism the world over.

According to this theory a man may be ever so scandalous or immoral in his life, he may be a blasphemer or an infidel yet if he is in the "succession" this is considered in Mr. Ward's estimation of greater value than any "internal qualification" though it should be accompanied with the purest and loftiest "end or intention" possible. With this theory or doctrine of "Apostolical succession" we shall take the liberty to deal more fully at some future time.

Mr. Ward proceeds—in the beginning of Christianity all those who officiated in divine matters received their commission either from Christ himself or from Apostolic hands."

Certainly, from what other source could they get their "commission" unless, perhaps, "Simon Magus" may have tried his hand to some purpose. "Paul and Barnabas ordained elders in every church which they planted," precisely so, and those elders were also called "Bishops" as we have before shown but we are not told that they ordained *any other class of officers* having a higher position or more exalted state in the church than the *elders*.

We ask your readers to note this fact particularly. Paul and Barnabas, the *divinely inspired Apostles* of our Lord, *the founders and organizers of the infant Church*, who ought to have known and who certainly did know *what officers ought to preside* over the little communities which they had gathered with so much toil and solicitude; "ordained elders in every church which they planted." Now, surely, if the Apostles had intended that there should be a *class of officers* in the church *superior to the elders*, they would not have neglected to appointed such superior officers, seeing that they had appointed the inferior? Are we to suppose that those eminent servants of God acting under the immediate inspiration and guidance of the Holy Ghost would have been guilty of such a dereliction of duty? Away with the thought!

Mr. Ward proceeds—"the other apostles used the same method as did also their successors after them, as is sufficiently evident from the Scripture and ancient history which abundantly proves the necessity of a divine commission &c." This sentence is somewhat involved and mixed, it shows that the writer had no very clear conception of what he wanted to say, or had already written. "Other apostles used the same method as did also their successors after them," that is "other apostles." "ordained elders in every church" as "Paul and Barnabas" had done, "so did their successors after them." Now this is just the point at issue—Where are these "successors"? Who are they apart from the "elders" who have been "ordained in every church?" Where do we find in the New Testament these "successors"? "As is sufficiently proved by Scripture and ancient history." We reply, Scripture proves *no such thing* and as for "ancient history," it proves that Episcopacy arose and gradually developed co-ordinately with the Apostacy which obscured and almost obliterated the once pure and undefiled Church of the Apostles. "Which abundantly proves the necessity of a divine commission." We presume this means that "Scripture and ancient history" prove the necessity of a "divine commission." We thought Rev. W. had proved the necessity of a "divine commission" from the Scripture, without the aid of "ancient history"—the gentleman is so full of history that he forgets what he had already written. We deny however that "ancient history" proves anything whatever about a "divine commission," and we challenge Rev. W. or anybody else to prove a "divine commission" outside of the Scriptures.

Mr. Ward proceeds: "It may be asked, who may be said to have this "divine commission"? he then answers this all important question in the following fashion, "We need not doubt to affirm that none but those who are ordained by such as are now commonly called bishops *are have any authority to minister in the Christian Church*. For that *the power of ordination is solely lodged in that elder* is proved from the institution of our Saviour and the constant practice of the Apostles."

Into this extraordinary statement we shall take the liberty to look very closely, we shall examine and compare the several passages of Scripture bearing on ordination therewith, and see how they agree.

That the Apostles were appointed by Christ himself and endowed with supernatural gifts we all of course admit.

About three years after the day of Pentecost we have the appointment of Deacons recorded—Acts vi, 1-6.

The brethren selected the men and the Apostles "ordained" them; these men were to attend to the secular work of the church and relieve the Apostles of that duty. The office to which they were ordained was simply to take charge of the funds of the poor and distribute them according to their best judgment. Of these seven men however, two at least were zealous and successful *ministers of the Gospel* viz: Stephen and Philip, and one of them baptized the Ethiopian eunuch although we are not told that either of them was ever ordained to preach or baptize. Ten or twelve years after the appointment of deacons we read for the first time in Acts xi, 30, of elders, but when, how, and by whom appointed is not recorded. Two years after this we read in Acts, xiv, 23 "and when they had ordained them elders in every church," here we have a plurality of elders or presbyters in each of the churches referred to. Some time after this we have an account in Acts. xv. 14, of the "Apostles and elders" being assembled in a council at Jerusalem to consider the question of "circumcision." This fact shows that the Apostles and elders were now associated for the government of the church.

After the lapse of other ten or twelve years or about 32 years after Pentecost, we meet with the word "Bishop" for the first time, in Paul's epistle to Titus, but not as implying an office distinct from that of elder or presbyter, but simply as a name given to a presbyter.

"For this cause left I thee in Crete that thou shouldst set in order the things that are wanting, and ordained *elders in every city*, as I appointed thee; *If any be blameless*, the husband of one wife, having faithful children not accused of riot or unruly; for a *bishop must be blameless* as the steward of God &c." Here then we have a plurality of elders or presbyters or as they are now called bishops in the various churches of Crete. All the presbyters, in the Apostolic churches were bishops or oversers, and there were a plurality of them in each church, and in point of rank or dignity they enjoyed perfect equality. How does this accord with the practice in the Episcopal Church? In the first epistle to Timothy, which was written some time after the epistle to Titus, the word "bishop" occurs the second time. In this epistle we have an account of the ordination of Timothy: "Neglect not the gift that is in thee, which was given thee by prophecy with the laying on of the *hands of the presbytery*." Here then we have ordination by "presbytery," and we challenge Mr. Ward or anyone else to show from Scripture that *Paul was present at all at Timothy's ordination* though he possibly may have been, but if so he merely took part as a presbyter. Will Mr. Ward say that Timothy's ordination was not valid or that he "had no authority to minister in the Christian church" not having been ordained by "such as are now commonly called Bishops."

We ask your readers to note particularly this fact. The Apostle Paul tells us in the passage above quoted that Timothy was ordained "by *the laying on of the hands of the presbytery*" Mr. Ward says such an ordination *is not valid*, not having been performed by a bishop, and hence Timothy was merely an unauthorized pretender. Now, who is right. Mr. Ward or the divinely inspired Paul, the great apostle to the Gentiles?

In the second epistle to Timothy we have another statement which Mr. Ward claims refers to ordination. "Wherefore I put thee in remembrance that thou stir up the gift of God which is in thee by the putting on of my hands." Had Timothy then two ordinations, one by the Presbytery and one by Paul himself? Certainly not. We challenge Mr. Ward to show that this latter passage refers to ordination at all. When Paul speaks of "stirring up the gift received by putting on his hands" *he does not refer to the office of evangelist to which Timothy had been ordained by the "presbytery"* but to a supernatural gift conferred on Timothy by the laying on of the apostle's hands, as in Acts, xix, 6: "And when Paul had laid his hands on them, the Holy Ghost came on them and they spake with tongues and prophesied." To speak of "stirring up" a gift of this kind would be intelligible, but to speak of stirring up an office would be absurd.

From the foregoing it is clear that ordination by the presbytery is valid. New Testament ordination notwithstanding what Mr. Ward or the Apostolic successionists may say to the contrary.

In Acts xx, 17 we find that Paul on his journey sent from Miletus to Ephesus and "called the elders of the church" to confer with them, and in the course of his address the following expressions occur "Take heed therefore unto yourselves and to all the flock over which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers," (the original word is Bishops) verse 28. Here then we see the two names, "elders" and "bishops" applied to the same class of officers; in other words presbyters are bishops, and bishops are presbyters, as we now use the names "pastor" or "minister" to the same individual.

The reason of these two names being given to the same order we shall give in our next, and now close part II.

WM. BROWN.

MARKDALE, Sept. 26, 1881.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—Sae "M" is at it again aboot the major tunes, and tries to brazen the thing oot in a lang screed aboot family and public worship. Nae wunner that it took him a hail fortnicht tae fash up sic a story. He professes tae think I couldna tell the distance from Markdale tae John O'Groats. Some folks think because they canna dae anything themsels, therefore nae ither ane can do't. The dottlin body! Man, sir, I've travelled ilka fit o't mysel, and could tell something aboot the Ablins, for some riggin o' his ain he wants to rin hoo far it is frae Markdale to the ither place, and expecks tae get it oot o' me. Dod but he's gie an' cunnin' after a'. But I'm thinking he's found his match for ance. Says Tibbie tae me, "Dinna tell him, Tammas. He is no tae be lippened till, wi' his havers aboot measuring tunes as if it was land surveying, an' speaking aboot scales an' keys an' moods, as if that had onything tae dae wi' singin'. I tauld ye last week he was sure tae be in a fearfu rage, an' noo you see for yoursel the *mood* he's in. He maun be either a Roman or an Episcopal or he wad ne'er speak as he does aboot the keys. If I was you, Tammas, I wad just pat him I the scales an' weight him till he's ashamed o' himsel." Weel, sir, I think Tibbi's advice is soond, as it generally is, an' I jest pat it tae you an' your readers, tae judge for yoursels the kind o' a chiel "M," is, wha speaks sae irreverently aboot singin' Bonnie Dundee i' the kirk or ut family worship. Noo, I've a great respeck for Robbie Burns, but I'm nae idolator, an' tho' Robbie an "M,," an' fifty thoosan' like them, wad recommen' Claversae—the black scoonrel—tae be honored in that way, I wadna do't, sir, an, nae mair wad Tibbie, nor ony God fearin' Christian, Timmer organs are made by the Almichty as weel as oor ain organs. We only pat them thegither. Then for why shouldna we use them. "M." says he is content tae praise wi' his lips. I can weel believe that o' him. Lip praise, ye ken! But it's praise frae the heart the Lord wants, as I said afore, "Tae sing wi' a lood noise joyfully." I'm thinkin' this will feenish "M." noo'.

Yours tae command,

TAMMAS TICKLE.

PIC-NIC.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—As announced in your journal two weeks ago concerning this Pic Nic, to be held at No 5. R. C. S. S., Glenelg, came off on Wednesday 14th Inst., and proved a grand success. Owing to hurried time the multitude was small notwithstanding this $87 was realized. The weather, was as favorable as could be desired, and old King Sol favored us with his warming smiles on that day, to our hearts content. Much praise is due to our teacher, and to the Ladies and gents of the committee, and also to our trustworthy and honest treasurer, Mr. McAsey, arrangements they had made for the occasion on that day. The eatables provided by the Ladies of the Section were all that could be desired. The tables were laid with the choisest delacies of the season, which would have tempted the appetite of his Lordship the Marquis of Lorne. Much credit is due to that tallented and noble musician Mr. Joseph Maggett, for his able services rendered on the grounds on that day, as the soles of the Ladies and gents boots can testify who enjoyed themselves in the whirling maze of the light tripaze.

MR. EDITOR,—I mean to inform you through the columns of your valuable journal that Mr. Maurice Doolan was the hero of the day. The way he waited on the Ladies, old and young, in serving them with ginger pop and candies, for all know there was no Jamaca rum, you will excuse the writer for intruding so much of your space.

J. J. D., T.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Council met in the Town Hall Flesherton, Sept. 5th 1881.

Members all present. Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communications from A. Nelson and J. Higginbotham, presented and read.

Messrs. Akitt, Brodie and Webster, waited upon Council regarding closing of part of Simpson street, Eugenia.

Messrs. Richardson, Sproule, Hogg, Armstrong, Fawcett, Badgerow, and Strain waited upon Council re grant to gravel road between Flesherton and Priceville.

By Law No. 338, to appoint collectors for 1881, passed in the usual way.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that the following accounts be paid: Mr. Sproule, postage $4.07; D. McLean, repairing scraper, $2.75; A. R. Fawcett, printing, $45.

The following road jobs were ordered to be paid.

Ward No. 1, Donald McArthur, $34.00; M. Williams, $7.50.

Ward No. 4. Henery Fenwick, $1.20; John McNeven, $20.00; John Pedlar, $10.00.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that the account of Mr. Lever, for the loss of heifer on 140 side road, be laid over till further consideration, and that Mr. Wright get at the facts of the case against next meeting of Council.

Mr. Elliot moved, seconded by Mr. Webster, that if Artemesia Agricultural Society purchase portions of reserve No. 204, Eugenia, now offered them by the Government, for show ground, this council is willing to sell to said Society that portion of Simpson street between Evans and Inkerman streets, provided no public or private interest is effected by said sale.

Mr. [illegible], seconded by Mr. Elliott, that the sum of $175.00 be granted to gravel road between Flesherton and Priceville, $75 be between Flesherton and Salem, and $100 between Priceville and [illegible], said amounts to be expended by Commissioners of the Wards interested at once, and a report presented at this Council, in the [illegible]. Council Adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

BIRTHS.

RUTLEDGE.—In Markdale, on the 26th inst., the wife of C. W. Rutledge, Editor STANDARD, of a daughter.

DIED.

SCOTT.—In Euphrasia Township, on 17th inst., after a lingering illness, Jane, relict of the late Mitchell Scott, aged 73 years.

MASON.—In Manitoba, on the 13th inst., Jas. Mason, Esq., brother-in-law to Mr. John Montgomery, Baker, and late of Allenford, aged 46, disease, congestion of lungs.

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(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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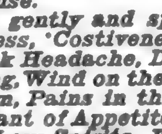

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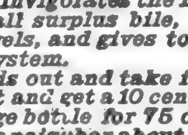

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All the late improvements in style and finish.

HARDWARE!

TINWARE,

Paints, White Lead, Paint Oil, Machine Oil, Coal Oil, Lamps, &c.,

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Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Sept. 28th, 1881.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 82, con. 2 E. T. & S. R., Holland, about the month of June, eight head of cattle—7 yearlings and one 2 year old heifer, nearly white. 1 white heifer, 1 heifer very light color with a little red on neck and head, 2 steers red, 1 brindled, 1 spotted, and one dark brown or slightly brindled. Any information that will lead to the recovery of the above will be thankfully received.

FRANCIS BURTON, Markdale P. O.

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FARM FOR SALE.

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range east of T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, containing 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation. Soil, Caly-Loam, free from stone, well fenced, and well watered. A new frame house, and a good frame barn on the premises. Forty acres of good hardwood bush. This desirable property is situated 4 miles from Markdale, and will be sold on easy terms. Price, $2,500. For particulars, apply on the premises to J. T. & J. QUINN.

Markdale, Sept. 28. 1881. 54-6tn

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Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. BOWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 19, 1881. 54-3m

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Large Arrivals New Goods

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Many lines of Goods bought after the fall of ten per cent. in price, hence we know prices will be right.

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N. B.—We are open to buy any quantity of Butter, Wheat and all kinds of produce, if you don't see us on the market let us know before you sell.

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THE SUNSET OF SAD SIGHTS.—The grey hairs of age being brought with sorrow to the grave is now, we are glad to think, becoming rarer every year as the use of Cingalese Hair Restorer becomes more general. By its use the scanty locks of age once more resume their former color and the hair becomes thick and luxuriant as ever; with its aid we can now defy the change of years, resting assured that no Grey Hair at any rate will come to sadden us. Sold by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

JOTTINGS FROM MAXWELL.

Slight showers in this neighbourhood.

The timber men are on the war-path again in this township.

A great number of sheep have been bought up in this village for shipment to other parts.

When in Flesherton, go and see Mr. Doll's new store, his wonderful stock of watches and new goods.

Mr. John L. B. Hamlin, of this place, and formerly of Owen Sound, ressigned all claims upon bachelordom last week and took to himself a partener for life in the person of Miss. Isabel-Hudson, of this place. The Marriage ceremony was solemnized by the Rev. Alex. McDowell, of Duntroom. We wish them a long and happy life.

W. F. Doll will guarantee to sell Lady's Gold Watches from 20 to 40 per cent. lower than any other Jeweller in this County.

The fact that we are having a good year is evident, for many are the tramps that collect on us now.

A great number of the farmers in this vicinity have threshed their crops and the yield seems to be encouraging.

The congregation of St. Mary's Church here, meet for Divine worship in the Orange Hall at present, as the church is being repaired and improved.

As a family Medicine Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters are rapidly taking the place of pills, they are equally effectual, do not gripe, weaken, or produce nausea and are purely vegetable. In large 8 oz. bottles at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

CHURCH RE-OPENING.

The re-opening of the Methodist Church of Canada in Dundalk was a decided success, On last Sabbath at 10.30, the Rev. Mr. Fish of Owen Sound, Chairman of the District, delivered an excellent sermon. At 2.30 p. m., the Rev. Mr. Eakin, Presbyterian Minister of Dundalk, delivered an able discourse. At 6.30, Mr. Fish again preached, delivering an instrucand and enthusiastic sermon, to perperhaps the largest congregation that has ever congregated in Dundalk.—Every available seat was occupied, which made the Trustees think for the first time that that they had not made the addition to the church large enough. We would not be surprized to see another enlargement of the same church within five years.

On Monday evening, the Harvest-Home Tea Meeting came off, and was a grand success. After tea, Mr. J. J. Middleton, Reeve of Proton, was appointed Chairman. After a few appropriate remarks by the Chairman, stating the object of the meeting, the Rev. Mr. Fish entered vigorously on the subject of liberality by subscription, and within the space of one hour the total sum of $331 was made up, which will pay off the entire debt on the church, build a drive-shed, and leave some for other improvements; after which the Chairman called upon the Rev. Mr. Eakin, Presbyterian Minister, Dunkdalk, who gave a short address, stating that the object of the meeting was successfully accomplished, and there was notoing left for him to do, as the entire dept was wiped off. The Rev. Mr. Philps of Flesherton, was next called upon, who gave a short speech, and filled the house with mirth; said that he was pleased to see the progress made in Dundalk.—After which the Rev. Mr. Fish was called upon, who gave a short and interesting account of the present and futuer of Dundalk, stating that he was pleased to see the progress and improvements that have been going on in our village since he was in it last, and complemented our citizens for their energy, and prophesied great things for us in the future.

The church choir rendered most excellent service on the occasion. Miss Lamon presided at the organ. The Rev. A. Potter, pastor of the church, was present and active on the occasion and we are sure he was much pleased with the success of the entire proceed ings.

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DISASTROUS FIRE.

$25,,000 WORTH OF PROPERTY DESTROYED AT COLLINGWOOD.

COLLINGWOOD, Sept. 25.—About 4 oclock this afternoon the fire bell rang an alarm, and fire was seen issuing from the premises occupied by J. W. Carey as a boot and shoe store and shop. The adjoining building, occupied by P. W. Bell & Co., was soon enveloped in flames, which quickly extended to Guilfoyle Bros. on the south and to the verandah in front of T. Long & Bro. on the north. Long's grocery, which was a frame building, was quickly consumed, and their magnificent four storey brick building soon succumbed to the flames. W. J. Frame's store was the next, and the fire rapidly extended to W. Leary's building, occupied by T. Best as a gents' furnishing store and W. A. Hogg as a printing office and book store. The store of Melville, Fair & Co., next took fire, and on it the exertions of the fire brigade were now concentrated, and the engine played steadily on it without any seeming effect for a long time, as it had a Mansard roof, and it seemed impossible to get the water to reach to the fire, which had got between the upper ceiling and roof, but finally they succeeded in stoping the flames in that direction. In the meantime.

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south and east, the buildings to the south of Long Bros, being all of wood, with the exception of a stone dwelling belonging to C. Cameron, and unoccupied, which was completely destroyed. The confectionery store of Foreman & Sons, the grocery of R. W. O'Brien, Cooper's watchmaker's shop, Sheffield's restaurant, Patton's boot and shoe shop, and Archer's grocery were all consumed together with all the storehouses and premises in the rear. The heat was so intense that it set fire to three or four wooden buildings on the opposite side of Hurontario street, which is ninety-nine feet wide, and they were soon consumed. They were owned by T. Long & Bro. and B. Callary, and occupied respectively by Perritt, tin shop, Broughton, saddler, Anderson & Co., hardware, Miss Storey, boots and shoes, and Chellew, cabinetware. The fire then extended to the east and burned nine dwelling-houses and several stables, the principal sufferers being R. O. Hunter, of the firm of Lindsay Hunter & Macdonald, Mrs. Hocking, J. Pearce, Miss brown, and others not known at present. The station buildings and platform were repeatedly on fire, but were saved by the greatest exertions of the employes of the company. The wind, which was blowing a gale from the west, carried the fire to Tobey's tannery, a distance of over half a mile, and set fire to the wood and tanbark there, a very large quantity of which was burned, and it was only by the almost superhuman exertions of Mr. Tobey and his employes that that the tannery is yet unburnt. About seven o'clock the steam fire engine from Stayner arrived, and the fire now seems to be under control. E. R. Carpenter, druggist, next building to Melville & Fair, will suffer a very heavy loss from water which was played on the building, and in the music hall immediately above kis store; and Lindsay, hunter & McDonald will suffer heavily from removing goods in anticipation of the fire extending. The principal sufferers are as follows:—Melville Fair & Co., general store; loss will be very heavy, as the roof of the building and the upper storey are completely gutted, and the store is completely flooded with water. C. Patton, boots and shoes; Best Bros., gents furnishings; W. A. Hogg, *Enterprise* printing office, book-bindery, an book-store; W. J. Frame, general store; T. Long & Bros., general store; J. W. Carey, boots and shoes; S. W. Bell, general store; Guilfoyle Bros., general store; C. Cameron, stone dwelling-house, unoccupied; Foreign & Sons, bakers and confectioners; R. W. O'Brine, groceries; R. Carey, boots and shoes; Sheffield restaurant; Cooper, jeweller; Archer, Groceries: W. R. Anderson & Co., hardware; Perrit, tinsmith; Houghton, saddler; Miss Shory, boots and shoes; Chellew furniture—all a total loss. It is impossible to night to give even an approximate amount of loss, which cannot be less than $25,000, or how much is covered by insurance. Longs' loss also Melville, Fair & Co.'s, and Frame's, and Best's, must be very large, as they all had laid in their fall stocks. The Bank of Toronto and Central hotel were only saved by great exertions. At one time it was thought that nothing could save the greater part of the town. As it is, the best business portion of the town is a complete ruin. The Origin of the fire is unknown, but it is supposed to be from a match or cigar carelessly dropped on the sidewalk and soon fanned to a flame by the very high winds blowing to-day. The telegraph wires are all demoralized.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Council met as per adjournment at Hopeville, on Tuesday, 20th Sept., at 10 a.m. Members of Council present. Reeve in the chair. The minutes of previous meeting held at Dundalk read and confirmed.

Several communications recieved and bills of accounts rendered and read over.

McArdle, and Abbott moved that W. Henderson be allowed to preform two days statute labor now due against part of 13 in 5th con. and when certified to the T'p. Clerk by the Councillor of the Division, that the Clerk reduce the amount $2.00 of the arrears against his lot.—Carried.

McArdle and Buckley moved that each Councillor be empowered to collect all the broken scrapers in his respective Division, and to dispose of them for the benifit of the Roads in the same.—Carried.

Abbott and Black moved that the Rate for the year 1881 be five mills in the dollar to cover all the liabilities and that the Clerk draft a by-law to that effect.—Carried.

Abbott and Buckley moved that this Council appoint Councilors McArdle & Black to inspect course of ditch dug across lot 13 con. 13 and if the presence of the same is found to be a grievence to locate it in the interests of all according to their best judgement and make arrangement for the expense so incurred.—Carried.

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McArdle and Buckley moved that the bill of A. H. Burnet for mending scrapers be paid amounting to $2.00.—Carried.

Abbott and Black moved that the Clerk ascertain from the Co. Treasurer if the taxes of 1880 are paid on the following lots 18, con. 15 30, 32, con. 14; lot E½ 30, con. 15; lots 24, 25, 26, 27, con. 18; lots 13, 16, 18, 19, 23, 24 25, 27, con. 19; lots 9, 15, con. 8 lot 11, con. 5; lots 7. 8, 9, 11, 16, con. 6; 9, 12, 13, con. 7; lots 9, 10, 11, part of 6, con. 8; lots 4, 22, 25, con. 9; lots 2, 3, 8, 10, 11, 23, 24, 22, con. 10; lots 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, con. 10; lots 11, E½ 12, 20, 21, con. 11; lot 18, con. 12 lots 1 & 12, con. 13.—Carried.

Black and McArdle moved that a bridge be erected across the Saugeen river opposite lot 15, con. 19, providing that the cost do not exceed $75.00 and that the Reeve and mover do let and inspect the same and are further authorized to arrange for deviation of the same if deemed necessary.—Carried.

Black and Abbott moved that the sum of $5.00 be paid to Jas. McMurdo for gravel taken off his lot on the 14th con. in full for same and raising of the fence.—Carried.

McArdle and Black moved that James Buckley Councillor for Division No. 1 be allowed to build a bridge on the town line between Proton and Egremont at the 4th con., providing the township of Egremont grant an equal share and that the Clerk notify the Egremont Council of the same.—Carried.

Black and McArdle moved that the Councillor of Division No. 2 be allowed to let $10 worth of gravel on the 12th side road at the 13th con. adjoining the 14th con. and the amount be taken out of the Statute Labor money coming to the Division.—Carried.

Abbott and Black moved that the arrears of taxes appearing on roll against lot 21 range 4 to the amount of $19.17 be erased as the same appears to have been charged in error.—Carried.

Abbott and Black moved that lot 21 in con 14 be placed in the collector's roll at the value of $350 to Robt. Colgin.—Carried.

Buckley and Abbott moved that the Clerk be requested to correspond with the County Treasurer, regarding to west half of lot No. 230 con. 3 to be sold for taxes at the approaching sale and if found so liable to have the same removed as the taxes have been paid.—Carried.

McArdle and Black moved that the Treasure is hereby authorized to give to Jas Nixon a certain note made Dec. 4th 1876 as the same has been paid and duly certified to by old Councillor.—Carried.

Abbott and Buckley moved that the bill of N. Ure & Co. be paid the amount being $7.13 for Harrision's manual and postage.—Carried.

Black and Abbott moved that the account of C. W. Rutledge for $9.50 for stationery and printing be paid.—Carried.

Council went into committee of the whole on by law No. 236 with Mr. Abbott, Deputy Reeve in the chair, committee rose and reported by law as filled up in committee of the whole. Council resumed, Reeve in the chair.

Abbott and Black moved that by law 236 read a first and second time be now read a third time signed sealed and engrossed in the minutes.—Carried.

McArdle and Black moved that the petition of John A. Scarlett and others for a grant to improve the township at lot 12 in the 13th con. be recieved and the council grant $10.00 provided the people interested give ten days gratis work to be preformed under the councillor of the Division.—Carried

Buckley and Black moved that the several members of the Council be allowed $15:00 each for letting and inspecting road Jobs paid by apportionments to the various Divisions.—Carried.

Black and Buckley moved that James Cavanagh, referee in connection with the School Sections 3 and 9 to Mount Forest be paid the sum of $10.00 for his servises and that the Reeve and Deputy Reeve be paid $4.00 each having been summoned to Mount Forest in the same connection.—Carried.

McArdle and Buckley moved that this Council recieve their pay up to date.—Carried.

Black and Buckley moved that the Clerk request the Council of Egremont to make an expenditure of $20.00 on the boundary line between Proton and Egremont opposite the 19th con. in the first named township to meet a similiar amount expendid by Proton.—Carried.

McArdle and Buckley moved that this Council adjourn to meet at Cedarville on the 4th Tuesday of October next.—Carried.

JOHN VERT,
T'p. Clerk.

FALL SHOWS.

DOMINION EXHIBITION—At Halifax, N S., from 21st to 30th Sept.
PROVINCIAL—At London from Wednesday Sept. 21st to 29th.
EAST GREY—At Flesherton, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 6th and 7th
SOUTH GREY—At Durham, Wednesday, and Thursday, Sept. 28th and 29th.
HOLLAND—At Chatsworth, on Friday, Sept. 30th.
PROTON—At Hopeville, on Friday, Sept. 30th.
GLENELG—At Markdale, Oct. 5th.
EUPHRASIA—At Rocklyn, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th.
SULLIVAN—At Desboro, on Wednesday, Oct. 5th.
EGREMONT—At Holstein, on Tuesday, Oct. 11th.
DUFFERIN—At Orangeville, Sept. 28, 29 and 30.
MELANCTHON—At Shelburne, Oct 6th and 7th.
OSPREY.—At McIntyres corners, on Tuesday, Oct 11th.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Sept 30, 1881.

Flour	6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.20	to	1.26
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.33	"	0.35
Peas	0.65	"	0.73
Potatoes.	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50	"	1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	10.00	"	12.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.20	to	$1.25
" " " 2	1.15	to	1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
" " " 2	1.16	to	1.20
" " " 3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley " 2	.65	to	.79
" " 3	.50	to	.57
Peas " 1	.65	to	.70
" " 2	.60	to	.62
Oats " 1	.34	to	.35
Butter " 1	.18	to	.20
Eggs	.14	to	.14

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.*)

FRIDAY, Sept 30th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush,	1.20	to	1.24
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.20
Barley	0.60	"	0.78
Oats	0.32	"	0.34
Peas	0.65	"	0.72
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	5 00	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	10.0	"	12.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

Nothing Like Leather.

W. M'LEOD & CO.,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

W. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto September 29th, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bushel	$1 24	to	$1 27
Wheat, spring, do	1 [illegible]	to	1 15
Barley, do	0 [illegible]	to	0 [illegible]
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 [illegible]
Peas, do.	0 76	to	0 [illegible]
Rye, do.	0 75	to	0 [illegible]
Clover Seed	[illegible]		[illegible]
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	[illegible]	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	[illegible]	to	8 00
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	[illegible]
Chickens, per pair	[illegible]	to	0 60
Fowls, do	[illegible]	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	[illegible]	to	0 84
Geese, each	[illegible]	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 50
Butter, large rolls	20	to	0 24
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 18	to	0 20
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	2 50
Potatoes per bag	0 80	to	0 90
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	[illegible]	to	16 00

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

BEST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea

has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for year from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... the advertiser's experience can ... so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

$2 Watches. Stem winders $3 50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO., 183 Nassau st., New York.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham st., N. Y.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau street, New York. 20-ly

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

TENDERS

FOR the erection of Snow Fencing along the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, will be received by the undersigned up to Saturday, the 17th September. Plans and Specifications can be had on application, or may be seen at the Head Office of the Company, Toronto. All material supplied by the Company.

EDMUND WRAGGE,
General Manager, T., G. & B. Ry.,
Toronto.

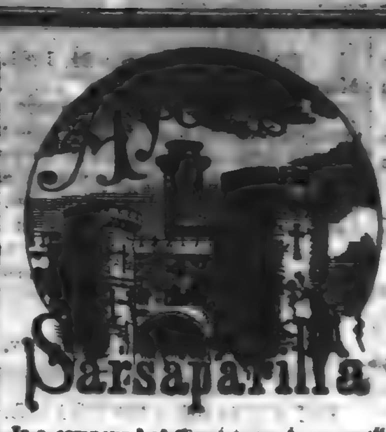
Toronto, Sept. 7, 1881. 52-2t

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that a promissory note for $150.25, purporting to be made by me in favor of the "Globe Lightning Rod Co.," was obtained from me by one D. Rutherford, who represented himself to be an agent of said Company, as, and for an acknowledgement for the receipt of lightning rod material, I having previously agreed to act as the Company's local agent. As I never purchased said material and never intended to give any note therefor, payment of said note is refused.

(Signed), THOMAS KNIGHT.

Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881. 51-4t.



Is a compound of the virtues of sarsaparilla, stillingia, mandrake, yellow dock, with the iodide of potash and iron, all powerful blood-making, blood-cleansing, and life-sustaining elements. It is the purest, safest, and most effectual alterative medicine known or available to the public. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy, nor one so potent to cure all diseases resulting from impure blood. It cures Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Pimples and Face-grubs, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Mercurial Disease, Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, and General Debility.

By its searching and cleansing qualities it purges out the foul corruptions which contaminate the blood and cause derangement and decay. It stimulates and enlivens the vital functions, promotes energy and strength, restores and preserves health, and infuses new life and vigor throughout the whole system. No sufferer from any disease which arises from impurity of the blood need despair who will give AYER'S SARSAPARILLA a fair trial.

It is folly to experiment with the numerous low-priced mixtures, of cheap materials, and without medicinal virtues, offered as blood-purifiers, while disease becomes more firmly seated. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA is a medicine of such concentrated curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and most reliable blood-purifier known. Physicians know its composition, and prescribe it. It has been widely used for forty years, and has won the unqualified confidence of millions whom it has benefited.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and the surrounding country, that he is prepare to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily

CUTTING!

Done will customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-tf

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an car call, as he will sell at the lowest living pricesl for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

always on hand.

Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

J. GORDON.

Flesherton, March, 1881. 16

Farm to Rent.

SOUTH HALF LOT 7, CON. 12, EUPHRASIA, 100 acres, 80 cleared and under cultivation. House, barn and stables on the premiies, also well watered. Will rent for a term of years. Situated three miles from Markdale. For further particulars apply to JOHN LYONS, on the premises, or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD office, Markdale.

Euphrasia, Sept. 15th, 1881. 53-3t*

STRAYED.

CAME into the premises of the Subscriber, lot 103, con. 3, west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, early in August, a Yearling Steer, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

R. H. BOYCE.

Glenelg, Sept. 5, 1881. 52-3t

NOTICE.

THE subscriber in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

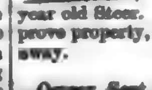
of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipelled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49 tf.

ESTRAY.



CAME INTO THE PREMISES of the undersigned, Lot 5, Con. 6, Osprey, in July last, a two year old Steer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away.

DAVID MADILL.

Osprey, Sept. 13th, 1881. 53-3in.

FOR SALE.

A THREE YEAR OLD MARE, LARGE size ...

53-3t WM. BROWN.

Look Out, Look Out!

—FOR—

R. DAVIS'

MAMMOTH

LAND LIST

—TO BE—

Issued about 27th Sept.

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All parties wanting lands in the County of Grey should see this List. The largest list of lands for sale ever issued in this County. Those having lands to dispose of should send in the description of their properties for insertion, not later than Saturday, 24th inst.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agt.

GOLD

Or its equivalent, can purchase any thing you may require in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, or in fact anything that is usually

FOUND

In a general country store

IN

Purchasieg, you should always ascertain where you can purchase to the best advantage, that is get the best goods at the lowest price, and that place is

BUTTER & RAE'S

MARKDALE.

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To All Whom It May Concern.

As the season has arrived when money is plentiful and we have no collector but the bailiff, we must have our accounts by the 10th of October.

August 9th, 1881. 1

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

Sydenham Street,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43 6m

MARKDALE

CARRIAGE WORKS!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRTS.
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES,

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING
AND
General Jobbing!

As we warant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-3m.

JOHN NOBLE.

General Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 1881 -4tf

Farm for Sale.

LOT No. 9, Concession 10, Glenelg, containing 100 acres—80 of which is cleared and under cultivation, the balance well timbered, chiefly hardwood. On the premises is a barn 60x24, a house and outbuildings, and a young orchard, is well watered and well fenced with cedar rails. It is situated 5½ miles from the thriving village of Markdale. Title good; possession given at once. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the proprietor is going West. Apply to

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P.O.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

September 2nd, 1881. 51-3t*

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 80 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS,
On the premises.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Reeves' residence.

Orders by Mail promptly attended to.

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

on

Wednesdays and Saturdays,

By Thomas Smith,

... Hotel for Tonsorial ...

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-6m

Agriculture.

SUGGESTIONS OF AND FOR THE SEASON.

THE FRUIT GARDEN.

The advantages of a fruit garden are many, and all farmers should have one. Now is a good time to choose a place and prepare it for raising fruit of the smaller sorts. The soil should be well-drained and rich. Strawberry plants may be set out until the coming of the frosts, after which the soil of the beds should be covered with litter, putting it slightly over the plants. There is no great gain, as to the fruit, in planting strawberries late; but the soil is in better condition now than in spring, and work is not so pressing. No crop can be expected the next season unless potted plants are set. Two feet between the rows will be the distance most suitable for working a small cultivator among the plants. Blackberry and Rasberry plants had better be set out in the fall, as they start growing so early in the spring. Blackberries should be 6 to 8 feet apart in rows, and the Raspberries about 4 by 4 feet. In picking the Grapes for market it is best to use the grape scissors, which allow the bunch to be removed without handling and defacing the bloom. The thin-skinned varieties, like the Concord, will not keep long, but the tough skinned kinds, as the Catawba, Iona, and Diana, may be preserved in good shape until the holidays. To thus keep them the grapes must be well ripened, picked with care, and left in a cool room for a few days until the skin gets tough. Pack them afterwards in small boxes (3 to 5 lbs.), putting the fruit in from the bottom, and putting on the cover (bottom), with some pressure, and tacking fast. Label the other side, which is the one to be opened. Keep in a dry and cool place until sent to market.—*In American Agriculturist for October.*

KITCHEN AND MARKET GARDEN.

There is but little regular garden work after this month, except caring for the crops and preparing for those of early spring. The rubbish that may have accumulated should be cleared away: manure and plow or spade as much of the garden as possible.

Cold frames should be ready for the early lettuce, cabbage, etc. It is a simple matter to construct one of rough boards, the rear part to be one foot high, front eight inches, nailed to posts set to give a width equal to the sash used. It is best to put the frames in a sheltered place facing the south. The object of the cold frame is to keep the plants from sudden changes of weather—not for growth. The sashes should not be put on until the cold weather demands it.

Beets and Carrots are injured by freezing and should therefore be dug so soon as growth is completed. Parsnips and Salsify are improved by frost, and only enough of these for present use need be dug; they may be packed in dry earth in boxes, and [illegible] in the cellar. It is objectionable to store large quantities of roots in the house cellar, as foul gases are constantly rising through the house, making the air unhealthful to the inmates. Cabbages should be taken up before the ground freezes and stored in trenches. These may be made by plowing a deep furrow. The cabbages are heaped, head downward, in the trench, and covered with straw and earth. A simpler way is to set the cabbages on their heads in single rows and cover them with a few inches of earth. Celery not yet earthed up, should be attended to. First bring the leaves together and then draw the earth up. *In American Agriculturist for October.*

BE PREPARED.

Many of the worst attacks of cholera morbus, cramps, dysentery and cholic come suddenly in the night, and the most speedy and prompt means must be used to combat their dire effects. Dr. Fowlers Extract of Wild Strawberry is the remedy. Keep it at hand for emergencies. *It never fails* to cure or relieve.

"FRUIT DRYERS AND "EVAPORATORS."

Those who have hot-bed sashes can dry fruit by the heat of the sun in a manner vastly superior to the ordinary method. A box should be made like a hot-bed frame, but with a bottom, and it should have legs to raise it a few inches from the ground. the sashes should fit sufficiently close to keep out dust and insects. In the front of the box, at *the bottom*, make openings under the middle of each sash, and at the rear, at *the top* make similar openings. We do not recollect the exact size we used, but probably 12 inches long by three wide will answer. These openings should be covered with wire cloth, though in its adsence mosquito netting or a similar stuff will answer. The fruit, or other article to be dried, should be upon trays or frames covered with some coarse fabric, and raised a few inches from the bottom of the box. The sash being so placed as to catch the full heat of the sun, the drying will go on in a surprisingly rapid manner. The air passing in at the lower openings will become quickly heated, and going out at the upper openings a current will be established, carrying off the moisture from the fruit, etc., in the most satisfactory manner. The product will not be so white as when dried by artifical heat, but for home use just as good, and it will be free from dust and the soiling by insects. We have dried the finest sweet corn imaginable with a contrivance like this, and have no doubt of its efficacy in drying fruit.—*American Agriculturist for October.*

THE FIRST STEP.

Self-respect is the first step in all reformations; and when your blood is laden with impurities and you are suffering from billiousness or dyspepsia, the first step to a radical cure is to take Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1 00, trial size 10 cents.

TEA TABLE GOSSIP.

Paper barrels last week; now it is paper coffins.

The latest form of thieving reported is the stealing of potatoes from the hills at night.

If you want to get rich mount a mule because when you are on a mule you are better off.

Pickerel of good size, weighing from one to five pounds, are being taken in Seneca Lake.

The young lady who could not make her bangs stay bung said she was having a hot time of it.

Bob Ingersoll is letting his hair grow. Probably he intends to pass himself off for "Buffalo Bill."

The old simile," as easy as rolling off a log." is supplanted by "as easy as falling off a bicycle,"

Wonder what John Wesley would say could he hear a meeting of his followers called "The Imperial Conference?"

There can be nothing under the sun in the way of weather more enjoyable than our Canadian autumn.

The politest young man going is a resident of Dundas. He took off his hat to talk to a young lady through the telephone.

Reports from the back country state that deer are very plentiful, bears are too numerous to mention, whilst ducks are as abundant as good advice.

The sailors are looking forward to an advance in wages soon, as the fall season will set in shortly and the demand for first class seamen will be brisk.

A woman of 45 married a man of 21 at Aurora, Ind., but the union brought her so little happiness that she drowned herself four days afterwards.

Bismarck has got a new granddaughter, and has grown so big that Germany will be obliged to annex a country or two to give him breathing room.

"What's the cause of the increase of crime lately?" we ask a civic functionary to-day. "Wages too high and whiskey too cheap." was the reply.

"The liberation of latent heat caused by the approach of storms" is the reason for the superheated breezes that seem fanned by the inferno or wafted from the hottest corner of Hades.

French religious communities own real estate in France worth over $140,000,000; indeed, it is averred that they own much more under cover of private individnals' names.

VIRTUE ACKNOWLEDGED.

Mrs. Ira Mullholland, Oakville, writes: "For several years I have suffered from oft-recurring billious hedaches, dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex. Since using your Burdock Blood Bitters I am entirely relieved.

While small proprietors are to be the salvation of Ireland, in Bavaria 8,739 farms were sold last year because the small proprietors could not keep their heads above water.

Hop-pickers are very busy just now gathering the harvest of that "poler" vine. The work is said to be wholesome, and tales are told of marvellous cures effected in these fields.

J. W. Riley has a peom on "The Lost Kiss." He don't make it very plain as to how he lost it, but it is presumed her mother came into the room just in time to catch him at it.

WORTHLESS STUFF.—Not so fast my friend; if you could see the strong, healthy, blooming men, women and children that have been raised from beds of sickness, suffering and almost death, by the use of Hop Bitters, you would say "Glorious and invaluable remedy."—*Philadelphia Press.*

Money was given the Rev. Moses Broyles to pay the debt of the Second Baptist Church at Indianapolis, but the money instead of the debt has disappeared, and the pastor is called upon to explain.

DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS.

And none more so than to neglect the incipient stages of bowel Complaints in infants or adults. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the most prompt and pleasant remedy to administer, and is always reliable to cure cholera infantum, dysentery, cholic, cramps and all summer complaints. For sale by all dealers.

WORTH KNOWING AND REMEMBERING.

A distinguished American physician writes to the Detroit *News*: It is not generally understood by the mass of people that persons fainting, either from heart disease, apoplexy or sunstroke, *should not be raised to a sitting posture* even, but should lie flat on the back or side, with sometimes (not always) the head slightly raised upon a pillow. An upright or semisitting posture is, in this class of cases, if long continued, *almost sure death.* The heart is already enfeebled in its action the brain poorly supplied with blood (hence the fainting condition) and an upright position of the body only adds to a dangerous condition already present. In cases of exhausting and long continued diseases, are other cases where the upright posture *should not be allowed.* Heart-clots form easier under these conditions and hence sudden death is liable therefrom. The condition of patients laboring under any of the above, and many other diseases, should positively preclude the use of coupes or carriages for their transportation. *They should lie at full length*, either in an ambulance or an ordinary express waggon with a sunshade of some sort over them.

CANADIAN CHOLERA.

This terrible disease is but little less fatal than real Asiatic cholera, and requires equally prompt treatment. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry will cure it as well as all other forms of bowel complaints of infants or adults if used in proper time.

An experienced stableman says that the best livery horse is not one too heavy, that will steadily travel five or six miles an hour without urging. A "free traveller" cannot stand livery work; and if he goes from eight to ten miles an hour will be in very poor condition and will soon be used up.

A ragged tramp, who was trying to sell jewellery on the streets of Chicago, was arrested because the articles offered were of real value, and it was surmised that they had been stolen. The prisioner proved to be a girl in disguise, and the jewellery was her own.

The Crown Princess of German was present at the launch of the steel corvette Canada from Portsmouth dockyard and christened the vessel. The new war vessel belongs to the Comus class. She is built of steel, and iron and is sheated with two thickness of wood. Her cost is £75,000.

Markdale, August 24, 1881.

Messrs. A. Turner & Co.,

Gents—I take much pleasure in certifying to the benefit I have experienced from the use of B. B. Bitters. I have suffered much for years back from Dispepsia and constipation.—Last spring I used four bottles of B. B. Bitters, purchased from you, and am happy to say have enjoyed perfect health since. Yours truly,

his
JAMES x BEATTY.
mark

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

A newsboy rushed into a retail shirt store in Chatham the other day, and thus accosted the proprietor:

"Say, mister, do you retail shirts here?"

"Yes, my son, we have them to fit you at five shillings apiece—very nice ones."

"Oh, blazes, I dont want a whole one. But I seed on your sign, shirts retail and wholesale, and I thought you might re-tail mine for it wants it bad; a dog got hold of it, and wouldn't let go if I'd killed him."

"Why don't your mother mend your clothes?"

"Well, thar! do you think I've a mother? I ain't got a mother nor ever had that—as I know on——"

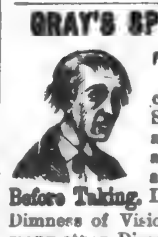
"You had best go to that man over the way. We can't retail your old one for you."

A SAFE REMEDY.

Many medicines check too suddenly attacks of Bowel Complaints, inducing dangerous inflammation, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, cleanses, strengthens and heals the diseased and weakened mucuous surfaces of the Stomach and Bowels, and safely cures every form of Summer Complaints.

NIL DESPERANDUM.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.



Before Taking.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

After Taking.

☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
1-ly Toronto, Ont., Canada.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.

A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B[itters].

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

D. I. C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto, Ont.

THE KEY TO HEALTH.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size $1.

For sale by all dealers.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto

DR FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY

Cures Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Cramps, Colic, Sea Sickness and Summer Complaint; also Cholera Infantum, and all Complaints peculiar to children teething, and will be found equally beneficial for adults or children.

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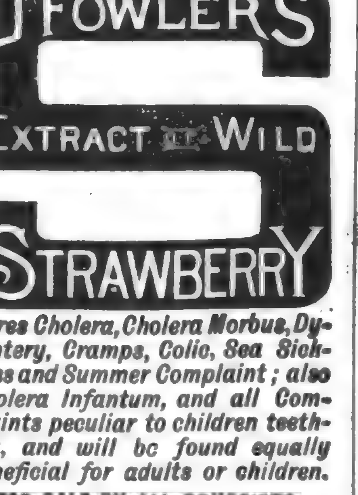

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Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. L. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

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TEA! TEA! TEA!

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS! LIQUORS!

McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!

McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.

McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.

McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.

McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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MEDICAL HALL

MARKDALE.

A FULL ASSORTMENT IN THE FOLLOWING LINES KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Dye Stuffs,
Paints and Oils,
Patent Medicines,
Schoo Boooks,
Stationery,
Fancy Goods.
Toilet Articles,
Pure Drugs and Chemicals,
Choice Teas and Tobaccos.

Agents for Vicker's Express and Montreal Telegraph Companies.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 13

Artemesia Warehouse!

FLESHERTON STATION.

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

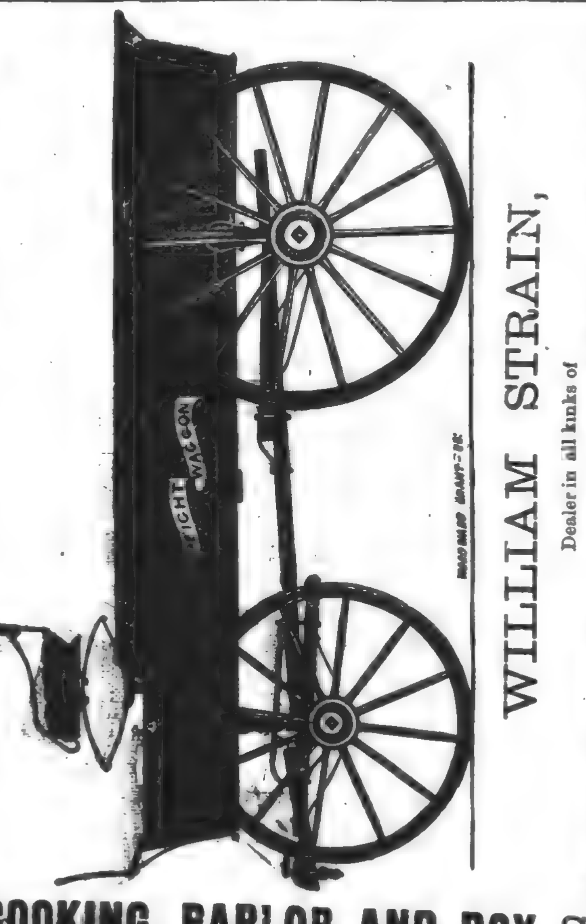
☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th 1881. 2-tf



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Dealer in all kinds of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

D. J. SHANAHAN'S
WAGON and
Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the least money, thus securing a repetition of our esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friends.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881.

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

MONEY to LEND

AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING

39-3m Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 39-3m.

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Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES.

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merrit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having at received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North Shore and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-tf

JUST ARRIVED

—AT THE—

'TORONTO HOUSE,'

MARKDALE,

A SPSENDID LOT OF

BOOTS and SHOES

—SUITABLE FOR—

Fall and Winter Trade!

WHICH WILL BE SOLD AT

Prices that Cannot Fail to Attract Attention.

Intending purchasers should see our goods and prices, before buying

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, August, 3rd, 1881.

STOP. MARK. LEARN.

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S

GRAT ANNUAL

CLEARIG SALE,

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE,

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENAERL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,

Ready-Made Clothing,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Hats, Caps and Groceries

TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closet buyers. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring Villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupolous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the many.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quanties of

COARSE LAND SALT,

FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested in it*, and as I am anxious that every Farmer [in] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided in selling in five and [ten] barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On the 1st of April,

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, yours obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10 1881 14-ly

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Legal.

Chas. R. Wilkes, ... at Law, - Owen Sound. ... Miller's building, over Robinson's ... Poulet Street. 1-y

Frost & Frost, ... STERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT ... Solicitors in Chancery, Convey... Owen Sound, have resumed at ... Office open every Thursday, as ... J. W. Frost, LL. B. ... County Crown Attorney. 1

James Masson, BARRISTER and ATTORNEY AT LAW, ... in Chancery, Owen Sound. ... 1880. 1-y

Dentistry.

Dr. James J. White, ... to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound, WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform operations required upon the mouth in the most satisfactory manner, and upon ... terms. 1 y

Miscellaneous.

W. L. Smith, GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN ... Nursery Stock, Williamsford Station. Sept. 17, 1880. 1

Wm. Brown, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c., Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches promptly ... and carefully executed. N. B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security. Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown, ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, ... and Land Sales, Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate. Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

George Corbet, Jr., ... LAND, LOAN AND GENERAL AGENT ... Owen Sound. Money to Loan at low ... interest. Principal payable at the ... of a term of years, and interest half yearly, or yearly, or principal and interest repayable in instalments. ... A number of desirable Improved Farms for sale. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith, AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. ... on Commission. Rates moderate. ... Organs, and Sewing Machines; also ... and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds ... Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

J. G. Sing, DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, ... and Markdale. Having purchased ... Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's ... of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys ... within the last fifty-five years, I am ... to make Surveys in strict accordance therewith. Profiles and Estimates for Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. Orders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to. Sept. ..., 1880. 1-y

T. E. Davis, BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and County Jobs ... attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty ... Sproule Streets, Markdale. ... Residence ... Sept 31, 1880. 16-y

WM. FOX, ... & Ornamental Plasterer ... for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence ... Street, Markdale. Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Hotels.

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COMMERCIAL HOTEL, PRICEVILLE, Ont. ... commodious Sample Rooms ... The Bar and larder ... with the best the market ... and Stabling and attentive Hostler. ... THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor ... 31st, 1880.

CUTTING AND SHAVING ... on ... Wednesdays and Saturdays, ... Thomas Smith, ... Door below Toomb Store. ... July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

VO... W... IN large ... good ... security ... INTE[REST] ... ☞ Dr... all points ... Dunda[lk] ... INSUR[ANCE] ... LI[FE] ... AGENT for ... CITIZEN[S] ... AGR[ICULTURAL] ... A num[ber] ... Village L... Auction ... try on S... Bills, Bla... MARKDALE ... She... FARMERS ... Cattle ... Sproule's ... Sept. 17 ... John ... Cutter[s] ... WAG[GONS] ... HORSE ... All kinds ... Manufactur[ed] ... FL[ESHERTON] ... THOS ... WISHE[S] ... NARNES[S] ... SHTOP ... T. M... MA... CHURNS ... WAS... D. M... REAPE[RS] ... Ploughs ... Province ... TO BE PURE ... MR ... Alphab[et] ... Busin[ess] ... BUSINE[SS] ... Montreal, ...

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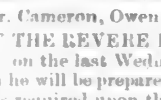

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[Conv]eyancing in all its branches promptly [attended] to and carefully executed.
[N. B.]—Money to Lend on Real Estate se[curity].
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[Estim]ates for stone and brickwork on ap[plication]. Satisfaction Guranteed. Resi[dence] Queen Street, Markdale.
[Mark]dale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-v

Hotels.

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MARKDALE.
[T.] SPROULE, - Proprietor.
[TH]IS popular Hotel has had a large ad[di]tion added to it, thoroughly refitted, [and is] now second to none in the county. [Good st]abling and attentive ostler. First[-class a]ccommodation for commercial travel[lers]. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

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Wednesdays and Saturdays,
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[Orders] filled for Toomb Stones.
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Money Loaned

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INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT. Allowed on Savings Deposits.

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Dundalk, Sept. 1, 881. 1-ly

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A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots.

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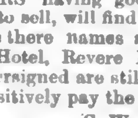
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at T. Sproule's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war-path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS.
Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
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HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
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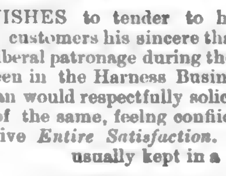
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feelng confiident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

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—ALSO—
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AT
W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
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as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
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☞ Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
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Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

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Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,

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P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

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FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
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supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
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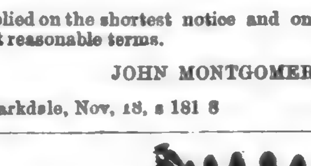
Markdale, Nov, 18, s 181 8 1o-ly



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UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
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for hire at moderate rates.
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From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

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This life is but a game of cards,
  Which mortals have to learn;
Each shuffles, cuts, and deals the pack,
  And each a trump doth turn;
Some bring a high card to the top,
  And others bring a low,
Some hold a hand quite flush of trumps,
  While others none can show.

Some shuffle with a practiced hand,
  And pick their cards with care,
So they may know what they are delt
  Where all the leaders are.
Thus fools are make the dupes of rogues,
  While rouges each other cheat,
And he is very wise indeed
  Who never meets defeat.

When playing, some throw out the ace,
  The counting cards to save,
Some play the deuce, and some the ten,
  And many play the knave!
Some play for money, and some for fun,
  And some for worldly fame,
But not until the game's played out
  Can they count up the game.

When hearts are trumps we play for love,
  And pleasure rules the hour,
No thoughts of sorrow check our joy
  In beauty's rosy bower;
We sing, we dance, sweet verses make,
  Our cards at random play,
And while our trumps remain on top
  Our game's a holiday.

When diamonds chance to crown the pack,
  The players stake their gold,
And heavy stakes are lost and won
  By gamblers young and old;
Intent on winning each his game
  Doth watch with eager eye,
How he may see his neighbor's cards,
  And beat him on the sly.

When clubs are trumps, look out for war,
  On ocean and on land;
For blood horrors always come
  When clubs are held in hand:
Then lives are staked instead of gold,
  The dogs of war are freed—
Across the broad Atlantic now,
  See! clubs have got the lead!

Last game of all is when the spade
  Is turned by hand of time;
He always seals the closing game
  In every age and clime.
No matter how much each man wins,
  Or how much each man saves,
The spade will finish up the game
  And dig the players graves.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER I.—*Continued.*

'But, mademoiselle—Seer John's orders—'

'Ninon Duclos, will you do as I order you? I won't have the groom—there. I'm always shocking the resident gentry of this neighbourhood, and I mean to go on shocking them. I feel as if I had a spy at my heels while that beef-eating groom is there. Help me on with my habit and say no more about it.'

Little Ninon knew a good deal better than to dispute Miss Dangerfield's mood when Miss Dangerfield spoke in that tone. Miss Dangerfield had boxed her ears before now, and was very capable of doing it again. Perhaps, on the whole, smart little Ninon rather liked having her ears impetuously slapped by her impulsive young mistress, and the tingling cured, as it invariably was, by the present of Miss Katherine's second best silk dress half-an-hour after.

Looking very bright and dashing, if not in the least pretty, the heiress of Scarswood Park ran lightly down the slippery stairs, out of the vast vaulted hall, where statues gleamed and suits of mail worn by dead-and gone Dangerfields centuries before, flashed back the sunshine. Her dark-green riding-habit fitted her, as Katherine herself had said, "as though she had been born in it,"—the waving brightness of her brown hair was twined in thick plates around her graceful head, and her pork-pie hat with its scarlet bird's wing perched ever so little on one side, set off the piquante face beneath—a thoroughly English face, despite the golden hue of a tropic sun.

'I beg you pardon, miss,' Roberts, the butler, said stepping forward. He was a dignified, elderly, clerical-looking personage, like an archbishop in silk stockings and knee-breeches; 'but if you will hexcuse the remark, miss, I think as 'ow we're going to 'ave a storm. There's that closeness in the hair, miss, and that happearance in that hatmosphere that halways precedes a thunder-storm; if I might make so bold, miss, I should hadvise you not to stay hout more than an hour, at the furthest.'

'Good gracious, Robert, what nonsense! There's not a cloud in the sky. Oh well! that one! why it's no bigger than my hand, I'm going to Castleford, and I don't believe in your thunder-storms.'

'You'll catch it, though, for all that, my young lady,' soliloquised Mr. Roberts, looking after the slight girlish figure as it dashed out of sight down the elm avenue mounted on a spirited black horse. 'Great storms 'ave come from clouds no bigger than a man's 'and before now. But you're a young persing that won't be hadvised, and you'll come to grief one of these days through 'aving too much your own way, as sure as my name is Roberts.'

And then Mr. Roberts philosophically went back to the *Castleford Chronicle*, and never dreamed that he had uttered a prophecy.

Miss Dangerfield dashed away over the breezy Sussex downs—golden green in the September sunshine. But the brilliance of that sunlight grew dim and dimmer with every passing moment, and looking up presently she saw that her 'cloud no bigger than a man's hand' had spread and darkened, and was fast glooming over the whole sky. Old Roberts had been right then, after all; and unless she stayed at Castleford, or turned back at once, she was in for a drenching.

'I won't turn back, and I won't stop at Castleford,' the baronet's daughter said, setting her white teeth. 'I'll get my books, and I'll go home, and Ilderim and I shall outstrip the lightning after all.'

She dashed into the town. Castleford, was a military depot, and knots of red-coated officers, grouped here and there, lowered their crests, and gazed after her with admiring eyes as she flew by.

'Plucky girl, that,' said Captain Vere de Vere of the Plungers Purple to his friend Captain Howard of the Bobtail Blues. 'Gad! how squarely she sits her saddle. And what a waltzer she is—as graceful as a Parisienne Ballerina, and as springy. Comfortable thing there waiting for some lucky beggar—clear eight thousand a year, and strictly entailed. Not a handsome girl, I admit, but what would you? Deucedly clever, too, and that's a drawback. I hate your clever women—put a fellow out of countenance, by Jove! Shouldn't know anything—women shouldn't—beyond the three great feminine arts, dancing, dressing, and looking pretty.' With which terse summary of women duties the Honourable Plantagenet Vere de Vere lit his huge Manilla and sauntered away. 'She seemed uncommonly sweet on that foreigner, that Creole fellow—what's his name—at the concert last night,' he thought. 'It's always fellows like that, with tenor voices and long eyelashes, that draw the matrimonial prizes. Heard her tell Edith Talbot last night all the officers at Castleford had ginger whiskers, and knew no more how to waltz than so many lively young elephants.

Miss Dangerfield's errand was to a Castleford bookseller's, and her order was for *all* the newest novels. She came out presently, followed by the obsequious shopman carrying her parcel and bowing his thanks. The storm was very near now. The whole sky was dark—there was that oppressive heat and stillness in the air that usually precedes a thunder-storm.

'Coming!' Miss Dangerfield thought, vaulting into her saddle. 'Now, then, Ilderim, my beauty, my darling, outstrip the storm if you can!'

She was off like wind, and in a few minutes the town lay far behind her. But fate had decreed to take sides with Roberts.

On the bare downs, treeless and houseless, the lightning leaped out like a two-edged sword. There came the booming crash of thunder, then a deluge of rain, and the mid-day summer tempest was upon her in its might. The swift, sudden blaze of the lightning in his eyes startled the nervous system of Ilderim. He tossed his little black Arabian head in the air with a snort of terror, made a bound forward and fled over the grassy plains with the speed of an express train.

'A runaway, by Jove!'

A man darted forward with the cry upon his lips, and made the agile spring of a wild cat at Ilderim's bridle-rein. A moment's struggle, and then the spirited Arab stood still under the grasp of an iron hand, quivering in every limb, and his mistress, looking down from her saddle, met full two of the most beautiful eyes into which it had ever been her good fortune to look.

It was Mr. Gaston Dantree, the handsome, silver-voiced tenor of last night's concert, and a flash of glad surprise lit up her face.

'Mr. Dantree!' she cried, 'you! and in this tempest, and at so opportune a moment. How shall I thank you for say—for rendering me such timely assistance?

'For saving my life,' she had been going to say, but *that* would have been coming it a little too strong. Her life had not been in the smallest danger—she was a thorough horsewoman, and could have managed a much wilder animal than Ilderim. But the knight to the rescue was Mr. Dantree, and last night Miss Dangerfield had looked for the first time into those wondrous eyes of gold-brown light, and fallen straight in love with their owner.

He was very handsome; perfectly, faultlessly handsome, with an olive complexion, a low forehead, a chisselled nose, a thick black moustache, and two dark almond eyes of 'liquid light.' Not tall, not stout, not very manly looking, perhaps, in any way—men were rather given to sneer at Mr. Gaston Dantree's somewhat effeminate beauty. But they never sneered long. There was that in Mr. Dantree's black eyes, in Mr. Dantree's musical voice, in Mr. Dantree's trained muscles, that would have rendered a serious difficulty a little unpleasant.

He took off his hat now, despite the pouring rain, and stood before the heiress of Scarswood, looking like the Apollo himself in a shabby shooting jacket.

'You do me too much honour, Miss Dangerfield; I don't really think your life was in any danger—still it's pleasant to know I was the one to stop your black steed all the same. Rather a coincidence, by the bye, that I should meet you here just at present, as, taking advantage of last night's kind invitation, I was about to present myself at Scarswood.'

'And Scarswood is very well worth seeing, I assure you. As it is not more than a quarter of a mile to the gates, suppose you resume your hat and your journey?'

'But, Miss Daugerfield, you will get your death at this place in this downpour.'

'Oh, no, I'll not,' Katherine answered coolly. 'The rain will never fall that will give me my death! You don't know how strong I am. Come, let me see if you can walk as fast as Ilderim.'

She looked at him with that brilliant smile that lit her dark face into something brighter than beauty.

'Come, Mr. Dantree,' she repeated, 'let me be cicerone for once, and show you the splendours of Scarswood. It is *the* show place of the neighborhood, you know, built by a Dangerfield, I am afraid to say how many centuries ago. We came over with William, the what's-his-name, you know, or, perhaps, William found us here when he arrived; I am not positive which. Were a dreadfully old family, indeed, and I wouldn't be anybody but Katherine Dangerfield, of Scarswood Park, for the world!'

She dashed under the huge stone arch of masonry as she spoke, half laughing, wholly in earnest. She was proud of the old blood that flowed so [illegible] in her veins, of this noble mansion, of the [illegible] inheritance which was her birthright.

'Welcome to Scarswood, Mr. Dantree,' she said, as he passed by her side under the Norman arch.

He raised his hat.

'Thank you, Miss Dangerfield,' he said gravely; and so, still by her side, walked up the dripping elm avenue and into the house.

His fatal beauty—fatal, though he was but seven-and-twenty, to many women—had done its work once more. Her own hand had brought him there, her own voice had spoken her sentence. Gaston Dantree stood under the roof of Scarswood Hall, and, until her dying hour, this day would stand out distinct from all other days in Katherine Dangerfield's life.

Sir John sat in his library alone, that letter from Paris still crushed in his hand as though it had been a serpent. It seemed a very harmless serpent at first sight; it only contained these lines, written in an elegant flowing Italian chirography:

PARIS, September 23.

"MY DEAR SIR JOHN DANGERFIELD:—How delightedly my pen writes the title; A baronet! Who would have thought it? And Scarswood Park is yours, and your income is clear eight thousand a year. Who could have hoped it? And you're back in England, and *la petite*—the little Katherine. Darling little Katherine! So full of spirit and self-will, as she was when I saw her last, and that is fifteen years ago. Ah, mon Dieu! fifteen weary, weary, weary years. My dear baronet, I am coming to see you; I *know* you will be enchanted. On the third of October you will send your carriage to Castleford Station to meet the 7:20 London express and me. And your servant will ask for Mrs. Vavasor. I adapt my names as I do my conversation, to my company; and among the "aristocratic county families of Sussex, let me be aristocratic too. Adieu, my baronet, for the present; and allow me to subscribe myself by the old and alas! plebian name of

"HARRIET HARMAN.

P.S.—Tell my pet, Katherine, I am coming. Kiss the darling child for me."

He had sat there for hours as he sat now, that letter crushed in his hand, a grayish pallor on his face, his eyes looking blankly out at the drifting rain, at the tossing, wind-blown trees. The lightning leaped forth at intervals, the summer thunder broke over the roof, the summer rain beat on the glass. He neither saw nor heard; he sat like a man stunned by a great and sudden blow.

'And I thought her dead,' he murmured once. 'I *hoped* she was dead. I thought, after fifteen years' silence, I was safe; and now.—oh, God! will the wicked wish never be granted?'

He sat there still as he had sat since he left the breakfast table, when the door was flung wide, and Katherine, dripping like a mermaid, stood before him.

May I come in, papa, or have you fallen asleep? Do you know it is two o'clock, and past luncheon time, and that I have brought home a guest? It's Mr. Dantree, papa—you remember him, you know—and he wants to see the house, and I want you to be civil to him. He's in the blue drawing-room; and while I'm changing my habit I wish you would go up and entertain him. Papa!' She broke off suddenly, catching sight of his altered face. 'What is the matter? You look like your own ghost!'

He rose up stiffly, as if his limbs were cramped, crushing the letter more tightly still in his hand. He turned away from the window, so that his face was hidden from her, as he answered:

'I am a little cold. Who did you say was waiting, Katherine? Oh, yes; the singing man—Gaston Dantree. By the bye, Kathie, tell Harrison to prepare one of the front chambers for a—a lady—an old friend of mine—who is coming to visit us. She will be here on the evening of the third of Octoker next, and her name is Mrs. Vavasor.'

CHAPTER II.

MRS. VAVASOR.

The London express, due at Castleford station at 7:20, rushed in with an unearthly shriek, like Sinbad's black monster, with the one red, fiery eye. There were five passengers for the town—four men and a woman. The train disgorged them and then fled away, shrieking once more, into the black Oct. night.

A wet and gusty autumn evening, a black and starless sky frowning down upon a black and sodden earth. A bitter blast blew up from the sea, and whirled the dead leaves in drifte before it. The station dreary and isolated, as it is in the nature of stations to be, looking drearier than ever tonight. Far off the lamps of the town glimmered athwart the rain and fog, specks of light in the eerie gloom.

The four male passengers who had quitted the train hurried with their portmanteaus, buttoned to the chin, and with hats slouched forward over their noses—honest shopkeepers of Castleford, but looking villianously brigandish in the light of the station lamps. Only the female passenger remained, and she came tripping up the platform with a little satchel in her hand, crisp and smiling, to the chief station official.

'I beg your pardon, sir: but can you tell me if the carriage from Scarswood is waiting for me?'

She was a beautiful little woman. Two great dark eyes of lustrous lihgt beamed up in the official's face, and a smile that lit up the whole station with its radiance dazzled him. She had feathery black ringlets—she had a brilliant high colour—well, a trifle to high, probably, for some fastidious tastes—she had teeth white and more glisting than anything the official had ever seen outside a dentist's show-case—she had the tiniest little figure in the world, and she had—as far as the official could judge, for the glitter of her whole appearance—some three and thirty years. With the flash of her white teeth, the sparkle of the black eyes, the glow of the rose-red cheeks, she dazzled you like a sudden burst of sun light and you never stopped to think until afterward how sharp and rasping was the voice in which she addressed you.

The carriage from Scarswood? No, it had not—that is to say, the official did not know whether it had or not.

Would the lady be pleased to sit down? There was a fire in here, and he would go and ascertain.

'I certainly expected to find it waiting,' the little lady said, tripping lightly after him. 'Sir John knows I am coming to night. He is such an old friend of mine—Sir John. It's odd now the carriage isn't waiting—tell them when they do come, Mrs. Vavasor is here.'

'The carriage has come,' announced the official on the moment. 'This way, madame, if you please.'

The close carriage, its lamps glowing like two red eyes in the darkness, its horses pawing the ground, its coachman stiff and surly on a box, was drawn up at the station door. The official held the door open—she thanked him with a radiant smile, and then Sir John Dangerfield's carriage was flying through the darkness of the wet October night over the muddy high road to Scarswood Park. Little Mrs. Vavasor wiped the blurred glass, and strained her bright black eyes as the vehicle whirled up the avenue, to catch the first glimpse of the house. It loomed up at last, a big black shadow in the darkness. Light gleamed all along its front windows, and the distant sound of music floated out into the night. Mrs. Vavasor's fascinating face was at its brightest—the sparkle in her eyes sparkled more than ever.

'A party—a ball perhaps. Let me see, the third of October—why *la petite's* birthday, of course. Miss Dangerfield, heiress of Scarswood, is just seventeen to-night. How stupid of me to forget it.' She laughed in the darkness and solitude, a little low laugh not pleasant to hear. 'I wonder how poor Sir John will meet me, and what account he will give me of his daughter? It couldn't have been pleasant for him to recieve my note. I dare say by this time he thought me dead,'

She stepped out a moment in the rain, then into the lighted vestibule, then into the spacious enterance hall where Mrs. Harrison, in a gray silk gown and white lace cap, and all the dignity of housekeeper, met her courtesy.

'Mrs. Vavasor, I think, ma'am?'

Mrs. Vavasor's enchanting smile answered in the affirmative.

'Sir John's orders are very attention, ma'am, and he was to be told the minute you arrived. This way, if you please, and you're to wait here, ma'am until he comes to you.'

She led the way up stairs, and threw open the door of a half-lit, elegant apartment, all bright with upholstery, curtains, and carpet of blue and gold.

'How very nice,' Mrs. Vavasor remarked, glancing pleasantly around; 'and you are the housekeeper, I suppose, my good soul? And your young lady is having a party on her birthnight? How pleasant it must be to be only seventeen, and handsome and rich, and a baronet's daughter.'

Mrs. Vavasor laughed that sharp little laugh of hers that rather grated on sensitive ears.

'Mrs. Dangerfield is handsome, no doubt, Mrs.——ah—'

'Harrison, ma'am,' the housekeeper responded, rather stiffly. 'And Miss Katherine is very 'andsome, indeed, in my eyes. I'll tell sir John you're here, ma'am, at once, if you'll please sit down.'

But it pleased Mrs. Vavasor to stand—she turned up the lamps until the room was flooded with light, then walked over to a full length mirror and looked at herself steadily and long.

'Fading!' she said; 'fading! Rouge, French coiffures, enamel, bellanadonna, and the rest of it are very well; but they can't make even a woman of thirty-seven into a girl of twenty. Still considering the life I've led'—she set her teeth like a little hon-dog. 'Ah, what a bitter fight the battle of life has been for me! If I were wise I would pocket my wrongs, forego my vengeance, and live happy in Scarswood Hall for ever after. I wonder if Sir John would marry me if I asked him?'

The door opened and Sir John came in. Little Mrs. Vavasor turned round from the glass, folded her small hands and stood and looked at him with a smile on her face.

He was very pale, and grim as the grave. So for a moment they stood, like two duelists waiting for the word in dead silence. Then the lady spoke:

'How do you do, Sir. John? When we parted I remember you found me admiring myself in the glass; when we meet again, after fifteen years—*Dieu*! how old it makes one feet—you find me before the glass again. Not admiring myself this time, you understand. I sadly fear I have grown old and ugly in all those hard-fought years. But you—you're not a day older, and just the same handsome stalwart soldier I remember you. Won't you shake hands for the sake of old times, Sir John, and say 'you are welcome' to a poor little woman who has travelled all the way from Paris to see you?

She held out her little gloved hand. He drew away with a gesture of repulsion, and crossing to the chimney-piece leaned upon it, his face hard and set, in the light of the lamps.

'Why have you come here?' he asked.

'Ah, *ciel*! hear him;—such a cruel question. And after fifteen years I stand alone in this big, pitiless world, a poor little friendless woman, and I come to the gallant gentleman who fifteen years ago stood my friend—such a friend—and he asks me in that cruel voice why I have come!'

'That will do, Mrs. Vavasor—this is not a theatre, nor am I an appreciative audience. Tell me the truth, if you can—let us have plain speaking. Why have you come here? What do you want?

'That is plain language certainly. I have come here because you are in my power—absolutely and wholly in my power. And I want to stay here—as an honoured guest, just so long as I please. Is that plain enough to satisfy you, or would you like me to put it still plainer?'

Her dazzling black eyes mocked him, her insolent smile set his teeth on edge. Hatred—abhorrence—were in his eyes as he looked at her.

'You want money, I suppose? Well, you shall have it, though I paid you your price long ago, and you promised to trouble me no more. But you can't stay here; it is simply impossible.'

'It is simply nothing of the kind. I have come to stay—my luggage is down yonder in the hall, and you will tell them presently to fetch it up and show me to my room. I do want money—yes, it is the universal want—and I mean to have it. Eight thousand a year and Scarswood Park, one of the finests seats in Sussex. And such an old family!—baronets created by James the First, and knights centuries and centuries before! How proud your daughter must feel of her ancient name and leniage!' And Mrs. Vavasor laughed aloud, her tinkling laugh strikes shrilly on his persensitive ears.

'You will leave my daughter's name out of the question, if you please,' the baronet retorted haughtily; 'such lips as yours sully her name. If you had one spark of womanly feeling, one grain of self respect life from the left you have led, a woman's heart in your breast, you would never come near *her*. In heaven's name go—I will give you anything, anything, only don't insist in staying here.'

For answer she walked back to the mirror, and deliberately began removing her bonnet, gloves and mantle.

As I intend going down and joining your party presently, and being introduced to the county families, I think I will go up to my room at once, if you please, Sir John. By the way, is Mr. Peter Dangerfield one of your guests on this happy occasion? It strikes me I should like to know *him*. He is your only brother's only son and heir-in-law—after your daughter, of course. How awkward for that young gentleman you should have a daughter at all. And the estate is strictly entailed to the *nearest of kin*. There was a gleam almost dangerous malice in her eyes as she turned from the mirror. 'Yes, I am really anxious to make the acquaintance of Mr. Peter Dangerfield.'

He turned almost livid—he made a step towards her.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

SET BACK 42 YEARS.—I was troubled for many years with Kidney Complaint, Gravel, &c.; my blood became thin; I was dull and inactive; could hardly crawl about; was an old worn out man all over; could get nothing to help me, until I got Hop Bitters, and now I am a boy again. My blood and kidneys are all right, and I am as active as a man of 30, although I am 72, and I have no doubt it will do as well for others of my age. It is worth a trial.—(Father.)—*Sunday Mercury.*

I WANT TO MEET MY OLE MAN.

A correspondent from the Boston Herald who is enjoying himself among the spiritualists at Lake Pleasent narrates the following particulars of a seance given by a medium to a colored woman:

"You've seen a deal of sorrow," said the medium, "but there's happeness yet in store for you. I hear the name of Tommy. Have you a little boy named Tommy in spirit life?"

"Fore de good Lord, honey, lebe dis chile! don't come nigh me! How you know my Tommy dead? Josephine, Josephine, for de Lord sake come here." In response to this summons an intelligent colored girl of fourteen summers came to the woman's bedside. "What you think, chile, dis woman don gone tell me 'bout your little brudder Tommy Judson, who don gone dead eber so long ago!"

"That is not all I have to tell you," said the medium. "I see two men here, both in spirit form. I think you have been married twice and both your husbands are dead, but there's another here that wants you; he isnot dead."

"Go 'way, woman; don't ye go to pokin' any yer men on me, case I don't want 'em. I'se had enough on 'em. I'se been married three times, and am de mudder of twenty-one chil'ren and dat Josephene am all dat's left. But, say, honey, der ye see my first ole man here?"

"Yes, a name is given; it is William?"

"Yes, bress de Lold. Ole man ye come to see me. Where is ye, honey?" and, in her excitement, the sick woman rose to a sitting position and trembled in agitation.

"You will see him in the spirit world my good woman. You'll be happy there, for there are no washtubs in heaven."

"Bress de Lord, bress de Lord. I want to meet my ole man up dar, or some part ob him. I don't care if it am nothin' but his ole trousers hanging on de bedpost, as he used to hang 'em up way down in ole Virginia."

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Can, I see the lady of the house?" inquired the peddlar.

"Well, yes you can if you aint blind fold," snapped the woman who had answered the bell.

"Oh, beg pardon, madam; you are the lady of the house then?"

"Yes, I am. What did you take me for? Did you think I was the gentleman of the house, or the next door neighbour, or a farmhand, or the pump, or the cat, or the ice chest?"

"I didn't know but you might be the youngest daughter."

"O, didn't yer? Well, that was natural, too," replied the lady of the, house. "What d'ye want, sir?"

Then the peddlar displayed his wares, and when he left that door-step half an hour later his face was full of pleasure and his pockets full of money. He understood human nature, and had made a good sale.

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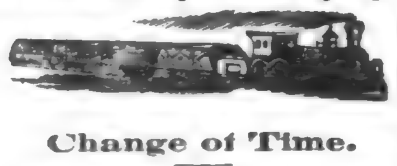

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7.30 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.25 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville —			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Orangeville —			
Arr.	11.15 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

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Friday, October 7th, 1881

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, Manager, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

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" Mail "	1.00
" Spectator "	1.00
" Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20

MONTHLIES.

Harper's Monthly, per year,	[illegible]
American Agriculturist "	1.50
" "	1.50

SOMETHING WRONG.

We are informed that the STANDARD reaches Eugenia on Saturday evening instead of the morning, as it should. From Kimberley, Epping, and Griersville, we have also received complaints that they do not receive their papers until the Tuesday after publication, when they should receive it the previous Saturday. At Pomona also, they complain of receiving their papers two or three days behind time. We hope this notice will put a stop to the cause. If it does not we will see if a letter to the P. O. Inspector will have the desired effect.

THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST FOR OCTOBER 1st, contains a choise selection of articles on a wide range of subjects; among the leading contributors are: PETER HENDERSON—"Celery Planting in Dry Weather"; S. B. PARSONS, JR.—"Right and Wrong in Rock Work"; prof. G. C. CALDWELL (Cornell University)—"Manure Made Under Cover"; TIM BUNKER—"Again Changing Base"; Dr. J. B. LAWES (Rothamsted, England)—"Nitrogen as Nitric Acid"; Prof. A. LIAUTARD (Am. Vet. College)—"Anthrax or Charbon"; Col. F. D. CURTIS—"Swine Raising"; Hon. X. A. WILLARD—"American Cheese and Its Exports"; MASON C. WELD—"Unbiased Judging at Fairs"; Prof. N. S. TOWNSHEND (Ohio University)—"Wheat: Soil, Tillage, Varieties and Harvesting"; Dr. MANLY MILES—"System in Farming"; Prof. CYRUS THOMAS (Entomological Commission)—"Counteracting Injurious Insects"; Hon. R. W. FURNAS—"Nebraska's Agricultural Outlook"; Mrs. E. H. LELAND—"Rearing and Training of Children." There are many other valuable illustrated articles, including Notes fo Farm and Garden Work; Skunks; Ferrets; Plan of Small Barn; Flood Fence; Smut on Wheat, Oats and Barley; Sulky Plows; New and Old Flowers; Notes from the Pines. A full supplp of Household Reading; the Boys and Girls' Columns can but please and instruct the young. Terms, $1.50 a year, 15cts. a copy. ORANGE JUDD Co., Publishers, New York.

A criminal case of curious but general interest was disposed of lately at the Middlesex Assizes held in London, Ont. It appears one Malcolm J. Kent, the manager of a loaning corporation in London, received through the post a letter from from one Gilmour, a Minto farmer. The letter was addressed to "The London & Canadian Loan and Agency Company, London." This Company's place of business was at Toronto, and hence the London P. O. authorities delivered the letter to Kent, as the latter's company had a somewhat similar name. The letter enclosed an agreement executed by Gilmour, extending for a further term payment of a loan had from the Toronto Company. The prisoner, after opening the letter and perusing contents, wrote Gilmour apprising him of its receipt, and of the mistake, but adding that his company could deal with him about the loan on better terms. Gilmour replied declining the offer, and requesting the letter to be forward to Toronto, to its proper destination. Some two weeks elapsed after the time the solicitors of the Toronto company should have received the letter before its arrival, and an enquiry into the cause of the detention resulted in an information being laid under the Post Office Act against Kent for detaining the letter. The jury returned a verdict of guilty. The judge, on passing sentence, remarked that the offence was a serious one, and called for imprisonment by way of punishment, but in view of petitions presented on behalf of the prisoner, he would impose a fine of $400, the prisoner to be held in custody till it was paid. The fine being paid the accused was afterwards released to the relief and satisfaction of his friends.

LIFE OF GARFIELD.

(Guelph Daily Herald, Sept. 28, 1881.)

We have just examined advance sheets of the "Life of Garfield" from the World Publishing Co's Office, Guelph. It contains about 700 pages, beautifully printed on good paper and profusely illustrated with some 80 engravings, including steel plate o Gen. Garfield and Arthur, this is the only authentic work published, endorsed by the family and relatives of General Garfield. Read the following endorsement from B. H. Hindsdale, of Hiram College, Ohio, the most intimate friend that General Garfield had: "I beg leave to say that I regard this book as a most valuable and well worthy of a general circulation.—B. A. Hinsdale This work is being issued by the World Publishing Company in connection with the largest publishing house in the United States, and neither labor or expense has been spared to make the work all that it should be. Several cheap imitations are on the market, be sure you see the Life of Garfield that you buy is written by James D. McCabe, the great American Historian, author of Pictorial History of the World, Pathways to the Holy Land, History U. S., &c., &c., Also be sure the work you buy is nine inches long and six inches wide. About 700 pages and profusely illustrated The cheap catch penny editions that are being advertised do not compare with them in any way, buy only the best.

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PROTON FALE SHOW.

On Friday, 30th Sept., we took the train at Markdale for Dundalk, a distance of 16 miles, which took an hour.

There we were joined by Mr. P. McGregor, Mr. Geo. Middleton, Treasurer Proton Agricultural Society, and others. We drove to Hopeville, a distance of 9 miles, which was done in 70 minutes. The road is very good, and a number of fine farms are to be seen in that section of country. We noticed a very fine bank barn, 65x80, built the present season by Mr. Wm. Mills; such buildings are an indication of progress. The day was fine though somewhat dusty, and a good number had gathered by the time we arrived.

The show of Draught Horses was very good, the teams entered in that class being very fine specimens. The two-year-old colts were something extra, and if the horses of Proton may be judged from the exhibit of the above they are ahead of their neighbors for horses. Mr. McLaren had a very fine pen of pigs, some nine or ten in all.

In the Hall things were crowded yet orderly. Mr. Hewetson, of Dundalk, had a display of millinery, etc., which was set off to good advantage by his milliner, Miss Foster. A lady's suit of mink seal, valued at $90, was one of the chief features of the above display. W. H. Peterson, wool manufacturer, of Dundalk, had a good selection of woollen goods.

In Grain the exhibit was not large, but the quality made up for the small quantity. Roots and vegetables were good. The ladies' work filled the apartment assigned to it and done no discredit to the exhibitors.

There was good accommodation considering circumstances. Mr. Scarlett, the hotel-keeper, made ample provision for the large crowd; and also Mr. McArthur and Mr. J. McArdle gave a helping hand, accommodating those from a distance with stabling for horses, &c.

The following is the Prize List, kindly furnished by A. G. Hunter.

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.—Span draught, S. Stacks, 2d W. Nickle, 3d G. Campbell. Span General Purpose, R. Parslow, 2d Jos. McArdle. Mare, foal by her side, G. Glazier, 2d John Dazell, W. McLean. Buggy Horse, W. Stewart, 2d H. McGurron, 3d W. Hardy. Saddle Horse, S. Fleming, 2d T. Fennell, 3d Hugh McGurron. Colt or filly, 2 years old, Geo. Campbell, 2d S. Stockes, 3d J. Rosborough. Colt or filly, 1 yr. old, G. Glazier, 2d S. Gregson, 3d J. Ferris. Spring Colt, Geo. Glazier, 2d J. Rosborough.

CATTLE—Thoroughbred.—Durham Bull, Robt. Black.

Grade—Bull, D. McMellan. Cow, R. Black, 2d Jas. Ferris, 3d Alex. McDonald. Heifer, under 2 years, G. Campbell, 2d H. Hannon, 3d Jas. Ferris. Spring Calf, Jas. Ferris, 2nd Robt. Black, 2nd do. Yoke of Oxen, Alex. McDonald, 2d D. McMillan, 3d Geo. Campbell.

SHEEP.—Aged ram, J. Rundle, 2d R. Black. Ram Lamb, Geo. Campbell, 2d Henry Hannon, 3d John Rundle. Pair Ewes, aged, Walter Nickle, 3d Samuel Gregson, 3d Wm. Hardy. Pair Ewe Lambs, Robt. Black, 2d J. Rundle, 3d Geo. Campbell. Shearling Ram, Samuel Gregson, 2d G. Campbell, 3d Robt. Black. Shearling Ewe, Walter Nickle, 2d Samuel Gregson, 3d Geo. Campbell.

SWINE.—Sow, aged, Henry Hannon. Pair Spring Pigs, William McLaren, 2d Thomas Fennell.

POULTRY.—Pair Geese, Alex. McDonald, 2d Robt. Black. Turkeys, S. Stockes, 2d Joseph McArdle. Barnyard Fowls, Duncan McMellan, 2nd Joseph McArdle. Ducks, Samuel Stocks, 2d Duncan McMillan.

GRAIN.—2 bushels Fall Wheat, Jno Rundle, 2d Robert Black, 3d Jas. Rosborough. 2 bushels Spring Wheat, Geo. Campbell, 2d Robert Black. Two bushels Peas, Samuel Fleming, 2d J. Abbott, 3d Geo. Campbell. 2 bushels White Oats, Joseph McArdle, 2nd R. Black, 3d Geo. Sturroth. 2 bushels Black Oats, Thomas Fennell, 2nd A. Riddell, 3d Henry Hannon. 2 bushels Barley, William Hardy, 2d Robert Black. 1 bushel Beans, Jas. Ferris, 2d W. Irons.

ROOTS.—Bushel Potatoes, J. Mitchell, 2d G. Campbell, 3d J. Ferris. 6 Swede Turnips, Robt. Black, 2d John Dazell. 6 any other kind Turnips, G. Sturrock, 2d Robert Black. 6 Cabbage Heads, Robert Black, 2nd John Agnew. Variety Potatoes, Jas. Ferris, 2d Samuel Stockes. Six Beets, James Ferris, 2nd Robert Black. 6 Garden Carrots, James Hannon, 2nd J. A. Scarlett. 6 Field Carrots, Robt Black, 2nd John Rundle. Peck Potato Onions, William Sturrock, 2d J. Rundle. Peck any other kind Onions, Duncan McMillan, 2d D. K. McArthur. Two Pumpkins, James Ferris, 2nd D. McMillan. Twelve Tomatoes, Wm. Irons, 2d S. Gregson. Six Cucumbers, James Ferris, 2nd John Abbott. Six Citrons, John Agnew, 2nd James Ferris.

FRUIT.—Twelve Winter Apples, H. Hannon, 2nd John Agnew. 12 Fall Apples, Samuel Fleming, 2nd John Agnew. Twelve Pears, John Lakings. Twelve Plums, John Lakiugs, 2nd H. Hannon. 12 Crab Apples, John Abbott, 2d Duncan McMillan.

DAIRY.—Tub Butter, 50 lbs., James Ferris, 2nd Henry Redmon, 3rd John Dazell. 5 lbs. Butter, put up in any shape., Jas Ferris, 2nd John Abbott, 3rd John Rundle. Home-made Cheese, Robt. Black, 2nd Duncan McMillan, 3rd Wm. Sturrock. Loaf of Bread, John Lakings, 2d Alex. Russell, 3rd Samuel Fleming. 5 lbs of Honey, T. Fennell.

HOME MANUFACTURES.—Blanket, factory made, W. H. Petterson, 2nd do. Blanket, home-made, William Stewart, 2d Duncan McMillan. Full Cloth, home-made, 5 yds, S. Fleming, 2nd Johnston Milliner. Satinet, home-made, 5 yds, Henry Redmon. Flannel, home-made, 5 yds, W. H. Peterson. Patch Quilt, John Lakings, 2d Joseph McArdle. Knitted Quilt, Jno Lakings. Fancy Quilt, Thos. Fennel, 2d Henry Hannon. Fine Shirt, S. Stocks, 2nd Johnston Milliner. Embroidery, William Hardy, 2d Johnston Milliner. Knitted Lace, John Lakings, 2d William Hardy. Antimacassar, John Lakings. Braid Work, Johnston Milliner, 2d John Lakings. Tatting Work, W. H. Peterson. Crochet Work, Johnston Milliner, 2nd W. H. Peterson. Hair Work, Johnston Milliner. Wax Flowers, Johnston Milliner. Berlin Wool Work, raised, Johnston Milliner. Hooked Mat, P. McGregor, 2nd Thos. Fennell. Pair Men's Mitts, Duncan McMillan, 2nd John Abbott. Rag Carpet, 5 yds, D. McMillan. Collection House Plants, John Abbott.

MANUFACTURES.—Lumber Waggon, F. F. Teeple. Spring Waggon, Thos. Swan, 2nd F. F. Teeple. Buggy, T. Swan. Set Horse Shoes, unfiled, F. F. Teeple, 2d A. H. Burnett. Pair Men's Fine Boots, Wm. Irons. Coarse Boots, Wm. Irons. 100 lbs. Flour, John Hopkins, 2d Andrew Riddle.

EXTRAS.

Cutter, highly recommended; manufactured by Toomas Swan, of Mount Forest.

Carriage Team, recommended; owned by Donald Ferguson.

Slippers, exhibited by Thos. Fennell, recommended.

Point Lace, exhibited by Thomas Fennell, recommended.

Collection of Tweeds, Dress Goods, Millinery and Mantles, exhibited by W. S. Hewetson, of Dundalk, highly recommended.

Berlin Wool Work, exhibited by Mrs. Milliner, highly recommended.

Three samples of Corn shown, recommended.

The day being favorable there was a large turn out, especially of the young people, and everything seemed to be favorable. The Judges were on the ground and accomplished their work with credit and general satisfaction. We were pleased to meet all the officers and directors of the Society at their post, and credit is due to them tor the manner in which they discharged their duty, having made every endeavor to give satisfaction to all competitors.

It was thought by some of the old fathers that the show would be a failure this year, on account of some difficulty which arose during the year as to where the Society would hold its exhibition. We would have been pleased to have met some of these old fathers at the show, but they were absent.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves reponsible fo the opinions expressed by our correspondent

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—I daresay "Taxarious" will be beginning to feel something like our friend "Tammas Tickle," that he has "floored" me, and that his logic being unanswerable, I am completely "dumfoonded," but no, not yet. Taxarious says that if I will read up church history "It will be found that it was by superstition and not by Taxation that the State first enthralled the churches." There is much truth in the statement; but I think it would be stating the matter more correctly to say that it was designing, unprincipled scoundrels, working under the superstition of others, combining in many instances *fanaticism* with Superstition, ignoring everything but *self*, that brought things ecclesiastical into such a deplorable state. History records many curious facts; sometimes the church has been the stepping-stone to the throne, and sometimes the throne to the church; and for many centuries the two (Church and State) have been so closely connected as to be almost indistinguishable, the one from the other. It is a long time since three of the ten kingdoms, viz: the Vandals, the Ostrogoths, and the Lombards, is typified by the ten-toes of Nebuchadnezzar's image, whose head was of fine gold, his breast and arms of silver, his belly and thighs of brass, his legs of iron, his feet part of iron and part of clay, were completely under the sway of the Pope, hence the Tiara, or three-crowned cap, which he wears on his head. Indeed, since very shortly after the days of the Apostles, when Rome was the Capital of the Roman Empire, and of the world; when the Roman Bishops after having been looked up to for a while by those more remote from the Capital, began to consider it as *right* that superiority, which the surrounding churches had freely yielded. If Rome is the Queen of Cities, why should not her pastor be the King of Bishops? Why should not the Roman Church be the mother of Christendom? Why should not all nations be her children, and her authority their sovereign law? It was easy for the ambitious heart of man to reason thus; ambitious Rome did so, and *all* know the result:—Ever since then the encroachments of power form a great part of history, as the resistance of those whose liberties are invaded forms the other portion. And why is this? The reason is easily come at, so clear that any one may see it, viz: that church and state were too closely connected, "running too much in the same groove," and this has been my theme in all these letters. Taxarious says I am "afraid that a regular taxation system would cause many to fling churches and religion overboard." In this he is wrong; I am not *afraid*. I said that even this would "work for good," but it would be as sure to "wind up" the taxation system proposed, for it would just bring the support of religion on the only parties who ought to, and will support it with out being taxed, viz:—the Christians.

Nothing surprises me more than to see professing Chrirtians straining every nerve to draw support to the church from the outside world. I cannot think money got in this way will do much good; I have always looked upon the free will offerings of a converted sinner to the support of the cause of Him "who died that he might live," as being like the "quality of mercy" of which Shakespeare writes "it is twice blessed; it blesses him that gives, and him that takes." Man is a curious being. Some men absent themselves from church and church ordinances professing to be offended at the conduct of some member or officer in the church, or even at something the minister has said or done. The congregation may be in arrears to their pastor, and he may really be in comparative want, and should he even hint about money from the pulpit, some are so "thinskined" that they will be offended, and absent themselves from his ministrations. Such men are much to be pitied. If the minister has to say anything about money, whose fault is it? Doubtless the congregation are not doing their duty, for if they did their duty, there would be no need of sermons with a "siller tail" as some call it. I think the real cause of these men acting as they do, is something else than they profess it to be. It is, I fear, because "the root of the matter is not in them;" "they have the form but not the power of godliness"; they have *only* "a name to live," and they want that name to cost them as little as possible; and with all they want to counted good, respectable Christians, and throw the blame on somebody or something, instead of avowing the real cause, viz: that the evil is in themselves, that their hearts are not right with God; that they are still in the gall of bitterness and the bonds of iniquity. If such will leave the church apparently on whimsical grounds, why not write their names off the roll at once? Why should not the dead limbs be cut off the spiritual tree? If we would keep the church in healthy state, clear away all those noxious weeds; "dig around it, and dung it," and see if it will not then bear fruit. Let the minister warn, admonish, reprove, let him do all he can to bring sinners "into the fold," but let not the Roll of church membership be blurred, and bloated with the names of members who have not for years sought to commemorate a Saviour's dying Love, and obey the command "do this in remembrance of me."

I cannot help feeling that there is something of a harsh, unchristian sound in the word "tax" in the sense in which Taxarious uses it. I always like to go back to "first principles," let us then go back 1800 years or more, when Christianity was in its infancy, what do we find in the New Testament? Do we find a tax imposed in the Apostolic church? Verily not. Nothing is surer than that the early Christian Church was supported by voluntary contributions. The exhortation there given is to give as God has prospered them; to lay by them in store on the first day of the week. And to show that they did not make a special occasion, a time for collecting money, take St. Paul's letter to the Christians at Corinth where he says, "Upon the first day of the week let every one of you lay by him in store as God hath prospered him, *that there be no gatherings when I come.* Do we do like this now? If Paul was with in five thousand miles now, and a new church to be opened on which there was thousands of dollars of debt, would we not do all in our power to get Paul to come and preach at the opening, that we might have a crowd and get our coffers filled? Paul said at you time "that there be no gatherings when I come." What does the church say now? She says Paul knew nothing about it; he was entirely wrong; the church could not get along in that way now. We must be "instant in season and out of season" to get money; never mind Paul, he was an old fashioned man at the best; but this is the age of improvement, we cannot stand still, we must do as others do; see, not long since there was a great gun came to a church opening in our neighborhood, and instead of a powerful speech as some expected, he commenced an auction, and took bids from old and young, member and adherent, stranger and friend, until all had been done that could be done, and wound up by singing "Ho, My Comrades," in the language of the South Sea Islanders, or some equally distant race.

Well, Mr. Editor, we certainly live in an extremely peculiar age; but, although fashions change, although men's ideas on every conceivable subject should change, although everything around us should change, Religion remains the same; Christianity is just the same to-day as it was on that morning when our Saviour burst the barrier of the tomb and arose a Triumphant Conqueror. If the early Christian Church was supported by voluntary offerings, why should not the same be done now? In olden times the way was to *bring* an offering, the Collector or Treasurer had not *then* to wait on the people, the people waited upon them. I see that the Sabbath School lesson for next Sabbath bears directly on this point I hope Superintendents and Teachers will bring the lesson home in their several classes and bring out the spirit of liberality that is there taught.

It is a degrading thing to see men well-to-do in the world, men with farms clear of debt, and money out at interest, paying their minister in "mere nothing," but it is to be hoped that as we have just gathered in a bountiful harvest, and realizing so high prices for our produce, we will show our gratitude to the Giver by giving a fair share of his own for the support of Gospel ordinances. I know some congregations that are deeply in debt to their minister; let us hope that 1882 will open with sheets clear of all debts, and a good balance on the credit side of our Congregational Ledgers, and show that we will voluntarily support the church and set aside the necessity of a "Tax".

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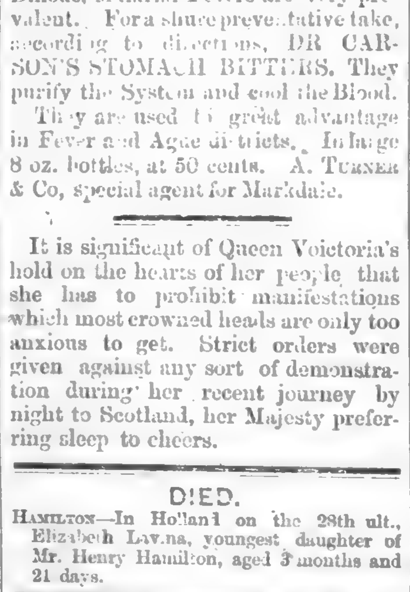
In the month of October Typhoid, Bilious, Malarial Fevers are very prevalent. For a sure preventative take, according to directions, DR CARSON'S STOMACH BITTERS. They purify the System and cool the Blood. They are used to great advantage in Fever and Ague districts. In large 8 oz. bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co, special agent for Markdale.

It is significant of Queen Voictoria's hold on the hearts of her people that she has to prohibit manifestations which most crowned heads are only too anxious to get. Strict orders were given against any sort of demonstration during her recent journey by night to Scotland, her Majesty preferring sleep to cheers.

DIED.

HAMILTON—In Holland on the 28th ult., Elizabeth Lavina, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry Hamilton, aged 3 months and 21 days.



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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

(ADVERTISEMENT.)

MISS MARY A. THIBADEAU, Teacher in S. S. No. 6, Glenelg, whipped a child of mine only seven years old, last week for telling what turned out to be an untruth. She, the Teacher, made him take off his coat, and beat him over the shoulders with a stick until he was black.—DANIEL MCCARTY.

FARM FOR SALE.

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range east of T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, containing 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation, Soil, Caly-Loam, free from stone, well fenced, and well watered. A new frame house, and a good frame barn on the premises. Forty acres of good hardwood bush. This desirable property is situated 4 miles from Markdale, and will be sold on easy terms. Price, $2,500. For particulars, apply on the premises to

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Markdale, Sept. 22, 1881. 54-6m

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EUGENIA, ... PROPRIETOR.

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—ON—

FRIDAY, 14TH OF OCT., 1881,

at 3 p. m. o'clock in the afternoon, the following Freehold Property in two Parcels, viz:

PARCEL 1.—Lot Number Sixteen, in the Seventeenth Concession of the Township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres more or less; about fifty acres of the said land are cleared and under cultivation, and the remainder is wooded with hardwood timber. The said Lot is situated about five miles from Flesherton.

PARCEL 2.—Lot Number Six, in the Third Concession east of the Garafraxa Road, in the Township of Holland, in the County of Grey, containing by admeasurement one hundred acres more or less. About seventy acres of said land are cleared and in a state of cultivation.

TERMS OF SALE.—The purchaser of each parcel will be required to pay down at the time of sale a deposit of ten per cent. of the purchase money, 25 per cent. additional within one month thereafter, and the remainder to be secured by first mortgage.

For further particulars apply to CHARLES KING, Shelburne, or to

MULOCK, TILT, MCARTHUR & CROWTHER,
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Dated 22nd September, 1881. 56-1t

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IN THE

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—ON—

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PARCEL 1.—Lot Number Twenty-five in the Fifth Concession of the Township of Osprey, containing one hundred acres more or less, about seventy acres of which are cleared. The buildings consist of a good dwelling house, a cottage and a large frame barn.

PARCEL 2.—Lot Number Twenty-six in the Fifth Concession of Osprey, containing one hundred acres more or less, of which about eighty acres are cleared. There are a cottage and a barn on the lot. These lots are situate on a good road and within a mile of the gravel road between Flesherton and Collingwood. Parcel One will be sold under the power of sale in a mortgage which will be produced. Parcel Two under a mortgage foreclosed in the Court of Chancery. A deposit of ten dollars for every one hundred of purchase money to be paid at the time of sale to the Vendors or their Solicitor.

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Call and See Us.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday October 7th, 1881.

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A man sold his farm near Chesley, and travelled through Dakota and the North-West, came back and purchased a farm in Holland. Better not get the N. W. too high.

The Markdale Methodist S. S. Anniversary will be held in the Church on Tuesday 11th inst., commencing at 6 p.m. Admission, 25 cents; children of other schools, 10 cents. A Sabbath School sermon will be given on Sunday at 10:30 a.m., by Rev. Mr. Lake, of Chatsworth.

Although W. J. McFarland is not going to have an opening day of his Millinery Show Room on account of his large staff of clerks being driven to their utmost ability in waiting on the vast number of customers which throng his capacious store and opening out his immense importations of European goods, yet he never had a more effective, stylish and cheaper stock of millinery goods to offer to his lady friends.

Euphrasia fall show came off at Rocklyn on Tuesday, the 4th inst., The day being cool and dry everything passed off pleasantly. This society having taken a step forward in purchasing grounds, fencing it, and erecting a hall; this move, we think, an important and wise one. The show was very good on the whole, there was however a deficiency in the quantity of Fruit, but the quality was good. The grain was indeed excellent both in quality and quantity. The crowded state of our columns at present prevents a more full account of the exhibit, will give Prize list next week.

We cannot but admire Wilcox's new and large stock of Jewelry and Silver-plated ware, although he has put in a new and handsome show case, there is not sufficient room to display it to advantage. We admire still more the manner in which Wilcox has conducted his business during the seven years he has been in business in Markdale, during which time we have frequently transacted business with him, and can say without fear of contradiction that his business is conducted on strictly honourable principles, therefore he is deserving of the large patronage and confidence of the people he commands. There is one *state* which Mr. W. has not yet entered, but we hope to be called on at no very distant day, to chronicle the fact that he has entered the ancient and honourable state of matrimony.

Miss Bella Baird, of the City of Toronto, has arrived, and assumes control of W. J. McFarland's Millinery Show Room. Ladies, we would advise you to see her before ordering your finery.

The Bazaar and Concert held by the Ladies' Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church proved a decided success. The numerous fancy and useful articles at the bazaar were mostly sold, and the rich and substantial dinner was well patronized. The concert was largely attended. Dr. Sproule, M. P., being called to the chair filled it in his usual masterly and humorous manner. The first on the programme was Mr. Collett, of Durham, the celebrated violinist, while Mrs. McIntyre played the accompaniment on the organ. Mr. Collett proved no discredit to his reputation. He is a whole team in himself. Then followed Mr. A. Patterson with a song; Mr. D. Irvine, a reading; Miss Davis, instrumental solo; J. R. and Miss Anderson, who stirred the mirthful element; violin solo by Mr. Collett; song by Mr. McIntyre; Mr. W. H. McDougall gave "Widow Green" and "Catharine likes me purty well," in his usually masterly manner; a solo by Mr. C. W. Speers; song by Mr. Patterson; solo by Mr. Collett; song by Mr. Anderson; instrumental music by Messrs Cunningham and Newen; solo by Mr. Collett, after which the audience sang "God Save the Queen," and dispersed to their homes after spending a very pleasant evening. There was in the neighborhood of $70 raised in all.

DUNDALK.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. John McDonnell has been refitting his grist mill and is now prepared to give satisfaction to those who may favor him with their patronage.

The Dundalk Herald is the cheapest paper of the size in Grey, and will be sent to any address for one dollar per year. Hand in your name to A. G. Hunter, local editor, Dundalk.

A line of mail is much needed between Dundalk and the Northern Railway, by way of Shrigley, Badjeros and Creemore.

The steel rails are now laid within a mile of Flesherton Station.

Large quantities of grain and potatoes coming into Dundalk, and a first-class market it is.

Malcolm Sinclair, con. 9, lot 38, Proton, sent a bag of potatoes to a friend by train from Dundalk last Monday. The bag contained 160 potatoes (Early Rose), and weighed 106 lbs, nearly ⅔ of a pound each.

There is a large business in grain. Good yield and good prices will make the farmers happy.

We have the largest potato market on the line; good prices—from 70c. to 80c. per bag.

W. H. Peterson has let the contract of building his carding and woollen factory to John Marshall; building to commence at once.

Willie Graham called into the Herald office and exhibited a beautiful bunch of ripe wild strawberries.

Farmers ought now to be collecting their root crops, as the fall is fast advancing and cold weather and snow may set in on short notice.

PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

A few cases of Diphtheria, confined to a few families, have been reported in this neighbourhood. The recent showers have clothed the scenery with a beautiful verdant green.

"Paralysis" has been very prevalent in this place but as the *fundamental* cause has been removed, no serious results are expected.

The new School house is rapidly approaching completion. It is to be finished by the 10th. What a city one side is so favored. Oh, for some tuck-pointing.

The Presbyterians here are agitating a new church, this is a move in the right direction. Good for the Presbyterians.

Many of the farmers have threshed and report good yield. Draw it out boys, while there is such a good market.

Correspondence.

Notice.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

REPLY TO REV. MR. WARD.—PART III.

In a work on the "Church of Christ," by the Rev. Arthur Litton, an Anglican Clergyman, he tells us how the two words "Elder" and "Bishop" were applied to the same officer in the Apostolic Church. "The word Presbyter or Elder was taken from an office in the Jewish Synagogue, and was the original, if not the exclusive, name employed in all Christian communities of Jewish origin; hence we do not meet with the word 'Bishop' until the Church had existed for more than twenty years. In churches, however, composed of converted heathens, to whom Jewish titles and offices were not familiar, another name in general use among the Greeks, and signifying overseer, began to be employed, viz.: '*episcopos*,' and what in the New Testament is rendered 'Bishop.'"

Presbyter or Elder, then, is the Jewish name, and Bishop is the Gentile name applied in the New Testament to the same class of officers. The entire evidence of the New Testament confirms this; for there are numerous passages in which the words Presbyters and Bishops are used interchangeably, the expression Presbyters and Bishops, or Bishops and Presbyters, never occurs. Paul, pre-eminently the Apostle to the Gentiles, is the only Apostle who applies the word Bishop to the pastors of Christian Churches, but he never uses the word Bishop when addressing churches of Jewish origin. Peter and James, too, when addressing Jewish Christians, call the pastors presbyters or elders, but never bishops, and in the book of Revelations, while the word presbyter or elder very frequently occurs, the word bishop never occurs. Throughout said book in the various scenical representations of the Church, both in heaven and on earth, elders or presbyters are frequently seen, but bishops never.

Now *if there were* bishops in the Apostolic Church, how do we account for the ommission? Perhaps Mr. Ward could tell us. It must be admitted then, that during the *Apostolic age*, presbyters and bishops were *not two distinct orders* of ministers, but only one order with two names, but according to Mr. Ward presbyters and bishops are *now* essentially *two distinct orders*. Who originated this distinction? When did it originate? and by what authority did it originate? No matter what answers may be given to these questions it is quite clear that the order of bishops in the Episcopal Churches as distinct from and superior to presbyters is *not of Apostolic origin*. Mr. Ward proceeds—"By virtue of the same commission the Apostles were empowered to ordain others," and "this commission to ordain was always to continue in the Christian Church and to remain in such hands as the Apostles should convey it to." Precisely so, with this statement we entirely agree, and so the Apostles did ordain others—they "ordained elders in every church which they had planted," and those elders as we have seen, exercised the same gift or authority in ordaining others. They ordained Timothy, 1 Tim. iv, 14—of which the Apostle Paul speaks approvingly—hence, as this commission to ordain "was to remain in such hands as the Apostles should convey it to," and as the Apostles conveyed the commission to the elders, therefore the power to ordain was to continue in the elders of the Christian Church for all time.

Says Mr. Ward—"The only way then to know in whose hands this commission is now lodged, is to inquire what persons were appointed by the Apostles to succeed them in their office." Well, we have made the inquiry, and the result of that inquiry is, that it is "plain to any person reading the scripture without prejudice," that the Apostles ordained elders in every church, and that these elders were and are the legitimate successors of the Apostles, and that there were but *two distinct orders* of ministers in the Apostolic Church "which were designed to continue to the end of the World."

Mr. Ward proceeds—"For besides these two, viz.: deacons and Presbyters or elders, who are some times called bishops, we read of another order which was superior to and had authority over both these, such were the Apostles Timothy, Titutus, and others."—Where, we ask, does Mr. Ward find this other "superior order?" Where does he read that Timothy and Titus were Apostles at all? that is in the sense we have already indicated, viz.: that they *had seen* the Lord. Again, where does he find that they were "superior to and had authority over the others?" We have shown that Timothy was ordained by the Presbyters, 1 Tim. iv, 14. How could he be superior to those from whom he had received his commission? Why, common sense would say "impossible." Did ever anyone hear of a mere priest or presbyter now-a-days ordaining or consecrating a bishop? Why I am sure that even Mr. Ward will admit the absurdity of this position; but if Mr. Ward's contention be correct, then we have presbyters ordaining bishops, for Timothy was ordained, says Paul, by the "laying on of the hands of the presbytery."

Mr. Ward proceeds—"It is plain from the epistle of Paul to Timothy and Titus, that they presided over the presbyters, had power to enforce them to their duty, to receive accusations against them, and judicially to pass sentence upon them." The portion of God's word to which this refers is doubtless 1 Tim. v, 19-20. "Against an elder receive not an accusation but before two or three witnesses. Them that sin rebuke before all that others may fear." Mr. W. thinks that this fully establishes the superiority of Timothy over the elders, whereas a closer inspection of this and co-relative passages would show that it merely refers to that fraternal regard, friendly solicitude and brotherly care which every member of Christ's body was enjoined to exercise over and for his brother in the bonds of the Gospel; as in I Thess. v, 14. "Now we exhort you brethren warn them that are unruly, comfort the feeble-minded, support the weak, be patient towards all men; see that none render evil for evil to any man, &c." The reasonableness of this interpretation will be evident from a consideration of the following: "Rebuke not an elder but intreat him as a father." I Tim. v, 1. Why, Paul, you must surely be mistaken; isn't Timothy superior to the elders? and has he not power to "enforce them to their duty" and if need be "judicially pass sentence upon them?" Why, then, do you say "rebuke not an elder, but exort him as a father." Why, Paul, you are beside yourself; you are opposed to all antiquity and to the "Catholic Apostolic Church of England!" Now, Paul let me ask you, how will his "Lordship" Timothy 'enforce obedience' if he cannot "rebuke" the elders? Don't you see, Paul! by this restriction you reduce his "Lordship" to the level of an elder? Nay, you put his Lordship in subjection to the "elder" if his Lordship must "entreat him as a father?" Yes, "Timothy," that is just what Paul means! you received your commission from a board of Elders called a "presbytery," you are, therefore, to be in subjection to them as your "father in God." Timothy, then, as presiding elder in the presbytery was not to "receive an accusation" against a brother "elder" but "at the mouth of two or three witnesses."

With this compare St. Peter's exhortation to the elders, I Peter v, 1—"The elders who are among you I exhort, *who am also an elder* and a witness of the sufferings of Christ," or as it is in the revised version, "*who am a fellow elder*." Yes, Peter, (the "chief and very Pope," as some say of the Apostles) speaking by inspiration, calls himself an "elder," and he exhorts his fellow elders," he does not *command* as a superior. Had Peter seen fit to "command," I suppose none would have questioned his right as an "inspired" Apostle; but, no, he *exhorts*, he *intreats* his co-elders as brethren, as "*fellow elders*," even though he was a "witness of the sufferings of Christ;" yet he did not consider himself a "superior" entitled to command and "enforce obedience."

In view of the foregoing we ask, "What becomes of Mr. Ward's 'third order'?" If Peter was but an 'elder' the other apostles would be elders also; yet we are told that Timothy and Titus belonged to "another order which was superior to and had authority over" the elders.

Mr Ward affirms that "there were three orders in the Apostolic Church;" the Apostles Peter and Paul affirm the contrary—which are we to believe, Mr. Ward or the divinely inspired apostles? The Reformers of the sixteenth century—Luther, Melancthon, Calvin and others on the continent, and Cranmer, Latimer and their associates in England; taught that there were but two orders of ministers in the Primitive Church and even Paley of recent times merely pleads for Episcopacy as permissable and expedient as being "neither forbidden or enjoined in the New Testament" as expedient in modern times because calculated as he argues "to win the attention and respect of the nobility and aristocracy." In Paul's epistle to the Philippians he addresses "the saints in Christ Jesus who are at Philippi with the bishops and deacons"—Phil. i. 1. An unaccountable omission if there were three orders in the church, the second order being evidently *ignored*. Again we affirm that we no where find in the New Testament three orders of ministers classed together. We have as we have seen "bishops and deacons," but nowhere do we meet with "bishops, priests and deacons" as in the Church of England.

The notion, therefore, that there were three orders of ministers in the primitive church and that bishops were superior to Presbyters meets with no countenance from the New Testment. It arose in after times and has no apostolic or scripture authority. We must therefore regard the Episcopal form of church government as a departure from the model presented in the New Testament. We now close Part III.

Wm. Brown.

Markdale, Oct. 4th, 1 81.

A special meeting of Glenelg Council at the Town Hall on the 19th inst, to appoint Collectors for the current year. Minutes of last meeting next week.

THE MARKETS

MARKDALE.

Friday, Sept 30, 1881.

Flour	6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.25	to	1.28
Fall do. do. do.	1.25	to	1.30
Barley	0.50	"	0.8[illegible]
Oats	0.37	"	0.37
Peas	0.66	"	0.66
Potatoes.	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.21	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.05
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	10.00	"	12.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Friday, Sept 30th 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.27
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.30
Barley	0.60	"	0.73
Oats	0.32	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.72
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0 00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	10.0	"	12 0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall,	No.	1	$1.25	to	$1.30
" "	"	2	1.20	to	1.25
Wheat, Spring,	"	1	1.22	to	1.26
" "	"	2	1.20	to	1.22
" "	"	3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley	"	2	.65	to	.75
"	"	3	.50	to	.60
Peas	"	1	.65	to	.65
"	"	2	.60	to	.62
Oats	"	1	.36	to	.37
Butter	"	1	.20	to	.21
Eggs			.14	to	.15

TORONTO.

(*Special to the Standard.*)

Toronto September, 30th, 1881.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 34	to	$1 37
Wheat, spring, do.	1 33	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 80	to	0 96
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 76	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 75	to	0 96
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 50	to	8 50
Beef, fore quarters	0 00	to	0 00
Chickens, per pair	0 40	to	0 50
Fowls,	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	40	to	0 54
Geese, each	50	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 50
Butter, large rolls	20	to	0 24
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 18	to	0 20
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	1 00	to	2 25
Potatoes, per bag	0 80	to	0 90
Onions, per bag	1 50	to	2 00
Hay	12 00	to	16 00

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

on

Wednesdays and Saturdays,

By Thomas Smith,

[Orde]rs filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

FALL SHOWS.

East Grey—At Flesherton, Thursday and Friday, Oct. 6th and 7th

South Grey—At Durham, Wednesday, and Thursday, Sept. 28th and 29th.

Holland—At Chatsworth, on Friday, Sept. 30th.

Proton—At Hopeville, on Friday, Sept. 30th.

Glenelg—At Markdale, Oct. 5th.

Euphrasia—At Rocklyn, on Tuesday, Oct. 4th.

Sullivan—At Desboro, on Wednesday, Oct. 5th.

Egremont—At Holstein, on Tuesday, Oct. 11th.

Dufferin—At Orangeville, Sept. 28, 29 and 30.

Melancthon—At Shelburne, Oct. 6th and 7th.

Osprey.—At McIntyres corners, on Tuesday, Oct 11th.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea

has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing [to profit by] the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

$2 Watches. Stem winders $8 50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO. 133 Nassau St. New York.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

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Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address. Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham st., N. Y.

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

Nothing Like Leather.

W. M'LEOD & CO.,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

W. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

James Masson,

BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW Master in Chancery, Owen Sound.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Ayer's Hair Vigor,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

It is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

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As a Dressing for Ladies' Hair

The Vigor is incomparable. It is colorless, contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil white cambric. It imparts an agreeable and lasting perfume, and as an article for the toilet it is economical and unsurpassed in its excellence.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,

Practical and Analytical Chemists,

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

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Promptly and Tastily

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Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

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Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-ty

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS.

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THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an ear. call, as he will sell at the lowest living price for cash. A good supply of

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

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Flesherton, March. 1881. 18

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SOUTH HALF LOT 7, CON. 12, EUPHRASIA, 100 acres, 80 cleared and under cultivation. House, barn and stables on the premises, also well watered. Will rent for a term of years. Situated three miles from Markdale. For further particulars apply to John Lyons, on the premises, or to C. W. Rutledge, Standard office, Markdale.

Euphrasia, Sept. 15th, 1881. 53-3t*

STRAYED.

CAME into the premises of the Subscriber, lot 103, con. 3, west of T. & S. Road, Glenelg, early in August, a Yearling Steer, red. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.

R. H. BOYCE.

Glenelg, Sept. 5, 1881. 52-3t

NOTICE.

THE subscriber in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug 18th, 1881. 49-4.

ESTRAY.

CAME INTO THE PREMISES of the undersigned, Lot 5, Con. 6, Osprey, in July last, a two year old Steer. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away.

DAVID MADILL.

Osprey, Sept. 13th, 1881. 53-3in.

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A THREE YEAR OLD MARE, LARGE size.

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—FOR—

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ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agt.

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MARKDALE

To All Whom It May Concern.

As the season has arrived when money is plentiful and we have no collector but the bailiff, we must have our accounts by the 10th of October.

August 9th, 1831. 1

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

Sydenham Street,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43 6m

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Orders by Mail promptly attended to.

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

Farm for Sale.

LOT No. 9, Concession 10, Glenelg, containing 100 acres—60 of which is cleared and under cultivation, the balance well timbered, chiefly hardwood. On the premises is a barn 60x24, a house and outbuildings, and a young orchard, is well watered and well fenced with cedar rails. It is situated 5½ miles from the thriving village of Markdale. Title good; possession given at once. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the proprietor is going West. Apply to

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P.O.

or to C. W. Rutledge, Markdale.

September 2nd, 1881. 51-6t*

MARKDALE

CARRIAGE WORKS!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, [b]eg to inform the Public, that that they are [p]repared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, [s]uch as

BUGGIES,

DEMOCRATS,

WAGGONS, ETC.,

AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES,

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING

AND

General Jobbing!

As we warant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25-3m.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 1881. 41tf

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia. East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS.

On the premises.

or to C. W. Rutledge, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

AGENTS WANTED.—B[ig pay].—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street, New York. 20-ly

Agricultural.

SYSTEM IN FARMING.

There is perhaps no department of business in which a definite and consistent system of management is so much needed as in farming. In England and Scotland, where an extended experience is the guide in practice, and where, from the great value of land, the highest rents are paid by the tenant farmers, we find in each locality a very general conformity to a well-planned system of farm practice, which is reasonably claimed, under the circumstances, to give the best results. The low price of the virgin soils of America, when first brought under cultivation, together with a lack of markets for a variety of products, and the many other conditions inseparable from the settlement of a new country, have led to habits of practice that are perhaps best defined by their lack of system. Under these conditions, presented in what may be called pioneer farming, the tendency is to grow, almost exclusively, some particular crop, that commands a ready sale at paying prices, without taking into consideration the effects of its continuous growth on the future productiveness of the soil. The pioneer who is subjected to the hardships and privations that are of necessity connected with the first settlement of a new country, is undoubtedly to receive the full benefit of the accumulated riches of the soil he brings under cultivation, and the "scouring" practice he resorts to, although uniformly censured by theoretical writers, is without doubt, under the circumstances, the best he can possibly adopt for his own immediate interests.—Dr. MANLY MILES, in *American Agriculturist for October.*

ROOT-CELLARS. The leading features of a good root cellar are, proof against frost, neatness, dryness, ventilation, and cheapness. If a hill-side is conveniently near, it helps much to secure the desired ends. An excavation should be first made, in size depending upon the required capacity of the cellar, and in this erect a stout frame of timbers—posts with plank, or a log pen, and on which place a stout roof. The earth that has been excavated is thrown over the structure, until the whole is covered to the depth of two feet. A door should be made in the exposed end of the cellar, through which the roots may be put in and taken out. The smaller the [illegible] still be convenient, the [illegible] it allows to less exposure to [illegible]. A quantity of straw pressed in the door-way, will aid greatly in keeping out the frost. Every [illegible] with many roots to be stored, [illegible] have a root-cellar, either by [illegible] to the lower part of the barn, [illegible] well to store a large quantity of roots in the cellar of the house, [illegible] rising from them during [illegible] sickness to the in[illegible]. *American Agriculturist for* [illegible]

[illegible] It is no vile [illegible] pretending to be made [illegible] foreign roots, barks, &c. puffed up by long bogus certificates [illegible] miraculous cures, [illegible] pure, effective medicine, [illegible] remedies, [illegible] certificates by [illegible] Hop Bitters, [illegible] of medicines.

[illegible]

[illegible] biggest fish appear [illegible] this season to [illegible]. A country hotel's [illegible] forth to fish, and ramble [illegible] country. He splashed [illegible] with brook mud, tore his clothing [illegible] underbrush, and at [illegible] looked like a volunteer at [illegible] of Bull Run. At night he [illegible] to the hotel and exhibited [illegible] to the verandah's occupants, and related how easy the [illegible] came to grief, how he climbed [illegible] trees to unhitch the line, and [illegible] result was with what [illegible] accomplished. At this [illegible] up well out of [illegible] exclaimed: "Mister, ma [illegible] them fish; they's [illegible] another man; her's yer [illegible]

WRETCHED SCORE.

[illegible] of years is a long time to [illegible] upon, but when attended [illegible] continual suffering, it seems almost [illegible] century; and all this pain [illegible] have been avoided if, when [illegible] commenced to trouble you, [illegible] taken Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

ACQUIRING AN EDUCATION.

"Why do you wish to leave school [illegible]?" sadly asked the principal of a country school out near Danville, remonstrating with a sandy-haired pupil of twelve years; "you have learned comparatively nothing up to this time."

"I've learned one thing mighty solid [illegible]," persisted the student.

"And what is that?" asked the teacher.

"I've learned that a mistake in spelling [illegible] fetches a boy a cuff on the [illegible] keeps a big girl in two hours after school."

"You're [illegible]," said the principal, handing the boy his books, "you should have left school three years ago."

SOOTHING SYRUPS SUPERCEDED.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best remedy for infants teething, it is safe, pleasant and reliable, and cures promptly all forms of Bowel Complaints. For Canadian Cholera or Cholic and Dysentery of either children or adults there is no better remedy.

Twenty three members of the British Parliament have reached the age of four score.

There are at present 70 farms in Lancashire in which the foot and mouth disease exists.

RESPECT.—The Grey Hairs of old age demand and should receive repect—but the Grey Hairs of young people require attention—in the way of using Cingaies Hair Renewer. Sold by all Druggist 50 cents a bottle.

John Bright estimates that Great Britain has lost £200,000,000 by bad harvests the past three years.

Such has been the recent damages to the British crops that the current wheat deficiency in the United Kingdom is estimated at 135,000,000 bush[illegible]

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met at Vogan's hall, on Sept. 20th, 1881. Members all present. Reeve in the chair. A communication was received from the Clerk of Euphrasia respecting the reduction of school sections 1, 2 and 3, Holland and Euphrasia. Also from the Clerk of Sydenham respecting by-law of deviation on Speck's deviation (town line). Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Deputy-Reeve, that Mr. Mirium be appointed as arbitrator between Holland and Euphrasia, and that the Clerk notify the Euphrasia Council to that effect. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Deputy-Reeve, that Dr. Kennedy get an order for $16, for road work performed under him. Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Norton, that $5 be granted to repair bridge opposite Dr. Kennedy's house. Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Commissioner let the above $5. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Clerk and Mr. Jackson be paid $1 each, for assisting surveyor at Jackson's deviation. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that $10 be granted to repair crossway near Massia (east side road). Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that a railing be put on bridge on 40 sideroad, not to cost more than $10. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that Henry Sherlock receive $2 for clearing out and repairing culvert opposite his place. Moved by Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the bills of Lilburn and Smith, for lumber and repairing, be paid. Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that $1 be expended on culvert on Conger's sideroad. Moved by Deputy-Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the bill of Charles Delane, for gravel, be paid —$3.10. Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Clerk write to Registry office and enquire if there is any claim against lot 60, con. 3. Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the Clerk notify the President of the T. G. & B. Railway Company to make a crossing at 50 side road immediately, commencing at the crossing and running north east to the foot of the hill, otherwise to make a crossing in the proper place. Moved by Messrs. Shute and Cameron, that the Clerk notify the person living on lots 43 and 44, con. 2, N. E. T. & S. R., to remove all obstructions off the road opposite his place. Moved by Messrs. Norton and Shute, that the Reeve be instructed to attend the adjourned sale of lands for taxes. Moved by Deputy Reeve and Norton, that the valuation made by the Reeves of Sullivan and Holland, with regard to unions sections 1, 2 and 3, be adopted. Moved by Norton and Gillespie, that $10 be expended on centre side road. Moved by Norton and Deputy Reeve, that the rate be 10 mills in the $ on all the rateable property in the Township, to cover both township, county and school rate. Moved by Shute and Gillespie, that the sum of $10 be given to open up road leading to town line at 50 side road. Moved by Gillespie and Deputy Reeve, that we propose to give John Shea $15 for the deviation on his farm, otherwise we appoint Justis Mirium as arbitrator, and notify Mr. Shea of this resolution. Moved by Shute and Deputy-Reeve, that $5 be expended on 50 sideroad, near Cove's. Moved by Norton and Deputy-Reeve, that By-laws 6, 5, 7 and 8 be signed, sealed and engrossed on the minutes. Moved by Shute and Deputy-Reeve, that this Council adjourn till the 28th of October.

GARSON PRICE, Clerk.

WHAT EVERY ONE SAYS MUST BE TRUE.

All unite in praise of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry who have tried its efficacy in curing Cholera Morbus, Cramps, Dysentery, Nausia, and Stomach and Bowel Complaints, generally in children or adults. Every person should keep a supply on hand.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR.—If you have any curiosity to hear somewhat about the Down Settlement for the convenience of your readers we will take them along the Collingwood road to what is known as McCombs corner, thence east one concession. The corner lot belongs to Mr. A. Down, on which there is erected a new brick house, which when finished, will be equal to any in the country for comfort and conveniance. I understand that J. Hanbury done the brick work and R. Byers the wood work with which Mr. D. is highly satisfied. The next on that line is Mr. P. Holeman, who has also a very fine house nearly new which is of frame structure very handsomely painted; Mr. J. Simmings and Mr. S. Bageros have also very fine houses, and I may add that the above named men have their barns and out buildings quite in keeping with their dwelling houses, and to see their well cleaned up fields and fences would be decided proof of thrift and taste. Their farms are of clay loam and lies in a position to receive the first rays of the morning sun. The mark of taste does not stop at home with those men. But when they go to mill or market they take out clean well mended bags, if not now, with strings on each and the best samples of grain, well cleaned and always calls forth the height of the market. Many would profit by taking a hint from the success of those men and quit coming to market with a number of lbs, of hay and pea straw for patches, hay and oats straw for strings, grain not half fanned, and the pain of grumbling that they got 20cts less per bushel than their neighbour. One can tell what sort of a wife a farmer has by the bags which are sent to mill or Market; many complain of their fanning mill that can be very easily reminded Mr. Wm. Strain has on hand a number of the best mills in the country that can be bought very reasonable, either on time or for cash. When you come in sight of the above named settlement you would think it was a youthful village springing up, in fact it would be hard to find a mile of any road in the country with the same appearance. Mr. Thos Addison has a very nice house and lot on the corner on which is erected a blacksmith shop; and Mr. J. Foresoythe is going to build a waggon shop this fall. We are personally acquainted with those men and never heard any one say aught against his neighbour but on the best of terms with both themselves and their wives. I might say to, that many a man has went to the Down settlement for a wife lately and is not sorry he did. If I got out again I will let you know about some other settlement.

T. O'SHANTER.

A HARD TASK.

To find a better remedy for dyspepsia, indigestion, and impurities of the blood, than the Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1 00, trial bottles 10 cents.

There are four murders a day on the average in London. The population of that city alone is nearly equal to that of Ireland, and about 100,000 more than that of Scotland.

The salt mines of Cheshire and Worcester, England, yield so abundantly that the supply is sufficient for entire country, and more than half a million tons are exported annually.

A bible was recently sold in London for nearly $3,900. It was the earliest Bible known. It was printed at Metz by Guttenburg, in 1542, and contained only the Old Testament.

A further experience with one of the hundred ton guns about to be sent to Gibraltar and Malta took place on Wednesday, at Woolwich. The monster gun was loaded with 420 pounds of powder and flat headed shot 2,000 pounds weight. Two rounds were fired with satisfactory results

Markdale, August 24, 1881.

Messrs. A. Turner & Co.,

Gents—I take much pleasure in certifying to the benefit I have experienced from the use of B. B. Bitters. I have suffered much for years back from Dispepsia and constipation.—Last spring I used four bottles of B. B. Bitters, purchased from you, and am happy to say have enjoyed perfect health since. Yours truly,

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Many medicines check too suddenly attacks of Bowel Complaints, inducing dangerous inflammation, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, cleanses, strengthens and heals the diseased and weakened mucuous surfaces of the Stomach and Bowels, and safely cures every form of Summer Complaints.

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THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

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The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made. A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth. No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations. They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm. To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating. No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds. $500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B[itters]. Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made, the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them. D.I.C. is an absolute and irrestible cure for Drunkeness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto, Ont.

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Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 43-ly

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Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 13

Artemesia Warehouse!

FLESHERTON STATION.

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,
HARDWARE, CROCKERY,
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf

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Sewing Machines, Organs,
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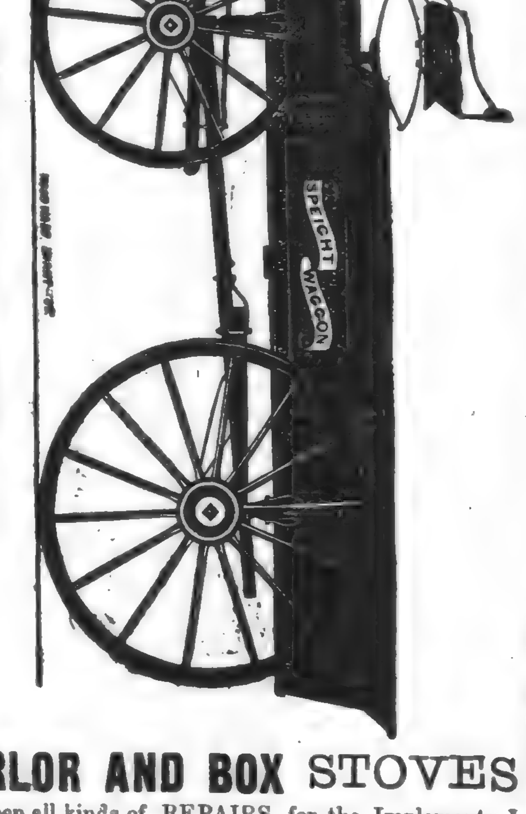

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Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

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Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's
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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-3m

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

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Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

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THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-tf

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IN BOOTS AND SHOES!

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Is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

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Wm BROWN

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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
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You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I **can** and **will** sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!
For CASH and FARM PRODUCE
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I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

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SPRING IMPORTATIONS
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And I will have opened out and show

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James Masson, BARRISTER and ATTORNEY-AT-LAW [illegible] Master in Chancery, Owen Sound. Sept. [illegible], 1880. 1-y

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Dr. James J. White, [Assist]ant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound. WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in [each] month, when he will be prepared to per[form] all operations required upon the mouth [in] the most satisfactory manner, and upon [reas]onable terms. 1-y

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Dundalk, Sept. 1, 881. 1-ly

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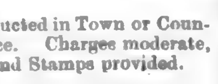
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

Sheep and Cattle.



FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave there names and address at T. Sproule's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS.

Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

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Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

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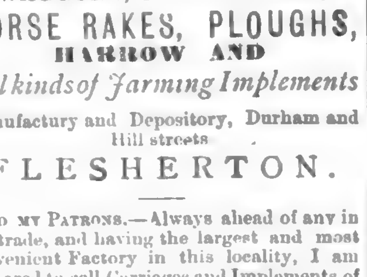

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLAS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. ☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!

T. MULARKEY, QUEEN STREET MARKDALE,

Keeps constantly on hand

CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.

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Markdale, June 9. 1881. 39 ly

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The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.

Montreal, December, 1880.

Meat for All AT W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of MARKDALE and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY always kept in their Season.

☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

W. BENSON HAS NOW ON HAND A Fresh Supply of Liquors

WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

IN GROCERIES!

Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,

Teas a Specialty.

Miscellaneous Articles!

Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.

P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Bensn.

Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

J. MONTGOMERY, BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES, either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT! of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

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BRIDES' CAKES. supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

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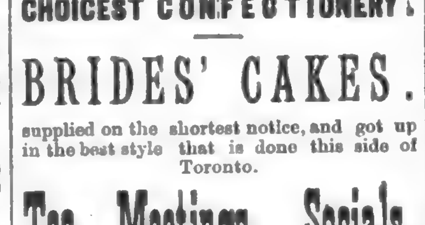

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Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture! —AND— UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS, CASKETS, SHROUDS, and all FUNERAL FURNISHINGS, supplied on the shortes notice.

A Splendid Hearse for hire at moderate rates.

FURNITURE! From the Common to the Best and Latest Stles, in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

ROBT. ASKIN.

THE ANGLER'S CONFESSION.

I've angled in many waters,
On many a summer's day,
By many a murmuring river,
In many a tangled way;
And the voice of the brook has never
Lost its pathos and charm for me,
As it ripples and runs for ever
To its home in the mighty sea.

These were the days of the angler,
In the flush of innocent youth,
Told all his simple story—
Told nothing but the truth.
"I fished the stream near the milldam
Hour after hour in vain;
I've not a trout in my basket,
To morrow I'll try it again.

But now, alas! this bosom
Is shockingly changed; I fear
I've learned to lie like others,
In the angling months of the year.
"Fishing? I rather think so,
A hundred in half a day—
Two pounders and strong—such monsters,
Each took me an hour to play."

I've learned to lie like others,
I've gone to the stream and found
A small boy fishing before me;
Then prone on the pleasant ground
I've lain, and slumbered, and bid him
Call me when he had caught
Just enough to fill my basket,
And thus my fish were bought.

Then over my nice clean stockings
I've plastered the river mud,
And the sleeves of my angling jacket
I've smeared with the fishes' blood;
And strolled to the ferry landing
With a weary look in my eye,
Then revelled for days succeeding
In one long luxurious lie.

How I fell from the massive boulder,
Aow I swam the turbulent brook,
How in pool four and twenty
Speckled beauties I took.
Men may rave of the joys of angling,
But let them not despise
The pure, the æsthetic pleasure
That dwells in such angling lies.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER II.—*Continued.*

'You would not dare,' he said huskily; 'you wretch! you would not dare—'

'I would dare anything except being late for Miss Dangerfield's birth-night party. Just seventeen! a charming age, and an heiress, and a beauty, no doubt? Ah! what a contrast to my waning youth. I grow melancholly when I think of it. I was seventeen once, too, Sir John, though to look at me now you mightn't believe it. Ring the bell, please, and let that nice old creature, your housekeeper, show me to my room. And when I'm ready—say, ten o'clock—you will come for me here, and present me to your guests. No, really, baronet, not another word to-night on *that* subject. These serious matters are so exhausting; and remember, I've been travelling all day. Ring the bell.'

He hesitated a moment, then obeyed. The look of a hunted animal was in his eyes, and she stood there mocking him to his face. It seemed about as unequal a contest as a battle between a huge Newfoundland and a little King Charles, and the King Charles had the victory this time.

Mrs. Harrison answered the bell; in the brief interval no word had been spoken.

'You will show Mrs. Vavasor to her room,' Sir John said, shortly and sternly, turning to go.

'And I will be dressed by ten, and you will call for me here,' said Mrs. Vavasor, gayly, over her shoulder. 'How fortunate I have been in not missing the opportunity of offering my congratulations to Miss Dangerfield.'

And then humming a gay French air, Mrs. Vavasor followed the housekeeper up another broad oaken stairway, along a carpeted corridor and into a velvet-hung chamber, bright with firelight and waxlight, luxuriant with cushions, chairs, and lounges, fragrant with hot-house flowers, and rich with pictures.

'Your trunks are in the wardrobe adjoining, ma'am,' Mrs. Harrison said, 'and if there is anything I can do, or if Miss Katherine's maid—'

'You good creature!' Mrs. Vavasor answered. 'No, I am my own maid—I haven't eight thousand a year, you know, like your darling, Miss Katherine, and can't afford luxuries. Thanks, very much; and—good-night; and then the door closed gently in the housekeeper's face, the key was turned and Sir John's guest was alone.

She stood and looked around the room with a smile, that incessant smile that grew just a trifle wearisome after the first half hour or so.

In the golden gleam of the light the tall mirrors flashed, the carpet looked like a green bank of June roses, the silken draperies shimmered, and the exotics in their tall glasses perfumed the warm air. Outside the rain beat, and the wind blew, and the 'blackness of darkness' reigned. She listened to the wild beating of the storm in the park with a delicious shiver.

'Is it like my life?' she said softly. 'Have I come out of the rain, and the night, to the roses, and waxlights, and music of existence. Or is the gypsy, vagabond instinct too strong in me, and will the roses fade, and their perfume sicken, and the lights grow dim, and I throw it all up some day, and go back to the old freedom and outlawry once more? The cedar palace and purple robes of the king look very inviting, but I think I would rather have the tents of Bohemia, with their freedom, and the stars shining through the canvas roof.'

An hour later there descended to the long drawing-room, a lady—a stranger to all there. She appeared in their midst as suddenly as though she had dropped from the rainy skies, a charming little vision, in amber silk and Chantilly flounces, and diamonds and creamy roses in her floating feathery black hair. A little lady whose cheeks outshone all roses, whose eyes outflashed her diamonds, and whom Sir John introduced to his guests as Mrs. Vavasor.

Who was Mrs. Vavasor?

Women looked at her askance—the stamp of adventuress was on her face and raiment.

The rouge was artistic, but it was rouge; the amber silk was shabby, the Chantilly, a very clever imitation, the diamonds Palais Royal beyond doubt. And then Sir John was so pale, so gloomy—the old soldier, not used to society masks, showed his trouble all too plainly in his perturbed face.

A woman not of their order—and the ladies' bows were frigid and chilling as the baronet presented her.

But the men—what did they know of shabby silks and brownish laces. They saw a brilliant fairy of—well, five-and-twenty summers, perhaps—by lamplight—with the eyes and teeth of a goddess.

'But Miss Dangerfield, Sir John—Miss Dangerfield! Miss Dangerfield!' Mrs. Vavasor cried, tapping him playfully with her fan; 'those people are not the rose, though they have come to-night to do honor to that gorgeous flower. I'm dying to behold Miss Dangerfield.'

The stormy blue eye of the Indian officer flashed; he gnawed his moustache with an oath only heard by the lady on his arm. Her shrill laugh answered it.

'For shame, Sir John! So ill-bred, too! And that face! You look like the Death's-head the Egyptians used to have at their banquets. What will people say? There, I see her—I see her! that is Katherine.'

She stopped short, still holding Sir John's arm, and a vivid light came into her black eyes. The baronet's daughter was advancing on the arm of Mr. Gaston Dantree.

'Katherine,' her father said, bringing out every word with a husky effort, 'this is Mrs. Vavasor, a very old fri—acquaintance.' If his life had been at stake, he could not have said 'friend.' 'You have heard me speak of her; she is our guest for the present.'

He turned abruptly and walked away.

Katherine Dangerfield held out her hand—for the first and the last time—to her father's acquaintance. Their eyes met, and on the only occasion, perhaps, in all her seven-and thirty years of life, those of the elder woman fell. The bright gray eyes of the girl looked straight through her, and distrusted and disliked her with that first glance.

'My father's friends are always welcome to Scarswood.' She said it very briefly and coldly. 'May I beg of you to excuse me now? I am engaged for this waltz to Mr. Dantree.'

She was looking her best to-night and almost pretty; but then 'almost' is a very wide word.

She wore pink tissue that floated about her like a rosy mist, with here and there a touch of priceless old peint, and a tiny cluster of fairy roses. She had pearls on her neck, and gleaming through her lovely auburn hair, a rich tea rose nestling in the silken brown.

She looked graceful; she looked unspeakably patrician; she carried herself like a young princess. And the vivid light in Mrs. Vavasor's black eyes grew brighter as she watched her float away.

'She has her mother's face,' she whispered to herself; 'she has her mother's face! A home in Scarswood for ever, the fleshpots of Egypt, the purple and fine linen high life, would be very pleasant things, but revenge is pleasanter still.'

One of the gentlemen to whom she had, at her own special request, been introduced, came up, as she stood, and solicited the pleasure of a waltz.

'I am sure you *can* waltz,' he said; 'I can always tell, by some sort of Terpsichorean instinct, I suppose, when a lady is, or is not, a waltzer.'

Mr. Peter Dangerfield was right at least in this particular instance; Mrs. Vavasor waltzed like a fairy—like a French fairy at that.

She and the baronet's daughter whirled past each other more than once—Katherine with her brown hair floatin gin a perfumed cloud, her lips breathless and apart, and her bright eyes laughing in her partner's face.

'Is she in love with that very handsome young man, I wonder?' Mrs. Vavasor thought; 'and is he rich, and in love with *her*? If so, then my plan of vengeance may be frustrated yet.'

'Mr. Dangerfield,' to her partner, 'please tell me the name of that gentleman with whom Miss Dangerfield is dancing. It strikes me I have somewhere seen his face before.'

'Not unlikely, he's been everywhere. His name is Gaston Dantree, and he is, I believe, a native of the State of Louisiana.'

'An American? He is very rich, then—all those Americans are very rich.'

'Dantree is not. By his own showing, he is poor as a church mouse; his only wealth is his Grecian profile and his tenor voice.' The was just a tinge of bitterness in his tone as he looked after the handsome Southener and his partner.

"My face is my fortune, sir, she said."

hummed gayly Mrs. Vavasor. 'How, then, comes monsieur to be here, and evidently first favourite in the regards of Sir John's heiress?'

'His handsome face and musical tenor again. Miss Dangerfield met him at a concert, not three weeks ago, and behold the result! We poor devils, minus classic noses, arched eyebrows, and the voices of archangels, stand out in the cold and gaze afar off at him in Paradise.'

'Does Sir John like it?'

'Sir John will like whatever his daughter likes. Any human creature persistent enough can do as they please with Sir John. For his daughter he is her abject slave.'

The bitterness was bitterer than ever in Mr. Peter Dangerfield's voice; evidently the heiress of Scarswood and her handsome Southerner were sore subjects.

He was a pale-faced, under-sized young man, with very light hair and eyes—so light that he was hopelessly near-sighted—and a weak, querulous voice. It was just a little hard to see Scarswood slipping out of the family before his very eyes through the headstrong whims of a novel-reading, beauty-loving chit of a girl.

He, too, was poor—poor as Gaston Dantree himself—and at thirty, mammon was the god of his idolatry, and to reign one day at Scarswood, the perpetual longing of his life.

'And Miss Dangerfield is a young lady whose slaves must obey, I think; and Scarswood will go out of the family. Such a pity, Mr. Dangerfield! Now, I should think you might prevent that.'

She made this audacious home thrust looking full in his pale, thin face, with her black, resolute eyes.

The blood flushed redly to the roots of his dull yellow hair.

'I! My dear madame,'—with a hard laugh—'I stand no chance. I'm not a handsome man.'

'Miss Dangerfield—I am a woman, and may say so—is not a handsome girl.'

'All the greater reason why she should worship beauty in others. Gaston Dantree, without a sou in his pocket, a foreigner, an adventurer, for all we know to the contrary, will one day reign lord of Scarswood. See them now! Could anything be more lover-like than they are, Mrs. Vavasor?'

He spoke to her as though he had known her for years. Some *rapport* had made those two friends at once.

She looked where he pointed, her smile and glance at their brightest.

The waltz had ended; leaning on her handsome partner's arm, the last flutter of Miss Dangerfield's pink dress vanished in the conservatory.

'I see; and in spite of appearances, Mr. Dangerfield, I wouldn't mind betting—my diamonds, say, against that botanical specimen in your buttonhole—that Mr. Gaston Dantree, Grecian profile, tenor voice, and all, will NEVER reign lord of Scarswood; and for you—why you know the old rhyme:

"'He either dreads his fate too much,
Or his desserts are small,
Who fears to put it to the touch,
To win or lose it all.'"

She walked away with her last words, her ever-mocking laugh coming back to him where he stood. What did the woman mean? How oddly she looked and spoke. How could she prevent Gaston Dantree marrying Katherine? But the last advice was good—why despair before speaking?

'To win or lose it all!' repeated Peter Dangerfield, stroking his feeble colourless moustache. 'By George! I will try. She can but say no.'

There was a call for Mr. Dantree on the instant—Mr. Dantree was wanted to sing.

Mr. Dangerfield stood where he was, and saw the dark-eyed tenor emerge leisurely from the conservatory, and—alone. He sat down at the piano; his slender, shapely hands flew over the keys in a brilliant prelude. Everybody was listening—now was his time. Katherine was in the conservatory yet. He made his way slowly down the long vista of rooms to where, at the extreme end, the green brightness of tropic plants gleamed in the lamplight.

She still stood where her late companion had left her, in the recess of a window, her robe of pink tissue shining rosily, her jewels glancing softly. Tall tropic plants spread their fan-like leaves about her; the air was rich and faint with exotic odours; and over all the soft, abundant light poured down.

Gaston Dantree's song floated in—an Irish song, half gay, half sad, wholly sweet—and a brooding tenderness lay on the girl's face—a great happiness new and sweet—and made it almost beautiful. The rain lashed the windows, the wind of the October night blew in long, lamentable blasts through the rocking trees; but the storm and darkness without only made the contrast within the more brilliant.

'Katherine!'

She neither saw no heard him until he was close at her side. She lifted up her dreamy eyes, her trance of bliss was over.

'Oh, you, Peter! What an odious habit you have of stealing in upon one like a cat. I never heard you.'

You never heard me, Miss Dangerfield! You need hardly tell me that. You were listening far too intently to Mr. Gaston Dantree to hear anything else.'

'Was I?' retorted Katherine. They rarely met, these two, except to quarrel. 'Well, all I can say is that Mr. Gaston Dantree is very well worth listening to, which is more than I can say for you, cousin Peter.'

'You mean I'm not a singing man, I suppose, Kathie? Well, I admit my brains do not lie in my throat and lungs.'

'Nor anywhere else, Mr. Dangerfield.'

'And when is it to be, Kathie?' Mr. Dangerfield demanded, folding his arms; 'when are we all to offer our congratulations? Such a flirtation as yours, my dear cousin, with this Apollo Belvidere from the Southern States, can have but one ending.'

'And such a flirtation as yours with this pretty Mrs. Vavasor, from nobody knows where, can have but one ending, too, I suppose,' responded Katherine, coming up to time, bravely. 'She is some five or six years your senior, I should think; but where true love exists, what does a little disparity of years signify? A case of love at sight; was it not, cousin?'

'You might have spared me that taunt, Katherine; you know very well who it is I am so unfortunate as to love.'

'Upon my word, I don't. My little cousin Peter, his loves and hates are subjects that trouble me very slightly. There! Mr. Dantree's song is done, and they are playing the Lancers. Suppose we leave off quarrelling and go and have a cousinly quadrille?'

'Not yet, Kathie. I can endure this suspense no longer. No, you shall not go; I will be heard! To watch you as I have watched you to-night with that man, would simply drive me mad!'

'Would it? Then why on earth do you do it? I don't want to be watched, and I don't suppose Mr. Dantree does, either. You mean Mr. Dantree, don't you? And, Peter, don't put on that tragic face; it isn't your style, dear. You're too fair complexioned. And what business is it of yours, and why should it drive you mad?'

'Little need to ask, Katherine. You know only too well—because I love you. Kathie, don't look like that! I love you, and you know it well. I haven't had thoughts or eyes for any living creature but you since you first came here. Ah, Kathie! Listen to me. Don't laugh, as I see you are going to. I love you with all my heart—better than ever that fellow can do—and I ask you to be my wife. Katherine, don't laugh at me, for Heaven's sake!'

But the warning came too late.

Katherine broke out into a ringing peal of laughter, that the music happily drowned.

Peter Dangerfield looked desperately in earnest, very, very yellow, and with folded arms, stood glaring at her in an uncommonly savage way for so tender a declaration.

'I beg your pardon, Peter, but I can't help it. The idea of marrying you—only five feet five inches, and an attorney, and my first cousin! First cousins should never marry, you know. What would papa say, you silly little boy, if he could hear this?'

'My uncle knows,' the young man answered, with sullen anger; 'I spoke to him a month ago.'

Miss Dangerfield opened her big, gray eyes.

'Oh, you did! That's what he meant then, that morning after the concert. I remember; he tried to plead your cause. And you spoke to him first; and you're a lawyer, and knew no better than that! No, Peter it is not possible. You're a nice little fellow, and I think a great deal of you; and I would do almost anything you wanted me except—marry you.—That's a little too much, even for such a good nature as mine.'

'Then I am to consider myself rejected?'

'Now, Peter, don't put on that ill-tempered face; it quite spoils your good looks, and you have none to spoil—spare I mean. Well, yes, then; I am afraid you must consider yourself rejected. I should really like to oblige you in this matter, but you perceive I can't. Come, let us make it up—I am not angry—and take me back to the drawing-room for my dance. It is a sin to miss such music as that.'

'In one moment, Katherine. Will you answer me this, please? Is it for Gaston Dantree I am refused?'

'Cousin Peter, I shall lose my temper if you keep on. If there were no Mr. Dantree in the case I should reject you all the same. You are very well as a first cousin; as a husband—excuse me! I would not marry you if you were the only man left in the world, and the penalty of refusing you be to go to my grave an old maid. Is that answer decisive enough?'

'Very nearly! Thank you for plain speaking, Kathie.' He was white with suppressed anger. 'But lest we should misunderstand each other in the least won't you tell me whether or no Mr Dantree is to be the future lord of Scarswood Park? Because in that case for the honor of the family, I should endeavor to discover the gentleman's antecedents. A classic profile and a fine voice for singing may be sufficient virtues in the eyes of a young lady of seventeen, but I am afraid they will hardly satisfy the world or Sir John.'

'For the world I don't care *that*! For Sir John, whatever makes me happy will satisfy him. I am trying to keep my temper, Peter, don't provoke me too far—it is not safe. Will you, or will you not, take me out for the dance, I am not accustomed to ask favors twice.'

How queenly she says it—the heiress of Scarswood Park.

His passion is not to be restrained now. 'And it is for this Yankee singing man—this needy adventurer—this negro minstrel in his own land, that I am cast off;'

She whirled round upon him in a storm of sudden fury, and made a step toward him. But rage lent him courage; he stood his ground.

'You little wretch!' cried Miss Dangerfield, 'how dare you stand there and say such things to me?—How dare you call Gaston Dantree an adventurer? You, who would not dare to call your soul your own in his presence! Negro minstrel, indeed! You wretched little attorney! One should be a gentleman to judge gentlemen. That is why Mr. Dantree is beyond your judgment! Don't ever speak to me again. Your very offer is an insult. To think that I—*I* would ever marry you, a little rickety dwarf.'

And then dead silence fell.

I don't uphold this heroine of mine—her temper is abominable, I allow; but the moment the last words passed her lips her heart smote her. Peter Dangerfield stood before her as white as death, and trembled so that he was forced to grasp a gilded flower stand for support.

'Oh, Peter! I am sorry!' she cried out; 'I didn't mean that!—I didn't! I didn't!—forgive it—forget it—my temper is horrible—I am a wretch, but you know,' suffering a slight relapse, 'it was all your own fault. Shake hands, cousin; and oh, do—no—*do* forget my wicked words!'

But he drew back from the outstretched hands, smiling a ghastly smile enough.

'Forget them? Certainly Cousin Katherine! I am not the sort of a fellow to bear spite. You are very good and all that, but if it is the same to you, I'll not shake hands. And I won't keep you from dancing that quadrille any longer. I will not your partner—I don't dance as well as Mr. Dantree, and I see him coming this way now. Excuse me for having troubled you with this presumptuous love of mine; I won't do it again.'

Then he turned away, and Gaston Dantree, looking like a picture in a frame, stood in the rose-wreathed entrance arch.

'I am sorry, and I have apologised,' Katherine said coldly. 'I can do no more.'

'No more is needed. Pray don't keep Mr. Dantree waiting. And I would rather he did not come here just now.'

'Come, Kathie,' Mr. Dantree called softly.

It had come to that, then; it was 'Kathie' and 'Gaston.' He saw him draw her hand under his arm as one having the right; whisper something in her ear that lit her face with sunshine, and lead her away.

Peter Dangerfield stood alone. He watched them quite out of sight—his teeth, his face perfectly colorless, and a look in his small eyes bad to see.

'I have read of men who sold their souls to the devil for a price,' he said, between his teeth. 'I suppose the days for such bargains are over, and souls are plentiful enough in the kingdom of his dark majesty, without paying a farthing. But if those days could come again, and Satan stood beside me, I would sell my soul now for revenge on you.'

'Are you sure you have one to sell?' a clear sharp voice close behind him said, 'I never thought lawyers were troubled with those inconvenient appendages—hearts and souls. Well, if you have, keep it; it is of no use to me. And I am not Satan, either, but yet I think for a fair price I can give you your revenge.'

He whiled round with a stifled exclamation, and saw at his elbow—Mrs. Vavasor.

CHAPTER III.

AMONG THE ROSES.

She stood beside him, with her ceaseless smile at its brightest on her small face, looking like some female Mephistophles come to tempt a modern Faust. He put up his eye-glass too look at her. What a gorgeous little creature she was! It was his first thought.

In the dim yellow light of the conservatory, the amber silk glistened with its pristine lustre, the yellow roses she wore made such an admirable foil to her dead black hair.

'What the deuce brings me here? Don't trouble yourself to ask the question, *mon ami*, your face asks it for you. I've been eavesdropping,' in her airiest tone; 'not intentionalty, you understand,' as the young man continued to stare speechlessly at her through his eye-glass. 'Entering the conservatory by the merest chance, I overheard Miss Dangerfield's last words to you; 'a little more than kin, and less than kind,' were they not? Permit to congratulate you, Mr. Dangerfield.'

'Congratulate me!' Mr. Dangerfield replied, dropping his double-barrelled eye-glass and glowering vengefully at the fair creature by his side. 'In heavens name, on what?'

'On having escaped becoming the husband of a termagant. Believe not even Scarswood and eight thousand a year would counterbalance so attrocious a temper as that.'

'Eight thousand a year would counterbalance with me even a worse temper than that, Mrs. Vavasor,' the lawyer answered grimly. 'I am only sorry I am not to have the opportunity of trying. Once my wife, I think I could correct the acidity of even Katherine Dangerfield's temper and tongue.'

'No you could not. Petruchio himself would fail to tame this shrew.—You see, Lr Mangerfield, I speak from past experience. I know what kind of blood flows in our spirited Catherines veins.'

'Very good blood, then, I am sure—very good tempered, too, in the main—at least, on the father's side.'

'Ah! on the father,s side!' The sneer with which this was said is indiscribable. 'May I ask if you know her mother, Mr. Dangerfield.?

'Certainly I did—a ducedly fine woman, too, and as amiable as she was handsome. Colonel Dangerfield—Sir John was colonel then—married a Miss Lascelles, and Katherine was born in this very house, while they were making their Christmas visit.—You may have known her father and mother—you certainly seem to know Sir John suspiciously well—but don't tell me Katherine took her tantrums from either of them—I know better.'

Mrs. Vavasor listened quietly, adjusting her bracelets, and burst out laughing when he ceased.

'I see you do—you know all about it. How old was Katherine when her father and mother left England for India?'

'Two or three years, or thereabouts. It seems to me—being so well acquainted, and all that, as you say—you ought to know yourself. Was it in England or India you came to know the Governor so well?'

'In neither, Mr. Dangerfield.'

'Or does your acquaintence extend only to the baronet? Gad! he looked like an incarnate thunder-cloud when presenting you. His past remembrances must be uncommonly pleasant ones, I should say. Did you know the late Mrs. Colonel Dangerfield, Mrs. Vavasor?'

'I knew the late Mrs. Colonel Dangerfield, Mr. Dangerfield.'

'And yet you say Katherine takes her temper from her mother. My late aunt-in-law must have greatly changed, then, from the time I saw her last.'

'I repeat it,' Mrs. Vavasor said, tapping her fan. Katherine inherits her most abominable temper from her mother—the only inheritance her mother left her. And she looks like her—wonderfully like her—so like.' Mrs. Vavasor repeated in a strange, suppressed voice, 'that I could almost take her for a ghost in pink gauze.'

'Like her mother!' cried Peter Dangerfield. 'I beg your pardon, Mrs. Vavasor, but you must be dreaming. She is no more like her mother than I am. The late Mrs. Dangerfield was a handsome woman.'

SET BACK 42 YEARS.—I was troubled for many years with Kidney Complaint, Gravel, &c.; my blood became thin; I was dull and inactive; could hardly crawl about; was an old worn out man all over; could get nothing to help me, until I got Hop Bitters, and now I am a boy again. My blood and kidneys are all right, and I am as active as a man of 30, although I am 72, and I have no doubt it will do as well for others of my age. It is worth a trial.—(Father.)—*Sunday Mercury.*

The London World says that those who are fond of the heavy wines of the south of France, the vins du Rhome, such as St. Georges, Rousillon, Chateau Neuf du Pape, etc., will be sorry to hear that the vintage will be nill. The grapes have been entirely destroyed by insects. It is the same in some parts of the Bordeaux district. According to the same journal, the entire Clos Vougeot vintage is bought, and has been for many years, by the owner of the world renowned buffet at Dijon.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Station			
Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
Orangeville— Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Station			
Owen Sound, depart		6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.
Rockford		7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.
Chatsworth		7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.
Arnott		7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.
Williamsford		7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.
Berkly		8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.
Markdale		8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville		8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.
Proton		9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.
Dundalk		9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Shelburne		10 15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.
Laurel		10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction		11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.
Orangeville— Arr.		11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
Toronto,—Union Station, Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, October 14th, 1881.

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FALL ASSIZES.

WEDNESDAY.

ROBERTSON *vs.* CARNEY *et al.*—It will be remembered that last fall the Captain of the *Frances Smith* was convicted by magistrates at Sault Ste. Marie for permitting liquor to be sold to the Indians from the boat; but on appeal to the Court at Toronto the conviction was quashed. While making his appeal he had to deposit $460 with the magistrates for penalties and costs, but which he recieved back again. He now sued the magistrates for receiving excessive fees. Judgment for defendant with costs, on the ground that the magistrates never received the fees, they being only deposited by way of security in place of giving a bond. John Creasor, Q. C., for plaintiff; Jno. M. Hamilton for defendants.

THURSDAY.

YATES *vs.* FARQUHARSON.—This case arose out of a row at a logging bee in the township of Sydenham, at which Yates was badly hurt by Farquharson and rendered unable to do his usual work. He now sued for damages. Verdict for plaintiff, $200. Jno. Creasor, Q. C., for plaintiff; Jas. Mason for defendant.

QUEEN *vs.* FARQUHARSON.—This was a criminal action arising out of the same row as previous case, but as the defendant had already been punished in the civil suit, the prosecution was dropped.

DAVIS *et al vs.* WATSON.—Action of trespass. The plantiff not being prepared to go on, the case was dismissed with costs.

MCFARLAND *vs.* WILLIAMS.—Action of ejectment. S. J. Lane, Q. C., for plaintiff; Jas. Mason for defendant. Judgment reserved.

LUKE *vs.* BEST.—This was an action for slander. When the case was called, the plaintiff did not appear, and the case was dismissed with costs.

QUEEN *vs.* JOHN MATHESON.—Prisoner was tried on a charge of uttering forged Dominion notes, the particulars of which we gave last year when the affair occurred. The evidence went to show that he went to pass one of bills, but it was shown that he knew it had been altered. Verdict—Not guilty. A. Frost for the Crown; Jno. Creasor, Q. C., for the defence.

QUEEN *vs.* BARBARA RYAN.—This case was connected with the last. It was shown that the prisoner had offered a $5 bill at Mr. John Tucker's, which was refused by Miss Tucker, who showed her that it had been raised from a $1. She afterward passed the same bill on Mr. George McDougall. Verdict—Guilty. Sentenced to six months in gaol. A. Frost for the Crown; John Creasor, Q. C., for the defence.

Louisa Caroline Feathers, who had pleaded guilty to the charge of forgery was sent for one year to Mercer Female Reformatory.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday, October 3rd, 1881.

Present Messrs Christoe, Wright, Elliott, Webster, and Pedlar.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. The following accounts were ordered to be paid.

A. R. Fawcett, printing, $9.00; Thos. Lander, Reg. by-law 334, $3.06; W. J. Bellamy, quarter salary, $37.50.

Report of T. Wright, on expenditure of special grant for gravel road, presented and accepted.

Elliott, Webster moved that the clerk request the Co. Treasurer to withdraw from sale lots 14, 15, 16, 17, Simpson St. north, Eugenia, there being no such lots in Eugenia. Carried.

Wright, Pedlar moved that Samuel Kingston be paid $3.25, for road job, Ward No. 3. Carried.

Webster, Wright moved that Thos. Gilbert be paid $3.80, being error in charging statute labor on his lot at Station. Carried.

Pedlar, Wright moved that Henry Fenwick be paid as follows: $30.00 for road job, Ward No. 4, and $30.00 for road job on 10th con., special grant. Carried.

Elliott, Pedlar move that the Reeve issue order payable to Thorp Wright to the amount of $83.80, special grant on gravel road, as per certified report; also order to A. Webster for special grant on gravel road when expenditure of same is certified. Carried.

Elliott, Webster moved that Thos. Dunlop be paid $18.00 for road job, Ward No. 2. Carried.

Webster, Pedlar moved that the Treasurer be instructed to open a debenture account in his books at once, such account to show the date of the several outstanding debentures and for whom issued, the number and amount of money issued for, as shown by such debentures, such debenture shall be credited annually with the sums collected as a sinking fund, the Treasurer to deduct from orders granted to Trustees such sums if not otherwise provided for, likewise a coupon on interest account, showing the interest collected and coupons paid, that a debenture account shall be opened with the bank until the Council may direct differently, separate and apart from the ordinary current, account and shall be deposited in the name of the municipality, and upon conditions specified at time of deposit to be withdrawn only on joint order of Reeve and Treasurer. That the Treasurer do furnish this Council with a statement of such debenture and deposit at the Council meeting in November, 1881. That whenever a statement be required, of funds on hand, or in bank it must be distruct and seperate from the said debentures, sinking fund and interest, and that hereafter the Treasurer shall meet the Council at the close of each session, not later than four o'clock p. m, to pay the orders which may be drawn on him, a copy of this resolution to be forwarded the Treasurer. Carried.

Council adjourned

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at the Town Hall on 3rd inst., all the members present.

Glencross and McMillan moved that the account of J. Townsend for printing and advertising, amounting to $2.50, be paid.—Carried.

Hall and Neil moved that this Council grant the sum of $30.00 for the town-line between Holland and Glenelg, as holland council has granted the same amount.—Carried.

The yeas and nays being called for were as follows:—

Yeas—Hall, Neil, McMillan.

Nays—McRea, Glencross.

Neil, McMillan moved that Thomas O'Donnell be paid $1.00 for repairing bridge on Durham road.—Carried.

McMillan, Glencross moved that widow Levingston, Durham road, be paid $24.00, as charity, as she is in a helpless state.—Carried.

A by-law was passed appointing polling places and deputy returning officers for next Municipal Election.

Neil, Hall moved that the bridge at lot 100, on the 1st con., and the bridge 2nd and 3rd cons., W. T. & S. R., be repaired, and that the mover superintend the work.—Carried.

Orders on the Treasurer were issued to the amount of $100.00, to pay for work on road in Ward No. 4.

McMillan, Neil moved that John Morrison be paid $1.50, for repairing crossway and removing timber off side road 30, con. 3, N. D. R.—Carried.

The committee appointed at last meeting to investigate the cause of the accident at the bridge at Lot 5, con. 8, handed in their report.

Neil, Hall moved that the report of the special committee on the Glencross accident and bridge be adopted and engrossed on the minutes.

Hall, Glencross moved that the clerk notify Thos. O'Donnell that the bridge across the Saugeen must be completed by the 18th inst., otherwise this council will ask for new tenders to complete the work.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet at the same place on 19th inst., for the purpose of appointing collectors for the current year.

HONOR ROLL OF S. S. NO. 2, ARTEMESIA for the month of September, 1881.—Senior 4th Class—Maximum No. of Marks 431—Fannie Green, 351. Junior 4th Class—Maximum, 431—1st Libbie Thompson, 331; Emma Wright, 314; Oscar Wright, 308. 3rd Class 1st div.—Maximum, 422—Bella Cunningham, 373; Mary A. Green, 356; Beatrice Flesher, 308. 3rd Class 2nd div.—Prudence Flesher, 300; Euphemia Burnett, 269; Emily Gilbraith, 236. 3rd Class 3rd div.—Maximum 416—Clara Hill, 364; Ada Wright, 344; Lillie McClue, 313; Maggie Burnett, 286.

PRIZE LIST OF GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S FALL SHOW.

HORSES, General Purpose—A. Mercer, 2nd B. Wright, 3rd W. Davis. Carriage—W. Wilson, 2nd A. Shiel, 3rd C. W. Speers. Single Carriage—C. W. Speers, 2nd Thos. Davis. Saddle Horse or Mare—B. Davis, 2nd Jas. Lauder. Mare, with foal by Side—E. Rutledge. Spring foal—W. Walker, 2nd E. Rutledge. Two year old Colt—W. McLoughry, 2nd R. Blair. Colt, 1 yr. old—A. Mercer, 2nd J. Mercer.

CATTLE, Bull, over 2 yrs.—George Richardson, 2nd R. McBride. Bull, under 2 yrs.—Jno. Thompson, 2nd J. Lauder. Thoroughbred Durham Cow—M. Armstrong, 2nd do. Ayrshire Cow—J. Lauder, 2nd A. Shiel. Cow giving milk (Grade)—R. Walker, 2nd Rich. Watson. Heifer, 2 yrs. old—R. Walker, 2nd Geo. Pilkey. Heifer, 1 yr. old—Walter Taylor, 2nd W. Walker. Spring Calf—W. Walker, 2nd Geo. Richardson. Yoke of Oxen—W. Walker, 2nd A. Shiel. Pair 2 yr. old Steers—E. Rutledge. Pair 1 yr. old Steers—R. McBride.

SHEEP, Thoroughbreds—Aged Ram—Ed. Shaw, 2nd Wm. Fawcett. Ram Lamb—Ed. Shaw, 2nd W. Fawcett. Pair Ewes, having raised lambs 1881—Ed. Shaw, 2nd Jno. Thompson. Pair Ewe lambs—Ed. Shaw, John Thompson. Aged Ram—Common—W. Fawcett, 2nd H. McKee. Ram Lamb—W. Fawcett, 2nd T. Campbell. Pair Ewes, raised lambs in 1881—J. Hunt. Pair Ewe Lambs—Jno. Hunt.

SWINE. Berkshire—Spring Boar—W. Fawcett. Aged Sow—D. McDuffie, 2nd A. Mercer. Spring Sow—A. Mercer, 2nd B. Coleman, Mark Armstrong (special). Suffolk, Aged Boar—E. Shaw. Spring Boar—E. Shaw. Aged Sow—T. Campbell. Spring Sow—E. Shaw, 2nd W. Davis.

POULTRY, Pair Geese—J. Green, 2nd T. Campbell. Pair Turkeys—Rich. Watson, 2nd R. Walker. Pair Ducks, large—Geo. Pilkey. Pair Ducks (small)—S. Boyce, 2nd W. Burnet. Pair Leghorn fowls—Rich. Watson, 2nd T. Davis. Pair Brahmas—Haskett Bros. Pair Spanish—Haskett Bros., 2nd do. Pair Hamburgs—W. Douglass, 2nd R. Watson.

GRAIN, Bushel Fall Wheat. (Senneca or Clawson)—W. Fawcett, 2nd W. Burnet. Bushel Fall Wheat (any other kind)—J. Green, 2nd do. Bushel of Spring wheat (White Russian) J. R. Anderson, 2nd D. McDuffie. Bushel Spring wheat (any other kind) Shep. Boyce, 2nd W. Douglass. Bush. Barley.—W. Burnet. Bush. Large Peas—J. R. Anderson, 2nd Robt. Walker. Bush. small white Peas—H. McKee, 2nd E. Rutledge. Bush. White Oats—W. Burnet, 2nd D. McDuffie. Bush. Black Oats—Jno. Gillespie, 2nd Wm. Douglass. Half-bush. Timothy seed—G. Pilkey, 2nd Jas. Lauder. Six Ears Indian Corn—R. H. Stinson, 2nd W. Burnet. Peck Beans (white)—B. Wright, 2nd R. H. Stinson.

ROOTS, bush. Early Rose Potatoes—W. Davis, 2nd Jas. Thompson. Bushel any other kind—Jas. Thompson, 2nd A. Shiel. 6 Swede Turnips—A. Mercer, 2nd W. Fawcett. 6 Turnips, any other kind—T. Campbell, 2nd B. Coleman. 6 Mangold Wurtzels—Jas. Thompson, 2nd H. Matheson. Six blood Beets—W. McLoughry, 2nd D. McDuffie. 6 Field Carrots—James Thompson, 2nd W. McLoughry. Six Early Horn Carrots—Jas. Lauder, 2nd R. H. Stinson. 6 Parsnips—Jas. Thompson, 2nd H. Matheson. 3 Roots Celery—J. Thompson, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Two heads Cauliflower—J. Thompson, 2nd H. Matheson. Two heads Early York Cabbage—H. Matheson, 2nd Jas. Thompson. 2 heads any other kind—H Matheson, 2nd S. Boyce. 6 Tomatoes—J. Thompson, 2nd H. Matheson. 1 gal. Potato Onions—H. Matheson, 2nd J. Thompson. 1 gal. any other kind onions—R. H. Stinson, 2nd Jno. Purvis. 2 Squashes—H. Matheson, 2nd Jas. Thompson. 2 Pumkins—R. H. Stinson, 2nd Jas. Thompson. 6 Cucumbers, pickling—S. Boyce, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Three Citrons—J. Thompson, 2nd B. Coleman. 3 Water Melons—J. Thompson, 2nd H. Matheson.

FRUIT, 6 winter apples—R. Gilray, 2nd R. H. Stinson. 6 Fall apples—B. Wright, 2nd Thos. Gilray. 3 varieties apples, 3 of each—J. Lauder, 2nd T. Gilray. 12 Crab apples—G. Pilkey, 2nd J. Thompson. 4 varieties crab apples, 3 of each—Jas. Lauder, 6 Pears—G. S. Bowes, 2nd T. Gilray. 6 bunches Grapes—G. S. Bowes. 6 Blue Plums—G. S. Bowes, 2nd Thos. Gilray. 6 Green Gage Plums—G. S. Bowes. 6 any other kind plums—J. Lauder, 2nd E. Davis.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—50 lbs. Firkin Butter—S. Boyce, 2nd A Mercer 5 lbs Roll Butter—S. Boyce, 2nd Ed. Rutledge. 40 lbs. Cheese (factory make)—E. Davis. 10 lbs. Cheese (home made)—G. Richardson, 2nd do. 100 lbs. Flour (spring wheat)—W. J. Rowe. 2 loaves bread (home made) H. McKee, 2nd S. Boyce 2 lbs. Maple Sugar—J. Purvis, 2nd E Rutledge. Half-gal. Maple syrup—Ed. Rutledge, 2nd S. Boyce.

MANUFACTURES, Farm Waggon—R. H. Stinson. Democrat—R. H. Stinson, 2nd T. Swan. Single Buggy—W. Mason, 2nd T. Swan. Single Cutter—W. Mason, 2nd Jno. Johnston. Pair Men's Boots (coarse)—Kay & Thomas. Pair Men's Boots (fine)—Kay & Thomas. Set Horse Shoes (hammer finished)—R. H. Stinson, 2nd J. Noble. Panel Door—Thos. McNea, 2nd do. Window Sash—T. McNea, 2nd do. Specimen Cooper Ware—J. H. Hull and T. Mullarkey, Ties. Specimens Tin Ware—Haskett Bros., 2nd do. Specimen Penmanship—Robt. Davis. Specimen of Penmanship, under 15 yrs.—E. Davis. 5 yds. Full cloth (home made)—Thos. Campbell, 2nd R. McBride. 5 yds. Satinet (home made)—R. Walker, 2nd J. Lauder. 5 yds. Fancy Flannel—R. H. Stinson, 2nd Rich. Askin. 5 yds. plain flannel—T. Campbell, 2nd A. Shiel. Pair Blankets—S. Boyce, 2nd J. Purvis. Pair Horse Blanket—W. Burnet.

LADIES WORK, Pair Wool Mitts (home made)—T. Davis, 2nd do. Pair Wool Socks—Robt. Askin, 2nd S Boyce. Patchwork Quilt—T Gilray, 2nd R Gilray. Fancy Quilt—Rich Watson, 2nd R H Stinson. Log Cabin Quilt—Robt Askin, 2nd T Gilray. Embroidery in Cotton—Robt. Askin, 2nd T Gilray. Berlin Wool, raised—R. Gilray, 2nd T Gilray. Berlin Work, flat—R Gilray, 2nd E Davis. Fancy Knitting, in cotton—Robt. Askin, 2nd H McKee; Robt Askin, recommended. Fancy Knitting, in wool—R H Stinson. Knitted Lace—G Richardson. Collection Berlin wool work—R Gilray, 2nd T Gilray. Hair Work—T Gilray, 2nd R. Gilray. Gent's Fine Shirt (home made)—T Campbell, 2nd Robt Askin. Rag Mat—G. Richardson, 2nd T Mullarkey. Any other variety mat—J R Anderson. 5 yds. Rag Carpet—J. Purvis, 2nd Rich. Watson. Silk Cushion (Special prize by John S. Black, copy of Bible Looking Glass)—A. Butter.

EUPHRASIA AGR. SOCIETY.

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.—Team draught horses, W. McConnell, 2nd Jas. Bowes, jr. Team general purpose horses, Jas. Bowes, sr., 2d, Joseph Hawkins. Carriage horses, John Wilson, 2d J. Douglass. Single driver in rig, Wm. McConnell, 2d Thos. Davis. Brood mare, draught, I. Loughead, 2d J. Douglass. Brood mare, general purpose, T. Buchanan, 2d J. Anderson. Brood mare, carriage, J. Mahoney, 2d W. McConnell. 2 year old draught filly or gelding. J. Bowes, jr., 2d John Douglass. 2-year old general purpose filly or gelding, J. Douglass, 2d W. Fawcett. 2-year old carriage, filly or gelding, John Job, 2d John Anderson. 1-year old draught, Donald Robertson. 1-year old general purpose, filly or gelding, A. Davidson, 2d Hugh Foy. One-year old carriage, filly or gelding, Hugh Riddle. Spring foal, draught, Wm. Mitchell. Spring foal, general purpose, J. Mick, 2d Jas. Gibson. Spring foal, carriage, J. Mahoney, 2d J. Douglass.

CATTLE, Durham.—Milch cow, R. Clark, 2nd do. Two-year-old heifer, R. Clark. Heifer calf, R. Clark, 2nd do. Bull calf, R. Clark.

Grade—Yoke working oxen, Wm. Shepherdson, 2d J. Anderson. Cow, giving milk, R. Clark, 2d Wm. Duke. Two-year-old heifer, D. Robertson, 2d do. One-year old heifer, R. Clark, 2d D. Robertson. Heifer Calf, Thomas Gilray, J. 2d G. Perry.

SHEEP, Leicester or Lincoln.—Aged ram, E. Shaw. Shearling ram, E. Shaw, 2nd W. Fawcett. Ram lamb, E. Shaw, 2nd do. Pair aged ewes, E. Shaw. Pair shearling ewes, E. Shaw, 2nd do. Pair ewe lambs, E. Shaw.

Cotswolds—Aged ram, G. Shepherdson. Shearling ram, W. Fawcett. Ram Lamb, W. Fawcett, 2d W. Shepherdson. Pair shearling ewes, Geo. Shepherdson. Pair ewe lambs, Wm. Shepherdson.

SWINE, Berkshire.—Brood sow, J. Anderson, 2nd do. Boar, of 1881, W. Fawcett, 2d J. Myles.

Suffolk—Aged boar, E. Shaw. Boar of 1881, E. Shaw. Sow of 1881, E. Shaw, 2d J. Boyd.

POULTRY.—Pair geese, J. Bowes, jr. 2nd R. H. Stinson. Pair Ducks, T. Gilray.

GRAIN.—Fall wheat, John Green, 2nd C, Clark. White Russian, Wm. Hatman, 2d W. McConnell. Two bushels Spring wheat, C. Clark, 2nd N. Clark. Barley, C. Clark, 2d J. D. Crabtree. White Oats, C. Clark, 2nd N. Clark. Black oats, N. Clark. Peas, W. McConnell, 2d W. Hartman. Early Rose Potatoes, J. Thompson, 2nd J. Bowes, jr. Potatoes, any sort, J. Bowes, sr., 2nd J. Hutchison. Swede turnips, J. Douglass, 2d J. C. Paterson. Mangold Wurtzels, T. Burns, 2nd J. Thompson. Blood beets, J. Lawrence, 2d Thos. Jordan. Field carrots, J. Douglass, 2d J. D. Crabtree. Table Carrots, R. H. Stinson, 2nd Thos. Jordon. Parsnips, J. Thompson, 2d Thos. Jordan. Pumpkins, R. Quinton. 2nd J. Marshall. Squash, J. Thompson, 2nd J. Lawrence. Cabbage, J. Thompson, 2nd J. Hawkins. Cauliflowers, J. Thompson, 2d J. Hawkins. Onions, black seed, J. Thompson, 2d Thos. Jordan. Twelve onions. top, R. H. Stinson, 2d R. Clark. Quart top onion seed, J. Thompson, 2d R. H. Stinson. Tomatoes, J. Thompson, 2d J. D. Crabtree. Celery, J. Thompson, 2nd T. Jordan. Twelve ears corn, Wm. Mitchell, 2nd J. D. Crabtree. Collection beans, J. Gibson, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Collection vegetables, R. H. Stinson. 2nd T. Jordan.

FRUIT.—Fall apples, J. G. Perry, 2d R. Bowser. Winter apples, J. Jobe, 2nd J. Anderson, Fall Pears, J. Jobe, 2nd R. Bowser. Winter pears, J. Jobe, 2d J. Marshall. Plums, R. Clark, 2nd R. Gilray. Grapes, R. Bowser, 2nd J. D. Crabtree. Collection of fruit, J. C. Paterson, 2nd R. Gilray.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—Tub butter, Hugh Johnston, 2nd S. Gilmore, 3rd, J. G. Perry. Roll butter, H. Johnston. A. Kellaugh. Cheese, J. Irwin, (town line), 2nd do. Box honey, T. Jordan. Home-made bread, R. Clark. 2nd N. Clark.

IMPLEMENTS.—Farmer's waggon, Stinson & Marshall. Democrat waggon, Stinson & Marshall, 2nd McKenzie & McKinnon. Buggy, double or single, McKenzie & McKinnon, 2d H. Pedwell. Plough, Bowes & Curry. Fanning mill, C. Watt, 2nd do. Cutter, J. Johnston. Root Cutter, C. Watt.

MANUFACTURES,—Set team harness, H. McDonald, 2nd T. Bulleyment. Carriage harness, H. McDonald, T. Bulleyment. Single harness, H. McDonald, 2nd do. Saddle, bridle and martingale, H. McDonald, 2nd do. Fulled Cloth, R. Quinton. Satinet, Quinton. Fancy flannel, R. H. Stinson, 2nd N. Clark. Plain flannel, R. Clark, 2d R. Quinton. Pair blankets, J. Jobe, 2d R. Gilray. Coverlet, J. Bowes, jr., 2d R. Gilray. Kip boots, men's, T. C. Wilcox, 2nd J. W. Love. Set horse-shoes, R. H. Stinson.

LADIES' WORK.—Patchwork quilt, Mrs. R. Gilray, 2d Mrs. H. Johnston. Knit quilt, Mrs. R. H. Stinson. Quilt of other description, Mrs. S. Halbert, 2d Mrs. R. H. Stinson. Embroidery, in cotton or worsted, Mrs. T. Bulleyment. Feather flowers, Mrs. R. H. Stinson. Leather work, Mrs. R. H. Stinson. Braiding, Miss Perry, 2nd Miss Gilray. Crochet work, Mrs. Gilray, 2nd Mrs. Bulleyment Tidy, knitted or crochet, Miss Davis, 2nd Mrs. R. Quinton. Pair woollen stockings, Mrs. R. Quinton, 2nd do. Woollen Socks, Mrs. R. Quinton, 2nd Mrs. J. Irwin. Woollen mitts, Mrs. Johnston, 2nd Mrs. Hawkins. Woollen gloves, Mrs. Quinton, 2nd Mrs. Stinson. Rag or wool mat, hooked, Mrs. Brendner. 2nd Mrs. Quinton. Fancy knitting, in cotton, Mrs. Quinton, 2nd do. Hair work, Mrs. A. J. Clark, 2d Mrs. Jordan. Berlin wool work, Mrs. Jordan, 2nd Mrs. Gilray. Collection of needle-work, Mrs. Gilray, 2nd Mrs. Johnston. Bouquet of flowers, Thos. Jordon, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Artificial flowers, Mrs. Gilray. Pair pillow shams, Mrs. Bulleyment, 2d Mrs. Gilray.

Language fails me to express the feelings of the Directors to those who so nobly aided them in their efforts to make the show a success, by bringing pictures, flowers and other work to adorn their new agricultural hall and add to the attractions to be seen. I am sure I but feebly express their feelings when I say they are thankful to Mrs. Phillips for bringing out such an exhibit of fancy work without any hope of reward, but to add to the attractions of the show; nor do they want to forget Master Easton's pencil drawing, which was much admired. Hoping those whose names are omitted in this short notice of thanks will not be offended,

I remain, yours truly,

T. ABERCROMBIE, Sec.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—As I am from the vicinity of Markdale, it may be of interest to some of the readers of your valuable paper, if I give through your columns a short account of my journey west.

I left home on the 12th of July, and reached here in thirteen days. We sailed from Owen Sound on a boat called the *Manitoulin* to Sault Ste. Marie, and were unfortunate enough to take the *Winnipeg* from there to Duluth. There was about seventy passengers on board, and the weather being fine, all seemed to enjoy the trip well; but on reaching Duluth dock the scene was changed. We reached the dock about 1:30 a.m., and all the passengers and most of the crew had went to bed about 12, intending to sleep until morning, as the boat was not going to leave the dock that day, little expecting to be awakened by the cry of fire. I remember hearing the whistle blow on striking the dock, and then I heard the cry of fire, but I could scarcely believe that the persons doing the shouting meant all they said, and I did not get up as soon as I might, but when my partner, Mr. R. McKenzie, came to the door of my state-room and called for me to get out, that the boat was on fire, I began to fully realize my position, and picking up my coat, vest, and overcoat, I got out of there just as fast as I knew how. I threw my clothes on the wharf and ran back for my valise, but the baggage room was so full of smoke that I couldn't see, and I took another man's valise instead of my own. I then done what I could to help save some of the passengers, but I suppose you had full particulars at the time it happened, so I need not be giving you details. When the fire was over, I found I had either dropped my vest in running out or some one had picked it up off the wharf, so I was minus of most of my clothes, watch and some money, but I felt thankful that I got off as safe as I did. Many of the passengers lost all their clothes except what they were sleeping in.

After staying two days in Duluth, a party of thirty of us started for the Yellow Stone Valley, by the Northern Pacific R. R. The road for a considerable distance runs close to the St. Mary's River, and there is some splendid scenery, sometimes we appeared to be sweeping along a hundred feet above the water. I like the appearance of the country through Minnesota and Dakota very well, but the crops appeared to be very light. Harvest had just commenced when we passed through. There is hundreds of miles of land in the western part of Dakota on the road, not taken up yet. If any one from Artemesia is thinking of settling in Dakota, I would advise them to have a look at the land round Antilope Station. In the afternoon of the third we cross the line into Montana, and in the evening we reach Glendive, a small village at the end of the road. I will venture a description of this wonderful place. I think there is about fifty places of business, it has an Opera House, Dance House, and a Music Hall, and the balance in restaurants and saloons, all of which are under canvas or mud covered huts.

Of our party of thirty which left Duluth only nine reached the Yellow Stone Valley. Many were the stories told us about Indians, rattlesnakes, bad water, &c., but as yet I see no cause of fear; the water is very good, it is true there is plenty of Indians and rattlesnakes, but both seem harmless if they are not interfered with. We started out on foot up the Yellow Stone and walked twenty five miles, I felt as if I had walked enough just then, so I hired as assistant cook, and I like the work very well. I am now getting $40 per month and board. My employer having finished his contract here, our outfit consisting of thirty men with six teams, start on a journey of one hundred miles up the Yellow Stone Valley. Now, I must say, for what I have seen of the Valley it is not what it is cracked up to be. I have now travelled over one hundred miles of it, and I have not seen in one place more than 2 or 3 thousand acres of what I would call good land, and it is said that this is the best land in Montana, so I don't think that Montana will ever be considered much of a farming country. The Valley is not more than 7 or 8 miles wide at any place as far west as I have come. Travelling is a great deal different in the West than what I have been used to. When night comes we pull our stove off the waggon, cook our supper, and then spread a canvas on the prairie and our blankets on that, and lay down to sleep. I did not sleep very well at first, but I soon got used to it. We met several ox trains; there is a great difference between ox teaming here and in Artemesia; one man drives as many as thirty-two oxen hitched to a train of seven or eight large covered waggons, coupled short like a train of cars, and the whip he uses would be a clumsy article in the hands of an Artemesia teamster, his whip stock is from two to three feet long with a lash twenty-six.

I only saw grain growing in one place in a hundred miles. We arrived in Mile City Sunday evening, it appears to be a fast little place. Yesterday morning we started from Mile City and forded Tongue River, and in a few minutes we were in Fort Keogh. The Fort is built in a very pretty place. I had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Richardson, formerly of Markdale, here, I had just time for a few minutes talk with him as our outfit did not stop in the fort, and I did not wish to be left too far behind. Mr. R. is the only man I have seen in Montana that I ever saw before, and he said that I was the only one he had seen.

After we pass a short distance from Fort Keogh we come to an encampment of Cheyenne Indians, I counted about one hundred camps, but there may be a great many more. They have quite a farm. We bought a lot of water melons from them, and they were very good. The squaws were busy drying squashes, pumpkins, buffalo meat and tanning hides; the Indians were either sitting smoking their pipes or saddling their ponies, they seem to have a great number of very nice ponies.

We are now camped about twelve miles above Fort Keogh, and the country does not seem any better than what we have travelled through. I will write no more at present, if I go further West I may write again.

Yours, &c.,

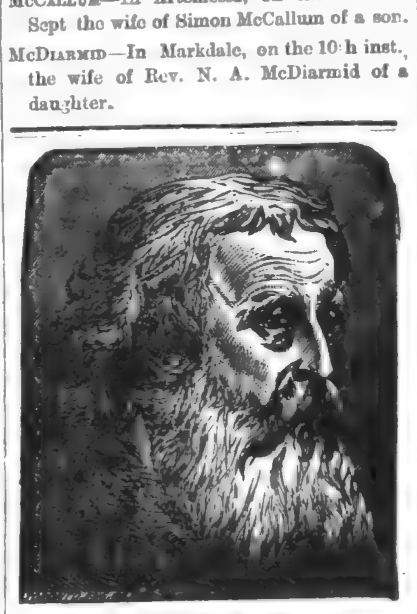
FRANK BEATTIE.

YELLOWSTONE VALLEY, Montana, Sept. 13, '81.

BIRTHS.

MCCALLUM—In Artemesia, on the 10th of Sept the wife of Simon McCallum of a son.

MCDIARMID—In Markdale, on the 10th inst., the wife of Rev. N. A. McDiarmid of a daughter.



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THOS. TOWNSEND, Sec.-Treas.,

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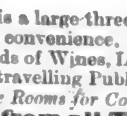

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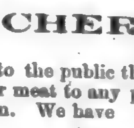

FOR THE SCOTCH.

Those who have no nationality we will supply with

SAUSAGE.

Markdale, Sept 29th, 1881. ly

FARM FOR SALE

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range S. Road. Township of [illegible] [illegible] acres, [illegible] of which [illegible] a high state of cultivation [illegible] free from stumps, [illegible] ed. A new frame house [illegible] barn on the premises. [illegible] hardwood bush. The [illegible] situated 4 miles from [illegible] sold on easy terms. [illegible] particulars, apply on the premises [illegible]

Markdale, Sept. 29 1881.

STRAYED

FROM the premises of [illegible] lot 82, con. 2 [illegible] about the month of June, [illegible] tle—7 yearlings and one 2 [illegible] nearly white. 1 white heifer [illegible] light color with a little red [illegible] 2 steers red, 1 brindled, 1 [illegible] dark brown or slightly brindled [illegible] mation that will lead to the recovery [illegible] above will be thankfully rec[eived]

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W. L. [illegible]

GENERAL AGENT AND [illegible] Nursery Stock, [illegible]

Sept. 17, 1880.

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New Goods!

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FARM FOR SALE

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THE STANDARD.

Friday October 14th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

A shower of snow on Monday.

For the best harness made go to T. Mathews.

Grain is coming to Market in large quantities.

T. Mathews has the cheapest and best assortment of Trunks.

Thursday, 20th inst., is Thanksgiving Day.

School Teacher wanted for section ... Glenelg. See Advt.

Lockets, Charms, Necklets, and ... in great variety at Wilcox's, Jeweller.

J. Creasor, Esq. and S. J. Lane, ... of Owen Sound, have been appointed Queen's Council.

Speers Bros. shipped two car loads cattle and hogs from Markdale this week.

Toronto oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine machine oil." Infringements will be prosecuted.

The building for the Foundry is completed, and the proprietor is moving to town. He will have it in operation in a few weeks.

A span of horses stolen; $20 reward ... capture of horses or the thief; see advertisement in another column.

For want of space, we have left over ... next week, Prize List for East Grey ... Show and Holland Township, ... letter: will have Osprey Prize List next issue also.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" ... oil and see that the barrel ... "Castorine," as none other.

AND STILL THEY GO.—Henry Green, ... McCaw, Wm. Burnett, Jr., and ... Boyd, all of Artemesia, left last ... for Manitoba.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says everyone having tried TEABERRY, the new toilet gem. Get a 5ct. sample.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

We were visited by a severe frost the nights of Monday and Tuesday, forming the latter night fully half inch thick, Wednesday was somewhat warmer.

The word character comes from a ... which means to engrave upon or ... cut in. In selecting pens it is advisable to see that the name of Esterbrook is stamped on them.

A HARD TASK.

To find a better remedy for dyspepsia, indigestion, and impurities of the blood, than the Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1.00, trial bottles 10 cents.

An extensive credit sale, at Mr. John Black's, near Traveston, on Monday, 24th. Oct. A quantity of farm stock implements, household furniture, together with hay and straw. See bills for particulars.

DR. FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY.

Cures all forms of bowel complaints in infants or adults. The most safe, pleasant and perfect remedy known. Purely vegetable and free from opiates or poisonous drugs.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

RESPECT. The Grey Hairs of old age demand and should receive respect—but the Grey Hairs of young people require attention—in the way of using Cingalese Hair Renewer. Sold by all Druggist 50 cents a bottle.

Mr. D. J. Shanahan, carriage maker, has purchased the vacant lot beside the Revere House on Mill Street for $500, where he intends erecting large buildings, and will be in a position to carry on his business still more extensively.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters are in every sense of the word a worthy family medicine, and we are glad to learn that they are rapidly taking the place of those nauseous little Pills. A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

Mr. Masson, from Owen Sound, was in town this week and intends opening a Law Office in this place. He may be seen on professional business at the Markdale House on Friday and Saturday this week; afterwards he intends having his office in McFarland's Block.

WHAT EVERY ONE SAYS MUST BE TRUE.

All unite in praise of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry who has tried its efficacy in curing Cholera Morbus, Cramps, Dysentery, Nausia, and Stomach and Bowel Complaints, generally in children or adults. Every person should keep a supply on hand.

We notice, one of those beautiful shade trees in front of Mr. Edward Davis' residence has been broken down, and we understand the parties are known who did it. The law is very strict, and the punishment severe for such work. We would like to see it put in force. The trees are certainly doing no person any harm, while they add very much to the appearance of the place.

SOOTHING SYRUPS SUPERCEDED.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best remedy for infants teething, it is safe, pleasant and reliable, and cures promptly all forms of Bowel Complaints. For Canadian Cholera or Cholic and Dysentery of either children or adults there is no better remedy.

The Sabbath School Anniversary of the Methodist Church came off on the 11th inst. The weather being favorable there was a fair turn out, yet not as many present as there should be on such occasions. There was good order throughout, and the dialogues and singing were got through with in a creditable manner. Rev. Mr. A. B. DeMill, President of Oshawa Female College, gave a short address, after which the entertainment was brought to a close.

Do you want Men's Long Boots, Boys' Long Boots, Women's Stout Boots, or Children's Strong Boots for the muddy weather? McFARLAND'S is the spot to get them.

A number of sheep belonging to Mr. T. Campbell and Mr. D. McDuffie were worried by dogs on the night of the 8th inst., seven which were killed. In our opinion, nine-tenths of the dogs should be shot, and the balance hung by the neck until dead.

Reynolds & Son are paying the highest price in town for Butter and Eggs.

J. W. Morrow, Esq., Dundalk is a boss auctioneer, and has license for Grey and Dufferin. Persons in need of anything in his line, will do well to give him a trial. He provides Notes and Stamps, and furnishes Sale Bills.

Reynolds & Son want ten thousand (10,000) pairs of Socks and Mits, of the best quality, immediately, to help the suffering in Michigan. Highest price paid.

We notice that Mr. W. J. Speers, who has been absent in Manitoba the past two years, is in town on a visit to his brothers. We believe he returns again to the Great Lone Land in about a month

The Ladies are invited to inspect the new Omba Ribbons, Plushes, Plush Hats, and Lace Novelties opening at McFARLAND'S.

C. W. Speers bought 20 head of cattle at the fair held in Flesherton on Monday last, and drove them to Markdale to be shipped. How is it that our enterprising village has not secured for itself the privilege of holding a monthly Cattle Fair. It is easy of access from all parts of the County, and no place enjoys better facilities for shipping. We hope this matter will be attended to at once, and measures taken to secure the establishment of such fairs at once.

WOULD NOT BE WITHOUT IT

One who has fairly tested Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, though prejudiced against proprietory medicines in general, writes—"I would not rest over night without this reliable remedy for sudden attacks of Cholic, Cramps and Cholera Morbus so prevalent in the summer season. I keep a bottle ready at hand."

The Bazaar and Concert held by the Ladies' Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church, Flesherton, on Fair Day, was a decided success. The greater portion of the fancy and useful articles at the Bazaar were disposed of, and a good dinner was served up for 15c each. We understand the Concert was well attended. The proceeds of the whole amounted to the handsome sum of $[illegible].

HONOR ROLL OF S. S. No. 10, PROTON, for the month of September. —Senior 2nd Class—Marks obtainable 200—1st Sarah Johnson, 198; 2nd Carrie Johnson, 194; 3rd Herman Johnson, 164. Junior 2nd Class —1st Mary Hardy, 179; Ida Middleton, 108. Senior 1st Class—Aggie Johnson, 157; Ettie Mason, 179; Ephraim Johnson. 176. Junior 1st Class—Duncan McClellan, 188; Lizzie McQuarrie, 179.—A. GRAHAM, Teacher.

A SAFE REMEDY.

Many medicines check too suddenly attacks of Bowel Complaints, inducing dangerous inflammation, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, cleanses, strengthens and heals the diseased and weakened mucuous surfaces of the Stomach and Bowels, and safely cures every form of Summer Complaints.

Now that the fall shows are past for this year, would it not be a good move to take steps towards purchasing a piece of land for a show ground The fair has perhaps reached its best until something is done in the above direction. We have no doubt that if there was a piece of land purchased, properly fenced and a hall built, that the extra receipts at the gate would in a few years pay for the whole. Would it not be wise to have a meeting called of members of the society and others interested for the purpose of considering the matter. Let us hear your views on the matter.

With the steady march of improvement in science and mechanics, medicine has kept even pace. It now gives us remedies in a perfection of form and composition that the crudities of earlier medical science never approached. Among the most effective of medicines are Dr. J. C. Ayer's Pills—beautiful, sugar-coated, glistening globules—universally known and used as a reliable family physic. These pills possess great efficacy as a preventive of, or cure for the diseases incident to this section of the country; especially diseases of the stomach, liver and bowels, which often result in dangerous fever. They also give vigor to the circulation, remove constipation, create an appetite, and aid digestion, there by promoting health. Their ingredients are entirely vegetable, and they are a safe remedy in the hands of the most inexperienced.—*Macon, Ga., Telegraph & Messenger.*

WE are pleased to notice in a late issue of the *Presbyterian* the evidently great success which has attended the labors of a student of our acquaintance, Mr. W. H. W. Boyle, who has been engaged during the summer supplying the pulpit of an absent minister at London. Mr. Boyle, while pursuing honor courses in Toronto University in both mental and moral science and Oriental languages, has been in the pulpit almost every Sabbath during his vacations of the past three years. Under such heavy and continued stress his health seems to be excellent, and our young friend goes back to college in the course of a week, followed by the good wishes of the community at large, for his future usefulness in the noble work to which he has been called. We may add that on his departure from London he was surprised by deputation ... Bible classes, which he conducted during the summer, and presented with the handsome sum of $50, accompanied by two feeling addresses, expressive, says the above-named journal, of their appreciation of his deep zeal and earnestness in presenting the truths of God's word. —Com.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

SINCE our last issue of the *Herald* the weather has put on a fall appearance, and is giving a gentle warning to prepare for winter.

Our grain warehouses are overstocked, and our grain buyers are complaining for want of cars to ship their grain.

W. H. Peterson's new Woollen factory is in progress, under management of John Marshall.

Several of our villagers are complaining of light bread—we always like light bread, but make it a little heavier.

Our village school house requires some repairs before the winter sets in. We would like to se a porch put in front of each door, and some banking done as it would make the school more comfortable. Let our town fathers see to this at once.

We are surprised that a few of our farmers refuse to take the *Herald*, which gives all the latest news about their village. when we consider the fact that the *Herald* is the largest and cheapest local paper in the county, being only $1 to Jan. 1883.

ALEX. McCannell has just completed a very neat dwelling for Mrs. Stewart, on Owen Sound street.

There is an apple tree in the Township of Melanchton in full bloom. Last week ripe strawberries, this week apple blossoms—what county can beat this.

The Fruit Festival and popular Entertainment, under the auspices of the young Ladies of the Presbyterian Church, Dundalk, in aid of the Organ Fund, which was held on Friday evening in the Orange Hall, was a decided success, the Hall being filled, and all persons present seemed heartily to enjoy themselves. Great credit is due to Miss. L. Graham and Miss. C. Philips for their persevering exertion in getting up the entertainment and being the first in taken steps in having the debt on the Organ paid. The following is the Programme of the evening:—Duet, Mr and Mrs Ketchum; Reading, Mr. Deans; Solo, Miss C. Philips; Recitation, Mr Brown; Duet, Miss Rundle and Miss Philips; Reading Mr Deans; Duet, Miss Graham and Miss Rundle; Reading, J J Combie; Duet, Miss Philips and Mr W Rundle; Recitation, Mr Brown; Solo, Mrs Fechum; (Encore) Solo, Mrs Ketchum; Reading, Mr C Graham.

A FINANCIAL STORM FEARED.—"Storm signals are being hoisted in the city," says the *Spectator*, "with respect to America. The New York exchange still makes remittance profitable, and and the Bank of France, loaded with silver which it cannot sell, is unwilling to part with gold to anybody. The demand from America, the demand from France, and the demand from anxious bankers, therefore, fall upon the Bank of England. Altogether the rate of discount has been put up to five per cent. All stock exchange values are falling, and if anything gives way, or if the mad speculation in Paris is checked, there may be a bad quarter of an hour in the city, and money may be at eight per cent. before long. Trade is good and the revenue flourishing, but very good stock has been forced up to the extreme point at which investors will bid with money cheap, while in Paris people are buying shares especially bank shares, at prices as ridiculous as those of Mississippi stock. That cannot last, especially with the panic about Egypt hanging over the markets, and the French Government moving eighty thousand men in a serious campaign. We profess to know no secrets, but the signs of trouble increase."

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

I miss the Flesherton correspondence to the STANDARD the past two weeks; and as your own correspondent has become the chief of the scribes, I thought might be permitted to fill his place in the meantime.

The Richardson block adds very much to the appearance of the business portion of the village. It contains three shops two of, which are already occupied, one by Mr. Gorden, the other by Mr. Doll; the third when finished will be occupied by the Wm. Lucas Banking Co.

A well is required in the show grounds, that people can pump and drink Adam's ale if they like.

Mr. M. Aikitt, of Eugenia, is putting a 35 inch level wheel into his grist mill, and has overhauled the basement and built a new bulk head.

There are large quantities of potatoes going to the Station. Mr. Robertson has bought over three thousand bushels at 35cts, but to-day they went up another 5cts; one man sold $245.00 worth. Mr. Joseph Richardson, of Proton, dug near 1000 bushels off of 3½ acres.

Mr. Wm. Taylor has purchased a fine heavy draught team and is teaming grain for Mr. R. J. Sproule, who is said to be buying very largely this season.

We read of Burdock Bitters and Morey Bitters, but nothing keeps up the spirits like pouring a little Brandy down. We seen one old farmer take two finger lengths down and skip like a deer, an cuff another in double-quick time.

The station is not behind this week; it can boast of at least the most tremendous dog fight, two on one, and very systematic ejaculations from some of the men.

The steel rails are laid along the track to Flesherton Station. I expect that they will be spiked down before this comes to your readers.

To the Editor of the Herald.

SIR,—Having finished my harvest and commenced selling my grain, I drove to Dundalk with my first load last Saturday and found prices first class and everything satisfactory, so far as the market was concerned. But as I travelled side road 200, Township of Artemesia, I was led to ask myself, what is our council doing with our money that this road should be in such a shameful condition? I find in one place a complete trap for horses, (I expect this is where Nixon' horse was injured last winter). I also see the bridge near the gravel road is patched up with cedar rails thrown loosely on, instead of some sound timbers securely fastened, the guards are off the bridge and the whole structure is in a very shaky condition. Now, I would like to know if this road is allowed to remain in such a condition for the purpose of turning the people of this neighbourhood from their regular market, or through ignorance on the part of our council. In either case we are now satisfied that the only way the interests of this part of the township are to be protected is by a change at next election. Gentlemen, wake up and attend to your duty, and save yourselves trouble as well.

RATEPAYER.

Artemesia, Oct 5th, 1881.

In the month of October Typhoid Bilious, Malarial Fevers are very prevalent. For a shure preventative take, according to directions, DR CARSON'S STOMACH BITTERS. They purify the System and cool the Blood. They are used to great advantage in Fever and Ague districts. In large 8 oz. bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co, special agent for Markdale.

REMINISCENCES OF A TRIP FROM OWEN SOUND TO SAULT STE MARIE.

(Continued from last week.)

RYDAL BANK, Sept. 19th, 1881.

Twelve miles sailing to the west from Thessalon brings Bruce Mines, formerly a mining village of great importance, and I will give your readers what I know in regard to it. In the year 1864 Col. Banking explored the North Shore from French River to Sault Ste. Marie, at this place he found a promising vein of copper right near the shore. He began blasting, and in the fall of the next year he shipped the first load of copper in the steamer *Cathcart*. Shortly after it came in possession of the Bruce Land and Mining Company formed of capitalists in London, England, who showed great enterprise, and secured a tract of land four miles square They sunk shafts, built a lot of dwellings for men employed, and built a very large house. The engine was enormous. This engine is one of the best in America, it run machinery half a mile distant. Engineers will have an idea of its build, when the walking beam weighed thirty-five tons. The men employed was a village of themselves They built Schools, Churches, supported hotels, stores, and many good and evil insititutions. In a few years the company started the Wellington mines a quarter of a mile to the west, also along the shore. Here the same course of events followed. For a few years the company shipped the ore direct to Swansea in Wales, without any unloading on the way. Times were good. Common laborers got $25 a month and found. The Company cleared a fine farm to raise provender and the employees cleared small pieces on company's land for themselves. The soil is good without a stone with occassionally a rock knoll. Then the company determined to smelt the copper here, and to this purpose built a tremendous house at "Wellington mines." I cannot even faintly describe it. It cost a great sum. The chimney is one hundred and ninety feet high and twelve feet square at the base. The building of this house was one of the many events, which eventually stopped the works. Copper got down in price. One winter the miners were working by "tribute" or shares, and neglected to properly timber the tunnel. They had the whole winter's ore very near the opening. One Saturday after the men had got on surface, suddenly the shaft caved in, and enveloped the winter's work. When news of this reached England the company gave orders for suspension. The men left their tools in the place where they worked, the clerks left the half written sheets on the desks, the pens were never wiped to this day. One man was left in charge of the whole affair, but the fields have gone common. I cannot do better in describing the present looks of the place, than by quoting the words of the renown "Perrybingle." He calls it a grave yard of human hopes, and capital, and energy.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.

MARKDALE, Oct. 10th, 1881.

To the Editor.

SIR,—Mr. David Stinson, of Artemesia, has grew a pair of potatoes of which the daddy weighed 2 lbs. 10 oz., and the other, call it what you like, weighed two pounds and a half. This is a candid fact, for it takes thirteen to pick up after one digger, and before he started to dig them they were continually yelling at one another to lie over, but these two grew near the outer edge of the patch, so, therefore, they were not crowded so much and got a little better chance to grow.

THE DOCTOR.

Symptons of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, a dull heavy feeling in the Stomach with a frequent disposition to vomit, Heartburn, Loss of Mental and Physical Force. DR. CARSON'S STOMACH AND CONSTIPATION BITTERS is the certain *Remedy* for this distressing complaint. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

Wilcox has just opened out a beautiful selection of Sea-Shells. Don't fail to see them.

THE MARKETS.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 14th, 1881.

Flour	6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.25	to	1.27
Fall do. do. do.	1.25	to	1.27
Barley	0.50	"	0.[illegible]
Oats	0.32	"	0.26
Peas	0.65	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.21	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.[illegible]	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.[illegible]	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.50	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, Oct 14th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1 20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.25
Barley	0.60	"	0.75
Oats	0.32	"	0.35
Peas	0.65	"	0.58
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.25	to	$1.26
" " "	2	1.20	to	1.25
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.22	to	1.27
" " "	2	1.20	to	1.22
" " "	3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley "	2	.65	to	.75
" "	3	.50	to	.60
Peas "	1	.66	to	.68
" "	2	.60	to	.62
Oats "	1	.36	to	.37
Butter "	1	.20	to	.21
Eggs		.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 32	to	$1 35
Wheat, spring, do.	1 36	to	1 41
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 90
Oats, do.	0 42	to	0 44
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 [illegible]
Rye, do.	0 95	to	0 98
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o oo
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 50	to	8 00
Beef, fore quarters	5 00	to	5 60
Chickens, per pair	o 30	to	0 35
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 0o
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 18	to	0 20
Eggs, picked	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 oo
Potatoes, per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	1000	to	10 50

Nothing Like Leather.

W. M'LEOD & CO.,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here,

W. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

NOTICE.

THE subscriber in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 42-tf.

A WRETCHED SCORE.

A score of years is a long time to look back upon, but when attended with continual suffering it seems almost a century; and all this pain could have been avoided if, when your liver commenced to trouble you, if you had taken Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

Is a compound of the virtues of sarsaparilla, stillingia, mandrake, yellow dock, with the iodide of potash and iron, all powerful blood-making, blood-cleansing, and life-sustaining elements. It is the purest, safest, and most effectual alterative medicine known or available to the public. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy, nor one so potent to cure all diseases resulting from impure blood. It cures Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Pimples and Face-grubs, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Mercurial Disease, Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, and General Debility.

By its searching and cleansing qualities it purges out the foul corruptions which contaminate the blood and cause derangement and decay. It stimulates and enlivens the vital functions, promotes energy and strength, restores and preserves health, and infuses new life and vigor throughout the whole system. No sufferer from any disease which arises from impurity of the blood need despair who will give AYER'S SARSAPARILLA a fair trial.

It is folly to experiment with the numerous low-priced mixtures, of cheap materials, and without medicinal virtues, offered as blood-purifiers, while disease becomes more firmly seated. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA is a medicine of such concentrated curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and most reliable blood-purifier known. Physicians know its composition, and prescribe it. It has been widely used for forty years, and has won the unqualified confidence of millions whom it has benefited.

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Flesherton, March, 1881. 16

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Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43 6m

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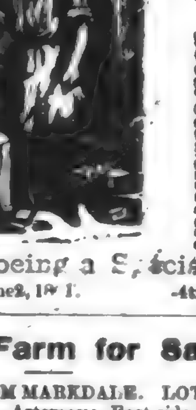

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September 2nd, 1881. 51-8t

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Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

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AROUND THE WORLD.

Count Walburg, the Arctic explorer, who has just returned to Hammerfest from a journey to the lower Yenisei in a Bremen merchant steamer, is reported as declaring such navigation possible every year, despite the difficulties which have hitherto been held to surround it.

It is perhaps time to record some further facts concerning Boston's proposed World's Fair. A meeting of all the sub committees of the Committee of Twenty-eight was held last Thursday, and after a secret, and, it is said, animated conclave of two and a half hours, it was finally decided—to meet again in two weeks to consider the question whether the Fair shall or shall not be held.

The projected reorganization of the Spanish army will largely increase its numerical strength when it is fully mobilized. The infantry will comprise more than 310,000 trained men, while the other arms of the service will be able to muster at least 100,000 more. The total strength of the Spanish army will therefore amount to over 400,000 men; whereas, as at present organized, its war establishment, including colonial troops, barely exceeds 300,000 men.

Vaccination as practiced in China has two peculiar features. The subject is not operated on in the arm or leg, but in the nose, and the Government, while it does not compel people to submit to the operation, practically reaches the same end that it would by doing so by offering to parents for every child vaccinated a premium of 100 copper cash, which amounts to about ten cents, and, for a poor Chinaman in his own country, a sum not to be despised.

The Lick Observatory, which is in course of erection on Mount Hamilton, at San Jose, Cal., is expected to be completed in the coming month of October. The pier which is to sustain the great telescope is about finished. It is built of hard burnt brick and has a diameter of 13 feet 5 inches at the bottom, and tapering until it is eight feet across at the top: it is 24 feet high to the observing floor. Its foundation is solid, being laid in a bed of solid rock four feet and a half below the surface of the ground. It is held in its place in the excavation by a bed of cement.

The Boston Journal compares quotations from the market reports of September 29, 1880, with corresponding reports of the same date this year. The result ascertained is that wheat has advanced in price from $1.09 to $1.56 per bushel; mess pork from $16 to $20.50 per barrel; beans, (an important item in the Boston market) from $1 90 to $3 40 per bushel; apples from $1 25 to $3 50 per barrel; [illegible] butter, cheese, beef and sugar have advanced little, if any. The [illegible] impression one gets from the [illegible], however, is that the cost of [illegible] is now much greater than it was last year.

The statistics of the railway accidents in England for the year seem [illegible] as fixed a quantity as the number of letters which are posted without addresses. The total number killed [illegible] was 1,136 and the number [illegible] 3,958. Of these 113 persons died and 1,513 persons injured [illegible] passengers. The remainder [illegible] of the companies, and [illegible] 265 injured were trespassers and other persons. The number of persons who traveled [illegible] passengers last year, exclusive of season ticket holders was [illegible] 600,000,000, being an increase [illegible] over the number who [illegible] in the year before, showing [illegible] and a quarter million [illegible] who travel one is killed, and [illegible] one in every half million is [illegible].

[illegible] interesting statistics of mortality among railway travelers appear [illegible] journals. With commendable candor, France is given the first, and of course least enviable, place on the list, her railways killing annually one in every 2,000,000 passengers and wounding one in every half million. English railways kill one to every [illegible] 000,000, but surpass those of France [illegible] casualties, wounding one in every third of a million. Belgian [illegible] kill and wound one in every [illegible] and [illegible],000,000 respectively, while Prussia only one in every 21,500,000 and wounds one in every 4,000,000. Roundly speaking, French railways kill five times as many as English, English not quite twice as many as Belgian, and Belgian nearer three than twice as many as Prussian, which are much the least fatal of the four. The average rate of speed made [illegible] railways of these countries would form a valuable addition to [illegible] statistics.

FALL ASSIZES.

The Fall Assizes for this County at Owen Sound was to have commenced Monday the 26th ult., but owing to Hon. Justice Patterson having been detained at the Dufferin Assizes, the opening of the Court was delayed till Tuesday morning. The criminal calendar comprised seven cases, including three raising Dominion notes, one for robbery, one forgery, and one for assault. The civil docket comprised eight jury and four non-jury cases.—Mr. A. Frost conducted the Crown business. The following is a list of the Grand Jury:

Victor Lang, Foreman; James Fox, John Nasmith, D. McCormick, Thos. H. Reeve, George Richardson, Cornelius Duggan, James Struthers, John Keuning, Thomas Andrews, Samuel Stewart, Henry D. Irwin, Arch. Butters, Duncan Mathieson, Thos. Whitmore, John B. Graham, Jas. Stewart, Thos. Askin, Jas. Buchan, Thos. Hill, C. L. Grant, James Duff, Wm. Hogg, Samuel Dickson.

The following cases were disposed of:—

Whately vs. Lawrence—Action of ejectment. Settled between the parties.

Myles vs. Lawrence—This was an action for slander, arising out of the last municipal election in Euprasia.—Mr. Myles, Reeve, sued the defendant, Hugh Johnson, for damages for saying that he forged orders on the Treasurer. Verdict for defendant.

The Grand Jury brought in a True Bill against Silas Graham and Robert Yemen for Robbery.

Queen vs. Silas Graham and Robt. Yemen—The prisoners wer charged with having robbed Michael Ingram of a silver watch on the evening of Dominion Day. Ingram's story was that he and the prisoners were drinking together that day, and on his return for home in the evening they followed him up the hill, knocked him down, and took his watch. The watch was afterwards found at Jolley's Hotel where Mr. Jolley had purchased it from a stranger—not one of the prisoners. The defendants brought witnesses to prove an *alibi*. Verdict—Not Guilty.

The Grand Jury brought in a true bill against Andrew Farquharson for assault.

Pilkie vs. Boyce.—Undefended action for seduction. Verdict for plaintiff, $500.

WEDNESDAY.

Alexander vs. McDonald.—Action for seduction. Verdict for plaintiff, $500.

The Grand Jury brought in a true bill against Louisa Caroline Feathers for forgery.

Louisa Caroline Feathers on being arraigned, pleaded guilty. She had written letters on which to obtain money, as already referred to in our columns.—*O. S. Times.*

SUNDRY HUMBUGS.

"PATENT" CLAIMS.

That a vast deal of swindling was done through false claims for patents, is well known to those who keep the run of such matters. A farmer sees a device, one for a gate, for example, in the *American Agriculturist*, or other paper; it seems to be useful and easily made, and he constructs one. Some of his less wide-awake neighbors, after they have seen the gate throughly tested, take pattern from this, and in time there will be several such gates in the neighbourhood. After a while a chap comes along, claiming to hold a patent for the very device that makes the gate desirable, claims $5, or other sum as royalty, which must be paid at once, or a prosecution will follow. Such cases are accurring continually, not only with patents of gates, but with numerous other devices in use upon the farm or in the house. In such cases, where the claim of the patent is a fraudulent one, as it very often is, we advise resistance. But there are two sides to the question. While we do not regard our patent laws as perfect, they are as good as we are likely to have, and, good or bad, they are *laws*, and must be observed. The man who has taken out a patent has certain rights which the laws have, for a consideration, secured to him, and we would no more encourage an infringment upon a legitimate patent than we would favor the payment of fraudulent claims. But, it will be asked, what is one to do, if he is accused of infringing a patent? The first thing to do is to "take matters easy," and DON'T BE FRIGHTENED INTO DOING ANYTHING.

This is a country of laws, and if one has unintentionally infringed upon a patent, he will not be executed at the next cross roads without the benefit of clergy. Nor yet will he be thrown into a dungeon, and fed on bread and water. The holder of the patent must bring a suit, and in a United States Circuit Court at that. In the case where the claim is a just one, and a person's rights have been infringed, the holder of the patent will not be likely to indulge in threats, as he feels confident he is right, and the use of bluster and threatening of itself suggests fraud. Of course, every such case will have its peculiar features, and we can only give the general advice, to not be frightened, to do nothing in a hurry; consult the neighbors, as there are usually several such cases in the vicinity, to secure unity of action, and if convinced that the claim is a just one, make the best compromise possible. A correspondent at Carbon Center, Pa., sends us an account of a case in which claimants of a gate patent sued farmers for an infringement. The defendants, the farmers, were present in court with their witnesses, but the plaintiff did not appear at the trial, thus admitting that he had no cause. Every one claiming to hold a patent on an article should be willing to give its number, and the date on which it was issued. By writing to the Patent Office, at Washington, a copy of the patent can be procured for a moderate fee (50c., we think), and this will allow one to judge of the validity of the claim.....Some swindles, no matter how thoroughly exposed, have long lives. Here is the

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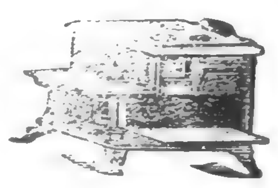

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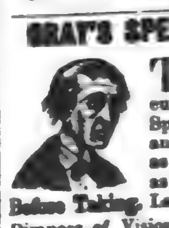

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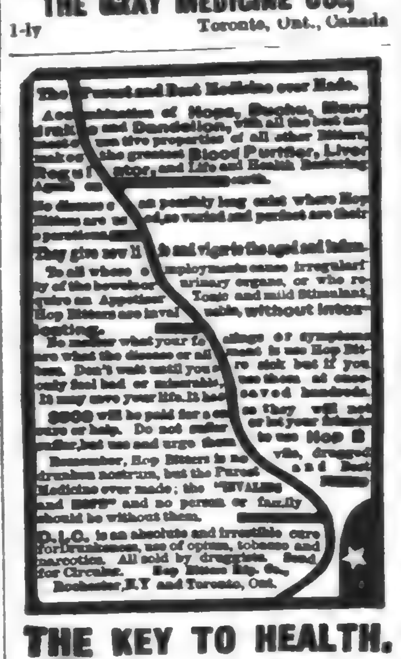

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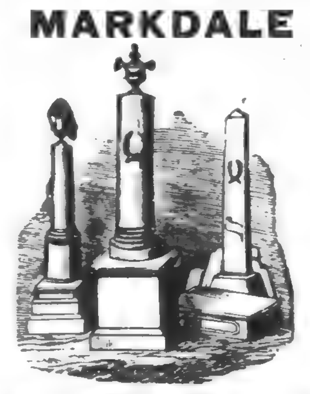

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Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

D. J. SHANAHAN'S
WAGON and
Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting, and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the past money, thus securing a repetition of our esteemed orders and the benefit of your influence among your friens.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 20-3m

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MACRAE, Reev

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

MONEY to LEND
AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

J. G. IRVING

Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 36-6m

MARKDALE
Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES.

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage thave given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER
ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having just received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North Shore and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning
Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-tf

LATE IMPORTATIONS!

Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods!

To nand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

IN BOOTS AND SHOES!

We offer special valuck in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glassware

Is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Wm BROWN

Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881.

STOP. MARK. LEARN.

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money, at

R. J. SPROULE'S
GREAT ANNUAL
CLEARIG SALE,
AT THE
POST OFFICE STORE,
FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLIERY,
Ready-Made Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Hats, Caps and Groceries
TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so,

Will Sell at and Under COST,
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all **new, well bought,** and well worth the attention of the closest buyer. **In GROCERIES** you will find **evrything of First-Class Value.**

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous recommendations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from the same.

You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it,** and as good value as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere,** as I have always held that honorable dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can and will sell at

The Lowest Possible Prices!
For CASH and FARM PRODUCE
BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN!

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring wheat. Also Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed; also Fresh Garden Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will make money by paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT,
FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested* in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer in this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS
ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On the 1st of April,

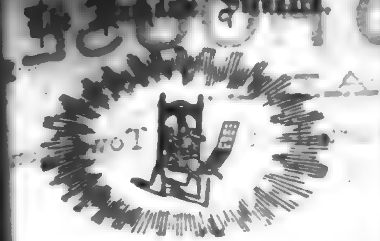
One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE,

Flesherton, March 10 1881 14-ly



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OFFICE - Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

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Barrister at Law, - Owen Sound.
OFFICE.—Millers's building, over Robinson's store, Poulet Street. 1-y

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BARRISTER and ATTORNEY AT-LAW Master in Chancery, Owen Sound.
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Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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A number of desirable Improved Farms for sale. 1-y

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AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines: also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds on hand.
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

J. G. Sing.
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having [illegible] Provincial Land Surveyor [illegible] entire stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all the Surveys done within the last fifty-five years, I am prepared to make Surveys in strict accordance therewith. Profiles and Estimates for Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. Orders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to.
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Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

ROYAL HOTEL.
MEAFORD, Ont.
J. W. McGIRR, - - PROPRIETORS.
Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.
Free 'bus to and from all trains.
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Large and commodious Sample Rooms: Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.
October 31st, 1880.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
ON
Wednesdays and Saturdays,
BY **Thomas Smith,**
Orders filled for Toomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m,

SALE
or Factory
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FRAMES
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Promptly Filled.
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Markdale Standard.

E. D. WILCOX, MARKDALE, dealer in WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY, Electro-Plated Ware, SPECTACLES, ETC. Engagement and Wedding Rings a Specialty.

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BANKERS,

DUNDALK.

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral secrity.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

E. G. LUCAS, Manager

Dundalk, Sept. 1, 1881. 1-ly

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT, LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

Sheep and Cattle.

FARMERS having good fat Sheep or Cattle to sell, will find it to their advantage to leave their names and address at T. Sproule's Hotel, Revere House, Markdale, as the undersigned are still on the war path, and will positively pay the highest prices.

C. W. & A. SPEERS.

Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-y

John H. Heard,

Manufacturer and dealer in

Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,

WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS, HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS, HARROW AND All kinds of Farming Implements

Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets

FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates. None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale, Nav. 18, 1880. 1o

SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!

T. MULARKEY,

QUEEN STREET

MARKDALE,

Keeps constantly on hand

CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.

Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.

AGENT FOR

D. MAXWELL'S

CELEBRATED

REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE,

—ALSO—

Plougus, Harrows, Gaug, Drills Etc. Etc.

Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

Province of Ontario Directory

For 1881-82,

TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,

Price $5.00.

MR. LOVELL, at the request of several Merchants and others of the Province of Ontario, of the City of Montreal, &c., begs to announce that his firm will publish a PROVINCE OF ONTARIO DIRECTORY, in November next, containing an Alphabetical Directory AND A THOROUGH CLASSIFIED Business Directory of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a CLASSIFIED BUSINESS-DIRECTORY OF THE CITY OF MONTREAL.

The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.

JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.

Montreal, December, 1880.

Meat for All

AT

W. B. Sarjent's.

The subscriber, returns thanks to the inhabitants of

MARKDALE

and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as

CHEAP

as any one north of Toronto.

Fresh and Corned Meats

delivered promptly on receipt of orders.

SAUSAGE & POULTRY

always kept in their Season.

Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."

Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep

Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to [merit a] continuance of your support.

NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's

W. B. SARJEANT.

Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

W. BENSON

HAS NOW ON HAND

A Fresh Supply of Liquors

WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

IN GROCERIES!

Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,

Teas a Specialty.

Miscellaneous Articles!

Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descripttons, may be had on very reasonable terms.

P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Benson.

Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

J. MONTGOMERY,

BAKER,

THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with

FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,

either plain, or Iced and Ornamented, and a large Variety of Other Cakes always on hand, Also,

BISCUIT!

of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the

CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY.

BRIDES' CAKES.

supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.

Tea Meetings, Socials,

AND

OTHER PARTIES,

supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

JOHN MONTGOMERY.

Markdale, Nov, 18, s 181 8 1o-ly

ROBT. ASKIN,

MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

—AND—

UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS, CASKETS, SHROUDS, and all FUNERAL FURNISHINGS, supplied on the shortest notice.

A Splendid Hearse for hire at moderate rates.

FURNITURE! From the Commonest to the Best and Latest Styles, in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

ROBT. ASKIN,

IMAGINARY EVILS.

Let to-morrow take care of to-morrow;
Leave things of the future to fate,
What's the use to anticipate sorrow!
Life's troubles comes never to late!
If to hope over much be an error,
'Tis one that the wise have preferred;
And how often have hearts beat in terror
Of evils that never occurred.

Have faith—and thy faith will sustain thee—
Permit not suspicion and care
With invisible bonds to embrace thee,
But bear what God gives thee to bear.
Thy spirit supported and gladdened
Be ne'er by "forbodings" deterred!
But think how oft hearts have been saddened
By fear—of what never occurred.

Let to-morrow take care of to-morrow;
Short and dark as our life may appear,
We make it still shorter and sorrow[ful]
Still shorter by folly and fear;
Half our troubles are half our invention,
And often from blessings conferred
Have we shrunk in wild apprehension
Of evils—that never occurred.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER III. *Continued.*

'Which our spirited heiress never will be. I agree with you, Mr. Dangerfield; and yet you told me you were in love with her, and wanted to marry her.'

'So I did.'

'Or her fortune which?'

'I don't see that that's any business of yours, Mrs. Vavasor; I don't see what I am standing here abusing Katherine to you for. You don't like her, do you? Now what has she ever done to you?'

'Nothing whatever—I haven't seen Katherine until to night for fifteen years. She was two years old then—a little demoiselle in pantalettes, and too young to have an enemy.'

'Yet you *are* her enemy, Mrs. Vavasor, and you sit at her table and eat her bread and her salt. And you speak of her mother as if you detested her. Is it for the mother's sake you hate the daughter?'

'For the mother's sake.' She repeated the four short words with a concentrated bitterness that rather repelled her companion. 'And you hate her for her own, Mr. Dangerfield.' She laid her little hand suddenly and sharply on his arm, and sent the words in his ear in a sibilant whisper, 'We both hate her; let us make common cause together, and have our revenge.'

Peter Dangerfield threw off the gloved hand that felt unpleasantly like a steel manacle on his wrist.

'Don't be melodramatic, if you please, Mrs. Vavasor. Revenge indeed. And I a lawyer. You would make an uncommonly good first class actress, my dear madam, but in private life your histrionic talents are quite thrown away. Revenge! bah! Why the vendetta has gone out of fashion even in Corsica. We don't live in the days of the handsome Lucretia, when a perfumed rose or a pair of Jouvin's best kids sent one's adversary to glory There is no such word as revenge in these latter days, my dear madame. If one's wife runs away from one with some other fellow, we don't follow and wipe out our dishonour in his blood; we simply go to Sir. Creswell and get a divource. If we run away with some other fellow's wife, that other fellow sues us for damages, and makes a good thing of it. Believe me Mrs. Vavasor, revenge is a word that soon will be obsolete, except on theatrical boards. But at the same time I should like to know what you mean.'

'What is that you sing me there?' Mrs. Vavasor cried, in the French idiom she used when excited. 'While the world lasts, and men love, and hate, and uses words and pistols, revenge will never go out of fashion. And you hate your cousin—hate her so that if looks were lightning she would have fallen at your feet ten minuter age. '*A little ricketty dwarf.*' She laughed her shrill, womewhat elfish laugh. 'Not a pleasant name to be called, Mr. Dangerfield.'

His face blackened at the remembarance, his small, eyes shot forth that steely fire light blue eyes only can flash.

'Why do you remind me of that?' he said hoarsely. 'She did not mean it—she said so.'

'She said so—she said so!' his companion cried scornfully. 'Peter Dangerfield, you're not the man I take you for if you endure, quietly endure such an insult as that. And look at her now, with Gaston Dantree, that penniless teunor-singer, with the voice of an angel and the face of a god. Look how she smiles up at him. Did she ever give you such a glance as that? See how he bends over her and whispers in her ear. Did she ever listen to you with that happy face, those drooping downcast eyes? Why, she loves that man—that improverished adventurer; and love and happiness make her almost beautiful. And she called you 'a rickety dwarf.' Perhaps even now they are laughing over it rather as a good joke.'

'Woman! Devil!' the victim burst out, goaded to frenzy. 'You lie! Katherine Dangerfield would stoop to no such baseness as that!'

'Would she not? You have yet to learn to what depths of baseness woman like her can stoop. She has bad, bitter bad blood in her veins, I tell you. She comes of a daring and unscrupulous race. Oh, don't look at me like that—I don't mean the Dangerfields. And you will bear her merciless aunt, and stand quietly by while she marries younder handsome coxcomb and go and be best man at the wedding, and take your hat off for ever after when you meet Gaston Dantree, Lord of Scarswood Park. Bah! Peter Dangerfield, you must have milk and water in your veins instead of blood, and I am only waiting my time here talking to you. I'll detain you no longer. I wish you good-evening.'

She had goaded him to the right point at last. As she turned to go he [illegible] back.

'Stay!' he cried hoarsely; 'you shall not go! You do well to say I hate her. And she shall never marry Gaston Dantree if I can prevent it. Only show me the way how! Only show me!' he exclaimed, breathless and hoarse, 'and see whether I have blood in my veins instead of milk and water—a man's passions in my heart—though it be the heart of a ricketty dwarf.'

Ah! that blow struck home.

'Look at them once again, Mr. Dangerfield, lest your brave resolutions should cool—look at Katherine Dangerfield and her lover *now*.'

The baronet's daughter was waltzing again—she had a passionate love of dancing, and floated with the native grace of a Bayadère.

She was waltzing with Dantree, her long rose wreathed crowned hair floating over her shoulder, her happy face uplifted as she whirled down the long vista in his arms to the intoxicating music of the 'Guards' Waltz.

'You see!' Mrs. Vavasor said, significantly; 'he who runs may read, and he who stands still may understand. His melancholy tenor voice, his lover-like sighs, his dark, pathetic eyes have done their work—Katherine Dangerfield is in love with Gaston Dantree! It is a very old story: a lady of high degree has 'stooped to conquer.' Sir John won't like it, I dare say; but could Sir John refuse his idolized daughter anything? If she cried for the moon she would have it. And she is so impetuous, dear child! She will be Mrs. Gaston Dantree in the time it would take another young lady to decide the colour of the bridesmaids' dresses.'

'She shall never be Mrs. Gaston Dantree if I can prevent it. You don't suppose, now,' Mrs. Vavasor said, thoughtfully, 'this Mr. Dantree is in love with her?'

'I know nothing about it. He looks as though he were, at least—and be hanged to him,'

'That tells nothing. She is the heiress of Scarswood, and Dantree—like yourself, I haven't a doubt—is in love with that. I wonder if either of you would want to marry her if she hadn't a farthing—if her brown hair and her fine figure were her only fortune?'

'I can answer for myself—I would see her at the duce first!'

'And unless I greatly mistaken him Mr. Dantree would also. How she looks up at him! how she smiles!—her infatuation is patent to the whole room. And after her, you are the heir-at-law, Mr. Dangerfield.'

'I don't see what that's got to do with it,' the young man retorted, sulkily. 'I am likely to remain heir-at-law for the remainder of my days, for what I see. The governor will go off his hooks and she will marry, and there will be a son—half a dozen of 'emmost likely—and my cake is dough I wish you wouldn't talk about it at all; it's of no use, a man howling his life out for what he never can get.'

'Certainly not—for what he can't get; but I don't precieve the 'can't get' in this case. Three people stood between Colonel Dangerfield and the title six months ago, and they—as you express it in the elegantly allegorical language of the day—'went off the hooks;' and lo! our Indian officer all in a moment, steps into three pair of dead men's shoes, a title and a fortune. Scarswood may change hands unexpectedly before the year ends again.'

'Mrs. Vavasor—if that be your game—I don't understand you. What's the use of badgering a man in this way? If you've got anything to say, say it. I never was any hand at guessing riddles. What the duce do you mean?'

Mrs. Vavasor laughed gaily.

'Forcible, but not polite. Did you ever have your fortune told, Mr. Dangerfield? I have some gypsy blood in my veins. Give me your hand, and I'll tell it, with the proverbial piece of silver.'

'He held it out mechanically. Under all this riddle-rike talk he knew some strong meaning, very much to the point, lay. What could she mean? Who could she be? She took his thin, pale, cold hand, and peered into the palm, with the prettiest fortunetelling air imaginable.

'A strangely chequered palm, my gentleman; all its strange future to come. I see a past, quiet and uneventful. I see a character, thoroughly selfish, avaricious, and unprincipled. No, don't take your hand away, Mr. Dangerfield. You can hate with tigerish intensity; you would commit any crime under Heaven for money, so that you were never likely to be found out. You care for nobody but yourself, and you never will. A woman stands in your path to fortune—a woman you hate. That obstacle will be removed. I see here a ruined home and over ruin and death you step into fortune. Don't ask me how. The lines don't tell that just yet; they may very soon. You are to be a baronet, and the time is very near, How do you like your fortune, Sir. Peter Dangerfield, that is to be?'

She dropped his hand and looked him full in the face, streaming fire in her bright black eyes.

'Hush-h-h! for Heaven's sake!' he whispered, in terror. 'If you should be over heard?'

'But how do you like it?'

'There can be no question about that, Only I don't understand. You are mocking me. What you perdict can never happen.'

'Why not?'

'Why not! why not!' he exclaimed, impatiently. 'You don't need to ask that question. Katherine Dangerfield stands between me; a life as good—better than my own.'

The little temptress in amber silk laid her canary-coloured glove on his wrist and drew him close to her.

'What I predict will happen, as surely as we stand here. Don't ask me how; I can't tell you to-night. There's a secret in Sir John Dangerfield's life—a secret I have been paid well to keep, which I have kept for fifteen years, which no money will make me keep much longer. I have debt of vengeance, contracted before Katherine Dangerfield was born, which Katherine Dangerfield yet must pay. What will you give me if within the next three months I make you heir of Scarswood?'

'You?'

'I.'

'It is impossible!'

'It is not!' She stamped her foot. 'Quick! Tell me! What will you give me?'

'I don't understand you.'

'I don't mean that you shall yet. Will you give ten thousand pounds the day that makes you—through me, mind—lord of Scarswood? Quick! Here come our lovers. Yes or no?'

'Yes.'

'It is well. I shall have your bond instead of your promise soon. Not a whisper of this to a living mortal, or all is at an end. We are sworn allies, then, from this night forth. Shake hands upon it.'

They clasped hands.

He shivered a little, unprincipled though he was, as he felt the cold, steely clasp of her gloved fingers. She glanced up, a flash of triumph lighting her eyes, to where Katherine Dangerfield, still leaning on her handsome lover's arm, approached.

'Now, then, my baronet's daughter—my haughty little heiress—look to yourself. I am a woman who never yet spared friend or foe who stood in my path. *Væ Victis.*'

She vanished as she spoke; and Peter Dangerfield, feeling like a man in a dream, his head in a whirl, glided after her, as his cousin and her cavalier stepped under the arch of rose and myrtle.

CHAPTER IV.

LOVE UNDER THE LAMPS.

'How charmingly cool it is here,' Miss Dangerfield's fresh young voice is saying, as they come in; 'how bewitching is this pale moon-shiny sort of lamplight among the orange trees and myrtles; and, oh! Mr. Dantree, how delicious that last waltz was. You have my step as nobody else has it, and you walz so light—so light! It has been a heavenly evening together.'

She threw herself into a rustic chair as she spoke, where trailing vines and crimson bloom formed a brilliant arch over head, and looked up at him with eyes that shone like stars.

'I wonder if it is only because balls and parties are such rare things to me that I have enjoyed this so greatly, or because I am just seventeen, and everything is delightful at seventeen; or because—because—Mr. Dantree, I wonder if you have enjoyed yourself?'

'I have been in Paradise, Miss Dangerfield.'

'And how gloomily he says it—and [illegible] laughieed Katherine. 'Your paradise can't be any great things judging by your face at this moment.'

'Miss Dangerfield, it is because my paradise has been so perilously sweet that I look gloomy. The world outside, bleak and barren, must have looked trebly black to Eve when she left Eden.'

'Eve shouldn't have left it then—she should have had sense and left the tempting apple alone.'

'Ah, but it was so tempting, and it hung so deliciously within reach. And Eve forgot, as I have done, everything, the fatal penalty—all but the heavenly sweetness of the passing moment.'

'Well,' Miss Dangerfield said, fluttering her fan, and looking upward, 'I may be stupid, Mr. Dantree, but I don't quite catch your metaphor. Eve ate that apple several thousand years ago, and was very properly punished, but what has that to do with you?'

'Because I, like Eve, have eaten my apple to-night, and to-morrow the gates of my earthly paradise close upon me for ever.'

Divested of its adjuncts, there wasn't much, perhaps, in this speech; but given a young lady of seventeen, of a poetical and sentimental turn of mind—soft, sweet music swelling in the distance—a dim light—the fragrance of tropic flowers and warmth and a remarkably good looking young man—it implies a great deal. He certainly looked dangerously handsome at this moment, with his pale Byronic face, fathomless dark eyes, his whole air of impassioned melancholy—a beauty as fatal as the serpent to Eve in his own allegory.

No doubt that serpent came to our frail first mother in a very beautiful guise else she had never listened to his seductive words.

The soft white lace, the cluster of blush-roses on Katherine's breast, rose and fell. She was only seventeen, and over head and ears in love, poor child.

She laughed at his romantic words, but there was a little tremor in her clear tones as she spoke:—

'Such a sentimental speech, Mr. Dantree. Sussex is a very nice county, and Scarswood a very agreeable place, no doubt; but neither quite constitute my idea of paradise. And what do you mean by saying you leave to-morrow?'

'I mean I dare stay no longer. I should never have come here at all—I wish to Heaven I never had.'

It was drawing near. Her heart was throbbing with rapture; she loved him, and she knew what was coming, but still she parried her own delight.

'Please don't be profane, Mr. Dantree. You wish you had never come? Now, I call that anything but complimentary to the neighbourhood and to me. Be kind enough to explain yourself, sir. Why do you wish you had never come?'

'Because I have been mad—because I am mad. Oh, Katherine! can't you see? Why will you make me speak what I should die rather than utter? Why will you make me confess my madness—confess that I love you?'

He made an impassioned gesture, and turned away. Macready could not have done it better. His voice, his glance, his passionate words, were the perfection of first class drama. And then there was dead silence.

'You do not speak!' he cried 'I [illegible]

[illegible] He was really getting alarmed, in spite of his conviction that she was hopelessly in love with him. 'Well, I deserve it all! I stand before you penniless, with neither noble name nor fortune to offer you, and I dare to tell you of my hopeless passion. Katherine, forgive me!'

The rich green carpet was soft, there was no one to see, and he sank gracefully on one knee before her, and bowed his head over her hand.

'Forgive me if you can, and tell me to go.'

Then his soft tanor tones died away pianissimo in stifled emotion, and he lifted her hand to his mustached lips. It trembled—with an ecstacy to great for words. He loved her like this—her matchless darling—and he told her to bid him go. He fingers closed over his, tighter and tighter—she bent down until he could almost hear the loud throbbing of her heart.

'Go!' she whispered, faintly. 'Gaston, I should die if you left me.'

He clasped both her hands with a wild, theatrical start and gazed at her in incredulous amaze.

'Katherine! do you know what you say? Have I heard you aright? For pity's sake, do not mock me in my desperation—do not lift me for a moment to Heaven only to cast me out again. It cannot be—it is maddest presumption of me to hope that you love me!'

Her hand closed only the more closely over his; her head drooped, her soft, abundant brown hair hiding it tremor of bliss.

'I never hoped for this,' he said; 'I never thought of this! I know it was my destiny—my madness—to adore you; but never—no, never in my wildest dream—did I dare hope you could stoop to me. My darling—say it just once, that I may know I am awake.' He was very wide awake, indeed, at that moment. 'Say just once, my own heart's darling, "Gaston, I love you!"'

She said it, her face hidden in his superfine coat-facings, her voice trembling, every vein in her body thrilling with rapture.

And Mr. Gaston Dantree smiled—a half-amused, a half-exultant smile of triumph.

'I've played for high stakes before,' he thought, 'but never so high as this, or with half so easy a victory. And—oh, powers of vengeance!—if Marie should ever find this out. There's only one drawback now, the old man. There'll be no end of a row when this comes out.'

She lifted her head from his shoulder and looked at him, shy and sweet.

'And you really care for me like this, Gaston, and you really thought I would let you go—you really thought the difference in wealth and rank between us would be any difference to me? How little you know me.'

'I knew you for the best, the dearest, the loveliest of all women. But your father, Katherine—he will never consent to a poor artist like me coming and wooing his darling.'

'You don't know him, Gaston; papa would do anything on earth to please me—anything. When he discovers how we love each other he will not stand between us. He lives but to make me happy.'

You are sure of this, Katherine?'

'Certainly, Gaston; your poverty will be no obstacle to him.'

'Then he's a greater fool than I take him for,' thought Mr. Dantree. 'If I were in his place, I would kick Mr. Gaston Dantree out of the room. Good Heaven! if I should marry this girl and it should get to Marie's ears! If—I shall marry her, come what may. Eight thousand at stake, and Marie the only obstacle in the way, and hundreds of leagues of sea and land between me and that obstacle. There is no turning back now; come what may, I shall marry the heiress of Scarswood.' He turned to her with almost real passion in his voice now.

'Katherine, he said, taking both her hands in his and looking her eyes, 'whatever betides, for good or for ill, you will not draw back—for good or for evil you are mine?'

She met his eyes full for the first time. She was pale, but there was no tremor in her voice as she slowly repeated his words. Clearly and firmly they came:—

'Yours, Gaston—yours only. For good or for evil, to the end of my life—yours!'

For good or for evil!—ominous words.

For good or for evil the vow was plighted; and she stood under the lamps pledged to become Gaston Dantree's wife.

CHAPTER V.

BEFORE BREAKFAST.

In the bleak, raw dawn of the wet October morning Sir John Dangerfield's guest went home. When the lamp still gleamed among the flowers on the landing and stairsways, Mrs. Vavasor, trailing the yellow glimmer of her silk robe behind her, went up to her own room—went up with the fag end of a tune between her lips, a feverish lusre in her eyes, a feverish flush, not all rouge, in her cheeks, looking, as a hopeless adorer at the foot of the stairs quoted:

"In her lovely silken murmur,
Like an angel clad with wings."

The adorer had taken a great deal of champagne at supper, and hiccoughs interrupted the poetic flow of the quotation.

So also had Mrs. Vavasor herself. Perhaps a little of the brilliancy of eyes and colour were due to the Cliquot, but then a good deal more was owing to triumph. Everything was going on so well. The little debt she had waited so long to pay off was in a fair way to receive a full receipt.

Peter Dangerfield was pliant as wax in her hands. Gaston Dantree was the man of all men whom she would have chosen for Katherine Dangerfield's affianced husband. And Sir John had passed the night in a sort of earthly purgatory.

'Poor old Sir John!' the little woman said, airily, to herself; 'I'm really concerned for him. He never did me any harm—poor old soldier. How plainly he showed his abhorrence of me in his face, [illegible] old man.—[illegible] I suppose [illegible] in her [illegible] darling [illegible] could not fail to see it. I suppose [illegible] handsome tenor proposed in the conservatory. What a [illegible] it would be to let him marry her after all, and then speak out. I think I'll wait until the wedding day. Ah, my lady!—my lady! You were a great peeress and a brilliant woman in your day, but you're dead now, and forgotten, and little Harriet, whom you circumvented so cleverly, lives still, and prospers, and hates you dead as she hated you alive.'

The fire still burned on the marble hearth, the waxlights glimmered softly. She drew the window curtain and looked out at the rainy morning light struggling feebly in the stormy grey sky. The elms and beeches rocked in the October gale, the swaying of the giant trees was like the dull roar of the sea. She dropped the silken curtain with a shiver and turned away.

'It gives me the horrors,' she muttered; 'it makes me think of old age, and death, and the grave. Will I live to become old, I wonder? and will I have money enough left to pay hirelings to smooth the last journey? This visit to Sussex will surely make my fortune as well as give me my revenge. And when—*all is over*—I will go back to Paris—oh, my beautiful Paris! and live the rest of my life there. Whether that life be long or short, I shall at least have enjoyed every hour of it. And, my lady, I'll be even with you to the last, and carry my secret to the grave.'

She crossed over to the wardrobe where they had placed her trunks, opened one, and took out a book of cigarette paper and an embroidered tobacco-case.

'It's no use going to bed,' she thought: 'I can never sleep at these abnormal hours. A cigarette will soothe my nerves better than slumber.'

She began, with deft fingers, to roll half-a-dozen cigarettes, and then lying back in a luxurious arm-chair, with two slender arched feet upon the fender, to light and smoke. One after another she smoked them to the very last ash. The rainy daylight filled the room as she flung the end of the last inch into the fire.

She arose with a yawn, extinguished the lights, drew the curtains and let in the full light of the gray, wet morning. The great trees rocked wearily in the high gale, a low leaden sky lay over the wet downs, and miles away the sea melted drearily into the horizon. In the pale bleak light brilliant little Mrs. Vavasor looked worn and haggard, and ten years older than last night.

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"DON'T KNOW HALF THEIR VALUE.—They cured me of Ague, Billiousness and Kidney Complaint, as recommend. I had a half bottle left which I used for my two little girls, who the Doctors and neighbours said could not be cured. I would have lost both of them one night if I had not given them Hop Bitters. They did them so much good I continued their use until they were cured. That is why I say you do not know half the value of Hop Bitters, and do not recommend them high enough."—B., Rochester, N. Y.—*American Rural Home.*

SHALL WOMEN SMOKE.

Oddly enough [illegible] how improper a cigarette is supposed to be when a women smokes it, the men who like fast woman are not the ones who like lady smokers. These who do are the artists, the authors, the men of mind, who are not fascinated by almond-shaped eyes, a small waist and an absense of virtue, but who like a woman who can understand them, and who has conversational powers of her own. They obtain from an intelligent woman a delicate and charming appreciation; they often discover in her wonderful suggestiveness. Society does not give men and women much opportunity for any real interchange of ideas, and the men who like a clever woman are often delighted when they find out that she smokes. It is remarkable how a little tobacco puffing will break down the mental barrier between the sexes. It is an excuse for the physical repose which is the best condition for taking; it brightens the mind an quickens the ideas; it fills up all the pauses when no one has anything to say. You have your smoke rings to watch instead of gazing at your neighbor's face. Indeed, there are so many charms about it that there is small wnoder that clever men and women are fond of this little magic symbol of companionship, the cigarette.

In all probability the higher education of women will bring about one result which its advocates have never thought of. Girl graduates, overworked and crammed, will take to the solace of smoking. The women who are pushing their way into the professions will discover their need of it. When women begin to work they will smoke also. Gradually the cigarette will be entirely associated with the blue stocking instead of the Adonyma and her imitators. It will be useless to protest or condemn. The use of tobacco was prohibited in Russia—the knout threatened for the first offense, death for the second—yet Russian ladies are the greatest of smokers. Pope Urban VIII. issued a bull against it; our King James fought vigorously against its introduction here. In the East the priests and sultans declared smoking to be a sin against their holy religion, and yet the Turk is seldom seen without a pipe. Even the edict of society will not alarm the new generation of clever women. The actress smokes in her dressing room because she is exhausted; the authors, (and we have one or two women who can paint) will smoke in their studies for the same reason. When sensible men go to see them they will light up together and have a sociable talk. Let us console ourselves with the fact that a pretty woman who smokes because she likes it looks well, doubtless there will come a day when Worth will add to his dresses a dainty little tobacco pouch or cigarette pocket. And we may be sure when fashion has once got a word to say in its favor smoking will no longer be improper.—*London World.*

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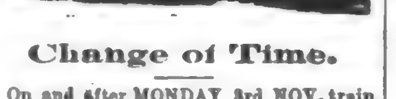

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Weston......8.05 a.m. 1.00 p.m. 5.30 p.m.
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Woodbridge...8.45 a.m. 1.50 p.m. 6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg.....9.05 a.m. 2.13 p.m. 6.24 p.m.
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Charleston..10.35 a.m. 3.50 p.m. 7.50 p.m.
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Arrive....11.10 a.m. 4.25 p.m. 8.20 p.m.
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Berkly...............2.35 p.m. 8.28 p.m.
Williamsford........2.50 p.m. 8.46 p.m.
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Chatsworth.........3.15 p.m. 9.16 p.m.
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The Steel rails are now laid to Markdale; barbed wire fences have been put up through the swamps and other places, where needed. The old wooden bridges are being replaced by stone and iron, the road has been straightend at the Humber and a splendid bridge has been erected over the river, the Station houses along the line are being repainted; and snow fences are in the course of construction wherever it is desined necessary to place them. The promises made some time since are being fully carried out, and there is every indication that by the 12th of November, when it is expected the gauge will be changed to the Standard of 4 feet 8½ inches, we will have one of the best roads in the Dominion. By the 14th everything will be in smooth running order, and the new powerful locomotives and other rolling stock, which has been constructed for the contemplated alteration of guage will be placed on the road.

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Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—In two of the recent issues of your paper, I took particular notice to Mr. Ward's attempt to refute Mr. Brown's claim to true apostolicity for the Presbyterian form of Church government.

In his first letters he asked Mr. B. to "account for the unusual predominance of Church government by Bishops, Priests, and Deacons during the first fifteen centuries of the Christain era."

Now, I deny the above assertion with regard the universality of Episcopacy during the whole of the period above stated. And I am prepared to prove from Scripture and history that during the first two centuries, at least, the government of the Church was Presbyterian.

The great outlines of Apostolic polity may be discovered in the Church of Jerusalem. We learn from the book of the Acts (Acts i, 4; viii, 1) that the Apostles remained a considerable time in the Holy City after the resurrection of our Lord; and it is plain that they stood meanwhile on a footing of perfect equality. They had already been rebuked for striving for who among them should be the greatest; (Luke 4, xxii) they had been told that one was their master even Christ; (Matt. xxiii, 10-12) and they had been taught to treat each other as brethren. If, according to a tradition resting apparently on a sound foundation, (Clem. *Strom*, 6, p. 742) they sojourned twelve years in Jerusalem after the effusion of the Spirit on the day of Pentecost, they must, all this time, as a common council, have ruled the Mother Church of Christendom. The community over which they presided consisted of many thousands of souls (Acts ii, 41; iv, 4); it must have formed several worshipping societies; and yet it presents no trace of Episcopacy. The Apostles—a united body incorporated by divine authority—constituted the primitive presbytery of Jerusalem. Their office, as described by themselves, and so far as the holy city was concerned, involved merely the performance of the ordinary duties of the pastorate; for they were to give themselves continually to prayer and to the ministry of the word (Acts iv, 4). They were assisted by a body of deacons whose business it was to relieve them from secular anxieties by taking charge of the distribution of alms—the only monetary care with which the infant Church was encumbered.

The Apostles acted together then in the government of the Church of Jerusalem. They admitted converts to their society by baptism; they had one faith, known as the "Apostles' doctrine"; and they belonged to one brotherhood known as the "Apostles' fellowship" (Acts ii, 42). They *united* in the ordination of deacons, (Acts vi, 6) and did not appoint a Bishop to do so; and when they heard that the people of Samaria had also received the word of God, "they sent unto them Peter and John" (Acts viii, 14). Thus they were subject to one another, and in the administration of internal discipline as well as in the management of missions they ruled the Church conjointly. When about to leave Jerusalem they established there a body of elders to occupy their place and perform their functions (Acts xi, 30). These elders were recognized as members of their common council; and even when the question of the circumcision of the Gentiles was discussed "the Apostles and elders came together" for its consideration—they had a meeting of Presbyters (Acts xv, 6).

The other Christian fraternities throughout the Roman Empire had the same organization as the parent society. The Church of Antioch—perhaps only second to that of Jerusalem in numbers and influence—was under the care of "prophets and teachers" (Acts xiii, 1), who co-operated in its supervision. They were banded together in their ministry; and when Barnabas and Paul were to be set apart to the work of the missions, these prophets and teachers were associated in the act of ordination (Acts xiii, 3).

The Church of Ephesus—another of the most famous of the early Christian societies—was fashioned after the same model. It had its Bishops or Elders and its deacons—all chosen by popular election (1 Tim. i, 3; iii, 1-2; iii, 10; Acts xx, 17-28). Its Elders were required "to take heed to all the flock over which the Holy Ghost had made them bishops," and to guard particularly *against* the intrusions of false teachers (Acts xx, 28). Some of them only ruled, whilst others laboured in word and doctrine (1 Tim. v, 17). These elders were the only governors of the Church in Ephesus; and Paul in his farewell address to them ignores the existence of any ecclesiastical superior. He assumes that they possessed the power of self government, and that they were *officially* responsible for each other's proceedings.

Throughout the whole of the Apostolic age the churches remained under the same form of polity. The first Epistle of Peter was written at an advanced period of the reign of Nero; and the brethren scattered throughout Pontus, Galatia, Cappadocia, Asia, and Bithynia, to whom it was sent, were *their* associates under presbyterial government. The Apostle then speaks to his fellow rulers as one of themselves—not in the language of command, but in the humblest tones of exhortation. "The elders which are among you," says he, "I exhort, who am also an elder, * * * * feed the flock of God which is among you, taking the oversight thereof, not by constraint but willingly, not for filthy lucre but of a ready mind; neither as being lords over God's heritage, but being en samples tot he flock (1 Peter v, 1 3).

And besides the above proofs from the writings of the Apostles, we learn from a letter written about A.D. 96, in the name of the Church of Rome to the Church of Corinth, that the same ecclesiastical regimen was then the order of the West. The Epistle rebukes the Corinthians for their quarrels, and exhorts them to submit to the rules of their presbyters or elders; but it never even hints that they were amenable to any authority. We infer from this ancient memorial that presbyterial government existed as well in Rome as in Corinth (Clement of Rome epistle 1st).

Again the Epistle of Polycarp to the Philippians, written about the middle of the second century bears testimony to the continuance of the same polity; for at that, the Churches of Smyrna and Philippi were unquestionably by their presbyteries.

The space at my disposal will only permit me simply to mention some of the many other early writers, who bear testimony to the universal predominance of presbyterial government of the Christian era.

See—Hieronymus epistle 82, (al. 83, 1); Augustine, epistle 82, ad Heiron, c. 33; Chrysostomi Hom. 1st. in epistle ad Philipp; Theodoret comm. in Philippi 1st and 1st, &c., &c.

Mr. Ward's first letter can not be answered unless some reason is assigned for the almost universal prevalence of episcopacy from the close of the second to the beginning of the fifteenth century.

The origin of it is thus narrated by one of the most erudite of the ancient Fathers: "Before that, by the prompting of the devil, there were *parties in religion* * * * * * the Churches were governed by the common council of the presbyters. But after that each one began to reckon those whom he baptized as belonging to himself and not to Christ *it was decreed throughout the wholeworld that one elected from the presbyters should be set over the rest* * * * * * that the seeds of schisms might be destroyed" (Jerome, comment in Titum). This, of course, has particular reference to the Hierarchy, which owed its establishment to the principle of the new polity, when carried out to its legitimate consequences; for if it was necessary to set up a bishop to prevent a schism among the presbyters, it was [illegible] tionary to serve as a bond of union among the bishops.

The establishment of Episcopacy was due, not only to the desire of securing greater unity, and thus preventing schisms, but also to the princes of the Gentiles exercising lordship over God's heritage. No sooner had the men of ability and influence in connection with the Roman Empire, acquired prominent positions in the church, than they employed her for political ends, and moulded her government to suit their own tyrannica designs (see Cyprian, epistle 55, ed Baluz).

Episcopacy was always an auxiliary to tyrannical kings and princes. The Church of England would now be Presbyterian had it not been for the princes of the gentiles exercising lordship over God's heritage. "King James the First said at Hampton Court Conference, "ye are aiming at a Scot's Presbytery, which agrees with monarchy and well as God and the devil." By monarchy James doubtless meant his own will which was tyranny * * * * * 'The doctrine—that is the doctrine of the Presbyterians—said Charles I, 'is anti-monarchical. I will say,' he continued, 'that there was not a wiser man since Solomon than he who said 'no bishop, no King.' It was doubtless a wise saying.

The first principle of Presbyterianism is the rights of the people. In whom does church power rest, in the people, or in the clergy? When this question is settled we decide the civil liberty of the nation. If we decide that the power rests in the clergy, then we establish a principle which by an inevitable analogy associates itself with the principle that the civil power rests in Kings and nobles."

It is very strange that any man of intelligence would say that "every person who knows anything of Church history knows that the Presbyterian form of Church government was unknown to the world until the sixteenth century."

Now, does Dean Stanley know anything of Church history? Read his address to the Student of St. Andrew's University, and see what he says about Presbyterianism. Does Lightfoot know anything of Church history? Read his works, 3, 2 4 2 and 9 179. And we find that be bears testimony to the Apostolicity of Presbyterianism.

Your's truly,
JOHN CHISHOLM.

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PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

Mr. Samuels delivered a lecture in the school house last night on the benefits of an A. O. U. W. Society. He purposes instituting a Lodge here on Monday, 17th inst., having received the necessary number of members.

The sacrement was dispensed in the Presbyterian Church on Sabbath last, the 9th inst. A large number attended, and both churches were filled.—Rev. Mr. McLeod officiated in Knox Church, and Rev. Mr. McLennan in St. Andrews.

A couple of cases of typhoid fever in the Village. Dr. Bennet has placed the patients beyond danger.

Mr. James McDougall, who has had a very successful summer in the cattle trade, purposes going up the lakes to engage in the fur trade. Success, my boy.

Mr. John McRae is about renting his shop and property, with the intention of going to Wiarton, where he intends starting a livery stable.

Our teachers have been attending the Teachers Association at Durham on Thursday and Friday last.

George Ferguson, the smiling clerk of Ghent's establishment, is going to Maxwell. A nice day, George.

Big barn raising at Webster's last week. J. McDougall and George Tryon, Captains. Jim expended a large amount of gas, but succeeded in leading his men on to victory. A magnificent spread was provided by Mrs. W. and a very pleasant evening spent.

Paralysis has entirely disappeared.

[This should have appeared last week, but a rrived too late.]

OSPREY SHOW.

THE MOST SUCCESSFUL SHOW EVER HELD IN THE TOWNSHIP.

On Tuesday Oct. 11th the Osprey Agricultural Exhibition, was held at the village of McIntyre. The day was bright and clear, but the cold wind rendered the use of overcoats and heavy clothing a necessity as well as a comfort. It did not however prevent the farmers and their families, of this, as well as of the neighbouring townships, from coming in large numbers.

The varied departments were well filled, and with respect to quality the entries in each were uniformally good.

The roots shown were of a good size especially in carrots and turnips. Some good specimen of beets and other roots were also exhibited.

The exhibit of vegetables was very fine, the pumpkins and squashes especially attracting attention, while the exhibits of potatoes also merited attention.

There was but a small display of agricultural implements. In carriage Messers McKenzie and McKinnon of Meaford were the chief exhibitors and showed very fine double and single buggies, and of course carried off the first prize as usual.

The show of horses was superior to any ever exhibited in this section of the country being far ahead of the county fair in this respect, and would do credit to a Provincial or Dominion Exhibition.

The Fine arts department was hardly up to the mark although some fine specimens were shown.

The Butter exhibited was both large and excellant. In tub, rolls, and crocks, the several samples were so uniformally good that to a casual observer the difficulty in judging was clearly apparent. But after mature deliberation, the first prize was awarded, as many expected to Mrs. A. McIntyre the wife of our Deputy Reeve.

The sellection of the village of McIntyre as the place in which to hold the annual fair reflects great credit on the officers and directors of the society not only for accommodation in Mr. McLean's new hall, ample in the extreme for exhibitors to display their entries, but the manner in which things were conducted in and around the Hotel demanded the approval of all visitors. Notwithstanding the large atteudance none were seen during the whole day or night in a state of intoxication and the table furished by Mrs. McLean, was such as would reflect credit on any of our first class ity hotels.—COM.

EAST GREY FALL SHOW.

The annual Fall Show of the union Agricultural Society of East Grey and Artemesia, took place at Flesherton, on the 6th and 7th of this month. The first day was taken up in arranging things in the Hall, and judging of the same. The dawn of the second day opened with bad prospects for the success of the show, but the rain held off, and the day turned out favorably, consequently there was a large attendance, some 3,000 entering the gates. On the whole the show was a decided success.

There was a large exhibit of horses, and the judges had some difficulty in giving their decision in consequence of the superior quality of the animals shown.

CATTLE.—There were very few thoroughbreds, but in grades there was a good exhibit, and showed a great improvement on former years.

In sheep, the show was good, and the quality was fair.

The show of pigs was small, and not up to that of former years.

In carriages, the exhibit was large, and very creditable to the exhibitors. Very few agricultural implements were exhibited.

The roots and vegetables were ahead of anything shown in former years in fact this class was immense, both in quantity and quality.

The fruit crop being below the average this year the exhibit was not up to what has been usually shown, however what was shown was of good quality.

There was a large show of grain, and it was A 1. The grain this year (and we have visited most of the exhibitions) is above the average, both as to quantity and quality.

The display of flowers was good.

The Ladies work was well up to the mark.

Mr. Wm. Bulmer had a fine display of photographs.

The exhibit of fowls was scarcely up to former years. By the kindness of the Secretary we are enable to give below the,

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES, Agricultural.—Span horses, W. Nichol, 2d Alex. Mercer, 3d S. Stokes. Roadsters, J. & W. H. Johnson, 3d A. S. Vandusen. Carriage horses, W. Wilson, 2d T. Kells, 3d R. Lever. Buggy horse, T. Tuck, 2d A. Munshaw, 3d J. & W. H. Johnson. Saddle horse, R. Davis, 2d R. Y. Burke Brood mare, T. Tuck, 2d G. Glazier, 3d J. & W. H. Johnson. Draught—Two year old colt or filly, G. Campbell, S. Stokes, J. Bowland. One year colt or filly, A. ...ercer, 2d J. Farris, 3d D. Stinson. General Purposes.—Two year old colt or filly, J. Ford, 2d and 3d J. & W. H. Johnston. 1 year old colt or filly, A. Mercer. 2d J. O'Brien, 3d Geo. Glazier. Spring foal, D. Campbell, 2d Geo. Glazier, J. W. Bates. Special prize by J. R Trimble, (Clear Grit Colts), T. Tuck, 2d J. & W. H. Johnson, 3d Ed. Rutledge, Stallion (draught) three years old and over, H. King. Stallion (roadster) three years old and over, J. R. Trimble, 2d A. Hannah. Stallion (Agricultural purposes) three years old and over, J. R. Trimble. Stallion (Blood), A. Hannah, 2d D. Madill.

CATTLE, Durhams.—Cow, J. R. Trimble, 2d R. Lever. Bull, aged, G. Richardson, G. Thompson. One year old bull, R. Black. Bull calf, R. Lever. Heifer Calf, R. Black. Grades,—Cow, R. Walker, 2d A. White. Two yr. old Heifer, A. Munshaw, 2nd A. White, 1 yr. old Heifer, A. White, 2nd R. Black. Heifer Calf, G. Richardson, 2nd J. Stuart. Working Cattle, D. Stinson, 2nd J. Ford. 3 yr. Steers, H. Holman. 2 yr. old Steers, R. Black, 2nd Ed. Rutledge. 1 yr. old Sters, T. Kells.

SHEEP, Leicester or Lincoln—Aged Ram, W. Fawcett, 2nd J. Stuart. Shearling Ram, E. Shaw, 2nd W. Fawcett. Ram Lamb, E. Shaw, 2nd do., 3rd W. Fawcett. Pr. Aged Ewes, E. Shaw, 2nd W. Fawcett, 3rd do. Shearling Ewes, E. Shaw, 2nd do., 3rd W. Fawcett. Shearling Lambs, E. Shaw, 2nd W. Fawcett, 3rd do. Cotswold—Shearling Ram, J. McMorris, 2nd R. Oliver. Ram Lamb, W. Fawcett, 2nd J. McMorris. Aged Ewes, W. Fawcet t, 2nd J. McMorris. 3rd W. Nicol. Shearling Ewes, J. McMorris, 2nd do., 3rd Geo. Buskin, Ewe Lamb, J. McMorris.

SWINE, Berkshire or other Black Breeds—Aged Boar, Jno, Johnston, 2nd W. Brewster. Boar pig of 1881, W. Fawcett, 2nd J. & W. H. Johnson. Aged Sow, R. Oliver, 2nd W. Brewster. Sow pig of 1881, W. Brewster, 2nd R. Y. Burke. Suffolk—Aged Boar, E. Shaw. Boar pig of 1881, E. Shaw, 2nd D. Stinson. Aged Sow, R. Lever. Sow pig of 1881, E. Shaw 2nd D. Stinson.

POULTRY, Brahmas, Haskett Bros., 2nd J. Hickling. Leghorns, W. Barnhouse, 2nd do. Polands, Haskett Bros. Hamburgs, R. Lever, 2nd J. Brodie. Spanish, Haskett Bros., 2nd do. Game, Haskett Bros., 2nd A. Hannah. Aylesbury Ducks, W. Burnett, 2nd W. J. Cooey. Other Ducks, D. Campbell, 2nd J. Brodie. Turkeys, J. Hickling, 2nd Stokes. Geese, D. Stinson, 2nd J. Green.

WHEAT—White Fall, R. Ruthvan. Clawson, W. Fawcett. 2nd R. Black, 3rd R. Ruthvan. Treadwell, J. Cameron, 2nd J. Green. Other Variety, J. Green, 2nd R. Ruthvan, 3rd John Beecroft. Genesee, J. Cameron, 2nd N. Clarke, J. McGirr. Glasgow, D. Stinson, 2nd Marquis, 3rd J. Cameron. Russian, J. Brodie, 2nd J. McGirr, 3rd N. Clarke. Other Variety, J. Brodie, J. Marquis, N. Clarke. Barley, N. Clarke, 2nd J. Brodie, 3rd T. Kells. White Oats, N. Clarke, 2nd J. Cameron, 3rd W. Burnett. Black Oats, D. Stinson. 2nd N. Clarke, 3rd Jno. Beecroft. Small Peas, A. Carr, J. Brodie, 3rd J. Cameron. Large Peas, J. Brodie, 2nd J. R. Anderson. Indian Corn, yellow, M. Powers, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Indian Corn, white, J. G. Perry. Collection of Beans, J. Brodie, 2nd C. Bellamy, 3rd R. Lever. Timothy Seed, N. Clarke, 2nd Jas. Brodie. Cup Potatoes, E. Rutledge, 2nd C. Bellamy, 3rd J. Abbott. Early Rose, T. Kells, 2nd J. Thompson, 3rd C. Bellamy. Other varieties, J. Thompson, 2nd J. H. Heard, 3rd R. Lever. Collection of Potatoes, J. Brodie, 2d R. Lever, 3rd J. Farris. Globe Mangolds, J. Thompson, 2nd H. Mathewson. Long Mangolds, J. Thompson, 2nd A. Munshaw. Swede Turnips, R. Black, 2nd J. G. Perry. Other Field Turnips, T. Campbell, 2nd John Johnston. Table Turnips, J. Milinor. Long Blood Beets, R. H. Stinson, 2nd Jas. Farris. Other variety Beets, W. Bulmer, 2nd S. Damude. Field Carrots, A. Munshaw, 2nd R. McGruther. Early Horn Carrots, R. McGruther, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Parsnips, J. Thompson, 2nd W. Bulmer. Onions, from black seed, J. Hickling, 2nd R. Y. Burk. Potato Onions, A. Carr, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Win'stadt Cabbage, J. Thompson, 2nd H. Mathewson. Drumhead Cabbage, J. Thompson, 2nd H. Mathewson. Other variety, H. Mathewson, J. Hickling. Cauliflowers, J. Thompson, 2nd H. Mathewson. White Celery, James Thompson; 2nd James Farris. Celery, red, J. Thompson, 2nd W. Bulmer. Pumpkins, M. Powers, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Squashes, H. Matheson, 2nd J. Thompson. Citrons, J. Thompson, 2nd J. Hickling. Tomatoes, H. J. Middaugh, 2nd J. I. Graham. Watermelon, J. G. Perry, 2nd C. Bellamy.

FRUIT.—Crab Apples, J. Abbott, 2nd R. Plant. Fall Apples, 3 varieties, J. Marquis, 2nd J. McGirr. Winter Apples, 3 varieties, R. H. Stinson, 2nd J. Cameron. Fall Apples 1 variety, T. Kells, 2nd J. G. Perry. Winter Apples, 1 variety, Wm. McMullen, 2nd Geo. Thompson. Fall Pears, R. H. Stinson, 2nd T. Kells. Winter Pears, Dr. McGregor, 2nd J. McGirr. Plums, blue or red, J. McGirr, 2nd J. Brodie. Plums, yellow or green, J. I. Graham, 2nd R. Whittaker. Grapes, J. I. Grahom, 2nd Dr. McGregor.

DAIRY.—5 lbs Butter, J. Abbott, 2nd J. Cameron, 3rd W. McMullen, 4th J. Beecroft. 50 lbs. Butter, J. & W. H. Johnston, 2nd G. Buskin, 3rd W. McMullen, 4th R. Farris. Special by J. W. Bates, Wm. Brewster. Cheese G. Buskin, 2nd J. Milinor, 3rd R. Black.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.—Reaper, Toronto Mower & Reaper Company, (W. Strain, agent). Mower, do. Plough, George Wilkerson, (W. Strain, agent). Lumber Waggon, R. H. Stinson, 2nd J. H. Heard. Democrat, G. Cruickshank, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Open Buggy, J. & J. Brown, 2nd T. Swan. Single Cutter, J. Johnstone, 2nd McKenna & Mason. Double do., T. Wilson, 2nd T. Swan. Gent's Stoga Boots, W. Barnhouse. Ladies' boots, do. Bedstead, H. Hooper. Bureau, H. Hooper. Chairs, J. W. Bates, 2nd H. Hooper. Centre Table, J. W. Bates.

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A letter from "M.," one from Mr. Brown, Melancthon Prize List, and several other articles crowded out.

BIRTHS.

TEEPLE—In Dundalk, on Sept. 8th, the wife of F. F. Teeple of a daughter.

DIED.

BANKS—In Glenelg, on the 6th inst., Jane, beloved wife of Mr. Wellington Banks, aged 24 years.

JACKSON—In Glenelg, on the 8th inst., at the residence of his son, John Jackson, aged 82 years.

Teacher Wanted.

FOR School Section No. 6, Artemesia, male or female, holding second or third class certificate, duties to commence on the 1st January, 1881. Apply to the undersigned, stating salary.
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IN A. McINTYRE'S STOLE, A PROMISSORY Note for Six Dollars, signed by A. H. Todd. The owner can have it by calling at this office, proving ownership, and paying for this advertisement.
C. W. BUTLEDGE.
Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1881. 3t

ESTRAY HORSE.

CAME into the premises of the subscriber, lot 5, con. 6, Glenelg, on or about the 25th of September last, an aged horse, with star on forehead, two white hind feet, and shoes on front feet. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.
JAMES WELSH, Priceville P. O.
Oct. 18th, 1881. 3t.

LOST.

A Note of hand, for $100, made in January, 1880, and payable to J. M. Bonnell, on 1st of January, 1881. Made by John Rowe, Vandeleur. Endorsements to the amount of $75.00 on the note. All persons are hereby notified against purchasing said note as I have not received value for it.
J. M. BONNELL.
58-3t. Walters Falls.

NOTICE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD

SIR,—Through the columns of your valuable paper I wish to correct a mistake which I see in the posters announcing the sale of the McFarland and Campbell Grist Mill property, at Markdale, on 22nd of October. On the 8th of April last, Ritchie obtained a decree from the Court of Chancery against the said Mill Property, and sale was ordered. Ritchie is plaintiff in the case, and not McFarland as the sale notice would now lead the public to believe. Said decree is for a part of the purchase money still due to Ritchie.
WM. P. RITCHIE.
Markdale, Oct. 12th, 1881. 58-3t

WILSON & BRYDEN,

BUTCHERS,

Beg to announce to the public that they are prepared to deliver meat to any part of the town. We have

FOR THE ENGLISH!

FOR THE IRISH, AND

FOR THE SCOTCH.

Those who have no nationality we will supply with

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Markdale, Sept 29th, 1881. ly

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Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

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Has the Largest and Best Assorted Stock in Town, consisting of

Dry Goods, Ready Made Clothing, Millinery, Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Boots and Shoes

AT LOWEST PRICES.

Cash for Grain. 5,000 Bushels Potatoes Wanted.

GEORGE NIXON.

DUNDALK, Sept. 2, 1881. 1y

The Glasgow House

THE LEADING HOUSE IN PRICES

VISIT IT. IT WILL PAY YOU

I HAVE PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING THAT MY

FALL & WINTER STOCK

Will be completed in about two weeks, and will be prepared to show special ...

Millinery, Mantles, Staple and Fancy Dry Goods

Consisting of Grey Cottons, White Cottons, Shirtings, Flannels, Table Cloths, ... —plain and fancy—Dress Goods, Black Lustres, Colored Lustres, Cashmeres, ... tains—a very fine ... Black Silks and Satins, ... Gloves, Kid Gloves all shades and sizes, Mantle Cloths.

TWEEDS—extra good value. MEN'S FELT HATS in all the ... A large assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES.

GROCERIES!

Always carefully selected, fresh, choice and cheap. TEAS a specialty. ... having been purchased for cash from the best houses. I defy competition.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

under the supervision of a first-class milliner, will open with a magnificent ... newest styles from Paris and London.

All kinds of farm produce taken in exchange for goods, for which the highest price will be paid. Cash paid for Grain.

WM. NELSON.

Dundalk, Sept. 1st, 1881. 1-ly. GLASGOW ...

GET YOUR

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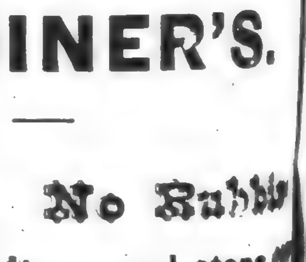

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CARDINER'S.

No Brush! No Rubbing

Shines as you put it on, and stops when you put it.

DUNDALK.

DUNDALK, Oct. 21, 1881. 1y

SEE, SEE,

THE BEE HIVE

LOOK here, John, my dear, we'll deal at TAYLOR'S from this out. I was there yesterday ... and you can get better value for your money than at any other place in Dundalk. I tell you it is a square place to deal.

TEA, SUGARS, —AND— GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.

HATS & CAPS, Women's Coats, DRESS GOODS, &c., &c.

R. M. CLOTHING Ready made and Ordered, TWEEDS AND WORSTEDS.

BOOTS & SHOES

At Rock Bottom Prices.

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

R. F. TAYLOR.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881.

THE STANDARD.

Friday October 21th, 1881.

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In the month of October Typhoid Bilious, Malarial Fevers are very prevalent. For a shure preventative take, according to directions, DR CARSON'S STOMACH BITTERS. They purify the System and cool the Blood.

They are used to great advantage in Fever and Ague districts. In large 8 oz. bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co, special agent for Markdale.

CALEDON EAST.—Miss Susanna Pearen, daughter of Mr. Henry Pearen of this place calmly breathed her last on the 6th inst., at the age of 26 years Consumption was the death agent in this case. She was perfectly resigned to her fate and exhibited a wonderful trust in her Savior.

We clip the above from the *Orangeville Advertiser*. Miss Pearen made many warm friends while in Markdale two years ago, who will learn with regret the premature death of her, who lived a true Christian.

Symptons of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, a dull heavy feeling in the Stomach with a frequent disposition to vomit, Heartburn, Loss of Mental and Physical Force, DR. CARSON'S STOMACH AND CONSTIPATION BITTERS is *the certain Remedy* for this distressing complaint. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER &Co., special agents for Markdale.

FISH AND GAME PROTECTION.—A meeting was held at the Coulson House Owen Sound, on the 14th inst., with a view of organizing a Fish and Game Protective Association. Judge Macpherson in the chair, After a few preliminary remarks from Mr. Masson the business of the evening was proceeded with, when the following officers and directors were appointed to hold office until the annuel meeting, to be held in January during the season of the County Council:—President, Judge Macpherson; Vice-Presidents, James H. Hunter, Dr. McGacgor and Captain Rorke; Secretary-Treasurer, John P. Telford. Committee of Management—Mr. Masson, Mr. Edgar, Col, Brodie, Capt. Telford and Dr. Manely. The membership fee of the association has been fixed at $1.00, and any person interested in the protection of fish and game may become a member by remitting to the Secretary-Treasurer the above sum. It is the intention of the association to form Branch Societies in all the Townships, and to appoint and liberally pay a good and efficient officer in each locality to look after the interests of the association. The immediate object of the association is the protection of salmon trout during the close season from the first till the tenth of November, and it is the intention of the association to enforce the law, without respect to persons.

GLENELG FALL SHOW

We this week give the names of the Judges in the various departments which, from an oversight, was omitted last week.

Horses, Cattle, Poultry—Robt My'es, George Anderson, Francis Burton.

Sheep, Pigs and Manufacture—Wm. Burnett, Richard Scott, D. R. Ellis.

Dairy, Grain, Roots and Fruit,—G. S. Bowes, A. C. Patterson, W. Fawcett.

Ladies Work.—Mrs. Thos. Kells, Mrs. Jas. Struthers, Mrs John Whitby.

HONOR ROLL, Maxwell Public School Sept. 1881, in order of merit.—Fourth Class—Ella Kerr, Geo, Heron, Elizabeth Hayes, Sen. 3rd Class—R. Preston, Alice Nicholson, Edgar Brownridge. Jun. 3rd Class—Annie Heron, Eddie Tuck, Cyrus Brownridge, Annie Fyke, Arthur Brownridge. Sen. 2nd Class—Geo. Menzie, Stephen Preston, Annie Schmamon. Jun. 2nd Class—Albert McCallum, Walter McCallum, Calista Preston, Robert Heron. Sen. 1st Class—Frank Tuck, Samuel Beatty, Annie Minzie. Jun. 1st Class—Charley Heron, Willie Harrison, A. Ferr, Lizzie Silley, Charles Schmamon.

OPENING OF THE S. & H. RAILWAY TO CHESLEY.

On Friday the Village of Chesley looked its best on the occasion of the formal opening of that section of the Stratford and Huron Railway just completed between Listowel and Chesley. Two excursion trains in the morning from Stratford carried numerous visitors from that and other points along the line, together with the officials of the road, to the place of celebration. The Walkerton Brass Band also accompanied the excursionists and furnished the music during the afternoon. On arrival there the guests were entertained at dinner by the corporation of the village. Some speeches were made by prominent gentlemen present, J. H. Hunter Esq. M. P. P., South Grey, and Dr. Landerkin, of Hanover, ex M. P., and a very plesant day's outing enjoyed. The road was found to be in good condition, and the visitors returned by special train in the evening. From Listowel, passing Palmerston and north to Harriston, the newely-opened road runs almost parallel with the Wellington, Grey, and Bruce Railway This portion of the country is well known. After passing Harriston, the line runs almost due north to Chesley through a splendid agricultural country composed of a portion of the township of Minto and the townships of Normanby, Bentinck, Brant, and Eldershe. This is a very important section of the road, for it runs through an extremely fine tract of agricultural country, and will offer facilities to residents and easy and cheapened access to the markets to which their products naturally tend. At Chesley there is a very fine iron bridge, about 60 feet high and nearly 400 feet long but it appears to be rather on the light side considering the nature of the traffic over it. Beyond Chesley the road is graded right through to Wiarton, the terminus, on Georgian Bay, and a gang of about 350 men are at present engaged in track laying, so that it is probable, if the weather continues favorable, that the whole road will be completed before the winter sets in. This will be the consumation of the old project of uniting Georgian Bay and Lake Erie by rail. The road will then be 166 miles in length.—*Grey Review*.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 14th 1881.

Flour	6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.25	to	1.27
Fall do. do. do.	1.25	to	1.27
Barley	1.50	"	[illegible]
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.66	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.21	"	0.40
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese. per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50		1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

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Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.26
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.26
Barley	0.60	"	0.75
Oats	0.32	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	[illegible]	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.25	to	$1.26
" " " 2	1.20	to	1.25
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.22	to	1.27
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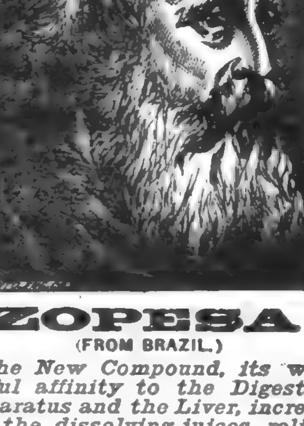
Oats " 1	.36	to	.37
Butter " 1	.20	to	.21
Eggs	.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 32	to	$1 35
Wheat, spring, do.	1 36	to	1 41
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 90
Oats, do.	0 42	to	0 41
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 82
Rye, do.	0 95	to	0 98
Clover Seed do.	o 00	to	o 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	7 50	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 50	to	8 00
Beef, fore quarters	5 00	to	5 60
Chickens, per pair	o 30	to	0 35
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 18	to	0 20
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	1000	to	1o 50



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(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

W. H. Steinhoff,

HOUSE, SIGN, & CARRIAGE PAINTER. Contracts taken in town or country.

Dundalk, Oct. 12, 1881. 7ly

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REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

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ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

29 1y 42 Cedar st. New York

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 90-1y

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-1y

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Has now on hand a full stock of COFFINS of all sizes and prices. Shrouds, Gloves, Crape, and Coffin Trimmings, constantly kept on hand for sale. Also a full stock of

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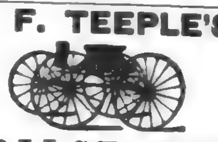

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Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

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AT SIX 6 PER CENT.

STRAIGHT LOANS, on Freehold property. Private Funds.

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Markdale, June 2nd, 1881. 38-3m.

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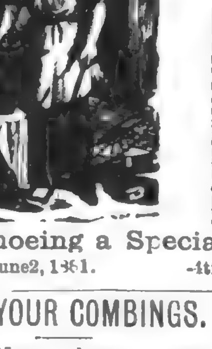

Genearl Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 1881. -4tf

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mark and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Orders by Mail promptly attended to.

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

Span of Mares Stolen.

ONE dark brown, with strip of white down the face—larger towards the nose; two white hind legs; carries head high when driving, and keeps tongue out: will not allow a stranger to groom her without kicking. The other light bay, small size, hollow back, low set, has a small swelling on front of hind leg—is peevish with strangers, and offers to bite any one who attempts to put their hand on her. The above were stolen from the stable of Mrs. Wilson, Lot. 19, con. 5, Albion, on the night of the 25th September, by one Wm. Wilson, of Bolton; about 20 years of age; slim-built; round shouldered; bare spot on head behind right ear; dark complexion. $20 reward will be given to any person who will give such information as will lead to the recovery of the horses or the arrest of the thief.

MRS. WILSON.

Albion, Oct. 10th, 1881. 57-7-3t*

FARM FOR SALE.

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range east of T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, containing 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation. Soil, Caly-Loam, free from stone, well fenced, and well watered. A new frame house, and a good frame barn on the premises. Forty acres of good hardwood bush. This desirable property is situated 4 miles from Markdale, and will be sold on easy terms. Price, $2,500. For particulars, apply on the premises to

J. T. & J. QUINN.

Markdale, Sept. 22. 1881. 54-6tn

STRAYED

FROM the premises of the subscriber, lot 82, con. 2 E. T. & S. R., Holland, about the month of June, eight head of cattle—7 yearlings and one 2 year old heifer, nearly white. 1 white heifer, 1 heifer very light color with a little red on neck and head, 2 steers red, 1 brindled, 1 spotted, and one dark brown or slightly brindled. Any information that will lead to the recovery of the above will be thankfully received.

FRANCIS BURTON,
55 3t* Markdale P. O.

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barm and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS,
On the premises.
or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

Farm for Sale.

LOT No. 9, Concession 10, Glenelg, containing 100 acres—80 of which is cleared and under cultivation, the balance well timbered, chiefly hardwood. On the premises is a barn 60x24, a house and outbuildings, and a young orchard, is well watered and well fenced with cedar rails. It is situated 5½ miles from the thriving village of Markdale. Title good; possession given at once. Will be sold at a sacrifice, as the proprietor is going West. Apply to

JOHN BLACK, Traverston P.O.
or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

September 2nd, 1881. 51-8t*

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham st., N. Y.

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

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Harness Shop!

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has constantly on hand a large assortment of

CARRIGE, BUGGY AND TEAM HARNESS.

Made in good style and of the

THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

And as he means business give him an ear call, as he will sell at the lowest living price for cash. A good supply of

WHIPS, TRUNKS, &c.,

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞ Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite, N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

I. GORDON.

Flesherton. March. 1881. 16

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

Svdenham Street,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m

MARKDALE

CARRIAGE WORKS!

McKENNA & MASON

HAVING leased the Waggon and Blacksmith Shop owned by John Benson, beg to inform the Public, that that they are prepared to furnish all kinds of Vehicles, such as

BUGGIES,
DEMOCRATS,
WAGGONS, ETC.,
AND

AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES,

And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage, Special attention given to

HORSE SHOEING
AND

General Jobbing!

As we warant all our work. A call is solicited and we guarantee satisfaction.

Shop on Mill street, opposite the Revere Hotel

Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25 3m.

D. J. SHANAHAN'S

WAGON and

Carriage Works,

Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

CARRIAGES,
SPRING WAGGONS,
LUMBER WAGGONS, &c.

Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting and trimming neatly and promptly executed, We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

Our aim is to give the best value for the past money, thus securing a repetition of our esteemed orders and the benefit of your ofluence among your friens.

Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-3m

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here,

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber in returning thanks to their numerous customers wish to intimate that they have

A LARGE STOCK OF LEATHER!

of all kinds from cowhide to the finest Morocco on hand, suitable for the Fall trade, and customers will find it to their advantage to give us a call. We have no specialty, all kinds will receive the same attention.

P. S.—All parties having got boots from us during the Summer season, not giving satisfaction, will get them repaired free of charge, as it was the fault of a bad, unprincipalled young man we had working with us during that time.

KAY & THOMAS.

Markdale, Aug. 18th, 1881. 49-tf.

Ayer's *Hair Vigor,*

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

IT is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

The VIGOR cleanses the scalp, cures and prevents the formation of dandruff; and, by its cooling, stimulating, and soothing properties, it heals most if not all of the humors and diseases peculiar to the scalp, keeping it cool, clean, and soft, under which conditions diseases of the scalp and hair are impossible.

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The VIGOR is incomparable. It is colorless, contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil white cambric. It imparts an agreeable and lasting perfume, and as an article for the toilet it is economical and unsurpassed in its excellence.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Respectfully yours,
JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

HOP BITTERS.

(A Medicine, not a Drink,)

CONTAINS

HOPS, BUCHU, MANDRAKE, DANDELION.

AND THE PUREST AND BEST MEDICAL QUALITIES OF ALL OTHER BITTERS.

THEY CURE

All Diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Kidneys, and Urinary Organs, Nervousness, Sleeplessness and especially Female Complaints.

$1000 IN GOLD.

Will be paid for a case they will not cure or help, or for anything impure or injurious found in them.

Ask your druggist for Hop Bitters and try them before you sleep. Take no Other.

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All above sold by druggists.
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STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, lot 6, con. 4, Euphrasia, about the 10th September, two Ewes and one Lamb. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take them away.

D. R. ELLIS.

Euphrasia, Oct. 10th, 1881. 57-3m

Teacher Wanted.

FOR School Section No. 4, Glenelg, male or female, (male preferred). Applicants by mail will please state salary. Duties to commence the 1st January, 1882.

THOS. TOWNSEND, Sec.-Treas.,
57-7-3t. Glascott P. O.

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JONATHAN GILLIES, - - - - PROPRIETOR.

This house, so long the especial favorite of the farming community, has been refitted and refurnished, and is now open for the reception of guests; is within easy reach of the Court House, and has the advantage of being free from the uncomfortable bustle of other portions of the town, being situate on Union Street, near Corbett's Foundry.

October 4th, 1881. 56-ly

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GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN Nursey Stock, Williamsford Station.

Sept. 17, 1880, 1

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WE have recently published a new edition of **Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay** on the radical and nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage etc., resulting from excesses.

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The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from thirty years' successful practice, that alarming consequences may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicines or the use of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

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TO BE

Issued about 27th Sept.

All parties wanting lands in the County of Grey should see this List. The largest list of lands for sale ever issued in this County. Those having lands to dispose of should send in the description of their properties for insertion, not later than Saturday, 24th inst.

ROBT. DAVIS,

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Purchasieg, you should always ascertain where you can purchase to the best advantage, that is get the best goods at the lowest price, and that place is

BUTTER & RAE'S

MARKDALE.

To All Whom It May Concern.

As the season has arrived when money is plentiful and we have no collector but the bailiff, we must have our accounts by the 10th of October.

August 9th, 1881. 1

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

GENERAL AGENCY.

DUNDALK. ONT.

MONEY. Farmers wishing to obtain money cannot do better than to call at the Farmers and Mechanics' Agency established in the town of Dundalk, where you can get MONEY at a reduced rate of interest on ☞ Terms to suit yourselves,—to pay off a previous mortgage, build a new house or barn, to clear more land, or to obtain a choice breed of cattle. ☞ Loans will be put through without loss of time, while the strictest privacy will be maintained in all transactions.

Good Mortgages Bought!

LANDS.—I beg to call the attention of those wishing to purchase land, as I have a large number of good and cheap **Farm Lots for sale.** ☞ Send address and get my catalogue and prices.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

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Dundalk September 1st, 1881. -ly.

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MARKDALE,

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THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* **The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains.** Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 10

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HORSES.—General Purpose. W. [illegible], 2d D. Dunn, 3d John Hender- [illegible] Carriage Horses. D. Dunn, 2d [illegible] Walker, 3d J. Laird. Brood Mare. [illegible] Robinson, 2d W. Henry, 3d W. [illegible] Two year old Gelding. Jno. [illegible] 2nd E. Watt, 3rd D. C. Tay- [illegible] Two year old Filly, S. Hannah, [illegible] John Kennedy. Yearling Colt, [illegible] Henry, 2d W. Robinson, 3d D. [illegible] Yearling Filly, Mat. Ramage, [illegible] Ramage, 3d James Mitchell. [illegible] Filly Foal, W. Robinson, 2d [illegible] 3d R. Campbell. Saddle [illegible] Kenzie, 2d Jas. Laird, 3d A.

[illegible] Two year old Bull, W. [illegible] 2d W. McLarty, 3d John [illegible] Yearling Bull, D. C. Taylor, [illegible] John Marquis. Bull Calf, P. [illegible] Working Oxen, W. Garbett, [illegible] James Laird, 3rd S. Hannah. [illegible] Steers, James Mitchell; [illegible] Ramage, 3d John Hendson. [illegible] Gideon Carrie, 2d Gideon [illegible] John Henderson. Two [illegible] Heifer, Gideon Carrie, 2d [illegible] Carrie, 3d A. Bannerman.— [illegible] Heifer, Gideon Carrie, 2d W. [illegible] 3d Abel Wright. Heifer Calf, [illegible] Carrie, 2d Gideon Carrie, 3rd [illegible]

[illegible] Ram (Leicester), W. Ho- [illegible] C. Taylor. Shearling Ewe, [illegible] Beattie, 2d John Henderson, [illegible] Ram Lamb, A. Hardy, [illegible] 2d W. Howey, 3d W. Howey. [illegible] raised lambs this [illegible] Howey, 2d A. Hardy, jr., [illegible] sr. Pair of Ewe Lambs [illegible] 2d W. Howey, 3rd James [illegible] Cotswold—Ram, Jas. Beat- [illegible] A. Hardie, jr., 3d R. Mitchell. [illegible] Lamb, A. Hardy, sr., 2d A. [illegible] John Henderson. Ram [illegible] John Henderson, 2d A. Hardy, [illegible] Hardy, sr. Pair of Ewes [illegible] raised lambs this season, A. [illegible] 2d A. Hardy, jr., 3d A. [illegible] Pair of Shearling Ewes, [illegible] sr., 2d A. Hardy, jr., 3d [illegible] Pair of Ewe Lambs, [illegible] 2d A. Hardy, jr., 3d A. [illegible]

[illegible] (Berkshire)—Boar Pig of [illegible] D. Dunn, 2d R. Mitchell, [illegible] Sow of this year, W. [illegible] 2d R. Mitchell, 3d W. Baird. [illegible] Robt. Mitchell, 2d W. Ho- [illegible] Howey. Aged Boar, D. [illegible] Boar Pig of 1881— [illegible] 2nd P. Kelly. Sow, J. [illegible] Sow Pig of 1881, J. R. [illegible] P. Kelly.

[illegible] Pair Turkeys, A. Mor- [illegible] Dr. McGregor, 2d [illegible] Geese, W. Foster, 2d [illegible] Pair Ducks, A. Hardy, [illegible]

[illegible] Lumber Waggon,— [illegible] 2d Joseph Duffy, [illegible] McFee & [illegible] A. McArthur, 2d [illegible] Harrow, A. [illegible] Duffey.

[illegible] Fall Wheat, [illegible] Deavitt 3rd Jno. [illegible] other variety of [illegible] Givins, 2d James [illegible] Carrie. White Rus- [illegible] Wheat, Jas Laird, [illegible] 3d John Marquis. [illegible] Spring Wheat, Gideon [illegible] Cameron, 3d John [illegible] other variety of Spring [illegible] Marquis, 2d James [illegible] Barley, oth- [illegible] P. Kelly, 2d Jas. [illegible] Carrie. Black [illegible] 2d Jas. Laird, [illegible] White Oats, Jno. [illegible] 2d John Nair, 3d A. Ban- [illegible] Fat Peas, John [illegible] 2d John Mannerow. Oth- [illegible] Peas, Gideon Carrie, 2d [illegible] 3d John Henderson. [illegible] John Vair, 2nd W. [illegible] Laird. Flour, W. [illegible] Beans, Abel Wright, [illegible]

[illegible] Potatoes, Jno Deavitt, [illegible] Cameron, 3d James Laird. [illegible] Potatoes, John Deavitt, [illegible] Lee, 3d S. Hannah. Col- [illegible] Potatoes, John Deavitt, 2d [illegible] Cameron, 3d P. Kelly. Swede [illegible] Gideon Carrie, 2d James [illegible] 3d E. Watt. Turnips, any- [illegible] Todd, 2d Gideon Carrie, [illegible] Howey.

[illegible]—Parsnips, John Vair, [illegible] Wright, 3d John Cameron. [illegible] John Vair, 2d R. McKis- [illegible] Kelly. Field Carrots, J. [illegible] 2d John Vair, 3d Francis [illegible] Early Horn Carrots, P. [illegible] 2d John Vair, 3d E. Watt. [illegible] W. Norton, 2d P. Kelly, [illegible] McGregor. Beets, Abel Wright, [illegible] F. Walker, 3d P. Kelly. Squash, [illegible] Lee, 2d P. Kelly, 3d Dr. Mc- [illegible] Cabbage, D. Rae, 2d S. Han- [illegible] 3d Thos. Troughton. Corn, A. [illegible] James Mitchell, 3d E. [illegible] Tomatoes, J. R. Todd, 2d W. [illegible] 3d J. R. Todd. Seed On- [illegible] J. R. Todd, 2d J. R. Todd, 3d [illegible] Laird. Potato Onions, Alex. [illegible] 2d W. Norton, 3d J. R. [illegible] Top Onions, Alex. Campbell, [illegible] James Laird, 3d John Henderson.

FRUIT.—Winter Apples, Jas. Beat- [illegible] 2d John Marquis, 3d A. Morrow. [illegible] Apples, John Marquis, 2nd Jas. [illegible] 3rd John Vair. Crab Apples, [illegible] McGregor, 2d Thos. Troughton. [illegible] of Apples, James Beattie, [illegible] John Marquis, 3d R. McKissock [illegible] Dr. McGregor, 2d A. Morrow, [illegible] J. R. Todd. Plums, W. Norton, [illegible] John Henderson, 3d John Came- [illegible]

DAIRY—Roll Butter, John Cameron, [illegible] W. Walker, 3d John Baird. Tub [illegible] W. Robinson, 2d George Lee, [illegible] A. Henry. Cheese, W. Norton, 2d [illegible] Henderson.

MANUFACTURES.—Set Double Har- [illegible] James Saunderson, 2d J. C. [illegible] Men's Fine Boots, James [illegible]

LADIES DEPARTMENT.—Fine Shirt, [illegible] Henderson, 2nd A. McArthur, [illegible] John Cameron. Patch Quilt, Jno [illegible] Henderson, 2d W. Garbett, [illegible] W. Norton. Quilt, any [illegible] P. Kelly, 2d John Cameron, 3d [illegible] White. Pair Mitts, John Came- [illegible] 2d John Henderson, 3d John [illegible] Henderson. Pair Socks, John Hen- [illegible] 2d John Cameron, 3d James [illegible] Mitchell. Best collection of Woollen [illegible] W. Shaw. Full Cloth, John [illegible] Laird, 3d W. [illegible] John Henderson. [illegible] Blankets, James [illegible] W. Howey, 3d John Came- [illegible] Crochet Work, James Beattie, 2d R. McBride, 3rd James Mitchell. Berlin Wool Work, Alexander McArthur, 2d Arch. Campbell, 3d W. H. Heberden. Rag Mat, A. McArthur, 2d R. McBride. Lace Work, James Mitchell, 2d Arch Campbell, 3d W. H. Heberden. Bread, W. Walker, 2d D. Rae, 3d John Henderson.—*O. S. Times.*

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A WISE DEACON.—Deacon Wilder, I want you to tell me how you kept yourself and family well the past season, when all the rest of us have been sick so much, and have had the doctors visiting us so often."

"Bro. Taylor, the answer is very easy, I used Hop Bitters in time; kept my family well and saved the doctor bills. Three dollars worth of it kept us well and able to work all the time. I'll warrant you it has cost you and the neighbors one to two hundred dollars apiece to keep sick the same time."

"Deacon, I'll use your medicine hereafter."

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A MATCHLESS MEDICINE.

The cooling, cleansing, soothing and healing properties of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry render it the best remedy in the world for all forms of bowel complaints, sicknes of the stomach, cramps, cholera morbus and dysentery. Purely vegetable. and always reliable.

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A Pittsburgh man has invented a cannon that will 'hit a barn door five miles away.' Would it not be less expensive to have a smaller cannon, and haul it up within fifty yards of the barn door? or carry the barn door within fifty yards of the cannon?

IT NEVER FAILS.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is an unfailing remedy for all kinds of bowel complaint.

'If you grasp a rattlesnake firmly about the neck it cannot hurt you,' says a western paper. Keeping a block ahead of the snake is also a good scheme.

GRANDMOTHER

Used to say, "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea:" and they had to dig the Burdock and boil it down in kettles, making a nasty smelling decoction; now you get all the curative properties put up in a palative form in Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $ 1.00, trial size 10 cents.

A learned writer says that 'heaven keeps our light burning while we sleep.' Well, it does look that way when the figures on a gas bill stare the average citizen in the face.

GET THE BEST.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best, most prompt and safest cure for Cholera Morbus—Dysentery— Sick Stomach—Cramps—Cholic and Cholera Infantum that has yet been discovered. Its popularity is undimmed by age. All medicine dealers sell it.

The Intercolonial Geographical congress and exhibition opened at Venince on the first af September. It is attracting much attention. Russia, France, Italy and Sweden, have large exhibitions. England shows but poorly.

SEA SICKNESS.

The best remedy and preventative for Sea Sickness is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is also the best remedy for all forms of Summer complaints, whether on sea or land it will not fail you. All Druggists sell it 37½ cents per bottle.

'Dennis, my boy, come home and dine with me, though I have only a piece of roast beef and potatoes to offer you.' 'No apology,' replied Dennis; 'I will come with pleasure. It is the dinner I should have had at home barrin' the beef.'

HOW FAR WRONG IS THIS "OLL MAID?"

She had been called an old maid, and rather resented it. She said: "I am past thirty. I have a good home. I think you know I have had abundant opportunities to marry. I have been a bridesmaid a score of times. I ask my self with which one of the beautiful girls that I have seen take the marriage vow would I exchange places to-day? Not one. Some are living apart from their husbands; some are divorced; some are wives of drunken men; hang on the ragged edge of society, endeavoring to keep up appearances; some are toiling to support and educate their children, and these are the least miserable; some tread the narrow line beyond the boundry of which lies the mysterious land, and some have gone out in the darkness and unknown horrors, and some are dead. A few there are who are honored and loved and honored wives and mothers, with happy homes; but, alas! only a very few."

PEARLS OF TRUTH.

The man who possesses good health is always rich.

Without the rich heart, wealth is but an angry beggar.

Be of good cheer, is as wise a prescription for the health of the body as of the soul.

Ben Johnson says, somewhere in his *Discoveries*, that princes learn no art well but that of horsemanship; the reason he gives for which is, that the brave beast is no flatterer, and will throw a prince as readily as his groom.

Multitudes, in their haste to get rich, are ruined every year. The men who do things maturely, slowly, deliberately, are the men who oftenest succeed in life. People who are habitually in a hurry generally have to do things twice over.

Making people happy is neither an unimportant or small business. As I regard good nature as one of the richest fruits of true Christianity, so I regard the making of people round about us happy as one of the best manifestations of that Christian disposition which we are commanded to wear as a garment.

THE DAY OF REST.—Never was there a more blessed institution than the Sunday, the sacred day of rest from labor. For the soul's health and the body's health of the human race, on at least one day in seven there should be an ever-recurring intermission in daily toil. Thus, let a man attain to the period of three score years and ten, he has gained a holiday of ten years' duration, even if his lot has been labour for the remaining three-score years. Let childhood be taught to use, and manhood discreetly use, this blessed breathing time, as a day on which to raise the thoughts beyond that world not less than for purposes of innocent recreation.

Public Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reev

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

IMPORTANT SALE

OF VALUABLE

FARMS!

IN THE

TOWNHIP of OSPREY

—ON—

TUESDAY, OCT. 20TH, 1881,

at one o'clock in the afternoon, at Tuck's Hotel, in the Village of Maxwell, the following valuable freehold farms will be offered for sale in two parcels by MR. JOHN SPIERS, Auctioneer.

PARCEL 1.—Lot Number Twenty-five in the Fifth Concession of the Township of Osprey, containing one hundred acres more or less, about seventy acres of which are cleared. The buildings consist of a good dwelling-house, a cottage and a large frame barn.

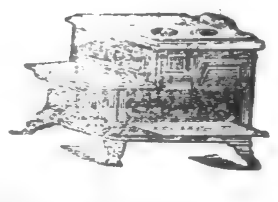
PARCEL 2.—Lot Number Twenty-six in the Fifth Concession of Osprey, containing one hundred acres more or less, of which about eighty acres are cleared. There are a cottage and a barn on the lot. These lots are situate on a good road and within a mile of the gravel road between Flesherton and Collingwood. Parcel One will be sold under the power of sale in a mortgage which will be produced. Parcel Two under a mortgage foreclosed in the Court of Chancery. A deposit of ten dollars for every one hundred of purchase money to be paid at the time of sale to the Vendors or their Solicitor.

TERMS OF SALE liberal, and will be made known at time of sale. For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer at Feversham; William Milne, Maxwell; or to S. G. Wood, Solicitor, 12 Union Block Toronto Street, Toronto.

S. G. WOOD, Vendor's Solicitor. JOHN SPIERS. Auctioneer.

Toronto, Sept. 28th, 1881.

Stoves. Stoves



Cooking Stoves,
Parlor Stoves,
Box Stoves,
Hall Stoves,
Drum Stoves.

All the late improvements in style and finish.

HARDWARE!

TINWARE,

Paints, White Lead, Paint Oil, Machine Oil, Coal Oil, Lamps, &c.,

—AT—

Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Sept. 28th, 1881.

TAILORING

C. A. OWEN,

Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and the surrounding country, that he is prepare to

FILL ALL ORDERS

Promptly and Tastily

CUTTING!

Done wil customers are waiting.

THE LATEST FASHION PLATES

Always on hand to chose from.

A Good Fit Guaranteed

—AT—

LOW RATES.

☞Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

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Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

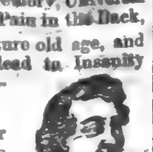
Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

NIL DESPERANDUM.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

Before Taking.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.



After Taking.

☞Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,

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The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.

A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B.

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

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BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the **Bowels, Kidneys and Liver**, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time **Correcting Acidity of the Stomach**, curing **Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility**; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size $1.

For sale by all dealers.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto

DR FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY

Cures Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Cramps, Colic, Sea Sickness and Summer Complaint; also Cholera Infantum, and all Complaints peculiar to children teething, and will be found equally beneficial for adults or children.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

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MARKDALE

Marble Works

Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

The Latest and Most Wonderful Invention.

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By which any Child or Person can play any of the Popular Airs by note, at sight, without STUDY, PREVIOUS PRACTICE, or even Musical Talent. The Company will FORFEIT $1,000 if any child ten years old fails to play ANY ONE of our popular tunes on the Piano, Organ or Melodeon within ONE HOUR after receiving the Music and Instructions, provided said child can count, with the figures before it from 1 to 100 correctly.

7 Pieces of Music with Instructions,

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A THREE YEAR OLD MARE, LARGE size.

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A FULL ASSORTMENT IN THE FOLLOWING LINES KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Dye Stuffs,
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Toilet Articles,
Pure Drugs and Chemicals,
Choice Teas and Tobaccos.

Agents for Vicker's Express and Montreal Telegraph Companies.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. 13

Artemesia Warehouse!

FLESHERTON STATION,

Now on hand for sale, and will be constantly renewed, a complete Stock of

Dry Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Boots and Shoes,

HARDWARE, CROCKERY,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

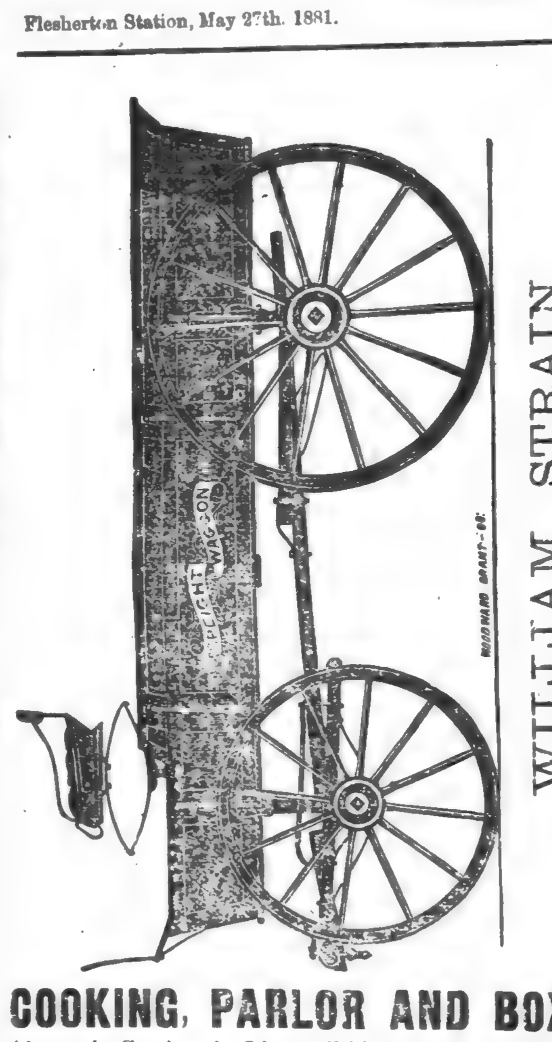
☞ All kinds of Country Produce taken in exchange for Goods.

Inspection of the Stock respectfully invited.

Lumber, Laths and Broomhandles manufactured and for sale.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, May 27th, 1881. 2-tf



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Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,

Sewing Machines, Organs,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

ATTENTION!

Large Arrivals New Goods!

—AT—

HILL BROS.

Many lines of Goods bought after the fall of ten per cent. in price, hence we know that our prices will be right,

Stacks of Winceys,
Stacks of Tweeds,
Stacks of Boots and Shoes,
Stacks of Ready-made Clothing,
Stacks of Mantles for the Ladies.
Call and See Us.

GOODS PLENTIFUL AND PRICES LOW.

We are determined to continue the large increase in our business. Our milliner, Miss Mullen, will return by the 1st of Octoebr, at which date we purpose re-opening that branch of our business, and trust to continue that part of our business in the past satisfactory manner. Thanking you for past favors and trust to be favored with a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

N. B.—We are open to buy any quantity of Butter, Wheat and all kinds of produce. If you don't see us on the market let us know before you sell.

Markdale, September 14th, 1881.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage thave given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

Having st received my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the North and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA[illegible]

Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 37-[illegible]

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Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods

To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices

IN BOOTS AND SHOES

We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glass[illegible]

Is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House"

WM. BROWN

Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881.

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And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your Money

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GREAT ANNUAL

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AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE

FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have decided on reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLINERY,

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

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TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,

and in order to do so, [illegible]

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FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

The stock is all **new, well bought**, and well worth the attention [illegible] In GROCERIES you will find **everything** of First-Class Value. As I do not pursue the course of some of our [illegible] villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap [illegible] tions) outside our natural business relations, in order to [illegible] not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom [illegible] You will find **everything** that I sell **just as I represent it**, and [illegible] as you can possibly get for your money **anywhere**, as I have always [illegible] dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can [illegible]

The Lowest Possible Prices!

For CASH and FARM PRODUCE

BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I have also in stock and for sale, a large quantity of

PURE SEED GRAIN

Such as White Russian, Glasgow, Red Chaff, and other varieties of Spring [illegible] Pure Clean Peas, Oats and Barley. Prime Timothy and Clover Seed: also [illegible] Seeds, and as it pays each and every Farmer to sow clean seed, you will [illegible] paying a few cents extra, and purchasing a good article.

I am now selling large quantics of

COARSE LAND SALT

FOR MANURE.

Which will pay every Farmer *Five Dollars for every one invested* in it, [illegible] that every Farmer [illegible] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try [illegible] selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the **Lowest Cash Price** laid [illegible] direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

SPRING IMPORTATIONS

ARE ARRIVING DAILY,

And I will have opened out and show

On the 1st of April

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this [illegible] country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an [illegible] purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE

Flesherton, March 19, 1881

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OFFICE.—Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.

Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

Chas. R. Wilkes,

Barrister at Law, - Owen Sound.

OFFICE.—Millers's building, over Robinson's store, Poulet Street. 1-y

J. MASSON,

BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG. in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.

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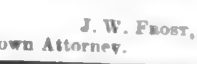

Mr. James J. White.

Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound.

WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth, in the most satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1 y

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown.

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c. Commissioner [illegible] Conveyancing in all its branches [illegible] attended to and carefully executed. [illegible].—Money to Lend on Real [illegible]

Markdale. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander [illegible]

ISSUER of Marriage Licenses [illegible] Insurance Agent, Commissioner [illegible] R. &c. Conveyancer [illegible] Auctioneer for the County of [illegible] Merchants, and Land Sales [illegible] tender to and [illegible] Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

R. M. Galbraith.

AUCTIONEER AND [illegible] Agent, Williamsford Station. [illegible] Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on Commission. [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines [illegible] Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines [illegible] Farm Implements, and Machinery of all kinds [illegible]

Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

J. G. Sing.

DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, [illegible] and Markdale. Having purchased [illegible] Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's [illegible] stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys done within the last fifty-five years, I am prepared to make Surveys in strict accordance therewith. Profiles and Estimates for Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. [illegible] by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to.

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T. E. DAVIS,

BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and Country Jobs, [illegible] attended to. Stonecutting a Specialty. Estimates on all work, free. Satisfaction Guaranteed. *.* Residence corner of [illegible] and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE.

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W. L. Smith,

GENERAL AGENT AND DEALER IN [illegible] Jersey Stock, Williamsford Station. Sept. 17, 1880. 1

WM. FOX,

[illegible] & Ornamental Plasterer

Estimates for stone and brickwork on application. Satisfaction Guranteed. Residence Spencer Street, Markdale.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Hotels.

[illegible]VERE HOTEL,

MARKDALE.

[illegible] SPROULE, - Proprietor.

[illegible] popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, [illegible] second to none in the county. [illegible] ling and attentive ostler. First-[illegible] accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

[illegible] YAL HOTEL,

MEAFORD, Ont.

[illegible] & J. McGIRR, - - PROPRIETORS.

[illegible] accommodation for the travelling [illegible] The bar is well stocked with the [illegible] Wines and Liquors and the best Cigars. [illegible] to and from all trains.

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PRICEVILLE, Ont.

[illegible] and commodious Sample Rooms; [illegible] Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder [illegible] with the best the market af[illegible] and Stabling and attentive Hostler's [illegible] THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor. [illegible] 31st, 1880.

[illegible] toria House,

OWEN SOUND.

[illegible] GILLIES, - - - PROPRIETOR.

[illegible] so long the especial favorite of [illegible] community, has been refitted [illegible] and is now open for the re[illegible] guests; is within easy reach of the [illegible] and has the advantage of being [illegible] the uncomfortable bustle of other [illegible] of the town, being situate on Union [illegible] Corbett's Foundry.

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MR. LOVELL[illegible] Merchants [illegible] of Ontario, of the [illegible] announce that [illegible] PROVINCE OF [illegible] in November[illegible]

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The same ca[illegible] the Dominion and[illegible] 1871 will be given[illegible] names respectfully[illegible] vertising made kn[illegible] JOHN LO[illegible] Montreal, Decem[illegible]

HAIR CUTTI[illegible]

By Tho[illegible]

Markdale, July [illegible]

Markdale Standard,

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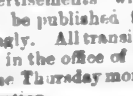

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Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound.
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[illegible] Jan. 27, 1881.

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PRICEVILLE, Ont.
Large and commodious Sample Rooms: [illegible] Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder supplied with the best the market af[fords]. Good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
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BANKERS,
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Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

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LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
Agent for the following reliable Companies:
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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots
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Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
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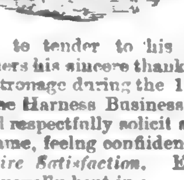

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdele, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feelng confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
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SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!
T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET
MARKDALE,
Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
AGENT FOR
D. MAXWELL'S
CELEBRATED
REAPER, MOWER, and RAKE,
—ALSO—
Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills Etc. Etc.
Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

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For 1881-82,
TO BE PUBLISHED IN NOVEMBER, '81,
Price $5.00.
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Alphabetical Directory
AND A THOROUGH
CLASSIFIED
Business Directory
of the Business and Professional men in the Cities, Towns and Villages of Ontario, with a
CLASSIFIED
BUSINESS DIRECTORY
OF THE
CITY OF MONTREAL.
The same care and attention bestowed on the Dominion and Provincial Directories of 1871 will be given to this work. Subscribers names respectfully solicited. Terms of Advertising made known upon application.
JOHN LOVELL & SON, Publishers.
Montreal, December, 1880.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
on
Wednesdays and Saturdays,
By Thomas Smith,
[illegible]
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill street, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.

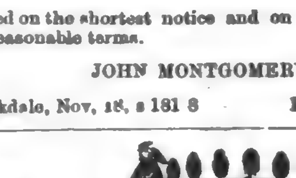
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,
Teas a Specialty.

Miscellaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.

P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.

Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description. from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICEST CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES.
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov, 18, 1818. 1o-ly



ROBT. ASKIN,
MARKDALE,
Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture!
—AND—
UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Commonest to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER V.—Continued.

'Such a miserable morning! What a wretch I must look in this light. Captain Devere paid me compliments last night; fell in love with me, I believe—at least as much in love as a heavy dragoon can ever fall. If he saw me now! I believe I'll go to bed, after all.'

Mrs. Vavasor went to bed, and her eyes closed in grateful slumber before her head was fairly on the pillow. And as the loud-voiced clock over the stables chimed the quarter past ten she came floating down the stairs in a rose cashmere *robe de satin*, and all her feathery black ringlets afloat.

'Am I first, I wonder?' she said, peeping in. 'Ah, no; dear Sir John, what an early riser you always were. You don't forget your military habits, thoughyou are one of the richest baronets in Sussex.'

She held out her slender white hand, all aglitter with rings. But as she had refused it last night, so the baronet refused the proffered hand clasp this morning. He stood tall and stern, and grim as Radamanthus himself, drawn up to his full height.

'We are quite alone, Mrs.——Vavasor, since you have chosen to call yourself by that name, and we can afford to drop private theatricals. I fancied you would be down before Katherine, and I have been waiting for you here for the past hour. Harriet Harman, you must leave Scarswood, and at once.'

Sir John's guest had taken a tea-rose from a glass of flowers on the breakfast table, and was elaborately fastening it amid the luxuriance of her black hair. She laughed as her host ceased speaking, and made the rose secure ere she turned from the mirror.

'That's an improvement, I think—yellow roses always look well in black hair. What did you say, Sir John? Excuse my inattention, but the toilette before everything with us Parisiennes. I must leave Scarswood at once! Now, really, my dear baronet, that is a phase of hospitality it strikes menot strictly Arabian. Why must I go, and why at once?'

'Why! *You* ask that question?'

'Certainly I ask it. Why am I not to remain at Scarswood as long as I please?'

'Because,' the Indian officer said, frigidly, 'you are not fit to dwell an hour, a minute, under the same roof with—with my daughter. If you had possessed a woman's heart, a shadow of heart, one spark of womanly feeling, you would never have crossed Katherines path.'

'Again I ask, why?'

'I have given you your answer already. You are not fit—you are no associate for my young girl. I know the life you led at Homburg.'

'You do? And what do you know of my life to my discredit?' Mrs. Vavasor demanded, in her sprightliest manner. 'I sadly fear some malicious person has been poisoning your simple mind, my dear Sir John. I received a salary at Homburg, I admit; I lured a few weak-minded victims, with more money than brains, to the Kersall; I gambled ever so little perhaps myself. But what would you have? Poor little women must live, penniless widows must earn their bread and butter, and I laboured according to my light. Who can blame me? A gambler's decoy is not a very reputable profession, but I did not select it because I liked it. As you say here in England, it was "Hobson's choice." To work I was not able, to beg I was ashamed. And I gave it up, when I heard of *your* good fortune—for ever, I hope. I said to myself, "Harriet, child, why lead this naughty life any longer?—why not give it up, pack your trunks, go back to England, and become virtuous and happy? Here is your old friend—well, acquaintance, then—Colonel Dangerfield, a baronet now, with a magnificent estate in Sussex, and eight thousand a year. You did him good service once—he is not the man to forget past favours; *he* will never see you hungry or cold any more. And *la petite* is there—the little Katherine, whom fifteen years ago you were so fond of—a young lady, and a great heiress now. To see her once more, grown to a lovely English miss—what rapture!'

She clapped her little hands with a very foreign gesture, and lifted two great imploring eyes to his face. The baronet sighed heavily.

'Heaven help you, Harriet!' You might have been a better woman if you had loved the child or anything else. But you never loved any human creature in the world but yourself, and never will. I suppose it is not in your nature.'

Have you ever seen the swift pallor of sudden strong emotion show under rouge and pearl powder? It is not a pleasant sight. After the baronet's last words there was a dead pause, and in the dull, chill light he saw that ghastly change come over her.

'Never loved any human creature in this world!' She repeated his words slowly after him, then broke suddenly into a shrill laugh. 'Sir John Dangerfield, after half a century of this life's vicissitudes, the power to be astonished at anything earthly should have left all women, but you are sixty odd, are you not? and if I chose I could give you a glimpse of my past life that would rather take you by surprise. But I don't choose—at least not at present. Think me heartless, unprincipled, without conscience or womanly feeling—what you will—what does anything in this lower world signify except costly dresses, good wines, and comfortable incomes? And that brings me back to the point, and I tell you coolly, and deliberately, and determinedly, that I won't stir one step from Scarswood Park until I see fit.'

She folded her hands one over the other, and looked up in his set, stern face, with an aggravating smile on her own.

'It is of no use your blustering; if you should feel inclined that way, my dear baronet, it will do no good. I won't go. But you are too much a soldier and a gentleman to even try to bully a poor little woman like me. I have an object in view in coming to Scarswood; when that object is attained, I shall leave—not one instant before.'

'And your object is——'

'A secret at present, Sir John. As for your daughter'—with sneering emphasis—'I should be the best judge, I think, as to whether or no I am a fit associate for her. Miss Dangerfield appears to be a young lady in every way qualified to take care of herself. And now, Sir John, as we thoroughly understand each other, suppose we take breakfast. It is past ten, and I am hungry.'

'I never breakfast without Katherine,' the baronet answered coldly. 'Mrs. Harman!'—abruptly—'they say every man has his price—will you name yours, and leave Scarswood for ever?'

'Now, what an indelicate way of putting it—my price!' She laughed. 'Well, yes, Sir John, I don't mind owning as much. I have a price, Do you know what I said to myself last night when I first entered Scarswood? I said, 'I wonder if Sir John would marry me if I asked him?' And, Sir, John, I wonder if you wouldn't?'

'Mrs. Harman,' the Indian officer answered, with a look of disgust and contempt, 'let us keep to the subject in hand, if you please. I am in no humour for witticisms this morning.'

'Which, translated, means, I suppose, you would not marry me. It's not leap-year, I am aware, and my proposal may be a little out of place. But just think a moment, Sir John—what if the telling of your secret depended on it, and I should really like to be my lady?—what then?'

'Mrs. Harman, if you say another word of this kind I will turn you out of the house. Am I to understand, then, it is to tell you have come hither?'

His voice broke a little; the strong, sinewy hand that lay upon the broad window-sill clenched. He bore himself bravely before her, but there was mortal fear and mortal anguish in the old soldier's blue eyes.

'For God's sake tell me the truth!' he said. 'What have you come to do? I saw you in the conservatory last night alone with my nephew—do you mean to tell him?'.

Ther was an easy chair close to the window; the widow sank down in its silken cushions—all this time they had been standing—and she flung back her little, dainty, ringleted head.

'As this conversation will be prolonged, no doubt, until Miss Dangerfield appears, we may as well take a seat. So you saw me in the conservatory last night with your nephew! I did not know you did me the honour to watch me, Sir John. Well, yes, I was in the conservatory last night with Mr. Peter Dangerfield.'

'And you told him all?'

'I told him—nothing! My dear old baronet, what an imbecile you must think me. Why should I tell him?—a poor little pettifogging attorney. I only drew him out there—read him, you know—and he is very large print, indeed. Woe to the man or woman that stands in his path to fortune!—better for them they had never been born. He never felt a touch of pity or mercy in his life for any living thing, and never will.'

'I know it!' the baronet said with a groan. 'I know it to well. My life has been a life of terror since this inheritance fell to me—fearing him, fearing you. If he had been any other kind of a man than the kind he is, I—think—I know I would have braved all consequences, and told him the truth, and threw myself on his generosity. My lif has been one of prolonged misery since we came to Scarswood. I knew if you were alive, you would hunt me down as you have. It would be better for me I were a beggar on the streets.'

Mrs. Vavasor listened to this passionate tirade with airiest indifference.

'Then go and be a beggar on the streets,' she responded; 'nothing is easier. Throw yourself upon your nephew's generosity—tell him that little episode in both our lives that happened in Paris hospital fifteen years ago—tell him, and see how generous, how magnanimous he can be. You saw me talking to him, you say, in the conservatory last night. Would you like to know what we were talking about? Well—of Katherine!'

He stood and looked down at the small mocking face, and the derisive black eyes, gnawing the ends of his gray moustache.

'Of Katherine,' Mrs. Vavasor said. 'He told me he remembered her an infant here—in this very house, that she was two years old when she left England with papa and mamma. I asked him if he recalled her looks fifteen years ago, but naturally he did not.'

Mrs. Vavasor laughed at some inward joke.

'Do you know, Sir John, he is in love with the heiress of Scarswood, and would marry her if she would let him? He proposed last night—'

'What!' the baronet cried eagerly, 'he asked Katherine to marry him? And she—what did she say?'

'Called him a rickety dwarf—truthful, but unpleasant—and said *no* as your high-spirited daughter knows how to say it. He's not handsome, and Miss Dangerfield dearly loves beauty. She resembles her mother in many things—in that among the rest. She refused Mr. Dangerfield last night—still I think, my dear baronet, I shall have the pleasure of congratulating you upon the accession of a son-in-law.'

'What do you mean?'

'Excuse me; our haughty little Katherine might not thank me for meddling with her *affaires de coeur*. And I wish so much to stand well with the dear child. So affectionate a daughter can have no secrets from you—she will tell you all about it herself, no doubt, before the day ends. And, Sir John, I can safely promise you this much—I shall leave Scarswood before your daughter's wedding day, to return no more.

He looked at her in painful, anxious silence. He felt that behind her words a covert threat lay.

'Before her wedding day. The child is but seventeen, and not likely to marry for three or four years yet. I don't know what you mean, Harriet. For pity sake speak plainly—let us understand each other if we can. I don't want to be hard on you, Heaven knows. I would pour out money like water to secure my daughter's happiness—and you—oh surely! of all the creatures on earth, you should be the last to harm her. Don't betray me—don't betray her—don't ruin her life. I know I ought to tell; honour, truth, with all the instincts of my life, urge me to speak, but I know so well what the result would be, and I dare not!' A stifled sob shook the old soldier's voice. 'I love her better than ever father loved a child before—better I think than ever, if that were possible, since this new danger threatened. If you keep silence there is nothing to fear. In Heaven's name, Harriet, mention any sum you like, however exorbitant, and leave this house at once and for ever.'

She sat and listened, without one touch of pity for the love she could not fathom; she sat and watched him without one softening glance of the hard eyes. There was an unpleasant tightness about the thin lips, an almost diabolical malice in her furtive gaze.

'I will take ten thousand pounds, and I will leave Scarswood a week preceeding Miss Dangerfield's wedding day. The sooner the day is named the better. That is my *ultimatum*.'

'A week before her wedding day! do you harp on that? I tell you she has no idea of being married for years—a child of seventeen!'

'And I tell you she has. Children of seventeen in this year of grace have very grown up notions. Miss Dangerfield had two proposals of marriage last night; one she refused, one she accepted. If you have patience, your future son-in-law will be here for his answer before dinner. As Katherine will be on his side, your answer will be "Yes," of course, though he were the vilest blackguard in England. If that tall slip of a girl told you to swear black was white, you would swear it, and half believe you were not perjuring yourself. You are too old to learn wisdom now, my poor Sir John; but if you were a younger man, I would try and convince you of the folly of loving, with such blind, dog-like devotion, any creature on this earth. No one alive is worthy of it—least of all a woman. You would die to make her happy; more, the soul of honour, by training and instinct, you are yet ready to commit *dis*honour for her sake. And she—if you stand between her and this good-looking adventurer, only seen for the first time a few weeks ago, she will set you down as a tyrant and monster, and run away to Scotland the instant he asks her. Oh, yes, she will! I'm a woman, and I know my sex. They're like cats; stroke them the right way and they'll pur for ever; stroke them the wrong way, and their sharp claws are into your flesh, though yours the hand that has fed and caressed them all their life. Katherine is no worse than the the rest, and when she leaves you and runs away with him, she is only true to her feline nature. I will take ten thousand pounds, cash down, one week before the day fixed for Kathie's wedding, and I'll leave Scarswood, and you, and her, for ever—with the secret untold. The sooner the day is fixed, the sooner you are rid of me. And I'll never come back—I'll never ask you for another stiver. Now we understand each other, and we'll get along comfortably, I hope. Don't let us talk any more on this subject; it isn't a pleasant one; and Sir John, do, do try and look a little less like a martyr on the rack! Don't wear your heart on your sleeve, for the daws of society to peck at. You know that tiresome story of the Spartan boy and the fox, or wolf—which was it? The animal gnawed at his vitals, but he kept his cloak well over it and bore the agony with a smiling face. I think the horrible little brute lays hold of all mankind, sooner or later; only some suffer and make no sign, and others go through the world howling aloud over the pain. I have hid my wolf for the last nineteen years—you would not think it, would you? Don't let everybody see you have a secret, in your face, or they may find it out for themselves, if you do. Here comes our little truant at last; and *Dieu merci*, for I am absolutely famished!'

Clearing the last three steps with a jump, according to custom, all flutter-in crisp white muslin, and lit up with bright ribbons, Katherine came into the room, her happy face sunshiny enough to illuminate all Sussex.

'Late again, papa,' throwing her arms around him after her impetuous fashion and giving him a sounding kiss; 'but last night was an exceptional occasion in one's life; one was privileged to oversleep one's self this morning. Oh, papa!' with a little fluttering sigh, 'what a perfectly delicious party it was!'

'My dear,' her father said in a constrained voice, 'don't you see Mrs. Vavasor?'

She had not until that moment. In her own happiness she had forgotten the very existence of her father's guest. Her face clouded ever so slightly now as she turned to meet the little woman's gushing greeting.

'Dearest Katherine—oh, I really call you Katherine—how well, how bright you are looking this morning. Look at that radiant face, Sir John, and tell would you think this child had danced twenty-four consecutive times last night? I counted, my pet,' with her tinkling laugh—'danced until broad day this morning. Ah, how delightful to be sweet seventeen and able to look like this after a long night's steady waltzing.'

She would have kissed her, but Katherine's crystal clear eyes detected the rouge on her lips, and Katherine, who never resisted an impulse in her whole life, shrank back palpably.

'What!' Mrs. Vavasor exclaimed gayly; 'you won't kiss me, you proud little English girl? Never mind, I foresee we shall be great friends—don't you think so, Sir John?—if only for her mother's sake.'

'My mother's sake!' Katherine repeated. 'You knew my mother?'

'Very well, indeed, my dear—I was her most intimate friend. And you are like her—like her every way—in face, in manner, in voice. I should have been fond of you in any case, but since you resemble your mother so strongly, think how I must love you now?'

CHAPTER VI.

ASKING IN MARRIAGE.

Mrs. Vavasor might be never so vicacious, but it was a very silent, not to say gloomy, meal. Sir John sat moodily, eating little, and watching his daughter with strange new interest in his eyes. His perplexities seemed thickened around him. It was surely bad enough to have this obnoxious visitor on his hands, without an objectionable son-in-law flung in his face willy-nilly also. Who can the man be? He had not, if you will believe it, the remotest idea. He had been so completely absorbed by his espionage over that little widow all night ho hadscarcely once remarked his daughter. Who can that man be? He thought over the list of his unmarried masculine guests, and lit upon Captain De Vere, of the plungers, as the man.

'And if it be he,' the baronet thought with an inward groan, 'there is nothing for it but to make a clean breast of it before the wedding. And how will it be then? He is a very heavy swell, De Vere, and will one day write his name high in the peerage. He may be in love with Katherine now—how will it be when he knows the truth? Heaven help me! was ever man so badgered as I am?'

Katherine was very silent, too; even her hearty girl's morning apetite seemed to have failed her. She trifled with what lay on her plate, a tender half-smile on her lips and in her eyes. Love had taken away appetite. How handsome he had looked! the mellow lamp-light of the conservatory streaming across his dark, southern beauty. How nobly he had spoken! And he had feared refusal—this darling of the gods! He had thought himself unworthy the heiress of Scarswood—he who was worthy the heiress of a throne.

'I am glad I am an heiress for his sake,' she thought; 'I only wish my thousands were millions. Oh, Gaston to think that proverty would be an obstacle to me. I am glad you are poor—yes, glad, that I may give you all; that I may be in every way the good angle of your life.'

Mrs. Vavasor chattering cheerfully on all imaginable subjects, asked her a question. It had to be repeated ere it reached her ear, dulled by her b'issful trance. She lifted her dreamy eyes.

'What did you says, madame?'

Mrs. Vavasor's rather shrill laugh chimed forth.

'What did I say, madame! and I have asked her thee times. No, my dear, I'll not repeat my question as to whether you'll drive me to Castleford if it clears up, as I see it is going to do, being quite certain you will have other and pleasanter company. Look at that abstracted face, Sir John, and tell me what you think.'

The baronet's answer was a sort of growl, as he arose abruptly from the table.

'I am going to my study; Katherine and I want to speak to you—will you come?'

'Speak to me, papa?' Katherine repeated, faintly, her colour coming and going nervously for the first time in her life.

'Yes.' He offered her his arm, looking grimmer than she had ever seen him in all her experience. 'Mrs. Vavasor will find some other means of amusing herself besides that drive to Castleford. My carriage and coachman are at her service if she really desire it.'

Very well, papa,' Miss Dangerfield responded, with a meekness very different from her usual manner of frank impertinence which sat so well upon her. Could he know?' she was thinking in some trepidation. 'Can he know so soon? Did he see us in the conservatory together? and, oh! what will he say?'

Mrs. Vavasor watched the Stalwart soldierly figure, and the slight girlish form on his arm from sight, with a hard, cold glitter in her black eyes.

'Your coachman is at my service, Sir John, but your daughter is not, And her Royal Highness the Princess of Scarswood, would not let me kiss her this morning. Like her mother again—very much like her mother, indeed. And I have a good memory for all sights, little and great.'

Sir John's study was a cosy room, on the same floor with the breakfast parlour, and commanding a view of the entrance avenue with its arching elms He placed a chair for his daughter, still in grim silence, and Katherine sank into it in a little flutter of apprehension. Fear was a weakness that perhaps had never troubled the girl in her life. Whatever the blood in her veins, it was at least thoroughly brave And woman like, it was more for her lover than herself she troubled now.

'Papa won't like it,' she thought. 'Gaston's proverty will be a drawback to him. He will forget he was poor himself only half a year ago, and refuse his consent. No, he won't do that; he would consent to anything, I think, sooner than see me miserable.'

'Katherine,' her father began abruptly, 'Peter Dangerfield proposed last night.'

Katherine looked up with a start. Nothing was farther from her thought at that moment than her cousin Peter—she had entirely forgotten him and their quarrel of last night. 'Peter? Oh, yes, papa, I forgot all about it.'

'Humph! highly complimentary to Peter I need hardly ask if you refused him, Miss Dangerfield?'

'Certainly I refused him!' Miss Dangerfield retorted, her spirits rising, now she had found her tongue, 'and his declaration ended in no end of a row.' The heiress of Scarswood was a trifle slangy at times. 'That my temper—that's the truth—got one thing he said, and spoke to him as I had no business to. I'm sorry now and I apologized, but I know he'll never forget or forgive the affront. He's one of your nice, quiet, inoffensive people who go to church three times every Sunday, and who never forgive anything.'

'What did you say?'

Papa's voice was terribly stern—for him. Miss Dangerfield hung her head in deserved contrition.

'Papa, you know what an abominable temper I've got and still more abominable tongue—I called him a rickety dwarf.'

'*Katherine!*'

'I'm sorry, papa,' Katherine repeated sullenly, and not looking up. 'I apologized; it is all I can do; it's said and can't be recalled; scolding will do no good now.'

There was silence for a moment. A Pallor that even her wicked words seemed too trifling to call there overspread his face.

'A bad business,' he muttered. 'Peter Dangerfield will never forget or forgive your insult as long as he lives. Heaven help you now, child, if you are ever in his power.'

'In his power! an Peter!' Katherine said, lifting her head haughtily. 'What nonsense, papa! of course I shall never be in his power. And he provoked me into saying it, if it comes to that. What business had he to speak as he did, to insult—' Miss Dangerfield pulled herself up with a jerk, and looked up.

'Insult whom, my daughter?'

'Never mind, papa—a friend of mine.'

'And a rival of his. Was it Captain De Vere, Kathie?'

'Captain De Vere! Oh, dear, no, papa! Captains De Vere can fight his own battles—he's big enough and old enough. He has nothing to do with me.'

'Then somebody has. You are keeping something from me, and that is not like you, Kathie. You had another proposal last night.'

Katherine looked at her father in sheer amaze.

Why, papa, you must be a wizard how do you findthese things out? Did—you see me in the conservatory?'

'I did not—I did not deem it was necessary to place Katherine Dangerfield under surveillance at her first party.'

'Papa!'

'Oh, child! You compel me to say cruel things. The world will watch you if I do not, and report all shortcomings.'

'The world may,' said Katherine proudly. I have done nothing wrong—I know who told you—you would never play the spy; it was that odious woman in the breakfast room. Who is she, papa, and what does she do here, and how long is she going to stay? I don't know anything about her, I hate her already. Who is she?'

'She is Mrs. Vavasor. Never mind her at present, my dear—you are the subject under discussion. We have not come to this other lover yet—let us come to him at once. Two lovers! and yesterday I thought you a child. Well, well! it is the way of the world—the female portion of it at least. Katherine, who is the man?'

She looked up—grew very pale—met her father's stern, sorrowful eyes, and looked down.

'It is papa, papa! don't be angry He can't help being poor—and I—I like him—so,' with little gasps. 'Oh, papa, please! You never were cruel to your little Kathie in all your life—please don't begin now.'

He stood very still, listening to this outburst with a face that grew every moment grayer.

'And it needs such a preface as this You have to plead for him before even you tell his name. Who is he, Kathie?'

She got up, flung her arms around him, and hid her face on his shoulder.

'It is—papa, p-p-please don't be angry. It is Gaston Dantree!'

The murder was out! Of all the men he had thought of, he had never once thought of him. Gaston Dantree! An utter stranger—a singer of songs—his voice giving him the *entree* into houses where else he had never set his foot. A schemer probably—an adventurer certainly—a foreigner also—and Sir John Dangerfield had all your true-blue Briton's hearty detestation of foreigners.

'Kathie,' he could just exclaim, 'that man!'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

"DON'T KNOW HALF THEIR VALUE.—They cured me of Ague, Billiousness and Kidney Complaint, as recommend. I had a half bottle left which I used for my two little girls, who the Doctors and neighbours said could not be cured. I would have lost both of them one night if I had not given them Hop Bitters. They did them so much good I continued their use until they were cured. That is why I say you do not know half the value of Hop Bitters, and do not recommend them high enough."—B., Rochester, N. Y.—*American Rural Home.*

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The building trade of Toronto foots up to $1.802,250—a decrease in value this year of $292,000

Bible is the name of a man recently nominated for office in the State of Pennsylvania.

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Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is an unfailing remedy for all kinds of bowel complaint.

William and Robert Donnelly have been committed for trial on the charge of firing Stanley's mill.

Pere Hyacinthe has been lecturing in Paris on the late President Garfield to crowded audiences.

GET THE BEST.

Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the best, most prompt and safest cure for Cholera Morbus—Dysentery— Sick Stomach—Cramps—Cholic and Cholera Infantum that has yet been discovered. Its popularity is undimmed by age. All medicine dealers sell it.

Strive to be rich in knowledge. A man gets more than the value of whatever he gives in exchange for learning.

Of those who lately robbed the Arkansas train, two wanted money that they might get married and set up housekeeping.

By denying themselves tobacco, and by the sale of trinkets of their own manufacture, the convicts in the Ohio Penitentiary, have been able to send $100 for the relief of the Michigan sufferers.

Toronto, Grey & Brucey R'y

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station,

Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton,......	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston..	8.06 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.34 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge...	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg....	9.05 a.m.	2.18 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton.......	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road..	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.06 p.m.
Charleston..	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive....	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart..	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel.........	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne.... ...	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk.........	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale.........	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkeley	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford.......	2.50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott...........	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth.........	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Bockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound.......	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.20 p.m.
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.
Arnott.............	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.
Williamsford.........	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.
Berkeley	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.
Dundalk.	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE		
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.

Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton.........	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston....	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road...	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton....	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg....	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge..	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston....	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton....	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive...	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, October 28th. 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto,
W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*,
Is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper

A. O. U. W.

On Wednesday evening, the 19th inst., a Lodge of the Antient Order of United Workmen with 16 charter members was instituted in Markdale, by Prof. Samuel, of Hamilton. The objects of the Society are to secure a competency to the wife and children of a deceased member; also for the general improvement of the members and assistance in sickness. It is the duty of every married man to make some provision for his family in the the case of death, and the A. O. U. W. affords him that privlege at very slight cost. Houses are insured, although not one in twenty are distroyed, but we *all have to die*, therefore how much more necessary is it that we should insure our lives, especially those who have nothing but their daily labor to depend on. The above society is formed for mutual benefit, and as we before stated, for the purpose of securing a competency for those we leave behind in case of death, at the lowest possible cost. Below we give a list of the officers from whom all information can be obtained. Parties wishing to join should do so before the experation of the next three weeks as they will save $1, by so doing.

LIST OF OFFICERS.

Rev. A. Wilson, P. M. W.; Wm Brown, M. W.; Wm. Lucas, F.; C. W. Rutledde, O.; R. H. Byers, R. R. D. Irvine F.; A. Butter, R.; Robt. Askin, G.; T. Mathews, I. W.; E. C. Large, O. W. Trustees.—Wm. Lucas, A. McIntyre, and C. W. Rut.

There was also a lodge instituted in Priceville on Monday, the 17th inst. The followingare the names of the officers as far as we have been able to obtain them:—Mr. Webster, M. W.; C. C. James, P. M.; Jas. Watson, F.; W. Watson, G.; Dr. Bennet, T.; W. B. Grier, R. The lodge is called Priceville lodge 144.

There was also a lodge formed in Flesherton on Thursday 20th inst. The following are the names of the officers: J. Gordon, P. M. W.; M. Richardson, M. W.; S. Damude, M. F.; A. Munshaw, O.; A. R. Fawcett, R.; W. Strain, F.; J. W. Bates, R.; G. L. Dodds, G.; G. Glasford, I. W.; D. White, O. W. Trustees.—S. Damude, T. Addison, A. Munshaw.

Our cotem south is mad, and says all manner of childish things in regard to our village and our selves, and no doubt thinks he is doing bigthings. It reminds us of a story, often told, of a certain little woman who was often seen thrashing her big, good-natured husband. He was asked why he allowed it. "Well," he said, "it pleased her and don't hurt me." So say we.

THE 5th of November is to be celebrated in Markdale by several of the neighboring Lodges of Loyal Orangemen dining together in the Orange Hall. Weather permitting there will be the usual procession in regalia, in the afternoon the members of the Order will be addressed in the Dufferin Hall, and a grand concert in the same place in the evening. The carrying out of the day's programme is in the hands of the Christ Church Ladies' Aid Society. The proceeds of the day are to be given to the Building Fund of the Church; and we would venture to add that since the church people of Markdale have done so much to beautify our village by erecting so handsome a building, and beautifying their grounds, thereby giving a tone to our village which it would not otherwise possess, they deserve the hearty support of all classes of our citizens.

OSPREY CORRESPONDENCE

THE English Church in Mawell is being thoroughly overhauled, the ceiling is being raised, a belfry put to the front, and an addition to the rear. The contractor, Mr. George Brownridge, will soon have the woodwork completed, and when painted and finished will give the building quite an imposing appearance.

Mr. Wright Devitt is leaving Maxwell with the intention of carrying on the furniture business in Stayner. Mr. and Mrs. Devitt have the best wishes of their numerous friends, and all wish them success in their new home.

The farmers in this section of the country are getting their root crops gathered together as quickly as possible, fearing the approach of winter

All Hallow Eve will soon be here and the juveniles are bent on having their share of the fun. People would do well to have their cabbage in and their gates secured, as the youths are very playful.

JOTTINGS FROM MAXWELL,

Weather very wet.

Roads becoming bad.

The work on St. Mary's Church here, is being pushed ahead and will add much to its appearance.

An accident occured last Wenesday night, at Mr. W. Long's threshing, which very nearly proved fatal to several persons. It seems that the mow contained two kinds of grain, and when they had nearly finished one kind, the other part tipped over and covered Mr. Long and his son Willie, Mr. Nicholson, and Robbie Burk, a son of Mr. R. T. Burk of the 8th con. No time wos lost in throwing the sheaves off the unfortunate men, and they were soon recovered, quite out of breath, but they got over it without serious injury.

A social was held in the Presbyterian Church at McIntyre, on Tuesday the 11th inst., which passed off very pleasently. Mrs. John L. B. Hamlin and Miss Drummond of Maxwell, "discoursed sweet music to the ear"; Mr. N. G. Allister, of Feversham gave an amusing reading; Mr. Chisholm, gave a very interesting lecture; Mr. W. L. B. Hamlin gave some of his popular Recitations; and E. J. J. Furguson gave some Readings. The proceeds amounted to about $30. We congragulate Mr. Chisholm on his success, as it was got up on very short notice.

DUNDALK PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Result of examinations in the Sen. department of the Dundalk Public School. Names placed in the order of merit.

SENIOR FOURTH CLASS.

Arithmetic.—1st W. H. Graham 75 per cent., 2nd Phœbe McGreger 45 per cent., 3rd Martha Noble, 4th Susie Keys, 5th Katie McArthur, even.

Algebra.—1st W. H. Graham 65 per cent., 2nd Dave McQuarrie 55 per cent., 3rd Katie McArthur, 4th Phœbe McGregor, 5th Susie Keye.

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English Grammar.—1st W. H. Graham 75 per cent., 2nd Dave McQuarrie 70 per cent., 3rd Phœbe McGregor, 4th Katie McArthur, 5th Susie Keys, 6th Thos Hanry, 7th Geo. Lamon.

History.—1st Phœbe McGregor 53 per cent., 2nd W. H. Graham 50 per cent., 3rd Susie Keys 47 per cent., 4th Katie McArthur 37 per. cen., 5th Geo. Lamon, 6th Thos. Hanry.

JUNIOR FOURTH.

Arithmetic.—1st Geo. Lamon, 2nd Jennie Lamon, 3rd D. W. Ferrier, 4th Thos. Haney.

THIRD CLASS.

Geography.—1st D. W. Ferrier, 2nd Joseph Eakins, 3rd James Eakens, 4th Henry Hunter, 5th Jenny Lemon, 6th Freddie Teeple, 7th Ciara Humphreys, 8th Annie Phillips.

CLASS THREE AND FOUR.

Spelling.—1st W. H. Graham, 2nd Dave McQuarrie, 3rd Susie Keys, 4th Fatie McArthur, 5th Jennie Middleton, 6th Phœbe McGregor, 7th Jennie Lamon, 8th Jas. Eakins.

The remains of Mr. Joseph Law, whose sudden death was noticed in the last *Monitor*, were brought here and interred in the cemetery on Saturday last. On Sunday evening the funeral sermon was preached in the M. E. Church by the Rev. R. Large, to a very large congregation. In referance to his death we get the following particulars from the Brantford *Telegram*; "Last (Wednesday) evening the Literary Society, of Burgessville, gave one of their popular concerts in the hall of the village—that is they adver- advertised one but a most untoward circumstance put an end to the performance almost as soon as it had commenced. The Society owing to a lack of talent in the village and in their desire to make their meetings attractive to their patrons, always engaged outside vocalists to help them through. This time Miss Addison, of Norwich, and Mr, Jas. Kennedy, of Brantford, were secured. Each had sung one piece when the chairman called upon a young man named Law, teacher in the Holbroke school, to give the audience a recitation. Mr. Law rose from his seat only to fall limp and lifeless into the arms of a friend. Not a word did he say in answer to the request, but simply got up to recieve Death's stroke. No doctor being in the room appliances of various kinds were at once put in use by friends who were loth to believe the young man beyond all human aid. For an hour and a half they rubbed him until the arrival of the doctor put an end to their well meant efforts. It was then pronounced a case of heart disease and the excited company, shocked beyond measure at the suddenness of the calamity, dispersed to their homes, some of them, however, remaining in the concert room until long after midnight watching the body and making arrangements for its removal. An estimable young man, Mr Law's friends will hear of his sad and sudden taken off in the heyday of life with deep regret.—*Monitor*,

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

REPLY TO REV. Mr. WARD—PART IV.

Mr. Ward proceeds, "Any reasonable man will grant that the words 'bishop' and 'presbyters' being promiscuously used, *mere Presbyters* being called bishops in scripture, does not prove that all the powers which belong to *those we now call bishops* were lodged in the presbyters." Strike the word "*not*" out of the above sentence, and it will then express a reasonable, a logical, and a scriptural idea; as it stands, it is very nonsense, representing scripture as a jumble of unmeaning, unintelligible jargon, without coherence or common sense. What we read in the Bible of the "Children of Isreal," the "seed of Jacob," or the "heirs of the promise," we are at no loss to know who are the parties designated; we never for a moment suppose that two or three classes are meant: and why? Simply because common sense tells us. Why then do we not allow common sense and reason to guide us in reading the scripture same as any other book? The Rev. gentleman has already admitted that the term 'bishop' and 'presbyter' are interchangeably used in scripture represent one and the same officer in the Apostolic Church; yet in the above sentence, in order to bolster up his theory he introduces another distinction unknown to Apostolic times—viz.: "presbyter" and "mere presbyter. The word "presbyter" Mr. Ward thinks stands for him "we now call bishop," and "mere presbyter" for "priest," or some other inferior officer" The careful Bible student will at once perceive the distinction is in the the last degree fanciful, and has no foundation either in Scipture or the early history of the Christian Church.

The fact is "those we now call Bishops" has no standing in the Apostolic church, they are as we have already shown, a creation of after ages who, we hesitate not to say, have no Apostolic progenitor amongst the eleven who met on that memorable day in the "upper room at Jerusalem.

Mr Ward goes on to say "the only method then to prove that the power of "ordination" belongs to presbyters is to show that whoever in the Scripture are called presbyters or bishops were invested with that power, which can never be done."

We ask your readers to carefully note this phrase "which can never be done"—evidently the Rev. gentleman rests his whole case here; if this can "be done"—if we can show from scripture that those who were "called presbyters or bishops" were invested with "the power of ordination" and actually did perform that rite, then Mr. Ward's whole case must fall to the ground like a "castle of cards."

Now for the proof:—"Neglect not the gift that is in thee, which was given thee by prophecy with the laying on of the *hands of the Presbytery*." I Tim., iv, 14. Here then is ordination by those who were "called presbyters;" Paul tells us. Timothy was ordained "with the laying on of the hands of the Presbytery." In the 20th chapter of Acts we find recorded Paul's address to the elders or presbyters of the Church of Ephesus, in which these words occur—"Take heed unto yourselves and to all the flock *over which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers*," or bishops as it is in the revised version. Here again Paul tells us that the "presbyters" were the bishops or overseers of the flock by appointment of the Holy Ghost: he also tells us that these Holy Ghost appointed presbyters "ordained" Timothy as we have shown above; but it may be urged this is a case of ordination by "presbyters" not by "mere presbyters," to which we reply, we find no such distinction in scripture. "to the law and to the testimony."

Mr. Ward proceeds:—"For if presbyter or elders had the power of ordination, why should Paul leave Titus in Crete on purpose to ordain elders in every city? Titus i, 5, when we know that island had been converted to Christianity long before, and doubtless had many presbyters among them, &c."—Where, we ask, did the Rev. gentlemen get this information? Who told him that the Cretan Christians "had many presbyters among them" previous to the coming of Titus? This is the veriest assumption without one title of evidence—an assumption, too, which does violence and runs counter to every practice and principle enunciated throughout the New Testament. That Christianity had been preached in Crete, and that many of the heathen had embraced its doctrine before the comming thither of Titus, we freely admit; but that the Church had been organized there previous to this time we as strenuously deny, and we challenge Mr. Ward, or any body else, to prove the contrary. Let us look at the record—"For this cause left I the in Crete, that thou should set in order the things that are wanting, and appoint elders in every city as I gave the charge." I quote from the revised version. Titust was left behind "to set in order the things that were wanting," that is to say, to organize the Church and appoint its officers—appoint elders in every *city*. The peculiar form of the phraseology shows that the Church there had not previously been organized, had such been the case, Paul would have enjoined Titus to appoint elders in every *church*, not in every *city*.

The argument to be drawn from this passage of scripture is entirely opposed to episcopacy as we shall show. Had there been, as Mr. Ward says, "many presbyters among them," Paul could not in truth have referred to the eldership as the the "things that were wanting;" yet Paul says—"For this cause left I thee in Crete, that thou should set in order *the things that were wanting and appoint elders in every city*." Mr. Ward says these things *were not wanting at all*, "that there had been many presbyters among them."—Now here is a remarkable contradiction—the Apostle Paul affirms, Mr. Ward denies; who is right? Which of them are we to believe. They cannot both be right, therefore one of them must be mistaken. With all due deference to the Rev. gentlemen, we prefer to take sides with Paul, even against the teachings of the "Catholic Apostolic Church of England."

In this connection we remark further, that the elders whom Titus was to ordain in every *city* of Crete could not have been the representatives of "those we now call bishops." The absurdity of having two or more bishops, In the modern acceptation of the term, presiding over the few poor despised Christian converts to be found in every city in Crete, will be apparent to all. Why the metropolis of Ontario, together with several hundred square miles of territory, containg a large and wealthy population, can now only "sport" one bishop; the same is true of London, Liverpool, Manchester, &c.; yet our Episcopalian friends would have us believe that several bishops, genuine prototypes of "those we now call bishops," were to be found in every city of Crete in Apostolic times.

Mr. Ward proceeds—"To what has been said we might for farther proof add the joint testimony of all Christendom for fifteen hundred years; nor can one single instance of a valid ordination be produced in all that time other than by a bishop." The blindness of prejudice is an incurable malady it actually leads men to ignore the plain teachings of scripture, when these happen to clash with their own pre-concieved notions.

We have already frequently shown that Timothy's ordination was by the "laying on of the *hands of the presbytery*," and not by a bishop. I Tim. iv. 14. Yet Mr. Ward says that not a single instance of "*valid* ordination can be produced by *other than a bishop*.—Timothy was not ordained by a bishop, therefore according to Mr. Ward, Timothy's ordination "was not valid." Here again the Apostle Paul and the Rev. gentleman are in direct opposition; both cannot be right, therefore one of them must be in error.

The Rev. gentleman summarizes his whole case as follows:—"In the life time of the Apostles we find three orders, Apostles, Presbyters or Bishops, and Deacons. In the next generation we find three orders, Bishops, Presbyters, and Deacons." To the first of these assertions we say yes; to the last we say no, emphatically. In the "next generation" after the Apostles we find but two orders, viz.: Presbyters and Deacons, and we challenge Mr. Ward to show by clear and undisputed historic testimony to make good his assertion,—"it cannot be done." Of course during the time of the Apostles, who were the fathers and founders of the Christian Church, there were the "three orders; but as we have already shown they left no successors. Where do we now find the gift of tongues, the gift of healing, or the power of working miracles? In our next article we shall deal with the historic Testimony bearing upon the government and polity of the Apostolic Church. We have alread shown that Episcopacy is not to be found in the Christian Church of the New Testament era; in ournextwe shall show that Episcopacy is not to be found in the next generation after the Apostolic age. We therefore hesitate not to affirm that the Episcopal form of Government has not subsisted either in name or in fact in the Christian Church "from the beginning;" on the contrary, as we have shown already, and as we shall hereafter show, Presbytery was the form of government which obtained in the Church both during the Apostolic age and for several generations afterwards.

We now close part IV.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Oct. 18 1881.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—I see our friend "Tammas Tickle" is tickling away again. Tammas is a true Scotchman, he won't give in, and he is far traveled too; he says himself that he has walked every foot of the way from "Maradite to John O Groat's." Most remarkable Tammas! I wonder if "Tibbie" was along with him on the long journey. I think Tammas is just wanting to air himself a little. I cannot think he is in earnest about "Bonnie Dundee," or can it be possible that he is better acquainted with what is sung at concerts than in the "Kirk?" "Bonnie Dundee" is a fine song, and is set to a beautiful air, but so far as we know, neither have been yet introduced into public worship. Tibbie is a little jealous, I see. She is afraid of Tammas committing himself in the matter of distances; honest woman! The conjugal affection seems so strong that I venture to affirm that Tammas never needed to sing the song:

> "Oh, Tibbie I ha'e seen the day
> Ye wadna been sae shy."

I do not expect to be able to convince Tammas on every point, for, like every Scotchman, he will stick to his point, although he has no point to stick to. I am a little in doubt of Tammas being a genuine Scotchman however, for if he was, he would not be so much in favor of the organ. I once read of a Scotchman "an elder o' the kirk," who was visiting some friends on the English side of the Tweed, and being at a prayer meeting one night where an organ was used in connection with the singing, he was asked to lead in prayer, "na, na," he said, "call upon the machine, if it can praise it can pray." I have also heard of a Non-conformest (Scotch) minister who had in vain resisted the introduction of instrumental music, and who, as a last resort, said, when going to commence the service on the first Sabbath after the instrumentalists had carried their way, "Let us praise God by singing and *fiddling* the nineteenth psalm," but in Tammas we have an advocate *for* the instrument.

Tammas insists that "the Almighty." makes the organs; course we admit that He makes all things in this sense. Our friend however wisely adds, "we put them thegither"; that makes a'l the difference. God also made the Ball with which the deeply lamented President Garfield was wounded, but it was Guitteau that shot him. Tammas should remember that it is not the music that is the praise, but the *truth* expressed *in* and *by* the musical sound is. The sacrifice God requires is not the "soul of music shed" by the harp of Tara, but his *own truth*, which is *spiritual*, poured forth in the *living* and *loving* accents which a redeemed one alone can breathe. Can an organ express a spiritual truth? Is it a "sounding brass and tinkling symbal" that pleases God? Paul did not think so; but Tammas will perhaps say with a great many more that it is not the organ that worships, it only helps folk to sing. This is the same argument that is used by our Romish friends when speaking of their Beads, Images, Crosses, &c. It is not to the Saints that they pray, these are only used "as helps" in their prayers, but we know that the cross used as "a help" soon began to be adored. Again many people say that organs are so fashionable, that if we are to keep pace with the times, we must have one too; this is an old style of doing things. "If you are in Rome you must do as the Romans do," we say not at all; because my neighbour smokes tobacco, drinks "forty rod" until he is drunk, curses and blasphemes the Holy name, profanes the sacred day by keeping an open house for every graceless being who is going from house, to house either to give or get some malicious, slanderous gossip, I say because my neighbor does so, am I to do so? Surely not. If our Saviour had conformed to the times in which he lived he would never have been crucified; His vicarious death would never have taken place, the world would still have been unredeemed, we would still have been offering the morning and evening sacrifice, or wallowing in Pagan idolatry. The Mosaic Law with its types and symbols, its rites and its ceremonies would still have been binding upon us (if, as some affirm, we are the "lost tribes") and just because our Great High Priest did not conform to the sinful practices of His times, He suffered—He bled—He died, and all the attendant blessings are ours. We are not to be the slaves of circumstances, but circumstances are to be the slaves to us. Mr. Tickle says we only put them "thegither". What does the builder of a musical instrument aim at when he is putting it "thegither"? He simply tries to make an instrument to imitate the human voice, and when he has done *his* best, it is only a very clumsy imitation. True, the compass is much greater than the human voice, but from "Bass to "Alto" it is made up entirely of "Tones" and "Semi-tones. Now, a well cultivated voice can divide a Tone into many parts. It was said of Jenny Lind, the "Swedish nightingale", a quarter of a century ago, that she could take a *thirty-second* part of a tone, that is, that she could make thirty two distinct sounds in any of the full tones, and Jenny was said to be Scotch too, Tammas. The organ makes *two*, hence we say it is comparatively clumsy.

If Tammas will look back to his concert going days, and recall to mind the "encores" on these occasions, he will agree with me that it was the *singers* who were called back, not the *fiddler* in the orchestra; I remember being in the Italian Opera London England, when Marco and Grissi were performing, as was supposed, for the last time to a London audience; it was a "gala" night, Her Majesty and Her consort honored the performance with their presence; the orchestra was complete with the best players Europe could produce. Their selections were the choicest, and executed with exquisite taste; the performance went on. The two great singers were recalled many, many times, but the orchestra, although everything that could be desired, were allowed to go without a single encore. God made the singers, man put the instruments "thegither". Yes, Tammas, God made man in His own image, with Heavenly powers, (alas, too often degraded) "but man has sought out many inventions," and among others, organs to use in His worship. Do not suppose however that I don't like music, no no. I am very fond of it, either vocal or instrumental. I like an organ very well, a piano much better, and the Human Voice far better than both put together. Every family ought to have a musical instrument, and use it at least every night, excepting Sabbath, but Sabbath is too sacred a day to indulge *any sensuous* gratification more than is really necessary. If our Educational Magnates were to insist on music being taught in our Common Schools as it is in Germany, I think it would be well for us; every boy and girl should learn to sing, play a musical instrument, and dance.

Tammas should remember that there is not a single passage in the New Testament enjoining, or even admitting instrumental music to be used in Praise; indeed it is very evident that no such thing was intended. Our worship, to be true worship, must be *spiritual*, not *sensuous*. Our Saviour swept away all *ritual* when he said to the woman of Samaria, "But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true Worshiper shall worship the Father in Spirit and in Truth, for the Father seeketh such to worship him"; and allowing Tammas to be what, by his language he professes to be, a Scotchman, he will in all probability be a member of the Presbyterian Church, a church, which more than any other church that I know of, has always been resolute against any innovations in her worship whatever; and if so, we would call his attention *to his confession of faith*, where he will find the following passage: "The whole council of God concerning all things necessary for His own glory, man's salvation, faith and life, is either expressly set down in Scripture, or by good and necessary consequence may be deduced from Scripture *unto which nothing at any time is to be added*." Tammas may not have subscribed his name to this, although thousands of the best and most learned men that ever lived have done so, but by his profession he is looked upon as having "testified" his adherence thereto.

Tammas holds out strongly for praising with "a loud noise joyfully," and seems to think that I would rather sit by the willows and weep; I am not one of the disconsolates. I like major tunes as well as minors, in their own place; but many like our friend seem to think that a "loud noise" is all that is wanted; loud singing does not always show deep piety, any more than loud lamentations shew deep grief; it has often been remarked that when the sorrow penetrates to our "inmost heart" the tear fountain is dried up; we have an eminent instance of this recoreded in the public papers now in reference to heart stricken widow of President Garfield; God was not in the whirlwind, nor in the thunder, but in the "small still voice." These Scotch Presbyterians are a sturdy race in church matters, as well as on the battle field. They have a great deal to boast of; they can refer us back to the beginning of the eighth century, when nearly the whole world had succumbed to the Papacy, they can point to at *Scotland* being the *only spot in Europe* that had not yielded to the demands of the Pope; and that a Scotchman stood almost unaided, in the centre of Europe, and fought successfully in argument, not only the *English* Papists, but all others who opposed the simplicity of the cause he had so much at heart; the last we hear of this good man is that the Pope decided in Council that if he did not retract his errors he should be delivered up to everlasting damnation, and then requested Boniface to send him to Rome under a sure guard; and here we lose sight of him. The Scotch can also invite the scholar back to the fifteenth century, when manhood seem to have been so low in Ireland, that the Irish took a Scotchman, whom they thought so much superior to themselves, that they made a Saint of him—yea, St. Patrick. And since the dawn of Reformation they have a noble record; they suffered ignominy, shame, reproach and death, in every shape and form, rather than hearken to man, and slight the God that bought them; and at the present day they (the Scotch Presbyterians, I mean) can boast of their church being as pure in Doctrine, Government and worship, as any church under the sun. The intelligent Presbyterian can easily afford to hear the thousands of *ignorant* babblers traduce his church; he knows that she is accused by many who ought to know better of holdidg doctrines which she repudiates. She holds by the *word*, and insists on a "Thus saith the Lord," for every thing, and will not suffer human inventions to come between her and her God; of late however she has in some instances (but not yet as a church) swerved from the simplicity that is in the church, as planted by our Saviour and His apostles, I mean in reference to this organ question, and our friend "Tammas" seems to be somewhat influenced by it also; I have no wish to enter upon that question here, but state plainly my conviction, that it is anti-Presbyterian, anti-Christian, and anti-Scriptural; and if Tammas will put himself to the trouble to look back to the records of Presbytarianism, he will not find the slightest trace of it until the past few years; nor will he find a *single sentence* commanding, or advising in *all the New Testament*, why Tammas encourage the introduction of an organ into the church to take part in the worship of the searcher of hearts, since He plainly tells us that if we would worship him, we *must* do so *in spirit*.

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CLIPPINGS FROM OUR LOCAL EXCHANGES.

ON Monday the first regular passenger train left Chesley for Stratford and Port Dover, in charge of Conductor Crann. There are two daily trains going south, and two arriving from the south, every other day there is a mixed train, which makes three trains each way. The morning train leaves Chesley at 6 a. m., the next 10:25 a. m., and every Monday, Tuesday and Friday, mixed 11. The arrival of the trains are timed for 1:38 p. m., 7:30 and 11:5 p. m.—*Chesley Enterprise.*

We noticed last week that a Grand Opening excursion from Durham to Niagara Falls for to-morrow (Friday.) The bills announcing the same were posted throughout the country; and even a "Proclamation" appointing Friday a "Civic Holliday" was issued but we are sorry to say that the Grand Excursion, to which so many were looking anxiously forward to has turned out a Grand Fizzle. The affair was postponed. "There is many a slip," &c. &c. Who's to blame?—*Grey Review.*

A NEW SWINDLE.—Two sharpers work this swindle. One buys a horse and makes a sale at a very low price to some farmer, telling some plausible story to account for his willingness to take half what the animal is worth. In the course of four or five days along comes the second man, who claims to run a livery stable, and he identifies the horse as one stolen from him. He talks big, blusters around, and either scares the farmer in to giving up the horse or "settling the case" by paying a good round sum. The game has been worked twice in this county and once in Macomb, and will be again unless farmers are warned against the rascals.—*Hamilton Spectator.*

PERSONAL.—J. H. James, teacher of voice culture, music and elocution, returns to Markdale this week. He intends organizing classes, pubic and private, in M. and surrounding country immediately. He is a certified teacher of both the staff and tonic sol fa me sho do of music, as he has been under some of the best masters in America; has made voice culture a speciality; has examined almost every systen of teaching; he claims to have the shortest and most thorough method for teaching vocal music; extant elocution is taught on the phonitic, imitative, and analytical principle. He will be in town working up the classes in afew days. We would say to all especially the young people, embrace the present opportunity and get a knowledge of those very important subjects.

The law firm of Lane and Rowe is to be dissolved on the first of November, Mr. R. E. Crawford filling the vacancy of Mr. Rowe who goes to Markdale to open an office there.—*Tribune*.

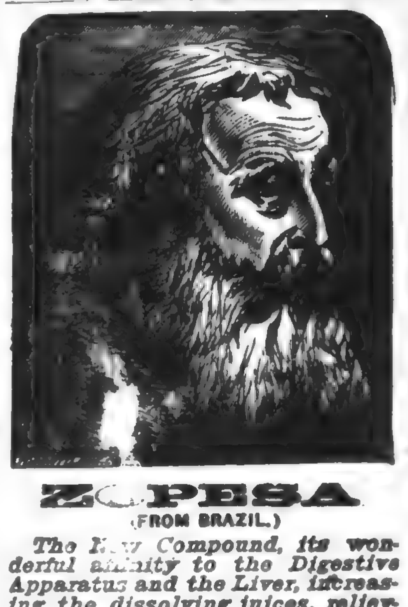
MARRIED.

KING—BURRELL.—At the Methodist Parsonage, Meaford, on the 10th September, by the Rev. Mr. Johnston, Mr. Henry King to Miss Minnie Burrell.

DIED.

GOTT—In Proton, on the 24th inst., Elizabeth Ann, daughter of W. Gott; aged 11 years, 5 months and 6 days.

PATE—In Proton. on the 15th inst., Jane E., wife of Mr. H. Pate; aged 30 years.



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J. M. BONNELL.
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NOTICE.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Through the columns of your valuable paper I wish to correct a mistake which I see in the posters announcing the sale of the McFarland and Campbell Grist Mill property, at Markdale, on 22nd of October. On the 8th of April last, Ritchie obtained a decree from the Court of Chancery against the said Mill Property, and sale was ordered. Ritchie is plaintiff in the case, and not McFarland as the sale notice would now lead the public to believe. Said decree is for a part of the purchase money still due to Ritchie.

WM. P. RITCHIE.
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Picton, April 20, 18[illegible]

GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and with increased sales for so valuable a remedy Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

DR. J. B. [illegible]

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases; Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by A. Turner & Co., Markdale; [illegible] Owen Sound: J. W. Elliott, [illegible] Stephens & McCarroll, [illegible]

THE STANDARD.

[Fri]day October 28th, 1881.

[LOC]AL & OTHER NOTICES

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[Th]omas Mathews has a number [of tr]unks and valises, and offers [them ve]ry cheap. See them.

[The] pews will be re-let in the [Metho]dist Church on Tuesday, the 1st [of No]vember, at one o'clock p.m.

[The To]ronto oil company, are sole [manuf]acturers of "Castorine machine [oil. In]fringements will be prosecuted,

[The] STANDARD Office is nearing completion, and will be ready, together with the Photo Gallery in the upper story, in about a week.

"[I mu]st say it's the nicest thing I [ever u]sed for the teeth and breath," says everyone having tried Teaberry, [it is] a toilet gem. Get a 5ct. sample.

[Fre]sh air is indispensable, but when you need a fresh pen be sure it is one of Esterbrook's make. Wholesale dealers, Toronto News Co., Toronto.

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[Mr.] Fox, of Primrose, has opened in the blacksmith business in the shop lately owned and occupied by Mr. James Hanna. We understand Mr. Fox is a first class Horse Shoer.

[On] Sabbath next, 30th instant (D. V.) the Rev J. S. Corcoran will preach in the Orange Hall, Markdale, at 3 o'clock. p. m. The general public are kindly invited.

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5000 Telegraph poles wanted, at once, for which 50cts each will be paid in cash. They must be 30 feet long, 6 inches at top, and peeled: straight, sound cedar. C. W. Rut[le]dge.

[Mr. M]cIntyre has just reaieved a new [stock] of fresh groceries in Teas, Sugar Tobacco, raisins, Currants, Pickles, [and] Irish and Scotch Whiskey, and Buckwheat Flour for Pankakes Yum, Yum.

[Re]v. Mr. Corcoran, Primitive Methodist is very much pleased with his new field of labor, and is having general success an all his appointments. He says the people are very sociable and warmhearted.

[T]hey have three trains per week [each] way to Durham. on the G. B. & [B.] Railway. We thing that patience [mus]t have became a virtue by this [tim]e in Durham with regard to the Railway.

[KN]ITTING MACHINE.—Miss Douglas [has] purchased a celebrated *Creelman* [Kni]tting Machine, and would beg to [ann]ounce that she is prepared to take [any] quantity of knitting, and guaran[tee] satisfaction; charges low.

[R]ESPECT.—The Grey Hairs of old [age] demand and should receive respect [bu]t the Grey Hairs of young people [requ]ire attention—in the way of using Cingales Hair Renewer. Sold by Druggist 50 cents a bottle.

[S]pecial meetings are being held at [Eas]t Zion Church, New England Rev. J. S. Corcoran, with good [succ]ess. About 25 precious souls [hav]e started to lead a new life. The [mee]tings are still progressing.

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Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters are in every sense of the [wor]d a worthy *family medicine*, and [we] are glad to learn that they are rapidly taking the place of those nauseous little Pills. A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

The following newspapers are for [sal]e every day at Wilcox the Jeweller's, [Dai]ly Mail, Daily Globe, and the [W]orld the last named paper is only [one ce]nt per copy, and is a first class [pape]r for the money. Call and subscribe for it; 6cts per week,

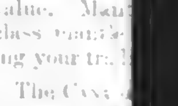
We have [...] anonymous [...] to [...] any attention [...] parties sending [...] wish them in[serted] us their names [...] publication, b[ut as a] good faith.

We will giv[e ...] ALD, with any [...] lications for [...] can be obtain[ed ...] *Mail*, Weekly [...] and Canada F[armer ...] Agriculturist [...] STANDARD or [...]

In order t[o ...] his immense [...] and has cu[t ...] FIRST CLASS [...] who will [...] Dress mate[rials ...] ed. Ladie[s ...] terns, it will [...]

We were s[hown ...] cane last wee[k ...] sented to Mr. [...] members of [...] Minnesota. Gold head be[...] Mr. Speers [...] also from wh[...] somewhat ab[...]

A Montrea[l ...] ernment rec[...] £1 sterling [...] of Irish lac[...] per head [...] They should [...] and Scotch [...] namely £1 [...]



Shawls, On[...] from Belfast [...] Cloth, price [...] $2.00, and $[...] value. Man[...] class [...] ing your tr[...]

The CANA[DA ...] promises to b[e ...] structive as [...] continues to [...] agent is wan[ted ...] to whom [...] offered. W[...] the CANADA P[...] price of th[...] Balance of th[...]

In th[...] Bilious, Mala[ria ...] SON'S STOM[ACH ...] purity the [...] They ar[e ...] 3 oz. bot[tles ...] & Co., [...]

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At Portsm[outh ...] Matawa [...] army [...] but unexpec[ted ...] resolved, [...] ment [...] possibl[e ...] T. D. Pat[...] among them [...] and then the [...] is not stat[ed ...] The other [...] clothes.

Mr. J[...] Mr. G. S. Bro[...] 500. Mr. B[...] and will run t[...] capacity. He [...] planer, [...] for any q[...] comes to us w[...] mendations f[...] doubt, do well [...] us to state, th[...] settle any acco[unts ...] for parties to [...] are, and hav[e ...]

"The Fa[rmer's ...] contains acco[unts ...] by the editor, a[...] Every farm [...] terested in the [...] of our Domin[ion ...] teresting an[d ...] Journal is we[...] real live, pra[ctical ...] periodical. T[...] and poultry [...] especially att[...] is published [...] Ont., Canada.

No paper [...] Canada receiv[...] as the RURAL [...] of this is not [...] all the good w[...] and deserves [...] every farmer [...] place the RUR[AL ...] reach of all on[...] with the STAN[DARD ...] $1.60. If th[e ...] me, is desired [...] book will b[e ...] Balance of th[e ...]

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[No pre]paration on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil [as a sa]fe, sure, simple and cheap External [Remedy]. A trial entails but the comparatively [trifling o]utlay of 50 Cents, and every one suffering [with pai]n can have cheap and positive proof of its [claims].

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[... &] FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

[Farme]rs having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or [... to dis]pose of will do well to call at N. [...] Block, opposite the new [...]

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[If] any of our readers desire a copy of [CANADI]AN FARMING, an Encyclopedia [...] by practical farmers, we are [prepared to] furnish The Standard and [Rural] Canadian, and the book, in[cluding bi]nding, with nearly 300 fine [illustrations, a]ll for $3. The price alone of [Canadi]an Farming is $1.50.

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We have frequently stated that anonymous communications will receive no attention at our hands. If parties sending us communications wish them inserted they must send us their names, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

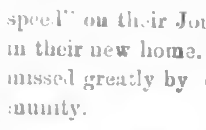
We will give the STANDARD or HERALD, with any of the following publications for $2. or either of them can be obtained singly at $1. Weekly *Mail*, Weekly *Globe Farmers Advocate* and Canada Farmer. The American Agriculturist in connection with the STANDARD or HERALD $1. Singly, $1.50.

IN order to still more popularize his immense business W. J. McFarland has engaged the services of a FIRST-CLASS MANTLE and DRESS MAKER, who will cut and fit Mantle and Dress material in any style required. Ladies examine his stylish patterns, it will pay you.

We were shown a very handsome cane last week, which had been presented to Mr. W. J. Speers, by the members of Alexandria Cornet Band, Minnesota. The cane had a Massive Gold head beautifully carved and had Mr. Speers name engraved on it as also from whom he receivedit. It cost somewhat about $35.

A Montreal despatch says the Government recently offered to take off £1 sterling from the passage money of Irish laborers and give an agent $2 per head for all he could bring out. They should be able to carry English and Scotch laborers for the same sum, namely £4. It is said they refused to do so.

GONE TO MANITOBA.—Wesley and Archie Speers, with their brother W. J. Speers left on Monday for Winnipeg, Manitoba they took 17 horses with them. Quita a crowd went to see them off and wish them "Good speed" on their Journey and success in their new home. The boys will be missed greatly by our farming community.



W. J. MCFARLAND received ex. steam ship *Circassian*, one case Embroideries, Two dozen Shawls, One bale Table Linens direct from Belfast, and 275 yards Mantle Cloth, prices, $1 00, $1.25, $1.75. $2.00, and $2 75 per yard. Excellent value. Mantles cut and fitted by first class mantle maker while you are doing your trading.

The CANADA PRESBYTERIAN for 1882 promises to be as interesting and instructive as ever. The Rev. W. Inglis continues to be Editor-in-chief. An agent is wanted in every congregation, to whom liberal inducements will be offered. We club the STANDARD and the CANADA PRESBYTERIAN at $2,50 the price of the latter alone is $2.00. Balance of the year FREE.

In the month of October Typhoids Bilious, Malarial Fevers are very prevalent. For a shure preventative take, according to directions, DR CARSON'S STOMACH BITTERS. They purify the System and cool the Blood; They are used to great advantage in Fever and Ague districts. In large 8 oz. bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co, special agent for Markdale.

PASSED. We are pleased to state that J. W. H. Milne, son of Wm. Milne, Esq., Township Clerk of Osprey and James Smith, of Latona, were successful in passing their matriculation examination to Queen's University, Kingston. We hope our young friends will be as successful in obtaining high honors at the end of their turn.

Symptoms of Dyspepsia or Indigestion, a dull heavy feeling in the Stomach with a frequent disposition to vomit, Heartburn, Loss of Mental and Physical Force, DR. CARSON'S STOMACH AND CONSTIPATION BITTERS is *the certain Remedy* for this distressing complaint. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER &Co., special agents for Markdale.

At Portsmouth the other day Miss Mainwaring, the daughter of an army officer, was about to be married, but unexpectedly she died. It was resolved, however, that before interment she should be married "as far as possible." and accordingly the Rev. T. D. Platt and other clergymen among them read the marriage service, and then the service for funerals. It is not stated what the bridegroom did. The other friends wore their wedding clothes.

Mr. Jas. Chapman has sold out to Mr. G. S. Brown, of Meaford for $4, 500. Mr. B. takes possession at once and will run the mill to its fullest capacity. He is also putting in a plainer, and is prepared to pay cash for any quantity of logs. Mr. Brown comes to us with very high recommendations from Meaford, and will no doubt, do well. Mr. Chapman wishes us to state, that he is prepared to settle any accounts for logs, &c., and for parties to send in their accounts at once, and have a settlement,

"THE FARMERS' ADVOCATE AND HOME MAGAZINE for October is to hand. and contains accounts of the dominion, Provincial and Industrial Exhibitions, by the editor, and special contributors. Every farmer, and every person interested in the agricultural prosperity of our Dominion, should read these interesting and useful reports. This Journal is well illustrated, and is a real live, practical and independent periodical. To stockmen, dairymen and poultry fanciers, this number is especially attractive. The ADVOCATE is published by W. Weld. London, Ont., Canada."

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MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 28th, 1881.

Flour	6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.25	to	1.27
Fall do. do. do.	1.25	to	1.27
Barley	1.50	"	0.77
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.66	"	0.69
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.21	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50	"	1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.10
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.80	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, Oct 2[?]th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.26
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.26
Barley	0.60	"	0.75
Oats	0.32	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.00
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.14	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.00	"	0.00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0 10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1		$1.25	to	$1.26
" " " 2		1.20	to	1.25
Wheat, Spring, " 1		1.22	to	1.27
" " " 2		1.20	to	1.22
" " " 3		1.12	to	1.15
Barley	" 2	.65	to	.75
"	" 3	.50	to	.60
Peas	" 1	.66	to	.68
"	" 2	.60	to	.62
Oats	" 1	.36	to	.37
Butter	" 1	.20	to	.21
Eggs		.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall per bush	$1 32	to	$1 35
Wheat, spring, do.	1 36	to	1 41
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 90
Oats, do.	0 42	to	0 44
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 82
Rye, do.	0 95	to	0 98
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs...	7 50	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	6 50	to	8 00
Beef, fore quarters	5 00	to	5 60
Chickens, per pair	o 30	to	0 35
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 18	to	0 20
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	1000	to	10 50

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

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Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

W. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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CAME into the premises of the subscriber, lot 8, con. 6, Glenelg, on or about the 25th of September last, an aged horse, with star on forehead, two white hind feet, and shoes on front feet. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

JAMES WELSH, Priceville P. O.

Oct. 18th, 1881. 3t

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And a good fit guaranteed.

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Flesherton, March. 1881.

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

Sydenham Street,

MARKDALE,

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43 6m

MARKDALE

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And by using the Best of Material and Good Workmanship, hope to receive a fair share of your patronage. Special attention given to

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Markdale, March 3, 1881. 25 3m.

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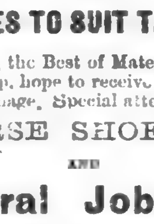

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Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

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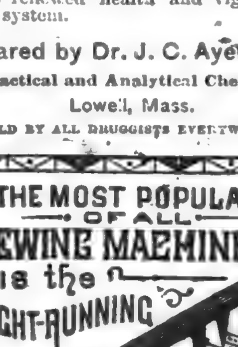

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July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

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STRAYED

INTO the premises of the subscriber, lot 6, con. 4, Euphrasia, about the 10th September, two Ewes and one Lamb. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take them away.

D. R. ELLIS.

Euphrasia, Oct. 10th, 1881. 57-3in

Teacher Wanted.

FOR School Section No. 4, Glenelg, male or female, (male preferred). Applicants by mail will please state salary. Duties to commence the 1st January, 1882.

THOS. TOWNSEND, Sec.-Treas.,

57-7-3t. Glascott P. O.

FARM FOR SALE.

LOTS 73 and 74, 3rd Range east of T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, containing 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, and in a high state of cultivation. Soil, Caly-Loam, free from stone, well fenced, and well watered. A new frame house, and a good frame barn on the premises. Forty acres of good hardwood bush. This desirable property is situated 4 miles from Markdale, and will be sold on easy terms. Price, $2,500. For particulars, apply on the premises to

J. T. & J. QUINN.

Markdale, Sept. 22, 1881. 54-6tn

Span of Mares Stolen.

ONE dark brown, with strip of white down the face—larger towards the nose; two white hind legs; carries head high when driving, and keeps tongue out: will not allow a stranger to groom her without kicking. The other light bay, small size, hollow back, low set, has a small swelling on front of hind leg —is peevish with strangers and tries to bite any one who attempts to put their hand on her. The above were stolen from the stable of Mrs. Wilson, Lot. 19, con. [...], Albion, on the night of the 25th September, by [...] Wm. Wilson, of Bolton; about 20 years of age; slim built; round shouldered; bare spot on head behind right ear; dark complexion. $20 reward will be given to any person who will give such information as will lead to the recovery of the horses or the arrest of the thief.

MRS. WILSON.

Albion, Oct. 10th, 1881. 57-7-3t.

FOUND.

IN A. McINTYRE'S STORE, A PROMISSORY Note for Six Dollars, signed by A. H. Todd. The owner can have it by calling at this office, proving ownership, and paying for this advertisement.

C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1881. 3t

Look Out, Look Out!

—FOR—

R. DAVIS'

MAMMOTH

LAND LIST

—TO BE—

Issued about 27th Sept.

All parties wanting lands in the County of Grey should see this List. The largest list of lands for sale ever issued in this County. Those having lands to dispose of should send in the description of their properties for insertion, not later than Saturday, 24th inst.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agt.

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MARKDALE.

To All Whom it May Concern.

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August 9th, 1881.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

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DUNDALK. ONT.

MONEY. Farmers wishing to obtain money cannot do better than to call at the Farmers and Mechanics' Agency established in the town of Dundalk, where you can get MONEY at a reduced rate of interest on Terms to suit yourselves,—to pay off a previous mortgage, build a new house or barn, to clear more land, or to obtain a choice breed of cattle. Loans will be put through without loss of time, while the strictest privacy will be maintained in all transactions.

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LANDS.—I beg to call the attention of those wishing to purchase land, as I have a large number of good and cheap Farm Lots for sale. Send address and get my catalogue and prices.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

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Dundalk September 1st, 1881.

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BOOT AND SHOE

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IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announnce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected Stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY.

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

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which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 3rd, 1881. 1 3m

MELANCTHON AGRICULTURAL EXHIBITION.

The annual Exhibition of the Melancthon Agricultural Society, was held here on Thursday and Friday last, and proved to be very successful. The first day of the show the weather was fair, although somewhat cool, but Friday morning was gloomy, and during the forenoon there was some rain, which no doubt prevented many from attending. The afternoon turned out fine, and afforded an opportunity for the large crowds in the village to visit the show grounds, and it is estimated that between two and three thousand visitors passed through the gates, the receipts being considerably in excess of any previous year. Of the exhibition itself it is unnecessary to speak, suffice it to say, that it was not behind any of its predecessors in point of general excellence. We might say that the officers and directors deserve [illegible] for their well directed labors [illegible] no doubt, contributed in a great measure to the success of the show. For the names of the successful competitors in the various departments we refer our readers to the

PRIZE LIST:

DRAFT HORSES.—Span of horses, special by Dr. Sproule, M. P., John Blair, 2d Joseph Paul. Brood Mare, James McGill, 2d Thomas Dunkin. Two-year old Gelding or Filly, special by Wm. McGillivray, A. Noble, 2d Mark Harrison. Yearling Gelding or Filly, 1st and 2d Wm. Gallangher. Spring Colt, James McGill, 2d Wm. Tucker.

GENERAL PURPOSES.—Span of Horses special by A. & D. Bell, Robert Copeland, 2d D. Sutherland. Brood Mare, Mark Harrison, 2d G. W. Skelding. Two year old gelding or filly, special by Irwin Bros., Thos. Dunkin, 2d W. McGhee. Yearling gelding or filly, George Shaw, 2d Mark Harrison. Spring colt, Mark Harrison, 2d G. W. Skelding.

CARRIAGE HORSES.—Special by Wm. [illegible] M. P. P., James Currie, 2d W. [illegible], 3d Henry Fawcett. Hack in [illegible], special by T. Jennings, Esq., J. T. Hemstreet, 2d Wm. Calbeck. Saddle horse, special by H. Carson, [illegible] Chas Hamilton, 2d Mack Howes. Fast driving horse, C. M. Hastings, 2d Mack Howes. Two year old stallion, James McGill, 2d John Bell.

THOROUGH-BRED CATTLE.—Bull, three [illegible] old and over, Colwell Graham, 2d Thomas Ferguson. Bull two years old and under, Ralph Foster, 2d Richard Brett, 3d Joseph Banks. Bull [illegible] and 2d Richard Brett. Milch [illegible] Brett, 2d John Hawkins, Two year old heifer, Mark Harrison.

[illegible]—Herd of Grades, [illegible] Milch cow, 1st and [illegible] Harrison. Two year old [illegible] and 2d Ralph Foster. Yearling [illegible] R. Finlay, 2d Robt. Gray. [illegible] Calf, Thomas Dunkin, 2d R. [illegible] Working oxen, John B. [illegible] Jolly.

[illegible]—Pen of Cotswolds [illegible] Jolly, Esq., Cooney [illegible] Harrison. Aged ram, [illegible] Bros, Shearling [illegible] Cooney Bros. Ram [illegible] 2d Cooney Bros. Aged [illegible], 2d Cooney Bros. [illegible] 1st and 2d Cooney [illegible] lamb, Cooney Bros., 2d [illegible]

[illegible] Aged Ewe, Mark [illegible] Joseph Banks. Shearling [illegible] Banks. Ewe lambs [illegible]

[illegible]—Aged Boar, James [illegible] Spring pigs, R. Gray, 2d [illegible]

[illegible] PIGS.—Aged boar, R. [illegible] Spring pigs, J. Manning, 2d [illegible] Special by R. Morton [illegible] of any breed, R. Gray, 2d [illegible] Special by R. Morton, for [illegible] of any breed under eighteen [illegible] James Braiden. 2d R. Morton.

[illegible] Pair Geese, R. Trimble, [illegible] Bros. Turkeys, W. Rintoul [illegible] John Blair. Ducks, James [illegible] Cooney Bros. Brahmas, [illegible] Bros. 2d R. Trimble. Games, [illegible], 2d S. Lindsay. Spanish [illegible] Irwin, 2d R. Hartly. Plymouth [illegible] R. Baird, 2d R. Hartley. [illegible] Jas Huxtable.

[illegible], ROOTS AND FLOUR.—Flour, [illegible] and 2d T. P Hodgson. Collection of grain, special by A. Harris & Son, [illegible] Foster, 2d Henry Fawcett. Collection of grain, special by Wm. Calbeck, Esq., R. Polley. Collection of roots, special by Wilson Brothers, W. Shields, 2d M. Harrison. Swede Turnips, special by F. A. Campbell, Esq., Henry Fawcet, 2d R. Foster. Fall wheat, G. W. Skelding, 2d F. Pellett, [illegible], John Davidson. White Russian, John Davidson, 2d Wm. Anderson. Any other kind of spring wheat, John Davidson, 2d Joseph Stone.—Barley, Henry Fawcett, 2d J. Davidson. White oats, Wm. Anderson, 2d J. Davidson. Black oats, Wm. Stonehouse. Small peas, John Hall, 2d John Davidson. Flax seed, Wm. Henry, 2d H. Fawcett. Timothy seed, Wm. Shields, 2d H. Fawcett, Indian Corn [illegible] Abernethy, 2d P. D. Henry. Early Rose Potatoes, D. McVannel. 2d Wm. [illegible] Any other kind of potatoes, [illegible] August, 2d Mrs. Rintoul. Collection of Potatoes, H. Besley, 2d Wm. [illegible] Aberdeen turnips, R. Polley, 2d C. Graham. Any other kind of turnips, Wm. Henry, 2d R. Foster.—[illegible], E. Berwick. 2d R. Stewart. Long Red Carrots, H. Fawcett, 2d D. [illegible]. Short red carrots, Mrs. [illegible], 2d R. Baird. White carrots. [illegible], 2d M. Harrison. Potatoe onions, J. Trobble, 2d A. Toole. Seed onions, [illegible] Murray, 2d Wm. Anderson. [illegible] onions, George Reaburn, 2d R. Murray. Cabbage, E. Mortimer, 2d [illegible] Blair. Pumpkins, B. Bradford, 2d R. Polley. Squash, P. D. Henry, 2d John Hall. Tomatoes, A. B. Noble, 2d F. Wilderness. Beets, Cooney [illegible] 2d W. Shields. Celery, A. [illegible], 2d E. Berwick. Citrons, R. Foster, 2d R. Stewart. Fall Apples, McGhee Bros., 2d, McGhee Bros. Winter Apples, Mrs. Wilson, 2d McGhee Bros. Collection of Apples, Mrs. Rintoul, 2d W. August. Large crabs, George Marshall, 2d D. [illegible]. Small crabs, R. Polley, 2d Mrs. Wilson. Lombard plums, T. [illegible], 2d Thomas Wiggins. Any other kind of plums, Wm. Watson, 2d [illegible] Wilson. Collection of plums, W. Watson. Pears, E. Ferris, 2nd Wm. [illegible]

[illegible]ACTURES.—Iron beam sod [illegible], John Quinn. 2d Mr. Reaburn; [illegible] purpose plough, John Quinn, 2d Wm. Calbeck. Lumber Waggon, George Island. Democrat spring waggon, G. Patterson, 2d G. Island. Platform spring waggon, Armstrong Manufacturing Co., 2d, A. C Bell. Single Buggy, G. Island, 2d G. Patterson.—Single cutter, G. Patterson. Iron harrow, John Quinn, 2d A. & D. Bell. Horse shoes. G. Patterson. Double Harness, F. Marshall. Double light harness. F. Marshall. Coarse boots, Thomas Wilder, 2d R. Besley. Fine Boots, W. A. McKee. Collection of boots, Chas. Addison, 2d R. Besley. Collection of leather, R. Besley, 2d G. Marshall. Collection of leather specially recommended, Charles Sinclair Bureau, Irwin Bros. Bedstead, Irwin Bros. Table, Irwin Bros. Fanning mill, W. Jeffry, 2d Chas. Hamilton. Boot Cutter, Wilson Bros. Horse rake. W. Calbeck, 2d C. Hamilton. Cooking stove, A. B. Noble. Collection of tinware, A. B. Noble.

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THE POWER OF THE PRESS.

One of the old-time editors of Michigan was boasting the other day that he had never been sued for libel, or attacked in his sanctum, but he could recall many narrow escapes. Twenty-five years ago, he was running a red-hot paper on the line of the Michigan Central railroad. A man named Carson, who was running for some country office, was given a bad racket, and the editor received a note that if he had anything more to say he might expect to receive a good pounding. He had a still more bitter attack the next week, and the paper was hardly mailed before in walked Carson, the candidate accompanied by a brother and two cousins. The four were strapping big fellows, and each were armed with a horsewhip. The two compositors and the "devil" got up with all speed, leaving the editor without support. He realized the situation at once, and began:

"Walk in, gentlemen; I presume you have come to horsewhip me?"

"We have," they answered.

"Very well. Have you thoroughly considered this matter?"

It doesn't need any consideration," replied Carson," "You have lied about me, and I am going to lick you within an inch of your life!"

"Just so, my friend; but first hear what I have to say. Did you ever hear of the press being stopped because the editor was cow-hided?"

"I dunno."

Well, you never did. Lick me all you chose, and my paper comes out week after week just the same. The power of the press is next to the lever that runs the universe. It makes or brakes parties, builds up or tears down, plants or destroys. Aggravate the editor and the press becomes a sword to wound or kill. Wallop me if you will, but next week I will come out more bitter than ever."

There was an embarrassing silence right here, and the face of each horsewhipper had an anxious look.

"It will go out to the world—to America, Canada, England, France—aye! clear to Jerusalem, that the Carson family of this county live on roots and johnny-cake; that they stole a dog from a blind man; that they murdered a pedlar for a pair of two shilling suspenders; that the women are club-footed, and the men work their ears when they sing; that the ——"

"What is the regular subscription price to the *Herald*:" interrupted Carson.

"Only twelve shillings a year."

"Put us four down."

"Very well—six dollars—that's correct. Run in and see me—all of you, and if any of you want to see any Detroit exchanges I shall only be too glad to serve you."—*Detroit Free Press.*

[illegible] Deacon.—Deacon Wilder, I want you to tell me how you kept yourself and family well the past season, when all the rest of us have been sick so much, and have had the doctors visiting us so often."

"Bro. Taylor, the answer is very easy, I used Hop Bitters in time; kept my family well and saved the doctor bills. Three dollars worth of it kept us well and able to work all the time. I'll warrant you it has cost you and the neighbors one to two hundred dollars apiece to keep sick the same time."

"Deacon, I'll use your medicine hereafter."

SEA SICKNESS.

The best remedy and preventative for Sea Sickness is Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. It is also the best remedy for all forms of Summer complaints, whether on sea or land it will not fail you. All Druggists sell it 37½ cents per bottle.

A quarrel over handling the ring recently caused a wedding to be broken off at the very altar in a Lowville, N. Y. Church.

A farmer in the Midlands of England lately turned about ten acres into a mushroom bed, and made a profit of $50 in less than three months.

GRANDMOTHER

Used to say, "Boys, if your blood is out of order try Burdock tea:" and they had to dig the Burdock and boil it down in kettles, making a nasty smelling decoction; now you get all the curative properties put up in a palative form in Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $ 1.00, trial size 10 cents.

A drinking saloon in Buffalo has on its curtain, so that it may be seen from the street, "Our trust is in God" —a delicate way of hinting that no credit is given.

A Broker in New York advertises for one million Confederate bonds at a quarter of one per cent. He has already bought over a million, and says he is acting for foreign parties.

A MATCHLESS MEDICINE.

The cooling, cleansing, soothing and healing properties of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry render it the best remedy in the world for all forms of bowel complaints, sicknes of the stomach, cramps, cholera morbus and dysentery. Purely vegetable, and always reliable.

There was great excitement throughout Ireland over the arrest at Dublin, of Parnell, Ireland's Dictator. He is charged with inciting the people to intimidate others from paying their rents, and intimidating tenants from taking advantage of the benefits accruing under the new Law Act.

A Boston firm made $40,000 out of the Garfield pictures, and now small effigies of Guiteau are finding a ready sale in some parts of New York city. They consist of a miniature scaffold beam of pine wood, from which a pasteboard figure of Guiteau is suspended by a cord.

"THE LEAVES SHALL BE FOR THE HEALING OF THE NATIONS."

The leaf of the Wild Strawberry has verified that Scriptural quotation. Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is the marvel of healing in all varieties of Summer Complaints, and Fluxey, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum and every form of Bowel Complaints of children or adults promptly yields to its power of healing.

An æsthetic correspondent of the New York *Herald* thinks that the only commentator who ever did justice to the "improvements" of civilization at Niagara Falls was an Indian who watched all day the workmen building a bridge from Goat Island to the mainland, and as he rose at nightfall to go away said heartily, "Damn Yankee! Ugh!"

Public Notice.

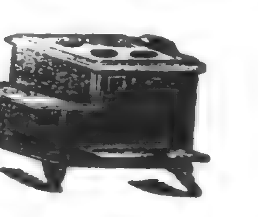
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

Stoves. Stoves



Cooking Stoves,
Parlor Stoves,
Box Stoves,
Hall Stoves,
Drum Stoves.

All the late improvements in style and finish.

HARDWARE!
TINWARE,
Paints, White Lead, Paint Oil, Machine Oil, Coal Oil, Lamps, &c.,
—AT—
Haskett Bros.

Markdale, Sept. 28th, 1881.

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—
LATELY FITTED UP
My Grist Mill in
FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

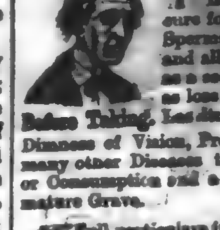
Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

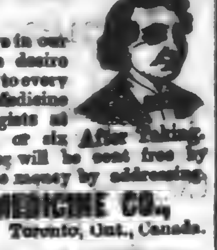
NIL DESPERANDUM.
GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.



THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

Before Taking.

Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing



After Taking.

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO., Toronto, Ont., Canada. 1-ly

HOP BITTERS, (A Medicine, not a Drink,) CONTAINS HOPS, BUCHU, MANDRAKE, DANDELION, AND THE PUREST AND BEST MEDICAL QUALITIES OF ALL OTHER BITTERS. THEY CURE All Diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Kidneys, and Urinary Organs, Nervousness, Sleeplessness and especially Female Complaints. $1000 IN GOLD. [illegible] D. I. C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. [illegible] SEND FOR CIRCULAR. [illegible] All above sold by druggists. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N. Y., & Toronto, Ont.

THE KEY TO HEALTH.
BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size $1.

For sale by all dealers.

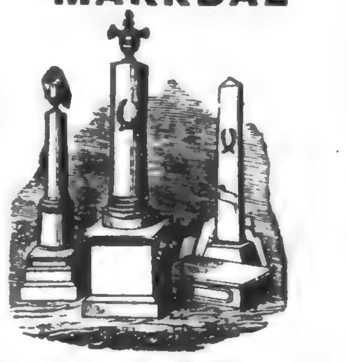
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto

DR FOWLER'S EXTRACT OF WILD STRAWBERRY

Cures Cholera, Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Cramps, Colic, Sea Sickness and Summer Complaint; also Cholera Infantum, and all Complaints peculiar to children teething, and will be found equally beneficial for adults or children.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto.

MARKDAL[E]



Marble Works
Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in
FIRST-CLASS STYLE!
and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

Portrait of Garfield, SIZE OF SHEET, 19x24, With his Autograph, acknowledged by himself to be the best likeness in existence. $7 per Hundred. Single Copies, 25 cts. Copy of Autograph Letter given with each picture. Address, SHOBER & CARQUEVILLE, LITH. Co., 119 Monroe St., Chicago.

40,000 sold in Chicago inside of 48 hours.

TAILORING
C. A. OWEN,
Fashionable Tailor,

HAVING rented the Tailoring Department over McFarland's store, wishes to inform the public of Markdale and the surrounding country, that he is prepare to

FILL ALL ORDERS
Promptly and Tastily
CUTTING!
Done w[h]il[e] customers are waiting.
THE LATEST FASHION PLATES
Always on hand to chose from.
A Good Fit Guaranteed
—AT—
LOW RATES.
Remember the Place, Over McFarland's Store.

Markdale June 16, 1881. 40-ly

FRUIT.
A. M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
A. M'INTYRE
Flour, Flour, Flour.
McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.
McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.
And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store [illegible]
FRUIT.

MEDICAL HALL

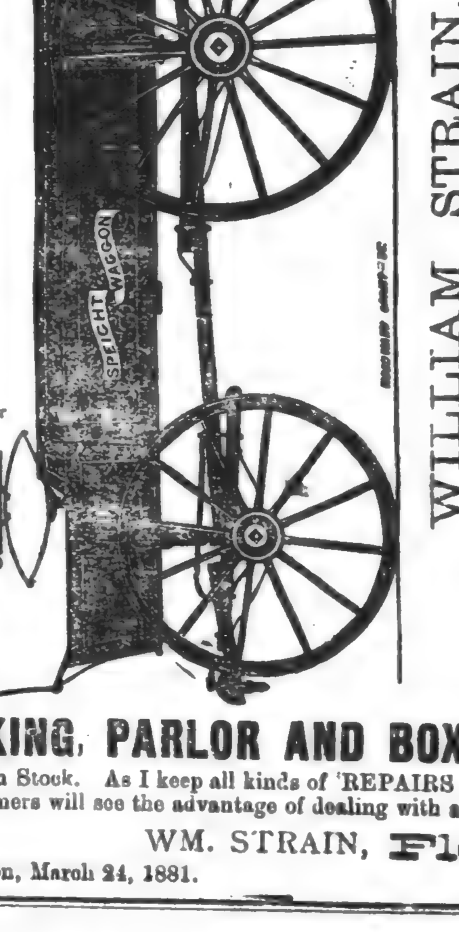
MARKDALE

A FULL ASSORTMENT IN THE FOLLOWING LINES KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Dye Stuffs,
Paints and Oils,
Patent Medicines,
School Boooks,
Stationery,
Fancy Goods.
Toilet Articles,
Pure Drugs and Chemicals,
Choice Teas and Tobaccos.

Agents for Vicker's Express and Montreal Telegraph Companies.

Markdale, Aug. 3rd, 1881. A. TURNER & CO. 18



WILLIAM STRAIN,
Dealer in all kinds of
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
Fanning Mills, Tin and Copper Ware.

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 58-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. BULMER. 26

ATTENTION!

Large Arrivals New Goods!
—AT—
HILL BROS.

Many lines of Goods bought after the fall of ten per cent. in price, hence we know that our prices will be right.

Stacks of Winceys,
Stacks of Tweeds,
Stacks of Boots and Shoes,
Stacks of Ready-made Clothing,
Stacks of Mantles for the Ladies.
Call and See Us.

GOODS PLENTIFUL AND PRICES LOW.

We are determined to continue the large increase in our business. Our milliner, Miss Mullen, will return by the 1st of October, at which date we purpose re-opening that branch of our business, and trust to continue that part of our business in the past satisfactory manner. Thanking you for past favors and trust to be favored with a continuance of the same.

HILL BRO'S

N. B.—We are open to buy any quantity of Butter, Wheat and all kinds of produce, if you don't see us on the market let us know before you sell.

Markdale, September 14th, 1881.

MARKDALE
Sash and Door Facto[ry]

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRA[MES]

Lumber, Lath and Shingle[s]
Always on Hand. Orders Promptly F[illed]

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBE[R]
ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSE[D]

Having [illegible] my first shipment of Pine Lumber and Lath from the [illegible] and will have another schooner load in a few days.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Tur[ning]
Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNE[illegible]

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

LATE IMPORTATIONS

Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods

To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Price[s]

IN BOOTS AND SHO[ES]

We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glas[sware]

Is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Wm. BROWN

Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881.

STOP. MARK. LEARN.

And then you will know where to go to get the best value for your money.

R. J. SPROULE'S
GREAT ANNUAL
CLEARIG SALE,
AT THE
POST OFFICE STORE,
FLESHERTON.

In order to make room for heavy Spring Importations now arriving daily, I have been reducing my present large and well selected and assorted stock of

GENERAL DRY GOODS, FURS, MILLINERY,
Ready-Made Clothing,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
Hats, Caps and Groceries
TO THE LOWEST POINT POSSIBLE,
and in order to do so,
Will Sell at and Under COST,
FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

The stock is all new, well bought, and well worth the attention of the closest buyers. In GROCERIES you will find evryt hing of First-Class Value.

As I do not pursue the course of some of our windy Merchants of our neighboring villages, of sending out numerous samples of cheap trash (with unscrupulous representations) outside our natural business relations, in order to impress the public that they are not properly treated by their more honorable dealers, and draw custom from them.

You will find everything that I sell just as I represent it, and as good as you can possibly get for your money anywhere, as I have always held that honest dealing is the only true course for a business man.

My Groceries are all bought for strictly nett cash, consequently I can and will [illegible]

The Lowest Possible Prices!
For CASH and FARM PRODUCE
BUT NOT FOR CREDIT.

I am now selling large quantities of

COARSE LAND SALT,
FOR MANURE,

Which will pay every Farmer Five Dollars for every one idvested in it, and as I am anxious that every Farmer [in] this locality and neighboring Townships shall try it, have decided on selling in five and [illegible] barrel lots at the Lowest Cash Price laid down by the car direct from the Manufacturers, and bought for nett cash at Bottom Prices.

I would also intimate that my

MY FALL IMPORTATIONS
ARE ARRIVING DAILY.

And I will have opened out and show

One of the Largest and Best Assorted Stocks ever brought into this part of the country.

Thanking one and all for liberal patronage in the past, and soliciting an inspection before purchasing elsewhere,

I am, your obedient servant,

R. J. SPROULE. 14-ly

MARKDALE HOUSE
MARKDALE,
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

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PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Carter. Physicians, Surgeon, Accoucheur &c. OFFICE.—Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House. Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

Chas. R. Wilkes. Barrister at Law, — Owen Sound. OFFICE.—Miller's building, over [illegible] store, Poulet Street. 1-y

J. MASSON. BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG. in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer [illegible] Offices—Owen Sound, in Vicker's block, Poulett St.; and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday [illegible]

Frost & Frost. BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, County [illegible] &c., Owen Sound, [illegible] Flesherton, Office open every Thursday [illegible] before. [illegible] FROST. J. W. FROST, LL.B. County Crown Attorney.

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White. Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound, WILL BE AT [illegible] Markdale, on the first Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations [illegible] the most satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1-y

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown. ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to [illegible] B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate [illegible] Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander [illegible] ISSUER of Marriage Licenses [illegible] Life Insurance [illegible] B. R. &c. Conveyancer [illegible] Auctioneer for the Counties [illegible] merchants, and [illegible] attended to [illegible] Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

R. M. Galbraith. AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford [illegible] sales attended in all parts of [illegible] goods sold on Commission [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and [illegible] Fruit and Ornamental Trees [illegible] Agricultural Implements, and [illegible] sale. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

J. G. Sing. DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having purchased [illegible] Provincial Land Surveyor [illegible] entire stock of original Field Notes, [illegible] Reports, Instructions, [illegible] done within the [illegible] prepared to make Surveys [illegible] therewith. [illegible] Grading Hill [illegible] Building [illegible] Money to loan at [illegible] Orders by letter, or left with J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Victoria House, OWEN SOUND. JONATHAN GILLIES, Proprietor. This house, so long the [illegible] the farming community [illegible] and refurnished, and is [illegible] option of guests [illegible] Court House, and [illegible] from the unconfortable [illegible] portion of the town, being situated [illegible] street, near Corbett's Foundry. October 4th, 1880. 56-y

T. E. DAVIS. BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). Plastering and County Jobs promptly attended to. [illegible] Estimates on all work free. [illegible] guaranteed [illegible] Brown and Sproule Street, Markdale. December 31, 1880. 16-y

W. L. Smith. GENERAL AGENT [illegible] Nursery Stock [illegible] Sept. 17, 1880.

WM. FOX: Plain & Ornamental Plasterer. Estimates for stone and [illegible] application. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence—Queer Street, Markdale. Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880.

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE. T. SPROULE, Proprietor. THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 1-y

ROYAL HOTEL, MEAFORD, Ont. J. & J. McGIRR, PROPRIETORS. Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars. Free 'bus to and from all trains. Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL. PRICEVILLE, Ont. Large and commodious Sample Rooms: Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder supplied with the best the market affords [illegible] stabling and attentive Hostler [illegible] THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor. October 21st, 1880.

MARKDALE Door Factory ... DS ... BUILDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS, FRAMES ... n and Shingles ... Orders Promptly Filled ... LUMBER ... ED AND UNDRESSED ... and Fancy Turning ... THOS. McNEAL ... RTATIONS ... Goods ... uced Prices ... ND SHOES ... ckery, and Glassware ... D SAVE MONEY! ... "Toronto House." ... Wm BROWN ... LEARN. ... DULE'S ... NUAL ... SALE, ... E STORE, ... TON. ... URS, MILLINERY, Clothing, HOES. Groceries ... POSSIBLE, ... Under COST, ... IRTY DAYS. ... le Prices! ... M PRODUCE ... CREDIT. ... D SALT, ... RE, ... TATIONS ... AILY. ... PROULE ... HOUSE, ... LE, Proprietor.

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Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
... Money to Lend on Real Estate security.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown,
ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent, Commissioner in B. R. ... Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, ... Sales, Punctually attended to and charges very moderate.
... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

R. H. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent ... Station. Auction Sales ... parts of the County ... Rates moderate. ... Sewing Machines; also ... Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds
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OWEN SOUND.
JONATHAN GILLIES, - - - - PROPRIETOR.
This house, so long the especial favorite of the ... community, has been refitted and refurnished, and is now open for the reception of guests; is within easy reach of the Court House, and has the advantage of being free from the uncomfortable bustle of other portions of the town, being situate on Union Street, near Corbett's Foundry.
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Large and commodious Sample Rooms: Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
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Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
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Undertaker!
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Has now on hand a full stock of COFFINS of all sizes and prices. Shrouds, Gloves, Crape, and Coffin Trimmings, constantly kept on hand for sale. Also a full stock of
Household Furniture!
Picture Framing a specialty.
A STOCK OF
Watches and Clocks!
which will be sold very cheap for cash. A call is solicited.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-4t

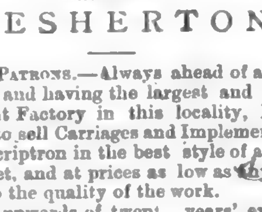
F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,
DUNDALK, ONT.
The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
single or double,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal,
AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual)
of Toronto.
A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

John H. Heard,
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets
FLESHERTON.
TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any ... cording to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twent years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compaie with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerons customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confiident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale, Nav. 18, 1880 1o

SHTOP! HOW YOU VAS!
T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET
MARKDALE,
Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
AGENT FOR
D. MAXWELL'S
CELEBRATED
REAPER,
MOWER, and
RAKE,
—ALSO—
Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills Etc. Etc.
Markdale, June 9, 1881. 33-ly

Meat for All
AT
W. B. Sarjent's.
The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
☞ Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
☞ Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep.
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
W. B. SARJEANT.
Markdale, Sept. 17th 1880. 1

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,
Teas a Specialty.
Miscellaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descripttons, may be had on very reasonable terms.
P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

J. MONTGOMERY,
BAKER.
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is now prepared to supply the Public with
FRUIT, POUND & PLUM CAKES,
either plain, or
Iced and Ornamented,
and a large
Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
CHOICET CONFECTIONERY!
BRIDES' CAKES.
supplied on the shortest notice, and got up in the best style that is done this side of Toronto.
Tea Meetings, Socials,
AND
OTHER PARTIES,
supplied on the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.
JOHN MONTGOMERY.
Markdale, Nov. 18, 1881 8 1o-ly

ROBT. ASKIN,
MARKDALE,
Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture!
—AND—
UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

WHERE WILLIE LIES.

BY STUTCHLA.

No tablet marks the hallowed ground
Where Willie lies;
No cypress shades the grassy mound
Where Willie lies—
To us his sacred dust is dear,
And yet we say with many a tear
"Our angle baby is not here
Where Willie lies.

We have a dream of some far shore
Where Willie lies;
There sorrow enters never more
Where Willie lies—
We see him in that happy dream
Afar where burning seraphs gleam
Beyond the valley and the stream
Where Willie lies.

He sufferred and we coud not aid,
And yet 'twas best;
He pined and died, we wept and prayed,
And still 'twas best—
No storm cloud breaks in yonder skies,
No aching heart nor weeping eyes,
Safe in the Saviour's arms he lies,
And oh! 'tis best.

We wait and weep beside the spot
Where sleep our dead:
We ask the grave—it answers not,
Where are the dead?
Hope hath here hour of sweet romance,
And yet dear Lord with keener glance
Than watcher's dream or poet's trance
Beholds the dead!

—*O. S. Times.*

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER VI. *Continued.*

'I love him papa!' she whispered, between an impulsive shower of coaxing kisses; 'and oh, please don't call him THAT man! He may be poor; but he is good, so noble—dearer, better every way than any man I ever knew. If you had only heard him talk last night, papa!'

'Talk! Yes, I dare say.' The baronet laughed—a dreary laugh enough. 'It is his stock in trade—that silvery tenor of his; and all adventurers possesses the gift of gab. It is the rubbish that keeps them afloat.'

'An adventurer, papa! You have no right to call him that. You don't know him—you should not judge him He may be poor, but proverty is his only disgrace. He does not deserve that opprobious name!'

'It would be difficult, indeed, to say what name Mr Gaston Dantree does not deserve. A penniless stranger who could deliberatly set himself to work to steal the affections of a child like you—for your fortune alone! That will do, Katherine; I know what I am talking about—I have met men like Mr. Gaston Dantree before. And I have the right to judge him—this thief who comes to steal away my treasure! Child—child! you have disappointed me more than I can say.'

He sighed bitterly, and covered his face with his hands; Katherine's arm tightened imploringly around his neck.

'But not angered you, papa, not grieved you; don't say I have done that!' She cried faintly, hiding her face. 'Dearest, best father that ever was in this world, don't say you are angry with Katherine—for the first, the only time?'

'Heaven knows, my dear, I could not be angry with you if I tried. Lift up your head, Kathie, and give me a kiss. Don't cry for your new toy, my child; you shall have it, as you have had all the rest. Only whatever happens in the future, don't blame me. Remember that I have nothing but your happiness at heart.'

Her impetuous kisses, her happy tears thanked him. Since her childhood he had not seen her weep before and the sight moved him strangely.

And when am I to see him, Katherine?' he asked; 'when is this unknown hero, without money in his purse, coming to claim the heiress of Scarswood? It requires some courage doubtless, to face the 'heavy feather;' but I suppose he does intend to come. And I think your Mr. Dantree has courage—no, that's not the word—cheek enough for anything.'

'He will be here to day,' she whispered, lifting her head; 'and, papa, for my sake don't be hard on him—don't hurt his feelings, don't insult him for his poverty!'

He put her from him and walked away with a gesture of anger.

'His poverty! as if I cared for *that*! The baronets of Scarswood have been poor men, often enough, but they were always gentlemen. I don't think your handsome lover with the tenor voice can say as much. But whatever he is—blackleg, adventurer, fortune-hunter—I am to take him, it seems, to give him my daughter, and heiress, as soon as it pleases his sultanship to claim her. If not, you'll become a heorine, won't you, Kathie, and run away to Gretna Green with him? Katherine, if by some freak of fortune Scarswood and its long rent-roll passed from you to-morrow, and you stood before him penniless as he is, how long do you think he would prove true to all love vows of last night, in the conservatory, was it?'

'For all the years of his life, papa,' the girl cried, her large eyes flashing, 'You don't know him—you judge him cruely and unkindly. He loves me for my self—as I do him. Papa, I never knew you to be so unkind before in all my life.'

'That will do, Kathie—I have promised to accept him when he comes—let that suffice. I confess I should have liked a gentleman born and bred for a son-in-law, but that weakness will no doubt soon wear away with time. Ah, I see—lo! the conqueringhero comes!' Will you dare trust him to my tender mercies, my dear, or do you wish to remain and do battle for your knight?'

For Mr. Gaston Dantree was riding slowly up the avenue. The sun, which all morning has been struggling with the clouds, burst out at the moment, and Mr. Dantree approached through the sunburst as through a glory. The girl's eyes lit, her whole face kindled with the radiance of love at seventeen. And then one of the gods was hers. She turned in her swift impulsive fashion, and flung her arms around her father's neck once more.

'Don't be unkind, papa, for my sake. It would kill me if I lost him—just that.'

'Kill you,' he laughed cynically, 'Menhave died, and worms have eaten them, but not for love.' There, go—I may be an ogre, but I'll promise not to devour Mr. Dantree this morning, if I can help it.'

He led her to the door, held it open for her to pass out. She gave him one last imploring glance.

'For my sake, papa,' she repeated, and fled.

He closed the door and went back to his seat beside the window. The last trace of softness died out of his face, he sighed heavily, and in the garish sunshine his florid face looked haggard and worn.

'If I only had courage to face the worst,' he thought—'if I only had courage to tell the truth. But I am a coward, and I cannot. The revelation will killher—to lose lover, fortune all at one blow. If it must fall, mine will never be the hand to strike, and yet it might be the greatest mercy after all.'

The door was flung wide.

'Mr. Dantree,' announced the footman.

Sir John arose with a stern ceremoniousness that might have abashed most men. But it did not abash Katherine's lover. In the whole course of his chequered career no man had ever seen Mr. Dantree put out of confidence. He came forword, hat in hand, that handsome mask, his face, wearing a polite smile.

'Good morning, Sir John—I hope to see you well after last night's late hours. It was a most delightful reunion.. And Miss Katherine, I trust, is well also after the fatigue of so much dancing?'

'My daughter is well!'—very stiff and frigid this response 'Will you take a seat, Mr. Dantree, and tell me to what I owe the honour of this visit?'

He paused. The tone, the look, were enough to chill the ardour of the warmest lover. Mr. Dantree tookthem and the chair as a matter of course. He laid his hat on the floor, drew of his gloves ran his fingers through his glossy black curles, and met Sir John irate gaze with unflinching good humour.

'I come to you, Sir John, on a matter of supreme importance. As you appear in haste, I will not detain you long—I will come to the point at once Last night I had the honour ofproposing for your daughter's hand, and the happiness of being accepted.'

This was coming to the point at once with a vengeance. Sir John sat gaizing at him blankly. The stupendous magnificence of his cheekness completely took his breath away.

'It may be presumptuous on my part,' Mr. Dantree went on; 'but our affections are not under our control. I love your daughter, Sir John, and have the great happiness of knowing my love is returned.'

Sir John Dangerfield actually burst out laughing. Somewhat in the old mustache there lay a larking vein of humor, and Mr. Dantree's perfect *sang froid* and pat little speech tickled it; and the laugh took Mr. Dantree more aback that any words in the English language.

'Sir!' he began, reddening.

'I beg your pardon, Mr. Dantree—I certainly had no intention of lauuhing, I certainly suppose you don't see anything to laugh at. It was that pretty speach of yours—how glibly you say your lesson! Long practice, now, I suppose has made you perfect.'

'Sir John Dangerfield—if you mean to insult me—'

'Keep quiet, Mr. Dantree—you're not in a passion, though you feign one very well. You may be an actor by profession, for what I know, but I'd rather you deplore melodrama and keep to humdrum common-sense. Reserve all your flowery periods about love overleaping the barriers of rank—Katherine is not listening. Am I to understand you are here to demand my daughter's hand in marriage?'

Mr. Dantree bowed.

'You are to understand, Sir John, I possess Miss Dangerfield's heart, I have come here this morning, with her consent, to ask you for her hand.'

'And my daughter has known you—three, or four weeks—which is it? And your good enough to acknowledge it may be a little presumptous! Mr Dantree, what are you? Katherine is seventeen, and in love with you; I sixty-five, and *not* in love; you posoess a handsome face and a very fine voice—may I ask what additional virtues and claims you can put forth for my favour? Dark eyes and melodious tenor are very good and pleasent things in their way, but I am an unromantic old soldier, and I should like you to show some more substantial reasons why I am to give you my daughter for life.'

'If by substancial reasons you mean fame or fourtune, Sir John I possess neither. I own it—I am poor. I am a journalist. By my pen I earn my bread, and I have yet to learn there is any disgrace in honest proverty.'

'There are many things you have yet to learn, I think, Mr. Dantree, but easy assurance and self-conceit are not allowed. You are poor, no doubt—of the honesty of that poverty I have no means of judging. At present I have but your word for it. Would you like to know what I think of you, Mr. Dantree—in plain language?'

'If you please, Sir John, and it will be plain, I have no doubt.'

'Then, sir, you are, I beleive, simply and solely an adventurer—a fortune hunter. Be good enough to hear me out. I am not likely to repeat this conversation for some time, and it is much better we should understand each other at once. There is but one thing I would rather not see my daughter than your wife, and that is—dead!'

'Thank you, Sir John—you are almost more complimentary than I had hoped. I am to understand then,' he said this with perfect coolness, 'that you refuse your consent. In that case I have only to bid you good-day and go.'

Sir John glanced at him in impotent rising wrath. What it cost him to preserve even a show of self-control the fiery old soldier alone knew.

'You do well,' he cried, his blue eyes afire, 'to taunt me with my impotency. If I were a wiser man and a less indulgent father, by Heavens! you should go, and that quickly! But I have never refused Katherine anything yet, and I am not going to begin now. She has set her foolish, child's heart on you, sir, with your cursed womanish beauty and Italian song-singing, and she shall not be thwarted by me. She shall marry you if she wishes it—she shall never say I came between her and the dearest desire of her heart. Take her, Gaston Dantree; he arose,' and may an old man's curse blight you if ever you make her repent it!'

Perhaps somewhere in his hard anatomy Gaston Dantree had an organ that did duty as a heart, it smote him now. He held out his hand to the passionate old soldier.

'So help me Heaven! she never shall. As I deal by her may I be dealt with!'

He spoke the words that sealed his condemnation. In the troubled after-days, it was only the retribution he invoked then that fell.

CHAPTER VII.

THE SECOND WARNING.

Before the expiration of a week, it was known to all Castleford—to all the country families in the neighborhood—that Miss Katherine Dangerfield, of Scarswood Park, was engaged to Mr. Gaston Dantree, of—nobody knows where.

Had any any other baronet's daughter so far stooped to disgrace their code and their order, the county families would have stood paralyzed at the desecration. *Being* Miss Dangerfield, nobody wondered. It was only a piece with all the rest. What could you expect of a young person—the term of lady would have been a mis nomer—of a young person with some of the best blood in Sussex in her veins, who persisted in scampering over the downs and the coast for miles without a groom!—who treated her venerable father as though he were a child of twelve, who wore her hair streaming down her back at the mature age of seventeen, who called every Goody and Gaffer in the parish by their christian name, who was quite capable of speaking to anybody without an introduction, who knew every game that could be played on the cards, and who talked slang? What could you expect of a demoralized young woman like this? The Dangerfield lineage was unexceptional—there must be a cross-somewhere, a bar sinister on the mother's side; it was a wild impossibility the old blood could degenerate in this way.

Who was Mr. Gaston Dantree? The county families asked the question with intense curiosity now, and found the answer all too meagre. Mr. Dantree himself responded to it with that perfect high-bred self-possession which characterized him; and everybody had to take his own account, or go look for proof,

'I am an American—a Southener, as you know,' Mr. Dantree had said; 'my native State is Lousiana. I am that famous historical personage, "the son of poor but honest parents," now and for many years dead. By profession I am a journalist; I am connected with the *New Orleans P——*. An unexpected windfall, in the way of a small legacy, enabled me, six months ago, to realize a long-cherished dream of mine and visit England. My leave of absence expires in two months, when I must either return to New Orleans or—'

Here Mr. Dantree was wont to break off if Miss Dangerfield were present, with a profound sigh, and glance that spoke lexicons.

Squire Talbot, of Morecambe, with whom Mr. Dantree had come down to London, and with whom he was still staying, when brought upon the stand in turn and cross-examined, could throw very little more light on his guest's antecedents.

'Deuced sorry, now, Sir John, I ever *did* bring the fellow down,' young Mr. Tolbot said, the first time he met the baronet, pulling his tawny moustache with gloomy ferocity; 'but how the deuce could I tell Miss Dangerfield would go and—no, I mean Dantree, be hanged to him!—would go and make love to Miss Dangerfield? I put it to yourself—how could I, Sir John? I'm deuced sorry, and all that, but I don't know a blessed thing about him except that "he's a jolly good fellow," as the song says, tells a capital story, sings like an American Sims Reeves, and can punish more champagne of a night and rise none the worse for it the next day than any fellow'—Squire Talbot pronounced it 'feller'—'I ever knew. I met him first at a dinner at the Guards' Club, then a Sunday breakfast at Lord Leaham's—invited to both these places, you understand, to sing. He knew lots of newspaper men—wrote flimsies himself for the sporting journals, and when I asked him—confound it!—to run down with me to my place in Sussex, he consented at once. And I am deuced sorry, Sir John,' reiterated Squire Talbot, going over the same ground again; 'and I hope whatever happens, you know, you'll not blame me.'

'I blame nobody,' the old baronet answered wearily; 'these things are to be, I suppose. I shall write to New Orleans and make enquiries concerning this young man; I can do no more. Katherine is infatuated—pray Heaven her eyes may not be opened in my day!'

Mrs. Vavasor was perhaps the only one who heard with unalloyed satisfaction of Katherine's sudden engagement.

'What did I tell you, Sir John?' she said, triumphantly. 'What do you think of my powers of divination now? It's rather a mesalliance, isn't it?—for her father's daughter, rather a mad affair altogether. But, dear child—she is so impulsive, and so self-reliant, and so hopelessly obsti— no, that's not a pleasant word—so resolute and firm, let us say, that remonstrance is quite thrown away upon her. Let us pity her, Sir John, rather than blame; she comes by all those admirable traits of character honestly enough—inherited from her mother. And when is the wedding to take place?'

She threw her head back against the purple-velvet cushions of her chair, and looked at the baronet with maliciously sparkling black eyes.

'I don't ask merely from idle curiosity,' Mrs. Vavasor went on, as the badgered baronet's answer was a sort of a groan; 'I enquire because the knowlege influences my own movements. One week before the day fixed for the wedding, I receive from you, my kind benefactor, that cheque for ten thousand pounds—a very respectable haul, by the way—and I shake the dust of Scarswood off my feet for ever. My reception by both host and hostess was, I must say, of the least cordial, and I am made to feel every hour that I am a most unwelcome interloper. Still, I bear no malice, and not having any of your *sang-azure* in my veins, my sensitive feelings are not wounded. Perhaps a dozen years spent at Baden and Homburg does not blunt the finer edge of one's nerves. I trust the wedding day will not come round too speedily—I really like my quarters here. My room commands a sunny southern prospect, your wines are unexceptional, and your cook, for an English cook, a treasure. Don't fix the happy day too near, Sir John. Dearest Katherine is so impetuous that she would be married next week, I dare say, if she could.'

'I wish to Heaven it were next week, so that I might be rid of you!' Sir John broke out. 'You bring misfortune with you wherever you go! Mrs. Harman, you shall leave this house! You sit here with that mocking smile on your face, exulting in your power, until it drives me half mad to look at you. Take the enormous bribe you demand—I have no right to give it to you, I know—and go at once. What object can you gain by remaining here?'

'Now, that is an unkind question. What do I gain? The pleasure of your society, and that of Miss Dangerfield, to be sure; the pleasure of being hand and glove with the gentry of this neighborhood, who, like yourself, rather give me the cold shoulder, by the way. I wonder how it is?—none of them ever saw me at Homburg that I know of. I suppose the brand of adventuress is stamped on my face. No, Sir John, not one hour, not one second sooner than I say, shall I quit Scarswood Park. If the wedding is fixed for next week, then I leave this; if for this day ten years, then I remain that long. I dare say I should find life slow, and the character of a respectable British matron of the upper classes a dismal life; but still, I would do it.'

He stopped in his walk and looked at her. The bold eyes met his unflinchingly.

'Well, Sir John?'

'Harriet Harman, you have some sinister design in all this. What have you to do with Katherines wedding day? What has the child done to you that you should hate her? What have I ever done that you should torment me thus? Is it that at the last hour you mean to break your promise and tell? Great Heaven! Harriet, is that what you mean?'

Her steady color faded for a moment; her own, with all her boldness, shifted away from the gaze of the old man's horror-struck eyes.

'What I mean is my own affair,' she said, sullenly; and I do hate Katherine for her mother's sake and her own. You needn't ask me any questions about it. I want money, Sir John, and that promised cheque of course—my poor little purse replenished. See how empty it is!—and all my worldly wealth is there.'

She laughed as she held it up, all her old audacious manner back. Two or three shillings jingled in the meshes as she held it out.

'I want to replenish my wardrobe; I want to pay some bills; I want—oh! millions of things! Fill me out a cheque like the princely old solier you are, and I shall get through the day shopping in Castleford; I will amuse myself spending money, while Katherine amuses herself listening to Mr. Dantree's fluent love making. He's rather a clever little fellow, that son-in-law-elect of yours, my dear baronet, and I don't think he has given us his whole autobiography quite as it is known in New Orleans. I don't say there was anything particularly clever in his wooing the heiress of Scarswood, because any well-looking young man, with a ready tongue and an elegant address, could have done *that*, and my own impression is that Miss Dangerfield, like Desdemona, met him more than half way. I'm ready to wager the nuptials will be consummated within the next three months. Now that cheque, dear Sir John—and do be liberal!'

She rose up, and Sir John, with the look of a hunted animal at bay, filled out a cheque for a hundred pounds and handed it to her.

'A sop to Ceberus,' the widow said, gaily. 'Do you know, Sir John, I haven't had so much money at once for the past five years? How fortunate for me that I met Colonel Dangerfield and lady that eventful day fifteen years ago in the hospital of St. Lazare! And what a comfort to a poor little widow a great man's secret is! Thank you, Sir John, my toilettes will do Scarswood credit during the remainder of my stay.'

And Mrs. Vavasor kept her word. The faded silks and shabby laces, the Palais Royal diamonds and soiled gloves were consigned to the lowest depths of oblivion in the widow's trunks. And silks of rainbow hues, stiff enough in their rustling richness to stand alone; cobweb laces of marvellous price, with the glimmer of real jewels, made the little woman gorgeous. If she painted ... mistress of the art, ... a very expert female eye could have detected the liquid rouge that made her bloom so brightly, or that the sparkling radiance of her black eyes was the ghastly brilliance of belladonna. Sir John's one hundred pounds went a very little way in his visitor's magnificent toilet, and that first "sop to Cerberus" had to be very speedily and often renewed. In her own way, she spent her time very pleasantly—lounging over purchases in the Castleford shops, making agreeable trips to London and back, driving about in a little basket-carriage and—biding her time.

'All things are possible to the man who knows how to wait, my dear Mr. Dangerfield,' she said one day to the baronet's moody nephew. 'I suppose the same rule applies to woman. Don't be impatient; your time and mine are very near now. I have waited nearly eighteen years, and here you see grumbling, ingrate, at being obliged to stand in the background for that many weeks! How is it that we never see you at Scarswood now?'

She picked up the Castleford attorney on one of her drives. Since the night of the birthday party, Mr. Peter Dangerfield had not shown his sallow face, colourless eyes and moustache inside the great house.

'I don't think you need ask that question—*you*, of all people,' the young man answered sulkily. 'What the deuce should I do at Scarswood, looking at those two billing and cooing? They say marriages are made in Heaven—I wonder if this union of a fool and a knave was ever made in the celestial regions? In the infernal, I should say myself.'

'My dear Mr. Dangerfield, aren't you a little severe? A fool and a knave! Would Katherine have been a fool, I wonder, if she had accepted you the other night?

> Oh, my cousin shallow-hearted,
> Oh my Kathie, mine no more.

'Don't be unreasonable, Mr. Dangerfield. You are as poor as Mr. Dantree, and—if you will pardon my telling plain truth—not quarter so good looking. And then, she is not married to him yet.'

'No, but she soon will be. It is rumoured in the town that the wedding is fixed for early January. It's of no use your talking and chaffing a fellow, Mrs. Vavasor; the wedding day will take place as sure as we sit here, and the next thing, there will be an heir to Scarswood. In the poetic language of the Orientals, your talk of the other night is all 'bosh.' It is utterly impossible that Scarswood should ever fall to me.'

Mrs. Vavasor laughed in her agreeable way.

'"Impossible" is a very big word, friend Peter—too big for my vocabulary. See here, will you give me your written promise that on the day Scarswood and its long rent-roll becomes yours you will yay me ten thousand pounds? It's a tolerable price, but not too much, considering the service I will do you.'

He looked at her darkly and in doubt.

'Mrs. Vavasor,' he said slowly, 'if that be your name—and I dont believe it is—I'm not going to commit myself to you, or anybody in the dark. I am a lawyer and won't break the law. You're a very clever little woman—so clever that for the rest of my life, I mean to have nothing whatever to to do with you. If you had a spite at anybody, I don't suppose you would stick at trifles to gratify it. But I'm not going to become accessory to you before the fact to any little plot of yours. If Scarswood ever comes to me—and I repeat it, it is impossible it ever should—it shall be by fair means, not foul.'

Mrs. Vavasor lay back among the cushions and laughed till the echoes rang. They were in the streets of Castleford, and passing pedestrians looked up and smiled from very sympathy with that merry peal.

'He thinks I am going to commit a murder! I really believe he does! No—no! Mr. Dangerfield, I'm not a lawyer, but I respect the majesty of the law quite as greatly as you do. I've done a great many queer things in my life, I don't mind owning, but I never committed a murder, and I never mean to, even to gratify spite. Come! you're a coward, *mon ami*, even though you are a Dangerfield; but if you promise to perpetrate no deed of darkness on the way, will you give me that ten thousand when you are lord of the manor. Yes or no?—just as you please. Sir John will, if you won't.'

'I wish I understood——'

'Wait! wait! wait! You shall understand! we are drawing near the Hall. Is it a promise?'

'I will be a fool' promise, given in the dark—but yes, if you will have it.'

Mrs. Vavasor's eyes sparkled with a light this time not derived from belladona.

[TO BE CONTINUED]

GET OUT DOORS.

The close confinement of all factory work, gives the operatives pallid faces, poor appetite, languid, miserable feelings, poor blood inactive liver, kidneys and urinary troubles, and all the physicians and medicine in the world cannot help them unless they get out of doors or use Hop Bitters, the purest and best remedy, especially for such cases, having abundance of health, sunshine and rosy cheeks in them. They cost but a trifle.—*Christian Recorder.*

CAN YOU ANSWER THESE?

What did Newtonbrook?
Where did Peterboro'?
How much is Wentworth?
What did Haldimand?
Who are the middlesex?
What kept Keewatin?
Why did Huron?
What has London?
Was he the brother of Wingham?
Did Listowel?
How did he get a Colborne?
Where did Kincardine?
Is Owen Sound?
What little bird was Bobcaygeon?
At whom did Sturgeon Point?
What did Lindsay?
How much did Norway?
What Collinwood you like to follow?
How long Madoc Sheppard be in the G. P.
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People have no more right to become dyspeptic, and remain gloomy and miserable, than they have to take poison and commit suicide. If the stomach becomes weak and fails to perform its functions, Burdock Blood Bitters will speedily remedy the trouble.

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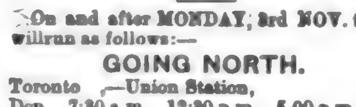

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto —Union Station,
Dep. 7:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 5.00 p.m
Carlton,......7.52 a.m. 12.45 p.m. 5.20 p.m.
Weston...... 8.05 a.m. 1.00 p.m. 5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't 8.30 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge... 8.45 a.m. 1.50 p.m. 6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg.... 9.05 a.m. 2.13 p.m. 6.24 p.m.
Bolton....... 9.25 a.m. 2.37 p.m. 6.43 p.m.
Mono Road... 9.50 a.m. 3.05 p.m. 7.05 p.m.
Charleston.. 10.35 a.m. 3.50 p.m. 7.50 p.m.
Alton........ 10.50 a.m. 4.05 p.m. 8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—
Arrive.... 11.10 a.m. 4.25. p.m. 8.20 p.m.
Depart.... 11.30 a.m. 4.45. p.m.
Orangeville Junction 11.45 a.m. 5.05 p.m.
Laurel............ 11.59 a.m. 5.20 p.m.
Shelburne.......... 12.30 p.m. 6.00 p.m.
Dundalk.......... 1.15 p.m. 6.50 p.m.
Proton............ 1.35 p.m. 7.11 p.m.
Flesherton & Pricev's 1.55 p.m. 7.35 p.m.
Markdale.......... 2.15 p.m. 8.05 p.m.
Berkly............ 2.35 p.m. 8.28 p.m.
Williamsford....... 2.50 p.m. 8.46 p.m.
Arnott............ 3.05 p.m. 9.06 p.m.
Chatsworth........ 3.15 p.m. 9.16 p.m.
Rockford.......... 3.38 p.m. 9.36 p.m.
Owen Sound........ 4.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart 6.30 a.m. 12.00 noon.
Rockford.......... 7.00 a.m. 12.30 p.m.
Chatsworth........ 7.20 a.m. 12.55 p.m.
Arnott............ 7.30 a.m. 1.05 p.m.
Williamsford....... 7.48 a.m. 1.28 p.m.
Berkly............ 8.05 a.m. 1.48 p.m.
Markdale.......... 8.30 a.m. 2.15 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville 8.55 a.m. 2.45 p.m.
Proton............ 9.15 a.m. 3.10 p.m.
Dundalk.......... 9.35 a.m. 3.30 p.m.
Shelburne......... 10.15 a.m. 4.15 p.m.
Laurel............ 10.47 a.m. 4.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction 11.00 a.m. 5.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—
Arr. 11:15 a.m. 5:20 p.m.
Dep. 7.15 a.m. 11.35 a.m. 5.40 p.m.
Alton....... 7.35 a.m. 11.55 a.m. 6.00 p.m.
Charleston.. 7.50 a.m. 12.10 p.m. 6.18 p.m.
Mono Road... 8.25 a.m. 12.47 p.m. 7.05 p.m.
Bolton...... 8.45 a.m. 1.10 p.m. 7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg... 9.05 a.m. 1.30 p.m. 7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge.. 9.25 a.m. 1.50 p.m. 8.17 p.m.
Humber Smt 9.40 a.m. 2.05 p.m. 8.33 p.m.
Weston...... 10.00 a.m. 2.27 p.m. 9.00 p.m.
Carlton..... 10.10 a.m. 2.39 p.m. 9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,
Arrive 10.30 a.m. 3.00 p.m. 9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 4th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.

Toronto Daily Globe per year, $7.0
" Mail " 7.0

WEEKLIES.

Toronto Weekly Globe, per year, $1.50
" " Mail " 1.00
Hamilton " Spectator " 1.00
Canada Farmer " 1.00
Scientific American " 3.20

MONTHLIES.

Farmer's Advocate, per year, $1.00
American Agriculturist " 1.50
Our Little Ones 1.50

A VISIT TO THE KINGSTON PENITENTIARY.

This is no doubt the largest public building in Canada. To the eye of the observer, as he approaches this great stronghold, nothing is to be seen but great massive walls, towering away above the head of the Spectator, and nothing peculiar expect the heavy clank of the ponderous iron grate, all this indicating that something precious remains within, but when we are admitted and the massive iron bars embrace each other as if never to relax their tight grasp, we feel that we are enclosed with all the demons of the land. Our eyes are opened, and instead of the huge walls we can gaze upon the place as it were upon a manufacturing metropolis. Then it is that we hear the hum of machinery, and the bustle of over seven hundred souls within the confines of one single prison. Passing along through the corridors we came first where men were busily engaged in cutting stone for building purposes, and a little farther on men were breaking the same material into small pieces, seemingly to take the place of gravel for private avenues. The guard kindly showed us into all the manufacturing departments of the penitentary.

First we came to, the tailoring establishment, where a great number of men are employed in making wearing apparral for the convicts, this consists of trowsers one half yellow and the other half brown, the same with the coat. Next in order was the boot and shoe factory, and in this we see all the modern apparatus for making boots with neatness and despatch. In the same building below these manufacturers were the cabinet shops and plaing mills. Nothing was noticed here; but we are quickly directed into a place which proved to be very interesting, and which astonished us beyond measuse. This was the machine shop and lock factory. All the locks and latches on our doors are made by convicts of the Kingston Penitentiary. The guard told us that merchants from diffierent parts of Canada came there, anded order locks to supply the whole hardware trade. From this we were taken into a large circular building, which contained all the cells for the convicts. As near as we could make out the ase of the building seemed to be shaped something similar to a waggon wheel, in the centre was a large circular court, and from this on every side branched off long halls, each containing cells The building being so arranged that the guard can see the doors of over eight hundred cells standing in the middle of the court. These are arranged one above the other for six stories, the approaches being made by means of iron stairway and iron platforms projecting out from the wall, thus leaving everything exposed to the eye of the guard.

There are also dark cells in which they put convicts who are unruly and behave indecently; not a ray of light is allowed to penetrate into theesemall dungeons, in order that the punishment may be more severe. The guard wanted us to go intill he would shut the door that we might feel what like it was, but there was something in the sight alone that would almost make a person's hair stiffen with fear, and cause their blood to chill. I know not whether it is the thoughts of the person inhabiting the cell, or a slight conception of the lower regions, is brought into a person's mind as he gazes into the dismal hole. After a minute examination of the prison room we passed through the dining hall, which is used as a chapel for worship, from this through the cooking apartment and laundry, these indicating that quite a business is done in both.

Before leaving, the guard directed our attention to a hall containg all the old men, a sight which I am sure will never be erased from the mind of either one of us. Men who have been in prison for years and years, all waiting patiently as if it were for death to take them away. All stooped as if the heavy weight of trouble was bearing them down in sorrow to the mother earth. The forlorn and dejected look of these poor old men is enough to draw out feelings of sympathy even from the most hard hearted

With this concluded the sights within the walls of the Penitentiary, and when we were out into the street once more there was a kind of imperceptible feeling of relief pervaded our minds, not from anything that happened within but from a thought which I believe must strike the mind of every visitor to the great Sing-Sing of Canada, and that is, what a terrible havoc the prisoners could make if they only started to rebel against guards and everything else, and what the results would be if it should happen just as we were in, but such a thing is not possible, for prisoners are not allowed to speak a word to one another for this reason, no plots could be devised; besides, the guards are well armed for any emergency. Sentinels pace the top of the wall which surround the Penitentiary day and night always with rifle in hand, so that every movement within is noticed by those on the watch-towers.

After all we question ourselves and ask, Is it possible that seven hundred and thirty-eight persons are in one single prison performing penal servitude for disobeying the laws of the land? Is it not enormous?

AUCTOR.

KINGSTON, Oct. 22, 1881.

INTERNATIONAL WHEAT EXCHANGE OPEN TO THE WORLD.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—As will be seen by my recent issue of the *Traveller*, (my own journal, which I have endeavored to make a *journal of heart* and a *journal of soul*) this movement was inaugurated for the benefit of the *40,000 "London Mutual"* Members, *through them* for the benefit of the *country at large* in the East, and for the farmers of the *wide, wide West*. It has only been upon the strongly expressed wishes of many of my oldest and warmest friends—agency patrons and won patrons—throughout the Dominion that I have changed that idea and given a wider scope to *International Wheat Exchange* by *opening to the world* the certain benefits to be derived from it. Having done so, I have worked for the past month most incessantly to make it a sure success east and west. I have to thank the many kind friends whose kindly words have thrilled me with *heart and will* to work it up to the success already had. It is humming gloriously throughout the East and West across this continent.

Prominent among those friends stands your eminently successful neighbour, W. J. McFarland, Esq., whose great interest in the welfare of the farming community is fully shown by his good letter following this. To him I am much indebted for the sure success of my scheme of *International Wheat Exchange* which will be turned to the best account next week in Iowa.

With just such friends *at home* to aid it in my absence west, the movement shall not fail of good results. See advertisement next week in STANDARD and Iowa edition of *Traveller*, within three weeks, which will be mailed to the ratepayers generally of this and other Counties of Ontario. Meanwhile Mr. McFarland has kindly volunteered to give any desired information. Yours faithfully, CHAS. T. DOYLE, Manager International Wheat Exchange, Walkerton, Canada, and Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

MARKDALE, Ont., Oct. 17, 1881.

CHAS. T. DOYLE, ESQ.

DEAR SIR,—I am much pleased that you gave me the privilege of perusing your spicy little sheet the *Traveller*.

From my knowledge of the farming community of this section of country, having been engaged in purchasing and shipping wheat for the last twenty years, I feel satisfied that they want just what you propose, viz:—*a change of seed.*

Your scheme as fully set forth in the *Traveller*, is a good one, and well worthy of support. Knowing your push and business ability, I feel certain that you will succeed in your laudable endeavors in which you have my best wishes.

Yours very truly,
W. J. MCFARLAND.

The Cedar Rapids Fire, Lightning and Tornado Insurance Company.

Secretary's Office,
CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Sept. 29, 1881.

CHAS. T. DOYLE, ESQ., Manager International Wheat Exchange, Walkerton Canada.

DEAR SIR,—As per your request we have with pleasure sent a circular to each of our 800 farm agents, and sent one hundred thousand (100,000) copies of our *Farmers' Journal* to the farmers of the North-West in which we have requested the sending to this office for you immediately, properly labelled samples of the best flouring wheats grown in the respective localities. Your plan is most commendable, and should place the wheat growers of the United States and Canada under lasting obligations to you.

Please commend the Cedar Rapids Insurance Company in your enterprise. With best wishes for your success.

Very truly yours,
J. A. PERKINS, Sec.

[TELEGRAM.]

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, Sept. 30, 1881.
CHAS. T. DOYLE, Walkerton, Canada.

Use my name or name of Company to any article or telegram that will do you most good. *International* Wheat Exchange is meeting with glorious success in Town and in the West. People would hail your coming as a public benefactor. Success awaits you here, come at once.

J. A. PERKINS, Secretary.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From a Correspondent.

Bad Roads.

Weather very uncertain.

Where is Vennor? Is he asleep or on a journey.

IMPROVEMENT OF STOCK.—Mr. Robert Buchanan while at the Toronto Exhibition, purchased three South Down lambs, one male and two females. This is a step in the right direction; will not some one else import into the neighborhood a thorough bred Bull, as there is great room for improvement in the stock of *this* county.

BEAT THIS WHO CAN.—Mr. W. J. Cooey has an apple tree out in bloom for third time this season. This beats the much-boasted second crop of ripe strawberries as this tree has apples from the second bloom on it now.

IMPROVEMENT IN CHURCH PROPERTY.—Through the exertions of Mr. Richard Smith, a new picket fence is being put around the graveyard at the stone church. This might serve as an example to some others in the neighborhood.

Mr. John Rowe, owing to sickness, has been obliged to postpone his trip to the North-West.

FROM BERKELEY.

The above village is situated in Holland Township, on the T. G. & B. Railway, 5 miles North of Markdale, and has the following place of business.

Hotel by Jas Allen, General store by Mr. Lund, two blacksmith shops by R. Abbey and Thos Sargent, T. Brown Waggon maker, J. Picket Section Boss, Alfred Williams Steam Saw Mill, and Berkeley P. O. By Mr Fleming.

The place has a thriving appearance.

Mr. Sargeant has erected this season a large dwelling house and Blacksmith shop, and has rented his farm to his two eldest sons.

Mr. Alfred Williams lost a horse two weeks ago, by having his foot caught on the railway switch while backing over the track after unloading a load o' lumber. The horse fell, breaking his leg.

PRICEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

Mud! mud! mud!

The Catholic Church has a new roof.

The "O be joyful club," only meet seven nights in the week now.

Mr Beaton of Toronto, and Mr. Mc Donald of Durham, have rented John McRae's shop with the intention of carrying on the carriage business.

Geo. Simpson has had his new cottage veneered with brick. John McArthur also is veneering his new store and dwelling with brick, and things in general are having the appearance of the "hum."

The stranger in our streets might question the morality of our town, but on examining the "volcano" from whose crater is issueing forth ashes, soot and imprecations, he finds that a stovepipe is being erected.

The following is the result of monthly examination for Oct. of the Priceville Public School:—

Literature and Philosophy.—Mary Nichol History—marks obtainable 50—Sarah Ferguson 48; Mary Nicol 47; Robbie Ghent 45. Geography.—total 50,—Mary Nichol 45; Bertie Ghent 87; Agnes Webeter 35. Canadian History.—Walter Turner, Robt. Moorehead, Robt. Rielly. Arithmetic.—Walter Turner. Junior Arithmetic—Willie Webester, Ada Somerville, Maggie Nichol. Senior Arithmetic.—Sarah Furgeson. Agnes Webster, Maggie Moorhead 35 Bertie Ghent 30, possible 45. Averane for month, Sr. Dept., 20-3. Miss Wright's Dept., 17-85. Mr. Black, Principle.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met at Vogan's Hall, for the transaction of business.

Members all present. The Reeve in the chair.

Communications were read from the T., G. & B. Railway Co, with regard to crossing at 50 side-road; also one from John Shae with respect to deviation across part of his lot, accepting the Council's offer of $15.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that By-law No. 9 be read a first, second and third time, and engrossed on the Minutes.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the Reeve and Treasurer be authorised to sign debentures to enable School Section No. 7 to borrow the sum of $500, when prepared.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that the Clerk notify the Manager of the T., G. & B. Railway that the Council will accept a crossing at 50 side-road, commencing at a distance twenty rods east of the railway on side road, and running direct to present crossing, in lieu of the original road allowance; otherwise to make a crossing on the original plan, and as the road has been shut up for the last three months, the Council require that the road shall be opened at once, otherwise legal steps shall be taken,

Moved by Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that Henry Silverlock receive the sum of $2.50, for opening and covering culvert on Toronto line.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that Justus Merium receive the sum of $3 for acting as arbitrator on Union School Sections Nos. 1, 2 and 3, Holland and Euphrasia.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the sum of $30 be given to Union School Section No. 2, Holland and Euphrasia, to enable them to build a new school house, in case Euphrasia supplement the same by giving double the amount.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the petition of E. W. Moore and others with regard to getting more territory added to Union School Section No. 2, Holland and Euphrasia, be left over for further consideration.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that Mr. Cameron get culvert at Chatsworth repaired.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that Mr. Norton be allowed to repair the bridge on the blind line.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Mrs. John Love get an order for $6.50, and that Mr. Cameron buy flour for the same.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that we adjourn till the 13th December.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Council met, as per adjournment, at Cedarville, on Tuesday, 25th Oct. 1881, at 10 a. m.

Members present—Messrs. Abott, McArdle, Buckley and Black. Deputy Reeve presiding.

Minutes of the previous meeting held at Hopeville read and confirmed.

Several communications received and read.

McArdle—Buckley. That the report of the Councillors of divisions Nos. 2 and 3 of the water course of the Hopkineon property, be received and adopted—carried.

Mr. Middleton entered and took the chair.

Black—Buckley. That By-law 238, to levy a rate to meet current expenses, having been read a first and second time, be now read a third time signed, sealed and engrossed in the Minutes—carried.

McArdle—Black. That Mr. Buckley be instructed to re-let any jobs not done by the 1st of November, which have been let on 37 side-road, and if any additional expenses, to draw on the Treasurer for the same—carried.

Abbott—Black. That Henry Mungshaw be exempt from the township tax for the year 1881, in consideration of the loss of all his out-buildings and crops the present year by fire—carried

McArdle—Abbott. That the Councillor of division No. 2 be empowered to let and inspect a road job at lot 25 in 12th con., as the road is almost impassible—carried.

McArdle—Abbott. That a grant of $20 be laid out on 7th and 12th side-roads, on the 6th and 7th cons., by Mr. McArdle—carried.

McArdle—Abbott. That the arrears of taxes now due against lot 228 in the 0th con., be erased from the County Treasurers books, as the lot appears to be entered in error, as the owner has produced receipts for the same—carried.

McArdle — Buckley, That the Reeve issue an order to John Boyd for $4, for four days work, for lot 12, in the 1st con., as soon as finished, that the owner of the lot, James McMullen, has paid the same into the Township Treasurer for the year 1880—carried

Abbott—Black. That the Reeve issue an order in favor of Andrew Brown for the sum of $50, for the erection of a bridge over the south branch of the Saugeen, on town-line between Proton and Egremont, opposite con. 5, Proton, as per motion of Council—carried.

Abbott—McArdle. That the account of Archie Ray, amounting to 80c, be paid, and that the Reeve issue his order for the same—carried.

Buckley—McArdle. That the Reeve issue an order in favor of Andrew Brown for the amount of $6.82, being special grant for building a culvert on the town-line between Proton and Eremont, it being half the amount of the work—carried.

Buckley—Black. That the Clerk be instructed to ascertain from the County Treasurer the amount of taxes accrued against lot 30 in the 3rd con., and in what year the said lot was in default—carried.

Buckley—Abbott. That a grant of $5 be given to repair the road opposite lot 32, cons. 2 and 3. on Hogsback, provided that John Mulhall gives three days gratis work on said places, and the Councillor of Division No. 1 let the job when the gratis work is done—carried.

Buckley—Black. That the Clerk be instructed to correspond with the County Treasurer, and get the amount of taxes against lot 30, con. 3, erased from his books has the same as been paid—carried.

Black—Abbott. That the By-law appointing Collector and defining his duties, having been read a first and second time, be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in the Minutes, and numbered 237—carried.

McArdle—Abbott. That the Reeve issue an order in favor of John Vert for $100, as part of his salary for the year 1881—carried.

Abbott—Black. That John Cooper receive his bond given for performing a road job on 39 side-line; said road job being part of arrears of taxes on lot 35, con. 8—carried.

Black—Buckley. That the report of Mr. McArdle, regarding the water course between the property of John Harvey and Russell's, be received, and that it lie on the table for further consideration—carried.

McArdle—Abbott. That a grant of $15, be made to Widow Boyce, she being an afflicted indigent person who has long resided in the Municipality—carried.

McArdle—Abbott That the draft of memorial to the Post Master General to authorize the establishing of a mail route between Mount Forest and Dundalk, via Cedarville and Hopeville, now prepared by this Council, be sent to Dr. Sproule, M. P., for presentation—carried.

Abbott—Black. That nominations for Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Councillors, for the year 1882. be held in the Village of Dundalk, and that in case a poll is demanded that the election be held as follows:—Division No. 1, in the house of James Menzies, lot 14, con. 5, Jas. Menzies Deputy Returning Officer. Division No. 2, in Scarlett's Hall, Village of Hopeville, James Cavanagh Deputy Returning Officer. Division No. 3, in the house of Duncan McMillan, lot 18, con. 16, Peter Dow Deputy Returning Officer. Division No. 4, in the house of Robt. Fraser, lot 32, con. 11, James Fraser Deputy Returning Officer. Division No. 5, in the Orange Hall Dundalk, Alexander McConnell Deputy Returning Officer—carried, Mr. McArdle voting nay.

Black—Abbott. That this Council do now adjourn, to meet again on the second Tuesday of December, at Robt. Gordon's Hotel, Dundalk.

JOHN VERT, Tp. Clerk

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION FOR COUNTY OF DUFFERIN.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—In discharge of a duty imposed on me by the members, I send you the folling account, which I hope will be of interest.

I may remark, *en passant*, that, as we were called upon to be present at 9 a. m., Friday, 14th, to fill out a very extensive two days' programme, I took train Thursday evening, being joined, *en route*, by a number of others, and was pleased to see a fair sprinkling of the gentler—you know. A ride on the road was splendid exercise after our sedentary occupation, as we bumped on down. Somewhere below Shelburne we came to a bigger bump than usual, followed by a succession of bumps about three hundred yards long; but, as the ladies on the train were school marms, there was no foolish screaming. The poor old car, unable to support such a load of wit and learning, had got its hind legs off the track. General Bagatelle was on board, however, and he made things fly—one brakesman went flying into the ditch for getting in his way—he swore till the gravel flew in all directions. As we travelled on to the next jumping off place, I was rather amused at the remarks of a brakesman:—"People complain of this road going so slow, but if that was to happen on a fast road, some of them would be killed; but on this road if we do get off, we go so slow that nobody ever gets hurt." It is not a bonus they want, Mr Editor, it is a medal! But now for business.

Public School Buildings,
Orangeville, Oct. 14th, '81.

Association opened under auspices of the President, N. Gordon, Esq., P. S. I., Dufferin. He delivered a very telling address.

Minutes of last meeting read by F. B. Denton, Secretary.

Report of committee for drafting constitution. Mr. Gordon asked for more time. He would draft the By-laws, but found the Constitution was laid down by law. Constitution read by the Secretary.

Moved and seconded, that the next meeting of the Association be in May of 1882.

Moved and seconded, that the fee be 50c.; or that each member for $1 (including fee 35c) have choice of Canada School Journal or Gage's Examiner at club rates of 65c.—Carried.

Arithmetic to Beginners. — Miss Lawson. A class of juveniles brought in to be used for the occasion. One shaver thought he was had up, took a softening of the brain, and began to liquify; carefully removed by the collar. By means of the removal, Miss Lawson got through very nicely.—Shaver brought back in smiles; rain gone.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Geography to Beginners.—Mr. Kelly. Beat anything I over heard since my nativity.

How to Teach English History.—John Tait, Collingwood Collegiate institue. He would teach by epochs, cared nothing for dates, (let every boy throw up his cap). Said the Saxsons opposed the Normans more than the Danes. (Doubt it very much). He said the Tudors sounded the death knell of English History. (I think they relieved the nation somewhat, by taking the power of oppression from the barrons and the Church into their own hands). He spoke of memory as a separate faculty. (I think that memory is a developement of any faculty. But Mr. Mait is decidedly one of our best men; and a most conscientious worker. His subjects are well handled. Coming in as a free lance—and a sharp one—he makes things lively.

Essay on Elocution. by Mr. Varcoe.—Voice rather fine for the subject, Illustrations rather digressive. Mr. Steele seemed to intimate that the illustrations were to powerful for the subject matter. Still to give the—every man his due, the compositisn was ably written.

Algebra to Beginners,—Mr. Steele, B. A., Head Master Orangeville High School, made a very ingenious use of the balls to give pupills a start in this abstract subject. I could not agree with him on his illustrations for the substraction of minus quantities. He did not err for want of ability, but because he accepted the common illustrations of the books, which, if he examines carefully, he will find to be erroneous. But to elucidate this subjet would require about two columns of your paper, Mr. Steel is a really able man, as indeed his position indicates; and his other subject, Analysis and Parsing of "The Deserted Village," proves him to be thoroughly master of English.

OCT. 15TH.—Mr. Steel, as above. Mr. Tait, Senior Arithmetic. But the principal feature of the occasion were (note the use of *were*) the lectures of J. Lachlin Hughes, Esq., P. S. I., Toronto. That on the evening of the 14th, in the Town Hall, before an audience of five or six hundred with a large admixture of youth, was a masterly affair. The man that has magnatism and tact to manage such an audience, and hold them spell-bound for two hours, is a phenomenon. The nominal subject was School Room Humor, put there was much that was pathetic. In fact we only refrained from crying for fear we might be in an unfit condition for the next laugh. Mr. Hughes gave the Association lectures on music and on drawing, which were extremely valuable to teachers: hints gleaned from the best schools of the United States, Kindergarten and other systems, and combined by himself, a no mean Artist. Mr. Hughes is one of the best of fellows (if I may use such a free expression, and I know he will take no offence at it) that I ever met; he is a man in every good sense of the word; and to know him is to know you have a brother.

Your obt. servant,
I. H. PALMER.

Dundalk, Oct., 1881.

EUHRASIA AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY'S PLOUGHING MATCH.

The ploughing match of the above named Society took place on the farm of Mr. N. Clark, on the 25th ult. The day proved to be splendid, and we had the best ploughing match ever held in Euphrasia. It was a beautiful sight to see 18 teams of horses with the best of ploughs of different colors, start up the field, though I believe it is pleasanter to be a looker-on than a ploughman in Euphrasia. Although Mr. Clark carried out food enough to satisfy any ploughman, and they are proverbial for being big eaters, still the on-lookers had the advantage, for we went into the house and had a good and substantial hot dinner, then when the ploughing was done, all hands in and eat again. If you are spared for another year, and I hope you will be, come out to this end of the County, spend a week at the ploughing matches, and get fat. Many thanks to Mr. Clark for his hospitality, nor do we wish to forget the female portion of the family for their kindness

PRIZE LIST:

1st Class, Men, 3 entries—R. J. Loughead; 2nd James McConnell.

2nd Class, Men, 4 entries—G. Badger; 2d J. Smith.

3rd Class, Boys from 15 to 18 years of age, 4 entries—R. S. Clark; 2nd B. Clark; 3rd Mick Foy.

4th Class, Boys under 15 years of age, 2 entries—S. J. McKnight; 2d Joseph C. Jobe.

5th Class, special, to be ploughed for with cast head and shear, 5 entries—Joseph Bowes; 2nd F. Foster: 3rd T. Douglas.

T. ABERCROMBIE, Sec'y.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor.

SIR,—Dundalk is under obligations to you for giving us so readable a paper. It is quite a credit to us as well as to our village. I see that you encourage the expression of opinion on public matters by your subscribers. Church affairs are the order of the day at present in your columns. I have been thinking that Dundalk might have a share in helping to elucidate some of the questions discussed and write you with this in view. I have got the numbers of the STANDARD which include the correspondence, and must say that Dundalk will need to waken up if she desires to keep in line. "As iron sharpeneth iron," so let us assist in rubbing each other up. Your correspondent "M" hits the nail on the head very effectively in his strictures on Church practice as contrasted with Scriptural theory. There can be no doubt whatever but churches in many instances are falling into most disreputable ways, as to self-support. "M" points out such ways and shows wherein they are of easy avoidance in a religious sense. Get a deeper religious feeling to pervade the mind, and this trouble would be over come. If ministers, instead of pandering to the worldly propensities of their people as to money raising ways, would sternly set their faces against all dubious methods, half the battle would be won, and then the other half would not be so very hard to achieve, by a resolute, consistent teaching of the great gospel truths in harmony with their practice. Nothing has pleased me better in the letters of "M" than his evident faith in the church to come back to her first love. He does not pick out her faults for the sake of fault-finding, but he deals with the matter as if it can be cured and as if she had (as she really has) the means within herself to do so. This is the criticism of a friend, not that of an enemy. I will just refer shortly to some of his opponents. There is no doubt but there are a considerable number of well-meaning men who would support some such scheme as the test tax of Taxarious for a variety of apparently defensible reasons, but on coming across such and discussing the matter, they have generally seen their grounds to be untenable. The truth is the spirit of the age is totally against the Church as a body, mixing itself up in any way with political or legal questions, and there can be no doubt that this spirit in the present state of the world is quite in accord with the spirit of the church's lawgiver, and this can be admitted even by those who contend that it is not the duty of the Church to exercise an influence for good on every question pertaining to social well being. Taxarious says "tax the adjuncts, but leave the Gospel free. I would rather put it this way, "a free gospel in free adjuncts." "No tax, no force, no debt." Your correspondent Subscriber is justifiably sarcastic on the church, sometimes piling up the debt, and then using any and every means to clear it off. Fair Play makes a sharp point in recommending whiskey Treasurers, as it will be clear to all that if the vendors of whiskey may be church members, why not employ them in active work? I hardly think that Tammas Tickle is quite so ignorant as he seems. Tammas and Tibbie are evidently relations of the innocents abroad, but there is also some sense at the bottom of their nonsense. Altogether the discussion of such matters is calculated to make your paper both readable and useful, and I trust you will long go on and build up a paper creditable to yourself and the locality in which it circulates.

NO TAX.

TWENTY-TWO persons left Walkerton last week for Manitoba.

AN EGREMONT FARMER KILLED ON THE RAILWAY.

A sad and fatal accident occurred on the line of the G. B. & W. Ry. about seven o'clock on Monday evening, whereby Mr. James Hunt, farmer of the township of Egremont, lost his life. He had been in Mount Forest during the day transacting business, and was proceeding homeward along the line when the gravel train backing up ran over him, completely severing both legs and one arm. The body was otherwise terribly mutilated, and was almost unrecognizable. The night was exceedingly dark, and it is supposed prevented him from observing the train aproaching.—*Chronicle*.

A TERRIBLE FALL.

A YOUNG MAN AT KINGSTON FALLS FROM A SCAFFOLD SEVENTY HIGH.

KINGSTON, Ont., Oct. 26.—This morning a young man named Criditord, an apprentice to Mr. E. Tossel, the contractor for the mason work on the new cotton factory, ascended to the top of the tower to resume work. He had not been there long until he was precipitated down through the scaffolding, striking on the bottom with a dull thud. He was picked up in an apparently lifeless condition. Doctors were speedily summoned. He fell a distance of seventy feet. He was taken to his home at the Grand Trunk depot. But a short time ago another man died from injuries received by a falling brick at the same factory.

LATER.—The young man injured at the cotton mill has been taken to the hospital. After falling seventy feet he struck on his hands and face. His wrists were dislocated and both forearms broken. His face struck several sharp stones, which penetrated the flesh. Both upper and lower jaws were smashed into numberless pieces. It is said that after striking the ground he rebounded several times. The doctors say he cannot live. He is aged 17. The cold air caused him to dance around to keep his feet warm. His heel struck a small piece of brick, which overbalanced him and he went down through an open space in the scaffold.

HONOR ROLL, S. S. No. 2, Orange Valley, Artemesia, for Oct., 1881. Maximum marks 348. Senr. 4th Class—Robt. McNicoll; 2nd Fanni Green. Junr. 4th Herbert Henry, 244; Libbie Thompson 331; Wm. Thompson 211. Third Class, 1st Div., Isabella Cunning 298; Prudence Flesher 280: Beatrice Flesher 248. 2nd Div. Maximum marks. 333—Blake Anderson 274; Asa Hill 271; Clara Hill 266. 3rd Div.—Maggie Burnett 295; Wesley McNicoll 259; Lizzie McLue 255. 2nd Class—1st Albert McNicoll, 2nd Mary Barnett.

On Sunday last, a Credit Valley passenger train left the Union Station, Toronto, at noon, for Chicago. It is intended to continue to run this train every Sabbath. This malicious breaking of one of the commandments should at once be stopped by the authorities. The voice of every christian in Ontario should be raised against it. Every mechanic, artizan, and labourer should protest against it, for to them it means the taking away and wiping out of their day of rest. If we allow this to proceed, we may bid good bye to the peace and quite of the Lord's day.—*Orangeville Gazette*.

The assessment of Toronto for 1882 has just been completed, showing a gross total of $55,296,089, or an increase of $2,136,069, over the assessment for 1881. The increase is gratifying, and is principally due to new buildings and the opening of new streets.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday, the 25th inst, by the Rev. D. McLeod, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Joseph Ferris to Miss Isabella, daughter of Mr. Robert Stewart, all of Proton.

THOMPSON—BLACKBURN—At the Presbyterian Manse Markdale, by Rev. A. Wilson, on the 2nd inst., Mr. Geo. Thompson, to Miss Elizabeth Blackburn, all of Artemesia

DIED.

RICHARDSON In Chicago, on the 30th Oct., Thomas G., second son of Mr. Thomas Richardson, of Euphrasia, aged 24 years.

LAMB—In Glenelg on the 29th Oct., Mr Geo. Lamb Sr., father of Mr. Joseph Lamb, Blacksmith, of this place, Age 66 years.

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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large botle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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LOST.

A Note of hand, for $100, made in January, 1880, and payable to J. M. Bonnell, on 1st of January, 1881. Made by John Rowe, Vandeleur. Endorsements to the amount of $80.00 on the note. All persons are hereby notified against purchasing said note as I have not received value for it.

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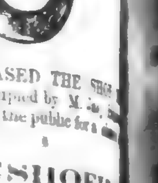

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THOS ...

Dundalk, Nov. 4th, 1881.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE

Farm Property

In the Township of Euphrasia and ... in the County of Grey.

THERE WILL BE SOLD ON WEDNESDAY, THE 16TH DAY OF NOV. 1881, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at ... ledge's Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, by Virtue of Powers contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following parties:

Parcel 1—Under Mortgage ... Paterson—The North half of the ... of Lot No. 2 in the 6th Concession of the Township of Euphrasia, County of Grey, containing 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the property: ...

Parcel 2.—Under Mortgage from ... Campbell—Lot No. ... of the Township ... of Grey, containing ... acres, more or less. The following improvements are on the premises: About 50 acres ... having erected thereon a ... situated ... from the Village of Markdale.

TERMS.—One tenth of the purchase money to be paid down ... balance, terms ... made known at the sale. For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto

Or to JOHN ..., Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Oct. 17th, 1881.

FOUND.

IN A. McINTYRE'S STORE, A PROMISSORY Note for Six Dollars, signed by A. H. Todd. The owner can have it by calling at this office, proving ownership, and paying for this advertisement.

C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1881.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

... *Wednesdays and Saturday.*

By Thomas Smith

... rs filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 6m

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IN THE TOWNSHIPS OF

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IN THE VILLAGE OF DUNDALK

By virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

Parcel 1—Under mortgage from Alexander Ferguson. The east 60 acres of lot ... in the 19th concession of the township of Proton, county of Grey. The residue of the said lot, having been granted to Martha Ferguson, by Patent, dated July 11th, 18... The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 25 acres cleared having erected thereon a hewn log house. Situated about 3 miles from the village of Priceville.

Parcel 2—Under mortgage from James Brown Lot No. 7, in the 10th concession of the township of Proton, in the County of Grey; containing 90 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: about 35 acres cleared, having erected thereon a ... barn and stable. Situated about 10 miles from the village of Dundalk.

Parcel 3—Under mortgage from Donald Campbell. Lots 10 and 11, in the ... concession of the township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 200 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 30 acres cleared, with a young orchard, and having erected thereon a log house and barn, and within two miles of Hopeville.

Parcel 4—Under mortgage from Robt McGuron. Lot No. 17, in the 17th concession of the township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 20 acres cleared and under cultivation, with a log house and barn erected thereon.

Parcel 5—Under mortgage from Robert Gordon. Lot Not 37, in the 3rd concession south of the Durham Road, in the township of Artemesia, in the county of Grey, containing 80 acres more or less. Situated about 8 miles from the village of Dundalk.

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The Quebec Legislature will be dissolved on November the 7th. The nominations will take place on the 28th, and the polling on the 3rd December.

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The Quartley meeting of the Methodist Church, Markdale Circuit, will be held next Sabbath commencing at 10:30 a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Gauge of the T. G. & B. Railway is to be changed on Saturday the 12th inst., and regular trains of the uniform gauge are to commence running on Monday the 14th,

A. Turner & Co. are removing this week across the street to Dr. Sproule's new brick building, and H. Foster is opening a general store in the place just vacated by Mr. Turner.

People are begining to find out the virtues of Dr. Carsons Stomach and Constipation Bitters, and they are becoming the favorite family medicine of the Canadian public for all derangements of the Stomach, Bowles, Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles, at 50 cts. A. TURNER & Co, special agent Markdale.

Wilson Bros., at Proton Station, are doing a good business in lumber, as may be seen by Hand Bills, they now pay the highest price in cash for any quantity of logs, both hard and soft wood.

The first decision under the Irish land act was given at Monaghan this week. The commissioners after viewing the holding in the case, reduced the rent by fifty Shillings for the next 15 years.

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The Quebec Legislature will be dissolved on November the 7th. The nominations will take place on the 28th, and the polling on the 3rd December.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers

The Quartley meeting of the Methodist Church, Markdale Circut, will be held next Sabbath commencing at 10: a. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

The Gauge of the T. G. & B. Railway, is to be changed on Saturday the 12th inst., and regular trains of the uniform gauge are to commence running on Monday the 14th,

A. Turner & Co. are removing this week across the street to Dr. Sproule's new brick building, and H. Foster is opening a general store in the place vacated by Mr. Turner.

People are begining to find out the virtues of Dr. Carsons Stomach and Constipation Bitters, and they are becoming the favorite family medicine of the Canadian public for all derangements of the Stomach, Bowles, Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles, at 50 cts. A. TURNER & Co, special agent Markdale.

Wilson Bros., at Proton Station, are doing a good business in lumber, as will be seen by Hand Bills, they now pay the highest price in cash for any quantity of logs, both hard and soft wood.

The first decision under the Irish Land act was given at Monaghan this week. The commissioners after viewing the holding in the case, reduced the rent by fifty Shillings for the next fifteen years.

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W. J. McFarland has placed a very fine lamp at the corner of Toronto and Mill St., in front of his store. We hope others will follow his example, as it would prove a great convenience on dark nights.

RESPECT.—The Grey Hairs of old age demand and should receive respect but the Grey Hairs of young people require attention—in the way of using Cingalese Hair Renewer. Sold by all druggist 50 cents a bottle.

KEEP THE FEET DRY.

This is the season of sloppy weather productive of colds, and lung troubles, neglected cold or damp feet is a fruitful source of these difficulties. Cure your cough with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. Pleasant to take and always reliable.

Blackstone, the name of England's greatest lawyer, and the name of a well known lawyer's pen of Esterbrooks make. The stationers have them.

At a sale of lands by public auction which took place in Maxwell last month, lot 25, con. 5, Township of Osprey, was purchased by Allan McLean for $2,100, and lot 26, by Hector Moore, for $2,000.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, are rapidly taking the place of all other purgatives, including Pills, Powders, etc. Their action is mild yet effectual and they are a certain cure for all bilious complaints. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

At a special meeting of Glenelg Council, held at the Town Hall the 19th ult., the following persons were appointed collectors for the present year, viz., Ward No. 1 Mr. Robert Moffat, No. 2 W. Arrowsmith, No. 3, and 4 Thos. Cook.

E. D. Wilcox holds a purse containing valuables which he found on George St. The owner can have the same by describing and paying for this notice.

No article ever attained such unbounded popularity in so short a time as Burdock Blood Bitters, and that too during the existence of countless numbers of widely advertised bitters and blood purifiers. It is evident that this medicine begins its work at once, and leaves no desirable effect unattained.

We have received from the Toronto News Company "The Blunders of a Bashful man," "A curious experience" by Mark Twain. They are both very readable, and extremely amusing, especially the bashful man's experience. Price, 15cts and 10cts. To be had from any news dealer or from the Toronto News Company.

KEEP WARM.

Blankets, from $2 up. 100 Overcoats, $5 up. Heavy Flannels, from 25c. Shawls, cheap. Winceys. Cheap. Shirts and Drawers, cheap. 75 pieces heavy Iron Twist Tweeds, from 50c, all at McFarlands.

A freight train going north on Saturday morning the 29th ult., ran through a derrick which was errected beside the Saugeen bridge, a mile north of Markdale, where a stone bridge is being built, the beam was over the track at the time. The derrick was torn down and the smoke stack torn off the engine, fortunately no person was hurt.

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habitual Constipation, Biliousness, Liver or Kidney affections, the safest and best remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the great family medicine. They can with perfect safety be given to the youngest child as they are purely vegetable in composition and mild in their action. Sold in large panel bottles at 50 cents A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

The question is often asked, will our village continue to grow as it has done this year. $19,000 have been expended this season in building, giving employment to a large number of hands and making room for twelve familie's besides many business places, and yet there are several families in need of dwellings amongst us, and they can not be had for love or money.

THE CAUSES OF COLDS.

Are getting overheated in hot rooms or crowded assemblies, sitting in a draught, or cooling too rapidly after exercise, muffling up warm and changing to lighter wrappings, cold and damp feet. No matter what is the cause Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is the cure for all throat and lung dicease that induce consumption.

Our esteemed townsman Mr. D. J. Shannahan, is making preparations for building next summer on his lot adjoining the Revere House. He has already purchased 25,000 brick, about one fourth of what he will require, and will have the most extensive carriage works in the county. He has just got in the wood work for 50 wheele'd rigs for the coming reason.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL.

Will be found invaluable for all purposes of a family liniment. Immediate relief will follow its use in all cases of pain in the stomach, bowels or side, rheumatism, colic, colds, sprains and bruises. For internal and external use. It has no equal in the world for what it has been recommended. For sale by all dealers at 25cts per bottle.

The "Boys" seemed to have had a "High old time" on Hallow e'en. As long as they confine themselves to a little fun we would have nothing to say; but when it comes to destroying property and daubing places over with paint it is time it were put a stop to by bringing some of the perpetrators before Squire Brown. It appears the girls thought they should have a share of the fun also, and several of them amused themselves by spattering mud on peoples front doors, and unroofing chicken coops.

A LIVELY AFTERPIECE AT A CIRCUS.—At Cartersville, Ga., after the performance of the circus on the night of the 25th ult, a difficulty occurred between the circus men, the deputy marshal and others. A negro was shot at and killed and others on both sides were badly beaten and bruised. Two circus men were shot. Whiskey caused the trouble. A lion and bear escaped from their cages during the melle; the bear was killed, but the lion is still at large, and considerable excitement prevails.

HONOR ROLL, No. 10 Proton, for month of October,—marks obtainable 200. Senr. 2nd Class—Sarah Johnson, 163; C. Johnson, 176; Jane McQuarrie, 182. Junr. 2nd Class—John McQuarrie, 192. Senr. 1st Class—Katie McQuarrie, 192; Euphemia Johnson, 185; Ettie Mason, 178. Junr. 1st Class—Lizzie McQuarrie, 190; D. McLellan, 158.

A. GRAHAM, Teacher.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Oct. 28th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.28
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	to	1.23
Barley	0.70	"	0.85
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.72	"	0.74
Potatoes.	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.21
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.18
Pork, dressed,	6.00	"	6.50
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed	2.00	"	3.00
Hay	15.00	"	15.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.12	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

FRIDAY, Oct 28th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	5.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.20	to	1.28
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.23
Barley	0.70	"	0.85
Oats	0.33	"	0.38
Peas	0.65		0.68
Potatoes	0.35		0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.00	"	6.50
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	[illegible]
Hay	12.0	"	15.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.20	to	$1.28
" " "	2	1.18	to	1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.28
" " "	2	1.18	to	1.20
" " "	3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley "	2	.70	to	.83
" "	3	.50	to	.60
Peas "	1	.68	to	.73
" "	2	.60	to	.62
Oats "	1	.36	to	.36
Butter "	1	.20	to	.21
Eggs		.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall. per bush.	$1 30	to	$1 38
Wheat, spring, do.	1 35	to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 95	to	1 00
Clover Seed do.	o 00	to	o 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	6 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	o 35	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese. each	00	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	o 22	to	0 23
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes. per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 80
Hay	12 00	to	16

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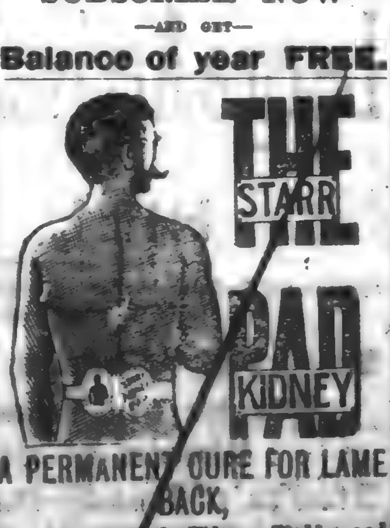

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RAILWAY MATTERS.

From the Durham Chronicle.

At the request of a number of ratepayers the Mayor called a public meeting in the town hall, on Monday evening, to discuss the railway situation. About forty ratepayers assembled. The Mayor was called to the chair, and Mr. J. F. Mowat appointed Secretary. The chairman briefly explained the objects of the meeting, as he understood it, and called upon Mr. J. H. Hunter, M.P.P., as one of the instigators of the meeting to make some remarks.

Mr. Hunter said the object of the meeting was to learn the true state of the railway. The ratepayers were entitled to explanations as to the cause of the delay in completing the road, and expressed surprise that none of the directors were present. The delays were inexplicable to the general public. Before proceeding, however, he desired to correct any misapprehension in reference to the object of the meeting, it was not, he said, for the purpose of expressing indignation, but simply for the purpose of devising some means to assist the directors, and get some information, if possible, as to when we were likely to get regular trains. Some of the directors approved of the meeting. The meeting was certainly not for the purpose of censuring the directors, but simply as he said before to get information. The ballasting was to have been completed on the 1st September, then on the 15th and now people in Mount Forest state that the road will not be opened this winter. If he thought this was true he would close his storehouse at once. If the road was not going to be opened the people should know it. A deputation should be appointed to wait on the directors and urge upon them the necessity of getting the station grounds and approaches put in decent shape. The directors would no doubt pay attention to the requests of this meeting. Mr. Jackson had stated to him that evening that railway matters were in a very unsatisfactory state, this being the case we should know the nature of the trouble. It would be a serious matter indeed for the town if the road was not speedily opened, people were getting very anxious about the matter and were desirous of assisting the directors in every possible way. He then read an interesting paragraph from the Hannover *post* in which sympathy was extended and assistance proffered. Nobody appears to know, he said, how much ballasting yet remains to be done, some say half a mile, others a mile and a half, and so on.

Mr. T. A. Harris stated there were three miles yet to be done, passed over [illegible] on Friday last. He had got [illegible] information from train hands. He would, however, suggest that a couple [illegible] gentlemen be appointed by this [illegible] to go over the line to-morrow [illegible] learn the true state of affair and report to a meeting to-morrow evening.

Mr. Hunter said the company had an engineer and if he was not doing his duty he should be compelled to do so. In conclusion he would repeat that the [illegible] was not for the purpose of [illegible] but to help. He hoped the [illegible] would lose no time in improving [illegible] station grounds. It would [illegible] for hotel busses and other vehicles to reach the station. The [illegible] road would not be [illegible] principally eminated [illegible] Mount [illegible] and it must be [illegible] the contractor, solicitor, [illegible] one of the most [illegible] there, which gave [illegible] to these reports.

Mr. [illegible] Woodland, sr., thought [illegible] of Durham were entitled to [illegible] in reference to matters [illegible] with the railway, as [illegible] liberally with the con[illegible] in town were [illegible] up and it was no wonder [illegible] getting impatient.

Mr. [illegible] only director present [illegible] that the contract was to [illegible] by 1st September, [illegible] extended to 15th [illegible] Mount Forest and Hanover [illegible] they should be treated with contempt. He was satisfied the Mount Forest directors were anxious to have the road completed. The delay was no doubt annoying, but he did not think there was any help for it. The directors had nothing to hide.

Mr. M[illegible] asked why the job [illegible] had not been let at the [illegible] advertised.

Mr. Parker replied that the tenders [illegible] exceeded the estimate, and the [illegible] deferred as it was thought [illegible] the Grand Trunk would attend to the matter.

Mr. N. McIntyre said that Mr. De[illegible] and himself had now the contract and were about to proceed with the work.

Mr. Hunter said our position was certainly a very humiliating one, it just [illegible] to him as if Mr. Newman was allowed to do as he liked and the directors were afraid to tell him, here, finish your work or we will relieve you of the job. Mr. N. was not allowed to trifle with his other contracts, but he could do as he liked with this road. The contractor was master of the situation. The company were now paying the various watchmen at the crossings and the job at the station would cost a considerable more now than if it had been let in good weather. The only reason he had heard for the delay in the ballasting was that Newman's men had all got drunk at the Mount Forest Fair. Probably they had not got sober yet. The contracter had broken his contract and should be looked after. He understood also, that the Government subsidy granted to the road between Durham and Mt. Forest had not yet been got, he did not know how this was but would see into the matter if the directors wished him to do so. The subsidy on the other line had been received right up to Chesly.

Mr. Burnet said he had told people that day that he could not buy more grain as he could not get it removed, and he felt very much humiliated at being compelled to tell them so. It was in the interest of the town that the road should be completed at once.

Mr. Woodland said they were very busy now fixing the farm crossings but in the summer when they were needed the farmers could not get them attended to.

Mr. Parker said it was very easy to find fault. The directors had worked hard, and if they had failed in getting the road completed earlier it was not their fault.

Mr. N. McKechine said that as Mr. Hunter had tendered his best service he would suggest that Mr. H. and Mr. Woodland should go over the road and report.

Mr. Hunter said he was going to Toronto in the morning and would make it a point to ascertain how much work there was yet to be done.

It was then moved by Joshua Woodland, sr., seconded by Jos. F. Mowat:—That the interests of this town are seriously prejudiced by the railway remaining incomplete and it is the opinion of this meeting that no longer time should be allowed the contractor to complete the work than the 10th of Nov., and that the Board of Directors should be requested to notify the contractor that the work will be re-let unless completed by that time, and that a committee consiting of Messrs. Middaugh, D. Jackson and James Burnet be appointed to present this resolution to the President to-morrow and urge upon him the necessity of giving this resolution effect."—Carried.

At this juncture of the proceedings one of the railway conductors informed the meeting that it was expected the ballasting would be completed this week. The meeting then broke up.

ALMOST YOUNG AGAIN.

My mother was afflicted a long time with Neuralgia and a dull, heavy inactive condition of the whole system; headache nervous prostration, and was almost helpless. No physicians or medicines did her any good. Three months ago she began to use Hop Bitters, with such good effect that she seems and feels young again, although over 70 years old. We think there is no other medicine fit to use in the family." A lady in Providence, R. I.—*Journal.*

TRUST THE LITTLE ONES.

I call to mind to families that have grown up within my knowledge—two homes presided over by parents who were anxious to do right, and to rear their children to do right. In one of those homes the lock and key were put upon every door behind which cake, tart and sweetmeats were stored, and upon every drawer containing curiosities or trinckets. The good mother and sternly just father meant well—they meant to remove temptation from the path of their children—but what was the result? As the children came to the age of reflection, they were forcibly reminded of the fact that they were not trusted. If they were not trusted by their own parents who knew them well, of course they were not worthy of trust. They naturally accepted the situation; but just as naturally, their wits found work in circumventing the keepers of the hiden treasures. Fruit or pastry, accidently left exposed, was sure to disappear. If the culprit was found, he was punished. By and by the eldest of the children found false keys to fit the locks of the closet doors; and so it came to pass that systematic theiving became the order of the day.

In the other home, with the same number of children, nothing that could possibly excite the normal desire of a child was ever locked up or hidden.—From cellar to garret, all storing places of fruit, pastry and sweetmeats, were open and free. One of the very first ideas impressed upon the minds of the children was, that they were worthy of trust. And they were trusted. No false desires or appetites were created by concealing from them good and pleasant things. And so, being trusted, they grew up trustworthy; and the good mother of that household would as soon of thought of finding her child cutting its own fingers off as finding it using those fingures in stealing.

And who shall say how much of this early education is carried into the after-life, for weal or woe? Far more I believe than is generally considered.

There is a vast difference between needlessly setting temptation before the little ones, and a generous hearty trusting of them. And, again, there are exceptions to nearly all rules. I know a child with eyes so weak, and lungs so painfully sensitive, that he cannot bear the sunlight or the fresh air. Yet we believe sunlight and fresh air to be generally good for children — Kleptomania is not the normal condition of our little ones. If, perchance an unlucky urchin is discovered to be absolutely afflicted with that pilfering disease, let the remedy of restraint be applied; but, in the name of love and mercy, do not administer the medicine to the dear child that is healthful,—it may be as dangerous as it is unjust. The first duty of a parent is to give and accept perfect truthfulness on the part of the children. It establishes self respect, and begets that proper sense of responsibility which carries with it perfect honesty in life. Trust is like faith; it awakens sincerity, and produces inward promptings which are but the reflections of an upright conscience.

HOW TO PRESERVE FAILING EYESIGHT.

The Magazine of Pharmacy gives the following rules for the treatment of the eyes for those who find their eyesight beginning to fail:

Sit in such a position as will allow the light to fall obliquely over the shoulder upon the page or sewing. Do not use the eyes for such purposes by any artificial light. Avoid the special use of the eyes in the morning before breakfast. Rest them while reading or sewing, or looking at small objects, and by looking at things at a distance or up to the sky; relief is immediately felt by so doing.

Never pick any collected matter from the eye lashes or corner of the eyes with the finger nails; rather moisten it with saliva and rub it away withe ball of the finger over the closed eye lids towards the nose; this carries off any excess of water into the nose itself by means of the little canal which leads into the nostril from each inner corner of the eye.

Keep the feet always dry and warm, so as to draw any excess of blood from the other end of the body. Use eye glasses at first carried in the vest pocket attached to a guard, for they are instantly adjusted to the eye with very little trouble whereas, if common spectacles are used, such a process is required to get them ready that to save trouble the eyes are often strained to answer a purpose.

Wash the eyes abundantly every morning. If cold water is used, let it be flapped against the closed eyes with the fingers, not striking hard against the balls of the eyes. The moment the eyes feel tired, the very moment you feel conscious of an effort to read or sew, lay aside the book or needle, and take a walk for an hour, or employ yourself in some active exercise not requiring the close use of the eyes.

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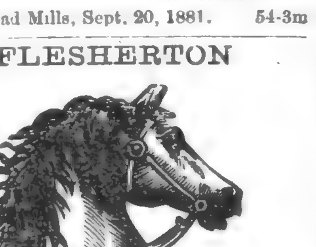

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JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880,

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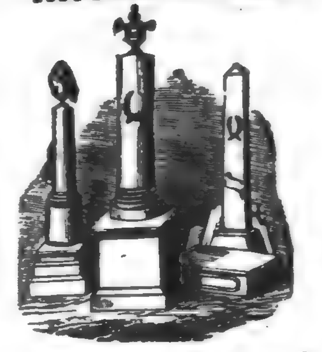

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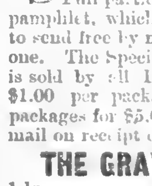

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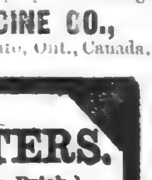

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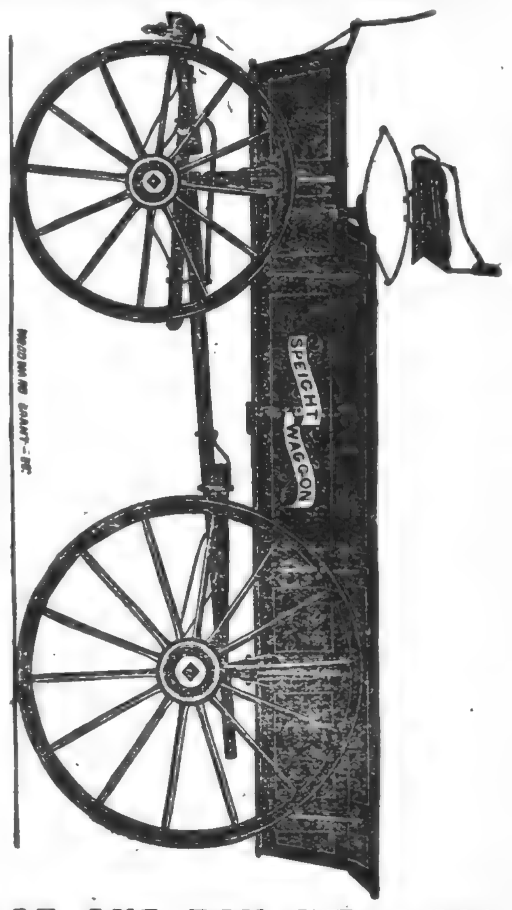

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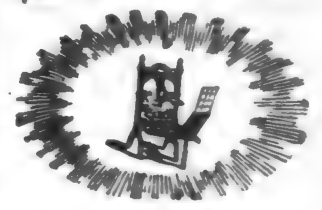

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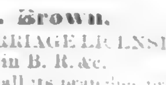

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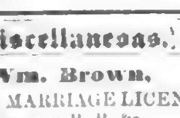

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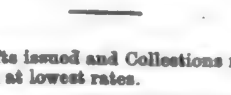

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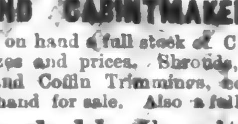

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WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
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SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
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HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactory and Depository, Durham and Hill streets
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TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every description in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any according to the quality of the work.
Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.
Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11-ly

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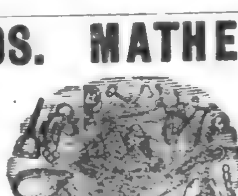

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FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
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AT
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The subscriber returns thanks to the inhabitants of
MARKDALE
and vicinity for their liberal patronage during the past five years, and begs to remind them that he is prepared to supply their wants in his line as
CHEAP
as any one north of Toronto.
Fresh and Corned Meats
delivered promptly on receipt of orders.
SAUSAGE & POULTRY
always kept in their Season.
Shop on Mill sreett, opposite the "Revere Hotel."
Cash paid for Fat Cattle and Sheep
Again thanking you for past favors he trusts by faithful attention to your wants to merit a continnance of your support.
NOTICE.—Farmers having fat sheep or cattle to dispose of will leave their address at Sargeant's
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A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,
Teas a Specialty.
Miscellaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.
P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.

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BAKER,
THE Subscriber, in returning thanks to the inhabitants of Markdale and surrounding country for their patronage during the past eight years, begs to intimate to them he is how prepared to supply the Public with
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Variety of Other Cakes
always on hand, Also,
BISCUIT!
of every description, from the best manufacturers in Ontario. Also, a large and varied assortment of the
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FURNITURE!
From the Commonest to the
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in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
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Written for the Standard.

STAND FAST.

Brother! stand fast, when envious shafts
In malice steeped, fly swift around;
Standfast! in strength of duty done,
For evil weapons all rebound.

Stand fast! when falsehood rears its crest,
And poses as a spirit of light;
Stand fast! when Satan's willing tool,
Tries hard to crush the from its sight.

Stand fast! for all will be in vain,
As long as to thyself thou'rt true;
Stand fast! for malice, spite and spleen,
Go home to roost, but not with you.

Stand fast! while all these feelings writhe,
Proclaiming only sense of duty;
Stand fast! while base hypocrcity,
Grasps at your ruin for public booty.

Stand fast! be true, self-cent'ring, bear,
Your duty do, as always done;
Stand fast! and malice, spite and spleen,
Like coward sneaks, will sneak alone.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER VII—*Continued.*

'You will give me that promise in writing?'

'In anything; it is easy enough to give a promise we never expect to be called upon to fulfil. If through you Scarswood Park becomes mine, I will willingly pay you the sum you ask.'

'Very well, then—it is a compact between us. You fetch the document in writing the next time you visit us, and let that visit be soon. You can surely bear the sight of our lovers' raptures with the secret knowledge that they will never end in wedlock.'

'If I thought that,' between his set teeth.

'You may think it. I know that of Katherine Dangerfield which would deter anyone from marrying her. Ah! Speak of his Satanic Majesty and he appears. Behold Katherine Dangerfield and the handsome lover her money has bought!'

They came dashing out from under the arched entrance gates, both superbly mounted, for Mr. Dantree had the run of the Morecambe stables. Remarkably handsome at all times, Mr. Dantree invariably looked his best on horseback, and Miss Dangerfield, in her tight-fitting habit, her tall hat with its sweeping purple plumes, and wearing, oh, such an infinitely happy face, was, if not handsome, at least dashing and bright enough for the goddess Diana herself.

'Look,' Mrs. Vavasor said, maliciously; 'and they say perfect bliss is not of the lower world. Let those who say so come and look at Katherine Dangerfield and that beautiful creature, Gaston Dantree—the very handsomest man I ever saw, I believe, and I *have* seen some handsome men in my lifetime. Real Oriental eyes, Mr. Dangerfield—long, black, lustrous. And he bows with the grace of a prince of the blood.'

The equestrians swept by. Mr. Dantree doffed his hat, and bowed low to the smiling little lady in the basket carriage. Miss Dangerfield's salute was of the haughtiest. Some feminine instinct told her that her father's guest was her enemy, despite her ceaseless smiles.

'I hate that woman, papa!' Katherine more than once burst out to her father. 'I hate people who go through life continually smirking. If you told her black was white, she would say, "So it is is, my sweetest pet," and look as if she believed it—little hypocrite! I detest her, and she detests me, and she makes you miserable—oh, I can see it! Now, what I want to know is, what's she doing here?'

And Katherine stood before her father, and looked for an answer, with her bright, clear eyes fixed full upon him. He had shifted under the gaze of those frank eyes, with a sort of suppressed groan.

'I wish you would try and be civiller than you do, Kathie,' he answered, avoiding his daughter's searching glance; 'you were perfectly rude to her last night. It is not like you, Kathie, to be discourteous to the guest that eats of your bread and salt.'

'And it is very like her to play eavesdropper. I caught her behind a tall orange tree listening to every word Gaston and I were saying. I merely told her I would repeat our conversation any night for her benefit if she was so determined to hear it as to play the spy. She is an odious little wretch, papa, if she is your friend, and I don't believe she is. She paints and tells polite lies every hour of the day, and she hates me with the whole strength of her venomous little soul. And she looks at you and speaks to you in a way I don't understand—as though she had you in her power. Papa, I warn you! You'll come to grief if you keep any secret from me.'

'Katherine, for pity's sake, go and leave me alone. I in her power! What abominable nonsense you talk. Go! walk, drive, sing, amuse yourself with your new toy—the singing man—anything, only leave me to read my *Times* in peace. I begin to believe Victor Hugo's words. "Men are woman's playthings, and women are the dev—"'

'That will do, papa,' interrupted Katherine, walking away in offended dignity. 'You can say things quite bitter enough yourself, without quoting that cynical Frenchman. Mrs. Vavasor may be Satan's plaything, for what I know. Of that you are naturally the best judge. How long is she to force herself upon us in this house?'

'I don't know. She will leave before you are—married'—the word seemed to choke him—'and Kathie, child, I do wish you would try and treat her with common civility—for my sake, if not for hers.'

'And why for your sake, papa? I hate doing things in the dark. What claim has she upon you that I should become hypocrite and treat her civilly?'

'The claim of—of acquaintance in the past, of being my guest in the present. And without any other reason, you might do it because I desire it, Katherine.'

'I would do a good deal to oblige you, papa; even to—well, even to being civil to that painted, little, soft-spoken, snake-eyed woman. She has eyes precisely like a snake, and is to be trusted just as far. Papa, what is it she knows about my mother?'

'Your mother! What do you mean?'

'Just this—that she has some secret in her possession which you are afraid she will tell, and the secret concerns my mother. She is trading on that secret by forcing herself into this house, for you dislike her as much as I do, Sir John Dangerfield, only you won't own it. I am to be kept in the dark, it seems. Very well! I don't want to pry into your mysteries, only you can't expect me to shut my eyes to what goes on before them. That woman has some secret which you are afraid she will tell, and you pay her large sums for keeping it, and that secret concerns my mother. Don't look so thunderstruck, papa! I won't turn amateur detective, and try to find it out, and I will be as civil as it is in human nature—such human nature as mine—to be, only don't try to pass off that creature as an old friend or anything of that sort. And get her out of this house as soon as you can, for all our sakes.'

And, when Miss Dangerfield walked out of the room in offended majesty, Sir John was left to enjoy his *Times* as best he might after learning his sharp-eyed daughter's discovery.

Katherine turned in her saddle now and looked after the pony phaeton and its occupant.

'How I do dislike that woman, Gaston!' she exclaimed.

'And you're an uncommonly good hater, *ma belle*,' Mr. Dantree answered, coolly. 'You can love, but you can hate also. In the blissful days to come, when I am your lawful lord and master, it shall be my Christian endeavor to teach you better morality. I know several people whose enmity I should prefer to yours.'

'I could never be an enemy of yours, Gaston—never! Do what you might, I never could hate those whom I once loved. My likes and dislikes come at first sight. I detested that woman from the moment I set eyes on her.'

'Feminine instinct, I suppose. There is no love lost between you, darling. I've caught her looking at you at times when she thought no one was watching her, and—well, it wasn't a pleasant look, either, to give or receive. She smiles a great deal, but it isn't a very mirthful smile, and she's the sort of woman to present you a dose of strychnine and a kiss together. What does she do at Scarswood? An old friend of his, I think Sir John said. He didn't look at her in a very friendly manner, by the bye, as he said it. She is a most unwelcome intruder, it is easy to be seen, to Sir John as well as to you. Why, then, does he not give her the *conge*!'

'Ah, why, indeed,' Katherine repeated, with a frown; 'I wish some one would tell me why. There is some secret understanding between them that I can't fathom. I have not the slightest doubt of that. But granting that such is the case, what can be its nature?' Of course one can surmise many things and yet remain far from the truth. What am I to think of my father? I am unwilling to believe him guilty of any heinous crime. I wonder if papa ever committed a murder, or a forgery, or some interesting crime of that sort, and that this little human cat has found it out, and holds the secret like the sword of Dam—what's-his-name—suspended over his head by a single hair. I wish I could only find out for certain all about it. That accomplished, all would be right. It would be like the plot of a modern novel.'

'Like the plot of a modern novel, perhaps, but not in the least like Sir John Dangerfield. Still I think you're right, Kathie; there is a secret understanding, and if that understanding relates to a crime, I don't believe Sir John ever committed it. The dear old dad doesn't over and above like me, my darling; still he's a game old bird, and never did mortal man or woman willful wrong in his life, I'm positive. Doesn't our florid little widow often allude in an odd sort of way to your mother, Kathie? Now it strikes me the secret—for there is one—involves her.'

'I think it is very likely, indeed,' repeated Katherine, 'and I told papa so only yesterday.'

'You did! And what did he say?'

'Nothing satisfactory—only lost his temper—a chronic loss with him since Mrs. Vavasor's advent. He used to be the dearest old love, but he's become completely demoralized since that woman's been in the house. She always talks as if she had been an intimate friend of my mother, and papa fidgets and winces, and turns red and pale by turns, and never says a word. Mysteries may be very interesting,' said Miss Dangerfield with a frown, 'but I'd rather have them neatly bound in cloth than live in the house with them. One comfort is she is going to leave Scarswood before—'

Katherine blushed, and laughed, and broke off,

'Well, *ma belle*, before when?'

'Before—oh, well, before we are married. Now, Gaston—on the public road, sir, *don't*! It's all very well to know that the sins of the father shall be visited on the chilren, and all that, but it's nowhere in the catechism, that the inconvenient friendship of the mother shall, and I devoutly wish our visitor in Joppa. I never saw my mother that I can recollect. I never heard papa speak much about her, and everybody tells me I don't look like papa either—Colonel and the late Mrs. Dangerfield were both handsome. No, I don't want a compliment—not even your eyes, Gaston, can make me out no other than sallow and plain. And,' with a little droop of the head, and a little falter of the young voice, 'I never wished in all my life as I have wished to be beautiful since—I have known you.'

'My dearest Kathie,' Mr. Dantree said, politely struggling with a yawn, 'for a very sensible girl, as girls go, you can talk precious nonsense sometimes. Sallow and plain! I confess I should never have found it out if you had not told. You don't want to be cast in the mould of the stereotype British young lady, I hope, with a face like a pink and white wax doll, and a head more hollow. I can only say if you had you would never have bewitched me.'

'Gaston,' Miss Dangerfield said, 'do you know what they say in Castleford—what Mrs. Vavasor says about you?'

'Not at present,' answered Mr. Dantree, with his customary imperturbable *sangfroid*, 'nothing good though, I'm quite certain.'

'They say—it is almost an insult to you to repeat it—that it is not Katherine Dangerfield you love, but the heiress of Scarswood.'

She looked up to see some outburst of indignation—to hear an indignant denial. But Mr. Dantree only smiled benignly.

'You don't think that is news to me do you, Kathie? Of course, they think—why shouldn't they—I would myself in their place. My dear child, you are seventeen and haven't seen much of life—I'm seven and twenty and have seen it in all its phases. And I tell you no poor man, such as I am, ever married a wealthy wife yet, that the same wasn't said. He may love her with the passion of a second Romeo—it will make no difference. She is rich, he is poor, and it naturally follows he must be a mere mercenery fortune hunter. There were people in Lyons, perhaps, who said Claude Melonette only wanted Pauline for her fortune, until he proved his disinterestedness. Of course they say I'm a fortune hunter and adventurer—I would be very greatly surprised if they did not. Your father thinks so. But you—Kathie—my darling'—he bent his pathetic liquid dark eyes upon her, 'you surely do not; if you do—then here—this moment bid me go, and I will.

'Gaston—what nonsense. If I believed, would I be at your side now? I should die if I doubted you.'

'Mr. Dantree laughed a little cynically.

No, you wouldn't die, Kathie. Broken hearts went out of fashion with Paul and Virginia and our great grandmother. You'd not die, Kathie—you'd forget me in six months for—for what you could easily find—a better man.'

Mr. Dantree was right. It would have been very easy to find a better man; but Katherine Dangerfield was seventeen, and the glamour of a melodious voice, of Sparish eyes, and a face like some Rembrandt picture was upon her and her whole heart was in the words.

'I would never forget. When I forget you—true or false—I shall have forgotten all things earthly.

Something in her tone, in her eyes, moved him. He lifted one of her hands and kissed it.

'I am not half worthy such love and trust as yours. I am a villain, Kathie—not fit to kiss the hem of your garment. My life has been one long round of

> "Reckless days and reckless nights—
> Unholy songs and tipsy fights."

But I will try—I will—to make you happy when you are my wife. And the sooner that day comes the better. Miss Dangerfield,' resuming his customary tone, 'are you aware it is going to rain?'

It had been a fitful October day—now sun gleams, now gray gloom. Katherine looked up at the sky, and one great drop and then another fell upon her face. The whole sky was dark and drifting clouds. And growing each instant darker. The storm which had been brewing all day was close upon them.

'And we are five miles from Scarswood, and in five minutes the rain will decend in torrents. Gaston, what shall we do? I had rather not get drenched; papa will scold.'

'And I had rather not get drenched even without a papa to scold. Drenching includes influenza, watery eyes, and a tendency to talk through one's nose, and is not an interesting complaint. Can't we run to cover somewhere? You know everybody in this neighbourhood. There's Major Marchmont's younder— arn't those the ivied turrets of Marchmont place I behold through the trees?'

'Y-e-s.'

'My dear, I understood your hesitation. The gallant major did his best to snub me the other day, but I'm of a forgiving turn and don't much mind. I think I could endure that old officer's grim looks more easily than the raging elements on the open downs. Shall we make for Marchmont?'

'No,' said Katherine; 'if you can endure Major Marchmont's insults, I can't. We can do better that that—we can go to Bracken Hollow,'

'With all my heart. Where is Bracken Hollow?'

'Not a quarter of a mile off. This way, Gaston, or we shall get the drenching after all. The place belong to my old nurse—she came with us from India, and papa gave her the the place to end her days in, and to get rid of her; she and Minon, my maid, led a perfect cat-and-dog life. Quick, Gaston! Good gracious, what a deluge!'

The rain was falling in torrents now. Ilderim fairly flew before it—and Mr. Dantree followed his leader. They were close to the coast; far away the white foaming sea heaved its dull booming on the shore mingled with the rush of the rain.

'Here we are!' Katherine cried; 'and we have got the drenching after all.'

And when Gaston Dantree looked up and beheld Bracken Hollow.

A long, low, black-looking hollow, close to the shore, the brake or bracken growing thick and high all round, and tall elms shutting it in. An eerie spot with the eternal thunder of the sea close down below the cliffs; a lonely spot, with no other habitation near.

Gaston Dantree was in no way a superstitious or imaginative man, but now as he looked, that chill, creeping feeling stole over him—that irrepressible shudder which makes people say, 'some one is walking over my grave,' thrilled through him.

'A ghastly place enough, Kathie,' he said, leaping off his horse; 'a murder might be committed here and no one be the wiser.'

'A murder once was committed there,' Katherine answered; 'a terrible murder. A young girl, one older than I am, sot her false lover dead under these funeral elms. They took her, tried her, condemned her, hung her, and they say those ghostly lovers keep tryst here still.'

Gaston Dantree still stood by his horse, looking with extreme disfavour at the black cottage, at the black trees.

'A horrible story, and a horrible place. I don't know why, but if youll believe me, Kathie, I feel afraid to enter that house. I'm not a coward in a general way, and once, out West, slept a whole night in a room with a dead man, a fellow who had cut his own throat, without feeling any particular qualms about it; but I'll be hanged if I want to stop here. If I believed in presentiments now, or if there were such things, I should say some awful fate was going to befall me at Bracken Hollow.'

'Gaston, don't be a goose, and don't be German and metapycical. Some awful fate will over take you at Bracken Hollow, and that speedily if you don't come in out of the rain—an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.'

She skurried with uplifted skirts into the low porch, and her lover slowly followed.

Katherine knocked loudly and imperatively at the door.

'She's deaf, poor soul,' she said. 'It's the only one of her faculties, except her teeth, that she has lost, Are one's teeth one's faculties, Gaston?'

'Yes, my dear, and extremely important about dinner time. I can't say I envy your ex-nurse the cheerful spot in which she is spending the lively remainder of her days. Ah the door opens. Now for the presiding which of Bracken Hollow. Bracken Hollow—there's something ghostly and gloomy in the very name.'

A tall old woman, hale and erect, with iron-gray hair and preternaturally, bright eyes, held open the doorand looked stolidly at her two visitors,

'How do, Hannah? Get out of the way, you hospitable old soul, and let us in. You needn't mind if you're not dressed for company—considering the weather we won't be fastidious. any port in a storm you know. This is Mr. Gaston Dantree, Hannah. You've heard of him, I dare say.'

Old Hannah reared herself a little moro upright, and transfixed the Louisianian with her brilliant little eyes.

'I've heard of Mr. Gaston Dantree—yes, Miss Katherine, and I'm glad you brought him to see me.'

'You don't seem to be very cordial about it then; you don't say you're glad to see him.'

'I'm not a fine lady, Miss Katherine—I don't tell polite lies. I'm not glad. You're going to marry him they say—is it true?'

'Well, yes,' Katherine laughed good naturedly, 'I'm afraid it is. You pity him, nursey, don't you? You took care of me a decade of years or so, and you know what he has to expect.'

'I pity you!' old Hannah answered with a second solemn prolonged stare at her nursling's lover; 'I pity you! Only seventeen, and trouble, trouble, trouble before you.'

It was not an easy matter to stare Mr. Gaston Dantree out of countance as a general thing, but his eyes fell now before old Hannah's basilisk gaze.

'Confound the hag!' he muttered, turning to the window; 'what does she mean?'

Katherine was fond of her old nurse—too fond to be irritated now by her croaking.

'Don't be disagreeable, Hannah,' she said; 'and don't stare in that Gorgon-like way. It's rude, and Mr. Dantree is modest to a fault. See how you put him out of countenance. Sit down here, like a dear old thing, and tell me all about the rheumatism, and what you want me to get you for the winter; you'll have lots of time before the rain holds up.'

'The rain is holding up now, Kathie,' her lover said. 'I knew it was too violent to last. In ten minutes it will have ceased. Come, we can go.'

He could not account to himself for his feverish haste to leave this place—for the sudden and intense dislike he had taken to this grim, old woman.

'I'll go and see to the horses,' he said, 'and smoke a cigar in the porch, while you talk to your nurse.'

He quitted the room. Katherine looked after the graceful figure and negligent walk with eyes full of girlish admiration; then she turned to Hannah.

'Isn't he handsome, nursey? Now confess; you're sixty or more, but you like handsome people still, don't you? Isn't he just the very handsomest man you ever saw in all your life?'

'He's rare and handsome, Miss Kathie,' the old woman said, slowly; 'rare and handsome surely. But, my little one, don't you marry him. It's not the face to trust—it's as false as it's fair.'

'Now Hannah, I can't listen to this—I really can't. I thought you would have wished me joy, if nobody else. Everybody says horrid things—nothing is too bad to be said of Mr. Dantree—and all because he is poor and I am rich—fortune-hunter, adventurer, false. It's a shame.'

'It's the truth, my bairnie. Be warned, and draw back while there is yet time.'

Miss Dangerfield arose with calm dignity. It wasn't worth while losing one's temper with old Hannah.

'Good bye, nursey—I'm going. You are disagreeable to-day, and I always go away immediately from disagreeable people. I shall send you those flannels, though, all the same. Good-bye.'

She was gone as she spoke. The rain had nearly ceased, and Mr. Dantree was waiting for her impatiently. His dark southern face looked strangely pallid in the gray twilight of the wet October evening.

'Come Kathie; it will rain again presently, and night will fall in half an hour. The sooner we see the last of Bracken Hollow the better.'

'How frightened he is of Bracken Hollow!' Katherine said, laughing; 'like a child of a bogie. Why, I wonder?'

'Why, indeed? Why do you hate Mrs. Vavasor, Katherine? She hasn't given you any cause—yet, I can't tell you why, but I never want to see Bracken Hollow again.'

She looked up into his face. What a darkly moody expression it wore! It half spoiled his beauty. And all the way home, through the chill, rainy, gloaming, old Hannah's words rang like a warning in her ears: 'False as fair—false as fair!'

CHAPTER VIII.

A LETTER FROM NEW ORLEANS.

Mr. Dantree dined at Scarswood and rode homeward through the wet darkness somewhere before midnight.

It had been a very pleasant evening, and the Louisianian was in the best possible spirits as he rode back to Morecambe. The day was drawing near when a more pleasant abode than Morecambe would be his—when he would reign supreme at Scarswood Park.

'The governor can't hold out very long now,' Mr. Dantree mused. 'After thirteen years of hill life in India, his liver can't be the size of a walnut—and then, he's apoplectic. Your short-necked, florid-faced, healthy looking old buffers are always fragile blossoms; it's a touch-and-go with them at any moment. And he's taking his daughter's engagement to my noble self desperately to heart—he's been breaking every day since. I wonder what's up between him and the little widow? It wouldn't be pleasant if she should turn out to be a first wife, or something of that sort, and at his death produce an interesting heir or heiress and oust Mrs. Dantree. It looks suspiciously like it; she's got a strong claim of some kind on him, and he's more afraid of her than he ever was of the savagest Sepoy out yonder. I wish I could get at the bottom of the matter, before I commit myself further and slip the ring over Miss Dangerfield's finger. Not that it matters very greatly—neither matrimonial nor any other fetters ever could bind me. It may all turn out right, however, and I may reign grand seigneur of Scarswood. Rather a change in a few months, for a penniless penny a liner. Marie's the only drawback. If ever she finds this out, there'll be the devil to pay in New Orleans.'

Miss Dangerfield had been rather surprised when on entering the drawing-room that evening, after her wet ride from Bracken Hollow, she found her cousin Peter playing chess with Mrs. Vavasor. It was the first time since their quarrel that he had entered the house. She went over to him with the frank, girlish grace that always characterized her, and gave him her hand.

'Welcome back to Scarswood, cousin,' she said; 'I began to think you had quite deserted us. Is it to the claims of kinship or to the facinations of Mrs. Vavasor we owe the present visit, I wonder?'

'A little of both, Kathie, and a cousinly desire to offer my congratulations to the future Mrs. Dantree. I wish you both every happiness.'

He did not look at her as he said it, and something in his voice struck unpleasantly on Katherine's ear.

'You are very good,' she said, a little coldly. 'May I overlook your game? Who is going to win?'

'I am, of course. It's come of a race, Kathie, that always win.'

But Mr. Dangerfield was mistaken.

'Check! Mrs. Vavasor cried, sharply and triumphantly, a few minutes after. 'Your race may always win except—when they have a Vavasor for an enemy.'

Katherine's eyes sparkled.

'Try again, Peter,' she said; 'a Danfierfield never yields!'

'I fear I must; I am no match for Mrs. Vavasor. Ah! here is Dantree—lucky dog! I must go over and congratulate him. It's not every day a poor devil drops into eight thousand a year and the finest place in the county.'

'Katherine, dear, suppose you try,' Mrs. Vavasor gaily exclaimed, 'and vindicate the honour of the Dangerfields. I play chess pretty well; but who knows—you may become more than a match for me.'

'Well,' Katherine said coolly, 'I think in the long run I would. I have a great deal of determination—obstinacy perhaps you might call it—and when I make up my mind to do anything, I generally *do* do it.'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

JOSH BILLINGS' SAYINGS.

I nave never known a sekond wife but what was boss ov the situashun.

After a man gets to be thirty-eight years old he can't for many new habits much: the best he can do is to steer his old ones.

Any man who can swap horses, or catch fish, and not lie about it, iz az piuz az men ever get to be in this world.

The sassyest man I ever met iz a henpecked husband when he iz away from home.

An enthusiast is an individual who believes about four times as much as anybody believes.

The dog that will follow anybody ain't wuth a cuss.

Those people who are trying to get to heaven on their kreed will find out at last that they didn't have a thru ticket

Too long courtships are not alwuss judicious. The parties often tire out scoreing 'fore the trot begins.

One quart ov cheap whiskey (the cheaper the better) judiciously applied, will do more business for the devil than the smartest deacon he has got.

I don't remember doing ennything that I was just a little ashamed ov but what somebody remembered it, and was shure, once in a while, to put me in mind of it.

Young men learn to wait; if you undertake to set a hen before she is ready you will lose your time, and confuse the hen besides.

Nature seldom makes a phool; she simply furnishes the raw materials and lets the fellow finish the job to suit himself.

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habitual Constipation, Biliousness, Laver or Kidney affections, the safest and best remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the great family medicine. They can with perfect safety be given to the youngest child as they are purely vegetable in composition and mild in their action. Sold in large panel bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner & Co, special agents for Markdale.

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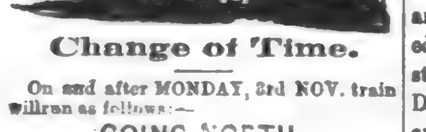

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train will run as follows:—

GOING NORTH.

Toronto ,—Union Station,			
Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p.m
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.43 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m,	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.,	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a. m.	5:20 p. m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a. m.	5.40 p. m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m,
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m,
Carlton	10.10 a.m,	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station,			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3.00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 11th, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 [illegible] West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1 00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
[illegible] per year,	$1.00
[illegible] Agriculturist "	1.50
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PROGRESS OF THE T., G. & B.

The Board of Directors of the T., G. & B. Railway met yesterday afternoon in the offices of the Company. There was a full attendance, and the work at present going on the road was freely discussed. From the engineer's report of the progress of the work it was found necessary to postpone the changing of the guage from the 12 to the 26th inst. Three iron bridges, each 50 feet long, were completed on the line last week, one in the township of Arthur, over the Four Mile Creek, another over the Sauble River at Williamsford, and the third over the Spey River at Chatsworth. The Board of Directors will take a trip over the road next Friday, for the purpose of inspecting the work and making any suggestions that its members may consider advisable.

OBITUARY.

It is with regret that we this week announce the death of Mr. George Lamb, Sr. He had been suffering for a number of years from heart disease, and his demise, though very sudden, was not altogether unexpected. He was one of the pioneers of the County of Grey, and a resident of the Township of Glenelg for about 28 years. He was born in Fifeshire, Scotland in the year 1815, and came to Canada in 1850. He first made his home in Brantford, where he resided for three years, from whence he removed to the Township of Glenelg, where he remained ever since, where he had with unceasing toil and indomitable energy succeeded in hewing out a comfortable home for himself, and at the age of 66, when most men would expect to sit down and enjoy the fruits of half a century of unremitting labour, he passed quietly away to a better land. He leaves a large family to mourn his loss. Mr. Lamb was well and favourably known throughout the Township, and will be sadly missed by his large circle of acquaintances.

"May our footsteps never falter
In the path that he has trod,
May we worship at the altar
Of the great and living God."

THE Marquis of Lorne left Quebec for England on the 5th inst. An address was presented to him by the Lieut. Governor of Quebec, to which his Excellency made a suitable reply. His reply is the subject of considerable comment to-day, especially that portion in which he states that nothing but domestic misfortune would make him give to another the charge so dear to him, which is interpreted as foreshadowing his resignation.

SAYS the *Mail*:—Several of our contemporaries are discussing a very important subject—the wool and mutton question. The London *Free Press* thinks that Mr. Brown, the superintendent of the experimental farm at Guelph, has demonstrated that the description of sheep which will return farmers the greatest net profit is a Southdown grade. The Lachute *Watchman* thinks the experiments of Senator Cochrane and Hon. Mr. Abbott prove that the Shropshire Downs are the best description, both for the mutton and the fleece.

G. B. & W. RAILWAY.

The Georgian Bay and Wellington Railway is now completed to Durham, and the people of that town, celebrated the event on Monday last in grand style. A special excursion train left Durham at 7 a. m., for Stratford, arriving at that place at 10:30. The visitors were shown round the town by the Reeve and councillor Read. At one o'clock the return trip commenced and on arriving at Mount Forest, a halt of an hour was made, during which a lunch was served under the auspices of the town council. On arriving at Durham the principal guests were entertained at a banquet at the leading hotel, after which a meeting was convened in the town hall. Mr. Geo. McKechnie, reeve of the town, presided, and addressed congratulating all concerned on the completion of the railway thus far were delivered by Messrs. Jas. McMullen, vice-president of the road; S. S. Fuller, president of the Stratford and Port Huron railway; D. D. Hay, M. P. P., D. Scrimger, T. M. Daley, of Stratford; H. McKeown, Mayor of Palmerston; Dr. Barnhart, Mayor of Owen Sound, Geo. Jackson, M. P., and others. Hopes we express that before long the road would be further estended to Owen Sound, a distance of twenty-eight miles. The best of feeling prevailed, and confidence was felt that the opening of this line would make a beginning of great prosperity and growth for Durham, Mount Forest, and surrounding districts. After the meeting, the celebration of the day had a fitting conclusion in a grand ball.

SOME of our local *cotems*. are advocating the total abolition of our County Councils. We cannot go quite that far, but we do think the expenses connected therewith can be very materially reduced. For instance, we see no necessity for three sittings of that august body annually, when all that is required could be managed in two, If anything very important occurred, requiring immediate attention, a special meeting could easily be convened; but this we think would seldom occur.

Then again we believe that one representative for each municipality is all that is required. Representation according to population is well enough in our Dominion Parliament; in fact it is a necessity; but we see no reason that the same principal should be introduced into our County Councils. We think the Warden's address might very well be done away with, and a day thereby saved. This mimicry, by our municipal bodies of Parliamentary usages, is a perfect farce and a useless expense, and the sooner it is sent to oblivion the better.

The reduction of the number of representatives can only be made by Act of Parliament, but it lies with the people to have the other reductions made, by sending only such men as will pledge themselves to move in the matter at the earliest moment.

We some weeks ago asked how it was that a Monthly cattle fair had never been held in Markdale, and urging the people of our village to move in the matter. As yet we have not heard of anything having been done. How is it that our citizens, who are proverbial for their energy and push in other matters, are so supine in this? The holding of such a fair would be a decided benifit to our business men. It would bethe means of bringing a vast concourse of people to our village, who otherwise would rarely or never visit it, and would be the means of advertising our village, and prove to the out side world, that for its size, Markdale is "Second to None" in Ontario. Come gentlemen wake up, The December Session of the County Council is approaching, and if anything is to be done it must be done at once. Flesherton, and many other of our neighboring villages have their monthly fairs, and reap a great benefit therefrom. Don't let it be said that Markdale, the premier village of the County of Grey, is falling behind her sister villages on this question.

OSPREY.

From a Correspondent.

About three inches of snow fell Friday night and Saturday. The roads are in a very bad state.

Several hundred rods of fence were put into amusing positions last Monday night. Several ploughs and other articles are not to be found, and rewards (as high as fifty dollars in some cases) are being offered for the culprits.

Mr. W. L. B. Hamlin, of Maxwell, is now doing a rushing business. Success to him

The parcel of money lost by Mr Milne, on the 29th of October, has not been found yet. We believe it is said to have contained a considerable sum.

Prayer meetings are being conducted in the northern part of the Township, by the Rev. John Chisholm, who is very energetic in his labors.

In Feversham everything seems to be quiet; everyone trying to get through the mud as best they can.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

Hollowe'en, was calebrated in due form in this neighborhood, the fences were built across the roads, and in some places logs were piled up so that it was impossible to pass with a team, ploughs were found in the morning hanging in tree tops, some of our farmers are yet looking for their's, others found it necessary to get help to take theirs down from the tree tops, wakening the Inhabitants at 12 mid night, by ringing the school bell, that's what is called hollowe'en.

Our school ground will soon wear the minature outward appearence of a central prison, the ground is being enclosed with a high board fence, it is said one of the trustees is a contractor I suppose you have weather in Markdale, our own opinion nearly agree with pats, that we are goink to have eight months of winter and four of bad weather. If Vennor has anything to the contuary let us hear from him, quick.

If you want to enjoy a soft drive, take the gravel at Flesherton and go east, young man. Please correct the gravel above and say M-U-D, in big letters like that, so that people can hear them.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia was held, pursuant to adjournment, on the 29th day af October, 1881.

Members all present, the Reeve in the chair.

Minutes of last session of Council read and confirmed.

A claim for $60 damages, made by James Kerr, Esq., regarding the location of a bridge, and the approaches thereto, over Beaver River, was laid before the Council but not complied with.

The Reeve, Mr. Gilray, the Treasurer and Clerk, were appointed to consider the advisibility of procuring a safe for the use of the municipality.

The amount of $3 was struck off Joseph Key's taxes, said amount having been placed their in error.

John Wright was permitted to pay to the Township Treasurer $14.64, being the taxes against W. ½ lot 27, con. 10, and the Clerk ordered to strike said amount off Non-Resident Collector's Roll before sending it to the County Treasurer.

Mrs. Mick's taxes on N. E. ¼ lot 27 con. 11, were remitted on account of her present circumstances.

The Reeve was authorized to employ a Surveyor to locate a road crossing lots 1, 2 and 3, con. 5.

By.law 310, appointing Deputy Returning Officers to hold the next municipal elections, was carried through the different stages and passed.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay to George Vickers and William McConnel, Esqs., $2 each, for services as valuators in the case of Johnson and Neeley vs. the Corporation.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay to the Selectors of Jurors as follows: Robert Dunlop $6, John Clughston $4, Robert Myles $1.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay the Referees on Union Schools between Euphrasia and Collingwood as follows:—James Struthers $4.40, J.J. Fanning $5.20, Andrew Grier $5 20, said amounts to be retained from Trustees Rates in School Sections concerned.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to C. W. Rutledge, printer, $3, for advertising Voters' List.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay for services on Union School business between this Township and Holland, as follows:—James Struthers $5, and Andrew Grier $5. Also to pay Robt. Dunlop $5 for extra services concerning all the Union School Sections connected with this Township.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows:—Sheldon Ward $1 for road work, Jno. Pickering $6 for relief of old Mrs. Grey, Joseph Hawkin, 2 for services as fence viewer, Archie Daividson $25 for road work on town-line, Angus McGinnis $108 for work on 24th and 25th side-line, John Griffith $80 for crossing on town-line Collingwood, John Kirkpatrick $28 for work on 11th line, the order to be held until the work be completed, Joseph Hawken $28 for work on the 11th line. J. M. Lanktree $1.25 for repairing culvert, W. C. Hewish $3.30 for plank A. A. McConnel $2 as fence-viewer, John Clugston $10 for work on 18 and 19 side line, Jon. Anderson $110.-94 for work performed 7th line.

The Council adjourned until the last Saturday in November.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Clerk.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—Mr. Milne, of Maxwell, lost quite a sum of money, and has strong suspicion who the guilty parties are. I would have let you know in time for last week's issue of your paper, but thought your correspondent would have informed you.

Yours, &c.

NEMO.

MEAT INSPECTOR'S OFFICE.

Toronto, November 5th, 1881.

SIR,—You are hereby cautioned against receiving, buying, selling, or otherwise trading Poultry, the crops or craws of which are full, or partly so, whether such crops or craws have been stuffed, or otherwise filled with proper food, or with hay, straw, grass, leaves, stones, sand, wood, or any other substance, or inflated with the human breath, or by any wind instrument; all such fraudulently dressed and unwholesome poultry being liable to confiscation and the owners or dealers therein prosecuted according to LAW.

ROBERT AWDE,
Inspector of Meat, &c.

AUBREY DELEMAINE.—Last Monday evening this "Boy Wonder" gave one of his Entertainments in Hull's Hall, in this town and was largely attended. The usual "free tickets" were not given to members of the Press, but that omission of courtesy does not cause us to detract the merit of the Entertainment. As a Ventriloquis, the Professor has few equals on the continent of America; while his Demontiprestism, and Hydreapmephistoplas, filled the audience with an astonishment there has never before met the gase of a Markdale audience. The entertainment was so well received that the Professor was solicited to give us a re-hearing and to which we believe he has conditionally consented. So mote it be we could listen to it forever.

REMINISCENCES OF A TRIP FROM OWEN SOUND TO SAULT STE MARIE.

RIDAL BANK, Oct., 13, 1881.

Our last communication left us at Bruce Mines. We mailed it some time ago, and if it did not reach you we will re-write it from memory shortly.

Nine miles from across the water from Bruce Mines to the southwest brings Hilton on St. Joseph's Island, next to Manitoulin, this is the largest Island on the Lakes. On seeing St. Joseph's we think of the prominent part it takes in Canadian History. We think of La Salle, Jolliette, Marquette, and other heroic Frenchmen of long ago, who traversed it and endured the most severe trials and hardships to preach to and convert the red man of the forest. It was on this Island that some centuries ago a French priest was massacred while at mass by Algonquin Indians, who suddenly sprang in upon a band of Hurons and murdered the priest and the greater part of the worshippers. The descendants of those who were left after this affray now live at Loretto in Quebec, Province. It was from here commander Roberts embarked in 1812, when he took Michilimackinac. It is pleasant to set foot on such historic soil. But for all the historic memories, Hilton is not a large place, a store or two, post office and dock are about all that constitute this village. Fourteen miles more around the north side of this isle brings us to Richardson's Dock, another port on St.Joseph's. Another place like Hilton, with appearently a little more life and trade. The land on St. Joseph's is good but a little stony. A gradual rise is everywhere preceptible on the shore. A-board and sailing once more. Twenty seven miles to the west, and we catch sight of Garden River. Truly it is the garden of anything we have seen in Algoma, if a pleasant situation has anything to do with a place. Nestling on the bank of the noble St. Marie River, with a range of mountains half a mile to the north running westward it occupies a most pleasing position. If the ladies of this place were as pretty as the place itself we would remain, but alas! there is too mush Indian in them, and when the whistle blows we take ourselves on board. Twelve more miles westward up the narrow winding river which drains Lake Superior, and we are at Sault Ste Marie, the Capital of Algoma. It is within a quarter of a mile of Lake Superior, and contains the Court House, fail and Registry Office. The best school house in Algoma is here, and we have never seen its equal as a public school. The brick school at Markdale is a good one but it does not compare with this. This one is heated with steam, the water is supplied by a wind mill, hot and cold water in every room, and neat wash room go to make some of the comforts of this building. The ladies are much prettier here than at Garden River. This is the proposed terminus of the Edgar Line of Railway. It boasts of a well edited paper, "The Pioneer." The country back is well settled in. Business is flush. Sault Ste Marie is four hundred and thirty six miles from Collingwood. We see here what has not been yet started elsewhere in Algoma, viz, a dairy farm. The proprietor does a good business in ice cream, and in supplying boats. His stock of cows average seventeen. The Sault does a good business in cord-wood. The teacher's examination is being held here (July 7). Nearly thirty candidates wrote. Over twenty were successful. The river here runs very rapidly and is about one-fourth of a mile in width. We cross over the ferry for ten cents, and find our selves in Michigan, and in a large town called Sault Ste Marie. We find the people kind and full of business. We only see two good buildings. They are the court house and school. No building in the whole place will compare with the "Markdale House." The women are denced pretty, and we wish our Misses was not with us. This, however, did not stop us from returning a friendly smile. Never mind, the next time we go on a tour we will leave Susan Jane at home. The fort here is called Fort Brady. Every morning and evening, at sunrise and sunset, the soldiers fire a cannon loaded with blank shell across the river. This is to frighten us Canadians. We have now completed the trip, and are well pleased with it and make steps homeward. Nothing to mar our pleasure, except a quarrel with Susan Jane, who grew jealous in the Sault because we took a pretty girl for a drive. Married men, when you travel leave your wife at home. We will now make a short resume of our trip. The most thriving village is Manitowaning. The oldest settled place is Bruce Mines. The best buildings are at the Sault. The best Hotel is at Gore Bay, the best sawmill at Thesselone, and the prettiest women and the fattiest babies are at the Sault, and bear in mind we are judges of the latter. In my next I will consider the Indian question.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.

GET OUT DOORS.

The close confinement of all factory work, gives the operatives palid faces, poor appetite, languid, miserable feelings, poor blood, inactive liver, kidneys and urinary troubles, and all the physicians and medicine in the world cannot help them unless they get out of doors or use Hop Bitters, the purest and best remedy, especially for such cases, having abundance of health, sunshine and rosy cheeks in them. They cost but a trifle.—*Christian Recorder*.

A SURPRISED PHYSICIAN.

A DYING PATIENT RECOVERS THROUGH THE INTERPOSITION OF A HUMBLE GERMAN.—Some weeks ago Dr. G——, a very reputable and widely-known physician, living on C—— street, was called to attend a very complicated case of rheumatism. Upon arriving at the house he found a man about forty years of age, lying in a prostrated and serious condition, with his whole frame dangerously affected with the painful disease. He prescribed for the patient, but the man continued to grow worse, and on Sunday evening he was found to be in a very alarming condition. The knees and elbows and larger joints were greatly inflamed and could not be moved. It was only with extreme difficulty that the patient could be turned in bed, with the aid of three or four persons. The weight of the clothing was so oppressive that means had to be adopted to keep it from the patient's body.

The doctor saw that his assistance would be of no avail, and left the house, the members of the family following him to the door, weeping. At this critical hour, a neighbor, a poor and humble German shoemaker, appeared to the grief stricken ones as a saving angel. He had heard of the dispair of the family, and now asked them to try his remedy, and accordingly brought forth a bottle of St. Jacob's Oil. As a drowning man will catch at straws, so the poor wife applied this remedy; she had no hope, but would try anything, as a matter of duty.—The first application eased the patient very much; after a few hours they used it again, and, wonder of wonders, the pain vanished entirely! Every subsequent application improved the sufferer, and in two days he was well and out. When the doctor called a few days after, he was indeed surprised; for instead of a corpse, he found a new-made man.—*Exchange*.

PREPOTENCY OF PERCHERON HORSES

It is claimed by high authority that Percheron horses are possessed of more endurance, are capable of performing a greater amount of quick, heavy work, are more tractable and easily broken than any other breed of large horses. And that the colts, the produce of Percheron stallions, partake in a greater degree of the qualities of their sires, and from their great value bring higer prices on the markets, than those from any other of the large breeds. These are facts that will be greatly appreciated by the public. It is well known that of all countries where draft horses are raised, the French people are the only ones who make a practice of leaving all the males entire, and of working them before and after the service ends, a practice that has been in vogue in France for hundreds of years, and to which may be attributed much of the superior excellence of the race. Every one knows that the only way to secure a high physical or mental development is to adapt a judicious and systematic course of exercise. And the grand results attained by the French have been by carrying out the principle of breeding from sires and dams both develloped physically to the highest degree by constant use in such work as their progeny would be called upon to perform.

This system, practiced continually, has increased the prepotency of each generation, and concentrated into transmissable qualities all of those valuable elements developed by juddicious training of ages. Therefore, in their progeny are found the docile and willing workers, with a superior quality of muscle, and a density and a toughness of bone, a general vigor and powerful organization that cannot be obtained from any race whose sires have been for generations wholly expempt from even the most ordinary labor; and whose temper has been made irritable by constant confinement, in most cases in an issolated stable. Then, if valuable, good tempered and healthy, hardy work horses are desired, breed from those that possess these qualities, transmitted through sires and dams through the remotest ancestry. On the contrary, if soft, loose-muscled, spongy-boned, ill-natured horses are wanted, breed from those whose sires or progenitors have never known what the collar is, nor have ever been developed by actual seavice.—*National Live Stock Journal, Chicago*.

TIME, it is said, proves everything, and among other things it has proved the value of Dr. J. C. Ayer's Cherry Pectoral as a standard remedy for diseases of the throat and lungs. This is a household medicine with thousands of people, and deservedly so, for it has been in use more than forty years, and all who use it know that it accomplishes even more than is claimed for it. Nearly every community possesses evidences of its great curative power, in persons who have been cured by it of various throat and lung complaints, and who owe to it alone their recovery from the threatening symptoms of consumption. In emergencies like croup and sudden colds, Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the remedy that every family should have at hand for the treatment of these cases as they arise.—*Richmond, Va., Standard*.

I. N. Stone, writing to the *Fruit Recorder*, says:—Seven years ago I had one acre of ground which I wish to set to strawberries the following spring, and knowing that there were a great many white grubs in every foot of it, concluded to plough in deep just before winter set in. I commenced one afternoon and ploughed one-fourth of it; a hard freeze at night kept me from ploughing the balance until spring, when I finished ploughing the piece and set it to strawberries. The plants on the fall ploughing were not disturbed at all by the grub, while those on each side were nearly all destroyed by them. Since then I have adopted the plan of ploughing fruit ground just before it freezes up for winter, and have not had *any* loss from grubs and cut worms.

HONESTY.—It is commonly said that you cannot make an honest man believe that white is black and *vice versa*, but those who have grey hair, by using the "CINGALESE HAIR RENEWER," will find that this apparent difficulty is easily overcome. For sale by all Druggists, 50 cents per bottle.

THRASHING MACHINE ACCIDENT.—A young man named Moran, son of Mr. Robert Moran, of Arran, while thrashing at Mr Morrison's in the above township on Friday last week, accidentally fell into the cylinder, and one of his legs mangled up to the knee. Medical assistance was immediately obtained, when it was deemed necessary to amputate above the knee. He lingered for a short time after the operation, when death ended his sufferings, and on Sunday last was buried.—*Chesley Enterprise*.

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habitual Constipation, Biliousness, Liver or Kidney Affections, the safest and best remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the great family medicine. They can with perfect safety be given to the youngest child as they are purely vegetable in composition and mild in their action. Sold in large panel bottles at 50 cents A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

"I hope this is not counterfeit?" said a lover, as he toyed with his sweetheart's hand. "The best way to find out is to ring it!" was the quick reply.

People are beginning to find out the true virtues of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, and they are becoming the favorite family medicine of the Canadian public for all derangements of the Stomach, Bowles, Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agent for Markdale.

SOMETHING NEW.—A new wrinkle for raising funds at church and Sunday school fairs out west is as follows: The ladies write their names and weight on slips of paper, and the gentlemen draw the slips, each gentleman taking the lady whose name he has drawn to supper, and paying half a cent per pound on the weight of his partner. If the lady should happen to over-estimate her weight it isn't considered a sin, as it is for the benefit of the church.

"What is the meaning of the word tantalising?" asked the teacher. 'Please, ma'am,' spoke up little Johnny Holcomb, 'It means a circus procession passing the school house and the scholars not allowed to look out.'

Mr. G. S. Brown has bought out the saw mill at Markdale, and takes possession immediately. We trust he will make it a paying investment, and we heartily commend him to the good people of that section.—*Monitor*.

DOCTORS DISAGREE.—Some say whiskey hardens the brain; others say it softens it. Meanwhile people without brains will keep right on drinking it, as it don't make an atom of difference to them not an, atom.—*Rochester Herald*.

BIRTH.

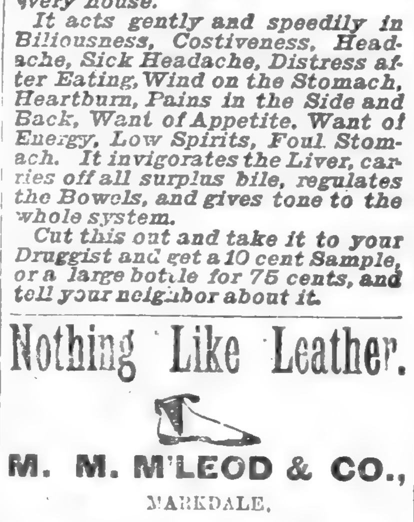
HANEY—In Dundalk, the wife of S. Haney Merchant, of a son.

MARRIED.

WILSON—MCGIRR—On the 21st ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. Smiley, M. A., of Durham, Mr. Jas. G. Wilson, of Egremont, to Miss Margaret Ann, daughter of Mr. Andrew McGirr, of Glenelg.

DIED.

TROTTER—In Dundalk, on the 5th inst., Mr. Jas. Trotter, grand father of W. H. Peterson, of Dundalk, aged 98 years.



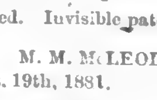
ZOPESA
(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

Nothing Like Leather.



M. M. M'LEOD & CO.,
MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

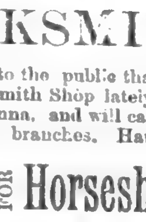
Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

THOS. SPICER,



BLACKSMITH,

Would announce to the public that he has leased the Blacksmith Shop lately occupied by Mr. James Hanna, and will carry on the business in all its branches. Having taken

13 Prizes FOR Horseshoeing

he will treat all kinds of diseases pertaining to the foot, viz:

Hoof-Bound Contraction,
QUARTER CRACKS, INTERFERING.
&c., &c.

All Work Warranted.

THOS SPICER.

Dundalk, Nov. 4th, 1881. 10-3m.

Burdock Blood Bitters.

WILL CURE OR RELIEVE

BILIOUSNESS,	*DIZZINESS,*
DYSPEPSIA,	*DROPSY,*
INDIGESTION,	*FLUTTERING OF THE HEART,*
JAUNDICE.	*ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH,*
ERYSIPELAS,	*DRYNESS OF THE SKIN,*
SALT RHEUM,	
HEARTBURN,	
HEADACHE,	

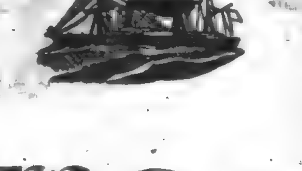
And every species of disease arising from disordered LIVER, KIDNEYS, STOMACH, BOWELS OR BLOOD,

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, TORONTO.

ESTRAY HORSE.

CAME into the premises of the subscriber, lot 5, con. 6, Glenelg, on or about the 20th of September last, an aged horse, with star on forehead, two white hind feet, and shoes on front feet. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses.

JAMES WELSH, Priceville P. O.
Oct. 19th, 1881.



Removed.

A. TURNER & CO.

HAVE REMOVED THE

Drug Store Across the Street

—TO—

Dr. Sproule's new Brick Block.

A. TURNER & CO.

Markdale, Nov. 9th, 1881. 13

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CARRIAGE WORKS!

MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs.
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first class material we can

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Call and Inspect our Work! on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

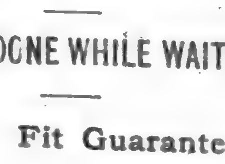
CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

HORSESHOEING

and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

C. A. OWEN,



TAILOR,

Over McFarland's Store,

MARKDALE,

Where he is prepared to fill all order with promptness.

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ON HAND.

CUTTING DONE WHILE WAITING

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

CHARGES MODERATE.

C. A. OWEN.

Markdale, Nov. 8th, 1881.

FOUND.

IN A. McINTYRE'S STORE, A PROMISSORY Note for Six Dollars, signed by A. H. Todd. The owner can have it by calling at this office, proving ownership, and paying for this advertisement.

C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Markdale, Oct. 19th, 1881.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE Farm Property

In the Townships of Euphrasia [illegible] in the County of [illegible]

WEDNESDAY, THE 16th [illegible] 1881, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at [illegible]ledge's Hotel, in the Village of Markdale, by Virtue of Powers contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following [illegible]

Parcel 1.—Under Mortgage from [illegible] Paterson—The North half of [illegible] of Lot No. 2 in the 6th Concession of the Township of Euphrasia, County of [illegible] containing [illegible] acres more or less. The following [illegible] are said to be [illegible] property: About [illegible] acres cleared [illegible]

Parcel 2.—Under Mortgage from [illegible] Campbell—Lot No. 1 in the 12th Concession of the Township of Glenelg, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres, more or less. The following improvements are [illegible] on the premises: About 50 acres [illegible] having erected thereon a [illegible] situated about 8 miles from the Village of Markdale.

TERMS.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale [illegible] balance, terms will be made known at sale. For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE, Solicitors, Masonic Hall, [illegible]

Or to JOHN LYONS, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, Oct. 17th, 1881.

AUCTION SALE —OF— Valuable Farm Property IN THE TOWNSHIPS OF Proton and Artemesia

In the County of Grey, there will [illegible]

Tuesday, Nov. 15th, 1881,

at one o'clock in the afternoon, at [illegible]lough's Hotel,

IN THE VILLAGE OF DUNDALK

By virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties [illegible]

Parcel 1.—Under mortgage from [illegible] Ferguson. The east 69 acres of lot [illegible] in the 13th concession of the township of Proton, county of Grey. The [illegible] said lot, having been granted [illegible] gu-on, by Patent dated July [illegible] The following improvements are [illegible] on the premises: About 25 acres [illegible] having erected thereon a hewn log [illegible] Situated about 3 miles from the village of Priceville.

Parcel 2.—Under mortgage from [illegible] Brown Lot No. 7, in the 10th [illegible] of the township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing [illegible] acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: about 35 acres cleared [illegible] erected thereon a house, barn and [illegible] Situated about 1½ miles from the village of Dundalk.

Parcel 3.—Under mortgage from [illegible] Campbell. Lot [illegible] in the [illegible] concession of the township of Proton, County of Grey, containing [illegible] or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: [illegible] cleared, with a young orchard, and [illegible] erected thereon a log house and [illegible] within two miles of Hopeville.

Parcel 4.—Under mortgage from [illegible] McGuron. Lot No. 17, in the 7th concession of the township of Proton, in the County of Grey, containing 100 acres more or less. The following improvements are on the premises: About 20 acres [illegible] under cultivation, with a log house [illegible] erected thereon.

Parcel 5.—Under mortgage from [illegible] Gordon. Lot Not 37, in the 3rd [illegible] south of the Durham Road, in the township of Artemesia, in the county of Grey, containing 80 acres more or less [illegible] about 8 miles from the village of [illegible]

Terms—One tenth of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale. Further terms will be made known at the sale. For particulars apply to

JONES BROTHERS & MACKENZIE, Solicitors, Masonic Hall, [illegible]

Or to JOSEPH MCARDLE, Esq., [illegible]

Toronto, Oct. 17th, 1881.

THE STANDARD.

Friday Nov. 11th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

We are in need of wood.

Did you see Mr. Doll's stock of Watches?

First snow on Thursday last, and [V]ennor scores one.

Save money and patronise the Flesherton [j]eweller.

Miss Douglass has a fine stock of [C]hristmas cards. See them.

Mr. George Ireton had strawberries [in] bloom on the 1st Nov.

[Mr.] E. D. Wilcox will remove his shop [nex]t week to the premises now occu[pie]d by the Bank.

To preserve the eyesight get a pair of Mr. [Dol]l's pebble glasses.

The roads are in a very bad condi[tion], and business is somewhat dull in [con]sequence.

There is no disputing it, Mr. Doll can undersell any Jeweller in this section of [cou]ntry.

Mr. Wm. Bielby has 30,000 feet of [goo]d hemlock lumber for sale at his [mi]ll, Meaford Road, or delivered.

The STANDARD to the end of next [yea]r for $1.00 in advance. Now is [th]e time to subscribe.

Mr. Geo. Whittaker has returned [ho]me from Cookstown, where he has [spen]t the most of the summer painting.

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...Townships of Euphrasia and Glenelg in the County of Grey.

...WEDNESDAY, the 16th day of NOVEMBER ...at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at ...Village Hotel ...Markdale, by Virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

...Under Mortgage ...Euphrasia ...The North half of ...Lot No. 2 in the 6th Concession of ...Township of Euphrasia, County of Grey ...About 50 acres ...cleared ...improvements ...

Parcel 2.—Under Mortgage ...Lot No. 1 in the 10th Concession of the Township of Glenelg ...the premises: About ...erected thereon ...miles from the Village of Markdale.

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LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

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First snow on Thursday last, and Venor scores one.

Save money and patronize the Flesherton Jeweller.

Miss Douglass has a fine stock of Christmas cards. See them.

Mr. George Ireton had strawberries in bloom on the 1st Nov.

E. D. Wilcox will remove his shop next week to the premises now occupied by the Bank.

To preserve the eyesight get a pair of Mr. Doll's pebble glasses.

The roads are in a very bad condition, and business is somewhat dull in consequence.

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A number of old engines belonging to the T., G. & B. road, are being reconstructed to suit the standard gauge, at the works in Parkdale.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL

Will be found invaluable for all purposes of a family liniment. Immediate relief will follow its use in all cases of pain in the stomach, bowels or side, rheumatism, colic, colds, sprains and bruises. For internal and external use. It has no equal in the world for what it has been recommended. For sale by all dealers at 25cts per bottle.

The place to buy Bedsteads, Spring beds, and Mattresses, G. Grant, Markdale.

The regular Quarterly business meeting of the Methodist church was held in the vestry on Monday last. There was a full attendance, and the regular business was transacted with the usual harmony. There is one feature however which we can scarcely understand, viz: how it is that there is a deficit in the the minister's salary in a year of such prosperity. One thing we do know—If every one would do anything like their fair share, there would be no deficit. But they all appear willing in these matters—some willing to pay, and the others just as willing to let them.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, are rapidly taking the place of all other purgatives, including Pills, Powders, etc. Their action is mild yet effectual and they are a certain cure for all bilious complaints. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

The people of the West back line, in the McLeod and Whitby neighborhood have decided to erect a building in that locality next spring for the purpose of holding a Sabbath School, and also for singing school. This will, it is said, accommodate 70 children who cannot conveniently attend the village schools. We think it a very commendable move on the part of the people of the above line, who, we understand, are unanimous in the movement. The line is proverbial for large families, and according to this movement the heads of families appear to be awake to the importance of making provision for their spiritual as well as temporal welfare.

Union Cashmeres, 20, 25, 30, 35, and 40 cents. All Wool Cashmeres, 50, 55, 60, 65, 75, 80, 90, and $1.00, purchased by W. J. McFarland when in Manchester, England.

Mr. John Black, well known in Glenelg, and formerly Freight Agent at Markdale Station, left here on Tuesday with his family for Iowa State. We wish him success in the West.

The weekly newspapers are crying out, and with good cause, against the unjust competition to which they are subjected to at the hands of the big Toronto weeklies. The Globe and the Mail in their rivalry with each other are not making money themselves and are making the country weeklies needless sufferers. The fact is that those two papers, both in their daily and weekly editions, are doing their best to destroy legitimate journalism in the country.—*Toronto World*.

Did you see those Bob-sleighs at McKenna & Mason's? For the money they are the best I have seen.

BLACK SILKS, SATINS, KID GLOVES, LACES, Shawls, Mantles, and Flannels, selling Retail at Wholesale prices at McFarland's.

Wm. Lucas & Co. remove their Banking office to McDougall's new block this week. We will give a more extended account of the new premises next week.

PLEASE NOTE THAT

The cheapest place to purchase MEN'S BOOTS, WOMEN'S BOOTS, CHILDREN'S BOOTS, RUBBERS and FELT OVER-SHOES is at W. J. McFarland's. 17 cases received this week. They are selling fast.

Mr. Henry Foster has rented the shop just vacated by A. Turner & Co., and is now opening out a fine stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes, and in fact everything usually kept in a general store. Too busy to write out an advertisement this week, but will appear in our next issue.

Order your Bob-Sleighs at McKenna & Mason's. That is where I get mine; they build the best for the price.

Miss Burch has her shop full of new and stylish goods in her line, and is doing a good business. By close attention to business, and a wonderful business tact in managing the same she has won the esteem and patronage of a large custom.

THE BAZAAR, DINNER AND CONCERT.—The ground being covered with soft snow there was not a large turn out; however, things proved very satisfactory generally. The dinner was excellent, and judging from the manner in which the good things disappeared, all present were of the same opinion. There was a large variety of fancy and useful articles in the Bazaar department, a great many of which were disposed of. The concert was well attended, and the programme, which was well selected, and printed in regular programme style, was disposed of with great credit to those who took part. The Election Cake was attended to about the middle of the programme, or during an intermission between Parts 1 and 2. Miss Dundas and Miss Hollingshead were nominated, and the canvassing commenced by W. Haskett for the latter and Mr. Turner for the former. After the audience were thoroughly canvassed Miss Hollingshead was declared elected to cut the cake. The proceeds of this part of the concert alone amounted to over $46.00. As will be seen in an article in another column clipped from the church magazine, the proceeds in all amounted to the handsome sum of $150.

The Dominion Telegraph Office in Markdale has been closed as a result of the amalgamation with the Montreal Co. We regret this as Mr. Wilcox, the agent is a first class Operator and was courteous and always at his post.

The members of the Ladies Aid Society, held their annual Dinner, Bazaar, and Concert on Saturday last. The day did not prove as suitable as expected, and the bad state of the roads, combined with the most unpropitious weather, had much to do in making the takings of the day less than that of previous years. Yet considering all the untoward circumstances the proceeds reached the highest expectations of the most sanguine. We cannot as yet say the exact amount realised, but we feel sure it will not be less than $150. During the little more than three years which the L.A.S. has existed, it has contributed no less than $872 to the present church building and its furniture. Such a result is evidence of unusual enthusiasm and devotion to the interests of the church, and the Society deserves the best thanks of the congregation for its industry and devotion.—*Mission Magazine.*

The International Wheat Exchange.

1881-2.

OPEN TO LIVE FARMERS EVERYWHERE.

The CERTAIN BENEFITS—Again I say CERTAIN BENEFITS—to be derived from the prompt patronage of this movement have been *opened to live farmers everywhere.*

I want no one to invest a dollar—more or less—in it, who has the slighest fear that it will be *a bad investment of that dollar—more or less.*

As shown by my late edition (5500 copies) of "Traveller," (my own journal, which, see for September and November, 1881). This movement was inaugurated for the benefit in Canada, of the 40,000 "LONDON MUTUAL" MEMBERS and *through them for the country at large*, and for the farmers of the States of the West.

MEMBERS OF THE "LONDON MUTUAL" OF CANADA.

I tried to keep it for you, but finding the movement POPULAR EVERYWHERE, and the current clamor that it should be made as *broad in its application in Canada* as was proposed for the farmers of the States in the West. I finally yielded to the advice of many of my warmest, old-time friends of maturer years than myself, by opening *it to the world.*

Having done so, I have lived for the past month almost sleepless, to create for "International Wheat Exchange" AN IMMORTAL LIFE. I have found it necessary to delay my leaving for the West for a few weeks, in order to form CANADIAN CONNECTIONS at various points throughout the Dominion, with proper men to represent and receive orders through my movement. I have made such connections through Grey and Bruce, and now go West.

W. J. M'FARLAND, ESQ.,

has kindly undertaken to receive orders, and make delivery of Western grain for me at MARKDALE. Orders must be promptly given by all who wish to be thus benefitted. Before November 15th, current, I shall send Mr. McFarland and the other Canadian representatives of INTERNATIONAL WHEAT EXCHANGE, so far as appointed, samples of all the best flouring spring wheats (already collected and coming in) from the best wheat producing sections of Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Dakota and Wisconsin.

MY AIM BEING TO INTRODUCE INTO EACH DISTRICT, ONLY SUCH GOOD FLOURING VARIETIES AS WILL BE SPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR THE SOIL OF EACH LOCALITY, my arrangements in the west have been made accordingly. Every farmer can, therefore, order intelligently from the samples sent to Canada, which will be labelled as follows:—

Name of Wheat..........
Name of Grower..........
Where Grown..........Section..........
Township..........Range..........
Nature of Soil..........
Average yield per acre..........
How long grown there..........
Signed..........
Agent.

Thousands of such labelled specimens are now awaiting my arrival in Iowa.

I have lived *for three months* under

A VERITABLE VOLCANO OF THOUGHT

In order to make my *International Wheat Exchange a sure success* for all who patronize it; to make it result so that I can look back from future years upon it with PERFECT SATISFACTION. I shall, therefore, *carry it to a successful issue*, honorably and well for the benefit of all *who show their money in it.* Good wishes and hopes for my success are kind, BUT WILL NOT MOVE WHEAT. I shall move NO MORE NOR NO LESS east or west than I have orders for at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on December 15th, next. I shall move nothing east or west but the CLEANEST AND BEST FLOURING VARIETIES. In order to have Western grown wheat CLEAN FOR CANADA, I shall have with me through the West one of the CELEBRATED 1ST PRIZE FANNING MILLS, from the Factory of R. H. McKay, Walkerton, Ont., which, from the several severe tests I have given it, I know will not disgrace Canada ANYWHERE ON EARTH.

I look forward confidingly for a noble patronage of INTERNATIONAL WHEAT EXCHANGE from the Wheat Growers of this continent in order to make it as eminet a success (before I sit down to next Chistmas' dinner) as my circulation of the "WHITE RUSSIAN" and "LOST NATION" has been for the miller and consumer and profitable to the producer.

Elsewhere in this and next issue will be found a few of the HOME AND CONTINENTAL ECHOES I have had SPEAKING FOR THEMSELVES.

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MARKDALE.

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Flour	5.50	to	5.75
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.20	to	1.22
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	to	1.23
Barley	0.70	"	0.85
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.73	"	0.74
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	6.00	"	6.50
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese, per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	3.00
Hay	15.00	"	20.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.12	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.25	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

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Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
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Oats	0.33	"	0.35
Peas	0.65	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
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Pork, dressed.	6.00	"	65.0
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.75
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Hay	12.0	"	15.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.2 0	to	$1.23
" " " 2	1.18	to	1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.23
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Barley " 2	.70	to	.80
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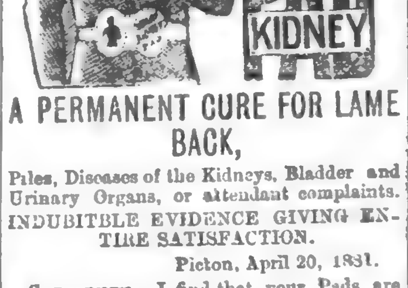
Peas " 1	.68	to	.73
" " 2	.60	to	.62
Oats " 1	.36	to	.36
Butter " 1	.20	to	.21
Eggs	.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30	to	$1 38
Wheat, spring, do.	1 35	to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 95	to	1 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	8 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 35	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 22	to	0 23
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	12 00	to	16



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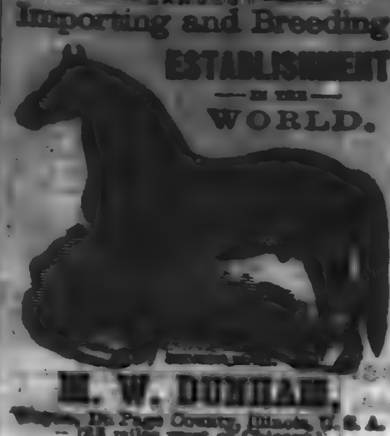

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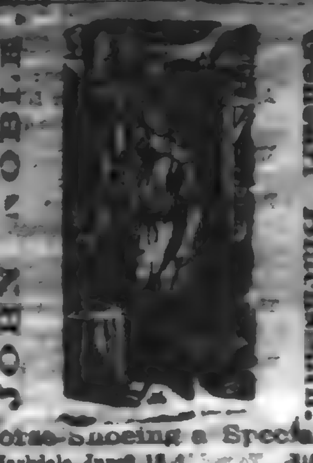

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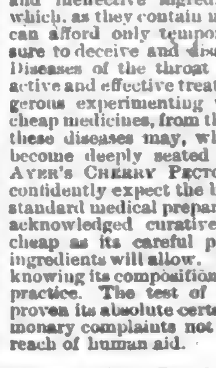

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love two maidens, each so rare
I know not which to woo;
And one is dark, the other fair,—
What would you have me do?

Marg'ret, my pearl, has deep blue eyes,
An earnest, noble face;
But Salomie no less I prize
For her sweet Spanish grace.

Then both can sing my favorite song;
One in soprano clear;
The other's voice, low, sweet, yet, strong—
Which I would rather hear.

Which? there's no doubt. I want them both,—
(Both I could easily win.)
To give up either I am loth;
To wed both were a sin.

O Cupid! tell me what to do
In this perplexing case—
My heart's divided,—judgment too,—
Betweed each bonnie face.

What! both engaged? Don't tell me that!
How cruel! And such men!!
Compared with *me!!!* inferior! flat!
I'll never trust woman again.

VALUE OF DRAINAGE.

As a matter of fact there is very little land in our country that would not be improved by drainage. Many little soils are springy, and the crops are injured in them by stagnant water. Heavy land can never do its best until drained. Vast areas of low-lying but rich land are practically valueless for want of drains to carry off the redundant moisture which forbids the growth of any but aquatic plants. Many who admit the importance of this improvement are puzzled about the ways and means of effecting it. The *Drainage Journal* mentions the following plan, which is well worthy of serious consideration: 'Some enterprising tile manufactures select careful farmers who own flat lands and make them something like the following propositions: That the farmer make a careful estimate of his average crops, and the tile manufacturer proposes to furnish the tile necessary to drain thoroughly the lands designated in the agreement, the farmer to furnish the labour of putting in the drains at a stipulated price, to be paid out of the excess of crops grown on the land over and above the average yield before agreed upon, and the tile manufacturer agreeing to take the balance of the increase in four or five crops (as agreed), to cover the cost of the tile. On level lands, where the average crop in five years runs low and the land by nature is rich, it is a safe proposition for the tile manufacturer if the farmer honestly performs his part of the contract. On rich level lands, that need drainage and need it badly, it will pay twenty-five per cent. annually on the investment, and in some instances more."—*Canadian Rural.*

DESERVING OF PRAISE.

Too much cannot be expressed in favor of that unsurpassed remedy for coughs, colds, asthma, croup, sore throat, and all lung complaints. If you suffer from neglected colds, try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. The price is trifling, only 25 cents.

CLOVER.

A field of clover should be in the rotation of crops on every farm. Why? 1. It makes the best of hay, cut early and well cured. 2. The roots and dead leaves ploughed under are equal to a good coating of manure. 3. It is one of the best of cleaning crops. Even the Canada thistle can not stand before it. Cut at the proper time, thistles and all other weeds are prevented from going to seed. The second growth of clover will smother the thistle and other weed roots. This plan cleans better than fallowing, and keeps a crop in the ground all the time. No field goes to waste. Suppose you have six arable fields of ten, twelve, fifteen acres. Establish a six years' rotation. Manure a field each year. Clover a field each year. The farm will improve. There will be an end to "running down." Red clover is a long, tap-rooted plant. It will find the elements of fertility that may be in the soil, bring them to the surface, and store them there for future grain crops. Clover does most good sown alone. Prepare the land in the fall. Sow twelve pounds to the acre at the earliest moment in spring. A fair cutting may be had the first season. The second will give a better, and when the hay is off a second crop may be taken off for seed. Then plough under the old roots and dead leaves. The result will be a good seed bed for any grain you wish to sow.—*Canadian Rural.*

ALMOST YOUNG AGAIN.

My mother was afflicted a long time with Neuralgia and a dull, heavy inactive condition of the whole system; headache nervous prostration, and was almost helpless. No physicians or medicines did her any good. Three months ago she began to use Hop Bitters, with such good effect that she seems and feels young again, although over 70 years old. We think there is no other medicine fit to use in the family." A lady in Providence, R. I.—*Journal.*

HUMOROUS.

"How do you pronounce s-t-i-g-y?" Professor Stearns asked the young gentleman nearest the foot of the class. And a smart, bad boy stood up and said it depended a good deal whether the word applied to a man or a bee.—Go to the head young fellow.

People have no more right tho become dyspeptic, and remain gloomy and miserable, than they have to take poison and commit suicide. If the stomach becomes week and fails to perform it's functions, Burdock Blood Bitters will speedily remedy the trouble.

A darkey who was stooping to wash his hands in a creek, did not notice the peculiar actions of a goat just behind him; so, when he scrambled out of the water and was asked how it happened, he answered: "I dunno 'zactly; but 'peared as if the shore kinder h'isted and frowed me,"

"Just keep your bottle of whiskey in your closet and when the girls bring you your hot shaving water in the morning, you can mix your toddy quickly, and not a soul will know a thing about it," said the M. D. The plan worked well until the old man's daughter thought he must be going insane because he wanted to shave five or six times every day.

It would be a mighty mean man who would refuse to give a new note to borrow sufficient money to take up his outstanding paper at fifty cents on the dollar.

The New Haven *Register* observes that two establishments in Boston turns out sixty barrels of past each day; and yet there is a good deal of original matter in the Boston papers.

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This is the season of sloppy weather so productive of colds, and lung troubles; neglected cold or damp feet is a great source of these difficulties. Cure your cough with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. Pleasant to take and always reliable.

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INTERESTING PARAGRAPHS.

Gooderham & Worts, of Toronto, give employment to one thousand men.

An average of twenty thousand letters are posted daily in Toronto.

Garfield's picture is to be placed on five cent International postal letter stamps.

The Oka Indians have been successfully located on their new hunting grounds in Muskoka, and all seem satisfied.

Wm. Knight, a well-to-do farmer of Amaranth township, was last week committed to Dufferin gaol as a dangerous lunatic.—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

Thirty thousand dollars has been expended in building in the village of Hanover. The Hanover *Post* is a spicy, clean, well got up paper printed in the above place.

The Credit Valley has opened up a new country for Toronto. The merchants of St. Thomas, Ingersoll, and Woodstock, as well as of the other thriving towns on the line, are now coming to this city as naturally as if they had been doing business here all their lives.—*Mail*

THE CAUSES OF COLDS.

Are getting overheated in hot rooms or crowded assemblies, sitting in a draught, or cooling too rapidly after exercise, muffling up warm and changing to lighter wrappings, cold and damp feet. No matter what is the cause Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is the cure for all throat and lung dicase that induce consumption.

ORANGEVILDE, Oct. 28.—This morning about one o'clock a fire broke cut in a house belonging to one Isaac Hunter in the South Ward, and before anything could be done the place was completely destroyed. The fire originated in the explosion of a coal oil lamp. A part of the furniture was saved. Amount of insurance not known.

A BACHELOR IN DISTRESS.—A bachelor farmer residing at Oak River, Manitoba, wants a wife, and says there are forty-four others within a radius of six miles of his farm in the same condition as himself. He asks the editor of the Rapid City *Standard* to use his influence in persuading some Ontario girls to come out there and rescue the poor bachelors from their fate.

For assaulting Mr. John Berry, hotel keeper at Rocklyn, on the day of the Euphrasia show, Wm. and R. Neily were brought before the magistrates here, week before last, to answer to the charge. The case not being concluded it was postponed until last week, when they were fined $1 each, with costs amounting to over $30, and bound over to keep the peace for one year.—*Monitor.*

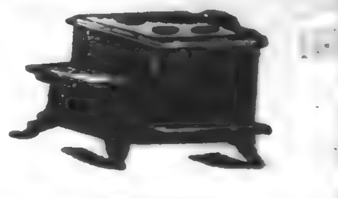
APPLE BLIGHT.—The cause is a parasitic fungoid plant which takes root in the bark, penetrates it, and spreads in the layer of cambium under the bark and destroys both. It spreads upward and downward until either a part of the tree or the whole of it is killed, and turns brown as if scorched by fire. The only remedy is to cut off the diseased parts as soon as they are seen to be affected and burn them at once, by which the spread of the disease is stopped. The sound wood only should be left. Draining the soil, the use of lime and wood ashes, and whitewashing the young trees with lime, act as preventatives.

The oleo-magarine question has a nearer interest for Canadians than has perhaps, been imagined, in this way: In the past winter, and up to the end of April, all the choicest beef tallow in various parts of Ontario had been bought up, and sent to Montreal, there to undergo a process of refining preparatory to being shipped to New York, where it was manufactured into oleo-margarine.

The best beef is young beef, reaching its greatest point of superiority at from two to three years. The same is true of sheep and swine. A wether, for the best mutton, should be in the market at two years. As a general rule a 250 pound pig is better in quality and more profitable than a hog weighing 500. The point of appreciation of quickly maturing animals is being reached, though somewhat gradually, and it remains to improve the various breeds, especial care being used to select animals to breed from that come to maturity at an early age.

This notice was once fixed upon a church door in Hertfordshire, and read in the church: "This is to give notice that no person is to be *buried* in this churchyard but those *living* in parish; and those who *wish to be buried* are desired to apply to me. Ephraim Grubb, Parish Clerk.

Stoves. Stoves



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Markdale, Sept. 28th, 1881.

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Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

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Scotch Collars A Specialty,

And a good fit guaranteed.

☞Remember the stand the Post Office is opposite. N. B.—Stave timber wanted,

I. GORDON.

Flesherton, March. 1881. 16

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

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MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43 6m

MARKDALE

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AND
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Markdale, March 3, 1881. 35-3m.

Public Notice.

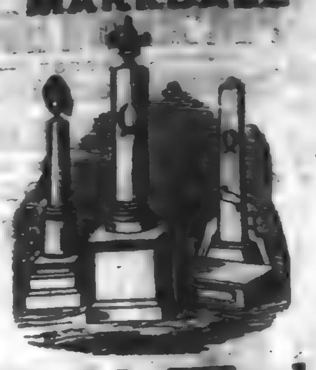
NOTICE is hereby given that the new road open through lots 99, 100, and 101, on the 3rd concession W. T. & S. R., in the township of Glenelg, is not properly established.

The corporation of the township of Glenelg not having any title to the road through said lots, will not be responsible for any accident that may happen on said road.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk. FINLAY MacRAE, Reeve.

Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.

MARKDALE



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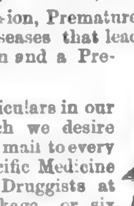

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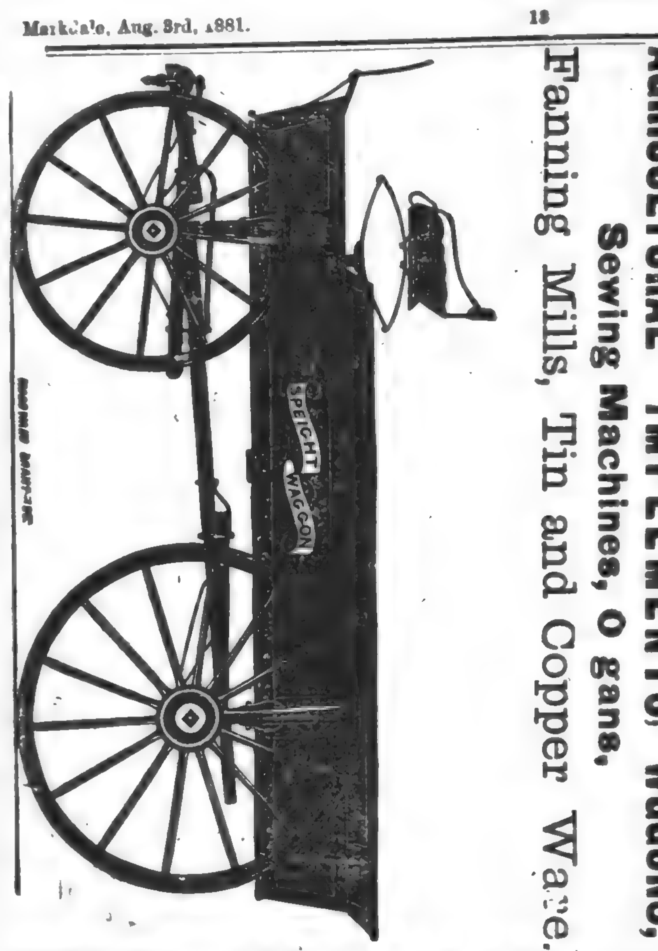

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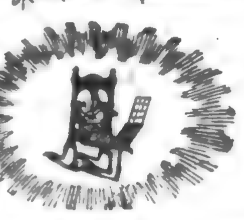

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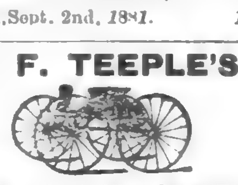

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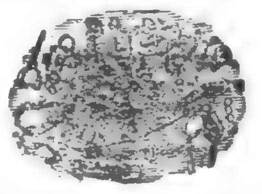

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RAKE,
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Wednesdays and Saturdays,
By Thomas Smith.
... is filled for Tomb Stones.
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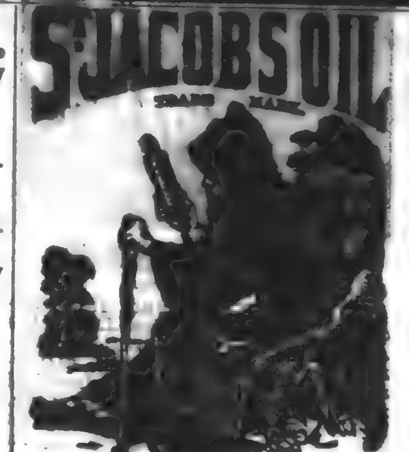

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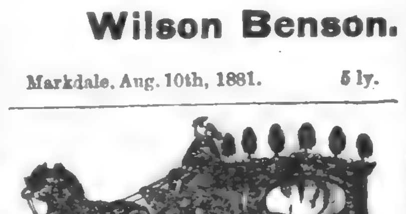
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.



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And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
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FURNITURE!
From the Commmon to the
Best and Latest Stes,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yo urselves.
ROBT. ASKIN,

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER VIII.—*Continued.*

'Such as marrying a handsome tenor singer. Don't be angry, Katherine. Mr. Dantree is worthy of you, I am sure. Now, then, for a piched battle between you and me, and woe to the conquered!'

There was a sneering defiance underlying her words—a sardonic gleam in her black eyes that Katherine understood. There was more at stake than a simple game of chess; they looked at one another steadily for an instant, and then began the game.

The two gentlemen approached. Peter Dangerfield took his place behind the chair of the widow; Mr. Dantree leaned lightly over that of Kathie. They stood like two seconds watching a duel, and neither spoke. A profound stillness filled the long, velvet-hung, lamplit drawing-room, in which you could hear the light falling of the cinders in the grate, the ceaseless beating of the rain on the glass. Which would win?

The widow, it seemed. In the gleam of the lamplight there was a flush on her cheek that was not all rouge, a sparkle in her black eyes, that was not all belladonna. She wore a wine-coloured silk *decollette*, and her plump, white shoulders and arms shone like marble; the rich, ruby-red jewels flashed on her fingers, on her neck; a bracelet of fine gold and rubies encircled her wrist, and a crimson rose nestled in the shining, luxuriant blackness of her hair. All crimson and black—with a fiery intensity of purpose flushing her face, and that peculiar glittering smile of hers on her thin lips. Gaston Dantree thought of some beautiful Circe—some fatal siren come on earth to work ruin and darkness.

'And yet, after all,' he thought. 'I believe in my soul Katherine is more than a match for her. How coolly—how thoroughly calm and self-possessed she sits, not one pulse beating the quicker—while the eyes of her enemy are on fire with her devilish determination to win. In a long drawn battle of any kind between those two, I'd back the heiress of Scarswood.'

Then more and more absorbed in the game he forgot even to think. He bent over until his crisp black curls touched Katherine's cheek. She glanced up at him for a second—her still face brightening—a faint colour coming in her cheeks.

'A drawn battle, is it not, Gaston?' she said, 'and a true Dangerfield prefers death to defeat.'

Mrs. Vavasor saw both look and smile, and a savage resolution to win at all hazards possessed her. She knit her straight black brows and bent to the game, her lips compressed in one straight red line. She hated Katherine that moment with an intensity she had never felt before. How coolly she sat there making her moves, with a face of marble, while *she* was thrilling in every vein with a fever of excitement. And how she loved that man behind her, and how happy she was in that love.

'And to *her* mother I owe all I have ever suffered—the sin, the sorrow, the shame! Pray Heaven they may fix the wedding-day speedily, or I shall never be able to wait! I wonder how I have waited all these years and years. Ah! a false move my lady, a false move. The victory is mine!'

But the exultant thought came too soon. Katherine's move, made after long deliberation, certainly looked like a false one—the widow answered in a glow of triumph. A second later and she saw her mistake—Katherine's false-seeming move had been made with deliberate intention. Her eyes flashed for the first time—she made a last rapid pass and rose conqueror.

'Checkmated!' she cried, with a slight laugh of triumph. 'I knew I should vanquish you in the end, Mrs. Vavasor.'

'Dinner!' announced the butler, flinging wide the door, and Miss Dangerfield took the arm of Mr. Dantree and swept with him into the dining-room.

'You did that splendidly, Kathie,' he said; 'you have no idea how proud I am of your conquest; and she was so sure of winning. She hates you as those little venomous women only can hate—do you know it?'

'Certainly I know it,' Katherine responded carelessly. 'I have known it ever since I saw her first. She hates me and could strychnine me this moment with all the pleasure in life.'

'But why, I wonder?' said Mr. Dantree, 'you never knew her before she came here—you never did anything to harm her?'

'My dearest Gaston, it is not always the people who have done something to harm us we dislike the most. We detest them because we detest them. Mrs. Vavasor and I are antagonistic; we would simply hate each other under any circumstances. How bent she was on winning that game, and I—I should have died of mortification if she had.'

'Take care of her, Kathie! that woman means to do you injury of some kind before she quits this house. Whether it be for your mother's sake or your own, doesn't matter—she means to harm you if she can.'

Katherine threw back her head with an imperial gesture.

'Let her! I am not afraid. If it comes to that, I may beat her at her own game, as I did five minutes ago. She can't take you from me, Gaston,' with a little gay laugh—'can she? Anything else I fancy I can bear.'

He stooped and answered her in whispered words, and Katherine's face was quite radiant as she took her place at the table.

Mrs. Vavasor followed with Mr. Dangerfield. She had risen from the table and taken his proffered arm, quite white for an instant through all her rouge. He saw that pallor beneath paint and powder.

'And you are beaten after all, Mrs. Vavasor, and by Katherine Dangerfield! Your game of chess meant more than a game of chess—is it emblematic? She's fearfully and wonderfully plucky, this cousin of mine. Will she come off victorious at other games than chess, I wonder?'

She looked up at him for one moment, and all the passion, the rage, the hatred, smouldering within her, burst forth.

'I'll crush her,' she cried in a furious whisper. 'I'll crush her. And the day is very near now. This is only one more item added to the long account I owe her. She shall pay off all, the uttermost farthing with compound interest.'

'And stab through *him*,' Peter Dangerfield said darkly; 'the surest blow you can strike is one that proves him the traitor and fortune-hunter that he is. I believe in my soul it would be her death.'

I shall strip her of all—all—lover, father, name even. I will wait until her wedding-day and strike home then. When her cup of bliss is fullest and at her very lips, I shall dash it down. And my brilliant, haughty high-spirited heiress of Scarswood, how will it be with you then?'

Sir John was in his place—a darkly moody host, amid the lights, the flowers, and the wines. Mrs. Vavasor was even in higher spirits than usual. Mr. Dangerfield was talkative and agreeable, Katherine was happy, and disposed to be at peace with the world and all therein, even Mrs. Vavasor. She was loved, she was beloved—all life's greatest happiness is said in that. For Mr. Dantree, he was simply delightful. He told them illimitable stories of life in the southern States, until even grim Sir John relaxed into interest, and after dinner in the drawing-room sang for them his favorite after-dinner song, "When the Wine Cup is Sparkling Before Us," in his delicious voice, that enchanted even those who hated him most. The piano stood in a shadowy recess down at one extremity of the long room—Katherine and he had it all to themselves. Mrs. Vavasor was busy with some flimsy feminine handiwork. Mr. Dangerfield sat beside her, turning over a book of photographs, and Sir John, lying back in his easy chair, kept his eyes closed as though asleep. His face wore a worn look of care—he was watching those two shadowy figures at the piano, and as he listened to the man's voice, so thrillingly sweet, as he looked at his face—the lamplight streaming on his dusk Spanish beauty, he scarcely wondered at Katherine's infatuation.

'Fairer than a woman and more unstable than water,' he thought, bitterly, 'and this is the reed she has chosen to lean upon through life. My poor little Kathie, and I am powerless to serve you—unless—I speak and tell all. Heaven help you if this man ever finds out the truth.'

'Sing me something Scotch, Gaston,' Katherine said. She was seated in a low fauteuil, close beside him, her hands lying idly in her lap—her head back among the cushions. It was characteristic of this young lady that she had never done a stich of fancy work in her life. She was quite idle now, perfectly happy—listening to the howling of the October storm in the park, and Mr. Dantree's exquisite singing.

'Sing something Scotch—a ballad. If I have a weakness, which is doubtful, it is for Scotch songs.'

Mr. Dantree heard but to obey. He ran his fingers lightly over the keys, smiling slightly to himself, and glanced half-maliciously at the girl's supremely contented face.

'How well pleased she looks,' he thought; 'I wonder if I cannot change that blissful expression. Many women have done me the honour to fall in love with me, but I don't think any of them were quite so hard hit as you, not even excepting Marie.'

He played a prelude in a plaintive minor key, wonderfully sweet, with a wailing understrain, quite heart-rending, and sang. His face changed and darkened, his voice took a pathos none of his hearers had ever heard before.

> A weary lot is thine, fair maid—
> A weary lot is thine!
> To pull the thorns thy brow to braid
> And press the rue for wine.
> A lightsome eye, the soldier's mien,
> A feather of the blue,
> A doublet of the Lincoln green,
> No more of me you knew,
> My love!
> No more of me you knew.
>
> This morn is merry June, I trow,
> The rose is budding fain,
> But she shall bloom in winter snow
> Ere we two meet again!
> He turned his charger as he spoke
> Upon the river shore—
> He gave the lines a shake and said:
> 'Adieu for evermore,
> My love!
> Adieu for evermore.'

It died out faint and low as the last cadence of a funeral hymn. And then he glanced at Katherine. He *had* changed the expression of that sensitive face cruelly—it lay back now against the ruby red of the velvet, as colourless as the winter snow of which he sang. He arose from the piano with a laugh.

'Kathie, you are as white as a ghost. I have given you the blues with my singing, or bored you to death. Which?'

She laughed a little as she rose.

'Your song was beautiful, Gaston, but twice too sad—it has given me the heart-ache. It is too suggestive, I suppose, of man's perfidy and woman's broken trust. I never want to hear you sing that again.'

It was late when the two gentlemen bade good-night and left. Mrs. Vavasor took her night-lamp and went up the black oaken stairway, her ruby silk trailing and gleaming in lurid splendour behind her.

'Good-night, Kathie darling—how pale and tired the child looks! And you didn't like that Tyrolean Mr. Dantree's last song? It was the gem of the evening, to my mind, so suggestive and all that. (*Bottes tout a ...*) ... Mrs. Vavasor had a habit among her other gushing habits of gushing out into foreign languages now and then—'and try and get your bright looks back to-morrow. Don't let your complexion fade for any man—there isn't one on earth worth it. A demain—good night.'

> 'A lightsome eye, a soldier's mien,
> A feather of the blue,
> A doublet of the Lincoln green,
> No more of me you knew,
> My love,
> No more of me you knew!'

And with a last backward glance and still singing the ominous song, brilliant little Mrs. Vavasor vanished.

Mr. Gaston Dantree rode back to his temporary home at Morecambe in very excellents spirits. What an uncommonly good-looking, fascinating sort of fellow he must be that all the women should lose their heads for him in this fashion. Surely the gods who presided over his destiny must have been in a most propitious mood when they created him their bright particular star.

'I've always heard it is better to be born lucky than rich, and gad! I believe it. I was born a pauper. My mother vended apples in the streets of New York; and my father—well, the less said about him, the better. He bequeathed me his good looks, his voice, and his loose fitting morality, until the age of eight, I ran wild about the streets; my pretty face, my curly head, and artistic way of singing 'Oh, Susanna!' attracted the attention of Mrs. Weymore, rich, childless, sentimental, good-natured and—a fool. I was sent to school, tricked up in velvet and ruffles, kissed, praised, petted, flattered, spoiled by all the ladies, young and old, who visited my foster mamma; and by Jove! they've been at it ever since. Then at sixteen came that ugly little episode of the forged cheque. That was hushed up. Then followed the robbery of Mrs. Weymore's diamonds, traced clearly home to me. They would not overlook that I inherited my light fingered proclivities from my father as well as the good looks they praised; but they wouldn't take that into consideration. Then for four years there was the living by my wits—doing a little of everything under heaven. Then came New Orleans and my new and, I flattered myself, taking cognomen of Gaston Dantree, my literary ventures, and their success in their way. And then after three years more came old De Lausac and Marie—poor little Marie. I thought I had found the purse of fortunatus then, when, lo! the old fool must up and get married. And, as if that weren't enough, there must follow an heir, and adieu to all Marie's hopes and mine. Then I crossed the Atlantic to try my luck on this side the pond, and I believe I've accomplished my destiny at last, as lord of Scarswood and eight thousand a year. I believe I shall be a square peg, fitting neat and trim into a square hole. Katherine's a drawback—exacting, and romantic, and all that bosh—but everything as we wish it is not for this world below. The old gentleman will go toes up shortly. I shall take the name Sir Dantree Dangerfield, sink the Gaston, and live happy for ever after.'

Mr. Dantree was still singing that ballad of the faithless lover as he ran lightly up stairs to his room. He threw off his wet overcoat, poked the fire, turned up the lamp, and saw on the table a letter.

Now, a letter to the handsome tenor singer was not an agreeable sight. Letters simply mean duns or else—he snatched it up with an oath. This was no dun; it was something even worse. It was superscribed in a woman's hand, and was post marked New Orleans.

'From Marie, by Jupiter!' he exclaimed blankly. 'Now, how the dev—ah, I have it. It came to my address in London, and the publishers have forwarded it here. Shall I open it, or pitch it into the fire unread? Deuce take all women. Can they never let a fellow alone? What a paradise earth would be without them!'

He did not throw the letter into the fire, however. He threw himself in to an easy chair instead, stretched forth his splashed boots to the blaze and tore it open. It had the merit of being brief at least, and remarkably to the point:

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 16th, 1869.

GASTON:—Are you never going to write?—are you never coming back? Are you ill or are you faithless? The last surely; it would be in keeping with all the rest. Did your dead silence mean that I am deserted and for ever? If so, only say it, and you are free as the wind that blows. I will never follow you—never ask aught of you. No man alive—though he were ten thousand times more to me than you have been—shall ever be sued for fidelity by me. Come or stay, as you choose; this is the last letter I shall ever trouble you with. Return this and all my other letters—my picture also, if I am deserted. But oh, Gaston! Gaston! have I deserved this?

MARIE.

That was all. The woman's heart of the writer had broken forth in that last sentence, and she had stopped, fearing to trust herself. Mr. Dantree read it slowly over, looking very calm and handsome in the leaping fire-light.

'Plucky little girl!' was his finishing comment; 'it is hard lines on her, after all that past and gone. But there's no help for it, Marie. I have learned to love another—I have broken every vow—we have parted from each other—and your heart is lonely now, and all that sort of thing. I wonder if I ever had a heart! I doubt it. I'm like Minerva, a heart was left out in my make up; I was never really in love in my life, and don't want to be. Women are very well as stepping stones to fortune, fame, ambition; but for love in the abstract—bah! But poor little Marie! if I ever did approach the spooney, it was for her; if I have in me to care for anything or anybody but myself, it is for her.'

And then Mr. Dantree produced a little black pipe, loaded to the muzzle struck a fusee, and fell back again to enjoy himself.

He looked the picture of a luxurious Sybarite, lounging negligently among the cushions before the genial fire.

'And I know she'll keep her word,' he muttered reflectively. 'No breach of promise, no avenger on the track in this case. Gaston, my boy; all nice and smooth, and going on velvet. That's a good idea about sending back the letters and photograph. I'll act upon it at once. A married man's a fool who keeps such souvenirs of his bachelorhood about. And Kathie isn't the sort of girl either to stand that sort of nonsense—she's proud as the deuce, as becomes the daughter of an old soldier, and as jealous as the devil!'

Mr. Dantree arose, and crossing to where his writing case lay, unlocked it, and produced a package, neatly tied up with blue ribbon. They were letters only of a woman's letters—in the same hand as that of to-night and in their midst a *carte de visite*. He took this letter up and looked at it. It was the face of girl in her first youth a darkly piquante face, with two dark eyes looking at you from waving masses of dark hair—a handsome, impassioned face, proud and spirited. And Gaston Dantree's hard, coldly, brigh browneyes grew almost tender as he gazed.

'Poor child!' he said—'poor little girl? How pretty she used to look in her misty white dresses, her laces, the creamy she used to were, her dusk cheeks flushed, and her big blue eyes like stars! Poor little thing! and she would have laid a princely fortune at my feet, with her heart and hand if that old bloke, her grandfather, hadn't euchred her out of it. And I would have been a very good husband as husbands go, to little Marie, which is more than I'll ever be to the other one. Ah, well! *Sic transit*, and all the rest of it!—here goes!'

He replaced the vignette, added the last letter to the others, did them up neatly in a sheet of white paper, sealed the package with red wax, and wrote the address in a firm, clear hand:

"MLLE. MARIE DE LANSAC,
"Rue de——————,
"New Orleans, Louisina."

'I'll mail this to morrow,' Mr. Dantree said, putting it in the pocket of his overcoat; 'and now I'll seek my balmy couch and woo the god of slumber. I dare say it will be as successful as the rest of my wooing.'

Mr. Dantree undressed himself leisurely, as he did all things, and went to bed. But sleep did not come all at once; he lay awake watching the leaping firelight flickering on the wall, and thinking.

'What if, after all, something were to happen, and I were to be dished again, as I was in the New Orleans affair?' he thought. 'By George! it was enough to make a man cut his own throat, or—old De Lansac's. A million dollars to a dead certainty,—Marie the sole heiress, Marie dying for me. And then he must go and get married—confound him! I can't think Sir John Dangerfield is dotard enough for *that*, but still delays are dangerous. I'll strike while the iron's hot. I'll make Katherine name the day to-morrow, by Jove. Once my wife, and I'm safe. Nothing can happen then, unless—unless—Heavens and earth!—unless Marie should appear upon the scene, as they do on the stage and denounce me!

And then Mr. Dantree paused, and stared blankly at the fire.

'It's not in the least likely though,' he continued. 'Marie is not that sort of woman. I believe, by George! if she met me a week after she gets the letters back she would look me straight between the eyes and cut me dead. No—Marie never will speak—she would go to the scaffold with her head up and her big blue eyes flashing defiance, and it's a very lucky thing for me she's that sort. Still it will be a confounded ugly thing if she ever hears of me again either as Sir Dantree Dangerfield or the heiress of Scarswood's *fiancee*. She might speak to save Katherine. But no;' and then Mr. Dantre turned over with a yawn at last on his pillow, 'who ever heard of one woman saving another? Men do, but women—never. I'll have the wedding-day fixed to-morrow, and it shall be speedily.

CHAPTER IX.

THE THIRD WARNING.

The rain passed with the night, and a slight frost set in with the new day. Mr. Dantree was due at a hunting party at Langton Brake, to be followed by a ball at Langton Royals. He would meet Miss Dangerfield on his way to cover, and should fix their wedding-day.

'A southerly wind and a cloudy sky proclaim it a hunting morning,' Mr. Dantree hummed. 'Before I am three hours older I shall put my fate to the touch, "to win or lose it all." I wonder if a baronet's daughter could get up her *trousseau* in three months? She won't object to naming an early day, I know, she's in love with me beyond all redemption, and I'm in love with her—eight thousand a year.'

Mr. Dantree breakfasted, mounted 'a red roan steed,' and looked unspeakably well in his very becoming hunting costume, set off for the meet at Langton Brake.

The baronet's daughter was there before him, surrounded by half-a-dozen red-coats, sitting a powerful-looking black horse as though it had been an easy chair, and looking, as she always did on horseback, her best. But while she talked and laughed with her attendant cavaliers, her gaze kept ever impatiently turning in one direction, and as Gaston Dantree galloped up, a flash of welcome lit the clear eyes.

'Late, Gaston, late again. I wonder if you ever were or will be in time for anything in your life. Any man who would prove himself a laggard on such a glorious morning deserves—what does he deserve, Captain De Vere?'

'Loss of Miss Dangerfield's favour, the heaviest loss I know of. A laggard in the hunting field Mr. Dantree may be, but he certainly has proven himself anything but a laggard in love.'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A game of base ball is like a buckwheat cake—a great deal depends on the batter.—*Brooklyn Chronicle.*

BUSINESS LAW.

1. Ignorance of the law excuses no one.
2. It is a fraud to conceal a fraud.
3. The law compels no one to do impossibilities.
4. An agreement without consideration is void.
5. Signatures made with a lead pencil are good in law.
6. A receipt for money paid is not legally conclusive.
7. The acts of one partner bind all the others.
8. Contracts made on Sunday cannot be enforced.
9. A contract made with a minor is void.
10. A contract made with a lunatic is void.
11. Principals are responsible for the acts of their agents.
12. Agents are responsible for their principles for errors.
13. Eeach individual in a partnership is responsible for the whole amount of debts of the firm.
14. A note given by a minor is void.
15. Notes bear interest only when so stated.
16. It is not legally necessary to say on a note, "for value recieved."
17. A note drawn on Sunday is void.
18. A note obtained by fraud, or from a person in a state of intoxication, cannot be collected.

WHEN DOCTORS DISAGREE, WHO SHALL DECIDE?

Nothing is more variable than the different opinions of medical men; but when they fail to agree, or to perform a cure in a chronic disease, the patients often decide for themselves, and take Burdock Blood Bitters, and speedily recover. It is the grand key to health that unlocks all the secretions, and liberates the slave from the captivity of disease.

TRICK OF A NOTED BURGLAR—TOOLS IN A WOODEN LEG.

The Leadville Democrate says; An episode that was quite amusing to a small circle of spectators occurred at the county gaol a few days ago, when one of the "cross-roaders" was brought in for board. Mike Govern, to whom has been given the sobriquet of "Limp Leg," acquired this title from the fact that when he was engaged in a legitiment occupation he was a victum in a railroad accident, and his injuries necessitated amputation at the knee. Mechanism furnished a substitute for foot and calf, and he started out to be a gambler. His crippled leg hindered him seriously from hard work. It was easier to steal than to labor, and his "game" limb was a fort and a bulwark against the vargant act. Consequently he had every natural advantage for a shining light as a loafer, and he stood on street corners unmolested. Einailp Limp Leg was arrested for complicity in a burglary in Chicago, and he was sent to the penitentiary. Having served his time, he naturally drifted to the west after he had established his identity as a burglar, and after having been arrested repeatitly on suspicion; and a few weeks ago, when the burglars were doing extensive work here, he was again taken in. There was little evidence before the grand jury, and upon a warrant was marked "Not a true bill." The doors were open to Limp Leg and the Jailer, Reese Tucker, told him that he might go. At this juncture Sam Tate stepped forward and whispered something in the ear of the Jailer Tucker. The jailer indulged in a bland smile, and turning to the fellow, who had lingered for a moment said:

"Limpy, let's see your tool chest before you go, will you?'

"What do you mean?" replied Limp Leg, feigning the most profound ignorance of what the jailer referred to.

"Oh, you needn't be afraid, the grand jury said you could go, and we want to see where you carry your burglars tools."

"Burglars' tools?" exclaimed Limp Leg, as the shade of color passed across his features.

"Yes, the set that you carry in your wooden leg," continued the jailer "You'd better show us the trick, now, or we'll have you re-arrested. If you do, we'll give you just one hour to get out of town with your stock of tools." At this Limp Leg reseated himself, and, pulling up his pants' leg, he exhibited the cork addition of extension.

"If you think you can find anything wrong with my leg just look at it your self," said Limp Leg, as he thrust it out toward the gaoler.

"Touch the spring!" shouted a voice from behind the bars.

"Touch the spring, Limpy," repeated the gaoler to the fellow, who was now wild with wrath.

Seeing that he was cornered, Limpy then reached down and, throwing his thumb nail on a needle that protruded from the cork leg, a small door flew open in obedience to his touch. A small hole was releaved here, and, inserting his finger, Limp Leg brough forth an assortment of articles that are employed in getting into the house of a man who has a Bank account. There are several skeleton keys, several pincers three or four splender files. This was indeed startling, and, sticking to his word, the jailer told Limp Leg to get up and get. The door of his tool chest was locked and he went off, leaving his curse behind him.

THE PROVINCE ROBBED.

HAMILTON, Nov. 8.—Some time ago the authorities of the insane asylum here discovered that sums of money and stores disappeared from that institution at intervals. The police were informed, as also Mr. Langmuir, who came to the city yesterday and conferred with the police. To-day the chief with detectives McKenzie, Gates and Castell, and Constable D. Campbell arrested John Shaw, steward of the asylum; Walter Muirhead, the well-known butcher of this city, and two men employed by the latter, John Frazer and John Laukman. Muirhead supplies the asylum with meat. It is said that one of them has made a clean breast of his connection with the alleged crime implicating all the others. The p... are reticent as to what really has occurred, but the above facts have been learned on good authority, and can be relied on as the correct state of affairs so far. It is said that Dr. Wallace, the medical superintendent, has suffered from petty thieving for some time, and that he was occasionally missing money from his drawer.—*Toronto World.*

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time.

On and after MONDAY, 3rd NOV. train ...un as follows—

GOING NORTH.

...ronto ,—Union Station,
...p. 7:30 a.m. 12:30 p.m. 5.00 p.m.
...ton .... 7.52 a.m. 12.45 p.m. 5.20 p.m.
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...nburg .... 9.05 a.m. 2.13 p.m. 6.24 p.m.
...on .... 9.25 a.m. 2.37 p.m. 6.43 p.m.
... Road ... 9.50 a.m. 3.05 p.m. 7.05 p.m.
...rleston ... 10.35 a.m. 3.50 p.m. 7.50 p.m.
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...EVILLE—
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...ford .... 3.38 p.m. 9.36 p.m.
... Sound .... 4.00 p.m. 10.10 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

...n Sound, depart 6.30 a.m. 12.00 noon.
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...to,—Union Station,
...ve ... 10.30 a.m. 3.00 p.m. 9.40 p.m.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 18th, 1881.

NOTICE.

...e Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto, W. W. BUTCHER, *Manager*, ...thorized to receive advertisements fo... paper.

...SCRIPTIONS are received at this office ...e following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
...to Daily Globe, per year,	$7 00
" Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
...to Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" Mail "	1.00
... " Spectator "	1.00
...rmer "	1.00
...ne American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
...Advocate, per year,	$1.00
...Agriculturist "	1.50
...le Ones "	1.50

NEWS NOTES.

...e new Secretary of the United ... Treasury, Mr. Folger, was ...t on Tuesday.

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...Excellency, the Governor Gen... arrived at Liverpool on Monday ...4th inst. He was met by the ...ss Louise.

—:o:—

...The Credit Valley Railway Com...y, at the solicitation of the Toronto ...isterial Association, have ceased ...ning their Sunday trains.

—:o:—

A decision was given in the Mercer ...at case on Tuesday last, at Ot...a, confirming, with cost, the appea... the decision of the court below.

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...The staff of Inspectors and assistant ...pectors of weights and measurers ... Dominion is to be reduced from ...50. There is to be no dismis... but the change will be effected ...making no new appointments to ...vacancies.

—:o:—

...The Steamship count d'Eu, the first ...he Franco-Brazilian line, is now ...ding in Rio de Janerio for Canada ...d the latest advices state that she ...ill have a large cargo of Brazilian ...oduce for the Dominion.—*Mail.*

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Wm. McArthur, of Thornbury, was arrested at that place on Monday, and brought before A. Grier, Esq., J.P., charged with stealing two watches. He was committed to stand his trial at the next assizes.

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A meeting of the East Grey conservative assoceation will be held in Markdale Nov. 21st, for the election of officers, and appointing delegates to the provincial convention at Toronto. A full attendance is requested,

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Captain Prince, for many years chief of police, of Toronto, afterwards Warden of the Central Prison, and at the present time, Registrar of South Wellington, died at Guelph on Monday 14th inst., from apoplexy.

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A window-glass manufactory has just commenced operations at Napanee, on Tuesday, 15th inst., when the first melt was blown. The glass is said to be of excellent quality. Messrs. Herring & Sons are the proprietors. We believe it is the only ...ctory of the kind in Canada.

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...fforts are making in Bohemia to ... the distribution of blood and...under romances prohibited by the ...overnment This species of literture is said to be exercising a pernicious influenes upon the population of ...he country. It is a pitty that our ...wn government would not adopt ...me such measure. The dime novels ...d other trash which is being sent ...to Canada from the United States, ...s ruining the rising generation.

THE LATE INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATION.

Dr. Hodgins, Deputy Minister of Education opened an investigation at Owen Sound, under authority of the Government, into the alledged irregularities in connection with the intermediate and other examinations at that place. The charges implicate the inspector, Mr. William Ferguson, several members of the examinating board and the classic master of the high school and a number of candidates, upwards of sixty witnesses have been summoned, and the trial will probably last several days. As this case is exciting considerable interest, we will endeavour to give a full report next week.

THE PRAIRIE PROVINCE.

Mr. James F. Sproule, a former resident of Markdale, but now of Winnipeg, has been here on a visit for over two weeks, he speaks in glowing terms of the prairie province and says, in his opinion, it is *the* province of our broad Dominion. Among the numerous items of interest that he favored us with, we give the following to our readers :—Board and lodging $5 per week, laborers get from $2.25 to $2.60 per day, Brick layers $7. per day and carpenters from $2.50 to $4. The Pacific Railway and its branches are being pushed on with vigor, as are the other roads under construction Tracklaying on the main branch of the C. P. R. is being done at the rate of two miles per day, about 50 miles of the South-western branch of the same road will be completed this fall. The main line from Thunder bay to Winnipeg will be completed by the opening of Navagation next spring, immigrants to the great lone land will thus be enable to reach their destination without passing through the United States, thereby saving time and expense. About 175 miles of the road is now completed West from Winnipeg and is being pushed on, as we before stated at the rate of 2 miles per day and there is little doubt but that those desiring to do so, will be able before long to get on board the cars at Markdale and go right through to the Rocky Mountains without change of cars. Mr. Sproule returned to Winnipeg on Tuesday last, taking his family with him.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

CHURCH COLLECTIONS.

The Bible mode of collecting for the saints, is, that each worshiper should contribute every Sabbath a sum in proportion to his ability. The place of offering is at the door of the church, and the time immediately upon entering the building. There should be one or more men to sit by and guard the plate into which the people cast their money when they are passing into the house of God.—Jesus occupied this position when he beheld the multitude who put their money into the sacred treasury. The rich cast in much, and the poor widow cast in two mites. Were this mode of gathering the people's contributions retained and adhered to strictly, we would hear and see much less of church debts and church mismanagement. The whole system however has been cast out ignominiously. People have been alienated from it, and it may take many generations before the church can resume it. Moses may introduce it, Jesus may sanction it, Paul may recommend it, but the church of to-day will not have it.

And what has the church instead of her Bible mode? Well, she has another comprehensive system which can be modified in various ways, such as pew-rents, subscription lists, church-fair, bazaars, tea-parties, and pic-nics. She is not thus confined to one single mode. She can employ various modifications of these several methods; and variety is pleasing. But these and all such like methods are of the earth earthy. They have been introduced into the Church by a certain Mr. Worldly Wiseman, who crept in unawares among the saints long ago. His descendants and followers are to-day to be found in every congregation. They cling faithfully, in some form or other, to the principle or ground idea of the system of their leader, Mr. Worldly Wiseman The principle requires that every man who gives anything for Church purposes, shall have his name, and lump sum contributed, upon a permanent record, so that all men may see how much he gives, and may make comparisons between his giving and their own. If any man contributes a very large sum, the principle demands that his name should be published in all the newspapers, and his praises proclaimed in all the churches. There is no doubt but that the principle underlying Mr. Worldly Wiseman's system was given, or at least suggested, to him by the Devil, who is the father of many wicked inventions. It is amazing how soon the Church adopted the idea, carried it into practice, built upon it, and perfected Mr. Wiseman's system in all its varieties. Nothing, indeed, can be more wonderful, unless it be how speedily and completely the Church cast out her own God-given system as a thing to be reviled. The Bible plan is too simple, too unselfish, too modest, for this age of progress, railways and mortgages. Why, by Scripture method, a man might put $10 a Sabbath into the plate, and the world would never hear a word about it. What a world of praise the liberal donor would lose!—Such a contribution would amount to $520 a year. What mortal in this age of newspapers and telegraphs, could afford to lose the well merited laudation due to such unbounded liberality! But lose it he certainly would, if the Church returned to her primitive simplicity.

There is a new system which has been recently introduced by a certain worthy gentleman by the name of Mr. Jacob Compromise. His aim seems to be to form a coalition between the followers of the Bible system and those of Mr. Wiseman. The system of Mr. Compromise combines many points selected from the other two.—From the Bible plan it takes the idea of giving weekly, on the Sabbath, in the church. So far, it harmonizes exactly with the views of St. Paul. It is, therefore, calculated to win the favor of his moderate followers. But in order to suit the views of the Wiseman party, it provides that the name of every contributor, and the amount contributed each Sabbath, shall be entered on a permanent record, so that the sum total may appear at the end of the year, and may be published. The liberal "cheerful giver," may thus receive his meed of praise. He may also have the opportunity of comparing his own large hearted liberality with the liberality of brethren whose hearts are more contracted, or whose fortunes are less affluent. The system is thus an *eclectic* one. It is not altogether scriptural, nor altogether earthy, but a combination of both. Like coalition movements generally, it has dropped the old names, and adopted the title of the *envelope system.* Wherever it has been introduced and carried out, it has proved to be very successful; and many good people believe it to be a grand step in the right direction, as they think, towards the simplicity of the Scripture mode. Those who have tried both plans, are clearly of opinion, judging from results, that Mr. Jacob Compromise must be a wiser man than Mr. Worldly Wiseman.

D. M. L.

Priceville, No. 9, 1881.

FOOLED ONCE MORE.

MR. EDITOR.—The most of people relish a good story, provided it be a truthful one. Tales of adventures, daring, heroism, dangers of the deep battles, &c., all have their charms. Who amongst us could read the adventures of Robinson Crusoe half way through, and not have a desire to to know the end of it. We confess being of this class. Now, the first thing we do when we recieve our weekly newspaper, is to hurriedly glance through it and pick out what we consider the most important items. These are generaly distinguished by their headings; but you don't catch us trusting any longer to these glaring impositions. We could laugh at being fooled once or twice, but to get caught a third time is our reason for remonstrating, Two or three weeks since we got to reading what we thought was a very nice story in one of our Toronto weeklies, and towards the end it informed us about St. Jacobs Oil; we only laughed and said humbug. The week following we noticed another heading, how Mark Twain entertained a visitor. Well, thinking we might learn a little Etiquette in case Mark should take a fancy to send us an invitation, we read it, but by St. Patrick if they didn't finish by making Mark introduce St. Jacobs Oil. Well confound it, we exclaimed, but they have got another dose of that St. Jacobs Oil on us again, determined not to be caught so simple next time; but now, Sir, I admit the corn; along comes our Toronto Mail on Thursday, down we sat, and almost the first thing that caught our eye was the adventures of Capt. Paul Boynton, it appeared quite interesting; it told how he had bumped up against sharks, &c. At this point we began to feel a little incredulous because from our knowledge of these gentry, they would relish the Capt. alive or dead all the same. However, determined to learn some more of his exploits, we read a little further, when—O, well, it don't matter what we said, you can't find it in any of the Dictionaries, I'm—lashed if the Capt'n wasn't oiling himself all over with St. Jacobs Oil, it may be, the more easily to evade the sharks for we made no further search, our curiosity was satisfied. Now, Mr, Editor, in order to fool us again, it will require to be printed wrong end up. We have made up our mind to look out for anything and everything inthe shape of St. or Saint attatched to their name.

INVITATION TO ACQUIRE A BUSINESS EDUCATION.

I have volunteered to spend the long winter evenings to the advantage of my fellow colleagues in Markdale.

Can say with confidence that, to young men desiring a special course in any of the following branches, viz.: Mechanics, book-keeping, chemistry, arithmetic, geometry, algebra, writing, (plain, fancy. business or back-hand), the etemology and grammar of the English and Latin languages, geography, (mathematical, political and physical), astronomy, phylosophy, the rudiments of music and drawing, reading, spelling and all the common brances. I guarantee a thorough set of lessons and lectures.

In addition to the night school, there will be organized a first-class literary society, based on a conveniet constitutional order (officers to be elected from the members), held once a week, in which readings, dramas (of a moral nature). parliamentary addresses, debates, spelling matches, the writing of essays, and the art of elocution, will be both taught and practiced. In fact a real literary training and intellectual feast awaits all who will take an interest. Only enough fees to pay expenses are requisite. Come the first night free, Wednesday 23rd inst., 7:30 p. m., Dufferin Hall. —Never let the fun drop.

PRICEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

Store Polish is a drug on the Market at present.

A hot time is expected between the contractor for the new school house and the Trustees. A few law suits will probably end it. That is right boys; bring yourselves into prominence, and if you have not wit, make people believe you have.

Our fair on Monday was but poorly attended; plenty of buyers but no cattle.

There is a bad hole in the road at the west end of the bridge. As the unlucky pedestrain moves along, building castles in the air, he suddenly finds his thoughts completely mu(o)d fied when he is placed in a reclining posture on the bank of the abyss Where are our Town Fathers

The revival meetings in the Baptist Church have been discontinued.

A few of our citizens attended the opening of the O. B. & W. Railway at Durham on Monday last. They have been very reticent over the proceedings, but as far as they can remember "they had a big time."

Mr. John McRae and family have gone to Wiarton. A number of friends escorted them to the station. John has left a number of warm friends behind.

Mr. Nicol is at present filling a large contract for Telegraph poles.

John McArthur's new brick store will soon be ready for occupation.

The A. O. U. W. is prospering. If only somebody would die to show how the thing works.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The Council met in the town hall, Flesherton, on Monday, Nov. 7th. Present—Messrs. Christoe, Wright, Webster, Elliott and Pedlar.

Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed.

Mr. Hogg waited on Council *re* clearing a part of new valley road. Mr. Thomas Gilbert waited upon Council *re* lot 16, Bell's survey. Mr. James Sullivan waited upon Council *re* school taxes.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:

J. H. Heard, repairing scraper and stove, $5.50; Selectors of Jurors, $18; Joseph Fenwick. repairing bridge, $1.50. The following road jobs were ordered to be paid:—Ward No. 1, Donald McDonald, $28; M. McDougald, $7.50; L. McLeod, $2.50; John Lumbley, $12; D McDonald, $3.75; D McArthur, $4, also $4, being half on contract price of bridge on town line of Proton and Artemesia. Ward No. 2—Wm. Hill, $5, balance for bridge, 2nd East. Ward No. 3—R. Hemphill, $1; Alex. Neilson, $10.

By-law No. 335, appointing the following deputy-returning officers for 1882, and fixing places for holding election, was introduced and passed.

Ward No. 1, John McArthur; No. 2, Thomas Irwin; No. 3, W. J. Bellamy; No. 4, Robert Carruthers.

Moved by Pedlar and Webster, that the application of Mr. Hogg to improve part of new valley road be not entertained at present—carried.

Moved by Elliott and Webster that the errors in Mr. Gilbert's taxes on lot 16, Bell's survey, be referred to the Reeve and Clerk to investigate at their earliest convenience—carried.

Moved by Pedlar and Elliott, that Mr. Wright and the mover be a committee to examine and repair, if necessary, bridge on 7th concession opposite lot 27; also examine gully on 25 sideroad and put it proper repair for public travel—carried.

Council adjourned

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

Another large stock of Boots and Shoes just to hand at Reynolds & Son's.

A set of double harness was stolen from the stable of Andrew Irving, a mile from Markdale, on Monday night. He has no clue to the thief.

Those who have been building recently and are in need of fancy castings for balconies, Registers, Cresting, and Iron fencing would do well to see what Moffat Bros can do before sending orders to Toronto or elsewhare.

According to last week's issue of the Advance, that paper will not be issued again until after the change of guage on the T. G. & B. which will give the boys a rest of about three weeks.

Before the next issue of the Standard, we expect to be in our new premises on Mill Street. If it should be any inconvenience for parties to call at the new office for the Standard, we will leave it in the Post Office.

A Mail clerk, named James Dilworth, in the office of the Toronto *Mail*, has been sentenced to five years in the provincial Penetentiary, for taking money letters addressed to the *Mail* and approprating them to his own use. The sentence was the lightest the Police Magistrate could inflict, and was done in consideration of Dilworth acknowledging his guilt, and thereby saving the court the trouble of proving it.

PLACING OBSTRUCTIONS ON THE RAILWAY.—Two young men belonging to this town were brought up before justice Proctor on Tuesday last, charged with placing obstractions on the track on Sunday. It seems that some boys were taking a ride on a hand car and the others for fun, put some sticks along the rails to give the hand car a bounce. Mr. Holden, station master prosecuted, but said as this was a first offence he did not wish to press the matter severely. The boys got off by paying a fine. This will severe as a warning to all against engaging insuch pranks on the Railway. The law is very severe in such cases and any one found guilty of putting obstruction on a Railway can be sent to penitentary. —*Ib,*

CLIPPINGS FROM OUR LOCAL EXCHANGES.

We Exceedingly regret to note that C. R. Sing, Esq., Reeve of St Vincent, was seriously kicked in the stomach by a horse on Wednesday afternoon. —*Meaford Monitor.*

TREES IN BLOOM.—Pear and Plum trees in this neighborhood are in bloom again as if spring had come. Mr. B. Lines has a pear tree quite white with blooms.—*Hanover Post.*

THIEF CAUGHT.—A tub of butter belonging to Mr. McEdwards Neustadt was stolen from there on Friday last. Mr. McEdward got a clue to the thief and had a man named John Fletcher arrested on the train. The prisoner owned up, and after paying for the property and expences, was allowed to proceed on his journey to Michigan.—*Ib.*

LIMEHURST LODGE No, 140, Ancient Order United Workmen, was organized in the Orange Hall here, on Wednesday afternoon, and the following officers elected:—D. Galloway P. M. W.; I. F. Belfry, M. W.; Chas. King, Foreman; Jas. Constable, Recorder; John Stinson, Overseer; Jas Cameron, Financier; Thos Norton, M. D., Reciever; Jos. Bartley, Guide James King, I. W.; Robert Besley, O. W.; Trustees—Messrs. J. Constable, J. King and Jno. Stinson.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

NEWSPAPERS, BY TALMAGE.

Mr. Talmage had something to say about newspapers on Sunday. Said he:—"A good newspaper is the grandest temporal blessing that God has given to the people of this century. The theory is abroad that anybody can make a newspaper with the aid of a capitalist. The fact is that fortunes are swallowed up every year in the vain effort to establish newspapers, most of which die of cholera infantum. (Laughter.) To publish a newspaper requires the skill, precision, and boldness of a commander-in-chief. To edit a newspaper one needs to be a statesman and a geographer and so far as all acquisition is concerned, encyclopædic. If you have a notion to start and publish a newspaper take it for granted that you are threatened with softening of the brain. Take your pocketbook and throw it into your wife's lap. Rush up to Bloomingdale asylum and surrender yourself before you do something desperate. (Laughter.)

A WORLD OF GOOD.—One of the most popular medicines now before the American public, is Hop Bitters. You see it every where. People take it with good effect. It builds them up It is not as pleasant to the taste as some other Bitters as it is not a whiskey drink. It is more like the old fashioned bone set tea that has done a world of good. If you don't feel just right try Hop Bitters.—*Nunda News.*

ANSWER TO MANY CORRESPONDENTS.

In reply to our numerour injuries from our readers, concerning the wonderful quality of the Great German Remedy, St. Jacobs Oil,—mentioned in our last issue,—we would inform them that the article may be obtained from our retail druggists, or by their aid. Ask for St. Jacobs Oil, and if the dealer does not keep it in stock, he will be able to procure it in a few days from the wholesale house We understand there is existing an immense demand for the remedy, which is not so very surprising when it is considered what it is daily accomplishing in the way of relief and cures, bordering, in some instances, on the miraculous.

AN ASHANTEE MASSACREE.

KING KOFFEE KALKALI SURPASSES HIMSELF IN FEROCITY.

Advices from Cape Coast Castle, dated Oct. 26th, states that the King of Ashantee kil'ed two hundred young girls for the purpose of using their blood for mixing mortar for the repair of the state building. The report of the massacree was recieved from a refugee who was tobe one of the victims.

AFFLUENCE IN RAGS.

MEAFORD, Nov. 10.—An old man named William Fleming died suddenly in McGirr's, hotel this morning. His appearence was little better than a beggar. In three seperate parts of his clothing, however, were sewed about $1,000. The greater portion of this was a cheque for $926, which was sewed in his coat.

MARKDALE TOWN.

In Canada there is a town,
Of riches and great fame,
A place of pleasure and resort,
And Markdale is its name.

The beautiful large buildings
That grace every street,
Is something grand to look upon,
For its size, it can't be beat.

And just outside this little town
Such scenery you will see,
The Saugeen River flowing by
So smooth and peacefully,

And in the fishing season,
On its banks there may be found
Pleasure-parties with their hook and lines,
For in plenty fish abound,

And as farther up the stream you go
More scenery meets the eye,
And now the river swiftly flows
Like a cataract past you by.

Your thoughts are carried far away
As on its banks you stand,
It seems just like a paradise
With trees on either hand.

Now you that are with sorrow bent
And troubled in your mind,
Go wend your way far up that stream
And solitude you'll find.

There, all your sorrows pass away
As on the bank you stand,
And fancy carries you away
Up to that better land.

RONALD.

FOR SALE.

3 MILCH COWS, 1 STEER RISING four years, partly broke, having been drove in sleigh last winter. Apply to GEORGE IRETON, Lot 92, 2nd Concession West of the T. and S. Road, Glenelg, one mile north of Barrhead Mills. 62-3t

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mar and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes's residence.

Orders by Mail promptly attended to. Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

BIRTH.

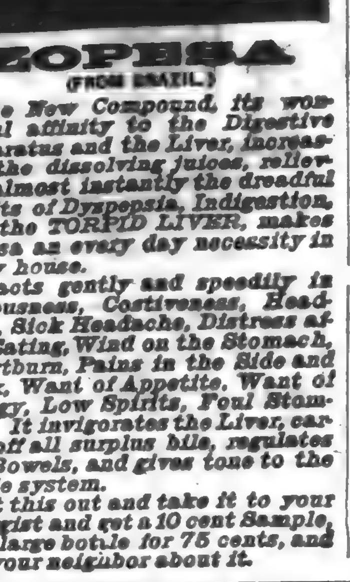
HUNTER—In Dundalk, on the 13th inst., the wife of A. G. Hunter, Esq., of a daughter.

MONTGOMERY.—In Markdale, on the 14th inst., the wife of Robert Montgomery of a daughter.

CARSON—In Artemesia, on the 15th inst., the wife of J. G. Carson of a daughter.

DIED.

HARVEY—In Euphrasia, on the 12th inst., John, youngest son of Mr. Samuel Harvey, aged 2 years and 5 months.



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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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C. A. OWEN.

Markdale, Nov. 8th, 1881.

Estray Cattle.

STRAYED FROM THE PREMISES OF the undersigned, Lot 14, Concession 9, Glenelg, five Heifers coming two years old, one red, the others spotted white and red. Any information concerning their whereabouts will be thankfully received by

THOS. McASKY, Traverston P.O.

62-3t*.

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HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES LATELY OCCUPIED BY TURNER & CO., I HAVE NOW ON HAND A FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Glassware!

LAMPS, &c., &c.

The above stock has been purchased for cash at a season when the importers are running off their surplus stock at and under cost to make room for their spring importations, consequently I am in a position to give bargains to those who are able to buy their goods for cash. **Call and see for yourselves and you will be sure to call again.**

HENRY FOSTER.

Markdale, November 15th, 1881. 68y

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...E STANDARD.

Friday Nov. 18th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

...See Foster's clothing, a good tweed ...it for $7.50.

Snow fell to the depth of several ...ches on Monday night.

The roads for the past few weeks ...ve been in a fearful state.

The snow shovel Brigade were busily ...gaged on Monday morning.

...Give custody and patronize the Flesherton ...weller.

...T. Mathews, has the best assort...ent of horse blankets in town.

McKenna & Mason have the best ...ob-sleighs in the county. Call and ...e them.

Grain continues to come in pretty ...eely, notwithstanding the bad condi...n of the roads.

For a stylish and substantial Cutter ...ou can't do better than call at Mc...enna & Mason's.

Mr. Edward O'Brien says he will ...sit the village from once to twice a ...eek with supplies of that choice beef.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine" machine ...il. Infringements will be prosecuted,

Mr. Masson, Solicitor, Owen Sound, will be in his branch office, over McFarland's store, on Friday and Saturday every week.

There is no disputing it, Mr. Doll can un...sell any Jeweller in this section of ...untry.

Wood is a scarce commodity in Markdale just now, and if there is not ...change in the weather, those who ...ave wood in store, will need to ...atch it.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel ...branded. "Castorine," as none other ...genuine.

5,000 Telegraph Poles wanted, at ...nce, for which 50cts each will be ...aid in cash. They must be 30 feet long, 6 inches at top, and peeled: straight, sound cedar. C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Two new Post Offices were opened this week in Grey, one at Mr. James Edge's, Glenelg, about 3½ miles from Durham named Edge Hall, and the ...ffice at Crawford's Mill, Mr. James Crawford being Postmaster, the Office being named Aberdeen P.O. The mails will be carried three times per week. The Post Office named Haywards Falls has been closed.

HONESTY.—It is commonly said that you cannot make an honest man believe that white is black and vice versa, but those who have grey hair, by using the "CINGALESE HAIR RENEWER," will find that this apparent difficulty is easily overcome. For sale by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

Geo. Laidlaw, Esq., of Toronto, known as the father of the narrow gauge railways, passed through by special train to Owen Sound on Monday evening accompanied by other prominent Railway men whose names we did not learn, neither did we learn the business exactly—no doubt however, it is in connection with the change of management.

IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.—Mr. Doll of Flesherton, has sold over one thousand dollars worth of watches since his return from Switzerland.

MECHANICAL ORGUINETTE. This musical instrument, which may now be called celebrated, is for sale at the STANDARD Office. In tone it is equal to the Cabinet organ, but it has this advantage over the organ, "it can be performed on by a child of six, whereas the Cabinet organ requires months of study to be able to produce the simplest tune." Particulars can be had at this office; also catalogue of Music. See advertisement in another column.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, are rapidly taking the place of all other purgatives, including Pills, Powders, etc. Their action is mild yet effectual and they are a certain cure for all billious complaints. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co,, special agents for Markdale.

HONOR ROLL.—*Honor Roll for Markdale Public School for the month of October.* Pupils arranged in order of merit. FOURTH CLASS—Ella Kerr, Cyrus Field, George Heron. SEN. 3RD CLASS—Rich. Preston, Alice Nicholson, Lily Long. JUN. 3RD CLASS—Eddie Tuck, Tilly Hamlin, Annie Heron, George Hamlin. SEN. 2ND CLASS Fred. Field, M. Schinamon. JUN. 2ND CLASS—Calista Preston, Robert Heron, Annie Beemrose. SEN. 1ST CLASS—Ida Phillips, Frank Tuck, Samuel Beatty. JUN. 1ST CLASS—Lottie Kerton, Amy Kerr, Cas. Schinamon, Charlie Heron, Willie Harrison.—E. J. J. FERGUSON, Teacher.

People are beginning to find out the true virtues of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, and they are becoming the favorite family medicine of the Canadian public for all derangements of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles, at 50 cents, A. TURNER & Co., special agent for Markdale.

According to present arrangements, the mail train under the new management of the T., G. & B. Road will leave Owen Sound at 5:15 a.m., stopping at Orangeville 8 minutes for refreshments, and arive at Toronto at 11:30. The same train will leave Toronto at 4 o'clock the same evening, stopping at Orangeville 15 minutes and arriving at Owen Sound at 10 p.m. The train men will go through to Toronto and return the same day, and will make the round trip each alternate day, instead of changing trains at Orangeville, and returning each day as heretofore. This arrangement will be a great convenience, as people can go to Toronto and have four hours and a half to do business and return the same day.

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C. W. RUTLEDGE

THE STANDARD.

Friday Nov. 18th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

See Foster's clothing, a good tweed suit for $7.50.

Snow fell to the depth of several inches on Monday night.

The roads for the past few weeks have been in a fearful state.

The snow shovel Brigade were busily engaged on Monday morning.

Save money and patronize the Flesherton Jeweller.

T. Mathews, has the best assortment of horse blankets in town.

McKenna & Mason have the best Bob-sleighs in the county. Call and see them.

Grain continues to come in pretty freely, notwithstanding the bad condition of the roads.

For a stylish and substantial Cutter you can't do better than call at McKenna & Mason's.

Mr. Edward O'Brien says he will visit the village from once to twice a week with supplies of that choice beef.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine" machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted,

Mr. Masson, Solicitor, Owen Sound, will be in his branch office, over McFarland's store, on Friday and Saturday every week.

There is no disputing it, Mr. Doll can undersell any Jeweller in this section of country.

Wood is a scarce commodity in Markdale just now, and if there is not a change in the weather, those who have wood in store, will need to watch it.

ASK your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded. 'Castorine," as none other is genuine.

5,000 Telegraph Poles wanted, at once, for which 50cts each will be paid in cash. They must be 30 feet long, 6 inches at top, and peeled; straight, sound cedar. C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Two new Post Offices were opened this week in Grey, one at Mr. James Edge's, Glenelg, about 3½ miles from Durham named Edge Hall, and the other at Crawford's Mill, Mr. James Crawford being Postmaster, the Office being named Aberdeen P.O. The mails will be carried three times per week. The Post Office named Haywards Falls has been closed.

HONESTY.—It is commonly said that you cannot make an honest man believe that white is black and *vice versa*, but those who have grey hair, by using the "CINGALESE HAIR RENEWER," will find that this apparent difficulty is easily overcome. For sale by all Druggists, 50 cents a bottle.

Geo. Laidlaw, Esq., of Toronto, known as the father of the narrow gauge railways, passed through by special train to Owen Sound on Monday evening accompanied by other prominent Railway men whose names we did not learn, neither did we learn the business exactly—no doubt however, it is in connection with the change of management.

IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.—Mr. Doll of Flesherton, has sold over one thousand dollars worth of watches since his return from Switzerland.

MECHANICAL ORGUINETTE.—This musical instrument, which may now be called celebrated, is for sale at the STANDARD Office. In tone it is equal to the Cabinet organ, but it has this advantage over the organ, "it can be performed on by a child of six, whereas the Cabinet organ requires months' of study to be able to produce the simplest tune." Particulars can be had at this office; also catalogue of Music. See advertisement in another column.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, are rapidly taking the place of all other purgatives, including Pills, Powders, etc. Their action is mild yet effectual and they are a certain cure for all billious complaints. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co,, special agents for Markdale.

HONOR ROLL.—*Honor Roll for Maxwell Public School for the month of October.* Pupils arranged in order of merit. FOURTH CLASS—Ella Kerr, Cyrus Field, George Heron. SEN. 3RD CLASS—Rich. Preston, Alice Nicholson, Lily Long. JUN. 3RD CLASS—Eddie Tuck, Tilly Hamlin, Annie Heron, George Hamlin. SEN. 2ND CLASS—Fred. Field, M. Schinamon. JUN. 2ND CLASS—Calista Preston, Robert Heron, Annie Beemrose. SEN. 1ST CLASS—Ida Phillips, Frank Tuck, Samuel Beatty. JUN. 1ST CLASS—Lottie Kerton, Amy Kerr, Cas. Schinamon, Charlie Heron, Willie Harrison.—E. J. J. FERGUSON, Teacher.

People are beginning to find out the true virtues of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, and they are becoming the favorite family medicine of the Canadian public for all derangements of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agent for Markdale.

According to present arrangements, the mail train under the new management of the T., G. & B. Road will leave Owen Sound at 5:15 a.m., stopping at Orangeville 8 minutes for refreshments, and arive at Toronto at 11:30. The same train will leave Toronto at 4 o'clock the same evening, stopping at Orangeville 15 minutes and arriving at Owen Sound at 10 p.m. The train men will go through to Toronto and return the same day, and will make the round trip each alternate day, instead of changing trains at Orangeville, and returning each day as heretofore. This arrangement will be a great convenience, as people can go to Toronto and have four hours and a half to do business and return the same day.

THE SCOTT ACT.—The ... Scott Act took place ... Welland on Thursday last, ... ed in its defeat by about 700 of a majority.

A Chicago paper describes a painful incident in the following language:—A lady named Bridget McGuire attempted to light a fire. The wood it was green, so she used kerosene—funeral Sunday.

At a fashionable wedding in New York, the organist having been requested to "play something appropriate" upon the entry of the bride and groom, brought out in the organ's loudest tone "She's Fooling Thee."

A large assortment of Candies just arrived at Montgomery's Bakery, also a variety of cakes on hand.

The person who took an overcoat from the Markdale House will kindly return it not later than Monday the 21st inst., or a warrant will be issued, as the person is known.

We will give the STANDARD or HERALD, with any of the following publications for $2, or either of them can be obtained singly at $1. Weekly *Mail*, Weekly *Globe Farmers Advocate* and Canada Farmer. The American Agriculturist in connection with the STANDARD or HERALD $1. Singly $1.50.

If the parties who expressed there doubts as to my having sold over a thousand dollars worth of watches since my return from Switzerland will call at my store in Flesherton, I shall be pleased to show them my books and prove the statement.—W. F. DOLL.

Great inconvenience is felt in this village on account of the cutting off of all communication between the village and station by wire, caused by closing up the Dominion Telegraph Office. We think it would have been nothing more than reasonable had the Montreal Co. given connection, as the wire passes the office. The expense would have been very trifling, and at the same time they would have gained the gratitude of our people.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says everyone having tried "TEABERRY" the new toilet gem. Get a 5ct. sample.

To preserve the eyesight get a pair of Mr. Doll's pebble glasses.

USE "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

ON Tuesday last, Mr. A. McDougal took us through his portion of the new brick block erected this summer in conjunction with Mr. John Reid. The banking office we have already described. The other portion of the first flat we believe Mr. McDougal will occupy as a harness shop. The second and third flats are intended for dwelling purposes. There is ample accommodation for two families. There is a parlor in each division, one called the Butternut room and the other the Cherry room, which are finished in oil. On this flat are also kitchen, pantry, dining room, &c. The third is arranged for sleeping apartments. The bedrooms are large and airy, and several have large clothes-closets attached Take it altogether the building is a credit to our village and we do not think its equal can be found in any village in our Dominion, and in very few towns. W. D. McLeod was the architect and superinteded the whole work, and it is a credit to him. The mason work and plastering was done by John Hanbury, and he need never take a back seat in his line. We will give a description of the Reid portion next week.

Wilcox has got the most complete stock of jewelry ever brought to this section of the country. See it.

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habitual Constipation, Biliousness, Liver or Kidney Affections, the safest and best remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the great family medicine. They can with perfect safety be given to the youngest child as they are purely vegetable in composition and mild in their action. Sold in large panel bottles at 50 cents A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

REMOVED.—William Lucas & Co., this week removed their Banking office to the McDougal portion of the new brick Block erected by Reid & McDougall, this summer. We do not think there is any private banking institution in Canada can boast of a nicer office. The counter in the main office is of a semi-circular form, of hard wood, built by E. Purvis, and finished in oil, as is also all the wood work. In the rear is the private office of Mr. Lucas, Manager, which is capacious, well lighted, and well ventilated. This bank has branches in Flesherton and Dundalk, and all appear to be doing a rushing business. Although Mr. Lucas has resided amongst us but a short time, he has by his courteousness and affability made himself one of the most popular men in our village, and the managers of the Flesherton and Dundalk branches, Messrs. McPherson and E. G. Lucas, are no whit behind him in popularity. To wish them success would be superfluous, as they have attained that already.

MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

ALMOST A SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—While Mr. J. Brownridge's sawing machine was at work on the farm of John Herron, 9th con., Artemesia, the saw by some means getting out of the guide struck Mr. Herron on the arm, but from the promptitude of Mr. Brownridge seizing the saw it was prevented from severing the limb from the body. Mr. Brownridge got badly cut about the face. With careful attention both parties are likely soon to recover.—[Com.]

... Raisins, Sugar and ... will find that McFarland no ... in town is behind. His ... stock of Dry Goods, Crockery, and Glassware, would tax any man in the Dominion to surpass.

Mr. Browne, the photographer, is on hand and will be prepared to take photographs the first of next week, up stairs in the new Standard office.

Watches, Clocks, Chains, Charms, Brooches, Eardrops, Bracelets, Engagement and Wedding Rings, Cuff Pins, Scarf pins, Solitaires, Casters, Butter coolers, Pickle dishes, Knives, Forks, Spoons, &c., &c., at Wilcox, the jeweller's.

—W. J. McFarland is receiving and opening out new goods every day.—25 boxes of Axes, one case of Saws, Hand and Crosscut, Ropes, Nails, Glass, Scissors, Horse Nails, *Broadaxes, Lanterns*, and hammers, opened and marked off cheap this week.

Mr. A. M. Eakin, started Thursday morning on a visit to his parents in Leeds Co. He was presented with a purse and address on the eve of his departure by the villagers. We wish him a safe journey and an improvement in his health. Particulars of presentation next week.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

For Winnipeg, one car load of Turkeys, Geese, Ducks, and Chickens, well cleaned, and no food in crop.—*Highest price paid* by W. J. McFarland.

Mr. Wilcox is, this week, removing to the portion of Hills block just vacated by the Bank, on Mill street, opposite the Post Office, where he will be found as usual at his post. His new premises are much larger than the old one, and he will be enabled to make a better display of his large stock of jewellery, plated ware, &c.

And don't you forget it, we sell cheaper than any other house in Town—Reynolds & Son.

The whistle of the Foundry is now heard regularly, and everything will be ready in a few days for active service. The Moffat brothers are first class Mechanics, and energetic and industrious young me. We can therefore bespeak for them the best of success.

How is it I never look so neat as you do, *Jim?* I spend as much as you do for clothes. Simply because I get my Clothing, Hats, Ties, Boots and Gloves at McFarland's, and you do not, *Bob*.

If you want to get Boots, just call at Reynolds & Son, the cheapest stock of Boots and Shoes in town.

The International Wheat Exchange.

1881-2.

OPEN TO LIVE FARMERS EVERYWHERE.

The CERTAIN BENEFITS—Again I say CERTAIN BENEFITS—to be derived from the prompt patronage of this movement have been *opened to live farmers everywhere*.

I want no one to invest a dollar—more or less—in it, who has the slighest fear that it will be *a bad investment of that dollar—more or less*.

As shown by my late edition (5500 copies) of "Traveller," (my own journal, which, see for September and November, 1881). This movement was inaugurated for the benefit in Canada, of the 40,000 "LONDON MUTUAL" MEMBERS and *through them for the country at large*, and for the farmers of the States of the West.

MEMBERS OF THE "LONDON MUTUAL" OF CANADA.

I tried to keep it for you, but finding the movement POPULAR EVERYWHERE, and the current clamor that it should be made as *broad in its application in Canada* as was probosed for the farmers of the States in the West. I finally yielded to the advice of many of my warmest, old-time friends of maturer years than myself, by opening *it to the world*.

Having done so, I have lived for the past month almost sleepless, to create for "International Wheat Exchange" AN IMMORTAL LIFE. I have found it necessary to delay my leaving for the West for a few weeks, in order to form CANADIAN CONNECTIONS at various points throughout the Dominion, with proper men to represent and receive orders through my movement. I have made such connections through Grey and Bruce, and now go West.

W. J. M'FARLAND, ESQ.,

has kindly undertaken to receive orders, and make delivery of Western grain for me, at MARKDALE. Orders must be promptly given by all who wish to be thus benefitted. Before November 15th, current, I shall send Mr. MCFARLAND and the other Canadian representatives of INTERNATIONAL WHEAT EXCHANGE, so far as appointed, samples of all the best flouring spring wheats (already collected and coming in) from the best wheat producing sections of Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Dakota and Wisconsin.

MY AIM BEING TO INTRODUCE INTO EACH DISTRICT, ONLY SUCH GOOD FLOURING VARIETIES AS WILL BE SPECIALLY ADAPTED FOR THE SOIL OF EACH LOCALITY, my arrangements in the west have been made accordingly. Every farmer can, therefore, order intelligently from the samples sent to Canada, which will be labelled as follows:—

Name of Wheat ....
Name of Grower ....
Where Grown.......... Section ....
Township.......... Range..........
Nature of Soil..........
Average yield per acre..........
How long grown there..........
Signed..........
Agent.

Thousands of such labelled specimens are now awaiting my arrival in Iowa.

I have lived *for three months* under

A VERITABLE VOLCANO OF THOUGHT

In order to make my *International Wheat Exchange a sure success* for all who patronize it; to make it result so that I can look back from future years upon it with PERFECT SATISFACTION. I shall, therefore, *carry it to a successful issue*, honorably and well for the benefit of all who ... Good wishes and hopes for my success are kind, BUT WILL NOT MOVE WHEAT. I shall move NO MORE ... than I have orders for at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on December 15th, next. I shall move nothing ... but the ... FLOURING VARIETIES. In order to have Western grown wheat ... CANADA, I shall have with me through the West one of the CELEBRATED 1ST PRIZE FANNING MILLS, from the Factory of R. H. McKay, Walkerton, Ont., which, from the several severe tests I have given it, I know will not disgrace Canada ANYWHERE ON EARTH.

I look forward confidingly for a noble patronage of INTERNATIONAL WHEAT EXCHANGE from the Wheat Growers of this continent in order to make it as eminent a success (before I sit down to next Chistmas' dinner) as my circulation of the "WHITE RUSSIAN" and "Lost Nation" has been for the miller and consumer and profitable to the producer.

Elsewhere in this and next issue will be found a few of the HOME AND CONTINENTAL ECHOES I have had speaking for themselves.

Having the originals of hundreds of just such kindly and assuring echoes from across this continent, there shall not—cannot—be any failure, ON MY PART, to make the INTERNATIONAL WHEAT EXCHANGE a glorious success.

THE MOVEMENT NOW LIVES THROUGH FIVE STATES OF THE WEST.—A SURE SUCCESS! ITS FUTURE IN THE DOMINION OF CANADA DEPENDS ENTIRELY UPON THE FAVOR OF THE PEOPLE NOW. CHAS. T. DOYLE, *Manager of the International Wheat Exchange, Walkerton, Ontario, and Cedar Rapids, Iowa.*

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Nov. 18th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	to	1.23
Barley	0.70	"	0.80
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.73	"	0.74
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	6.00	"	6.50
Beef	[illegible]	"	0.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.00
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	15.00	"	20.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.12	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.[illegible]	"	[illegible]

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, Nov 18th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.20	to	1.23
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.23
Barley	0.70	"	0.84
Oats	0.32	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.00	"	6.50
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	15.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.12	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.20	to	$1.23
" " "	2	1.18	to	1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.23
" " "	2	1.18	to	1.20
" " "	3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley "	2	.70	to	.80
" "	3	.50	to	.60
Peas "	1	.68	to	.73
" "	2	.60	to	.62
Oats "	1	.36	to	.36
Butter "	1	.20	to	.21
Eggs		.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30	to	$1 33
Wheat, spring, do.	1 35	to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 95	to	1 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00	to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	6 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 35	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 22	to	0 23
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	1200	to	1o 16

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... advertiser's experience can ... so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN. 20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 48 Nausau street, New York. 20

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. McLEOD & CO.,
MARKDALE,
NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been ... will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the ... to the finest ... and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done ...

M. M. McLEOD & CO.

FOUND!

IN A. McINTYRE'S STORE, A PROMISSORY Note for Six Dollars, signed by A. H. Todd. The owner can have it by calling at this office, proving ownership and paying for this advertisement.

C. W. RUTLEDGE.

Markdale, Oct. 18th, 1881.

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS!
MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with anything they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can
GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
Call and Inspect our Work!
on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO
HORSESHOEING
and General Jobbing in every line.
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

THOS. SPICER,
BLACKSMITH,

Would announce to the public that he has leased the Blacksmith Shop lately occupied by Mr. James Hanna, and will carry on the business in all its branches. Having taken

13 Prizes for Horseshoeing

he will treat all kinds of diseases pertaining to the foot, viz:

Hoof-Bound Contraction,
QUARTER CRACKS, INTERFERING,
&c., &c.

All Work Warranted.
THOS. SPICER.
Dundalk, Nov. 4th, 1881. 10-3m.

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!
—FROM—
KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

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From now till end of 1882,
For the small sum of $1.60.

By arrangement with the publisher of the RURAL CANADIAN, the new Agricultural Fortnightly published at Toronto, which has been pronounced by the Press to be a "model publication of the kind," and to "compare favorably with the best American journals of its class," we are enabled to offer both papers for $1.60. The regular price of the two is $2.

Should any of our readers desrie a copy of CANADIAN FARMING, an Encyclopædia of Agriculture by practical farmers, we are ready to furnish The Standard and Rural Canadian, and the book, in full cloth binding, with nearly 300 fine illustrations, all for $2. The price alone of Canadian Farming is $1.50.

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AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 26-ly

LOST.

A Note of hand, for $100, made in January, 1880, and payable to J. T. Bonnell, on 1st of January, 1881. Made by John Rowe, Vandeleur. Endorsements to the amount of $20.00 on the note. All persons are hereby notified against purchasing said note as I have not received value for it.

J. M. BONNELL.

The WEEKLY MAIL

PRESENTATION PLATE.

THE GREAT CANADIAN WEEKLY FROM NOW TO THE END OF 1882 FOR ONE DOLLAR

$1

ANATOMY OF THE HORSE

NEW FEATURES FOR 1882.

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THE MAIL, TORONTO.

Post Office Store,

FLESHERTON,

IS THE PLACE TO GET FIRST CLASS GOODS AT LOW PRICES.

General Dry Goods!

AN IMMENSE STOCK.

Furs and Millinery!

JUST THE THING.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

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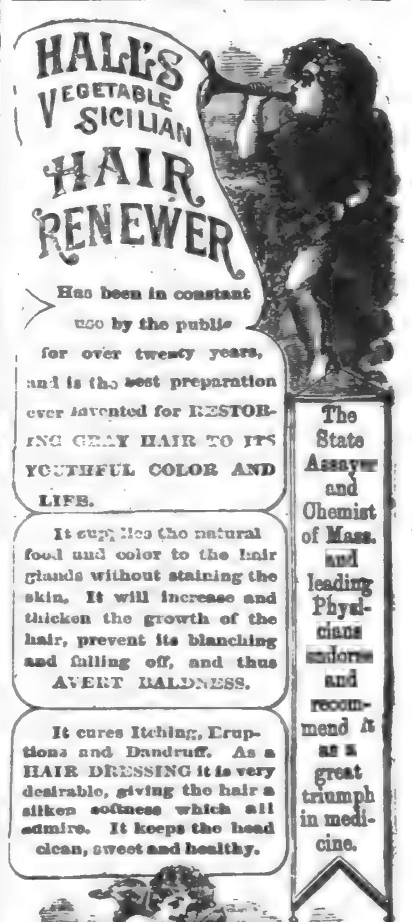

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AN OLD MAN EIGHTY YEARS OLD FIRES A BARN AND TRIES TO END HIS LIFE.

JARVIS, Ont., Nov. 10.—Andrew Ward, an old man 80 years of age, has been living for a year past with Jas. Ross, his nephew, a farmer, residing two miles from this village. At a division court, held here yesterday, the old man sued Ross for wages which he claimed for work during the past year. His claim was not sustained. About 10 o'clock last night one of Ross's barns was destroyed by fire, together with the contents. After the fire Ross in company with two young men while passing the stables heard a strange noise, and upon opening the doors a horrible sight presented itself. The old man stood near one of the stalls with a rope around his neck, the end of which he had fastened to his cane and with this he was twisting and tightening the strap evidently endeavouring to take his own life. His throat was cut and his face fearfully swollen. Ross and the two young men who found him took the strap from his neck when he staggered to the ground in an almost helpless condition. A jackknife covered with blood was found in one of his pockets, and no doubt this was the instrument with which he had attempted to cut his throat. The wound is about two inches in length but not deep. He is generally suspected of having set fire to the barn, but makes a positive denial of having done so. He admits having been in the barn that evening and says he drove some cows out, fastened the doors, and came away. Ross had no insurance on the barn nor contents. It contained nearly his whole crop of grain. The loss is estimated at about $1,000.

HUMBUGGED AGAIN.—I saw so much said about the merits of Hop Bitters, and my wife who was always doctoring, and never well, teased me so urgently to get her some I concluded to be humbugged again; and I am glad I did, for in less than two months use of the Bitters my wife was cured and remained so for eighteen months since. I like such humbugging.—H. T., St. Paul.—*Pioneer Press.*

A FEMALE SHARPER.

One of the shrewdest and boldest tricks ever played on a jeweller was done by a woman of nerve in Cincinnati not long ago. One day a middle-aged woman, of fine personal appearance, well dressed, and of most attractive manners, called at a private lunatic asylum and asked to see the superintendent. That official met her in the parlor.

"I wish to make arrangements for the confinement of a patient here," she said. "What are your terms and the conditions on which you receive your inmates?"

"Our terms are $15 per week, and you must have the certificate of two physicians.'

'Very well,' said the lady, "I will [illegible] for two months in advance. The patient is my son, who is insane on the subject of diamonds. He has [illegible] for selling my jewellery. I have not yet gotten the certificate of the physicians with the authority.'

Then the lady entered her carriage and drove to a jewellery store. There she selected $4000 worth of jewellery, which she said was intended for the trousseau of her daughter, about to be married. She gave the name of a wealthy family recently arrived in Cincinnati, and said to the proprietor; "If you will let one of your clerks step into the carriage with me, I will go to my husband's store and give him the money for the goods.'

The proprietor consented and the clerk, with the goods in a box, entered the carriage with the lady, who said she wished to stop on the way and show her purchase to a friend. They drove to the asylum and were shown to the parlor. The superintendent entered and the lady said quite calmly, to the clerk: "Just open the box and show the things to the gentlemen.'

The clerk unsuspectingly complied. Carelessly drawing near, the lady suddenly seized the box and was walking out of the room with it when the astonished clerk cried:

"Hold on, madam! I must not let those goods go out of my sight until I get the the money?'

The lady did not deign to notice the clerk, but, turning to the superintendent of the asylum, she said:

"This is the young man I spoke to you about. He is getting a little violent. You had better secure him.'

It was in vain that the clerk protested that a robbery was being committed. The superintendent was inexorable. He called in assistance and secured the clerk, while the lady walked to her carriage with the $4000 worthy of jewellery.

WEAK LUNGS AND HOW TO MAKE THEM STRONG.

Breathe with the mouth closed, have access at all times to pure air exercise moderately, eat nourishing but simple food, and take that best of all cough remedies, Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it speedily cures all throat and lung troubles of adults or children. Price 25 cents per bottle.

Some people will place a misconstruction upon everything! It is well known that President Garfield's life was insured for $25,000 in the New York Life Insurance company, and just because that company draped their building in mourning, and displayed a card reading: 'We mourn our loss,' some papers are giggling and trying to make something terribly funny out of the fact.

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No house should be without a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure all, and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercy.

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All men who enter bar-rooms are not wicked. Many enter solely to commune with the spirits.

Although considerably past seventy, Mr. Gladstone has just now, for the first time, put on spectacles.

On Greenland's icy mountains there are no cows. They make their ice-cream up their with whale blubber.

"Six Girls" is the title of the latest novel. It is expected that a sequel entitled 'Our Broken Gate' will be issued soon.

A girl who has a felon on her finger and a fellow on her hand has as much as she can attend to.

Always giving somebody a lift—hotel elevator.—Springfield *Sunday News.* Always letting them down easy—same elevator.

Money often leads men astray. Some of them will run after a dollar; but a hound dog is more avaricious. He will follow a scent.

A college joke from the *Trinity Tablet*: Fresh—"May I have the pleasure?' Miss Society—"Oui.' Fresh—"What does 'we' mean?' Miss S.—'O, U and I."

Mr. Strauss, of Cincinnati, recently rescued two friends who fell in the water, thus proving the truth of the old saying—"Drowning men catch at Strauss.'

The strongest man living—the man who moves the house by his tears.—New York *Book-keeper.*—How about the farmer who moved a cord of wood by his steers?

An exchange speaks of "a male train.' The sex of trains has always been a matter of some doubt; but a train should not be called a male because it smokes and 'choos.'

A river is always down in its mouth.—Burlington *Hawkeye.* And it shouldn't be, considering that it generally controls all the banks along its course.

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The Toronto *Evening News* gives a digest of M. Delaunay's analysis of the claims of the respective sexes to superiority. The Frenchman's conclusion is that the female insect is the male's sovereign, but that as the range of nature ascends the female gradually falls behind. We admit the first part of that conclusion. But we contend there is no limitation; right up to the crowning specimen of insects, the human race, the fact is true, only in a much more complete way. That is where the evolution theory comes in. Why does a man at the bidding of his wife, who thinks she hears burglars around, feel it a mark of special favour that he should be delegated at midnight to go and chase a bob tailed cow over half a dozen vacant lots with an old barrel stave, and clothed in nothing but a little brief authority and a night shirt? What is the nameless leverage that makes him get up in the dead hour of the night and set the pancake-batter near the parlor stove? What the unseen motive which impels him to walk round with a squalling baby for an hour in the chill atmosphere of the room in the darkest time just before the dawn? The answer is, woman is man's soverign, spite of French investigations.—*Mail.*

There appears to be an epidemic of finding valuables in old trunks. Only a week or so ago a diamond was found by a laborer, an and old trunk sent to be repaired in New Haven, Conn., was found to contain in a small drawer a gold watch, $30 in gold, two gold bracelets and a diamond and pearl set. This reminds us that a trunk brought over in the Mayflower was being cut up for firewood by a Norristown man the other day when out rolled $600,000 in gold, two silk hats, a diamond, inlaid clock, four pairs of new boots, a camel's hair shawl, a set of solid silverware, a costly mirror, a suit of parlor furniture and a file of newspapers. The man who was demolishing the trunk said it formerly belonged to an editor.

SELECTED GRINS.

The London *Truth* says: "A clergyman in Scotland preached a few days ago from the text, If ye do not repent ye shall likewise perish." The wife of a farmer, who was present, went home and told her husband that the text was, 'If ye don't pay your rent you shall have to leave the parish."

An Irishman was asked at dinner whether he would take some of the apple-pie. "Is it houlsom?" enquired Teddy." "To be sure it is," was the reply. What makes you ask such a question?' "Because,' says the new-comer, "I once had an uncle killed with the *apple*-plixy, and I thought it might be something of that sort.'

Scene—a butcher's stand. Butcher: 'Come, John, be lively now; break the bones in Mr. William's chops, and put Mr. Smith's ribs in the basket for him.' John (briskly): 'All right, sir, just as soon as I've sawed off Mrs. Murphy's leg.'

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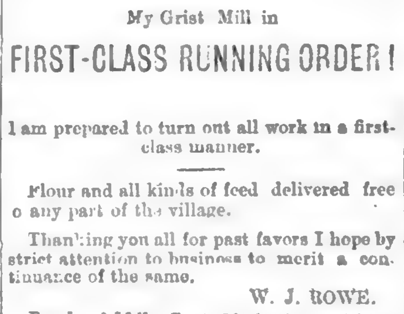

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Robt. S. Rae,

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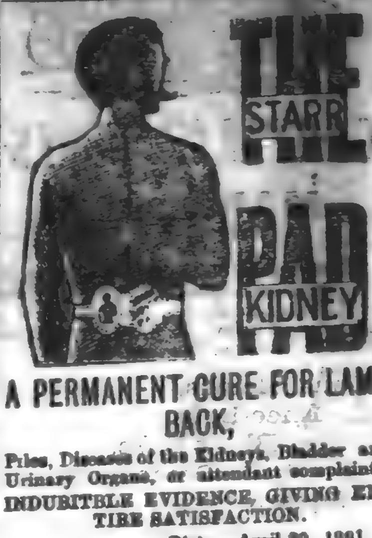
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880.



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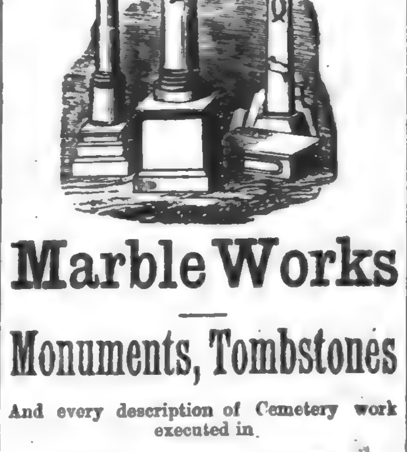

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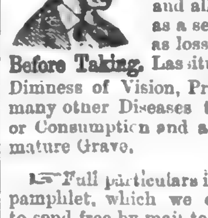

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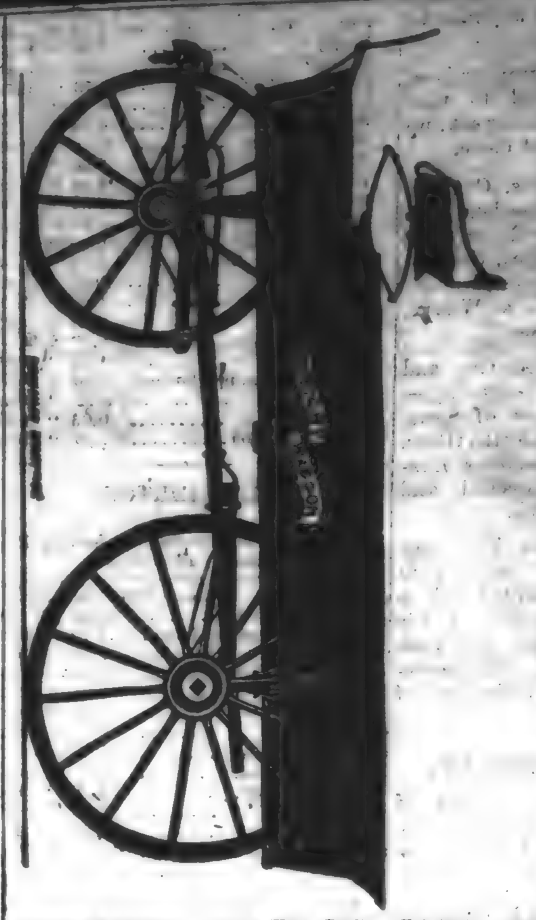

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MARKDALE.

To All Whom It May Concern.

As the season has arrived when money is plentiful and we have no collector but the bailiff, we must have our accounts by the 10th of October,

August 9th, 1881.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

GENERAL AGENCY.

DUNDALK. ONT.

MONEY. Farmers wishing to obtain money cannot do better than to call at the Farmers and Mechanics' Agency established in the town of Dundalk, where you can get Money at a reduced rate of interest on Easy Terms to suit yourselves,—to pay off a previous mortgage, build a new house or barn, to clear more land or to obtain a choice breed of cattle. Loans will be put through without loss of time while the strictest privacy will be maintained in all transactions.

Good Mortgages Bought!

LANDS.—I beg to call the attention of those wishing to purchase land, as I have a large number of good and cheap Farm Lots for sale. Send address for catalogue and prices.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of the Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881.

MARKDALE HOUSE,

MARKDALE,

ALEX RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and supplied with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel [illegible] Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

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Dundalk, Oct. 12, 1881. 7ly

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Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
WM. LUCAS & Co.
Manager.
Markdale, Sept, 1880. 2-ly

E. HUMPHRIES,
FURNITURE
Undertaker!
AND CABINETMAKER,
Has now on hand a full stock of COFFINS of all sizes and prices. Shrouds, Gloves, Crape, and Coffin Trimmings, constantly kept on hand for sale. Also a full stock of
Household Furniture!
Picture Framing a specialty.
A STOCK OF
Watches and Clocks!
which will be sold very cheap for cash. A call is solicited.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-4t

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,
DUNDALK, ONT.
The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
single or double,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
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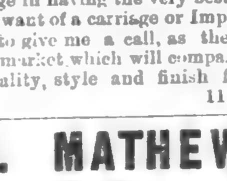
Manufacturer and dealer in
Cutters, Sleighs, Buggies,
WAGGONS, CULTIVATORS,
HORSE RAKES, PLOUGHS,
HARROW AND
All kinds of Farming Implements
Manufactury and Depository, Durham and Hill streets
FLESHERTON.

TO MY PATRONS.—Always ahead of any in my trade, and having the largest and most convenient Factory in this locality, I am prepared to sell Carriages and Implements of every descriptron in the best style of any in the market, and at prices as low as any occording to the quality of the work.

Having upwards of twenty years' experience, I am confident that purchasers will get the advantage in having the very best made.

Parties in want of a carriage or Implement will do well to give me a call, as there are none in the market which will compare with them in quality, style and finish for the price. 11 ly

THOS. MATHEWS,



WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction.* Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
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T. MULARKEY,
QUEEN STREET
MARKDALE,
Keeps constantly on hand
CHURNS, BUTTER-TUBS
WASH-TUBS, &c., &c.
Repairing Done with Neatness and Dispatch.
AGENT FOR
D. MAXWELL'S
CELEBRATED
REAPER,
MOWER, and
RAKE,
—ALSO—
Ploughs, Harrows, Gang, Drills Etc, Etc.
Markdale, June 9, 1881. 39 ly

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
on
Wednesdays and Saturdays,
By Thomas Smith,
[illegible] filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. [illegible]

ST. JACOBS OIL
TRADE MARK.
THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY.
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RHEUMATISM,
Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.
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Directions in Eleven Languages.
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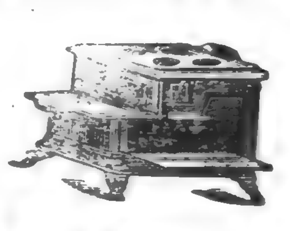
Stoves. Stoves

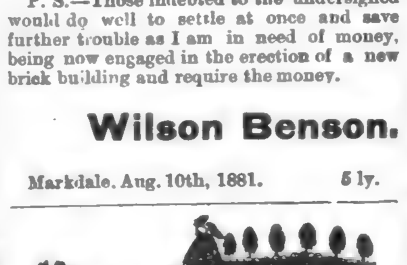


Cooking Stoves,
Parlor Stoves,
Box Stoves,
Hall Stoves,
Drum Stoves.
All the late improvements in style and finish.

HARDWARE!
TINWARE,
Paints, White Lead, Paint Oil, Machine Oil, Coal Oil, Lamps, &c.,
—AT—
Haskett Bros.
Markdale, Sept. 28th, 1881.

W. BENSON
HAS NOW ON HAND
A Fresh Supply of Liquors
WHICH CANNOT BE EXCELLED.
IN GROCERIES!
Our stock is Fresh, having just been purchased from the best dealers in the Eastern markets,
Teas a Specialty.
Miscellaneous Articles!
Including Lemons, Oranges, and Fruits of all descriptions, may be had on very reasonable terms.

P. S.—Those indebted to the undersigned would do well to settle at once and save further trouble as I am in need of money, being now engaged in the erection of a new brick building and require the money.
Wilson Benson.
Markdale, Aug. 10th, 1881. 5 ly.



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Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture!
—AND—
UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortest notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Sts,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

WEATHER PROPHETS.

Whene'er a farmer must confess
That he has missed his weather guess,
The failure gives him no distress,
For ready is his reason;
When days are wet instead of dry,
He only needs to wink his eye,
And say, in accents sage and sly,
The signs all fail this season.

But when a weather guesser grows
Too boastful of his sleight of nose,
For juggling with rains and snows
In summer and in winter,
At once his ardent fancy sees
Vissions of honor and of fees,
And with his notes and theories
He rushes to the printer.

His vanity, too freely fed,
So far his errant brain has led,
That he predicts a year ahead
The atmosphere's commotions:
So, foolishly defying fate,
He pins his credit to a date,
And bids a doubting world await
The out comeof his notions.

Then when his firm convictions fail,
And sunshine comes instead of hail,
The cruel types still tell the tale,
And give the record of it.
The weather prophet tears the page,
And blames an unbelieving age,
That gives him but disgust and rage
For all his weather profit.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER IX. *Continued.*

And bowing low after this small stab and with a carcastic curl of his tawny mustached mouth, the captain of the Plungers rode away. He held the handsome, silver voiced, oily-tongued, Southerner in contempt and aversion —most men did—without exactly knowing why. There are men whom men like, and men whom women like and Mr. Dantree, happily for himself, was one of the latter.

A loud cry of 'There they come' proclaimed the arrival of the hounds. The huntsman as he passed cast surly glances toward Miss Dangerfield and one or two mounted ladies, with prophetic visions of their heading the fox and being in the way. The hounds were put into the gorse, and the pink coats began to move out of the field into the lane—Miss Dangerfield and her dark lover with them.

A loud 'Hallo' rang shrilly out, the hounds came with a rushing roar over a fence. 'There he is!' cried a score of voices, as the fox flew over the ground, and with a ringing shout Catherine Dangerfield flew along on black Ilderim, steady as a rock and upright as a dart. Her brilliant eyes was flashed now with the hunters fire —even Gaston Dantree was forgotten The roan flew along helter skelter beside Ilderim for a few minutes, then fell hopelessly behind, Mr. Dantree counted neither courage nor horsemanship among his many virtues. On and on like the wind—Ilderim flewthe fences—with a teremondous rush he leaped chasms and hedges, his dauntless rider taking everything before her. The master of the hounds himself looked at her in a glow of admiration —the black Arab flew over everything scorned to turn to the right or left, and after a brilliant burst of over an hour, the heiress of Scarswood had the triumph and delight of being one of the fortunate few in at the finish in time to see the dead fox held over the huntsman's head with the hounds hanging expectant around. She laughed—eyes and teeth flashing dazzlingly—as she recieved the brush from the huntsman, and the innumerable compliments from the gentlemen who crowded around the heorine of the hour.

'Yes,' she said, 'I can ride—about the only thing I can do. No, Mr. Dantree, I do not want a compliment from you, and I can't pay one either. Your roan baulked shametully, and you are the last man in. But to be late, as I have said before, on all occasions, is your normal state.'

'Being first in your regards I can bear the rest with philosophy, Miss Dangerfield. Fall back from those people, and rein in that black whirlwind of yours, and ride back to Langton Royals with me.'

She looked at him quickly—some tone in his voice, some look in his eye startled her.

'Gaston, something has pappened!'

'Yes—nothing to be alarmed about, however. Only this—I must go back to New Orleans.'

'Gaston!'

It was a sort of dismay cry. It he had ever doubted his power over her he would have been reassured now. The glad light died out of her face as she turned to him.

'Go back to New Orleans! Why should you go back? I thought—'

'You thought I never was going back any more. You thought this sort of pleasant existence—driving, hunting, singing, and being happy—taking no thought, like lilies of the field, etc., was to go on for ever. My dear little simple Kathie! you seem to forget that you are born to the purple, I am not. You forget that men must work women must weep. You forget that you are engaged to a beggar, who earns his bread by the sweat of his brow or brains. You forget in short that I am not the heiress of Scarswood, with eight thousand per annum, or Captain De Vere, next heir to peerage, but Gaston Dantree, Boheman, literary hack—only too thankful if his flimises for the New Orleans journals pay for the coat he wears and the bed he sleeps on. You forgot that, my dear, impetuous little girl, but, by Jove, I don't!'

'And what's all that got to do with it? Why can't things go on as they are? Why can't you stop at Morecanbe until—' Miss Dangerfield abruptly.

'Until our wedding day—is that what you mean, Kathie? Ah! but you see that seems such an indefinite period. Mr. Talbot was kind enough to invite me to run down to his place in Sussex for a week's August fishing, and I was to repay his hospitality by singing songs. August has passed, Octobdr is here, and—so am I still. And, unfortunately singing is such an unsubstantial mode of payment, even the finest tenor voice is apt to pall upon a Sussex squire, after three months incessant listening to it. I had a letter from New Orleans not a pleasant letter—and it comes to one of two things now, either to go back to Louisiana and resume my quill driving, or—' Mr. Dantree paused and looked at her—'or,' he repeated with that smile of his the baronet's romantic daughter thought the most beautiful on earth—'or Kathie?'

'Yes, Gaston?'

'Or you must marry me out of hand. Do you hear, Kathie?—take me for better or worse, and support me afterwards. This is what it comes to in plain English. One may be in love ever so deeply, but one must have three meals per diem and pay the tailor and boot-maker. I have just money enough to last two months and a half—I've been totting it up. After that the work house stares me in the face. I'll defy the minions of the newspaper, Kathie, if you say so, and I'll go to Castleford Arms and wait until the happy day comes that makes you all my own. If not—why then—' Mr. Dantree paused and produced his cigar case. 'You'll premit me, I know, Kathie? You're awfully sensitive on the subject of cigars, and I've been thinking so deeply ever since I got that confounded letter, that my brain—such as it is—is dazed. I need a smoke to support me under all this.'

Then there was silence while they rode on slowly in the rear of the hunting party—Mr. Dantree philosophically puffing his cigar, and Katherine, her cheeks flushed with very unwonted colour, and lips sealed with still more unwonted silence.

'Well,' he said, as the turrets and peaked gables of Langton Royals bore in sight 'I don't want to be importunate, my dear, but suspense isn't a pleasant thing. When a man is under sentence, the sooner he hears his doom and knows the worst, the better Am I to go to New Orleans, to risk all that may come to part us tor eyer, or am I to—'

'Stay, Gaston?'

Mr. Dantree drew a long breath of great relief. For one moment he had doubted—for one agonizing moment the eight thousand a year seemed trembling in the balance.

'My loyal little girl! I shall thank you for this when two score people are not looking on. I am to stay and send the New Orleans editors *au diable* and the wedding day will be—when Kathie? My princely fortune will keep me about two months, and allow me a new suit of clothes, I suppose, to be made happy in. When, Kathie—when—when—when?'

'Gaston, I don't know. It is so horribly sudden. Good Heavens! only two months! One can't prepare.'

'Oh, yes, one can. Import the *trousseau* from London or Paris. They'll send you on the thousand and one thing brides seem to require in a week. Be rational, Kathie; that object overruled. Name the next.'

'It is easily named. Papa will never consent.'

'Ah, now you have come to the hitch in the matter. I think it isvery likely the ancient warrior may put in his veto. But it is for you to over rule that. You're not the bright, clever little darling I give you credit for if you can't do it easily. In the bright lexicon of youth, you know, there is no such word as fail. You can do it, and you've got to do it your self, by Jove! I faced the music once, and I'd rather keep my countance averted from the melody for the future. He does the heavy father to perfection, and I never had a taste for private theatricals. Suppose I spare your blushes, and fix the day myself? Suppose I select New Year's eve? We couldn't wind up the old year in a jollier manner than by being married and enjoying ourselves in Paris for the rest of the winter. Come now, my darling, don't object. Bring the noble baronet round to reason, and make your Gaston the happiest man on this reeling globe on New Year's eve. Quick—oh, hang him! Here comes De Vere. Quick, Kathie; yes or no?'

'Yes.'

She had just time to flutter forth that one little word when the Captain of the Plungers Purple rode up on his gray charger to solict the second waltz at the ball that night.

'I used to write my name first on your list, Miss Dangerfield,' the capt. said, plaintively, 'but all that's over now,' with a glance at Dantree; 'and I must be resigned to my fate of second fidle.' Twas ever thus, etc. I trust hunting in this damp air has not impaired your voice for 'The Wine Cup is Sparkling,' Mr. Dantree?

They rode on to Langton Royals together—Katherine unusually silent She glanced furtively now and then at her two cavaliers. How much the handsome her loyer was. Such easy, negligent grace of manner; how well he talked; how well he sang; what a contrast Randolf Cromie Algernon De Vere, riding beside him, was, with his heavy, florid British complexion, his ginger whiskers, his sleepy blue eyes, and his English army drawl. He was the son of her dead peer, and the brother of a live one; but his nose was a pug, and his hand and feet were large and he had never thought, or said, or done a clever thing in his life.

'And papa wanted me to mary him!' Miss Dangerfield thought, with unutterable contempt; 'after seeing Gaston too! How impatient he is to have our wedding day fixed how he seemed to dread losing me. And people call him mercenary and a fortune-hunter. I shall speak to papa to-morrow, and he shall consent.'

The hunting party dined at Langton Royals. Miss Dangerfield's French maid had come over from Scarswood with her young lady's ball toilet, and when Mr. Dantree entered the brilliantly lighted ball-room and took a critical survey of his affianced wife, he was forced to confess that great happiness made the dark, sallow heiress of Scarswood very nearly handsome. She wore white—was she not a heroine and a bride elect?—a floating filmy robe of misty white, a crown of dark-green ivy leaves on her bright chestnut floating hair—all atwinkle with diamond dewdrops—her white shoulders rose exquisitely out of the foamy lace—her great, brilliant eyes had a streaming light, a faint flush kindled her dusk cheeks

'Have you noticed the little Dangerfield, Talbot?' Captain De Vere remarked to his friend, the squire of Morecambe. 'She's in great feather to-night, growing positively good looking, you know. See how she smiles on that shrewd little fellow, Dantree. Why can't we all be born with Grecian profiles and tenor voices? Seems a pity too she should be thrown away on a cad like that, such a trump of a girl as she is, and such a waltzer. Look at her now floating away with him. Clearest case of spoons I ever saw in my life.

Captain De Vere leaned against a pillar, pulled his leonine moustache, and watched Miss Dangerfield and her lover circling down the long room with gloomy eyes. It would have been contrary to all the principles of his life to fall in love—it was the proud boast of the Plungers that they never were guilty of that weakness, but still—oh, hang it all. Why couldn't that fellow keep his confoundedly handsome face and diabolically musical voice for transatlantic heiresses, and not come poaching on British manor? Why couldn't he marry a Yankee wife, who talked through her nose, and whose father had amassed a fortune selling groceries, and not mix the best blood in Sussex with the plebian puddle in his veins? Why couldn't she keep true to her order? Why didn't Sir John kick the fellow down-stairs when he had the audacity to demand his daughter's hand? Sir John the proudest old martinet in the army. A fine precedent to be set to the daughters of the county gentry—the son of a Yankee butcher or blacksmith lording it in Scarswood and taking his place among the patricians of Sussex, with the best blood in England in their veins, and an ancestry that ran back to the Conquest and Norman William.

'And the cad's a scoundrel, besides,' the captain thought, glowing with human ferocity; 'vain as a woman of his pretty face and voice, with no more affection for that sentimental, hero-worshipping little girl of seventeen than I have—not half so much, by George. She'll marry him and come to grief—the worst—mark my words.

The first waltz ended, the captain's turn came. The unusual exertion of thinking had fatigued the young officer's intellect; the physical exertion of waltzing with Miss Dangerfield would counteract it. And Miss Dangerfield was such a capital dancer, such a jolly little girl every way you took her. How she laughed, how she talked, what a clear, sweet, fresh, young voice she had, how bright were her eyes, how luxurious her brown, waving hair —not pretty, you know, like half the other girls in the room, with waxwork faces and china blue eyes, but twice as attractive as the prettiest of them—one of those girls whom men look after on the street, and ask their names—a siren with a sallow complexion and eyes of starry lustre.

'She's got brains, and the rest have beauty—I suppose that's about it—and beauty and brains never travel in company. She is far the cleverest little girl of my acquaintance, and if you notice it's always your clever women who marry good-looking fools. Egad! I wish I had proposed for her myself. Marriage is an institution I'm opposed to on principle. "Britons never shall be slaves," and so forth—and what's your married man but the most abjeect of slaves? I believe I've been in love with her all along and never knew it. "How blessings brighten as they take their flight." When I could have her I didn't want her; when a can't have her, I do.'

'Oh!' Katherine sighed, in ecstacy that was a delicious waltz. I was to be a ballet dancer, I believe—I could keep on for ever. Captain De Vere, you're the first heavy dragoon I ever knew who didn't disgrace himsel and partner when he attempted a round dance. Is that Mr. Dantree singing in the music-room? Yes, it is; and you have a soul attuned to the magic of sweet sounds—don't say no; I'm sure you have—so have I; come!'

Yes, Mr. Dantree was singing; that is what he was there for; his voice for the past ten years had been the open sesame that threw wide the most aristocratic circles, where he had never set foot. A little group of music lovers were around him, drinking in the melody of that most charming voice. Mr. Dantree was in his element—he always was when suorounded by an admiring crowd. This song was a Tyrolean warble, and the singer looked more like a nangel than ever, in a white waistcoat and tail coat.

'May Old Nick fly away with him!' growled Captain De Vere, inwardly, 'and his classic countenance, and Mario voice! What a blessing to society if he became a victim to small pox or chronic bronchitis! It's no wonder, after all, that little Kathie, a beauty-worshipper by nature, is infatuated. Well, my dear man, what is it?'

For a six-foot footman, in plush and knee breeches, had appeared suddenly and stood bowing before them.

'I beg your pardon, captain—it's Miss Dangerfield's maid as wishes to speak to Miss Dangerfield for an hinstant, hif hagreeable.'

'Ninon!' said Katherine—'what does she want?—where is she? Oh, I see her! Excuse me a moment, Captain De Vere?'

The French maid was standing just outside the door of the music-room, holding a small white parcel in her hand.

'Well, child,' her mistress said impatiently—the little French girl was five years her senior—'what do you want?'

'It's this parcel, mademoiselle; John Thomas found it on the floor of the gentlemen's cloak room, and he thinks it belongs to Mr. Dantree.'

'Indeed! But why does John Thomas think so?'

'Because mademoiselle, it is addressed to New Orleans, Will mademoiselle please take it and look?

Katherine took the little white package and looked at the address. Yes, beyond doubt, it was Gaston's hand:

'MLL MARIE DE LANSAC,
"Rue de———,
"New Orleans."

There was a moment's pause. The girl stood expectant—the young lady stood holding the package in her hand, looking strangely at the address. It was Gaston's writing, no doubt at all about that; and who was 'Mlle. Marie De Lansac,' of New Orleans, and what did this package contain? Letters, surely—and this hard cardlike substance, a photograph, no doubt. Mr. Dantree had told her his whole history, as she supposed, but no chapter headed "Marie De Lansac" had appeared. And as Katherine stood and looked, her lips set themselves in a rigid line, and a light not usually there nor pleasant to see, came into her gray eyes—the green light of jealousy.

'This package belongs to Mr. Dantree, Ninon; John Thomas was quite right. Here, tell him to—or no,' abrubtly, 'I'll give it to Mr. Dantree myself.'

The package was small, and her hand closed firmly over it, as she walked back to the music-room. Mr. Dantree had just finished his Tyrelean chorus, and was smiling and graciously receiving compliments. He made his way to Katherine's side and drew her hand within his arm, as one who had a right.

'My dear child,' he said, 'what has happened now? why, oh why, that face of owl-like solemnity? What's gone wrong?'

The large, crystal-clear, honest gray eyes were fixed on his face keenly.

'Yes, my love,' he said, 'what is it?'

'Gaston!' abruptly and with energy, 'did you ever tell a lie?'

'Hundreds, my darling,' responded Mr. Dantree, with promptitude; 'thousands, millions, and likely to do so again. What an absurd question! Did I ever tell a lie? It sounds like the catechism. As if any man or woman lived that *didnt* tell lies!'

'Speak for yourself,' the girl said, coldly; 'I don't, and I can't conceive of any man or woman of honor doing so. You see Captain De Vere there?'

'I'm thankful to say I do not at this moment—military puppy!'

'Military puppy he may be—falsehood teller, I know he is not; he is incapable of falsehood, dishonour or deceit.'

'Like the hero of a woman's novel, in short,' sneered Gaston Dantree, 'without fear and without reproach. My dear child, men and women who never tell lies exist in books 'written with a purpose,' and nowhere else. But what are you driving at, my severe little counsel for the prosecution? Let's have it without further preface.'

You shall, Mr. Dantree. Who is Marie De Lansac?'

Mr. Dantree was pastmaster of the polite art of dissimulation; no young duke born to the strawberry leaf coronet could be more unaffectedly *nonchalant* than he. His handsome olive face was a mask that never betrayed him. And now, with a start so slight as to be scarcely perceptible, with so faint a paling of the dark face that she failed to see it, he turned to her, calm and cool as ever.

'Marie De Lansac? Well, I know a young lady of that name in New Orleans. Who is she, you ask? She's grand-daughter of a French gentleman of that city, and I gave her singing lessons once upon a time. My dear little Kathie, don't annihilate me with those flashing gray eyes of yours. There isn't any harm in that, is there? There's no need of the green-eyed monster showing his obnoxious claws.'

He met her suspicious gaze full, and discovered for the first what an intensely proud and jealous nature he had to deal with. He was chill with undefined fear, but he smiled down in her face now with eyes as clear and innocent as the eyes of a child.

'Is this all? she asked, slowly; 'or is it one of the many lies you find it so necessary to tell?'

'On my honor, no; it is the truth; as if I could speak anything else to you. But how, in Heaven's name, Kathie, did you ever hear of Marie De Lansac?'

She did not reply; she still held the package; she still looked at him distrustfully.

'You gave her singing lessons, this Miss De Lansac?' slowly. 'She is young, I suppose?'

'She is.'

'Handsome, no doubt?'

'Well, yes, she's handsome—not the style I admire, though.'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

HUMBUGGED AGAIN.—I saw so much said about the merits of Hop Bitters, and my wife who was always doctoring, and never well, teased me so urgently to get her some I concluded to be humbugged again; and I am glad I did, for in less than two months use of the Bitters my wife was cured and remained so for eighteen months since. I like such humbugging.—H. T., St. Paul.—*Pioneer Press.*

A scholar who had "been over to the map of Asia,' was reviewed by his teacher, with the following result?

Teacher—"What is geography?,,
Scholar—"A big book.'
Teacher—"What is the earth composed of?'
Scholar—"Mud.'
Teacher—"No; land and water.'
Scholar—"Well, that makes mud, don't it?'
Teacher—"What is the shape of the earth?'
Scholar—"Flat.'
Teacher—"You know better! If I should dig a hole through the earth, where would I come out?'
Scholar—"Out of the hole.'

Maiden lady quotation slightly altered from an old aphorism. "Where singleness is bliss, 'tis folly to be wives.

HUMOROUS.

An old maid, not attractive, recently read in a temperance lodge an original poem entitled, "the lips that touch liquor shall never touch mine," and the young men present gave her three cheers.

The female editor of the Chicago Signal, with all the characteristic inquisitiveness of temperance, says she has lifted the cover off the pails of hundreds of country people in order to satisfy herself that no champagne or beer was hidden away in their recesses. It is a pity none of the owners of the pails shut the covers on her porboscis for her impudence.

"Lay off your overcoat or you won't feel it when you go out,' said the landlord of a Western inn to a guest who was sitting by the fire. "That's what I'm afraid of,' returned the man. "The last time I was here I laid off my overcoat. I didn't feel it when I went out and I havn't felt it since.'

"I can't hold this baby any longer,' called out the young husband father; "Pshaw Edward,' replied a muffled voice from the other side of the room; "You used to hold me for hours and never complain, and baby is but a feather compared to what I was.' "I was a fool!' said Edward. And she was too sleepy to dispute with him.

An old Irish soldier who prided himself upon his bravery, said he had fought in the battle of "Bull Run.' When asked if he retreated and made his escape as others did on the occasion, replied, "Be jabers, those that didn't run are there yit!'

"If I am not home from the party to-night at ten o'clock,' said a husband to his better and bigger half, 'don't wait for me.' "That I won't," replied the lady significantly. 'I won't wait, but I'll come for you.' The gentleman returned at ten precisely.

"You have been in swimming again, you rascal. Don't lie; I see your wet hair and your shirt turned wrong side out.' "There's no danger, mother, I can always touch bottom.' "So can I.' Mother grasps slipper. Tableau.

"I'm a very sick man,' observed the tramp languidly, as he anchored himself at a restaurant table. "The doctor says I must have strengthening food, give me something with plenty of iron in it." The waiter shaded the corners of his mouth with his hands and then bellowed in stentorian tones: 'One keg of nails!'

At Lewiston, Ill., a temperance detective persuaded William Standard to procure from the drug store of his son a small quantity of whiskey. When the old gentleman learned the object of the purchase, he dropped dead with excitement.

A WOMAN IN HIS ROOM.

"One day,' remarked Mr. Wilson, of the Girard Hotel, Philadelphia, "a fellow came into the hotel and said: I want a room.' He was in a great hurry, and I thought something was the matter. He wrote his name in the register and said he wanted to go up right away. I called a bell boy, but, instead of going up the front stairs, he slipped around back, met a lady, and took her up with him, Soon the boy returned and told me the man had a woman in his room. I sent for him quickly.

"'What are you doing with a woman in your room?'

"'Nothing; I only took her up there to wait,' the fellow replied, trembling all the time like a criminal.

"'Is she your sister?'

"'No.'

"'Mother?'

"'No.'

"'Daughter?'

"'No.'

"'It is against the rules of the house, Sir, to permit such conduct, and unless the lady is your wife she cannot stay in the room with you,' I said sharply.

"But—but—' was all the fellow could say, and he caught nervously at the desk in his fright.

"In an instant it dawned on me what was the matter,' said Mr. Wilson, "and I called the fellow to one side and whispered in his ear: 'You come to town to get married, didn't you?'

"Yes—yes,' he replied eagerly.

"Well, now, you can confide in me and I'll help you,' I replied.'

"You see I never was married before, and I don't know anything about it,' the fellow said: 'and I do wish you'd get somebody to tie the knot. That's my gal up stairs, and she's a-waitin' for me.'

"All right,' I replied; 'I'll fix you.'

"Magistrate List was sent for, and he put them through in double quick time. They paid for the room and then went off up Chestnut street to hunt a confectionary store.

PAYING PHYSICIANS.

It is the custom of the Chinese to pay their physicians when they are well and stop their supplies when they are sick. A London dust contractor some time since tride the Chinese plan. In his will be bequeathed $2,000 to his doctor, the legacy to be paid on condition that the testator lived two years after making the will; if he lived four years the sum was to be increased to $3,000 As the dust man, however, died within a week from the manufacture of the testament the doctor got nothing, though his patient left a personality of £120,000, to say nothing of the reality. London *Truth* says that this plan was successful in the case of the late Duke of Queensbury. He paid two physicians a certain sum per week for keeping him alive and in his senses. He died at 85 from a sufeit of fresh fruit, which the physicians must have looked upon as a gross if not a leagally actionable fraud upon themselves. This is the old Duke who thus wrote to George Augustus Selvin, Bishop of Lichfield, a principal of Eton, and a scholar of St. John's College, Cambridge, who was the first Bishop of New Zealand, and who is a man of varied acquirements and solid parts: "This is just the house which you would wish to be in. There is an excellent library, a good parson, the best French and English cookery you ever tasted, old wine strong coffee, and half-crown whist."
—*Chicago News.*

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GOING NORTH.

Toronto,—Union Station, Dep.	7:30 a.m.	12:30 p.m.	5.00 p.m.
Carlton	7.52 a.m.	12.45 p.m.	5.20 p.m.
Weston	8.05 a.m.	1.00 p.m.	5.30 p.m.
Humber Sum't	8.30 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	5.50 p.m.
Woodbridge	8.45 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	6.05 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	2.13 p.m.	6.24 p.m.
Bolton	9.25 a.m.	2.37 p.m.	6.48 p.m.
Mono Road	9.50 a.m.	3.05 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Charleston	10.35 a.m.	3.50 p.m.	7.50 p.m.
Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25 p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Pricev'e	1.55 p.m.	7.25 p.m.	
Markdale	2.15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2.50 p.m.	8.16 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9.16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4.00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3.10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.30 p.m.	
Shelburne	10.15 a.m.	4.15 p.m.	
Laurel	10.47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arr.	11:15 a.m.	5:20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11.35 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11.55 a.m.	6.00 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6.18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12.47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8.45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7.33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1.50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sum't	9.40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2.27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2.39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
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THE STANDARD.

Friday, Nov. 25th, 1881.

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DAILIES.

Toronto Daily Globe, per year,	$7.00
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Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.50
" Mail "	1.00
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	1.50

NEWS NOTES.

We must apologize to our readers this week for the small amount of reading matter this week. What with moving to our new premises, and the press of work, we were unable to [illegible] sufficient time to get out the paper in its usual shape.

An attempt was made to shoot Guiteau on Saturday last, a horseman approached the prison-van in which he was conveyed from the court house to the gaol and fired into it, slightly [illegible] the prisoners wrist.

A meeting of clergymen and others interested in the suppression of the "Social Evil," which is said to be largely on the increase, was held in Toronto on Friday of last week. Although representatives of the press had been invited to attend, it was decided, after the meeting was convened to exclude the reporters, as many of those present did not wish what they had to say to appear in the papers; accordingly the reporters withdrew. It appears, however, they had a spy in the camp, one Rev. E. Ransford, said to be an Episcopal minister, who took notes and furnished a full report to the Globe. The rest of those participating in the meeting are highly indignant at this piece of treachery, and who can blame them.

A serious fire occured in Brockville on the 19th inst., destroying a vast amount of property. Mr. Allen Turner [illegible] died from excitement and exhaustion during the fire.

The first Locomotive over the Bay of Quinte Railway, arrived at Deseronto, (late mile Point,) on the 21st inst. It is expected the road will be opened for traffic in the course of a week or ten days.

Toronto City Council have decided to have nothing to do with the Provincial Exhibition next Fall.

The man who attempted to shoot Guitteau has been arrested and liberated on bail, and his case indefinetely postponed.

The Bishop of Manchester, in sermon the other day, stated he had his doubts as to the benefits from Moody & Sankey's revival meetings, as he thought hollering glory Hallelujah was not all that was necessary to save a man.

Smallpox has broken out in several places simultaneously in the North-western States, particulary in Minnesota and Iowa. It is causing considerable alarm among the inhibatants of the unfected localities.

Immense destruction is being done in central Illinois from floods.

The first Beet Sugar factory in Canada was opened at Coaticooke, Quebec, on Monday of this week.

There were nearly fourteen hundred delegates present at the Conservative convention held in Toronto on Tuesday last.

It is stated in the *Mail* that Lord Lorne, accompanied by H, R. H. Prince Louise will sail for Canada about Jan. 12th.

From what Sir John McDonald stated in his speech at the conservative convention, it is not probable that the general election will be held before 1883.

A Chandiere woman a short time ago undertook to kill a calf. She laid the animal on a saw-horse, and, with the assistance of her daughter, cut the young bovine's head off with a saw.

OUR TABLE.

The "New Northwest" a monthly paper, quarto form, and printed in Philadelphia, is to hand. It professes to be published in the interest of Railroad investments, land and settlement From the cursory glance we were enabled to give it, it appears to be merely a huge advertising Scheme to advance the interest of the Northern Pacific Railway,

"Zion's Day Star," a monthly Journal, A D. Jones Editor and publisher 1,159 Broadway New York. It is devoted to no particular sect, but advocates the advancement of christianity in general. Price 50 cents per annum.

"Fated to be Married."—A tale by May Agness Fleming: Toronto News Company, publishers. This is a very interesting story, as are all the writings of the above author: to be had of all news dealers. Price 15 cents.

Vennor's Almanac, for 1881, is to hand, besides the predictions of the weather for the next twelve months, it contains a vast amount of useful information. Price 25 cents.

THE EXAMINATION FRAUDS.

The examination, by Dr. Hodgins, Deputy Minister of Education, into the irregularities in connection with the Intermediate Examinations, which has been going on at Owen Sound for the past two weeks, was brought to a close on the 22nd inst. To give a detailed account of the proceedings would occupy more space than we have at our disposal; suffice it to say, that the result has proved that these examinations have been conducted, for some time past, in a very loose and unsatisfactory manner. It was proved that the examination papers had been tampered with; that bogus papers had been substituted for the original ones, and various other irregularities. We give below Dr. Hodgin's remarks at the close of the trial, which we copy from the Toronto *Mail*:—

"Dr. Hodgins,—In closing the enquiry, the most painful part of this painful case were the revelations which had been made of violations of honor on the part of the pupils concerned.—He then enumerated several points which the evidence had established, among them being that the answers of the candidates in 1877 and 1881 had not been properly secured, and that reasonable care had not been exercised in obtaining for them places of temporary deposit, the safety of which was unquestioned; that access had been fraudulently obtained to these papers in the years named in the absense of a proper sense of personal responsibility in the absolute security of these answers; that fraudulent access has been had the answers of the candidates of the intermepiate examination of 1881, and the result has been the extensive abstraction of some papers and the substitution of others in the mathematical group; that there is a remarkable coincidence in a considerable portion of the subject matter of instruction given to the Lantin class on Thursday and Friday of the examination week and the printed questions on which the candidates were examined on the Saturday of that week; that the copying of notes, prompting of each other, surreptitious passing of papers, and other irregularities among the candidates were indulged in by a considerable number of them, only a few of them were detected and punished; that at least two persons were dismissed for improper practices at the examination were, one within the year, and the other within three months, reported as having been awarded third class certificates; that the practice of copying from notes, prompting each other, and passing papers by so many pupils in high and public schools as brought out in the official erquiries of 1877 rnd 1881 has caused feelings of grave apprehension for the future of these pupils; this exhibition of dishonesty is especially to be deplored in the case of such of them as have aspired to the honorrble profession of teaching.

REMOVALS.

The STANDARD office has been removed from Hill's block to the new office erected this fall, on Mill street.

Wilcox removes from his late stand to the shop lately occupied as a Bark by Wm. Lucas & Co.

Thos. Mullarky has moved his cooper shop to the building formerly used as a pump factory by H. McLaughlin, on Mill street.

IN MEMORIAM.

We have this week to chronicle the death of one of Upper Canada's (Ontario) early pioneers, a race that are now fast passing away to "that bourne from whence no traveller returns."—Most of our readers are only too familiar with the trials incident to pioneer life; but in the days to which we refer there was no frontier settlement from which to draw supplies, nor obtaint remunerative wages for their labor during the harvest season, as was the case in our own early settlement. The pioneers to which we refer were the men who moulded our present laws, and laid the foundation-stone of the monumental greatness of our Dominion; and we trust their memory will be long remembered by an appreciative public.

MAURICE WURTS, the subject of this sketch, was born in the State of New Jersey, in the year 1798, and in the year 1802, his parents removed to Upper Canada; but whether voluntarily, or by reason of the confiscation of their property by the American Government—a custom cruelly practiced by the Americans of that day—we have no means of ascertaining. They landed at Little York (Toronto), and settled in the vicinity of what is now Markham Village; and they, in common with all other United Empire Loyalists, received grants of land from the British Government. When quite a young man he married a daughter of Christian Warren, Esq., long a Justice of the Peace in Niagara, also one of the noble U. E; Loyalists, and settled in the township of Chingacousey, County of Peel, and was the first man who drove a waggon team west of the point were Streetsville now stands. His wife preceded him to the "long, long home" three years ago; and since that time the subject of this memoir has resided with his son, Joel Wurtz, Esq., at Lockport Farm, in the Tyrone neighborhood, Artemesia, where he passed peacefully away "to the better land" on the 23rd ult., deeply regretted by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. May his ashes rest in peace.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

The following is the address presented to Mr. Eaton upon his departure from Markdale, and his reply thereto:

A. W. Eaton, Esq

DEAR SIR,—We have learned with regret that you are about to leave our Village, to reside in another section of the country; therefore, we embrace this opportunity of presenting you with this token of the respect and esteem in which you are held by the people of Markdale.

Your generous disposition, gentlemanly conduct, and estimable social qualities, have endeared you to us by ties of affection that will not readily be severed.

Wherever you may locate, or in whatever line of life you may be engaged, rest assured you shall always carry with you our best wishes for your prosperity and welfare.

Please accept the accompanying purse, not esteeming its intrinsic value as worthy of consideration, but only the friendly spirit which prompted the gift; and believe us ever, yours truly, T. S. SPROULE, T. MULLARKY, JOHN WELSH, T. HILL, on behalf of the others.

To T. S. Sproul, T. Mullarky, John Welsh, T. Hill, et al:

GENTLEMEN,—This sudden and unexpected compliment, with your presence, has so taken me by surprise, that I am at a loss to find language sufficiently expressive to convey to you my heartfelt thanks for this kindly expression of your friendship and generosity.

Associated as I have been with you for many years, in the pursuits and engagements of life, and endeared to you by the very strongest ties of affection, at this juncture, I find it impossible to sever my connection with you without experiencing the deepest feelings of regret.

The friendly sentiments contained in your complimentary and sympathetic address, shall ever be remembered by me with pride and pleasure, as significant of the estimable friends I have left behind in Markdale. For it, and your generous gift, accept my most sincere thanks, and believe, me gentlemen, to remain, ever yours truly,

A. W. EATON.

OSPREY.

From a Correspondent.

Osprey seems pretty quiet just now, not even a wedding for people to gossip about, but we are looking for better times as the winter has evidently arrived.

People in this section seem unanimous in wishing for more snow. Fall plowing is much further advanced this season than any previous year.

On Thursday last the infant son of Mr. W. Hopper, 9th con. Artemesia, got his arm badly injured while playing, but under proper treatment is likely to recover.

The semi-annual meeting of the Presbyterian Congregation, Feversham was held in the church on the 10th inst., when general business was transacted, and the congregation found to be in a good financial condition.

Ordination of Elders took place in the McIntyre church on the 19th, there was a good attendance.

We had the pleasure of seeing a copy of the Flesherton *Advance* last week. Pity to see people so jealous, envying those two gentlemen at the Station the pleasure of each other's company, and the music they enjoy in leisure hours. Pity on the small boys if they stand with open mouth this weather. Diphtheria or some unpleasant consequences will be the result.

LYNCH LAW IN OHIO.

When mulatto Davis was lynched at Athens, Ohio, on the 22nd inst., for outraging an old white lady, he was taken to a bridge with a rope around his neck. He was asked to confess. He inquired what would be done with him if he confessed. The mob told him that he would be taken back to the goal to be delt with by the law. He hesitated, and again asked if they would not hang him if he confessed. Being assured that they would not, he said, "I'm the man." At this there was an instant cry of "throw him off." The other end of the rope was made fast to the bridge, and they gave him three minutes in which to pray, but he did not attempt to pray. He said he was ready to die when the time expired. He was hurled off the bridge, and his neck was broken by the fall.

TYRONE ITEMS.

From our Correspondent.

We have just got our season's crop into the granary, and the yield is very satisfactory, being better than we have had for some years past.

Game is plentiful, and hares, rabbits, and partridges furnish abundant employment for the sportsman; and if you could pay us a visit, we promise you a good day's sport and a hearty welcome; and if you desire larger game than the above, deer are to be found in large numbers, and bears are more plentiful than we could wish.

Mr. John Sauders, of your locality, has been in this good neighborhood of Tyrone during the past seven weeks, and has given the entire community the most successful "threshing" ever inflicted upon an unoffending people. We intend to get him to repeat the dose this time next year, for the people all are highly pleased with his style of doing it—it was our grain he threshed.

There is a very general feeling that a change should be made in the personnel of some of the members of our Township Council. Webster stands well with the ratepayers, as an independent pains-taking man, and as Ward No. 1 immediately adjoins us, we have a good opportunity of ascertaining the opinion of his constituents, there is not much likelihood of opposition to his re election. There are, no doubt, other good men in the Council, but we are unacquainted with their management of the affairs of the respective Wards they represent.

In your next issue give us the latest weather predictions for the coming winter,

And oblige

MANY TYRONIANS.

MELANCHTON COUNCIL.

The council met at the Town Hall on Monday, 7th Nov., pursuant to adjournment. Members present—Jas. Huxtable, Esq., Reeve, Chas. McDowell, Esq., Deputy Reeve, Messrs. Bailey, Hogg, and Corbett, Councillors. The Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. A communication from Mr. August was presented and read. A petition from David Martin was presented and read.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that in regard to the petition of David Martin and others praying for the establishment of a new polling sub-division at River View, the council consider that the change would be judicious, but it is too late this year as the Voters Lists are made out and cannot be changed.

Mr. McDowell moved seconded by Mr. Bailey, that in regard to the road job of Wm. Gant, let by Mr. August, in 1877, this council is willing to pay for said job if the work is done, but have no statement or specifications of said work.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that John McGhee and H. Pollet be accepted as sureties for Bowley Arnold collector of rates, also that Joseph Neathercut, Skeffington Bell, and Wm. Neathercut be accepted as sureties on behalf of Samuel McDowell, collector of rates for the year 1881.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that Mr. Oldfield's bill for moving crossway and clearing out the 250 sideroad, amounting to $16, be paid, and the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried.

Mr. Corbett moved, seconded by Mr. McDowell, that the undersigned persons receive the amounts opposite their respective names, for roadwork performed and certified to by the Commissioners:—Wm. Sye, $9; G. Snell, $4.20; J. McDougall, $37.65; W. McCosh, $23; Wm. Lavboume, $4; G. Wild, $25; J. Curren, $15; Samuel Pound, $20; special or town line between Melanchton and Amaranth, $92.31; T. Oldfield, $22; S. Broughton, $12; J. Rimdell, $12; J. Bowler, $3; John Hogg, Commissioner, 10 days at $1.25, $12.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that whereas Wm. White is desirous of procuring a tavern license on lot 8, on the 9th Con. S. W., it is resolved that a reduction of $20 be made by this council on said license, in consequence of half the license year having expired.

Mr. Corbett moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that in regard to the drain affecting George Scott, we would recommend that he get it run, and if same is not parallel with drain, and contractor's certificate to his willingness to the shifting of same by our Engineer, (Scott paying any additional expenses necessary thereby), that the Engineer proceed at once to re-locate the drain to suit parties interested.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that whereas the townline between the townships of Mulmur and Melancthon north of the sideroad is impassable, and the township of Mulmur has granted the sum of $50 to open said road on condition that the council of Melancthon grant a like amount, it is resolved that this council supplement the said grant, and Mr. Baily be appointed to let and inspect the same.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Mr. Corbett, that By-law No. 79 to ratify the settlement between the County of Grey and the township of Melancthon be read a third time, be signed, sealed, and engrossed on the By-law book.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that By-law No. 80 for the appointment of Deputy Returning Officers for the year 1882 be read a first and second time.—Carried.

Mr. Hogg moved, seconded by Mr. Bailey, that By-law No. 80 be now read a third time and passed, be signed, sealed and engrossed in the By-law book.—Carried.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that the Clerk be paid $4, and the Reeve and Assessor, $3 each, for selecting jurors for the year 1882, and that the Reeve issue an order in accordance therewith.—Carried.

Mr. McDowell moved, seconded by Mr. Corbett, that By-law No. 81 to establish deviation of road on lot 25, 7th concession S. W., be read a first and and second time.—Carried.

Mr. Corbett moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that By law 81 for the establishment of deviation of road now read a first and second time, be now read a third time, and signed, sealed, and engrossed in the By-law book.—Carried.

Mr. Bailey moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that this council do now adjourn to meet again on Monday, the 21st inst.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

The first volume of the census returns is almost completed, and will shortly be put in the hands of the printer, and will probably be ready for distribution when Parliament meets. It will embrace all facts and figures relating to the census proper, that is to say, the population, nationalities, origin, ages, condition, etc., of the people from one end of the Dominion to the other. The work is being carried on under Dr. Tache, Deputy Minister of Agriculture, with the utmost care and attention to details, and will no doubt prove a valuable and interesting addition to our official literature.

BIRTH.

HERON—In Artemesia, the wife of Mr. John Heron of a son.

MARRIED.

MUNSHAW—SMITH—At the residence of Mr. Simon McCollam, Meaford Road, Artemesia, by Rev. A. Wilson, on the 23rd inst., Mr. P. M. Munshaw to Miss H. J. Smith, both of Artemesia Township.

EDWARDS—CONNOR—On the 14th inst., at the Methodist Parsonage, Markdale, by Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. Walter H. Edwards, Artemesia, to Miss Rebecca Connor, of Glenelg.

SPLAN—SARGENT.—At Holland Centre, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. Geo. Keys, Rural Dean of Grey, Mr. Thos. Splan, of the Township of Toronto Gore, to Miss. Mary Ann Sargent, eldest daughter of John Sargent, Esq., of the Township of Holland.

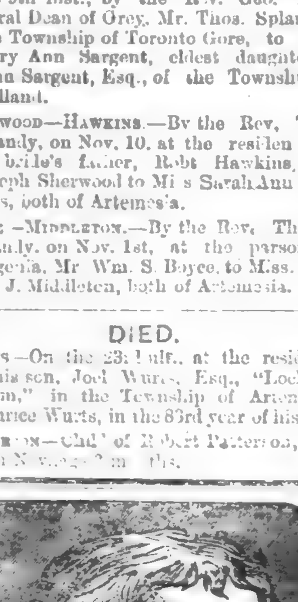
SHERWOOD—HAWKINS.—By the Rev. Thos. Grandy, on Nov. 10, at the residence of the bride's father, Robt Hawkins, Mr. Joseph Sherwood to Miss Sarah Ann Hawkins, both of Artemesia.

BOYCE—MIDDLETON.—By the Rev. Thomas Grandy, on Nov. 1st, at the parsonage, Eugenia, Mr. Wm. S. Boyce, to Miss. Harriet J. Middleton, both of Artemesia.

DIED.

WURTS—On the 23rd ult., at the residence of his son, Joel Wurts, Esq., "Lockport Farm," in the Township of Artemesia, Maurice Wurts, in the 83rd year of his age.

PATTERSON—Child of Robert Patterson, died 17th Nov. [illegible]



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It acts gently and speedily in Billiousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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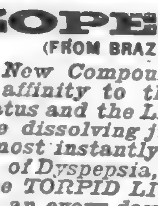

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Fashion Plates!

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Satisfaction Guaranteed

Remember the Place

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D. M'FARLAND

BLACKSMITH,

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Begs to announce to the public that he has leased Richardson's Blacksmith Shop and will carry on the Horse-shoeing business, together with general jobbing. He will treat all kinds of diseases of the foot, such as

CORNS, AND CONTRACTIONS,

Quarter Cracks, Toe Cracks, Interfering, &c. Having a good reputation in this part of the country as a first-class Horse-shoer, he can guarantee satisfaction. A fair trial is respectfully solicited.

D. McFARLAND.

Markdale, Nov. 23rd, 1881. 63-ly.

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MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

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Beg to announce that they have commenced work in Markdale as Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders, &c., and from their knowledge of the requirements of the trade in Markdale and surrounding country, hope, by moderate prices, strict attention to business, and promptitude in the execution of orders by the most skillful workmen, to merit a share of public patronage.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

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Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballustor Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

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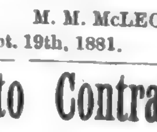

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Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD & CO.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

Notice to Contractors.

AS WE HAVE A LARGE QUANTITY of Saw Logs at our mill this season, we will give contractors a good chance. The logs will be all skidded in the woods. A good shanty and stable also in the woods. Any parties wishing to have a contract of this kind will do well to see us. The distance to haul, about two-and-a-half miles, on a good road.

B. & A. NEILSON, Proton Station.

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FOR SALE.

3 MILCH COWS, 1 STEER RISING four years, partly broke, having been drove in sleigh last winter. Apply to GEORGE IRETON, Lot 92, 2nd Concession West of the T. and S. Road, Glenelg, one mile north of Barrhead Mills. 62-3t

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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881.

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CARRIAGE WORKS!

MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,

Knee-Bobs,

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Democrats,

Square Box,

Portland,

Swell Body,

and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

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Call and Inspect our Work!

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and General Jobbing in every Line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

WANTED.

IMMEDIATELY—A SERVANT GIRL. Apply to

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C. A. OWEN.

Markdale, Nov. 8th, 1881.

Estray Cattle.

STRAYED FROM THE PREMISES of the undersigned, Lot 14, Concession [illegible], Glenelg, five Heifers coming two years old, one red, the others spotted white and [illegible]. Any information concerning their whereabouts will be thankfully received by

THOS. McASEY, Traverston P.O.

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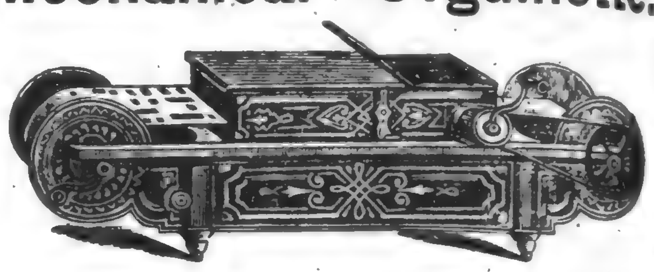
Mechanical Orguinette.



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MANTLES,

READY-MADE CLOTHING

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Glassware!

LAMPS, &c , &c.

The above stock has been purchased for cash at a season when the importers are running off their surplus stock at and under cost to make room for their spring importations, consequently I am in a position to give bargains to those who are able to buy their goods for cash. **Call and see for yourselves and you will be sure to come again.**

HENRY FOSTER

Markdale, November 15th, 1881. 62ly

Removed.

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—TO—

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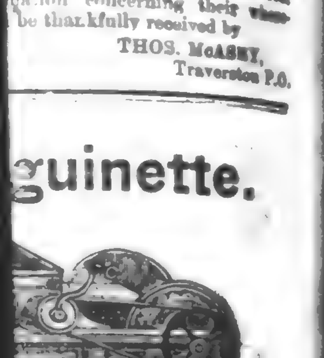

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THE STANDARD.

Friday Nov. 25th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

...s of Winceys and Dress Goods at Fosters.

C. E. Barnhart, of Owen Sound, candidate for Mayor.

...cor the Jeweller has removed to premises lately occupied by the ... and his new shop looks very ... See it.

... say it's the nicest thing I ... for the teeth and breath," ... one having tried 'TEABERRY,' ... let gem. Get a 5ct. sample.

... changing of the gauge on the ... B. is postponed from the 26th ... the 3rd of December.

... conductors on the T., G. & B. ... will appear in uniform when ... gauge takes place. It will be the ... in the history of the road.

...body, no matter who, says that ... should be like roast lamb—ten... sweet, and nicely dressed, ... plenty of fixings, but without ...

...ithstanding the unsatisfactory ... and the bad state of the roads, ... pretty lively. Grain, Beef, ... are brought in for sale in ... quantities.

... Health Department of St. Louis ... earnestly considering the ... Is vaccination a preventive ...? The conclusion arrived ... alternative.

... J. White, Dentist, of Owen ... will be at the Revere Hotel on ... 30th inst. All ye that are ...

... Henry Green, who went to ... some weeks ago has return... weather is very cold over ... thermometer having reach... below zero last week. He likes ... very well.

...le are beginning to find out the ... of Dr. Carson's Stomach ... Constipation Bitters, and they are ... the favorite family medicine ... public for all deran... of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver ... In large bottles, at 50 ... A. Turner & Co., special agent ...

... Conservative Convention for the ... was held in the Markdale ... on Monday last. ... elected 20 delegates to ... in Toronto, which took ... following.

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... company, are sole ... "Castorine" machine ... will be prosecuted, ... this week to give a ... of the Reid Block, but ... calculations, and ... defer it for another ...

... for "Castorine" ... see that the barrel ... as none other ...

... journal... efforts on the ... We could bear ... would only bring the ... with it.

... of snow on Sat... and Monday ... merry jingle of the ... on Wednesday wag... use again.

... Machine Oil, for ... machinery, it is also ex... leather, mak... proof. For ...

... took place as ... last, and was ... prices realized ... sold. Mr. ... and requires a ... those indebted.

... reapers, mowers ... machines, prefer "Cas... oil to any other, it ... seal, or elephant, ... warranted not to gum.

... well and to write are valu... but a good pen ... the one and indispensable ... Those of the Esterbrook ... known and widely ap...

... showing a fine stock of ... for Xmas and New ... Don't forget this.

..., Photographer, has ar... taken up his abode over the ... office. He will be prepared ... business about the 1st of ... Mr. Brown comes to us ... and we believe is ... giving thorough satisfaction ... may patronize him.

—It is commonly said that ... make an honest man be... is black and vice versa, ... have grey hair, by using ... Hair Renewer," will ... apparent difficulty is easi... For sale by all Drug... a bottle.

—The entertainment an... posters, in connection with ... Church proved a success ... and socially. The ... occupied by Rev. Mr. Turn... who after tea opened ... with a suitable ad... programme, consisting of ... Instrumental music, Read... and Dialogues, was ... credit to those who took ... appropriate addresses were giv... Messrs. Eakins and Potter. ... passed off socially in the ... of the word. Special ... due the managers, the ... and Mason, whose un... were instrumental in ... evening to such a pleas... successful issue. The pro... in the neighborhood of $20

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Hagyards pectoral Balsam is one of the most deservedly popular remedies for the cure of coughs, colds, sore throat, asthma, whooping cough, croup, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints. For sale by all dealers.

Mr. Fawcett, of the *Advance*, dropped in on Monday. He was up to attend the Conservative Convention.

Special bargains in Lady's Gold Watches at W. F. Doll's, Flesherton.

IMMENSE

Sales are being made every day by McFarland, every body says he sells more goods than all the other stores put together. His store is always crowded with customers, many have to go away unserved owing to the crush. When in Markdale if you want to see a rushing business call at W. J. McFarland's.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, are rapidly taking the place of all other purgatives, including Pills, Powders, etc. Their action is mild yet effectual and they are a certain cure for all billious complaints. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

Just received a lot of beautiful English Colored Gold Setts, very low, at W. F. Doll's, Flesherton.

Mr. Dan. McFarland, as will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, has leased Richardson's Blacksmith's shop, where he intends to carry on a general jobbing business. Horse shoeing a specialty. Give him a call.

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habitual Constipation, Biliousness, Liver or Kidney Affections, the safest and best remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the great family medicine. They can with perfect safety be given to the youngest child as they are purely vegetable in composition and mild in their action. Sold in large panel bottles at 50 cents A. TURNER & Co. special agents for Markdale.

Moffat Brothers announce in this issue of the STANDARD that they have their Foundry and Machine shop in working order, and are now prepared to furnish anything in their line with promptness and at fair living rates. Read their advertisement and then give them a call, and we feel assured they will give you full satisfaction.

Going to do some trading are you? Well, take my advice and go direct to McFarland's, he is the only merchant in Markdale that imports his goods direct, and consequently can sell cheaper than the rest. His 18 cent Brown, Blue, Myrtle, and Bronze Lustres are very cheap, his winceys are cheap, his Cashmeres are cheap, his Flannels, Shawls, and Mantles are cheap. In fact I can save $1 in every $10 worth I purchase by buying from McFarland.

A REAL NECESSITY.

No house should be without a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or relieved so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure-all, and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercy.

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We will give the STANDARD or HERALD, with any of the following publications for $2, or either of them can be obtained singly at $1. Weekly *Mail*, Weekly *Globe Farmers Advocate* and Canada Farmer. The American Agriculturist in connection with the STANDARD or HERALD $1. Singly, $1.50.

A. O. U. W.—A Lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was organized here on Monday evening last, with a considerable membership, when the following officers were elected:—A. B. Lang, P. M. W.; J. Rutherford, M. W.; D. Morrison, F; W. J. Paterson, O.; G. Gorbet jr., R.; H. Darie, F.; J. McLauchlan, R.; C. Hall, jr., G.; J. W. Redfern, I. W.; C. C. Pearce, O. W:—*O. S. Times*.

Dundalk Lodge, No. 150:—Rev. J. S. Dakin, P. M. W.; J. Deans, M. W.; W. Nelson, F.; W. S. Hewetson, O.; J. Lamon, R.; P. Barclay, F.; T. Hanbury, R.; T. Coughley, G.; G. R. Phillips, I. W.; H. Graham O. W.

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And he will convince you that St. Jacobs Oil is the most wonderful remedy that has ever been brought before the public. Rheumatism of many years standing has yielded immediately to its almost magical influence. As many have expressed it, its action is electrical, seeming to drive the pain before it until all discomfort leaves the body and the warm glow of health and comfort remains. It is a certain cure for neuralgia, giving immediate relief upon the first application, and curing, in a short time, the most inveterate cases.

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There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

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Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

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Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls; terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mar and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' residence.

Orders by Mail promptly attended to.

Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

MARKDALE.

	FRIDAY, Nov. 25th 1881.		
Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.23
Fall do. do.	1.1[illegible]	to	1.23
Barley	0.70	"	[illegible]
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.70	"	0.74
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	6.00	"	6.50
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	2.00
Hay	15.00	"	20.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.12	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.[illegible]5	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.*)

	FRIDAY, Nov 25th. 1881.		
Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.22
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
Barley	0.70	"	0.85
Oats	0.32	"	0.35
Peas	0.65	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.00	"	65.0
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	15.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.20	to	$1.23
" " "	2	1.18	to	1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.23
" " "	2	1.18	to	1.20
" " "	3	1.12	to	1.15
Barley "	2	.70	to	.80
" "	3	.50	to	.60
Peas "	1	.68	to	.73
" "	2	.60	to	.62
Oats "	1	.36	to	.36
Butter "	1	.20	to	.21
Eggs		.12	to	.15

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall. per bush	$1 30	to	$1 38
Wheat, spring, do.	1 35	to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 95	to	1 00
Clover Seed do.	o oo	to	o 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	6 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	o 35	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese. each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 22	to	0 23
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes. per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	1200	to	10 16

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

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A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
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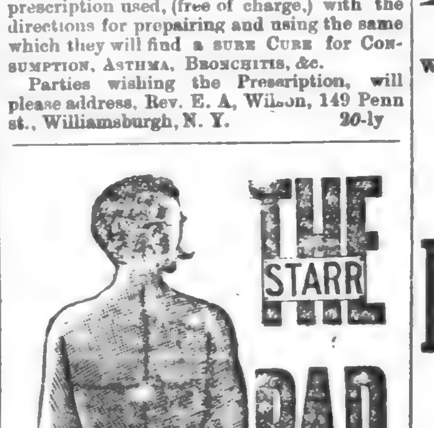
I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly



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Flesherton, November 4th, 1881. 14

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AT LOWEST PRICES.

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DUNDALK, Sept. 2, 1881. 4-ly

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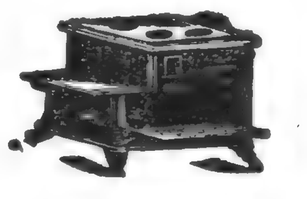

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DUNDALK, Oct. 21, 1881. 1-ly.

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THE BEE HIVE.

LOOK here, John, my dear, we'll deal at TAYLOR'S from this out. I was there yesterday and you can get better value for your money than at any other house in Dundalk. I tell you it is a square place to deal.

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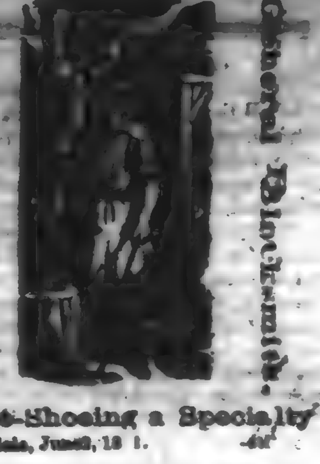
Dundalk, September 2nd 1881. 1-6m



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Markdale, June 2, 1881. 4tf

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Just opened, opposite the drug store, Mill street. Having long experience in the business, we feel confident we can give satisfaction to those favoring us with their orders for

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Horseshoeing, and all kinds of repairing in our line either in wood, iron, painting and trimming neatly and promptly executed. We use nothing but good material and employ first-class practical workmen.

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Markdale, April 6th, 1881. 30-3m

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HOW LOST, HOW RESTORED.

WE have recently published a new edition of **Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay** on the radical and nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage etc., resulting from excesses.

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☞ This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

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will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

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GOOD NATURE.

Of all the virtues and graces, there is none, perhaps, that wears better, is more comforting and comfortable to live along side of, to have in the house with one, than good nature.

Beauty is pleasant to look upon, but fades in a few brief years; and sometimes, even in its full flush and glow, loses its attractiveness, becomes distasteful, if we but discover it to be but a mask covering unlovely traits of character. Energy and thrift and faculty are commendable qualities, and if not combined with a too shrewish or domineering disposition, render their possessor a useful member of society, and a desirable companion on the journey of life. Talent and genius we admire; and cultivated manners are pleasant to meet with; but good-nature, that cheerful and sunny disposition that takes the world at its best—that gives smiles for frowns, and gentle words for harsh and bitter ones—that overlooks wrongs and forgets injuries—who shall give it its full meed of praise?

I have in my minds eye as I write, a little woman who possesses this virtue in an eminent degree—not that idle good-nature that is good-natured because it is too sluggish and easy to take the world in any other fashion; but that good-nature that is made up from a naturally kind disposition, combined with a temper disciplined and under control, a judgment enlarged and a heart rendered charitable to the school of life; and a mind that has learned through observation and experience how far better it is to pass lightly over the ills and misfortunes and even the wrongs that we bear, than to dwell upon, enlarge and make much of them.

Such a person is Mrs.———. Nor is she one of those who, being good themselves, feel themselves called upon to thrust other peoples failings and short-comings in their faces. And yet quite unassuming as her goodness is, one cannot but be better in her presence; as the example is so lovely and bears such excellent fruit, to pattern after it comes as a natural and spontaneous desire.

People go into her house and come away saying, 'What an amiable lady.' 'What sweet and pleasant ways she has!'—though they generally add (it is so hard to give absolute and unstinted praise even when it is due) 'but then it is easy enough for *her* to be good; such pleasant surroundings; such lovely and good tempered children; such a devoted husband!'

Yes, the children are indeed pleasant mannered and amiable. They never see mamma in the sulks, nor with an ugly frown upon her face, or scolding the cook or quarrelling with papa. And what wonder—since they think mamma perfection itself—they should follow in her footsteps and take upon themselves her pretty, gentle ways? Place them under a different guardianship for a few years, and see how they will come out, and whether or no they possess more than ordinary goodness or sweetness of disposition.

Her husband indeed is devoted, and knows that he has a precious jewel in his wife; yet he is far from being perfection, after all; and like many another masculine, when he has an attack of dyspepsia, or business cares weigh upon him is a little irritable and unreasonable; or if plain words are to be used, a trifle, and sometimes more than a trifle cross.

"In the first years of our married life," said Mrs. M. to me one day. "Henry used to be much more fretful and unreasonable than he is now; and I was young, sensative and inexperienced, and would cry my eyes nearly out over every cross word he said to me; I found this didn't mend matters; and when the children began to come I said to myself, what a miserable household I shall have, and how unfitted I shall be to train up my little ones into happy and cheerful men and women that I desire them to be, if I keep on like this. And I made a resolution that I would wear a smile and take things in a cheerful way, let come what would; that let Henry say what he liked to me, I would not mind in the least; that I would take every cross or fault-finding word as if it were not meant—would turn it off as a jest, or at least let it pass lightly as not worth worrying over; and I have held to my resolution ever since. My husband at first scarcely knew what to make of it; but he soon found I was not to be fretted, saddened or put out; and as there was neither opposition to his irritableness nor fuel furnished it, it burned out the sooner; and I think he grew ashamed of his one-sided disagreeableness, for he seldom speaks now in any but an amiable way; and I flatter myself we are about as cheerful and happy a family, take us all in all, as is to be found."

How much better this, than to make much of every hurt and wrong; to brood over and dwell upon it until a mote becomes a mountain.

Try my little friend's practice, weary wife and mother, to whom life seems all up-hill work, with little recompense or gratitude, and see if her plan of "not minding," taking things in a light and cheeful way, does not pour oil upon the troubled waters, and make the sometimes rough and hard-going wheels of domestic machinery run in more easy and comfortable groves.

A WORLD OF GOOD.—One of the most popular medicines now before the American public, is Hop Bitters. You see it every where. People take it with good effect. It builds them up. It is not as pleasant to the taste as some other Bitters as it is not a whiskey drink. It is more like the old fashioned bone set tea that has done a world of good. If you don't feel just right try Hop Bitters.—*Nunda News.*

CORRECT SPEAKING.

We would advise all young people to acquire in early life, the habit of correct speaking and writing; and to abandon, as far as possible, any use of slang words and frases. The longer you live the more difficult correct language will be; and if the golden age of youth, the proper season for the acquisition of language, be passed in its abuse, the unfortunate victim, if neglected, is very properly doomed to talk slang for life. Money is not necessary to procure this education. Every man has it in his power. He has merely to use the language which he reads, instead of the slang which he hears; to form his taste from the best speakers and poets in the country; to treasure up the choice phrases in his memory, and habituate himself to their use, avoiding at the same time that pedantic decision and bombast which show the weakness of vain ambition rather than the polish of an educated man.

AFTER A PASS.

A few days ago we fell into the company of an old officer of the army of Tennessee, who related the following incident characteristic of army dodges:

Upon one occasion, when General Rosencrans had "shut down" upon passes for officers' and soldiers' wives, a member of the former class telegraphed from Louisville to General, now President Garfield, chief of staff, that her husband, an artillery officer, was very sick, perhaps dying, and that she must see him; and requested the general to authorize the issuing to her of a pass to Murfreesborough. The general had a weak side for such appeals, and his heart was touched; but knowing nothing of the matter he turned it over to Colonel Barnett, chief of artillery. The colonel also sympathized with the distressed wife, and sent an orderly out to the husband's battery to inquire into his condition, that the devoted wife might be advised thereof. It was only a few hours before the husband came into head quarters with astonishment depicted in his face. Something's the matter, some how or somewhere, he dosen't know exactly what.

"How do you do?" asked the artillery chief blandly.

"First rate, sir.'

"Where have you been of late!'

"At my battery; on duty.'

"Have you not been sick lately?'

"No, indeed! Never had better health in my life.'

"Quite sure of it, are you?'

"Of course I am. I think I ought to know.'

"You have been on duty all the time? Haven't you been absent from your command at all?'

"Not a day.'

"Perfectly well now; no consumption, liver complaint, fever, spleen, or Tennessee quick stop, eh?'

"Certainly not. Why do you ask?'

In reply to this natural query the telegram of his anxious wife was handed to him. He read it, looked down and pondered for a moment in silent wonder at the ingenuity of women, then called for a bottle of wine and a general "smile" circulated among the bystanders as he remarked half regretfully:

"Hang it all, I wish Mollie wouldn't get up dodges of that kind without letting a fellow know. I could just as easy have been at the point of death as not."

The loving wife was informed by telegraph that her husband was in no danger, infact was doing remarkably well. Thus she was circumvented for a time. Yet, to "vindicate the truth of history,' we must add that she eventually gained her point in some other way—what Yankee wife will not?—and made her visit successfully.

WHEN DOCTORS DISAGREE, WHO SHALL DECIDE?

Nothing is more variable than the different opinions of medical men; but when they fail to agree, or to perform a cure in a chronic disease, the patients often decide for themselves, and take Burdock Blood Bitters, and speedily recover. It is the grand key to health that unlocks all the secretions, and liberates the slave from the captivity of disease.

MAKING TEETH.

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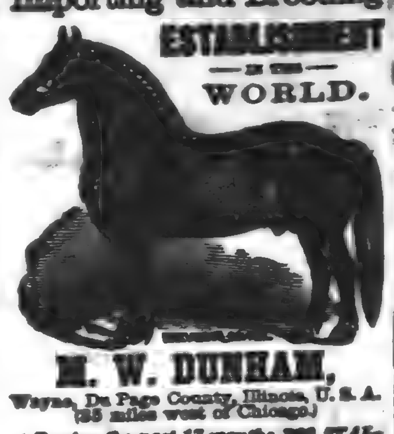

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Flesherton, March, 1881. 16

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MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 45-6m

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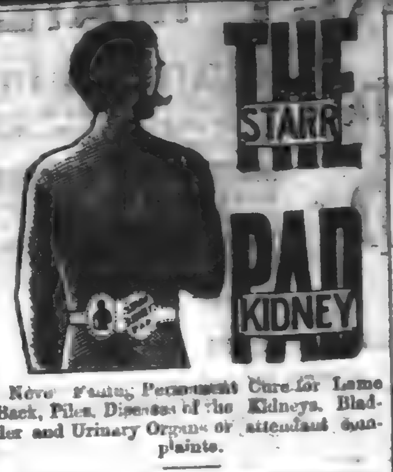
Township of Glenelg, Oct. 19, 1880,



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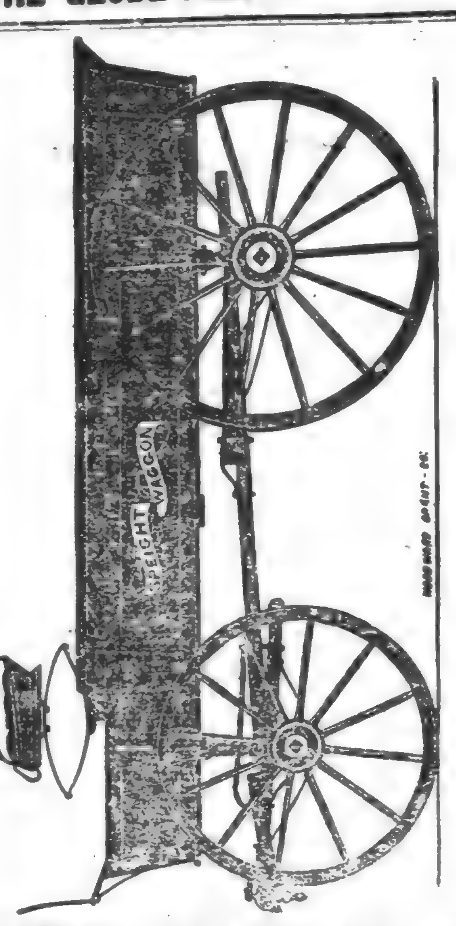

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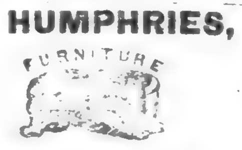

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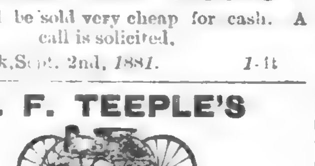

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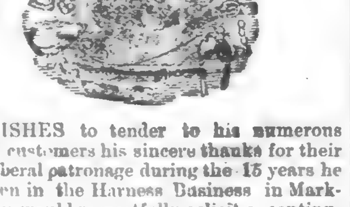

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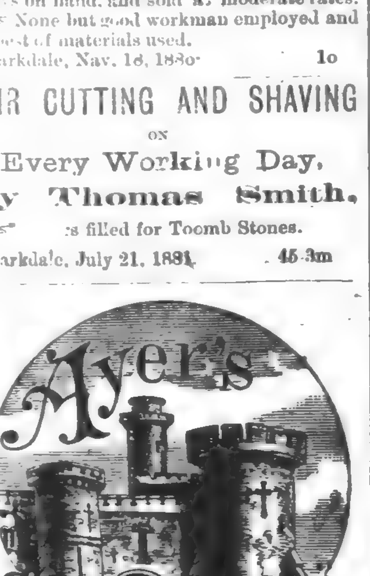

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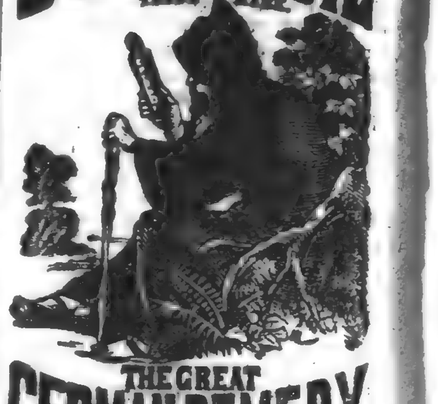

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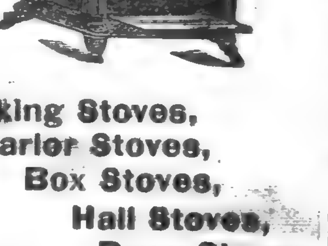

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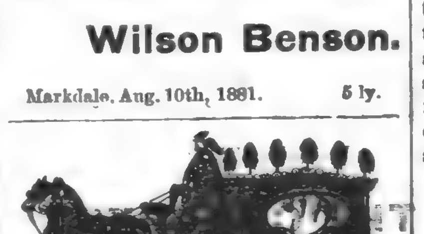

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CHAPTER IX. *Continued.*

'Never mind your style—you admire nothing but plain young women with sallow skins and irregular features—that is understood. Mr. Dantree, do you correspond with this young lady?'

'Certainly not. Katherine, what do you mean?'

The carless look had left his face, the parlor had deepened. Who had been talking to her—what had she found out? Good Heavens! to have eight thousand a yearquivering in the balance like this.

'What I mean is this, Mr. Dantree, this is your writing I believe, and I infer you are returning Miss De Lansac's letters and picture. This packet fell out of your coat pocket inthe cloak room. You never corresponded with Miss De Lansac—you only gave her singing lessons? That will do, Mr. Dantree—don't tell me more falsehoods than you can help.'

She placed the packet in his hand. He had never thought of that. His face changed as she looked at him for a moment. In spite of the admirable training of his life he stood before her dumb—condemned out of his own mouth.

The steady, strong gray eyes never left his face—her own was quite colourless now.

'Not one word' she said, in a sort of whisper; 'and look at him. It is true, then—all they have said. He is false—false!'

'I am not false,' Mr. Dantree retorted, angrily. 'Don't be so ready to condemn unheard. If you will do me the honour to listen, I can explain.'

She Laughed contemptuously.

'Not a doubt of it, Mr. Dantree. You could explain black was white if one listened to you long enough. I'm afraid I have listened to you too long already. How many of the million lies you are in the habit of telling hav you told me?'

'Not one— not the shadow of one. For shame, Katherine, to taunt me with idle words spoken in jest. I have told you the truth concerning so Miss De Lansac—the simple truth. faras I am concerned. I gave hermusic lessons—I never cared for her—no, Katherine, not one jot—but she—that is—she—oh, it is quite impossible to explain.'

'She fell in love with you! is that what your modesty will not permit you to say, Mr. Dantree? She fell in love—this poor Miss De Lansac—with her handsome singing master, whether he would or no?'

'Yes, then! Gaston Dantree said, folding his arms and looking at her with sulky defiance,since you makeme say it. Think me a coxcomb,a puppy if you will, she did fall in love withme and she did write to me since I left New Orleans. I never answered those letters. I told you the truth when I said I did not correspond with her. Last night I came across them by chance, and as your plighted husband I felt I had no right to keep them longer. I made them up as you see, to return to her, feeling sure that after that, she would never address me again. I never told you of her—why should I? She was simply nothing to me, and to tell you that a young lady of New Orleans took a fancy to me, and wrote me letters, would not be very creditable to me.'

She drew a long breath.

'And that is all?' she said, slowly.

'All. Miss Dangerfield— on my sacred honour!'

If I could only think so! If I only dare believe you!'

'You are complimentary, Katherine When you doubt my word like this, it is high time for us to part.'

He knewher well—how to stab most surely.

'Part!' her sensitive lips quivered. 'How lightly he talks of parting, Gaston! you see—I love you wholly—I trust you entirely. You are so dear to me, that the bare thought of any other having a claim on you, be it ever so light, is unendurable. Will you swear to me that this is true?'

He lifted his arm—to give the oath proper stage effect.

'By all I hold sacred, I swear it Katherine!'

It was a very binding oath—there was nothing on earth below, or the sky above, that Mr. Gaston Dantree held sacred. But it is easy to believe what we most want to believe. As the old Latin has it. The quarreling of lovers is the renewing of love. Mr. Dantree and Miss Dangerfield kept devotedly together for the rest of the night, and peace smiled again; but the cloud no bigger than a man's hand had risen that was speedily to darken all the sky. Katherine's perfect trust was gone—gone for ever. Had he told her the truth, or was it all a tissue of falsehoods? Had another woman a claim on him, and was it her fortune he loved, as everybody said—not herself?

'And poverty above?' thought Mr. Dantree; 'what am I to do with a jealous, exacting wife? what a savage look there was in her eye for one moment; the Dangerfields were ever a bitter, bad race. A game were two women claim one man must be a losing game for the man in the end. I begin to see that.'

At five in the morning the ball at Langton Royals broke up. Miss Dangerfield was driving homethrough the cold blackness that precedes the dawn, shivering in her furry wraps. She toiled slowly and wearily upstair. She had danced a great deal and was tired to death. She had been in wild spirits the first half of the night, now the reaction had come, and she looked haggard and hollow-eyed, she ascended to her room.

It as all was bright in that sanctuary of maidenhood. A genial fire blazed on the hearth, her little white bed, with its lace and silken draperies and plump white pillows looked temptingly cosy. A softly-cushioned sleepily hollow of an easy chair was drawn up before the fire. Katherine flung herself into it with a tired sigh.

'It is good to be home,' she said. 'Take off these tiresome things,Ninon —quick—and go.'

The deft fingured Frenchgirl obeyed. The floating, brown hair was brushed and bound for the pillow, the lace and tulle, the silk and diamond sprays were removed, and her night robe donned, and Katherine thrust her feet into slippers, and drew her chair close to the fire.

'Anything more, mademoiselle?'

'Nothing, Ninon; you may go?'

The maid went, and the heiress was alone. She felt tired and sleepy and out of sorts, but still she did not go to bed. She lay back in her chair and listening to the black morning wind howling through the trees of the park, with closed eyes.

'Marie De Lansac? Marie De Lansac!' She seemed to hear that name in the wailing of the wind, in the ticking of the little Swiss clock, in the light fall of the cinders, and with it ringing in her ears, she dropped asleep.

And, sleeping, she dreamed. She was floating somewhere down a warm golden river, overhead a sunlight, a rosy sky, all the air quivered with music. And as she floated on and on in a delicious trance, she saw the golden sky blacken, she heard the winds rise, and the river darken and heave. The music changed to the wild song of the siren, luring her on to the black depths below. Down, down she felt herself sinking, the cold waters closing over her head. She looked up in death agony, and saw her lover standing safe on the shore and smiling at her throes. She stretched out her arms to him.

'Help, Gaston, help!' she strove to cry, but the rising waters drowned her voice, and the shrill wind bore them away. The siren song grew louder. She could hear the words, 'False as fair! false as fair!' And still the waters rose. The white arms wreathed around her lover—standing smiling there—a beautiful, deriding face mocked her over his shoulder.

'I am Marie De Lansac,' said the taunting voice, 'and he is mine.'

Then the bitter water of death closed over her head, and with a grasping cry she started up awake—the fatal words yet ringing in her ears, 'False as fair! false as fair!'

The chill, gray light of the October dawn filled the room, and the fire died black out on the hearth, and she was cramped and cold. Even in her dreams that warning came to her. She drew out her watch and looked at the hour. Only seven, but Catherine Dangerfield slept no more.

CHAPTER X.

BEFORE THE WEDDING.

'Married on New Year's Eve! Married on New Year's Eve! Do I hear you aright? Is it possible you mean this?'

Sir John Dangerfield, seated in dressing-gown and slippers before the study fire, laid down the *Times*, and blankly asked this question. His daughter stood behind his chair, keeping her face steadily averted.

'Let me look at you, child—come here. Let me see if this is my little Kathie who sang her doll to sleep yesterday, and who comes to me now and asks to be married on New Year's Day. Ah, you cannot—you do not mean it, after all."

'Papa, I do,' Katherine cried, desperately, feeling again what a cruel thing it had been of Gaston to subject her to this ordeal: 'at least I don't but he—that is—oh, papa, I have explained already.'

'You have repeated Mr. Gaston Dantree's plausible pretexts, of which I don't believe one word. He dared not face me again; he ordered *you* to come to me and obtain my consent to your marriage on New Year's Eve.—Coward! craven coward!'

'Papa don't. You misjudge him—he is no coward—even you have no right to call him so. Oh, papa, how can you be so unkind to him, to me. You were so harsh, so harsh to him when he spoke to you before, and you knew he could not, would not, retort in kind. You wouldn't like it yourself—to sit still and be abused. You must not call Gaston such hard names. Even from you I cannot bear it.'

But in the depth of her heart, even while she fought desperately for her absent lover, she felt it to be true. He was a coward.

'Here her the baronet said with suppressed intensity, 'hear her take his part against me—this man whom she has not known two months. Well, well, it is the reward the old always receive from the young.'

Two white arms clasped his neck, two impetuous lips stooped down and kissed him.

'Papa, darling is it generous of you to do this? You know I love you dearly, dearly! but, papa, I love him too. I can't help it; I don't know why; I [illegible] I do with all my heart.'

He looked at her tenderly—the hard bitterness of his mouth relaxing into a smile, half sad, half cynical.

'My little one,' he said, 'my little one, you don't know why. Shall I tell you? A little for his dark eyes, a little for his silken hair, a little for his seductive voice and sugary words, and a great deal, oh, my romantic Kathie, —for your own poetical imagination. If you saw Gaston Dantree below the surface for an hour you would scorn him your life long. But you take this good-looking Louisianian at his own valuation, and invest him with a halo of nobility all your own, and set him up and worship him. My daughter, take care, take care. Your god will crumble to clay before your eyes, and what is left then; believe me, little Kathie, there is more needed to make a wife happy than long lashes and a musical voice.

Kathie looked up and met her father's eyes full for the first time, her lips compressed into a resolute line.—An hour ago she had seemed to him a wayward little girl—he knew now, for the first time, he had a woman to deal with—a woman in love, and resolute to have her way.

'You treat me as though I was ten years old and asking a plaything. Papa, I love Gaston, he wants me to be his wife, and I have promised, A promise given should be a promise kept. I will marry him, or go to my grave unmarried.'

'Then, heaven help you! My years on earth will not be many—don't interrumpt me, Katherine; I know what I am saying—and when I am gone, and you are left to that man's mercy, I say again, Heaven help you!'

'He has given you no earthly reason to say it!' Katherine exclaimed, 'and it is not like you to be unjust. It is a shame, papa! a shame! You know nothing wrong of him—nothing. Even the grim, pittiless English law takes the prisoner in the dock to be innocent until he is proven guilty.—You speak of him as though he was a villian, doubly-dyed! I repeat, it is a shame, to slander the absent in this way and a soldier who has fought for his country, as you have, ought to be the last to do it. You wrote to New Orleans to find out his character—did the answer justify such dark suspicions as these?

'The answer left me as much in the dark as eve. Mr. Dantree's character in New Orleans is simply *nil*—no one knew anything much either to his credit or discredit, You defend your lover staunchly, Katherine. I don't think the worse of you for it,but it wont do. Even you, my child, eloquent as you are, with all your special pleading, cannot make a hero of Gaston Dantree.'

'I don't want to make a hero of him: he suits me well enough as he is, with all his faults, whatever they may be, I am willing to take him—to hold to him all my life; and be very sure, whatever that life may prove, no one alive shall ever hear me complain of him.'

'I believe you,' her father said, quietly. 'you are not a model young lady by any means, but you deserve a much better husband than Gaston Dantree. Child! Child! are you hopelessly infatuated—I might as well talk to the trees waving yonder outside the window as to a romantic girl in love. But think a moment—think how little you know of this man. Who is to prove that he hasn't a wife already out yonder in the Southern States,

'Papa!' But there was a sharp, sudden pang in her voice as she uttered the indignant cry. *Marie De Lansac;* The name that haunted her dreams that morning, came back.

Ah! Katherine, flying into a passion will not prove his worth. I repeat we know nothing of him—nothing but what he has chosen to tell or invent. Do you really believe, my poor Donna Quixote, that if some freak of fortune deprived you to morrow of Scarswood and its rent-roll, he would prove faithful to the love he has vowed? If you were penniless—as he is—do you believe he would ever make you his wife?'

She met his sad gaze, full; but she was white to the lips.

'I believe it, papa. I know how I would act by him; poverty—disgrace even, would only make me cling the more devotedly to him. I would take his part against all the world, and why should I think him less generous? Papa, it may be your duty, but you torture me. What is the use of saying such things except to make me miserable.'

It was not her father's words that made her miserable—it was the doubt in her own heart, the conviction that he spoke the truth. Not all her insane infatuation could convince her that this man was either loyal and true. She had been brought up in a peculiar way enough, this impulsive Katherine, and if there is any excuse to be make for her wilful peversity, it lies in that. Motherless at the age of three, left to a doting father, spoiled by Indian nurses, indulged in every caprice, she had grown up headstrong and full of faults. The Indian colonel had taught her to scorn a lie as the base crime of a coward; and taught her to be true as steel, loyal, generous and brave; and she new in her inmost heart that Gaston Dantree was none of these things—was twice as unstable as water. Only her girl's fancy had gone out to him, and it was too late to recall the gift.

Her father drew her to him and kissed her.

'I will say no more—not one word; and yet it is a cruel kindness. Do you know what I should have done, Kathie, when that fellow came here to ask your hand? I should have said: 'She is there; take her if you will. She is quite ready and capable of running away with you to-morrow; if you ask her; but as long as I live, not one farthing will she ever receive from me—not though she were starving. I will never forgive her; I will never see her. She is in love with you; take her, and when the honeymoon is over—starve.' I mean this, Mr. Dantree, and we Dangerfields know how to keep our word.' Kathie, he would never have set foot again within this house, and you—you would hate your father. I don't think I could bear that, and so, oh child! marry him if you will, on New Year's Eve—what does a month more or less matter?—and may the good God keep you, and defend you from the fate of a broken-hearted wife.'

She made no reply; her face was hidden on his shoulder.

'I fear for your future, my child!—I fear! I fear!' the old soldier said, with strange pathos. 'I foresee more than I dare tell. Kathie, Kathie! Do you'—his steady voice faltered a little—'do you think you could bear to be poor?'

'Poor, papa?' she lifted her head and looked at him in surprise.

'Yes, Katherine, to be poor; not as we were poor in India, with servants to wait upon us, and a colonel's pay to live on; but if I were to die, and it may be soon—child, be still—and you were left alone in the world, friendless and portionless, to earn your own living as other girls do; do you think you could bear that? to eat poor food? to wear poor clothing? to labor for others? that is the sort of poverty I mean,'

She gazed at him, lost in wonder.

'Poor, poor. I, a baronet's daughter, the heiress of Scarswood. Papa,' bursting into a laugh for the first time, what nonsense you are talking! It is impossible for me to be poor!'

'But suppose it were not,' he spoke with feverish eagerness, shifting away from the gaze of the bright wondering eyes; 'suppose it were possible; suppose such a fate overtook you; could you bear it?'

'Sir John Dangerfield,' the young lady responded, impatiently, 'I don't want to suppose it; I don't want to suppose such a preposterous thing.—No, I couldn't bear it, there. I would rather die than be poor; living on crusts; wearing shabby dresses; and working for insolent, purse-proud common rich people. Papa, I would just quietly glide out of life in a double dose of morphine, and make an end of it all. But what's the use of talking such rubbish? I am Katherine Dangefield, heiress; it is about as likely that I shall go up to the moon, like Hans Pfaal, and live there away from every body, as that I shall ever turn shop-girl and poor.'

He set his lips hard beneath his iron-grey moushtache, and his soldier's training stood him in good need now. Of the sharp pain at his heart his face showed no sign.

And you consent, papa; you dear, goodnatured old papa?' the girl said, her cheeks close to his lips, her lips close to his ear; 'you do consent! I am only seventeen, and silly, no doubt, but let me be happy in my own way. I deed; and I want to trust him; to believe in him. You'll let me, won't you? You won't say bitter cynical things any more. And you known you won't lose me, as you would if I married any one else. You'll only gain a son instead, and we will all live together here, as the fairy tales say, happy for ever after.'

He sighed resignedly, disengaged himself, and arose.

'"When a woman will, she will,' etc. Have your own way, Katherine. Let the wedding be on New Year's Eve. I give you *carte blanche* for the *trousseau*; order what you please. I can say no more than that. I will make the best of a bad bargain, since it is inevitable; I can't like him; I never can. Marry him if you will,but I would almost sooner see you dead than give your fate into his hands.—Keep him away from me; I would rather not meet him. And Katherine,' a pause.

'Well, papa,' she spoke rather sadly. It seemed rather hard that the two beings on earth whom she loved best could like one another no better than this. Her father was standing with his back to her, looking out of the window at the beeches tossing their stripped brances in the high autumnal gale.

'Yes, papa; what is it?'

'Don't offend Mrs. Vavasor.' He spoke with an effort. 'You don't like her, and take no pains to hide it.—Katherine, it won't do.'

'Why not, papa?'

'I can't tell you why; only she is your guest; as such she should be treated with courtesy.'

'Well, I do try to be courteous; that is, I try to endure her; but, papa, she is simply unendurable; it stifles me to live in the same house with her. I don't know why, I suppose we are antagonistic, as Gaston says, but my flesh creeps when she comes near me, just as it does when I meet a toad. She is like a serpent, papa; one of those deadly corbras we used to have out in India; with her glittering eyes, and her sharp, hissing voice, and her noiseless, gliding walk. Why can't you give her all the money she wants and pack her off about her business?'

'Because; well, because the world is civilized, and she is our guest. Let us respect the sanctity of the bread and salt. She has a hold upon me; I may admit that much, and it places me in her power. If I or you offend her, Katherine, it is in her power to injure us both more than I can say. It is impossible to explain; I can only say for the present, treat her civily for my sake.'

'I will try. For your sake, papa, I would do anything.'

'Except give up Gaston Dantrée! Well, well! it is the way of the world; the way of women; a very old way, too. And now go; I think I will settle my mind by reading the *Times* after all this. Arrange everything; but the wedding dress, let the wedding guests be bidden, and when the hour comes, I will be ready to give my daughter away to a man of whom I know nothing. That will do, Kathie; I would rather have no thanks. Let the subject of Mr. Dantree be dropped between us. It is a subject on which you and I can never agree, though we talk to the crack of doom.'

Katherine laid her hand on the handle of the door. There was a swift swish of silk outside; that little wretch Mrs. Vavasor, had been listening. But the passage was now deserted, and a tall, Indian cabinet hid the crouching figure completely.

Miss Dangerfield rode out under the open sky and sunny downs with her affianced, and Mr. Dantree simply heard that papa had consented that the marriage should take place upon New Year's Eve, no more. But he could easily infer the rest from Katherine's clouded face.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

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There is abundant evidence that the amount of water on the surface of the earth has been steadily diminishing for many thousands of years. No one doubts that there was a time when the Caspian Sea communicated with the Black Sea, and when the Mediterranean covered the greater part of the Desert of Sahara. In fact, geologists tell us that at one period the whole of the earth was covered by water, and the fact that continents of dry land now exist is proof that there is less water on our globe now than there was in its infancy. This diminution of our supply of water is going on at the present day at a rate so rapid as to be clearly appreciable. The rivers and streams of our Atlantic States are visibly smaller than they were twenty-five years ago. Country brooks in which men now living were accustomed to fish and bathe in their boyhood have in many cases totally disappeared, not through act of man, but solely in consequence of the failure of the springs and rains which once fed them. The level of the great lakes is falling year by year. There are many piers on the shores of lake-side cities which vessels once approached with ease, but which now hardly reach the edge of the water. Harbors are everywhere growing shallower. This is not due to the gradual deposit of earth brought down by rivers, of refuse from city sewers. The harbor of Toronto has grown shallower in spite of the fact that it has been dredged out so that the bottom rock has been reached, and all the dredging that can be done to the harbor of New York will not permanently deepen it. The growing shallowness of the Hudson is more evident above Albany than it is in the tide water region, and, like the outlet of Lake Champlain, which was once navigable by Indian canoes at all seasons, the upper Hudson is now almost bare of water in many places during the summer. In all other parts of the world there is the same steady decrease of water in rivers and lakes, and the rainfall in Europe, where ... less than it was at a period within man's memory. What is becoming of our water? Obviously it is not disappearing through evaporation, for in that case rains would give back whatever water the atmosphere would absorb. We must accept the theory that, like the water of the moon, our water is sinking into the earth's interior.

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Diphtheria being now somewhat prevalent a friend has sent us the published experience of Dr. Field, an English physician, in the treatment of this disease. It is there stated that:—

"All he took with him was powder of sulphur and a quill, and with these he cured every patient without exception. He put a teaspoonful of flour, of brimstone into a wineglass of water, and stirred it with his finger, instead of a spoon, as the sulphur does not readily amalgamate with water. When the sulphur was well mixed he gave it as a gargle, and in ten minutes the patient was out of danger. Brimstone kills every specie of fungus in man, beast and plant in a few minutes. Instead of spitting out the gargle, he recommended the swallowing of it. In extreme cases, in which he had been called just in the nick of time, when the fungus was too nearly closing to allow the gargling, he blew the sulphur through a quill into the throat, after the fungus had shrunk to allow of it, then the gargling. He never lost a patient from diphtheria. If a patient cannot gargle, take a live coal, put it on a shovel, and sprinkle a spoonful or two of flour of brimstone at a time upon it, and let the sufferer inhale it, holding the head over it, and the fungus will die. If plentifully used, the whole room may be filled almost to suffocation; the patient can walk about in it, inhaling the fumes, with doors and windows shut. The mode of fumigating a room with sulphur has often cured most violent attacks of cold in the head, chest, etc., at any time, and is recommended in cases of consumption and asthma."

A DEFINITION OF PRAYER.—"You must not pray as you would pull a bell, expecting some one to open the door and hand you what you ask for," said Mr. Beecher at his prayer meeting recently. "Prayer is the uplifting of the whole nature into the divine presence—the unfolding of the soul to sun itself in the light of God. It is the tone and disposition of our life, and no man can pray for six months or a year and then have any doubt left in his mind as to the efficacy of prayer. In fact, praying is the proof of prayer."

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Alton	10.50 a.m.	4.05 p.m.	8.05 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE—			
Arrive	11.10 a.m.	4.25. p.m.	8.20 p.m.
Depart	11 30 a.m.	4.15. p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11 45 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
Laurel	11.59 a.m.	5.20 p.m.	
Shelburne	12.30 p.m.	6.00 p.m.	
Dundalk	1.15 p.m.	6.50 p.m.	
Proton	1.35 p.m.	7.11 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	1.55 p.m.	7.35 p.m.	
Markdale	2 15 p.m.	8.05 p.m.	
Berkly	2.35 p.m.	8.28 p.m.	
Williamsford	2 50 p.m.	8.46 p.m.	
Arnott	3.05 p.m.	9.06 p.m.	
Chatsworth	3.15 p.m.	9 16 p.m.	
Rockford	3.38 p.m.	9.36 p.m.	
Owen Sound	4 00 p.m.	10.10 p.m.	

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6 30 a.m.	12.00 noon.	
Rockford	7.00 a.m.	12.30 p.m.	
Chatsworth	7.20 a.m.	12.55 p.m.	
Arnott	7.30 a.m.	1.06 p.m.	
Williamsford	7.48 a.m.	1.28 p.m.	
Berkly	8.05 a.m.	1.48 p.m.	
Markdale	8.30 a.m.	2.15 p.m.	
Flesherton & Priceville	8.55 a.m.	2.45 p.m.	
Proton	9.15 a.m.	3 10 p.m.	
Dundalk	9.35 a.m.	3.39 p.m.	
Shelburne	10 15 a.m.	4.17 p.m.	
Laurel	10 47 a.m.	4.50 p.m.	
Orangeville Junction	11.00 a.m.	5.05 p.m.	
ORANGEVILLE			
Arr.	11 15 a.m.	5 20 p.m.	
Dep.	7.15 a.m.	11 35 a.m.	5 10 p.m.
Alton	7.35 a.m.	11 55 a.m.	6.40 p.m.
Charleston	7.50 a.m.	12.10 p.m.	6 18 p.m.
Mono Road	8.25 a.m.	12 47 p.m.	7.05 p.m.
Bolton	8 45 a.m.	1.10 p.m.	7 33 p.m.
Kleinburg	9.05 a.m.	1.30 p.m.	7.55 p.m.
Woodbridge	9.25 a.m.	1 50 p.m.	8.17 p.m.
Humber Sumt	9 40 a.m.	2.05 p.m.	8.33 p.m.
Weston	10.00 a.m.	2 27 p.m.	9.00 p.m.
Carlton	10.10 a.m.	2 39 p.m.	9.15 p.m.
TORONTO,—Union Station			
Arrive	10.30 a.m.	3 00 p.m.	9.40 p.m.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, December 2nd. 1881.

NOTICE.

THE Ca... ...ing Agency, No. 29 King St... ... W. B. ...HER, Manager, ... advertisements fo...

...ved at this office ... the ... and Magazine ...

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NEWS NOTES.

... Young Men's conservative Association has been formed in Toronto.

It is expected Guitteau's trial will be ... about the 3rd inst., Saturday ...

Sir Leonard Tilley addressed an immense Temperance meeting at Napanee on the 25th ult.

It is estimated that Guitteau's trial will cost the United States Government about $150,000.

A project for the opening of another through line of railway from Montreal to Chicago is being talked of.

The Guitteau trial is still dragging its "weary length along." The impression is daily gaining ground that the prisoner is realy insane.

N. J. Clark, License Inspector for South Bruce, has been committed for trial on a charge of embezling $419 from John Donahoe, of Kinloss.

It is reported that the Ontario Government have appointed a Stipendary Magistrate for the Township of Biddulph, with headquarters at Lucan.

There seems to be little or no improvement in the state of affairs in Ireland. It appears that opposition to pay rent is rather on the increase, and the outrage and violence is as frequent as ever.

The nominations for the provincial legislature of the province of Quebec took place on Monday of last week, the 24th ult. Fifteen members were elected by acclamation, 10 Conseratives, 3 Reformers and 2 Independents.

Kingtson is getting notorious for brutal attacks on women. Hardly a week passes without witnessing one or more announcements of women being assaulted by the ruffianly blackguards with which the Lime Stone City appears to be infested.

The Scott Act is to be again submitted to the Ratepayers of the county of Lambton. E. King Dodds, for the Licensed Vitulers, and Prof. Foster, for the Temperance men, are mightly haranguing the "free and independent," and excitement runs high.

The City Council of Toronto passed a bread by law at its setting on Monday last, the 28th ult. It states that all bread sold in Toronto, of whatever shape or form, are to consist of one pound, pound and a half, two pounds three pounds, and four pounds respectively, and that the weight must be stamped on each loaf.

A serious fire occurred at Bridgeton, Ontario, on the 27th ult., which destroyed the Hungarian Flouring Mills of D. A. Campbell & Co., together with nine or ten thousand bushels of wheat, hundreds of barrels of flour, and an immense quantity of cord wood. The loss is estimated to be close on $40,000. Insurance about $18,000.

The fallowing is the recent quotation for stock in the leading Banks:

Montreal	202
Toronto	162
Ontario	60
Merchants	128
Commerce	147
Dominion	194
Hamilton	120
Standard	115
Imperial	159
Molsons	116

The farmers around Montreal, as well as some of the banking institutions of that city, have been pretty badly swindled by a firm of commission Merchants, named Bessey Bros. They obtained large advances fromthe banks on what they represented as creamery butter, but what was in reality butter of lowest grade, hardly worth 10c per pound. The banks hold bills of lading, and will realize a trifle but the farmers will lose everything. The Sinnalers are now safe in that paridise of all rogues, the United States.

The propeller Lake Erie, of the Lake and River Steamship Company of Hamilton, was lost on Thursday last in Lake Michigan by a collision with the propeller Northern Queen, owed in Collingwood, ann proceeding, like the Lake Erie, to that port from Chicago. One of the crew of the Lake Erie was scalded to death. The well known steamer, Norseman went ashore a little east of Oshawa at an early hour on Tuesday morning, and now lies on the spot with seven feet of water in her hold. In this case there is fortunately no loss of life to deplore.—*Mail*

T. G. & B. RAILWAY.

The change of the gauge is to take place on Saturday. Only one train will go over the road on that day which will leave Owen Sound at 4.30 a.m., and will be due at Markdalo at 6.15, Flesherton at 6.38, Dundalk 7.13, arriving in Toronto at 12.05 p.m. There will be no train going north that day. Trains will run on the old time on the first three days of next week, we expect to be able to give the new time-table in our next issue.

A. O. U. W.

Dr. McGregor, organizer for the Ancient Order of United Workmen, in answer to a statement that the organization was a fraud, challenges any stock company man to meet him before a public gathering at Berlin, Ont. and offers to forfeit $100 if he does not convince the meeting of the falseness of the charge.

It is now nearly thirteen years since the birth of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, and from its infancy in 1868 down to the present day, and at no time greater than now, its growth has been continuons and healthy. In its ranks may be found men of every nationality, and of every calling in life, from the successful merchant and the professional man to the humblest mechanic, who find in such an organization the social and fraternal advantages that will prove a great benefit to him, and also the opportunity to make provision for the future of those who are bound to him by the ties of kindred and affection.

THE REID BLOCK.

This fine block, which was erected this summer, is just drawing to completion; it is of solid brick with stone dressings. The ground or first flat is devided into two fine stores with a solid brick wall between them. The two upper stories are finished for dwellings. The second flat consists of kitchen and pantry, dining-room, parlor, and one bedroom. The third flat is divided into four large sleeping apartments; there is also a large hall on each flat; there are cellars the full size of the building. The entrance to the dwellings is from the rear of the building facing the Revere Hetel. The rooms are large and well lighted, and take it altogether will prove as comfortable abodes as one would wish to occupy. The mason work was contracted for by Mr. James Reid of Mount Forest, and the way it was done is a credit to him, and proves that he is no mean workman, there is no better piece of brick work in Markdale. The carpenter work was contracted for by Mr. W. D. McLeod, architect, which is a sufficient guarantee that it will be well done. The plastering is being done by Messrs. W. Fox and James Reid, of Markdale, and undoubtedly will be no disgrace to them as workmen. The painting is being performed by Messers Mintern & Vail, of Meaford. These gentlemen's reputation as painters requires no puffing at our hands. This block when completed will be an ornament to our town. The shops will soon be ready for occupation, and any one desiring to rent them should apply at once, as no doubt such desirable places of business will be eagerly sought after.

The death is announced of Mrs. Fauquier, the wife of the Bishop of Algoma, a lady well known and appreciated in the religious world.

See Mr Doll's immense stock of Watches. Over $1,200 worth sold since his return from Switzerland. He has still the largest stock in the County.

MEAFORD ROAD.

Mr. Peter M. Munshaw took unto himself a partner in the person of Miss Harriet J., second daughter of Richard Smith, Esq., of this line. They leave this week for Michigan, where they purpose making their home. They are both highly respected, and carry with them the best wishes of their many acquaintances.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. John Warling met with an accident on Saturday last, while working in Sparling's steam saw mill, in which one of his hands was badly crushed. He will have to lay off work a few days at least.

SURPRISE PARTY.—The house of Mr. J. Brodie was taken possession of on the evening of the 24th ult., by three sleigh-loads of young people, who made themselves at home and enjoyed themselves to the full. NEXT.

PRICEVILLE.

From our own Correspondent.

Saw logs are coming in fast, and things in general are looking lively.

Mr. Irwin purposes starting a singing class on Friday night.

The A. O. U. W. meet at Atkinson's Hotel to-night (Wednesday). A number of the Flesherton brethren are expected.

A few of our sports were out hunting last week. They *saw* a deer.

The young folks are axiously awaiting the opening of the rink.

Hand-shaking is very prevelent, but then the elections are coming on.

Who is to be Mayor.

FLESHERTON.

From a Correspondent.

While the section men were having their quiet dinner, an alarm of fire was sounded in the village of Hackington. Upon the arrival of the men at the scene, it was found that the brave women of that Village had the fire under control. No damage done save displaced furniture.

...ing ... large stock of Ladies Gold Watches still on hand, I intend giving ... special reduction during the Holidays.

Mr. Purdy and his purse parted company for the space of five hours on Wednesday, and it contained a considerable amount of money. Mr. P. was considerably excited over the matter. After considerable searching, the purse was found. And where do you think? in the lining of his pants near his ankle.

A bonus is asked for the erection of a merchant flouring mill at the Station. The station may be the town yet.

Mr. Hacking has everything in readiness for change of gauge, so that his share of work on Sabbath will be small, if any.

Mr. R. J. Sproule came near having ... kitchen by an excited cat. The oil ignited and the fire was making vigorous progress; but happily by the exertions of Mr. Sproule and his clerks, it was suppressed without doing much damage.

Look out for W. F. Doll's Christmas Goods, to arrive next week. Call early and make your selections.

Mr. W. Caswell cut his foot very severely while blocking barn timber for Mr. John Whitton. His axe struck a tree in front of him, changing its direction, causing the axe to enter his foot and nearly cut it off.

MARRIAGE WITH A DECEASED WIFE'S SISTER.

We are glad to learn that the promoters of the Bill for rendering lawful marriage with the sister of a deceased wife are still active and hopeful. The object which they have in view is a worthy one. The common sense of the people tells them that there is no valid reason, physiological or moral, why such unions should be made illegal, while the welfare of motherless children and the peace and good feeling of the related families are often greatly promoted by them. The fact that in consequence of these and other considerations and in the exercise of freedom and choice, which should be the privilege of every citizen, within the limits of propriety and morality, many such marriages have been contracted renders the question one of the greatest practical importance, involving as it does the legitimacy of the offspring. The zeal and perseverance of the promoters of the Bill cannot much longer fail of the success they so well deserve. The fact that it passed its second reading in the House of Commons last session by the majority of 140 to 19, and was rejected in the Senate by only 31 votes to 30, expresses clearly enough the views of the people's representatives. It is scarcely probable that the prejudices of every member of the majority in the Upper House will prove strong enough to hold out through another session against the force of overmastering argument and the strongly expressed will of the people. Hence the "Marriage Law Reform Association," which was instituted so long as 1851, for the express purpose of promoting the passing of the Act in question, will enter upon the coming campaign with every prospect of success. Mr. Girouard's Bill will be promptly re-introduced, and can scarcely fail to become the law of the land. That accomplished, both Mr. Girouard and the members of the Association will have earned the thanks of all good citizens, and the especial gratitude of those who find the legality of their magriages and the legitimacy of their children in jeopardy. The association is fortunate in having as its Hon. Committee a number of gentlemen so influential and so thoroughly representative as the following:—Hon. Sir Francis Hincks, K.C.M.G., C.B.; Rev. A. DeSolo, LL.D., Professor of Hebrew and Oriental Literture, McGill University, Montreal; Rev. Gavin Lang, St. Andrew's Church (Church of Scotland), Montreal; Alex. W. Ogilvie, Esq., Montreal; Rev. J. F. Stevenson, LL.D. Emmanuel Church (Congregational), Montreal; Hon. Secretary, Robert D. McGibbon, Barrister, Montreal.—*Globe.*

Philadelphia Record.

A NATIONAL BLESSING.

The nineteenth Century, above all other ages, has been noted for its many inventions. It has given us the steam power in its thousand-fold applications, the telegraph, the telephone, the electric light, and innumerable other discoveries, all blessings to humanity; each day brings us new surprises until we have become so accustomed to the exhibitions of the genius of our century that any new development is at once received as a matter of natural consequence, and most people will simply remark: "I told you so." As an instance of this fact we would call attention to that wonderful discovery, St. Jacob's Oil. A few years ago this great German Remedy had never been heard of before in this country; to-day you can hardly find a man, woman or child in the United States who has not used the remedy for some pain or ache, or at least has witnessed its use, and seen its wonderful effects on a fellow-being. St. Jacob's Oil has become a national remedy, for it is known in every city, town, village, and hamlet in the country. It is a cosmopolitan preparation, for it is praised by the Americans, Germans, Italians, Bohemians, Danes, Swedes, Portugese, Spaniards, French, —yes, even by the "Heathen Chinee." It may be termed the universal blessing, for it is endorsed by the rich and poor, the clergyman and the physician, the merchant and the laborer, in fact by all classes of the community. St. Jacob's Oil, by its almost marvelous properties, can be employed for a simple cut or sprain, or the worst case of inflammatory Rheumatism. Persons who have been confined to their bed for years with that terrible disease rheumatism, have been completely cured by the use of a single bottle. Such casea have been quoted by the leading journals of our country; for instance, the St. Louis *Post-Dispatch* says: Under the title of Old Probabilities, one of the most useful and valuable officers of the United States Government is most widely known. But quite as well known is Prof. J. H. Tice, the meteorologist of the Mississippi Valley, whose contributions to his favorite study have given an almost national reputation. On a recent tour through the Northwest, the Professor had a narrow escape from the serious consequences of a sudden and very dangerous illness, the particulars of which he thus relates. "The day after concluding my course of lectures at Burlington, Iowa, on the 21st of December last, I was seized with a sudden attack of neuralgia in the chest, almost preventing breathing. My pulse, usually eighty, fell to thirty-five; intense nausea of the stomach succeeded, and a cold clamy sweat covered my entire body. The attending physician could do nothing to relieve me; after suffering for three years, I thought, as I had been using St. Jacob's with good effect for rheumatic pains, I would try it. I saturated a piece of flannel large enough to cover my chest, with the oil and applied it. The relief was almost instantaneous. In one hour I was entirely free from pain, and would have taken the train to fill an appointment that night in a neighboring town had my friends not dissuaded me. As it was, I took the night train for home, St. Louis, and have not been troubled since."

The Boston *Globe* says: Charles S. Strickland, Esq., builder, No. 9, Boylston street and 106 Harrison avenue, Boston, thus speaks: "The pleasure which I hereby attempt to express can only be half conveyed by words. Physicians of very high character and noteriety have declared my rheumatism incurable. Specifics almost numberless, have failed to cure or even alleviate the intensity of the pain, which has frequently confined me to my room for three months at a time. One week ago I was seized with an attack of accute rheumatism of the knee. In a few hours the entire knee joint became swollen to enormous proportions and walking rendered impossible. Nothing remained for me, and intended to resign myself, as best I might to another month's agonies. By chance I learned of the wonderful curative properties of St. Jacob's Oil. I clutched it as a straw, and in a few hours was free from pain in the knee, arm and shoulder. As before stated, I cannot find words to convey my praise and gratitude to the discoverer of this king of rheumatism."

The Chicago *Times* says: "Everybody on the South Side knows J. D. L. Harvey, Esq., who has been a resident of Chicago for over twenty years. Mr. Harvey expressed himself on the "Oil subject" as follows: "I have spent over $2,000 to cure my wife of rheumatism. Two bottles of St. Jacob's Oil accomplished what all the medical treatment failed to bring about I regard it as a greater discovery than electricity. It is a boon to the human race, and I am very glad to have this opportunity of testifying as to its remarkable efficacy. I cannot speak to highly of it, and I would be recreant to my duty to those afflicted did I not lift up my voice in its praise."

The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: Mr. George I Graham, 820 Nineteenth street, Philadelphia, is a Journalist of many years experience, and is actively connected with the Philadelphia *Sunday Mirror*, a leading theatrical and musical journal. During the "late unpleasantness" Mr. Graham was Captain of Company K, One hundred and eighty-third Pennsylvania regiment, and through exposure in the field he contracted a variety of ills, and he says a very troublesome case of rheumatism in the right leg and foot was a war inheritence that he in vain tried to get rid of, until he was recommended to try St. Jacob's Oil. He states that he felt a slight relief even on the first application of the oil. Before the first bottle he purchased had been used up he had but few traces of his rheumatism, and at this time he says the disease has entirely left him, which he attributes entirely to the use of St. Jacob's Oil. He remarks; "No person need suffer from rhematism if St. Jacob's Oil can be obtained; to those who are afflicted with that complaint it is worth its weight in gold."

The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* says:—Captain Paul Boynton, the world renowned swimmer, thus speaks of the old German Remedy: "From constant exposure I am somewhat subject to rheumatic pains, and nothing would benefit me until I got hold of this old German Remedy. Why, on my travels I have met people who have been suffering with rheumatism for years; by my advice they tried the Oil, and it cured them. I would sooner do without food for days than be without this remedy for one hour. In fact I would not attempt a trip without St. Jacob's Oil, as I do not see how I can get along without it."

St. Jacob's Oil has been endorsed by persons of national reputation, who would not lend their names if they were not convinced that it was a duty they owed to suffering humanity; they have experienced the wonderful effect of the Great German Remedy, and they want their fellow creatures to know the result. We would only mention in this connection the Rt. Rev. Bishop Gilmour, of Cleveland, Ohio: "Excellent for rheumatism and kindered diseases; it has benifited me greatly." Mme. Marie Salvotti, Prima Donna ... Wilhelmi Concert ...

... for all emergencies; for the remedy is a true friend in need, and the occasion for its immediate use may come when it is least expected. Follow this advice, and it will not be long before you will join us in calling St. Jacob's Oil "A National Blessing."

COUNTY ITEMS.

[From our Exchanges.]

A lodge of the Ancient Order of United Workmen was organized here last Monday night, when the following gentlemen were duly installed as officers for the coming year:—Rev. Wm. Johnston, P.M.W.; Wm. Train, M.W.; F. B. Hugg, Foreman; C. B. Kemp, Overseer; R. Agnew, Recorder; Jas. Sparling, Financier; W. K. Ireland, Receiver; Dr. J. G. Clarke, Guide; G. F. Vanwyck, I. W.; J. S. Raper O. W.; Dr. Clarke, Medical Examiner.—*Monitor.*

SUDDEN DEATH.—We regret to chronicle the death of Mr. Jas. Lowe, 7th line St. Vincent. His death took place without the slightest warning on Wednesday morning, while playing with the children in his bed room. Mr. Lowe was a man about fifty-five years of age, of healthy appearance, and not at all such as would be expected to be taken off so suddenly. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of his death. He leaves a wife and family for whom much sympathy is felt. —*Monitor.*

BLACK FOX SHOT.—On Wednesday last, as Dr. Landerkin was out driving in this vicinity his hounds started a fox in the bush and getting in full chase the fox jumped upon a log near the road, when the Dr., who had his gun with him, fired at him from the buggy, bringing it down in quick time. The Dr. has now got the fine fox skin as a trophy. It is quite a prize, as black foxes are very rare.—*Hanover Post.*

Montreal (Canada) Post.

A GOOD THING FROM THE STATES.

In this age of quackery, it is consoling to discover that there is something solid in existence, and that, though there are vendors who lie most cheerfully about their wares, there others who tell the truth and allow time to test the merits of what they offer for sale. As year after year rolls over, the frauds and the shams sink away out of sight in the pools and morasses of obscurity, while what is realy good and true stands boldly forth all the grander for its age and solidity. Thus while within the present decade thousands of patent medicines, puffed at one time to inflation, have shrunk before the test of analysis, ST. JACOB'S OIL has bravely borne the strain, and is to-day renowned all over the world for its famous curative powers. It is truly one of the phenomena ofs the age we live in. The sale of this article is incredible. It is to be found all over the civilized world and in a good many places not civilized—for unfortunately, the bones of sorrowing man are racked and ache with pain no matter what region he inhabits—and we believe it is yet destined to be found in every house, and to supercede the many nostrums which still remain abroad to rob and defraud humanity of its money and its health. The firm of A. Vogeler & Co., Baltimore, spend half a million dollars yearly in advertising ST. JACOB'S OIL, and hence we may guess at the full extent of their enormous business. It is truly marvelous, or would, did we not know the circulation of this inestimable blessing.

We are given to understand that J. Green, Esq., will be a candidale for the Mayoralty for 1882. If this rumor turns out to be correct, he should be elected. Orangeville requires as its Chief Magistrate who, from experience in business, will be able to guide the town affairs with a firm and intelligent hand. Lawyers and doctors are all very well and intelligent in their way, but a business man at the helm would be an advantage which the peple would do well to secure. Let us have a change from professionals to business men.—*Gazette.*

IT SAVED MY LIFE.

The value of human life is so supremely important that anything which tneds to its prolongation is entitled to the highest consideration. Speaking to us recently on this subject, Charles Nelson, Esq., proprietor Nelson house, Port Huron, observed: I suffered so with rheumatism that my arm withered, and physicians could not help me. I was in despair of my life, when some one advised me to try St. Jacob's Oil. I did so, and as if by magic, I was instantly relieved, and, by the continued use of the Oil entirely cured. I thank heaven for having used this wonderful remedy, for *it saved my life*. It has also cured my wife.—*Port Huron (Mich.) Commercial.*

PERCHERON HORSES.

This most popular of *all* breeds of large horses, is attracting the attention of nearly all the intelligent and progressive breeders of horses in this country. And their importations (from La Perche, France, where they have been bred for more than a thousand years,) are doubling and quadrupling annually.

Although but a few years has elapsed since their introduction they have proved themselves so *far* superior to *all* other breeds of heavy horses, as a cross upon our common and inferior mares, and even upon the half breeds and Bronchos of the far West, that they are sought after in every quarter of the United States, and large numbers are being introduced into Canada, to refine and give quality to the Clydesdale English draft horses, so long used here. The demand is so great, and has grown in so short a time, that it is difficult to supply it.

Probably the most astonishing improvement has been made in the Western States and Territories by crossing Percheron stallions of medium size and good quality upon the small mares of the range. The produce from these mares almost invariably weighing when mature from 1,000 to 1,400 pounds, possessing compactness, vigor and endurance beyond any thing of their size ever raised in this country; the sires giving size, uniformity, and the renowned docility of their race to the progeny, making them tractable and easily broken. By the introduction of the Percheron stallions a new and grand field seems to be opening for the large breeders of horses in the West, where horses can be raised for a nominal sum. The fact is, that these half and three-quarter blood colts sell on the Eastern market for higher prices than any other class of large horses, and are in urgent demand, at from $150 to $250 each, and choice ones command even larger prices.

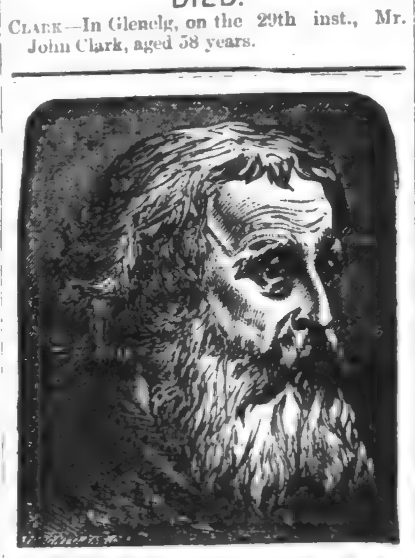
This is a matter that should attract the attention of all breeders who desire to keep pace with the times, and breed horses that will sell when the commoner kinds are unsalable.—*The Western Rural, Chicago.*

BIRTH.

RITCHIE—In Markdale, on the 22nd ult., the wife of Mr. Geo. Ritche, of a son.

DIED.

CLARK—In Glenelg, on the 29th inst., Mr. John Clark, aged 58 years.



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HENRY FOSTER.

Markdale, November 15th, 1881. 62ly

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...ristmas comes on Sunday.

... you wish to procure good Oat... try Benson's—his is excellent.

...ter's Teas are becoming noted ...heir strength, flavor, and CHEAP...

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Mr. Littlejohns, two miles south of ... place, had his sheep worried by ... on the night of the 14th ult. ... the sheep was killed.

... new baggage and mail cars for ...ronto, Grey & Bruce standard ... arrived in Toronto from the ... Car Works on Friday last.

Aal!—Dentists who have tried ..." pronounce it the finest ... on the face of this earth for the ... and breath. 5 cent samples.

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...dging from the appearance of the ... mill at present Mr. Brown, the ... proprietor, means business. He ... overhauling the mill from its very ... and re-fitting it through... We bespeak for Mr. B. the success ... his push and energy deserves.

... "Castorine" Machine Oil, for ... kinds of machinery, it is also ex... for harness and leather, mak... water and weather proof. For ... dealers.

...kansas or Arkansas." It is ... which pronunciation is ... in this case, but quite ... the citizens of Arkansas with ... rest of the United States and the ... should be supplied with ... pens. Esterbrook's are popular, ... and standard.

MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers ... threshing machines, prefer "Cas..." machine oil to any other. It ... wear lard, seal, or elephant, ... is warranted not to gum.

Mr. T. E. Davis, Builder and Con... has just completed the brick ... on Mr. Cornwall's residence, on ... street. It will, we believe, be ... of the most convenient and well ... dwellings in Markdale when ... finished.

There is a case reported in Montreal ... a young man, who at one time was ... of the Dominion Telegraph ... in that city, becoming such a ... of drink, that he actually stole the ... that covered his father's *dead* ... to pawn it for liquor.

From the amount of goods daily ar... it is evident that our mer... anticipate a good winter's busi... From the good prices the farm... getting for their produce, we ... little doubt but that their antici... will be fully realized.

... wish to send a present to a ... neighbor who lives in a dis... part of the country, send them ... STANDARD; it will only cost you a ... there are many doing it now, ... doubt many more would if ... take a thought how glad ... would be to get it.

We have now got well established in ... new premises, and everything in ... order, and are now prepared ... any order intrusted to us with ...ness and in the best style of ..., and at prices that will com... with any other place in the county. ... and we know you will be satis...

The American Agriculturist for De... has been received. To say ... is fully up to the past issues, ... the praise needed for this really ... periodical. It is a journal ... should be in every household. It ... had in connection with the ... for *only One Dollar*; call and ... specimens and we feel sure you ... subscribe.

... weather for the past week has ... variable as a woman's temper. ...ay and Monday the sleighing ... pretty fair, and the farmers took ... of it to rush in their grain ... other produce for all they were ... consequently our streets pre... a lively appearance. At the ... time of writing there is nothing ... Vennor's predictions for ... have proved pretty correct.

... Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habit... Constipation, Biliousness, Liver ... Kidney Affections, the safest and ... remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach ... Bitters, the great ... medicine. They can with ... safety be given to the youngest ... they are purely vegetable in ... and mild in their action. ... large panel bottles at 50 cents ... & Co. special agents for ...dale.

THE STANDARD.
Friday December 2nd, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Fine weather.

Christmas comes on Sunday.

If you wish to procure good Oatmeal, try Benson's—his is excellent.

Foster's Teas are becoming noted for their strength, flavor, and Cheapness.

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A time for everything, and now is the time to save money by buying your furniture at G. Grant's.

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Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

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From the amount of goods daily arriving, it is evident that our merchants anticipate a good winter's business. From the good prices the farmers are getting for their produce, we have little doubt but that their anticipations will be fully realized.

If you wish to send a present to a friend or neighbor who lives in a distant part of the country, send them the STANDARD; it will only cost you a dollar, there are many doing it now, and no doubt many more would if they just take a thought how glad they would be to get it.

We have now got well established in our new premises, and everything in working order, and are now prepared to fill any order intrusted to us with promptness and in the best style of the art, and at prices that will compare with any other place in the county. Try us and we know you will be satisfied.

The *American Agriculturist* for December has been received. To say that it is fully up to the past issues, is all the praise needed for this really valuable periodical. It is a journal that should be in every household. It can be had in connection with the STANDARD for *only One Dollar*; call and see specimens and we feel sure you will subscribe.

The weather for the past week has been as variable as a woman's temper. Saturday and Monday the sleighing was pretty fair, and the farmers took advantage of it to rush in their grain and other produce for all they were worth, consequently our streets presented a lively appearance. At the present time of writing there is nothing but mud. Vennor's predictions for November have proved pretty correct.

For Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Habitual Constipation, Biliousness, Liver and Kidney Affections, the safest and best remedy is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the great family medicine. They can with perfect safety be given to the youngest child as they are purely vegetable in composition and mild in their action. Sold in large panel bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner & Co. special agents for Markdale.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry in great variety at Wilcox's, next door to Hill Bros.

We draw the attention of our readers to the card of John B. McMillan, Esq., Attorney, &c., to be found in another column.

The last engine for the Toronto Grey & Bruce of the complement of eight to be supplied by the Grand Trunk, arrived in Toronto from Montreal last Monday.

Mr. John McKay, who recently returned from Michigan, has purchased lot 78, con. 2, and lot 78, con. 3, Township of Holland, containing 82 acres, from Mr. Thos. Wiggins, for $1,500.

Spectacles to suit all sights at Wilcox's the Jeweler.

The cheapest Overcoats, Ulsters and Suits are purchased from W. J. McFarland. See his *Job $5.00 Overcoats* worth $7.00; see his boys' Ulsters at $5.00, worth $6.50; see his suits at $12.00, cheap at $14.00.

D. J. Shanahan calls special attention this week to his large stock of Cutters and Sleighs, and invites inspection. Read his advertisement in another column and then give him a call and judge for yourselves.

Special arrivals this week at McFarland's. New Raisins at McFarland's; new Currants at McFarland's; new Lemon and other peels at McFarland's; new Icing Sugars and flavoring extracts at McFarland's.

Lost.—On Sunday evening last, between Dunlop's Bakery and the Methodist Church, a Round Gold Brooch, with Black centre. If the party who found it will kindly leave it at Dunlop's Bakery, Mill street, they will be rewarded.

Should your eye light on this, what we want you to do is to read it, and then put a ten dollar bill in your pocket, walk straight to McFarland's and purchase a *Black Silk Dress*, a *Cashmere Dress*, a *handsome shawl*, Mantle or sett of Furs as a Christmas present, and make sure we feel happy.

As will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, Mr. J. L. Brown is now prepared to take photographs. He is said to be a first-class artist, and he guarantees satisfaction. Remember the place, over the new STANDARD office, Mill street.

For a stylish and comfortable Cutter, go to D. J. Shanahan, he is selling very cheap.

A. Turner & Co. announce in this issue of the STANDARD that they have received their annual supply of Fancy Goods, Books, Toys, &c., suitable for Christmas and New Year's presents. Call early, so you may have your pick before the best are gone.

People are beginning to find out the true virtues of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, and they are becoming the favorite family medicine of the Canadian public for all derangements of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver and Kidneys. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agent for Markdale.

The *Rural New-Yorker*, a weekly publication of 16 pages, has been received. It is published in New York City, and, as its name would indicate, treats on farming and rural affairs. It is one of the oldest agricultural papers on this continent, and ranks high. We would recommend it to our agricultural friends as a paper well worth taking. Subscription, $2 per annum. Address *Rural* New-Yorker, 34 Park Row, New York.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

W. J. McFarland is receiving new goods every day, his cash sales for November this year exceeds by $1,000 his sales for the same month last year. This speaks volumes.

Some of our villagers are grumbling in no measured terms at our Police Trustees for permitting parties to obstruct the streets and side-walks.—They say they pay taxes to build side-walks and open streets for the use of the public generally, and not for private individuals to deposit lumber, cordwood, saw-logs and manure on. Where buildings are being erected more or less obstruction is unavoidable; but othewise there is no excuse, and the thing should be put a stop to. We had frequently to draw attention to this matter last winter, and had hoped we would not be called upon to perform this unpleasant duty again.

Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, are rapidly taking the place of all other purgatives, including Pills, Powders, etc. Their action is mild yet effectual and they are a certain cure for all billious complaints. In large bottles, at 50 cents. A. TURNER & Co., special agents for Markdale.

A BOLD THIEF.—On Sunday night thieves broke into Mr. Jas. Wales' grist mill, Oxenden, and carried away about half a ton of flour. They affected an entrance at a side window and conveyed their plunder off in a waggon. We understand there is no suspicion as to who are the guilty parties. The thief was boldly executed, which indicates plainly that the scoundrels were not novices at the game. People will require to keep their property well guarded while such characters are in the neighborhood.—*Echo.*

COUNCIL MEETINGS.

Holland council meets at Williamsford Station on 13th December.

Glenelg,—At Town Hall, on 12th Dec.

Artemesia,—In Town Hall, Flesherton, Monday, the 5th.

Proton,—At Gordon's Hotel, on Tuesday, the 13th.

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Friday, Dec. 2nd, 1881.

Flour	[illegible]	[illegible]
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20 to	1.23
Fall do. do. do.	1.18 to	1.22
Barley	[illegible]	[illegible]
Oats	[illegible]	[illegible]
Peas	[illegible]	0.74
Potatoes	0.35 "	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18 "	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	[illegible]	0.00
Pork	[illegible]	6.50
Beef	5.00	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.06 "	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40 "	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00 "	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07 "	[illegible]
Sheepskins	0.50	[illegible]
Hides	6.00 "	7.00
Grass seed	[illegible]	[illegible]
Hay	10.00	[illegible]
Wool	[illegible]	0.00
Green wood	[illegible]	[illegible]
Lard	0.12 "	0.13
Tallow	0.06 "	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	[illegible]	[illegible]

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Friday, Dec. 2nd, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25 to	[illegible]
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.20 to	1.25
Fall do. do.	1.18 "	1.22
Barley	0.70 "	[illegible]
Oats	0.33 "	0.36
Peas	0.65 "	0.68
Potatoes	[illegible]	[illegible]
Butter, per lb.	0.20 "	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15 "	0.00
Pork, dressed	[illegible]	[illegible]
Beef	5.00 "	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60 "	1.25
Hides	6.00 "	7.00
Hay	12.0 "	15.0
Timothy seed,	2.00 "	2.40
Wool	0.23 "	0.00
Lard	0.10 "	0.12
Talley	0.06 "	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.52 to	$1.11
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20 to	1.23
Barley "	2	.55 to	.75
Peas "	1	.65 to	.70
Oats "	1	.36 to	.36
Butter "	1	.20 to	.21
Eggs		.12 to	.15
Potatoes "		40 to	40
Pork "		6.60 to	6.75
Hay "		10.00 to	12.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30 to	$1 33
Wheat, spring, do.	1 35 to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 75 to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 44 to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78 to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 95 to	1 00
Clover Seed do.	0 00 to	0 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25 to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50 to	6 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00 to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 35 to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00 to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50 to	0 60
Geese, each	50 to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75 to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25 to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21 to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00 to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 22 to	0 23
Eggs, packed	0 00 to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25 to	2 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 80 to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15 to	1 30
Hay	1200 to	10 16

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 42 Cedar st. New York. 20-ly

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

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A. C. ATKINSON,
TAILOR,

Having removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.

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Local Editor, Dundalk.

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Send us your order by mail or otherwise and it will be attended to at once and we will

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Correspondence!

must be in our office by Tuesday evening to ensure a place in that week's issue.

C. W. RUTLEDGE,
Editor and Proprietor,
Markdale, Ont.

D. McFARLAND

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MARKDALE
Foundry!
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MACHINE WORKS,

Beg to announce that they have commenced work in Markdale as Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders, &c., and from their knowledge of the requirements of the trade in Markdale and surrounding country, hope, by moderate prices, strict attention to business, and promptitude in the execution of orders by the most skillful workmen, to merit a share of public patronage.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,
WITH
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Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!
And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,
Sugar Kettles,
Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballaster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.
Markdale, Nov., 1881. 68-ly.

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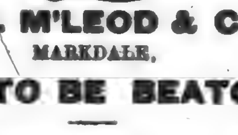

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NOT TO BE BEATON

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD & CO.
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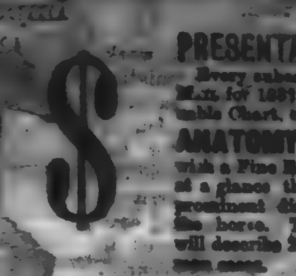

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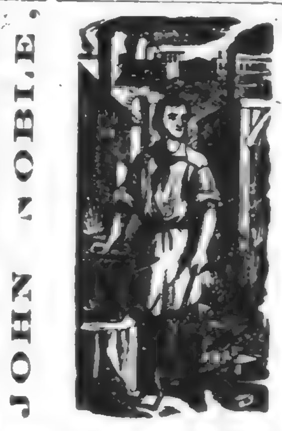

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Markdale, June 1, 1881.

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The caravan comes and goes as it did 1,000 years ago; there is still the sheik, the ass and the water-wheel; the merchant of the Euphrates and the Mediterranean still occupy the streets with the multitude of their wares. The city which Mohammed surveyed from a neighboring height and was afraid to enter because it was given to man to have but one paradise, and for his part he was resolved not to have it in this world, is to day what Julian called the Eye of the East, as it was in the time of Isaiah the head of Syria. From Damascus came the damson, our blue plums, and the delicious apricot of Portugal called damasso; damask, our beautiful fabric of cotton and silk, with vines and flowers raised upon a smooth, bright ground; the damask rose introduced into England in the time of Henry VIII.; the Damascus blade, so famous the world over for its keen edge and wonderful elasticity, the secret of whose manufacture was lost when Tamerlane carried the artist into Persia; and that beautiful art of inlaying wood and steel with gold and silver, a kind of mosaic engraving and sculpture united—called damaskeening—with which boxes bureaus and swords are ornamented. It is still a city of flowers and bright waters: the streams of Lebanon and the silk of gold murmur and sparkle in the wilderness of the Syrian gardner.—London Globe.

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A TRIBE OF TREE DWELLERS.

A French naval doctor, M. Crevaux, has lately made important explorations in the northern part of South America, more especially in the valley of the Orinoco and its affluents. Among other [illegible] of observation he states that the [illegible]enos, at the delta of the river, refuge in the trees when the delta is inundated. There they make a sort of dwelling with branches and clay. The women light, on a small piece of the floor, the fire needed for cooking, and the traveller on the river at night often sees with surprise long rows of flames at a considerable height in the air. The Guarannos dispose of their dead by hanging them in hammocks at the tops of trees. Dr. Crevaux, in the course of his travels, met with geophagists, or earth eating tribes. The clay, which often serves for their food for whole months, seems to be a mixture of oxide of iron and some organic substances. They have recourse to it more especially in times of scarcity; but, strange to say, there are eager gourmands for the substance, individuals [illegible] whom the depraved taste becomes so pronounced that they may be seen tearing pieces of ferruginous clay from the huts made of it, and putting them in their mouths.

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Pope, the poetical philosopher said, "The proper study of mankind is man, and yet, how little is the real science of man studied. If people understood and heeded the laws of health, and if when out of sorts would resort to a common sense like Burdock Blood Bitters, many of the "ills that flesh is heir to" might be effectually remedied. It invigorates and regulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

A CANADIAN YOUNGSTER'S FIGHT WITH A WILD CAT.

Last Friday afternoon Abraham Holt, 11 years of age, encountered a wild cat while strolling through the woods in Sarnia Township, accompanied by a little dog. The animal was discovered crouching in the fork of a tree about twenty feet from the ground. Under the impression that it was an enormous black squirrel, he threw a stick at it, which caused it to spring from its elevated perch and land squarely on the boy's breast. The dog then sprang at the cat, causing it to let go its grip on the boy and fight the dog. The lad fortunately carried a large stick, which, by the time the cat had driven off the dog and again turned to attack him, he had recovered presence of mind enough to use with all possible vigor. For the next few minutes it was a triangular struggle, in which the cat fought desperately with the boy and dog, until at last a well aimed blow from the boy's stick on the side of savage brute's head ended its struggles. On examination the cat proved to be of a variety not recognized by any who inspected it as common to the locality. It measured about thirty inches in length, the fur being black and sprinkled with white hairs, and had a long bushy tail.—Port Huron *Times*.

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A good clergyman who was working amongst the native population was anxious to establish the sanctity of marriage among them. Among others who were candidates for the rite was a much married aboriginal named Ngatapaparapara. On arriving at the clause of the formula were candidates for matrimony are directed to join hands, a strange scene occurred. No sooner had the directions been given than a whole bevy of inamoratas sprang forward, two or three hanging on by the hands and arms of the would be benedict, with an equal number clinging to his legs. He was completely besieged, pinned hand and foot and confusion was made worse confounded by a hugging and tugging by which the unfortunate fellow was in imminent danger of dismemberment. Seeing the turn things had taken the priest naturally enough paused, and looked on in dismay. "Go on," cried the hapless bridegroom, "or can't you see for yourself these abominable wretches will have me dragged from limb to limb?" Still the reverend gentleman hesitated, seemingly at a loss what to do under the circumstances. "If you don't get along, cried the man, "and have this kind of a thing to a finish, there'll be another dozen of them here less than no time, and, when they find I haven't got a flopper to hang on by, they'll drag off the last shred of blanketing I have over me."

The situation was now perplexing in the extreme, and there was nothing for it but to hurry over the service, and bring the comedy to an end. The sequel to the story is worth adding. In the course of time this much married man died, as did the seven times married woman of the Gospels. Then question then arose as to who was his lawfully married wife. Some five and twenty claimants appeared before the judge of the native law courts, and the question to be determined was—Had the woman who got hold of the deceased's hand precedence over her who merely tugged at his legs? As there was considerable property left behind, counsel were employed by the respective claimants, and it is said their learned disputations, on the respective importance of arms and legs, left the unfortunate judge in the dilemma of the man without a leg to stand upon.

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It required their united efforts to release the bird from his firm hold. When relieved he found that his arm was badly lacerated, the flesh being torn from the bone in several places. The beak was sunk to the bone in the right hand. The eagle measured seven feet and four inches from tip to tip, and weighed seventeen and one-half pounds. He was never seen in the neighborhood before, and it is probable he strayed from the coast. Mr. Abernathy says his strength was prodigious. He would readily carried off the little boy had it not been that his father was fortunately armed with a gun.—Munro, Ga., Advertiser.

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Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m

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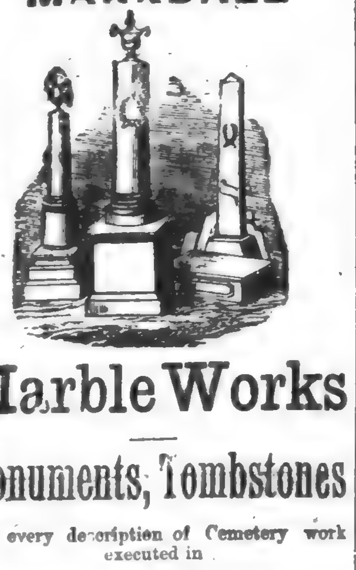

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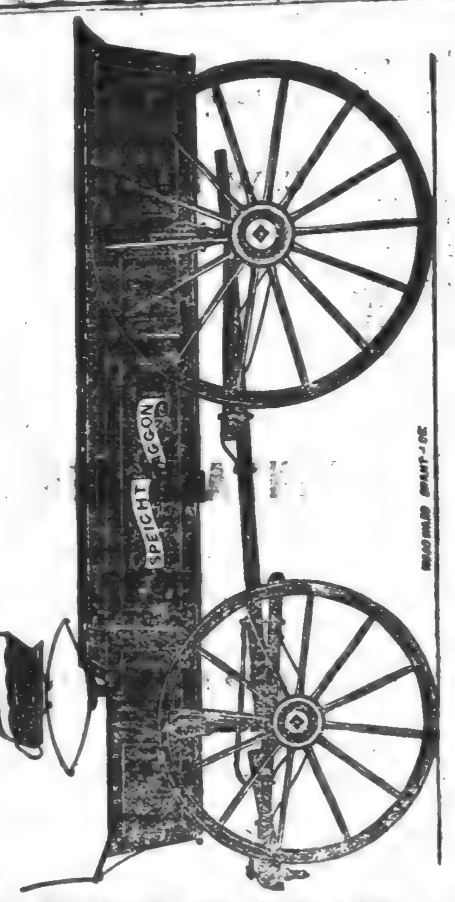

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ATTENTION!

Large Arrivals New Goods!

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Many lines of Goods bought after the fall of ten per cent. in price, hence we know that our prices will be right.

Stacks of Winceys,
Stacks of Tweeds,
Stacks of Boots and Shoes,
Stacks of Ready-made Clothing,
Stacks of mantles for the Ladies.
Call and See Us.

GOODS PLENTIFUL AND PRICES LOW.

We are determined to continue the large increase in our business. Our milliner, Miss Mullen, will return by the 1st of October, at which date we purpose re-opening that branch of our business, and trust to continue that part of our business in the past satisfactory manner. Thanking you for past favors and trust to be favored with a continuance of the same.

HILL BROS.

N. B.—We are open to buy any quantity of Butter, Wheat and all kinds of produce. [If y]ou don't see us on the market let us know before you sell.

Markdale, September 14th, 1881.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

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The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

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SASH,
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Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

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LATE IMPORTATIONS

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GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Wm BROWN

Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881.

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Or its equivalent, can purchase any thing you may require in DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, BOOTS and SHOES, or in fact anything that is usually

FOUND

In a general country store

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Purchasieg, you should always ascertain where you can purchase to the best advantage, that is get the best goods at the lowest price, and that place is

BUTTER & RAE'S

MARKDALE

To All Whom It May Concern.

As the season has arrived when money is plentiful and we have no collector but the bailiff, we must have our accounts by the 10th of October.

August 9th, 1881.

FARMERS & MECHANICS

ESTATE, LOAN AND

GENERAL AGENCY.

DUNDALK. ONT.

MONEY. Farmers wishing to obtain money cannot do better than to call at the Farmers and Mechanics' Agency established in the village of Dundalk, where you can get MONEY at a reduced rate of interest on ☞Terms to suit yourselves,—to pay off a previous mortgage, build a new house or barn, to clear land, or to obtain a choice breed of cattle. ☞Loans will be put through without loss of time while the strictest privacy will be maintained in all transactions.

Good Mortgages Bought!

LANDS.—I beg to call the attention of those wishing to purchase land to the large number of good and cheap Farm Lots for sale. ☞Send address for catalogue and prices.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

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Dundalk September 1st, 1881.

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ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

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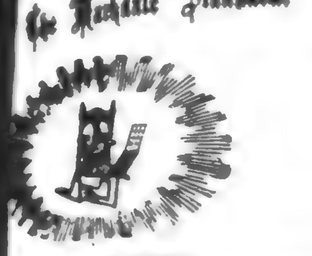
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A STOCK OF

Watches and Clocks!

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The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with

WAGGONS,
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single or double,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
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Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

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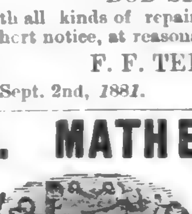

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HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale Nov. 18, 1880. 1o

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

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Every Working Day,

By Thomas Smith,

☞ ...s filled for Toomb Stones.

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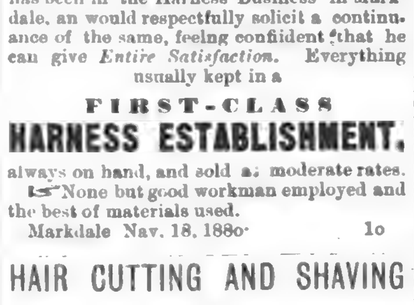

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FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

IT is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

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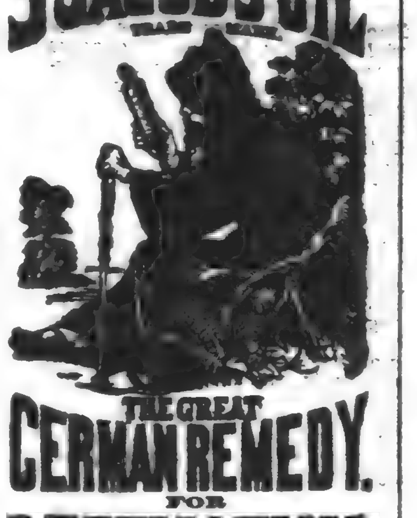

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Drum Stoves.

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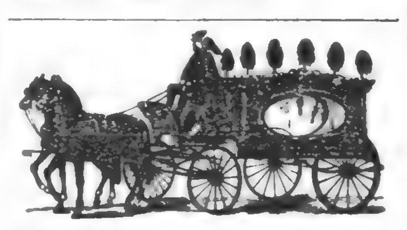

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☞ Remember the place—second door to Butter & Bae's.

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There is music, there is sunshine,
Where the little children dwell;
In the cottage, in the mansion,
In the hut, or in the cell.
There is music in their voices,
There is sunshine in their love,
And a joy for ever round them,
Like a glory from above.

Little children! yes we love them,
For their spirits ceaseless flow;
For the joy that ever lingers,
Where their bounding footsteps go.
'Tis the sunshine of their presence
Makes the lowly cottage fair,
And the palace is a prison,
If no little ones are *there*.

Oh! I wonder not the Saviour,—
He the beautiful, the meek,—
To the precious little children,
Tender, loving words did speak,
'Tis a pleasant thing to teach them,
Unto Him to bend the knee,
Since he spoke the words of blessing
Suffer them to come to me.

Yes, of such is Heaven's Kingdom,
And if we would enter there
We must seek the sinless garment,
Which the little child doth wear,
Father! bless the little children,
Bless them everywhere they dwell;
In the palace, in the mansion,
In the hut, or in the cell.

May the clouds of sin and sorrow,
Never darken o'er their way;
And in heart may we be like them,
Pure and innocent as they.

Dundalk, Nov. 23rd, 1881.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER X. *Continued.*

'The sharp-sighted old baronet has been abusing me,' reflected Mr. Dantree; 'he has taken my gauge pretty accurately from the first. I wonderhow it is that my face, which makes all women fall in love with me, makes all men distrust me? Is it women as a rule are fools, and the other sex are not? What an awful muddle I nearly made of it by carrying that confounded pack of letters about. Katherine's a prey to the green-eyed monster already, and will be for the rest of her life. I suppose it is in the eternal fitness of things, somehow, that plain women should be always savagely jealous, especially when they have remarkable handsome husbands. Before the year ends I will be the son-in law of Scarsdwood Park, and the husband of eight thousand a year. Gaston Dantree, my boy, you're a clever er fellow than even I gave you credit for.'

There was a dinner party that evening at Scarswood, and Mr. Dantree, with a fatuous smile, made known to all whom it might concern that the happy day was near. Mrs. Vavasor's dark eyes sparkled with their snakiest light — the rustling silk twisted, and twined, and gleamde about her in more serpentince coils than ever. She flashed a glance across at Peter Dangerfield, who sat, with spectacles over pale, near-sighted eyes, on the opposite side. And Captain De Vere stroked again his big, heavy dragoon moustache, and shot sharp glances of suppressed ferocity at the smiling bridegroom elect.

'Hang the begger! I'd like to throttle him, with his self-satisfied grin and confident of proprietorship. I suppose Sir John's faling into his dotage —I can't account for it in any other way, poor little fool,' with a look at Katherine; 'if he treats her as I know he will treat her after marriage, I'll thrash him within an inch of his life, 'fore George! I wish I had asked her myself.'

The wedding day was announced Katherine was congragulated, and a little before midnight, with her lover's parting kiss still on her lips, singing softly, she went up to her room. Draped with rose-silk and laces, the carpet wreaths of rosebudson snow, puffy silken chairs, a Swiss music box playing tinkling tunes, fire-light and waxlight gleaming over all—how pretty—how pleasant it looked. And Katherine, in her dinner-dress of rich mazarine blue, and sapphire ornaments set in fine gold, sank down in the puffiest of the chairs with a tired sigh.

There came a soft tap at the door, not the tap of Ninon. Katherine lifted her dreamy eyes from the fire.

'Come in,' she said.

The door opened, and Mrs. Vavasor entered.

She too wore her dinner-dress—the rich sea-green glowed in the light far behind her. The diamonds that were not from the Palais Royal flashed splendidly on her neck, and arms, and ears, and fingers. Her shining, luxuriant black hair floated over her shoulders, and the smile that rarely left her was at its brightest on her face.

'Am I an intruder?' she asked gaily. 'What blissful visions of antenuptial felicity have I frightened away? You will forgive me, I know, my pet. I had to come. Kathie,dear you don't know how glad I am your wedding day is near.'

She took both the girls hands in hers. Katherine's first impulse was to snatch them impatiently away, but she remembered her father's warning. The odious, fulsome, fawning creature had some mysterious power over him; for his sake she must be civil.

'You are very good,' but, despite the best intentions, Miss Dangerfield's voive sounded cold. 'Will you sit down, Mrs Vavasor?'

'No love; I will stay but a moment. See, it is midnight. Weird hour!' with a shrill laugh. 'Are there ghosts, do you know, at Scarswood? Such a dear, romantic old house ought to be haunted, you know, to make it complete. I suppose every house, as the poet says, where men and women have lived and died, is haunted, and as we all carry our ghosts with us through life. But I won't turn prosy and metaphysical on this happy night. Ah! darling Kathie, what an enviable girl you are—how brightly your life has been ordered! Seventeen, rich, flattered, caressed, and beloved! I suppose you have never had a single wish ungratified in your life, and in two months you marry the man you love with your whole heart—a man like 'en's dream of the Olympian Appolo. And others of us go through life and don't find one completely happy day. It is the old nursery story over again; 'This little pig goes to market, and this little pig stays at home. Katherine Dangerfield, what a happy girl you ought to be.'

'I am happy, Mrs. Vavasor.'

Still Mrs. Vavasor stood, and looked at her. How strange the gleam in her eyes! how strange the smile on her lips! The firelight sparkled onher emerald silk,on her coils of satin black hair Katherine had never known fear inall her life—but something in that woman's face made her shrink away in a sort of terror.

'Mrs. Vavasor,' she said, rising and turning white, 'what is it you have come here to say to me?'

The widow laughed aloud—that shrill, metallic laugh that rasped upon the ear.

'What have I come to say? Why, to wish you joy, of course, and to tell you I am going away.'

'Going away!' Ah, Kathie, what a poor dessembler you are! The light of unutterable relief and gladness lights all your face at the words.

'Going away, my dearest; and if I dared harbour so inhospitable a suspicion, I should say you looked gladto hearit. But you're not, are you, Kathie, love?—and you will speed the parting guest with real regret? Yes, my pet, I am going—never to come back—well, not more than once again perhaps—on your wedding day. For I think I must really come to your wedding, little Kathie, and wish that beautiful Mr. Dantree joy. How well he loves yuo, Kathie! he is one of those artless, frank kind of men who wear their hearts on his sleaves,for all the world to read. Yes,I leave Scarswood just one week preceding your wedding day. You look as if you did not understand—but you are ever so much relieved, after all. By the bye Katherine, you grow more and more like your mother every day. Just at this moment, as you stand there in the firelight, in that lovely blue silk and sapphires,you are fearfully and wonderfully like her. Would you believe it, Miss Dangerfield—your mother once prevented my marriage?'

'Mrs, Vavasor?'

Yes, my dear,' the little widow said in her airiest manner, 'prevented my marriage. It is all for the best, you know—oh, very much for the best I am not speaking of Mr. Vavasor, poor dear—your mother never knew him. I was quite young when my little romance happened, a year or two older than you are now. He was scarcely older than myself, and very handsome—not so handsome as that devine Gaston, though, of course. And I was—well, yes—I was just as deeply in love as you, my impetuous darling, are this moment. The wedding day was fixed, and the wedding dress made, and at the last hour your mother prevented it. It is nearly twenty years ago, and if you will believe it, the old pain and dissappointment, and anger, and mortification come back now, as I talk, almost as sharply as they did then. For I suffered— as I had loved—greatly. I have seen him for twenty long years, and I never want to now. He is still alive, and married, with grown up sons and daughters, and, I dare say, laughs with his wife—a great lady, my dear—over that silly episode of a most silly youth, And I—I eat, drink and am merry as you see, I forgave your mother as a Christain should and married poor, dear Mr. Vavasor, and was happy. Your mother died in my arms, Kathie, and now I am comming to her daughter's wedding.'

She laid her hand—burning as though with fever—on the girl's rist and fixed her black, glittering eyes strangely upon her.

'Look for me on your wedding day, Katherine—I shall be there!'

The girl snatched her hand angrily away. 'Mrs. Vavasor,' she cried out. 'what do you mean? Why do you look at me so? You frightened me!'

'Do I?' with her mocking laugh. 'Now, I never meant to do that. I don't mean anything, how could I?—but best wishes to you. Good-night, Katherine—bride elect—heiress of Scarswood—baronet's daughter good-night, and pleasant dreams.

'The Morn is merry June, I trow,
The rose is budding fain;
But she shall bloom in winter snow
Ere we two meet again.
He turned his charger as he spoke,
Upon the river shore;
He gave the reins a shake, and cried,
Adieu for ever more,
My love!
Adieu for ever more!'

A last derisive glance of the black eyes, a taunting smile—singing Mr. Dantree's song—Mrs. Vavasor vanished.

Hours and hours after Katherine sat very still, very pale, and very unlike her bright, dashing, defiant self, before the flickering fire. What did it all mean? Mysteries in books were very nice, the thicker and blacker the better; but in everyday life—well, they were exasperating. What power did this woman hold over her father?—why could he not speak out and tell *her*? If he could not trust the daughter who loved him, whom could he trust! What did Mrs. Vavasor mean by her sneering taunts, only half hidden, her innuendos, her delusive smiles and glances, her ominous song? Was it in the power of this dark, evil woman to part her and her lover.

'No,' she said proudly, lifting her head with that haughty grace that was her chief charm; 'no man or woman on earth can do that. Nothing in this world can come between Gaston and me, unless he should prove—'

'False!' Not even to herself could she repeat that word. She got up shivering a little.

'It grows cold,' she thought; 'I will go to bed, and to morrow I shall tell papa, and beg him once more to explain. I cannot endure that woman's presence much longer.'

If early rising be a virtue Miss Dangerfield possessed it. She might dance all night, until, 'the wee sma' hours ayont the twal',' but she was prepared to rise at six next morning, as fresh as the freshest. When Sir John came out on the terrace for his morning smoke, he found his daughter pacing up and down slowly in the pale, chill sunlight. A scarlet bournous wrapped her, and her dark face looked wan and sombe from its glowing folds.

'You here, Katherine!' the baronet said, as he stooped and kissed her. He was very gentle with her of late; there was a sort of sad, abnormal tenderness in his face now. It did not surprise him to find her here so early, but looking again at her, he saw how heavy the bright eyes were, how slow the elastic foot-fall, the shadows of the tell-tale face. 'What is it, Kathie?' he asked. 'You look as though you hadn't slept any last night. Has anything gone wrong?'

'Well, no, papa; nothing exactly gone wrong, perhaps; but I feel unhappy, and cross, and mystified. I didn't sleep last night, and it's all owing to that detestable woman. Light your cigar, papa, and I will tell you as we walk up and down.' She clasped both hands around his arm, and looked up with dark, solemn eyes. 'Papa, I want you to send her away. She is a wretch—a wicked, plotting, envious wretch! I was very happy last night —I don't think I was ever happier in my life. What business had she to come and spoil it all? I hate to be unhappy—I won't be unhappy! and, papa, I insist upon your sending the odious little killjoy away!'

His bronzed face paled perceptibly; an angry glance came into his steel blue eyes.

'You mean Mrs. Vavasor, I presume? What has she done?'

'Done!' Katherine repeated, with angry impatience—'she had done nothing—she is too cunning for that; and it isn't altogether what she says, either; it's her look her tone, her smile that insinuate a thousand things more than she ever utters. That horrid, perpetual simper of hers says, plainer than words, "I know lots of things to your disadvantage, my dear, and I'll tell them, too, some day, if you don't use me well." I hate people that go smirking through life, full of evil and malice, and all uncharitableness, and who never lose their temper.'

'You seem to have decidedly lost yours this morning, my dear. May I repeat—what has Mrs. Vavasor done?'

'This, papa; she came to my room last night, instead of going honestly to bed like any other Christian, and began talking to me about my—mother.'

'About your mother!' he repeated, in a tense sort of voice. 'What did Mrs. Vavasor say about your mother, Kathie?'

'She said for one thing, that my mother once prevented her marriage. Now, did she?'

'Not that I am aware of. Was that all?'

'Well, that was all she accused her of, but there were volumes implied My mother died in her arms, she said and she had long ago forgiven her. Papa, if ever I saw a devil in human eyes I saw one in hers as she said it. She hated my mother; she hates me and if it is in her power to do me or you any harm, she will do it before she leaves Sussex as surely as we both stand here.'

'Katherine, for Heaven's sake—'

'She will, papa!' Katherine cried, firmly. 'All the harm she can do us she will do. But is it in her power to really harm us? The will is there fast enough, but is the way?

'My child,' he said, and there was a sob in every word, 'it is in her power to ruin us—to ruin you.'

Katherine looked at him, very pale, very grave, very quiet. You could see at once how this impulsive girl, ready to cry out lustily with impatient anger over little troubles, would bear great ones.

"Then Heaven help us!' she said, if that be true. I don't understand, and it seems to me that you will not explain until the blow falls. Perhaps I could bear it better if I knew beforehand what I had to endure. Just now it seems strangely impossible. You are a wealthy baronet and I am your only child—how can a woman like that injure or ruin us? Pappa,' suddenly, 'is there any flaw in your right of succession to Scarswood—is there any heir whose claim is better than your own?'

He looked at her, a look that haunted her for many a day, with eyes full of trouble.

'And if it were so. If there were a claimant whose right was better than my own—if some day, and very soon, Scarswood were taken from us, and we went out into the world poor, disgraced, and penniless, how would it be then? I have asked you before. I ask you again—could you bear to leave Scarswood and its splendours, and go forth among the women and men who work, and be happy?'

She set her lips close.

'I could go, papa, I suppose,' she answered, in a hard sort of voice. 'We can endure almost anything, and people don't break their hearts for any loss in this nineteenth century. But happy—that is quite another thing. I have told you many times, and I repeat it now, I would rather die than be poor.

She stopped and there was dead silence while they walked up and down the long stone terrace. Up in the bright October sky the sun rained its golden light, and up in the breezy turrets the great break-fast bell began to clang; very fair Scarswood Park looked in the amber radiance of the crisp early morning—the green and golden depths of fern, the grand old oaks, and elms, and beeches, the climbing ivy of centuries' growth, the red deer racing, and the stately old mansion with its eastern windows glittering like sparks of fire. Katherine's eyes wandered over it all—she had learned to love every tree, every stone in the grand old place.

'Papa,' she said at last, a sort of wail in her tone, 'must we go—must we give up all this? Was I right after all, and is this the secret Mrs. Vavasor holds?'

'Supposing it were—what then, Kathie?'

'Then,' her eyes flashed, 'order her out of the house within the hour, though we should follow her the next.'

'What—and brave ruin and exposure when we may avert them?'

'You will not avert them. That woman will not spare you one pang she can inflict. And if we must go'—she threw back her head with right royal grace—'I would rather we walked out ourselves, than wait to be turned out. So that I have you and Gaston left, papa, I can endure all the rest.'

His mouth set itself rigidly under his beard, and the soldier fire came into his eyes.

'Let us go in, papa,' Katherine said resolutely, 'and when breakfast is over, give Mrs. Vavasor her *conge*. It is for my sake you have been afraid of her—not for your own. Well, I hate poverty, I know, but I hate Mrs. Vavasor much more. Send her away, and let her do her worst.'

'She shall go!'

'Thank you, papa. It was not like you to be afraid of anybody. I will breathe freely again once she is outside of Scarswood, Shall she go today?'

'To-day—the sooner the better; and then, Kathie—'

'Then; papa, when you and I and Gaston go it will be together. If we are to be poor, I will work for you—turn actress, or authoress, or artist, or something free, and jolly, and Bohemian, and try and remember Scarswood and its glories only as people remember beautiful, impossible dreams.'

'My dauntless little girl! But we won't leave Scarswood!—no, not for all the little painted women this side of perdition. She shall go, and we will stay, and we let her do her worst. While I live, at least, you are safe; after that—'

'But, papa!' with a sort of a gasp, 'that other heir—'

The baronet laughed.

'There is no other heir, my dear—Scarswood is mine, and mine only. Mrs Vavasor shall go, and we will have our wedding in peace, and if in the future any great loss or worldly misfortune befall you, let us hope Gaston Dantree's husbandly love will make up for it. Yes,' he lifted his head, and spoke defiantly, as though throwing off an intolerable burden, 'come what may, the woman shall go.'

They found her in the breakfast parlour when they entered, looking out over the sunlit landscape, and waiting impatiently for her breakfast Late hours did not agree with Mrs. Vavasor—it was a very chalky and haggard face she turned to the baronet and his daughter in the garish morning light. Her admirers should have seen her at this hour—the seamed and sallow skin—the dry, parched lips—the sunken eyes with the *bistre* circles —even the perennial smile, so radiant and fresh under the lamps, looked ghastly in the honest, wholesome sunlight.

'Good-morning, dear Sir John—good-morning, dearest Kathie. How well the child looks after last night's late hours—as fresh as a rosebud, while I—but alas! I am five-and-thirty, and she is sweet seventeen. Well, regret for my lost youth and good looks shall never impair my appetite: "so queen rose of the rosebud garden of girls," the sooner you give me a cup of coffee, the sooner my nerves will be strung for the battle of life that we all poor wretches fight every day.'

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MAKING A GOOD JOB.

Judge M——, a well known jurist living near Cincinnati, was fond of relating this anecdote: He once had occasion to send to the village for a carpenter, and a sturdy young man appeared with his tools.

"I want this fence mended to keep out the cattle. There are some unplaned boards, use them. It is out of sight of the house, so you need not take time to make it a neat job. I will only pay you $1.50."

The Judge went to dinner, and coming out, found the man planing each board. Supposing the man was trying to make a costly job of it, he ordered him to nail them on at once, just as they were, and then continued his walk. When he returned the boards were planed and ready for nailing.

"I told you this fence was to be covered with vines." he said angrily, "I do not care how it looks."

"I do," said the carpenter gruffly, carefully measuring his work. When it was finished there was no part of the fence as thorough in finish.

"How much do you charge?" asked the judge.

"A dollar and a half," said the man, shouldering his tools.

The judge stared. "Why did you spend all that labor on the job if not for money."

"For the job. sir."

"Nobydy would have seen the poor work on it."

"But I should have known it was there. No; I'll only take the $1.50." And he took it and went away.

Ten years afterward the judge had the contract to give for the building of certain magnificent public buildings. There were many applicants among master builders, but the face of one caught his eye.

"It was my man of the fence," he said. "I know we should have only good, genuine work from him. I gave him the contract and made a rich man of him."

"Dang it," said Gallagher, "Ragbag what do you want to tell such howling awful lies for? You were giving yourself dead away. Nobody believed you. You'll get the name of being the biggest liar in the city." "Do you really think so?" asked Ragbag. "Think so! I know it!" "Oh, rapture, That's what I want. I'm working to get the job of selling a lot of mining stock in the rural districts."

A man may always be right, yet in going for the tram he may be left.

When may a chair be said to dislike you? When it can't bear you.

NOTICE ...

"While in London, England, a short time ago," said the [illegible], "our Oxford-street wafer was made the victim of a practical joke. One morning, as this [illegible] artist sat reading his newspaper, he was startled by seeing a young man enter in a very excited manner, who throwing, rather than seating, himself in the chair, demanded a shave instanter. The barber, who was a ready fellow, at once set about obeying the commands of this excited and hurried guest. With a rapidity that surprised himself, he shaved the right side of his customers' face, and then immediately turned to the left. That side he also shaved with cleanliness and dispatch, but judge of his surprise, when his customer demanded to know in tones anything but pleased why he did not shave the right side. The poor bewildered barber was almost certain that he had done so, but perceived to his surprise that the side in question was covered with jet-black hair. Again he shaved it, but while he did so, to his surprise and horror, the hair was growing on the other side. Thus it continued for an hour. While he shaved one side, he could actually see the hair growing on the other side. Terrified beyond expression, he stood motionless; hereupon the young man leaped from the chair, and snatching the razor, drew it across his throat, and fell to the floor covered with blood. The barber flew into the street hallooing "Murder!" at the top of his voice. A crowd soon gathered, and, with the affrighted barber, beheld the supposed corpse quietly arranging his tie before the mirror—turning very pleasantly, he paid the barber and departed. A theatrical gentleman among the lookers on soon gave it out that it was Professor Hermann the Great American Magician. I went to my hotel and awoke next day to find myself the talk of London.' concluded the Professor, for it was I who did it. I gave the poor barber fits. "Did you ever hear how I gave a friend of mine the snakes?" asked the Professor. On receiving an answer in the negative, he said; "A friend of mine, who was as great a drunkard as an actor, and that is saying a great deal, was one morning seen by me to enter a drinking-saloon when he was almost on the verge of delirium tremens, and knowing his horror of 'snakes,' as *mania-a-potu* is vulgarly called, I resolved to save him. I entered just as he raised a glass of whiskey to his lips, and rushing forward I snatched the glass from his hand, crying at the same time: 'Hold, E., until I take this fly out.' Pretending to take the fly out, I held up a serpent. C. cried out: 'My God! that is a snake!' 'Not at all,' said I; 'it is a simple house-fly. See? you are covered with them,' saying which I approached, and from his sleeves, and hair, etc., I proceeded to pull snakes, protesting all the time that they were flies. 'They are snakes!' cried C. again. 'My God! that is a snake; I tell you, Hermann, they are snakes!' 'Nonsense,' said I, 'they are but flies.' 'Then,' said he, 'I have the snakes myself!' and he rushed from the saloon. He was not seen for more than a week after; but when next seen he was sober, and has been so since." "Professor," asked the interviewer, "were you, who are so fond of surprising others, ever surprised yourself?" "Once," was the answer: "then the surprise was a very great and agreeable one, I assure you. I came about in this way: I was for a number of years a sufferer from cramps in my left side, immediately under the heart. I suffered regularly at the close of each performance, and very often was compelled to cancel engagements which I had made, owing to my inability to fill them, being prostrated by cramps, and being in a very week condition. I entertained very serious thoughts of giving up my profession and spending some years in travel, and would have done so but for an attendant of mine, whose head I had cut off occasionally while performing my wonderful decapitation act. The individual to whom I complained of the pains and the cramps in my side on one occasion said it was curious—that I, who could decapitate another and replace the head at will, ought certainly be able to cure myself. I told him how some of the best Drs. in Europe and America had failed. He laughed at me, and said he could cure me in a week. That night he presented me with a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, the Great German Remedy, saying that its use would produce an effect more magical than I could readily believe. I laughed at the idea of St. Jacobs Oil doing what had baffled the greatest doctors, but said that I would try it, simply to convince him that trying it would do no good. That night, on retiring, I rubbed my side with the Oil, and, sure enough, its good effect was instantaneous—magical, in fact; I felt relief at once. I slept better that night than I had done for a long time before. Again in the morning I rubbed with the Oil, and at the close of the afternoon performance I noticed a great diminution of the painful cramps. Was I suprised? Well, I was very much surprised, and I told my attendant so. In less than a week, and before I had finished using my third bottle, I was entirely and permanently cured. The effect of St. Jacob's Oil was indeed magical, so much so that I could scarcely believe my senses. I have never felt a cramp since—nor is there prophet, seer, soothsayer or magician who can perform such wonders as St. Jacob's Oil.

—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THE POLITEST MAN IN BOSTON.

The politest man in Boston has been discovered. He was hurrying along the other night, when another man, also in violent haste, rushed out of an alley way, and the two collided with great force. The second man looked mad, while the polite man, taking off his hat, said: "My dear sir, I don't know which is to blame for this encounter, but I am in too great a hurry to investigate. If I ran into you I beg your pardon; if you ran into me, don't mention it"—and he tore away at redoubled speed.

Wisconsin has been trying to destroy its wolves, wild cats and foxes by offering a reward for every one killed, and within six months has expended nearly $8,000 in this way. But those who seem to know, say that the only result has been to increase the number of these animals, the reward offered for their destruction being an incentive to breed and raise them.

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NEWS NOTES.

The United States Congress met on the 5th inst.

Another infernal machine was discovered at the Montreal Court House on Tuesday.

The elections in Quebec last week resulted in an increased majority for the present government.

Rev. D. Thomas, a prominent minister in the Methodist Church of United States, has been expelled for heresy.

There is a rumor prevalent that an amalgamation is to take place between Credit Valley and Great Western Railway.

The Canada Pacific Railway Co. has ordered thirty locomotives in Glasgow, Scotland, to be delivered early next year.

Prince Leopold, the youngest son of Queen Victoria, is to be married to Princess Waldich, at Windsor Castle in March next.

On Sunday evening at 6.37 a slight but very distinct shock of earthquake passed over Huntingdon, Que., going from west to east.

Scott Phipps, a clerk in the London Postoffice, was suspended yesterday, pending an enquiry respecting some missing registered letters.

Three boys were killed while playing in a ruined building in St. Johns, New Brunswick, by a part of the wall falling in on them.

Small pox is prevalent in many places in the United States, and considerable fear and excitement exists. There has been 2000 cases in Chicago.

An attempt was made last week to blow up the City Hall, Montreal, by means of an infernal machine. It was, however, discovered in time to prevent.

The press room of the *Evening Post*, Montreal, was damaged to the extent of $5000, by fire, one day last week. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

A disastrous fire occurred at Minneapolis, Minnesota, on the 4th inst., destroying four large flour mills, one cotton mill, and causing the death of four men.

A farmer living near Parsonstown, County Limerick, Ireland, was waylaid and beaten to death, on Saturday 3rd inst, because he paid the landlord the rent he was owing.

It is asserted that satisfactory arrangements for the new through line of railway from Quebec and Montreal to Chicago were perfected at the meeting of railway magnates held in New York last week.

It appears Mr. Delemater, Clasic Master, has been dismissed by the Board of Education of Owen Sound, and some of the people got up an indignation meeting condemning the Board for so doing.

Rev. Dr. Robb, late well known pastor of Cook's Church, Toronto, died in Galway, Ireland, on Nov. 8th. He was a man of high attainments and genial friendliness, and will be greatly regretted in Toronto.

A fatal case of shooting occurred in London, Ont., on Saturday of last week. The old stony didn't know know it was loaded. It is a great pity the fools who cause these deplorable accidents were not themselves the victims.

James D. Lewin, is charged with stealing a cheque for $1.500 belonging to the Bank of British North America at London, Ont, and a Mr. Furlonge the ledger keeper in the same institution, is charged with embezzlement.

The body of a man, who died of cancer in the face, near Napanee, was stolen from the grave. It is supposed to have been done by the medical students of Kingston, as his case was a very peculiar one. The wife of the deceased, and some of his friends have gone to Kingston to investigate.

THE T. G. & B. RAILWAY.

CHANGE OF GAUGE.

On Saturday night the first train on the Standard Gauge passed up on its way to Owen Sound, and notwithstanding the lateness of the hour (9.30 p.m.,) the larger portion of Markdale was at the station to witness its arrival. We passed over the Road on Tuesday last, and we cannot speak too highly of it. The old wooden bridges have been repaired by iron and stone structures, and all the road has been relaid with new ties and heavy steel rails, and at the Humber has been straightened and a magnificent stone and iron bridge thrown a cross that stream. So greatly is the change for the better, as regards comfort, speed &c., that we could hardly bring ourselves to believe that we were on the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Road, and fear we would wake up and find the whole thing a dream.

The change will be a great benefit to the whole country through which the road passes, and the company deserve the best thanks of those interested for the thorough manner in which the work has been done, and we sincerely hope to the immense outlay to which they put will be amply repaid them. The benefits to be derived by the public will be many such an increase speed, facilities for shipping goods to any part of Canada or the United States without breaking bulk, &c. &c.; and they will be well rewarded for the heavy bonuses they have granted to the company in days past. Although the gauge has been changed we are happy to say there has been no change in the staff and the old familiar and smiling faces stil greeted us on our trip to the city. We congratulate the company on their successful completion of the work, and re-iterate the hope that their outlay will be recouped to them an hundred fold.

FLESHERTON.

WE visited Flesherton on Monday last and noticed that considerable improvement had been made since our last visit.

The street lamps first attracted our attention, fourteen in number. They are so arranged that they light up the principle portion of the village. The cost we consider very low, being only $6 each, which amount covers the cost of post, lamp, and placing it in position and ready for use. Mr. Strain had the contract of supplying them. We suggest that Markdale should follow the example set us by our enterprising sister village.

Mr. Richardson's Block, which has been veneered with brick, and thoroughly refitted the past summer, adds materially to the appearance of that portion of the town. We congratulate Mr. R. in his having secured three such desirable tenants for his new premises, viz: Messrs. J. Gordon, A. McPherson, and W. F. Doll.

Mr. Gordon has a very tastily arranged Harness Shop, well supplied with all articles usually kept in a shop of that kind, and is doing a good safe business. In our business relations the past year we have found him an honourable man, and no doubt those who patronize him will bear out our assertion.

Mr. McPherson, manager of the branch of Wm. Lucas & Co's. Bank, occupies the centre portion of the building, and is comfortably and conveniently situated. The establishment of this institution in Flesherton has been a great convenience to the business men and we are happy to say its business is largely on the increase.

The other portion of the premises is occupied by Mr. Doll, and judging from appearances, times with him are booming. He has a very large and fine stock of Watches, Clocks, and Jewelry. It is not necessary for us to wish him success, as that much to be desired position has already been attained.

Mr. Richardson is doing a good business in the Drug Store. He has received his Christmas goods, and has a fine display. Mr. R. is too well known to require and recommendation at our hands.

Mr. R. J. Sproule is also a favorite with the public, at least we should judge so, from the crowd that throng in his store. His millinery Department is managed this season by our old friend, Miss Reid, of Orangeville.

We called on friend Fawcett, of the *Advance*, and found but half of him there, the better half however, he being at Maxwell on business.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondent.

AMONG THE LODGES.—Eugenia Grange to the front. Eugenia Grange No. 684, held their annual December meeting on the 2nd. and after routine business and a sumtious supper, which this grange is proverbial for, the election of officers for the ensuing year was then the order, when the following were elected:—J. M Webster, W. M; G. Latimore, O; R. Carruthers, Sec; J. Gordon, L; J. Pedlar, C; J. Fenwick, T; H. Williams, S; R. Plant, A. S; J. Williams, G. K; Sisters E. Williams, L. A. S; Sisters Carruthers Cerés; Webster, Flora; Pedlar; Pomona. Executive committee, Bros. D. Campbell, J. Pedlar, and G. Latimore. Delegate to Div. Grange, D. Campbell.

Two initations at this meeting bespeaks the general progress and prosperity of the order.

L. O. L. No. 1118, Eugenia, District of Artemesia, Co. Grey, Officers for 1882:—W.M., Bro. J. I. Graham; D. M., Bro. R. Campbell; Sec., Bro. J. G. Carson; Treas., Bro. J. Fenwick; Sen. Com. man, Bro. H. Webber; 2nd do., Bro. J. Linton; 3rd do., Bro. Sharwood; 4th do., Bro. J. Brodie; 5th do., Bro. D. Wright; Director of Ceremonies, Bro. C. Armstrong; L.P.M., Bro. S. Pedlar.

The season of the year for the shaking of hands and condescending smiles on the part of some people whom you have not had the same pleasure for nearly a year, is now dawning What does it all mean, you begin to think? oh yes, it is near Nomination day. and this is your council man, Give him a good shake off.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From a Correspondent.

It is rumored that Mr. Thomas Boland will be a candidate for councillor, and Mr. Kells for Reeve.

Mr. Joseph Buchanan, son of Wm. Buchanan, Esq., has returned from "Our Home," Dansville, Ohio, where he went last summer for the benefit of his health. We are glad to say his health is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Munshaw, who left a week ago for Michigan, have returned, not being satisfied with the country across the lines.

ARTEMESIA GRANGE—OFFICERS FOR 1882.—Master, Jno. Weber; Overseer, Thos. Boland; Secretary, Jas. Brodie; Treasurer, Wm. Buchanan Sr.; Lecturer, Jno. Boland; Chaplain, Wm. Buchanan Jr.; Steward, John J. Graham; Ass. Steward, Joseph Buchanan; G. Keeper, John Rowe; Ceres, Mrs. R. Smith; Pomona, Mrs. D. Graham; Flora, Miss E. L. Brodie; L. Ass. Steward, Miss. M. Buchanan; Auditors, John J. Graham and John Boland; Executive Committee, Wm. Buchanan Jr. W S. Bowler and James Brodie; Delegate to Division Grange, John J. Graham. The business of this Grange has been satisfactory the past year, $1,600 having been paid for goods during the past year.

JOTTINGS FROM MAXWELL,

From a Correspondent.

Slight showers of snow, but still the mud prevails.

The Maxwell Literary and Debating Society met last Friday evening.—From 'the turn out' and entertainment provided, the Society have strong hopes of increased success. A good programme is provided for next meeting.

Mrs. John Heron, of Artemesia, who died on Thursday last, was buried on Saturday.

Her remains were followed to their last resting place by a very large concourse of friends. The deceased was a daughter of Mr. Thos. Gamey of this place. The bereaved family have the heartfelt sympathy of the community.

OSPREY.

In Osprey we have a man by the name of John Fox, who is deranged in his mind. He has built a brush shanty in the woods belonging to W. Nash, 8th con., and intends living there this winter, his only furniture being a small pot and a sap bucket. He is frequently seen with an axe with which he defends himself. He lives principally upon flour porrige and boiled peas.

The weather still continues cold without snow.

St. Mary's Church, Maxwell, is being cleaned out this week, and will shortly be finished. A Christmas Tree for the children will be provided.

Missionary meetings were held yesterday in the C. M. Church throughout the Township, Revs. Messrs. Wilmot and Wilkinson giving lectures.

FIRE.

From the Dundalk *Herald*.

It is with feelings of regret that we have to chronicle the destruction by fire, of the Post Office Store, owned by G. R. Middleton, Esq. On Sunday morning Mr. Clure, a near neighbor, who has been poorly for some time past, saw the fire through the window of the back kitchen, and immediately gave the alarm, but too late to extinguish the fire. In a few minutes a large number of villagers were at work removing goods and furniture, and succeeded in saving a large quantity. The building being of wood, the fire spread very rapidly and took possession of every department. The amount of Mr. Middleton's loss is about $4,000. There is an insurance of $3,000, in the following companies Fire and Marine, Soverign and Western. Mr. Middleton cannot account how the fire originated.

Dr. McWilliams had a narrow escape, as his sleeping appartment was in the building, and was early entered by the fiery element. The most of the furniture was lost, but by the exertions of Mr. Gordon and some others, the Doctor succeeded in saving all his medicines and office furniture.

The Post Office for the present will be in Mr. J. B. Graham's establishment, next to Samuel McCullough's Hotel, in the shop lately occupied by Mr. Atkinson. Mr. Middleton succeeded in saving all the Post Office matter, so the public may feel easy as to the safety of their correspondence.

A CANADIAN SPEAKS.

When anything worth saying is spoken in that terse and pointed way that bears the impress of honest conviction, we like to have people know the nature of the communication. Of such a nature is the following from Mr. W. F. Haist, Campden P. O., Lincoln Co., Ontario. Mr. Haist says With great joy over my resorted health, I would write a few lines concerning that wonderful remedy, St. Jacobs Oil For the last six years I have been using various medicines internally and externally, but nothing would help me. Finally I procured a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, which cured me after a few applications. My mother-in-law, who has always been a great sufferer from rheumatism, was also instantly relieved by the use of the Great German Remedy. St. Jacob's Oil is a great blessing to suffering humanity, and I shall do everything in my power to make known its merits.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

INSTRUCTIVE AND INTERESTING COMPARISONS.

To the Editor.

SIR—As the time draws nigh for the submission of School accounts, and School affairs generally to the scrutiny and criticism of the electors, I deem it opportune to offer for their information and guidance the following facts and figures, which cannot fail to be both interesting and instructive to all concerned.

As the matter is purely local, perhaps an apology is due to your numerous readers outside, whose interests are in no way involved; still, when it is borne in mind that the annual revenue and disbursements of our school section is equal, if not greater, than the entire yearly controlable expenditure of the township of Artemesia, it will not be wondered at if those out of whose pockets this large sum of money comes manifest a lively interest in the subject under consideration.

It is now almost four years since the present union of School Sections No. 1, Artemesia, and No. 8, Glenelg, was formed; the first Board of Trustees for the United Section having been elected in 1878. At that time a magnificent opportunity lay before those gentlemen elected to the first Board to illustrate, by a judicious and economic management of the school affairs, the benefits which such union was designed to confer. That first Board *then* enjoyed to the full the entire confidence of the electors; every member of that Board was elected by a large majority.

Sir, how did that first Board fulfil the expectations, the just and reasonable expectations, of those who confided in its wisdom and probity? The question we propose, briefly, with your kind permission, to discuss as follows:

Financially the record stands thus:

1878,	Salaries,	1005 00
	Interest additional on Debentures,	12 00
	Repairs,	13 00
	New seats,	1 50
	Stove wood	82 70
	Light wood,	4 75
	Rent,	40 00
	Incidentals,	75 63
	Total,	$1184 58
1879,	Salaries,	$1050 00
	Interest (additional on Debentures,	9 00
	Rent,	40 00
	Repairs,	2 60
	New seats, &c.,	17 63
	Stove wood,	15 00
	Light wood,	4 00
	Incidentals,	29 57
	Total,	$1167 80
1880,	Salaries,	$850 00
	Interest, as above.	6 00
	Rent, *nil*,	0 00
	Repairs,	17 75
	New seats, &c.,	32 50
	Stove wood,	47 50
	Light wood,	2 00
	Incidentals,	20 50
	Total,	$ 976 25
1881,	Salaries,	$900 00
	Interest, as above,	3 00
	Rent, *nil*	0 00
	Repairs,	6 90
	New fence and woodshed (capital act.,	0 00
	New seats, *nil*,	0 00
	Stove wood,	42 50
	Light wood,	2 00
	Incidentals, so far.	24 00
	Total,	$ 978 40

FORECAST FOR 1882.

Salaries (certain),	$900 00
Interest, as above, *nil*,	0 00
Rent, *nil*,	0 00
Repairs, say	5 00
Stove wood, say	45 00
Light wood (certain),	2 00
Incidentals, say	25 00
Total,	$977 00

From the foregoing it will be seen that the spirit of recklessness in the matter of expenditure which possessed the Board in '78, was continued in an aggrevated form in '79; but fortunately early in the latter year that spirit of extravagance was arrested, and thenceforth the actions of the Board were characterized by moderation and economy. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for the space accorded, I leave the subject with the ratepayers for the present. WM. BROWN.

Markdale Dec. 7, 1881.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia was held pursuant to adjournment, on the 26th day of November, 1881.

Members all present.

Minutes of last session of Council read and approved.

One Dollar and sixty cents, arrears of taxes, charged against James Thurston; and 40 cents, arrears charged against Richard Howell, struck of the Collector's Roll, being charged in error.

The time of collecting the taxes of the current year was extended until the 31st day of December next.

The current year's taxes charged to William McElroy, with the exception of the school rates, struck off the Collector's Roll on account of his protracted illness and inability to work.

The proposal of E. E. Knott, regarding his fire safe was accepted, Mr. Knott to deliver the safe at the Clerk's office.

The Treasurer was authorized to pay the claim of Neely and Johnston vs. the corporation, amounting to $90.29.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to T. Gilleland, Esq., P. L. S., Eugenia, $39, for services rendered surveying.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows:—To Richard Snelgrove, Pathmaster, $8, to pay hands employed assisting surveyor on 28 and 29 side-road. John Hunter, $3, being the statute labor charged in error. Freeman Burritt, $6, for building culverts. Donald Wallace, $30.50, for cutting down hill on 12 and 13 side-line, con. 2. Jas. Clugston, $44, for work performed on 24 and 25 side-line.

On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned until the last Saturday in December next.
[illegible], Tp. Clerk.

ANOTHER LAKE DISASTER.

LOSS OF THE PROPELLER JANE MILLER.

Owen Sound, Ont., Dec. 4.—The Tug *Tommy Wright* left on Saturday morning in search of the missing steamer *Jane Miller*. At the time of writing (4 p.m.) she has not returned with any report. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Scales of the township of Kepple, whose son was a hand on the steamer, went out around Hay and White Cloud Islands. He returned with strong evidence of the steamer's wreck, having found three men's caps, two oars marked "Jane Miller," two tubs of butter, some miscellaneous pieces of furniture a portion of a mast, and a steamer's gang plank on White Cloud island. The Miller's last port of call was at Big Bay, where she took on freight and left for Spencer's dock, a short distance off, for fuel, after which she intended going to Lion's Head, for which place she had on board some ten tons of freight. It was blowing a strong gale from the south-west at the time, and as she never made this latter port it is supposed that she foundered near White Cloud island, and went down suddenly with all on board. It is said there were twenty-five persons on board, made up of crew and passengers, but it is impossible as yet to ascertain the exact number.

THE STEAMER.

The Jane Miller was built at Little Current, Manitoulin island, in 1879. She was purchased in the spring of 1880 by Captain Port, and has since been running between here and ports on the south side of Manitoulin island. She was classed by the Lloyd's as A 2½. The vessel was valued at eight thousand dollars, and insured in the Phœnix Insurance Co. for six thousand. The Miller was considered a staunch little propeller, and has weathered successfully a number of severe gales. Capt. Port was recognized as a most skillful officer, and a man of superior judgment in handling his boat. In February, 1879, he undertook a trip to Michael's Bay with the tug Prince Alfred, having on board Mr. R. A. Lyon, M.P.P., and Col. Farijana, of the Public Works Department. After battling with heavy gales and fields of ice for about a month, and creating grave apprehensions for his safety, he returned. It may be that his undaunted bravery, narrow escapes, and familiarity with the perils of the deep, led him on this occasion to over-estimate the capabilities of the vessel, which has resulted in such a deplorable catastrophe. Capt. Port leaves a widow and large family, as also does the engineer. Both of them resided at Wiarton.

OWEN SOUND, Dec. 5.—The sole topic of conversation to-day is the fate of the steamer Jane Miller and the consequent sacrifice of human life. Even mariners are not inclined to express any very decided opinions as to the probable cause of the disaster. The general public are profoundly appalled at the large number of disasters on our northern lakes this season. It is to be hoped some steps will be taken to place shipping on a sounder basis, to ensure the greater safety of those engaged in such pursuits, and to prevent the frequent recurrence of such horrible catastrophes as this fall has witnessed. The loss of life in the present case was at first thought to be about fifteen or twenty, but every few hours another is added to the list. The number at present can be fairly estimated at from twenty-eight to thirty. The tug Tommy Wright has been out all day cruising around the bay and grappling between Cameron's and Spencer's dock, Colpoy's Bay, where the vessel is supposed to have gone down, but without success. Every effort has been made to secure the names of those on board, but it is still incomplete. The following is as nearly correct as can be ascertained:—A. Port, R. Port, F. Port, J. Christison, Alex. Scales, Gilbert Corbet, and three deck hands unknown, passengers, J. B. Hallock, S. Thompson, J. Walker, Mr. Jestin, L. Vader, J. Gillespie, Capt. Malcolm McLeod, M. Hill, L. Butchart and wife, and ten labouring men going to a lumber shanty at Tobermoray.—*Mail*.

COUNCIL MEETINGS.

Holland council meets at Williamsford Station on 13th December.

Glenelg,—At Town Hall, on 12th Dec.

Artemesia,—In Town Hall, Flesherton, Monday, the 5th.

Proton,—At Gordon's Hotel, on Tuesday, the 13th.

BIRTHS.

KNOTT—On the 29th inst., the wife of E. E. Knott, Esq., at Springfield, of a daughter.

HAINES—On the 25th inst., the wife of Mr. Geo. Haines, Meaford, of a daughter.

PERRY—On the 24th ult., the wife of Rev. D. Perry, Walter's Falls, of a son.

FINCH—On the 28th ult., the wife of Mr. A. H. Finch, teacher, Walter's Falls, of a son.

HARCOURT—In Owen Sound, on the 4th inst., the wife of Mr. Geo. Harcourt, Baggage man on T. G. & B. Railway, of a son.

MARRIED.

MCEACHERN—IRELAND—At Mount Forest, on 22nd Nov., by the Rev. D. Frazer, M. A., Alexander McEachern, to Miss Elizabeth A. Ireland, all of Proton.

MEGGITT—GRAHAM—on the 6th inst., at the residence of Mr. Henry Green, by Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Geo. Meggitt, to Miss Elizabeth Graham, all of Artemesia.

GRANT—BURCH—On Tuesday 1st Dec., at the residence of the bride's mother, Toronto St, Markdale, by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Geo. Grant, to Miss Mary Ann, second daughter of Misses John Burch, formerly of Owen Sound.

DIED.

DYRE—On the 28th ult., at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. Henry Smith, Walter's Falls, Mr. Henry Dyre, aged 86 years, 2 months and 21 days. Deceased was one of the veterans of 1812.

HERRON—In Artemesia, on Dec. 2nd, the beloved wife of Mr. John Herron, aged 24 years and 2 months.

CARSON—In Artemesia, 3rd, the beloved wife of Mr. J. G. Carson, aged 25 years.

WYVEL—In Euphrasia, on the 2nd of Dec., Elizabeth, third daughter of George Wyvel, aged 13 years and 11 months, of diphtheria.

MCLEAN—On December 1st. 1881 Samuel McLean, of the Township of Proton aged 57 years.

FERNAME—On Nov. 27th, Thomas Ferneme of the Township Proton, aged 27 years.

CAMPBELL—On Nov. 27th. 1881, Margaret, daughter of Mr. Campbell, Blacksmith, Inistioge, aged 2 years and 10 months.

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Toronto......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Orangeville.. "	9.45 "	6.50 "
Teeswater.....arr.	2.00 p.m.	10.35 p.m.
Owen Sound.. "	1.15 "	10.15 "
Owen Sound..dep.	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Teeswater.... "	5.15 a.m.	3.00 "
Orangeville... "	8.53 a.m.	7.30 "
Toronto......arr.	11.15 a.m.	9.50 "

Business men and travellers generally from all parts along the line of Railway will be enabled to leave home in the morning, have

Five Hours In Toronto!
and Return the Same Day.
TAKE THE SHORT ROUTE!

For further particulars see Time Table.

EDMUND WRAGGE,
General Manager.

Toronto, Dec. 1st, 1881.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT all parties indebted to the firm of Wilson & Bryden, are hereby authorized to pay the same to the undersigned; and all debts due by the said firm will be paid by

GEO. WILSON.

Markdale, Dec. 7th, 1881. 65-3t.

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A QUANTITY OF
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AND UPWARDS; ALSO
5,000 Cords Cedar Posts,
For which the Highest Prices will be paid.

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Card of Thanks.

TO MY FELLOW TOWNSMEN AND OTHERS WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:—

I hereby acknowledge the kind and opportune assistance rendered to me on Sabbath morning last; which eventuated in saving my premises—known as the Louise Block—from fire.

I subscribe myself, gratefully,

W. J. HICKS.

Dundalk, December 5th, 1881. 15-1t.

NOTICE.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned and forbid paying any money due or to become due to the firm of Wilson & Bryden, carrying on business as Butchers in the Village of Markdale, except to me, as I am the only person entitled to receive the same. And further take notice that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any person or persons in the name of said firm without my consent. And also take notice that the said firm or co-partnership has not been dissolved notwithstanding any notice or report to the contrary.

THOS. J. BRYDEN.

Dated at Markdale, this 7th day of December, 1881. 65-2in.

Dissolution of Partnership.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY mutually agree that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us as Sparling & Rowe under certain articles of co-partnership be, and the same is hereby dissolved. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the same, Henry Sparling, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this Fifth day of December, 1881.

Signed and sealed in the presence of Jas. A. Rowe.

HENRY SPARLING,
JOHN ROWE.

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J. GORDON.

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Flesherton, Dec, 6th, 1881. 16.

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Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881.

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Ladies' Work Boxes, Ladies' and Gents' Writing Desks, Photograph Albums, Autograph Albums, Mental Photographs, Card Cases, Vases, and Toilet Sets, Moustache Cups, Shaving Mugs, Dolls, &c., &c.

In **BOOKS** we have a choice assortment, including Landscape, Poets, Bibles, Revised Testaments, Church Services, Prayer and Hymn Books, Miscellaneous Presentation Books, and Children's Picture Books. Christmas Cards—a very fine collection. A good supply of TOYS, &c., all suitable for Xmas Presents and New Year's gifts.

A. TURNER & CO.,
Medical Hall.

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THE STANDARD.

December 9th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

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What a rush for Christmas and goods to A. McIntyre.

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Merry Christmas and a Happy Year to all, from A. McIntyre.

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your dealers for "Castorine" oil, and see that the barrel 'Castorine," as none other

Bargains at D. J. Shanahan's Works. His shops are full and cutters, for sale at reduced prices.

your supply of the finest brand from McIntyre.

require any Sale Bills, Tea Posters, or anything in our it along, we can let you have by return mail.

—Dentists who have tried pronounce it the finest the face of this earth for the breath. 5 cent samples.

the Jeweller is showing an stock now. A lot of goods for Xmas presents. Don't them.

require a Sofa, Lounge, or in the furniture line? It you to call and examine J. Stock, Flesherton.

"Castorine" Machine Oil, for of machinery, it is also ex harness and leather, mak and weather proof. For dealers.

here, Sandy, take a drop out this bottle; I got it at McIntyre's. I'm!!"

MANUFACTURERS of reapers, mowers threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it out wear lard, seal, or elephant, warranted not to gum.

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Mr. McFarland, who opened out in blacksmith business two weeks has sold his stock to McKenna & he having secured a situation the Shelburne foundry.

We ask our readers to search our advertising columns for the advertisement of Mr. W. Benson. He will advertises, and is worthy call by those who wish cheap

Christmas, the season for plum puddings and other luxuries, is fast approaching. McIntyre informs us no delicacy that may be required what will be found in his store. him a call.

weather for the past week has very open, but on Tuesday night snow storm set in and at present time of writing the indications are that we will have good sleighing now, and that winter has really set we hope so.

Rae tell us that Christmas Well, we all know that, don't know that their stock of groceries is one of the largest in town, and A 1 at that, unless and examine for ourselves, intend doing, and advise to do likewise.

Roll for S. S. No. 6, Glenelg, November. 1881. SENIOR 4TH CLASS obtainable, 380—Barbara; Jennie Donnelly, 247. CLASS—marks obtainable, McKee, 256; Michael Nor; Matilda White, 197. 3RD marks obtainable, 325—Mary; Wesley Wright, 224; Walker, 208. MINNIE THIBAU Teacher.

LADIES.—Those languid, sensations, causing you to able to be on your feet; drain that is taking from all its elasticity; driving from your cheeks; that drain upon your vital forces, your irritable and fretful, removed by the use of remedy, Hop Bitters. and obstructions of your relieved at once, while the of periodical pain is per removed. Will you heed *Cincinnati Saturday Night.*

buy your Mantles, Shawls, other Millinery goods until largest stock in the country McFarland's.

to present arrangements will be carried on the morn from Toronto, and on the train to Toronto on the T., Railway. The mail will close P. O. as follows:—Going 30, p.m., and going North,

There is no do dian climate is affections, and f Pectoral should be in Coughs, Colds, a and Throat affecti equal. In large bo Turner and Co., dale.

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There is no doubt that our Canadian climate is conducive to Lung affections, and for this reason Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops should be in every house. For Coughs, Colds, and all other Lung and Throat affections they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A Turner and Co., Special Agent Markdale.

Brown Hollands, 12, 15, 18, and 22 cents, all linen and one yard wide. Table Linens in bleached and unbleached damask, 40, 42½, 50, and 60 cents per yard. Table napkins and Towelling all arriving, purchased from Ferguson, Dickson & Co., Belfast, for W. J. McFarland, the only direct importer of goods in Markdale.

We were in error last week when we said that Mr. James Reid, of Mount Forest, had the contract for the mason work and plastering of the Reid Block. We should have said Mr. Jas. Reid, of Markdale.

Honor Roll for Maxwell Public School for November, 1881. Fourth Class—Ella Kerr, Cyrus Field, Geo. Heron, Aggie Gamey. Sen. 3rd Class—Elgar Brownridge, Alice Nicholson, Lily Long. Jun. 3rd Class—Annie Heron, Eddie Tuck, Cyrus Brownridge, Arthur Brownridge. Sen. 2nd Class—Maggie Schinamon, Fred. Field. Jun. 2nd Class—Calista Preston, Walter McCallum, Robt. Heron, M. Beatty. Sen. 1st Class—Frank Tuck, Sam. Beatty, Fred. Gamey. Jun. 1st Class Chas. Schinamon, Chas. Heron, W. Harrison.—E. J. J. Ferguson, Teacher.

A great many people are troubled with cold feet, which is invariably caused by a sluggish circulation of the blood. A few doses of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters will soon produce a free circulation of the blood and Stimulate and Tone the system. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents, A. Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

W. J. McFarland has advice of arrival at Halifax *via* S. S. Corinthian, of Drab Corduroy, Drab Moleskins, Brown Corduroy, Mantle Cloths, Ladies' Quilted skirts, Brillianteen Lustres, Small spot Flannel in Blue and Scarlet, White and Colored Quilts purchased direct from English manufacturers.

Another Victim.—We have to chronicle another desertion from the ranks of bachelordom, in the person of our genial friend Mr. George Grant, who, after due deliberation, has taken Miss Mary Ann Burch to be a partner of his joys and sorrows in the time to come. We hardly know which to congratulate the most—the gentleman in getting a good wife, or the lady in getting a good husband, therefore congratulate them both, and trust their journey through life will be a happy and prosperous one; when we say that we say we believe we but utter the wish of all who had the happiness of knowing them.

A Public Meeting Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Honor Roll for S. S. No. 2, Artemesia, November 1881. Senior 4th Class—maximum marks, 400—Fanny Green, 329; Robt. McNicoll, (special) Emma Wright, 297; Oscar Wright, 289; Herbert Henry, 193. Junior 4th Class—W. John Blair, 311; Benjamin White, 303; Bella McNicoll, 193. 3rd Class, 1st Division—maximum marks, 400—Isabella Cunningham, 339; Beatrice Flesher, 338; M. Ann Green, 327. 2nd division—Prudence Flesher, 326; Agnes McCue, 308; Euphemia Burnett, 286. 3rd division—Blake Anderson, 343; Asa Hill, 248; Alf. Whitby, 224. 4th division Claud Hill, 328; Maggie Burnett, 326; Robt. Blair, 282.—Theo. Hall, Teacher.

Now that winter has well commenced we would advise our readers against using pills containing Calomel and other injurious substance, as there is great danger of catching cold after their use. An excellent substitute for pills is a Vegetable Preparation known as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, a family medicine that, from all accounts, will soon take the place of every other purgative and blood purifier. A Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

We intend issuing 500 extra copies of the Standard and Herald the week before Christmas, for gratuitous distribution. This will be a splendid opportunity for advertisers to let the public know what they have for sale. Send in your advertisements at once, as the space is limited and is being fast taken up.

A FOUR THOUSAND DOLLAR FIRE AT CLARKSBURG.

Clarksburg, Ont., Nov. 24.—This morning, about half past one o'clock, a fire broke out in rear part of the premises owned by Mrs. Rowe, and lately occupied by Thomas Leary as a hotel. Before the inhabitants of the village were aware of the fire, it had gained such headway that there was no possibility of saving the building. The high westerly wind blowing at the time soon carried the flames into the stables, behind these to the Masonic Hall and the large frame dwelling to the east, long owned and occupied by the late F. Lefroy as a hotel, with the stables thereto belonging, and all were consumed. Had the building where the fire originated been wholly frame instead of strip and rough-cast, nothing could have saved James Campbell's and W. Johnson's premises. The loss is divided as follows:—Mrs. Rowe about $1,600, insurance for $1,000; the Masonic Hall and shed, $700, insurance for $300; James Campbell $200, insurance for $50; Solomon Olmsted $1,500, insurance unknown.

MARKDALE.

Friday, Dec. 9th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.23
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.20
Barley	0.70	"	0.82
Oats	0.32	"	0.36
Peas	0.72	"	0.74
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	5.00	"	6.30
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.05	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed,	2.00	"	3.00
Hay	15.00	"	20.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.12	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.25	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Friday, Dec. 9th. 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.23
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
Barley	0.70	"	0.85
Oats	0.32	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.68
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.00	"	65.0
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.86
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	15.0
Timothy seed,	2.00	"	2.40
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall,	No. 1	$1.52	to	$1.71
Wheat, Spring,	" 1	1.20	to	1.23
Barley	" 2	.55	to	.75
Peas	" 1	.65	to	.70
Oats	" 1	.36	to	.36
Butter	" 1	.20	to	.21
Eggs		.12	to	.15
Potatoes	"	40	to	40
Pork	"	6.60	to	6.75
Hay	"	10.00	to	12.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30	to	$1 38
Wheat, spring, do.	1 35	to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 95
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 95	to	1 00
Clover Seed do.	o 00	to	o 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25	to	8 50
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	6 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	o 35	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	21	to	0 22
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 22	to	0 23
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 80	to	0 85
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 30
Hay	12 00	to	1o 16

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

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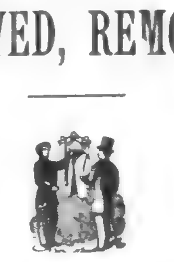

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DODGERS,
HAND BILLS,
PAMPHLETS,
PROGRAMMES,
VISITING CARDS,
BUSINESS CARDS,
BALL TICKETS
DINNER TICKETS,

Or in fact anything in the printing line,

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Send us your order by mail or otherwise and it will be attended to at once and we will

Guarantee Satisfaction.

Advertisers!

would do well to remember that for special advertising we publish in our two papers for 25 per cent. advance on one papers' charges.

Correspondence!

must be in our office by Tuesday evening to secure a place in that week's issue.

C. W. RUTLEDGE, Editor and Proprietor, Markdale, Ont

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From Carte de Visite to Life Size.

Large assortment of

FRAMES ALWAYS ON HAND!

☞ Call and see my new Gallery.

J. L. BROWN, Artist.

Markdale, Nov. 30th. 1881. 64-ly.

THOS. SPICER,

BLACKSMITH,

Would announce to the public that he has leased the Blacksmith Shop lately occupied by Mr. James Hanna, and will carry on the business in all its branches. Having taken

13 Prizes for Horseshoeing

he will treat all kinds of diseases pertaining to the foot, viz:

Hoof-Bound Contraction,

QUARTER CRACKS, INTERFERING, &c., &c.

All Work Warranted.

THOS SPICER.

Dundalk, Nov. 4th, 1881. 10-3m.

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS,

Beg to announce that they have commenced work in Markdale as Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders, &c., and from their knowledge of the requirements of the trade in Markdale and surrounding country, hope, by moderate prices, strict attention to business, and promptitude in the execution of orders by the most skillful workmen, to merit a share of public patronage.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,
Sugar Kettles,
Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881. 63-ly.

Notice to Contractors.

AS WE HAVE A LARGE QUANTITY of Saw Logs at our mill this season, we will give contractors a good chance. The logs will be all skidded in the woods. A good shanty and stable also in the woods. Any parties wishing to have a contract of this kind will do well to see us. The distance to haul, about two-and-a-half miles, on a good road.

13-3t. R. & A. NEILSON, Proton Station.

FOR SALE.

3 MILCH COWS, 1 STEER RISING four years, partly broke, having been drove in sleigh last winter. Apply to George Ireton, Lot 92, 2nd Concession West of the T. and S. Road, Glenelg, one mile north of Barrhead Mills. 62-3t.

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LICENSED AUCTIONEER

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TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots.

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GEO. NOBLE.

Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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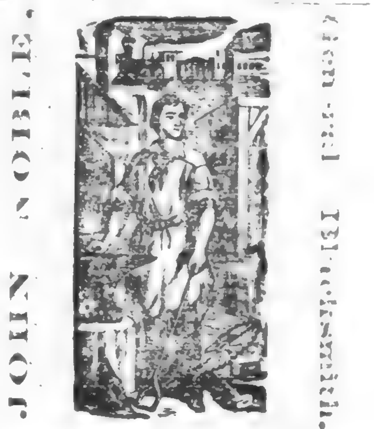

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It is curious that a pig must be killed before he can be cured.

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There's no use in arguing the question of the potency of some substances for especial service in emergencies.—They will do all they promise, and more, if judiciously used. The following from Mr. P. Murphy, of No. 1 Fire Station, Ottawa, bears upon the point stated above. Mr. Murphy says: I had occasion to use St. Jacob's Oil recently, and must say that it is the best Liniment I ever saw used. I caught cold from getting wet at a fire, and it settled in my shoulder and down my back to my hip. I sufferred a great deal from the pain. I was advised to try St. Jacob's Oil. I did so, and after the fourth application I was entirely free from pain. I cannot speak too highly of it, and advise others to use it.

SUSPICIOUS SYMPTOMS.

A minister who was perhaps not too careful in his habits was induced by his friends to take the teetotal pledge. His health appeared to suffer, and his doctor told him to take one glass of punch daily.

"Oh!" said he, "I dare not. Peggy, my old housekeeper would tell" the whole parish."

"When do you shave?" the doctor asked.

"In the morning."

"Then," said the doctor, "shave at night; and when Peggy brings up your hot water, you can take your glass of punch just going to bed.'

The minister afterwards apeared to improve in health and spirits. The doctor met Peggy soon after and said:

"I'm glad to hear, Peggy, that your master is better."

"Indeed, sir, he's better, but his brain's affected; there's something wrang wi' his mind."

"How?"

"Why, doctor, he used to shave at night before going to bed, but now he shaves in the morning, he shaves before dinner, he shaves after dinner, he shaves at night—he's aye shavin'."

ONE EXPERIENCE FROM MANY.—I had been sick and miserable so long and and had caused my husband so much trouble and expense, no one seemed to know what ailed me, that I was completely disheartened and discouraged. In this frame of mind I got a bottle of Hop Bitters and used them unknown to my family. I soon began to improve and gained so fast that my husband and family thought it strange and unnatural, but when I told them what had helped me, they said "Hurrah for Hop Bitters! long may they prosper, for they have made mother well and us happy."—the Mother. —*Home Journal*.

HOW TO MAKE MONEY.

Most people are aware of the famous advice given by the thrifty laird of Dumbiedykes, on his death bed, to his son and heir: "Plant trees, Jock—they'll grow when ye'r sleepin'!"

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In short, the business man who doesn't advertise is like a fellow winkin behind spectacles—he may know what he is doing, but nobody else does.

WHAT TO STUDY.

Pope, the poetical philosopher said, "The proper study of mankind is man, and yet, how little is the real science of man studied. If people understood and heeded the laws of health, and if when out of sorts would resort to a common sense like Burdock Blood Bitters, many of the "ills that flesh is heir to" might be effectually remedied. It invigorates and regulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

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Mrs. D. H. Tuthill, a lady who wrote several charming books for young women, once said in speaking of good manners, that "Human nature resented the imparative mood." Think of this, girls. If you ask a child to wait on you, say "please." Be polite to servants and inferiors. Be courteous even to the cat. Why push her roughly aside, or invite her claws? If kindness, goodnature, and gentleness ruled every home, what sunlight would home enjoy. A great deal depends upon the girls—the sisters, the daughters.

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A SCOTCHMAN ON MANITOBA.

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"DEAR FRIEND,—About three weeks after we parted with you at Kirkwood, we arrived in this country. But oh! dear, dear! it is a far awa place. What with the passage in the boat, and the passage by the land, it is a long road indeed—away over to the other side of the world altogether. It is not the place where the people walk with their heads down as you do think; but the place where they stick straight out like preens frae a preen cushion. Yet strange to say, we ken nae odds of oor sel's by what we did in Scotland. Our heads are just as they were, and the skies are above us, the same as they were before, an' we dinna stick oot like preens. We have taken up a section and a half of land, that is 960 acres, and we have called the place Achanmoor, which is a very good name tae, as you will understand. The first thing we did after we got to our land was to delve oor yaird, which we also did in first-class style. All the seeds we brocht oot were sown in due order, and are now brairded, and the kail and the cabbage are just wonderful to look at. We will transplant as many oot our beds as wad be able to feed a drove o' nout as big as the cattle market of Glasgow ony day. A big farmer not far from us said if we would give him twa days harrowing and twa days harvesting at the end of the season he wad lend us his twa ploughs for a week. So we got the twa ploughs, and the stots in them, and we have turned ower as much ground as will give abundance of everything we desire. We have in four acres of wheat, an acre of barley, and an acre of peas. We will plant twa acres o' tatties directly, and some turnips and Indian corn, say about an acre of each, and about an acre and a half of oats. Now did ever ye ken such good fortune, or such good luck? What way should folk whine and yammer ower imaginary ills? Gang oot and meet the ills o' life boldly, and they will flee away a long while afore ye come to them. In our case this has been so, and so will it be in everybody's case wha puts a "stout heart to a stey brae."

This is a fine country, as level as Glasgow Green for miles and miles. Will Ferguson says if the Heilans and this country had been mixed thegither it wad hae been o' some advantage to baith places; and Will's maybe no far wrang; for a ben every fifty miles or so here wad be a great improvement. The air is clear and pure, and you can see for thirty or forty miles at a stretch, just by a' the world gin ye we're looking ower the sea. Between poaching and fishing we are getting as much flesh, fish, and fowl as we can wire intae, and no a gamekeeper tae say—"What dost thou?' Jack M'Lean shot a moose yesterday morning which was as fat as butter, and we did bleed her, and did make the black puddin's and the white, just like as when a mart was killed in the Heilans. We brocht wi' us from Winnipeg to our farm a bag of oatmeal, a bag of wheat meal, a bag of Indian corn meal, and a bag of pease meal and we do have pease brose and bannocks, and scones, in galore. Our oatmeal bannocks we toast at the fire on stanes, and our Indian meal we make like parritch, and mixes it up with the wheaten flour which makes grand scones. All are most excellent as a king could desire to eat. We have got a cow, too, for which we paid £6, and so have milk in plenty, and we wonder if our friends in Old Monkland be as well off as we are, for we are literally in clover, though we have to eat and drink in a shanty wi' no a spoon in the house.

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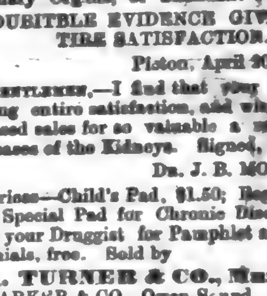

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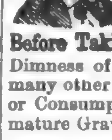

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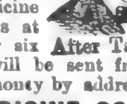

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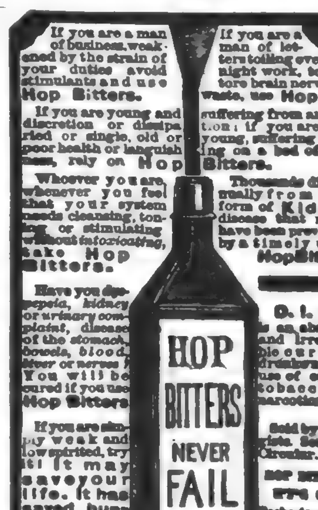

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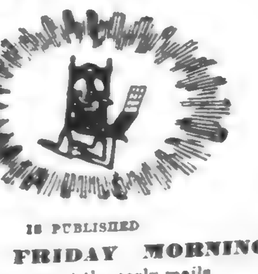

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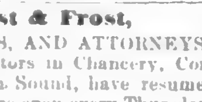

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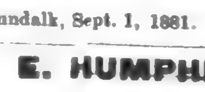

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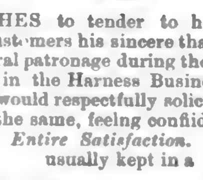

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D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER X. *Continued.*

In dead silence Katherine obeyed—in dead silence the baronet took his place. Her fate was sealed, her days at Scarswood numbered. She saw it at a glance.

'I frightened her last night,' she thought, 'and she has been laying in a complaint to papa this morning, and papa has plucked up courage from despair, and I am to get the route to-day. What a fool I grow! Having waited nineteen years, I might surely have waited two months more. Well, as I must hold in my hand that promised cheque for ten thousand pounds before I cross the threshold, what does it signify? I shall go to London or Paris—my own dear, ever new, ever beautiful Paris—until the last week of the old year, and enjoy myself instead of moping to death in this dull, respectable English house, among dull, respectable English people. It is just as well as it is.'

Mrs. Vavasor was as agreeably conversable as usual during breakfast, but as three-quarters of an hour's steady talking to people who only answer in tersely chill monosyllables is apt to be wearisome even to the sprightliest disposition, her dreary yawn at rising was very excusable.

'I believe I shall postpone my shopping expedition to Castleford, after all, this morning, and go back to bed. Oh dear!' another stifled yawn, 'how sleepy I am. And we dine this evening, do we not, dearest Kathie, at Morecambe?'

'Mrs. Vavasor,' Sir John interrupted, with cold, curt, decision, 'before you go to Castleford or to sleep, be kind enough to follow me into my study. I have a word to say to you.'

He led the way instantly; Mrs. Vavasor paused a moment and looked over her shoulder at Katherine with that smile the girl hated so.'

'I think I understand,' she said, slowly. 'My time has come. If I shall not be able to put in an appearance at the Morecambe dinner party this evening, you will make my apologies, will you not, dearest? And give my love to that perfectly delicious Mr. Dantree.'

And then she went, humming a tune, and entered the study, and stood before the grim old baronet.

He shut and locked the door, took a seat, and pointed imperatively for her to take another. All the time her eyes followed him with a hard, cold glitter, that seemed to set his teeth on edge. He looked her full in the face, and plunged headlong into his subject.

'Harriet Harman—Mrs. Vavasor—whatever name you please, you must leave this house at once! You hear—at once!'

'I hear,' she laughed. 'It would be a dull intellect indeed, my dear Sir John, that could not fail to comprehend your ringing military orders I must go, and at once. Now, that is hard when I made up my mind not to stir until after Christmas. Your house is elegant, your cook perfection, your wines unexceptionable, your purse bottomless, and your friends emient ly respectable. I'm not used to respectable people, nor full purses, and I like Scarswood. Now, suppose I insist upon spending Christmas here after all?'

She folded her arms, and looked at him exactly as she had done on the night of her arrival.

'I will suppose nothing of the sort—you *must go*.'

'Ah! I must! I like people, do you know, who say a thing, and stick to it. Well, you're master here, of course, and if you insist upon it, what can a poor little helpless widow do? But, Sir John, I wonder you're not afraid.'

'Beyond a certain point fear ceases, and desperation comes. I can endure your presence, your sneers, your covert threats no longer. Yo are no fit companion, as I told you before, for Katherine—a woman noted as the most notorious gambler of Baden and Homburg during the past ten years. The girl hates you, as you know, and you—how dared you go to her room as you did last night, and talk of her mother? How dared you do it?'

His passion was rising—there was a suppressed fury in his tone and look, all the stronger for being so long restrained. The widow met it with a second scornful laugh.

'How dared you do it? You have yet to learn what I dare do, Sir John. Don't lose your temper, I beg—it's not becoming in a soldier, a gentleman, and a baronet. How dared I talk to Katherine of her mother? Now, really, Sir John, that sounds almost wicked, doesn't it? What more filial—what more sacred subject could I talk to a child upon than the subject of her sainted mother?'

'Harriet, I thought I would never stoop to ask a favour of you again, but now I do. Tell me—'

'That will do, Sir John—I know what is coming, and I won't tell—never! never! never! It would be poor revenge indeed if I did. What you know now is all you ever will know or she either. I'll leave Scarswood to-day, if you like. After all, hum-drum respectability and stupid stuck up county families are apt to pall on depraved Bohemian palates used to clever disreputable nobodies. Yes, I'll go, Sir John. Give me that ten thousand pound cheque. *Mon Dieu!* the life I mean to lead in Paris on that; delightful, respectable, orthodox—and I'll shake the dust of Scarswood off my feet—for ever!'

'For ever! You swear never to trouble us more?'

'I will swear anything you like, baronet. Oaths or words—it's all the same to Mrs. Vavasor.'

'How can I trust you? How am I to tell that after I pay you the exorbitant price you ask for your secrecy, you will not go to Peter Dangerfield and betray me?'

Mrs. Vavasor laid her hand on her heart.

'On the honor of all the Vavasors, whose *sang-azure* flows in those veins, I swear it. You must take my word, baronet, and chance it. Have I not promised—am I not ready to swear—"by all the vows that ever men have broken!" What more do you want? Give me the money, and let me bid you—"oh, friend of my brighter days!"—one long, one last farewell!'

He went to the writing-case, and handed a crossed cheque for ten thousand pounds. Her eyes flashed with intense delight as she looked at it.

'Ten thousand pounds! Ten thousand pounds! and I never had ten thousand pence before in all my life. Sir John, a million thanks. May you be happy!—may your shadow never be less! May your children's children (meaning the future little Dantrees) rise up, and call you blessed! Those aged eyes of yours will never be pained by the spectacle of my faded features more. I go, Sir John—and I leave my benediction behind.'

She went up to her room singing. Ninon was summoned, a chambermaid was summoned, and Mrs. Vavasor worked with a right good-will. Two little shabby portmanteaus had held Mrs. Vavasor's wardrobe last September—now four large trunks and no end of big boxes, little boxes, and hand bags were filled. And with the yellow radiance of the noonday sunshine bathing park, trees, turrets, and stately mansion in its glory, Mrs. Vavasor was whirled away to Castleford station.

She looked back as the trap flew through the great gates, and under the huge Norman arch.

'A fair and noble inheritance,' she said; 'too fair by far to go to her mother's daughter. Your is sky without a cloud, now, but when I next come, my brilliant, happy, haughty Katherine, look to yourself. This morning's work is your doing—I am not likely to forget that.'

Mrs. Vavasor was gone. The news falls upon Mr. Peter Dangerfield like a blow. As suddenly and mysteriously as she had at first appeared, she had vanished, and where were all her vague promises and bewildering insinuations now?

Katherine was to be married, the wedding day was fixed, he had been bidden to the feast. She had insulted him, scorned him; he must pocket his rage, and live without his revenge. He was not prepared to break the law and commit a murder, and how else was he to pay off this insolent heiress, and her still more insolent lover? Mrs. Vavasor was gone, and all his hopes of vengeance went with her.

Something might happen, to be sure, between this and the wedding day. Gaston Dantree might be shown up in his true colors, as the unprincipled fortune-hunter he was. People die suddenly, too, occasionally. Katherine might break her neck even, in one of her mad gallops over highways and byways. While there is life there is hope.

He went to Scarswood pretty frequently, saw the lovers together happy and handsome, made himself agreeable, always in a cousinly way, and the week sped on. The *trousseau* was ordered, all was joy and gaiety at the house. Christmas week came and nothing had happened.

He sat moodily alone one evening—Christmas Eve it chanced to be—before his solitary bachelor fire, brooding over his wrongs. His solitary, bachelor dinner stood on the table—he had been invited to a brilliant dinner party at Scarswood, and hoping against hope. Nothing ever befell this insolent pair—Katherine grew happier—brighter—more joyous every day, and that upstart, Dantree, more good-looking. Nothing happened; luck was dead against him; nothing would ever happen. This night week was the wedding night—and what a life spread before those two in in the future. It drove him half mad to look at them at times. And he—he must go on grubbing like a worm in the clay, for ever and ever. Katherine and Katherine's children would inherit Scarswood, and all hope was at end for him. He was only a rickety dwarf. Never while life remained would he forget or forgive those cruel words.

'If I live for sixty years to come, I'll only live in the hope of paying you off, my lady,' he muttered, clinching his teeth; 'it's a long lane, indeed, that has no turning! Curse that Mrs. Vavasor! If she knew anything, why didn't she tell me?'

There was a tap at the door.

'Come in,' he called sulkily; 'it's time you came to clear away that mess.' He thought it was the servant, but instead a lady—dressed in black, and closely veiled—entered.

He rose in surprise, and stood looking at her. Who was this? She shut the door, turned the the key, advanced toward him, and held out her hands to the fire.

'It is cold,' she said, and I have walked all the way from the station. Have you dined? What a pity! And I am hungry. Well, give me a glass of wine, at least.'

He knew the voice. With a suppressed exclamation he drew nearer.

'It is,' he said—'surely it is—'

'Mrs. Vavasor!' She flung back her veil and met his his glance, with the old smile, the old malicious expression. 'Yes, it is Mrs. Vavasor, come all the way from Paris to see you and keep her word. A promise should be held sacred and I promised you your revenge, did I not? Yes, Mr. Dangerfield, I have travelled straight from Paris to you, to tell what is to make your fortune, and mine—Sir John Dangerfield's death.'

CHAPTER XI.

THE WEDDING NIGHT.

With a fierce, low cry of intense delight Peter Dangerfield grasped her by the wrist, his thin face close to hers, and flushed with eager joy.

'You will tell me!' he almost gasped—'you mean it this night!—you will tell me to-night!'

'To-night. Let go my wrist, Mr. Dangerfield; you hurt me. Be civil enough to hand me a chair; now a glass of wine—or brandy, if you have it. Ah! this is the true elixir of life!'

She sat down before the fire, put up her little Paris gaiters on the fender, lay back luxuriously, and took the glass of French brandy he offered her.

'You are sure there are no eavesdroppers in your establishment, *mon ami?* I don't care about being overheard.'

'There are none.'

She drew forth from her purse a slip of written paper—Peter Dangerfield's promise to pay her ten thousand pounds when Scarswood became his.

'You recognize this, Mr. Dangerfield, and are still willing to abide by it?'

'Perfectly willing. For Heaven's sake, don't keep me in this fever of suspense and curiosity—speak out!'

She replaced the slip of paper, finished the brandy, and produced a rose-scented cigarette.

'I always smoke when I talk, if possible, and the story I have to tell is a somewhat lengthy one. Won't you load and light up also?—I see your little black pipe up there on the chimney-piece. No? You're too anxious I perceive, and nobody can enjoy a pipe or manilla and listen thoroughly at the same time. Well, before I begin, I must extract another promise. No matter what I tell you, you are not to speak of it until I give you leave. Don't look alarmed—your prohibition will not last long—only until Katherine Dangerfield's wedding-day. Is it a promise?'

'It is. Go on—go on!

'Draw closer, then.'

He obeyed, and little Mrs. Vavasor, leaning back in the easy chair, shoes to the fire, cigarette in mouth, began, fluently and at once, the story she had come to tell.

The Christmas festivilies at Scarswood were very gay indeed, and Mr. Peter Dangerfield missed a very pleasant evening by staying away. Perhaps, though, on the whole, he enjoyed himself quite as much in his bachelor lodgings at Castleford, *tete-a-tete* with Mrs. Vavasor. The long drawing rooms were ablaze with light, and festooned with ivy and mistletoe, and gleaming with scarlet hollyberries. A very large company were assembled—it was an understood thing that Miss Dangerfield appeared in public no more until she appeared as a bride.

She was looking very well to-night—her large eyes full of lustrous light, animated face dimpling ever into radiant smiles. Her silken robe of white, shot with palest rose, blushed as she walked; large Oriental pearls clasped back the floating brown hair, and shone in cloudy splendour on her slim throat. Not hansome—never that—but bright with health, youth, and perfect happiness.

Since the day of Mrs. Vavasor's departure, the days and weeks lay behind her in a golden mist. Time never flew so fast before.

"How noiseless fall the feet of time
That only tread on flowers."

The only thorn in her rose crown had been removed—papa looked contented, or if not contented, resigned—Gaston was all in the way of a devoted Romeo the most exacting Juliet could wish. Then there had been the *trousseau* to order—a trip to London to make, endless new dresses, and bonnets, and presents, and all together Christmas eve had come with magical quickness. On New Year's Eve—just one week from to-night she would be Gaston's wife, and the happiest bride the wide earth held. They were to be married at eleven in the forenoon in Castleford Church. Edith Talbot to be first bridesmaid, and her brother chief groomsman, and after the wedding breakfast the "happy pair" were to start on their honeymoon journey—a long, delightful continental trip, which was to extend far into spring. Then would come the return, the bonfires, the bell-ringing, the feasting of tenantry, and she and Gaston would settle down seigneur and chatelaine of Scarswood, and life would go on for ever, a perpetual round of London seasons, presentations at court, Paris winters, autumns at Scarswood, operas, balls, and all the salt of life.

That was the programme. 'Man proposes"—you know the proverb. The ante matrimonial horizon just at present looked cloudless—a violet sky set with golden stars—not a cloud in all its dazzling expanse. And five miles away, at Castleford, a man and woman sat plotting her life-long misery, disgrace and ruin.

Mr. Dantree was in great force to-night—his voice, and looks, his whole worldly wealth, at their best. He had been the world's foot ball a long time—a scapegoat of society, fighting his way inch by inch, and now the goal was won. Fortune such as he had never dared dream of or hope for had come to him—eight thousand a year, and a title in prospective. And all, thanks to his suave, olive-skinned beauty and flute-like voice.

[TO BE CONTINUED]

ONE EXPERIENCE FROM MANY.—I had been sick and miserable so long and and had caused my husband so much trouble and expense, no one seemed to know what ailed me, that I was completely disheartened and discouraged. In this frame of mind I got a bottle of Hop Bitters and used them unknown to my family. I soon began to improve and gained so fast that my husband and family thought it strange and unnatural, but when I told them what had helped me, they said "Hurrah for Hop Bitters! long may they prosper, for they have made mother well and us happy."—the Mother.—*Home Journal.*

The Boston Daily Post has been established fifty years. Mr. Shillaber (Mrs. Partington) graduated in the office of the Post. He was in the habit of seeing in the editorial room George Bancroft, Horace Greeley, Mr. Peter Fessender, Franklin Pierce, and a host of other distinguished men.

The greatest cotton raisers in the world is Mr Edward Richardson, of Mississippi. He raises cotton, gins, spins and weaves it. He owns 52,000 acres of land, and last year raised over 12,000 bales of cotton. He raises 36,000 pounds of seed cotton every year, from which he makes oil at the rate of 35 gallons per ton, and oil cake which brings him $7 per ton. Mr. Richardson is worth from fifteen to twenty millions of dollars.

GIRLS WITH MOUSTACHES.

"Yes," said an eminent physician, when the topic was being discussed at a dinner table after the ladies had retired. "When you see a dark woman with large bushy eyebrows which nearly grow together, you may be pretty sure that she can grow an imperial if she will only take the necessary pains. Hirsute adornments are not so frequent in young women, although they sometimes occur. A girl often has a heavy growth of down upon the upper lip or the chin. It annoys her, and she keeps feeling it and pulling it continually. Perhaps she endeavors to clip it with scissors, or in some cases shaves it away. The result is a heavier growth next time, which becomes so prominent that it must be removed The most frequent place where the hair makes its appearance is on the upper lip or chin, although it some times appears on the side of the face and even on the throat. As a general thing, I believe those bearded women who are advertised by shows are frauds, but in the course of my practice I have seen more than one woman who could raise a heavey beard if she only wished to cultivate." Do many women shave?" "Why, yes, a great many more than is generally supposed. They hide the traces that the shaving leaves with heavy doses of powder and plaster. Whenever you see a lady especially if she be middle aged, wearing a heavy coating of lilly-white, one of the conclusions is that she has been shaving, although it is not the only inference. One thing is certain, a lady who shaves must use powder in large quantities, and there are many ladys who shave."

ON THE HIP.

This rather inelegant expression, used popularly to indicate that condition of things in which one person holds another securly by some circumstance, word or act, finds literal exemplification of the following narritave by Mr. John Rourk, of Ottawa, Canada. Mr. Rourk says: I have been subject to hip disease for 8 or 9 years, and I have tried all kind of remedies, but found nothing to give me any relief until a friend adyised me to try St. Jacob's Oil. I tried it, and after using 1¼ bottles I am entirely relived of pain, and have not been troubled since, now nearly six months. This is what people would call his getting hip disease "on the hip."

THE CHAMHION TRAMP.

The champion tramp turned up yesterday at the Castle Garden Emigrant Depot. His name is William Kelleher, he was born in Ireland 38 years ago, and came to this country May 6, 1880, as a stearage passenger on the steamer Greece, from Liverpool. Before coming to New York he had been in South Africa for several years, and while working on a new railroad there he lost the sight of an eye and sustained injury to the other by the premature discharge of a gunpowder blast. On arriving in New York City he failed to get employment, and set out on foot through New Jersey and Pennsylvania. At Uniontown, in the latter State, he obtained a week's employment in a quarry, but was then discharged.—Again setting out on a long walk, he turned eastward and fetched up in Boston. In a few days he was put in the workhouse for vagrancy and begging, and kept at the expense of the county for six months. Released from confinement, he started to walk to New York, and got as far as New Rochelle, Westcher county, when he was again apprehended as a vagrant, and sent to the county jail for a month. At the end of the confinement he made good time to the metropolis, but encountered ill-forune, could get no work, and drifted again to New Jersey. In an aimless series of wanderings he passed southward until he got as far as Charleston, S.C. If Kelleher tells the truth, there must have been some sort of "boycotting" practiced against him throughout the whole of his perigrinations, for he could obtain no work anywhere, and as a consequence, like Sherman's columns on their way to the sea, or like an army worm, he subsisted on the country through which he marched.—He says he did not like the climate or the business outlook of the South, and therefore started back for New York by a new route, not caring to repeat his levies for supplies on the exasperated communities who he had previously ravaged. He has finally made the grand tour, he thinks, now asks that the Emigration Commissioners will send him back to Enland. As Europe, nor Africa, nor America have yet been able to afford this gentleman the opportunity in life which he seeks it is surmised that he now cherishing some design against the Continent of Asia, with a view as an ultimate necessity to a descent on the Australian Islans.—New York Paper.

WHEN TO FEED GRAIN TO HORSES.

Horses are provided with an unusually lage developement of the salivary glands, and an enormous amount of saliva is secreted during the eating of a feed of grain or hay. This copious supply of saliva is amply sufficient to moisten and dilute the food, so that it can be digested perfectly without the help of water. Water is absorbed by coats of the stomach and enters the blood with such rapidity that a thirsty horse will drink more water than the stomach will contain at one time, and the water begins to pass off through the kidneys in such a case, after the lapse of a very few minutes. So that, knowing these facts, one may naturally infer that a horse may be watered a few minutes before feeding with more advantage than soon afterward, because in the former case the water has been absorbed before the food has been swallowed, and digestion cannot be interfered with by the presence of too much water in the stomach, as might happen in the latter case. The best practice is that usually followed, namely, to give the horse a little water [illegible] in the morning; to water on coming in at noon, in the evening, before unharnessing and feeding. This gives time for the absorption of the water before the food enters the stomach.—*Exchange.*

"I BEG YOUR PARDON."

A civil word is the cheapest thing in the world, and yet is a thing which the young and happy rarely give to their inferiors. See the effect of civility on a rough little street boy. The other evening a young lady abruptly turned the corner, and very rudely ran against a boy, who was small and ragged and freckled. Stopping as soon as she could, she turned to him and said: "I beg your pardon; indeed, I am very sorry." The small, ragged and freckled boy looked up in blank amazement for an instant; then taking off about three-fourths of a cap, he bowed very low, smiled until his face became lost in the smile, and then answered: "You kin hev my parding, and welcome, miss; and yer may run agin me and knock me clean down, an' I won't say a word." After the young lady passed on, he turned to a comerade and said, apologetically: "I never had any one ask my parding, and it kind o' took me off my feet."

ANOTHER THEATRE HORROR.

THE RING THEATRE IN VIENNA BURNED.

The Ring Theatre, formerly the Comic Opera House, took fire on the night of the 8th inst., just before the biginning of the opera. The fire was caused by the fall of a lamp on the stage. The house was tolerably full and the loss of life is very great. Up to 9.30, seventy bodys had been recovered. Many persons were injured. Sixty were saved with ladders, and by jumping into clothes held below. The greatest efforts were made to save life. The scene was terrible, the flames shooting up through the roof and eventually gutting the entire building.

At 11 p. m. a hundred and forty-five bodies had been brought out of the theatre, but the dead therein are still numerous, many bodies having been consumed in the galleries and other elevated parts of the building. The chief cause of the catastrophe was that in the confusion the iron partition separating the stage from the auditorium was not lowered. Thousands of people assemble in the neighboring streets, where they could hear the cries of agony of the people at the windows of the theatre praying to be saved. The rapidity of the flames prevented the people from taking advantage of the ordinary exits. Only a small portion of the audience saved themselves, which they did by leaping from the windows, three stories high, into the cloths held below.

MIDNIGHT.—The taking out of the bodies from the theatre continues. It is estimated that three hundred persons perished. Some of the bodies are fearfully disfigured. Several persons were injured springing from the windows. Among the missing a Fifie, Court Musical Director, a Hellmersperger. Most of the bodi identified up to the present are tho of tradesmen and minor officials. O the spreading of the news of the di aster the performances at the othe theatres were stopped.

LATER PARTICULARS.

Dec. 9.—Researches show that th upper gallery must have fallen in the pit, where the only remains fou are small fragments of bone. Beyon a doubt, 900 gallery tickets were iss ed; 100 holders of these jumped fro the windows. Competent judges fe that the loss of life will be fully 70 Nothing has been heard of the mem bers of the orchestra. The subscrip tion raised on the Bourse amounts t £28.000. All the newspapers hav opened subscription lists. The Em peror has gived a large sum. An off cial of the theatre states that it w absolutely impossible to lower t iron curtain owing to the frightful r pidity with which the flames spre The audience at the theatre last nigh was larger than usual, owing to th fact that it was a holiday. There w 200 persons on the stage and in th adjoining dressing rooms at the o break of the fire. The ballet co were only half dressed. On the e tinction of the lights all rushed to t stage door. Many were knocked do and trampled upon, but most of the reached the street without serious i jury.

In the panic the persons responsi ble for the safety of the theatre neg lected to use the means of telegraph ing to the fire engine station. The audience were consequently left ten minutes in the darkness of exit. Th life saving brigade then arrive wit ladders, torches and jumping sheets People jumped from the windows dozen at a time, in an hour and a hal the building was a roaring furnace.—The persons whose bodies were firs recovered died from suffocation, bu others presented a shocking spectacl Many have the heads or feet burne off. The building is still on fire. Th funeral of the victims is fixed for Su day. The managers of all the the tres announce special performanc for the benefit of the sufferers. number of persons actuall repor missing is 609. The superinten of machinery states that the machin ry became ignited as the lamps we being light by the electric current. The theatre was the property of t State lessees. The loss is one hu dred thousand florins. All the pe formers, except three of the chor were saved. Three professors and member of Parliament are missin Baron Rothschild subscribed 10,0 florins for the sufferers.

A girl, aged 15 years, was sitting i her house, near Memphis, the oth day, when a tramp approached insi ing, in spite of her remonstrance, u on entering. "You had better not she said, "or you will get what y don't want." She laid down her kni ting and took her six-shooter from h work basket. The tramp entered so did the ball, just below the shoul er. A neighbor rushing in and seei her quietly knitting with the pistol posing in the work-basket, asked she shot him. "Yes," she said, " if he had kept on coming, I would shooting until now." The girl is nounced by a Memphis paper " worth her weight in gold doll but whether this is a valuation of estate, or herself as a protect against tramps, is not stated with [illegible]

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Commencing Thursday, December 8, 1881.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Carlton.........	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston.........	7.41 "	4.36 "
Emery.........	7.53 "	4.48 "
Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge......	8.06 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg.........	8.18 "	5.12 "
Bolton.........	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road......	8.47 "	5.40 "
Charleston......	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton.........	9.25 "	6.23 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive.........	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart.........	9.45 "	6.50 "
Orangeville Junc	9.57 "	7.00 "
Laurel.........	10.07 "	7.10 "
Crombie's......	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne......	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk.........	11.05 "	8.06 "
Proton.........	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale.........	11.55 "	8.55 "
Berkly.........	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford....	12.21 "	9.21 "
Arnott.........	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth......	12.40 "	9.40 "
Rocksford......	12.53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND.....	1.15 "	10.15 "

THE STANDARD.

Friday, December 16th, '81.

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NEWS NOTES.

The Ontario Legislature is summoned to meet on the 19th of January.

Much damage and loss of life has been caused by a typhoon on the coast of Tonquin.

There is little doubt but that the jury in the Guitteau case will return a verdict of willful murder.

Another sub-marine telegraph company is being talked of in London, England, to lay cables to America and India.

Six car load of hogs were shipped to Manitoba, and seventeen car loads to East Cambridge, on Saturday, from Toronto.

A train-load of trucks for the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway arrived at Toronto, on Saturday morning from London car works.

Mr. Edgar Dewdney, Commissioner of Indian affairs in the North-West has been appointed Lieut.-Governor of that Territory.

Several bills are to be introduced at the present session of Congress at Washington, tending to the suppression of polygamy in Utah.

The grand jury at Walkerton yesterday brought in a true bill against Mr. N. J. Clarke, license inspector for South Bruce, for embezzlement.

The machine shops of the New Brunswick Railway at St. Andrew's were destroyed by fire on Monday night. The loss is estimated at $60,000.

The Grand Trunk intend improving their line between Toronto and Bellville shortly. The steep grades will be reduced and the short curves straightened.

During the past week eighty car loads of grain, loaded at the Northern elevator, were freighted over the Grand Trunk railway to Quebec, *en route* to Europe.

Tobin, the Fenian arrested at Bradford for being connected with various Irish plots, has been committed on a charge of treason-felony and conspiracy.

Wallace Ross expresses a willingness to row Hanlan on Toronto Bay, and also will not greatly object to admitting Trickett if a sweepstakes race can be arranged.

A special general meeting of the stock holders of the Ontario Bank is called for the 24th January, 1882, to recieve the resignation of the Board of Directors.

In another column of our paper will be found an account of a horrible catastrophe, which occurred in Vienna, in which it is now stated that over 1,000 lives were lost.

Some hundred and sixty Canadian families at present living in the States of Michigan, Illinois, and New York, of more or less means, are about to remove to the Turtle Mountain district.

Mr. Wm. Hendrie, President of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway, has issued a card of thanks to the employes of the road for the successful efforts made by them in the work of changing the gauge on the 3rd inst.

Forty actions for $200 each has been entered against a returning officer in the Province of Quebec, for numbering and otherwise marking ballot papers at the recent election, thereby disfranchising a whole village. Thirty-five actions are yet to be entered.

The monument erected at Allandale station, by the employees of the Northern Railway, in memory of the late Colonel Gumberland was unveiled on Saturday last, with imposing ceremonies, and was witnessed by a large concourse of people.

The feeling against Guitteau, the murderer of President Garfield, is increasing daily. The jailor has received anonymous letters requesting him to remove all the other prisoners from the wing of the prison in which Guitteau is placed, as it is the intention of the writers to blow up the aforesaid wing by dynamite.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

REPLY TO DR. McGREGOR'S A. O. U. W.

To the Editor.

SIR,—It has been asserted that the above Order is a fraud on the credulous public, and after due consideration, I am inclined to support the assertion—but still open to conviction.

Suppose we calculate on a membership of 4,000, and that each member receive $2,000, at death, whenever that may take place, which will amount to eight million dollars, ($8,000,000).

How does the Dr. intend to raise the above amount? Is it by a payment from each member of $18 a year? Let us see—average of the membership to-day, say 35 years; say that they will all reach seventy, that is, that they will live 35 years longer. If 4,000 members will pay $18 per annum, that would amount to seventy-two thousand Dollors ($72,000) yearly, and that the member continues those payments for the next 35 years, the total amount paid in would be two million five hundred and twenty thousand dollars, ($2,520,000), but to give each member $2,000 at death, we find that eight million dollars ($8,000,000) is required. How does the Dr. intend to make up the deficiency, which is five million four hundred and eighty thousand dollars ($5,480,000).

There are other matters that I would like to have light thrown upon, but the above will suffice for the present, as too much light might injure my already dull vision.

H.G.A.

DUNDALK, Dec. 12, 1881.

OSPREY NEWS.

From our Correspondent.

Very little took place here during the last few weeks which is worthy of publication. At Maxwell, however, things have been considerably re-adjusted.

Mr. Milne, who for many years successfully kept a general store, sold both it and the goods, and is to retire for some time, to his farm residence. But his many friends expect that his stay on the farm will be only temporary, and that before long he will resume his late business, if not at Maxwell, at some of the other business centres in the township. Mr. Hamlin, who has taken Mr. Milne's place, is doing a rushing business. He is good-hearted and obliging, and well deserves the public patronage.

The building lately occupied by Wright Davitt, as a furniture store, has been purchased by Mr. Stinson, of Singhampton, who is to occupy it as a general store about the beginning of the New Year.

Mr. R. Taylor, who is Mail carrier and proprietor of the stage line between Collingwood and Flesherton, refused to renew his contract with the Government unless they made it more remunerative. The result is that a man named Robert Brown has the contract for the ensuing year, and it is to be hoped that he will prove as universal a favorite as the one in whose hands it is at present.

We anticipate a little excitement at the approaching municipal election. There are three candidates in the field for the office of Reeve. Messrs. McGirr, Gamey, and Sing. Mr. Maxwell is going to attempt to defeat Archibald McIntyre in competing for the office of Deputy Reeve. We think it takes a good man to defeat Archy.

In the eastern part of the township things are very quiet. There was a shooting match at McIntyre last week, and no one could strike the bull's eye but Alexander McDougal, therefore he went home with the *goose*.

The new Church which is being built at the South line by the Episcopal Methodists is making slow progress. It will not be ready for opening this year.

POLITENESS ON THE CARS.—Two male passengers were seated on the Queen streets car going west last evening, when the entrance of several ladies led one of the gents to make the observation that ladies on the Toronto street cars never had the politeness to thank a man when he rose to give his seat to one of them. The first speaker insisted it was not so, and said that in this respect the American ladies were far ahead of their Canadian cousins. The discussion was proceeding when the car stopped at a crossing, and a respectably dressed coloured woman entered the car. "We'll try that case just here," said the second speaker, and he rose, leaving his seat for the woman. "Thank you!" she said in a low voice, and dropped into the vacancy beside the reluctantly converted anti-Canadian-lady traveller.—*Globe.*

CLIPPINGS FROM OUR LOCAL EXCHANGES.

WORK STOPPED.—Finding it impossible to finish the work on the Railway to Wiarton this season, the Company has discharged the laborers and discontinued all work on the construction of the line till spring.—*Hanover Post.*

By reference to our advertising columns it will be observed that Messrs. LeLaughlin & McCoy have disolved. The business will in future be carried on by Mr. McCoy. His new advertisement will appear next week.—*Chesley Enterprise.*

A committee has been appointed to canvass Arran Bruce, Elderslie, Saugeen and Greenock to raise money for the purchase of a first-class imported Clydesdale stallion. The step has been taken for the purpose of improving the breed of draught horses in these townships.—*Chesley Enterprise.*

On Saturday evening a young man named Davis and Wm. Graham undertook to settle their differences by a rough-and-tumble fight, in the yard of the Queen's Hotel here, and during its progress Davis succeeded in biting off Graham's hight ear, after which the combatants were seperated by their admiring friends. A warrant was issued for the arrest of Davis on Sunday, but so far he has eluded capture. —*Shelburne Free Press.*

FIRE IN GLENELG.—Between two and three o'clock on Saturday Morning, the 3rd inst., Godfrey Mcdonald's house, on lot 19, con. 4, was destroyed by fire, with nearly all its contents The inmates on being awakened by the fire had not time to put on their clothes. Mr. McDonald, in endeavering to save a few articles from the burning building, had his hands and feet badly burned and blistered; part of the hair was also burned off his head. The fire is believed to have originated from a barrel of ashes that had been left in the back kitchen. There was no insurance on the building or contents.—*Durham Review.*

The STANDARD is an excellent medium for advertising; over two hundred new subscribers have been added this fall to our list, and still they come. The DUNDALK HERALD is looking up and the circulation increasing fast.

Mr. Samuel McLean, of Proton, died at his residence, in that Township, on the 1st inst., after a short and severe illness, aged 57 years, 7 months and 10 days. He was well respected by all who knew him; he leaves a wife and large family well provided for. He was buried on the 3rd inst., with Orange honours by the District of Proton. He was W.D.M. of Proton for the present year.

There are superior Spectacles for weak or failing eyes at W. F. Doll's, Flesherton.

Another change will take place in the T., G. & B. Time Table, when a coach will run from Owen Sound direct to Hamilton, and one from Hamilton to Owen Sound each day. A switch is nearly completed at Mono Road where the T., G. & B. crosses the Hamilton & N. W. Railway where cars will be changed as above.

Don't all wait until Christmas day to get your picture. Why? Because there will be such a throng you will not be sure of getting so good a Photo.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Our ears were shocked on Tuesday night, by some very emphatic language, used by a couple of our esteemed citizens, the night was extremely dark and as the aforesaid citizens were wending their way homeward and when in front of the Reid-McDougal Block, one of them ran against a scantling which reaches half across the sidewalk. A few moments after the other fell over a block of stone lying just at the edge of the sidewalk, and measured his length on Mother Earth. Had any of the Police Trustees or Pathmasters been in the neighborhood we fear there would have been a pugilistic encounter. We would not like to answer for all the profanity caused by their not attending to their duty in seeing that the sidewalks are kept in such a condition that pedestrians are not in danger of breaking their necks or doing themselves some bodily harm.

ALIVE IN A COFFIN.

A YOUNG WOMAN SUPPOSED TO BE DEAD SCREAMS OUT WHILE MASS IS BEING SAID.

Quebec, Oct. 28.—A servant girl in the employ of Mr. Pierre Gauvreau of this city, named Josephine Gauvreau recently received information from a reliable source of the sudden death of a younger sister employed in a cotton factory at Lawrance, Mass. She accordingly donned mourning grab, but what was her surprise when on Wednesday she received a letter written in the hand written of the sister she had supposed to be dead. From the letter she learned that her sister had been ordered by the physician to use chloroform to induce sleep, and, taking an overdose, she had been overtaken by a sleep so profound that it was thought she was dead. She was accordingly prepared for burial, and the mass for the repose of her soul was being celebrated, when all who were in the church were horrified by hearing a scream from the coffin. It was immediately opened and the young woman taken to the presbytery adjoining the church, where under skilfull attention, she quickly recovered, and is now on her way to her birthplace, Quebec.

PERILS OF THE DEEP.

Special to the Chicago, Ill., *Inter Ocean*: The world-renowned swimmer, Captain Paul Boyton, in an interview with a newspaper correspondent at the seashore, related the following incidents in his experience:

Reporter:—"Captain Boyton, you must have seen a large part of the world?"

Captain Boyton:—"Yes sir, By the aid of my Rubber Life-Saving Dress, I have travelled over 10,000 miles on the rivers of America and Europe; have also been presented to the crowned heads of England, France, Germany, Austria, Belgium, Italy, Holland, Spain and Portugal, and have in my possession forty two medals and decorations; I have three times received the order of knighthood and been elected honorary member of committees, clubs, orders and societies."

Reporter:—"Were any of your trips accompanied by much danger?"

Captain Boyton:—"That depends upon what you may call dangerous. During my trip down the river Tagus, in Spain, I had to "shoot" one hundred and two waterfalls, the highest being about eight-five feet, and innumerable rapids. Crossing the Straits of Messina, I had three ribs broken in a fight with sharks; and coming down the Somane, a river in France, I received a charge of shot from an excited and startled huntsman. Although all this was not very pleasant, and might be termed dangerous, I fear nothing more on my trip than intense cold; for as long as my limbs are free and easy, and not cramped or benumbed, I am all right. Of late I carry a stock of St. Jacob's Oil in my little boat, (the Captain calls it "Baby Mine," and has stored therein signal rockets, thermometer, compass, provisions, etc) and I have had little trouble. Before starting out I rub myself thoroughly with the article, and its action on the muscles is wonderful. From constant exposure I am somewhat subject to rheumatic pains, and nothing would ever benefit me, until I got hold of the Great German Remedy. Why, on my travels I have met people who had been suffering with rheumatism for years; by my advice they tried the Oil, and it cured them. I would sooner do without food for days than be without this remedy for one hour. In fact I would not attempt a trip without it."

MAIL ARRANGEMENTS.

Among other advantages which our citizens expected to derive from the change of gauge on the T., G. & B. Railway, that of increased postal facilities was one of the most prominent. The Board of Trade has petitioned the Postmaster General for two mails per day by railway; and on the strength of a declaration by the Assistant Inspector that it had been decided on, we some weeks ago announced that we would have the two mails per day from the date of the change of gauge, which our citizens have since been confidently looking forward to. Judge of our suprize, then, when our Postmaster here received instructions that we were only to have one mail per day and that arranged so as to leave us infinitely worse than we were before!

By the new time table for the arrival and despatch of mails, published in this issue, it will be seen that the only mail arriving from Toronto is by train at 1.15 p. m., while the only mail leaving is closed at 2.45. Taking say fifteen minutes to come from the train, it will arrive at the Post Office about 1.30; and reckoning an hour for opening, merchants will receive their letters about 2.30, giving them just fifteen minutes to return to their shops, read their letters and mail their replies! Of course this would be utterly impossible, and replies would have to wait till the next afternoon, as there is no mail by morning train. Even were several hours given in the afternoon, business men do not want to answer correspondence in the busiest part of the day. By the present arrangement, a letter posted for Toronto on Monday evening would not leave here till Tuesday afternoon, could not be delivered in Toronto till Wednesday morning, and an answer could not be received here till Thursday afternoon. Surely a town like Owen Sound cannot be expected to put up with such mail arrangements as that!

Since the above was in type, D. Spry, Esq., P. O. Inspector, has arrived in town, in answer to the memorial of the Board of Trade, and at an interview with the Council of the Board of Trade and others, promised to meet the wishes of the town by endeavoring to have the mail train leave here in the morning. He also promised to report in favor of closed through bags on the evening train to Toronto and principal intermediate stations, and in favor of three street letter boxes. The gentlemen present were pleased with the promptitude with which the Post Office Department had acted, and passed a vote of thanks to the Postmaster General, as well as to Mr. Spry, for the courtesy with which he had met them and given his explanations.—*O. S. Times.*

A MAIDEN'S VENTURE.

NOVEL MATRIMONIAL EXPERIENCE IN BELLEVILLE.

The Chief of Police was called on this morning to settle a matter, the particulars of which are as interesting as they are novel. It appears that one Thomas Barnhardt of this city, has been working during the past season for a farmer residing in the vicinity of Hay Bay. This farmer is the father of a buxom daughter. Thos. looked upon the fair one with amorous glances, and finally told his tale of love. "Barkus was willing" in this case, and so were her parents. Thos. however, was not so much in love as to be entirely blind. He did not want to bind himself for life, or for years, to a woman who might not be all his fancy had painted her. So he contracted to take the blushing damsel on trial for twelve days. If at the end of that time she satisfied him, he would marry her; if she did not, he would return her to her parents. To this decidedly novel matrimonial arrangement we are told the girl's parents consented, and the two lovers came to Belleville with the intention of testing their connubial qualifications. The twelve days expired last Saturday, when Barnhardt told the girl to return to her mamma as she did not quite come up to his idea of what a wife should be. He, however, kept some of her clothing, and this morning the girl's parents applied to the Chief for assistance to regain possession of the missing articles. They had no particular fault to find with the dismissal of their daughter by Thomas, as he did only what was aggreed as under conditions of disapproval, but they objected to his retaining what did not belong to him. While living here the girl, we are told, passed for Barnhardt's wife and resided with him as such. Those who knew the parties, but not the agreement, were considerably surprised when they heard the "wife" had been shipped back home as a "poor piece of goods." This is the latest matrimonial venture, and it is the oddest, too.—*Belleville Ontario.*

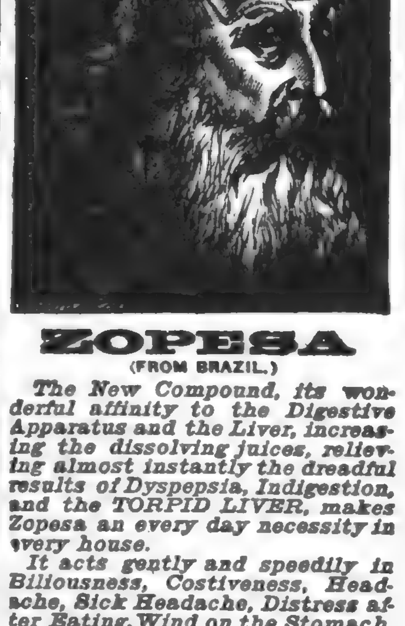
COAL OIL EXPLOSION.

A WOMAN FATALLY BURNED THIS MORNING AT OTTAWA.

OTTAWA, Dec. 12.—A shocking and no doubt fatal accident from an explosion of coal oil occurred here this morning. Mrs. John Dunn, a widow, lived with her two small children in a little cottage in Mount Sherwood, and earned a living by charring in the Geological Museum. A young man, clerk in a store near by, boarded with them. This morning Mrs. Dunn rose about quarter past four and went down stairs, as was supposed, to make a fire. Shortly after one of the children heard a moning noise, and thinking something had happened ran down stairs. He found the kitchen full of smoke, and his mother lying on the floor in apparent agony, with her clothing still burning in patches where it was not already burned off. He screamed an alarm, bringing the other child and the young man down stairs. at this time both floor and walls were on fire. They extinguished the fire and carried the unfortunate woman to bed. Dr. Henderson was immediately summoned, and found the poor victim burned to a crisp from the neck to the ankles. She was unconscious, and remained so for some hours. Father Whelan was summoned to administer the last rites of the church, and she so far regained consciousness as to recognize him and some others. Dr. Henderson states that there is no possibility of recovery. The coal oil lamp was found on the kitchen floor with the top blown off, giving evidence that an explosion had occurred.—*Globe.*

BIRTHS.

LAMB—In Glenelg, on the 8th inst., the wife of Mr. George Lamb, of a son.



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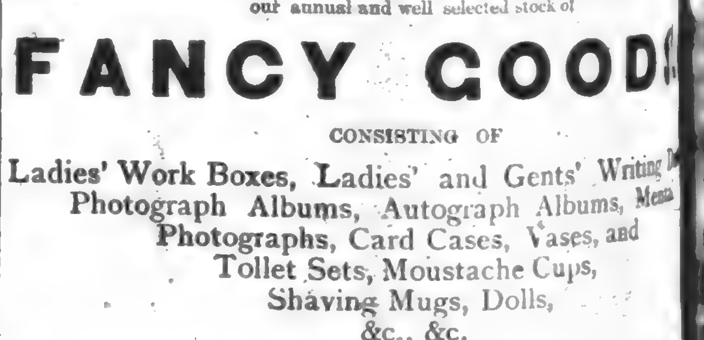

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Honor Roll for S.S. No. 6, Melanc[illegible] for November. Marks obtainable [illegible]. SENIOR 3RD CLASS—Harriet Richardson, 182; Kitty Thompson, 140. JUNIOR 3RD CLASS—Annie Taylor, 184; Mary Montgomery, 188. SENIOR 2ND CLASS—Michael Breen, 190; William Simpson, 144. JUNIOR 2ND CLASS—[illegible] Martin, 179; Alice Breen, 172; [illegible] Corbett, 158. FIRST CLASS—[illegible] Boyd, 183; John Isaac, 192.—LUCINDA GRAHAM, Teacher.

L. O. L. No. 509.—At the December meeting of L. O. L. No. 509, Orr Valley, the following officers were elected for the year 1882, viz:—Bro. [illegible] Wright, W.M.; Bro. Wm. Galbraith, D.M.; Bro. R. Morrow, Chap.; Bro. J. Graham, Sec.; Bro. T. Snell, [illegible]; Bro. —. Boyse, D.C.; Bro. [illegible], 1st C.M.; Bro. J. Snell, 2nd C.M.; Bro. J. Beaty, 3rd C.M.; Bro. R. Blair, 4th C.M.; Bro. H. [illegible], 5th C.M. The regular nights of meeting of this lodge is the Monday before the fall of moon in each month.—[Com.]

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Honor Roll for S.S. No. 6, Melancthon, for November. Marks obtainable —Senior 3rd Class—Harriet Richardson, 182; Kitty Thompson, 140. Junior 3rd Class—Annie Taylor, 184; Wesley Montgomery, 138. Senior 2nd Class—Michael Breen, 190; Will Thompson, 144. Junior 2nd Class—Annie Martin, 179; Alice Breen, 172; Maggie Corbett, 158. First Class—John Boyd, 183; John Isaac, 192.—Lucinda Graham, Teacher.

[L. O. L. No. 509.—At the December meeting of L. O. L. No. 509, Orange Valley, the following officers were elected for the year 1882, viz:—Bro. Wm. Wright, W.M.; Bro. Wm. Galbraith, D.M.; Bro. R. Morrow, Chap.; Bro. J. Graham, Sec.; Bro. T. Snell, Treas.; Bro. —. Boyse, D.C.; Bro. Spears, 1st C.M.; Bro. J. Snell, 2nd C.M.; Bro. J. Beaty, 3rd C.M.; Bro. R. Blair, 4th C.M.; Bro. H. Breen, 5th C.M. The regular nights of meeting of this lodge is the Monday on or before the full of moon in each month.—Com.]

Manufacturers of reapers, mowers and threshing machines, prefer "Castorine" machine oil to any other, it will out wear lard, seal, or elephant, and is warranted not to gum.

See Wilcox's stock of Jewelry. Some elegant goods suitable for Xmas presents, and don't you forget it.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL

Will be found invaluable for the purpose of a family medicine. Immediate relief will follow its use. It relieves pain, cures chilblains, frost bites, scalds, burns, corns, rheumatism, neuralgia, &c. For internal use it is none the less wonderful. One or two doses frequently cure sore throat. It will cure croup in a few minutes. A few bottles has often cured asthma. Colic has been cured by a teaspoonful dose. It cures with the utmost rapidity, it is really a wonderful medicine.

The Church Anniversary and annual Tea Meeting of the C. M. Church, at Holland Centre, will be held on the 21st inst. Proceeds in aid of the Trust Fund. For particulars see bills.

A RELIABLE FACT.

It is an established fact that Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is the best cure for coughs, colds, sore throat, asthma, croup, bronchitis, and all troubles arising from neglected colds. Price 25 cents.

See those beautiful Christmas Cards at the Standard Office, can have your name printed on them with the compliments of the season.

New stock of Fresh Groceries just arrived at Reynolds & Son.

A great many people are troubled with cold feet, which is invariably caused by a sluggish circulation of the blood. A few doses of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters will soon produce a free circulation of the blood and Stimulate and Tone the system. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

If the weather continues as at present, sleighs and cutters can be bought *cheap*. We would advise those requiring such articles to purchase now, as they can be had for next to nothing.

There is no doubt that our Canadian climate is conducive to Lung affections, and for this reason Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops should be in every house. For Coughs, Colds, and all other Lung and Throat affections they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A Turner and Co., Special Agent Markdale.

The Liberal Conservative Association of East Grey met at the Markdale House on Thursday, the 8th inst., when the following were elected office bearers for the ensuing year:—President, N. McColeman, Esq., Reeve of Collingwood T'p.; Vice-President, T. Kells, Artemesia; Recording Secretary, John Lyons, Markdale; Cor. Secretary, D. Robinson, Clarksburg; Treasurer, Wm. Douglass, Markdale. Messrs. Sproule, M.P., and A. W. Lauder, M.P.P., addressed the meeting.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT.

Superceding as it does all other modes of illumination, and rivalled only by the glorious sunshine, will not be hailed with greater joy by mankind, than is Burdock Blood Bitters, which is as far superior to all other blood purifiers and tonics as the electric light is superior to the old fashioned tallow dip. Burdock Blood Bitters cures Scrofula, and all foul humors and impurities of the blood.

Coal Oil at Reynolds & Son's for 27c. per gallon, Imperial measure.

Ira H. Perigoe, Auctioneer, will offer for sale, by authority invested in him by Mr. Richard Taylor, lot 18, con. 7, Township of Osprey, on Wednesday, January 4th, 1882, all his Stock, implements, household goods, &c., without reserve. Twelve months' credit on all sums over $5, by furnishing good joint notes.

Now that winter has well commenced we would advise our readers against using pills containing Calomel and other injurious substance, as there is great danger of catching cold after their use. An excellent substitute for pills is a Vegetable Preparation known as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, a family medicine that, from all accounts, will soon take the place of every other purgative and blood purifier. A Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

The Meaford *Monitor* thinks the paragraph that appeared in our columns a week or two ago stating that Mr. Masson left Owen Sound after the train and arrived in Markdale ahead of it, rather "thin." We gave the story as it was given to us by Mr. Masson himself, who is a lawyer, and our brother of the quill must be aware editors and lawyers never lie.

Feeble Ladies.—Those languid, tiresome sensations, causing you to feel scarcely able to be on your feet; that constant drain that is taking from your system all its elasticity; driving the bloom from your cheeks; that continual strain upon your vital forces rendering your irritable and fretful, can easily be removed by the use of that marvelous remedy, Hop Bitters. Irregularities and obstructions of your system are relieved at once, while the special cause of periodical pain is permanently removed. Will you heed this?—*Cincinnati Saturday Night.*

It will be seen by reference to our advertising colums that Messrs. Lane & Rowe have opened a Law office in Markdale, McFarland's Block.

To the Secretaries of School Boards.—We keep on hand printed notices for annual School Meetings, made to suit any School Section by filling in the number, and they cost only 15cts. for half a dozen. Call at the Standard office or send by mail for them, or to A. G. Hunter, Dundalk.

Owing to the change of time in carrying the mail on the train some of our papers missed the regular country mail last week, and were delayed two days in consequence. We will in future endeavor by some means to have the paper out in time to make connections with Friday's country mails.

Next week we will issue 500 extra copies each of Markdale Standard and the Dundalk Herald. Any person taking a half page advertisement for the week will receive one hundred extra copies of the paper. We have room for two or three yet.

W. Jelly, Esq., M.P.P., and Mr. Jennings, of Shelburne, were in town on Wednesday.

Don't forget the special bargains in Ladies' Gold Watches at W. F. Doll's.

On account of the change in the time of closing the mails, we have to go to press several hours earlier than formerly, consequently advertisements and all other matter must be in not later than 12 o'clock Wednesday to insure insertion.

You want to make the money go as far as you can. Well, then, call upon W. J. McFarland, the only direct Importer of goods in Markdale. No Middlemen's profits to add to the price of his goods. He buys at same prices, and from the same Houses in Europe as the Wholesale Houses. Ten Cases and Bales of English Goods expected this week.

There is good time being made on the T., G. & B., since the great change which took place last week. Every person who travels over the road is delighted with the great improvement; but we have a word to say in regard to a custom which prevails amongst a certain class, arising from thoughtlessness, or perhaps ignorance, which is very annoying to the train officials, as well as the travelling public who prefer a clean seat; that is, the habit of putting their feet upon the seat in front of them. It is impossible to keep the seats clean and unsoiled so long as those who do so persist in so doing, especially in a time when mud prevails. They might easily throw a newspaper on the seat, or else remove their shoes if they wish to stretch themselves out and take a nap. The conductor is, no doubt, timid in reproving those who do not appear to know better, for he well knows he would generally receive in return impertinence and abuse. We would suggest that a notice be put up in each coach in large type requesting travellers to keep their feet down except when scrupulously clean.

For the Christmas Holidays W. J. McFarland is offering Gent's Fashionable Ties at 50c, worth $1, Gent's handsome Suspenders, 35c, worth 50c. Ladies' warm lined Gloves, 15c per pair. Ladies' lined Kid Gloves, Fur Top, $1. A good useful Kid Glove, 2 buttoned, 50c. Irish Table Damasks 35c, 40c, 42½c, 45c, 50c, 55c and 60c, cheap at 10c per yard more. Children's Cloth Jackets, 50c, 85c, $1, and $1.25, a bargain. Ladies' Dolman's & Cloth Jackets at a big reduction. Shawls $1, $1.75, $2.75 up. New Glass Table sets, 60c, very stylish. Table Knives and Forks, $1.25 up. China Tea sets, Cheap. Men's Overcoats, for the cost of making up. Black Silks, every Lady and Gent intending making a present should see them. Real Laces, cheap. See our 5c lace and our 10c lace. In fact his store is crowded with bargains for the Xmas Holidays.

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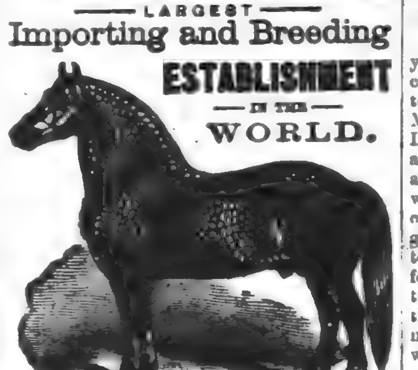
Importing and Breeding ESTABLISHMENT IN THE WORLD.



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Wayne, Du Page County, Illinois, U. S. A. (35 miles west of Chicago.)

During the past 17 months 390 STALLIONS AND MARES have been imported from France to this establishment, being MORE than the combined importations of all other importers of Draft Horses from all parts of Europe for any one year.

One-fifth of the entire number of Imported French Horses in America can be seen on his farm. His Importations have included the Prize Winners of the *Universal Exposition, Paris, 1878*, and nearly all the Prize Horses of the Great Shows of France since his importations began. They also carried off the honors at the Centennial, 1876; and, at the *Great Chicago Fair, 1881, Mr. Dunham's Herd of PERCHERONS*, in competition with *the largest and finest collection of Clydesdales ever shown*, consisting of the prize winners at the Great Shows of Scotland and England,) was awarded the *Grand Sweepstakes Prize of $1,000 and Grand Gold Medal.*

100 PAGE CATALOGUE sent FREE on application. Contains over 40 Illustrations and the history of the Percheron race. Order "CATALOGUE X."

EVERY LARGE BREEDER & EVERY NEIGHBORHOOD NEEDS A PERCHERON STALLION

BECAUSE thirty years' trial has demonstrated that when bred to the common mares of the country the produce is more uniform, are easier keepers, better workers, and sell for more money on the market than any other class of Horses.

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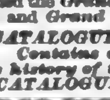

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Beef, Pork or Mutton Supplied, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881.

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 21, 1881. 54-3m

MARKDALE.

Friday, Dec. 16th, 1881.

Flour	[illegible]	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	to	1.22
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.70	"	0.72
Potatoes	0.35	"	0.40
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.20
Pork, dressed	[illegible]	"	7.15
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks per pair	0.30	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.30	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.65
Hides	6.00	"	7.00
Grass seed	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	15.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.50	"	0.75
Lard	0.10	"	0.15
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

Friday, Dec. 16th, 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	to	1.22
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	6.50	"	7.10
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	5.00	"	7.00
Hay	12.0	"	00.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.18	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.23
Barley "	2	.55	to	.75
Peas "	1	.65	to	.70
Oats "	1	.37	to	.38
Butter	1	.20	to	.21
Eggs	"	.18	to	.50
Potatoes	"	35	to	40
Pork	"	6.75	to	7.10
Hay	"	10.00	to	12.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	$1 24	to	$1 26
Wheat, spring, do.	1 28	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 75	to	0 87
Oats, do.	0 45	to	0 46
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 85	to	0 86
Clover Seed do.	o 00	to	o 00
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 25	to	7 75
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	6 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	o 35	to	0 50
Fowls, do.	00	to	0 00
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 60
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	0 75	to	1 25
Butter, large rolls	25	to	0 26
Butter, tub dairy	18	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	o 25	to	0 27
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 85	to	0 95
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Hay	1200	to	1o 13

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 90 ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN, 20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c. Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

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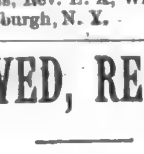

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TAILOR,

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Fashion Plates!

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CHARGES MODERATE.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Remember the Place

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Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 19-6m.

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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MARKDALE

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—AND—

MACHINE WORKS,

Beg to announce that they have commenced work in Markdale as Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders, &c., and from their knowledge of the requirements of the trade in Markdale and surrounding country, hope, by moderate prices, strict attention to business, and promptitude in the execution of orders by the most skilful workmen, to merit a share of public patronage.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster-Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881. 68-ly.

Notice to Contractors.

AS WE HAVE A LARGE QUANTITY of Saw Logs at our mill this season, we will give contractors a good chance. The logs will be all skidded in the woods. A good shanty and stable also in the woods. Any parties wishing to have a contract of this kind will do well to see us. The distance to haul, about two-and-a-half miles, on a good road.

B. & A. NEILSON, Proton Station.

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Agent for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 38-ly

Dissolution of Partnership.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY mutually agree that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us as Sparling & Rowe under certain articles of co-partnership be, and the same is hereby dissolved. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the same, Henry Sparling, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this Fifth day of December, 1881.

Signed and sealed in the presence of Jas. A. Rowe.

HENRY SPARLING, JOHN ROWE.

WANTED.

At the Eclipse Saw Mills and Shingle Factory 1,000,000 feet of all kinds of logs namely Cherry, Butternut, Ash, Pine, Hemlock, Basswood, Maple, and Elm, for which the highest price will be paid.

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October 21st, 1881.

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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

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Flesherton, March 16, 1881.

New Cash Store.

HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES LATELY OCCUPIED BY TURNER & CO., I HAVE NOW ON HAND A FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

MANTLES,

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Crockery and Glassware

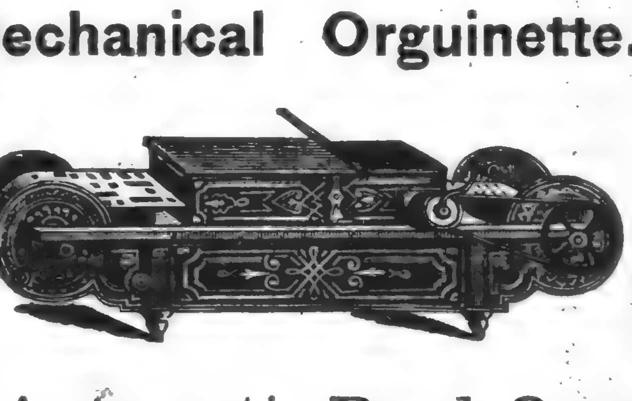
LAMPS, &c., &c.

The above stock has been purchased for cash at a season when the importers are running off their surplus stock at and under cost to make room for their spring importations, consequently I am in a position to give bargains to those who are able to buy their goods for cash. **Call and see for yourselves and you will be sure to call again.**

HENRY FOSTER.

Markdale, November 15th, 1881. 63ly

Mechanical Orguinette.



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November 29th, 1881. 64.3m.

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There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

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—FROM—

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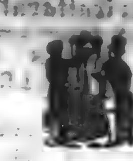

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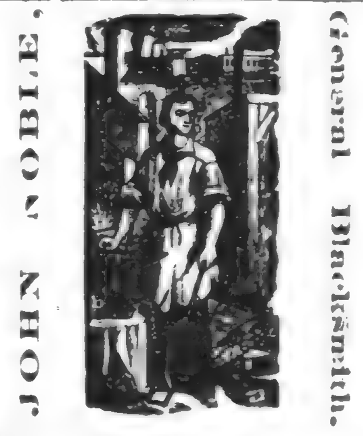

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Is it not plain then, that by keeping animals warm, by means of close buildings, or shelter against heat-stealing winds, less food will be needed, and there will be less waste of flesh in making heat? Any arrangements of shelter, cover, stable, shed, blankets—anything that will prevent the natural warmth from passing away from the surface of any animal—will be a great saving of food required to keep up the obsolutely necessary internal life warmth; will prevent loss of flesh; will allow the food to go more to adding to weight of flesh, or the yield of milk, or of wool. Shelter and external warmth in cold weather are most economical and therefore profitable in the keeping of farm stock.—*American Agriculturist for December.*

WHAT TO STUDY.

Pope, the poetical philosopher said, "The proper study of mankind is man, and yet, how little is the real science of man studied. If people understood and heeded the laws of health, and if when out of sorts would resort to a common sense like Burdock Blood Bitters, many of the "ills that flesh is heir to" might be effectually remedied. It invigorates and regulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

NOTES OF LIVE STOCK IN WINTER.

The farm animals at this season are directly dependent upon the care and attention of the farmer. To pass the winter with profit they must be well kept. Animals are very complicated engines, and must be run by careful engineers. The food they receive is the fuel, and the daily rubbing, cleaning, etc., may be likened to the inspection, cleaning and oiling of the engine. The fuel must be equal to the demands made of the animal engine, else the machinery will be run at a disadvantage, and therefore with diminished profit. When the water is low and the fire almost out, the engine is a source of loss to the owner. On the other hand the fire may be brisk, and the boiler well supplied, but some screw is loose, or a part rubs another too closely and the friction thus produced neutralizes much of the force. So in the animal machine, all the parts must work harmoniously together, or in other words there must be perfect health to obtain the best results. An animal may have the best of food in sufficient quantity, and still pass a hard winter, and without profit to its owner. Food of the best kinds without shelter is in the animal economy like fuel in an engine that is rusty and loose and out of order. Both are expensive methods of arriving at desired results. It takes too much force to run the machine in both cases. As it is cheaper to have a good engine kept in good order, so it is to have an animal in health and comfort. The thoughtful farmer will see many other points of likeness between the animal machine and the one constructed by human hands, but this is enough to suggest the importance of keeping farm animals in a healthful and comfortable condition by means of warm stables with clean floors and pure air.—*America Agricuturist for December.*

ITS WORK IN STRATHROY.

It often happens that the opinion of an experienced man, an expert, if we so call him, conveys greater force than an aggregation outside, uneducated testimony. And then, too, personal experience or observation is so much more convincing than mere assertion. Trained to habits of analysis and keenest accuracy, and from the very nature of their daily occupation, given to the most incisive criticism of anything of a proprietary nature, chemists, as a class, hesitate very long before indorsing anything of a remedial nature whose virtues have been announced through the public press. St. Jacob's Oil, however, is so universally successful and so unvaryingly accomplishes all that it promises that the able chemist, W. J. Dyas, Esq., of Medical Hall, Strathory, Ont., sends, with his friendly recommendation the following from David Harriston, Esq., 9th Con., Township of Caradoc:—Having suffered with inflammatory rheumatism since last July, and hearing of St. Jacob's Oil, I sent for a bottle of the article on the 15th of October. At that time I was confined to the house, and could not possibly get out of bed without assistance. After four applications of the Oil the pain ceased entirely, and I was able to go about Strathroy in less than a week. I cannot give too much praise to St. Jacob's Oil for what it has done for me, and I believe it to be a most reliable remedy in rheumatism. Its wonderful efficacy should be brought to the knowledge of everybody.

A FOOD RATION FOR MILK.

Hay is not rich enough in protein for the best production of good milk, the addition of roots only makes the matter worse; corn meal, while improving the ration somewhat, cannot alone with hay make it what it should be. The best ration is not, of course, necessarily precisely the same for all cows, and for all conditions; that which would be profitable feeding in one case might not be so in another. But for a guide to work by, until we have one that is proved to be better, we may as well take the standard ration given on the high authority of Emil Wolff, and based on the results of careful expriments, even if we shall not in this way always be led to the best results, it will be better than no guide at all, in trying new methods of feeding and of supplementing the fodder produced at home by importations from without. By this standard a cow in milk should have, per day and per 1,000 lbs. live weight, 24 lbs. of organic matter or vegetable substance estimated as perfectly dry, containing 2.5 lbs. of protein, 0.4 lb. of fat, and 12.5 lbs. of carbohydrates, all reckoned as digestible, that is to say, all fodder contains some indigestible protein, fat, corbohydrates, and other matters, but these are counted out in this make-up of the ration.—PROF. CALDWELL, *in American Agriculturist for December.*

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THE ENGLISHMAN WHO COULDN'T SEE A JOKE.

The English people are the slowest people on earth to see a joke. Yesterday I was riding over the Grand Trunk, near Toronto, and the typical Englishman, with eye glasses, an opera glass hung around his neck and a bundle of canes and umbrellas under his arm, got on the train.

"There is one of those thick headed Englishman who can never see a joke," remarked a bright commercial traveler.

"O, I think you could make him see the point to a joke," I answered.

"I'll bet anything," said my friend, "that you can't make that man see the point to an American joke."

"All right," I said; "I'll try it."

So, after being introduced to the Englishman, I set out to make him smile, I told him the best jokes I knew. He always listened attentively, but, instead of seeing the precise point, he would ask some explanation, while his face wore an expression as blank as a Chinaman when you've paid him $5 too much change.

Finally I told the Englishman the old story of the Indian who wanted a receipt for money paid to a white man. Said I, "The Indian insisted that the white man should give him a receipt."

"What do you want a receipt?" asked the white man, "you've paid the money, and that's enough."

"But me must have receipt?" insisted the Indian.

"Why, what for?" asked the white man.

"Because," said the Indian, "Injun may die."

"Well, suppose you do die, I certainly can't collect this money form you then."

"But," continued the Indian, "me may die and go to Heaven. The Lord he ask Injun; if he good Injun; Injun say yes. He ask Injun if he pay white man. Injun say yes, yes. Then the Lord he say where is the receipt? What Injun do then? Injun can't go looking all over hell for you!"

After I got through, the Americans laughed as they always will, even at an old joke, but the Englishman looked me straight in the face without a smile. You would think he was viewing the corpse at a funeral. Then he put his front finger solemnly on the palm of his hand, and said argumentively:

"Now, I don't see why an Indian is not entitled to a receipt as well as a white man? I entirely disagree with—"

But a roar of laughter from the Americans drowned his sentence. This so confused the poor Englishman, to have his honest opinions laughed at, that he turned his back on us and solemnly waded through the dreary columns of London Punch all the way into Toronto.

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"I should like to hev de seckretary read de follerin a werry loud letter," said the president as he handed over a letter.

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DEAR BRO. GARDNER.—There is a man down here who says that colored folks have't got any souls. That only white folks turn to angels when they die. He points with triumph to all the pictures of angels ever painted, in which not a single colored angel is seen. He says he defies even old Bro. Gardner, the greatest living logician, to prove colored folks have souls all samee as Melican men. Will you accept this challenge.

Respectfully,
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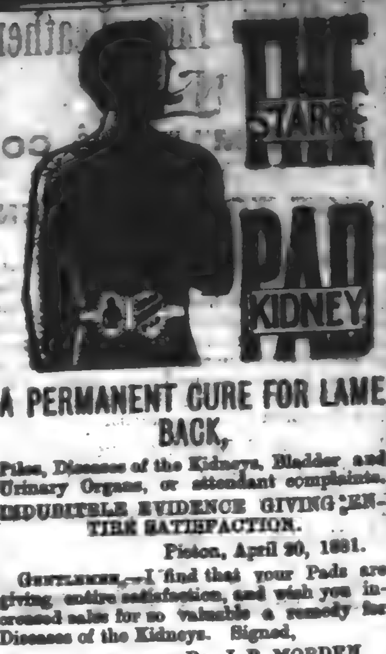

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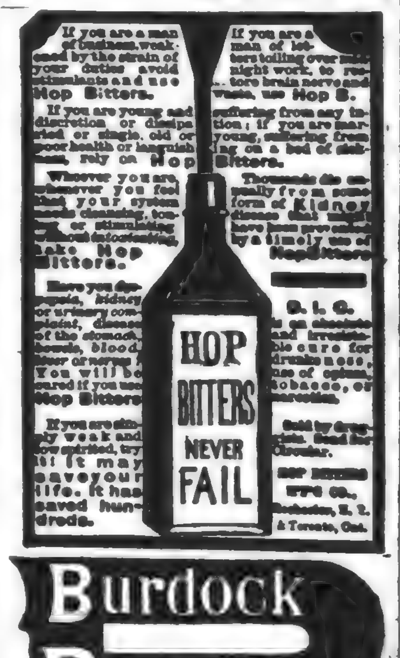

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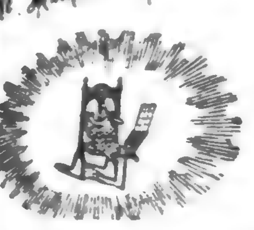

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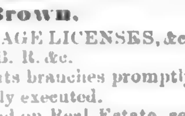

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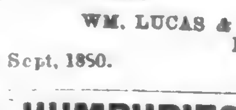

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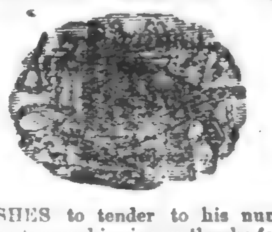

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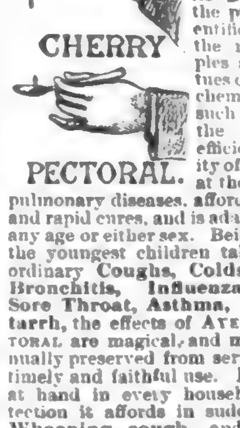

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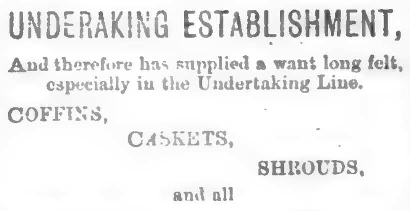

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Were you ever in a house before?
Did you work about a brick kiln
In the blessed days of yore?
Did you 'tend about a wind-mill
Upon some rocky shore?
Or live upon a side hill
Where the wind could always roar,
And couldn't get a gorgeous fill
Of cutting to the core?
In any case my blooming pill,
If you would lose your gore,
And rife a man who'd freely kill,
Or scrub you on the floor,
And break your heart, and bend your will,
And ashes on you pour,
And hunt up every little bill
You owe, and many more,
And stab you with a goose quill,
And parade the socks you wore—
Why, then you blooming mud-sill—
You thoughtless, brazen bore—
You breathing, shameless whiskey still—
Confound you shut the door!

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER XI. *Continued.*

'Only one week more, Gaston, *mon fils,*' he said to himself, exultantly, as he whirled homeward with the Talbots, 'and then let Fate do her worst—she can't oust me from Scarswood and my wife. Unless—always unless—unless Marie should take into her jealous head to come over here and hunt me up. I wonder what she said or did when she got all her letters back. I know what she thought; there could be no two opinions on that subject. Poor, passionate, proud little beauty! What an unmitigated scounrel, I am, to be sure! The nearer the wedding day draws, the more I seem to think of her—the fonder I grow of her—all because I have given her up for ever, I suppose.'

But fondness for any human creature was not a weakness Mr. Dantree could ever allow to stand in his way to fortune. Jealous and exacting as nature had made the baronet's daughter, her accepted lover gave her no shadow of an excuse for either. He played his role of Romeo to perfection; if it bored him insufferably she never saw it; and now it was only one week, and once her husband, why all this untiring devotion might reasonably cool down a trifle, and the continual "tender nothings" of courtship give place to the calm friendliness of humdrum married life.

'She can't expect a fellow to dangle at her apron strings all her days,' Mr. Dantree thought; 'if she does she's mistaken—that's all. I'm ready to call all the gods to witness that I adore the ground she treads on, before the words are said and the nuptial knot tied, but afterward, my bonnie belle will have to take it for granted or do without. Men love most, the wiseacres say, before marriage, women most after. How will it be with me, I wonder, who don't love at all?'

It is long past midnight when the carriage of the last guest rolled away from the hospitable portals of Scarswood, and the 'lights were fled, the garlands dead, the banquet hall deserted.' And Katherine, trailing her brilliant silk after her, her jewells gleaming in the fitful light, eyes shining, and cheeks flushed, went up to her room. Through the oriel window at the head of the stairs the full winter midnight moon shone gloriously. The Bloody Hand, and the crest of the Dangerfields—a falcon rending a dove—shone out vividly through the painted panes. A black frost held the earth in hands of iron; the skeleton trees waved gaunt, striped arms in the park the wild December wind whistled shrilly from the coast, and over head spread that blue, star studded moonlight sky. Katherire leaned against the glass and gazed up at that silver orb, and her thoughts drifted away from her own supreme bliss to that other Christmas so many hundred years ago, when the first anthem was sung by the angels over the blue hills of Galilee.

'Katherine!' Her father's door opened, and her fathers voice called. You will take cold to a dead certainty, standing there. I thought you had gone to your room.

'I'm going, papa,—I'm not in the least sleepy—I never am sleepy, I think, on bright moonlight nights like this. I wonder if my brain is touched like other lunatics at the full of the moon. Why are you not in bed? Papa!' with a sudden cry of alarm—a sudden spring forward, 'you are not well!'

His face was of a strange, livid hue, there was a nervous twitching of the muscles, and his eyes had a murky, bloodshot look.

'Papa, darling! what is it? Are you ill?'

'Not very well, I fear. I have not been well for days, but I feel worse to night than usual. And I think I ought to tell you—if anything should happen.' He paused, and put his hand to his forehead in a confused sort of way. 'My head feels all wrong somehow to-night. Katherine, if you're not sleepy come in—I have something of importance to say to you.'

She followed him, in some wonder and more alarm. His face had changed from its dull parlor to dark red, his voice sounded incoherent and husky. What did it all mean? She entered his room, watching him with wide, wondering eyes.

'Sit down,' he said, impatiently shifting away from her glance, 'and don't stare in that way, child. I don't suppose its anything to alarmed about only—I think I ought to tell. You are going to be married, and you ought to know. Then the burden will be off my conscience, and you can tell him or not, as you please. That will be your affair, and if he deserts you ——' He stopped again, again pressed his hand hard over his forehead, as though the thread of his ideas had broken. 'There is something queer the matter with my head,' he half muttered; 'I don't seem able to talk or think somehow to-night.'

'Then I would not try, papa,' Katherine interrupted, more and more alarmed; 'you are looking dreadfully. Let me ring for Francois to see you and send for the doctor. I am sure you are not fit to be up.'

'No, no,—don't send; at least not yet. I have made up my mind to-night, and if I don't tell you now, I may never summon courage again. You ought to know, child—you ought to know. You are not safe for an hour. It is like living over a lighted mine until that woman is dead. You ought to tell him—that fellow—Dantree, you know. If he deserts you, as I said, better to do it before the wedding day than after. I know it is the money he wants; I know he is a coward, and a humbug, and a fortune hunter, and it may be the greatest mercy for you, child, if he does leave you before the wedding day.'

Katherine started to her feet.

"Papa,' she cried, passionately, 'this is too bad; too cruel! I thought you were never going to speak against Gaston; you told me you would not; surely he has done nothing to deserve it. This day week is my wedding day and you talk of him deserting me. Papa, if such a thing happened—*could* happen; I would kill myself; I tell you I would! I would never survive such disgrace!'

He sank into a chair in a dazed helpless sort of way.

'What shall I do?' he said wearily; 'what shall I do? If I had only told years and years ago! Now it's too late.'

She stood and looked at him pale with wonder and vague alarm.

'Told me what? Is it the secret that Mrs. Vavasor holds? Why not tell me, then? Whatever it is I can bear it; I can bear any thing, only your hard words of Gaston, your talk of his deserting me. Tell me, my father; I am not a child or a coward. I can bear it, whatever it is.'

'You think so, but you don't know, you don't know! You hate that woman and you are so proud; so proud! You cannot bear poverty; you told me that; and I—what can I do? I cannot save you from—'

His incoherent words died away; his head fell back. Katherine sprang to his side with a scream of terror. Another instant and she flew to the bell ringing a peal that nearly tore it down. Oh! what was this?

His face was purple; his whole form rigid; what he had feared so long had befallen him at last. He was stricken with apopley.

The room filled with frightended servants. After the first shock, all Katherine's senses came back. She dispatched a man at once to Castleford for the family doctor. Sir John was conveyed to bed, undressed, and all there storatives they knew how to use applied. All in vain. With the dawning of the Christmas day, the stalwart old soldier lay before them, breathing stentoriously and quite senseless.

Dr. Graves and his attendant, a young man, arrived, and pronounced the fit apoplexy at once. They sent the pale girl in the festal dress, the shining pearls, and the wild wide eyes out of the room, and did their best for the master of that grand old house. But they labored in vain, the long hours wore away—and still Sir John lay rigid and senseless where they had first laid him.

White as a spirit almost as cold, almost as still, Katherine went up to her room. She made no attempt to change her dress, to revove her jewels. She had loved this most indulgent father very dearly; the possibility that he could be taken from her had never occurred to her. Only yesterday morning he had ridden with her over the downs, only last night he had sat at the head of his table and entertained his guests. And now, he lay stark and lifeless.

She could not rest. She left her room, and paced up and down the long corridor. He was not dead—she could hear his loud breathing where she walked. She could not cry: tears that relieve other women, other girls of her age, rarely came to Katherine. She felt cold and wretched. How drearily still the great house was! Would those two doctors never open the door and let her into her father? —what dreadful secret was this that involved her life, which made him so miserable? He had talked of Gaston deserting her. The wedding must be postponed now, and postponed weddings were always ominious. How was it all going to end? she shivered in her low necked and short sleeved dress, but it never occurred to her to go for a wrap. She stood and looked out of the oriel window once more. Morning was breaking—Christmas morning—red and golden, and glorious in the east. The first pink rays of the sunrise glinted through the leafless trees, over terrace and glade, lawn and woodland. Outside the gate, the carol singers were blithly chanting already; new life—new joy everywhere without; and within, the lord of this stately mansion, of this majestic park, lay dying, it might be.

But it was not death. The door opened presently, and the pale, keen face of Mr. Otis, the assistant, looked out.

'Sir John has recovered consciousness, Miss Dangerfield,' he said, "and is asking for you.'

'Thank God!' Katherine's heart responded, but the dreary oppression did not lift. She went into the sick room, knelt down beside the bed in her shining robes, and softly kissed the helpless hand.

'You are better, papa?'

But Doctor Graves interrupted at once.

'You may remain with Sir John, Miss Dangerfield, but neither of you must speak a word. Danger is over for the present, but I warn you the slightest excitement now or at any future time may prove fatal.'

The eyes of the stricken man were fixed upon her with a strange, earnest wistfulness. He tried feebly to speak—his fingers closed almost convulsively over hers. She bent her ear to catch his words.

'Send for Hammersly—I must make my will.'

'Yes, papa, darling, but not now. There's no hurry, you know—all present danger is over. You are to be very still, and go to sleep. I will stay by you and watch.'

'You will drink this, Sir John,' Doctor Graves said, authoritatively, and the sick man swallowed the opiate, and, with his hand still clasped in Katherine's fell asleep.

Dr. Graves departed. Mr. Otis remained; Katherine kept her vigil by the bedside, very pale in the sunlight of the new day. Mr. Otis watched her furtively from his remote seat. Hers was a striking face, he thought—a powerful face—a face full of character.

'That girl will be no common woman,' he thought; 'for good or for evil, she's destined to wield a powerful influence. You don't see such a face as that many times in life.'

The weary moments wore on. The Christmas morning grew brighter and brighter. The house was still very quiet. Outside the wintry sunshine sparkled, and the trees rattled in the frosty wind. The pale watcher lay back in her chair, paler with every passing moment, but never offering to stir. How white she was! how weary she looked! The young physician's heart went out to her in a great compassion.

'Miss Dangerfield, pardon me, but you are worn out. There is no danger now, and you may safely trust Sir John to my care. Pray let me prevail upon you to go and lie down.'

She opened her eyes and looked at him in some surprise, and with a faint smile.

'You are very kind,' she said, gently, 'but I promised to stay here until he awoke.'

There was nothing more to be said—Miss Dangerfield's tone admitted of no dispute. Mr. Otis went back to his seat, and listened to the ticking of the clock and the sighing of the December wind.

It was almost noon when Sir John awoke—much better, and quite conscious. His daughter had never stirred. She bent over him the minute his eyes opened.

'Papa, dear, you are better?'

'You here still, Kathie?' he said feebly. 'Have you never been to bed at all?'

'No, Sir John,' Mr. Otis interrupted, coming forward; 'and I must beg of you to use your influence to send her there. Her long vigil has quite worn her out, but she would not leave you.'

She stooped and kissed him.

'I will go now, papa. Mr. Otis and Mrs. Harrison will stay with you. I do feel a little tired, I admit.'

Sir John's attack seemed but slight, after all. He kept his bed all next day, but on the third was able to sit up.

'And I don't see any necessity for postponing our wedding, Katherine,' Mr. Gaston Dantree said, 'since by New Year's Eve Sir John will be almost completely restored.'

'But he will not be able to drive to the church with me, Gaston,' Katherine argued. 'Dr. Graves will not permit him to leave the house for a fortnight, and besides, the excitement.'

'Katherine,' her lover interrupted decidedly, 'I will *not* have our wedding postponed—the most unlucky thing perceivable. If the governor isn't able to go to church at Castleford, and give you away, why let's have the ceremony here in the house. If the mountain can't come to Mahomet, why Mahomet can go the mountain. A wedding in the house is vast deal pleasanter to *my* mind than in public at Castleford, with all the tag-rag of the parish agape at the bride and groom, and all Castleford barracks clanking their spurred heels and steel scabbards up the aisles, putting us out of countenance.'

Katherine laughed.

'My dear bashful Gaston! the first time I ever dreamed that anything earthly could put you out of countenance! Well, I'll ask papa, and it shall be as he says.'

Miss Dangerfield did ask papa, and rather to her surprise received an almost eager assent.

'Yes, yes,' he said furtively. 'Dantree's right—a postponed marriage is the most unlucky thing on earth. We won't postpone it. Let it be in the house, as he suggests, since my driving with you to church is an impossibility. Since it must be done, 'twere well 'twere done quickly! Let the summer drawing-room be fitted up, and let the ceremony be performed there.'

Mr. Peter Dangerfield had been a daily visitor at Scarswod ever since his uncle's illness—no nephew more devoted, more anxious than he. The baronet listened to his eager inquiries after his health, his son-like anxiety, with a cynical smile.

'If I were dead there would be one the less between him and the title—you understand. I have no doubt Peter is anxious that—I should never recover.'

'Something's happened to Peter, papa,' answered Katherine thoughtfully; 'he's got quite a new way of talking and carrying himself of late. He looks as if some great good fortune had befallen him. Now, what do you suppose it can be?'

'Great good fortune,' Sir John repeated, with rather a startled face. 'I think you must be mistaken, Katherine. I wonder,' very slowly this, 'if—if he—has been in communication with Mrs. Vavasor since her departure.'

For Mrs. Vavasor's presence at Castleford was still a profound secret. She had taken lodgings in the remotest and quietest suburb in the town. She never ventured abroad by day, and had assumed an *alias*. She and Mr. Dangerfield kept tryst in the evenings, in lonely lanes and deserted places, and no one save himself dreamed of her presence.

But three days now to the wedding day, and these three flew apace. It had been arranged that, contrary to all precedent, the marriage was to be performed at Scarswood, it should also take place in the evening, to be followed, in the good old fashioned way, by a supper and ball, and the bridal party start next day for the Continent. The hour was fixed for ten, and half the country invited.

Sir John's progress towards strength was very slow. Some secret anxiety seemed preying on his mind and keeping him back. He watched his idolized darling flying up and down stairs, dashing, bright as the sunshine itself, in and out of the room, singing like a skylark in her perfect bliss, and he shrank from the light as though it gave him positive pain.

'How can I tell her?' he thonght; 'how can I tell her? And yet I ought—I ought.'

Once or twice he feebly made the attempt, but Katherine put him down immediately in her decided way.

'Not a word now, papa—I won't have it. I don't want to hear any nasty, annoying secrets before my wedding, and have my peace of mind disturbed in this way. If I've got to hear this disagreeable thing, let me wait until the honeymoon is over—Gaston will help me bear it then—you tried to tell me Christmas eve, and brought on a fit of apoplexy; and now, contrary to all medical commands, you want to begin over again and bring on another. But I'm mistress of the situation at present, and I won't listen. So set your mind at rest, and don't wear that gloomy countenance on the eve of your only daughter's marriage.'

He was too feeble to resist. He held her to him a moment, and looked into the happy young face with a weary sigh.

'I suppose few fathers look very joyous on the eve of an only daughter's marriage, and I have greater reason than you dream of to look gloomy. But let it be as you say—let us postpone the evil hour as long as we can.'

The last day came—the day before New Year's Eve. The bride-elect had been busier even than usual all day. Mr. Dantree dined and spent the evening there alone. They were both very grave, very quiet—that long, peaceful evening, the last of her youth and her happiness, never faded from the girl's memory. The picture, as she saw it then, haunted her to her dying hour—the big, lamplit, drawing-room—her father's quiet figure lying back in his easy chair before the fire—her lover at the piano, playing soft, melancholy airs, and she herself nestling in a dormeuse, listening to the music, and his whispered words—the 'sweet nothings' of courtship. She followed him out into the grand portico entrance of the house to say good-bye for the last time. The cold, white moon sailed up the azure, the stars were numberless, the trees cast long, black shadows in the ivory light. The night air sighed faintly in the woodland; something in the still, solemn beauty of the dying night filled the girl's heart with a sense almost of pain.

'The sun will shine to-morrow,' Gaston whispered; 'and blessed is the bride that the sun shines on! Good-night, my darling, for the last time.'

The last time! And no forboding—of all that was so near at hand came to her as she stood there.

The promise of the night did not hold good. Mr. Dantree's prediction as to the sunshine was not destined to be fulfilled. New Year's Eve dawned cloudy, cold, and overcast. A long, lamentable blast soughed up from the sea, the low lying sky frowned darkly over the black, frost-bound earth.

'We're going to have a storm,' Sir John said; 'our guests must reach us through a tempest to-night.'

The storm broke at noon—rain, sleet, and roaring wind. Katherine shivered as she listened to the wild whistling of the blast. She, usually the least nervous and superstitious of human beings, felt little chills creeping over her, as she hearkened to its wintry howls.

'It sounds like the cry of a banshee,' she said, with a shudder to Edith Talbot. 'Such a wild, black, sleety, wretched winter day! And last night there was not a cloud in the sky! Edith, do you believe in omens?'

'I believe this is as disagreeable a day as it is in the nature of December days to be, and that you are a nervous goose for the first time in your life. You don't suppose Mr. Dantree is sugar or salt to melt in the rain, or a feather for the wind to blow away. Don't be so restless and fidgety, Kathie, or you'll make me as nervous as yourself.'

The short, dark, wintry afternoon dragged on.

With the fall of the night the storm seemed to increase. The roar of the winds deepened; the dull thunder of the surf on the shore reached them; the trees waved in the high gale like human things in pain; and the ceaseless sleet lashed the glass.

'An awful night for a wedding,' even the servants whispered, 'No wonder poor Miss Katherine looks like a ghost.'

She was pale beyond all the ordinary pallor of bridehood—strangely restless, strangely silent.

Darkness fell; the house was lit up: flowers bloomed everywhere as though it had been midsummer; warmth and luxury everywhere within contrasted with the travail of the dying year. Under the hands of her maid, Katherine sat passive to all changes. The supreme hour of her life had come, and in every wail of the wind, every dash of the frozen rain, she seemed to hear the warning words of her old nurse: "False as fair! False as fair!"

Eight o'clock. The rector of Castleford and his curate had arrived. Nine! The musicians had come, and the earliest of the nuptial guests; the roll of carriages could be heard through the tumult of the storm. Half past nine! And 'I wonder if Gaston has yet arrived?' Katherine said.

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A LADY'S WISH.—"Oh, how I do wish my skin was as clear and soft as yours," said a lady to her friend. 'You, can easily make it so,' answered the friend. "How?" inquired the first lady. "By using Hop Bitters, that makes pure rich blood and blooming health. It did it for me, as you observed."—*Cairo Bulletin.*

Agricultural.

CARE OF MACHINES.

After the season for using them is over it will not pay to leave the harvesting machines in the fields or by side of the highway. They can do no good in either of those places, but they will be seriously damaged if left exposed to the destructive influences of the weather.

The manufacturers say that when left constantly out of doors, the machines last only half as long as they would if they were protected from the weather when not in use.

Although not as expensive, and therefore not involving as heavy loss when neglected, ploughs, harrows, horse-rakes, and all other farm implements are seriously damaged by exposure to the elements.

Not only do the implements which are left out of doors wear faster and break oftener, thus involving the necessity of frequent repairs, with the expense and loss of time inseparable therefrom, but they are much harder to use than those which are properly housed. A reaper which has stood in the field all winter, will draw much harder than one witch was put under cover at the end of the harvest. Continued exposure of any machine increased power, with increased power of breakage, in its use.

It is a noticeable fact that in sections of the country where the farmers are rich and prosperous, it is seldom we find machines lying about the fields, or stock running in the roads, or weathering the cold autumn rains and sleet; but, in sections where the farmers are poor, though the land may be fertile, we invariably find farm implements left in the field, in the summer their cattle running the roads and in the late fall, when they should be in the stable, we find them shivering in the fence corner, or seeking shelter in barns or other buildings the doors of which have been blown off. In such times their only food is frozen grass, or other unnutricious substances. Care and economy must be exercised in all matters relative to agriculture, or on the most fertile land nothing but a bare existence can be had, and that only by the hardest drudgery. The same men on the same land by careful management and a study of their business could be comfortable and respected, neither of which careless farmers are.

WHAT THE FARMER SHOULD STUDY.

The farmer should study the laws of concentration. He should learn how to concentrate his crops into the best paying articles. Does he consider that butter, cheese, beef, pork and mutton represent only a certain amount of grass, hay and grain that his farm produces? That, instead of selling the raw commodities, he can, by putting them into these articles, get much better return for his products? His study should be how to transform the raw products of his farm into something that is concentrated, and that will bring him the most money. What he raises has to go to some market. By condensing it, little freight will have to be paid, and thus much will be saved. A farm should be a factory for changing the raw products into articles of general consumption that have a commercial value the world over—that are of the best quality, that keep well and sell well, and bring prices that will pay well for the skill, labor and capital employed in producing them.

OVER FEEDING WITH HAY.

Now that cows are about going into winter quarters, a hint about feeding hay may not be out of place. We often hear dairymen talk as if the height of skill in taking care of cows in the winter, was to get all the hay down that it is possible to cram into them. "I give my cows all the good hay I can get them to eat," is the boastful remark often heard from a spirited and aspiring dairyman, though in doing so he is wasting good provender without promoting the best welfare of his animals. It is a good thing to feed cows well, and to be sure that they will have food enough to sustain them fully, but it is neither wise nor economical to crowd them with a great bulk of hay of any quality. It is not wise to crowd any animal with a great bulk of corse food. A horse will do more work and do it easier, on moderate feeds of hay, than he will to crowd him with all that can be got down him. It is burdensome for him to move or exert his muscles with an over distended stomach, and the too large ration will not be digested so well as a smaller one. These objections are more empatically true with cows. It is the nature of Ruminants to hury down large meals when opportunity occurs, and lie by a long time to grind it over, a cud at a time, till it is well pulverized. If palatable food is offered them, they will take one meal after another, in such quick succession, as to give very little opportunity for remastication, and the successive meals of half ground food will be crowded out of the rumen, one after another, imperfectly digested for the want of being properly pulverized. In this course of feeding the double loss from discomfort and improper digestion is forcibly felt. Cows should have no more hay than they have time to remasticate, and if this is not enough for their necessities, they should have some easy-digesting concentrated food along with it. The quantity of hay given should never exceed what they will eat up clean, and twice a day is often enough to give time for properly ruminating.

ONE VARIETY.

As a rule, one variety of fowls is enough for almost any person to manage successfully and profitably, and this is especially true with beginners, who have to gain their experience in all the varied details of poultry management. If a breeder has been successful with one variety, has not merely made good sales, but has produced birds of such a high order of merit that the stock make a good advertisement, and a permanent one, for the breeder, it can be taken for granted that it will pay to take up one or more breeds, provided the same care is bestowed upon each variety as was formerly accorded to the single breed, and provided there are ample conveniences, room and quarters for them. It seldom pays to attempt raising pure bred poultry, of several varieties, unless there is ample room, both in yards and houses, for they must have this to ensure their healthfulness and consequent profit.

The Dundalk Herald.

Friday December 23rd, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Our readers will bear with us this week for the lack of reading matter, so heavy has been the demand on our advertising space that it was impossible to avoid it. While offering this apology we beg to tender to our numerous patrons a Merry Christmas and a very happy New Year, and to return them our heart-felt thanks for the very liberable support we have received at their hands since commencing business.

It is but a little over a year since we, with some fear, launched our bark on the tide of journalism. We had, undoubtedly, many friends in the outset, but we also had any number of "Job's comforters," who were kind enough to inform us that we would be sick of the job before the year was out. We are happy to say, however, that this latter class have proved false prophets, and that the STANDARD to-day stands on a firm bases. Our circulation has more than doubled and is still daily increasing. Our job patronage, we think we can safely say, is not surpassed by any village office in the Dominion, if it is even equalled. We have added largely to our plant, and are now in a position to give better satisfaction than ever. Our present premises which we erected this summer is the most commodious in the County, and, with the additions we are continually making to our meterial, we wi'l, and we say so without hesitation, have the best establishment in the County, ere long. We will, as heretofore, turn out our work prompt neat, and at as low a rate as is consistent with a fair return for our labor. We again thank our patrons and assure them that we will ever endeavor to retain the confidence that has, up to the present, been so freely reposed in us.

Try Fosters 40ct. tea.

See Mr. Doll's stock of Watches, half [illegible] each.

Job work done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

[illegible] 18. K. Gold watches, from $10 up at W. F. Doll's.

Get your sale Bills at the STANDARD Office, Markdale.

If you want to hire a good livery rig, go to T. Mathews.

Mr. Doll has something fine in spectacles for weak and failing eyes.

For Christmas Toy's and Presents, go to Brown's, Markdale.

Cheap Trunks and Valices, at T. Mathew's Harness Shop,

Lots of Christmas and New Year's [illegible] at McIntyre's.

Another lot of that famous 35c Japan [tea], at Brown's, Markdale

[illegible] compliments of the season to [illegible] A. McIntyre.

A large assortment of Whips, at Mathew's Harness Establishment, Markdale,

I. J. White, Dentist, will be at the [illegible] Hotel on Wednesday next, [illegible] inst.

There is to be a shooting match on the 26th inst, at the Mansion House Markdale.

For cheap fashionable and durable Over Coats and Ulsters, go to Brown's, Markdale.

The STANDARD for a year to any address postage prepaid for $1.00 or 25c for three months.

For all kinds of Groceries, new, fresh and cheap, go to Brown's, Markdale.

The rash still continues for Groceries, Liquors, Provisions, etc., to A. McIntyre's.

The Anniversary of the Flesherton Methodist Sabbath School will be held on Monday, the 2nd, New Year's.

For Felt Boots, that will keep your feet warm during the cold weather, go to Brown's Markdale.

What is the use of paying $1 for an axe when you can get them in [illegible]skett's for 85c.

Mr. Doll has imported his stock of Watches from the old country himself, consequently he can, and will, undersell any jeweler in this section of country.

Christmas is comming, don't forget your children. Santa Claus buys all his goods at A. McIntyre's.

Messrs Mercer and McLaughrey have purchased a Jersey Red Boar those wishing to improve their stock of Pigs should call on them.

The Presbytarian Sabbath School Anniversary at Flesherton will be held on Monday, 26th, Christmas, when a good time is expected.

There has been an average of 65 loads of grain per day, this week on our Market, if there was sleighing we believe that amount would be doubled.

AHA! — Dentists who have tried "TEABERRY," pronounce it the finest thing on the face of this earth for the teeth and breath. 5 cent samples.

ROPE WALKING.—A grand mid-air, [illegible] rope performance, will be given in Markdale, according to bills, on Monday next, Chrismas day, at 4 p.m.

Any amount of Oranges, Lemons, Oysters, and confectionery—the very best, at A. McIntyre's.

Mr. G. Grant as will be seen by reference to our advertising columns, has added undertaking to his business and is prepared to furnish a hearse when necessary.

Says Dondald to Pat: Where are you going to get your Christmas and New Year's supply? Why, of course, at McIntyre's. That is right I am just making for there.

An Engine left the rail at Owen Sound before leaving the above place on Friday morning, last, causing a delay of three hours in starting.

Mr. Doll says in this issue that he can sell watches cheaper than any man in the County. The best way to find out if it is so is to give him a call. See [illegible]

A PUBLIC MEETING will be held in Sproule's Hotel, Markdale, next Wednesday evening, for the purpose of [illegible] steps to organize a Fire Brigade for this village. [illegible] interested [illegible] in the Cross will [illegible] enrolled.

We are likely to have a lively time at our Annual School meeting in Markdale, we would advise every one interested to come out to it on Wednesday the 28th.

A fresh stock of Candies for the Holidays, at Montgomery's, the Baker. Also all kinds of Cakes. (Bride Cakes a specialty). Just leave your orders, we won't tell any one.

The last few days the village has been pretty well thronged with farmers disposing of their grain, and laying in their supply of necessaries for the hollidays.

Our Merchants are making a grand desplay this year, and all appear to be doing a good business. In the grocery line McIntyse makes a fine show in all the luxuries necessary for the festivities of this season of the year.

A grand entertainment will be held in Dufferin Hall, on Monday evening, January 2nd, New Year's Day, in connection with the Presbyterian Sabbath School. For full particulars, see posters.

Some say there is nothing like leather, but evidently Wilcox thinks there is nothing like printer's ink. See his advertisement on our third page and then give him a call, you will find him a pretty square man to deal with, and his goods are just what he represents them to be.

Mr, Masson is in Markdale every Friday and Saturday, and is well pleased with the amount of business he is securing. He has now any amount of money to loan, both private and Companies' funds.

Gray spent seven years in perfecting his "Elegy," but the time required to get a box of Esterbrook's Steel Pens is just long enough to send to the nearest stationer. Wholesale by Brown Bros., Toronto.

McFarland has his store decorated in style. Four pillars support two arches loaded with evergreens, over which are scattered Chinese lanterns, Fancy goods, &c., &c. Mr. Dunlop has his bakery nicely decorated for the holidays.

The Christ Church, Sunday School Xmass Tree and entertainment will take place on Wednesday, 28th inst., in Dufferin Hall. The entertainment to commence at 7.30, and will consist of Xmas Carrols, Dialogues, recitations and distribution of Xmas presents.

Any person desirous of subscribing or the *Globe* or *Mail*, or of renewing their subscription for the same, will save the trouble and risk of mailing by handing us the amount required, $1.00 for either of the above papers, and we will have them sent to any address without further charge.

There is no doubt that our Canadian climate is conducive to Lung affections, and for this reason Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops should be in every house. For Coughs, Colds, and all other Lung and Throat affections they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A Turner and Co., Special Agent Markdale.

MARKDALE FOUNDRY.—This New establishment is now in full operation, and every thing about it works like a charm. The proprietors are first-class practical workmen. One of the brothers is a moulder, another a machinist, and a third learning the business, while the old gentleman, their, father, is a mould and pattern maker. They are kept very busy, and will, no doubt, do a lage business, We wish the firm success.

A great many people are troubled with cold feet, which is invariably caused by a sluggish circulation of the blood. A few doses of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters will soon produce a free circulation of the blood and Stimulate and Tone the system. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

The annual election of officers of Markdale Grange No. 834 took place in their Hall on Friday Dec. 16th with the following results: Thomas Mann, W. M.; Geo. Richardson, O.; Thos. Elliott, Jr. Lect., S.; J. Coleman, Treas. J. Elliott, Sec., B. Coleman, Chap., J. Myers, Steward, S. Lackey Ass. S.; E. Lomas, G.; Miss E. Drew, C.; Alice Dr[illegible], T.; Jane Walker, F.; Mrs. S. Walker, Lady Ass. Stewardess. A. Elliott and B. Coleman, Auditors. B. Coleman Joseph Myers, and J. Elliott Executive Committee, J. Elliot Delegate to Div. Grange. The above Grange is in a prosperous condition at present.

Now that winter has well commenced we would advise our readers against using pills containing Calomel and other injurious substance, as there is great danger of catching cold after their use. An excellent substitute for pills is a Vegetable Preparation known as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, a family medicine that, from all accounts, will soon take the place of every other purgative and blood purifier. A Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS,

AND

A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

TO ONE AND ALL.

May the good year 1881 maintain and leave you prosperous and happy. May peace and plenty dwell within your gates. May sunshine enter each home and each heart; and may sorrow, and above all the dark shaddow bringing sickness, poverty and death, not enter your household. And now dear friends, with best wishes to all, and bright anticipations for the future, I wish you one and all a "Merry Christmas, and a very Happy New Year.

Sincerely yours,
W. J. MCFARLAND.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

The most complete Farmers' and Mechanics' diary ever published; every person ought to have one. See them at the STANDARD Office; only 40cts.

Our packet for McIntyre P. O., last week was returned to us yesterday for address, while the address was still plain on the parcel. We send it to-day together with this week's issue.

FEVERSHAM.

From a Correspondent.

A correspondent in a late STANDARD said that Feversham was still in the same place, everything quiet, and the people trudging through the mud. Well, we may say to that individual, that Feversham is still in the same place, and likely to remain, as it is built on a good solid rock; but is not very quiet just now, on the contrary is rather lively, with no mud, but good sleighing, and the merry jingle of the sleigh-bells is to be heard everywhere, consequently business is on the increase.

The flour mill is being thoroughly repaired, and will be in first-class order shortly. If you want No. 1 flour and a good return, give the Feversham Mills a call.

Livision Grange met here last Friday, there was a good attendance and everything passed off satisfactory.

There has been great destruction among the canine race during the last week, resulting from the death of a calf which some miscreant poisoned and left in a conspicuous place. Feversham is almost clear of dogs now, and there is many a sad face over the death of some favorite spaniel, &c.

The population of this place and surrounding neighborhood is greatly on the increase. We think there will be more houses required before long, and expect to be applying for an Act of Incorporation shortly.

We regret very much to learn that Mr. R. T. McGirr met with a very serious loss last Saturday evening in the death of his celebrated and well-known trotter, Pochahontas.

OPEN EYE.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our Correspondent.

The annual meeting of the Union Sabbath School for the election of officers and teachers was held on the 14th inst., with the following result, officers:—Superintendent, Wm. Buchannan, Jr.; Ass't-Supt., Philip Sparling; Secretary, Jno. J. Graham; Treasurer, Jas. Brodie; Librarian, Joseph Buchanan. Teachers, male—Bible Class, Thos. Boland; 1st Testament Class, Philip Sparling; 2nd do., Jno. Freeman; Juvenile Class, Henry Sparling. Females—1st Bible Class, Mrs. Thomas Boland; 2nd do., Miss Buchanan; 1st Testament class, Mrs. Jas. Sparling; 2nd do., Miss Boland; Juvenile class, Miss Sparling. The anniversary of the school will be held yn the 31st of January, in the Wesley Church. Tickets. 25 cents each, proceeds for the benefit of the Sabbath School. The usual programme will be carried out, viz:—Music, Recitations, Speeches, and Readings. A good time is anticipated.

DEBATING CLUB.—A Debating Club has been organized at the Stone school house, officers:—President, James Brodie; Secretary, J. C. Buchanan; Treasurer, J. J. Graham. Nights of meeting, Thursday. The opening debate, "Wheather the African or Indian has been most oppressed by the White man"—Captains, John Rowe and Robert Graham.

CHANGE OF TEACHERS.—Miss Ellen Graham, of Orange Valley, has been engaged for the school in this neighborhood. Mr. J. C. Buchanan, our late teacher, is removing to the New England school. We hope that he might be as successful in his new school as he has been here.

Weather very changeable, a little snow, a good deal of rain, and abundance of mud and rough roads. A foot of snow and good sleighing would be very acceptable. Let us hope that it will soon be here.

PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

The Presbyterian Church here, after an epoch of struggle and strife, is gradually emerging on dry land.—Priceville is one of those places where, previous to the late union, the people were devided into speparate sections—the one delighting to be denominated "Auld Kirk;" the other "Free Kirk." Sometime previous to the general union of the Church, the Ministers of the two congregations here had resigned their charges and gone to other fields of labor, the idea being, that there was no chance of union under either of the Pastors, although both were gifted men and much liked by their respective congregations. The result, for a time was chaos. Something like union, however, was at last brought about three years ago last summer, and Rev. Donald McLeod, from P. E. Island, was called and settled as Minister of the united congregation. Mr. McLeod, although not a strong man, physically, has proved himself a worker who needeth not to be ashamed, and under his ministrations the union of the once speparated people is being surely, if slowly, cemented. In all such cases the process of cohesion must, of necessity, be slow, and by hastening slowly, the desired end is invariably all the sooner accomplished. Last winter a Young Men's Association was formed, under the guidance of some of the older members of the Church, and something was done in the way of having a series of public lectures. This winter we are are glad to see that the young men are disposed to take the initiative themselves, and carry out the programme of spiritual and literary development. It is to be hoped they will persevere, and find their reward in an ever widening mental range, and an increasing vigor imparted to the general work of the congregation.

In accordance with a resolution come to at the last annual business meeting of the Church, a free Social was held by the members on the evening of Wednesday, the 14th inst. Mr. Meldrum, Station Master, although a member of another congregation, had been specially invited by the committee to attend, and after the usual [illegible] were disposed of, was unanimously voted to the chair. On taking it, Mr. Meldrum refered to certain views that some had as to the second advent; that previous to that happening, the author of evil and his luminaries would leave no stone unturned to get possession of the Church through making the latter pleased with themselves, &c. With reference to the Priceville congregation, the Chairman thought it might be a powerful means for good—the membership being large, and even wealthy. He was specially pleased with such a reunion of members of a congregation as the present, and hoped it would prove beneficial to the Church.

Rev. Mr. McLeod, Minister of the congregation, was then called on, and referred to the condition of things years ago, and to his pastorate of some three or four years. He did not know exactly whether it was his fortune or misfortune to have succeded two such men as Rev. Charles Cameron and Rev. Donald Fraser; Ministers who were both able and zealous, and also deservedly popular in the townships of Artemesia, Proton and Glenelg, to the utmost bounds of which their labours extended in those days of megro ministerial supply. Mr. McLeod said: On coming here, a perfect stranger, he was agreeably surprised with the kindness received then and since. Considering the reports he had previously heard of the turbulance said to have been manifested.—He had been well supported by the Eldership—a body of men with whom he was glad to say he could always cordially and agreeably co-operate. In regard to this meeting, he was gratified to see so many present. This was a first attempt to establish an annual social reunion of members of the congregation; the object not being to raise money by making a charge for admission, but simply to have a yearly friendly meeting where money would not be called for, but where the members could enjoy themselves in a friendly way, and have a talk about the affairs of the Church generally. Various members of the Congregation subsequently addressed the meeting, and after a vote of thanks to the Chairman, the benediction was pronounced by Mr. McLeod.

LIFE OF GARFIELD.

(Guelph Daily Herald, Dec. 8, 1881.)

We have just received a copy of the Life of Garfield, by James D. McCabe. The work is endorsed by B. A. Hinsdale, of Hiram College, Ohio, and the following extract concerning it appears in the Cleveland Herald of Nov. 29th, 1881:—

"President B. A Hinsdale, of Hiram, authorizes us to make public the following statement:

"'Mrs. Garfield has appointed me the editor of General Garfield's works, with instructions to collect, edit and carry them through the press as speedily as is consistent with completeness and thoroughness.'"

"'The commission that Mrs Garfield has given me covers the speeches, addresses, and published papers of General Garfield, but has nothing to do with his life.'

B. A. Hinsdale."

It will be seen by the above statement that the work Mrs. Garfield has commissioned President Hinsdale to edit is not in any sense a "Life of President Garfield," but it is only a compilation of his "speeches, addresses and published papers." It will therefore contain no account of the assassination of President Garfield, his long suffering, and heroic death.

We are much pleased with the work. It contains 768 pages of well printed reading, and numerous illustrations which were not promised by the publishers. The World Publishing Company of this city have the exclusive right for the Dominion of Canada, and we understand they are selling large numbers of the books, and, although we understand that cheap, inferior editions are being introduced, yet it does not seem to interfere in the sale of this very elaborate work which is recommended by the most intimate friends of the late President Garfield, and we are glad to hear that so worthy a work is having such a an extensive circulation. A few more good agents would do well to apply at once to the World Publishing Company, Guelph, Ontario.

Orangeville Lodge, No. 156, Orangeville, Ont., Ancient Order of United Workmen, was organized on the 14th inst., by F. G. Inwood, D.G.M.W., assisted by Dr. Wm. McGregor, P.M. W. of Royal lodge, Guelph. The officers are:—F. C. Stewart, P.M.W.; Dr. C. M. Smith, M.W.; S. Wallace, Foreman; John Wallace, Overseer; G. W. McKee, Recorder; F. Frank, Financier; J. Crozier, Receiver; W. Sutton, Guide; J. H. Hoffman, I.W; R. A. Stokes, O.W. The following are the trustees of the lodge:—M. Wilkins, E. Leslie, and D. McDonald. This lodge starts out with unusually bright prospects. Instituted with forty charter-members and with sufficient applications to make its membership over fifty, it comes to the front as the strongest lodge organized during the term.

CLIPPINGS FROM OUR LOCAL EXCHANGES.

CHATSWORTH.—The new steam grist mill at Chatsworth, owned by Mr. Wray, is at length in operation, after having been delayed about four months beyond the stipulated time at which it was to have been completed, on account of the boilernot being got ready which, together with the engine and pulleys, was manufactured by G. Gorbet & Sons, Owen Sound, the rest of the mechinery connected with the gristing department having been manufactured by Messrs. W. & J. G. Greey, Toronto, and all appears to be of first-rate quality, having all the modern improvements [now] in use, which will enable the enterprising proprietor to command a very extensive patronage. Much credit is likewise due to the millwright, Mr. R. J. McAuslan, for the systematic arrangement in the interior and the efficient manner in which he performed his work.—*O. S. Times.*

GENERAL SESSIONS AND COUNTY COURT.—The General Sessions and County Court was held before His Honor Judge Macpherson on Tuesday, and lasted only one day. The Judge in dismissing the Grand Jury said that in his seventeen years as Judge, this was the lightest court he ever had. There was only one criminal case, that of J. H. Leary, charged with starting the late fire at Thornbury, but the Grand Jury dismissed the bill. The following is a list of the Grand Jury:

David Simpson, *Foreman*; S. Arrowsmith, Martin Switzer, Jasper Bates, F. Bole, R. Ludlow, R. Harkness, H. W. Norton, Robt. Brown, Thos. Jones, Wm. McKeen, Jabez Banks, Alfred Lawson, Alex. Webster, Jno. Fraser, Thos. Oliver, Wm. Garvie, Albert Paterson, S. Whitmore, Jas. B. Young, Jno. Milburn, Thos. Moore.

The following civil cases were disposed of:

ANDERSON *vs* BIGGAR.—Interpleader issue on a horse seized in an execution against brother-in-law of plaintiff. Judgment for plaintiff. Jno. Creasor Q. C., for plaintiff; Jas. Masson for defendant.

MULLEN *vs* KENNEDY.—Suit for breach of contract to deliver about 100,000 feet of lumber at Williams ford Station, under a written agreement whereby Mullen reserved the right to cull on his own discretion. Dispute arose in the culling, and defendant refused to allow culling to proceed, or to deliver the lumber. Plaintiff sued for what he could have made on the lumber according to a sale then made by him, which he stated at $180. Verdict for plaintiff. $25 with Division Court costs. Jno. Creasor, Q. C., for plaintiff; Jas. Masson, for defendant.

LLOYD *vs* PEARCE was adjourned for two weeks.—*O. S. Times.*

The Ceremonies attending the opening of the new Roman Catholic church at Melacthon, took place on Sunday last, 11th inst. The attendance was quite large, and the proceedings seemed to be of great interest to those present Bishop Crinnon, of Hamilton, assisted by several priests, conducted the ceremonies. The church is a very neat structure, and is sufficiently large to afford ample accommodation for the congregation. Both the Bishop and the Architect, Mr. J. Turner, of Brantford, expressed themselves as highly pleased with the workmanship displayed in the building, and gave the contractor, Mr. J. C. Whitten, of this village, great credit for the efficient manner in which the work had been done.—*Free Press.*

MILLIONS IN IT,

J. D. Alexander, editor *News*, Branesyille Ga., U. S. A., says: "For the past twelve months I have been suffering with inflammatory rheumatism I tried several physicians but they failed to relieve me. A friend recommended St. Jacob's Oil. I at once procured a half dozen bottles, which I have used, and find that I am improving all the time. It relieved me at once when I am suffering terrible pain and prevents me from spending many sleepless nights. Nothing has done me so much good."

MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

In Glenelg matters are quiet.

Mr. John Black has announced himself a candidate for councillor, as will be seen by our advertising columns, and will, no doubt, stand a good chance of being elected. We have heard of no oppisition to the Reeve. Thos. Mullarky is talked of as a candiace for councillor.

In Artemesia, things are comparitively quiet. It is rumered that Mr. Geo. Dodds will be a candidate for Reeve. The old council will, no doubt, all seek re-election.

In Osprey, there will be lively times as opposition is likely to be had for the office of Reeve, and also Deputy Reeve. The man who recieves the largest number of votes will be elected assuredly.

In Holland, we hear of no opposition to the Reeve, Mr. Howey, and very likely little or no change will be made in the old council.

Euphrasia is likely to have two or three Reeves the coming year, or, rather, the Reeveship will be sought by that many. We think, however, that the present one, Mr. Myles, will be re-elected.

Proton will have a change, as the present Reeve, J. J. Middleton, Esq., intends stepping down and out. Mr. Peter McGregor is a candidate for the office. He is well known in the Township, and will likely be elected. Mr. Abbott, it is said, will have opposition for the Deupty Reeveship, we think, however, Mr. A. will be elected.

ENTERTAINMENTS BEFORE OUR NEXT ISSUE.

A Presbyterian Soiree at Rocklyn on Wednesday the 28th.

Methodist Anniversary and Tea-Meeting in Markdale, on Monday, 26th Christmas.

Presbyterian Anniversary in Dundalk, on Monday, Christmas.

Methodist S. S. Anniversary in Dundalk, Christmas.

Presbyterian Entertainment in Proton, School Section No. 7, Con. 6, on Wednesday.

The *Canadian Almanac* for 1882, has been placed on our table by Messrs A. Turner & Co., who have it for sale price 15c. It is now in its thirty fifth year of publication. It contains a list of all the Ministers of every demonination. Post Offices, members of Parliament, and local Legislatures, County Townships, and Division Court Clerks, rates of postages, and in fact more information than any work of the kind published in the Dominion. Everyperson should have one.

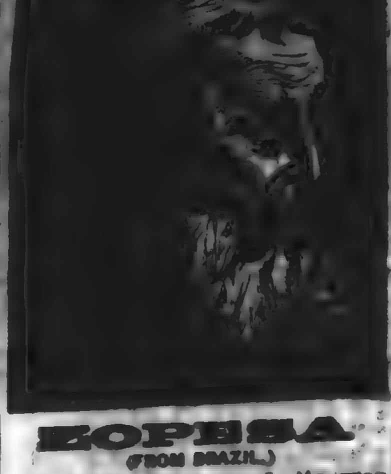
BIRTHS.

McDougall—In Markdale, on the 14th inst., the wife of Mr. Allen McDougall, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

On Tuesday, the 15th inst., by Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., at the Manse, Priceville, Mr. Thomas McGirr, to Miss Elizabeth Binnie, daughter of Mr. Thomas Binnie, all of Glenelg.

At the Manse, Markdale, on Monday, the 19th Inst., by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. William M. Stock, of Osprey, to Miss Mary E. Badgerow, of Artemesia.



ZOPESA

(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING FOR 1881 will be held in the School House, Markdale, on Wednesday, 28th inst., commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. Ratepayers and others interested, of U. S. S. No. 1, Artemesia and Glenelg, are particularly requested to be present, as the Trustees are most anxious that all parties having grievances should be fully heard, and that the affairs of the school, financial and otherwise, should receive that careful and intelligent criticism which the interests involved demand.

WM. BROWN, Sec.-Treas.

Markdale, Dec. 20, 1881. 67-1ins.

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 6[illegible]

C. A. OWEN.

TAILOR,

Over McFarland's Store,

MARKDALE,

Where he is prepared to fill all order with promptness.

THE LATEST

Fashion Plates!

ON HAND.

CUTTING DONE WHILE WAITING

A Good Fit Guaranteed.

CHARGES MODERATE.

C. A. OWEN.

Markdale, Nov. 8th, 1881.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND A

Happy New Year.

THE Subscriber desires to call the attention of those about to commit matrimony, that he is prepared to furnish

WEDDING CAKES,

and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the

Most Artistic style,

and of a flavor and quality, that cannot be surpassed.

SOIREES,

AND

Surpise Parties!

Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.

IN THE

Article of Bread!

I DEFY COMPETITION,

And will deliver it at the residence of all who may favor me with their patronage.

[illegible] A. DUNLOP.

Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. [illegible]

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay. Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, [illegible] Nassau street, New York. 20

ESTRAY.

CAME INTO THE PREMISES OF THE subscriber, Lot 10, Con. 2, Part 1 T. & S. Road, Holland, about the last of September, One White Sheep. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take it away.

RICHARD A. SCOTT,
Williamsford P.O.

[illegible]

To the Electors of Glenelg.

GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large number of the Ratepayers of the Township of Glenelg, to run for the office of Councilman for the Township, I have decided to do so. Last year I was nominated, but owing to sickness in my family, was unable to give any attention whatever to the election, but notwithstanding this I received a very large number of votes, almost sufficient to elect me as Councillor. If elected to represent the Township at the Council Board, I shall strive to do what I sincerely believe to be for the best interests of the Township as a Councillor, if elected.

I remain your obedient servant,
JOHN BLACK.

Dec. 23, 1881. 67-2ins.

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS!

MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

Call and Inspect our Work!

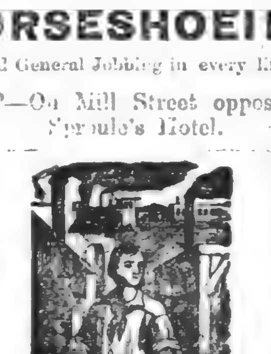
on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

HORSESHOEING

and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.



Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 18[illegible]

THE MOST POPULAR OF ALL SEWING MACHINES IS THE LIGHT-RUNNING

NEW HOME

BEST MADE

SIMPLE STRONG SWIFT SURE

HAS NO EQUAL

IS ALWAYS IN ORDER AND WILL LAST A LIFETIME

SURPASSES ALL OTHERS

Johnson Clark & Co.

30 UNION SQ. NEW YORK
CHICAGO ILL.
ORANGE MASS.

FOR SALE BY

Respectfully yours,
JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop.

GORDON

Has always on hand a full assortment of

HEAVY HARNESS,

WHIPS,

SLEICH BELLS,

TRUNKS,

HORSE BLANKETS,

—AND—

SCOTCH COLLARS!

Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

REMEMBER THE PLACE

RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

[illegible] J. GORDON.

N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken [illegible]

Flesherton, Dec. 8th, 1881. 16[illegible]

THE PUBLIC [illegible]

W. F. DOLL

is showing a stock of

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES

That will compare [illegible] store in Canada.

Altogether his Stock is

LARGE, TASTY, AND WELL SORTED.

An inspection of his stores will repay [illegible]

He is giving special discounts during the holidays.

Flesherton, Dec. 21, 1881. W. F. DOLL.

Nothing Like Leather

M. M. McLEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN.

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted [illegible] in mind that we have just received [illegible] brought into Markdale, [illegible] Sole, French Kip and Calf [illegible] pared to [illegible] and Misses boots and shoes [illegible] to the finest k[illegible]

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

Moffat Bros'

MARKDALE

Foundry

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS!

Beg to announce that they have commenced work in Markdale as Machinists, [illegible] Brass Founders, &c., and from their knowledge of the requirements of the [illegible] Markdale [illegible] and promptitude in the execution of all [illegible] by the most skillful workmen, to merit a share of public patronage.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring

—WITH—

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention [illegible] through practical experience the best [illegible]

Box Stoves,
Sugar Kettles,
Land Rollers

will receive our attention. We [illegible] duce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will [illegible] Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods [illegible] them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the cloth [illegible] hot irons injure them. We will also [illegible]

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS

with or without [illegible] also Tomb Railings, Fall Pillars [illegible] mental Castings [illegible] kinds of Balluster Railings, [illegible] plain and ornamental. Machinery [illegible] Castings of every description [illegible]

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies:

CITIZENS', of Montreal,

AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown,

TRADE & COMMERCE, [illegible] of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots [illegible]

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps [illegible]

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881.

Dissolution of Partnership.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, BY mutually agree that the partnership heretofore existing [illegible] Sparling & Rowe [illegible] co-partnership [illegible] dissolved. [illegible] nership are to be received by the [illegible] Sparling. [illegible] nership [illegible] ment. In witness whereof we have set our hands [illegible] cember, 1881.

Signed and sealed in presence of A. Rowe.

HENRY SPARLING,
JOHN ROWE.

WANTED.

At the Eclipse Saw Mills and Shingle Factory 1,000,000 feet of Logs of [illegible] Cherry, Butternut, Ash, Pine, [illegible] Basswood, Maple, and Elm [illegible] highest prices.

HENRY SPARLING, Prop.

65

$2 [illegible]

Watches

WILLIAM STRAIN

Dealer in all kinds of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

Sewing Machines, Organs, [illegible]

Fanning Mills, Tin and Co[illegible]

[illegible]ING, PARLOR AND BOX [illegible]

[illegible] Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS [illegible] will secure the advantage of dealing with [illegible]

WM. STRAIN, Fle[illegible]

March 24, 1881.

Merry Christmas
—AND—
Happy New Year
TO ALL.

[illegible] announce to our patrons and the public generally that [illegible] our annual and well selected stock of

FANCY GOO[DS]

CONSISTING OF

Work Boxes, Ladies' and Gents' [illegible] Photograph Albums, Autograph Albums, Photographs, Card Cases, Vases, Toilet Sets, Moustache Cups, Shaving Mugs, Dolls, &c., &c.

BOOKS we have a choice [illegible] Poets, Bibles, Revised Testa[ments], Prayer and Hymn Books, Miscell[aneous] Books, and Children's Picture Books [illegible] very fine collection. A good sup[ply] suitable for Xmas Presents and New [Year] [illegible]

A. TURNER

HE PU...
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is showing a stock of
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M. M. McLEOD & CO,
...kdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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—AND—
...ACHINE WORKS,
...nce that they have commenced ... Markdale as Machinists, Iron and ... founders, &c., and from their know... the requirements of the trade ... and surrounding country, hope, by ... strict attention to business, ... in the execution of orders ... most skilful workmen, to merit a ... of public patronage.
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...RON GRAVE TABLETS!
...thout marble slab for name, ... Railings, Pall Pillars and ... Iron Chains for same, also ... Railings, House Fancy ... ornamental, Machinery ... every description, Brass Bells, large or small.
MOFFAT BROS.
... Nov., 1881.

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...Sales conducted in Town or Coun... ...test Notice. Charges moderate. ...k Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
... May 20th, 1881.

...lution of Partner-ship.
...HE UNDERSIGNED, DO HERE... mutually agree that the partner... before subsisting between us ... Rowe under certain ... ship be, and the same is hereby ... All debts owing to the said part... to be received by the same, ... and all demands on the said part... to be presented to him for pay... witness whereof we have hereunto ... this and seal this Fifth day of ...
...and sealed in the presence of ...
HENRY SPARLING,
JOHN ROWE.

WANTED.
...se Saw Mills and Shingle Factory ...ect of all kinds of logs namely ... Butternut, Ash, Pine, Hemlock, Maple, and Elm, for which the ...e will be paid.
HENRY SPARLING, Prop.

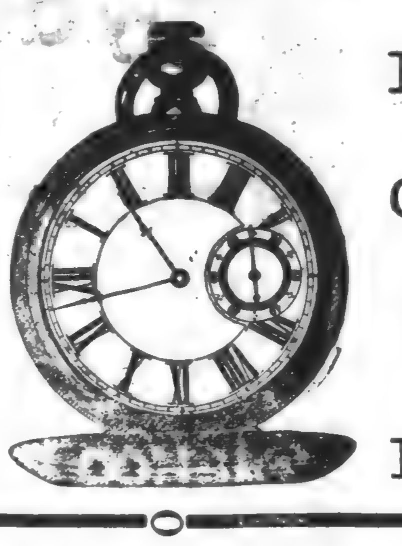
E. D. WILCOX,

A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL.

And don't forget that I have now on hand by far the largest stock ever carried by me, consisting of Ladies' and Gents'

Watches.

Gold and Silver Watches, Clocks, Brooches, Ear-drops, Engagement & Wedding Rings, Lockets, (gold and plated,) Silver Thimbles, Charms, Chains, Necklets, (in gold and plated,) Silver Thimbles, Cruets,



Butter Coolers, Napkin Rings, Pickle Stands, Card Receivers, Butter Knives, Cake Baskets, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Table and Dessert Knives, Forks and Spoons.

Clocks.

Sole Agent for Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles,
THE BEST IN THE WORLD.

VIOLINS, CONCERTINAS, AND ACCORDEONS!

And other lines too numerous to mention. All the above mentioned goods will be sold very cheap, and are very suitable for Xmas Presents. I do not mean to say that I can undersell any other man in the trade, but I do mean to say that my stock is as good as any in this section and my prices equally as low, and would solicit an inspection of the same. **I count it no trouble to show goods and quote prices.** Thanking one and all of my friends for past favors during the past seven years I have been in business in Markdale, I would respectfully solicit a continuance of your trade, and remember I warrant all goods as represented.

☞ DON'T FORGET THE PLACE—NEXT DOOF TO HILL BROS, MILL ST.

E. D. WILCOX.

MARKDALE.

WILLIAM STRAIN,
Dealer in all kinks of
...RICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
Sewing Machines, Organs,
...nning Mills, Tin and Copperware

...OKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES
...in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I ... Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.
WM. STRAIN, Flesherton
...rton, March 24, 1881. 28 tf

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TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at **Flesherton Station and Eugenia,** are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-y

Robt. S. Rae.
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MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

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And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

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A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Suffering wishing ... the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,

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Flesherton, November 4th, 1881. 14

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and no better place in Markdale can be found to obtain these articles and **at bottom prices,** than at

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And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

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I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

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Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881.

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

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My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

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Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 21, 1881. 34-6m

OATMEAL AS FOOD.

Says an Irish paper:—Oatmeal is a food of real strength and nutrition, having claims to be better known and more widely used than it is at present. Of much service as a brain food, it contains phosphorus enough to keep a man doing an ordinary amount of brain work in good health and vigor. All medical authorities unite in the opinion that eaten with milk, it is a perfect food, and having all the requisites for the development of the system, it is a pre-eminently a useful food for growing children and the young generally. Oatmeal requires much cooking to effectually burst its starch cells, but when it is well cooked it will thicken liquid much more than equal its weight in wheaten flour.—The oats of this country are superior to those grown on the Continent and in the southern part of England, but certainly inferior to the Scotch, where considerable pains are taken to cultivate them, and it is needless to point out that the Scotch are an example of a strong and thoroughly robust nation, which result is partly set down as being derived from the plentiful use of oatmeal. Dr. Guthrie has asserted that his countrymen have the largest heads of any nation in the world—not even the English having such large heads—which he attributes to the universal use of oatmeal, as universal it is, being found alike on the tables of the rich and the tables of the poor—in the morning they have the porridge and in the evening the traditional cake. The two principle ways of cooking porridge and cake (bannock), which I will describe, and also some other modes of cooking to afford an agreeable variety of dishes. First, then, we will commence with a receipt for porridge:—To three pints of boiling water add a level teaspoonful of salt and a pint of coarse meal, stirring till the meal is diffused through the water—about eight or ten minutes. Cover it closely then, and place it where it will simmer for an hour; avoid stiring during the whole of that time. Serve hot and with as little messing as possible, accompanied with milk, maple syrup or sugar, and cream. To make oatmeal cake place in a bowl a quart of meal, add to it [illegible] cold water [illegible] will form it into [illegible] dough, cover it with a cloth [illegible] minutes to allow it to swell, then [illegible] the pasteboard with meal, turn out the dough and [illegible]. Cover it with [illegible] minutes and proceed [illegible] roll it out to an [illegible] cut it into five pieces [illegible] them on a grid [illegible] toasting them in front [illegible] fire.

[illegible] THROAT.

Apply Hagyard's Yellow Oil and take inwardly [illegible] directions. Yellow Oil is the best remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Bruises, Burns, Frost Bites and all [illegible], inflammation and pain. No household should be without it.

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[illegible] MAN WANTED.

[illegible] Cleveland the other [illegible] will hereafter, as the [illegible] world [illegible] and, after doing the [illegible] he became almost worried out, wound up about two o'clock in the morning at the establishment of a well known undertaker [illegible] Washington. After knocking at the door for several minutes, the proprietor came to the window and bawled out:

"What's wanted?"

"Say, Mr. [illegible]," said his inebriate [illegible], "I want to see you for a moment. Come down."

"Do you want to give an order?" asked the undertaker.

"Yes an order. Come down," said the visitor.

The proprietor dressed himself and came downstairs, and unlocking the door let the man in. "Now," said he, "what can I do for you?"

"Say, [illegible], I want to order you [illegible] to come to my house. You are the last man I want to have anything to do with. Good night, sir."

The undertaker; who thought he had a job, fired the fellow out and returned to his downy couch, murmuring as he went along: "Sold again."

INGENIOUS INVENTION.

Some shrewd Yankee has invented a key that will wind any watch; it is a neat attachment to a charm, and it is said to work like a charm. So does the grand Key to Health Burdock Blood Bitters, the greatest discovery of the age. It unlocks all the secretions, and cleanse and invigorates the entire system. Sample bottles, 10 cents; large size, $1.00 of all medicine dealers.

Whatever you have to do, do it with your might. Many a lawyer has made his fortune by simply working with a will.

Queen Victoria is soon to have a visit from King [illegible], as he is going to England to thank her in person for the gift of the Garter.

CAUSE AND EFFECT.—The main cause of nervousness is indigestion, and that is caused by weakness of the stomach. No one can have sound nerves and good health without using Hop Bitters to strengthen the stomach, purify the blood, and keep the liver and kidneys active, to carry off all the poisonous and waste matter of the system.—*Advance.*

THE TRUTH ABOUT IT.

Says a contemporary:—A short time ago we called upon a certain party in this city and asked him why he did not advertise.

"Oh," he answered, "what's the use? Nobody will ever see it."

"You're mistaken," said we, "every page of our paper is read."

"Nonsense," he replied; "even if people did read my advertisement, they would never think of it again. I don't want to advertise."

"But—,"

"No buts at all. I don't want to advertise, and don't bother me any more; I'm busy." And he walked back into his store and strangled a poor little fly that was helping itself from a barrel of sugar.

Time passed and we never again intimated advertising to him though meeting him daily. The other day the gentleman called at our sactum, looking a little uncertain as to how he would be received. We cherished no hard feeling and motioned him to a chair.

"I suppose you heard of that little affair of mine below?"

"Oh, yes," said we; "that little escapade on King street the night before last. Yes, we've got the particulars—'

"Hush not so loud, please," said he; "of course you're going to say nothing in the papers about it?'

"And why not? It is a matter of interest to your friends and the public generally."

"Heavens! Why it would ruin me."

"Oh, no, guess not; nobody wil ever see it."

"Yes they will; and it will ruin me as sure as I am sitting here. I'll be the laughing stock of the town. They will see it."

We rose and touched him in sively on the shoulder.

"Well, we admit, the people wil see it; but then, you know, they will never think of it again."

His words came back to him in a flash and he trembled so violently that his eye-balls fairly jingled, and he was such an object for commiseration that we promised to keep mum. This little moral is drawn from the above, which is applicable the world over: ask a man to advertise, and he will immediately say, in the majority of cases, that "Nobody will ever see it;' but advertise gratis some little indiscretion he may commit, and he immediately grows indignant over the certainty that the whole world will know it.

WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS TIS FOLLY TO BE WISE.

Dr. Bliss, if not a success at probing for bullets, was highly successful in despatching bulletins; but the grandest bulletin of success is that which heralds the wonderful cures performed by Burdock Blood Bitters, that matchless tonic and blood purifier which acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver and the Kidneys, while it invigorates and strengthens the whole system.

A NATURAL BAROMETER.

Everybody has admired the delicate and ingenious work of the spider, everybody has watched her movements as she spins her wonderful web, but all do not know that she is the most reliable weather prophet in the world. Before a wind storm she shortens the threads that suspended her web, and leaves them in this state as long as the weather remains unsettled. When she lengthens these threads count on fine weather, and in proportion to their length will be its duration. When a spider rests inactive it is a sign of rain; if she works during a rain, be sure it will soon clear up and remain clear for some time. The spider, it is said, changes her web every twenty-four hours, and the part of the day she chooses to do this is always significant. If it occurs little before sunset, the night will be fine and clear. Hence the old French proverb: "Araignee du soir, espoir."

HAVE HOPE.

Before you despair of curing a troublesome cough just verging on consumption try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam; it has cured others, why may it not cure you? All dealers sell it.

The little daughter of Mr. Franklyn, who loaned his residence to the sick President, Gladys, a maiden of nine summers, goes bear-hunting in the Rocky Mountains, in boy's clothes, with her father.

How to restore oil paintings—carry them back to the owner. Not satisfied with every other color, the ruler of Tunis Mustapaha Bey. One is a beer mug and the other is a mere bug. The conundrum is of no importance.

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM.

Cures coughs, colds, asthma, croup, whooping cough, sore throat, bronchitis and all lung complaints that lead to consumption. Price 25 cents.

A nurse was telling about a man who had become so terrible worn out by dissipation that he could not keep any food on his stomach, when one of listeners asked: "what does he live on then?" "On his relations ma'am," answered the nurse.

"How are you, Brown?" exclaimed Fenderson. "I have been on a regular wild goose chase, and I'm glad I've found you at last." Fenderson supposed he had said something pretty smart the way the boy laughed. but he can't for the life of him tell what it was.

A CURE FOR CROUP.

Apply flannel saturated with Hagyard's Yellow Oil and administer the Oil internally on a little sugar as directed on the bottle. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, Chilblains, Lameness, and all flesh wounds. All dealers supply it, price 25 cents.

They were conversing the other day, about a common friend, when Butterby said: "Poor fellow he's got the mumps." "Sorry to hear it,' replied Quilty; "can't he get anything for them?" "Well no," answered Butterby without a flush, there's no market for them now."

Dissolutson of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Copartnership formerly subsisting between the undersigned as Butchers, in Markdale, under the style or firm of Wilson & Bryden, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 9th day of December, 1881; and that the said business will in future be carried on by George Wilson, who will receive and pay all the debts of the late firm.

Dated this 9th day of December, A.D., 1881.

Signed { GEORGE WILSON, THOS. J. BRYDEN.

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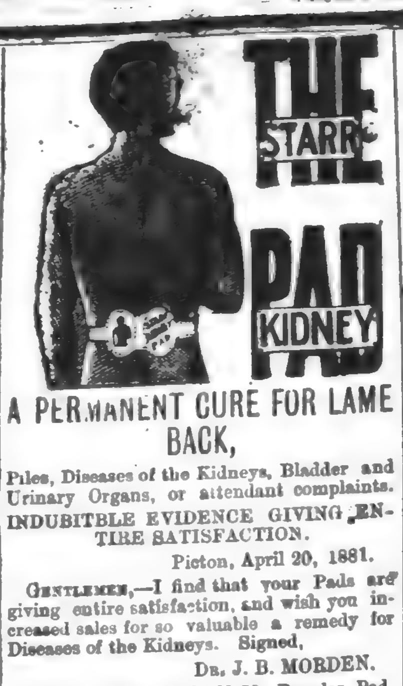
C. W. RUTLEDGE, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR, Markdale, Ont



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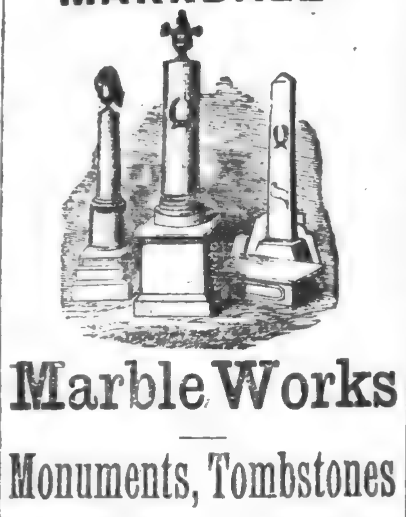

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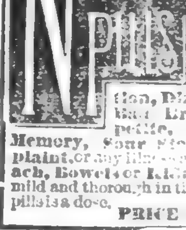

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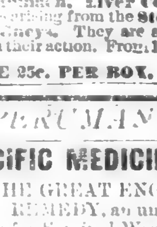

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If you are a man of business, weakened by the strain of your duties avoid stimulants and use Hop Bitters.

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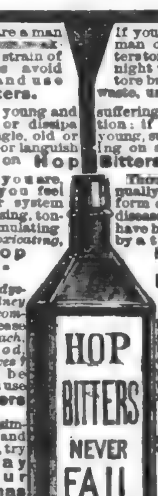
If you are simply weak and low spirited, try it! It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.



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BULMER. 36

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

New Cash Store.

HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES LATELY OCCUPIED BY TURNER & CO., I HAVE NOW ON HAND A FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF

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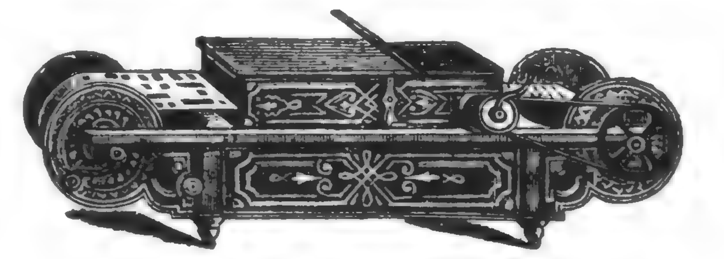
The above stock has been purchased for cash at a season when the importers are running off their surplus stock at and under cost to make room for their spring importations, consequently I am in a position to give bargains to those who are able to buy their goods for cash. Call and see for yourselves and you will be sure to call again.

HENRY FOSTER.

Markdale, November 15th, 1881. 62ly

Mechanical Orguinette.



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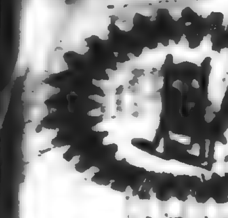

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It was the first time she had spoken for over an hour. Her attendant bridesmaids, five besides Miss Talbot, were all there. The dressing-rooms were bright with fair girls, floating tulle and laces, and fragrant with flowers. Miss Talbot and the French maid were alone with the bride. The last touch had been given to the toilet. The robe of dead-white silk swept in its richness far behind; the tall, slim figure looked taller and slimmer than ever; the virginal orange blossoms crowned the light-brown hair; the bridal veil floated like a mist over all. The last jewel was placed, the last ribbon tied, the last fall of lace arranged. She stood before the mirror, fair, pale, pensive—a bride ready for the altar.

A quarter of ten! The Swiss clock, telling off the quarters, startled them. How the moments flew—how fast the guests were arriving through the storm! The roll of carriages was almost incessant now, and lifting her dreamy eyes, Katherine repeated her inquiry: 'I wonder if Gaston has come?'

'What a question!' cried Miss Talbot. 'A bridegroom late, and that bridegroom Mr. Dantree of all men. Of course he has come, and is waiting in a fever of impatience down stairs. Ninen, run and see.'

The French girl went, and came flying back breathlessly.

Mademoiselle, how strange. Monsieur Dantree has not arrived. Monseigneur, the abbe, is ready and waiting—all the guests are assembled, but *mon Dieu!* the bridegroom is late!'

Miss Talbot looked at her friend. Neither spoke nor moved. The flock of bridesmaids, a 'rosebud garden of girls,' came floating in with their misty drapery, their soft voices and subdued laughter. It was ten o'clock, and the wedding hour.

There was a tap at the door. Ninon opened it, and old Sir John, white as ashes, and trembling on his staff, entered and approached his daughter.

'Katherine, Dantree has not come.'

'I know it, father. Something has happened.'

Her voice was quite steady, but a gray, ashen terror blanched her face.

'Had you not better send to Morecame?' Edith Talbot interposed. 'He was quite well when I left this morning. Has George arrived?'

'Your brother is here, Miss Talbot.'

'And what does he say?'

'Nothing to the point. Before dark Dantree left him to go to his room and dress. Your brother when starting for here sent him word, and found his room deserted. Taking it for granted that he wished to be alone, and had left for Scarswood before him, your brother came over at once. He was astonished when he arrived at not finding him here.'

And then dead silence fell. What did it mean?

Below, the guest had gathered in groups, whispering ominously; in the 'bridal bower,' bride and bridesmaids looked at each other's pale faces and never spoke. One by one the moments told off. A quarter past ten, and still no bridegroom!

Then all at once wheels dashed up to the door—in the entrance hall there was the sudden bustle of an arrival. Katherine's heart gave one great bound; and Edith Talbot, unable to endure the suspense, unable to look at her friend's tortured face, turned and ran out of the room.

'Wait!' she said. 'I will be back in a minute.'

She flew down stairs. Some one had arrived—a gentleman—but not Gaston Dantree. The new-comer, pale, breathless, eager, was only Peter Dangerfield.

But he might bring news—he looked as though he did. She was by his side in a moment, her hand on his arm.

'What is it?' she said. 'Has anything happened to Mr. Dantree?'

'Yes, Dangerfield,' exclaimed Captain De Vere, coming forward, 'as second best man I have a right to know. Shorten the agony, if possible, and out with it. What's up? The hour is past and the bride is waiting, where the devil is the bridegroom?'

CHAPTER XII.

THE TELLING OF THE SECRET.

Where was the bridegrom?

Gaston Dantree bade good-bye to Katherine Dangerfield, and rode down the noble avenue of elms leading to the ponderous gates. His horse's footsteps rang clear and sharp through the still, frosty air—the silvery mist of moonlight bathed all things in its pale mystic glow.

He paused an instant to look back, ere he rode away. What a fair domain it was—what a stately sweep of park, and glade, and woodland—fairer than ever in the pearly light of the Christmas moon. How noble the house looked, with its turrets, its peaked gables, its massive stack of chimneys. And to-morrow all this would be—his—he an outcast of the New York streets.

He laughed softly, exultantly to himself, as he turned and rode swiftly away.

'It's better to be born lucky than rich—it's better to be born handsome than lucky. A clear complexion and a set of regular features, a tenor voice, and insinuating manners have done more for me than they do for most men. They have made my fortune. Half the men and women in the world are fools at best, and don't know how to use the gifts with which nature has endowed them. I was born in the gutter, brought up in the streets, adopted out of charity, turned out for my shortcomings, to starve, or steal, to go to State prison, or—become the literary hack of a sporting paper, ill-paid and ill-used. And now—to-morrow is my wedding-day, and a baronet's daughter and the heiress of eight thousand a year to be my bride. Gaston Dantree, I congratulate you again, and still again; you're one of the very cleverest fellows I ever knew in the whole course of my life.'

And then, as Mr. Dantree rode over the moonlit highroad, he astonished belated wayfarers by uplifting his voice in melody so sweet and clear, that even the sleeping nightingales, had there been any in December, might have awakened to listen and envy. The wheels of the world were greased on their axles for him. A bride and a fortune, and a life of perpetual pleasure, lay beyond to-morrow's sunrise. There was only one thorn in all his bed of roses—Marie.

'If she should come, after all! and Satan himself, I believe, can never tell what a woman may do. You may be as certain as that you live she will take one course, and ten to one she takes the direct opposite. For Marie De Lansac to pursue any man, though he sat on the throne of the Cæsars, is the most unlikely thing on earth, and for that very reason she may turn up now. If she should appear to-morrow, and forbid the banns! Such things happen sometimes. Or, if she should turn up a year hence, and proclaim my secret and her wrongs. And bigamy is a devilish ugly word.'

The shadow of the avenger pursued Mr. Dantree into dreamland. His visions this antenuptial night were all dark and ominous. He fell asleep, to see the face of the woman he feared, dark and menacing; he awoke, and fell asleep again, to see it pallid and despairing, wild with woman's ... at woe. He started out of bed at last, at some abnormal hour in the dim ... dawn, with a curse upon his lips. Sleeping or waking, the face of Marie De Lansac haunted him like an avenging ghost. The storm had come with the new day—rain and sleet beat the glass, the wind howled dismally around the house and up and down the draughty passage. Mr. Dantree scowled at the distant prospect—atmospheric influences did not affect him much as a rule, but they affected him today. I suppose the least sensitive of human beings likes bright sunshine, balmy breezes, and cloudless skies for his wedding day. Mr. Dantree cursed the weather—cursed the pursuing memory that drove him from his bed—cursed his own folly in letting superstitious fears trouble him, and having finished his litany, produced a smoke-coloured bottle of French brandy, a case of manillas, and flung himself into an easy chair before the still smouldering fire. He primed himself with *eau de vie* until the breakfast-bell rang, and then descended to meet his host and his sister, and get the vapours of the night dispelled in their society.

Miss Talbot departed for Scarswood almost immediately after breakfast. Mr. Dantree escorted her to the carriage, and moodily watched her drive away.

'I suppose I am to give your love to Katherine?' the young lady said, gaily; 'and I suppose we won't see you until the hour. Try and wear a less dolorous face, signor, when you do present yourself. It's a serious occasion, beyond doubt, but not even matrimony can warrant so gloomy a countenance as that.'

How the long interminable hours of that day wore on, Gaston Dantree never afterward knew. Something was going to happen—he simply felt that—what, he did not know. Marie might come, or she might not; but whether or no, something would happen. The dark sleety hours dragged slowly along—he smoked furiously—he drank more brandy than was at all prudent or usual for bridegrooms—he went in and out in a restless fever that would not let him sit down. He paced up and down the leafless aisles, the sleet driving sharply in his face, the keen wind piercing him, for he was of a chilly nature. Were presentiments true? None had ever troubled him before. Was it a guilty conscience? It was the first time he ever realized he had a conscience; or was it a worse demon than, the gloomy fiend of—indigestion?

'A sluggish liver has made men blow their brains out before now, and a dyspeptic stomach has seen ghosts. Presentiments are sentimential humbugs—it's the heavy dinner at Scarswood, and the French cookery at Morecambe, combined with a leaden sky, and a miserable December day. If the internal long day were ended, and the hour come, I should feel all right, I know.'

His host watched him curiously from the window, wandering about in a storm like an unquiet spirit. Bridegrooms may be restless as a rule on a happy day, but no such restlessness as this.

'There's something on that fellow's mind,' the young Sussex squire thought. 'He has the look to day of a man who is afraid, and I don't think he is a coward as a rule. I've thought from the first this marriage would be a dencedly bad job, and it's no end of a pity. She's such a trump of a girl—little Kathie—no nonsense about her you know; rides to hounds like a born Nimrodess, dances like a fairy, plucky and thoroughbred from top to toe. And she's going to throw herself away on this duffer, for no reason under heaven but that he's got a good looking face. Hang it all! Why did I ever fetch him down to Morecambe, or why need Katherine Dangerfield be such a little fool? Who's to tell us the fellow hasn't a wife already out in New Orleans?'

Sometime in the afternoon the bridegroom elect flung himself on his bed and fell heavily asleep. He did not dream this time; he slept—for hours—the beneficial effect of French Brandy, no doubt. The short dark day had faded entirely out—the candles were lit and Squire Talbot's man stood over him adjuring him to rise.

'Beg parding, sir, for disturbing you, but master's horders, sir, and it's 'alf after six, Mr. Dantree, sir, and time, master says to get up and dress. And master's horders, sir, is, that I'm to hassist you.'

Mr Dantree leaped from the bed. Half past six, and time to dress no more endless hours, to think and fidget—that was a comfort, at least.

'How's the weather, now, Lewis?' he asked. 'Storm held up any?'

'No—I see it has not—rather worse, if anything. Where's the squire?'

'In his hapartment, sir—dressing, sir. Permit me to do that, Mr. Dantree, sir—if you please dinner's to be arf an hour later than husual, sir, on this occasion—you'll have just time to dress and no more.'

Lewis was an adept in his business. At half-past seven Mr. Dantree descended to dinner in full evening suit—white waist-coat, diamond studs, dress coat, shiny boots—robed for the sacrifice!

He and the squire dined *tete-a-tete*. Neither ate much—both were nervous and silent.

'What the deuce ever made me bring the fellow?' the squire kept thinking, moodily, casting gloomy glances athwart the tall epergue of flowers between them. And 'Will anything happen, after all?' the bride groom kept saying over and over; 'will the heiress of Scarswood be my wife to-morrow morning, or will something prevent it at the eleventh hour, and expose me? It would be just my usual infernal luck.'

He went back to his room after dinner. They had not lingered, and it was still only eight o'clock. A quarter before ten would be earley enough to arrive at Scarswood, and run the gauntlet of threescore curious eyes. 'I wish it were over,' he exclaimed, aloud, almost savagely. 'I wouldn't undergo such an ordeal again for all the heiresses in Great Britain.'

'It is a nervous business,' a voice in the doorway responded; 'but take courage. There's many a slip, you know, and though it wants but two hours to the time, you may escape the matrimonial noose, after all'

Gaston Dantree swung round with an oath. There, in the doorway, stood Peter Dangerfield.

'I beg your pardon, Mr. Dantree,' the lawyer said, glibly, coming in, and shutting the door. 'You don't look best pleased to see me, but that is not to be wondered at.'

'Where the devil did you spring from?' Mr. Dantree, demand, angrily.

'I sprang from nowhere—I've given up gymnastics. I drove over from Castleford, in the rain, on important business—important business to you. A quarter past eight, all dressed for the ceremony. That gives us an hour and three-quarters—plenty of time for what I want you to do.'

'What—you—want—me—to—do? Mr. Dangerfield, I confess I am at a loss to—'

'To understand me—exactly—quite natural that you should, and all that. I'll explain. Circumstances have come to light concerning Sir John Dangerfield and—well, and the young lady you are going to marry. As a friend of yours, Mr. Dantree, I consider it would be a shameful deception to let the marriage go on while you are in ignorance of those circumstances. Sir, you have been grossly deceived—we have all been, and—but it's impossible for me to explain. Thereby hangs a tale. The person who told me is waiting at Castleford to tell you. I drove here at once—my trap is waiting outside now. I made my way to your room unannounced. I know the house, and I want you to put on your hat and great-coat, and come with me to Castleford at once.'

Gaston Dantree stood very pale, listening to this lengthy and rapid harangue. His presentiments were all true then—something was going to occur. At the last hour, the glittering prize for which he had fought and won was to be snatched from him. His lips were set hard, and there was a dull red glow not good to see about his black eyes. But he kept his temper—under all circumstances, it was the rule of his life to keep that.

Mr. Dangerfield,' he said, 'will you be so good as to open the mysteries a little? Your speech sounds melodramatic—and I don't care for melodrama off the boards. Why am I to go to Castleford? What are the circumstances? Whom am I to meet?—and how have we all been deceived? Do you wish to insinuate anything against Miss Dangerfield?'

'Not a word—not a syllable. She is blameless and I don't wish to stop your marriage—Heaven forbid! No one will wish you joy two hours hence, when the ceremony is over, more sincerily than I.'

Gaston Dantree looked at him, staggered a little. The marriage was not to be stopped, then. He drew a long itense breath of relief.

'This is all very strange. I wish you would explain. I'll go with you to Castleford—it will kill the intervening time as well as anything else, but, I'd rather not go in the dark.'

'You must. Take my word for it Dantree it is necessary. It is impossible for me to tell you—I am bound by oath. Come with me—come? I swear you shall be at Scarswood by ten o'clock.'

For a moment Dantree stood irresolute. Then curiosity overcame every other feeling. He seized his hat and coat with a slight laugh.

'Be it so, then. Lead on, as they say in novels, I follow—and, my good fellow, drive like the very duce.'

He ran lightly down stairs—Peter Dangerfield followed. There was a flush on the lawyer's sallow parchment cheeks, a fire in his dim, near sighted eyes, all unusual there. They met no one. The squire was in his 'hapartment,' the servants were busy. The gig lamps of Mr. Dangerfield's trap loomed like to fiery eyes in the stormy blackness. Dantree leaped in. Dangerfield followed, snatched up the reins, and sped away like the wind.

It was a dead, silent drive. It was all Peter Dangerfield could do to hold the reins and make his way through the darkness of night and storm. Gaston Dantree sat with folded arms waiting. What was he to hear? where was he going?—whom was he to see? A strange adventure this, surely, on a man's wedding night.

The lights of Castleford gleamed through the sleet, the dull commending of the sea on the coast came to them above the shrieks of the wind. In five minutes they had driven up before an inn; the two men sprang out, a hostler took charge of the conveyance, and Peter Dangerfield, with brief 'This way, Dantree,' sprang swiftly up the stairs, and rapped at the door on the first landing.

It was opened instantly, and Gaston Dantree saw—Mrs. Vavasor.

She was magnificently dressed tonight. A rich robe of purple silk en traine, swept behind her—diamonds flashed on neck and fingers, and white perfumy roses nestled in the glossy masses of satin black hair. The rouge bloomed its brightest, the enamel glittered with alabaster dazzle, the almond eyes were longer, brighter, blacker than ever; and that peculiar smile on her squirrel shaped mouth was never so radient before.

'You did not expect to see me, Mr. Dantree, did you? You didn't know I have been in Castleford a whole week And I've come to the wedding all the way from Paris. I crossed the channel at the risk of expiring in the agonies of sea-sickness, I braved your beastly British climate, I buried myself alive a whole week here, without a soul to speak to—all—to be present at Katherine Dangerfield's wedding, if—that wedding ever takes place.'

Mr. Dantree looked at his watch, outwardly, at least, perfectly cool.

'It will be accomplished fact in one hour, madame. And there's a good old adage about it's being well to wait until you are asked—wouldn't it have been better if you had remembered it? Your affection for Miss Dangerfield does credit to your head and heart, but I fear it is unreciprocated. She loves you as old nick loves Holy water.'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

CAUSE AND EFFECT.—The main cause of nervousness is indigestion, and that is caused by weakness of the stomach. No one can have sound nerves and good health without using Hop Bitters to strengthen the stomach, purify the blood, and keep the liver and kidneys active, to carry off all the poisonous and waste matter of the system.—*Advance.*

CANADA IN ENGLAND.

THE "TIMES" ON EMIGRATION TO CANADA.

A THOROUGHLY ENGLISH COLONY.

An Arrangement Between the T., G., & B. R. R. and Ontario and Quebec R.

The *Times* in an editorial on the meeting of the Women's Emigration Society, yesterday says:—"Canada is the goal towards which the society would point. If any colony would attract an independant supply of women emigrants that Colony is British North America. The voyage is the shortest and least expensive. The emigrant is not cut off irrevocably from the comforts of the mother country, as civilisation is as widely diffused there as in any Colony. The climate is healthy and above all, the Colony is thoroughly English. It is permeated and perforated in all directions with English society, and types of English life and English thoughts. If these advantages fail to attract the emigration of women, either the women are unaware of the premium the sex commands across the Atlantic, or they do not know the facilities offered for leaving the overcrowded Mother Country"

THE LAND CORPORATION OF CANADA.

The shares of the North-West Land Corporation of Canada are going well.

RAILWAY MATTERS.

The directors of the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce Railway announce an arrangement with the Ontario and Quebec Railway Company by which the latter pay the four per cent. (80 years) bonds of the former. Sufficient cash to pay dividends to December, 1888, will be placed with the trustees in London.

The St. Lawerence and Ottawa coupons will not de paid at maturity today, owing to the smallness of the net reciepts for 1881.

TO COME TO CANADA.

Whitley strokes, the legal adviser of the Council of the Viceroy of India, will shortly retire from office and is determined to Make his parmanent residence in Canada.—*Globe.*

A LADY'S WISH.—"Oh, how I do wish my skin was as clear and soft as yours," said a lady to her friend. 'You, can easily make it so,' answered the friend. "How?" inquired the first lady. "By using Hop Bitters, that makes pure rich blood and blooming health. It did it for me, as you observed."—*Cairo Bulletin.*

—"Brothers," said president Taylor, in his last annual speech to the Mormon convention, "we don't exactly know the Temple fund stands. There is no need of keeping any account. There is the building going up right before your eyes, you can see it all for yourselves. We will now sing the 336th hymn.' This was regarded as rather cool, considering that the fund has already absorbed several millions and charges of stealing in connection with it have been made.

HAVE HOPE.

Before you despair of curing a troublesome cough just verging on consumption try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam; it has cured others, why may it not cure you? All dealers sell it.

A boat with electic motive power is in course of construction at one of the yards on the banks of the Seine in Paris. It is to be eighteen feet long and five feet wide. The proprieter, M. Teller, proposes to cross the Channel in it, and, if he be successful, he will be able to claim the distinction of having inaugurated the application of electricity to maritime traffic.

WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS 'TIS FOLLY TO BE WISE.

Dr. Bliss, if not a success at probing for bullets, was highly successful in despatching bulletins; but the grandest bulletin of success is that which heralds the wonderful cures performed by Burdock Blood Bitters, that ... tonic and blood purifier which acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver and the Kidneys, while it invigorates and strengthens the whole system.

THE PUBLIC!
Will be reminded that
W. F. DOLL
is showing a stock of
GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES
The ... ... in Canada.
Altogether his stock is
LARGE, TASTY, AND WELL ASSORTED.
An inspection of his store will repay anyone.
He is giving special discounts during the holidays.
W. F. DOLL.
Flesherton, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-ly

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

Council met at Vogan's Hall, on December the 19th, for the transaction of business.

Reeve in the Chair. Members all present.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that lot 34, con. 8, E. G. R., be placed on the Roll, and that Geo. Lee be refunded $1.80 as taxes overpaid.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Robert Black repair culvert over road at 40 side-road, also one opposite Mr. Close's, both on town-line.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Andrew Freeborn be authorized to put in culvert opposite lot 71, con. 2, and not to exceed $2.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that an order be issued for $2.14, in favor of John Crowther, for taxes over paid.

Moved by Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Wm. Hampton receive an order, for $11.45, being taxes charged in error.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve seconded by Mr. Norton, that an order be issued to Samuel Carson for $3 19, being an error in assessment, and that the same be charged against the east half of lot 61, con. 2.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that John Pears get an order for $6.50, for repairing Sauble bridges.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that an order be issued for $8.00, to Mr. Charleton, for road work.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the Reeve apply to a lawyer for advice with regard to a crossing at 50 side-road.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that Wm. White be allowed $3.00, for repairing culvert on McNabb street, Chatsworth.

An application from Dr. McClelland with respect to puchasing old road on blind line, between the 11th and 12th, concession, lot 2.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that the above application be acceded to by the Dr. paying $10 and the conveyance fees.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that the Treasurer pay to each school section Trustees the amount of school taxes levied on their section.

Moved by Shute, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Mr. Norton get an order for one dollar for letting road job on town-line.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Gillespie, that Geo. McAuley be exempted from paying taxes this year on account of getting his place burned by fire last fall.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the following persons be exempted from paying takes for this year: Widows McDiarmid, Bell, Chambers, Graham, Ceasor, Mathews and James Robinson.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that an order be issued for $6 to buy Mrs Bell, of Chatsworth, provisions; also, $6 for Mrs Graham, at Strathaven.

Mr. Norton moved, seconded by Mr. Shute, that By-law No. 9, appointing Returning Officers and polling places, be read a first, second and third time, signed sealed and engrossed on the Minutes.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that $2.32 be extended on the roll against Wm. Howey, it being a clerical error in the Collector's Roll of 1879.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the following persons get an order for the sums after their names, being an undercharge in the Collector's Roll of 1879—David Rae $1.00, Robert Hamill 75c, Wm. Dixon 20c, James Wallace $2.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that those persons who did not pay the full amount of their taxes in 1879, through clerical error, be notified to pay without delay to the Collector or Treasure, and take his receipt.

Moved by Mr. Gillespie, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that legal proceedings be taken against Alexander Campbell to recover the sum of $10.80 as taxes unpaid in 1878, and that the Clerk write him concerning this resolution.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the Council adjourn *sine die.*

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

Henry Clay, a grandson of the famous bearer of that name, went to Greenland a year or so ago, with the purpose of joining the Howgate expedition there. Like its patron sinner, the expedition was a failure, and Mr. Clay was left to look for the North Pole on his own hook. He did so, travelled a good deal by dog team, and at last concluded to let the Pole jog along as it has been doing for centuries. Mr. Clay has just reached his home in Kentucky.

INGENIOUS INVENTION.

Some shrewd Yankee has invented a key that will wind any watch; it is a neat attachment to a charm, and it is said to work like a charm. So does the grand Key to Health—Burdock Blood Bitters, the greatest discovery of the age. It unlocks all the secretions, and cleanse and invigorates the entire system. Sample bottles, 10 cents; large size, $1.00 of all medicine dealers.

The New York Sun declares that bull fat butter and hog fat cheese, sold not for what they are, but as dairy products, are fast undermining the American export trade in these products. The revelation made by the last two national dairy conventions, as to the extent of this trade were astounding; but oleomargarine and lard cheese has struck a blow at this enormous and growing source of revenue. About 50,000,000 pounds less of butter and cheese, it is thought, will have been exported this year than last instead of the continued increase as expected.

Friday December 30th, 1881.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

THE STANDARD.

No snow.

Beautiful dry weather.

Christmas passed off very quietly.

Great quantities of grain coming in.

J. H. Hull keeps a boss livery and low rates.

It will pay you to call and see Mr. Doll's stock at Flesherton.

Get your sale Bills at the STANDARD Office, Markdale.

Hats and Caps, in great variety, cheap, at Fosters.

The shooting match, we believe, was fairly attended.

Job work done neat and prompt at the STANDARD Office.

Jewellery in endless variety, at Wilcox very very cheap and good.

Polling place for ward No. 3, Glenelg, in Dufferin Hall, on Monday next.

Solid Silver watches from $4 up. Solid Gold watches from $10up, W. F. Doll, Flesherton.

Remember the Presbyterian S. S Anniversary in Dufferin Hall, on Monday—New Year.

The gloomiest looking men in our village are the carriage makers. Reason—no snow.

Now is the time to buy Watches. Mr. Doll, of Flesherton, is giving *special discount during the holidays.*

If you want a good watch, Wilcox will give you the best value you ever got. This week.

A choice assortment of pocket *Diaries* for 1882, from 15 cents to $1. A. Turner, & Co.

Thirty five Turkeys met an untimely death at the shooting match on Monday last, 26th inst.

The STANDARD for a year to any address postage prepaid for $1.00 or 25c for three months.

There are 7 candidates for Village Police in Flesherton.

Little interest was taken by our villagers in the nomination, only two attended from here.

TORONTO oil company, are sole manufacturers of "Castorine" machine oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

The Orguinette is the wonder of the age as a musical instrument, can be seen at Wilcox's Jewellery store, Markdale.

Mr. Eaton, who went on a visit to his parents last fall, has returned to town, looking considerably better for the trip.

We are glad to see that Mr. John Reid, who fell and dislocated his shoulder, some two weeks since, is about again.

The following were elected Police Trustees for Markdale, by acclamation: Messrs. John Reid, E. Davis, and T. Mullarky.

Where is Vennor these times, why don't he trott out some weather. If he can't do any better he had better "step down and out."

The most noted men of modern times have publicely attested to the value of Ayer's Cherry pectoral as a cure for coughs and colds.

The highest point reached by any railroad is 16,646 feet over the Andes. 853 gross of Esterbrook's Bank pens would stretch the distance.

The most complete Farmers' and Mechanics' diary ever published; every person ought to have one. See them at the STANDARD Office, only 40cts.

AHA!—Dentists who have tried "TEABERRY," pronounce it the finest thing on the face of this earth for the teeth and breath. 5 cent samples.

The election for the School Trustee in Markdale was one of more than usual interest. Mr. Wm. Brown and Mr. B. Coleman were the candidates for the honorable position, which resulted in the election of the latter by a majority of five.

The building of a flour and gristing mill at Flesherton Station is going ahead we understand. A good part of the timber is now on the ground and framing will commence forthwith. Mr. Roger Lever is, we believe, the proprietor; he is a man of (one might say) unlimited means.

The rope walking performance came off as announced, and was witnessed by a good few, but the return to the performer was very light, and we must say we would hardly like to run the risk of breaking our neck for so small a return.

There is no doubt that our Canadian climate is conducive to Lung affections, and for this reason Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops should be in every house. For Coughs, Colds, and all other Lung and Throat affections they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A Turner and Co., Special Agent Markdale.

There will be held, in the Methodist Church, on Janualy 4th, the first of their series of winter socials. Speeches, singing &c. Fifteen cents admission. Go and enjoy yourselves. A meeting of the trustees of the Parsonage will be held after the social.

A great many people are troubled with cold feet, which is invariably caused by a sluggish circulation of the blood. A few doses of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters will soon produce a free circulation of the blood and Stimulate and Tone the system. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

Any person desirous of subscribing for the *Globe* or *Mail*, or of renewing their subscription for the same, will save the trouble and risk of mailing by handing us the amount required, $1.00 for either of the above papers, and we will have them sent to any address without further charge.

Some person lost a Gent's large glove in the Methodist Church, last Sunday evening. They can have it by calling at the STANDARD Office.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil, for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather, making it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

SORE THROAT.

Apply Hagyard's Yellow Oil and take inwardly according to directions. Yellow Oil is the best remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia Bruises, Burns, Frost Bites and all lameness, inflammation and pain. No household should be without it.

Examination marks of S. S. No. 6, Glenelg, Dec. 1881. 4th class Senior. Marks obtainable 605.—Jennie Donnelly, 436; Barbara Torry, 320. 4th Junior, marks obtainable 550.—Tilda White, 375; James McKee, 308; Jos. Dodds, 274. 3rd Class, marks obtainable 300.—Cassie Walker, 164; Mary Torry, 139; Emma Bell, 134.

Ask your dealers for "Castorine" machine oil, and see that the barrel is branded. "Castorine," as none other is genuine.

On account of the slackness of the rope on Christmas day Na-Ma-Goose was not able to fill out his bills but he will give another entertainment in Markdale on Jan. 2nd, Monday, when he will give them some dairing feats, Dont forget. The rope will be streached from Revere Hotel to Reids Block a distance of 45 feet.

Now that winter has well commenced we would advise our readers against using pills containing Calomel and other injurious substance, as there is great danger of catching cold after their use. An excellent substitute for pills is a Vegetable Preparation known as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, a family medicine that, from all accounts, will soon take the place of every other purgative and blood purifier. A Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

In our rambles round town we dropped in to see friend Wilcox in his new premises, and were much surprised to see what an extensive stock he has on hand, which he can now display to greater advantage since his removal. We priced a number of articles, and found them as reasonable as can be had in any establisement north of Toronto, and of first-class quality. Don't fail to give him a call, as we feel assured that Ed. can suit you, both as to quality and price.

HONOR ROLL.—Honor Roll for Orange Valley Public School for the month of December. FOURTH CLASS 1st Div., Max, No. of Marks 227—Fanny Green, 222, David Ahderson, 228, Geo. Anderson, 197, Wm. Thompson, 189. FOURTH CLASS 2nd. Div.,—Ben E White, 233, W. J. Blair, 181, Ann. Carter, 170. THIRD CLASS 1st Div.—Alfred Hall, 243, Bella Cunnigham, 239, Mary A. Green, 231. THIRD CLASS 2nd Div.,—Blake Anderson, 239, Asa Hill 223, Euphemia Burnett, 215. THIRD CLASS 3rd Div.—Clara Hill, 222, Maggie Burnett, 220. Lillie McClue, 219 Mary Jane Ford, 193.

The Christ Church Sunday School entertainment on Wednesday evening was a grand success. Notwithstanding the unfavorable state of the weather and bad condition of the roads, the Hall was filled to its utmost capacity. Judging from the frequent and hearty applause, the entertainment was enjoyed immensely. A very pleasing incident of the evening's enjoyment was the presentation to the Rev. Mr. Ward, the Incumbent, of a handsome easy chair, and Miss Fanny Ford, organist, with a beautiful gold watch. Want of space prevents us from giving the addresses this week, but they will appear in our next issue.

A concert in aid of the St. Mary's Church Building Fund, was given at Maxwell on Monday night. The evening was an exceptionally fine one, and the audience was exceedingly good. The Programme was partly sustained by the amateur talent of the place, and partly by the Christ Church Choir from Markdale, with Mr. Wm. McDougal who was in his usual happy humour, and delighted the Maxwellians immensely. Mr. J. Cæsar and Miss Hollinghead's comic duets were well received, as, indeed, was the whole programme, everybody being thoroughly well satisfied with the evening's entertainment, which in all probability is the best that has been given in Maxwell for a long time past. The proceeds amounted to $65.

The Annual Tea-Meeting of the Methodist Church, Markdale, took place on Monday evening, and was a decided success. The provision made by the ladies in the dining apartment was of the very best quality, and in great abundance. The following speakers gave appropriate addresses, viz., Reverend Messrs. Edmonds, of Priceville; Grandy, of Eugenia; and Dr. Christoe, County Warden; and M. Richardson, of Flesherton, while the choir discoursed choice music. A very pleasant, and no doubt, profitable evening was spent. Proceeds $77.00, which goes towards paying off the debt on the Parsonage.

The Soiree held in the new Orange Hall, Kell's corner, came off on Thursday, the 22nd inst., as announced by Bills, and, notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, and the fearful state of the roads, was a complete success. The eatables, which were provided gratuitously by the ladies, were all of the first quality, (thanks to the ladies). The speaking was above the ordinary standard. Rev. Mr. Fisher, spoke on beauties of nature; Rev. Mr. Stevenson, on the blessedness of single life; and Rev. Mr. Wilson, on the Orange Question, followed by an able speech by T. S. Sproule, M. P., on the past, present and future of our fair Dominion, the best of order prevailed throughout. The choir discourced choice selections of music, which were highly appreciated. This Lodge has now a comfortable Hall, and is in good financial circumstances Proceeds of Soiree, $85.

MUNICIPAL NOMINATIONS.

ARTEMESIA.

Reeve, Dr. Christoe, by acclamation. Councillors Ward No. 1, A. Webster by acclamation; Ward No. 2, A. Elliott, T. Boland; Ward No. 3, Thomas Wright, by acclamation; Ward No. 4, S. Pedlar, J. H. [illegible] and W. C. Healey.

PROTON.

For Reeve, Joseph McArdle and Peter McGregor. Deputy Reeve, John Abbott, John Agnew. Councillors: Robert Black, James Buckley, George Johnson, D. K. McArthur and James Robinson.

EUPHRASIA.

Reeve, R. Myles and James Patterson. Deputy Reeve, Jas. Boyd, John Boyd and Thomas Gilray. Councillors: Wm. Fawcett, D. K. Ellis, Jas. Erskine, Wm. Carr, John Clugston, and Thos. Abercrombie.

HOLLAND.

Reeve, Mr. Wm. Howey, by acclamation. For Deputy Reeve, John Cameron and Justis Merium. Councillors: A. Shute, Wm. Norton, John Deavitt, Robert Carson and Jas. Gillespie.

SHELBURNE.

Reeve, Wm Jelly, J. C. Whetten. Councillors—J. Allen, J. F. Belfry, H. Carson, D. Galloway, G. R. Hannah, W. R. Jeffrey, Wm. Robertson, R. McKay, J. Wilson and A. B. Noble.

OSPREY TOWNSHIP.

Reeve, Thos. Gamey, Andrew McGirr, Josiah Sing. Deputy Reeve, John Douglass, Joseph Maxwell, Archibald McIntyre. Councillors, Joseph Brown, John Hudson, John Insker, Thomas Johnston, Alexander Robertson, William Roberts, John Speers, Joseph Taylor and John Winters.

KEPPEL.

The old Council elected by acclamation.

OWEN SOUND.

Mayor, C. E. Barnhardt by acclamation. Reeve, John Fox and John B. Chisholm. First Deputy Reeve, C. R. Wilkes and A. B. Lang. Second Deputy Reeve, R. Malcolm by acclamation. Councillors: Bay Ward, John Pearson, J. C. Miller, M. Forhan and D. Young; Centre Ward, Thomas Frizzell, R. J. Smith, D. G. Crawford, Thomas Kennedy, G. P. Creighton, T. B. Dowsley and W. J. Patterson; River Ward, James Tobey, D. A. Creasor, D. McLeod, Henry Kiley, Jacob Speers and Stephen Spencer.

GLENELG.

Reeve, Finlay MacRae by acclamation. Deputy Reeve, Thomas Mullarky and Thomas Davis. Councillors, N. Dunsmore, George Binnie, Patrick Neil, John McMillan, John Black, Wm. Glencross and A. McCuaig.

BENTINCK TOWNSHIP.

The old Council elected by acclamation.

ST. VINCENT TOWNSHIP.

Reeve, C. R. Sing and David Boyes. Deputy Reeve, James H. Burnett and Nicholas Reid. Councillors, James Bowes jr., Richard F. Street, Thomas McIntosh, Joseph Atkins and Johnston D. Montgomery.

NEWS NOTES.

Small pox is reported to be frightfully on the increase in Chicago.

Scarlet fever is making sad havoc in Liverpool, England. It is of a most malignant type.

The Oddfellow's Hall, Picton, Ont., was destroyed by fire on Christmas night.

The Irishmen of Montreal, not satisfied with the *Evening Post*, are about starting another paper to be called the *Truth*.

The Emperor of Austria has announced that he intends to erect at his own expense a memorial chapel on the site of the Ring theatre, in which a requiem mass will be annually celebrated for the victims of the fire.

The Dominion Parliament meets on the 9th of February.

The London *Daily News*, in commenting upon the Guitteau trial, says the whole court seems to exist for the convenience and self-glorification of the prisoner, and characterizes the proceedings as a mad burlesque.

BUNESSAN.

A Soiree was held in Bunessan Presbyterian Church, on the evening of Tuesday 20th inst., for the purpose of defraying some little debt on the Church, on account of late repairs. After tea and other good things were disposed of, Mr. Meldrum, Station Master was unanimously called to the chair. The chairman referred to the present being the third time in succession he had occupied this position and the gratification it gave him to observe the steady progress of the church in this locality. Mr. Geo. Binnie was called on and gave an account of financial matters, from which it was seen that the proceeds of the evening paid everything due, and left some ten dollars to assist in painting, bricking, or otherwise improving the building. Rev. Mr. Edmond, Priceville, gave an interesting address on dreams, defining the difference, and also shewing the connection between sleeping and waking dreams. Mr. J. H. Hunter, M. P. P., spoke on subject of youthful training. In his opening remarks he referred to the tired condition he was in after handling the large quantity of grain that had come to Durham that day, and treated the audience to a florid description of the territory from which the flourishing grain market of Durham was supplied, making special reference to the teams coming to Durham all the way from the confines of Flesherton and Markdale. Mr. R. Robertson, of Priceville, spoke on union, and apologized for a severe cold he had, which he humorously said only confirmed bachelors ought to be afflicted with. He referred to the fact that for some years in his youth he had been almost continuously hoarse from cold, and on recovering his voice he remembered how he felt like running about the country shouting for very joy to hear the sound of his own voice again. From this experience he felt he could to some extent sympathise with Mr. Hunter and other Durhamites and even look upon them with a sort of pardoning pity in their anxiety to let the world know that Durham had at any [illegible] meridian after being frozen up in the arctic ocean for a period of ten years, more or less. So far as Flesherton Station was concerned they might keep themselves easy. They were old hands there and knew what they were about and were getting all the grain they wished for and it only required a little time to bring all such matters to their natural level. After a very interesting address from Rev. Mr. McLeod this very enjoyable affair closed with the usual votes of thanks.

DUNDALK.

From the Herald.

There were a large number of candidates nominated for the Proton council, and several speeches were delivered and some withdrawals made, which resulted in the final nomination, of the following candidates Peter McGregor and Joseph McArdle for Reeve, John Abbott and John Agnew for Dept. Reeve, James Robinson, Robert Black, Joseph Buckley, George Johnston D. R. McArthur for council. We expect a lively time from now to the day of election, we make no choice, as we fully believe that the ratepayers fully know their privilage and will make a good selection on the day of the election by casting their vote for the best man.

The Presbyterian Sabbath School Anniversary held on Monday evening, Christmas, was a success in every way. The chair was occupied by Henry Grahame, Esq, Supt. of the Sunday School. Addresses were given by Mr. Thomas Davidson, of Knox College. Toronto, Mr. David Stewart, Shrigley, and also pastor of the congregation. Readings by Mr. James Deans and Mr. Hewetson which were well received, as the reading of these gentlemen are always appreciated. Recitations by Mr. John Strachan and J. J. Crombie, were also well received. Mr. Jno. Strachan Rockwood sang the "Land o' the Leal," which called for an encore "Bonnie Doon." The choir rendered excellent music during the evening. The usual votes of thanks were moved and carried. All parties seemed to enjoy themselves.

The Canada Methodist Sunday School had one of the most successful entertainments that has ever been held in this section of the country, the large and commodious church was crowded to the door, the children of the school recited some very excellent pieces, and the singing by the school under the management of Mr. and Miss Rundle, were excellent. An excellent address was delivered by the Rev. Mr. Philp of Flesherton, to the parents and children of the school and last but not least Santa Clause arrived on the platform to announce the unloading and distribution of the gifts and presents, of the Christmas ship. We might here say that this ship which was on exhibition, loaded with a large assortment of gifts to firiends and presnts to all the children of the school. Such a merry time we have not enjoyed for a long time. Cash proceeds $57.

ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.

On the evening of Friday, 23rd inst., a number of the pupils of Miss Ross' department met at her boarding rooms, and after spending some time in pleasant amusement, made the following address and presentation, to which Miss Ross replied in feeling and appropriate terms:—

To Miss Ross, *Teacher of the 2nd department Markdale Public School.*

DEAR TEACHER,—We the pupils now before you have assembled for the purpose of expressing our sincere regard for you ere you leave us. To present you with an address would be to us a pleasant exercise, were we not sensible of our inability to express in words the fond relation existing between teacher and scholars. For the last two years you have laboured earnestly and faithfully in our behalf, ever seeking to benefit us both morally and intellectually, while your kind and genial manner has endeared you to us all. And now we ask you to accept this Writing Desk as a token of our friendship and esteem toward you as our teacher. In parting with you we trust that the rich blessing of Heaven may ever rest upon you, and that you may be long spared to labor successfully wherever in the Providence of God your lot may be cast, and that this desk may often bring to mind those you leave in Markdale.

Signed on behalf of School,

JOHNSTON WILSON,
WILLIAM DUNDAS.

The following Address was presented to Miss Annie Rorke, accompanied with a very handsome Bible by the pupils of her class, in the C. Methodist Sunday School, on Friday last:

DEAR TEACHER,—We the Scholars of your Sunday School class, in grateful remembrance of the interest you have manifested in our behalf, ever since you became our teacher, in endeavoring to advance the moral and religious training and Scriptural knowledge; and also for the worthy example you have given us to emulate in your consistent and well regulated daily life, and womanly virtues, desire to present you with this small token of our respect and esteem, and as a souveuir to remind you of the pleasant and grateful feeling existing between your class and you on the Xmas of 1881.

May your useful and profitable life long be spared to continue the good work you have now in hand,—the training of the youth. As in the past may you also in the future continue to emulate the worthy Christian examples to be found within the precints of this Holy Book; may you accept it as your guide through life, and may its teaching prepare you for the enjoyment of the great hereafter, and finally, when this our earthly work is done may we all meet on that bright shore, and as an unbroken class to sing the song of redeeming love for ever and ever.

One of the English secularist papers has a picture of Jacob's Dream, the angels being dressed in tights and spangles like acrobats, and the Deity being represented as an old man smoking a long pipe at the top of the ladder. The London Echo indignantly asks how can a party expect to win respect or even consideration, when its organs indulge in such wanton outrages on the religious feelings of their fellow citizens.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our Correspondent.

The school was closed in this section for the present year by a social time held by the teacher, scholars, and some of the parents were present. The children gave the teacher a number of presents, and were treated to candies and fruit in return by the teacher. All are sorry at parting with our present teacher.

SCHOOL MEETING.—The school meeting was held on Wednesday, 28th inst. The usual business of such meetings was gone through with in a quiet manner. Mr. John [illegible] the trustee elect.

A unanimous vote of thanks of the meeting was tendered to the retiring teacher, Mr. J. C. Buchanan, for the able and efficient manner in which he had conducted the school during the time he has been teacher in this section.

There is not much excitement here over the election on Monday next. The majority seem to express themselves satisfied with the old Councillor.

Wet weather again and lots of mud.

Poor lookout for New Year's sleigh rides.

PRICEVILLE.

From a Correspondent.

Weather rather *Venorable.* The fair to-day was but poorly attended. The cattle were few, but good. H. G. A. has but few sympathizers in this place, as the A. O. U. W. is becoming very popular. The arguments of A. G. H.,—Oh! I beg pardon,—H. G. A., sound very much like those of an insurance agent. Nothing but a round of Entertainments for a couple of weeks now, on Friday a grand *Musicale* in the new school, followed by a hop; then Sunday School Anniversaries, Soirees, Socials, &c.

The *Advance* was in town to-day, his bland smile is irresistable.

"There is a chiel amang us takin' notes."

The new school has been opened to-day. Pupils and teachers seem to enjoy the change.

Our friend Tom of the mail line has secured the contract of carrying the mail from Durham to Flesherton, himself. Success Tom!

Prof. Ben. Carber is at present in town. He is expecting a pension due for service in the American Revolution.

Fred's latest joke was sending a number of musical cats down the river on a raft lighted with torches.

At a meeting of the A. O. U. W. last night the following officers were elected:— A. Webster, P. M. W.; N. B. Grier, M. W.; J. M. Arthur, Foreman; Rev. Edmonds, Overseer; C. C. James, Recorder; J. Watson, Financier; Dr. Bonnett, R.; John Irwin, Guide; Jos. Aussem, I. W.; Thos. Ferguson, O. W.

Bro. C. C. James has been appointed Repre. Gr. Lodge.

Priceville, Dec. 19th.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

MR. EDITOR,—Your Eugenia correspondent comes in for a share of abuse through the medium of the Flesherton sheet, but this is no uncommon thing, as the most respectable and reliable men in the Village are denounced as perjurers, &c.; then how could your correspondent expect to escape. If he were to take the same weapons in hand, and insinuate that he always suspected who stole the cash box; or he knew that it was Billy —— who stole the horse. But enough: "answer not a fool according to his folly," and as you, Mr. Editor, do not wish to have your respectability or the columns of your esteemed journal questioned by the insertion of such trash, knowing that it neither increases the circulation or usefulness of any journal, we will take no further notice of them, as they fall on us like rain on a duck's back, and will only make one remark, that the writer should ask the editor to kindly correct bad spelling, for instance *prefitable erretible.* He calls us an ignoramus. Oh! We hold the view, without malice, that the acts of public servants are open to criticism at any time.

Some time since we were wondering where all the Auditor's Reports went to, and the very obliging Clerk of Artemesia invited us, per *Advance*, to call at, at his *Office*, and he would gratify our craving after information—how condescending. Your correspondent may have an unfortunate habit of writing factsbetter than composition, but it is easier, and this is what is the ailment against your irrepressible correspondent, who intends scribbling, aye, as long as he is able to shake a pen, and so long as you think it worthy a place in your valuable Journal, we were born independent, altho' bareheaded at the time.

The reason for holding the Conservative convention on the 8th instead of on the 9th is a very questionable matter. Post cards dated at Clarksburg, Nov. 30th, and posted at Markdale on Dec. 6th, to members, were received in time to be too late, we had trouble plenty already by unseemly haste in matters of this kind, and the age when the people could be gulled, is numbered with the past, the majority cannot be expected to submit to the few who disregard constitutional rules.

YOUR IRREPRESSIBLE CORRESPONDENT.

P. S.—We have just heard that Alex. Brownlee better known as Sandy Brownlee of the Township of Osprey, formerly of Artemesia while out hunting with a party of Gentlemen, as guide, by some accident one of the gentlemen shot him in the arm causing amputation to be necessary. The gentleman immediately mailed $100 to Mrs. Brownlee with an assurance that he would be well provided for in future.

CLIPPINGS FROM OUR LOCAL EXCHANGES.

Some Pony.—Mr. Thos. Anderson of the Township of Holland, brought into market a hog weighing 844 lbs., which was purchased by Mr. John Chisholm for the sum of $60.—*O. S. Advertiser.*

This morning between seven and eight o'clock, one of the railway section men discovered the body of a man lying on the track about a mile and a half north of this village. He had evidently been run over by [illegible] last [illegible] severed from his body, and [illegible] arms mangled. The body was brought to the station, and on examination it was indentified as that of a shoemaker named Henry King, well known by many people here. How the deceased came to be on the track at the time of the accident is not yet known, but it is probable that at the inquest, which will be held by Dr. Norton, some light may be thrown on the subject. The unfortunate man had the reputation of being sober and industrious, and had a farm in Mulmur. On his person was found about $16 in money and some sort of an agreement relating to his farm. He had been working here about two months ago, for Mr. Robt McNally, but it was not known where he had been since.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

CITY VS. LOCAL WEEKLIES.—Some of the city papers having reduced the price of their weekly editions, in common with other publishers of local journals we are frequently asked by those who are not conversant with the circumstances why we do not also reduce our subscription price. The simple reason is that no publisher of a local weekly the size of the *Times* can publish it less than $1.50 and make it pay. In offices like the *Mail* and *Globe*, where they publish daily papers, they use the same type for the weekly, and having no type setting (the most expensive item in connection with a paper) to pay for, they can put out their weeklies at a mere cost of the paper and press-work. Local papers, which have their type setting to pay for, cannot pretend to compete in price with the city weeklies, but they can do better, they can give the people the news respecting home affairs which is far more interesting and important to them. The people of the country will make a great mistake if they weaken their local journals by taking city weeklies instead because they get them cheaper, while they do not [illegible] the news they want. Local papers are the champions and supporters of the interests of their respective sections, and as such have a claim to the support of the people aside from their intrinsic value, which is always greater than the price asked. If the people allow their local papers to be weakened, where will be their interests when they come in conflict with those of the cities in railway and other matters? They will have shorn their own advocates of influence, and they may depend upon it that the city papers will go against them as they have done in the past. We don't intend to try to compete in price with the city prices with the city weeklies, but we intend, as in the past, to give our readers a live local journal, sticking up for the interests of this section of country, of far more value to the people of the county than any city weekly, and we have no fear but we will be supported as we have always been.—*O. S. Times.*

SAD ACCIDENT.

Tuesday last which was one of the busiest days ever witnessed in this Town, was closed in gloom and sorrow, caused by an accident which brought death and mourning in so brief a period to a happy family. Mr. Charles Smith, of Bentinck, was driving along Lambton Street towards home with a light democrat waggon, containing his mother. Mrs Robert Smith, his wife and daughter, and when on the bridge met Mr. D. McCrie, and in striving to pass each other the horses became restive, and Mr. Smith's horses, instead of going forward, when urged to do so, backed, and almost in an instant they went backward over the south-east corner of the bridge. Mr. and Mrs. Smith jumped out, and the little girl was caught and taken out, and the old lady was caught by Mr Hobson as she fell into the water, the waggon righted, and the things taken out of the water, all in a few moments. Mrs. Smith was helped to Mr. J. H. Brown's, but in about fifteen minutes after she breathed her last, although she received no injury except the fright so far as is known. The only thing broken about the waggon was a whipple tree. Mr. Smith received a blow which broke one of his ribs, but is able to be around. There were a number of people around at the time who very promptly assisted in setting things right as far as possible, but it was all done so quickly that there was no time for a crowd to collect. To say that the bereaved family have the sympathy of the community in their sad affliction scarcely conveys the idea of the feeling that exists. Mrs. Smith had been living in Bentinck about twenty-four years, was a native of Leeds, England, and was very highly esteemed by all who knew her. The bridge itself was regarded as dangerous, and the rapidly increasing traffic over it is daily making it more so, and we have no doubt it will at once be made more secure, or a new bridge built at once, as both the street and bridge are too narrow.—*Grey Review.*

AT A LOSS FOR WORDS.

The pleasure which I hereby attempt to express cannot be half conveyed by words. Physicians of very high character and notoriety have heretofore declared my rheumatism to be incurable. Specifics, almost numberless, have failed to cure or even alleviate the intensity of the pain, which has frequently confined me to my room for three months at a time. One week ago I was seized with an attack of acute rheumatism of the knee. In a few hours the entire knee joint became swollen to enormous proportions, and walking rendered impossible. Nothing remained for me, and I intended to resign myself as best I might to another month's confinement to my room and bed, whilst suffering untold agonies. By chance I learned of the wonderful curative properties of St. Jacob's Oil. I clutched it as a straw, and in a few hours was entirely free from pain in knee, arm and shoulder. As before stated, I cannot find words to convey my praise and gratitude to the discoverers of this king of rheumatism.

Charles S. [illegible], Boston, 9 Boylston Place and 158 Harrison avenue.

MARRIED.

CLARK—MARSHAM—On Tuesday, 27th Dec., by the Rev. A. Wilson, at the residence of Mr. Robert Bowes, Glenelg, Mr. Robert Clark, to Miss Mary Ann Marsham, both of Glenelg.

BEAK—FALLAISE—At the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., on Monday, 26th inst., Mr. Robert Beak, to Miss Mary Louisa, daughter of Fallaise, Esq., all of Glenelg.

MALCOLM—VAUDINE—At the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., on Monday, 26th inst., Mr. David Malcolm of Collingwood, to Miss Sarah, daughter of Cyril Vaudine, of Priceville.

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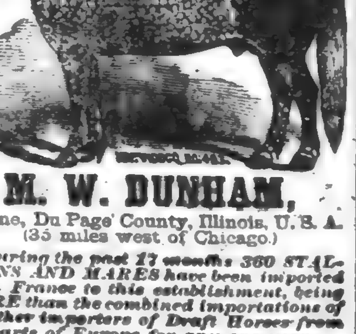

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NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING for 1881 will be held in the School House, Markdale, on Wednesday, 28th inst., commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. Ratepayers and others interested, of U. S. S. No. 1, Artemesia and Glenelg, are particularly requested to be present, as the Trustees are most anxious that all parties having grievances may be fully heard, and that the affairs of the school, financial and otherwise, should receive that careful and intelligent criticism which the interests involved demand.
WM. BROWN, Sec.-Treas.
Markdale, Dec. 20, 1881.

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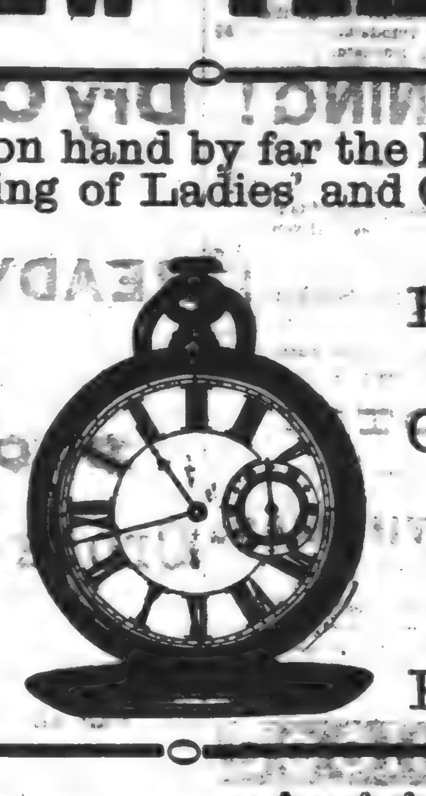

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THE BEST IN THE WORLD.

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And other lines too numerous to mention. All the above mentioned goods will be sold very cheap, and are very suitable for Xmas Presents. I do not mean to say that I can undersell any other man in the trade, but I do mean to say that my stock is as good as any in this section and my prices equally as low, and would solicit an inspection of the same. I count it no trouble to show goods and quote prices. Thanking one and all of my friends for past favors during the past seven years I have been in business in Markdale, I would respectfully solicit a continuance of your trade, and remember I warrant all goods as represented.

☞ DON'T FORGET THE PLACE—NEXT DOOR TO HILL BROS, MILL ST.

E. D. WILCOX

MARKDALE.

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GOOD HEARSE for hire, charges moderate.

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A full stock of RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES which will be sold cheap for cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds Taken in exchange for Furniture.

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Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881.

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Over McFarland's Store,

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THE LATEST Fashion Plates! ON HAND.

CUTTING DONE WHILE WAITING

Good Fit Guaranteed.

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WEDDING CAKES

Most Artistic style.

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Surprise Parties

Article of Bread!

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ESTATE, AND LAND

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Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

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Dundalk September 1st, 1881. -ly.

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TAILOR,

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MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881.

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Flour, Flour, Flour!

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
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And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, cheap for cash.

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General Dry Goods!

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JUST THE THING.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

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BOOTS AND SHOES!

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GROCERIES!

Fresh and at the very lowest prices. Cash and Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods.

No Trouble to show Goods. Come and Examine for Yourselves.

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Flesherton, October 4th, 1881.

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Raisins, Currants, Spices,

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES, &c.,

and no better place in Markdale can be found to obtain these articles and at bottom prices, than at

BUTTER & RAE'S.

—IN THE—

DRY GOODS LINE!

WE ARE SECOND TO NONE.

You will need a New Suit for the Holidays, and our all-wool Tweeds—Scotch English and Canadian, cannot be surpassed in this section of country, and we sell as low, as any other firm in Markdale. In all branches of the above line of goods you will find we are not behind the times, and we guarantee on all our goods to be just as we represent them. Give us a call, and we feel assured we can supply you with all you need, and at satisfactory prices.

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Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins, Currants, &c.,

IN LIQUORS!

IN PRICES

Give me a Call.

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Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881.

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BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

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Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881.

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

W. F. HOWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881.

SANTA CLAUS IS COMING!

AND WILL BE AT THE

DUNDALK

Drug and Fancy Goods Store

WITH ALL KINDS OF

Xmas and New Year's Presents

FOR GOOD BOYS AND GIRLS.

BE SURE AND COME AND SEE HIM.

Toys, Toy Books, Dolls, Sleighs, Photo, Autograph and Scrap Albums, Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Fancy Baskets, Gents' Mustache Cups, Ladies' Teacups, Children's China Sets, China Ornaments, Bohemian Vases, Gold and Silver Vases. Books, including the following:—Bibles, Sunday at Home, Leisure Hour, British Workmen, Boys' Own Annual, Girls' Own Magazine, Chatterbox, Little Wide Awake, Pictures and Puzzles, all the celebrated Poets, Games, Ladies' Card Cases—Pearl and Tortoise, Xmas and New Year's Cards, Jewelry, Wedding Rings, Watches—gold and silver, &c., &c. My customers and the public will find my stock well selected and complete. I venture to state it is the largest stock of Fancy Goods, &c., ever imported into Dundalk. Come and examine, no trouble to show goods. Wishing all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Yours, respectfully,

G. W. PARSONS.

DUNDALK DRUG STORE

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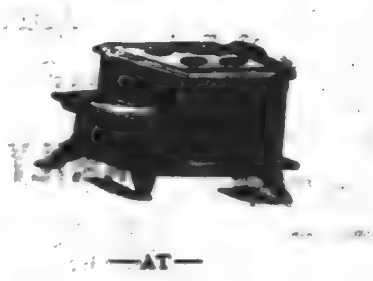

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No Brush! No Rubbing!

Shines as you put it on, and stops where you put it

DUNDALK.

DUNDALK, Oct. 21, 1881. 1-y.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at the Town Hall on the 19th inst. All the members present.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, seconded by Mr. Hall, that orders be issued on the Treasurer in favor of School Trustees for School money.—Carried.

Mr. Glencross moved, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that $9.25 be paid to P. Colbert for repairing bridge on Lot 28, Con. 2, E. G. R.—carried.

Mr. Hall moved, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that the Treasurer be refunded $13.70, being amount paid Government for road deviation on Lot 15, Con 4 N.D.R.—carried.

Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr. Hall, that the costs of suit—Glencross vs. The Corporation of Glenelg—be paid as follows: Solicitors' fees, $15; Witnesses' fees, $28.65.—carried.

Mr. Glencross moved seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the selectors of Jurors be paid $4.00 each.—carried.

Mr. Hall moved, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the following accounts be paid: Edward Rutledge, $3.00; W. H. Rombough, surveying, $10; Bowsell & Hutchison, blanks, $5.07.—car.

Mr. Hall moved, seconded by Mr. Neil, that Samuel Allen be paid $10 for crosswaying on 2nd and 3rd cons., E.G.R.; John O'Donnell, $160, balance of bridge contract, and Patrick Connor $98, being 25 per cent. off the contract for bridge at Lot 5, Con. 8—carried.

In addition to the above fifty orders were issued on the Treasurer in payment of work on roads and bridges, amounting to $412.15.

Mr. McMillan moved, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that widow McLachlin, Lot 36, Con. 1 S.D.R., widow Smith, S. ½ of Lot 30, Con. 9, E.G.R., and widow McDonald, Lot 7, Con. 8 S.D.R., be exempt from taxes for '88, and that the Collectors be notified to that effect.—carried.

Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that John Simpson be paid $12 for funeral expenses of widow Seaton.—carried.

Mr. McMillan moved, seconded by Mr. Neil, that Joseph Black be paid $2.00 for services as fenceviewer.—carried.

Mr. McMillan moved, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the Clerk's postage and stationery account, amounting to $8.70, be paid.—carried.

Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the following claims be paid:—Mr. Glencross, commission on Ward appropriation, $8.72, for services on committee and attending special grants, $8.00; Mr. Hall, commission on Ward appropriation, $12.96, and committee work, $16.00; Mr. McMillan, commission on Ward appropriation, $11.20, and attending to special grants, $5.00; Mr. Neil commission on Ward appropriation, $11.76, special grants and committee, $13.00; Mr. McRae, attending committee for '80 and '81, $16.00.—car.

Mr. Hall moved, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that Adam Traynor be refunded $26.00, being the amount with interest paid by him at a tax sale in 1876, on Lot 13, Con. 12, Glenelg, as no title was conveyed by said sale.—carried.

Mr. Hall moved, seconded, by Mr. Glencross, that James Edgar be paid $2.00 for special services in connection with collectors Alex. Bell and Thomas Gray.—carried.

Mr. Neil moved, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the Clerk be paid $15 for services under the School Act.—carried.

The Reeve having left the chair, it was moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Neil, that this Council tender the Reeve, F. McRae, Esq., their thanks for his able and impartial manner in discharging his duties as chairman of this Council.—*carried unanimously.*

Council adjourned.

A CURE FOR CROUP.

Apply flannel saturated with Hagyard's Yellow Oil and administer the Oil internally on a little sugar as directed on the bottle. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, Chilblains, Lameness, and all flesh wounds. All dealers supply it, price 25 cents.

OUR TABLE.

We have recieved life of Garfield published by the *World* publishing Company of Guelph, it is a piece of work that no printing house in Canada need be ashamed of.

We have recieved the second number of the Rural Canadian. It is fully up to what was promised in the first number, and can be had, in connection with the STANDARD or HERALD for 60c per annum.

The *Farmers Advocate* for December has been recieved. It is, without doubt the best Agricultural paper published in the Dominion, we will furnish it to any address, post paid for $1.

OUR LITTLE ONES.—This spicey magazine for children is to hand. We cannot speak too highly of this work, and would recommend all who haveany love for their little ones to subscribe for it. Price $1.50, subscriptions recieved at this office.

Eastern butchers must look out for sharp competition during the coming winter, as beef and pork will be sent from the West in such quantities and prepared for retail sale as will enable grocers and provision dealers to keep it on hand and sell the choicest cuts for eight and ten cents a pound. Sirloin steak and roast, it is asserted, can be sent from Illinois slaughter houses and sold for eight cents a pound —that is, furnished to retail merchants at rates which will enable them to sell at these prices.

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Cures coughs, colds, asthma, croup, whooping cough, sore throat, bronchitis and all lung complaints that lead to consumption. Price 25 cents.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Co-partnership formerly subsisting between the undersigned as Tanners, in Markdale, under the style or firm of Wilson & Bryden, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 9th day of December, 1881; and that the said business will in future be carried on by George Wilson, who will receive and pay all the debts of the late firm.

Dated this 9th day of December A.D., 1881.

Signed { GEORGE WILSON, THOS. J. BRYDEN.

Witness—C. W. Rutledge. 66 3i

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 45-6m

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MARKDALE
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—AND—
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We are prepared to execute all kinds of

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Turning and Boring,
WITH
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Done in a practical manner.

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will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

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Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

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RICHARD A. SCOTT,
Williamsford P.O.

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To the Electors of Glenelg.

GENTLEMEN,—Having been requested by a large number of the Ratepayers of the Township of Glenelg, to run for the office of Councilman for the Township, I have decided to do so. Last year I was nominated, but owing to sickness in my family, was unable to give any attention whatever to the election, but notwithstanding this I received a very large number of votes, almost sufficient to elect me as Councillor. If elected to represent the Township at the Council Board, I shall strive to do what I sincerely believe to be for the best interests of the Township as a Councillor, if elected.

I remain your obedient servant,

JOHN BLACK.

Dec. 23, 1881. 67-2ins.

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Knee-Bobs,
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Portland,
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and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

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and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

JOHN NOBLE,

General Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June2, 1881. -4

Dissolution of Partnership.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, DO HEREBY mutually agree that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us as Sparling & Rowe under certain articles of co-partnership be, and the same is hereby dissolved. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the same, Henry Sparling, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this Fifth day of December, 1881.

Signed and sealed in the presence of Jas. A. Rowe.

HENRY SPARLING,
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WANTED.

At the Eclipse Saw Mills and Shingle Factory 1,000,000 feet of all kinds of logs namely Cherry, Butternut, Ash, Pine, Hemlock, Basswood, Maple, and Elm, for which the highest price will be paid.

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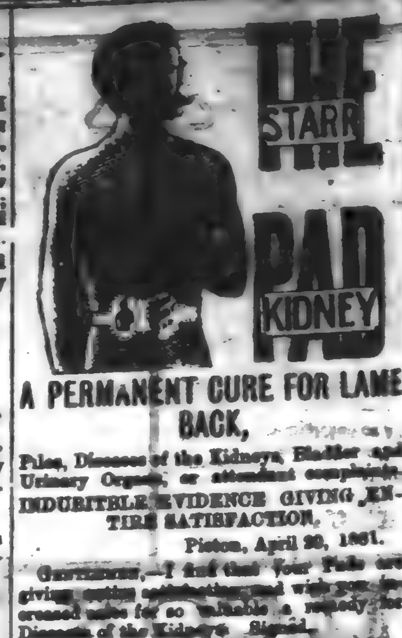

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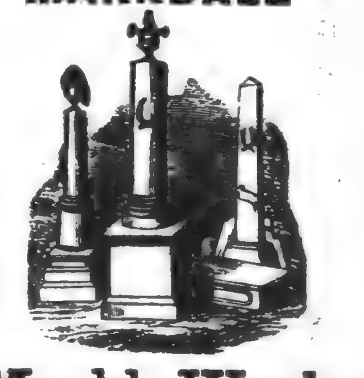

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Flesherton, March [illegible], 1881. 28

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All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Tu[rning]
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THOS. McNE[ILL]

Markdale, May [illegible]th, 1881.

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Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple
Dry Goods
On hand, which we offer at
Greatly Reduced Pric[es]

IN BOOTS AND SHO[ES]
We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Grocries, Hardware, Crockery, and Gla[ssware]

Is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory [in every de]partment.

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Wm. BROW[N]

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SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalog[ue]
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Farms for Sale and to L[et]

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Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., co[llected and] prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

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Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & [Insurance Agent]

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[BA]RRISTERS, SOLICITORS, AND CON[v]eyancers, Markdale.
[OFFI]CE: McFarland's Block.
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[illegible] ANDERSON, Proprietor.

VO[TE]
B[UILDER] an[d] attended [to] Estim[ates] Dunda[lk]

W[ANTED]
N[OTICE]
IN lar[ge] good security,
INT[EREST]
☞Dr[illegible] all point[s]
Dunda[lk]

Me[at]
NEXT [illegible] Sto[illegible] and Sau[sages] Poultry any part [illegible] N. B [illegible] Sheep t[illegible] know, a[illegible]

E[illegible]

Un[dertaking]
A[ND]
Has now [on hand a stock] of all siz[es] Crape, a[nd] kept on [hand]

Hous[e]

Wat[ches]
which wil[l]
Dundal[k]

F[illegible]

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The subs[criber] WAGG[ONS] SLEIG[HS] Together or iron on[ly]
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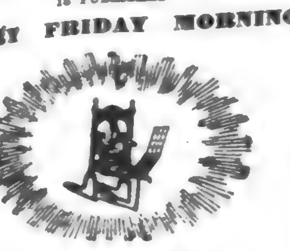

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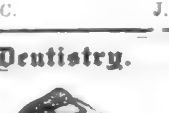

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THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.
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Estimates on work free.
Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1

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IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
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Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
R. G. LUCAS, Manager.
Dundalk, Sept. 1, 1881. 1-ly

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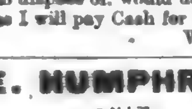
NEXT Door to Hanbury's Boot and Shoe Store, Dundalk. Beef, Pork, Mutton, and Sausage always on hand. Fish and Poultry in their season. Meat delivered to any part of the Town.
N. B.—Farmers having Fat Cattle or Sheep to dispose of, would do well to let me know, as I will pay Cash for such. 16 ly.
W. RUNDLE,

E. HUMPHRIES,

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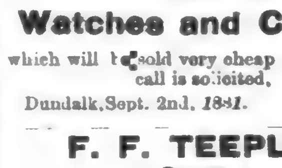
Undertaker! AND CABINETMAKER,
Has now on hand a full stock of COFFINS of all sizes and prices. Shrouds, Gloves, Crape, and Coffin Trimmings, constantly kept on hand for sale. Also a full stock of
Household Furniture!
Picture Framing a specialty.
A STOCK OF
Watches and Clocks!
which will be sold very cheap for cash. A call is solicited,
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-4t

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS, DUNDALK, ONT.
The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, single or double,
SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB-SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

REMOVED, REMOVED.

J. C. ATKINSON, TAILOR,
Having removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.
—LATEST—
Fashion Plates! RECEIVED REGULARLY.
CHARGES MODERATE.
Satisfaction Guaranteed
Remember the Place
NEXT DOOR TO NELSON'S STORE, MAIN STREET.
Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 13-6m.

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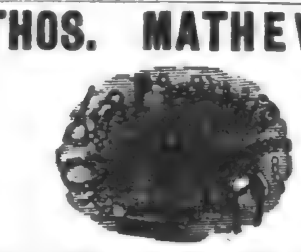
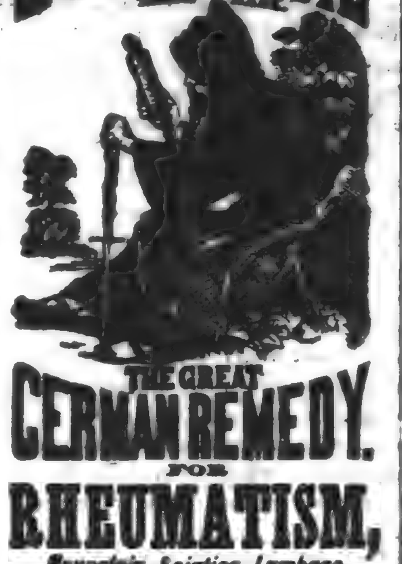

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, an would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, feeling confident that he can give *Entire Satisfaction*. Everything usually kept in a
FIRST-CLASS
HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,
always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.
None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.
Markdale Nav. 18, 1880 1o

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING on **Every Working Day, By Thomas Smith.**
Except Fridays and Saturdays until noon when he will be in Flesherton.
Orders filled for Toomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 65-3m

ST. JACOBS OIL
TRADE MARK.

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Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.
No Preparation on earth equals ST. JACOBS OIL as a safe, sure, simple and cheap External Remedy. A trial entails but the comparatively trifling outlay of 50 Cents, and every one suffering with pain can have cheap and positive proof of its claims.
Directions in Eleven Languages.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.
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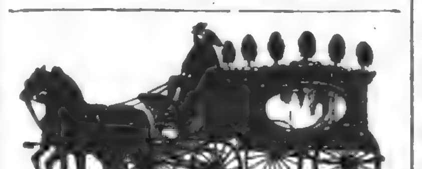
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Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture! —AND— **UNDERAKING ESTABLISHMENT,**
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS, CASKETS, SHROUDS, and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

CUTTERS AND SLEIGHS!
IN GREAT VARIETY.
THE CHEAPEST!
BECAUSE THEY ARE
THE BEST.
IN THE MARKET.
Any Number or Style!
Promptly supplied from stock on the shortest notice. All manufactured by skilled mechanics, with good material in the
Latest and most improved Stdle.
Special attention is also directed to the large and very superior stock of second growth
HICKORY AND WHITE OAK!
purchased from one of the best factories in Canada, sufficient to manufacture over fifty Waggons and Carriages for the coming season. Intending purchasers should not fail to make an inspection of my stock and save money.
SPECAL ATTEDTION TO REPAIRING & HORSESHOEING.
Remember the place—second door to Butter & Rae's.
D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A Happy New Year.
THE Subscriber desires to call the attention of those about to commit matrimony, that he is prepared to furnish
WEDDING CAKES,
and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the
Most Artistic style,
and of a flavor and quality, that cannot be surpassed.
SOIREES, AND **Surpise Parties!**
Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.
IN THE
Article of Bread!
I DEFY COMPETITION,
And will deliver it at the residence of all who may favor me with their patronage.
A. DUNLOP.
Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. 66-3m.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

—:o:—

CHAPTER XII. Continued.

'Nevertheless, I shall go to her wedding; I told her so once, and I mean to keep my word, if—as I said before—that wedding ever takes place.'

'Will you be kind enough to explain,'

He was quite white, and braced to meet the worst. He looked her steadily between the eyes. She stood and returned the gaze smiling, silent, and with a devil in either glittering eye. For Peter Dangerfield stood aloof and listened.

'What a fortunate fellow you are, Gaston Dantree,' Mrs. Vavasor said, after that short pause. 'You are the very hansomest man, I think, I ever saw; you are the best singer off theopera stage I ever heard; your manners are perfect in their insolent ease: you are seven-and-twenty, a charming age—and you possess what so seldom goes with beauty, unhappily—brains. The world is your oyster, you open it cleverely; you are a penniless Yankee adventurer, and a baronet's daughter, and the heiress of eight thousand a year, is waiting at Scarsford to marry you tonight. Under what fortunate combination of the planets were you born, I wonder. You don't love this young lady you are going to marry; but love is an exploded idea—the stock in trade of poets and novelists. People with eight thousand a year can dispense with love; but where the bride and groom are both penniless—oh, well! that's another matter.'

'Mrs. Vavasor, it is after nine o'clock. Did you send for me to listen to a homily? If so, having heard it allow me to take my departure.'

'Don't get in a hurry Mr. Dantree, there's no occasion. Ten o'clock will come, but I don't believe we'll have a wedding to night, after all.'

'You have said that three times!'—Gaston Dantree's eyes were growing stern, and his mouth was set in one thin hard line—'the same thing repeated too often grows a bore.' Be kind enough, if you mean anything, to tell me what you mean.'

'I will! I mean this, my handsome Louisianian—that your bride-elect is no more a baronet's daughter—no more Sir John Dangerfield's heiress—than I am?'

CHAPTER XIII.

MRS' VAVASOR'S STORY.

It was out, and Gaston Dantree stood for a moment stunned, looking at the evil, smiling face of the speaker and absolutely unable to reply. Then.

'I don't delieve it,' he said slowly.

Mrs. Vavasor laughed aloud:

'You mean you don't want to believe it. It's not pleasant for a successful adventurer, Oh, don't be offended, it's only the name common place people give other people cleverer than themselves. It's not pleasant, I say, when the golden chalice of fortune is at our lips to see a ruthless hand spill that wine of life at our feet. It isn't pleasant for a handsome dark eyed Adonis, with the face of a god and the purse of a—pauper, to find the reputed daughter and heiress of a wealthy baronet, whom he is going to marry, as great a pauper as himself greater, indeed, for she lacks the good looks that may yet make your fortune Mr. Dantree. It isn't pleasant, but it is perfectly true. Sir John Dangerfield has imposed upon you—upon his rightful heir here, Mr. Dangerfield upon society—passing off a girl whose parentage he is in most absolute ignorance, as his daughter. Don't fly into a passion, Mr. Dantree, as I see you are inclined to do—at least not with me. I'm not afraid of you, and I'm not to blame. If you don't believe me, but I see you do, come with me to Scarswood, Mr. Dangerfiedl and I are bound for the weddind—and be convinced from Sir John's own lips My shawl, if you please, Mr. Dangerfield Sir Peter that is to be.'

He took the rich Parisian wrap and folded it gallantly around her slim shoulders.

Gaston Dantree still stood confounded—a blank feeling of rage and fury, and despair choking the passionate words he would have said. She look at him, and laughed again.

'*Mon Dieu*! he is like an incarnate thunder-cloud—black and furious as a Levantine pirate, or an Alpinebrigand Cheer up, *mon ami*, we don't take your bride from you—onlyher fortune and what are a few thousand a year, more or less, to such a devoted lover as you! And she would go with you to beggary. It makes a hardened woman of the world, like myself, absolutely young again to see such gushing and beautiful devotion. I rather thought romance had gone out of fashion in this year of grace, and that it was only at Covent Garden we heardof 'two souls but with a single thought—two hearts that beat as one.' But I have found out my mistake, and think better of the world since I have known you. My bonnet, Mr, Dangerfield—thanks. Now, then, missieure—forward! march! I am entirely at your service.

She took Peter Dangerfield's arm, looking forward over his shoulder at the black, marble figure of the bridegroom, like the smiling vixen she was.

'Come, Gaston, *mon brave*,' she said, 'though you lose an heiress, you need not lose a bride. We will be but a few minutes late, after all. Come—away.'

She ran lightly down the stairs, humming with the face of malicious delight, 'haste to the wedding.'

The hour for which she had hungered and thirsted for years and years had come—the hour of her vengeance 'Revenge is sweet—particularly to a woman,' singeth my lord Byron, and he had hit truth as well as poetry when he said it. A man sometimes spares his enemy—a woman will forget a man seven times seven, but one woman will spare another woman—never!

Gaston Dantree followed. His lips were set in an expression no one beheld him this night had ever seen before; his dark eyes lurid with rage, disappointment, and fury, his dusky face savage and set. All his presentiments were fulfilled—more than fulfilled. At the worst he had not dreamed of anything half so bad as this. He believed what he had heard—there was that in Mrs. Vavasors face and voice, with all their malice, that showed she spoke the truth. For the second time he had been foiled—in the very hour of his triumph. A demoniacal rage filled him—against the woman, against the baronet, against Katherine, against himself.

'What a dolt—what an ass I have been!' he muttered inaudibly, grinding his teeth; 'what a laughing stock I shall be! But by Heaven! if I am to loose a fortune, Katherine Dangerfield shall lose a husband. It's one thing to risk New gate for an heiress but I'll see all the portionless, adopted daughters this side of the infernal regions at the bottom of the bottomless pit, before I'll risk it for one of them!'

And then Mr. Dantree folded his arms in sullen silence, and let things take their course. He knew the worst—he had put his fate to the test, and lost it all. Nothing remained but to see the play played out, to pack his trunk, and at once seek fresh fields and pastures new.

The night was black as Erebus; the cold, cutting sleet still beat, the wind still blew. The street lamps flared and flickered in the soughs of wind—the shops of the town were shut—lights twinkled pleasently behind closed blinds. Mrs. Vavasor sat behind him muffled in her wraps—a demoniacal desire to pitch her headlong out of the trap was strong upon Mr. Dantree.

'Little devil!' he thought, looking at her savagely under cover of the darkness. 'She knew all along and waited for this melodramatic climax. It's your turn now, Mrs. Vavasor; when the wheel revolves and mine comes, I'll remember this dark night's work!'.

Not a word was spoken until the lights of Scarswood came in sight. Gaston Dantree's heart was full of passionate bitterness, as the huge gate lamps hove in view. And to-morrow all this night have been his.

'Curse the luck!' he thought. 'I might have known that blasted old harridan, Fortune, could have nothing good in store for a step-son like me.'

They whirled up under the frowning stone arch—up under the black, rocking trees. The whole long front of the old mansion was brilliant with illumation. The great portico entrace s ood wide; they saw Squire Talbott and Captain De Vere come out with anxious faces; they saw Mrs. Talbott in her white festal robes float downthe black, oaken stairway.

'All waiting for the bridegroom!' Mrs. Vavasor said, with her habitual short laugh. 'Do you go forward, Mr. Dangerfield, and relieve their anxiety. We follow.'

Peter Dangerfield Sprang up the steps—never in his life half so nimbly And Edith Talbott flitted forward to him, smiling, but with an anxious quiver in her voice,

'Oh, come ye in peace, or come ye in war, or to dance at our bridal, young Lord Lochinvar?' Mr. Dangerfield, where is Mr. Dantree.

'Mr. Dantree is here.'

He spoke very quietly, but what hidden delight gleamed in his small pale eyes! If they only knew! He steped on one side, and Gaston Dantree and Mrs. Vavasar stood revealec.

One glance at the bridegroom's face, and blank silence fell. What had happened? Surely never bridegroom, from Adam down, wore so black and gloomy a scowl on his wedding night! Edith Talbott recoiled with clasped hands, her brother and the captain of the plungers stood looking at him aghast.

'By Jove, Dantree,' the gallant captain managed to stammer at last, 'you look awfully cut up, you know. What the deuce is the row? Don't you know you're behind time, man, and—I say, old boy, I hope nothing serious is the matter, you know?'

'Something serious *is* the matter,' Peter Dangerfield made answer gravely, for the gentleman addressed only scowled a little blacker; 'and we wish to see Sir John immediately. Miss Talbot, we are going to the library—will you tell my uncle to join us there? and if you can keep Katherine out of the way for the next half hour, perhaps it will be as well.'

He led the way to the library, his two companions after him—Mr. Dantree stalking along like a spectre.

The vast and spacious library was brilliantly lit by a cluster of waxlights and the flicker of a dying fire. Shadows crouched darkly in the corners, and the bloody hand shone vividly in the escutcheon over the mantel. The long silken curtains were undrawn; outside, by a faint lighting in the northern sky, the tossing-wind-blown trees, the slanting sweep of the rain could be seen. Outside there was the uproar of the storm—inside, dead stillness reigned.

Peter Dangerfield took a seat deep in the shadow of the vast Maltese window, and looked aroud the lofty and noble room as he had never looked before.

The dark walls lined with books from ceiling to floor, the busts, the bronzes, the pictures, and the heavy-carved old furniture. One day this would be all his—one day—one day.

There was a luxuriant fauteuildrawn up before the fire; into this Mrs. Vavasor sank, throwing back her wet wrap. Mr. Dantree stood near, his elbow on the mantel, his dark and angry eyes fixed on the fire, his mouth set under his black moustache, stern and grim. There was neither pity nor remorse in his heart for the girl who loved him. He had not been spared—why should he spare? He had never loved her—he hated her in this hour.

So he waited—how long he never knew—full of silent, sullen fury, all the more dangerous from this outward quiet. And then the door opened and Sir John Dangerfield came in.

If he had not known before he entered, he knew the moment that his eyes rested upon them, all that had happened.

His secret was told—this woman had played him false. Peter Dangerfield knew that he was his heir-at-law—Gaston Dantree knew that Katherine was not his daughter. The murder was out.

He drew a long breath—absolutely a breath of intense relief. He had dreaded this hour unutterably, he had stooped to deception, to falsehood and bribery, for the first time in all of his brave life, to avert it; and now that it had come, he thanked Heaven. He could breathe freely and face his fellow man again—he could hold his head erect among his peers once more His great love had made him a coward—his life had been unspeakably miserable under the burden of the secret he dared not tell. But another had told it in spite of him—he was free! He flung back his head proudly and walked into their midst with his firm, soldierly step and stately bearing, stopping directly in front of Gaston Dantree.

The Southerner lifted his gloomy eyes, and the gaze of the two met—steady, stern, unflinchingly.

'You are late, Mr. Dantree,' the baronet said, coldly and briefly. 'You pay your bride a poor compliment by keeping her waiting on her bridal eve.'

'I greatly doubt, Sir John, whether there will be either bride or bridal tonight. Certainly before Miss Dangerfield—if there is such a person—becomes Mrs. Dantree, you will clear up a little statement of Mrs. Vavasor's. She tells us the young lady you have palmed off upon us as your daughter and heiress, is—*who* is she, Sir John Dangerfield?'

The baronet turned his eyes for the first time on the little figure in the arm chair.

'You have broken faith with me Harriet Harman. You took my money and meant to betray me.'

'I took your money and meant to betray you? Yes! I would not have forfeited my revenge for three times the money.'

'I might have known it. Then you have told these men—all?'

'I have told them nothing as yet, save the bare fact that Katherine is not your daughter. Mr. Dantree did me the honor to disbelieve me—it isn't for his interest, as it is for your nephew's to believe it; so I brought them to relate the story in your presence. They can't very well refuse to credit it then. And as I still trust the wedding will go on,' with her most satirical smile; 'and as I don't want to keep poor little Kathie waiting any longer than is absolutely necessary, I will begin at once. If my memory fails me in any minor particulars, Sir John, or if any of my statements are incorrect, you will be good enough to set me right. Messieurs Dantree and Dangerfield, listen!'

She folded her hands, looked into the ruddy coals, and began.

"It's so long ago—so long—so long—it makes one's hair grow grey only to look back. It's fifteen years, my hearers, since the express train from Rouen to Paris bore among its passengers one day a woman and a child—a little girl of two. They were very poor, very shabby, and travelled third-class. By the same train travelled likewise to Paris, an English officer and his lady, and their daughter, also aged two years or thereabouts. The English officer was under marching orders for India, and was going to sail with his interesting family in a few days.

'But if man proposes—French railway trains sometimes disposes, and very unpleasantly. A cattle train came along—there was a mistake, and worse—there was a collision. Crash! Crash!—away went! Something hit the poor little woman on the head, and she knew no more.

'She opened her eyes next in a hospital, very weak, one great pain from head to foot, but quite conscious and likely to live. Her first question was for her child—dead or alive!

' "Alive," the gentle faced Sister of Charity said, "and well and uninjured; and, if I were willing to dispose of it in a fair way, to make it's fortune in life.'

' "How?" I asked.

' "In this way: An English officer and his lady, travelling in the same unfortunate express train, had had their child killed—killed instantly by that terrible collision. The officer and the lady escaped unhurt—they were wild with grief, but remembered their fellow suffers through it all. The baby was buried in *Pere La Chaise*, poor angel! and monsieur le officer and his lady came daily to the hospital to see their fellow-sufferers. Here they had seen me, here they had been shown my baby—scantily clad, thin, pale, half fed—an object of pity to gods and men, And its little, wan patient face went straight to that desolate spot in their hearts. I was very poor; what could I do with it? They would adopt it, bring it up as their own, give it their name, their love and make an elegant English young lady of a little nameless, ragged waif and stray.

'I listened to all this—too weak to say much, and when next the English officer and his lady visited the hospital heard them repeat the same arguments. My answer was ready: If they would give me twohundred pounds cash down—I was very moderate—they might take the infant for good, to India or the North Pole, and do with her as they would.

'My ready acquiescence, my business like way of putting things, rather took them back—rather shocked the paternal instinct of my Englishman. He looked at me with disbeautiful eyes, and asked if I were really the child's mother. It would have been more politic, I dare say, to have said yes, but I couldn't say it. I hated that child—hated the mother—and some of that hatred looked out of my eyes at him and made him recoil.

' "She's not my child," I said; "I tell you the truth. She's not mine but she belongs to me. Never mind how—never mind anything about her, except that you may take her at you like—on my terms. If you don't like them no harm is done—some one else will. Two hundred pounds down, good English gold, and take her away out of my sight. I'll never trouble you any more about her, and no one else ever will. Now do as you like." And then I shut my lips, and eyes and waited.

'The answer was what I expected, the mother had taken a fancy to the little one, and my Englishman only lived to gratify every fancy of his wife. They would pay the two hundred down, and take the child. In India she and I were never likely to meet again. What was my name

' "Harrriet Harman."

'That was the name I gave. Wheather or no it were mine, is nobody's business here.

' "And the child's name—what was that?"

' "Harriet Harman, too. But if they meant to adopt her, they had better rechristain her—after the little cherub gone up aloft, for instance."

'We closed the bargain. I got the two hundred pounds and signed the receipt; I have it yet. I laughed as I sold the child and got my price. It was the first instalment of my revenge—this is the second. What would her mother say, I thought, if she could only have been informed of this transaction.

'They took the child away. I wanted her to shake hands with me, but she wouldn't. And I hadn't treated her badly. She clung to Mrs. Dangerfield's skirts, and wouldn't so much as look at me.

' "Good-bye, then, *ma petite*!," I said. "I don't mind the shake hands. Go to India and be happy. If we ever meet again, perhaps you'll think better of it, and shake hands."

'My English officer and his lady came again, and again, and again to me, to induce me to tell little Katherine's antecedants—(they named her Katherine at once, after the little angel crushed to jelly.) They offered me another hundred, and they could ill spare it, but all the gold in the Bank of England would not have made me open my lips until my own time came. I wouldn't tell, and I haven't told, and I don't mean for to tell, until I choose.

'Katherine Dangerfield's father and friends live, but who they are no power on earth shall wring from me.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

GUILTY OF WRONG.—Some people have a fashion of confusing excellent remedies with the large mass of "patent medicines," and in this they are guilty of a wrong There are some advertised remedies fully worth all that is asked for them, and one at least we know of—Hop Bitters. The writer has had occasion to use the Bitters in just such a climate as we have most of the year in Bay City, and has always found them to be first class and reliable, doing all that is claimed for them.—*Tribune*

PERCHERON HORSES.

THE BREED THAT SELLS BEST.

It is a generally accepted fact that the breeding of what are termermed fancy horses, cannot be successfully done by the ordinary breeder. With rare exceptions, breeding for speed is so uncertain, even when those engaged in the business are possessed of the very choicest animals adapted to that purpose, that it is only those who have a fortune, and are able to pursue the object as a matter of pleasure, that can successfully pursue the business for any great length of time. The mania that has for years possessed our people for breeding fast horses is rapidly leaving them, and they are beginning to realize that if they are to make any money in breeding horses of any kind, it must be in producing animals that will have a specific value in themselves, whether trained or untrained. It is not necessary to tell the people as to the class of horses that sell the most readily at the present timo. Every one knows that good-formed, large-sized, vigorous, hardy draft horses are in active demand, and that the buyers are searching the country in every portion where these horses can be found in any considerable numbers, and paying large prices $200 to $250, for animals that weigh from 1300 to 1600 pounds.

How to produce this class of horses is something that interests every farmer throughout the country. A few years since, when there were no pure-bred, large sized stallions to be found here, it was a practical impossibility to do so with any degree of certainty from our ordinary sized mares, but latterly the importation of heavier classes of stallions from foreign countries, and especially the admirable Percherons, that are being imported from LaPerche, France, has made the hitherto unattainable object easy of accomplishment.

Nearly all classes of large horses have been tried, the English draft, the Clydesdales, the Belgians, the Boulonnias, a coarser specimen of the French horses, sometimes in this country improperly called Normans; but none have seemed to "nick" so well with our ordinary stock as the smooth-built, clean limbed, powerfully muscled, vigorous and active Percheron horse of France. Since 1872 several hundreds of these stallions have been imported and sold to nearly every State in the Union, and wherever found they are held in the highest estimation.—Quite a number of both imported and grade stallions have crossed the mountains and are doing the country valuable service. This is very flattering to the clear-sightedness and perseverance of our breeders, and we cannot too strongly urge the continuance of such a worthy enterprise, as every one of these animals that are brought to our State will add greatly to its wealth.—*American Rural Home*, Rochester, N. Y.

The marriage service uniting a Chicago couple was, it is asserted, performed by departed spirits, a medium acting under their control.

THE PUBLIC will be reminded that **W. F. DOLL** is showing a stock of **GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES** That will compare favorably with any retail store in Canada. Altogether his Stock is **LARGE, TASTY, AND WELL ASSORTED.** An inspection of his stock will repay anyone. He is giving special discounts during the holidays.
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THAT TERRIBLE CHILD.

It was in the cars. The ladies were sitting together, busily engaged in conversation. On the seat facing them sat a little 5 year old boy. He had been looking out of the window apparently absorbed in the moving panorama of the outside world. Suddenly he turned from the window; he began searching about the car, exclaiming in a high, piping voice:

'Mamma, what man is it that looks so funny?'

'Sh,' cautioned his mother, But the boy was not to be hushed.

'I don't see the man with the bald head and funny red nose.'

The 'sh' was repeated. By this time the car was in a titter, save and excepting one elderly gentleman with a very bald head and a very red nose. His eyes were rivited upon his paper with a fixedness that was quite frightful. Again the boy spoke:

'Oh! now I see him. Ho! What a bright nose! What makes it so red, mamma?'

'George,' shouted his mother in a stage whisper. But George was not to be stopped.

'Mamma,' he continued, 'what made you say he had a lighthouse on his face? I don't see any lighthouse.'

AN IOWA ROMANCE.

A brother and sister have met after a separation of twenty years, and the meeting has been brought about in Davenport by a little son of the sister in a most peculiar way.

One week ago yesterday the raft steamer Clyde went into Davenport on her way North, and Capt. Douglass tied up his boat for a while in order to permit some of the crew to go ashore and make some purchases.

Among others who went ashore was Aaron Carter, a raftsman. The weather was very cold, with a keen north-west wind. While going along the street Carter met a poorly clad little boy, who was running along crying bitterly. Carter asked him what was the matter, and the little lad sobbed out: 'I'm cold.' Come with me,' said Carter; and taking the boy to a clothing store, he bought him a suit of warm clothes and a pair of mittens. He then asked the boy his name.

'Aaron Dunlap, was the reply. Carter was thunderstruck. 'Aaron Dunlap," he cried. 'Where are your father and mother?'

'Father is dead,' the boy replied.

'Well, take me to your mother, then, as quickly as you can,' said Carter. The boy took him to his humble home, and when Carter entered the house the boy's mother rushed into his arms with a shriek that made all the other occupants of the tenement house to rush in to see what was the matter. Carter had found a sister whom he had not seen since the year 1862, when he went to the war with a Maine regiment.—Davenport Democrat.

BOYS AND THIMBLES.

No man can, like the writer, live 60 years without often wishing that he had learned to use a sewing-thimble well in his early boyhood, especially if he has gone about the world much. Buttons will come off, stitches will break, and how handy it is for boys at school, for men at a hotel, at a friend's house, indeed anywhere away from home—often at home—to be able to whip on a button, stop a starting rent, and to do many other little sewings without calling on a woman, or perhaps sending for a tailor, before being able to appear at a hotel table, One seldom, if ever, learns to use a thimble, if this part of his education has been neglected in small boyhood.

The writer has travelled a good deal, and at a rough guess he has broken threads at least five hundred times in attempting to work a needle through a button or garment without a thimble. Boys, take our advice, and every one of you learn to use a thimble *well* before you grow up. Do it this very winter: it is not femine to do so. Do it, and if you live long you will many times thank us for the advice.—American Agriculturist for December.

SUDDEN DEATH AN OLD CITIZEN OF COLLINGWOOD.

COLLINGWOOD, DEC. 22.—This morning the citizens of this town were greatly shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mr. Andrew Shehan, who, until lately, had been employed in the Northern freight sheds as check clerk. The facts of the case, as far as can be learned, are these:—Mr. John Hinds, while proceeding to the station, noticed a man lying face downwards in a small creek just at the entrance to the northern freight sheds on Simcoe Street. On examination it proved to be Mr. Shehan, an old citizen of this town. It is conjectured that the deceased man was on his way home from a friend's house across the track, and had reached thus far when, the night being very dark, he fell over the bridge and while falling struck his face, causing a deep cut over one of his eyes, and also breaking his wrist, which rendered him insensible and unable to help himself. The water being only six inches deep, the unfortunate man must have been suffocated. He leaves a wife and nine children, who have the sympathy of the people in their sad affliction. The coroner deemed it unnecessary to hold an inquest.

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Change of Time.

Commencing Thursday, December 8, 1881

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Carlton.........	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston.........	7.41 "	4.36 "
Emery.........	7.53 "	4.48 "
Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge.....	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg.......	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton...........	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road.......	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston.......	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton...........	9.25 "	6.22 "
Orangeville—		
Arrive..........	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart..........	9.45 "	6.50 "
Orangeville June	9.57 "	7.00 "
Laurel..........	10.07 "	7.10 "
Crombie's.......	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne.......	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk.........	11.06 "	[illegible] "
Proton.........	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&Priceville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale........	11.55 "	8.55 "
Berkly..........	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford....	12.21 "	9.21 "
Arnott..........	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth......	12.40 "	9.40 "
Rockford........	12.53 "	9.53 "
Owen Sound.....	1.15 "	10.15 "

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford............	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth.........	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott..............	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford.......	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly.............	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale..........	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton.............	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk...........	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne..........	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's..........	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel.............	8.26 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.03 p.m.
Orangeville.		
Arrive............	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart............	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton..............	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston.........	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road.........	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton............	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg.........	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge........	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit....	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery............	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston...........	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton..........	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n.	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday January 6th, 1882.

OUR PAPER.

Now that the holidays are over, we again settle down to business, and while we will endeavor to do our part, we would suggest that our subscribers can assist us very materially by sending in items of local interest.

In returning our thanks for the very liberal support accorded us, and especially for their promptness in paying their subscriptions, at least the majority of them, (we have a few delinquents, however,) we would ask for a continuance of the same. But there are other things necessary to make the paper interesting, and for these we have in a great measure to depend on our friends in the country. If any of your neighbors should be so fortunate as to have an increase in their families, or if any of the young folks should take unto themselves a life partner, inform us of the fact; or if the cold hand of death should invade your family circle, drop us a line. Anything of interest in agricultural matters, improvements in your neighborhood, and the thousand and one things daily occuring around you, and which go far towards making a good live local paper, we would receive with thanks. We know that some of our subscribers have done us good service in the past; but there are others who are given to criticising and fault-finding. Now, we would say to these that a suggestion given us as to where an improvement might be made, will do a great deal more towards remedying the wrong, if wrong there be, than ever so much fault finding. And finally, if you will co-operate with us the coming year, we can, and will make our paper so interesting that no family will be without it.

The season of the year is now upon us for the election of officers in the different Agricultural Societies, and as there are generally a number of dissatisfied persons, or we might say, grumblers, now is the time for them to put in an appearance at the annual meetings, in order to suggest some plan or mode of doing things that will be an improvement on the past. We fear, however, the majority of the dissatisfied, or grumbling class, will prefer leaving the work to the few. The Auditors' Report will be be placed before the meeting, also the election of officers and directors for the ensuing year will take place, together with such other business as may be brought up for discussion. It is also the proper time to make any suggestions which may be thought conducive to the welfare of the Society Every member has a vote, so every member should be present at the Annual Meeting.

Opposition or no, W. F. Doll has ordered another lot of Watches direct from the Manufacturers, and is prepared and determined to cut prices still lower. Save money. See him sure.

OUR TABLE.

PICTURESQUE CANADA.—We have received parts one and two of this very superior work, and can confidently recommend it to the public. The engravings are good and the letter press is unsurpassed by anything we have seen in Canada. Notwithstanding that some Parties are trying to run it down, we believe it will be readily and heartily supported by all, and it has only to be seen to be appreciated.

Our Little Ones for January is to hand, and it is, if anything an improvement on past numbers. Parents if you want to make your Children a nice present that is at the same time instructive as well as amusing, subscribe for the above little Magazine price $1.50 per annum, subscriptions received at this office.

Gaes almanac for 1882, has been received, and as usual is the 'boss' almanac of the Dominion. You can find no better way of investing 25cts than by buying one. To be had of all News Dealers.

HOPEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

A social entertainment was held in Scarlett's hall on Saturday evening, Dec. 31st.

Christmas has come and gone, but was not forgotten by the ladies of Hopeville, who formed themselves into a committee to fix up a Christmas Tree and have an entertainment, which was beyond the expectations of the people. Scarlett's hall was nearly filled with the villagers. On one side of the hall the tree was erected, well lighted with wax candles, and laden with presents for the children. The chair was occupied by Mr. Joseph McArdle. The programme consisted of sacred songs, (by a newly formed choir,) recitations and dialogues, interspersed with music from Mr. Joseph Whiteman. After the conclusion of the programme Santa Claus distributed the presents. Then came refreshments. A large four-story cake was then voted for—Miss Evans and Miss Bryce being the candidates. The result of the canvas was a tie, and each lady had the honor of cutting and distributing the cake; the amount realized was $19.10, which is to go towards purchasing a library for a Sunday School. Votes of thanks were unanimously passed to the ladies who had charge of the affair and the chairman. After the singing of the National Anthem by the choir the meeting dispersed, each well satisfied with the evening's entertainment.

NEW ENGLAND GRANGE.

From a Correspondent.

MR. EDITOR, so little is kown of us, by your numerous readers it will first be necessary to say where we are located—"New England Grange" is situated on the 7th concession of Euphrasia, about six miles from the raising town of Markdale.

The annual meeting for the election of officers was held on the 31st Dec. when the following were elected officers for 1882 G. Hutchinson, W. M.; S. Morwood, O.; J. Yelland, L.; C. Morwood, Steward.; G. Lawson, chap.; P. Harris, Sec.; S. Wyley, Treas.; S. Cooper, G. K.; T. Horner, Ass St.; Mrs. J. Morwood, Ceres.; Mrs. P. Harris, Pomona.; Mrs. W. Hutchinson, Flora.; D. R. Ellis, Delegate to division Grange.; executive committee, J. Horner and J. Yelland.; Auditors, J. Yelland and C. Morwood. Our grange is in a prosperous condition at preasant, about $900 have been paid for goods during the past year.

We are pleased to announce the arrival of of Mr. J. C. Buchanan, School Teacher late of Vandeleur School Artemesia, we trust that his labors among us will add largely to the intelectuality of our young folks. We regret the loss of a worthy citizen in the person of Mr. Richard Reynolds who is about taking his departure from among us, he will reside in the town of Collingwood, our best wishes go with him. We are much pleased with your paper, will try and make it still more interesting in this neighbourhood.

MUNICIPAL ELECTION.

GLENELG.

Reeve, F. MacRae. Deputy Reeve, T. Mullarky. Councillors — Neil, Dunsmore and Glencross.

ARTEMESIA.

Reeve, Dr. Christoe. Markdale Ward, A. Elliott. Flesherton Ward, T. Wright. Eugenia Ward, J. Pedlar. Priceville Ward, A. Webster.

HOLLAND-REEVE.

Wm. Howey; Deputy Reeve, John Cameron. Councillors—Jno. Deavitt, A. Shute, Wm. Norton.

DURHAM.

Mayer. D. Jackson, jr. Councillors—Anderson, Burnett, Robertson, Horn, Bull, Brown McKenzie. McIntyre. and Storey.

COLLINGWOOD.

Mayor, A. Dudgeon Councillors—W. J. Frame, A McDermid, J. M. Fyfe, R. Burdett, J. E. Evans, F. F. Telfer, J. A. Palmer. W. A. Hamilton, Geo. Buck.

MOUNT FOREST.

Mayor, J. Hampton; Reeve, W. Colclengh; Deputy Reeve, Capt. Winfield. Councillors—H. H. Stovel, J. Reynolds. J. King, J. A. Halstead, E. C. Wood, Jos. Kilgour, T. Ryan, J. Sheppard, N. McMillan, Dr. Yeomans, A. Lamont, R. Scott.

MEAFORD.

Mayor, Chas. Burns; Reeve, Alex. Thompson. Councillors—John Arthur, jr., Robert Agnew, Hector McDonald, Chas. Watt, E. Thompson, Little, D. McCann, Alex. Corley, C. Gibbons.

NORMANBY.

Reeve, J. Blythe; Second Deputy Reeve. Wm. Winkler. Councillors—Con, Fischer and Edward McMahon.

OSPREY.

Reeve, Andrew McGirr; Deputy Reeve, John Douglass. Councillors—Thomas Johnston, Joseph Taylor, John Hudson.

OWEN SOUND.

Mayor, Dr. C. R. Barnhart; Reeve, John Chisholm; First Deputy Reeve, A. B. Lang; Second Deputy Reeve, Robert Malcolm. Councillors—J. Person, M. Forbes, J. G. Miller, Thos. Grinsel, T. B. Dowsley, Thos. Kennedy, B. A. Creasor, J. Toby, R. McCleod.

ORANGEVILLE.

Mayor, Dr. Henry; Deputy Reeve, J. M. Stelton, Councillors—East Ward, J. Gilchrist, J. Foster; North Ward, R. Beatty, H. Reed; South Ward, J. Mole, W. H. Robinson.

SHELBURNE.

Reeve, Jelly. Councillors—Jeffrey, Carson, Wilson, Hannah.

PROTON

Peter McGregor, Reeve, John Agnew, Depty Reeve. Councillors—Robert Black. James Robinson, George Johnston.

MELANCTHON.

James Huxtable, Reeve, Chas. McDowell, Dept Reeve. Councillors—Bailey, Gowan, Hogg.

PROTON COUNCIL.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Members all present, the Reeve in the Chair.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Buckley, That the Clerk request the elector to erase arrears of taxes against Robert Irwin's lots, he having produced receipts showing pay of same, the Clerk to report to Council by whom the taxes were returned in default, to enable them to take steps for recovery of same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Buckley, That the Clerk erase taxes against John Hughes, Lot 15 con 5, returned by County Treasurer as an occupied lot, (as John Hughs paid the taxes for that year,) and notify Township Collector for 1878, to make good the amount or show cause not be accountable for same.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Buckley, That order to Jeremiah Maber, for $91.00 for erecting bridge across Saugeen river, and $9 for extra work on bridge over specifications. be issued—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, seconded by Mr. Abbott, That order be issued to J. Vert, Tp. Clerk, for balance of salary for 1881, $10; extra work on Roll, $5; Clerk of Peace, for Jurors List, 36 cts; and postage stamps $3·00,—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, seconded by Mr. Black, That Council receive their pay to date, orders to issue for same,—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, Seconded by Mr. McArdle, That the Reeve for special services in letting bridges in div. No. 3 receive $4.00,—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, Seconded by Mr. McArdle, That order issue to John Abbott, Dep. Reeve for special services outside Div. 4—carried.

Moved by Mr. Black, Seconded by Mr. Abbott, That Robt Brown be refunded $2.27, overcharge on arr. of taxes paid,—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle, Seconded by Mr. Black, That order issue to Peter McGregor for $9.44, his bill for lumber for culburts in Div. No. 5,—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McArdle Seconded by Mr. Middleton, That James Buckley be paid $12.00 for attending as committee with Reeves of Egremont and Luther on the several town lines, and attending at Bell's Corners for Council meeting as notified by clerk—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Buckley, that order issue for George White for $2, for breaking gravel on 12th con., div. 2—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Abbot, that order issue for James Cavanagh, Tp. Treasurer, salary for 1881, $75, travelling expenses, $3, postage and stationery, $2—carried.

Moved by Black and Abbott, that order issue for Mr. Stewart, ($20) for clearing jam in Saugeen river, and 25 cents for fixing culvert—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Black, that by-law appointing deputy-returning officers, poll booths, place of nomination, &c., for the year 1882, read first and second time, be read third time, signed, sealed and numbered 239—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Black, that order issue for Wm. McMurdo for $3. for 3 days statute labor done for lot 18, con. 15, for 1881—carried.

Moved by Middleton and Buckley, that $4 be paid to Joseph McArdle for special services in neighboring divisions and acting on committee of council twice, and that Robert Black be paid $3 for letting, superintending and passing bridges on townline and elsewhere—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Buckley, that the Reeve examine culvert at lots 9 and 8, near McDowell's mill, and if requiring repairs to have it done and issue order for same—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Buckley, that by investigating the arrears of taxes on Lot 237, con. 4, it appears the amount justly due is only $4.58, the Clerk be authorized and required to make the necessary alteration in Collector's roll—carried.

Moved by Black and McArdle, that lot 25, con. 17, be placed on Collector's roll at $200 to Henry Fowler, and lot 24, con. 17, now assessed to Henry Fowler, be placed on non-resident roll at $200, the Clerk to make the necessary alterations—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Buckley, that the Clerk be paid $5, the Reeve $4, Assessor $4, as services for selectors of jurors for 1882, orders to be issued for same—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Black, that the Clerk ascertain if W. J. Hicks is assessed for whole of property known as part lot 231, being Louisa block, in village of Dundalk, as it appears. Jas Farrell is assessed for one-half and W. J. Hicks for the whole, if so, to have Mr. Farrell's taxes erased from roll—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Buckley, that the Clerk write to the Co. Treasurer for amount of taxes against lots 16 and 17, McAuley's survey, Dundalk, and have same erased when taxes are paid—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Black, that $19.50 be granted to Division 1 for unforeseen expenditure in repairing certain spots on the roads near Dundalk, which prevented travel so as to necessitate repairs—carried.

Moved by Buckley and McArdle, that $25 be granted for boundary line between Proton and West Luther, to [illegible] parts of the road, providing West Luther supplement same, and $25 to be taken from the $75 granted to [illegible] East Luther—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Buckley, that the Reeve be appointed to note the proceedings of Council in absence of Clerk—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Buckley, that $25.98 and $2.60 interest (making $28.58) on roll against John Cooper, for arrear of taxes against lot 35, con. 8, be taken off Collector's roll he having paid amount, ($25.98) to Township Treasurer and holds receipt for same—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Black, that John McDowell be paid $9 for work on culvert broken down in Dundalk—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Black, that Reeve issue order for $7 to C. W. Rutledge, as per his bill Nov. 26th, 1881—carried.

Moved by McArdle and Abbott, that $4 be granted to break the stones on gravelled portion of 12th sideroad, in 5th concession—carried.

Moved by Abbott and Black, that the thanks of this Council are hereby tendered to Mr. J. J. Middleton, Reeve, for the able and impartial manner that he has conducted the business of the Council for the year 1881—carried.

JOHN VERT, Clerk.

Below we give the addresses read on the occasion of presenting an easy chair to the Rev. J. Ward, Incumbent of Christ Church, Markdale, and a gold watch to Miss Fanny Ford, the Organist of the same church. The watch is a very handsome one, and had engaved on the inside of the cover the fellowing:—"Presented to Miss Fanny Ford by the Congregation of Christ Church, Markdale, in appreciation of her services as Organist, Xmas, 1881."

REV. MR. WARD.

Dear Pastor:—On behalf of the members of your Church in this place, we avail ourselves of this favorable opportunity to acknowledge our appreciation of you untiring zeal and devotion in the interest of the church, and the spiritual welfare of the people. While we cannot, by any suitable testimony, reciprocate you for the great and good work that you are doing, still we are not willing to allow it to pass without in some way conveying to you our thanks, and also a slight token of our esteem for your services.

As it is the holiday season, when friends remember friends, when there is a re-union of hearts as well as hands in the promotion of harmony and fellowship, not only among members of churches, but amongst all people, we too, in keeping with the pleasant duty, desire to add our mede of tribute to deserving worth.

We beg to present you with this chair as a token of our affection and esteem for your kind offices.

May it prove to you a solace and comfort when the arduous duties of your "daily round" are done; may it from time to time remind you of the ties of love and good fellowship existing between yourselves and your people here.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, with all the enjoyments pertaining thereto, with many pleasant returns,

We are, yours very affectionately,
WM. DOUGLAS, JR.,

On behalf of congregation, Christ Church, Marklale.

Miss Hollingshead presented the Chair, and Mr. Ward replied in a feeling manner. We regret in not being able to give the reply.

TO MISS FORD.

The congregation of Christ Church, recognizing your unwearied and self-denying zeal in the church's welfare, more especially in maintaining the musical portion of the services, wish to show our appreciation of your services so honorably and regularly given during the three years past by presenting you with this watch, of which they beg your acceptance as a token not only of their appreciation of your services, but also as a momento of their regard for you personally.

Rev. Mr. Ward made the presentation, to which Miss Ford, although taken completely by surprise, replied in brief and appropriate terms, thanking the congregation for their generosity and liberality.

PRESENTATION to N. W. GOWAN.

On Friday evening, Dec. 23rd, a school entertainment was given at section No. 2, Township of Proton.

The principal object aimed at was to get together the parents and pupils of the school section, in order to pay a valedictory kindness to Mr. Gowan their teacher.

The School-House was neatly decorated with evergreens, and the walls adorned with handsome and appropriate mottoes, and although the roads were bad, the room was crowded to its utmost capacity. Mr. Furgeson, Inspector of Schoools, was appointed to the chair, and every call he made for the performance of a well arranged programme, was ably responded to by the several parties detailed for that purpose. Speeches, Readings, Recitations, and music followed each other in rapid succession, and each contribution was greeted by the audience with a hearty round of applause. Apropos of music I would say, that a Solo, entitled eva was nicely rendered by Miss Phillips of Dundalk. The evening wore on, and the concluding piece of the programme had been duly enacted when a pleasing episode took place.

The Trustees came forward and placed upon the table an elegantly bound copy of the Holy Bible, and a gold-headed cane, and requested Mr. James Dean, to read the following address:

N. W. Gowan, Teacher, School Section No. 2, Township of Proton.

DEAR FRIEND,—After an intercourse together extending over a period of four years, we are now about to separate. As the hour of separation approximates our hearts are drawn out to you and we review the past, as it relates to our mutual connection with each other.

Through the medium of memory the past is ever resent in our recollection. Incidents that have transpired in the remote past are again placed before us, the features, the addresses, and the personal characteristics of those we have met, are all made to repeat themselves, at the command of this faculty of our nature.

Dear Friend, while exercising this power of remembrance, we are carried back to the time when you, a mere lad in appearence, as well as years, applied for the incumbency of our School. An agreement was then made giving you the authority to guide and direct the education of our children.

It was your first School. You entered upon its duties with a feeling of earnest interest, and your authority was exercised in a spirit of kindness, winning the hearts of the pupils, while at the same time their advancement was thorough and satisfactory. We learned to respect you for your talent and were constrained to love you for the unaffected kindness which marked your daily entercourse with us in our homes. Thus as time went on, and month succeeded month, so did the chain of your friendship grow stronger, and link attach itself to link, until now, at the end of four years, this lengthened chain of mutual kindness has wound itself around our hearts, until the parents and children of every family in our Section acknowledge its empire and the charm of its influence.

We are well aware, dear friend, that a continuous engagement for so long a period as four years seldom proves to be an association of unbroken harmony between teacher, trustees, parents and scholars. The very nature of your juridsdiction over the children is calculated to bring you, at times, into conflict with their parents, but during the extended period of your authority in this School Section, your government has been so characterised by tact and kindness as to invite all the work in harmony with you as their Teacher.

Separation is the penalty of friendship. It stalks in upon us, *ever* and *anon*, and dims the brightness of the past. It checks the exhuberant joys of the present and reminds us how fleeting, how mutable are earthly calculations and enjoyments.

Deeply imbued with such sombre feelings, we approach you dear friend on the present occassion, with conflicting emotions. Our hearts brighten as we survey our past association, but a darkly folding cloud seems impending as we now assemble together to bid you Farewell.

Before taking leave of you it is our desire that you shall carry away with you something that will remind you of the disinterested and kind hearted feeling which obtains for you through out the entire section. We therefore present you with this copy of the Holy Bible and a Gold-Headed Cane, and request that you will recieve and regard them as the gift of School Section No. 2, Township of Proton. We would say in conclusion, that we are only paying you a just tribute of praise when we remark, that your successor cannot adopt a surer method to win our esteem and appreciation, than by emulating the example of his predecessor.

We remain, yours, ever faithfully,

CHRISTOPHER JOHNSON, } Trustees S.
SAMUEL STOKES, } S. No. 2,
JOHN SCOTT, } Proton.

Township of Proton,
Friday evening, Dec. 23rd 1881.

Mr. Gowan was not prepared for such an unexpected expression of kind feeling as this, and he was so deeply touched by recieving such a material testimony of regard, as to be unable to tell his friends as he would wish, how sensible he was of the home dwelling hospitality and kindness of which he had been the recipient, from one and all, during his protracted stay in School Section No. 2. The golden hearted hospitality of the evening was now concluded, and the warm grasp of friendship proclaimed that each must now take off their several way.

A PARTICIPANT.

A COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER.

A large number of the citizens of Priceville, assembled at the Commercial Hotel, on the evening of the 28th inst., to do honor to Mr. M. C. Black, on the eve of his departure from Priceville.

During the short time Mr. Black held the position of principal in the Public School he has succeeded in making for himself a large circle of friends.

The social was a very social and enjoyable affair. The table of our host groaned beneath the delecacies of the season. They tucked them on in abundance and tastefulness. After ample justice had been done to the bivalves. Dr. Ghent being called on to perside toasted "Our Queen and Country," Mr. Thos. Nicol responded in a very able manner. Mr. N. B. Grier was called to respond to "The Commerce of our Country," which he did in his usual happy way. Mr. Summerville sang an excellent song.

Mr. Bennett responded to "The Medical Profession." Mr. Jas. McMillan asked the company to drain their glasses to "Our Guest," which met with a hearty response, Mr. Black ably responded thanking his friends for their display of kindness.

Mr. Nelson then sang a song, when the Host and Hostess was drank with bumper glasses. The company then sang Auld Lang Syne, and God save the Queen, and departed satisfied that they spent a most enjoyable evening. Mr. Black is we believe, going to Mont Forest to entre upon his career as a Medical Student.

Yours & Co.,
N. B. G.

COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER.—Mr. J. J. Middleton being about to resign the [illegible] and remove to the North-west, was entertained to supper, on Friday evening last, by the members of the County Council and leading citizens of the Town, as a mark of esteem for the able part he has taken in County matters for some years past. A very recherche and excellent spread reflected great credit on the taste and ability of the new lessee of the Coulson House, Mr. Walter Holmes, and was done ample justice to by about 70 guests, the chair being occupied by Dr. Christoe, Warden, faced by R. Myles, Esq., as vice. After the usual loyal and patriotic toasts had been given, and responded to, the Chairman in a very eulogistic speech, gave the "Guest of the Evening," expressing great regret on losing the services in the Council of a gentleman who had always taken a prominent part in all matters calculated to advance the interests of the County. Mr. Middleton replied in a feeling speech, regretting the separation about to take place, but wherever he went would always feel the warmest interest in the welfare of the County, and paid a high tribute to the County officials for the ability and the thoroughness which characterized the performance of their County duties. The singing of Auld Lang Syne and God-speed to the parting guest, brought a very pleasant evening to a close.—*Advertiser.*

See the beautiful Engagement and Wedding Rings—very low, at W. F. Doll's.

We would call attention to T. E. Davis' advertisement, to be found in another column.

Mr. Doll has some excellent Spectacles for week or short-sighted eyes.

A. Allen, Esq., ex-Reeve of Amabel, gave us a call this week.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

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Brown's Household Panacea

has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.18	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.23
Barley " 2	.60	to	.80
Peas " 1	.69	to	.72
Oats " 1	.35	to	.36
Butter " 1	.18	to	.20
Eggs "	.18	to	.2[illegible]
Potatoes "	35	to	40
Pork "	6.75	to	7.10
Hay "	12.00	to	16.00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Dec. 6th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	to	1.20
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.35	"	0.36
Peas	0.70	"	0.72
Potatoes.	0.45	"	0.50
Butter, per lb.	0.18	"	0.20
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.20
Pork, dressed,	7.00	"	7.25
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	16.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.15
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	0.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.*)

FRIDAY, Dec. 16th. 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.50	"	7.10
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 24	to	$1 26
Wheat, spring, do.	1 28	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 60	to	0 89
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 78	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 85	to	0 86
Clover Seed do.	4 90	to	5 [illegible]
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	[illegible]
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls,	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	60	to	0 80
Geese, each	75	to	1 00
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, [illegible]	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
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Butter, store-packed	[illegible]	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 21	to	0 22
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Apples, per brl	1 25	to	2 00
Potatoes, per bag	0 85	to	0 95
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Hay	[illegible]	to	[illegible]

A BRAKEMAN TERRIBLY INJURED AT PARKDALE YESTERDAY MORNING.

About 1.30 yesterday morning Chas. Giles, a Toronto Grey, and Bruce brakeman, was running along the top of a train near Parkdale junction. He reached forward to fix a brake when the car on which he was standing gave a sudden lurch, and he fell between the two cars to the track. The rear car passed over his left ankle and crushed the boot to a jelly. The right leg and left arm were broken in several places, and it is very probable he will loose both. The ambulance waggon was sent for, and the unfortunate man was conveyed to the hospital in an unconscious condition. His left foot was amputated eight inches below the knee. Although a powerful fellow Giles was very weak from loss of blood when he reached the hospital.—*Globe.*

BIRTHS.

QUINN—In Holland, on the 24th ult., the wife of J. T. Quinn, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

GRAHAM—CLARK—At the residence of Mr. Wm. Clark, on the 20th Dec., by the Rev. A. McFaul, John B. Graham of Dundalk, to Martha, eldest daughter of Mr. John Clark, Powasson, Parry Sound District.

BLACK—WHITE—At the residence of Mr. J. Kerr, Brother-in-law to the bride, by Rev. D. McLeod, on Friday, Dec. 30th, 1881, Mr. Samuel Black of Glenelg, to Miss Rebecca Margaret, daughter of the late David White, of Artemesia.

DIED.

ELLIOTT—At Chatsworth, on the 22nd inst., George Widdis, only son of James W. Elliott, aged 1 year and 2 months.

DIXON—In Artemesia, on the 29th ult., John Dixon, aged 25 years.

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Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. 66-4

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J. L. BROWNE, Photo Artist.

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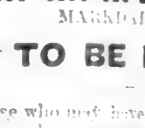

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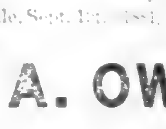

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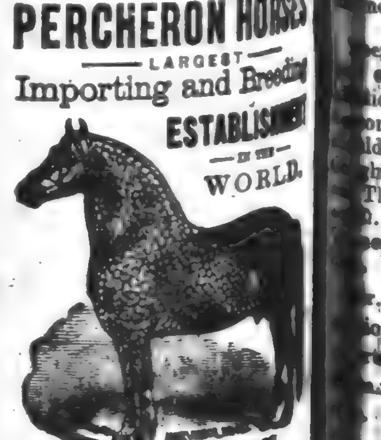

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The Presbyterian Sabbath School Anniversary took place as announced in Dufferin Hall on Monday evening the 22nd inst. The hall was crowded an all appeared brim full of fun and determined to have an enjoyable time. After tea was served; which was excellent and in abundance, the superintendant Wm. Brown, Esq., took the chair and called the audience to order, when Master Herbert Brown delivered the opening address in a clear voice and a masterly manner, followed by singing by the school, which showed good training. A lengthy programme was gone through and well rendered. We decline giving the names of those who took part, all of which acquitted themselves with credit, as our space would not permit of a detailed report giving justice to each; however the entertainment was the best the school has ever given and is in a flourishing condition, all appeared well satisfied with the evenings enjoyment. Proceeds $49. The committee deserves credit for their valuable services in the management.

Owing to the recent severe storms on the Atlantic, seven cases of goods, Direct Importations, for W. J. McFarland arrived two weeks late, and in order to secure a speedy sale, he offers them much under regular prices.—Mark the following:—24 Ladies' heavy Black Cloth Mantles, £3.00, well worth $4.50. 24 Ladies' Black Beaver Mantles, $3.50, cheap at $5.50. 18 Ladies' Diagonal satin trimmed Mantles, $5.00 cheap at $6.00. 30 Ladies' very fine, richly trimmed Mantles, $5.00, wholesale price $7.25. 50 Childrens' colored Jackets with Hood, satin lined, from 50c up. 27 Ottoman Shawls, reversible, $3.00, wholesale price $4.25. 20 Stripped Ottomans, $1.90, worth $3.00. 28 Wove Plaid Shawls, 90c and $4,50—very cheap. 400 yards Black Silk—cheap. 200 yards Black Velveteens—cheap. 20 dozen Black Silk Fringe—cheap. 5 dozen Silk Cord and Tassels—cheap. Ask Salesmen to show you goods advertised,

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

A smart boy wanted to learn the Blacksmith bussiness, at F. F. Teeples Dundalk.

Grand Masqurade on Tuesday evening next, in Dundalk rink, a boss time expected.

If you want to buy a good farm, call on A. G. Hunter, Real Estate Agent, Dundalk.

The great sale of Village lots, the property of R. J. Doyle, is to take place on the 19th inst.

Remember the Dundalk monthly Fair, on Tuesday, the 10th inst. A large attendance is expected.

We had a large market on Tuesday. We noticed several farmers from a distance, and were glad to see them.

Charles McConnell sold seven Village lots, this week, in his new survey. Dundalk is extending its boundaries,

G. R. Middleton, will have an Auction Sale of the balance of his goods on Saturday, to-morrow, now for bargains.

The T., G. & B. Railway trains are making splendid time these days. There is no time allowed to run across to get a—cigar.

If you want to get money on the very best terms, and the very lowest rate of interest, call on A. G. Hunter, Loan Agent, Dundalk.

There were seven thousand bushels of grain purchased on the Dundalk market in one day last week. A good time among the farmers.

It is confidently believed in Dundalk, that the Marquis of Lorne will be appointed Viceroy, and the Earl of Dalhousie is reported as likely to succeed His Excellency as Governor General of Canada.

The annual meeting of the Proton Agricultural Society will be held in the Orange Hall, Dundalk, on Thursday, the 12th inst., for the purpose of receiving the Auditors' Report, election of officers, and other business.

THAT PUZZLE.—An Advertisement appeared in the HERALD last week in a manner which puzzled most readers to make sense out of it, but it is just as plain and easily understood this week as the machines themselves. It is no puzzle to understand why the New York Singer has such a world wide reputation. They are so complete in all their parts, and any person can run them. James Hanna is the authorized agent at Dundalk.

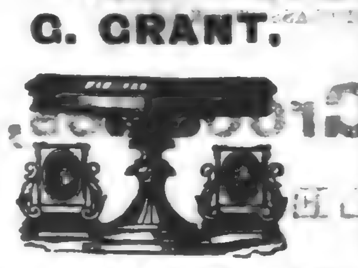
The opening of the Skating Rink, under the management of Mr. Steinhoff, was a success. Although there were a number of social gatherings in different places there was a good turn out at the rink, and all fully enjoyed themselves. Now that the ice is in good order we have no doubt but many will enjoy the harmless fun, as it perhaps is the best muscular exercises that it is possible to enjoy at this season of the year.

On New Year's Eve, about eight o'clock, the alarm of fire was sounded, when it was discovered that the chimney in connection with the oat meal dry kiln at Mr. Clochley's mills, was on fire. It was feared that the fire might break through the brick work into the mill, but by the assistance of about one hundred of the villagers the fire was subdued and kept under control, and finally extinguished.

On Monday the bazaar of the Ladies' Aid Society, in connection with the Methodist Church, was a grand success. In the evening the oyster supper in the Orange Hall was one of the best public suppers that we have had in Dundalk. Oysters, both cold and hot, tea, coffee, pies, cakes and pleasant waiters contributed to make it one of the social evenings. We heard that some of the ladies had two plates of oysters. All together it was a good time.

SOIREE.—The new Presbyterian ... on the 10th con. of Proton was the scene of a very pleasant gathering on Wednesday, Dec. 28th, 1881. For the past summer preaching was held in the school house, section No. 7, and there the pleasant tea party was held. The ladies in the neighborhood supplied the tea which was in abundance. After tea Mr. Snyder, the student in charge, took the chair, and opened the meeting with a short address, then introduced in their turn, who addressed the meeting, Rev. Mr. Holstein; Joseph McArdle of Hopeville; Peter McGregor, of Dundalk; and Robt. Ferris, of Proton. The proceeds of the evening were $33.00. A large quantity of eatables being left a social was held on Friday night, the 30th ult, the chair being occupied by Mr. Robt. Kinnell. After tea, addresses were delivered by Mr. Snyder and others. Amount of proceeds $7.40, making a total of $51. The managing committee have a good subscription, and intend to commence to build in the spring. This will make another place of worship in our township.

G. GRANT,



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Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

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promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881.

Cathartic Pills

Combine the choicest cathartic principles in medicine, in proportions accurately adjusted to secure activity, certainty, and uniformity of effect. They are the result of years of careful study and practical experiment, and are the most effectual remedy yet discovered for diseases caused by derangement of the stomach, liver, and bowels, which require prompt and effectual treatment. AYER'S PILLS are specially applicable to this class of diseases. They act directly on the digestive and assimilative processes, and restore regular healthy action. Their extensive use by physicians in their practice, and by all civilized nations, is one of the many proofs of their value as a safe, sure, and perfectly reliable purgative medicine. Being compounded of the concentrated virtues of purely vegetable substances, they are positively free from calomel or any injurious properties, and can be administered to children with perfect safety.

AYER'S PILLS are an effectual cure for Constipation or Costiveness, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Foul Stomach and Breath, Dizziness, Headache, Loss of Memory, Numbness, Biliousness, Jaundice, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Dropsy, Tumors, Worms, Neuralgia, Colic, Gripes, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Gout, Piles, Disorders of the Liver, and all other diseases resulting from a disordered state of the digestive apparatus.

As a Dinner Pill they have no equal.

While gentle in their action, these PILLS are the most thorough and searching cathartic that can be employed, and never give pain unless the bowels are inflamed, and then their influence is healing. They stimulate the appetite and digestive organs; they operate to purify and enrich the blood, and impart renewed health and vigor to the whole system.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,

Practical and Analytical Chemists,
Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

To the Public!

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am the authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA,
Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 28th, 1881.

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS,

Beg to announce that they have commenced work in Markdale as Machinists, Iron and Brass Founders, &c., and from their knowledge of the requirements of the trade in Markdale and surrounding country, hope, by moderate prices, strict attention to business, and promptitude in the execution of orders by the most skillful workmen, to merit a share of public patronage.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballustar Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881. 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

[illegible] IN PRICES

I can compete with the best, below in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881.

1881. - CHRISTMAS. - 1881.

THE "GLASGOW HOUSE,"

DUNDALK.

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six months since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new ... of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

MILLINERY,

HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,

Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c. worth 14c. BLACK CASHMERES for 35c, worth 45c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Tablings from 25c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. Call and inspect goods before purchasing.

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

"Glasgow House Noted."

Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. 1-ly

SEE, SEE,

Bargains. Bargains.

LOOK here, John, my dear, we'll deal at TAYLOR'S from this out. I was there yesterday and you can get better value for your money there than at any other house in Dundalk. I tell you it is a square place to deal.

TEA, SUGARS, —AND— GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.	HATS & CAPS, Women's coats, DRESS GOODS, &c., &c	R. M. CLOTHING and Ordered, BEAUTIFUL TWEEDS AND WORSTEDS.	BOOTS —AND— SHOES! OF ALL KINDS.

At Rock Bottom Prices.

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE

R. F. TAYLOR.

Dundalk, September 2nd 1881. 1-6m.

Robt. S Rae.

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

FRUIT. FRUIT. FRUIT.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

FRUIT.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 30-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

42 Cedar St. New York.

Post Office Store,

FLESHERTON,

IS THE PLACE TO GET FIRST-CLASS GOODS AT LOW PRICES.

General Dry Goods!

AN IMMENSE STOCK.

Furs and Millinery!

JUST THE THING.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

IN ABUNDANCE.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

HATS AND CAPS FOR EVERYBODY.

GROCERIES!

Fresh and at the very lowest prices. Cash and Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods.

No Trouble to show Goods. Come and Examine for Yourselves.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, November 4th, 1881. 14

ChristmaS!

IS CLOSE AT HAND, AND ALL THE NECESSARIES FOR THE GOOD CHEER USUALLY INDULGED IN AT THAT SEASON WILL BE REQUIRED SUCH AS

Raisins, Currants, Spices,

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES, &c.;

and no better place in Markdale can be found to obtain those articles and at bottom prices, than at

BUTTER & RAE'S.

—IN THE—

DRY GOODS LINE!

WE ARE SECOND TO NONE.

You will need a New Suit for the Holidays, and our all-wool Tweeds—Scotch English and Canadian, cannot be surpassed in this section of country, and we sell as low, as any other firm in Markdale. In all branches of the above line of goods you will find we are not behind the times, and we guarantee all our goods to be just as we represent them. Give us a call, and we feel assured we can supply you with all you need, and at satisfactory prices.

BUTTER & RAE.

We also carry a large stock of CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS and LAMP FIXTURES, BOOTS and SHOES, HATS, CAPS, and in fact everything usually kept in a general store.—BUTTER & RAE.

The WEEKLY MAIL

THE GREAT CANADIAN WEEKLY FROM NOW TO THE END OF 1882 FOR ONE DOLLAR

PRESENTATION PLATE.

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ANATOMY OF THE HORSE

with a Fine Engraving, displaying at a glance the exact locality of prominent diseases which afflict the horse. The reading matter will describe 28 of the most common cases.

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Legal Questions and Answers.—Questions involving points of law, and of interest to the agricultural community, will be replied to and explained by a duly qualified practitioner, and the replies published from time to time in THE WEEKLY MAIL.

The Agricultural Department of THE WEEKLY MAIL will be in charge of a thoroughly practical editor, who by special attention to it, proposes to make that department alone worth more than the whole subscription price of the paper. He will be aided by the following authorities:—

L. B. ARNOLD, Esq., President of the American Dairymen's Association, will contribute a series of articles on CHEESEMAKING and DAIRYING generally, and will reply to questions from subscribers upon these subjects.

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THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel ... [illegible] to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostler.

A WHOLE FOREST OF STONE TREES.

From twenty to thirty-five miles from Denver, between Cherry Creek and Running Creek, the New Orleans and Denver forces struck an unusual obstruction, it being nothing less than a buried forest. The trees are all petrified and agatized, are of all sizes, and lie buried at various depths, from ten to twenty feet, which is as deep as any excavation was made by the workmen. They came upon these relicks of a bygone age in at least half a dozen localities, and have met with not a little difficulty on their account. The trees are very perfect, and could be taken out nearly whole if suitable machinery were employed.

BURNS AND SCALDS—IMPORTANT REMEDY.

Four years since (Sept. '77) the "American Agriculturist" recommended the use of Bicarbonate of Soda, that is the common cooking soda, for most kinds of burns. Since then frequent experiments and observations, the opinions of physicians, and the best medical journals, have more than confirmed all what we then said. As burns and scalds are always liable to occur, and as the remedy, though simple, has proved extraordinarily useful it should be fixed in the minds of every one. The soda, and the carbonic acid so readily set at liberty from it, have anæsthetic, antiseptic and disinfecting properties— all highly beneficial for burns.

For slight burns cover all the injured parts with a layer of powdered soda. For deeper burns, but where the skin is not broken, dip linen rags in a solution made by dissolving one-third of an ounce of the soda in a pint of water; lay the rags on and keep them moist with the solution. For very sever burns, followed by suppuration (formation of pus), apply the rags in the same way, keeping them moist; but frequently exchange them when dry for fresh ones, and carefully wash off, with the soda solution, any matter that has accumulated underneath, so that it may not be absorbed into and poison the blood. Leading European medical journals give numerous instances in which, by the above treatment, extensive burns of very severe character have healed speedily, leaving little scar.

WARMTH FROM NEWSPAPERS.

Many years ago, in one of the severe winters when there was much hardship among the poor, a city paper suggested that old newspapers spread over the bed, would form an excellent substitute for blankets and coverlets. This brought upon the journal a great deal of harmless ridicule from other papers, but it brought comfort to many a poor family. In the matter of bed clothing, especially, we are apt to associate warmth with weight, and do not consider that there is no warmth in the coverings themselves, but that they merely prevent the heat of the body from passing off. Whatever is a poor conductor of heat will make a good covering. Paper itself is a poor conductor, but still poorer are the thin layers of air that are confined when two or three newspapers are laid upon one another. A few newspapers laid over the bed will keep one much warmer than some of the heavy coarsely woven blankets. We not propose newspapers as a substitute for blankets and comforters, but it is one of those [illegible] that it is well to know. In travelling one may, by the aid of a few newspapers, secure a comfortable [illegible] in a thinly clad bed, and if we cannot afford to give a destitute family a blanket or a comforter, we may show them how to increase the usefulness of their thin coverings by stitching a few layers of newspapers between them. [illegible] to remind those who grow window plants, that by removing them away from the window, and arranging a cover of newspapers over them, they may be preserved from harm on severely cold nights. With the plants as with our selves, it is not so much that cold [illegible] the heat goes off. [illegible] will prevent the escape of heat.—*American Agriculturist for December.*

"DON'T GIVE UP THE SHIP"

Were the memorable words of Commodore Perry. We repeat, "Don't Give up the ship," poor, despairing invalid, but try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures others why not you? It renovates, regulates and tones all the organs of secretion, and restores lost Vitality.

A CURIOUS MANIA.

A Paris correspondent in a recent letter writes of the mania of a senile [illegible], who is afflicted with kleptomania, wandering round the omnibus stations, hanging about the lobbies of the theatres, and stealing the pocket handkerchiefs of the ladies. He was arrested, caught in the act, and taken before the Commissary of Police, who ordered the usual search to be made in the apartment occupied by the prisoner. Hundreds and hundreds of handkerchiefs of all kinds were found, from the fine cambric embroidered handkerchief of the lady of title, to the plain hemmed square of linen neatly marked by the shop girl. The kleptomaniac had worked his own initials in the corner of each handkerchief. He was handed over to his friends, and the ladies who care to claim their handkerchiefs can have them on application at the prefecture.

Madame Alice Regnault has not yet married the duke of her choice, but as a preliminary she appears to have borrowed the trifle of £8,000 to add to her dowry. The money was offered her by a M. Doyen, a monetary agent, who had been deputed to borrow it in her name, but when this person took her the sum in question, he found he had been forestalled, and that the lady had obtained it without his intervention. She declined to allow him the commission to which he considered he was entitled, consequently the facts of the case have been gone into by a court of law, and the actress has been condemned to pay £12 as indemnity to M. Doyer.

HOW TO CURE A COLD

Upon the first feeling of chill or shivering remain in doors if possible, bathe the feet in hot water, gradually increasing the heat as long as it can be comfortably borne, drink freely of warm ginger tea or sage tea, to induce perspiration, and take Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam according to directions on the bottle. Hagyard's Balsam cures coughs, asthma, and bronchitis.

[illegible]—If you will stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style, buy good healthy food, cheaper and better clothing, get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of employing expensive, quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, and put your trust in that simple, pure remedy, Hop Bitters that cures always at a trifling cost, you will see good times and have good health.—*Chronical.*

A member of the Vermont Legislature has been fined, under a statute which his vote helped to make, for keeping an unlicensed dog. He is now convinced that the law is unconstitutional, and will test it in the courts.

After a wedding party had assembled in a church at Bloomington, Ill., the father of the girl offered her $500 if she would back out. She took the money, remained at home, and sent word to the minister to dismiss the assembly.

HAD SUFFERED MANY PHYSICIANS.

And grew no better but rather worse. Mr. D. H. Howard, of Geneva, N. Y., after dismissing his physicians, tried nearly half a gross of the various blood and liver remedies advertised, with no benefit; when one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him of paralysis and General Debility. At the advanced age of 60, he says he feels young again, and is overjoyed at his wonderful recovery.

A woman caused a commotion at Wadena, Minn., by wildly chasing a big dog and crying:—"Stop him! he has swallowed a twenty dollar bill." An obliging butcher promptly caught the beast, killed him, and recovered the money.

Benjamin Philbert has just died in St. Louis. He was worth $300,000 His other notable distinctions were that he had not been out of the city in sixty three years, and had never ridden in a steam boat or steam railroad car.

LAME BACK.

Lumbago, Kidney complaint, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, and all pain and inflammation are speedily cured with Hagyards Yellow Oil. Croup, sore throat, colds, burns, scalds, bruises, frost bites, chilblains and all wounds of the flesh are quickly healed by Yellow Oil.

Stammerers are commonly worse off among strangers than when talking with friends, the difficulty being in part a nervous affection; but there is a peculiar case of an Ohio boy who can speak glibly at home, while he cannot utter a word anywhere else.

A writer in *Cornhill* traces Carlyle's characteristics back to original Puritanism, which was the basis of his mind, and says. "To the genuine Puritan a creed is nothing which does not immediately embody itself in a war-cry."

RHEUMATIC REMEDY.

There is no better cure for Rheumatism than Hagyard's Yellow Oil used according to directions on the bottle. It also cures Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, Bruises, lameness, and all wounds of the flesh. All dealers sell it, price 25 cents.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING FOR 1881 will be held in the School House, Markdale, on Wednesday, 28th inst., commencing at 10 o'clock a.m. Ratepayers and others interested, of U. S. S. No. 1, Artemesia and Glenelg, are particularly requested to be present, as the Trustees are most anxious that all parties having grievances should be full heard, and that the affairs of the school, financial and otherwise, should receive that careful and intelligent criticism which the interest it involves demands.

WM. BROWN, Sec. Treas.

Markdale, Dec. 20, 1881. 67-1ins.

Respectfully yours,

JOHNSON, CLARK & CO.

July 7th, 1881. 43-6m

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies:

CITIZENS', of Montreal,

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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36 ly

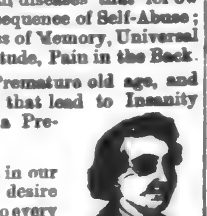
AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address M. L. BYRN, 6 Nassau street, New York. 20-yr

NIL DESPERANDUM.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

Before Taking.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.



After Taking.

☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,

Toronto, Ont., Canada

1-ly

NATIONAL PILLS

SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE

Highly recommended for Billiousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 3 pills is a dose.

PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

ESTRAY.

CAME INTO THE PREMISES OF THE subscriber, Lot 50, Con. 2, East T. & S. Road, Holland, about the last of September, One White Sheep. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take it away.

RICHARD A. SCOTT.
Williamsford P.O.

67-3ins.

If you are a man of business, weakened by the strain of your duties avoid stimulants and use Hop Bitters.

If you are a man of letters toiling over midnight work, to restore brain nerve and waste, use Hop B.

If you are young and discretion or dissipation, married or single, old or poor health or languishing, rely on Hop Bitters.

If you are suffering from any indiscretion; if you are married, young, suffering from [illegible] on a bed of sickness, rely on Hop Bitters.

Whoever you are, whenever you feel that your system needs cleansing, toning or stimulating without intoxicating, take Hop Bitters.

Thousands die annually from some form of Kidney disease that might have been prevented by a timely use of Hop Bitters.

Have you dyspepsia, kidney or urinary complaint, disease of the stomach, bowels, blood, liver or nerves? You will be cured if you use Hop Bitters.

D. I. C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco, or narcotics.

If you are simply weak and low spirited, try it! It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

Sold by druggists. Send for Circular.

HOP BITTERS MFG CO., Rochester, N. Y. & Toronto, Ont.

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with anything they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

Call and Inspect our Work! on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

HORSESHOEING

and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

JOHN NOBLE, General Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 1881 -4

FLESHERTON

Harness Shop.

GORDON

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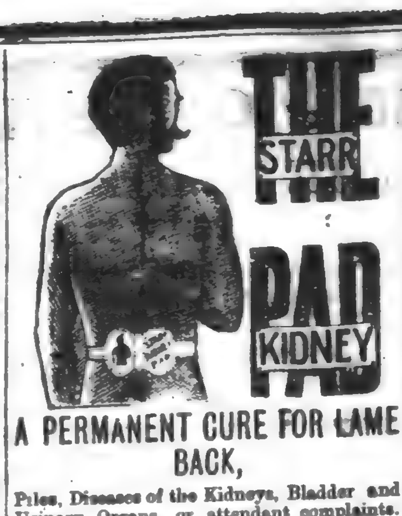

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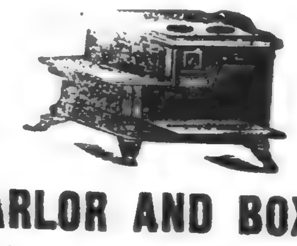

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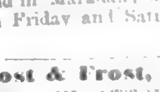

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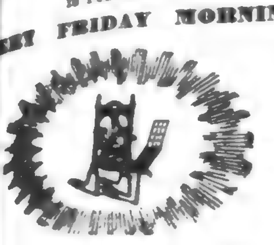

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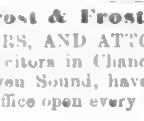

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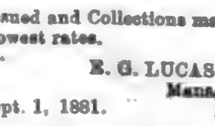

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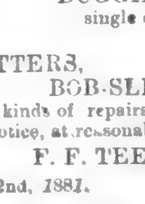

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A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER XIII. *Continued.*

'They took her to India, and for fifteen years after I lost sight of the little one. But it was not out of sight of mind—I never quite lost her. My life is a wandering one, a hard one often, but on the whole not an unpleasant one. I made money and spent money—I pitched my tent in every Continental city, and at last, one day in Paris, I picked up an English paper and read there how Sir Everard Dangerfield, of Scarswood, sixth baronet of the name, was dead and how Sir John Dangerfield, late of Her Majesty's Honourable East India Company's service, had succeeded to the title and estates. Sir John and his only child, Miss Katherine Dangerfield, were expected in England by the first steamer.

'Here was news! Here was a lift in the world for *la petite*. I made inquiries about this Scarswood Park; I found out it had a rent roll of eight thousand a year, strickly entailed to the nearest of kin, whether male or female; I found out Sir John had a nephew in the place, who, lacking heirs on Sir John's part, was heir-at-law; I found out that the prevailing belief was that the young lady coming from India, was really Sir John's daughter; I found out that the death of the child in the French railway accident, fifteen years before, was a dead secret. Mrs. Dangerfield had died very soon after she arrived in India, and Sir John alone was the possessor of the dead secret, excepting always that he had not told missy herself.

'I read the English papers after that—your English papers that chronicle everything your great men and your little men do. I read how Sir John and Miss Dangerfield had arrived, how bells had rung, and bonfires blazed, and tenantry cheered, and old friends trooped to welcome them. They liked Sir Everard, but Sir Everard was gone, and it was of course, "The King is dead—live the king."

'Sir John had taken possession, and I set the detective police to work to find out what I wanted to know. I found it out; neither missy herself nor any living being dreamed she was other than the baronet's daughter.

'My time had come—my fortune was made; I wrote my baronet a letter; I told him I was coming; I bade him call me Mrs. Vavasor. It's a pretty name, an aristocratic name, and I have retained it ever since. And as soon as ever I could raise the money, for it was one of my improverished seasons. I took the train and started.

'That was last September. Miss Dangerfield had just met Mr. Dantree, only three months ago: but what would you? We live in a rapid age, a breathless age of steam and electric telegraphs, and love no longer flies on old fashioned wings, but speeds along by lightning express. Miss Dangerfield was just seventeen—a feverish and impressionable age—of a susceptable and romantic turn of mind superinduced by a surfeit of poetry and novels, and she meets a young man, well dressed, well mannered, and handsomer than anything out of a frame. He's only Gaston Dantree, a good singer, and a penny a liner, but in her rosecolored imagination he is set up as a demigod, and she falls down and worships him. It's the way of her sex, and he takes all the worship as his right and due—the way of his sex—and keeps a bright look out for the eight thoucand a year.

'Well—I come. I find missy grown up tall, slim, spirited, proud, and not pretty. I find her like her mother, her mother whose memory I hate tonight, as I hated herself twenty years ago—I find her like her mother, resolute, passionate, self willed, and utterly spoiled. She has no thought that she is no other than she seems. She is in love, and determined to be married. Best of all, the man she loves is penniless, not the least in the world in love with her, only bent heart and soul on her fortune. Here is a glorious chance for me!

'Miss Dangerfield from the uplifted heights whereon petted heiresses dwell, does not deign to tolerate me. From the first she abhores me, and she is a hater. She does not remember me, of course; she doesn't know what good reason she has to be my enemy, but she hates me with an honest, open, hearty harted that is absolutely refreshing. She snubs me upon every occasion—she implores her father to give me money if I want it and turn me out of doors. If I didn't owe her mother that old grudge I should be force to owe her one on her own account.

'And Sir John does turn me out. Poor old soldier—it's a little hard on him. He wants to do right—deception and secrecy are foreign to his nature but how can he? He idolizes this girl; it will half kill her he knows to hear the truth; it will part her from her lover, break her heart, and make her hate him—unjustly, no doubt; but when was ever a woman just? And he clings to his secret with desperate tenacity, and pays me ten thousand pounds to keep it inviolate, and bids me go and return no more.

'I take the money—whoever refuses money?—and I go, but to return. I go to Paris; I enjoy myself and I wait And in England the lovers bill and coo, and the sword that hangs over their heads, upheld by a single thread they don't see.

'One week before the wedding day, I come quietly and unostentaiously to Castleford. I go to Peter Dangerfield in his lodgings; poor Mr. Peter, who doesn't dream he is wronged. I find him alone, gloomy and solitary, this Christmas Eve, while over at Scarswood waxlights burn, and yule-fires blaze, and Mr. Dantree kisses his bride-elect under the mistletoe, and and music and merriment reign. I find him alone, and very gloomy; he is thinking how this cruel Katherine jilted him and called him a rickety dwarf—how a dreary life of legal labour lies before him, and Scarswood will go to Gaston Dantree and his children. He thinking all this over his bachelor glass of grog, when I appear before him like the fairy godmother I am, and with one wave of my wand, lo! all things change. The haughty heiress falls from her pedestal and he becomes the heir! Scarswood will be his and his alone when Sir John dies. Pearls and diamonds drop from my lips, and he promises in a burst of generosity that the ten thousand pounds reward I ask shall gladly be mine.

'And the wedding night arrives, and we come out of the seclusion in which we have choosen to hide into the light of day. He goes for the bridegroom, he brings him to me through night, and storm and darkness, and I tell the truth. I tell him Katherine Dangerfield (so-called) is no more your daughter, no more your heiress, than I am; I tell him he has been grosslydecieved from first to last. He does not believe me—poor young man, it is not a pleasant thing to believe. Then I bring him here again through night, and storm and darkness, braving all things for the noble sake of truth, and I repeat before your face what I said behind your back. Sir John, and dare you deny it. I repeat that the girl who calls you father is no more your daughter or heiress than—'

She stopped short and rose up Among the shadows at the lower end of the room a darker shadow flickered.

A door had softly opened, a curtain had hidden the unseen listener till now.

A white hand pushed back the drapery—a white face emerged into the light.

It was the bride herself, in her shining robe, and orange wreath, and silvery veil, standing there and hearing every word.

CHAPTER XIV.

DAY OF WRATH! DAY OF GRIEF!

There was dead silence. All eyes fell upon her at once; all rose as she came gliding forward. Passionate, impetuous, impulsive, what would she say—what would she do?

In that dead silence she comes floating forward, a shining bridal vision—whiter than the robe she wore—white cold, calm. In all her life this girl never restrained one single emotion—now in the supreme hour of her life her pale face was as emotionless as thought carved in stone.

She came straight up to Sir John and looked him full in the face with her large solemn eyes.

'I have been there since you come in'—she pointed to the curtain recess and her voice had neither falter nor tremor. 'And I have heard every word Is it all true?'

He turned away from her and coverd his face with his hands with a sort of dry sobbing sound heard to hear.

'Is it all true?' she repeated slowly painfully. 'I want to know the worst.'

'Then Heaven pelp me! Yes Katherine, it is all true—all—all!'

And I am not your daughter?'

'You are not! Oh, my darling, forgive me. If I had loved you less, I might have had courage to tell you the truth.'

Her face had never changed from its stony calm—her dark, dilated eyes never left his.

'And this is the secret this woman has held over you so long; the secret I begged you to tell, and you would not—that I am not your child?'

'It is! Once more forgive me, Katherine!'

She lifted his worn, thin hand in both her own and kissed it.

'There can be no such word between you and me, papa. I only relize now how much I owe to you—how infinitely good you have been to me. You have been better than any father ever was to a child before, and I, how have I repaid you? But I wish I had known—I wish I had known. Mr. Dantree'—she turned to him for the first time; for the first time the brave voice faltered: 'what have you to say to all this!'

'That I have been grossly decieved, Mr. Dantree answered, lifting his gloomy eyes with sullen anger; grossly decieved from first to last.'

'But not by me. Do me at least that poor justice. And now'—she slowly drew nearer to him—'how is it to be? You swore you loved me, and me alone. Now is the time to prove your truth.'

He stood sulkily silent, shifting away, however, from the gaze of those solemn, searching eyes.

The spectators looked on; Mrs. Vavasor with a face of triumphant, malicious delight, Peter Dangerfield full of vengeful exultation, and the old baronet with eyes beginning to flash ominously. The silver shining figure of the bride stood on the hearth rug, the dull, red glow of the cinders lighting her luridly up, waiting for her false lover's answer.

It did not come; after that one fleeting glance, he stood staring doggedly into the fire.

'I am answered,' Katherine said; 'and all the warnings I received were right. I might have known it; I was a fool, and I am only reaping a fool's reward. It was the heires of Scarswood you wanted; the eight thousand a year you loved; not plain Katherine Dangerfield. Take your ring, Mr. Dantree, and thank Heaven, as I do, that the truth has come to light an hour before our marriage, instead of an hour after. Take your ring, and go!'

She drew it off and held it out to him.

He started up as if to obey.

'Curse the ring,' he exclaimed ferociously; 'throw it into the fire if you like. I don't want anything to remind me of this night's work. I say again,' raising his voice, 'I have been shamefully tricked and deceived. I'm a great deal more thankful than you can possibly be that the truth has come out in time. And now, as I suppose everything has been said that it is necessary to say, I may take my departure at once, and for all.

He siezed his hat and strode toward the door. But the tall, soldierly figure of the baronet interposed.

'Stop, sir,' he thundered, in that ringing voice which had often cheered his men on to fiercest battle; 'all has not been said that it is necessary to say. Do you mean that this revelation shall prevent the marriage? that in a word you refuse to marry my adopted daughter, because she is not heiress of Scarswood.'

Gaston Dantree met the old man's fiery flashing glance with sullen defiance.

'Precisely, Sir John; I refuse to marry your adopted daughter either to-night or at any future time. It was the heiress of Scarswood I wanted, *not* the plain young lady who, if she will pardon my saying it, made such very hard running upon me that—'

He never finished the sentence. With the cry and spring of a tiger, the Indian officer was upon him—all the stength of his youth back in his rage.

'Coward! liar! villain!' he thundered, grasping him by the throat.—'Cur! that it were slander to call man. Lie there.'

He grasped him by the throat, lifting the short, light form as though it were a child of three years, flung open the door, dragged him out on the landing, and with all the fury and might of madness, hurled him crashing down the oaken stairs.

Mrs. Vavasor's shieks rang through the house; Peter Dangerfield ran headlong down the stairs. With a dull thud bad to hear, Dantree had fallen on the oaken floor, and lay a bloody, mutilated heap now.

The uproar had roused the house; guests, servants, bridesmaids, all came flocking wildly out into the hall. Peter Dangerfield had lifted the head of the prostrate man to his knee, and was gazing into the death-like face, almost as death-like himself.

'Is he dead?

Captain De Vere asked the question, pressing impetuously through the throng. No one in that supreme hour asked what had happened; instinctively all seemed to know that he had refused, at the last moment, to marry Katherine Dangerfield.

The dark head moved a little, a faint moan of pain came from the livid lips. It was a terrible sight.—From a tremendous gash above the temple the bright blood gushed over face, and bosom, and hands.

'Not dead,' Peter Dangerfield answered, in a very subdued voice, 'De Vere, Graves and Otis are here somewhere, are they not? Send them along like a good fellow, and try and disperse the crowd in Heaven's name. They may as well go, you see we are not going to have a wedding to-night.'

Captain De Vere turned to obey—then paused. There was a shrill woman's cry frome above, in whose voice no one knew.

'Send for the doctor. Quick, quick, Sir John is in a fit.'

There was the sound of a heavy fall, of a stifled groan in one of the upper rooms then the shrieks of frantic women, the rapid hurrying of excited feet. Peter Dangerfield lifted his eyes from the ghastly gory face on his knee, and glanced darkly up.

'The plot thickens,' he muttered. Another fit! And the doctors warned him to take care; that a second might prove fatal. I am Peter Dangerfield to-night, and verily a man of little account. When the first sun os the New Year arises, I may be the richest baronet in Sussex!'

Out of the frightened throng of wedding guests two men made their way; Dr. Graves of Castleford, and his clever assistant, Mr. Henry Otis.

'You had best go up stairs. Dr. Graves, and see to Sir John, Sir John's nephew said, with grave authority. In this ericis of his life he seemed to rise with the occasian and take his place naturally, as next in command. 'Otis, look at this poor fellow, while I go and help De Vere to send these people to the right about.'

Somewhere in Peter Dangerfield's narrow head, talent, unspected heretofore, must have been stowed away. He got the excited, alarmed, and demoralized flock of well-dressed wedding guests to gether in the spacious drawing rooms, and made them a grave little speech.

'Ladies and gentlemen; friends and neighbors,' Mr. Dangerfield began in his piping little voice; 'dreadful and unexpected revelations nave come to light to night. Mr. Dantree in the basest manner has refused to marry Mis Dangerfield.' The infinite relish and delight with which the speaker said this was only known to nimself. 'I call her Miss Dangerfield still, although she has really no right to that name. We have all heen deceived,—She is not Sir John's daughter. Who she is he knows no more than you do. It was her fortune the dastardly adventurer from Louisiana sought; when he found that forfeited, he refused in most insolent language to marry ner. Sir John threw him down the stairs. It he is killed, it only served him right. Sir John himself, is in a fit of appoplexy. Under this sad circustance, I really must beg of you to leave us. Scarswood, from a house of wedding joy, has become a house of morning. Leave us my friends; it is all you can do for me now.'

Mr. Dangerfield put his handkerchief to his eyes in eloquent silence. And, awed, and terrified, the bridal company dispersed; only Squire Talbot and his sister, and the captain of the Plungers Purple, lingered in the stricken house.

Katherine Dangerfield *not* Katherine Dangerfield!—a nobody imposed upon them, the resident gentry of the country. Something of indignation mingled with the amaze and horror of the night's tragedy as these good people drove home under the inky, midnight sky. And if Gaston Dantree died, they wondered, would the law really hang a baronet?

Peter Dangerfield lingered in the dining room until the last carriage rolled away. And then what an awful silence fell upon the great house. Flowers bloomed everywhere, countless waxlights flashed upon the brilliant scene; a temporary altar, all roses and jassamine, stood in the centre of the room, and on the painted windows the Bloody Hand burned into the glass, gleamed redly out in the dazzling light. And master of the lord of this grandeur and luxury lay dying, perhaps, and he was next of kin! Peter Dangerfield strode hastily to the grand banqueting room, where the wedding feast was spread. Massive old silver, all bearing the Dangerfield crest and motto, weighed it down, crystal glittered in rainbow hues, flowers were here and everywhere.

'And to-morrow,' he thought, with secret exultation, 'all this may be mine.'

He poured out a glass of wine and drank it. As he replaced it a cold hand was laid upon his; a low voice spoke in his ear,

'I will take another if you please; my nerves are horribly shaken. I saw Gaston Dantree's face.' She shuddered as she said it, 'Good Heavens! what a night this has been.'

He turned and saw Mrs. Vavasor.

'You here still!' he said in no very gracious tone. She had done him good service, but the service *was* done, and, like all of his kind, he was ready to fling her asside. 'I should not think you would want to stay under this roof any longer than you can help—you of all people. If these two men die to-night, I wonder if their ghosts will haunt you. You talk about nerves, forsooth! Here, drink this and go. Scarswood's no place for you.'

'Grateful, my Peter,' murmured Mrs. Vavasor, as she took the glass; 'but I scarcely expected anything better. I can dispense with even your gratitude while I hold your promise to pay ten thousand down, remember, the very day that makes you Sir Peter.'

'You shall have it. Go, in Heaven's name! Don't let that girl—Katherine, you know—see you, or I believe we will have another tragedy before the night is over.'

He left her as he spoke. On the threshold he turned to say a last word.

'Drive the trap back to your quarters in Castleford, I will see you tomorrow, let things end which way they will. I am going to Sir John now. Go at once; good night.'

He ascended to the baronets room. Dr. Grave's was there, Katherine and Miss Talbot. The stricken soldier had been laid upon his bed, undressed and everything done fore him that it was possible to do. He lay rigid and stark, his heavy breathing the only sign of life.

'Well?' Peter Dangerfield said the word in a strained, tense sort of voice, and looked with eager, burning eyes at the medical man.

'I can give no definite answer as yet, Mr. Dangerfield,' the Dr. answered, coldly, turning his back upon him.

Peter Dangerfield drew a long breath. Death was written on every line of that ghastly bloodless face.—After a brief five months' reign, Sir John lay dying; dying childless, and he was heir-at-law!

He looked furtively at Katherine. She was standing motionless at the foot of the bed, gazing at the rigid form. She had removed nothing; not a flower; not a jewel; not even her gloves—veil, laces, and silk floated about her. Her face kept its changeless calm; her eyes their still, frozen look. It was horrible; it was fearful! He turned away with a shiver, and softly quited the room.

'Of all the ways I thought she would take it, I never thought of this,' he said to himself. 'Are all women like her. or is she unlike all women? I never understood her; to-night I understand her least of all.'

It was midnight now. He paused a moment at the oriel window to look out at the night. The storm had expended its fury, the rain and sleet had ceased. A wild north wind was blowing; it was turning bitterly cold. Up above, the storm drifts were scudding before the gale, a few frosty stars glimmered, and a wan moon lifted its palid face out of the distant sea. The new year gave promise of dawning brilliant and bright.

And this was to have been her wedding day, and the bridegroom lies dying down stairs. I would not spare her one pang if I could, but I must own it is hard on her.

He went softly down the long stairway, and into the lower room where they had borne Gaston Dantree. Mr. Otis was with him still, and Talbot and Devere.

'Is he dead?' Mr. Dangerfield demanded: He looked like it. They had washed away the blood, and bound up the wound. He lay with his eyes closed, and breathing faintly; but dead in his coffin, Gaston Dantree would never look more awfully corpse like than now.

Mr. Otis lifted his quiet eyes,

'No, Mr. Dangerfield—not even likely to die, so far as I can see. What is to be done with him? what—'

He stopped and recoiled, for into their midst a white figure glided, and whet straight up to the wounded man. It was Katherine. Everywhere she went, the shining bride-like figure seemed to contradict the idea of death. Her eyes had a fixed, sightless sort of stare. like the eyes of a sleep walker; her face was the hue of snow. Noiseless, soundless, like a spirit she moved in her white robes, until she stood beside the man she had loved, looking down upon him as he lay.

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NO MORE HARD TIMES.—If you will stop spending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style, buy good healthy food, cheaper and better clothing, get more real and substantial things of life every way, and especially stop the foolish habit of employing expensive, quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug medicine that does you only harm, and put your trust in that simple, pure remedy, Hop Bitters that cures always at a trifling cost, you will see good times and have good health.—*Chronicst.*

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DOMESTIC PERPLEXITIES.

I got acquainted with a young widow who lived with her step daughter in the same house. I married the widow. My father soon after fell in love with the step daughter of my wife, and married her. My wife thus became the Mother-in-law and also the daughter-in-law of my own father. My wife's stepdaughter is my stepmother, and I am the stepfather of my mother-in-law. My Stepmother who is the stepdaughter of my wife has a boy, who is naturally my step brother, because he is the son of my father and of my stepmother; but, because he is the son of my wife's step daughter, so is my wife the grandmother of the little boy, and I am the grandfather of my stepbrother. My wife has also a boy; my stepmother is consequently the stepsister of my boy, and is also his grandmother, because he is the child of her stepson; and my father is the brother-in-law of my son, because he has got his step siste for a wife. I am the brother of my own son, who is the son of my stepmother. I am the brother-in-law of my own mother, my wife is the aunt of her own son, my son is the grandson of my father, and I am my own grandfather.

Dr. Vincent Richards, who is experimenting on the efficacy of permanganate of potash as an antidote for the poison of the cobra, writes to the Indian Medical Gazett that he has obtained some very remarkable results. When permanganate of potash was mixed with cobra poison and hypodermically injected no fatal result followed, although a fatal dose of poison was used and the mixture injected into the vein. He adds, however that before any definite opinion can be formed many experiments will have to be performed, not only with cobra, but also with vipor poison. The St. Jame's Gazzett remarks that under the Vivisection act, Dr. Vincent Richards could not perform these experiments in England without a couple of license from the Home Secretary and running the risk of a criminal prosecution and public vituperation at the hands of the anti-vivisectionists. The importance of such investigations is shown in the statement that between twenty and thirty thousand people die from snake bite every year in India.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

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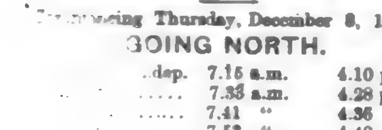

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THE STANDARD.

...iday January 13th, 1882.

The T., G. & B. Railway is now a ...st class road. Trains are making ...llent time, and freight is being ...ed promptly. Salt is coming from the salt works without ...ipment, and Telegraph poles, ...c., are being shipped to their ...on in like manner. The pas... ...raffic has largely increased, ...ll, no doubt, continue to impro... We would suggest that the com... ...ive a cheap excursion over the ... before spring, giving farmers a ...ce to have a pleasure trip at a ...e of the year when they are not ...busy. The most of excursions ...e place in the summer season, when ...above class cannot leave their ...rk, hence they are deprived in a ...at measure of enjoying a cheap trip ...r the railway. A great many ex... ...l an excursion when the change ...f the gauge took place, and we are of the opinion that it would be no pecuniary loss to the company, but rather the contrary, to give one yet. The farmers are interested in the Railway, and are doing their share in paying for the late improvements on the same, and we think it nothing more than right to give them a cheap excursion, while it would, we believe, be an advantage to the company. What say our cotems on the line? We would like to have their opinion on the matter.

MARKDALE PUBLIC SCHOOL.

The following is the result of the Xmas Examination of the Markdale Public School.

FIRST DIVISION.—Arithmetic—Max. marks 175—Susan Davis, 83; Wm. Davis, 97; Martha Anderson, 30; A. White, 120; Mary Porter, 143; Minnie Douglass, 48; Herbert Irwin, 148. Grammar—max. 150—Susan Davis, 60; Wm. Davis, 87; Martha Anderson, 93; Agnes White, 116; Mary Porter, 120; Minnie Douglas, 87; H. Irwin, 75. Euclid—max. 175—Susan Davis, 130; Wm. Davis, 109; Martha Anderson, 145; Agnes White, 143; Mary Porter, 140; Minnie Douglas, 112; Herbert Irwin, 150. Statics—max. 180—Susan Davis, 130; Wm. Davis, 80; Martha Anderson, 134; Agnes White, 128; Mary Porter, 43; Minnie Douglas, 110; H. Irwin, 125. Literature—max. 150—Susan Davis, 68; Wm. Davis, 70; Martha Anderson, 130; Agnes White, 115; Mary Porter, 60; Minnie Douglas, 0; H. Irwin, 110. Geography, max. 150—Mary Porter, 60; Susan Davis, 75; Agnes White, 120; Wm. Davis, 70; Herbert Irwin, 85; Martha Anderson, 75; Minnie Douglas, 70. Chemistry, max. 120—Mary Porter, 50; Susan Davis, 75; Agnes White, 90; Wm. Davis, 70; H. Irwin, 80; Martha Anderson, 80; M. Douglas, 74; James Douglas, 60; J. B. Thibaudeau, 50; Joseph Stinson, 50; Robert McLaughrey, 40. The last four belong to the second division and have taken up the subject of chemistry only lately. For their time at the subject they have done remarkably well. Book-keeping, max. 150—Mary Porter, 50; Susan Davis, 0; Agnes White, 104; Wm. Davis ...; H. Irwin, 110; Martha Anderson, 90; Minnie Douglas, 95.

SECOND DIVISION.—Arithmetic, max. 150—Frank Arnold, 60; Robt. Benson, 60; R. J. Brown, 75; Elisabeth Kay, 70; Mamie Bowes, 68; Wm. J. Douglas, 62; Millie Lyons, 95; Ettie Ford, 97; Joseph Stinson, 130; J. B. Thibaudeau, 108; Robt. McLaughrey, 95; Samuel Douglas, 75; Annie Might, 65; E. S. Rutledge, 62. Geography, max. 150—R. J. Brown, 78; Robert Benson, 80; Frank Arnold, 70; Elisabeth Kay, 87; Mamie Bowes, 125; Wm. J. Douglas, 62; Millie Lyons, 40; Ettie Ford, 110; Joseph Stinson, 125; J. B. Thibaudeau, 73; Robert McLaughrey, 105; Samuel Douglas, 60; Annie Might, 58. Euclid, max. 150—R. J. Brown, 78; Elizabeth Kay, 134; Wm. Douglas, 95; Ettie Ford, 115; Joseph Stinson, 120; J. B. Thibaudeau, 89; R. McLaughrey, 80. Grammar, max. 100—Frank Arnold, 52; Robt. Benson, 75; R. J. Brown, 71; E. Kay, 73; M. Bowes, 78; W. J. Douglas, 65; M. Lyons, 53; E. Ford, 80; J. Stinson, 88; J. B. Thibaudeau, 64; R. McLaughrey, 70; S. Douglas, 60; Annie Might, 74. Algebra, max. 150—Frank Arnold, 80; R. Benson, 88; R. Brown, 53; E. Kay, 75; M. Bowes, 80; W. J. Douglas, 41; M. Lyons, 35; E. Ford, 103; J. Stinson, 85; J. B. Thibaudeau, 69; R. McLaughrey, 75; S. Douglas, 48; Annie Might, 50.

FIRST AND SECOND DIVISIONS.—Canadian History, max. 200—S. Davis, 105; Herbert Irwin, 165; Wm. Davis, 95; Agnes White, 135; Joseph Stinson, 172; Robert McLoughrey, 148; Millie Lyons, 57; Minnie Douglas, 74; Martha Anderson, 104; Samuel Douglas, 80; Robert Benson, 106; Robt. J. Brown, 120; Frank Arnold, 67; Annie Might, 11; W. J. Douglas, 98; Mary Porter, 79; Mamie Bowes, 168; Lizzie Kay, 148; Ettie Ford, 173; E. S. Rutledge, 60.

We notice from the above that the pupils of the second division have thrown those of the first division considerably in the shade, and it is quite possible and very probable, that many of the juniors may carry off the intermediate laurels from the seniors if they do not soon awake from their lethargy.

THIRD DIVISION.—Spelling, max. 100—C. Bryden, 48; Lizzie Thibaudeau, 53; Maggie Bailey, 80; T. Benson, 60; Edith Noble, 80; Fred Stephens, 88; Minnie Dundas, 84. Grammar, max. 150—C. Bryden, 75; Ellie Thibaudeau, 125; Maggie Bailey, 47; Thos. Benson, 50; E. Noble, 78; F. Stephens, 155; Minnie Dundas, 79; Mary Benson, 63; Maggie Milsap, 35; A. S. Wilson, 40. Geography, max. 150—C. Bryden, 35; E. Thibaudeau, 80; Maggie Bailey, 25; Thos. Benson, 47; Edith Noble, 12; Fred Stephens, 95; Minnie Dundas, 75; Mary Benson, 37; Maggie Milsap, 10; A. S. Wilson, 75. Arithmetic, max. 150—C. Bryden, 40; E. Thibaudeau, 142; Maggie Bailey, 30; Thos. Benson, 48; Edith Noble, 35; Fred Stephens, 145; Minnie Dundas, 78; Mary Benson, 40; Maggie Milsap, 31; A. S. Wilson, 50.

Fred Stephens, Ellie Thibaudeau, and Minnie Dundas have succeeded in passing for the second division.

Of those who tried the promotion examination from the second to the first department, Joseph Clark, Geo. Wilson, George Bowes, and Herbert Brown were successful.

R. D. IRVINE, Teacher.

PRESENTATION AND ADDRESS.

To MR. H. MELDRUM,

Flesherton Station Agent.

DEAR MELDRUM,—We, the shippers recievers of goods by the T. G. & B., Railway, on the eve of its completion to the Standard Gauge, knowing the disadvantages you have labored under in the past, as the Flesherton agent, owing to unsatisfactory condition of the road, and want of rolling stock—many times subjecting you to uncomplimentary remarks, not by any acts of your personally, and censured for disappointments of shippers, which were beyond your control.

Feeling a deep gratitude to you for the efforts you have made to relieve the pressing demand, the careful conveying and consigning of goods entrusted to your care, take this opportunity of showing our appreciation of your pastattention to our wants, and esteem by which you are held by us by presenting you with this Tea Service and clock, as a light token of respect; and at the same time wishing you the compliments of the season, hoping you may live long to fill the important position of Flesherton agent of the T. G. & B. R., and when the train of time shall convey you from us, may the Great Master reward all your efforts.

Signed by

Mr. Richardson,	R. J. Sproule,
S. Damude,	A. Munshaw,
W. H. Elder,	W. F. Doll,
J. Gordon,	J. W. Bates,
G. L. Dodds,	Wm. Clayton,
J. W. Wilson,	Wm. Strain,
J. Armstrong,	Wm. Richardson,
R. Robertson,	Wm. Hogg,
Wm. Wright,	J. H. Beard,
F. Sargeant,	H. Hooper,

Wm. L. Young for A. Macpherson,

Flesherton, Dec. 29, '81.

The presentation was made by S. Damude, in the easy graceful manner of that gentleman, after which Mr. Meldrum replied in feeling terms, expressing his surprise and at the same time thanking the merchants and shippers for the tokens and confidence they had expressed for the occasion, that he had been presented to some extent, nevertheless he would treat the parties in a business like manner. The company's books were to be seen, and they would show whether he had shown partiality or not. Mr. J. W. Armstrong addressed the little company of villagers in a few shosen and appropriate words, and called on Mr. R. J. Sproule, who spoke of Mr. Meldrum in terms most gratifying, and scorned the idea of any reference being made to the books to establish Mr. Meldrum's conduct as an agent.

And each of the above mentioned gentlemen, in turn, threw in their mite in contributing to the happiness of Mr. Meldrum and themselves, after which there was a plentyful supper of oysters and other viands, to which ample justice was done.

The sociable little company seperated at an early hour, after a very enjoyable time, and wishing Mr. Meldrum and family a happy new year.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

The Council met on Wednesday evening Dec. 21. Dr. Christoe, Warden in the chair. The Warden read several communications, and addressed the Council in reference to matters to come before them.

On motion of Mr. Middleton, seconded by Mr. Fox, it was decided to petition the Postmaster General for two mails per day on the T. G. & B., the petition to be entrusted to Mr. Lane, Messrs. Jackson and Sproule asked to co operate with him.

After some unimportant business, the Council adjourned till Thursday at 2 p. m.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mr. Sing presented report of Property committee, recommending payment of account for repairs to South Grey Registry Office; also some other accounts. The report was passed.

Mr. Howey presented a petition from a number of ratepayers with reference to judicial expense, which was refered to Finance committee.

Mr. McKechine presented report of the Finance committee. It recommended with reference to appointment of County Engineer. A communication from Provincial Secretary with reference to salary of Gaol Physician was recommended to be laid over till January session. A petition to the Legislature to abolish second selections of Jurors was recommended in response to communication from the Co. of Elgin. The committee did not see their way clear to make any recommend with reference to grant to Provincial Exhibition.

The report was adopted.

A by law was introduced to establish a fair at holstein.

Council adjourned till Friday morning.

FRIDAY MORNING.

The Warden read statements from the County Treasurer of the accounts with the different townships.

Mr. Mckechnie presented report of the Finance Commmittee, which referred to a gratifying decrease in jury expenses during the present year; but as the other matters refered to in petition were beyond jurisdiction of Council, no action was recommended.

The Warden read the report of committee on the matter on school section boundry in Sullivan.

The Council went into committee on the report of Finance committee, Mr. Abbott in the chair. A lengthy discussion ensued, in which the feeling was very generally expressed that there should be a further extension of the jurisdiction of the Divisiun Courts but the other things asked for in the petition were not thought desirable. It was eventually decided to refer the report back to put in a clause recommending the extension of the jurisdiction of Division Courts.

Mr. McColman introduced a by-law to confirm a by law of the township of Collingwood.

By law to establish fair at Holstein was passed through its various stages.

Mr. Sing presented a report of Co Property Committee, recommending payment of several accounts. The report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Fox, the sum of $25 was allowed to the Registrar, and he to look after the heating of the building.

Mr. McKechnie presented second report of Finance committee, which was adopted.

The sum of $20 was voted to the Chairman of Public Property Committee, and $15 to the Chairman of Finance Committee, as recoginition of extra services during the year.

On motion of Messrs. McNicholand, Sing, the thanks of the Council was presented to the warden, with $100 in appreciation of his services, and $50 to cover incidental expenses. Messrs. Howey and McGirr moved in amendment to make the whole amount $100, but the amendment was lost.

By laws Nos. 297, 298 were put through the remaining stages and passed.

The reported of the Education Committee was adopted.

Moved by Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. McNaught, that a petition in the ordinary form, sined by the Warden and sealed with a coporate seal, be forwarded to the Ontario Government praying that the agreement entered in to between the Grand Trunk Railway Companies, dated 13th May last, be legalized by an act of the Ontario Legislature.—Car.

Messrs. Murdock and Blyth moved in amendment to leave it to the Government to do as they considered best for the interest of the Country. The amendment was lost.

The Council adjourned till Saturday morning.

SATURDAY MORNING.

There being no quorum present, the Council adjourned.—*O. S. Times.*

OSPREY.

Osprey is rather quiet just now that the holidays are over. People have to settle down to business the same as ever.

Mr. Stinson, of Maxwell, is building an addition to his store, and intends opening out a first-class stock in the spring.

We lost all our snow on the 8th, and now we are praying for more.

St. Mary's Church, Maxwell, was re-opened for public worship on the 1st of January, after being thoroughly refitted. The above building is now a credit to the managers and contractor for the neat and elegant style in which it has been finished.

The annual meeting of Hickling Grange No. 381 was held in Brother Hickling's house. Moved and seconded that a vote of thanks be tendered to Brother and Sister Hickling for their courtesy, and the efficient manner in which they have conducted the business of this grange during the past year—carried unanimously. By the auditors' statement of Brother Hickling's books the assets over the liabilities amounts to $107.89. After a pleasant evening spent in discussing matters pertaining to the grange the members separated well pleased with the past success and future encouraging prospects of the grange. The following officers were then elected for the ensuing year:—Master, Bro. J. Hickling; Overseer, Bro. W. Inkster; Lecturer, Bro. R. Cooper; Steward, Bro. W. W. Hickling; Asst. Bro. W. Moffat; Chaplain, Bro. Wright; Treas., Bro. W. Hopper; Secretary, Bro. F. Whewell; Gatekeeper, Bro. J. Inkster; Ceres, Sister Ann Inkster; Pomona, Sister Janet Inkster; Flora, Sister Mrs. H. Wright; L. A. S., Sister S. W. Hickling; Delegate, Bro. J. Inkster; Auditors, Bros. F. Whewell and W. Inkster.

FEVERSHAM.

The above named place has been rather lively for the past few weeks, the return of sleighing had made business lively. Election on Monday, every one quiet and sober owing to our hotel keeper, Mr. McAlear, closing his Bar during the day which speaks volumes in his favor as it was the only one in the Township closed.

A social was given in the Presbyterian Church on the 23rd Dec. which was well patronised the church being crowded to its utmost capacity. After enjoying an excellent tea. The chair was taken by Mr. C. Neil who added greately to the eyening, enjoyment by his drollery. Music was furnished by the Feversham and McIntyre Choirs, addresses were delivered by the Rev. Messrs. Hall and Chisholm, and a reading by W. G. Alister. Proceeds amount, to $81, which were appropriated to the church fund.

A social was also given in the school house on the 27th Dec. by the pupils of S. S. No. 7, Osprey as a farewell entertainment for the Teacher who has retired. The school house was very tastefully decorated by the children, and the children and elder ones responded bravely, as the house was filled until there was scarcly standing room. Tea being served, the chair was taken by Mr. M. Curts. Music was furnished by the Feversham and Buckingham Choirs, and addresses were delivered by Rev. Messrs. Hall, Noble, Chisholm, Stevenson, Mr. McGirr Reeve of Osprey and Trustees of the school, each expressing his sorrow and regret at parting with the Teacher. Readings were given by W. L. B. Hamlin, and Master Robt. Bates, Resetations by Misses Alice Hall and Martha McAlear, a dialogue by Master Robt. Bates and W. McAlean. After the programme was ended the pupils presented the Teacher with a writing desk accompanied with the following address;

MR ALISTER, Dear Teacher—We the pupils of the S. S. 7. Osprey, who have been so much benefited by your tuition during the past year, learning with deep regret that you are about to leave us, desire to present you with this desk as a token of our esteem for you, not because of its intrinsic value, but as a scuvenir of respect. As you look upon it in days to come you may think of us, whom you leave behind and rest asured that whatever may be our lot in this life we shall not forget the happy hours we have spent with you. And if we should never be permitted to meet again in this life we hope and pray that it may be our happy lot to meet in that better land where parting is unknown. In behalf of Pupils S. S. No. 7. Osprey,

THOS BATES.
W. J. MCGIRR.

Mr. Alister made a suitable reply and expressed great regret at having to part with his pupils. After this all repaired to their respective homes well satisfied with the evening, entertainment.

EUGENIA.

From a Correspondent.

The annual Grange supper of Eugenia Grange is appointed for the 18th January. Admission, 40c. per couple. Tickets can be had from any of the members. A good time is expected as usual. Some of our big guns are expected to be present and deliver addresses. Ye editor, is hereby required and notified to put in an appearance. Supper from 4 to 5 o'clock p. m.

J. B. Sloan narrowly escaped what might have been a fatal accident. A piece of scantling fell from the upper story cutting his head severely and stunning him for some time. He is getting along all right again, although his head requires bandaging.

The Municipal contest in Ward No. 4, Artemesia township, between Messrs. Hanley, Pedlar and Webster, resulted as followes:

Hanley	1
Pedlar	72
Webster	63
Majority for Pedlar	9

In Ward No. 2, Artemesia, the contest resulted as follows:—

Boland	62
Elliot	81
Majority for Elliot	19

EUPHRASIA ELECTION.

The following are the votes cast in the different polling places for the respective candidates:

	No. 1	2	3	4	5	6	Total.
REEVE.							
Robt. Myles,	63	80	66	25	38	10	282
Jas. Patterson,	20	24	75	56	6	56	237
DEPUTY-REEVE.							
Jas. Boyd.	27	22	30	43	15	20	157
Jno. Boyd,	7	35	29	2	2	2	77
T. Gilray,	42	51	81	37	42	19	272
COUNCILLORS.							
D. R. Ellis,	55	35	95	44	15	35	249
Jas. Erskine,	16	18	77	65	31	60	267
W. Fawcett,	40	79	65	32	17	11	244
Jno. Hurlburt,	52	84	38	8	8	6	146
Jno. F. Kerr,	3	48	43	9	2	3	108

GLENELG.

For Deputy Reeve—Thos. Mullarky, 310; Thomas Davis, 278.

COUNCILLORS.

P. Neil	216
N. Dunsmoor	216
W Glencross	202
George Binnie	189
John A. McMillan	183
Arch. McCuaig	113
John Black	111

PRICEVILLE.

From our Correspondent.

In the report of the supper given to Mr. M. C. Black, late Principal of the Priceville school, we made a mistake ing giving the name of the hotel in which it was held. We should have said the Crown Hotel instead of the Commeccial.

Two of the old stock of Priceville have been laid in their last resting place lately—Mrs. McDonald, the relict of him who formerly owned the mills, and her son, "Little Dan"

NEMO.

COUNTY ITEMS.

POLICE TRUSTEES.

The election of Police Trustees for this village, for 1882, passed off very quietly on Monday last, 2nd inst. The following gentlemen were elected:—Messrs. S. Damude, A. Munshaw and W. Clayton. By this it will be seen we have a Trustee for the East end of the village, one for the West end and one for the centre.—*Advance.*

VERY NARROW ESCAPE.

On Wednesday last our good citizen, Mr. Wm. Wright had a very narrow escape from death. It appears Mr. Wright was driving down the hill at the Orange Hall near Flesherton station, in a cutter, when, happening to look around, he was startled to see a team of horses and sleigh tearing down the hill behind him at a furious rate. To remain in the rig and attempt to drive out of the way. Mr. Wright knew would be almost likely to be attended with fatal results. With rare presence of mind, he took the situation in at a glance, and threw himself from the cutter; and almost at the same instant the runaway team came in collision with his vehicle, and literally smashed it into atoms. The runaways came to a stand opposite Mr Jeremiah Pipers place.

How Mr. Wright's horse escaped injury is a miracle.—*Flesherton Advance.*

A very serious accident occurred on the 9th line, St. Vincent, yesterday, which came very near resulting fatally to a young man named Albert Lemon, son of James Lemon, Walters' Falls. He was driving along the 9th line on a load of grain when a team belonging to Mr. A. Blanchard attached to a load of wood coming down Acheson's Hill started to runaway. Young Lemon jumped off his load and stood in the middle of the road to stop the runaways, when he was knocked down by the horses and ran over and dragged under the loaded sleigh for several rods. He was very badily bruised, and also received a severe wound on the forehead, which was stiched up by Dr. Parsons, who on being sent for arrived about two hours after the accident just after the young man was regaining consciousdess.—*Monitor.*

A GOOD THING TO KNOW.

Professor Herrmann, the wonderful magician, known throughout the world for his skill, used St. Jacobs Oil for a severe attack of rheumatism in the shoulder, and was cured by it. He considers St. Jacobs Oil valuable preparation.

NEWS NOTES.

Even should Guitteau be convicted and sentenced this week his execution could not take place until May, owing to the existence of a statute in the District of Columbia under which a sentence of death cannot be executed until thirty days after the beginning of the next term of the court succeeding that at which sentence is pronounced.

The surgeons who attended President Garfield in his last illness are said to have agreed among themselves as to the remuneration they should respectively receive. According to this arrangement Dr. Bliss wants $50,000, Drs. Agnew and Hamilton $25,000 each, Dr. Reyburn $8,000, and Dr. Boynton and Mrs. Edson $1,000 each. It is altogether probable, however, that the Congressional committee which is considering their claims will recommend that they be paid from six to eight thousand dollars each, and have done with it.

The Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise spent Christmas with the Queen.

Yesterday morning between 11 and 12 o'clock Mr. Thomas Boustead, a son of Ald. Boustead, of Toronto walked into his room, put a pistol to his forehead, and shot himself dead. No cause has been assigned for the melancholy act.

A bill is to be introduced at Washington for the gradual retirement of greenbacks and national bank notes. The bill will repeal the tax on bank cheques and on the deposits and capital stocks of banks not issuing circulating notes

THE SUICIDAL MANIA.

HIS LIFE DESPAIRED OF

OWEN SOUND, Jan. 10.—To day John Sparrow, an old resident of the Town, committed suicede by hanging himself. Shortly before noon he went out of the house towards the barn; nothing unusual was noticible in his manner. When dinner was ready a member of the family went out to call him. Getting no response to the call, he proceeded to the barn, where Sparrow was found suspended by a rope which was attached to a beam. No cause is at preasant assigned for the deed, but it is believed he was troubled at times with a delirious mind, and had frequently threatened to commit suicide.

This shocking occurrence was followed by the report that another attempt at suicide had been made, which proved true, although at present without a fatal result. Walter Elliot, labourer, made an attempt on his life earley this morning by cutting his throat with an axe, and afterwards battering his head with the same weapon to complete the work. He was, however, frustrated in the act, and placed in charge of the chief constable, who conveyed, him to gaol. Elliot is a young man, and recently married. The caus which led to the attempted committal of such an act are unknown. His wounds are of a serious nature, and to night slight hopes are entertained of his recovery.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

TO THE RATEPAYERS OF WARD NO. 2,

GENTLEMEN—I hereby tender you my thanks for your support at the late election, and especially to the Meaford Road and visinity for their almost unanimous support, notwithstanding the statement to the contrary by Mr. Brodie, your Meaford Road Correspondent. I think it most unfair for a correspondent to make use of the columns of a local paper to injure a candidate. If it had been from my opponent I would not have thought anything of it. If he had written long enough before the election for me to have replied to it, I would not have thought so bad of it. People would naturally think from Mr. Brodie's statement, that if I did not get the above support it would be useless for them to turn out. If the entire vote that turned out had been polled correctly, the majority would have been sixteen. Two of my votes were a few seconds too late. I also lost two by ballots being badly marked. I had enough votes left in the Ward to have turned the scale if they had turned out.—Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for space in your valuable columns,

I remain, yours truly,

THOS. BOLAND.

MASSACRE OF 1,200 MEN IN ZULU LAND.

Details have been recieved of the dreadful massacre which lately took place in the territory of Hamu, one of 13 appointed Zulu chiefs. It appears that the massacre was of a most unprovoked and cruel character, Hamu he seized the cattle of the Abaqulusi tribe, and the latter were disposed to resist it if not to retaliate, but were pacified and induced to disperse by the assurance that Mr. Osborne the British Resident would inquire into the matter. A certain proportion of the tribe including the chief and most of the headsmen, remained in order to see Mr. Osborne. Hamu, however did not give them this oportunity. His force at once fell upon them and killed about 1,200 men. The bloodthirsty warriors subsequently spread over the country and seized a number of kraals belonging to the Abuqulusi, murdring whereever they found them many women as well as men who were unable to escape. It appears that when Hamu saw Mr. Osborne he actually asked him for a pass that he might send to the Transvaal and recover such of the Abaqulusi cattle as had escaped. Of course the pass was refused, but unfortunately the impression is said to prevail among the Zulus that England is the cause of all this misery and bloodshed. Two natives—Minishaue and Milwana—in giving an account of these deplorable occurrances, said: "Truly we Zulus did not kill in the old days of Panda and Cetywayo; we just jostled one another, and few were hurt. It is you Englishmen who have taught people to kill" It is certain that the Zulus ought no longer to have imposed upon them chiefs who are adepts in the work of massacre, and whose chief object apparently is to enrich themselves by the plunder of the tribes whose extermination they have effected.

Great bargains, in all lines, at Fosters.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.18	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.23
Barley " 2	.60	to	.80
Peas " 1	.69	to	.72
Oats " 1	.35	to	.36
Butter " 1	.18	to	.20
Eggs	.18	to	.20
Potatoes "	35	to	40
Pork "	6.75	to	7.10
Hay "	12.00	to	16.00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Jan. 12th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.24
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	to	1.19
Barley	0.55	"	0.70
Oats	0.37	"	0.37
Peas	0.68	"	0.70
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.60
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.18
Pork, dressed,	7.52	"	7.50
Beef	5.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	16.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.15
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
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Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	6.50	"	7.10
Beef	4.00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 25	to	$1 27
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to	1 34
Barley, do.	0 90	to	0 89
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 85	to	0 86
Clover Seed do.	5 00	to	5 05
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, large rolls	23	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy	18	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 21	to	0 29
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	1 00	to	3 00
Potatoes per bag	0 90	to	1 00
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

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THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor
October 31st, 1881.

BIRTHS.

MACRAE—In Durham, on the 9th ult., the wife of Finlay MacRae, Esq., of a son.

MARRIED.

FLESHER—SERJEANT—On the 29th ult., by the Rev. Mr. Williams, at the residence of the bride's mother, Oro, Co. Simcoe, Mr. W. H. Flesher, youngest son of Mr. W. K. Flesher, ex-M. P., Flesherton, to Miss Martha Serjeant, daughter of the late Mr. Wm. Serjeant, Oro, County Simcoe.

PALLISTER—SCOTT—On the 4th inst., at Briary Hill, Proton, by the Rev. J. Morrison, Fanny, second daughter of Robert Scott, to Edmund Pallister, both of Proton.

MCKEE—REID—In Toronto, on the 26th of December, by Rev. J. D. McDonell, Mr. James McKee, (miller,) to Mrs. Reid, of Vaughan Township.

DIED.

MERRICK—In Artemesia, on the 11th ult., Mrs. Stephen Merrick, aged 30 years.

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BLAIR—In Glenelg, on the 7th instant, Hannah, beloved wife of Mr. Thomas Blair, aged 63 years.

MACDONALD—On the 6th instant, after a short illness, W. D. F. Macdonald, long a resident of Priceville, in this County. His end was peace.

ZOPESA
(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Billiousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

Farm for Sale.

Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to PETER McARTHUR, Markdale. Or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD Office.

70-6t—20-6t.

Notice to Contractors.

WE have a large quantity of Saw Logs, which are now mostly skidded up in the woods. A good chance for a person with team. Any person desirous of securing a contract will do well to see us at once. The distance to haul is about 2½ miles on a good road.

R. & A. NEILSON,
20tf Proton Station.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the

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ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

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P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

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Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

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Also Three Dwellings and Lots, &c. on the

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Mr. R. J. DOYLE will sell by Auction 150 Town Lots, 16 Park Lots, 3 Dwellings, &c. Great Bargains may be expected. Some of the purchasers at Mr. Doyle's sale last year have resold the lot purchased at four times the price at which they purchased them. Liberal terms. One-third down; balance in three annual instalments. See large bills and maps

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Royal District Lodge, of Holland, met at the Lodge room of L.O.L. No. 176, Berkley, on the 10th of Jan. '82, when the following officers were elected and dully installed:—Bro. Geo. Fleming, W. M.; John Gillespie, D. D. M.; Thos. Abbott, D. Treas.; Jas. Welsh, D. Sect.; Walter Crawford, D. Chaplain; Andrew Ritchey, District Director of Ceremonies.

The entertainment given in Williamsford on the 21st Dec., in aid of the C.M. Church building fund was a success, though the roads were in a fearful state, and the rain poured down in torrents. There was about $40 realized, besides a collection, which was taken up during the evening, bringing the whole amount to about $60. The above should have appeared long ago, but our reporter neglected his duty.

Loyal Orange Lodge No. 167, met in their hall, Berkley, on the 3rd of Jan., 1881, when the following officers were elected:—Bro. Geo. Fleming, W.M.; re-elected John Gillespie, D.M.; re-elected Andrew Walker, Treasurer; Walter Crawford, Sect.; Andrew Gillespie, Chaplain; Edward Brown, D. of C.; Committee, 1st John Middleton, 2nd R. J. Boyd, 3rd Andrew Ritchey, 4th Geo. Ritchie, 5th David Jackson.

The social given in Mrs. and Mr. McIntyre's house on Wednesday evening, was a very enjoyable affair. The house is large and was well lit up. Our generous and respected citizens, Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre, did all in their power to make those present feel at home, and we are glad to say their efforts were in vain. There were quite a number from the country and also from Flesherton. The amusements were entered into with a zest and all appeared to enjoy themselves heartily. The proceeds amounted to $20. The ladies of the society kindly thank the friends for their timely and liberal patronage, and feel incourage to go forward. The next social will be held on the evening of the 24th inst., in the house of Mr. Thos. Murray, Glenelg.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

It seems strange in our wintery climate to see waggons and buggies on the roads every day at this season of the year.

Dundalk is becoming an important station on the T., G. & B. Railway. There were loaded and shipped in three days last week 21 car loads of grain.

Business is good, and if the sleighing continues we may expect a good time in Dundalk. There are large quantities of grain, wood, telegraph poles and hay coming in daily.

The Fair was not as largely attended as we expected. There were a number of cattle on the ground with but few buyers. Prices ranged fair. There was a large quantity of grain from a distance.

We notice that W. H. Hewetson has several cases of goods ex. S. S. Circassian, which we hear contains silks, cashmeres, and other European dry goods. They were passed through the customs last week, and will be offered at very low prices.

W. H. Peterson has his new Woollen Mill in full working order. Mr. Peterson deserves credit for his energy and push, as it is only about two months ago since he purchased the lots to build on, and now he has every thing complete.

An Entertainment will be given in the Orange Hall Dundalk, by the Y. M. P. B. Society on Friday, January 20th. An able staff of speakers are expected among other names on the bill are T. S. Sproule, M. P., A. W. Lauder, M P.P., and W. Jelly, M.P.P.

An auction sale of farm stock and implements will take place on the farm of Mr. Lawrence Breen, lot 253, con. 2, West of T. & S. Road Melancthon, on the 2nd of February. This is an extensive sale. Mr. Breen having a large stock which will be sold without reserve as he is going west. Terms all sums over $5, 11 months credit on approved paper. 20 tons of well saved hay will be sold for cash.

The Masquerade Carnival at the rink was largely attended. The Masquers were well represented. There was a large attenance of visitors, and all seemed to fully enjoy themselves. The entertainment was enlivened by instrumental music:—D. Strachan, organist, J. McMillan violinist, and Professor Ketchum cornetist. The following characters were represented in costume;—Fairy Queen Sisters, Misses Rundle and Philips; Flower Girl, J. C, Atkinson; Swell Gent, W. Bull; Chines, D. McQuarrie; Irish Gentleman, Fred Middleton; Fat Man, R. Whitley; Tall Man, W. Rundle. Squaw, D. Vodden; Indian Summer, Thomas Lakings; Clown, W. Shaw. Best lady's costume, Misses Rundel and Phillips; best gent's costume, Wm. Bull, for which prizes were given by Mr. Stienhoff, the proprietor. The refreshment rooms were well patronized. All that could be desired on such an occasion was se ed by two ladies and one gent waiter. This was one of the best entertainments of the season. The best of order prevailed. We do not hesitate to say that Dundalk can boast of the best skating rink North of Toronto.

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—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

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promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

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Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

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RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

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GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BETEAN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here,

M. M. McLEOD.

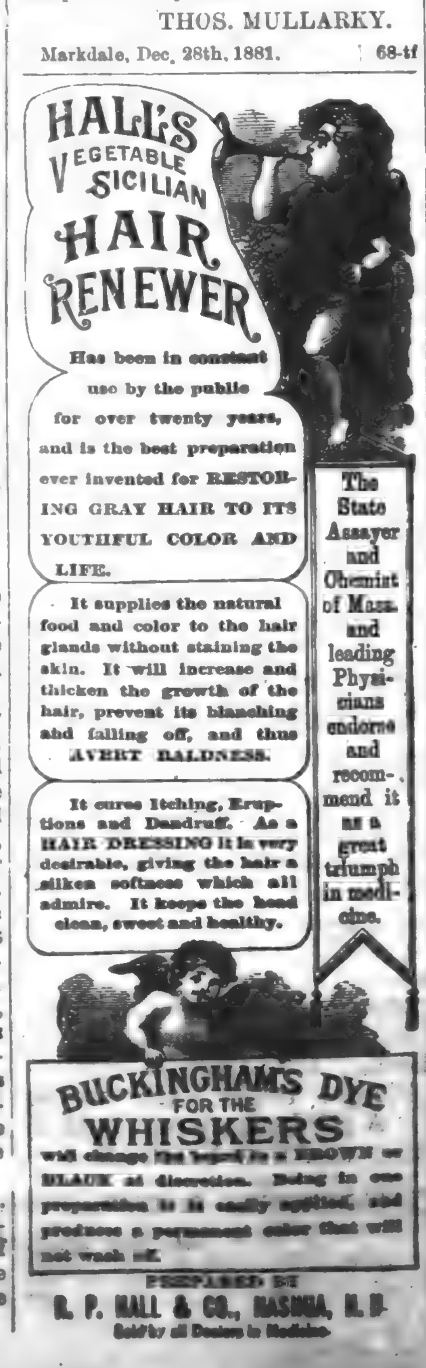
Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 68-tf



To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorised agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA,
Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881. 1-tf

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

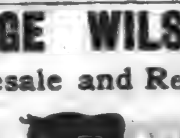
Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail



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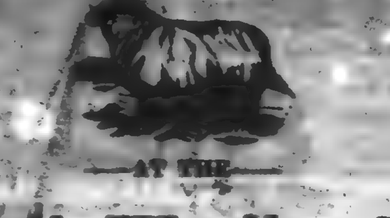
BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Hotel.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED



AT THE

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

1881. - CHRISTMAS. - 1881.

THE "GLASGOW HOUSE,"

DUNDALK,

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six months since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new large stock of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

MILLINERY.

HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,

Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c. worth 15c. BLACK CASHMERES for 25c. worth 40c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Tablings from 20c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. ☞ Call and inspect goods before purchasing

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

"Glasgow House Noted."

Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. 4-ly

SEE, SEE,

Bargains. Bargains.

LOOK here, John, my dear, we'll deal at TAYLOR'S from this out. I was there yesterday and you can get better value for your money than at any other house in Dundalk. I tell you it is a square place to deal.

TEA, SUGARS, —AND— GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.	HATS & CAPS, Women's Coats, DRESS GOODS, &c., &c	R. M. CLOTHING and Ordered, BEAUTIFUL TWEEDS AND WORSTEDS.	BOOTS —AND— SHOES! OF ALL KINDS.

At Rock Bottom Prices.

OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

R. F. TAYLOR.

Dundalk, September 2nd 1881. 1-6m.

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

FRUIT.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

FRUIT.

Post Office Store.

FLESHERTON,

IS THE PLACE TO GET FIRST-CLASS GOODS AT LOW PRICES.

General Dry Goods!

AN IMMENSE STOCK.

Furs and Millinery!

JUST THE THING.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

IN ABUNDANCE.

BOOTS AND SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

HATS AND CAPS FOR EVERYBODY.

GROCERIES!

Fresh and at the very lowest prices. Cash and Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods.

No Trouble to show Goods. Come and Examine for Yourselves.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, November 4th, 1881. 14

ChristmaS!

IS CLOSE AT HAND, AND ALL THE NECESSARIES FOR THE GOOD CHEER USUALLY INDULGED IN AT THAT SEASON WILL BE REQUIRED SUCH AS

Raisins, Currants, Spices,

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES, &C.,

and no better place in Markdale can be found to obtain these articles and at bottom prices, than at

BUTTER & RAE'S.

—IN THE—

DRY GOODS LINE!

WE ARE SECOND TO NONE.

You will need a New Suit for the Holidays, and our all-wool Tweeds—Scotch English and Canadian, cannot be surpassed in this section of country, and we sell as low as any other firm in Markdale In all branches of the above line of goods you will find we are not behind the times, and we guarantee all our goods to be just as we represent them. Give us a call, and we feel assured we can supply you with all you need, and at satisfactory prices.

BUTTER & RAE

We also carry a large stock of CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS and LAMP FIXTURES, BOOTS and SHOES, HATS, CAPS, and in fact everything usually kept in a general store.—BUTTER & RAE.

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THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel ... Good Stables and attentive hostler.

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GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND

Chopping Done Every Day

C. A. OWEN,

TAILOR,

Over McFarland's Store,

MARKDALE,

THE LATEST;

Fashion Plates!

ON HAND.

CUTTING DONE WHILE WAITING

Good Fit Guaranteed.

CHARGES MODERATE.

C. A. OWEN.

Markdale, Nov. 8th, 1881.

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!!

PIMPLES.

AROUND THE WORLD.

TIMELY WARNING.

Now is the season for sudden colds and distressing coughs, treat them with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it cures influenza, asthma, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints leading to consumption.

A Memphis tin man now thinks there is something in spiritualism after all, for he has been offered $1,000 for an old clock which has lately taken to striking in a mysterious manner, answering, according to an accepted code, all manner of impertinent questions which visitors ask about their futures.

GUILTY OF WRONG.—Some people have a fashion of confusing excellent remedies with the large mass of "patent medicines," and in this they are guilty of a wrong There are some advertised remedies fully worth all that is asked for them, and one at least we know of—Hop Bitters. The writer has had occasion to use the Bitters in just such a climate as we have most of the year in Bay City, and has always found them to be first class and reliable, doing all that is claimed for them.—*Tribune*

The exodus of negroes from Edgefield, S. C., and its vicinity has reached rather discouraging proportions. Not a negro is left upon some of the plantations. The colored preacher Hammond who incited the people to remove and collected a considerable amount of money with which to visit Arkansas and provide accommodations for his followers has not been heard from since his departure. It is feared that he is an adroit and despicable knave, though many of the negroes still retain their confidence in him.

HAD SUFFERED MANY PHYSICIANS.

And grew no better but rather worse. Mr. D. H. Howard, of Geneva, N. Y., after dismissing his physicians, tried nearly half a gross of the various blood and liver remedies advertised, with no benefit; when one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him of paralysis and General Debility. At the advanced age of 60, he says he feels young again, and is overjoyed at his wonderful recovery.

The freshmen of Brown University, in Providence, ordered their annual dinner of a caterer, and prepared to have an elaborate good time, including speeches and songs. At the time appointed, they marched in procession to the dining hall, with banners flying and appetites sharp. They found the tables littered with scant remnants of the feast, which had been eaten by the sophomores, who had imposed themselves on the caterer, and induced him to get the dinner ready an hour earlier.

"DON'T GIVE UP THE SHIP"

Were the memorable words of Commodore Perry. We repeat, "Don't Give up the ship," poor, despairing invalid, but try Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures others why not you? It renovates, regulates and tones all the organs of secretion, and restores lost Vitality.

The trustees of Fitch's Home for the soldiers, at Darien, Conn., announce that it has been refitted at the expense of its aged founder, and is now ready for the reception of disabled soldiers, or such aged and infirm persons, male or female, without regard to creed, as may need its shelter, according to the charter given by the Legislature of Connecticut in 1864. It is hoped that the institution will commend itself to the favorable attention of the public, and that by its assistance and generosity a large number of worthy persons may receive the comforts of a home.

LAME BACK.

Lumbago, Kidney complaint, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, and all pain and inflammation are speedily cured with Hagyards Yellow Oil. Croup, sore throat, colds, burns, scalds, bruises, frost bites, chilblains and all wounds of the flesh are quickly healed by Yellow Oil.

The town of Waynesville, Ohio, has been thrown into a state of excitement and dismay by the discovery that the mysterious disappearance during several years past, of innumerable articles of every description belonging to citizens of the place is due to the midnight maraudings of a venerable maiden lady whose reputation has always been above reproach. In, under and around her house have been found stores of movable property, including scarf pins, bricks, lumber, carpets, plasterers' hair, shingles, crockery, carriage aprons and a host of other things of all values and no value at all. No one can conceive what the woman's object was, for she does not seem to have sold or used any of her stealings. If there is such a disease as kleptomania this would appear to be a case of it.

RHEUMATIC REMEDY.

There is no better cure for Rheumatism than Hagyard's Yellow Oil used according to directions on the bottle. It also cures Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, Bruises, lameness, and all wounds of the flesh. All dealers sell it, price 25 cents.

An Englishman named Robert Robson, formerly a policeman and recently a day laborer, has been declared by the Court of chancery the rightful heir of an estate valued at $1,200,000, which has remained in the hands of the Ecclesiastical commissioners since the murder of his grandfather in 1742. The heir, who is seventy-two years old, is staying at an inn in Newcastle where he has been driven almost to distraction by the blandishment of visitors claiming blood relationship of every degree. It is possible that the wretched Robson might have considered his fortune an equivalent for these trials had he merely fallen into the hands of sisters and cousins and aunts, but a worse fate was reserved for him. No fewer than four women have appeared to claim him as their lawful husband. If some enterprising stenographer would secrete himself in the heir's apartments he might produce a roaring farce in real life from the pages of his note book. Robson would doubtless consider it a tragedy, but that would not hinder the rest of the world from laughing.

HOW TO CURE A COLD

Upon the first feeling of chill or shivering remain in doors if possible, bathe the feet in tepid water, gradually increasing the heat as long as it can be comfortably borne, drink freely of warm ginger tea or sage tea, to induce perspiration, and use Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam according to directions on the bottle. Hagyard's Balsam cures coughs, asthma, and pneumonia.

GARFIELD'S GUARDED TOOMB.

So long a time has elapsed since the obsequies that many strangers visiting Cleaveland are surprised to learn that a detachment of United States infantry are still detailed to watch the vault where lie the remains of the late honored President. Night and day can be heard the measured tramp, tramp of the sentry on duty, and it is intended to continue this watchfulness until the body is deposited in ground. Through the grated door can be seen the elegant casket given by the Masonic brethren. Covered with beautiful flowers, kept fresh by loving hands, it is still visited daily by hundreds of people, many of whom eagerly seek the cast off blossoms as momentoes. Near the vault is the shelter house, and on the other side of the lake the white tents of the soldiers are pitched. At the base of the hill upon which the monument is to be placed, a glass house is to be erected, enclosing the funeral car, still trimmed with immortelles and the trappings of woe.

An aged couple who had been gazing with tear dimmed eyes upon the casket, approached the guard and asked if they might not be permitted to have a few flowerers from off the coffin. He told them he could not open the vault. They were much disappointed, and said they were from the distant South, and had always been rebels, but that the death of Garfield had changed their feelings, and that they had journey far for the privilege of standing by his toomb.

FISHING FOR OYSTERS.

The oyster fishery in these localities is carried on in two ways, either by tonging or dredging. The first method being confined to small areas and to a limited number of fishermen, and susceptible of use but in shoal water, need not be considered. The second method of taking the oysters is as follows: The instrument used is called a dredge or scrape, and resembles a large iron claw, the nails representing the teeth of the dredge. To the back of this claw, or the dredge, is fastened to a bag of iron meshwork large enough to hold two or three bushels. When the dredge is dragged along the bottom the teeth or claws dig up the oysters and shells, which pass between them and into the network behind. The action is somewhat like that of a harrow. The dredges vary greatly in size, being from two to five feet across the mouth, and of greater or less weight, according to the depth of the water in which it is intended to use them. The dredging vessels vary in size from five to thirty ton, and all use two dredges. When on the oyster ground the dredges are dropped one from each side, and a sufficient amount of line paid out to insure the taking of the teeth; the vessel is then kept under easy sail and at a moderate speed until the dredges are full, that being indicated by the strain on the dredging line and by other signs known to the fishermen. The instrument is then hauled in by means of a small winch, the contents emptied on the deck, and the dredge put over again. This is continued until the vessel is near the edge of the bed, when the dredges are recovered, the vessel put about and the dredging is resumed in the opposite course. While the dredges are in the water, the mud, sand, sponge, grass, or other debris brought up are separated from the oyster and, together with all oysters unfit for market, thrown back into the water.—*Popular Science Monthly.*

A Louisville bridegroom, named Edward Fee, who disappeared mysteriously several weeks ago, returned to his home on Thursday with the following extraordinary account of his absence; "I left the St. James hotel in New Orleans, Louisiana, on the afternoon of Nov. 26th, 1881, to visit the stock yards. While there I met a friend, who told me that a former partner of mine, named Reynolds, had been disposing of cattle which belonged to me. He stated that Reynolds was then in the city and I at once went in search of him. About dusk I found him on the Algiers ferry boat, when a fight between us ensued, and he knocked me into the river. I remember finding myself in the water, and from that to the 23rd of December everything is a blank. On that day consciousness returned to me, and I found myself in a hospital at Pensacola Florida. I was told by the surgeon in charge that I had been brought there by the captain of a vessel, the name of the vessel I do not remember, who had found me clinging to a piece of drift wood in the Mississippi river. As soon as I was able to travel I started directly to Louisville, arriving here Thursday forenoon. I am still suffering from the effects of my mishap, but am rapidly recovering.

THE

Narrow Gauge

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THING OF THE PAST!

—BUT—

REYNOLDS & SON

—ARE—

Still to the Front!

with a large and well selected stock of Staple and Fancy

DRY GOODS,

GROCERIES.

Boots and Shoes,

Crockery, &c.,

which they are selling away down at rock bottom prices for cash.

FLOUR & OATMEAL

FRESH AND GOOD.

No. 1 COAL OIL!

At 27c. per Imperial gallon.

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FALL & WINTER GOODS SELLING AT COST FOR 30 DAYS.

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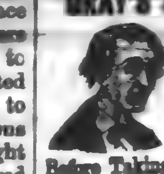

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

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After Taking.

☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

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NATIONAL PILLS — SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE

Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 3 pills is a dose.

PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

If you are a man of business, weakened by the strain of your duties avoid stimulants and use Hop Bitters.

If you are a man of letters toiling over midnight work, to restore brain nerve and waste, use Hop B.

If you are young and suffering from any indiscretion or dissipation; if you are married or single, old or young, suffering from poor health or languish on a bed of sickness, rely on Hop Bitters.

Whoever you are, whenever you feel that your system needs cleansing, toning or stimulating without intoxicating, take Hop Bitters.

Thousands die annually from some form of Kidney disease that might have been prevented by a timely use of Hop Bitters.

Have you dyspepsia, kidney or urinary complaint, disease of the stomach, bowels, blood, liver or nerves? You will be cured if you use Hop Bitters.

D. I. C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco, or narcotics.

If you are simply weak and low spirited, try it! It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

HOP BITTERS NEVER FAIL

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CARRIAGE WORKS

MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

Call and Inspect our Work!

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CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

HORSESHOEING

and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

JOHN NOBLE.

General Blacksmith.

Horse-Shoeing a Specialty

Markdale, June 2, 1881. -4

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GORDON

Has always on hand a full assortment of

HEAVY HARNESS,

WHIPS,

SLEIGH BELLS,

TRUNKS,

HORSE BLANKETS,

—AND—

SCOTCH COLLARS!

Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

REMEMBER THE PLACE

RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

J. GORDON.

N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken

Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1881. 16.

Notice to Contractors.

AS WE HAVE A LARGE QUANTITY of Saw Logs at our mill this season, we will give contractors a good chance. The logs will be all skidded in the woods. A good shanty and stable also in the woods. Any parties wishing to have a contract of this kind will do well to see us. The distance to haul, about two-and-a-half miles, on a good road.

B. & A. NEILSON,
18-3t. Proton Station.

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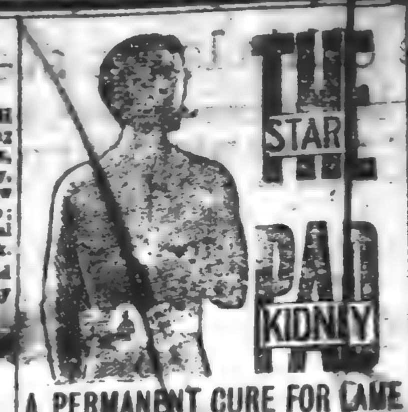

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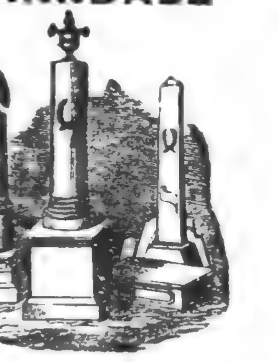

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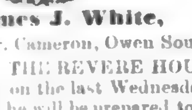

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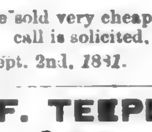

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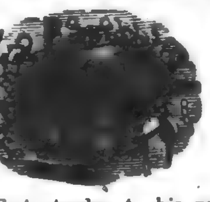

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A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER VI. *Continued.*

The man she had loved? he had treated her brutally—worse than man ever treated woman before, but there was no anger in her face or heart. There was no sorrow, there was not even pity, all feeling seemed dumb and dead within her. She only stood and looked at him with a sort of weary wonder. Three hours ago he had been so full of life, of youth, of strength of beauty, and now he lay more helpless than a new-born child. What a narrow step divided death from life.

The four men stood silent, awe-stricken. She neither seemed to heed or see them. Mr. Otis summoned courage at last to approach and speak.

'Miss Dangerfield,' he said with grave respect, you should not be here. This is no sight for you. Let Mr. Dangerfield lead you back to your father.'

She lifted her heavy eyes, and seemed to see him for the first time.

'Will he die?'

'I hope not—I trust not. But you must not be here when he recovers consciousness.'

'What do you mean to do with him she asked in the same low monotone. He cannot stay here. We will take him away?'

He looked at her doubtfully.

'Take him—where? To the Hospitial do you mean?'

'No, not to the hospital. I should rather you did not take him there. Can he be removed without much danger?'

'Well—yes; if he is removed at once.'

'Then—Mr. Otis, will you do me a favour?'

'Anything in my power, Miss Dangerfield.'

'Then take him to your own house. It is a great favour I ask, but you will do it, I know. The expense shall be mine. I don't want him to die.' A slight shudder passed over her as she said it; 'and there is no one else I can ask. Will you do this for me?'

She laid her hand on his arm and looked at him. A great compassion filled his heart for this girl, so cruelly bereaved through no fault of her own. he could not refuse.

'It shall be done. I will have him removed immediately, and if he dies it will be no fault of mine.'

'I knew I might trust you. If it is possible, I will go there and see him. He must not die, Mr. Otis, he must not.' A sudden, swift gleam came in to her dead eyes. 'He must recover, and he must leave here. Take him at once, and thank you very much.'

Then the tall white figure flitted away and was gone, and the four men stood confounded, and looked blankly into each other's startled eyes,

'What does she mean?' De Vere asked. 'What does she want the scoundrel to recover for? Egad; the only creditable thing in the world will be his loaving it.'

'It is for her father's sake, doubtless,' suggested Squire Talbott.

'Nothing of the sort,' interrupted Peter Dangerfield. 'She wants Dantree to recover for her own. If she has done with him I'm greatly mistaken. I wouldn't stand in Dantree's shoes when he recovers for the crown of England. She is in an unnatural state just now—she'll awake after a little and be all the more terrible for her present calm. What will your mother say, Otis, when you turn her house into a private hospital?'

'Whatever I do is brave and admirable in my mother's eyes. I will trouble you, Mr. Dangerfield, to order the carriage and the quietest horse in the stable. Every moment we loose now is of vital importance.'

Mr. Dangerfield obeyed. The carriage was brought round, the wounded man carefully covered from the cold, raw night air, carried out, and laid among the cushions. Squre Talbot, with little love for the stricken man, yet accompanied the assistant into Castleford. Gaston Dantree had been his guest, and thought, after his base and dastardly conduct to-night, he could never again cross the threshold of Morecambe, he still felt bound to see him safely to his destination.

Captain De Vere remained behind at Scarswood, at the solicitation of Mr. Dangerfield. He could not return to his lodgings while things were in this uncertain state, neither could he remain alone. How would this night end? Would Sir John recover again or would the New Year morning, breaking already, see him lord of this noble domain?

And upstairs, in the sick chamber, the dim night lamp flickered, and the ticking of the clock sounded in the dead hush. Sir John lay motionless, Dr. Graves sat beside him, his wrist between his fingers counting the beating of that sinking pulse. An eminent physician had been telegraphed for to London, but it was more than doubtful if he would find the baronet alive upon his arrival. And it Gaston Dantree died, would it not be as well so?

Beside him, at the foot of the bed, looking like a ghost of some dead bride in that spectoral light, Katherine sat. She sat quite motionless, her eyes rarely leaving the face upon the pillow her hands clasped upon her lap, her face like marble. 'At one fell swoop,' she had lost all—all! home, friends, fortune, lover, father, name; and yet it is doubtful if in these first hours she suffered much. She could not realize it—the suddenness and horror of the blow had stunned her; hysterics and tears of woman's uttermost agony might come hereafter—now she sat still and calm. Her heart lay like a stone in her bosom, a dull heavy pain throbbed ceaselessly in her head, but her misery was tearless and dumb.

Dr. Graves, watching her uneasily and furtively, wondered what kind of woman the girl was. So unlike all others he had ever known, sitting here without one complaint, one sob, one cry of pain, with her bridegroom lost to her on her bridal night, the father who had adored her, dying before her eyes.

And while the night light flickered, and the two pale watchers sat mutely there, the bright wintry sun arose—the happy New Year had begun. As its first rays stole in between the closed curtains, the sick man's eyes opened, and he rallied a little. His glance fell upon Katherine, a swift gleam of intelligence lit his eyes, his lips moved, and a few incoherent words came forth. In an instant she was bending over him, her ear to his lips.

'Darling papa, yes, what is it?'

He strove hard to speak, but again only that muttered, incoherent sound. But the girl's quick ear caught three words:

'Indian cabinet—will.' His thickening voice failed, his dim eyes looked with piteous, speechless agony up in her's.

'A will in the Indian cabinet, is that it, papa?'

He nodded eagerly—a flash of light crossed his dead like face.

'And you want me to get it for you?'

He nodded again. 'Quick!' he said, hastily, and she arose and left the room.

The Indian cabinet was in the library. There the lights still burned brightly, and there on the hearth rug her lover had stood—the lover to whom she had been ready to give up the world and all its glory—and who mercilessly cast her off. She looked darkly that way once. 'He will live,' she said to her self under her breath. 'And I will remember it.' Then she crossed to the tall cabinet, opened one drawr afterr another, and searched among the papers there for the paper she wanted.

She found it without much trouble, closed and relocked the cabinet, and returned to the sick room. Sir John still lay, breathing laboriously, with a hungry, eager light in his gleaming eyes.

'Shall I read it papa—is that what you mean?'

He nodded once more. She opened the paper—it was very short—she read clearly and distinctly its contents. It bequeathed to his beloved adopted daughter Katherine the sum of three thousand pounds—the portion of his late wife, and was unsigned. She understood instantly what it was he wished.

'You want to sign this, do you not?'

Another eager nod, another husky 'Quick!'

She laid the document upon the blotting book before him on the bed, and placed the pen in his hand. Dr. Graves hastily summoned Captain De Vere, and the two men stood by as witnesses while the stricken man essayed to sign.

Essayed in vain! The pen dropped useless from his fingers. Again Katherine lifted it and placed it in his hand—again he strove. The effort was futile; it fell from his fingesr, and with a low moan of agony, his nerveless arm dropped by his side.

'It is no use; all vital power is gone. He never will sign his name again,' Dr. Graves said; 'he is exciting himself dangerously and uselessly.'

The dying man heard, and understood. His eyes turned on Katherine with a speechless anguish terrible to see.

'Too late! too late!' they heard him groan.

'Oh, my God! too late!'

Katherine's arms encircled him; she pressed her cold face to his.

'Papa, darling,' she said softly and sweetly, 'I don't want you to grieve for me; to think of me even. You are very, very ill; very ill, papa, and had we better not send for a clergyman?'

He made a feeble motion of assent. She looked at Captain Devere.

'You will go?' she said.

He went at once. Then she bent close to him again, whispering gently and soothingly into his ear. But it is doubtful if he heard her. A stupor—the stupor which preceeds death—was gathering over him; his dull eyes closed, his pale lips muttered, he moaned ceaselessly; the great last change was very near.

The sun was high in the blue January sky now, the whole world jubilant with the glad sunlight of the New Year. And in the town of Castleford people talked with bated breath of the strange, dread tragedy at Scarswood, and of nothing else. In a little cottage at the remotest suburbs of the town, Gaston Dantrie lay, senseless and still; while life and death fought there sharp battle above his pillow.—And in that stately and spacious chamber at Scarswood its lord lay dying, while clegyman and physicians stoop by useless and in vain.

She never left him: she neither slept nor ate. As she had been from the first, tearless, noiseless, so she was to the last. The perfumed laces, the dead white silk of her triling robe, still swept their richness of the carpet; on arms and neck large pearls still shone, on her head the orange wreath and veil still remained. She had removed nothing but her gloves; what did it matter what she wore now? She sat beside the dying man, while the slow ghostly hours dragged on; an awful sight it seemed to the men who mutely watched her. Her wedding day! and she sat their bereaved more cruelly, more bitterly, than ever widow in the world before.

Morning came and passed. The short January afternoon wore on. The sun dropped low, the blue twilight shadows were gathering once more. That celebrated physician from London had arrived, but all the physicians in the great Babylon were of little avail now. Lower and lower the wintry sun dropped, flushing earth and sky with rose-light, and as its last red ray faded and died amid the trees of Scarswood Park, Sir John Dangerfield passed from Scarswood and all earthly possessions for ever. Without sign or struggle the shadow that goes before crept up, and shut out the light of life in one quiet instant from all the face.

Up and down, up and down in the crimson splendours of that New Year sunset, Peter Dangerfield paced under the leafless trees. And this was to have been her wedding day! No pang of pity; no touch of remorse came to him; it was not his nature to feel either. He only waited in a fever of impatience for the end.

It came. As he stood for an instant, his eyes fixed on that red radiance in the west, thinking how fair and stately Scarswood looked beneath its light, Dr. Graves approached him. One look at his face was enough. His heart gave a great leap. At last! at last! his hour had come.

'Sir Peter Dangerfield,' the physician gravely said, 'your uncle is dead.'

The late Sir John had been his friend; but a live dog is better than a dead lion. Sir John was dead, and Sir Peter reigned. It could be no harm to be the first to pay court to the new soverign.

'Sir Peter.' He turned faint and giddy for a moment with great joy, and leaned speechlessly against a tree. Then he started up, his face flushing dark red, and made hastily for the house. Never before had the old baronial hall look half so noble, half so grand; never before had the fair domain spread around him seemed half so stately an inheritance as now, when he stood there in the first January sunset, master of Scarswood.

CHAPTER XV.

"DEAD OR ALIVE."

The funeral was over, and a very grand and stately ceremonial it had been. There had been a profusion of mutes, of black velvet and ostrich feathers, a large procession of the carriages of the county families; a whole army, it seemed of the Dangerfield tenantry and the trades people of Castleford. For the late Sir John, during his brief reign, had made many friends, and over his death a halo of delicious romance hung. Miss Dangerfield was not Miss Dangerfield; his daughter was not his daughter, and over in that little cottage on the outskirts of the town, a young man lay—dying it might be—slain by the outraged baronet whom they were burying to-day.

It was a very solemn pageant. The bells of the town and of the hamlets about tolled all the day long. Scarswood Park had been alive from morning until night with people in carriages coming to leave cards. The principal shops in Castleford were shut, the principal church hung in black. And 'ashes to ashes, and dust,' had been spoken, and they laid Sir John with the dozens of other dead Dangerfields, under the chancel, where the sturdy Sir Ronald Dangerfield, knight, had knelt, in stone, for a hundred years, opposite his wife Elizabeth with a stone cushion between them.

The funeral was over, and in the pale yellow glimmer of the January sunset the mourning coaches and family carriages went their way, and the dead man's adopted daughter was riven back home. Home! what an utter mockery that word must have sounded in her ears as she lay back among the sable cushions in her trailing crape and bombazine, and knowing that of all the homeless, houseless wretches adrift on the world, there was not one more homeless than she.

The pale yellow glow of the sunset was merging into the gloomy gray of the evening as they reached Scarswood. Her faithful friend, Edith Talbot, who had been with her from the first, was with her still. The blinds were drawn up, the shutters unbarred. Scarswood looked much the same as ever, only there was a hatchment over the great dining-room window, and in the house the servants clad in deepest mourning, moved about the house like ghosts, with bated breath and hushed voices, as though the lord of the manor still lay in state in those silent upper rooms. It all struck with a dreary chill on the heart of Miss Talbot, the gloom, the silence, the mourning robes, the desolation. She shuddered a little and clung closer to Katherine's arm as they went up the wide, black slippery oaken stair case, down which Gaston Dantree had been hurled. But there was that in her friend's face that made her very heart stand still with awe and expectation.

She was as white as death. At all times she had been pale, but not like this; never before like this. As she had been from the first hour the blow fell, so she was still, silent, tearless, rigid. All those days and nights when Sir John Dangerfield had lain stark and dead before her, she had sat immoveable in the big carved oaken chair at his head, her clasped hands lyig still, her face whiter than snow, white almost as the dead, here eyes fixed straight before her in a fixed unseeing stare. Of what was she thinking as she sat there; of all that was passed? of all that was to come? No one knew. People who had thought they had known her best, looked at her in wonder and distrust, and began to realize they had never known her at all. Friends came and friends went, she never heeded; they spoke to her soothingly, compassionately, and she answered in briefest moncsylables and closed her lips more resolutely than before. The only one of them all she addressed directly was Mr. Otis, and then only in one short phrase, 'How is *he*?' The answer invariably was, 'Much the same; no worse, no better.' Mr. Otis, with his keen, thin face and steel-blue eyes, watched this singular sort of girl with even more interest than the rest of the curious. He was a young man who thought more than he spoke, and who studied human nature. Women at best are incomprehensible creatures, scarcely to be treated as rational creatures in the trying hour of life, but beyond all of sex this girl was a sphinx. She had lost lover, father, fortune, home, and name all in one hour, and she had never shed one tear, never uttered one complaint. Other women's hearts would have broken for half, and she, a child of seventeen, bore all like a Spartan. Was it that she did not feel at all, or, that she felt too much? Would this frozen calm outlast her life, or would the ice break all at once, suddenly and terribly, and let the black and bitter waters below rush forth?

'If it ever does, then woe to those who have ruined her,' thought Mr. Otis. 'This girl is no common girl, and not to be judged by common rules. I thought so from the first time I saw her happy and hopeful, I think so more than ever now, in her desolation and despair. She loved the man she has lost with a passion and abandon which, thank heaven, few girls of seventeen ever feel. She loved the father who is dead, the name and rank she bore, the noble inheritance that was to have been hers. And all has gone from her, ann she sits there like this! Let Mrs. Vavasor take care, let Peter Dangerfield be warned, and most of all, let Gaston Dantree die. for on my life I believe a day of terrible reckoning will come.'

But Gaston Dantree was not going to die: that matter was settled beyond a possibility of doubt before the day of funeral. He told her so now, as she asked the question, and as Henry Otis spoke the words, his eyes were fixed upon her with a keen, powerful look. She did not seem even to see him; her eyes looked out of the window at the gray shadows veiling the wintry landscape, a slight, indescribable smile dawned for a second over her white face.

'He will live,' she replied softly; I am glad of that.' She looked up and met the surgeon's level, searching gaze. 'I am glad of that,' she said again slowly, 'If such a lost wretch as I am has a right to be glad at all.—You have been very kind Mr. Otis,' She gave him her hand with some of her old frank grace. 'I will repay you some day if I can.'

He took the slim fingers in his, more moved than she knew. How could those wan little fingers work? how deadly white the young face! An infinite compassion moved him, and instant there dawned within him a love and pity that never left him. He longed with manhood's strong compassion to take this poor little wonanly martyr in his sheltering arms, and hold her there from sorrow, and suffering, and sin, it might be, in the dark days to come.

The only hours in which life and their old fire had come to the large, weary eyes of the girl, had been the hours when Peter Dangerfield had come into the death chamber, then a curious expression would set her lips hard, and kindle her furtive, ceaseless gleam in her eyes. Sir Peter! He was that now beyond a shadow of a doubt; the legal forms which would prove his right presently were only forms.

Sir Peter wore the weeds of woe well. He was pale and restless, his deep black made him look ghastly; his small, pale, near-sighted eyes blinked away uneasily from that statuesque figure sitting in tha tgreat arm chair. Mr. Otis noticed this, too; what did not those sharp eyes of his see?

'I am a poor man,' he said one evening, under his breath, as he watched the dark glance with which Katherine followed the new baronet out of the room; 'I am a poor man, and I would like to be a rich one; but for all your prospective baronetcy, all your eight thousand a year, Sir Peter Dangerfield, I would not stand in your shoes to-night.'

And now it was all over, and Katherine, trailing her black robes behind her was back at Scarswood. For the last time, Edith, she said softly to her companion, for the last time.

'Katherine,' her friend faltered, 'what do you mean? Oh, Kathie, don't look so; don't smile like that for pity sake. You make me afraid of you.

For a smile, strange and ominous, had dawned over Katherine's face as she met her friend's piteous glance.

'Afraid of me,' she repeated. 'Well, I *am* a hideous object, I dare say, by this time, and I don't dare to look in the glass for fear I should grow afraid of my self. Afraid of myself! That's just it; I am afraid of myself—horribly afraid; afraid, afraid, afraid.—Edith,' she caught her friend's arm with sudden strength, 'you like me a little now, yes, yes, I know you do; and in the years that are to come I know that you will hate me; hate and and abhor me! Edith I loved my father, dearly, dearly; but I tell you I am glad he is dead and buried to-night.'

'Oh, Katherine, Katherine.'

'I am only seventeen,' Katherine Dangerfield went steadily on, 'and I am strong and healthy, and likely to live for fifty years to come. What sort of a woman do you think I will be half or quarter of a century from now? Think of me as I am to-night, Edith Talbot, when the time comes for you to shrink at the sound of my name—an orphan, who had no father to lose, a widow in her wedding hour, a houseless, frendless wretch, trained to think herself a baronet's daughter and heiress.

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THE LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

OPENING OF THE HOUSE BY THE LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.

THE SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

THE CEREMONIES ATTENDED BY A BRILLIANT ASSEMBLAGE.

Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly.

It is with much pleasure that I once more bid you welcome to the metropolis of the Province, and that I congratulate you upon the encouraging circumstances under which you assemble for the performance of the responsible duties with which, as the representatives of the people, you have been put in charge. The public revenue for the year has been considerably exceeded the amount estimated; the year has been one of general prosperity, the result of the late abundant harvest, the general revival of trade in other contries, and the consequent demand for the products of our fields, forests, and mines; and the recent census has shown that the population of the province has in the last decade increased by nearly 800,000, and amounts to nearly two millions, notwithstanding the number of our people who, from various causes, have during several years past left the Province.

I regret that since your last session no progress has been made towards a recognition of the right of the province to that extensive portion of its territory, our title to which, notwithstanding the award of the distinguished arbitators appointed by the two Governments, the Federal authorities have continued to dispute. The grave practical evils resulting from the dispute have, since you last met, been greatly increased by an Act of the Federal Parliament transfering to the Province of Manitoba, so far as relates to provincial jurisdiction, the claim of the Dominion to the most valuable part of the disputed territory, including our organized municipalities south and east of the Height of Land. While the bill was before the House of Commons, I addressed to the Federal Government a despatch protesting, on behalf of Ontario, against this part of the intended Act. A copy of my despatch, with other papers relating to the territory, will be laid before you.

I regret that I have to refer also to the disallowance of the Act of last session for protecting the public interest in rivers, streams and creeks. The competency of the Legislature to pass the Act was not questioned, and the Act was disallowed mainly upon the ground, that the Minister of Justice did not approve of the mode or extent of the compensation which the Act gave to owners of property effected by the Act. The correspondence on the subject will be laid before you. The object of the Act is of such importance as well to those engaged in the lumber trade as to the Province in general, and the duty of asserting the right of the Legislature to deal according to its own judgment with all matters within Provincial jurisdiction is so urgent, that a bill for the same purpose as the disallowed Act will without delay be submitted for your renewed consideration.

I congratulate you that recent decisions of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council have set at rest all question as to the right of the Provincial Legislature to legislate as our interests may from time to time require, on matters on internal trade, and in particular on the law of insurance. Some further provisions seem now necessary in order to render effectual the legislation which had for its object the securing of uniform conditions in fire policies; and I invite your attention to the subject.

I regret that the right of the Province to property escheated for want of heirs—unanimously maintained by the highest courts in Ontario and Quebec, and acquiesced in by the Federal Government for several years—has, on a recent appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada by that Government in the name of the defendants in a well-known case, been negatived by a majority of the judges of the court. The case in litigation is but one of several cases of the same kind which have occurred since Confederation: and the constitutional question involved is so important, and some of the grounds on which the decision proceeds are of such far-reaching application, that I have lost no time in taking the necessary steps for obtaining a review of the judgment by her Majesty's Privy Council. There is strong reasons for expecting a favorable result.

I congratulate you on the general favor with which the Report of the Commissioners appointed to inquire into the Agricultural resources and requirements of the Province, has been received by all classes interested in agriculture. I have anxiously considered what further means may be employed to aid this great industry, and to promote the welfare of the population engaged in it. During recent years in Great Britain and other European countries, and also in the United States of America, and in the Australian colonies of Great Britain, great advantage has been found to result from the collection of reliable crop reports and other agricultural statistics. A measure to secure like advantage to this Province will be submitted for your consideration.

I have also to recommend to your consideration such changes in the law respecting the Agricultural and Arts Association as may increase the usefulness of that organization, and bring its operations into harmony with the present needs and circumstances of the country.

A bill respecting market fees will again be submitted for your consideration.

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Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry.

Change of Time.

Commencing Thursday, December 8, 1881

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Carlton........	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston........	7.41 "	4.36 "
Emery........	7.53 "	4.48 "
Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge......	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg.......	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton........	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road.......	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston......	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton........	9.25 "	6.22 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive........	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart........	9.45 "	6.50 "
Orangeville Junc	9.57 "	7.00 "
Laurel........	10.07 "	7.10 "
Crombie's......	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne......	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk........	11.05 "	8.06 "
Proton........	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale.......	11.55 "	8.55 "
Berkly........	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford....	12.21 "	9.21 "
Arnott........	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth......	12.40 "	9.40 "
Rockford.......	12.53 "	9.53 "
Owen Sound......	1.15 "	10.15 "

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford........	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth........	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott........	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford.......	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly........	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale........	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton........	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk........	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne........	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's........	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel........	8.26 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive........	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart........	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton........	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston........	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road........	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton........	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg........	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge........	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit....	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery........	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston........	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton........	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n.	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, January 20th, 1882.

Mr. Doll's adv., will appear next week, he has purchased Mr. Wilcox's stock at considerably less than 100c on the $, and intends selling for 30 days at *first cost.*

Our suggestion as to the advisability of having a cheap excursion over the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway has been adopted, and the Company announce an excursion for Monday, the 23rd inst. The train will leave Markdale at 7.—, arriving at Toronto about noon; returning, will leave Toronto at 6 p. m., thereby giving excursionists six hours in which to see the sights in the city. Fare for the round trip $1.50.

Mistakes will occur in the best regulated families, as all our readers know. An illustration of the truth of this old saying will be found in the report given of the social held at Mr. Angus McIntyre's last week in which we were made to say, through the carelessness of a compositor, that all the efforts of the genial host and hostess to make their visitors feel at home and enjoy themselves were *in* vain instead of *not* in vain. Lynch Law does not prevail in Canada otherwise there would have been a funeral in Markdale last week.

The Annual Meeting of Glenelg Ag. Society, was held in Dufferin Hall on Thursday, the 12th inst. There was a large attendance. We gave the officers elect last week. The Treasurer's report was read and recieved, also the auditors' report, everything being satisfactory. There was a balance of $113 in the Treasury, besides a paid membership for the year 1882 of 63, making a total of $179 on hand. The society have leased five acres of land from Mrs. Atkinson for ten years, and purpose building a Hall, and fencing the ground in the spring. Subscription lists are now out for the purpose of raising funds for the building and fencing, and we hope the public will be liberal in this matter, and we will have an annual show second to none in the county.

The annual meeting of the East Grey Agricultural Society was held in the Town Hall Flesherton, on Wednesday, the 18th inst.; it was not, however as largely attended as it should have been. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mr. Thomas Kells, re-elected; 1st Vice, John Abbott, ex-Deputy Reeve of Proton; 2nd Vice, D. R. Ellis, Councillor, Euprasia,—Directors—Messrs. George Wright, Osprey; S. Damude, Flesherton; A. Munshaw, Flesherton; J. McMorris, Osprey; J. Cameron, Deputy Reeve, Holland; George, Richardson, Euphrasia; Joseph McArdle, Proton; — Rutheran, Collingwood Township; and Wm. Burnett, Artemesia. Auditors, Messrs. W. Clayton and Wm. Richardson, Flesherton. Mr. S. Damude was re-elected Sec.-Treas.—The advisability of enlarging the show grounds, and building sheds for stock, was brought up for discussion, and left with the directors for further consideration.

The annual meeting of the Artemesia Ag. Society for the election of officers was held in Flesherton on the 12th inst. The following officers elected for the ensuing year, viz: President, R. Oliver; Vice-President, A. Munshaw. Directors, J. Brodie, A. Down, J. M. Webster, J. Stewart, M. Akitt, and D. Campbell. Auditors, W. Clayton, and W. F. Doll. Secretary-Treasurer, J. Brodie. It was resolved to dissolve the union with East Grey County Society and hold a Township Exhibition.

PROTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The annual meeting of the Society was held in the Orange Hall, Dundalk, on the 12th inst. There was a large number present.

Thomas Hanbury, president of the Society, in the Chair.

The Secretary's Report, in behalf of the officers and directors of the Society, was read as follows:—

To the Members of the Proton Agr. Society.

We beg leave to state that the Society is in good working order, while at the same time we regret the legal difficulties that the Society had to contend with during the past year. We feel the prosperity of the Society has been effected thereby. In the year 1880 we reported a membership of 110; this year we only report a membership of 80, showing a decrease of of 30. We would say the samples in the various classes were of a superior quality, although the number of entries were not as large as they were the previous year.

Your Directors would urge the necessity of the show being held within an inclosure in future, as your directors consider the want of an enclosure a serious loss to the society.—A. G. HUNTER, Secretary.

The Auditors' Report was read.

Several items of legal expenses in the report were brought before the meeting by the Auditors, each bill was passed by the unanimous vote of the members, and the report adopted. It showed a membership of 78, and a balance of $59.74 on hand.

The resignation of Mr. John Scarlett was handed in and laid on the table.

The election of officers and directors for the ensuing year, resulted as follows:—President, Thomas Hanbury; Vice-President, John Anderson; Directors—Robert Black, Peter McGregor, Samuel Stokes, James Rosborough, Andrew Riddle, James Robinson, George Glazier, John Rundle, John Abbott.

On motion, F. Z. Nixon and Wm. Nelson were appointed Auditors for the ensuing year.

A. G. HUNTER, Sec'y.

ORANGE NOTES.

ARTEMESIA DISTRICT.

The annual meeting of the District of Artemesia L. O. District Lodge was held in the lodge room of L. O. L. No. 1,383, on the 10th inst. There was a large attendance of the brethren. All the lodges in the District, of which there are seven, being well represented. After receiving and disposing of the reports from the private lodges to the Dristrict Lodge, and other routine business, the election of officers took place, with the following result, viz.:—District Master, Bro. James Brodie, 1,118, re-elected; D. D. M., Bro. William Wright, 509, re elected; District Chaplain, Bro. Thomas Kells, 1,383; District Secretary, Bro. John I. Graham, 1,118; District Treasurer, Bro. Jas. Elliott, 1,045, re-elected; District Director of Ceremonies, Bro. James G. Carson, 1,118. The next meeting of the District Lodge will be held at Eugenia, on the 14th of June next.

The following are the officers elect for the current year in the various lodges comprising this District:—

No. 244.—W. M., Bro. Joseph Blakely; D. M., Bro. James Best; Chap., Bro. John Hales; Secretary, Bro. George Moore; Treas., Matthew G. Orr; D. of C., George Blakely; 1st Com., Sydney Doup, 2nd Thos. Wauchub, 3rd Samuel Wauchub, 4th Robert Sample, 5th George Ludlow. Mebership 48.

No. 509.—Bros. William Wright, W. M.; William Galbraith, D. M.; Robert Morrow, Chaplain; John Graham, Secretary; Thomas Snell, Treasurer; George H. Boyce, D. of C.; 1st Com. Matthew Spear, 2nd John Snell, 3rd Joseph Beaty, 4th Robert Blair, 5th Henry Green. Membership 26.

No. 1,045.—Bros. James Elliott, W. M.; William Brady, D. M.; John W. Ford, Chap.; Allen McDougal, Secretary; Thomas Elliott, Treasurer; Joseph Dormer, D. of C.; 1st Com. John Shee, 2nd Thos. Wyvel, 3rd William Blakely, 4th Thomas Lackey, 5th William Sewell.

No. 1,118.—Bros. John I. Graham, W. M.; Robert Campbell, D. M.; Michael Akitt, Chap.; James G. Carson, Secretary; Joseph Fenwick, Treasurer; C. Armstrong, D. of C.; 1st Com. Henry Weber, 2nd John Linton, 3rd David Wright, 4th James Brodie, 5th Moses Sherwood. Membership 19.

No. 1,383.—Bros. James Lackey, W. M.; Archibald Elliott, D. M.; Thomas Boland, Chaplain; Thomas Kells, Secretary; John Boland Treasurer; Richard Shears, D. of C.; 1st Com. Samuel Lackie, 2nd John Mercer, 3rd William McLaughery, 4th Thomas Garbut, 5th Henry Wyvel. Membership 18.

No. 883.—Bros. William Rutledge, W. M.; W. A. Stone, D.M.; James Hemphill, Chap.; Frederick Gee, Secretary; Thomas McArthur, Treas.; Henry Piper, D. of C.; 1st Com. A. McRae, 2nd Angus McLeod, 3rd Andrew Rutledge, 4th R. J. Merriam, 5th William Wright. Membership 24.

No. 1,132.—Bros. Ross Robertson, W. M.; John McKee, jr., D. M.; Robert McKee, Chap.; William McKee, Secretary; John McKee, sr., Treasurer; James Fisher, D. of C.; 1st Com. Walter Simons, 2nd Alexander Madill, 3rd James Rehill, 4th William J. McMullan, 5th John R. Stafford. Membership 25.

PROTON DISTRICT.

The District Orange Lodge of Proton met at the Hall, Edgerton Corners, on January 10th, 1882, for the election of officers and general business. The following Brethren were elected: Robert Kinnel, District Master; Joseph McArdle, Deputy District Master; George Rutherford, District Chaplain; Samuel Edgerton, District Secretary; John Abbott, District Treasurer; Alexander McConnell, D. Director of Ceremonies. After the members had taken up the insurance scheme, Dr. Christoe, of Flesherton, was appointed medical examiner for the Township of Proton.

SURPRISE PARTY.

A surprise party was held under the auspices of L. O. L. No. 1132 on Friday evening the 13th inst., for the purpose of making a presentation in the shape of a purse containing ten dollars to Mrs. John McKee, the wife of the last Past Master of the lodge, for the kind and courteous manner in which the members of the lodge have been entertained since its inauguration, some three years ago, by Mr. and Mrs. McKee and family.

The address was read and the presentation made by the District Master, Brother J. Brodie, on behalf of the brethren of the Lodge. The following is the address and reply:

The Members of Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 1132, to Mrs. John McKee, of Artemesia,

GREETING:

During the past three years of the existence of our lodge, its meetings have been held in the vicinity of your dwelling, and during this period we have, from time to time, been frequent visitors to your fireside; therefore, we cannot fail to remember your pleasant welcomes, and you open, frank and generous demeanor, with your gratuitous labor to make us comfortable. We thought sometimes that we surely tresspassed on your good nature, and yet nothing in your actions showed the slightest evidence of it. We find it to be our duty as well as pleasure, as a small token in a tangible form, to present you with this purse and small sum of money, trusting that, as a true friend to the order we love, you may live to see its extensive prosperity, and your partner and family, after being true to yur country and God, we may at last meet in more exalted friendship above.

Signed, on behalf of the lodge,
ROSS ROBERTSON, W. M.
WM. J. MCKEE, SEC'Y.

Brother McKee, on behalf of Mrs McKee, thanked the brethren for their kind mark of respect towards himself and family, trusting that they all might be long spared to enjoy the same fraternal feelings of good will and respect for each other.

The after part of the evening's entertainment consisted in partaking of an excellent tea provided for the occasion by the ladies present After the inner man had been satisfied, the light fantastic toe was tripped until the "wee sma' oors," when all sepparated for the irrespective homes, well pleased with the evening's enjoyment. "Happy to meet, sorry to part, in hopes to meet again."

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

OSPREY.

A very successful Tea meeting was held in McIntyre Presbyterian Church on the evening of Dec. 28th. After tea was served, the audience was entertained for at least three hours, by a number of interesting speeches, music, readings and recitations. Conspicious among the speakers, was Rev. D. McDonald of Creemore, whose humorous speech greatly moved the resibility of the assembly. The musical talent of the Township, which was well represented, was augmented by Miss Blain of Flesherton. Mr. Wm. Hamlin of Maxwell, gave an excellent recitation in his usual vigorus style. The financial proceeds of the evening, amounted to the sum of $70, exclusive of expenses. On the following Monday there were a Sabbath School Festival and Xmas tree in the same place, on which there were presents for the young in connection with the Sunday School, to the amount of $80.00.

At the annual meeting of the Osprey Agricultural Society, the following office bearers were elected for the year 1882:—Presidedt Wm. Guy, re-elected; First Vice, Joseph Taylor,; 2nd Vice R. Y. Berk; Sec., Treas., Josiah Gamey,; Directors, Joseph McMorrison, Andrew McGirr, J. R. Sing, D. Grant, Neil McLean, and Donald Richardson; Auditors, John Kirton, and W. L. B. Hamlin.

FROM "THE TIMES."

Editor of the Times.—The veterinary department in your valuable paper is always read by me with great interest and I value the information recieved from it a hundred fold more than the small amount paid for the paper. One year ago you published a letter from Dr. John Bates, relating the wonderful success he had in curing spaving and splints with Kendall's Spavin Cure, and his allusion's to using it now in his practice for several human ailments on account of the success he has always had with it. The above statements from so prominent a Physician gave me great faith in its efficacy, and as I had been afflicted for years with rheumatism and hip-joint lameness so badly that I could hardly walk at times. I produced a bottle and as it has completely cured me I wish to proclaim it to all the world as the most wonderful discovery ever made for the benefit of afflicted man as well as for the poor horse, for which it was first used. As this remedy must be of incalculable value to the world, I write this letter to express my thankfulness to you for ever mentioning it in your columns and to ask another favor in behalf of my fellow men who are afflicted in body, that you continue to make known to the world, the great value of Kendall's Spavin Cure, for both man as well as beast.

Respectfully yours,
ARNOLD PARKER.
Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 1st, 1881.

OYSTER SUPPER.

As Dr. Armstrong has become a resident of Markdale, we thought it not amiss to clip the following from the Parry Sound paper, which speaks for itself:—

Dr. Armstrong was entertained at an Oyster Supper, given by a few of his many friends here, on the eve of his departure for a new field of practice. It appears the doctor had accepted an offer from the "front" of a good practice (with big pay I suppose) before he fully realized how difficult it would be to take himself away from his friends and his patients here. The supper was given at the Armstrong House, and after the usual toasts, the doctor's health was drank in cold water. On his response, the doctor expressed his high esteem of the people of McKeller and its neighborhood, and his sorrow for having to part from us at least for a time. The chairman Mr. S. Armstrong, expressed the sentiment of the audience when he wished the doctor success in his new undertaking, and that he would be welcome back at any time should his place here not be filled by some other physician before his return.

We cannot now afford to be without a doctor. The people have got in the habit of expecting to find a doctor at McKeller, and we hope the practice here will not be left long unoccupied.

THE ELECTRICAL GIRL WHO LIVES AGAIN.

London (Can.) Advertiser.

It is now about three years since the *Advertiser* published the story of the Electrical Girl in the township of Romney. The tale passed through nearly all of our exchanges, and occasionally re-appears now. The story in brief was that the girl was so highly charged with electricity that she could not handle any article of steel. She was a veritable magnet, and needless, knives, &c., would cling to any part of her person. The publication excited a good deal of courtesy concerning the girl, and many people called upon her at her home. Recently she was taken ill, and the local physicians were called in. She described her peculiar sensations. In her knee-joints severe pains were felt, shooting at intervals as though a battery were at work and giving her intermittent shocks. The knee began to swell, and the pains spread to other parts in her body, generally becoming parmanent in the joints. All the doctors could do was of little avail. Occassionaly slight relief would be obtained, but in wet or in murky weather the pains would redouble in violence. Finally when the doctors had given up treating her, and regarded her simply as a physiological wonder, a tramp called one day at the house. While he was being given a meal he was told about and asked premission to see the girl. He had been a soldier in the Crimean army, and while working in the trenches around St. Petersburg he contracted rheumatism in the most severe form, and noticing that the girl's symptoms agreed with his, he pronounced her to be suffering from rheumatism. The parents of the girl was over joyed, but were again cast down as they recalled the fact that the doctors had said they could do nothing for her. "Why," said the tramp, "do you want to bother the doctors about rheumatism? Get a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil. It cured me, and will cure any case. I know plenty of old soldiers who have been cured of chronic rheumatism by the use of St. Jacobs Oil." The advice was taken, and the so called Electrical Girl is to-day prepared to add her testimony to the thousands of others who bear witness to the efficacy of the great German Remedy.

To the Editor of the London (Canadian) Advertiser.

DEAR SIR:—As you have given me a good deal of notoriety by writing of me as the Electrical Girl, I thought I would write to tell yon of my condition. * * * (Here follows the recital which is summerized above.) My parents obtained a bottle of St. Jacobs Oil, and to its effects I owe the fact that I am now able to walk without pain, and the swellings in the joints have all disappeared.

Yours very truly,
SUSAN J. HOFFMAN.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

REPLY TO MR. BOLAND.

MR. EDITOR.—In last week's issue of your paper I noticed a communication from Mr. Bowland, in regard to to the late municipal election. At the close of the poll he attributed his defeat to the election being held in Markdale. Since then, it seems, he has thought better of it, and tries to lay the blame on me, the, by him presumed, Meaford Road Correspondent, for a statement made by said correspondent, about the small interest taken in that neighborhood in the election. According to his theory, a correspondent of a local paper should not interfere in local affairs, or in any way express his opinion. How wise he is. He thanks the ratepayers of the Meaford Road and vicinity for their almost unanimous support. If he thinks he got a unanimous vote from here, I am satisfied. He says "if the entire vote had been polled correctly, Mr. Elliott's majority would have been only sixteen." Count again, Mr. Boland, and you will find the majority would be eighteen. He says that he "had enough votes left to turn the scale if they had turned out." Perhaps he had; for instance, his mover and seconder.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your forbearance,

I am, yours, &c.,
JAMES BRODIE.

CREDIT VALLEY LEASE.

THE BENEFITS WHICH THE G. W. R. EXPECTS TO DERIVE.

The Chicago Tribune of Saturday contains an article from the pen of a member of its staff, who interviewed the General Manager of the Great Western Railway at Eastwood on the 1st instant, anent the recent purchase of the Credit Valley Railway by the G. W. R. authorities. The information contained in the appended extract may therefore be accepted as officially correct:—"The Great Western Railway has leased for 999 years the Credit Valley road, which runs from St. Thomas, the central point on the Canada Southern, to Toronto. A Company, backed by the Great Western, has been organized to build a line eastward from Toronto to a point of connection with the Canadian Pacific about 150 miles west of Montreal. At the commercial metropolis of Canada it will connect with the Quebec, Montreal, and Ottawa road, which in turn forms a close connection at Quebec with the Intercolonial road, whose eastern terminus is Halifax. The Quebec, Montreal, and Ottawa road is the property of the Province of Quebec. Negotiations for its purchase by Sir Hugh Allan are now on foot, and it is understood in Canadian railroad circles that his offer will be accepted. It was at first supposed that he was acting in behalf of the Grand Trunk people, but later information points conclusively to the fact that he is one of the Stephen-Osler-Childers syndicate, between whom and the Grand Trunk there has not been any harmony for several months. During the season of navigation there has for the past two or three years been an active rivalry between the Grand Trunk and Great Western over the west-bound emigrant business brought to Montreal by the Allan Steamship line. The Great Western has all along insisted that the Grand Trunk should divide the business west of Toronto, which is the common junction point of the two systems in Western Canada, and remain content with the absolute control of 330 miles of the traffic. This the Grand Trunk refuses to do, as its system touches all the important towns in Western Canada. In order to get any of the business the Great Western was obliged to enter into an alliance with the steamboat lines running on Lake Ontarion and the river St. Lawrence. This arrangement, however, was of value only during the season of navigation. When the boats ceased running on the lakes the whole of the traffic became the property to the Grand Trunk. The great Western people determined they would no longer submit. The Credit Valley road being in the market, they wisely took it in, so as to prevent its falling into the hands of the Grand Trunk; land, having thus practically two lines from the Michigan frontier to Toronto, They Came to the conclusion that they were in a position to force the fight on the Grand Trunk. To aid in this direction they joined hands with the Canadian Pacific Syndicate, and the indications are that before a year has elapsed there will be a well-built line runing through a thickly settled farming country and close enough to the Grand Trunk for a distance of 330 miles to give it as keen a competition as it may desire. It is also understood that as soon as Sr. Hugh Allan acquires the Quebec, Montreal, and Ottawa road he will make Quebec the summer terminus of the Allan Steamship line, the inland business of which will be given to the Quebec, Montreal, and Ottawa Railway. The Michigan Central will connect Chicago with this new Canadian line to the seaboard.

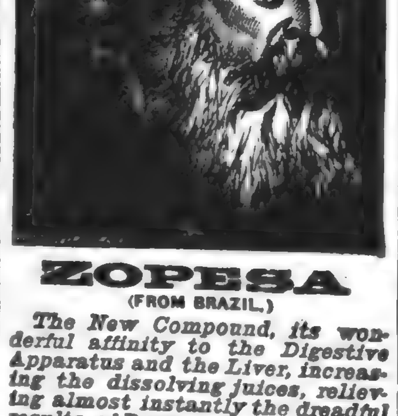
MARRIED.

MCFADYEN—MCINTYRE.—On Dec 26th, within the Presbyterian Church, McIntyre, by the Rev. John Chisholm, B. A., Mr. Donald McFadyen, Carpenter, to Miss Flora McIntyre, both of Osprey.

THOMPSON—GRAHAM.—On Dec: 28th, at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. Chisholm, Mr. Thomas Thompson, of Collingwood Township, to Miss Mary Graham, of Osprey.

MCMORRIS—WINTERS.—On Dec. 29, at the Residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. Chisholm, Mr. Daniel McMorris, printer, Collingwood, to Miss. Eliza Jane Winters, of Osprey.

BADJERO—COLGAN.—At the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. J. Chisholm, Mr. J. Bodjero, of Artimesa, to Miss. Eliza Colgan, of Osprey.



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(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.18 to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20 to	1.23
Barley "	2	.60 to	.60
Peas "	1	.69 to	.72
Oats "	1	.35 to	.36
Butter "	1	.18 to	.20
Eggs		.18 to	.20
Potatoes "		.35 to	.40
Pork "		6.75 to	7.10
Hay "		12.00 to	16.00

Notice to Contractors.

WE have a large quantity of Saw Logs, which are now mostly skidded up in the woods. A good shanty and stable also. Any person desirous of securing a contract will do well to see us at once. The distance to haul is about 2½ miles on a good road.

R. & A. NEILSON,
Proton Station.

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
Valuable Farm Property
In the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey. There will be sold by Public Auction on

TUESDAY, JAN'Y 31ST, 1882,

AT THE FLESHERTON HOTEL,

In the Village of Flesherton,

at Two o'clock p.m. the following valuable improved farm property, being Lots Nos. 201, 202 and 203 in the 2nd Range, of concession north east of the Toronto and Sydenham Road, in the Township of Artemesia. And Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, adjoining the above in the 3rd range south of the Durham Road in the Township of Osprey, containing together 168 acres more or less, of which about 100 acres are cleared and under cultivation, balance timbered with good hardwood bush. On the premises are erected a good Frame Dwelling, Log Barns and Stables. The property is watered by a spring creek crossing the Farm, and is considered one of the best farms in the Township.

Terms easy. For particulars apply to

ROBERT DAVIS,
Auctioneer, Real Estate & Insur. Agt.
Flesherton, Jan. 18th, 1882. 71-2ins.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly.
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A
PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.
ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, curbs, galls and all kinds of lameness and many other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25c., and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Dunham, P.Q., March 10th, 1879.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,
CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man,

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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, [illegible] to 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to [illegible]

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to [illegible]
The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have doubled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be well paid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now [illegible] with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $[illegible] Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING. NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

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Double Tenement, with stable, on Toronto street, Markdale.

WM. BROWN.
Markdale, Jan. 16th, 1882. 71-3t.

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ON THE LOSS OF
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WE have recently published a new edition of Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay on the radical and nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage etc., resulting from excesses.

☞ Price, in a sealed envelope, only 6 cts., or two postage stamps.

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Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to

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Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the
Highest Price in Cash!
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ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

☞ Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.
Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

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FOR THE
GREAT CLEARING SALE
—OF—
PARK & TOWN
Lots.

Also Three Dwellings and Lots, &c. on the
18th & 19th Jan., 1882,
AT DUNDALK.

Mr. R. J. DOYLE will sell by Auction 130 Town Lots, 16 Park Lots, 3 Dwellings, &c. Great Bargains may be expected. Some of the purchasers at Mr. Doyle's sale last year have resold the lot purchased at four times the price at which they purchased them. Liberal terms. One-third down; balance in three annual instalments. See large bills and maps

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A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
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TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a sure CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. WILSON, 149 Penn St., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

WANTED,

A FEMALE TEACHER, for School Section No. 16, Euphrasia, with Second or Third Class Certificate. Apply to

THOMAS NELSON,
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AGENTS Wanted [illegible] Telephone and Edison's [illegible] and Organ Music. [illegible] alogue and terms. EDISON MUSIC CO., [illegible] Phila., Pa.

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A QUANTITY OF
Telegraph Poles 50 ft. AND UPWARDS,
5,000 Cords Cedar
For which the Highest Price [illegible]
MARLE & WE[illegible]
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GOOD GALLERY.
Only First-Class work done.
Try the new Photographs
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Guarantee all my work
Remember the stand, over [illegible] Office.
All the popular styles made.
Procure the shadow ere [illegible] fades.
Have a fine assortment of Frames
So don't you go and forget [illegible]
J. L. BROWNE, [illegible]
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EUGENIA
Grist, Saw and Lath [Mills]
Having made [illegible] my Grist Mill I feel confident [illegible] good satisfaction.
GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON [HAND]
Chopping Done Every [Day]
Custom Sawing [illegible] shortest notice.
LUMBER AND LATH [illegible] ON HAND.
Cherry, Butternut, White [illegible] Basswood, Pine and Hemlock [illegible]
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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED
A victim of youthful imprudence [illegible] ture Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost [illegible] having tried in vain every known [illegible] covered a simple self cure, which he will [send] to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. [illegible] 43 Chatham St., N.Y.

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BEST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING
Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, [illegible] Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!
Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y.

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The Markdale Lodge of A. O. U. W. are making preparations to give a grand conversazione, social, musical and literary entertainment about the first week in February.

The Estrelle company are billed to produce the moral drama of Uncle Tom's Cabin, in Dufferin Hall, this, Thursday evening. They are spoken of very highly by the press throughout Canada and as they only remain one night in Markdale, we would recommend all who wish to see this thrilling piece, to not fail to attend.

Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops are an excellent Expectorant loosening the phlegm far more readily than any other preparation. For Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Tickling in the Throat and Soreness and Tightness of the Chest, they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents Markdale.

So great has been the rush of job work the past few months, that we have been compelled to purchase an additional press to enable us to keep up with the demand, and are now in a position to turn out work on the shortest notice, equal to any office in the County, and at prices which defy competition. Give us a call and judge for yourselves.

A good preventative for Fevers, Ague and Bilious Disorders is Dr. Carson's Stomach and constipation Bitters a strictly vegetable preparation. They tone the system, purify the Blood and increase the appetite, and render those taking them almost proof against disease, should be used in every case instead of pills. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents Markdale.

We are both glad and sorry this week. Glad to announce that such an energetic business man as W. F. Doll has made up his mind to go into business in Markdale; and sorry to lose our genial and whole-soul friend E. D. Wilcox, who has sold his business to Mr. Doll of Flesherton. Ed's name has become almost as familiar as "Household Words," and his smiling face will be missed for many a long day, but he has left a good man in his place, and we bespeak for him a generous support.

Never neglect a Cough or Cold as they are very apt to lead to serious Lung troubles. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops have a wonderfull effect in relieving and curing Coughs Colds and all affections of the throat and Lungs. As Dr. Carson is a well known Canadian physician of over 25 years successful practice, there is little wonder that his Remedies are so popular with the Canadian people. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents for Markdale.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

Large quantities of grain are coming into the market.

A big time at the rink on Monday evening. E. G. Gurney, champion skater of Canada, gave an exhibition of fancy skating on ice.

Remember the Auction Sale at McCullough's Hotel, Dundalk, on Saturday, Feb, 7th, when a number of cattle and sheep will be sold. For particulars, see bills.

During the past 30 days James McMillan, late of Flesherton, weighed and loaded fourteen thousand bushels of grain out of Wm. Nelson's granary. Good for Dundalk.

We notice the new arrival of Goods at the Glasgow House, consisting of Fancy Table Cloths, Tweeds, Blankets, &c.; very cheap. 50 dozen men's Collars, finest quality, stand-ups and turn-downs, at 10c each, or $1.20 per dozen. Give the Glasgow House a call.

HOW AN ARTIST TREATED HIS VISITOR.

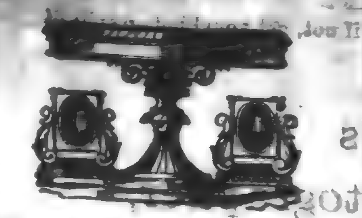
To the Editor of the Salem (Mass.) Register.

I would have accepted your kind invitation to visit you in your new quarters with pleasure before this, had not my old enemy, Mr. Rheumatism pounced on me so suddenly. He arrived last Friday, and, without stopping to send up his card, rushed in and grasped me by the hand with such a grip that in a few hours my hand and wrist were so badly swollen and painful that I felt as though one of Mr. Hatch's coal teams had run over me. Mr. Rheumatism has been a constant visitor of mine for several years; always swells and puts on a great many airs and makes himself at home, devouring my substance and leaving me poor in flesh and pocket Last winter he came and staid two months. I then made up my mind that the next time he came I would change his diet, as he has always gobbled down everything set before him I was somewhat at a loss what to feed him with, but finally concluded to give him three square meals a day of St. Jacobs Oil—morning, noon and night. This fare he is disgusted with, and is packing up his trunk and will leave by to-morrow or next day; says he cannot stop any longer as he has pressing business elsewhere. He is a treacherous fellow, and I have no doubt he intends visiting some of our Salem friends; if he does just give him the same fare that I did and he won't stop long. J. S. LEFAVOUR.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly You can devote your whole time in the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

G. GRANT.



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—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT, MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD, MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

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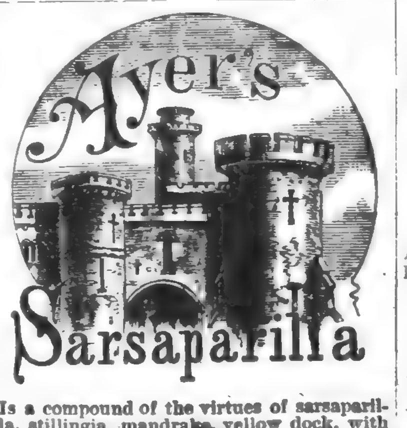

Is a compound of the virtues of sarsaparilla, stillingia, mandrake, yellow dock, with the iodide of potash and iron, all powerful blood-making, blood-cleansing, and life-sustaining elements. It is the purest, safest, and most effectual alterative medicine known or available to the public. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy, nor one so potent to cure all diseases resulting from impure blood. It cures Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Pimples and Face-grubs, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Mercurial Disease, Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, and General Debility.

By its searching and cleansing qualities it purges out the foul corruptions which contaminate the blood and cause derangement and decay. It stimulates and enlivens the vital functions, promotes energy and strength, restores and preserves health, and infuses new life and vigor throughout the whole system. No sufferer from any disease which arises from impurity of the blood need despair who will give AYER'S SARSAPARILLA a fair trial.

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Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

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And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

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MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

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General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

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Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

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to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

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GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

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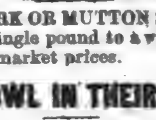
Wholesale and Retail



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Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881.

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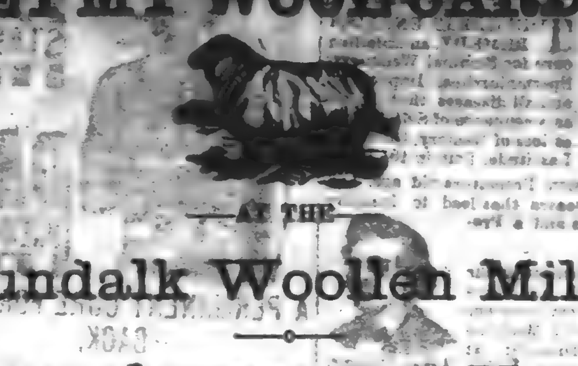

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 26, 1881. 67-tf

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THE "GLASGOW HOUSE,"

DUNDALK.

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six months since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new large stock of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

MILLINERY.

HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,

Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c, worth 15c. BLACK CASHMERES for 25c. worth 40c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Tablings from 20c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. ☞ Call and inspect goods before purchasing

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

"Glasgow House Noted."

Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. a-ly

SEE, SEE,

Bargains. Bargains.

LOOK here, John, my dear, we'll deal at TAYLOR'S from this out. I was there yesterday and you can get better value for your money than at any other house in Dundalk. I tell you it is a square place to deal.

TEA, SUGARS, —AND— GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS.	HATS & CAPS, Women's Coats, DRESS GOODS, &c., &c	R. M. CLOTHING and Ordered, BEAUTIFUL TWEEDS AND WORSTEDS.	BOOTS —AND— SHOES! OF ALL KINDS.

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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE.

R. F. TAYLOR.

Dundalk, September 2nd 1881. 1-6m.

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 23, 1881. 67

FRUIT.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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BOOTS AND SHOES!

FOR THE MILLION.

HATS AND CAPS FOR EVERYBODY.

GROCERIES!

Fresh and at the very lowest prices. Cash and Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods.

No Trouble to show Goods. Come and Examine for Yourselves.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, November 4th, 1881. 14

ChristmaS!

IS CLOSE AT HAND, AND ALL THE NECESSARIES FOR THE GOOD CHEER USUALLY INDULGED IN AT THAT SEASON WILL BE REQUIRED SUCH AS

Raisins, Currants, Spices,

SUGARS, TEAS, COFFEES, &c.,

and no better place in Markdale can be found to obtain these articles and at bottom prices, than at

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—IN THE—

DRY GOODS LINE!

WE ARE SECOND TO NONE.

You will need a New Suit for the Holidays, and our all-wool Tweeds—Scotch English and Canadian, cannot be surpassed in this section of country, and we sell as low, as any other firm in Markdale In all branches of the above line of goods you will find we are not behind the times, and we guarantee all our goods to be just as we represent them. Give us a call, and we feel assured we can supply you with all you need, and at satisfactory prices.

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Other measures which will probably be laid before you, and to which I invite your attention are a bill for amending and consolidating the law respecting line fences, ditches and water courses; a bill to provide for a general law for the construction of waterworks by cities, towns and villages; a bill providing for the crossing of railway tracks by streets and other roads; a bill for the inspection of boilers, with a view to affording additional securities against explosions; a bill to make provision for maintaining and promoting the public health; a bill for simplifying the laws concerning real property and conveyancing; a bill to remove some defects in the law of evidence; a bill to place on a more satisfactory footing the law of libel in certain cases; and a bill to facilitate the establishment of free libraries.

It having become necessary in the interests of settlement and revenue, to place under timber license a few townships lying to the south of French River and Lake Nipissing districts, the activity of the timber trade last year afforded a favorable opportunity of selling at public auction the right to cut the pine timber in these townships, covering the limited area of 1,321 square miles; and it is gratifying to know that the result was most satisfactory, the sale having (among other advantages) increased the available means of the Province by nearly three-quarters of a million of dollars, besides adding to the revenue the annual rent to which the purchasers are liable, and the dues on the timber which they may cut.

In consequence of circumstances not within the control of either government, the accounts between the Province and the Dominion are still unsettled; and the money coming from the Common School fund for local improvements in the counties in which the lands that produced the fund are situate, has not yet been received by the Province. In view of the prolonged delay, I recommended the payment of the principal (about $125,000) to the counties interested, out of the consolidated revenue of the Province, in anticipation of the receipt of the money from the Dominion.

The subject of constructing new Provincial buildings adequate to the growing requirements of the Province, and the necessities of the public service, has continued to receive my attention during the past year. Much more time than had been expected was consumed in procuring necessary modifications to be made in the plans received previously to your last session and in the preparation of the specifications. The preliminary work has now been completed; tenders have been called for; and the result will be communicated to you.

The Public Accounts, showing the receipts and expenditure of the past year, and the estimates of moneys required for the services of the current year, will be laid before you. The estimates have been prepared with every regard for economy consistent with the public interest.

I cannot allow the present opportunity to pass without expression in my own name, and in that of the people of this province, the grief and indignation which, in common with the whole civilized world, we felt at the shocking and unprovoked murder of the late honoured and lamented President of the United States. By no community was President Garfield's death more sincerely mourned than by the people of Ontario.

In now dismissing you to the onerous and important labours in which for some time you will be engaged, I desire to express the hope that your deliberations and decisions will, as on former occasions, be such as to manifest your wisdom and your patriotism, and as will contribute to the continued development of the varied resources of our great Province, and to the increased well-being of its inhabitants.

After the delivery of the speech the floor of the House was cleared, and in a few minutes an adjournment was declared

His Honour then left the Chamber and returned to Government house.

The Speaker took the chair at 3.45 p.m.

ANSWER THIS.—Did you ever know any person to be ill without inaction of the Stomach, Liver or Kidneys, or did you ever know one who was well when either was obstructed or inactive; and did you ever know or hear of any case of the kind that Hop Bitters would not cure? Ask your neighbor the same question.—*Times.*

HE USED TO BE A BOY HIMSELF.

The other day a show came to Little Rock and was shamefully imposed upon by Uncle Isom. While standing near the tent he saw a crowd of low spirited boys grieving on account of financial depression.

'Does yer yongsters wanter go to der show?' he asked.

The boys responded in noisy chorus

'Well, come on, den. I uster be a chile myself, an' unlike de' mos' of men, I hain't forgot it. Count dese boys,' he added, addressing the door keeper. The man began counting, and by the time the boys had passed in Isom was walking around, talking to acquaintances from the plantations.

'Here,' said the showman, 'give me twenty tickets.'

'What for? Does yer think me a lottery agent?'

'You passed in twenty boys, and I want the tickets or the money.'

"I doan owe yer no tickets, and I doan owe yer no money. I didn't tell yer ter pass de boys in. I said count 'em. I's always heard that showmen is good on rithmatic, an' I wanted to satisfy myself. Yer say dat dar was twenty boys. I doan' spute your word, case I ain't no mathertician. Sposen I take a lot ob boys to der bank an' axes him to count 'em, does dat signify dat de cashier is gwine ter pass 'em into de money room? No sah. Go back ter yer tent; I sees a crowd going in.'

The showman, remembering that he had left the entrance unguarded, turned and Isom walked away.—*Little Rock Gazette.*

A GOOD FILTER.

To have pure water in the house every family should have good filter, the health and comfort depends largely upon the use of properly filtered water. The liver is the same filter for the blood, and Burdock Bitters keep the liver and all the secretory organs in a healthy condition. It is the grand blood purifier, liver regulating tonic.

A CURE FOR HEADACHE.

What physician has ever discovered a cure for headache? Echo answers none. But Burdock Blood Bitters by their purifying, invigorating, nervine properties afford a cure in nearly every case. The health-giving principles of this remedy are unequalled by any similar preparation in the world.

A WOMAN WHO "SHOORD" A BEAR.

About 12 o'clock last Monday evening a lady living on First Avenue in Wood River City, Col., was followed home from Main St. by what she took to be a large New foundland dog. Arriving home, she paused at the door to open it, but it was some time before she succeeded. During this delay the animal got quite close to her, and as seemed harmless the lady called him in. Her surprise may be imagined when, in striking a light, she saw a huge black faced bear looking at her showing his teeth as if grinning at her mistake! more dead than alive the lady opened the door, and gathering her skirts as women sometimes do, began shooing the bear. Bruin, as if approaching the gravity of the situation, hurried out, whereupon the frightened lady fell into a chair, and did not recover her presence of mind for at least fifteen minutes, when she ran to a neighbor's and told of her adventures.—*Wood River Times.*

THE SECRET OF BEAUTY.

No cosmetic in the world can impart beauty to a face that is disfigured by unsightly blotches arising from impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters is the grand purifying medicine for all humors of the blood. It makes good blood and imparts the bloom of health to the most sallow complexion.

BENEFITS OF A CLASSICAL EDUCATION.

By a recent change in the curriculm of the Milwaukee high school, Greek has been dropped from the studies, though Latin is still retained, and a city paper regards the dropping of Greek as a mistake. We think so, too. Years ago we held old foggy notions upon educational matters, and thought that English ought to be taught in the public schools. It seemed to us that as English was the language of the country and the English science the only ones used in business, it could not do the children any particular harm to teach them a little English occasionally—not too much, so that it would interfere with their Greek, Latin, painting, drawing and dancing, but enough so they could buy two yards of factory cloth at eight cents a yard and feel satisfied in their minds that it came to ten cents. We were running a little country paper at that time, and work as hard as ever we might we could not make any money, and we could not account for it. One day we dropped into a school examination, where Latin was being peeled off in great flakes, and Greek was being talked into a man filing a circular saw. We saw at once where we were making our life a failure and wasting our energies, we returned to the office determined to remedy the defect. We opened on the public the next week with plenty of Latin and Greek and the effect was wonderful. The public had been suffering for just that kind of thing and the edition was exhausted. Subscriptions began to pour in from alll quarters; we enlarged the paper and came to Milwaukee, still crowding its columns with Latin and Greek. The public knows the rest. Money has flowed in upon us so that we have to keep a man with a splint broom at the door to sweep it back. This is what Latin and Greek has done for us, and we can truthfully say that we had rather see a boy able to write a beautiful essay in Greek any time, than see him hanged for horse stealing. It is more creditable to him.—Milwaukee Sun.

CHILBLAINS.

These troublesome complaints may be speedily cured by Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great rheumatic remedy, which, as an external application and as an internal remedy has a wider range of usefulness than any similar preparation in the world. All druggists sell it. 25c.

Two highwaymen recently stole a New York editor's pocketbook, and then dashed toward the ferry. They were of course captured, as they didn't have enough money to cross.

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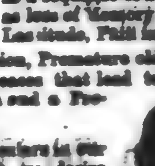

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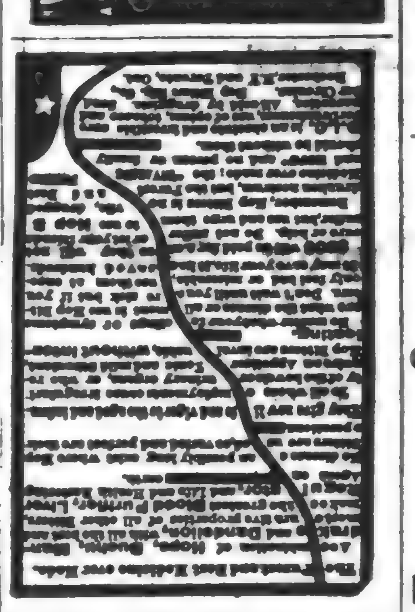

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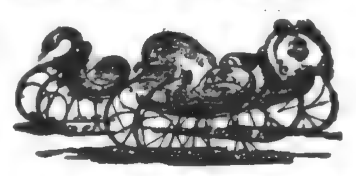

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MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
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and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

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Call and Inspect our Work!

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CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

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SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

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TRUNKS,

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Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

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RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

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N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken.

Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1881. 16.

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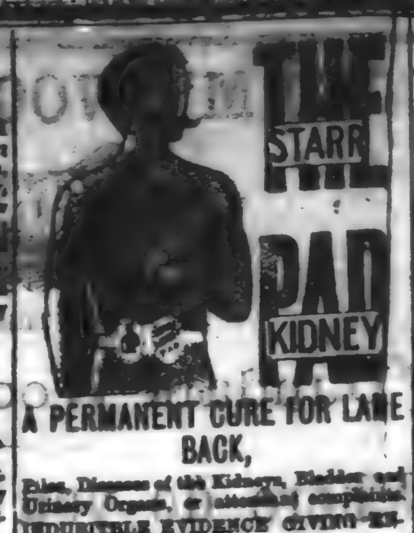
R. & A. NEILSON,

1881. Proton Station.

Strayed

FROM THE PREMISES OF JOHN Sammon, Lot 2, Concession 11, Euphrasia, a 1-year Heifer, all red. Any information as to its whereabouts will be thankfully received. 60 tf



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Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

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Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

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Marble Works

Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

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Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL CURES RHEUMATISM

FREEMAN'S WORM POWDERS.

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—45 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS,

On the premises or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

OH, HEAR, OH, HEAR, OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

New Cash Store.

HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES LATELY OCCUPIED BY TURNER & CO., HAVE NOW ON HAND A FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF

Dry Goods, Groceries,

MANTLES,

READY-MADE CLOTHING

OVERCOATS,

BOOTS AND SHOES,

Crockery and Glassware!

LAMPS, &c., &c.

The above stock has been purchased for cash at a season when the importers are running off their surplus stock at and under cost to make room for their spring importations, consequently I am in a position to give bargains to those who are able to buy their goods for cash. **Call and see for yourselves and you will be sure to call again.**

HENRY FOSTER.

Markdale, November 15th, 1881. 63ly

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North of Scotland Money!

AND PRIVATE FUNDS.

TO LOAN on Farm Security at 6 and 6½ per cent. yearly, and on the most favorable terms of repayment offered by any Agent or Money Lender in Ontario. No Fines. Expenses reduced to the lowest possible figure. Parties wanting to borrow will please communicate by letter to the undersigned, Box 51, Shelburne, or call personally on Mondays. All communications promptly attended to.

GEO. RUTHERFORD, Loan Agent.

FARMS FOR SALE.

I am authorized to sell a large number of Improved and Unimproved Farms exceedingly cheap. Parties wanting to buy should communicate with me by letter, stating kind of property wanted, or call personally on Mondays. Particulars will be given respecting location, terms, and price of the class of property wanted.

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INSURANCE.

All kinds of property insured in First-class English and Canadian Stock Companies, at low rates. GEO. RUTHERFORD, District Agent.

CONVEYANCING.

Deeds, Wills, Mortgages, Leases, Assignments, Agreements, &c., neatly and properly executed. Charges moderate.—G. W. RUTHERFORD, Con. and Com. in B. R., Shelburne.

N. B.—By giving a week's notice can arrange to meet parties at Dundalk or any point named.—GEO. RUTHERFORD.

November 29th, 1881. 64.3m.

WILLIAM STRAIN,

Dealer in all kinks of

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,

Sewing Machines, Ogans,

Fanning Mills, Tin and Copperware

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton

Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 38 tf

We desire to announce to our patrons and the public generally that we have just received our annual and well selected stock of

FANCY GOODS!

CONSISTING OF

Ladies' Work Boxes, Ladies' and Gents' Writing Desks, Photograph Albums, Autograph Albums, Mental Photographs, Card Cases, Vases, and Toilet Sets, Moustache Cups, Shaving Mugs, Dolls, &c., &c.

In **BOOKS** we have a choice assortment, including Landscape, Poets, Bibles, Revised Testaments, Church Services, Prayer and Hymn Books, Miscellaneous Presentation Books, and Children's Picture Books. Christmas Cards—a very fine collection. A good supply of TOYS, &c., all suitable for Xmas Presents and New Year's gifts.

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SASH,

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HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

LATE IMPORTATIONS!

Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods!

To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

IN BOOTS AND SHOES

We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glassware

Is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881.

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

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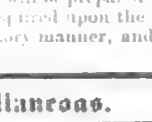

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Estimates on work free.

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Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

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☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

E. G. LUCAS, Manager.

Dundalk, Sept. 1, 1881. 1-ly

DUNDALK Meat Market!

NEXT Door to Hanbury's Boot and Shoe Store, Dundalk. Beef, Pork, Mutton, and Sausage always on hand. Fish and Poultry in their season. Meat delivered to any part of the Town.

N. B.—Farmers having Fat Cattle or Sheep to dispose of, would do well to let me know, as I will pay Cash for such. 16 ly.

W. BUNDLE,

E. HUMFRIES,

Undertaker!

AND CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand a full stock of COFFINS of all sizes and prices. Shrouds, Gloves, Crape, and Coffin Trimmings, constantly keep on hand for sale. Also a full stock of

Household Furniture.

Picture Framing a specialty.

A STOCK OF

Watches and Clocks!

which will be sold very cheap for cash. A call is solicited.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-4t

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,

DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with

WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB-SLEIGHS,

Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

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J. C. ATKINSON, TAILOR,

Having removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.

—LATEST—

Fashion Plates!

RECEIVED REGULARLY.

CHARGES MODERATE.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Remember the Place

NEXT DOOR TO NELSON'S STORE, MAIN STREET.

Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 13-6m.

THOS. MATHEWS,

WISHES to tender to his numerous customers his sincere thanks for their very liberal patronage during the 15 years he has been in the Harness Business in Markdale, and would respectfully solicit a continuance of [illegible], feeling confident that he can give Entire Satisfaction. Everything usually kept in a

FIRST-CLASS HARNESS ESTABLISHMENT,

always on hand, and sold at moderate rates.

☞ None but good workman employed and the best of materials used.

Markdale Nov. 18, 1880 1o

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Every Working Day.

By Thomas Smith.

Except Fridays and Saturdays until noon when he will be in Flesherton.

☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

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ST. JACOBS OIL

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Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil as a *safe, sure, simple* and *cheap* External Remedy. A trial entails but the comparatively trifling outlay of 50 Cents, and every one suffering with pain can have cheap and positive proof of its claims.

Directions in Eleven Languages.

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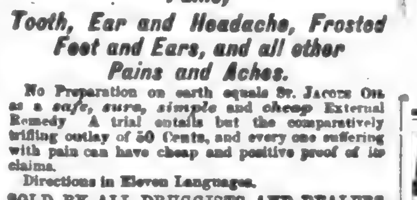

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—AND—

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COFFINS,
CASKETS,
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and all

FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,

supplied on the shortes notice.

A Splendid Hearse

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FURNITURE!

From the Common to the

Best and Latest Styles,

in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

ROBT. ASKIN.

CUTTERS AND SLEIGHS!

IN GREAT VARIETY.

THE CHEAPEST!

BECAUSE THEY ARE

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IN THE MARKET.

Any Number or Style!

Promptly supplied from stock on the shortest notice. All manufactured by skilled mechanics, with good material in the

Latest and most improved Stdle.

Special attention is also directed to the large and very superior stock of second growth

HICKORYA ND WHITE OAK!

purchased from one of the best factories in Canada, sufficient to manufacture over fifty Waggons and Carriages for the coming season. Intending purchasers should not fail to make an inspection of my stock and save money.

SPECAL ATTEDTION TO REPAIRING & HORSESHOEING.

☞ Remember the place—second door to Butter & Rae's.

D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS

AND A

Happy New Year.

THE Subscriber desires to call the attention of those about to commit matrimony, that he is prepared to furnish

WEDDING CAKES,

and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the

Most Artistic style,

and of a flavor and quality, that cannot be surpassed.

SOIREES,

AND

Surprise Parties!

Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.

IN THE

Article of Bread!

I DEFY COMPETITION,

And will deliver it at the residences of all who may favor me with their patronage.

A. DUNLOP.

Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. 66-3m

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

Chapter XV. *Continued.*

The passion within her was rising now, strong, but surely rising. Her hands were clenched, her eyes bright in the creeping dusk, her voice deep, suppressed, and intense. Edith Talbot clasped her two hands caressingly round her arm, and looked beseechingly up in her face.

'Not houseless, not friendless, Katherine, darling, never that while my brother and I live. Oh, come with us, let Morecambe be your home let me be your sister, I love you, dear—indeed I do and never half so fondly as now. Come with us, and give up those dark and dreadful thoughts that I know are in your mind. Come, Kathie—darling—come.'

She drew her friend's face down and kissed it again and again. And Katherine held her tight for one moment, and then let her go.

'It is like you Edith,' she only said, 'like you and your brother. But then it was always the weakness of your house to take the losing side. I do not say much, but, believe me, I am very grateful. And now, my little pale pet I will send you home—you are worn out in your loyal fidelity to your fallen friend. I will send you home, and to morrow or next day you will come back to Scarswood.'

'To-morrow or next day! But when I come back to Scarswood shall I find Katherine here!'

Katherine was standing where the light fell strongest. She turned abruptly away at these words.

'Where else should you find me! You don't think Peter Dan—nay. I beg his pardon, Sir Peter will turn me on the street for a day or two at least. Here is your brother, Edith—I don't want to meet him, and I would rather be alone. You must go.'

The words sounded ungracious, but Edith understood her—understood the swift impetuous kiss, and the flight from the room. She wanted to be alone—always the impulse of all wild animals in the first throbs of pain. And though Katherine showed in no way nor even much looked it, Edith knew how the wound was bleeding inwardly, and that it was just such strong natures as this that would suffer most, and would suffer muterly.

'Going to stay all night at Scarswood alone, deuced strange girl that,' the squire grumbled. 'Never shed a tear since it all happened, they say—a woman that dosen't cry is a woman of wrong sort. She got Otis to fetch around that coxcomb Dantree, but now that she got him fetched around, what is she going to do with him? She's got to walk out in a day or two and leave that little cad of and attorny lord of the manor. She never says a word or lifts a finger to help herself. And I used to think that girl had pluck.'

'What would you have her do? What can she do?' his sister demanded, impatiently. 'What can any woman do when she is wronged, but break her heart and bear it?'

'Some women are devils, just that,' the young squire responded, gravely; 'and I believe to my soul Katherine Dangerfield has more of the devil in her than even the generality of woman. If Messieurs Dantree and Dangerfield have heard the last of their handiwork, then I'm a Dutchman. If Katherine Dangerfield can't have justice, take my word for it, Miss Talbot, she'll have revenge.'

His sister said nothing—she shivered beneath her sables and looked back wistfully towards Scarswood. She loved her friend truly and greatly, as girls rarely love; and, as Katherine had said, it was ever the way of her chivalrous race to take the losing side—a way that in troubled times gone by has cost more than one Talbot his head. A vison rose before her of Katherine alone in those empty, dark rooms, where death had been so lately, brooding with that pale, sombre face over her wrongs.

'With her nature, it is enough to drive her to madness or suicide,' Miss Talbot thought. 'I will go back to-morrow and fetch her with me, say what she will. To be left to herself is the very worst thing that can happen her now.'

Katherine was not alone, however. There had followed their carriage to Scarswood another, and that other contained the heir and the late baronet's lawyer. Mr. Mansfield, the Castleford solicitor, was talking very earnestly, concerning that unsigned and invalid will.

'You will pardon the liberty I take, Sir Peter, in urging you to do this poor young lady justice. Probably you need no urging—you have been her friend, who so recently thought yourself her cousin. Your late excellent uncle was my friend since your earliest youth—I know and you know how he loved his daughter—Katherine, I mean. I trust and believe, Sir Peter, you will do her justice.'

The smile on the face of the new baronet might have damped the old solicitor's hope could have seen it, but the fast-closing night hid it as he lay back in the cushions.

'How, pray, Mr. Mansfield?'

The sneer was just preciptable. It was there, however, and the lawyer remarked it.

'By giving her at once the three thousand pounds he wished to leave her in that unsigned will, if will it can really be called, drawn in formally by himself, and speaking of her only. I suppose the knowledge of this woman Vavasor's power, and his dread of her, prevented him from making his will properly, months ago. But to those three thousand pounds, the remains of his late's wife's portion, you, at least, Sir peter, have no shadow of moral right. Legally, of course, every thing is yours, but law, as you know, it not always justice.'

'I beg your pardon, Mr. Mansfield,' the other interupted cooly; "law and justice in this case go hand-in-hand. My late lamented uncle tried his best to defraud me of my rights—you can't deny that.'

'He is dead, Sir Peter, and you know the old Latin proverb: "Speak no ill of the dead."

'If truth be ill, it must be spoken, though the dead had been a king instead of a baronet; and I claim that I have a legal and moral right to everything—everything, you understand Mr. Mansfield—this three thousand pounds and all. I think, on the whole Miss Katherine Dangerfield has every reason to be thankful for the life of ease and luxury she has led—she who, for ought we know, might have been a beggar born. There is no need to get angry, Mr. Mansfield—I am speaking truth."

"Then am I to understand, Sir Peter," the lawyer said, raising his voice, "that you refuse to do her even this scant justice—that you mean to send her forth penniless into the world to make her own way as she best can? I am to understand this?"

"My good fellow—no," the young baronet said, in the slowest, laziest and most insolent of tones; "nothing of the sort—I shan't turn my late fair relative into the world. She shall live and enliven Scarswood and me by her charming presence as long as she pleases. But you will kindly allow me to make my own terms with her, and be generous after my own fashion. May I ask if it is to visit and condole with Miss Dangerfield that you are on your way to Scarswood now? I suppose we must call her Miss Dangerfield for convenience sake—her own name, if she had a legal right to a name, being enveloped in a delightful cloud of mystery any romance. I wonder how she finds it to be a heroine?"

"Sir Peter Dangerfield," the old lawyer began hotly; but the old baronet waived his hand authoritively.

'That will do, Mr. Mansfield. I have been in your office, I admit, and I have been an impoverished attorney while you were a well to do solicitor; perhaps you had a right to dictate to me then. Our relations have changed, I deny your right now. Be kind enough to keep your temper, and for the future, your advice.'

And then Sir Peter folded his small arms across his small chest, and looked with the malicious delight of a small nature through his eye glass at a discomfited solicitor.

'Owe him a good many home thrusts,' the baronet thought, with a chuckle. 'I think I have paid off one itstalment at least, I shall pay off all I owe before long.'

They reached Scarswood—dark and gloomy the old house looked up in the chill, gray, wintry twilight. A crescent moon swung over the trees, and the stars, bright and frosty, were out. No light gleamed anywhere along the front of the building; except the soughing of the night wind, no sound reached their ears.

'If one believed in ghosts, Scarswood looks a fit place for a ghostly carnival to-night.' Mr. Mansfield thought; 'It is like a haunted house. I wonder can poor Sir John's shade rest easy in the tomb, with his one ewe lamp at the mercy of this contemptible little wolf?'

'I am going to the library, Mansfield,' the new baronet said, with cool familiarty. 'If you or Miss Dangerfield wants me, you can send for me there. Only this promise; I will come to no other terms with her in your presence What I have to say to her, I shall say to her alone.'

He opened the library door, entered and closed it with an emphatic bang. The elder man looked after him on the landing.

'What does the little reptile mean? I don't half like the tone in which he speaks of Katherine. He doesn't maen to—no, he daren't—no man dare insult her in the hour of her downfall.'

He sent a servant to announce his presence, the French girl Ninon: she came to him in a moment, and ushered him into the room where Katherine sat alone.

It was her old familiar sitting room or boudoir, all fitted up with crimson and gilding, for she had ever liked bright colors. The firelight leaping in the grate alone lit it now, and before the fire, lying back in a great carved and gilded chair, Katherine sat. The bright cushions against which her head lay threw out with starting relief the gashtly palor of her face, and the dead black of her dress. How changed she was—how changed—how changed out of all knowledge. And there were people who had called her cold, and heartless and unfeeling because he had sat with dry eyes and still face beside her dead. 'Unfeeling;' and worn and altered like this.

She looked round and held out her hand, with a faint shadow of her former bright smile, to her friend.

'My dear,' he said, very gently, 'I do not intrude upon you too soon do I? But I could not wait; I came with Sir Peter straight from the funeral here. As things stand now, the sooner your affairs are settled the better.'

She lifted her head a little and looked at him.

'Peter Dangerfield here—so soon. He is in haste to take possession. Does he intend to remain all night? and am I to leave at once?'

'You are not to leave until you see fit, for a thousand Peter Dangerfields. I don't know whether he intends remaining over night or not; certainly not, though, I should say, if you should object.'

'I! What right have I to object? The house is his and everything in it. He is perfectly justified in taking possession at once, and turning me out if he sees fit.

'He will never do that, my child; and I think—I hope—I am sure he will act as common justice requires, and give you at once the three thousand pounds your father bequeathed to you in that unsigned will.

She half rose from her chair; a light flashed in her face; a rush of passionate words leaped to her lips. Mr. Mansfield drew back. It was the old fiery temper breaking threw the frozen calm of those latter days of despair. But all at once she checked herself; she who never before had checked a single emotion. She sank back slowly into her seat, and a strange set expression hardened her mouth.

'You think so, Mr. Mansfield; you thind he will be generous enough for that? And it is in his power not to give it if he likes—those three thousand pounds?'

'Certainly, it is in his power; but no one save the verriest monster would think of acting a part so thoroughly mean and base. He has come into a great fortune suddenly and unexpectedly, and you have lost one. Surely no wretch lives on earth so utterly despicable as to wish to retain also the portion of the late Lady Dangerfield. Sir John's last effort was to sign that will; it ought to be the most sacred thing on earth to Sir John's successor.'

She listened very quietly, the shadow of a scornful smile on her face.

'Mr. Mansfield, I am afraid there is some thing wanting in your knowledge of human nature, in your opinion of Sir Peter Dangerfield. You forget how long this new made baronet has been defrauded of his rights as heir presumptive. You forget that same months ago I refused to marry him; that I even insulted him; my abominable temper, Mr. Mansfield.—You forget he owes me a long debt, and that it is in his power to repay me And I think Sir Peter is a gentleman who will conscientiously pay every debt of that sort to the uttermost farthing.'

'My dear Miss Dangerfield—'

'And that is still another injury,' the girl said. 'I have presumed to wear an honorable and ancient name; I, a nameless waif and stray, born in an almhouse or a hovel, very likely. And you think he will really give this three thousand pounds to me? Did he tell you so, Mr. Mansfield?

'No, he told me nothing.' The old lawyer shifted away uneasily as he spoke, from the strange expression in the large, steadfast eyes. 'He said he would see you alone, and make his terms with you. I infer from this that he intends to do something. He is in the library; shall I go and send him here, or would you rather it were to morrow?'

She was silent a moment, looking into the fire, her mouth set in that hard, straight line. He watched her uneasily. He could not understand her any more than the others. Was she going to take it quietly and humbly like this? she, who two weeks ago had been the proudest girl in Sussex Was she going to accept Peter Dangerfield's dole of charity and thank him for his generosity? or did those compressed lips, the dry, bright glitter of those eyes, speak of coming tempest and revolt? He was out of his depth altogether.

'Well, my dear,' he said, fidgeting, 'shall I send him or—'

She looked up aroused from her trance.

'Send him by all means,' she said 'Let us see how generous Peter Dangerfield can be.

He got up, walked irresolutely to the door, hesitated a moment, then came suddenly back.

'And Kathie,' he said impetuously, if you should fling his miserable dole back in his face, don't fear that you shall ever want a home. I have no daughters of my own; come with me to Castleford, and brighten the life of two old humdrum people. Come and be *my* daughter for the rest of your days.'

He gave her no time to answer; he hurried away and rapped smartly at the library door. Peter Dangerfield's small, colorless face looked out.

'What is it?' he asked. 'Am I to go up stairs?'

'You are,' responded Mr. Mansfield, curtly; 'and as you deal with that poor child in her trouble, may the good, just God deal with you. I shall remain here and take her home with me if she will come.'

Peter Dangerfield smiled; an evil and most sinister smile.

'I think it extremely likely she *will* go,' he said. 'The two-story brick dwelling of Mr. Mansfield, the solicitor, will be rather an awkward change after the gaiety and grandeur of Scarswood, but then, beggars mustn't be choosers.'

He walked straight upstairs, still a smile on his face—still with that exulting glow at his heart.

'You have had your day, my lady,' he said, 'and you walked over our heads with a ring and a clatter. You queened it right royally over us, and now the wheel has turned, and my turn has come. There is not a slight, not a sneer, not an insult of yours, my haughty, uplifted Miss Dangerfield, that I do not remember; that I will not repay to-night.'

He opened the door without ceremony, and walked in. The room was brightly lighted now; she had lit the clusters of wax tapers in the chandeliers, and stirred the fire into a brighter blaze. With its crimson and gold hangings and upholstery, its rich velvety carpets, its little gems of paintings, its carved and inlaid piano, its mirrors, its lights, its warmth and perfume, it looked, as he opened the door, a rich and glowing picture of color and beauty. And in the trailing black dress, and with her white, cold face, Katherine, the fallen queen of all this grandeur, stood and looked at him as he came in.

She had left her seat, and was leaning lightly against the mantle, her hands hanging loosely, clasped before her. On those wasted hands rich rings flashed in the firelight, and on the left still gleamed Gaston Dantree's betrothal pirclet, a heavy band of plain gold. It was the first thing Peter Dangefield saw. He laughed slightly and pointed to it.

'You wear it still, then, my fair Cousin Katherine. And he will recover, Otis says. Well, who knows? You were madly in love with him when you were a baronet's daughter. He may prove faithful, and think better of jilting you when he recovers, and we may have the wedding after all. Let us hope so. He has used you badly; infernally, I may say—but then your angelic sex is ready to forgive the man they love seventy times seven.'

He took his place opposite her, and they looked each other straight in the eyes. It was the grave defiance of two duelists to the death.

'Was that what you came here to say, Sir Peter Dangerfield?'

'No, Katherine—I wonder if your name realy *is* Katherine, by the way; I must ask Mrs. Vavasor; I came here at old Mansfield's request to talk business and money matters. How nice it is for you, my dear, to have so many friends in the hour of your downfall; the Talbots, the Mansfields and that heavy dragoon, De Vere, who will do anything under heaven for you—well, except, perhaps, marry you. And you looklike a queen uncrowned to-night, my tall, stately Miss Dangerfield; not good looking, you know, my dear—you were never that—but majestic and dignified, and uplifted, and all that sort of thing. Ah! how are the mighty fallen, indeed! Only a fortnight ago you stood here ruling it like a very princess, on my soul, monarch of all I surveyed; and now, there isn't a beggar in the streets of Castleford poorer than you.'

She stood dead silent, looking at him. How his eyes gleamed; how glibly his venomous tongue ran. His little form actually seemed to dilate and grow tall in this hour of his triumph.

'And that other night,' he went on; 'do you remember it, Kathie? Oh, let me call you by the old familiar name to the last! That other night when I—a poor, pettifogging attorney, as I think I have heard Mr. Dantree call me—I had the presumption in the conservatory to as you to be my wife. It was presumption, and I richly deserved the rebuff I got for my pains; I deserved even to be called a 'rickety dwarf.' No one knows it better than I. You the heiress of Scarswood, and I not worth a rap. If I had been good-looking, even, like that angelic Dantree, with the face and voice of a seraph; but ugly and a dwarf, and only an attorney withal, you served me precisely right, Katherine. You adored beauty, and Dantree was at your feet; you worshiped him, and he worshipped your—fortune; a very common story. What a pity the Fates did not make us both hansome instead of clever. What chance has brains against beauty, particularly in a woman? You served me right, Katherine, and now, in return, I am to come before you to-night, and offer you three thousand pounds; mine to give or keep as you please.

He paused, his whole face glowing with sardonic light. Hers never changed.

'Go on,' she said in a perfectly steady voice.

He came a step nearer. What did that strange demonical light in his eyes mean now? She saw it, but she never flinched.

'Katherine,' he said, 'I can do better for you than that. What is a pitiful three thousand pounds to the late heiress of eight thousand per annum? I can do better for you, and I will. Why should you leave Scarswood at all; why not remain here as mistress still—with *me*?'

'Go on,' she said again in the same steady tone.

'Need I speak more plainly?' He drew still another step nearer, and all the devil of hatred and malignity within him shone forth in the gleam of his eyes. 'Then I will; it would be a pity for us to misunderstand one another in the least. Last September I asked you, the heiress of Scarswood, to be my wife. You refused; more, you grossly insulted me. To-night I return good for evil; let us forgive and forget. As lord and master of Scarswood, I offer you again a home here, this time not as my wife, but as my *mistress!*'

The atrocious word was spoken.—His hate and revenge had given him a diabolical courage to say what he never would have dare to say in cold blood. But at the last word he drew back. He was a coward to the core, and she had shown herself before now to have the very fury of a panther. And they were alone—she might murder him before he could reach the door. His first impulse was flight; and she saw it.

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The twenty municipal libraries of Paris, containing in the aggregate 70,000 volumes were visited in 1881 by 251,000 readers, an increase of more 100,000 over the year 1880. In recognition of this striking evidence of their utility the annual grant was increased from 85,000 to 95,857 francs.

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GET VACCINATED.

Just at present small-pox appears to be prevalent generally over the country. The newspapers and medical men are discussing whether or not vaccination should be practiced. Do not wait, however, to read the outcome of these discussions, but proceed to vaccinate yourself and family at once. Do not take the chance of having been vaccinated before. It is a too loathsome disease to dally with. There was a lady on the train with us, going to Bismarck, Dakota, who had received a telegraphic dispatch that her husband was lying sick there at the hotel. Judge of the general consternation, when, upon our arrival, and a physician had been called into the hotel, he pronounced it a case of small-pox. There were lively times there for a few moments. The husband had come from Montana, where small-pox prevails the year round, in some of the Swedish settlements, because the immigrants bring with them from the old world a prejudice against vaccination. The following week we proceeded into Montana where most alarming reports reached us of dead and dying small-pox victims. Go to a reliable doctor who will furnish pure virus, and have him vaccinate you at once.—*American Agriculturalist for February.*

HOW TO KILL WHEAT MOTHS.

I know of but one efficient remedy for this insect, and that applies as well to the weevil and to the Angoumois Grain-moth, which is said to do no little damage in the southern and southwertern part of our country. I have frequently seen every kernel of corn samples from the Gulf States perforated by this latter moth larva. The remedy proposed is Bisulphide of Carbon. We have only to pour a quantity of this into the bin at the bottom of the grain to kill al the insects. It is very penetrating and volatile, and equally deadly to all of the insect tribes. I think that a half pint of the liquid would destroy the insects in a bin of 50 to 100 bushels of grain. Not having experimented with grain in such quantities I cannot give the precise quantities of the liquid to be used in different sized bins of grain, but this can easily be determined by trial. To apply the remedy it is desirable to pour the liquid in at the bottom of the grain. To do this we can take a hollow iron cylinder—a gas-pipe will do well—and fit into it a wooden rod which shall be a little longer than the iron tube. One end of the rod is to be made sharp; now place the rod inside of the tube, and, with the sharp end down, force them both to the bottom of the grain; then having withdrawn the rod, turn in the liquid through the tube, which should be pulled out. The insecticide of course is left at the bottom of the grain, and, being very volatile, soon diffuses through the mass and converts the bin into an insect cemetery. Prof. A. J. Cook in *American Agriculturist for February.*

Forcing Rhubarb.—Outside of places where there are professional gardeners, the forcing of vegetables is very little known in this country. People in general are content with "things in their season," and do not trouble themselves to force or retard. Perhaps the easiest vegetable to force is rhubarb; and by taking a little trouble, material for pies and sauce may be had some weeks in advance of the supply from the open ground. The things needed are clumps of rhubarb roots, soil, and a dark warm place. The roots should be dug before the ground freezes, but in most places there is usually "open spell" this month when it may be done. As fine rhubarb as we ever saw was forced in a barrel or cask; the roots packed in on a layer of soil and surrounded by it, the cask covered tight, and set near the furnace in the cellar. A box to hold the roots, and set in a cupboard or closet in the kitchen will answer; or a box or barrel may be placed in the kitchen. Keep moderately warm, and see that the roots are sufficiently moist. A few roots will give an astonishingly abundant supply, much more tender crisp and less violently sour than the outdoor crop.—*American Agriculturist for February.*

The will of a recently deceased Dumfriesshire laird has been causing considerable discussion in the south of Scotland. The testator seems to have been a most eccentric person, for, a few months before his death, he threw a parcel to his forester which contained stock to the amount of £17,000, on which that fortunate servant is now living in luxury. He, in the same easy way, gave his coachman a check for £3,000, his shepherd scrip for £18,000, and a check for £3 000 to the aforesaid shepherd's brother. Shortly after he died, and on his will being opened, it was found that the good luck of the shepherd was far from exhausted, as except legacies of £6,000 each to the coachman and the brother, he was left the whole property, about £80,000. He now finds himself possessor of the estates on which he commenced his career as "the wee herd laddie," and in right thereof he has been appointed a Commissioner of Supply for the county.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday January 27th, 1882.

Guitteau is to be hanged.

NEWS NOTES.

A wheel broke on the morning express going south on Monday, a short distance North of Mono Road, causing considerable delay.

Mr. J. W. Henderson of Toronto and his daughter, a girl of 12 years, were among the passenger on the R. R. smash up near Owen Sound Mr. H. got badly knocked about in trying to save his daughter, but we are glad to learn they are none the worse, the coach was somewhat damaged.

OSPREY.

From our Correspondent.

Scarlet fever and Diphtheria are prevalent in Maxwell just now.

Sleighing is good at present and prices range fair, and farmers are beginning to carry money in their pockets.

Revival meetings are being held in Maxwell by Rev. Mr. Snowden, with Excellent results.

Business in Feversham is brisk in all branches.

Mr. Ira Perigo has commenced butchering, and is doing a good business.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our Correspondence.

MATRIMONY.—A very pleasing incident, in the shape of a double wedding, took place on the 20th inst., at the residence of Adam Hislop, Esq., the father of the brides. His two eldest daughters were united in the bonds of matrimony with Messrs. Richard and Thomas Genoe. They have our best wishes for their future happiness and prosperity.

The Anniversary Tea Meeting of the Union Sabbath School will be held in the Wesley Church, on Tuesday, the 31st of January. All are invited as a good time is expected. Let us hope for good weather.

There is good sleighing here at present, and all are making good use of it.

Our Debating Club is getting along first class and is well attended.

A petition has been in circulation here to have our Post Office moved up into Euphrasia. We hear that the reason given for the change is, that if the present P. M. leave here, that there will be no one to take his place. If it is not out of place for your correspondent to express an opinion, we would say that there would be no difficult in finding another Post Master to take the place of Mr. Rowe when he leaves here.

AN OLD MAN SHOT DEAD AT HIS OWN FIRESIDE.

NARROW ESCAPE OF HIS NEPHEW.

THE HOUSE SET ON FIRE BY THE ASSASSIN.

No clue whatever to the Murderer.

SHELBURNE, Jan 22.—John Smith, a quiet an inoffensive citizen of the township of Amaranth, residing about four miles from here, was foully murdered in his own house last night about six o'clock. The unfortunate victim was a bachelor was about or over fifty years of age, and usually lived alone, but it happened when the murder was committed that a nephew name Jonny Smith, about fourteen years of age, was with him.

THE BOY'S STORY

is that his uncle and himself, after taking supper together, seated themselves at an open fire place, and shortly after he heard a report, either of a gun or pistol, and the old man fell. He looked toward the window from whence the report came and sawa tall man with a dark moustache. The boy immediately started for the door, which was opposite the window, when the man fired at him, the ball passed through the top of his cap. He ran for dear life towards a neighbor's house, which is quite a distance. After he had run a little way he looked back and saw

THE HOUSE ON FIRE.

He alarmed the neighbours as soon as possible, and returned with them to the burning building. They found the old man at the door dead, and one leg burned off below the knee. The old man was reputed to have been quite wealthy, and to have kept a large sum hidden in the house, but it is not known whether he had any at this time or not. There is

NO CLUE TO THE ASSASSIN

except what can be gleamed from the boy's story. The greatest excitement prevails, as the old man was universally respected by all who knew him. Thos. Norton, M.D., coroner, will hold an inquest to-morrow morning at ten o'clock. J. P. MacMillan, county crown attorney, drove up from Orangeville this morning, and is doing all in his power to secure the arrest of the guilty party. The body is in charge of village constable Henderson.

SHELBURNE, Jan. 23.—The excitement caused by the murder of John Smith still runs high. The coroner's inquest commenced at ten o'clock to-day. The boy was examined to-day, and several other witnesses, but nothing new has been elicited. The people have grave suspicion as to the perpetrators of the crime. The post-mortem report of Drs. Barr and Bolston did not strengthen the boy's evidence, as they found no indications of wounds made by firearms. The skull of the deceased is badly fractured, and the wounds appear as if had been inflicted by a heavy stick. At the present writing (9 p.m.) the inquest is going on, and probably will last all day to-morrow. The hall is densely packed, it being impossible to get even standing room.

SHELBURNE, Jan. 24th The inquest on the body of John Smith, of Amaranth murdered in his own house on Saturday night, was resumed this morning by Coroner Norton. Several witnesses were examined, and they did not prove anything particular. The boy Johnny Smith is under the charge of constable Henderson, and has been locked up all day. He does not appear restless or excited. Detective Murray arrived to-day to work up the case. Great excitement prevails in the village.

ACCIDENT ON THE RAIL.

Yesterday afternoon, at 3.30 o'clock, a Toronto, Grey, and Bruce train, bound for Toronto, ran off the track at a point a mile south of the town of Owen Sound. The passenger car, postal car, and two freight cars were precipitated into the ditch. After the train had run over the bank a scene of the greatest consternation and terror ensued, some of the passengers shrieking, others rendered by the shock insensible, and lying apparently dead. There were about thirty persons on the train, a number of whom were seriously injured. Of those injured were: Mrs. Kelso, residence unknown; Mrs. Jones of Brampton; and Mrs. Olgivie, of Shelburne. Mr. Parker, commercial traveller, was also badly injured. The accident happened through the spreading of the rails, but the wreckage was shortly afterwards removed and the track left clear.

OTHER ACCOUNTS.

Mr. Stinson, of Vickers' Express, sent the following despatch to the Company's office in this city.—"Bad smash-up on the road. Not likely to get in to-night. J. STINSON."

Mr. Heywood, baggage-master of the T., G., and B. Railway, was interviewed at a late hour last night, but stated that he would be ignorant of the accident until the arrival of the branch train from Teeswater, which contained the baggage and express matter of the collapsed train. He apparently was unwilling to give any information concerning the accident.

Another Accident on the T. G. and B. Railway.—While a freight train on the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce railway was coming eastward on Saturday night the cars jumped the track a few miles this side of Orangeville. one of the employes named Doherty received serious injuries to his right thigh, the muscles of which were severed almost to the bone. He was conveyed to the city at an early hour yesterday morning. And taken to the hospital. It is supposed that no bones are broken, and that the injured man will likely recover. Neither his Christian name nor his place of residence could be ascertained by the hospital authorities.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

The newly elected Council met at the Town Hall, on the 16th inst., pursuant to Statute, All the members present.

Each member made and subscribed the declaration of qualification and office.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

The Reeve appointed Charles Moffat an Auditor.

Moved by Mr. Dunsmoor, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that James Banks be appointed an Auditor for 1882, and that the Auditors receive $5 each as their remuneration; and that a By-law be introduced to that effect.—Carried,

Moved by Mr. Mullarky, seconded by Mr. Niel, in amendment, that John Lyons be an Auditor for the present year.—Lost.

Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. Dunsmoor, in amendment to the amendment, that John McDonald be appointed an Auditor for the present year, at a salary of $5.50.—Lost.

Moved by Mr. Mullarky, secounded by Mr. Dunsmoor, that Mr. Edge, Treasurer, be refunded $81.98, being the amount paid by him in the suit Glencross vs. Glenelg.—Carried

Moved by Mr. Mullarky, seconded by Mr. Dunsmoor, that Road Commissioners be appointed as follows:—Ward No. 1, Mr. Dunsmoor; Ward No. 2, Mr. Niel; Ward No. 3, Mr. Mullarky; Ward No. 4, Mr. Glencross.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. Dunsmoor, that the Reeve, Deputy Reeve and the mover be appointed a committee to enquire into sufficiency of the security given by the Treasurer, and to report at next meeting.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mullarky, seconded by Mr. Dunsmoor, that the expenses of the municipal election be paid, as follows:—Deputy Returning Officers, $4 each; Door-keepers, $1.50 each; and $4 for each polling place.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. Neil, that John S. Black be appointed Assessor for the year 1882, and that a By-law be passed to that effect.—Carried.

The Reeve read a communication from the solicitors for the "Farmers' Loan and Saving Company," claiming compensation for land taken for a new road.

Moved by Mr. Mullarky, seconded by Mr. Neil, that the Clerk be instructed to offer, on behalf of this Council, to the solicitors of the Farmers' Loan and Savings Company, as compensation for land taken for road from lot 22, Con. 11, $25 per acre; and for land taken for the same purpose from lots 99 and 100, on the 3rd concession west T. & S. R., $20 per acre; and in the event of this offer being refused, that the Reeve be authorized to appoint an arbitrator, and to attend the arbitration on behalf of this municipality, and that a By-law be now passed to confirm the appointment.—Carried.

By-Law No. 207, to appoint an Assessor and Auditor for the year 1882, and By-law No. 208, to authorize the Reeve to appoint an arbitrator, were introduced and read a first and second times.

Moved by Mr. Mullarky, seconded by Mr. Dunsmoor, that the Treasurer be refunded $2.56, being bank commission on County Rates.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Neil, seconded by Mr. Glencross, that By-laws 207 and 208 be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed on the Minutes.—

Moved by Mr. Glencross, seconded by Mr. Dunsmoor, that the following accounts be paid:—J. Townsend, advertising Court of Revision, $1; J. A. Johnston, advertising Court of Revision printing ballot papers, $6.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet, at the same place, on the 13th Feb. next.

PROTON COUNCIL.

The newly elected Council met at the Queen's Hotel, Village of Dundalk, on Monday, January 16th, 1882.—Members all present.

Each member made and subscribed the declaration of qualification and office.

The Minutes of last meeting of old Council, and several communications received by the Clerk, were read passed and signed.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by James Robinson, that Mr. James Cavanagh be appointed Clerk, *pro tem.*, as John Vert, Township Clerk, is absent through sickness.—Carried.

Moved by James Robinson, seconded by Robert Black, that the Clerk take tenders for printing for the township of Proton for the year 1882.—Carried.

Moved by James Robinson, seconded by John Agnew, that the Collector be notified by the Clerk to reduce the amount of James Stephens taxes on lot 18, con. 6, by $3.44, as it appears that this arrears is due on 2 acres of N. E. corner of said lot, reserved at the time of his purchase of lot 18, con. 6, in the year 1876, said arrears to be entered by Collector against said two acres.—Carried.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by James Robinson, that John Little be refunded the sum of $1.76, taxes paid in error, and the Reeve issue an order for the same.—Carried

Moved by Robert Black, seconded by George Johnson, that the following parties be paid for the use of houses for polling places for the present year: James Menzies, Division No. 1, $2.50; John A. Scarlett, Division No. 2, $2.50 Duncan McMillan, Division No. 3, $2.50; James Fraser, Division No. 4, $2.50; Alexander McConnell, Division No. 5, $2.50.—Carried.

Moved by Robert Black, seconded by John Agnew, That James Robinson be representative for Divison No. 2, and George Johnson for Division No. 1. for the year 1882,—Lost.

Moved in amendment by George Johnson, seconded by James Robinson, that the Deputy Reeve represent Division No. 1. and Mr. Black Division No. 2.—Carried.

Moved by Robert Black, seconded by James Robinson, that the Treasurer's half yearly Report having been read to the Council, it be received and filed in the Clerk's office.—Carried.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by James Robinson, that C. W. Rutledge's bill for ballot papers and stationery for municipal election, 1882, amounting to $13 85, be paid.—Carried.

Moveby by Robert Black, seconded by James Robinson, that the Clerk write to Mr. Buckley about the work let on town line between West Luther and Proton, and to know from him what proceeding he took about the same, and let the Reeve deal with the matter according to Mr. Buckley's certificate.—Carried.

Moved by George Johnston, seconded by John Agnew, that James Hanna receive $1 for services as constable on election day at polling both No. 5.—Carried.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by James Robinson, that lots 21 and 22, con. 10, be placed on the Collector's Roll at a valuation of $500 each to Walter Deans,—Carried.

Moved by George Johnson, seconded by John Agnew, that Thomas Hanbury be appointed Township Auditor, and that the Reeve appoints J. D. McFadyen, and that their remuneration be $6 each.—Carried.

Moved by George Johnson, seconded by John Agnew, that the Reeve issue an order for $20 as supplement to Government grant to poor school, according to motion of Council of 22nd of February, 1881, in favor of School Section No. 11, Township of Proton.—Carried.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by James Robinson, that William Boyd be appointed Assessor for the year 1882, and that his salary be $75, provided he furnish satisfactory security.—Lost.

Moved in amendment by Robert Black, seconded by George Johnson, that John McMurdo be appointed Assessor for the present year, and that he receive $75 for his services, provided he furnish satisfactory security.—Carried

Moved by Robert Black, Seconded by James Robinson, that By-law No. 240 having been now read a 1st and second time, be read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in By-law Book.—Carried.

Moved by James Robinson seconded by Robert Black, that By-law No. 241 having been read a 1st and 2nd time, be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in By-law Book.—Carried.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by George Johnson, that Alexander McConnell receive the sum of $4.40 for services as Deputy returning officer, milage, and assistant clerk's fees included, and the Reeve issue his order for the same.—Carried.

Moved by Robert Black, seconded by James Robinson, that By-law No. 242 having been read a firstand second time, be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in the By-law Book.—Carried.

Moved by John Agnew, seconded by George Johnson, that the Council do now adjourn, to meet at Hopeville, in Scarlett's Hall, on the first Tuesday in March, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m.—Carried.

PETER McGIBBON, Reeve.
JAS. CAVANAGH, Acting Clerk.

FROM "THE TIMES."

Editors Times.—Seeing an article in your paper last week from Arnold Parker, I was impressed with the earnestness with which he appeals to you to continue to enlighten the world in regard to the means by which he was so miraculously cured of rheumatism and hip-joint lameness by using Kendall's Spavin Cure. The article to which he alludes by Dr. Bates impressed me so favorably with the real merits of this remedy that I tried it also for several blemishes on my horses and found it the most perfect cure I ever tried for spavins and other blemishes, as it completely removed the enlargement in every instance by continuing its use for several days after the lameness had subsided. The perfect success I have always had with Kendall's Spavin Cure led me to use it on my own person, and for the family with the very best results as a family liniment. While several of the cures made with it have been almost miraculous, none have been more satisfactory than several cures which I made with it of foot-rot and also sore teats as well as warts on teats of cows. I consider it a *sure cure* for sore teats or foot-rot in either cow or sheep. With the satisfaction this remedy has always given in every instance, I cannot refrain asking with my friend Parker that you continue to make known to the world this grandest discovery of the nineteenth century. Yours truly,

JAMES A. CAMPBELL.

Herkimer, N. Y., Sept. 10th, 1881

The above letter, with one published last week, encourages us in our efforts to make our paper one of the most valuable Journals in the country and to all our patrons, and we now ask others of our readers who have been alike benefited by the letter published one year ago from Dr. Bates that they send us for publication, statements which they may wish to make for the benefit of others.—[Ed.]

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

TRAVERSTON, Jan. 25th, 1882.

To WM. HALL, Esq.,
Traverston P. O.

SIR:—I received a letter from your Solicitor, J. Masson, Esq., calling on me to apologize for the slander uttered by me on 26th Dec. 1881. I am at a loss to know what statement I made on that day that could be called a slander. The only statement I made that appeared to offend you, was, that you received one dollar and fifty-six cents that I did not think at the time that you were entitled to, and called upon you, as any ratepayer has a right to do, for an explanation. You made an explanation at the time, which I accepted as satisfactory.

WM. GLENCROSS.

THE EXCURSION.

MR. EDITOR,—Allow me, through the columns of your valuable paper, to give a few facts in regard to that memorable excursion to Toronto on last Monday. I took the train about nine o'clock at Markdale, which was due at 7.50, and quite naturally expected a great changes in speed comfort, &c., and a good time generally. The day was clear and cold, the thermometer registering 15 degrees below zero. Nothing, however, very remarkable transpired going South, and we arrived in Toronto at 3 o'clock p. m., being three hours behind time, nothing remarkable, as I said, for the T., G. & B. We were surprised to see not a particle of snow in Toronto, but it was intensely cold all the same, We had to do our six hours business in three, so there was no time to spare, and at the hour of six the majority of the excursionists were on hand at the Union Station, and at 6.35 the train moved out, carrying hundreds anxious to get home. Parkdale, the first stopping place, was reached in a short time, where there was a delay of about two hours; cause unknown apparently to any one. Well, as a natural consequence, the passengers grew anxious. Some stepped off and took the street cars back to the city, to remain over until the next day, while those remaining grew uneasy and thirsty; but strange to say there was no water to be had. One said, he supposed the train hands thought, as most of the passengers were from the country, they did not require water to drink, as they had plenty at home—Another supposed it being now a broad gauge, steel rail road, with powerful engines, they would not feel the need of any until their return. At length another engine was provided and a start made, and in a short time we came to a stand-still at Humber Summit, where they watered the Indians (engines); but the white people were not favored so much as to have a taste. After a delay of some twenty minutes we moved forward, stopping at the different stations and tanks, and arrived at Orangeville at 1 o'clock a. m., a distance of 49 miles from Toronto in 7 hours. Here the obliging conductor gave twenty minutes for refreshments; but we could not get a bite for love or money. The proprietor of Duffie's Hotel would not provide anything but drink. Well, we thought even at that time of night we could have procured a pie or a few buscuits, or a leg of a turkey; but no—not so much as the photograph of a chicken. Well, after cutting off two coaches, we left at 1 45, making Shelburne at 2.50, and Dundalk at 3.30. The passengers were becoming few and exceedingly quiet, many having departed for the land of nod. We next reached Flesherton Station at 3.35, and finally we reached Markdale at 4.20. I struck a match on entering my boarding house, thinking Jack Frost had his toeses out, and found the thermometer 25 below zero. I understand the manager made the excursion tickets good to return on any train Tuesday, giving parties a chance to attend to business which they were unable to complete on Monday, owing to the train being late.

G. S. W.

MORALS.

Mr. Editor.

I am sorry to have to cast, or give a word of reproof, to the fathers and mothers, of the young men and boys who compose the Y. M. P. B. Association of Dundalk, boys and men who attend both church and sabbath schools throughout the year, and at their annual anniversary to call on the generous public and ministers of the gospel, to aid them in their annual celebration.

And in the face of all the good and true, with all the advice of the best men of the day, to attempt to keep up and have the old fashion dance and ball staggers me, beyond anything the public morals of the present day have to contend with—but think of the young men and women going direct from the church, after listening to able addresses and taking part in the

Fire in Glenelg.—Yesterday (Wednesday the dwelling of Alex. Beaton, of the Township of Glenelg, took fire and was completely destroyed. We did not learn whether any of the furniture was saved or not, but it is not likely that much could be saved, as Mr. Beaton was in Durham at the time.—*Grey Review.*

BIRTHS.

MORGAN—In Markdale, on Saturday, 21st inst., the wife of T. G. Morgan, of the STANDARD office, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

BROWN—LOGAN—On Wednesday, 18th inst., by the Rev. A. Wilson, at the residence of the bride's mother, (St. Vincent) Mr. Wm. Brown, Merchant, Markdale, to Miss Mary N. Logan, Teacher, late of the Bathurst Street Public School, Toronto.

GENOE—HISLOP—At the Manse, Markdale, on Friday, 20th inst., by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Thomas Genoe to Miss Margaret Hislop, both of Artemesia.

GENOE—HISLOP—At the Manse, Markdale, on Friday, 20th inst., by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Richard Genoe to Miss Mary Hislop, both of Artemesia.

MILLSAP—ROLPH—In Dundalk, on the 20th inst., Mr. Francis Millsap to Miss Eunice Rolph, all of Artemesia.

WILLIS—NICHOL—At the residence of Mr. John Nichol, uncle of the bride, Durham Road, on Friday, 20th inst., by Rev. D. McLeod, B.A., Mr. Mark Willis, of Bentinck, to Miss Rebecca Nichol, daughter of the late Walter Nichol.

IRWIN—FINES—At the Manse, Markdale, on Wednesday, 25th inst., by the Rev. A. Wilson, Mr. Christopher Irwin, of Dundalk, to Miss Ann Fines, of Mono.

DIED.

MORGAN—In Markdale, on Sunday, 22nd inst., the infant daughter of T. G. Morgan.

McFARLANE—In Glenelg, on the 21st inst., Alexander, youngest son of Mr. John McFarlane, aged 11 years, 10 months and 9 days.

CLAYTON—In Flesherton, on 12th instant, Sarah Margaret, only daughter of William Clayton, aged 10 years, 1 month and 15 days.

WILLIAMS—At his residence, Walkerton, the Rev. D. Williams, on Tuesday, 24th inst. Mr. Williams was well known turoughout the County of Grey.

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ROBT. DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.
Clerk's office, Euphrasia, 17th January, A.D. 1882. 72-4w.

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About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

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Yours truly.
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St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

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Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Dunham, P.Q., March 10th, 1879.

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TAILOR,
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Markdale, July 7, 1881.

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Have all the requisites which constitute a GOOD GALLERY.
Only FIRST-CLASS work done.
Try the new Photographer.
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Remember the stand, over the Store Office.
All the popular styles made.
Procure the shadow ere the substance fades.
Have a fine assortment of Frames Cheap
So don't you go and forget all about it.

J. L. BROWNE, Photo Artist.

Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881.

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Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND

Chopping Done Every Day

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

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REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING.

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, January 27th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

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large and well assorted stock of furniture, at Robt. Askin's, call and see for yourself.

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Sealed Tenders will be received up to the 1st Feb'y., '82, for 10 cords ... 22 inch wood, to be delivered at STANDARD Office in Feb'y.

Address, Box 83, Markdale.

On and after Monday the 30th, the ... will be carried on the morning ... going South instead of the evening ... at present.

... Smith, the barber, will be in Flesherton, Friday and Saturday ... each week and on Fair Day's. ... next door to *Advance* Office,

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... Mark and Willie Armstrong Jr's. ... returned on Saturday the 7th, from a ... to Chicago, having taken to that ... two car load of potatoes from Markdale. We understand the result ... quite satisfactory.

The greatest revolution in Steel Pen ... is in the new turned up point ... unexcelled for easy writing. Ask ... Esterbrook's Tecumseh, Choctaw ... telegraphic pens. For wholesale supplies, Brown Bros., Toronto.

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Never neglect a Cough or Cold as ... are very apt to lead to serious ... troubles. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops have a wonderful effect in relieving and curing Coughs Colds and all affections of the Throat and Lungs. As Dr. Carson is a well known Canadian physician of over 25 years successful practice, there is little wonder that his Remedies are so popular with the Canadian people. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents for Markdale.

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The Manitoba fever appears contagious and is becoming very prevalent. We understand that it is the intention of Mr. E. D. Wilcox Jeweller, who sold his stock and business to Mr. W. F. Doll of Flesherton, to take a trip to the Prairie Province. Mr. W. is a good practical watchmaker and a first class Telegraph operator He will doubtless have no trouble in securing a good situation should be desire one. He has been in business seven years in Markdale, and has won the confidence and respect of the entire community, and we but poorly express the sentiments of the people of the village and vicinity when we say, we deeply regret his intended departure, and wish him success in his calling wherever he may locate.

The second social given under the auspices of the Ladies Association of the Presbyterian Church, Markdale, in aid of the church building fund was given at Murray's, on Tuesday evening last. The night was clear, and the sleighing good. There was a good turn out from Markdale. The social was in every respect a grand success. The wholehearted host and hostes did all in their power to add to the comfort and enjoyment of those present, and each and all enjoyed themselves immensely. A large cake was to be cut and Miss McIntyre and Miss Donnelly were chosen as candidates for the occasion. Master John Richards was appointed to canvas for the former and Master Wesley Whitby for the latter. The canvas was entered into on both sides with more interest than an ordinary municipal election, and resulted in the election of Miss McIntyre. The proceeds of the social amounted to $32.

JOHN GAR… … the balance of his large stock of Stoves at cost for Thirty Days

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C. Rising, Esq. Reeve of St. Vincent, was elected Warden for the current year.

Several Communications, and the Minutes of Euphrasia Council unavoidably crowded out.

Mr. Masson from Owen Sound, visits here as usual on Friday and Saturday, every week and has recieved instructions to lend company funds at 6 per cent. He has also a limited quantity of private funds for investment.

An extensive credit auction sale will take place on the farm of J. King, lot 24 con. 10 Euphrasia, on the 10th of Feb'y., when a quantity of farm stock implements &c. will be sold. 11 months credit on good paper. W. Shepherdson, Auctioneer.

AHA.—Dentists who have tried "TEABERRY." pronounce it the finest thing on the face of this earth for the teeth and breath. 5 cent samples.

FIRE.—On Monday morning the frame building occupied by Mrs. Caswell was discovered to be on fire, caused by a defective stove pipe. A crowd soon gathered, some setting to remove the furniture, while others try to save the building. At one time it seemed that the building must go, but through the strenuous exertions of our citizens it was saved.

Our subscribers will please bear in mind that when we decided to reduce the subscription to $1.00, it must be in advance, the reduction is but small to any one, but it amounts to $150.00 less to us. Therefore, we hope our subscribers will hand in their renewals at once. We venture to say there is not a better local paper in Canada the size of ours printed for the same price.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Dr. Sproule M.P., has announced by Posters, a serious of public meetings, where he will be glad to meet as many electors as can make it convenient to attend. The time and places are as follows: Flesherton, on Monday Jan. 30th; Rocklyn, Tuesday 31st; Thornbury, Wednesday Feb'y. 31st; Maxwell Tuesday 2nd; Shelburne, Friday 3rd; Dundalk, Satur. 24th. Each meeting to commence at 8 o'clock p.m., sharp.

Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops are an excellant Expectorant loosening the phlegm far more readily than any other preparation. For Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Tickling in the Throat and Soreness and Tightness of the Chest, they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents Markdale.

The Royal Scarlet Chapter, of the District of Artemesia, met at Flesherton Station, on the 14th inst., and by adjournment on the 18th, for the election of officers, and general business in connection with the Chapter. The following Sir Knight, Companion or the officers for the currant year viz: J. Brodie, W. C. C.; W. Wright, E. C.; J. Hales, Chap.; T. Elliott, C. S.; W. Rutledge, C. T.; G. Best, S. H.K A.; W. Brady, J. H.; A. Parks, O. H.

A SUCCESSFULL EXPERIMENT IN MELANCHON.—Mr. John McLean, who moved into the above township two years ago, prepared a piece of land for the purpose of raising clover seed. He sowed 14 acres with red clover and 11¼ with alsike, and has it thrashed, and marketed the most of The red clover yielded 65 bushels which is worth $5.25 per bushel, and the alsike, which he has shipped, 52 bushels and is worth $8. per bushel. He also had 12½ acres of peas, making in all 38 acres, the produce of which netted the handsome sum of $1.200. The seed was thrashed by Messrs. Doner from near Stayner.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

ORANGE SOIREE IN PROTON.—The soiree of L. O. L No. 1202 came off on Wednesday, 18th inst., in their hall, on lot 28, con. 13, and was a success. After tea Bro. Joseph McArdle was voted to the chair. Apologies were received from Rev. Mr. Edmunds, Dr. Sproule, M. P., and Dr. Christoe. The following gentlemen addressed the meeting—Revs. Messrs. Eakin, of Dundalk, Turnbull of Shelburne, and Geo. Rutherford of the same place. Music was furnished by the Hopeville choir. Votes of thanks were passed to the ladies, the choir, the speakers and the chairman. The national anthem was sung, and the party dispersed well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

CHURCH OPENING IN PROTON.—The new W. M. Church on lot 14, 16th con. of Proton, was opened by Divine service on Sunday, 8th inst.; and a soiree on the following Monday evening. The opening sermon was preached on Sunday morning by the Rev. Mr. Fish, the superintendent of the district; the afternoon and evening services by the Rev. Mr. Barkwell, of Toronto, formerly of the circuit. The church, although large, was well filled. On Monday evening the tea party was the most successful ever known in Proton. Tea was served in the old church, and was a credit to the ladies of the congregation; refreshments were served from 5 until 8 p. m. The addresses, music, etc., came off in the new church. Rev. Mr. Edmunds occupied the chair. Addresses were delivered by the chairman and Revs. Messrs. Barkwell and Fish. Good music was furnished by the Flesherton choir. A subscription list was opened and about $500 was collected, which will about clear off the debt on the church. Votes of thanks were passed to the choir, the speakers and the chairman.

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly You can devote your whole time in the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address, STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

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For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th. 1881. 36-ly

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here,

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 68-tf

Ayer's
Hair Vigor,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

IT is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

The VIGOR cleanses the scalp, cures and prevents the formation of dandruff; and, by its cooling, stimulating, and soothing properties, it heals most if not all of the humors and diseases peculiar to the scalp, keeping it cool, clean, and soft, under which conditions diseases of the scalp and hair are impossible.

As a Dressing for Ladies' Hair

The VIGOR is incomparable. It is colorless, contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil white cambric. It imparts an agreeable and lasting perfume, and as an article for the toilet it is economical and unsurpassed in its excellence.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA,
Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 20th, 1881. 18tf

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,
Sugar Kettles,
Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

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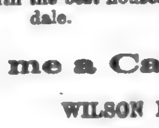
Wholesale and Retail



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BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

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Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881.

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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, 10 to 35c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 60c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10.

The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have ordered for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23. 1881. 67-tf.

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DUNDALK,

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Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,
MILLINERY.

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AROUND THE WORLD.

The project of the world's fair in Boston has been abandoned. Talk was plenty and money scarce.

The Government of South Australia are about to build a new House of Parliament at Adelaide at the cost of $4,000,000.

Ella Tunney ran heedlessly in debt for fine clothes at Seymour, Ind., and then committed suicide because she could not pay.

It estimated that the sum of 500,000,000, marks ($125,000,000) would be required for the purchase of the German railways by the State, as intended.

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Mr. John Miller has just purchased from the Crown his farm of Scralister, Caithness-1,000 acres areable, 500 mountain pasture for $145,000. His rent was $4,875. This sum is a pretty good price for an extreme north of Scotland farm.

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Alexandra, Princess of Wales, has set in England one excellent fashion. She has made so public a display of her attachment to her sons and daughters that it has become the mode for the fashionable British matron similarly to express her affections. Small boys and girls now [illegible] completely eclipsed by [illegible] and pugs as the pets paraded by the ladies in victorias and on foot in Hyde park.

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Carl Bock, who has been traveling in Borneo for the Dutch Government, who were very anxious to obtain accurate information as to certain tribes, visited Siban, Mobang, a cannibal chief, who, when he saw him, had fresh upon his hands the blood of no less than seventy victims—men, women and children— whom he and his followers had just slaughtered, and whose heads and brains, considered the tidbits, he had devoured. His appearance was unprepossessing.

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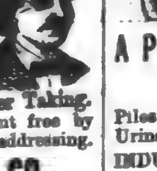
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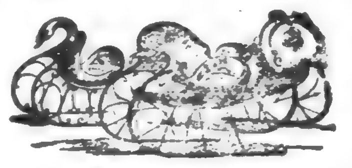

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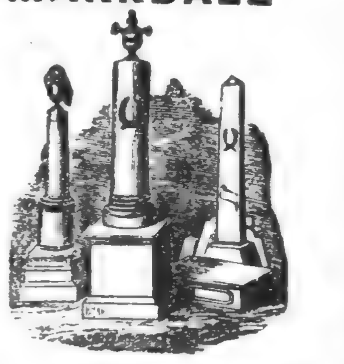

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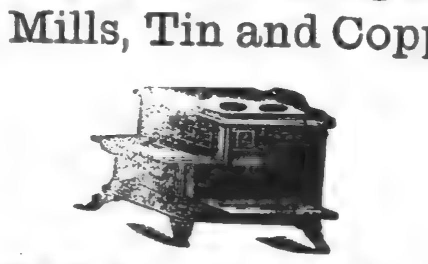

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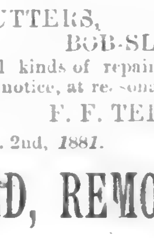
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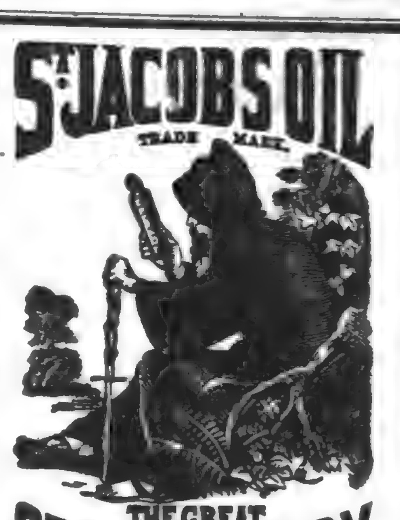
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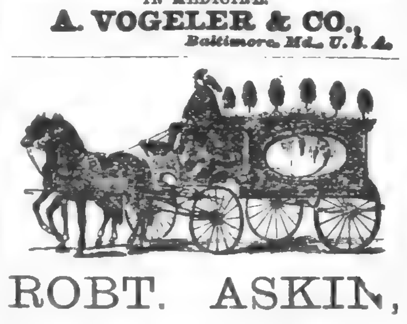
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☞ Remember the place—second door to Butter & Rae's.
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Happy New Year.
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WEDDING CAKES,
and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the
Most Artistic style,
and of a flavor and quality, that cannot be surpassed.
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AND
Surprise Parties!
Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.
IN THE
Article of Bread!
I DEFY COMPETITION,
And will deliver it at the residence of all who may favor me with their patronage.
A DUNLOP.
Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. 68-6m

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER XV. *Continued.*

'Stop!' she cried and he stood as still as though he had been shot. 'You coward! You cur?' No words can tell the concentrated tone of her low, level voice. 'You have said it and now here me. This is your hour—mine will come. And here, before Heaven, by my dead fathers memory, I swear to be revenged. Living, I shall pursue you to the ends of the earth, dead, I will come back from the grave if the dead can! For every word you have sh ken to-night, you shall pay dearly—dearly! I have only one thing left to live for now, and that is my vengeance on you. The fortune you have taken I will wrest from you yet, the shame, the misery, the disgrace that is mine, you shall feel in your turn, I swear it! Look to yourself Peter Dangerfiefd! *Living*, I will hunt you down, *dead*, I will turn and torment you! Now go.'

She pointed to the door. It was the most theatrical thing imaginable. His courage rose again. She did not mean to spring upon him, after all He laughed, a low, jeering laugh, with hand on the door.

'Katherine, he said, 'do go on the stage. You'll be an ornament to the profession, and will turn an honest penny That speech, that attitude, that gesture, that tone were worthy the immortal Racheal herself. With the stage lamps, and an appropriate costume, a speech half so melodramatic would bring down the house. And if you die, you'll haunt me! Don't die Katie—you're to clever a woman to be lost to the world. And ghosts my dear, went out of fashion with the Castle of Otranto and the Mysteries of Udolpho. Think over my proposal, my dear, and good-night.'

He looked back at her once as he stood there, the leaping firelight full on her white face and black robe, and as he saw her then, he saw her sleeping or waking all the rest of his life. Then the door closed, and Katherine was once more alone,

CHAPTER XVI.

BEFORE MIDNIGHT.

The hours of the evening wore on. Sir Peter dangerfield shut himself up in the lower rooms, on the watch, however, for any sound upstairs. He had his revenge—he had offered one of proudest girls in England the most deadly insult a man can offer a woman. It was the hour of his triumph but in the midst of all he felt strangely nervous and uneasy.

'Dead or alive I will have my revenge.' The ominous word shaunted him. In the mouth of other girls they would have been melo-dramatic and meaningless, but Katherine Dangerfield was not like other girls. She meant them, and would move heaven and earth to compass her ends.

In her pretty wax-light, crimson-hung room, Katherine stood, long and motionless, where he had left her; her loosely clasped hands hung before her, her darkly brooding eyes never left the fire. Her face kept its white, changeless calm—her lips were in that hard, resolute, bitter line.

The sonorous clock over the stables striking eight awoke her at last from her trance. She started up, crossed the room, like one roused to a determined purpose, and rang the bell. Ninon came.

'I'm going out, Ninon—I am going to Castleford. It may be close upon midnight when I return, and the house will probably be shut up. Wait for me at the door in the southern turret, and when I knock let me in.'

'But, mademoiselle,' the girl cried, 'to Castleford so late, and on foot and alone!'

'I don't mind the lateness—no one will molest me. For the walk, I can do it in an hour and a quarter. Do as I bid you, Ninon, and say nothing to any one of my absence.'

The French girl knew her mistress too well to disobey, but she lingered for a moment at the door, looking back wistfully. She loved this young impetuous mistress, who scolded her vehemently one instnat and made up the next by a present of her best silk dress, She loved her, as all the servants in the house did. And never so well as now.

'If—if—oh! Mademoiselle Katherine, don't be angry, but if you would only let me go with you! The way is so long and so lonely, and coming home it will be so late. Mademoiselle, I beseech you! let me go too!'

'You foolish child—as if I cared for the lateness and loneliness. It is only happy people who have anything to fear. All that is passed for me. Go, Ninon, and do precisely as I tell you if you are still so silly to have any love left for such as I.'

The girl obeyed reluctently, hovering aloof on the landing. In five minutes the door opened and Miss Dangerfield, wrapped in a velvet mantle and wearing her little black velvet hat, appeared.

'You here still, Ninon! Do you know if Mr.—Sir Peter Dangerfield'—she set her lips hard as she spoke the name—'is any where in the passage below?'

'He is in the library, mademeiselle.'

'So much the better—we shall not meet, then. Lock my door, Ninon, and keep the key until my return.'

She glided down the stairs as she spoke, dark and noisless as a spirit. She met no one. Sir Peter was busy over papers, the servants were in their own quarters, the house was more silent than a tomb. Softly she opened and closed the ponderous portico door and flitted out into the night.

It was cold and clear and starlight, the moon had not arisen. In that light no one she met would be likely to recognize her. The January wind blew keen and cold, and she drew her fur-lined velvet closer about her, and sped on with swift, light, elastic steps,

The walk was unspeakable lonely. Until the lights of the town gleamed forth through the starry darkness she did not meet a soul. She had walked so rapidly that she was out of breath and in a glow of warmth. She slackened her pace now, making for a deserted back street, and pausing finally before the quiet, roomy, old-fashioned hostelry known as the Silver Rose.

'Does a lady named Mrs. Vavasor lodge here?'

The landlord of the Silver Rose started to his feet as the soft accents fell upon his ear. The next moment he was bowing low before the slender, black robed figure and the two grave, gray eyes.

The heorine of the day, the talk of the town, the reputed daughter of the late Sir John Dangerfield, stood before him.

'Yes, Miss Katherine. Please come in hout of the cold. Mrs. Vavasor does lodge here, but at present she happens to be hout.'

'Will she soon return?'

'Well, Miss Katherine I couldn't say, but I think it likely. She don't hoften be hout heven as late as this. If you would please to come in and wait,' looking at her doubtfully and pausing.

'If you will show me up to her room I will wait.' the young lady answered. 'I must see her to night. If you knew where she was you might send.'

The landlord shook his head.

'I don't know, Miss Dangerfield. She goes hout very seldom and never stays long. This way, if you please.'

He held a candle alotf, and led the way up-stairs, and flung open a door on the landing above.

'This be Mrs. Vavasor's sittin'-room Take a seat by the fire, Miss Katherine, and I dessay she'll be hallong soon.'

He went out and closed the door. Katherine stood in the centre of the room and looking about her with a certain amount of curosity in her face. The room was furnished after the stereotype fashion of such rooms. A few French novels scattered about were the only things to betoken the individuality of the occupant. The door of the chamber opened from this appartment stood ajar, and looking in with the same searching gaze something familiar caught the girl's eye at once.

The bed was an old fashioned four-poster, hung unwholesomely with curtains. Beside this bed a little table, scattered over with dog-eared novels. Parisienne fashion books, bonbonnieres, hand mirrors, and other womanly littter. In the centre stood an Indian box of rare beauty and workmanship. Katherine recognized it in a moment. It was one of hers, a farewell gift from a military friend when leaving India. She remembered how more than once Mrs. Vavasor had admired it among the other Indian treasures in her room, how all at once it had vanished mysteriously, and now here it was—Katherine's short upper lip curled scornfully.

'So,' she said, 'you are a thief as well as an intriguante, an adventuress. You have stolen my box. Let us see to what use you have put poor little Ensign Brandon's gift.'

She walked deliberately into the sleeping room and took up the casket It closed and locked with a secret spring; she touched it and the lid flew back. It contained a slim packet of letters tied with ribbon, and an old fashioned miniture painted on ivory, in a case of velvet ornamented with seed pearls.

In every nature there are depths of evil that come to light under the influence of adversity. Who is not virtuous untempted; who is not honorable untrie ? The dark side of Katherine's nature, that might have lain dormant and unsuspected even by herself for ever in the sunshine of prosperity, was asserting itself now. She delibe rately read the address on the letters. The paper was yellow with time, the ink faded, but the bold, firm masculine hand was perfectly legible still. *Miss Harriet Lelarcheur, 35 Rosemary Place, Kensington*,—that was the address.

She turned from the letters, pressed the spring of the picture case, and looked at the portrait within. Like the letters, time had faded it, but the bold masculine, boyish face smiled up at her with a brightness that even a score fo years could not mar. It was the eager, handsome, beardless face of a youth.

'A brave, gentlemanly face,' Katherine thought. 'What could a man like this ever have to do with *her?* Is this the lover she spoke of, from whom my mother parted her? Are these letters from him? Was her name Harriet Lelarcheur, instead of Harman? You may keep my Indian box, Mrs. Vavasor, and welcome, and I will keep its contents.'

With the same steady deliberation she put the letters and picture in her pocket, and walked back into the other room. There was a hard light in her eyes, an expression on her face not pleasant to see.

'On the road I am walking there is no turning back. To accomplish the aim of my life I must do to others as I have been done by. Mrs. Vavasor shall find me an apt pupil. Ah—at last! here she is.'

She turned and faced the door. As she did so, it was thrown impetuously open, and the woman she hated stood before her.

It was Mrs. Vavasor's last night in Castleford; her last night she had made up mind, for ever.

It was all over. The romance, the revenge, and the triumph of her life were finished and done. She had wrought out her vendetta to the bitter end. Her price had been paid twice over. With twenty thousand pounds as her fortune, she would return to Paris, launch out into a life of splendour, and end by marrying a title.

'I am still young; still handsome; by gaslight,' she mused, standing before the mirror, and surveying herself critically. 'I am one of those fortunate women who wear well and light up well. The French are right in saying that you can't tell a woman from a gnat by lamplight. With my twenty thousand pounds, my knowledge of this wicked world, my host of friends, what a life lies before me in my own delightful city of sunshine.—Yes. to-morrow I will go; there is nothing to linger in this stupid, plodding country town for longer—unless—unless—it be to see her in her downfall.'

She paced softly up and down the little sitting room. The hour was early twilight, an hour Mrs. Vavasor hated. Here were no tender twilight memories to come with the misty stars. Gaunt spectres of crime and shame, and poverty haunted horribly the dark record that lay behind this woman. So the curtains were drawn, and the lamp lit, and the firelight flickered on the masses of braided black hair and the trailing robe of wine silk.

'I should like to see her in the hour of her downfall,' she repeated. 'Should like to see her mother's daughter in the poverty and pain I have felt. And I shall one day, but not here. Somehow, I am neither superstitious nor a coward, but I feel half-afraid to meet that girl. I can see her now, as she came gliding forward in that ghostly way in her bridal dress, that face of white stone, and those wild, wide eyes. Ah! my lady! my lady! In the hour of your triumph how little you dreamed that my day would come too.'

She walked softly up and down, a subtle and most evil smile on her dark small face. The striking of the little clock on the mantel aroused her; it was eight, and she had an errand in Castleford before all the shops closed for the night.

She put on her bonnet, and wrapped herself in a large fluffy shawl, and tripped away. She was barely in time to reach the station whither she was bound before the shopkeeper locked his door. She bade him good night in her sweetest tones, and walked homeward glancing up at the great winter stars gleaming in the purple, bright sky.

'And Sir John is dead, and Sir Peter reigns! *Sic transit gloria mundi!* — Poor little pitiful wretch! It was like wringing his very heart's blood to part with his beloved guineas to me yesterday. I wonder how he and my haughty Katherine, my queen uncrowned, get on together up at the great house, and I wonder how my handsome Gaston does this cold January night. Ugh! She shivered under her furred wraps. She was a chilly little woman. 'This beastly British climate! And to think, that but for me she would be far away in fair foreign climes by this time, enjoying her honeymoon, the bride of a man she adored. Yes, I may go; no revenge was ever more complete than mine.'

She was singing softly to herself as she ascended the stairs. Everything had gone so well. She had had her vengeance and made her fortune at one clever blow, after to night a long vista of Parisian pleasures and Parisian life floated before her in a rosy mist. With the opera tune on her lips, she opened her door and stood face to face with—Katherine Dangerfirld.

She stood stock still. The song died on her lips; the sudden swift palor that overspread her face showed through all the pearl powder she wore She had said she was no coward, and she was not, but in this hour she stood afraid to the very core to face this girl she had wronged.

Katherine had risen and stood beside her, and Kath rine was the first to speak.

'Come in, Mrs. Vavasor, the room is your own. And you need not look such a picture of abject terror. I haven't come here to murder you to-night.'

Her voice was perfectly clear, perfectly steady. An angry sullenness came to the elder woman's relief. She came in, closed the door, and faced defiantly her foe.

'This is a most unexpected pleasure, Katherine Dangerfield. To what do I owe it?'

'And as welcome as unexpected, Mrs. Vavasor, is it not? To what do you owe it? Well, there are women alive—or girls if you will, for I am only a girl—who would have given you back death for less ruin than you have wrought on me. Oh, yes, Mrs. Vavasor, I mean what I say—*death!* But I am not of that sort; I am one of the pacific kind, and I content myself by coming here and only asking a few questions. I perceive there was no time to lose. I hear you leave Castleford to-morrow.'

'I do.' The widow's thin lips were shut in a hard, unpleasant line now, and her voice was sullen. 'Permit me to add that I am in somewhat of a hurry, and that the hour is late. I must pack before I retire. I quit Castleford to-morrow by the very first train.'

'Ah! Naturally, Castleford can't be a pleasant place for you to remain in. You are not popular here at present, Mrs. Vavasor. I will not detain you long. Of course it is at your own option whether you answer my questions or not.'

'Of course. What can I do for you, Miss Dangerfield?'

She threw herself into a chair, stretched out her daintily booted feet to the fire, and looked across with the same defiant face at her enemy. And yet her heart misgave her.

That colorless face, with its tense, set expression, it's curious calm, frightened her more than any words, any threats could have done. Katherine turned her grave eyes from the fire, clasped her hands together on the little table between them, and leaned slightly forward as she spoke.

Miss Dangerfield is not my name. You are the only one who knows. Will you tell me what it is?'

'No—decidedly.'

'That is one of the questions you will not answer. Here is another: Is my father alive?'

'He is.'

'My Mother is dead—really dead?'

'As dead as Queen Anne, Miss Dangerfield. I suppose we may as well continue to call you so to the last, for convenience sake. Your mother is dead; and. Katherine, you have been brought up a Christian and all that, and you ought to know. Do you suppose the dead see what is going on in this reeling, rocking little globe of ours? Because if they do, I sincerely hope your late lamented maternal parent is looking down upon you and me this moment.'

'You are a good hater, Mrs. Vavaso. Now, I should like to know what my mother ever did to you to inspire such deep, and bitter, and lasting hate. You hated her alive, you hate her dead, and you visit that hate, as bitter as ever, years and years after, upon her child. I don't blame you, mind; I don't say I would not do the same myself, under certain circumstances; only I am very curious to know all about it.'

Mrs. Vavasor looked at her doubtfully.

'*You* hate,' she said, 'and you talk to me like this, you who sit here so quietly, and speak like this after all the trouble and shame that would drive most girls mad. I don't think you know what 'hate' means.'

The shadow of a smile came over Katherine's face. She looked silently across at the speaker for an instant, that slow, curious smile her only answer.

'We won't discus that,' she said. 'Perhaps I came of a weak and pusillanimous race, and there is so much of the spaniel in my nature that I am ready to kiss the hand that hits hardest. Never mind me. Time is passing, Mrs. Vavasor; do one generous thing to your enemy at the last—tell her something more of her own story. You have had full and complete revenge; you can afford to be maganimous now.'

The perfect coolness of this unexpected address won its end. Mrs. Vavasor, plucky herself, admired pluck in others, and all women, good or bad, act on impulse.

'You are a cool hand,' she said, with something of admiration in her tone, 'and I may tell you this; you are of no weak or cowardly race, the blood that flows in your veins has been bitter, bad blood in its day. And you would like to know something more of your mother? Her eyes turned thoughtfully upon the fire, her mind wandered back to the past. 'I can see her now standing before me as plainly as I used to see her twenty years ago, tall and stately. You are like her, Katherine; the same graceful walk, the face at once proud-looking and plain-looking; the dress of black and orange, purple or crimson, she had a passion for bright colors, and the dark red flowers she used to wear in her hair. You are like her, and a little like your father, too; his way of smiling and speaking at times. You are most like him now as you sit there so quiet, so deep, so resolute. Katherine, you will make your way in the world, I think; women like you always do.

Will you go on, Mrs. Vavasor? Once more never mind me.'

Mrs. Vavasor laughed; all her airy easy self again.

'And you are realy anxious like this to know why I hated—why I still hate your dead mother? Well, I'm in the humor to gratify you to night; I have locked the past so closely up for such a length of time, that it is something of a relief and a pleasure to unlock it to-night. But to think I should tell it to you. These things come about so queerly; life is all so queer; such a dizzy, whirling merry-go round, and we all jumping-jacks, who just dance as our strings are pulled. And they call us responsible beings, and they tell us we can shape our own lives! Why, look you, I might have been a good woman; a rich woman; a model British matron; sitting at the head of a husband'stable; bringing up children in the way they should walk; going three times every Sunday to church, visiting the poor of the parish, distributing tracts and blankets at Christmas, and dying at last full of years, and good works, and having my virtues inscribed in letters of gold on a granite shaft. I might have been all this, Miss Dangerfield, and I wanted to be, but that dead mother of yours stepped forward, interposed her wand of authority, and lo! to-day, and for the past eighteen years, I have been a Bohemian; houseless, pennyless, reputationless. Now, listen, here is the story. No names, mind; no qustions when I have done. All you are to know I will tell you. Your father lives; you have hosts of relatives alive for that matter, but I don't mean you shall ever see or know any of them.'

She sank back in her chair, played with her watch chain, looked at the fire, and told her story in rapid words.

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Wagons loaded with the various products of Utah industries are constantly passing through the gate into the tithing house in Salt Lake. The Mormon law requires that one-tenth of all the things produced by the labor of the faithful shall be given to the church, and the compliance is in the main honest, though attempts at shirking are occasionally detected. The annual income from this source is kept a secret by the rulers, but has been estimated as high as $5,000,000, and undoubtedly reaches $3,000,000. "It is thought by the Gentiles," says a correspondent of the Boston Herald," and intimated by the saints themselves, that a portion of the tithing fund has been employed, and very effectively employed, in securing favorable legislation in the national Congress. The departed Brigham was wont to speak very contemptuously of Congress, boasting that he cared nothing for it, because he could influence its votes with money whenever he deemed it desirable. And there is reason to think that his boast was not wholly idle."

MRS. PARTINGTON SAYS.—Don't take any of the quack rostrums, as they are regimental to the human system: but put your trust in Hop Bitters, which will cure general dilapidation, costive habits and all comic disease. They saved Isaac from a severe extract of tripod fever. They are the *ne plus unum of medicines.—Boston Globe.*

A barber who was chastising his son explained to a neighbor who was attracted by the cries of the boy that he was only trimming his heir.

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PERCHERON HORSES.

Harper's Monthly for February has a lengthy and exhaustive article on this subject, from which we make the following extracts:

The Percheron horse is undoubtedly the most symmetrical and powerful for his size, and possesses the finest action and greatest endurance of all the large breeds in Europe. His general type is also the most ancient of any of which we have record or tradition, and this is the principal reason why he is more *prepotent* than others in transmitting his superior qualities to his offspring.

Tradition asserts that the first great improvement in refining the large horses of France was made by Barb stallions captured from the Moors. In 731 thousands of these fine Barb stallions captured (for the Moors ride such only, and never mares) and distributed among the French soldiers, who, on returning to their farms, bred them to their own large native mares. The best and most uniform of this produce were then selected and coupled among themselves, the result of which, together with other well-made crosses from time to time since that period, gives us the improved Percherons of the present day, described as follows

Head clean, bony and small for the size of the animal; ears short, mobile, erect and fine-pointed; eyes bright, clear, large and prominent; forhead broad; nostrils large, open.

Neck a trifle short, yet harmoniously rounding to the body and gracefully curved.

Breast broad and deep, with great muscular development; shoulders sloping; withers high; back short; body well ribbed up; rump broad, long and moderately sloping to the tail, which is attached high; quarters wide, well let down, and swelling with powerful muscles.

Legs flat and wide, with hard, clean bones, and extra large, strong joints, cords and tendons; short from the hocks and knees down; pasterns upright; hoofs full size, solid, tough.

Action bold, square, free and easy.

Temper kind; disposition docile, but energetic and vigorous; hardy, enduring and long-lived; precocious; able to be put to light work at eighteen to twenty months old, possessing immense power for his size; never balking or refusing to draw at a dead pull; stylish, elegant and attractive in appearance; easy, elastic, and graceful in motion.

No tendency to disease of any sort, and especially free from diseases of the legs and feet, such as spavin, splint, ring-bone, grease and founder.

An easy keeper and quick feeder.

SOUTH AGRICULTUTAL SOCIETY.

The South Grey Agricultural Society held their annual meeting in the Town Hall, Durham, on the 18th inst. The president in the chair. Mr McKenzie read the financial report. The total receipts of the year was $1,941.67. Total expenditure $1,878.47, of which $636 was paid for prizes and $200 on grounds. leaving a balance of $63.20. Report was adopted. The directors report was then read and adopted. Mr. James Edge was then elected President for the ensuing year. D. Jackson, Esq., Mayor of Durham, 1st Vice President and 2nd Vice President, J. Ball; Directors: Glenelg, G. Binnie, C. Moffat; Bentick, H. Willis and J. Parks; Egremont, J. Murdoch and G. Huston; Normanby, E. Ard and C. Blyth; Durham, H. J. Middaugh. Auditors—J. A. Monroe and J. F. Mowat.

Some discussion took place in regard to exhibition on potatoes, etc., and particularly in regard to putting the name of the exhibitor on articles exhibited. A motion was then carried by a large majority that the names be put on all articles when placed on exhibition. There was a good attendance at the meeting.

At the meeting of the Board immediately after the annual meeting, Mr. A. McKenzie was elected Secretary.

The time for holding the Show was fixed for Thursday and Wednesday, Sept., 26th and 27th.

A number of committees were appointed.—*Review.*

IMPORTANT TO VOTERS.

Those entitled to vote should recollect that the assessor is to begin making his roll not later than the 11th February, and to complete it by the 30th April, and to return it to the clerk on 1st May.

In cities and towns the Council may provide that the assessment in towns, townships and incorporated villages between the 1st February and the 1st July.

Notice of appeal from assessment roll to the Court of Revision must be given to the clerk within 14 days after the return of the roll.

The Court of Revision to sit only after 10 days' notice has been given, and to be finished by 1st of July each year; except in cities, towns or villages, where the court shall be closed in six weeks from the time of returning the assessment rolls.

An appeal may be had to the County Judge from any decision of the Court of Revision.

Within 30 days after the final revision of the assessment roll the clerk shall make up from it, and print and post up and distribute the voters' lists.

Notice in writing of objections to voters' lists shall be served on the clerk within thirty days after the posting up of the lists in his office.

Gen. Tom Thumb left his measure at a clothing store recently for 12 suits of wool underwear. He takes the same size as a child six years old.

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice by letter (returning the paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

2. Any person who takes a paper from the post office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

3. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, Febrary 3rd, 1882.

NEWS NOTES.

Mr. Colwell Graham, Reeve of Mulmur, was elected Warden of Dufferin for the ensuing year.

Eleven conductors on the Northern have signified their intention of resining next spring.

Fifty powerful engines for the Chicago and Grand Trunk are being built at the car-works in Montreal.

Hanlan has met his first misfortune since he arrived in England. Yesterday he wrecked his boat, but was able to wade to the shore.

A CAR BLOWN OF THE TRACK.—An idea of the strength of Thursday night's wind storm may be gained from the fact that an empty Grand Trunk flat car was blown off the track at the foot of Simcoe street and carried a considerable distance.

The County Council of Peel, now in session, have unanimously petitioned the Ontario Legislature in favour of the Act to confirm the agreement between the Grand Trunk and Toronto, Grey and Bruce.

The Council of the Township of Howick has adopted a petition to the Ontario Legislature in favor of confirming the agreement for the operation of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway by the Grand Trunk.

THE ICE HARVEST.—Another harvest of lake Simcoe Ice has begun. The Northern and North-Western Railway are now supplying the public institutions of Toronto from Barrie, the scene of the great operations of 1879 and 1880. Enquiries are now daily being recieved as to quotations and the state of the ice, which is now ten or twelve inches thick and of as fine a quality as that of 1879 and 1880.

FOUND DEAD.—On Saturday Afternoon the body of a man named Martin Malcolm was found lying across the track on a siding on a Northern Railway yard. Deceased was given to drink, and when last seen, at a late hour on Saturday night, was intoxicated. So far there seems no doubt that the unfortunate man froze to death while rendered helpless by liquor.

FAREWELL SUPPER.

A complimentary supper was given at the Markdale House on Friday evening, 27th ult., to Messrs. E. D. Wilcox and Andrew McFarland on the eve of their departure to Manitoba. About 50 sat down to a most sumptous repast, got up in Mrs. A. Rutledge's usual stylish manner. After ample justice had been done to the toothsome viands The chair was occupied by Mr. Rae, and the vice chair by Mr. A. Turner. The first toast of course was our beloved Queen and the Royal Family, recieved with all the honors.

The army and navy: song, Red, White and Blue, Mr. A. McIntyre.

Commerce: responded to by Messrs. G. M. Haskett and H. Foster.

Agricultural interests of Canada responded to by Messrs. Wm. McLaughery and S. Miller, who spoke in glowing terms of the future prosperity of Agriculturists, and also expressed regret for the occassion of the present gathering the departure of the guests of the evening from our midst.

Our Guests: Mr. Wilcox expressed his happiness at meeting so many of his warm friends, and expressed sorrow at parting with them. Mr. A. McFarland said he was sorry to leave this, his home, for the past year, and would long remember the many happy days he had spent in Markdale.

The Learned profession brought forth Messrs. Rowe, Masson and Dr. Armstrong. Mr. Rowe made a brief speech, full of hope and enthusiasm, in regard to the used for and success of the legal profession. Mr. Masson complimented the citizens of Markdale as being a peaceable and law-abiding people, consequently his business here was not as profitable as it otherwise might be. Dr. Armstrong spoke in enthusiastic terms of the medical profession, showing the necessary for its [illegible] great [illegible] it had [illegible].

The Press: responded to by C. W. Rutledge, [illegible] of Markdale STANDARD.

The toast of the "Ladies" brought Messrs. W. & J. McDougal, Doll, Campbell and Young to their feet, Mr. W. McDougal gave a recitation, "Love in the Kitchen." Mr. J. McDougal spoke a few words in their favor, and also paid a high tribute to the guests of the evening. Mr. Doll spoke in the highest terms of the ladies, stating they were chief factors in our future prosperity, as without them our population would not increase, and would eventually die out. He also spoke very kindly and feelingly of the guests whom they had met to do honor. Mr. Campbell spoke briefly, which Mr. Young spoke highly of the guests, although he had been acquainted with them but a short time, he had found them good men and true &c. Mr. McIntyre gave "Mothers song to the Baby." Mr. Wm. McDougal sang "The Little Old Log Cabin on the Hill.

Dr. Sproule having arrived was called upon, and made a few brief remarks. He refered to the intended departure of the guests, and the universal good wishes of our people with they carry with them.

Mr. Campbell sang the "Cameron Band."

Mr. Robertson, Lumber Merchant, said he had been acquainted with Mr Wilcox for several years and regretted his departure. J. McDougal, favored the assembly with a song, as did Mr. John Richards with a recitation. Then came the toast of the Host and Hostess responded to by Mr. A. Turner. The health of the chairman and vice having been drank and responded to, a very pleasant evening was brought to close by singing the National Anthem, when all wended their way homewards. "Happy to meet, sorry to part and happy to meet again."

THE GRANGERS.

Grey Division Grange No. 2 met, according to announcement, in Markdale on Tuursday, the 26th ult. There was a good attendance, between 70 and 80 being present. There were many questions of interest and importance discussed, and a heavy days business was gone through with. The following officess were elected and installed for the ensuing year:—P. Christie, Meaford, Master; J. McArdle, Hopeville, Overseer; J. M. Webster, Eugenia, Lecturer; J. Bowes, Jr., St. Vincent, Asst. Steward; —— Kennedy, ——, Chaplain; W. Whitelaw, Meaford, Treasurer; J. Weber, Vandeleur, Secretary; J. Hickling, Osprey, Gate Keeper; Sister's Gifford, ——, Ceres; A. Drew, Markdale, Pomona; Hickling, Osprey, Flora; Moore, Holland, L. A. Stewardess. Bros. Palmer, Reid and Robinson, executive committee. J. M. Webster and H. D. Irwin, auditors.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondence.

A SURPRIZE PARTY, AND A PARTY SURPRIZED.

On Monday evening the 25th Jan., a large party numbering well up to 60 came swooping down the hill to Mr. Duncan Campbell's, and like a swarm of bees settled themselves down for the night, to the surprise of the old gentleman, who was heard making the inquiry, "Whar can a'the folk be gan the nicht," on being informed, he and the other members of the family soon made every preparation to make the visitors at home. The fun and jolity was kept up beyond the wee sma' oors, when all went home well pleased with the evening's amusement.

Some Manitoba weather if freezing will make it. Some blizzards.

We hear of some people who neglected to keep their probosis housed up, getting froze. Very careless of them.

OSPREY.

From our Correspondent.

MR. SANDFORD FLEMING ON STANDARD TIME.

DEAR SIR—As one of your correspondents, who has no local news to communicate, I propose to lay before the readers of your paper the argument of Mr. Sandford Fleming, Chancellor of Queen's University, Kingston, before the meeting of the Geographical Society in Venice, in July last. This will be read with much interest, as it deals with a question of great practical importance.

The subject is the establishment of a Prime Meridian and Time Zero, to be common to all nations. The history of geographical science informs us, that a great number of initial meridians have at various times been employed by astronomers and navigators. It is well known that Claudius Ptolemy was among the first to fix a meridian of reference. Ptolemy lived in the second century, when the habitable world was thought to be limited to the countries around, or not far beyond, the shores of the Mediterranean. From time to time, as knowledge of the earth's surface extended, distinguished geographers arose, who adopted new initial meridians It is not necessary, however, to trouble the readers with a recital of the list of meridians, which, since the earliest period, longitudes have been reckoned. It is sufficient at this stage to refer to the fact, that geographers of different nations have generally selected for starting points, places of importance well known to them, and that as a rule they have chosen the capitals or the principal observatories of the nations to which they respectively belonged. Hence the multiplication of meridians of reference through the world. Within a comparatively recent period communications between the peoples of different nations have been greatly facilitated, and intercourse has proportionately increased. It has consequently been felt, that the variety of first mereidians is embarrassing and unnecessary. For a number of years the question of reducing this number has [illegible] consideration; it has been brought before the Geographical Congress at Antwerp, and again at Paris. The question has been examined by different Societies, and various proposals have been submitted, but unanimity with respect to the selection of a prime meridian to be common to all nations has in no way been attained. Repeated efforts have been made to gain general concurrence to the adoption of one of the existing national meridians, but these proposals have tended to retard a settlement of the question by awakening national sensibilities, and thus creating a barrier difficult to remove. Other proposals to select an entirely new initial line, unrelated to any of the first meridians at present recognized, have but little advanced the settlement of the question, as such a course encounters difficulties of another kind —difficulties so serious in their character as to render the proposal almost impracticable. There are reasons for unification of first meridians which every year become stronger, and, as the question effects the whole area of civilization, its consideration should be approached in a broad liberal spirit. While it may be urged that the selection of any particular meridian is less important than the adoption of a common first meridian, care should be taken to consider the interests of all people concerned or likely to be concerned, scrupulously avoiding offence to local prejudice or national vanity. On every account it is extremely desirable that an earnest effort should be made to seek for a solution of the problem. The unification of initial meridians has been advocated in the interest of geography, astronomy and navigation. I shall accept all the arguments which have been advance on behalf of those extremely important interests, and crave your indulgence while I submit additional reasons for the establishment of a common prime meridian for all the world. I propose to direct attention to arguments which spring from the relation of time and longitude, and the rapidly growing necessity in this age for reform in time-reckoning. If we take into view the whole earth, we have at the same instant in absolute time, noon, midnight, sunrise, sunset, and all intermediate graduation of the day. The telegraph system, which is gradually spreading like a spider's web over the surface of the globe, is practically bringing the view of the sphere before all civilized communities, It leaves no interval of time between widely separated places proportionate to their distances apart.

It brings points remote from one another, enjoying all the different hours of daylight and darkness, into very close contact. Under our present system of rotation, confusion is developed, and all account of time is thrown into disorder. The local civil day begins twelve hours before and twelve hours after the sun passes the meridian of a place. As the globe is constantly revolving on its axis, a fresh meridian is every moment coming under the sun. As a consequence, a day is always beginning somewhere and always ending somewhere. Each spot around the circumferance of the sphere has its own day, and therefore there are, during every diurnal revolution of the earth, an infinite num of local days, all beginning within a space of twenty-four hours. These days over-lap each other, and, theoretically, they are perfectly distinct as they are infinite in number. There are no simultaneous days except on the same meridian, and as the different days are always in the same various stages of advancement, difficulties must necessarily result in assigning a period when an event takes place.— The telegraph may give the exact local time of the occurrence, but it will be in disagreement with the local times on every meridian around the earth An event occuring on any day, may on the instant be announced somewhere else on the following day. About the period when one month, or a year passes into another month or year, an occurrence may actually take place in two different months, or in two different years, according to local reckoning. It will readily be conceeded that this system is extremely unscientific, that it possesses all the elements of confusion, and produces a degree of ambiguity which cannot long be tolerated; that as time rolls on it will lead to grave complications in social and commercial affairs; that it will produce serious errors in cronology; that it will be exceedingly inconvenient and troublesome when rapid intercourse becomes universal to bring the time of different countries and localities into agreement and that the necessity for doing so by additions and difference in longitude, will undoubtedly clog the ordinary business of the world. It is proposed to obviate the difficulty by a system of cosmopolitan time — reckoning, the chief peculiarity of which is the adoption of one particular meridian as a standard of time zero, and by an extremely simple arrangement regulating the time at all places on the globe by direct reference to the common standard. It is obvious that the world's time zero should coincide with the prime meridian to be used in common by all nations for reckoning terrestial longitude. I shall proceed to submit special and more urgent reasons for the selection of a common initial meridian and time zero, I shall confine my observations to the case of North America, but the following remarks will doubtless apply to other great divisions of the earth's surface.

J. C.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the Township Cauncil of the Township of Euphrasia was held, pursuant to adjournment, on the 31st December 1881. Members all present.

Minutes of last session of Council read and confirmed.

Thomas Brown was permitted to pay to the Township Treasurer the taxes charged against the N. ½ of lot 5, con. 6, amount being $14.04, less $5 for Statute labor, and the Clerk ordered to request the County Treasurer to strike off his books the full amount charged against said land for the current year.

The time for returning the Collector's Roll was extended for one month.

A contract entered into by James Gibson for road work, was carried over until next year.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay, as follows:— To William Dales, $34, for building bridge; John Pickering, $10, for relief of Mrs. Grey, an indigent; Wm. Blakely, $1, for repairing road scraper; William Wright, $3.50, for building culvert; William Blakely, $5, to pay for surveying side-road; Richard Snellgrove, $5, for removing fence from highway; Irwin Fawcett, $13, for cutting down hill; John Niel, $2, for repairing crossway; Richard Caretoot, $35, for cutting down hill; J. Farewell, $17, for printing; William Londry, $8, for building culvert; J. Kake, $5, for taking out stumps on road; Robert Hetherington, $5, for repairing bridge; E. E. Knott, Esq., $125, payment for fire safe; Thomas Abercrombie, $50, usual grant to Agricultural Society; R. Dunlop, Clerk, $45 for levying School Rates, $85, balance of salary and writing minutes for papers, and $20, for postage; David Miller, 50c, for repairing road scraper; Adam Clarke, $5, for keeping culvert clear of logs.

The amount of $19.30, charged in error against N. ½ of lot 11, con. 6, was struck off the Collector's Roll.

On motion being made and seconded, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

FROM "THE TIMES."

Editor of the Times:—In reading the last number of your paper, I noticed you asked all who had been benefited by the letter published in your valuable paper about a year ago, to write you the facts for publication. The letter from Dr. Bates created a great amount of excitement in this vicinity, as he is well and favorably known by every one here. His reputation as a man and as physician gave every one the utmost confidence in all his statements, and this of course soon made the name "Kendall's Spavin Cure" not only familiar but very popular. In reply to your request I will say: About nine years ago I slipped on the ice and sprained my right limb at the knee joint. I was very lame and suffered excruciating pain much of the time since, and some of the time thought I should be a cripple for life. Dr. Bates' letter printed in your paper gave me so much confidence in the virtue of "Kendall's Spavin Cure" that I tried it for my knee and less than one bottle completely cured me so that I have had no return of pain or lameness, for which, of course, I cannot feel too thankful. Since my recovery I have visited friends in the west and found that the following parties have used it with the grandest results in that part of the country. The Rev. John Rice, Hematite, Mo., used it on his own person for an injury of 35 years standing and performed one of the most wonderful cures I ever heard of. J. L. McLure, of Strong City, Kansas, cured a badly lacerated and poisoned hand, from a hog bite and also removed an enlargement near the hip joint which had become large and troublesome. He also used it for pleurisy and found that bathing his chest with it relieved him at once To my surprise I found that this wonderful remedy was better known in the west than it was in the east, and I found they were using it their for all animals as well as on human flesh with the very best of results, and I find so many cases wherever I go to confirm the favorable opinion I had already formed of it that I am glad of an opportunity of telling the readers of your valuable paper what I have learned in regard to it. Hoping to hear from others upon this very important subject, especially important to those who have suffered for years like myself, I remain,

Yours &c.,

J. B. ROYCE.

Elmira, N. Y., Sept. 17th, 1881.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

REPLY TO MR. GLENCROSS.

TRAVERSTON, Jan. 31st, 1882.

To the Editor,

SIR—Will you kindly allow me a small space in your valuable paper, to answer Mr. Wm. Glengross' apology for slander uttered by him on nomination day, at the Town Hall, as Mr. Glencross does not confine himself to facts. He says—"I am at a loss to know what statement I made on that day that could be called a slander. the only statement that I made that appeared to offend you was, that you received one dollar and fifty-six cents that I did not think at the time you were entitled to, and called upon you as any ratepayer has a right to do, for an explanation. You made an explanation at the time, which I accepted as satisfactory."

Now, sir, this statement is entirely false and misleading, as all fare-minded ratepayers present will bear me out in saying that Mr. Glencross never asked me any question at all, It was I that asked him questions which I thought it was pertinent for me to do, whereupon Mr. G. let his temper run riot with his reason, and said that if I (meaning himself) had $1 56 of your money in my pocket like Mr. Hall has. If others let me alone I would let them alone. Whereupon Mr. McRae, our worthy Reeve, came to the front, and said—"Gentlemen, this is very unfair and ungentlemanly of Mr. G. to accuse Mr. Hall of any such charge, as Mr. H. was as well entitle to what money he received as Mr. G., myself, or any other member of the Council, and if there is any blame, I am the one to blame, as I made up their amounts and issued checks therefor, and am ready and willing to shoulder any responsibility. Will you accept this explanation from me?" he said, which they did. But Mr. Glencross could not let the matter drop there, for through his canvas, and other places that afforded opportunity, he expressed himself thus: "I gave Hall a mouthful, and if he cannot swallow it, he can chew it.". On hearing this I made it my business to see Mr. G. in presence of others, and asked him to apologize through the STANDARD, or I would bring an action against him, which he positively refused to do, and I afterwards heard that he made use of a great deal of pretended bravado about the matter; but finding himself in the toils of the law, he, like any other cur, bolted that big mouthful himself, and made the above apology, which I accept; although it is just as the man said when he received a kick from an ass, rather a left handed compliment, but would take it from whence it came, consequently I give him a fool's pardon. And, sir, in the matter of dealing with figures, I think he is like what Dow says of the school boy "making figures lie that never lied before," for the matter he complains of was in my getting my commission on $27.50 at the rate of eight per cent. would, according to my calculation, amount to $2.20; but he said on nomination day $1.65, and now in his apology $1.56; and dear only knows what it will be some other time, therefore, I must come to the conclusion that his ability to dissect figures is just on a par with his dissecting dead dogs when he dissected the wrong one.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for your space, hoping this will finish my correspondence, as I have no desire either to rush into law or print, only to set the matter fairly before the public and let them judge who tells the true story.

I am, yours gratefully,

W. HALL.

MR. EDITOR—I saw in the "Grey Review" of the 19th Jan., an article in reference to a meeting held in the C. M. Church, Proton, as a reprint from the Flesherton *Advance*, in which it was stated that the members raised nearly all the money among themselves, the subscriptions from outsiders being unsolicited. Now what are the facts of the case? The facts of the case are these, that four fifths of those present at the Soiree was composed of outsiders, and men, women and children were solicited, pressed, nay, even craved for money, and if the figures were consulted you will find, I am confident, that over three-fifths of the money was raised by out-siders. So far did their craze go for money, that even parents were pressed for a subscription for their infant children.— Now how do these facts compare with the falsehoods of the correspondent of the *Advance*. What do you suppose could possess any person to attempt to palm off such an arrant untruth upon a credulous public. Perhaps, now, the *Advance* man will say that he was mislead: but who will believe him after giving publication to such a gassy deception. Thanking you for the space so kindly allowed, I am, &c.

PERKSCLUB.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—While looking over last week's issue of your paper, I was surprised at the honor your Feversham correspondent gave to Mr. McAlear, the hotel keeper of that village, for closing his bar last Township election day, while it is well known that the reason he closed it was on account of a report that a certain candidate for municipal honors intended to have him fined if he sold liquor that day; which report, I understand, was a falsehood, circulated for the purpose of keeping a certain class from voting for the said candicate Now, sir, I do not know who your correspondent is, but I think he should not have given Mr. McAlear so much praise when he closed it through fear of being fined. If he had closed it for the purpose of preventing any undue influence being exercised from treating, then, I say, he would have been entitled to all the praise given him. It would be much to the credit of all hotel keepers if they closed their bars on election days, and also an honor to every candidate to refrain from treating for the purpose of influencing voters; but now, I am sorry to say, the candidate who spends most in treating is the surest to be elected, which is a disgrace to our Township and to the Council elected. Yours, &c., W. S.

INCONSISTENCY.

MR. EDITOR.—Last Monday night Mr. B. Wright lost a horse by being choked with the halter, while he, Mr. W., was attending church. On Tuesday he removed the carcass to the nearest vacant lot, about half a mile from the village, as directed; and strange to say received a notice from the owner of the lot the same day to remove the carcas off the premises, which notice was obeyed. Now where the inconsistency comes in is as follows:—The same man, Mr. Miller, had a beast died a few years ago on his next neighbor's farm, where the beast, with others, were pasturing. Mr. M. had the hide taken off, but did not bury the carcass, to say nothing of removing it off the premises, but left it to decay; being only a few rods from where the owner of the place was summer-fallowing, and that in the hot summer months, when it must have been almost unbearable to exist in the vicinity of a putrified carcass.

CONSISTENCY.

TWO ORGANS.—Regulate first the stomach, second the liver; especially the first, so as to perform their functions perfectly and you will remove at least nineteen-twentieths of all the ills that mankind is heir to, in this or any other climate. Hop Bitters is the only thing that will give perfectly healthy natural action to these two organs. —*Maine Farmer.*

TORONTO, January 2nd, 1882.

To the President and Directors of the different Agricultural and Horticultural Societies:

DEAR SIRS,—The Council of the Agricultural and Arts Association have decided to give Prizes and Medals for different purposes for the season of 1882; and wishing to give publicity to their intention, ask the hearty co-operation of the different societies in notifying persons who would be likely to compete, and think there can be no better time or place than at the Annual Meetings, where, if the Secretary will kindly read the following notifications, the Council will feel obliged:

FARM PRIZES-GROUP NO. 3.

1. Prizes will be awarded by the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario for the best managed farms in Group No. 3, comprising the following Electoral District Societies, viz.:

Bruce North, Huron East, Bruce South, Huron West, Dufferin, Huron South, Grey North, Perth North, Grey South, Perth South, Grey East, Wellington South, Wellington Centre, Wellington West.

2. Any farmer desiring to compete shall make his application in writing to the Secretary of the Agricultural Society of his District on or before 1st May of each year, upon which said Society may call a meeting for the purpose of deciding which of the applications shall be returned to this Association; but no Society shall return more than three competitors.

3. The full name and address of the selected applicants, attested by the Secretary and President of the Agricultural Society, to be sent to the Secretary of this Association on or before the 15th May annually.

4. There shall be two Judges appointed by this Association from outside the District being examined, who shall be paid their actual travelling expenses. In case of a dispute between the Judges, the President of this Association shall be called upon to act as referee.

5. The Judges shall keep a detail of marks awarded to each farm visited. They shall award to the best managed farm in each Electoral District a bronze medal, where three farms have competed, and instead thereof to the best managed farm in the group a gold medal, and to the second best farm a silver medal.

6. In addition to any other points that may be thought desirable by the Judges, the following shall be taken into consideration in estimating what is "the best managed farm."

(1). The competing farm to be not less than one hundred acres, two-thirds of which must be under cultivation.

(2). The nature of the farming, whether mixed, dairy, or any other mode, to be the most suitable under conditions affected by local circumstances.

(3). The proper position of the buildings in relation to the whole farm.

(4). The attention paid to preservation of timber and shelter by planting of trees.

(5). The condition of any private roads.

(6). The character, sufficiency and condition of fences, and the manner in which the farm is subdivided into fields.

(7). Improvements by removal of obstacles to cultivation, including drainage.

(8). General condition of buildings, including dwelling-houses, and their adaptability to the wants of the farm and family.

(9). The management, character, suitability, condition and number of live stock kept.

(10). The number, condition and suitability of implements and machinery.

(11). State of the garden and orchard.

(12). Management of farm yard manure.

(13). The cultivation of crops to embrace manuring, clearing produce per acre in relation to management, and character of soil and climate.

(14). General order, economy and water supply.

(15). Cost of production and relative profits.

7. The examination by the Judges to be not earlier than 1st July, and to be finished in September.

8. The report of the Judges to be submitted to the Board, and forwarded to the Commissioner of Agriculture.

These prizes, awarded in Groups Nos. 1 and 2, have given universal satisfaction, and the very valuable reports of the Judges will be published by the Commission of Agriculture, and distributed to applicants.

A number of circulars will be sent to the Secretaries of the different Electoral Societies in Group No. 3, for circulation.

PRIZE ESSAYS.

The Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario will give a prize of $30 for the best Essay, and $20 for the second best Essay, on each of the following subjects:

1. MANURES: Their preparation, application and effect on growing crops, and in maintaining and increasing the fertility of the soil to which they are applied.

Competition on this subject to be restricted to practical farmers cultivating land within the Province of Ontario.

N.B.—Quotations of analysis to be excluded, and scientific and technical terms to be avoided as far as possible.

2. THE HOMESTEAD: Its arrangement and surroundings, with regard to convenience and comfort, combined with economy, healthfulness and picturesque appearance; including choice of site, dwelling house and offices, water supply, drainage, farm buildings, shelter belts, gardens and shrubbery.

Open to general competition.

Length not to exceed twenty-five pages foolscap, to be written on one side of the paper only.

Manuscript to be sent to the Secretary of the Agricultural and Arts Association, Toronto, not later than the 1st of August, 1882.

It having been decided at the Annual Meeting of the Agricultural and Arts Association of Ontario, held in London in September last, that the Council should institute a system of examinations, open to the young farmers of the Province, in the science and practice af Agriculture, comprising tillage, raising of crops, breeding, fattening an management of stock, dairying, forestry, &c., as adapted to the climate, soils and wants of Ontario —the object being to induce young people engaged in or intending for farming to prepare themselves, by a course of reading and observation, for examination in the before-mentioned subjects at certain convenient centres, who shall receive certificates of merit or scholarships according to the correctness and extent of the answers given to the respective questions comprised in the given papers—it will be for the new Council of 1882, at its first meeting in March next, to adopt a syllabus of the subjects for examination, and to make such regulations as may be requisite for carrying into practice the scheme that may be finally adopted.

It is hoped that a well-conducted effort of this character will be instrumental in eliciting a spirit of inquiry, reading, and observation among the young men of our farming community, and of promoting the advancement of our most important industry.

I remain, Dear Sirs,

Yours respectfully,

HENRY WADE,

Secretary Agricultural and Arts Association, TORONTO.

MARRIED.

HUMBERSONT—KENNEDY—In Owen Sound, on Thursday, 19th January, by the Rev. A. H. Scott, M. A., Mr. Wm. Humbersont, to Mrs. Ellen Kennedy, both of the Township of Artemesia.

By Rev. J. C. Wilmott, M. A., at the Methodist Parsonage, Horning's Mills, Mr. Lewis James, of Melancthon, to Miss Elizabeth Inglis, of Osprey.

By the same, and at the same place, on the 11th ult., Mr. Wm. Polley, to Miss Dinah Bell, both of the Township of Melancthon.

WILLIAMS—ROBERTSON—At Durham, on the 19th ult., by the Rev. Wm. Parke, Mr. Albert Williams, Egremont, to Miss Sarah Robertson, of Glenelg.

At Owen Sound, and within Knox Church, by the Rev. A. H. Scott, M A., on Tuesday 17th ult., Mr James M. Wilson to Margaret, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. J. Lewis, all of Owen Sound.

At the residence of the bride's uncle, John Rutledge, Esq., Hill Grove, by Rev. J. T. Barber, on December 21st, Mr. J. Tucker to Miss Nellie Rutledge.

CRANE—TRIMBLE—On the 1st inst., by the Rev. S. C. Philp, Jr., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Crane, Merchant, Owen Sound, to Miss Almida, only daughter of Robert Trimble, Esq., Merchant, Flesherton.

CAIRNS—McLEOD—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 25th ult., by Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., Francis Cairns to Miss Annie, daughter of Mr. Donald McLeod, all of Artemesia.

DIED.

BULMER—At Badjeros, on the 12th ult., Mrs. James Bulmer, daughter of James and Jane Fawcett, aged 25 years, 5 months and 7 days.

BATES—The infant son of Mr. Leonard Bates, Artemesia, on the 20th ult.

HOGAN—In Artemesia, on the 24th January, the wife of Mathew Hogan, aged 76 years.

FLEMING—In Holland on the 28th January, Mr. John Fleming, Sr., aged 79 years. Mr. Fleming was an old resident and highly respected.

TAYLOR—In Euphrasia, on 27th ult., Mrs. Lousia, relict of the late —— Taylor, aged 75 years. Her end was peaceful.

ZOPESA

(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large botle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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Meat Market!

Meat supplied wholesale and retail.

Sausages and Fish in season.

W. RENDLE,

A Rare Chance.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being Lot No. [illegible] south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable; also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O.

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Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

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LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

69ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

Farm for Sale.

Lot [illegible] half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing [illegible] acres. About six acres [illegible] hardwood; [illegible] clay loam. Will be sold for [illegible] cash; balance [illegible] purchaser. For particulars apply to

PETER McARTHUR, Markdale

Or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD Office.

FOR SALE.

A PALMYRA PRINTING PRESS, SIZE inside chase 8½x24 inches. Is capable of printing 700 impressions per hour. Will be sold cheap.

STANDARD OFFICE, Markdale.

Notice to Contractors.

WE have a large quantity of Saw Logs, which are now mostly skidded up in the woods. A good shanty and stable also. Any person desirous of securing a contract will do well to see us at once. The distance to haul is about 2½ miles on a good road

R. & A. NEILSON,

20tf Proton Station.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC Notice is hereby given that the Municipal Council of the Township of Euphrasia will meet for the despatch of business on the first Friday in each month throughout the current year.

ROBT. DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

Clerk's office, Euphrasia, 17th January, A.D. 1882. 72-2w.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham st., N. Y.

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SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE

Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to [illegible] pills is a dose.

PRICE [illegible] PER BOX.

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The most [illegible] ever discovered, [illegible] and does not blister

FROM THE ONEONTA [illegible]

Oneonta, N[illegible]

Early last summer [illegible] & Co., of Enosburg [illegible] tract with the pu[illegible] half column adve[illegible] ting forth the [illegible] Cure. At the s[illegible] the firm a qua[illegible] Kendall's Treatise [illegible] eases, which we [illegible] subscribers of the [illegible]

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Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH

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Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for [illegible] nal and external [illegible] Back or Bowels, [illegible] Toothache, Lumbago [illegible] or Ache. It will [illegible] Blood and heal [illegible] derful. [illegible] Brown's [illegible] being acknowledged [illegible] er, and of double [illegible] Elixer or Liniment [illegible] in every Family [illegible] as it really is the [illegible] for Cramps in the [illegible] Aches of all kinds [illegible] Druggists at 25 c[illegible]

Mothers Mothers! [illegible]

Are you disturbed [illegible] your rest by a [illegible] crying with the [illegible] teeth? [illegible] MRS. WINSLOW'S [illegible] It will relieve the [illegible] ately—depend upon [illegible] about it. There [illegible] who has ever used [illegible] once that it will [illegible] give rest to the mother [illegible] to the child, operating [illegible] fectly safe to use [illegible] the state, and is [illegible] the oldest and best [illegible] nurses in the U[illegible] where at 25 cents [illegible]

Gold [illegible] of [illegible] are offered, generally [illegible] those who do not [illegible] main in poverty. [illegible] men, boys and girls [illegible] their own locality [illegible] work properly from [illegible] iness will pay more [illegible] wages. Expensive [illegible] one who engages [illegible] You can devote your [illegible] or only your spare [illegible] tion and all that is [illegible] STINSON & Co., Portland [illegible]

AGENTS [illegible] Telephone and Edison [illegible] and Organ Music [illegible] alogue and terms [illegible] EDISON MUSIC CO. [illegible] Phila., Pa.

[illegible] IN GAR[illegible]

[illegible] THE STANDARD.

[illegible] day, February 3rd. 1882.

[illegible] & OTHER NOTICES

[illegible]—A good young horse, B. [illegible], Artemesia.

[illegible] J. J. Noble of Clarksburg, gave [illegible] call last week.

[illegible] communications and other [illegible] again crowded out.

[illegible] Job Press for sale, at the STANDARD office. See advertisement.

[illegible] special services are being held in [illegible] Methodist church with good results.

[illegible] Cornwall's residence will be an [illegible] ment to Markdale, and is near [illegible] ted.

[illegible] D. J. Shanahan has the most [illegible] brick on hand for his extensive [illegible] building.

[illegible] Messrs. G. S. Brown & Son, are [illegible] an excellent class of logs into [illegible] mill this winter.

[illegible] notice W. J. Spegrs. has arrived [illegible] town from Manitoba.

[illegible] first class overcoats selling at Butter & Rae's, at greatly reduced prices.

[illegible] quarterly meeting next Sunday, 5th [illegible] Methodist church, Markdale, [illegible] commencing at 10.30 a. m.

[illegible] Wm. Walker offers his town lot [illegible] the STANDARD office, for sale [illegible] terms. See advertisement.

[illegible] Shawls, Clouds, Hosiery, Winceys, [illegible] Caps, selling at a small advance [illegible] cost, at Butter & Rae's.

[illegible] million dollar fire has just been [illegible] from New York, in which a [illegible] number of lives were lost.

[illegible] Parties who have agreed to bring [illegible] for the STANDARD, will please [illegible] it along now while the sleighing [illegible]

[illegible] R. Dunlop, Township Clerk [illegible] Euphrasia, and father of Mr. A. Dunlop, [illegible] baker and confectioner, Markdale, [illegible] at our office last week.

[illegible] After selecting a dress or mantle [illegible] McFarland's you will get [illegible] FREE OF CHARGE. Mark—[illegible] buttons, fringes, satins, and all other [illegible] gs to match.

[illegible]—Dentists who have tried [illegible] "[illegible]ERRY," pronounce it the finest [illegible] on the face of this earth for the [illegible] and breath. 5 cent samples.

[illegible] very impressive and appropriate [illegible] Funeral Sermon, was preached in [illegible] Methodist Church, Markdale, by [illegible] Reverend N. A McDiarmid, for [illegible] late Rev. D. Williams, whose death [illegible] announced last week.

[illegible] Ayer's pills are the best of all purgatives [illegible] for family use. They are [illegible] effect, safe and sure, and excel all [illegible] pills in healing and curative [illegible]

[illegible] E. D. Wilcox, left for Manitoba [illegible] Wednesday morning. A number [illegible] citizens accompanied him to [illegible] station to see him off, and have a [illegible] hand shake.

[illegible] We want 10,000 [illegible] to act as clerks in McFarland's [illegible] must expect to be busy all the time [illegible] the Manitoba fever, as soon [illegible] have the fever bad now and [illegible] recover.

[illegible] According to notice in another [illegible], the Euphrasia council will [illegible] at the Town Hall, Rocklyn, on [illegible] first Friday in each month, during [illegible] this year, for general business.

[illegible] J. Masson, wishes us to state [illegible] will not be in Markdale Friday [illegible] and Saturday this week, having [illegible] important business in Toronto this [illegible] but will be here next week.

[illegible] small quantity of maple molasses [illegible] in January was brought to [illegible] Markdale a short time ago. We did not [illegible] the party's name, but the syrup [illegible] powerful good, yum, yum, we had [illegible]

[illegible] J. Sproule of Flesherton, has [illegible] announced a discount sale of Fall and [illegible] goods for 30 days. Read his [illegible] advertisement in another column, and [illegible] call for yourselves. Mr. Sproule [illegible] business.

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KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, February 3rd. 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

WANTED—A good young horse, B. Wright, Artemesia.

Rev. J. J. Noble of Clarksburg, gave us a call last week.

Several communications and other articles again crowded out.

A Job Press for sale, at the STANDARD office. See advertisement.

Special services are being held in the Methodist church with good results.

Mr. Cornwall's residence will be an ornament to Markdale, and is near completed.

Mr. D. J. Shanahan has the most of the brick on hand for his extensive carriage building.

Messrs. G. S. Brown & Son, are getting an excellent class of logs into their mill this winter.

We notice W. J. Speers, has arrived in town from Manitoba.

First class overcoats selling at Butter & Rae's, at greatly reduced prices. See them.

Quarterly meeting next Sunday, 5th in the Methodist church, Markdale, commencing at 10.30 a. m.

Mr. Wm. Walker offers his town lot opposite the STANDARD office, for sale on easy terms. See advertisement.

Shawls, Clouds, Hosiery, Winceys, and Caps, selling at a small advance on cost, at Butter & Rae's.

A million dollar fire has just been reported from New York, in which a great number of lives were lost.

Parties who have agreed to bring wood for the STANDARD, will please fetch it along now while the sleighing is good.

Mr. R. Dunlop, Township Clerk Euphrasia, and father of Mr. A. Dunlop, baker and confectioner, Markdale, called at our office last week.

After selecting a dress or mantle cloth at W. J. McFarland's you will get a PATTERN FREE OF CHARGE. Made free of charge and buttons, fringes, satins, and all other trimmings to match.

ALL Dentists who have tried "TEABERRY." pronounce it the finest thing on the face of this earth for the teeth and breath. 5 cent samples.

A very impressive and appropriate memorial Sermon, was preached in the Methodist Church, Markdale, by the Reverend N. A McDiarmid, for the late Rev. D. Williams, whose death we noticed last week.

Ayer's pills are the best of all purgatives for family use. They are pleasant, safe and sure, and excel all other pills in healing and curative qualities.

Mr. E. D. Wilcox, left for Manitoba on Wednesday morning. A number of our citizens accompanied him to the station to see him off, and have a hand shake.

We want 10,000 able bodied young men to act as clerks in McFarland's store. They must expect to be busy all the time and keep from the Manitoba fever, as some of his clerks have the fever bad now and are not likely to recover.

According to notice in another column, the Euphrasia council will meet at the Town Hall, Rocklyn, on the first Friday in each month, during this year, for general business.

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Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops are an excellent Expectorant loosening the phlegm far more readily than any other preparation. For Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Tickling in the Throat and Soreness and Tightness of the Chest, they have no equal. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents Markdale.

St. Valentine was beheaded A. D., 271. He was a man endowed with a very generous and charitable disposition. It has always been customary to commemorate his festival by the interchange, between friends of missive of love and respect. This is the reason why Turner & Co. have on hand such a large stock of choice Valentines, for St. Valentine's day. Feb'y 14th.

We are informed that the Police Trustees are determined to enforce the law in regard to obstructing the sidewalks, roadways, &c. Henceforth people are not going to be permitted to make barnyards, woodyards, &c., of our streets and sidewalks. Oh! ye offenders of the past take timely warning unless you wish to be brought up before the Cadi, *alias* Wm. Brown, Esq., J. P., for infringing the rights of her majesty's liege subjects.

Never neglect a Cough or Cold as they are very apt to lead to serious Lung troubles. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops have a wonderfull effect in relieving and curing Coughs Colds and all affections of the throat and Lungs, As Dr. Carson is a well known Canadian physician of over 25 years successful practice, there is little wonder that his Remedies are so popular with the Canadian people. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents for Markdale.

Mr. Whitby has been appointed Assessor for Artemesia, and wishes us to state that he will raise the assessment this year throughout the township to, as near as possible, the cash value. It is time the different municipalities were moving in the same direction. It will make no difference as to the amount of taxes paid, provided all are served alike. Any Assessor is breaking his declaration of office who fails to assess property within 30 per cent of its cash value over or under.

Carl Bock, who has been traveling in Bornee for the Dutch Government, who were very anxious to obtain accurate information as to certain tribes, visited Siban. Mobang, a cannibal chief, who, when he saw him, had fresh upon his hands the blood of no less than seventy victims—men, women and children—whom he and his followers had just slaughtered, and whose heads and brains, considered the titbits, he had devoured. His appearance was unprepossessing.

Mr. John Inkster of Osprey lost a valuable spring colt last week very simply. The beast was fastened in the stall by a halter, and in some manner during the night got into the manger on its back, and was dead in the morning. He wishes us to give, for the benefit of others, a simple preventative to such accidents which he has learned since the above took place viz. to fasten a few strips across the manger which don't hinder the animal to feed and will be a sure prevention from getting into the manger.

A PUBLIC MEETING Should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Grey—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

Beautiful weather after the cold snap, which was succeeded by a general thaw.

Business has been a little dull for the past few days on account of poor sleighing. A little more snow and business will be brisk again.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. J. McDowell who was so severly frozen, is improving, it was feared at one time that amputation would be necessary but now the doctors have better hopes.

Mr. Thos. Hanbury is making every preparation for the erection of his large and commodious brick building

Valentines, valentines, a large selection of fancy comic valentines just recieved at the Dundalk Drug store.

Brick clay has been found on S. Bell's farm, which has been pronounced first-class. A brick manufacturer from Fergus, has taken the business in hand, and will go extensively into the manufacture of brick early in the spring.

Large quantities of telegraph poles, and wood, are loaded every day at the Dundalk station.

Henry Graham Esq., a long resident in Dundalk, moves with his family, this week, to the city of Toronto, where he has been engaged in the commission business for the past few months.

Henry Mason has removed his tailoring business five doors south of his old stand.

Mr Corry, who was severely hurt last week by a falling limb, is getting better, he had a very narrow escape of being killed instantly.

G. W. Parsons, Dundalk drug store has just recieved a fine assortment of Silverware, such as Cruets, Butter coolers, Napkin Rings, Card recievers, and Teaspoons. Also a large stock of clocks and all kinds of fancy goods suitable for Wedding and other presents. Selling cheap, give him a call.

NO HESITATION.

Bishop Gilmour, of Cleveland, Ohio, has used the Great German Remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, and endorses it highly. He writes about it as follows:—I am pleased to say that the use of St. Jacobs Oil has benefited me greatly, and I have no hesitation to recommend it to all as an excellent curative.

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th. 1881. 36-ly

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

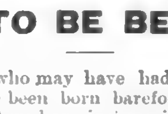
Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.



M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 58-tf

Cathartic Pills

Combine the choicest cathartic principles in medicine, in proportions accurately adjusted to secure activity, certainty, and uniformity of effect. They are the result of years of careful study and practical experiment, and are the most effectual remedy yet discovered for diseases caused by derangement of the stomach, liver, and bowels, which require prompt and effectual treatment. AYER'S PILLS are specially applicable to this class of diseases. They act directly on the digestive and assimilative processes, and restore regular healthy action. Their extensive use by physicians in their practice, and by all civilized nations, is one of the many proofs of their value as a safe, sure, and perfectly reliable purgative medicine. Being compounded of the concentrated virtues of purely vegetable substances, they are positively free from calomel or any injurious properties, and can be administered to children with perfect safety.

AYER'S PILLS are an effectual cure for Constipation or Costiveness, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Loss of Appetite, Foul Stomach and Breath, Dizziness, Headache, Loss of Memory, Numbness, Biliousness, Jaundice, Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Dropsy, Tumors, Worms, Neuralgia, Colic, Gripes, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Gout, Piles, Disorders of the Liver, and all other diseases resulting from a disordered state of the digestive apparatus.

As a Dinner Pill they have no equal.

While gentle in their action, these PILLS are the most thorough and searching cathartic that can be employed, and never give pain unless the bowels are inflamed, and then their influence is healing. They stimulate the appetite and digestive organs; they operate to purify and enrich the blood, and impart renewed health and vigor to the whole system.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,

Practical and Analytical Chemists,

Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA,
Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881.

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballustor Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

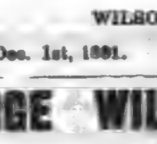
Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail



BUTCHER!!

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, [illegible]

Great Discount

SALE!

—AT THE—

POST OFFICE STORE

FLESHERTON,

FOR THIRTY DAYS.

In order to make room for my Spring Importations I will sell the balance of my large stock of Fall and Winter Goods at

Extremely low Prices.

Be sure and call and secure some of the Bargains.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Jan. 30th, 1882.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 48-6m.

MARKDALE HOUSE

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 18

1,000,000!

Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the

Highest Price in Cash!

for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs, hard and soft wood.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.

Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER, for School Section No. 13, Euphrasia, for 1882, with Second or Third Class Certificate. Apply to

THOMAS NELSON, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881.

Photographs!

Made in every style and finish.
Have all the requisites which constitute a GOOD GALLERY.
Only FIRST-CLASS work done.
Try the new Photographer.
Old Pictures copied and enlarged.
Guarantee all my work
Remember the stand, over the STANDARD Office.
All the popular styles made.
Procure the shadow ere the substance fades.
Have a fine assortment of Frames Cheap.
So don't you go and forget all about it.

J. L. BROWNE, Photo Artist,

Markdale, Dec. 11, 1881. 64-ly.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street, New York. 20

THE "LONDON HOUSE,"

DUNDALK.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, 10 to 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10

The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have ordered for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. —Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23 1881. 67-tf

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THE "GLASGOW HOUSE,"

DUNDALK,

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six months since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new large stock of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

MILLINERY.

HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,

Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c. worth 15c. BLACK CASHMERES for 25c. worth 40c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Tablings from 20c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. Call and inspect goods before purchasing

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

"Glasgow House Noted."

Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. ly

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 23, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

WANTED.

A QUANTITY OF

Telegraph Poles 50 Ft. Long

AND UPWARDS; ALSO

5,000 Cords Cedar Posts,

For which the Highest Prices will be paid.

MANEL & WHITTAKER.
Markdale P. O.

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Notice to Contractors.

AS WE HAVE A LARGE QUANTITY of Saw Logs at our mill this season, we will give contractors a good chance. The logs will be all skidded in the woods. A good shanty and stable also in the woods. Any parties wishing to have a contract of this kind will do well to see us. The distance to haul, about two-and-a-half miles, on a good road.

S. & A. [illegible]
Proton Station.

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COUNTY COUNCIL.

[illegible] Council of the County of Grey met at the Court House on Tuesday 24th ult., at 2 o'clock p. m. A quorum not being present, the Council adjourned till 7 p. m.

The Council met at 7 p. m., the following gentlemen depositing their certificates as having been duly elected Reeves and Deputy Reeves of their respective townships:

Artemesia—Dr. Christoe, Reeve; A. Webster, Deputy Reeve.

Bentinck—D. McNicol, Reeve; J. Messenger, 1st Deputy Reeve; J. McCallum, 2nd Dep. Reeve.

Collingwood—N. McColman, Reeve; A. Campbell, 1st Dep. Reeve; W. Kerr, 2nd Deputy Reeve.

Derby—B. A. Stark, Reeve; Wm. Breen, Deputy Reeve.

Durham—G. McKechnie, Reeve.

Euphrasia—Robt. Myles, Reeve; T. Gilray, Dep. Reeve.

Egremont—J. Murdoch, Reeve; W. Lawrence, Deputy Reeve.

Glenelg—F. McRae, Reeve; T. Mullarky, Deputy Reeve.

Holland—W. Howey, Reeve; J. Cameron, Deputy Reeve.

Keppel—W. Totten, Reeve; J. Clark, Deputy Reeve.

Meaford—A. Thompson, Reeve.

Normanby—J. Blyth, Reeve; G. H. Schenk, 1st Dep. Reeve; W. Winkler, 2nd Dep. Reeve.

Owen Sound—J. Chisholm, Reeve; A. B. Lang, 1st Dep. Reeve; B. Malcolm, 2nd Dep. Reeve.

Osprey—A. McGirr, Reeve; A. McIntyre, Deputy Reeve.

Proton—P. McGregor, Reeve; J. Agnew, Deputy Reeve.

Sullivan—J. Dunnington, Reeve; J. Vasey, Deputy Reeve.

St. Vincent—C. R. Sing, Reeve; N. Read, Dep. Reeve.

Sydenham—W. Lang, Reeve; R. McCutcheon, Dep. Reeve.

arawak—T. McNaught, Reeve.

The Clerk then called on the Council to make their choice of Warden.

Moved by Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. McColman, that C. R. Sing, Reeve of St. Vincent, be Warden for the current year.

Moved by Mr. Blyth, seconded by Mr. Murdoch, that D. McNicol, Reeve of Bentinck, be Warden.

Moved by Mr. McKechnie, second by Mr. Lawrence, that R. Myles, Reeve of Euphrasia, be Warden.

A ballot was then taken, resulting as follows:—

Sing 17, McNicol 14, Myles 8. Mr. Myles' name being dropped, a second ballot was taken, the vote being—Sing 20, McNicol 19.

Mr. C. R. Sing was then declared duly elected Warden for 1882.

The Warden thanked the Council for the honor conferred upon him, saying he esteemed it a greater honor than to be elected to the House of Commons, as he represented the whole County of 7[illegible],000 people instead of one Riding. He thanked them for the honor also on behalf of the township he represented. He did not propose to write an address, as it took up time, and he thought the sooner they got to business the better.

Mr. McNicol tendered his congratulations to the Warden, and thanked his friends for the large vote given to himself.

On motion, a committee of five was balloted for to strike the standing committees for 1882, resulting in the [illegible] Messrs. Myles, McRae, McNicol and Cameron.

The Council then adjourned till 10 o'clock Wednesday Morning.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The Council met at 10 a. m. All the members present.

The Warden read several communications, which were referred to the various committees.

Dr. Christoe introduced By Law No. 300, to appoint County Auditors.

On motion, the Council went into committee to fill up By Law 300, Mr. Totten in the chair.

The Warden nominated on his part J. C. Spragge as Auditor; and Mr. R. [illegible]dgar was nominated on behalf of the Council; the salary of the Auditors to be $50 each.

The committee then rose, and reported by law as filled up by committee.

Dr. Christoe presented report of special committee to strike standing committees for the year, and on motion the report was received and adopted.

The standing committees for the year are as follows:—

Finance and Assessment—Messrs. McGregor, Dunnington, Blyth, McCutcheon, Chisholm, Murdoch, McKechnie, McGirr, Myles, Stark, Totten, Howey, McNicol, McNaught, Read, McColman, McRae, Christoe—Christoe, chairman.

Roads and Bridges—Messrs. Schenk, Agnew, Webster, Mularky, Cameron, Clark, Vasey, McIntyre, Malcolm, Kerr—Cameron, chairman.

Education—Messrs. McCallum, Campbell, McKechnie, Myles, Webster—McKechnie, chairman.

County Property—Messrs. Gilray, W. Lang, A. B. Lang, Kerr, Clark, McNichol, Thompson—A. B. Lang, chairman.

Printing—Messrs. MacRae, Malcolm Campbell, Winkler, Cameron—MacRae, chairman.

The Reeves of Bentinck, Collingwood and Holland were appointed a committee to enquire into the validity of the Treasurer's sureties, and report at present session of Council.

A committee was appointed to take into consideration matters contained in a resolution introduced by the Reeve of Glenelg, in reference to memorializing the Government in regard to assessment—the resolution to lie on the table till reported on.

A motion for appointing a special committee on specialties for the current year, was lost.

Moved by Mr. A. B. Lang, seconded by Mr. Thompson, That Messrs. Stark, Myles, McNaught, Christoe, Cameron, McNicol, McRae, Chisholm and the mover be a special committee to devise some scheme for the repair and maintenance of the gravel roads, and to report to this Council to-morrow.

Moved in amendment by Dr. Christoe, seconded by Mr. Myles, That the matter now before the chair be laid before the Road & Bridge Committee, and that the previous motion be laid on the table until said committee reports—*carried.*

The Warden read Treasurer's statement of non-resident lands.

On motion, Messrs. Jas. Murdoch and A. M. Stephens were appointed members of a board of audit, as required by law.

The Council adjourned till 10 o'clock on Thursday morning, to give committees time to prepare their respective reports.—O. S. Times.

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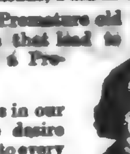

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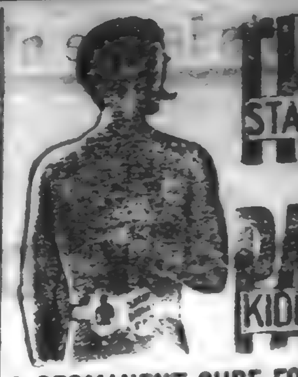

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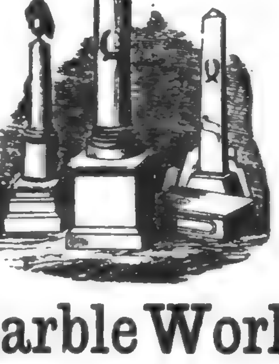

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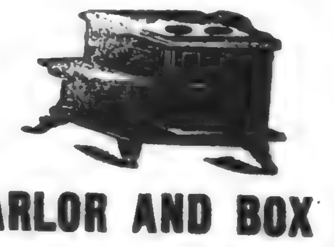

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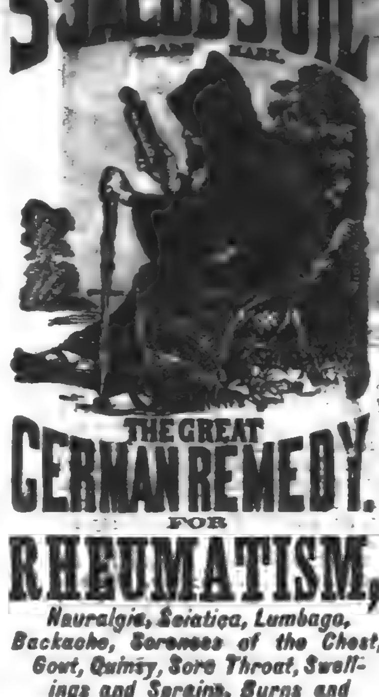

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And midst the rocks we learn to rest,
But only learn to weep.

'Tis then, and only then, we turn
Our tear-wet eyes, to Thine,
And all that name implies we learn—
So human, yet divine.

I've seen Thee in the lightening flash
That rent the heart of night;
I've heard amidst the thunder crash
Thy majesty and might.

But when Thy heart bends low to bless,
In pitty strong and deep,
I feel the holy tenderness
Of love that makes me weep.

'Tis love's sublimest joy to seek
The erring and the blind;
The strong is merciful and meek—
The mighty ever kind.

O blessed be the Master's name
Who taught our lips that prayer—
I too the holy sonship claim,
I too thy pity share.

—*O. S. Times.*

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER XVI. *Continued.*

'Your mother was just my age when I first knew her—a little the elder, I think—and just married. She was not handsome, but somehow she was attractive; most people liked her; I did myself for a time. And she was a great heiress, she was the wife of the handsomest man in England, and she loved him—ah! well, as you loved poor Mr. Dantree, perhaps, and not much more wisely.

'I lived with her, never mind in what capacity; I lived with her, and knew more of her than any other human being alive, including her husband. Indeed, after the honeymoon—and *how* he used to yawn and smoke during the honeymoon, he saw as little of her as possible. She was the woman he was married to, and the woman he loved was as beautiful as all the angels, and not worth a farthing. It is a very old state of things, Miss Dangerfield; nothing novel about it.—Your mother was frantically jealous, and having the temper of a spoiled child, made his lor—I mean, your father's life a martyrdom, with endless tears and reproaches. When she sat sobbing sometimes, swelling her eyes, and reddening her nose, once I ventured to offer her my humble sympathy, and called my—her husband a wretch, Do you know how he recieved it? She jumped up and slapped my face.'

'I am glad to hear it,' Katherine said, with composure. 'She served you right.'

'Ah! no doubt! You would have done the same, I am sure. Well, it was about that time the romance of my life began. Your mother's brother came from Ireland to make her a visit, and we met. He was only twenty; I was your age, seventeen. He was handsome and poor—your mother had got all the money, he all the beauty of the family. I was—my modesty makes me hesitate to say it, considered pretty in those days—that is, in a certain gipsy style of prettiness. It was a style that suited him at least, and earth turned to Paradise, and we were among the blest.

'I don't need to tell you what followed, do I?—the meeting by chance the appointments the twlight walks, the moonlight rambles, the delecious blisful folly of it all? No need to tell you your own experience is recent. Let me skip the sentimental and keep to hard facts. A month passed—courtship progresses rapidly with two people of twenty and seventeen. We were engaged, and we must be married at once, or life would be insupportable. But how? Youths of twenty and girls of seventeen cannot marry clandestirely and yet legally in England, expect under very great difficulties—under perjury, in fact. As deeply as he adored me, he was not prepared to perjure himself on my account. We must try a Scotch marriage for it—there was nothing else—and think about the legality afterward. He was poor—I was poorer. What we were to live on after marriage was an unanswearable question. We never tried to answer it—we must be married first at all risks—time enougth to think of all these prosaic details after.

'No one suspected our secret—this folly and my presumpton, that is what they termed it. We had fixed the day of our flight—we had packed our portmanteaus—in less than a week we would be in Scotland, and united as fast as Scotish marriage can unite, when of all of a sudden my la—your mother's sharp, grey eyes were opened and saw the truth. A note of his to me fell into her hands, and she opened and read it. Fot an honorable thing to do—eh, Katherine? It told her all—of our flight in two days, of our proposed marriage—all.

'I have told you. Katherine, that you are like your mother. you are. You have taken all your troubles quietly, and made no outcry no complaint. She took things quietly, too. Three hours after she got that note she came to me, quiet, composed, and determined.

'Harriet,' she said, 'I am going into the country for a day—only a day. Pack a few things and be ready to accompany me in an hour.'

'I stood confounded. He was away? what would he say when he came back? But it was impossible for me to disobey, and then—only for a day. We would be back in time after all.

'For a day! Katherine, she never stopped until we were in Cornwall. She had an uncle a rector there; he and his wife lived in a lonesome old gray house on the sea coast. It was late at night when the rumbling stage coach brought us to the door, and I was worn out with fatigue. I ask for some tea; my—your mother gave it to me graciously, with her own hand, a smile on her lips, and a sleeping potion in the cup.

'You must be tired, my poor Harriet,' she said, 'and you didn't think we were coming all the way to Cornwall. No more did I, but I took a sudden fancy to pay the old place a flying visit.'

'A flying visit?' I repeated, wearily. Then you mean—

'To return to town to morrow, my dear child. Certainly you don't suppose I would stay here, and in the height of the London season, too? But I think country air and solitude will do you good. Good night Harriet, you look sleeply, don't let me keep you awake!'

'I remember her laughing as she went out, then my eyelids swayed and fell, and I slept the sleep of the drugged.

'The noon sunshine of the next day filled my room when I awoke. I had not been to bed. My head ached, my eyes felt hot and heavy—I was unused to opium in any shape then, and its effects sickened me. I struggled wearily with memory. With a sharp pang I recollected it was the day fixed for my wedding day, and I was here alone, and he was—where?

And she had done it all. The first glow of that fire of quenchless hate that has burned ever since kindled in my heart then. I went down stairs silently enough, and asked the rector's lady for my mist—for your mother. And the rector's lady—in the secret, too—laughed in my face, and told me she was gone. Gone! While I slept she was far on her way back to town, and I was left behind, without a penny in my pocket, a prisoner in that stupid Cornish rectory.

'Katherine, I shall pass over this time. It is nearly twenty years ago, but to this day I can't look back without some of the frantic misery and pain I endured them, I was only seventeen, in love, and a fool, but the pains of fools are as hard to bear as the pains of wise men. I understood it all—I was never to see him again. She had found us out, and this was her plot! I threw myself face down upon the floor of my room, and lay there for twelve hours, neither moving, nor eating, nor speaking, and then I got up and went down stairs and—kept silent, still, and waited.

'Two months passed away—two months. A short time enough, ough, as I recon time enough now—an eternity then. My order of release came at the end of that time. Old Markham, the butler, was sent for me, and I was taken back to town I asked him just one question on the road.

'Where was young Mr.——?' and I got the answer I looked for. Mr. ——had joined the—Rifles, and gone out to Canada a fortnight before.

'I said no more. I went back to town, and your mother and I met. She looked a little afraid of me in the first moment—and she had reason.

'You must forgive my running away and leaving you, Harriet,' she said. 'It was a whim of mine, a practical joke, knowing how you hate the country, you child of London. It won't happen again, and I have hosts of presents for you that I know you will be charmed with.'

'I thanked her and took the presents—took everything that was given to me, and bided my time. I knew, as well as though she had told me, how she had laughed and ridiculed her brother into the army, and out of England, I knew it all, and she knew that I knew it, but we never spoke of it—never once— until the hour of her death.

'There, Katherine! that is my story, that is the secret of my hatred of your mother. Don't you think she deserved it?'

'From you—yes,' Katherine answered promptly; 'at the same time. I think she did exactly right. She knew what you were, doubtless, and took the only means of saving her brother. Gentlemen and officers don't, as a rule, marry their sisters' waiting maids.'

Mrs. Vavasor sprang to her feet. That random arrow had sped home.

'It is false!' she gasped. 'I was no waiting maid—you know nothing—'

'It is true!' exclaimed Katherine, also rising. 'You were a waiting maid and I know all I desire know at present. My mother was a lady, her brother was an officer in the—th Rifles, my father lives and will recognize her old servant when he sees her, Harriet Lelacheur!'

Mrs. Vavasor stood white, terrified, dumb. Good Heavens! what a fool she had been to speak at all to such a girl as this.

'You see I know your real name among your many *aliases.* As I have found out that, so shall I find out all the rest. As surely as we both live and stand here, I shall one day discover my father and punish you. I devote my life to that purpose—to finding enemies—on you, on Peter Dangerfield, on Gaston Dantree. I shall one day be avenged for all the bitter, cruel wrong you have done me. I am only a girl, alone in the world, without friends or money, but I shall keep my word. Secretly and in the dark as you have worked, so I shall work, and when my time comes the mercy you have shown will be dealt back to you. Now good night, Mrs Vavasor. We understand each other I think.'

She opened the door, looked back once, darkly, menacingly, then it closed after her, and she was gone.

Ninon sat up for her mistress. It was close upon midnight when that mistress reached Scarswood. But she felt no fatigue—some inward spirit, whether good or evil, sustained her. As she parted with the girl, she laid two sovereigns in her hand.

'You have been a good girl, Ninon,' she said kindly, to a very capricious mistress. Thank you for all your patience, and, good night.'

She went to her room, but not to sleep. It was disordered—she set it to rights. Her jewels—all—lay in her velvet and ivory casket, her rich dresses hung in the wardrobe and closet, her bridal dress among them. She took a small portmanteau, and packed a few articles of dress and linen, a few of her most cherished presents [illegible] it. Then, still dressed as she was sat down by the window and waited for the dawn.

It came—rosy and golden, and touched the eastern windows into flame. Then she arose, and taking the portmanteau in her hand, went softly out down the stairs and alone to that door in the turret by which she had gone out and came in last night. She closed it noislessly—the household were not yet astir—and walked rapidly down the crisp, frozen avenue to the gates. The rising sun shot red lances through the brown boles of the aud trees, gilded the windows and turrets tall chimneys of the old hall, making a wonderful bright and fair picture of early morning beauty, had she but turned to see.

But she never looked back.

CHAPTER XVII.

"RESURGAM."

'And how is your patient to night, Mrs. Otis? Any change for the better yet?'

Dr. Graves asked the question, blustering in like the god of the wind. A high gale roared without, a few feathery flakes floated past the window stormy twilight. In the little sitting room of the window Otis' cottage a bright fire burning cheerily, the red, warm light streaming through the window curtains far out upon the frost bound road.

A frost-bound and lonely road, utterly forsaken this bleak January afternoon, on the very outskirts of Castleford, a full quarter of a mile from any human habitation, and flanked on one side by a low, gray Methodist chapel set in the centre of a grave yard. The white and gray headstones glimmered athwart the wintery gloaming, now, like white and grey ghosts.

Mrs. Otis, sitting placidly before her pleasant fire, got up as Dr. Graves came noisily in. She was the neatest of all little women, done up in a dress of bombazine, a spotless white neckerchief and widow's cap, and a pale, placid motherly face.

'Good evening, Dr. Graves, I thought it was Henry. Come to the fire; bitterly cold, is it not, outside? My patient—well, I don't see much improvement there, but Henry says he improves, and of course Henry knows best. Take this chair; do, and try and thaw out.'

Dr. Graves took the cushioned rocker, and spread himself luxuriantly to the blaze.

(Where is Henry? I wanted to see him.'

'Oh, among his poor patients somewhere; he will be along to tea presently. Any news to-night, doctor? I mean—'

'You mean the Scarswood Tragedy, of course, ma'am—nobody in Sussex. I believe, talks of anything else latterly. No, no news, and no news in this case does not mean good news. The funeral is over, as you know, and there is no will, and every thing falls to that pitiful, pettifogging little screw of an attorney, Peter Dangerfield; everything, Mrs. Otis; everything. He is Sir Peter now; and among all the baronets who have reigned at Scarswood since the days of James I., I don't believe such a baronet ever disgraced a good old name. She has not got a rap, not a farthing, ma'am—poor as a church mose, and poorer, for church mice can steal, if they get a chance, and she can't. She has got to work now, Mrs. Otis; got to go out into the hard world and earn the bread and beef of every day life. Nursery governess or something of that sort; she is not qualified for even that, poor thing!'

'But, Doctor Graves, this seems a little too dreadful; to cruel. Where are all her friends; all our resident gentry? Must all desert her because she chances not to be Sir John's real daughter?'

'She is down in the world, Mrs. Otis, and it is the way of the world to speed the misserable sinner who falls with a parting kick. Still in this case a few have come forward and offered her a home generously enough. The Talbots, for instance, and old Mansfield the lawyer. But she is a young woman of a very uncommon stamp, ma'am, and charity is charity, gloss it over as you may. She has acted very strangely from the first; in the last way any reasonable man might expect. But you can never tell, by what you previously knew of her how a woman will act in any given emergency. The Turks and other heathens who don't treat them as rational beings are in the right of it. They are not! Don't laugh, Mrs. Otis, it is nothin to laugh at. There is that young woman. Quick tempered, passionate. proud, generous, loving, just the sort of young woman to break out into tears and hysterics, and sobs and reproaches, making the place too hot for everybody, tearing her hair and rending her garments. Well, how does she act? She sits there like a stone, never says a word, never sheds a tear, and broods, broods in sullen silence. Women who don't cry and scold are women to be distrusted, ma'am. If I had seen her in hysterics I would have pittied her; as it is, I honestly declare she frightens me. Now then, ma'am, I will take a look at our wounded snake in the grass, and be off before it gets any later and colder.'

He jumped up and stalked away to a large airy chamber opening off this cosy sitting room. Like everything in and around the widow's cottage, it was daintily neat and clean. The last rays of the chill January day came through the muslin curtains and fell upon Gaston Dantree, lying motionless upon the bed.

It was an awfully death-like face—in his coffin the man would hardly look more ghastly, more utterly bloodless and lifeless than now. His faint breathing, his fluttering pulse were barely perceptible—no more. His damp, dark hair fell loose and nearly over the white pillows, and in all its spectral bloodlessness his rarely perfect face kept its dark Southern beauty still.

Dr. Graves took his rist between his his fingers and thumb, drew out his watch, and [illegible] professional shake, and proceeded to count with that owl-like solemnity of visage venerable physicians counting a patient's pulse ever do wear.

And over her cosy fire little Mrs. Otis sat and mused sadly enough on the fate of that unhappy young lady who a brief days ago had been the brightest and most blissful of petted heiresses and happy brides elect.

'And how strange that among all she knew—Dr. Graves and all—she should have chosen my Henry to come forward and cure the man she loved' she thought with that glow of pride widowed mothers of only sons always feel. 'No doubt she knew, if others are too stupid to find out, how clever he is, how good, how thoughtful, how kind! No woman could ever be more tender in a sick room than he; and if it be possible for earthly drugs to bring this unfortunate young man round, Henry is the one to do it. But I doubt it; I doubt. He looks like death, and knows nothing nor nobody. Hark! here is Henry now.'

She started forward. The front hall door opened, quick footsteps crossed the passage, the sitting room door was flung wide. and Mr. Henry Otis, booted and spurred, stood pale as a ghost before his mother.

'Henry,' the word was a low, frighened cry, but Henry Otis' eye turned from her to the bed room.

'Is she there? Who is that?' He strode across the room to the inner chamber, then fell back with a look of sick disappointment. 'Dr. Graves,' he said, 'only you. And I was sure I should find her here.'

'Find whom here? What do you mean young man?

I mean Miss Dangerfield. What! don't you know? She ran away either last night or this morning from Scarswood, and no tale or tidings of her are to be found. I thought she might of come here to —to see him.'

'Run away!' the widow and doctor both exclaimed.

'Yes—run away—to her death, most likely.

'Henry! Good Heaven!

'Women have ben driven to their death before now by men; girls have committed suicide for less than she has undergone. It is not those who make the most outcry over their troubles that feel them deepest. What she has left to live for—robbed of all at one blow?

He spoke bitterly; more bitterly than they dreamed he felt. Months ago he had lifted his eyes to the darkly brilliant heiress of Scarswood, and been mad enough to fall in love with her. To him she had looked the fairest, brightest, best of women, and not his own mother, even guessed it. But some of the sharp, cruel pain of loss broke out of his voice now.

'When I think of her and of him—the traitor—the dastard!'—he looked angrily towards the sick room—'I feel as though I should like to strangle him. If she is dead then Peter Dangerfield and Gaston Dantree are as surely murderers as ever Cain was.'

'Mr. Henry Otis,' exclaimed Dr. Graves with asperity, 'will you restrain this incoherent language and violent manner, and tell us in a composed Christian way what has happened? Miss Dangerfield went home all right after the funeral, with Miss Talbot. Did she run away herself, in the night, or did Peter Dangerfield turn her out?'

'Scarcely that, I think,' Henry Otis returned. 'Even he would hardly do that. Miss Talbot left her at Scarswood, and went home with her brother. About nine o'clock she suddenly made her appearance before the landlord of the Silver Rose, where the woman Vavasor has been stopping, asked to see her, and was shown to her room. Mrs. Vavasor was out; she returned in about half an hour, and they were shut up together till half-past ten.—Then Miss Dangerfield left the house alone and on foot, looking more like her own ghost, the landlord says, than herself. Her French maid, Ninon, let her in a little before mid-night; she gave the girl money, bade her good night, and left her. In the morning she was gone. Search has been made. My own opinion is that she has made away with herself.'

'And my opinion is, she has done nothing of the sort!' curtly interposed Dr. Graves. 'Only arrant cowards commit suicide, and whatever blood flows in Miss Dangerfield's veins there is not a drop of coward in it. She will live and to terrible purpose, as Peter Dangerfield, Gaston Dantree and that other little villain Vavasor will yet find. Katherine Dangerfield, wherever she is in this, is not in the other world, take my word for that.'

As he took up his gloves and hat, with the last emphatic words, there came a rap at the door. What presentiment was it that sent Henry Otis to answer it with such a very unprofessional bound? He threw it open, and—yes—there in the spectral, wintry dusk before him stood the tall, slender, sombre figure; its black robes, its white face, and great solemn eyes; there stood Katherine Dangerfield.

He could not speak a word; the unutterable relief of seeing her alive and there, for a moment almost unmanned him. It was she who spoke first, in that faint, sweet voice that haunted him for ever after his life long.

'May I come in? It is very cold, and I want to see him.'

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SCRIPTURE CONFIRMED.

An English clergyman who traveled through the Holy Land a few years ago in company with Dr. Moses D. Hoge, of Richmond, Va., describes one of the scenes in their travels in the following words: "When Jesus sat by Jacob's well, he could see the hot dusty path across the plain which He had travelled. On his right hand as he looked back, stood close by Gerizim, the most prominent object in sight, to which the woman would surely have pointed as she spoke. We saw the site of its temple from the place where we rested. Ebal rose behind us, the white road between it and Gerizim leading straight into Shechem, now Nablem, about half an hour off. We spent the day ascending to the summit of Gerizim, tested the acoustic property of the valley betwen the two hills, on which were set the blessings and the curses mentioned in Deuteronomy xxvii. I was on the slope of Mont Gerizim, while Dr. Hoge went some distance up that of Mont Ebal, the space between us being between half and three quarters of a mile. Indeed as I saw the Doctor ride down from the spot on Gerizim where we stood across the valley and creep up the side of Ebal till his horse looked no bigger than an ant, it seemed almost foolish to make the experiment we contemplated. I fancied it would be impossible to hear his voice over the chasm beneath us. We had arranged to give signals. He was to take off his hat, which was covered with larg white puggery, for me to begin; but the distance between us was too great for me to distinguish any such indication. However, at last seeing he had fairly stopped. I read aloud slowly one of the psalms for the day, feeling all the while that I might just as well have addressed the House of Commons from Lambeth Palace.

Then I paused, I had understood the Doctor to say that he would recite the 31st Psalm, and turned to it in my prayer book. Great was my surprise, when from that little dot on the hill side I heard in his voice across the valley. The Lord is my shepherd, etc.' It is the 23rd! I exclaimed to his friend whom he had left with me. This was a severe test, and it was made more so by a party of Turkish soldiers who hearing me, came out of some barricks, which lay beneath us, and began talking.

When I rejoined the Doctor, I found he had heard me plainly. Indeed he remarked on the difference between versions of the Psalms I had read and that which he was familiar within America. Two companions who remained in the valley between us, distinguished every syllable with the greatest ease. What a scene and service it must have been when the blessings and the curses, were said by the thousands under Joshua, from those hills!

No article ever attained such unbounded popularity in so short a time as Burdock Blood Bitters, and that too during the existance of countless numbers of widely advertised bitters and blood purifiers. It is evident that this medicine begins its work at once, and leaves no desirable effect unattained.

WHY FARMERS DO NOT SUCCEED.

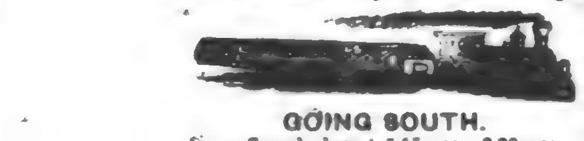
The *Southern Farmer's Monthly* contains the following admirable suggestions, which farmers should duly note:—

Why some farmers do not succeed.
They are not active and industrious.
They do not keep up with improvements.
They are wedded to old methods.
They give no attention to details.
They think small things not important.
They take no pleasure in their work.
They regard labour as a misfortune
They weigh and measure stingly.
They are wastful and improvident.
They let their gates sag and fall down.
They will not make compost.
They let their fowls roost in the trees.
They have no shelter for stock.
They do not curry their horses
They leave their ploughs in the field.
They hang their harness in the dust.
They put off greasing the waggon.
They starve the calf and milk the cow.
They don't know the best is the cheapest.
They have no method or system
They have no ears for home enterprise.
They see no good in a new thing.
They never use paint on the farm.
They prop the barn door with a rail.
They milk the cows late in the day
They have no time to do things well.
They don't believe in rotations of crops.
They do not read the best books and newspapers.

THE CAUSE OF COLDS.

Are getting overheated in hot rooms or crowded assemblies, sitting in a draught, or cooling too rapidly after exercise, muffling up extra and changing to lighter wrappings, cold and damp feet. No matter what is the cause Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is the cure for all throat, lung and chest diseases, that so often terminate in consumption.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.



GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.33 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.25 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 9th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.24
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.21
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.35	"	0.37
Peas	0.68	"	0.71
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.18		0.18
Pork, dressed,	8 00	"	.850
Beef	5.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00		14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice BY LETTER (returning the paper does not answer the law,) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

2. Any person who takes a paper from the post office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

3. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

NOTICE,

THE Canada Advertising Agency, No. 29 King Street West, Toronto,
W. W. BUTCHER, Manager,
is authorized to receive advertisements for this paper.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are received at this office for the following Papers and Magazines.

DAILIES.	
Toronto Daily Globe per year,	$7.00
" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.00
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Canada Farmer "	1.00
Scientific American "	3 20
MONTHLIES	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

THE STANDARD.

Friday, Febrary 10th, 1882.

In another column will be found an advertisement, announcing that the stores and dwelling in the Reid block are now ready to rent. The stores are being fitted up in first class style and the dwellings over the stores are ready for any one who wish a really comfortable residence. The first flat consists of a kitchen, dining room, parlor, and a spare bedroom; the upper flat is divided into 4 sleeping apartments, with a large hall in the centre. The bedrooms are large, well lighted and airy. The carpenter work was done by Messrs. Byers and Thompson, and the mason work and plastering by M. James Reid of Markdale, assisted by his cousin Mr. James Reid of Mount Forest, and does all parties concerned very great credit, in fact it is without a doubt the best building of the kind in Markdale. There is two stores and two dwellings in the block, and we would advise any person in want of a good stand for business purposes or a comfortable dwelling to apply early, as such desirable premises will not long remain without tenants.

Dr. McGregor is speaking of leaving here for the North West in the spring. The Dr. has been eminently successful in his profession and has a very large practice here, and it would be a pity if he were to leave. It is to be hoped he will change his mind.—*O. S. Advertiser*.

NEW ENGLAND.

The Annual Grange Supper took place on the evening of the 30th of January. The afternoon was occupied in examining the samples from the Grange Supply Company, after which the oysters and other good things were served. After this interesting part of the programme was over the meeting was called to order by the Master. Mr. James Morwood was appointed chairman and gave a short address. He then called upon Mr. Evenson, (the Grange Supply Agent,) who spoke chiefly upon the workings of the Supply Company. Then followed Messrs. R. Buchanan, T. Weber, and J. Brodie of the Meaford Road Grange, R. Hicks, (non-granger,) T. Yelland and D. H. Elis, of New England Grange. The meeting passed off harmoniously and all seemed well pleased.

New England is badly in need of a post office. We would suggest that some of our influential men and those interested in it take in hand and try to get a connecting link between Markdale and Rocklyn, via Vandeleur.

STREET LETTER BOXES.—The new pillar boxes are now in position, and will be found a great convenience to our citizens, especially to the ladies, as those residing a distance from the Post Office can post their letters without travelling so far. The letter boxes are situated at the corner of Bay and Russell Streets, at the corner of Poulett and Division Streets, and at the cornor of Poulett and Campbell Streets. Mr. Edward Paterson has the contract for collecting the letters and taking them to the Post Office, and the boxes will be emptied three times a day—at 6.30 a. m., 2 p. m., and 4.40 p. m.—*O. S. Times.*

BORROWING PAPERS.—There is a class of newspaper readers who are always finding fault with the editor for what he publishes and yet these are the ones who never pay anything for the support of a paper. They will borrow a paper from a neighbour and then after reading through they will say that it is good for nothing. Such mean conduct deserves to be discountenanced by every right thinking individual. The man who is too mean to pay for a newspaper now a days should not be premitted to read one.

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our Correspondence.

The annual Tea Meeting in connection with the Union Sabbath School, held here on the 31st ult., was a most decided success being far ahead of the expectations of the most sanguine. The tea and cakes were all that could be desired both in excellance and quantity. The attendence was large, the church being filled to the very door. The children preformed their part most admirable, both in their recitations, and dialogues. The singing was excellent. The amount realised was $45. Every body, both small and great, expressed themselves as being higly pleased.

The pale horse and his rider has paid this neighbourhood another visit. His victim this time was Mr. Edward Foley, who came to reside here some five or six years ago. He was a quite citizen, and a good neighbor. His end was peace.

A LADY'S EXPERIENCE.

Mrs. T. A. Gist, No. 1204 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes: "I had inflammatory rheumatism very badly. In one foot and ankle it seems to have taken hold with the determination to stay some time, and the morning I obtained the St. Jacobs Oil I could not put my foot down to the floor, even for an instant. I used it that evening for the first time, and the next morning for the second time and that afternoon put my foot down for several minutes. On Sunday following I could stand and walk a few steps. On Tuesday could walk about my room, and went down stairs by holding on the banisters. Now I can walk quite well, and there is very little pain left. Just think! one bottle and a half and I am almost free from pain. It is a wonderful medicine.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondence.

The fourth annual supper given on January the 18th, by the members of Eugenia Grange No. 684, was one of the most successful entertainments of the season. Early in the day sleighs began to arrive, bringing baskets loaded with every kind of cookery, which the medical faculty pronounce to be unfit for the despeptic. One would have imagined that the lady members had entered on a contest to see who could provide the greatest quantity and best quality. Each lady member had, with one exception, made a point of providing for at least 23 to 30 visitors, so the supper was ample.

Although disappointed in some able speakers, yet, judging from the remarks which we overheard, all seemed well pleased with the evenings entertainment, which was kept up until a late our. The thanks of the Grange are tendored to all those who lent their assistance towards the evening's enjoyment with songs, music, recitations, dialogues and speeches.

These suppers are not got up simply for the pecuniary benefit derived from them, as the Grange, financially, is in excellent standing. The outside public look forward eagerly for the Grange supper—they come around and almost demand it.

A. Gifford, Meaford, touched upon the benefit of the Grange Fire Insurance, also the Mutual Aid Association; abolition of Market Fees, &c. His remarks were well received.

The proceedings were brought to a close by singing God Save the Queen, when all went home well pleased with the Eugenia Grange supper.

BUNESSIN.

From our Correspondent.

On Monday, 16th January, above a score of the young people of Bunessin surprised the Manse, Priceville, and succeed quietly in placing within its walls stores to last for many days. Nor did they forget the bay mare, Jennie, whose bin was not large enough to hold one half of the clean white oats they brought. After a refreshing cup of tea, which was got up *a la mode*, the lads and lasses amused themselves with singing and a variety of interesting games.

Though the Manse is not often visited by so many and so much at one time, yet such visits on a small scale are of frequent occurrence. The good people all over the congregation always remember that the occupants of the Manse, like other sensible folk, need such things as potatoes, flour, meal, pork, beef, mutton, turkey, goose, fowl, butter and cheese. They bring also such things as socks, and the yarn to make and mend them—things ever welcome with the thrifty housewife, because they not only furnish necessary clothing, but also the opportunity of teaching the bairns how to knit and work for themselves. The barn is not left empty.

These things may seem homely and common place for presentation, but they are just the things needed in every well regulated family. Though they may, in these years of plenty, be not worth their *weight* in gold, they are worth their *value* in gold.—D.

COUNTY ORANGE MEETING—SOUTH GREY.

The annual meeting of the L. O. Co. Lodge of South Grey, was held at Flesherton Station, on Tuesday, 7th inst. There was a large attendance. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Bro. James Brodie, C. M.
Bro. Robert Aljoe, D. C. M.
Bro. Robert Kennel, C. Chap.
Bro. James Elliott, C. Secretary.
Bro. W. A. Anderson, C. Treas.
Bro. Geo. Rutherford, C. D. of C.
Bro. — Crawford, C. Lecturer.

The semi-annual county meeting will be held at Maxwell on the last Tuesday in June.

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

The new Council met at Vogan's Hall, and after taking the declaration of qualification and office, the Reeve took the Chair.

Members present—John Cameron, Deputy Reeve; Councillors, Anthony Shute, John Deavitt, and W. Norton.

Moved by Mr. Shute and seconded by Mr. Norton that the amount of six dollars be expended on 24 side-road, con. 2, for the purpose of hauling gravel—the people interested to supplement the grant by giving teams to haul the gravel.

Moved by Mr. Davitt, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the account of Joseph Fanning and Close be paid.

The Reeve appointed James Graham, and Council arpointed J. Murphy as Auditors.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by Mr. Shute that the petition to the Legislative Assembly, with regard to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway being amalgamated with any railroad other than the Grand Trunk, and that the confirmation of the agreement with the Grand Trunk be signed by the Council.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by Mr. Norton, that applications be received to-day for Assessor,

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the Assessor's salary be $60.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that George Little be Assessor.

Norton—Deavitt—that the Clerk write to the different printing offices, asking sealed tenders for the Township printing; tenders to be opend at the next sitting of the Council, Feb. 14th.

Mr. moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that By-laws, Nos. 1 ond 2 be read first, second and third times.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Deavitt, that James Robinson be allowed $5 00 to buy provisions, being indigent.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that Mrs. McDiarmid receive $5 from this Council, to enable her to buy flour for her family.

Moved and seconded, that this Council now adjourn till the 14th day of February, and that the Collector's Roll be extended to that time.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

PROTON COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

A special meeting of the Proton Township Council was held at the Queen's Hotel, Dundalk, for the purpose of re-appointing Auditors.

Noved by Robert Black, seconded by George Johnson, that By-law No. 241 be repealed, and By-law No. 243, having been read a first and second time, be now read a third time, signed, sealed and engrossed on By-law Book.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by James Robinson, that lots 30, 31, 32, 33, 36 and 37 block K, Village of Dundalk, be placed on Col. Roll to Robert Black, at a valuation of $60 on the whole. Carried.

Moved by Robert Black, seconded by George Johnson, that the Reeve issue his orders on the Treasurer, in favor the following parties, as Deputy Returnig officers:—James Menzies, Div. No.1 $3.60; James Cavanagh, Div. No. 2, $3.10; Peter Dow, Div. No. 3, $4; Jame Fraser, Div. No. 4, $3.60.—Carried.

Council adjourned to meet at Hopeville Mar. 7th.

JAMES CAVANAGH,
Act'g Clerk.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The Newly elected Council for Artemesia, for the year 1882, met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on Monday January 16th, 1882. Present—Messrs Christoe, Webster, Elliott, Wright, and Pedlar. After each had taken the necessary declaration of qualification and office, the Chair was taken by the Reeve and business was proceeded with.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Mr. Pedlar moved, seconded by Mr. Wright, that Alexander Wright, Esq., be Deputy Reeve for 1882.—Carried.

Communications presented and read as follows:—From S. J. Parker, Co. Treasurer, Thomas Lauder, J. Whitby, D. A. Creaser, and R. McL. Purdy.

Mr. C. C. James was appointed Auditor by the Reeve, and Mr. William Brown by the Council. Mr. Whitby was appointed Assessor, and By-laws passed confirming the above appointments; also a By-law extending time for the return of the Collector's Roll.

Thomas Gibbert was refunded $2, being for Statute labor charged in error.

Wm. was refunded $3, being Statute labor performed for part lots 20 and 21, 3rd S. D. R., said lots being assessed on the non-resident roll for 1881.

Wm. Betts was refunded $3.84 for taxes charged in 1878 against his lots in Eugenia, said lots having been assessed on both resident and non-resident roll for that year.

M. Akitt was also refunded $2.92 for same cause.

J. W. Hoath was refunded $4,00, being statute labor on his lots in Eugenia, charged in 1878, proof having been produced that the labor was justly performed.

The Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Mr. Wright were appointed a committee to whom all applications for aid to indigents shall be referred during the year.

The Reeve and Clerk were requested to sign a petition to the Legislative Assembly relative to the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, and have the same forwarded to D.A. Caesar, Esq, Owen Sound.

The reeve was requested to get legal advice relative to collecting taxes charged against lots 7 and 8, Kinross street, Priceville, the Collector for Ward No. 4 to act in accordance with the same.

Mr. Thomas Manders was granted $5, he being in indigent circumstances,

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—J. Rutherford, $12; Thomas Lauder, for searches, $1; R J. Sproule. postage, $3.17; W. J. Bellamy, quarter's salary, $37.50, holding nomination and other expenses. $6; A. R. Fawcett, printing, $9.25.

Council adjourned to meet on the first Monday in February, 1882; and will meet hereafter on the first Monday in each month during the year.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

THE LAND BOOM IN MANITOBA.

Canada is convulsed with the Manitoba land speculation craze at the present moment, everybody is investing his little pile in town lots, speculators are hastening to the scene of action with thousands of dollars. Discontented business men are giving up business and travelling westward. Big stories are told of fortunes being made in a few days Some say it is impossible to lose any money by investing in land; that everybody is sure to return home rich and prosperous, and such stories, but for the benefit of our readers we give a few facts in regard to this kind of speculation, and caution them against investing in paper towns which may perhaps in the future be nothing more than an ordinary farm. No doubt large amounts have been made by persons investing in land, but as a rule they get rid of it just as quick as they can make a little on their purchase and while the fever lasts. A person cannot lose much by taking up land but even that can be over done. A person taking up a farm of poor land, which will perhaps be twelve or fifteen miles from the railroad, stands a poor chance of making more than an ordinary living, and when he is sixty or seventy miles distant his chances are still less.

The Toronto *World* has the following remarks on the subject which are to the point:

"To the land scoopers, Manitoba furnishes the 'suckers,' and they are caught in this way. Four or five sharks go to work and get a tract of land of 500 acres, say Smith, Brown, Jones, Robinson and Dicksen are the proprietors, but they have it all in one name say Smith. Along comes Brown, and he offers Smith $5 an acre for the 500 acres. The sale is made and duly registered. Jones now steps up to Brown and offers him $14 an acre. They finally close at $16. It is now Robinson's turn to go to Jones and offer him $5,000 for one hundred acres. Dickson buys another one hundred acres for $6,000. All these transactions, but not a dollar passes hands. Now the time has arrived to look for the Ontario suckers. Accordingly Robinson and Dickson hie themselves off to Ontario to exhibit their scheme. By this time it is perhaps knocked into town lots on paper. The open-mouthed Ontarian is shown the plans. He is told of how land that was bought for $2 has changed hands repeatedly at $5, $10, $20, $30 and $50 He is shown the registered transfers—and that the boom has now commenced. The Ontario dupe believes what he is told, buys the land, and then the 'big five' go home and devide."

As an illustration of paper towns when the Grand Trunk boom was abroad about thirty years ago, town plots were laid out at every station and cross roads. Scarboro' Junction is not much of a place to-day; there is a hotel there and a couple of houses, and you can get all the land you want at about $60 to $80 an acre. But when the Grand Trunk was building it was town-lotted, sold at high prices, and ruined many a man. A place was also laid out at York, and to day you can't find it. Mimico, on the west side of Toronto, was sold off in lots. Land is less than $100 an acre there to-day. Gordon Brown, Sandford Fleming and others got up a town and called it Balmoral, on the Grand Trunk somewhere between Toronto and Weston where an immense sale of lots took place, and everyone lost his money. Every one seemed mad to buy these lots. You could not find Balmoral if you went out there to-day. Malton is a station further up the Grand Trunk. It was to become a mighty centre of commerce. Well, lots in the great (prospective) town of Malton were sold by auction in Montreal and other towns for £100 a lot; now they won't bring $80 an acre. Brampton has got to be something, but many a hard-earned dollar was lost there in lots. One man bought a number of lots there at between £50 and £60 each; he held on for years and years, till finally in 1878 he sold them at the rate of $100 an acre. Shakespeare was to be another of these great towns; well, the remains of the fence-posts around its town lots are still standing. Tullamore, out in Chinguacousy, is another of these towns that never came to a head, but which ruined many a man. All over Ontario can be found the marks of these paper towns. So will it be in Manitoba.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

To the Editor.

INSPECTOR'S OFFICE, SOUTH GREY.
Priceville, 2nd February, 1882.

DEAR SIR.—Will you please call the attention of your numerous readers to a recent Departmental circular, forbidding the use in any of our Public schools of Gage's new Readers, or of any other than the ordinary authorized series, until at least six months after preliminary arrangements and the sanction of the Hon. the Minister of Education has been formarly given.

I would also ask you to direct the attention of school trustees to the following card just received.

Yours Respectfully,
W. FERGUSON, I. P. S.

"Education Department.
Toronto, Jan. 1882.

"I am directed by the Honorable "the Ministers of Education to call "your attention to the following pro-"visions of the Lchool Act of 1880, 43 "Victoria, chapter 32.

"The trustees of every rural school "and the public school Board of every "town, village, or township, shall "keep, or cause to be kept, books of "account of all school moneys of their "section our village or township as "the case may be according to such "form as may be prescribed by the "Ministers of Education.

"The account book authorized by "the Ministers is published by Messrs. "Warwick & Son, Wellington Street, "Toronto, Twentyfive cents per copy."

Your obedient servant,
A. MARLING,
Secretary.

GOATS TO PROTECT SHEEP.

The farmers of Hunterdon and Somerset counties, New Jersey, use goats to protect their sheep from dogs. Two goats can drive away a dozen dogs, and two are about all each farmer puts in with his sheep. As soon as a dog enters the field at night, the goats attack him, and their butting propensities are too much for the canine, who soon finds himself rolling over and over, a few repetitions of this treatment causes the dog to quit the field, limping and yelling. Formerly when a dog entered a sheep field at night, the sheep would run, wildly around and cry piteously. Since the goats have been used to guard them, they form a line behind the goats and seem to enjoy the fun. The idea of utilizing goats in this way came from the West, where they are put in sheep pens to drive away wolves.

FROM "THE TIMES."

Editor of the Times.—I have been watching the correspondence in your paper for the past few weeks with much interest. Having been in the practise of medicines for many years I have learned to have no confidence in the many proprictory medicine which are on the market and it was through the excellent recommendation given by Dr. Bates, and the knowledge I had of his veracity and ability as a physician that ever led me to lay aside my long existing prejudice to try the only wonderful remedy, named Kendall's Spavin Cure which I find so many of your readers have also found to be so valuable. Rheumatism has afflicted me for years, and have all the skill I have professed to have in treating others I found myself unable to do anything to cure myself entirely. After suffering for years he difficulty became located in my hip and nothing that I could do seemed to effect it until I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure, which has cured me completely. In all my experience as a physician I have never been able to make any compound which penetrates so thoroughly and works so admirably in removing old standing ailments, and at the same time hardly produce any irritation of the skin. It has done such wonders with me that I have the utmost confidence in its efficacy, and can recommend it with a confidence that the proprietors do not claim too much for it.

Respectfully,
J. R. PORTER, M. D.
Scranton, Pa., Sept. 24th 1881.

$2 Watches. Stem winders $2.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO. 138 Nassau st. New York.

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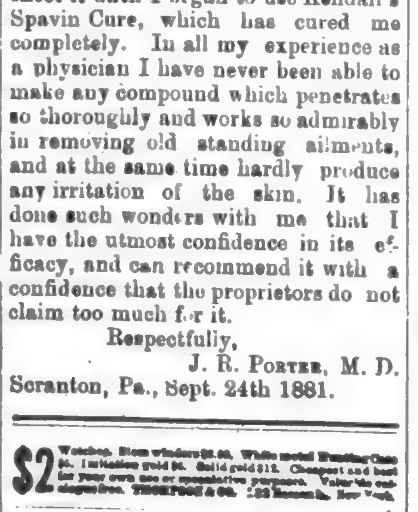

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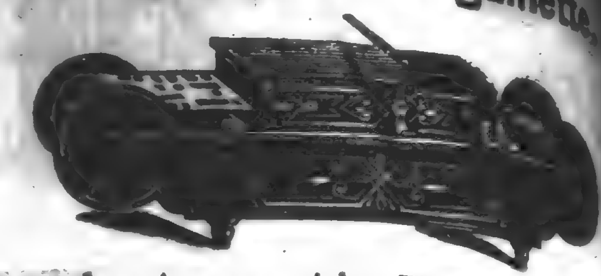

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Clerk's office, Euphrasia, 17th January, A.D. 1882. 72-2w.

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Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

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KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 18[illegible]

Early last summer Messrs J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the Press for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, though his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a perfect cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 29th 18[illegible]

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure on a mare nineteen years old belonging to me which was badly spavined for ten years, and was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly.
J. F. [illegible]

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 18[illegible]

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Seeing your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
H. A. BERTOLETT, M.D.

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St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 18[illegible]

Dr. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on sprains, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, galls and all kinds of lameness and many other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25c., and I think it was the means of saving me $100 or more, in that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. FRASER.

Dunham, P.Q., March 10th, 18[illegible]

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,
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Is sure in its effects, mild in action as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

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Sausages and Fish in season.
W. BURNS.

[illegible] E STANDARD.

[illegible], February 10th, 1882.

[illegible] & OTHER NOTICES

[illegible] weather.

[illegible] making has commenced.

[illegible] Tuesday is St. Valentine's [illegible]

[illegible] of all kinds at the [illegible] *Hell.*

[illegible] have made their appearance [illegible] dale.

[illegible] quantity of Finest American [illegible] at McIntyre's.

[illegible] hrasia Council proceedings [illegible] d out this issue.

[illegible] quantity of apples, green, and [illegible]—A. McIntyre's.

[illegible] is the time to get photographs [illegible] e fine weather holds out.

[illegible] Mike let us go and have our [illegible] tuk." Whar? "Brown's."

[illegible] ries, Crockery and Glassware [illegible] ll new, no old goods in stock—[illegible] & Rae's.

[illegible] cordwood, sawlogs, and grain [illegible] tinue to arrive in large quan-[illegible]

[illegible] CIL MEETINGS.—*Glenelg* Feb'y. [illegible] *Holland*, Feb'y. 14th, *Proton*, [illegible] 7th.

[illegible] musical wonder of the age is [illegible] uinette. Call at W. F. Doll's [illegible] it.

[illegible] Beans, Potatoes, Turnips, [illegible] Parsnips, and Provisions of [illegible] at—A. McIntyre's.

[illegible] Post Master begs to notify the [illegible] that the Mail going south, is [illegible] 7 o'clock p. m., sharp.

Dry Goods, Shawls, Gloves, and all [illegible] woolen goods at cost—at [illegible] Rae's.

The warm weather of the past few [illegible] made sad havoc with the [illegible]

[illegible] STANDARD Office he tuk mine [illegible] and I tell yer he is just the [illegible]

[illegible] long boots and over shoes will [illegible] cheap, to make room for spring [illegible] at Butter & Rae's.

[illegible] revival services in the C. M. [illegible] are still being nightly conduct-[illegible] with very gratifying results.

[illegible] Sproule M. P., left for Ottawa [illegible] day evening, to attend to his [illegible] entary duties.

[illegible] last call to all debtors to pay [illegible] mises not taken any longer—[illegible] er & Rae's.

[illegible] people know a good thing when [illegible] it. That is the reason why [illegible] ople cannot pass W. J. McFar-[illegible] store without going into buy.

[illegible] t miss the sights, J. L. Browne [illegible] opened out the finest display [illegible] es and mats ever shown in [illegible] n, and he sells cheap. Call [illegible] for yourselves.

[illegible] S. Caswell, who has been absent [illegible] Markdale for nearly two years, [illegible] in the Pine woods of Michigan [illegible] d to town a few days since.

[illegible] —Dentists who have tried "[illegible] TEABERRY," pronounce it the finest [illegible] on the face of this earth for the [illegible] nd breath. 5 cent samples.

[illegible] A. Beattie, lot 129, 1st W. T. [illegible] Road, Artemesia, has 20 tons [illegible] timothy hay and 50 or 60 load [illegible] straw, also two good horses, [illegible] See hand bill's.

[illegible] Wild, of Toronto, is a good [illegible] er, and if he ever takes up the [illegible] of "Bargains" he will be [illegible] to say that McFarland sells [illegible] best and cheapest.

[illegible] ons prematurely gray can have [illegible] hair restored to its youthful [illegible], by using Hall's Vegetine [illegible] Hair Renewer, the best article [illegible] market.

[illegible] lid flourished about the year [illegible] C., and experts in flourishing [illegible] pens can be sold among the [illegible] rous styles of the Esterbrook [illegible] Pen Co.

[illegible] Coats, Suits, &c. &c., made to [illegible] in first class style. Wincey's, [illegible], Clouds, Caps, Shirts, Draw-[illegible] must be called out, don't forget [illegible] ace—Butter & Rae's.

[illegible] ood business for sale, the goods [illegible] removed at time of purchase, as [illegible] roprietor wants to make room [illegible] re goods. Will sell in large or [illegible] quantity—A. McIntyre.

[illegible] ruggists throughout the country [illegible] to the great merits of Dr. Car-[illegible] Stomach and Constipation Bit-[illegible] No Medicine they sell acts so [illegible] ptly in curing Dyspepsia, Indi-[illegible] n, Biliousness. Liver Complaint, [illegible] Have you tried it? A. Turner [illegible] Co. Special Agent Markdale.

[illegible] grand concert will be given in the [illegible] e Hall Burkley, on Thursday, [illegible] 16th. The entertainment pro-[illegible] to be a good one as some fine [illegible] has been secured. The pro-[illegible] to be applied to Christ Church [illegible] dale Sunday School Library [illegible] See bills for particulars.

[illegible] d you see those Black Silk Top [illegible] —35, 40, 50 and 75 cents per [illegible] at McFarland's. 500 pieces [illegible] brown and bronze Winceys to [illegible] heap—8½, 11, 12½, 15, 16 and 18 [illegible]—sold elsewhere for four cents [illegible] ard more. For real good all wool [illegible] meres go to McFarland's. I am [illegible] g off all my Mantles at cost. 100 [illegible] new Prints, warranted fast col [illegible] For a good Black Gros Grain [illegible] at $1.15 go to McFarland's.

[illegible] Mr. Wm. McKay, one of the oldest [illegible] most respected residents of Hol-[illegible], died very suddenly at his resi-[illegible] e, on the 2nd concession, a short [illegible] nce from Arnott, on Monday [illegible] t. Deceased was taken ill with a [illegible] in his side about noon, but was [illegible] to take tea in the evening. After [illegible] he was taken worse and Dr. Mc-[illegible] or was sent for, but before he ar [illegible] d the old gentleman had passed [illegible] y. Deceased had been a resident [illegible] olland for 35 or 40 years.—*Ad.*

A new weathe[illegible] very cold weathe[illegible]

The following [illegible] Markdale lodge A[illegible] ensuing term en[illegible]

A. Wilson, P.[illegible] M.W.; W. Luca[illegible] R. H. Byers, Re[illegible] Financier; A. E[illegible] Askin, G.; W. J[illegible] Large O. W.; A[illegible] Rutledge, Wm. [illegible]

Mr. Samuel M[illegible] Conductor on th[illegible] ay Railway, say[illegible] mach and Consti[illegible] me of Dyspep[illegible] them in the hou[illegible] invaluable as a [illegible] Turner and Co. [illegible] dale.

A PUBLIC M[illegible] called of the ci[illegible] town and village[illegible] consider what [illegible] prevent the hair [illegible]—and falling ou[illegible] question receive[illegible] sideration they [illegible] decide that scien[illegible] covered somethi[illegible] this purpose—a[illegible] recommend Cin[illegible] as being this so[illegible] the hair to its na[illegible] vent its falling [illegible] bottle. For sale [illegible]

We have recie[illegible] of late of the no[illegible] and other mail [illegible] two days after b[illegible] in others our pa[illegible] cieved until eigh[illegible] tion. If this w[illegible] we would pass i[illegible] week elapses wi[illegible] such complaint [illegible] ceased to be a v[illegible] fore, if the nuis[illegible] not remedied, [illegible] spector up and a[illegible] the fault lies.

Coughs, Colds[illegible] Pains in the Th[illegible] ed and cured by[illegible] son's Pulmonar[illegible] most reliable te[illegible] ceived as to the[illegible] tles, 50 cents. [illegible] Special Agent M[illegible]

D[illegible]

(From [illegible]

Our winter [illegible] finest that we ev[illegible] the country. [illegible] cannot be very [illegible]

C. R. Mid[illegible] stock of goods [illegible] which further [illegible]

The Proton A[illegible] ers, held a sp[illegible] members of two[illegible] cide upon a plac[illegible] hibition of the [illegible] in the unanimo[illegible] of the Society b[illegible] of Dundalk, fo[illegible] This will settle [illegible] tion which has [illegible] as to where the [illegible] held. Now tha[illegible] fully settled, w[illegible] will use their in[illegible] coming show of [illegible] success and tha[illegible] all interested.

Messrs. W[illegible] Hanbury, Ca[illegible] see Winning[illegible] they like it the[illegible] chase. We wis[illegible]

Mr. John V[illegible] has been s[illegible] been unable t[illegible] his office. T[illegible] point Mr. Cav[illegible] the office of cl[illegible] Very soon abl[illegible] of his office.

A. G. Huntr[illegible] teration in his [illegible] chased lately fr[illegible]

We are pleas[illegible] habitants of [illegible] that the Dunda[illegible] ufacturing a s[illegible] The time has [illegible] habitants can s[illegible] ture.

On Tuesday [illegible] fair was held. [illegible] tendance of far[illegible] the stock shown[illegible] was very limite[illegible] demand for wor[illegible] were sold. Th[illegible] W. Morrow, of [illegible] We may exp[illegible] month.

Last Thursday e[illegible] appearance at t[illegible] occassion of a g[illegible] was a large atte[illegible] sent than on an[illegible] the commencem[illegible] season — both [illegible] from far and ne[illegible] number in cost[illegible] habiliments, [illegible] various nation[illegible] through life. [illegible] of the principal[illegible] ed—

Miss M. McC[illegible] Miss A. McA[illegible] Morning; Mis[illegible] Night; Miss H[illegible] Miss A. Phillip[illegible] S. Kay and P[illegible] Miss J. Lamon[illegible] J. Strain, Da[illegible] Night and Mor[illegible] Bags; W. Su[illegible] and J. Marshal[illegible] son and W. [illegible] Whitley, Iris[illegible] Arthur, Indian[illegible] time; Y. Nix[illegible] St. Jacob's Oil.[illegible] ment of the eve[illegible] promised band, [illegible] an appearance[illegible] the kindness of[illegible] Potter, assisted[illegible] instrumental m[illegible] by the manage[illegible] the courteous p[illegible] the best of orde[illegible] fully enjoyed th[illegible]

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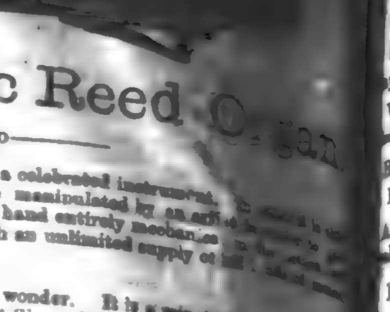

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Meat supplied wholesale and retail.

Sausages and Fish in season.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, February 10th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Fine weather.

Sugar making has commenced.

Next Tuesday is St. Valentine's Day.

VALENTINES—of all kinds at the Medical Hall.

Robins have made their appearance in Markdale.

Any quantity of Finest American Coal Oil, at McIntyre's.

Euphrasia Council proceedings crowded out this issue.

Any quantity of apples, green, and dried at—A. McIntyre's.

Now is the time to get photographs while the fine weather holds out.

"Say Mike let us go and have our picture tuk." Whar? "Brown's."

Groceries, Crockery and Glassware, all new, no old goods in stock—Butter & Rae's.

Logs, cordwood, sawlogs, and grain continue to arrive in large quantities.

COUNCIL MEETINGS.—Glenelg Feb'y. 6, Holland, Feb'y. 14th, Proton, March 7th.

The musical wonder of the age is the Orguinette. Call at W. F. Doll's and see it.

Cabbage, Beans, Potatoes, Turnips, Carrots, Parsnips, and Provisions of all kinds at—A. McIntyre's.

The Post Master begs to notify the public that the Mail going south, is closed at 7 o'clock p. m., sharp.

Dry Goods, Shawls, Gloves, and all other woolen goods at cost—at Butter & Rae's.

The warm weather of the past few days has made sad havoc with the sleighing.

Over STANDARD Office he tuk mine head, and I tell yer he is just the boss.

Mens long boots and over shoes will be sold cheap, to make room for spring stock—at Butter & Rae's.

The revival services in the C. M. Church are still being nightly conducted with very gratifying results.

Dr. Sproule M. P., left for Ottawa on Tuesday evening, to attend to his parliamentary duties.

The last call to all debtors to pay up, promises not taken any longer—Butter & Rae's.

Most people know a good thing when they see it. That is the reason why people cannot pass W. J. McFarland's store without going into buy.

Don't miss the sights, J. L. Browne has just opened out the finest display of frames and mats ever shown in town, and he sells cheap. Call and see for yourselves.

Mr. S. Caswell, who has been absent from Markdale for nearly two years, working in the Pine woods of Michigan returned to town a few days since.

...—Dentists who have tried "C...ERRY" pronounce it the finest thing on the face of this earth for the teeth and breath. 5 cent samples.

Mr. A. Beattie, lot 129, 1st W. T. & S. Road, Artemesia, has 20 tons of good timothy hay and 50 or 60 load of good straw, also two good horses, for sale. See hand bill's.

Dr. Wild, of Toronto, is a good preacher, and if he ever takes up the subject of "Bargains" he will be sure to say that McFarland sells the best and cheapest.

Persons prematurely gray can have their hair restored to its youthful beauty, by using Hall's Vegetine Sicilian Hair Renewer, the best article in the market.

Euclid flourished about the year 300 B. C., and experts in flourishing steel pens can be sold among the numerous styles of the Esterbrook Steel Pen Co.

Over Coats, Suits, &c. &c., made to order in first class style. Wincey's, Flannels, Clouds, Caps, Shirts, Drawers must be called out, don't forget the place—Butter & Rae's.

A good business for sale, the goods to be removed at time of purchase, as the proprietor wants to make room for more goods. Will sell in large or small quantity—A. McIntyre.

Druggists throughout the country testify to the great merits of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. No Medicine they sell acts so promptly in curing Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, &c. Have you tried it? A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

A grand concert will be given in the Orange Hall Burkley, on Thursday, Feb'y 16th. The entertainment promises to be a good one as some fine talent has been secured. The proceeds to be applied to Christ Church Markdale Sunday School Library Fund. See bills for particlars.

Did you see those Black Silk Top Velvets—35, 40, 50 and 75 cents per yard at McFarland's. 500 pieces grey, brown and bronze Winceys to sell cheap—8½, 11, 12½, 15, 16 and 18 cents—sold elsewhere for four cents per yard more. For real good all wool Cashmeres go to McFarland's. I am selling off all my Mantles at cost. 100 pieces new Prints, warranted fast colors. For a good Black Gros Grain Silk at $1.15 go to McFarland's.

Mr. Wm. McKay, one of the oldest and most respected residents of Holland, died very suddenly at his residence, on the 2nd concession, a short distance from Arnott, on Monday night. Deceased was taken ill with a pain in his side about noon, but was able to take tea in the evening. After this he was taken worse and Dr. McGregor was sent for, but before he arrived the old gentleman had passed away. Deceased had been a resident of Holland for 35 or 40 years.—Advertiser.

A new weather prophet predicts very cold weather for this month.

The following are the officers for Markdale lodge A. O. U. W., for the ensuing term ending June 30th:—

A. Wilson, P.M.W.; Wm. Brown, M.W.; W. Lucas, F.; R. S. Rae, O.; R. H. Byers, Recorder; R. D. Irwin, Financier; A. Butter, Reciever; R. Askin, G.; W. J. Rowe, I.W.; E. C. Large O. W.; A. McIntyre, C. W. Rutledge, Wm. Lucas, Trustees.

Mr. Samuel McCaw, the well-known Conductor on the Whitby and Lindsay Railway, says Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters cured me of Dyspepsia. I always keep them in the house, and consider them invaluable as a family medicine. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

We have recieved several complaint of late of the non-delivery of our paper and other mail matter, in some cases two days after being mailed here, and in others our paper has not been recieved until eight days after publication. If this were the first complaint we would pass it over, but hardly a week elapses without recieving some such complaint and "patience has ceased to be a virtue," we will, therefore, if the nuisance complained of is not remedied, have the P. O. Inspector up and ascertain with whom the fault lies.

Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pains in the Throat and Chest, relieved and cured by the use of "Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops. The most reliable testimony has been received as to their efficacy. In Bottles, 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

Our winter so far, is said to be the finest that we ever had in this part of the country. Our winter at most cannot be very long.

G. R. Middleton has moved his stock of goods into his new store, of which further notice will be given.

The Proton Ag. Society, as per posters, held a special meeting of the members of two years standing, to decide upon a place to hold the fall exhibition of the Society, which resulted in the unanimous vote that the show of the Society be held in the village of Dundalk, for this and future years. This will settle a long disputed question which has rested between parties as to where the show of the Society be held. Now that the matter has been fully settled, we hope that all parties will use their influence to make the coming show of the society a grand success and that it may be a benefit to all interested.

Messrs. Wm. Nelson, and John Hanbury, Contractor, have gone to see Winnipeg, in Manitoba, should they like it, they will most likely purchase. We wish them success.

Mr. John Vert, our Township Clerk has been so ill of late, that he has been unable to attend to the duties of his office. The Council saw fit to appoint Mr. Cavanagh, *pro tem* to fill the office of clerk, we hope to see Mr. Vert soon able to attend to the duties of his office.

A. G. Huntre, is making some alteration in his premises which he purchased lately from Mr. Nickle.

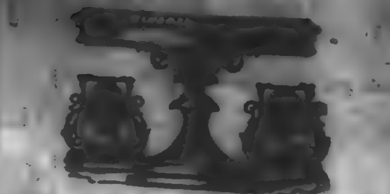
We are pleased to inform the inhabitants of Dundalk and vicinity that the Dundalk mills are now manufacturing a superior grade of flour. The time has now come when the inhabitants can support home manufacture.

On Tuesday, the usual monthly fair was held. There was a large attendance of farmers and others, but the stock shown and offered for sale was very limited. There was a good demand for working oxen, and several were sold. The auction sale, by J. W. Morrow, of farm stock, was good. We may expect a large fair next month.

Last Thursday evening presented a gay appearance at the Skating Rink, on the occassion of a grand carnival. There was a large attendance of visitors present than on any other occasion since the commencment of the present season — both young and old—from far and near. There was a large number in costume, dressed in the habiliments, characterestic of the various nationalities and callings through life. The following are some of the principal characters represented:—

Miss M. McCanackie, Kitchen Maid; Miss A. McAulay, Eearly in the Morning; Miss M. McAulay, Late at Night; Miss H. Phillip, Flower Girl; Miss A. Phillip, Fairy Queen; Misses. S. Kay and P. McGregor, Spring; Miss J. Lamon, Red Riding Hood; J. Strain, Darkey; J. McGregor, Night and Morning; J. Vodden, Old Bags; W. Sutton, Turk; W Bull, and J. Marshal, Soldiers; M. Wilson and W. Rundle, Clowns; R. Whitley, Irish Gentleman, W. McArthur, Indian; T. Middleton, Bedtime; Y. Nixon, Autumn; G. Fry, St. Jacob's Oil. The only disappointment of the evening was that of the promised band, which failed to put in an appearance. However, through the kindness of Messrs W. and J. Potter, assisted by Mr. McMillen, good instrumental music was furnished, and by the management of Mr. Steinhoff, the courteous proprietor and manager, the best of order prevailed, and all fully enjoyed themselves.

G. GRANT.



Undertaker!

AND

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all the different sizes.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT, MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal,

AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and

TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-1y

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest k'd and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

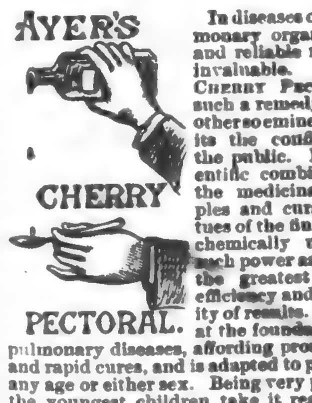
Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 68-tf

THE BEST REMEDY

FOR

Diseases of the Throat and Lungs.

AYER'S



CHERRY

PECTORAL.

In diseases of the pulmonary organs a safe and reliable remedy is invaluable. AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL is such a remedy, and no other so eminently merits the confidence of the public. It is a scientific combination of the medicinal principles and curative virtues of the finest drugs, chemically united, of such power as to insure the greatest possible efficiency and uniformity of results. It strikes at the foundation of all pulmonary diseases, affording prompt relief and rapid cures, and is adapted to patients of any age or either sex. Being very palatable, the youngest children take it readily. In ordinary Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Influenza, Clergyman's Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, and Catarrh, the effects of AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL are magical, and multitudes are annually preserved from serious illness by its timely and faithful use. It should be kept at hand in every household for the protection it affords in sudden attacks. In Whooping-cough and Consumption there is no other remedy so efficacious, soothing, and helpful.

Low prices are inducements to try some of the many mixtures, or syrups, made of cheap and ineffective ingredients, now offered, which, as they contain no curative qualities, can afford only temporary relief, and are sure to deceive and disappoint the patient. Diseases of the throat and lungs demand active and effective treatment; and it is dangerous experimenting with unknown and cheap medicines, from the great liability that these diseases may, while so trifled with, become deeply seated or incurable. Use AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL, and you may confidently expect the best results. It is a standard medical preparation, of known and acknowledged curative power, and is as cheap as its careful preparation and fine ingredients will allow. Eminent physicians, knowing its composition, prescribe it in their practice. The test of half a century has proven its absolute certainty to cure all pulmonary complaints not already beyond the reach of human aid.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,

Practical and Analytical Chemists.

Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized Agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever need one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA, Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 29th, 1881.

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASONS

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 6th, 1881.

Great Discount SALE!

—AT THE—

POST OFFICE STORE

FLESHERTON,

FOR THIRTY DAYS.

In order to make room for my Spring Importations I will sell the balance of my large stock of Fall and Winter Goods at

Extremely low Prices.

Be sure and call and secure some of the Bargains.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Jan. 30th, 1882.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1 ly.

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 45-6m.

MARKDALE HOUSE

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 18

1,000,000!

Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the

Highest Price in Cash!

for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

Special attention paid to custom sawing.

N. B.—None but good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.

Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-6

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER, for School Section No. 12, Euphrasia, for 1882, with Second or Third Class Certificate.

Apply to

THOMAS NELSON, Markdale.

Markdale, Dec. 17, 1881. 69-tf

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 26-ly

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SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE.

Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys.

THE "LONDON HOUSE,"

DUNDALK.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, to ... Come and see our Cashmeres, from ... to ... per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10

The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds,

from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing,

London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have cabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered.

A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now repl with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

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THE "GLASGOW HOUSE."

DUNDALK.

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six months since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new large stock of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

MILLINERY.

HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,

Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c. worth 15c. BLACK CASHMERES for 25c. worth 40c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Tablings from 20c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. ☞ Call and inspect goods before purchasing

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

"Glasgow House Noted."

Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. ly

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,

BOOTS, SHOES

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
Cigars, Cigars.	Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
Coffee, Coffee.	Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

WANTED.

A QUANTITY OF

Telegraph Poles 50 Ft. Long

AND UPWARDS; ALSO

5,000 Cords Cedar Posts.

For which the Highest Prices will be paid.

MABEE & WHITTAKER.

Markdale P. O.

Notice to Contractors.

AS WE HAVE A LARGE QUANTITY of Saw Logs at our mill this season, we will give contractors a good chance. The logs will be all skidded in the woods. A good shanty and stable also in the woods. Any parties wishing to have a contract of the kind will do well to see us. The distance to haul, about two-and-a-half miles, on a good road.

People had far more right to become dyspeptic, and remain gloomy and miserable, than they have to take poison and commit suicide. If the stomach becomes weak and fails to perform its functions, Burdock Blood Bitters will speedily remedy the trouble.

A TRUE GENTLEMAN.

"I beg your pardon," and with a smile and touch of his hat, Harry Edmond handed to an old man, whom he had accidentally stumbled against, the cane which he knocked from his hand. "I hope I did not hurt you. We were playing too roughly."

"Not a bit," said the old man, cheerily. "Boys will be boys, and it is best they should be. You did not harm me a bit."

"I'm glad to hear it," and lifting his hat again, Harry turned to join his playmates with whom he had been frolicking at the time of the accident.

"What did you raise your hat at that old fellow for?" asked his companion, Charley Gray, "He's only Giges, the huckster."

"That makes no difference," said Harry; "the question is not whether he is a gentleman, but whether I am."

DESERVING OF PRAISE.

Too much cannot be expressed in favor of that unsurpassed remedy for coughs, colds, asthma, croup, sore throat, and all lung complaints. If you suffer from neglected colds, try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. The cost is trifling, only 25 cents.

PROVINCAL APPOINTMENRS.

His honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint the following gentlemen commissioners, under the provisions of the License Act of 1879, in and for the undermentioned License Districts:—

Brockville and the South Riding of Leeds—Robert Brouch, Charles Cornwall, Luther Kilborn.

Bruce (North Riding)—James Rowand, John M. Kilborn, Wm. Ball.

Cardwell—James H. Newlove, Geo. Jones, Thos. Brown.

Cornwall—Alex. R. McDonald, Jas. A. Robertson, D. G. McDonald.

Durham (West Riding)—H. Middleton, R. Windatt, J. Huges.

Grey (North Riding) Geo. Price, D. R. Dobie, J. Stewart.

Hastings (East Riding)—G. Phillips, S. Way, G. Anderson.

North Riding of Leeds and Grenville and the Electoral District of South Grenville—J. Buckly, E. Smith, I. Wright.

Lennox—J. Stevenson, J. Fellows, A. L. Morden.

Norfolk—F. Gordon, F. Beemer, W. Turnbull.

Ontario (South Riding)—B. F. Campbell, W. McGill, M. D., S. K. Brown.

Perth (North Riding)—W. Mowat, J. Kellman, W. S. Beler.

Welland—J. Drew, J. E. Morin, J. Henderson.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL.

Will be found invaluable for all purposes of a family liniment. Immediate relief will follow its use in all cases of pain in the stomach, bowels or side; rheumatism, colic, sprains and bruises. For internal and external use. It has no equal in the world for what it is recommended. For sale by all dealers at 25c per bottle.

A BAD BLUNDER.

At a church sociable some time ago the local student was detailed to assist a young lady, whom he had long admired from afar, in making out a new Sabbath school library list.

The prospective minister found the task by no means an unpleasant one, as the charming young creature read out the title of each book from the title page, while he delightedly copied it into the catalogue before him. In fact, there flitted through the mind of the sedate and rather bashful youth several times the question whether the amiable maiden, with her pretty figure and bright eyes, could not be induced to become the "sharer of his labours and toils."

"I believe I would ask her to-night if I only dared," thought the young man. "But I don't dare, so there's the end of it." And with gloomier face than before he continued his work calling out, "Next book?" almost as mechanically as fast as he had transcribed the former title. He was aroused from his reverie by the following rejoinder to one of his demands for "next book."

"Why don't you do it?"

He started as though the girl had been reading his thoughts.

"Do what?" he inquired, by way of drawing her out. But the young lady replied not a word. To gain time he again said

"Next book."

"No time like the present," said the maiden, with an encouraging smile.

"I see it is of no use to hide my thoughts from you, Miss M.," he said, struggling with embarrassment. "Your last two remarks have shown me how perfectly you realize my state of mind. I will, therefore, follow your advice and embrace the present opportunity of asking you whether you are willing to accept me as your partner for life. Your answer, I am confident from these remarks, will be affirmative."

It was the young lady's turn to be embarrassed.

"To what remarks do you refer?" she said.

"To the two sentences in which you so delicately blended words of advice and encouragement on this most important of subjects, when you said, 'Why don't you do it?' and 'No time like the present.'"

The girl looked puzzled for a moment, and then burst into a merry laugh. 'Why, those were the titles of the books you called for. Well, you have got yourself into a pretty fix,' and she laughed at the discomfitted student maliciously.

'Miss M.,' said the young man, springing up with sudden earnestness, 'I beg you will consider the words which I cannot now recall. Be mine and I shall be perfectly happy. Refuse me and you will make me miserable for life. Will you be mine?'

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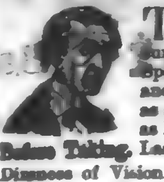

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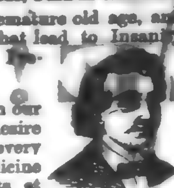

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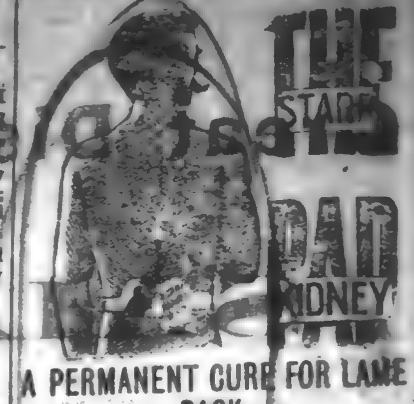

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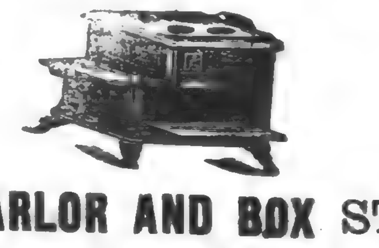

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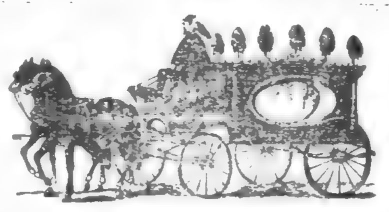

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A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER XVII. *Continued.*

There was something so forlorn in her look, in her loneliness, in the soft plaintive tone—something so like a spirit about her, that the words he would have spoken died on his lips. She stood before him alive, but surely death was pictured on her face.

'Come in,' he said simply, and she glided past him, and into the presence of the other two.

'My child! my child!' Mrs. Otis said, with a motherly cry; 'thank Heaven, you are alive, and have come to us. Sit down, let me warm your hands. Oh! my child, what a fright you have given us all! Where in the world have you been?'

She sank wearily down in the chair and let her hands lie in the elder woman's warm clasp.

'I have been with Hannah,' she answered slowly at Bracken Hollow with my nurse.* And to-morrow I leave Castleford, and I could not go you know, without seeing Gaston, poor fellow. I would have come before, but I—I didn't know—my head feels all wrong some how, and I think I have been half asleep all day. And the walk was so long—so long, and so cold—oh me! and I was so dizzy and stupid all the way. How warm your fire is, and how nice it is to sit here!'

Her voice died drowsily away, her hood dropped against the back of the chair, her eyelids fell heavily. The three about her looked in one another's startled faces in dead silence. What did this mean?

'My child—Miss Dangerfield!' Mrs. Otis murmured. Oh, look up, don't lie like that, Miss Katherine, Miss Katherine!'

'Yes, papa,' drowsily 'but I am so sleepy, and don't want to get up for breakfast yet. Has Gaston come? It is cold for him to ride from Castleford to-night—and he hates the cold, poor Gaston! Call me when he comes papa—I want to sleep now.'

Her eyes heavily closed again, her mind was wandering. Her troubles had been too much for her then, after all, and had turned her brain. Dr. Graves bent over her and shook her slightly.

'Katherine! Katherine!' he called, 'rouse up—Gaston has come—Gaston is here!'

She sat up and gazed at him, a bewildered look in her eyes,

'Who calls?' she asked, 'Oh, Dr. Graves is it you! Where am I? is papa sick again? Why, this isn't—' She looked around, memory seemed slowly struggling back. 'Yes, I know now,—this is Mr. Otis house—Gaston is here.' She rose up suddenly, fully herself. 'I am going away, and I want to see Gaston. How is he to night; Mrs. Otis?'

'Much as he has been from the first, Miss Dangerfield—little better, little worse.'

'But he will not die? Mr. Otis, you told me he would not die!'

'I think he will not I have seen worse cases recover. It is a sort of concussion of the brain. He does not suffer or, at least is conscious of no suffering.'

'Thank heaven for that!' she said softly. 'May I see him at once now, and alone? I don't know when I will see him again; and, Mr. Otis, you have been so kind, will you take care of him till he is quite well again? I can't pay you now—I am poor—but some day, if I live, I will.'

'I need no pay. For your sake, Miss Dangerfield, I will care for him gladly. I would cherish a dog that had been yours.'

She held out her hand to him with the old bright grace.

'Thank you. I knew I might trust you. I must go before it gets too late, Please take me to him at once.'

He led her to the chamber door. White, cold, and motionless, in the fast fading day light, Gaston Dantree lay. She had not seen him since that fatal wedding night, and now she saw him again—thus. She stood an in instant, then she entered and closed the door. They heard the soft rustle of her dress as she knelt beside the bedside, then silence fell.

No one spoke. The moments passed, the night had entirely shut down, the wind howled through the desolate churchyard, whose ghostly gravestones they could see glancing in the darkness. A hushed expectation held them—of what they knew not—a strange, prophetic awe. Mrs. Otis was the first to move. The mantel clock struck six, she turned softly and lit the lamp, and stood waiting again.

Five minutes—ten—no sign, no sound from that inner room. Fifteen—twenty—the two men looked at each other uneasily. Twenty-five—thirty. Then Dr. Graves spoke,

'She has been there long enough. It is no place for her in her present state. Mrs. Otis, do you go and tell her to come out.'

The little widow, full of foreboding, tiptoed to the door, and tapped. No answer. A second tap, louder; still no reply. A third tap—louder this time, but the only answer profoundest silence.

'Open the door, mother!' called the voice of her son, sounding strange and husky—'open at once!'

Mrs. Otis obeyed—ever so little at first, and not looking in.

... enter?'

Still no response. Then she opened the door wide, and recoiled with a cry.

'Henry, the child has fallen—she has fainted!'

Henry Otis was in the room before the words were spoken. Katherine was lying on her face on the floor by the bedside, where she had softly fallen. In one second she was uplifted in Henry Otis' arms and borne into the light. Her head fell limp over her arm, her eyes were closed, her features rigid. He laid her upon a sofa—the two doctors bent over her—one with his hand on her heart, the other on her pulse. The heart lay still, the pulse beat no longer. Rigid, white, stark she lay, already growing cold.

'Oh, Henry, speak!' his mother cried. 'Doctor Graves, tell me, has she fainted?'

The elder doctor removed his hand from her heart, and stood up very pale himself in the lamplight.

'Not fainted, madam,' he said quietly: '*dead*!'

Sir Peter Dangerfield sat alone in the library at Scarswood, the silken curtains were drawn, firelight and lamplight made the room brilliant, his purple easy chair was drawnup before a writing table littered with deeds and documents, and Sir Peter in gold bowed spectacles, was trying to read.

Trying—not reading. For ever between him and the parchment page, a face menacing and terrible kept coming—the face of Katherine, as he had seen her last.

Where was Katherine? Dead or alive, she had sworn to be revenged Was she dead? He shuddered through all his little craven soul and heart at the thought. Men had looked at him darkly and askance all day, and turned coldly away from him while he spoke. There had been whispers of sucide. What if while he sat here in his warm, lighted, luxurious room, she lay stark and frozen under the stars dead by her own hand?

There was a tall, smoke-coloured bottle on another table, with glasses. He was usually a very anchorite for abstemiousness, but he sprang up now, with a muttered oath, filled him self a stiff glass of brandy, and drained it at a draught.

'I wish to heaven I had given her that infernal three thousand, and be hanged to it!' he muttered, flinging himself back sulkily in the chair. 'Curse the luck! What's the use of a title and a fortune if a fellow's life is to be badgered out of him in this way There's that greedy little devil, Mrs. Vavasor, not a penny would she throw off. And now there's Katherine. I wish I hadn't said what I did to her. If they ever find—I mean if they find her—I'll give her that three thousand if she takes it, and have done with the whole confounded thing. But she's so confoundedly proud that likely she'll turn cantankerous and refuse. There's no pleasing a woman anyway, refuse it and you insult her, offer her it and you insult her more.

Oh, come in, whoever you are, and be hanged to you!'

This pleasant concluding adjuration was in response to a rap at the door. A tall, serious foot man in purple plush breeches and white stockings appeared.

'Dr. Graves, Sir Peter,' spake this majestic menial, and vanished.

Sir, Peter arose, as Dr. Graves, hat in hand very pale and solemn of visage, stood before him. News of Katherine at last. He grasped the back of his chair with one hand, and faced his visitor almost defiantly, as one whoshould say 'whatever has happened I at least have had nothing to do with it.'

'Well, sir?, he demanded.

'Sir Peter Dangerfield, I bring news of—Katherine. She is found.'

The little barnet's heart gave a great leap. Found, then she had not committed suicide.

'Ah!' he said, with a look of sulky injury. 'I knew as much. I thought she wasn't the sort of girl to take arsenic or throw herself into the nearest mill stream. So she's found is she. And where has she been pray since she ran away from Scarswood?'

He resumed his chair, folded his arms and looked up at his visitor. But still Dr. Graves kept that face of supernatural solemnity.

'When she ran away from Scarswood, Sir Peter, she went to her old nurse in Bracken Hollow. About three hours ago, while I was at Ottis' cottage, seeing that unlucky chap, Dantree, she came.'

'She did! To see Dantree, too, I suppose. Extremely forgiving of her, I must say, but not in the least like Katherine Dangerfield. Perhaps she is going to turn romantic sick nurse to her wounded cavalier, and end by getting him to marry—'

'Stop, Sir Peter Dangerfield!' the old doctor said hoarsely: 'not another word. Katherine Dangerfield will never marry Gaston Dantree or any other mortal man. She is dead.'

'Dead!' Sir Peter leaped from his chair as though he had been speared.

'Dead, Graves! Good God! I thought you said—I thought—'

His white lips refused to finish the sentence; he stood staring with horror-struck eyes at the elder man.

'Yes, Sir Peter—dead! Of heart disease, no doubt, latent and unsuspected This is how it happened:—She came to see Dantree before leaving Castleford—those where her words. She looked shockingly ill and haggard, and her mind seemed to wander a little. She fell into a sort of stupor as she sat before the fire and complained of her head. We aroused her after a little time, and she went into the sick room. She shut the door, and we heard her kneel down. There was a long silence; so long, so profound, that we grew alarmed. Mrs. Otis knocked again and again at the door, and received no answer, Then we opened it and went in. She had fallen on her face and was stone dead.'

'Great Heaven!'

'She must have been dead some already growing cold. I left her there when I found life utterly extinct, and nothing more possible to be done, and came here. It is shocking, Sir Peter—it is horrible. And only yesterday, as it were, this house was all alight for the wedding.'

And then the old doctor's voice broke, and he turned his back abruptly on Sir Peter and faced the fire.

Dead silence fell. The clock ticked, the cinders dropped, Dr. Graves looked fixedly into the coals, and Sir Peter sat stiff and upright in his chair quite ghastly to look at.

'Dead or alive, I will be revenged.' The horrible words rang in his ear like his own death knell. They meant nothing, perhaps; they were but the passionate, impotent rage of an outraged woman, who knew his cowardly nature to the full, but they did their work. Katherine was dead! and Katherine was vindictive enough to carry her hatred and revenge into that world of shadows whither she had gone, and come back from her grave and pursue him. Greater and wiser than poor little Sir Peter Dangerfield have devoutly believed in ghosts; *he* was superstitious to the core. And Katherine was dead—dead—dead! Great, heavy drops stood on his pinched, palid face, and his voice was husky as he spoke:

'Dr. Graves, there must be some mistake here—there *must*. She could not die in that way; it is too horrible—and she was so young; and so strong; never sick a day in her life, by George. Oh, it is impossible, you know; entirely impossible. It is a fit or a faint, if you like, not death. Let us go back and see what can be done for her; I will go with you. Let us be off at once. I tell you she can't be dead. I don't want her to die, It is a prolonged fainting fit, doctor; take my word for it; nothing more. Strong, healthy girls like Katherine don't drop off in a minute like that.'

'Sir Peter,' the old physician the old physician said quietly, 'I am sixty-five years of age, and for the past forty years I have seen death in all its phases—lingering and instantaneous. And I tell you she is dead. But we will go to her, as you say; you can convince yourself with your own eyes.

But still Sir Peter would not be convinced, would not, could not 'make her dead.' He hurried from the room, changed his dress, ordered round his horses, and in fifteen minutes the two men were galloping full speed through the keen frosty night into Castleford.

The town laid hushed and dark; it was close upon eleven now, neither spoke a word; the breathless pace did not admit of talk. They reached the Otis' cottage, its whole front lit, and figures flitted rapidly to and fro.

And Peter Dangerfield's heart under his riding coat was throbbing so rapidly, he turned sick and reeled dizzily for an instant, as he sprang from the saddle. The next he rallied and followed his leader in.

On the sofa in the little sitting-room where they had first placed her, Katherine still lay. They had removed her hat and cloak, and loosened all her clothes, but over that rigid face the solemn seal of eternal sleep had fallen. They had closed her eyes and crossed her pulseless hands, and calmly as though sleeping, and fairer than ever in life, she lay. The haggard look had all gone, and a great calm lay upon it.

Sir Peter Dangerfield saw her again.

There were three persons in the room. Beside Otis and his mother, the old ex-Indian nurse from Bracken Hollow, sad, gaunt and gray, sat close by her nursling swaying ceaselessly to and fro, and uttering a sort of moaning cry, like a dumb creature in pain. She lifted her inflamed eyes and fixed them with savage hatred upon the palid face of the baronet.

'Ay,' she said bitterly; 'you are a fine gentle, now, little Peter Dangerfield, and you do well to come and look at your handiwork; for you are her murderer, you and that lying, false faced villain lying yonder, as sure as ever men were murderers.—The law won't hang you, I suppose, but it has hung men who deserved it less. I wonder you aren't afraid to look at her; afraid she will rise up from her death-bed and accuse you.'

He turned his tortured face toward her, quite horrible to see in its fear and ghastliness.

'For heaven's sake, hush,' he said, I never meant this, I never thought she would die. I would give all I am worth to bring her back to life. I could not help it—I would not have had it happen for worlds. Don't drive me mad with your talk.'

'Liar!' old Hannah cried, towering up and confronting him; double liar and coward. Who refused her her dying father's bequest? who offered her the deadliest and most dastardly insult it is possible to offer woman? and you say you are sory, and ask me not to drive you mad. I tell you if the whole town rose up and stoned you, it would not be half your deserts. I say again, I wonder that, dead as she lies there before you, she does not rise to accuse her murderer. Mr. Henry Ottis, this is your house, and she thought you her friend. Show yourself her friend now, and turn her murderer out!'

'Hannah, Hannah, hush?' interrupted Mrs. Ottis, scandalized and alarmed. Whatever Sir Peter might be, it was not in this good woman's nature to do other than reverence to the lord of Scarswood, the man of eigth thousand a year.

But her son stepped forward—pale, cold, stern.

'Hannah's right, mother,' he said, 'and he shall go. Sir Peter Dangerfield, this house is no place for you. You have come here and convinced yourself she is dead—driven to it by you and that man yonder, He is beyond the pale of justice—you are not and by Heaven you shall go!' He threw wide the house door, his dark eyes flashing, and pointing out into the darkness. 'Go, Sir Peter, and never set foot across this threshold of mine again. She turned to me in that hour, and she is mine now—mine, Go!—you coward, you robber and insulter of helpless girlhood, and come here no more!'

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FEES AND DOCTORS.—The fees of doctors is an item that very many persons are interested in just at present. We believe the schedule for visits is $8.00, which would tax a man confined to his bed for a year, and need of daily visits, over $1,000 a year for medical attendance alone! And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the $1,000 and all the year's sickness—*Post*

GOVERNOR GENERAL'S SPEECH.

OTTAWA, Feb. 9.

The speaker took the chair at 2.40.

On the arrival of his Excellency he assumed the throne, and read the speech as follows:—

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE:

"*Honourable Gentlemen of the Senate:*
"*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

"The hope I expressed at the close of the last session that on the re-assembling of Parliment we should be able to congratulate ourselves on a season of peace and prosperity has been fully realized. Canada has been favoured with a year of great prosperity. Her farmers have enjoyed a plentiful harvest and remunerative prices. Her manufacturing and other industries have been, and continue to be, developed under favourable auspices. Her trade and commerce have been steadily increasing, and peace and order prevail within her borders. For these various Blessings we cannot be sufficiently thankful to the Giver of all good things.

DEATH OF PRESIDENT GARFIELD.

"The Chief Magistrate of the United States has been cut off by the hand of an assassin, and it is fitting that the sorrow of our people for a loss which was not that of our friends and neighbours alone should be here adverted to as another instance of the sympathy which unites in brotherhood the British Empire and the American Republic.

THE NORTH WEST.

"During the recess I had the pleasure of visiting the Province of Manitoba, and of traversing the extensive prairies of the North-West, and from personal examination can sincerely congratulate Canada on the possesion of so magnificent and fertile a region, to be inhabited, I trust, in the course of years by millions of thriving, and contented subjects of her Majesty. The immigrants have not confined themselves to Manitoba or its vicinity, but are scattered over the country westward to the base of the Rocky Mountains, and from the international boundary to the banks of the Northern Saskatchewan. It is therefore thought that the time has come for the division of the territories into four or more provisional districts, with appropriate nomenclature. This subject will be submitted for your consideration.

CONDITION OF THE INDIANS.

"During my journey I was met by numerous Indian tribes, all expressing confidence in the continuance of the traditional policy of kindness and justice which has hitherto governed the aborigines. I regret, however, to say that the necessity of supplementing the food supply of the Indians still exists, and is likely to continue for some years. Every exertion has been made to settle the Indian bands on reserves, and to induce them to betake themselves to the raising of cattel and cultivating the soil. These efforts have met with a fair measure of success, but we can only expect; by a long continuance of patient firmness, to induce these children of the prairie and the forest to abandon their nomadic habits, become self-supporting, and ultimately add to the industrial wealth of the country. The influx of a white population has greatly increased the danger of collision between the settler and the red man, and in my opinion renders an augmentation of the Mounted Police a matter of urgency.

CIVIL SERVICE REFORM.

"The report of the commission appointed to investigate the existing system of the Civil Service will be laid before you, and a measure on the subject sumitted for your considoration.

READJUSTMENT OF REPRESENTATION.

"The decennial census having been taken last year, the duty of reconsidering and readjusting the representation in the House of Commons is imposed upon you. A measure for the purpose will be laid before you.

PUBLIC MATTERS.

"Several other measures of importance will be submitted to you. Among them will be bills for the winding up of Insolvent Banks, Insurance Companies, and Trading Corporations; for the consolidation and amendment of the laws respecting the Dominion lands; for the amendment of the Acts relating to the Supreme Court of Canada; and bills relating to the tenure of office of the judges of country courts, and to fugitive offenders within the Empire; and your attention will be called to the present anomalous position of the vice-admiralty jurisdiction.

CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

"The work of construction on that portion of the Canada Pacific railway between Prince Arthur's Landing and Winnipeg is being pressed to completion; and it is confidently expected that in July next railway communication will be established between these places. The section between Rat Portage and Winnipeg, one hundred and thirty-five miles in length, has been completed and transferred under the terms of the contract to the Canada Pacific Railway Company, by whom it is now operated. Considerable progress has been made ... and ... vigorous prosecution of the work on that portion of the line during the present year provided for. In British Columbia the work upon the section between Savona's Ferry and Emory's Bar is being carried on with every prospect of its completion within the time specified in the contract; and the line from the latter place to Port Moody, which has been carefully located during the past season is now being placed under contract, with a view to its completion at the same date as the section from Savona's Ferry to Emory's Par. Upon the sections to be constructed by the railway company the work has been most energetically carried forward. During the past summer the road has been graded for the distance of 318 miles, and of this 161 miles are completed and open for traffic. The company have in addition graded eighty-nine miles of branch lines.

INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY.

"I am pleased to be able to state that the traffic on the Intercolonial railway has largely increased, and that this line was during the last fiscal year, for the first time in its history, worked without expense to the country.

WELLAND CANAL.

"The works on the Welland canal were so far advanced that the waters of Lake Erie were introduced for its supply in June last, and in September the new portion of the canal between Allanburg and port Dalhousie was opened for traffic.

TRADE WITH BRAZIL.

"You will be pleased to know that a monthly line of steamers, which has been subsidized under the authority of Parliament, is now playing between the Dominion and Brazil with good hopes of a mutually profitable trade.

FACTORY LABOUR.

"The report of the Royal Commission issued to enquire into the question of factory labour, and into the best means of promoting the comfort and well being of the workingman and his family, without undue interference with the development of our manufacturing industries, will be laid before you, and I invite your earnest consideration of this report.

"*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

"The accounts of the last year will be laid before you. It will be satisfactory to you to find that the expenditure has been less and the revenue considerably more than the estimates of last year, leaving a surplus of over four millions of dollars A portion of this sum has been used in the reduction of the public debt by the redemption of matured debentures bearing six per cent. interest, and the remainder applied to the payment for public works chargeable to capital account. The necessity of issuing the debenture loan authorized by Parliament for these purposes has therefore been obviated. The estimates of the ensuing year will also be submitted, and will, I trust, be found to have been framed with due regard to economy and the efficiency of the public service.

"*Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate:*
"*Gentlemen of the House of Commons:*

I now invite your attention to the general business which will come before you, with full confidence in your ability and patriotic desire to forward the best interests of the country."

After his Excellency had withdrawn the following new Senators were introduced and took their seats:—Hon. D. McInnes, Hamilton; Hon. Mr Ogilvie, Montreal; Hon. Mr. McKay, Colchester; and Hon. Mr. Skead, Ottawa.

It was decided that the address should be moved to-morrow, the House to meet at 3:30.

The House then adjourned.

The address in the Senate will be moved by Hon. D. McInnes, and seconded by Hon. Mr. Ogilvie.

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An inspection of his store will repay anyone.

He is giving special discounts during the holidays.

W. F. DOLL.

Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-ly

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.23 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n.	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 16th 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.24
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.20
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.35	"	0.37
Peas	0.68	"	0.71
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.71
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.15
Eggs, per doz.	0.18		0.18
Pork, dressed,	8.00	"	8.58
Beef	5.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

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Friday, Febrary 17th, 1882.

REVOLUTIONIZING "TIME."

SANDFORD FLEMING'S ARGUMENT.

(Continued from the issue of Feb. 3rd.)

The gigantic system of railways and telegraphs which has been established in America, has created social and commercial conditions which never previously existed in the history of the human race. These conditions have affected the relations of time and distance, in a manner which shows that a system of notation which we have inherited is defective; that it leads to confusion, causes loss of time, and disturbs the arrangement of travellers and business men; that it frequently results in loss of life, and leads to difficulties of various kinds; that under the circumstances which have followed the extensive employment of steam and electricity as means of rapid communication, it is generally inappropriate. This question has of late became a matter of great public importance, and attention is seriously directed to the simplest and best means of removing an impediment to commerce and general intercourse. The system which we follow which has been followed for ages, quite unobjectionable half a century ago, when the electric telegraph was unknown and the horse was almost the only locomotive. The system is based on the theory that time is regulated everywhere by the passage of the sun over the meridian of each separate locality; that the period between any two solar passages, at any given place, is divided into halves, known as anti-meridian and past-meridian, each half being divided into twelve hours, and that the two halves together constitutes a day. According to the recognized theory, as already stated, every spot on the surface of the globe differing in longitude has a time peculiar to itself. Except on the same meridian there are no simultaneous days, or hours, or minutes. Everywhere the days and divisions of the day vary, and the variations are infinite. In the case of North America the continent extends across one hundred and five degrees of longitude. Within its extreme eastern and western limits it is possible to draw many thousands and distinct meridians, and following rapidly the prescribed theory we may have as many thousand standards of time, not two of which would be in harmony. The railway authorities have done face to face with the difficulty, and they have from time to time met it as circumstances dictated. In order to operate the long lines of railway with some degree of safety, each separate manager has been obliged to ignore the different local times, and arbitrarily adopt a special time for the movement of trains on the special lines under his charge. The railway guide books publish at least seventy-five regular chosen standards of time, employed for the running of trains in the United States and Canada. Every city and town of importance has its own time, occasionally coinciding, but frequently differing from the nearest railway standard. The public have been obliged to accommodate themselves to this irregular system, but it has become exceedingly inconvenient and irksome, and a scheme which will introduce a time system characterized by uniformity and simplicity cannot fail to be cordially welcomed. For the reason stated an earnest movement has began in America with the view of establishing reform in time-reckoning. The question is engaging the attention of the Canadian Institute of Science, the American Meteorological Society, the American Society of Civil Engineers, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and other Societies. The community generally and the great railway and telegraphic interests are being awaked to its importance. It is felt that the question is one in which all countries have an interest, and although it has presented itself, perhaps more prominently in America than elsewhere, it is eminently desirable that Americans should take no narrow view of a scientific matter of world-wide interest. It is held by those who have seriously considered the subject, that a solution of the problem which would be good for America would be advantageous to other countries. It is considered that in introducing a reform in time-reckoning in North America the system should be such as would commend itself generally; that it should be one which by its appropriativeness and simplicity would have every prospect of being adopted ultimately throughout the world. A highly important feature of the movement is to employ every means to render the system generally acceptable, so that whenever the necessity may arise in any other community for its introduction, it may be spontaneously adopted; a course calculated to secure ultimate and complete uniformity in all countries. I shall give in brief an outline of a proposition for defining and regulating civil time which is favored in many quarters in Canada and in the United States of America.

1. It is proposed to establish one standard time which will be common to all people throughout the world for communication by land and sea for all ordinary purposes, for synchronous observations and for all scientific purposes. This standard time is to be known as "Cosmopolitan Time."

2. Cosmopolitan time to be based on the diurnal revolutions of the earth as determined by the (mean) sun's passage over one particular meridian to be selected as a time-zero.

3. The time-zero to coincide with the prime meridian to be common to all nations for computing longtitude.

4. The time-zero and prime meridian for the world to be established with the concurrence of civilized nations generally.

5. Twenty-four secondary or standard hour meridians to be established, fifteen degrees or one hour distant from each other, the first being fifteen degrees from the prime meridian.

J. C.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, Feb. 6th.

Present, Messrs. Christoe, Webster, Elliott and Pedlar.

Minutes of January session read and approved.

A letter from Father Cassin, of Priceville, presented and read.

Petitions presented and read as follows:—From the several hotel keepers in the Township re License Fee. Wallace Armstrong and others regarding a certain road division. M. Akitt and David Wright on behalf of Artemesia Agricultural Society regarding Government reserves in Eugenia.

Messrs. Sullivan and Kelly waited upon Council re Separate School. By-law No. 339, for limiting the number of tavern licenses and the amount to be paid therefor, introduced and read the requisite number of times, and ordered to be signed, sealed and engrossed in By-law book.

Moved by Elliott and Webster, that the Collectors be paid $22 each, the amount of their salary; also $1 each as postage expenses—carried.

Moved by Webster and Elliott, that John Hazard, to enable him to return his roll, receive an order for $9.68, being taxes against Father Cassin, who by law is exempt from taxation—carried.

Moved by Webster and Elliott, that J. W. Armstrong be paid $2.50, being express charges on County rates to County Treasurer, and bank discount on two cheques—carried.

Moved by Pedlar and Webster, that ... cents, being arrears of taxes charged in error—carried.

Moved by Elliott and Webster, that Peter Holman be refunded twenty-seven cents, being error in assessment—carried.

Moved by Pedlar and Elliott, that the petition of W. Armstrong and others be laid on the table until next session of Council, or until Pathmasters are appointed—carried.

Moved by Webster and Elliott, that the school tax dispute between James Sullivan, Stephen Kelly and this Council be fully submitted to a lawyer, and that this Council act in accordance with the advice given—carried.

Moved by Elliott and Webster, that the Clerk prepare a memorial in compliance with petition of Messrs. Akitt and Wright, relative to unpatented portions of reserves two and four, Eugenia, praying the Government to grant said portions of said reserves to the Artemesia Agricultural Society, free of charge, and that the Reeve and Clerk sign the same and attach the corporate seal thereto—carried.

Council adjourned to meet on the first Monday in March, when Pathmasters and other municipal officers will be appointed.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

PROTON COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Municipal Council of Proton met at McCullough's Hotel on Feb. 6th inst., to take into consideration a petition presented to confirm the agreement between the Grand Trunk and T. G. & B. Railways.

It was moved by Mr. Agnew, seconded by Mr. Robinson, that the petition presented be signed and sealed on behalf of the Council by the Reeve.—Car.

Council adjourned to 7th March.

RIVERVIEW, MELANCTHON.

From our Correspondent.

On the evening of Wednesday, the 8th inst., in connection with the Methodist Church, one of the most successful entertainments of the season was held. The church was filled to its utmost capacity. After tea being served, Mr. Brown was appointed chairman, and addresses were delivered by the Rev. Mr. Potter, Dundalk, and Mr. Deans, Shelburne, both addresses were excellent and well delivered, being most suitable for the occasion. Messrs. Carey and Thompson sung some very choice pieces. A reading by Mr. C Graham, Dundalk, was well recieved, also, a recitation by J. J. Crombie, which was well rendered, and the excellent singing of Mr. Daniel Strachan, contributed much toward the success of the evening. We were much pleased to see so many young people from Dundalk, and very thankful to them for services rendered. Proceeds amounted to about $50.

GREY DIVISION GRANGE No. 2

The above Grange held their annual meeting in Dufferin Hall Markdale, on Thursday, January 26th. The following delegates were present:

Georgian No. 13, A. Gifford, J. Long.
Sydenham, 14.
St. Vincent No. 15, B. White, H. Palmer.
Victoria No. 25, T. Brooks.
Woodland No. 50, A. Webster.
Artemesia No. 259, J. Weber, J. I. Graham.
New England, No. 312, D. R. Ellis.
Orange Valley No. 326, H. D. Irwin.
Markdale No. 334, T. Mann, T. Elliott.
Hawthorne No. 361, H. Reid, D. Armstrong.
Owen Sound, No. 421, R. Walker, S. Connell.
Kilsyth No. 422.
Artemesia Centre No. 458, G. Stewart, G. Dale.
Taylor's No. 460.
Proton No. 512.
Beehive No. 525. D. Robertson, R. Battie.
Harkaway No. 548, C. W. Moore, Mrs Moore.
Hickling No 381, J. Hickling, J. Inkster, Miss Hickling.
Maybourn No. 538, J. McArdle.
Eaden No. 547.
Silver Star No. 580.
Lake Charles No. 664.
Eugenia No. 684, J. M. Webster, D. Campbell.
Rosebank No. 718, A. Gillis, Z. Brown.
Big Bay No. 792.
Kemble No. 793.
Sauble No. 824, T. Anderson, J. Kennedy.
Springfield No. 280, J. McKenzie.

There were also quite a number of visitors present.

The following is a synopsis of the business transacted:—W. N. Harris, Manager of Dominion Grange Wholesale supply Company, addressed the meeting, explaining the working of the Company, also the reason for sending out Travellers to represent them, when it was

Resolved, That this Division approves of the Wholesale Supply House conducted by Bro. Harris, and that we believe it beneficial to our Subordinate Granges.

A resolution was carried unanimously, That in the estimation of this Division Grange, the arrangement whereby it is proposed to lease the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway to the Grand Trunk Railway should be carried out, and that the master and secretary be instructed to draw up a memorial to the Ontario Government, praying that the same be carried into effect.

Moved, seconded and

Resolved, That in reference to the Agricultural Commission lately instituted by order of the Ontario Government, for the purpose of securing practical information on the various important branches of Agricultural industry pursued by our people, that this Division Grange hereby desires to record its very high appreciation of the excellednt results of said commission, now issued at the instance of der the title of "Agricultural Commission, 1881; that the grateful thanks of this Division Grange are hereby most respectfully tendered to the said Government for their very liberal distribution of the valuable book referred to among the farmers of Ontario generally, and especially because each subordinate Grange in this Division has been kindly promised to be put in possession of the entire volumes issued through said Commission; also that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Hon. Provincial Secretary, as a token of our gratitude.

Moved, seconded and

Resolved, That this Division have an excursion to the model farm in the latter part of June.

The next meeting of this Grange will be held at Eugenia, the 6th of July, at 10 o'clock a. m.

JOHN WEBER, Sec.

[We published the list of officers last week.]

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

SOLD AGAIN—BUT *NOT* BY ST. JACOB.

To the Editor.

This time the sell was on the wood question, and thinking others might be in the same fix, with your permission I would like to give shape to a few thoughts on the subject.

Farmers, as a class, have long been proverbial for honesty, the many stories about grain frauds, etc., to the contrary notwithstanding, but whether it arises from the increasing intercourse held between them and the villagers whereby they are becoming contaminated or not, I shall not pretend to say. However, I have come to the conclusion that it is best to watch even a farmer to see that you get what you buy.

Two classes of wood are supposed to be broungt into market, namely, green and dry wood. Now, when green wood sells at 75c to 80c per cord, dry wood, as a rule, brings $1, which gives the seller a return of from 25 to 33 per cent. on the outlay, to say nothing of the difference in drawing, which will add from 5 to 10 more according to distance, this, I think, ought to satisfy even the rapacious business man, yet to make the matter a little better, a third class of wood is introduced, and being somewhat at a loss for a proper name for it, a friend "who knows how it is himself," aptly suggested *sunburnt wood*. this class is produced according to the spirit of the times by an improved process. In the winter or early spring a quantity of logs are cut, and perhaps skided up and perhaps not. In some cases they are cut up with the machine and thrown in a heap, and thus left in the log until after seeding or perhaps after harvest, thus by the retention of the sap and the absorption of rain becoming water-soaked, and sawed and split up at most convenient times, and delivered next winter as purporting to be dry wood, but which the consumers find to be an article on which the average green wood would be a great improvement. The first requisite in the use of this wood is a sufficiency of other combustibles to raise enough heat to expel the water contained in it, and then burn it up. I will not pretend to say that this article may not have its proper use, like most things in the world, but I will say it is not the article I want on a morning like this (Monday, Jan. 23rd) when the mercury is away down below zero, almost frozen fast.

I was very much amused about a year ago on hearing a gentleman at the dinner table tell of a 50 horse power engine he had run, the steam for which was produced without a boiler, and if this was correct, which of course I will not attempt to deny, it strikes me that this must have been the class of fuel used, as it seems to contain in itself all the elements necessary. However, it is my humble opinion that consumers should shut right down on it. Your humble servant will not be caught again, and "don't you forget it." Perhaps if a few of these parties where to have a quantity of this wood thrown back on their hands, it might have some effect in stopping the practice.

Yours, &c.,
ONE WHO WAS TWICE SOLD.

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—I take great interest in your paper, and am well pleased with it. I think it the best local paper that is to be had for the price, $1.00 per annum.

I like the politics, or, at least, the firm stand it has taken in regard to politics, that is neutrality, but there is one thing I do not like, I have watched for a year and have not been able to see the Minutes of our Township appear in its columns, and have come to the conclusion to write you and find out if possible the reason. I see the minutes of all other Township Councils on that side of us. viz: Artemesia, Glenelg, Holland, Proton, and Euphrasia, but no Osprey. Now Sir, as the STANDARD has a large circulation in this Township, why not give us the Minutes as well as other Townships. Our Council, I believe, have the Minutes and Proceedings of the Council printed once a year, in phamplet form in connection with the Auditors' Report, this is good as far as it goes, but of course if there is any missdoing, it is too far gone to remedy when the old year is out, together with perhaps the old Council.

I will expect an answer next week, please give it through the columns of the STANDARD so we will all see it, as there are many others desirous of knowing the cause. Yours Truly,

RATEPAYER.

OSPREY, Feb. 10th '82.

the reason we do not publish the minutes of Osprey Council is, we do not have them forwarded to us as we do from other Townships named, therefore, it is not in our power to have them appear in our paper. We would be very much pleased to have them sent us but do know the reason, they are not, herhaps the Council will let you know through the columns of the STANDARD. It is customary for the Clerks of the different Townships to forward a copy of the Minutes of each meeting to the local papers for insertion for which they receive the paper free, and in some cases they are paid extra for writing the minutes for the local papers. But in Osprey the ratepayers have on regular way of finding out even when the meeting of the Council will take place. We are glad to have suggestions thrown out, or questions put which may enable us to make changes or improvements in our paper and would say, let us hear from you again.

KIMBERLY.

Mr. Editor. Perhaps you don't know that we have had a Baptist revival in Kimberly, but such is the fact. It occurred thus: Three young gents and ladies were enjoying a skate upon the rink on the pond, and to vary the sport the ladies seated themselves upon a sleigh, while their male companions hitched themselves up and drew them along the ice. Suddenly when going a good speed, crack went the ice under the gents' feet, but they had sufficient headway to shoot over the spot. Not so with the sleigh with its freight of beauty. On it came and in it went subjecting the young ladies to a involuntary baptism. The three gallants returned and in trying to pull their partners out they broke through and were themselves baptised, some it is said being subjected to the orthodox ceremony of total immersion. Luckily they all got out and went home, as they should after so solemn a ceremony, sadder, wetter, and wiser for the "dip."—*Monitor.*

HOW TO ESCAPE DIPHTHERIA.

1. Avoid the atmosphere near the disease. Especially is this important for children, whose throats are more liable to take on the poison than those of adults. No matter how mild the case is, keep children away from it.

2. Do not premit any person not even a dog or a cat to come from the room where there is a case of diphtheria. The person exposed to it should disinfect his clothing, and bathe his body, and wash thoroughly his hair, and gargle his throat, before he comes into contact with a child after his coming from the sick room.

3. Do not permit a child to ride in a carriage in which one sick with diphtheria has ridden, until it has first been disinfected.

4. Avoid all causes which cause the throat to become sore, raw, or tender during an epidemic of this disease. In fact it is well to avoid them at all times. A simple sore throat may become a case of diphtheria very easily, when the poison is in the air.

5. Do not allow my child to wear or handle any clothing worn by a person who has had diphtheria. It is criminal to sell or give away clothing of this sort, without most thoroughly disinfecting it first. An epidemic was recently caused in one of the New England States, and many lives lost, from some clothing from a child which died of this disease being sent to friends from a western city.

6. Never kiss a person with diphtheria, mothers have lost their lives by doing this, nor drink from the same cup, nor blow a whistle he has used, nor use a pencil, or a pen, or a handerchief of his.

7. Never send the clothing of a diphtheria patient to the common wash or laundry, where other clothing may become infected.

8. Disinfect all the excretions from one sick of this disease by a strong solution of copperas water before disposing of them.

9. If a child has been exposed to diphtheria by accident, or by any means, at once isolate it from other children, give a thorough warm bath daily, and clean clothes: put it on a diet of brown bread and milk, with fruit, and wait till all danger is over before removing it from quarantine.

Diphtheria poison, no doubt, goes for miles in the air from one house to another. The wind carries it, and when there is an epidemic the greatest precaution should be taken. With all our care we are not always able to prevent its spread entirely, but much may be done.

10. Allow no children to attend a funeral of one who has died from this disease.

The *Sesentific American* adds: As every physician knows, it is no uncommon thing for adults to have diptheria so mildly that it is mistaken for an ordinary sore throat resulting from cold, yet such a person can easily infect a child, and the child become a centre of malignant infection. In view of the fatal prevalence of diphtheria, therefore, the kissing of a child upon the mouth by a person with a sore throat is hazardous, if not criminal, and scarcely less so is the practice of allowing children to kiss their ailing playmates. It would be wise to exercise great caution in this matter, if not to discontinue the practice of kissing upon the mouth altogether. The best preventions are to be found in the hints given, and in most thorough cleanliness about the house, the air, and the drains, water supply, and cellars.

FROM "THE TIMES."

Editor of the Times:—The statements recently published in your valuable paper has created much excitement in this city among the class who own and use horses, and after reading your request that all should write you who had been benefited by the letter published from Dr. Bates in regard to the remarkable success he always had with *Kendalls Spavin Cure*, I decided to write you my experience with it. My first knowledge of this remedy came through a visit to the office of the Massachusetts Society for the prevention of cruelty to animals. This society was the first to use *Kendalls Spavin Cure* in Boston, and I was informed by Charles A. Currier, a gentleman in whom I had the utmost confidence that they had never used anything that worked so well for spavins or any lameness in horses, and he stated that he gave it to poor ... agree to use it, and in this way he was enabled to get along without prosecuting them as it was sure to cure when persevered with. Some time after this I received a very severe injury to the knee joint and the high recommendation which Mr. Currier gave *Kendall's Spavin Cure*, gave me so much confidence in it that I used it for my knee with the very best of results, and since that time my faith has been so strong in the merits of this remedy that we will not be without it in the house. I have tried it since then for foot-rot, sore teats or warts on my cows teats also for a general liniment for my horses or in my family and I sincerely believe, with all those who have written before, that there never was as good a liniment for both man and beast ever discovered before. Hoping you will continue to give us more light on this subject I am

Very truly yours,
ROB'T. C. AYER.

Boston, Mass, Oct. 1st, 1881.

FATAL CASE OF POISONING BY EATING SPOILT FOOD—VERY LIKE A MURDER.

DURHAM, Feb. 14.—Several members of the family of the Rev. S. A. Asbury, incumbent of Trinity church in this town, recently partook freely of a quantity of deteriorated food, which resulted to-day in the death of Lilian, their youngest daughter. The other members of the family who partook of the food are progressing favavourably.

UEXPECTED SUCCOR.

PROVIDENTIAL ESCAPE OF SHIPWRECKED VOYAGERS.

At 9 o'clock on the morning of the 30th of last December, the steamer Moravian, of the Allan line, bound for Liverpool via Halifax, while on her way from Portland to the latter place, ran ashore on the southwest point of Mud Island, some fifteen miles from the town of Yarmouth, Nova Scotia. A stiff breeze was blowing at the time and a heavy sea running, and the situation was one of peril. It was found that the forward compartments had filled with water and orders were given to lighten cargo while preparations were made to land the passengers on the Island, with a supply of food and clothing. The landing was safely effected, but the cold was intense and some of the party were severely frostbitten. On the ship's manifest was a consignment of St. Jacobs Oil, which the Toronto House of A. Vogelar & Co., of Baltimore, Md., had just shipped to Francis Newberry & Sons, London, to fill English orders. The part it played in the catastrophe is described in the following article, which we quote from the Yarmouth (Nova Scotia) *Tribune* of January 18th:

"The passengers and crew of of the wrecked steamer Moravian, during their brief encampment at Mud Island, suffered severely from exposure to the weather, and some of them were severely frostbitten. Fortunately, among the lading of the ship was a package of proprietary medicines; more fortunately still, the bulk of these consisted of St. Jacobs Oil, and by the prompt and liberal use of this invaluable remedy, the parties were speedily relieved and all unpleasant after consequence averted."

A PROMINENT ACTOR'S BELIEF.

Mr. Tony Pastor, of New York City, the great humorist and actor, was signally benefited by the Great German Remedy, and felt constrained to testify to its efficacy for the benefit of others suffering in the same way.

BIRTHS.

MOREY—In Flesherton, on the 2nd inst., the wife of Mr. C. W. Morey, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

SARJEANT—BURNS—On Wednesday, 8th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Philp, in Flesherton, Mr. Fred. Sarjeant to Miss Burns, all of Flesherton.

BURNETT—MCAULAY—At the residence of the bride's father, Feb. 8th, by Rev. D. McLeod, B.A., Mr. John Burnett, of Artemesia, to Miss Margaret, daughter of Mr. John McAulay, of Priceville.

DIED.

HULL—In Markdale, on Wednesday morning, 15th inst., Annie Bertha, infant daughter of J. H. Hull of scarlet fever, aged 1 year and 11 months.

FOLEY—In Artemesia, on Thursday, 2nd inst., Mr. Edward Foley, aged 51 years.

FOR SALE.

That well known Heavy Draught Stallion, "YOUNG FRENCH SUFFOLK," This celebrated horse has taken first prizes wherever shown and has proved himself a sure foal getter. Is a beautiful bright bay, stands 16½ hands high, with fine form and unsurpassed action. For further particulars apply to

JAMES McGILL, Owner, Everard P. O.

Feb. 10th, 1882. 75-4t*

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T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 31-3t.

SEEDS

It will pay purchasers of Seeds to get MY TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL PUBLICATION of the Cultivator's Guide or Catalogue of Seeds, now ready to be sent gratis to applicants. J. A. SIMMERS, Seedsman. 147 King St. East, TORONTO.

NOTICE.

REFORM CONVENTION EAST GREY

Will meet in the Township Hall, Flesherton, ON TUESDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1882, at one o'clock p.m., for the purpose of selecting candidates both for the House of Commons and Ontario Legislature. All friends of reform and good government are cordially invited.

By order of the President,
WM. BROWN, Secretary.

Markdale, Feb. 14th, 1882. 75td.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

GUITEAU TO BE HANGED ON 30th JUNE

AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

REYNOLDS & SON

ARE SELLING OUT THEIR

FALL AND WINTER STOCK FOR THIRTY DAYS AT COST!

In order to make room for their Spring importations.

Scotch, Irish & Canadian Tweeds--desperate low prices. See them

WINCEYS very cheap. Bargains in CASHMERES, &c.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE BARGAINS AT

REYNOLDS & SONS.

Markdale, February 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

ZOPESA

(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

A. W. EATON,

ON THE WARPATH AGAIN! AS A

GENERAL BLACKSMITH.

The subscriber begs to announce that he has secured the services of a first-class mechanic and is now prepared to carry on the blacksmith business and general jobbing in Mark Richardson's old Shop. He will treat all kinds of diseases of the feet such as Corns and Contractions. Interfering of horses a speciality. Having a good reputation in this section of country as a first class horse-shoer he can guarantee satisfaction. A fair trial is respectfully solicited.

Positively cash until first May, after that date credit will be given until 1st of January, 1883. Will work as cheap as the cheapest.

Markdale, Feb. 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

House to Rent.

Double Tenement, with stable, on Toronto street, Markdale.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Jan. 16th, 1882. 71-3t.

NOTICE.

To Builders & Contractors.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of the 27th inst., for the erection of an HOTEL in the Village of Dundalk for Mr. J. C. Reid.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office from the 20th to the 25th inst.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ISAAC TRAYNOR,
Architect and Surveyor,
Owen Sound st., Dundalk.

TO RENT.

THOSE SPACIOUS AND FIRST-CLASS Stores in the Reid Block, Good cellars, full size of building, under each store. Also the dwellings over the said stores, consisting of kitchen, dining-room, parlor, five bedrooms and large hall. The stores and dwellings can be had singly or together. Terms moderate. Apply to

JOHN REID, Markdale.

Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 74-3t.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms. EDISON MUSIC CO., 920 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa. 69-6m.

FRAMES!

JUST ARRIVED.

NEW STOCK. LATEST DESIGNS.

New Panel Frames,
New Panel Mats.
New 8x10 Frames
New 8x10 Mats.
Selling Cheap at

Browne's Gallery,

OVER ... OFFICE

$66 a week in your own town. ... outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

NATIONAL PILLS — SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE. ... recommended for Biliousness, Headache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any trouble arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in action. Pleasant pills in a dose. PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Gold Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

...DARD,

..., February 17th 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Lots of mud.

Fine weather.

Snow fast disappearing.

Next Wednesday is Ash Wednesday first day of Lent.

Organs sold at a small advance on cost at F. Doll's. No peddler's profits.

The Dominion, Patrons of Husbandry met in Toronto on Tuesday, ... inst.

Tenders are being asked for in Dundalk for the erection of an Hotel in that village. see. Advertisements.

Remember that Mr. J. J. White will be at the Revere Hotel on Wednesday next, 22nd inst.

... F. Doll is selling at cost for ten days ... in order to make room for a large stock ... goods.

Reynolds & Son, in order to get rid ... their winter stock, will sell at cost ... the next thirty days. See adv.

The Reform Convention for East Grey will be held in Township Hall, Flesherton, on Tuesday, March 7th. ... adv.

Any one desirous of purchasing a young stallion should read the advertisement of Mr. Jas. Gill, to be found in another column.

Look out for Mr. Henry Foster's adv. next week. He is having a ... discount sale for thirty days, and ... bargains may be expected.

... —Dentists who have tried ... pronounce it the finest ... on the face of this earth for ... and breath. 5 cent sample ...

Mr. Kyle, a former resident ... Markdale, is at present visiting ... likes his present home, ... very much. He is looking ... hearty.

There is no use speaking of ... Liquors they speak for them... and sometimes to loud, if you ... believe it he is prepared to prove ... Try them.

Moffat Bros. have a large stock ... kettles, and as sugar making ... commenced early there will ... long season of it. Then ... self with a kettle or two.

Mr. E. Purvis has purchased from ... Geo. Wright, a park lot ... of two acres on which he is making preparations to build a residence ... lot is located on George St. ... distance from the Presbyterian ...

Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, ... in the Throat and Chest, relieved and cured by the use of Dr. ... Pulmonary Cough Drops. ... reliable testimony has been ... as to their efficacy. ... 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

We have received Lovell's Business and Professional Directory for Ontario ... an extensive work and as far as workmanship is concerned ... up. It will be delivered to ... shortly.

... isn't this dress charming, and ... mantle it just fits me ... thanks to McFarland. He ... such nobby goods at very ... I tell you, Mary, the secret ... imports direct and pays cash ...

Parliament is in session, ... taking off the duty on Tea and ... people need not wait ... to purchase cheap Teas ... have already done so ... giving three pounds for ... Try them.

Mr. J. McAlear has leased the ... House, Flesherton Station ... a number of years from the ... proprietor, Mr. Alex Hanna ... McAlear has been long and favorably known to the public of East Grey ... successful caterer to the public ... his accomplished hostess ... superior, and few equals ... tation of a bounteous ...

Parties wishing to purchase a ... should see Mr. Doll's stock ...

A PUBLIC MEETING ... of the citizens of every ... and village in the Dominion ... under what should be done ... prevent the hair from turning ... and falling out. If this ... question received their earnest ... consideration they would unanimously ... that science had at last ... something that would answer ... purpose—and further ... recommend Cingalese Hair R... being this something for restoring hair to its natural color, and ... its falling out. 50 cents ... For sale by all Druggists.

There is no place like home ... beginning of a pretty song, and ... is no other place where you ... purchase Laces, Winceys, Cashmeres ... and Linens so cheap as at M... land's.

... hundred men wanted to buy W... F. Doll's, Markdale, Flesherton ...

Mr. Samuel McCaw, the well known ... conductor on the Whitby and ... Railway, says Dr. Carson's St... and Constipation Bitters ... of Dyspepsia. I always ... in the house, and consider them ... valuable as a family medicine. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

Mr. G. Grant, (cabinetmaker) has purchased from E. D. Wilcox his ... which is erected a very neat dwelling located on George St. Miss ... Fleshine and R. Cunningham have purchased property on the same ...

Druggists throughout the country ... to the great merits of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. No Medicine they sell acts ... promptly in curing Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Biliousness, Liver Complaint ... Have you tried it? A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

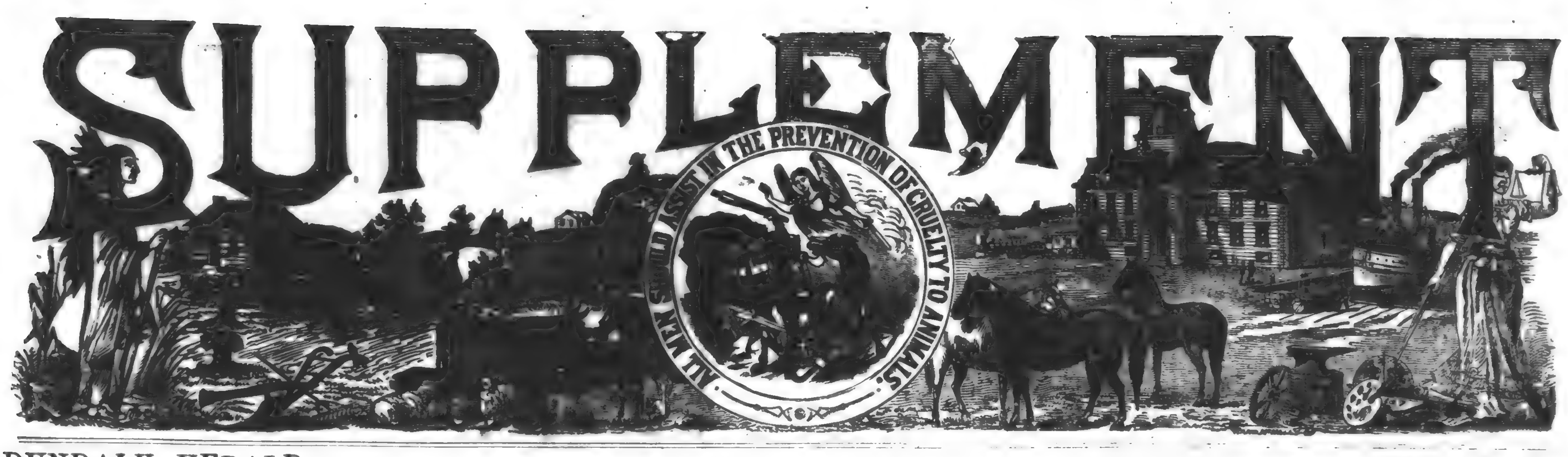
... Carbert, lot 22 con. 10, E... has got the Manitoba fever ... and has authorized Wm. Shop... to dispose of all his stock, Implements household furniture, &c., to the highest bidder on Tuesday, Feb...

A POPULAR REMEDY

Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is one of the most deservedly popular remedies for the cure of coughs, colds, sore throat, asthma, whooping cough, croup, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints. For sale by all dealers.

And now the small boy may be seen at all the street corners with ... knuckles and ditto pants about the region of the knees, in other words the season has set in and our boys have got it bad.

SUPPLEMENT



DUNDALK HERALD Markdale, Ont.

A *man* of kindness to his beast is kind;
But brutal actions show a brutal mind;
Remember! He who made thee, made the brute,
Who gave thee speech and reason, formed him mute.
—COWPER.

OUR SUPPLEMENT.

WE furnish our readers this week a supplement, giving much valuable information in regard to the treatment of our most valuable domestic animals in sickness and their proper management in health. As our space is limited, of course we cannot give you all we would like to of the large amount of knowledge which has been obtained by men who have made our domestic animals a study for centuries, but we have endeavored to give you the very "essence" in these few columns, treating only the most important subjects, and we think this sheet, if preserved, will be of more benefit to many of our readers than two dollars would be if invested in some books we have seen upon this subject and costing that amount. Our aim in sending you this supplement is two-fold. First, we wish to benefit our readers by giving them information through our columns which will be worth more to them than the money they pay us for our paper; and we are firmly convinced that the many points of practical information that we in this condensed form give to you on this sheet will be such information as you will appreciate, and be of lasting good to many. Secondly, we wish to benefit ourselves by making our paper so valuable to you that you will not only continue to subscribe for it yourself, but get your neighbors to send for it also.

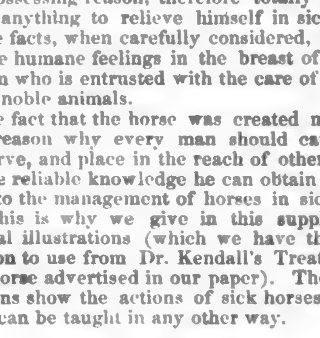
THE HORSE.

THE most valuable and useful of our domestic animals is the horse; and his great value should induce men to treat him well in health, as well as to do all in their power to relieve him when sick; and if we cared nothing for the profit derived by taking good care of the horse with which we may be possessed, we should do it for the grand reason that he was created for our servant, and was made mute, not possessing reason, therefore totally unable to do anything to relieve himself in sickness. These facts, when carefully considered, should arouse humane feelings in the breast of every person who is entrusted with the care of one of these noble animals.

The fact that the horse was created mute is one reason why every man should carefully preserve, and place in the reach of other men, all the reliable knowledge he can obtain in regard to the management of horses in sickness, and this is why we give in this supplement several illustrations (which we have the permission to use from Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse advertised in our paper). The illustrations show the actions of sick horses better than can be taught in any other way.

COLIC IN HORSES.

There are two forms of Colic — spasmodic and flatulent. The former is the most frequent, and the symptoms are familiar to many horse owners. The engravings below show the positions assumed in different stages.



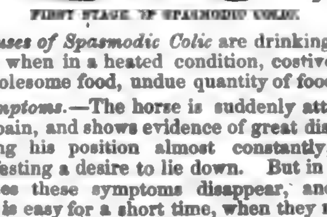
FIRST STAGE OF SPASMODIC COLIC.

Causes of Spasmodic Colic are drinking cold water when in a heated condition, costiveness, unwholesome food, undue quantity of food, etc.

Symptoms.—The horse is suddenly attacked with pain, and shows evidence of great distress, shifting his position almost constantly, and manifesting a desire to lie down. But in a few minutes these symptoms disappear, and the horse is easy for a short time, when they return with increasing severity, until the horse cannot be kept upon his feet.

A cold sweat generally breaks out over the body. The legs and ears remain at about the natural temperature.

He looks around to his flanks, mostly at the right side, as if pointing out the seat of the disease, scrapes the ground with his forward foot, and will almost strike his belly with his hind foot.



SECOND STAGE OF SPASMODIC COLIC.

The horse heaves at the flans; and kicks and rolls, and seems much excited, and sometimes acts as though he wanted to make water, which he cannot do on account of the urethra being spasmodically contracted. This symptom need not be treated (as it frequently is), for, as soon as the horse is relieved of the colic, he will pass water freely. Therefore, follow the treatment we give below and relieve the colic as soon as possible.

THIRD STAGE OF SPASMODIC COLIC.

Treatment.— Relieve the pain by giving one ounce sulphuric ether, two ounces of tincture of opium (laudanum), and a pint of raw linseed oil, and, if not relieved in an hour, repeat the dose. If there is not relief in a reasonable length of time after the second dose is given, some recommend bleeding from six to ten quarts from the neck-vein, but we think it is *rarely* necessary to do this. Occasionally walk the horse about to excite the bowels to action.

Another excellent remedy, which is always at hand, is one heaping tablespoonful of saleratus mixed with one pint of milk and given at one dose. It would be well to try the saleratus first.

Always begin the treatment as soon as possible.

HEAVES.—BROKEN WIND.

This disease is readily distinguished by nearly every farmer or any person having much to do with horses.

It is most likely to occur among farmers horses, owing to the prevailing habit among this class of feeding large quantities of hay to horses possessing a ravenous appetite.

Clover hay when fed in large quantities for a long time is quite certain to produce this disease.

Heaves are never found in racing stables, where the horses are properly fed; consequently, it is but reasonable to attribute the cause to overfeeding with hay and coarse feed.

Treatment.—Turning out on natural pastures or feeding laxative food will relieve mild cases; but severe cases require much care in feeding and watering.

Hay should only be fed at night, and then only a small quantity which is clean and free from clover and dust.

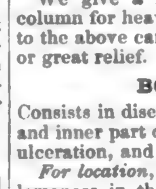
The quantity of grain should be increased, and carrots, beets, potatoes, or turnips, should be given occasionally. Water should be given only before eating, and not after, as is the usual custom. Do not put the horse to work for at least one or two hours after eating.

We give a few good recipes in another column for heaves, which, if given in addition to the above care, will usually result in a cure or great relief.

BONE SPAVIN

Consists in disease of the bones in the lower and inner part of the hock-joint (inflammation, ulceration, and bony deposit).

For location, see cut. In nearly all cases of lameness in the hind leg the seat of disease will be found to be in the hock-joint, although many persons (not having had experience) locate the difficulty in the hip, simply because they cannot detect any swelling of the hock-joint; but in many of the worst cases there is not seen any swelling or enlargement for a long time, and perhaps never.



BONE SPAVIN.

Cause.—The causes of spavins are quite numerous, but usually they are sprains, blows, hard work; and, in fact, any cause exciting inflammation of this part of the joint. Hereditary predisposition in horses is a frequent cause.

Symptoms. — The symptoms vary in different cases. In some horses the lameness comes on very gradually, while in others, it comes on more rapidly.

It is usually five to eight weeks before any enlargement appears.

There is marked lameness when the horse starts out, but he usually gets over it after driving a short distance, and if allowed to stand for a while will start lame again.

The horse will stand on either leg in resting in the stable, but when he is resting the lame leg, he stands on the toe.

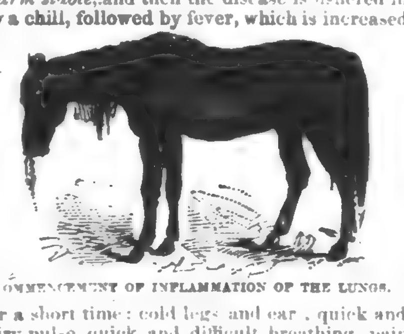
If the joint becomes consolidated the horse will be stiff in the leg, but may not have much pain.

Treatment.—If much heat is found in the spavin, we recommend cold applications to reduce the inflammation; after this has been accomplished, the treatment should begin. Spavin has been considered incurable in the past, until the discovery of Kendall's Spavin Cure, which is now considered by the best veterinary surgeons and the most prominent horse men in this country to be the most important discovery in the veterinary science of the nineteenth century, and as the far-famed remedy is advertised in this supplement, we refer all interested in this subject to the advertisement, as the application of this remedy would, undoubtedly, be the best treatment possible after reducing the heat.

PNEUMONIA (Lung Fever).

Acute congestion of the lungs is always the first stage of this disease, which passes on to active inflammation of the substance of the lungs, while in bronchitis the air passages only are inflamed.

Symptoms. — The horse will oftentimes have a discharge from the nostrils, following a sudden exposure to cold, after being kept in a *warm stable*, and then the disease is ushered in by a chill, followed by fever, which is increased

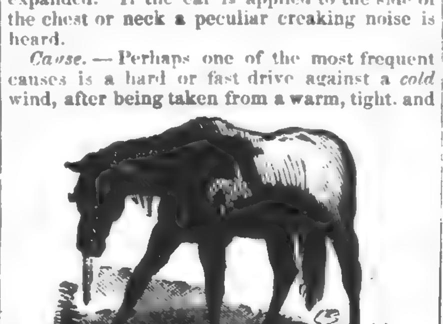


COMMENCEMENT OF INFLAMMATION OF THE LUNGS.

for a short time: cold legs and ear, quick and wiry pulse, quick and difficult breathing, pain in the chest, which is aggravated by coughing, and a quivering of the muscles of the side and breast.

The horse will not eat, and continually stands with his head down, and ears lopped, and will not lie down nor move about; the nostrils are expanded. If the ear is applied to the side of the chest or neck a peculiar creaking noise is heard.

Cause. — Perhaps one of the most frequent causes is a hard or fast drive against a *cold* wind, after being taken from a warm, tight, and



POSITION ASSUMED IN THE LAST STAGE OF PNEUMONIA.

poorly ventilated stable, where several horses have remained through the night; or some different alteration and sudden change of heat, cold, or moisture in an animal not accustomed to work, or in one not in proper condition to work.

Treatment. — The stable should be a comfortable place; not too cold, and yet *well* ventilated. Give the horse clothing according to the weather, but do not change from a heavy blanket to a light one, nor to one that is damp. Keep the legs warm with bandages.

Give twenty-five drops of the tincture of aconite root in a cupful of cold water, and repeat the dose every few hours, until five or six doses have been given, which will probably cause the horse to perspire freely. Care should be taken not to allow the horse to stand in a draft of air. Do not bleed, as some recommend.

After the horse has taken sufficient tincture of aconite root, as soon as he seems to have an appetite for food, a pint of crushed oats, thoroughly scalded, may be given during the day. Great care should be taken not to allow the horse a large amount of food at one time, which would overload the stomach, and might cause a return of the disease. Little and often must be the rule at first, and then the quantity may be increased, while the frequency is diminished. Do not give any hay for several days.

Raw eggs, and other nourishing and stimulating articles, may be given, if the horse shows signs of great weakness. The nourishment should be in a concentrated form, and hay and grass should be kept from the horse for a few days, and then given in quantities small at first and gradually increased. The horse will not lie down until improvement has taken place.

RING-BONE.

This is a bony growth on the pastern bones, as shown in the cut, and usually begins in inflammation of the membranes covering the bones at the points giving attachment to ligaments.

RING-BONE.
1. The joint between the pastern bones.
2. The joint between the lower pastern (or small pastern) and the coffin bone.

It is the result, generally, of hereditary predisposition, weakness, or of a peculiar formation of the pastern joints, which makes them poorly adapted to hard work.

Symptoms. — The lameness may be very great, if the bone or joint is inflamed to considerable extent, or it may be almost entirely absent. The lameness usually increases with exercise, or if used on hard or stony ground. The enlargement may be only slight on the inner or outer side of one of the pastern bones, or the whole pastern region may be enlarged.

Treatment. — If the horse is very lame, you will probably find much heat and inflammation in the part, which should be reduced by constant applications of cold water for several hours, and as the cold applications are discontinued, we know of no remedy so liable to effect a cure as the Kendall's Spavin Cure, advertised on this supplement.

In old or bad cases which do not yield to the above treatment so as to show signs of improvement in two or three weeks, we would recommend to send to the proprietors of the Cure for the Blister which they prepare especially to be used with the Cure in such cases. The horse should have a few weeks' rest after the cure seems to be complete. This is, without doubt, the best treatment that could be given.

RHEUMATISM.

This painful disease is a peculiar form of inflammation of the joints, tendons, and muscles, and often shifts from place to place. In acute rheumatism there is great excitement and fever, with severe pain in the legs and joints. The pain is so severe that the horse hardly dares to move from the place he occupies, on account of the extreme pain which it causes. He has no unnatural heat in the feet, as in founder.

Cause. — Exposure to a draft of cold air when a horse has been heated, thus suddenly checking perspiration.

Treatment. — Place the horse in a good, comfortable stable, as soon as possible after it is discovered that he is afflicted with acute rheumatism, and commence the following treatment: Give the horse about twenty-five drops of the tincture of aconite root every four hours, until five or six doses have been given.

Cover with a blanket, and give the horse general good care. Give the following powders as soon as the tincture of aconite has been given: Bicarbonate of soda, four ozs.; sulphur, eight ozs.; saltpetre, powdered, four ozs. Mix, and divide into eight powders, and give two or three times a day, according to the severity of the case, and repeat, if necessary.

Apply Kendall's Spavin Cure to the joints, or to any part which swells or is tender.

Chronic Rheumatism. — This is a frequent cause of lameness, and it is oftentimes quite difficult to decide fully as to the cause of the lameness.

Treatment. — For this form of the disease, we recommend the same powders as given above for acute rheumatism, only to be continued a longer time, and to apply the Kendall's Spavin Cure to the afflicted parts. Only a small quantity need be used at a time, but it should be rubbed well down to the skin, and continued for several weeks, if it should be necessary to continue so long. The Kendall's Spavin Cure, used twice a day, is also the *best external remedy* we know of for this disease in man; but it should be used for some time, as the disease, when of long standing, cannot be cured in a few days. It may be applied a small quantity at a time, and continued for one to three or four weeks, if necessary.

VALUABLE SUGGESTIONS.

Health of Horses. — To care for the comfort and health of horses should be the first thing to be considered when building or repairing a horse stable. Pure air and sufficient light should be given in all stables when possible. To secure a constant supply of pure air horses require more cubic space than is generally allowed them, both in height of stable and number of square feet of floor allowed each horse. Proper ventilation is a very important item in the general make-up of the stable. When practicable put windows into the south side of the stable to allow the horses to get the benefit of sunshine.

How to Feed Horses. — The question how to feed horses seems at first thought like one of no importance, but if well considered our readers will find it to be one of very great importance. Want of space will preclude our giving minute direction. Horses used where fast work or travelling on the road is required should not be fed only a small quantity of hay in the morning and at noon, with a good allowance of grain; but at night a much larger quantity of hay may be given with less grain than at morning or noon. The hay used should be sweet and clean, never giving musty or very dusty hay to a horse. Clover hay is very bad for the horse, being quite liable to cause heaves if fed to any considerable extent. Horses used about slow work can be allowed a larger amount of hay. One good feed of six quarts of potatoes once a week, at night, is very valuable. Oats is the grain which is best adapted to the wants of the horse under all circumstances.

Watering Horses. — All horses are quite liable to drink more after eating than is required to replenish the waste; and, besides this, it has been ascertained that, when water is drank by horses, a large share of it passes directly through the stomach, and on into the large intestines, where no digestion takes place; and that, if a horse is allowed to drink directly after eating, that a portion of the food is carried along with it, which of course can then do no good, but liable to do some injury. Therefore we say, always water horses before feeding, and you will find they will do better, drive better, sweat less, etc., and will drink all that nature demands, as soon as they become accustomed to this habit.

Signs of Intelligence in the Horse. — The head, being the location in which the brain is seated, is the best indicator of the disposition. For signs of temper or intelligence, look at the eye and formation of the head. Breadth and fullness between the ears and eyes is a sign of intelligence, and, with a pleasant eye, indicates a good disposition. A horse with a rounding nose, tapering narrow forehead, and a broad, full place below the eyes, is always treacherous and mischievous.

"A Merciful Man is Merciful to his Beast."

THE HORSE

AND

His Diseases.

A TREATISE:

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The following verses were found in a collection of "Epigrams, etc.," one hundred and fifty years old. The master is said to have been Rev. Mr. Potter, of Scarning, in Norfolk, England.

And must thou fix my doom, sweet master, say?
  And wilt thou kill thy servant, old and poor?
A little longer let me live, I pray;
  A little longer hobble 'round thy door.

For much it glads me to behold this place,
  And house within this hospitable shed;
It glads me more to see my master's face,
  And linger near the spot where I was bred.

For, ah! to think of what we both enjoyed
  In my life's prime, ere I was old and poor,
When from the jocund morn to eve employ'd
  My gracious master on this back I bore.

Thrice told ten years have danc'd on down along,
  Since first these way-worn limbs to thee I gave;
Sweet-smiling years! when both of us were young—
  The kindest master, and the happiest slave.

Nor couldst thou bear to see thy servant bleed,
  Tho' weeping pity has decreed his fate;
Yet, ah! in vain, thy heart for life shall plead,
  If nature has denied a longer date.

Alas! I feel 'tis Nature dooms my death,
  O me! I feel 'tis Pity gives the blow;
Yet ere it falls, ah, Nature! take my breath,
  And my kind master shall no sorrow know.

HINTS FOR HORSE OWNERS.

Sunflower Seed for Horses.—The sunflower seed is very healthy feed for the horse, and should be given in quantities about half a pint a day during the winter and spring, which will cause them to have a sleek coat, and will keep them in good health and spirit. It is considered by many who have tried it to be a preventative of heaves, and several have claimed to have cured heaves with it, as well as coughs and distemper. When used for heaves, mix two bushels of oats and one of the seed, and have it ground, then feed two quarts of the mixture, wet with water, three times a day. Always remember to feed hay and water as we direct in the treatment of heaves in another place.

A Horse's Foot. — A horse with a poor foot is many times almost worthless. One of the most frequent causes of poor feet is in allowing the blacksmith to pare the hoof too much, especially the frog, which *never should be pared* under any circumstances.

Balky Horses. — The most effectual method of starting a balky horse is to divert his attention so he will forget that he does not wish to draw the load. This may be done in various ways. A stout string twisted around the foreleg, so as to cause some pain, and to stop the circulation for a short time, may have this result. Unhitch the horse from the load, and turn him around rapidly several times until he becomes dizzy. Tie a string around the ear. Give a handful of grass, or a lump of earth or sugar, or, in fact, anything but whipping, which will have the effect to divert the attention so the horse will forget his work.

Bots Destroyed by Feeding Potatoes. — It is claimed by some that bots will not live but a short time if placed in grated potato, and that horses have been relieved from attacks of bots by simply feeding four or six quarts of potatoes. At all events, it is well known that potatoes fed once a week are excellent for horses.

The Quantity of Food Required for a Horse. — For ordinary work, a horse of average size should be fed 12 pounds of oats, or other grain food, and 15 to 18 pounds of good hay; but, if driven on the road, 2 or 3 pounds of hay, morning and noon, and 8 or 10 at night, with the same quantity of grain.

Lice on Cattle, Horses, or Dogs. — To rid an animal of lice, apply a small quantity (the size of an ordinary pill) of mercurial ointment to some part which the animal can not lick.

Charcoal for Fowls. — Place an ear of ripe corn into the fire, and allow it to remain until it has become well charred, and feed this to your fowls. It is much better than ordinary charcoal, and will give health and vigor.

Black-Leg. — This disease attacks young and thriving stock, and usually proves fatal unless seen and treated early. The symptoms are those of plethora, fever, and halting on one limb. Give at once half a pound of epsom salts and a teaspoonful of ginger. It is claimed by some that saltpetre, given occasionally, is a preventative, or, if given in large doses, after the attack, in quantities varying from one to four teaspoonfuls, according to the age, is quite sure to effect a cure.

Hoven, Drum-belly, or Clover Bloat. — This is a bloating of cattle, caused by overfilling the paunch, and in too quick a time, before the stomach has time to act upon it. The symptoms are swelling of the whole left side of the belly.

Treatment should begin as soon as possible by giving, every fifteen minutes, one teaspoonful of pulverized charcoal in a pint of water. If the case should prove to be one which would not yield to the above treatment, then tap the bloated animal by plunging a sharp knife into the left side in a downward and inward direction from a point equally distant from the hip-bone, the last rib and the lateral processes of the backbone. The knife should remain in the opening until a quill can be inserted for the gas to pass through, when it can be withdrawn. Care should be taken not to let go of the quill. A trocar and cannula can usually be obtained from a physician, which is the best instrument that can possibly be obtained for this purpose.

Sulphur for Animals. — When taken internally in quantities of about a teaspoonful once a week with food, sulphur will keep all kinds of animals free from lice, and promotes the general health. One teaspoonful is sufficient for ten or twelve hens, or three or four sheep or pigs. The same quantity of charcoal can be combined with it with good results.

VALUABLE RECEIPTS.

Heaves.

No. 1. — Sunflower seed, 1 bushel; oats, 2 bushels. Mix, and grind together, and feed two quarts of the mixture three times a day. Give hay and water as directed in treating heaves.

No. 2. — Liquorice, elecampane, wild turnip, fenugreek, skunk-cabbage, lobelia, cayenne, and ginger, equal parts of each. Mix, and give a tablespoonful once or twice a day. If the horse refuses to eat it in feed, make it into a ball and give.

No. 3. — Assafoetida, pulverized, 1 ounce; camphor-gum, pulverized, ½ ounce. Mix, and divide into four powders; feed one every other night for a week.

No. 4. — A horseman with whom I am acquainted says he has cured several cases of heaves with oil tar. He gives the ordinary case a teaspoonful every night, or every other night, by pouring it on to the tongue, and then giving some grain, which carries it into the stomach.

He says he has given very bad cases two or three tablespoonfuls at a dose, with grand results.

He reports it to be the best remedy in use, and also good for any cough, or to put a horse in good condition; in fact, it is his "cure all."

Contracted Hoof or Sore Feet.

No. 1. — Take equal parts of soft fat, beeswax, linseed-oil, Venice turpentine, and Norway tar; first melt the wax, then add the others, mixing thoroughly. Apply to the edge of the hair once a day.

No. 2. — Take of castor oil, Barbadoes tar and soft soap, equal parts of each, melt all together and stir while cooling, and apply a little to the hoof 3 or 4 times a week.

For Scratches and Grease Heel.

No. 1. — Take of oxide of zinc, 1 drachm; lard, 1 ounce; powdered gum benzoin, ten grains; camphorated spirits, 1 drachm. Mix thoroughly and rub on twice a week. Do not wash after the first application.

No. 2. — It has been reported to us that Kendall's Spavin Cure, applied twice a day, after washing as above, will always effect a cure when other remedies fail. It is well usually to give condition powers: saltpetre, 4 ounces; sulphur, 8 ounces; copperas, 4 ounces; fenugreek, 12 ounces; gentian, 4 ounces. Mix, and give a tablespoonful twice a day.

Condition Powders.

No. 1. — Gentian, fenugreek, sulphur, salpetre, cream of tartar, of each two ounces; rosin, black antimony, of each 1 ounce; ginger, liquorice, 3 ounces each; cayenne, 1 ounce, pulverized and mixed thoroughly; dose. 1 tablespoonful once or twice a day, mixed with the feed; used with good success for coughs, colds, distemper, hide bound, and nearly all diseases for which condition powders are given.

No. 2. — Fenugreek, 4 ounces; ginger, 6 ounces; anise, pulverized, 4 ounces; gentian, 2 ounces; black antimony, 2 ounces; hard-wood ashes, 4 ounces; mix all together; excellent to give a horse an appetite.

No. 3. — Liquorice, 4 ounces; fenugreek, 4 ounces; elecampane, 4 ounces; blood root, 1 ounce; tartar emetic, ½ ounce; ginger and cayenne, each, 1 ounce. Mix, and give a tablespoonful two or three times a day in the feed. One of the best condition powders for any cough, cold, distemper or epizoötic; also excellent for heaves. For heaves, 1 ounce of lobelia and camphor may be added.

Liniments for Horses.

No. 1. — Olive oil, 2 ounces; aqua ammonia, 1 ounce. Mix; and add 2 ounces oil origanum; 2 ounces spirits of turpentine; ¼ ounce oil of wormwood; strongest alcohol, 1 pint. This liniment is excellent for any lameness; also good for spavins, ringbones, curbs, etc., if used when they make the first appearance.

No. 2. — Oil of spike, 1 ounce; oil of origanum, 4 ounces; aqua ammonia, 2 ounces; tincture of cayenne pepper, 4 ounces; beef's gall, one gill; camphor gum, 1 ounce; alcohol, 1 pint; mix; used for the same purposes as No. 1.

No. 3. — Best vinegar, 1 quart; saltpetre, pulverized, 4 ounces; wormwood, 4 ounces. Mix, and steep in a dish well covered; strain and press the herbs; valuable for bruises, swellings, and sprains.

No. 4. — For all purposes for which an external liniment is used on any beast, or on human flesh, we never have found anything to equal Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Eyewater.

No. 1. — White vitriol and pure saltpetre, of each one scruple; pure soft water, 8 ounces. Mix. This should be applied to the inflamed lids 3 or 4 times a day, and if the inflammation does not lesson in 1 or 2 days it may be injected directly into the eye.

The writer has used this for his own eyes, reduced half with water and dropped directly into the eye, which would cause the eye to smart considerably for about five minutes, when he would bathe the eye with cold water for a few minutes, and, by repeating this 3 or 4 times a day, it has given the very best of satisfaction.

It does nicely many times to just close the eye and bathe the outside freely.

No. 2. — Sugar of lead, 1 drachm; tincture of opium, 2 drachms; soft water, 1 pint. Mix, and wash the eye 2 or 3 times a day.

For Colic.

No. 1. — Take of gum myrrh, 1 ounce; gum camphor, 1 ounce; powdered gum guaiac, 1 ounce; cayenne, 1 ounce; sassafras bark, powdered, 1 ounce; spirits turpentine, 1 ounce; oil origanum, ½ ounce; oil hemlock, ½ ounce; pulverized opium, ½ ounce; strongest alcohol, 2 quarts; mix all together and shake often for eight or ten days and filter or strain through flannel. Dose from 1 to 3 tablespoonfuls, according to the severity of the case; give in a pint of milk.

We never have known the above remedy to fail of giving relief when given for colic, in horses. In many cases where it has been used it has given immediate relief even though various other remedies had failed of giving any relief.

It makes one of the very best of Pain Killers for family use, and we advise all to keep it on hand.

No. 2. — Take of laudanum, 1 ounce; spirits of turpentine, 1½ ounces. Mix, and give at one dose, in three times the amount of warm water.

No. 3. — Sulphuric ether, 1½ ounces; laudanum, 1 ounce; essence peppermint, 2 ounces; water, 16 ounces; mix, and shake well before giving.

Cuts, Wounds, and Sores.

No. 1. — Take of lard, 4 ounces; beeswax, 4 ounces; rosin, 2 ounces; carbolic acid, ½ ounce. Mix the three first and melt, then add the carbolic acid, stirring until cool. This is excellent for man as well as beast.

No. 2. — Tincture opium, 2 ounces; tannin, ½ ounce. Mix.

No. 3. — Carbolic acid, 1 ounce; soft water, 1 quart. Mix.

No. 4. — For cuts, bruises, wounds, or sores, apply Kendall's Spavin Cure, which is one of the best applications for this purpose known either for beast or man.

Poll Evil and Fistula.

No. 1. — Copperas, 1 drachm; blue vitriol, 2 drachms; common salt, 2 drachms; white vitriol, 1 drachm; mix, and powder fine. Fill a goose-quill with the powder, and push it to the bottom of the pipe, having a stick in the top of the quill, so that you can push the powder out of the quill, leaving it at the bottom of the pipe; repeat again in about four days and in two or three days from that time you can take hold of the pipe and remove it without trouble.

No. 2. — Take a small piece of lunar caustic, place in the pipe, after being cleansed with soap-suds, then fill the hole with sweet-oil.

No. 3. — Fill the sore to the bottom with ashes from burnt corn-cobs; repeat two or three times if necessary, or until a cure is effected.

Bots.

Take new milk, 2 quarts; syrup, 1 quart. Mix, and give the whole; and, in fifteen or twenty minutes after, give [illegible] of warm, strong sage tea; half an hour after the tea, give 1 quart of raw linseed-oil, or if the oil cannot be had, give lard instead.

Saddle and Harness Galls, Bruises, Etc.

No. 1. — Tincture of opium, 2 ounces; tannin, 2 drachms. Mix, and apply twice a day.

No. 2. — Apply directly into the sore Kendall's Spavin Cure, as it has been tried repeatedly with the very best of results.

Anodyne Drenches.

No. 1. — Tincture of opium, 1 ounce; starch gruel, 1 quart. Mix.

No. 2. — Sweet spirits of nitre, 1 ounce; tincture of opium, 1 ounce; essence of peppermint, ½ ounce; water, 1 pint. Mix.

No. 3. — Tincture of opium, 1 ounce; spirits of camphor, ½ ounce; anise, ½ oz.; sulphuric-ether, 1 ounce; water, 1 pint. Mix.

Farcy and Glanders.

No. 1. — Iodide of Potassium, 1½ drachms; copperas, ½ drachm; ginger, 1 drachm; gentian, 3 drachms; powdered gum arabic and syrup, to form a ball.

No. 2. — Calomel, ½ drachm; turpentine, ½ ounce; blue vitriol, 1 drachm; gum arabic and syrup, to form a ball.

No. 3. — ½ ounce sulphite of soda; 5 grains Spanish flies, powdered. Mix, and give at night in cut feed for several weeks; give at the same time, every morning and noon, 3 drachms powdered gentian, 2 drachms powdered blue vitriol; give the medicines for a long time; feed well. This is the best treatment that can be given for these diseases.

Fever Balls.

No. 1. — Saltpetre, 2½ drachms; tartar emetic, ½ drachm; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce; camphor, ½ drachm; ginger, 2 drachms. Mix, and form into a ball; repeat three or four times a day, if necessary.

No. 2. — Tincture of aconite, 10 drops; tartar emetic, ½ drachm; saltpetre, ½ drachm; ginger, 2 drachms; linseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix, and form into a ball; repeat three or four times a day if necessary.

Diuretic Balls.

No. 1. — Saltpetre, 3 drachms; rosin, 4 drachms; castile soap, 2 drachms; fenugreek, 3 drachms; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix, and form into a ball.

No. 2. — Oil of juniper, ½ drachm, rosin and saltpetre, each, 2 drachms; camphor, ½ drachm; castile soap, 1 ounce; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix, and form into a ball.

Cordial Ball.

No. 1. — Camphor, 1 drachm; anise, 3 drachms; tincture of opium, 1 ounce; powdered extract of liquorice, 3 drachms; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix.

Astringent and Cordial.

No. 1. — Opium, 12 grains; camphor, ½ drachm; catechu, 1 drachm. Mix.

No. 2. — Opium, 10 grains; camphor, 1 drachm; ginger, 2 drachms; castile soap, 2 drachms; anise, 3 drachms; liquorice, 2 drachms. Mix.

Cough Mixtures.

No. 1. — Oil of tar, given as directed for treatment of heaves, is one of the best remedies for nearly all coughs.

No. 2. — Take of alcohol, ½ pint; balsam of fir, 2 ounces. Mix well, and add all the tar it will cut. Shake well before using. Dose from one to two teaspoonfuls two or three times a day.

Cracked Heels.

Tar, 8 ounces; beeswax, 1 ounce; rosin, 1 ounce; alum, 1 ounce; tallow, 1 ounce; sulphate of iron, 1 ounce; carbolic acid, 1 drachm; mix, and boil over a slow fire. Skim off the filth, and add 2 ounces of the scrapings of sweet elder.

Thrush.

No. 1. — Wash the feet well with castile soap and water, and sprinkle a small quantity of pulverized blue vitriol in the cleft, and then fill up all the cavities with cotton and press it in so as to keep out all dirt, and repeat as often as necessary until the cure is complete.

No. 2. — Blue vitriol and copperas, of each 1 ounce; burnt alum, 2 ounces; white vitriol, ½ ounce. Mix.

Nasal Gleet.

No. 1. — Copperas, 2 ounces; pulverized gentian, 3 ounces; elecampane, 1 ounce; linseed meal, 3 ounces. Mix, and give from ½ to 1 tablespoonful twice a day.

No. 2. — Aloes, 6 ounces; pulverized nux vomica, 8 drachms; flaxseed meal, 4 ounces. Make into eight powders, and give one or two each day.

Water Farcy.

No. 1. — Saltpetre, 2 ounces; copperas, 2 ounces; ginger, 1 ounce; fenugreek, 2 ounces; anise, ½ ounce; gentian, 1 ounce. Mix and divide into eight powders; give two or three each day.

No. 2. — Gentian, 1 ounce; ginger, ½ ounce; anise, 1 ounce; elecampane, 2 ounces; blue vitriol, 1 ounce; flaxseed meal, 2 ounces; saltpetre, 2 ounces. Mix, and divide into eight powders. Moderate daily exercise and rubbing the limbs are useful.

Healing Preparations.

No. 1. — Carbolic acid, 1 ounce; soft water, 2 pints. Mix.

No. 2. — White vitriol, 1 ounce; soft water, 2 pints. Mix.

No. 3. — Tincture of opium, 1 ounce; tannin, 1 drachm. Mix, and shake well before using. Excellent for galls of collar, saddle; or, in fact, for any purpose requiring a healing astringent.

Healing Mixture.

Cosmoline, 8 ounces; carbolic acid, 1 drachm. Mix. This is one of the very best of mixtures for any sore, especially for such cases as are inclined not to heal readily.

To Cure Mange.

Oil Tar, 1 ounce; lac sulphur, 1½ ounces; whale oil, 2 ounces. Mix. Rub a little on the skin wherever the disease appears, and continue daily, for a week, then wash off with castile soap and warm water.

To Grow Hair.

Mix sweet-oil, 1 pint; sulphur, 3 ounces. Shake well, and rub well into the dock twice a week.

For Worms.

Calomel, 1 drachm; tartar emetic, ½ drachm; linseed meal, 1 ounce; fenugreek, 1 ounce. Mix, and give in feed at night, and repeat the dose for two or three times, and follow with 1½ pints of raw linseed-oil, about 5 hours after the last powder has been given.

Grease Heal.

Chloride of zinc, 1½ drachms; water, 10 ounces; glycerine, 8 ounces. Mix. If there is much discharge, apply a poultice for several hours, followed by application of the above, after cleansing well with soft water and castile soap. The following powders should be given at the same time in the feed every night, for a week or two: Bicarbonate of soda, 1 ounce; arsenic, 1 drachm; iodide of iron, ½ ounce; fenugreek, 2 ounces; ginger, 2 ounces; elecampane, 1 ounce. Mix thoroughly and divide into 12 powders.

For Distemper.

Hops, 2 ounces; carbolic acid, 30 drops; boiling water, 2 gallons. Mix the hops and carbolic acid with the boiling water, and compel the animal to inhale the steam for 15 or 20 minutes at a time, and repeat three times a day. Apply a strong mustard paste to the throat, and place a warm poultice over the paste. Feed warm mashes and boiled vegetables; keep the stable comfortably warm and the air pure. Give the following powders once a day: Powdered Peruvian bark, 2 ounces; powdered gentian, 1 ounce; powdered copperas, 1 ounce. Mix, and divided into 8 powders.

Thrush.

Take white vitriol, 2 ounces; soft water, 8 ounces. Mix, and apply to the diseased surface, after the ragged parts have been cut away and thoroughly cleansed. Pack the cavities with cotton batting, so as to keep out all dirt.

For Ringworm.

Apply mercurial ointment 3 or 4 times a week.

The above cut is a good representation of the New Laboratory and Manufactory of B. J. Kendall & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt., proprietors of the celebrated Kendall's Spavin Cure.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The great success which has been achieved with Kendall's Spavin Cure, in all parts of the United States, has never before been equalled, and is now considered by the first veterinary surgeons and most extensive horse owners in the country, to be the grandest discovery in veterinary science of the nineteenth century.

It is giving the very best satisfaction wherever used.

It does not blister or cause any sore, which makes it a desirable liniment for use on man as well as on beast, and it is sure in its effect.

It has no equal, to our knowledge, for spavins, splints, ringbone-curb, callous, sprains, swellings, galls, lameness, from whatever cause, in any part of the body or limbs, and is also good for cuts, scratches, wounds, etc.

As a household liniment it has no equal; its effect on human flesh is marvellous. It is used with the most gratifying results in cases of lameness or any deep-seated pains—as in rheumatism, sprains, strains, burns, bruises, frost-bites, corns, etc.

The increased demand for Kendall's Spavin Cure, within the past three years, has compelled the proprietors to build the large and commodious building, represented above, in which they manufacture and bottle the Spavin Cure. The building is especially adapted to their use, containing offices, and private offices, advertising, printing, manufacturing, bottling, and packing departments, and now even the Company with this spacious building, are finding themselves barely able to meet the great demand made on them for their preparations, and at an early day they expect to have to enlarge their laboratories, as now a large amount of their work has to be done outside.

Much could be said to show the great success already achieved, but we give below copies of a few letters from prominent men who have used the Spavin Cure, which shows plainly, in a few words, what reputation it has, by parties who are perfectly familiar with it.

Office of G. W. Voorhis, Proprietor Hamtramck Driving Park and Park House.

DETROIT, MICH., April 12, 1881.

B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — The "Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases" you sent me is at hand, and think it a first-class book.

Your Kendall's Spavin Cure I have used for the last three years, and think it the best medicine I ever saw for Spavin and Splint, and will freely recommend it to my friends.

Yours Respectfully, G. W. VOORHIS.

FROM COL. L. T. FOSTER.

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO, May 10, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt which I prized very highly. He had a large bone-spavin on one joint and a small one on the other, which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons, who failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the "Chicago Express." I determined at once to try it, and got our druggists here to send for it. They ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to directions, and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame, and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle, and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the State. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles, who are now using it.

Very Respectfully, L. T. FOSTER.

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

WASHINGTONVILLE, OHIO, June 17, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — Reading your advertisement in "Turf, Field, and Farm," of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement, and a large splint from another horse, and both horses are to-day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours, H. A. BERTOLETT, M.D.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

ZIONSVILLE, IND., Nov. 31, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — I have your valuable Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, and your Kendall's Spavin Cure. My horses have the epizootic. One of them could not swallow for two days. I applied your Kendall's Spavin Cure twice to her throat and it gave most instant relief. I think I could sell 1,000 of your books. Please give prices to agents.

Yours truly, PETER BOWEN.

HARRISBURG, PA., Nov. 18, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — I have a very fine mare that has had a bone spavin for a long time. I tried every thing man could devise to cure it, but all in vain, and was about to give it up when a friend of mine in this city came to me and recommended Kendall's Spavin Cure, which I tried with grand results, removing that bone clear and clean; and I sent 25 cents to you for one of your illustrated Horse Books, and I think there is no better book printed on the horse and his diseases. I have taken great interest in it and have since sold 18 copies for you to my neighbors, and will try and do what good I can by getting them for others.

Yours truly, G. W. MILLER.

STATEMENT MADE UNDER OATH.

To whom It May Concern: — In the year 1876, I treated with "Kendall's Spavin Cure," a bone spavin of several months' growth, nearly half as large as a hen's egg, and completely stopped the lameness and removed the enlargement. I have worked the horse ever since very hard, and he never has been lame, nor could I ever see any difference in the size of the hock-joints since I treated him with "Kendall's Spavin Cure." R. A. GAINES.

ENOSBURGH FALLS, VT., Feb. 25, 1879.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 25th day of Feb., A.D. 1879. JOHN G. JENNE, Justice of the Peace.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

FREMONT, OHIO, Jan. 25, 1881.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — I think it my duty to render you my thanks for benefits and profits which I have derived from your invaluable and far-famed "Kendall's Spavin Cure." My cousin and I had a valuable stallion, worth $4,000, which had a very bad spavin, and was pronounced by four eminent veterinary surgeons beyond any cure, and that the horse was done for ever. As a last resort, I advised my cousin to try a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. It had a magical effect; the third bottle cured it, and the horse is as well as ever. Dr. Dick, of Edinburgh, the eminent veterinary surgeon, was an uncle of mine, and I take great interest in assisting his profession.

Yours truly, JAMES A. WILSON, *Civil Engineer.*

On Human Flesh.

We feel confident that we speak the truth when we say that no liniment was ever discovered that works so well on human flesh as *Kendall's Spavin Cure.*

ALBANY, N.Y., Sept. 25, 1880.

B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — Enclosed find 25 cents for your recently published horse book, the revised edition. I have used your Kendall's Spavin Cure, in bad cases, with very fine results, and I would not be without it for four times the amount per bottle. It is equally as well for man as for beast. I fell from a high tree about four years ago, and have complained of my back ever since, until about two months ago I began using your Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have not been able to complain since. My doctor says that he had expected me to be a cripple for life, as he could not do anything for my spine. Please to send the book to

CHARLES L. OOTHOUT, ALBANY, N.Y.

BAKERSFIELD, VT., Dec. 28, 1880.

B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — In the spring of 1862 I slipped on the ice and sprained my right limb at the knee-joint. I was very lame, and at times have suffered the most excruciating pain since. In April, 1878, I began to think I should be a cripple for life. I used one-third of a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and experienced relief at once. I feel very grateful to you, and would recommend Kendall's Spavin Cure to all who suffer with sprains or rheumatism.

Yours truly, MRS. J. BOUTELL.

SAVANNAH, GA., Dec. 22, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — Enclosed please find 25 cents for which send me one of your new horse books, and oblige. I have tried your Kendall's Spavin Cure in a case of rheumatic gout, and find it an excellent remedy.

Yours, etc., etc., J. W. HUNT.

WEST ENOSBURGH, VT., Feb. 15, 1881.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., *Gents:* — Several months ago I injured my knee-joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a large walnut, and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure, with the most satisfactory results. It has completely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses, but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly, T. P. LAWRENCE.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

Is sure in its effects, mild in its action, as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep-seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, callous, sprains, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man and for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which, we think, gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

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OUR SUPPLEMENT.

THE SUPERANNUATED HORSE TO HIS MASTER.

The following verses were found in a collection of "Epigrams, etc.," one hundred and fifty years old.
The master is said to have been Rev. Mr. Potter, of Scarning, in Norfolk, England.

And must thou fix my doom, sweet master, say?
And wilt thou kill thy servant, old and poor?
A little longer let me live, I pray;
A little longer hobble 'round thy door.

For much it glads me to behold this place,
And house within this hospitable shed;
It glads me more to see my master's face,
And linger near the spot where I was bred.

For, ah! to think of what we both enjoyed
In my life's prime, ere I was old and poor,
When from the jocund morn to eve employ'd
My gracious master on this back I bore.

Thrice told ten years have danc'd on down along,
Since first these way-worn limbs to thee I gave;
Sweet-smiling years! when both of us were young—
The kindest master, and the happiest slave.

Nor could'st thou bear to see thy servant bleed,
Tho' weeping pity has decreed his fate;
Yet, ah! in vain, thy heart for life shall plead,
If nature has denied a longer date.

Alas! I feel 'tis Nature dooms my death,
O me! I feel 'tis Pity gives the blow;
Yet ere it falls, ah, Nature! take my breath,
And my kind master shall no sorrow know.

HINTS FOR HORSE OWNERS.

Sunflower Seed for Horses.—The sunflower seed is very healthy feed for the horse, and should be given in quantities about half a pint a day during the winter and spring, which will cause them to have a sleek coat, and will keep them in good health and spirit. It is considered by many who have tried it to be a preventative of heaves, and several have claimed to have cured heaves with it, as well as coughs and distemper. When used for heaves, mix two bushels of oats and one of the seed, and have it ground, then feed two quarts of the mixture, wet with water, three times a day. Always remember to feed hay and water as we direct in the treatment of heaves in another place.

A Horse's Foot. — A horse with a poor foot is many times almost worthless. One of the most frequent causes of poor feet is in allowing the blacksmith to pare the hoof too much, especially the frog, which *never should be pared* under any circumstances.

Balky Horses. — The most effectual method of starting a balky horse is to divert his attention so he will forget that he does not wish to draw the load. This may be done in various ways. A stout string twisted around the foreleg, so as to cause some pain, and to stop the circulation for a short time, may have this result. Unhitch the horse from the load, and turn him around rapidly several times until he becomes dizzy. Tie a string around the ear. Give a handful of grass, or a lump of earth or sugar, or, in fact, anything but whipping, which will have the effect to divert the attention so the horse will forget his work.

Bots Destroyed by Feeding Potatoes. — It is claimed by some that bots will not live but a short time if placed in grated potato, and that horses have been relieved from attacks of bots by simply feeding four or six quarts of potatoes. At all events, it is well known that potatoes fed once a week are excellent for horses.

The Quantity of Food Required for a Horse. — For ordinary work, a horse of average size should be fed 12 pounds of oats, or other grain food, and 15 to 18 pounds of good hay; but, if driven on the road, 2 or 3 pounds of hay, morning and noon, and 8 or 10 at night, with the same quantity of grain.

Lice on Cattle, Horses, or Dogs. — To rid an animal of lice, apply a small quantity (the size of an ordinary pill) of mercurial ointment to some part which the animal can not lick.

Charcoal for Fowls. — Place an ear of ripe corn into the fire, and allow it to remain until it has become well charred, and feed this to your fowls. It is much better than ordinary charcoal, and will give health and vigor.

Black-Leg. — This disease attacks young and thriving stock, and usually proves fatal unless seen and treated early. The symptoms are those of plethora, fever, and halting on one limb. Give at once half a pound of epsom salts and a teaspoonful of ginger. It is claimed by some that saltpetre, given occasionally, is a preventative, or, if given in large doses, after the attack, in quantities varying from one to four teaspoonfuls, according to the age, is quite sure to effect a cure.

Hoven, Drum-belly, or Clover Bloat. — This is a bloating of cattle, caused by overfilling the paunch, and in too quick a time, before the stomach has time to act upon it. The symptoms are swelling of the whole left side of the belly.

Treatment should begin as soon as possible by giving, every fifteen minutes, one teaspoonful of pulverized charcoal in a pint of water. If the case should prove to be one which would not yield to the above treatment, then *tap the bloated animal* by plunging a sharp knife into the left side in a downward and inward direction from a point equally distant from the hip-bone, the last rib and the lateral processes of the backbone. The knife should remain in the opening until a quill can be inserted for the gas to pass through, when it can be withdrawn. Care should be taken not to let go of the quill. A trocar and cannula can usually be obtained from a physician, which is the best instrument that can possibly be obtained for this purpose.

Sulphur for Animals. — When taken internally in quantities of about a teaspoonful once a week with food, sulphur will keep all kinds of animals free from lice, and promotes the general health. One teaspoonful is sufficient for ten or twelve hens, or three or four sheep or pigs. The same quantity of charcoal can be combined with it with good results.

VALUABLE RECEIPTS.

Heaves.

No. 1. — Sunflower seed, 1 bushel; oats, 2 bushels. Mix, and grind together, and feed two quarts of the mixture three times a day. Give hay and water as directed in treating heaves.

No. 2. — Liquorice, elecampane, wild turnip, fenugreek, skunk-cabbage, lobelia, cayenne, and ginger, equal parts of each. Mix, and give a tablespoonful once or twice a day. If the horse refuses to eat it in food, make it into a ball and give.

No. 3. — Assafoetida, pulverized, 1 ounce; camphor-gum, pulverized, ½ ounce. Mix, and divide into four powders; feed one every other night for a week.

No. 4. — A horseman with whom I am acquainted says he has cured several cases of heaves with oil tar. He gives the ordinary case a teaspoonful every night, or every other night, by pouring it on to the tongue, and then giving some grain, which carries it into the stomach.

He says he has given very bad cases two or three tablespoonfuls at a dose, with grand results.

He reports it to be the best remedy in use, and also good for any cough, or to put a horse in good condition; in fact, it is his "cure all."

Contracted Hoof or Sore Feet.

No. 1. — Take equal parts of soft fat, beeswax, linseed-oil, Venice turpentine, and Norway tar; first melt the wax, then add the others, mixing thoroughly. Apply to the edge of the hair once a day.

No. 2. — Take of castor oil, Barbadoes tar and soft soap, equal parts of each, melt all together and stir while cooling, and apply a little to the hoof 3 or 4 times a week.

For Scratches and Grease Heel.

No. 1. — Take of oxide of zinc, 1 drachm; lard, 1 ounce; powdered gum benzoin, ten grains; camphorated spirits, 1 drachm. Mix thoroughly and rub on twice a week. Do not wash after the first application.

No. 2. — It has been reported to us that Kendall's Spavin Cure, applied twice a day, after washing as above, will always effect a cure when other remedies fail. It is well usually to give condition powers: saltpetre, 4 ounces; sulphur, 8 ounces; copperas, 4 ounces; fenugreek, 12 ounces; gentian, 4 ounces. Mix, and give a tablespoonful twice a day.

Condition Powders.

No. 1. — Gentian, fenugreek, sulphur, salpetre, cream of tartar, of each two ounces; rosin, black antimony, of each 1 ounce; ginger, liquorice, 3 ounces each; cayenne, 1 ounce, pulverized and mixed thoroughly; dose. 1 tablespoonful once or twice a day, mixed with the feed; used with good success for coughs, colds, distemper, hide bound, and nearly all diseases for which condition powders are given.

No. 2. — Fenugreek, 4 ounces; ginger, 6 ounces; anise, pulverized, 4 ounces; gentian, 2 ounces; black antimony, 2 ounces; hard-wood ashes, 4 ounces; mix all together; excellent to give a horse an appetite.

No. 3. — Liquorice, 4 ounces; fenugreek, 4 ounces; elecampane, 4 ounces; blood root, 1 ounce; tartar emetic, ¼ ounce; ginger and cayenne, each, 1 ounce. Mix, and give a tablespoonful two or three times a day in the feed. One of the best condition powders for any cough, cold, distemper or epizoötic; also excellent for heaves. For heaves, 1 ounce of lobelia and camphor may be added.

Liniments for Horses.

No. 1. — Olive oil, 2 ounces; aqua ammonia, 1 ounce. Mix; and add 2 ounces oil origanum; 2 ounces spirits of turpentine; ¼ ounce oil of wormwood; strongest alcohol, 1 pint. This liniment is excellent for any lameness; also good for spavins, ringbones, curbs, etc., if used when they make the first appearance.

No. 2. — Oil of spike, 1 ounce; oil of origanum, 4 ounces; aqua ammonia, 2 ounces; tincture of cayenne pepper, 4 ounces; beef's gall, one gill; camphor gum, 1 ounce; alcohol, 1 pint; mix; used for the same purposes as No. 1.

No. 3. — Best vinegar, 1 quart; saltpetre, pulverized, 4 ounces; wormwood, 4 ounces. Mix, and steep in a dish well covered; strain and press the herbs; valuable for bruises, swellings, and sprains.

No. 4. — For all purposes for which an external liniment is used on any beast, or on human flesh, we never have found anything to equal Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Eyewater.

No. 1. — White vitriol and pure saltpetre, of each one scruple; pure soft water, 8 ounces. Mix. This should be applied to the inflamed lids 3 or 4 times a day, and if the inflammation does not lessen in 1 or 2 days it may be injected directly into the eye.

The writer has used this for his own eyes, reduced half with water and dropped directly into the eye, which would cause the eye to smart considerably for about five minutes, when he would bathe the eye with cold water for a few minutes, and, by repeating this 3 or 4 times a day, it has given the very best of satisfaction.

It does nicely many times to just close the eye and bathe the outside freely.

No. 2. — Sugar of lead, 1 drachm; tincture of opium, 2 drachms; soft water, 1 pint. Mix, and wash the eye 2 or 3 times a day.

For Colic.

No. 1. — Take of gum myrrh, 1 ounce; gum camphor, 1 ounce; powdered gum guaiac, 1 ounce; cayenne, 1 ounce; sassafras bark, powdered, 1 ounce; spirits turpentine, 1 ounce; oil origanum, ½ ounce; oil hemlock, ½ ounce; pulverized opium, ½ ounce; strongest alcohol, 2 quarts; mix all together and shake often for eight or ten days and filter or strain through flannel. Dose from 1 to 3 tablespoonfuls, according to the severity of the case; give in a pint of milk.

We never have known the above remedy to fail of giving relief when given for colic, in horses. In many cases where it has been used it has given immediate relief even though various other remedies had failed of giving any relief.

It makes one of the very best of Pain Killers for family use, and we advise all to keep it on hand.

No. 2. — Take of laudanum, 1 ounce; spirits of turpentine, 1½ ounces. Mix, and give at one dose, in three times the amount of warm water.

No. 3. — Sulphuric ether, 1½ ounces; laudanum, 1 ounce; essence peppermint, 2 ounces; water, 16 ounces; mix, and shake well before giving.

Cuts, Wounds, and Sores.

No. 1. — Take of lard, 4 ounces; beeswax, 4 ounces; rosin, 2 ounces; carbolic acid, ½ ounce. Mix the three first and melt, then add the carbolic acid, stirring until cool. This is excellent for man as well as beast.

No. 2. — Tincture opium, 2 ounces; tannin, ½ ounce. Mix.

No. 3. — Carbolic acid, 1 ounce; soft water, 1 quart. Mix.

No. 4. — For cuts, bruises, wounds, or sores, apply Kendall's Spavin Cure, which is one of the best applications for this purpose known either for beast or man.

Poll Evil and Fistula.

No. 1. — Copperas, 1 drachm; blue vitriol, 2 drachms; common salt, 2 drachms; white vitriol, 1 drachm; mix, and powder fine. Fill a goose-quill with the powder, and push it to the bottom of the pipe, having a stick in the top of the quill, so that you can push the powder out of the quill, leaving it at the bottom of the pipe; repeat again in about four days, and in two or three days from that time you can take hold of the pipe and remove it, without trouble.

No. 2. — Take a small piece of lunar caustic, place in the pipe, after being cleansed with soap-suds, then fill the hole with sweet-oil.

No. 3. — Fill the sore to the bottom with ashes from burnt corn-cobs; repeat two or three times if necessary, or until a cure is effected.

Bots.

Take new milk, 2 quarts; syrup, 1 quart. Mix, and give the whole; and, in fifteen or twenty minutes after, give 2 quarts of warm, strong sage tea; half an hour after the tea, give 1 quart of raw linseed-oil, or if the oil cannot be had, give lard instead.

Saddle and Harness Galls, Bruises, Etc.

No. 1. — Tincture of opium, 2 ounces; tannin, 2 drachms. Mix, and apply twice a day.

No. 2. — Apply directly into the sore Kendall's Spavin Cure, as it has been tried repeatedly with the very best of results.

Anodyne Drenches.

No. 1. — Tincture of opium, 1 ounce; starch gruel, 1 quart. Mix.

No. 2. — Sweet spirits of nitre, 1 ounce; tincture of opium, 1 ounce; essence of peppermint, ½ ounce; water, 1 pint. Mix.

No. 3. — Tincture of opium, 1 ounce; spirits of camphor, ½ ounce; anise, ½ oz.; sulphuric ether, 1 ounce; water, 1 pint. Mix.

Farcy and Glanders.

No. 1. — Iodide of potassium, 1½ drachms; copperas, ½ drachm; ginger, 1 drachm; gentian, 2 drachms; powdered gum arabic and syrup, to form a ball.

No. 2. — Calomel, ½ drachm; turpentine, ½ ounce; blue vitriol, 1 drachm; gum arabic and syrup, to form a ball.

No. 3. — ½ ounce sulphite of soda; 8 grains Spanish flies, powdered. Mix, and give at night in cut feed for several weeks; give at the same time, every morning and noon, 3 drachms powdered gentian, 2 drachms powdered blue vitriol; give the medicines for a long time; feed well. This is the best treatment that can be given for these diseases.

Fever Balls.

No. 1. — Saltpetre, 2½ drachms; tartar emetic, ½ drachm; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce; camphor, ½ drachm; ginger, 2 drachms. Mix, and form into a ball; repeat three or four times a day, if necessary.

No. 2. — Tincture of aconite, 10 drops; tartar emetic, ½ drachm; saltpetre, 1 drachm; ginger, 2 drachms; linseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix, and form into a ball; repeat three or four times a day if necessary.

Diuretic Balls.

No. 1. — Saltpetre, 3 drachms; rosin, 4 drachms; castile soap, 2 drachms; fenugreek, 3 drachms; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix, and form into a ball.

No. 2. — Oil of juniper, ½ drachm, rosin and saltpetre, each, 2 drachms; camphor, ½ drachm; castile soap, 1 ounce; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix, and form into a ball.

Cordial Ball.

No. 1. — Camphor, 1 drachm; anise, 3 drachms; tincture of opium, 1 ounce; powdered extract of liquorice, 3 drachms; flaxseed meal, 1 ounce. Mix.

Astringent and Cordial.

No. 1. — Opium, 12 grains; camphor, ½ drachm; catechu, 1 drachm. Mix.

No. 2. — Opium, 10 grains; camphor, 1 drachm; ginger, 2 drachms; castile soap, 2 drachms; anise, 3 drachms; liquorice, 2 drachms. Mix.

Cough Mixtures.

No. 1. — Oil of tar, given as directed for treatment of heaves, is one of the best remedies for nearly all coughs.

No. 2. — Take of alcohol, ½ pint; balsam of fir, 2 ounces. Mix well, and add all the tar it will cut. Shake well before using. Dose from one to two teaspoonfuls two or three times a day.

Cracked Heels.

Tar, 8 ounces; beeswax, 1 ounce; rosin, 1 ounce; alum, 1 ounce; tallow, 1 ounce; sulphate of iron, 1 ounce; carbolic acid, 1 drachm; mix, and boil over a slow fire. Skim off the filth, and add 2 ounces of the scrapings of sweet elder.

Thrush.

No. 1. — Wash the feet well with castile soap and water, and sprinkle a small quantity of pulverized blue vitriol in the cleft, and then fill up all the cavities with cotton and press it in so as to keep out all dirt, and repeat as often as necessary until the cure is complete.

No. 2. — Blue vitriol and copperas, of each 1 ounce; burnt alum, 2 ounces; white vitriol, ½ ounce. Mix.

Nasal Gleet.

No. 1. — Copperas, 2 ounces; pulverized gentian, 3 ounces; elecampane, 1 ounce; linseed meal, 3 ounces. Mix, and give from ½ to 1 tablespoonful twice a day.

No. 2. — Aloes, 6 ounces; pulverized nux vomica, 3 drachms; flaxseed meal, 4 ounces. Make into eight powders, and give one or two each day.

Water Farcy.

No. 1. — Saltpetre, 2 ounces; copperas, 2 ounces; ginger, 1 ounce; fenugreek, 2 ounces; anise, ½ ounce; gentian, 1 ounce. Mix and divide into eight powders; give two or three each day.

No. 2. — Gentian, 1 ounce; ginger, ½ ounce; anise, 1 ounce; elecampane, 2 ounces; blue vitriol, 1 ounce; flaxseed meal, 2 ounces; saltpetre, 2 ounces. Mix, and divide into eight powders. Moderate daily exercise and rubbing the limbs are useful.

Healing Preparations.

No. 1. — Carbolic acid, 1 ounce; soft water, 2 pints. Mix.

No. 2. — White vitriol, 1 ounce; soft water, 2 pints. Mix.

No. 3. — Tincture of opium, 1 ounce; tannin, 1 drachm. Mix, and shake well before using. Excellent for galls of collar, saddle; or, in fact, for any purpose requiring a healing astringent.

Healing Mixture.

Cosmoline, 8 ounces; carbolic acid, 1 drachm. Mix. This is one of the very best of mixtures for any sore, especially for such cases as are inclined not to heal readily.

To Cure Mange.

Oil Tar, 1 ounce; lac sulphur, 1½ ounces; whale oil, 2 ounces. Mix. Rub a little on the skin wherever the disease appears, and continue daily, for a week, then wash off with castile soap and warm water.

To Grow Hair.

Mix sweet-oil, 1 pint; sulphur, 3 ounces. Shake well, and rub well into the dock twice a week.

For Worms.

Calomel, 1 drachm; tartar emetic, ½ drachm; linseed meal, 1 ounce; fenugreek, 1 ounce. Mix, and give in feed at night, and repeat the dose for two or three times, and follow with 1½ pints of raw linseed-oil, about 6 hours after the last powder has been given.

Grease Heal.

Chloride of zinc, 1½ drachms; water, 10 ounces; glycerine, 8 ounces. Mix. If there is much discharge, apply a poultice for several hours, followed by application of the above, after cleansing well with soft water and castile soap. The following powders should be given at the same time in the feed, every night, for a week or two: Bicarbonate of soda, 1 ounce; arsenic, 1 drachm; iodide of iron, ½ ounce; fenugreek, 2 ounces; ginger, 2 ounces; elecampane, 1 ounce. Mix thoroughly and divide into 12 powders.

For Distemper.

Hops, 2 ounces; carbolic acid, 30 drops; boiling water, 2 gallons. Mix the hops and carbolic acid with the boiling water, and compel the animal to inhale the steam for 15 or 20 minutes at a time, and repeat three times a day. Apply a strong mustard paste to the throat, and place a warm poultice over the paste. Feed warm mashes and boiled vegetables; keep the stable comfortably warm and the air pure. Give the following powders once a day: Powdered Peruvian bark, 2 ounces; powdered gentian, 1 ounce; powdered copperas, 1 ounce. Mix, and divided into 8 powders.

Thrush.

Take white vitriol, 2 ounces; soft water, 8 ounces. Mix, and apply to the diseased surface, after the ragged parts have been cut away and thoroughly cleansed. Pack the cavities with cotton batting, so as to keep out all dirt.

For Ringworm.

Apply mercurial ointment 3 or 4 times a week.

The above cut is a good representation of the New Laboratory and Manufactory of B. J. Kendall & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt., proprietors of the celebrated Kendall's Spavin Cure.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The great success which has been achieved with Kendall's Spavin Cure, in all parts of the United States, has never before been equalled, and is now considered by the first veterinary surgeons and most extensive horse owners in the country, to be the grandest discovery in veterinary science of the nineteenth century.

It is giving the very best satisfaction wherever used.

It does not blister or cause any sore, which makes it a desirable liniment for use on man as well as on beast, and it is sure in its effect.

It has no equal, to our knowledge, for spavins, splints, ringbone-curb, callous, sprains, swellings, galls, lameness, from whatever cause, in any part of the body or limbs, and is also good for cuts, scratches, wounds, etc.

As a household liniment it has no equal; its effect on human flesh is marvellous. It is used with the most gratifying results in cases of lameness or any deep-seated pains — as in rheumatism, sprains, strains, burns, bruises, frost-bites, corns, etc.

The increased demand for Kendall's Spavin Cure, within the past three years, has compelled the proprietors to build the large and commodious building, represented above, in which they manufacture and bottle the Spavin Cure. The building is especially adapted to their use, containing offices, and private offices, advertising, printing, manufacturing, bottling, and packing departments, and now even the Company with this spacious building, are finding themselves barely able to meet the great demand made on them for their preparations, and at an early day they expect to have to enlarge their laboratories, as now a large amount of their work has to be done outside.

Much could be said to show the great success already achieved, but we give below copies of a few letters from prominent men who have used the Spavin Cure, which shows plainly, in a few words, what reputation it has, by parties who are perfectly familiar with it.

Office of G. W. Voorhis, Proprietor Hamtramck Driving Park and Park House,

DETROIT, MICH., April 12, 1881.

B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — The "Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases" you sent me is at hand, and think it a first-class book.

Your Kendall's Spavin Cure I have used for the last three years, and think it the best medicine I ever saw for Spavin and Splint, and will freely recommend it to my friends.

Yours Respectfully, G. W. VOORHIS.

FROM COL. L. T. FOSTER.

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO, May 10, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt which I prized very highly. He had a large bone-spavin on one joint and a small one on the other, which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons, who failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the "Chicago Express." I determined at once to try it, and got our druggists here to send for it. They ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to directions, and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame, and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle, and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the State. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles, who are now using it.

Very Respectfully, L. T. FOSTER.

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

WASHINGTONVILLE, OHIO, June 17, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — Reading your advertisement in "Turf, Field, and Farm," of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement, and a large splint from another horse, and both horses are to-day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours, H. A. BERTOLETT, M.D.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

ZIONSVILLE, IND., Nov. 31, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — I have your valuable Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, and your Kendall's Spavin Cure. My horses have the epizootic. One of them could not swallow for two days. I applied your Kendall's Spavin Cure twice to her throat and it gave most instant relief. I think I could sell 1,000 of your books. Please give prices to agents.

Yours truly, PETER BOWEN.

HARRISBURG, PA., Nov. 18, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — I have a very fine mare that has had a bone spavin for a long time. I tried every thing man could devise to cure it, but all in vain, and was about to give it up when a friend of mine in this city came to me and recommended Kendall's Spavin Cure, which I tried with grand results, removing that bone clear and clean; and I sent 25 cents to you for one of your illustrated Horse Books, and I think there is no better book printed on the horse and his diseases. I have taken great interest in it and have since sold 18 copies for you to my neighbors, and will try and do what good I can by getting them for others.

Yours truly, G. W. MILLER.

STATEMENT MADE UNDER OATH.

To whom It May Concern: — In the year 1875, I treated with "Kendall's Spavin Cure," a bone spavin of several months' growth, nearly half as large as a hen's egg, and completely stopped the lameness and removed the enlargement. I have worked the horse ever since very hard, and he never has been lame, nor could I ever see any difference in the size of the hock-joints since I treated him with "Kendall's Spavin Cure." R. A. GAINES.

ENOSBURGH FALLS, VT., Feb. 25, 1879.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 25th day of Feb., A.D. 1879. JOHN G. JENNE, Justice of the Peace.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

FREMONT, OHIO, Jan. 25, 1881.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — I think it my duty to render you my thanks for benefits and profits which I have derived from your invaluable and far-famed "Kendall's Spavin Cure." My cousin and I had a valuable stallion, worth $4,000, which had a very bad spavin, and was pronounced by four eminent veterinary surgeons beyond any cure, and that the horse was done for ever. As a last resort, I advised my cousin to try a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. It had a magical effect; the third bottle cured it, and the horse is as well as ever. Dr. Dick, of Edinburgh, the eminent veterinary surgeon, was an uncle of mine, and I take great interest in assisting his profession.

Yours truly, JAMES A. WILSON, *Civil Engineer.*

On Human Flesh.

We feel confident that we speak the truth when we say that no liniment was ever discovered that works so well on human flesh as *Kendall's Spavin Cure.*

ALBANY, N.Y., Sept. 25, 1880.

B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — Enclosed find 25 cents for your recently published horse book, the revised edition. I have used your Kendall's Spavin Cure, in bad cases, with very fine results, and I would not be without it for four times the amount per bottle. It is equally as well for man as for beast. I fell from a high tree about four years ago, and have complained of my back ever since, until about two months ago I began using your Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have not been able to complain since. My doctor says that he had expected me to be a cripple for life, as he could not do anything for my spine. Please to send the book to

CHARLES L. OOTHOUT, ALBANY, N.Y.

BAKERSFIELD, VT., Dec. 23, 1880.

B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — In the spring of 1862 I slipped on the ice and sprained my right limb at the knee-joint. I was very lame, and at times have suffered the most excruciating pain since. In April, 1878, I began to think I should be a cripple for life. I used one-third of a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and experienced relief at once. I feel very grateful to you, and would recommend Kendall's Spavin Cure to all who suffer with sprains or rheumatism.

Yours truly, MRS. J. BOUTELL.

SAVANNAH, GA., Dec. 28, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — Enclosed please find 25 cents for which send me one of your new horse books, and oblige. I have tried your Kendall's Spavin Cure in a case of rheumatic gout, and find it an excellent remedy.

Yours, etc., etc., J. W. HUNT.

WEST ENOSBURGH, VT., Feb. 15, 1881.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & CO., *Gents:* — Several months ago I injured my knee-joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a large walnut, and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure, with the most satisfactory results. It has completely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses, but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly, T. P. LAWRENCE.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

Is sure in its effects, mild in its action, as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep-seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, callous, sprains, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man and for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which, we think, gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

Sold by all Druggists.

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GUITEAU TO BE HANGED ON 30th JUNE

AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

REYNOLDS & SON

ARE SELLING OUT THEIR

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6 ...k in your own town. ...$5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital ... We will furnish you every... making fortunes. Ladies ... as men, and boys and girls ... Reader, if you want a busi... can make great pay all the ... write for particulars to H. ... Portland, Maine.

...IONAL ...ILLS Sugar Coated. Purely Vegetable. Highly recommended for Billiousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, ... Breath, Loss of A..., ... Jaundice, Loss of ... Stomach, Liver Com... arising from the Stom... Kidneys. They are safe, ... in their action. ... PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

...T TO THE SUFFERING Household Panacea ... relieving pain, both internal ... It cures pain in the Side, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, ... and any kind of a Pain ... most surely quicken the ... its acting power is won... ...n's Household Panacea," ... has the great Pain Reliever ... the strength of any other ... in the world, should be ... for use when wanted ... best remedy in the world ... Stomach, and Pains and ... and is for sale by all ... a bottle. 20-ly

...thers!! Mothers! ... at night and broken of ... sick child suffering and ... pain of cutting ... once and get a bottle of ... SOOTHING SYRUP. ... poor little sufferer immedi... it; there is no mistake ... not a mother upon earth ... who will not tell you at ... regulate the bowels, and ... and relief and health ... like magic. It is per... all cases, and pleasant to ... prescription of one of ... female physicians and ... States. Sold every... bottle. 90 ly

Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage ... for making money that ... offered, generally become wealthy, while ... who do not improve such chances re... in poverty. We want many men, wo... boys and girls to work for us right in ... own localities. Any one can do the ... properly from the first start. The bus... will pay more than ten times ordinary ... Expensive outfit furnished free. No ... who engages fails to make money rapidly ... can devote your whole time to the work, ... only your spare moments. Full informa... and all that is needed sent free. Address ...son & Co., Portland Maine.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, February 17th 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Lots of mud.

Fine weather.

Snow fast disappearing.

Next Wednesday is Ash Wednesday ... day of Lent.

...sold at a small advance on cost at ...P. Doll's. No peddler's profits.

The Dominion, Patrons of Husbandry met in Toronto on Tuesday, ...inst.

Tenders are being asked for in Dun... for the erection of an Hotel in ... village see. Advertisements.

Remember that Mr. J. J. White ...be at the Revere Hotel on Wednesday next, 22nd inst.

...P. Doll is selling at cost for ten days ... in order to make room for a large stock ... goods.

Reynolds & Son, in order to get rid ... their winter stock, will sell at cost ... the next thirty days. See adv.

The Reform Convention for East ... will be held in Township Hall, ...erton, on Tuesday, March 7th. ...adv.

Any one desirous of purchasing a ...young stallion should read the ad...vertisement of Mr. Jas. Gill, to be ... in another column.

Look out for Mr. Henry Foster's ...adv. next week. He is having a ... discount sale for thirty days, and ...bargains may be expected.

...—Dentists who have tried ... pronounce it the finest ... on the face of this earth for the ... and breath. 5 cent samples.

Mr. Kyle, a former resident of ...dale, is at present visiting here. ...likes his present home, Orange..., very much. He is looking hale ... hearty.

There is no use speaking of McIn...'s Liquors they speak for them...selves and sometimes to loud, if you ... believe it he is prepared to prove ... Try them.

...at Bros. have a large stock of ... kettles, and as sugar making ... commenced early there will likely ... long season of it. Then provide ... with a kettle or two.

...E. Purvis has purchased from ...Geo. Wright, a park lot consist... two acres on which he is mak... preparations to build a residence. ... is located on George St. a ... distance from the Presbyterian ...

...Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, ... the Throat and Chest, reliev... cured by the use of Dr. Car... Pulmonary Cough Drops. The ... testimony has been re... as to their efficacy. In Bot... cents. A. Turner and Co. ... Agent Markdale.

...have received Lovell's Business ... Professional Directory for Ontario. ... extensive work and as far as ... workmanship is concerned is well ... It will be delivered to sub... shortly.

...n't this dress charming, and ... mantle it just fits me perfect. ... to McFarland. He does turn ... nobby goods at very low ... I tell you, Mary, the secret is ... imports direct and pays cash.

...liament is in session, and intend ... the duty on Tea and Coffee, ...people need not wait until that is ... purchase cheap Teas as Butter ... have already done so and are ... three pounds for one dol... Try them.

...J. McAlear has leased the ... House, Flesherton Station, ... number of years from the late ...prietor, Mr. Alex Hannah. Mr. ...lear has been long and favorably ... to the public of East Grey, as ...cessful caterer to the public wants ... accomplished hostess has no ..., and few equals, in the pre... of a bounteous meal.

...wishing to purchase a piano or or... see Mr. Doll's stock and get quo...

...Public Meeting should be ... of the citizens of every city, ... village in the Dominion, to ... what should be done to ... the hair from turning Gray ... falling out. If this important ... received their earnest con... they would unanimously ... that science had at last dis... something that would answer ...pose—and furthermore would ...mend Cingalese Hair Renewer ... this something for restoring ... to its natural color, and pre... falling out. 50 cents per ... For sale by all Druggists.

...here is no place like home" is ...ginning of a pretty song, and ... no other place where you can ... Laces, Winceys, Cashmeres, ... and Linens so cheap as at Mc...

...hundred men wanted to buy Watches ... Doll's, Markdale, Flesherton and ...

...Samuel McCaw, the well-known ...ctor on the Whitby and Lind... Railway, says Dr. Carson's Sto... and Constipation Bitters cured ... Dyspepsia. I always keep ... in the house, and consider them ... as a family medicine. A ... and Co. Special Agent Mark...

...G. Grant, (cabinetmaker,) has ...ased from E. D. Wilcox his lot ... is erected a very neat dwell... located on George St. Messrs. ...leine and R. Cunningham have ...purchased property on the same ...

...ggists throughout the country ... to the great merits of Dr. Car... Stomach and Constipation Bit... No Medicine they sell acts so ... in curing Dyspepsia, Indi... Biliousness. Liver Complaint, ... Have you tried it? A Turner ... Special Agent Markdale.

...erbert, lot 22 con. 10, Eu... has got the Manitoba fever ... and has authorized Wm. Shep... to dispose of all his stock, Im... household furniture, &c., to ...highest bidder on Tuesday, Feb., ...

A POPULAR REMEDY.

...gyard's Pectoral Balsam is one of ... most deservedly popular remedies ... cure of coughs, colds, sore ..., asthma, whooping cough, ... bronchitis, and all pulmonary ...plaints. For sale by all dealers.

...now the small boy may be ... at all the street corners with ... knuckles and ditto pants about ... region of the knees, in other words ... season has set in and our boys ... got it bad.

Vennor says we are ... snow before this month ...

Who is going to ask us to ... their maple molasses, we are ... judges.

The rapid disappearance of the snow has caused a cessation in the drawing of saw logs wood, railway ties &c.

There will be an extensive auction sale on the premises of Charles McClue, lot 117, con. 1, Artemesia, Geo. Noble, Auctioneer.

Mr. A. Stewart, Township of Proton, having sold his farm, is desirous of disposing of his stock, implements, &c and has authorized J. W. Morrow, auctioneer to do so on 1st of March.

Mr. Geo. Noble has received instructions to sell by public auction, on Feb. 18th on lot 21, con. 18 Artemesia, a quantity of lumber, Farm stock &c., also the Blood colt, got by Erin Chief terms, cash.

WEAK LUNGS AND HOW TO MAKE THEM STRONG

Breathe with the mouth closed, have access at all times to pure air exercise moderately, eat nourishing but simple food, and take that best of all cough remedies, Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it speedily cures all throat or lung troubles of adults or children. Price 25cents per bottle.

Two gentlemen of considerable experience in the newspaper line have purchased the plant of the late *O. S. Tribune* and have taken it to Meaford with the intention of starting a paper in that town, in the interest of the Conservative party.

Fine Painting.—Mr. Rutledge of the Markdale House, has just had his dining room frescoed. The work was done by Messrs Mintern & Vail, of Meaford. The painting is of a first-class order and the artists above named may well feel proud of it.

DYSPEPSIA,

that all prevalent disease of civilized life, is always attended with a disordered sympathetic system and bad secretions, and no remedy is better adapted to its cure than Burdock Blood Bitters taken according to special directions found on every bottle.

The revival in the Methodist Church here still continues with unabated interest and power. About fifty persons, we believe, have presented themselves at the altar for prayer, many of whom profess to have experienced a change of heart. The meetings are being held every afternoon and evening. It is expected that the Rev. Mr. Fish who preached with so much acceptance on Sabbath and Monday last will preach again this Friday evening at 7:30.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

Owing to the mild weather, the roads are bad, consequently business in all its branches are dull.

Moses Oates, the weather prophet, predicts that we may only have a few days sleighing throughout the Province.

A good collection was taken up in the C. M. Church on last Sunday evening, in aid of the Muskoka sufferers.

G. R. Middleton was to the city last week, making extensive purchases for his new store. The first part of his new stock of goods arrived at his store on Tuesday, in a few days Mr. G. R. M., will issue his proclamation as to how he intends to conduct his new business.

Those who are so patiently waiting for the new post-office, will be well repaid for so doing, as the new post office arrangements are going to be conducted with new plans, on an improved principle. Good for Dundalk.

We know of farmers who have received two dollars and fifty cents per cord for wood under contract. We are pleased to know that farmers are well paid for their work.

Drs. McWilliams and Griffin had to preform an operation upon the right foot and left hand of John McDowell, by an amputation of the farts which were frozen. So far he is doing remarkable well.

Messrs. Nelson and Hanbury, have written to friends, giving an excellent account of Manitoba, no doubt but they will purchase,

Mr. Jas. Dean has purchased the house and lot owened by Mrs. Stinson, this purchase has given Mr. D. control of the best property in Dundalk.

Winnipeg, Emerson, and Brandon are having their booms, but this spring the people of Dundalk expect to have their boom to—why not? They have the best situation on the line of the T. G. & B. R'y.

James C. Shook of Corbeton has purchased the Corbeton saw mill from Mr. John Drummer. Mr. Shook intends doing a large business in lumber both Shingles and staves.

At the last Melancthon Council meeting, a petition was presented by John Rundle, Thos. Doyle and fifty others, praying to have a switch and station erected by the T. G. & B. R. Co. at Corbeton. The same having passed the council, the Clerk was authorized to have a by-law prepared for submission to the Ratepayers. We have no doubt but the by law will be carried.

Dundalk Station.—We are enabled this week ... our esteemed station agent, to give a report of the freight business for Jan. at the above station. There was shipped 5,057,287,lbs., or in other words 252, 864 tons, the freight charges on the above amounted to $4,408, to gether with a passenger fare of $400. The above will give an idea of the business done at our station. We are still of an opinion that the ratepayers should have voted an interest in the financial affairs of the railway.

Six thousand bushels of Potatoes were shipped from here in the same month.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

Agent for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here,

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 68-tf

To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA,
Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881. 18tf

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

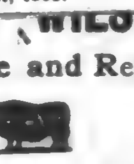
Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail



BUTCHER!

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcase, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 1 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 26th, 1881

Great Discount

SALE!

—AT THE—

POST OFFICE STORE

FLESHERTON,

FOR THIRTY DAYS.

In order to make room for my Spring Importations I will sell the balance of my large stock of Fall and Winter Goods at

Extremely low Prices.

Be sure and call and secure some of the Bargains.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Jan. 30th, 1882.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1.ly.

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 48-6m.

MARKDALE HOUSE

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 16

1,000,000!

Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the

Highest Price in Cash!

for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.

Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

Farm for Sale.

Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to

PETER McARTHUR, Markdale.

Or to C. W. Rutledge, Standard Office.

70-6m—20-4t.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address True & Co., Augusta, Maine.

JOHN NOBLE,

MARKDALE,

GENER'L BLACKSMITH

HORSESHOEING

A SPECIALTY.

$2 ...

THE "LONDON HOUSE,"

DUNDALK.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, ... to 80c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 60c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10.

The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 80c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing. London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have cabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 8 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now repl with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

1881. - CHRISTMAS. - 1881.

THE "GLASGOW HOUSE,"

DUNDALK.

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six months since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new large stock of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,

MILLINERY.

HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,

Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c. worth 15c. BLACK CASHMERES for 25c. worth 40c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Taldings from 20c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. Call and inspect goods before purchasing

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

"Glasgow House Noted."

Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. 1-ly

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores a

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

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"'Cause he says if anybody will send him a club he will send them a copy of his paper."

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"Well, I don't know, unless it is to knock down subscribers as don't pay for their paper. I suppose there are plenty of such mean people."

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EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The members elect of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia for the year 1882, being Robert Myles, Esq., Reeve, Thomas Gilray, Esq., Deputy Reeve, Wm. Fawcett, D. R. Ellis, and J. Erskine, Esquires, Councillors.

Said members elect having assembled at the Township Hall, on 16th day of January, made and subscribed their declarations of qualification and of office in due form, deposited the same with the Clerk, and took their seats at the Council Board.

Minutes of last session of Council read and confirmed.

W. H. Dodson, on nomination of the Reeve, and J. Johnston, on nomination of the Council, were appointed Auditors, and a by-law passed accordingly.

J. Clugston was appointed Assessor at a salary of $ 0, and a by law passed accordingly.

L. O. L. No. 394 was permitted the free use of the township hall for the purpose of holding a soiree on the 17th of January.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer in favor of T. Allison for $21, being amount charged for statute labor for the years 1876-77-78, against lot 9, con. 8, as it is now made to appear that Robert Mercer did perform the statute labor for said years.

The Clerk was ordered to request the Co. Treasurer to strike from his books the amount of $7, being for statute labor charged against lot 9, con. 8, for the year 1879, as it is now made to appear that the statute labor was performed for said year.

James Falls was appointed caretaker of the Township hall at a salary of ten dollars.

The Reeve and Clerk were appointed a committee to ascertain how arrears of taxes accrued against E. ½ lot 6, con. 2, and E. ½ lot 13, con. 4.

The Reeve and Deputy-Reeve were appointed to take further legal advice in reference to removal of fence from highway.

The Reeve and Deputy-Reeve were appointed a committee to enquire into the validity of the Treasurer's securities, as the law requires.

The time for the Collectors to return their rolls was extended for one month.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to the Registrar, Owen Sound, $14.05, fees for registering road by-law.

A resolution was passed approving of R. Snelgrove's action in removing fences from highway, and indemnifying him, as pathmaster, against any pecuniary loss or damage in the discharge of his duty.

The Treasurer was ordered to remit to the following named gentlemen the amounts placed opposite to their names for their own services, as Deputy Returning Officers, and that of their Poll Clerks, and in one case a constable at last municipal election, viz: James Struthers, $7.50; N. Hewson, $7.10; N. Curry, $6.70; D. Silverthorn, $6.70; J. Yelland, $7; Henry Ball, $7.50; and also to pay for the use of school houses as polling stations. To Trustees S. S. No. 4, $2; No. 14, $2; No. 15, $2; No. 9, $2; and to pay for use of Orange hall, in Kimberly, $2.

R. Dunlop, Clerk, allowed $20 for services at last election, and the Reeve's order issued accordingly.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows:

To Jacob Neeley, $10, for services as caretaker of hall for last year; James Anderson, $2, said sum having been paid by him in excess of the amount placed on the Collector's roll for 1880, when Mr. Anderson was Collector.

Moved by Gilray and Erskine, that this Council adjourn until the first Friday in February next, and that in future this Council meet for the dispatch of business on the first Friday in each month throughout the current year, and that the Clerk give notice to that effect in the Meaford *Monitor*, Thornbury *Standard* and Markdale STANDARD. Carried.

ROBT. DUNLOP, Clerk.

A meeting of the Township Council of the Township of Euphrasia was held pursuant to adjournment on the 3rd day of February, 1882.

Members all present. Minutes of last session of Council read and confirmed.

The report of the special committee appointed to examine the validity of the Treasurer's securities laid before Council and adopted.

A petition, signed by William Douglass and 45 others, asking for the opening of sideroad 3 and 4, in 9th and 10th concessions laid before Council, and the Reeve, Messrs. Erskine and Ellis appointed to examine the matter and do what they may deem prudent in the premises.

Moved by Mr. Gilray and Erskine, that as several parties owning parcels of this Township have allowed such land to be placed on the non-resident roll, and employed parties to perform statute labor for said land, thereby causing unnecessary trouble both to the Township council and County Treasurer claiming to be refunded for statute labor, be it therefore

"Resolved that in future no claim of this kind will be entertained by this Council, and that all taxes falling due against non-resident land, including payment for statute labor, must be paid to the County Treasurer—carried."

The Clerk was ordered by resolution to give proper notice of the passing of a by-law to establish a new road to pass through lots 1, 2 and 3, in the 5th con.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pay as follows:

To R. Dunlop, $11.50, for registering births, marriages and deaths, as per certificate of Inspector; James Ferguson, $58.56, for crossway on 6 and 7 sideroad, concession 5.

John Griffith, $6.30, for work on town line, the Treasurer to hold the order until he receive the Reeve's certificate that the work is completed.

On motion being made and seconded the Council adjourned until the first Friday in March next.

R. DUNLOP, Clerk.

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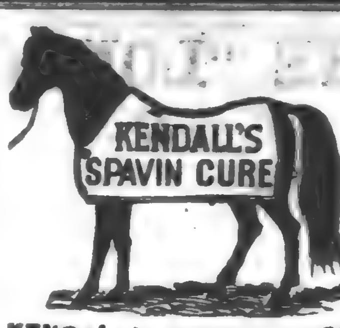

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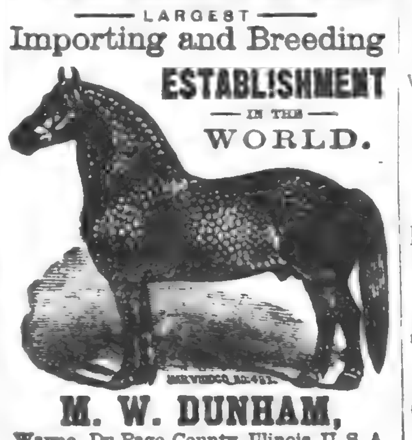

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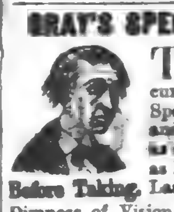

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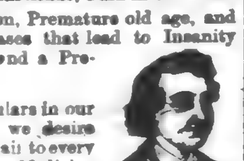

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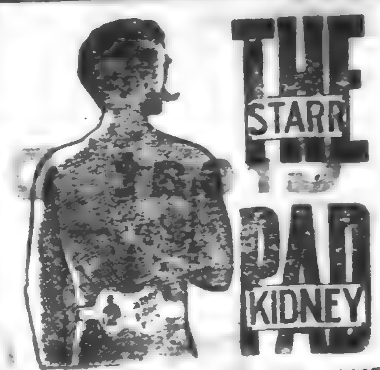

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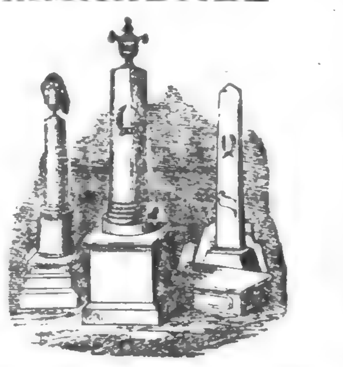

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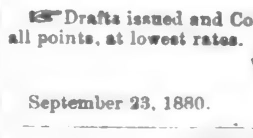

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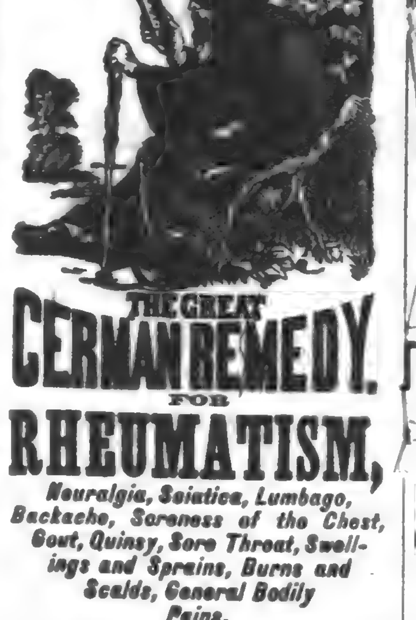

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CHAPTER XVII. *Continued.*

The fiery words scourged him, averted faces met him on every side. And calm and white Katherine lay before him, with closed eyes and folded hands, most of all. Without a word he slunk away like a whipped hound, the door closed upon him, and he stood under the black winter night.

Alone! Would he ever be alone again? Sleeping and walking, would not that terrible, white, fixed face pursue him? 'Dead,' I will come back from the grave, if the dead can.

Would the words she had spoken, the dreadful words he had laughed at once, ever cease to ring in his ears now? Would they not haunt him until they drove him mad?

Sir Peter Dangerfield rode home.

Home! What was Scarswood better than a haunted house now? He shut himself up in his library, lighted the room to more than the brilliance of day, locked the door, seized the brandy bottle and deliberately drank himself into a state of beastly stupor. When morning dawned, Sir Peter, lying on the hearth rug, was far beyond the fear of ghosts or goblins in heavy, bestial sleep.

And Katherine Dangerfield was dead. The papers recorded it, the town rang with it—the whole neighbourhood was utterly shocked. The little cottage on the outskirts of Castleford awoke and found itself famous. Crowds flocked hither all day on foot and in carriages, poor and rich, to look on that placid, dead face. And so the tragedy at Scarsdood had ended thus. Sir John Dangerfield lay in his tomb, Gaston Dantree, the brilliant adventurer, lay in his darkened room hovering between life and death and Katherine so bright, so dashing, so full of life and hope, and love and happiness only a few brief weeks ago, lay here—like this. 'In the midst of life we are in death,' Every body shook their heads and quoted that; the funeral sermon was preached from it. All who had ever known her bowed down now in reverence before the solemn wonder of the winding sheet.

People came forward—two or three of the country families, the Talbots at head—and offers to take the body and have the obsequies of appropiate grandeur. But Henry Otis set those resolute lips of his, and doggedly refused:

'It was to me she came in her trouble,' he answered, 'not to you. No man alive has a better right or a stronger claim now than I. And I'll never give her up. She refused all your aid alive, she shall not seek it dead. From my house she goes to yonder churchyard, I will give her up to none of you.

Edith Talbott never left the house. She sat by her dead friend, weeping incessantly. Feeling against the new baronet ran very high and bitterly. No one knew but old Hannah of the terrible insult of that other night, but everybody suspected foul play. He made no appearance among them but shut himself up in his gloomy mansion and drowned thought in drink.

The funeral took place two days after, and one by one they dropped away to their homes, Edith Talbot among the last, still crying behind her veil, and led away by her brother.

And then Henry Otis stood alone over the grave of the woman he loved and had lost. He stood with folded arms while the short, dark gloaming ran on, his hat lying beside him, the keen wind lifted his hair unheeded. He had loved her as he never would love another woman, and this was the end.

'KATHERINE,
ÆTAT 17.
RESURGAM.'

That was all, no second name. Who knew what that name might be, or if she really had any claim to any name whatever? And so while he stood there, the twilight fell, and it was his mother's voice, calling plaintively, that aroused him at last.

'Henry, Henry! come home, dear! You will get your death standingthere bareheaded in the cold!'

An hour later, when the slender crescent moon lifted her sicle over the blue sea line, another pilgrim came to that new made grave, fearfully, and by stealth.

Peter Dangerfield had not dared to come to the funeral, but he came now to the grave. He was still horribly afraid but all the same, he could not stay away. Katherine dead! that bright dashing young Amazon, whose laugh had rang so clear, whose eyes had flashed, so bright. Katherine dead! And they called him her murderer.

He made his way along the narrow pathway, worn by humble feet, to the spot where they had laid her. The faint new moon flickered on the granite cross. He knelt on one knee, and read the inscription:

KATHERINE,
ÆTAT 17.
RESURGAM.

What a brief record it was! And Resurgam—what did that word mean he wondered, stupidly. Then it dawned upon him. Resurgam meant, 'I shall rise again.' 'I shall rise again!'

From her very grave the dead girl spoke and threatened him.

How long he lingered there he never knew. He felt half stupifiedly, partly with the liquor he had been drinking partly with abject fear, partly with cold. He was all cramped and stiff when at last he rose to go. His horse stood outside the little gate. He mounted him, let the reins fall up on his neck, while his head sank upon his breast. How the animal made his way home, how he got into the house how he got into his own room, into bed, he could never have told. All that shone out vividly from that night in his after life was the dream that followed.

He was wandering through the dark and unknown country—bleak and forsaken. He could see the stars in the sky, the new moon, a solitary fir-tree, and grave stones everywhere. It was one perpetual graveyard, and a spectral figure, with long, floating brown hair, and waving white arms, beckoned him on and on. He could not see the face, but he knew it was Katherine. He was tired, and sick, and cold, and footsore. Their dismal road ended at last in a gastly precipice where, looking down, sheer thousand feet below, he saw a seething hell of water. Then his shadowy guide turned, and he saw Katherine Dangerfield's dead face. The stiff lips parted, and the sweet, strong voice spoke as of old:

'Living, I will pursue you to the ends of the earth, Dead, I will come back from the grave, if the dead can!'

The words she had spoken in her passionate outburst she spoke again. Then her arms encircled around him then he was lifted up, then with a shriek of terror he was hurled over that dizzy cliff—and awoke sitting up in bed, trembling in every limb.

Only a dream! And was this night only a beggining of the end?

PART II.

CPAPTER I.

LA REINE BLANCHE.

The place was her Majesty's Theatre—the opera, Filgia Reggimento'—the week of the London season—and the scene was brilliant beyonddescription. 'All the world' was there, and the prima donna was that sweetest of singers, the loveliest of women, that most charming of actresses, Mademoiselle Nillson.

Her Majesty's was full—one dazzling blaze of light from dome to parquet, tier upon tier of magnificently dressed women, a blaze of diamonds, a glow of rainbow bouquets, a flutter of fans, a sparkle of bright eyes, a vision of fair faces, and light and warmth, and Donizetti's matchlessmusic sweeping and surging over all.

The house had just settled back into its seats, for a few moments the whole audience had risen, *en masse*, at the entrance of royalty. In the royal box now sat the Prince and Princess of Wales, Prince Arthur and the Princess Louise.

The bell had tinkled for the rising of the curtain upon the second act of the opera when a fashionable late party of three entered one of the proscenium boxes, and a thousand eyes and as many 'double barrels' turned instantly in that direction. You saw at once that these late arrivals were people of note, and looking with them you would merely glance at two of the party, and then your eyes would have fixed, as countless eyes then did, upon the third face—a wonderfully fair face. The party were the Earl of Ruysland, his only daughter, the Lady Cecil Clive, and his niece Ginevra, Lady Dangerfield. And the Earl of Ruysland's only daughter had been the most brilliant belle of this London season, as he had been of the two proceedings, and not in all that dazzling house, not in the royal box itself, looked forth a fairer, sweeter face than that which looked with perfect self possession over the audience now.

She had advanced to the front at once with high bred composure, drawn back the curtain with one slim, gloved hand, and leaned ever so slightly forward, with a half smile upon her face. In that musical interlude, before the rising of the curtain for the second time, countless bows and smiles greeted her, whichever way she turned. All the lorgnetters in the house seemed for an instant aimed at the fair face and queenly head, up held with a stage like grace, but to my Lady Cecil that was a very old story, and with all her womanish love of adoration, something of a weary one. She lay back in her chair, after that first sweep of the house, threw back her operacloak, all silk, swan's down, and snow cashmere, as seemingly indifferent to all those eyes as though she sat in the theatre alone.

A belle of Belgravia, yes, lady Cecil was that. It was a marvellously brilliant face on which the lamplight shone, with its complexion of pearl, with its soft, large, luxurous brown, gazelle eyes, its trailing hazel hair, bound back with pearl and roses, the haughty carriage of the dainty head, the pure Greek type of feature, the swaying grace of the tall, white form. A rarely perfect face, and as sweet as perfect, with its dreamy, tender eyes, its gravely gentle smile. You would hardly have dreamed, looking at its delusive innocence, how much mischief my Lady Cecil had done in her day, how much, the gods willing, she meant to do. Those brown serene eyes had slain their thousand and ten of thousands, that delusively gentle smile had driven men blind and mad, insanity called love. A pear-faced, hazel eyed Circe who led her victims down a flower strewn path with words and smiles of honey, only to leave them stranded high and dry on the desolate quicksands of disappointment where the bones of her victims bleached. A flirt by nature—a coquette ripe for mischief, a beauty without mercy and without heart—that was her character, as half the men in London would have told you.

And yet—and yet—how lovely she looked to-night! how radiant! how spotless! Dressed for some after ball, the loose falling opera cloak showed you a robe of loose silk, decollete, of course, soft touches of soft point lace, a cluster of rich moss roses of rich corsage, and lace draperies falling open from the pearley arm. Looking at her as she sat there, you were half inclined, knowing all the enormities, to forgive the deeds of darkness wrought by so peerless a siren. Fair and fatal, and when in repose, even with a touch of sadness, there was something in it that made you paraphrase the words of the sculptor, speaking of Charles Stuart, 'something evil will befall her, she carries misfortune on her face.'

Her companion was a very excellent foil to the fair, pale, pensive beauty of the earl's daughter. Lady Dangerfield was a brunette of the most pronounced type, petite, four-and-thirty years old, and by lamplight, in diamonds and silks, still young and still pretty. Her black hair built up in braids, and puffs, and curls, unapproachable of Parisian hair dressers was a marvel of art in itself. There was a flush on either sallow cheek—art or nature? who shall say?—and if the purple tinting under the eyelids make those black orbs any longer, bigger, brighter, than when they came first from the land of a beneficent province whose business was it but the lady's own?

From the Earl of Ruysland—tall, thin, refined, patrician, and fastidious—he was fifty odd, with a venerable bald head, shining like a biliard ball, and two tired, gray eyes. He had been a handsome man in his day—a spedthrift, a gambler, a dandy, a member of the famous Beefstake Club in his youth. He had run through two fortunes, and now stood confessed the poorest man in Britain.

Two young men [in] the stalls had been among the first to take aim at the new comers, at Lady Cecil, rather, and the longest to stare.

'*La Reine Blanche* is looking her best to-night. Few reining beauties stand the wear and tear of three seasons as the White Queen does.'

'*La Reine Blanche*! his companion repeated. 'I always meant to ask you, Delamer, why they called her that. A pretty idea, too. Why?'

'From some real or fancied resemblance to that other *La Reine Blanche*, Marie Stuart—dazzling and doomed.'

Starer No. 2 put up his lorgnette and took another survey.

'Not fancied, Delamer—there is a resemblance—quite striking. The same oval face, the same Greek type, the same expression, half-tender, half-melancholy, half-disdainful. If Mary the Queen had a tithe of that beauty, I can understand how even the hard-headed Scottish commoners were roused to enthusiasm as she rode through their midst, and cried out as one man, "God bless that sweet face!"

'That will do, Wyatt. Don't you get roused to enthusiasm; and don't look too long at Ruysland's peerless daughter; she is like those—what's their names—sirens, you know, who lured poor devils to death and doom. She's a thorough-paced flirt; her coquetries have been as numberless as the stars, and not half so eternal. She's the highest-priced Circassian in Mayfair, and you might as well love some bright particular star, etc.; and besides, it is *au courant* at the clubs that she was bidden in and bought ages ago by some tremendously wealthy Cornish baronet, wandering at present in foreign parts. He's a sensible fellow, gives Queenie—they call her Queenie—no end of margin for flirting, until it suits his sultanship to return, pay the price, and claim his property. Look at Nillsson instead. She's married, and a marchioness; but it's not half so dangerous, believe me, as gazing at *La Reine Blanche*.'

'I'm not looking at your *La Reine Blanche*,' Wyatt answered; 'I'm looking at that man yonder—you see him?—very tall, very tanned, very military. If Redmond O'Donnell be in the land of the living, that is he.'

Delamer whirled around, as nearly excited as the principles of his life would allow a dandy of the Foreign office to be.

'What! Redmond O'Donnell! the man we met two years ago in Algiers—*Le Beau Chasseur*, as they used to call him, and the best of good fellows. By George! you'r right, Wyatt; it is O'Donnell! Let us join him at once.'

A few moments later, and the two embryo diplomats from the F. O. had made their way to the side of the tall, soldierly, sunburnt man who sat quite alone three tiers behind.

'What! you, O'Donnell! I give you my word I'd as soon have expected to see Pio Nono sitting out the opera as *Le Beau Chasseur*. Glad to see you in England, dear old boy, all the same. When did you come?'

The man addressed looked up—his dark, grave face lighting into brightness and warmth as he smiled. It was a handsome face, a thoroughly Celtic face, despite the golden tan of an African sun, with blue eyes, to which long, black lashes lent softness and depth, profuse dark brown hair, and most desirable curling mustache. It was a gallant figure, straight, tall, and strong as a Norway pine, and with a true trooper swing.

'Delamer—Wyatt—this is a surprise!' He shook hands cordially with the two men, with a smile and a glance pleasant to see. 'When did I come? Only reached London at noon to-day, after a smooth run from New Orleans of twenty-two days.'

'New Orleans! And what the deuce took Captain O'Donnell, of the Third Chasseurs d'Afrique, to New Orleans?'

'A family matter—I'll tell you later. As we only remain a day or two in London, I thought I would drop into Her Majesty's and hear Nillsson for the first time.

'We! O'Donnell; don't tell me there's a lady in the case—that the madness of matrimony has seized you—that you have taken to yourself a wife of the daughters of the land. You Irishmen are all alike, fighting and love-making—love-making and fighting. Ah!' Mr. Delamer shook his head and sighed faintly; 'she isn't an Arab, I hope—is she?'

O'Donnell laughed.

'There's a lady in the case, but not a wife. Don't you know I have a sister, Delamer? Have no fears for me—my weaknesses are many and great—for fighting, if you like, but not for love-making. A brilliant scene, this, and faces fair enough to tempt even so austere an anchorite as Gordon Delamer.'

'Fair faces, surely,' Wyatt said. 'What do you, fresh from the desert, think of *La Reine Blanche*—that brown haired goddess, whose earthly name is Cecil Clive?'

'*Who?*'

Suddenly and sharply the captain of Chasseurs asked the question.

'Lady Cecil Clive. What, O'Donnell! has the spell of the enchantress stretched all the way to Africa, and netted you, too, in her rose chains? Is it possible you know *La Reine Blanche*?

'No,' the chasseur answered, with a touch of impatience. 'I don't know your *La Reine Blanche*. I know—that is, I once knew, very long ago—Lady Cecil Clive.'

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FAITHLESS.

Events have recently transpired in a town in South Simcoe have created a sensation in all ranks of society. In order to place the circumstances in a proper light before the public it is necessary to go back to events which occurred two years ago. At that time the daughter of one of the wealthiest residents of the town married a young law student. The girl was fresh from boarding school, was pretty and facinating, a charming singer and good pianist, and was in every sense of the word just the sort of girl to impress the susceptible heart of the young student of Blackstone. Her parents were opposed to the match, owing to her intended husband's poverty; but their scruples being overcome, they consented to the match. After marriage the young husband found his position peculiarly trying. If his new relatives did not directly charge him with his poverty and living at the expense of others, they at least hinted it so often that the young benedict found his position so uncomfortable that he determined upon leaving his bride of a month and going to push his fortune in California.

A LOVER APPEARS.

Six months after the husband had left his bride a handsome traveller for a Montreal house appeared in the town. He was introduced to the young wife's father, and by him to his family. The wife of the absent student and minor was residing with her parents at the time, and the Montrealer became at once impressed with her charms. Apparently the attachment was reciprocal. Sleigh drives, balls, and social parties found this gay young commercial traveller and the pretty bride inseperable companions. At last rumor united their names in a manner not at all flattering to the young lady, but apparently they were indifferent about public opinion and heedless of consequences. A month after they had become acquainted society was startled by the rumoured elopement of the "commercial" and the bride of eight months.

The lady who signalized herself in such a notorious manner was partially restored to public favor on the often reiterated allegations of her parents that her husband had been killed in the mines of Nevada.

HUSBAND NO. 1 ON THE STAGE.

The "commercial" and his much-wedded wife engaged in business and were prospering. To all appearance she was happy, and if a thought of her first husband flitted through her mind, it was not reflected in her countenance. About two weeks ago the first husband appeared upon the scene. He was aware of what had happened, and had the melancholly satisfaction of gazing through the window, like a modern Enoch Arden, at the beautiful woman, once his own but now another's. He did not, like Enoch, sigh for his lost love, and leave her to her new found happiness. He was of a more practical turn of mind, and as he did not desire to repossess himself of his false wife, like a true student of law, negotiated with husband No. 2, the result being that husband No. 1 received a solation to the extent of $1,000. Strange to add, this wife of two husbands was almost indifferent to the result of the consultation having such particular reference to herself. If they could agree about her ownership she would be satisfied with the decision. So the matter stands at present, and it is not likely that an appeal to the law will be made.

A workman was examining a hole which he had bored in a factory floor at New Britain, Conn., when his eye was destroyed by a red hot iron thrust through from the other side.

Prof. Huxley says that those who have taken an active part in science should be killed at sixty, as not being flexible enough to yield to the advance of new ideas. He is himself nearly fifty-seven.

During the past year 2,039 vessels were wrecked and property estimated at $1,400,000,000 destroyed. Add to the property lost in fires and see what an appalling amount of capital is utterly lost.

FEES AND DOCTORS.—The fees of doctors is an item that very many persons are interested in just at present. We believe the schedule for visits is $3.00, which would tax a man confined to his bed for a year, and need of daily visits, over $1,000 a year for medical attendance alone! And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the $1,000 and all the year's sickness.—*Post*

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HORRIBLE SUICIDE.

A HAMILTON MAN CUTS HIS THROAT FROM EAR TO EAR.

HAMILTON, Feb. 18.—Shortly before twelve noon to day a most determined suicide took place at 80 Cherry-street, in the southern part of the city. The man who committed the act is named Wm. Smith, aged about sixty, who came to Canada about 11 years ago, and has been a respected resident in Hamilton for four years. He is an Englishman having served in the Royal Artilery. When he was honourable discharged he was farrier-sergeant in the artillery. He has for some time been suffering from asthma and has been confined to the house for some days. He followed the occupation of a gardener. He apparantly was very despondent, and showed symptons of insanity. About 11 o'clock to day he

ASKED FOR A RAZOR

to clean his nails. This was usual. Mrs. Smith handed him the article, she being seated at his side. The only thing being unusual to her in his appearance was that he looked all around the room, staring when she asked him what was the matter. Not fearing anything, she was composed, when all at once she observed he was struggling on the lounge on which he was seated in the front room, and to her terror he had the razor to his throat, and was cutting away with all his strength. She seized his hand, and the suicide and his wife had

A FEARFUL STRUGGLE.

Nor did he relax his determined effort till he had cut his head half off and fell forward on the floor, dying in a few minutes. On the floor where he had fell are great pools of blood, and a pillow which he had on his knees was saturated. The sight was fearful to look at. His clothing was dyed to his feet. Mrs. Smith had called her next door neighbour, Mrs. Reid, who ran in at once, in time only to see him make a dying quiver. Mr. Smith was a member of the Babtist Church, and is spoken of by his wife and neighbours as a good living man. He leaves a wife with no children.

Coroner Wolverton was called and upon viewing the body decided at once that an inquest was unnecessary, as it was a clear case of suicide.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT AT COLLINGWOOD.

COLLINGWOOD, Feb. 4.—A rather serious accident happened here to-night on the main line of the Northern and North-Western railway. As No. 3 mixed train from Toronto, due at 6.50 p. m., was approaching the yard one of the switch cranks broke. The engine and one box car kept on the main line, but the rest of the train took the siding. Some six freight cars are more or less damaged, some of them being smashed into kindling wood. None of the passenger cars left the track, but those on board had a narrow escape and a terrible shaking up. As the engine and one of the freight cars parted from the rest of the train, Brakesman Frank Lewis was in the act of stepping from one car to the other, but unfortunately he was not in time and was thrown to the ground from the top of the cars, and had his left arm badly mangled by a wheel passing over it. He also received other injuries about the head, but these are not of a serious nature. It was subsequently found necessary to amputate the left arm at the elbow. At last accounts the injured man was progressing favourably. As soon as the accident happened an auxiliary car was despatched from Allandale, and the wreckage was cleared away, causing but a few hours' delay to traffic on the line.—*Monitor.*

CLIPPINGS FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

GRANGE ANNIVERSARY.—The fifth anniversary of the Glenelg Grange was held in their Hall, Edge Hill, on Wednesday evening, the first inst. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity, and ample provisions of the richest kind provided by the ladies were liberally served out to all present. James Edge, Esq., Master, occupied the chair and a very pleasant time was spent in listening to addresses, readings, recitations and songs given on this occasion. The Grange is in a very flourishing condition as it has been since its commencement.—*Review.*

SUDDEN DEATH.—At the Soiree at Middle Station on Thursday evening a sad calamity occurred. A child of Mr. David McCrie, Normanby, and grandsone of Mr. Walter Tucker, of Durham, which was at the Soiree and when just about Departing for home, was found to be dead. Much sympathy is felt for the parents in their sudden affliction.—*Review.*

A sneak thief stopped seven horse cars in Memphis, but not after the manner of a highwayman. He entered a boarding-house where seven drivers were asleep, and stole their watches and wallets. A rule of the company requires each driver to have a watch and $10 at the outset of every trip; and as the manager would not make an exception on this occasion, the cars of the robbed men did not start.

Two lives were not lost, but saved, by a railroad accident at Newcomerstown, Ohio. A freight car was smashed by a collision, and in it were found two men insensible from cold. They had sneaked in for a free ride, the door had been locked, and, as they lay near the roof on some cotton bales, without room to move their limbs, a night at zero would have killed them if they had not by chance been discovered.

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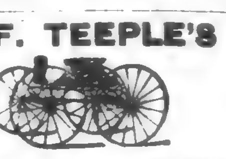

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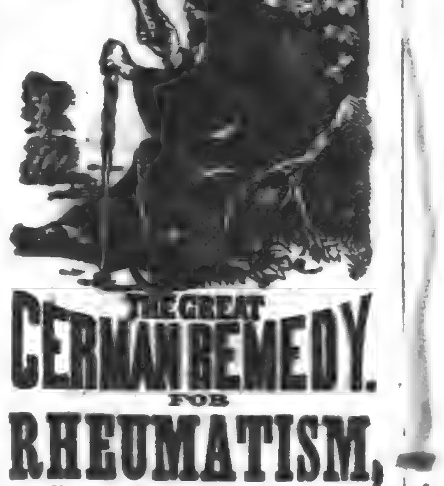

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Happy New Year.
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A. DUNLOP.
Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER XVII. *Continued.*

The fiery words scourged him, averted faces met him on every side. And calm and white Katherine lay before him, with closed eyes and folded hands, most of all. Without a word he slunk away like a whipped hound, the door closed upon him, and he stood under the black winter night.

Alone! Would he ever be alone again? Sleeping and walking, would not that terrible, white, fixed face pursue him? 'Dead,' I will come back from the grave, if the dead can.

Would the words she had spoken, the dreadful words he had laughed at once, ever cease to ring in his ears now? Would they not haunt him until they drove him mad?

Sir Peter Dangerfield rode home.

Home! What was Scarswood better than a haunted house now? He shut himself up in his library, lighted the room to more than the brilliance of day, locked the door, seized the brandy bottle and deliberately drank himself into a state of beastly stupor. When morning dawned, Sir Peter, lying on the hearth rug, was far beyond the fear of ghosts or goblins in heavy, bestial sleep.

And Katherine Dangerfield was dead. The papers recorded it, the town rang with it—the whole neighbourhood was utterly shocked. The little cottage on the outskifts of Castleford awoke and found itself famous. Crowds flocked hither all day on foot and in carriages, poor and rich, to look on that placid, dead face. And so the tragedy at Scarsdood had ended thus. Sir John Dangerfield lay in his tomb, Gaston Dantree, the brilliant adventurer, lay in his darkened room hovering between life and death and Katherine so bright, so dashing, so full of life and hope, and love and happiness only a few brief weeks ago, lay here—like this. 'In the midst of life we are in death,' Every body shook their heads and quoted that; the funeral sermon was preached from it. All who had ever known her bowed down now in reverence before the solemn wonder of the winding sheet.

People came forward—two or three of the country families, the Talbots at head—and offers to take the body and have the obsequies of appropriate grandeur. But Henry Otis set those resolute lips of his, and doggedly refused.

'It was to me she came in her trouble,' he answered, 'not to you. No man alive has a better right or a stronger claim now than I. And I'll never give her up. She refused all your aid alive, she shall not seek it dead. From my house she goes to yonder churchyard, I will give her up to none of you.

Edith Talbott never left the house. She sat by her dead friend, weeping incessantly. Feeling against the new baronet ran very high and bitterly. No one knew but old Hannah of the terrible insult of that other night, but everybody suspected foul play. He made no appearance among them but shut himself up in his gloomy mansion and drowned thought in drink.

The funeral took place two days after, and one by one they dropped away to their homes, Edith Talbot among the last, still crying behind her veil, and led away by her brother.

And then Henry Otis stood alone over the grave of the woman he loved and had lost. He stood with folded arms while the short, dark gloaming ran on, his hat lying beside him, the keen wind lifted his hair unheeded. He had loved her as he never would love another woman, and this was the end.

'KATHERINE,
ÆTAT 17.
RESURGAM.'

That was all, no second name. Who knew what that name might be, or if she really had any claim to any name whatever? And so while he stood there, the twilight fell, and it was his mother's voice, calling plaintively, that aroused him at last.

'Henry, Henry! come home, dear! You will get your death standing there bareheaded in the cold!'

An hour later, when the slender crescent moon lifted her sickle over the blue sea line, another pilgrim came to that new made grave, fearfully, and by stealth.

Peter Dangerfield had not dared to come to the funeral, but he came now to the grave. He was still horribly afraid but all the same, he could not stay away. Katherine dead! that bright dashing young Amazon, whose laugh had rang so clear, whose eyes had flashed, so bright. Katherine dead! And they called him her murderer.

He made his way along the narrow pathway, worn by humble feet, to the spot where they had laid her. The faint new moon flickered on the granite cross. He knelt on one knee and read the inscription:

KATHERINE,
ÆTAT 17.
RESURGAM.

What a brief record it was! And Resurgam—what did that word mean he wondered, stupidly. Then it dawned upon him Resurgam meant, 'I shall rise again.' 'I shall rise again!'

From her very grave the dead girl spoke and threatened him.

How long he lingered there he never knew. He felt half stupifiedly, partly with the liquor he had been drinking partly with abject fear, partly with cold. He was all cramped and stiff when at last he rose to go. His horse stood outside the little gate. He mounted him, let the reins fall up on his neck, while his head sank upon his breast. How the animal made his way home, how he got into the house how he got into his own room, into bed, he could never have told. All that shone out vividly from that night in his after life was the dream that followed.

He was wandering through the dark and unknown country—bleak and forsaken. He could see the stars in the sky, the new moon, a solitary fir-tree, and grave stones everywhere. It was one perpetual graveyard, and a spectral figure, with long, floating brown hair, and waving white arms, beckoned him on and on. He could not see the face, but he knew it was Katherine. He was tired, and sick, and cold, and footsore. Their dismal road ended at last in a gastly precipice where, looking down, sheer thousands of feet below, he saw a seething hell of water. Then his shadowy guide turned, and he saw Katherine Dangerfield's dead face. The stiff lips parted, and the sweet, strong voice spoke as of old:

'Living, I will pursue you to the ends of the earth, Dead, I will come back from the grave, if the dead can!'

The words she had spoken in her passionate outburst she spoke again. Then her arms encircled around him then he was lifted up, then with a shriek of terror he was hurled over that dizzy cliff—and awoke sitting up in bed, trembling in every limb.

Only a dream! And was this night only a beggining of the end?

PART II.

CPAPTER I.

LA REINE BLANCHE.

The place was her Majesty's Theatre—the opera, Filgia Reggimento'—the week of the London season—and the scene was brilliant beyond description. 'All the world' was there, and the prima donna was that sweetest of singers, the loveliest of women, that most charming of actresses, Mademoiselle Nillson.

Her Majesty's was full—one dazzling blaze of light from dome to parquet, tier upon tier of magnificiently dressed women, a blaze of diamonds, a glow of rainbow bouquets, a flutter of fans, a sparkle of bright eyes, a vision of fair faces, and light and warmth, and Donizetti's matchless music sweeping and surging over all.

The house had just settled back into its seats, for a few moments the whole audience had risen, *en masse*, at the entrance of royalty. In the royal box now sat the Prince and Princess of Wales, Prince Arthur and the Princess Louise.

The bell had tinkled for the rising of the curtain upon the second act of the opera when a fashionable late party of three entered one of the proscenium boxes, and a thousand eyes and as many 'double barrels' turned instantly in that direction. You saw at once that these late arrivals were people of note, and looking with them you would merely glance at two of the party, and then your eyes would have fixed, as countless eyes then did, upon the third face—a wonderfully fair face. The party were the Earl of Ruysland, his only daughter, the Lady Cecil Clive, and his niece Ginevra, Lady Dangerfield. And the Earl of Ruysland's only daughter had been the most brilliant belle of this London season, as he had been of the two proceedings, and not in all that dazzling house, not in the royal box itself, looked forth a fairer, sweeter face than that which looked with perfect self possession over the audience now.

She had advanced to the front at once with high bred composure, drawn back the curtain with one slim, gloved hand, and leaned ever so slightly forward, with a half smile upon her face. In that musical interlude, before the rising of the curtain for the second time, countless bows and smiles greeted her, whichever way she turned. All the lorgnetters in the house seemed for an instant aimed at the fair face and queenly head, up held with a stage like grace, but to my Lady Cecil that was a very old story, and with all her womanish love of adoration, something of a weary one. She lay back in her chair, after that first sweep of the house, threw back her operacloak, all silk, swan's down, and snow cashmere, as seemingly indifferent to all those eyes as though she sat in the theatre alone.

A belle of Belgravia, yes, lady Cecil was that. It was a marvellously brilliant face on which the lamplight shone, with its complexion of pearl, with its soft, large, luxurous brown, gazelle eyes, its trailing hazel hair, bound back with pearl and roses, the haughty carriage of the dainty head, the pure Greek type of feature, the swaying grace of the tall, white form. A rarely perfect face, and as sweet as perfect, with its dreamy, tender eyes, its gravely gentle smile. You would hardly have dreamed, looking at its delusive innocence, how much mischief my Lady Cecil had done in her day, how much, the gods willing, she meant to do. Those brown serene eyes had slain their thousand and ten of thousands, that delusively gentle smile had driven men blind and mad, insanity called love. A pear-faced, hazel eyed Circe who led her victims down a flower strewn path with words and smiles of honey, only to leave them stranded high and dry on the desolate quicksands of disappointment where the bones of her victims bleached. A flirt by nature—a coquette ripe for mischief, a beauty without mercy and without heart—that was her character, as half the men in London would have told you.

And yet—and yet—how lovely she looked to-night! how radient! how spotless! Dressed for some after ball, the loose falling opera cloak showed you a robe of loose silk, decollete, of course, soft touches of soft point lace, a cluster of rich moss roses of rich corsage, and lace draperies falling open from the pearley arm. Looking at her as she sat there, you were half inclined, knowing all the enormities, to forgive the deeds of darkness wrought by so peerless a siren. Fair and fatal, and when in repose, even with a touch of sadness, there was something in it that made you paraphrase the words of the sculptor, speaking of Charles Stuart, 'something evil will befall her, she carries misfortune on her face.'

Her companion was a very excellent foil to the fair, pale, pensive beauty of the earl's daughter. Lady Dangerfield was a brunette of the most pronounced type, petite, four-and-thirty years old, and by lamplight, in diamonds and silks, still young and still pretty. Her black hair built up in braids, and puffs, and curls, unapproachable of Parisian hair dressers was a marvel of art in itself. There was a flush on either sallow cheek—art or nature? who shall say?—and if the purple tinting under the eyelids make those black orbs any longer, bigger, brighter, than when they came first from the land of a beneficent province whose business was it but the lady's own?

From the Earl of Ruysland—tall, thin, refined, patrician, and fastidious—he was fifty odd, with a venerable bald head, shining like a biliard ball, and two tired, gray eyes. He had been a handsome man in his day—a spedthrift, a gambler, a dandy, a member of the famous Beefstake Club in his youth. He had run through two fortunes, and now stood confessed the poorest man in Britain.

Two young men in the stalls had been among the first to take aim at the new comers, at Lady Cecil, rather, and the longest to stare.

'*La Reine Blanche* is looking her best to-night. Few reining beauties stand the wear and tear of three seasons as the White Queen does.'

'*La Reine Blanche*!' his companion repeated. 'I always meant to ask you, Delamer, why they called her that. A pretty idea, too. Why?'

'From some real or fancied resemblance to that other *La Reine Blanche*, Marie Stuart—dazzling and doomed.'

Starer No. 2 put up his lorgnette and took another survey.

'Not fancied, Delamer—there is a resemblance—quite striking. The same oval face, the same Greek type, the same expression, half-tender, half-melancholy, half-disdainful. If Mary the Queen had a tithe of that beauty, I can understand how even the hard-headed Scottish commoners were roused to enthusiasm as she rode through their midst, and cried out as one man, "God bless that sweet face!"

'That will do, Wyatt. Don't you get roused to enthusiasm; and don't look too long at Ruysland's peerless daughter; she is like those—what's their names—sirens, you know, who lured poor devils to death and doom. She's a thorough-paced flirt; her coquetries have been as numberless as the stars, and not half so eternal. She's the highest-priced Circassian in Mayfair, and you might as well love some bright particular star, etc.; and besides, it is *au courant* at the clubs that she was bidden in and bought ages ago by some tremendously wealthy Cornish baronet, wandering at present in foreign parts. He's a sensible fellow, gives Queenie—they call her Queenie—no end of margin for flirting, until it suits his sultanship to return, pay the price, and claim his property. Look at Nillsson instead. She's married, and a marchioness; but it's not half so dangerous, believe me, as gazing at *La Reine Blanche*.'

'I'm not looking at your *La Reine Blanche*,' Wyatt answered; 'I'm looking at that man yonder—you see him?—very tall, very tanned, very military. If Redmond O'Donnell be in the land of the living, that is he.'

Delamer whirled around, as nearly excited as the principles of his life would allow a dandy of the Foreign office to be.

'What! Redmond O'Donnell! the man we met two years ago in Algiers—*Le Beau Chasseur*, as they used to call him, and the best of good fellows. By George! you'r right, Wyatt; it is O'Donnell! Let us join him at once.'

A few moments later, and the two embryo diplomats from the F. O. had made their way to the side of the tall, soldierly, sunburnt man who sat quite alone three tiers behind.

'What! you, O'Donnell! I give you my word I'd as soon have expected to see Pio Nono sitting out the opera as *Le Beau Chasseur*. Glad to see you in England, dear old boy, all the same. When did you come?'

The man addressed looked up—his dark, grave face lighting into brightness and warmth as he smiled. It was a handsome face, a thoroughly Celtic face, despite the golden tan of an African sun, with blue eyes, to which long, black lashes lent softness and depth, profuse dark brown hair, and most desirable curling mustache. It was a gallant figure, straight, tall, and strong as a Norway pine, and with a true trooper swing.

'Delamer—Wyatt—this is a surprise!' He shook hands cordially with the two men, with a smile and a glance pleasant to see. 'When did I come? Only reached London at noon to-day, after a smooth run from New Orleans of twenty-two days.'

'New Orleans! And what the deuce took Captain O'Donnell, of the Third Chasseurs d'Afrique, to New Orleans?'

'A family matter—I'll tell you later. As we only remain a day or two in London, I thought I would drop into Her Majesty's and hear Nillsson for the first time.

'We! O'Donnell, don't tell me there's a lady in the case—that the madness of matrimony has seized you—that you have taken to yourself a wife of the daughters of the land. You Irishmen are all alike, fighting and love-making—love-making and fighting. Ah!' Mr. Delamer shook his head and sighed faintly; 'she isn't an Arab, I hope—is she?'

O'Donnell laughed.

'There's a lady in the case, but not a wife. Don't you know I have a sister, Delamer? Have no fears for me—my weaknesses are many and great—for fighting, if you like, but not for love-making. A brilliant scene, this, and faces fair enough to tempt even so austere an anchorite as Gordon Delamer.'

'Fair faces, surely,' Wyatt said. 'What do you, fresh from the desert, think of *La Reine Blanche*—that brown haired goddess, whose earthly name is Cecil Clive?'

'*Who!*'

Suddenly and sharply the captain of Chasseurs asked the question.

'Lady Cecil Clive. What, O'Donnell! has the spell of the enchantress stretched all the way to Africa, and netted you, too, in her rose chains? Is it possible you know *La Reine Blanche*?

'No,' the chasseur answered, with a touch of impatience. 'I don't know your *La Reine Blanche*. I know—that is, I once knew, very long ago—Lady Cecil Clive.'

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

FAITHLESS.

Events have recently transpired in a town in South Simcoe have created a sensation in all ranks of society. In order to place the circumstances in a proper light before the public it is necessary to go back to events which occurred two years ago. At that time the daughter of one of the wealthiest residents of the town married a young law student. The girl was fresh from boarding school, was pretty and facinating, a charming singer and good pianist, and was in every sense of the word just the sort of girl to impress the susceptible heart of the young student of Blackstone. Her parents were opposed to the match, owing to her intended husband's poverty; but their scruples being overcome, they consented to the match. After marriage the young husband found his position peculiarly trying. If his new relatives did not directly charge him with his poverty and living at the expense of others, they at least hinted it so often that the young benedict found his position so uncomfortable that he determined upon leaving his bride of a month and going to push his fortune in California.

A LOVER APPEARS.

Six months after the husband had left his bride a handsome traveller for a Montreal house appeared in the town. He was introduced to the young wife's father, and by him to his family. The wife of the absent student and minor was residing with her parents at the time, and the Montrealer became at once impressed with her charms. Apparently the attachment was reciprocal. Sleigh drives, balls, and social parties found this gay young commercial traveller and the pretty bride inseperable companions. At last rumor united their names in a manner not at all flattering to the young lady, but apparently they were indifferent about public opinion and heedless of consequences. A month after they had become acquainted society was startled by the rumoured elopement of the "commercial" and the bride of eight months.

The lady who signalized herself in such a notorious manner was partially restored to public favor on the often reiterated allegations of her parents that her husband had been killed in the mines of Nevada.

HUSBAND NO. 1 ON THE STAGE.

The "commercial" and his much-wedded wife engaged in business and were prospering. To all appearance she was happy, and if a thought of her first husband flitted through her mind, it was not reflected in her countenance. About two weeks ago the first husband appeared upon the scene. He was aware of what had happened, and had the melancholly satisfaction of gazing through the window, like a modern Enoch Arden, at the beautiful woman, once his own but now another's. He did not, like Enoch, sigh for his lost love, and leave her to her new found happiness. He was of a more practical turn of mind, and as he did not desire to repossess himself of his false wife, like a true student of law, negotiated with husband No. 2, the result being that husband No. 1 received a solation to the extent of $1,000. Strange to add, this wife of two husbands was almost indifferent to the result of the consultation having such particular reference to herself. If they could agree about her ownership she would be satisfied with the decision. So the matter stands at present, and it is not likely that an appeal to the law will be made.

A workman was examining a hole which he had bored in a factory floor at New Britain, Conn, when his eye was destroyed by a red hot iron thrust through from the other side.

Prof. Huxley says that those who have taken an active part in science should be killed at sixty, as not being flexible enough to yield to the advance of new ideas. He is himself nearly fifty-seven.

During the past year 2,089 vessels were wrecked and property estimated at $1,400,000,000 destroyed. Add to the property lost in fires and see what an appalling amount of capital is utterly lost.

FEES AND DOCTORS.—The fees of doctors is an item that very many persons are interested in just at present. We believe the schedule for visits is $3.00, which would tax a man confined to his bed for a year, and need of daily visits, over $1,000 a year for medical attendance alone! And one single bottle of Hop Bitters taken in time would save the $1,000 and all the year's sickness.—*Post.*

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HORRIBLE SUICIDE.

A HAMILTON MAN CUTS HIS THROAT FROM EAR TO EAR.

HAMILTON, Feb. 18.—Shortly before twelve noon to day a most determined suicide took place at 30 Cherry-street, in the southern part of the city. The man who committed the act is named Wm. Smith, aged about sixty, who came to Canada about 11 years ago, and has been a respected resident in Hamilton for four years, He is an Englishman having served in the Royal Artilery. When he was honourable discharged he was farrier-sergeant in the artillery. He has for some time been suffering from asthma and has been confined to the house for some days. He followed the occupation of a gardener. He apparantly was very despondent, and showed symptons of insanity. About 11 o'clock to day he

ASKED FOR A RAZOR

to clean his nails. This was usual, Mrs. Smith handed him the article, she being seated at his side. The only thing being unusual to her in his appearance was that he looked all around the room, staring when she asked him what was the matter. Not fearing anything, she was composed, when all at once she observed he was struggling on the lounge on which he was seated in the front room, and to her terror he had the razor to his throat, and was cutting away with all his strength. She seized his hand, and the suicide and his wife had

A FEARFUL STRUGGLE.

Nor did he relax his determined effort till he had cut his head half off and fell forward on the floor, dying in a few minutes. On the floor where he had fell are great pools of blood, and a pillow which he had on his knees was saturated. The sight was fearful to look at. His clothing was dyed to his feet. Mrs. Smith had called her next door neighbour, Mrs. Reid, who ran in at once, in time only to see him make a dying quiver. Mr. Smith was a member of the Babtist Church, and is spoken of by his wife and neighbours as a good living man. He leaves a wife with no children.

Coroner Wolverton was called and upon viewing the body decided at once that an inquest was unnecessary, as it was a clear case of suicide.

RAILWAY ACCIDENT AT COLLINGWOOD.

COLLINGWOOD, Feb. 4.—A rather serious accident happened here to-night on the main line of the Northern and North-Western railway. As No. 3 mixed train from Toronto, due at 6.50 p. m., was approaching the yard one of the switch cranks broke. The engine and one box car kept on the main line, but the rest of the train took the siding. Some six freight cars are more or less damaged, some of them being smashed into kindling wood. None of the passenger cars left the track, but those on board had a narrow escape and a terrible shaking up. As the engine and one of the freight cars parted from the rest of the train, Brakesman Frank Lewis was in the act of stepping from one car to the other, but unfortunately he was not in time and was thrown to the ground from the top of the cars, and had his left arm badly mangled by a wheel passing over it. He also received other injuries about the head, but these are not of a serious nature. It was subsequently found necessary to amputate the left arm at the elbow. At last accounts the injured man was progressing favourably. As soon as the accident happened an auxiliary car was despatched from Allandale, and the wreckage was cleared away, causing but a few hours' delay to traffic on the line.—*Monitor.*

CLIPPINGS FROM OUR EXCHANGES.

GRANGE ANNIVERSARY.—The fifth anniversary of the Glenelg Grange was held in their Hall, Edge Hill, on Wednesday evening, the first inst. The hall was filled to its utmost capacity, and ample provisions of the richest kind provided by the ladies were liberally served out to all present. James Edge, Esq., Master, occupied the chair and a very pleasant time was spent in listening to addresses, readings, recitations and songs given on this occasion. The Grange is in a very flourishing condition as it has been since its commencement.—*Review.*

SUDDEN DEATH.—At the Soiree at Middle Station on Thursday evening a sad calamity occurred. A child of Mr. David McCrie, Normanby, and grandsone of Mr. Walter Tucker, of Durham, which was at the Soiree and when just about Departing for home, was found to be dead. Much sympathy is felt for the parents in their sudden affliction.—*Review.*

A sneak thief stopped seven horse cars in Memphis, but not after the manner of a highwayman. He entered a boarding-house where seven drivers were asleep, and stole their watches and wallets. A rule of the company requires each driver to have a watch and $10 at the outset of every trip; and as the manager would not make an exception on this occasion, the cars of the robbed men did not start.

Two lives were not lost, but saved, by a railroad accident at Newcomerstown, Ohio. A freight car was smashed by a collision, and in it were found two men insensible from cold. They had sneaked in for a free ride, the door had been locked, and, as they lay near the roof on some cotton bales, without room to move their limbs, a night at zero would have killed them if they had not by chance been discovered.

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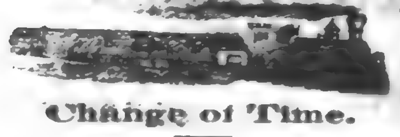

Change of Time.

Commencing Thursday, December 8, 1881

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.56 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.08 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.23 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
;Carlton	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
;Emery	7.53 "	4.48 "
;Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.26 "	6.22 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
;Orangeville June	9.57 "	7.00 "
;Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
;Crombie's	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8.06 "
;Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
;Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
;Arnott	12.38 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.4) "
;Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	10.15 "

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, Febrary 24th, 1882.

NEWS NOTES.

We learn that Mr. John Hanbury, who went to Manitoba a few weeks since, has struck a "Bonaza."

Rev. Dr. Ryerson, the founder of our present excellent school seystem, and one of the pioneer Methodist preachers of Canada, died in Toronto last week.

There has been great damage done in the Mississippi and Ohio valleys, by floods. It is stated 20,000 men have been thrown out of employment.

The land boom still continues in Manitoba. We hear of wonderful lucky hits by pur- chasers of land, and small fortunes are being made in a single day.

The Grand Lodges of the Orange Order and of the Ancient Order of United workmen are in session—the former at Strathroy and the latter at Hamilton.

Our numerous readers will learn with regret that the Bill introduced into the Local legislature to enforce the fulfilment of the agreement entered into between the late Directors of the T. G. and B. Railway and the Grand Trunk company has been thrown out by the Railway Committee by a vote of 26 to 15

WORTHY OF SUPPORT.

We are informed that a subscription list is being circulated among the farmers in the Valley in the neighborhood of Kimberly, with the object of raising money to be expended in cutting down the rock on 6 and 7 side road, on condition that the Township Council grant an equivalent sum.—The movement is being well supported by the farmers interest, who are desirous of giving their custom and support to Markdale, provided they had a good road. As it is now, it is next to impossible to bring a load sufficiently large to make it remunerative on account of the steepness of the hill. A few succeeded in reaching Markdale this winter with their grain, by doubling up or resuming the foot of the hill, and others by unloading and taking half their load up at a time.

Now, we think the business men of Markdale are as deeply interested in this matter as the farmers, and trust that they will subscribe liberally towards this contemplated improvement when asked to do so, as we are informed they shortly will be, thereby securing to themselves thirty or forty customers who are compelled under existing circumstances to go elsewhere.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

The social held on Friday evening, the 17th, inst., under the auspices of the Ladies' aid of the C. M. Church, Flesherton was a grand success. At 7.30, sharp, the meeting was called to order by Mr. B. Davis. After a few appropriate remarks, he called on Bertie Hooper, who favored the assembly with a song and was followed by Alfred Sarjeant with a recitation, Misses Ada Sproule and Effie Philp, song; Mr. Fawcett, reading; music by the Quintette Club; Miss Aggie Lietch, song. There was then an intermission for refreshments, after which the programme was resumed by Mrs. Trimble with a song; Mr. McMaster, reading; Miss Aggie Philps, song; music, Quintette Club; Mrs. W. Trimble, song; Dunwoody Bros., dialogue; Miss Pierce, song; Mrs. Will Trimble, reading; also a song entitled "Obey," which was well rendered, after making some reference to Adam, the chorus was, "The very last Man would the very last Woman Obey."

BREVITIES.

The Presbyterians will have a social on the 24th inst. A good time expected.

Scarlet fever in the Village.

Our thoroughfare almost blocked with potatoe teams.

Good sleighing again.

A number of Villagers have Manitoba fever: I will send a list next week.

OSPREY.

From our Correspondent.

Here we are in the mud again. The thaw yesterday, and the rain this morning took the snow all away; but with a little frost we will soon have good wheeling.

Mr. McAlear has left Feversham, having purchased the Railroad House at Flesherton station, where he intends keeping a first-class Hotel.

On the 7th inst. a social was held in the house of Mr. John Clinton.—The weather being disagreeable prevented many from attending. After doing ample justice to the good things furnished to comfort the inner man, Mr. John Osborne was elected chairman. The programme consisted of vocal and instrumental music, some readings, and an eloquent address from the Rev. Mr. Snowden, and all retired feeling well pleased with the evening's entertainment.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at the Town Hall on 13th inst. All the members present.

The committee on the Treasure's sureties presented their report.

Moved by Glencross and Mullarky, that the report of the committee on the Treasurer's sureties be adopted and engrossed on the Minutes.—Car.

Moved by Dunsmoor and Glencross, that Alex. Bell be paid $2.00 for work on Durham Road.—Car.

Moved by Glencross and Dunsmoor, that the Reeve be authorized to examine a bridge on the Rocky Saugeen, Garafraxa road in behalf of this Township and to repair or rebuild the same if necessary—Carried.

Moved by Neil and Glencross, that the Reeve be instructed to employ a surveyor to survey the road deviation on lot 15, con. 4, N.D.R., according to the patent for said deviation as soon as possible.—Car.

Moved by Mullarky and Dunsmoor, that C. W. Rutledge's account for printing, $3 75, and Rowsell & Hutcheson's account for Township blanks, $15.11 be paid.—Car.

By-law No. 209, appointing poundkeepers, Fence-viewers and Pathmasters, introduced and read a first and second time.

Moved by Glencross and Neil, that the account of Mr. Forgerty for getting the Town Hall and benches clean ed, amounting to $5, be paid.—Carried.

Moved by Dunsmoor and Glencross, that the Clerk instruct the county treasurer to erase the taxes on lot 7 con. 3 E. G. R., Mr. McRae being responsible for the taxes against said lot —Car.

Moved by Mullarky and Glencross, that by-law No. 209, appointing certain township officers, be now read a third time, signed sealed and engrossed on the minutes.—Car.

Moved by Neil and Glencross, that the collector for Ward No. 1 be authorized to accept $8.49 for arrears of taxes against lots 6 & 7 con. 2 N.D.R. for the year 1880, and that Charles McArthur be allowed fifty cents for Statute Labor returned against him. —Car.

Moved by Mullarky and Neil, that N. G. Dunsmoor, P. Neil, and the mover be a committee to inspect the bridge known as the Glencrossbridge, and that said committee be authorised to get the specification from Mr. Glencross and give an order on the Treasurer for the amount due the contractor, as soon as the work is completed to the satisfaction of the committee.—Car.

Moved by Neil and Glencross, that the Auditors' Report be now finally passed and adopted and that the clerk get two hundred copies printed in pamphlet form.—Car.

The Council adjourned to meet at the same place on Monday, the fifth day of June next.

TORONTO, GREY, AND BRUCE.

DEPUTATION TO THE GOVERNMENT ON BEHALF OF THE G. T. RAILWAY AMALGAMATION.

A large and influential deputation waited upon the Attorney-General and the Commissioner of Crown Lands last night in reference to the bill before the Legislature for the confirmation of the agreement between the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce and the Grand Trunk railways. The deputation, which was introduced by Messrs. Creighton, M. P. P., and Hay, M. P. P., consisted of the following gentlemen :—

County Grey.—C. R. Sing, warden.

Owen Sound.—Dr. C. E. Barnhart, mayor; John Chisholm, reeve; A. B. Lang, deputy reeve; S. J. Parker and W. B. Stephens, president and secretary of the Board of Trade; Capt. Dunn, Thomas Scott, B. Allen, G. Corbett, and D. A. Creasor.

Howick.—John Kaine, reeve; David Weir, deputy reeve; B. Stark, Thos Watson, and Thos. Wilson.

Woodstock.—W. Totten, mayor.

West Luther.—Robert Murdock, reeve; W. Sexsmith, deputy reeve.

Mono.—Robt. Wilson, reeve.

Osprey.—A. McGirr, reeve; A. McIntyre deputy reeve.

Melancthon.—J. Huxtable, reeve.

Sarawak.—R. McNaught and R. J. Doyle, reeves.

Keppel.—W. Graham, reeve.

Derby.—R. Stark, reeve.

Amaranth.—G. Bennett, deputy reeve.

Sullivan.—R. Wightman, deputy reeve.

Arthur.—Alex. Fraser, reeve.

Culsoss.—W. Scott, reeve; Alex. McIntyre, deputy reeve.

Teeswater.—F. Fairbairn, reeve.

Sydenham.—Robt, McCutcheon, reeye.

Holland.—W. Howey, reeve.

Minto.—John Prain, reeve.

Mr. Sing, warden of Grey, was the first speaker on behalf of the deputation. He said that since the Northern railway had amalgamated with the Hamilton and North-Western railway they had raised their rates, and a similar result would follow if the Northern should combine with the Toronto, Grey and Bruce. The county he represented was wholly in favour of the amalgamation with the Grand Trunk, and hoped the Government would ratify the agreement.

Dr. Barnhart, Mayor of Owen Sound, said the Grand Trunk connection was the only one which would benefit his municipality, which had contributed $56,000 to the T. G. and B. railway in bonuses. The people were strongly opposed to the Northern railway connection.

Mr. J. F. Parker, president of Board of Trade, Owen Sound, advocated the same views.

Messrs. Doyle, Owen Sound; Howey, reeve of Holland; Allen, of Owen Sound, Barker, of Orangeville, Fairbairn, reeve of Teeswater; Scott, reeve of Ross; D. Weir, Howick; Prain, reeve of Minto, and Fraser, of Arthur were all heard in advocacy of the same views.

Mr. Mowat said he felt deeply interested in the country represented by the deputation, as it had given so much and struggled so hard to secure proper railway facilities. Last year the Government passed a bill giving the T. G. and B. railway a right to amalgamate with the Grand Trunk, and they had no intention of repealing it. The Legislature also gave the protection that no other amalgamation could go into effect without the consent of the Governor in Council, and that protection would remain. (Applause.) With regard to compelling the Grand Trunk amlgamation, he could not promise that, and it might be going too far to ratify the agreement with that company.

Mr. Pardee said that the Government, while wishing to comply with the wishes of the people, had to be influenced by considerations of justice and right. It would not be consistent with justice and right. It would not be consistent with justice to force two companies to an amalgamation whether they were willing or not. It would also be unjust to ratify an agreement which was before the law courts to decide. Whether it had ever been entered into or not. Whatever became of this agreement, however, the deputation might be assured that the Government would authorize no other amalgamation against the wishes of the people.

The deputation withdrew

CLIPPINGS FROM EXCHANGES.

The boy, John Frazer, who purchased the spade and hammer, at Hannah & Ferguson's store, Shelburne, and who was supposed to be in company with the boy John Smith, who is awaiting his trial for the murder of his uncle, was brought down here on Monday, and confronted with the prisoner in the gaol for the purpose of identification. He says that he does not think he is the boy who was in the store the same day he made his purchase, and further states that he never saw the boy who was in the store with him but on that occasion. They must now hunt up the boy who bought that revolver.—*Orangeville Gazette.*

SAD DEATH.—A little girl, about six years old, youngest daughter of Rev. Mr. Ashbury, of this town, was taken suddenly ill while in church on Sunday last, but managed, unattended, to make her way home with great difficulty, on reaching which she showed symptoms of having been poisoned. Medical aid was at once summoned, but to no purpose, she continued in great agony, vomiting and crying out for water until next morning, when death came to her rescue. She had partaken with the rest of the family of some highly seasoned cake, which is supposed to have been the cause of the accident, being rather delicate, it took more effect on her than any of the others. In addition to this sad affliction, every member of Mr. Ashbury's family, with the exception of himself, are now ill with either scarlet fever or diphtheria. The reverend gentleman and his family have the deepest sympathy of the community in their misfortunes.—*Durham Chronicle.*

RAILWAY ACCIDENT.—The mail train which leaves here every afternoon ran off the track at New Lowell last Friday evening. The section men had very carelessly left the switch open below the station and as there is a heavy grade there, a good rate of speed was attained before the switch was reached. The engineer did not notice that the switch was open until within a few feet of it and had barely time to reverse his engine before it was pitched off into the ditch followed by the baggage car. The smoking and passenger cars were merely jerked off the track which was quite sufficient however to give the passengers a good scare. Engineer Dallery bravely stuck to his post and went down with his engine, and how he and his fireman escaped unhurt is most wonderful. About twenty-five yards ahead of where the accident occurred is a very deep gully and had we gone off there the chances are this item would never have been penned and messrs. J. S Wilson and A. H. Watson, no more numbered amongst the residents of Meaford. "Better to be born lucky than rich."—*Monitor.*

FIRE IN NEUSTEADT.—On Monday at midnight, a fire broke out in a brick building used as the printing office of the "Canada National Zeitung," Neusteadt, which soon spread to the adjoining residence occupied by the publisher, Mr. John Klein. Despite the greatest efforts made, nothing could be saved out of the printing office. The greater part of the household furniture was saved, but badly damaged. Mr. Klein mourns the loss of an excellent private library, containing rare works, which will be difficult to replace. The buildings were owned by the Ontario Bank, and fully insured.

SUCIDE.—Mr. John Gillespie, of Holland, committed suicide this Thursday morning. He has been in poor health for the last four weeks and in a very despondent state. His family have watched him closely for the last two weeks, as he showed symptoms of insanity, but this morning he escaped their vigilance and hung himself in his barn. The deceased was a highly respected citizen, and has been a resident of the township for the last 26 years, and has been a member of the Council on several occasions. He was aged 56 years. His family has the sincere sympathy of the whole community.

NARROW ESCAPE.—A little girl, aged seven years, daughter of Mr. Moffat, of the Markdale Foundry, while returning from school on Wednesday afternoon, and when opposite the driveway leading from the stables of the Mansion House, was struck by a team coming out from the driving shed, and knocked down. The horses being somewhat startled sprang completely over the prostrate child without doing her any injury; but one of the runners of the sleigh struck her on the side of the head and inflicted an ugly but not serious wound. It is a miracle the child was not instantly killed.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall,	No. 1	$1.18	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring,	" 1	1.20	to	1.23
Barley	" 2	.60	to	.80
Peas	" 1	.69	to	.72
Oats	" 1	.35	to	.36
Butter	" 1	.18	to	.20
Eggs		.18	to	.20
Potatoes	"	35	to	40
Pork	"	6.75	to	7.10
Hay	"	12.00	to	16.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 25	to	$1 27
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to	1 31
Barley, do.	0 80	to	0 89
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 85	to	0 86
Clover Seed do.	5 00	to	5 05
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	o 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, large rolls	23	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy	18	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 21	to	0 29
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	3 00
Potatoes per bag	0 90	to	1 00
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 23rd 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1 24
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.80
Barley	0.60	"	0.72
Oats	0.35	"	0.31
Peas	0.68	"	0.70
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.71
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.15
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.18
Pork, dressed,	8 00	"	8.58
Beef	5.00	"	5 50
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.10
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	8.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.*)

FRIDAY, Feb. 23rd. 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$5.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1 25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.50	"	7 10
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	[illegible]
Wool	0.22	"	[illegible]
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

BIRTHS.

WEST—In Markdale, on January 22nd, the wife of Mr. Henry West, of a daughter.

NOTICE.

REFORM CONVENTION EAST GREY

Will meet in the Township Hall, Flesherton,

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1882,

at one o'clock p.m., for the purpose of selecting candidates both for the House of Commons and Ontario Legislature. All friends of reform and good government are cordially invited.

By order of the President.

WM. BROWN, Secretary.

Markdale, Feb. 14th, 1882.

THE ... 113, C... quantity of White Russian Wheat and Black Tartar Oats. Parties desiring to procure a good article for seed should give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I guarantee the above pure and free from all foul seed; also two yoke of Oxen, rising 6 years old, well matched, and sound in every respect.

JOHN FORD.

February 22nd, 1882. 76-4t

A. W. EATON, ON THE WARPATH AGAIN! AS A GENERAL BLACKSMITH.

The subscriber begs to announce that he has secured the services of a first-class mechanic and is now prepared to carry on the blacksmith business and general jobbing in Mark Richards' old shop. He will treat all kinds of diseases of the feet such as Corns and Contractions. Interfering of horses a specialty. Having a good reputation in this section of country as a first class horse shoer he can guarantee satisfaction. A fair trial is respectfully solicited.

Positively cash until first May, after that date credit will be given until 1st of January, 1883. Will work as cheap as the cheapest.

Markdale, Feb. 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

House to Rent.

Double Tenement, with stable, on Toronto street, Markdale.

WM. BROWN.

Markdale, Jan. 16th, 1882. 71-3t.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms. EDISON MUSIC CO., 929 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa. 68-6m.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

20-1y 42 Cedar St., New York

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N.Y. 20-1y

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N.Y. 20-1y

Is a compound of the virtues of sarsaparilla, stillingia, mandrake, yellow dock, with the iodide of potash and iron, all powerful blood-making, blood-cleansing, and life-sustaining elements. It is the purest, safest, and most effectual alterative medicine known or available to the public. The sciences of medicine and chemistry have never produced so valuable a remedy, nor one so potent to cure all diseases resulting from impure blood. It cures Scrofula and all scrofulous diseases, Erysipelas, Rose, or St. Anthony's Fire, Pimples and Face-grubs, Pustules, Blotches, Boils, Tumors, Tetter, Humors, Salt Rheum, Scald-head, Ring-worm, Ulcers, Sores, Rheumatism, Mercurial Disease, Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities, Jaundice, Affections of the Liver, Dyspepsia, Emaciation, and General Debility.

By its searching and cleansing qualities it purges out the foul corruptions which contaminate the blood and cause derangement and decay. It stimulates and enlivens the vital functions, promotes energy and strength, restores and preserves health, and infuses new life and vigor throughout the whole system. No sufferer from any disease which arises from impurity of the blood need despair who will give AYER'S SARSAPARILLA a fair trial.

It is folly to experiment with the numerous low-priced mixtures, of cheap materials, and without medicinal virtues, offered as blood-purifiers, while disease becomes more firmly seated. AYER'S SARSAPARILLA is a medicine of such concentrated curative power, that it is by far the best, cheapest, and most reliable blood-purifier known. Physicians know its composition, and prescribe it. It has been widely used for forty years, and has won the unqualified confidence of millions whom it has benefited.

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 68-4t

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

...now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

GOOD HEARSE for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING ...tly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

...usehold Furniture!

...red work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

...STIC AND PHOTO FRAMES which will be sold cheap for Cash.

...soned Lumber of all kinds taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT, MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

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LICENSED AUCTIONEER For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-1y

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP My Grist Mill in FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. McLEOD, MARKDALE.

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born [illegible] footed will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth's and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here,

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

THOS. MATHEWS, HarnesS EstablishmenT!

MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY!

IN CONNECTION.

GEORGE WILSON, Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 21st, 1881

NOTICE.

To Builders & Contractors.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of the 27th inst., for the erection of an HOTEL in the Village of Dundalk for Mr. J. C. Reid. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office from the 20th to the 25th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ISAAC TRAYNOR, Architect and Surveyor, Owen Sound st., Dundalk.

76-4t

GUITEAU TO BE HANGED ON 30th JUNE

AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

REYNOLDS & SON

ARE SELLING OUT THEIR

FALL AND WINTER STOCK FOR THIRTY DAYS AT COST!

In order to make room for their Spring importations.

Scotch, Irish & Canadian Tweeds--desperate low prices. See them

WINCEYS very cheap. Bargains in CASHMERES, &c.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE BARGAINS AT

REYNOLDS & SONS.

Markdale, February 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of —

Dress Goods,	Cashmeres,	Lustres,
Shawls,	Prints,	Winceys,
Velveteens,	Embroideries,	Ladies's Ulsters
Mantles,	Tweeds,	Ready-made Clothing,
Hats & Caps,	Gent's Ties,	Linen Collars
Dress Shirts,	Overcoats,	Fancy Flannels
Ducks,	Oxford Shirtings,	Carpets, &c

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT

10 PER CT. DISCOUNT ON FORMER PRICES

and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 25th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very ... manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-1y

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 20-1y

Gold Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address Stinson & Co., Portland Maine.

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NEW STOCK. LATEST DESIGNS.

New Panel Frames.
New Panel Mats.
New 8x10 Frames.
New 8x10 Mats.
Selling Cheap at

Browne's Gallery,

OVER STANDARD OFFICE.

Take Notice.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO ME either by note or book account, are requested to call and pay the same to A. Turner, Druggist, he alone being authorised to receive monies due me and to give receipts therefor.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 81 3t

...ARD.

...day, February 24th 1882.

...AL & OTHER NOTICES

...to buy Watches at W. F. Doll's.

...have again taken the place...

...Repairing a specialty, all work ...ed at W. F. Doll's.

...arrived, and for sale another ... of chips at T. Mathews.

...you want one dollar's worth of ...for 95 cts. try Butter & Rae's.

...splendid Organs for sale cheap at W. ...Doll's.

...ing up business.—Mrs. Grant is ...ing off at cost. Now is the time ...bargains.

...should shout all manufacturers, ...nists and mill men when they ...try Lardine.

...Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis and ...affections of the Lungs, take ...'s Cherry Pectoral.

...Goods in every line including Silver ...Electro-Plated Ware, Colored and Bright ...Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings ...Also Violins, Italian Strings, &c ...F. Doll's.

...Coll Bros. & Co., Toronto, are ...manufacturers of Lardine, the ...lubricator known. Try it.

...ts, Vests, Pants, Caps, and ...must be sold for cash in order ...make room for spring stock at ...r & Rae's.

...snow fell on Tuesday and We... ...y has made sleighing good again ...w logs and cord wood are being ...t in rapidly.

...n't forget the great discount ... ...goods at Cheap Side, lasts ... ...day only now is your time ... Bargains.

CORN DODGER.—A man w... ...tight boots, by procuring M... ...d's well-fitting, non rip... ...roof Boots.

...men and women with w... ...to buy Lazarus & Morris Spec... ...be supplied by W. F. Doll's ... ...dale, Flesherton and Dundalk.

...revival services are still be... ...in the Methodist Church ... ...es are now being held tw... ...Rev. Mr. Lake of Chatsworth ... ...dering efficient aid. Upwa... ...seekers, have been at the altar...

...u want old pictures copied o... ...to any size, and finished i... ...class style. Go to Brown's G...

...will been by glancing over ou... ...rtising columns, Mr. A. W. E... ...commenced business again, ...ted Richardson's old stand.

...Lardine machine oil will not ... ...se, and wears better than an... ...oil in the market. Ask y... ...dealer and take no other.

...e fancy you consult ... ...McFarland ... ...middlemen's profits, and ... ...customers the benefit.

...—Dentists who have t... ...BERRY." pronounce it the ... ...on the face of this earth f... ...and breath. 5 cent samples.

...Vennor's forecast for the last ... ...ary has proved true, ...days having been intensely ... ...the ground once m... ...snow.

...Ronald, alias Na-Ma... ...celebrated Indian rope walk... ...Meaford, has left fo... ...d, it is supposed he has gone ... ...dry dock for repairs.

...verything is rising in pric... ...oil lamps are higher ... ...them up. McFarland's ... ...lower since he commenced ... ...direct. He has turned them ... ...don't you forget it.

...Samuel McCaw, the ... ...ctor on the Whitby and ... ...Railway, says Dr. Carson's ... ...and Constipation Bitters ... ...of Dyspepsia. I always ... ...in the house, and consider ... ...able as a family medicine ... ...er and Co., Special Agent, Mark...

...social will be given on Thurs... ...2nd March, at the residence ... ...Shepherd Boyce, Glenelg, ...auspices of the L.A.A., Presb... ...Church, Markdale. A g... ...may be expected.

...at is Lardine? Ask any farmer... ...er, or mill man, or any ... ...runs machinery, and he will ... ...that it is the only oil which ... ...equal to castor oil, and ... ...or clog your machinery.

...oto frames, from 5cts up... ...0, and all sizes of picture... ...o frames made to order, ch... ...Brown's. Over STANDARD ... ...him a call.

...ruggists throughout the cou... ...y to the great merits of Dr. ... ...Stomach and Constipation ... No Medicine they sell ... ...aptly in curing Dyspepsia ... ...on, Biliousness, Liver Comp... Have you tried it? A T... ...Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

...TOWNSEND FAMILY.—This ... ...company will appear at Dun... ...next Tuesday evening, they ha... ...ld-wide reputation, having ... ...all the principal cities in ... ...and America. We hope ... ...will not miss this rare tre... ...ission 25; Reserved seats 35 ... ...seven kings of Rome w... ...ulus, Noma Pompilius, T... ...llius, Ancus Martius, Tarkin... ...Servius Tullius, and T... ...Superbus, and the King... ...Pens is Esterbrook's Falc...

...received an anonymous co... ...from some party in Ow... ...who seems to be very solicit... ...comfort during the approa... ...summer. We beg to inform ... ...are quite capabl... ...care of ourselves; but if ... ...of the articles referred... ...will send him a few, in pick... ...gratuitously.

...Colds, Asthma, Bronchi... ...the Throat and Chest, reli... ...cured by the use of Dr. C... ...Pulmonary Cough Drops. T... ...reliable testimony has been ... ...efficacy. In B... ...A. Turner, and ...Agent Markdale.

GUITEAU TO BE HANGED ON 30th JUNE
AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT
REYNOLDS & SON
ARE SELLING OUT THEIR
FALL AND WINTER STOCK FOR THIRTY DAYS AT COST!
In order to make room for their Spring Importations.
Scotch, Irish & Canadian Tweeds--desperate low prices. See them

DISCOUNT SALE
[illegible]HEAPSIDE."
[illegible] NEXT 30 DAYS
[illegible] Goods, consisting of
Lustres,
Winceys,
[illegible] Ladies's Ulsters,
Ready-made Clothing,
[illegible] Linen Collars,
[illegible] Fancy Flannels,
[illegible] Carpets, &c.
[illegible] BE SOLD AT
[illegible] FORMER PRICES
[illegible] room for my Spring importations [illegible] 29th of March.
[illegible] CASH.
[illegible] country for the very liberal [illegible] business, and hope to merit a [illegible]
HENRY FOSTER.

FRAMES!
JUST ARRIVED.
NEW STOCK. LATEST DESIGNS.
New Panel Frames.
New Panel Mats.
New 8x10 Frames.
New 8x10 Mats.
Selling Cheap at
Browne's Gallery,
OVER STANDARD OFFICE.

Take Notice.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO ME either by note or book account, are requested to call and pay the same to A. Turner, Druggist, he alone being authorized to receive monies due me and to give receipts therefor.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

Markdale, Feb. [illegible], 1882. 81 3t.

[illegible]DS
[illegible] get MY TWENTY- [illegible] the Cultivator's [illegible] ready to be sent [illegible]ERS, Seedsman, [illegible] TORONTO.

THE STANDARD.

[illegible]day, February 24th 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

[illegible] to buy Watches at W. F. Doll's.

[illegible] Sleighs have again taken the place [illegible] waggons.

[illegible] Repairing a specialty, all work [illegible] at W. F. Doll's.

[illegible] arrived, and for sale another [illegible] of ships at T. Mathews.

[illegible] you want one dollar's worth of [illegible] for 85 cts. try Butter & Rae's.

[illegible] splendid Organs for sale cheap at W. [illegible]

[illegible] giving up business.—Mrs. Grant is [illegible] off at cost. Now is the time [illegible] bargains.

[illegible]! shout all manufacturers, [illegible] and mill men when they [illegible] Lardine.

For Coughs, Colds, Broninchitis and [illegible] affections of the Lungs, take [illegible]'s Cherry Pectoral.

[illegible] Goods in every line including Silver [illegible] Electro-Plated Ware, Colored and Bright [illegible] Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings, [illegible] Also Violins, Italian Strings, &c., [illegible] F Doll's.

[illegible] Bros. & Co., Toronto, are [illegible] manufacturers of Lardine, the [illegible] lubricator known. Try it.

[illegible], Vests, Pants, Caps and [illegible] must be sold for cash in order [illegible] make room for spring stock at [illegible] & Rae's.

[illegible] snow fall on Tuesday and Wed[illegible] has made sleighing good again [illegible] saw logs and cord wood are being [illegible] in rapidly.

Don't forget the great discount sale [illegible] goods at Cheap Side, lasts for [illegible] day only now is your time to se [illegible] Bargains.

[illegible] CORN DODGER.—A man who [illegible] tight boots, by procuring Mc[illegible]and's well-fitting, non ripping, [illegible]proof Boots.

[illegible] men and women with weak and fail[illegible] to buy Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles, [illegible] be supplied by W. F. Doll, sole agent [illegible], Flesherton and Dundalk.

[illegible] revival services are still being [illegible] the Methodist Church here. [illegible] are now being held twice a [illegible] Rev. Mr. Lake of Chatsworth, [illegible] rendering efficient aid. Upwards [illegible] seekers, have been at the altar.

[illegible] want old pictures copied or [illegible] to any size, and finished in [illegible] style. Go to Brown's Gal[illegible]

[illegible] been by glancing over our [illegible] columns, Mr. A. W. Eaton [illegible] commenced business again, hav[illegible] Richardson's old stand.

[illegible] machine oil will not gum [illegible], and wears better that any [illegible] in the market. Ask your dealer and take no other.

[illegible] fancy you consult consult your [illegible] McFarland imports direct, [illegible] middlemen's profits, and gives [illegible] customers the benefit.

[illegible] —Dentists who have tried [illegible]" pronounce it the finest [illegible] on the face of this earth for the [illegible] breath. 5 cent samples.

[illegible]'s forecast for the last of [illegible] has proved true, the last [illegible] having been intensitely cold [illegible] ground once more covered [illegible]

[illegible] Ronald, alias Na-Ma Goosie, [illegible] celebrated Indian rope walker, [illegible] Meaford, has left for Owen [illegible], it is supposed he has gone into [illegible] dock for repairs.

[illegible]verything is rising in price; even [illegible] lamps are higher when you [illegible] them up. McFarland's goods [illegible] ever since he commenced to im[illegible] direct. He has turned them down [illegible] don't you forget it.

[illegible] Samuel McCaw, the well-known [illegible] on the Whitby and Lind[illegible] Railway, says Dr. Carson's Sto[illegible] and Constipation Bitters cured [illegible] Dyspepsia. I always keep [illegible] in the house, and consider them [illegible] as a family medicine. A [illegible] and Co., Special Agent, Mark[illegible]

[illegible] Social will be given on Thursday [illegible] 2nd March, at the residence of [illegible] Shepherd Boyce, Glenelg, under [illegible] auspices of the L.A.A., Presby[illegible] Church, Markdale. A good [illegible] may be expected.

[illegible] is Lardine? Ask any farmer, [illegible], or mill man, or any man [illegible] machinery, and he will tell [illegible] it is the only oil which will [illegible] equal to castor oil, and won't [illegible] clog your machinery.

[illegible] frames, from 5cts up to [illegible] and all sizes of picture or [illegible] frames made to order, cheap [illegible] Brown's. Over STANDARD office. [illegible] him a call.

[illegible]ggists throughout the country [illegible] to the great merits of Dr. Car[illegible] Stomach and Constipation Bit[illegible] No Medicine they sell acts so [illegible] in curing Dyspepsia, Indi[illegible], Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Have you tried it? A Turner [illegible] Special Agent, Markdale.

[illegible] TOWNSEND FAMILY.—This po[illegible] company will appear at Dufferin [illegible] next Tuesday evening, they have [illegible] world-wide reputation, having play[illegible] all the principal cities in En[illegible] and America. We hope our [illegible] will not miss this rare treat. [illegible] 25; Reserved seats 35 cts.

[illegible] seven kings of Rome were [illegible], Noma Pompilius, Tullus [illegible], Ancus Martius, Tarkuinius [illegible], Servius Tullius, and Tar[illegible] Seperbus, and the King of [illegible] Pens is Esterbrook's Falcon No. [illegible]

[illegible] received an anonymous com[illegible] from some party in Owen [illegible] who seems to be very solicitous [illegible] our comfort during the approach[illegible] summer. We beg to inform said [illegible] that we are quite capable of [illegible] care of ourselves; but if would [illegible] some of the articles referred to [illegible] will send him a few, in pickle, [illegible] own use, gratuitously.

[illegible], Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, [illegible] in the Throat and Chest, reliev[illegible] and cured by the use of Dr. Car[illegible] Pulmonary Cough Drops. The [illegible] reliable testimony has been re[illegible] as to their efficacy. In Bot[illegible] 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. [illegible] Agent Markdale.

WANTED.—[illegible] 10,000 bushels of [illegible] Parlands.

Young men going to Manitoba will make money by buying all their clothing at Butter & Rae's.

Mr. MacRae, Reeve of Glenelg, was in town this week. He is looking as jolly as ever.

Potatoes are being shipped in large quantities from here this week. McFarland sent six car loads, and Hill Bros, one.

"What kind of tea do most editors like?—Brevity." The people prefer McFarland's tea. It tastes well, drinks well and makes you feel well. Try it.

We notice the Baillif in Town and shall expect him often if all delinquents is not up to time with Butter & Rae.

Mr. John Ford of Mount Royal farm, Township of Artemesia, advertises that he has a quantity of White Russia wheat, Black Tartar Oats, and two yoke of oxen for sale Mr. F. has gained a reputation for raising first-class articles, and as he is willing to guarantee what he sells to be just as he represents them, we we would recommend parties who require such to give him a call.

The Boundary award is not settled yet; but it is an undisputed fact that the *Cheapest* and *Best* goods can be had at Butter & Rae's.

BURGLARY.—The shop of Mr. Geo. Wilson, Butcher, Markdale, was broken into on the night of the 20th and a large quantity of meat taken therefrom, Mr. Wilson has a pretty good idea who the party was, and should he be able to preve his suspicion he intends pushing the matter as far as the law will allow. Mr. A., had better give the above shop a wide berth in future or else he might find himself in the toils of our worthy constable.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

We must apologize to our readers for the short amount of local and other matter in our paper the past two weeks; but we feel sure that our readers will bear with us when we state that Mr. Rutledge, the proprietor, has been confined to his bed with a severe attack of pleurisy and inflamation of the lungs. At the present time of writing he is in a very low state and grave fears are entertained of his recovery.

What proved to be one of the bes socials ever given in this part of the county, was held at the house of Jas. Stinson, Esq., 11th line Euphrasia, on Wednesday evening, 8th inst., under the L.A.A., Markdale Presbyterian Church, in aid of building fund, the house, which is tolerably large, was filled to completion. A sumptous repast was provided, confirming the fact that the 11th liners can't be beaten for cookery. The games were entered in to with a zest, and all seemed to have enjoyed, and felt themselves perfectly at home, under the kind hospitalities offorded. An election cake, worthy of praise, was cut by Misses. Stinson & Rourke, representing Euphrasia and Markdale respectively. Proceeds $33.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

No snow and bad roads makes business very dull.

The Dundalk Post Office is now permanently established in G. R. Middleton's new store, directly opposite to the office of A. G. Hunter.

On last Saturday Drs. McWilliams and Griffin amputated the left foot and left a hand of J. McDowell. This second operation has left Mr. McDowell without either feet or hands. We sincerely sympathize with him and his family in their great affliction.

R. F. Taylor has purchased the house and premises, on Victoria St., owned by E. B. Grey.

A. G. Hunter, Estate and Loan Agent, has a number of cheap farms for sale, and a large amount of money to loan on easy terms.

The following is the Honor Roll for School Section No. 6, Melancthon, for the month of January:—Marks obtainable, 200. Senior Third Class—Emma Taylor, 120. Junior Third Class.—Annie Taylor, 186; J. Barmby, 130. Senior Second Class—Jas. Corbett, 158; Willie Thompson, 142. Junior Second Class—Lizzie Barmby, 166; Maggie Corbett, 153. Senior First Class—Russell Taylor, 175.—LUCINDA GRAHAM, Teacher.

We are pleased to hear that John McDowell is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances, of his misfortune.

There is a general ice harvest going on, in preparation for the warm days of summer.

Dr. McWilliams has taken to himself a wife, who will help him on through the journey of life.

All our trains are noted for splendid time. We believe that the conductors on the T. G. & B. Railway, are the most courteous and obliging conductors of any Railway in the Province.

A few cooking, box and parlor stoves, cheap for cash, at J. Gardiner's, Dundalk. Also a cheap lot of lamps, large glass lamps, burners, and glass, for 40c.

There will be an auction sale of valuable property at Dundalk, on March 7th. Fair Day, at the Anglo-American Hotel. Parties wishing to invest in real estate, should not ail to attend, as the property is one of the best in the village, and is now let for an yearly rental of $250.00.

FLESHERTON
Harness Shop.

GORDON

Has always on hand a full assortment of

HEAVY HARNESS,
WHIPS,
SLEIGH BELLS,
TRUNKS,
HORSE BLANKETS,
—AND—
SCOTCH COLLARS!

Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

REMEMBER THE PLACE
RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

J. GORDON.

N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken.

Flesherton, Dec. 6th. 1881. 16.

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH
GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF
Teas, Coffees
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs.
Knee-Bobs.
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
Call and Inspect our Work!
on hand before purchasing elsewhere.
CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO
HORSESHOEING
and General Jobbing in every line.
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

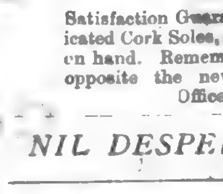
Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!
—FROM—
KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

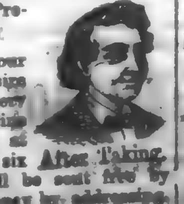
NIL DESPERANDUM.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.



THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

Before Taking. After Taking.



☞Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing,

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
[illegible] Toronto [illegible]

To the Public!

Ladies and Gentlemen,

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA,
Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881. 18t

Moffat Bros'.
MARKDALE
Foundry!
—AND—
MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING
Turning and Boring,
WITH
General Lathe Work
Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!
And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,
Sugar Kettles,
Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1881 63-ly

MARKDALE

Marble Works
Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

EUGENIA
Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

69ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

$2 Watches. [illegible]

Great Discount
SALE!
—AT THE—
POST OFFICE STORE
FLESHERTON,
FOR THIRTY DAYS.

In order to make room for my Spring Importations I will sell the balance of my large stock of Fall and Winter Goods at

Extremely low Prices.

Be sure and call and secure some of the Bargains.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Jan. 30th, 1882.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'
ESTATE, LOAN AND
General Agency.
DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1 ly.

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 48-6m.

MARKDALE HOUSE
MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 18

1,000,000!
Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the

Highest Price in Cash!

for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

☞Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.

Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

Farm for Sale.

Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to

PETER McARTHUR, Markdale.
Or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD Office.
70-tf [illegible]

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

JOHN NOBLE,
MARKDALE,
GENER'L BLACKSMITH

HORSESHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

Strayed

FROM THE PREMISES OF JOHN SEMAN, Lot 2, Concession 11, Euphrasia, a 1-year Heifer, all red. Any information as to its whereabouts will be thankfully received. [illegible]

THE "LONDON HOUSE,"
DUNDALK.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, to to 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 60c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10. The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have sabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—
Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23 1881. 67-tf.

1881. - CHRISTMAS. - 1881.
THE "GLASGOW HOUSE,"
DUNDALK.

PRESENTS the compliments of the season, wishing all a Happy New Year. It is scarcely six monshs since this house was opened, and as week after week has passed business has rapidly increased, which has at the present date enabled the proprietor to import direct from Europe. Feeling thankful to the farmers of Proton and adjacent townships for their liberal patronage, trusting to merit a continuance of the same, would respectfully invite inspection to the new large stock of all kinds of goods, consisting of

Dry Goods, Fancy Goods,
MILLINERY.
HATS AND CAPS, READY-MADE CHOTHING,
Boots and Shoes, Groceries and Crockery.

DRESS GOODS for 8c. worth 15c. BLACK CASHMERES for 25c. worth 40c. WINCEYS from 5c. up. PRINTS from 5c. up. All kinds of Flannels and Shirtings at low prices. Blankets and Woollen Underclothing very cheap. Pure Linen Tablings from 20c to 75c. per yard. White Cottons and Heavy Grey Cottons from 5c. to 10c. Tapestry Carpeting. Boots. Shoes and Rubbers, over 2000 pairs to select from; no pasteboard soles and for less money than shoddy goods are sold at. DUST TEA from 17c. up. Pure YOUNG HYSON TEA, 3 lbs. for $1.

A First-class Tailor and Milliner!

In connection with the establishment. ☞ Call and inspect goods before purchasing

Highest price paid for all kinds of Grain and Farm Produce. Discount of 5 per cent. off for cash.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.
"Glasgow House Noted."
Cheapest House North of Toronto.

Dundalk, December 8th, 1881. ly

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores a

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

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A FIGHT FOR A GIRL.

A despatch from Portland, Mich., says:—On the 14th inst. S. W. McGerry, of Gaill, came here on information that his daughter, not yet fourteen years old, was to be married to a rather dissolute young man. The bans were published some time ago in the Catholic Church, and the wedding was to have taken place on the 15th. The father found his daughter at the dressmaker's, took her by force and drove with her to Muir. The disappointed groom and friends telegraphed to certain parties in Muir to stop McGerry, and followed after in hot pursuit. McGerry was met by a mob, who were too many for him; so he telegraphed here for 24 men, and 15 or 20 have gone to his relief, armed for a fight. At last report McGerry had his daughter in a hotel at Muir and was guarding the door with a revolver. The priest was here this morning to perform the ceremony.—He did not know that the marriages of girls under sixteen years were forbidden, and on being so informed declared he would not perform the ceremoney for any consideration. A number of prominent men are taking part in the trouble.

The monument to Edward I. on Burgh Marsh, in England, the scene of his death, has just been carefully restored at the expense of Lord Lonsdale.

A REAL NECESSITY.

No house should be without a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, in case of accident. There is no preparation offered to suffering humanity that has made so many permanent cures, or releived so much pain and misery. It is called by some the Good Samaritan, by others the Cure-all, and by the afflicted an Angel of Mercey.

The boats of the British cruiser London, lately commanded by Captain Brownrigg, who lost his life while overhauling a slave dhow, have captured another dhow, having on board 157 slaves.

The surfmen in the United States life Saving Service on the coast of Maine and Massachussetts complain that Senator Conger's bill does not do them justice, because they can see no provisions in it for an increase of their present pay.

A PROMINENT ACTOR'S BELIEF.

Mr. Tony Pastor, of New York City, the great humorist and actor, was signally benefited by the Great German Remedy, and felt constrained to testify to its efficacy for the benefit of others suffering in the same way.

Cincinnati burglar, a mere boy, was shot while breaking into a house. In his pocket was found a watch which only half an hour before, he had taken by force from a man in the street. He said he had intended to "put in a full night's work."

WEAK LUNGS AND HOW TO MAKE THEM STRONG

Breathe with the mouth closed, have access at all times to pure air exercise moderately, eat nourishing but simple food, and take that best of all cough remedies, Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it speedily cures all throat or lung troubles of adults or children. Price 25cents per bottle.

According to Figaro, beef stewed in beer, and strongly odoriferous of the latter, is the Prince Imperial of Germany's favorite food, while his mother revels in eels and carp, with beer sauce, the venerable Emperor lapping up with evident gusto his beer soup.

"WHAT EVERY ONE SAYS MUST BE TRUE."

And every one who has tested its merits speaks warmly in praise of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam as a positive cure for all throat and lung complaints coughs and colds, sore throat, bronchitis, and incipient consumption.

M. Millet, a brother of the late distinguished artist, is the originator of the idea for using the panels of original woods for the covers of books—veneers, such as has long been used for furniture and wall decorations. These veneers are cut so thin that over one hundred are needed to make a pile an inch high.

DYSPEPSIA,

that all prevalent disease of civilized life, is always attended with a disordered sympathetic system and bad secretions, and no remedy is better adapted to its cure than Burdock Blood Bitters taken according to special directions found on every bottle.

The first mail between New York and Washington was detained a few days ago by a novel cause. While running at full speed the bell rope was energetically pulled, and the train stopped. Postal regulations require an explanation of any delay of the fast mails, and it appears from the official correspondence on the subject that one of two elephants in a car had amused himself by pulling at the rope.

WHEN DOCTORS DISAGREE WHO SHALL DECIDE?

Nothing is more variable than the different opinions of medical men; but when they fail to agree, or to perform a cure in a chronic disease, the patients often decide for themselves, and take Burdock Blood Bitters, and speedily recover. It is the grand key to health that unlocks all the secretions, and liberates the slave from the captivity of disease.

The Rev. O. Barnes, is conducting in Louisville, a religious revival which in most respects is not uncommon; but he introduces a novelty by carrying a bottle of oil, as he goes among the penitents and annointing them on the foreheads. He claims scriptural authority for this ceremony. Although harshly criticised for his oddities, he is said to be sincere in his work—so sincere that he will take no pay except food an lodging—and his converts are numerous. He is a seceeder from the Presbyterians.

A Cross Baby.—Nothing is so conducive to a man's remaining a bachelor as stopping for one night at the house of a married friend and being kept awake for five or six hours by the crying of a cross baby. All cross and crying babies need only Hop Bitters to make them well and smiling. Young man, remember this.—Traveller.

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The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

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Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

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Yours truly,
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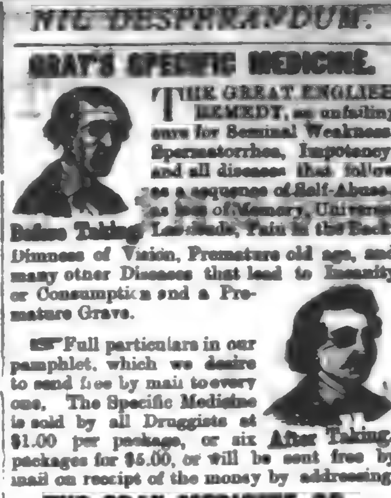

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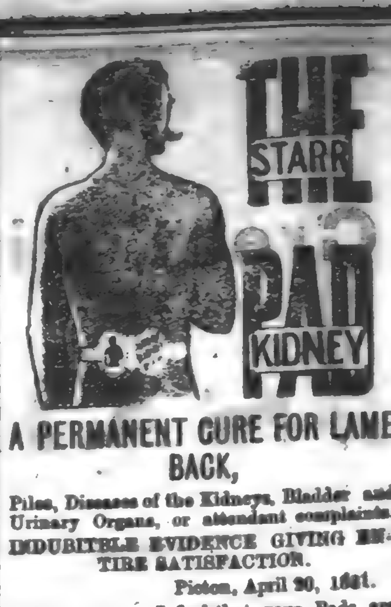

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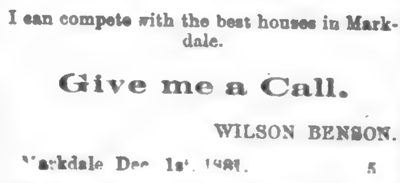

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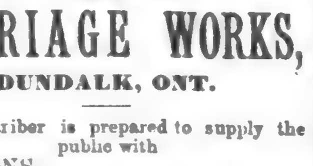

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Happy New Year.
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A. DUNLOP.
Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. 60-3m

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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CHAPTER I. Continued.

'My good fellow,' Wyatt murmured plaintively, 'don't call her mine—she isn't. The cakes and cream of life are not for me. And it's all the same —Lady Cecil, and White Queen, Delilah, Circe, any name by which fair and fatal sirens have ever known There she sits. 'Queen rose of the rose bud garden of girls.' The laureate must have had her in his eyes when he wrote 'Maud.'

The African officer raised his glass and looked long and earnestly at that brilliant vision, rose crowned and diamond decked. Then his glass dropped, and he turned away. Delamer looked at him curiously.

'The tail of the serpent is over all still! And you know my Lady Cecil. How was it—where was it?'

'It was in Ireland many years ago.'

'In Ireland, and many years ago. One would think the lovely Queenie was a centenarian. How many years ago? Don't be too sphinx-like. Before you went to Algiers?'

'Before I went to Algiers—over six years ago.'

'I hope she had nothing to do with your doing—it is a way of hers, sending doomed men to exile! Anywhere, anywhere out of the world her slaughtered victims rush. She must have been young six years ago, but then some of these sorceresses are fatal from the hour they cut their first teeth. Say, *mon brave*, are you, too, in her list of killed and wounded?"

'Is she so fatal then?' O'Donnell asked, shirking the question.

'Fatal! fatal's no word for it! Ask Wyatt, ask Lord Longlands, ask Sir Godfrey Vane—ask—ask any man in London. The most merciless flirt that ever demoralized mankind.'

'And still—at two-and-twenty—Lady Cecil Clive is Lady Cecil Clive.

'How pat he has her age? Yes, at two-and-twenty the conqueress still walks "in maiden meditation, fancy free." But the talk of club and drawing-room is that early next season we are to have a brilliant wedding. Sir Arthur Tregenna, to whom she has been pledged since childhood, comes to claim her. One might say woo and win, only there was no wooing in the case. It's a family affair—he has the purse of Fortunatus, she is the beauty of the Princess Perfect; what need of wooing in such a case? And yet,' with a second curious look, you know what she told me one night not very long ago?'

'Not being a wizard—no.'

'We were at Convent Garden; there was an Irish play—a new thing—and I was behind her chair. We spoke casually of Ireland, and she told me she had been there, and—'mark it, Horatio'—that the happiest days of her life were those days in Ireland. Oh! no need to look like that! I don't insinuate by any means that you had anything to do with it. *Apropos* of nothing, where's that prince of followers, that paragon of henchmen, that matchless servitor of the last of the O'Donnell's, your man Lanty.'

'Ah, yes, Lanty,' Wyatt said; havn't laughed once, I assure you, since I saw Lanty. Don't say you have left him behind you in Africa?'

'Lanty is with me,' O'Donnell laughed; 'he's like Sinbad's Old Man of the Sea. I couldn't shake him off if I would. I'll tell him you asked.'

'And you only remain a day or two in London?' said Delamer. 'Where do you go—to London?'

'Not at present. We go, my sister and I, to Sussex for a week or two; after that to France, then back to Algiers.'

'Then dine to-morrow with me at Brooks.'

There's a morning party at Kew, the last of the season, and La Reine Blanche graces it, of course. No doubt she will be glad to see an old friend; you will come?'

'No.' He said it briefly and coldly. 'Certainly not, my acquaintance with Lord Ruysland's daughter was of the slightest. I should never dream of renewing it. Call upon me tomorrow at my quarters. Here is my card. It is pleasant to see a familiar face in this, to me, dearest of London.'

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'Cecil,' Lord Ruysland said, 'a word with you,'

The opera and ball was over—they had arrived home, at the big, aristocratically gloomy mansion in Lowndes Square—the laden casket which held this priceless kohinoor. It was the town house of Sir Peter Dangerfield, Baronet of Sussex—or his lady rather—for Sir Peter rarely came to London in the season, and Lady Dangerfield's uncle, the earl, being together too poor to have a residence of his own, took up his abode with his niece.

Lady Cecil stood with one slippered foot on the carpet stair, pausing at the command and its gravely authoritative tone. It was half-past four in the morning, and she had waltzed a great deal, but the pearly complexion was as pure, the brown eyes as softly lustrous as eight hours before. With her silks flowing, her roses and jewels, her fair patrician face she looked a charming vision.

'You want me, papa?' she said in surprise. 'Certainly. What is it?'

'Come this way.'

He led the way to the drawing-room —yet lit, but deserted—closed the door, placed a chair for her. Still more surprised, she sat down. An interview at five in the morning! What did it mean?

'Cecil,' he began, with perfect abruptness, do you know Tregenna is on his way here? Will be with us in less than a week?'

'Papa!'

It was a sort of cry of dismay. Then she sat silent, looking at him aghast.

'Well my dear, there is no occasion to wear that face of consternation is there? One would thing I had announced the coming of an ogre, instead of a gallant gentleman whose wife you are to be. I had a letter from him last night. He is in Paris —he will be here as I say in a week. Will you read it? There is a message, of course, for you.

He held it out to her. As she stretched forth her hand and took it she did not look at him. A faint flush, all unusual, had arisen to either cheek. She took it, but did not read it—she twisted it through her fingers, her eyes still averted.

Her father stood and looked at her curiously. I have described Raoul, Earl of Ruysland, have I not?—tall, thin, high-bred, two keen grey eyes, a thin, cynical mouth, and long, slim hands and feet. 'The ingredients of human happiness,' says M. Diderot, pithily, 'are a good digestion, a bad heart, and no conscience.' The noble Earl of Ruysland possessed the ingredients of happiness in their fullest. He had never loved anybody in his life except, perhaps, for a few months, a women he had lost. He never hated anyone, he would never put himself an inch out of the way to serve God or man, he was perfectly civil to everybody he came across, he had never lost his temper since the age of twenty. His manners were perfect, he paused for the most aimable of men, and he had never done a good turn in his life. He had squandered two noble fortunes—his own and his wife's—and he stood now, as Delamer had said, the poorest peer in Britian. He had been every where and knew every body, and might have sung with Captain Morris:

> In life I have run all changes through,
> Run every pleasure down.

At 56 every rood of land he owned was morgtaged, his daughter was portionless, and he was a dependant—nothing better—on the bounty of his niece's rich husband, the Sussex baronet, Sir Peter Dangerfield.

They were a very old family, the Ruysland, of course. The first had come over with Noah and the ark; the second, history mentions, with William and the Conquest. And the one aim and object of Lord Ruysland's life was to see his only daughter the bride of Sir Arthur Tregenna.

'I have a word of warning to give you, Queenie,' Lord Ruysland said, after that long pause, 'it is this; Stop flirting.'

'Papa!'

'You have made that remark already, my dear,' the earl went on pacidly; 'and there is no need for you to grow indignant. I suppose you don't pretend to say you don't flirt, I'm not a tyrannical father, I think. I haven't hitherto interfered with your pastimes in any way. You were born a conquette, poor child, and took to it as naturally as a duckling takes to water. Let me see,' very carerlessly this, but with a keen, side long glance—'you tried your small weapon first on the Celtic hero of that fine young Irish lad, O'Donnell, some six years ago, and have been at it hard and fast ever since.'

'Papa!'

She half rose, the colour vivid now on the clear, pale cheeks.

'And again papa! I speak the truth do I not, my dear? You are a coquette born, as I have said and knowing you are possessed of pride enough and common sense enough to let no man one inch nearer than it was your will he should come, I have up to the present in no way interfered with your favorite sport. But the time has come to change all that. Sir Arthur Tregenna is coming, and I warn you your customery won't do here. You have had your day—you may safely with draw from the fray where you have been conqueress so long, and rest on your laurels.'

She rose up, and stood stately, and beautiful, and haughty before him.

'Papa, you speak as if Sir Arthur Tregenna had power, and authority over me. He has none—none. He has no claim—no shadow of a claim upon me.'

'You mistake, Lady Cecil,'—the cool, keen, steel grey eyes of the earl met the indignant brown ones full—'or you forget Sir Arthur Tregenna is your affianced husband.'

'My affianced husband! A man who has never spoken one word in his life beyond the most ordianary civilities of common acquaintance!'

'And whose fault is that, Queenie? Not his, poor fellow, certainly. Carry your mind back three years—to your first season—your first presentation. He spent that season in London, only waiting for one word, one look of encouragement from you to speak. That word never came. You flirted desperately with young Lennox, of the Scotch Greys, and when he proposed, threw him over. He exchanged into an Indian regiment, and was shot through the heart by a Sepoy bullet, just one week after he became Lord Glenallan. Not a pleasant recollection for *you*. I should thing, Lady Cecil; but, as I said before, I don't wish to reproach you. You are to marry Sir Arthur, that is as fixed as fate.'

And looking in his face, she knew it. She sank back into her seat, and hid her face in her hands with a sob, more like a child than the bright, invincible *La Reine Blanche*.

'Papa, you are unkind; you are cruel. I don't care for Sir Arthur; he doesn't care for me.'

'Who is to tell that? He will differ from most of his kind if he find the lesson a hard one to learn. And you don't care for him? My Lady Cecil do you ever—have you ever realized what you are—an earl's daughter and a—beggar?'

She did not lift her face. He looked at her grimly, and went on:

'A beggar—literally that—without a farthing of allowance; without a roof you can call your own; without a penny of portion. Do you know, Lady Cecil, that I lost two thousand on this year's Derby—my *all!* Learn it now, at least. We sit here this June morning, Queenie, paupers; with title and name, and the best blood of the realm—paupers! Sir Peter Dangerfield, the most pitiful little miser on earth, pays for the bread you eat, for the roof that shelters you, for the carriage you drive in, the opera box you sit in, the servants who wait upon you. He pays for them because the Salic law has exploded in England, and he is under petticoat government. He is afraid of his wife, and his wife is your cousin. That pink silk and point-lace trimming is excessively becoming, my dear, imported from Worth, was it not? Take care of it, Queenie; there isn't a farthing in the Ruysland exchequer to buy another when that is worn. And I am—unkind, cruel. My dear, I shall never force you to call me that again. Don't marry Sir Arthur Tregenna. You play very nicely, sing very nicely, draw very nicely, and waltz exquisitely—what is to hinder you turning these accomplishments to account? Earls' daughter's have been governesses before now, and may again.' I advise you, though, to write out your advertisement and send it to the 'Times' at once, while I have still have half a guinea left for its insertion.' He drew out his watch—a hunting watch, the case sparling with diamonds; 'I will not keep you up longer—it is nearly five o'clock.'

She rose to her feet and confronted him. The flush had all faded out. She was whiter than the roses in her hair.

'This is all true you have been telling me, papa? We are so poor, so dependent as this—hopelessly and irretrievably ruined?'

'Hopelessly and irretrievably ruined!'

He spoke with perfect calmness. Ruined beyond all hope—ruin wrought by his own hand—he faced her without falter or blanch.

She stood a moment silent, her eyes fixed upon the letter—pale, proud, and cold. Then she spoke:

'What is it you wish me to do?'

'Sir Arthur Tregenna is worth thirty thousand a year. I wish you to marry Sir Arthur.'

'What am I to do?' she repeated, still proudly, still coldly. 'He has never spoken one word to me, never written one word that even a vainer woman than I am could construe into love-making; and I am a pauper, and he thirty thousand a year, it is not to be supposed that he marries me from interested motives. 'Does he say here,' touching the letter, 'that he wishes me to become his wife.'

'He does not. But he is a man of honor, and your name has long been linked with his. To have her name linked with that of any man compromises any woman, unless it end in marriage. He knows this. He is the soul of honor; he is coming here with no other intention than that of asking you to be his wife.'

A flush of pain—of shame—of humiliation, passed over the exquisite face of the earl's daughter.

'It is rather hard on Sir Arthur that he should be obliged to marry me whether or no, and a little hard also on me. And this marriage will save you from ruin—will it, papa?'

'It will save me from ruin—from disgrace—from exile for life. It will give me a house wherein to end my days; it will make those days happy. I desire it more strongly than I ever desired anything in my life. I do not deny, Cecil, that I have been reckless and prodigal; but all that is past and done with. I don't want to see the daughter of whom I have been so proud—the toast of the clubs, the belle of the ball-rooms, the beauty of London—eating the bitter bread of dependence. Cecil, it is of no use struggling against destiny, and your destiny has written you down Lady Cecil Tregenna. When Sir Arthur speaks, your answer will be Yes.'

'It—it will be Yes.'

She said it with a sort of gasp. No young queen upon her throne had ever been prouder or purer for all her flirting than La Reine Blanche; and what it cost her to make this concession, her own humbled soul alone knew.

'Thank you, Queenie;' her father drew her to him, and touched his lips to her cheek. 'You never disappointed in your life. I knew you would not now. It is the dearest desire of my heart, child. You will be the wealthiest and most brilliant woman in all England. You have made me happy. Once more, thanks very much, and good-morning.'

He threw open the door, bowed her out with most Chesterfieldian politeness, and watched the tall, graceful figure in its rose silk, its rich laces, its perfumed flowers, its gleaming jewels, from sight. Then he smiled to himself:

> "It's a very fine thing to be father-in-law
> To a very magnificent three-tailed bashaw."

'She has promised, and all is safe. I know her well—I know him well. The thumbscrews of the holy office could not make either break a pledge once given. Ah, my lady! I wonder if you would have promised, even with penury staring you in the face, if you had seen, as I did, Redmond O'Donnel looking at you at the opera?'

Lady Cecil went slowly up to her rooms trailing her ball draperies after her, a violet and gold boudoir, a sleeping-room adjoining, all white and blue. And seated in the boudoir, still wearing her amber silk, her Spanish laces, and opals, sat the mistress of the mansion, Sir Peter Dangerfield's wife.

'What an endless age you have been, Queenie,' Lady Dangerfield said peevishly. 'What on earth could Uncle Raoul have to say to you at this blessed hour of the morning?'

Lady Cecil stood beside her, a touch of weariness in her pale face.

'He told me Sir Arthur Tregenna was coming—would be here next week.'

'Ah!' my lady said, looking at her quickly, 'at last! To marry you, Queenie?'

She stood silent—pained—shamed —humbled beyond expression.

'You don't speak, and you look vexed, Queenie,' with energy. 'You don't mean to say—you will never be so silly—so stupidly silly—as to refuse him if he asks?'

'If he asks!' Lady Cecil repeated, with inexpressible bitterness. 'Oh, Ginerva! don't let us talk about it. I am to be sold, it seems, if this rich Cornishman chooses to buy me. What choice have I in the manner—what choice had you? We are like the lilies of the field, who toil not, neither do they spin—as far, perhaps, and useless. When our masters come for us we go—until then we run the round of Vanity Fair and wait. Ginerva, I wonder what it is like to be poor?'

'It is like misery—it is like torture —it is like death!' Lady Dangerfield burst out passionately. 'I was poor once, wretchedly, miserably poor, and I tell you I would rather die a thousand times than undergo penury again. You may know how horrible poverty is, when it is more horrible than marrying Peter Dangerfield. I abhor both, but I abhor poverty most. No need to look at me like that, Queenie; I mean what I say. You never supposed I cared for that odious little monster, did you?'

'Ginerva,' Lady Cecil said, falling back wearily into an easy chair, 'I begin to think they are right in those heathen conutries—India, China, Japan—where is it?—where they destroy female children as soon as they are born? It is miserable, it is degrading, it is horrible—the lives we lead, the marriages we make. I hate myself, scorn myself to-night.

Lady Dangerfield shrugged her shoulders.

'Strong language, my dear, and strong language is bad 'form' always. Has La Reine Blanche found her Darnley at last?'

'If Mary, Queen of Scots, lived in these days, she would never have lost her great, brave heart to so poor a creature as Henry Darnley. No, Ginerva; no Darnley exists for me. Men are all alike in eighteen hundred and sixty—all talk with the same drawl, all stare out of the same club windows, all part their hair down the middle, and do nothing. Are you going?'

'Time to go at five o'clock, is it not? I only stepped in here to tell you we go down to Scarswood in three days. Send for Desiree, Queenie, and go to bed. Even your complexion will not stand for ever such horribly late hours.'

And then, yawning very much, Lady Dangerfield went away to bed, and Lady Cecil was left alone.

It was late, certainly, but the Earl of Ruysland's daughter did not take her cousin's advice and go to bed. On the contrary, she sat where she had left her for over an hour, never once moving—lost in thought. Then she slowly arose, crossed over to where a writing case, all gold and ebony, stood upon an inlaid table, took a tiny golden key from her chatelain and unlocked it. It contained many drawers. One of these, opening with a spring, she drew out, removed its contents, and stood with a smile half sad, half mocking on her lips, gazing upon them Relics evidently. A branch of clematis dry and colourless, but sweet still, a short curl of dark, crisp hair, a pencil sketch of a frank, manly, boyish face, and a note that was all—that was all. The note was yellow with time, the ink faded and this what it contained, in a big, bold hand:

> 'DEAR LADY CECIL:—I rode to Ballynahaghart yesterday, and got the book and the music you wanted. I shall fetch them over when I come at the usual hour to-day.
>
> 'Respectfully 'R.'

She read it over, still with a half smile on her lips.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

SURE CURE FOR A COUGH.

The most reliable remedy for a cough or cold, asthma, shortness of breath, sore throat, weak lungs and all bronchial troubles, is Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25cents.

THERE'S VIRTUE IN WHISTLING.

An old farmer once said he would not have a hired man on his farm who would not habitually whistle. He always hired whistlers. Said he never knew a whistling laborer to find fault with his food, his bed, or complain of any little extra work he was asked to perform. Such men were generally kind to children and to animals in their care. He would whistle a chilled lamb into warmth of life, and would bring in his hat full of eggs from the barn without breaking one of them. He found such men more careful about closing gates, putting up bars, and seeing that the nuts on his plow were all properly tightened before he took it into the field. He never knew a whistling hired man to beat or kick a cow, or to drive her on a run into the stable. He had noticed that the sheep he fed in the yard or she gathered around him as he whistled, without fear. He never had employed a whistler who was not thoughtful and economical.

FRISKLY OLD MEN.

ONE CUTTING A NEW SET OF TEETH AND ANOTHER TURNING HANDSPRINGS.

Elias De Puy is 95 years of age and still able to walk eight miles a day over rough hills. He lives near Lackawack, in Ulster county, N. Y., in a country sparsely settled, on rough farming lands. He is in excellent health, yet not a follower of temperance principles, for he believed in the old Dutch custom of taking gin "straight," and has chewed all his life the rankest and strongest tobacco. He has had five wives and eight children. His eldest son is 70 and gray-haired, while his youngest son was born after he was 85 years old. He was sixty years of age when he married his last wife, while she was 19. A remarkable thing about Mr. De Puy is that he is cutting a new set of teeth. Nine new teeth have already made their appearance. His eyesight is excellent, and he reads almost continually. He is the most remarkably preserved man in the state.

A 74 year-old resident of Westfield, Mass., is proud of his ability to turn a hand spring, strike his feet together twice at one jump from the floor, and perform other feats which but few other "boys" of his age are able to accomplish.

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Flesherton, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-ly

WHAT TO STUDY.

Pope, the poetical philosopher said, "The proper study of mankind is man," and yet, how little is the real science of man studied. If people understood and heeded the laws of health, and if when out of sorts would resort to a common sense like Burdock Blood Bitters, many of the "ills that flesh is heir to" might be effectually remedied. It invigorates and regulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

NOTES FOR THE FARMER.

TRANSPLANTING EVERGREENS.

The best season for transplanting evergreens is from April to June. Spruces are very easy to transplant, and if the roots are kept from drying and are protected from the air, and well spread and surrounded with the fresh soil, they can be moved without any loss whatever.

A BROKEN HORN.

It is not at all infrequent that a young cow, especially of the Jersey breed, may break off the shell of the horn, leaving the inner core bare. If this is wrapped in an oiled cloth, or even in a bandage wetted with water, to protect the horn from the air, a new horny covering will grow over the core, and although it will not ever again be wholly repaired, yet the horn will become hard and solid again.

PREMATURE MILKING.

The appearance of milk in a mare or a heifer before dropping the foal or the calf is no indication that anything is wrong, unless there is some other additional cause for suspicion. Heifers have been known to give milk some months before they calved, and occasionally before they have been in calf. It is a freak of nature, that is all. In the case of a mare to foal in April, it would be well to dry up the milk as quickly as possible, taking a little away twice a day to relieve the udder; the milk will return when the foal is dropped.

A GRAPE-VINE PEST.

A small insect known as thrips attacks grape-vines, appearing first on the under sides of the leaves in June, when they puncture the leaves and suck the sap. As they grow they change their skins accumulate as a white, downy substance. In course of time the insects become winged and fly about. They weaken the vines very much, and prevent the growth and ripening of the wood. The remedy is to spray the under sides of the leaves with lime-water, in which a tablespoonful of carbolic acid to the pailful of lime is dissolved. A large syringe with a rose sprinkler is suitable for this work. As these insects hide on the ground under the fallen leaves during the gwinter, it would be a measure of precaution to gather these leaves and burn them, and then drench the ground with the lime preparation.

HOW TO USE LIME.

It is difficult to go wrong in applying lime. It is useful anywhere and on any soils. It may be spread on grass land, stubble, on fall grain, on clay land, and on sand, and will be equally valuable on each. Oats and potatoes are the only crops not benefited by lime; potatoes grown on limed land do not boil mealy, but are very hard; oats yield less on limed land, but corn, rye, wheat, and especially grass and clover, are benefited, the lime may be spread now, as it dissolves more readily in cold than in warm weather, and it will be far easier spread from a sled than from a waggon. Load forty bushels on a sled and drive across a field, scattering the lime with a long-handled shovel on each side for a rod (sixteen and a half feet), which a man can easily do. If this load is spread over a strip eighty rods long there will be forty bushels per acre, which is a very fair dressing.

CULLIVATION OF ONIONS.

Onions require very clean ground, and, at the best, a good deal of labour is needed to keep them free from weeds. As they are grown in narrow rows and very close in the row, much hand weeding is necessary, and if the manure used or the soil is weedy the crop cannot be kept clean without a great expenditure for weeding, and in many cases the help required to weed is not to be procured. The crop is then very poor and unprofitable, and sometimes may be a total loss. On this account the soil should be previously well cultivated with other crops; potatoes, roots, corn, peas, or beans may be grown, and these kept well hoed. Fall ploughing is also advisable, and harrowing as the weeds start to grow. As onions improve when grown upon the same ground year after year, probably on account of the cleanness of the soil after so many weedings, it is well to make thorough preparation first, and then to use only artificial fertilizers which, are free from weeds, occasionally using a rich compost of bone-dust or superphosphate of lime with clean rotted swamp muck. A special manure is prepared for onions.

MAINE NEWS.—Hop Bitters, which are advertised in our columns, are a sure cure for ague, biliousness and kidney complaints. Those who use them say they cannot be too highly recommended. Those afflicted should give them a fair trial, and will become thereby enthusiastic in the praise of their curative qualities.—*Portland Argus.*

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Change of Time.

...mencing Thursday, December 8, 1881.

GOING SOUTH.

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NEWSPAPER LAWS.

A postmaster is required to give notice ...returning the paper does not an... ...law,) when a subscriber does not ...paper out of the office, and state the ...for its not being taken. Any neglect ...makes the postmaster responsible to ...lishers for the payment.

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...day, March 3rd, 1882.

NEWS NOTES.

...of Mr. John Wright's Oat ...in the 25th inst., ...was caused by the overhea... ...some Oats in the Kiln. Loss $75

...other agrarian murder occurred ...Limerick, Ireland, on Sunday, a ...'s house having been entered ...armed men, the proprietor shot in ...legs, one of his sons stabbed, and ...her shot dead.

...man named Morgan, a resident ...Owen Sound, left his home one ...last week to go and pay his taxes, ...which time he had not been ...d of. Bills are out all over the ...try offering $20 reward for any ...mation regarding him.

...e Free Lovers' nastiness is bad ...h in all conscience, but it does ...as if these gentry wished to add ...infamy when they pass, as ...did at Boston, on Sunday, reso... ...s setting forth that the hanging ...uiteau would be inexcusable, and ...polygamy as practised by the ...mons should be endorsed.

...om the Thornbury *Standard* we ...that Scarlet Fever of a very ...nant type is prevalent at and ...nd the Town-line between Colling... ...d and Euphrasia. Mr. Henry Mc... ...near Duncan post office, lost his ...and one child, and his two re... ...ning children are down with it ...are not expected to recover There ...several other cases in which ...doubts are entertained for the ...very of the patients. In speak... ...f this we would sound a note of ...ng to the people of Markdale. ...warm weather will soon be upon ...d unless our yards and back ...ses are thoroughly cleaned we ...e visited by this fearful scourge. ...have had some few cases here ...y and unless prompt measures ...taken we shall have more of it. ...ntion is better than cure, and ...ss is the great preventive to ...Sease to it at once, and re... ...everything of a filthy nature ...your premises before the sun be... ...ently strong to putrify it, there... ...ising unasceptic odors to arise, ...poisons the blood and prepo... ...ing disease.

OBITUARY.

We have this week to perform the sad task of announcing the death of one of our oldest residents, Mr. EDWARD RUTLEDGE, Sr., who departed this life on the morning of Tuesday last, after a long and painful illness, which he bore with exemplary Christian fortitude, at the age of 74 years. The deceased was born in the County of Fermanagh Ireland, in the year 1808 and emigrated to Canada in the year 1831, and first settled in the Township of Goldburne, where he resided four years. From thence he removed to the County of Leeds where fifteen years of his life were passed. He then removed to the County of Grey where he resided up to the time of his death.

The deceased was the father of 14 children, 9 of whom (3 sons and 6 daughters) still survive him. In his death his children lose an affectionate parent, his acquaintances a true friend, and the community at large an esteem citizen. He was followed to his last resting place by a large concourse of mourning friends and relations, showing the high estimation in which he was held. Mr. McDiarmid preached an impressive sermon from Hebrews xi. 4. "By faith Abel offered unto God a more excellent sacrifice than Cain, by which he obtained witness that he was righteous, God testifying of his gifts; and by it he being dead yet speaketh."

The deceased had been for many years a devout member of the Methodist Church, and died in the "sure and certain hope" of a happy immortality, believing fully in the blessed promises contained in that Good Book, of which he was an ardent student.

PICTURESQUE CANADA.

Mr. J. W. Hunt, the gentlemanly agent of the art publishing company, of Toronto, who is now delivering parts 3 and 4 of the above work, placed them on our table on Thursday last. Did we not know to the contrary, we would say unhesitatingly that the work was got up in England. We have seen nothing to equal it on this side of the Atlantic. The letter press is the best we have seen for many a day, and engravings are simply superb. Most notable among them are the Falls of Montmorency; Falls of St. Anne; Falls of St. Fereol; Falls of Lorette; view of cape Rouge and Diamond; a moonlight view of the St. Lawrence, showing the light ship, &c; the Chaudiere Falls near Quebec; with a number of minor views, descriptive of Lower Canada and French Canadian Life. Alltogether the work is a credit to the publishers, and in fact to the Dominion, and should receive the best support of our people.

We this week publish a communication referring to an article that appeared in our columns in last week's issue. We would commend it to the careful consideration of our business men There is no doubt but that the business of Markdale could be largely increased had we better roads. We know of no investment that would return a larger per centage for the outlay than a few hundred dollars judiciously expended in the improvement of the roads spoken of, and would seriously advise all interested (and who in Markdale is not) to see to it that the matter is not allowed to drop, otherwise thousands of dollars that would assuredly come to Markdale, will undoubtedly go elsewhere.

One of the pleasantest affairs we have participated in for some time in the shape of a supper, took place at the Revere House, Markdale, on Friday last, the 24th ult. Upwards of 70 of the employees of the T. G. & B. Railway, with some invited guests met at the above hotel for the purpose of enjoying themselves and presenting the Road Master, Mr. H. Bagnall, with a gold watch, as a slight token of the high esteem in which he was held by them. After doing full justice to the bivalves, which were placed before them in Mrs. Sproule's best style, the business of the evening commenced by calling Mr. Tansley, of Shelburne, to the chair, and Mr. Phillips, of , to the vice chair. After the usual loyal toasts had been drank and responded to then came the toast of the evening, "Our Guest," which was drank with all the honors and the following address was read by Mr. Hacking.

Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen:

Considering the immense load of responsibility that rests upon us all it cannot be deemed unreasonable that, like the passengers on our trains, we should have opportunities for rest and refreshments. Even the Iron Horse has to be coaled up some times and *we* are not made of iron. It is the nature of railroad men to fraternize. They are linked together by the strongest ties—railroad ties, I may say, and as they travel over life's track to the grand terminus, they may surely be excused for forming a junction on the road as we have to-night.

As the occasion which has called us together to-night is known to you all, it would be a waste of your time to make any explanation. It is at all times a pleasing task to do honor to those we esteem, but the pleasure increases when we find this esteem is shared by so large a body of my co-workers and subscribers as in the present case. I will not dilate on the many good services rendered us by our good friend Mr. Bagnall, or the upright and manly conduct that has characterized his course since he has been our overseer, and winning for him the esteem of us all. Were he not present, more might be said, as it is we must be content It is now the happy task of Mr. Tansley to present you. Mr. Bagnall, in the name of myself and the subscribers with a gold watch.

Time, we are told, was made for slaves, but its exponent, in the shape of a gold watch, has seemed to some of your friends as a fitting present to the one who is supposed to keep the time for us.

Now, sir, may your life be long to look on it as a feeble token of the high estimation formed of you by so many of your fellow workmen; and when it shall please the great Master Workman of the Universe to remove you from this life, may the watch descend as an heir-loom to your children, and stimulate them to follow the course that won for their ancestor the praise and respect of his fellow men.

Mr. Bagnall, in rising to respond, showed that he was deeply moved by the substantial token of the good will entertained toward him by his subordinates, and expressed his gratitude in a brief but heart-felt manner for the honor done him. He stated that his heart was too full to allow him to give utterance to all he felt.

The watch, which was a very handsome one, cost $80. The presentation was made by Mr. Tansley of Shelburne.

The Officers and Directors of the T., G. & B. Railway, was responded to by Messrs. Hunter, contractor, and Wanless, Inspector.

The Press. Responded to by Mr. Morgan, of the STANDARD.

There were several other toasts, but as our space is limited we are compelled to omit them, and simply give the names of the various speakers, as follows:— Messrs. Pickett, Allen, Scott, McKitrick, and Mr. Fox, Jeweller, Orangeville: Mr. McRae, the popular Reeve of Glenelg, was present by special invitation, and made one of his usual vigorous speeches. Mr. Meldrum, Agent of Flesherton Station, made a few remarks, and gave a recitation, which was well received.

The evening's enjoyment was enlivened by an occasional song from Messrs. Ashdown, Walker, McAuley, C. Bagnall, Beaton, Gibson, Arnold, Tansley, Hyland, Wanless and others. Mr. Hyland's singing with "Bone" accompaniment was exceedingly good and appeared to be highly appreciated. Mr. Wanless sang "My Ain Fireside" with fine effect, arousing many latent feelings. We regret that Mr. Cæsar was unable to attend, his absence being caused by family affliction. The night's festivities were brought to a close by passing a vote of thanks to the Chairman, Mr. Tansley, and drinking his health in a bumper, and singing the National Anthem.

The proceedings throughout were marked by the best of order and good feeling. The "boys" went in for a good time, and they had it.

P. T. BARNUM FALLS INTO LINE.

Scanning our various exchanges, we notice especial distinction given in prominent New York dailies to Barnum, Bailey & Hutchinson's strong endorsement of St. Jacobs Oil as a pain-reliever. They too, have fallen into line, it would seem.—*Cincinnati (O.) Enquirer.*

BUNESSIN.

On Tuesday evening a deputation from the Priceville Branch of the Bible and Tract Society held a meeting in the church here. Mr. Wm. Young was called to the chair, and the meeting was opened with devotional exercises. Mr. Irwin, Secretary, read the annual report, and showed samples of books kept in Depository. Addresses were delivered by the members of the deputation and also by Mr. Geo. Binnie, who spoke of the practical usefulness of the Society, in a local point of view; the benefits derivable from it in the circulation of well selected books at wholesale prices, and recommended the Society to the support of the community in the objects aimed at. The Chairman, Mr. Young, referred to the importance of the Bible, the need for acting on its injunctions, and expressed his pleasure at the peculiarly unsectarian nature of the objects and aims of the Association. A liberal collection was taken up at the close, and not only so but collectors were appointed on behalf of the Society to wait on those well disposed for further contribution.

This is the third year running that what may be called an annual branch meeting of the Priceville Society has been held at Bunessin, and from the appreciation with which the deputation has hitherto been received it is very likely that future years will find the Priceville Society "pegging away" a good deal in the direction of Bunessin.

Don't forget to call at McIntyre's for all your select groceries, canned fruit, &c.

DIPHTHERIA.

The latest and most successful treatment for this dreaded disease has lately come to our knowledge, and having interviewed the man who says his life was saved by the *new treatment* we feel confident it is our duty to give the facts to our readers, that they may investigate for themselves. The circumstances are as follows; Amede Chartier, of West Farnham, P. Q., recently had diphtheria; he became so bad off after a relapse that all hopes of his recovery was abandoned by his physicians and friends, and as a last resort a brother of the patient said that he had a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and wished to try it. He applied it to the neck, and then reduced a little, and the patient after some difficulty succeeded in gargling it in the throat He soon noticed some improvement, and by continuing its use a complete cure was effected, and now he says he *knows* it saved his life. The above remarkable experience led us to investigate farther, and we found that Kendall's Spavin Cure has the most remarkable effect on human flesh of any remedy of which we have ever heard, and we have become soundly converted to the opinion that no remedy has ever been discovered which possesses such remarkable qualities for the diseases of man as well as beast. Every one should cut and paste this into a scrap-book.—*Tunis.*

Any amount of Ham and Bacon, at A. McIntyre's.

CORRESPONDENCE.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

To the Editor.

DEAR SIR,—The village of Dundalk, as you well know, is noted for its athletic sports, and in common with such pastimes the national game of Canada was introduced under the name of "The Garnett Lacrosse Club," with duly appointed officers, and a Treasurer who manipulated the funds for the benefit of the club. (This is sarcasm.)

After the season was over the members naturally wished to hear how the club stood financially, and were informed there was eleven dollars and a few cents to the good. At a general meeting of the club our lamented Treasurer was requested to pay the balance to our worthy banker here to the credit of the club. But from present appearances such a catastrophe will not occur, and some of the boys are sorrowing over broken bones in the interest of the game, and have had to be fed with a spoon.

JINKS.

Dundalk, Feb. 28th, 1882.

To the Editor.

I noticed an article in the STANDARD of Feb. 24th urging the business men of Markdale to subscribe to the improvement of 6 and 7 sideroad, from the Valley to the 7th concession, Euphrasia, with a view to bring trade to Markdale. This is a matter that should be looked after at once, as there is a large and fertile tract of country that should do their trading at Markdale; but at present have to go three or four times the distance to Meaford, Thornbury or Collingwood, because there is no road passable, with anything like a load, to Markdale.

As this matter has been broached I will, with your permission, Mr. Editor, give you my idea of the best route to tap this trade; having lived here for over twenty years, and having given a good deal of attention to road matters in this vicinity. I think your readers that are interested and aware of the facts will agree with me that there is a better outlet than the one mentioned. The beginning of the route referred to has been surveyed by Euphrasia Council and is now being advertised. It commences in the Valley at 3rd and 4th sideroad running south to town line, connecting with a road already established in Artemesia, going up the mountain one lot from townline to the Meaford Road. This road is admitted to be up the most favorable pass of the mountain, and although yet a new road it is the best out of the Valley for miles either way. When on the Meaford Road there is a choice of markets, viz: Markdale or Flesherton This road not yet being opened up, very few of the inhabitants of Kimberly and surrounding country are aware of so favorable an outlet. If the money and labor now being subscribed for 6 and 7 sideroad were expended on this road it would accommodate all that the other road would, and as many more from the other end of the Valley, besides all from over the Valley on fourteenth concession. The road now mentioned can be built for a great deal less money, besides being a great deal better when built. I have seen parties from Kimberley who will subscribe liberally for this new road; the saw miller, particularly is very anxious for this road to be built, as he would then ship all his lumber at Markdale instead of at Thornbury as at present.

While referring to this road perhaps it might not be out of place to suggest to the Councils of both Townships the propriety of closing the townline across the Valley, as it is considered impassable, and adopt this new road instead.

AN OLD RESIDENT OF THE VALLEY.

All accounts due A. McIntye, must be paid at once, or they will be placed in court for collection.

ZOPESA

(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Billiousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large botle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

A Rare Chance.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable; also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O. or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, "Standard" office 73-6t

FISH AND GAME.—The first annual meeting of the County of Grey Fish and Game Protective Society will be held at the Coulson House Owen Sound on Tuesday, March 14th, at the hour of two in the afternoon. As the object of the Society is a good one it is hoped and expected that all those interested in the protection of Fish and Game will be present, and assist as far as possible in furthering the object of the Society.

BIRTHS.

HULL—At Markdale, Thursday, March 2nd, 1882, the wife of J. H. Hull, of a daughter.

DIED.

RUTLEDGE—At Markdale, on Tuesday, Feb. 28th, 1882, Edward Rutledge, Sr., in the 74th year of his age.

FLEMING—On Feb 19th, William Arthur, infant son of Mr. Wm. Fleming, aged 5 months and 26 days.

ALLEN—At Berkeley, Feb. 27th ult., James Allen, Hotel-keeper, aged 34 years.

G. RUTHERFORD,

ESTATE AND LOAN GENERAL AG'T, Conveyancer and Commissioner in B. R., &c. Private and Company money to loan at lowest rates of interest and on the most favorable and easy terms of repayment. Insurances on all kinds of property effected at low rates in first-class English and Canadian Stock Companies.

Lands for sale. Valuations made. Accounts collected on moderate terms. 77tf

WANTED!

500 MEN TO BUY WATCHES! AT W. F. DOLL'S.

5000 men and women with weak and failing eyes to buy Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles, can only be supplied by W. F. Doll, sole agent for Markdale, Flesherton and Dundalk.

New Goods in every Line!

including Silver and Electro-Plated Ware, Colored and Bright Gold Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings, &c., &c. Also

VIOLINS, ITALIAN STRINGS, &c.

Some splendid Organs for sale cheap at W. F. Doll's.

Watch Repairing a specialty, all work guaranteed at W. F. Doll's.

W. F. DOLL.

Markdale, Feb. 28, 1882, 67-ly

PAY UP. ALL PARTIES indebted to me are hereby notified to pay up at once. Payment may be made to A. Turner or Dr. Armstrong, Markdale.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D

Markdale, March 2nd, 1882. 77-3in.

NOTICE.

STRAY STEER.—2 years old—came on the premises of Joseph Miles, lot 16, 1st concession S. D. R., Township of Osprey. Owner will please call, prove claim, and pay expenses.

77-3t JOSEPH MILES.

Conservative Associati'n

A MEETING of the above Association for the Election of Officers and the transaction of general business, will be held at the Town Hall, Glenelg,

ON FRIDAY, MARCH 10TH, 1882,

at 2 o'clock p. m. All Conservatives are requested to attend.

WM. DOUGLAS, Vice-President.

March 2nd, 1882. 77-td.

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail

BUTCHER!

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.18	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Barley " 1	.60	to	.80
Peas " 1	.69	to	.72
Oats " 1	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Butter "	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Eggs	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Potatoes "	[illegible]	to	[illegible]
Pork "	6.75	to	7.10
Hay "	12.00	to	18.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 25	to	$1 27
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 24
Barley, do.	0 [illegible]	to	0 [illegible]
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 85	to	0 86
Clover Seed do.	5 00	to	5 05
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	7 50	to	7 00
Beef, hind quarters	6 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 50	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	60	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, large rolls	[illegible]	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy	18	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 21	to	0 29
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 00	to	3 00
Potatoes per bag	0 90	to	1 00
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 23rd 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush, new	1.20	to	1.24
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.80
Barley	0.60	"	0.72
Oats	0.35	"	0.31
Peas	0.68	"	0.70
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.71
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.15
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.18
Pork, dressed,	8 00	"	8.78
Beef	5.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50	"	1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(*Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.*)

FRIDAY, Feb. 23rd. 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1 20	to	1 25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.50	"	7.10
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

GOOD NEWS AGAIN.

Barrhead Mills at Work.

—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20. 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE.

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

THOS. MATHEWS,

HarnesS EstablishmenT!

MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY!

IN CONNECTION.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres, Shawls, Prints, Winceys, Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters, Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing, Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collars, Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels, Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets, &c.

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT

10 PER CT. DISCOUNT ON FORMER PRICES

and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

FRAMES!

JUST ARRIVED.

NEW STOCK. LATEST DESIGNS.

New Panel Frames.
New Panel Mats.
New 8x10 Frames.
New 8x10 Mats.
Selling Cheap at

Browne's Gallery,

OVER STANDARD OFFICE.

Take Notice.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO ME either by note or book account, are requested to call and pay the same to A. Turner, Druggist, he alone being authorized to receive monies due me and to give receipts therefor.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 81 3t.

A. W. EATON,

ON THE WARPATH AGAIN!

AS A

GENERAL BLACKSMITH.

The subscriber begs to announce that he has secured the services of a first-class mechanic and is now prepared to carry on the blacksmith business and general jobbing in Mark Richardson's old shop. He will treat all kinds of diseases of the feet such as Corns and Contractions. Interfering of horses a specialty. Having a good reputation in this section of country as a first class horse shoer he can guarantee satisfaction. A fair trial respectfully solicited.

Positively cash until first May, after that date credit will be given until 1st of January, 1883. Will work as cheap as the cheapest.

Markdale, Feb. 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN-ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 60-tf

Ayer's *Hair Vigor,*

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

IT is a most agreeable dressing, which is at once harmless and effectual, for preserving the hair. It restores, with the gloss and freshness of youth, faded or gray, light, and red hair, to a rich brown, or deep black, as may be desired. By its use thin hair is thickened, and baldness often though not always cured. It checks falling of the hair immediately, and causes a new growth in all cases where the glands are not decayed; while to brashy, weak, or otherwise diseased hair, it imparts vitality and strength, and renders it pliable.

The VIGOR cleanses the scalp, cures and prevents the formation of dandruff; and, by its cooling, stimulating, and soothing properties, it heals most if not all of the humors and diseases peculiar to the scalp, keeping it cool, clean, and soft, under which conditions diseases of the scalp and hair are impossible.

As a Dressing for Ladies' Hair

The VIGOR is incomparable. It is colorless, contains neither oil nor dye, and will not soil white cambric. It imparts an agreeable and lasting perfume, and as an article for the toilet it is economical and unsurpassed in its excellence.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms. EDISON MUSIC CO., 929 Chestnut St., Phila., Pa. 66-6m.

NOTICE.

To Builders & Contractors.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of the 27th inst., for the erection of an HOTEL in the Village of Dundalk for Mr. J. C. Reid.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office from the 20th to the 25th inst.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ISAAC TRAYNOR, Architect and Surveyor, Owen Sound st., Dundalk.

75-td

For Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand, and for sale, on Mount Royal Farm, Lots 117 and 118, Con. 2, E. T. & S. R., Artemesia, a quantity of White Russian Wheat and Black Tartar Oats. Parties desiring to procure a good article for seed should give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I guarantee the above pure and free from all foul seed; also two yoke of Oxen, rising 6 years old, well matched, and sound in every respect.

JOHN FORD.

February 22nd, 1882. 76-4t

...RD.

...day, March 3rd, 1882.

...AL & OTHER NOTICES

...snow has all disappeared

...ceries, glassware, good and fresh ...cost at—Butter & Rae's.

...ake! about all manufacturers, ...nists and mill men when they ...y Lardine.

...pay to see the Organs at W. F. ...fore purchasing elsewhere.

...would call attention to Mr. W. ...'s new advertisement this week. ...and read it.

...onservative meeting is called to ...the Town Hall, Glenelg on ...next, March 10th inst.

...all parties who are in arrears ...last time to pay up. No mercy ...ger on deliquents—Butter & ...

...as. Masson, Barrister, of Owen ...was sworn in as Deputy Judge ...County of Grey on Thursday, ...inst. His Honour Judge Mc... ...having gone to Florida for ...efit of his health.

...McGregor, of Chatsworth, leaves ...itoba on or about April 1st, ...Bennett, of Priceville, takes ...Gregor's place, at least that ...est rumor.

...leaving for Manitoba see that you ...one of Mr. Doll's reliable Watches.

...Bros. & Co., Toronto, are ...anufacturers of Lardine, ...ricator known. Try it.

...any readers will be pleased ...at our worthy chief, ...is in a fair way to recover, ...soon be at his post again.

...ely no reserve on any w... ...s at cost at Butter & Rae's ...must be sold ...

...oats, pants, hats and ca... ...g boots, boys boots must ... ...cost and under at—Butter & ...

...ly place you can get Lazarus ... ...ectacles—W. F. Doll's.

...AL.—Mr. Geo. Inglis, of O... ...was in our town ... ...seems to be a favorite with ...ldaleites as well as the Ow...

...spondence from Flesherton ...enia, the proceedings of the ...Grand Lodge, with several ...ticles, came to hand too late ...ion this week.

...W. J. Speers, of Winnipeg, ...been here for some weeks ...rchasing horses and cattle, ...a car load of each this week ...above named place.

...seen Mr. Doll's ...

...machine oil will ... ...and wears better than any ...in the market. Ask your ...ler and take no other.

...and get bargains while the ...on hand, as we are in ... ...n with leading houses ... ...to go to Manitoba ... ...ss here—Butter & Rae.

...Masson, from Owen S... ...w Office, over McF... ...egularly every Friday ... ...and is establishing ...

...having farms for sale sh... ...J. Snyder, at the Rev... ...he is desirous of purch... ...intending British im... Will be in Flesherton on ... ...th inst.

...PORK.—Mr. Thos. Maxw... ...nship of Euphrasia, b... ...kdale on Monday 27th ... ...two years; which w... ...ds. Can this be beat.

...—Dentists who have ... ..." pronounce it the ... ...the face of this earth fo... ...breath. 5 cent sampl...

...blic are invited to ca... ...the prices and see for th... ...e are not in the habit of sa... ...we do not mean, so the w... ...our offers is to try us—Butt...

...Little Ones for March is to... ...Call at our office and se... ...and if you have any love ...children you will not hesitate ...be. Subscriptions taken at...

...Smith, Barber, will b... ...n on next Monday, ...do haircutting, shav... ...g, dyeing, &c. All w... ...services, will please give ... ...op, next door to Flesher...

...ts throughout the country ...the great merits of D... ...mach and Constipation ... ...Medicine they sell act... ...in curing Dyspepsia, ...Biliousness, Liver Complaint, ...e you tried it? A. Turner ...Special Agent, Markdale.

...Riddle, has authorized Thos. ...uctioneer, to sell on the 9th ...on lot 18, con 5, Euphrasia ...farm stock, implements, &c ...ll sums under $5 cash, over ...10 months credit on ...good paper, 7 per cent off

...y is the best policy in medi... ...ll as in other things. Ayer's ...is a genuine preparation, ...alled spring medicine and ...rifier, decidedly superior to ...in the market. Trial proves

...Gilbraith, Auctioneer, has ...structions from S. Carson ...n. 3, E.G.R., Holland, to ...his stock, farm, implements, ...furniture, &c., to the high... ...Monday March 18th inst. ...credit on all sums ...by furnishing good joint

...Lardine? Ask any farmer, ...or mill man, or any man ...nery, and he will tell ...it is the only oil which will ...to castor oil, and won't ...your machinery.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 3rd. 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

The snow has all disappeared

Groceries, glassware, good and fresh at cost at—Butter & Rae's.

Shake! shout all manufacturers, ... and mill men when they try Lardine.

It will pay to see the Organs at W. F. ... before purchasing elsewhere.

We would call attention to Mr. W. ...'s new advertisement this week. ... and read it.

A Conservative meeting is called to ... the Town Hall, Glenelg on ... next, March 10th inst.

... all parties who are in arrears ... time to pay up. No mercy ... on deliquents—Buttar & ...

... Jas. Masson, Barrister, of Owen ... was sworn in as Deputy Judge ... County of Grey on Thursday, ... inst. His Honour Judge Mc... having gone to Florida for ... benefit of his health.

... McGregor, of Chatsworth, leaves ... Manitoba on or about April 1st, ... of Priceville, takes ... McGregor's place, at least that ... latest rumor.

... leaving for Manitoba see that you ... one of Mr. D...'s reliable Watches.

... Bros. & Co., Toronto, are ... manufacturers of Lardine, the ... Try it.

... readers will be pleased to ... that our worthy chief, Mr. C. W. ... is in a fair way to recover, ... soon be at his post again.

... any wool... is at cost at Butter & Rae's, as ... must be sold inside of thirty ...

... hats and caps, ... boots must be ... cost and under, at—Butter & ...

... you can get Lazarus & ... W. F. Doll's

...—Mr. Geo. Inglis, of O. ... was in our town on Saturday ... seems to be a favorite with ... as well as the Owen ...

... correspondence from Flesherton ... the proceedings of the ... Lodge, with several ... came to hand too late ... this week.

... J. Speers, of Winnipeg, ... here for some weeks ... horses and cattle, ... of each this week ... named place.

... machine oil will not gum ... wears better that any ... the market. Ask your ... and take no other.

... bargains while the ... as we are in com... with leading houses in ... to Manitoba and go in... Butter & Rae.

..., from Owen Sound, is ... office, over McFarland's ... every Friday and ... is establishing quite a ...

... having farms for sale should ... J. Snyler, at the Revere ... is desirous of purchasing ... British immi... Will be in Flesherton on the ...

... Mr. Thos. Muxlow, of ... of Euphrasia, brought ... on Monday 27th ult., a ... two years, which weighed ... Can this be beat.

... who have tried ... at the finest ... face of this earth for the ... breath. 5 cent samples.

... are invited to call and ... prices and see for them... are not in the habit of say... do not mean, so the way ... offers is to try us—Butter ...

... for March is to ... at our office and see ... and if you have any love ... you will not hesitate ... Subscriptions taken at ...

... Barber, will be in ... on next Monday, Fair... haircutting, shaving, ... dyeing, &c. All who ... will please give him ... next door to Flesherton ...

... throughout the country ... great merits of Dr. Car... and Constipation Bit... Medicine they sell acts so ... curing Dyspepsia, Indi... Biliousness, Liver Complaint, ... you tried it? A Turner ... Special Agent, Markdale.

... has authorized Thos. ... Auctioneer, to sell on the 9th ... 18, con 5, Euphrasia ... farm stock, implements, &c. ... sums under $5 cash, over ... 10 months credit on ... good paper, 7 per cent off

... is the best policy in medi... as in other things. Ayer's ... is a genuine preparation, ... spring medicine and ..., decidedly superior to ... the market. Trial proves

... Galbraith, Auctioneer, has ... instructions from S. Carson ... 3, E.G.R., Holland, to ... stock, farm, implements, ... furniture, &c., to the high... Monday March 13th inst. ... credit on all sums ... by furnishing good joint ...

... Lardine? Ask any farmer, ... mill man, or any man ... machinery, and he will tell ... is the only oil which will ... to castor oil, and won't ... machinery.

Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Pains in the Throat and Chest, relieved and cured by the use of Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops. The most reliable testmony has been received as to their efficasy. In Bottles, 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

Horace Greeley's bad penmanship has passed into a proverb. No description of it without a fac-simile of the writing could convey any idea of its illegibility. It is charitable, however, to the old philosopher to suppose that the fault lay with the pens he had been accustomed to use, but what a world of grief and trouble would have been saved to the compositors if he had written his editorals with an Esterbrook Falcon Pen.

We were under the impression that Markdale and vicinity could boast of some of the tallest men in Ontario, but we had a call from a gentleman on Monday last, who stands 6 foot seven and one forth inches in his boots McLaughery Wright and others of that ilk must now take a back seat.

The next sitting of the Court for the 5th Division of the County of Grey will be held at Markdale, on the 20th of April next. This will give a great advantage to the citizens of Markdale and surrounding country, as many would rather allow small accounts to remain uncollected than be put to the extra expense of going to Flesherton or Dundalk.

Mr. Samuel McCaw, the well-known Conductor on the Whitby and Lindsay Railway, says Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters cured me of Dyspepsia. I always keep them in the house, and consider them invaluable as a family medicine. A Turner and Co., Special Agent, Markdale.

We have often been told that undertakers, when saying their prayers, send up a petition that the season might prove unhealthy. Of course we do not vouch for the truth of the saying, but if they do, they are no worse than the toomb stone men. Only think of it, one of them had the audacity to inform us he would get up *our* head stone in the spring.

OFF TO MANITOBA.—Many of our citizens will regret to know that Mr. Rowe, who has been practicing his profession here for the past few months, has decided upon going to the Great Lone Land. Though only here for a short time he made many friends by his corteous and gentlemanly disposition. He carries with him the good wishes of the residents of Markdale.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

The *American Agricultural*, for March 1st, just issued, contains over a hundred longer and shorter articles, giving useful, practical information for the Farm, Garden, and Household and fifty or more engravings. Among these we notice: Suggestions of and for the season; A Pioneer's Dwelling Costing $250 to $500, with Plans, Specifications, etc. (a First Prize article among 183 plans in competition); a New Disease in Diary Stock, by X.A. Willard; Important Experiments on Deep and Shallow Milk Pans, by Dr. Jenkins, of the Connecticut Agricultural Station; Stock and Grain Barn, with engravings; Sheep-herding boxes New Cattle Tie, by Prof. Shelton Kansas Agricultural College; Cutworms and other Insects, by Dr. Oember, of Georgia; Instructive Fertilizer Experiments by a Farmer, from Prof. W. O. Atwater; Onion Culture, Profitable and How; Early Vegetable Plants Without Hot-beds; Willows at the West; Working Men's Gardens, by Elias A. Long; Guernsey Cattle, with fine Illustration; Sundry Humbugs Exposed; Over-worked Women; Various Household Articles; The Doctor's Talks, and other articles for the Little Folks, etc., etc. $1.50 a year; 15 cents per number. ORANGE JUDD CO., Publishers, New York.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

Remember the Fair Dayis on Tuesday, the 7th inst.

There are a large number of farmers going to Manitoba early in the spring.

Protan Council meeting sits in Hopeville, on Tue day the 7th inst., at Scarletts' Hotel.

John Marshall Esq., has returned from a trip on his wedding tour. We wish him and his new wife much success through life.

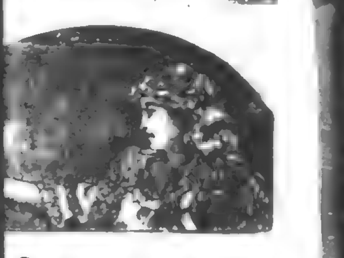
Our winter still keeps open, the farmers have a large quantity of wood and timber to team and would be glad to have a week or two of good sleighing.

Business in general is rather dull, on account of having no sleighing, in fact our climate seems to be gradually changing year by year, and becoming more like old country weather.

Parties who would wish to get a sample of the Celebrated French spring wheat, grown by C. Grant, Esq. of Thornbury, can be supplied by calling at the office of A. G. Hunter, Dundalk, where samples may be seen.

As will be seen by refering to our advertising columns, Mr. Geo. Rutherford, Real Estate and General Loan Agent has opened an office in Dundalk where he is prepared to Loan money at the lowest rates of interest and attend to all other business in his line, give him a call.

Mr. Samuel McDowell, son of Mr. John McDowell, is home on a visit from the North-West. He is hale and hearty and gives a glowing account of the North West, especially of the healthy climate. He having enjoyed a term of four years in Manitoba, and the North-West territory, is fully acquainted with all the particulars, and will be quite willing to give any particulars with reference to that foreign land.



... Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA, Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881.

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballus'er Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov., 1831 63-ly

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT, MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

NOTICE.

REFORM CONVENTION EAST GREY

Will meet in the Township Hall, Flesherton,

ON TUESDAY, MARCH 7TH, 1882,

at one o'clock p.m., for the purpose of selecting candidates both for the House of Commons and Ontario Legislature. All friends of reform and good government are cordially invited.

By order of the President.

WM. BROWN, Secretary.

Markdale, Feb. 14th, 1882. 75td.

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Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

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CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees

Sugars, Raisins, Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

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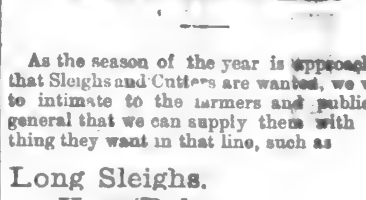


CARRIAGE WORKS

MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

Call and Inspect our Work!

on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

HORSESHOEING

and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

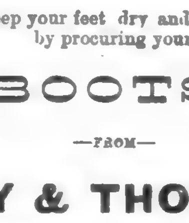
—FROM—

KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

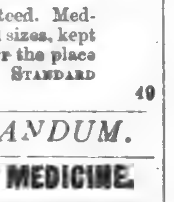
NIL DESPERANDUM.

GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.



Before Taking.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.



After Taking.

Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO., Toronto, Ont., Canada

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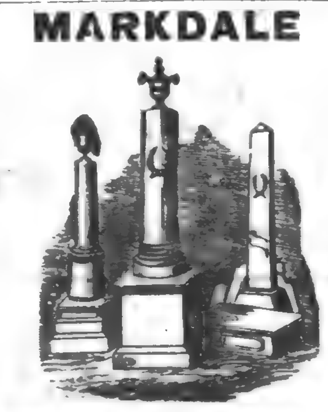

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Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 63-ly

Great Discount SALE!

AT THE

POST OFFICE STORE

FLESHERTON,

FOR THIRTY DAYS.

In order to make room for my Spring Importations I will sell the balance of my large stock of Fall and Winter Goods at

Extremely low Prices.

Be sure and call and secure some of the Bargains.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Jan. 30th, 18

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1.ly.

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostler. 76

1,000,000!

Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the

Highest Price in Cash!

for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P.S.—Some bad good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.

Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 76-tf.

Farm for Sale.

Lot west half of east half 71, concession 1, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to

PETER McARTHUR, Markdale.

Or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, STANDARD Office.

75-80—20-6t.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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HORSESHOEING

A SPECIALTY.

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It will pay purchasers of Seeds to get MY TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL PUBLICATION of the Cultivator's Guide or Catalogue of Seeds, now ready to be sent gratis to applicants. J. A. SIMMERS, Seedsman, ... King St. East, TORONTO.

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An Automatic Reed Organ.

"The Orguinette may now be called a celebrated instrument. In tone it is like to the Cabinet Organ, but the organ must be manipulated by an artist in order to produce music; the ORGUINETTE is on the other hand entirely mechanical in its action, and at a trifling expense it can be made to furnish an unlimited supply of all kinds of music. —*Toronto Globe.*"

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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, 10 to 35c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10. The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have cabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls; Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 8 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23 1881. 67-tf.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at Flesherton Station and Eugenia, are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, BOOTS, SHOES, GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased. Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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FOR SALE.

That well known Heavy Draught Stallion, "YOUNG FRENCH SUFFOLK." This celebrated horse has taken first prizes wherever shown and has proved himself a sure foal getter. Is a beautiful bright bay, stands 16½ hands high, with fine form and unsurpassed action. For further particulars apply to

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Feb. 15th, 1882. 75-4t

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 45 Nassau street New York

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

Hop Bitters are Ahead.—Hop Bitters so freely advertised in all the papers, secular and religious, are having a large sale, and are supplanting all other medicines. There is no denying the virtues of the Hop plant, and the proprietors of these Bitters have shown great shrewdness and ability in compounding a Bitters, whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation.—*Examiner and Chronicle.*

HOLLAND COUNCIL.

The Council met at Vogan's Hall, on Feb. 14th, pursuant to adjournment. The Reeve in the chair.

Members present—Messrs. Cameron, Norton, Shute and Deavitt.

An application was presented from Robt. Caldwell and others, in favor of opening blind line between the 5 & 6 con. extending from town line to lot 23.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by Mr. Norton, that the above petition be laid over for further consideration. Mr. F. McCann made application to have 21 & 22 side-road opened.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that the above application be brought up and discussed at next meeting.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve, seconded by Mr. Deavitt, that Mr. Norton be instructed to let job of making new bridge on Sauble River, on tenth line.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that the Clerk and Collector attend next Division Court at Chatsworth, to attend to Campbell case.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Deavitt, that by-law No. 4, for the purpose of granting relief to indigent persons, be read a first, second and third time, signed, sealed and engrossed in the minutes.

Moved by Mr. Norton, seconded by Mr. Deavitt, that John Rutherford get the township printing, his being the lowest tender.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by Norton, that an order be issued in favor of Mrs. John Love for $6, and that it be presented to her by Mr. Merium.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Norton, that an order be issued to Mr. Williscroft for $9, for repairing bridge on Garafraxa Road. Also, $2 to Wm. Howey for letting and superintending the same.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Deavitt, that the Collector's Roll be extended to the 28th March.

Moved by Mr. Shute, seconded by Mr. Deavitt, that the Clerk's salary be increased fifteen dollars.

The yeas and nays being called for was as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Cameron, Shute, and Deavitt. Nays—Messrs. Norton.

Money orders to the amount of $452.50 were issued and signed by the Reeve and Clerk.

Moved by Norton, seconded by Mr. Shute, that the above mentioned orders be paid.

Moved by Mr. Deavitt, seconded by the Deputy Reeve, that this Council adjourn till the 28th of March.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT

Superceding as it does all other modes of illumination, and rivalled only by the glorious sunshine, will not be hailed with greater joy by all other blood purifiers and tonics as the electric light is superior to the old fashioned tallow dip. Burdock Blood Bitters cures Scrofula, and all foul humors and impurities of the blood.

HELPING A CONSTABLE.

One day a Michigan Constable who had long been trying to collect a claim of $10 against a sharp citizen, went to a worthy burger and said:

"See here, Jones, I've got a plan to collect $40 off the sharper Perkins. All I want is a little help from you, and if you'll grant it I won't forget the favor."

"I'm willing—what's your plan?" replied Jones.

"Why, I want you to bet him $20 that he doesn't weigh 120 pounds. If you'll do that I can fix the rest."

"Oh, I'll do anything to help you out," said Jones, and the two walked around to the grocery where Perkins was known to hang out. After a little talk, the Constable keeping in the shade, Jones began bluffing, and when he stated his fiendish desire to bet $20 that Perkins wouldn't tip the beam at 120 pounds his greenbacks were covered before a mule could kick three times. As the money was put up the Constable slipped out for a granishee, and was back in time to serve it on the stake holder. Perkins weighed 148 pounds, and the $40 in the hands of the stakeholder eventually paid a claim against him, but it has never yet been made plain to Jones how he made anything out of it. It has always seemed to him that he was $20 out, and for fifteen long years he has refused to walk on the same side of the street with that Constable.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL.

Will be found invaluable for all purposes of a family medicine. Immediate relief will follow its use. It relieves pain, cures chilblains, frost bites, scalds, burns, corns, rheumatism, neuralgia, &c. For internal use it is none the less wonderful. One or two doses frequently cure sore throat. It will cure croup in a few minutes. A few bottles has often cured asthma. Colic has been cured by a teaspoonful dose. It cures with the utmost rapidity, it is really a wonderful medicine.

The *Mail* says: On Saturday 20 cars of hops were shipped to east Cambridge, and twenty-five cars of hops passed through the City on the same day for England.

A RELIABLE FACT.

It is an established fact that Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is the best cure for coughs, colds sore throat, asthma, croup, bronchitis, and all troubles arising from neglected colds. Price 25 cents.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.
ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and many other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25c., and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Dunham, P.Q., March 10th, 1879.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,
CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, P.Q., Wholesale Agents. 71.

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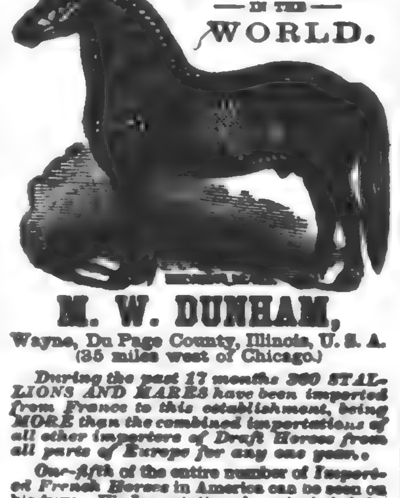

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During the past 17 months 390 STALLIONS AND MARES have been imported from France to this establishment, being MORE than the combined importations of all other importers of Draft Horses from all parts of Europe for any one year.

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A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable; also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

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Has on hand and for sale a first-class stock of

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CONSISTING OF

Teas, Coffees
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And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

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I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

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MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
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OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

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CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

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SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

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—FROM—

KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

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GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

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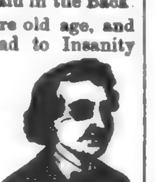
THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.



After Taking.

☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
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Marble Works

Monuments, Tombstones

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

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Piles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, or attendant complaints.

INDUBITABLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

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GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

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Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular Pad, $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases, $3. Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by

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G. W. PARSONS, Dundalk.
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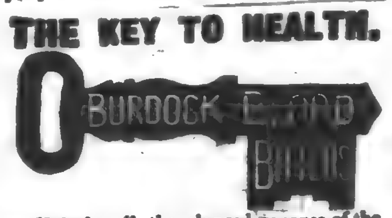
WM. LUCAS, Manager.

September 29, 1880. 2 ly 50

THE KEY TO HEALTH.



Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

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WM. LITTLEJOHNS,
On the premises
or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

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YELLOW OIL
CURES RHEUMATISM

FREEMAN'S
WORM POWDERS.

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

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THOSE SPACIOUS AND FIRST-CLASS Stores in the Reid Block. Good cellars, full size of building, under each store. Also the dwellings over the said stores, consisting of kitchen, dining-room, parlor, five bedrooms and large hall. The stores and dwellings can be had singly or together. Terms moderate. Apply to

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Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 74 3t.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.

A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B.

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Has always on hand a full assortment of

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—AND—
SCOTCH COLLARS!

Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

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RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

J. GORDON.

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Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1881. 14.

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Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

60ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

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AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

REYNOLDS & SON

ARE SELLING OUT THEIR

FALL AND WINTER STOCK FOR THIRTY DAYS AT COST!

In order to make room for their Spring importations.

Scotch, Irish & Canadian Tweeds--desperate low prices. See them

WINCEYS very cheap. Bargains in CASHMERES, &c.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE BAGAINS AT

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Markdale, February 15th, 1882.

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Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's
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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

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Flesherton. March 10, 1881. 26

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Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

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AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, WAGGONS,
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Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will find it to their advantage to deal with a Local Agent.

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Flesherton, March 24, 1881.

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DUNDALK

Has the Largest and Best Assorted Stock in Town, consisting of

Dry Goods,
Ready Made Clothing,
Millinery,
Groceries,
Crockery,
Glassware,
Boots and Shoes

AT LOWEST PRICES.

Cash for Grain. 5,000 Bushels Potatoes

GEORGE NIXON

DUNDALK, Sept. 2, 1881.

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE

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IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to [...] am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get [...] Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machine

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk [...] Store.

THOS. HAND

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881.

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Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
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MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

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Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

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Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

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To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices

IN BOOTS AND SHOES

We offer special values in every line.

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is very complete, and customers will find prices and values [...] partment.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY

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Alexander Brown. [...] of Marriage Licenses [...] Conveyancer [...] for the County of Grey [...] and Land [...] Sept. 17, 1880.

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J. G. Sing. [...] TION AND PROVINCIAL LAND [...] Surveyor, Draughtsman [...] Markdale [...] Jan. 27, 1881

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...numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to ... with the
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Of Boots and Shoes everbright into Dundalk.
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Call and See Them.
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Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.
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...Y B. McMILLAN,
...AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ... to all kinds of law ... Hotel. 64.

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J. W. ROWE.

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... Owen Sound, ... REVERE HOUSE, ... on the last Wednesday in ... will be prepared to per... ... upon the mouth ... manner, and upon ... 1 y

Miscellaneous.

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...G. Morgan, ... to announce to ... vicinity that she ... work up combings into ... terms moderate ... corner of Mr ... street, opposite Mr. Bowes' ... attended to. ... Sept 1, 18...

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MARKDALE.
...PROULE, Proprietor.
...popular Hotel has had a large ad... ... thoroughly refitted, ... second to none in the county. ... and attentive ostler. First-... commercial travel... ...Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

...YAL HOTEL.
MEAFORD, Ont.
... PROPRIETORS.
...accommodation for the travelling ... The bar is well stocked with the ... Wines and Liquors and the best ... Cigars. ... to and from all trains. ... 1880. 1-y

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...and commodious Sample Rooms ... Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder ... supplied with the best the market af... ... Stabling and attentive Hostler's ...
THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.
... 1880.

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JOHN HANBURY,
BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR, (Stone and brick). Plastering particularly attended to in town or country.
Estimates on work free.
Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1

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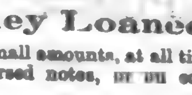
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DIVANCE.

A word unspoken, a hand unpressed,
A look unseen or a thought unguessed,
And souls that were kindred may drift apart,
Never to meet or know the truth,
Never to know how heart beat with heart
In the dim past days of a wasted youth.
She shall not know how his pulse leapt
When over his temples her tresses swept;
As she leaned to give him the jasmine wreath
She felt his breath, and her face flushed red
With the passionate love that choked her breath,
And saddens her life now her youth is dead
A faded woman who waits for death,
And murmurs a name beneath her breath;
A cynical man who scoffs and jeers
At woman and love in the open day,
And at night time kisses, with bitter tears,
A faded fragment of jasmine spray.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER I. Continued.

'When I come at the usual hour,' she repeated and he, never came. It was the strangest thing—I wonder at it to this day. It was so unlike papa to hurry off abruptly in that way—never even wait to say good bye. And I used to think—but I was only sixteen and a little fool. One outlives all that when they grow up. Still, fools suffer, I suppose, as greatly as wiser people. Some of the old pains comes back now as I look at these things. How different he was—poor, impetuous boy—from the men I meet now. When I read of Sir Launcelot and Sir Galahad I think of him. And I am to marry Sir Arthur Tregenna when it pleases Sir Arthur Tregenna to do me the honour of taking me. I have kept my relics long enough—it is time I throw them out of the windows.'

She made a step forward, as if to follow the word by the deed; then stopped, irresolute.

'As Sir Arthur has not asked me yet, what can it matter ... so long, I will keep them untill he does.'

She replaced them, closed and locked the writing case, and rang for her maid. The French woman came, sleeping and blinking, and Lady Cecil sat like a statute under her hands, being disrobed and robed again for rest.

But she was in the breakfast parlour a good half hour before either her father and cousin. She was looking over a book of water-colour sketches when Lady Dangerfield entered, looking at one long, intently, wistfully—a sunrise on the sea. The baronet's wife came softly up behind the earl's daughter, and glanced over her shoulder.

'A pretty scene enough, Queenie, but nothing to make you wear that pensive face. Of what are you thinking so deeply, as you sit here and gaze?'

Lady Cecil lifted her dreamy eyes. 'Of Ireland. I have often seen the sun rise out of the sea like this, on the Ulster coast. And I was thinking of the days Ginevra, that can never come again.'

CHAPTER II.

MISS HERNCASTLE.

'Givenra,' Lord Ruysland said, in his blandest tone, and all his tones were bland, 'how soon do we go down to Sussex? I say we, of course for impovrished mendicants, like myself and Cecil, must throw ourselves on the bounty of our more fortunate relatives until our empty coffers are replenished. How soon do we go—next week?'

'Next Monday,' responded Lady Dangerfield, 'in three days. Sir Peter writes me, Scarswood has been rejuvenated, re hung, re-carpeted, re-furnished, and quite ready. We go on Monday, very many have gone. Parliament closes so delightfully early this year. I don't pretend to go into ecstacies all over the country, like Cecil here, for instance, but really, London is not habitable after the last week in June.'

'Ah! Next Monday—so soon? Then we shall not meet Tregenna in town, as I had supposed? Still—Ginevra, I write to Sir Arthur Tregenna to day—you remember Tregenna, of course. He is in Paris at present, and on his way to us, may I trespass on your hospitality, my dear, as to invite him to Scarswood?'

They were still seated, a family party of three, around the breakfast table. Lady Dangerfield glanced across at her cousin. Lady Cecil sat listlessly back in her chair, offering her little curly KingCharles a chicken wing, she held the tit-bit temptingly over Bijou's wrinkled nose, now laughing, as he leaped up angrily, while all his tiny silver bells rang, not once lifting her eyes.

'Certainly, Uncle Raoul, invite him by all means. Scarswood is big enough to hold even the great Cornish baronet. I remember Sir Arthur very well, indeed, I was mortally afraid of him in those frivolous, bygone days, and thought him a horrid prig; but of course that was all my lack of judgment. Present my compliments and remembrances, and say we will be delighted to see him at Sussex.'

'Thanks, my dear; I knew I might count upon you. Sir Peter now—'

Sir Peter will do precisely as I see fit, Sir Peter's wife answered decisively, let Sir Peter keep to his beetles and butterflies. Did you know his latest hobby was turning naturalist, and impaling horribly crawling things upon pins? Let him keep to the beetles and leave the amenities of civilized life to civilized beings. Queenie do let Bijou alone, his bells and his barking agonize my poor nerves. Have you any message to send to Sir Arthur.

'I think not. Take your chicken, Bijou and run away with Tompkins, for your morning airing in the square. Half-past twelve, Ginevra, do you drive by the ... or Chiswick or the morning party at Kew?

'The morning party at Kew. I promised Lady Chantilly not to fail her a week ago. But first, Cecil, the children's governess comes to-day, and I want you to see her and help me beside. I advertised, as you know and out of the troops of applicants, this one—what's her name, again?—Miss Herncastle—seems to suit me best. And her terms are so moderate and she plays so very nicely, and her manner is so quiet, and everything, that I as good as told her yesterday that I would take her. She comes at two for her final answer, and I should like you to tell me what you think of her.'

'And I shall go and write my letter—your compliments and kind remembrances, Ginevra, and a cordial invitation to Scarswood from Sir Peter and yourself. And you tell me Sir Peter has become a naturalist? Ah! poor little Sir Peter!'

And with a smile on his lips and a sneer in his eye, the Earl of Ruysland arose and wended his way to his study.

'Poor little Sir Petrer, indeed!

Within nine months of his accession to the throne of Scarswood, Sir Peter Dangerfield, Baronet, had led to the 'hymeneal altar,' as the Morning Post told you, Ginevra, only surviving daughter of the late honourable Thomas Clive, and relict of Cosmo Dalrymple, Esq. She was the niece of the Earl of Ruysland, she was petite, plump, pretty, poor, she was nine-and-twenty, she had twin daughters, and not a farthing to bless herself with. At the mature age of twenty four she had eloped with a clerk in the Treasury, three years younger than herself a name as old as her own, a purse as empty, and they were cast off at once and forever by their families on both sides. Their united fortunes kept them in Paris until the honeymoon ended, and then poverty stalked grimly in at the door, and love flew out of the window in disgust, and never came back. They starved and they grubbed in every ... watering place, they bickered, they reproached, they quarrelled and recriminated, and one dark and desperate night, just five years after his love match, Cosmo Dalrymple, Esq., stirred half an ounce or so of laudnum into his absinthe, and wound up his chapter of the story.

Mrs Dalrymple and the twins, two blackeyed dolls of four, came back to England in weeds and woe, and the paternal roof opened once more to recieve her. Very subdued, soft of voice gentle of manner, and monstrously pretty in her widow's cap and crapes, little Mrs. Dalrymple chanced one day at a water party in the neighbourhood to meet the Sussex baronet, Sir Peter Dangerfield. Is there a destiny in those things that shade our ends without vilition of our own?—or is it that we all must play the fool once in our lives? Sir Peter saw—and fell in love. Before Mrs. Dalrymple had been twelve months a widow, she was again a wife.

Five years of married life, and living by her wits, had sharpened those wits to an uncommon degree. She read the baronet like a book. He was a miser to the core, mean beyond all adinary meanness, half monkey, half tiger in his nature, and her plumpness and prettyness, her round, black eyes, her faltering voice, and timid manner dad their work. He fell in love, and before that first fever of that hot fancy had time to cool, had made her Lady Dangerfield, and himself miserable for life

She was nothing that he thought her, and everything that he thought her not. She was a vixen, a Kate who no earthly Petrochio could tame. She despised him, she laughed at him she was master and mistress both, she flirted, she squandered his money like water, what did she not do? And the twins, kept in the background in the halcyon days of courtship, were all at once brought forward, the black frock was thrown aside, gay tartans, muslin and silks bought, and a governess engaged. Scarswood was thrown open to the county, a house in May-fair leased, parties, dinners, concerts, operas—the whole round of fashionable liferun. And her poor relatives fixed upon him like barnacles on a boat. The earl of Ruysland made his houses, his horses, his servants, his cooks his banker his own, without a thought of gratitude, a word of thanks. His wife sneered at him, her high titled relatives ignored him, men blackbaled him at their clubs, and the milk of human kindness had turned to buttermilk in his breast. He became a misanthrope, and buried himself down at Scarswood, did humbly as his lady ordered him, and took, as you have heard her say, to impaling butterflies on pins. If our fellow-creatures torture us, it is some compensation to torture, in our turn, bugs and beetles, if nothing better offers.

Lady Cecil came sweeping down stairs presently—tall, and slim, and white as a lily. Her India muslin, with its soft lace trimmings, trailed in fleecy clouds behind her—all her lovely hazel hair hung half-curled in a rich bronze mass over the pearly shoulders. A Mechlin scarf hung about her more like drapery than a shawl, and a bonnet, a marvel of Parisian handicraft, half pointless, half lilies of the valley, crowned that exquisite, gold-hued head.

The drawing room was deserted—Lady Dangerfield was not yet down. Lady Cecil was two-and-twenty, Lady Dangerfield five-and-thirty, and for every ten minutes we spend before the glass at twenty, we spend an hour on the wrong side of thirty. She took a book and sank down among the amber satin cushions of a dormeuse near the open window, and began to read. So she had sat, a charming vision, for upwards of half an hour, when her cousin, in pale flowing silks, youthful and elegant, floated in. ...

'Have I kept you waiting, Queenie? But that tiresome Delphine has no more eye for colour or effect than—'

'Miss Herncastle, my lady,' Soames the footman, interrupted.

And my lady stopped short and whirled around.

'Ah yes—I had forgotten. Will you take a seat for a moment, Miss Herncastle? I was really in such a hurry yesterday, when I saw you, that I had no time to speak of anything but terms. We are overdue as it is, but—I think you told me you never were governess before?'

'I never was, my lady.'

Only five short words, but Lady Cecil laid down her book and looked up surprised into sudden interest. It was such a sweet voice—so deep, so clear, so musical in its timbre. She looked up and saw a tall, a very tall young woman, dressed in plain dark colours, sink into the seat lady Dangerfield had indicated by a wave of her pearl gloved hand.

'Then may I beg to know what you did do? You are not, excuse me, very young, seven and twenty now, I should think?'

'No, my lady, three-and-twenty.'

'Ah, three-and-twenty, and going out as governess for the first time. Pray what were you before?'

Lady Cecil shrank a little as she listened, Ginerva went to work for the prosecution in so deliberate, so cold-blooded a manner. She looked at the governess, and thought, more and more interested, what a singular face it was. Handsome it was not—never had been—but some indescribable fascination held Lady Cecil's gaze fast. The eyes were dark, cold, brilliant; the eyebrows, eyelashes, and hair of jetty blackness; the face like marble—literally like marble—as changeless, as colorless, locked in a passionless calm.

'A strange face—an interesting face,' Lady Cecil thought; 'the face, if I am a judge, of a woman who has suffered greatly, and learned to endure. A face that hides a history.'

'I was a music teacher,' the low, melodious, even tones of Miss Herncastle made answer; 'I gave lessons when I could get pupils. But pupils in London are difficult to get. I saw ... in the 'Times' for a nursery governess, and I applied for it.'

'And you are willing to accept the terms I offered yesterday?'

The terms were so small that Lady Dangerfield was absolutely ashamed to name them before her cousin. At heart, and where her own gratification was not concerned, she was as great a miser as Sir Peter himself.

'I will accept your terms, my lady. Salary is not so much an object with me as a home.'

'Indeed! You have none of your own, I presume?'

'I have none, my lady.'

She made the answer quite calmly, neither voice or face altering.

'You are an orphan?'

'I am an orphan.'

'Well,' Lady Dangerfield said, 'your recommendation are certainly unobjectionable, and I don't see why you would not suit. Just open the piano, Miss Herncastle, and play some little thing that I may judge of your touch and execution. If there be one thing I wish you particularly to attend to it is my children's music and accent. You speak French?'

'Yes, my lady.'

'And sing?'

There was an instant's hesitation—then the reply came:

'No, madame, I do not sing.'

'That is unfortunate. Play, however.'

She obeyed at once. She played from memory, and chose an air from Schubert's—a little thing, but sweet and pathetic, as it is the nature of Schubert's music to be. It was a favorite of Lady Cecil's as it chanced, but never had the pearl keys, under her fingers, spoke in music a story half so plaintive, half so pathetic, as this. The slanting June sunlight fell upon the face of the player—that fixed, dusk, emotional face, with its changeless pallor; and more and more interested, Lady Cecil half rose on her elbow to look.

'That will do,' Ginerva said graciously; 'that's a simple melody, but you play it quite prettily. Cecil, love, what do you think? Miss Herncastle will suit very well, will she not?'

'I think Miss Herncastle quite capable of teaching music to pupils double the age of Pearl and Pansy,' replied Lady Cecil, decidedly. 'Miss Herncastle, is it possible you do not sing? You have the face of a singer.'

Up to this moment Miss Herncastle had not been aware a third party was present. She turned to Lady Cecil and the large electric eyes, so dark under their black lashes, met the soft hazel ones full.

'I do not sing,'

'Then I have mistaken a singing face for the first time. Ginerva, I do not wish to hurry you, but if we go at all—'

'Good Heavens! yes!' cried Lady Dangerfield, glancing in sudden hurry at her watch. 'We shall be frightfully late, and I promised Lady Chantilly—Miss Herncastle I forgot to ask—do you object to the country?'

'On the contrary, I prefer it.'

'Very well, then; the sooner you come the better. We go to our place in Sussex next week—you will find your pupils there. Suppose you come to night—you will be of use to me in the intermediate days.'

'I will come to-night, my lady, if you wish it.'

'To-night, then. Soames, show Miss Herncastle out. Now then, Queenie.'

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'And what's your opinion of the governess? What are you thinking of as you lie back in that pretty attitude, with your eyes half closed, Lady Cecil Clive? Are you really thinking, or is it only to show the length of your eyelashes?'

Lady Cecil looked up. They were rolling along as fast as two high-stepping roans could carry them, Kew-ward.

'I was really thinking, Ginerva—thinking of your governess.'

'You do my governess too much honor. What were your thoughts of her, pray?'

'There is something strange about her—something quite out of the governess line. It is an odd face—a striking face—a face full of character. It has haunted me ever since I saw it—so calm, so still, so fixed in one expression. That woman has a history.'

'Really, then, I shall countermand my consent. I don't want a nursery governess with a history. What an imagination you have, Cecil and what awful nonsense you talk! A striking face!—yes, if you like, in its plainness.'

'I don't think it is plain.'

'Perhaps you think it pretty?'

'No; pretty is a word I would never apply to Miss Herncastle. Herncastle!—a sounding appellation. Whom have I seen before that she resembles?'

'For pity's sake, Queenie, talk of something else. Suppose, when you get down to Scarswood, you turn biographer, and write out my new nursery governess' history from her own dictation. I daresay she's the daughter of some Cheapside grocer, with a complexion like her father's tallow candles, and whose piano-playing and French accent were acquired within the sound of Bow Bells. Queenie,' abruptly—'I wonder if Major Frankland will be at Kew to-day?'

Lady Cecil looked grave.

'I don't like him, Ginerva—I don't like the way he behaves with you—oh, yes, Ginerva, I will say it—nor the way you behave with him.'

'And why? How does Major Frankland and my lowly self behave?'

'You hardly need to ask that question, I think. You flirted with him when you were fifteen, by your own showing; you flirted with him in the first year of your widowhood, and you flirt most openly with him now that you are a wife. 'Ginerva,' with energy, 'a married flirt is in my opinion the most despicable character on earth.'

'An opinion which, coming from my Lady Cecil Clive, of all people, should have weight. Isn't there an adage about setting a thief to catch a thief? How true these old saw are? You don't mean to flirt, I suppose, when you are married?'

'Don't look so scornful, Ginerva—no I don't. If ever I marry—what are you laughing at? Well, when I do marry, then—I hope—I trust—I feel that I shall respect—and love my husband, and treasure his name and honor as sacredly as my soul.'

'Meaning, I suppose, Sir Arthur Tregenna?'

'Meaning Sir Arthur Tregenna, if you like. If I ever become the wife of Sir Arthur, I shall never let any living man talk to me, look at me, act to me, as that odious, bearded, sleepy eyed, ex-Canadian major does toward you. Don't be angry, Ginerva, dear; I mean this for your good.'

'No doubt. One's friends are always personal and disagreeable and prosy for one's good. ... time, I am quite old enough to take care of myself.'

'Ah, Ginerva, age does not always bring wisdom. And Sir Peter is jealous—poor little Sir Peter! It is unkind, it is a shame; you bury that poor little man alive down there, and you dance, and walk, and flirt with Frankland. I say again it is a real shame.'

Lady Dangerfield leaned back in the barouche and laughed—laughed absolutely until the tears started.

'You precious Queenie—you Diogenes in India muslin and Limerick lace! That poor little Sir Peter indeed, and Miss Herncastle, too! all low and abject things find favor in the sight of Lady Cecil Clive. Sir Peter! as if I cared what that odious little wizen-faced butterfly-hunting imbecile thought! Major Frankland is one of my oldest, one of my dearest friends, with whom I shall be friendly just as long as I please, in spite of all the husbands alive. And to think of a sermon from you—from you, the most notorious flirt in London—on flirting! And Solomon says there is nothing new under the sun!'

Lady Cecil made a restless movement, and under the white fringe of her parasol her fair face flushed.

'Ginerva, I am sick—sick of having myself called that. And I am not a flirt, in your sense of the word. I do not lead on men to gratify my own petty vanity, to swell the list of a vain, empty-headed, empty-hearted woman of the world's triumphs. I only like to have people like me—admire me, if you will; and when gentlemen are pleasant and dance well, and talk well, I can't be frigid and formal, and talk to them on stilts. It's they who are stupid—moths who will rush into the candle and singe their wings, do what you will. The warning is up, "Dangerous ground," but they won't be warned. They think the quicksand that has let so many through will hold them. They are not content with being one's friend—they must be one's lover. And then when one is sorry, and says 'no,' they rush off to Spitzbergen, or Spanish America, or Central Africa, and one is called heartless and a coquette. It's my misfortune, Ginerva, not my fault.'

Again Ginerva laughed.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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A certain well-known lady, living up on the avenue recently found herself and family of little ones compelled to pass the night without the protection of a man in the house, her husband being in the North. Being a good shot, she was not alarmed, however, but put her revolver handy when she retired at night. About midnight she heard a noise as if some one was trying to get into the house. She went softly on to the gallery, revolver in hand, and sure enough, there was a man down at the window prying open the shutter with a long knife. After watching him for a moment undecided what to do, knowing that if she chose she could kill him, she leaned over the railing and called out, "Shall I shoot you, sir?" The astounding question caused the man to stop work. He turned and looked up at her, but made no pretense to run. She then fired at him, and he retreated to the fence, where he insolently regarded her in the moonlight. The brave little woman, not a whit discouraged, then determined to show him that she could scare him if she pleased, so, taking good aim, she put a tiny bullet through the rim of his hat. In less time than could be told the would-be burglar was over the fence and out of sight.—*New Orleans Picayune, Feb. 2.*

MAINE NEWS.—Hop Bitters, which are advertised in our columns, are a sure cure for ague, biliousness and kidney complaints. Those who use them say they cannot be too highly recommended. Those afflicted should give them a fair trial, and will become thereby enthusiastic in the praise of their curative qualities.—*Portland Argus.*

MAJOR SANGSTER AND THE MULE-WHACKER.

Major Sangster, says the 'Chicago Inter Ocean,' who is known in military slang as 'bantam,' was returning one day recently from Bismarck, to Fort Lincoln, which is across the river, and the ambulance in which he was riding wat delayed by a team and wagon driven by one of the class known as mule-whackers in this country. The driver of the waggon and mule whacker got into a wordy conversation, and Major Sangster got very indignant at what he believed to be impertinent language and unwarranted interference in his journey. He jumped from the ambulance a Tom Thumb in size, but a Goliath in fury, and exclaimed, 'Get that wagon out of the way!' the mule-whacker looked at him rather quizzically and asked, 'who the deuce are you?'

'I am Major Sangster of the army, sir, and I want you to get the wagon out of the way. The mule-whacker spit a mouthful of tobacco on the road and remarked: 'Do you know what I will do with Major Sangster of the army, sir, if you don't make less noise with your mouth!' 'What would you do!' inquired the Major, looking as large and as fierce as possible. 'I'll set a mouse trap and catch you, Major Sangster of the army, sir, and give you to my puppy to play with.'

THE ELECTRIC LIGHT

Superceding as it does all other modes of illumination, and rivalled only by the glorious sunshine, will not be hailed with greater joy by all other blood purifiers and tonics as the electric light is superior to the old fashioned tallow dip. Burdock Blood Bitters cures Scrofula, and all foul humors and impurities of the blood.

HOW TO REPORT A WEDDING.

"I say?" said the reporter, "I don't know whether that is right."

"Don't know whether what is right?" demanded the city editor.

"This wedding. I went there tonight, and they gave me a heap of rot about their frocks; but I don't know whether it comes out straight or not. Now here is Mrs.——I've got her in a pannier silk, trimmed *a la* gross grain, with black point lace underskirt and box-plaited hair. Does that sound natural?"

"Who sent you to a wedding?" asked the city editor, contemptuously. "Don't you know that gross grain is a color? That was a gross grain box-plaited dress, trimmed *a la* black point lace, and her hair was combed *en pannier*. You ought to know better than to get things mixed up that way. Who else did you get? How was the bride dressed?"

"I've got her all right," replied the West End reporter. "She wore a white *bouffant*, with a Princess of Thule veil; the underskirt cut *decollette* around the bottom, and trimmed with a basque at the sides."

"That's better," said the city editor, encouragingly. "That sounds something like. How was her hair?"

"Her hair was shirred at the sides and corsaged on top."

"I don't believe that's right," observed the city editor. "Read that again."

"It was corsaged at the sides and shirred on top," said the West End reporter, referring to his notes.

"Of course," smiled the city editor. "It makes all the difference in the world. You never saw a woman with her hair corsaged on top in your life

A RELIABLE FACT.

It is an established fact that Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is the best cure for coughs, colds sore throat, asthma, croup, bronchitis, and all troubles arising from neglected colds. Price 25 cents.

The News denies the Queen's proposed visit to Mentone is necessitated by failing health.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time.

Commencing Thursday, December 8, 1881.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	6.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	6.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.08 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.21 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.07 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.5[illegible] a.m.	[illegible]
Carlton	10.[illegible] a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n.	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7 [illegible] a.m.	[illegible] p.m.
‡Carlton	[illegible] a.m.	[illegible] p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	[illegible] "
‡Emery	7.5[illegible] "	[illegible] "
‡Humber Summit	7.59 "	[illegible] "
Woodbridge	8 [illegible]5 "	[illegible] "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	[illegible] "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.[illegible]6 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.25 "	6.22 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
‡Orangeville Junc	9.57 "	7.00 "
‡Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
‡Crombie's	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8.06 "
‡Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
‡Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
‡Arnott	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
‡Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	10.15 "

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

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" " Mail, "	7.00
WEEKLIES.	
Toronto Weekly Globe, per year,	$1.00
" " Mail "	1.00
Hamilton " Spectator "	1.00
Montreal Herald & Weekly Star,	1.00
" Witness	1.10
" Messenger	1.00
Scientific American "	3.20
MONTHLIES.	
Farmers Advocate, per year,	$1.00
American Agriculturist "	1.50
Our Little Ones "	1.50

Friday, March 10th, 1882

No small amount of excitement was created throughout the Dominion, upon the reception of a cablegram announcing that another attempt had been made on the life of our beloved Queen, happily, however, as in the other four attempts, without doing her any injury. Rumors of all sorts are rife, and the cause of the attempt was attributed to the Fenians, Nihilists, Communists, &c., &c. But further investigation appears to undoubtedly establish the fact that the would-be assassin is insane, and is not connected with any of the above named societies, but simply acted from an insane impulse over which he had no control.

Our Flesherton *contem* appears to be somewhat riled at a movement that is now on foot to improve a certain road, so as to enable the inhabitants of the Queen's valley to bring their custom to Markdale, and insinuates that the scheme originated here with a view of injuring Flesherton. We can assure the *Advance* man that he is completely at sea. Not a man in Markdale has moved in the matter. It first took shape in the valley, and as will be seen by referring to a communication in another column, for the reason, that the people of the aforesaid locality are under the impression that they can dispose of their produce to better advantage, and get cheaper and better goods, in our village than elsewhere, and as a public journalist we thought it our duty to give our support to any movement that has a tendency to further the interests of the place in which we live.

Just at this particular time it may be well to note the fact that the law provides that "if any clerk or assessor makes any unjust or fraudulent assessment, or copy of any assessor's roll, or wilfully and fraudulently inserts therein the name of any person who should not be entered, or fraudulently omits the name of any person who should be entered, or wilfully omits any duty required of him, he shall on conviction thereof before a court of competent jurisdiction, be liable to a fine not exceeding $200, and to imprisonment until the fine is paid, for a period not exceeding six months, or to both such fine and imprisonment at the discretion of the court." And it is further provided, that a fine not exceeding $100 shall be imposed on those assessors and clerks who refuse or neglect to perform any duty required of them.

MANITOBA.

All classes appear to be affected, to a greater or lesser extent, with the Manitoba craze; but the object of the great majority of those who have gone and are about to go this Spring, we believe to be speculation. If this is really the case there will soon be an end of the excitement and a re-action will soon take place.

What, we would like to ask, is to keep up the extensive towns that are being surveyed, the lots in which are being sold and re-sold at such exorbitant prices, if the country is not settled with *bona fide* farmers whose intention is to gain their living by farming. We fear that this undue excitement is anything but beneficial to the country, and that the majority of those who imagine they are making a fortune will, in a few months, find themselves utterly ruined. It is our opinion that any family who have a comfortable home in Ontario, should consider well the social, educational, religious and other privileges they now enjoy, before pulling up stakes and removing to a new country.

REVOLUTIONIZING "TIME,"

CONCLUSION OF MR. SANDFORD FLEMING'S ARGUMENT.

(Continued from issue of Feb. 17th.)

2. Cosmopolitan time to be based on the diurnal revolutions of the earth as determined by the (mean) sun's passage over one particular meridian to be selected as a time-zero.

3. This time-zero to coincide with the prime meridian, to be common to all nations for computing longtitude.

4. The time-zero and prime meridian for the world to be established, with the concurrence of civilized nations generally.

5. Twenty-four secondary or standard hour meridians to be established, fifteen degrees or one hour distant from each other, the first being fifteen degrees from the prime meridian.

6. The standard hour meridians to regulate time at all places on the earth's surface.

7. The twenty-four standard meridians to be denoted by symbols, and, preferably, by the letters of the English alphabet which, by omitting J and V, are twenty-four in number. The letters are to be taken in their order from east to west. The zero-meridian to be the letter Z.

8. The hour of the day at any place on the earth's surface to be regulated by some one of the standard meridians, generally by the standard nearest such place in longtitude.

9. It is proposed to distinguish that interval of time between two consecutive passages of the (mean) sun over the prime meridian by the term "Cosmopolitan Day."

10. The Cosmopolitan Day is designed to promote exactness in chro[illegible] employ-ed in connection with synchronous observations in all parts of the world, and for scientific purposes generally.

11. Local days to commence twelve hours before and end twelve hours after the (mean) sun's passage over each of the situated meridians. The local days to be distinguished by the letters of the twenty-four meridians which determine them.

12. Local days will be reduced to twenty-four in number within the period of each diurnal revolution of the earth. They are to be regarded in the same light in all ordinary affairs as local days under the present system.

13. The hour of the Cosmopolitan day to be known by the letters of the alphabet in their order from A to Z (omitting J and V,) corresponding with the twenty-four hour meridians When the (mean) sun passes meridians G and N, it will be by time or N time of the "Cosmopolitan Day"

J. C.

FLESHERTON.

From our Correspondent.

The social under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Association of the Presbyterian Church, Flesherton, held on the 24th ult., was an immense success.

The meeting was called to order at an early hour by Rev. Mr. Wilson, who stated that he held a good paper in his hand, and that the audience might expect a treat such as had not been in store for any other gathering for a long time; that he also felt sure of the success of any undertaking that the ladies took an active part in. He would omit his (the Chairman's) speech until later in the evening, and would call on the Quintette Band to open the proceedings. They were followed by Miss A. Philp with a song; reading, by Mr. J. Anderson; Millie Vandusen, song; reading, Mr. McMaster, entitled George Washington, which illustrated the pains that have to be taken to make children understand, much more to comprehend what is told them. A recess was then taken for tea, after which Mr. Rutledge came in for a recitation, which "brought down the house;" music by the Quintette club; reading, Mr. G. L. Dodds, entitled David and Goliath; song, Miss Christoe; reading, Mr. A. R. Fawcett, which was very amusing; recitation, Mr. McDougal, Markdale; song, Miss A. Anderson; recitation, Mr. A. Thompson; song, Millie Vandusen; music, string band; recitation, Mr. J. Richards; reading Mr. Rutledge; recitation, Mr. McDougal. By special request, Mr. Doll was called to his feet, but stated that owing to the lateness of the hour he would not give the speech he had in store for them; but at some other time he would be happy to deliver it. Several of the above pieces were enchored, and if a vote had been taken I have no doubt but that this entertainment would have been unanimously declared to be *the* one of the season. It is certain the efforts of the ladies were crowned with success. Proceeds, $27.

BREVITIES.—Mr. Wm. Cullen and Son leave for the North West this week; Mr. Herron and Mr. Gamey left on the 28th ult.; James Burnet leave in a few days; Messrs. Thomas McGirr, R. Hooper, G. L. Dodds and family leave on the first of April. Mr. Dodds will sell by private sale all his household furniture, which is almost new and of a good quality. Any one requiring such should call and see what he has to sell. Suitable time to purchasers will be given. He will sell cheap as he does not intend taking any of the furniture with him.

R. J. Sproule has a great clearing sale for thirty days. People say he is just slaughtering goods.

EUGENIA.

From our own Correspondence.

The Manitoba fever has reached this Neighbourhood in its most virulant form neither the old nor young seem to be proof against it. Quite a number are prepared to go off about the first of March. Kimberley is also infected.

Scarlet fever is still lingering around here. In our perambulations in the vicinity of Vandeleur we notice extensive preparations for building in the spring.

The Eclipse Saw Mill yard is stocked with an immense quantity of logs of superior quality of Pine, Butternut, White Ash, Cherry, &c. The boom has surely struck Vandeleur.

It is generally reported that Vennor has come out at the right end of the horn in his weather prognostications for the last week or two. Is that so? Hope Mr. Editor you are able to get around again, you know it don't do for Editors to get sick—we have tried it and there is no fun in it.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondence

To the Editor

SIR,—In looking over the columns of your valuable paper of March 3rd, we were really amused when we read an article with the signature "An Old Resident of the Valley." At first we thought we would pay no attention to it, but on second thought we came to the conclusion that it would not be right to let it pass unheeded, as your readers were left with the impression that this new and only route would accommodate the whole Valley. In the first place he speaks of the large tract of country that should do their trading at Markdale. We agree with him there. He says the above route would give us the choice of two markets—Flesherton and Markdale. Now, Mr. Editor, for the benefit of your numerous readers and the worthy pioneer living in the Valley in Artemesia, I would say that we have a good road direct from Kimberley to Flesherton; a much better road than the other would be if thousands were expended on it. But that is not what we on the 6th and 7th sideroad and vicinity want. We want to go up 6 and 7 sideroad more direct to Markdale for several reasons, viz:—It is a nearer and better market for our produce, and we can get what we want and cheaper than in any of our neighbouring towns. I was about to say something of the roundabout way to get to this new route from 6 and 7 sideroad and vicinity, but time and space will hardly permit. But a word or so as to this new surveyed line, as that is all that it is, and in the opinion of the residents of Kimberley and vicinity of the line (with a few exceptions,) all it ever will be, as we are strongly opposed to building roads for the benefit of people living in an adjoining township when we are not at all benefitted by it. And furthermore, from what we hear of public opinion of the residents of the township of Euphrasia is that every member of the Council Board, from the highest to the lowest, that goes for the establishing and expending Township money on that forced road, will sit there for this year only. Our worthy pioneer says the road would accommodate all over the Valley on the 14th concession of Artemesia, who has that line opened across the Valley via Connel's deviation to Vandeleur P. O., which is more direct to Markdale than via 3rd and 4th sideroad in the depths of the Valley. He suggests the propriety of closing the townline across the Valley. Why, Mr. Editor, an absurd impossibility. I would say that our subscription has now reached over $70 at home and some more to see yet.

A RATEPAYER OF EUPHRASIA.

FOUND.—The body of Mr. Wm. Morgan, missing since Thursday evening, Feb. 16th, was found in the river this morning near the stern of the *City of Owen Sound*. The money he was supposed to have in his pocket was found on him, amounting to $7.95. We regret if the information given us last week that he had been drinking on the night of his disappearance should have caused any to form a wrong estimate of the character of Mr. Morgan, as we understand that he has been uniformly steady and respected by all during the many years of his residence in town.—*O. S. Times.*

HERE, IN OUR OWN TERRITORY

It can almost be asserted that St. Jacobs Oil works wonders. Shortly before the New Year, when I visited my family in Mitchell, I found my son Edward, a lad little more than ten years old, very sick. He suffered with rheumatism, and so terribly, that he was perfectly stiff in his limbs, could not possibly walk and had to be carried from place to place. At once I sent for some St. Jacobs Oil, used it according to directions, and in a few days could see evidence of considerable improvement. On the tenth of this month I again visited my family and was astonished to find him well and hearty. He once more has fresh color in his face and can go to school again. Whenever the old trouble threatens to return relief is immediately secured by the use of the celebrated St. Jacobs Oil. From sheer Joy over this result I cannot withhold recommending St. Jacobs Oil to suffering humanity as a true benefactor. CHARLES METZDORF, office of the *Volksfreund*, German paper of Stratford, Ont.

Manitoba land sales are increasing, and so is McFarland's sales of TEA, the cheapest and best in the County Would strongly urge you to get a chest We know it is strong and full flavor'd—had a cup last night at a friends.

Markdale P. S. 2nd Div. Feb. 1882. Class C marks obtainable 375—Mary Stevens, 276; Minnie Lucas, 272; Lizzie Pollock, 265; Willie Pollock, 264; Willie Leslie, 262; G. Leslie, 255; Ada Reynolds, 251; Willie Mathews, 247; Samuel Hamilton, 242; Ellen Wilson, 235; Maud Mabee, 235; Edgerton Irving, 231; Lottie Munshaw 199; Jennie Rae, 216; Henry Smyth 197; Geo. Armstrong 190; Dolphy Morgan 185; Tom Noble, 165; Edgar Rutledge, 155; Bessie Moffat, 147; Harry Morgan, 119; Sarah Wilson, 104; Willie Shae, 101; Joe Armstrong, 100. B Class marks obtainable 400—Ben Coleman, 301; Willie McFarland 300; Mary A. Nesbitt, 284; Tom Nesbitt, 252; Peter Thibaudeau, 250; Alfred Whitby, 245; Herbert Hall, 235; E. Hewitt, 231; Minnie McNea, 223; Tessie Noble, 218; Fannie Williams, 214; Frank Bryden, 201; Tom Mercer, 191; Bella Benson, 186; Matilda Noble, 157; Milfred Fleming, 151; Susan McBride, 146; M. Whitby, 137; Mary Mercer, 123; A. Luke, 115: Harry Large, 110; M. Clark 47. Class A marks obtainable 400—Sam Coleman, [illegible] dean, 295; Maggie McNea, 284; J. Dundass, 279; Johuson Wilson, 273; Joshua Dodds, 266; Joe Galbraith, 260; Mary J. Irving, 255; Hattie Mathews, 253; Nettie Kay, 244; Lena Richardson, 241; Albert Hamilton, 235; Henrietta Benson, 220; Richard Douglas, 219; Minnie Cornwall, 212; Georgina Drew 212; W. Dundass, 208; Emma Ford, 205; Freddie McDiarmid, 201; Wesley Rutledge, 197; Wesley Littlejohns, 197; Willie Bahe, 187; Eddie Stephens, 166; Henry Hewett, 136; Sarah Irving, 132; Frank Richardson, 90; Minnie McLoughry, 25. MINNIE THIBAUDEAU, Teacher.

DREADFUL OCCURRENCE AT SINGHAMPTON.—On Monday the 27th February, at about 9 o'clock a.m., a Mrs. Riddell of this village, was observed rushing out of her house in flames. Some neighbours hastened to the spot, and after extinguishing the fire conveyed her into the house, and laid her on a bed in a perfectly nude state, and Dr. Snell was soon on hand, who pronounced her recovery almost an impossibility. The poor woman is dreadfully burnt about the breast and bowels so much so that her bowels absolutely protrude, and she is quite unable to give any account as to how the accident occurred. The only account that can be obtained is from the children, of whom there are six, Mr. Riddell not being present. The children state that they were melting spruce gum on the stove, and that somehow it caught fire, that she seized the vessel to throw it out, but in proceeding to the door her clothing caught fire, that she thus fell and became one mass of flames. This is the only account that can be gathered of the sad affair. Her recovery is pronounced hopeless, and her appearance is frightful.

Feb. 28th 2 o'clock p. m.—A telegram has just come to Maxwell, Mrs. Riddell worse, not expected to live over 4 o'clock.

4 o'clock.—Mrs. Riddell still alive—no hopes. Dr. Snell and Barr in attendance.

The weather here is quite spring like. The snow is all gone.

Scarlet fever and diphtheria are very prevalent, and several deaths have resulted therefrom in this neighbourhood.—*Cor. O. S. Times.*

CENSUS.

By the census returns just published, the following are the respective populations of the different municipalities in the County of Grey:—

North Grey—population, 23,334.	
Town of Owen Sound	4,426
Township of Sydenham	4,293
" Holland	3,688
" Sullivan	4,143
" Derby	2,863
" Keppel	3,449
Village of Brooke	888
Township of Sarawak	689
East Grey—population, 29,668,	
Township of Artemesia	4,576
" Collingwood	4,915
" Euphrasia	3,688
" Osprey	3,512
" Melancthon	3,099
Village of Shelburne	491
Township of Proton	3,402
Town of Meaford	1,866
Township of St. Vincent	4,119
South Grey—population, 21,127.	
Town of Durham	1,069
Township of Bentinck	5,472
" Normanby	6,130
" Glenelg	4,002
" Egremont	4,455

BIRTHS.

BEECROFT—In Artemesia, on Monday, 21st ult., the wife of James Beecroft of a daughter.

COLEMAN—In Artemesia, on 6th inst., the wife of Benjamin Coleman, of a daughter.

HOGAN—In Markdale, on Feb. 20th, the wife of James Hogan, of a son.

BOWLER—In Artemesia, on February 24th, the wife of C. W. Bowler, of a daughter.

POTTER—The wife of Rev. Mr. Potter, Dundalk, of a daughter.

TURVEY—In Dundalk, the wife of Mr. Henry Turvey, of a son.

DIED.

WALKER—In Township of Holland, on Saturday, March 4th, George Walker, aged 80 years.

SMITH—In Glenelg, on Feb. 25th, Elizabeth Agnes, youngest daughter of William Smith, aged 6 years and 10 months.

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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

NOTE LOST.

DRAWN in favor of John McNally; of Holland, and signed by Thomas Cooledge, of Euphrasia, for $14, interest at eight per cent., dated in December, 1881, or January, 1882, payable one year from date. Any person finding and returning the same to John McNally will be suitably rewarded. Payment of said note has been stopped.

JOHN McNALLY.

March 7th, 1882. 78 3t*

Boarders Wanted.

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J. W. LEAVEN.

Markdale, March 9th, 1881. 78-tf

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THOS. MULLAREY.

Markdale, Dec. 29th, 1881.

A. W. EATON,
ON THE WARPATH AGAIN!
AS A
GENERAL BLACKSMITH

The subscriber begs to announce that he has secured the services of a first-class mechanic and is now prepared to carry on the blacksmith business and general jobbing in Mark Richardson's old shop. He will treat all kinds of diseases of the feet such as Corns and Contractions. Interfering of horses a specialty. Having a good reputation in this section of country as a first class horse shoer he can guarantee satisfaction. A fair trial respectfully solicited.

Positively cash until first May, after that date credit will be given until 1st of January, 1883. Will work as cheap as the cheapest.

Markdale, Feb. 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

FRAMES!
JUST ARRIVED.

NEW STOCK. LATEST DESIGNS.

New Panel Frames.
New Panel Mats.
New 8x10 Frames.
New 8x10 Mats.
Selling Cheap at

Browne's Gallery,

OVER STANDARD OFFICE.

GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail

BUTCHER!

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct 25th, 1881

Conservative Association

A MEETING of the above Association for the Election of Officers and other transaction of general business, will be held at the Town Hall Glenelg

ON FRIDAY, MARCH 10th, 1882,

at 2 o'clock p. m. All Conservatives are requested to attend.

WM. DOUGLAS, Vice-President.

March 2nd, 1882. 77-td.

G. RUTHERFORD,

ESTATE AND LOAN GENERAL AG'T, Conveyancer and Commissioner in B. R., &c. Private and Company money to loan at lowest rates of interest and on the most favorable and easy terms of repayment. Insurances on all kinds of property effected at low rates in first-class English and Canadian Stock Companies.

Lands for sale. Valuations made. Accounts collected on moderate terms. 77-tf

NATIONAL PILLS SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE. Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 3 pills is a dose.

PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 90 ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

20 ly 42 Cedar st New York

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address Stinson & Co., Portland Maine.

SEEDS!
PURE SEEDS

FOR ALL KINDS OF

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

GO TO THE

Dundalk Drug Store.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

G. W. PARSONS.

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres, Shawls, Prints, Winceys, Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters, Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing, Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collars, Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels, Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets &c.

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT

10 PER CT. DISCOUNT on FORMER PRICES

and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope for a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

For Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand, and for sale, on Mount Royal Farm, Lots 117 and 118, Con. 2, E. T. & S. R., Artemesia, a quantity of White Russian Wheat and Black Tartar Oats. Parties desiring to procure a good article for seed should give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I guarantee the above pure and free from all foul seed; also two yoke of Oxen, rising 6 years old, well matched, and sound in every respect.

JOHN FORD

February 22nd, 1882. 76-4t*

NOTICE.

STRAY STEER.—2 years old—came on the premises of Joseph Miles lot 16, 1st concession S D R, Township of Osprey. Owner will please call prove claim, and pay expenses.

JOSEPH MILES.

77-3t*

Take Notice.

ALL PARTIES INDEBTED TO ME either by note or book account, are requested to call and pay the same to A. Turner, Druggist, he alone being authorized to receive monies due me and to give receipts therefor.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.

Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 31-3t.

NOTICE.

To Builders & Contractors.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of the [illegible] inst., for the erection of an HOTEL in the Village of Dundalk for Mr. J. C. Reid. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office from the 20th to the 25th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ISAAC TRAYNOR, Architect and Surveyor, Owen Sound &c.

75-td

PAY UP. ALL PARTIES indebted to [illegible] are hereby notified to pay up at once. Payment may be made to A. Turner or [illegible] Armstrong, Markdale.

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Markdale, March 2nd, 1882. 77-[illegible]

A Rare Chance.

A choice lot for sale in the best part of Markdale, being lot No. [illegible] side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable; also very good hard water. Will be sold on very easy terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, "Standard" [illegible]

78-3t

STANDARD.

[illegible] March 10th [illegible]

LOCAL & OTHER NOT[illegible]

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We acknowledge with than[illegible] scriptions to the STANDARD of S[illegible] Messrs. McNichol, Ridgely, Ma[illegible] and John Potter, Tehkummah[illegible] toulin.

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Lardine machine oil will [illegible] or freeze, and wears better t[illegible] other oil in the market. Ask [illegible] local dealer and take no other.

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As we ... heavily.

A communication ... reader of the STANDARD ... out for want of space— ... ar next week. Several other items have met with the same fate.

We have received the first number of the "Mirror," a new paper just started in Meaford. It is an eight page paper, published in the interests of the Conservative party. Its articles are well written, and its general "get up" is good. We wish it success.

Through the months of March and April be careful not to use Purgatives containing Calomel or other injurious substances. The proper and safe Purgatives is the Great Vegetable Preparation, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the purest and best Blood Purifier known. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

For all affections of the Chest, Lungs and Throat, use Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops. They speedily cure Coughs, Colds Influenza, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, &c. As an expectorant the Cough Drops are unequalled, loosening phlegm very readily. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

HONOR ROLL, S. S. No. 2 Proton, for the month of February.—Senr. 3rd Class—Mary Johnson, Josiah Roseborough, Wm. Kirkton. Junior 3rd Class—Juliah A. Hodgins, Sam Roseborough, Bertha Johnson, Sec. Class—Andrew Colgan, John Sluarson. C. GRAHAM, Teacher.

Chickens, which cost $2 a piece a short time ago in Winnipeg, can now be had for $1.50, and Ladies Cloth Jackets, that cost $5.50, McFarland is now selling at $3. Men's Felt hats, old price 50c. now 30c. Winceys, old price 18c, now 15c. Dress Goods reduced: Flanels at job prices. Fringes, cheap. Prints, cheap. Mole skins and ducks, cheap, at McFarland's. The only Direct importer *doing business in Markdale is McFarland.*

The new treatment for rapidly conditioning Horses, Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture. Each package contains a good Purging Ball which is givien to the animal previous to using the strong tonic powder. This is the common sense treatment and will accomplish more in one week than the old system of Spices, Feeds and Condition Powders would do in a month, ask your Druggist about it. A. Turner and Co Special agent Markdale.

HONOR ROLL.—S. S. No. 10 Melancthon, for the month of February.—Marks Obtainable, 200. Senr. 3rd Class—Hattie Richardson, 184; E. Montgomery, 158. Junr. 3rd Class A. Taylor, 176; W. Montgomery, 106. Senr. 2nd Class—A. Bell 162; J. Corbett, 145. Junr. 2nd Class—M. Corbett, 185; M. Flueny, 170. Senr. 1st Class—J. Richardson, 175; J. Boyd, 162. L. GRAHAM, Teacher.

NEARLY A FIRE.—On Wednesday morning the cooper shop owned by Mr. T. Mullarky, had a narrow escape from destruction by fire. The fire originated from the stove pipe, and when first discovered, by Mr. Wm. Carter, about two feet square around the pipe of the inner side of the roof was in flames. Being afraid to leave the shop to seek assistance, thinking the fire would make too much headway, he succeeded, unaided, in subduing the flames before much damage was done.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

DUNDALK.

(From the Herald.)

Mr. Parsons announces in this issue of the HERALD that he has the largest and best selection of field and garden seeds ever brought into Dundalk.

Mr. Wm. Nelson, who is about removing to the North-West is selling off at cost. Big bargains may be had by calling on him.

Mr. J. McQuarrie, Main St., Dundalk, has flour for $5.75 per barrel, and everything usually kept in a first-class grocery at prices that defy competition. Give him a call.

A hard change in the weather since our last issue.

Owing to the bad state of the roads, our fair was poorly attended, not much stock offered for sale, there were quite a number of buyers.

Mr. Jas. Hanna has sold his blacksmith shop, and house, to Jas. Mulholland, of Melancthon.

There is a great amount of sickness at present in the western part of the township.

The HERALD is becoming more popular every week. It is the intention of the publishers to make it an indispensible article in every family, we would be pleased to have our readers send us items of news from their neighbourhood.

Mr. D. McDonald, of Osprey, sold his entire horse, well known by the name of Young Scotland's Glory, to an American for $350.

We had a visit from our friend H. Graham, of the city of Toronto, he looks hale and hearty and seems pleased with city life.

The best and most satisfactory move our Council could make, would be, to make one leading road out through the centre of the township, from Dundalk, to Hopeville, then all parties throughout the township would be mutually benefited, we cannot see why this very important matter should be neglected so long, we trust that our Council will consider the matter and that they may devise scheme whereby the township can afford to have at least one good road.

John McDowell Esq., is getting on well as favorable as could be expected.

Mr. Wm. Nelson is expected home from Manitoba this week, to wind up his business in Dundalk, and return to Manitoba at an early date.

MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.18	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.23
Barley "	2	.60	to	.80
Peas "	1	.69	to	.72
Oats "	1	.35	to	.36
Butter "	1	.18	to	.20
Eggs		.18	to	.20
Potatoes "		35	to	40
Pork "		6.75	to	7.10
Hay "		12.00	to	16.00

TORONTO.

Wheat fall per bush	$1 25	to	$1 27
Wheat, spring, do.	1 20	to	1 24
Barley, do.	0 80	to	0 90
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 84	to	0 85
Clover Seed do.	5 00	to	5 05
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	7 50	to	8 00
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, large rolls	23	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy	18	to	0 20
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 21	to	0 20
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	3 00
Potatoes per bag	0 90	to	1 00
Onions, per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Feb. 23rd. 1881.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.24
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.20
Barley	1.60	"	0.72
Oats	0.35	"	0.31
Peas	0.68	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.60	"	0.71
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.15
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.18
Pork, dressed,	8 00	"	8.78
Beef	5.00	"	5.50
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, Feb. 23rd. 1881.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.25	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1 20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.18	"	1.22
Barley	0.60	"	0.80
Oats	0.37	"	0.38
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.20	"	0.00
Eggs, per doz.	0.18	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	6.50	"	7.10
Beef	4 00	"	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

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GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-1y

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—HAVING—

LATELY FITTED UP

My Grist Mill in

FIRST-CLASS RUNNING ORDER!

I am prepared to turn out all work in a first-class manner.

Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

W. J. ROWE.

Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,
MARKDALE.

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youth and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

THOS. MATHEWS,
HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY!

IN CONNECTION.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. ...

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Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

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As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
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Democrats,
Square Box,
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and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

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There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

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Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

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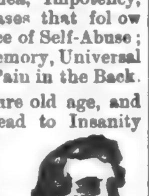

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1-1y Toronto, Ont., Canada

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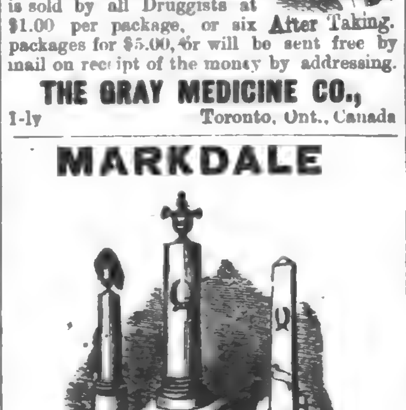

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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 49-1y

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SALE!

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POST OFFICE STORE
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FOR THIRTY DAYS.

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Extremely low Prices.

Be sure and call and secure some of the Bargains.

R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Jan. 30th, 1882

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DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

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Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
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Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

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Logs Wanted!

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for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.

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Bills Filled on Short Notice.

Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

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"The Orguinette may now be called a celebrated instrument. In tone it is akin to the Cabinet Organ, but the organ must be manipulated by an artist in order to produce music; the ORGUINETTE is on the other hand entirely mechanical in its action, and at a trifling expense it can be made to furnish an unlimited supply of all kinds of music. —*Toronto Globe.*"

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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, to to 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10. The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Rave ealled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at Flesherton Station and Eugenia, are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS,	HARDWARE
CROCKERY,	GLASSWARE,
BOOTS,	SHOES
GROCERIES,	PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

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TEA! TEA! TEA!

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
Cigars, Cigars.	Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
Coffee, Coffee.	Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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That well known Heavy Draught Stallion, "YOUNG FRENCH SUFFOLK."

This celebrated horse has taken first prizes wherever shown and has proved himself a sure foal getter. Is a beautiful bright bay, stands 16½ hands high, with fine form and unsurpassed action. For further particulars apply to

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AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 64 Nassau street, New York. 20

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self-cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers. Address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE SEASON.

March is the first spring month, and by this time all the plants for the season's work should be well matured. The farmer who plans little, often does but a small amount of the work that pays the best. He should be fully aware of the importance of being ready for work when the time comes. In some parts of the country there is a homely phrase, "Getting a good ready." It is not scholarly, but very expressive. It really means making thorough preparation, and in doing this there will be men to hire, seeds to provide, implements to buy, and a general overhauling and putting in readiness of all the machinery of the farm. The matter of hired help is an important one, and requires much thought. There is a great difference in hired men; they range all the way from the thoughtful, conscientious man who is as much interested in the success of the farm as if it was his own, to the shiftless, indifferent, and and some times bad man, who cares for nothing but his pay, and is not fit to have a place on any farm, especially if there are children in the farmer's household. This is a more important matter than many suppose. Aside from the danger to the morals of young people from improper language and acts, a man who is not kind to them has no business on a place where there are children. One of the best workmen we ever knew utterly ignored the children, taking no more notice of them than if they were so many stones. We are not aware that he was ever unkind to them, but the little things soon became afraid to go near him, and would run away whenever he approached. We would not have such a man on the farm. Some men are dear at any price, while others are worth much more than the wages that they are paid. Between these two extremes is the great mass of farm laborers, and it requires more than a passing glance to engage the best men. The farmer who will be particular enough to have only good men about him, will also know that they must be treated as men, and from them he will receive, in return, the thoughtful service of men, instead of the bare labor of their hands.

The surface water should be let off from the grain and other fields before the ground is entirely thawed. All drains required frequent inspection, especially at this time, when the outlets may be clogged by ice and snow. Clover may be sown this month. A very even cast is obtained by sowing upon a light fall of snow on a still day. —*American Agricultural for March.*

SHREWDNESS AND ABILITY.—Hop Bitters so freely advertised in all the papers, secular and religious, are having a large sale, and are supplanting all other medicines. There is no denying the virtues of the Hop plant, and the proprietors of these Bitters have shown great shrewdness and ability in compounding a Bitters, whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation.—*Examiner and Chronicle.*

Russia will not recall this year any vessels from the Pacific, but will despatch thither two more frigates.

Russia's Panslavist intrigues in the Balkan peninsula, are engaging the attention of the British Government.

Twenty-seven lives have been lost by the foundering of a British steamer bound from Odessa to London.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL.

Will be found invaluable for all purposes of a family medicine. Immediate relief will follow its use. It relieves pain, cures chilblains, frost bites, scalds, burns, corns, rheumatism, neuralgia, &c. For internal use it is none the less wonderful. One or two doses frequently cure sore throat. It will cure croup in a few minutes. A few bottles has oft n cured asthma. Colic has been cured by a teaspoonful dose. It cures with the utmost rapidity, it is really a wonderful medicine.

Three panslavist agitators from Russia were arrested at Jaroslaw. Lutheran cathedral has been searched by the police.

It is declared in official circles that there has been no communication between Germany and Russia relative to the speech of S[illegible] panslavism.

The British ship [illegible] Johnson, from Liverpool to [illegible] has been sunk in a collision off Pernambuco. All the crew except the steward were saved.

At a meeting of the Carlist Program Committee it was resolved to consult the Vatican in consequence of the letters of the Spanish Bishops disapproving of the Committee's action.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL.

Is at the head of the list for all purposes of a family medicine. It is used with unprecedented success, both internally and externally. It cures sore throat, burns, scalds, frost bites; relieves, and often cures asthma.

Natives burned the town of Foceri-carah on the west coast of Africa, and plundered the British and French factories. Several owners and clerks are missing, and it is feared were killed.

SURE CURE FOR A COUGH.

The most reliable remedy for a cough or cold, asthma, shortness of breath, sore throat, weak lungs and all bronchial troubles, is Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25cents.

The new Egyptian Ministry has hurled defiance at England and France by declaring it will resist any attempt by the European financial comptrollers to interfere in the internal development of the country.

Considerable excitement has been caused in Berlin by the decision of a military tribunal, freeing from blame a sentinel, a member of the guards, for shooting, while on duty, two boys dead, and wounding a third for teasing him.

WHAT TO STUDY.

Pope, the poetical philosopher said, "The proper study of mankind is man," and yet, how little is the real science of man studied. If people understood and heeded the laws of health, and if when out of sorts would resort to a natural remedy like Burdock Blood Bitters for the many ills that flesh is heir to might be effectually remedied. It invigorates and regulates all the secretions to a heal-

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A
PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.
ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunions, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and many other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25c., and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book [illegible] stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Durham, P.Q., March 16th, 1879.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell on the ice onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for [illegible] in October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,
CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

[illegible] is a [illegible] and [illegible] powerful penetrating [illegible] liniment [illegible] bones, calluses, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

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LARGEST
Importing and Breeding
ESTABLISHMENT
IN THE
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M. W. DUNHAM,
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Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

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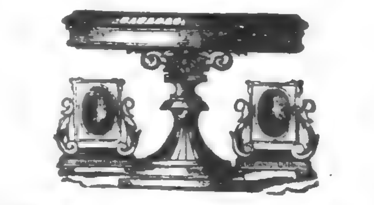

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Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

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By order of the President.
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Markdale, Feb. 14th, 1882.

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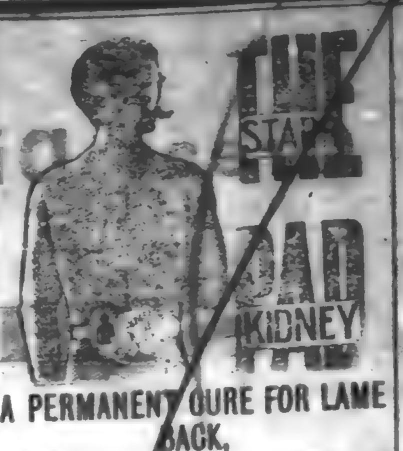

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Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

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Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Lumber.

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Markdale, February 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

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AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

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Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell, Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

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Flesherton, March 24, 1881. 29-tf

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AT LOWEST PRICES.

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STORE

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NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

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THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 13m

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SASH,
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Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

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JOHN W. McMILLAN,
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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 61

Frost & Frost.
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County Crown Attorney

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BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEPUTY [illegible] Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer [illegible]
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Office: McFarland's Block.
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[illegible] Lane, Q. C. J. W. [illegible]

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Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen S[ound]
WILL BE AT THE [illegible] Markdale, on the first W[illegible] month, when he will be prepared [illegible] all operations required [illegible] the most satisfactory manner [illegible] reasonable terms.

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown.
ISSUER OF M[arriage Licenses], Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches attended to and carefully [illegible]
N. B.—Money to Lend [illegible]
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880

Alexander [illegible]
ISSUER of Marriage L[icenses], Life Insurance Agent [illegible] B. R. &c. Com[missioner] [illegible] Auctioneer for the Co[unty] [illegible] Merchants, and Land Sales [illegible] attended to and charges [illegible]
Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

R. M. [illegible]
AUCTIONEER AND [illegible] Agent, Williamsford [illegible] Sales attended in all parts [illegible] Goods sold on Commission [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and [illegible] Plants and Ornamental [illegible] Agricultural Implements [illegible]
Williamsford, Jan [illegible]

J. G. [illegible]
DOMINION AND PROV[INCIAL] Surveyor, Fra[illegible] Meaford and Markdale [illegible] Provincial Land Surveyor [illegible] entire stock of [illegible] Reports, Instructions [illegible] done within the [illegible] prepared to make [illegible] Grading [illegible] Building Bridges [illegible] Money to Lend [illegible] Orders by letter [illegible] Markdale, will be [illegible]
Sept. 17, 1880.

T. [illegible]
BUILDER & CON[TRACTOR], Bricks, [illegible] this season is still [illegible] prepared to do all [illegible] work, plastering and [illegible] who contemplate building [illegible] advantage to give him [illegible] Residence corner of [illegible] States, MARKDALE.

W. H. [illegible]
HOUSE, SIGN, & [illegible] Contracts taken [illegible]
Dundalk, Oct. 12, 1881.

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Orders by Mail promptly [illegible]
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THOS. ATKINSON, [illegible]
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sorted Stock in Town
lothing,
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Glassware,
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...patronage. I beg to announce that
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RIVING DAILY
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... PROPRIETORS.
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THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor
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RECEIVED REGULARLY.
CHARGES MODERATE.
Satisfaction Guaranteed
Remember the Place
NEXT TO ... STORE,
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DUNDALK
Meat Market
M... supplied wholesale and retail
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Orders ...filled for all ...meat ... ...part of the town. ...
Shop on Main Street.
P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or ...to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.
W. T. RUNDLE.
Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
ON
Every Working Day,
By Thomas Smith.
Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881 45-3m

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ON THE LOSS OF
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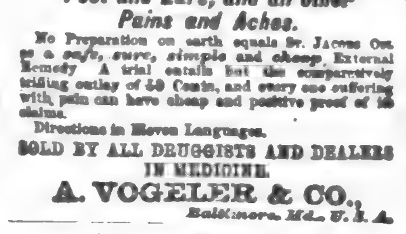

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A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

CHAPTER I.—Continued.

'My dear, what eloquence! Why weren't you lord, instead of Lady Cecil Clive?—you might take your seat in the House, and amaze that noble and prosy body by your brilliant oratory. Queenie, answer me this—truly now—were you ever in love in your life?'

Under the white fringe of that silken screen, her parasol, once more that delicate carnation flushed all the fair 'flower face' of *La Reine Blanche.* But she laughed.

'That is what lawyers call a leading question, isn't it Genevra? Who falls in love in these latter days? We talk of settlements, instead of turning periods to our lover's eyes; we go to St. George's, Hanover Square, if an eligible parti asks us to accompany him there; but as for getting up a *grande* passion—not to be thought of—bad style and obsolete. Somebody says in Coningsby, "Passions were not made for the drawing-room," and I agree with that somebody. I don't mean to be cynical, Ginevra, I only state plain facts, and pity 'tis true.'

Lady Chantilly's morning party was doubly pleasant for being about the last of the season, and Major Frankland was there. He was a tall military swell, with heavy blonde moustache, sleepy cat-like eyes, a drawl, and an eye-glass. It seemed the most natural thing imaginable that Lady Dangerfield should receive her Neapolitan ice from his hand, and that he should lean over her chair and whisper in her pretty pink ear while she ate it.

'We always return to our first loves, don't we, Lady Cecil?' laughed the Honourable Charles Delamer, of the F. O., eating his ice; and taking his seat by the side of Lord Ruysland's daughter. 'as faithful as the needle to the north star is old Frankland to the idol of his youth. *Apropos* of first loves, Lady Cecil,' looking up artlessly, 'whom do you suppose I met at Her Majesty's last night?'

The Honourable Charles, one of the 'fastest,' most reckless young fellows about town, had two blue eyes as soft and innocent as the eyes of a month-old babe, though how Mr. Delamer preserved even the outpard semblance of innocence at eight-and-twenty it would be difficult to say.

Lady Cecil laughed. She liked Charlie for this good reason, that he had never fallen in love with her.

'Not being a clairvoyant I cannot say. You must have met a great many people I should think. I know you never came near our box.'

'No,' Mr. Delamer said; 'I did not visit your box. *He* wouldn't come.'

'Who wouldn't come? Name this contumacious subject.

'O'Donnell.'

'Who?' suddenly and sharply she asked the question. 'Who?'

'O'Donnell—Captain Redmond O'Donnell, of the Third Chasseurs d'Afrique—Le Beau Chasseur, as they call him—and the best fellow the sun shines on.'

She was always pale as a lily—La Reine Blanche—was she really paler than usual now? Charlie Delamer wondered. Was it only the shadow of the white parsol, or—

There was a pause—only for a moment, but how long it seemed. Coote and Tinney's band discoursed sweet music, fountains flashed, birds sang, flowers bloomed, June sunshine steeped all in gold, and under the leafy branches Lady Dangerfield was strolling on the arm of Major Frankland.

Mr. Delamer, just a thought startled, spoke again.

'You know O'Donnell, don't you? In Ireland, was it? I think he said so last night.'

'Yes—I know—I mean I knew Captain O'Donnell slightly once. It is over six years ago though—I should have thought he would have forgotten the circumstances by this time.'

'Men who have been so fortunate as to know La Reine Blanche don't forget her so easily. Since you honour him by your remembrance, it is hardly strange if he recollects *you.*'

'If I remember him, Mr. Delamer Redmond O'Donnell saved my life!'

'Saved your life! By Jove! the lucky fellow. But these dashing, long-sword, saddle-bridle Irishmen are always lucky. And the fellow said his acquaintance was but trifling.

Lady Cecil laughed—not quite so musically as usual.

'Trifling! Perhaps Captain O'Donnell rated his services at the valuation of the thing saved. And he is in England. How curious. I fancied him—soldier of fortune—free lance that he is! for life out there in Algiers.'

'He goes back shortly. He is a born fighter, and comes of a soldierly race. The O'Donnells have been soldiers of fortune for the last three hundred years, and asked no fairer fate. He leaves England soon, places his sister with some friends in France, and goes back.'

'His sister—the Rose, of whom he used to speak—of whom he was so fond?'

'Yes; I heard him call her Rose.'

'You heard him! She is here, then! And what is she like? Redmond O'Donnell's sister'—with a little laugh—'ought to be pretty.'

'Well, she is not—at least not now. She appears to be under a cloud—sickness, trouble, something—didn't talk much—looks sad and sombre, and is a brunette, with blue eyes. She is just from New Orleans—her brother went for her. I called there immediately before I came here, and O'Donnell dines with me this evening. What a prince of good fellows he was out yonder in Algiers, and the devil's own to fight. He won his way straight up from the ranks with his sword. And he saved your life! How was it, Lady Cecil?'

'Much too long a story for a morning party, with the thermometer at 90 degrees. There is Madame de Villafleur beckoning—is she not? She is. Permit me, Lady Cecil.' And taking Mr. Delamer's proffered arm, Lady Cecil sauntered over to Madame la Comtesse de Villafleur.

The rose light of the summer sunset was just merging into starry dusk, as the baronet's wife and earl's daughter drove back to Lowndes Square. Lady Dangerfield was in excellent spirits—evidently Major Frankland had been entertaining—and talked incessantly the way home; but Lady Cecil lay back among the barouche cushions, paler, graver, more silent than was her wont. She had been very much admired, as usual; she had held her court of adorers, also, as usual; but now that it was over, she looked wan, spiritless, and bored.

'And he is in England—in London!' she was thinking. 'He was at the opera last night, and saw me! And it was not worth while renewing so slight an acquaintance! To think—to think'—she set her pearly teeth hard—'to think that after all those years I should not yet have outlived that sentimental folly of so long ago?'

'How stupid you are, Queenie!' her cousin said, pettishly, as they neared home. 'I believe you have not spoken two words since we left Kew; and now that I have asked you twice if you saw Chandos Howard playing lawn billiards with Lady Charlotte Lansing, you only answer, "Yes, dear, very pretty indeed!" It is to be hoped you will recover the use of your tongue and your senses before you appear at Carlton Terrace to-night.'

With which reproach Lady Dangerfield got out and went up the steps of her own aristocratic mansion.

Soames, the footman, flung open the drawing-room door, but Lady Cecil did not enter. She toiled wearily up to her own apartment, threw off her bonnet and scarf, as if even their weight oppressed her, and crossing to the gold-and ebony writing-desk, unlocked it, and took out her treasured relics once more.

'I do not need *you* to remind me of my folly any longer,' she said, looking at them. 'I will do now what I should have done this morning.'

The faintly sighing evening wind fluttered the lace curtains of the open window. She walked to it, gazed for a moment at the pictured face, set her lips, and deliberately tore up into minutes fragments the note and the picture. The summer breeze whirled them off in an instant, the spray of clematis, and the dark curl of hair followed, and then Lady Cecil rang for her maid, and dressed for the evening.

'They say—those wiseacres who make books—that every life has its romance. I suppose they are right, and so for ever has ended mine. Not the white satin to-night, Desiree—the blue silk and turquoise ornaments, I think!'

At half pas eleven that night—and when had the phenomenon occured before—the Earl of Ruysland returned to his neice's house. He had written and dispatched his letter, and though Lady Cecil had sent no message to Sir Arthur Tregenna, the letter contained a most encouraging and flattering one. He had dined at his club, he had indulged in chicken hazard for an hour, and at half-past eleven stood in the moonlight at Lady Dangerfield's door. He had been up, as you know, until half-past five the preceding day, and on the wintry side of fifty late hours and dissipation tell.

'I think I will give up London life,' he said to himself, 'and devote myself to growing old gracefully. Let me accomplish this marriage, pay my debts, and with refilled coffers, and a rejuvenated reputation, betake myself to pleasant Continental Spas and Badens, and live happy for ever after. Ah, Soames, have my lady and Lady Cecil departed for the ball?'

'Not yet, me Lord—dressing, me Lord—carriage has just been ordered round, me lord.'

Lord Ruysland ascended to the silent magnificence of the long drawing-rooms. There were three, opening one into the other, in a brilliant vista of velvet carpet, lace draperies, ormolu, and satin upholstery. They were deserted now, and the gass unlit. The range of windows, seven in number, stood wide open, and the silvery light of the resplendent June moon poured in.

'Silence and solitude,' muttered the earl; 'why the duce are they all in the dark? Aw, very pretty, indeed, brilliant moon and a cloudless sky—one might fancy it Venice instead of smoky, foggy, dingy London.'

He paused. The rooms were not deserted, it would seem, after all. Out of the lace and amber curtains of the seventh and farthest window, a figure emerged and approached him. The earl's eyes turned from the crystal moon, and fixed expectantly on the advancing figure—the figure of a woman. Who was it? Not a servant, surely, with that slow and stately tread, that assured air. Not little lady Dangerfield—the figure was tall; not Lady Cecil either—even she must have stood a full head shorter than this woman. Who was it?

The long drawing room lay in alternate stripes of darkness and light. The shadows hid her for a moment, she emerged into the moon rays again, and again disappeared. Who was she—this magnificently proportioned woman, in dark sweeping drapery, with that majestic stateliness of mein and walk?

She had not seen him. For the fourth time she came into the light, then the darkness took her—a fifth time she appeared, a sixth, and then she beheld the earl standing, curious, expectant, watching.

She stopped short; the moonlight fell upon her face—pale and calm. And the Earl of Ruysland, who for the last thirty years had outlived every phase of human emotion, uttered a low wordless cry, and fell slowly back. The sound of that startled cry, low as it was, reached her ear. The woman in the moonlight came a step nearer and spoke:—

'I beg your pardon. I should not have intruded, but I thought these rooms were quite deserted.'

What a sweet voice it was! Its tones lingered pleasantly on the ear like the low notes of a flute.

Her words broke the spell that held the earl. His eyes had been fixed with a sort of fascination on her face—a look of startled wonder on his own. And Raoul, Earl of Ruysland, was not easily startled. He drew a long breath and stood aside to let her pass.

'It is I who should apologize,' he said, with the courtly deference to all women that long habit had made a second nature to him, 'for startling you in so absurd a manner. I labored under the same delusion as yourself. I fancied these rooms forsaken. Soames! lights immediately.'

The tall footman set the chandeliers ablaze and closed the curtains. But the dark-draped lady had vanished.

'Who was that?' the earl asked carlessly; 'a visitor?'

'The govenes, me lord. Me lady's new nussery gov'nes, came two hours ago, me lord, which her name is Miss Encastle.

'Is the carriage waiting, Soames?' inquired my lady, sailing in in a sea of green silk and tulle illusion, illuminated with emeralds. 'You, uncle Raoul; and at half past eleven! What miracle will happen next? You don't mean to say you are comming with Cecil and me to the Duchess of Straheam's *soiree musicale?*'

'I don't, indeed. Nothing is further from my thoughts than *soirees musicale.* Ginevra, who is that new governess of yours?' She is your governess, Soames tells me.'

'What! Miss Herncastle! Where did you see her?'

'I saw her just now, as I came in. She is a very distinguished looking person, isn't she? Nursery governesses don't usually look like tragedy queens, do they? She has a remarkable face.'

'Has she? You are as enthusiastic as Queenie. She saw her at noon and raved about her for half an hour. I must be very blind or stupid; I confess I can only see a preposterously tall young woman, with a pale solemn face.'

'Enthusiastic, am I?' Lord Ruysland repeated. 'I was not aware that I was; but I once knew another face very like it—wonderfully like it. And I give you my word of honor that as I came upon Miss—ah, to be sure—Herncastle, standing there in the moonlight, I thought I saw a ghost.'

CHAPTER III.

SIR ARTHUR TREGENNA.

Far away, along the north coast of Cornwall, not far from 'the thundering shores of Bude and Boss,' there stands a huge pile of masonry, looking old enough to have been built by the hands of the Druids, and called Tregenna Towers. Its lofty battlemented towers pierced the blue air at a dizzy heighth—its beacon a landmark fifteen miles up and down the coast. From its sea wall you look sheer down three hundred feet of black and slaty cliffs into the white surging sea below. And to the right, three miles off, lying in a warm green hollow, is Tregenna village, its clusters of stone cottages, with roses, myrtle, and fuchsias blooming out of doors the year round. Gray, lonely, weather-beaten Tregenna Towers stands, with the steady sea gale howling around it, miles of foam-white sea, and a low, dusk, fast-driving sky over all. Right and left as far as you can see, and farther, spread moors, and mines, and fisheries, all claiming for their lord, Sir Arthur Tregenna, 12th baronet of his line, and one of the very wealthiest in the United Kingdom. You may wander on for miles over those purple ridgy moors. You may ask the brown fishermen or the black miners wherever you meet them, and the answer will still be the same—Sir Arthur Tregenna is lord of all.

Only once in seven years has the master's footsteps rung through the gray, lonesome rooms of Tregenna.—He is a wanderer over the earth from the North sea to Oceanica. Since his father's death, ten years before, when was three-and-twenty, Tregenna has seen but little of him—England either for that matter. And still with loving fidelity the old servants, the old tenants and retainers, look forward to the day when Sir Arthur will bring a bride to old Tregenna, and renew its ancient splendours. For they love him very dearly. The gentlest of masters, the most Christian of gentlemen, the kindest of landlords—that is what they will tell you about him. He might have been one of good King Arthur's knights, so stainless a record so high a code of honor, so unblemished a life lay behind him. He had loved his father with a rare and great love, and upon that father's death had gone abroad, and been an exile and a wanderer since.

On the second day of July, among the passengers who arrived at London Bridge terminus, straight from Tasmania, was Arthur Tregenna. His luggage was scant, there was nothing about him to betoken fabulous wealth and he drove at once to a certain old fashioned West end hotel, that his family had used for generations. He dined, dressed, and drove to Lowndes Square. But the shutters of that aristocratic mansion were closed, the furniture gone into holland shrouds, and an old woman in patterns who opened the door informed him, that the family had left only that very morning for Sussex.

'Then ther is nothing for it but to follow,' Sir Arthur thought. It is due to *her*—to my promise. I shall go down to-morrow.'

He went back to his hotel in the silvery summer dusk. London seemed new to him after years of wandering through Canadian wildernesses, Mexican tropics, Indian jungles, and American prairies; its roaring, surging, ceaseless Babel stunned him. He sat in an arm-chair near the open window, the last pink flash of the dying day upon him, and a thoughtful gravity habitual to it lying on his face.

He was a very tall, a very fair man, this Cornish baronet, with deep-set gray eyes, close cropped blonde hair, blonde whiskers, and not handsome. The face of a sun-burnt student, perhaps, never that of a handsome man—a face that could set itself stern as death—a face at once stern and proud, but a face that men might trust, and women love, for all that. A face that lit into wonderful warmth and geniality when he smiled, but Sir Arthur did not smile often.

The thoughtful gravity of his face was a shade graver even than usual this soft summer evening as he sat here alone. His eyes looked wearily over the surging sea of strange faces, with something of a tired, lonely light. 'Nine-and-twenty,' he was thinking, 'and I feel as lonely in England this first day of my return as though I had never set foot in it before. It is time I gave up this Bedouin sort of life, this wandering, gypsyish, vagabond kind of existence and ranger, as our lively French neighbors phrase it, and settle down to civilized life. And yet,—I don't know—the normal life suits me after all, and I may be glad to return to it. If I find her as I half expect to find her, I most assuredly shall. A London coquette is no wife for a plain, practical man like me. And I want a wife, not a butterfly.'

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

SHREWDNESS AND ABILITY.—Hop Bitters so freely advertised in all the papers, secular and religious, are having a large sale, and are supplanting all other medicines. There is no denying the virtues of the Hop plant, and the proprietors of these Bitters have shown great shrewdness and ability in compounding a Bitters, whose virtues are so palpable to every one's observation.—*Examiner and Chronicle.*

DRAFTHORSES.

PERIENCE OF HORSE DEALERS WHO HANDLE 40,000 ANNUALLY.

The *Chicago Tribune* has of late interested itself to a considerable extent in the subject of Draft Horses, and to enlighten its readers in this direction, published July 16th, a three-column article, in which it appears that it had detailed reporters to interview the leading horse dealers of New York City and Chicago, who buy and sell, in the aggregate, some 40,000 horses annually, as to the following points.

If they handled the several breeds of heavy draft horses known as French or Percheon-Norman, the Clydesdales, the English and Belgian, of which breed they handled most? Why most of a particular breed? What were the particular merits that this breed more desirable, therefore more saleable, than the others, etc.? The result shown by the detailed interviews gives overwhelming evidence that the Percheron-Normans eclipse all the other breeds as favorites among the dealers, owing to their vastly superior selling qualities. The evidence condensed briefly from this mass of testimony is that those who buy their horses to *wear out, greatly prefer,* the Percheron-Normans to any other breed, because they are more compactly and powerful built; are more enduring, having better feet to stand the hard wear of the city pavements; have better dispositions and are willing workers; are easier keepers, and generally give the *best* satisfaction. The Clydesdales were frequently criticized as being slim waisted, coarsely coupled, and generally having bad feet.

The general advice of the dealers to farmers was to breed to Percheron-Norman horses in preference to any other breed with reference to raising horses to sell on the city horse markets. It was also gathered that these grade Percheron-Normans bring from $50 to $75 more than any of the other breeds of same weight and condition.

The large dealers interviewed in Chicago, with the number of horses they handle annually, were: James D. Beckett, No 877 W. Randolph st., 3,000; M. Newgass, No. 17 Morgan st., 2,000; J. S. Cooper, No. 174 Michigan ave., 1,500; F. J. Berry, No. 2 Monroe st., 1,500; Joseph Lamb, No. 133 Michigan ave., 1,800. At Mansfield, O., A. J. Heineman, 2,500. In New York City, Isaac H. Dahlman, No. 209 E. Twenty-fourth st., 10,000; A. S. Chamberlin, No. 147 E. Twenty-fourth St., 3,500; Oakley & Smith, No. 160 E. Twenty-fourth st., 3,500; Jacob Dahlman, No. 207 E. Twenty-fourth St., 2,000; and C. & H. Hayman, No. 213 E. Twenty-fourth st., 3,000. In Brooklyn, N. Y., S. Richy, No. 331 Rutledge st., 1,500; Henry Newman, No. 328 Rutledge st., 1,500; and A. M. Stein & Co., No. 229 Washington st., 3 000.

We extract from interview with Mr. I. H. Dahlman, who is the most extensive horse dealer in America, all space will permit. It is but a reflex of the other dealers' testimony. He said: "I handle between 9,000 and 10,000 horses annually on my own account. Of the dwraft horses I handle nearly all Norman-Percheron horses. These Norman-Percheron horses are docile, intelligent, broad between the eyes, and have some brain. They are easily broken and steady in harness, meaning that they don't fret when they do their work. They are powerful horses, and compactly built, short in the back, deep in the body, and broad in the chest. This gives them what we call a good dinner-basket.

They have the best feet of any horse in America. They have a high cup foot. Their feet will stand work on the pavement better than those of any other breed. They are short-coated and thin skin and stand the hot weather the best of any breed. The Norman-Percherons generally give the best satisfaction to the people who buy them to wear out. They are finely developed for their ages. I put them into the harrest work at four years old. I buy these horses because they give the best satisfaction to my customers.

Being asked about the Clydesdale horses, Mr. Dahlman said, I will not give any criticism on the Clydesdales. I buy very few of them. I prefer to pass their stable and say nothing about them.

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EARLY SPRING CHICKS.

In breeding poultry, no matter whether they are high priced thorough bred stock or no, the main idea with all is usually one of profit, and the proper way to commence as well as carry it out, is to try to make a fair profit, even if all the surplus stock is sold in the market at ordinary fowl-meat prices, and not at the usual advanced prices obtained for fine, pure-bred stock. Where this is done, there is rarely, if ever, any reasonable cause for dissatisfaction. Where a person has the conveyance, there is no way in which as much profit can be made from poultry as breeding extra early spring chicks, those which are ready to market with early Asparagus, and weigh from two to four-pounds per pair or more. There is always a large demand for these young 'broilers,' and at prices which are not entirely satisfactory for the breeder, but astonishing to those who are new to the business. As they are marketed when about three months old, they have cost but little for food, and pay double and treble the profits they would if kept until fall and then sold in the market at a dollar a piece, which price is much above the average. Aside from this accidents and sickness, which is no inconsiderable item, between the ages of three months or nine months, avoided.—D. Z. EVANS, JR., *in American Agriculturist for Mar.*

WIFE DESERTION.

A CANADIAN BRIDE DESERTED IN CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, March 10.—A young woman about 20 years old tremblingly entered the detectives' room at Central Station yesterday and told an interesting story of her husband's desertion of her in a strange city, without friends and almost penniless. The young lady's maiden name is Fannie Strout, and her home is in Elmira, Waterloo Co., Ont. Detective Haas was instructed to assist her in finding her renegade husband, and to him she confided the story of her marriage and desertion. About a year ago Miss Strout made the acquaintance of a young telegraph operator named W. D. Sl.... The acquaintance ripened into friendship which quickly became courtship and resulted in an engagement. Sole was not rich, and in order to put himself in a better condition financially for the prospective home, he started with best hopes for Denver, promising when he had succeeded to send for his affianced. His hopes were realized, he established himself in a paying business, and not forgetting his Canadian sweetheart he sent for her. Last January, on her arrival in Denevar, they were married in an 'English' church, the name or location of which she cannot recall. They rented rooms and lived happily together, he showing every devotion for his wife, and she reciprocating with the ardor of a trusting bride. About two weeks ago Sole suggested that they return to Canada, and his wife, taking it as an evidence of his love for her who had never before been so long from her parents' home, gladly accepted the opportunity, if only to tell them of her joy. The arrangements were soon completed, and they started. Arriving in this city, they put up at the Atlantic Hotel. This was on Monday. Tuesday morning he left the hotel early and did not return. He took with him some $600 of his own money, his wife's trunk, and $41 belonging to her. The trunk contained her marriage license, which she is particularly anxious to recover. From Chicago Sole forwarded to his deserted wife $50 which is all she has.

A MATRIMONIAL NOTICE.

In the settlements of the Far West, where as yet there are but few women, lucky suitors find that they cannot be too watchful. What a picture of anxious love defending its object against a siege of importunities is brought before the mind by the following advertisement, taken from the western paper: "Engaged.—Miss Anna Gould to John Candel, City Marshal, both of Leavenworth, Kansas. From this time henceforth, and ... until Miss Anna Gould becomes a widow—all young men are requested to withdraw their particular attentions."

A CURIOUS CUSTOM.

Monsieur X: "I discovare one curious gustom in your country, madame!" Madame: "What is that Monsieur?" X: "It is zis. Ven a young lade ... get—vat you call it—married, she bag her name, I tink I hear you say?" M.: "We sometimes so ... Monsieur." X: "And ven a young lade she tell a young man she ... she geef him ze sack?" M.: "Quite true, Monsieur." X: "Now, madame, when I read ... dishabille—ze vat you call ... I find ze sack and ze bag are ze same thing. So, Madame, I find zat it is ze gustom in zis country ven a young ladee she will marry she will put ze young man in ze bag; and ven ze young lady she ... make ze bag a present to ze young man. Zis is our curious gustom I find in your country, madame; and I find it mooch intere..."

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 17th, 1882.

NEWS NOTES.

Lot 17, St. Boniface west, has been purchased for $40,000 by a Syndicate composed of Messrs. J. S. Fead, of Orangeville, Capt. Robertson, of Owen Sound, Jos Stovel, Chas Garceau, W. T. Andrews, Dr. Purdy, A. Keenlyside, A Vanalstyne, N. B. Linkan, H. Wilson and Thomas Marshall, of Winnipeg, Martin Love, H. C. Stovel, J. A. Halsted and Allan Lamont, of Mount Forest, and S. McIlvanie, of Portage la Prairie.—[WINNIPEG SUN.

We have to day to record the death of a centenarian, Francois Boucher, who died at the residence of his sons in-law, Mr. A McDonald, St. Vincent. Deceased was the oldest man in the neighborhood, probably in the county, having reached the advansed age of 102 and 9 months. He took part in the war of 1812, for which service he received a pension from the government. For thirty years he was a resident of this locality being an old man when he arrived here.—*Meaford Monitor.*

Nelson Saunders, a young man living with Mr. Dougald Smith, St. Vincent, had two of the fingers on the left hand taken off with a turnip cutter on Saturday evening while cutting turnips for the cattle. Dr. Maclean dressed the wounds Sunday morning.—*Meaford Monitor.*

THE MANITOBA FEVER.—Several of our citizens have caught the Manitoba fever, and either have left or are about to do so for the Prairie Province. On Monday, Mr. T. Aris, who has been a citizen of Meaford for twenty-six years; Mr. Chas E. Brown, and Mr James P. Alan left for the far west. They were to be joined at Toronto, by Mr. Wm. Henry Smith, who was formerly engineer in the Meaford Building Company's Works. And on Monday next, Mr. W K. Ireland, who has been a merchant here for the past nine years, leaves for the Canadian Eldorado. We wish each one of them a pleasant journey, and all success in the distant Province to which they go. *Meaford Mirror.*

MARKHAM, March 10.—An auction sale was in progress yesterday afternoon in Mr. Button's house, on the third concession of the township of Markham, when the floor gave way and precipitated the auctioneer and about sixty people who were attending the sale into the cellar. The cooking stove, which was filled with burning wood, went down with the floor, and for a time all was wild confusion. Several men were hurt, two having their heads cut and another several ribs broken.

MOUNT FOREST, March 10.—A sad accident occurred on the line of the T. G., and B. Ry. near this station, whereby John Walker lost his life. It appears that he was putting on brakes at the bridge, when the hand wheel broke off, precipitating him over the platform. The train was backing at the time, and passed over him severing both legs and arms. Death was instantaneous.

Dr. Norton met with a serious and painful accident on Saturday forenoon He was driving leisurely up Main street here between eleven and twelve o'clock, when by some means the hame-strap became unfastened, and the sudden jerk caused the horse to start forward at a rapid rate, the lines slipping at the same time from the doctor's hands. Having lost control of the animal, he endeavored to save himself by jumping from the buggy, but in doing so fell on the frozen road, getting cut about the chin, and the right knee severely bruised. The knee is much swollen and is very painful, and in all probability it will be a considerable time before he will be able to get around. We trust that no serious consequences may follow the accident.—*Free Press.*

THE RAILWAY.—The officials of the Stratford and Huron Railway are making preparations for the completion of the road to Wiarton. Work will be commenced immediately and we may soon expect to see the road opened to the terminus. The Dominion Government has made a conditional grant the Dominion Government has made a conditional grant of $35,000 to improve Wiarton Harbor. The conditions are, that the amount be supplemented by $15,000 as it is estimated that it will require the sum of $50,000 to do the work. The Railway company will give $7,500 if Wiarton gives an equal amount. A Bye-law is to be submitted to ratepayers of Wiarton granting this bonus and no doubt it will be voted.—*Hanover Post.*

NO MORE BILL STAMPS.—By the Bill which has been assented to by the Governor-General, no more bill stamps are required on promissory notes, drafts or bills of exchange drawn or accepted in Canada. Those having such stamps can exchange them for postage stamps or use them for paying custom duties.

MULES *versus* HORSES.

Now that horseflesh has been raised to such high prices, it might not be uninteresting to the public to learn that there is a team of mules near Irish Lake which outstripped the crack horse teams on a recent Sunday when returning from church, the driver being as spirited as his mules are frisky. One of the horse teams wished to pass the mules, but no! that would be an insult to the long-eared colts, hence a lively race ensued, the mule driver jockeying his neighbour into the ditch, throwing off the sleigh-box, and damaging things generally. Some ill-natured people say that the "M.D." and his team are very much akin in their mulishness.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The Artemesia Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, on the 6th of March. There were present Messrs. Christor, Webster, Elliott, Wright, and Pedlar. The minutes of last session were read and confirmed.

Communications from the Minister of Education and Messrs. Creasor and Morrison were presented and read re Separate Schools.

A petition from Malcolm Kennedy et al, re railway crossing in back lane west, presented and read.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid;

W. T. McKee, cost of seizure re McIntyre's taxes, $3 50

G. L. Dodds, clearing snow off road at station, $2 00

Creasor and Morrison, re Separate School, $5 00

Mrs. Thompson, for bread furnished (Boyles and Taylor) $10 25

Bye Law No. 340 to appoint Municipal Officers for the current year read a first and second time.

The following officers were appointed.

FENCE-VIEWERS. R. Whittaker, Peter Muir, Angus McLeod, Dugald Currie, Jos. Aussum, James Beatty, H. D. Irwin, Robert Shannon, W. Blair, Jas. Humphill, D. Stinson, John Duncan, R. Lever, J. Sharp, J. Hickling, A. Down, Jos. Pedlar, Jas. Stuart.

POUND-KEEPERS – Geo. Tuck, Alex. Rutledge, J. H. Heard, M. A. Kitt.

PATHMASTERS.—John Reid, H. D. Irwin, Jas, Beatty, J. G. Purvis, Andrew Carr, John Sharp, Ths. Morrow, Geo. Johnston, John Bannon, Geo. Ludlow, A. Neilson, James Mercer, John Mercer, C. Irwin, Jacob Holley, Isaac Sinclair, Joseph Legard, D. McMullan, J. H. Allen, Jas. Humphill, Jos. Henderson, Edward Ross, Thos. Hutchinson, H. C. Wilson, Robert Blair, Wm. Speers, M. Kennedy, A. Whittaker, Donald McKenzie, Charles Doupe, Joel Worts, John Gibson, Jas. Nelson, F. Wait, T. Conkey, Joseph Watson, T. A. M Ferguson, David Henderson, Chas. McKinnon, M. McMillan, Arch. McLean, Wm. Mead, W. J. Henderson, James Vanse, John Campbell, Angus McLeod, Peter Muir, Jeffry Thompson, John Hayard, John McLeod, John Symons, S. Badgerow, John Nicholson, James Ryan, John Smith, Jos. Pedlar, John Hargreaves, Thos. Gilbort, W. Wilson, Scott Jameson, Geo. Rutledge, Wm. Carr, John Boland, Thos. Dunlop, John Linley, A. Elliott, John Blain, John Braniff, Jas. Stewart, M. Akitt, A. S. Madill, Henry Williams, Duncan Campbell, John Weber, A. Minshall, W Clayton, S. Damude, A. Hannah.

Mr. Elliott moved—

That the petition of W. Armstrong and others be granted on condition that the commission for Ward 4 expend $40 out of Ward appropriation on Campbell's bill.

This was seconded by Mr. Webster and carried.

Mr. Pedlar moved—

That the petition of M. Kennedy and others re railway crossing be granted, and that the facts be set out and forwarded to the Co. Director to be by him laid before the Board of Directors in Toronto.

This was seconded by Mr. Webster and carried.

Mr. Elliott moved—

That this Council cannot see its way to take any steps in the separate school matter complained of by Messrs. Kelly and Sullivan, believing the action already taken to be legal.

This was seconded by Mr. Webster and carried.

Mr. Pedlar moved—

That this Council take action in regard to bridge on 7th con., at lot 27, it being in an unsafe condition for travelling.

This was seconded by Mr. Wright and carried.

Mr. Pedlar moved—

That the Council take proper steps to remove lot No. 24, con. 9, from S. S. No. 11, and place it in S. S. No. 13 and that the clerk notify the trustees of said sections.

This was seconded by Mr. Wright and carried.

Mr. Elliott moved—

That the Reeve and Clerk be a committee to search the records of the Township regarding a deviation on lot 1, con. 6, Euphrasia, and report at next sitting.

This was seconded by Mr. Webster and carried.

Mr. Elliott moved—

That the Reeve and the Clerk be a committee to finally audit the Auditor's report.

This was seconded by Mr. Webster, and carried.

The Council then adjourned.

W. J. BELLAMY, Township Clerk.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Council met as per adjournment at Scarlett's Hotel, Hopeville, on Tuesday, the 7th march, 1882, members all present, minutes of last meeting were read, and approved and several Communications also, from parties read.

Moved by Agnew, Dep. Reeve, seconded by J. Robinson, that the Clerk be instructed to have the arrears of taxes against lots 28 con. 7 and 29 con. 4, erased as same has been paid. Car.

Moved by John Agnew and James Robinson, that the sum of $5 be paid to John Moore, being ballance of remuneration for road devitation on lot 10 con. 19, and that the Reeve issue an order for the same, and that the Treasurer give up Mr. John Moore's note to him, he having filled the conditions.—Car.

Moved by R. Black and James Robinson, that the Auditors Report be recieved and that 200 copies be printed.—Car.

Moved by James Robinson and R. Black, that lot 13, con.19, lot 41, con. 6, lot 41, con. 7, lot 20, con. 10, lot 33, con. 18, lot 13, con. 19, be erased from the N. R. roll of 1881, the taxes on these lots having been paid to the Township Treasurer.—Car.

Moved by John Agnew, and Geo. Johnson, that the Auditors recieve their pay being $6 each and that the Reeve issue an order for the same.—Carried.

Moved by J. Agnew and J. Robinson, that grant of $20 be given to S. S. No. 12, it being a poor S. S., provided the government give an equivalent.—Carried.

Moved by J. Agnew and G, Johnson, that a grant be given to build approaches to bridge on townline between Egremont and Proton, provided Egremont Council give an equivelant to the same amount, and that the representatine of Division No. 1 expend the same.—Car.

Moved by R. Black and J. Robinson, that the tender of C. W. Rutledge for printing be recieved provided that he print 200 copies of the Auditors Report instead of 150, for the same amount.—Car.

Moved by J. Robinson and J. Agnew, that the Clerk correspond with the Solicitor of the Ontario Bank, about the taxes on lot 11, con 11, Proton, to inform him that per statament of the township, collector, there was no goods or chattles on the lot to distrain for the years 1878, 1879, 1880, the year 1881 it being assessed non resident. Car.

Moved by R. Black and J. Johnson, that the taxes, $3.10, discharged against Thos. Vedden for part lot 231 Main St. Dundalk, and the taxes $2.65 against John Potter for lots 4 & 5 Main St. Dundalk, be erased from the Collectors Roll, as the said taxes have been charged in error.—Car.

Moved by R. Black and G. Johnson, that the clerk be instructed to forward a copy of the by-law forming Public School and that the clerk demand remuneration from the applicant for the same.—Car.

Moved by J. Agnew and R. Black, that a grant of $10 be made to widow Foster, she being in poor circumstances and that Mr. Christopher Johnson be entrusted with the said amount, also $10 to widow Bryce to be entrusted to Mr. John Vert to supply her with the necessaries required, the Reeve to issue orders for the se amounts.—Carried.

Moved by J. Robinson and R. Black, that the arrears of taxes on lot 17, con. 9, be erased from Collectors Roll the taxes having been paid on said lot.—Car.

Moved by R. Black and G, Jackson, that the Clerk be instructed to write to the County Treasurer to ascertain the amount of taxes against lot 15, con. 6, and lot 28, con. 9.—Carried.

Moved by G. Johnson and J. Agnew, that Peter Walter be refunded the sum of $2.14, it being charged in error on lot 21, con 5, and that the Reeve issue an order for the same.—Car.

Moved by G. Johnson and J. Robinson, that the Council felt it their duty that as Mr. John Vert Township Clerk, has been laid aside from old age they give him $25 as a small token as he has been a faithful servant as Clerk for twentyone years. Car.

Moved by R. Black and J. Robinson, that lot 17 con. 7, be taken from the Resident Roll, and placed on the Non Resident Roll as it was placed there in error.—Car.

Moved by J. Agnew and G. Johnson, that Jas. Cavanagh be appointed Clerk for the township of proton, at a Salary of $150 per annum.—Carried.

Moved by G. Johnson and J. Agnew, that Robt. Russell be Treasurer of Township of Proton at the rate of 185 per annum, that he is to attend all the Council meetings and also to have an office in village of Dundalk and attend there each Saturday or transact the business through the bank there.

Moved by J. Agnew and R. Black, that the Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Councillors recieve their pay to date, and that the Reeve issue orders for the same.—Car.

Moved by J. Agnew and J. Robinson, that John Goodwin be paid the sum of $2 for two days work done under the pathmaster of road Div. No. 8 and that the Reeve issue an order for the same.—Car.

Moved by J. Agnew and G. Johnson, that the Reeve issue an order for $9.49 for bill of lumber for bridges in year 1881, by J. J. Middleton.—Carried.

Moved by J. Agnew and Geo. Johnson, that the Council do now adjourn to meet at Cedarville on the first Tuesday, in April, in the Hotel, at the houre of ten o'clock a. m.—Car.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

*** We gladly open our columns for the opinions of our correspondents, and are anxious to accommodate as many of them as possible; to this end, we wish to impress strongly upon our correspondents the desirability of expressing themselves in a concise form. As a rule, it is as easy to say as much on 1 or 2 folios as on 12.

THE NEW KIMBERLEY ROAD.

To the Editor

Sir,—Respecting "Ratepayer's" communication of last week I am reminded of the fable of the mountain and the mole-hill. He says of my communication anent the valley road "At first we thought we would pay no attention to it, but on second consideration, it would not be right to let it pass unheeded, as the impression left upon the minds of your readers was that this new and only route would accommodate the whole valley." Had he been guided by first thoughts he would not have exposed his ignorance or his ability to misstate facts. The second part of the sentence he does not question, leaving the "impression" as strong as ever. He next quotes my statement "choice of markets, Flesherton and Markdale." This he does not contradict, but states that Kimberley and Flesherton are already connected by *a good road!*" (Save the mark.) "A much better road than the new one would make if thousands were expended on it." Probably he is the only person who would make such a reckless statement, and I hazard the statement that "Ratepayer" never travelled over the two routes or he would not make an assertion so wide of the mark.

He says "that is not what we on 6 and 7 sideroad wish, we want to go up more direct." That would be almost impossible, for just a little "more direct" and they would fall over backwards in attempting to climb. Evidently he is sorry he had not time to dilate on the roundabout way of this new road. If he could disabuse his mind of the idea that 6 and 7 side road is the hub of the universe, he might then see that this new road would not only accommodate all on 6 and 7 side road in the valley but ten times more, who would not try to climb 6 and 7 sideroad.

He insinuates that the residents of Kimberley and district are, with few exceptions, opposed to the new road. The opposite is proved by the petition to council asking to have the road opened, signed by a large majority of those interested. Two parties are giving right of way free. Further we can raise $3 subscription in and about Kimberley for every $1 that they have for 6 and 7.

"Ratepayer's" threat is unworthy of notice.

My suggestion to close the town line across valley and adopt deviation instead he denounces as an absurd impossibility. He must be very ignorant of the powers of Municipal Council's. Any school-boy could enlighten him on that point.

What "Ratepayer" is driving at is a problem, he points out no better route. There are a great many who want an outlet south and west, that 6 and 7 would not be convenient for.

He says we are opposed to building roads to accommodate another township, What misleading nonsense! The new road will accommodate more Euphrasia ratepayers than of any other township.

AN OLD RESIDENT OF
CUCKOO VALLEY.

Sir, I, in common with many others quite agree with letter of "Ratepayer of Euphrasia" so far as regards 6 and 7 sideroad. The new road will necessitate a lot of money being spent for very little advantage. A few only will be benefitted. I endorse what he says about the good market at Markdale, and am sure the best course is the improvement of 6 and 7 sideroad.

Yours, &c., CERES.

To the Editor.

Dear Sir,—The discussion anent the improvement of 6 and 7 sideroad and the proposed valley road is somewhat amusing. Neither side has stated the facts very clearly. The opening of the valley road and the improvement of 6 7and sideroad are both necessary, as each has different interests to serve. I can sympathise with "Ratepayer" owing to the narrowness of his little mind. Will the opening of the new road affect his interest? I doubt he will seldom, if ever, use said road.

Present your petition, Mr. "Ratepayer." to that Board you are going to annihilate, it will deal more liberally with you than you in your selfishness would deal with them.

Disabuse your mind of the opinion that you are the sun and centre of al municipal influence, around which the whole municipal body revolves.

Yours truly, A LIBERAL.
Kimberley, March 18.

THE RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor.

Sir,—I notice the report of the recent revival conducted in the Methodist Church, Markdale, that upwards of 80 seekers have been at the altar. I will reproduce reports of revivals held during the planting of Christianity, written by inspired men.

In Acts 8 the report speaks of Philip going to Samaria, and preaching Christ, and adds that "when they believed ... ...they were baptized, both men and women."

In the report of Paul preaching to the Corinthians (Acts 18, 8) we are told that many of the Corinthians "having believed, were baptized"

In the report of Peter's reply to the crowd who cried, "What shall we do?" they were enjoined to "repent and be baptised every one of you." Now Sir, am I not justified in asking why this difference between the reports? Should not the result of preaching the Gospel be the same now as then? Will some one kindly enlighten me on this important question.

READER OF THE STANDARD.

We are informed that all those who have united with the Methodist Church as a result of the recent revival HAVE BEEN BAPTIZED. (Ed.)

MEAFORD ROAD.

From our Correspondent.

MANITOBA.—Mr Jas. A. Rowe left for Manitoba recently, there to push his fortune. On the eve of his departure he was presented with an address and handsome bible. The address expressed great esteem for Mr Rowe, and best wishes for future. Mr Rowe replied expressing his regret at leaving his friends, and thanked them for the honour conferred.

Good sleighing makes everybody busy, thanks to the beautiful snow.

Mr. Graham fills the school-trustee ship vacated by the removal of Mr. Brelby.

Pugilistic affair in vicinity recently, usual result, black eyes and bloody noses.

BIRTHS.

LUCAS—In Markdale, on the 9th inst., the wife of Wm. Lucas, Esq., Banker of a son.

FOSTER—In Holland, March 5th, the wife of Mr. W. H. Foster, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

MCCONNELL—MASON—At the Commercial Hotel, Priceville, on Friday, the 10th inst., by Rev. D. McLeod, B. A., Mr. Thomas McConnell, Osprey, to Miss Catherine Maria Mason, Egremont.

VANALSTINE—ALDRICH—On the 8th inst., at the Methodist Parsonage, by Rev. A. Potter, Mr. John Alexander Vanalstine, of Proton, to Miss Annie Aldrich, Bentinck.

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ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

THE Creditors of William Irwin, late of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, Methodist Minister, deceased are required to send in their names, residences, and particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them by letter prepaid, to one of the undersigned Administrators, with Will annexed, on or before the

Fifteenth day of May, A.D., 1882,

And notice is hereby given that after that date, the said Administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Irwin among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice

Markdale, March 15th, 1882.

H. D. IRWIN, } Markdale.
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MISSES DOHERTY & WELSH.
Markdale, March 16th, 1882. 79-4t

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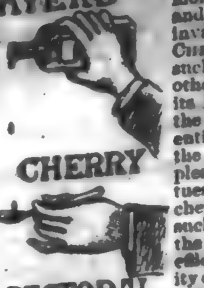

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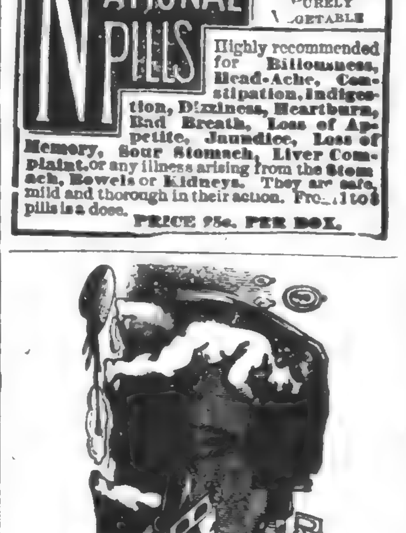
NOTE LOST.

DRAWN in favor of John McNally, of Holland, and signed by Thomas Cooledge, of Euphrasia, for $14, interest at eight per cent., dated in December, 1881, or January, 1882, payable one year from date. Any person finding and returning the same to John McNally will be suitably rewarded. Payment of said note has been stopped.

JOHN McNALLY.
March 7th, 1882. 78-3t

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms.
EDISON MUSIC CO., 929 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 68-6m.

NATIONAL PILLS. SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE. Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 6 pills is a dose. PRICE 25c. PER BOX.



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JUST ARRIVED.
NEW STOCK. LATEST DESIGNS.
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FOR ALL KINDS OF

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

GO TO THE

Dundalk Drug Store.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

C. W. PARSONS.

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover seeds always on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk

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ound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres,
Shawls, Prints, Winceys,
Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters
Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing
Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collars
Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels
Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets &c

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT

10 PER CT. DISCOUNT OF FORMER PRICES

and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope for a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

For Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand, and for sale, on Mount Royal Farm, Lots 117 and 118, Con. 2, E. T. & S. R., Artemesia, a quantity of White Russian Wheat and Black Tartar Oats. Parties desiring to procure a good article for seed should give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I guarantee the above pure and free from all foul seed; also two yoke of Oxen, rising 6 years old, well matched, and sound in every respect.

JOHN FORD.
February 22nd, 1882. 76-4t

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.
Markdale, March 9th, 1881. 78-tf

FARM TO SELL OR RENT.

LOTS 74 and 75, 1st N. E. T. & S. Road, Holland. 100 acres. 70 of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation; good buildings, and a quantity of fall ploughing done. For particulars apply to

JAMES GILLESPIE.
78- Berkeley P. O.

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 17th, 188[illegible]

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For all affections of the Chest, Lungs and Throat, use Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops. They speedily cure Coughs, Colds Influenza, Hoarseness, Bronchitis &c. As an expectorant the Cough Drops are unequalled, loosening the phlegm very readily. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

Fair warning, the person who took a package of fish from off the sidewalk corner of Mill and Toronto St., on Sunday night last, will save himself and family from exposure by returning it, as he is well known.

The new treatment for rapidly conditioning Horses, Zoek's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture. Each package contains a good Purging Ball which is given to the animal previous to using the strong tonic powder. This is the common sense treatment and will accomplish more in one week than the old system of Spices, Feeds and Condition Powders would do in a month, ask your Druggist about it. A. Turner and Co. Special agent Markdale.

A deputation from the neighbourhood of Kimberley was in Markdale on Wednesday soliciting subscriptions for the improvement of 6 and 7 sideroad from Kimberley to the 7th line of Euphrasia, results $80, this, added to their home subscription, $82 gives total, $162. The deputation comprised, Messrs. P. Ellis, H. Hurd, A. Fawcett, J. Hurlbert, A. McDonnell, and J. How.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

INTERNATIONAL (SEED) WHEAT EXCHANGE BETWEEN CANADA AND THE WESTERN STATES.

Striking the word FAILURE from the pathway of I. (S.) W. E. I have spent many long months of hard work and a large sum of money to make it a successful movement for its patrons as well as for myself. Endless obstacles have been encountered, and thousands of miles crossed, with the one idea of final success. Now all I require is the prompt patronage of progressive wheat-growers of Canada to make it eminently successful. My circulation of the "White Russian" and 'Lost Nation" Spring Wheats in 1877-8 have been admittedly largely beneficial to the counties of Grey, Bruce, and Huron. My aim is now through I. (S) W. E. to introduce into each district only such good prolific and flouring Spring Wheats as will be specially adapted to the soil and climate of each locality, and to do so at trifling expense to the growers.

I find the following best known Western varieties the most reliable Spring Wheats for Canadian growers, (being the most likely to succeed in our soils and climate), viz: "Sea Island," "China Pearl," "Red Russian," "White Russian," "Hoosio," "Fife" or "Glasgow," and "Lost Nation."

FOR ONE DOLLAR a half-pound each of five of the foregoing varieties (of Iowa, Minnesota, or Dakota growth,) will be sent post or express paid to any Canadian address.

FOR TWO DOLLARS one pound each of five varieties as above will be so sent with the TRAVELLER and I. (S.) W. E. ADVOCATE (quarterly) for 1882. The TRAVELLER has been enlarged to a 24 column size and its circulation of 10,000 copies will be largely increased if the farmers of Canada now sustain me by a liberal patronage of I. (S.) W. E.

FOR THREE DOLLARS per bushel (at Ontario distributing points) any of the above varieties will be supplied. Each order must state the nature of the soil to be grown upon. Delivery will be made at Markdale in April, and orders received through W. J. McFARLAND, Esq., will have prompt attention. In order to be home in April, I must have all orders before end of March. I want every live farmer to give me a cordial support, and a cash order. I want no one to invest in it who will not give the grain so ordered a fair trial on good soil.

CHAS. T. DOYLE, CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA.

ARTEMUS WARD AND THE MICHAGAN REGIMENT.

In a Louisville, Ky., hotel one day, Artemus Ward was introduced to a Colonel who had commanded a Missisippi regiment in the war. Artemus, in his way that was "childlike and bland," said, "What Michigan regiment did you command, Colonel?" Then it was that the colonel spun like a top and swore like a sailor, until pacified sufficiently to hear an explanation. Artemus, with surprise observed that "he was always getting things mixed about the war." It is always unfortunate to get things mixed but never more so than when one is sick. Then it is that the right thing in the right place is wanted more than at any other time in life, or under any other circumstances. It is a pleasure for us to note in this connection, the experience of our esteemed fellow-citizen, Colonel Samuel H. Taylor, who, as is well known, does not get things mixed. In a recent communication he writes "I do hereby certify that I suffered very much from rheumatism and neuralgia during the fall of 1879, and tried many remedies with little if any good results. I had heard of St. Jacob's Oil, and concluded to try it, more as an experiment than with any hope of good results. I can with pleasure recommend it to others for the reason that I know is cured me." Such an emphatic endorsement coming from one of the very foremost lawyers of our state, well and widely known, carries with it a degree of importance and suggestiveness, that cannot be over estimated.—*Washington (Ind.) Gazette.*

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY.

Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 66-tf

MARKETS.

No. 1	$1.08	to	$1.10
Spring, " 1	1.10	to	1.14
" 2	[illegible]	to	.80
" 1	[illegible]	to	.70
" 1	.34	to	.36
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Potatoes "	.50	to	.55
Pork "	7.50	to	7.75
Hay	7.00	to	10.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 18	to	$1 22
Wheat, spring, do.	1 24	to	1 28
Barley, do.	0 74	to	0 82
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 80
Rye, do.	0 88	to	0 88
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 45
Beef, hand quarters	8 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 50	to	6 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 55
Ducks, per brace	60	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	1 00
Butter, large rolls	22	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy	20	to	0 21
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 18
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	1 00
Potatoes per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Onions, per bag	1 20	to	1 50
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Mar 17th 1882.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.12	to	1.16
Fall do. do. do.	1.10	to	1.14
Barley	1.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.65
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.60
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.14		0.14
Pork, dressed,	7 50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb,	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50		1.55
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

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Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.60	"	0.60
Potatoes	0.30	"	0.35
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.12½	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50	"	9.00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
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Flour and all kinds of feed delivered free to any part of the village.

Thanking you all for past favors I hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

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Barrhead Mills, Sept. 20, 1881. 54-3m

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Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

Conservative Associati'n

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WM. DOUGLAS, Vice-President.

March 2nd, 1882. 77-td

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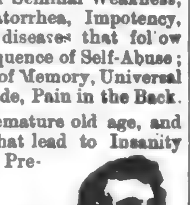

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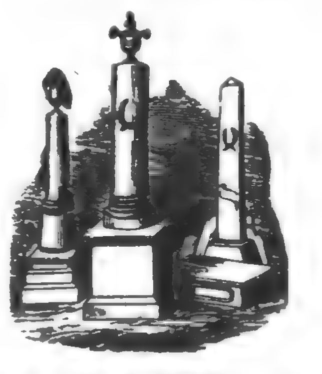

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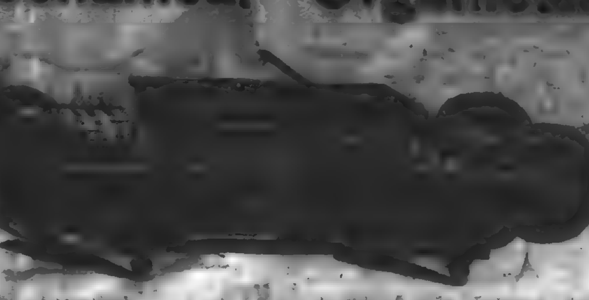

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Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

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DUNDALK, Dec. 22, 1881. 67-tf

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All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased. Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

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Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

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LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
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Superceding as it does all other modes of illumination, and rivalled only by the glorious sunshine, will not be hailed with greater joy by all other blood purifiers and tonics as the electric light is superior to the old fashioned tallow dip. Burdock Blood Bitters cures Scrofula, and all foul humors and impurities of the blood.

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"Are you twins?" asked a young lady in charge of a class of small Sunday school scholars in Lewiston, Me., of an attractive pair of children who were of the same size, and [illegible] resembled each other very much. [illegible] were Scotch," they replied, in [illegible] voiced unison.

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Will be found invaluable for all purposes of a family medicine. Immediate relief will follow its use. It relieves pain, cures chilblains, frost bites, scalds, burns, corns, rheumatism, neuralgia, &c. For internal use it is none the less wonderful. One or two doses frequently cures sore throat. It will cure croup in a few minutes. A few bottles has often cured asthma. Colic has been cured by a teespoonful dose. It cures with the utmost rapidity, it is really a wonderful medicine.

A New Orleans judge, riding in the cars recently, from a single glance at the countenance of a lady by his side imagined he knew her, and ventured to remark that the day was pleasant. [illegible] "Why [illegible] wear a veil [illegible] so attractive [illegible] gentleman." "It is the province of gentleman to admire," replied the gallant man of law. "Not when they are married." "But I am not," [illegible] "Oh, No. I'm a bachelor." The lady quietly removed her veil, disclosing to the astonished man [illegible] the face of his mother-in-law. He has been a raving maniac ever since.

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Is at the head of the list for all purposes of a family medicine. It is used with unrivaled success, both internally and externally. It cures sore throat, burns, scalds, frost bites; relieves, and often cures asthma.

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SURE CURE FOR A COUGH.

The most reliable remedy for a cough or cold, asthma, shortness of breath, sore throat, weak lungs and all bronchial troubles, is Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. Price 25cents.

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WHAT TO STUDY.

Pope, the poetical philosopher said, "The proper study of mankind is man," and yet, how little is the real science of man studied. If people understood and heeded the laws of health, and if when out of sorts would resort to a common sense like Burdock Blood Bitters, many of the "ills that flesh is heir to" might be effectually remedied. It invigorates and regulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

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Yours truly,

J. F. ROTH.

FROM A

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

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Respectfully yours,

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Kendall's Spavin Cure.

ON HUMAN FLESH.

[illegible] of bottles of human flesh has [illegible] beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary ointments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much [illegible] I tried [illegible] remedies [illegible] until I tried Kendall's [illegible] applied it full strength [illegible] commencing last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

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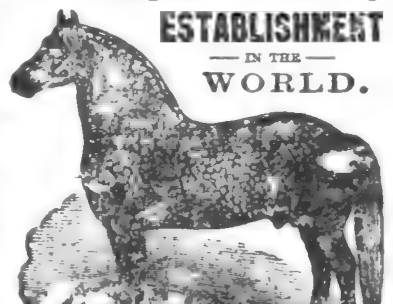

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Done in a practical manner.

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with or without marble slab for name, &c. also Tomb Railings, Ball Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, [illegible] Fencing plain and ornamental, [illegible] castings of every description, Brass B[illegible] large or [illegible]

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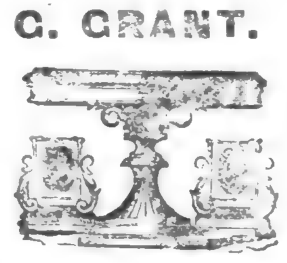

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Taken in exchange for Furniture.

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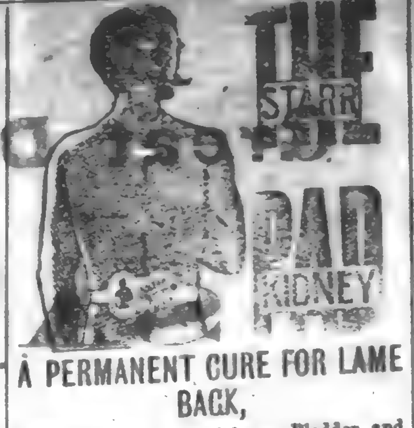

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Piles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, or attendant complaints. INDUBITABLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

Picton, April 20, 1881.

GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

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Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 71 3t

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Has always on hand a full assortment of

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Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

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ARE SELLING OUT THEIR

FALL AND WINTER STOCK FOR THIRTY DAYS AT COST!

In order to make room for their Spring importations.

Scotch, Irish & Canadian Tweeds---desperate low prices. See them

WINCEYS, very cheap. Bargains in CASHMERES, &c.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE BARGAINS AT

REYNOLDS & SONS.

Markdale, February 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

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I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

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Dealer in all kinds of

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Fanning Mills, Tin and Copperware

COOKING, PARLOR AND BOX STOVES

Always in Stock. As I keep all kinds of REPAIRS for the Implements I sell Farmers will see the advantage of dealing with a Local Agent.

WM. STRAIN, Flesherton.

Flesherton, March 24, 1882.

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Has the Largest and Best Assorted Stock in Town, consisting of

Dry Goods,

Ready Made Clothing

Millinery,

Groceries,

Crockery

Glassware,

Boots and Shoes

AT LOWEST PRICES

Cash for Grain. 5,000 Bushels Potatoes Wanted

GEORGE NIXON,

DUNDALK, Sept. 2, 1881. 15

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE

STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get one [illegible] Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machine

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 15

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH, DOOR [illegible]

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED [illegible]

All Kinds of Planing and [illegible] Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA

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LATE IMPORTATIONS!

Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods!

To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

IN BOOTS AND SHOES!

We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glassware

is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Wm. BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881.

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C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Medical.

Drs. Sproule & Armstrong, Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs [illegible] Medical Hall; residence [illegible] Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880.

Legal.

JOHN E. McMILLAN, ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IN [illegible] Office at Ray's Hotel, [illegible] Dundalk, Dec. 1881.

Frost & Frost, BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS [illegible] Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, Owen Sound, have an office [illegible] Office open every Thursday [illegible] J. W. FROST, LL.B. [illegible] Frost, [illegible] County Crown Attorney

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Creasor & Morrison, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYANCERS, &c. [illegible] Owen Sound. Dufferin [illegible] Wolfe's Store in the [illegible] MARKDALE. [illegible] J. McFarland's Store on Thursday of each week. [illegible] to lend on reasonable terms. [illegible] CREASOR, Q.C. [illegible] Markdale, March 15, 1882.

Lane & Rowe. BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, &c. Conveyancers, Markdale. [illegible] McFarlan's Block. [illegible] to lend on Farm Security [illegible] LANE, Q.C. [illegible]

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White. Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound [illegible] Markdale, on the last Wednesday of each month, when he will be prepared to [illegible] the most satisfactory manner [illegible] reasonable terms.

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown. ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES [illegible] Conveyancing in all its branches [illegible] Markdale. Sept. 17, 1880. [illegible] Money to Lend on Real Estate.

Alexander Brown. ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, [illegible] Life Insurance Agent. [illegible] Issuer for the County of Grey. [illegible] and Land Sales. [illegible] Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

S. M. Galbraith. AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL AGENT, Williamsford Station. [illegible] attended in all parts of the [illegible] sold on Commission. [illegible] Organs, and Sewing Machines [illegible] and Ornamental Trees, Vines [illegible] Implements, and Machinery [illegible] Williamsford, Jan. 27. 1881.

J. G. Sing. DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL Land Surveyor, Draughtsman [illegible] Dundalk and Markdale. Having [illegible] Provincial Land Surveyor [illegible] stock of original Field Notes [illegible] Reports, Instructions &c. [illegible] within the last fifty years [illegible] to make Surveys in [illegible] by Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications [illegible] Building Bridges, furnished [illegible] Money to Loan at 6 per cent [illegible] Sept. 17, 1880.

T. DAVIS, BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, [illegible] Brick). After completion [illegible] this season is still in the [illegible] work, plastering and [illegible] [illegible] Markdale.

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE. J. SPROULE, Proprietor. This popular Hotel has [illegible] addition added to it, [illegible] is now second to none in [illegible] Good Sampling and attentive [illegible] Terms $1.00 per day.

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COMMERCIAL HOTEL, PRICEVILLE, Ont. Large and commodious Sample [illegible] [illegible] THOS. ATKINSON, [illegible]

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS. Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to [illegible] Ladies of Markdale and vicinity [illegible] up hair combings [illegible] [illegible] Residence [illegible] promptly attended to. Sept. 1, 1881.

TO HOUSE,
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Assorted Stock in Town, c...
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ceries,
Crockery
Glassware,
Boots and Shoes.
...PRICES.
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GEORGE NIXON.
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...I beg to announce that
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...to Dundalk.
ARRIVING DAILY
...Them.
...call and get them.
...All Custom Work
...Wanzer Sewing Machines
...cash. Also the
...ORGANS
...power.
...the Dundalk Boot and Shoe
THOS. HANBURY.
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Door Factory
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...Filled.
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...UMBER
...Shore.
...DRESSED.
...Turning
...McNEA.
...PORTATIONS!
...Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple
Goods!
...which we offer at
Reduced Prices.
...S AND SHOES!
...values in every line.
...OUR STOCK OF
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OFFICE Medical Hall; residence at ...House. Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

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JOHN B. McMILLAN,
ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ready for attending to all kinds of law ... Office—at Kay's Hotel.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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Offices—Owen Sound, in Vicker's Block ...St: and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday every ... 57-ly

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BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYancers, &c. &c.
Offices in Owen Sound, Dufferin Block, ...W F Wolfe's Store and in
MARKDALE.
W. J. McFarland's Store on Thursday ...of each week.
Funds to lend on reasonable terms.
...Creasor, Q. C. Duncan Morrison
Dundalk, March 15, 1882. 79-ly

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...McFarland's Block.
Money to lend, on Farm Security, at 6 per ...
...Lane Q. C. J. W. Rowe.

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Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound.
WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth in the most satisfactory manner, and upon ...terms. 1-y

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c Commissioner in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
N.B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

S. M. Galbraith,
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Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

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DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, ...and Markdale. Having purchased ...Provincial Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's entire stock of original Field Notes, Plans, Reports, Instructions, &c., of all his Surveys ...within the last fifty-five years, I am prepared to make Surveys in strict accordance therewith. Profiles and Estimates for Grading Hills, Plans and Specifications for Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. Orders by letter, or left with G. J. BLYTH, Markdale, will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

T. ... DAVIS,
BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). After completing 13 buildings ...season is still on the track and is still prepared to do all kinds of stone and brick ...plastering and tuck pointing. Those who contemplate building will find it to their advantage to give him a call.
Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, Markdale. 16-y

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THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

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Every accommodation for the travelling public. The bar is well stocked with the choicest Wines and Liquors and the best brands of Cigars.
Free 'bus to and from all trains.
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Large and commodious Sample Rooms. Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.
THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor
October 21st, 1880.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.
Mrs. T. G. Morgan, begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into switches, puffs and curls, terms moderate. A call is solicited. Residence corner of Mill and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Bowes' ...
Orders by Mail promptly attended to.
Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

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Estimates on work free.
Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1

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Markdale, Sept. 17th, 1880. 1-ly

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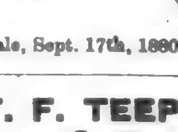
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The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
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Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
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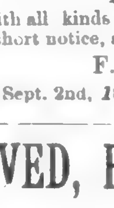
J. C. ATKINSON,
TAILOR,
Having removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.
—LATEST—
Fashion Plates!
RECEIVED REGULARLY.
CHARGES MODERATE.
Satisfaction Guaranteed
Remember the Place
NEXT DOOR TO NELSON'S STORE,
MAIN STREET.
Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 13-6m.

DUNDALK
Meat Market!
Meat supplied wholesale and retail
Orders called for and meat delivered to any part of the town.
Shop on Main Street.
P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or sheep to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.
W. T. BUNDLE,
Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
on
Every Working Day,
By Thomas Smith.
Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m

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ON THE LOSS OF
MANHOOD
WE have recently published a new edition of Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay on the radical and nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage etc., resulting from excesses.
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From the Common to the
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Call and see for yourselves.
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CUTTERS AND SLEIGHS!
IN GREAT VARIETY.
THE CHEAPEST!
BECAUSE THEY ARE
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IN THE MARKET.
Any Number or Style!
Promptly supplied from stock on the shortest notice. All manufactured by skilled mechanics, with good material in the
Latest and most improved Style.
Special attention is also directed to the large and very superior stock of second growth
HICKORY AND WHITE OAK
purchased from one of the best factories in Canada, sufficient to manufacture over fifty Waggons and Carriages for the coming season. Intending purchasers should not fail to make an inspection of my stock and save money.
SEPC'AL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING & HORSESHOEING.
Remember the place—second door to Butter & Rae's.
D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A
Happy New Year.
THE Subscriber desires to call the attention of those about to commit matrimony, that he is prepared to furnish
WEDDING CAKES,
and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the
Most Artistic style,
and of a flavor and quality, that cannot be surpassed.
SOIREES,
AND
Surprise Parties!
Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.
IN THE
Article of Bread!
I DEFY COMPETITION,
And will deliver it at the residence of all who may favor me with their patronage.
A DUNLOP.
Markdale, Dec. ..., 188... ...

In Memoriam.

—REV. DAVID WILLIAMS.—

Words of condolence addressed to his bereft and sorrowing wife by
J. WESLEY SAVAGE.

He has gone, your beloved, he's gone to his rest,
And dear sister Williams, it's all for the best,
He worked like a hero while strength he possessed;
And laboured too hard—it must be confessed.

So anxious was he poor sinners to save
That his life for that purpose he willingly gave.
No pleasure or comfort so much he preferred,
That with flesh and with blood he never conferred.

By night and by day "Come one and come all"
Was brother Williams' untiring call.
He spared not his lungs, he spared not his voice,
If only believers were made to rejoice.

The zeal of our brother, too much for his frame,
To generous Martyrdom! gives him a claim.
Yet 'tis due to ourselves, we find on the whole,
To husband our strength, our zeal to control,

His noble and genial spirit has fled,
And rests his remains in the realms of the dead,
There slumbering calmly till roused by his Lord,
With thousands of others, to meet his reward.

If faithful dear friend, we shall join him on high,
Where affliction, and sin, and death we defy;
Where painful bereavement no more can annoy—
Our friendship disturb, or lessen our joy!

Instead then of weeping, contemplate the time,
You will meet your beloved in a more healthy clime,
You'll join him in singing, you'll join him in praise,
Nor broken by sorrow, nor numbered by days.

Acquaintance resumed in that region of bliss,
Is much more endearing than any in this;
On earth separation and parting takes place,
But nought of farewells in heaven we trace,

Then weep not dear friend, but be of good cheer,
The laurels he's gained for services here
Will encircle his brow, and never shall fade,
If we can confide in the promises made.

Let this on his monument clearly be read,
This hard working man had nothing to dread,
He shrank not, but bravely accepted the cup,
And "The zeal of God's House hath eaten him up."

Tweed Methodist Parsonage,
Feb. 21. 1882.

A WONDRFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

CHAPTER III. Continued.

'Who would have a doll, though its hair should be dressed
And its petticoats trimmed in the fashion ?'

'A London belle of three years' standing and a flirt—no such woman as that is hardly likely to be a wife of mine or mistress of Tregenna. But it was my father's wish that at least I should marry no one with it seeing her, and every wish of his is sacred. It is surprising, though, that she remains single still—with all the beauty and grace and fatal withery they say she possesses. Many men have offered, but she has refused all—men with rank and power and wealth.'

For Sir Arthur had returned home and matrimonial thoughts intent His late father and the present Earl of Rayeland, dissimilar in many things, were yet close friends and comrades. The plain Cornish baronet had been dazzled by the more brilliant peer, and when that peer fell into poverty, his purse and sympaty were ever at his service. And one having an only son, the other an only daughter, what more natural than that they should sink their bond of friendship in the closer bond of relationship.

Old Sir John had loved and admired little Lady Clive, next to his body, above all earthly things. Her fair face and golden ringlets and brown, luminous eyes made sunshine often in the dim, dusky-storied old rooms of Tregenna, her clear girl's tones, the sweetest music. She had not met young Arthur on these visits, he had been up at Oxford. Casually, however, once or twice they had come together. But somehow the friendship of the fathers was not reproduced in the children. Little Lady Cecil in her white frocks and blue sashes, her flowing curls, and dancing eyes, was but a frivolous, tiresome child in the pedantic gaze of the tall, Greek-speaking, Latin-loving under-grad, while this uplifted, severe, silent young Oxonian was an object of awe and a terror to the Earl's daughter. But Sir John died, and on his death-bed he had asked his son, stricken with grief, to make, if he could win her consent, Lady Cecil Clive the future mistress of Tregenna.

'You will love her,' the old man had said, 'who could help it ? She is as beautiful as the day, and as good as she is beautiful. No one lives whom I would as soon see your wife as my old friend's child.'

Arthur had given his promise, and when did a Tregenna ever break his word to friend or foe? He went abroad and for three years remained abroad. Lady Cecil was in her nineteenth year upon his return, and it was her first season, death in the family having kept her back. They met in that gay gracious, brilliant, Mayfair world, and he began to realize that Lady Cecil Clive was by no means the woman of women he wished to take to wife.

She was lovely—no doubt of that—sweet, gentle, pure, and proud. But she loved admiration—many men sought her, pressed forward eagerly in the chase, and Sir Arthur Tregenna stood in the background and saw her smile upon them all, very few of those smiles were for him. She had heard nothing of that death-bed compact, and her father chanced to be absent from England the first season. Before it had ended Sir Arthur had re manned his yacht, and set out for the Mediterranean.

And now after three years he was back and on the same errand. One last effort he made to obey his father if he found her the sort of woman he had suspected, then she should never be wife of his.

Two men were talking near him as he sat lost in thought. Their conversation fell on his ear—they did not seem to heed him—and lost in his own reverie, he did not comprehend a word.

'Left this morning, did you say, Wyatt ? one of them was saying. Somewhere down in Sussex, is it ? Then I shall not go to the Clarges St. reception to night. London is a howling wilderness without her. The sun shines on nothing half so lovely as La Rein Blanche.'

'So poor Buccleth used to say until she refused, and sent him headlong to perdition. It's a crush fact in natural philosphy that all the men who lose their heads for the White Queen go straight to the bad after it. Poor she is as a church mouse, and yet I believe she has rejected more proposals this season than the Duke of Belvier's daughter herself, with her beauty, her blood, and her splendid dot. What do you suppose she is waiting for—a ducal coronet ?'

'Old Ruys is an inscrutable card, and there's someone in the background, depend upon it. Wasn't there a whisper at Pratt's of an enormously rich Cornishman for whom the old bird is reserving her ? She is charming—La Rein Blancha—and nothing under thirty thousand a year stands any chance there.

'Praise as we may,
When the tale is done.]
She is but a maid,
To be wooed and won"
'I envy the Cornish,
Whoever he is.

'His name is Tregenna—Sir Arthur Tregenna—worth no end in tin mines and fisheries and that, but a deuce of a prig, so I am told.'

The next instant the two young dandies were startled by a tall, sunburnt, silent gentleman in the arm chair rising up and facing them.

'I beg your pardon;' he said in haughty surprise, 'I am that deuce of a prag—Sir Arthur Tregenna. Had I known I was the subject of your conversation I would have interupted you sooner. And you scarcely honour the name of the lady you praise by making it the public property of a coffee-room.'

With which, and a frown of haughty anger, the tall, tanned gentleman stalked away, leaving the two friends aghast.

'Gad !' Wyatt said, 'and that's Tregenna — like a recounter on the stage, where the hero, supposed to be at the Antipodes, turns up at a minutes notice. I took him to be a sailor merchant captain, or something of that sort. Has his arrival, I wonder, anything to do with little Clive's flight from London ?'

More and more dissatisfied, the young baronet left the room and the hotel.

And this was the girl he had come home to marry, a flirt who drew men only to refuse them and send them to perdition, as that perfumed puppy in the coffee-room phrased it—a fair and fatal Circe, born to work evil and destruction on earth,

I shall go down and see for myself he thought, sternly, that at least my promise binds me to, but no hardened coquette shall ever be wife of mine. If I find Lady Cecil Clive what I know I shall, I will leave England again within a week, and try once more the plains of Texas, the Buffalo, and the Indians. I will take some dusky woman, she shall rear my savage brood. Well, not quite so bad as that perhaps—I'm not in love, and the fellow in Lockly's Hall was—but I'll go to my grave alone, and Tregenna shall pass to the next-of-kin, sooner than marry a woman of the world who is a woman of the world and no more. How lightly these flippant flops took her name on their lips ! And my poor father believed her an angel because she had an anger face. It's enough to make a man forsake the sex.'

AT SCARSWOOD.

Late in the afternoon of that sunny June day, at the very hour indeed in which Sir Arthur Tregenna sat listening to Wyatt and his companion in the coffee room in his hotel, Lady Dangerfield, her uncle, cousin, governess, servants, etc.—an imposing procession — arrived from London at Scarswood Park.

Scarswood ! With the red flush of the setting sun upon it, with the glades the lawns, the shrubberies steeped in gold, with the stone urns on the stone terraces turned to burnished silver, the scarlet roses like sparks of fire, every leaf of the copper blooches blood red rubies, the windows glancing through the trees like sheets of burnished gold, Scarswood Park and the turretted old mansion came upon them —a marvellously fair picture. Trackless depths of fern waved away and away, the great fish pond spread out like a silver mirror. Landscape gardiners under lady's orders had done their work, the parterres, the tropic bloom, the wealth of myrtle and mignonette, of roses and geraniums, were like unto the modern garden of Eden.

How lovely—what a magnificent old place ! Lady Cecil exclaimed, and you call it dull as death, as dismal as a tomb, Ginevra.

It was her first visit to the ancestral home of her cousin's rich husband, and in her heart of hearts the belle of London dearly loved the country.

Lady Dangerfield glance around her with a little sour air.

'So it was, so it is, so it will be—if I let it. Why can't the London season last for ever? I like rural life and rustic scenes in pictures—in real life give me Belgravia, year in and year out.'

'And balls, soirees, operas, drawing-rooms, and drives, the old, weary tread-mill, tiresome, endless round. You are fearfully vital, Ginevra, and stand the wear and tear well, but if these little breathing spaces did not come, even you would have to go under speedily. For myself six weeks of London, if you will, four of Paris, and the rest of the year in just such a dear old country house as this, half a dozen nice people to live with, one's country neighbours to visit and Mrs. Grundy forgotten.'

'Well, my dear, you shall have all that and more, when you are Lady Tregenna. Tregenna Towers is as old again as Scarswood, and twice as truly rural. It is my lord and master I see on the portico steps ? Really he shrivels up and grows smaller with every passing day ! And here come Pearl and Pansy flying down the steps like little wild Indians, Miss Herncastle, what do your think of you future home and your future pupils.'

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THE NEWSPAPER IN THE FARM-HOUSE.

People who live in cities having two or three daily newspapers, do not fully appreciate the value of a newspaper. There they are looked upon as necessities, and as indispensable as the morning meal. One must be far off up the country, remote from the maddening crowd to realize the full luxury of a newspaper. The farmer who receives but one newspaper a week does not glance over its columns hurriedly, as doth the lawyer or merchant, he begins with the title and reads to the end, not a news item or an advertisement escapes his eye. Then it has to be thumbed by every member of the family. The daughter looks for the marriage notices and the love story. The son, just about to start a farm, reads crop reports, and has a keen eye to improved modes of culture, The young people look after amusing scraps, and all look forward to the day that brings the paper. If it should chance to miss, the grumblings are loud and strong. The newspaper is the poor man's library, the food of his mind.

Through the months of March and April be careful not to use Purgatives containing Calomel or other injurious substances. The proper and safe Purgatives is the Great Vegetable Preparation, Dr, Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the purest and best Blood Purifier known. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

TWO THOUSAND MILES IN AN OPEN BOAT.

The "Clara," a barque of 960 tons register, left Hull, loaded with coal for San Francisco. In mid-ocean it was discovered that the cargo was on fire. Efforts were made to extinguish the flames, holes were bored in the bow, the flames seemed mastered, and the water pumped out. Dense volumes of smoke again broke out, and this time it was attempted to smother the fire, but without success. Eventually the crew had to leave the ship, the heat was unbearable. They were distributed in three boats; in the master's boat was Capt. Sherwood, his wife, two children, the second officer, and six seamen; another boat contained the mate and five sailors, and in the third boat was the boatswain and three men Each boat carried a compass, 50 days' provender, and water. It was ten o'clock on Sunday night when the long journey from the ship to the shore was commenced. The "Clara" was soon lost sight of. For two days the boats kept well together, but one night a storm separated them, and from that time to the present nothing has been heard of the mate's or the boatswain's boats. The captain's party suffered frightfully from thirst, the heat of the sun's rays. and the ocean's reflexion. The allowance of water was half a pint per person. The captain's wife and children were greatest sufferers, and at one time it was fully expected they would die. The children lay upon their mother's lap, moaning for water. A turtle was captured, and torn from its shell, and its blood eagerly drank. At last the coast was reached. a stream found, together with rest and refreshment. They proceeded 200 miles north, and after a 28 days' voyage arrived safely at Acapulco.

Some thief walked off with $700 from Campbell's store, Shelburne, on Friday last. The pocket book containing the money was left on the desk in the office, and someone walked off with it unnoticed. The robbery took place between 12 and 1, and a great many people had been in during that time. No clue to the thief.

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM.
Cures coughs, colds, asthma, croup, whooping cough, sore throat, bronchitis and all lung complaints that lead to consumption. Price 25 cents

BRUCE MINES.

From our Correspondent.

RYDAL BANK.—Nine miles or so from Thessalon are the Bruce Mines, the oldest settled places on the North Shore. Twenty years ago the village had a population of 2000; and money was flush at that time, the price of copper was high. The company was strong, and resolved to smelt the ore instead of sending it to Swansea in Wales; accordingly they invested £40,000 in a smelting house which had immense brick ovens, a ponderous engine, and a brick smoke stack 180 feet high. The machinery did not work well. Owing to the tunnel not having been properly timbered it caved in, copper fell in price. When this news reached England the company gave orders for suspension of operations. This was the death knell to Bruce Mines, the miners depended on the mines for work. Their money was invested mostly in their homes, some however had been provident while times were good, and made the most of misfortune by taking up farms; and titling them, but the majority moved away leaving hundreds of comfortable dwellings unoccupied, many of which have never had a tenant since. These relics of former life and bustle fill one with a feeling of sadness, that where such a business in mining was once carried on, there should be nothing but rotting houses, rusting machinery and crumbling smoke stacks. An old miner says that the bottom of the lode was never reached. This subject is worthy of attention, as it is hoped mining at some future period will be a great source of wealth to Algoma,

A GOOD HOUSEWIFE.—When she is giving her house its spring renovating, should bear in mind that the dear inmates of her house are more precious than many houses, and that their systems need cleansing by purifying the Blood, regulating the stomach and bowels to prevent and cure the diseases arising from spring malaria and miasma, and she must know that there is nothing that will do it so perfectly and surely as Hop Bitters, the purest and best of medicines.

THE POOR FARMER.

A Poor farmer cannot be a thinking man. When a thoughtful man sees things going wrong he enquires the reason, he watches and tries all sorts of plans till he finds the cause of the wrong. When he has found it the work of repair is at once begun. But the POOR farmer works on, grumbling at his ill luck, never thinking of looking carefully for the reason why his cattle give out, why his sheep drop their wool and go about with pinched and careworn faces, why his horses are hidebound and mangy, his chickens dying off, and no eggs in the basket; nay he does not even consider why his poor wife is worn out with hardship, struggling along with wet firewood, which she with shivering hands and arms brings in to make the morning fire, while the husband gives his cows, in a cold icy yard, fodder covered with snow for their morning meal. which they in their wretched shed have scarcely strength to eat.

Is there any wonder that such poor farmer continues poor ? Ah ! he knows no better. He never reads a paper, he says "book farming ain't no good nohow." And so the poor farmer is past mending.

AN EDITOR IN LUCK.

St. Jacobs Oil cures rheumatism; of this I am convinced. For years I Suffered with rheumatism in my left shoulder and right arm, and last fall I was incapable of attending to my duties, and lay many a night unable to sleep on account of terrible pains. A few weeks ago a severe attack of this trouble struck me, and this time I concluded to try the St. Jacobs Oil, I must acknowledge, with but little confidence in its merits. I freely confess that the result has completely astonished me, The first application relieved the pain very materially, and the continued use of only two bottles has completely cured me of this chronic evil, and that, after the most eminent physicians and their prescriptions had been of no avail. I therefore consider it a duty to publish the above for the benefit of all sufferers with rheumatism and kindred complaints. G. A HEILMAN, Editor Republican, Pittsburg, Pa.

"WELL BEGUN...HALF DONE."

Is true of most kinds of farm work. Previously well considered plans, and a good ready, with seed, implements, teams, harness, etc, so as to strike right into the work in hand, are large elements of success. We know some farmers who are always complaining of "Bad luck," poor soil, unfavorable seasons, etc. We have seen them start from the breakfast table at 6½ to 7 o'clock, and frequently the sun climbs half up the meridian before the teams and other working apparatus, are all got together, and then, very often there is a missing link, or bolt, or screw.—Thinking, planning, arranging beforehand, taking time by the forelock, are just as important to the tillers of the soil. as to the man in any other business. Active spring work is upon us, or close at hand; be all ready to strike the most effective blows at the very start; "Well begun—half done."—American Agriculturist for April.

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Markdale, Feb. 23, 1882. 67-ly

Facts and Fancies.

"A chiel's amang ye takin' notes,
An' faith he'll print 'em."
BURNS.

Carpenters are making up to $5 per day in Winnipeg.

The STANDARD Office turns out good Job Printing.

A civil word is the cheapest thing in the world.

75 cents will secure this paper till the end of 1882.

An ounce of care of the feet is worth a pound of fever medicine.

A little nonsense now and then
Is relished by the best of men.

Eureka ! shout all manufacturers, machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

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Subscribe for the Standard, and secure a valuable book, entitled "A Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases," worth half the subscription.

It is lawful to kill a stray dog when it is "caught in the act" of worrying sheep, not otherwise.

A simple log sled may be made from a crotch or fork of a small young tree, thus, >— Hitch the team to this end.

"The Horse and His Diseases" is full of information most valuable to horse owners. 15 cents. STANDARD Office.

A parent in Markdale said to his naughty son, "John, I'm very sorry to have to punish you." Said Johnny: "Don't then, 'cause it makes me feel bad too.'

An Indian who strayed from his camp was met by a Glenelg farmer up in Manitoba. "Are you lost," said the farmer. "No," said he, "Indian not lost, Indian here, wigwam lost."

A girl about here remarked to her lover "I am willing to marry you even if we have to live on bread and water." "Right," said George, "you find the bread, and I'll look around and get the water."

"The Horse and His Disease," is a valuable book of near 100 pages. It will be given to each subscriber to this paper who pays in advance.

One of our lady readers has sent the following,

Many faults have women,
Men have only two—
There's nothing right they say,
There's nothing right they do.

There is no truth in the two last lines.

All shouting connection with Grand Trunk via branch from Owen Sound to Tara, should note that Col. Tisdale President Grand Trunk, Georgian Bay, and Lake Erie Ry, says such a branch would not be built by his company.

Mr Race, Mitchell RECORDER sued Jas. Dalling for 5 years' subscription with interest and got it. Newspaper men are not to be dead beat that way.

Twenty passengers left Orangeville for Manitoba on Tuesday.

There are 1500 horses unsold in Winnipeg market.

The father of the boy Smith who is awaiting trial for the murder of his uncle at Shelburne, last week had a number of search warrants issued, and several farm houses were hauled over in the hope of finding some of the old man's property. Great indignation is expressed by the farmers, and actions threatened.

As a popular pastor was preaching last Sunday, his hearers were smiling at a big cigar which was working its way up out of his vest pocket.

Winnipeg contractors complain that they see no prospects of workmen for the coming season's building.

Canvas houses are being run up in the North West.

Plasterers and masons go in for $7 and labourers $3 day in Winnipeg.

Another swindle, against which farmers are warned. An agent calls on a farmer, buys eggs, butter, &c., says he wants a receipt to show the firm that he has paid for them. He breaks the pencil point just as the signature is reached, then takes from his pocket a fountain pen, with which the farmer signs the receipt. The swindler goes to town, erases the pencil writing, and writes a promissory note for $50 or $100, which he gets discounted.

The best thing in bonnets—
A pretty face.

"Young man, we eat all the rind here," said a local farmer to a fresh hand. who was paring the dirt off a cheese. "All right," said he, "I am cutting this off for you."

Golden russet apples are only fetching 15s. in Liverpool.

Mr. Ben. Allen is a delegate from Owen Sound Board of Trade to urge the building of a line to a convenient point on the Grand Trunk.

A man labouring under whiskey's influence, was walking up Mill St. the other day apparently practising for walking on the top of a snake fence.

Farmers around Walkerton, Ont. are busy spring ploughing.

A PAPER ON 'SOCIALS'

By an Englishman.

SEE NEXT WEEK'S ISSUE.

Our Premium

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DR. KENDALL'S

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Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

Friday, March 24th, 1882.

GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

The officers of the Agricultural Society of Glenelg are sparing no trouble in endeavouring to have one of the finest fair grounds that is to be found in this or adjoining counties. They have leased for ten years with the privilege of purchase a very desirable property from Mrs. Atkinson; it would be hard to get a more convenient spot for the residents of Markdale. As the Society intend to erect a commodious Agricultural Hall, and also erect proper places to exhibit the various kinds of stock, and have a fine Show ring, it would be well to remind those who are interested in the success of the society that all these things cannot be done without a large expenditure, and that those who subscribe to the fund for this purpose will be amply repaid by the number that will be attracted to Markdale on the different public occasions. It is also the intention of the society to establish monthly fairs, which in themselves will be a great boon to farmers, as, if they prove successful—and there is no doubt on that score—it will be an incentive to buyers to come in from a distance to these fairs. Sellers will have the benefit of competition, and not be restricted to one buyer who may go round the country saying that such and such thing are very low in the market, likely to be lower, and thus secure the article he is in search of at a very low figure. Though this is a matter which greatly concerns all farmers in the Township—and we have no doubt they are fully alive to this fact—yet we would offer a suggestion which might be well for them to consider. Markdale is well known to be a flourishing village, and as such real estate is bound to increase in value, and on that account we believe it would be the wisest policy of the society to purchase the lot they have leased at once, as we are informed that reasonable terms can now be arrived at for purchase. When the Society has purchased the lot, it will feel more encouraged to erect substantial buildings, &c. But to do this requires more of the needful, so let us see how liberally you will subscribe to the purchase fund.

THE LATE DEAN GRASETT.

By the death—which occured at ten minutes to seven o'clock yesterday morning—of the late Very Rev. H. J. Grasett, B. D., Dean of Toronto, the Church of England in Canada loses one of its fathers, the city of Toronto its eldest minister, and churches of all denominations one of the most catholic and steadfast friends of every christian and philanthropic movement. The Dean was born at Gibralter in 1808.

As a minister, Dean Grasett possed not a few of the most important qualifications for success. If diffident and reticent, he yet worked quietly with a determination, clear-headedness, and consistency which won the respect of both friends and opponents. Though rarely trusting himself to extemporary address, and never then with success, his sermons were masterpieces of composition and clear systematic, exhaustive thought couched, not in florid, but in finished sentences, abounding in evidences of natural refinement and scholarly acquirements. If not delivered with the ardent, earnest manner of some of his brethern, these sermons were decidedly evangelical in tone, and calculated to rouse the most serious thought of hearers. In the other duties of the pastorate he was equally successful, lending a helping hand in every good work in which his congregation was engaged, or taking the leading part in the labour himself.

C. W. Rutledge, Proprietor of the STANDARD, has recovered from his late illness, and is able to attend to the office.

COMING TO A CRISIS.

We are on the eve of what bids fair to constitute a most important crisis in Canadian history. The political events of the next few months will in all probability seriously affect the fortunes of the country for long years to come. Perhaps it is scarcely too much to say that the destinies of half a continent will be more or less influenced for all time to come by the verdict shortly to be rendered by the electors of the old and new Provinces of Canada.

SERVED HIM RIGHT.

From Orangeville to Winnipeg went David Reid, farmer, in quest of a young man named Norris, late a school teacher in the neighbourhood of Orangeville. Reid paraded Winnipeg eagerly scanning the face of every well dressed young man, and at last he was rewarded. Suddenly crossing Main St. he stepped up to a handsomely dressed man, and tapped him on the shoulder. Norris was thunder struck. They turned down a side street where Reid became terribly excited, accused Norris with the ruin of his family, and threatening him with vengeance. Norris afraid of a scene, wrote out a cheque at once. The old man appeared mollified, but his heart was sore.

Norris had boarded with Reid at Orangeville. He had become too intimate with one of Reid's daughters, and securing his salary, left the poor girl overwhelmed with vain regret.

POST OFFICES OF GREY.

LAST YEAR'S BUSINESS.

There is nothing more sensitive or more generally accurate in showing the general business state of a place than the post office.

POST OFFICE.	REVENUE.	SALARY.
Alsfeldt ...	$ 48 00	$ 15 00
Ayton ...	630 37	231 00
Allen Park ...	216 95	72 00
Arnott ...	75 87	42 00
Annan ...	184 53	56 00
Ashley ...	25 02	12 00
Alvanley, closed may 31, 1880 ...	1 21	2 00
Brookholm ...	21 22	14 50
Bayview ...	49 30	20 00
Banks ...	36 36	18 00
Blantyre ...	84 02	26 00
Badgeros ...	80 66	28 00
Bognor ...	77 45	20 00
Cedarville ...	100 48	42 00
Crawford ...	42 62	12 00
Chatsworth ...	588 58	143 50
Coverley ...	16 61½	10 00
Cruikshank ...	33 12	12 00
Clavering ...	89 95	12 00
Cape Rich ...	23 63	18 00
Clacksburg ...	501 92	250 00
Craigleith ...	51 50	22 00
Duncan ...	20 00	10 00
DUNDALK ...	889 27	254 00
Dromore ...	118 27	48 00
Durham ...	1703 17	550 00
Desboro ...	71 62	34 00
Daywood ...	14 87	10 00
Epping ...	62 73	30 00
Eugenia ...	174 22	41 00
Egremont ...	43 08	38 00
Elmwood ...	202 41	48 50
Fairmont ...	42 41	12 00
Feversham ...	123 06	58 00
FLESHERTON ...	762 02	332 00
Flesherton station	134 33	34 00
Griersville ...	94 77	46 00
Gibralter ...	64 16	12 00
Glenelg ...	25 13	10 00
Glascott ...	23 73	12 00
Heathcote ...	288 63	82 00
Hornings Mills ...	378 19	92 00
Hopeville ...	112 69	38 00
Holstein ...	286 70	62 00
Hampden ...	59 71	10 00
Hanover ...	848 45	282 00
Hayward's Falls ...	38 22	12 00
Heathhead closed Feb. 28, 1881 ...	8 06	9 17
Hepworth ...	123 27	28 00
Johnson ...	26 44	18 00
Jackson ...	68 95	16 00
Kilsyth ...	190 25	58 00
Kemble ...	83 94	20 50
Lamlash ...	42 12	12 00
Latona ...	83 81	44 00
Leith ...	79 55	38 00
Meaford ...	3,104 27	766 00
Morley ...	10 00	10 00
Maxwell ...	276 95	90 00
Melancthon ...	80 83	35 00
MARKDALE ...	1,241 95	332 00
Mount Forest ...	2,968 24	826 00
Murdoch ...	13 09	10 00
Massie ...	63 00	18 00
Marmion ...	19 30	10 00
McIntyre ...	113 03	26 00
Nenagh ...	166 00	68 00
Neustadt ...	461 09	118 00
North Keppel ...	96 02	32 00
Owen Sound ...	4,980 17	1,256 00
Orchard ...	181 89	64 00
Oxdenden ...	84 52	32 00
Priceville ...	600 41	158 00
Pomona ...	32 92	14 00
Peabody ...	29 15	12 00
Presqu' Isle ...	95 08	48 00
Parkhead ...	23 82	10 00
Ravenna ...	66 97	32 00
Rocklyn ...	96 66	34 00
Rob Roy ...	17 16	10 00
Rockford ...	57 98	28 00
Straithnairn ...	17 09	12 00
Shrigley ...	32 43	13 00
Shelburne, incl'g arrears	1,265 71	380 00
Strathaven ...	17 62	10 00
Sullivan ...	261 61	72 00
Thornbury ...	1,125 16	290 00
Traverston ...	40 60	16 00
Ventry ...	9 65	10 00
Vandeleur ...	57 28	18 00
Varney ...	75 86	30 00
Wareham ...	29 21	10 00
Williamsford ...	199 08	42 00
Walter's Falls ...	117 77	36 00
Woodford, from Oct. 1 '80	191 80	52 00
Wolseley ...	14 37	10 00
Yeovil ...	66 95	28 00

NEW YORK POST OFFICE.

Wm. H. Waring, Esq., Asst. General Supt. Third Division Mailing and Distributing Dept., New York Post Office, in writing concerning St. Jacobs Oil, says: The reports from the several superintendents and clerks who have used the Oil agree in praising it highly. It has been found efficacious in cuts, burns, soreness and stiffness of the joints and muscles, and affords a ready relief for rheumatic complaints. Hon. T. L. James now Postmaster General of the U. S., concurred in the foregoing.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

THE NEW RIDGELEY ROAD.

To the Editor.

SIR, I see that the worthy pioneer of the valley is coming nearer the mark. He says there are a great many who want an outlet south and west that 6 and 7 sideroad would not suit. I am glad to learn this, for I began to think that those who wanted the road were very few.

I have never travelled the two routes, and I am quite safe in saying no man ever did. Was not the surveyor compelled to go a long way round to get from one point to another? He refers to the petition as a proof of the desirability of the new road. He will do well to keep quiet about that petition. If he has $8 to $1 his road is sure. I used no threats, but gave it as public opinion, if our worthy pioneer knew more of it, he would have remained silent. I would like him to give me an instance where a municipal council has closed the Queen's highway. I am aware that they can open roads in lieu of, but not close the original. I ask the old resident, (as I see I have been treading on Liberal's toes), Will the improving of 6 and 7 affect his interests? If the residents of the valley in Artemesia are so anxious for this new road, let them meet us as we did them in grading Freeman's Hill in proportion to the benefits derived.

Had our worthy pioneer not tried to make the public and farmers in the valley believe that 6 and 7 sideroad was not a necessity, I should not have been compelled to shew that it would not be either to the farmers' interest or Markdale's advancement to support a new road to this village. Liberal has acknowledged that both roads are necessary.

The new road will affect my interest if established on the present survey, but run it on high dry ground and get a generous support.

Yours, &c.,
RESIDENT AND RATEPAYER.

THAT MENACING COMET.

THE END OF THE WORLD.

The comet seen in 1880 is identical with the great comet of 1843, and also with that of 1668. The period of its revolution has been greatly reduced, and it is likely to reappear in 1896. It has already passed through the sun's corona, and when it returns it is likely to fall into the sun. If a big comet should fall into the sun the heat would fire up to such a degree that no living thing could survive it, and the result would be—the end of the world.

KIDNAPPING.

About five years ago, Mr. Mattheison, blacksmith, Bloomington, adopted a little girl. Two weeks ago an uncle of the girl living in Woodbridge came and wanted him to give the girl up. Mr. M. consented to let the girl go if her uncle would settle for the girl's board, clothes, &c., for the first three years. The uncle gave his note for $100, and went his way rejoicing. Four days after, Mr. Matthieson got a letter from the uncle, stating that the girl did not suit them, and by giving up the one hundred dollar note he could have the girl back. Mr. Mattheison consented, and the girl was brought back on Wednesday night, and the uncle got his note. On Thursday night the uncle drove from Ringwood to Bloomington with a second party. The little girl went out of the house bare-headed, and has not been seen since. The kidnappers were traced as far as Ringwood the next morning, where it was ascertained the uncle, girl, and Mr. Windsor's livery had left for Woodbridge. The matter is in the hands of the detectives.

NO DYNAMITE THIS TIME.

(How an Irishman might look at it.)

St. Patrick's day passed in unexpected tranquility, but every precaution was taken. The Post Office authorities cut open hundreds of pasteboard boxes sent from Ireland. *Shamrocks for Irishmen in London, not dynamite, were the sole contents.*—Cable despatches of 20th.

I

What! pistols an' soords, an' the bayonets all tra nin',
An' every postmaster with scissors in hand!
To capture our poor little boxes containin'
The bit o' green shamrock, the pride o' the land!

II

Ah! 'tisn't of death an' of murther we're thinkin'
(There's death and there's murther enough in the land);
'Tis a cup full of grief that in silence we're drinkin'
Above the green message come thus to our hand.

III

Put the soords in their scabbards, the guns in their cases,
Let us think o' the days when we dared to be gay—
Sure, peace may be hid 'mid the numberless graces
That deck the green Shamrock on Patrick's day.

JOSH BILLINGS.

I have never known a sekond wife but what was boss ov the sitawashun.

Anny man who can swap horses, or catch fish, and not lie about it, is az piuz a man az ever get to be in this world.

The sassyest man I ever met is a hen-pecked husband when he is away from home.

Those peopl' who are trying to get to hevven on their kreed will find out at last that they didn't have a thru ticket.

Whiskey, judiciously applied, will do more bizness for the devvil than the smartest deacon he has got.

Nature seldom makes a phool she furnishes the raw materials and lets the feller finish the job to suit himself.

NEWS ITEMS.

The Marquis of Lorne visits Montreal on the 10th of April, to open the Royal Canadian Academy.

Choice groceries at Butter and Rae's, and as cheap as at any other establishment in Markdale.

Thos. Payne, an Englishman has died from the effects of strong drink at Montreal.

Be sure and inspect our stock, Tweeds &c., before ordering your spring suits. Butter and Rae.

The Manitoba fever has at last settled upon Eugenia, and carried off 4 or 5 persons to what they consider a better land. May their best anticipations be realized. We do not consider them lost, but simply gone before as more have caught the infection, and cannot hold out here very many days longer.

"If there is no snow we shall have to go through the mud," was the note given early in the week respecting the Social at Mr. John Whitby's, on Wednesday evening on behalf of the Methodist Parsonage Fund. The snow of Tuesday and Wednesday was the cause of considerable rejoicing, for a pleasant sleigh ride and a large assemblage was already assured. Three or four teams were ready soon after seven o'clock to convey the people to the rendezvous. Here the usual routine of socials was gone through, and not till the small hours of the morning were the party again landed at Markdale. Over 180 people spent a pleasant evening, and the proceeds amounted to $20.05.

It would add wonderfully to the comfort of pedestrians and the public generally if the village tradesmen would clear the snow off the sidewalks in front of their stores. It is quite a difficult matter to get into some of the places of business, notably those with steps, which become clogged and form more of a slope than actual steps, and then when frost sets in it is no easy matter to maintain the perpendicular. This remnant of barbarism might be cleared off in a few minutes if done in the morning.

"If each before his own door would sweep,
The streets would soon be clean."
INO.

New goods arriving daily at Butter and Rae's.

Mr. Galbraith, of Shelburne, was in Toronto on Monday securing counsel to defend his client, Johnny Smith, now in custody charged with the murder on the 21st of January last of his uncle, John Smith, late farmer, township of Amaranth. Mr. Galbraith stated that the missing boy Frier, who was in the shop at Shelburne at the time the pistol was bought, has turned up. He was confronted in prison with Johnny Smith, the accused, and would not say that he was one of the boys seen in the store on the day the pistol was bought. Frier would be called as a witness for the defence. the trial comes on at the Shelburne Assises which open on the 3rd of April.

Just finished taking stock, will sell all winter goods on hand at a great sacrifice, in fact almost give them away, Butter and Rae.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Unoccupied lands will be assessed this year as non-resident accept the Assessor is instructed otherwise in writing. According to law notice should be sent to Township Clerk by the party holding vacant lots giving instructions in regard to the assessment of the same not later than the 31st Jan. Then the Assesor would get instructions from the Clerk, some of the Assesors however are willing to make the desired alterations if notified before they complete their work.

INTERNATIONAL (SEED) WHEAT EXCHANGE BETWEEN CANADA AND THE WESTERN STATES.

Striking the word FAILURE from the pathway of I. (S.) W. E. I have spent many long months of hard work and a large sum of money to make it a successful movement for its patrons as well as for myself. Endless obstacles have been encountered, and thousands of miles crossed, with the one idea of final success. Now all I require is the prompt patronage of progressive wheat-growers of Canada to make it eminently successful. My circulation of the "White Russian" and "Lost Nation" Spring Wheats in 1877-8 have been admitedly largely beneficial to the counties of Grey, Bruce, and Huron. My aim is now through I. (S) W. E. to introduce into each district only such good prolific and flouring Spring Wheats as will be specially adapted to the soil and climate of each locality, and to do so at trifling expense to the growers.

I find the following best known Western varieties the most reliable Spring Wheats for Canadian growers, (being the most likely to succeed in our soils and climate), viz: "Sea Island," "China Pearl," "Red Russian," "White Russian," "Hoosic," "Fife" or "Glasgow," and "Lost Nation."

FOR ONE DOLLAR a half-pound each of five of the foregoing varieties (of Iowa, Minnesota, or Dakota growth,) will be sent post or express paid to any Canadian address.

FOR TWO DOLLARS one pound each of five varieties as above will be so sent with the TRAVELLER and I. (S.) W. E. ADVOCATE (quarterly) for 1882. The TRAVELLER has been enlarged to a 24 column size and its circulation of 10,000 copies will be largely increased if the farmers of Canada now sustain me by a liberal patronage of I. (S.) W. E.

FOR THREE DOLLARS per bushel (at Ontario distributing points) any of the above varieties will be supplied. Each order must state the nature of the soil to be grown upon. Delivery will be made at Markdale in April, and orders received through W. J. McFARLAND, Esq., will have prompt attention. In order to be home in April, I must have all orders before end of March. I want every live farmer to give me a cordial support, and a cash order. I want no one to invest in it who will not give the grain so ordered a fair trial on good soil.

CHAS. T. DOYLE, CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA.

BIRTHS.

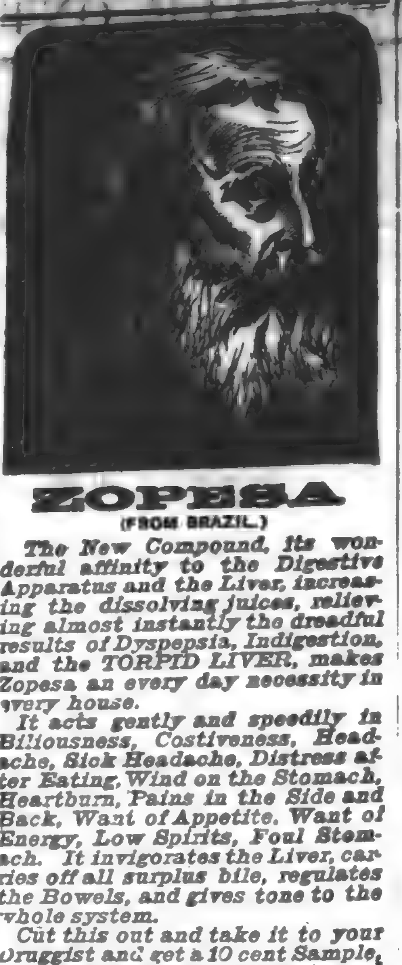
IRVING—In Markdale, on the 16th inst., the wife of J. G. Irving, Pumpmaker, of a son.

STAFFORD—In Holland, on the 20th inst., the wife of Robert Stafford, of a son.

DIED.

BARNHOUSE—At Flesherton, on the 1 inst., aged 35 years, Elizabeth, the wife of Wm. Bernhouse. Intered on Sunday, at Flesherton Cemetery.

COLEMAN—In Markdale, on the 22nd inst., Vida Bertha, daughter of Benjamin and ... Coleman, aged two years and two months. Intered in Markdale on the 23 d



ZOPESA

(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

WANTED.

5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T., G. & B. Railway, $3 25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLOCK,
P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.
March 23, 1882. 80-10i

MAKRDALE Meat Market.

A constant supply of

Fresh Meats!

on hand, at the Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat steck to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.

FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80 ly

SALESMEN WANTED.

To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the

Fonthill Nurseries,

THE LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.
BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL, P. Q., and ST. PAUL, MINN.

NURSERIES, FONTHILL, ONT.

We can start in addition to our already large force

100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been, If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required. Apply to

STONE & WELLINGTON,
Nurserymen, Toronto, Ont.
80-146

A Rare Chance.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable: also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O.
or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, "Standard" office
73-3t

FOR SALE.

LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE. There is on the lot a brick house, stable, shop, well, and cistern. Will sell cheap and on easy terms.

THOS. MULLARKY
Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. 68-tf

NEW DRESS MAKING Establishment.

The undersigned beg to announce to the Ladies of

MARKDALE

and vicinity, that they have commenced

Dress Making,

HILL'S BLOCK, TORONTO ST.,

Where they are prepared to do work in a manner that cannot fail to

GIVE SATISFACTION.

☞ Call respectfully solicited.

MISSES DOHERTY & WELSH.
Markdale, March 16th, 1882. 79-4t

EUGENIA

Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

60ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

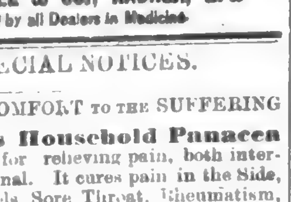
HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

Has been in constant use by the public for over twenty years, and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

It cures Itching, Eruptions and Dandruff. As a HAIR DRESSING it is very desirable, giving the hair a silken softness which all admire. It keeps the head clean, sweet and healthy.

The State Assayer and Chemist of Mass. and leading Physicians endorse and recommend it as a great triumph in medicine.



BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS

will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

PREPARED BY
R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.
Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20 ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

20 ly 42 Cedar st. New York

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20 ly

NOTE LOST.

DRAWN in favor of John McNally, of Holland, and signed by Thomas Cooledge, of Euphrasia, for $14, interest at eight per cent., dated in December, 1881, or January, 1882, payable one year from date. Any person finding and returning the same to John McNally will be suitably rewarded. Payment of said note has been stopped.

JOHN McNALLY.
March 7th, 1882. 75 3t*

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms.
EDISON MUSIC CO., 329 Chestnut St. Philadelphia, Pa. 68 6m

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM
CURES COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, ETC.

THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

GOOD PHOTOS

To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

☞ All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,

AND

MODERATE PRICES,

Is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

J. L. BROWNE,
Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

SEEDS

PURE SEEDS

FOR ALL KIND OF

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

GO TO THE

Dundalk Drug Store.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

C. W. PARSONS.

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds always on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap $2 50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres,
Shawls, Prints, Winceys,
Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters
Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing,
Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collars
Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels,
Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets, &c.

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT

10 PER CT. DISCOUNT ON FORMER PRICES

and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

For Sale.

THE subscriber has on hand, and for sale, on Mount Royal Farm, Lots 117 and 118, Con. 2, E. T. & S. R., Artemesia, a quantity of White Russian Wheat and Black Tartar Oats. Parties desiring to procure a good article for seed should give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I guarantee the above pure and free from all foul seed; also two yoke of Oxen, rising 6 years old, well matched, and sound in every respect.

JOHN FORD.
February 22nd. 1882. 75-4t*

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVENS.
Markdale, March 9th, 1881. 78-

FARM TO SELL OR RENT.

LOTS 74 and 75, 1st N. E. T. & S. Road, Holland. 100 acres 70 of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation; good buildings, and a quantity of fall ploughing done. For particulars apply to

JAMES GILLESPIE
Berkeley P. O. 77-3t*

NOTICE.

To Builders & Contractors.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon of the 27th inst., for the erection of an HOTEL in the Village of Dundalk for Mr. J. C. Reid. Plans and specifications can be seen at my office from the 20th to the 25th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ISAAC TRAYNOR,
Architect and Surveyor,
75-td Owen Sound st., Dundalk.

PAY UP. ALL PARTIES indebted to me are hereby notified to pay up at once. Payment may be made to A. Turner or Dr. Armstrong, Markdale.

T. S. SPROULE, M.D.
Markdale, March 2nd, 1882. 77-3in

NOTICE.

STRAY STEER.—2 years old—came on the premises of Joseph Miles, lot 16, 1st concession S D R., Township of Osprey. Owner will please call, prove property and pay expenses.

JOSEPH MILES.

... 24th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES.

... Friday, April 7th.
... Sunday, April 9th.
... for sugar making.
... are down to 50cts per bus...

... goods arriving at Reynold's ...

... Littlejohns has sold his farm ... Hill.

... borrow money to go to the ... west.

... on the T. G. and B. Ry ... good time.

... odds and ends to be sold at ... under Cost at McFarland's.

... lot of that cheap Tea just ... at Reynold's and Son.

... for the County of Grey ... on the 27th inst.

... fall thick and fast on Tues... was continued on Wednesday.

... sale of farm stock, implements ... household effects, at Reve... Markdale, on Saturday.

... North-west with a family ... you have enough money to ... start.

... ! shout all manufacturers ... and mill men when the ... Lardine.

... Lace Curtains, Prints, ... and Gents Hats received ... at McFarland's.

... forget the A. O. U. W. Ente... in the Hall Markdale ... evening.

... Wm. Douglas is making ... for building a brick ... this season.

... Bros. & Co., Toronto, ... manufacturers of Lardine, ... lubricator known. Try it.

... young man from Vaughan ... his farm, went to Winnipeg ... lost all, and wrote home ... money to bring him back.

... machine oil will not ... and wears better ... oil in the market. Ask ... dealer and take no other.

... meeting of Glenelg Conservative ... was held in the town Hall ... 10 inst when Officers ... for the different Wards.

... infallible remedy for Fever ... Ayer's Ague cure. ... and containing no ... harmless and sure.

... earnings of the Toronto, ... Bruce railway for the ... March 11th, were $468.53 ... of the corresponding week ...

... ! Please call and see ... alligator and goat skins ... haven't time to stand ... show them.

... society for the suppression ... use of slang has been ... Sound Public School. ... do with a branch at Markdale.

... Not only the most ... thing for the teeth and ... but "TEABERRY" is a ... ornament and finish to ... samples.

... How to cure a cold.' ... it out by drinking ... McFarland's Tea three ...

... a dozen corpses have ... from Winnipeg to Ontario ... many weeks, of promising ... went there, lost their ... in the horrors.

... Hill was put off a ... last summer, because ... dealing with his coat off. ... obtained a verdict ... the company.

... Bros. are giving satisfaction ... foundry business and are ... good business. They are ... mechanics.

... Grey conservative ... meet in Markdale ... for the purpose of electing ... for the Dominion ... for said riding.

... McGregor of Chatsworth ... of his professional ... on Saturday last, we ... intends leaving for the ... on the 17th April.

... more blessed to give ... receive" McFarland is giving ... Tea for the least ... it.

... say whisky hardens the ... it softens it. Men ... who have no brains keep ... it, as it does not make ... of difference to them.

... certain man tied his horse ... tree while making a call ... miles from Flesherton, and ... the sapling Result $5 ...

... Lardine. Ask any farmer ... of mill man in fact any ... machinery and he will ... it is the only oil which ... equal to Castor Oil and ... clog your Machinery.

... has recently joined ... and is throwing ... energy into the ... recently from ... has been connected ... papers, have ... printer's art ... printing offices ... to work in our ...

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...LSON, Proprietor.

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... Ladies's Ulsters,
... Ready-made Clothing,
... Linen Collars,
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... Carpets, &c.
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NOTICE.
To Builders & Contractors.
TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 25th inst. for the erection of an HOTEL in the Village of Dundalk for Mr. J. C. Reid. Plan and specifications can be seen at my office from the 20th to the 25th inst. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
ISAAC TRAYNOR, Architect and Surveyor, Owen Sound &c.
75-td

PAY UP. ALL PARTIES indebted to me are hereby notified to pay up at once, the ... ment may be made to A. Turner ... Armstrong, Markdale.
T. S. SPROULE, M.D.
Markdale, March 2nd, 1882. 77-2in.

NOTICE.
STRAY STEER ... came on the premises of ... lot 16, 1st conces ... 8 D. D. Township of Osprey. Owner will please ... prove property pay expenses.
JOSEPH ...
77-3t*

THE STANDARD
...day, March 24th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Good Friday, April 7th.

Easter Sunday, April 9th.

Prepare for sugar making.

Potatoes are down to 50cts per bushel.

Spring goods arriving at Reynold's & Son.

...m. Littlejohns has sold his farm ...n. Hill.

...not borrow money to go to the ...-west.

Trains on the T. G. and B. Ry making good time.

...00 odds and ends to be sold at ... under Cost at McFarland's.

Another lot of that cheap Tea just ...ed at Reynold's and Son.

The Assizes for the County of Grey ...pen on the 27th inst.

Snow fell thick and fast on Tuesday, it was continued on Wednesday.

...redit sale of farm stock, implements and household effects, at Revere ... Markdale, on Saturday.

Do not go North-west with a family ... you have enough money to get ... start.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers, ... ists and mill men when they ... try Lardine.

New Lace Curtains, Prints, Ties, ...rsets and Gents Hats received ... week at McFarland's.

Don't forget the A. O. U. W. Entertainment in the Hall Markdale this ...ay evening

... Wm. Douglas is making preparations for building a brick residence ... this season.

McColl Bros. & Co., Toronto, are ... manufacturers of Lardine, the ...lubricator known. Try it.

...young man from Vaughan mortgaged his farm, went to Winnipeg, ...lated, lost all, and wrote home ... money to bring him back

...dine machine oil will not gum ..., and wears better that any ...oil in the market. Ask your dealer and take no other.

...meeting of Glenelg Conservative ...ation was held in the town Hall ... 10 inst when Officers were ... for the different Wards.

...infallible remedy for Fever and ... Ayer's Ague cure. Wholly ...able and containing no quinine, harmless and sure.

...earnings of the Toronto, Grey ...ruce railway for the week ending March 11th, were $468.53 above ... of the corresponding week, 1881.

...! Please call and see Mc...'s alligator and goat skins, for ...n't time to stand in the door ...

...society for the suppression of ... of slang has been formed in ... Sound Public School. We ... with a branch at Markdale.

...—Not only the most ex... thing for the teeth and breath ... but "TEABERRY" is a beautiful ornament and finish to the toilet ...

"How to cure a cold."
...w it out by drinking two cups ... McFarland's Tea three times ...

...a dozen corpses have been ...m Winnipeg to Ontario with... many weeks, of promising men ... went there, lost their heads and ... the horrors.

...y Hill was put off a Georgia ... last summer, because he insisted riding with his coat off. He obtained a verdict of $5000 ... the company.

... Bros. are giving satisfaction ... foundry business and are working a good business, They are expert mechanics.

... Grey conservative association ... meet in Markdale next Tuesday ... the purpose of electing candidates for the Dominion and Ontario ...atures for said riding.

... McGregor of Chatsworth paid ... his professional visits to our ... on Saturday last, we believe the ... intends leaving for the Prairie ...ce on the 17th April.

"It is more blessed to give than ...ceive" McFarland is giving the ... Tea for the least money ...

...e say whisky hardens the brain ... say it softens it. Meanwhile ... who have no brains keep right ... using it, as it does not make an ... of difference to them, not an ...

... certain man tied his horse to a ... tree while making a call not ... miles from Flesherton, the horse ... the sapling Result $5 paid for ...

... Lardine Ask any farmer ... or mill man in fact any man ... runs machinery and he will tell ... it is the only oil which will ... equal to Castor Oil and won't ... clog your Machinery.

... Henry has recently joined the ... of the STANDARD, and is throwing ...erable energy into the work. ... is but recently from England where he has been connected ... several good newspapers, having learned the printer's art in one of ... jobbing printing offices ... the country. We ... his ... will be apparent from ... week in our columns.

It is surprising ... information one can obt... weather just now. Nearly ev... you meet tells you what you already know on this subject.

Mr. Wm. Strain, of Flesherton, is doing a good business in the tin department, as a result of using the best material; together with good workmanship.

We understand that our popular Deputy Reeve. Mr. Mullarky is likely to be the nominee of the conservative party to contest the South Riding with Mr. Hunter.

The contract for the building of the Glenelg Agricultural Hall in Markdale has been let to Mr. Edward Large and that of fencing the grounds to Mr. Wm. Fleming; they being the lowest tenderers.

A credit sale of farm stock, and implements, will be held on the premises of late Wm. McKay, lot 25, con. 2, east of Garafraxa road, Holland T'p, on Monday April 3. Terms 9 months on good paper. R. M. Galbraith, Auctioneer.

The lost arts did not include steel pen making, an invention purely of the nineteenth century. Esterbrook's being superior, standard and reliable.

A large number of the employers of the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce, and the Northern and North-Western have given notice of their intention to leave this spring. Most of them have accepted positions on the Canada Pacific.

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. Bad teeth tend to indigestion and dyspepsia. J. J. White will be at the Revere House, Markdale on Wewnesday March 29th, when he will be happy to exchange new ones for those which may be decaded.

Our agent informs us that the largest Shipment of Tea ever passed over the Toronto Grey & Bruce Railway was consigned to W. J. McFarland, Markdale.

For all affections of the Chest, Lungs and Throat, use Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops. They speedily cure Coughs, Colds Influenza, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, &c. As an expectorant the Cough Drops are unequalled. loosening phlegm very readily. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

Another circular saw accident happened the other day. Mr. Jeffrey Artley, of Euphrasia, was the unlucky victim. He had one finger taken off at Walter's Falls sawmill, and he has now come to Meaford to resuscitate. He is staying at the Queen's and doing well.

Mr. James Vail has been doing some very fine lettering on the window of Mr. Masson, Barrister who has an office over McFarland's Store. Mr. Vail is acknowledged to be one of the best artists in the country, and all you have to do to believe it is to see some of his handi work.

As Spring advances, nature begins to throw off her snowy mantle, and clothe herself with leaves and flowers, and fruits. Nor is nature alone, for to change is human, and spring is the season when we put on new apparel, and feel bright, happy, and cheerful Just then is the time to drop around to Brown's Photographic Studio, over the Standard office.

Through the months of March and April be careful not to use Purgatives containing Calomel or other injurious substances. The proper and safe Purgatives is the Great Vegetable Preparation, Dr, Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the purest and best Blood Purifier known. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

Although James Masson Esq. of Owen Sound has been appointed Dep. Judge of the County Court of the County of Grey. It does not interfere with his professional duties and he may be seen as heretofore on professional business in his office in Owen Sound or in Markdale on Friday and Saturday in each week.

The Vessel Owners are pushing in the repairs on their boats and vessels at a lively rate in Owen Sound at present. Numbers go daily down to the Dry Dock to witness the vast improvements being made on the new boat Campana. A number of men came up from Collingwood the other day to work upon it.

There is no man in the Dominion better qualified to give an opinion on Manitoba, its climate, soil, resources, and future prospects, than Col Milligan. I would not advise those who have good employment and a comfortable home to come out here with the expectation of more hastily acquiring wealth.

Mr. Justice Burton is the Judge assigned to hold the Court at the next sittings of Assize at Owen Sound commencing on the 27th inst., There are a number of slander cases to be tried at this sitting. The Criminal Calender will not be as heavy as at some courts. the offences being mostly of a minor kind.

The new treatment for rapidly conditioning Horses, Zeck's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture. Each package contains a good Purging Ball which is given to the animal previous to using the strong tonic powder. This is the common sense treatment and will accomplish more in one week than the old system of Spices, Feeds and Condition Powders would do in a month, ask your Druggist about it. A. Turner and Co. Special agent Markdale.

HANLAN'S MOVEMENTS.

The Champion is in excellent health, and somewhat startles scullers by his frequent relaxation from the hard work of training, which, however contrary it may be to the orthodox notions, appears to have a remarkably beneficial effect upon Hanlan's health and spirits. The general opinion is that Trickett has not the ghost of a chance ... with the champion.

... Police Trustees will ... straight at their first ...

... of day and night on the 22nd inst. The days are now getting longer and the nights shorter by several minutes.

Thos. McConnell has purchased a first-class Durham bull ... interested in stock should call and see him.

Mr. G..., school teacher, is gone to the States on an excursion trip for three months, to cultivate a scenery education. May he have a very good time.

We have had excellent winter weather here this week. Many people have availed themselves of it, and sleigh-bells have been ringing merrily. Just as we were regretting that sleighing was over for the season, the snow again descended, and now our hearts are jubilant as ever.

Julius, of the Grey Review, seems to possess a good memory. He calls our attention to the time when we gave a free advt. and lecture to the Young Britons. If we remember aright it was to the mothers of the Young Britons. However we are a little surprised that there should be elders, deacons, sunday school teachers, and choir members attend to so many dances in such a short time. Perhaps Julius could favour us with a few names. He asks if 'tis a sin for the Young Britons to dance? Is it a virtue for church folks to do so? It will take a great many wrongs to make a right, and it is not easy to make a white board by piling on a black pigment.

The flour and oatmeal mill belonging to Mr. Thomas Cloughley was burned on Sunday morning at about three o'clock. It was discovered by Mr. Cloughley, but it had at this time made such great headway that literally nothing could be saved. The building was enveloped in flames and the work of destruction speedy. The fire is supposed to have originated in the oatmeal drying-kiln. Mr. Cloughley had a large stock of grain, oatmeal, and flour on hand. These mills were becoming noted for good work, and were doing a big trade. Their destruction is a loss to the community. Mr. Cloughley's loss is estimated at $95 0, and he is insured with four companies for $6000. The people of Dundalk sustain a loss, inasmuch as only a few years ago they gave a bonus of $1000 towards its erection. and probably another bonus will be forthcoming for another mill of the same size.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.08 to $1.10
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.10 to 1.14
Barley "	2	.55 to .80
Peas "	1	.63 to .70
Oats "	1	.34 to .36
Butter "	1	.17 to .18
Eggs		15.to .18
Potatoes "		50 to 55
Pork "		7.50 to 7.75
Hay "		7.00 to 10.00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Mar 17th 1882.

Flour	6,00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.12	to	1.16
Fall do. do. do.	1.10	to	1.14
Barley	0.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.65
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.60
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.14		0.14
Pork, dressed,	7 50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

England to Markdale;
NOTES BY THE WAY.
SEE FUTURE ISSUES.

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
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A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots.
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,
HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.
EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.
LIVERY!
IN CONNECTION.

GEORGE WILSON.
Wholesale and Retail

BUTCHER!
BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.
FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON
Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union ...
Markdale, Oct. ...

W. BENSON
Has on hand and for sale a first-class assortment of
FRESH
GROCERIES!
CONSISTING OF
Teas, Coffees
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,
And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.
IN LIQUORS!
I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.
IN PRICES
I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.
Give me a Call.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881.

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.
As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as
Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.
As we use nothing but first-class material we can
GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
Call and Inspect our Work!
on hand before purchasing elsewhere.
CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO
HORSESHOEING
and General Jobbing in every line.
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's hotel.

WARNING!
There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to
Guard Against Sickness!
Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your
BOOTS!
—FROM—
KAY & THOMAS.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

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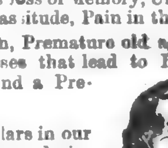
THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back. Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

After Taking.
Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing
THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
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Marble Works
Monuments, Tombstones
And every description of Cemetery work executed in
FIRST-CLASS STYLE!
and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.
Satisfaction Guaranteed.
Shop next door to Revere Hotel.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.
Markdale Aug. ...

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ARRIVING
AT THE
POST OFFICE STORE,
FLESHERTON.
New Advertisement
NEXT WEEK.
R. J. SPROULE.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'
ESTATE, LOAN AND
General Agency.
DUNDALK, - - Ontario.
Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.
A. G. HUNTER.
OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.
Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881. 48-6m.

MARKDALE HOUSE
MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor
THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 16

1,000,000!
Logs Wanted!
THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the
Highest Price in Cash!
for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.
ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.
Bills Filled on Short Notice.
Special attention paid to custom sawing.
P. S.—... wanted.
G. S. BROWN & SON.
Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

Farm for Sale.
Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $... cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to
PETER McARTHUR, Markdale.
Or to C. W. ..., STANDARD Office.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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It will pay purchasers of Seeds to get my TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL PUBLICATION of the ... Catalogue of Seeds, ... free ... to applicants. ...

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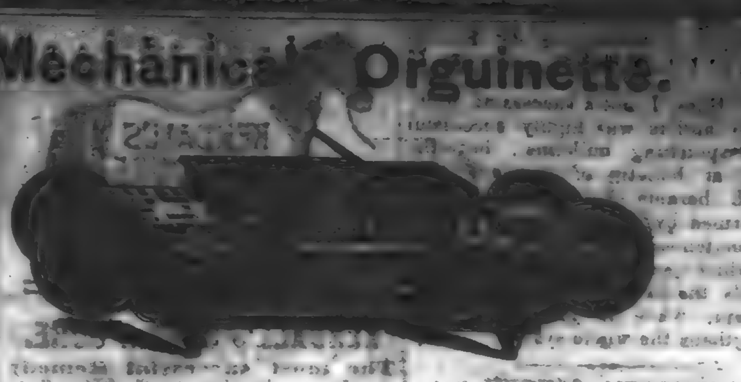
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Sole Manufacturers and Patentees. MONTREAL.
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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.
This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.
Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, from 35c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 60c per yd.
Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10. The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.
See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.
See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have ordered for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.
Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.
Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.
BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.
Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882. W. S. HEWETSON.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—
Dundalk Woollen Mills.
Where do you get Yours?
P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.
W. H. PETERSON.
DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

TO THE PUBLIC.
The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at Flesherton Station and Eugenia, are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.
All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.
A M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
A. M'INTYRE
Flour, Flour, Flour.
McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!
McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.
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McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.
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And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store. always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.
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AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address M. L. BYRN, 40 Nassau street New York. 20

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.
A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send free to his fellow-sufferers ...

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EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

At the meeting held on Mar. 8, all the members were present.

The minutes of last session were read and confirmed.

The surveyor was appointed to define the proper limits of the road running between 27 and 28, 1 and 2 con.

The Reeve, Mr. Erskine and Clerk were appointed to settle with Mr. A. T. Buchanan.

The Reeve and Deputy Reeve were appointed to enquire into the necessity of opening deviation road on lot 21, con. 6.

Mr Buchanan to receive $9.32 payment in full of arrears of taxes charged against the S½ lot 2, con. 6.

The application of the trustees of S.S. 15 for the issuing of debentures was laid aside.

Mr Erskine was authorised to get sideline 6 and 7, con, 11 and 12 open for public travel.

The Reeve was authorised to get the job on Quinton's hill completed,

Funds were furnished to defend the suit between Noble Clarke and the Municipality,

The following accounts to be paid,

Rowsell and Hutchinson, Toronto, $12.95 for Stationery.

Johnson and Dodson, Auditors, $14.00 each.

Samuel McCourt for repairs on the approaches to Beaver river bridge, 18 and 19 sideline, $2

James Gibson $30 for work on 3 & 4 sideline, con. 7 & 8.

The Council adjourned till April 7.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Tp. Clerk.

WORKINGMEN.—Before you begin your heavy spring work after a winter of relaxation, your system needs cleansing and strengthing to prevent an attack of Ague, Bilious or spring Fever, or some other Spring sickness that will unfit you for a season's work. You will save time, much sickness and great expense if you will use one bottle of Hop Bitters in your family this month. Don't wait.

HOW GIRLS KISS.

The Maine girl kisses as though she were taking an impression in chewing gum, the New York girl as if she were dabbling in a Wall street speculation. The New Jersy girl's kiss is as fiery as applejack, while little Deleware girl's are soft as peaches. The Ohio girl goes in for big a kiss, while the English girl's kiss is like eating sugar candy. But the Canadian girl carries the cake. When SHE kisses a fellow, it runs through all the veins and always leaves a lingering sensation delightful in its exquisiteness, it is a combination of all the joys of the present and the future combined in one sweet moment.

A CURE FOR CROUP.

Apply flannel saturated with Hagyard's Yellow Oil and administer the Oil internally on a little sugar as directed on the bottle. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, chilblains, Lameness, and all flesh wounds. All dealers supply it, price 25 cents.

TRAGEDY AT GRAVENHURST.

An affray, involving the death of a shanty man named McMullen, occurred at this place on Thursday last. At the spring of the year shantymen resort to this village, and rows of more or less violence are of frequent occurrence. This time, it appears McMullen got into a fight, but the trouble was quieted for the time being. Subsequently he was followed by several men, who beat him so severely that he died from his injuries the following day. A man named Gilfraser, was arrested, but made his escape from the constables. The village is the scene of great excitement.

INGENIOUS INVENTION.

Some shrewd Yankee has invented a key that will wind any watch, it is the neatest attachment to a charm, and it is said to work like a charm. So does that grand Key to health—Burdock Blood Bitters, the greatest discovery of the age. It unlocks all the secretions, and cleanses and invigorates the entire system. Sample bottles, 10 cents, large size $1.00 of all medicine dealers.

ORANGE GRAND LODGE OF ONTARIO WEST.

The annual meeting was held at Strathroy on Tuesday and Wednesday Feb. 21 and 22. The reports were all of a very satisfactory character. A resolution was passed condemning the recent Globe article on the Toronto Orange Hall.

SORE THROAT.

Apply Hagyard's Yellow Oil and take inwardly according to directions. Yellow Oil is the best remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia Bruises, Burns, Frost Bites and all lameness, inflammation and pain. No household should be without it.

Some of the Councils are only just finding out that the Law requires the Abstract Statement of the Auditors' Report to be published in the local paper.

HAVE HOPE.

Before you despair of curing a troublesome cough just verging on consumption try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam; it has cured others, why not cure you? All dealers sell it.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly.

J. F. ROTH.

FROM A

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,

CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man,

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, P.Q., Wholesale Agents. 71.

PERCHERON HORSES

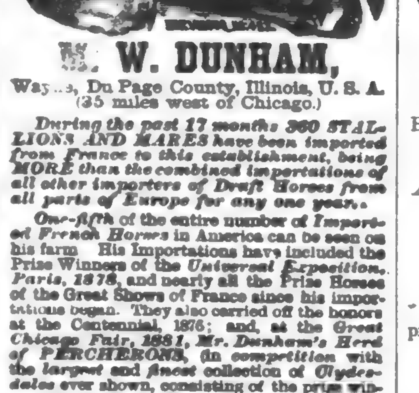
LARGEST

Importing and Breeding

ESTABLISHMENT

IN THE

WORLD.



M. W. DUNHAM,

Wayne, Du Page County, Illinois, U. S. A. (35 miles west of Chicago.)

During the past 17 months 360 STALLIONS AND MARES have been imported from France to this establishment, being MORE than the combined importations of all other importers of Draft Horses from all parts of Europe for any one year.

One-fifth of the entire number of *Imported French Horses* in America can be seen on his farm. His Importations have included the Prize Winners of the *Universal Exposition, Paris, 1878*, and nearly all the Prize Horses of the Great Shows of France since his importations began. They also carried off the honors at the Centennial, 1876; and, at the *Great Chicago Fair, 1881, Mr. Dunham's Herd of PERCHERONS*, (in competition with the *largest* and *finest* collection of *Clydesdales* ever shown, consisting of the prize winners at the Great Shows of Scotland and England,) was awarded the *Grand Sweepstakes Prize of $1,000* and *Grand Gold Medal*.

100 PAGE CATALOGUE sent FREE on application. Contains over 40 Illustrations and the history of the Percheron race. Order "CATALOGUE X."

EVERY LARGE BREEDER & EVERY NEIGHBORHOOD

NEEDS A PERCHERON STALLION

BECAUSE thirty years' trial has demonstrated that when bred to the common mares of the country the produce is more uniform, are easier keepers, better workers, and sell for more money on the market than any other class of Horses.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

THE Creditors of William Irwin, late of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, Methodist Minister, deceased, are required to send in their names, residences, and particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them by letter prepaid, to one of the undersigned Administrators, with Will annexed, on or before the

Fifteenth day of May, A.D., 1882,

And notice is hereby given that after that date, the said Administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Irwin among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.

Markdale, March 15th, 1882.

H. D. IRWIN, } Markdale.
THOS. IRWIN, }
C. C. JAMES. Priceville.

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To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought

JAMES HANNA, Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881. 18tf

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

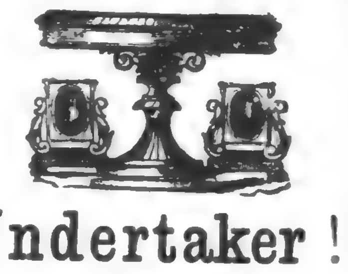
CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballister Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 68-ly

G. GRANT.



Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER,

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

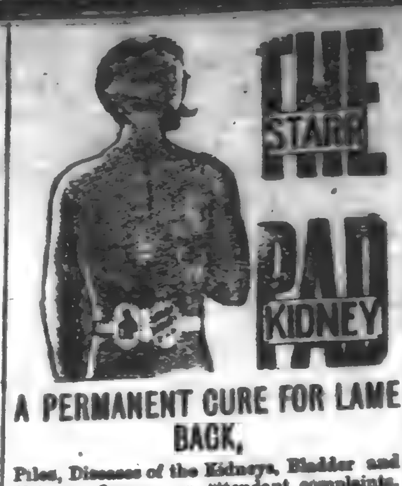
Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT, MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.



A PERMANENT CURE FOR LAME BACK,

Piles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, or attendant complaints. INDUBITABLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

Picton, April 30, 1881.

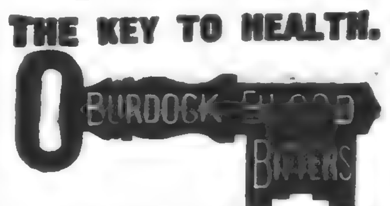
GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

DR. J. B. MORDEN.

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular Pad, $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases, $3. Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by

A. TURNER & CO., Markdale.
PARKER & CO., Owen Sound.
J. W. ELLIOTT, Chatsworth.
STEPHENS & McCARROLL, Meaford.
M. RICHARDSON, Flesherton.
HENRY PARKER, Durham. 59

THE KEY TO HEALTH.



Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the **Bowels, Kidneys and Liver,** carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time **Correcting Acidity of the Stomach,** curing **Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility;** all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of **BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.**

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size $1.

For sale by all dealers.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto

Choice Farm for Sale.

2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road, containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

WM. LITTLEJOHNS, On the premises

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, Markdale.

Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL CURES RHEUMATISM

FREEMAN'S WORM POWDERS.

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and *effectual destroyer of worms* in Children or Adults.

TO RENT.

THOSE SPACIOUS AND FIRST-CLASS Stores in the Reid Block, Good cellars, full size of building, under each store. Also the dwellings over the said stores, consisting of kitchen, dining-room, parlor, five bedrooms and large hall. The stores and dwellings can be had singly or together. Terms moderate. Apply to

JOHN REID, Markdale.

Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 74 3t.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.

A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B.

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

D.I.C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto, Ont.

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Harness Shop.

CORDON

Has always on hand a full assortment of

HEAVY HARNESS,
WHIPS,
SLEICH BELLS,
TRUNKS,
HORSE BLANKETS,
—AND—
SCOTCH COLLARS!

Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

REMEMBER THE PLACE

RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

J. GORDON.

N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken.

Flesherton, Dec. 6th. 1881. 16.

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

GUITTEAU TO BE HANGED ON 30th JUNE

AND THERE IS GREAT REJOICING FROM THE FACT THAT

REYNOLDS & SON

ARE SELLING OUT THEIR

FALL AND WINTER STOCK FOR THIRTY DAYS AT COST!

In order to make room for their Spring importations.

Scotch, Irish & Canadian Tweeds--desperate low prices. See them

WINCEYS very cheap. Bargains in CASHMERES, &c.

NOW IS THE TIME TO SECURE BARGAINS AT

REYNOLDS & SON.

Markdale, February 15th, 1882. 75-3m.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

These having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. **Sure Sale or no pay.** CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

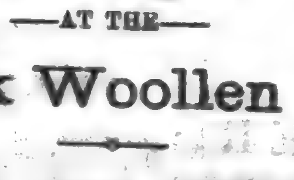
I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

I GET MY WOOL CARDED



—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours?

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. J. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 8th, 1881.

TORONTO HOUSE,

DUNDALK

Has the Largest and Best Assorted Stock in Town, consisting of

Dry Goods,
Ready Made Clothing
Millinery,
Groceries,
Crockery,
Glassware,
Boots and Shoes

AT LOWEST PRICES.

Cash for Grain. 5,000 Bushels Potatoes Wanted

GEORGE NIXON,

DUNDALK, Sept. 2, 1881. 1-ly

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots call and get them. Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machine

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 13m

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEAL

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

LATE IMPORTATIONS!

Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods!

To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

IN BOOTS AND SHOES!

We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glassware

is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Wm BROWN.

Markdale, Sept. 30th, 1881.

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Assorted Stock in Town
Clothing
ries,
rockery,
Glassware,
Boots and Shoes
ST PRICES.
Bushels Potatoes Wanted
GEORGE NIXON.
DALK
ND SHOE
Selected stock
RRIVING DAILY
All Custom Work
Wanzer Sewing Machines
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In time to meet the early mails.

It contains the latest Foreign and Provincial News, Local Intelligence, County Business, Commercial Matters and an Instructive Miscellany.

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PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Armstrong,
Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheur &c.
OFFICE Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

JOHN B. McMILLAN,
ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ready for attending to all kinds of law business. Office at Kay's Hotel.
Markdale Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

Frost & Frost,
BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c. Owen Sound, have resumed at Markdale. Office open every Thursday, as [illegible]
[illegible] Frost. J. W. Frost, LL. B.
County Crown Attorney. 1

J. MASSON,
BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer &c.
MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT.
Offices—Owen Sound, in Vicker's Block Poulett St., and in Markdale, over McFarland's store, on Friday and Saturday every week. 57-ly

Creasor & Morrison,
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYancers, &c. &c.
Offices in Owen Sound, Dufferin Block, over W. F. Wolfe's Store and in
MARKDALE,
at W. J. McFarland's Store on Thursday [illegible] week.
Funds to lend on reasonable terms.
[illegible] Q. C. Duncan Morrison
Markdale, March 15, 1882. 79-ly

Lane & Rowe,
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, AND CONveyancers, Markdale.
Office McFarland's Block.
Money to Lend on Farm Security, at 6 per [illegible]
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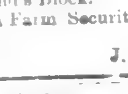
Dentistry.



Mr. James J. White,
Assistant to Dr. Cameron, Owen Sound,
WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in each month, when he will be prepared to perform all operations required upon the mouth in a satisfactory manner, and upon reasonable terms. 1 y

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c Commissioner in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.
N. B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security.
Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown,
ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent, Commissioner in B. R., &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, Mortgages, and Land Sales, Punctually attended to.
Proton, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction sales attended in all parts of the County. Lands [illegible] Commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds.
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

J. G. Sing,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator, Markdale. Having purchased the Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's [illegible] original Field Notes, Plans, [illegible] Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest [illegible]
Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

T. DAVIS,
BUILDER & CONTRACTOR. (Stone and brick.) [illegible] Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets. 16-y

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE.
T. SPROULE, Proprietor.
THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the County. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

COMMERCIAL HOTEL, PRICEVILLE, Ont.
Large and commodious Sample Rooms. Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and table will be supplied with the best the market affords. Good stabling and attentive Hostler.
THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.
October 21st, 1880.

SAVE YOUR COMBINGS.
Mrs. T. G. Morgan begs to announce to the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity that she is prepared to work up hair combings into Switches puffs and curls, terms moderate. Satisfaction guaranteed. Residence corner of Mill and Queen streets, opposite Mr. Brown's.
Orders by Mail promptly attended to.
Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.
LOT TWO, QUEEN ST., MARKDALE [illegible] shop, and on easy terms.
THOS. MULLARKY.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881.

JOHN HANBURY,
BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR (stone and brick). Plastering particularly attended to in town or country.
Estimates on work free.
Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Lucas & Co., BANKERS,
Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.
Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
Wm. LUCAS, Manager.
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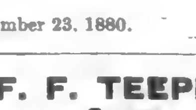

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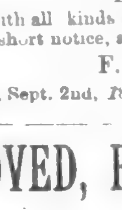

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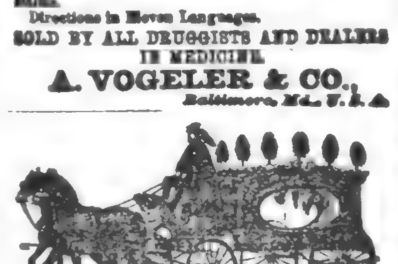

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THE Subscriber desires to call the attention of those about to commit matrimony, that he is prepared to furnish
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and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the
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Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.
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DUNLOP.

'MY AULD WIFE JEAN.'

Come sit ye doon beside me, Jean, I'll sing a hamely sang,
For ye ken oor journey doon life's brae canna noo be lang;
Since we ha'e been united ye were faithfu' fond an' true,
The storms o' life together we ha'e bravely battled through.
Ye'd think tae look back, yesterday had been oor wedding day,
Yet fifty years ha'e slipp'd awa', oor locks are noo quite grey;
Though o'er the happy scenes o' youth auld Time has drawn the screen,
Still I'm aye as fond as ever o' ye my auld wife Jean

Oor sons, tae seek their fortune, ha'e crossed the raging main;
Oor dochters ha'e left us—there in hooses o' their ain;
Tae see us left sae lonely, Jean, it mak's my heart gey fu',
The burden aye seems lichter when I tell my mind tae you.
In grief ye aye could cheer me, for ye were a faithfu' wife,
Ye're words aye gied me courage, Jean, to stem the stream o' life;
We ha'e toddled on together, ye were a trusty freen',
An' I will lo'e ye tae the day I dee, my auld wife Jean.

Although we weren't wealthy, Jean, we had what did oor turn,
Wi' what we had we were content, we didna sit and mourn;
For, Jean, ye ken, its no truelove that poverty can thwart,
An' what's the guid o' money, Jean, without a loving heart?
We ha'e led a happy life, an' we're no afraid tae dee,
We ne'er ha'e broke the vows we made beneath the hawthorn tree;
For we vowed to lo'e each other till death would close oor een,
An' I trust I'll meet in Heaven wi' ye, my auld wife Jean.

A WONDRFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER IV. *Continued.*

The governess, in charge of my lady's fat King Charles, had taken the seat in the carriage. The earl had not driven in the carriage with the ladies from the station. Miss Herncastle's large calm eyes had been taking in everything, and Miss Herncastle's calm tones replied;

'It is a beautiful place, my lady. But I have seen Scarswood before.'

'Indeed! This is not your first visit to Sussex, then? Was it in Sir Peter's time, or before? Pansy—Pearl? Little wretches, do you want to run under the carriage wheels? Stand back and be still! Sir Peter, how stupid of you to let those children run wild in this boisterous manner.'

It was my lady's first greeting to her husband as she was assisted out. Sir Peter had come down the steeps to meet her, she gave him two gloved fingers, then gave the twins first a shake, then a kiss. The little nine-year-olds were minatures of herself—the same round, black eyes, the same crisp, black hair, the same petetite features and proportions, and so much also, like one another that it seemed impossible at a first glance to tell them apart.

You disobedient little midgets, their mamma said, how often have I told you not to rush to meet anyone in that hoydenish way! What is your maid thinking of to let you?

'Twasn't Susan's fault, mamma,' piped one black eyed twin. 'She told me to stay in the nursery, but me and Pansy saw the carriage, and you and aunt Cecil, from the window and we couldn't stay. We're awful glad you've come, auntie. Our dolls haven't got a summer dress to their backs.'

Lady Cecil laughed and kissed the twins. Children always fell in love with her at sight.

'Nor a summer dress to their backs Pearl and the season so far advanced, a harrowing case which must be attended to immediately. Sir Peter, will you endorse Pearl's welcome and say you are glad to see me likewise.'

She gave him her hand with a smile that thawed even the frozen nature of Sir Peter Dangerfield. To be glad to see any one who was a visitor and daily expense was not in his nature, but as much things had to be under the rule of this very much better half, he shook Lady Cecil's delicate gray glove, and said something about his pleasure in welcoming her to Scarswood.

'And Scarswood is a home to be proud of,' Lady Cecil said—'my idea of an earthly paradise, as I told Ginevra coming up, Papa stayed behind Sir Peter, talking to a friend—he will be here for dinner. Permit me—Miss Herncastle, Sir Peter. Ah, Pansy! ah, Pearl! No more dolls and dressmaking. Here is a lady come all the way from London to train you in the way you should go.'

The twins fixed four big, bright eyes full on the governess. Sir Peter bowed—the governess was at some little distance—then stopped, put up his eye glass, and started again. The governess came a step nearer, fixed her eyes upon his face, made a graceful obeisance and turned to her pupils.

'Will you give me a kiss, my dear? You are Pansy, are you not?—you Pearl? Ah, I thought I could tell the difference, though you are so much alike.'

'I trust, Sir Peter, you saw that the upholsterers fitted up the dining and drawing rooms according to my orders have the pictures ar—' she stopped short. Good gracious, Quinine! what is that man staring at? Sir Peter.'

He never heard her. His eyes behind his double-eye-glass were fixed upon Miss Herncastle, his face had turned to a dull yellow pallor from brow to chin. His wife stood and stared at him aghast.

'For Heaven's sake, look at at him, Quinine! Is he going to have a fit, or —Sir Peter Dangerfield, what on earth are you staring at?'

She caught his arm impatiently, and gave him one gentle shake, 'He's staring at you, Miss Herncastle, What is the matter with him?'

Miss Herncastle turned calmly from the children and again looked at the baronet.

'He certainly looks very ill. Is there anything I can do?'

'Her voice!' the baronet said, in a horror, struck whisper, 'her eyes, her face, Oh, Heaven, who is this?'

'Who?' his wife cried, with a second angry shake. 'Are you mad, whom are you looking at, what do you mean?'

'Who!'

'That woman—that girl! Who is she?'

'Miss Herncastle, the children's governess, you little idiot!' Lady Dangerfield actually called that noble baronet a little idiot, and gave him a second shake into the bargain. What is there about her to frighten you, I should like to know?'

'Miss Herncastle, the governess,' he muttered, falling back. 'and for one moment I thought—I could sworn it was—it was—'

'Well—whom?'

'One dead dead and buried for six long years.'

He turned his back upon herabruptly, and with that grastly answer walked into the house.

My lady turned angrily upon her new governess.

'Really, Miss Herncastle,' she began haughtily, 'this is very extraordinary, I must say. The Earl of Ruysland sees you last night in the moonlight and takes you for a ghost —Sir Peter Dangerfield sees you today in the sunshine and takes you for another.'

'Who are you, pray?'

The faintest symptom of an amused smile dawned on thr tranquil face of a tall nursery governess.

'I am Helen Herncastle, my lady, and the ghost of no one that I know of.'

Lady Cecil laughed outright—her sweet mellow laugh.

'How absurd you are, Ginevra. Ghost, indeed! Only evil consciences see ghosts, and Miss Herncastle is much too substantial for ghosts or fairy. She resembles some one Sir Peter has once known, dead six years, he said. Was there not a cousin—a young lady who died suddenly—an—'

'Imposter,' said Lady Dangerfield, 'Yes, there was—I dare say it is she It's not Miss Herncastle's fault, I suppose, that she must resemble dead people, but it's very extraordinary and very unpleasant. My nerves have recieved a shock they will not recover from for a week. I hate scenes!'

And then, with a last backward, distrustful glance at the governess, my lady swept away upstairs in very bad temper indeed. But bad temper had years ago become a chronic complaint of Lady Dangerfield. The world had gone wrong with her in the days of love's young dream, and soured the milk of human kindness within her for all time. It was not Miss Herncastle's fault, perhaps, that people should mistake her at first sight for a ghost, still it was vexatious and exasperating, and if her nerves were to be unstrung in this manner, it would perhaps have been better to have paid a higher price for a commonplace person, who would not startle earls and baronets into mistaking her for the spirit for their loved ones gone.

Lady Cecil lingered for a moment behind. She laid her slender gloveed hand on the arm of the governess, and looked into her face with her rarely sweet smile that had driven so many men fathoms deep in love.

'You will not mind Lady Dangerfield, Miss Herncastle, she is nervous and easily irritated, she has had a great deal of trouble in her lifetime and little things annoy her. These momentary irritations pass with her as quickly as they come. Do not let them annoy you.'

Sweet and gracious words, spoken with sweet and gracious meaning. Miss Herncastle, still standing with Bijou humbly in her arms, looked up and their eyes met,—the eyes of the working-woman and the delicate, high bred patrician. What was in the gaze of those steady gray eyes that made Lady Cecil recoil a step? What in the expression of the quiet face that made her remove her hand hastily and shrink away? She could never have told, the eyes were calm, the face emotionless, and yet—

'You are very kind, my lady. I am not annoyed—I have no right to be. People in my positionare not apt to be sensitive, still, I thank you very much.'

Lady Cecil bent her head, caught up her gray skirts, and swept away.

'Whoever Miss Herncastle is, I think she must have seen what they call better days. She is a lady evidently, in spite of her position. She retracts me and repels me at once. They are handsome eyes, but how coldly, how hardly they look at you. A striking face, the face of a clever woman, and yet I can't like it. Something in the look she gave just now, made my flesh creep, and she doesn't resemble any dead person ever I knew. Papa took her for a ghost, and Sir Peter, too. How very odd.'

Perhaps she would have thought it yet more odd could she have seen Sir Peter still lingering farther down the entrance hall, screened by a porphyry case taller than himself, and watched the governess, as one of the servants conducted her to her chamber. Still more odd, could she have seen him follow, as though drawn by someirresistible fascination, up along corridors and galleries, until he stood in the passage leading to the nursery, and the rooms of the governess and the children.

While he stood irresolute, hardly knowing what he wanted or why he had come, the nursery door opened, one of the twins came bouncing out, and ran headlong against him in the evening twilight of the hall.

'Don't [illegible] Pansy—[illegible] Sir Peter clasped [illegible] — 'I only [illegible] to—to—Pansy where's the governess?'

Pansy pointed to the nursery door, with wide eyes of wonder.

'What is she doing?'

'Looking out of the window and grumpy. I hate grumpy governesses. I hate Miss Herncastle. Why don't mamma fetch us a governess like aunt Cecil, she's nice. She plays blind man's bluff with us, and battledore, I hate poky people, so does Pearl. Miss Herncastle is poky, and solemn, and stiff. Papa Peter, do you want her?'

'I'll tell her.'

'Oh no, I don't want her—you mustn't tell her. I—I'm going down again, don't say anything about my being up here, Pansy—there's a good girl.'

He turned in a nervous, irresolute manner—a manner that had become habitual to him of late years—and he grooped his way down stairs. Six years had passed since that tragic day when he had looked upon Katherine Dangerfield's dead face, and those six years had made him an old man. Remorse, terror, nerves, dyspepsia, be it what it might—the facts remained: Sir Peter Dangerfield at six-and-thirty was an old man. He was one of your fleshless, sallow people, who naturally age fast, and since his marriage the change for the worse had been twice as appearent as before, his pale sunken eyes looked paler and dimmer than ever, he walked with a habitual stoop, he shut himself up with as dry-as dust books, and insects, and fossils, and has little to say to anybody.

The resident genthry of the neighbourhood had instinctly shunned him since his accession to Scarswood. Strangers looked with a sort of contemptuous pity at the dried up, shrivelled pityful master of his grand domain, and he shrank away from these humiliating glances with morbid pride The desire of his heart was—Katherine Dangerfield was in her grave—he had his revenge and his triumph, but never in the days of his most abject poverty had he been half somisserable as now.

Of Mrs. Vavasor he had never heard since that night upon which he had paid her price, and they had parted. In Paris or Baden, doubtless under some new *nom-de fantasia* she was enjoying herself after her own fashion upon the proceeds of her plotting.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

A. O. U. W.

CONCERT AT DUFFERIN HALL.

An entertainment announced for 7.30, on Friday evening, commenced soon after 8.30. The purpose of the gathering was to lay before the public the object and aims of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, in order to increase its members. The chair was taken by the Rev. A. Wilson, P. M. W. of the Markdale Lodge, who, in this opening address, gave a brief history of the Order. He said that it was founded in 1868 in the State of Pennsylvania, and although established only 12 or 13 years, held a proud position to-day. It was introduced into Canada in 1877, and the first lodge opened was at St. Thomas, and since this time 169 lodges have been established in Ontario alone. The work of the order was very successful last year, and its members had greatly increased. In the beginning of 1881 its members numbered 3,187, and now it was about 5,000. At the same period the Order carried a risk of $6,800,000, and now it bears a risk of about $9,000,000. The number of assessments made were not in equal proportion to the deaths: only 13 assessments had been made to meet the call for $46,000 caused by 23 deaths. The Order embodied the principle of benevolence and brotherly aid. It was every man's duty to provide against the uncertainty of life, and thus during the worker's lifetime to provide for those who were now depending upon him. In paying the assessments, every member must feel that not only was he fulfilling his obligation as a member of the Order, but also that every dollar he was called upon to pay was going to the relief and support of some widow or orphan children. The Order was one that inculcated good habits. No one could be admitted unless he could bring a good character. A great deal had been said about the Order, its aims, and its mode of procedure, but had not older orders—the Freemasons and others—been despised when they were first established. and when they were weak, and thus it was with them. The Order was neither sectarian nor political, but purely benevolent; on its rolls could be found the names of men of every profession, and men of every shade of opinion. When he recently attended as a delegate at Hamilton, he was surprised, but pleased, to find himself among such an array of good, sound men—lawyers, ministers—Methodist ministers, who were sure to be connected with every good thing—and other workers. The examinations which members were put to was as rigid as possible, the lives of members were young lives—among them this evening were members who were the very picture of good health and long life. The very fact of its existence, its rapid growth, and the work it had already accomplished spoke volumes as to its thorough efficiency. He commended the Order very strongly to the attention of his hearers. A programme of musical [illegible] was then proceeded with. Mr. Anderson rendered four Scotch songs, accompanied on the organ by his daughter. Two readings were given by Mr. Irvine. Mr. Wm. McDengal sang one song, gave two recitations, and, with Mr. McKenna, took part in a farce. Their efforts were received with great applause. Miss Wilson and Messrs Moffatt Bos. thrice came before the audience, Miss Wilson also sang "Sweet Bessie." Miss Dundas sang two gems, "Star of Heaven," and "Rescue," with good effect. Mr. Clarke told his hearers in an amusing manner that he had Manitoba on the brain. Said he:

"I guess I'll go on foot if I can't get on the train,
For just like every body else I've Winnipeg on the brain."

Mrs. Morgan sang two songs, accompanied by Miss Hollingshead. Mr. McIntyre sang "The Last Rose of Summer," and with Mrs. McIntyre the duett "When ye gang awa' Jamie." Miss Hollingshead played two organ solos in good style. After the interval, Mr. Brown, M. W., repeated what the chairman had said respecting the Society, pressing its claims upon his audience. The proceeds of entertainment amounted to $26.50.

One of our subscribers went up to Toronto on important business. He is a plain old man, wears an old style hat and homespun clothes, and reads our paper. When in King St. a slick looking stranger professed to know him, asked how the family were, when he came to the city, and when he'd return, the old man declined the proffered hand, and said, 'That's all right young man, never mind the preliminaries, git right down to business at once. You've got some goods at the depot, and want to pay the freight, but hain't got nothin' less than a hundred dollar cheque. Would I hold the check and let you have $60 45 to pay the freight? Or p'raps you've just drawed a prize in a lottery, and would I step around with you and git the money? Or, p'raps—" but the confidence man had slipped away. The old man chuckled to himself: 'Slipped up that time, Mr Bunko: I'm postel —I've read the papers.'

HOME.

Dr. O. W. Holmes says:—I never saw a garment too fine for a man or maid; there never was a chair too good for a cobler or a cooper or a king to sit in; never a house too fine to shelter the human head. These elements about us, the glorious sun, the imperial moon, are not too good for the human race. Elegance fits man. But do we not value these tools a littlemore than they are worth, and some mortgage a house for the mahogany we bring to it?

"I had rather eat my dinner off the head of a barrel, or dress after the fashion of John the Baptist in the wilderness, or sit on a block all my life, than consume all myself before I got to a home, and take so much pains with the outside when the inside was hollow as an empty nut. Beauty is a great thing, but beauty of garment, house and furniture are tawdry ornaments compared with domestic love. All the elegance in the world will not make a home, and I would give more for a spoonful of real hearty love than for whole shiploads of furniture and all the gorgeousness all the upholsterers in the world can gather.'

RAILWAY MATTERS.

The Great Western has leased the Credit Valley Railway for a term of 999 years!

A Bill has been introduced into the Commons to prevent the amalgamation of Railways which have been aided by bonuses, unless they have express provisions in the Act respecting each of the companies to be amalgamated. No amalgamation to lawful unless and until bonuses or privileges granted be previously repaid or restored or the grant or promise thereof cancelled. There is every probability that it will become law.

The Bill of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce asking the Dominion House to declare that road for the general advantage of Canada, and to give the company power to amalgamate with or leave the road to the Ontaria and Quebec Co. has been withdrawn. The opposition was so strong that it was deemed advisable to let the bill drop. The present holders of the T. G. & B. must either own the road as an independent line against the active competition of the Grand Trunk or carry out the excellent arrangement entered into between the T. G. & B. and the Grand Trunk.

NEW YORK POST OFFICE.

Wm. H. Wareing, Esq., Asst. General Supt. Third Division Mailing and Distributing Dept., New York Post Office, in writing concerning St. Jacobs Oil, says: The reports from the several superintendents and clerks who have used the Oil agree in praising it highly. It has been found efficacious in cuts, burns, soreness and stiffness of the joints and muscles, and affords a ready relief for rheumatic complaints. Hon. T. L. James now Postmaster-General of the U. S., concurred in the foregoing.

WORKINGMEN.—Before you begin your heavy spring work after a winter of relaxation your system needs cleansing and strengthing to prevent an attack of Ague, Bilious or spring Fever, or some other Spring sickness that will unfit you for a season's work. You will save time, much sickness and great expense if you will use one bottle of Hop Bitters in your family this month. Don't wait.

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Markdale, Feb. 23, 1882. 37-ly

Facts and Fancies.

75 cents will secure this paper till the end of 1882.

Life Insurance is a provision against a contingency to which every human being is subject.

The man who gets bit twice by the same dog is better adapted to that kind of business than any other.

There will be a fine field for lawyers in the North-west when some of the title deeds to property have to be proved.

The following sentence of only 34 letters contains all the letters in the alphabet: "John quickly extemporised five tow bags."

Guitteau rarely reads his bible and is never seen praying. He is less talkative than formerly, and exhibits no sign of insanity.

Tennyson, poet laureat, has prepared a song of thanksgiving for the Queen's escape. It will be sung in the Colonies on May 24.

"The Horse and His Disease," is a valuable book of near 100 pages. It will be given to each subscriber to this paper who pays in advance.

Mr R. J. Milne, of Meaford found a purse in Toronto the other day. Its owner was discovered, and Mr. Milne generously refused any of the offered reward.

A young couple were baptized together at Trousdale, Tenn., and immediately afterwards they were married, in their dripping garments by the same clergyman.

An item for wives—Take a horrid, nasty-tempered husband (if you've got no other) pour a nice dinner into him, stir him up gently, and then see if you can't draw the $5 bill you want for a new bonnet.

A new comer was questioning an old settler. 'How long since you came here?' 'Young man,' said he, pointing to a lofty peak, 'you see that hill across the river? well I kim here, sir, when that was nuthin' but a hole in the ground.'

Hundreds of tents are being put up in all parts of the city of Winnipeg to accomodate immigrants who are now pouring into the city. Regular and special trains are laden every trip with people from both Canada and the United States.

'Mr. Browne, father wants to borrow your Standard: he only wants to read it.' 'Well, go back and tell your father to send me his supper, I only want to eat it. Tell him the subscription is only $1 a year, and if paid in advance, he can get a book that will tell him how to cure those two horses of his.'

The little ones will keep on saying things. Six year old Mabel is industriously engaged in "cleaning out" a preserve jar which her mother has just emptied. Four year old Bobby looks at her for a while, and then blurts out, "Say, sis, don't you wish you could turn it inside out so's you could lick it?"

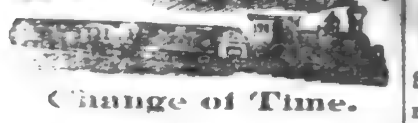
A little boy was accustomed to say grace in his father's absence: his younger brother was an impatient boy and one day when company was present, helped himself liberally to cake before a blessing was asked. The little master of the ceremonies said, 'For what we are about to receive, and for what Charlie has already helped himself to, the Lord make us truly thankful. Amen.'

Particulars of the catastrophe in Dakota on the Northern Pacific Railroad show that eight persons were killed outright, and a number seriously but, it is thought, not fatally wounded. The accident arose from one of the car wheels breaking, causing two sleeping cars, in which were 30 men, to jump the track and fall over the bridge to the river beneath. The cars took fire, and all the victims were horribly burned. The coroner's jury have found that the wreck was accidental.

A GOOD HOUSEWIFE.—When she is giving her house its spring renovating, should bear in mind that the dear inmates of her house are more precious than many houses, and that their systems need cleansing by purifying the Blood, regulating the stomach and bowels to prevent and cure the diseases arising from spring malaria and miasma, and she must know that there is nothing that will do it so perfectly and surely as Hop Bitters, the purest and best of medicines.

The other day Mr. Jonathan Batty, of the 11th line, St. Vincent, sold a span of horses to Mr. Arthur. Mr. Batty proceeded homewards with $285 safe in a pocket-book in the inside coat pocket. When arrived home he ascertained that he had lost his money. Next day he came to town for the purpose of trying to find the money. When he arrived opposite Mr. McKay's on the 15th and 16th side-line, Miss Mary McKay hailed him, and presented him with the lost pocket-book and money. She found them on Hamilton's Hill, and a letter in the wallet proved who the owner was. She refused a handsome reward.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y



Change of Time.

Commencing Thursday, December 8, 1881

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
[illegible]ford	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
[illegible]	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
[illegible]	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
W[illegible]ansford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
[illegible]	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
M[illegible]dale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
[illegible] & Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
[illegible]	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
[illegible]	7.52 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
S[illegible]	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
[illegible]	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
[illegible]	8.23 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
Orangeville.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
[illegible] Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
[illegible]	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
[illegible]	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto, dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
[illegible]	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
[illegible]	7.41 "	4.36 "
[illegible]	7.53 "	4.46 "
[illegible] Summit	7.59 "	4.51 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
C[illegible]	9.15 "	6.12 "
[illegible]	[illegible]	6.22 "
[illegible]	[illegible]	6.35 "
Depart	[illegible]	6.50 "
[illegible]	9.57 "	7.00 "
[illegible]	10.07 "	7.10 "
[illegible]	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8.06 "
Proton	11.2[illegible] "	8.21 "
Flesherton & P[illegible]	11.56 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
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[illegible]	12.33 "	9.33 "
C[illegible]	12.[illegible] "	9.4[illegible] "
[illegible]	12.53 "	9.53 "
Owen S[illegible]	1.15 "	10.15 "

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THE STANDARD.

Friday, March 31st, 1882

THE LATE MR. ROBERT BROWN

We [illegible] that our obituary column [illegible] contains the announcement of the death of Mr. Robert Brown of Artemesia. Mr Brown was one of six [illegible] who came out from Ireland in 1851, and then settled in Glenelg. He was born in county Down in 1839, and was the youngest of the family. He was very industrious, and consequently [illegible] of the most successful farmers [illegible]. He became connected with the Presbyterian Church, and held the office of elder. For the past 12 months he has been suffering, and [illegible] passed away last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock.

LONGFELLOW.

The greatest poet on this side of the Atlantic passed away last Friday, and a blank is thereby caused which the Americans will not, easily fill. It cannot be said that Longfellow was either an American or English poet, yet wherever the English language is spoken will his writings be welcomed. In the promise of his youth he was hailed as the national poet, but the title awaits a greater than he. Since Byron's day, no poet has equalled Longfellow, and—not by his great pieces, but by his minor efforts, will his [illegible] are. Some of his lyrics are perfect, while all his poetry is brimful of life, and love, and truth. Since 1835 he has lived at Cambridge, Mass. Longfellow was 75, so that he lived to a ripe old age. He set out in life by studying law, but briefs were not to his taste, and he changed law for literature.

[illegible] funeral services over the remains of Longfellow were held Sunday afternoon. Only a silver plate ornamented the casket, which bore an inscription as follows:

HENRY WADSWORTH LONGFELLOW,
Born Feb 27,1807. Died Mar 24, 1882

His career may, in a sense, be taken as an admirable illustration of his own familiar words:

Lives of great men all remind us,
We can make our lives sublime;
And, departing, leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of Time.

JOB PRINTING

Of every description executed with neatness and despatch at the Office of the STANDARD, Markdale.

GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

The committee of the Glenelg Ag. Society have acted wisely, and as we recommended in our last issue in that they had purchased the plot of land, which they have leased from Mrs. Atkinson, for the sum of $620. This lot of 5 acres gives them a good show ground,on which to hold their exhibition and monthly fares. Subscriptions ought now flow into the hands of the Society pretty liberally for this society will do a vast amount of good for the advancement of the village of Markdale. The fact of a monthly fair for cattle being held here will draw a lot of both buyers and sellers to this centre, it will increase its importance in various ways, its land will become more valuable, the farmers will come oftener, and turn over their stock to greater advantage and capital will be brought into this thriving village. There can be no question as to the wisdom of the committee in taking this course, and we venture to assert that not recently has a more important step been taken in the village than in the establishment on a firm basis of the Glenelg Ag. Society here. The contract for the erection of a hall, and fencing in the ground. has been let and we hope soon to have to report [illegible]gress.

SOCIALS.

Suitable companship is as necessary to the highest vigor of body and mind as are suitable food and clothing without companionship our powers suffer just as surely, though not so sensibly and rapidly, as would our body without the necessaries of life. But by the thinking part of the community, this fact is apt to be somewhat overlooked and lost sight of. As man was not intended to live alone, neither were the young people, or grown up people ever intended to just fulfil their daily occupations and when aweary rest in sleep, and rise to carry on the same routine. It is part of the nature of man that he should seek not only rest for his weary body but by interchange of friendship and intercommunication of ideas refresh othersand be himself refreshed. The world without this feeling of sociability would be a dull world indeed. If every one individual, or every one family just sought its own earthly welfare by simply plodding, plodding on without a thought or care for any outsiders, and no outsiders caring for them, methinks this would be a heartless world. But no, with few exceptions men are not of theDiogenes type,and there are few who are independent, and careless of sociability. Hence have arisen social parties; first we hear of a political club, a workman's club, and in cities clubs for nearly every branch of industry where men can meet, and have a friendly chat and be refreshed by communion with their fellow men. One of the latest sociability of our nature is found in the entertainment bearing the name of "Social." Some times these are projected by a workman's club, or such like society, and sometimes they are projected by some religous body, but invariably with one object, raising money. As a matter of course, some of these "socials" are great affairs, where the preformances gone through areunderthemanagement of a master of ceremonies and everything is in high style, always allowing a degree of social intercourse not to be enjoyed by somewhat similiar gatherings under the cognomen of concerts, soirees, and conversaziones Some again, aim not so high, and content themselves with a gathering of friends ofthe object to be benefitted, and under a little management, abilities of a few of them are brought out to the benefit of the whole company. one can sing, and one can recite, and one can read, and thus the whole company are entertained and everybody feels happy. No matter how small the [illegible]ty, with a little management, an [illegible]resting programme can be got together. Too much attention cannot be drawn to this matter, and expecially the attention of the religious leaders, to draw out the best abilities of their friends and supporters. Then again a "social" may consist of a simple gathering of people who chat together in any way they will accomplish good. A good social may be but an extention of the family circle, a greater family gathering,a social evening, and its influence will have a beneficial effect upon most of those who attend. But as when "gude man's awa" there's apt to be "no gude luck about the house," so without management a social may be, if not an instrument of evil, still its influence nullifies the monetary benefits derived.

A TRIP TO KANSAS CITY, AND MISSOURI,

By Mr. M. Armstrong, Jr, Markdale.

Most of our readers are aware that some two weeks ago Mr. Mark Armstrong shipped 5 car loads of Potatoes hence to Kansas. Knowing Mr. Armstrong's ability to form a corect opinion of that country, and being quite sure that our readers would value any information vouched for by him, we have secured a brief report of his journey.

It was on the 14th of March the cars left Markdale for Kansas city. The cars were all provided with stoves and wood, with which to repel the attacks of frost. The T, G. and B. Ry, conveyed them as far as Weston, when the cars were transhipped to the Gr. Trunk Ry, and thence sped away westward. At Port Huron the cust[illegible] were passed, and there the cars were delayed for some 5 hours, and were drawn alongside an emigrant train of five coaches and about twenty freight cars, bound for Manitoba. The train was from the Seaforth district. The passengers were very jolly, and were very sanguine respecting their success in their prairie homesteads. Three other trains were to follow in two days from Ontario. Everybody seemed to have Manitoba on the brain, that was the absorbing topic.

Being delayed at Chicago, a stroll round this great city was indulged in, meeting with persons of nearly every nation under the sun. The immense buildings and grain elevators lead one to the conclusion that Chicago must be the granary of America, if not of the world. The grandeur of its buildings, its palatial edifices, including the Grand Pacific Hotel, Palmer House, and the New Court House are monuments to the excellence of modern architecture. Its beautiful parks add much to the pleasure of the citizens in the summer.

At Chicago the cars were transferred to the C. B. & Q. Ry, and had a splendid run of 260 miles through the State of Illinois, passing some pretty towns, and on Sunday morning were at Quincey. Mr. Armstrong took full advantage of a fine morning to mount a very high hill; the view from hence was indescribably grand. Far away the beautiful and powerful Mississippi drew its mighty length along. On its banks were dotted towns and villages, and from the valley below came the music of church bells. The party would fain have lingered here but the unethereal train whistle calls to the track.

The river is crossed on an immense iron bridge built on stone piers 90 feet high (45 feet under water), and pass over into the State of Missouri.

TO BE CONTINUED.

CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION OF EAST GREY.

A meeting of the Delegates from the various Townships of the above Riding, met in Dufferin Hall Markdale, on Tuesday, the 28th inst., for the purpose for selecting candidates for the Dominion and Provincial Parliments, at the next election. There was a very large attendance, T. S. Sproule, M. D., M. P., was the unanimons choice for the Commons,and A. W. Lauder, M. P. P., for the Local Legislature. Each of the above Candidates gave an oyster supper at the Markdale House the same evening, which was largely attended.

OSPREY.

Some sugar has been made in the township.

Good results have followed the recent revival meetings at the P. M. church, Maxwell.

In Feversham business has been brisk of late, saw logs have been coming in rapidly.

It is estimated that the result of the good sleighing of late, several thousand dollars have made their way into the township.

A missionary meeting was held on the 10th in the Presbyterian church. Excellent addresses were delivered, by Messrs. Snowdon and Cuisholm Instrumental music was given by Miss Bain, vocal and instrumental music by the Maxwell choir. The proceeds amounted upwards of $20 which is to be applied to thehome and foreign mission fund.

There are some cases of scarlet-fever and diphtheria in the village. Some say that this state of affairs is not to be wondered at,for on passing through quite a number of dead dogs, which have been poisened, may be seen on the roofs of certain houses. They have been left there for some months, and it is quite time some one would see to their removal.

We shall be glad to hear from our cosrespondent at Osprey every week.

Whole communities in the west are sining petitions for the pardon of Mason, the assassin of Guitteau. Because the Rev. S. S. McMahon, of Rising Sun, Ind., was the only man in the place who refused to sign, the sentiment is so strong against him that he may have to give up his church.

An unusually heavy storm passed over Markdale on Wednesday evening it was travelling towards Toronto. The thunder was very loud and the lightning vivid, this storm is not considered an omen of good things to come, the popular idea being that such an occurrance in March,foretells a frosty summer.

Through the months of March and April be careful not to use Purgatives containing Calomel or other injurious substences. The proper and safe Purgatives is the Great Vegetable Preparation, Dr, Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, the purest and best Blood Purifier known. A Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

As will be seen in another column, Mr. H. D. Irwin, has purchased a thorough bred Durham Bull, farmers desirous of improving their stock would do well to avail themselves of the opportunity. The beast is a very fine yearling, as large as the average three years old.

The new treatment for rapidly conditioning Horses, Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture. Each package contains a good Purging Ball which is given to the animal previous to using the strong tonic powder. This is the common sense treatment and will accomplish more in one week than the old system of Spices, Feeds and Condition Powders would do in a month, ask your Druggist about it. A. Turner and Co. Special agent Markdale.

James Burnett, Wm. Anderson, and Alex McKenzie, three young men of Artemesia left for the prarie province on the 22nd inst. A number of their friends and well wishers gathered previous to their departure and presented them with an address accompanied with a present for each. We wish them success.

AUCTION SALE OF
Valuable Farm Property
In the Township of
Proton and Artemesia.

In the COUNTY OF GREY, there will be sold, on Thursday, the 20th day of April, 1882, at One o'clock in the Afternoon, at the Anglo-American Hotel, in the village of DUNDALK, by virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the Sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Mary Menzies, Lot 17, in the 7th con. of the Township of Proton, County of Grey, containing 100 acres more or less.

The following Improvements are said to be on the premises: About 20 acres cleared

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Duncan Campbell, Lots 10 and 11 in the 10th concession in the Township of Proton, in the county of Grey, containing 200 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—About 50 acres cleared, with a young orchard, and having erected thereon a log house and barn.

PARCEL III.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGu[illegible]ren,—Lot No. 17 in the 19th concession of the Township of Proton, in the county of Grey, containing 121 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—About 25 acres cleared.

PARCEL IV.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon—Lot No. 37, in the 3rd concession, south of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the county of Grey, containing 80 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises, The property is situated about 10 miles from the village of Dundalk and about 3 miles from the village of Flesherton.

TERMS—One tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to
JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE
Solicitors.
Masonic Hall, Toronto.
Or to JOSEPH McARDLE, Esq.,
Hopeville.
Toronto, March 26, 1882.

TO FARMERS & BREEDERS.

Having purchased the Short Horn Yearling Bull,

PRINCE ROYAL, No. 225,

Vol. 7, Canada Short Horn Stock Register, got by KELSO, (664, Vol 6) Dam EYELA by BRITISH PRINCE (2799) granddam LADY CHARLOTTE, by GLADSTONE (1481) gr. g. dam Maria by Duke of Arkell (1223).

A limited number of Cows will be taken at $1 50 each for season at his stables Lot 113, north east Toronto Road, Artemesia.

H. D. IRWIN, Owner.

N.B.—All animals charged for and no Insurance guaranteed.
March 25, 1882.

ORGAN PUPILS wanted

Prof. H. L. Thurston,
(Late of Brampton) TEACHER.

Terms, 24 Lessons for $6, to be paid for on every third lesson. Upon certain conditions, satisfaction is guaranteed to pupils or parents of pupils. Lessons given at the homes of pupils.

First-class references as Musical Instructor.

Mr Thurston is also a Dealer in Organs, Pianos, and Sewing Machines.

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C. A. OWEN,
Tailor,
Over McFARLAND'S,
MARKDALE.

Special attention to Cutting.

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with

C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

A Public Meeting should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

When a farmer neglects or refuses co-operation with his brother farmers he strikes a blow at the advancement of his class, and by his own [illegible] enemy.

Mr. John Gordon, a road-master on the T. G. and B., was on Thursday presented with a gold watch and chain costing $150 and an illuminated address by his fellow-employees on the line. The presentation took place in Gordon's hotel, Orangeville, in the presence of a large gathering, among them the Mayor of the town, and Mr. Wragge, manager of the road. The presentation was an acknowledgment of Mr. Gordon's efficient supervision during the changing of the gauge between Toronto and Teeswater.

BIRTHS.

WALKER—In Artemesia, on the 28 inst., the wife of John Walker, of a son.

JACKSON—In Holland, on the 22nd of March, the wife of Wm. Jackson, of a daughter.

SHANAHAN—In Markdale, on the 26th inst., the wife of D. J. Shanahan,carriage maker of a son.

MARRIED.

McKEE—CLARY—At the brides residence, by the Rev. John Chisholm, B.A., Mr. Robt. McKee to Miss Betsy Clary,both of Centre Line, Osprey.

DIED.

BROWN—In Artemesia, on the 26th inst., Mr. Robert Brown, brother to Wm. Brown, Esq., Merchant Markdale, aged 40 years.

BOWES—Of scarlet fever, in Osprey, on the 21st of January, son of Compleman and Ellen Bowes, aged 13 years.

BOWES—Of scarlet fever, in Osprey, on the 24th of January, Henry Alfred, son of Compleman and Ellen Bowes,aged 5 years.

BOWES—Of scarlet fever, in Osprey, on the 28th of January, Mr. Compleman Bowes, aged 41 years.

BOWES—Of scarlet fever, on the 7th of Feb., John Compleman, son of the late Compleman and Ellen Bowes, aged 11 years.

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(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

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Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80-ly

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THE
LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.
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Rare Chances.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable; also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O.
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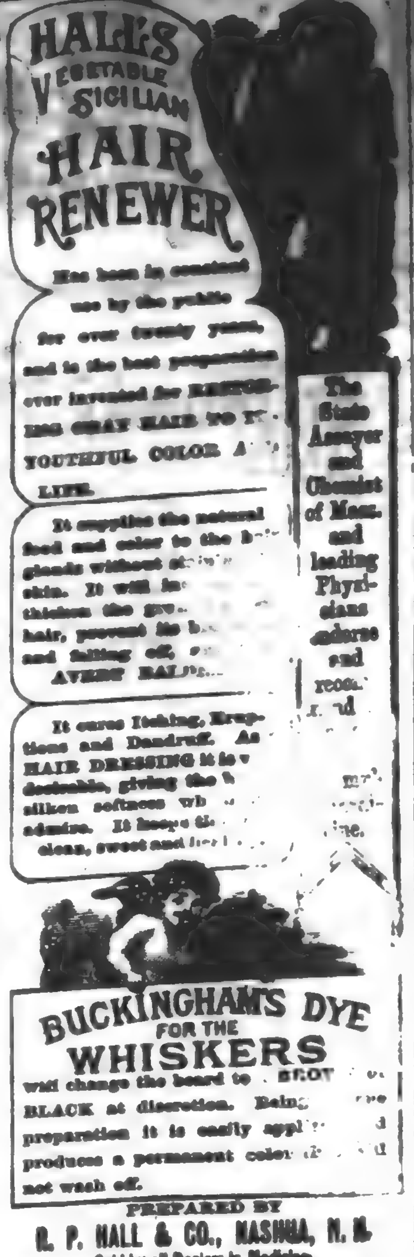
Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted, [illegible]

M. [illegible], Eugenia.



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A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

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The undersigned beg to announce to the Ladies of

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A Call respectfully solicited.

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Markdale, March 18th, 1882. 78-4t

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FOR ALL KIND OF
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I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of F[illegible] Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and [illegible] reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend [illegible] Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I [illegible]lieve I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and [illegible] Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

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P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds [illegible] on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. [illegible] just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal [illegible] feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $[illegible].50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

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Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers [illegible] whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered [illegible] the public. The whole stock of goods must be s[illegible]

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE
—AT—
"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods consisting of

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres.
Shawls, Prints, Winceys.
Velveteens, Embroideries. Ladies's Ulste[illegible]
Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothin[illegible]
Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collars
Dress Shirts, Overcoats, [illegible]ancy Flannels
Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets &

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT

10 PER CT. DISCOUNT ON FORMER PRICES

and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.
Markdale. March 9th. 1881. 78-tf

FARM TO SELL OR RENT.

LOTS 74 and 75 1st N. E. T. & S. Road, Holland 100 acres 70 of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation; good buildings, and a quantity of fall ploughing done. For particulars apply to

JAMES GILLESPIE,
78. Berkeley P.O.

WANTED.

5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T. G. & B. Railway, $3 [illegible] per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLOCK.
P.O. Address [illegible], Toronto.
March 28, 1882. 80-101

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[Mr.] Mark Armstrong, Jr., has re[turned] from Kansas. An account of [his tri]p will be found in another [colu]mn.

[In o]ur report of Proton Council [meet]ing, which appeared in the Her[ald] two weeks ago, we gave the salary [of th]e new treasurer $185, when [it] should be $75.

Mr McClue's family left for Mani[toba] on the 22nd to join their head, [who ha]d gone before.

The next sitting of Division Court [illegible] will take place in Markdale on [the] 28th April.

Another large assortment of [illegible] greatest variety eve[r] [illegible] Markdale, at Montgomery's bakery.

[illegible] and nobby Tweeds just arrive[d] [illegible] by Mr. McDougall, [illegible] for McFarland's clothing depa[rtment].

The Horse and His Diseases [illegible] information most valuable [illegible] owners. 15 cents. STANDARD [Offi]ce.

Field garden and flower seeds, [illegible] pure at the Medical Hall, A. [Turne]r and Co.

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REFRESHING.—Not only the [illegible] thing for the teeth and breath [illegible], but "TEABERRY" is a be[illegible] ornament and finish to the toilet [illegible] samples.

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[Eu]phrasia spring show will take [place] at Rocklyn, on the 25th April.

NOTICE.—All parties indebted to the [under]signed, are requested to call [and] settle the same at once, and save [fur]ther trouble. W. J. Rowe, [illegible] Mills.

W. J. McFarland has just recieved [advi]ce of shipment from Manchester, [Engl]and, of eight cases, Prints, Laces, [Cash]meres, Silks, Satins, Feathers, [Wor]sted Suitings, and Dress Goods [which] will arrive about the middle [illegible]

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For all affections of the Che[st] [Lun]gs and Throat, use Dr. Carson's [Pul]monary Cough Drops. Th[ey] [spee]dily cure Coughs, Colds Influen[za] [Hoa]rseness, Bronchitis, &c. As [an exp]ectorant the Cough Drops [are un]equalled, loosening phleg[m] [illegible] readily. A Turner and [Co.] [Sp]ecial Agent Markdale.

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[Mrs.] Mulrooney, Oi can't hold [illegible], Begorra, it's full I am [illegible], I've drank seven cups alr[eady] [an]d yez get such strang [illegible] Mrs. Finnigan.

Mrs. Finnigan, shure of corse [illegible] McFarland he always keeps the [illegible] cheapest. His head man John [illegible] me they sold 1,800 pounds in [illegible] and Devil a word of a lie is i[n it] [illegible] with my own eyes the [illegible] [illegible] it off in chist fulls.

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ALL KIND OF

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Dundalk.

Sugar making is the order of the day, amongst our farmers.

Mr. Newman Irish, has purchased two lots on front street for $400. He is going to build this summer.

Mr. Delaney of ...ville has purchased a lot from Geo. Nixon. Mr. Delaney is going to build at once.

The Dundalk post office is now complete and in splendid working order, under the management of Mr. G. R. Middleton.

Beautiful weather has set in again, after the spell of rough weather that we have had. Crows, birds, and squrrels have made an appearance.

Geo. Modeland has sold his lot of 58 acres to John Allen, for $1,000 through the agency of A. G. Hunter, Estate Agent.

We had a visit from the Review Editor this week, he is in good spirits and is much pleased with the progress Dundalk is making as a Town.

A. G. Hunter has sold his Nickle property to Mr. Thos. Glasier will be in our midst in the course of two weeks.

The Fire Inspector of the Insurance Companies have called on Mr. Cloughley, and made an investigation into the cause of the late fire. Mr. Cloughley has pronounced them gentlemen.

We are pleased to know that Mr. J. McDowell, whose hands and feet were amputated some time ago, is getting on as well as could be expected.

We have been showed a plan and design excuted by Mr. Kent the celebrated draughtsman, of the proposed new store to be built this coming summer, br G. R. Middleton, Esq., when complete will be one of finest buildings in the county.

The great sale of Alex. Reid, of Proton was largely attended, but we regret to say there was entirely too much whiskey, many of the old inhabitants say that old times are coming back again when whiskey will predominate at every gathering, we hope not.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

The 1st meeting of the 30th Council of Osprey was held at Maxwell on the 16th Jan. The 2nd meeting held at Feversham on the 13th Feb. A number of indigents applied for assistance which was granted. The statement of accounts was presented, read and adopted. Several accounts were passed and ordered to be paid. There had been registered last year from Osprey, 56 births, 18 Marriages, and 17 deaths.

The Reeve and Clerk were ordered to sign a petition asking the Government to confirm the agreement between the G. T. Ry. and the T. G. & B. R.

The third meeting was held at McIntyre, on the 13th of March.

Communications were received from D. McQueen and 3 others, re new union school section with Nottawasaga re alteration of school sections. From County Treasurer re lot 11 in 4 con.

It appears to me a useless rigmarole to write, "Moved by and seconded by" at each resolution but as ratepayers have a keen eye on those who move and second all the wicked resolutions passed by the Council I will write the surname of the mover and seconder of each motion without Sir, Mr. or any other handle, thus:—

McIntyre, Johnson,—That A. McIntyre, John Speers, and Joseph Taylor be appointed a Committee to enquire into the validity of the Treasurer's security and report to this Council.

Speers, Johnston—That the Petition of D. McQueen and others be laid over until this Council gets a more satisfactory answer from the Council of Nottawasaga.

Johnston, Speers—That Report No. 1 of the Road and bridge Committe be adopted.

Report.—Your Committee after having examined the Deviation Road of Cameron's Hill beg to report that in view of not stopping the travel on the old road would recommend that the Deviation Road be extended two rods farther west on the west end of said Deviation.—Jos. Taylor, Chairman.

Speers. Johnson—That Joseph Selley be paid the sum of $75, for fencing Deviation Road allowance across Lot 29, con. 13, Osprey and for additional land that the Reeve issue his order for the same.

Taylor, McIntyre—That the Clerk be instructed to write the County Treasurer to find out the amount of taxes in his books against Lot 27, in con. 4.

Taylor, McIntyre—That the Clerk be instructed to send the agreement between Joseph Selley and the Township of Osprey for fencing Road Deviation on lot 29, con. 13 to Pellot & Osler and request them to furnish a deed for the said Deviation Road.

Mr. Taylor as chairman of special committee to enquire &c., presented the following report, your committee having examined the Treasurer's securities find them fully satisfactory, &c.—Jos. Taylor, Chairman.

Johnson, McIntyre,—That the Report of the Special Committee appointed to enquire &c., be adopted and entered on the minutes.

Johnston, McIntyre—That Wm. Suggit be paid the sum of $4 for postage and stationery.

Speers, Taylor—Amendment that W. Suggit pay postage out of his salary.—Lost.

Taylor, Johnson,—That E. A. McLean be paid the sum of $4 for preparing the Auditor's Report for the printer.

Johnston, McIntyre,—That By-law 208 to appoint township officers for the year 1882 be introduced and read a first time.

By-law 208 went through all the ...and came out with the following named officers:—

Overseers.—T. Grummitt, A. McAuley, W. Slight, C. Bell, J. Robinson, T. Ross, N. McKinnon, J. Hannon, D. McKinnon, R. Stewart, ... Arnott, J. Crumby, A. Boome, J. Jamieson, W. Scott, W. Armour, H. Hawkins, J. Hill, G. Coutts, T. Wiggins, J. Beatty, J Muirhead, E. Potts, J. Joice, J. Hamilton, A. McKechnie, R. Fenwick, T. Brownridge, J. Todd, A. McPhail, D. McIntyre, J. Gosneld, D. Madill, D. Preston, W. Arnott, D. Clark, D. McLean, J. Sinclair, J. McLean, W. Leymers, G. Lush, G. Hale, J. Bates, J. Elliot, A. Campbell, J. Brown, T. McConnell, H. Wright, J. Crawford, W. Brown, J. Cron, A. Thompson, S. Curan, A. McMullen, T. Clemis, J. Myers, W Mullen, R. Adams, T. Brown, J. Selley, J. Brown, C. Barber, C. Tupling, W. Bewel, A. Ferguson, F. Sykes, A. Cameron, E. Gosneld, J. R. Sing, A. Bine. W. Lervice.

Pound Keepers.—T. Arnott. Thos. Tuck, B. Brownlee, — McPhail, Neil McLean,

Fence Viewers— J. Winters. Wm. Sproule. J. Treothey. H. McDonald, J. Elliott, W. Kuiner, H. Hudson, W. Armour, G. Allister.

Taylor, Speers —That Wm. Suggitt receive $100 as salary for collecting Rates for 1881.

McIntyre, Speers—That the Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to notify the Trustees of S. S. No. 10, Osprey, and the Council of Collingwood Township respectively, that this counсil intends to pass a By law at its next meeting affecting the boundaries of said section by transferring Lot 21 in the 14 con., Osprey, from said section to Malcolm Campbell's Section, Collingwood Township.

McIntyre, Johnston—That this Council adjourns to meet at Singhampton on the third Monday in April.

W. MILNE, CLERK.

Osprey, March 20, 1882.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.08	to	$1.10
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.10	to	1.14
Barley " 2	.55	to	.80
Peas " 1	.68	to	.70
Oats " 1	.34	to	.36
Butter " 1	.17	to	.18
Eggs	15	to	.18
Potatoes "	50	to	55
Pork "	7.50	to	7.75
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, Mar 31st 1882.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.12	to	1.16
Fall do. do. do.	1.10	to	1.14
Barley	0.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.65		0.65
Potatoes	0.60		0.60
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.14		0.14
Pork, dressed,	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	13.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.20
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

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Markdale, Oct. ...th, 1881

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Has on hand and for sale a first-class ...
FRESH
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IN LIQUORS!
I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES
I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

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MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs.
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
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OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

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Call and Inspect our Work! on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

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Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

—FROM—

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Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

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THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

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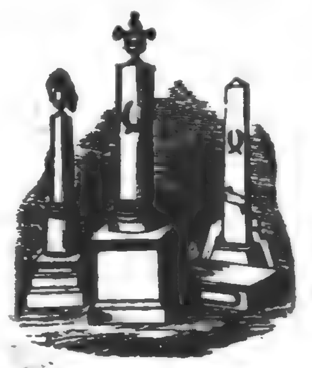

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OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

Farm for Sale.

Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to

PETER McARTHUR, Markdale.
Or to C. W. ...

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

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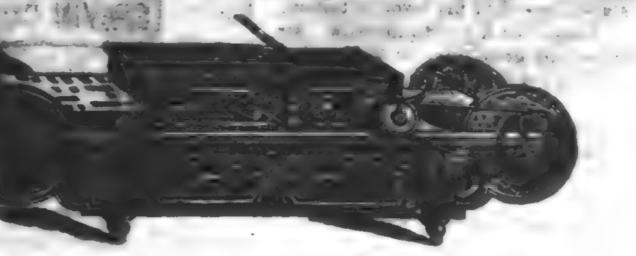

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"The Orguinette may now be called a celebrated instrument. In tone it is akin to the Cabinet Organ, but the organ must be manipulated by an artist in order to produce music; the ORGUINETTE is on the other hand entirely mechanical in its action, and at a trifling expense it can be made to furnish an unlimited supply of all kinds of music. —Toronto Globe."

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1 TO 21, VOLTIGEURS STREET,

Sole Manufacturers and Patentees. MONTREAL.

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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, to 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10 The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing. London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have cabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at

Flesherton Station and Eugenia,

are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased. Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.
A. M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
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Flour, Flour, Flour.
McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!
McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.
McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee. Coffee.
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ABSTRACT STATEMENT

OF THE

Treasurer's Receipts and Expenditure,

FOR THE

TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG,

For the Year ending 31st December, 1881.

Dr. RECEIPTS.	$	EXPENDITURE. Cr.	$
To Bal. on hand at last audit	57 93	By Roads and Bridges	1044 62½
" Taxes	10993 97	" Salaries and expenses of Municipal Government	733 84
" Fines	1 00	" School Section Rates	3447 28
" Land improvement Fund	233 30	" School Section Debentures	681 51
" Clergy Reserve Fund	44 05	" School Equivalent	443 00
" License Fund	171 21	" County Rates	2559 97
		" Charity	46 00
		" Markdale Village Rates	10 49
		" Glenelg Agricultural Society	20 00
		" Miscellaneous	16 05
		" Bank deposit on By-law 171	1000 00
		" Bank deposit on Commons	1200 00
		" Glencross suit	125 68
		" Refund of Taxes	8 48
		" Balance on hand	62 59½
	$11501 46		$11501 46

We certify the foregoing Abstract of the Treasurer's Receipts and Expenditure, to be correct.

(Signed) CHARLES MOFFAT, JAMES BANKS, Auditors.

Glenelg, Feb. 10th, 1882.

IT DID.

"Now then, Mr. Bee, are you ever going to get them trowsers done?" exclaimed the youth entering the establishment of his favorite tailor.

"They'll be done to-morrow, sir." replied the gentleman of fits, quietly.

"That's what you said yesterday."

"Exactly!"

"Well, isn't this to-morrow?"

"Certainly not!"

"Well, wasn't to-day to-morrow yesterday?"

"It was, but it isn't to-morrow to-day."

"Well when in creation will to-morrow be then?"

"Don't you know?"

"No."

Do you remember the last suit I made you?"

"Yes."

"You remember when I called for my money, you always said you would pay to-morrow. I discovered then that to-morrow never comes. Do you understand?"

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM.

Cures coughs, colds, asthma, croup, whooping cough, sore throat, bronchitis and all lung complaints that lead to consumption. Price 25 cents.

Some thief walked off with $700 from Campbell's store, Shelburne, on Friday last. The pocket book containing the money was left on the desk in the office, and someone walked off with it unnoticed. The robbery took place between 12 and 1, and a great many people had been in during that time. No clue to the thief.

A CURE FOR CROUP.

Apply flannel saturated with Hagyard's Yellow Oil and administer the Oil internally on a little sugar as directed on the bottle. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Burns, Scalds, chilblains, Lameness, and all flesh wounds. All dealers supply it, price 25 cents.

When Gladstone returns to his residence in the small hours of the morning, from the British House of Commons, he sits down to the piano and accompanies himself on the instrument in an old English or Scotch ballad. No matter how prolonged the sitting may be, Mrs. Gladstone waits up for her husband and prepares for him with her own hand the cup of tea with a lemon squeezed in it, which the Prime Minister holds to be the most effective form of refreshment.

WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS 'TIS FOLLY TO BE WISE.

Dr. Bliss, If not a success at probing for bullets, was highly successful in despatching bulletins; but the grandest bulletin of success is that which heralds the wonderful cures performed by Burdock Blood Bitters, that matchless tonic and blood purifier which acts at once upon the Bowels, the Skin, the Liver and the Kidneys, while it invigorates and strengthens the whole system.

James Hubert Ross, was accidently and fatally shot by Charles Thompson Thursday afternoon at Toronto. Ross had just returned from the Upper Canada College, and Thompson and he were playing with an old gun; the piece went off in Thompson's hand, and a marble with which it was charged entered Ross' right lung, killing him instantly. Thompson was only eight years of age. He was a great friend of the deceased boy. He did not know the gun was loaded. The coroners giving returned verdict of accident death.

INGENIOUS INVENTION.

Some shrewd Yankee has inverted a key that will wind any watch, it is the neatest attachment to a charm, and it is said to work like a charm. So does that grand Key to health—Burdock Blood Bitters, the greatest discovery of the age. It unlocks all the secretions, and cleanses and invigorates the entire system. Sample bottles, 10 cents, large size $1.00 all medicine dealers.

"There is a man," said his neighbour speaking of a well known Markdale man, "who has done more good in this community than any other person who ever lived in it. He cannot talk well in prayer meeting and he does not often try. He isn't worth $... and it's but little he can put down on subscription papers for any object. But a new family never moves into the village but he finds them out to give them a neighbourly welcome, and offer them any little service he can render. He usually looks out for the stranger, and finds him a seat at the church. He is always ready to watch with a sick neighbour. He finds time for a pleasant word for the children, with whom he is a favourite. He seems to have a genius for helping folks in various little, and it does me good every day just to meet him on the street."

SORE THROAT.

Apply Hagyard's Yellow Oil and take inwardly according to directions. Yellow Oil is the best remedy for Rheumatism, Neuralgia Bruises, Burns, Frost Bites and all lameness, inflammation and pain. No household should be without it.

There was not much time lost in the trial of Michael O'Rourke for the murder of Maher and his daughter, in the township of Nelson, two months ago. He was found guilty, and sentenced to be hanged at Milton on the 9th of June. The taking of the life of the old man and his daughter was a most unprovoked act, and seems to have been done through pure deviltry. O'Rourke is a young man and might have been a good citizen, but drink seems to have got the upper hand of him, as it has of many a better man. It is a sad thing when the State finds it necessary to take the life of a citizen, but if there ever was a case in which capital punishment was richly deserved it is this. The condemned man received his sentence unmoved. Mr. Justice Cameron pronounced the crime as one of the most heinous in criminal annals.

HAVE HOPE.

Before you despair of curing a troublesome cough just verging on consumption try Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam; it has cured others, why may it not cure you? All dealers sell

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly.

J. F. ROTH.

FROM A

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,

CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for ... any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, P.Q., Wholesale Agents. 71.

PERCHERON HORSES

LARGEST

Importing and Breeding

ESTABLISHMENT

IN THE

WORLD.

M. W. DUNHAM,

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During the past 17 months 360 STALLIONS AND MARES have been imported from France to this establishment, being MORE than the combined importations of all other importers of Draft Horses from all parts of Europe for any one year.

One-fifth of the entire number of *Imported French Horses* in America can be seen on his farm. His Importations have included the Prize Winners of the *Universal Exposition, Paris, 1878*, and nearly all the Prize Horses of the Great Shows of France since his importations began. They also carried off the honors at the Centennial, 1876; and, at the *Great Chicago Fair, 1881, Mr. Dunham's Herd of PERCHERONS*, (in competition with the *largest* and *finest* collection of *Clydesdales* ever shown, consisting of the prize winners at the Great Shows of Scotland and England,) was awarded the *Grand Sweepstakes Prize of $1,000* and *Grand Gold Medal.*

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BECAUSE thirty years' trial has demonstrated that when bred to the common mares of the country the produce is more uniform, are easier keepers, better workers, and sell for more money on the market than any other class of Horses.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

THE Creditors of William Irwin, late of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, Methodist Minister, deceased, are required to send in their names, residences, and particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them by letter prepaid, to one of the undersigned Administrators, with Will annexed, on or before the

Fifteenth day of May, A.D., 1882,

And notice is hereby given that after that date, the said Administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Irwin among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.

Markdale, March 15th, 1882.

H. D. IRWIN, } Markdale.
THOS. IRWIN, }
C. C. JAMES, Priceville.

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To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

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Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881. 18tf

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—AND—

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We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

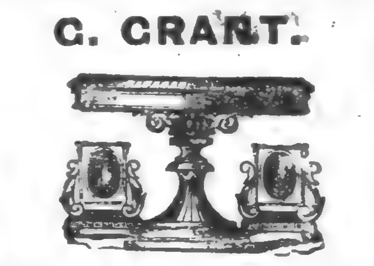
CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

G. GRANT.



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Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

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Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

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Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 21, 1881. 62-tf

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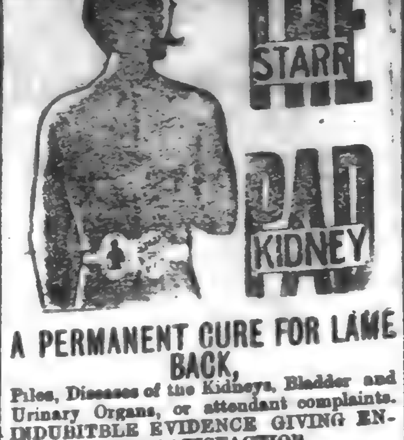

A PERMANENT CURE FOR LAME BACK,

Piles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, or attendant complaints. INDUBITABLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

Picton, April 20, 1881.

GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

DR. J. B. MORDEN.

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular Pad, $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases, $3. Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by

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2 MILES FROM MARKDALE. LOT 119, Concession 1, Artemesia, East side T. & S. Road; containing 50 acres—46 of which is under cultivation, and the balance hard timber. The above farm is a very desirable property and will be sold cheap. A good frame barn and log house is on the place. Possession given this fall. For further particulars apply to

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Sept. 2nd, 1881. 51-tf.

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BLOOD
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Has always on hand a full assortment of

HEAVY HARNESS,

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Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

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N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken.

Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1881. 16.

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A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

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To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B.

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

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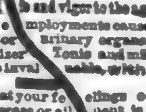
Nothing Like Leather.



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NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work entrusted will be promptly and carefully done here.

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NEXT WEEK.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 25

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

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I GET MY WOOL CARDED

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Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account are requested to settle at once.

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Has the Largest and Best Assorted Stock in Town, consisting of

Dry Goods,

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AT LOWEST PRICES.

Cash for Grain. 5,000 Bushels Potatoes W...

GEORGE NIXON

DUNDALK, Sept. 2, 1881.

DUNDALK

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STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to say I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ...

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots ... Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

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Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

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which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot Store.

THOS. HANBURY

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 13n

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Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled

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We offer special values in every line.

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Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

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Markdale, [illegible] 1881. 64.

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[illegible] Forman's Store on Thursday [illegible] each week.
[illegible] Funds [illegible] reasonable terms.
[illegible] DUNCAN MORRISON
[illegible] 15, 1882. 79-ly

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[illegible] SOLICITORS, AND CON[illegible]
[illegible] Block.
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J. W. ROWE.

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Mr. James [illegible] White,
[illegible] Owen Sound, WILL BE AT THE REVERE HOUSE [illegible] last Wednesday in [illegible] when he will be prepared to per[illegible] upon the mouth [illegible] manner, and upo[illegible]
1-y

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown,
ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c [illegible] in B. R. &c.
Conveyancing in all its branches promptly [illegible] and carefully executed.
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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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ISSUER [illegible] Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life [illegible] Agent. Commissioner [illegible] B. R. [illegible] Conveyancer and Licensed [illegible] County of Grey. Farmers, [illegible] and Land Sales, Punctually attended to [illegible] made very moderate.
[illegible] 17, 1880. 1-y

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Large and commodious Sample Rooms Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's
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Orders by Mail promptly attended to.
Markdale, Sept. 1, 1881.

FOR SALE.
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THOS. MULLARKY.
Markdale, Dec. 28th, 1881. [illegible]

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Estimates on work free.
Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881.

Miscellaneous.

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Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
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The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
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Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
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J. C. ATKINSON,
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Has [illegible] removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.
—LATEST—
Fashion Plates
RECEIVED REGULARLY.
CHARGES MODERATE.
Satis faction Guaranted
Remember the Place
NEXT DOOR TO NELSON'S STORE,
MAIN STREET.
Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 13-6m.

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Meat Market!
Meat supplied wholesale and retail
Orders called for and meat delivered to any part of the town.
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P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or sheep to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.
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Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

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ON
Every Working Day,
By Thomas Smith.
Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
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ON THE LOSS OF
MANHOOD
WE have recently published a new edition of **Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay** on the radical and nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage etc., resulting from excesses.
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Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.
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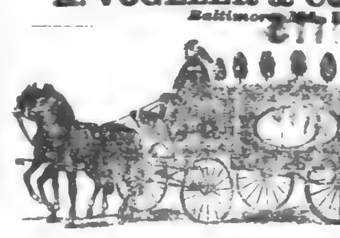

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Furniture !
—AND—
UNDERTAKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortest notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

CUTTERS AND SLEIGHS!
IN GREAT VARIETY.
THE CHEAPEST!
BECAUSE THEY ARE
THE BEST.
IN THE MARKET.
Any Number or Style!
Promptly supplied from stock on the shortest notice. All manufactured by skilled mechanics, with good material in the
Latest and most improved Style.
Special attention is also directed to the large and very superior stock of second growth
HICKORY AND WHITE OAK
purchased from one of the best factories in Canada, sufficient to manufacture over fifty Waggons and Carriages for the coming season. Intending purchasers should not fail to make an inspection of my stock and save money.
SEPC'AL ATTENTION TO REPAIRING & HORSESHOEING.
Remember the place—second door to Butter & Rae's.
D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS
AND A
Happy New Year.
THE subscriber desires to call the attention of those about to commit matrimony, that he is prepared to furnish
WEDDING CAKES,
and every other article of confectionery suitable for such occasions, in the
Most Artistic style,
and of a flavor and quality that cannot be surpassed.
SOIREES,
AND
Surprise Parties!
Supplied with every desirable article of Confectionery on the shortest notice, and at reasonable rates.
IN THE
Article of Bread!
I DEFY COMPETITION,
And will deliver it at the residence of all who may favor me with their patronage.
A. DUNLOP.
Markdale, Dec. 15, 1881. [illegible]

The Poet's Corner.

Hands All Round.

TENNYSON'S ENGLISH & COLONIAL NATIONAL SONG.

This, the latest effusion of the poet laureate's, was sung in London, England, March 16th, and is proposed to be sung in Canada on the Queen's Birthday.

First pledge our Queen, this solemn night,
Then drink to England's every guest;
That man's the best cosmopolite,
Who loves his native country best!
May freedom's oak for ever live,
With larger life from day to day;
That man's the true conservative
Who lops the mouldered branch away.
Hands all round!
God the traitor's hope confound.
To the great cause of Freedom drink,
My friends,
And the great name of England,
Round and round.

To all the loyal hearts who long
To keep our English Empire whole!
To all our noble sons, the strong
New England of the Southern Pole!
To England under Indian skies!
To those dark millions of her realm!
To Canada, whom we love and prize,
Whatever statesmen hold the helm.
Hands all round!
God the traitor's hope confound!
To the great name of England drink,
My friends,
And all her glorious Colonies,
Round and round.

To all our statesmen, so they be
True leaders of the land's desire!
To both our Houses, may they see
Beyond the borough and the shire!
We sailed wherever ship could sail,
We founded many a mighty State!
Pray God our greatness may not fail
Through craven fears of being great.
Hands all round!
God the traitor's hope confound!
To the great cause of Freedom drink,
My friends,
And the great name of England,
Round and round!

Nobody.

If Nobody noticed you, you must be small,
If Nobody's slighted you, you must be tall;
If Nobody's bowed to you, you must be low,
If Nobody's kissed you, you're ugly, we know;

If Nobody's envied you, you're a poor elf,
If Nobody's flatter you, flatter yourself,
If Nobody's cheated you, you're a knave,
If Nobody's disliked you, it's plain you're a slave.

If Nobody's called you a fool to your face,
Somebody's wished for your back in its place;
If Nobody's called you a tyrant or scold,
Somebody considers you most unearthly mould.

If Nobody knows of your fault but a friend,
Nobody'll miss them at the world's end,
If Noboby clings to your purse like a fawn,
Nobody'll hunt like a hound when you're gone.

If Nobody's eaten his bread from your store,
Somebody thinks you a miserly bore.
If Nobody's slandered you, here, here is our pen,
Sign yourself "NOBODY" as quick as you can.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

CHAPTER IV. *Continued.*

Of all the actors in that dark tragedy of Scarswood, only himself remained. Mr. Henry Otis shortly after removed to London with all his belongings, and with Gaston Dantree. Katherine Dangerfield left him in my charge, the young assistant said. In my charge he remains until he is able to take care of himself,

Whether or no that time had never come, Sir Peter had never discovered. Mr. Otis had never returned to Castleford, and it was a subject he was chary of mentioning, or thinking of even. It came to him in dreams—bad, disturbing dreams, engendered partly by an evil conscience, partly by heavy English dinners. In his walking house the aim of his life was to banish it And lo! in one of the hours when he had most succeeded, a woman, a stranger stood before him, like—horribly, unnaturally like—Katherine Dangerfield.

'Living, I will pursue you to the end of the earth. Dead, I will return if the dead can!'

He had never forgotten those words—words only spoken in a girl's impotent passion, in her knowledge of the cowardly and superstitious nature she had to deal with. Words that were but a weak woman's meaningless threat, but which from the hour he had looked upon her dead face had turned to him with ghastly force.

Would Miss Herncastle be at dinner?

That was the one thought uppermost in his mind as he made his own toilet. He kept no valet or body-servant of any kind. Valets were expensive, thievish, and prying. None of the tribe should spy upon him, and help devour his substance. My lady was enormously extravagant. Retrenchment must begin somewhere.

Rich with silver, sparkling with crystal, white with linen, gay with flowers, the round dinner table looked a picture as he came in.

Through the long French windows, open to the lawn, the perfume of my lady's rose garden, the magnolias and clematis came. A silver gray mist lay over the park, a faint, new moon glimmered up in the blue, a nightingale sang its plaintive vesper chant in the green gloom of the trees, and far off the shine of the summer stars lay upon the sea. And within the gas was lit in all the crystal globes, and silver branches, and my lady, dressed [illegible] most of Worth's most ravishing masterpieces, though there was no gentleman to admire but her uncle and husband, looked a fit goddess to preside at the feast. Lord Ruysland, bland, urbane, suave, smooth, was faultlessly attired, and with a rose in his button hole, Lady Cecil, in gold-brown silk the hue of her eyes, was also there, but not Miss Herncastle. He drew a long breath of relief.

'I might have known it,' he muttered. 'My lady is not the one to dine with her nursery governess, company or no company. I shall see very little of her, that's evident, and I'm glad of it. What the devil does the woman mean looking like—like—?'

He did care to speak the name even to himself, but ignore them as we may there are things that will not be forgotten. This was one. Miss Herncastle was not present at the dinner table, but the phantom face of the dead was. In spirit Katherine Dangerfield was at his elbow, and he ate and drank like a man in a gloomy dream.

'You're not looking well, my dear Dangerfield.' my Lord of Ruysland said. You positively are not. You lose flesh, you lose spirits you lose appetite. It is evident that the air of Scarswood does not agree with you. Take my advice and get abroad.'

His lordship was right. The air of Scarswood did not agree, with Sir Peter Dangerfield, and never would.

'Go to Germany and try the mineral waters. Change of scene and tonics are what you want, By all means, Dangerfield, go abroad and try the waters Beastly stuff, I admit but of use—sir, of use.'

He needed waters certainly—the waters of Lethe—had the fabled river existed in Germany. He was almost entirely silent at dinner—silent still 'across the walnuts and the wine, but in the drawing-room, after dinner, he suddenly found his tongue. His wife was practising some new music sent her by Major Frankland, whose one weakness it was to fancy himself a modern Mozart, and bore his friends to death with his own compositions. Lord Ruysland had composed himself for a comfortable slumber in a sleepy, hollow arm-chair, and Lady Cecil, pensive and pale stood gazing out at the luminous starry dusk, listening to the nightingale's song, to the call of the deer in the park, to the soft summer murmer of the trees.

'Lady Cecil, is Miss Herncastle's hair brown or black.'

From her walking dream, a sharp piping voice at her elbow, asking this abrupt question, aroused her. She glanced around, glanced down, for she was the taller of the two, and saw the pinched, yellow face of little Sir Peter.

Now, Lady Cecil, out of the greatness of a generous heart, had an infinite pity for all inferior, all present ed, all long suffering things, and she pitied Sir Peter greatly. His wife treated him with half a quarter the respect and affection she left for Bijou and would have bewailed the death of the dog much the deeper of the two He looked sickly and miserable, he had no friends, no companions, he was, in her eyes, a poor, little, imposed upon, persecuted martyr. Some instinct told him she was his friend, and in his trouble he came to her now. She would not laugh at him now, she would not repeat what he had said, and he must confide in some one or die.

'My dear Sir Peter how you startled me! I was thousands of miles away, I believe, when you spoke. What did you say? Miss Herncastle—what?'

'I asked you if Miss Herncastle had long, light brown hair?'

A curious question surely. Lady Cecil's soft, fawn coluered eyes opened a little.

'For its length I cannot answer. Who can tell who has long or short hair in these days of chignons and false tresses. Of the colour I can speak positively. It is black—jet black.

'Black?'

He gave a great grasp of relief. You are sure Lady Cecil.

'Certain, Sir Peter. And her eye brows and eye lashes are of the same dense darkness.'

'And her eyes, Lady Cecil—are they gray?'

'Still harping on my daughter?' laughed La Reine Blanche. 'Yes Sir Peter, they are gray—very dark—very large—very fine. You appear to take a very extraordinary interest in Ginevra's new governess, certainly. Resembles, doubtless, some one you have known?'

'Resembles, that is not the right word for it. I tell you, Lady Cecil'—'it is the same face, the same—the same. Older, graver, deeper, changed in somethings—but the same. The face of Katherine Dangerfield!'

The name had not passed his lips for years. His eyes had a glitter, his whole face, an excitement, his voice an intensity she had never heard before. She drew back from him a little yet curious and interested too.

'Katherine Dangerfield. Yes. I have heard her story. It was in the papers years ago, and Ginevra told me of her at the time of her marriage. A very sad story, a very sad fate. She lost all, fortune, name, father, and her affianced husband, on her wedding day. And a week after she died. It was the saddest story I ever heard. What a dastard, what a cowardly dastard that man must have been! what became of him, Sir Peter.'

'I don't know, I have never asked, I never cared. I was not to blame, no one has a right to blame me—I only took what was lawfully my own, she had no shadow of right to Scarswood. How could I tell she would die. Other women lose their father their husbands, their fortunes, and live on. How did I know it would kill her? I say again.' His voice rising shrill, and high and angry, 'no one has a right to blame me.

'And no one does blame you, Sir Peter. Why should they? of course you could not foretell she would die. The only one to blame is that wretch who deserted her. She was ready to give up everything for him—to take him, poor and obscure as he was, and love him and give him all, and in the hour of her ruin he deserted her. Oh, it was a shame—a shame! And Ginevra's governess really resembles this poor dead young lady so strongly?'

'It is horrible—I tell you—horrible I thought I saw a ghost when she rose up before me three hours ago. Lady Cecil, do you believe in ghosts.'

He asked the question abruptly, and with perfect gravity Lady Cecil laughed.

'Believe in ghosts! My dear Sir Peter, who does believe in ghosts in the nineteenth century? I fancy the ghosts of Banquo and Hamlet's father are the only ghosts ever seen in England now. Like the fairies, they crossed to Germany centuries ago.'

Have you read Scott's 'Demonology' Lady Cecil, and Mrs. Crowe's Night Side of Nature.'

'And Mrs. Radcliffe's raw-head-and bloody bone romances? Oh, yes, Sir Peter, I have gone through them all.'

'And still you don't believe?'

'And still I don't believe. When I see a ghost bona fide, and in—no, out of the flesh, I shall yield, not sooner. But why do you ask? Surely, Sir Peter, you don't believe in any thing so absurd?'

'Who can vouch for its absurdity? Lady Cecil, yes—I do believe that the spirits of the dead return.'

Lady Cecil looked at him, half laughing, half-dismayed and gave a little feminine shiver.

'Good gracious! how German you grow. This comes of living alone, with blinded eyesight 'poring over miserable book,' as Tennyson says. Now, Sir Peter, I am sceptical. I want proof. But I am open to conviction. Did you ever see a ghost? That is what alchemists call a 'crucial test,' in the dead waste and middle of the night do spirits from the vasty deep come to make darkness hideous.

'You laugh, Lady Cecil,' he said hoarsely. 'In the vulgar superstition no ghost in shroud ever came to my bedside, but there are other ways of being haunted. There are dreams, horrible, awful dreams, that come night after night, the same thing over and over, and from which you start up with the cold sweat on your brow and the damp of death in your hair—visions that come to you in your sleep from the infernal region, I believe, more ghastly than any waking vision. Over and over and ever the same—what do you call that, Lady Cecil?'

'Hot suppers, Sir Peter, and heavy dinners. Any silkful physician will exercise your apparitions.'

'And a few miles from here there is a house Bracken Hollow it is called which no one, not the braviest in the parish, is willing to pass after night-fall. A house in which a murder once was done, where unearthly sights are seen at unearthly hours, and unearthly sounds heard. What do you say to that?'

'That's a very common story indeed Why even at papa's place down in Hant's, Clive Court, popular rumor says there is a ghost. An Earl of Ruysland, who committed suicide two hunpred years ago, stalks about in the twilight, gory and grim. That is the legend, but no living mortal has ever seen him. If he walks, as they say, he takes good care to keep out of sight There are haunted houses in every county in England. No fine old family would not be complete without its family ghost.'

'You don't believe what you say, Lady Cecil, I tell you I have heard the Sounds at Bracken Hollow myself.'

'Indeed!' but still Lady Cecil smiled sceptically, a real, bona fide haunted house! What a charming neighbourhood. Now the one ungratified ambition of my life is to see a disembodied spirit—to hear it, if it is inclined to make a noise. Before I am a week older I shall pay—what was it Bracken Hollow a visit. Bracken Hollow! it is a ghostly and mysterious sound. Has the ghost full possession of the premises, or is Bracken Hollow shared by some less ethereal tenant?'

'An old woman lives there. She was Katherine Dangerfield's nurse—Old Hannah.'

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

THE LATE LORD BEACONSFIELD.

HER MAJESTY'S TRIBUTE TO HIS MEMORY.

The monument which her majesty commissioned Mr. Belt to prepare for the perpetuation of the memory of Lord Beaconfield has just been completed, and erected in Hughenden church. It is placed immediately above the seat habitually occupied by the late prime minister. The spot was selected by her Majesty, and the monument is a touching record of that friendship which can so rarely exist between sovereign and subject. The centre of the memorial is occupied by a profile portrait carved in low relief in statuary marble Beneath this is a table bearing the following dedication, penned by the Queen herself:—

To
the dear and honoured Memory
of Benjamin Earl of Beaconfield,
This memorial is placed by
his greatful and affectionate
Sovereign and friend
Victora R. I.
"Kings love him that
speaketh right."

"DON'T GIVE UP THE SHIP"

Were the memorable words of Commodore Perry. We repeat, "Don't Give up the Ship," poor, despairing invalid, but try Burdock Blood Bitters It cures others, why not you? It renovates, regulates and tones all the organs of secretion, and restores lost vitality.

Oats grown on clay land make the best meal, keep longest and bring the highest price.

HOW TO CURE A COLD.

Upon the first feeling of chill or shivering remain indoors if possible, bathe the feet in tepid water, gradually increasing the heat as long as it can be comfortably borne, drink freely of warm ginger or sage tea, to induce perspiration, and take Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam according to directions on the bottle, Hagyard's Balsam cures coughs, asthma, and bronchitis.

A TRIP TO KANSAS CITY, AND MISSOURI,

BY MR. M. ARMSTRONG, JR, MARKDALE.

CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.

"Westward! Ho!" from the town of Quincey, through a great variety of scenery, the Iron Horse sped on.

Some of the land beyond the Mississippi is rough and hilly, covered with short scrubby timber and bushes. Occasionally a coal mine presented itself. There are tracts of monotonous flat prairie, utilised in summer for herding and pasture land. Good farms are few and far between along this line until the middle of Missouri state is reached, and then it reaches right away to the Missouri river. Here is the parental home of the notorious James Boys, and the mind wanders back to the time of their robberies and depredations.

But Mr. Armstrong and his cargo are rapidly approaching Kansas City. The Missouri is in view and presently they are crossing the mighty torrent, having travelled 240 miles since they left Quincey.

The bridge is high above the river, and is the only link connecting Kansas city with the wide world east of it.

The first thing to be done on arrival at Kansas was, of course, to dispose of the potatoes, and attend to business. This being done, one opinion only can be formed of the place: it is a busy, stirring city.

Returning via the Wabash Ry, and through Illinois, it was noticed that the fall wheat crop was very extensive and looked first-class. A good No. 1 crop is almost certain.

Farmers were at work with the sulky plough, and some were planting potatoes. Spring seemed fairly advanced. A flat prairie of some thousands of acres was hid from view, being covered with water, upon which are millions of wild ducks. Onward through busy towns, the train speeds on to Toledo, and thence to Detroit. Here the Great Western cars shew by their presence that we are near home. Crossing the Detroit river the train makes good time through Canada to Toronto.

Hence, by T.G.& B., Mr Armstrong soon arrives at his home in the thriving village of Markdale, having had a very pleasant and highly satisfactory trip.

HAD SUFFERED MANY PHYSICIANS.

And grew no better but rather worse. Mr. D. H. Howard, of Geneva, N. Y., after dismissing his physicians, tried nearly half a gross of the various blood and liver remedies advertised, with no benefit; when one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him of Paralysis and General Debility. At the advanced age of 60, he says he feels young again, and is overjoyed at his wonderful recovery.

SAVE AND CARE FOR THE PIGS.

For many years past no spring season has found so few swine in the country in proportion to the coming wants. Owing to the scarcity and high price of corn, and the demand for hog products at figures at average years, the last hog grown and half grown, that could be got anything near a fit condition to be slaughtered, has been sent to market. It is reported that a good many breeding sows have gone into the barrels and lard pans. This being the case, with the probability that the markets of this country and elsewhere will be cleared up and nearly bare of pork, bacon, hams, and lard before next winter, makes it important to look after the pigs, to see that not one is lost for want of care and protection until warm settled weather arrives, also to give the young porkers a good start and continuous growth by liberal feeding, also to do all that can be done to multiply the number. The foreign demand for hog products is always large, and 10 lbs. of corn, when converted into 1 lb. of pork or lard, is transported at one tenth cost.—*American Ag. for April.*

CAME BACK.

Lumbago, Kidney complaint, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, and all pain and inflammation are speedily cured with Hagyard's Yellow Oil. Croup, sore throat, colds, burns, scalds, bruises, frost bites, chilblains and all wounds of the flesh are quickly healed by Yellow Oil.

In the Imperial House of Commons yesterday Mr. Gladstone moved an additional annuity of £10,000 for Leopold and a pension of £6,000 per year for the widow in the event of his death. The motion was carried by a vote of 387 to 42. Sir Charles Dilke, Mr. Fawcett and Mr. Trevelyan abstained from voting.

WANTED!
[illegible] MEN TO BUY WATCHES!
AT W. F. DOLL'S.
[illegible] men and women with [illegible] failing eyes to buy Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles, can only be supplied by W. F. Doll, sole agent for Markdale, [illegible] and [illegible].
New Goods in every Line!
including Silver and Electro-Plated Ware, Colored and Bright Gold Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings, &c. &c. Also
VIOLINS, ITALIAN STRINGS, &c.
Some splendid Organs for sale cheap at W. F. Doll's.
Watch Repairing a specialty, all work guaranteed at W. F. Doll's.
W. F. DOLL.
Markdale, Feb. 23, 1882. 67-ly

Facts and Fancies.

"A chiel's amang ye takin' notes,
An' faith he'll print 'em."
BURNS.

The man who lays his finger on a woman,
Save in the way of kindness is a villain
Whom 'twere base flattery to call a coward.

Horse Bills are printed at the office of this paper, better and cheaper than at any office in the district.

Read the item above this over again and don't forget it.

Horseradish is a profitable crop to grow, being bought readily at 5 and 6 cents per lb. by manufacturers of the prepared article.

A Markdale man declares he is not going to Winnipeg. It is intended to prosecute him for forgery the first time he takes an oath.

Never set a hen in a box above the level of the chicken-house, as the eggs dry too fast, and lose some of their vitality.

The Indian population of Canada is 107.722 of whom 35.726 belong Manitoba and the North west.

Now is the time to build and paint your farm gates, so that they will be ready for immediate use when the proper time comes.

The Czar of Russia has become infatuated with a handsome circus equestrienne, so much so that the Empress has become convinced of his infidelity, and begs to be permitted to return home.

MARY—Who had that little lamb
Had Teeth as white as snow;
She always brushed them twice a day
With "TEABERRY" you know.

"Oh, I'm so glad you like birds but tell me what kind you admire most. —"Well, I guess a goose with plenty of stuffing is about as nice a bird as I know."

Of the 9240 lunatics in Ontario since Confedreation, only 148 were teachers, 29 clergymen, 19 lawyers, and 1 editor. The rest were farmers and servants

85 lives have been lost at Memphis by the destruction of a river steamer by fire. The fact that 23 of the victims were ladies, and that only 4 of the crew lost their lives, are significantly ugly.

We have received the following from a subscriber: "I think folks ottent to spend money for payper, dadda dident and he was the intelligentest man any body knowed, and he had the smartest set of boys, sir, as ever dugged up taters.

Thos Kenny was convicted of manslaughter at the Guelph assizes for murder of Mrs. Haigh. Sentence 7 years.

A girl at Pekin was about to be married to a young sweetheart. A man heard of it, and told her mother that if she would wait he would marry her, as his present wife was dying. He was rich, the bargain was struck, and they are married

The square timber is being removed from the Chatsworth station. Mr David Goodwin, of Sydenham, holds the contract for removing timber on the T. G. & B.

Immigrants are rolling into Winnipeg at the average rate of six hundred per day.

There are some men in Markdale,
Who think they're mighty wise,
They KEEP a stock of useful goods,
But will not advertise.

Subscribers can do a great deal to help an editor get up a newsy and spicy sheet by reporting to him when anybody dies, gets married, runs away, steals anything, builds a house, makes a sale, or whips his man—or his wife—breaks his leg, gets the senses kicked out of him by a mule, or does anything that is in any way remarkable, and you have reason to believe that you know as much about the occurence as anybody else, don't wait for some other person to report, or trust us find it out by instinct, but come and tell us about it or send the facts on a postal card, giving your name and address in full. This last will not be printed.

A WARNING TO FARMERS.—There is now offered for sale a wheat called Arnectic, which is neither more nor less than Wild Goose wheat, and which, if grown by the farmers will not sell on the market, and if mixed with other wheat will spoil the sale of the whole lot. Buyers will not touch it—millers won't grind it, and exporters will not look at any sample it may get mixed with. We caution our farming friends, lest they be humbugged in the matter.

TIMELY WARNING.

Now is the season for sudden colds and distressing coughs treat them with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it cures influenza, asthma, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints leading to consumption.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time.

Commencing Thursday [illegible]ember 8, 1881.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.03 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.26 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.5 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.7 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Carlton	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
Emery	7.53 "	4.48 "
Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.25 "	6.22 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
Orangeville June	9.57 "	7.00 "
Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
Crombie's	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.06 "	8.06 "
Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
Arnott	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	10.15 "

Friday, March 31st 1882

THE SIDEWALKS IN MARKDALE.

We command to the attention of the powers that be, the verdict just given at Toronto. The walks of the village are in a bad condition and ought to be seen to. A verdict of five hundred dollars given against Toronto for injuries sustained by a suitor through a defective sidewalk shows the necessity of the greatest care being exercised in regard to the streets. As a rule, the city only goes into court with such actions as its solicitor thinks can be successfully resisted. There are claims made and compromised which attract little attention, but which mean the payment of damages It is impossible to provide against all the accidents that may happen through defective sidewalks, but the prevention of even one may mean five hundred or a thousand dollars.

PRESENTATION,

The members of the Markdale lodge of the A. O. U. W, met on Monday evening last to present an address, together with a beautiful gold pin to Mr R. H. Byers, recorder of the lodge, who left Markdale on Thursday for the go-ahead town Rochester, New York state.

The members spoke in high terms of Mr Byers, he having discharged the responsible and arduous duties of Recorder since the Lodge was organized, with credit to himself and satisfaction to all. The address ran as follows:

To Mr. R. H. Byers.

Dear Sir and Brother,—We, the officers and members of the Markdale Lodge No 141 of the A.O U W. desire to give expression to the feeling of respect entertained for you personally, not only as a member of our beloved order, but as a worthy citizen of our common country.

During the time which you have held the responsible position of Recorder in our Lodge, your services have been cheerfully rendered, the the onerous duties of your office performed with promptitude, and your attendance at the lodge meetings commendably regular.

We regret very much your determination to leave Markdale for a time; but the laudable desire to better your condition amply justifies the step.

In taking leave of you for the present, we assure you, Sir of our best wishes for your future happiness and prosperity.

We ask you to accept this Pin as a slight token of our esteem, and as a memento of the pleasant relations subsisting between yourself and every member of the Lodge.

Signed on behalf of the Lodge,

Wm Brown, M. W.

J. G. Irwin, Recorder.

Markdale, April 3, 1883.

In reply, Mr. Byers said that there were times in a man's life when the heart was too full to give expression to one's feelings, and this was the case with him, especially just after receiving this spontaneous expression of their good will. He felt proud of the honor done him, and should he leave Markdale for good these mementos would be carefully preserved, and this evening looked back upon as one of the brightest in his existence. He hoped that he would not be long from the village, but should it be otherwise, he would remember with pride his connection with this lodge. Saying to them Farewell, he hoped that if not here, they would meet again in the Great Grand Lodge presided over by Grand Master Workman of the Universe.

From England to Markdale

By Mr. THOS. HENEY,

STANDARD OFFICE, MARKDALE. ONT.

"England, with all thy faults, I love thee still. My country."

Late in December, 1881, a family consisting of the writer, his wife, and three children left the shores of "the sea-girt isle," to seek their fortunes in Canada. We set sail in the good ship "Pennsylvania," having secured a side cabin to ourselves near the centre of the vessel. After sundry leave-takings and "good-byes." (God-be-with-ye) which none of us will ever forget, we parted with one dear, true, and trusty friend who came with us up the river, and into our little cabin, the ponderous vessel steamed out of the river and the fog into the Irish Sea. It was near five o'clock in the afternoon and by the time we had "fixed" our things in the cabin, the gong sounded for dinner, and soon the cabin passengers together with the captain and the doctor were pleasantly chatting over our first meal on board ship. We wished each other pleasant journeys, and hoped against hope for a good voyage. The season and the weather was admitted to be all against us. A lady friend of the writer's told him just ere we started that should she "take a mad fit to go to Canada," she would take care that such a trip should come off in the summer. However, we had not taken the mad fit, 'twas this that had taken us, and winter or summer to far away Canada were we bound.

We had been up and at it since four in the morning, and soon after dinner were glad to secure the rest our berths afforded. When, early in the morning we had coffee and biscuit on deck, we were within sight of Ireland. We steamed along its southern coast, and at noon into Queenstown harbour. Here we sent letters ashore, purchased a few Irish newspapers, and then set out on our journey across the herring pond.

We were soon out and upon the bosom of the mighty ocean, and as midnight approached the sleepers were awakened by the rockings and heavings of the vessel. We held on firmly to the sides of the berths, and were thus enabled to prevent the contents of our beds being upshot on to the cabin floor. The children peacefully slumbered, but like ourselves, they were rolling about like three or four potatoes in a wheelbarrow driven by a drunken man. So long, however as we retained the [illegible]ntal we were all right, and could treat the whole matter as a huge joke, but when we assumed the perpendicular, the sensation in the region of the stomach was not a pleasant one. The best of friends, tis said, must; and so with our dinner of yesterday. We parted with our dinners with tears in our eyes, and great sorrow. Our friend the dinner, became food for fish, but we are here. We concluded the best course was to lie down and bear the rocking quietly. In three or four days we recovered, and the writer assayed to smoke: a cigar was a treat, but cigars in the plural reminded one of an evening long ago, when father's old black pipe and some tobacco were smuggled down to the garden arbour. Augh! that pipe!

After 5 days we overtook a steamer bound for New York, from Hull. She was labouring hard against the wind. The captains of the vessel exchanged flag messages, but in a few hours we lost sight of her, and then nothing but a few gulls, which followed us all the way, could be seen upon the weary waste of waters. Still,

"Over the bright blue sea,"

with the wind right in our teeth, we steamed on. The vessel pitched and tossed very much, and sometimes the propeller was lifted several feet out of the water, when it would go round with such velocity that the ship shook from stem to stern.

Christmas Day at length arrived, but as the writer intends to describe this eventful day in a separate paper, it must be passed over here, merely remarking that with the exception of such excitement as could be obtained from the occurrence of—

A Glorious Sunrise at Sea,
A Birth on Shipboard,
A Death on Shipboard,
A Funeral on Shipboard,
A Fire on Shipboard,
A Whale at Home.

the day passed off quietly.

We had selected the most southern track taken by trans-atlantic steamers with the idea of avoiding ice and extreme cold, and we were now steering for Philadelphia. We passed over the great banks of Newfoundland right merrily, for the sea was smoother, and our hearts rejoiced that we had safely crossed the sea.

This side the banks, however, rough weather awaited us, rougher even than before. Sickness laid hold of us with a terrific grip, and American sea gulls were rewarded for coming out to meet us.

The last we saw of England was through a dense fog, and our first view of Yankeedom was obtained through a denser fog. It held us at anchor one day in Delaware harbour. In this fog must our readers remain till next week.

TO BE CONTINUED.

DON'T BE ALARMED.

At Bright's Disease, Diabetes, or disease of the kidneys, liver or urinary organs, as Hop Bitters will certainly and lastingly cure you, and it is the only thing that will.

CHAMPIONSHIP OF THE WORLD HANLON AND BOYD.

The long-looked for race between Hanlan, of Toronto, and Boyd, England for the sculling championship of the world and $5000 took place at Newcastle-on-Tyne on Monday.

Our Canadian oarsman won the victory with ease.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE.

The Oxford and Cambridge University boat race on the Thames, from Putney to Mortlake, was won by Oxford by one length.

There was a good breeze behind the crews, and the water was fairly smooth. Cambridge came out first and took the Middlesex side. Cambridge was first to catch the water, and led by half a length, but were caught and passed in fifty yards Oxford won by fully six lengths.

Oxford finished in good form, and won as they pleased, Cambridge was exhausted and rowed an irregular course.

The Prince of Wales and the Duke of Edinburg witnessed the race.

METHODIST SOCIAL.

A Methodist social with method in it was held at Mrs Foster's, back line east, on Wednesday evening. Several rigs were sent to the village, but not sufficient to convey all those who wished to attend. A very pleasant social evening was spent by the large gathering assembled, and when parting hour arrived, few were ready to disperse, a good round of enjoyment having been indulged in. The proceeds were about $13.

INTERESTING HORSE CASE. THE MEN AND THE ANIMALS IN MARKDALE.

Last Friday an interesting case was before our Magistrate at Markdale. It arose out of the fact that 2 colts strayed from the Township of Arthur, Co. Wellington in the spring of 1879.

The supposed owner, Mr McAuley having heard that two colts answering to his description had come to this district in the same year, and strayed into the premises of Mr John Lyons, who having kept them there during the summer, advertised them for sale in the fall.

The horses were bought in by his son. who kept them unmolested until last fall, when they were sold, one to Mr Love and the other to Mr Wigins. Now Mr McAuley arrives upon the scene, examines the colts, and lays an information before our Magistrate, Mr Brown, that these colts

"Strayed or were Stolen," &c.

The Magistrate issued search warrant and the bodies of the men and the horses were brought up to the village.

There being no case against Love or Wiggins they were discharged. and there being discrepancies in the evidence of complainant and his witnesses, the case was adjourned till Wednesday.

On the opening of the case counsel for defendant objected to the jurisdiction of this court trying the property in the colts. The Magistrate ordered the animals to be delivered up to Love and Wiggins, and McAuley to pay all costs.

Mr Read was for complainant and Mr Masson for defendant.

FLESHERTON.

Mr. R. J. Sproul will be home from Manitoba about the 10th.

Mr. Josiah Gamey's second son is gone to join his brother in the prairie province taking with him two yoke of oxen, farm implements and seed grain.

Mr. John Clinton of Osprey left for Winnipeg on Tuesday, He bought property there before the boom and has made a good speculation.

Mr. P. McMaster has removed to Mr. Armstrongs house.

R. Cummings of Markdale to Mr. Richardsons vacant house.

Mr. Joseph Strain shipped two car loads of potatoes this week.

Mr. J. W. Bates is shipping 4 cars of barch blocks for which he gave prices that paid, so the farmers say.

Mr. R. Whittaker has purchased the Vogan Hotel at the station, It is rumored that he had to smoke the house by stopping the chimney in order to exterminate the vermin as the place has been vacant for some time.

A cough or cold contracted in the month of April if not speedily arrested is liable to stick to one during the whole summer. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops speedily cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pain and oppression of the Chest and all Throat Chest and Lung Affections. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

The following is the common sense treatment for a horse out of condition (in fact all horses require like treatment this time of year) a good Purging Ball following by a course of strong tonic powder. These are both to be had in Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture, as each package contains a throughly good purging ball and over a pound of strong Tonic Powder. Ask your druggist about it. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

GOLDEN INFORMATION!

A While ago, said Mrs. Dr. A. A. Jordan, 51 Lincoln street, Worcester, Mass., one of my friends from the South spoke to me very highly of St. Jacobs Oil. I resolved to try it on my patients, and I must confess that I was surprised at the results. It has never failed to cure all that it claims to, and I prescribe it willingly and confidently to those of my patients who suffer with rheumatism, sprains and all bodily pains. It is certainly a wonderful remedy, and I can highly recommend it.

AUCTION SALE OF Valuable Farm Property

In the Townships of

Proton and Artemesia.

In the COUNTY OF GREY, there will be sold, on Thursday, the 20th day of April, 1882, at One o'clock in the Afternoon, at the Anglo-American Hotel, in the village of DUNDALK, by virtue of Powers of Sale contained in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the Sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Mary Menzies, Lot 17, in the 7th con. of the Township of Proton, County of Grey, containing 100 acres more of less.

The following Improvements are said to be on the premises: About 20 acres cleared

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Duncan Campbell, Lots 10 and 11 in the 10th concession in the Township of Proton, in the county of Grey, containing 200 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—About 50 acres cleared, with a young orchard, and having erected thereon a log house and barn.

PARCEL III.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGuron,—Lot No. 17 in the 19th concession of the Township of Proton, in the county of Grey, containing 121 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—About 20 acres cleared.

PARCEL IV.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon—Lot No. 37, in the 3rd concession, south of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the county of Grey, containing 80 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises, The property is situated about 10 miles from the village of Dundalk and about 3 miles from the village of Flesherton.

TERMS—One tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE

Solicitors.

Masonic Hall, Toronto.

Or to JOSEPH McARDLE, Esq.,

Hopeville.

Toronto, March 25, 1882.

TO FARMERS & BREEDERS.

Having purchased the Short Horn Yearling Bull,

PRINCE ROYAL, No. 225,

Vol. 7, Canada Short Horn Stock Register, got by KELSO, (664, Vol 6) Dam EYELA by BRITISH PRINCE (2799) granddam LADY CHARLOTTE, by GLADSTONE (1481) gr. g. dam Maria by Duke of Arkell (1223).

A limited number of Cows will be taken at $1 50 each for season at his stables Lot 113, north east Toronto Road, Artemesia.

H. D. IRWIN, Owner.

N.B.—All animals charged for and no Insurance guaranteed.

March 25, 1882.

ORGAN PUPILS wanted

Prof. H. L. Thurston,

(Late of Brampton) TEACHER.

Terms, 24 Lessons for $8, to be paid for on every third lesson. Upon certain conditions, satisfaction is guaranteed to pupils or parents of pupils. Lessons given at the homes of pupils.

First-class references as Musical Instructor.

Mr Thurston is also a Dealer in Organs, Pianos, and Sewing Machines.

MARKDALE P.O.

C. A. OWEN,

Tailor,

Over McFARLAND'S,

MARKDALE.

☞ Special attention to Cutting.

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with

C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.

Markdale. March 9th. 1881. 78-tf

FARM TO SELL OR RENT.

LOTS 74 and 75, 1st N. B. T. & S. Road, Holland. 100 acres. 70 of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation; good buildings, and a quantity of fall ploughing done. For particulars apply to

JAMES GILLESPIE,

Berkeley P. O.

WANTED,

5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T. G. & B. Railway, $3 25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For [illegible] and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLECK,

P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.

March 23, 1882.

THE SHELBURNE TRAGEDY. ANOTHER STORY.

ORANGEVILLE. April 4.—It was expected that the boy Smith arrested in connection with the Shelburne murder would have been indicted to-day. It is doubtful what course will be taken, as the Crown will not proceed at present with the case.

The facts of the case are fresh in our readers' minds. Smith was arrested for the murder of his uncle on Jan. 21. Smith says his uncle was shot by someone standing outside the house. The medical evidence proves that the old man's head was knocked in and no trace of a bullet can be found. A merchant says he sold a pistol to a boy like Smith. Now a man named Thompson says he saw Smiths father, go into the old man's house in the afternoon of the murder, and that he was offered $50 either not to mention it, or to swear it Mr Hannah, the merchant who sold the pistol to the boy. Those who know Thompson do not believe him, as the is a drunken fellow. It is probable that the case will be adjourned to enable the Crown to obtain more evidence.

Fall wheat looks strong and healthy in the neighbourhood of Chatsworth

At Chatsworth, a few days ago, a young man named Duncan McArthur whilst jumping on a fractious horse, received a severe fall by being thrown off striking the sidewalk with his breast.

A great many people have left Durham for N. W. T.

LARGE EGG.—Mr. D. McIntyre, father of Mr. A. McIntyre, of Markdale, showed us a hen's egg that weighed $6\frac{1}{4}$ oz., and measured $9\frac{1}{4}$ inches by $7\frac{1}{4}$. We would like to see that beaten Fetch along those big eggs. Easter is near at hand.

ZOPESA

(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Biliousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile; regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large botle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 10 Naussau stree New York. 10

MAKRDALE Meat Market.

A constant supply of

Fresh Meats!

on hand, at the

Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.

FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80 ly

SALESMEN WANTED.

To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the

Fonthill Nurseries,

THE

LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.

BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL, P. Q., and ST. PAUL, MINN.

NURSERIES, FONTHILL, ONT.

We can start in addition to our already large force

100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been, If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.

Apply to

STONE & WELLINGTON,

Nurserymen, Toronto, Ont.

80-106

Rare Chances.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable: also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O.

or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, "Standard" office

72-3t

EUGENIA

Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

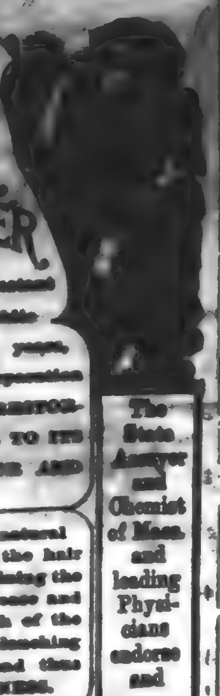
Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

M. AKITT, Eugenia.



HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

[illegible] by the public for over twenty years [illegible] ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

It cures Itching, Eruptions and Dandruff. As a HAIR DRESSING it is very desirable, giving the hair a silken softness which all admire. It keeps the head clean, sweet and healthy.

The State Assayer and Chemist of Mass. and leading Physicians endorse and recommend it as a great triumph in medicine.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS

will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

PREPARED BY

R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.

Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea

has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. It will most surely quicken the blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 20 ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering Humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured, Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

20-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear, and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms.

EDISON MUSIC CO., 929 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 68-6m.

THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

GOOD PHOTOS

To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

☞ All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work.

—AND—

MODERATE PRICES.

Is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

J. L. BROWNE,

Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

NEW DRESS MAKING Establishment.

The undersigned beg to announce to the Ladies of

MARKDALE

and vicinity, that they have commenced

Dress Making,

HILL'S BLOCK, TORONTO ST.,

Where they are prepared to do work in a manner that cannot fail to

GIVE SATISFACTION.

☞ Call respectfully solicited.

MISSES DOHERTY & WELSH.

Markdale, March 16th, 1882. 79-4t

SEEDS

PURE SEEDS

FOR ALL KIND OF

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

GO TO THE

Dundalk Drug Store,

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

C. W. PARSONS

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds always on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers [illegible] the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882.

ABSTRACT STATEMENT

OF THE

Treasurer's Receipts and Expenditure,

FOR THE

TOWNSHIP OF PROTON,

For the Year ending 31st December, 1881.

RECAPITULATION—RECEIPTS 1881.

	To Cash balance from audit, 1880 ...	$184 09
	" from Collector for 1880 ...	3648 67
	" " 1881 ...	2869 09
Feb. 24	" James Jack, interest on $60 at 8 per cent	4 80
Mar. 30	" R. J. Doyle, balance of taxes for 1880,	55 29
April 5	" Chas. Irwin, taxes lot 16, con. 13, ...	14 06
	" Edmund Wragge, taxes lot 19, con. 19	4 09
	" George Negal, taxes lot 16, con. 1 ...	10 91
8	" Rev. Mr. Kerr, taxes lots 234, 234, cons. 2& 3	6 79
15	" James Robinson, taxes lots 23. 24. con. 6, '79.	23 65
	" Patrick Cloghesy, taxes lot 25, con. 11, 1879,	[illegible]
	" John Cooper, taxes E pt lot 35, con. 8, 1879,	25 99
	" John Abbott, Jr., taxes lot 35, con 14, 1879,	9 62
	" Charles Abbott, taxes lot 31, con 14, 1879, ...	9 62
June, 10	" Robt. Scott, taxes s pt lot 22, con. 12, 1879 80	15 07
11	" East Grey License Fund, ...	306 25
14	" Daniel Ferguson, arrear of taxes lot 2, con. 19.	5 70
	" John Vert, statute labor, lot 12, con. 12, con. 7.	3 00
24	" Land Improvement Fund,	216 34
July 25	" John Vert, taxes lot 12, con. 7,	5 21
	" John Abbott, note $45 at 8 per cent School Debenture Sinking Fund,	48 60
Aug. 5	" Int. on Deb. $500 at 6 per cent., S.S. 8, Proton	30 00
16	" John Vert, Jno. McKee's Taxes,	6 00
Sept. 16	" Clergy Reserve Fund	96 46
Dec. 31	By cash to balance	148 90
		$7749 57

RECAPITULATION—EXPENDITURE.

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS.

Road Jobs, Division No. 1	$114 79
" " 2	107 36
" " 3	89 08
" " 4	87 36
" " 5	218 55
Special Grants, Roads and Bridges	801 25
School Section levy, 1880,	220 15
" " 1881.	3598 15
Police Village of Dundalk.	164 73
Municipal Council	191 00
Municipal Officials	370 00
Muncipal Grants to Schools	338 40
Debenture and coupon account	426 90
Debenture Sinking Fund and interest...	540 80
	$7749 57

We, your Auditors appointed to audit the Accounts of the Township of Proton for the year ending the 31st day of December, 1881, have examined the Books and Vouchers of the Treasurer, and found them correct.

We can further certify to the very neat, correct, and business-like manner in which the Books are kept.

THOS. HANBURY, HENRY HOWELLS, Auditors.

Proton, February 28th, 1882.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 7th. 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Ploughing has commenced.

Fine spring weather this week

This paper for 30 cents per quarter

Sugar making is a failure this season.

All the stores in Markdale will be closed to day, GOOD FRIDAY.

If you want to get a new neat and nobby hat go to Reynolds & Sons.

We would like to hear from our [illegible]ville correspondent.

$5 saved by ordering spring suits from McFarland.

For First-Class Job Work, go to the STANDARD Office, Markdale.

Reynolds & Sons, are offering great bargains in Teas.

G. S. Brown & Son, are running the steam saw mill night and day.

Candies, Fish, and Fruit, Nuts and Oranges, at Montgomery's Bakery.

Harry Green has sold his farm of [illegible] acres to Mr. Powers for $1,650

It will pay farmers to keep the ewes and lambs sheltered from the cold in [illegible].

[illegible] Cake.—The finest thing in the market for feeding calves, for sale at Medical Hall.

A house to let opposite the Standard Office. Apply at this office or S. [illegible], Flesherton.

Moffatt Bros., say they make the [illegible] give them a trial and be convinced.

[illegible] & Co., Toronto, are the manufacturers of Lardine, the best lubricator known. Try it.

If you want a nice circular [illegible] the best style of the art, try this office.

[illegible]

[illegible] Boots and Shoes, just received.

[illegible] issues the report that the [illegible] fixed upon for the general election is the 6th of June.

[illegible], Hollands, Ducks, in all [illegible] and at the right price at [illegible] & Rae's.

We acknowledge receipt of $1, from [illegible] Thibaudeau, Rydal Bank, being subscription to STANDARD for 1882.

[illegible] chests of McFarland's TEA [illegible] to Manitoba last week, and one [illegible] to Owen Sound. Enough said.

[illegible] purchase your spring goods [illegible] H. Foster's English importations arrive, which he expects next [illegible].

[illegible] of prunes for $1, 5lbs fine [illegible] tea good flavour $1, sugar [illegible] and apples fresh and clean at [illegible].

[illegible] Bargains 306 pairs prunella boots, womens and Misses, 40cts. [illegible] worth $1, selling fast at Mc[illegible].

[illegible] dress shirts white and colour [illegible] sizes and cheap, see them. Ties, [illegible] all the latest novelties, at But[illegible] Rae's.

[illegible] highest towers in the world [illegible] of the Cologne Cathedral, [illegible] or equivalent to 4,192 of [illegible] Falcon Pens.

[illegible] still they go. Allen McDougall [illegible] maker, Wm. McLeod, Builder and Contractor, and James Ritchie [illegible] Manitoba last week.

[illegible] caps in felt and straw, Butter [illegible] have received their spring stock [illegible] would ask the public to examine [illegible] Price from 10cts to $3.00.

[illegible] Glenelg Assessor J. S. Black, is [illegible] village this week, He is raising the Assessment from 50 to 100 per [illegible] over former years.

[illegible] new time table is expected [illegible] into force the first of May, when [illegible] will run from Owen Sound to [illegible] in an hour less time than at [illegible].

We are pleased to have our old patron Horse Bells call making arrangements for the present season. [illegible] will endeavor to give satisfaction, [illegible] the past.

[illegible] shows are near at hand and farmers and mechanics must have [illegible] and Butter & Rae have [illegible] to keep out water, and wear [illegible] and see them.

[illegible] sure sign of spring, McFarland [illegible] two milliners, Miss Beard, and Miss Rourke, have returned from [illegible] with some lovely things in [illegible] ware, call and see them.

[illegible] day in Markdale, April 20th, [illegible] must see some of our delinquents there. If they are not prompt in [illegible] up, the last warning no mercy [illegible] after to-day. Butter & Rae.

[illegible] tempted with the chance of getting [illegible] for six bushels of oats more [illegible] he had sold, a respectable farmer [illegible] Bruce County, Ontario, blighted [illegible] name by committing forgery

Mr. Geo. Wright is about moving [illegible] Sault St. Marie and will sell by [illegible] auction, a cow and household [illegible] on Saturday the 25th, at one [illegible]. Terms, over $4, six months.

[illegible] tweeds to fit the largest or [illegible] man, by the yard or made to [illegible] as cheap as any importer in [illegible] can furnish, we guarantee [illegible] trimmings. Young men remember [illegible] when you want a suit, Butter & [illegible]

Special attention is drawn to Messrs [illegible] and Co's advertisement on [illegible] They are shewing a great [illegible] of Easter Cards by the best [illegible] and American makers. One [illegible] showcases forms one of the at[illegible] of Markdale. Those who admire artistic work should call and see [illegible].

B. M. Galbraith, Auctioneer, announces this week by posters a credit sale to take place on the 1[illegible] inst., on the premises of Mr. James Shea, lot 21, con. 5, Holland. Farm stock, implements, &c.

Thos. Smith will be in Flesherton next Monday, to do hair cutting, shaving, shampooing and dyeing, &c. he will be glad to get a call from all who need his service. Shop next door to Flesherton Bakery.

The by-law for $7,500 for the improvement of Wiarton Harbour, was passed on the 28th ult., by a majority of 78 to 11, this amount with the Government grant of $35,000 and Railway aid of $7,500 will very materially improve the harbour at Wiarton.

The Meaford *Mirror* says, Glenelg agricultural society's officers are pushing gentleman, and to their energy Markdale will be indebted for as fine fair grounds and place as may be found in any place the size in the Province.

What is Lardine Ask any farmer thrasher or mill man in fact any man who runs machinery and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor Oil and won't gum or clog your Machinery.

A celebrated preacher makes the recommendation of Ayer's Pills a matter of religious duty. When people are bilious and dyspeptic, what they need in the Gospel of Health. In such cases, the best creed to swallow consists of the thirty sugar-coated articles in a pill box.

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better that any other oil in the market, Ask your [illegible] dealer and take no other.

D. J. Shanahan of Union Carriage Works, Markdale, is turning out some very good work, in fact, this is his specialite. He has just recieved an order from an old customer on Manitoulin Island for a Democrat Wagon. In writing of Mr. Shanahan's work, he says: "The rigs which you sent me [illegible] Penetanguishene are far superior to anything else on the Manitoulin."

Our local artist, Mr Browne, is pushing ahead this spring, and is turning out as good pictures as his contreres in the cities. He has just submitted to us a proof-copy of a new photograph of the English Church, Markdale. It is remarkably sharp for an outdoor picture, and it has a beautiful tone and finish. He is taking some splendid photographs in his gallery over the STANDARD OFFICE, Markdale.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose —and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Dundalk.

Thos. Speers is going into the carriage making.

Samuel McDonnell's Revolver accidentaly went off on Monday, the contents entering his hand.

The $2 bonus which was to have been given the employers on the T. G. & B Ry. has not come to hand yet.

Mr. Byrnes is refitting the Dundalk hotel.

Mr. Glazies is having his new premises fitted up and will open a shoe shop shortly.

Mr. Farrell has sold his feed store.

John Gardiner is going into the Hardware business.

Messrs. Nixen and Hanbury are expected from the prairie province on Friday evening.

Spring goods arriving at Nixons.

Hewetson has a fine stock of spring goods on the way from England.

At this season of the year the side walks are more or less put out of place from the winter frosts we hope the police trustees will to them and have them repaired as early as possible.

It would be well for the members of our Township Council when traveling through the Township to keep a sharp look out as to the state of the roads, as it is easier to see at this season of the year the part of the roads that require most attention and repair.

OWEN SOUND ASSIZES.

His Lordship Hon. Justice Burton presided at the Spring Assizes which opened last week.

Clark v Mcmillan.—Action for seduction. Verdict for plaintiff, $900.

Deavitt v Allen.—John Deavitt, of Holland gave B. Allen, Owen Sound note in payment for goods. The maker of the note was out of the country and Allen prosecuted Deavit for obtaining goods under false pretences, but the bill was thrown out. Deavitt now sued Allen for damages for malicious prosecution. The plaintiff was non-suited.

Wright v Gilleland. — Defendant had said in the Divion Court that he could prove the plaintiff guilty of perjury, hence this action for slander. His Lordship dismissed the case on the ground that the words were spoken during the progress of the trial.

Queen v Ellis.—A case of forgery raising out of the altering of a grain ticket, increasing its face value some 6 bushels. Sentence 8 months. Had it not been for largely signed petition in his favour, the sentence would have been 5 years.

Christie v Doyle.—Action to recover the price of a machine for making heads for fruit barrels. Doyle objected to the price, and refused machine. Verdict for plaintiff $250.

[illegible] Injunction to the [illegible] of a concession road [illegible] of Euphrasia. The [illegible] in it, and to straighten [illegible] taken from the plaintiff, who also claimed damages for fence built on line of original road. Judgment for plaintiff, with damages $100.

Queen v Arnold.—Is. Arnold was charged with stealing watch and knife from R. Mulien. There were [illegible] other indictments. The jury after an hour's consultation found a verdict of "Not Guilty."

In the month of April almost every one requires a good and reliable Blood Purifier. We know of none so safe and effectual as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They act directly on all the secretions, their purgative action carrying off all impurities from the system, they invigorate the Liver and Kidneys, purify the Stomach, cleanse the Bowels, and give strength and tone to the whole system. Try a course of this valuable safe and reliable vegetable preparation, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.10	to	$1.12
Wheat, Spring, No. 1	1.15	to	1.18
Barley No. 2	.55	to	.65
Peas No. 1	.68	to	.72
Oats No. 1	.34	to	.36
Butter No. 1	.17	to	.20
Eggs	.[illegible]	to	.12
Potatoes	50	to	.55
Pork	7.50	to	7.75
Hay	7.00	to	10.00

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, April 6th 1882.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.16	to	1.20
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	to	1.16
Barley	0.60	"	0.70
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.65	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.50	"	0.60
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50	"	1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, April 7th. 1882.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.12	to	1.16
Fall do. do. do.	1.12	"	1.15
Barley	0.60	"	0.68
Oats	0.36	"	0.36
Peas	0.60	"	0.70
Potatoes	0.50	"	0.55
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.12½	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 25	to	$1 30
Wheat, spring, do.	1 25	to	1 30
Barley, do.	0 76	to	0 82
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 82
Rye, do.	0 82	to	0 83
Clover Seed do.	4 50	to	4 70
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 25
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, large rolls	23	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy		to	0 25
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	3 00
Potatoes per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Onions, per bag	1 20	to	1 30
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.
A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-1y

THOS. MATHEWS,
HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.
EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY!
IN CONNECTION.

GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail
BUTCHER!
BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.
FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON
Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.
Markdale, Oct. [illegible]

W. BENSON
Has on hand and for sale a first-class and [illegible] stock of
FRESH
GROCERIES!
CONSISTING OF
Teas, Coffees
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,
And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.
IN LIQUORS!
I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.
IN PRICES
I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.
Give me a Call.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale. Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.
As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as
Long Sleighs.
Knee-Bobs.
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.
As we use nothing but first-class material we can
GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
Call and Inspect our Work!
on hand before purchasing elsewhere.
CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO
HORSESHOEING
and General Jobbing in every line.
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's hotel.

WARNING!
There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet If you want to
Guard Against Sickness!
Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your
BOOTS!
—FROM—
KAY & THOMAS.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office.

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GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.
THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.
Before Taking. After Taking.
Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.
THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
Toronto, Ont., Canada 1-1y

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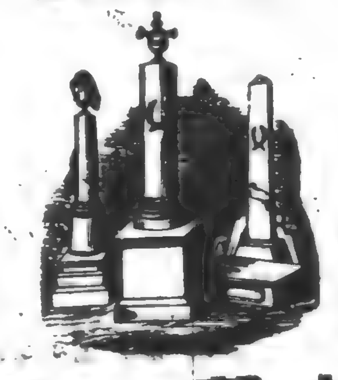

Marble Works
Monumnts, Tombstones!
And every description of Cemetery work executed in
FIRST-CLASS STYLE
and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.
Satisfaction Guaranteed.
Shop next door to Revere Hotel.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.
Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881.

SPRING GOODS
ARRIVING
AT
POST OFFICE STORE,
FLESHERTON.
R. J. SPROULE.
New Advertisement
NEXT WEEK

FARMERS & MECHANICS'
ESTATE, LOAN AND
General Agency.
DUNDALK, Ontario.
Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.
A. G. HUNTER.
OFFICE.—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.
Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1.ly.

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

MARKDALE HOUSE
MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor
THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 19

1,000,000!
Logs Wanted!
THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the
Highest Price in Cash!
for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.
ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.
Bills Filled on Short Notice.
[illegible] Special attention paid to custom sawing.
[illegible] timber wanted.
G. S. BROWN & SON.
Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

Farm for Sale.
Lot west half of east half 12, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to PETER McARTHUR, Markdale Or [illegible], Standard Office.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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An Automatic Reed Organ.
"The Orguinette may now be called a celebrated instrument. In tone it is akin to the Cabinet Organ, but the organ must be manipulated by an artist in order to produce music; the ORGUINETTE is on the other hand entirely mechanical in its action, and at a trifling expense it can be made to furnish an unlimited supply of all kinds of music. —Toronto Globe."
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Prices, $10 to $16. Send for Illustrated Catalogue to W. F. ABBOT & CO.
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Sole Manufacturers and Patentees. MONTREAL.
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THE "LONDON HOUSE,"
DUNDALK.
Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.
This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.
Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, to [illegible] 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.
Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10
The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.
See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.
See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have cabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.
Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.
Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.
BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.
W. S. HEWETSON.
Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

TO THE PUBLIC.
The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores a
Flesherton Station and Eugenia,
are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.
All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.
A M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
A. M'INTYRE
Flour, Flour, Flour.
McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!
McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.
McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.
McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.
And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.
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GREAT DISCOUNT SALE
—AT—
"CHEAPSIDE."
FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS
I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of
Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres,
Shawls, Prints, Winceys,
Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters,
Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing,
Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collars,
Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels,
Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets, &c.
THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT
10 PER CT. DISCOUNT OF FORMER PRICES
and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.
TERMS CASH.
Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,
HENRY FOSTER.

Easter Cards.

We take pleasure in announcing that we have just received a Stock of V. RY BEAUTIFUL

Easter &

Birthday

CARDS.

A. Turner & Co,

THE MEDICAL HALL.

Markdale March 30th. 3in.

BEATING A BEAT.—A man who has the reputation of not paying one hundred cents on the dollar was led into settling an account the other day in a way that turned to be anything but pleasing to him. He got into the books of a butcher $100 and then transferred his custom to a rival. His first weeks bill with butcher number two was $8, and number one called on his friend and explained the situation. How he got the $8 was the question with number two, but he soon decided on a plan which proved entirely successful. Sending his clerk to the customer, he explained that his employer was desirous of closing all weekly accounts and opening monthly ones, as too much time was occupied in making out the weekly bills. The gentleman was of course requested to settle the first account and then run one for a month. With a smile he proceeded to "square up," remarking that he would suit him to a "T." When he called to leave his order next morning he was politely informed that the firm had reconsidered their decision, and had determined to do a strictly cash business in future. He left.

John Munn, Orangeville, implement agent and formerly representing the Joseph Hall Manufacturing company, Oshawa, in Orangeville, was tried today before Squire Anson and Nixon, J. P's., on a charge of forging a promissory note for $110. The note purported to be made by one James McGowan, a wealthy farmer of east Garafraxa, and was given by Munn in April last to T. G. Hawthorn, the general agent of the Joseph Hall Company and was subsequently endorsed to the Ontario Bank, the present holders. The examination of witness was concluded this evening, when Munn was committed for trial, bail being refused.

Wherever they have tried it farmers would be very unwilling to do without the cheese factory and creamery system which takes all the labor of making butter and cheese off the hands of women and children. The returns are as large as from home butter or cheese, too, for the labor required to turn the milk from a couple of dozen of farms is not much greater than was required to do the churning and cheese making on two or three of the farms where each family did it for themselves. In the dairy the creamery and the cheese factory have taken the bulk of the work from the farm family. Even the slopping over pan and pail washing is done at the creamery, and the relief from other work enjoyed by the men gives them time to do all the milking, and even to a great extent the caring of the milk and the churning may now fall to the man's share where dairying is the special business of the farm. And in dairy-work we have the most valuable and effective helps. The deep-pail setting of milk in either spring pools or in various excellent creamers economises space and labor and improves the product. The various improved churns, the application of the horse power or steam to this work; the self-skimmers, which take the milk from the cream, instead of removing the cream from the milk; the improved butter workers by which the weary hand working of the butter is made wholly unnecessary [illegible] ed for market [illegible] a few minutes [illegible] —all these have so changed [illegible] system of butter making in farm dairies that instead of being an absorbing [illegible] the whole [illegible] it now needs no more than the occasional but regular work of one. The use of these appliances, has so enhanced the quality of the product that the market value has been increased, until now the prices are high and remunerative. The effect has been to make dairying a source not only of a comfortable subsistence, but of actual wealth [illegible] Further [illegible] quality of dairy products [illegible] ted consumption that the supply [illegible] not keep pace with the demand, and prices of the choicest butter were never so high as now. All this we owe to the excellence of our dairy machinery.

RHEUMATIC REMEDY.

There is no better cure for Rheumatism than Hagyard's Yellow Oil used according to directions on the bottle. It also cures Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites Bruises, lameness, and all wounds of the flesh. All dealers sell it, price 25 cents.

NEWSPAPER SPONGERS.—There is a certain amount of satisfaction that a publisher realizes when he finds out that some people are so fond of reading his paper that they tramp out regularly to some store or house where they know the paper is subscribed for, and swallow its contents with surprising rapacity. Every publisher knows this is done, and he also knows [illegible] se same newspaper spongers [illegible] the ones who [illegible] the most fault with the paper's contents. To sponge a meal and then growl about its quality is not a bit worse than the action of these penurious critics.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS, DIABETES.

No danger from these diseases if you use Hop Bitters; besides, being the best family medicine ever made. Trust no other.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. Read Proof Below.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,

J. F. ROTH.

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,

CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, P.Q., Wholesale Agents. 71.

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Importing and Breeding

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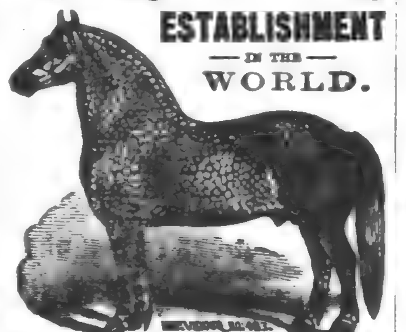

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During the past 17 months 360 STALLIONS AND MARES have been imported from France to this establishment, being MORE than the combined importations of all other importers of Draft Horses from all parts of Europe for any one year.

One-fifth of the entire number of Imported French Horses in America can be seen on his farm. His Importations have included the Prize Winners of the *Universal Exposition, Paris, 1878*, and nearly all the Prize Horses of the Great Shows of France since his importations began. They also carried off the honors at the Centennial, 1876; and, at the *Great Chicago Fair, 1881, Mr. Dunham's Herd of PERCHERONS*, in competition with the *largest and finest collection of Clydesdales ever shown*, consisting of the prize winners at the Great Shows of Scotland and England, was awarded the *Grand Sweepstakes Prize of $1,000 and Grand Gold Medal.*

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BECAUSE thirty years' trial has demonstrated that when bred to the common mares of the country the produce is more uniform, are easier keepers, better workers, and sell for more money on the market than any other class of Horses.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

THE Creditors of William Irwin, late of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, Methodist Minister, deceased, are required to send in their names, residences, and particulars of their claims, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them by letter prepaid, to one of the undersigned Administrators, with Will annexed, on or before the

Fifteenth day of May, A.D., 1882,

And notice is hereby given that after that date, the said Administrators will proceed to distribute the assets of the said William Irwin among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim they shall not then have had notice.

Markdale, March 15th, 1882.

H. D. IRWIN, THOS. IRWIN, Markdale.

S. S. JAMES, Priceville.

To the Public.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I would announce to the inhabitants of Dundalk and surrounding country that I am an authorized agent and am now prepared to sell the best

SEWING MACHINES!

manufactured. They are the world-renowned

New York Singer!

And, moreover, there is no person that ever used one of them will dispute this assertion.

PLEASE CALL AND GIVE THEM A TRIAL.

N.B.—Old machines bought.

JAMES HANNA, Agent.

Dundalk, Dec. 26th, 1881. 18tf

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MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

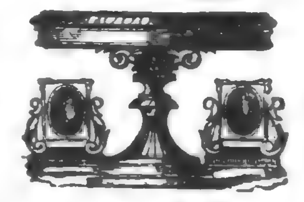
CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881. 6mly

G. GRANT.



Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

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promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 22, 1881. 67-tf

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address, Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

A PERMANENT CURE FOR LAME BACK,

Piles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, or attendant complaints. INDUBITABLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

Picton, April 20, 1881.

Gentlemen,—Kindly send [illegible] Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

DR. J. B. MORDEN.

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular Pad, $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases, $3. Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by

A. TURNER & CO., Markdale.

PARKER & CO., Owen Sound.

J. W. ELLIOTT, Chatsworth.

STEPHENS & McCARROLL, Meaford.

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HENRY PARKER, Durham. 59

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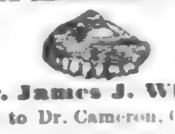

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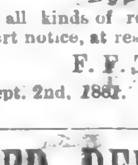

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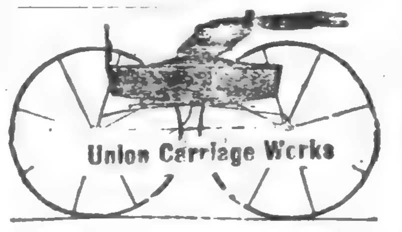

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D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

$2 [illegible]

TO FARMERS & BREEDERS.
Having purchased the Short Horn Yearling Bull
PRINCE ROYAL, No. 225,
Vol. 7, Canada Short Horn Stock Register, got by KELSO, (664, Vol 6) Dam EYELA, by BRITISH PRINCE (3799), grand-dam LADY CHARLOTTE, by GLADSTONE (1481) g. g. dam ... of Arkell (1223)
A limited number of cows will be taken at ... stables Lot 118, ... Toronto Road ...
... Owner.
N.B. ... Insurance ...
March 25, 1882.

WANTED
5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK
... for all such Bark delivered and piled on line of T. G. & B. Railway, ... per cord, measured and paid for ... For particulars and contracts, apply to
D. L. VAN VLOCK,
P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.
March 23, 1882. 80-13

Our Premium
We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of
DR. KENDALL'S
"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."
This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.
Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

W. BENSON
Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of
FRESH
GROCERIES!
CONSISTING OF
Teas Coffees,
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,
And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!
I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES
I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.
Give me a Call.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.
As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as
Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,
and Double-seated Cutter
OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.
As we use nothing but first-class material we can
GUARANTEE SATISFACTION
Call and Inspect our Work!
on hand before purchasing elsewhere.
CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO
HORSESHOEING
and General Jobbing in every line.
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

WARNING!
There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to
Guard Against Sickness!
Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your
BOOTS!
from
KAY & THOMAS.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new Standard Office.

PRINTING
GOOD AND CHEAP.
Standard Office,

The Poet's Corner.

Winnipeg on the Brain.

The Manitoba fever has laid sleeping o'er the land,
And people great and small were smitten ...

... Chorus.
... that we'll get no chance to sleep;
Provisions will be so scarce we'll get nought
but ...
They tell me if I get there I'll never come back
...
But what do I care if I get there, for I've
Winnipeg on the brain.
Chorus.
So don't you try to stop me, for I'm bound
for Winnipeg,
I would go if I had to hop on a crutch
and a wooden leg.
But when the fever's past I'll come to my
wits again,
For its nothing more than a simple case of—
Winnipeg on the brain.

Markdale, April, 1882. W. M. CLARK.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.
CHAPTER IV. (Continued.)

'Then I shall pay Old Hannah a visit, and investigate. I shall positively, Sir Peter. Excuse me, Guevra is calling—I suppose she wants me to help her with that tiresome sonata.'

She walked away, leaving Sir Peter gloomily by the window alone.

'I have heard of monomaniacs—sane on all things save one—mad on that,' she thought. 'I believe Sir Peter is a monomaniac on the subject of ghosts.'

Perhaps Lady Cecil was right. He hadn't even told her all his madness. How evening after evening, rain or shine summer or winter, through sleet or storm, a 'spirit in his feet' led him whether or no to Katherine Dangerfield's grave. He had no wish to go, but he went—he could not stay away. It had grown such a habit that it seemed to him now if he did not pay that twilight visit she would assuredly visit him before morning dawned. He made his daily pilgrimage to this Mecca, and the people of the town had grown tired talking and wondering over it. 'He took everything from her when she was alive, they said, 'and now that she's dead he plays the hypocrite, and visits her grave every evening. I wonder he isn't afraid she'll rise up and confront him.'

Perhaps he was—it had been the mania of his life. Surely Katherine had kept her vow. He was, if there ever was in this world, a haunted man—sane enough on all other things—on this, much thinking had made him mad.

He retired early that night—he was less alone shut up by himself than in the drawing-room with his wife and her relatives. All night long candles burned in his bedroom, and one of the men servants slept in an open closet adjourning. Never without light and never alone.

He had grown sleepless, too—and it was generally the small hours before slumber came to him. He arose late next day, breakfasted by himself, and did not join the family until luncheon time.

Miss Herncastle was not at that meal either—it seemed she was to take all hers with the children in the nursery. He had his wife's hauteur and intolerance to thank for something at least.

He returned to his study, spent three hours impaling his beetles and cock chafers; then arose, and put on his hat and turned to leave the house and met Pansy.

'Papa Peter,' she said, 'do you know who's come?'

'No.'

'Sir Arthur Tregenna. Such a—oh, oh such a big man, with yellow whiskers and a solemn face—as solemn as Miss Herncastle's. We don't like Miss Herncastle—Pearl and me—she won't play with us, and can't dress dolls. We like Aunt Cecil—we do. She was playing "Hunt the Squirrel" with us, when Sir Arthur came up in the fly from the station. He's in the drawing-room now with mamma and Uncle Raoul, and is going to stay ever so long. I wish he had stayed away. Aunt Cecil won't play "Hunt the Squirrel" now any more. She blushed when he caught her. I hate great big men.'

'Ah! yes—at nine—you'll probably change your opinion at nineteen,' muttered 'papa Peter' cynically, passing out.

Except as they swelled the dismal bill of household expenses, my lady's visitors were a very little concern to my lady's husband. He went on his way now, his hat pulled over his eyes, his small stooping figure bent, his spectacles fixed on the ground—moody, solitary, unhappy—to pay this daily visit to that lonesome grave.

The last ... [illegible] ... met any one at this hour: the towns people were eating their tea. Yonder was the house wherein she had died—yonder her grave, with its grey cross

KATHERINE,
AGED 17.
RESURGAM.

He knew it so well—he had been here so often. Would he go on coming here, he wondered wearily, as long as he lived.

He paused. What was that? He was near the grave and standing looking down upon it, her back turned to him, he saw a woman. A woman! His heart gave one great bound then seemed to turn cold and still. He went on softly over the grass, impelled by the same irresistible fascination that drew him here. His feet struck a dry twig; it snapped, and the woman turned and looked around. There, over Katherine Dangerfield's grave, looking at him with Katherine Dangerfield's eyes, stood Miss Herncastle, the governess!

TO BE CONTINUED.

ALL FOOL'S DAY.

The 1st of April is a day that would be more honoured in the breach than in the observance. At Markdale, it received due attention. The most interesting case of fooling in Markdale took place about eleven o'clock in the morning. The saw-mill whistle, which rules the working hours of some scores of workers in the village, and at that hour the sounded the usual comforting, unmusical dining note, and the bulk of them were fooled. Some of them went home, but at that hour found no dinner awaiting them. The others found the morning a very long one.

MARRIED FOLKS WOULD BE HAPPIER.

If home trials were never told to neighbors.

If household expenses were proportioned to receipts.

If they tried to be as agreeable as in courtship days.

If each would try and be a support and a comfort to the other.

If there were fewer "my dears" in public and more common manners in private.

If their were fewer silk and velvet street costumes, and more cleanliness and order at home.

If women placed less confidence in imaginary friends when they cannot have everything their own way at home.

HAD SUFFERED MANY PHYSICIANS.

And grew no better but rather worse. Mr. D. H. Howard, of Geneva, N. Y., after dismissing his physicians, tried nearly half a gross of the various blood and liver remedies advertised, with no benefit; when one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him of Paralysis and General Debility. At the advanced age of 60, he says he feels young again, and is overjoyed at his wonderful recovery.

A HORRID DISCOVERY.

WATER RATS FOUND IN A WELL FEASTING ON THE BODY OF AN INFANT.

Greene Pa., a startling discovery was made at Greene, Pa., the other day. Diphtheria and malaria have for the last few months prevailed with fatal effect. The vicinity has always been considered one of the healthiest. Every effort was made to trace the cause, it had been noticed that the water in the Applebee well had recently acquired a brackish taste, and farmer Applebee decided to investigate. He decended until he reached he surface of the water, and then probed down with a pole to the end of which were affixed the prongs of a pitch fork The disturbance of the water caused a commotion that startled the investigator, and almost caused him to lose his hold and drop in the water Up came a number of water rats, scrambling up the side and darted into the nooks and crannies of the brick work When he recovered from his fright the farmer plunged his spear down again and felt the prongs enter a soft substance. He hauled it up, and was horrified to find the body of a young babe, its nose, eyes, ears, hands and feet being eaten off by the rats, and its entire body bearing marks of the teeth that had been tearing at it. Mr. Applebee ascended to the surface with his horrid discovery, and the coroner empanelled jury to investigate the cause. It was ascertained that the child had breathed, and from the decomposition it was conjectured to have been in the well several months. The jury returned an open verdict, and the facts have been presented to the authorities for further investigation.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS, DIABETES.

No danger from these diseases if you use Hop Bitters; besides, being the best family medicine ever made. Trust no other.

The T. G. & B. Raily company intend putting on a fast train between Teeswater and Toronto. To run the trip in two hours.

There is a great and daily increasing crush of immigrants at Winnipeg, churches and public halls have to be utilized as immigrant sheds. The city authorities are said to be doing all they can to meet the emergency.

CAME BACK.

Lumbago, Kidney complaint, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, and all pain and inflammation are speedily cured with Hagyard's Yellow Oil. Cough, sore throat, colds, burns, scalds, bruises, frost bites, chilblains and all wounds of the flesh are quickly healed by Yellow Oil.

HOLLAND CENTRE.

TOWNSHIP MEETING.

The Council met at Vogan's Hall, on March 28.

The Reeve occupied the chair, and all the members were present.

Moved by Mr Norton, seconded by Mr Shute that the clerk give necessary notices for selling road 2, con 21, near Walters Falls.

Moved by Mr Norton, seconded by deputy reeve, that the clerk notify the trustees S.S. 6 that the petition of U. S.S. 2 will be discussed at the next meeting.

John Atkinson presented petition to open sideroad between lots 12 & 13 con 10, 12.

Moved by deputy reeve seconded by Mr Norton that a deputation. Norton and Shute, investigate the matter of the above petition.

Mr. Smith made application for relief for John Geary whose house and effects are destroyed by fire. Council advised him to bring a petition from his neighbours.

The Reeve to have 3 months leave of absence, he being about to visit the North-west.

Moved by Mr Shute, seconded by deputy reeve that the auditors report and last years minutes be printed in pamphlet form.

Moved by Mr Norton seconded by deputy reeve that an order be issued for R. Shute for $9.89 money overpaid by him.

Money orders were issued to the amount of $60.64.

The Council adjourned till May 26, when the Pathmasters, &c., will be appointed.

RHEUMATIC REMEDY.

There is no better cure for Rheumatism than Hagyard's Yellow Oil used according to directions on the bottle. It also cures Burns, Scalds, Frost Bites, Bruises, lameness, and all wounds of the flesh. All dealers sell it, price 25 cents.

AN UNFORTUNATE FAMILY FROM CHATSWORTH ON THE WAY TO MAMITOBA.

On Tuesday a family named Carson left Chatsworth via T. G. & B. for the land of promise. Whatever the result of their migration to Manitoba may be the commencement of their journey was attended with very unfortunate circumstances. Their destination was High Bluffs, Manitoba, and they were not going to add a great amount to the wealth of that settlement.

Samuel Carson, the nominal head of the family is a cripple and helpless, he had to be carried on the shoulders of his son. The wife was general financier to the family, and carried the bag containing the cash in her dress pocket. This purse contained $80, a way-bill for 18 pieces of baggage sent on by frieght train, 3 2nd-class tickets and in another purse were 5 baggage checks. Owing to the difficulty of moving the elder Carson, the family managed to miss the 12.15 train noon and had to remain at Toronto until midnight. It is probabl that Mrs Carson, whilst in the waiting-room, w observed by some unscrupulous individual to use the purses, and took advantage of the knowledg given him to take the purses out her pocket as they crowded into the midnight train.

When, however the Carsons family thought they had got over their difficulties, and were comfortably seated in the cars, Mrs Carson discovered her loss. The train was about to start, and she notified Detective Spence of the theft. Ticketless and moneyless, they had to get out of the cars, and remain the rest of the night in Toronto, bemoaning their loss.

At length morning arrived, when the purses were found on the track, minus the cash and the way-bill.

The loss to the poor family is about $150. Kind and charitable people enabled the family to proceed at eight o'clock the next morning. It is hoped that such ill fortune will not follow them further.

At Elgin Assizes Mr. M. McCullum recovered $900 from Dr. Wm. Black. McCullum dislocated his shoulder and was attended by Dr Black for some weeks, who failed to discover the dislocation. Other medical assistance was called in, but too late, and the loss of the use of his arm has been valued at $900.

One day last week Mr. Jas. Dunlop, who lives on the 11th line, Euphrasia, while attending to the wants of his donkey, was severely kicked by the brute. After a great deal of hard work he got himself dragged into the house, where he resides alone. Here he remained all night suffering great pain. As a last resource he rang a cow-bell, which he fortunately had in his house. This attracted the attention of some children who were passing, and they gave the alarm in the neighborhood. Dr. McLennan was dispatched for, under whose care it is anticipated Mr. Dunlop will soon recover.—*Monitor.*

500 MEN TO BUY WATCHES AT W. F. DOLL'S.

500 men and women with weak and failing eyes to buy Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles, can only be supplied by W. F. Doll, sole agent for Markdale, Flesherton and Dundalk.

New Goods in every Line!
Including Silver and Electro-Plated Ware, Colored and Bright Gold Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings, &c. &c. Also
VIOLINS, ITALIAN STRINGS, &c.

Some splendid Organs for sale cheap at W. F. Doll's.

Watch Repairing a specialty, all work guaranteed at W. F. Doll's.

W. F. DOLL.
Markdale, Feb. 23, 1882. 67-ly

Facts and Fancies.

Cornelius Vanderbilt has committed suicide.

Quite a colony have left Chesley for Manitoba.

1000 farmers are expected to arrive at Halifax tomorrow.

The experience of many families in Winnipeg is a bitter one.

$200 per square foot! has been paid for a lot at Portage la Prairie.

The blizzard in the N. W. has had the effect of suspending traffic.

Horse Bills are neatly and cheaply printed at the STANDARD Office, Markdale.

The East Grey Teachers' Convention will be held at Meaford, May 25 and 26.

800 English farmers and a lot of girls are on their way to the land of promise.

The craze in Manitoba lots still continues, but signs of an early collapse are apparent.

A placard circulated in St. Petersburg declares that the Czar is condemned to death.

Friend W.—Please accept thanks for the 5½ doz. eggs; a very acceptable Easter present.

Passengers from Brandon to Winnipeg were snowed up and without food for three days.

The train from Ontario due in Winnipeg on Wednesday, did not arrive till Sunday morning.

Out in the cold at Winnipeg calls forth many vain wishes for the home sacrificed in Ontario.

There are 97 unopened sacks mail matter in Winnipeg post offices, and great confusion prevails.

Last Saturday 500 English farmers landed at Halifax, bringing with them some half a million dollars.

Toronto labourers of both sexes are on strike just now in considerable numbers, the demand being in all cases for higher wages.

The Thornbury Standard says that Messrs Lewis and Donaldson shipped 32 oxen to Winnipeg last week, at an average price of $125 each.

Major Rogers, Assistant Chief Engineer Can. Pac. Ry. is surveying between Calgary and Kamloops in the Rocky Mountain district.

The young sons of the Prince of Wales, whose travels ought to make them enlightened, spent the Passover at Jerusalem, and witnessed the whole ceremony.

A druggist's lad at Walkerton made up a prescription for Mrs Moore, and used the wrong drug. She died in an hour, and an enquiry has been instituted.

The crews of the Maltese and Portuguese vessels in London docks perpetuated the Good Friday custom of thrashing Judas Iscariot in effigy from the yard-arm, then scourged, spat on him, kicked into a fire, and threw him overboard.

A celebrated breeder, who holds first rank in the art of fattening sheep has divulged this secret: "My secret is only a question of fare. Induce the animals to eat abundantly of a large, choice variety of well-prepared food, that's all the secret."

We are all creatures of habit. If a child is rocked to sleep the first few weeks of its life, it will have to be rocked for several years. If it is allowed to go to sleep by itself at first, it will always go to sleep without any trouble or care from the mother ever after.

It pays to advertise. Yesterday an advertisement in a Toronto paper offered $10 to the finder of $20, tied in an old handkerchief. In an hour the advertisement had done its work, and the money was returned. The reward was declined. Moral, advertise your wants.

A deputation has waited on the Hon. Oliver Mowat asking him to take some measures to protect the public against the land-swindlers who have been forging deeds and selling other people's land. The Attorney-General promised to consider the matter without delay.

Mrs Graham, Alma, is the oldest inhabitant of Prince Edward Island. She was born at Cove 105 years ago; has been twice married, and raised two families. She spins, knits, and reads without spectacles. Mrs Graham remembers when all work was done by hand, no horses being employed and no implements used except axe and hoe.

Some men say they have no faith in advertising—the paper is never read, you know. But let these men be found kissing a neighbour's wife, or trying to hold up the side of a building, then don't they rush around to the office, and beg the printers to keep quiet. It is just sweet revenge then to say—the paper isn't read, you know.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Station		
Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3 30 p.m.
Rockford	5 40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
[illegible]sworth	5.5[illegible] a.m.	4.10 p.m.
[illegible]iott	6.02 a.m.	4 18 p.m.
[illegible]amsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
[illegible]	6.31 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
[illegible]dale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
[illegible] & Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5 40 p.m.
[illegible]	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8 02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
[illegible]ie's	8. 5 a.m.	6 38 p.m.
[illegible]	8.2 a.m.	6 50 p.m.
[illegible]ngeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
[illegible]VILLE.		
[illegible]	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
[illegible]	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
[illegible]ton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
[illegible]	9 15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
[illegible]	9 45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
[illegible]	10.00 a.m.	8.3[illegible] p.m.
[illegible]inburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
[illegible]bridge	10 25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
[illegible]mber Summit	10 32 a.m.	9.[illegible]7 p.m.
[illegible]nery	10 [illegible]7 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10 5[illegible] a.m.	9 25 p.m.
Carlton	10 57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
[illegible]onto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Station		
[illegible]to......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4 10 p.m.
[illegible]ton	7.25 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
[illegible]mery	7.53 "	4.48 "
Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
[illegible]bridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
[illegible]nburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
[illegible]ton	8.31 "	5.26 "
[illegible] Road	8.43 "	5 40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.25 "	6.22 "
[illegible]VILLE—		
[illegible]ve	9.37 "	6 35 "
[illegible]art	9.45 "	6.50 "
[illegible]ngeville June	9.57 "	7.00 "
Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
[illegible]mbie's	10.19 "	7 21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8 06 "
Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
[illegible]herton & P'ville	11.36 "	8 37 "
[illegible]dale	11.55 "	8.55 "
[illegible]	12.10 p.m.	9 10 "
Williamsford	12 21 "	9.21 "
[illegible]iott	12.33 "	9 33 "
[illegible]sworth	12.40 "	9.41 "
[illegible]ckford	12.53 "	9 53 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	10 15 "

[illegible]day, April 14th 1882

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

[illegible] would very pointedly call the [illegible]tion of the Trustees, Teachers, [illegible] Parents to the disgraceful state of [illegible] in which some departments of [illegible] schools are reported to be.

[illegible] children complain of the stench of [illegible] room occupied by the 2nd depart[illegible]ment. If this be true it should imme[illegible]diately be seen to. If not remedied [illegible] may expect to be visited ere long [illegible] another scourge of sickness. The [illegible]th of scores of our little ones is [illegible] endangered, and we sound the note of [illegible]rm. Why do the Trustees not en[illegible] a competent caretaker, and have [illegible] sweeping and cleaning done regu[illegible]ly and properly. If they neglect or [illegible]se to do so, the master should be [illegible]far master of his business as to [illegible]w what course to take.

[illegible]et those who are to blame, at once [illegible] that this disgraceful state of affairs [illegible] allowed to continue, as such cer[illegible]ly cannot be tolerated by the rate[illegible]ers, who send their little ones to [illegible] six hours of the day in closely [illegible] confined school.

OWEN SOUND HARBOUR.

[illegible]he Harbour at Owen Sound pre[illegible]s a busy appearance this spring, [illegible] being a numbers of vessels lying [illegible] the harbour waiting to go into the [illegible]lock. The principal attraction, [illegible] is the magnificent propeller, [illegible]," lately purchased by Mr [illegible] to fill the place of the [illegible] Winnipeg" burned last season. The [illegible] Campana" has been in the dry dock [illegible] the winter undergoing many im[illegible]ments. She, being an iron ves[illegible] it was thought better to plate the [illegible]tom, (with wood,) which by the way [illegible] the bottom of two vessels join[illegible] together, and each has a propelling [illegible]w, thus giving her double power [illegible] other vessels now on our fresh [illegible]ers.

[illegible] is really a sight worth seeing to [illegible] through the boat as the various [illegible] improvements are going on; the smith [illegible] his forge, the tinsmiths, carpenters [illegible]ters and others as thick as clerks [illegible] a government house; while [illegible]eers are busily engaged fixing [illegible] cleaning their engines, which in [illegible]selves are worth examining.

[illegible]he upper cabin is undergoing tho[illegible]ugh repair, and state rooms are [illegible]ng built the whole length of the [illegible] deck.

[illegible] will be ready for sailing about [illegible] weeks, under the command of [illegible], Anderson, formerly of the Beath [illegible], and acknowledged to be one of [illegible] best seamen on fresh waters.

[illegible]he favourite steamer "Francis [illegible]th" sails next week. There is [illegible] doubt who will have command, [illegible] Robertson, who has commanded [illegible] so many years, having "Win[illegible] on the brain," and is there[illegible]ging up "filthy lucre." She has [illegible] thoroughly refitted, and looks as [illegible] as new. We hope she may be [illegible] successful in this as in former [illegible]ars.

The "City of Owen Sound" is also [illegible] the fore, and looking like a new [illegible]t, and is under the command of Cp. McNabb, who has proved himself an [illegible]ble trustworthy seaman.

Among other crafts worthy of men[illegible]tion are two very fine 3-mast schoon[illegible]ers "Lady MacDonald," and "Fellow [illegible]aft," belonging to Jas. Sutherland, [illegible] Owen Sound.

The "Arabia," and "A.E.Foster," [illegible] also getting painted up. There [illegible] also several tugs beside the dredge [illegible] in the harbour.

The popular little steamer "Wiar[illegible]n Belle," is in the harbour, not yet [illegible]ving started on her usual trips to [illegible]iarton and Pato on the south of the [illegible]anitoulin.

There is evidently a busy season in store for those engaged in running boats, and Owen Sound having the advantage of the best harbour on the Lakes, and the finest dry dock in Canada may justly expect to have her share.

The enterprising Dry Dock Co have in course of construction a fine tug and propeller. The dry dock has already been a great boon to Owen Sounders, and while under the able management of the present company may always expect to be a great benefit not only to the town, but to all vessel owners on the great northern lakes.

POETRY AND LOVE.

A breach promise case was tried at St. Thomas the other day, in which the injured female got verdict of $650 against the false suitor. There is no regular scale by which the precise damage done to a young Lady's heart on an occasion like this can be decided. The verdict is largely a matter of guess work on the part of the jury. But it seems clear that in cases in which the false suitor has gone largely into poetry the damages are always assessed at a higher figure, the injury to the bruised heart being presumably greater when it is bombarded with poetry than when it is attacked with plain prose.

MARKDALE CHURCH ORNAMENTATION.

During the morning service at the English Church on Easter Sunday the Rev. J. Ward referred to certain rumours respecting the ornamentation of the Church, and especially to the cross on the communion teble. He had heard, he said, in a circuitous manner of objections to this ornament and expressed a wish that those who had anything to say on the subject would kindly open their minds to him. He pointed out that the rubric of the church sanctioned its use; to him personally and to some of the members of his congregation it was an emblem of so much good. Did it not remind them that they had each to take up the cross daily? Did it not remind them of the sufferings of One for them all? But objectors urged, he said, that the Roman Catholics abused it. Well, so with many of the ceremonies of the church, notably the Lord's Supper. What was more abominably abused than that? and yet should they on that account discard this sacrament? God forbid. Still if there was any real objections to it, he would put his own feelings beneath his feet rather than offend, or cause to stumble one of the least of God's children. He had come among them to spend the best part of his life in leading them to heaven, and God forbid that he should be the one to annoy or cause dissension. Let them speak to him, or in any way express their objections and the cause should be removed.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, Monday, April 3.

Present—Messrs. Christoe, Elliott, Webster, and Fidlar.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

Communications from the Toronto City Solicitor and the Reeve of Owen Sound were presented and read.

A petition from Donald McKenzie et al. presented, read and laid on the table till next session.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid. Thos. Irwin $7 50 for holding poll ward 2. W. J. Bellamy salary, $37 50.

By-law 30 was amended as fellows, Wm Davis to be pathmaster in lieu of J. G. Purvis. M. McDougald in lieu of Thos Ferguson. M. Sullivan in lieu of Jas Ryan. R. Graham in lieu of D. Campbell. D Graham in lieu of John Weber. The By-law was then read a third time and passed.

By-law 341 to detach lot 24, con 9, S.S. 11, and place it in S.S. 13, was introduced, read the necessary number of times and passed.

D. McLean was refunded $2 being for statute labour performed.

Council adjourned till the 1st Monday in May.

PROTON COUNCIL.

The council met at the Cedarville Hotel, Tuesday, April 4.

Present, P M. Gregor, reeve, John Agnew, dep-reeve, R. Black and Geo. Johnson.

Several communications having been read the following accounts were ordered to be paid:

J. Gardiner, tin box for the assessor $1 50.

C. W. Rutledge, for printing $23 70

The clerk was instructed to write to the Co. Treasurer and ascertain the amount of taxes against lot 1, con. 16

The petitions of M. Glenny and 35 others, Denis Cosgrove and 12 others, Jas Menzies and 46 others, praying for grants for repairing roads, be laid over until the June meeting.

By-law 244 appointing pound-keepers, was read a third time, signed and passed.

The following by-laws were read a third time and passed,

245, appointing fence-viewers and valuators.

246, appointing pathmasters.

247, repealing by-law 208.

248, appointing the clerk.

249, repealing by-law 210.

250. appointing township treasurer.

The Council adjourned to meet at John A. Scarlett's, Hopeville, on the third Tuesday of May as a Court of Revision.

VESTRY MEETING. CHRIST CHURCH, MARKDALE.

The Vestry Meeting was held in the basement of the church on the evening of Easter Monday. It was called for 7·30, but like most other Markdale meetings an hour elapsed before business commenced. There were present the Rev. J. Ward, Messrs B. Coleman Thos. Elliott, Jas Elliott, J. W. Ford, Wm Douglass, A. Turner, A. Elliott, J. Cæsar, R. Watson, &c.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

A vote of thanks was passed to the L. A. S., for contributing so much during the past year towards reducing the debt on the church.

A vote of thanks was also passed to Miss Ford and the choir.

The financial matters were next brought forward and discussed.

The reports and balance sheet were presented and accepted.

Election of office bearers.—The Rev. J. Ward re-elected Mr. B. Coleman as his warden.

Mr Thos Elliott was re elected people's warden.

Messrs Sol Hill and Wm Douglass were appointed sidesmen.

Mr Biggar was elected Secretary-Treasurer.

Messrs Wm Lucas and J. Cæsar to be auditors.

Mr Turner was appointed delegate to attend Synod.

The Rev. J. Ward then spoke at some length on the question of church decoration, to the same effect as on Sunday morning—reported in another column. He warmly defended the ornamentation of the church walls, and the use of the cross.

Prayers closed the meeting.

BIG ANGUS' EXPERIENCE.

HOW A GLENGARRY MAN WAS CAUGHT IN WINNIPEG.

Angus Macdonald was a farmer from Charletteburg, County of Glengarry, who arrived here a couple of days ago. Angus in his own estimation, and in the estimation of his friends was a shrewed man. He was hardly in the place before an old acquaintance of his ran up to him, slapped on the back in a friendly way, and said:

"I'm glad you've come up. I was just going to send for you." After their greetings were over he continued, "By the way, Angus, you own a farm out near Minnedosa?"

"Yes."

"How much will you take for it?"

"I don't know," said Angus." I thought of settling on it mysel."

"Well. I'll tell you what I'll do: I,ll give you $6000 for it.

Angus thought before leaving Glengarry that if he got $2000 for it he would be doing well, but he was now in the land of booms and so he asked for $6500.

"Well, here's $50 on the bargain and we'll sign papers to-morrow."

And the purchaser went off.

Before two hours had passed Angus ran against an other former acquain-

"Glad to see you. Angus; glad you come up. There's a splendid chance for you. By the way, I see you registered as owning a farm near Minnedosa. How much do you want for that farm?"

"I've just sold it,' said Angus.

"How much did he give you?"

'$6500.'

'The dickens you did. Why I'll give you $15,000 for it. You go to the purchaser and get him to release and I'll give you the $15,000.'

Angus wished that he was back in St. Raphaels or anywhere else in that he had made such a fool of himself. However, all he could do was to try and get the farm back. So who does he run across within fifteen minutes but purchaser No. 1.

Says Angus: 'I'm sorry I sold you my farm. I'd like to get it back. Here's your fifty dollars and we'll be where we were.'

'Oh I can't do that. I bought the farm and will have the papers ready to-morrow.'

After further higgling Angus offered him $500 to break the bargain.

With great reluctance the first purchaser took the $500—100 new $5 bills of the bank of Montreal—and gave back to Angus the temporary agreement of sale.

Angus was happy again and set out to find buyer No. 2.

He found him not. No. 1 and No. 2 were pal confidence men, Angus was the sucker from Ontario, and $450 was the net amount they stung him for.

A Public Meeting should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

In the month of April almost every one requires a good and reliable Blood Purifier. We know of none so safe and effectual as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They act directly on all the secretions, their purgative action carrying off all impurities from the system, they invigorate the Liver and Kidneys, purify the Stomach, cleanse the Bowels, and give strength and tone to the whole system. Try a course of this valuable safe and reliable vegetable preparation, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

MARRIED.

At Chatsworth, by the Rev. J. Cameron, on the 30th ult., Mr. Peter McCormick, to Miss Isabella, daughter of A. H. Mitchell, Esq. both of the Township of Sullivan.

At the residence of the Brides father, on the 12th inst., by Rev. N. A. Mcdiarmid assisted by Rev. Chas. Dish, Rev. Joseph Edge of Chesley to Miss Lizzie, only Daughter of Hugh Tayler, Esq of Owen Sound.

Married at the residence of W. A. Stephens, Esq., Owen Sound. Elder Stirling of Meaford, Mr. Thomas E. McGirr of Flesherton, to Miss Laura Crispen of Owen Sound.

BIRTHS.

Boyce—In Glenelg, on the 2nd. inst. the wife of R. H. Boyce of a daughter.

DIED.

Damude—In Flesherton, on Tuesday, March 28th, Freddie Damude, only son of Mr. S. Damude, Tanner, aged 5 years.

Sproule—In Toronto, on the 2nd inst., Robert Sproul Esq. Father of Mr. Thos. Sproule of the Revere House Markdale, Aged 66 years.

Rowe—In Holland, on the 1st inst., wife of Peter Rowe.

ZOPESA
(FROM BRAZIL.)

The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

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Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large botile for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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In the COUNTY OF GREY, there will be sold, on Thursday, the 20th day of April, 1882, at One o'clock in the Afternoon, at the Anglo-American Hotel, in the village of DUNDALK, by virtue of Powers of Sale containe in certain Mortgages which will be produced at the Sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.

Under Mortgage from Mary Menzies, Lot 17, in the 7th con. of the Township of Proton, County of Grey, containing 100 acres more of less.

The following Improvements are said to be on the premises: About 20 acres cleared

PARCEL II.

Under Mortgage from Duncan Campbell, Lots 10 and 11 in the 10th concession in the Township of Proton, in the county of Grey, containing 200 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—About 50 acres cleared, with a young orchard, and having erected thereon a log house and barn

PARCEL III.

Under Mortgage from Hugh McGuron,—Lot No. 17 in the 19th concession of the Township of Proton, in the county of Grey, containing 121 acres, more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises:—About 20 acres cleared.

PARCEL IV.

Under Mortgage from Robert Gordon—Lot No. 87, in the 3rd concession, south of the Durham Road, of the Township of Artemesia, in the county of Grey, containing 80 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises, The property is situated about 10 miles from the village of Dundalk and about 3 miles from the village of Flesherton.

TERMS—One tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to
JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE
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Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

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Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80 ly

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Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

69ly. M AKITT, Eugenia.

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THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.

Markdale, March 9th, 1881. 78-tf

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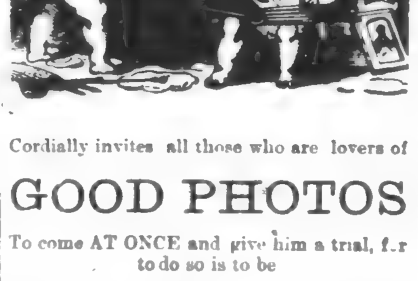

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Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

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[illegible] April 14th, 18[illegible]

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Barley	" 2	.55	...
Peas	" 1	.66	...
Oats	" 1	.34 to	.36
Butter	" 1	.17 to	.20
Eggs		... to	.12
Potatoes		...50 to	55
Pork		7.50 to	7.75
Hay		7.00 to	10.00

We are pleased to notice the increased interest taken in this paper and more especially by some who opposed it first issue.

We know a merchant in town who has a barrel of the best syrup that we have ever seen. But only a few knows it, why; because he don't advertise in this paper.

The monthly Fair on last Tuesday was fairly attended there was quite a brisk demand amongst the buyers every animal that was brought to the fair was sold, prices were good and all seemed to be well satisfied.

J. J. Middleton has sold his fine Brick residence to Mr. Charles Palmer of Thornbury for the handsome sum of $1800. Mr. Palmer will soon be in our village, and will be made welcome by his many old acquaintances.

The building of a new flower mill is spoken of, we believe there is not a better opening for a mill on the line of the T. G. & B. Ry. than that now offered by Dundalk their being a large section of country without any oposition.

A general drainage petition is going the rounds of the electors for signature which will be presented at the next sitting of the council requesting that school section no 1 be drained. We hope that it will be seen that it is an advantage to have drainage it is just what this section requires.

It may not be generally known that money is on the rise the banks and several institutions have lately raised their rates of interest and a higher rate is still anticipated farmers and others who want money would do well to call at the office of A. G. Hunter, at an early date, and secure their money at a low rate of interest upon the most favorable terms.

J. J. Middleton Esq. Ex. Reeve of Proton will have a very extensive credit auction sale on Saturday the 22nd inst commencing at 12 o'clock, noon at his residence Dundalk, when a large quantity of farm stock, Implements Pine and Hemlock Lumber two and four foot wood will be sold without reserve together with 1,000 acres of land and 25 village lots terms of sale for farm stock &c. sums over $5 7 months credit on good paper.

Messrs Nelson and Hanburry have arrived home from the North West they both speak in jubilant terms of the far west. both will return in course of some two weeks when they will bid fare well to Ontario Messrs Hanbury and Nelson have entered into a large and profitable speculation, in the City of Brandon, having purchased and surveyed into village lots a large tract of land, being an extension of Brandon proper, we wish them Success.

Some people will grumble, you know. A short time ago a stranger paid our town a visit and made arrangements to purchase a place suitable for his business, In the course of a week the stranger returned when several parties wanted to sell, but none suited, and in retaliation stated that property and business had gone down to nothing within the last few days, and the place would never be much. This man should be labeled for the North-West.

The collector Mr. Skimmings Bell has lately returned his roll and has reduced the defaulters roll to a little over $100. It used to be $1100, Bell is a great success and for years past he has not distrained an animal. Our new comers find themselves in possession of $1600, after satisfying evers claim this means low taxes for 1882 the lowest taxes in the county for 1881 no debts and the fullest treasurery in 1882 certainly gives proton a Vantage we trust that our council will expend freely on road improvements.

Honor Roll for S. S. No. 2 Prtoon for March. Senior 3rd,—Mary Johnson, Catherine Johnson, Catherine Acheson. Junior 3rd Bertha Johnson Hodgins, Samuel Roseborough. Junior 2nd. Abraham Shearson, Andrew Colgan, Maggie Vatton.

C. Graham.
Teacher.

Honor Roll for S. S. 6. Melancthon for March marks obtainable 200 Senior third, Hattie Richardson, 140; Junior Third, Annie Taylor, 155; Senior Second, James Corbett, 158; Junior Second, Maggie Corbett, 185; Minnie Martin 152; Senior First, Kussel Taylor 164; John Richardson, 158.

Lucinda Graham.
Teacher.

"I say, mister," asked a dirty-looking chap, "will that dog bite?" "Guess not," replied Fogg. "He won't bite you; or, at least, I wouldn't if I were a dog."

On Monday last a large train loaded with immigrants left Winnipeg for the far away west. In spite of every effort made by those in charge of the train, she could not get as far as Rosser, where she stuck fast. The pitiable state of the passengers can be better imagined than described. Application was made to Winnipeg for relief, eighty dozen loaves of bread were sent out by specil train with snow ploughs and other auxiliaries for relief. Men were offered $2.50 and their board, about 130 men went out this morning.

[The editor does not hold himself] distinctly understand ... ourselves responsible for ... expressed by our correspondents

RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor.

Sir,—I am not certain that I understand the full import of your reply to my query. Do you mean that those who joined the Methodist Church as a result of the revival, were also baptized as a result of the revival? If so, the result is the same now as 1800 years ago, and I rejoice to learn that it was. But knowing that the Methodist Church accepts infant baptism as sufficient, it struck me that you meant that those persons had been baptized before they believed. If so, the Scripture revival and the Markdale revival do not correspond. The Bible, so far as I am acquainted, gives no account of any being baptized unless they first professed faith in the Lord Jesus Christ.

CONSTANT READER.

(As a public journalist, we simply reported from week to week the number of those who desired to flee from the wrath to come. We do not profess to be theologians, but took it for granted that everybody knew the way in which the Methodist church received members, baptizing those who had not been baptized previously, and receiving others on a profession of faith. The Methodists acknowledge the validity of infant baptism, which, they claim, was not questioned till 1100 years after Christ. We are not anxious to open a discussion on this subject, but if our correspondent will communicate with the pastor of the Methodist church here, he may answer for himself and his church on the subject of the revival.)

THE NEW KIMBERLEY ROAD.

To the Editor

Sir,—I fear it is not much use writing any more in answer to Ratepayer, as he admits he never traveled over the new route, consequently he is not in a position to do anything like justice to the subject. He is wide of the mark when he asserts that no one ever traveled over it. Numbers have, and all pronounce it the best they have yet seen.

He wants an instance when a council have closed a highway. That portion of 12 con. between lots 22 and 25 both inclusive was closed, and that deviation via Campbell's to Vandeleur adopted in lieu of it. I thought he would have known this as he in a former letter talked so glibly about that deviation.

This benighted Ratepayer can have still further proof of the power of a municipality by referring to Harrisons Municipal Manual, page 535.

I would like Ratepayer to post himself before he again rushes into print, and not make an exhibition of his ignorance as he has done this time,

RESIDENT OF CUCKOO VALLEY

CHATSWORTH.

On Saturday while Mr. Frank mat thews, of con. 2, Holland, was riding into the village on horseback, his horse bolted, and he was thrown on the ground, breaking his collar bone. Dr McGregor attended, and the patient is now doing well.

On Wednesday night of last week whilst Mr, John Mc Kibbon, of Con, 5, Sydenam, was absent from home, his house took fire and was burned to the ground, with its contents. Some $ 240 in money are also said to have been burned. The fire occured between 8 and 9 o'clock, and is supposed to have been caused by the sharp lightning of that evening

While Mr Thos. Stevens, grain buyer in Chatsworth, was cleaning his revolver in his room in Campell's hotel, a few days ago, the weapon accidentally went off, the bullet fortunately taking effect in the wall

A cough or cold contracted in the month of April if not speedily arrested is liable to stick to one during the whole summer. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops speedily cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pain and oppression of the Chest and all Throat Chest and Lung Affections. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

The following is the common sense treatment for a horse out of condition (in fact all horses require like treatment this time of year) a good Purging Ball following by a course of strong tonic powder. These are both to be had in Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture, as each package contains a throughly good purging ball and over a pound of strong Tonic Powder. Ask your druggist about it A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

TIMELY WARNING.

Now is the season for sudden colds and distressing coughs, treat them with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it cures influenza, asthma, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints leading to consumption.

WANTED A YOUNG MAN TO LEARN BRICKLAYING, STONECUTTING, and PLASTERING, to commence work immediately. Apply to
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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

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CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.
EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.
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GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail
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BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.
FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON
Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.
Markdale, Oct. 28th, 1881

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Marble Works
Monunmts, Tombstones!
And every description of Cemetery work executed in
FIRST-CLASS STYLE!
and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.
Satisfaction Guaranteed.
Shop next door to Revere Hotel.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.
Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

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GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.
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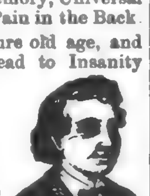
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Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.
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REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING
Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!
Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
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ARRIVING
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DUNDALK, - - Ontario.
Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.
A. G. HUNTER.
OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.
Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881. 45-6m.

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MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor
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Logs Wanted!
THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the
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for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.
ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.
Bills Filled on Short Notice.
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P. S.—None but good timber wanted.
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Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

Farm for Sale.
Lot west half of east half 13, concession 6, Euphrasia, containing 50 acres. About six acres cleared; balance hardwood; soil clay loam. Will be sold cheap; $500 cash; balance to suit purchaser. For particulars apply to
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HORSESHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

NEW DRESS MAKING
Establishment.
The undersigned beg to announce to the Ladies of
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and vicinity, that they have commenced
Dress Making,
HILL'S BLOCK, TORONTO ST.,
Where they are prepared to do work in a manner that cannot fail to
GIVE SATISFACTION.
Call respectfully solicited.
MISSES DOHERTY & WELSH.
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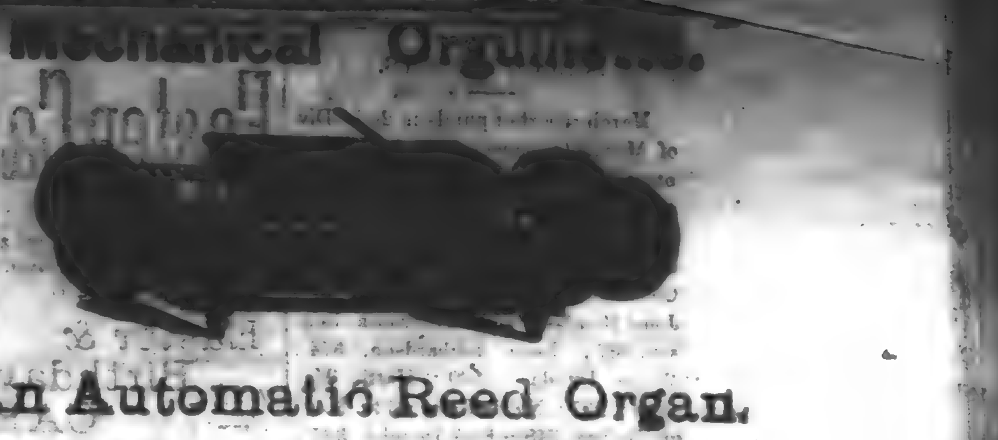
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Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.
This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.
Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, ... to 35c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.
Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10
The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.
See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.56 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.
See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have excelled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.
Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 3 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be re paid for their trouble by getting bargains in eve department.
Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 60c.
BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.
W. S. HEWETSON.
Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

TO THE PUBLIC.
The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at Flesherton Station and Eugenia, are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.
All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, Dec. 23, 1881.

GROCERIES.
A. M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
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Flour, Flour, Flour.
McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS! | McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars. | McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
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And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store. always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.
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GREAT DISCOUNT SALE
—AT—
"CHEAPSIDE."
FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS
I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of
Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres,
Shawls, Prints, Winceys,
Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters,
Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing,
Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties Linen Collars,
Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels,
Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets, &c.
THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT
10 PER CT. DISCOUNT ON FORMER PRICES
and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.
TERMS CASH.
Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,
HENRY FOSTER.

REPORTS.

... report of pupils in 2nd Div. Markdale School, ... marks obtainable 3000.—Pythagoras Thompson, 598; Joe Galbraith, 585; Robinson Wilson, 584; Eddie Stephens, 478; Mary Irving, 450; Sam Coleman, 430; Fred McDiarmid, 427; John Dundas, ...; Henrietta Benson, 387; Lena Richardson, 374; Willie Dundas, 360; Hattie Magrave, 357; Nettie Kay, 352; Maggie McNea, 348; Dick Douglas, 335; Frank Richardson, 326; Georgina Drew, 311; Willie Bailey, 289; Wesley Rutledge, 264; Isabella Ireton, 261; Tom Arnold, 252; Minnie McLaughry 232; Wesley Littlejohn 227; Minnie Cornwall, 214; Sarah Irving, 185; B. Class marks obtainable 500. Willie McFarland, 351; Mable Mathews, 288; Minnie Watson, 283; Mnnie McNea, 281; Herbert Hall, 276; Susan McBride, 274; Frank Bryden, 268; Fanny Williams, 267; Tom Nesbit, 258; Ben Coleman, 255; Harry Large, 238; Mary Mercer, 207; Tom Mercer, 197; Peter Thibaudeau, 174; Mary Nesbitt, 171; Bella Benson, 161; ... Hewit, 134; Jessie Noble, 122; Herbert Hull, 112; Martha Noble, 97; Jane McBride, 88; Alf Whitby, 76; Minnie Whitby, 67; Class C. Marks obtainable 325.—Egerton Irving, 248; Willie Mathews, 241; Maud Mabee, 240; Lottie Munshaw, 236; Willie Pollock, 225; George Armstrong, 212; Mary Stevens, 208; Ada Reynolds, 171; Jennie Rae, 164; Minnie Lucas, 155; Lizzie Pollock, 125; Edgar Rutledge, 119; Dolphy Morgan, 109; Violet Ford, 101; Ella Wilson, 98; Joseph Armstrong, 91; Willie Leslie, 67; George Leslie, 59; Henry Smyth, 32; Samuel Hamilton, 26;

MINNIE THIBAUDEAU,
Teacher.

HOW TO CURE A COLD.

Upon the first feeling of chill or shivering remain indoors if possible, bathe the feet in tepid water, gradually increasing the heat as long as it can be comfortably borne, drink freely of warm ginger or sage tea, to induce perspiration, and take Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam according to directions on the bottle. Hagyard's Balsam cures coughs, asthma, and bronchitis.

Honor Roll. S. S. No. 2. Artemesia March 1882.—4th Class Sen. Max. No. of Marks 348.—Herbert Henry, 275; Oscar Wright, 218; Samuel Thompson, 158;—4th Class Jun. Alfred Hall, 281; Bella Cunningham, 261; Bella McNicoll, 250:—3rd Class Sen. Max. No. of Marks, 312; Euphemia Burnett, 238; Prudence Flesher, 189; Blake Anderson, 187; 3rd Jun. John Beatty, 265; Wesley McNicoll, 247; Clara Hill, 245.

The Quarterly Examination of S. S. No 5 Melancthon. Taught by Mr. D. Mcauley, was held on Friday 31st ult considering the bad condition of the roads a very large number was present to witness the days proceedings after several classes had been examined intermission was proclaimed during which the ladies furnished us with an excellent report, business being again resumed some sure competitions for special prizes took place the doners Messrs C. McDonnell, Deputy Reeve Melancthon, G. W. Parsons Dundalk and Jas. Nethercut a resident of the section, another feature worthy of notice was a spelling match between the males and females which resulted in favor of the latter. The pupils showed themselves to be well up in all branches and the facility and accuracy with which the answers were given reflect great credit on them and their teacher. After the examination had been concluded the pupils turnished us with an Entertainment which would ... a piece of more ... The ... tribution of prizes ... which the crowd disappeared ... well pleased with the days proceedings.

"DON'T GIVE UP THE SHIP"

Were the memorable words of Commodore Perry. We repeat, "Don't Give up the Ship," poor, despairing invalid, but try Burdock Blood Bitters It cures others, why not you? It renovates, regulates and tones all the organs of secretion, and restore lost Vitality.

A BRAVE GIRL.

Kate Shelley, to whom the Iowa Legislature has just given a gold medal and $200, is only fifteen years old. She lives near Des Moines, a point where a railroad crosses a gorge at a great height. One night there was a furious storm, and the bridge was carried away. The first time the Shelleys knew of it was when they saw the head light of a locomotive dash down into the chasm. Kate crawled to the remnant of the bridge with great difficulty, using an improvised lantern, and the engineer's voice answered her call, but she could not do anything for him, and he was drowned. Then she remembered that an express train was almost due, and she started for the nearest station, a mile distant. A long, high bridge over the Des Moines river had to be crossed on the ties. Kate's light was blown out, and the wind was so violent that she could not stand, so she crawled across the bridge, on her hands and knees. She got to the station bedraggled and exhausted, but in time to give the warning, though she fainted immediately.

DON'T BE ALARMED.

At Bright's Disease, Diabetes, or disease of the kidneys, or urinary organs, as Hop Bitters will certainly and lastingly cure you, and it is the only thing that will.

Easter Cards.

... announcing ... received a Stock of VERY ...

Easter & Birthday CARDS.

A. Turner & Co,
THE MEDICAL HALL.

Markdale March 30th. 3in.

KENDALL's SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A
PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th, 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.
ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,
CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ring bones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR B J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.
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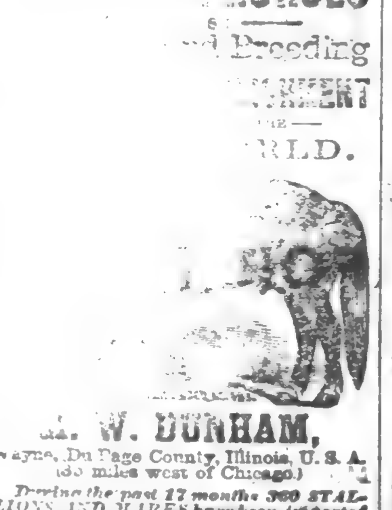

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Markdale, Nov. 1881 68-ly

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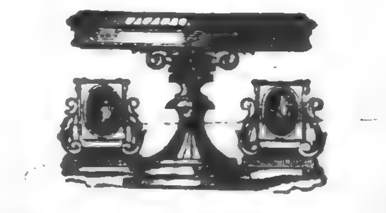

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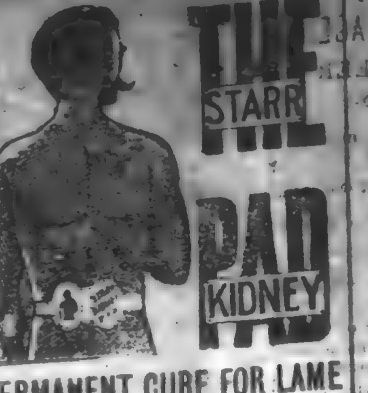

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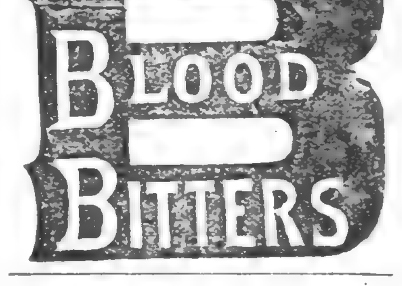

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Has always on hand a full assortment of

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

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Have just opened out their Spring Stock of

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At Prices never before offered in Markdale.

A Great Variety of PRINTS OF THE VERY LATEST PATTERNS.

A large stock of Boots & Shoes, manufactured by King & Co. Don't fail to see them.

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AT LOWEST PRICES.

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Cash for Grain. 5,000 Bushels Potatoes ...

GEORGE NIXON

DUNDALK, Sept. 9, 1881.

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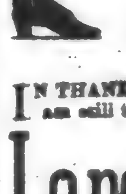

BOOT AND SHOE

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IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to ... am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

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which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot Store.

THOS. HANBURY

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1m

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ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

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... customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

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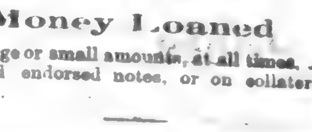

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The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB SLEIGHS, Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

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Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1 ly

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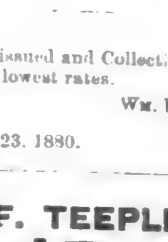

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Orders call... for meat delivered to any part of the town.

Shop on Main Street.

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W. T. RUNDLE,

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D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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Having purchased the Short Horn Yearling Bull, PRINCE ROYAL, No. 225, Vol 7, Canada Short Horn Stock ... (664, Vol 6) ... PRINCE (2793) granddam LADY CHARLOTTE, by GLADSTONE (1481) gr. g. dam Mara by Duke of Arkell (1229).

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March 25, 1882.

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IN LIQUORS! I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, ... 1st, 1881. 5

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As we use nothing but first-class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

Call and Inspect our Work! on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO HORSESHOEING and General Jobbing in every line.

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The Poet's Corner

My Mother's Advice, DUTY FIRST.

I was once a little boy,
And was very fond of pie;
But sometimes I used to throw aside the crust;
Once my mother in reproof,
Took a knife and cut it off,
Saying,—Always eat your pie-crust first.

Though a laugh it may provoke,
There's a lesson in the joke,
And it took effect upon me from the first,
And you'll find this always true—
Life with calmer eyes you'll view—
If you always eat the pie-crust first.

This my mother's good advice,
Has been oft beyond a price—
When life's troubles have appeared at the worst;
When from duty I would flee,
Right across my path I'd see,
This warning—Eat your pie-crust first.

When I've felt inclined to shirk
That all-important duty—work,
And to yield to pleasure's all-absorbing thirst;
Then my mother's voice I hear,
Falling softly on my ear—
Saying—Always eat your pie-crust first.

We may look upon this life,
As a scene of daily strife;
And we each may think our own share the worst;
But 'twill lighten every load,
As we pass along the road,
If we always eat the pie-crust first.

There are hazards to be run,
There are duties to be done—
Which are lighter if encountered at the first;
Then with nothing to annoy,
We our pleasure may enjoy,
Having wisely ate our pie-crust first.

Markdale, April, 1882. W. M. CLARK.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER V.

'ONCE MORE THE GATE BEHIND ME FALLS.'

For one moment he thought the dead had arisen, for one moment—he stood speechless and spell-bound; for one brief, horrible moment he thought he saw Katherin Dangerfield looking at him across her own grave! She made no attempt to speak, but stood with her icy gaze fixed upon him—her pale, changeless, marble face. He was the first to brake the silence.

'Miss Herncastle!' he gasped—'you!'

Her eyes left him and he moved. While they were rivited upon him he stood as one under a spell.

'I, Sir Peter!'—the low, soft, sweet tones lingered like music on the ear—' and I fear I have startled you again; but I never dreamed of seeing you here.'

'Nor I you. What brings you, a stranger, to this place of all places, Miss Herncastle, so soon after your arrival?'

He asked the question angrily and suspiciously. Surely there was something ominous and sinister in this woman, who looked enough like the dead girl to have been her twin sister, and who visited her grave so speedily.

Miss Herncastle drew her mantle about her tall, slim figure, and turned to go.

'I came out for a walk, Sir Peter. I have been in the school room all day, and I am not used to such close confinement. I asked my lady's permission to take a walk, and she gave it. I am a rapid walker, and I soon found myself here, the town behind. It looked so peaceful, so calm, so inviting, that I entered. This lonely grave attracted me, and I was reading the inscription as you came up. If I had known it could have mattered in any way—that I would have disturbed any one by coming—I should not have come.'

She bent her head respectfully, and moved away. Dressed all in black, moving with a peculiarly swift, noiseless, gliding step, she looked not unlike a phantom herself flittering among the graves. And in what an emotionless, level monotone she had spoken [illegible] as a child repeats a lesson learned by rote.

He stood and looked after her, darkly, distrustfully. It seemed plausible enough; but that hidden instinct that comes to us to warn us of danger told him something was wrong.

'Who is she?' he repeated—'who is she? Enough like Katherine to be her twin sister. Who is she?' He stopped suddenly. 'Enough like Katherine to be her twin sister!' And why not?—why not Katherine's sister? Who was there to say Katherine never had a sister? He knew nothing of her or her family, save what Mrs. Vavasor chose to tell. Katherine might have a dozen sisters for what he or she ever knew.' A gleam came into his eyes; he set his teeth with some of his old bull-dog resolution. 'Katherine is dead and buried—nothing can alter that; and this young woman, this Miss Herncastle, is more like her than it is possible for any but sisters to be. I'll find out who Miss Herncastle is, and all about her, and what she's here for, before [illegible].'

'Queenie,' Lady Dangerfield said, tossing her cousin a rose-coloured, rose-sealed, rose-scented note, 'read there.'

Lady Cecil caught it. The note was written in big dashing chirography, and this is what is said:

'ST. JAMES STREET, July 2nd.

'DEAREST LADY DANGERFIELD,—A million thanks for your gracious remembrance—a million more for your charming invitation. I will be with you on the afternoon of the 4th. From what I hear of it Scarswood Park must be a terrestial paradise, but would not any place be that where you were?

'Devotedly,

'JASPER ALGERNON FRANKLAND.'

Lady Cecil's brown eyes flashed. The fulsome, florid style of compliment, the familiarity—the easy insolence of the writer—grated like some discordant noise on her nerves. She looked up reproachfully.

'Oh, Ginevra!'

'And, oh, Queenie!' with a short laugh, but not looking round from the stand of guelder-roses over which she was bending. 'You see we will not be moped to death down here, after all. And we shall have two gentlemen more than we counted on for our lawn party this afternoon. I wonder what sort of a croquet player Sir Arthur is, by the bye.'

'Ginevra, I wish you hadn't asked Major Frankland down here. I detest that man. Sir Peter is jealous. The odious familiar way he addressed you too, and his horrid, coarse, commonplace compliments. Any place must be a paradise where you are! Bah! Why dosen't he try to be original at least?'

'Lady Cecil Clive is pleased to be fastidious,' retorted Lady Dangerfield, tearing a guelder-rose to pieces. 'Who is original now-a-days? To be original means to be eccentric—to be eccentric is the worst possible style, only allowable in poets and lunatics. Major Frankland being neither, only —'

'A well-dressed idiot—'

'Only an everyday gentleman—answers my note of invitation in every day style. You ought to thank me, Queenie. Who is to entertain Sir Arthur and to take him off your hands when you tire of him? Even baronets with thirty thousand a year may pall sometimes on the frivolous mind of a young lady of two-and-twenty. Your father will do his best—and 'Uncle Raoul's best, when he tries to be entertaining, means a good deal; but stile Major Frankland will be a great auxiliary. Queenie, I wonder why you dislike him so much.'

'I dislike all mere club-loungers, all well-dressed tailors' blocks, without one idea in their heads, or one honest, manly feeling in their hearts. Jasper Frankland knows Sir Peter hates him. If he were a right feeling man would he come at all, knowing it?'

'Certainly, when I invite him. And again Sir Peter! I wish Sir Peter was at—Queenie, you have had an excellent bringing-up under the care of that wicked, worldly old dowager, Lady ruth, but in some things you are as stupid as any red-cheeked, butter-making dairy-maid. Talking of ideas, and feeling, and Sir Peter's jealousy—such nonsense! I married Sir Peter Dangerfield—and, without exception, I believe he is the most intensely stupid and disageeable little wretch the wide earth holds—when I did him the honour of marrying him, I did it to secure for myself a pleasant home, all the comforts and luxuries of life—and I class the society of pleasant men like Jasper Frankland, chief among those luxuries. He is the best figure, the best style, the best bow, the best walzer, the best second in a duel, and the best scandal monger from here to the "sweet shady side of Pall Mall." If sir Peter doesn't like friends I ask, then I would recommend Sir Peter to keep out of their sight, and make himself happy in the society of his impaled bugs, and dried butterflies, and stuffed toads. Congenial companionship, I should say—birds of a feather, etc. By the way, what was that long discourse you and he had last evening about? Natural philosophy?'

'No, ghosts.' answered Lady Cecil, gravely. 'He believes in ghosts. So did the great Dr. Johnson, was it? He isn't quite positive yet that Miss Herncastle is not the disambodied spirit of that poor girl that died here. And he says there is a place three miles off—Bracken Hollow, I believe—haunted to a dead certainty. Now I am going to see that house the very first opportunity. Sir Peter gravely affirms that he has heard the sights and seen the sounds no—I don't mean that—the other way—*vice versa*.'

'My opinion is,' said Sir Peter's wife, 'that Sir Peter is in a very bad way, and that we shall be taking out a decree of lunacy against him one of these days. Sir Peter may not absolutely be mad, but in the elegantly allegorical language of the day, his head's not level.'

What is that about Sir Peter?' inquired the earl sauntering up. 'Mad is he, Ginevra? 'Pon my life I always hought so since he committed his crowning folly of marrying you. Pray, what has he done lately?'

'Nothing more than the Right Honourable the earl of Ruysland has done before him—talked of seeing ghosts. He takes Miss Herncastle, the governess, for a ghost. So did you. Now 'Uncle Raoul, whose ghost did you take her for?'

She shot her words back spitefully enough. The earl's little satirical jests were apt to be biting sometimes. She looked at him as she asked the question, but my lord's countenance never changed. Like Talleyrand, if you had kicked him from behind his face would not show it.

'Does she bear an unearthly resemblance to some lovely being, loved and lost half a century ago, my lord? You remember she gave you quite a start the day of her arrival.'

'I remember,' said the earl placidly, 'but she did not disturb me very greatly. She has a vague sort of resemblance to a lady dead and gone, but not sufficient to send me into hysterics. Queenie, I'm going to the station—you know who comes to-day?'

'Yes papa,' demurely.

'If you are going into Castleford, my lord,' said ginevra, 'I have two or three commissions I wish you would execute. Queenie, where are you going?—it will not detain me an instant.'

'I am going to the nursery. Lessons are over by this time, and Pearl says no one can make dolls' dresses with the skill I can.'

She left the room. Lady Dangerfield looked at her, then at her uncle, with a malicious smile.

'If you really want Cecil to marry Sir Arthur Tregenna, all your finesse, and your diplomacy will be required. I foresee thirty thousand trembling in the balance. She is inclined to rebel—talks about being sold and the rest of it. As I said to herself, in spite of her admirable bringing up, her ideas on some subjects are in a deplorably crude and primitive state.'

'She shall marry Sir Arthur,' the earl responded serenely; 'it is written—it is destiny. Her ideas have nothing whatever to do with it; and if there be any point of worldly hardness and polish which lady Ruth may have omitted, who so competent as you, my dear Ginevra, to teach it? I am at peace—my only child is in safe hands. Write out your list quickly, my dear. I shall be late as it is.'

His niece laughed, but her eyes flashed a little. It was diamond cut diamond always between the worldly uncle and quite as worldly niece, and yet in their secret hearts they liked each other, and suited each other well.

Lady Cecil reached the school room. Lessons were just ended, and Miss Herncastle stood looking wearily out of the window at the mellow afternoon radiance—fagged and pale. Lady Cecil glanced at her compassionately.

'You look wearied to death, Miss Herncastle; I am afraid you find the Misses Dalrymple terrible little Neros in pinafores. Do you go out for a walk, and Pearl and Pansy and I will go and dress the dolls under the trees.'

'But Lady Dangerfield—'

'Lady Dangerfield is in the drawing-room; you can ask her if you choose—she will not object. I am sure you need a walk. Come, children, and fetch your whole family of dolls.'

To be continued.

CHRIST CHURCH, MARKDALE.

REV. J. J. MORTON.

Every seat was filled in the English Church on Sunday evening last, to listen to the Rev. J. J. Morton, who some 6 years ago was the incumbent at this place.

The Rev. J. Ward read the prayers, and the Rev. J. J. Morton read the lessons, and preached. Prior to the sermon, the rev. gentleman said that he wished to say a few words to them, and express the pleasure he felt in again coming among them, and the more so in that he found this fine church erected in Markdale. It helped to console him to see and hear of their prosperity. It was with great regret that he left the congregation here, and he always felt that he had left warm and true friends in the parish. He had reason to be thankful that he had spent some few years of his ministry among them. He was pleased to learn from their rector, of their growth spiritually and temporally.

The rev. gentleman then preached from 1 Tim. 4. 8, maintaining that no one enjoyed this life so much as those who commenced on this earth their life of happiness. The nearer we lived to God, the more should we enjoy the legitimate and real pleasures of life.

SLEEPING IN CHURCH.

Soon after the Rev. N. McDiarmid had commenced his sermon on Sunday morning, he suddenly stopped, and said—that it was not very pleasant for him to see so many of the congregation settling down comfortably in their pews ready for a sleep. They might let him finish his text at any rate. It was annoying to him to have to talk to sleepers.

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Facts and Fancies.

The Queen has returned to England.

Markdale sidewalks require immediate attention.

The banks are advancing the rate of interest on loans.

The comet is coming at the rate of 2,000,000 miles a day.

The comet is coming direct to this earth, then comes the crack of doom.

Beef-steaks are going up to 17 and 18 cents per lb, in Toronto. Export trade is the cause.

Plump girls are coming into fashion again. That's good. The girls about Markdale will take the lead in this fashion.

The resources of the authorities at Winnipeg for the accommodation of in-pouring emigrants is altogether too limited.

A rumour is current in Winnipeg that the Can. Pac. Syndicate are negosiating for the purchase of the Man. and Sth. Western.

People are said to get their arms broken, and receive other injuries while fighting for a place at the hotel tables in Winnipeg.

I take my tex dis morning, said a coloured preacher, from dat portion ob scripture ware de Postil Paul pints his pistil to the Fesians.

A clergyman says, "A young woman died in my neighbourhood yesterday while I was preaching the gospel in a beastly state of intoxication.

Miss Kindlin, of Chicago, recently married a man named Wood. This is what may be called adding fuel to the flame of love. "Kindlin—Wood."

A Markdale man trades a $70 watch for a $45 gun, pays $3 for repairs and then exchanges it for a $80 horse, which kicks a $28 cow to death and then dies of a broken heart. How much did the man lose?

The Grangers purpose having an excursion from Durham, to the Model Farm at Guelph, on the 23d of June. Fare $1. About 1200 excursionists is the number estimated for Durham station on the occasion.

"There is nothing like settling down," said a retired merchant in Grey. "When I gave up business I settled down and found I had a comfortable fortune. If I had settled up I should not have had a cent."

A Dutchman from Sullivan drove to the market at Chatsworth on Sunday morning last with a full load of peas under the impression that "it vash Zaturday." He brought the load nine miles through the mud.

Eight young girls, most of them above the average in beauty, arrived in Toronto yesterday morning from Montreal. In the evening they left for the West. They had tickets for Winnipeg, and stated that they were going out prospecting.

There is a little touch of poetic justice in the case of the Belleville hotel keeper who gave a stranger $17 50 for a $20 cheque, which proved to be forged. If he thought the paper was square, why did he not give its full face value? If he was suspicious, his duty was plain.

A girl at Toronto had a narrow escape last Monday. She placed a pin between her teeth to hold for a minute when someone startled her, and the pin lodged crosswise in her throat. Emetics were tried, but no relief could be obtained, and the poor girl was in great agony. She then attempted to force it down, and in doing so brought it up.

We have recived No. 4 of the Oriental Casket, from the publisher at Philadelphia, Pa. It is a veritable casket—a casket of gems—of literature. It is well printed on good paper. Its contents are lively, good, pure reading matter. We really do not know of a better family monthly. The subscription is not a tithe of the value of the gems in the casket.

A Visitor, in the shape of immense and brilliant comet is promised us this summer, and is said to be already visible in the West by the aid of the telescope. It will attain its greatest magnitude in June, and, according to astronomers will be a magnificent spectacle. What with comets and elections, we shall have sufficient to interest us.

The law requires that every person who takes in a stray animal must notify the township clerk of the municipality of the fact in addition to advertising it, giving as minute description as possible of the animal. The clerk is required to keep a list of all such animals. Persons failing to comply with this provision of law lay themselves subject to a heavy penalty, and besides cannot collect expenses of keeping, &c.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.08 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.08 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	7.06 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.26 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.26 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
Orangeville.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.13 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
;Carlton	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
;Emery	7.53 "	4.48 "
;Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.25 "	6.22 "
Orangeville—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
;Orangeville Junc	9.57 "	7.00 "
;Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
;Crombie's	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8.06 "
;Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton & P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
;Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
;Arnott	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
†Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	10.15 "

MARKDALE.

Friday, April 21st 1882.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.16	to	1.26
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.24
Barley	0.65	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.41
Peas	0.75	"	0.76
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.65
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Friday, April 7th. 1882.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.19	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.23
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.39	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.59	"	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.12½	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.10	to	$1.12
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.15	to	1.18
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.63	to	.72
Oats " 1	.34	to	.36
Butter " 1	.17	to	.20
Eggs		to	.12
Potatoes "	50	to	55
Pork "	7.50	to	7.75
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

A WORD ABOUT OURSELVES.

Perhaps there is nothing which tends to cool one's ardour so much as when his efforts for a certain end—though successful—are not recognised by those who reap the advantage of one's labours. And on the other hand, nothing encourages one in his onward track so much as to be assured that his labours are successful, and that his efforts are not like the sweet violet in the glade, which

"Wastes its fragrance on the desert air."

We are pleased to hear continually of the recognition of our efforts, to provide for the people of Markdale and and of the townships adjoining, a good sound, live newspaper, untrammelled by party politics, and unfettered by the isms of denominations. Our efforts are recognised—not only by word of mouth, and by letters—but also by the more practical form of, increased subscription list. We are therefore, the more encouraged to provide our subscribers with the best local and general news, and opinions on matters of interest. We append extracts from letters received:

"Alliston, Co. Simcoe,
April 14, 1882

"Enclosed please find subscription. Of the many local papers of Ontario, the Markdale Standard takes the first rank. It is still in its youth, but from its central position, the practical ability of its editor, and the native energy and go a-headiveness of its surroundings, it should be the best newspaper in Grey, at least. Long and prosperous may its life be.

J. H James."

A. G. H., Dundalk, writes congratulating us upon the improvements lately made in our paper, and of a recent issue says it is "the best ever sent out of the office."

W. K., Euphrasia writes, "I am highly pleased with the marked improvement of the Standard. Enclosed find subscription."

Enough, we'll quote no more, but in conclusion say to intending subscribers, send on the dollar for a years subscription; and to the business men of the town, insert your notices in our paper, make known your wants, whether they be to buy or to sell, and thus increase your business.

When shall we have communication with the outside world, by means of a line from some point on the T. G. & B. to the Grand Trunk. At present our railway matters seem to be getting more and more complicated every day. Mr. Allen, who was sent by the Board of Trade of Owen Sound to meet the Board of Trade in Montreal and Mr. Hickson, Manager of the Grand Trunk, had a long interview, with both parties. The merchants of Montreal are alive to the advantage of low through rates and quicker connection, and have promised to use their influence to that end. Arrangements will likely be so that a person can leave here in the afternoon and reach Montreal at 8:30 the following morning. Mr Hickson said he felt positive he would have the T. G. & B. Road, but in any case he would use his influence to have a connection with Owen Sound. It is now understood the G. T. has secured the G. W. R system, and in that case of course controls all the railways of Ontario, from Brockville to Sarnia.

The Owen Sound Cricket Club is noted far and wide as having some of the best cricketers in the province. With the new members introduced this year we predict for the club great success. By-the bye, how is it Markdale has no Cricket Club? Surely there is a little talent in the village; a little love for this king of English games, the prince of good, manly outdoor exercises. We will gladly publish the opinions of lovers of cricket, on the formation of a Markdale Cricket Club.

MR. BOYLE.

We are pleased to notice from the report of the closing examinations of Knox College that Mr. Boyle has again been highly successful; carrying off the scholarship and prize with 97 per cent in the department of apologetics; besides ranking second in proficency with an average in all subjects of about 90 per cent. We again heartily congratulate Mr. Boyle in his continued good success and follow him with our best wishes to Thornburry where he fills the pulpit of the Rev. Mr. Colter for the summer months.

The body of strikers in Toronto was increased yesterday by a large number of painters, whose employers refuse to give the increase of wages asked. Some gave the increase, and the employes continue work. The efforts of the Mayor to secure a solution of the difficulties by arbitration seem to shape themselves somewhat in the direction of success, but the outlook is still murky.

His Grace the Archbishop of Halifax died Sunday morning at his residence, from conjestion, after a very short illness. The deceased prelate, who was an indefatigable worker, filled many high offices in the church. The remains, clothed in pontificial vestments, will lie in state on Wednesday, and the funeral will take place to day.

HOW TO SPOIL A HUSBAND.

Henpeck him.
Snarl at him.
Find fault with him.
Quarrel about trifles.
Keep an untidy house.
Humour him half to death.
Always have the last word.
Be extra cross on wash day.
Never have meals ready in time.
Run bills without his knowledge.
Vow vengeance on all his relations.
Let him sew the buttons on his shirts.
Pay no attention to household expenses.

T. G. & B.

A BIT ABOUT "THE BOYS."

The "Railroader" says:—Our Conductors and men are run very hard just now, and are making good time Since changing the guage, things go more smoothly, though no great change has taken place in the working staff.

There are some good operators and agents along the line. At Markdale we have a real live agent, Mr Caesar who is full of life, and gives the boys a racket once in a while. At Flesherton Mr Meldrum's assistance is valuable to trainmen. Mr Smith holds the light for no one at Shelburne. At Orangeville the agent is not very popular with the boys. Charley Campbell slings the lightning at Woodbridge, and is the boy to help the trains over the road. Geo. Spencer is night operator at Toronto.

Justice in the United States is a remarkable anomaly. The Ford brothers, who shot the notorious desperado Jesse James, were sentenced to death one hour after the grand jury had indicted them for murder in the first degree. Guiteau, who shot the president, had a trial which lasted nearly three months, and there are supplementary proceedings yet to come. But then Jesse James was a thievish hero of the dime novel stripe, while Gen. Garfield was only an honest man and chief magistrate of the nation.

Voltaire had his cynical dab at doctors when he spoke of a physician as "a man who pours drugs, of which he knows little, into bodies of which he knows less."

CLOVER AS A FERTILISER.

The most important fertilisers are nitrogen, phosphoric acid, and potash. Clover collects, stores, and furnishes these essential elements of crops more easily and cheaply than they can be produced any other way. Clover absorbs nitrogen from the atmosphere, returns it to the soil, where a large proportion is changed to ammonia—the best fertiliser for wheat and other cereal crops It is important, therefore that farmers should plough under clover.

IF YOU ARE RUINED.

In health from any cause, especially from the use of any of the thousand nostrums that promise so largely, with long fictitious testitimonials have to fear. Resort to Hop Bitters at once, and in a short time you will have the most robust and blooming health.

THE NORTHERN LIGHTS.

On Sunday evening about 8 oclock all Markdale people who were fortunate enough to be out of-doors could not fail to observe the beautiful display of the Aurora Borealis in the northern sky. In addition to the beauty imparted to the whole by the rapid coruscations of the pillars of mellow light, simultaneously there was seen in the background, and beautifully blended with the auroral field itself, a flood of pink coloured light, making the whole scene beautiful beyond description.

The electrical phenomen which produced the unusually beautiful display of auroral lights on Sunday night produced a marked effect upon the nervous residents of Cleveland, O. Rev. O. L, Bickley, of the Prospect-street M. E. Church, was prostrated in the pulpit while praying, and a number of ladies fainted in the church. But it has not in any way affected the chemicals of Photographer Browne, Markdale, who is able to "secure the shadow" as well as ever.

BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, KIDNEY, LIVER OR URINARY DISEASES.

Have no fear of any of these diseases if you use Hop Bitters, as they will prevent and cure the worst cases, even when you have been made worse by some great puffed up pretended cures-

IN THE POULTRY YARD.

The young chicks will thrive best when kept clean and dry. Those hatched this month, if of the best breeds, usually begin to lay early in the fall, and if kept warm and well fed will give a supply of eggs through the winter. If the coops are placed in or adjoining the garden, to allow the chicks to wander freely through it, they will do little harm, until large enough to scratch up the beds, and nibble at the plants, while they will destroy many grubs. Let them have an abundance of pure water and wholesome food; these, with good housing from the wet and cold, will secure health and a profitable growth. See the full treatment of the rearing of turkeys, page 201 of the American Agriculturalist for May.

MAXWELL.

Sugar making a failure.
No taffying bees this year.
Manitoba fever dying out
Spring ploughing commenced.
Scarlet fever hovering around.
See correspondence column.

The Rev. J. J. Morton, who some six years ago had charge of the church here, preached on Sunday morning last, and expressed pleasure at meeting with the congregation.

OSPREY.

Fall wheat looks well.
Mr Tuck is gone to Woodford.

Osprey council minutes to hand but crowded out this week.

Messrs. Taylor and Alliston have rented Mr Tuck's hotel.

Mr Stinson, Maxwell, opened out a full assortment of spring goods last week.

Spring work has commenced now, and farmers seem well pleased it is so, for feed was getting scarce.

The sugar made this year is below the average, both in quantity and quality.

With the opening of Spring several couples have paired, or pairs have coupled.

Mr, Abbott London, Eng., says he has received promises of support of an arrangemen with the Grand Trunk Railway from 1,340 shareholders of the Great Western Railway Some well-known names will be submitted the Western meeting as members of the new Board of Directors.

In London West, on Saturday night a fatal shooting affray occurred, the victim being Patrick Delargey, and the murderer a man named Code. The parties resided in the same house, and after an altercation, the deed was commited. Code was under the influence of liquor. He has since been arrested,

We are glad to hear of the continued success of Prof. J. H. James, late of Markdale. He is organizing a number of very large classes in voice culture in the neighbourhood of Cookstown. His testimonials rate him as a first-class teacher of the voice, and he is a good elocutionist. Mr James merits success.

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher or mill man in fact any man who runs machinery and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor Oil and won't gum or clog your Machinery.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows:
Toronto Mail closes 7 00 p.m.
Going South " 4 30 p.m.
" North " 11 30 p.m.
Owen Sound Mail 7 00 p.m.

CRICKET.

OWEN SOUND CLUB.

The Annual Meeting of the O.S.C.C was held on Tuesday evening. There was a good attendance. New members and officers were elected. The Treasurer's report showed balance of $36 36—the largest balance ever carried forward. A vote of regret was passed that Mr. T. T. Roberts, who had led the club on to so many victories, had caught the Manitoba fever. He was elected an honorary member of the club.

SLEEPING IN CHURCH, A CURE.

"I never laughed in the pulpit but once," said a local minister to us the other day, "and that when few weeks ago, I glanced in the direction of an old man who invariably slept and also snored during the sermon. He leaned his head back, and sat with open mouth just below our little gallery. A young man in the gallery saw the opening in the old man's face, quietly rolled up a quid of tobacco, then carefully poised it over the open mouth below. With a wicked smile he dropped it, and with a gulp lp-lp the sleeper started up, and rushed from the church. The 'people were horrified, but I could not restrain a laugh.'

CHATSWORTH.

On Monday evening, a supper was arranged at Campbell's Hotel, Chatsworth, in honour of Dr. McGregor, who on the following morning, left by the early train for Winnipeg. About 50 sat down to the table presided over by the Mayor of Owen Sound, Dr. Barnhard, who had on his right the guest of the evening—Dr McGregor... and on his left Thos. Scott, Esq., ex-M.P.P.; the vice-chair was occupied by Mr Cameron, dep-reeve of Holland. There were representatives present from Markdale, Durham, Priceville, and other neighbouring villages. After the usual loyal toasts were drunk, a pleasing episode took place in the way of a presentation of a purse of money, and an address, by his confreres of Owen Sound. Numerous speeches and songs enlivened the meeting.

BURNS AND SCALDS.

Are promptly cured as well as all flesh wounds, sprains, bruises, callous lumps, soreness, pain, inflamation and all painful diseases; by the great Rheumatic Remedy, Hagyards Yellow Oil. For external and internal use. Price 25c.

BIRTHS.

Elliot—In Artemesia, on the 17th inst., wife of Mr. A. Elliot of a daughter still born.

Elliot—In Artemeia, on the 18th inst., the wife of Mr. Thos. Elliot of a daughter.

Marshal—On the 17th inst., the wife of W. L. Marshal, Dundalk, of a daughter.

Hanburry—On the 18th inst., the wife of Thos. Hanburry, Dundalk, of a daughter,

Gilray—On the 7th inst., the wife of Mr. Wm. Gilray, Epping of a daughter.

Boyd—On the 9th inst., the wife of Mr. Jas. Boyd, Epping of a son.

MARRIED.

McGirr—Crispen—At the residence of W. A. Stephens, Esq., Owen Sound, by Elder Stirling of Meaford, Mr. Thos. E. McGirr of Flesherton, to Miss Laura Crispen of Owen Sound.

Lauder—Jamieson—In Glenelg, at the residence of Mr. David Burnett, on the 8th inst., by Rev J. C. Dunlop, Mr. J. Lauder to Miss Isabella Jamieson.

DIED.

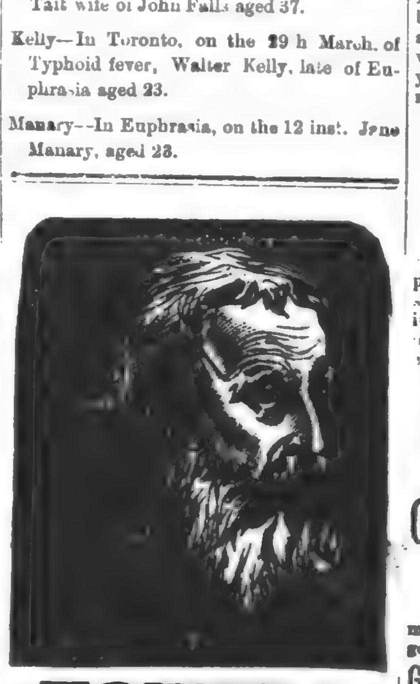
Cameron—In Glenelg, on the 4th inst., Sarah Cameron aged 17.

James—In Priceville, March 21st, Anna, wife of C. C. James. Esq., aged 37.

Falls—In Euphrasia on the 5th inst., Jane Tait wife of John Falls aged 37.

Kelly—In Toronto, on the 29th March, of Typhoid fever, Walter Kelly, late of Euphrasia aged 23.

Manary—In Euphrasia, on the 12 inst. Jane Manary, aged 23.



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The New Compound, its wonderful affinity to the Digestive Apparatus and the Liver, increasing the dissolving juices, relieving almost instantly the dreadful results of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, and the TORPID LIVER, makes Zopesa an every day necessity in every house.

It acts gently and speedily in Billousness, Costiveness, Headache, Sick Headache, Distress after Eating, Wind on the Stomach, Heartburn, Pains in the Side and Back, Want of Appetite, Want of Energy, Low Spirits, Foul Stomach. It invigorates the Liver, carries off all surplus bile, regulates the Bowels, and gives tone to the whole system.

Cut this out and take it to your Druggist and get a 10 cent Sample, or a large bottle for 75 cents, and tell your neighbor about it.

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DRY GOODS. I am shewing all the latest designs in Dress Goods, a very large Stock of Prints, Ducks, Denims, Shirtings, &c. Also a magnificent range of English, Scotch, and Canadian Tweeds. Suits made to order by a first-class tailor. Ready-made Clothing in Suits and single garments, cheap for cash. Gents' Hats in great variety at Bottom Prices.

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Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

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FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80-ly

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Rare Chances.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable: also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM WALKER, Markdale P. O.
or to C. W. Rutledge, "Standard" office
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Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.
00ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.
Markdale, March 9th, 1882. 79-tf

THIS SPACE IS FOR
J. G. IRVING,
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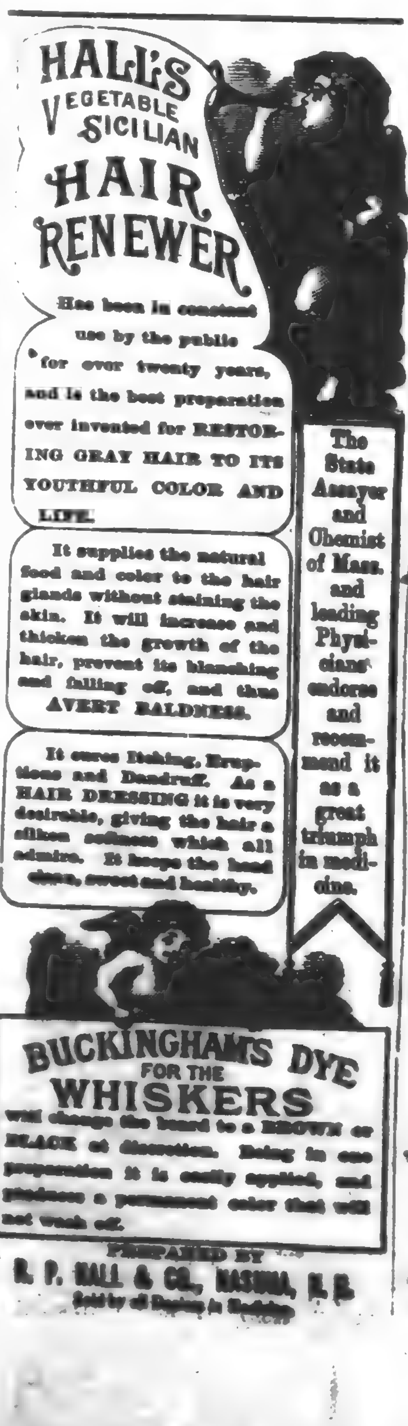

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Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS!

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass, Tares, &c

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods,

Pure Drugs & Chemicals.
Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall.

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

AND OTHER NOTICES

...ring at F. Doll's.
...stores are now closed at ...
...will be strawberries at Mel... next week.
...Dickie of Williamsford did... after all.
...wheat looks well in Walter... neighbourhood.
...is to have a race wi... on the 1st of May.
...March 331 agrarian ou... reported in Ireland.
...R. Sing and Miss Sing hav... from a tour in Florida.
...and Shoes in all classes an... Butter & Rae's.
...quantities of square timbe... shipped over the T. G. & P.
...Hull is erecting a carriag... connection with his livery.
...tledge, had line clipped 1... of yearling sheep yesterday.
...one had a battle with th... teacher yesterday! For shame.
...Tara Leader says there is ... that village, thirty one year...
...stock of ladies' and gent... silver watches, very low ...
...White Dentist will be at ... Markdale Wed. April 26th.
...steam grist and flour mill a... station is coming on ver...
...list Church Sunday evenin... commences at 7 o'clock.
...howers and sunshine on Wed... morning, made the farmer...
...butter and any quantity o... empty bottles wanted at M...
...to rent, on Queen Street ... garden apply to E Davi...
...teamer Alaska, which arrive... York yesterday made the fas... record.
...! about all manufacturers ... and mill men when the... Lardine.
...hats in endless variety. ... your beauty when 10c. wi... a hat at Butter & Rae's.
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...ery, glassware, earthenware ... always fresh, and true t... and quality, at Butter & Rae...
...has it that Mr. A. Turne... mitted matrimony. We ca... for the truth of the report ...
...times coming, Butter & Ra... Benson, of the Belfa... $20 suit yesterday morning.
...McCoy has purchased a ve... residence from Mr. Keil... so says the Leader.
...is a report in Dublin th... will be unconditionally rel... his return to Kilmainham.
...Bros. & Co., Toronto, ar... manufacturers of Lardine, th... lubricator known. Try it.
...McConnell has taken Mr. Ba... in the Rocklyn Hotel. Th... proprietor is becoming popular.
...C. E. Barnhart, Mayor of Owe... is likely to be a candidate fo... Commons at the coming ele...
...Morgan, late of this office le... on Wednesday, to take t... of an office at Woo...
...more I raise my voice to ca... to my select stock of groc... provisions, fruits, wines, liqu... Angus McIntyre.
...you want a suit of clothes, ... that Butter & Rae's is t... to get good trimmings and ... No shoddy sold.
...body says, they never saw t... look so well as it does th...
...& Rae do not buy th... Scotland, Ireland, or E... but they can give as good va... of the sham importers in Ma... A trial will convince you.
...prints, new dress goods, n... cottonades, ducks, shirtin... ties, collars. Come in and ... prices. Butter & Rae.
...Honor Judge McPherson ... from the sunny south ... Sound, much improved ...
...J. McFarland last week sh... thirty cars peas to Liverpool, a... five cars potatoes to B... this week.
...who want to go fishing get yo... ready at McIntyre will ... cash price for fish after ...
...are expensive luxuries ... not so W. J. McFarlan... $5 saved by orderi... and a perfect fit guarant...
...will be run an... Durham and Flesherto... to go from Durham ... same day.

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d Tobacco.
Medical Hall.
d Oil Cake just received.

THE STANDARD.

Friday, April 21st 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Beautiful spring weather.

...cheap at W. F. Doll's.

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... H. Hall is erecting a carriage ... in connection with his livery.

... Rutledge, back line clipped 15 ... of yearling sheep yesterday.

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... steamer Alaska, which arrived ... York yesterday made the fast... record.

...s! about all manufacturers, ...ists and mill men when they ... Lardine.

... hats in endless variety. Do ... your beauty when 10c. will ... a hat at Butter & Rae's.

...l is on his way back to Kil...m, wisely avoiding demonstra... travelling by road.

...ery, glassware, earthenware, ...s, always fresh, and true to ...d quality, at Butter & Rae's.

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... times coming. Butter & Rae ...son Benson, of the Belfast ... $20 suit yesterday morning.

... McCoy has purchased a very ... residence from Mr. Kellow ...—so says the Leader.

...re is a report in Dublin that ... will be unconditionally releas... his return to Kilmainham.

...il Bros. & Co., Toronto, are ...manufacturers of Lardine, the ...ricator known. Try it.

... McConnell has taken Mr. Bar... in the Rocklyn Hotel. The ...prietor is becoming popular.

... C. E. Barnhart, Mayor of Owen ..., likely to be a candidate for ...mmons at the coming elec-

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... coach is to run shor... Durham and Flesherton, ... people to go from Durham to ... back in one day.

DUNDA...

Dundalk is progressing.

Fall wheat looking well.

Spring seeding has commenced.

Several farmers are ploughing.

A number of new buildings are in progress.

A. G. Hunter has purchased Kenneth McAulay's homestead.

Watches and clocks carefully repaired and cleaned at W. F. Doll's, in Dundalk every Friday.

A large stock of Watches at bottom prices, at W. F. Doll's, in connection with Mr ...'s hardware.

W. L. Marshall has a large stock of ploughs, harrows, and implements of all kinds, which he is selling at low figures in spite of the N.P. Advt.

Neilson Bros. Proton station have a fine stock of logs, and are doing a paying business.

Special attention is called to Mr G. Nixon's new advt. In dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, he stands second to none in the neighbourhood of Dundalk.

W. L. Marshall offers for sale his brick store and dwelling as it is not suitable for his business. The best business stand in the place.

J. Gardiner has just received a car load of hardware, which he is determined to sell at bottom prices for cash. Builders, take a note of this.

Messrs Hicks and Vodden have been awarded the contract for building Mr Reid's new hotel.

Mr T. Glazies, is making extensive preparations for the reception of his new stock. He will be ready for business in a few days.

Mr Cox, tailor, late of Holstein, has opened a shop next to the drug store.

Now that the season has come for planting shade trees, we hope to see many of our farmers and villagers embrace the annual privilege. A day or two spent in this way at the proper time will be repaid by years of pleasure, and will greatly enhance the value of property.

On Tuesday evening a dog jumped through a large glass in the door of D. McMillan's shop. This was the second breakage from the same cause within a few days.

In the London West murder case the coroner's jury yesterday returned a verdict of wilful murder against the prisoner Code.

Mr. Vail has just finished some fine lettering on McFarland's store. The letters are well-formed, and the 90 ft sign is bold indeed.

See Sargent's advt. in another column concerning his patent load-lifter. Farmers would study their own interests by examining this matter.

John Meldrum, late of Flesherton station is now station agent at Kleinburg. John is a steady trust worthy young man and will continue to rise.

The hands at the steam saw mill in Markdale numbering about 15 men struck for higher wages, but they went to work again we understand without the desired advance.

Mr. E. Munroe, a conductor on the T. G. & B. Ry. made his last trip on Friday last, having resigned his position. He has since gone to Manitoba, Mr. E. Harvey, late of the western branch, takes his place.

Owing to the strike of the Grand Trunk freight hands, W. J. McFarland's spring importations have been delayed, but now that the strike is ended he expects to receive them in a few days. Reserve your orders till they arrive.

Parnell has been released from prison for a week or as long as he thinks will be necessary, to visit his sister whose son has died, on his own parole not to take part in political demonstrations while he is out.

Every farmer knows, and every gardener soon finds out that to be successful in land operations, not only must the ground be properly prepared but, even more important still, the seed must be good. The difference in the cost of good seed and bad seed is very slight compared with the result of the crop. Inferior seed produces inferior crops, no matter what care and attention is given to it. But good seed, with half the labour spent upon it, will produce good results. In this connection we would advise our readers who are in anyway interested in the soil, (and who is not?) to examine the seeds secured for this year's sowing by Messrs Turner and Co, Markdale. The seeds, whether for the farm or the garden, are all selected with the greatest care from growers whose names are guarantee of the quality of the seed.

There was a good run of sap on Sunday, and after church a farmer not a thousand miles from here proceeded to his sugar bush. By noon on Monday he had succeeded in boiling down the result of his labor to two pailfuls of syrup, with which he started for home, but in getting over a fence a few rods from his door, he overbalanced backwards and spilt the whole contents over himself.

MEAFORD ROAD.

Seeding has commenced and farmers are busy.

The most of the farmers here are patronising the Flesherton cheese factory. Mr William Gilbert has the contract to deliver

Mrs Leckie has removed to Osprey.

Mr Garbut is living on the old farm.

Mr H. Williams won the race for the Vandeleur house.

The School trustees contemplate making improvements in the s. house and grounds.

AN AGED WOMAN OF 105 IN ABSOLUTE WANT.

A CASE FOR CHARITY.

Reports have recently been current in the village respecting an old woman over 100 years old dying in absolute want. Our Mr Henry set about and investigated the matter, in order to learn what truth there was in the gossip of the village.

Mr Henry writes: "I heard Markdale libelled, and determined to sift the matter to the very bottom. I was glad to have the company of the deputy reeve of the township, and we went to the abode of Mrs Montgomery, 105 years old. In the same house lives her married daughter, between 50 and 60, but whose husband is in an asylum, and a little boy who goes to the school. The daughter, Mrs McKettrick told me they came from Orangeville last fall; sometimes she says they came from Muskoka, and sometimes Michigan. She has been working 'about the town,' and her earnings have, with a little charitable help kept them through the winter. But now that her mother is completely prostrated, she cannot get out to work. The three people are now living upon the kind charity of a few ladies. A difficulty arises in the person of the daughter. It has been found that money, food, &c. intended for the old lady, go no farther than the unnatural daughter. Ladies take food and feed her to ensure the desired end. The daughter handles the old woman roughly, the latter prefers the more careful handling of Mrs Jos, Sproule. Her bed is simply a tick, without any straw scarce in it, and the laths of the bedstead are cutting into the body of the poor, emaciated, half-starved old woman. Foremost among the kind ladies, (I am informed by one of the ladies,) is Mrs McNea, who visits daily, and who would no doubt lay out any funds charitable people may place in her hands to the very best advantage. It is not safe to place money in the hands of McKettrick. The following ladies know something of the case, and can give farther particulars: Mrs Reynolds, Mrs Dunlop, Mrs John Lyons, Mrs Armstrong, also the Rev N. McDiarmid. This is a needy case. The council does not meet till June, and then it may be too late."

Considering the weather, the Methodist social was fairly successful on Wednesday at the Dufferin Hall. A lengthy programme was gone through. Songs by Miss Dundass. Mrs Palmer, Part songs by the choir and others. A reading by Mr Whitby, Spelling by "Tom." Recitations by Messrs Clark Browne, McDougall, &c Proceeds $15 Quilting bee next Wednesday, and another Social Wednesday week.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

A Glenelg correspondent writes:—"The bump of curiosity or perhaps careless must stand prominent in some of the officials of Markdale and surrounding post offices. Letters are delayed and parcels pryed into." He admonishes paid public servants upon such practises.

An Osprey correspondent writes of the prevalence of scarlet fever, three and four in a family being down with it. He says, "there must be some cause for the spread of this disease. The air can be carried in one's clothes from an infected house, and everyone should avoid mixing with those who have been immediately connected with this terrible disease."

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better that any other oil in the market. Ask your local dealer and take no other.

A cough or cold contracted in the month of April if not speedily arrested is liable to stick to one during the whole summer. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops speedily cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pain and oppression of the Chest and all Throat Chest and Lung Affections. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

The following is the common sense treatment for a horse out of condition (in fact all horses require like treatment this time of year) a good Purging Ball following by a course of strong tonic powder. These are both to be had in Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture, as each package contains a throughly good purging ball and over a pound of strong Tonic Powder. Ask your druggist about it A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

TIMELY WARNING

Now is the season for sudden colds and distressing coughs. treat them with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it cures influenza, asthma, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints leading to consumption.

WANTED A YOUNG MAN TO LEARN BRICKLAYING, STONECUTTING, and PLASTERING, to commence work immediately. Apply to T. E. DAVIS, Builder, Markdale, Ont.

PIMPLES.

I will send (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing 3 c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y. 20-ly

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INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
Agent for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS, of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.
A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.
Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,
HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.
EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.
LIVERY!
IN CONNECTION.

GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}
BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcase, at the lowest market prices.
FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON
Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.
Markdale, Oct. 26th, 1881

MARKDALE

Marble Works
Monuments, Tombstones!
And every description of Cemetery work executed in
FIRST-CLASS STYLE!
and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.
Satisfaction Guaranteed.
Shop next door to Revere Hotel.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.
Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 46-ly

NIL DESPERANDUM.
GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

Before Taking.
THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.
Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

After Taking.
THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
1-ly Toronto, Ont., Canada

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 70-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.
The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.
Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 140 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.
A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
42 Cedar st., New York.

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ARRIVING
AT
POST OFFICE STORE,
FLESHERTON.
R. J. SPROULE.
New Advertisement
NEXT WEEK

FARMERS & MECHANICS'
ESTATE, LOAN AND
General Agency.
DUNDALK, - - Ontario.
Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.
A. G. HUNTER.
OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.
Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor
THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers 18

1,000,000!
Logs Wanted!
THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the
Highest Price in Cash!
for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.
ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.
Bills Filled on Short Notice.
Special attention paid to custom sawing.
P. S.—None but good timber wanted.
G. S. BROWN & SON.
Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-6t.

FOR SALE.
One Mare, 5 years old.
One Mare, 4 years old.
One Horse, 4 years old.
One Colt, 3 years old.
Also a quantity of Seed Peas. Seed ...
... WM. BROWN.
Markdale, April 19, '82.

FARMERS, Look to your interests, and get Sargent's Patent
LOAD LIFTING MACHINE
this season.
It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.
Agents wanted in every county.
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JOHN NOBLE,
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GENER'L BLACKSMITH
HORSESHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. ... EDISON MUSIC CO., ... Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

An Automatic Reed Organ.
"The Orguinette may now be called a celebrated instrument ... to the Cabinet Organ, but the organ must be manipulated by an artist in order to produce music; the ORGUINETTE from the other hand entirely mechanical in its action, ... at a trifling expense it can be made to furnish an unlimited ... of all kinds of music."—Toronto Globe.
"The Orguinette is indeed a musical wonder. It is a miniature reed organ, with as strong and melodious a tone as the Cabinet Nine. It surpasses the Cabinet Organ for the reason that the ignoramus in music can play it as well as the most accomplished professor. THE ORGUINETTE is strong and accurate in its mechanism, and consequently reliable to get out of order."—Montreal Gazette.
"The Orguinette is the most perfect automatic musical instrument yet invented. Its repertorie is unlimited, the tone is remarkably good."—Montreal Star.
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Sole Manufacturers and Patentees. MONTREAL.
C. W. RUTLEDGE, Agent, Markdale.

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DUNDALK.
Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.
This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.
Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, to to 35c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.
Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10.
The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.
See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.
See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing. London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have enbled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.
Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 8 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.
Crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.
BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.
W. S. HEWETSON.
Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

TO THE PUBLIC.
The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at
Flesherton Station and Eugenia,
are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.
FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.
All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My Saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on Shares.
Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

GROCERIES.
A. M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
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Flour, Flour, Flour.
McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS! | McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars. | McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee. | McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.
And everything kept in in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.
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GREAT DISCOUNT SALE
—AT—
"CHEAPSIDE."
FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS
I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of
Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres,
Shawls, Prints, Winceys,
Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters,
Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing,
Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties Linen Collars,
Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels,
Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets, &c.
THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT
10 PER CT. DISCOUNT ON FORMER PRICES
and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.
TERMS CASH.
Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and hope to merit a continuance of the same, I am yours truly.
HENRY FOSTER

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The council met on S... ... 8th, at Rocklyn.

Members all pre...

Minutes of last session read and confirmed.

The auditors' report was adopted, and ordered to be printed.

The committee's report, re collector I'ncianar, was accepted, satisfactory, and his bonds ordered to be handed over to him.

The county treasurer was requested to erase $18 charged against lot 9, con 9, for statute labour, as it is now made to appear that the labour for 1880 and 1881 was performed in the township.

The co. treasurer to be requested to divide the arrears of taxes now standing against lot 9, con. 9, arranging the matter so that the north quarter, 50 acres, and the southern portion, 150 acres, pay a just portion of the said arrears.

J. B. Rawling's communication received and laid aside.

Committee's report re 3 and 4 sideline adopted. Mr Ellis to deal with the matter.

Taxes charged against 18 acres S E lot 6, con. 9 in error, struck off, and tp. treasurer to receive copy of this resolution.

The Reeve authorised to discharge a bond given by the late Mr. Jas Dales, dated March 4, 1867, and long since satisfied.

7th line, lot 25, complained to be in dangerous condition. The Reeve to investigate, and act according to his judgment.

Mr Fawcett appointed to attend to John Kerr's request, to repair 21 and 22 sideline.

By-law 313 establishing new road to cross lot 1, 2, and 3, con. 5, read a first and second time, and discussed. The third reading deferred till next meeting.

Collector Jas. A... bonds to be ha...

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Council adjourned till the first Friday in May.

R. Dunlop, Tp. Clerk.

A CURE FOR HEADACHE.

What physician has ever discovered a cure for headache? Echo answers none. But Burdock Blood Bitters by their purifying, invigorating, nervine properties afford a cure in nearly every case. The health giving principles of this remedy are unequalled by any similar preparation in the world.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citiz...s of every ... town and village ... to consider what ... prevent ... [illegible]

WORSE THAN WAR.

[illegible] ... patients ... miserable dyspeptic may find prompt relief in Burdock Blood Bitters. It regulates the bowels, acts upon the liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, and stimulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

In the month of April almost every one requires a good and reliable Blood Purifier. We know of none so safe and effectual as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They act directly on all the secretions, their purgative action carrying off all impurities from the system, they invigorate the Liver and Kidneys, purify the Stomach, cleanse the Bowels, and give strength and tone to the whole system. Try a course of this valuable safe and reliable vegetable preparation, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

Our Premium

We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

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Standard Office,

Markdale.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs J. B Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,

J. F. ROTH.

FROM A PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

ON HUMAN FLESH.

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CHESTER A. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

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Over McFARLAND'S,

MARKDALE.

Special attention to Cutting.

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

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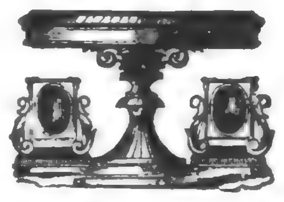

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A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

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Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

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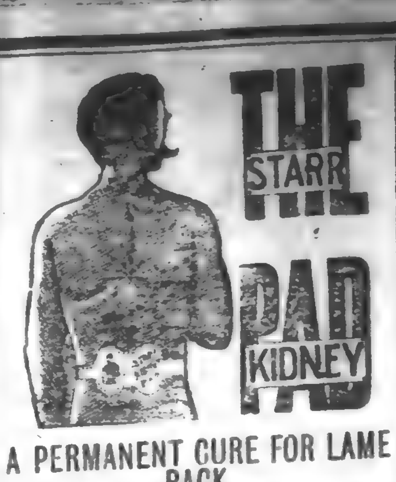
CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS

with or without marble slab for name, &c., also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

Gold Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address Stinson & Co., Portland Maine.



A PERMANENT CURE FOR LAME BACK,

P... Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs ... INDUBITABLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

Picton, April 20, 1881.

GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,

Dr. J. B. MORDEN.

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular Pad $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases, $3. Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by

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PARKER & CO., Owen Sound.
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STEPHENS & McCARROLL, Meaford.
M. RICHARDSON, Flesherton.
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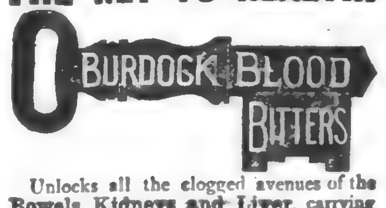
FREEMAN'S

WORM POWDERS.

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

THE KEY TO HEALTH.



Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the **Bowels, Kidneys and Liver**, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time **Correcting Acidity of the Stomach**, curing **Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility**; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of **BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.**

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size $1.

For sale by all dealers.

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Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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WHIPS,

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—AND—

SCOTCH COLLARS!

Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the

LOWEST LIVING PRICES.

REMEMBER THE PLACE

RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.

J. GORDON.

N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken.

Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1881. 16.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.

A combination of **Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion**, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest **Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator**, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, **without intoxicating.**

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use **Hop B**...

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS ... and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

D. I. C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y and Toronto, Ont.

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE,

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD,

Markdale, Sept. 10th, 1881.

REYNOLDS & SONS,

Have just opened out their Spring Stock of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Glassware, Boots, Shoes, &c.,

At Prices never before offered in Markdale.

A Great Variety of PRINTS OF THE VERY LATEST PATTERNS. Don't fail to see them.

A large stock of Boots & Shoes, manufactured by King & Co. Don't fail to see them.

Great Bargains in Teas!

Call, and try them.

Reynolds & Sons,

MARKDALE.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAME AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

BULMER. 36

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

These having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. **Sure Sale or no pay.** CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business.

In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

RO T. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

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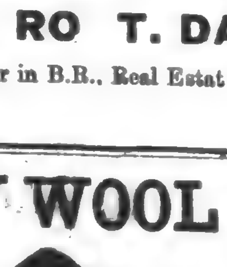
I GET MY WOOL CARDED



—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881.

W. H. PETERSON. 67-tf

SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS!

FOR ALL KINDS OF

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

GO TO THE

Dundalk Drug Store.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

C. W. PARSONS.

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds always on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE

STORE

In thanking my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots call and get them. Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 13m

LATE IMPORTATIONS

Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, Fashionable and Staple

Dry Goods

To hand, which we offer at

Greatly Reduced Prices.

IN BOOTS AND SHOES

We offer special values in every line.

OUR STOCK OF

Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glassware

is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.

GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!

by purchasing your supplies at the "Toronto House."

Markdale, Sept. 30th, 1881.

Wm. BROWN

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

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... in time to meet the early mails, ... the latest Foreign and Provincial ... Local Intelligence, County Business ... Commercial Matters and an Instructive ... Family.
... in advance, $1.50 in three months ... not paid till the end of the year. ... discontinued until all arrearages ... except at the option of the publisher ... parties refusing papers without paying ... be held responsible for the years ... until they comply with the rules.
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C. W. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Armstrong, Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs, &c. OFFICE—Medical Hall; residence ... Markdale House. Markdale, Sept 17, 1880

Legal.

JOHN B. McMULLAN, ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR ... ready for attending to all kinds ... Offices—at Kay's Hotel ... Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881.

Frost & Frost, BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW, Solicitors in Chancery, &c., Owen Sound, ... Flesherton. Office open every ... J. W. Frost ... County Crown Attorney.

J. MASSON, BARRISTER, MASTER AND ... in Chancery, Notary Public ... MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER ... Offices—Owen Sound, in ... St.; and in Markdale, over ... Store, on Friday and Saturday ...

Creasor & Morrison, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYANCERS, &c. &c. Offices in Owen Sound ... W. F. Wolfe's Store ... MARKDALE ... W. J. McFarland's ... Friday of each week ... Funds to lend on ... CREASOR, Q. C. ... Markdale, March 15, 1882

Lane & Rowe, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, AND CONVEYANCERS, Markdale. Offices: McFarland's Block. Money to lend, on Farm Security ... J. LANE, Q. C. J. W. ...

Dentistry.

Mr. James J. White, Assistant to Dr. Cameron ... WILL BE AT THE ... Markdale, on the ... month, when he will be ... all operations requiring ... most satisfactory ... reasonable terms.

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Commissioner in B. R. ... Conveyancing in all its ... attended to and carefully ... N. B.—Money to Lend ... Markdale, Sept. 17, 18...

Alexander Brown, ISSUER of Marriage Licenses ... Life Insurance ... B. R. &c. Conveyancer ... Licenser for the County ... merchants, and Land ... to and charges ... Priceville, Sept. 17, 18...

R. M. Gal..., AUCTIONEER AN... Agent, Williamsford ... attended to ... sold on Commission ... Pianos, Organs ... Fruit and Ornamental ... Implements ... Williamsford, Jan. 27, 18...

J. G. Sing, DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL Surveyor, Draughtsman ... Williamsford and Markdale ... Provincial Land Surveyor ... the stock of original ... Reports, Instructions ... within the ... prepared to make Surveys ... therewith ... Grading Hills, ... Building Bridges, ... Money to Loan at ... Orders by letter or left ... Markdale, will be promptly ... Sept. 17, 1880

T. ... DAVIS, BUILDER & C... ... prepared to do all kinds of ... plastering and ... contemplate building ... advantage to give him a ... Residence corner of ... Streets, MARKDALE.

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE. ... SPROULE, Proprietor. THIS popular Hotel has ... addition added to it ... is now second to none ... good stabling and attentive ... accommodation for commercial ... Terms $1.00 per day.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL, PRICEVILLE, ONT. Large and commodious Sample Rooms ... Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar is ... supplied with the best the market ... good Stabling and attentive Hostler. THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor. October ..., 1880.

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H. L. Thurston, Dealer in ORGANS, PIANOS, SEWING MACHINES, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS. Terms—Liberal. FLESHERTON, ... ONT. 63-1...

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Office ... Hall; residence at ...

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Legal.

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ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ready for attending to all kinds of law ... Office at Kay's Hotel.

Markdale ... 2nd, 1881. 64.

Frost & Frost,

BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday, as before.

... Frost, J. W. Frost, LL. B.

County Crown Attorney 1

J. MASSON,

BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer.

MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT.

Offices Owen Sound, in Vicker's Block ... and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday every ... 57.ly

Creasor & Morrison,

BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYANCERS, ... Owen Sound, Dufferin Block, ... W. F. Wolfe's Store and in

MARKDALE.

... W. J. McFarland's Store on Thursday ...

Funds to ... on reasonable terms.

... Creasor, Q. C. Duncan Morrison

Markdale ... 1882 79-ly

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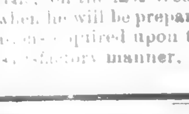
BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, AND CONVEYANCERS, Markdale.

Office: McFarland's Block.

Money to lend, on Farm Security, at 6 per ...

... Lane, Q. C. J. W. Rowe.

Dentistry.



Mr. James J. White,

... Cameron, Owen Sound, WILL ... THE REVERE HOUSE, Markdale, on the last Wednesday in ... month when he will be prepared to perform ... required upon the mouth ... satisfactory manner, and upon ...

Miscellaneous.

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ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c ... its branches promptly attended to ... fully executed. ... Lend on Real Estate security.

Markdale Sept. 17, 1880 1-y

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ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent, Commissioner ... B. R. &c., Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers ... and Land Sales. Punctually attended to and ... made very moderate. ... Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

R. W. Galbraith,

AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent ... Station. Auction ... attended to ... of the County ... Rates ... also ...

... Jan 27, 1881

J. G. Sing,

DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, Draughtsman and Valuator. ... Having purchased ... Land Surveyor Charles Rankin's ... stock of original Field Notes, Plans, ... &c., of all his Surveys ... than the fifty-five years, I am prepared to ... surveys in ... Profiles and Estimates ... Bills, Plans and Specifications ... Building Bridges, furnished on application. Money to Loan at 8 per cent interest. ... by letter or left with G. J. BLYTH, ... will be promptly attended to ... 1-y

T. ... DAVIS.

BUILDER & CONTRACTOR ... (Stone and brick) ... on the ... buildings ... to do all kinds of stone ... still ... plastering and ... pointing. Those ... contemplate ... will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, Markdale.

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL, MARKDALE.

... SPROULE, - Proprietor.

THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted. ... now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travel. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

COMMERCIAL HOTEL. PRICEVILLE, Ont.

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AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS,

Terms—Liberal.

FLESHERTON, ...ONT.

60-100

JOHN HANBURY,

BUILDER AND CONTRACTOR, (stone and brick). Plastering particularly attended to in town or country.

Estimates on work free.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM. LUCAS, Manager.

Sptember 23, 1880. 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,

DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with

WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB-SLEIGHS,

Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

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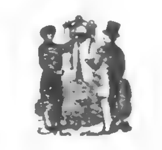


J. C. ATKINSON,

TAILOR,

Having removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.

—LATEST—

Fashion Plates!

RECEIVED REGULARLY.

CHARGE MODERATE.

Satisfaction Guaranted

Remember the Place

NEXT DOOR TO NELSON'S STORE, MAIN STREET.

Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 13-6m.

DUNDALK

Meat Market!

Meat supplied wholesale and retail

Orders called for and meat delivered to any part of the town.

Shop on Main Street.

P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle ... to ... will ... know as I will pay ... for them.

W. T. RUNDLE

Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

NOTICE,

TAKE WARNING

All persons indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account are requested to pay the same, on or before the 1st day of May, otherwise the same will be placed in suit for collection.

WM. NELSON

Glasgow House, Dundalk, April 13th, 1882.

FOR SALE.

One Mare, 5 years old.
One Mare, 4 years old.
One Horse, 4 years old.
One Colt, 3 years old.

Also a quantity of Seed Peas, flail threshed.

WM. BROWN,

Markdale, April 19, '82. 84-6

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Every Working Day,

By Thomas Smith,

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. Hallett & Co., Portland, Maine.

ST. JACOBS OIL

TRADE MARK.

THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY. FOR RHEUMATISM,

Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil as a safe, sure, simple and cheap External Remedy. A trial entails but the comparatively trifling outlay of 50 Cents, and every one suffering with pain can have cheap and positive proof of its claims.

Directions in Eleven Languages.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.

A. VOGELER & CO., Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

ROBT. ASKIN,

MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

—AND—

UNDERTKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all

FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,

supplied on the shortes notice.

A Splendid Hearse

for hire at moderate rates.

FURNITURE!

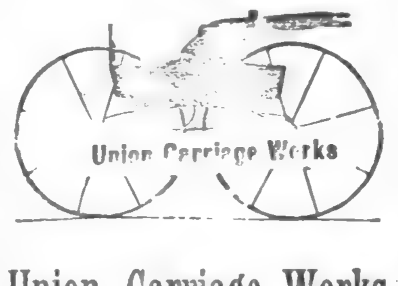
From the Common to the

Best and Latest Styles,

in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

ROBT. ASKIN.



Union Carriage Works.

All work manufactured from

FIRST CLASS MATERIAL

In the Latest and Best Improved Style, and finished with

English Varnish.

Painting & Trimming Rigs

will receive prompt attention.

All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside

D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

TO FARMERS & BREEDERS.

Having purchased the Short Horn Yearling Bull,

PRINCE ROYAL, No. 225,

Vol. 7, Canada Short Horn Stock Register, got by KELSO, (664, Vol 6) Dam EYELA by BRITISH PRINCE (2799) granddam LADY CHARLOTTE, by GLADSTONE (1481) gr. g. dam Maria by Duke of Arkell (1223).

A limited number of Cows will be taken at $1 50 each for season at his stables Lot 113, north east Toronto Road, Artemesia.

H. D. IRWIN, Owner.

N.B.—All animals charged for and no Insurance guaranteed.

March 25, 1882.

WANTED.

5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T., G. & B. Railway, $3.25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLOCK.

P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.

March 26, 1882. 60-16

THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

GOOD PHOTOS

To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,

—AND—

MODERATE PRICES.

Is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

J. L. BROWNE,

Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas Coffees, Sugars, Raisins, Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

McKENNA & MASON

CARRIAGE WORKS

MARKDALE.

As the season of the year is approaching that Sleighs and Cutters are wanted, we wish to intimate to the farmers and public in general that we can supply them with any thing they want in that line, such as

Long Sleighs,
Knee-Bobs,
Block-Bobs,
Democrats,
Square Box,
Portland,
Swell Body,

and Double-seated Cutter

OF ALL KINDS AND STYLES.

As we use nothing but first-class material we can

GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

Call and Inspect our Work!

on hand before purchasing elsewhere.

CAREFUL ATTENTION GIVEN TO

HORSESHOEING

and General Jobbing in every line.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

$2 ...

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to ...

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office.

The Poet's Corner

Awful.

Awful is a word
Every awful minute!
For 'tis an awful world
With awful people in it;
And some are awful tall,
Some are awful large,
And some are awful small;
Some are awful fat,
And some are awful lean,
Some are awful good,
And some are awful mean.

Some girls are awful sour,
And some are awful sweet,
Some wear awful chignons,
And some have awful feet;
Some are awful silent,
And some are awful loud,
Some are awful modest
And some are awful proud.

Some chaps are awful silly,
And some are awful wise,
Some wear an awful mustache,
And some have awful sighs,
Because their awful hearts,
So awful soft are found,
That Cupid's awful darts
Their awful core have found.

And so 'tis awful, awful,
Awful is the word;
From every awful mouth
Some awful things are heard;
Some folks are awful nice,
Some girls are awful pretty,
Some men are awful wise,
Some women are awful witty

In the awful morning,
From awful sleep we wake
With the awful warning
That 'tis awful late;
And through the awful day,
We hear the awful clatter,
Of awful, awful, awful—
That's what's the awful matter!

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER V. Continued.

Miss Herncastle obtained permission to take a walk, and set out. As she passed down the noble arching avenue she espied the earl's daughter and the twins solemnly seated under a big beech, sewing for their lives. Lady Cecil looked up, smiled, and nodded approval from her work. Very lovely she looked, the amber sunshine shifting down through the green and ruby leaves on her loose-floating, abundant brown hair, flashing back from that other amber sunshine in her hazle eyes, from the sweet smiling lips, the eau de nil dress with its innumerable flounces and frillings, its pointlace collar, and cluny borderings. In that shimmering robe, and with a long spray of tangeled ivy buds in her hair, she might have been painted for Titania, Queen of the Fairies, herself.

Beautiful as a vision—the belle of the season—sought, courted, caressed, beloved by all. Did the contrast strike sombre Miss Herncastle, in her plain brown merino dress, ugly of texture, of colour, of make, walking in the dust as she went by? The after days told.

The high red sun dropped half an hour after. The young ladies and gentlemen invited for my lady's lawn party would be here presently now, and one of the twins' nine dolls, big and little, had a new dress finished. Lady Cecil looked up, and said she must go. The children pleaded piteously for one game of 'tag,' and 'Aunt Cecil' consented. She flew in chase of the children with a zest that for a moment equalled their own. And thus it was, flushed, breathless, dishevelled, laughing, romping like a girl of twelve, Sir Arthur Tregenna saw her first.

He was laughing from sympathy with that merry peal. If she had striven for a thousand years to bewitch him she could never have succeeded half so well as in this moment, when she was not thinking of him at all. She stopped short—still laughing, blushing and aghast.

'Lady Cecil Clive, I believe?'

He took off his hat and stood bareheaded before her—tall, noble, gravely smiling, as Lady Cecil gave him her hand.

'Sir Arthur Tregenna, I am sure. Did you not meet—Pansy, be quiet—did you not meet papa? He left here to go to the station.'

'I did not meet him. Probably I passed him, for I left the station immediately.'

'Then permit me to welcome you in his stead. Ah! here is papa now, and Major Frankland.'

La Reine Blanche felt a touch of embarrassment.

'My dear boy—my dear Arthur!' The earl sprang out and shook the young baronet's hand with effusion. —just a moment too late—I saw you drive off, and I returned with Frankland. Major Frankland, of the—the Lancers—Sir Arthur Tregenna.'

The two gentleman lifted their hats. Sir Arthur rather stiffly, and under restraint—the gallant, whiskered major with that charming ease and grace which had years ago won away Ginevra Dangerfield's heart.

'Aw, my dear Lady Cecil—chawmed to see you again, and looking so well; but then we all know, to your cost, La Reine Blanche invariably looks her best on every occasion. And here comes our chawming hostess. Aw, Lady Dangerfield, so happy to meet you once more. London has been a perfect desert—a howling-aw—wilderness, I assure you, since two of its fairest flowers have ceased-aw—to bloom!'

And then the mystress of Scarswood was greeting and welcoming her guests, and the first detachment of the lawn party began to arrive, and in the bustle Lady Cecil made good her escape to her room.

'The sultan has come, and his slave must wait until it pleases him to throw the handkerchief. He comes here to inspect me as he might a horse, if I suit him, I am to be bought. If I do not—Oh, papa! papa! how could you subject me to so shameful an ordeal?'

An imperious tap at the door, an imperious voice without.

'Queenie! Queenie! are you dead? Open the door.'

Lady Cecil opened. My lady, all summery muslin, Valenciennes lace, and yellow roses, appeared, her black eyes alight, her cheeks glowing with pleasure and liquid rouge.

'Come Queenie; you are to be on the opposite side—Sir Arthur and the major are on the croquet ground. Really, Cecil, Sir Arthur isn't bad-looking—that is to say, if he were not beside Jasper.

'Of course, beside him, the Angel Gabriel, if he were to descend, would appear to disadvantage.

'Don't be sarcastic, Queenie,' her cousin answered, with perfect good temper; 'it's the worst thing that can possibly be said of a girl. Makes men afraid of her, you know. You may take Sir Arthur on your side; the major, of course, is on mine; and we shall croquet you off the face of the earth. He plays as he does every thing—exquisitely.'

They descended together to the croquet ground.

Sir Arthur did not play. He took a seat with the earl on the limit of the croquet ground, and talking and watching the players. The major and Lady Dangerfield played a vigorous game, never missing a hoop. Lady Cecil played abominably; How could she play?—how could she do anything, knowing, feeling, that the eyes of Sir Arthur were upon her.

Lady Cecil was right. Sir Arthur's eyes were upon her, and Sir Arthur was speculating as to whether or no she was fitted to be his wife. What a fair, sweet, proud face it was; how much soul in the softly lustrous eyes; how much gentleness, goodness about the perfect lips How like a bright, happy child she had looked as he had seen her first with brown hair flying, brown eyes dancing, rose lips laughing, and pearl cheeks softly flushed, in that bewitching game of romps. Could any one who looked like that—who loved little children and played with them, a very child herself, be the cold-blooded coquette, the vain flirt, who trampled on hearts wholesale, for her selfish gratification? No, no, a hundred times no! Such a face must mirror a pure and spotless soul; eyes like these took their kindness and sweetness from a gentle and womanly heart.

'Her loveliness makes men her captives. How can she be blamed for that?' he thought. He was beginning to plead for her already: the spell of that 'angel face,' which had ensnared so many, was beginning to throw its glamour over him. And he was predisposed to be pleased. He wanted to fulfil his father's wish and marry his old friend's daughter.

'He shall take me for what I am if he takes me at all,' she thought. 'I shall never play the hypocrite to entrap him.'

'What did Sir Arthur think, sitting there, looking on with grave eyes? He did not dance he did not croquet, he did not talk much. Those calm, motionless gray eyes looked at you with so earnest a light that you were apt to shrink under them.

What did he think? Under the stars she looked very lovely, and loveliness in woman covereth a multitude of sins. She waltzed with them all, and Sir Arthur was one of those uncivilized beings you meet now and then who do not like waltzing. Your bride elect in the arms of another man, even though it be in a round dance, is to your ill-trained mind a jarring and indelicate light. What did he think? The earl frowned inwardly—only inwardly; anything so disfiguring as a frown never really appeared upon his placid well-trained face. 'Wrinkles came soon enough of themselves,' he was wont to say; no use to hasten them on, scowling at a world you cannot improve.'

There came a call, 'supper,' and the waltzing ended.

And then the rector's tall, handsome son said something in a whisper that looked tender, however it might sound. Sir Arthur's gray eyes saw it all.

They went into the brilliantly lighted dining-room, where an Aberdeen salmon, a la mayonnaise, lay reposing tranquilling in a bed of greenery and prawns, where lobster salad and a cold chicken, and pine apple cream, and Moselle and strawberries, looked like an epicurian picture under softly abundant gasaliers.

Lady Cecil still kept the tall, slim college man by her side, and they were probable discussing the rival merits of salmon and lobster salad, but they looked as if they were gently murmering,

'How is it under our control
To love or not to love?'

Sir Arthur had the post of honour on the right of his hostess—Major Frankland supported her on the left. Sir Peter was not present—he sat solitary and alone in his study. And when the great ormolu and malachite clock struck the half hour after eleven, the company dispersed, and the guests sought their own rooms.

What did Sir Arthur think, as he bade the earl's fair daughter good night, and watched her float away in her eau de nil dress up the stairs and disappear in a silvery shower of moon rays? That impassive face of his gave no sign.

TO BE CONTINUED.

WORSE THAN WAR

"The threat has destroyed more lives than the sword," by imprudence in eating and intemperance in drinking; but when the health becomes impaired the miserable dyspeptic may find prompt relief in Burdock Blood Bitters. It regulates the bowels, acts upon the liver and kidneys, purifies the blood, and stimulates all the secretions to a healthy action.

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A young man writes that he has read much about a married man "living on two dollars a week," but does not see how it can be done, and asks if we ever knew of a case. We have known of several cases. One loafer that we know married a dressmaker, and as she boarded him and gave him two dollars a week for spending money, he got in jail as a vagrant. We have known several loafers to marry girls that dance and sing in variety shows, and the poor wives managed to give the brutes two dollrs a week to buy cigars and whiskey, and they got along very well. Any young fellow who wants to live on two dollars a week should look for a girl who can earn something for him, and when he proposes for her hand, and the girl knows he has no means of support, is lazy and will be a burden upon her, she wants to kick him till he sees stars. It makes us tired to think of a working girl supporting a lazy young loafer.

THE SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Fatten and market dry ewes as soon as possible. Some ewes which have lost their lambs, or from which they have been taken, will need to have the milk partially removed from their full udders for a few days. Neglect not to remove filthy tags. It is well also to clip the wool from about the udders, as much disease in the lambs is often caused by filth from the ewe's wool. There is but little in favor of washing wool on the sheep's back, and for old and feeble animals it is a positive injury. The practice is unnecessary, disagreeable, and dangerous to health of both men and sheep and may well be abolished. Sheep ought to be so kept, that the unwashed wool may be clean enough for market. Newly shorn sheep need protection during storms. If this be looked after properly, early shearing is not objectionable. After shearing the ticks gather on the lambs, and may be destroyed by dipping them in tobacco water, with sulphur added, or one of the various effective "Sheep Dips."—American Agriculturist for May.

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A story is told of an old gentleman who always took notes of his minister's sermon, and on one occasion read them to the minister himself. "stop! stop!" said he, at the occurence of a sentence; "I did't say that." "I know you didn't," was the reply; "I put that in myself to make sense."

The flood at the break-up of ice in the Red River is unusually high this season. Winnipeggers who rested in fancied security from damage, have been rudely awakened by the sweeping away of the Broadway Bridge. The Louise Railway Bridge is badly damaged, and is liable to be carried away It is some years since the flood has risen to its present height, and the injury to the business interests of Winipeg at the present will be difficult to estimate.

A country gentleman, riding in an out-of-the-way part, came to the edge of a morass, which he considered not quite safe to pass. Seeing a peasant lad, he asked him whether the bog was hard at the bottom.

'O, yes, quite hard," replied the youth.

The gentleman rode on, but his horse began to sink rapidly.

"You rascal!" shouted he; "did you not say it was hard at the bottom?"

"So it is," rejoined the youth; "but you're not half way down to it yet."

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Markdale, Feb. 20, 1882, 67-y

Facts and Fancies.

Flesherton is to have a cheese factory.

Mr. Dunlop has commenced his brick building.

King Cetewayo will shortly visit England.

Why is a cow's tail like the letter F? Because it's the end of beef.

Mr. Reynolds has the most of the material on the ground for his brick residence.

S. J. Coleman has erected a dwelling this spring, and is pushing it forward rapidly.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers, machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

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ADVERTISING is to business what food is to existence. It should be regular, adequate and varied.

A man never looks so much like a red-handed villain as when he is told by the photographer to "look pleasant."

Now's the time for the amateur gardener to be hunting up his utensils, and cleaning up the rubbish around the house.

The cost of administering the land act to date has been £30,000, and the reductions made in rent amount to 30,000.

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better that any other oil in the market. Ask your local dealer and take no other.

Mrs. Kennedy, lady well known in Brantford, committed suicide on Saturday last by taking poison. No reason is assigned for the act.

The Queen sent two wreaths one of immortelles and another of primroses, to be placed on Earl Beaconsfield's grave on the anniversary of his death.

Lee the man accused of the murder of Maggie Howie, of Napanee is attempting to starve himself to death. He has resolutely refused food for several days.

Silver dollars with holes in them are painfully numerous, but they are not half so painfully numerous as holes without any silver found around them.

"I declare," said Julia, "you take the words right out of my mouth." "No wonder; they are so sweet," said Henry. The day was set that evening.

"I see," said a freshman, "how one can find out how far away the stars are, and their size, and all that, but I can't see how they ever found out their names."

Eighty workmen employed on the cathedral at Moscow, in which the coronation of the Czar takes place, have been arrested in consequence of the discovery of a mine under the building.

The American suspects have been offered their release conditional upon their leaving the country, but it is said have refused to accept these terms, and acting under advice from Washington, have demanded immediate release or trial.

We warn any of our readers who may occasionally go to Toronto or to other cities, where gas is used, that gas must not be blown out in the same manner as a lamp. Several deaths have resulted of late through neglecting the simple matter of turning off the gas.

WHITTAKER went up to his room the other afternoon and noticed that there was only one match remaining in the box. "Now, if that should'nt burn to-night when I come in," soliloquised he, "what a fix I should be in." So he tried it to see if it was a good one. It was.

We admire the Osprey Tp. clerks mode of giving the minutes of the council in a condensed form, leaving out the moved by and seconded by, and simply giving the names of those who move and second in their order. Township clerks generally would do well to follow suit.

The Queen's assailant, McLean was placed on trial at Windsor Wednesday on an indictment charging him with high treason. Evidence was given by the superintendents of two lunatic asylums that he was not responsible for his acts, and the jury returned a verdict of "Not Guilty," on the ground of insanity. He is to be detained in custody during Her Majesty's pleasure. The deliberations of the jury in this case occupied but five minutes.

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GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.53 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.56 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.16 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.00 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.38 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.03 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.26 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.36 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.06 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.23 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.36 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
†Carlton	7.28 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
†Emery	7.56 "	4.45 "
†Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.36 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.28 "	6.23 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
†Orangeville June	9.57 "	7.00 "
†Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
†Crombie's	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.29 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8.06 "
†Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton & P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.52 "
†Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
†Arnott	12.33 "	9.35 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
†Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	10.15 "

MARKDALE.

FRIDAY, April 21st 1882.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.16	to	1.26
Fall do. do. do.	1.16	to	1.24
Barley	0.65	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.41
Peas	0.75	"	0.76
Potatoes.	0.60	"	0.65
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0.50		1.65
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.14
Tallow	0.07	"	0.08
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

FRIDAY, April 7th. 1882.

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	0.00
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.19	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.23
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.39	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.59	"	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.12½	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60	"	1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.10	to	$1.12
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.15	to	1.18
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.68	to	.72
Oats " 1	.34	to	.36
Butter " 1	.17	to	.20
Eggs		to	.12
Potatoes "	50	to	55
Pork "	7.50	to	7.75
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30	to	$1 31
Wheat, spring, do.	1 34	to	1 37
Barley, do.	0 76	to	0 82
Oats, do.	0 44	to	0 45
Peas, do.	0 75	to	0 82
Rye, do.	0 82	to	0 83
Clover Seed do.	4 50	to	4 70
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	8 00	to	8 25
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 45	to	0 60
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	50	to	0 75
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 00
Butter, large rolls	23	to	0 25
Butter, tub dairy		to	0 25
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	1 00	to	3 00
Potatoes per bag	1 15	to	1 25
Onions, per bag	1 20	to	1 30
Hay	9 00	to	15 00

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes 7 00 p.m.
Going South 4 30 p.m.
" North 11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail 7 00 p.m,

The political equilibrium is pretty well maintained at Ottawa. Seven Liberal members voted with the Government on the question of the Ontario boundry award' and on the other hand seven Conservatives voted with the Opposition on the resolutions introduced by Mr. Blake in regard to Canada's commercial relations.

Darwin is to be buried in Westminster Abbey with other distinguished people. He has a great deal better claim to lie in the Abbey than many who have been laid there, and there will be no outcry against him as there was against the young French prince who was killed by the Zulus. Darwin has been denounced as an infidel and an atheist, but the world recognizes that he was a great man—a king among his fellows in the realm of thought.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

The Council met at Singhampton on the 17th inst. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Communications received from co. treasurer re lot 23, con 4.

W. Slight and five others petition praying that John Ferguson receive a loan of $20. and 2 bls flour. From Pellatt and Osler deed of deviation road on lot 29 con 13.

Motions.—Mc Intyre, Taylor. That the fence now crossing 40 sideroad between lots 40 and 41, con 2 N. be removed forthwith by David Forest.

Taylor, Mc Intyre. That the clerk be instructed to write to the co treasurer to find out the amount of taxes if any against lots 62 and 63 in 3rd con S.

Johnson, Mc Intyre. That John Ferguson be lent the sum of $20 repayable ½ on 1st Dec. 1882. ½ 1st Dec 1883. to the treasurer of Osprey, as he is unable to buy seed grain and that the reeve issue his order for the amount.

A deputation from Singhampton consisting of Messrs Sing and Grant (supported by James Hamilton Esq of Nottawasaga council) appeared before the council asking a grant to make sidewalks through the town of Singhampton.

Taylor, Johnson. That D. Bine receive $3 per quarter and that this motion stand in effect until repealed. Lost.

Speers, Mc Intyre. That D. Bine receive $4 per quarter and that this motion stand in effect until repealed and that the reeve issue the order for one quarters pay forthwith. Carried.

Johnson, Mc Intyre. That J Rutherfords tender for printing $63 be accepted and that the clerk send the minute book and by-laws to the printer.

Taylor, Johnston. That Hector Mc Donald receive $6 for cutting and keeping open a ditch on south side of the 4th line opposite lot 34 and that the reeve issue his order for the same.

Taylor, Johnson. That the assessment committee and clerk meet at Feversham on the 12th May to examine the assessment role.

Speers, Johnston. That this council adjourn to meet in Maxwell as a court of revision on the last Monday in May next.

W. Milne. clerk.

Singhampton Ap. 17th. 1882

PROTON COUNCIL.

SPECIAL MEETING.

The council met at call of reeve at Mc Colloughs Hotel Dundalk, on Wednesday afternoon April 19th.

Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed.

An order was issued in favor of James Cavanagh tp, clerk for the following amounts:—

Quarters salary as treasurer	$18,75
do do do clerk	$37.50
Stationery for election	82
Returning officer municipal election	$5.00
Stationery for audit of 1881.	74
Clerks postage to date	$2.82

The clerk to write to the co. treasurer to asertain the amount of arrears of taxes against lots 16 & 17, Mc Auleys survey west of railroad, Dundalk and if the statute labor was returned against the same.

The collector Mr. Skeffington to be paid his salary $85. and the sum of $8 for postage, stationery, book cover and other expenses.

Lot 39 to 42 included on con. 9 & 10 to be formed into a road beat and Charles Clark be pathmaster.

Murty Egan to receive $2. for work done on 22nd sideroad, and Jas, Roseborough $2 for work done on line between 2nd & 3rd con.

$4 to be received from David Byers in lieu of statute labor lot 34 con 7 and passed to commissioner of the division for expenditure.

$150 to be expended in each electoral division for road improvements out of funds now in treasury. Moneys as general funds in lieu.

The following resolution moved by Robert Black seconded by James Robinson was carried:

That the petition of Thos Hanbury A. G. Hunter, and 73 other ratepayers of s.s. 1 praying the council to pass a by-law for the drainage of the said s.s. as provided by the Municipal Drainage Act, be approved and adopted, and that Isaac Traynor, P. L. S. be appointed to make the necessary survey, &c. immediately, and that the reeve be requested to make the most favorable arrangements and terms possible, and progress the matter otherwise.

MELANCTHON COUNCIL

The Council met at the Town Hall, on Thursday, the 6th inst: A communication was read from Mr. W, H. Beatty, Solicitor of the T. G. & B. Railway, respecting certain agreement between the municipality and the railway company.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the railway company that their proposition asking the Council to agree to the re-payment of the sidings bonus at any time when called upon could not be entertained.

Samuel Swift was paid $1 50 for wood for Town Hall. Robert Hockley. $6, to purchase provisions for himself; J. Gleeson for ditching on 270 sideroad, $12 98; Richard Bale, to purchase seed grain, $15; and the clerk $5, to pay for registration of the railway by-law and schedule.

By-law No. 86. was read a first and second time, and ordered to be published in the FREE PRESS. The by-law is for the purpose of draining parts of the six concessions northwest of 240 sideroad

The *Gazette* Printing Company was ordered to be paid the sum of $17 50 for publishing railway by-law, and for posters. Wm. Salk was refunded 75 cents, overcharge in taxes for 81. The clerk was instructed to notify the collectors to return their rolls by next meeting of council.

FLESHERTON.

Mr. R. J. Sproul has returned from Manitoba, he says buildings are erected in an incredible short time. for instance, the city council decided to erect an emigrant shed, the accommodation being inadequate; and in twelve days they had a building complete 150X30 feet and two story high.

Mr. Wm. Elder of the Flesherton Hotel gives up business there on Monday the 1st May when A. Munshaw Esq will take possession. Mr Elder has kept up the reputation of the house and Mr. M. no doubt has not forgotten how to cater to the public wants and will be as in the past, A Model Hotel keeper.

THE SECRET of BEAUTY

No cosmetic in the world can impart beauty to a face that is disfigured by unsightly blotches arising from impure blood. Burdock Blood Bitters is the grand purifying medicine for all humors of the blood. It makes good blood and imparts the bloom of health to the most sallow countenance.

A cough or cold contracted in the month of April if not speedily arrested is liable to stick to one during the whole summer. Dr. Carson's Pulmonary Cough Drops speedily cure Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Pain and oppression of the Chest and all Throat Chest and Lung Affections. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher or mill man in fact any man who runs machinery and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor Oil and won't gum or clog your Machinery.

Mr. J. C. Griffith of Owen Sound called at our office on Monday, and we learned from him that had it not been for the high price at which propery was held in this place by certain parties, he would have been a resident. He is a manufacturer and a good business man hence the greatr loss to our village.

The Liberal conservative convention for South Grey was held in Durham on the 20th inst, and was largely attended. Mr Blythe, Reeve of Normanby, and Geo Jackson Esq. M. P. unaminous choice of the convention as candidates for the Local House, and dominion Parliaments respectively at the coming elections.

A GOOD FILTER.

To have pure water in the house every family should have a good filter, the health and comfort depends largely upon the use of properly filtered water. The liver is the true filter for the blood, and Burdock Blood Bitters keep the liver and all the secretory organs in a healthy condition. It is the grand blood purifying, liver regulating tonic.

One of the oldest, most respected and well known inhabitants of the township of Holland. Mr. William Williams, passed away on Sunday, 9th inst. He was a native of Devonshire, England; came to this country in 1842, and after 8 years of residence in Toronto and vicinity came to Holland in 1850. Here he resided till his death at the age of 80 years. One of his sons is the Rev. W. Williams of Guelph. and the others are settled in different parts of this county.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

ADVICE TO SOME OF OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Never write with pen and ink. It is altogether too plain, and doesn't hold the minds of the editors and printers closely enough to their work.

Don't punctuate. We prefer to punctuate all manuscript sent to us.

And don't use capitals. Then we can punctuate and capatalize to suit ourselves; and your article, when you see it in print will astonish even if it does not please you.

Don't try to write too plainly. Poor writing is an indication of genius. It's about the only indication of genius that a great many men possess. Scrawl your article with your eyes shut, and make every word as illegible as you can. We get the same price for it from the rag-man as though it were covered with copper-plate sentences.

THE RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor.

Sir, My original question was, why the great difference between the report of the Markdale revival, and other revivals reported in scripture? Your answer was hardly clear. I asked for fuller explanation, and you refer me to the Methodist pastor.

Now if the pastor will shew us in your paper that the same results followed the preaching and believing at Markdale as resulted from the same cause at Jerusalem, &c., it will be very pleasing and satisfactory. Or if he will shew that the result should be different now from then, it will be equally satisfactory.

CONSTANT READER.

The following is the common sense treatment for a horse out of condition (in fact all horses require like treatment this time of year) a good Purging Ball following by a course of strong tonic powder. These are both to be had in Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture, as each package contains a throughly good purging ball and over a pound of strong Tonic Powder. Ask your druggist about it A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.

Agent for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS of Montreal,
AGRICULTURAL of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

THOS. MATHEWS,
HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY!
IN CONNECTION.

GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct 25th, 1881

MARKDALE

Marble Works

Monuments, Tombstones!

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 46-ly

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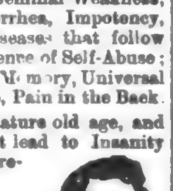
GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

Before Taking.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back. Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.



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THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
1-ly Toronto, Ont., Canada

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

42 Cedar st. New York

TORONTO HOUSE, MARKDALE.

Has the largest and best assorted stock in town.

DRY GOODS. I am showing all the latest designs in Dress Goods, & have large Stock of Prints, Ducks, Denims, Shirtings, &c. Also a magnificent range of English, Scotch, and Canadian Tweeds. Suits made to order by a first-class tailor. Ready-made Clothing in Suits and single garments, cheap for cash. Gents' Hats in great variety at Bottom Prices.

GROCERIES. Fresh and cheap in every line. TEAS a specialty.

CROCKERY & GLASSWARE Stock complete at right prices.

BOOTS & SHOES. The best selected stock in the county.

HARDWARE, PAINTS, OILS, & VARNISHES. Builders should give me a call.

You can save money by purchasing your Goods at the

Toronto House, Markdale.

WM. BROWN.

35-85

AGENTS WANTED. —Big pay.— Light Work. Steady Employment Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Nassau street New York. 90

MAKRDALE
Meat Market.

A constant supply of

Fresh Meats!

on hand, at the Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.
FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80-ly

SALESMEN WANTED.

To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the

Fonthill Nurseries,

THE LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.
BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL, P. Q., and ST. PAUL. MINN.

NURSERIES, FONTHILL, ONT.

We can start in addition to our already large force

100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been. If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.

Apply to

STONE & WELLINGTON,
Nurserymen, Toronto, Ont.
80-106

Rare Chances.

A choice lot for sale in the best business part of Markdale, being lot No. , south side of Mill street. Has a comfortable dwelling house, shop, and stable; also soft and hard water. Will be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to

WM. WALKER, Markdale P. O.
or to C. W. RUTLEDGE, "Standard" office
73-31

EUGENIA
Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

69ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and fare at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.

THIS SPACE IS FOR
J. G. IRVING,
Pump
Manufacturer.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RENEWER

Has been in constant use by the public for over twenty years, and is the best preparation ever invented for RESTORING GRAY HAIR TO ITS YOUTHFUL COLOR AND LIFE.

It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off and thus AVERT BALDNESS.

It cures Itching, Eruptions and Dandruff. As a HAIR DRESSING it is very desirable, giving the hair a silken softness which all admire. It keeps the head clean, sweet and healthy.

The State Assayer and Chemist of Mass. and leading Physicians endorse and recommend it as a great triumph in medicine.

BUCKINGHAM'S DYE FOR THE WHISKERS

will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

PREPARED BY R. P. HALL & CO., NASHUA, N. H.
Sold by all Dealers in Medicine.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

ound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes'

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

MARKDALE
Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale, May 27th, 1881.

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STANDARD.

April 28th 1882.

OTHER NOTICES

...walks are being repaired,
...will be open next

...towels 3½ cents each at

...and wife left Markdale ...day for Manitoba.

...district meeting in Markdale ...18 May.

...load of freight arrived ...last week.

...ball croquet sets at the ...A. Turner & Co,

...has been going on in ...respecting dancing.

...towelling 10 cents at

...hardware merchant ...gave us a call last Tues-

...is erecting the out ...new building on George

...meeting in the Metho- ...Markdale, on Sunday the

...is showing first class ...and sewing machines ...prices.

...hollands 12½, 16, 20 & 22 ...ds.

...the railway between ...Wiartan is now being ...ard.

..., Esq, Reeve of Glenelg ...broken on his way home ...last Saturday.

...Irish laces, fringes, ...shirtings, table lines, ...all at wholesale ...

...of the grist mill at Aven- ...race below last week, ...one in the mill at the

...McGregor, one of the ...in Ontario takes com- ...Francis Smith this sea-

...will preach in the ...church at 10 30 a. m. next ...Rev A. Wilson at 7 p.m.

...village lots have recently ...at Flesherton Station ...has been opened the

...is out with "young ..." This is a fine young ...will no doubt be well

...this week wonderfully ...at W. Mcfarlands; only ...doing business in ...Call and see them.

...Swiss embroideries, cheap ...

...Freeborn ... a fine young draught ...He weighs some 1950 ...Sproul, manager.

...and save money, W. ...to supply watches ...figure as any wholesale or ...in Canada. See his stock

...consignment of ... have arrived. ...purchasers can count on ...latest styles and lowest ...Cheapside.

...Campaigne of Flesherton ...this season a Blood Horse ..."Puzzler" in this section of ...The above horse is from ...Messenger stock, is a fast ...won many prizes at ...and will no doubt take

...will be held at Revere ...dale on Friday 28th at ...p. m. for the purpose of ...officers and other business ...with the celebration of ...Birthday.

...John Broughton of ...township, ... Flesherton ...from amongst us by ...death, the latter on the ...the former on the 19th of ...were true christians, and ...citizens. Mr. Broughton was ...of age at his death and Mrs. ...72.

...of the Belfast house is ...with fresh groceries and ... Give him a call. He is ...oldest residents, and is al- ...to see his many friends. ...of those books," Life ...of Wilson Benson, ...himself," for sale.

...Ode to Her Majesty as ...the social last Wednesday ...very great credit upon ... Perhaps all his audi- ...aware that Mr. Clark's ...was his own composition.

...there a man with soul so ...

...himself hath never said. ...has come and bless my

...$10 bill in my fist. ...to Mcfarlands. and get ...wonderful cheap suits.

...of the "lather and shave" ...House, has left the village. ...to be well filled by ... whose ... his said ..."Kulers" has caused

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NEWS NOTES.

It is expected that Parliament ... rise on the 9th of May.

The funeral of the late Charles R. Darwin took place at Westminster Abbey on Wednesday.

A fire in the Credit Valley Railway roundhouse Toronto, Monday morning destroyed about $40000 worth of property.

A Montreal baker is suing the city for false seizure of light bread.

Chinese immigrants are pouring into British Columbia at the rate of seven thousand a week.

It is rumoured at Ottawa that the Dominion elections will take place on the 28th of June.

Mr. Duncan Mc Intyre, vice-president of the Pacific railway, sails for England about the 20th May.

A steamer caught fire on the St. Johns River, Florida, yesterday, and was totally destroyed. Nine lives were lost.

The bill of exceptions in Guiteau's case was filed yesterday in the supreme court in banc and the hearing set for May 8th.

Navigation fairly opened at Quebec yesterday; simultaneously therewith the Lachene canal was thrown open to traffic.

The Lampton Assizes opened yesterday. There being no criminal cases Mr. Justice Galt was presented with a pair of white gloves.

The wife of Dr. Mc Donald, at Golding's Landing, Queen's county, took strychine the other day by mistake for morphine, causing her death.

MARY—Who had that little lamb
Had Teeth as white as snow;
She always brushed them twice a day
With "TEABERRY" you know.

Mr. Robt. Olever, is one of the most enterprising and prosperous farmers of Artemesia. He says the Manitoba fever has no effect on him. He has sold several store cattle this season at from $50 to $60 each.

A bonnet popular with men. "With this bonnet wear the mouth open," is the code of instructions furnished by a Parisian milliner with one of her efforts. Whenever a milliner shall design a bonnet, which shall need the direction, "The mouth must be worn shut with this," all married men will rush in and buy it and be happy.

A subscribers wife died in Grey and as the mourners were carrying her to the grave they tripped against a stump and let the coffin fall. She revived, having been only in a deep trance. Two years after she really died, and as they were carrying her down the same road and near the same stump the disconsolate widower sobbed: 'Steady, boys! Steady, there! Be very, very careful.

CARRY THE NEWS.

Near TILSONBURG. Ont.

I have been ailing for years with Biliousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try ZOPESA by Mr Thomson, (of the firm of C. Thomson & Co. druggists of this place) and, many thanks to him, I am now an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds, through the use of this new compound.

MRS. CAROLINE FORBES,
Dec. 14; 1881. Wife of Mr R. G. Forbes.

The above letter is a fair specimen of very many being constantly received. The writer is of the highest respectability, and can easily be communicated with.

ZOPESA is not a cure-all, but we guarantee it to cure Dyspepsia in its many forms, and all Bilious or Liver troubles. The price is but 75 cents, and can be had of druggists and country dealers everywhere.

Respectfully, ZOPESA CHEMICAL CO.
85-8. bk 89.

A LECTURE TO YOUNG MEN ON THE LOSS OF MANHOOD

WE have recently published a new edition of **Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay** on the radical and nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage etc., resulting from excesses.

☞ Price, in a sealed envelope, only 6 cts., or two postage stamps.

The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from thirty years' successful practice, that alarming consequences may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicines or the use of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

☞ This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

Address

The Culverwell Medical Co.,
41 Ann St., New York.

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., ... Beekman st., N. Y.

AGENTS wanted to sell ... Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. ... stamp for catalogue and terms. ...
EDISON MUSIC CO., ... Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

... Township of Proton,
April 24th, 1882.

... the council of the Municipality of the Township of Proton, will meet as a Court of Revision for this Municipality, at John A. Scarlett's Hotel, Village of Hopeville on the third Tuesday, (16th day) of May, at the hour of ten o'clock, a.m. on that day.

JAMES CAVANAGH
Township Clerk.

FARMERS & MECHANICS'
ESTATE, LOAN AND
General Agency.
DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.
Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

SEEDS!
PURE SEEDS!

FOR ALL KINDS OF
Field, Flower & Garden Seeds
GO TO THE
Dundalk Drug Store.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,
C. W. PARSONS.

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds always on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

THE "LONDON HOUSE," DUNDALK.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains.

This is the right house to get bargains in Dry Goods, besides getting the very latest English and French fashions. Why? Because they come direct from the manufacturers, thereby saving all wholesale profits.

Come and see our Dress Goods, fashionable and fancy, 10 to 85c. per yard. Come and see our Cashmeres, from 25c to 80c per yd.

Come and see our Ladies' Cloth Coats, from $1.50 to $10. The largest and best stock of dry goods ever shown in Dundalk to select from.

See our Scotch, West of England, and Canadian Tweeds, from 50c to $1.50 per yd. A splendid assortment and unequalled in quality and style.

See our late importations of Gents' Ready-made Clothing, London made Overcoats, style and fit unsurpassed. Have enabled for another case. Also a replete case of Shawls, Flannels and other goods.

Large consignment of new and fresh Groceries just delivered. A fine and delicately flavored Tea which I can sell at 8 pounds for a dollar. I am determined that our friends travelling over the desperately rough roads to Dundalk shall be repaid for their trouble by getting bargains in every department.

crockery and Glassware Department, which is now replete with every necessary. Handsome China Tea Setts at $5.50. Handsome Glass Setts, price 50c.

BUY WHERE YOU CAN BUY CHEAPEST. FAIR DEALING AND NO FAVOUR.

W. S. HEWETSON.

Dundalk, Jan. 19th, 1882.

1,000,000!
Logs Wanted!

THE SUBSCRIBERS ARE PREPARED to pay the
Highest Price in Cash!
for any quantity of good sound Saw Logs—hard and soft wood.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER KEPT ON HAND.

Bills Filled on Short Notice.

☞ Special attention paid to custom sawing.

P. S.—None but good timber wanted.

G. S. BROWN & SON.
Markdale, Jan. 11th, 1882. 70-tf.

FARMERS, Look to your interests, and get Sargent's Patent LOAD LIFTING MACHINE this season.

It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county.
Wm. SARGENT, Berkeley P.O. or, Groves & McInnes, Mail Office, Toronto. 84-97

JOHN NOBLE,
MARKDALE.
GENER'L BLACKSMITH
HORSESHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

WANTED A YOUNG MAN TO LEARN BRICKLAYING, STONECUTTING, and PLASTERING, to commence work immediately. Apply to T. B. DAVIS, Builder, Markdale, Ont.

RE-ACTION

HARDWARE!

Cut Nails - -	$3.10	Hay Fork - -	60c.
Clinch Nails -	8cts per lb.	Steel Hoes -	50c.
Barndoor Hinges,	6c. per lb.	Do. Axes	80c.
Logging Chains	7c. per lb.	Manure Fork -	$1 00
Steel Spades -	- 90c.		

Gold Medal White Lead, 25 lbs. for $1.50. All other Shelf Goods at equally low prices.

A Select Stock of Farmers' and Mechanics' HARDWARE always on hand.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

J. Gardiner, Dundalk.

Always on hand a large stock of Tin, Sheet-Iron, and Copper-Ware of my own Manufacture.

STOVES of all kinds at Bottom Prices.

ATTENTION!

This is to certify that I have secured full control, in the villages of Dundalk, Flesherton, and Markdale, and the surrounding country for the CHARLES RAYMOND SEWING MACHINE; manufactured in Guelph, and the Wilson B Sewing Machine manufactured in Hamilton; and am now the only authorised dealer in said Machines for said Territory. Every Machine is well guaranteed.

The best Canadian and American Organs and Pianos are represented. W. F. Doll represents me in Markdale, and keeps a good stock of Sewing Machines on hand; call and see. Book and Stationery Business will be carried on by me in Flesherton; a full stock will be on hand in a few days.

Farmers, Look to your Interests.

H. L. THURSTON,
FLESHERTON.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at
Flesherton Station and Eugenia,
are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of
DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c
FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881.

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
A. M'INTYRE
Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!
McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.
McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork
McINTYRE'S Coffee. Coffee.
McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

GREAT DISCOUNT SALE
—AT—
"CHEAPSIDE."

FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS

I will offer to the public my entire stock of Dry Goods, consisting of

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Lustres, Shawls, Prints, Winceys, Velveteens, Embroideries, Ladies's Ulsters, Mantles, Tweeds, Ready-made Clothing, Hats & Caps, Gent's Ties, Linen Collar, Dress Shirts, Overcoats, Fancy Flannels, Ducks, Oxford Shirtings, Carpets, &c.

THE ABOVE STOCK WILL BE SOLD AT
10 PER CT. DISCOUNT on FORMER PRICES
and must be run off by the middle of March, in order to make room for my Spring importations from Britain, which will arrive about the 20th of March.

TERMS CASH.

Thanking the inhabitants of Markdale and the surrounding country for the very liberal manner in which they have patronized me since commencing business, and ... a continuance of the same, I am yours truly,

HENRY FOSTER.

TIMELY WARNING

Now is the season for sudden colds and distressing coughs. Treat them with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. It cures influenza, asthma, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints leading to consumption.

MAXWELL.

The English Sunday School at Maxwell will be re-opened on Sunday, Ap. 30th, at half-past nine o'clock in the morning. Let all make an earnest effort to be present, considering neither bad roads, or bad weather, because so much depends upon a good commencement.—Parish Magazine.

The annual Vestry Meetry of St. Mary's, Maxwell was held on Easter Tuesday evening. Rev. J. Ward in the chair. The vestry clerk's report showed balance on Offertory A/c $23 .08. $290.05 has been paid on addition to church, leaving $327.96 to pay. The wardens were re-elected, also the vestry clerk. Caretaker's salary was increased to $15. Vote of thanks, togetherwith $10, presented by congregation (through the energy of Mrs T. Ross) to Miss Burk for her kind services as Organist. Messrs J. & J. Clark were appointed auditors. The offertory has increased from $18.23 in 1878 to $97.02 in past year. In several things there is a marked improvement in this congregation. Parish Magazine.

MAXWELL CHURCH BUILDING FUND.

RECEIPTS.

As per A/c. rendrd, Feb.	$276 25
Mr W. Clark ...	2 00
Collected by Mr Miles	1 00
Mrs E. Linley ...	1 00
Mrs J. Madill ...	2 00
Mr David Madill ...	5 00
Lamp sold ...	1 80
Table	0 75
Door	0 75
Balance owing ...	327 86
	$617 91

EXPENDITURE.

As per A/c rendered, Feb.	588 05
Turpentine ...	0 96
Blacksmith, Ramsay ...	5 00
Loan of Screw Jacks ...	2 00
Mr D. Madill, teaming, Collingwd.2, Eugna.3, Mkdl. 1.	10 00
400 ft Pine ...	5 00
500 ft Hemlock ...	3 50
Plank	0 57
Nails, Trimble ...	8 15
	$617 91

CURRENT EXPENSES ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Offertories ...	$97 02
Lamp, &c. sold ...	4 50
	$101 52

EXPENDITURE.

Mission Fund, 4 coll ...	4 88
Algoma Missions ...	2 97
Widows and Orphans ...	1 69
Missionary Meeting ...	2 40
Painting Fund ...	3 85
Building Fund ...	25 25
Huron College, Coll. ...	1 53
R., Maxwell's services...	6 00
Wine	1 75
Repairs to Organ ...	10 00
Insurance	7 50
Stole $2 Fence lumber $3	5 00
Sundries 5 62, Balnc. 23 08	28 70
	$101 52

EUGENIA FALLS.

At the Vestry meeting Mr. Akitt and Mr. R. Cooper were re-appointed wardens.

ENGLISH CHURCH.
CURRENT EXPENSES ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Offertories as per Magazine	$11 65

EXPENDITURE.

Rent $3, Wood 50c.	$3 50
Washing Surplice ...	1 00
Mission Fund ...	1 16
Balance in hand ...	5 99
	$11 65

BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, KIDNEY, LIVER OR URINARY DISEASES.

Have no fear of any of these diseases if you use Hop Bitters, as they will prevent and cure the worst cases, even when you have been made worse by some great puffed up pretended [illegible]

In the month of April almost every one requires a good and reliable Blood Purifier. We know of none so safe and effectual as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They act directly on all the secretions, their purgative action carrying off all impurities from the system, they invigorate the Liver and Kidneys, purify the Stomach, cleanse the Bowels, and give strength and tone to the whole system. Try a course of this valuable safe and reliable vegetable preparation, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

A CURE FOR HEADACHE.

What physician has ever discovered a cure for headache? Echo answers none. But Burdock Blood Bitters by their purifying, invigorating, nervine properties afford a cure in nearly every case. The health-giving principles of this remedy are unequalled by any similar preparation in the world.

THE COMET.

Already the comet, now approaching this earth with such wonderful velocity can be seen readily with a pair of first-class opera glasses.

The comet is supposed to be distant from the earth 160,000,000 miles, but approaching us at the rate of 2,000,000 miles every twenty-four hours. On the 15th June the comet will be only 10,000,000 miles from the sun, and 3,000,000 from the earth. It has an unusually bright head and a long straight tail. It will be a magnificent object to the naked eye.

PRINTING
GOOD AND CHEAP,
Standard Office.
Markdale.

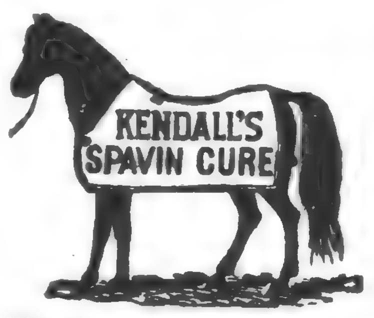
Our Premium

We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.



KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. R. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly.
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A
PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.
ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunions, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary [illegible]

St. Johns P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co. Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,
CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, P.Q., Wholesale Agents. 71.

Moffat Bros'.
MARKDALE
Foundry!
—AND—
MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of
MACHINERY REPAIRING
Turning and Boring,
WITH
General Lathe Work
Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!
And Plow Points
will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,
Sugar Kettles,
Land Rollers,
will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!
to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!
with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.
Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

C. A. OWEN,
Tailor,
Over McFARLAND'S,
MARKDALE.

☞ Special attention to Cutting. ☜

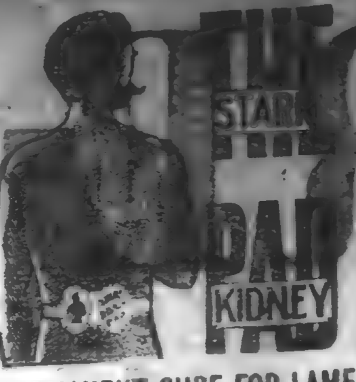
If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with
C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!
—AND—
CABINETMAKER
Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.
A GOOD HEARSE
for hire, charges moderate.
UNDERTAKING
promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.
Also a full stock of
Household Furniture!
Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.
A full stock of
RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES
which will be sold cheap for Cash.
Seasoned Lumber of all Kinds
Taken in exchange for Furniture.
G. GRANT,
MARKDALE
Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

STARTLING DISCOVERY!
LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.
A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address [illegible]

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.



A PERMANENT CURE FOR LAME BACK,
Piles, Diseases of the Kidneys, Bladder and Urinary Organs, of attendant complaints. INDUBITBLE EVIDENCE GIVING ENTIRE SATISFACTION.

Picton, April 20, 1881.

GENTLEMEN,—I find that your Pads are giving entire satisfaction, and wish you increased sales for so valuable a remedy for Diseases of the Kidneys. Signed,
DR. J. B. MORDEN.

Prices—Child's Pad, $1.50; Regular Pad, $2; Special Pad for Chronic Diseases, $3. Ask your Druggist for Pamphlet and Testimonials, free. Sold by
A. TURNER & CO., Markdale.
PARK BRO. CO., Owen Sound.
J. W. ELLIOTT, Chatsworth.
STEPHENS & McCARROLL, Meaford.
M. RICHARDSON, Flesherton.
HENRY PARKER, Durham.

HAGYARD'S
YELLOW OIL
CURES RHEUMATISM

FREEMAN'S
WORM POWDERS.
Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

HAGYARD'S
PECTORAL
BALSAM
CURES COUGHS, COLDS,
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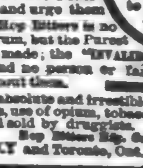
Burdock
Blood
Bitters
WILL CURE OR RELIEVE
BILIOUSNESS, DIZZINESS,
DYSPEPSIA, DROPSY,
INDIGESTION, FLUTTERING OF THE HEART,
JAUNDICE, ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH,
ERYSIPELAS, DRYNESS OF THE SKIN,
SALT RHEUM,
HEARTBURN,
HEADACHE,
And every species of disease arising from disordered LIVER, KIDNEYS, STOMACH, BOWELS OR BLOOD,
T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, TORONTO

Gold
Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

FLESHERTON
Harness Shop.
CORDON
Has always on hand a full assortment of
HEAVY HARNESS,
WHIPS,
SLEIGH BELLS,
TRUNKS,
HORSE BLANKETS,
—AND—
SCOTCH COLLARS!
Warranted to fit, and made of the very best material, and at the
LOWEST LIVING PRICES.
REMEMBER THE PLACE
RICHARDSON'S BLOCK.
J. GORDON.
N. B.—Good Stave and Shingle Timber taken.
Flesherton, Dec. 6th, 1881. 16.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.
A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.
No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.
They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.
To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.
No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life, it has saved hundreds.
$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B.
Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.
D.I.C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto, Ont.

Nothing Like Leather.



M. M. M'LEOD,
MARKDALE.
NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents; Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.
All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.
M. M. McLEOD.
Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.
Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of
W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton
Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.
FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS
We are receivin a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.
Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.
BULMER.
Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

—AT THE—
Dundalk Woollen Mills.
Where do you get Yours
P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.
W. H. PETERSON.
DUNDALK, Dec. 28 1881. 67-tf.

ALL MEN
Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey
SHOULD SEND FOR
Davis' Mammoth Catalogue
—OF—
Farms for Sale and to Let.
Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.
I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business.
In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.
Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.
ROBT. DAVIS,
Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

REYNOLDS & SONS,
Have just opened out their Spring Stock of
Dry Goods, Groceries, Glassware, Boots, Shoes, &c.,
At Prices never before offered in Markdale.
A Great Variety of PRINTS OF THE VERY LATEST PATTERNS.
A large stock of Boots & Shoes, manufactured by King & Co. Don't fail to see them.
Great Bargains in Teas!
Call, and try them.
Reynolds & Sons,
MARKDALE.

SEEDS!
PURE SEEDS
We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of
Field, Flower & Garden Seeds
COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass, Tares, &c.
Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.
We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.
Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods,
Pure Drugs & Chemicals.
Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.
A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall.
N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE
STORE
IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the
Largest and best Selected stock
Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.
NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY
Call and See Them.
I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Custom Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.
Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.
I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines
Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the
DOMINION ORGANS
which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.
All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.
Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881.
THOS. HANBURY.

LATE IMPORTATIONS
Of specially Attractive, Seasonable, [illegible]
Dry Goods
To hand, which we offer at
Greatly Reduced Prices.
IN BOOTS AND SHOES
We offer special values in every line.
OUR STOCK OF
Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, and Glassware
is very complete, and customers will find prices and values satisfactory in every department.
GIVE US A CALL AND SAVE MONEY!
by purchasing your supplies at the [illegible]
Wm BROWN
Markdale, Sept. 26th, 1881

Robt. S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881.

MARKDALE HOUSE
MARKDALE.
ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor
THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers.

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY.
REVERE HOTEL
1,000,000
Logs Wanted

Markdale Standard

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Wm. Lucas & Co., BANKERS,

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

WM LUCAS, Manager.

Spteember 23, 1880. 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,

DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with

WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB SLEIGHS,

... kinds of repairs in wood ... reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1 ly

REMOVED, REMOVED.

J. C. ATKINSON,

TAILOR,

Having removed to Main Street, is now prepared to fill all orders on the shortest possible notice.

—LATEST—

Fashion Plates!

RECEIVED REGULARLY.

CHARGES MODERATE.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Remember the Place

NEXT DOOR TO NELSON'S STORE, MAIN STREET.

Dundalk, Nov., 1881. 13-6m.

DUNDALK Meat Market!

Meat supplied wholesale and retail

Orders called for and meat delivered to any part of the town.

Shop on Main Street.

P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or sheep to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.

W. T. RUNDLE,

Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

NOTICE.

TAKE WARNING.

All persons indebted to the undersigned either by note or book account are requested to pay the same, on or before the 1st day of May, otherwise the same will be placed in suit for collection.

WM. NELSON

Glasgow House, Dundalk,
April 13th, 1882.

FOR SALE.

One Mare, 5 years old.
One Mare, 4 years old.
One Horse, 4 years old.
One Colt, 3 years old.

Also a quantity of Seed Peas, flail threshed.

WM. BROWN,

Markdale April 19, '82. 84-6

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Every Working Day.

By Thomas Smith.

☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.

Markdale, March 9th.

THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

GOOD PHOTOS

To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

☞ All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,

—AND—

MODERATE PRICES,

Is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

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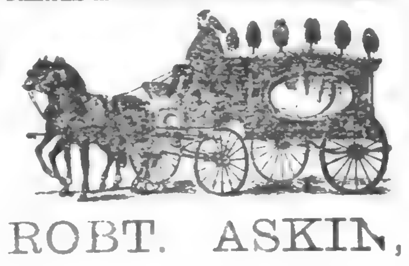

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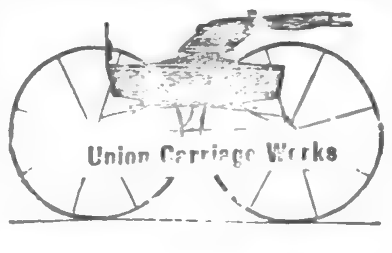

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Weep not parents, though your treasures,
Have been called from earth away;
Though when lifes bud just was opening,
Bursting forth like beauteous way
Touched by God's almighty fingers,
Withered by the blast of time,
Now amid angel bands transplanted
Blooming in a Heavenly clime.

Though your tender hopes are blighted
Though you've felt affliction's rod
Weep, oh, weep not as the hopeless
For your dear ones are with God.
He who "suffered little children"
Pressed them kindly to his breast;
Smiles upon your little children,
Entered into heavenly rest.

Little Lizzie's left your bosoms,
Fled a mother's fond embrace;
Safe within the arms of Jesus,
Lisping God's redeeming grace,
Morn, and dreary night and noonday
Grief and loneliness oppress,
Your fond circle has been broken
Naught on earth can e'er redress.

Every hour is quickly morning,
Sands of time wil soon be run.
Grant that you in Heaven may meet them,
When your earthly race is run.
Gently flow's lifes ruffled river
Wafting all towards the sea;
Sometimes buds are nipped in opening
Others may maturer be.

Did you pray the Heavenly Father
Viewing oft her slumbering lie
For a choice, and heavenly blessings?
God has hearkened to your cry.
Is not this a glorious answer
Blessed answer to your thoughts
Freed from all our earthly sorrows
Happy, happy is her lot.

You in love, no doubt, were wishing,
She would grow to life sublime;
Pictured out a happy future,
Hoped that fortune's sun would shine,
Far too pure, and much too precious
God had thought her, e'er he called,
To endure the earthly hardship,
Of a cold ungenial world.

Now your anxious thoughts will enter,
Not on worldly fleeting things,
God has drawn your hearts to Heaven,
Where the glad hosannah rings,
God by this severe bereavement,
Testifies his gracious love,
Binds your hearts more closely to him,
Fits your souls for heaven above.

Through the furnace of affliction,
God has called on you to go,
"Whom he loveth," "He afflicteth,"
In this billowy world below
God can pour the oil of comfort
On the spirit wounded sore
God can soothe the weray mourner
Look on him for ever-more.

Artemesia.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER VI. *Continued.*

SOMETHING VERY STRANGE.

And your pic-nic is inevitable, I suppose, Lady Dangerfield; and one must go and grill alive, and yawn all day, and get one's complexion destroyed with the boiling seaside sun, and call pleasure. You mean well Ginevra, but your ceaseless pleasure excursions grow to be ceaseless bores.

Lady Cecil said all this in the slowest, softest, laziest, tone of voice. She was lying on a sofa, in a loose, white morning robe, her bronze hair, loose and out of curl.

You laziest, you most indolent of mortals! get up instantly and be off and dress. The carriages will be here in half an hour. The picnic is inevitable, and you were one of the first to organize it.

Well, if I must, I must, I suppose. It is so fine this morning, that I am certain we will have a storm before night, and come home drenched. Half an hour did you say, Ginerva—I shall be ready.

A week had passed since the afternoon of Sir Arthur's and Major Frankland's arrival, and a very animated week it had been. Lady Dangerfield never grew weary in well-doing There had been long excursions to ruins, visits to gipsy encampment, awn billiards, boating parties, croquet and drives and gallops to every interesting spot for miles around.

What did Sir Arthur think of Lady Cecil, the greatest flirt of the season. No one could have told; not the young lady, certainly, his manner was calm, friendly, and genial, but far removed from her experience of love-making. Not her father, watching him, furtively, impatiently; he bore himself towards her with the distant courtesy.

Would he propose, or would he, after another week or so, say, 'Good-bye, Lady Cecil,' in the same cool, grave, unsmiling way in which he now said good morning and good night?

Cecil liked it, and liked him all the better for letting her so tranquilly alone. She was pretty, and fresh and bright, and knew it free from vanity; she was conscious of her own great beauty, as she was proud of her old name, but personal conceit she felt not Reassured by Sir Arthur's manner, she let herself grow friendly, and pleasant, and familiar, as it was in her genial nature to be. She got down off her stilts, walked and talked with him, and found, he could talk well. He could tell her, of fair, foreign lands of Australia and its wonderful hidden wealth—of bright, busy, trans Atlantic cities—of California, where he had lived among camps and mines, and reckless men, the sweepings of the world, who fly there for safety or for gold.

He told her of Algiers, where he had wintered last year, and of how narrowly his life had been saved. Lost on the desert, a flock of wild Bedouins, inflamed with rapine and liquor, had swept down upon him with shrill cries. He fought against terrible odds as long as he could, then, just as a lance head had pierced him, a horseman had ridden down like the wind, and with a ringing English cheer had laid about him, right and left, like a lion. Where-ever that flashing blade fell, an Arab bit the dust. Then faint and sick from loss of blood, he reeled from the saddle, and opened his eyes in his own quarters in Algiers.

'And the gallant Englishman who saved you?' Lady Cecil breathlessly asked.

Sir Arthur smiled.

The gallant Englishman was an Irishman. A very tiger to fight. His name was O'Donnell.

As he pronounced the name he looked at her but she was gazing at the summer sky.

'And he knew you,' he said.

'Yes,' Lady Cecil's tones had changed a little; but she turned now, and the brown eyes met the gray ones quite calmly. 'Yes, I did once know a Redmond O'Donnell—six years ago, I think—in Ireland. He mentioned knowing me, did he?'

'By the merest chance, in one day I came across very handsome copy of "Marmion," with your name on the fly-leaf. You had lent it to him it appeared and it never had been returned.'

'Captain O'Donnell seems fated to save people's lives,' said Cecil, laughing; 'he saved mine from drowning. Did he tell you? No? That is like his reticence. Are you aware he is in England?'

'No; I am not surprised though A fine fellow—a worthy descendant of his once princely house.'

Lady Cecil said nothing, but that night at parting she gave Sir Arthur her hand with a kindly cordiality she had never shown before

'He grows on one,' she said, to her cousin. 'I begin to like him.'

Ginevra shrugged her shoulder.

'So much the better, dear, for all concerned. Thirty thousand a year is a powerful inducement, I must confess; though he doesn't grow on me. He's a prig—who glowers one out of countenance with his great eyes, and who can neither dance nor play croquet. I hate clumsy men.

The sole mn, owl eyes Lady Dangerfield spoke of irritated her beyond measure by the way in which they watched her animated flirtation with Major Frankland. A flirting married woman was an anomaly he could in no wise understand.

He and Lady Cecil had grown friends, They were a great deal together, and the noble brow of my Earl of Ruysland began to clear. Cecil knew what she was about, of course; she wasn't going to fall at his feet the instant he arrived; if he were a true knight he would be wlling to woo and win so fair a lady. With her charming face to plead his cause, his charming fortune to plead his, there could be no doubt as to the issue.

Sir Arthur, Lady Cecil, the earl, and a young lady in apple-green muslin went together in the barcuche. Lady Dangerfield drove Major Frankland in her pony phæton. The rest of the young ladies followed in a barouuche, with two cavaliers on horseback; the only married lady of the party being the baronet's wife, who played cicerone! Sir Peter did not go.

It was an intensely hot day. Not a breath of air stirred.

'I knew we would grill to death—Lady Cecil remarked; 'but where is the use of warning Ginevra when she is bent upon anything? The three children survived the Fiery Furnace, and we may survive this, but I doubt it.'

'Don't be so plaintive, Queenie,' her father interposed; 'you'll survive?

It's warm,' Sir Arthur remarked, looking at the fair lily face beside him; and there's not a tree, not a shrub even, to ward it off. Suppose we go in search of verdure shade·

'Yes; go by all means, Queenie,' murmured the earl; and when you have found that oasis send me back word, and I'll join you.

Sir Arthur proffered his arm—Lady Cecil took it. Ginevra and the major with the rector's daughter had put off to sea in a little boat;; Squire Talbot was making himself agreeable to the young lady in apple green muslin; the rest had paired off.

It was not unpleasant being alone with Sir Arthur. In company, as a rule he had nothing whatever to say; But alone with an appreciative listener, he could talk well—on all subjects. He spoke of things high above the reach of most of men she had met, and Lady Cecil being a young lady of very fair intellect, appreciated him.

They had gone on now for nearly a mile. He was telling her of a frightful gorilla hunt he had once had in Africa, and just at the moment when the climax was reached, when the gorilla came in sight, and Lady Cecil's eyes and lips were apart, and breathless, he stopped as if he had been shot.

'Lady Cecel,' he cried, 'it's going to rain.' Patter! one great drop, the size of a pea, fell splash on Lady Cecil's startled upturned face.

Plump came another great drop on Lady Cecil's pink parasol. Oh, such a flimsy shield from a rain storm; and Lady Cecil's Paris hat had cost £60 only the week before, and Lady Cecil's summer dress was of Swiss muslin and lace, and her bronze slippers with their gay rosettes, delightful for dry sand and sunshine, but not to be thought of in connection with summer shower.

'What shall we do?' she exclaimed. 'I don't mind getting my death of cold in a drenching, but to go back and face the ... sheltered, no doubt ... and drinking ... and ... I can't d...

Sir Arthur has been scanning the horizon with eagle glance.

'I see a house,' he said; 'at least I see a tall chimney, and where there is a chimney there must be shelter. Let us make for it, Lady Cecil—we can reach it in five minutes, if we run. Can you run?'

'Certainly I can run,' answered La Reine Blanche. 'Oh, dear! how fast the drops are coming. Now, then, Sir Arthur—a fair field and no favor!'

And then, with a clear, merry laugh the haughty, handsome belle of the season gathered up her flowing, flimsy skirts, bowing her bright head, sped away like a deer before the storm. Sir Arthur ran, too; one may be ever so dignified, and yet scamper for their lives before a thunder storm. And Lady Cecil laughed, and Sir Arthur laughed' and faster, faster, faster fell the drops' and 20 years of ordinary acquaintance could not have brought them so near together as at that hour. On and on faster and yet faster, the rain pursuing them like an avenging fury, a great peal of thunder, booming above their heads. Blacker and bigger that great cloud grows; patter, patter, falls the rain; it will be down in torrents directly. The tall chimney is reached, and it proves to be a house! Sir Arthur flings wide the gate, and they skurry into the garden, thickly sheltered by fir-trees, and pause at last, wet, panting breathlessly, laughing, and looking into each other's flushed faces.

'I knew I could beat you, Sir Arthur, is the first thing Lady Cecil says, as well as she can for her throbbing heart beats. 'Oh, what a race And my poor parasol, and my lovely hat—spoiled! I can't see anything to laugh at, Sir Arthur—it was a beauty though you mayn't have had soul enough to appreciate it. And my slippers—see!'

It was a most dismal and greusome place, 'Good gracious! said Lady Cecil what a flash; and—oh—Heavens! Sir Arthur, did you see that?'

He followed her eye—to the front windows of the house—just in time to catch a glimpse of a woman's face as she pulled some one hastily away from the panes.

'That woman! do you know her?' he asked.

But Lady Cecil stood like one struck dumb.

'Do you know her?' he repeated·

'It—it is—it is—Miss Herncastle?

'It is Ginevra's governess. And that other face—that awful, gibbering mouthing face she drew away. Ugh! she shuddered and drew closer to him.

'Suppose we go up to the house and investigate.

They fled through the rain to the house. Crash went Sir Arthur's thunder on the panels. The door yielded to that tremendous knock and flew open, and they stood face to face with a tall, gaunt, grim old woman.

'I beg your pardon, ma'am,' the baronet said; 'I didn't mean to force an entrance in this way. Will you permit this lady to enter?'

'As you've bust the door open already, I suppose you may,' retorted the old woman.

She pointed to a couple of wooden chairs, then went out of the room, and upstairs. And then there came from down those stairs a long, low, wailing cry, so wild, so unearthly, that Lady Cecil, caught hold of the baronet's arm and looked at him with terrified eyes.

'Did you hear that!' she gasped.

Yes, Sir Arthur had heard it. He held her hand and listened a heavy door slammed above, then perfect silence fell.

'Let us leave this horrid house and and that harsh looking old woman, exclaimed Lady Cecil. 'I believe the place is uncanny. I prefer the rain.'

'I must insist upon your remaining 10 minutes longer, when the storm will have ceased. That was a strange cry—like someone in great pain.'

The old woman re entering, said, 'I hope my raven didn't frighten the lady. he do scream unearthly. That was him.'

She glanced at them to see if this was too much for their credulity.

Sir Arthur smiled.

'It did startle us a little. Your raven has a most lugubrious voice. What place is this?'

'Bracken Hollow.'

Lady Cecil started.

'Aye your ladyship, a main lonesom place.'

Do you live in this lonely place by yourself?'

Not quite, your ladyship; alone most of the time, but odd days a young woman from the town comes to help me redd up. Ye will have seen her, mayhap, at the upper window as ye came in?

'We did catch a glimpse of a face for a second at one of the upper windows. I suppose you are rarely intruded upon here as we intrude upon you just now?'

'Ay, rarely, rarely. I mind once,' —she rocked herself to and fro and looked dreamily before her—'I mind just once afore a young couple got ketched in the rain just as ye did, and came here for shelter. That was six years ago—and there's been many sad and heavy changes since then. He was rare an' handsome that day, and she—oh, it's a queer world—a queer world.

'Lady Cecil, the rain has ceased—I think we may venture forth now. Good-day to you, madame, and thanks for the shelter your roof has afforded.

He laid a soverign in her skinny hand.

'A fine gentleman and free with his money, and she—ah, it's a beautiful face, and it's a proud face, but there's always trouble in store for them as carries their heads so high, and them haughty eyes always sheds most tears. A fine gentleman and a beautiful lady, but there's trouble in store for them —trouble, trouble'

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Facts and Fancies.

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merely players.

Total eclipse of the sun, May 17.—visible in North Africa.

Eggs are 50 cents a doz. at Portage la Prairie.

An Illinois parrot lived to be a nuisance 72 years.

A big stir is going on in Durham over the township printing.

The T. G. & B. are building a new bridge near Toronto.

Mr. Lindsay, Sleswick, possesses a cow that recently gave birth to twin calves.

The Reeve of Osprey is being overhauled by the Flesherton Advance. He needs it.

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ADVERTISING is to business what food is to existence. It should be regular, adequate and varied.

Thos Cochrane was foiled in an attempt to elope with a maid, but with a newly married woman he was successful the next day.

The Proton council will meet again on Thursday 11th May next, as a Court of Revision, on the drainage assessment of drainage section No. 2.

A young man named Alex. Barry of Renfrew, accidentally shot himself in the back with a revolver, the ball entering the lung. No hope is entertained of his recovery.

A contemporary says that "criminal responsibility is the psychological possibility of the efficaciousness of the penal code." We should think so. What's your opinion?

Mr. Hendrie, President T. G. & B. says this line is not in any way mixed up with the fusion of the G.T and the G.W. The line is clear now, said he, and we intend to keep it so.

The English shareholders in the G. W. are unanimous in favour of fusion with G. T. R. In Montreal there is great jubilation, but in Ontario it is looked upon as a huge monopoly.

Mr Whyte, Ass. Superintendent of G. T. says, It is quite likely the G.T. will secure the T.G. & B.

An American inventor proposes to utilise the water power at Niagara Falls for generating electricity for lighting cities 400 or 500 miles distant.

The Prince of Wales, in writing in an album, says his favourite name for a woman is Louise, his favourite dish is truffles a Perigord, and his aim in life not to do anything to hurt the feelings of another.

The Princess of Wales' favourite name is Dagmar, her favourite dish is Yorkshire pudding, and her aim in life to mind her own business.

During service at an English church in England—not Canada, we know better here—the organist, in view of the recent attempt on the Queen's life commenced to play the national anthem. The vicar stopped him, and before all the congregation dismissed the loyal musician.

Men who recently went from Kingston to work on the Onderdonk contract complain that they are deceived, that the wages, though high, are swallowed up in charges upon them.

A Markdale boy came home from school very much excited and told his father that he believed all human beings descended from apes, which made the old man so mad that he replied angrily: "That may be the case with you, but it ain't with me, I can tell you that now.

The following is suggested as an improvement upon one of last week's Fancies. When you lose a needle on the floor, the quickest way to find it is to get the husband or the hired girl to take off shoes and walk about. It will sharpen them up,

MARY—Who had that little lamb
Had Teeth as white as snow;
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Rockford	5.40 a.m.	2.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	3.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.29 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton and Priceville	7.06 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.33 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.03 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.25 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.55 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.33 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
†Carlton	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
†Emery	7.53 "	4.48 "
†Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.18 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.25 "	6.22 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
†Orangeville Junc	9.57 "	7.00 "
†Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
†Crombie's	10.19 "	7.21 "
Shelburne	10.33 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8.06 "
†Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
†Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9.10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
†Arnott	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
†Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	10.15 "

Thursday, May 4

RAILWAY FUSION.

Nothing benefits general trade like opposition. Nothing paralyses trade like monopoly.

So long as there was no probability of the amalgamation of the G.T. and the G.W. Railroads, it mattered little whether the T.G.& B. was worked by one or the other of the two great lines. But now that the two main traffic arteries of Canada are united, and the T.G & B. remains one of the few independent lines, the people, not only of this place but all along the line, have very good reason to rejoice that the maw of the great railway monopoly has not swallowed up this line. The people must watch and do all in their power to prevent any amalgamation as would engulp the T. G.& B. Let the G.T. amalgamation open a line connecting this section with its main artery, and to this end we may work heartily.

HANLAN.

Edward Hanlan has again carried off the laurels. He has so thoroughly beaten Trickett, that we scan over the list of the list of the world's oarsmen and ask whence comes his next victim. In Hanlan, Canada possesses, not only the champion oarsman of the world but a professional athlete who has shown himself proof against temptation to do what would net him a fabulous amount of money. He has proved himself honourable, proud of his country, and anxious for her good name. Canada may well be proud of him.

MAY.

May has come. An Englishman thinks of hawthorn blossoms, the buttercups, daisies, primroses, and May-pole and May Queen bedecked with wild flowers. The Canadian expects to see the grass showing a bit of green, and see the fall wheat without clearing snow off the ground to enable him to do so. The Markdale merchant long ere May comes has a good display of spring clothing; straw hats take the place of wraps, furs are nowhere to be seen, e'en the old bus man discards his buffalo, and everybody creeps more or less out of the shell with which winter has encased them. But what a disappointment. The weather was too cold for even the warmest politician of Markdale to sit on a stump and talk politics.

PARLIAMENTARY LANGUAGE

Some of the members of Parliament are using pretty strong language. Their speeches bristle with coarse words, and the printed reports smell strongly of sulphur. This can hardly be said to be a good example [illegible] the young men of the [illegible] If [illegible] tesy and good [illegible] found in Parliament [illegible] where sh[illegible] liament canno[illegible] it if it does not [illegible]

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Not often [illegible] Markdale. [illegible] old woman of 105 [illegible] wrote a few weeks ag[illegible] state of great poverty, bordering on absolute starvation—[illegible] last Saturday. We can [illegible] history. He[illegible] made comfortable as [illegible] ber of kind la[illegible] are glad to learn [illegible] of the old lady [illegible] the sympathies of some of our readers.

METHODIST SOCIAL.

The fourth social of the season duly came off at the Dufferin Hall last evening. The attendance was good. The inevitable food having been disposed of and sundry little games indulged in a programme was commenced about 9.30. Readings, recitations, songs, glees, instrumental music, &c., were rendered by the Choir, Miss M[illegible]avis, Moffat Bros., Miss Body, Mr. [illegible]ll, Mr Browne, Mr. E. S. Rutledge, Mr. J. Richards, Mr. McDougall, Mr Whitby, and Phillip.

During the interval, a pleasing presentation took place. For some two years past the Methodist L. A. S. have been working on a bedquilt to raise funds for the parsonage fund; this quilt is composed of a number of triangular patches of turkey red twill and white linen. On the white sections are written about 500 names, the owners of which have paid 10c. each, and thus $50 have been added to the fund. The famous quilt being now complete, Mr C. W. Rutledge was deputed by the L.A.S. to present it to Mrs. McDiarmid, wife of the pastor. The Rev. N. McDiarmid briefly thanked them for the present, and assured them that the time they had spent in Markdale would always be to Mrs Mc Diarmid and himself full of pleasant recollections.

The L.A.S. desire to thank Mr E. D. Wilcox for writing the names with indelible ink.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

ANSWERS.

A. V. Kimberley.—It is not a very serious offence for boys to play at ball on Sunday, but it is illegal for them to do so. They may be punished for so doing on complaint made to a magistrate.

J. T. Pomona.—Imprisonment for debt does not now exist in Canada. If a judgment has been obtained against you in the Division Court, you can be examined before a judge, and if on such examination the judge thinks you are able to pay something on account of the debt, he may order you to pay so much per month, and if you disobey the order and do no show good cause for your disobedience, you may be punished for such disobedience by imprisonment.

THE RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor.

Sir.—I observe in your last issue a third note from a "Constant Reader" relative to the recent revival, I thought your answer to his first communication was sufficiently clear and as he is not satisfied with your answer I am led to suppose that he must belong to some Baptist denomination. I know there are some professing christians who hold the opinion that no conversion is genuine unless followed by immersion in water; maintaining that this is the only truly christian mode, although they cannot prove solitary instance of such baptism from the New Testament or from History for the first 200 years of the christian era.

It occurs to me that "Constant Reader" may be one of this class and would like to do a little proselyting so as to get others to think as he thinks, and as I hold that the sprinkling of water over an infant in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost is a valid christian baptism, I have no objections to discuss the subject in a friendly way with him through the medium of your columns.

Yours, W.

OWEN SOUND.

The 63rd Anniversary of the I.O.O F, was celebrated on by the O. S. lodge, 180, by attending divine service in the Methodist church on Sunday evening. The service was conducted by the Rev. B. W. Smyth, of Port Elgin. The church was filled to its utmost capacity.

The Manitoulin returned to Owen Sound on her return trip from the Saulte on Monday.

The Francis Smith left on Friday, with full load. Mr Roberts, of the firm of Robertson and Roberts is gone to Winnipeg to join his partner, Mr Masson is also gone thither to reconnoitre, and if suitable hang out his shingle as barrister-at-law. A great crowd witnessed the departure of this favourite steamer.

The Campana will take up take up rails for the C.P.R.

The T.G.& B. have the contract for delivering rails for C. P. R. at Owen Sound.

At the Division Court on Monday [illegible] case of Creaser vs. the [illegible] heard. John Crea[illegible] his claim on services [illegible] the late investi[illegible] with nomination [illegible] The Board deny engaging [illegible] that it being a Crown [illegible] the proper [illegible] claim is for $100. [illegible] argument. D. C. Crea[illegible] Jas. Masson for the [illegible]

[illegible] new steam barge Enterprise has arrived from Sarnia. It is one of the finest and [illegible] steam barges on [illegible]

[illegible] Brown, Alx. Speers, and [illegible] have returned from [illegible] speak well of the [illegible] and have been striking some [illegible]

LIVER, KIDNEY AND BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

A medicine that destroys the germ or cause of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidney and Liver complaints, and has power to root them out of the system is above all price. Such a medicine is Hop Bitters, and positive proof can be found of this by one trial, or by asking your neighbors, who have been cured by it.

MEAFORD ROAD.

Mr. D. Walker has bought out Mr. G. Graham's stand.

Mr J. Waring has the contract for the repairing the stone school house. Only two tenders were put in. Some stone work is necessary to keep the building from falling down, this is being done by Mr Paul.

Mr J. Strange is running Davis' saw mill.

Business booming at the Eclipse saw mill, all hands busy.

Several new frame barns are to be erected here this summer.

Mr James Rowe likes Manitoba well so far, he was fortunate in getting work as soon as he arrived.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Some time during last summer an agent came around selling a patent spring tooth harrow. This harrow was left for trial at various places, but wherever left the farmer was induced to sign a recommend, which eventually proved an order, and many who innocently signed have now to pay for the harrow. One of the victims, steadily refuses to pay. The case will be decided at court.

PRICEVILLE.

What has become of our Priceville correspondent?

"Mel" sends the following letter from Priceville:—

So far as the news papers are concerned it would almost seem as if the village among the hills had rolled down into the Saugeen and disappeared. Such however is not the case, and the time may not be far distant when the syndicate or Grand Trunk Railway whistle will be heard bellowing along our valleys; and when the din and hum of our workshops will awaken all latent forces into activity, and the smoke indicate from afar the place where are concentrated the energies of a busy people.

Even now our mills are running day and night and making first class work; our merchants are making quick sales and fair profits, and mechanics of all kinds are working hard from dawn till dark.

The Farmers put in an appearance on fair day, and return home with their pockets replenished with money received in return for their cattle.

Progress is also noticeable in the steady habits of sobriety among the people.

Business and industry leave no time for indulgence in profitless employment. All this indicates general prosperity, morality and happiness

Are you a martyr to headache? Suffer no longer. A remedy is found in Burdock Blood Bitters. It regulates the Bowels, cleanses the system, allays nervous irritation and restores health and vigour. Sample bottle 10 cents.

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher or mill man in fact any man who runs machinery and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor Oil and won't gum or clog your Machinery

In the month of April almost every one requires a good and reliable Blood Purifier. We know of none so safe and effectual as Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. They act directly on all the secretions, their purgative action carrying off all impurities from the system, they invigorate the Liver and Kidneys, purify the Stomach, cleanse the Bowels, and give strength and tone to the whole system. Try a course of this valuable safe and reliable vegetable preparation, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better that any other oil in the market.

Thousands suffer untold miseries from Nervous Weakness, Pain in the back, and other distressing symptoms arising from disordered Kidneys. Burdock Blood Bitters is the sovereign remedy. Trial bottles 10 cents.

At Lindsay, Victoria, an interesting due bill case was fought out at the assizes. Thos Fee held bill given him by Alex. McAlpine in 1875. McAlpine swears he paid the bill by cheque and Fee, not having the bill with him promised to send it round. Some time after, they quarrelled, and Fee threatened to collect the bill. He swore the cheque paid another account. Verdict for McAlpine.

All three painful and distressing diseases and irregularities peculiar to the female sex may be promptly cured by Burdock Blood Bitters. It regulates every organ to a healthy action. Trial bottles 10 cents.

The following is the common sense treatment for a horse out of condition (in fact all horses require like treatment this time of year) a good Purging Ball following by a course of strong tonic powder. These are both to be had in Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture, as each package contains 2 throughly good purging ball and over a pound of strong Tonic Powder. Ask your druggist about it. A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

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INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.

Agent for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal; AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

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Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 38-ly

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LIVERY!
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GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail
BUTCHER!

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 26th, 1881

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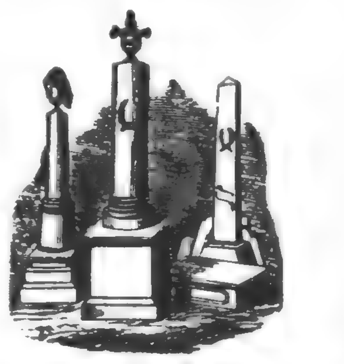

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And every description of Cemetery work executed in

FIRST-CLASS STYLE!

and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.

Satisfaction Guaranteed

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

W. A. JOHNSTON, Prop.

Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

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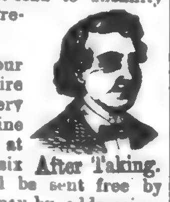
GRAY'S SPECIFIC MEDICINE.

Before Taking.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY, an unfailing cure for Seminal Weakness, Spermatorrhea, Impotency, and all diseases that follow as a sequence of Self-Abuse; as loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back Dimness of Vision, Premature old age, and many other Diseases that lead to Insanity or Consumption and a Premature Grave.

Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.



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THE GRAY MEDICINE CO.,
1-ly Toronto, Ont., Canada

SPECIAL NOTICES.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING

Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 90-ly

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 149 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

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Has the largest and best assorted stock in town.

DRY GOODS. I am showing all the latest designs in Dress Goods have large Stock of Prints, Ducks, Denims, Shirtings, &c. A a magnificent range of English, Scotch, and Canadian Twee Suits made to order by a first-class tailor. Ready-ma Clothing in Suits and single garments, cheap for cash. Ge Hats in great variety at Bottom Prices.

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The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now de[sires to sell the] whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

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Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.

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This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprieto[r]

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

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Meat Market.

A constant supply of

Fresh Meats!

on hand, at the

Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.

FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80 ly

SALESMEN WANTED.

To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the

Fonthill Nurseries,

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LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.
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And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been, If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required. Apply to

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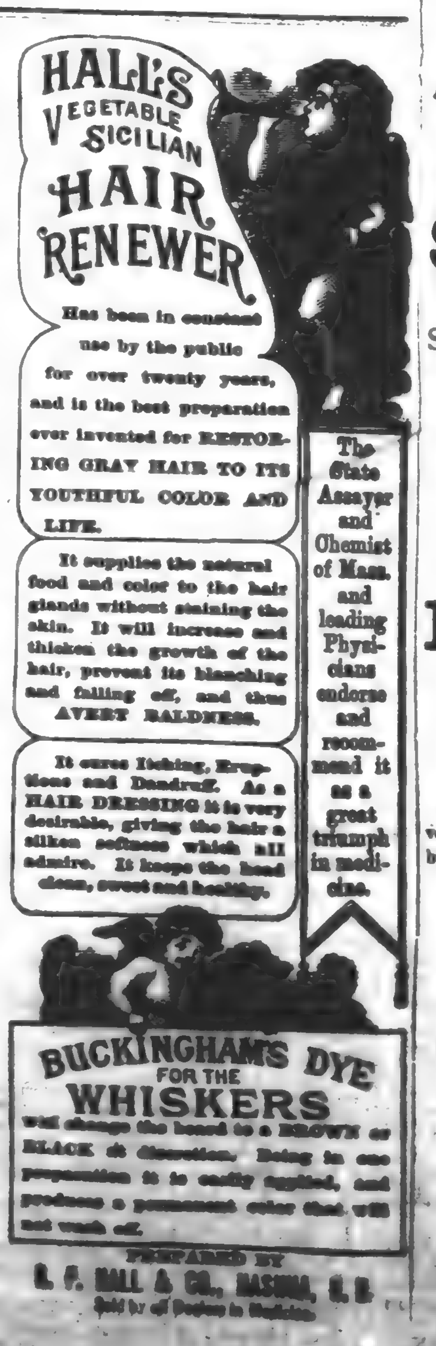

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Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBE[R]

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

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Markdale, May 27th, 1881. 84

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday May 4th 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

10,000 eggs wanted at Reynolds and Son.

Wanted, to trade a new $190 organ for a good horse W. F. Doll.

Fishing was found pour sport on Monday and Tuesday.

Roll Linen for Toweling, 8 cents a yard, at Reynolds and Son.

Mr. James Brodie Meaford road, finished seeding last week.

A. McIntyre left Markdale last week for Winnipeg, he will return shortly.

See our prints at 5 cents a yard, 20 yds for $1. at Reynolds and Son.

Mr. Harvey Hall, conductor on the T. G. & B. has taken unto himself a wife.

It took two to catch a fish on Tuesday, one to hook it on and one to take it off.

Thos. Sproule, Revere Hotel, Markdale has the most extensive driving shed in Grey.

Mr Doll has some ladies' solid gold watches from $10 to $85.

Wanted to purchase a good second-hand cooking stove. Apply immediately, Mr, Henry, Standard Office.

May day celebrated by heavy snowstorm at Markdale, and thermometer down to zero. Vennor said 'twould be so.

Vennor is mixing up some awfully 'mixed' weather for the 24th.

Wm. Douglas is building a board fence in front of his farm adjoining the village.

Scarlet fever is very prevalent in Owen Sound; several deaths have occurred.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers, machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

Reynold's Teas are *the* best. Try their 50 cent Tea.

Mr. B. Wright's flock of sheep was increased by 19 lambs during three days this week.

One dollar is supposed to buy more goods at Cheapside than at any other store in Markdale.

Beautiful faces are those that wear
It matters not little if dark or fair,
McFarlands Bonnets.

There are no less than ten grass widows in Markdale, six of whose husbands are in Manitoba.

Wilmot Pickle returned from the North West last Saturday. He thinks more of Ontario than ever.

The Markdale stores close at 7 p. m. sharp during the summer months, having commenced 1st May.

Beautiful feet are those that go,
On kindly ministry to and fro
Wearing McFarland's slippers.

"The reason I got my Waggon at McKenna, Mason's because they give the best waggon for the price."

McColl Bros. & Co., Toronto, are sole manufacturers of Lardine, the best lubricator known. Try it.

The spell of cold weather has created a demand for wood, our pile has completely disappeared. Nuff ced.

Large quantities of ties are being shipped from the T. G. & B line to the G. T R. and other railways.

Alex Moodie commenced coughing at Ardley's hotel, Canfield, and before he could leave the table he was dead.

Josh Billings says that a man who can fish without telling lies is about as pious as any man gets to be in this world.

Beautiful shoulders thos that bear
Cashmere and silks selected with care
By McFarland.

Gladstone has not reduced the income tax as was expected. He has put a tax on wheels. His budget shows a surplus.

Mr. Joseph Lamb blacksmith is preparing to erect a new blacksmith shop by the side of the old one, which he will demolish.

Mr J. Ford of "Mount Royal farm" sold a pair of oxen on Thursday last for $168. It pays to raise good cattle, and also to feed well.

The T. G. & B. will in future collect and deliver in Toronto without extra charge merchandise upon which cartage is usually performed.

It is better to buy fish at McIntyre's that someone else has caught than to have to be fished up out of the Saugeen after slipping off a log.

There is a dispute in the Conservative camp as to the candidate for the local house. We thought this matter was settled at the convention at Markdale.

A full attendance of those interested in the celebration of the Queen's birthday is requested at the Revere house on Friday evening 8 o'clock. A Turner, Secy.

T. D. Smith, barber, will be in Flesherton next Monday, fair day, to do hair cutting, shaving, shampooing, dyeing &c. Shop next door to Flesherton Bakery.

Fools are somewhat plentiful on the Saugeen banks if the old saying is true which speaks of a fishing rod as having a worm at one end and a fool at the other.

Last Saturday a crank wrote the Queen's private secretary that unless she sent him money he would shoot both her Majesty and Prince Leopold. He has been arrested.

Householders should read mark, learn and inwardly digest the Markdale police notice in another column.

NOTICE

The REFORM CONVENTION OF EAST GREY will meet in the Township Hall, Flesherton, on Friday, the 19th inst., at One o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of electing OFFICERS, selecting Parliamentary CANDIDATES &c.

By Order of the President,
WM. BROWN, Sec.
Markdale, May 3, 1882.

T. B. Gilliland,
PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,
EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention.
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Best boots in town at the lowest prices, at Reynolds and Son. The only store in Markdale keeping the superior boots of Messrs J. D. King & Co's. Manufacturers.

Arrivals this week from steamship Parisian from Liverpool for W. McFarland.

D. J. Shanahan is manufacturing some very fine lumber wagons, democrats and buggies this season. He shipped two lumber wagons to the city of Toronto last week, made to order; and has orders for more to be shipped shortly. He recently engaged two more first class mechanics, will now be able to fill orders more promptly. Intending purchasers should not fail in giving D. J. Shanahan a call before leaving their orders elsewhere, Money will be saved by so doing.

J. Noble, of Markdale, employed at Hutcheson's saw mill, Tara, met with an accident on Tuesday that will give him a few day's rest. In taking the last board from a log, he put his left hand upon it to keep it in place, and retaining his hold a little too long, the saw caught him just under the thumb, inflicting a nasty wound.

New Lace Buntings.
New Mantle Cloths.
New Cretonnes.
New Lace Curtains.
New Carpets.
New Brilliants.

W. J. McFarland is the only direct Importer doing business in Markdale.

We are enable this week to publish the assessment of Artemesia for the present year, the figures given by the assessor enable anyone to form relative values of townships and to this end we trust soon to be enabled to give the figures for other townships.

The nuptials of Prince Leopold and Princess Helena of Waldeck were celebrated with great pomp at Windsor on Thursday. The bride was given away by her father. The Queen kissed the royal couple after the ceremony.

The first case of fraud in Manitoba lots—but not the last—came before the court at Kingston the other day. F.H.Corrigan was charged with fraud in connection with the sale of the paper town of Whitemouth. He comprised the matter with the prosecutor and has since been arrested on further charges.

A Dastardly attempt has been made to assassinate Vanderbilt and Cyrus W. Field by means of explosives sent by mail. One of the missiles exploded in the train and their existence was discovered.

If you want one of McKenna Mason's democrats or buggies you had better look sharp as they are selling faster than they can make them. What's the reason? Because every one knows their work is the best.

The Scott Act went into force in Halton yesterday. All the hotels were closed.

May day was celebrated at Niagara Falls by a heavy snowstorm and cold weather, the thermometer registering 36°. This is more of Mr. Venner's doing.

HANLAN AND TRICKETT.

On the bosom of the dirty, muddy. Thames the Hanlan-Trickett race was rowed on Monday.

Trickett won the toss for the Surrey side. Hanlan's oars were first in the water, rowing 38 strokes to the minute. Trickett was rowing well, and for 1st mile Hanlan only got one length ahead. Increasing his advantage, he began his old antics; stopping dead in his rowing, surveying the landscape. Trickett was pulling in good form. The water was rough, and the spray came into the frail shell, Hanlan coolly stopped to bale out the water, whilst the 'Cornstalk' was pulling away in the rear. Hanlan's antics were greeted with tremendous cheering. He won the race by about a furlong, and then went back to seek the Australian. Having found him and got even, they made another rush and Hanlan reached the goal two lengths ahead.

Hanlan was nearly smothered by the crowd, pressing in to shake him by the hand. At Cambridge Music Hall our Canadian oarsman was presented with a handsome and costly diamond ring.

SUPPOSED BENTINCK MURDER

Wm Miller. Bentinck tp. son of the John Miller who was accused of the murder of his wife last winter, has now met with an untimely end. His body was found in a slashing, the head mangled with bloody wounds, and he was pierced with a bullet, his clothes being burned with the powder.

At the inquest the particulars of the finding of the body were elicited, but nothing as to how Miller met with his death.

Peter Weis, the father-in-law of the murdered man has been arrested. His old gun has been discovered wrenched to pieces, but having evidently been recently fired. Weis is a German, 60 years of age, and bears a bad reputation. A neighbour spoke the feelings of many when he said that it would be no loss if the Millers and Weises were wiped out.

Three of Weis' daughters are under arrest,—one of them the victim's wife—and appear utterly indifferent as to their position.

At the post mortem examination by Dr Landerkin, it was shewn that the deceased came to his death by a gunshot wound having entered his back, passing through the lungs.

Deceased was only about 27 years of age.

ASSESSMENT OF ARTEMESIA—1882.

	Real Estate	Personal Property	Population
Village of Priceville	$28,275	$1 500	268
Part of Village of Markdale	$2[illegible]	$[illegible]	147
Village of Flesherton	$58 365	$2[illegible]	259
Flesherton & Priceville sta	$11,000	$[illegible]	56
Village of Eugenia	$21,270	$500	1[illegible]
Balance of Artemesia tp.	$821 585	$[illegible]	2972
		$53,[illegible]	3,8[illegible]

Real Estate	$967,775
Personal Property	$5[illegible]
Non-Resident	$37,375

Total Assessment $1,058,400 — John Whitby, Assessor.

Markdale Police Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Householders of the Village of MARKDALE to have their Yards and Outbuildings thoroughly cleansed, and any nuisance removed before the 15th day of May, as the INSPECTOR will on that date examine and inspect said Yards, &c., and where necessary put the law in force to compel such cleansing.

THOS. MULLARKY, SEC., Village Police.
May 1st, 1882.

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,
MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,
DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,
Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

Sydenham Street, Markdale.

Clerk's Office, Township of Proton,
April 24th, 1882.

The council of the Municipality of the Township of Proton, will meet as a Court of Revision for this Municipality, at John A. Scarlett's Hotel, Village of Hopeville on the third Tuesday, (16th day) of May, at the hour of ten o'clock, a.m. on that day.

JAMES CAVANAGH
Township Clerk.

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Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1.ly.

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IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field. Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,
C. W. PARSONS.

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds always on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. I have just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal for feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

Mortgage Sale
OF
FARM PROPERTY,
IN THE
TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND.

Under and by virtue of the provisoes and conditions contained in a Mortgage made by Charles Allen Johnston, and subject to the conditions which will be read at the time of sale, there will be sold by Public Auction by

MR. ANDREW WATT,
Auctioneer, at RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, MARKDALE, in the County of Grey. on SATURDAY, the 27th day of May 1882, at Two o'CLOCK, P.M., the following FREEHOLD PROPERTY, viz:

The South Half of lot No 13, in the 12th concession, of the Township of Holland, in the said county containing 98¼ acres more or less.

The property is distant about Four miles from Walters' Falls, Eight miles from Markdale, Eighteen miles from Meaford and Thornbury, and Half-a-mile from Harkaway P.O. and the nearest school-house.

There are about 30 acres cleared, and 5 acres chopped.

The said property will be sold subject to a Mortgage held by the English Loan Company, of which full particulars will be given at time of sale.

TERMS of Sale.—10 per cent cash at time of sale, and the balance with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum within 30 days thereafter; and upon such payment the purchaser shall be entitled to the conveyance, and to be let into possession. There will be a reserved bid.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply at the Meaford or Thornbury offices of

WILSON & EVANS.
Vendors' Solicitors.

Dated April 20, 1882.

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Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

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Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

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Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.
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SEAL. We have recently published a new edition of Dr. CULVERWELL'S CELEBRATED ESSAY on the radical and permanent cure (without medicine) of Nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, &c., resulting from excesses.

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This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

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Clinch Nails	5cts per lb.	Steel Hoes	50c.
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Logging Chains	7c. per lb.	Manure Fork	$1 00
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ATTENTION!

This is to certify that I have secured full control in the villages of Dundalk, Flesherotn, and Markdale, and the surrounding country for the CHARLES RAYMOND SEWING MACHINE, manufactured in Guelph, and the Wilson B Sewing Machine manufactured in Hamilton; and am now the only authorised dealer in said Machines for said Territory. Every Machine is well guaranteed.

The best Canadian and American Organs and Pianos are represented. W. F. Doll represents me in Markdale, and keeps a good stock of Sewing Machines on hand; call and see. Book and Stationery Business will be carried on by me in Flesherton; a full stock will be on hand in a few days.

Farmers, Look to your Interests.

H. L. THURSTON,
FLESHERTON.
88-6m.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at **Flesherton Station and Eugenia,** are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a specialty at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on shares.

Wm. HOGG.
Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881. 67

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TEA! TEA! TEA!
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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS!	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
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All kidney and urinary complaints, especially Bright's Disease, Diabetes and Liver Troubles Hop Bitters will surely and lastingly cure. Cases exactly like your own have been cured in your own neighborhood, and you can find reliable proof at home of what Hop Bitters has and can do.

Why suffer from Indigestion and Dyspepsia when Burdock Blood Bitters will positively cure these ailments. A trial bottle only costs 10 cents.

MARKDALE.

CHRIST CHURCH CURRENT EXPENSES ACCOUNT.

From Markdale Parish Magazine.

RECEIPTS.

Offertories	$157 20
Fees for Graves	13 00
	$170 20

EXPENDITURE.

A. Turner & Co	$10 92
Board Fence	12 50
G. Wright, removing pews	4 50
Hill Bros. ...	13 68
Mission Fund coll. ...	6 50
Foreign Missions ...	12 97
Sunday School ...	5 55
Choir Fund	3 02
Widows and Orphans ...	2 22
Building Fund ...	24 96
Caretaker's Salary ...	31 50
Huron College	1 53
Christmas Day Offertory	8 12
Sundries	8 31
Balance in Hand ...	23 92
	$170 20

MARKDALE.
CHURCH BUILDING FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Harvest Thanksgiving Offty.	$24 96
Collected in England by Miss Powson ...	19 20
Bazaar and Concert, 1881	158 72
Subscriptions to Easter, '82	198 45
	$401 33

EXPENDITURE.

Interest on Loan	$87 23
Reduction of Debt	314 10
	$401 33

A common, and often fatal disease is Jaundice. Regulate the action of the Liver, and cleanse the blood with Burdock Blood Bitters, and the worst case may be speedily cured. Sample bottle 10 cents.

CENSUS STATISTICS.

We cull the following statistics respecting this County from vol 1 of the census blue book just received, which may interest our readers.

EXTENT

	Square. miles.	Acres.
South Grey,	418	286,652
East Grey,	778	497,923
North Grey,	574	367,173
Co. of Grey,	1800	1,151,733

POPULATION.

The population of the whole county townships, towns, and villages having been given in this paper recently, it is unnecessary to repeat them here.

The following table shows the religious denominations to which the inhabitants give in their adherence to the census enumerators.

	South Grey	East Grey	North Grey
Baptists	1450	816	1059
Roman Cath.	[illegible]	1286	1472
Church of Eng.	[illegible]	5191	4541
Disciples	[illegible]	649	2[illegible]8
Lutheran	[illegible]	22	708
Can. M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Episcopal M.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Primitive	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Canada Pres.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Church of Scotland	117	[illegible]	59

In addition ... denominations ... there are ... 12 Congregationalists ... 49 Reformed Presbyterians ... Quakers, 11 ... not given, a ... 409 other denominations. In East Grey 2 Brethren, 122 Congregationalists, 1 Jew, 40 Christians, 54 Reformed Presbyterians, 87 Protestants, 167 Quakers, 6 Universalists, 41 no religion, 105 not given, 52 other denominations. In North Grey, 5 Adventists, 138 Congregationalists, 189 Bible Christians, 14 Reformed Presbyterians, 1 Protestant, 62 Quakers, 5 unitarians, 62 no religion, 104 not given, 66 other denominations.

NATIONALITIES.

	English	Scotch	Irish	Grmn.
S. Grey	8536	6566	6104	4700
E. Grey	8589	6508	12733	1182
N. Grey	5218	7448	8944	1110

Other nationalities number in Grey —African 42, Dutch 11, French 94, Scandinavian 1, Welsh 20, various 4, not given 48; East Grey—African 25, Dutch 223, Italian 5, French 160, Scandinavian 7, Swiss 1, Welsh 53, various 19, not given 163; North Grey African 112, Dutch 145, French 157, Indian 19, Russian 4, Scandinavian 14, Welsh 20, various 4, not given 58.

INCREASE IN POPULATION IN TEN YEARS.

	1871	1881	Increase
S. Grey	18,622	21,127	2 505
E. Grey	22,193	29,668	7,475
N. Grey	18,580	23,334	4,754

BIRTH PLACES.

Out of a population of 74,129, nearly four-fifths were born in Ontario, the figures being 55,515, a fact which shows how rapidly the population is becoming distinctly Canadian.

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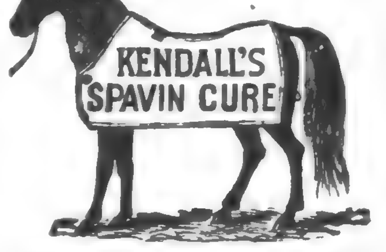

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The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction ... a wonderful cure upon ... fifteen years old belonging to me ... was badly spavined for ten years. She ... I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using ... of the cure, and she is ... as a young ...

Yours truly,

J. F. ROTH.

[illegible]

... June 17th 188[illegible]

... Reading ... Farm ... a valuable ... I sent to ... express, which in six ... horse and ... The bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

... truly yours,

H. A. [illegible], M.D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

[illegible]

From ... it has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

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Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

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with or without marble slab for name, &c. also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balcony Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery, Brass Castings of every description. Brass Bells large or small.

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Markdale, Nov. 1881. 63-b

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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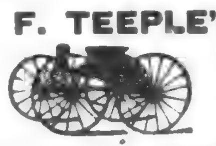

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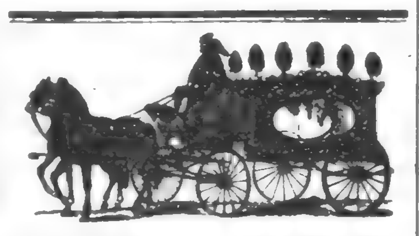

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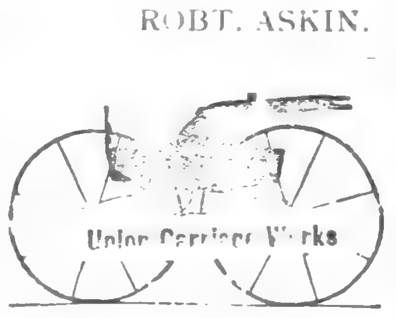

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All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

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IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

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BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

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Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

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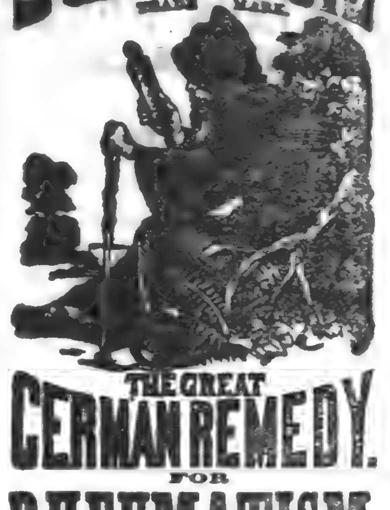

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And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been. If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required. Apply to

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Monumnts, Tombstones!

And every description of Cemetery work executed in

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Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Shop next door to Revere Hotel.

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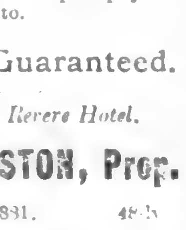

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will change the beard to a BROWN or BLACK at discretion. Being in one preparation it is easily applied, and produces a permanent color that will not wash off.

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A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

CHAPTER VII.

THERE'S MANY A SLIP.

It is in the nature of things that storms arise in the midst of pleasure parties. Lady Dangerfield's picnic had proved no exception to the rule.

Genevra and her party were out on the sea in a frail barque when the squal arose and through either the awkwardness of Major Frankland or the suddenness of the storm the boat capsized and they had to swim for their lives—Lady Dangerfield could not swim however, and she clung to Major Frankland and shrieked frantically.

A boat put out from the shore! Nearer! nearer it came! The man leaned over and picked up my lady. Major Frankland scrambled in after.

'Rather a close finish!' their deliverer said, coolly. 'You were doing your best to make the bottom. Are you all right there, sir? Look after the lady, will you? I think she is going to faint.'

But Lady Dangerfield did not faint. She glanced at her preserver, and noticed, even in that moment, that he was one of the handsomest men it had ever been in her good fortune to behold. She glanced at herself. Good Heaven! half the exquisite abundance of curls and braids she had set forth with that morning were miles out at sea, her complexion was wretched ruin, and her lovely pink grenadine, in which she had looked not a day over twenty-five one short hour ago—that pink grenadine, all puffings, and frillings, and flounces—no—words are poor and weak to describe the state of that dress.

The boat, flying before the rising wind, made the shore in five minutes. Miss Hallan calmly and deliberately swam ashore, and the other people stood like martyrs in the rain.

'Their deliverer sprang out and almost lifted her on the sands. 'Very sorry for your mishap, would recommend an instant return home and a change of garments. Good-day, sir; your boat's all right—floating ashore.'

And then he pushed off again, and skimmed away like a seagull.

Such a plight this pleasure party stood in when Sir Arthur and lady Cecil rejoined them! Wet through, all their fine feathers spoiled, every one drenched to the skin. Lady Cecil's dark eyes, full of suppressed fun, were lifted to the baronet's; there was a grave smile even at the corners of his sedate mouth. It was wonderful how they understood each other, and how much nearer they were then than they had been that morning.

Of course the picnic broke up in "admired disorder" and at once. The wet mermaids were packed damp and dripping into the carriages and whirled away to Scarswood. Lady Dangerfield bewailing her fate, and wondering who her preserver could be.

He was bronzed and bearded, and somewhat foreign-looking. A gentleman, beyond a doubt.

Major Frankland had a rival.

I wish I had asked his name, and invited him to call,' my lady went on. Common courtesy required it. Abominable in Jasper Frankland to let the boat upset. I'll never forgive him. What could that stranger have thought of me—such a horrible fright as I must look?'

Perhaps he may be one of the officers from the Castleford barracks.'

We might have had him over for our theatricals to-morrow night, if I had only had presence of mind enough to ask his name. But how can one have have presence of mind when one is drowning? Queenie how is it that you have escaped so completely? Where did Sir Arthur take you?'

'To Bracken Hollow. We were caught in the first of the storm, and had to run for it. Such a race! Even Sir Arthur Tregenna, the most dignified of mankind, does not look dignified, scampering away from a rain-storm.'

It does people good to come down off their stilts once in a while, and put their high and mightiness in their pocket.

'A day of adventures.' went on Lady Cecil, laughing. 'You get upset in the midst of the raging ocean, lightning flashing, thunder crashing, rain falling. And at the last moment up rushes the gallant knight to the rescue, handsome, of course, gentlemanly also, military likewise, and with the bow of a court chamberlain. And for me, my knight takes me into the Haunted Castle, and we hear and see the ghost of Bracken Hollow.'

'Oh, Sir Arthur is your knight then, is he?' interrupted her ladyship sarcastically. 'I thought it would come to that in the end. We don't refuse thirty thousand a year, do we, Queenie darling, in spite of all our fine poetical, cynical talk of buying and selling? And what Bracken Hollow? And what ghost?'

'What Bracken Hollow! There's only one. It is as dismal and dull a looking place as ever I laid eyes on; And a grim and sombre old woman presides over it. We saw a most ghostly face and heard a most ghostly cry.

Lady Cecil went up to her room at once, and rang for her maid. Then down in the rose garden she saw Miss Herncastle! calm, composed, pale, grave, lady-like; and looking, with her neatly arranged dress and serene manner, as though she had been there for hours, the last person possible to be guilty of any escapade whatever. She looked up, smiled, bowed, turned slowly and disappeared down a lime walk.

What did it mean? Miss Herncastle looked a very clever person, but she was not clever enough, surely, to be in two places at once. That was Miss Herncastle she had seen at Bracken Hollow less than an hour ago, and now Miss Herncastle was here. She could not have walked the distance in the time—she could not have ridden.

Lady Cecil's maid told her Miss Herncastle had not been out.

Lady Cecil tripped away to the school-room. Pearl and Pansy were there, making houses of cards. Down went the cards, and the twins surrounded Aunt Cecil immediately.

'Did she see the lightning—and the thunder—wasn't she frightened? They were. They went up to the nursery and crept into bed, and pulled the clothes over their faces—and never spoke till it was all over.'

'A very praiseworthy precaution, my pets. And where, all this time, was Miss Herncastle?'

Oh, Miss Herncastle—had such a headache, and had to go to bed—and they were glad they had a holiday.

And so Miss Herncastle had a bad headache and had to go to bed. Hum-m-m. When did she take it?'

Oh right after you all went away. And she went up to her room with some vinegar, and pulled down the blinds, and locked the door, and told Mrs. Butler she would try to sleep it off. She got up just before you came home—I saw her come out of her room and go down to the garden.'

The door opened and Miss Herncastle came in. She bowed to Lady Cecil, crossed the room with easy grace, and placed her bouquet in a Parian vase.

'I regret to hear you have been suffering from a severe headache all day, Miss Herncastle,' Lady Cecil said. Pansy tells me you have been laying down all day. But for that I should positively think it was your face I saw at a window of the house in Bracken Hollow.'

'Thought you saw me, Lady Cecil! how very strange. Where is Bracken Hollow?'

Bracken Hollow is within easy walking distance of Scarswood, Miss Herncastle; and you are right, it is very strange. I was positive it was you I saw.'

'You are mistaken, of course,' the governess said calmly, 'it seems my fate to be mistaken. I had a headache, and was obliged to go to my room.

Her face was perfectly calm—Lady Cecil was staggered. Surely this was truth or most perfect acting. If Miss Herncastle had spent the day in her own room she could not have spent it at Bracken hollow,

Thoroughly mystified, the earl's daughter descended the stairs. In the vestibule sat the hall porter.

'Johnson, have you been here all day—all day, mind?'

'Yes, my lady—which I meanter say my lady hexcepting of course while I was at dinner—all the rest of the day, my lady.

'And did any leave the house during our absence?—any one—the children, the servants?'

'No, my lady,' Mr. Johnson responded, rather surprised, 'not that I see, my lady. And that would be himpossible for hanny one to come without my seeing, my lady. The young ladies, they wasn't on the ground all day, my lady, likewise none of the servants. Mrs Butler she were a-making hup long haccounts in her hown room, and Miss 'Erncastle she were a layin' down with the 'eadache my lady.

The picnic party, rejuvenated, dined at Scarswood. Sir Peter dined with his guests—my lady's father; and my lady herself, looked pretty and animated.

'I wish I had thought of asking his name,' Lady Dangerfield remarked.

'Your close observation does him much honour,' said Major Frankland.'

'Gad! he looked like some one I've met before,' muttered the earl, glancing uneasily at his daughter. Did you see this unknown knight-errant, Queenie?'

'I? No, papa; it was all over before we came up.

'If it be O'Donnell, and 'pon my life I think it is, I only hope Sir Arthur may speak before he appears again on the scene.

It's odd Sir Arthur don't propose

Sir Arthur was taken with her. His eyes followed that fairy, graceful figure every where; he talked to her as he had never talked to any woman in his life; Why not ask her to be his wife?

He resolved the question in bed that night until he fell asleep. He was not a lover of the hot headed, hare-brained sort. But he esteemed, and admired, and liked Lady Cecil.

Lady Cecil knew what love meant. Once, oh, howlong ago it seemed! for seven golden weeks love's sun had shone, and the roses flamed in the light.

That dream of sweet sixteen was ended. Was it forgotten? She did not care for Sir Arthur Tregenna, and he was going to ask her, and she must say Yes.

She avoided him all day, shut herself up in her room; but dinner she could not avoid. Sir Arthur took her in to dinner. He was very silent, and Lady Cecil, usually the brightest was under a cloud.

After dinner she made her escape to a bright little boudoir, and like the stricken deer, here calmly rested.

Oh why couldn't life be cast in some blissful Arcadian valley where existence might be one long succession of ruby sunsets and silver moonrises?

Why must I—oh, why must I wed Sir Arthur Tre—

Lady Cecil, I beg your pardon for this intrusion, but they have sent me here to find you.

Sir Arthur stood tall and serious before her. She knew that her hour had come.

To him, how beautiful she looked, how noble, how sweet. A wife to be proud of. He stooped over her, took her hand. The words were on his lip, a minute—then all would be over!

'Lady Cecil,' he began, 'I have sought you out here to—'

He never finished the sentence she dreaded.

The door opened, the curtain lifted, and Miss Herncastle entered.

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Markdale, Feb. 28, 1882. 67-ly

Facts and Fancies.

O, wad some pow'r the giftie gie us—
To see oursels as ithers see us!
It wad frae mony a blunder free us,
An' foolish notion.

Recently the Markdale sidewalks went under some process of repair, but within a few days that near the station is almost as before. There ought to be a good sidewalk down to the station.

John Reid, Wingham, has been fined $500 and a month imprisonment illicit whiskey distilling.

Corner stone of Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal laid last Wednesday.

A hired girl just out of Markdale went to meeting the other Sunday evening, and on returning, she was asked whence the pastor took his text. "I don't know the chapter and verse" she said, "but I can give the words exact; "and David said unto Jonah in the whale's belly, almost thou persuadest me to be a christian!"

CACOETHES SCRIBENDI. Those troubled in this respect may find relief in using Esterbrook's Steel Pens. They are sold everywhere. Wholesale dealers: the leading Toronto stationers.

Mr Kello, Tara, has succeed in getting M.D. added to his name

Teacher—"And how do you know, my dear, that you have been christened?" Scholar—"Please, mum, 'cos I got the marks on my arm now, mum."

Building operations are somewhat extensive at Tara.

Invermay Methodist church reopened last Sunday week. Rev. N. McDiarmid preached to crowded congregations morning and evening. Social next day, total proceeds $75, covering entire cost of the improvements to the building.—Leader.

"I'm no sectarian" said a Glenelg farmer the other day, "but I believe every man ought to be a Methodist."

"The secret of tares is all the world's," but it is no secret that the demand in Canada for pens of the Esterbrook Steel Pen Company's make is steadily increasing. No stationer's stock is complete without them.

At Port Elgin convention Mr Rowand, Saugeen, has been nominated for local house, and Mr ... for the dominion house, in the Reform interest.

Mr Gladstone entertained Prince and Princess of Wales on Wednesday.

Supplementary estimates reach to $2,002,762.

Two children attempted to rescue a drowning father at Gatineau, and lost their own lives.

May day was celebrated at Beauce in old English style, but on the 1st instead of on the village green. This is more of Mr. Vennor's doing.

Fresh outrages on the jews are reported from Russia.

"Guilty or not guilty?" asked a Dutch magistrate. "Not guilty," said the prisoner. "Den what you vant here? Go about your bizness."

A little boy saw his father's horse being shod upon the street the other day and when the smith was paring the hoofs, said "My papa does not want his horse made any smaller."

A Greyman, who didn't care two ... about the news paper, rode fourteen miles through a fierce snowstorm to get a copy of the STANDARD that spoke of him as a 'prominent citizen.'

A Markdale youngster of 6 years was reading at school, when one day he came upon the passage; Keep thy tongue from evil, and thy lips from guile. ... ed out: Ke p-thy-tongue-from-evil-and thy-lips-from-girls.

Another astronomer, Proctor, has it that the world will end in 1897. This is ... a few ... more for the grand old world to ... on its axis.—The comet of ... Astronomers say ... often been ... without its ... Ah, well, ... king ... 1897.

The ... cheese factory will soon be running.

H... no ...

The Eugenia ... saw, and lath mill is making ... progress, Mr Akitt, the ... proprietor has just put in a new wheel, and calculates upon ... lumber per hour.

The bridegroom, anxious to attend the bride's wants at a wedding breakfast, said, "Shall I skin you a porster honey?" "No, deary, I have one already skun."

A pretty girl turned up her nose at a poor dev... lover. It froze in that position. Moral, girls, don't turn up your noses.

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice BY LETTER (returning the paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

2. Any person who takes a paper from the post office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay

3. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.68	to	.72
Oats " 1	.40	to	.44
Butter " 1	.16	to	.16
Eggs		to	.12
Potatoes "	55	to	65
Pork "	7.50	to	7.75
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.19	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	to	1.23
Barley	1.66	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.45
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes.	0.59	"	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5.00	"	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 60		1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3 00
Hay	12.00	"	14 00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6 00	to	0 25
Spring Wheat per bush.	$1 19	to	1 25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.23
Barley	0 64	"	0 80
Oats	0 40	"	0.45
Peas	0 74	"	0 75
Potatoes	0 59	"	0 64
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0 12½	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50	"	8 00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0 60	"	1 2
Hides	7 25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2 50	"	3 00
Wool	0 22	"	0 00
Lard	0 10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall per bush	$1 30	to	$1 32
Wheat, spring, do.	1 34	to	1 38
Barley, do.	0 84	to	0 93
Oats, do.	0 48	to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82	to	0 85
Rye, do.	0 82	to	0 83
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	9 50	to	9 75
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 65	to	0 80
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 25
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		to	0 23
Butter, store packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes per bag	1 30	to	1 35
Onions, per bag	1 20	to	1 20
Hay	10 50	to	14 00

Thursday, May 11

POLITICAL MURDER IN IRELAND.

The direst misfortune which has befallen unhappy Ireland for very many years occurred last Saturday evening in Dublin, when Lord Frederick Cavendish, the newly-appointed Secretary for Ireland, and Mr Burke the Under-Secretary were foully assassinated by unknown hands. Through the length and breadth of the civilised world a thrill of horror arises at the thought of such an atrocious crime.

It must inevitably be that Ireland, already under heavy burdens—shall suffer for this tragedy. It will check the tide of sympathy towards suffering Ireland To the British Government it is a sad disaster. Till Cavendish was appointed Ireland had been under coercive measures; her leading men were in prison, and the disturbed portions of the country were kept in order almost at the point of the bayonet. With Foster's resignation last week came the release of a number of suspects, and further conciliatory measures were in contemplation. The reign of terror was over, and just as the sun was breaking through the dark clouds, this dark tragedy occurs, and throws the country back, as Davitt says, fully ten years. Every honest Irishmen is interested in this matter. The grand old English mansion at Chatsworth mourns over one of the brightest of her sons; the writer has heard the tenants of the Duke of Devonshire speak in high terms of Lord Frederick. The whole English nation mourns over the loss by such dastardly means, of the man who is now being laid in the rural churchyard of the model village of Edensor, in the pretty, picturesque county of Derbyshire.

Lord Frederick Cavendish was the second son of the Duke of Devonshire and brother to the Marquis of Hartington. The Cavendish family is second to none in the peerage for strength. The family motto—Cavendo tutus—secure in caution, was somewhat disregarded by the late lord at the last moment. He was consistent member of the Church of England, Sunday school teacher, constant visitor among the poor and needy, and occasionally acted as lay reader. His widow is sister of Lord Lyttleton, of Hagley, and is a woman worthy of her husband.

UNION OF METHODISTS.

At the Methodist Episcopal Conference the subject of union with other Methodist bodies was discussed, and it was apparent that a strong feeling exists among ministers and laity in favor of union. No basis was formulated but the action taken may be considered a step in the right direction. The Bible Christians and the Primitive Methodists are ready to fall into line, and are prepared to unite on equitable terms. The Canada Methodists are known not to be disposed to place any serious obstacle in the way of union, and hence there is good prospect of the amalgamation of all the Methodist Churches in Canada before many months. The action of the several annual Conferences yet to meet will be awaited with unusual interest.

SAD ACCIDENT AT BARR HEAD MILLS, MARKDALE.

The busy village of Markdale, generally free from accidents and sensations, was on Saturday evening last startled by the news that Mr. Henry Boyce who rents the farm at the old mill, had met with a very painful accident. Some time since Mr. Boyce bought a mare at Flesherton; on arriving home with it he discovered that it was the same beast which some time ago was owned by Mr. Ben Coleman. She was known to possess nearly all the vices horse-flesh is heir to. A week or so ago she was taken sick (inflammation we) believe and as a matter of course medicine was provided for her. Her illness rendered it desirable that she should be kept in a standing position, but the inclination of the beast was to lie down. When Mr. Boyce entered the stable on Saturday evening to administer the dose, he went behind her and with a rope or strap hit her to make her rise, irritated at his interference with her rest, the mare struck her feet up in the air and hit Mr. Boyce in the face completely smashing it, and knocking him against the wall, thus inflicting an injury to the back of his head almost as bad as his face.

Dr. Armstrong was at once summoned and continues to attend the patient. The latter remains unconscious and is still in a very critical condition.

The mare died within 2 hours of the occurrence and was probably in great pain at the time.

THE EDITOR'S TABLE.

TRUTH improves. Its notes anent the recent carpenter's strike are very much to the point.

OUR LITTLE ONES is a neat well got up monthly of 25 pages. It is well illustrated and very interesting for children.

THE DAILY SENTINEL reaches us from Prince Arthur's Landing. It is a 4 page paper, neatly got up, has a good advertising patronage. It merits and deserves success.

PICTURESQUE CANADA—Nos. 5 and 6 are to hand. This work continues to reach the high standard of art promised by the publishers. The engravings are about the best ever cut in Canada, and the letter press equal to anything we have seen done in the Dominion.

THE AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST is one of the best farmer's papers published, and should be in the hands of every agriculturist. The information it contains month after month, if acted upon, will save ten times the subscription. $1.50 per annum will secure it, or clubbed with the STANDARD $2.

WAITING ON HER MAJESTY.

In the lord chamberlain's departments are the mistress of the robes, with a salary of £500; the groom of the robes with £800; (and a clerk, a messenger, and a furrier as assistants,) and eight ladies of the bedchamber. The duties of the latter consist in waiting on her majesty for three separate fortnights a year. Following these in rank are the eight maids of honor who take their turn, two at a time for one month, to attend on her majesty. The situations are quite honorary so far as work is concerned. The salaries of the maids of honor and the bedcamber women are £300 per annum each.

CANADIAN LOYALTY.

Archibald Forbes, the great war correspondent, recently related the following incident: "I was once lecturing in Canada and in the course of my lecture I described the attendance of the Queen upon the Prince of Wales when he was so near death's door at Sandringham She strolled up and down unattended in front of the house. My audience listened spell bound, but suddenly a tall, gaunt man interrupted me saying, 'Stop! this loyal audience will sing God Save the Queen!' This was done with great fervor. At the close of my lecture the same gaunt figure arose and proposed that I should repeat that portion of the lecture referring to her majesty, and I had to repeat it."

A country paper lately announced the death of a farmer in the neighborhood. The alleged defunct granger rode up to the office to know why the false report was published. The editor replied: "Well, Mr. B——, we took your own word for it. You swore last Thursday that if you didn't come up and pay that three years' subscription bill by Saturday you would be dead. As you didn't come to time, you see, we have your own vouchers for your demise. We gave you a handsome obituary, anyhow." Mr. B— flung down a $5 bill and left without taking a receipt or uttering a word.

We like to see a man refuse to advertise in a home paper, and then try to get a share of the trade which the paper brings to town; but above all things we like to see a rich, miserable man, who will not subscribe to a home paper, always manage to be around in time to read the paper at the expense of a friend; it looks so economical, thrifty and progressive, you know.

POLITICAL MURDER.

Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke Assassinated.

HORRIBE TRAGEDY IN DUBLIN.

$50,000 REWARD.

A terrible tragedy occurred at Dublin on Saturday. Lord Frederick Cavendish, the new Chief Secretary, and Mr. Burke, Under Secretary, were assassinated in Phœnix Park about half-past seven o'clock. They left the Under Secretary's office to walk over to the Chief Secretary's residence to dinner. When within one hundred yards of the Phœnix monument they were attacked by four men wearing slouched hats. It is supposed that Mr. Burke was first assailed, and stabbed through the heart. Lord Frederick Cavendish attempted to defend him, but he too was stabbed by the assassins. They repeatedly plunged their knives into the throats of their victims, and having cut their throats, they got on a car and drove rapidly from the Park by the Chapelizod gate. Lord Cavendish's arm was broken. The news spread rapidly, and created the wildest excitement and consternation in the city. Lord Spencer and the vice-regal party were just going down to dinner at the lodge when the news was sent them. Lord Cavendish only arrived in Dublin on Saturday afternoon with Earl Spencer, the new Lord-Lieutenant. He was present at the installation ceremony in Dublin Castle, and left there with Mr. Burke, his fellow-victim, early in the evening. It is stated that some lads riding bicycles in the park saw the attack and the murderers which were the work of less than a minute. Many people were within a few hundred yards of the scene of the assassination, but no one appears to have been near enough to interfere. The assassinations are attributed to the Fenians. The assassins were seen entering the park on a car, and driving rapidly along the main road, and from all accounts they must have encountered their victims as they were crossing the road. Robbery could not have been their object, as nothing on the bodies was touched. A boy named Jacob states that while birdnesting in the park he saw a group of men as if were wrestling. He though they were roughs, and did not pay any attention to them. He then saw two men fall to the ground, and four others jump on a car and drive off at a rapid pace; he could not give any description of the men. A gentleman named Maguire and a friend, who were on bicycles, shortly before had passed Mr. Burke and Lord Frederick Cavendish, on their way along the main road through the park, and on their return journey they found the Chief Secretary lying in the centre of the carriage way and Mr. Burke prostrate upon the pathway. Both gentlemen were lying in great pools of blood. They informed the police at the Park Gate station what they had seen. The police at once proceeded to scene of the murder and conveyed the bodies to the hospital. Mr. Burke had stabs near the heart and his throat had been cut almost completely across. His clothes were saturated with blood and also torn, his gloves were torn in many places and his hands bore marks suggestive of a fierce encounter. Lord Frederick did not wear gloves. He had been stabbed in several places about the chest. One wound was through the right lung and penetrated deeply. At the time of the dreadful occurrence the park, as might be expected on a lovely evening, was crowded in many places with people.

The murderous onslaught must have been short, terrific, and decisive. Many persons were sitting and walking within a few hundred yards and and yet heard nothing of the affair. No arrests had been made up to two o'clock on Sunday morning. All the available force of constables is out searching for the assassins. There is great excitement in Dublin, the crime is the most daring assassination of modern times. The day had been marked by a most cordial greeting of Earl Spencer, and people were congratulating each other that a brighter day had dawned for Ireland. The Lord-Lieutenant, Earl Spencer, was walking in the garden when he observed a scuffle going on in the park. He thought it was only a brawl, but gave directions that a policeman should be sent to see what was the matter. Little did he think that his two intimate friends and chief advisers were being butchered before his face. A common hack car drove up, and four rough-looking fellows jumped off, the driver remaining in his seat. The assassins rushed on the victims with daggers and in a couple of seconds the awful crime was complete.

The tragedy is denounced in the very strongest terms by Parnell and his party.

On Monday night a man named Moore was arrested on suspicion at Maynooth. He almost fainted when arrested. He returned from America last last Friday, answers the description of one of the murderers, and has a number of wounds about the body. It is reported another arrest has been effected at Kildare.

Several arrests were made on Tuesday and yesterday. They are not of great importance.

Earl Spencer returns to Dublin today. The Under-Secretaryship filled by Mr Blake, and Mr. Otto Trevalyan fills the Secretaryship.

Lord Frederick Cavendish was interred in the family vault at Edensor, a village on the Duke of Devonshire's Chatsworth estate,

The Government offer a reward of £10,000, also £1000 for private information.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

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Church Directory.

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Sunday School 2 30
J. WARD, Incumbent.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday, 10.30, 7
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8,
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Glenelg, May 6, 1882. 87 90.

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Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention.
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NOTICE.

The REFORM CONVENTION OF EAST GREY will meet in the Township Hall, Flesherton, on Friday, the 19th inst., at One o'clock, p.m., for the purpose of electing OFFICERS, selecting Parliamentary CANDIDATES, &c.

By Order of the President,
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Markdale, May 3, 1882.

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

Parties wishing the Prescription, will please address, Rev. E. A. Wilson, 189 Penn st., Williamsburgh, N. Y. 20-ly

ERRORS OF YOUTH.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,
1-ly 42 Cedar st. New York

Carson Price
Holland Centre,

Is to the front with a full Stock comprising

DRESS GOODS,

PRINTS, WHITE & GREY COTTONS,
TWEEDS, DUCKS, DENIMS, GINGHAMS,
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GROCERIES, Fresh.

Every line complete and selling at bottom prices.

ATTENTION!

This is to certify that I have secured full control in the villages of Dundalk, Flesherton, and Markdale, and the surrounding country for the CHARLES RAYMOND SEWING MACHINE, manufactured in Guelph, and the Wilson B Sewing Machine manufactured in Hamilton; and am now the only authorised dealer in said Machines for said Territory. Every Machine is well guaranteed.

The best Canadian and American Organs and Pianos are represented. W. F. Doll represents me in Markdale, and keeps a good stock of Sewing Machines on hand; call and see. Book and Stationery Business will be carried on by me in Flesherton; a full stock will be on hand in a few days.

Farmers, Look to your Interests.

H. L. THURSTON,

FLESHERTON.

Markdale Police Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Householders of the Village of MARKDALE to have their Yards and Outbuildings thoroughly cleansed, and any nuisance removed before the 15th day of May, as the INSPECTOR will on that date examine and inspect said Yards, &c., and where necessary put the law in force to compel such cleansing.

THOS. MULLARKY, Sec., Village Police.

May 1st, 1882.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The Subscriber respectfully intimates that his stores at Flesherton Station and Eugenia, are fully stocked with General Goods, suitable for the season, and will be constantly renewed as required, consisting of

DRY GOODS, HARDWARE
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE,
BOOTS, SHOES
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, &c.

FRESH GROCERIES a speciality at this season.

All Kinds of Farm Produce, Cordwood, and Saw Logs taken in exchange for Goods. Inspection of the Goods respectfully solicited. My saw Mill at Little Falls, is in full operation. All kinds of Logs purchased Sawing done by the Thousand or on shares.

Wm. HOGG.

Flesherton Station, Dec. 28, 1881.

MARKDALE
Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.!
ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.
All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning
Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

THE STANDARD.
Thursday May 11th 1882
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The stores will be closed in Markd the 24th.

H.R.H. Princess Louise will arri Halifax on the 25th.

Tea, tea, tea, from 20cts, to $1 Samples free. Butter & Rae.

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A $25,000 piano was the Prince wedding present to his broth

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How to make a hot-house—Leav of matches handy for the baby

The Markdale Lodge A.O.U.W. giving a Conversazione on June 1.

Five dollars saved by ordering yo suits at McFarland's, a perf guaranteed.

Milk pan, crocks, butter pans, ja 10 per cent. less than cost Butter & Rae's.

An outbreak of smallpox at Win Ont. Seventeen persons do the disease.

Princess Beatrice is to be marri the Earl of Fife, a handsome, clev nobleman.

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H. Matthews, late of Woodt has purchased the Morr Chatsworth.

A Baltimore nurse girl pushed thr down a baby's throat. She under restraint.

Lardine machine oil will not gu freeze, and wears better that a oil in the market.

Don't forget that Butter & Rae a yet and will give bargains for t 20 days that will astonish you.

Prints, cottons, dress goods, flann Hollands, are at cost for t twenty days at Butter & Rae's.

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Wm. J. Morrow, Joseph Galbrait Joseph Graham, left Markdal Manitoba on Friday. They w the lakes route.

Gents dress shirts, collars, ties, straw hats, a large quantity choose from and at prices to defy co petition at Butter and Rae's.

Important to a few of our frien is the last time we ask you to p We mean what we say now, a not forget it. Butter & Rae.

Mr. Thos. Irwin, Artemesia, ha sow which gave birth, a few days ag 19 pigs by that famous "Red Jer boar" the property of Mr. John M

Clothing at cost and over, own ma which has proved the test for yea trial will convince you to leave yo order at once before Queen's birth Butter & Rae's.

Report has it that a farmer Holland became so enraged at horses while working that he t his gun and shot at them was a poor shot.

To prevent fevers, bilious colds, an ague; to tone up the system and puri the blood; try a course of Dr. Carson stomach and constipation bitter large bottles at 50cts. A. Turner Co., Agents, Markdale.

All three painful and distressing di eases and irregularities pe uliar the female sex may be promptly cur by Burdock Blood Bitters. It reg ates every organ to a healthy actio Trial bottles 10 cents.

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... Artemesia, has a ... birth, a few days ago, ... famous "Red Jersey ... of Mr. John Mercer.

... own make ... the test for years. ... you to leave your ... Queen's birthday ...

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There has been good fishing in the Saugeen and tributaries since the season opened. Not a pole in Markdale but was between a phool and a worm. What an unenviable position are the poor fish! We heard of one 150 pounder being hauled out dripping.

The official board of the Methodist church, Markdale, met in the vestry on Monday afternoon, when general business was transacted. The meeting adjourned till the 16th inst. in order to make up the deficiency in the pastor's salary.

Boots and shoes, Cooper & Smith's make, from a child's slipper to a No. 12 brogan. See them and compare in style and finish with other makers and if they do not suit you in quality and price we will give a pair for nothing and send them home. Butter & Rae.

The farmers adjoining the village are being troubled very much with village hens. Those who keep fowls would be doing nothing more than right if they would keep them in their own yards during the summer months, otherwise they may find some of them missing.

McKenna & Mason are turning out some of the finest work ever built in the county of Grey. For workmanship and finish they cannot be excelled. They have just received orders for two democrat waggons, one to be sent down near Barrie, the other near Toronto. Farmers, study your interest by giving them a call.

It is about time something was done to the yard of Markdale station. Its condition is about as bad as it can be, and a disgrace to the T.G.&B. It is no easy matter for strangers to find their way from the depot to the side walk, especially at night. It is somebody's duty to see to these things, and to display a little taste in keeping the road in a passable condition.

Mr. Geo. Richardson clipped last week off a yearling ram 16lbs. of clean wool. We are pleased to be able to notice so many heavy clips in this section of country. Sheep are as profitable, if not more so, any kind of farm stock, and it costs as much to feed poor sheep as good ones. Too much attention cannot be given to improving the breed.

Medicine taken into the stomach in concentrated form such as pills and powders, are most injurious. The great substitute for these nauseous little Calomel pills is Dr. Carson's stomach and constipation bitters. They cleanse the bowels, stimulate the liver and kidneys, and cure all stomach disorders, such as dyspepsia, and indigestion. In large bottles at 50cts. A. Turner & Co., Agents, Markdale.

It is impossible to pass along the gravel road, up by the churches, without noticing the great improvements that are going on in the graveyard of the English church. The Incumbent not only takes a great interest in the beautifying of God's house and God's acre, but himself labours therein to convert what a few years ago was a wild corner into quite an attractive cemetery. The Rev. J. Ward will be glad to receive flowering plants to enable him to further beautify the grounds of the English church.

The following is the common sense treatment for a horse out of condition (in fact all horses require like treatment this time of year) a good Purging Ball following by a course of strong tonic powder. These are both to be had in Zock's Tonic Compound and Blood Mixture, as each package contains a throughly good purging ball and over a pound of strong Tonic Powder. Ask your druggist about it A. Turner and Co. Special Agent Markdale.

"Ignorance" sends us a critique upon the poetry published in last issue. He wants to know what the poet means by children "withered by the blast of time," and is at a great loss to understand a "ruffled river flowing gently." What natural phenomenon asks "Ignorance" is a "slumbering be?" and the critique concludes by saying it was a woeful extravagant wish of the parents that she might "grow to life sublime."

Correspondence.

Notice.—We wish it disinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

THE RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor,

Sir,—W has attempted to answer my question as to why the report of the Markdale revival did not agree with those recorded in the Scriptures. But I think he has utterly failed to give any light on that question. Surely he does not think his talk about immersion following conversion, and that he supposes I belong to some Baptist denomination, nor yet his challenge to discuss infant sprinkling are answers to the question? Perhaps it has occurred to him that the original question cannot be answered very satisfactorily and therefore leaves it almost, if not altogether, untouched W. says there is no account of any case of immersion following conversion in the New Testament, or for two hundred years afterwards. Now it is a fact that Methodists do immerse such persons sometimes, (when they cannot well help it.) Why do Methodists practice what is not scriptural. Surely they ought not to perpetrate an innovation. However he wants to discuss infant sprinkling. Very well, I accept his proposition, and as he is the affirmant I shall expect him to open the discussion in you next issue. I will deny his proposition. Your &c.

Constant Reader.

EEPHRASIA SPRING SHOW.

PRIZE LIST.

Imported heavy draught horses,—John Gilkinson's Wonder; 2nd Blue's Duke of Edinburgh.

Canadian Draught—Mr J. Watson's Netherby; 2nd, Miles' Bonnie Scotland.

General purpose.—Mitchell's Duke of Wellington; 2nd, Shepherdson's Scottish Champion.

Road and carriage—1st Gilkinson's Glencoe.

Blood stallions—Johnston's Astronomer. 2nd, Mitchell's Extra.

Pedigree bulls—1st, W McConnel's Oxford King.

Plows—Wilkinson. 2nd, Patterson.

Harrows—Tait. 2nd Stinson.

Seed drills—1st, John Arthur.

Mowing machines Hamly. 2, Bows.

Reaping machines. 1, 2. Abercrombie

Rake—Abercrombie, 2nd Knight.

THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION AT MARKDALE.

A meeting of those interested in the sports for the 24th May was called for last Friday evening at Revere House, but owing to the smallness of the attendance, the meeting adjourned till Tuesday.

At the adjourned meeting, Mr Henry having been voted to the chair, the officers for the year were elected as follows: Dr Sproule, president; Mr. A. Turner, secretary; Mr Lucas treasurer; Messrs W. Haskett and Young, collectors. The committee to consist of Messrs Mullarky, Large, Noble, W. Haskett, Sarjeant, and ex-officio, Mr A. Turner.

A little discussion took place as to the day on which the sports are to be held, but with one dissentient only, the meeting was unanimous in favour of May 24.

There is no doubt but that in the hands of the committee appointed a good time may be expected.

We ought to be able to have in this town, once a year at any rate, a grand Gala and Fete Day; and all that is now required to accomplish this is a little liberality on the part of the subscribers.

METHODIST QUARTERLY MEETING.

The fourth quarterly meeting of the Methodist church, Markdale, was held on Sunday. The Rev. N. A. McDiarmid said that the past year had been one of spiritual and temporal prosperity. During the quarter many had been added to the church, and though death had broken their ranks and disease had brought others to the point of death, still there was great reason for gratitude, He also spoke of the peace and harmony existing between pastor and people. Both morning and evening services were well attended.

A LETTER FROM MONTANA,

By Frank Beattie, late of Markdale.

Big Horne River.

Since I wrote you in September, I have left the district of Miles, and am now 100 miles further west. Miles—though called a city, has but 1000 inhabitants. It is situated on the Yellowstone river, and was founded by Gen. Miles in 1877.

Miles is the great centre for buffalo hunters, and gamblers. Sunday is its best business day, when merchants do a roaring trade, saloons are in full swing, places of amusement and auction sales roaring away. I have not heard of any 'good' people in the city.

When I wrote before I was 'dishing up the hash', I have since tried contracting on a small scale on the N.P.R and so far have been successful. I like the country better as I go west, the valley widens and becomes more fertile. There are only a few settlers, and the yield of grain last year was small. It will never be much of a grain country, I fear, for during the 8 months past there has not been 2 hrs rain. I think cattle raising would pay, for the cattle fed on buffalo grass,—though dry as stubble—are very fat. Sheep would do well, but would have to be protected from bears, mountain lions, &c. Only an inch of snow this winter, and excepting 3 weeks in Jan. when the thermometer jumped down to 32, the weather has been very mild indeed.

A tribe of Indians under Long Elk and Big Ox encamped close to us and visited us. Three of us accepted an invitation to their camp. I imagine there were over 1000 dogs in the camp and they made a terrible noise, barking furiously. The Indians consider dog flesh good eating.

The chiefs shook hands with us and offered us seats on the buffalo hides. Long Elk has papers shewing he has been to the White House at Washington, and permits to hunt buffalo. He is a tall man, and intelligent looking. Big Ox is a tall stout Indian who looks as if the affairs of state did not trouble him. Most of the Indians smoke long-stemmed pipes. The squaws were making mocassins. I tried to buy but thought them dear. Our conversation was limited, as our knowledge of each other's language was nil. One wished to work for money, so I set him on, gave him a wheelbarrow to move some broken rock. He was as awkward as a girl with a plough. After his first barrow-load, he came for his pay, and when I made him understand he must work till night, he angrily gave up railroading in great disgust.

Geese and ducks innumerable fill the land. Markdale sportsmen could shoot game till they were weary, and then for a change go out a few miles where 4-footed animals from buffaloes to mountain rats await the gun of the sportsman.

Buffalo are fast being killed off by the hunters. Last summer I crossed prairies literally covered with carcases the skins from which had been taken by the hunters.

Men are getting $2.50 per day on the road. Board $6 per week. Flour $14 barrel. Oats $1.25. Potatoes $3.66. Butter $1.50. Eggs $1 doz. Lumber as high as $100 per 1000 feet.

Hoping to find a better country further west, I am, Yours, &c.,

Frank Beattie.

ST. VINCENT SPRING SHOW.

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Imported draught horse—Warrilo & Long's Son of a Gun. Button and Garbutt's Thunder.

Canadian draught—Ferguson's Yg. Comet. 2nd Kerr's Young Netherby.

General purpose—Mitchell's Duke of Wellington. 2nd, Fawcett's French Comet.

Roadster—Jenkins' Young Royal George. 2nd, Wilson's Glencoe.

Pedigree bull, over 2 years—Dinsmore's Hanlan. 2nd. Clark's Tricket

Bulls under 2 years—1st & 2nd R Clark.

Dundalk.

The beautiful days of spring have now arrived, and all seem to enjoy them.

The order of the day: seeding and gardening.

Why can't the Dundalk boys have a holiday as they do in other places.

Several of the stores, and offices in Dundalk, are having large syndicate platforms put in front of their establishments, there are better times coming.

Samuel McCullough is building an addition to his residence; whither he will move in a few days.

Hopeville is still holding its own. This village is situated ten miles from Dundalk, in a good agricultural locality, and will soon become a place worthy of public attention.

Dundalk Cattle fair was held on Tuesday. There were not many cattle, but buyers were plentiful, consequently prices were high. There was a great demand for cows.

Mr. Nelsons sale was fairly attended. The day being fine, many of the farmers preferred stopping at home. Many of the highest bidders were not real purchasers, as the prices offered were ridiculously low.

The Dundalk merchants talk of closing at 7 p. m. except on Saturday. Its a pity they don't do something more than talk, why not put it in practice.

After the ratepayers have gone to the expense of voting a bonus for siding midway between Shelburne and Dundalk the T. G. & B. R. Co. refuse to construct them only on such conditions which cannot be entertained only by a lunatic. Some blame the merchants of Shelburne and Dundalk for this sudden change. Others believe it is owing to the uncertainty of the suits now pending in the courts, respecting the agreement that exists between the Grand Trunk and the company.—*Orangeville Advertiser.*

TIMELY WARNING.

Now is the season for sudden colds and distressing coughs, treat them with Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, it cures influenza, asthma, croup, whooping cough, bronchitis, and all pulmonary complaints leading to consumption.

Such objections were raised to laying the body of the widow of a Wesleyan minister beside her husband in the consecrated portion of the parochial burying-ground at Helmsley, England, that the effort was finally abandoned. On the day of the funeral, as the mourners were about to enter the churchyard by the main gateway, they were warned away and ordered to use a meaner entrance. This order was given by the vicar because "the passing of Nonconformist funerals over consecrated ground" might wound the feelings of Churchpeople. This is enlightened England.

The water in the Assiniboine is still rising, although a fall is reported up stream. St. Boniface is partly submerged, and iron and stone is being placed on the Louise Bridge to prevent its being washed away.

LIVER, KIDNEY, AND BRIGHT'S DISEASE.

A medicine that destroys the germ or cause of Bright's Disease, Diabetes, Kidney and Liver complaints, and has power to root them out of the system is above all price. Such a medicine is Hop Bitters, and positive proof can be found of this by one trial, or by asking your neighbours, who have been cured by it.

The Poet's Corner

Love, Marriage, Divorce.

A little kiss,
A little bliss,
A little ring,—It's ended.
A little jaw,
A little law,
Then lo! the bonds are rended.

BIRTHS.

LITTLEJOHNS.—In Artemesia, on the 4th inst., the wife of Joseph Littlejohns, of a daughter.

WILSON.—In Providence Bay, Manitoulin, Ap 18, the wife of Saml. Wilson, late of Artemesia, of a son.

DIED.

DAVIDSON—In Osprey, on March 25 Chas W., son of Hugh and S. E. Davidson, of scarlet fever, aged 4 yrs.

Also, on the 13th ult, Alex. Davidson, of dropsy, aged 2 yrs.

SPROULE.—In Flesherton, 26th ult. Alice G., daughter of R. J. Sproule, aged 8 mos.

MONTGOMERY.—In Markdale, 29th ult, Mrs Montgomery, aged 105 years.

STONE.—In Artemesia on April 27th, Mrs. Henry Stone.

CARRY THE NEWS.

Near Tilsonburg, Ont.

I have been ailing for years with Biliousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try ZOPESA by Mr Thomson, (of the firm of C. Thomson & Co. druggists of this place) and, many thanks to him, I am now an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds, through the use of this new compound.

MRS. CAROLINE FORBES,
Dec. 14; 1881. Wife of Mr R. G. Forbes.

The above letter is a fair specimen of very many being constantly received. The writer is of the highest respectability, and can easily be communicated with.

ZOPESA is not a cure-all, but we guarantee it to cure Dyspepsia in its many forms, and all Bilious or Liver troubles. The price is but 75 cents, and can be had of druggists and country dealers everywhere.

Respectfully, ZOPESA CHEMICAL CO.
85-8. lk 80.

"The Re-Action is now established and the crowd go to

J. GARDINER'S for

HARDWARE!

Cut Nails	$3.	Hay Fork	60c.
Clinch Nails	8cts per lb.	Steel Hoes	50c.
Barndoor Hinges,	6c. per lb.	Do. Axes	80c.
Logging Chains	7c. per lb.	Manure Fork	$1 00
Steel Spades	90c.		

Gold Medal White Lead, 25 lbs. for $1.50. All other Shelf Goods at equally low prices.

A Select Stock of Farmers' and Mechanics' HARDWARE Always on hand.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

Always on hand a large stock of Tin, Sheet-Iron, and Copper-Ware of my own Manufacture.

STOVES of all kinds at Bottom Prices.

J. Gardiner, Dundalk.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

GROCERIES.

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TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

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I went over and sat in the lap of a corpulent lady from Manitoba and a girl from Chicago jumped over nine seats and sat down on the plug hat of a preacher from La Crosse with so much girlish enthusiasm that it shoved his hat clear over his shoulders.

Everybody seemed to lay aside the usually cool reserve of strangers, and we made ourselves entirely at home.

A shy young man with an emaciated oil cloth valise, left his own seat, and went over and sat down in a lunch basket where a bridal couple seemed to be wrestling with their first picnic.

Do you suppose that reticent young man would have done such a thing on ordinary occasions? Do you think if he had been at a celebration at home, that he would have ris[illegible] and gone where those people were eating by themselves, and sat down in the cranberry jelly of a stranger?

I should rather think not.

Why one old man who, probably at home led the class meeting, and who was as dignified as Roscoe Conkling's father, was eating a piece of custard pie when we met the other train, and he left his own seat and went over to the front end of the car and stabbed that piece of custard pie in the ear of a beautiful widow from Iowa.

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Why suffer from Indigestion and Dyspepsia when Burdock Blood Bitters will positively cure these ailments. A trial bottle only costs 10 cents.

Emperor William, of Germany, once visited an orphan asylum. He took a little girl on his knee, and pulling an orange from his pocket, said: "To what kingdom does this belong?" The orphan replied "The vegetable kingdom" He next produced a gold piece and the girl's reply to his query was "The mineral kingdom," "Now look at me, and say to what kingdom I belong," said the Emperor. The little one hesitated, fearing to say the animal kingdom, and at last looking at the aged monarch, she said, "To the heavenly kingdom," "Yes, yes," said he "and I trust the day is not far distant."

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The railroad is almost completed to Hepworth, and the men will reach Allenford this week. The road will be ready for opening by the 1st of June. The greater part of the road between Chesley and Allenford was ballasted last fall, and a couple of weeks will complete it.—*Tara leader.*

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In the Spring of the year almost every one requires a good Blood Purifier, more especially in the month of May. We would earnestly advise our readers to try Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. A few doses will soon convince you that it is the best remedy known for affections of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver, and Kidneys. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

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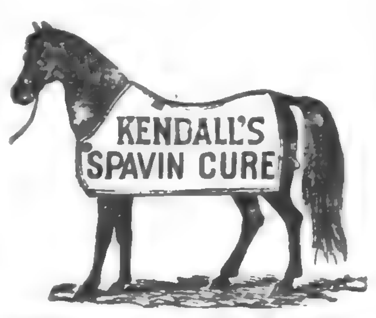

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The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

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Early last summer Messrs J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

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Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young [illegible].

Yours truly,
J. F. ROTH.

FROM A
PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

[illegible], Ohio, June 17th 1880.

Dr. J. B. K[illegible] [illegible] a valuable [illegible] which had been lame from spavin [illegible] eighteen months, I sent to you for a book by express, which in six weeks removed [illegible] and enlargement and a [illegible] from another horse and [illegible]. The [illegible] bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,
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Thousands of [illegible] has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunions, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

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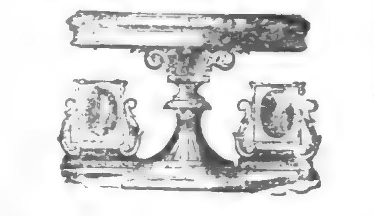

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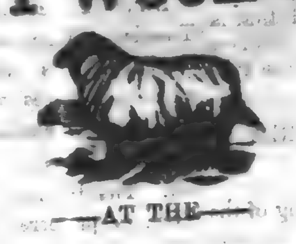

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IN BOOTS AND SHOES

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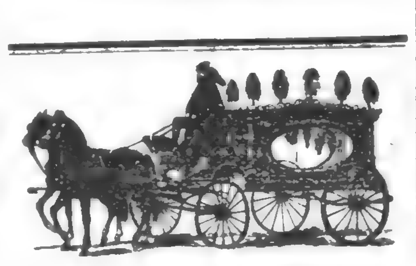

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You can sit down to table
With your knife and fork at play
You can lend a hand to help them
As they stow the food away.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER VIII.

REDMOND O'DONNELL.

Miss Herncastle stood like a statue in the arch. 'Lady Cecil,' she said, 'Lady Dangerfield has sent me in search—' She broke off suddenly; she had advanced a step, and perceived that Lady Cecil was not alone. I was not aware—'

'Wait—wait. Miss Herncastle!' Lady Cecil exclaimed. 'Lady Dangerfield sent you in search of me!'

'Yes, Lady Cecil, and they are waiting for you. There's the music.'

'You play, Sir Arthur, do you not?' Lady Cecil turned to him, and then perceived him gazing intently at Miss Herncastle. He was wondering who she was—this tall, majestic woman.

Lady Dangerfield entered. 'What on earth are you all doing here in the moonlight?

Lady Cecil had sped away like the wind already, and Miss Herncastle followed.

'Who is that?' asked Sir Arthur.

'Who? Do you mean Miss Herncastle—my governess?'

'Your governess? She looks more like an empress.'

'Absurdly tall, isn't she?—half a giantess. Do you like tall women? Miss Herncastle is to assist to night in the tableaux—that is why you see her here.'

The disused ball-room had been fitted up as a theatre, with stage and seats.

A bell tinkled and the curtain went up. Inn-yard, pump and horse trough all true to nature, on the sign 'Searswood Arms.' Enter Boots, (Major Frankland,) a brush in one hand, a gentleman's Wellington in the other, in a state of soliloquy. He gives you to understand he is in love with Susan, the barmaid, and Fanny, the chambermaid; and in a quandary which to make Mrs. Boots. Enter Fanny, and some love passages immediately ensue. Boots is on the point of proposing to the chambermaid, when there comes a shrill call for 'Fanny,' and *exit* Fanny. Yes, Boots likes Fanny best—will propose to Fanny, when, enter Susan, (Lady Dangerfield,) the barmaid, tripping jauntly forward, bearing a tray of tumblers and blithely singing a song.

Boots' allegiance is shaken. More love passages take place. Susan is coy—shrieks and skirmishes. Down falls the tray, smash goes the glass. Boots must have that kiss, Susan slaps his face; not irretrievably offended, 'Susan!' bawls a loud bass voice 'Coming ma'am, coming!'

Boots soliloquizes once more. 'How happy could I be with either, were t'other dear charmer away.'

He cannot make up his mind. If he marries Fanny, he will hanker after Susan; if he marries Susan, he will break his heart for Fanny. Oh, why can't a man marry both? The first syllable is Both.'

The bell tinkles and the curtain goes up again. An oasis in the desert forms the background. Group of Bedouins in the distance. A huge marble basin filled with gold fish occupies the centre, an Eastern dignitary sits near. The Eastern dignitary is Sir Arthur Tregenna. An Eastern damsel approaches, her loose hair flowing, her beautiful bare arms upholding a stone pitcher on her head. She salaams before my lord the dignitary, lets down her pitcher into the marble well and humbly offers my lord to drink. Second syllable, 'Well,' curtain falls.

Curtain rises to stirring strains. You are in 'marble halls,' pillars, curtains—and a great deal of tartan drapery. Enter a majestic figure in court attire. (Major Frankland.) He is a Scotchman. He is in love again and soliloquizing. He loves some bright particular star far above his reach. Come what may, he is determined to win her, though his path to her heart lie through carnage and blood. In the distance he espies another court gallant. The sights brings forth a perfect howl of jealous fury. He apostrophizies this distant cavalier as 'Henry Stuart, King of Scotland.'

In the distance you hear musical feminine laughter and talking, a sweet voice is singing. The dark gentleman in the rapier staggers back apace, says in a whisper audible all over the room, ''Tis *she*.' The Queen approaches with her three Maries.

She looks lovely. It is Lady Cecil Clive, in trailing, jewel-studded robe robe of velvet, Mary Stuart cap. She is smiling—she is exquisite—she holds out her hands with 'Ah! my Lord of Bothwell and Hailes, *you* here.' The noble doffs his plumed cap, sinks on one knee, and lifts the fair hand to his lips. Tableau!

Of course the word is '*Bothwell.*'

Then followed others, and in one of them Miss Herncastle appeared, by her own request and the solicitation of Lady Cecil. It was 'Charlotte Corday and the Friend of the People.' Sir Peter Dangerfield in the role of Marat.

The curtain went up. An elegant apartment, a bath in the centre, and in the bath the bloodthirsty monster who ruled fair France. A desk is placed across the tub; he writes as he sits in the bath; he signs death-warrants by the dozen, and gloats with hellish exultation over his work. There is an altercation without—some one insists upon seeing him. The door slowly opens, some one slowly enters, the lights go slowly down, semi-darkness rules the scene, the band plays the awful music of Don Giovanni before the statue enters. A tall female figure glides in, in a trailing black robe, she glides slowly forward—slowly, slowly. Her face, deadly pale, turns to the audience a moment. Clutched in the folds of that trailing robe, you see a long, slender, gleaming dagger.

The silence of awe and expectation falls upon the audience. She glides nearer, nearer; she lifts the dagger, her pale face awful, vengeful in the dim light. The Friend of the People looks up for the first time, but it is too late. The Avenger is almost upon him, the gleaming dagger is uplifted to strike. Sir Peter Dangerfield beholds the terrible face of Miss Herncastle; he sees the brandished knife, and leaps up with a shriek of terror that rings through the house. A thrill of horror goes through everyone as the curtain rapidly falls.

'Good Heaven! she has killed him!' an excited voice says.

The lights flash up, the band crashes out the 'Guards' Waltz' but neither lights nor music can overcome the spell that has fallen upon them.

'Who *was* that?' everybody asks—'who played Charlotte Corday?

'Only Lady Dangerfield's nursery governess.'

Behind the scenes the sensation was greater. Pale affrighted Sir Peter had rushed off, and into the midst of the actors.

'How dare you send that woman to me?' he cried. 'Why did you not tell me that she was selected to play with me?'

The well-bred crowd stared. Had Sir Peter gone mad? They looked at Lady Dangerfield, pale with anger and mortification; at Lady Cecil, distressed and starving to explain, and at Miss Herncastle herself, standing calm, motionless, self-possessed as ever. They quieted him in some way, but he threw off his Marat-robe and left the assembly in disgust. Miss Herncastle would have followed, but Lady Cecil, her gentle eyes quite flashing, forbade it.

'Nonsense, Miss Herncastle!' Because Sir Peter chooses to be a hysterical goose is that any reason you should suffer for the folly? You acted splendidly—splendidly, I say—you are a born actress. I really thought for a moment you had stabbed him! You shall not go up and mope in your room—you shall stay here and see the play played out. Sir Arthur, amuse Miss Herncastle while I dress for the tableau of Rebecca and Rowena.'

Sir Arthur obeyed, with a smile, at the pretty peremptory command. He was strangely struck with this tall, majestic young woman, who looked as an exiled queen might—who spoke in a voice that was as the music of the spheres, and who was only a nursery governess. Charlotte Corday herself could never have looked one whit more stern and terrible, with the uplifted knife over the doomed head of the tyrant.

'Permit me to lead you to a seat. Miss Herncastle, and allow me to endorse Lady Cecil's words. You are a born actress.

She smiled a little and accepted his proffered arm. Some of the ladies shrugged their shoulders and exchanged glances. A baronet and a governess!

They talked commonplaces, of course—discussed the different tableaux, and when the curtain fell upon the finale, he drew her hand within his arm once more, and was her escort back to the drawing-room. Dancing followed. The baronet did not dance. He led Miss Herncastle to a seat and took another beside her. What was it that interested him in her, he wondered—he *was* interested strangely. Not her beauty; not her conversation. But she was clever—and what wonderful eyes she had—bright, deep solemn. She was dressed in white to-night—in dead white, without jewel or ribbon. Her black hair was braided and twined around her head—in its blackness a cluster of scarlet fuchsias shown. From her conversation he soon learned that she was more than a governess. She was learned and somewhat cynical. Sir Arthur expressed his wonder that a young lady could be so hard and practical.

'A young lady I nay, governess. All the difference in the world, Sir Arthur. A world of sunshine and beauty rose to—well—an earl's daughter, say—looks a very gloomy and gruesome place seen through a governess' green spectacles.'

He was puzzled, interested—a dangerous beginning. He lingered by her side nearly the whole evening. Lady Dangerfield looked on in surprise and indignation.

'Queenie, 'there is that forward creature, the governess, actually monopolizing Sir Arthur the whole night.

'I don't care. Lady Dangerfield ... Miss Herncastle may ... until doom-day if she ... I ... ed Sir Arthur ... obeying orders. I think he is really enjoying himself for the first time since his arrival. See how ... he looks. I always thought she was a clever woman—now I feel sure of it. What a pity she isn't an earl's daughter—she 's just the woman he ought to marry.

Lady Dangerfield, ... her ... excitement, for the preserver of her life had been found and was actually now in the rooms.

Lord Ruysland met him by chance.

'My good fellow,' he had said, 'you must come.

My Lady's expressions of gratitude were eloquent and flowing. Her rescuer was better looking than even she had supposed, better looking than Major Frankland.

'And now, my dear,' he said blandly, before you quite overpower my poor friend, I think I'll take him to Cecil. They are quite old friends, I assure you, and she will be delighted to meet him once more.'

They crossed to where she stood, the centre of a gay, brilliant group. She wore the Mary Stuart dress and cap once more, and looked lovely. In the midst of her laughing repartee her father's voice fell on her ear:

'Queenie, turn round and greet an old friend.' Another voice spoke—a deep manly tone:

'Six years is a long time to hope for remembrance, but I trust even six years has not made La Reine Blanche forget the humblest of her subjects.'

A sort of stillness came over her from head to foot. She turned round and stood face to face with Captain Redmond O'Donnel.

TO BE CONTINUED.

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Markdale, Feb. 8th, 1882. 67-ly

Facts and Fancies.

I dare do all that doth become a man, Who dare do more—is none.

Guiteau is no longer allowed to receive visitors.

Mason, it is understood, will be released immediately after Guiteau is hanged.

The entire population of a township on the Isle of Skye have decided to emigrate to Canada

The Jewish refugees who have arrived in Cincinnati are in rebellion against the local relief committees.

The Grand National Lottery Bill was withdrawn in the Quebec Legislative Council after a stormy debate.

The Tara Leader says the council has had a long session, but little business. Unfortunately Tara is not alone in this matter.

"George, how is your sweetheart getting along?" "Pretty well, I guess—she says I needn't call any more."

A petition is being circulated asking for a stay of Guiteau's execution until a commission of experts has determined as to his sauneness.

Heavy rains have inundated Jackson, Lawrence, and Martin Counties, Indiana. The entire crop is destroyed in some districts.

"George, dear, don't you think it's rather extravagant to eat butter with that delicious jam?" "No, love; economical. The same piece does for both.

The British Government has made an appropriation for the purpose of enquiry into the question of operatives emigrating to Canada and the United States.

A new claimant to the Tichborne estate, living in California, has been recognized, it is said, by three old servants of the Tichborne family, as the veritable Sir Roger.

A nephew of Robert Burns, aged 81 is at present an inmate of the poor-house at Glasgow. A kindly remembrance of the Bard of Coila should save a relation of his from such a fate.

The smallpox cases at Windsor are increasing, but it is hoped that, with the precautions taken by the Council the spread of the disease to any considerable extent will be prevented.

It is a significant sign of the uneasiness and sense of insecurity that prevails in England, that the Prince of Wales was protected by a file of soldiers when going from the theatre to his carriage.

The practicability of storing electricity has been demonstrated on an Atlantic steamship, in which electric lamps, lighted before leaving Havre afforded constant light until New York was reached.

A man named Barr, in Hamilton, says that one Wood, who died in Brooklyn, N. Y., last winter, of smallpox, confessed that he had committed a murder in a billiard room in Brantford. The question now is, was he the murderer of John B. Sage?

The damage on Lake Ontario by the storm which has raged for several days is most serious. Wharfes have been carried away, and houses undermined and destroyed. Sailors have had some very rough experiences, but so far no loss of life is reported.

Every one's writing, like everyone's face, differs from every other, and to help these idiosyncrasies the Esterbrook Steel Pen Co. provide a varied assortment of pens to suit every style of writing, from the finest ladies pen to the broad point engrossing.

... the ... with reference to ... He ... two ... in the United ... than ...

Another of the numerous nurses who looked after the Father of his country in his nonage has died. Her name was ... and she departed this life at Eureka, Mo., aged 113 years. In addition to having waited on General Washington she sold peanuts to his soldiers.

Collect some soot from a chimney or a stove where wood is used as fuel, put it into an old pitcher and pour hot water on it. When cool use it to water your plants every few days. The effect upon plants is wonderful in producing a rapid growth of thrifty shoots and a greater number of thick, richly tinted leaves.

The members of the Irish party in the House of Commons express their determination to fight the Government's bill with greater determination than they have heretofore displayed. Lady Cavendish has written a letter in which she expresses her resignation to the loss of her husband if his death will bring peace to Ireland.

Not long ago a school teacher not many miles from Markdale entered his school and found written on the blackboard the following touching legend. "Our teacher is a donkey!" The pupils expected there would be a combined cyclone and earthquake, but the philosophic pedagogue contented himself with adding "driver" to the legend, and opened the school with prayer as usual.

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice BY LETTER (returning the paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

2. Any person who takes a paper from the post office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

3. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.19	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	to	1.23
Barley	.65	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.45
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.59	"	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50	"	8 00
Beef	5.00	"	8.00
Geese per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40	"	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00	"	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07	"	0.00
Sheepskins	0 60		1.25
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3 00
Hay	12.00		14 00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.68	to	.72
Oats " 1	.40	to	.44
Butter " 1	.16	to	.16
Eggs		.to	.12
Potatoes "	55	to	65
Pork "	7.50	to	7.75
Hay "	7.00	to	10 00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	0.25
Spring Wheat per bush.	1 19	to	1 25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.28
Barley	0.64	"	0 80
Oats	0 40	"	0.45
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.59	"	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.12½	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50	"	8.00
Beef	5 00	"	6.00
Sheepskins	0 60	"	1.25
Hides	7 25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30	to	$1 32
Wheat, spring, do.	1 34	to	1 38
Barley, do.	0 88	to	0 [illegible]
Oats, do.	0 48	to	0 5[illegible]
Peas, do.	0 82	to	0 [illegible]
Rye, do.	0 82	to	0 83
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	9 50	to	9 75
Beef, hind quarters	5 50	to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00	to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 65	to	0 80
Fowls, do.	45	to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	00	to	0 00
Geese, each	60	to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00	to	2 25
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		to	0 23
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 15	to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.	2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 30	to	1 35
Onions, per bag	1 20	to	1 2[illegible]
Hay	10 50	to	14 00

Thursday, May 18

OSPREY PRINTING CONTRACT.

This week we publish a letter from the clerk of Osprey, on the subject of the recent printing contract. We insert it in its entirety, not because we agree with the writer, for the matter is no clearer now than before, but to let the public see into the minds of some of our township officials and councilmen. It is impossible for anything inserted in a newspaper in plain black and white to be constructed into an action done "in a sneak-thief kind of a way." It is a pity our councillors and officials don't get on a level a bit above this kind of expression.

There is certainly something wrong with this printing contract. If the Flesherton *Advance's* tender was $3 less than Rutherford's, (and this statement has not been denied,) and provided there had been no other tender than these two, the Flesherton *Advance* was entitled legally to the contract. But at Osprey tenders are asked for in a new and novel manner. The work seems to be given to the highest bidder rather than to him who tenders the lowest. There was also a tender given from this office to the printing committee, and so far as we can learn neither Rutherford's nor the *Advance's* were legally entitled to the work, as we have yet to learn that our tender was not the lowest. The ratepayers of Osprey ought to look into these matters. This is about the only tender which comes before the eye of the printer, and if it is a sample of how tenders are being handled in council and committee, things are managed in a sorry manner. As to whether Rutherford gives 15 per cent to clerks and others we know nothing It is to be regretted that such practices as feeing clerks and other officials is tolerated, there is sadly too much of this bribery. However, "let each one to himself be true, he will not then be false to any man."

We have often heard of hats, coats, and umbrellas being taken away in mistake (it invariably happens, however, that the best coat or hat disappears and the worst remains) but never in our ken hath the like of this been made manifest A few days ago a man stayed a few hours at the Queen's Hotel, Stratford, and when leaving accidentally (?) hitched his horses to a fine new buggy that was in the barn instead of the old vehicle in which he arrived.

CELEBRATION OF THE QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

THE SHOW GROUNDS.

After years of talk, something is being done for the benefit of Markdale in the way of providing it with grounds for shows, and other like attractions. We urged upon the Agricultural Society some two months ago the desirability of purchasing the show-grounds, as it would be a permanent benefit to our growing town. The committee did purchase, but of course the land was in no fit state for a show ground, it was necessary that it should be fenced to make it other than a free exhibition. The Agricultural Society seemed in no hurry to get on with this part of the work, and not till the Queen's Birthday Celebration Committee urged upon them the desirability of getting the grounds in order at once, was anything done. However on Tuesday last, a bee was got together, and there "with axes and hammers" and other tools, farmers, tailors, printers, bankers, shoemakers, and counter-jumpers—no—we beg pardon, the latter were conspicuous by their absence, but the rest of them were there with hammer and nails and in an incredible short time a good 7-ft. close board fence 120 rods in length was erected all the way round the grounds. An undesirable grand stand exists on adjoining ground, which should either be removed, or rented by the Sports Committee and used as a grand stand for spectators, and a fee of say five cents charged for the use of it. As to the Exhibition of sports and games, the programme for 1882 takes the cake over all its predecessors, not only on account of variety of games, and the greater value of prizes, but especially on account of its adaptability to the powers of our local amateur atheletes.

The sports committee's full announcement will be found on another page, and to it we commend our readers. The highest amount that can be won by any one individual is a $10 silver cup, special prize given by W. F. Doll, to be contested for in a 5 mile race. The next highest prize is a pair of $6 chromos presented by Mr. Vail. A novelty in the programme is the 150 yards foot race between the four local townships. We are sure of a good day's sport if we can only get on the right side of Vennor, get him to alter his predictions of "stormy weather," and then the Queen's birthday will be celebrated in a right loyal manner in Markdale.

METHODIST CHURCH BAZAAR ENTERTAINMENT.

The Queen's birthday will further be honoured in Markdale by the holding of a Bazaar in Dufferin Hall in aid of the funds of the L. A. S. of the Methodist Church, and also by an Entertainment to be held in the evening of the same day. This is to be *the* concert of the season. We have had a peep at the programme and from what we saw we feel sure a good Entertainment is already ensured.

ART IN MARKDALE.

One of the first signs of a community becoming enlightened is a taste for art; and as knowledge increases, so fast does the taste for art grow. The most enlightened community in the world to-day have cultivated the taste for art. It is with the utmost pleasure that in this connection we are able to notice the rapid strides art has made in Markdale during the past few months, not only in one branch of industry, but in many. The printers type has to be artistic, the signwriter's lettering has to bear evidence of taste, the cabinet makers goods have to be fashioned by well tutored hands, but perhaps in no branch of industry has such rapid strides been made as in photography It is but a few months ago since the general public of Markdale cared little as to whether their photographs bore evidence of taste, style, skill, tone, or finish, so long as they bore some little resemblance—or as we heard it expressed the other day—so long as any one could tell the difference between the sitter and a skunk, the photograph passed muster. But now our photographic artist Mr. Browne has produced such specimens of artistic skill, the people are no longer content with a foggy, misty "pictur" but expect, and rightly so, to obtain something to be proud of, superior in style, higher in tone, richer in finish, novel in pose, and altogether attractive. To meet the demand for this higher class of work, Mr. Browne has just procured from New York, one of the best cameras that mechanical science has yet produced. It is like most Yankee inventions simply perfect. To describe it in technical terms will not very much enlighten our readers, suffice it to say, it is the best instrument money can buy, and no better can be in use in studios where the charges are treble and quadruple our local artist's prices. There is always something going on that is new in Browne's gallery. He is an artist who thoroughly understands his profession, keeps well up to the times by having the latest appliances for the perfection of his art. His devotion to his business has resulted in increased demand for good work. A word may be added, the fullest preparations have been made for the Queen's birthday.

NEW TIME TABLE.

A new time table will be in force in a few days when trains will make the journey between Owen Sound and Toronto in about an hour's time less than at present. It is also the intention of the company to have a coach attached to each regular freight train, this will be a great convenience. A ballast train is now at work, and new ties are being put in. Altogether the T.G. & B. is making great improvements, not however, before they were needed. We have no doubt the public will appreciate the efforts of the company.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the township council was held April 25. Members all present.

The treasurer was authorised to pay A. Frost, Owen Sound, $250, 1st payment of fine and costs, in case of Clark vs. this tp.

The clerk was ordered to give notice of the passing of a by-law to resume the original road allowance on 27 & 28 side road, con. 5 & 6.

The council adjourned.

At the adjourned meeting on the 5th of May the members were all present.

The petition and subscription of John Hurlbert, Esq., and 62 others asking an equivalent to amount subscribed for repairs of 6 & 7 sideroad, con. 5 & 6, was laid before council and accepted. The Reeve and Mr Ellis were appointed to expend the amount granted by council in cojunction with committee appointed to expend the amount subscribed.

The complaint of Mr Creasor re assessment of his land could not be entertained.

Thos. Reid, pathmaster, authorised to expend $5 on 18 & 19 sideroad, between lines 7 & 9.

Mr Erskine was appointed to enquire into the nature of complaint re bad state of 15 & 16 sideroad.

A road contract was re-let to Robt. Neely.

By law 313 was read a third time and passed.

By law 314 authorising the trustees of S.S. 15 to raise money for school purposes by issuing debentures was carried through the different stages and passed.

The Poundkeepers appointed are: Mesrs. McKewen, Wilson, Way, Ellison, Thurston, Black, Winter, Wiley, McConnell, Richardson, Murray, Milson, Brady, and Ard.

The Fenceviewers are Messrs Reid, Hewson, Hall, Kerr, Badgero, Kenny, Ellis, Hurlburt, Knott, Parker, Pickering, Yelland, Perry, Cook, Boyd, Nelson, Kelly, Stitt, Struthers, Stinson, Curry, McDonald, Elliott, Logan King and Artley.

The treasurer to pay Frost & Frost, $49, balance of costs.

John Griffith, $4, road work.
W. Warner, $30, road work.
Rt Garbutt, $1, road work.

The council adjourned till Friday, June 2, when it will meet as a Court of Revision

R. Dunlop, Clerk.

$200.00 REWARD!

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Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

"OSPREY TP. PRINTING CONTRACT, CONTEMPTIBLE WORK" OF THE FLESHERTON ADVANCE.

Well Mr. Editor of Advance you were a little angry, were you not, when you wrote about the Osprey Township printing contract. As to whether it was trickery of our Council to do what they believed to be best and cheapest for the Township let them speak for themselves: but when you insinuate in a dirty sneak thief kind of a way that the clerk gets 15 per cent from Mr. Rutherford on all Township printing and try to make the people of Osprey believe a lie I think you have forgotten in your rage as stated by yourself that your duty as a public journalist requires you to speak plainly and lay all matters clearly before the public.

If you have anything to say out with it, turn it over, and shake it up. Truth will shine though dirt may stink.

CLERK OF OSPREY.

THE RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor.

Sir,—I reframed from answering Constant Reader's question, because I hold that no intelligent christian need ask such an one.

He does not say whether he belongs to a Baptist body, nor whether he holds to the opinion that baptism by immersion, subsequent to profession is the only scriptural mode, and that this mode only was practised by the apostles and early church, and that the same is essential to salvation.

Constant Reader must declare what platform he stands, I have no time to write an essay on infant baptism, but will answer his objections.

Probably 99 out of every hundred of your readers believe in infant baptism and surely Constant Reader, as the exponent of the objection will be ready with his argument. It is he who finds fault with the almost universal practise of administering baptism, therefore it is he who should bring forth his strong reasons against the baptism of infants.

I have nothing to do with his fling at the Methodists, even if they do immerse persons sometimes: that does not affect the question at issue.

I repeat there is no proof of a solitary case of baptism by immersion in the new testament, or for 200 years after. Let Constant Reader prove me in error if he can, or admit the fact and have done with it.

W.

In the Spring of the year almost every one requires a good Blood Purifier, more especially in the month of May. We would earnestly advise our readers to try Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. A few doses will soon convince you that it is the best remedy known for affections of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver, and Kidneys. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

Church Directory.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Sunday next, at 10 30 7 Sunday School 2 30
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METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday, 10.30, 7 Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8 General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
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WILLIAM H. BAXTER.

Glenelg, May 6, 1882. 87-90.

T. B. Gilliland,
PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,
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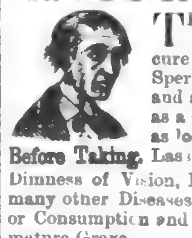
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Do.	Boys under 16, Pr. Running Shoes value	$3, $1, 50c.
Do.	Boys under 12,	$1.50 & 50c.
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100 yds. Ladies' Race,		$1 & 50
5-Ml Race Silver Cup by Mr Doll		$10, $3, $2
Egg Race		$3, $2, $1.
Sack Race		$2, $1, 50c.
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Three-Legged Race		$2, $1, 50c.
Standing Long Jump		$2, $1
Do	Boys under 16	$1, 50c.
Run, Hop, Step, and Jump		$2, & $1
Standing Jump, Boys under 12		$1, & 50c
Running Long Jump		$2, & $1
Do. High Jump		$2, & $1
Do.	Boys under 14	$1 & 50
Boys' Consolation Race, under 12		$1 & 50c
Vaulting		$2. & $1
Putting Shot, 14lb		$2 & 1.00
Do. 21lb		do.
Best Step Dancer		2.00 & 1.00
Best Comic Song		1.00 & 50c.
Boring with Brace & Bit		do.
150 yds. FOOT Race between Glenelg, Artemesia, Holland, & Euphrasia, barring parties who have ever won money		$3, $2, & $1

Tug of War between Ten men on each side Euphrasia, Artemesia, against Glenelg and Holland. $10

Best dressed Calithumpian in procession 1st prize $2, and $1

Grand Calithumpian Procession will parade the streets at 12 o'clock.

Rules, 3 or more entries or no prize. Entrance 10 per cent on 1st money Judges decision final.

Good Music. Dancing platform free. Admission to Grounds 10c.

Half fare tickets from all stations on T.G.& B.

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Markdale, May 1st, 1882. Wm BROWN.

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My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

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At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale,
67 WM. HOGG.

Mrs. T. G. Morgan
QUEEN ST, MARKDALE,

Wishes to thank the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity for the Patronage of the past year, and begs to announce to them her intention of adding to the Hair business, STAMPING, BRAIDING, and EMBROIDERY, Making all kinds of UNDERCLOTHES, CHILDREN'S CLOTHES, &c.

Ladies wishing Hair-work done will do well to bring it in before the 24th June, as I cannot execute orders for it after that date.

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Great Cause Of Human Misery IS THE LOSS OF

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We have recently published a new edition of Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay on the radical and permanent cure (without medicine) of Nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, &c., resulting from excesses.

Price, in sealed envelope, only 6 cents, or two postage stamps.

The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from thirty years' successful practice, that alarming consequences may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicine or the use of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

This lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

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P.O. box 450 41 Ann St., New York.

ATTENTION!

This is to certify that I have secured full control in the villages of Dundalk, Flesherton, and Markdale, and the surrounding country for the CHARLES RAYMOND SEWING MACHINE, manufactured in Gueph, and the Wilson B Sewing Machine manufactured in Hamilton; and am now the only authorised dealer in said Machines for said Territory. Every Machine is well guaranteed.

The best Canadian and American Organs and Pianos are represented. W. F. Doll represents me in Markdale, and keeps a good stock of Sewing Machines on hand; call and see Book and Stationery Business will be carried on by me in Flesherton; a full stock will be on hand in a few days.

Farmers, Look to your Interests.

H. L. THURSTON,

FLESHERTON.

THE STANDARD.

[illegible]day, May 18th 1882.

L & OTHER NOTICES

... apply at W. F. Dolls.
... and collar buttons at W.

... Queen will be 63 years of age ... next.
... stock of all sorts of candies at ... Dooley's for the 24th.
... was cheered on the departure from London for New York Monday.
... cleaning and cleaning a ... all work guaranteed at W.

... Mason will not be in Markdale ... having to attend court at ... evening.

... new cases of smallpox are reported ... Windsor, and the physicians opine ... the disease is dying out.

... or four loads of 2-ft hard ... wanted at once, cash, apply to ... Henry, STANDARD Office.

... wanted. W. J. McFarland is ... to pay the highest price in ... or trade for any quantity of wool.

... are enabled this week, through ... courtesy of Mr. J. S. Black, to give ... interesting statistics about Glen...

... distribution of the Ontario stat... the late session was commenc... the office of the Queen's Printer...

... baseball players at this village ... organise if there were any pros... having a game with any of the ... adjoining villages.

... don't allow pedlars to pull the wool ... your eyes, but go direct to Mc... it's with your wool where you will ... be served every time.

A large quantity of fullcloths, tweeds, ... blankets, yarns, direct from ... manufacturer, at W. J. McFarland's ... will exchange for cash or wool at ... figures.

... new Irish Coercion bill provides ... for the expulsion ... of aliens from Ireland, but also ... subsequent exclusion from the ... Kingdom.

... many friends of Miss Mamie ... will be pleased to learn that she ... very much improved in ... She has commenced duties ... old stand in the Post Office.

... we go to press we hear that Mr. ... Watson (Pay master on the T. G. & B. Ry.) broke his arm while ... today near this place. Dr. ... set the arm.

... farmer at Guelph market, sold a ... woman a bag of what appeared ... good potatoes for $1.35. When ... were emptied out only about ... of them were found fit for use.

... Majesty has caused her thanks ... conveyed to the City Council of ... for the congratulatory address ... adopted by that body at the time ... McLean's attempt on her Majesty's life.

... the T. G. & B. will issue return tick... on Wednesday next, ... good from any station on their line, ... Tuesday and Wednesday to ... return tickets at a fare and ... available up to Thursday.

... outrages are becoming ... in the United States. A ... saloon was blown up at Pal... Ind., on Saturday, and a bomb ... found in the streets of Rochester, ... on Sunday.

... prevent fevers, bilious colds, &c ... to tone up the system and purify ... blood, try a course of Dr. Carson's ... and Constipation Bitters. ... bottles at 50cts. A. Turner & ... Agents, Markdale.

A manifesto, signed by twenty-five ... clergymen of New York, has ... issued to each hotel keeper in ... them to ... arrangements to prevent ... of liquors in unlawful hours.

A lady in Clinton was recently ... on a knuckle joint by the ... of a needle which had ... in vaccinating her ... and arm began to swell, and ... for some days unable to ... any household duties.

There are two sides to some religious ... as well as political questions. For ... the hymn "I'm not ... known my Lord; this is a ... question is whether the Lord ... his own...

Medicine taken into the ... concentrated forms such as ... powders, are most injurious. ... Calomel pills in ... and constipation bitters ... the bowels, ... liver and kidneys ... In large bottles ... A. Turner & Co., Agents, Markdale.

A Dublin despatch says the ... has ... a disposition ... to the police in that ... to discover the Dublin assassin... ... which it is supposed ... murderers ... Other than this ... to have no progress towards ... the assassin.

Travelling grocery vendors come ... in our midst trying to ... tea, sugar, etc., of alleged superior ... quality and wonderful cheapness ... public pedlars soliciting orders ... for cheap things in the cities, put in ... appearance semi-occasionally ... salesmen should not be countenanced ... They neither pay taxes ... add to the wealth of a town. On ... the contrary they injure our regular ... and withdraw much of our circulating capital.

... named Cummings from Harriston ... on a gravel train of ... T. G. & B. railway ... a gravel train near ... on Monday last. His ... was severed from the body and ... the alleged driver was fearfully mangled. ... the man was seen by the hands ... The brakes were put on, ... all in vain. ... the gravel pit but a short ... when the track in a position ... it was impossible to stop ...

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Tug of War,

100 yds. Race, Men over 50 $3 & $1.50
Do. Boys under 16, Pr. Running Shoes value $3, $2 & $1
Do. Boys under 12, $1.50 & 50c.
200 yds. Hurdle Race, Special Prize by Mr. Vail, Pair Chromos $6, & $1
100 yds. Ladies Race. $1 & 50
rounds 10c.

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Dundalk.

Robert Olivar, of Melancthon, has built a new frame dwelling.

Samuel Haney has erected a new flour store on his premises.

Medaugh and brother, of Melancthon have each erected a dwelling.

E. B. Grey is building a new frame house on his lot in Melancthon.

Farmers are all busy seeding, consequently business is dull in general.

The great auction sale of William Nelson is being continued every night this week.

Messrs. Charles and Samuel McDowell will take possession of the Anglo-American hotel on Saturday, the 20th inst.

The Melancthon Drainage By-law has passed its final reading of the council, and has now become law. It will be proceeded with at an early date.

Henry Munshaw, of Proton, has built and completed a new fram barn. It will be remembered that Mr. Munshaw had his barn and contents all burnt by fire last harvest.

Andrew Crawford, of Proton, has built a new frame barn. One of the best signs of the times is to see the farmers throughout the townships building at this season of the year.

Isaac Traynor, P.L.S., together with Konold, McAulay, and Mr. Wardel, have gone to the Northwest to survey the Dominion La[n]ds at a latitude about one hundred north of Touchwood Hills. Some of our hardy people will be bold enough directly to plant their flags by the side of the imaginary north pole. Touchwood Hills is not the place we would select for a summer residence. A hundred miles north of it will not be a very warm spot.

RECENTLY IN TORONTO

Over 1000 physicians and sufferers, visited Dr M. Souvielle of Montreal, ex aide-surgeon of the French army. He will be at the Anglo-American Hotel in this place on the 24th May. He will have with him a supply of sperometers, instruments used for the cure of catarrh, bronchitis, asthma and weak lungs. Physicians can try it free.

Parties not able to see him can have all particulars from head office, 13, Phillip square, Montreal and branch office, 75, Younge st. corner King st, Toronto.

OSPREY.

The Manitoba fever is dying out.

Fever and other diseases dying out to some extent.

Osprey has plenty of mud just now, having had three days' rain and some snow.

Mr. J. W. H. Milne has arrived from the Kingston University to spend his summer holidays at home.

The earliest sown grain is scarcely to be seen above the ground yet. Fall wheat looking better on account of the rain.

It is said that the Rev. John Chisholm has entered an action for five thousand dollars damages for libel published in one of the Collingwood papers last winter.

The Poet's Corner

The Girl in Love.

A grandma sits in a great arm-chair;
Balmy sweet is the soft spring air.

Through the latticed, lilac shadowed pane,
She looks to the orchard beyond the lane.

And she catches the gleam of a woman's dress,
As it flutters about in the wind's caress.

"That child is glad as the day is long—
Her lover is coming, her life's a song."

Up from the orchard's flowery bloom
Floats fragrance faint to the darkening room.

Where grandma dreams, till a tender grace
And a softer light steal into her face.

For once again she is young and fair,
And twining roses in her hair.

Once again, blithe as the lark above,
She is but a girl, and a girl in love!

The years drop from her their weary pain,
She is clasped in her lover's arms again!

The last faint glimmers of daylight die—
Stars tremble out of the purple sky—

Ere Dora flits up the garden path,
Sally afraid of grandma's wrath.

With rose-red cheeks and flying hair
She nestles down by the old armchair.

"Grandma, Dick says, may we, —may I"
The faltering voice grew strangely shy;

But grandma presses the little hand:
"Yes, my deare, I understand!"

"He may have you, darling!" Not in vain
Had grandma dreamed she was young again!

S... ... twist a ... curl;
Ah me ... the philosophy of a girl!

"Take the world's treasures,—its noblest, best,—
And love will outweigh all the rest."

And through the casement the moonlight cold,
Streams on two heads—one gray, one gold.

ADVICE TO SOME OF OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

Avoid all painstaking with proper names. We know the full name of every man, woman and child in the Dominion and the merest hint at the name is sufficient. For instance, if you write a character something like a drunken figure "S" and then draw a wavy line, we will know at once that you mean "Samuel Morrison," even though you may think you mean "Lemuel Messenger."

Always write on both sides of the paper; and when you have both sides of every page trail a line up and down every margin, and back to the top of the first page, closing your article by writing the signature just above the date. How we do love to get hold of articles written in this style! And how we would like to get hold of the man that sends them. Just for ten minutes! Alone! in the woods, with a cannon in our hip pocket.

Military conflict in Egypt is imminent. Five men-of-war have been sighted at Alexandria, and instructions have been sent to prevent—by force if necessary—their entrance into the harbor.

GLENELG STATISTICS.

	1881	1882
Number of acres assessed	68286	68299
Number of acres cleared	29992	30717
Assessment on real property	$434228	$655960
Assessment on personal property	42500	[illegible]
Total assessment	476728	[illegible]
Persons in families rated on roll	3725	[illegible]
Number of cattle	3066	[illegible]
do. do. sheep	4576	[illegible]
do. do. hogs	1489	[illegible]
do. do. horses	928	1155
Children between 5 and 16 years		[illegible]
Children between 7 and 13		633
Children between 16 and 21		[illegible]
Births in 1881		79
Deaths in 1881		44
Names on roll	907	[illegible]
Acres in fall wheat		[illegible]
Acres ploughed in the fall		[illegible]

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS! | McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!

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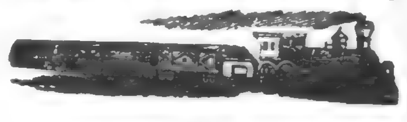

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3.30 p.m.
Rockford	5.40 a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4.18 p.m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4.32 p.m.
Berkly	6.30 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a.m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5.40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.32 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8.02 a.m.	6.25 p.m.
Crombie's	8.15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.26 a.m.	6.50 p.m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m.	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9.15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9.45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p.m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p.m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p.m.
Emery	10.37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9.25 p.m.
Carlton	10.57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7.15 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
†Carlton	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p.m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
†Emery	7.53 "	4.48 "
†Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5.40 "
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Flesherton & P'ville	11.36 "	8.37 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.55 "
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Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
†Arnott	12.33 "	9.33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
†Rockford	12.53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	10.15 "

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During the past 17 months 360 STALLIONS AND MARES have been imported from France to this establishment, being MORE than the combined importations of all other importers of Draft Horses from all parts of Europe for any one year.

One-fifth of the entire number of *Imported French Horses* in America can be seen on his farm. His Importations have included the Prize Winners of the *Universal Exposition, Paris, 1878*, and nearly all the Prize Horses of the Great Shows of France since his importations began. They also carried off the honors at the Centennial, 1876; and, at the *Great Chicago Fair, 1881, Mr. Dunham's Herd of PERCHERONS*, (in competition with the *largest* and *finest* collection of *Clydesdales* ever shown, consisting of the prize winners at the Great Shows of Scotland and England,) was awarded the *Grand Sweepstakes Prize of $1,000* and *Grand Gold Medal*.

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BIRTHS.

McCLOCKLIN.—In Glenelg, on the 7th inst., the wife of Mr. Edwin McClocklin, butcher, of twin daughters, one still-born.

STEDWILL.—In Artemesia on the 13th inst., the wife of Wm. Stedwill of a daughter.

MILLER.—In Glenelg on the 9th inst. the wife of Mr. Samuel Miller of a daughter.

DIED.

BROWN.—In Holland on the 4th inst., Elizabeth wife of Edward Brown aged 32.

LEND.—At Berkely on the 25th ult, only Child of Mr. Joseph Lend Merchant aged 3 years.

WALKER.—In Holland on the 14th inst., of bronchitis, Francis, son of Andrew Walker Aged 4 years 4 months.

THE IRISH TRAGEDY.

The efforts of the police have failed, and failed most signally in tracing the assassins of Lord Cavendish and Mr. Burke. In spite of the very great reward for their capture and the utmost efforts of the detectives and constabulary, the assassins are still at large. A great number of arrests have been made, but nothing has come to light of any importance.

FARMERS, Look to your interests, and get Sargent's Patent

Load Lifting Machine

this season.

It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county.

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NOTICE.

That Young Durham Bull ROB ROY, will serve Cows this Season at Dundalk, on Lot 231, Con. 1, S. W. T. and S. Road, in the Township of Proton.

PEDIGREE.—Canada Short-Horn Stock Register, Vol. 7. "ROB ROY, red. 196, got by Sir Thomas, No. 17889, dam Strawberry, by Heather Jack, No. 4349; g-dam White Rose by Courod 54 8; gr-g-d Jenny Lind by Yng. Honest Tom, 1350." Also registered in new British American Herd Book.

Terms: $1.00 at time of Service; $1.25 if not paid before the 1st of October,

CHAS. McCONNELL, Proprietor.

TO FRAMERS.—SIX FRAMERS wanted until harvest time. Highest wages will be paid. Apply to JOHN GOTT, Inistogue P.O. Proton.

Mortgage Sale OF FARM PROPERTY,

IN THE TOWNSHIP OF HOLLAND.

Under and by virtue of the provisoes and conditions contained in a Mortgage made by Charles Allen Johnston, and subject to the conditions which will be read at the time of sale, there will be sold by Public Auction by

MR. ANDREW WATT,

Auctioneer, at RUTLEDGE'S HOTEL, MARKDALE, in the County of Grey, on SATURDAY, the 27th day of May 1882, at Two o'clock, p.m., the following FREEHOLD PROPERTY, viz:

The South Half of lot No 13, in the 12th concession, of the Township of Holland, in the said county containing 93½ acres more or less.

The property is distant about Four miles from Walters' Falls, Eight miles from Markdale, Eighteen miles from Meaford and Thornbury, and Half-a-mile from Harkaway P.O. and the nearest school-house.

There are about 80 acres cleared, and 5 acres chopped.

The said property will be sold subject to a Mortgage held by the English Loan Company, of which full particulars will be given at time of sale.

TERMS of Sale.—10 per cent cash at time of sale, and the balance with interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum within 30 days thereafter; and upon such payment the purchaser shall be entitled to the conveyance, and to be let into possession. There will be a reserved bid.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply at the Meaford or Thornbury offices of

WILSON & EVANS, Vendors' Solicitors.

Dated April 20, 1882.

CARRY THE NEWS.

Near TILSONBURG, Ont.

I have been ailing for years with Biliousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try ZOPESA by Mr Thomson, (of the firm of C. Thomson & Co. druggists of this place,) and, many thanks to him, I am now an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds, through the use of this new compound.

MRS. CAROLINE FORBES,
Dec. 14, 1881. Wife of Mr R. G. Forbes.

The above letter is a fair specimen of very many being constantly received. The writer is of the highest respectability, and can easily be communicated with.

ZOPESA is not a cure-all, but we guarantee it to cure Dyspepsia in its many forms, and all Bilious or Liver troubles. The price is but 75 cents, and can be had of druggists and country dealers everywhere.

Respectfully, ZOPESA CHEMICAL CO. 85-8. bk 80.

The Re-Action is now established and the crowd go to

J. GARDINER'S for

HARDWARE.

Cut Nails	$3	Hay Forks	60c.
Clinch Nails	8cts per lb.	Steel Hoes	50c.
Barndoor Hinges	6c. per lb.	Do. Axes	80c.
Logging Chains	7c. per lb.	Manure Fork	$1 00
Steel Spades	90c.		

Gold Medal White Lead, 25 lbs. for $1.50. All other Shelf Goods at equally low prices.

A Select Stock of Farmers' and Mechanics' HARDWARE Always on hand.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

Always on hand a large stock of Tin, Sheet-Iron, and Copper-Ware of my own Manufacture.

STOVES of all kinds at Bottom Prices.

J. Gardiner, Dundalk.

ABSTRACT STATEMENT OF THE Treasurer's Receipts and Expenditure, FOR THE Township of Euphrasia,

For the Year ending 31st December, 1881.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand, 31st December, 1880	$ 19 43
Cash received from J. Clugston, collector for 1879	200 00
Thomas Jordan, do. 1880	356 50
James Anderson, do. 1880	904 01
Thomas Jordan, do. 1881	4327 85
A. J. Buchanan, do. 1881	5715 00
Non-resident Land Fund	1124 64
Clergy Reserve Fund	33 45
Land Improvement Fund	81 13
Union School rates	1313 23
Taxes from non-residents	42 98
On N. R. R. bond	424 00
Licenses	76 78
For Law expenses	112 57
From Magistrates' fines	18 00
W. O. Smith & Co., Thornbury	500 00
Note of hand	100 00
Sundries	36 57
Total	$15385 64

EXPENDITURES.

By paid school teachers	$6044 94½
*** Roads and bridges	1668 47½
Municipal grant	540 00
Municipal government	1182 51
Interest on R. R. debentures	1412 00
County rates	1582 73
Sinking Fund	1800 00
W. O. Smith & Co., Thornbury	500 00
S. S. debentures	590 00
Printing and stationery	214 93
Charities and sundries	156 25
Law expenses	71 84
Grant to Agricultural Society	50 00
Errors in taxes	24 70
Total expenditures	$15338 38
Balance on hand 31st December, 1881	47 26
	$15385 64

*** The sum of $614.74 of item Roads and Bridges was contracted for by the council of 1880.

ASSETS.

Balance on hand, 31st December, 1881	$ 47 26
Amount of N. R. R. Extension Co., bond with interest	2933 12
Non-resident collector's roll for 1881	1077 35
Due on collector's rolls	2508 00
Sinking Fund	8629 00
	$15194 73
Excess of Liabilities over Assets	8771 27
	$23966 00

LIABILITIES.

School Section No, 18 debenture	$ 168 00
Union do. do. 1 Artemesia, debentures	106 00
School do. do. 7 debenture	192 00
N. R. R. Extension Co's debentures	23500 00
Total	$23966 00

STATEMENT SHOWING STATE OF COLLECTOR'S ROLLS UP TO DECEMBER 31st, 1881.

Amount of James Anderson's roll for year 1880		$6317 88½
Collected and paid to township treasurer	$6054 01	
Returned to County treasurer	229 78	
Discharge by resolution of council	34 09	6317 88
Amount of Thomas Jordan's roll for the year 1880		$5995 49
Paid to township treasurer	$5696 50	
Returned to county treasurer	186 64	5882 14
Balance to be accounted for		$ 113 35
Amount of Thomas Jordan's roll for the year 1881		$6847 40½
Paid to township treasurer		4827 35
Balance		$2020 05½
Amount of A. T. Buchanan's roll for 1881		6165 54
Paid to township treasurer		5715 00
Balance		440 [illegible]

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER.

Direct from the North Shore.!

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED,
All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning
Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale May 27th, 1881.

SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS!

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover,	Millet,
Timothy,	Carrot,
Hungarian Grass	Mangel Wurzel
Tares, &c.	Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods,

Pure Drugs & Chemicals.
Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall.

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00	p.m.
Going South	4 30	p.m.
" North	11 30	p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00	p.m,

Take no more nauseous purgatives. Burdock Blood Bitters act mildly, pleasantly, and thoroughly upon the Bowels, and occasion no inconvenience while it regulates the Liver and Kidneys and tones the enfeeble system. Trial bottles 10 cents.

A STANZA.

DEDICATED TO THE LOAFERS OF MARKDALE.

I want to be a loafer,
And with the loafers stand,
Round about McFarland's, cigar butt in my hand;
There right before the people,
The passers to and fro,
I'll stand and spit tobacco juice and make myself a show,

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher or mill man in fact any man who runs machinery and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor Oil and won't gum or clog your Machinery

MAKING THE CROWS USEFUL.

W. S. Morgan, Somerset Co., Pa., in view of the fact that the corn-planting season is at hand, gives his experience, which we commend to those who look upon the crow as an enemy. He says: "For the past five seasons, I have, just before I expect my corn to come up, sowed on the field about a quart of corn to each acre, and repeated the operation as often as necessary, until the corn was so large that the crows could not pull it up. If the corn is soaked until tender, they prefer picking what they want to eat from the surface rather than to pull the young plant to get it. The cost of the corn thus sown is but a trifle; as a result I have a great number of crows almost constantly on my corn field, and after they have been satisfied with corn they will still pick up all the insects, grubs, and cut worms they can find, as a dessert. I am raising fifty acres of corn since adopting this this plan. I have not lost a hundred stalks by crows and cut worms combined."—*American Agriculturist for May.*

At the approach of [illegible] attention should be given to purify the system engorged with foul humors during the winter. Burdock Blood Bitters is Nature's own purifying and regulating tonic. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Last Sunday evening [illegible] suddenly paused somewhere near the close of his sermon, and said: "We would be glad if that young man in the vestibule would come inside and satisfy himself whether she is or is not here. That would be much better than keeping a half-inch draught on the occupants of the back seats." And in the [illegible] the congregation [illegible] sound out ideas of the retreat of an army with banners.

Rheumatism is greatly dependent on a vitiated condition of the fluids, and may be eliminated from the system by cleansing the Blood and regulating the Kidneys. Burdock Blood Bitters will do this most effectually. Trial bottles 10 cents.

Snakes are somewhat numerous near Melville. Two little girls named Corry, were walking in the fields the other evening, they beheld a number of snakes all running to one place They pursued them and upon investigating the spot there were found to be no less than fifteen large snakes in it. They drew the attention of their brothers to the fact and they succeeded in killing them.

Dropsy is essentially a watery condition of the Blood, dependant upon disordered kidneys. Burdock Blood Bitters are strongly Diuretic, and consequently the best known remedy, acting as it does upon the entire Secretory System. Trial bottles 10 cents.

A MATRIMONIAL T[illegible]

A few weeks since [illegible] man named [illegible] wealthy resident of Chambly, was married at Montreal by [illegible] Johnson, [illegible] young lady named Miller, from Quebec, with the consent of [illegible] The nuptials were kept quiet until a few days since, when an account of the affair appeared in the newspapers. This coming to the notice of the bridegroom's father; he immediately took his boy home, and entered an action to annul the contract, on the grounds that his son was two years under age, that his parents' consent had not been given, and that the youth had been inveigled into the marriage by the friends of the girl, who was not of his social standing. The defence deny all the allegations, except that the young man is a minor.

Consumption, that dread destroyer of the human race, is often the result of bad blood and low vitality, a scrofulous condition of the system. Burdock Blood Bitters cure Scrofula in its worst form. Trial bottles 10 cents.

A woman's body was found on the track of the T. G. & B. near Woodbridge station Tuesday morning. It was found to be that of the body of a woman named Ellen Gardner, who lived near where the remains were found. The body was mutilated almost beyond recognition. She had been absent from home during the whole of Monday and it was thought that she was run over by a passing train while returning during the night.

Nervous debility is a result of indiscretion in the mode of living. Heed nature's warning laws and take Burdock Blood Bitters, the Great System Renovator and Blood, Liver and Kidney regulator and tonic. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Mary—Who had that little lamb
Had Teeth as white as snow;
She always brushed them twice a day
With "Teaberry" you know.

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Standard Office.

Markdale.

Our Premium

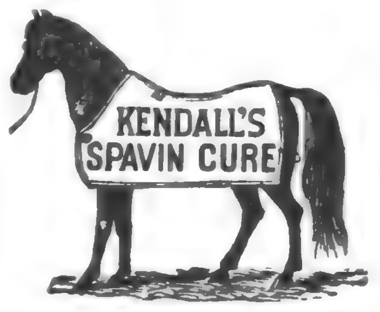
We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.



KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs J. R. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a one column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who [illegible] Colliers, had a spavined [illegible] advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although [illegible] at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly.

J. F. ROTH.

FROM A

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

[illegible] Ohio, June 17th 1880

[illegible] Co., Gents:—Reading [illegible] Farm [illegible] having a valuable [illegible] horse which had been lame [illegible] eighteen months, I sent to [illegible] a bottle by express, which in six [illegible] lameness and enlargement [illegible] from an other horse and [illegible] to-day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours.

H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,

CHESTER K. GREEN.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ring-bones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man,

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Lyman Sons & Co., Montreal, P.Q., Wholesale Agents. 71.

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring,

WITH

General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves,

Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS! with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballustter Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

C. A. OWEN,

Tailor,

Over McFARLAND'S,

MARKDALE.

☞ Special attention to Cutting. ☜

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with

C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE

for hire, charges moderate.

UNDERTAKING

promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address [illegible] 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address TRUE & Co., Augusta, Maine.

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. M'LEOD,

MARKDALE.

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stogy to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

JOHN NOBLE,

MARKDALE.

GENER'L BLACKSMITH

HORSESHOEING

A SPECIALTY.

HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM

CURES COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, ETC.

HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL

FREEMAN'S WORM POWDERS.

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

THE KEY TO HEALTH.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Unlocks all the clogged avenues of the Bowels, Kidneys and Liver, carrying off gradually without weakening the system, all the impurities and foul humors of the secretions; at the same time Correcting Acidity of the Stomach, curing Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Headaches, Dizziness, Heartburn, Constipation, Dryness of the Skin, Dropsy, Dimness of Vision, Jaundice, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Scrofula, Fluttering of the Heart, Nervousness and General Debility; all these and many other similar Complaints yield to the happy influence of BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

Sample Bottles 10c; Regular size $1.

For sale by all dealers.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, Toronto

Gold Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free Address STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

The Purest and Best Medicine ever Made.

A combination of Hops, Buchu, Mandrake and Dandelion, with all the best and most curative properties of all other Bitters, makes the greatest Blood Purifier, Liver Regulator, and Life and Health Restoring Agent on earth.

No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.

They give new life and vigor to the aged and infirm.

To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetiser Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.

No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.

$500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help. Do not suffer or let your friends suffer, but use and urge them to use Hop B[itters].

Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

D.I.C. is an absolute and irresistible cure for Drunkenness, use of opium, tobacco and narcotics. All sold by druggists. Send for Circular. Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N.Y. and Toronto, Ont.

FARMERS, Look to your interests. and get Sargent's Patent

LOAD LIFTING MACHINE

this season.

It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county.

Wm SARGENT, Berkeley P.O. or, Graves & McInnes. Mail Office, Toronto. c4-97

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., [illegible] N. Y.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms.

EDISON MUSIC CO., 900 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 63-6m.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28 1881. 67-tf.

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., nea[tly] [illegible] Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

Sydenham Street, Markdale.

Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRIN[G] & SUMMER Goods

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS,

CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, All shades. Cashmeres, All colors Muslins, Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

Scotch and West of England Tweeds,

Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

Denims, Oxford Shirtings,

A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS IN ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh [illegible] a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

HENRY FOSTER.

MARKDALE.

SEEDS

PURE SEEDS

FOR ALL KINDS OF

Field, Flower & Garden Se[eds]

GO TO THE

Dundalk Drug Store

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of F[ield,] Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and [most] reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend [them]. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. [I be]lieve I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and F[lower] Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

G. W. PARSONS

P. S.—A large stock of Timothy and Clover Seeds on hand. Also a new variety of Potatoes for seed. [Have] just received a half ton of new process Linseed Meal [for] feeding horses and cattle, cheap. $2.50 per 100 lbs.

Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE

STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage I beg to [announce I] am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected sto[ck]

Of Boots and [illegible] ever brought [into] Dundalk

NE[W] GOODS ARRIVING DAI[LY]

[illegible]

am still manufacturing those celebrated [illegible] Boots, either [illegible]

Repairing promptly [illegible]

I keep the Celebrated W[illegible]

D[illegible]

All kinds of Farm Produce taken [illegible] Store.

THOS. HANBUR[Y]

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881.

"Glasgow House," Dunda[lk]

SELLING OFF! SELLING OF[F]

Bargains. Bargains. Bargai[ns]

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined [illegible] whole of his large [illegible]

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Sh[oes]

Ready-Made Clothing, [illegible] &c.

AT A GREAT [SACRIFICE]

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever [offered] the public. The whole stock of goods must be s[old]

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprie[tor]

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-

MARKDAL[E] [H]O[TEL]

MARK[DALE]

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Propri[etor]

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Funds to lend on reasonable terms.

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Markdale, March 15, 1882. 79-ly

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Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith,

AUCTIONEER [illegible] GENERAL LAND Agent [illegible] Auction [illegible] County [illegible] Agricultural [illegible] of all kinds.

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J. G. Sing,

DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, [illegible] Valuator, Meaford and Markdale. Having purchased Provincial Land Surveyor [illegible] Rankin's entire stock of [illegible] Plans. [illegible] Surveys done with [illegible] I am prepared [illegible] according [illegible] for Grading [illegible] specification for Building [illegible] furnished on application. Money to lend at [illegible] cent interest. Orders left [illegible] J. BLYTH, Markdale will be promptly attended to.

Sept. 17, 1880. 1y.

T. DAVIS,

B[illegible] Stone and Brick [illegible] After completing 13 buildings this season [illegible] the track and is still prepared to do all kinds of stone and brick work, plastering and tuck pointing. Those who contemplate building will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

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T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.

THIS popular hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class [illegible] commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day. 17-ly

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If you want a first-class

Buggie or Wagon

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They can supply you with anything from a Lumber Wagon up to an Extension Top Phæton.

To buy from them is to

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They are both practical workmen, and employ none but

PRACTICAL WORKMEN

They [illegible] their work second to none for Lightness of Draught and Superiority of Finish.

They use nothing but First-class White Oak for Wagons, and [illegible] Extra Second Growth Hickory for light work.

The immense amount of work turned out at McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.

BEST IS THE CHEAPEST IN THE END

Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriage Work.

Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) in

HORSESHOEING

Shop—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

McKENNA & MASON.

Wm. Lucas & Co., BANKERS,

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

Wm. LUCAS, Manager.

Spteember 23, 1880. 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS, DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB-SLEIGHS, Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

DUNDALK Meat Market!

Meat supplied wholesale and retail.

Orders called for and meat delivered to any part of the town.

Shop on Main Street.

P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or sheep to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.

W. T. RUNDLE.

Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING on Every Working Day. By Thomas Smith.

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

Boarders Wanted.

THE [illegible] has [illegible] the residence [illegible] Doctor Sproule [illegible] boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVENS.

Markdale, March 9th.

GEORGE NOBLE, INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT, LICENSED AUCTIONEER For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies— CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

Markdale, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING in Shades and Colors.

All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.

Markdale P.O. 87-113

Notice.

I hereby forbid all parties trusting or harbouring my wife, FLORA BAXTER, as she has left my bed and board without any just cause, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

WILLIAM H. BAXTER.

Glenelg, May 6, 1882. 87-90.

T. B. Gilliland, PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R, EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention. 86 100

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle.—For sale by all Druggists.

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

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Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

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To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work, —AND— MODERATE PRICES, is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

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Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

ROBT. ASKIN, MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

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—AND—

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And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS, CASKETS, SHROUDS, and all

FUNERA FURNISHINGS,

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A Splendid Hearse for hire at moderate rates.

FURNITURE!

From the Common to the

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in everything in the line.

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All work manufactured from

FIRST CLASS MATERIAL

In the Latest and Best Improved Style, and finished with English Varnish.

Painting & Trimming Rigs will receive prompt attention.

All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside

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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T. G. & B. Railway, $3.25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLOCK,

P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.

March 23, 1882. 80-101

Mrs. T. G. Morgan

QUEEN ST. MARKDALE,

Wishes to thank the Ladies of Markdale and vicinity for the Patronage of the past year, and begs to announce to them her intention of adding to the Hair business, STAMPING, BRAIDING, and EMBROIDERY. Making all kinds of UNDERCLOTHES, CHILDREN'S CLOTHES, &c.

Ladies wishing Hair-work done will do well to bring it in before the 24th June, as I cannot execute orders after the [illegible]

BRAIDING PATTERNS for sale cheap.

RESIDENCE—QUEEN ST.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. [illegible] EDISON MUSIC CO., [illegible] Philadelphia, Pa.

W. BENSON

Has on hand and for sale a first-class article of

FRESH

GROCERIES!

CONSISTING OF

Teas Coffees, Sugars, Raisins, Currants, &c.,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

IN LIQUORS!

I can supply a quality that will defy competition in Markdale.

IN PRICES

I can compete with the best houses in Markdale.

Give me a Call.

WILSON BENSON.

Markdale, Dec. 1st, 1881. 5

GEORGE WILSON, Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 8 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

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EUGENIA Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping one Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

60ly. M AKITT, Eugenia.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.— Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau stree New York. 20

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There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

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—FROM—

KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

THOS. MATHEWS, HarnesS EstablishmenT! MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY! IN CONNECTION.

MARKDALE Meat Market.

A constant supply of

Fresh Meats!

on hand, at the Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their address.

TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.

FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March [illegible]

Moffat Bros'.

MARKDALE

Foundry!

—AND—

MACHINE WORKS.

We are prepared to execute all kinds of

MACHINERY REPAIRING

Turning and Boring, WITH General Lathe Work

Done in a practical manner.

PLOWS!

And Plow Points

will receive our special attention, knowing through practical experience the best class of Irons for such.

Box Stoves, Sugar Kettles, Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing— plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

C. A. OWEN, Tailor, Over McFARLAND'S, MARKDALE.

Special attention to Cutting.

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order witl.

C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

G. GRANT.

Undertaker!

—AND—

CABINETMAKER

Has now on hand Coffins of all sizes and prices.

A GOOD HEARSE for hire, charges moderate.

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promptly attended to at all hours of day or night.

Also a full stock of

Household Furniture!

Ordered work of all descriptions executed with the utmost despatch.

A full stock of

RUSTIC AND PHOTO FRAMES

which will be sold cheap for Cash.

Seasoned Lumber of all Kinds

Taken in exchange for Furniture.

G. GRANT, MARKDALE.

Markdale Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

STARTLING DISCOVERY!

LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy has discovered a simple [illegible] which he will send [illegible] J. H. REEVES, [illegible] Chatham St., N. Y.

Nothing Like Leather.

M. M. McLEOD,

MARKDALE.

NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest k'd and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

JOHN NOBLE, MARKDALE. GENER'L BLACKSMITH

HORSESHOEING A SPECIALTY.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

Take no more nauseous purgatives. Burdock Blood Bitters act mildly, pleasantly, and thoroughly upon the Bowels, and occasion no inconvenience while it regulates the Liver and Kidneys and tones the enfeeble system. Trial bottles 10 cents.

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher or mill man in fact any man who runs machinery and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor Oil and won't gum or clog your Machinery

At the approach of spring great attention should be given to purify the system engorged with foul humors during the winter. Burdock Blood Bitters is Nature's own purifying and regulating tonic. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Rheumatism is greatly dependent on a vitiated condition of the fluids, and may be eliminated from the system by cleansing the Blood and regulating the Kidneys. Burdock Blood Biteers will do this most effectually. Trial bottles 10 cents.

Dropsy is essentially a watery condition of the Blood, dependant upon disordered kidneys. Burdock Blood Bitters are strongly Diuretic, and consequently the best known remedy, acting as it does upon the entire Secretory System. Trial bottles 10 cents.

Consumption, that dread destroyer of the human race, is often the result of bad blood and low vitality, a scrofulous condition of the syste m. Burdock Blood Bitters cure Scrofula in its worst form. Trial bottles 10 cents.

Nervous debility is a result of indiscretion in the mode of living. Heed nature's unerring laws and take Burdock Blood bitters, the Great System Renovator and Blood, Liver and Kidney regulator and tonic. Sample bottles 10 cents.

Medicine taken into the stomach in concentrated form such as pills and powders, are most injurious. The great substitute for these nauseous little Calomel pills is Dr. Carson's stomach and constipation bitters. They cleanse the bowels, stimulate the liver and kidneys, and cure all stomach disorders, such as dyspepsia, and indigestion. In large bottles at 50cts. A. Turner & Co., Agents, Markdale.

GOLD—is excellent for filling decayed Teeth, but "TEABERRY" prevents the decay, makes them white and makes peop'e lovable. 5 cent sample.

Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the First Sitting of the Court of Revision for the Township of Glenelg, for the current year, will be held at the Town Hall in said Township, on FRIDAY, the 16th day of June, 1882, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES BROWN, Tp. Clerk.

Glenelg, May 22nd, 1882.

Bull Notice.

MR. B. COLEMAN has two Bulls, a grade and a thorough-bred, both for service at his farm, ½ mile Northwest of Markdale. Terms: for Grade 60c., for thorough bred $1.00, cash in both cases. 81-83

PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Barclay St., N. Y.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

CHAPTER IX

REDMOND O'DONNELL.

Lord Ruysland and Lady Cecil were enroute from Enniskillen to Torryglen on horseback. This is one of the wildest districts in Ireland, and they knew not the road. A countryman misled them as to the route to be taken, directing them to cross a dangerous stream. The earl would not heed the warning of the simple Irishman, but dashed into the torrent, calling Lady Cecil to follow.

He seized her bridle rein, and the animals plunged headlong into the flood. Lady Cecil sat on her horse as though part of the animal, and grasped the reins with the strength of desperation. Both she and the earl strove to head their horses against the boiling current, but, after the first plunge, the terrified horses stood amid the seething foam as if spellbound. Lord Ruysland, his teeth set, struck his own a savage blow with his whip. He sprang madly forward, leading the other in his wake.

'Courage, Cecil—courage!' the earl shouted. 'We will ford this hell of waters yet!'

But even as he spoke, at that instant she was unseated, and with a long, wild cry was tossed like a feather in the gale down straight to the awful precipice below.

No mortal help, it seemed, could save her. Her father made frantic efforts to reach her, but in vain. Near, nearer, nearer to that frightful, hissing chasm, to be dashed to atoms on the rocks below. In the midst of the waters the earl sat on his horse, white, powerless, paralyzed.

'Oh, God!' he cried, 'can nothing save her?'

'Cling to the rock for the love of God?' shouted a voice through the din of the storm.

She caught at a rock near, and grasped it with the tenacity of despair for a moment; another, and she was torn away, held with iron strength in the grasp of a strong arm. There was a last, desperate struggle with the surging flood—a struggle in which she and her rescuer were whirled over the chasm. Then in the uproar and darkness there came a lull; then she was lying on the opposite bank, drenched from head to foot, but saved from an awful death.

'Hurrah!' shouted a wild voice. 'Long life to ye, Mister Redmond! Shure it's yerself is the thrue warrant for a strong arm and a sthout heart! Begorro! though ye war near it! Upon me sowl, there isn't another man in the barony but yerself cud av dun it.'

He bounded away in the rainy twilight with the speed of a young stag.

'By the powers, but it's like ye and all yer breed, seed, and ginaration, to go to the divil to save any one in dithress, and thin fly as if he was after ye for fear ye'd get thanked. Oh, but it's meself that knows it—father an' son—this many a day well.

'That gallant youth,' the earl cried, flinging himself off his horse. 'I never saw a braver deed, Cecil—Cecil, my darling, thank Heaven you are saved! Cecil, my dearest are you hurt?'

He lifted the golden head and kissed the wan, wet face. In all her sixteen years of life, Lord Ruysland had never fully realized how he loved his only child before.

'Not hurt only stunned a little by the fright and the whirl of the water. And you, papa?'

'I am perfectly safe—but, good Heaven! what an escape that has been. In five seconds you would have been over that horrible gulf.—Why, that lad has the heart of a very lion! the most gallant thing I ever saw done. He risked his life without one thought I verily believe. A brave lad —a brave lad. And he has, as far as I could see, the air of a gentleman, too.'

'A gintleman, is it? Faith he is that, an' divil thank him for it! Shure he's the O'Donnell—no less; an' iverybody knows the O'Donnells wor kings and princes afore the time o' Moses. Gintleman, indade! Oh, thin, it's himself that is, an' his father an his father's father afore him. Weren't they kings o' Ulsther, time o' mind, and didn't they own every rood an' mile av the counthry ye're travellin' in the days o' Henry the Eighth, till himself with his wives an' his black guardem, tuk it from thim an' beshowed it on dhirty divils like himself? My curse an' the curse o' the crows on him and thim, hot an' heavy this night!'

Indeed,' said the earl; and who are you, my good fellow? A retainer of that kingly and fallen house, I take it!'

'I'm Lanty, yer honour—Lanty Lafferty, av it's plazen to ye—called after me grandfather on the mother's side—God be good to him, dacent man! I'm Misther Redmond's own man, an' it's proud an' happy I am to be that same.'

Lanty led them away to Torryglen.

Torryglen lay nestling in a green hollow amid the rugged hills and waiving wealth of gorse and heather. A trim little cottage set in the centre of a flower garden, and fitted up within and without with every comfort and elegance. The earl's valet and Lady Cecil's maid had gone on in advance, and glorious peat fires, dry garments, and a savory dinner awaited them. For Lanty Lafferty, he was regaled in the kitchen, and when, hours after, he sought out his young master, he was glowing and flowing over with praises of the lord and his daughter.

'Oh, the darlin o' the wurruld! Wid a face like roses and new milk, an' two eyes av her own that ud warm the very cockles av yer heart only to look at an' hear her all over ye sure take a cup of coffee!'

'Coffee, Lanty?'

'Ay, coffee—an [illegible]

WANTED

500 MEN TO BUY WATCHES AT W. F. DOLL'S.

5000 men and women with weak and failing eyes to buy Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles, can only be supplied by W. F. Doll, sole agent for Markdale, Flesherton and Dundalk.

New Goods in every Line

including Silver and Electro-Plated Ware, Colored and Bright Gold Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings, &c. &c. Also

VIOLINS, ITALIAN STRINGS, &c.

W. F. DOLL.

Markdale, Feb. 24, 1882. 67-ly

av the same we got in the house. Shure I had a beautiful cup over there beyant an hour ago. Like coffee—not too sthrong, thin—an' with just a notion of crame. That's it's colour; an', musha, but that's as party a colour as ye'll find in a day's walk. An' whin she looks up at ye—like this now—out of the tail av her eye, an' wid a shmile on her beautiful face— oh, tare an' ages! av it wudn't make an ould man young only to look at her!'

The young O'Donnell laughed. He was lying at full length on the oak floor—before the blazing peat fire—in one of the few habitable rooms that remained of what had once been the 'Castle of the O'Donnell.' Lanty informed his master that the Earl intended to visit them. O'Donnell was poor, but proud; and remembrance of his great family made him resolve not to see the earl or Cecil. He went out on a lawn and two miles away saw the light of the cottage where was the life he had saved.

Lady Cecil gazed from that cottage window and up into the star lit sky and could see the outlines of the ruined castle of the O'Donnell's

'Poor fellow!' Lady Cecil thought. 'So young and so utterly friendless!—too proud to labour, and too poor to live as a gentleman—wasting his life in these savage ruins! Papa must do something for him when we return to England. He saved my life at the risk of his own, and so heavy a debt of gratitude as that must be paid.

TO BE CONTINUED.

PROTON COUNCIL.

The township council of Proton met as a Court of Revision at Scarlett's hotel, Hopeville, on Tuesday, May 16.

Members all present.

They proceeded to examine and decide upon the appeals received and presented by the Clerk, having heard and examined on oath the persons who had appealed.

The following changes or, otherwise in assessment roll made by this Revision Court, be confirmed, viz:—

John McDowell, grist and saw mill property in Village Dundalk, no change, assessment confirmed.

James Armstrong, lot 26, con. 5, having no personal property, reduced $100.

James Fletcher, lot 27, con. 4 assessment confirmed.

John Hockridge, part lot 5 con. assessment reduced $20.

Thomas Rodgers, part lot 5, con. 5, placed on assessment roll $20. Lot 5, con. 5. personal property removed and assessed to M. Rogers, struck off, $481.

James Stephens, Lot 13, con. 6, assessment reduced $100.

Duncan Menzies, lot 9, con. 5, assessment reduced $50.

John Scott, Lots 195, 197, 200, 2nd range, assessment confirmed.

John Robson, lot 13, con. assessment confirmed.

D. K. McArthur, lot 2, Main st. Hopeville, amount struck off roll, $150.

Ezra Golheen, 3, Main st. Hopeville, amount put on roll $150.

James Hueston, 19 Albert st. Dundalk, raised from $150 to $200.

And that the following lands be taken from Non Resident and placed on Resident assessment roll to the persons named, and valuation as follows, viz:—

Lot.	Con.			
10,11,	10,	F. Campbell,	tenant,	$800
E p't 1,	19,	D Ferguson,	do.	400
17,	19,	Jos. Phillips,	do.	500
10,	4,	Donald Bell,	do.	950
15,	6,	John McPhee,	owner,	800
17,	7,	Duncan Menzies	do.	400
3,	9,	W. W. White	do.	400
9, blk. Dundalk		do.	agent	80
39,	10.	Alex. Nairn,	owner	400
140,	1st range,	Chas. Fry,	tenant	809
NEp't 230	3 range	J. Launan	do.	485
NEp't 231	3 range	do.	do.	
"	"	Mrs. Wilson	owner	120

And that Levi Allen be placed on assessment roll as Farmer's Son.

That grist and saw mill in Dundalk with two acres attached and lot 287, con. 4, be taken from assessment of John McDowell, sr., and placed on assessment roll to John and Samuel McDowell at a valuation of $739·50 for mills and two acres land and lot 287 con. 4 at a valuation of $150.

That lot 218, con. 4, be taken from non resident assessment and placed on resident assessment roll to Thos. Robinson at a valuation of $400.

That Samuel Batchelor and Mathew Lee be assessed jointly for lot 18, con. 14.

That the personal property of Duncan McMillan be reduced $40 on account of losing one of his horses.

Other business was then proceeded with.

Widow Bryce was granted $10, she being in poor circumstances.

Calvin Vert to receive $2 for going messages in 1881.

$8.33 to be accepted as taxes against lot 1. con. 2, for 1880, and 1881.

The Co. Treasurer to erase the taxes in default against lot 15, con. 6, the same having been paid to township treasurer.

Duncan McMillan to be appointed pathmaster instead of Samuel Gregson.

John Ludlow instead of W. H. Dugan.

Rich. Herd " Jno. Campbell

W. J. Hicks " A. McCannell

Resolved, that from lot 21 to 24, inclusive, on the 8th and 9th con., be taken from beat 14, division 2, and formed into a separate beat called beat 18, and that James H. Bryce be appointed pathmaster for 1882.

$1.00 to be received in lieu of $3.60 taxes for 1881 on lot 2, con. 19.

The pay sheet presented to council by Isaac Treyter, P L.S. and others on account of drainage proposed to be paid in full.

Mr. Vert to give up Mr. Cavanagh's bond.

The members of the council to receive their pay up to date.

The council adjourned to meet as an adjourned court of revision at Dundalk on the first Friday in June, at 10 o'clock, a. m., for final revision of the assessment roll.

THE STANDARD.

Thursday, May 25th 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

The Meaf..rd Mirror is as lively as ever, only m..re so.

Twenty tons land salt just received at McFarland's, will be sold cheap.

McCarthy, the Winnipeg incendiary, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for fourteen years.

Our report of the Queen's birthday celebration at Markdale, both by the sports and the L.A.S. Concert.

General Rosser has been committed for trial at Winnipeg for obtaining C. P. R. papers under false pretences.

Owing to press of job work, together with a holiday, we are compelled to reduce the size of the paper one-half.

What's the matter with the Hanover Post? short of ink? been trying to make some with soot and boiled oil?

Mr. Samuel Smart has a cow which gave birth to two heifer calves on the 18th inst, both of which are doing well.

The Mayor of Meaford and the Editor of about the spiciest paper north of Toronto are having a lively time of it.

The marvelous "egg" has about disappeared, when lo! the Meaford Monitor finds a mushroom large enough to write about.

The Postmaster-General of the United States has recommended that postage on newspapers and periodicals be abolished.

A picnic under the auspices of the Methodist church will be held at Holland centre on the 1st June. Amusements and addresses.

All hope for Guiteau is now gone. The court at Washington has confirmed the judgment of the Court below denying a new trial.

A postal card was addressed to President Arthur at New York on Sunday, threatening him with death if he did not immediately recall Minister Lowell and demand the release of all Americans confined in English dungeons.

In consequence of the reported existence of a deep plot against the life of the Czar and his guests on the occasion of his Majesty's coronation, it has been decided to further postpone the ceremony for a year.

The rock on which the ill-fated Mary Ward went to pieces some years ago still rears its ugly head between Collingwood and Meaford. Vesselmen give it a wide bearth, but it should be marked out for them.

The Meaford Monitor was somewhat mixed last week, a par informed its readers where to find Sydenham Council report and sundry other items; but on looking the reader was sold.

Mr. Wm. Woods of Euphrasia got his leg broke yesterday on his farm while harrowing. It appears his horses took fright and became somewhat unmanageable, Mr. Wood has now had the same leg broken four times. Dr. Sproule set the limb.

About one-tenth of the number of dogs in Markdale would be ample for the security of the village; neither foot passengers nor equestrians are free from the molest of the snappish curs which infest the streets.

There are a great number of shoddy cloth peddlers going through the country, fleecing the farmers right and left. Don't deal with them, but patronize your merchants at home who are doing business in a legal way, and in whom you can put confidence.

The comet has put in an appearance. Get up early and look in the southern sky. It can be readily seen with a pair of good glasses. It has an unusually bright head and long tail. It will shortly be a magnificent object to the naked eyes.

Leap year will not occur until 1884. But Markdale girls able to support husbands should not wait. There are a goodly number of the male sex in the market which can be safely booked as "low for cash or country produce."

The lively Meaford Mirror, which when opportunity offer is extremely down upon its contemporaries says our Markdale lodge of the A. O. U. W. to have a "converzione" in June. We would like to know what kind of an animal this is.

The Mirror says a Flesherton Doll recently purchased $1000 worth of jewellery from Switzerland. This same Doll who is one of Markdale energetic citizens is now on his way to New York visiting the watch makers of that city. It is well to have such men as Mr. Doll among us showing so much activity and enterprise, not only does such an one benefit himself, the whole place is benefited by his industry and energy.

Mr. A. McIntyre returned last week from the North West. He spent three weeks in the prairie province and is very favorably impressed with the appearance of the country. The water is still high, being up to some of the bridges under which steam vessel pass when the river is at an ordinary height, Mr. McIntyre visited Brandon, St. Vincent, Portage la Prarie, Emerson and Winnipeg. In the latter place he saw several of those who recently left Markdale.

A man named John Cain, about 60 years of age, died this morning at Markdale. Cain has lived in this section some 20 years, and recently he lived near Cookstown. Yesterday he came to the village, and here like many another, he imbibed too much whiskey; this is supposed to have caused his death. It is not yet known whether an inquest will be held.

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BIRTHS.

STONEHOUSE.—In Markdale on the 24th May, the wife of Mr. Stonehouse, of a daughter.

WELSH.—In Markdale, on the 22nd May, the wife of Mr John Welsh, of a daughter.

DIED.

FOSTER.—In Artemesia, on the 24th May, Sarah Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. Archibd. Foster, aged 3 yrs and 6 mos.

FLEMING.—In Holland, on the 17th May, M. R. V., second daughter, aged 2 yrs and 6 mos; and on the 21st, W. J. E., only son of Geo. Fleming, aged 6 yrs.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOSS OF THE "MANITOULIN."

ABOUT 20 LIVES LOST

Scarcely has navigation opened; scarcely has the awakening of trade caused by the breaking up of the long and dreary winter opened, when the news was received of the loss of one of the finest propellers that ever steamed out of Collingwood harbour—the pride alike of her unfortunate owners and crew; and distressing as the loss itself is, it is accompanied by a frightful loss of human life.

When the *Owen Sound* was between Killarney and Manitowaning Bay a small boat was seen coming out of the fog which had settled over the water. It was manned by a number of indians and Andrew Johnston, mate of the *Manitoulin*. He reported that when his boat was about four miles from Manitowaning Bay it was discovered to be on fire, supposed to have been caused by the explosion of a lamp in the after-engine room. A rush was at once made for the lifeboats, one of which was filled while being lowered. The tackle broke, and the occupants of the boat were thrown into the water.

The *Northern Belle* was speedily despatched to the scene of the disaster, having on board the President of the Company, Mr. Chas. Cameron, Harbor Master, Lockerbie. The weather was all that could be desired, and the lake was very calm. Fast time was made by the staunch little craft, and Killarney was reached reached at 11 p.m. Here the inhabitants were congregated on the dock and anxiously talking the matter over. It was stated that the *Manitoulin* had burned in Manitowaning Bay, about three miles out. The watch was being changed at the time. A lamp in the lower engine room burst, and the fire spread rapidly. The chief engineer, Wm. Lockerbie, let her have a full head for shore, and then jumped on to the wale. He hung to it until he neared shore, when he waded in. He was badly burned about the ears and hands, as was also the captain. Mr. Robt. Henry had been drowned. He was last seen by the assistant cook, manfully swimming towards shore.

The *Belle* arrived off the scene of the disaster at about 4:30 a.m., when a scene of devastation was revealed that told its own terrible tale. The boat had been beached about three miles from Manitowaning, on the Wikwemikong shore, her bow being in about twelve inches of water, and the stern in sixteen feet. From the course the boat had been taking it was evident that Captain Campbell had piloted the boat to the nearest practical point of land, and wonderful presence of mind and skill must have been used in escaping a very dangerous shoal directly off Five mile Point, close to which the *Manitoulin* ran. She was burned right to the water-line, and the remains of the hull were crisped on the inside to veritable charcoal. The engine and boiler stood in their places, and the hold was filled with water, holes having been cut in the bottom by the crew in fighting the flames after the boat was beached. Everything was apparently burned to uselessness, except perhaps the machinery, and a few almost valueless articles of freight. Some cattle on board had been roasted to death and thrown overboard, portions of the carcases being taken away by the Indians.

The chief engineer says, "It was between twelve and one o'clock, the second engineer had had his dinner, and came down to relieve me. I went to my room, washed myself, and was putting on my coat to go to dinner, when the second engineer came running and told me the boat was on fire. I went outside and rushed to the pony engine to start it. At that time the mate and second engineer were endeavoring to get the hose down. I was four feet lower than them. I had the overflow of the pony open for some time, and before shutting it off to force the water through the hose, I called to the mate and second engineer to hurry as much as they could. I did not receive any answer, and I crawled up and found there was no one there, I suppose the flames drove them off. I took hold of the hose and felt along it for the nozzle, and found there was none on. I then dropped the hose and went to the side of the gangway, about six feet from the engine. I noticed people in the water already, particularly a man a woman and child. Saw the captain had the boat pointed for shore at this time, and the question of course arose in my mind whether she would reach shore. Thinking of this I ran back to the engine, felt for the lever of the throttle, and pulled it open. I could not open it all the way, because it was set with a thumbscrew, which tightened up as the lever came out. I ran back to the gangway, pulled off my boots, and crawled along the wale until I came to a fender, when I was assisted to the promenade deck. Then I noticed that the first mate was trying to lower the starboard boat, and being unable to swing her clear I took hold of the after fall and helped the mate to swing the boat clear of the chalks that she sat in. The mate told me not to let the boat strike the water. I followed the boat down to keep her off the promenade rail, and shoved her off until my end of her was about four feet from the water. I was standing on the main wale at the time, having my arm around a fender, and the line in my disengaged hand. The immense crowd which jumped into the boat either carried away the forward tackle, or the davitt, when I immediately let go the after tackle, as the boat turned a complete somersault, and the line nearly swept me off. I clung to the side until the boat grounded, when the jar shook me off. I fell into the water and waded to the shore. When I was hanging over the side I saw people continually passing under me in the water. I especially noticed a man swimming outwards, after a woman who had drifted behind. The couple were saved. I also noticed a man clinging to the side who had his left arm and hand in the fire. On landing, after getting all those who remained off the boat, we worked till the following morning to extinguish the flames. There were probably twenty persons lost.

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DISTRICT MEETING.

The spring meeting of the Owen Sound District, Methodist Church, was held in this village on Wednesday and Thursday of last week. Fifteen circuits were represented. The financial position of the District has improved, the Missionary Fund specially so. There has been a very gratifying increase in membership.

Rev. S. C. Philp was appointed to represent the District on the Stationing Committee, Rev. C. V. Lake was appointed on the S.S. Committee. Mr. Alfred Frost, Barrister, of Owen Sound and Mr. G. S. Bowes, of this village, were appointed delegates general conference which meets in Hamilton next September. J. W. Armstrong, of Flesherton, was delegated to attend the Missionary Committee meetings of the Toronto conference.

A resolution favoring union with other Methodist bodies was unanimously carried. A resolution favoring the introduction of laymen into the annual Conference was warmly discussed and carried by a small majority.

The meeting broke up at 4 p.m. Thursday, Rev. David Perry offering the closing prayer.

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DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

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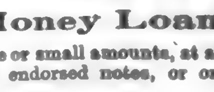

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The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB-SLEIGHS, Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

DUNDALK Meat Market!

Meat supplied wholesale and retail.

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Shop on Main Street.

P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or sheep to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.

W. T. RUNDLE.

Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING on Every Working Day, By Thomas Smith,

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.

J. W. LEAVEN.

Markdale, March 9th.

GEORGE NOBLE, INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT, LICENSED AUCTIONEER For the County of Grey.

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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate. Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

$2 ... watches ... Thompson & Co. ... New York.

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Notice.

I hereby forbid all parties trusting or harbouring my wife, FLORA BAXTER, as she has left my bed and board without any just cause, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.

WILLIAM H. BAXTER.

Glenelg, May 6, 1882. 87-90.

T. B. Gilliland, PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R, EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention. 86-100.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the ...

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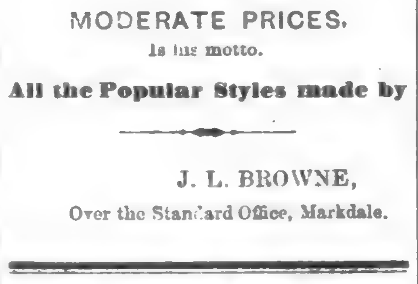

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GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside

D. J. SHANAHAN, Proprietor.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T., G. & B. Railway, $3.25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLOCK, P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.

March 23, 1882 90-101

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Ladies wishing Hair-work done will be ... before the 24th June, as I cannot ... after that date.

BRAIDING PATTERNS for sale ...

RESIDENCE—QUEEN ST.

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Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

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Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

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There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to Guard Against Sickness! Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your BOOTS! —FROM— KAY & THOMAS.

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The Poet's Corner

OUR QUEEN. Ode to Her Majesty.

BY W. M. CLARK.

Revered Victoria. Most beloved Queen
Whose virtuous life adorns the British throne,
While rent by grief thy tender heart hath been,
Think not, thou hast been left to weep alone.

When death with all resistless power came near,
And severing life's most sacred social tie,
Thy cherished idol to thy heart most dear,
Transplanted to a fairer clime on high.

Full many a heart among thy social peers,
In deepest sympathy thy sorrow share;
While we in humbler walks have brought our tears,
And pled thy cause before the Lord in prayer.

Full many a soul who kindred sorrow bears,
And of life's bitter cup has drank a part;
Hath felt the anguish of thy falling tears,
And shared the sadness of thy widow'd heart.

That one great sorrow of thy peaceful reign,
Which casts its shadow o'er thy social sphere;
With all the ills that follow in its train,
But prove there's no abiding city here.

When first the tidings of thy lofty call,
At early dawning reach'd thy youthful ear;
First regal act before his throne to fall,
And offer up thy charge to God in prayer.

When in the twilight of the morning shade,
That fervent consecrative prayer arose;
Then Britain's corner stone was firmly laid,
Secure beyond the reach of envious foes.

And while o'er Europe revolution sweeps,
And monarchs from their lofty seats descend;
Thy throne's foundation still secure He keeps,
And wider still thy empire's bounds extend.

Until thy reign in humble trust begun,
So round the world asserts its gentle sway;
That o'er thy widening realm the rolling sun,
His beams diffuse throughout revolving day.

Obedient millions wait for thy command,
Old ocean's isles in thee their sovereign greet;
While haughty India bows to kiss thy hand,
And lays her sceptre at thy royal feet.

When power satanic nerves the murderous hand,
And base attempt upon thy life is made;
Around thy pathway guardian angels stand,
And spread their pinions o'er thy sacred head.

Let those who doubt the existence of a God,
Ascribe thy life to chance or changeless fate;
Our God, who parts the sea by Moses' rod,
Our God, who did the universe create.

Whose watchful eye observes the sparrow's fall,
Whose hand directs the rolling orbs of light;
By Whom thy very hairs are numbered all,
Diverts the deadly bullet in its flight.

Thou art immortal till thy work is done,
Thou hast from Him a mission to fulfil;
His hand who placed thee on the British throne,
Still guards thy sacred life from every ill.

Thy name to each true British heart endear'd,
By native virtues meekly brought in play;
Thy noble life on memory's mount hath rear'd,
A monument that will not soon decay.

That name rever'd before the world shall stand,
The tender mother, gentle, loving wife;
Not only Queen, but woman true and grand,
New lustre shedding on our social life.

Long may the crown of Britain grace thy head,
Long may thy hand the British sceptre bear;
Long o'er the realm may peace her pinions spread,
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And when at last thy work on earth is done,
And other hands assume the reins below;
May'st thou ... near the Throne,
And glory diadem adorn thy brow.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER X

AN IRISH IDYL.

On very small things hinge very great events.

A horse minus a shoe changed the whole course of Redmond O'Donnell's life. He neither went to the mountains nor the moon, he stayed at home, and saw the Earl of Ruysland and the lady Cecil Clive.

It happened thus: Going to the stables next morning to saddle his favorite mare, Kathleen, he found her in need of the blacksmith's services. Lanty led her off, and returning to the house, the young O'Donnell came face to face with his English visitors.

Escape was impossible; they were before him; and by birth and training, by race and nature, the lad was a gentleman. He took off his cap, and the young mountaineer bowed to the earl's daughter like a prince. Lord Ruysland advanced with extended hand and his sweetest smile.

'Ah, Mr. O'Donnell, you fled in gloriously before me yesterday—not like an O'Donnell, by-the-bye, to fly even from gratitude. No—don't look so alarmed—nobody is going to thank you. You saved my daughter's life at the imminent risk of your own—a trifle, not worth mentioning. Cecil, my dear, come and shake hands with your hero of yesterday—ah, I beg pardon! I promised to call no names. Mr. Redmond O'Donnell. Lady Cecil Clive.'

And then two large soft eyes of 'liquid light' looked up into his, a little gray gloved hand was given, a little, soft, low voice murmured something—and his doom was sealed. Sudden, perhaps; but then this young man was an Irishman.

He flung open the hingeless, wholly lockless door, and led the way, with some half-smiling apology for the tumbled-down state of O'Donnell's Castle.

'Don't blame us, Lord Ruysland,' the young man said, 'but blame your own countrymen and confiscation. We were an improvident race, perhaps, but when they took our lands and our country from us, we let the little they left go to rack and ruin. When a man loses a hundred thousand pounds or so, it doesn't seem seem worth his while to hoard very carefully the dozen or so of shillings remaining. Lady Cecil, will you take this seat? We can give you a fine view, at least, from our windows, if we can give you nothing else.'

They remained nearly an hour. The young seigneur of this ruined castle conducted them to the gates—and stood, cap in hand, watching them depart. And so, with the sunshine on his handsome, tanned face, on his uncovered, tall head, Lady Cecil bore away the image of Redmond O'Donnell.

You know this story before I tell it. She was sixteen, he had saved her life, risking his own, and like a true woman, she adored bravery almost above all other things in man. She pitied him unspeakably, so proud, so poor, so noble of birth and ancestry, a descendant of kings, and a pauper. He had an eye like an eagle, a tender voice, and a smile bright as the sunshine. It was love at first sight; and the Earl might have known it very well if he had given the subject one thought. But he did not. He was too absorbed in his own concerns to have much solicitude about his daughter's affaires du cœur. Lady Cecil had pitied Redmond O'Donnell for being a pauper, without in the least dreaming she was one herself. Through no fancy of the country, through no desire to ameliorate the condition of the inhabitants, had my lord come to Ireland. Grim poverty had driven him hither, and was likely to keep him here for some time to come.

His life had been one long round of extravagance. Now he was over head and ears in debt. Clive Court was mortgaged past all redemption; and he fled to Ireland. There was that little hunting-box of his among the Ulster hills—Torryglen; he could have that made habitable, and go there, and rough it until the storm blew over.

Papa, said Cecil, you have a great deal of influence, and many friends in England—could you do nothing for this Mr. O'Donnell! He seems so dreadfully poor, papa.' The earl shrugged his shoulders and laughed 'My little, unsophisticated Cecil! A great deal of influence and many friends! My dear, I have not influence enough to keep myself out of the Bankrupt Court, nor friends enough to enable me to stay in England. Do you think I would come to this confounded, half civilized land, if I could stay away? Poor, indeed! Your Mr. O'Donnell isn't half as poor as I am, for at least I suppose he isn't very deeply in debt.'

His daughter looked at him in sheer surprise. 'And you are poor, papa? You poor? Poor!' she tried to comprehend it, shook her head, and gave it up. 'I always thought you were rich, papa—I always thought English peers had more money than they knew what to do with. How can we be poor—with servants, and horses, and plate, and—'

'One must have the necessities of life, child,' her father broke in impatiently, 'as long as they are living one can't go back to primitive days, and live in a wigwam, or in a rickety rookery like this. I wish to heaven one could—I'd try it. I tell you I haven't a farthing in the world—you may as well learn it now as later; and have more debts than I can ever pay off from now to the crack of doom. I don't want to pay. While I'm in hiding here I'll ... some way with my confounded creditors and the Jews. Poor, indeed! By Jove! we may live and die in this Irish exile, for what I see,' the earl said with a sort of groan.

'Very well, papa,' she said, dreamily; 'suppose we do? It's a very pretty place, I'm sure, and if we are poor it surely will not take much to keep us here. While I have you and Therese and my books and piano, I am content to stay here for ever.'

'Good Heavens! listen to her! Content to stay here! Yes, and live on potatoes like the natives, and convert the skins into clothing, to go barefooted and wear striped linsey woolsey gowns reaching below the knee, talk with a mellifluous north of Ireland accent, and end by marrying Lanty Lafferty, I suppose, or the other fellow Mickey. If you can't talk sense, Cecil, hold your tongue!'

'No, no,' the earl said. 'We'll get out of this howling wilderness of roaring rivers, and wild young chieftains and tumble down castles as speedily as we can. I have one hope left, and that is—' he looked at her keenly—'in you, my dear.'

'I, papa?'

'Yes; in your marriage. What's the child blushing at? In a year or two you'll be old enough, and Tregenna will be back in England. Of course you know it has been an understood thing these many years that you were to marry him when you grew up. He is perfectly ready to fulfil the compact, and certainly you will be. You have been brought up in a way to understand this. Tregenna is rich, monstrously rich, and won't see his father-in-law up a tree. I give you my word he is my last hope—your marriage with him, I mean. I will try and compromise with my creditors, I say, and when things are straightened out a bit we'll go back to England. You shall be presented at court, and will make, I rather fancy, a sensation. We will let you enjoy yourself for your first season, and when it is over we will marry you comfortably to Sir Arthur Tregenna.'

And Lady Cecil listened with drooping eyelids. It seemed to her all right—French girls married in this judicious way, all the trouble of love-making and that nonsense being taken off their hands by kindly parents and guardians.

Young O'Donnell called in the evening.

'Ah, O'Donnell—how d'ye? Come in. Been expecting you. Very busy, you see—must excuse me. Cecil will entertain you—give him some music, my dear.' And then my lord went back to his papers—bills, duns, accounts, no end.

Redmond went over to the piano! how bright the smile of girlish pleasure with which welcomed him. Did he like music?—was he fond of Moore's melodies?' Would she please go on with that she was singing?' It was, 'She is far from the land where her young hero sleeps,' and the tender young voice was full of the pathos and sweetness of the beautiful song.

After the singing they entered into conversation upon O'Donnell's history. Cecil enjoyed it all, admired him and thus commenced her earl love of Redmond.

'You will go out to India, I suppose,' she said; 'there always seems to be fighting there for those who want it.

'India?' he said; 'no. No O'Donnell ever fought under the English flag—I will not be the first. Years ago, Lady Cecil—two hundred and more—all this country you see belonged to us, and they confiscated it, and left us homeless and outlaws. The O'Donnell of the day swore a terrible oath that none of his race should ever fight for the British invaders, and none of them ever have. I shall seek service under a foreign flag—it doesn't matter which, so that it is not that of your nation, Lady Cecil.'

Lady Cecil pouted—said it was unchristian and unforgiving, but in her heart of hearts she liked it all, and wished, with Desdemona, that Heaven had made her such a man.

Lord Ruysland saw nothing—was as unsuspicious as though he were not a 'battered London rake' and a thorough man of the world. His impecunious state filled his mind to the exclusion of everything else, and then Cecil had been so well brought up, etc. The child must walk and ride, and must have a companion. Young O'Donnell was a beggar—literally a beggar—and of course might as well fix his foolish affections on one of Her Majesty's daughters as upon that of the Earl of Ruysland.

The Earl was suddenly awakened to the true state of affairs by O'Donnell who asked the Earl that he might be allowed to hope for Lady Cecil's hand.

The Earl kept a grave face, and asked if Cecil had not already told him she was engaged—engaged to a cornish baronet Sir Arthur Tregenna?

'My lad, said he, you are a gentleman. I am proud of you! Have you—has she—I mean do you think your affection is returned? Oh! Don't blush and look modest—it isn't the most unlikely thing on earth. Do you think Cecil returns your very—ah! 'pon my life—ardent devotion?'

'He did not like to say—but he hoped.'

'Oh, of course you do,' the earl supplemented 'and very strongly too. Well, my lad, you deserve something for the admirable and honourable manner in which you have acted, and you shall have your reward. Cecil shall wait for you if she wishes it! No, don't thank me yet; hear me out. You are to spend this evening here, are you not? Well, as you have been silent so long, be silent yet a little longer. Don't say a word to her. To-morrow morning I will lay all this before her myself, and if she prefers the penniless Irishman to the rich Cornishman, why, Heaven forbid I should force her affection!

Half an hour after the earl sought out Gregory, his valet and manager. 'We leave at daybreak to-morrow ... Gregory,' ... 'Lady Cecil and I. You remain behind ... in the day. Not a word, however, to Lady Cecil.'

That evening she sang for him all the songs he liked best. He leaned over the piano, his eyes on that fairest face, his ears drinking in the dearest melody, silent, happy. They rarely found much to say to one another when papa was present; they had got past the talking stage, and one word and two or three looks did the business now. There was music, and silence, and bliss; and at ten o'clock it was all over, and time for him to go.

The last night! She gave him her hand shyly and wistfully at parting, and went up to her room. The earl gave him a friendly clasp.

'To-morrow,' he said, with a smile, 'until to-morrow, Redmond, my lad, good night and au revoir.'

The November wind was howling wildly through the moonlight-flooded earth and sky. He did not see this cold splendour; he saw nothing, thought of nothing now but lovely Cecil Clive.

What a night that was—what a long tossing night of joy, of hope, of fear, of longing. He did not despair—he was young and sanguine, and hope had the best of it. He knew she loved him; had not looks, smiles, and blushes, a thousand and one things pen and ink never can tell, assured him of it?

In the evening of the following day he went to the cottage to obtain the Earl's reply. He knocked at the door, it was opened by grave, gentlemanly Mr. Gregory. Mr. Gregory in hat and greatcoat, and everywhere litter, and dust, and confusion. Carpets taken up, pictures taken down, packing cases everywhere—an exodus evidently.

The Earl and his daughter had fled. Two notes were handed to Redmond.

'My dear Boy,

'I spoke to Cecil after you left. It is as I feared—you have deceived yourself. Her promise binds her: she has no wish nor inclination to break it. And she has had no idea of the state of your feelings. She joins me in thinking it best for all parties she should go at once—another meeting could be but embarrassing to both. With real regrets, and best wishes for your future. I am, my dear boy, Sincerely yours,

RUYSLAND.

The inclosure was in the slim, Italian tracery of Lady Cecil—strangely cold and heartless words:

'Mon ami,

I am inexpressibly distressed. Papa has told me all. What he has said to you is true. My promise given must be kept. It is best that I should go. Farewell! My eternal gratitude and friendship are yours.

CECIL.'

Only that—so cold, hollow, heartless, false.

The golden sunshine, the trees, the violet heath, turned black for a moment before his eyes. He crumpled the letter up in his hand, and walked away.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Facts and Fancies.

The disabled *Peruvian* has arrived at Montreal.

The Czar of Russia will be crowned on Sept. 6 at Moscow.

Fires started by the miners are raging in the mountains near Ottawa.

The first sod of the Selkirk and Rockwood Junction Railway was turned on Friday.

There is no sure kure for Lazyness,—but I have known a sekond wife hurry it sum.

Arrangements for the fusion of the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railways are being rapidly pushed forward.

If you cant trust a man for the full amount, let him skip; this trieing to git an average on honesty, haz alwas been a failure.

The owner of a steamer has been fined heavily at Worcester, Mass., for overloading his vessel, causing her to capsize with loss of life.

Two large ocean steamers are reported caught fast in the ice and driven over on the coast between Cape Ray and Cape Aguille.

It is strange how much better some people can hear with their eyes shut. Some Markdale men seem to enjoy a sermon best in this manner.

The truth always pays in the end, 'tis said. This is probably the reason why there is so little truth told at the beginning of so many business transactions.

About one-tenth of the number of dogs in Markdale would be ample for the security of the village; neither foot-passengers nor equestrians are free from the molest of the snappish curs which infest the streets of Markdale.

Warned by the terrible Manitoulin disaster, U.S. Sec. Folger has ordered a strict enforcement of the laws relating to the use of dangerous burning fluids on steamers.

'Breathes there a man with soul so dead
Who never to himself hath said,—
I'll sell the hat from off my head,
I'll go without my daily bread,
I'll let my children go unfed,
I'd starve the dog till he is dead,
I'll work in constant fear and dread,
I'll sell my house and rent a shed,
I'd sell my clothing, ev'ry shred,
My heads of charity I'll spread,
Up and down the streets I'd tread,
I'll never ... ... is fed,
Down avenues for aid I'll tread,
But what I'll pay up every red—

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500 MEN TO BUY WATCHES AT W. F. DOLL'S.

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New Goods in every Line including Silver and Electro-plated ware, Colored and Bright Gold Jewellery, Diamond and Wedding Rings, &c., &c. Also VIOLINS, ITALIAN STRINGS, &c.

W. F. DOLL.

Markdale, Feb. 28, 1882. 67-ly

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Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.15 a.m.	3 30 p m.
Rockford	5.4? a.m.	3.55 p.m.
Chatsworth	5.55 a.m.	4.10 p.m.
Arnott	6.02 a.m.	4 18 p m.
Williamsford	6.17 a.m.	4 32 p m.
Berkly	6.3? a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.45 a m.	5.03 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	7.05 a.m.	5.25 p.m.
Proton	7.19 a.m.	5 40 p.m.
Dundalk	7.34 a.m.	5.54 p.m.
Shelburne	8 02 a.m.	6 25 p.m.
Crombie's	8 15 a.m.	6.38 p.m.
Laurel	8.26 a m.	6.50 p m.
Orangeville Junction	8.35 a.m.	7.00 p.m.
ORANGEVILLE.		
Arrive	8.45 a.m	7.10 p.m.
Depart	8.53 a.m.	7.30 p.m.
Alton	9.05 a.m.	7.42 p.m.
Charleston	9 15 a.m.	7.52 p.m.
Mono Road	9 45 a.m.	8.22 p.m.
Bolton	10.00 a.m.	8.35 p m.
Kleinburg	10.12 a.m.	8.47 p m.
Woodbridge	10.25 a.m.	9.00 p.m.
Humber Summit	10.32 a.m.	9.07 p m.
Emery	10 37 a.m.	9.12 p.m.
Weston	10.50 a.m.	9 25 p.m.
Carlton	10 57 a.m.	9.32 p.m.
Toronto, Union St'n	11.15 a.m.	9.50 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto..... dep.	7.15 a.m.	4 10 p.m.
;Carlton	7.33 a.m.	4.28 p m.
Weston	7.41 "	4.36 "
;Emery	7.53 "	4.48 "
;Humber Summit	7.59 "	4.54 "
Woodbridge	8.05 "	5.00 "
Kleinburg	8.18 "	5.13 "
Bolton	8.31 "	5.26 "
Mono Road	8.45 "	5 40 "
Charleston	9.15 "	6.12 "
Alton	9.25 "	6.22 "
ORANGEVILLE—		
Arrive	9.37 "	6.35 "
Depart	9.45 "	6.50 "
;Orangeville Junc	9.57 "	7.00 "
;Laurel	10.07 "	7.10 "
;Crombie's	10.19 "	7 21 "
Shelburne	10.32 "	7.34 "
Dundalk	11.05 "	8 06 "
;Proton	11.20 "	8.21 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.36 "	8 37 "
Markdale	11 55 "	8 55 "
;Berkly	12.10 p.m.	9 10 "
Williamsford	12.21 "	9.21 "
;Arnott	12.33 "	9 33 "
Chatsworth	12.40 "	9.40 "
;Rockford	12 53 "	9.53 "
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	10 15 "

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00 to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1 19 to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1 15 to	1 23
Barley	0.65 "	0.80
Oats	0.40 "	0.45
Peas	0.71 "	0.75
Potatoes	0.59 "	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0 16 "	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50 "	8 00
Beef	5.00 "	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07 "	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0 40 "	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00 "	0.00
Turkeys, per lb.	0.07 "	0 00
Sheepskins	0 60 "	1 25
Hides	7.25 "	7.50
Grass seed,	2 50 "	3 00
Hay	12.00 "	14 00
Wool	0.22 "	0 00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75 "	1 00
Lard	0.10 "	0.12
Tallow	0.05 "	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75 "	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15 to	$1 20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1 20 to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55 to	.65
Peas " 1	.68 to	.72
Oats 1	.40 to	.41
Butter " 1	.16 to	.16
Eggs	.. to	.12
Potatoes	.55 to	.65
Pork	7.50 to	7.75
Hay	7 00 to	10 00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the ... by R. J. Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour per b'l	$6.00 to	0 25
Spring Wheat per bush	1 19 to	1 25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15 "	1.23
Barley	0 64 "	0 80
Oats	0 40 "	0 45
Peas	0.74 "	0.75
Potatoes	0.59 "	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16 "	0 16
Eggs, per doz.	0 12½ "	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7.50 "	8 00
Beef	5 00 "	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60 "	1 25
Hides	7 25 "	7 50
Hay	12.0 "	14 0
Timothy seed,	2 50 "	3 00
Wool	0.22 "	0.00
Lard	0 10 "	0.12
Tallow	0.05 "	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 30 to	$1 32
Wheat, spring, do.	1 34 to	1 38
Barley, do.	0 88 to	0 93
Oats, do.	0 48 to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82 to	0 85
Rye, do.	0 82 to	0 83
Clover Seed do.	4 70 to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	9 50 to	9 75
Beef, hind quarters	5 50 to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00 to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 65 to	0 80
Fowls, do.	45 to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	00 to	0 00
Geese, each	60 to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00 to	2 25
Butter, large rolls	00 to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	to	0 23
Butter, store-packed	00 to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15 to	0 16
Eggs, packed	0 00 to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50 to	4 00
Potatoes per bag	1 30 to	1 35
Onions, per bag	1 20 to	1 20
Hay	10 50 to	14 00

Thursday, May 18

Last Thursday evening, as Miss Emma Muxlow was returning home from visiting her sister, she encountered a bear in a swamp. As it attacked her, she ran back a short distance and not knowing what it was she again attempted to proceed, but the animal refused to allow her to pass so she ran back to a neighbouring house and got a lantern and started on again. When she came to where she first met the bear he was quietly seated on a log. She flashed the light in his face when he jumped down and ran away in the woods. The young lady certainly deserves praise for bravery; not many men would have been so bold.—*Monitor.*

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION AT MARKDALE.

The first holiday in the year coming, as it does, upon the heel of a long winter, had the effect of bringing together a great number of people to enjoy the sport and pastime provided at Markdale. For many days previous great preparations had been on the Glenelg Agricultural Society's show grounds for the sports. A substantial seven foot close board fence had been built around the grounds by many willing hands at a "bee." Courses for racing, jumping, &c., had been ploughed and roped in, and altogether the space provided for the exhibition was all that could be desired. Many of the stores and hotels were decorated with evergreens and flags, and Markdale was alive. From the arrival of the morning train up to noon visitors flocked into to village in bodies from two to twenty strong. Vehicles of new patterns and superior finish which looked as if they had but just been turned out of either McKenna's or else out of Shanahan's workshops, came rolling in filled with youth and age bearing bright faces, following in their wake might be seen a motley collection of vehicles, some at the tails of oxen and others drawn by poor, miserable, half-starved horses. Some on foot and some in vehicles the crowd arrived, and by the time the Calithumpians filed past in procession the streets were pretty well filled. The noble order of Calithumpians were not a numerous body, but what they lacked in numbers they made up in originality and color. In full costume they thrice paraded the streets. 'Twas not Captain Zonexweh's drilling that saved disorder and confusion among the ranks. Soon after noon the people made for the sports ground and after the usual delay in making a fair start, an excellent programme of sports was gone through as may be judged from the following list of results:

100 yard race, 1 Jas. McDougall, 2 Neil McGregor.

100 yd. race, men over 50 years, 1 John Reid, 2 A. Drumsby.

100 yd. race, boys under 16 years, 1 Albert Richardson, 2 Robt Sproule.

100 yd. race, boys under 12 years 1 J. Wilson, 2 J. Fleming.

200 yd. hurdle race, 1 T. Mullarky, 2 McDougall.

5 mile race, 1 J. McMekin, 2 J. McDougall, 3 J. McMillan.

Egg race, 1 J. Elliott, 2 McDougall, 3 McGregor.

Sack race, 1 McGregor, 2 McMillan, 3 McDougall.

Wheelbarrow race, 1 McDougall, 2 W. Lyons, 3 A. Richardson.

Three legged race, 1 McDougall and McGregor, 2 Mullarky and McMillan, 3 Sproule and Richardson.

Standing jump, 1 McGregor, 2 J. McMillan.

Standing jump, boys under 16, 1 A. Richardson, 2 R. Sproule.

Standing jump, boys under 12, 1 R. Douglas, 2 J. Fleming.

Run hop, step and jump, 1 McGregor, 2 McDougall.

Running jump, 1 McGregor, 2 McDougall.

Running high jump, 1 McDougall, 2 McGregor.

Running high jump, boys under 14, 1 R. Sproule, 2 R. Benson.

Boys' consolation race, 1 R. Douglas, 2 F. Richardson.

Vaulting, 1 McGregor, 2 McDougall.

Putting 14lb. shot, 1 J. Campbell, 2 McDonald.

Putting 21lb. shot, 1 J. Campbell, 2 J. Kelly, Holland.

Best step dancer, 1 R. Sproule, 2 J. Davis.

Calithumpian, 1 W. Galbrath, 2 T. Benson.

The dancing platform did not get a moment's rest. The famous violin player, Mr. Allen Park took up his position as master of ceremonies and produced music to which very many tripped the light fantastic toe to their heart's content.

Altogether, in spite of the cold which prevailed, everybody was happy, if not, it certainly was not the fault of the indefatigable secretary, Mr. A. Turner, and the committee, who, busy as bees, were doing their best to keep mirth and enjoyment uppermost.

There were about nine hundred entered the gates to the grounds. Mr. James McDougall, of Markdale, and Neil McGregor, of Chatsworth, carried off the greatest number of prizes.

CONCERT AT DUFFERIN HALL, MARKDALE.

The Queen's birthday holiday was taken full advantage of by the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church, who on that day arranged in a highly satisfactory manner their annual bazaar and entertainment.

In the morning the British colours were hoisted (wrong way up) on the top of Dufferin Hall, and busy hands were within the building giving the final touch to the many useful and ornamental articles which loaded the stalls and the wall of the building. Goods realised fair prices, and although a considerable quantity of articles were left over, forming the nucleus of a future bazaar, still a good round sum was the result.

In the evening the concert was held in the same building, and a well-arranged programme of instrumental and vocal music, readings, recitations, &c., was gone through in the presence of a crowded house. The chair was taken by Mr McFarland, who briefly alluded to the fitness of thus honoring the birthday of our beloved Queen, whose virtues and actions were admired and, to a great extent, copied the wide world over. Twenty-one years did her majesty enjoy married life, and now 21 years had she spent in lonely widowhood. The choir commenced the musical portion of the programme by singing the glee, "Hurrah, welcome the day," they also sang another glee and a quartette later in the evening. Mr Theo. Hall and W. Davis gave readings. Instrumental music was given by Prof. Thurston and also by Miss Davis. Mr McDougal was to the fore, as usual, with comic recitations, his Yorshireman was however, scarcely "to the manner born." Mr Clark recited a "solid" piece entitled "The Philosopher's Scales." Vocal music comprised the rest of the programme. The solo of the song and chorus "Sir Joseph Porter, K.C.B." from the opera H.M S. Pinafore, was sung by Mr T. Henry, accompanied on the organ by Miss Ford. Miss Christo sang "Waiting for the tide." Mrs Palmer "At the Gate." The gem of the evening was "Strangers Yet," sweetly rendered by Miss Philp, accompanied by Miss Richardson. Markdale vocalists must look to their laurels, or else for real good music Flesherton will be taking the palm. Miss Boddy sang, but owing to lack of unity between the singer and the player, a beautiful song was marred. A trio from H.M.S. Pinafore between Josepine, Cap. Corcoran and Sir Joseph, was well handled by Miss Ford, Messrs. Cæsar and Henry. Owing to a severe attack of cold, Mr Cæsar was unable to take his solo, which was taken by Mr Henry, thus rendering somewhat complicated to an audience the beautiful trio. In a duet with Miss Hollingshead, Mr Cæsar was compelled to take a piece in which his part was comparatively light, as occasionally his voice failed him altogether. He sang with considerable pain to himself. The programme concluded with a song by Mrs Browne, "The Fidgety Wife," which brought down the house.

In the interval a monster story cake was cut and distributed among the audience. It was announced that the cake contained a gold ring, a 5 cent piece, and a—no, not a button; 10 cent pieces were readily exchanged for a slice of the cake, and a chance of winning a prize. A gentleman present, who had for three or four days been fruitlessly trying to cure a cold—who had taken enough lozenges, lemons, cream, and a lot of concoctions from Turner's drug store, enough, in fact, to make half-a-dozen ordinary robust men sick for weeks—just bought a slice "for the fun of the thing," and handed it to a friend sitting next him. The friend noticed that just a wee bit of the slice had fallen off, remaining on the plate. Said the friend, "Take it all, the ring is in that bit." The purchaser took the petit morceau, and lo! hidden within its sweet, doughy shell, lay the kernel of gold. The fact was not "noised abroad," lest the nickels should flag en route to the treasury, but when at length the chairman called the lucky finder to his feet Mr Cæsar, our respected station agent arose, and huskily made a speech after the style of the Greek philosopher, "Eureka!" "I have it." He was called to the platform, where he exhibited the 16 carat gold ring.

The total receipts for the day amounted to $108 00, besides nearly $10 given. This added to the Social fund of about $60, and after deducting some $25 expenses, gives some $150 towards the Parsonage Fund.

THE 24TH AT S. S. No. 6.

Here the holiday was taken due advantage of, not only by the neighbours but also by many of the residents to 8 and 10 miles around. Altogether some 150 congregated at the section, intent upon having a day's sport. A picnic had been arranged, and a nicer, more successful, or more satisfactory affair our correspondent never was at. It is intended to continue thus to celebrate the Queens birthday annually. Great praise is due to the ladies for the manner in which the tea was prepared, the little bit of chuck n proved excellent pickin'; the abundance of tea and lemonade was thoroughly appreciated, swings had been erected and were utilised to a great extent, many thanks to the boys for their thoughtfulness. Croquet and base ball occupied the attentions of many of the party. There was also a programme of music, singing, recitations, dialogues, &c., all of which was gone through very creditably, in fact, quite equal to that given in many places of far greater pretensions than S. S. No. 6. The chair was ably taken by Mr. James Welsh. Singing by the Misses Walker; Reading by Miss Bailey, Mr. J. W. Whitby, Mr. R. McBennit; Music by Miss J. Walker, J. W Whitby; Recitation by Miss E. Gallagher; Dialogue by Messrs A. Smith and J. Walker, also by Miss E. J. Bailey and Mr. J. W. Whitby: Instrumental music by Mr J. and Miss J. Walker.

FROM MARKDALE TO WINNIPEG.

BY G. L. DODDS.

We left Toronto at 12:30 p.m., May 2nd, by Credit Valley railway. There was no excursion on account of the floods; however, we were not to be balked any longer, and after getting our tickets we found ourselves passing rapidly towards the Prairie Province, passing through a section of splendid country to St Thomas, and found vegetation far in advance of any north of Toronto, splendid crops of fall wheat. One good feature in our journey was our train connections; we never missed a single change and the only detention was at St. Vincent. We reached the steamer Selkirk and the ladies got a cabin passage, while the men walked about a mile through water and mud to a point opposite the red elevator, the water being up to the eaves of many of the houses and a lot of their kitchen utensils floated away. Our little party enjoyed it all immensely. After the men got aboard we had a sail of twelve to get across about two miles. After we reached the Joe river bridge the train met us, and after some little delay and road repairing, took us to Winnipeg, which we reached at six on Friday. There was a report current on the train that a family was starving at Halloch. I investigated the matter. There were two trains of cattle and horses lying over that could not be forwarded on account of the floods, also about 200 head of horses and cattle at St. Vincent, and will be there for a week yet. There is a boat at every door in the Flats. The water has not been so high for twenty years; lots of houses submerged in Winnipeg, but no danger feared. We passed the wreck of a train where a broken rail had thrown off the engine which was backing, the engine was thrown across the track and rolled over on the engine driver, crushing him to pieces; the fireman will not survive.

I am very favorably deceived about the quality of the land between Emerson and Winnipeg. I thought the Americans had all the good land in the west but if the land improves as the pioneer goes west, it will be an Eden, and if I do not make money here I can honestly say that it is a fine country and Winnipeg is a great city. Half of the reports that you get are great fabrications. Of course everything is high, and on account of the wash outs there is no material to start building operations. But that will not be for long; there are lots of strong men idle but they will get all they can do very soon. I do not think that the labor market will be over taxed at all. There are too many dandies here, when their pocket becomes light they will come to the mark and throw off their coat.

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Better roads in and out of the town

Fewer dogs.

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Mac's boxes cleared off the sidewalk.

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The man-trap loose portions of side walk fastened down.

A good 6 ft. sidewalk down to the station.

A good walk from the road to the depot.

Some of the empty shops let to good tenants.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

THE RECENT REVIVAL.

To the Editor,

SIR—I am surprised to find that W now declines to carry on the discussion on infant sprinkling to which he challenged me. Certainly the affirmant should, according to all precedent, open the discussion. His excuse of not having time to write an essay on infant sprinkling is rather thin since he can find time to answer my objections, which would, I think, likely take as much time as his essay. But I can suggest a plan by which the matter can be settled very quickly, and that is for him to simply refer me to the chapter and verse in the Scriptures where the subject is mentioned; this he can do upon half a sheet of note paper. Why does he want to know what position I take upon the several matters he has introduced, matters having nothing to do with the single proposition he has challenged me to discuss. Had he asked whether I am a farmer or a mechanic, it would have been as pertinent to the question as those he requires me to answer. Now, if he wishes me to discuss infant sprinkling with him let him first make the attempt to prove it as every enlightened person will admit he should do, and I promise him that I will furnish him with plenty of objections to exercise his mind upon for some time to come. But if he will not affirm his own proposition there need be no further correspondence between us, as I have no intention of affirming any negative proposition. He appears to want to discuss the immersion question very badly. Well, if he will prove infant sprinkling to be both valid and scriptural there will be no trouble with me on the immersion of believers, as I think I shall be able to see that that must be given up.

As to the original question to which he refers in the beginning of his last correspondence, I now say that it can not be shown by any person that the result of the revival services in Markdale were the same as those of Jerusalem, Samaria Corinth, &c. What he calls a fling at the Methodists I do not think is deserved. It was only the logical result of his own statements. I supposed W was a Methodist and as he claims there were no such thing practised as the immersion of a convert for the first 200 years of the Christian era, I thought only right to remind him since they immerse such that they are doing a thing of which he himself asserts there is no divine sanction. Of course they should not do anything in the awful name of the Father Son and Holy Spirit for which God has given no authority. Will readers take notice of this point.

CONSTANT READER.

That it pays to take a local paper is proved by the following fact—one instance, doubtless, of many similar which never reach our ears. A farmer living some 10 miles hence, and taking five papers, read only in the local paper that special tickets at low fares would be issued on the T. G. & B. on the 24th May. He had previously decided to go to Toronto, and the possession of this information, only obtainable in the local paper, enabled him to save the equivalent to two years' subscription to this paper. He utilised the knowledge gleaned from these columns, and then came round to the office, and renewed his subscription. It pays, in many cases 10 and 20 fold to take a local paper.

WILL YOU EXCHANGE a case of Dyspepsia or Biliousness for 75 cents? It is awfully unwise to agonize under the many ailments arising from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Disordered Stomach and Liver, when this offer is made to you in your own home in all sincerity, with an absolute certainty of curing you.

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Court of Revision.

TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the First Sitting of the Court of Revision for the Township of Glenelg, for the current year, will be held at the Town Hall in said Township, on FRIDAY, the 16th day of June, 1882, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon.

JAMES BROWN,
Glenelg, May 22nd, 1882. Tp. Clerk.

TO BUILDERS & CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned until the ... day of June next, for the erection of a BRICK CHURCH in Markdale, as follows:

1st.—Tenders for the whole work.

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N B.—All material supplied by the Committee.

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R. S. RAE
May 30 1882. Chairman Comttee.

NOTICE.

That Young Durham Bull ROB ROY, will serve Cows this Season at Dundalk, on Lot 231, Con. 1, S.W. T. and S. Road, in the Township of Proton.

PEDIGREE.—Canada Short-Horn Stock Register, Vol. 7. "ROB ROY, red, 196, got by Sir Thomas, No. 17549, dam Strawberry, by Heather Jack, No. 4519; g-dam White Rose by Couroa 5418; gr-g-d Jenny Lind by Yng. Honest Tom, 1350." Also registered in new British American Herd Book.

Terms: $1.00 at time of Service; $1.25 if not paid before the 1st of October.

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Proprietor.

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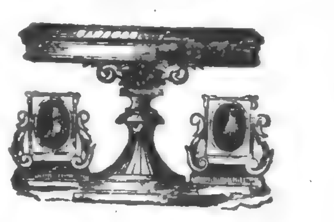

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G. GRANT,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf

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I have been ailing for years with Biliousness and Dyspepsia, and was reduced to a mere skeleton. Last fall I weighed only 86 pounds. I was induced to try ZOPESA by Mr Thomson, (of the firm of C. Thomson & Co. druggists of this place) and, many thanks to him, I am now an entirely new woman and weigh 124 pounds, through the use of this new compound.

MRS. CAROLINE FORBES,
Dec. 14, 1881. Wife of Mr R. G. Forbes.

The above letter is a fair specimen of very many being constantly received. The writer is of the highest respectability, and can easily be communicated with.

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1882.

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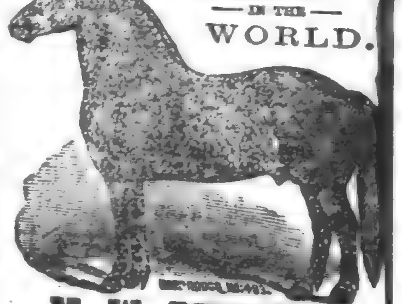

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday June 1st, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Cash paid for butter and eggs at McIntyres.

Mr. Thibodo has moved to Maple Leaf farm.

Any quantity of empty bottles wanted at McIntyres.

Edward Hanlan arrived home from England on Tuesday.

Turnip Seeds.—A large stock at the Medical Hall, A. Turner, & Co.

Tenders are invited for the erection of the new Presbyterian Church.

T. E Davis finished the brick work of Mr. Dunlop's building on Saturday last.

Mr. Andrew Irving has erected a dwelling house this spring! what next?

Hard wood wanted in exchange for hard cash. Apply Thos. Henry, Standard Office.

300,000 first class pine laths just arrived at McNea's Factory, also 300,000 good shingles for sale.

One of Shanahan's workmen informed us the other day that he is now working up the best material he ever handled.

Mr. Wm. Hall, of Traverston, removed last week to Peel county, where he takes charge of his flour mill [illegible].

T. D. Smith, barber, will be on [illegible] next Monday, (Fair Day) to cut hair, lather and shave. Shop, over [illegible] bakery.

[illegible] council meets on Monday, the [illegible] Melancthon the same day [illegible] in Dundalk and Euphrasia at Rocklyn on Friday, the 2nd.

Dr. Sproule, M.P., has named Mr. Hugh Chisholm as his financial agent during the present election contest. Mr. Chisholm has accepted the trust.

The annual Picnic at Martin's Grove, or what is better known as the Irish lake, will take place on Thursday, the [illegible] candidates for South Grey are expected to be present.

Court of revision for Glenelg on the 16th inst. The date is somewhat late [illegible] presume to the accident which happened the Reeve a short time ago in the breaking of his leg.

[illegible] is drawn to the new advt. of R. J. Sproule, of Flesherton. Full new [illegible] in every department, to such an extent that the Post Office Store [illegible] rivals many of the city stores.

The pyramids of Egypt were built who knows what for, but every one knows that the Esterbrook Steel Pens were made to suit the different tastes, habits and styles of the various writers.

A [illegible] Primitive Methodist Conference held yesterday at Aurora several [illegible] were discussed, including Ministers' appointments" and [illegible]. The memorial service [illegible] in the evening.

[illegible] Rev. A. Wilson will preach at Mr. [illegible] in the Orange hall, Vandeleur on Sabbath evening next at 6:30. He [illegible] to meet with as many of [illegible] as possible.

A [illegible] was yesterday re[illegible] from London Eng. announcing the death of Mr. John [illegible] of the well-known [illegible] Mackay & Co. [illegible] the T. G. & B.

On Sunday evening the Rev. J. Ward read a pastoral letter from the bishop of the diocese in which it was stated that Sunday next would be observed to [illegible] the British [illegible] for prayer and offertory [illegible] in connection with the C[illegible] of England.

Not only are there [illegible] dogs in the village, but [illegible] [illegible] since last winter. The attention of the police trustees is directed [illegible] abominable nuisance [illegible].

D. J. Sheahan has [illegible] engaged three more first cl[illegible]. Having a large s[illegible] second growth [illegible] white oak [illegible] he is [illegible] to furnish [illegible] Mr. [illegible] the largest [illegible] ever done in Markdale.

Not many miles from Flesherton lives a station agent, who, at the depot the other day, thought well to raise a question with some of the attendants at the East Grey teachers' convention as to the real practical value of the education received of to-day as compared with that of years agone. His four opponents, though quite capable of substantiating their opinions that never before has such a mass of practical information been within reach of the student and now taken advantage of to a greater extent that ever, still considered it scarcely becoming to accept his dollar challenge to name the books of the Bible. Fair and square the teachers of to-day stand ahead of their predecessors not only as to the amount of knowledge they acquire, but also on account of its greater utility.

We are pleased to be able to report progress in connection with any industry that is for the benefit of the village and surrounding country. The proprietors of our foundry, Moffat Bros., are deserving of credit for their enterprise and push. Their business is growing and prospects good for a heavy trade. A short time ago they turned out a cast wheel 5 feet in diameter, face of rim 13 inches, weight about [illegible] lbs. The wheel is now doing duty in Mr. Alex. Duncan's new saw mill in Glenelg. They are also getting up a plough which we would judge from appearance will be *the* plough of this section of country; their plough points are hard and durable.

Mr. R. Johnston, Euphrasia, has a new steam saw and shingle mill about ready for operation. It is located on lot 14, con. 9. To those in the neighbourhood, this mill, with a 40-horse power engine will be a great convenience. There is an abundance of timber of various kinds, which may now be utilised either for local use, or shipped to outside places where a constant demand prevails. We wish Mr Johnston success.

MARRIAGES.

McLEOD—SMYTH.—In Markdale, on the 31st May, by Rev. Father Cashen, Joseph McLeod Jr. to Ellen, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm Smyth.

HASKETT—DOUGLAS.—In Markdale on the 31st May, by Rev. J. W. Ward, Wm. Haskett, Hardware Merchant, to Annie, eldest daughter of Mr. Wm. Douglas, all of Markdale.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

CHATSWORTH.

Division Court on the 10th inst. at 12.30 noon.

Mr Campbell, Hotel keeper, Chatsworth, slipped and fell, breaking his arm, while in Toronto last week.

Mr W. Crawford has been badly kicked on the head by a horse Dr. Oldham attended, and the patient is recovering.

Mrs. J. F. Pearce has been presented with a handsome and valuable china set and crystal pitcher, in recognition of her services as Sunday School teacher at the English church.

Great anxiety was felt at Chatsworth as soon as the news arrived of the loss of the Manitoulin, as it was known that several from the section were on board. Mr Thos Proud, of con. 6, Sullivan, and wife and family, were on their way to Bruce Mines. Mr T[illegible] Hawker and wife [illegible] also of Sullivan. Mrs Jolly, daughter of Mr John Currie, of Sullivan, and a daughter, and a Mr. McNabb. Mr. Proud lost his daughter Fanny, Mr & Mrs Hanbery were both lost.

PERSONALS.

Mr. E S. Mabee took his departure for Manitoba last week.

Mrs. M. Young, formerly Miss Haskett, is in this place on a visit.

Mr J. Meldrum, station agent at Klienburg, gave us a call last week.

Mr. Jesse Mabee, of Albion, formerly of this place, gave us a call on Friday.

We are pleased to say that Mr. H. Boyce, who was almost killed with the kick of of a horse, is recovering.

Mr. George Jackson, M.P., visited Markdale on Friday last, and was warmly received by his many friends.

Dr. Landerkin was in Markdale on Wednesday and is evidently on important business. He looks hale and hearty.

Mr. Elliott of the Credit valley and formerly Station agent Markdale, gave us a call Thursday.

Mr. H. L. Thurston has taken to himself a wife, and the pair have become residents of Markdale.

If a hat, cap, or suit, you're intending to buy,
If wise, to McFarland's you surely will hie;
For his goods are first class, and his prices so fair,
That none in the town with him can compare;
If you want a dress, mantle, or bonnet so grand,
Those at McFarland's, beat all in the land;
He directly imports from away o'er the sea,
The best [illegible] goods, whatever they be.
Perhaps you're a drinker of [illegible] best tea,
Can be purchas[illegible] everywhere you'll see;
His sugars and spices are [illegible] kind.
[illegible]

Winnipeg, May 21.

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[illegible] the north, accompanied by a [illegible] snow storm, while the temperature is steadily falling.

For the past few weeks settlers have been making their way out of Winnipeg for the west very rapidly, and it is said that all the way from Flat Creek to Qu'Appelle the trail is swarming with immigrants. Though enormous numbers have gone west by rail, the steamers on the Assiniboine are also doing a heavy business carrying immigrants and their effects to Fort Ellice. The rush for Qu'Appelle would appear at first sight to be extraordinary, but though I have no doubt that many will this season find homes in the region of the charming Qu'Appelle Valley, many who say they are going to Qu'Appelle have really very little idea as to where they are going.

The new settlers who are going into the North-west are for the most part of a very desirable class, but on the other hand there are not a few who will in all probability meet with only moderate success. One of this latter class, who, is the son of a distinguished and aristocratic family in England, and who "was not accustomed to this sort of thing, you know," was starting off for Southern Manitoba the other day with his farming outfit. He had a bran new lumber wagon with green box and red running gear, a plough, and a few other farming implements together with some supplies, and to all this he had harnessed a very diminutive pair of strawberry roan steers. His load was all made up on Main street, and when everything was ready he touched one of the calves very gently with a three-dollar and-a-half whalebone spring-top whip and said "gee."

The animals made for the off side of the street, which was just where he did not want them to go, when he supplemented the order with "Ah! I beg your pardon. I believe I should have said 'haw.'"

WEDDING AT MARKDALE.

Yesterday morning soon after four of the clock, the streets of Markdale were alive with people humourously enquiring one of the other, Hallo! what brings you out? However, the cause of the excitement and the flutter among the ladies of the village was not hard to find, for although it had been kept pretty quiet, the secret had oozed out that on Wednesday at five in the morning at the English church, Miss Douglas was to be handed to Mr Wm. N. Haskett, for better, for worse, &c., and to witness this ever interesting ceremony, some 150 people, mostly of the fair sex, congregated at the church.

The bridegroom and the groomsmen—Messrs A. Turner and G. Haskitt—were at their posts a few minutes before the appointed time, and very soon after five the bride, leaning upon her father's arm, and followed by the bridesmaids—Miss Maggie Douglas & Miss Purvis. The bride's dress was of India cream muslin, and cream satin, trimmed with cream spanish lace. She wore a tulle veil, and a wreath of orange blossoms. Gloves to match. Her maid's dresses were of India muslin, and cream corded silk, trimmed with spanish lace.

At the reading desk the bride was met by the bridegroom, and the bridal party walked to the communion rails. here Rev. J. Ward awaited them, and [illegible] in a very short time, the ceremony was gone through. After the singing of a hymn, they retired to the vestry, where Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haskitt, were made and registered man and wife. During the intervals appropriate music was played on the organ by Miss Ford.

The church decorations were supplemented by several beautiful flowering plants, giving the edifice quite a lively appearance.

After the service, the party made their way to the house of the father of the bride, where breakfast was awaiting them.

At the station quite a crowd congregated to bid good-bye to the pair, who set out on a tour up the St. Lawrence, thence they will proceed to New York, and thence up the Hudson river to Albion, and from that place return to Markdale They bear with them wherever they go the best wishes for their future happiness of a very large circle of friends.

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Church Directory.

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J. WARD, Incumbent.

Methodist Church —Sunday. 10 30, 7
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
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N. A. McDIARMID, Pastor.

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with or without marble slab for name, &c; also Tomb Railings, Fall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881. [illegible]

SAD DROWNING FATALITY AT PRICEVILLE.

Yesterday afternoon, a very sad and painful accident occurred at Cullin's Lake, about one mile south of Flesherton. It seems that Mr N. B. Grier, general merchant, of the town of Priceville, went out fishing on the lake, in a small boat. He was accompanied by two others.

By some means, not yet ascertained, the boat got capsized, and the three occupants fell into the water. One was enabled to catch hold of a log, and thus save himself. The second was also able to extricate himself. Not so the other. He was unable to successfully battle with the water, and he soon sank beneath the placid surface of the clear, smooth lake.

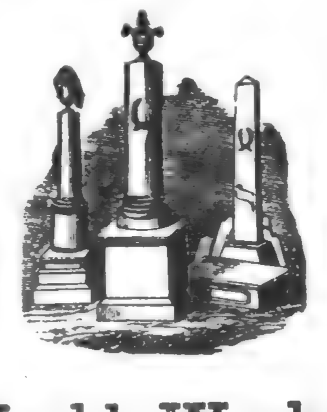
Search was made for his body. but so far it has not been recovered.

We scarcely need say that Mr N. B. Grier was very highly respected, He has been in business some 18 months, and prior to engaging in business, he was a successful school teacher.

LATER PARTICULARS.

Grier's body has not yet been found.

MARKDALE



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Is his motto.

Art in Markdale.

From the Standard, May 18, 1882.

ONE of the first signs of a community becoming enlightened is the development of a taste for art; and as knowledge increases, so fast does the taste for art grow. The most enlightened community in the world to-day have cultivated the taste for art. It is with the utmost pleasure that in this connection we are able to notice the rapid strides art has made it Markdale during the past few months, not only in one branch of industry, but in many. The printers type has to be artistic, the signwriter's lettering has to bear evidence of taste, the cabinet makers goods have to be fashioned by well tutored hands, but perhaps in no branch of industry has such rapid strides been made as in photography It is but a few months ago since the general public of Markdale cared little as to whether their photographs bore evidence of taste, style, skill, tone, or finish, so long as they bore some little resemblance—or as we heard it expressed the other day—so long as any-one could tell the difference between the sitter and a baboon, the photograph passed muster. But now our photographic artist Mr Browne has produced such specimens of artistic skill, the people are no longer content with a foggy, misty "pictur" but expect, and rightly so, to obtain something to be proud of, superior in style. higher in tone, richer in finish, novel in pose, and altogether attractive. To meet the demand for this higher class of work, Mr. Browne has just procured from New York, one of the best cameras that mechanical science has yet produced. It is like most Yankee inventions simply perfect. To describe it in technical terms will not very much enlighten our readers, suffice it to say, it is the best instrument money can buy, and no better can be in use in studios where the charges are twice and thrice our local artist's prices. Browne thoroughly understands his business, keeps well up to the times, and this, with his devotion to his profession, has resulted in an increased demand for good work.

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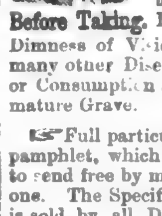

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☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

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Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth! If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from thirty years' successful practice, that alarming consequences may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicines or the use of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

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	9	Maxwell
	10	Thornbury
	12	Dundalk
	13	Rocklyn, Nomination
	14	Hopeville
	15	Shelburne
	16	Hornings' Mills
	17	Red Lion, Osprey
	19	Town hall, Melancthon at 2 p.m.
	19	Cedarville, Proton 7

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John Gardiner, Dundalk, continues to astonish the natives with low prices for Hardware.

It will pay you to give him a call, examine Goods, and get prices.

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FOR ALL KINDS OF

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IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.

I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.

Yours truly,

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SHREWD AS EVER.

In an extended article in the Washington (D.C.) Star, we notice that among others, Senator James G Blaine, who has suffered in the past with rheumatism, now keeps St. Jacob's Oil on hand in case of any further attack.

No person can enjoy health while suffering Constipation of the Bowels. Harsh Purgatives always do harm. Burdock Blood Bitters is Nature's own Cathartic. It regulates, purifies, and strengthens the system. Trial bottle 10 cents.

Capt. Paul Boynton yesterday descended the falls of the James River at Richmond, Va. The current here is very swift, and the river bed is obstructed by boulders and the remains of fish traps. There is a fall of 75 feet in half a mile.

Many suffer from supposed Organic disease of the heart, when the trouble is only an irregularity in the circulation of the vital fluids, which Burdock Blood Bitters will promptly remedy. Trial bottle 10 cents.

Now that the comet is in sight and will touch the earth with its tail, and not put an end to the world's existence we would request our subscribers to hesitate no longer about paying up for one year in advance. We may be sanguine, but we think this opportunity for displaying faith should not be neglected.

If you would have a clear complexion, a freedom from Blotches, Pimples, Boils, and all foul humors, purify and regulate the blood, Liver, Kidneys, and Bowels with Burdock Blood Bitters. Trial bottle 10 cents.

A tragedy occurred the other day in Tiny township, near Penetanguishene, wherein a farmer named Henry Yorke killed another farmer, Daniel Dewal, with an axe, and afterwards twice unsuccessfully attempted suicide. There appears to have been no other witness of the deed than the actors in it, but the deceased made an antemortem deposition, upon which the coroner's jury has indicted York for manslaughter. The tragedy arose out of a dispute over some land which Dewal had rented from his slayer.

Do not take such vile trash as cheap Whiskey Bitters and stimulants that only pander to a depraved appetite. Burdock Blood Bitters is a pure vegetable medicine, not a drink. It cleanses the blood and builds up the system. Sample bottle 10 cents.

The worst of famous Sores, the most indolent Tumor, and the most foul Ulcer known, may be cured by the combined use of Burdock Blood Bitters and Burdock Healing Ointment. Ask your druggist for these infallible remedies.

A Sydenham farmer took a calf to Owen Sound market on Friday, which had been [illegible] on the way that the Chief had him arrested for cruelty to animals. He was fined $10 and costs. This should serve as a warning to some of our cruel farmers.

In the Spring of the year almost every one requires a good Blood Purifier, more especially in the month of May. We would earnestly advise our readers to try Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. A few doses will soon convince you that it is the best remedy known for affections of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver, and Kidneys. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

NEWSPAPER SECRETS.

There is probably no newspaper man who does not hold secrets of importance in his mind, which, if made public, would create a sensation, but would stamp him as being unreliable, and unfit for his profession. Frequently persons would like to know the authorship of certain matters published, and whether his efforts are directed to 'pumping' the managing editor or the galley boy, his efforts are fruitless.

$200 00 REWARD!

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Many professing Christians are like watches without mainsprings, beautiful to look at, but lacking the one main point, the principle of "go," the very foundation of divine life and of christian growth.

Men will be all life and attention if one tells them how a 10 cent piece may be added to their incomes; but talk to them about their souls, and lo, they fall asleep.

Coming to church and observing the outward ordinances—having a religion only for Sunday—is like having a toy watch: to make it go you have to turn the fingers round with a key. Christians, as well as watches must have the principle of "go" within them.

Our Premium

We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

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"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONT PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early last summer Messrs. J. R. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. At the same time we secured from the firm a quantity of books, entitled Dr. Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases, which we are giving to advance paying subscribers of the *Press* as a premium.

About the time the advertisement first appeared in this paper Mr. P. G. Schermerhorn, who resides near Colliers, had a spavined horse. He read the advertisement and concluded to test the efficacy of the remedy, although his friends laughed at his credulity. He bought a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure and commenced using it on the horse in accordance with the directions, and he informed us this week that it effected such a complete cure that an expert horseman, who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Schermerhorn has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So much for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

New Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

Mr. F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle of Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of you last summer gave me the utmost satisfaction and performed a wonderful cure upon a mare nineteen years old belonging to me, which was badly spavined for ten years. She was so lame that I could hardly get her to move. The lameness is entirely gone after using half a bottle of the cure, and she is like a young horse again.

Yours truly,

J. F. Roth.

FROM A

PROMINENT PHYSICIN.

Washingtonville, Ohio, June 17th 1880

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. Bertolett, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary removes all soreness.

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto some ice and was badly hurt in the hip joint, which caused me much suffering. I tried various remedies but none gave relief, until I tried Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October and it effected a perfect cure. I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,

Chester K. Green.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

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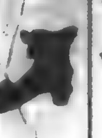

In thanking my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

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Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

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Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

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AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

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TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

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DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

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Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

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Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

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MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

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MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

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Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

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Great Excitement in Markdale

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IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS,

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All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

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New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

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We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

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COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel

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Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER.

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

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Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

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Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 36

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28 1881. 67-tf.

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FLESHERTON STATION.

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For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

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At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

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67 WM. HOGG.

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Over W. J. McFarland's Store [...] and Friday of each week.

Funds to lend on [...]

John Creasor, Q.C. [...]

Markdale, March 15, 1882

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Alexander Brown.

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Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

R. M. Galbraith.

AUCTIONEER AND [...] Agent, Williamsford [...] Sales attended [...] Goods sold on Com[mission ...] Pianos, Organs, [...] Fruit and Ornamental [...] tural Implements, [...] on le.

Williamsford, Jan. 27, [...]

J. [...] Sing.

DOMINION AND P[ROVINCIAL LAND] Surveyor, D[...] Meaford and Mark[dale ...] Provincial Land S[urveyor ...] entire stock of [...] Reports, Instruction[s ...] done within the la[st ...] prepared to make S[...] ance therewith. [...] for Grading Hills, [...] for Building Bridges, [...] tion. Money to [...] Orders by letter, or left [...] Markdale, will be promp[tly ...]

Sept. 17, 1880.

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GENTLEMEN,

If you [...]

Buggie or Wag[on]

[...]

MCKENNA & MASON'[S]

CARRIAGE WOR[KS]

MARKDALE.

They can supply you with an[ything from a] Lumber Wagon up to an Extension Top Phaet[on]

To buy from them is to

SAVE MONE[Y]

They are both practical workmen, a[nd] employ none but

PRACTICAL WORKM[EN]

They guarantee their wor[k] Second to none for Lightness of D[...] and Superiority of Finish.

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Residence corner of Brown and Sp[...] Streets, Markdale. 16-y

Hotels.

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MARKDALE.

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Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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Offices Owen Sound, in Vicker's Block Poulett St., and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday every week. 57-ly

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Funds to lend on reasonable terms.
JOHN CREASOR, Q.C. DUNCAN MORRISON
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ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent, Commissioner [illegible] Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer [illegible] County of Grey. Farmers, [illegible] Sales, Punctually attended [illegible] very moderate.
[illegible] 17, 1880. 1-y

R. M. Galbraith,
AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, [illegible] Station. Auction [illegible] all parts of the County. [illegible] Commissioner. Rates moderate. [illegible] Sewing Machines; also [illegible] Machinery of all kinds
[illegible] 1881.

J. G. Sing,
DOMINION AND PROVINCIAL LAND Surveyor, [illegible] and Valuator, [illegible] Markdale. Having purchased [illegible] Surveys [illegible] Rankin's [illegible] all his Surveys [illegible] last fifty-five years, I am [illegible] Surveys in strict accord[illegible] Profiles and Estimates [illegible] Plans and Specifications [illegible] furnished on application. [illegible] at 8 per cent interest. [illegible] or left with G. J. BLYTH, [illegible] promptly attended to.
Sept. 17, 1880. 1y-

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THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travel[illegible]

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WM. LUCAS, Manager.
Sptember 23, 1880. 1-ly

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CARRIAGE WORKS,
DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB-SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

DUNDALK
Meat Market!

Meat supplied wholesale and retail.

Orders called for and meat delivered to any part of the town.

Shop on Main Street.

P. S.—Farmers having fat cattle or sheep to dispose of would do well to let me know, as I will pay cash for such.

W. T. RUNDLE,
Dundalk, Jan., 1882.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING on Every Working Day, By Thomas Smith.

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m

Boarders Wanted.

THE subscriber having rented the brick building opposite Doctor Sproule's new residence is prepared to take several boarders. Good rooms and good meals at reasonable rates.
J. W. LEAVEN.
Markdale, March 9th.

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and
TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

$2 Watches. Stem winders $3 50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO. 133 Nassau St. New York.

Joseph Gibson,
PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL
PLASTERER,
WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING
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All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.
Markdale P.O. 87-113

Notice.

I hereby fordid all parties trusting or harbouring my wife, FLORA BAXTER, as she has left my bed and board without any just cause, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.
WILLIAM H. BAXTER.
Glenelg, May 6, 1882. 87-90.

T. B. Gilliland,
PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,
EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention. 86 100.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

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To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be
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All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,
—AND—
MODERATE PRICES.
Is his motto.
All the Popular Styles made by
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MARKDALE,
Has opened out a First-Class
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—AND—
UNDERTKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
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Call and see for yourselves.
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All work manufactured from
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In the Latest and Best Improved Style, and finished with
English Varnish.

Painting & Trimming Rigs
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All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside
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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T., G. & B. Railway, $3.25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to
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March 23, 1882 80-101

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Ladies wishing Hair-work done will do well to bring it in before the 24th June, as I cannot execute orders for it after that date.

BRAIDING PATTERNS for [illegible]

RESIDENCE—QUEEN ST.

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms. [illegible]

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The subscriber has just purchased a New Stock of

Liquors,

Of the best brands. Liquor in its purity is a benefit to the invalid; but the curse of Alcohol [illegible]. I have now on hand a quality of

Wine,
Rum,
Brandy &
Whisky
Which cannot be equalled in Markdale.

My Rum cannot be excelled this side Toronto

Those wishing a pure Wine for Communion Service will please give me a call.

Teas Coffees,
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,
PORK,
And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale May 24th, 1882. 5

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Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.
Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

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Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

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GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping one Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

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WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

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Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!
—FROM—
KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 48

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HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

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IN CONNECTION.

MARKDALE Meat Market.

A constant supply of
Fresh Meats!
on hand, at the
Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.
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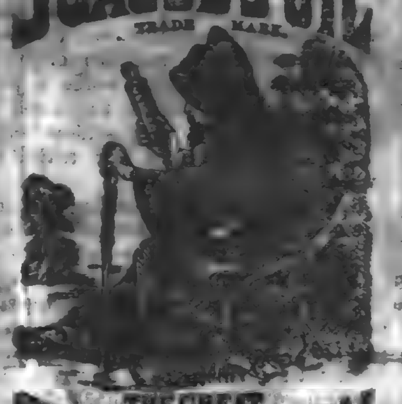
TRADE MARK.



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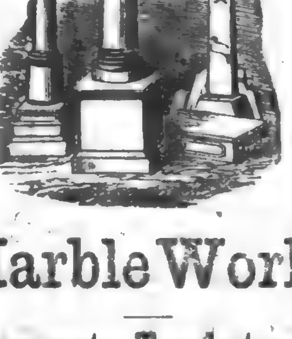

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And every description of Cemetery work executed in [illegible]
FIRST-CLASS STYLE!
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Satisfaction Guaranteed.
Shop next door to Revere Hotel.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Prp.
Markdale Aug. 17th, 1881. [illegible]

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	2.00 p.m.
Going South	4.20 p.m.
" North	11.30 p.m.
Owen Sound Mail	7.00 p.m.

Court of Revision.
TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the First Sitting of the Court of Revision for the Township of Glenelg, for the current year, will be held at the Town Hall in said Township, on FRIDAY, the 16th day of June, 1882, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon.
JAMES BROWN
Glenelg, May 22nd, 1882. [illegible]

The Poet's Corner

LINES.

WRITTEN ON THE DEATH OF SARAH ELIZABETH FOSTER, DAUGHTER OF [illegible] FOSTER, ARTEMESIA, BORN [illegible] 4TH, 1876, DIED MAY 24TH, 1882.

We mourn o'er the loss of our dear one,
We grieve when we think of the past;
Dear Sarah, no more we behold thee,
Our joys were too sweet to last.

Oh! yes, we miss thee our dear one,
At morn, at eve and at noon;
Thou wert snatched like the dew in the morning,
And hurried off to an early tomb.

Like the bud scarcely burst into beauty,
When nipped by the frosty cold breath;
For Sarah, thou wert called on to leave us;
We know thou art gone with the blest.

We know not the day nor the hour,
When called on to give up our task;
But O, let us die as you died,
Through Jesus who died on the cross.

But Sarah, we long soon to see you,
We know when we think of the past;
That Jesus will guard and watch o'er us,
Till we meet thee in heaven at last.

But O, when we look at your couch,
We think of the times that are past;
When we nursed you so oft in our arms,
And kissed your sweet lips at the last.

O, death! thou art but a dart,
That will sting but a short space of time;
But Jesus makes death very light,
When He says to His flock "you're Mine."

But O, when we look at your tomb,
We think of you still as the past;
They tell us you're living with angels,
And we hope to be with you at last.

You know not dear children, the day,
When sickness may come to your couch
If you only love Jesus and pray,
You'll meet with this Dear One at last.

And parents keep trusting in Jesus,
And think of the hour at the last;
When Jesus will stand the at brook,
And give you His hand as you pass.

Cease then, O cease all your mourning,
For God the giver of all;
Has only claimed what he lent us,
And must we not all have a call?

Advt. J. L.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XI

ITS ENGLISH READING.

Lady Cecil then was heartless—you say, a flirt, a deceitful flirt, from first to last,—luring with innocent eyes and soft, childish smile, even at sixteen, only to fling her victim away the moment her conquest was made. Wait.

She had bidden Redmond good night. There was a tender, tremulous happiness in the soft hazle eyes that watched him out of sight, a faint half-smile on the rosy, parted lips. She scarcely knew what her new sky-bliss meant; she never thought of falling in love—was she not to marry Sir Arthur Tregenna?—only she knew she had never, never been half so happy before in all her life.

'Good-night, papa,' she said, taking her candle and turning to go.

'Oh!—wait a moment, Queenie, will you?' her father said, somewhat hurriedly; 'I want you to do a little copying for me before going to bed.'

'Copying?' She sat down her candle and looked at him in wonder. He did not choose to meet those large, surprised brown eyes.

'Yes, my dear. Don't look alarmed; only a line or two. Here it is. Copy it off, word for word, as I dictate.'

'Write "Mon Ami."'

'I am inexpressibly distressed. Papa has told me all. What he has said to you is true, my promise is given and must be kept. It is best that I should go.' Here Lady Cecil came to a sudden, alarmed stop, and looked up with a greatly disturbed face. 'Go, papa,' she said; 'What does all this mean?'

Be kind enough to write on, and never mind asking questions,' her father retorted impatiently; 'best that I should go.' You have that? Go on then. 'Farewell! My eternal gratitude and friendship are yours.' Now sign it 'Cecil.' That will do. Thanks, my dear. What a very pretty hand you write, by the way.'

'Papa,' 'whom is this written for? What does it mean? I don't understand.'

'Don't you? Please don't ask too many questions—curiosity has ever been the bane of your sex. Therese will wake you early to-morrow morning. We start immediately after breakfast for Enniskillen.'

'Enniskillen!' 'Papa, are we—going away?'

'And if we are, Queenie—what then? If I had said we were going to the antipodes you would hardly look more aghast. Your attachment to the Toryglen, of course, must be very strong, my dear, since the thought of leaving it affects you thus.'

She shrank away from his sneer. Her sensitive lips quivered, her face flushed.

Lady Cecil slept very little that night—a panic had seized her. Going away! did he know? would she see him to say good-bye before she left? would they ever meet again? and that note—what did that cold, formal note mean? Whom was it for? Her cheeks were quite white, her eyes heavy, her steps slow, her tones languid, when she descended to breakfast. She was already in her riding-habit, and the horses were saddled and waiting. During breakfast her eyes kept turning to the door and windows—up the valley road leading to the O'Donnell's. Would he come? The earl saw, and smiled grimly to himself.

'No, my dear,' he said, inwardly. 'You strain your pretty brown eyes in vain—handsome lad and a brave, but you have looked your last upon him.'

They arose from breakfast—the hour of departure had come. Then, out of sheer desperation Lady Cecil gathered courage and spoke with a great gulp [illegible]

'Papa—does—does Mr. O'Donnell know we—' She stopped, unable to finish the sentence.

'Mr. O'Donnell,' with bland urbanity, 'well, I'm not quite positive whether I mentioned to him yesterday our departure or not. I shall leave him a note, however, of thanks and farewell. Of course it wasn't necessary to tell him, my dear—a very fine fellow indeed, in his sphere, and much superior to the rest of the peasantry—a little presumptuous, though, I fancy, of late. Come, Cecil—the horses wait, and "time is on the wing."'

What could she say?—what could she do? There was passionate rebellion at her heart—pain, love, regret, remorse.

They remained a week in the metropolis, at the residence of a friend. The earl returning home to dinner one evening, sought out his daughter, with an interesting item of news. In Regent Street that day he had come suddenly upon—whom, did she think?—your Irish friend Redmond O'Donnell.

She had been sitting at the window looking out at the twilit street. At the sound of that name she turned suddenly. How wan and thin she had grown in a week—how dull the bright brown eyes. Now a sudden light leaped into them—a swift, hot flush of joy swept over her face.

'Papa! Redmond! You saw him!'

'Yes, my dear,' Lord Raysland said, carelessly, 'and looking very well, too. I asked him to come here—said you would be glad to see him.'

'He—declined!' The pale lips could but just shape the words.

'I'll never think of him again—never!' she said, under her breath. 'I am glad, glad, glad he does not dream how much I—I like him!'—a great sob here.

During the following six years names, titles, hearts, fortunes, and cornets were laid at her feet to be rejected.

And now the six years were past and Redmond stood before her changed greatly and yet the same.

She stood for an instant looking at him. The surprise at seeing him here, as suddenly as though he had risen up out of the earth, almost took her breath away! But for the Lady Cecil Clive to lose her self-possession long was not possible. A second later, and she held out her hand to him with a smile and glance as bright, as frank, as pleasant as any that had ever been given him by the Lady Cecil of Toryglen.

'It is—it is Captain O'Donnell. And after all those years! And so changed by time and whiskers and Algerian campaigning, that I might well be pardoned for doubting his identity. What good fortune has sent Captain O'Donnell to Sussex, of all places in the world?'

'And why not to Sussex, Lady Cecil? One could hardly select a fairer country to ruralize in. My sister wished to come to Sussex, to Castleford, and—here we are.'

'Your sister?' Lady Cecil said, interested. 'Yes, Mr. Wyatt told me in town she was with you; in ill health, too, I am almost afraid he said.'

'Your sister here, and sick, Captain O'Donnell?' Lady Dangerfield cut in, 'and we not know it? Lady Cecil and I will call upon Miss O'Donnell to-morrow at the Silver Rose, and fetch her back with us here—that's decided.'

Captain O'Donnell wondered where he had met Miss Herncastle before. He was certain he had met her somewhere.

Squire Talbot looked across to where Miss Herncastle was engaging the attention of Sir Arthur Tregenna.

'Eh! Quite a flirtation going on there, certainly.' He was rather obtuse—the squire. 'Didn't think Sir Arthur was much of a lady's man, but gad! to-night he seems—oh, good Heaven!'

He stopped short—he stared aghast. Miss Herncastle had lifted her stately head from the book of engravings and turned her face full toward them. And for the first time Squire Talbot saw her.

Amaze, consternation, horror, were actually pictured upon his face.

'What! another! the plot thickens rapidly. You, too, have known Miss Herncastle!'

'Miss—what did you call her, Lady Cecil? Good God! I never saw such a resemblance.'

'Whose ghost do you take her for, Squire Talbot?'

'Katherine Dangerfield, of course—poor Kathie. It is—good God!—it is as like her as—' the squire pulled out his cambric and wiped his flushed and excited face. 'I give you my word, I never saw such a resemblance. Except that this lady has darker hair; and yes—she is—' again the Squire paused, his consternation only permitting of disconnected ejaculations. 'I never saw anything like it—never. I give you my honour. What does Sir Peter say? He must have noticed it, and gad, it can't be pleasant for him.'

'Sir Peter has been in a collapse of [illegible] and horrified state ever since she entered Scarswood. Oh, yes! he sees it—not a doubt of that.'

'Shadows not seem to frighten Sir Arthur Tregenna, at least,' said Squire Talbot, beginning to recover from his sudden shock. 'And so she is only the governess. I never saw such a resemblance—never in all my life. What would my sister Edith say, I wonder, if she could see it?'

'I don't think it would be safe to let them meet—she's nervous, Edith is—took Katherine's death very deeply to heart.'

Miss Herncastle broke up the tete-a-tete. Sir Arthur had become so interested, so absorbed in his companion and the pictures, as to quite forget the flight of time. Women never forget the [illegible]

Cecil watching her, with a curiously set and interested expression, spoke a few low half-trifling words, and hurried away. Like a man awakening from a dream, she saw Sir Arthur rise. No Lady Cecil ever never succeeded in holding him spell bound in this way, with all your brilliance.

The whole party endeavored to persuade O'Donnell to leave the inn at Castleford and bring his sister to Scarswood. Even Lady Cecil failed in turning him from his obstinacy.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

WANTED
500 MEN TO BUY WATCHES AT W. F. DOLL'S.

5000 men and women with weak and failing eyes to buy [illegible] Morris' Spectacles, [illegible] only by W. F. Doll, sole agent [illegible]

Jewellery in every Line including [illegible] Plated Ware, Colored and Bright Gold Jewellery, Diamond [illegible] Wedding Rings, &c. Also
VIOLINS, ITALIAN STRINGS, &c.

W. F. DOLL.
Markdale, Feb. 23, 1882. 67-ly

HOLLAND COUNCIL

The Council met at Vogan's Hotel for the transaction of general business. The Deputy Reeve in the chair.

The Clerk to notify the Railroad Company to remove fences and make a proper crossing on the continuation of 6 sideroad between the Toronto line and the Garafraxa road.

The report made by the committee appointed to investigate the possibility of making a road through 12 and 13 sideroad was adopted.

The petition with regard to opening 6 and 7 sideroad between the 10th and 12th concessions was laid over for further consideration.

Mr. Hanbury to be refunded $2 on account of statute labor performed.

The road at 50 crossing, as now laid down by the Company's plan, was accepted.

Mr. Anderson to receive $20 for the road taken off his place on lot 56, con. W. T. & S. Road.

John McDonald appointed arbitrator between the union sections of Euphrasia and Holland.

By-law No. 5 was read three times.

This Council granted $50 to help to repair [illegible] at Allen's swamp in case Glenelg grant a similar amount.

PATHMASTERS.—J[illegible] Dudgeon, R. McClure, John [illegible], John McCauley, James [illegible], Adam Shaw, Joseph Byers, Jr., [illegible] Merriam, Jos. Byers, Sr., Wm. Smith, Rich. Creven, Wm. Little, Jas. Gilhooly, Wm. G. Murray, Geo. Sinclair, James Page, John Pears, James Kennedy, Jesse Traffr[illegible], John Mccartney, Alex. Laverty, John M[illegible], Robt Hamill, Arthur Chisn[illegible], John Bain, Jas. Thompson, Duncan Matheson, Wm. Foster, [illegible], Robt. Beatty, John H[illegible], Robt. Price, M. Howey, Mat C[illegible], J. J. Dunbar, Robt. Wewood, W. J. [illegible], Jas. Hammill, Alex, A[illegible], Robert Tur[illegible]ie, William Dickson, Joseph Brown, Wm. Hearn, Wm. Bradley, Jas. Walton, John Walter, George Hughes, R. Olmstead, James [illegible], David Squires, Wm. McIntosh, [illegible] Hamilton, Richard Lyons, James Fraser, Wallace Rose, Moses Searle, [illegible], Freeborn, John Searle, John Gillespie, [illegible] J. Boyd, Jas. Walker, Rich. Swain, Wm. McKay, Richard Clark, [illegible] Anderson, Robt. Clark, [illegible] Carter, George Fleming, [illegible], Robt. Campbell, Joseph Jackson, [illegible], A. Crofton, Richard McKenney, Peter Lowe, A. Freeborn, George Walker, Ed. Downey, [illegible], Frank Troughton, [illegible], Patrick Mathews, Patrick [illegible], Patrick Gilroy, [illegible], Daniel Blaney, F. Barton, Andrew Lowe, Edward Downey, Thomas Armstrong, James Bruce, and David Taylor.

POUNDKEEPERS.—John H. Burchell, James Campbell, Jr., Jas. Wright, Chas. Mathews, [illegible], Jas. Kennedy, Wm. Vogan, Stephen Edmunds, John Bur[illegible], and Thomas Neeley.

FENCEVIEWERS.—Alex. Adams, Jno. Sutherland, Geo. Murray, T. Troughton, Wm. McKay, Jr., James Frazer, James Wright, George Fleming, R. J. Boyd, A. Wilson, Henry Hamilton, Jas. Howey, Wm. George, Jas. Kennedy, James Gamarin, and John Bain.

LIST OF APPEALS.—Wm. Norton, complains of being too highly assessed on land, roll sustained. John McInnes, name changed.

Wallace Stevenson, Anson Stevenson and Joshua Stevenson complained that they were assessed too high on real estate, roll sustained. William Fee, reduced $50. Wm. Foster, reduced $200. Wm. Bradley, reduced $50. John Murray, reduced $50. [illegible], reduced on stock $100. Andrew Mac[illegible], name changed. John Dunbar, name changed. Jas. Bruce, reduced on stock $50. The Court adjourned till the 12th of June, 1882.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

CHATSWORTH.

The new iron bridge at the station was put in position on Sunday.

A pleasant pic-nic was held on the 24th.

Mr. W. Lawrence has sold his hotel to W. H. Armstrong, of Tara.

Large quantities of grain have been coming in during the past two weeks.

It is intended to celebrate Dominion Day here; a programme is being prepared.

Dr. Bennett removed about an inch and a half square out of the lower lip of Mr. Shaw, of Williamsford, on Saturday.

GOLDEN INFORMATION.

A while ago, said Mrs. Dr. A. A. Jordon, 51 [illegible] street, W[illegible], Mr. Mack, one of my friends from the South spoke to me very highly of St. Jacobs Oil. I resolved to try it on my patients, and I must confess that I was surprised at the result. It has never failed to cure all that it claims to, and I prescribe it willingly and confidently to those of my patients who suffer with rheumatism, sprains, and all bodily pains. It is certainly a wonderful remedy, and I can highly recommend it.

Happy is the father whose children are so young that he can delude them [illegible]

NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice BY LETTER (returning the paper does not answer the law,) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

2. Any person who takes a paper from the post office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

3. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00 to 6 25	
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.19 to 1.25	
Fall do. do. do.	1.15 to 1.28	
Barley	0.65 "	0.80
Oats	0.40 "	0.45
Peas	0.74 "	0.75
Potatoes.	0.59 "	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16 "	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0. "	0.12½
Pork, dressed,	7.50 "	8.00
Beef	5.00 "	6.00
Geese per lb.	0.07 "	0.00
Ducks, per pair	0.40 "	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.00 "	0.00
Turkeys, per lb	0.07 "	0.00
Sheepskins	0 60	1 25
Hides	7.25 "	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50 "	3 00
Hay	12.00 "	14 00
Wool	0.22 "	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel	0.75 "	1.00
Lard	0.10 "	0.12
Tallow	0.05 "	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75 "	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15 to	$1.20
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20 to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55 to	.65
Peas " 1	.68 to	.72
Oats " 1	.40 to	.44
Butter " 1	.16 to	.16
Eggs	.to	.12
Potatoes "	.55 to	65
Pork "	7.50 to	7.75
Hay "	7.00 to	10 00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00 to	0.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.19 to	1 25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15 "	1.23
Barley	0.64 "	0.80
Oats	0 40 "	0.45
Peas	0.74 "	0.75
Potatoes	0.59 "	0.64
Butter, per lb.	0.16 "	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0 12½ "	0.00
Pork, dressed.	7 50 "	8.00
Beef	5 00 "	6.00
Sheepskins	0.60 "	1.25
Hides	7 25 "	7.50
Hay	12.0 "	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50 "	3 00
Wool	0.22 "	0.00
Lard	0 10 "	0.12
Tallow	0.05 "	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat fall, per bush	$1 30 to	$1 32
Wheat, spring, do	1 34 to	1 38
Barley, do.	0 88 to	0 93
Oats, do.	0 48 to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82 to	0 85
Rye, do	0 82 to	0 83
Clover Seed do	4 70 to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs	9 50 to	9 75
Beef, hind quarters	5 50 to	7 00
Beef, fore quarters	4 00 to	5 00
Chickens, per pair	0 65 to	0 80
Fowls, do.	45 to	0 50
Ducks, per brace	00 to	0 00
Geese, each	60 to	0 75
Turkeys	1 00 to	2 25
Butter, large rolls	00 to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	to	0 23
Butter, store packed	00 to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 15 to	0 16
[illegible]	0 00 to	0 00
[illegible]	2 50 to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 30 to	1 35
Onions [illegible]	1 20 to	1 2[illegible]
Hay	10 50 to	14 00

Thursday, June 8

MARKDALE.

That Markdale is a thriving little town now goes without saying. Its stores, hotels, and without the least egotism we can say it's newspaper, are in many respects ahead of any place in say Grey of equal size and importance. While this is true, it is equally true that in some little matters, it is behind many villages of little note. Take for instance, the sidewalks of the town, in many cases were traps for the incautious pedestrain. To be sure of journeying from this office to the church in safety, a great portion of the distance has to be covered with careful, cautious feet, lest a grave should suddenly open, and the pedestrian precipitated into—the surgeon's care. Last Sunday we saw three parties thus suddenly open yawning chasms, at their feet. We commend these sidewalks—a reproach to the prosperity of the town—to the attention of the powers that be.

While writing of sidewalks, our thoughts naturally turn to that miserable imitation of a narrow gauge walk leading from the town to the station. Apart from the fact that the walk is bad, and never ought to have been built, in many places the planks are taken up and one is compelled either to take the road or tramp through several inches of mud; in many places the boards have assumed a diagonal position thus rendering it impossible for any one but an accomplished athlete to retain his perpendicular. There is ample room too for one or two more crossings between the gravel and Montgomery's bakery. Let these matters have attention, so the streets of Markdale may be equal, at least, to those in insignificant villages.

But not only in public matters is Markdale behind the times, but also in just a few things in private enterprise. Take, for instance, the vehicle which does duty for a 'omni bus' between the depot and the leading hotel in the village; a little opposition might have a good effect here. Markdale House looks pretty small when viewed by it representative at the depot.

The councillors of the townships joining at Markdale might, with advantage, ride over the roads leading to the town, by first insuring their lives and limbs. The insurance companies would probably loose by their trip.

SPONGERS.

There is a vast amount of selfishness abroad regarding newspapers, people who sponge all their reading and never contribute even a single cent to the support of a local journal, are most liberal in sending half column notices of a wedding or a death in the family for publication, with the request that it be "inserted in next issue." They fancy they have conferred a favor on the poor overworked editor, and modestly request "a few spare copies containing the notice" in return. These innocents would be disposed to question the sanity of an editor were he to request them to send him five dollars worth of goods gratis, or to cultivate and plant an acre of land for the especial benefit of himself and family. Yet the space they often ask for in his paper is worth quite as much to him and is fully as much his bread and butter, as is the farm or business of these generous people.

A commonplace wedding or a funeral may be of considerable interest to just a few people, but when it comes to the point of drawing 4 or 5 cents a copy from those interested, lo! they sing out about "city prices," forgetting that no city paper would take the least notice of them. Rather than spend a cent on a copy of the paper puffing them up, they will haunt all around the town for other people's papers. Worthy people, we don't live on thin air, nor will saw dust pay our debts.

Business is business; people who are anxious to spread either their joys or their woes before the world should always send a $10 bill with the item. We don't care to have anything to do with "Dead Beats" of their class.

DISCOVERY OF A HUMAN SKELETON.

Two brothers named Long lot 4, con. 8, Collingwood township, were startled by discovering the skeleton of a human being under a heap of brush on the side line between lots 3 and 4. The skeleton seemed complete, and there were found with it a coat and vest of a brownish colored tweed, a piece of a red handkerchief, and a pair of shoes. Mr. McColman, Reeve of the township, was informed of the circumstance, and an enquiry will likely be instituted. The slash in which the body was found was cut five years ago, and it is thought it must have laid there since that time.

WHAT WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

The man who understands the Post Office clock.

A few more subscribers.

Those who have received notice to pay up, do so;

And that at once.

A cheese factory in Markdale.

A decent 'bus running to and from the depot.

A trustee, or an inspector, or councillor, or reeve, get caught in the sidewalk man trap.

The boy caught who spoils the shade trees by the sidewalk.

An institution of some kind for the young men of the village.

A tannery in Markdale.

Macs boxes moved off the sidewalk.

ADVICE TO SOME OF OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

Coarse, brown wrapping paper is the best for writing your articles on. If you can tear down an old circus poster, and write on the pasty side of it with a pen stick, it will do still better.

When your article is finished, crunch your paper in your pocket and carry it two or three days before sending it. This rubs off the superfluous pencil marks and makes it lighter to handle.

If you think of it, lose one page out of the middle of your article. We can easily supply what is missing; and we love to do it. We have nothing else to do.

HONOR ROLL.

The following is the May report of the second Division of Markdale public school:—

A class, marks obtainable 600—P. Thibaudeau 474, M. J. Irving 334, W. McFarland 330, N. Kay 308, J. Dundas 306, H. Benson 237, G. Drew 225, M. McLoughry 220, S. Irving 220, W. Dundas 198, R. Douglas 188, M. McNea 183, H. Matthews 138, T. Arnold 128, M. Mercer 108, E. Ford 86, M. Cornwall 84, Lin Richardson 77, F. Richardson 26, W. Rutledge 25, J. Wilson 23.

B class, marks obtainable 500—M. Wilson 374, W. Leslie 368, Ben Coleman 365, M. Stephens 364, H. Large 354, H. Hall 338, H. Smyth 336, B. Benson 205, S McBride 290, F. Bryden 284, M. McNesbitt 282, W. Mathews 270, M. Whitby 270, L. Pollock 269, Ada Reynolds, 250, E. Rutledge, 228, J. Rae 207, E. Hewitt, 207, L. Munshaw 203, M. Mathews 199, M. Lucas, 198, B. Moffatt 192, M. Mabee 170, M. McNea 161, M Noble 144, E. Irving 131, M. Clark 120, H. Hull 111, E. Wilson 94, V. Ford 66, A. Whitby 30. M. Fleming 29.

A farmer who has kept a record of the crop prospects for the last 22 years, told us on Monday that this is the most backward spring during the whole of the time. The pastures are bare, and cattle have to be fed twice a day to keep them in any condition. Many farmers who have no feed, have turned their cattle on to their meadows.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

On and after Monday, 12th June, 1882, trains will run as follows.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.30 a.m.	3.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	0.00 p.m.
Flesher'n&Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	0.00 p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.25
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union St'n	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.35 a.m.	4.35 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9 08 "	6.00 "
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00 "
Mount Forest	12.18 "	8.50 "
Harriston	12.55 "	9.15 "
Teeswater	2.25 "	10.15 "
Dundalk	"	8.04 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.30 "	8 30 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.45 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	9.55 "

A mixed train will also run between Toronto and Owen Sound. See time table.

EDMUND WRAGGE, General Manager.

HOLLAND CENTRE

On June 1st the Methodists held the annual Circuit picnic in a grove hard by this place. The day was not all that could be desired, and consequently the picnic was not as well attended as usual. However, those who came seemed to enjoy themselves. The ladies made ample provision for the noon-day repast, which was greatly enjoyed. After dinner some time was spent in discussing the topic of the day. Groups of old and young were seen sitting or standing, pleasantly talking over matters of private or public interest. Some of young people especially, appeared to have touched on a very charming subject, and were very anxious to improve the "art of conversation." About 3 o'clock the speakers took their position on the platform. J. H. Burchill, Esq., of Massie, was elected chairman, who is always ready to fill such a position, and fills well. The Rev. A. Thomas was the first called to address the meeting, he made a few remarks on the necessity of intellectual and and spiritual development in youth. The Rev. J. Edge, of Chesley was not present, but his place was supplied by Rev. Mr. McLean, (Presbyterian) who succeeded, at events, in moving the risibilities of his audience. Rev. C. V. Lake, of Chatsworth, was then introduced, and gave a stirring speech on the moving questions of the hour, in his own racy and humorous style, which was both amusing, interesting, and instructive. This meeting which was opened with singing and prayer, was closed with singing the Doxology and pronouncing the benediction. After the meeting a few hours were spent in innocent amusement, and the people dispersed all the better for being together.

There are some marks of improvement in the village.

THE MARKDALE CENTANARIAN

It will be remembered that some five or six weeks ago we drew attention in our columns to the case of a Mrs. Montgomery, who was at the point of death and in a state of sheer starvation. Her wants were attended to up to the last by several kind ladies of Markdale. Vengeance was vowed on our devoted heads for publicly stating that Mrs. McKettrick was anything but a dutiful daughter. We knew, however, even then more of Mrs. McKettrick's treatment of her mother than we thought fit to divulge lest sympathy should be diverted from the old lady.

It seems now that Mrs. Montgomery was not Mrs. Montgomery at all. Even the name of the old lady had been changed by her scheming daughter. Her real name was Coulter and she came from Orangeville to Markdale. A daughter of Mrs. Coulter's lives in New York, and although in the position of a domestic servant she has saved quite a large sum of money Mrs. McKettrick, through the instrumentality of a gentleman at Orangeville, regularly sent for money from the sister at New York, on the ground that she (McKettrick) was supporting her mother and could not leave her in order to earn money. The New York daughter regularly sent money to them, and was of opinion that her mother was in really comfortable circumstances. Even since the death of the old lady McKettrick has written in her mother's name (thus adding forgery to her misdeeds) for funds, the letter purporting to be written by old Mrs. Coulter requesting funds for McKettrick, who was devoting herself to her mother in her illness. McKettrick has wisely left the village and is now at Durham, there probably pursuing some little scheming plan whereby without work she may live on the fat of the land.

Penetanquishene, May 29.—About four o'clock this afternoon a fire caught in the old corner known as McGrath's store, which was entirely consumed, together with the dwelling attached, as well as Dr. Gilmor's office and drug store. The wind was blowing fresh at the time, and it was with much difficulty that the fire was prevented from spreading to Mrs. Lemoine's and Mr. Davidson's buildings and sweeping the town. Mr. Wright's dwelling on Robert-street caught fire from flying cinders, but was saved. The furniture of the dwellings was mostly saved. No insurance.

"Woman," says Mr. Eastman, "is a problem." So she is; and thought a problem we can never hope to solve, it is one we shall never, never be willing to give up.

SPAVIN, RING-BONE, ETC., WITH METHODS OF TREATMENT.

(From Farm and Fireside.)

The horse is our noblest domestic animal, perfect in structure, imposing in appearance, full of intelligence and when kindly treated giving in return an affection almost human in its nature, and performing to the last point of endurance the tasks imposed, and we may add is too often subjected to the hardest and harshest usage of any of our animals, and for this reason is the most liable to disease and blemishes.

Many an otherwise valuable horse is disfigured for life and rendered more or less unfit for service by ugly spavins, unsightly ring-bones, splints, etc. Sometimes these difficulties are not of a serious nature, that is, do not lame the horse, or make any material difference in the ability for performing work on the farm but such animals are rendered unsaleable, or if disposed of, it must be at a sacrifice of price. Generally, however, the horse is permanently lamed, unless the cause is removed, which is very seldom—and often entirely ruined for travel or work.

Spavins are most generally produced by a strain or overwork in drawing. The bony excrescence or substance of which it is composed will grow quite fast and sometimes gives the appearance of an enlarged joint, and unless attended to in season will soon become difficult to manage. Many remedies have been devised for this difficulty, but usually with very indifferent success. Blistering is generally resorted to when anything is attempted, and will in some cases, when properly performed, stop the growth of the spavin but will not remove the bunch already formed or cure the lameness, besides the process is a painful one producing soreness and rendering the horse more or less unfit for service.

Some four years ago Dr. B. J. Kendall of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., having a horse troubled with spavin tried blistering to cure it. The operation appeared so painful and unsatisfactory that it was abandoned with the belief that a remedy less torturing in its application and more certain in its effect might be devised. Accordingly the Doctor set himself to work, and being a practical physician and druggist, succeeded in preparing a remedy that since its introduction to public notice, has achieved a success that is of the most satisfactory character. About three years since, hearing of several cases where "Kendall's Spavin Cure," as the remedy is termed, had been used with good effect, I took some pains to ascertain the facts in the case, and reported the same for several of our leading agricultural journals. I give a few instances to which I am personally knowing. Mr. R. A. Gaines, of Berkshire, Vt., owned a valuable horse having a spavin of the size of a hen's egg, and producing severe lameness. After trying the usual remedies with no effect, learning of "Kendall's Spavin Cure," a bottle was obtained and used according to directions. The application produced no blistering, did not appear to be painful, and left no scar or callous. A one dollar bottle was used and it cured the spavin, stopping the lameness and removing the bunch. I examined the legs carefully and could find no difference in the size of the joints, and could not tell upon which the spavin was located. The horse has been worked hard since and upon examining him the second time a while since, after an interval of three or four years, was pleased to find no return of the difficulty in any shape or manner; one leg is as sound and perfect to all appearance as the other.

Mr. N. F. Weld, also of Berkshire, Vt., treated a bad case of spavin with this remedy and in six weeks the lameness was gone, the bunch nearly removed and he considered the horse cured. There has been no return of the difficulty since, although the horse has been worked hard. A. A. Simpkins of West Enosburgh, Vt., has had an experience similar to the above, and others might be given, but these may be considered sufficient to establish the fact of the curative powers of this remedy, and also, which is equally important, the permanence of the cure; the relief afforded being not temporary, but lasting in effect. Equal success has been had with "Kendall Spavin Cure" in the treatment of splints, curb, ring-bone, bruises, strains of different kinds, callous, etc. I wish to call particular attention to this as a humane method of treatment, the remedy, while it is efficient in operation yet does not produce pain or soreness, as is the case with most applications. This feature is deserving of notice and is receiving commendation from many prominent gentlemen in this country, among whom I would mention Mr. Charles A. Currier, special agent for the Massachusetts society for the prevention of cruelty to animals, Boston, Massachusetts, and others.

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West Berkshire, Vt.

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The American Agriculturist for June is an unusually good number of this always valuable Journal. It contains a large number of articles giving practically useful information for the work of the season—just what every one needs now—with 72 illustrative engravings, several of which are very fine, such as the portrait of a Clydesdale Horse, Summer Scene, etc. A sharp exposure of the so-called "Bessarabia Corn" and the "New York Agriculturist" will attract the attention of numerous victims. The sundry humbugs chapter is quite full. Cottage Cheese; Lameness in Horses; Wooing of the wild Turkey; Pig House Furniture; Laws about cattle in the highways, proper time to cut Grass; Grooming Horses; Poultry houses; Wastes of country Houses; Farmers' Book Clubs; Our Daily Bread; a Prize plan for a country House costing $600 to $800, etc. Various Insects of the Garden; the Doctor's talks of flowers; the full household and Children' Departments, and many other articles, make up this number. $1.50 a year; 15 cts, a number.—Orange judd Co.' New York, Publishers.

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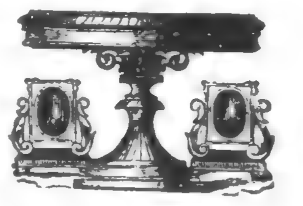

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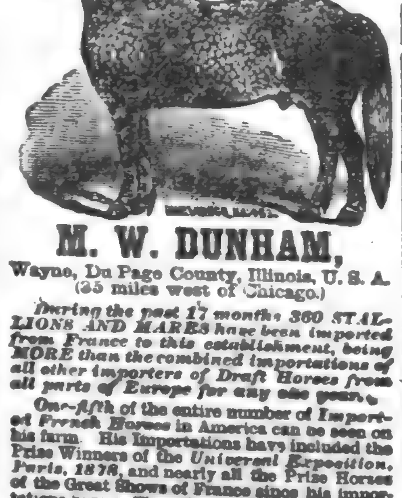

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday June 8th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Grey county council meet this week at Wiarton.

Dufferin county council this week at Orangeville.

... F. Doll has returned from New ... with a big stock of watches.

Cooking Stove for sale—cheap. ... to Mr. Thos. Henry. STANDARD office.

300,000 pine laths for sale at Mc... Factory, Markdale, also 300,000 ...

Mr Doll informs us he has sold ... $300 worth of watches since his ... from New York.

Mr. M... will not be in Markdale ... owing to Division Court in Flesherton and Chatsworth.

... the intention of the G. N. ... Company to place a new boat ... in place of the *Mani*...

... is drawn the new ... time table in another column. ... the full time table in ... week.

Tenders are asked for in another ... for the erection of a frame ... House in S. S. 15, Tp. Euphrasia.

... and Carlisle's Novelty Com... night's entertainment ... Monday evening next. ... posters.

... McRea, late of Priceville, ... trout at Wiarton two ... which weighed 43½lbs. ... and beheaded.

... "Treatise on the ... Diseases" may be had ... office, or free to ... pay in advance.

... that the "Kendall ... now sold by all of ... druggists and a ... prominent retail ...

... council met this week ... The gravel road ... laying of the county ... of the most interesting ...

... man told his daughter ... learned to work he would ... She learned the art, ... her by discharging ...

... last week of the con... we inadvertently ... of Mrs Richardson ... a song, which ...

... Donaldson of Holland ... a cow from Charles ... The cow has ... two heifer calves. ... for the notice of ...

... is confined to his bed, ... yesterday ... was a decided im... He may ... Winnipeg but he ... Ross on the ...

... put it thus:— ... with the editor ... Standard. He is ... in this region ...

... Dyspep... and cur... of Dr. C...'s Stomach ... Try them. ... Sold by ... & Co. ...

... the electors of ... Grey will be ... 14th inst. The ...

... that there will be an ...

... good horses will ... Mr. Towle's letter in ... Spavin, ring-bone, ... of treatment. We ... Mr. Towle is one of ... cultural writers in Ver... his investigations ... will be of great benefit ...

... weather is trying to the ... it more liable to dis... preventative of sickness ... Stomach and Con... They purify the ... Bitters Stomach and ... and give tone and ... system. Price 50 cts. ... druggists. A. Turner ... Markdale.

... of several individu... fever, which recently ... largely in a Western ... traced to the fact ... an excellent ... the use of Dr. Ca... Constipation Bit... is purely vegeta... and may be had of ... 50 cents. A. Tur... Markdale.

The ... Christ Church, Mark... "on the war path" ... samples of views of the English ... and exterior. They ... of views of the ... from the studio of Mr J. L. ... outside view, especially ... is a gem of art, and ... views, notably that of the ... 3 cents is the ... at which they are ...

... has been rewarded ... his duty on the T. G. &B. It ... be remembered that a short time ... a fire occurred on the track a lit... Markdale. It occurred on ... of May, and was discovered ... sectionman named Jas. Gauley, ... promptly reported the matter at Markdale station. The train, which ... to cross the burned cul... was stopped and the line repair... only loss to the passen... the loss of time. The rail... company have very liberally come forward and presented Gauley with the sum of $10 for his exertions and forethought in so promptly reporting the fire and preventing an accident. This is an encouragement to the line men to do their duty to the very ut...

BIG FISH IN THE SAUGEEN.

Last Wednesday week, as Mr W. Benson, of this town, was out fishing on Ford's mill pond, he hooked an enormous fish of some peculiar species which gave the line a powerful jerk, bringing the fisherman into about ten feet of water, and, what is more strange still, caught Mr B. by the foot, and it was only by superhuman efforts that he extricated himself from the monster's grasp. It must have been the King of fishes in our waters.

FLESHERTON CHEESE FACTORY.

Mr. Garrett, the originator of the Cheese Factory, has furnished us with some very interesting information relative to the manufacture of cheese, it having been asserted that it would be more profitable for the farmer to keep his milk for making butter, than by having it made into cheese. It is more profitable for the farmer to send his milk to the factory to be made into cheese, because :—

First,—In the six summer months an ordinary cow will give 3000 lb. of milk.

Second,—3000 lb. of milk will make 300 lb. of cheese and 112 lb. of butter.

Third,—The average price of butter is 16 cents per lb. and the average price of cheese is 10 cents per lb.

Fourth,—Therefore, the milk of an ordinary cow, for six months, if made into butter will bring the farmer $17 92, and if made into cheese, will bring him $30, or expenses paid, $27 thus showing a clear gain in favor of the cheese of $9.08!—*Advance.*

It is worthy the attention of some enterprising individual or individuals, the establishment in Markdale of a cheese factory. Such an establishment would pay well here. The farmers are becoming more than ever alive to the fact that cheese made in factories pays better than the home manufacture of butter.

GRAND EXCURSION TO TORONTO FROM MARKDALE.

The management of the Christ Church Sunday School, Markdale, has organized what cannot fail to be a grand excursion to the metropolis of Ontario—the foremost city in the Dominion of Canada. The trip will take place on Friday, the 16th June, and will be run on the new time table—16 minutes earlier than present time. This must be borne in mind lest on driving up at 6:45 it will be discovered that the train is a long way on the road. Remember then 6:29. It has been arranged so that just six hours can be spent in Toronto, the longest time ever possible for a Grey resident to spend in Toronto in one day and yet go up and down the line in the same day. The train returns in good time for the people from the country to get home at a decent hour. It will arrive here at 8:45. The comfort of the passengers will be duly looked after by the committee, who will do all in their power to make the day as enjoyable as possible. Special arrangements have been made to visit the Zoo, where will be found the best collection wild beasts, birds, reptiles, &c., in the Dominion. Among the latest arrivals at the Zoo are the following: A garter snake, pair of high holders, three bear cubs, two pair of pea fowl, and a peacock. A tank has been constructed for the alligator, and the reptile is enjoying himself rather better than when he was confined in a box. Here too is the whale—not the one which swallowed Jonah—though thousands have proved their knowledge of Biblical history by talking of Jonah and the whale in the Zoo since the arrival of the huge fish. The size of the whale may be imagined when we say that some 25 or 30 children have sat within the jaws of the leviathan. The committee will render all possible information respecting the trip. We feel sure a great many will take advantage of it to visit the great city of the Dominion.

The tickets are also available from Flesherton.

For further particulars see the adv. on this page.

THE RECENT DROWNING ACCIDENT AT CULLEN'S LAKE.

Last week we gave a more extensive account of the drowning accident at Cullen's lake, than other papers, and we are now able to give a short sketch of the accident by which N. B. Grier, Esq., merchant, of Priceville, came to an untimely end.

On the 30th ult., Mr. Grier, accompanied by his little son of ten or twelve summers and Mr S. Scott, of Glenelg, went to Cullen's lake, and obtained the use of a skiff, or punt, for a day's fishing. All went well until about 4 o'clock in the afternoon, when from some unexplained cause the boat gave a sudden lurch and upset the occupants into the water. Mr. Scott shouted to Mr. Grier to make for the shore, while he righted the boat and assisted young Grier in getting into it, while he himself caught hold of the stern of the skiff and slowly drifted with the wind to shore. He was nearly two hours in the water.

In a short time a large number of men assembled, and not for some time was it known that Mr. Grier's body was missing. Mr. Scott seems to have taken it for granted that Grier escaped safely to shore. On the arrival of the crowd, however, it was clear that Mr. Grier had in some manner failed to reach a safe landing, and at once upon a few hastily constructed rafts the search was made and kept up the entire night by the light of lanterns and torches, still, it was not until the following day about 3 o'clock, that the body was found, partially wedged between some debris and fallen timber which surrounds the shores of this lake; it was only a few feet from the shore. The body was placed on a hastily constructed bier, and conveyed to Mr. McAlear's hotel, at Flesherton station, where the Coroner pronounced an inquest unnecessary.

The cause of the accident is supposed to arise from the fact that the boat leaked badly, and required to be frequently bailed out. Doubtless, in the excitement of fishing this was neglected, and the least change of position from one side of the boat to the other caused the accumulated water in the boat to rush to one side, and being a class of boats as easily capsized as a birch-bark canoe, we believe this was the real cause of the catastrophe.

The funeral took place on Saturday, attended by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends of the deceased. This melancholy event has cast a deep shadow of gloom over the entire community, and we join with them in offering our condolence to the bereaved family.

Dundalk.

The wife of C. Manchs has given birth to a son.

The coming election is the general topic of conversation.

Mr. Crawford, of Owen Sound, is married to Miss Rebecca Johnston, of Melancthon.

G. R. Middleton is excavating his cellar in preparation for the building of his new store.

Wm. Nelson, merchant, has sold nearly all his goods. Many bargains have been given.

A large number from Dundalk attended the American circus in Orangevill, Tuesday last.

Dundalk is to have a brass band. We wish the promoters success. A brass band will enliven the village.

The late rains have been of great value to this section of the country, we have an excellent growth. Good prospects for the hay crop.

Our township council had a large amount of business to attend to last Monday. They sat deliberating upon the affairs of our township for fourteen hours.

We notice tenders called for the building of the agricultural hall, and for fencing the grounds. The matter is placed in the hands of an efficient committee.

EUGENIA.

Late backward spring.

The leaves on the trees are late in budding into full leaf.

Every appearance of an abundant crop of fruit. Peaches are a failure this year.

Mr. John Plewis, miller, Kimberley, is all there. It pays to get good flour in any family.

Will some one explain why our speckled trout are disappearing every year, it cannot be on account of the number caught. Where is the Game and Fish protection Society that was organized a short time since? or have we a fishery inspector? perhaps he might enlighten us somewhat.

PROTON COUNCIL.

Proton Council met as adjourned Court of Revision for final revision of Assessment Roll and general business at McDowell's hotel, Dundalk, on the 2nd June.

Members all present.

The following changes were made in the Assessment Roll:

Lot 19, con. 8, valuation $950, to James McKennall as tenant; lot 15, con. 14, valuation $700, to John Brown as tenant; lot 17, con. 16, valuation $700, to William McNalty as tenant; lot 21, con. 17, valuation $400, to James Moody as tenant; lot 13, con. 8, valuation $350, to John G. Peer as tenant; lots 21 and 22, con. 10, valuation $650 each, to Robt. and John Ringland, joint owners, and William Ringland, farmer's son.

In the village of Dundalk: Lots 34 and 35, blk. H, $30 each, Geo. Scott, owner; lot 7, blk. B 4, blk. E, $30 each, and lots 11 and 12, Main St., McConnell's survey, $80 each, John Little, owner; lots 1 and 2, blk. G, $30 each, Allan Henderson, owner; blk. G, $50, 12 and 13, $30 each, Patrick Connors, owner; lots in blk. H, $60, to Duncan McMelan; 9 blk. I, $100, G. H. Middleton, tenant; pt. lot 1, south of T. G. & B. Railway, Thos. and Peter Glazier, tenants; 13, 14, and 15, west T. G. & B. Railway, John Gilmore, owner; 25, n. e. T. G. & B. Railway, McAuley's survey, Robert Montgomery, owner; pt. 231, west Main street, $200, Robert Black, tenant; 35, McAuley's survey, $100, James Deans, owner; 30, blk. H, $30, A. G. Hunter, owner; 229, 3rd range, $600, A. G. Hunter, owner; 220, 3rd range, $400, John Allan, owner; McCullough's Hotel, Charles and Samuel McDowell, joint owners; Thomas Robinson to be taken off as farmer's son, being assessed for lot 218, range 4. Carried.

The Assessment Roll was then finally passed and certified to.

An order was issued in favor of the Clerk for one quarter's salary to July 1st.

The account of C. W. Rutledge, for printing, amount $18.90, was ordered to be paid.

Wm. Ferguson, P. S. Inspector, was paid $5.60 for services as referee of U. S. S. No. 10, Luther, Proton and Arthur.

The pay-sheet presented to Council by W. F. B. Howlett, Engineer, engaged in drainage survey, S. S. No. 1, Proton, (amount $44 60) on behalf of self and others employed, was ordered to be paid.

The Reeve issued order for $[illegible] in favor of T. G. Brougth, Sec.-Treas. S. S. No. 12, as per resolution of Council.

John McMurdo, Tp. Assessor, was paid his salary, $75, and $5 for postage and other expenses.

A grant of $10 was ordered to be expended on 17th sideroad, con. 8 to 11.

A grant of $20 was made to improve the line from side road 210 to 220.

A grant of $10 was given the line on the 2nd and 3rd cons., opposite lot 28.

One hundred dollars was given to improve the 22nd sideroad from 11th to 6th cons.

Fifty dollars was granted on 37 sideroad from 12th to 6th cons.

A grant of $75 was made on 37th sideroad from 7th con. to towline.

Thomas Mulhall, lot 22, con. 6, was allowed to become a separate school supporter, he having become tenant for said lot and being a Roman Catholic.

The Councillor of Division 3 was instructed to let the job of building a bridge over Saugeen River on 12th sideroad

The Reeve and Deputy-Reeve were appointed a committee to inspect the bridge on boundary line of Luther and Proton with view of rebuilding same, to report to Council at its next meeting; also the Council of E. Luther be requested to meet the above committee on a date to be fixed.

The Clerk to notify Dan'l Ferguson to remove the fence off the road allowance opposite lots 1 and 2, con. 19, and Hugh Wilson, pathmaster of the beat was instructed to have the said fence removed.

The Council adjourned to meet at Cedarville on the first Tuesday (4th) July, at 10 a. m.

JAS. CAVANAGH, Tp. Clerk.

Dufferin Hall
COMING.
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NOVELTY CO.
Monday Next.
Admission, 25c. & 35c.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and addressed "Tender for School House," will be received at his residence, Lot No. 2, Con. 11, Township of Euphrasia, until Saturday, the 17th day of June, up to 6 o'clock p. m., for the erection of a frame School House for School Section No. 15, Township of Euphrasia.

Plans and specifications may be seen and other information had at the residence of James Stinson, Esq., Lot No. 6, Con. 11, Township of Euphrasia. The Trustees will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order of the Trustees,
JAMES STRUTHERS, Sec'y.
Euphrasia, June 6th, 1882. 20-1

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CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!
with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Cresting for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.
MOFFAT BROS.
Markdale, Nov. 1881. 13-ly

And don't U forget it
But remember the GRAND
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TO
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$1.25
From Markdale & Flesherton,
In aid of Christ Church Sunday School, Markdale, and St. Mary's Sunday School, Maxwell, on
FRIDAY, JUNE 16, 1882,
Leaves Markdale 6.29, Flesherton 6.48, arriving Toronto 10.35, returning from Toronto 4.35, sharp, arriving at Flesherton 8.30, Markdale 8.45.
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SIX Hours in Toronto.
TICKETS for Double Journey $1 25; Children under 15, 60 cents; may be had at Markdale at Mr. A. Turner's Drug Store; at Maxwell from Mr W. B. Hamlin; and at Flesherton at Mr Fawcett's, Advance Office.
Tickets may also be had at the Stations on the morning of the Excursion.
Special arrangements have been made to visit
THE ZOO!
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All First Class Coaches.
Markdale, June 6, 1882.

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It supplies the natural food and color to the hair glands without staining the skin. It will increase and thicken the growth of the hair, prevent its blanching and falling off, and thus AVERT BALDNESS.
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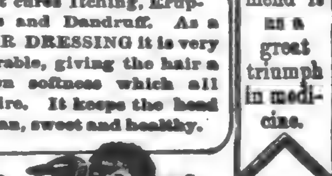

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple VEGETABLE BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., ... 5 Beekman st., N. Y.

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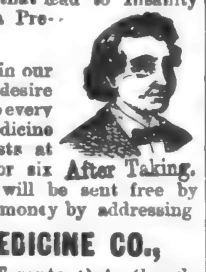

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Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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We can start in addition to our already large force
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And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been. If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.
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Will ADDRESS the ELECTORS of East Grey as under:

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John Gardiner, Dundalk, continues to astonish the natives with low prices for Hardware.

It will pay you to give him a call, examine Goods, and get prices.

SEEDS!
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FOR ALL KINDS OF
Field, Flower & Garden Seeds
GO TO THE
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IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.
I have just purchased a large stock of all kinds of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds direct from the oldest and most reliable dealers in Canada, and can safely recommend them. Farmers will do well to come and inspect my stock. I believe I have the largest variety of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds ever imported into Dundalk. Don't fail to call.
Yours truly,
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At Shortest Notice.
Orders by Mail or Wire promptly executed.
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Look out for bad twenty-five cent pieces.

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It is said that at a recent Fenian meeting in London the hope was expressed that Gladstone would be the next to be assassinated, an expression which was applauded.

No person can enjoy health while a living Constipation of the Bowels. Harsh Purgatives always do harm. Burdock Blood Bitters is Nature's own Cathartic. It regulates, purifies, and strengthens the system. Trial bottle 10 cents.

If some Irish [illegible] men should go as long without eating as they do without advertising, their stomachs would no doubt be in as dormant a condition as their busines.

Many suffer from supposed Organic disease of the heart, when the trouble is only an irregularity in the circulation of the vital fluids, which Burdock Blood Bitters can promptly remedy. Trial bottle 10 cents.

That prophet of evil, Mr. Vennor, is at it again. He now predicts a stormy fall and a severe and early winter. He might at least have had the decency to wait until we had some summer, [illegible] is that we shall [illegible] any more reasonable weather until the people rise in their wrath and destroy him.

If you would have a clear complexion, [illegible] Blotches, Pimples, Boils and all foul humors, purify and regulate [illegible] Liver, Kidneys, and Bowels with Burdock Blood Bitters. Trial bottle 10 cents.

A wild cat [illegible] sheep fold near Lucknow, on Thursday [illegible] week, and killed two lambs, seriously wounded two others, and handled a valuable Southdown ewe so roughly that it died soon after. Farmers should be on the lookout for these gentry.

Do not take [illegible] Whiskey Bitters [illegible] only [illegible] Burdock Blood Bitters [illegible] tones up the system. Sample bottle 10 cents.

A country clergyman [illegible] a small salary, speaking of [illegible] visitors and the trouble and expense they entailed upon him, said: "There was the Rev. Mr. Y., who came here last summer. He wanted to see a slate quarry, and I took him there [illegible] about getting dizzy but he [illegible] fell [illegible] forty feet." Did it kill him? [illegible] listener. "Well, it would have," said the narrator, "if he had not been a hard shell Baptist."

[illegible]

[illegible] a boy named [illegible] been ridden on before [illegible] the boy got on he was [illegible] kill it. He was thrown as he turned a sharp turn in the lane. Those that saw him fall thought he was killed, but when they came up to him he was standing up [illegible] bridle. No bones broken. [illegible]

In the spring of the year almost every one requires a good Blood Purifier, more especially in the month of May. We would earnestly advise our readers to try Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. A few doses will soon convince you that it is the best remedy known for affections of the Stomach, Bowels, Liver, and Kidneys. In large bottles at 50 cents. A. Turner and Co. Special Agents, Markdale.

The celebrated entire horse, Lord Byron, is traveling through this section this season. He is the best province bred blood stallion [illegible] county and is a perfect model of symmetrical beauty, speed and durability. At the Maxwell races last Dominion Day, he distanced all competitors in a single dash; and was the only horse that could compete with Mr. Hunnah's thoroughbred "King George" at East Grey Agricultural Exhibition last fall.

Rev. J. Scott of Owen Sound, returned on Tuesday evening from a sojourn of three months in the sunny south. There is a vast difference between the climate of Florida and that of Ontario, as well as the productions of the land. There they have green peas throughout the winter season, strawberries since 1st February, the peaches are now ripe and the grain harvest is over. Mr. Scott presented us with an orange wood cane direct from Florida. We hope to be able to give further notes shortly.

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Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

FROM THE ONEONTA PRESS, N.Y.

Oneonta, New York, Jan. 6th, 1881.

Early [illegible] summer Messrs. J. B. Kendall & Co., of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., made a contract with the publishers of the *Press* for a half-column advertisement for one year setting forth the merits of Kendall's Spavin Cure. [illegible] time we secured from [illegible] of books, entitled Dr. [illegible] on the Horse and his Diseases [illegible] to advance paying subscribers [illegible] *Press* [illegible] premium.

After [illegible] advertisement first appeared [illegible] Mr. P. G. Severine [illegible] spavined horse. [illegible] concluded to [illegible] the efficacy of the remedy, although [illegible] his credulity. He bought [illegible] of Kendall's Spavin Cure and [illegible] horse in accordance [illegible] the informed us [illegible] complete [illegible] who examined the animal recently could find no trace of the spavin or the place where it had been located. Mr. Severine, [illegible] has since secured a copy of Kendall's Treatise of the Horse and his Diseases, which he prizes very highly and would be loth to part with at any price, provided he could not obtain another copy. So [illegible] for advertising reliable articles.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

[illegible] Hamburg, Ont., Dec. 28th, 1881.

[illegible] F. H. McCallum, Dear Sir:—The bottle Dr. Kendall's Spavin Cure bought of [illegible] the utmost satisfaction [illegible] a wonderful cure upon [illegible] was [illegible] for [illegible] years. She [illegible] entirely gone after [illegible] of the cure, and she is [illegible]

[illegible] truly,

J. [illegible]

FROM A

PROMINENT PHYSICIAN.

[illegible] Ohio, June 17th 1880.

Dr. J. B. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Reading your advertisement in Turf, Field and Farm, of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and having a valuable and speedy horse which had been lame from spavin for eighteen months, I sent to you for a bottle by express, which in six weeks removed all lameness and enlargement and a large splint from another horse and both horses are to day as sound as colts. The one bottle was worth to me one hundred dollars.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. BERTOLETT, M. D.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

Thousands of trials on human flesh has proved beyond a doubt that "KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE" has sufficient strength to penetrate and virtue to cure the worst cases of rheumatism, corns, bunyons, frost-bites, or any bruise, cut or lameness which are not affected in the least by ordinary liniments. It does not blister but on the contrary [illegible]

St. Johns, P.Q., Oct. 27th, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—About a year ago I fell in the road onto the ice and was [illegible] hurt in the hip joint, which caused me to [illegible] suffering. I tried various remedies [illegible] relief, until I used Kendall's Spavin Cure. I applied it full strength twice a day for two weeks during last October [illegible] I have since then been well and free from lameness. It is very valuable for man as well as beast.

Yours truly,

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Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Is sure in its effects, mild in its actions as it does not blister, yet it is penetrating and powerful to reach every deep seated pain or to remove any bony growth or other enlargements, such as spavins, splints, curbs, ringbones, callous, swellings and any lameness and all enlargements of the joints or limbs, or for rheumatism in man or for any purpose for which a liniment is used for man or beast. It is now known to be the best liniment for man ever used, acting mild and yet certain in its effects.

Send address for illustrated circular which we think gives positive proof of its virtue. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All Druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors, DR. B. J. KENDALL & CO., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

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Load Lifting Machine

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It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

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NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

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which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1 3m

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

Robt. S Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

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Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1ly.

1882. SPRING 1882.

Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

—AT THE—

TORONTO HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Wm BROWN.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882.

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of this is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

Sydenham Street, Markdale.

Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRING & SUMMER Goods

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Muslins,

All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

Scotch and West of England Tweeds,

Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

Denims, Oxford Shirtings,

A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS IN ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC. HENRY FOSTER.

MARKDALE.

MARKDALE HOUSE

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL [illegible] large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 46

SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS!

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass Tares, &c

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods.

Pure Drugs & Chemicals. Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH, DOORS, BLINDS, MOULDINGS, HOLLOW BATTONS, [illegible]

Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will [illegible] full stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED [illegible]

THOS. McNEA

Markdale May 27th, 1881.

OH, HEAR, OH, HEAR, OH, HEAR.

[illegible]

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures and [illegible]

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and [illegible] Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at remarkably low prices, [illegible] secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and leave them to be framed.

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 29, 1881. 67-tf.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

WM. HOGG.

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PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

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Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c.

OFFICE Medical Hall; residence Markdale House.

Markdale, Sept 17, 1880.

Legal.

JOHN B. McMILLAN,

ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IS ready for attention [illegible] business. Office—at Kay's Hotel [illegible]

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881.

Frost & Frost.

BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, &c., &c., Owen Sound, have [illegible] Flesherton, Office open every Thursday as heretofore.

ALFRED FROST. J. W. FROST [illegible]

County Crown Attorney.

J. MASSON.

BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. [illegible] in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer &c.

MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT.

Offices—Owen Sound, in Vickers' [illegible] Poulett St.; and in Markdale, over [illegible]'s Store, on Friday and Saturday [illegible] week.

Creasor & Morrison.

BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYANCERS, &c. &c.

OFFICES in Owen Sound, Dufferin [illegible] over W. F. Wolfe's Store and in

MARKDALE

Over W. J. McFarland's Store on Thursday and Friday of each week.

Funds to lend on reasonable terms.

JOHN CREASOR, Q. C. [illegible]

Markdale, March 15, 1882.

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown.

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Commissioner in B. R. [illegible] Conveyancing in all its branches [illegible] attended to and carefully executed.

N. B.—Money to Lend on Real [illegible] security.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880.

Alexander Brown.

ISSUER of Marriage Licenses [illegible] Life Insurance Agent [illegible] in B. R. &c. Conveyancer [illegible] Auctioneer for the County of Grey [illegible] Merchants, and Land Sales [illegible] attended to and charges moderate.

Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

R. M. Galbraith.

AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL Agent, Williamsford [illegible] Sales attended in all parts [illegible] Goods sold on commission. [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines [illegible] Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machines of all kinds on sale.

Williamsford, Jan. 27, 18[illegible]

T. E. DAVIS.

BUILDER & CONTRACTOR [illegible] Brick). After completing [illegible] this season is still on the [illegible] prepared to do all kinds of stone work, plastering and [illegible] who contemplate building will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Residence corner of Brown and [illegible] Streets, MARKDALE. 16

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL

MARKDALE.

T. SPROULE, - Proprietor

THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly [illegible] and is now second to none [illegible] Good stabling and attentive [illegible] class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day.

SEEING IS BELIEVING

GENTLEMEN,

If you want [illegible]

Buggie or Wagon

call at

McKENNA & MASON'S

CARRIAGE WORKS

MARKDALE.

They can supply you with anything from a Lumber Wagon up to an Extension Top Phaeton

To buy from them is to

SAVE MONEY

They are both practical workmen and employ none but

PRACTICAL WORKMEN

They guarantee their work Second to none for Lightness of Draft and Superiority of Finish.

They use nothing but First-class White Oak for Wagons, and thrice Extra Second Growth Hickory for light work.

The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is proof of the wide reputation they have for doing good work.

The BEST is THE CHEAPEST [illegible] Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriages.

Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay)

HORSESHOEING

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite Sproule's Hotel.

McKENNA & MASON

DS!

SEEDS

Garden Seeds

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

Chemicals.
d Tobacco.

Medical Hall.

d Oil Cake just received

ALE
or Factory

Shingles

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BULMER.

CARDED

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H. PETERSON.

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... Medical Hall; residence at ...
... 17, 1880. 1-y

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JOHN B. McMILLAN,
... AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ... tending to all kinds of law ... at Kay's Hotel.
... Dec. 2nd, 1881. 61.

Frost & Frost,
... AND ATTORNEYS-AT ... Solicitors in Chancery, Convey... Owen Sound, have resumed at ... Office open every Thursday, as ...
J. W. FROST, LL. B.
... Attorney. 1

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... MASTER AND DEP. REG ... Notary Public, Conveyan...
TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT.
... Sound, in Vicker's Block ... in Markdale, over McFar... Friday and Saturday every ...
57-ly

... & Morrison,
... SOLICITORS, CONVEY... &c.
... Owen Sound, Dufferin Block. ... Store and in
MARKDALE.
... Farland's Store on Thursday ... week.
... on reasonable terms.
... D... MORRISON
... 15, 1882 79-ly

Miscellaneous.

... Brown,
... MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c ... B. Rose. ... branches promptly ... executed. ... on Real Estate se...
... 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown,
... Licenses, Fire and ... Agent. Commissioner ... Conveyancer and Licensed ... County of Grey. Farmers, ... Sales, Punctually at... made very moderate.
... 1880. 1-y

... Galbraith,
... AND GENERAL LAND ... Station. Auction ... all parts of the County. ... mission. Rates moderate. ... and Sewing Machines; also ... Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricul... ments, and Machinery of all ...
... Jan. 27, 1881.

... DAVIS,
... CONTRACTOR, (Stone and ... After completing 13 buildings ... on the track and is still ... kinds of stone and brick ... and tuck pointing. Those ... building will find it to their ... him a call.
... Brown and Sproule
16-y

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Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) in
HORSESHOEING
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.
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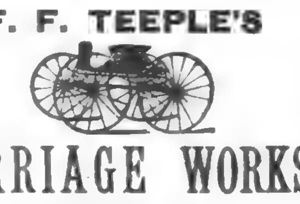
Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANKERS,
Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
WM. LUCAS, Manager.
Spetember 23, 1880. 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S



CARRIAGE WORKS,
DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB-SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
ON
Every Working Day,
By Thomas Smith.
☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes and Stamps provided.
GEO. NOBLE.
MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

$2 Watches, stem winders $3.50. White metal Hunting Case $5. Imitation gold $6. Solid gold $12. Cheapest and best for your own use or speculative purposes. Valuable catalogue free. THOMPSON & CO. 733 Nassau St. New York.

Joseph Gibson,
PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL
PLASTERER,
WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING
in Shades and Colors.
All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.
Markdale P.O.
87-113

Notice.

I hereby forbid all parties trusting or harbouring my wife, FLORA BAXTER, as she has left my bed and board without any just cause, and I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her.
WILLIAM H. BAXTER.
Glenelg, May 6, 1882. 87-90.

T. B. Gilliland,
PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,
EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention.
86 100.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

$66 a week in your own town $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

SALESMEN WANTED.

To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the
Fonthill Nurseries,
THE
LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.
BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL, P. Q., and ST. PAUL, MINN.

NURSERIES, FONTHILL, ONT.

We can start in addition to our already large force
100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been. If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.
Apply to
STONE & WELLINGTON,
Nurserymen, Toronto, Ont.
80-105

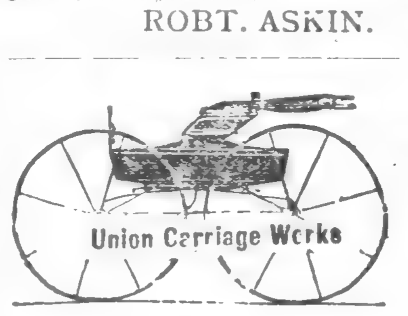
THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of
GOOD PHOTOS
To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be
Suited as they never were Before

☞ All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,
—AND—
MODERATE PRICES.
Is his motto.
All the Popular Styles made by
J. L. BROWNE,
Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

ROBT. ASKIN,
MARKDALE,
Has opened out a First-Class
Furniture!
—AND—
UNDERTKING ESTABLISHMENT,
And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
supplied on the shortes notice.
A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.
FURNITURE!
From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.



Union Carriage Works.

All work manufactured from
FIRST CLASS MATERIAL
In the Latest and Best Improved
Style, and finished with
English Varnish.

Painting & Trimming Rigs
will receive prompt attention.

All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside
D. J. SHANAHAN,
Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

WANTED.

5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T. G. & B. Railway, $3 25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to
D. L. VAN VLOCK,
P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.
March 25, 1882 80-101

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephone and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms, EDISON MUSIC CO., 929 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa. 88-6m.

REST AND COMFORT TO THE SUFFERING
Brown's Household Panacea
has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 38-ly

NEW STOCK

The subscriber has just purchased a New Stock of
Liquors,
Of the best brands. Liquor in its purity is a ... I hope now ... a quality of
Wine,
Rum,
Brandy &
Whisky
Which cannot be equalled in Markdale.

My Brand cannot be excelled this side Toronto.

Those wishing a pure Wine for Communion Service will please give me a call.

Teas Coffees,
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,
PORK,
And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.
WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, May 24st, 1882. 5

GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 3 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.
Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

EUGENIA
Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made extensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.
GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.
Chopping one Every Day.
Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.
LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.
Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.
69ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau stree New York. 20

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to
Guard Against Sickness!
Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your
BOOTS!
—FROM—
KAY & THOMAS.
Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

THOS. MATHEWS,
HarnesS EstablishmenT!
MARKDALE.
EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.
LIVERY!
IN CONNECTION.

MARKDALE
Meat Market.
A constant supply of
Fresh Meats!
on hand, at the
Lowest Living Prices
Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.
Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.
TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.
FRED. SARJEANT.
Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80-ly

FOR
RHEUMATISM,
Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains,
Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals ST. JACOBS OIL as a safe, sure, simple and cheap External Remedy. A trial entails but the comparatively trifling outlay of 50 Cents, and every one suffering with pain can have cheap and positive proof of its claims.
Directions in Eleven Languages.
SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.
A. VOGELER & CO.,
Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

Bull Notice.

MR. B. COLEMAN has two Bulls, a grade and a thorough-bred, both for service at his farm, ½-mile North-west of Markdale. Terms: for Grade 50c., for thorough-bred $1 00, cash in both cases. 89-92

C. A. OWEN,
Tailor,
Over McFARLAND'S,
MARKDALE.

☞ Special attention to Cutting. ☜

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with
C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

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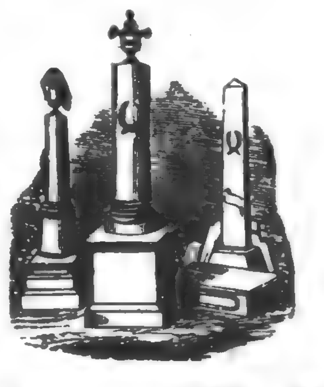

Marble Works
Monumnts, Tombstones!
And every description of Cemetery work executed in
FIRST-CLASS STYLE!
and at reasonable rates. Orders left at the shop or sent by mail will be promptly attended to.
Satisfaction Guaranteed.
Shop next door to Revere Hotel.
W. A. JOHNSTON, Prp.
Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 49-ly

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m.
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m.

Court of Revision.
TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the First Sitting of the Court of Revision for the Township of Glenelg, for the current year, will be held in the Town Hall in said Township, on FRIDAY, the 16th day of June, 1882, at Ten o'clock in the forenoon.
JAMES BROWN,
Glenelg, May 22nd, 1882. Tp. Clerk.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XII

THE BATTLE OF FONTENOY.

Rose O'Donnell occupied the mall parlor at the silver Rose.

'This is the place,' she said to herself, in a sort of whisper; 'This is the town, and Scarswood was the house. At last—at last! But how will it end? Must I go on to my grave knowing nothing—nothing—whether he be living or dead, or am I to find out here? If I only dared tell Redmond—my best brother, my dearest friend—but I dare not. If he be alive, and they met, he would surely kill him.'

A door opened, and her brother came in.

'Rose' he said, hurriedly, 'I did not mention it at breakfast, but I was absent last night. I met an old acquaintance, and he insisted upon taking me with him. I spent the evening at Scarswood Park,' belonging to Sir Peter. Dangerfield—saw my lady, though, and—here is where the interest comes in. She insists upon you leaving this hostelry, and becoming her guest.'

'I!'

'Yes. I chanced to do her some trifling service the other day.

They are going to call to-day, and if they insist, and you prefer it, why, go with them. If you will'

'They—Sir Peter and Lady Danger field, do you mean?'

'No; Lady Dangerfield and her cousin, the Lady Cecil Clive. I knew Lady Cecil and her father, Lord Ruysland, years ago, in Ireland.

I'm going fishing.'

Lanty Lafferty entered, a brush in one hand, a pair of his master's riding boots in the other. He deposited the boots on the hearth rug, and stepped back, to survey his work.

'Thim's thim,' said Lanty, 'an' polished till ye might a'most shave yersilf in thim. Miss Rose, alanna! is ther anything in the wurruld wide I can do for ye? Shure me very heart's broke entirely since we kem to this place, wid sorra hand's turn to do from mornin' till night.'

'What? and you complain of that, Lanty!' Surely you are not longing so soon to be off again soldiering!'

'Soldiering, is it! Oh, thin 'tis wishin' it well I am for sodgering. Sorra luck or grace is thir about such murtherin' work, I'm not sayin' agin fightin,' mind; thir wasn't a boy in the barony fondher av a nate bit av a scrimmage thin meself; but out there among thim black haythins av Arabs, an' thim Frinchmin, that war worse nor onny haythin—oh, thin, bad luck to it all!

My ol'd Nick fly away with Algiers an' all belongin' to it afore Misther Redmond takes it into his head to go back there again. It's little I thought this time six years that I'd iver set fut in it or any other haythin lan' like it, when Misther Redmond and that beautiful young slip, the lord's daughter, wor coortin' beyant in Torryglen. Faix! it's married I'd thought they'd be long an' many a day ago, wid mebbe three or four fine childer growin' up about thim, an' myself dhry-nurse to the same. But, ah, wirra! shure the Lord's will be done!'

'It's a harrowing case, Lanty.

So the lord and his daughter were in Ireland then before you ever went to Algiers?'

'Ah; ye may well say they wor. An' maybe it isn't in Algiers we'd be to this day av it wasn't for thim. Heaven forgive me but the thought o' thim goes between me an' me night's sleep. Och! but it's the desarvin pair they wor. But shure what better cud ye expect—didn't the English iver an' always desave the Irish—the curse o'Cromwell on thim! There they wor—an' it's the smile and civil word an' the God save ye kindly, Mister Redmond acushla, they had for him until a blind man cud see the sthate he was in. Sorra a hate they did but coort—Mister Redmond and herself—an' the ould lord lookin' on as plased as Punch. Ay, faith, an' their looks an' their picthers—wasn't she forever takin off the owld rocks and the castle, an' myself for that matter, as if I was a baste. An' thin, whin it's wantin' to marry her he was—shure I could see it—by the powers! it's up an' away they wor like a shot, without as much as good-by to ye, or go the devil, or the laste civility in life. An' the young masther—troth! it ud take a dhrop from ye if it was the last in yer eye—to see the sthate he was in, naither aitin nor slapin,' an' fallin away to dog-dhrave afore me very eyes. An' thin all at once Algiers kem in his head, an' he was off hot foot. Ye might as well thry to sthop Torrybahm whin it's spouhtin, as sthop him when he takes a notion into his head. An' av course I wint wid him—didn't I mind him an' look after him since he was a weeny crathure in my arrums? She was an intiem' young slip, I say, but upon my conscience, ay she was tin lords' daughters, it was a manesphirited way to sarve him, after savin' her life too. Divil a dhirthier trick iver I heerd of.'

Rose O'Donnell smiled bitterly.

'A very common thing in her world, I take it, Lanty. And that's Redmond's secret? and I am to see her? She was pretty, you say, Lanty?'

'The purtiest darlin' iver me eyes looked at barrin' yersilf.'

'Thanks, Lanty. Barring myself—that's understood, of course. Was she fair or dark?'

'Fair,' responded Mr. Lafferty; 'a skin like the snow on the mountains, hair like sthreamin' goold, an eyes—oh musha! bad scran to thim, the beauthifullest o' the worruld that they wor, sure's it's no wondher at all Masther Redmond wint out o' his head a'most about her. Sooth she was purty, Miss Rose; it used to do me good only to look at her; an wid iver an' always a smile on her beautiful face, an' a civil word for ye whiniver ye'd meet her.' But I always said, an' I say again, it wasn't the action av a rale lady to thrate masther as she did, not av she wor twinty earls' daughters.

Lady Dangerfield and Lady Cecil Clive entered.

Rose O'Donnell came forward to meet and greet them with a calm, high bred composure that was very perfect. In her southern home she was not, perhaps, accustomed to ladies of title, but certainly had mingled in the highest society in New Orleans. How pretty she was, and how like those dark large eyes of blue were to her brother's. It was Lady Cecil's first thought, and as their hands clasped and Cecil's grave, sweet blue eyes were lifted to her face, she stooped down with a sudden, swift, impulse and kissed her. From this hour these two were ever warmest friends.

'I think I should have known you anywhere, Miss O'Donnell,' Lady Dangerfield said: 'you are so like your brother, only wanting that half-cynical, half-sarcastic air he and all men nowadays, it seems to me, wear. I suppose he is one of the believers in the "Nothing is new, and nothing is true, and it don't signify" doctrine; he looks as though he were. He has told you, of course, how he saved my life two days ago, when our boat up set?

'Saved your life! Indeed he has not.'

Lady Cecil laughed softly.

'That's like Captain O'Donnell—"on their own merits modest men are dumb;" and he is very modest. He saved mine too—did he ever tell you that?'

'No,' Rose said, with an amused smile 'but Lanty has. Perhaps, however, you have you forgotten Lanty?'

'Lanty—Lanty Lafferty—is he here? How glad I shall be to see him. Forget Mr. Lafferty! Not likely; he was my first love. I don't think he ever knew it, and in all those years no one has ever replaced him.'

Lady Dangerfield looked at her laughing cousin with something of a malicious gleam in her black eyes.

'Substituting the name of Redmond O'Donnell for that of Lanty Lafferty, I dare say what she says may be true enough,' she thought 'I should like to read the record of those seven Irish weeks, my handsome Cecil, and, see if I could not find the key to your noted indifference to all men.' Miss O'Donnell,' aloud, 'at least I hope that secretive brother of yours has told you that we came to tender the hospitality of Scarswood Park—to insist indeed upon your becoming our guest. If you knew how much we desire it, I am sure you would not refuse us this pleasure. We are almost anxious—Sir Peter, myself, Lady Cecil—all. It must be so horribly dull for you here alone, for of course Captain O'Donnell, like all of his kind, brothers and husbands, is no company whatever. Except as lovers, men might as well be images of wool, for all the pleasure one has in their society, and even then they are bores to all but one. We will take no denial; we positively insist upon it.'

With a smile that again made her excessively like her brother, she promised, and the ladies from the Park arose to go.

'The carriage shall come for you this evening,' Lady Dangerfield said. 'Your brother will accompany you, and dine with us, at least. This evening at six, then, we shall expect you.'

Miss O'Donnell came over from Castleford in the gray of the summer evening, with her belongings, but alone.

'You find us alone yet, Miss O'Donnell, said, as Rose took a seat near. 'Our fishermen nave not returned, and solitude invariably bores me to death. Cecil has taken to literature, as you see, and is no company for one. I never read, Miss O'Donnell—books are all alike, hopelessly stupid nowadays. What is that you have there Queenie?'

Lady Cecil looked up.

'Ballads of Ireland. I came upon it by chance in the library half an hour ago. I am reading the battle of Fontenoy, Miss O'Donnell; did any of your ancestors fight at the battle of Fontenoy?'

'So the legends of our house say, at least. "And by the same token," as Lanty would observe, it was a Redmond O'Donnell who fought and fell on the fatal field of Fontenoy.'

Lady Dangerfield looked interested.

'A Redmond O'Donnell. Really! Read it, Queenie, will you?'

'Never read aloud,' Lady Cecil answered; it is an accomplishment I do not possess. She glanced suddenly at the busy fingers of the governess.

'Miss Herncastle,' she called.

Miss Herncastle paused in her work, and looked up.

'You will read it to Lady Dangerfield, will you not? Somehow I think you can read aloud.'

'I can try,' Miss Herncastle answered. She laid down her work, advanced, took the book, and stood up before her auditors. She made a very striking picture, outlined against the purple gloaming, the sunlight gliding her face and her dead black hair. So thought Rose O'Donnell, so thought Lady Cecil Clive, so thought two gentlemen advancing slowly, unseen and unheard, up the avenue under the trees—Sir Arthur Tregenna and Captain O'Donnell. Both, as if by some simultaneous impulse, stopped to listen.

"Push on, my household cavalry? King Louis madly cried;
To death they rush, but rude their shock—not unavenged they died.
On through the camp the column trod—King Louis turns his rein,
"Not yet, my liege," Saxe interposed, "the Irish troops remain."
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"Lord Clare," he says, "you have your wish; there are your Saxon foes!"
The Marshal almost smiles to see, so furiously he goes!
How fierce the look these exiles wear, who're wont to be so gay,
The treasured wrongs of fifty years are in their hearts to-day—
The treaty broken ere the ink wherewith 'twas writ could dry,
Their plundered homes, their ruined shrines, their women's parting cry,
Their priesthood hunted down like wolves, their country overthrown—
Each looks as if revenge for all were staked on him alone.
On Fontenoy—on Fontenoy; nor ever yet elsewhere
Rushed on to fight a nobler band than these proud exiles were.

O'Brien's voice is hoarse with joy, as halting he commands,
"Fix bay'net—charge!" like mountain storm rush on these fiery bands!
Thin is the English column now, and faint their volleys grow,
Yet, must'ring all the strength they have, they make a gallant show;
They dress their ranks upon the hill to face that battle wind—
Their bayonets the breakers' foam; like rocks the men behind!
One volley crashes from their lines, when through the surging smoke,
With empty guns clutched in their hands, the headlong Irish broke.
On Fontenoy—on Fontenoy, hark to that fierce huzza!
"Revenge! Remember Limerick! Dash down the Sassenagh!"

Like lions leaping at a fold when mad with hunger's pang,
Right up against the English line the Irish exiles sprang!
Bright was their steel, 'tis bloody now, their guns are filled with gore;
Through shattered ranks, and several files, and trampled flags they tore;
The English strove with desperate strength, paused, rallied, staggered, fled—
The green hillside is matted close with dying and with dead:
Across the plain and far away passed on that hideous wrack.
On Fontenoy—on Fontenoy, like eagles in the sun,
With bloody plumes the Irish stand—the field is fought and won!"

She paused. Sweet, clear, thrilling as a bugle blast rang out the stirring words. A light leaped into her eyes, a glow came over her pale face; every heart there stirred under the ring of her tone, her look, her gesture, as she seased.

'By Jupiter!' Redmond O'Donnell exclaimed, under his breath, 'that woman is a marvel.'

Miss Herncastle,' she said, 'you read the splendidly. The poet should have heard you. I knew you could read, but not like that. You are a born actress.'

The governess bowed, smiled, and walked back with immovable composure to her place.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

FREAKS OF A FLIRT FROM 15 TO 50.

15. Anxious for coming out and the attentions of the other sex.
16. Begins to have some idea of the tender passion.
17. Talks of love in a cottage and disinterested affection.
18. Fancies herself in love with some handsome man who has flattered her.
19. Is a little more diffident on account of being noticed
20. Commences being fashionable.
21. Still more confident in her own attractions, and expects a brilliant establishment.
22. Refuses a good offer, because he is not a man of fashion.
23. Flirts with every young man she meets.
24. Wonders she is not married.
25. Rather more circumspect in her conduct.
26. Begins to think a large fortune not quite so indispensable.
27. Prefers the company of rational men to flirting.
28. Wishes to be married in a quiet way, with comfortable income.
29. Almost despairs of entering the marriage state.
30. Fearful of being called an old maid.
31. Additional love of dress.
32. Professes to dislike balls; finds it difficult to get partner.
33. Wonders how men can leave the society of a sensible woman to flirt with a foolish girl.
34. Affects good humor in her conversation with men.
35. Jealous of the praise of the women.
36. Quarrels with her triend who is newly married.
37. Thinks herself slighted in society.
38. Talks of acquaintances who are married unfortunately.
39. Ill nature increases.
40. Meddling and officious.
41. If rich, as a dernier resort, makes love to a young man without a fortune.
42. Not succeeding, rails against mankind.
43. Partiality for cards and scandal.
44. Severe against the manners of the age.
45. Very strong predilection for a clergyman.
46. Enraged at his desertion.
47. Becomes despondent, and takes to tea.
48. Turns all sensibility to cats and dogs.
49. Adopts a dependent relation to attend to her feline and her canine nursery.
50. Becomes disgusted with the world, and vents all her ill humor on her poor and unfortunate relations.

In Patrick Co., Va., 5000 people are starving.

The U. S. Pension List is nearly $50,000,000 a year.

The remains of Gen. Guiseppe Garibaldi are to be removed to Rome.

The wheat crop in North Western States will be best ever yet harvested. So says report.

There are over 200 amendments to the Irish Repression Bill. A stubborn fight is imminent.

Mr Augus Morrison, ex-Mayor of Toronto, was found dead in his bed on Saturday morning.

Ross is training on the Red River. He will claim the championship if Hanlan fails on the second deposit.

A vessel has been seized at Jamaica for flying the British flag without possessing all the necessary papers, &c.

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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PEDIGREE.—Canada Short-Horn Stock Register, Vol. 7. "ROB ROY, red. 196, got by Sir Thomas, No. 17859, dam Strawberry, by Heath r Jack, No. 4349; g-dam White Rose by Conrod 5478; gr-g-d Jenny Lind by Yng. Honest Tom, 1350." Also registered in new British American Herd Book.

Terms: $1.00 at time of Service; $1.25 if not paid before the 1st of October.

CHAS. McCONNELL, Proprietor.

Church Directory.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Sunday next, at 10.30, 3
Sunday School 2 30
J. WARD, Incumbent.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday. 10.30, 7
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
N. A. McDIARMID. Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sabbath 10.30, 7.
Sabbath School 2.30.
Bible class Friday evg. 7.30.
Flesherton Town Hall, Sabbath 2 30
Sabbath School 1.
A. WILSON. Pastor

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Signed in presence of Jas. H. Belevee.

RICHARD JOHNSTON,
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Priceville, 13th June. 1882. 92-3

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At NINE o'clock the CELEBRATED

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will emerge from their Ancient Retreat, and parade the principal thoroughfares, marshalled by

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Horse Racing

Will commence at ELEVEN o'clock sharp, and at ONE the different Bands will form in Procession, and march to the Agricultural Grounds when the Band Tournament, Caledonian Games, &c., will take place.

LIST OF GAMES AND PRIZES.

HORSE RACES.—1st Race, Running Purse $20; 1, $15, 2. $5, open to all
2nd do. Trotting do. $20; 1, $15, 2, $5, do.
3rd do. Running do. $10; 1, 7, 2nd $3, open to Farmers' Horses that have never won public money.

Races to be governed by National Association Rules. Running to be best two in three heats and Trotting best three in five heats, Entrance 10 per cent of Purse. Three horses to enter in each race.

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Half mile Race	$5;	1st $4, 2nd $1
100 yds. Race	$4;	1st $3, 2nd $1
Three-legged Race	$3;	1st $2, 2nd $1
Wheelbarrow Race	$3;	1st $2, 2nd $1
Egg Race	$4;	1st $3, 2nd $1
Sack Race	$3;	1st $2, 2nd $1

Boys' 100 yds. under 14 yrs. Purse $1.50; 1st $1, 2nd 50c
Do, do. 10 do. do. do.
Old Men's Race over 50 Purse $3; 1st $2, 2nd $1.
Ladies' Race, 50 yds. 1st $3 Set of Jewellery by Mr. W.F. Doll, 2nd $1.

JUMPING.—Standing Long Jump, Purse $1.50; 1st 1. 00, 2nd 50c.
Running do. do. do. do.
Hop, Step, and Jump do. do. do.
Running High Jump do. do. do.
Entrance 10 per cent of Purse.

Grand Band Tournament Prize $40

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Ten men of Proton Tp against Ten men from any other tp.

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June 16 Hornings' Mills June 17 Red Lion, Osprey
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All Meetings, except those marked at 2 p,m, will be held in the evening at 7 p,m,

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BIRTHS.

GALLAWAY.—In Invermay, on the 12th inst, the wife of Rev. J. Gallaway, of twin daughters, both still born.

MARRIED.

CAMPBELL—McEWEN.—By Rev. Mr. Best, on the 14th inst., Mr. Donald Campbell, Glenelg, to Martha, second daughter of Mr. Andrew McEwen, of Sullivan.

DIED.

MORROW.—In Melancthon, on the 13th inst., Martha, wife of Wm. Morrow, aged 29 years.

WALKER.—In Artemesia, on the 9th inst., Alice, relic of the late James Walker, aged 92 years.

WHAT WE HEAR.

That a big crowd will visit Toronto by the excursion tomorrow.

That the Ry. Co. have made ample preparations for their accommodation.

That it will be a boss trip.

That the man who saw Doll at New York was blind.

That said blind man was in Toronto.

That the blistered lip was caused by —a cold! no,—a cold application of dye to the doll's moustache.

That to day's rich shower will gladden the farmer's heart.

That the new time made between O. S. and the city is a decided improvement upon the old.

That new life has been infused into the T G. & B.

That the public reap the benefit.

Guiteau has given up all hopes of the success of any further legal movements and relies upon Presidential clemency.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers, machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

The feeling in Dublin caused by the recent murders is most despondent. The assassinations are becoming of the most daring nature, being perpetrated by unmasked men in open day.

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GREY Division Grange No. 2 will have an excursion over the T., G. and B., and Northern and H. N. W. Railways on the 26th June to "The Model Farm," Guelph, returning the same day. Fare, Owen Sound, Chatsworth and Williamsford, $2; Markdale and Flesherton, $1.75; Dundalk, $1.65. For full particulars see bills.

Dr. Kendall's "Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases" may be had for 15 cents at this office, or free to subscribers who pay in advance.

FACTORY vs. FARM BUTTER.

Can as good butter be made in the factory as on the farm? There is a great deal to be said on both sides of the question. The skilled hand can often defy the most adverse surroundings, while the ignorant and careless butter-maker will fail under almost any and all circumstances, the factory man labors under the disadvantage of having to combine the milk of many dairymen, thus contending with the faults of all. The slovenly habits of one may destroy the good effects of nice habits in all the others. The presence of particular weeds in only one of perhaps the fifty pastures he gathers his milk from will disturb the equinimity of his milk's quality. Then it is often held that milk after travelling any considerable distance is not in as good condition for making butter as that which is not subjected to such a trial. So far as the amount of butter to make from a given quantity of milk is concerned, this is probably true; but as to the quality of butter made from such milk, there may be grave doubts as to the suspicions being well founded. It is again exceedingly difficult to keep the surroundings of a factory in as clean and sweet condition as that of a private dairy, and it is rarely we have seen it done. The private dairy man has the advantage of having complete control over all matters pertaining to the producing of the milk he handles, and should therefore be able to accomplish the very best results. It has been our fortune to examine the butter of many private dairies ... great exhibits, and have found the butter from these dairies of an excellent quality, but, in a view of a ... broader knowledge and a familiarity with the commercial dairy, we feel compelled to say that, in nine cases out of ten, the butter from these celebrated dairies would not stand muster in higher grades of creamery quotations. The private dairy always has a certain amount of glamor thrown around it along with extraordinary advertising and extra expense in preparing the butter for market, but if there was some absolute test of butter—if there was some way of holding in the minds of judges or otherwise a perfect recollection of fine textures, the rich aroma and exquisite taste of such butter as we have seen from some creameries—there would no longer be a doubt that the man who labors in the larger field with his work constantly under criticism by the purchaser will in the end reach the higher plane and accomplish that which the man in circumscribed circumstances can never reach.

ELECTION.—On Monday evening a grand mass meeting was held in Victoria hall in the interest of the Conservative candidate, Dr. Sproule, M.P. Mr. Lamon was appointed chairman who, after making a few appropriate remarks, called on Dr. Sproule. For three hours the doctor addressed the electors on the great questions of the day, giving an account of his stewardship for the past four years in Parliament. The doctor was followed in the Reform interest by the celebrated speaker, A. F. Jury, of Toronto, and Mr. Simpson, of Shelburne. The meeting closed at one o'clock in the morning, amidst great cheers on both sides of the house.

SPAVIN, RING-BONE, ETC., WITH METHODS OF TREATMENT.

(From Farm and Fireside.)

The horse is our noblest domestic animal, perfect in structure, imposing in appearance, full of intelligence and when kindly treated giving in return an affection almost human in its nature, and performing to the last point of endurance the tasks imposed, and we may add is too often subjected to the hardest and harshest usage of any of our animals, and for this reason is the most liable to disease and blemishes.

Many an otherwise valuable horse is disfigured for life and rendered more or less unfit for service by ugly spavins, unsightly ring-bones, splints, etc. Sometimes these difficulties are not of a serious nature, that is, do not lame the horse, or make any material difference in the ability for performing work on the farm but such animals are rendered unsaleable, or if disposed of, it must be at a sacrifice of price. Generally, however, the horse is permanently lamed, unless the cause is removed, which is very seldom—and often entirely ruined for travel or work.

Spavins are most generally produced by a strain or overwork in drawing. The bony excrescence or substance of which it is composed will grow quite fast and sometimes gives the appearance of an enlarged joint, and unless attended to in season will soon become difficult to manage. Many remedies have been devised for this difficulty, but usually with very indifferent success. Blistering is generally resorted to when anything is attempted, and will in some cases, when properly performed, stop the growth of the spavin but will not remove the bunch already formed or cure the lameness, besides the process is a painful one producing soreness and rendering the horse more or less unfit for service.

Some four years ago Dr. B. J. Kendall of Enosburgh Falls, Vt., having a horse troubled with spavin tried blistering to cure it. The operation appeared so painful and unsatisfactory that it was abandoned with the belief that a remedy less torturing in its application and more certain in its effect might be devised. Accordingly the Doctor set himself to work, and being a practical physician and druggist, succeeded in preparing a remedy that since its introduction to public notice, has achieved a success that is of the most satisfactory character. About three years since, hearing of several cases where "Kendall's Spavin Cure," as the remedy is termed, had been used with good effect, I took some pains to ascertain the facts in the case, and reported the same for several of our leading agricultural journals. I give a few instances to which I am personally knowing. Mr. R. A. Gaines, of Berkshire, Vt., owned a valuable horse having a spavin of the size of a hen's egg, and producing severe lameness. After trying the usual remedies with no effect, learning of "Kendall's Spavin Cure," a bottle was obtained and used according to directions. The application produced no blistering, did not appear to be painful, and left no scar or callous. A one dollar bottle was used and it cured the spavin, stopping the lameness and removing the bunch. I examined the legs carefully and could find no difference in the size of the joints, and could not tell upon which the spavin was located. The horse has been worked hard since and upon examining him the second time a while since, after an interval of three or four years, was pleased to find no return of the difficulty in any shape or manner; one leg is as sound and perfect to all appearance as the other.

Mr. N. F. Weld, also of Berkshire, Vt., treated a bad case of spavin with this remedy and in six weeks the lameness was gone, the bunch nearly removed and he considered the horse cured. There has been no return of the difficulty since, although the horse has been worked hard. A. A. Simpkins of West Enosburgh, Vt., has had an experience similar to the above, and others might be given, but these may be considered sufficient to establish the fact of the curative powers of this remedy, and also, which is equally important, the permanence of the cure; the relief afforded being not temporary, but lasting in effect. Equal success has been had with "Kendall Spavin Cure" in the treatment of splints, curb, ring-bone, bruises, strains of different kinds, callous, etc. I wish to call particular attention to this as a humane method of treatment, the remedy, while it is efficient in operation yet does not produce pain or soreness, as is the case with most applications. This feature is deserving of notice and is receiving commendation from many prominent gentlemen in this country, among whom I would mention Mr. Charles A. Currier, special agent for the Massachusetts society for the prevention of cruelty ...

... rheumatism ... long standing with equally good effect.

"Kendall Spavin Cure" has been introduced throughout the most of this country, and is being put into the hands of all the leading wholesale druggists from whom it may be obtained, or through whom it may be ordered by every druggist. Dr. Kendall has also compiled a small work or "Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases," of about 100 pages, fully illustrated, and giving in a small compass a large amount of useful information, free from all technical terms and which will be worth many times its cost. of twenty-five cents, to all owners of horses. Something of the favor with which this work is being received by the public may be inferred from the fact that one hundred thousand copies and over have been sold since April last. Should any one desire further information upon any matter contained in this article, they will please address Dr. B. J. Kendall, at Enosburgh Falls, Vt. E. R. TOWLE.

West Berkshire, Vt.

ELECTION.—On last Saturday evening a very large and enthusiastic meeting was held in Victoria hall, in the interests of the Reform candidate. Mr. Deans, hardware merchant, was elected chairman for the evening. After a few brief remarks by the chairman as to the object of the meeting, the Reform candidate, Mr. Peter Christie, addressed the electors on the great question of the day, followed by Mr. McMillan, of Meaford, and Mr. Simpson, of Shelburne, opposed by Mr. Geo. Rutherford, of Shelburne,

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NEWSPAPER LAWS.

1. A postmaster is required to give notice BY LETTER (returning the paper does not answer the law,) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

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3. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until payment is made.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.20 a.m.	3.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	0.0? p.m.
Fleshert'n&Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	0.0? p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.25
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union St'n.	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.35 a.m.	4.35 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9.08 "	6.00
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00
Mount Forest	12.18 "	[illegible]
Harriston	12.55 "	[illegible]
Teeswater	2.25 "	9.15
Dundalk		10.15
Flesherton&P'ville	11.33 "	[illegible]
Markdale	11.55 "	[illegible]
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	[illegible]

A mixed train will also run between Toronto and Owen Sound. See ... table.

EDMUND WRAGGE. General Manager.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00 to
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.19 to
Fall do. do.	[illegible]
Barley	0.65
Oats	0.40
Peas	0.74
Potatoes.	[illegible]
Butter, per lb.	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	[illegible]
Pork, dressed,	7.50
Beef	[illegible]
Geese per lb.	0.07
Ducks, per pair	0.40
Fowls, per pair	0.40
Turkeys, per lb	0.07
Sheepskins	0.60
Hides	[illegible]
Grass seed,	[illegible]
Hay	12.00
Wool	[illegible]
Green Apples, per. bushel	[illegible]
Lard	0.10
Tallow	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15 to
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20
Barley " 2	.55 to
Peas " 1	.68 to
Oats " 1	.40 to
Butter " 1	.16 to
Eggs	[illegible]
Potatoes	.55 to
Pork	7.50 to
Hay	[illegible]

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by ... Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00 to
Spring Wheat per bush.	1.19 to
Fall do do.	1.15
Barley	0.64
Oats	0.40
Peas	0.74
Potatoes	0.50
Butter, per lb.	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.12
Pork, dressed,	7.50
Beef	5.00
Sheepskins	0.60
Hides	[illegible]
Hay	12.0
Timothy seed,	2.50
Wool	0.22
Lard	0.10
Tallow	0.05

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	[illegible]
Wheat, spring, do.	[illegible]
Barley, do.	[illegible]
Oats, do.	[illegible]
Peas, do.	[illegible]
Rye, do.	[illegible]
Clover Seed do.	[illegible]
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	[illegible]
Beef, hind quarters	[illegible]
Beef, fore quarters	[illegible]
Chickens, per pair	[illegible]
Fowls, do.	[illegible]
Ducks, per brace	[illegible]
Geese, each	[illegible]
Turkeys	[illegible]
Butter, large rolls	[illegible]
Butter, tub dairy	[illegible]
Butter, store-packed	[illegible]
Eggs, fresh, per doz	[illegible]
Eggs, packed	[illegible]
Apples, per brl	[illegible]
Potatoes per bag	[illegible]
Onions, per bag	[illegible]
Hay	[illegible]

THE STANDARD.

Thursday June 15th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

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... to invest a dollar and make ... buy a bottle of Kendall's Spavin ... See advt.

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... is excellent for filling decayed teeth, but "TEABERRY" prevents decay, makes them white, and ... people lovable. 5 cent sample.

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... THURSTON, of Markdale, ...

THE STANDARD.

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[illegible] are worth about five cents [illegible] large ones.

Wonderful discovery—Kendall's [illegible] Cure. Read advertisement.

[illegible] seed, pure, fresh, and true [illegible] at the Medical Hall. A. Turner, Jr.

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[illegible] Thurston, of Markdale, sold [illegible] Raymond Sewing Machines dur- [illegible] past week. So much for good [illegible], giving good terms and [illegible] goods that will sell at any [illegible] under any circumstances.

[illegible]'s drug store changes [illegible] the seasons. Just now a great [illegible] of flowering plants embellish [illegible] and add their fragrance to [illegible] perfumeries from the chemist [illegible]. The plants are marked [illegible] prices.

[illegible] job has been done at [illegible] under the superintendance [illegible] Arnold, the section boss. The [illegible] now cleaned up and a good [illegible] meets the street with the de- [illegible] Mr. Wragge promises a sidewalk [illegible] station to Mill Street.

[illegible] Admiral Robert Hall, C. B., [illegible] announced, was born [illegible], Ontario, where he was [illegible]. He was engaged in [illegible] active service during his life, [illegible] through all the grades in the [illegible] up to Vice Admiral. [illegible] in his 65th year.

[illegible] S. S. *Parisian*:— [illegible] at McFarland's. [illegible] embroideries at McFarland's [illegible] dress goods at McFarland's. [illegible] ties and frilling at Mc- [illegible]

[illegible] carpets and linens at McFar [illegible] only direct importer do- [illegible] in Markdale.

[illegible] Hill was returned by the [illegible] at Orangeville on Tues- [illegible] John Lee a former em [illegible] Credit Valley Railway, [illegible] quantity of goods belong [illegible] Dickel, of Plattsville, [illegible] the coaches on the 16th [illegible]. The trial, in which [illegible] interest taken is fixed [illegible] day. Mr. J. P. Macmillan is [illegible] for the Crown.

[illegible] Hastings is now in Mark- [illegible] with his Steam Feather Renova- [illegible] are as good as new [illegible] renovated by this process, [illegible] chance of finding [illegible]. Mr. Hastings [illegible] bed, a short time [illegible] Chatsworth, a $5 bill, round [illegible] was a paper dated 1804. He [illegible] treasure to the [illegible], and will guar- [illegible] should [illegible] find [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] carrying off a $40 priz [illegible] boys can do?

[illegible] occasion of the death of Mrs. [illegible] who died last Wednesday at [illegible] 92 years, her friends had [illegible] (who died [illegible]) was buried on his [illegible] in Markdale, before [illegible] was a burying ground in this [illegible] country,) removed to Christ [illegible] cemetery. Mrs. Walker was [illegible] to the cemetery on Friday by [illegible] large number of friends, where [illegible] rites were performed. The [illegible] delivered an appropriate [illegible]

[illegible], Pa., Nov. 18, 1890.— [illegible] Kendall & Co.—Gents:—I [illegible] a very fine mare that has had a [illegible] spavin for a long time. I tried [illegible] thing man could devise to cure [illegible] all in vain, and was about to [illegible] up when a friend of mine in [illegible] came to me and recommend- [illegible] Kendall's Spavin Cure, which I [illegible] with grand results, removing [illegible] enlargement clear and clean. Then I [illegible] 25 cents to you for one of your [illegible] illustrated horse books, and I think [illegible] is no better book printed on the [illegible] and its diseases. I have taken [illegible] interest in it, and have since [illegible] eighteen copies for you to my [illegible] neighbours, and will try and do what [illegible] I can by getting them for others.

Yours truly,

G. W. Miller.

For a good pair of spectacles go to W. F. Doll's.

New coloured gold setts, and new coral setts, at W. F. Doll's.

Cooking Stove for sale—cheap. Apply to Mr. Thos. Henry, Standard office.

At the nomination on Tuesday there were 17 ministerialists and 1 reformer elected by acclimation.

New styles in Waltham and Elgin watches; something fine imported direct, at W. F. Doll's.

The Flesherton and Markdale Methodist Sabbath schools have decided to have an excursion to Toronto early in July.

Several wholesale establishments in Victoria Square, Montreal, were destroyed by fire on Tuesday night. The loss amounted to at least $1,000,000.

The new time table came into force on Monday, and the trains are making excellent time. The mixed train is a great convenience to those doing business along the line.

A mass meeting was held in Markdale on Monday, and was well attended. Messrs. Jackson, Sproule, Landerkin, Creighton and others addressed the electors of Grey.

A fishing match is to come off on Friday, the 23rd June, at the Saugeen river near Markdale, between not less than 20 on each side. The losers to pay for a supper for the whole.

We would remind all those who are as yet undecided that the Grand Day Trip runs tomorrow (Friday) at 6 a.m. Tickets can be had at the station for returning the next day. To business men this may be an advantage.

At the Methodist Conference in session at Woodstock, the Rev. Dr Burns of Hamilton, was acquitted by a large majority on the points on which his orthodoxy was questioned, viz: the inspiration of the Scriptures, the atonement, and future punishment.

The doctor yesterday applied a galvanic battery to the coloured boy alleged to have been struck dumb for lying at Richmond. The boy speedily recovered his speech. The negroes believe that the cure was effected in as mysterious and providential a manner as that by which he originally lost his speech.

There has justly been many and loud complaints that people have to wait for hours or go unserved owing to the great rush of other buyers always to be found at McFarland's popular establishment. In order to meet the rush Mr. McFarland informs us he has employed more assistance, and in future hopes to serve them more promptly.

PERSONALS.

D. Creighton, M. P. P., gave us a call Monday.

J. H. Hunter, M. P. P., gave us a call last week.

Andrew McFarland, who went to Winnipeg in January returned on Friday last to Markdale.

Mr. Black, sr., went to Toronto on Friday last, where he intends to spend the summer months.

HONOR ROLL.

Honor Roll for School Section No. 6 Melancthon for May. Marks obtainable 200. Third Class, H. Richardson, 176; S. Hanna, 150. Second Class. M. Corbett, 170; A. Bell, 152. First Class. A. Hanna, 188; J. Richardson 161.

THE IRISH PICNIC.

The Irish picnic was held in Martin's Grove, on Thursday last, the 8th June, and was largely attended. The weather being fine, and the crowd sociable, a pleasant day was spent. The chief amusement consisted in tripping the light fantastic toe, to the musical strains of Mr Allan Park's violin, a platform having been erected for the dancers. The candidates for South Grey were present. The people voted at 10c. per vote as to which of the candidates should receive a beautiful ebony cane with gold head valued at $50. For about half an hour the voting continued, when upon counting the votes, the result was as follows:—

Jackson ...	1252½
Landerkin	128½

Majority for Jackson 1124

Mr Jackson was then presented with the cane, after which each of the candidates delivered a short address.

The cane election was the means of adding $138 to the receipts of the day.

No liquor was allowed on the picnic grounds, hence peace and harmony prevaile[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] is scarcely a woman in our [illegible] country who, if she does not already possess a sewing machine, expects very soon to become the owner of one of those indispensable household workers.

The household of a young wife is now considered very incomplete unless she possesses a sewing machine.

When asked by her parents, friends, or affianced what her Christmas or birthday present is to be, the young lady almost invariably answers "A sewing machine."

The difficulty, however, arises as to what kind of a machine to buy, so many are in the market, and no easy matter is it to decide which of the many to purchase.

There are several points to be considered: 1st, the machine must be simple in construction, so simple that a child can understand it, and the most inexperienced can operate it; 2nd, its quality, it is wanted for a life time, and not for a few days; 3rd, it must be rapid; 4th, it must be able to work various kinds of material from summer silks to winter cloths. These are the main points to be considered.

Now, all these and other good qualities centre in the Charles Raymond Sewing Machine. It is simple, durable, rapid, will do all kinds of household work, is easy, regular, and silent, whereas in price it is as low as many of the inferior imported machines from the States.

Every lady who is fortunate enough to become the happy possessor of a Charles Raymond Sewing Machine may rest assured that she possesses a treasure indeed. It is the joy of the family wherever it occupies a place in the household.

Full particulars may be obtained from Mr. H. L. Thurston, Markdale.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Notice.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for opinions expressed by our correspondents.

The Recent Revival.—We have received another letter from "W" on the above question, but as he appears unwilling to take the initiative in the discussion, and "Constant Reader" does not define his position, they are not likely to come to a point, therefore we close the controversy.

A LETTER FROM WINNIPEG.

By C. W. [illegible]

So much has been written about the North-west, that I presume many are becoming weary of perusing newspaper articles on Manitoba.

The following, however, may be of interest.

Winnipeg, the Pioneer City of the North-west, still moves onward; and has within the last year added 16,000 to her population. Where but a few years ago the old Indian trail wended its way along the banks of the Red River from Point Douglas to the Old Fort, now stands one of the best commercial thoroughfares in British America. Leaving Main Street one is astonished to see how rapidly the buildings are running up; scattered hovels have given place to permanent and beautiful structures, well graded streets and wide sidewalks.

Canvas tents stand in great numbers in the suburbs; all sizes and shapes, occupied by men of all ranks, from the most illiterate to the most enlightened; men who have barely survived the panic of some financial disaster in an older country; men whose hands have become horny by toil; and men whose hands have not been soiled with work. Sons of noblemen and sons of toil intermingle, and not a grumble arises from either of them. Among others I met with our old friends E. D. Wilcox and W. Lyons in Brandon, with their oxen and equipments. They have selected a pleasant spot in the west, where their Markdale friends will find a comfortable retreat, and receive a hearty shake of the hand—not a hand as soft as that which a few months ago manipulated pearls and jewels in Markdale but the hard hand of a western yeoman.

Winnipeg is well adapted to entertain all classes, from the curly haired darling of society to the reckless spendthrift.

New churches are numerous and are well attended. In politics, Manitoba fails to connect. Party politics have hitherto been unknown, but the line of demarcation is being drawn, and a faction fight expected.

As the provincial legislature is now in session, I have occasionally visited that political wigwam where wisdom is supposed to govern the council of the people. Oratory, genius, wit and humour are never heard within the walls of the barn-like building in which they assemble.

The Poet's Corner

THE ADVANTAGES OF TAKING A NEWSPAPER.

I know two friends as much alike
As e'er you saw two stumps;
And no phrenologist could find
A difference in their bumps.

One took a paper, and his life
Was happier than a king's;
His children all could read and write,
And talk of men and things.

The other took no paper, and
While strolling in the wood,
A tree fell down upon his crown,
And killed him—as it should.

Had he been reading up the news
At home, like neighbour Jim;
I'll bet a cent this accident,
Had not befallen him.

METHODIST STATIONS.

The first draft of the Stationing committee of the Canada Methodist Conference for Owen Sound district are as follows:

Owen Sound, E. R. Young, James Scott, William B. Danard, superannuated.
Brookholm, Robert Godfrey.
Woodford, Henry Thomas.
Walter's Falls, David Perry.
Chatsworth, John Hart.
Williamsford Station, one to be sent.
Markdale, Neil A. McDiarmid.
Flesherton, Alex. R. Campbell.
Eugenia Falls Thomas Grandy.
Dundalk, Nathaniel S. Burwash.
Priceville, Solomon C. Edmunds, B. D.
Wiarton, Wm. Torrance.
Lyon's Head, one wanted (Colpoy's B[illegible])
[illegible] George Jacques.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at the Town hall on the 5th instant.

Members all present.

Ten road scrapers were ordered to be procured from McKitrick and Son, Orangeville.

Holland having granted $50 towards Allen's Swamp on the town line, Glenelg council granted a similar sum.

A number of road petitions were held over till next meeting.

A balance of $122.80 of school moneys being now in hands of sub-treasurer, the public school inspector was requested to apportion it among the several school sections of this Township.

The provincial treasurer to be requested to pay over to the township treasurer the portion of Land Improvement Fund due to this municipality.

G. Grant's account for coffins, and funeral expenses for John Cam and Mrs. McKettrick, $15.75, was passed, and Mr Mullarky refunded $3 advanced by him as charity to Mrs McKettrick.

Council adjourned until the 16th inst.

While the only surviving member of Burn's (the poet) family is spending his last days in a poorhouse, a first edition of the poet's works sold for $850 recently.

All forms of female weakness, suppression, irregularities and painful periods are effectually remedied by the great regulating system renovator, Burdock Blood Bitters. Sample bottle 10 cents.

[illegible] a case of Dyspepsia or Biliousness for 75 cents? It is awfully unwise to agonize under the many ailments arising from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Disordered Stomach and Liver, when this offer is made to you in your own home in all sincerity, with an absolute certainty of curing you.

ZOPESA (from Brazil) cures Dyspepsia and Biliousness. A single dose relieves; a sample bottle convinces; a 75 cent bottle cures.

It acts directly upon the Stomach, Liver, and Kidneys.

Cleansing, Correcting, Regulating, Zopesa gives energy and vim to the Brain, Nerve, and Muscle, simply by working wonders upon the Digestion, and giving activity to the Liver.

Cut this out, take it to any dealer in medicines, and get at least one 75 cent bottle of Zopesa, and tell your neighbor how it acts. It is warranted to cure Dyspepsia and Biliousness.

NATIONAL PILLS
SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE.
Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 3 pills is a dose.
PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

Burdock Blood Bitters

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Col. T. L. Foster,

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Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

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ST. JOHN, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

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PORK,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

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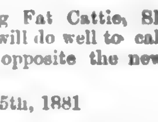

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Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

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A constant supply of

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Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

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A. VOGELER & CO.,

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The Poet's Corner

WE ARE SEVEN.

A simple child
That lightly draws its breath,
And feels its light in every limb,
What should it know of death?

I met a little cottage girl:
She was eight years old, she said;
Her hair was thick with many a curl
That clustered round her head.

She had a rustic, woodland air,
And she was wildly clad;
Her eyes were fair, and very fair;
—Her beauty made me glad.

"Sisters and brothers, little maid,
How many may you be?"
"How many? Seven in all," she said,
And wondering looked at me.

"And where are they? I pray you tell."
She answered, "Seven are we;
And two of us at Conway dwell,
And two are gone to sea.

"Two of us in the churchyard lie,
My sister and my brother;
And, in the churchyard cottage, I
Dwell near them with my mother."

"You say that two at Conway dwell,
And two are gone to sea,
Yet you are seven!—I pray you tell,
Sweet maid, how this may be?"

Then did the little maid reply,
"Seven boys and girls are we;
Two of us in the churchyard lie,
Beneath the churchyard tree."

"You run about, my little maid,
Your limbs they are alive;
If two are in the churchyard laid,
Then you are only five."

"Their graves are green, they may be seen,"
The little maid replied,
"Twelve steps or more from my mother's door,
And they are side by side.

"My stockings there I often knit,
My kerchief there I hem;
And there upon the ground I sit—
I sit and sing to them.

"And often after sunset, Sir,
When it is light and fair,
I take my little porringer,
And eat my supper there.

"The first that died was little Jane;
In bed she moaning lay,
Till God released her of her pain:
And then she went away.

"So in the churchyard she was laid;
And all the summer dry,
Together round her grave we played,
My brother John and I.

"And when the ground was white with snow,
And I could run and slide,
My brother John was forced to go,
And he lies by her side."

"How many are you, then," said I,
"If they two are in heaven?"
The little maiden did reply,
"O master! we are seven."

"But they are dead: those two are dead!
Their spirits are in heaven!"
'Twas throwing words away: for still
The little maid would have her will,
And said, "Nay, we are seven!"

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XIII

'Miss Herncastle, take compassion on this wretched exile of Erin, and say something consolatory to him. He stands helplessly here, and "sighs and looks, sighs and looks, sighs and looks, and looks again." Captain Redmond O'Donnell, Le Beau Chasseur—Miss Herncastle.'

Lady Cecil flitted away to her cousin Ginevra.

'Oh, if you please, my lady,' with a little housemaid's courtesy, 'I have a favour to ask. Don't banish poor Miss Herncastle to mope to death in that dreary upper region of the nursery and school-room. She is a lady—treat her as such—your guest—treat her as a guest. Let her come to dinner.'

'Queenie! Miss Herncastle to dinner! My Guest! What Quixotic nonsense you talk. She is my dependent, not my visitor.'

'That is her misfortune, not her fault. Miss Herncastle is a lady to her finger tips, and fifty times cleverer than you or I. See how she interests all the gentlemen.'

'Interests the gentlemen! Yes, I should think so. She seems to entertain Captain O'Donnell and Sir Arthur Tregenna pretty thoroughly at this moment.'

Cecil laughed a little, and glanced over at the two gentlemen to whom the tall governess talked. 'No, perhaps not—perhaps I don't quite understand myself. Never mind that; perhaps I like Miss Herncastle—perhaps the spell of the enchantress is over me, too. We won't ask questions, like a good little cousin; we will only ask Miss Herncastle to dinner today, to-morrow, and all the to-morrows.'

'Well, certainly, Queenie, if you really wish it, but I can't understand—'

Miss Herncastle's two cavaliers fell back as my lady appeared. The other gentlemen had gone to their rooms to dress for dinner; those two followed now. Captain O'Donnell's share in the conversation had been slight, but there was a look of conviction on his face as he ran up to his room.

'It is she,' he said to himself; 'there is not a doubt about it. A nursery governess. Rather a disagreeable change, I should imagine, after the life she has left. What in the name of all that is mysterious can have brought her here?'

Lady Dangerfield requested Miss Herncastle's company at dinner. Miss Herncastle mused. 'And I am to dine with the Right Hon. the Earl of Ruysland, the Lady Cecil, and two baronets. Some of us are born great, some achieve greatness, and some have greatness thrust upon them. I am one of the latter, it appears. I thought the power to wonder at anything earthly had left me for ever, but I wonder what Lady Cecil means by this.'

Miss Herncastle, the governess, half an hour later sat down among this very elegant company at dinner. Sir Peter Dangerfield scowled through his eye glass as he took his seat.

'What the deuce does this mean?' he thought, savagely; 'bringing the brats' governess to dinner.'

Miss Herncastle found herself placed between the Earl of Ruysland and Sir Arthur Tregenna. The earl, splendidly got up, spotless, ruffled, snowy linen, tail-coat, rose in his button-hole. Diamond ring on his finger, hair perfumed, and hands white and delicate as his daughter's own, looked the whole patrician peerage of England personified in himself. And with all the suave gallantry of a latter-day Chesterfield he paid compliments and made himself eminently agreeable to the lady by whom he was seated. His digestion might be upset, his peace of mind destroyed by the proximity, but his handsome face was placid as a summer's lake.

'Your reading of that poem was something quite wonderful, Miss Herncastle, I give you my word. I have heard some of the best elocutionists of the day—on the stage and off it—but upon my life, my dear young lady, you might make the best of them look to their laurels.'

'Your lordship is pleased to be complimentary or sarcastic—the latter, I greatly fear. It is one thing to read a poem decently, and quite another to electrify the world as Lady Macbeth.

By some chance she looked up as she finished speaking, and met a pair of cynical blue eyes belonging to the Irish-African soldier, Captain O'Donnell.

'Miss Herncastle does herself less than justice,' he said very slowly. 'A great actress she might never be—we have no great actresses now-a-days—but a clever actress, I am very sure. As to Lady Macbeth, I have no means of knowing; but in the character of Ophelia, now, I am quite certain she would be charming.'

Miss Herncastle's steady hand was lifting a glass of champagne. The sudden and great start she gave overset the glass and spilled the wine.

'How awkward I am!' she said. 'Thanks, my lord; don't trouble yourself; my dress has escaped.'

Captain O'Donnell's remark passed unanswered, and Miss Herncastle took care not to meet those steel-blue eyes again.

It was rather remarkable that Sir Arthur Tregenna, usually the most abstemious of men, drank much more wine than any one there had ever seen him drink before.

They adjourned to the drawing-room, whence sound of music already came wafted through the open window, but in the drawing room they found Miss Herncastle alone. The soft, silvery beauty of the twilight had tempted the rest out on the lawn. Lady Cecil sat in her rustic chair, humming an opera air, and watching with pensive, dreamy eyes the moon lift its silver sickle over the far-off hills. And Lady Dangerfield and Rose O'Donnell sat chatting of feminine fashions and the last sweet thing in bonnets.

The gentlemen joined them with the exception of the Cornish baronet. Music was his passion, and then Miss Herncastle had looked up with a telling glance and smile, and some slight remark as he went by—slight, but sufficient to draw him to her side, and hold him there. Major Frankland joined Sir Peter's wife. Sir Peter went in search of glow-worms. Captain O'Donnell flung his six feet of manhood on the velvet sward at the feet of the earl's daughter.

'Neat thing—very neat thing, Lady Cecil, in the way of moonrise. Ah! if life could be always afternoon, and such a sky as that, and one might lie at Beauty's feet, and—smoke! Smoking is useful among flowers, too—kills the aphides and all that, and if Lady Cecil will permit—'

'Lady Cecil permits,' Lady Cecil said, laughing; 'produce man's best comforter, Captain O'Donnell; light up, and kill the aphides.'

Captain O'Donnell obeyed; he produced a cigar case, selected carefully a weed, lit up, and fumigated.

'This is peace—this is bliss; why, oh, why need it ever end? Lady Cecil, what are you reading?' He took her book.

'Pretty, I know, by all this azure and gilding. Ah, to be sure, Owen Meredith. Cupid's darts, broken hearts, silvery beams rippling streams, vows here and there, love everywhere. Yes, yes, the old story, despair, broken vows, broken hearts—it's their stock in trade.

'And of course both things as broken vows and broken hearts only serve to string a poetaster's rhymes. We all know that in real life there is no such thing.'

'We know nothing of the sort. Hearts are broken every day, and their owners not a whit the worse for it in the end. Better, if anything. "The heart may break, yet brokenly live on," sighs the poet, and I agree with him.'

'Captain O'Donnell speaks for himself, of course; and Irishmen's hearts are the most elastic organs going. Give me my book, sir, and don't be so horridly cynical.'

'Cynical, am I? Well, yes, perhaps I am—cynicism is, I believe, the nineteenth century name for truth. Hallo! what's all this? There's my fellow, Lanty, with a letter in his hand, and what has he done to Sir Peter?'

'Lanty—Lanty Lafferty! How glad I am to see Lanty! He has murdered some of poor Peter's beetles. I'm afraid—the slaughter of the innocents over again. See how excited the baronet is over it.'

It was Lanty, and Lanty had murdered a beetle. He had espied it crawling slowly along Sir Peter's nice white sheet of paper, and had annihilated it. Sir Peter shouted: 'How dare you kill my specimen, the finest I have found this summer? How dare you do it, you muddle-headed Irishman?'

'How dar I do it? Is it dar to kill a dirthy cockroach? Shure yer honour's jokin'? Faith, I wish I had a shillin' for ivery wan av thim I've killed in me day; it's not a footboy I'd be this mionit. Begorra! I thought I was doin' ye a good turn. Shure, ye seen yerself, it was creepin' over the clane paper, a big, black creepin' divil av a cockroach.'

'Cockroach, you fool! I tell you it was a specimen of the Blatta Orientals, and only two days since it was born, you blundering bog-trotter!'

'Born, is it? Thim dirty little bastes! Born! oh, wirra! May be it was christened, too! Faix, I wudn't woudher at all!'

With which Lanty took his departure, and approaching his mistress, presented his letter with a bow.

'Miss Rose, alanna! a bit av a letther av ye plase. An' meself's been thinkin' from thim postmarks that it's from the ou'd mum seer himself, in New Orleans beyant.'

'Lanty!' called Lady Cecil, 'come here, and tell me if you have quite forgotten the troublesome mistress of Torryglen? You may have forgotten and grown cynical and disagreeable—like master like man—but I have not.'

'Forget ye, is it? Upon me conscience, me lady, the man or woman isn't alive that cud do that av they tried. Long life to yer ladyship! It's well I remember your beautiful face, and troth, it's more and more beautiful it gets every day.'

'Draw it mild, Lanty,' Lanty's master said lazily; 'we are not permitted to speak the truth to ladies about their looks, when, as in the present case, the simple truth sounds like gross flattery.

'News from New Orleans, Redmond—said Rose, a letter from grandpa. Madame De Lansac is very ill.'

Miss Herncastle and Sir Arthur were at the window where, dead silent both, they heard the words of Rose O'Donnell.

'Madame de Lansac!'—it was Redmond O'Donnell who spoke, removing his cigar and looking up—'ill, is she? Nothing serious I hope?'

'It is serious—She is ill of yellow fever.'

'Ah! I should have thought she was pretty well acclimated by this time. And our infant uncle, Rose—how is he? Lady Cecil, it is not given to every man of eight-and-twenty to possess an uncle four years old. Such is my happy fortune. How is the Signor Claude?'

'Little Claude is well,' his sister answered. 'Poor madame—and I like her so much. Here is what grandpapa says: "Dear Marie, if there is any change for the worse I shall expect Redmond to send or fetch you out again. Claude has pined to a shadow; and calls for Marie night and day." So you see, Redmond, it may end in our returning, after all. Still, I hope there may be no necessity.'

Miss O'Donnell folded up her letter and walked away. Lady Cecil looked inquiringly at her companion.

'Marie?' she said. 'Your sister's name is Rose, Captain O'Donnell, is it not?'

'Yes, yes, Rose Marie—called after her paternal and maternal grandmother. Our mother was a French woman—I think I told you the family pedigree once before, didn't I, and our grandfather is M. De Lansac, of Menadarva. When Rose went out there, the old French grandpa exchanged, without troubling Congress in the matter, the obnoxious Celtic cognomen of O'Donnell for the Galeic patronymic of De Lansac. In other words, Rose O'donnell became Marie De Lansac.'

There was a faint exclamation—it came from the open window. The speaker and Lady Cecil both looked up, and saw that pretty tableau—the Cornish baronet and the nursery governess.

'You are ill, Miss Herncastle,' Sir Arthur said. The night air, the falling dew—'

He stooped. No, my Lady Cecil! Lovely, gracious, high-born that you are, there never came for you into those calm, blue eyes the look that glows in them now for your cousin's silent, sombre governess.

For one instant her lips parted, her eyes dilated, then, as if by magic, all signs of change disappeared. Miss Herncastle was herself again, smiling upon her startled companion with her face of marble calm.

It wanted just a quarter of twelve when Redmond O'Donnell left Searswood Park, and took his way on foot to the town. He had been offered a horse, he had been offered a bed, and had declined both. To walk on such a night was a luxury. He lit a Manilla and went over the moonlit road with his long cavalry man's stride.

Ear or sense! Redmond O'Donnell pulled up suddenly in his swinging pace, and looked away afield. What dark moving figure was that yonder, crossing a stile, and vanishing amid the tall gorse? It was a woman—more, it seemed familiar even at that distance.

The figure that had vanished in the shadows of the waving gorse, reappeared in the broad moonlit field. A woman—no doubt about that now—a tall woman, walking swiftly, lightly, gracefully, as only young women ever walk. That stately stature, that poise of the head and shoulders, surely all were familiar. What mystery was here?

Still she went on—still the unseen pursuer followed. The nocturnal visitor opened the grim wooden gate of Bracken Hollow with a key she carried, relocked it, and for the first time paused to look back. She saw no one—the trees, and the shades, and the distance hid the pursuer; only the silver shine of the stars and the moon, the boundless blue sky, the spreading green of earth, and the soft night whispering over all. She turned from the gate, hurried up the grass grown path, and vanished in the inky gloom of the porch.

Redmond O'Donnell emerged from the shadow of the trees, and approached the gruesome dwelling. He paused at the wooden gate, which barred his further advance, and gazed up at the black forbidding front. In his rambles over the neighborhood he had never come upon this out-of-the-way place. It lay in a spot so remote, so unfrequented, that few ever did come upon it by chance. And those who knew it gave it a wide berth, for it bore the ghastly reputation of a haunted house.

A long, wailing cry came suddenly and hideously from the upper part of the house. He started. So blood-curdling, so unexpected was it, that for one moment his heart gave a great bound. It was followed by another, wild, agonized—the dead silence fell.

What ought he to do? While he stood there irresolute, the porch door opened, and the mysterious lady he had followed appeared. A second figure, the bent figure of a very old woman came after. The first was speaking.

'No, no, Hannah; you shall not come. Afraid! What nonsense! The time for me to fear anything earthly is past. Nothing living nor dead will harm me. I will reach Searswood in less than three quarters of an hour, get in as I got out, in spite of all Sir Peter's chains and locks, and to-morrow be once more my lady's staid preceptress of youth. Hannah, hannah, what a life it is! Go back; try to keep everything quiet; don't let these ghastly shrieks be repeated if you can help it. How fortunate Bracken Hollow is thought to be Haunted, and no one ever comes here by night or day!'

'We had a narrow escape not long ago for all that. It was one of the bad days, and the lady and gentleman heard. I put them off, but it may happen again, and it will. I can't go on forever.'

'Nothing goes on forever; I don't want it to go on forever. My time is drawing near; little by little the light is breaking, and *my* day is coming. Until it does, keep quiet; use the drug if there's too much noise. I will return as speedily as possible. Now, good night.'

She ran down the steps, walked with her firm, resolute, fearless tread, down the path, and, as before, lingered a second or two at the gate.

The old woman had gone back to the house, and the tall dark figure under the firs she did not see. She drew out her watch and look at it by the light of the moon.

'Half-past one!' she murmured. 'I had not thought it so late. It will be a quarter past two then, before I reach Searswood.'

'And a very late hour for Miss Herncastle to be out alone!'

Obeying an impulse he could not resist, the *chasseur* emerged from the tree-shadows and stood before her.

'With her permission I will see her safely back.'

TO BE CONTINUED.

BIG BOOM

IN WATCHES.

MR. DOIL has just returned from NEW YORK with an immense Stock of

AMERICAN WATCHES.

By importing direct, and buying in large quantities for Cash, Mr. Doil saved from 20 to 30 per cent, which you get the benefit of by buying from him. He also has the latest Novelties in Jewellery, Clocks, Silver Ware, &c., at bottom prices.

Watch Repairing a Specialty.

Cooking Stove for sale—cheap. Apply to Mr. Thos. Henry. STANDARD office.

Josh Billings says he don't care how much a man talks if he says it in a few words. That's the way to write to the STANDARD.

GOLD—is excellent for filling decayed Teeth, but "TEABERRY" prevents the decay, makes them white, and makes people lovable. 5 cent sample.

Dr. Kendall's "Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases" may be had for 15 cents at this office, or free to subscribers who pay in advance.

The last rail has been laid on the Canada Pacific Railway, between Pr. Arthur's Landing and Winnipeg, and on the 1st of July the line will be open for passenger and freight traffic. There is now 1000 miles of the C.P.R built. Our next Dominion day will therefore be an important occasion, as it will mark the inauguration of a means of rapid communication through our own territory to the Prairie Province.

Hanchett & Carter, proprietors of the great 12th Street Livery, Chicago, in a letter dated Dec. 5, 1879, speak thus of Kendall's Spavin Cure: "It is several years since we bought the first of you, and we do not hesitate to say it is the *very best* article for spavins, ringbones, scratches, splints, etc., that we ever used. We would not be without it in our large livery for thousands of dollars. We pronounce it one of the greatest discoveries of the age. It stands without a peer in horse liniment." See advertisement.

ART AND OIL.

The Norfolk (Va.) *Virginian* of Jan. 16, 1881, refers to the remarkable cure effected by St. Jacobs Oil in the case of Prof. Cromwell, [illegible] the country over for his magnificent Art Illustrations—who had suffered excruciating torments from rheumatism, until he tried the Oil, whose effects were magical.

Robt. Askin,

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$250.00

To be distributed in PRIZES for

Horse Racing, Caledonian Games,

Etc. Also a GRAND BAND

TOURNAMENT

For which a Prize of **$40,00** will be given.

At NINE o'clock the CELEBRATED

Phantasmagorian Society

will emerge from their Ancient Retreat, and parade the principal thoroughfares, marshalled by

W. C. K. M. O. P. REDNAMANHOF, B. C. K.

To the best characters prizes will be given as follows: 1st $6, 2nd $3, 3rd $1.

Horse Racing

Will commence at ELEVEN o'clock sharp, and at ONE the different Bands will form in Procession, and march to the Agricultural Grounds when the Band Tournament, Caledonian Games, &c., will take place.

LIST OF GAMES AND PRIZES.

HORSE RACES.—1st Race, Running Purse $20; 1, $15, 2, $5, open to all
2nd do. Trotting do. $20; 1, $15, 2, $5, do.
3rd do. Running do. $10; 1, 7, 2nd $3, open to Farmers' Horses that have never won public money.

Races to be governed by National Association Rules. Running to be best two in three heats and Trotting best three in five heats. Entrance 10 per cent of Purse. Three horses to enter in each race.

FOOT RACES.—Mile Race, Purse $10; 1st Silver Cup $8 by G. W. Parsons, 2nd $2.
Half mile Race $5; 1st $4, 2nd $1
100 yds. Race $4; 1st $3, 2nd $1
Three-legged Race $3; 1st $2, 2nd $1
Wheelbarrow Race $3; 1st $2, 2nd $1
Egg Race $4; 1st $3, 2nd $1
Sack Race $3; 1st $2, 2nd $1
Boys' 100 yds. under 14 yrs. Purse $1.50; 1st $1, 2nd 50c
do. do. 10 do. do. do. do.
Old Men's Race over 50 Purse $3; 1st $2, 2nd $1
Ladies' Race, 50 yds. 1st $3 Set of Jewellery by Mr. W.F. Doll. 2nd $1.

JUMPING.—Standing Long Jump, Purse $1.50; 1st 1.00, 2nd 50c.
Running do. do. do. do.
Hop, step, and Jump do. do. do.
Running High Jump do. do. do.
Entrance 10 per cent of Purse.

Grand Band Tournament Prize $40

Entries to be made on or before June 24. Should only one band enter a Purse of $30 will be given to defray expenses. No entrance fee.

Tug of War, Prize $10

Ten men of Proton Tp against Ten men from any other tp.

Good Music. Dancing. Fireworks.

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Under the auspices of

THE MASONIC LODGES OF OWEN SOUND,

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The Special Excursion Train will leave Owen Sound at 7 o'clock in the morning, taking on Excursionists at all stations between Owen Sound and Flesherton, and arriving in Toronto at 12.30.

Fare: Return Tickets good for two days, Adults $1.25; Children 50c.

Return Tickets good for three days Adults $2.00; Children 75c.

Tickets can be procured in Markdale from Mr W. J. McFarland; in Flesherton from Mr R. J. Sproule; & from all station agents.

For further particulars see large posters.

S. J. PARKER, Chrmn. Ex. Ctte. R. NOTTER, Sec. Ex. Ctte.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as farmers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts contracted by the partnership are to be paid by Richard Johnston, one of the said parties.

Signed in presence of Jas. H. Belevee.

RICHARD JOHNSTON,
ROBERT JOHNSTON.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1882. *92-4

A Good Chance.

HOUSE and lot for sale—lot 12—corner Mill and Wellington Streets, Markdale, will be sold at a bargain. Apply to George Walker, Holland, Markdale P.O., or to C. W. RUTLEDGE.

*92 3 STANDARD Office.

To Builders.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd inst., for the erection of the Stone, Brick and Carpenter work of a three story mill in the Village of Priceville. The proprietor to furnish all materials. Plans and specifications may be seen on application to the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALEX. WEBSTER.

Priceville, 13th June, 1882. 92-3

TO FRAMERS.—SIX FRAMERS wanted until harvest time. Highest wages will be paid. Apply to JOHN GOTT, Inistiogue P.O.

JOHN NOBLE,

MARKDALE.

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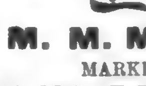

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All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

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Church Directory.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Sunday next, at 7. Sunday School 2 30. J. WARD, Incumbent.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday, 10.30, 7. Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8. General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8. N. A. McDIARMID, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sabbath 10.30, 7. Sabbath School 2.30. Bible class Friday evg. 7.30. Flesherton Town Hall, Sabbath 2 30. Sabbath School 1. A. WILSON, Pastor.

COUNTY COUNCIL.

The County Council met on Monday evening last, pursuant to adjournment, the Warden in the chair. Minutes of January session read and confirmed.

ADDRESS.

GENTLEMEN—It is with much pleasure, after several months absence, that I am permitted to meet you again; and it is a source of satisfaction to me, from all the information I have received, to be able to congratulate you on the appearance of a bountiful harvest, which is alike pleasing to the professional man and mechanic, as well as to us who are engaged in the agricultural pursuits; and it is certainly gratifying to all classes to know that our country altogether, from various causes is in a most prosperous condition.

And I can assure you it is with pleasure that I am able to inform you that our own country in particular is financially in a good position—so much so that our county rate, will, I think, be lower than heretofore.

Our treasurer with his usual financial ability, has been able to invest the funds at his disposal safely, and at an exceedingly fair rate of interest, considering the large surplus capital now seeking investment.

Another very satisfactory feature in our country is that crime is being reduced, thereby reducing the expenditure under the head of administration of justice.

The most important matter that will require your careful consideration at this session, will, I think, be the equalization of the assessment, which I have no doubt, with the able assistance of your Finance Committee, you will be able to do satisfactorily; and my attention having been directed to the necessity of having a copy of all the assessment rolls in the hands of the clerk for this year in time for this session to enable you to properly equalize the assessment, and with a view of facilitating your labors in this direction, I directed our Clerk to notify the Clerks of the various municipalities throughout the county to send him a copy of their assessment roll, as directed by statute; or where they were unable to do so, in consequence of the roll not being finally revised, to furnish him with the following statistics, viz.: The total number of acres assessed: total amount of real property; total amount of non-resident lands; and total amount of personal income.

I beg to submit herewith a copy of presentment of the Grand Jury at the Spring Assizes, forwarded to me by direction of His Lordship, Mr. Justice Burton, calling attention to the improvements and repairs required in the county buildings.

In conclusion, gentlemen, I may say I know of nothing further to bring before you; but should any documents or other information come to my notice requiring your attention, I will immediately communicate the same to you.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
C. R. SING, Warden.

The council then adjourned till to-morrow at 2 p.m.

TUESDAY.

The council met at 2 p.m. The Warden read a large number of communications.

Dr. Christoe made an enquiry of the Warden in reference to the rumors current for some days past in regard to the neglect of the gaol surgeon, whereby the life of a woman confined in the gaol was endangered.

The Warden replied that he had heard of the case from the gaoler, who who said the goal surgeon with Dr. Lang had visited the woman, who was near her confinement and the gaol surgeon had told him Dr. Lang would attend to the case; but when needed Dr. Lang could not be found, and he had to go for another doctor.

Dr. Christoe said that he understood that the gaol sugeon visited the woman on Thursday morning, and had stayed two hours, but then left her. The woman was in pains of delivery from Wednesday till Saturday, when it was thought she would die, and Dr. Barnhart was sent for, and found that the woman would never have been delivered without surgical aid, which was afforded, and she was delivered about 1 o'clock on Sunday morning. He said it was a crying shame on the county of Grey that such a case of neglect should have occurred.

On motion, a committee was appointed to enquire into the case and report to the council.

The council adjourned till 7 p.m. on Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The council met at 7 p.m. The Warden read several accounts which were referred to their respective committees; also a petition from H. Gordon and others relative to Garafraxa road.

The special committee to whom was referred the Warden's Address, presented their report which was adopted.

Report No. 1 of County Property was read recommending purchase of 150 cords of green wood, some repairs to window stops in gaol, and that a hydrant be placed in front of Court House. Report adopted.

A deputation from the High School Board addressed the council in reference to the annual grant; after which School Inspector's reports for North and East Grey were read; also a petition for the establishment of a monthly fair in Markdale.

On motion, the Education Committee were ordered to take the request of the High School Board into consideration, and report at present session.

A motion by Mr. A. B. Lang, seconded by Mr. Thompson, that a rate of a half-mill be levied on the equalized assessment for the purpose of repairing and maintaining county and other leading roads was lost by a vote of 9 to 28.

The report of the Printing Committee recommending payment of accounts for printing, was read and adopted.

The council adjourned till 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Report No. 1 of Finance Committee was read, and on motion the Council went into committee of the whole on the report, which was referred back to committee with instructions to amend it.

A motion made by Mr. McRae, seconded by Mr. Cameron for a grant of $160 to repair the place known as Allen's sink hole, was lost.

By-law 805 to establish monthly fairs at Walters Falls and Markdale was read.

Mr. Chisholm, County Director of T. G. & B. R., presented report of the state of railway matters regarding said road.

Report of Education Committee was read recommending that no further special grant be made to the High School; and reports of Inspectors be engrossed on the minutes.

A motion to go into committee on the report was lost and the council adjourned till 10 o'clock Friday morning.

FRIDAY MORNING.

The Reeve of Durham introduced By-law 806 to assess the municipalities for an amount equivalent to the Legislative School Grant for 1882.

By laws 805 and 806 were read a second time.

Mr. Christoe presented report of No. 1 Finance Committee, showing the equalized assessment of the county; and recommending a grant of $250 to each of the county Agricultural Societies—to be divided and apportioned to township societies in the same manner as Government grant.

Mr. Christoe also presented report relative to sick female in the gaol, acquitting the gaol physician of intentional neglect in the matter. Report adopted.

Council went into committee on report of Finance Committee, and passed report.

By-law 807 was read levying a rate to meet expenses and liabilities of county for 1882.

Report No. 1 of Road and Bridge Committee was read; stating that in reference to petitions for repairs to roads the committee could not recommend any action—their opinion being that each municipality should repair its own road. Report adopted.

A motion by Mr. A. B. Lang, seconded by Mr. Malcolm, to refer the matter back to committee with instructions to recommend an appropriation of $15,000 to repair county and leading roads was lost by 11 to 25.

Report of Education was finally adopted, after motions to go into committee on report and to amend report by adding the sum of $500 for the Owen Sound High School, had been lost.

A committee was appointed to consider the advisability of appointing County Valuators, and the council adjourned till 7 p.m.

FRIDAY EVENING.

The Warden read Treasurer's Statement showing the arrears of county rates due by municipalities.

Council went into committee and filled up By-law Nos. 805, 806, 807, and 808, which were read a third time and passed.

Report No. 2 of County Property Committee was read recommending some repairs to Registry office, and payment of some accounts. Report adopted.

The report of committee appointed to consider advisability of appointing county valuators was read, recommending repairs to Registry office, and payment of some accounts. Adopted.

A by-law was introduced appointing three valuators.

SATURDAY MORNING.

A motion for a grant of $100 to repair bridge over Saugeen river, Bentinck, was lost.

County Treasurer's report on county rates was received and engrossed on the minutes.

Council adjourned till Dec. 6, at 7 p.m.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distnctly understand that we do not hold ourselves reponsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

To the Editor,

DEAR SIR.—Please to allow me, through your widely circulated journal, to contradict some statements made in reference to my horse, "King George," now making the season in your country. I have been informed that some parties have circulated a report that "King George's" bills are incorrect, and that he is not the sire of that noted trotting horse "General Beamish." As it is pretty hard to find a county without such men of evil disposed dispositions, I have no doubt but such a report has been circulated, and as I am now prepared to back up all statements made in "King George's" bill, I will bet $100 to $50 that the bills are correct; so all those empty puffers will either put up or shut up.

I remain yours,
S. C. LANGLEY.

ALLISTON, June 1, 1882.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.14	to	1.15
Barley	0.65	"	0.00
Oats	0.38	"	0.38
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes.	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	0 00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14 00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No.	1	$1.15	to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, "	1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley "	2	.55	to	.65
Peas "	1	.72	to	.72
Oats "	1	.40	to	.40
Butter "	1	.16	to	.16
Eggs			.to	.15
Potatoes "		75	to	75
Pork "		0.00	to	0.00
Hay "		7.00	to	10.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.15
Barley	0.64	"	0.00
Oats	0.40	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0 00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush.	$1 24	to	$1 25
Wheat, spring. do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 63	to	0 64
Oats, do.	0 46	to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82	to	0 82
Rye, do.	0 70	to	0 75
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.	[illegible]		
Beef, hind quarters	11 00	to	12 00
Beef, fore quarters	9 00	to	10 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	14	to	0 17
Butter, store-packed	[illegible]	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	0 17	to	0 17
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 50	to	1 50
Hay	10 50	to	14 00
Wool	[illegible]	to	[illegible]

CHRIST CHURCH S. SCHOOL TRIP TO TORONTO.

Not often does it happen that so many Markdale people meet together outside their village as was the case last Friday, when a great crowd took advantage of the trip to Toronto that had been organised by a committee connected with the Christ Church Sunday School. For 10 days prior to the trip willing workers had toiled hard to give the trip all possible publicity, and seldom has that greater success attend judicious advertising than was the case with this trip on Friday. From far and near a variety of vehicles brought in strangers to join the trip, and at 6.30, two crowds had assembled at the depot, one to see the other off. After a lengthy stay at Flesherton, owing to the taking on of more coaches, a run was made for the Queen City, arriving there some few minutes after the advertised time. The Zoo was visited, and its attractions enjoyed. Next was an adjournment to the park for a picnic, and a visit to the college, and other attractions. Some one way and some another, all made the most of the six hours at their disposal to have a right jolly day. Reassembling at the Union station at 4.30, the train left promptly, and the merry party aweary with pleasure, were borne to county Grey, where 15 or 20 minutes late, the long train of 9 cars drawn by two engines arrived.

The Maxwell Chuch united with that of Markdale in the trip, and consequently great numbers joined the train at Flesherton.

Considerable credit is due the committee for their exertions in making the affair so highly successful. The proceeds of the trip reached nearly $60, and this is mainly due to the energy and enterprise shown by the excursion committee.

A SAD ACCIDENT.

VERY SUDDEN DEATH.

Last Friday, a sad and fatal accident occurred about a mile from Flesherton, on the farm of Mr David White.

In laying out the foundation for a barn, a large stone had to be removed and buried. This, White and a young man named Thomas Duncan, undertook to do. They proceeded to dig a large hole, when suddenly the bank gave way, and the huge rock, weighing some 8 tons came down, crushing Duncan, killing him instantly. White had a narrow escape, his feet being caught.

Duncan was but 17 years of age, he was the son of Mr Duncan, tailor, at Flesherton. This is the second death in the family since they moved here from Brampton six months ago.

OSPREY COUNCIL.

Council met at Feversham on the 15th inst. Members all present. Minutes read and adopted.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Secretary of the Credit valley Railway, *re* extension through Osprey. From Treasurer of Ontario *re* Land Improvement Fund. From Clerk of Collingwood, *re* U. S. Section. Co. Treas., *re* Lot 1, Wellington St., W. Feversham. A. R. Fawcett, bill $1.25 Advt. Court of Revision. G. Willmson & Co. Circ. *re* Road Scrapers.

A deputation from Singhampton, consisting of Messrs. Sing and stinson applied to the Council for a grant of $20, to improve the town line.

MOTIONS.

Speers, Johnson,—That A. R. Fawcett be paid $1.25 for Advt. Court of Revision and Reeve issue order. Carried.

Johnston, Speers,—That R. Lever be paid $19.05 being taxes paid in error to Co. Treasurer. Reeve to issue order. Carried.

Taylor, McIntyre,—That T. Johnston be commissioner for Div. No. 1; J. Taylor No. 2; J. Speers No. 3; A. McGirr No. 4, and A. McIntyre No. 5. Lost.

McGerr, Speers,—in amendment, That the Commissioners be as follows:

Division 1, T. Johnston; 2, A. McGirr; 3, J Speers; 4, J. Taylor; 5, A. McIntyre. Carried.

McIntyre, Speers,—That $100 be granted to each Division to be spent by the several Commissioners appointed by this council. The same to include Commission fee. Carried.

McIntyre, Taylor,—That this Council grant $20 to be expended on the Town Line between the end of general road and 18th Side road in Nottawasaga, provided the council of Nottawasaga grant an equivalent. And that J. R. Sing be commissioned to expend the same. Clerk instructed to notify Nottawasaga Council to that effect. Carried.

Speers, Johnston,—that the R & Bridge committee examine bridge on 20th S. R., Con. 3, S., the bridge on 10th Con., Lot 18, and bridge on the 5th, S. R., Con. 8, and report to Council. Carried.

Speers, Taylor,—That Council adourn to 15th July, to meet at McIntyre. Carried.

MEAFORD ROAD.

Vegetation is now very rapid, and prospects for a good crop of hay, grain, and fruit are excellent.

Elections are now over, and things generally are quiet.

A few cases of sneak thieving in this neighborhood.

Mr. Richard Smith has erected an addition to his barn.

Mr. Jake Holly has put a large frame barn.

Messrs. George Warling, John Warling and Robert Buchanan are busy erecting out-buildings.

Mr. Hislop returned on Tuesday from Dakota.

The Flesherton cheese factory is well patonized by the farmers of this line.

Ephraim Brodie has contracted for the hauling of milk to the Flesherton cheese factory, Wm. Gilbert having given up the same.

The Flesherton and Markdale Methodist Sabbath Schools will have a grand cheap excursion on the 5th July, to Toronto. For full particulars see bills.

Don't forget the Grange Excursion to the Model Farm, Guelph, on the 27th.

BURGLARY.—Mr. J. O. Irving's Pump Factory was entered on Wednesday night, and about $8 worth of tools stolen therefrom. No clue to the thief.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce Ry.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.30 a.m.	3.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	5.00 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.00 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	5.0 p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.3
Mount Forest	6.37	4.5
Orangeville	8.27	4.55
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.15
Toronto, Union St'n.	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.35 a.m.	4.45 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9 08 "	6.
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.
Mount Forest	12.18 "	9.
Harriston	12.55 "	9.
Teeswater	2.25 "	11.
Dundalk	11.12 "	10.
Flesherton & P'ville	11.33 "	8.
Markdale	11.55 "	8.
OWEN SOUND	1.15 "	9.

A mixed train will also run between Toronto and Owen Sound. See time table.

EDMUND WRAGGE, General Manager.

THE ELECTIONS.

GOVERNMENT SUSTAINED.

ONTARIO.

Constituency.	Member.	L.	
Addington	Bell		
Bothwell	Mills	1	
Bruce (N)	Neil	1	
Bruce (E)	Wells		
Bruce (W)	Somerville		
Brant (N)	J. Somerville	1	
Brant (S)	Paterson	1	
Brockville	Wood		
Cardwell	White		
Carleton	Sir John Macdonald		
Durham (W)	Blake	1	
Durham (E)	Williams		
Dundas	Hickey		
Essex (N)	Patterson		
Essex (S)	Wigle		
Elgin (E)	Wilson	1	
Elgin (W)	Casey	1	
Frontenac	Kirkpatrick		1
Grenville (S)	Benson		
Glengarry	McMaster		
Grey (N)	Allen	1	
Grey (E)	Sproule		
Grey (S)	Landerkin	1	
Huron (W)	M. C. Cameron	1	
Huron (E)	Farrow		
Hastings (N)	Bowell		
Hastings (W)	Robertson		
Hastings (E)	J. White		
Hamilton	Kilvert, Robertson		
Halton	McCraney	1	
Huron (S)	McMillan	1	
Haldimand	Thompson	1	
Kingston	Gunn	1	
Kent	Smith		1
Lanark (N)	Jamieson		1
Lanark (S)	J. G. Haggart		
Leeds & Granville North	Ferguson		
Leeds (S)	Taylor		
Lincoln	Rykert		
Lambton (E)	Fairbanks	1	
Lambton (W)	Lister	1	
Lennox	Sir J. Macdonald		
London	Carling		
Middlesex (S)	Rayner		
Middlesex (E)	D. McMillan		
Middlesex (N)	Coughlin		
Middlesex (W)	G. W. Ross	1	
Muskoka	O'Brien		
Monck	L. McCallum		
Norfolk (N)	Charlton	1	
Norfolk (S)	Jackson	1	
Northumberland E.	Cochrane		1
Northumberland W	Guillet		1
Ontario S	Glen	1	
Ontario N	Cockburn	1	
Ontario W	Wheler	1	
Oxford S	Harley	1	
Oxford N	Sutherland	1	
Ottawa City	Mackintosh, Tasse		1 1
Perth N	Hesson		1
Perth S	Trow	1	
Prescott	LaBrosse	1	
Prince Edward	Dr. Platt	1	
Peel	Fleming	1	
Peterborough W	Hilliard		1
Peterborough E	Burnham		1
Russell	Dickinson		1
Renfrew S	Campbell	1	
Renfrew N	White		1
Simcoe E	Cook	1	
Simcoe N	McCarthy		1
Simcoe S	Tyrwhitt		1
Stormont	Bergin		1
Toronto W	Beaty		1
Toronto E	Small		1
Toronto C	Hay		1
Victoria S	Dundas		1
Victoria N	Cameron		
Wellington N	McMullen	1	
Wellington S	Innes	1	
Wellington C	Orton		1
Waterloo N	Kranz		1
Waterloo S	Livingstone	1	
Wentworth S	Springer	1	
Wentworth N	Bain	1	
Welland	Dr. Ferguson		1
York N	Mulock	1	
York E	Mackenzie	1	
York W	N. C. Wallace		1
Total for Ontario		38	48
" Quebec		11	54
" Nova Scotia		6	15
" New Brunswick		8	5
Grand Total		65	134

SOUTH GREY.

	Landerkin	Jackson
Bentinck	122	...
Egremont	121	...
Normanby	44	50
Durham	...	19
Glenelg	...	114
Artemesia	...	30
	287	213

Majority for Landerkin 74

NORTH GREY.

	Allen	Lane
O. Sound	22	...
Sydenham	173	3
Sarawak	...	63
Holland	...	1
Keppel	...	48
Sullivan	...	21
Derby	...	...
	195	136

Allen's majority 59

STANDARD.

...y June 22nd, 1882.

... & OTHER NOTICES.

...ers are asked for, for draining ... McIntosh.

... mail going north was 2 hours ... Wednesday noon.

...large order of fresh fruit coming ... week to McIntyre's.

... school closed owing to ... case of scarlet fever.

...re was a slight frost on Monday ... Little damage done.

...arge supply of canvassed ... arrived at A. McIntyre's.

...C. P. R. conductor named Bis... was murdered on Tuesday.

... Webster, Priceville, wants ... for the erection of a flour mill ...

... and Mrs Haskett returned ... from a two weeks' wedding to...

...s Lizzie Walker left Mark... Friday for Danbury, Conne...

... your horse has a spavin, ... Hall's Spavin Cure. See advert...

...e Montreal Herald building ...ed yesterday morning. ... 000.

...y, what ails the horse? It ... Hall's Spavin Cure. See the... ...ement.

...ther Cassin, Priceville, adver... tenders for erection of a 2 s... ... house.

... Webster, Priceville, ship... ... of oats to Manitoba last Sat... the C. P. Ry.

...oss gets $1000 from the ... Regatta Committee for ... exhibition, June 28.

... paperhanger out of ... recently papered the ... in Orange valley.

On Wednesday night ... were stolen from Mr McD... 11th line, St. Vincent.

The last spike ... railway connecting ... Thunder on Saturday.

A heavy thunder storm ... the district on Sunday even... ...es of great ...

The express train ... 3 hours late ... delay was caused by a train ... the rails.

Mr. Jas. Brodie left on ... morning for ... delegated to attend the ... Orange Lodge.

Said our P.D. to T... Well Tom, did you ... beasts at the Toronto Z... "No," said Tom, "I didn't."

Grand excursion to Tor... Owen Sound, Flesherton, ... mediate stations, on ... See advertisement ... for particulars.

THE S. H. & B. RAILWAY ... expected that the rail... completed by the first of ... run to Wiarton. The m... be carried on the cars.

The Artemesia district ... lodges have decided to ... Battle of the Boyne, ... holding a basket picnic ... son's Grove, 130 side ... between Markdale and ...

ARRIVAL OF ... A large train of ... Monday morning. ... were Germans, ... Western States, and ... itoba, 60 were sent ... about 100 remain ... will get work with ... vicinity.

Several complaints ... Berkely, respecting ... our paper at the P.O. ... the Standard reach ... Monday after date of ... ought not so to be. ... despatch the paper ... day's mail, and ... ceseful in catching the ... day. We are ... the cause of the delay.

THE earth itself is th... disinfectants. This ... antiseptic and deodor... it is porous in the high... readily transmits air ... face, and so changes ... the otherwise obnoxious ... It does not act so rapidly ... results are not so ... as those following the ... ides; but its effect ... and lasting.

A HINT TO BACHELORS ... that the men who are ... fond of the ladies ... them the highest ... the most popular with the ... of great assurance ... lightly hung—who ... the place of ideas, ... ment in the room ... their favourites. A... women leads to ... wards them; and ... by them for neglect ... *Addison.*

THE whisky que... question of fact. If ... State or city do ... do injury; if they ... houses than they ... more honest voters than ... it they build up ... they degrade; if they ... est men than criminals; ... men than paupers; the... not honest, not fair, not ... worthy to be a voter if he ... vote to continue the sal... saloon is a blessing, a man ... to the commonwealth and ... if he opposes it or votes t... But if the reverse is true— ... loon is an enemy to society ... rupts voters; if it fills pris... crowds poor-houses; if it br... hearts, if it beggars childr... we vote for such a curse? ... place men in office or ke... office who wink at the ... saloons is simply a vote ... against good order and ... morals. The whole questio... is the relation of the saloons ... Only this and nothing mor...

MARKDALE POST O...

The Mail at Markdale closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00
Going South	4 30
" North	11 30
Owen Sound Mail	7 00

[illegible] Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH. [illegible]

GOING NORTH. [illegible]

[illegible] train will also run [illegible] and Owen Sound.

EDMUND WRAGGE, General Manager.

ELECTIONS.

GOVERNMENT SUSTAINED

[illegible]

THE STANDARD.

Thursday June 22nd, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

[illegible] are asked for, for draining [illegible] of Melancthon.

[illegible] mail going north was 2 hours [illegible] Wednesday noon.

[illegible] large order of fresh fruit coming [illegible] week to McIntyre's.

[illegible] school closed owing to the [illegible] of scarlet fever.

There was a slight frost on Monday [illegible] Little damage done.

[illegible] supply of canvassed ham [illegible] at A. McIntyre's.

[illegible] C. P. R. conductor named Bisco- [illegible] murdered on Tuesday.

[illegible] Webster, Priceville, wants ten- [illegible] for the erection of a flour mill.

[illegible] and Mrs Haskett returned last [illegible] from a two weeks' wedding tour.

[illegible] Walker left Markdale [illegible] Friday for Danbury, Connecti- [illegible]

[illegible] your horse has a spavin, use [illegible] Spavin Cure. See advertise- [illegible]

The Montreal Herald building was [illegible] yesterday morning. Loss [illegible]

[illegible] what ails the horse? It needs [illegible] Spavin Cure. See their ad- [illegible] vertisement.

Father Cassin, Priceville, advertises [illegible] tenders for erection of a 2 storey [illegible] house.

[illegible] Webster, Priceville, shipped a [illegible] of oats to Manitoba last Saturday [illegible] the C. P. R.

[illegible] $1000 from the Winni- [illegible] Regatta Committee for a rowing [illegible] June 28.

[illegible] out of employment [illegible] the walls of a pump [illegible] Orange [illegible]

On Wednesday night 3 bags flour [illegible] Mr McDonald's barn [illegible] line, St. Vincent.

The last spike was driven in the [illegible] connecting Winnipeg with [illegible] on Saturday.

[illegible] heavy thunder storm passed over [illegible] district on Sunday evening. Hail [illegible] of great size fell.

[illegible] express train going north was [illegible] late on Tuesday evening; the [illegible] was caused by a train leaving [illegible]

[illegible] Jas. Brodie left on Wednesday [illegible] for Sherbooke, having been [illegible] to attend the supreme Grand [illegible] Lodge.

[illegible] P.D. to Tom the other day [illegible] Tom, did you see all the wild [illegible] at the Toronto Zoo on Friday?" [illegible] said Tom, "I didn't see you."

[illegible] excursion to Toronto from [illegible] Flesherton, and inter- [illegible] stations, on the 28th inst. [illegible] advertisement in another column [illegible] particulars.

[illegible] S. H. & B. Railway.—It is ex- [illegible] that the railway will be com- [illegible] by the first of July and trains [illegible] West. [illegible] The mails will then [illegible] carried on the cars.

[illegible] district comprising [illegible] have decided to celebrate the [illegible] of the Boyne, July 12th, by [illegible] a basket picnic at Mrs Thomp- [illegible] Grove, 130 sideroad, half-way [illegible] between Markdale and Flesherton.

[illegible] of Immigrants in Toronto. [illegible] train of immigrants arrived [illegible] morning. A large number [illegible] who went on to the [illegible] States; and 90 went to Man- [illegible] were sent to Hamilton, and [illegible] 100 remained in Toronto. They [illegible] work with the farmers in the [illegible]

[illegible] complaints reach us from [illegible] respecting the late arrival of [illegible] the P.O. It is said that [illegible] reaches Berkely on the [illegible] after date of publication. It [illegible] to be. We never fail to [illegible] the papers in time for Fri- [illegible] mail, and sometimes we are suc- [illegible] in catching the post on Thurs- [illegible] We are endeavouring to trace [illegible] of the delay.

[illegible] earth itself is the best of all [illegible] This is owing to its [illegible] and deodorizing properties; [illegible] in the highest degree and [illegible] transmits air through its sur- [illegible] changes to healthy action [illegible] obnoxious fermentations. [illegible] act so rapidly, or rather its [illegible] not so instantly apparent [illegible] following the use of the chlor- [illegible] its effect is more widespread [illegible]

[illegible] Bachelors.—I have found [illegible] men who are really the most [illegible] of the ladies—who cherish for [illegible] the highest respect—are seldom [illegible] popular with the sex. Men [illegible] assurance—whose tongues are [illegible] who make words supply [illegible] of ideas, and place compli- [illegible] in the room of sentiment—are [illegible] favorites. A due respect for [illegible] leads to respectful actions to- [illegible] and respect is mistaken [illegible] for neglect or want of love.— [illegible]

[illegible] whisky question is simply a [illegible] of fact. If the saloons of a [illegible] do more good than they [illegible] if they build up more [illegible] than they curse; if they make [illegible] voters than corrupt ones; [illegible] build up more families than [illegible] if they make more hon- [illegible] than criminals; more wealthy [illegible] than paupers; then the man is [illegible] not fair, nor manly, nor [illegible] to be a voter if he refuses to [illegible] continue the saloons. If a [illegible] is a blessing, a man is an enemy [illegible] commonwealth and civilization [illegible] opposes it or votes to destroy it. [illegible] the reverse is true—if the sa- [illegible] an enemy to society; if it cor- [illegible] voters; if it fills prisons; if it [illegible] poor-houses; if it breaks warm [illegible] if it beggars children, how can [illegible] for such a curse? A vote to [illegible] men in office or keep those in [illegible] who wink at the existence of [illegible] is simply a vote against law [illegible] good, order and against good [illegible] The whole question is: What [illegible] relation of the saloons to society? [illegible] this and nothing more.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

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EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

The council met as a court of revision on June 2nd, 1882.

Members all present.

The following action was taken in reference to appeals and applications made concerning the assessment roll:

George Hutchinson assessment confirmed.

Samuel Cooper's assessment reduced $100 on personal property.

Joseph Myers assessment confirmed.

Samuel Gilbert, assessment confirmed.

William McElroy's assessment reduced $100 on personal property.

Robert Dunlop, assessment on 9th line confirmed.

Archibald Londry's assessment confirmed.

William Myers placed on assessment roll as farmer's son.

William Garbutt assessed jointly with Robert Garbutt.

William Dickie assessed for W ½, E ½ lot 7, con. 10.

James Coventry assessed for N ½ lot 8, con. 12.

Henry Thompson placed on the roll as farmer's son.

John Neil assessed for S ½ E ½ lot 19, con. 5, and John Langtree notified to this effect.

James M. Langtree assessed for N E part lot 21, con. 5.

Thomas Douglas assessed as tenant for W ½ lot 30, con 9, and John Douglass entered on the roll as owner.

W. O. Smith, Esq., banker, Thornbury, assessed for S ½ lot 6, con. 3, instead of James Hodson.

Mary Jane Boyd assessed for E ½ lot 21, con. 8, at a valuation of $1400.

The court adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m., on Wednesday, 14th inst.

Council resumed.

Minutes of last session of council read and confirmed.

Moved by Mr. Gilray, seconded by Mr. Myles, that the motion refusing to have by-law No. 313, read a third time be rescinded, and that said by-law be now read a third time and finally passed. Lost.

The report of the committee relative to the repairs on Saugeen bridge was accepted, the work to be proceeded with at an early opportunity.

Mr. Jordan's time for collecting the rates of 1881 was extended until the 1st July next, and then to be finally settled up.

Proposals were made by Mr. Dodson and Mr. Mitchell to furnish road scrapers to this corporation if required. W. H. Dodson was reqested to furnish six road scrapers for the use of this municipality.

The Reeve was authorized to confer with the Reeve of Collingwood, relative to repairs required on the town line, Collingwood and Euphrasia, at lots 2 and 3, as it appears that the road at that place is dangerous to the travelling public. The Reeve and Mr. Fawcett were appointed a committee to wait on St. Vincent council on business in reference to the improvement of the town line.

John Pickerin was authorized to expend $5 for the benefit of widow Grey, an indigent.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer to pad as follows: To Frederick Taylor $3.50 for road work; William Warner $17, balance of road contract; Andrew Clarke $6 for repairing bridge.

The council adjourned until Wednesday 14th inst., then to meet for the despatch of general business.

Robert Dunlop, Tp. Clerk.

ON OUR TABLE.

Picturesque Canada: Nos. 7 & 8 have been delivered by the energetic Mr. Hunt, and are fully up to, if not superior to, previous issues. A valuable work is this.

The Canadian Farmer: always good, improves as it grows older.

Truth: a weekly journal from Toronto, keeps well up to the high standard it has taken.

The Farmers' Advocate: is worthy of its title; it is full of information specially needed by farmers.

The Style: published by W. J. McFarland, Markdale, is an useful sheet of fashions.

The Markdale Mission Magazine for June contains some valuable Notes on the Book of Common Prayer, from the pen of the Rev. J. Ward. They shew how the Book originated, and how it has come down to us from almost Apostolic times.

The American Agriculturist for July is very full of valuable information for the farmer, gardner, and housekeeper, including much that will interest all others. Permanent Pastures; Ensilage Experiments; Time of cutting Hay; The Swine of ten States; Southern Pastures; Feeding Poultry, etc. Of the sixty or seventy illustrative engravings and sketches, are those of Aylesbury Ducks; Toulouse Geese; A farm post-driver; Method of stacking Hay; A brush roller; Stable Floors; Prairie Chickens; The Pernicious Bind-weed; Saffron, True and False; A fine Narcissus. The injurious insects in the farm and garden at this season receive much attention, in engravings and descriptions. A prize plan of a house costing $2,0[illegible] is given, with full plans and specifications; also a new, valuable heating furnace (unpatented,) for burning logs and knotty wood etc. "Farming Come to the Front" is a suggestive editorial. The humbug column shows up various swindling schemes. The farm and garden notes supply much needed and timely information. The Household contains numerous articles with engravings on preserving ice, canning fruit, folding-table, catch-alls, harvest drinks, etc. A fourth of July scene will interest the young folks, while the Doctor's Talks contain much that is instructive. Orange Judd Co., Publishers, New York. $1.50 per annum, 15 cents per number.

When the teacher at Walters Falls school resumed duty last Thursday morning, there was great consternation among the scholars owing to the new school decorations. Some one of the too, too energetic workers for the Markdale Christ Church Toronto trip, had not only ornamented the schoolhouse door, but had considerately left pictures of whales, lions, &c., for the edification of the rising generation of this section. The inner and outer walls, and e'en the desk of the preceptor were ornamented. The lessons, too, on Thursday got mixed with zoology. School doors should be locked.

BIRTHS.

McFARLANE.—In Markdale, on the 21st inst., the wife of Mr D. McFarlane, of a daughter.

STRAIN.—In Flesherton, on May 3[illegible], the wife of Mr Wm. Strain, of a son.

MARRIED.

RYAN—QUINLAN.—On the 22nd inst., by Rev. Father Cassin, at St. Peter's Church, Glenelg, Mr John Ryan, to Miss Ellen Quinlan, both of Glenelg.

TURNER—BLACK.—In Durham, on the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's step-father, Finlay MacRae, Esq., by the Rev. Jas. Park, Mr A. Turner, druggist, of Markdale, to Miss Mary Black, of Durham.

DIED.

SHEIDDOWN.—In [illegible], on the 14th inst., Wm. Sheiddown, aged [illegible] years.

FLEMING.—In Brandon, Man., of Measles and inflamation of the lungs, Ezekiel, son of Stuart and Eliza Fleming, aged 14 yrs. Durham papers please copy.

NOTICE.

TENDERS WANTED for the erection of a Two storey BRICK HOUSE at the Irish Lake. Tenders will be received till the 8th of July. Plans and Specifications can be seen at the residence of Father Cassin, Priceville. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Priceville, June 21, 1882. 38-4

Tenders for Drainage WORKS.

SEALED TENDERS marked "Tenders for Drainage" will be received at the Office of the undersigned up till 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 3rd day of July, 1882, for the drainage of a portion of the Township of Melancthon.

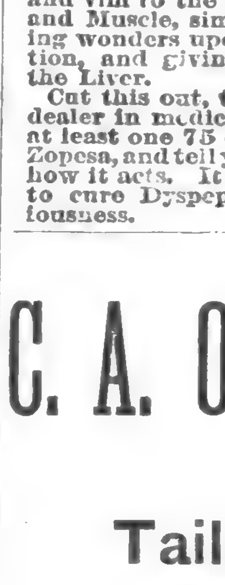
Tenders may be for one or more drains, and to be accompanied with the names of good and efficient sureties for the due performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and Specifications of the work may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

Melancthon, June 20, 1882. 48-4



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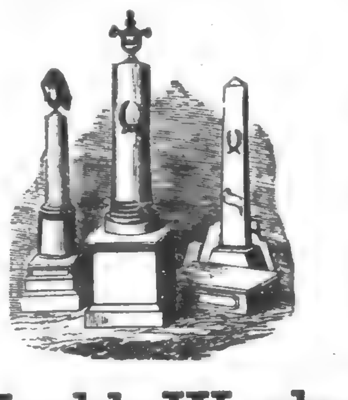

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Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

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It has performed a miracle in my case.

I have no unearthly noises in my head, and hear much better.

I have been greatly benefited.

My deafness helped a great deal—think another bottle will cure me.

Its virtues are unquestionable and its curative character absolute, as the writer can personally testify, both from experience and observation. Write at once to Haylock and Jenney, 7 Dey Street, New York, enclosing $1 and you will receive by return a remedy that will enable you to hear like anybody else, and whose curative effects will be permanent. You will never regret doing so.—Editor of Mercantile Review.

To avoid loss in the mails, please send money by Registered Letter.

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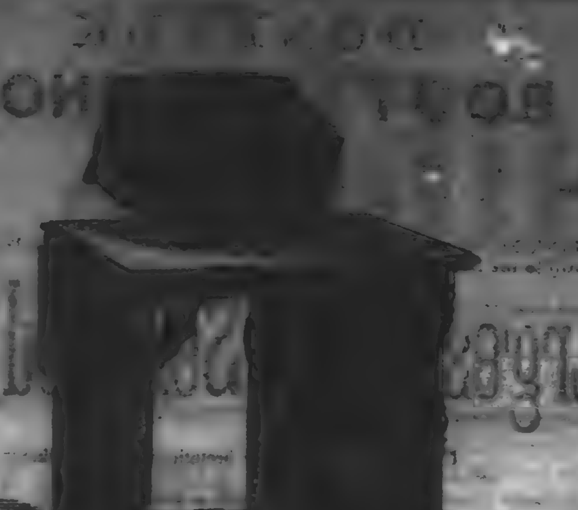

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Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and addressed "Tender for School House," will be received at his residence, Lot No. 2, Con. 11, Township of Euphrasia, until Saturday, the 17th day of June, up to 6 o'clock p. m., for the erection of a frame School House for School Section No. 15, Township of Euphrasia.

Plans and specifications may be seen and other information had at the residence of James Stinson, Esq., Lot No. 6, Con. 11, Township of Euphrasia. The Trustees will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order of the Trustees,

JAMES STRUTHERS, Sec'y.

Euphrasia, June 6th, 1882. 20-1

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We have recently published a new edition of Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay on the radical and permanent cure (without medicine) of Nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, &c., resulting from excesses.

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Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers, machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

Beware of $1 Dominion of Canada bills, from 155,000 to 165,000. They are circulating throughout the country and are worthless.

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better than any other oil in the market. Ask your local dealer and take no other.

On Monday of last week a fire broke out in Lines' blacksmith shop Hanover and burned it to the ground. $700 Insurance on the building.

All forms of female weakness, suppression, irregularities and painful periods are effectually remedied by the great regulating system renovator, Burdock Blood Bitters. Sample bottle 10 cents.

An editor recently found a New Testament on his table. He at once wrote an elaborate review of it, and was much disappointed when foreman brought the copy back, and told him it was not a new book.

Would you avoid the Biliary complaints incidental to spring and summer? Cleanse the system with Burdock Blood Bitters. It regulates the liver, bowels, kidneys, and blood, and is the purest tonic in the world. Trial bottles 10 cents.

An editor's bizness is to write editorials, grind out poetry, sort manuscripts, keep a mighty big waste basket, steal matter fite other people's battles, take white beans and apple sass for pay when he can git it,, work 19 hours out of 24, and be cussed bi evrydody.—Josh Billings.

Ague and all Malarial and Biliary complaints are most promptly cured [illegible] great blood cleaning, liver regulating tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters. [illegible] on the bowels, liver, kidneys and blood. Trial bottles 10 cents.

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The exemption of several individuals from typhoid fever, which recently prevailed very largely in a Western town, was directly traced to the fact that they maintained an excellent state of health by the use of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, non-alcoholic, and may be had of all druggists. Price 50 cents. A. Turner & Co., agents, Markdale. and G. W. Parsons, Agent, Dundalk.

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Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

DR B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express.* I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone if properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure
ON HUMAN FLESH.

WEST ENOSBURGH, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

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Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

ST. JOHN, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

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Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

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THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

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Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

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Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

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ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

1882. SPRING 1882.

Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

—AT THE—

TORONTO HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Wm BROWN.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882.

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J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

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Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRING & SUMMER Goods

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Muslins,
All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

Scotch and West of England Tweeds,

Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

Denims, Oxford Shirtings,

A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS in ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

HENRY FOSTER.
MARKDALE.

MARKDALE HOUSE

MARKDALE.

ALEX RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience, and is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers. The only Hotel Omnibus in town. Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 18

SEEDS

PURE SEEDS

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel Corn, &c.

Tares, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods

Pure Drugs & Chemicals.
Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of [illegible] very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes [illegible] business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER,

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale May 27th, 1881. 35-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as before.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

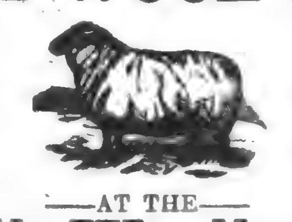
Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882.



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—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 22, 1881.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

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R. M. Galbraith. AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL [illegible] Agent, Williamsford Station [illegible] Sales attended in all parts of the [illegible] Goods sold on commission. Rates [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines [illegible] Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines [illegible] tural Implements, and Machinery [illegible] kinds on sale. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

SEEING IS BELIEVING [illegible] GENTLEMEN, If you want a first-[illegible] Buggie or Wag[illegible] call at McKENNA & MASON'S CARRIAGE WORKS MARKDALE [illegible] They can supply you with an [illegible] Lumber Wagon up to an Extension Top Pha[illegible] To buy from them is to SAVE MONEY [illegible] They are both practical workmen [illegible] employ none but PRACTICAL WORKMEN [illegible] They guarantee their work [illegible] Second to none for Lightness of [illegible] and Superiority of Finish [illegible] They use nothing but First-class [illegible] for Wagons, and thrice Extra [illegible] Growth Hickory for light work [illegible] The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is [illegible] proof of the wide reputation they [illegible] for doing good work. THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST IN [illegible] Poor cheap work we positively [illegible] not take. Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriages [illegible] Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) HORSESHOEING [illegible] On Mill Street opposite Sproule's Hotel. McKENNA & MASON

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...community that we have for sale ...stock of

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...RISING

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

...general that we have a full line of FLOWER SEEDS.

...tent Medicines, Perfumery, ...ilet Soaps, Fancy Goods, ...c Chemicals, ...and Tobacco.

Medical Hall.

...ated Oil Cake just received.

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...BATTONS, FRAMES

...and Shingles, ...Promptly Filled.

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...CARDED

...en Mills.

...et Yours

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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 61.

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... Owen Sound, in Vicker's Block ... and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday every ... 57-ly

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... you with anything from a

Lumber Wagon

up to an

Extension Top Phæton.

... from them is to

SAVE MONEY!

... practical workmen, and employ none but

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... guarantee their work ... Lightness of Draught ... Superiority of Finish.

... but First-class White Oak ... and thrice Extra Second Growth Hickory for light work.

... amount of work turned ... McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient ... of the wide reputation they enjoy ... good work.

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... attention given to Re-Trimming ... all classes of Carriage Work.

Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) in

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SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.

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Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

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Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

W.M. LUCAS, Manager.

Spteember 23, 1880. 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,

DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with

WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB-SLEIGHS,

Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Every Working Day,

By Thomas Smith,

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal, AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

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Joseph Gibson,

PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL

PLASTERER.

WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING

in Shades and Colors.

All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.

Markdale P.O.

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NOTICE.

TENDERS WANTED for the erection of a Two storey BRICK HOUSE at the Irish Lake. Tenders will be received till the 8th of July. Plans and Specifications can be seen at the residence of Father Cassin, Priceville. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Priceville, June 21, 1882. 93-4

T. B. Gilliland,

PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,

EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention. 86 100.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

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To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the

Fonthill Nurseries,

THE

LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.

BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL, P. Q., and ST. PAUL, MINN.

NURSERIES, FONTHILL, ONT.

We can start in addition to our already large force

100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been, If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.

Apply to

STONE & WELLINGTON,

Nurserymen, Toronto, Ont.

90-106

THE NEW ARTIST

Continually ... all ... Tinted of

GOOD PHOTOS

To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,

—AND—

MODERATE PRICES,

is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

J. L. BROWNE,

Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

ROBT. ASKIN,

MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

—AND—

UNDERTKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS, CASKETS, SHROUDS, and all

FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,

supplied on the shortes notice.

A Splendid Hearse

for hire at moderate rates.

FURNITURE!

From the Common to the

Best and Latest Styles,

in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

ROBT. ASKIN.

Union Carriage Works.

All work manufactured from

FIRST CLASS MATERIAL

In the Latest and Best Improved Style, and finished with

English Varnish.

Painting & Trimming Rigs

will receive prompt attention.

All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside

D. J. SHANAHAN,

Proprietor.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

WANTED.

5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T., G. & B. Railway, $3.25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

D. L. VAN VLOCK,

P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.

March 23, 1882 90-101

AGENTS wanted to sell Edison's Musical Telephones and Edison's Instantaneous Piano and Organ Music. Enclose stamp for catalogue and terms.

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Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful. "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixer or Liniment in the World, should be in every family handy for use when wanted "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 30-ly

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NEW STOCK

The subscriber has just purchased a New Stock of

Liquors,

Of the best brands. Liquor in its purity is a benefit to the invalid, but the curse of Alcohol consists in its adulterations. I have now on hand a quantity of

Wine, Rum, Brandy & Whisky

Which cannot be equalled in Markdale.

My Rum cannot be excelled this side Toronto

Those wishing a pure Wine for Communion Service will please give me a call.

Teas Coffees,

Sugars, Raisins,

Currants, &c.,

PORK,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

WILSON DENSON.

Markdale. May 24st, 1882. 5.

GEORGE WILSON,

Wholesale and Retail

{BUTCHER!}

BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 8 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

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Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made eqtensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping one Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

69ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau stree, New York. 20

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

—FROM—

KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

THOS. MATHEWS,

HarnesS EstablishmenT!

MARKDALE.

EVERYTHING IN OUR LINE KEPT ON HAND OR MADE TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.

LIVERY!

IN CONNECTION.

MARKDALE

Meat Market.

A constant supply of

Fresh Meats!

on hand, at the

Lowest Living Prices.

Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

Farmers having fat stock to dispose of, will please leave their addresses.

TERMS, STRICTLY CASH

FRED. SARJEANT.

Markdale, March 23, 1882. 80-ly

THE GREAT

GERMAN REMEDY

FOR

RHEUMATISM,

Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

No Preparation on earth equals St. Jacobs Oil as a safe, sure, simple and cheap External Remedy. A trial entails but the comparatively trifling outlay of 50 Cents, and every one suffering with pain can have cheap and positive proof of its claims.

Directions in Eleven Languages.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.

A. VOGELER & CO.,

Baltimore, Md., U. S. A.

The Poet's Corner

WHAT HOME IS.

Home's not merely four square walls,
Though with pictures hung and gilded;
Home is where affection calls,
Filled with shrines the heart hath builded

Home's not merely roof and room,
It needs something to endear it;
Home is where the heart can bloom,
Where there's some kind face to cheer it.

Home, my dear, is where the heart is,
Wheresoe'r that shrine may be ...
And when I think of home, my love,
I think of naught but thee.

COME O'ER THE SEA.

Come o'er the sea,
Maiden with me,
Mine through sunshine, storm and snows;
Seasons may roll,
But the true soul
Burns the same, wheree'er it goes.
Let fate frown on, so we love and part not;
'Tis life where thou art; 'tis death where thou art not.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XIV

UNDER THE KING'S OAK.

Captain Redmond O'Donnell,' she said slowly. 'It is you. I breathe again. For a ghost. My nerves are good, but you gave them a shock.'

'Yes,' Captain O'Donnell dryly answered. 'I think your nerves are good, Miss Herncastle. There are not many young ladies—not many strong-minded governesses even—who would fancy the long, lonely walk between Scarswood and this place, between the ghostly hours of twelve and two.'

'In justice to myself and my motives, let me say something to-night. In the usual course of event though it might surprise me to see Lady Dangerfield's governess taking a moonlight ramble after midnight, it certainly would not induce me to follow her. But another motive than curiosity prompted me to-night—to dog your footsteps, to wait for your reappearance, and to accompany you home.'

I recognised Miss Herncastle at six o'clock last evening, as she stood upon the lawn reading the "Battle of Fontenoy,'"

'Indeed!' Miss Herncastle responded, with supreme indifference; 'recognized me, did you? I am rather surprised at that. You encountered me in the streets of London probably before I came here?'

'No, madame, I encountered you in the streets of a very different city.

'I congratulate Captain O'Donnell on his excellent memory. And my face puzzled you at first, did it? and you have come out all right in the end?'

'Carry your memory back to the night of my first appearance there. I saw you play Charlotte Corday, and in common with all present, your manner of acting electrified me. More. I knew immediately that I had seen you before, and in somewhat similar circumstances. I asked who you were, and was told Lady Dangerfield's nursery governess. That nonplus me—my recollection of you were altogether irreconcilable with the character of children's preceptress. Then came last evening, and your very fine rendering of the Irish poem. And again I was puzzled. Your face was perfect familiar—your attitude, your voice, your action—but where had I seen you? Do you remember Lady Cecil's exclamation—"Miss Herncastle, you are a born actress?" Like mist before the sun, the haze of my mind was swept away, and I knew you. I repeat it, Miss Herncastle, I knew you.'

'You knew me?' Miss Herncastle repeated, but her eyes were beaming strangely now; 'well, sir, you knew nothing to my discredit, I hope?'

'Nothing to your discredit, if you have told Lady Dangerfield the truth. But baronets' wives rarely look for their children's instructresses in the person of a ... New York actress.'

'Captain O'Donnell!'

Miss Herncastle ...

And then there was a pause, and for an instant how horribly thick and fast Miss Herncastle's heart beat only Miss Herncastle ever knew.

'I don't understand you,' she said but in spite of all her great self-command, her voice sounded husky. 'A New York actress! I never was in New York in my life. I am an English woman, born and bred.'

If he would only take his eyes off her face she thought her defiant spirit would rise again. But those powerful blue eyes, keen as a knife, bright as steel, seemed to pierce her very soul, and read all its falsehood there.

'I regret Miss Herncastle takes the trouble to make unnecessary statements,' he said coldly. 'An English woman born and bred. I believe that, but as surely as we stand here, I saw you six months ago on a New York stage—one of the most popular actresses of the city.'

'The play was "Hamlet,"

I had never seen "Hamlet," and I went the first night of my arrival in New York. The Ophelia of the play was a tall back-browed, majestic woman, who acted superbly, and who looked as if she could take care of herself; but then all American women have that look.

Miss Herncastle, I don't remember the name of that actress on the bills, but I certainly have the honour of walking by her side to night. No,'—he lifted his hand hastily, 'I beg you will not trouble yourself to deny this. what good will it do? You can't convince me though you denied it till day light. I know I speak the truth.'

'Why should I lie? You are a man of honour, a soldier, and a gentleman—you will not betray me. I will tell the truth' Captain O'Donnell. I am the New York actress—I am the Ophelia you beheld six months ago.'

Has your own fate been ordered so smoothly that you should hunt down to ruin a poor wretch with whom life has gone hard?'

Something in her tone—something in that passionate, savage, hunted look of her eyes touched him, he hardly knew why.

'No God knows,' he said sadly. 'my own life has been no pathway of roses. I am the last man on earth to sit in judgment upon my struggling fellow-mortal, and accuse him. I have no wishes to hunt you down, as you call it. This night's work, this night's discovery, and your avowal, shall be as though they had never been. Whether I do right or wrong in concealing the truth is much too subtle a question for me—I only know I will conceal it.'

Unless I find trouble of any kind coming of it. You are doing mischief already.

'Shall we cry quits, or shall it be war to the knife?'

He touched the ungloved hand she extended and dropped it coldly.

'It shall be whatever Miss Herncastle chooses.'

'Good-night, Captain O'Donnell.'

He lifted his hat and turned at once. Miss Herncastle stood where he had left her, following the tall gallant figure that crossed the moonlit field so swiftly, with a strange expression in her eyes and on lips. Not anger, certainly not hatred, whatever it might be. Then she turned, entered the great elm avenue and disappeared.

It was the next night after this that something very strange and very startling occurred to Sir Peter Dangerfield. He was returning at midnight from a gaming house at Castleford, and rode gaily homeward the richer by $3000. In his elation he dreaded no spirit—but suddenly his horse shied.

They were near a huge oak, called the King's Oak. Its great branches cast shadows for yards around. And slowly out of those gloomy shodows a figure came—a white figure, with streaming hair, and face upturned to the starry sky. All in white—true ghostly garments—noiseless, slow, it glided out and stood full in his pathway.

The bright, cold light of the moon shone full upon it, and he saw—the dead face of Katherine Dangerfield!

Katherine Dangerfield! Not a doubt of it. Who should know the face better than he? as he used to see her long ago in her white dress and flowing hair. Katherine Dangerfield, with a face of stone upturned to the midnight sky.

He sat frozen for a moment—frozen with a horror too intense for words or cry. Then the startled horse shied again, and a shriek rang out in the midnight stillness, those who heard might never forget, The horse plunged madly forward, and there was the sound of a heavy fall.

The groom, half asleep at his post, rushed out; two or three dogs barked loudly in their kennels. The groom rushed forward and seized the horse, quivering with affright. He was riderless. At a little distance lay Sir Peter, face downward, on the dewy grass, like a dead man. And nothing else, earthly or unearthly, was anywhere to be seen.

CHAPTER XV.

"AS IN A GLASS, DARKLY."

The groom echoed his master's cry as he stooped and lifted him up. He was senseless; he had struck his forehead on a stone, and was bleeding freely. It was an awfully ghastly face upon which the moonlight shone.

They bore the stark and bleeding form between them, found his night key in his pocket, opened the door and carried him up to his own room. One or two of the servants appeared—the alarm was spreading through the household.

The groom had gone for the surgeon, pending the surgeon's arrival nothing seemed likely to be done. In the midst of the confusion worse confounded appeared upon the scene Miss Herncastle, also in a wrapper, alarmed by the noise, and carrying a night-lamp in her hand.

'Oh, Miss Herncastle!' my lady exclaimed, 'perhaps you may know what to do. I am sure I don't, and it was most inconsiderate awakening me in that manner when my nights are so broken, and with my shattered nerves and all. And then the sight of blood always makes me sick. Perhaps you can do something for Sir Peter; he has had a fall off his horse and seems to be stunned. I don't believe he is killed. I wish you would see, and if its not dangerous I'll go back to bed.'

My lady shivered in the chill night air, the great rooms and long corridors of Scarswood were draughty. I would stay with pleasure, of course, if there was any real danger, or if Sir Peter were dying, or that kind of thing, but I *know* he is not.'

'I dare say you would,' more than one of the servants present thought, as they listened to this wifely speech, and smiled furtively. 'If Sir Peter were dying, my lady, you *would* stay with pleasure.'

Miss Dangerfield felt his pulse, wiped away the blood and set about restoring him. When at length he opened his eyes and saw her, he fell back senseless.

When O'Donnell heard of the occurrence he made up his mind to sift the matter to the bottom. He suspected who had been playing the ghost. He visited Sir Peter, and having heard his story, asked if he had any picture of Katherine Dangerfield. Yes, and this O'Donnell took possession of. He examined it thoroughly and found there was a great similarity between the picture of the dead lady and Miss Herncastle; still he thought they were not the same.

O'Donnell's mind, however, was at work, and he determined upon a strange course of action. Sir Peter was sure Katherine was dead. O'Donnell visited the churchyard and there read the inscription on the gray tombstone,

KATHERINE,

ÆTAT 17.

RESURGAM.

He was about to leave the yard when he discovered that he was not alone. Miss Herncastle was there, and with her—a man. Who was he?

'You must go back, Henry, and at once, to-night. That you have been at Castleford at all will cause talk enough. I had to tell you Marie De Lansac was here, but I certainly did not expect you to answer my letter in person. Say good-bye now, and let me go alone; it would be fatal to all our project to be seen with you.'

Their hands clasped. The man muttered something earnestly in too low a tone to be heard Miss Herncastle's clear voice responded:

'Give up! give up now, after all I have suffered, all I have worked so hard to accomplish, all I have done already! Never! You should know me better than that. The first instalment of my revenge I have had. What I have sworn, I will do; then, I care little what comes. Good-night, my kind, my faithful friend; go back to London at once.'

She pulled a thick lace veil over her face, and walked away with her own rapid, resolute step. The man lingered for nearly ten minutes; then he, too, opened the gate and disappeared in the gloaming.

And Captain O'Donnell! He stood like one petrified. Marie De Lansac! his sister's Louisianian name on Miss Herncastle's lips and to this man! What did it mean? And her revenge—the oath she had made, and meant to keep! What strange, incomprehensible jumble of mysteries was it altogether? His head absolutely turned giddy for a moment with the surging thoughts that filled his brain.

Who was Miss Herncastle? He glanced at the grave, and the gray stone, gleaming in the moonrays, that told the legend of Katherine Dangerfield's death. If Katherine Dangerfield were dead—if—what reason had he to doubt it? And yet!—and yet—his blue eyes flashed, his lips set, his face grew like iron with a sudden, stern resolve.

'I'll get at the bottom of this juggling. I'll find out who you are, my mysterious Miss Herncastle! I'll find out whether it was Katharine Dangerfield's ghost Sir Peter saw under the King's Oak, or—a living woman! And, above all, I'll find out what the name of Marie de Lansac has to do with you or that man!'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

A LETTER FROM MANITOBA.

BY G. L. DODDS.

This time I write you from Flat Creek, 65 miles west of Brandon, and the present terminus of the C. P. R. The village is entirely of cotton. 300 tents, all shapes and sizes, cover the ground; some are hotels, some are stores, and some whisky stands. The survey party unshipped their horses and supplies here. Sixty miles more track will be opened shortly. The land along here is not good until the new town of Manchester, 15 miles west is reached. In Flat Creek there are about 2000 people, all come within 10 days. Some are healthy and strong, some down with measles, and two with typhoid fever, numbers are dying. The water here is better than at Winnipeg. I have been here about 3 weeks, and like the place. The STANDARD and the ADVANCE are welcome guests. If any of your readers should come to Flat Creek, they must be sure to call. It is a good time to look for land. Some should come and witness the Hanlan-Ross exhibition on the Red River. The Sioux Indians are numerous; they come in, painted and feathered, sit down around a drum, and treat us to a pow-wow; some dance, others sing, &c. They are inoffensive, and take a joke well. The weather is fine, hot days, cool nights. I should judge there are 5 miles of sidings in the Ry. yard here, the agent rides on horseback when looking after the cars. Agents get $125 per month section foremen $2.50 per day, their men $2. Flour is $3.75 per 100 lbs. Oatmeal $4.50. Oats $1 per bushel. Potatoes $1.00. Board $5 week, or 40c a meal. The bulk of the people are going to Qu'Appelle, 200 miles west. The track will be open by end of July. Wood is scattered about, as far as I have been west but it is scarce at Qu'Appelle.

The Dundalk survey party left here on Monday last for Touchwood Hills.

METHODIST STATIONS.

OWEN SOUND DISTRICT.

Owen Sound—Clarkson, Scott, Denard, superannuated.
Brookholm—Johnson.
Woodford, Leith.
Walters Falls, Perry.
Chatsworth, Lake.
Williamsford, Thomas.
Markdale, McDiarmid.
Flesherton, McDowell.
Eugenia Falls, Grandy.
Dundalk, Snowdon.
Priceville, Edmunds, B.D.
Wiarton, Terrance.
Lyon's head, One wanted.
Hepworth, Legate
Allenford, Godfrey
Cape Croker, Glasier, Jacques, sup.
D. C. McDowell, chairman
N. A. McDiarmid, fin. sec.

COLLINGWOOD DISTRICT.

Collingwood, Laird, Sallows, sup.
Kirkville, Paffer
Thornbury, Gee, Franks
Meaford, Washington, M.A.
St Vincent, Clarke
Maxwell, Dowler
Hornings Mills, Burwash
Shelburne, Medcalfe
Avening, Edwards, Liddy
Stayner, Wilkinson
Parry Sound, Casson
Parry Island, Native assistant
Christian Islands, Salt
J. G. Laird, chairman
R. Clarke, fin. sec.

WALKERTON DISTRICT.

Walkerton, Smythe, Tyndall, Rolston, sup.
Mildmay, Thibadeau
Hanover, Aus. Potter, Vandewater, Clarke, sup., Holmes, supernumerary
Durham, Smiley, M.A.
Chesley, Greene, (Salton)
Invermay, Rupert, M.A.
Arkwright, Webster, Carson, Hall, supy.
Paisley, Edge
Eden Grove, Pepper
Tiverton, Barkwell
Pt Elgin, Galloway
Sangeen, Culbert
E. S. Rupert, chairman
J. Galloway, fin. sec.

HOLLAND CENTRE.

ADJOURNED COURT OF REVISION.

The assessment roll as corrected was passed.

COUNCIL.

E. Muldoon refunded $1, money overpaid.

Mr Cameron to compare statement of lands sold for taxes, 1877, with Co. Treasurer's books. Lot 63, con. 3, w pt. 64 W,

Co. Treasurer to erase taxes against lot 2 of 5, con. 1, E. G. R. by J. Freeman paying $15.28.

Mrs Allen to be refunded that part of her license money equal to what the township received.

$125 to be expended in each ward.

Dr Kennedy to allow John Waters and Widow Armstrong to perform their roadwork on 49 sideroad.

The following road commissioners were appointed; R. M. Galbraith for 1 & 4 wards; R. Clark, 3 ward; Jas. Adams, 2 ward.

Chas. Boyd and Mark Apply's petition respecting cattle at large was not entered.

$25 was granted to the Holland Agricultural Society.

Deviation at Thos. Anderson's to be surveyed.

Pathmasters to cause all obstructions to be removed from the roads.

The co. treasurer to erase all taxes against s ½ 10, con 9.

J. McDonald was appointed to meet the clerk of Sullivan to equalise U.S. S. Holland and Sullivan.

Orders were issued as follows:

E. Muldoon	...	$1 00
Ag. Society	...	20 00
R. Bradley	...	99 50
P. McIntosh	...	2 00
R. Shute	...	90 00

The clerk was instructed to make conveyance for Dr McCalland and this corporation.

$100 to be expended on 6 sideroad, between 10 & 12 con.

Council adjourned till July 10.

EUPHRASIA.

Council met as an adjourned court of revision on June 14.

Members all present, except Mr. Fawcett.

Ch. Clark assessed for N E ¼ lot 90 con. 8, val. $700.

John Ross assessed for E ½ lot 3, con. 6, val. $600.

Hugh Knott (altered from E. E. Knott) assessed as tenant lot 26 & N½ lot 25, con. 4; and E. E. Knott placed on roll as owner.

J. Boyd assessed E ½ lot 21, con. 8 instead of Mary Jane Boyd, valuation $1400.

J. H. Pritchard, assessed for S½ of W½ lot 25, con. 8, instead of Wm. Kelley.

J. G. Millar assessed for S ½ lot 22, con 5, val. $1100.

R. Myles asst. fixed at valuation of $2800.

The assessment roll was then confirmed.

COUNCIL.

Minutes of last session read and confirmed.

A. Loudry having performed his statute labor in S. McCort's road division, produced Mr. McCort's receipt, which was accepted.

Rodger Bowser to call upon Robt. Loughead to perform five days' statute labor in Mr. Bowser's road division for John C. Millar's property, S ½ 22 con. 4.

Instructions to pathmasters and fenceviewers to be prepared for publication.

The Reeve's orders were issued to John Clugston, $80, salary as assessor; Robert Dunlop, $20, for preparing minutes (1881) for publication; Andrew Clark, $15, balance for building bridge on townline between this township and St. Vincent.

The council adjourned till July 7.

NOTHING ON EARTH SO GOOD.—Certainly a strong opinion, said one of our reporters, to whom the following was detailed by Mr. Henry Kaschop, with Mr. Geo. E. Miller, 418 Main street, Worcester, Mass.: "I suffered so badly with rheumatism in my leg last winter that I was unable to attend to my work, being completely helpless. I heard of St. Jacob's Oil and bought a bottle, after using which I felt greatly relieved. With the use of the second bottle I was completely cured. In my estimation there is nothing on earth so good for rheumatism."

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.20 a.m.	3.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	5.02 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	6.48 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	5.47 p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.25
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union St'n.	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7.35 a.m.	4.85 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9.08 "	6.00 "
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00 "
Mount Forest	12.18 "	8.50 "
Harriston	12.55 "	9.15 "
Teeswater	2.25 "	10.15 "
Dundalk	11.12 "	8.04 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.39 "	8.30 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.45 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	9.55 "

A mixed train will also run between Toronto and Owen Sound. See time table.

EDMUND WRAGGE,
General Manager.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6,00 to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20 to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.14 to	1.15
Barley	0.65 "	0.00
Oats	0.38 "	0.38
Peas	0.74 "	0.75
Potatoes.	0.75 "	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16 "	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0. "	0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00 "	0.00
Beef	0.00 "	0.00
Hides	7.25 "	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50 "	3.00
Hay	12.00 "	14 00
Wool	0.20 "	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.75 "	1.00
Lard	0.10 "	0.12
Tallow	0.05 "	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75 "	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15 to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20 to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55 to	.65
Peas " 1	.72 to	.72
Oats " 1	.40 to	.40
Butter " 1	.16 to	.16
Eggs	.to	.15
Potatoes "	75 to	75
Pork "	0.00 to	0.00
Hay "	7.00 to	10.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00 to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20 to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15 "	1.15
Barley	0.64 "	0.80
Oats	0.40 "	0.40
Peas	0.74 "	0.75
Potatoes	0.75 "	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16 "	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15 "	0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00 "	0.00
Beef	0 00 "	0.00
Hides	7.25 "	7.50
Hay	12.0 "	11.0
Timothy seed,	2.50 "	3.00
Wool	0.22 "	0.00
Lard	0.10 "	0.12
Tallow	0.05 "	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 24 to	$1 25
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30 to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 62 to	0 65
Oats, do.	0 48 to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82 to	0 85
Rye, do.	0 70 to	0 75
Clover Seed do.	4 70 to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs...		
Beef, hind quarters	11 00 to	13 00
Beef, fore quarters	9 00 to	10 00
Butter, large rolls	00 to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	14 to	0 17
Butter, store-packed	00 to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 17 to	0 17
Eggs, packed	o 00 to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50 to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 50 to	1 50
Hay	10 50 to	14 00
Wool	00 19 to	00 20

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows ;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

THURSDAY, JUNE 29

MARKDALE CATTLE FAIR.

While towns and villages around and about us are standing still, or perhaps sliding backwards, Markdale is ever and anon making a rapid stride in a forward direction. "Up to the necessities of the times," is the motto upon which in most of her doings the village acts, and thus makes progress. The last step in the right direction is the establishment in the village of a monthly cattle fair. It is a subject of surprise that the matter has been held in abeyance so long, when such a good chance has been presenting itself. It is somewhat humiliating to Markdale people to read that the name of their village and that of Walter's Falls should be linked together in the county council for the establishment of cattle fairs. Yet so it is; Walter's Falls is up to Markdale in this respect and placed on the same footing. However when anything of this sort is taken in hand here, no pains are spared to make it successful. It is one thing to have a fair and another thing to have a successful fair. Let this be made a benefit to the village, and increased business cannot fail but result in increased prosperity.

The farmers of the neighborhood will doubtless be alive to their interests in making the most of this new attraction at Makdale. Of late years the farmers have been entirely at the mercy of buyers who go round to the farms, and who invariably have the sad news for the farmer that such and such "is going down." With the buyers meat is always going down, but when the same buyer turns vendor, meat at once goes up, and the result is the cattle buyer has been enabled to pocket good round proceeds. The cattle fair will, to a very great extent, remedy this evil. Competition will regulate prices and the farmers will thus secure increased profits.

THE T. G. & B. Ry.

Among the many improvements which this road has undergone is the change of gauge to four feet eight and a half inches, admitting of a reciprocal interchange of cars with all the standard railways of the continent. It has been thoroughly equipped, the rolling stock adapted to the standard gauge, the track laid throughout with new steel rails, the station-houses and buildings along the line renovated, long stretches of wire fencing erected and nearly all the old wooden bridges have been replaced by massive iron structures resting on solid stone foundations. The road now presents a far different appearance to what it did under the "narrow gauge" *regime* a few months ago, giving unmistakable evidence that no expense has been spared in making it in every respect a first-class road. A number of gentlemen, including Messrs. Wm. Hendrie, president; W. Ramsay, vice president; E. B. Osler, W. Thompson, R. W. Elliott, and W. Hope, directors, under the escort of Mr. Edmund Wragge, chief engineer and general manager, have just completed their inspection of the line, and express themselves as well satisfied with the results. Noticeable among the many improvements may be mentioned the new iron bridge which spans the Humber, and the extension to the present wharf at Owen Sound, whereby increased facilities are offered for business to and from points on Georgian Bay and Lake Superior. The proposed new elevator (capacity 100,000 bushels) to be erected in Owen Sound shortly will materially add to these facilities. Judging from the present state of the railway, and the peculiarly favourable position of Owen Sound at its terminus, there is no reason why it should not soon become a very important highway to the great North-West. The whole of the works in connection with the change of gauge and re-construction of the railway have been carried out under the direction and supervision of its present general manager, Mr. Wragge.—*Mail.*

SAD ACCIDENT.

A distressing accident occurred to Mr Marshall Beard as he was going home with a load of lumber on Monday evening last. It happened about 2 miles from Markdale, when descending a steep hill. The lines broke, and he at once lost all power over the horses. It is supposed that in attempting to get off the load he slipped and fell; the two wheels passing over his leg, bursting his knee-joint, and breaking the leg above the knee. His daughter Ellen, who was also on the load of lumber, escaped unhurt. Drs. Sproule and Armstrong were immediately sent for, and dressed the limb. Dr. Bernhard attended on Tuesday. It is doubtful whether it will not be necessary to amputate the injured limb.

MIRACLES.

"Do you believe in miracles, Alonzo?" Well, we should preach. When a man can sit down in a New York restaurant and have brook trout, spring chicken, venison steak, and reed bird served off the same old soup bone, we are ready to take in any miracle you ever saw in print. Believe in miracles? When the American farmer can put a quart of strawberries in a box that won't hold a pint of sand; when almost any coal dealer can make seventeen hundred weight a ton; when a common looking clerk can measure a whole yard at one sweep of a thirty three inch stick: when a ten-pound block of ice looks small alongside of a four-ounce hail stone; when any barkeeper turns water into whiskey before he opens up in the morning; when you can put out a fire with illuminating oil; when soap-fat stalks abroad as A1 clover-fed butter, when you find a miraculous draught of fishes in the sky-blue milk; when a committee of women at a church fair can make a barrel of soup with one cove oyster; when—do we believe in miracles, doubting Alonzo? It is an age of miracles. The world is full of miracles, or overrun with rascals. You may accept either interpretation.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

THE DOLLAR MARK.

There are a number of theories for the origin of the sign of the dollar. One is that it is combination U.S., the initials for United States; another, that it is a modification of the figure 8, the dollar being formerly called a "piece of eight," and designated by the character 8 8. The third theory is that it is a combination of H.S., the mark of the Roman unit while the fourth is that it is a combination of P. and S. from the Spanish *peso duro*, which signifies "half dollar." In Spanish accounts *peso* is contracted by writing the S over the P and placing it after the sum. But the best origin of the sign is offered by the editor of the London Whitehall *Review*. "It is taken from the Spanish dollar and the sign is to be found, of course, in the associations of the Spanish dollar. On the reverse of the coin is a representation of the pillars of Hercules, and round each pillar is a scroll, with inscription 'Plus Ultra.' This device in course of time degenerated into the sign which stands at present for the American as well as the Spanish dollars—$. The scroll around the pillars represents the two serpents sent by Juno to destroy Hercules in his cradle."

RAILWAY FUSION.

The agreement between the Grand Trunk and Great Western has been signed by the Presidents. The united Company will assume the name of the Grand Trunk. The Board includes all the Grand Trunk and Great Western Directors, except Mr. Plunkett, M.P., who succeeds Mr. John Swift. The terms of the agreement provides that if 30 per cent. of the net earnings appropriated to the Western share of the capital be insufficient to pay a dividend of 5 per cent. on preference and 3 per cent. on the remainder of the capital, then the amount required to make up the deficiency shall be taken from the 70 per cent. of the Grand Trunk earnings. If the net earnings do not yield the per cent. the dividend which remains is a cumulative deficiency which shall be a first charge payable out of the earnings of subsequent years. As an additional security for the regular payment of the 3 per cent. dividend on Great Western Stock, and the protection of of the 70 per cent. appropriated to the Grand Trunk, when a deficiency occurs in the 30 per cent. accruing Great Western, the united company will be at liberty to apply such portion as may be necessary to make good the deficiency from the present reserve fund of the Great Western.

HUNGARIAN GRASS FOR FODDER.

A large crop of good fodder may be secured upon early rye or other stubble by Hungarian Grass. The ground should be prepared as for oats or any other grain, well manured, and the Hungarian sown broad cast and harrowed in slightly. The seed may be sown as late as the middle of July, about one bushel per acre, but the best results are obtained from sowing in early June. If it is desired to have green fodder for a number of weeks in autumn, the Hungarian seed may be sown at intervals of a week or so for upwards of six weeks. The ripe heads of this grass contain a large number of hard and sharp awns or bristles which are irritating to the stomach of animals, especially horses. This trouble can be avoided by cutting the crop soon after the heads mature, and before the awns have grown to full length and become hard. This grass when cured is equal in feeding value to good hay. If there is a demand for late fodder, sow some Hungarian during the present month.—*American Agriculturist for July.*

THE FARMER'S SABBATH.

AN IMPORTANT LEGAL DECISION RENDERED BY JUDGE HUGHES.

A decision of considerable interest to the farming community, involving an important legal point, was rendered by Judge Hughes at St. Thomas recently. The case was an appeal from a judgment given by Squire Johnson, of Springfield, against Nelson Chambers, a Malahide farmer, for having violated the Sabbath day by gathering and boiling sap in his bush, contrary to the form of chap. 186, revised statutes of Ontario. After hearing the argument, His Honor gave the following opinion: The statute declares that it is not lawful for any merchant, tradesman, artificer or mechanic or any other person whatsoever on the Lord's Day to do or exercise any worldly labor or work of his ordinary calling. To convict a man properly it must be shown substantially that he violated its provisions The boiling of any sap on the Lord's Day is unlawful for any person who pursues the business of a sugar maker, which is what I suppose would be considered a breach of the law—it would not be an offence for which Nelson Chambers could be convicted, unless it also set forth that he is a tradesman or artificer, and that as such doing so, he was actually in the exercise of such, his worldly calling or work. In other words, I do not think that if a professional man or any other person not described in the statute were to go out to the woods on a Sunday and tap trees and gather and boil sap and make sugar as an amateur, that he could be legally convicted; because he is not one of the persons against whom, and their pursuing their ordinary vocation on Sunday, the statute was aimed. I think, therefore, that for the want of this necessary allegation the conviction must be quashed—not for its want of form, but for the want of his necessary allegation. The conviction is quashed; the question of costs reserved.

News from Ireland is of an alarming character. A force of drilling men marched through Armagh on Saturday execrating the Queen and singing rebel songs, and afterwards drilled. The authorities are satisfied that a serious attempt to seize Dublin is projected, and have taken precautions accordingly. In Cork serious riots have taken place, and the general dislike borne by portions of the Irish people against England has been deepened and intensified by the rash and treasonable utterance of Mr. Healy, M. P., in the commons.

Matters in Egypt are assuming a more threatening aspect, and the general feeling in England is that military intervention will be necessary at no distant date in order to protect British interests. The safety of the Suez Canal has caused great anxiety to the Home Government, and special precautions have been taken to protect the works and officials. The sultan has guaranteed Arabi perfect immunity, and conferred the honour of the Medjedie upon him. It is thought that a foreign force is landed in Egypt the Khedive will be immediately arrested. The conference has discussed and confirmed the Sultan's suzerainty.

ELOPEMENT OF A SCHOOL GIRL.

A young Montreal miss attending a ladies' seminary in the northern part of the city eloped with a gentleman acquaintance recently, and has not been heard of in the city since. The girl is about eighteen and remarkably pretty. She came from Montreal about a year ago, and—the story goes—met her "fate," a fascinating young man, on the train while en route to this city. He became enamoured of her and haunted her footsteps whenever she walked out with her schoolmates; but as she was nearly always under the tender care of her tutor on such occasions, he very seldom got an opportunity to converse with her. The love of such a Thisbe and Pyramus, however, is seldom th wasted even by brick walls, and on several occasions they had clandestine meetings and at one of these evidently arranged to run away together. One evening she obtained permission to go out under the pretence of purchasing pictures to send to her parents. When she did not return at dark one of the teachers suggested that perhaps she would not return. When ten o'clock came and she was still non est, their worst fears were realised. "Something must be done" they said, and they set out to look for her.

"They sought her that night.
And they sought her next day.
And they sought her in vain
Till a week passed away."

But she had flown away with the wings of love, to return no more. A couple were seen the evening she disappeared purchasing tickets for Buffalo, and as the young lady answered the description of the missing school girl, it is supposed they were the identical couple.

PERSONAL.

Mr. W. J. Speers, arrived on Tuesday evening from Winnipeg.

Rev. A. and Mrs. Flint have been visiting their friends in Artemesia. Mrs. Flint remains a few weeks.

James, son of Mr. John Hamilton returned last week from a trip to Missouri, Arkansas, for the benefit of his health. He is still very delecate, not having improved during his absence from home. He left with us a sample of this season's potatoe, turnip and apple almost fully grown, from the state of Missouri.

GLENELG.

The council met at the town hall on the 16th inst.

COURT OF REVISION.

Appeals were heard and assessment roll amended as follows:—

$120 for personal property added to John Sullivan's assessment.

The personal property against Donald McDonald, John McPherson and Alex. Martin struck off.

Francis G. Cole entered as tenant for part of lot 9, con. 9.

Maurice Doolan, jr., assessed for lot 12, con. 10.

Samuel Overfield entered as tenant for West of lot 17, con. 4, and South part of lot 17, con. 5.

Adam J. Robson entered as occupant for lot 12, con. 7.

John Delamy for part lot 9, con. 9.

Finlay McRae as owner for south half lot 21, con. 6.

The roll was then finally passed.

COUNCIL.

A letter from the Provincial Treasurer respecting the the Land Improvement Fund was road.

Mullarkey, Dunsmoor.—That the Reeve and Clerk are hereby authorized to sign and affix the corporate seal to an agreement in duplicate between the town of Durham and the township of Glenelg, respecting the sum of $3650.90, that amount being at the credit of this township in the Treasury Department of the Province of Ontario, being proceeds of school lands and described as "Land Improvement Fund," and was an asset of this township in 1867 but not available at the time.

That in 1872 a portion of the township of Glenelg was incorporated with the town of Durham and at the time of said incorporation and financial settlement said amount was not taken into account, therefore the town of Durham has filed a claim to a portion of it, and that the amount be apportioned on the basis of assessment for the year 1867 as instructed by the Ontario Government.

That according to said assessment the town of Durham is entitled to receive $379.09 and the township of Glenelg $3271.81 and that said agreement be forwarded to the Provincial Treasurer with a request to pay over the amount to this municipality, and that a copy of said agreement be engrossed on the minutes. Carried.

A copy of a resolution from Artemesia council respecting a grant of $100 for the town line on the gravel road was read, but no action was taken in the matter.

$20 was granted to Glenelg Agricultural society, and $20 to South Grey Agricultural society.

Thomas O'Donnell was paid $1.50 for repairing bridge on Durham road.

The following grants were made to roads and bridges: Wards 1, 2 and 4 $400 each, and Ward No. 3 $500.

Road petitions laid over from last meeting were referred to the road commissioners.

The committee on the Glencross bridge contract presented their report which was adopted.

$30 was paid contractors of Glencross bridge being $13 less than amount of contract, as the work was not done according to agreement.

The assessor was paid $65 as salary $5 for distributing notices and $15 for services required by the department of agriculture.

The account of S. M. McKitrick & Co. for road scrapers ($57.50) was paid and five more of the same pattern ordered.

The clerk's account for postage and stationery ($4.50) was paid.

The treasurer to deposit $800 of Land Improvement Fund to the credit of the railway debenture account.

Council adjourned till August 21.

OSPREY.

COURT OF REVISION.

Allan Bell's assessment was confirmed.

W. Britton was entered on roll as tenant lots 53 & 54, con. 3 N.

J. Kernaghan entered for lot 20, con. 4. and E. Gosnold for N ½ 6, S½ 7, con. A., as farmers' sons.

Lots 37 & 38, con. 3, S. assessed to Wm Reid. Lot 37, con. 9 to I. Longhead and assessment changed from $400 to $200, and lot 3, con. 14, to Henry Fenwick.

COUNCIL.

Communications were read from the Minister of Education, as to U. S. Sections. Ontario Bureau of Industries, requesting report on crops, live stock, population and area of municipality. Provincial Treasurer, requesting Auditors to analyze their reports under respective headings. Artemesia Council re opening of town line. County Treasurer re Lot 63, 68, con 3 S. G. Brown and 3 others, petition asking the construction of a bridge between lots 20 and 21, con 3 S; J. Taylor and 16 others, re opening of Melancthon town line opposite lots 76, 78; Allan Bell and 5 others, re opening of side line between Lots 35 and 36, con 14: R. A. Kirby asking to be assessed for Lots 35 and 34, con 1 N

J. Rutherford was paid $17 10, and $20 on contract, and W. Milne 85c express charges.

Co. Treasurer to erase the Taxes against lot 1 Wellington st W. Feversham.

J. Maxwell was paid $80 for his service as Assessor 1882.

Annabella McDougal $21 as 3 quarters keep.

The clerk was instructed to communicate with the President of the Credit Valley Railway co.' with the view of inducing the company to extend their line through this Municipality from Orangeville to the Georgian Bay.

The clerk was instructed to communicate with the Provincial Treasurer to find out the amount of money coming to the Township of Osprey from the Land Improvement Fund.

The assessment committee, clerk and assessor were each paid $2 per day for examining the A Roll, and the Road and Bridge committee each $2 per day.

This council expended $14 provided the Township of Melancthon gives an equivalent to open up town line opposite Lots 76, 77 on town line M. & O. and the clerk was instructed to notify Melancthon council to that effect.

Council adj. till June 15th

Arrangements are now completed for running new line of boats between Owen Sound and Saulte Ste. Marie, calling at intermediate ports. Two fine propellers, *Africa* and *California*, will form the line. It will be run by the O. S. and Northwestern Despatch Co.

Church Directory.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Sunday next, at 10.30 7.
Sunday School 2 30
J. WARD, Incumbent.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday. 10.30, 7
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
N. A. McDIARMID. Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sabbath 10.30, 7
Sabbath School 2.30.
Bible class Friday evg. 7.30.
Flesherton Town Hall, Sabbath 2 30
Sabbath School 1,
A. WILSON. Pastor

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

TO CONSUMPTIVES.

The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a SURE CURE for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c.

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A GENTLEMAN who suffered for year from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

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NOTICE.

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as farmers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts contracted by the partnership are to be paid by Richard Johnston, one of the said parties.

Signed in presence of Jas. H. Boleme.

RICHARD JOHNSTON,
ROBERT JOHNSTON.

Dated this 19th day of June, 1882. 92-4

To Builders.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to the 23rd inst., for the erection of the Stone, Brick and Carpenter work of a three story mill in the Village of Priceville. The proprietor to furnish all material. Plans and specifications may be seen on application to the undersigned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

ALEX. WEBSTER.

Priceville, 12th June, 1882. 92-2

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We have recently published a new edition of Dr. CULVERWELL'S CELEBRATED ESSAY on the radical and permanent cure (without medicine) of Nervous Debility, Mental and Physical Incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, &c., resulting from excesses.

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Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly You can devote your whole time in the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Addres, STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

Notice to Contractors.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and addressed "Tender for School House," will be received at his residence, Lot No. 2, Con. 11, Township of Euphrasia, until Saturday, the 17th day of June, up to 6 o'clock p. m., for the erection of a frame School House for School Section No. 15, Township of Euphrasia.

Plans and specifications may be seen and other information had at the residence of James Stinson, Esq., Lot No. 6, Con. 11, Township of Euphrasia. The Trustees will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order of the Trustees,
JAMES STRUTHERS, Sec'y.

Euphrasia, June 6th, 1882. 90-1

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers! Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother upon earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the state, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold every where at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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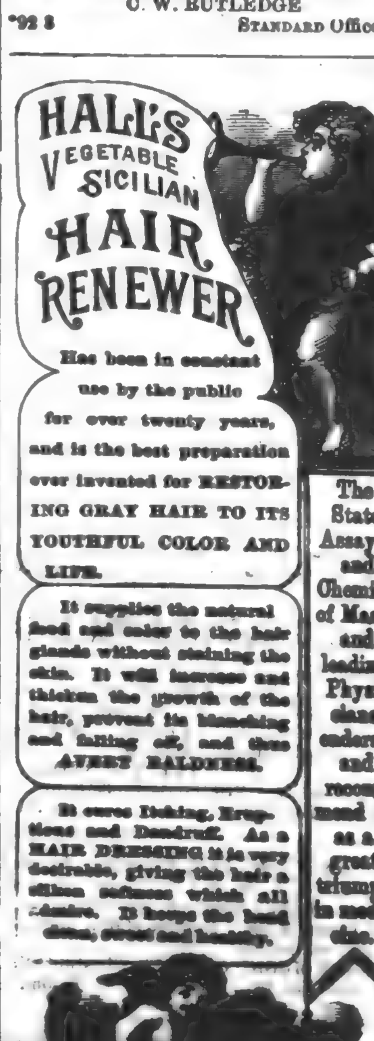

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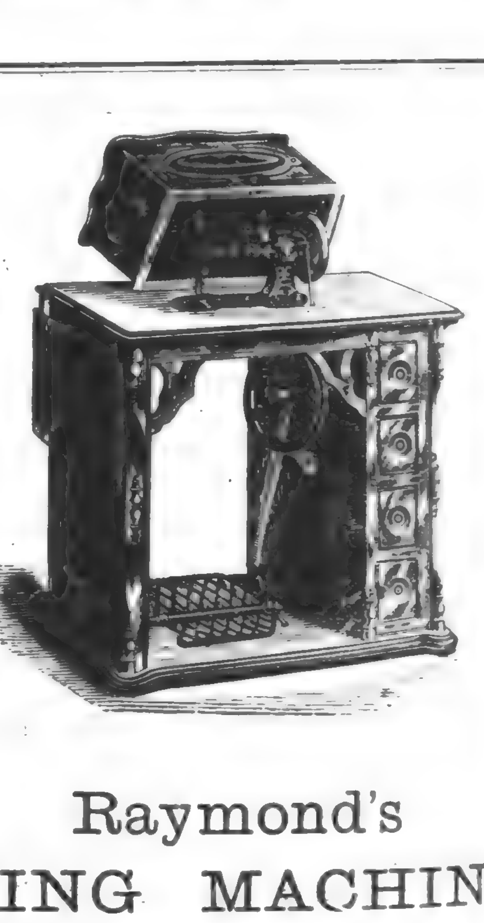

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Earthenware 15 per cent below cost at Butter & Rae's.

Mr. Black's barn was demolished by the storm.

$5 saved by ordering your clothing from McFarland.

The Methodist shed, Euphrasia, was blown across the road.

A daily paper was published at Meaford during the election.

Another arrival of oranges and lemons at Montgomery's bakery.

Mr. Brown's barn, 4th line Euphrasia, has been leveled with the ground.

Rev. J. W. Savage and wife are on a visit to their friends in this vicinity.

Turnip seed, pure, fresh, and true to name, at the Medical Hall, A. Turner & Co.

Another shipment of candies and nuts in all varities at Montgomery's bakery.

Masons and plasterers can be supplied with overalls by calling on Butter & Rae.

Mr. Carson, late of Meaford, says of Brandon, Man.: "I like the country well."

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Straw hats, frillings, embroideries, edgings, laces, cheap! cheap!! at Butter and Rae's.

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A Mr Milligan has returned from Manitoba to Meaford, to find his home bereft of little ones, and his wife very ill.

Butter and eggs wanted. 18 cents for butter and 17cts. for eggs at Butter & Rae's. Do not pass as we mean what we say, every time.

Mr. Smith, the barber will be in Flesherton Saturday Dominion day where he will be happy to wait on those who need his services.

Every article in the shop will be sold at cost for cash at Butter & Rae's. Do not think we are humbugs and advertise what we will not do.

Though Earl Shaftesbury is more than eighty years of age, he this year presided at no less than eighteen May meetings at Exeter Hall, London.

We have just received a copy of the most popular piece of music ever published in this country, called the "Verdict March," composed by Eugene L. Blake.

Boots, shoes, slippers, ties, tweeds, prints, cottons, ducks, linens, towelings, small wares, and a lot of articles we will not mention at cost at Butter & Rae's.

This is a terror. Try it not again. It makes us warm to read it. "Perspiration is with us again. We thought it would come in the sweat, by-and-bye."—*Mirror.*

The contract for the erection of a frame school house for school section No. 15, township of Euphrasia, has been awarded to Mr. E. C. Large, of this place.

Mr. Archy Boyd returned last week from Montana. He will go back to Montana shortly taking his wife to his new home. Mr. Boyd informs us that Frank Beattie is doing well at Montana.

N. B. All classes, creeds, colors, friends and foes are requested to pay our claims against them before the 15th July, as we will not be responsible for costs after that date. Butter & Rae.

The Meaford band is no exception to the rule for bands and choirs. Where two or three are gathered together there's the de'il in the midst of them to make their harmony unharmonious, and discord of concord.

On one occasion when an English visitor to Rome asked Garibaldi what religion he believed in, the General replied: "The religion of humanity: the religion Christ taught by precept and example."

Thomas E. Davis, builder, has the contract for the new Presbyterian Church, Markdale; also for the brick grist mill, Priceville. This live builder has built and completed the brickwork of three buildings in 15 days.

Attention!

Elections are over; excursions to Toronto are the great topic now. But Butter & Rae would ask the people to come and see them for the next twenty days and get bargains in all the lines in stock.

Miss Maggie Cunningham, teacher of the junior department of Markdale school, departed this life on Tuesday last, 27th inst. She was a highly respected, amiable young person, and a special favorite of her pupils. Her end was peace.

The "ticket-scalper's" occupation is gone. The Dominion Act for the suppression of his trade comes into effect on Saturday next, and people who have tickets to dispose of will have to take them to the office where they were purchased.

Cohoes, N.Y., has had to pay a woman $4,000 for leaving a dirt heap in the street to upset her carriage and break her nose. The city held that she had no legal right to ride out on Sunday and be upset, but the court decided that she had.

The Rev. John Brown, of Bedford, England, now travelling in this country, is a successor to John Bunyan, author of the "Pilgrim's Progress," in his pastorate, and is only the sixth minister that church has had since its organization, 250 years ago.

Importers in Markdale are very proud of the name, but the country is getting used to the sham mew and will not swallow all they say. Butter & Rae do not import and hence they are willing to let all classes live, and by buying their goods you will be convinced they are not frauds.

Mr Essery, who went out with the Primitive Methodist Colonisation Co. to Qu'Appelle says, It is safe to conclude that all who are at all comfortably situated in Ontario had better be contented with smaller gains, and enjoy the comfort of home and friends than come here.

Mr. W. T. Speers, while passing through Owen Sound, assisted taking the body of John Campbell, a lad about twelve or fourteen years of age, out of the lake. From all appearances he had been drowned some time. The affair will be investigated by the authorities, as the boy was never reported as missing.

Old Maggie had fully her own share of Scottish prudence and economy. One bonnet had served her a dozen years, and some ladies in offering to present her with a new one, asked whether she would prefer silk or straw as material. "Weel," said Maggie, "I think I'll take a strae ane, it'll be a mouthful for the coo when I'm thro' wi't."

The performing of statute labor is now being vigorously carried on. We may reasonably expect a great improvement in the roads, as the raising of the assessment has added largely to the number of days of labor to be performed. We believe that the statute labor has thus been increased some 200 days. Some outward and visible sign should be seen for this array of figures.

Guiteau appears to realize his terrible position more keenly as the end draws near. He still maintains that he is the inspired servant of his Creator, who will protect him. His brother, who has not abandoned all hope, will present another appeal for a reprieve until an examination as to the assassin's sanity has been held. His spiritual adviser, Rev. Dr. Hicks, asked the prayers of his congregation for the unfortunate man on Sunday.

COLOMA, Mich., Nov. 4, 1880.—Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Accept thanks for circulars, which helps us considerable. We are selling a large amount of your Kendall's Spavin Cure which gives great satisfaction. We are authorized to say for Mr. A. H. Sutton, a farmer near here, "I have used six bottles of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and cured as many spavins (well marked), on different horses. I consider it a remedy never equalled for spavins or ringbones.

Yours truly, RYNO & GILSON.

When an old-fashioned merchant in New Jersey came to look over an order, made out by his new-fashioned clerk, the other day, he looked up over his spectacles and said:—"James, I see you have spelled shugar without the h." "Yes, sir, that's the proper way." "But I have spelled it with an 'h' for the last twenty-nine years." "Can't help that, sir. Sugar should not be spelled with an h." "Well, mebbe it shouldn't," sighed the old man, "mebbe it shouldn't. I presume that this mixing in glucose does make difference somewhere."

The Flesherton and Markdale Methodist Sabbath school excursion which was announced to take place on the 5th July, has been postponed to the 7th in order to be in a position to obtain a sufficient number of coaches. The excursion will go on the regular train, leaving Markdale at 6:29 and Flesherton 6:43, arriving in Toronto at 10:35 and will leave Toronto 4:35, giving 6 full hours in the city. Fare for the round trip $1,25, children under 15, 60 cents, with privilege of returning on any regular train the following day for $1.25 extra, children 60 cents.

Dundalk.

Fine weather.

Crops look splendid.

The agricultural grounds are fenced.

An immense crowd is expected on Dominion Day in Dundalk.

Proton council will meet at Cedarville on Tuesday, July 4.

The survey for the township drains have now extended some twenty miles.

The stone work for Mr. Hanbury's large brick building is nearly completed.

The Queen's hotel is being pushed forward rapidly and will look well when completed.

Mr. G. R. Middleton will have the masons at work on the foundation of his brick store in a few days.

The path masters are at work on the roads, but they find it hard to get some of the boys out to work. It will not be surprising if both the boys and the pathmasters are brought before the J. P. of this township.

The voters' list for Proton will be in the hands of the council at their next meeting, July 4th. Our thanks to Mr. James Cavanagh, clerk, for the neat and legible manner in which he got up the copy for the same.

Mr. John R. Marshall has made special arrangements to have a dancing platform on the agricultural grounds on the 1st of July. It is expected that those tripping the "Light fantastic toe" will have an enjoyable time that day.

An old resident has just passed away in the person of Mrs. Dugald Ferguson, con. 15. For a long time she had been afflicted with a cancer in her breast. Some twelve months ago she underwent an operation and for a time it was thought the cancer had been successfully taken out. Again, however, it grew and at last caused her death. At her funeral the Rev. John Morrison officiated and preached an interesting sermon to the 350 people who had assembled at her funeral.

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Direct from the best manufacturers in Europe consisting of Prints, White Cottons, Bradford and French Cashmeres, in various shades; also a great variety of Fancy and other Dress Goods, in all the latest fabrics. A large assortment of Swiss Lace Curtains, Edgings, &c.

The English Ready-Made Gents' Clothing, which was so successful in the Fall and Winter, will be repeated, in the latest London Styles, along with a large assortment of Gents' Furnishings, &c.

Every Department replete with New and First-class Goods. Give us a call, and see for yourselves.

Sole Agent for the Celebrated

McCall's New York Bazar Glove Fitting Patterns.

Ladies, save money by making your family garments from these Patterns. Perfect fit; good style; low price. Catalogues and Fashion Papers free.

Attention is drawn the advertisement of the collectors for 6 and 7 side road near Kimberley. They will be in Markdale in a few days to secure the promised subscription for the improvement of this road. The township of Euphrasia has come forward and with a sum equivalent to the collected amount backed up this most desirable improvement. Markdale will be benefitted greatly by the labor that is now to be put on 6 and 7 sideline, and the sooner the money is paid in and the work completed, the sooner will the benefit of the improvement be felt. Let the subrcriptions be handed in liberally, for it's seed sown on good ground and will bring forth plentifully

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Is valued by me;
For I think it superior,
With nothing inferior;
It serves me,
Preserves me;
And never unnerves me,
When winking;
And blinking,
Or sinking;
Or thinking,
His tea is worth drinking,
Without any shrinking.
Buy it; try it; drink it.

Says the San Francisco *News Letter*: The anticipated arrival of the Princess Louise is creating a good deal of excitement already in the higher circles. "O my! ain't I just too real glad!" remarked Miss Coupons (late of Paris) to Miss Headlight, who was calling on her the other day. "I never see a real live Princ'ss, did we, ma, when we was in Parse?" "Guess not, daughter," responded her ma, as she forced on her pale kids with lip-moistened finger and thumb, "'nless ye count that one we see in that wax figger shown in the *Shanks Elizy*." "O pshaw, ma!" interrupted Miss Coupons, "she wasn't no real live and kickin' Princ'ss like one." "That's so," observed Miss Headlight, abstractedly examining her Montagues in the plate-glass mirror at her elbow. "Well," continued Miss Coupons, "we're going to give her either a banquet or a reception. We ain't decided which, but we're first going to find out at which entertainment she'd most likely wear her crown, see?" Course you're going to entertain her?" "Well, we ain't sure yet," replied Miss Headlight, "as we'll call or not, till we hear from Lord Bopeep whether she's in good society in London, for pa heard her husband, Mr. Lorne, ain't rich a bit."

THINNING THE FRUIT.—In articles last spring, we gave all that need be said in favor of thinning fruit, and cited some instances to show the profit of the operation. Those who thinned peaches, pears, and apples, soon after the fruit had set, though at the time they thought they were thinning severely, now that it has increased in size, are surprised at the abundance of fruit on their trees. It is rarely that even the experienced remove enough at the first thinning; novices never do, and it is often necessary to go over the trees again when the fruit is half grown or more. At this time we can see, what is not manifest when the fruit is small, any imperfection in the form of the fruit. Pears, especially those which grow in clusters, will become one-sided by the crowding, and this should be kept in mind at the latter thinning and the least perfect removed. In this, as well as all other operations on trees, some thought should be put into the work. Those who are intending to compete for premiums at the autumn shows should not lose sight of the fact that thinning is a direct and legitimate means of producing "the best six" or "best twelve" specimens of pears or other fruit. Those who have an eye to the prizes offered for grapes should prepare for them now, and not let three clusters grow where a single one is better.—[illegible]

WILL YOU EXCHANGE a case of Dyspepsia or Billousness for 75 cents? It is awfully unwise to agonize under the many ailments arising from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Disordered Stomach and Liver, when this offer is made to you in your own home in all sincerity, with an absolute certainty of curing you.

ZOPESA (from Brazil) cures Dyspepsia and Billousness. A single dose relieves; a sample bottle convinces; a 75 cent bottle cures.

It acts directly upon the Stomach, Liver, and Kidneys. Cleansing, Correcting, Regulating, Zopesa gives energy and vim to the Brain, Nerve, and Muscle, simply by working wonders upon the Digestion, and giving activity to the Liver.

Cut this out, take is to any dealer in medicines, and get at least one 75 cent bottle of Zopesa, and tell your neighbor how it acts. It is warranted to cure Dyspepsia and Billousness.

About 1,500 people from portions of Grey, Simcoe, Peel, and York tripped to Guelph on Tuesday. They were supplied with lunch in the large barn at the Experimental Farm, and afterwards made a thorough inspection of the institution, both outside and inside. At four o'clock the party re assembled in the barn, where Principal Mills explained the course of instruction and the nature of the objects aimed at by the institution. Other speakers expressed the hope that the institution would still continue to accomplish in the future as great good in the interests of the farmer as it had done in the past. The party left for home at six o'clock by Grand Trunk special. At Markdale the special train arrived between 1 and 2 o'clock a. m.

A very successful Sabbath school picnic was held on Tuesday last in the woods adjoining the Methodist Church townline Holland and Euphrasia. Swinging, games, and social conversation were indulged in until the time announced for tea had arrived. Ample justice was done to the good things provided by the ladies. After tea Mr. Ebenezer Moore, superintendent of the Sabbath school took the chair and a lengthy programme consisting of singing, recitations, dialogues, and addresses was dispatched. We noticed our townsmen, Messrs. Sproule and McFarland, were to the front in humourous and instructive addresses. Proceeds nearly $20, to be applied towards purchasing a library for the school.

PRICEVILLE.

The crops in the vicinity are improving rapidly, by the aid of the frequent genial showers, and the continuance of warm weather.

Good prices are being paid for fat cattle and sheep. $46 was paid for a fat cow last week, and Mr. D. McArthur sold his lambs for an all-round price of $3.33½.

The fish market is rather dull;
"Fresh fish all alive,
Three bad out of five."

Mr. Webster has a large number of teams daily employed loading cars with lumber from his saw mill, and drawing stone for the erection of a new flouring mill.

General Potato Bug is advancing with a large army this year. 20 to 25 stand on guard on nearly every hill.

DIED.

CUNNINGHAM.—In Artemesia, on the 27th inst., Margaret Jane, daughter of Mr. Wm. Cunningham, aged [illegible]

NOTICE

Is hereby given that in the course of a few days the Collectors will be in Markdale to collect the subscriptions promised for the improvement of 6 and 7 side road, near Kimberley. The Township Council, of Euphrasia, has granted an equivalent amount to that subscribed; and the work is to be proceeded with at once.

THE COLLECTORS.

IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF THE INFANT CHILDREN OF ROBERT BROWN, DECEASED

Application will be made to the Surrogate Court, of the County of Grey, before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House in the Town of Owen Sound, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, on behalf of Ellen Brown, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, widow and executrix of said deceased and mother of his infant children hereinafter named; and on behalf of William Brown, of the village of Markdale, and Hugh McKee, of the Township of Glenelg, Executors of said deceased, for an Order, appointing the said Ellen Brown, William Brown, and Hugh McKee, or some one of them, the guardians or guardian of James Austin Brown, Frederick William Brown, Isabella Brown and Robert Brown, infant children of the said Robert Brown, deceased.

Dated, at Owen Sound, this twenty-eighth day of June, A. D., 1882.

CREASOR & MORRISON,
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GENER'L BLACKSMITH

HORSE SHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

Tenders for Drainage
WORKS.

SEALED TENDERS marked "Tenders for Drainage" will be received at the Office of the undersigned up till 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 3rd day of July, 1882, for the drainage of a portion of the Township of Melancthon.

Tenders may be for one or more drains, and to be accompanied with the names of good and efficient sureties for the due performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and Specifications of the work may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

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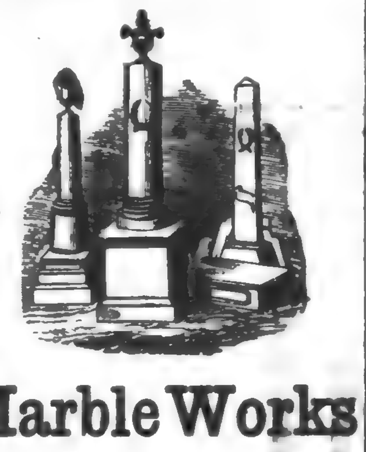

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BILIOUSNESS, DIZZINESS,
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INDIGESTION, FLUTTERING OF THE HEART,
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No disease can possibly long exist where Hop Bitters are used, so varied and perfect are their operations.
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To all whose employments cause irregularity of the bowels or urinary organs, or who require an Appetizer, Tonic and mild Stimulant, Hop Bitters are invaluable, without intoxicating.
No matter what your feelings or symptoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick but if you only feel bad or miserable, use them at once. It may save your life. It has saved hundreds.
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MOFFAT BROS.
Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

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It has performed a miracle in my case.
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My deafness helped a great deal—think another bottle will cure me.

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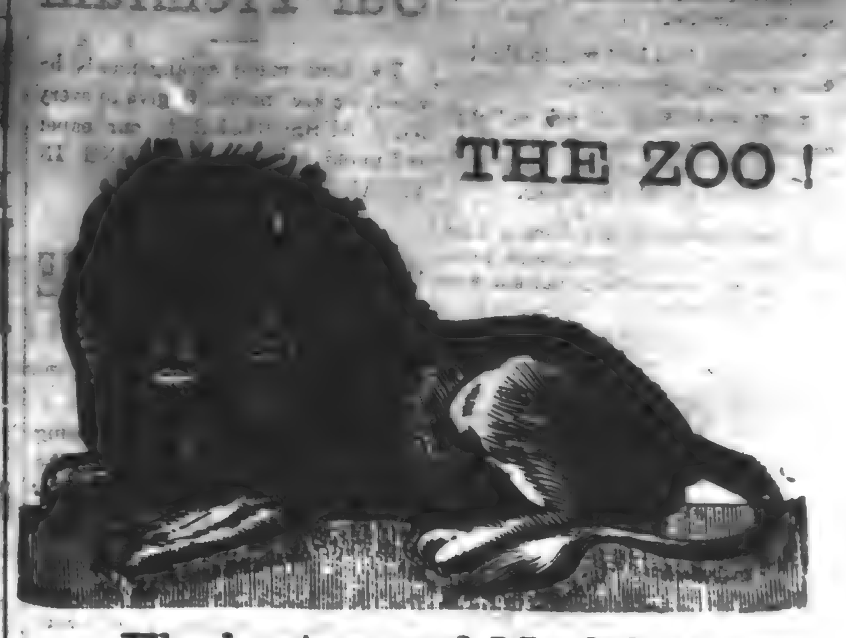

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Leaves Markdale 6.29, Flesherton 6.48, arriving at Toronto 10.35;
Leaves Toronto 4.35, arrive at Flesherton 8.30, Markdale 8.45, allowing

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Dundalk, March 7th, 1882.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers, machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

Maritime: The best way to shorten sale is to stop advertising.

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better than any other oil in the market. Ask your local dealer and take no other.

A somnambulist fell from a third story window in a Pennsylvania town and was not awakened; but she was buried the next day.

G[illegible]—is excel'nt for filling decayed Teeth, but "TEABERRY" prevents the decay, makes them white, and makes people lovable. 5 cent sample.

"Pa," asked Tom, "what does the teacher mean by saying that I must have inherited my bad temper." "She meant that you are your mother's own boy."

All forms of female weakness, suppression, irregularities and painful periods are effectually remedied by the great regulating system renovator, Burdock Blood Bitters. Sample bottle 10 cents.

The first regular train on the Manitoba South-Western left Winnipeg Thursday, and returned Friday with the first car-load of grain brought by rail from Southern Manitoba.

Would you avoid the Biliary complaints [illegible] to spring and summer? Cleanse the system with Burdock Blood Bitters. It regulates the liver, bowels, kidneys, and blood, and is the purest tonic in the world. Trial bottles 10 cents.

"Yes, I've got a horrid cold," said Mrs. Jenkins [illegible] dosed and dosed, and I believe I've taken no less than thirty-nine articles, and I begin to feel like an Episcopalian."

Ague and all Malarial and Biliary complaints are [illegible] promptly cured by the great [illegible] cleansing, liver regulating tonic, Burdock Blood Bitters. It acts on the bowels, liver, kidneys and blood. Trial bottles 10 cents.

Prof. Proctor has a new girl baby, and although only a few weeks old, it [illegible] her father's taste [illegible] no farther than the [illegible]

[illegible] that terrible scourge of [illegible] attacks chiefly those [illegible] low and blood impure. The [illegible] of Burdock Blood Bitters [illegible] the evils of impure blood [illegible]. Sample bottle [illegible]

[illegible] the lady, "I like to have [illegible]. You see, my husband [illegible] out late at [illegible] be no man in the [illegible] didn't have a police- [illegible]

[illegible] Lardine? A [illegible] farmer [illegible] in fact any [illegible] machinery, and he will [illegible] oil which [illegible] to Castor oil and won't [illegible] machinery.

A [illegible] for a prescription the [illegible] "That is my son [illegible] don't you think he [illegible] "Well, yes, replied [illegible] I think I can see some [illegible]

[illegible] Neuralgia, Dyspepsia [illegible] Dr. Carson Stomach [illegible] Try them. [illegible] Sold by [illegible] Agent, [illegible] G. W. Parsons, Agent, [illegible]

[illegible] gone: Old [illegible] way and ancient leg [illegible] to say that [illegible] "Certainly, [illegible] be it was, [illegible] were lambs about [illegible]

[illegible] disease from [illegible] the bowels, Burdock Blood Bit[illegible] pleasant and ef[illegible] restoring [illegible] Trial bottles 10 [illegible]

[illegible] parent, "that [illegible] to be a poet [illegible] He doesn't eat, [illegible] the stove and [illegible] "You had better [illegible] He is going [illegible] That's what ails [illegible]

[illegible] poetical medicine [illegible] upon the bowels, [illegible] while cleanses [illegible] the system, [illegible] Bitters, the great [illegible] Tonic. Sample [illegible]

[illegible] while taking down [illegible] her pupils, and [illegible] at the beginning of [illegible] one little fellow, [illegible] "Oh, [illegible] his name; he's [illegible] a woman," [illegible] reply.

[illegible] weather is trying to the [illegible] liable to dis[illegible] sickness [illegible] and Con[illegible] purify the [illegible] Stomach and [illegible] give tone and [illegible] Price 50cts. [illegible] Druggists. A. Turner & Co. [illegible] Markdale, and G. W. Parsons Agent Dundalk.

[illegible] said a Markdale man [illegible] the other day, this is the [illegible] I ever saw, the upper and lower crusts are so affectionate that they c[illegible] get anything between them.

[illegible] REWARD!

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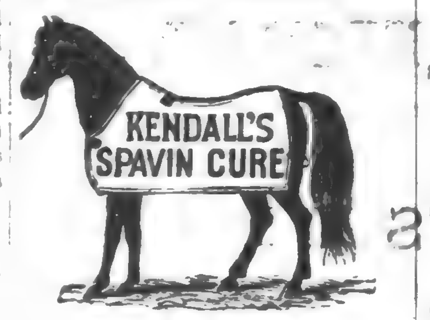

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Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col T. L. Foster,

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

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Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

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T. P. LAWRENCE.

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It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

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Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

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Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I Keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for Goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m.

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
LIQUORS! LIQUORS	MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
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And everything kept in in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store. always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

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Farms for Sale and to Let.

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OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

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Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

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Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

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MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,

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Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

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IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS,

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All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

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ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

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BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

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P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

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For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

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They can supply you with anything from a

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To buy from them is to

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They guarantee their work second to none for Lightness of Draught and Superiority of Finish.

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The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.

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Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriage Work.

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WAGGONS,
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BUGGIES,
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Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

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ON

Every Working Day,

By Thomas Smith.

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

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LICENSED AUCTIONEER

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All work gurranteed. Charges moderate.

Markdale P.O.

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NOTICE

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as farmers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts contracted by the partnership are to be paid by Richard Johnston, one of the said parties.

Signed in presence of Jas, H. Belevee,
RICHARD JOHNSTON,
ROBERT JOHNSTON.

Dated this 12th day of June, 1882. *92-4

T. B. Gilliland,

PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,

EUGENIA P.O.

Orders left at the Standard Office, Markdale will receive prompt attention. 86-100.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

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Fonthill Nurseries,

THE

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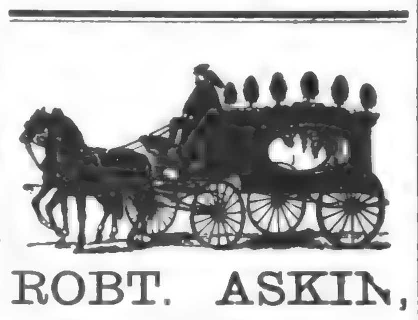

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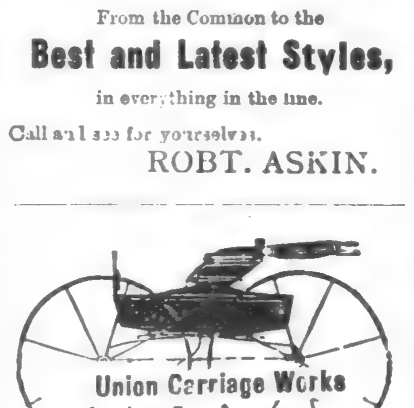

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How Tommy Green in cruel sport,
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Shall I tell you of Dame Hubbard's dog,
And the wonderful things he did;
Or of poor Bo-Peep, who could not tell
Where her wandering sheep were hid?

Or shall I tell of the dreadful wolf
Who met Red Ridinghood;
Or will you heard the sad, sad tale
Of the Children in the Wood?

Of Cinderella, who sat by the fire,
And wanted to go to the ball,
And the nice old godmother who came
With the slippers of glass, and all?

Or shall I sing of the active cow
Who jumped right over the moon?
Perhaps she frightened the man up there,
And made him come "down too soon."

Or will you hear of the famous birds
All baked in the royal pie?
I think we could make a better dish
With "a pocket full of rye."

What! baby mine, you are going to sleep,
And none of the stories are told;
The blue eyes are shut, and the pillow waits
For the touch of the curls of gold.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

CHAPTER XVI

THE STORY OF THE IVORY MINIATURE.

'Lady Cecil,' Lord Ruysland said, 'a word with you!'

'With me, papa? Certainly. What is it?'

'What is it?' Do you really need to ask that question, Lady Cecil? I have come to demand an explanation of your extraordinary conduct of late.'

'My extraordinary conduct? Really, papa—'

'That will do! You feign surprise very well, my dear; but it doesn't deceive me. I repeat—your extraordinary conduct! What do you intend by it? In regard to Miss Herncastle, I mean, of course.'

'Miss Herncastle?'

'Lady Cecil, be good enough to cease repeating everything I say, as if you were automation' her father said, more irritation in his face and tone than she had ever seen or heard there before in her life 'Your hearing is not defective, I hope—I said Miss Herncastle. What do you mean by your conduct to that young woman? Why do you insist upon forcing her society upon us—by making her one of the family, as it were—by having her to dine with us?

'Really, papa,'—and Lady Cecil Tried to laugh—'I did not know so simple a matter would so seriously exercise you. I thought you believed in equality, fraternity—were a Radical of the most rabid sort in politics, and—'

'Keep to the point, if you please,' the earl interrupted, impatiently; 'we're not talking politics now. Cecil!'—sternly—'has Sir Arthur Tregenna formally proposed to you yet?'

'No, Papa.'

'I thought not,' but his face darkened as he said it. 'And whose fault is that? Not Sir Arthur's I am very certain.'

'Sir Arthur's, surely, papa. What would you have? The absurd customs of England require that a lady shall wait until she is asked. Do you wish me to go to Sir Arthur and order him to marry me?'

'I wish you to act like a rational being, to cease acting in such a manner as to render a proposal for ever impossible. Are you wilfully blind that you cannot see he is falling in love with that confounded nursery governess?'

'My sight is perfect,' Lady Cecil answered, coldly; 'and if it were not I still might see that. Sir Arthur takes little pains to conceal his preference. As it is probably the first time that austere gentlemen ever felt a touch of the tender passion, it would be a thousand pities to come between him and it. I certainly shall not.

'What do you mean?'

'This, papa,' Lady Cecil said—'there is no use in getting angry or excited—that if Sir Arthur prefers Miss Herncastle, to me, I shall never be Miss Herncastle's rival. And if he can honestly and truly fall in love with her, as I believe it is in his nature to love, I honour and congratulate him on his choice. Why should you or I try to thwart it? He is not bound to me in any way; he cares as little for me, in the way of love, as I do for him. Miss Herncastle is a much cleverer woman than I am, or ever shall be, and if he wishes it, why, let him marry her. She certainly suits him much better than I should, and for the difference in rank, if he can overlook that, we surely may. Of this be very certain,'—her eyes flashed and her colour rose—'I will accept no man's hand while his heart is another woman's, though his fortune were three times thirty thousand a year.'

The Earl listened, amaze, scorn, anger, passion, swaying alternately over his placid face; but he heard her to the end.

'Papa,' Lady Cecil continued, 'let us drop our masks—there is no one to see or hear. Your heart is fixed on my marriage with the son of your oldest friend. How would it be if the son of that oldest friend were penniless as—as Redmond O'Donnell, for instance, whom you fear so greatly? It is the thirty thousand a year you wish me to marry, is it not? It is a rich and liberal son-in-law your heart is set on, I fancy. You call it by a prettier name, but that is what it really comes to.'

'Very well, my dear—on the thirty thousand, if you will. I am penniless, you are penniless. Is the degradation of marrying a fortune greater than the degradation of living on the bounty of a man like Peter Dangerfield? You are an earl's daughter, a reigning belle, high born, and high bred, and you are a pauper. The food you eat, the roof that shelters you, the dress you wear, are unpaid for. This sort of thing can't go on forever. A crisis is very near—flight, exile for me; for you, my proud, high-spirited Cecil, what?'

She leaned against a slender rose wreathed pilaster, and covered her face with her hands, her heart too full to speak.

'Truth is unpleasant,' her father pursued, 'but there are times when it must be spoken. This is one of them. You are acting like a fool—I really can't help saying it—and must be brought to your senses. Let us look the facts in the face. You came down here with every intention of accepting Sir Arthur—Sir Arthur comes down with every intention of proposing.

That woman is no ordinary governess; she is an adventuress, and one of the deepest and most unprincipled sort.'

'Papa! this is cruel, this is unjust. you know nothing of Miss Herncastle.'

'I have eyes, and I have studied physiognomy before now. That woman is capable of deeds you never think of; she is clever, deep-thinking, and unscrupulous. She will marry Sir Arthur before he knows it, and the day that makes her his wife is the day that ushers in his life-long misery. I can't stand by and see it. you must save him, Cecil.'

'Papa, it is impossible. Oh, pray let me alone. What can I do? I liked him, I esteemed him, I might grow to love him in time, as a wife should do so deserving a husband. While his heart was free, I was willing to obey you, to retrieve our fallen fortunes, and marry him. But all that is changed. We have fallen very low, but there is still a deeper depth than mere poverty. If he cares for her, if he wishes to marry her, if he loves her, in short, it would be degrading on my part to accept his hand. I do not want to be poor, I do not want to anger or disobey you, papa, but I cannot—I cannot—I cannot!'

'It is not too late yet,' the earl said, calmly; 'the mischief has begun—it is not done. Trust to me; 'I will repair it—I will save him.'

'How?'

'I shall have Miss Herncastle sent away. You must marry Sir Arthur Tregenna—you shall—not fate itself can part you. This is the last evening of Miss Herncastles appearance in the drawing-room—the last week of her stay at Scarswood. Don't let me fancy my suspicious about O'Donnell are correct.'

Lady Cecil started up, stung beyond all endurance.

Redmond O'Donnell! Papa, this is not to be endured even from you. You insult me, you slander him. It was you who brought him here. Why did you do it leave? Captain O'Donnell's name out of the discussion.

'Have you anything more to say?' she asked abruptly; 'it is turning chilly, and I am cold.' She shivered as she spoke, and her fair face looked quite colourless in the fading light.

'Do as you will. It is useless to resist fate. If I must marry Sir Arthur—I must. But if Miss Herncastle be an adventuress. I wonder what I am?'

They entered the drawing room. Sir Arthur sat at the governess' side she was embroidering.

'How hard you work, Miss Herncastle!' his lordship said, blandly; you put us idle people to shame. Is Sir Arthur taking lessons in needlework? I hope you find him an apt pupil, my dear young lady?'

Sir Arthur coloured, partly with annoyance, partly, with a sense of compunction. Latterly it had begun to dawn upon him that his mission to Scarswood had not been fulfilled—that he had not asked Lady Cecil Clive to be his wife.

Miss Herncastle smiled, perfectly unembarrassed, and reached over for the dainty little basket that held her flosses and laces.

The basket fell and his lordship picked up a portrait—an old-fashioned ivory miniature, beautifully painted and set in a jewelled frame. A sudden stillness of great surprise came over him, then he turned round and looked Miss Herncastle full in the face.

She met his gaze with calm compose, and reached out her hand.

'My favorite souvenir,' she said. 'I hope it is not injured. How stupid of me to upset the basket. Thanks, my lord.'

But my lord still held the ivory miniature, still looked at Miss Herncastle.

'I beg your pardon,' he said in an altered voice; 'it sounds rather impertinent, but I must ask where you got this?'

Miss Herncastle looked surprised.

'That! that picture, my lord? Oh! "thereby hangs a tale." Do you know who it is?'

'Miss Herncastle, do you?'

'No; and I have the greatest curiosity on the subject. That picture came into my possession in the most accidental manner, and for the past six years I have been trying to discover its owner, but as yet I have not succeeded. Her name was Mrs. Vavasor.'

'Mrs. Vavasor! I knew more than one Mrs. Vavasor, but none of them in the least likely to possess this picture.'

'You know the original of that picture, then, my lord?'

'Undoubtedly, Miss Herncastle. The original of this picture is Major Lionel Cardonnell, my wife's only brother, at present at Quebec. May I, in turn, inquire who was Mrs. Vavasor, and how she came to be possessed of this?'

'What was your Mrs. Vavasor like, Miss Herncastle?'

'She was a little, dark woman of French extraction. Her first name was Harriet.'

'Harriet? Yes—I see—I see It was Harriet Lelacheur, to a dead certainty—Mrs. Harman, rather, under an alias. I thought so from the first. I thought her dead years ago.'

He sauntured away. Sir Arthur in turn took the ivory miniature and gazed at it.

'Did you know Major Cardonnell, Sir Arthur? But I suppose you must have been too young.'

'No, I never saw Lionel Cardonnell,' the baronet said; 'I've heard the story.'

'You knew the countess?'

'No. She died before her daughter was a week old. I have seen her picture, though, and Miss Herncastle sometimes you resemble Lady Ruysland.'

'Impossible! Sir Arthur.'

'It is perfectly true.'

Another unaccountable resemblance she said.

'It is odd,' Sir Arthur answered.

'So this handsome young officer is Lady Ruysland's brother. Was he Mrs Vavasour's lover? Her maiden name was Lelacheur.'

'Oh,' cried Sir Arthur, a new light of intelligence breaking over him, 'Harriet Lelacheur. Then it is quite clear, of course. And you knew Mrs. Harman, did you, Miss Herncastle?'

'I have met her. She called herself Mrs. Vavasor.

'Or possibly she married again after Harman's death. Well, Miss Herncastle, she told you the truth concerning Cardonnell—he was her lover.'

'And would have been her husband if he could—is that true also, Sir Arthur?'

'Pefectly true, I believe.'

'Lady Ruysland—his sister—carried her off to some lonely place on the Cornish coast, and imprisoned her there, while he exchanged into a regiment ordered to Canada,' pursued Miss Herncastle.

'Again, quite true. I see she has been making you her confidante He is married there—to a French Canadian, I believe, of great wealth and great beauty, and no doubt laughs when he recalls his first grande passion for his sister's *femme de chambre* and congratulates himself upon his narrow escape. Still, if any one venture to express an opinion on so delicate a matter, it can hardly be called a very creditable act on the part of the late countess.'

'What!' the governess cried, 'to save her brother from a designing adventuress.'

'A designing adventuress? But she was not a designing adventuress in those days. She was beneath him in rank, certainly, but they loved each other very sincerely. May a man not stoop sometimes to raise the woman of his choice to his own social level, and yet both be perfectly happy?'

This was treading on delicate ground. His eyes brightened as he spoke; he looked at her eagerly. Miss Herncastle picked up her work, took another needlefull of floss, and calmly went on.

'Certainly, if the woman of his choice be a lady. But that Harriet Lelacheur could never have been.

By the way though, Lady Ruysland, and her ex-waiting maid must have become reconciled afterward, from what I heard the latter say.'

'They did. My lady, by way of recompense, I suppose, dowered her waiting-maid, and married her to a tradesman of the place; his name was Harman. He died before the first year of his married life had expired, leaving his young wife and a babe of a fortnight old.

'And Lady Ruysland came to the aid of her servant again, I suppose, in her hour of widowhood and adversity. She was noble in that, at least.'

'She was noble in all things,' Sir Arthur answered.'

She flew to her humble friend, not to succour, but for shelter.'

Yes, in that humble cottage, with only her old servant by her side, poor passionate, erring Lady Ruysland died. She was insanely jealous—of one who had been here rival years before, younger, fairer than herself, as highly born, but poor. His lorrhip was absent in Italy—rumor said, to be near her. Very likely rumor erred, as it usually does; at least her ladyship believed it, and on the night of the Earl's return a violent scene ensued. He left her in high anger; bitter words had passed; and in the frenzy of her rage and jealousy she fled. Next morning she was nowhere to be found. All day they looked for her in vain. At nightfall a messenger came to Clive Court from Mrs. Harman, summoning his lordship. A daughter had been born, a wife was dead.'

Once more the embroidery dropped in Miss Herncastle's lap. Her eyes were dilated, fixed on his face; her lips were breathless and apart in the intensity of her interest.

'They brought the poor dead lady home, the child they left with Mrs. Harman to nurse. Whether or no Lord Ruysland really or had not wronged his wife, no one will ever know now. Her death was a terrible blow to him—for a time.' The speaker paused a second, glanced across at his lordship's serenely high-bred, placid countenance, and smiled. 'For a time. We lose our nearest and dearest, and the world goes round much the same as ever, and we with it, and we eat, drink, and are merry, and—forget. Clive Court was shut up. Mrs. Harman was handsomely pensioned, and the baby, Lady Cecil left with her.

'For two years Lord Ruysland was absent; then a letter from Mrs. Harman recalled him. She was of French extraction, and had taken a sudden fancy to visit her relations in Paris—would his lordship come and take his little daughter and let her go? He returned to England, received Lady Cecil from her hands, placed her with some relatives, in a remote part of England to grow up, and returned to his wandering life. Mrs. Harman left England with her daughter, and I fancy the earl never heard of her from that day to this, until he chanced to see his brother-in-law's picture a few moments ago. Miss Herncastle, Lady Cecil has left the piano; after all this talking will you not reward me by a little of your matchless music?

She arose at once and went out with him to the piano. For nearly an hour she sat playing bravely and brilliantly, he seated near, his face in shadow, his ears drinking in those sweet strains. Then she got up, and for the first time in his experience of her, held out her hand as she said good-night.

'You have done me a great favor tonight, Sir Arthur,' she said; 'greater than you know. Let me thank you, and good-night.'

He looked up at her in surprise. "A great favor,' he replied, holding her firm, cold hand in his clasp; 'I don't understand, Miss Herncastle.

She smiled—a strange exultant sort of smile—looking not at him, but across the room, at the figures of the Earl of Ruysland, and Lady Cecil Clive. Long after he had reason to know what the strange and triumphant smile meant.

'You may understand some day, Sir Arthur, and sooner than you think. Once more, good-night.'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

MELANCTHON COUNCIL.

COURT OF REVISION.

The council met on June 5, at the Town hall, and after hearing appeals and requests to be placed on the roll, adjourned till the 16th,

Assessments increased as under:

Thompson	$ 75	Slack	$200
Doyle	200	Oldfield	100
Brown	200	Parks	150
Dynes	150	Cameron	90
Dynes, W G	300	Cameron, D.	50
Barr and Norton	500	Faucett	50
		McLelland	50
McCormick	50	Stinson	250
Riky	500	Milligan	160
Polly	400	Allen	100
Rowantree	100	Hodgson, A.	150
Shanhouse	100	Hodgson	300
Snell	200	Hood	100
Toompson	300	Little	200
Aitkin	120	McDonall	300
Bell	50	Phillips	100
Coats	60	McNabb	200
Foley	130	Norval	50
Henders	100	Groskurth	250
Jackson	240	Jamieson	100
Kitchen	110	Leitch	100
Mitchell	50	Beil	70
Maxwell	400	E. & J. Bell	265
Nethercutt	169	Hewett	100
Patterson	170	Dudgeon	100
Scott	200	Manning	100
Blair	100	Armstrong	150
Hammond	100	Adams	300
Hale	200	Bailey, jr	160
McDowell	100		

On Saturday the court made the following reductions in the assessment, viz:

R. Brown	$50	Devlin	200
Russell	150	Morrison	100
Bowler	50	Mackenzie	50
Nethercutt	100	Berwick	300
Snell	300	Colleyhoum	250
Fead	100	Dickey	200
Heallie	100	Fewster	500
Silk	100	McCauley	200

A number of applicants were placed on the roll, after which the court adjourned.

COUNCIL.

The treasurer was authorised to receive from Messrs, Lindsay Bros. $51. 18, being taxes for 1879 and 1881, the county treasurer to erase the same.

Pathmasters, fence viewers, and pound keepers were appointed.

The following accounts were passed viz: C. W. Rutledge $2; Shelburne Free Press $50.

The clerk was instructed to get tenders for drains in No. 2 drainage section.

The reeve was appointed to meet reeves of Amaranth and Luther, and the county school inspector, to define boundary of of a proposed U.S.S.

EAST GREY.

The result of the election was not officially known till last Wednesday, too late for last week's issue of this paper.

MAJORITIES.

		Christie	Sproule
Collingwood	...	...	105
Euphrasia	...	...	212
Melancthon	...	...	75
Osprey	...	...	36
Proton	...	33	
Shelburne	...	...	30
St Vincent	...	16	
Meaford	...	...	5
		49	463

Sproule's Majority 414
Total votes for Sproule 1931
Do. Christie 1520

"Father," said the young man, as he leaned on his hoe, "they say the balance of trade is agin us."

"They do, eh?"

"And that our bank reserves are rapidly diminishing?"

"You don't say so."

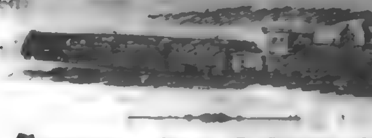
"And that railway extension has come to a halt?"

"Well, I declare."

"And that the volume of securities is substantially without a market."

"Dear me! Well, I never! And do they say anything about a feller stopping to lean on his hoe to talk, when he might just as well talk and hoe too?"

He resumed.



Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.30 a.m.	8.45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	5.02 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	5.17 p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.25
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union St'n.	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.35 a.m.	4.35 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9.08 "	6.00 "
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00 "
Mount Forest	12.18 "	8.50 "
Harriston	12.55 "	9.15 "
Teeswater	2.25 "	10.15 "
Dundalk	11.12 "	8.04 "
Flesherton & P'ville	11.30 "	8.30 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.45 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	9.55 "

A mixed train will also run between Toronto and Owen Sound. See time table.

EDMUND WRAGGE,
General Manager.

THURSDAY, JULY 6

GREY EXAMINATIONS.

The annual examinations of candidates for school teachers is now taking place at Owen Sound. The interest taken in these examinations is intensified this year through the fact that certain examination papers have been delayed in transit from this section to Mr Grier, chief school inspector of Grey, at Thornbury. This is a very serious matter for the owners of the papers. These documents should [illegible] than June 5. Some of the candidates handed in their papers to Mr. Irvine, who on or about the 30th May, posted them to Thornbury, where they were not received till June 27th. The candidates [illegible] Herb [illegible] Misses Mary [illegible] M. Anderson [illegible] White [illegible]

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DESTRUCTIVE FIRE In Markdale.

Loss $4000.

Great Conflagration

Brown's Sawmill DEMOLISHED.

Yesterday (Wednesday) morning at about 1 o'clock the people of Merkdale were aroused by the cry of

FIRE! FIRE!!

Quickly rushing out, the brightness of the living flames informed them of its position, and thus in an incredible short time hundreds of the villagers were around the usually busy works known as

BROWN'S SAW MILL.

It was at once evident that it was impossible to save the mill, and the assembled crowd speedily proved them noble volunteers to save the adjacent property.

Mr. Joseph Lamb's property, being within 25 feet of the engine house, was in greatest danger, and was being rapidly made

FOOD FOR THE FIRE FIEND,

and through this property, all dry wood, the fire would soon have reached Mill St, but for the almost superhuman efforts of the brave extempore fire brigade.

This building, and others adjoining caught fire several times, the ruin it now presents speaks loudly of the desperate efforts made to save them.

The fiery cinders came down in a thick shower over the southern part of the village, and would have done extensive damage had the dwellings not been well guarded by men with a good supply of water.

Fortunately the night was calm, and this together with the fact that a shower had fallen the previous evening was against the spread of the fire.

Its origin is unknown. The mill had been insured for $1200, but the policy ran out on June 30. It is said that Mr Brown had renewed the insurance, only a few days ago, but has not yet received the new policy. He took the early train for Toronto on Wednesday morning.

In any case the loss to Messrs. G. S. Brown and Son will be very heavy, and the village will suffer greatly by the destruction of the mill.

A number of hands are thrown out of employment.

Since the above was set up we [illegible] from Mr. Brown, that [illegible] It is not clear [illegible] on the mill [illegible]

CUTTING A MAN'S TONGUE [illegible]

The extent of the ferocity of the Russians towards the harmless Jews [illegible] set forth in the following [illegible] of one John Natika, who [illegible] arrived in this country:

"My name is John Natika. I can[illegible] because my tongue was cut [illegible] Russia. I was a clothier at [illegible] Last December a band of peasants [illegible] part of my house. I [illegible] to the police. On January [illegible] by some of the mouj[iks] [illegible] into my room. They dragged [illegible] out of bed [illegible] and kicked [illegible] they took me into the gar[den] [illegible] as I was in my night shirt, [illegible] a rope round my neck, and [illegible] me to a tree. When nearly dead let me down and demanded [illegible] my money was. I refused to [illegible] some of them cut out my tongue with a pair of shears. I bled almost to death."

The men were arrested, but it seems that no conviction could be made as Natika was unable to testify "by word [illegible]" as the law requires. Thus his [illegible] free.

THE PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION.

M[anitob]a, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, and Prince Edward's Island will send exhibits to the Provincial Fair this year. A grant of $1000 will be made to Manitoba to assist in paying freight, and $500 to each of [the] [illegible] maritime provinces [fo]r same purpose.

Says the San Francisco *News Letter*: The anticipated arrival of the Princess Louise is creating a good deal of excitement already in the higher circles. "O my! ain't I just too real glad!" remarked Miss Coupens (late of Paris) to Miss Headlight, who was calling on her the other day. "I never see a real live Princ'ss, did we, ma, when we was in Parse?" "Guess not, daughter," responded her ma, as she forced on her pale kids with lip-moistened finger and thumb, "unless ye count that one we see in that wax figger shown in the *Shanks Elizy*." "O pshaw, ma!" interrupted Miss Coupons, "she wasn't no real live and kickin' Princ'ss like [this] one." "That's so," observed Miss Headlight, abstractedly examining her Montagnes in the plate-glass mirror at her elbow. "Well," continued Miss Coupons, "we're going to give her either a banquet or a reception. We ain't decided which, but were first going to find out at which entertainment she'd most likely wear her crown, see?" "Course you're going to entertain her?" "Well, we ain't sure yet," replied Miss Headlight, "as we'll call or not, till we hear from Lord Bopeep whether she's in good society in London, for pa heard her husband, Mr Lorne, ain't rich a bit."

GUITEAU.

Charles John Guiteau was of Huguenot descent and the grandson of Dr. Francis Guiteau, Jr., who for many years resided in Utica, N.Y. All the male members of the family up to the last two generations were connected with the medical profession, the assassin's great grandfather having been physician to the then King of France. The President's murderer was born about forty one years ago in the State of Illinois. His father, L. A. Guiteau, resided at Freeport, Ill., which place he, in company with Charles, then sixteen years of age, left in order to join the Oneida Community in New York State. The father left his new associates in a few months, the son remaining among them for several years, after which he led a wandering life till some six years ago when he set up at Chicago as a lawyer in a very poor way. He was known as a man of fair acquirements, but of bad reputation, and an accomplished hotel dead beat. Further inquiry into his career proved him to be a thorough hypocrite and a blackmailer. He tried the lecturing career as a means of supplementing his precarious income, and started as a Second Adventist, but was hardly a success in this line either. His sister married Mr. George Scoville, of Chicago, a lawyer, whose name has since been in every one's mouth, owing to his having undertaken the defence of the assassin. From his wife Guiteau was speedily divorced on the ground of cruelty, and after living for some years in Chicago, he went to New York, only to return to the former city in 1876. He then professed to become converted, and began lecturing under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association. His next step was to try to form a Syndicate to buy out the Chicago Inter-Ocean, and run it as a newspaper on the lines of the New York Herald. This project fell to the ground, and with it whatever pretensions to respectability or decency Guiteau ever possessed. He sank lower and lower in the social scale, every now and then being heard of in some new line or another. For instance in 1879 he published a book in Chicago, entitled, "The truth, a companion to the Bible, by Charles J. Guiteau, lawyer, theologian, and lecturer, a book for every one to read." The book, which was a crazy production, a mixture of blasphemy and hypocrisy, was a failure, but few copies having been sold, about 1880 he disappeared from Chicago, and did not re-appear in a public character till July 2, 1881, the day on which he fired the fatal shots at President Garfield in the Washington depot of the Baltimore and Potomac Railway. His subsequent career is too well known to need further notice.

A LOVE-SICK SWAIN.

Alfred Parchment was before the Toronto magistrates the other day, charged with attempting to commit suicide. He was sent to the hospital, and there recovered from the effects of the laudanum he had taken. He then escaped, and has left on record the cause of his woes. Alf was badly caught by the charms of a young lady, but learned that she went for a boat sail with a rival, then disgusted with a world which could contain a girl who would barter away his true heart for a boat sail, he determined to leave it.

WEATHER WISDOM.

Under the title of "Old Probabilities" one of the most useful and valuable officers of the United States Government is most widely known. But quite as well known is Prof. J. H Tice, the meteorologist of the Mississippi Valley, whose contributions to his favorite study has given him an almost national reputation. On a recent lecture through the Northwest, the Professor had a narrow escape from the serious consequences of a sudden and very dangerous illness, the particulars of which he thus refers to: "The day after concluding my course of lectures at Barlington, Iowa, on the 21st of December last, I was seized with a sudden attack of neuralgia in the chest, giving me excruciating pain and almost preventing breathing. My pulse, usually 80, fell to 35; intense nausea of the stomach succeeded, and a cold, clammy sweat covered my entire body. The attending physician could do nothing to relieve me. After suffering for three hours I thought—as I had been using St. Jacob's Oil with good effect for rheumatic pains—I would try it. I saturated a piece of flannel large enough to cover my chest, with the oil, and applied it. The relief was almost instantaneous. In one hour I was entirely free from pain and would have taken the train to fill an appointment that night in a neighboring town had my friends not dissuaded me. As it was, I took the night train for my home, in St. Louis, and have not been troubled since."—St. Louis *Post-Dispatch*.

BEES ON THE FARM.

There is enough honey that goes to waste for want of bees to gather it, to sweeten all the pies, cakes and cookies that are baked. Upon nearly every eighty acre farm there is enough honey secreted by the flowers each year to furnish its owners with sweetening power from honey-harvest to honey-harvest. It is admitted by our best apiarists that a few colonies in a place give better results than a large number; therefore if the bees were scattered about, a few colonies at each farm, there would not be so much sweetness wasted. To be sure, there are, and probably always will be, people who make a specialty of bee-keeping, owning their hundreds of colonies; and that is all right; it is to such persons as these that we are indebted for improvements that are made bee culture the safe pleasant and profitable pursuit it is; but this need not deter any farmer from keeping a few colonies of bees that will supply his table with that most delicious and healthful of sweets, pure honey. They will probably find bee keeping to be one of the most facinating occupations in which they were ever engaged.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30. p.m.
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH, MARKDALE.

On Sunday last the Rev. J. Ward took advantage of the commencement of the fifth year of his ministry here to take a retrospective view of the work accomplished during his tenure of office. Taking for his text the words of Moses, "Consider the days that are past," the rev. gentleman said:

"These words are from the address of Moses to the Israelites, in which he endeavoured to teach a lesson of wisdom from a consideration of the days that are passed.

Such consideration is very profitable when we wish to become acquainted with the position we occupy, whether we are progressing or receding in the great business of life.

The scientist, the politician, and the business man alike discover their present position by a calm consideration of the days that are passed. And as it is with them in temporal things, so should it be with us, as christians, in spiritual matters.

This day seemed to me to be an opportune time to turn our thoughts into this channel, because to-day I enter upon the fifth year of my ministration amongst you, and in a period of four years there should be found sufficient matter of interest, by a brief consideration of which we may put in practise the principle contained in the text.

Little did I think when I came among you that after four years I should still be here. Yet so it is; and these four years have quickly passed away, a mixture of anxiety, weariness pleasure, and profit. I shall always remember my first Sunday's ministry in this place. It was to a meagre congregation in a musty, cobweb-festooned delapidated log building, without music or choir. To one used to magnificent churches with music and other things in keeping, such circumstances were anything but cheering. Yet finding among you true and loyal children of the Church, the hope was cherished that a better state of things could be brought about. With hearty good will we set to work, and we have no reason to be ashamed of the result. Our church building and its surroundings are second to none for a long distance around, and our choir occupies a like position. True we have a debt of about $600, which will require a second subscription to remove it, yet I feel sure it will be only necessary to place a statement before you, and the case will be fully and cheerfully met.

During the four years past our congregation has increased four-fold, and our communicants from nine to fifty. Instead of seeing three-fourths of the congregation without prayer books, and consequently taking little or no part in the services beyond listening, we have by far the larger portion of our congregation bringing and using their books, thereby rendering the services more hearty, and consequently more profitable.

Our Sunday school also keeps pace with the rest. The attendance has steadily increased, the discipline is excellent, the teachers shew great interest in their work, and the pupils acquire their lessons fairly well; so that the rising generation are growing up to become, we trust, intelligent and strictly loyal sons and daughters of the grand old catholic and apostolic Church of England.

By means of the Sunday school library a taste for wholesome and instructive literature has been cultivated.

All this gives us much cause for gratitude to the Giver of all good, and also inspires us with hope for the future, but that our hope for the future be fully realized it is necessary to consider the days that are past from another standpoint.

In regard to the debt on the church building, we have no cause for anxiety, for several have said that when a definite statement is put before them, their second subscription will be ready. But we all know that it is not enough to have a good and substantial church building, and suitable church grounds. They require to be kept up; both alike are holy, each in its own way being consecrated an offering to God, and whilst He accepts them He allows us to have the care and keeping of them, and like all other things offered to the Most High, they ought to be (as far as it is possible) without blemish or spot. There out not to be allowed a cobweb or a speck of dust in the church, nor a weed in the church grounds, and to remove a blemish from the church, to uproot a weed or place an ornamental plant in the church grounds, simply because they are holy unto the Lord, are each acts of faith pleasing and acceptable to God, and consequently work which the wealthiest and most polished may and ought to undertake, work which it is not beneath the dignity of king or priest to be engaged in.

This kind of service may not be as heroic as giving up oneself to be buried alive for God's honor, yet it is of the same nature and differs only in degree from gigantic faith of Abraham which we all admire so much.

God does not call all men to prove the reality of their devotions to Himself by dying for Him, no, He requires the greater number to prove the genuineness of their faith by living for Him in small things as well as in great.

During the days that are passed the attendance at church has been very largely increased, yet there is still much room for improvement, many being satisfied with an occasional appearance at public worship. I see them in church to-day, but I do not feel at all sure when I will next see them. How different this from the practice of our Lord, "As His custom was He went to the Synagogue on the Sabbath day." St. Luke IV, 16.

Our services have become much larger than they used to be, and this is again cause for thankfulness, yet many take little or no part in the services, from many there comes no audible amen to the beautiful prayer offered. This ought not to be, we ought ALL with one heart and one voice join in the beautiful responsive service of the church.

Our communicants have very largely increased, yet there are many who ought to be communicants who are not so, and several who communicate occasionally thereby neglecting the means which a loving Saviour has provided for the refreshing of our souls. Do we say we are not worthy, remember "This man receiveth sinners and eateth with them," "Jesus Christ the same yesterday and forever."

It is very gratifying to see so many come to the early morning addresses on the Holy Communion, still many more might and ought to do so.

A goodly number of parents make it a point to send their children to Sunday school, yet some are very negligent in this respect. May we hope that they are doing their duty teaching them at home.

Some have been persuaded to institute family prayers, a necessary part of Christian duty. But many are still without that blessed help to family happiness.

Thus briefly have we reviewed the days that are passed. It remains for us who have looked in the glass and seen faults in ourselves, to see to their speedy removal, and may the Giver of all good give us a right judgment in all things for Jesus sake."

Voters' List, 1882

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP PROTON, COUNTY OF GREY.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the third and fourth sections of the "Voters' Lists Act," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal elections; and the said List was first posted up at my office at Lot 22, Con. 11, Township of Proton, on the 4th day of July, 1882, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said List, and if any omissions or other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

JAMES CAVANAGH,
Clerk of said Municipality.

Dated this 4th day of July, 1882.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.14	to	1.15
Barley	0.65	"	0.00
Oats	0.38	"	0.38
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes.	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15 to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20 to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55 to	.65
Peas " 1	.72 to	.72
Oats " 1	.40 to	.40
Butter " 1	.16 to	.16
Eggs	.to	.15
Potatoes "	75 to	75
Pork "	0.00 to	0.00
Hay "	7.00 to	10.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.15
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush.		$1 24	to	$1 25
Wheat, spring,	do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley,	do.	0 62	to	0 65
Oats,	do.	0 48	to	0 50
Peas,	do.	0 82	to	0 85
Rye,	do.	0 70	to	0 75
Clover Seed	do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.				
Beef, hind quarters		11 00	to	12 00
Beef, fore quarters		9 00	to	10 00
Butter, large rolls		00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		14	to	0 17
Butter, store-packed		00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.		0 17	to	0 17
Eggs, packed		0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl.		2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes per bag		1 50	to	1 50
Hay		10 50	to	14 00
Wool		00 19	to	00 20

Church Directory.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Sunday next, at 10.30 7.
Sunday School 2 30
J. WARD, Incumbent.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday. 7..
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
N. A. McDIARMID, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sabbath 10.30, 7
Sabbath School 2.30.
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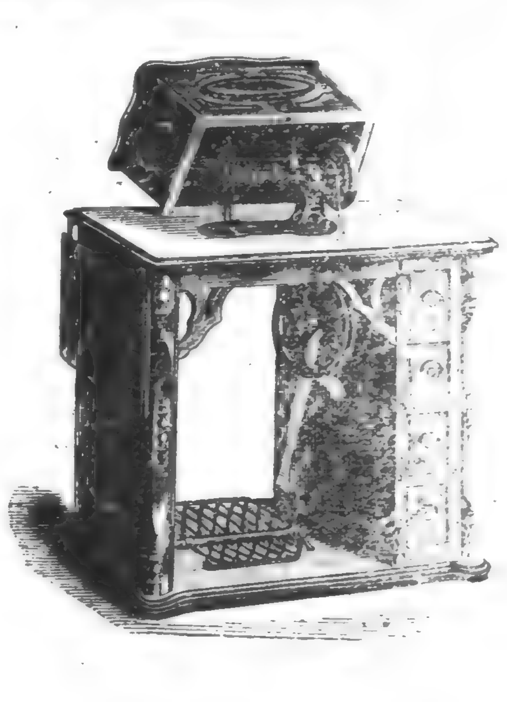

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A... is going to Toronto ... the excursion, and a good ...

... to the North-West report ... there a... showing magnifi... present.

... from Thunder Bay to Winnipeg ... complete, has been opened for traffic.

The examination of Guiteau's brain ... healthy, but the ... it is not consider... ed sound.

Pure Liquors at McIntyres.
Fresh gr... at McIntyres.
Fresh straw... at McIntyres.

... are being dai... the British Commons, ... and the Irish party.

Always ... new at Browne's ... the babies, he can ... pictures by his new ...

The ... prospects in England ... good, unless July and August ... them very much. Fruit will be ... and apples scarce.

WANTED.—A good smart boy, about 15 years of age, to learn the printing business. Must be able to read manuscript. Apply at this office.

Mr. McIntyre has made arrangements to have fresh Strawberries delivered through the town every morning to those who will favor him with an order.

... proposes to visit Aus... for the benefit of ... health. He will also probably arrange to meet ... while there.

We are pleased to learn, (while going to press,) that Mr. Brown will re... sawmill forthwith, having been ... will get the insurance ...

A ... the children attend ... Kingston was ... of that ...

... on Friday, and ...

... rly, ...

... situation ... the ... favourable re... of the Powers.

Mr. ... tender ... at the fire ...

... entra... were the ... to ...

... to get a ... so with the ... men who congr... ist church door on Sunday evening.

We ... mentioned last week that some 200 ... were ad... ed in cons... the increased assessment, ... to Glen... township, ...

Guiteau has ... in the ... His ... placed a wreath of immortelles at the head of the ... grave. Not a word was ...

Corr... from Chicago, who passed ... New York Monday, en route to Washington, said he had been ... by God to avenge Guiteau ... He made terrible threats ... Arthur.

A war ... the Salvation Army having ... in London, the right of public processions is being considered by the newspapers in that city with a view of ... complications in case the demonstrations are interfered with.

Instead of ringing the church bell the ... a clergyman got ... that there was likely to be a ... church, and it called out twelve ... where the clattering ... wouldn't have started one.

There is at present every appearance of ... crops in the Bowmanville district. All kinds of grain are making ... growth. Hay will be short and ... yield light. Flies are making ... havoc of turnips. All kinds of fruit, excepting cherries, betoken a large crop.

The ... labor in the village is now well ... The men worked ... well this year; whether it was ... to the cool weather, or their congenial ... or the road overseers, we are not prepared to state, however, the right men were in the right place as to overseers.

Rev. Dr. Hicks says Guiteau was a remarkable man and the case will never be fully understood by the people. He was not insane, but brilliant, shrewd and eloquent. If some of the contents of my journal were only open to the public there would be several ... developments.

Quite a sensation was created at Ailsa Craig last Sunday week by the disappearance of two little boys, children of rev. Mr. Turner, aged respectively 6 and 4 years. They were at length found walking on the Grand Trunk Railway track, five miles east of Ailsa Craig. When asked where they were going, they replied that they were going to Woodstock to see their pa. Mr. Turner was at the latter place attending the conference.

Not to be behind in anything Winnipeg has now its electric light exhibited by an enterprising firm. The bicycle also has become so common that the city fathers have thought it well to pass a by-law prohibiting the running of any bicycle, velocipede, or other like machine" on the streets or sidewalks.

A strawberry festival will be given by the Ladies aid society of the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening the 11th inst., on Mr. James Walker's lot Main street, opposite the Agricultural Hall. Preparations are being made to render the entertainment one of the most enjoyable of the season. Admission 15 cents.

Mr Hastings has been busy for the past three weeks renovating and cleaning feathers in Markdale, and doubtless the results are satisfactory. Feather beds should be thoroughly cleaned every few years, especially if sickness has been in the house. When it is considered that one-third of one's time is, or should be, spent in bed, the necessity of having the sleeping apartments kept pure and free from the dregs of disease is apparent. We have tried Mr. Hastings work, and can recommend his process of renovating.

Mr. James Heron, late of Osprey township, who has been in Manitoba the past four years, is home on a visit, and is purchasing a car load of stock for the Prairie Province. He bought a cow in Euphrasia for which he paid $100, and another for $80. Also a pair of mules in St. Vincent township for $350. He has secured a quantity of land near Gladstone, and resides in that town. We are glad to learn that he has done exceedingly well. He will return next week, and intends going the new Canadian route, via Prince Arthur's Landing and C.P.R., which will be a great saving.

If any of our readers are so unfortunate as to be afflicted with dyspepsia liver complaint, general debility, etc., they will read with interest the advertisements, testimonials, and press notices appearing regularly in our columns, regard Burdock Blood Bitters. This medicine seems to be rapidly growing in public favor, judging from the reports in this vicinity. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry as a cure for bowel complaints, seems to give equally good satisfaction with those who have tried it. Messrs. T. Milburn & Co. are proprietors of both named medicines, the first named of which they inform us has within the past three months reached the sale of 25,000 bottles.

FISHING MATCH.

A interesting, novel, and exciting fishing match took place in the vicinity of Markdale on the 23rd ult. under Captains James Galbraith and George Noble, with ten picked men on each side. After a day's toil and sport, they returned with the following good result:

GALBRAITH.		NOBLE.	
Cap.	90	Cap.	114
W. Benson	127	Dan Shea	150
T. McNea	91	J. McDougall	89
T. Mullarkey	82	Alex. Mathers	72
G. Wilson	73	J. Reid	53
C. Owen per		R. D Irvine	50
Jos. Galbrth	43	J. Irwin	46
R. S...ale	28	A. McIntyre per	
G. Noble, jr	28	H. Richardson	28
J. McMillan	8	W. Carter	21
Wm Kay per		Jas Sproule	1
S. Palmer	2		
	577		627

Majority for Noble 50.

The losing party gave a supper at K...'s Hotel and thus was the day's noble sport concluded.

FLESHERTON

At Flesherton the weather seriously affected the attendance and the sports. The following is a list of winners of prizes offered by the Flesherton Turf Association

Running, open to all.—1 J. Trimble, 'Ella Walker.' 2 Wm. Randall, 'Mary Randall.'

Trotting.—1 A. Hannah, 'Peter.' 2 W.H. Campaigne, 'Jimmy Puzzler.' 3 R. Davis, 'Young Eagle.'

2nd Running.—W. Taylor, 'Little Paddy,' 2 W. J. Lever, 'Crazy Jane.'

2nd Trotting.—D. W. Baskerville, 'Flesherton Boy.' 2 J. Bryne, 'Captain White.' 3 T. White, 'Bay Boy.'

PRICEVILLE.

Here Dominion day was duly honored, and in spite of the weather a good day's sport was gone through. All places of business were closed and the crowd attended the gala was great. The hotels did a great business. The whole was concluded by fireworks. Darkness prevented the whole programme being carried out; not a single row occurred. In firing off rockets one went through T. Conkey's window and another knocked down our worthy butcher, striking him on the forehead.

PRIZE LIST.

Horse racing.—Running—1 Little Paddy, 2 Maggie B.

Rifle match.—1 Wm. Watson, 2 Jas, McDougall,

Men's flat race.—1 Newman, 2 McDouglall.

Men's 200 yd. race.—1 Newman, 2 McIntyre.

Boy's race under 14 years.—1 Benson. 2 Scott.

Under 10 years.—1 McLean, 2 Wilson.

Men's race over 50 years.—1 McLean, 2 McMillan.

Men's race.—1 Beaton, 2 McIntyre.

Hurdle race.—1 McDougall, 2 Robertson.

Standing jump.—1 Tryon, 2 McDougall.

Standing hop, step and jump.—1 McDougall, 2 Robertson.

8 standing jumps.—1 Tryon, 2 McDougall.

3 mile race.—1 Tyron, 2 Stevenson.

Standing high jump.—1 Tyron, 2 McDougall.

Running hop, step and jump.—1 McDougall, 2 Robertson.

Running jump.—1 Robertson. 2 McDougall.

Boy's jump, under 14 years.—1 Benson, 2 Elvidge.

Checker player—1 Conkey, 2 a draw.

Putting 24lb. shot.—1 Beaton, 2 McMillan.

Walking spring pole. McMillan.

Step dancing.—1 McArthur, 2 Sproule.

Dundalk.

Fine weather.

Crops look splendid.

Hay promises to be an exceeding good crop.

Remember the Dundalk fair next Tuesday, come early.

Samuel Haney, merchant, is building an addition to his store.

Robert Scott, of Proton, sold a yoke of ... for $139 each.

Dundalk is ... than at any time in the history of the village.

Crops throughout Proton and Melancthon, although late, have a fine healthy appearance.

The Dundalk brick yard is turning out 5000 to 6000 bricks per day. Builders are anxiously waiting for them.

The corner lot opposite Mr. Dean's hardware store has been purchased by Mr E. G. Lucas for the goodly sum of $950.

Samuel Fleming, now in Manitoba, has sold his farm, lot 27, con. 16, of Proton, to Stephen Morris, for $2500 through the estate agency of Mr A. G. Hunter.

Last Sunday night was the coldest time in July for the past 23 years. It is now considered that the cold wave is past for this season. Our information is received from Prof. Morris, of Stouffville, who is now residing in Dundalk.

An excellent lecture was delivered by Mr. Archibald Cuthbertson in Victoria hall, on the subject of Food, Work and Rest, as the means of health. The lecture was very interesting and well attended. The Rev. Mr. Potter presided.

Mr. Newman Irish, the celebrated framer, has contracted for building six frame barns in the township of Proton, all to be completed before harvest. We are pleased to see the progress in building throughout the township.

The phantasmagorian society boys who paraded the streets of Dundalk on Dominion day, were the finest fellows we ever saw. We wondered where they all came from, and we wonder more where they have all gone to, and we wonder if they will ever came back again.

The Rev. Mr. Potter delivered a farewell sermon to a large and attentive audience on last Sabbath evening. After two years of successful labors in the Dundalk circuit, he has been called by the Conference to take charge of the Hanover circuit. We regret the removal of Mr. Potter and his amiable partner. May success attend them in their new field of labors.

DOMINION DAY AT DUNDALK.

Owing to the gloomy aspect of the morning fears were entertained that the programme for which such extensive preparations had been made would fall through. However, neither the chilliness of the morning nor the cloudiness of the sky prevented the justly celebrated phantasmagorians from putting in an appearance at the appointed hour. Persons who have seen a great many processions of a like nature say 'twas the best they ever witnessed, and to the boys is due the credit of opening the day successfully. Their movements and eccentric attire called forth roars of laughter from the assembled crowd. At twelve o'clock the horse racing commenced and some very exciting races were witnessed. Immediately after the horse racing the crowd adjourned to the agricultural grounds where despite a few showers of rain a pleasant afternoon was spent. A feature of the day was the tug of war between ten men of Proton and ten of Melancthon. The teams were very evenly matched and although the Proton men ultimately won they acknowledged they had about met their matches. There was no preparations or drilling for the contest, but simply the number secured and the rope 40 feet long stretched having a string tied to the middle to hang directly over a mark on the ground. The competitors had to tighten the rope in position before the word "go" was given. They were some four minutes before either party could move the string from over the mark, and even then some time elapsed before they made any headway. Eventually however Proton won. All was done in good nature.

The Mount Forest band were in readiness at 8 o'clock a.m. to come over, but the rain poured and consequently no band attended.

The committees deserve credit for the manner in which the programme was carried out, and the general verdict is that everybody got a square deal. The crowd throughout the day was very orderly, and from present appearances twill be some time before a lock up will be required at Dundalk.

PRIZE LIST.

Horse race—Running—1 D. McLean, 2 R. Gorden. Trotting—1 S. Edgerton, others distanced. Farmers' running—1 S. McDowell, 2 G. Sutherland.

Foot races.—Mile race 1 S. Rundle 2 O. McCue. Half mile—1 O. McCue 2 J. McCue. 100 yards—1 E. Goheen, 2 S.B. Kirkland. Three-legged race.—1 E. Goheen and S. B. Kirkland, 2 J. McAulay and Newman. Egg race.—1 S. Rundle and E. Goheen, ties. Boys under 14 years.—1 A. McArthur. 2 C. Russell. Under 10 years.—1 J. Little, 2 F. Teeple.

Jumping.—Standing jump.—E. Goheen and J. McCue, ties. Running—1 E. Goheen, 2 J. McCue. Hop, step and jump.—1 O. McCue, 2 J. McCue. Running high jump.—1 O. McCue, 2 J. McCue.

Tug of war.—Ten men of Proton against ten men of Melancthon, won by Proton.

THE BABY IN DISTRESS.

Oh how my baby cried, I thought it's little heart would break, until pa showed it a beautiful gem picture of a little cherub like itself taken at Gillespie's art gallery, when it instantly began to crow and laugh. Pa then read to our family the following

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

TWO DAYS ONLY.

Tuesday and Wednesday, July 11th and 12th; having taken the gallery next door to Parson's drug store, Dundalk, for the above dates, I shall be present in person on those days to take photographs and ambrotype pictures in the latest city styles of fashion. Pictures will be executed with the same care and in that high degree of artistic perfection which characterizes all work done at my Shelburne gallery.

GEO. GILLESPIE.

PERSONAL.

Rev. J. E. Allen gave us a call on his way to Gladstone Manitoba, where he is stationed for the coming year.

Mr. Bingham of the Wiarton Echo called on us last week.

Mr. Southgate of Toronto was in town on Tuesday.

WILL YOU EXCHANGE a case of Dyspepsia or Biliousness for 75 cents? It is awfully unwise to agonize under the many ailments arising from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Disordered Stomach and Liver, when this offer is made to you in your own home in all sincerity, with an absolute certainty of curing you.

ZOPESA (from Brazil) cures Dyspepsia and Biliousness. A single dose relieves; a sample bottle convinces; a 75 cent bottle cures.

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Cut this out, take it to any dealer in medicines, and get at least one 75 cent bottle of Zopesa, and tell your neighbor how it acts. It is warranted to cure Dyspepsia and Biliousness.

BIRTHS.

HILL.—In Markdale on the 5th inst. the wife of Mr John Hill, (carriage maker) of a son.

CHRISTIE.—In Proton, June 8, the wife of Mr J. W. Christie, of a son.

BATES.—In Flesherton, June 18, the wife of Mr Bates of a daughter.

SEWELL.—In Artemesia, on the 5 inst., the wife of Robt. Sewell, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

McCOMB—LITTLE.—On the 19th June, S. McComb, to Miss Agnes Buchan Little, of Orchardville.

WATTERS—KNOWLS.—On the 21st June, at Glenelg, Mr W. H. Watters, to Miss B. Knowles.

DIED.

CUNNINGHAM—In Artemesia, on the 27th inst., Margaret Jane, daughter of Mr Wm. Cunningham, aged 20 years.

HENDERS.—The infant child of Mr. Wm Henders, Melancthon.

ELVIDGE.—June 22, Geo. Elvidge, Durham aged 29.

SMILEY.—June 27, Jno B. Smiley, Durham aged 8 days.

VESSIE.—June 23, Margaret Vessie, Glenelg, aged 78 years. One of the earliest settlers in this section.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the period during which the Membership Fee to GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY for 1882, is ONE DOLLAR will expire on the 26th day of this month; after that date the fee will be TWO DOLLARS.

A. TURNER,
Markdale, July 4, 1882. Sec-Trsr.

School Teacher Wanted.

A Female School Teacher wanted, holding a 3rd Class Certificate, for Markdale School, for balance of year Apply to G. S. Bowes, Sec.
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SEALED TENDERS marked "Tenders for Drainage" will be received at the Office of the undersigned up till 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 3rd day of July, 1882, for the drainage of a portion of the Township of Melancthon.

Tenders may be for one or more drains, and to be accompanied with the names of good and efficient sureties for the due performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and Specifications of the work may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

JAMES BROWN,
Melancthon, June 20, 1882. Clerk. 43-4

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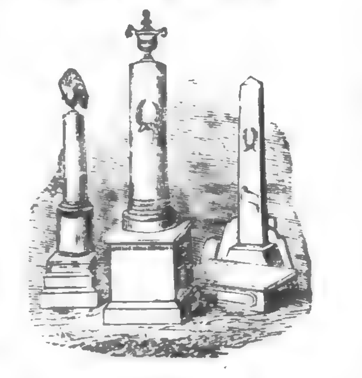

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IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF THE INFANT CHILDREN OF ROBERT BROWN, DECEASED

Application will be made to the Surrogate Court, of the County of Grey, before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House in the Town of Owen Sound, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, on behalf of Eliza Brown, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, widow and executrix of said deceased and mother of his infant children hereinafter named; and on behalf of William Brown, of the village of Markdale, and Hugh McKee, of the Township of Glenelg. Executors of said deceased, for an Order, appointing the said Eliza Brown, William Brown and Hugh McKee, or some one of them, the guardians or guardian of James Austin Brown, Frederick William Brown, Isabella Brown and Robert Brown, infant children of the said Robert Brown, deceased.

Dated, at Owen Sound, this twenty-eighth day of June, A. D., 1882.

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MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-ly

NOTICE

IS hereby given that in the course of a few days the Collectors will be in Markdale to collect the subscriptions promised for the improvement of 6 and 7 side road, near Kimberley. The Township Council, of Euphrasia, has granted an equivalent amount to that subscribed and the work is to be proceeded with at once.

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NEVER BE WITHOUT IT.

Tourists and all who are subjected to a change of climate, water, diet, &c., should never be without Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the infallible remedy for all summer complaints.

We saw a man yesterday who had no advice to give an editor regarding the tone of his paper. He was dead.

Mr. R. W. Carmichael, chemist and druggist of Belleville, under date of May 31st, 1885, writes as follows.—"Your Burdock Blood Bitters have a steady sale, are patronized by the best families here and surrounding country, and all attest to it's virtues with unqualified satisfaction.

The rifle match between British and American teams will be shot at Creedmoor on the 14th and 15th September.

There is no more wholesome or delicious fruit on earth than the wild strawberry, and there no more effectual remedy for cholera, dysentery, cramps and other summer complaints of infants or adults, than Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

The forgers and counterfeiters whose operations in Montreal have caused so much excitement, have escaped to the United States.

Sick Headache, Neuralgia, Dyspepsia and Constipation relieved and cured by the use of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. Try them. They are safe and effectual. Sold by all druggists. A. Turner & Co. Agent Markdale, and G. W. Parsons, Agent, Dundalk.

Numerous cases of pinkeye, several of them fatal, are reported among the farmers' horses in Westminster township, Middlesex county.

A WISE PRECAUTION.

During the summer and fall people are liable to sudden attacks of bowel complaints, and with no prompt remedy at hand, life may be in danger. Those whose experience has taught them wisdom, always keep Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry at hand for prompt relief, and a physician is seldom required.

Are you troubled with rheumatism? Use Kendall's Spavin Cure. Read advertisement.

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What is the great cry from ocean to ocean? Kendall's Spavin Cure. Read advertisement.

Says [illegible] prominent horseman in [illegible] Vanderbilt's [illegible], whose great feat at [illegible] at the head and [illegible] of the Turf," "In my opinion the time is not far distant [illegible] gait will be recorded [illegible] certainly be the case if [illegible] continue to use Kendall's Spavin Cure, as it limbers up the joints, removes all blemishes, and in fact has made a complete revolution in the [illegible].

The following "notis" is posted up in an East Texas saw mill: "Doant Monk with the buz saw when in mosiun.

BAD BLOOD.

The blood is the true essence of vitality, with out pure blood there cannot be healthy action in the system. Boils blotches, pimples, and the various humors and blemishes of the skin are only symptomatic of bad blood—that needs purifying at its fountain, to render its tributaries pure. Burdock Blood Bitters effectually cleanses the blood from all humors, obtains a healthy action of the liver, bowels, kidneys, skin, etc., and strengthening while it regulates and purifies.

A fresh outbreak against the Jews in Russia is reported. Peasants who murdered a Jew have been transported for a term of years. The Sultan it is stated intends granting the refugees fertile tracts in Northern Syria and Mesopotamia.

The well known drug firm of N. C. Polson & Co., of Kingston, writes that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has long been considered the best remedy for summer complaints in the market, and adds that their customers speak in the highest terms of its merits. Wild Strawberry is the best known remedy for cholera morbus dysentery, and all bowel complaints.

$200.00 REWARD!

Will be paid for the detection and conviction of any person selling or dealing in any bogus, counterfeit, or imitation HOP BITTERS, especially Bitters or preparations with the word Hop or Hops in their name or connected there with, that is intended to mislead and cheat the public, or for any preparation put in any form, pretending to be the same as HOP BITTERS. The genuine have cluster of GREEN HOPS, (notice this) printed on the white label and are the purest and best medicine on earth, especially for Kidney, Liver, and Nervous Diseases. Beware of all others, and of all pretended formulas or recipes of HOP BITTERS published in papers or for sale, as they are frauds and swindles. Whoever deals in any but the genuine will be prosecuted, HOP BITTERS MFG. Co.,

Rochester, N. Y

The exemption of several individuals from typhoid fever, which recently prevailed very largely in a Western town, was directly traced to the fact that they maintained an excellent state of health by the use of Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, non-alcoholic, and may be had of all druggists. Price 50 cents. A. Turner & Co., agents, Markdale, and G. W. Parsons, Agent, Dundalk.

Our Premium

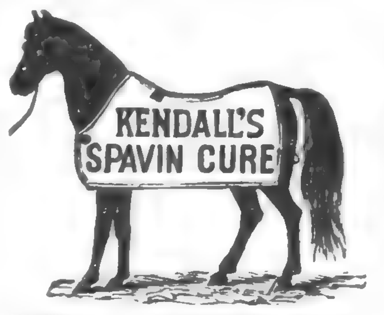
We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.



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The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

HAMILTON, Mo., June 14, 1881.

B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; I have removed by using the above: Callous Bone Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can cheerfully testify and recommend it to be the best thing for any bony substance I have ever used, and have tried many as I have made that my study for years.

Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone if properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

WEST ENOSBURGH, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

ST. JOHN, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle very badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25cts. and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

Sold by all Druggists.

LYMAN, SONS & CO., Montreal, P. Q. Wholesale Agents

FARMERS, Look to your interests, and get Sargent's Patent

Load Lifting Machine

this season.

It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county. Wm. SARGENT, Berkeley P.O. or, Grover & Innes, Mail Buildings, Toronto. 84-97

DUNDALK

BOOT AND SHOE STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

"Glasgow House," Dundalk.

SELLING OFF. SELLING OFF.

Bargains. Bargains. Bargains

Bound for the North-West.

The undersigned having determined to remove to Manitoba now offers the whole of his large and well assorted stock, consisting of

Dry Goods, Groceries, Boots and Shoes,

Ready-Made Clothing, Millinery, &c.,

AT A GREAT SACRIFICE.

This is the only genuine bona-fide sale ever offered to the public. The whole stock of goods must be sold.

Terms Cash or Farm Produce.

Wm. NELSON, Proprietor.

Dundalk, February 28th, 1882. 1

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
LIQUORS! LIQUORS	MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
Cigars, Cigars.	Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S	McINTYRE'S
Coffee, Coffee.	Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES.

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General Printing

At Shortest Notice.

Orders by Mail or Wire promptly executed.

"STANDARD" OFFICE,

Markdale.

ALL MEN!

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

1882. SPRING 1882.

Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

—AT THE—

TORONTO HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Wm BROWN.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882.

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

Sydenham Street, Markdale.

Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRING & SUMMER Goods

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Muslins,
All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

Scotch and West of England Tweeds,

Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

Denims, Oxford Shirtings,

A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS in ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

HENRY FOSTER.

MARKDALE.

MARKDALE HOUSE

MARKDALE.

ALEX. RUTLEDGE, Proprietor

THIS HOTEL is a large three storey brick building, recently erected and fitted up with every modern convenience. It is furnished in First-Class Style. The Bar is supplied with the best brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars, and the table with all the delicacies of the season. The travelling Public may rely upon every attention being paid to their comfort. *Good Sample Rooms for Commercial Travellers.* The only Hotel that runs a Bus to and from all Trains. Good Stables and attentive Hostlers. 16

SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass, Tares, &c.

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods

Pure Drugs & Chemicals.

Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER,

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale May 27th, 1881.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend

BULMER.

Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. AT THE 1882.

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881. 67tf.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

Wm. HOGG.

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Dental Card.

[illegible] CAMERON desires to inform [illegible] of Owen Sound and the [illegible] country that he has engaged [illegible] CHARLES F. KNIGHT, [illegible] of the Royal Col[illegible] Toronto. Gold [illegible] all operations [illegible] competently [illegible] A. Cameron & Co's [illegible] Knight will resume [illegible] due notice will be given.

Dental Card.

T. F. Brown.

SURGEON DENTIST,

[illegible], Ont. [illegible] July 25, for One W[illegible]

[illegible] filled with [illegible] Teeth inserted [illegible] natural appearance. Perfect Fit. Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

Legal.

JOHN B. McMILLAN. [illegible] TORNEY AND SOLICITOR [illegible] ready for attending to all kinds of law [illegible] Office—at Kay's Hotel [illegible], Dec. 2nd, 1881. [illegible]

Frost & Frost. [illegible] STERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT [illegible] Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers [illegible], Owen Sound, have resumed [illegible] Office open every Thursday [illegible] [illegible] FROST, J. W. F[illegible] County Crown Attorney.

J. MASSON, BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP[illegible] in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer [illegible] MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT [illegible]—Owen Sound, in Vicker[illegible] St.; and in Markdale, over [illegible] Store, on Friday and Saturday [illegible]

Creasor & Morrison. BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVE[illegible] ancers, &c. &c. [illegible] in Owen Sound, [illegible] W. F. Wolfe's Store and in MARKDALE [illegible] W. J. McFarland's Store [illegible] Friday of each week. Funds to lend on reasonable [illegible] CREASOR, Q. C. DUNCAN MORRISON [illegible] Markdale, March 15, 1882.

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown. [illegible] ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES [illegible] Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches [illegible] attended to and carefully executed. [illegible] B.—Money to Lend on [illegible] Markdale, Sept. 17, 18[illegible]

Alexander Brown. ISSUER of Marriage Licenses [illegible] Life Insurance Agent [illegible] B. R. &c. Conveyancer and [illegible] Auctioneer for the County of Grey [illegible] Merchants, and Land Sales. Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate. Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880.

R. M. Galbraith. AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL Agent, Williamsford Station [illegible] attended in all parts of [illegible] Goods sold on commission. [illegible] Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines [illegible] Fruit and Ornamental Trees [illegible] Agricultural Implements, and Machines [illegible] kinds on sale. Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

SEEING IS BELIEVIN[illegible]

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They can supply you with anything from a Lumber Wagon up to an Extension Top Phæ[illegible]

To buy from them is to SAVE MON[illegible]

They are both practical workmen [illegible] employ none but PRACTICAL WORK[illegible]

They guarantee their work [illegible] Second to none for Lightness of D[illegible] and Superiority of Finish.

They use nothing but First-class W[illegible] for Wagons, and thrice Extra S[illegible] Growth Hickory for light wo[illegible]

The immense amount of work t[illegible] out of McKenna & Mason's shop is [illegible] proof of the wide reputation they [illegible] for doing good work.

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Special attention given to Re-Tr[illegible] and Repainting all classes of Carri[illegible]

Satisfaction guaranteed (or No [illegible]

HORSESHOE[illegible] SHOP—On Mill Street op[illegible] Sproule's Hotel.

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Dental Card. ... CAMERON begs to inform the citizens of ... and the surrounding ... he has engaged the services of ... L.D.S., Silver ... Royal College of Dental ... Gold Fillings a Specialty ... upon the Mouth those ... performed. Office ... Cameron & Co's Drug Store. ... regular trips. of ...

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The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.

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In large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

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☞ Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

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Sptember 23, 1880. 2-ly

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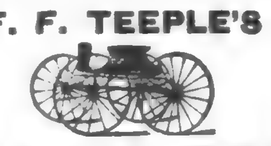

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The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES, SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB-SLEIGHS, Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

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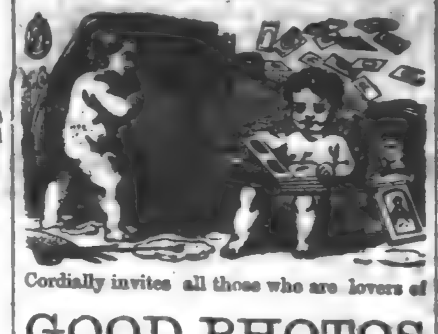

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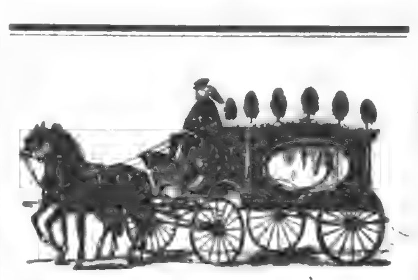

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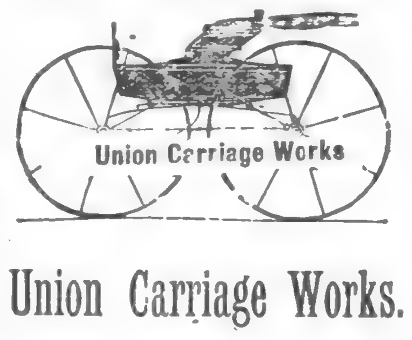

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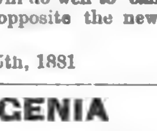

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Our dearest one from us has gone,
He's left to us a lonely home,
He's gone to live with God above
To share His grace and sing His love.

We loved him dear, he was a child,
Who was so patient, meek, and mild,
But God, who knoweth all things best,
Gave unto him eternal rest.

A truthful child he always was,
No wonder we do feel his loss;
In heaven Alex. now doth stand
And sings God's praise at His right hand.

When unto him affliction came
With patience he did bear the same,
We all with tears did crowd around
But not a frown in him was found.

For two long weeks he suffered much,
Which did our hearts with sorrow touch,
When from his heart his blood did flow,
But nothing for him we could do.

How hard it was, dear friends, to see
Our dearest one in agony,
His little body touched with pain,
But not a word did he complain.

He called his father to his bed,
O, father, will you raise my head;
His father his dear one did kiss,
He saw that death was in his face.

He called his mother to his room;
He said dear Jesus take me home,
O take me out of this distress,
A heaven-like smile came on his face.

O, mother, come unto my bed,
For I do want my bible read;
And then what will I read for you?
He said that anything would do.

Two christian friends came him to see,
He asked if they with him would pray;
How precious was in one so young
The love of God it was so strong.

He called his sisters one by one,
Kiss me good-bye I'm going home;
Now, brothers, come and kiss me too,
His arms around their necks did throw.

He turned his face unto the wall,
O Sarah, Sarah, he did call,
He said be good and then turned o'er;
He raised his head. Oh, one kiss more.

'Twas half-past six, at break of day.
His spirit took its flight away;
The angels then did hover round,
Another angel they had found.

Although from us we miss our dear,
How little time we will live here;
Why should we weep and mourn a friend
That's came to such a glorious end.

No doubt we miss him from our side,
For he was all our joy and pride;
We loved him dear, it grieved our heart
When our dear Alex did depart.

And now one vacant seat is left,
We are of our dear one bereft;
We miss him now in every place,
We miss his gentle loving face.

There at the table is a space
Which used to be his little place,
And when his clothes and toys we see
It makes us weep most bitterly.

He lies now in the cold, cold clay,
We feel his loss more every day;
On earth no more we'll see his face
Till we meet him at a throne of grace.

May God prepare us all to die,
To meet our dear one up on high,
A happy meeting then will be
When we our dear one there will see.

The hour of my departure come,
I hear the voice that calls me home;
At last, Oh Lord, let trouble cease,
And let thy servant die in peace.

MARY McFARLANE.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XVII.

THE SCAR ON THE TEMPLE.

'I tell you madam, you shall not go!'

'And I tell you, sir, I *shall!*'

'Lady Dangerfield I repeat it, you shall not go to that disreputable woman's house in that disgusting dress.'

'Sir Peter Dangerfield, I repeat it, I will go to Mrs. Everleigh's masquerade in the costume of a page.'

And then husband and wife stood still, and paused for breath, and glared at each other, as much more devoted husbands and wives will do at times in the marital relations, I am told.

'Don't make a greater fool of yourself, Sir Peter Dangerfield, than nature has already made you. It's no affair of yours. Attend to your bugs and horrid crawling things, your ghosts and your gamblings. Oh, yes, I know where you were the night you saw the ghost under the King's Oak. I don't interfere with your amusements—be good enough not to interfere with mine.'

'You mean to go to Mrs. Everleigh's masquerade! You mean to go in male attire?—you, the mother of two children!—a woman thirty-five years of age!'

'How dare you use such language as that to me? If I never meant to go I should go now. Five-and-thirty indeed! I deny it; it is a base falsehood! I shall not be thirty-one until next birthday. And *I shall* go to Mrs. Everleigh's, and *I shall* go as a page, just as sure as Thursday night!'

'And with Major Frankland, Ginevra?'

'With Major Frankland—a gentleman at least, who does not insult ladies to their faces by odious falsehoods about their age. Thirty-five indeed! I have no more to say to you, Sir Peter Dangerfield, only this—I shall!'

'Very well, Lady Dangerfield,'—he was yellower than ever—he was trembling with passion; 'then hear me. If you go to Mrs. Everleigh's as page to that man's knight, then—remain with Mrs. Everleigh—don't come back here. I have endured a good deal; I will not endure this. Go if you will; I shall not lift a finger to prevent you; but—but don't come back. Scarswood is mine; the mistresses of Scarswood have been honorable women always; you shall not be the first to dwell beneath its roof and disgrace it—that I swear!'

For once in his life he was eloquent, for for once in his life he was dignified.

Miss Herncastle had made the dresses and now my lady went to try them on.

The dress lay spread upon a bed—a shining vision of carmine silk, white white ostrich plumes, gold braid and black diamonds, as she lifted the several articles that composed the costume, and held them up to glimmer in the sunlight. Millinery was the one thing of all things earthly, that most closely appealed to this woman's soul.

'Oh!'—a long inspiration. 'Miss Herncastle, your taste is perfect—perfect; I never saw anything so lovely. And to think that preposterous little baronet says I shall not wear it.

My lady sinks into a chair. 'Do my hair, Miss Herncastle,' she said impaitiently; 'I shall try it on at least.'

Miss Herncastle's deft fingers got to work. Embroidery, costume making, hair dressing—nothing seemed to come amiss to those deft white fingers.

'It is lovely—lovely,' my lady responded, still staring in an ecstasy; 'but, Miss Herncastle, I have already told you Sir Peter has taken it into his imbecile head to object—to absolutely forbid. He calls the dress disgraceful—nonsense—and Mrs. Everleigh disreputable. And you have no idea how disagreeable and obstinate Sir Peter Dangerfield can be when he likes.'

'Have I not? But I think I have. Men have peculiar notions on these subjects, and with a man like Sir Peter, it is much easier to let him have his way than to do combat. They never yield an inch.'

'Give way. That means to give up the idea of the ball—to submit to be tyrannized over—not to wear this exquisite dress. Miss Herncastle, do I hear aright?'

'You hear, but you do not understand. Of course you go to the ball —only—let Sir Peter think you don't. It will be easy enough to deceive him. It may involve a few falsehoods, but your ladyship will not stick at that. You go to the ball in peace, and he goes to bed in peace—and what he never knows will never grieve him.'

'But how is this to be done?'

'In this way,' she said. 'Write to Major Frankland in London, and tell him when he returns to Castleford, on Thursday evening, to remain in Castleford at one of the inns, instead of coming to Scarswood. You can tell Sir Peter, if you choose, that you have given up the idea—that Major Frankland has been detained in town. He will not believe it, of course, but when the night arrives and he does not return, and he sees you retire for the night, he will. Once in your room, you dress, of course; bribe the coachman to drive you to Mrs. Everleigh's and wait the breaking up of the ball. At Mrs. Everleigh's you meet the Major; he can keep quiet in the town all the following day, and in the evening come here as though direct from the station. You will have enjoyed the ball, and Sir Peter will be none the wiser.'

My lady listened in calm approbation, undisturbed by conscientious qualms of any kind.

'A famous idea. Miss Herncastle,' she said, as the governess ceased. 'What a head you have for plotting and taking people in. One would think you had done nothing else all your life.'

'If you write to Major Frankland at once, my lady,' she said, 'I will take the letter to the post office myself, and he will get it in time to-morrow.'

While this conversation was going on in the school room Captain O'Donnell was learning at Sir Peter's lips that Katherine Dangerfield had a scar on her forehead. He also learned that she died at the house of Henry Otis, and that her nurse, Hannah Gowan, lived at Bracken Hollow. Having gleaned thus much he went into the library to think over his plans, and there found Miss Herncastle asleep. He gently lifted the lock of hair on her forehead, and there he found, —a scar.

CHAPTER XVIII.

ROSE O'DONNELL'S SECRET.

When Captain O'Donnell lifted the lock of hair and shaw the scar on Miss Herncastles forehead, she awoke. He explained that he was experimenting in animal majetism. She saw, she regretted he had nothing else to do. He then told her that he had seen her with Henry Otis that he would not permit his friend Sir Arthur Tregenna to be led away further into what was evidently the snares of an adventuress. He then told her that he heard her tell Otis; "Marie de Lansac is here", what was Marie de Lansac—Rose O'Donnell to you or him? She asked him if he knew anything of Justrun Dantree. "No" he said "he had never"—"Then" said Miss Herncastle,' I tell know tales, I keep my own secrets and let others keep theirs.

After dinner he made up his mind to speak to his sister.

'Rose,' he began, 'how much longer do you propose remaining in Sussex?'

'Remain? I—she faltered 'are you anxious to go, Redmond? If so, of course—'

'I have no wish to go until the object that brought you here is an object accomplished, Rose. That you have some object in assisting upon coming to this particular place I am quite certain. More, perhaps I can partly guess what that object is.'

'Redmond!'

'You have not chosen to make me your confident, Rose, and I asked for no one's secrets, not even yours. Still you will permit me to ask one question: Did you ever know Gaston Dantree?'

Suddenly, sharply without warning, the question came upon her. One faint, wailing cry, then her hands flew up and covered her face.

'I am answered,' he said—'you have known Gaston Dantree. He was a Louisianian—you knew him in New Orleans. He disappeared here; at Castleford the last trace to be found. Was it to discover that trace you came and brought me here? Look up, Rose,' 'and answer me tell me the truth,' he ordered, his lips set. 'It is too late for further prevarication. You knew this man?'

'In New Orleans, before he came here to court and desert like the cravenhearted dastard he was, Katherine Dangerfield?'

'Yes.'

'I said I asked for no one's secret's, not even yours. I do, Rose. What was he to you?'

She drew away from him once again, hiding her shrinking face in her hands.

'Was he a lover of yours?'

She made a mute gesture of assent.

'A false one, of course?'

'Heaven help me—yes,'

A pause; then—

'Rose, did M. De Lansac know?'

'He suspected. He never knew?'

'Did he favour Dantree?'

'No; he forbade him the house.'

'And you—you, Rose, O'Donnell, stooped to meet him in secret—to make and keep assignations. You did this?'

'Redmond!' she cried, with a great gush, 'Why are you so hard, so bitter? Why do you judge me so harshly? I was very young; I did not know what distress meant, and I—I —loved him with all my heart. He said he loved me, and I—oh, Redmond, it is nine years ago—I believed him.

'The folly of the past I could forgive; the folly of the present, no. That you took a girl's fancy for a man's handsome face, and were the dupe of his false words, might be overlooked—is very natural in a girl of sixteen. That a woman of five-and-twenty should still cling to the memory of so despicable a wretch, still pursue him, and drag me, in my ignorance of your secret, into that pursuit—that I cannot forgive.'

He arose as he spoke, angry exceedingly, wounded, grieved inexpressibly. She seized his hand in a sort of desperation, and clung to it.

'Redmond, you—you don't understand. It is not that.. I don't care for him; it is all I can do to pray to be kept from hating his memory, whether he be alive or dead. It is that—that I—' 'Redmond!' she cried, 'who has been talking to you—who has told you this?'

'Miss Herncastle.' he answered. 'Your secret, it would seem, has all along been no secret to her. She bade me ask you, two hours ago, what you knew of Gaston Dantree.'

Miss Herncastle!' she could repeat the name in her ungovernable surprise.

'Miss Herncastle,' he repeated, still very coldly. 'If I were in your place, I think I should come to an understanding with that lady. It was against my will I ever came to England. If I had dreamed of your object, I certainly would never have set foot in it. But I trusted Rose O'Donnell. That is all over now—it is only one other lesson added to the rest. When your inquiries concerning Mr. Gaston Dantree are at an end, let me know, and we will depart to France.'

Again he was turning away, hurt, angry, grieved beyond words to say. Again she caught his hand and held him fast

'Redmond! brother—friend! Oh, my God, why will you judge me so hardly? I have deserved it, perhaps, but—you break my heart. If you knew all I have suffered, you might pity—you might forgive.'

He withdrew his hand, and turned sternly away.

'I have told you—that past I could forgive easily; the present I cannot.'

And then he was gone.

She sat wounded—humbled—silent Then all at once the recollection of Miss Herncastle flashed upon her. She had told him—she knew all. All! Rose O'Dornel turned white and cold from head to foot. Did Miss Herncastle know all?

She rose up hurriedly and looked down the lighted length of the spacious drawing-rooms. No; Miss Herncastle was nowhere to be seen. Should she seek here in her room?

Rose found her.

'Miss Herncastle!'

'You called, Miss O'Donnell?'

'I called Miss Herncastle. I wish to speak a word to you. I will not detain you an instant,' as the governess shivered ever so little in the soft night air. 'Two hours ago you bade my brother ask me what I knew of Gaston Dantree. Miss Herncastle, in my turn I ask, what do you know?'

'You really wish me to answer that question?'

'You heard me?' Rose O'Donnell repeated; 'what do you know of Gaston Dantree and—and me?'

'Everything.'

'Miss Herncastle!'

'It is your own fault, and your brother's, Rose O'Donnell, since by that name you prefer to be known.'

'She ... the ... two words, came a step nearer, her eyes delighting, her face ashen white.

'Miss Herncastle,' she cried, 'what do you mean? What do ye know?'

'This!' the voice of the governess rose, her mouth grew set and stern—'this—that if Gaston Dantree be alive, you are Gaston Dantree's wife!'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

PROTON COUNCIL.

The Council met at Cedarville on July 4.

Members all present.

The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed.

Several communications were read.

A grant of $10 was made to improve sidercad 27.

The county treasurer was requested to er[illegible] taxes (arrears 1879) against lot [illegible] con. 8.

A grant of $32 was given to improve the townline of Egremont and Proton, from con. 7 north, provided the parties interested perform an equivalent in gratis labor, and that the Egremont council supplement this grant to the same amount. The reeve to let and inspect the work.

A grant of $5 was made on con. 6, from 87 sidercad, e, providing the parties interested supplement the same by 5 days gratis labor.

The clerk was instructed to write to county treasurer to ascertain if lot 30, con. 3, has been sold for taxes, and by whom purchased.

The reeve was appointed, in connection with the warden of Wellington, to let and inspect a bridge over the Grand river on townline Proton and E. Luther,

A $10 grant was given for a new bridge, 7 s road, con. 10.

A $10 grant was given to improve the road from Cedarville, west to twnline, provided the parties interested do 10 days gratis labour.

A grant of $20 was made to S. S. 11.

A $10 grant was voted 4th con. line opp. lot 31.

$10 to be expended opposite lot 28, between 4 and 5 cons., provided that 10 days gratis labour be given first.

The following accounts were paid:

C. W. Rutledge, printing,	$28.00
A. Ray, repairing road scraper	1.50
Jas. McEachren, do.	1.75
The reeve, freight on scrapers	4.00
The clerk, postage	2.51
Do. for furnishing census returns to 16 school sections	4.00

Members were paid to date.

Council adjourned till August 17, at Dundalk.

A METHODIST MINISTER CHARGED WITH KISSING A YOUNG LADY.

There is little doubt that the great heart of the world beats in strong sympathy with those who kiss; but, notwithstanding this, and notwithstanding that Shelley and other poets have so beautifully called attention to universatality of the kiss in nature, there are circumstances in which osculation is held to be inexpedient and even wrong.

'Once upon a time,' so the story goes, the Rev. J. Willoughby was for several years pastor of Bloor st. Methodist Church, Toronto. In 1880 he was president of the Toronto conference. In that year he was assigned to Brampton, much to the satisfaction of the congregation. When he arrived at Brampton, he stayed at Mr. Graham's, the parsonage not being quite ready. According to the statement of Miss Graham, he attempted to kiss her on the second Sunday after his arrival. She rebuked him, and said she would tell Mr Starr, her affianced, who was then preaching at Peterboro'. He said she must not do that, as he being president could do Starr a good deal of injury. Another time he was bidding her good-night, and took her face between his hands, and kissed it. Mr Starr was visiting at Mr Graham's at the time, and saw the kissing from the verandah. Starr warmly cautioned him against a repetition of such liberties. On three other occasions, the young lady states Mr Willoughby tried to kiss her, and then she shewed him the door of the house.

She said nothing about this affair till three months ago, when she confided it to a friend, who, however insisted upon letting Mr Graham into the secret, and the charges have been made.

The matter is now before the Conference, and the enquiry will probably last a week.

SAVED FROM THE POORHOUSE

For years David Allingsworth suffered with rheumatism, and notwithstanding the best medical attendance, could not find relief. He came to the Sciota county poorhouse, and had to be carried into and out of bed on account of his helpless condition. After the failure of all the remedies which had been applied, the directors of the poorhouse resolved to use the celebrated German remedy, St. Jacob's Oil, and this was a fortunate resolution; for, with a trial of one bottle, the patient was already better, and when four bottles had been used upon him he could again walk without the use of a cane. The facts, as above stated, will be verified by the editor of the Portsmouth (Ohio) Correspondent.

Toronto, Grey & Bruce R'y.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.20 a.m.	3 45 p m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	5.02 p.m.
Flesherton&Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	5.47 p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.25
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union St'n	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto.....dep.	7.35 a.m.	4 35 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9 08 "	6.00 "
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00 "
Mount Forest	12.18 "	8.50 "
Harriston	12.55 "	9.15 "
Teeswater	2.25 "	10.15 "
Dundalk	11.12 "	8 04 "
Flesherton&P'ville	11.30 "	8 30 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8 45 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	9 55 "

THURSDAY, JULY 13

War in Egypt.

British Victory

The crisis has arrived, and the British Admiral not receiving a satisfactory reply to his demands, opened fire on the forts and earthworks of Alexander at half-past seven o'clock Tuesday morning. At the early hour of going to press it is impossible to give many particulars as to the result of the bombardment. On Monday the Egyptian authorities were given the ultimatum by Admiral Seymour of surrendering all the forts and earthworks or he would bombard the city. A formal notice in writing was then given, that all friendly relations between the Governments had ceased.

Arabi Pasha apparently gave no heed to Admiral Seymour's threats, and actual hostilities have commenced. England is evidently prepared for the contingency that the hostilities may not close with the bombardment of Alexandria; and troops are en route from India and Great Britain to the seat of war.

The attack of the British fleet upon Alexandria resulted most successfully on Tuesday for British arms. After 14 hours firing, during which the crews of the vessels shewed that they are still possessed of the cool courage and determination which has won for England the proud title of Mistress of the Seas, the action was closed for the day. Four of the Egyptian forts had been dismantled, and the Khedive's palace was in flames. Arabi's only line of retreat, the railway, is commanded by guns of the fleet. Happily, the result has been attained with very small loss of life, only five British sailors being killed, and 27 wounded. The ships stood the test of the battle well, and are comparatively uninjured, the enemy's shot rebounding from their armour plated sides.

ALEXANDRIA, EGYPT. ... 7 p.m.

The great artillery combat which has raged all day has ended in complete success. The object for which we fought has been attained, the forts and batteries on the sea face of Alexandria being a heap of ruins. Considering the extent and nature of the works, the weight and number of the guns mounted, and the dogged pluck with which the Egyptians fought, the result has been obtained with surprisingly small loss of life, the total of casualties being but 5 killed and 27 wounded.

It is difficult, so soon after the engagement, to write a cool and collected narrative of the events of the day. The dead calm which has succeeded the tremendous roar of artillery, which has gone on for so many hours, seems strange and unnatural; we can scarce realise that the first great sea fight with artillery of the modern type has been fought and won.

ACCIDENT AT THE ORANGE CELEBRATION.

At the grand Orange celebration at Mrs. Thompson's grove, a sad accident occurred, and cast quite a gloom over the day's pleasure. Several persons were paying at base ball on the small open space, and sitting on the ground watching the players sat a young lad, about 13, named James Keefer. One of the players in striking at the ball unfortunately missed it, and the club slipping out of his hand struck young Keefer just immediately below the knee, making fearful havoc of his leg. The blood flowed from the ghastly wound copiously; his leg was bandaged up, carried him over into the shade, and then got a democrat and conveyed him home. Here his leg was attended to, but it will be some time before he will be able to walk.

THORNBURY.

A melancholy accident occurred at Thornbury on Tuesday by which Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, living on the gravel road between that town and Meaford, will probably lose their lives. As they were driving towards Thornbury they met the mail train. The horse became frightened, ran away, and threw the old couple down an embankment. Dr Hurlburt was at once called, and has little, if any, hopes of recovery of either.

TORONTO, GREY AND BRUCE.

COMPLIMENTARY EXCURSION TO MERCHANTS AND BANKERS.

THE IMPROVEMENTS IN THE ROAD.

LUNCHEON ON BOARD THE PROPELLER AFRICA AND A PLEASANT TIME GENERALLY.

The imperative necessity of improving the road having been forced upon the board of directors of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce railway, it was decided about eighteen months ago to adopt the wide gauge and effect other improvements to be referred to further on. Work was accordingly commenced in May, 1881, and continued up to the present time resulting in everything being satisfactorily completed with the exception of a little extra ballasting here and there along the line. The causes that led to the defeat of the old board in September, 1881, and the appointment of the new will no doubt be fresh in the recollection of our readers, and it will therefore be unnecessary to refer to them. It is without doubt due to the energy of the existing board, of which Mr. John Hendrie, Hamilton, is president, that the works have been so speedily and so successfully finished. The total cost of the works is somewhere in the neighborhood of $1,250,000, which gives a fair idea of their extensive nature. The result of these improvements has already been felt by the company, the increase in their business during the six months ending 30th June last having been $30,000 in excess of the corresponding period of last year, and in view of the facilities now offered by reason of the very large supply of rolling stock they will doubtless have a much larger increase for the next half year. They are doing a very large freight and passenger business, and are opening out connections with the lakes. Negotiations are meantime pending to engage a line of steamers to connect with the trains of the company at Owen Sound, so as to do the Lake Superior and North shore business, and at no far distant day to run as far as Prince Arthur's Landing. By this means passengers either from Toronto or Hamilton can now save about half a day, which is important to business men, as in reference to the latter city connection is now made from thence to Caledon Junction via the North-Western.

COMPLIMENTARY TRIP.

With the object of showing that the money advanced for the purpose of these improvements had been judiciously expended, and also to prove the enhanced character of the road, the directors issued invitations to several of the more prominent business men and bankers in this city and Hamilton to a complimentary excursion to Owen Sound on Saturday last. Accordingly a number of gentlemen assembled at the Union station on Saturday morning, where a special train was waiting for them, and a few minutes after eight the train started on its journey. In one of the cars a bar was fitted up where refreshments *ad lib.* were dispensed by attendants. The road was found to be in thorough order, and considerable interest was felt in viewing the new bridge over the Humber River and the approaches thereto, where heavy work was done involving an expenditure of $52,000. On arriving at Caledon Junction the excursionists were joined by the Hamilton delegation, who came on by special supplied through the courtesy of the Northern railway. Much regret was felt at the absence of Mr. Hendrie, who it appears, was suddenly called away from Hamilton on urgent business, and could not therefore accompany the delegation. The train arrived at Owen Sound a few minutes after one o'clock.

OWEN SOUND HARBOR.

On leaving the train the party proceeded at once on board the steamer Africa, one of the boats to be employed in the lake trade in connection with the railway, and after a short delay the steamer glided down the harbor. The water was almost as smooth as glass, and the sail was most pleasant and enjoyable.

LUNCHEON AND SPEECHES.

Shortly before the steamer reached the entrance to the harbor, those on board were invited to a champagne luncheon, which was spread out on tables on the main deck forward. The spacious compartment was beautifully decorated with flags and evergreens, and the cool fresh breeze coming in through the open parts kept the large company from feeling hot and uncomfortable. The luncheon was of a most *recherche* description, the tables literally groaning with the good things provided.

Mr. Elliott, in responding to a toast, was greeted with applause. He said he could only re-echo the sentiments of Mr. McCulloch, and there were none the directors felt more pleased to welcome as brothers than those who had opposed the road. The result had been that both Hamilton and Toronto had reaped advantages; the former had the free use of the T., G. and B., and the latter of the N. and N. W. As their interests were identical, strife should be given up, and they should stand shoulder to shoulder in future. In speaking of the improvements on the road, he said it was 192 miles long, including the Teeswater section, which had all been laid with rails of the best quality of steel, except four miles of iron on the Teeswater section. Stone piers, bridges, and aqueducts had been built, and all spans in the bridges over 28 feet were of iron. They had got improved rolling stock, had extended the stations and switches, and had improved the grades and taken out several of the curves. At Owen Sound they had increased the dock accommodation, and at Toronto a large elevator had been built. The total cost was about $1,250,000, and this trip let the gentlemen who had made advances to the company see that it had been judiciously expended. Too much praise could not be given to Mr. Hendrie and the officers of the company for the satisfactory and economic way in which the work had been done. It would be invidious to credit the present board with all that had been done, as the previous board had made preparations for the work to go on. He then referred to the future of the road, through the opening of the lake traffic, and the benefits to be derived to Owen Sound, and urged the people of that town to assist in helping the company in bringing about such a desirable consummation.

THEFT OF EXAMINATION PAPERS.

The facts brought out at the Barrie Police Court in reference to the recent theft of examination papers by certain boys of the Barrie and Collingwood High Schools reveal an amount of depraved ingenuity which we had fondly supposed could not exist in Canada. The crime, in whatever light viewed, seems utterly destitute of palliating circumstances. Some allowance can always be made for the boy or man who, under the pressure of sudden temptation, is betrayed into doing a dishonorable deed. But in this case the meanness and crime were all deliberately planned long beforehand. The culprits had even taken the precaution to bind each other to secrecy by a solemn oath. With singular foresight the terms of the adjuration bound the parties not only never to divulge the affair to others, but not even to mention it amongst themselves after the thing was over. So, too, the careful arrangement for conducting the correspondence in cypher would have done credit to a band of professional counterfeiters. The fact that two of the chief culprits were sons of the examiner to whom the papers were addressed, and betrayed the confidence reposed in them by their own father, adds to the surprise and abhorrence. And then the thought that there were no less than eight boys to be found in the two schools capable of the degree of moral turpitude involved leads us to wonder what the boys of Canada are coming to. If our High Schools and Collegiate Institutes turn out such samples, what may we expect from the uneducated?

One thing is clear. The evil is one which must be sternly stamped out. The boys and girls in all our Public Schools must be taught that there are such things as honor and honesty in connection with public examinations. The culprits should be punished to the full extent of the law, both for their own sakes and as a warning to others.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This Council met in the Town Hall, Flesherton, Thursday, June 1st, 1882.

Communications were read from the County Treasurer, and from the Clerk of Euphrasia.

The following accounts were ordered to be paid:—A. R. Fawcett, printing, $3; J. Rutherford, assessment rolls and schedules, $14.25; Robert Carruthers, Dep. Ret. Officer, Ward 4, $5.50; a bridge opposite lot 27, con. 6, repairs ordered; also the bridge opposite lot 25, con. 6, to be covered; $600 appropriated for repairs on highways, $150 in each ward, and $400 appropriated for repairing the gravel roads, $150 between Priceville and the Station; $150 east of the Station; and $100 on town line between Glenelg and this township, Glenelg to be asked to expend an equivalent.

An order was passed for payment of assessor's salary, $75, $2 for postage, and $5 for work imposed by Government, also to Andrew Roe, repairing culvert, Ward No. 3.

COURT OF REVISION.—The following appeals were heard and changes made:—

J. Bannon's assm't reduced	$200
N. B. Grier do. do.	300
W. J. White do. do.	100
G. Buskin assessm't sust'd	
John Breen assm't reduced	150
Wm. Findlay do. do	100
Wm. Strain do. do	100
Adam Hislop, assessment sustained.	

The following changes were made pursuant to notice:—Henry Meldrum assessed instead of Jos. Gibson for his lots at Flesherton Station; R. and G. Meldrum assessed as tenants for lot 32, con. 9, respectively. James McNichol assessed in lieu of Geo. Allen for lots 122 and 123, con. 3rd West. Lots 32 and 33 placed on resident roll to Austin Shackelford as owner; W. H. Campaign assessed as tenant for Plewis' mill instead of Jas. Plewis: lot 122, 1 West, and lot 161, 3 East, entered on the Resident Roll to Wm. Smith, owner; Charles White, assessed for lot 177, 2 West, instead of S. Wauchob.

ON OUR TABLE.

OUR LITTLE ONES.—Month after month the best of all children's magazines comes before us. The pictures are very superior and the reading matter highly interesting to our little ones.

PRIZE LIST.—Canada's great fair list has reached us. It is ahead of previous years' list, and the fair will probably be the best ever yet held in the queen city. Inquiries as to the exhibition and its arrangements before the opening should be addressed to the Secretary at Toronto. During the Exhibition, inquiries may be made at the Association offices on the grounds; and every officer of the Association will, when applied to, either furnish the information sought or refer the question to the proper office.

THE FONTHILL NURSERIES CATALOGUE is unusally attractive. No pains or expense seems to have been spared to make it useful. It is full of illustrations and cannot but prove a handy guide.

WHAT WE WOULD LIKE TO HEAR.

From all our correspondents.

Less profane language from the base ball players, and others.

Something of the doings of the village fathers.

T. S. Jones, a Louisville, Mass., photographer, yesterday morning became enraged at a boy, Thos. Jones, and shot him dead. He was arrested, and barely escaped lynching. He has already killed four men.

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PLEASURES AROUND US.

This week has been well taken advantage of by the inaugurators of pleasure parties to satisfy the craving of human beings for social parties. These matters being generally organised under the auspices of some religious body have the effect of bringing the various bodies together, making known the strangers who have joined the community and otherwise strengthening the ties of social intercourse. The first party which calls for our attention is the English Church pic-nic at Maxwell— fully reported under the head of Maxwell. Following it in datal order is the

CANADA METHODIST EXCURSION.

Not to be in any way behind hand, the teachers of the Canada Methodist Sabbath Schools at Markdale and Flesherton arranged an excursion to the queen city of the Dominion, which duly came off on Friday, the 7th July. The day was bright and at an early hour vehicles of various shapes and sizes containing bright faces were rolling down to the depots. Three coaches were filled at each station, and the long ride was not a weary one, for contentment and brightness had the effect of nullifying the tediousness of the journey. Toronto was reached just before 11, and the entire party made straight for the Zoo. Here an hour was spent admiring its varied attractions, arrangements were made for a trip across the bay to the island. That delightful spot possessed an attraction to most of the trippers in the person of the champion oarsman of the world—Hanlan. They saw Hanlan's boat, sailing dress, &c., &c. Lunch was partaken of here, and the party then returned to the city and visited the Metropolitan church, St. Michael's cathedral, Horticultural Gardens, the Normal School, College Avenue, Osgoode Hall, and other places of interest. An hour before the train left they began to wend their way to the Union Station when it was reported that two of the children were lost in the city, which proved too true. They were found during the evening but too late for the excursion train. They had to remain over until the next day. The children are none the worse for the little excursion they had on their own account. Those who have been to many previous excursions pronounce this the most enjoyable one they ever had. The proceeds reach the goodly sum of $53. Next in order comes the

ENGLISH CHURCH SCHOOL PIC-NIC,

which duly came off in Mr. Walker's bush on Tuesday last. The pic-nic poet had sung—

"Bring your baskets; let's be jolly,
Drive away all melancholly."

So 'twas that at one o'clock a barricade of well filled baskets had been piled on the grounds to be stormed later on. Even from Maxwell came pic-nicers in search of pleasure. A round of varied pleasures having been indulged in the children sat down to tea, during which time singing was given by the Misses Ford. The adults followed the example of the children, and having successfully besieged and carried off the stored cakes and cookies, betook themselves again to sport. There was some good racing, jumping, &c., and a number of valuable prizes distributed.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

In the afternoon and evening of the same day a gathering of Presbyterians and their friends was arranged at Mr. Walker's lot on the gravel road. One of the choicest and daintiest of nature's universal productions had a festival held in its honor. The queen of ground fruits was enlisted in the service of the Presbyterians to add to the funds of the denomination, and the festival was worthy of the luscious berry. Strawberries and cream, ice cream flavored with lemon and vanilla, seemed to be the dishes most in demand, and these sold well. Singing added considerable to the people's enjoyment. In the evening Chinese lanterns adorned and illuminated the grounds, and altogether a successful strawberry festival concluded very successfully. Results about $28.

ORANGEMEN'S EXCURSION.

This was run through here about 7 on Wednesday morning en route for Toronto. The cars were well filled and those who enjoy a 100 miles ride in an excursion train had a fine day for the trip. But then it never rains, they say, on the magical Twelfth of July.

THE TWELFTH AT HOME.

The anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne was further celebrated at Mrs. Thompson's grove, by the various lodges in the District.

At this place a vast crowd assembled comprising six lodges, together with a great number of friends and others who are always ready to share the sports and pastimes of a pic-nic party. Lodge 244 coming into the grounds, in procession, reached quite a mile in length, and this was the largest and strongest lodge present.

The whole company were treated to an address by the Rev. Mr. McDowell, of Flesherton, who gave a descriptive history of the order. The proceedings in themselves passed off quietly and orderly. The day's pleasure was however, sadly marred by the occurrence of an accident reported elsewhere.

At Markdale, the 12th was signalled by a very quiet day indeed. Looking up the street in the afternoon not two people could be seen for *tout le monde* had gone to the grand pic-nic of the Orangemen at Mrs. Thompson's grove.

KEEP IT TO YOURSELF.

You have trouble—your feelings are injured, your husband is unkind, your wife frets, your home is not pleasant, your friends do not treat you fairly, and things in general do not move pleasantly. Well, what of it? Keep it to yourself. A smouldering fire may be found and extinguished; but when the coals are scattered, who can pick them up? Bury your sorrow. The place for sad and distrusting things is under the ground. A cut finger is never benefited by pulling off the plaster and exposing it to somebody's eye Tie it up and let it alone. Charity covereth a multitude of sins. Things thus covered are often covered without a scar, but once published and confided to meddling friends there is no end to the trouble they may cause. Keep it to yourself. Troubles are transient and when a sorrow is healed and passed what a comfort it is to say: No one ever knew it until the trouble was all over."

HUMAN NATURE.

Some years ago, when speculation in real estate was very active, the owner of a farm at Greenpoint (now Brooklyn,) a widow, was desirous of selling it, and had fixed a price of $10,000, but it appeared to be overlooked for a long time. Finally the widow's son, an easy-going countryman, while at the grocery store in the village heard a stranger enquiring for land and the widow's son offered the farm. What is the price, was asked? One hundred thousand dollars! was the bold answer. The stranger looked over the farm and asked on what terms it would be sold. One half cash the other half in five annual instalments, secured by mortgage on the property. The terms were accepted, and $500 paid down to bind the bargain. When the son returned home he announced to his mother the sale of the farm. You don't say so; for how much? Guess. $10,000. Guess again. You didn't get $15,000? Guess again. Well, I'll make it enough this time. $25,000. And yet the only answer was, guess again. Well, mother, I've sold it for $100,000. Good gracious! replied the mother, on what terms? Half cash and half in five years. Then human nature spoke out. You great fool, we shall never get the rest of the money in the world. The money, however, was all paid and the tract of land is now owned by the Union College, New York.

An abundant harvest is promised in Manitoba. The acreage of wheat and other cereals and roots is largely increased.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to	6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.14	to	1.15
Barley	0.65	"	0.00
Oats	0.38	"	0.38
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes.	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1		$1.15	to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1		1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2		.55	to	.65
Peas " 1		.72	to	.72
Oats " 1		.40	to	.40
Butter " 1		.16	to	.16
Eggs			.to	.15
Potatoes "		75	to	75
Pork "		0.00	to	0.00
Hay "		7.00	to	10.0

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.15
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0 00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush		$1 24	to	$1 25
Wheat, spring,	do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley,	do.	0 62	to	0 65
Oats.	do.	0 48	to	0 50
Peas,	do.	0 82	to	0 85
Rye,	do.	0 70	to	0 75
Clover Seed	do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.				
Beef, hind quarters		11 00	to	12 00
Beef, fore quarters		9 00	to	10 00
Butter, large rolls		00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		14	to	0 17
Butter, store-packed		00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz		0 17	to	0 17
Eggs, packed		0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl		2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes per bag		1 50	to	1 50
Hay		10 50	to	14 00
Wool		00 19	to	00 20

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

Church Directory.

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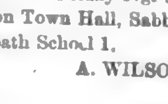

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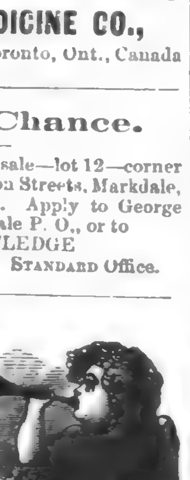

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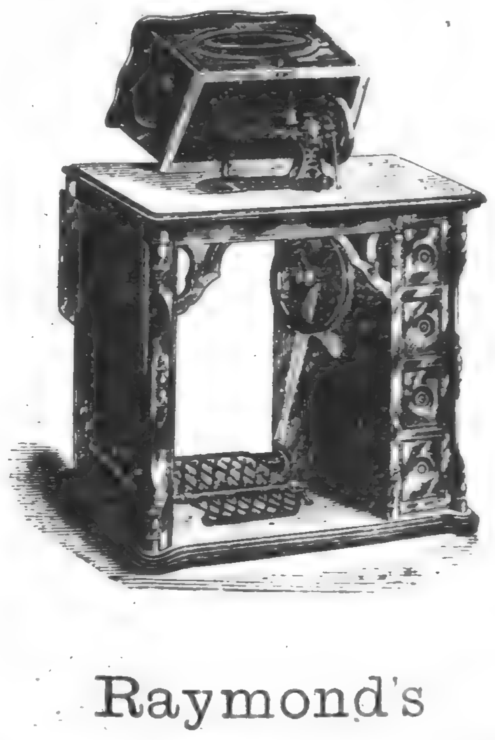

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My territory for the sale of these articles extends from Owen Sound to Shelburne, Grey County.

H. L. THURSTON,
DEALER,
Residence and P. O. Address,
MARKDALE.

THE STANDARD.

Thursday July 13th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Beautiful summer weather.

Business is quiet. Prospects good.

Tennyson's eyesight is failing the poet.

Strawberries both wild and cultivated are plentiful.

James Gould clipped 18lbs. of wool off a 11 months lamb.

Haying has commenced. Good crops reported from all parts of the district.

Mrs Yelland will please accept our thanks for those beautiful strawberries.

Two large engines and boilers passed through here on Monday night en route for Manitoba.

Mr. F. Knight, L. D. S., of Owen Sound, will resume regular trips to Markdale. See card.

The Wesleyan College at Philadelphia will be sold on Tuesday for debts amounting to $80,000.

Dr. T. F. Brown, Surgeon Dentist, will be in Markdale on the 25th and remain one week. See card.

The friends of Miss Lizzie Walker will be glad to hear that she is well and enjoying herself at Danbury, Conn.

The material for the Presbyterian church is being laid on the ground, and the work will be proceeded with at once.

Owners of sheep should have them marked in a way they will have no difficulty in proving their property should they get stray or stolen.

An American commission recommends irrigation by means of artesian wells as a means of reclaiming the "arid region" east of the Rocky Mountains.

A repatashun, says Josh Billings, once broken may possibly be repaired, but the world will alwus keep their sharpest eyes on the spot where the krack was.

He was the most perfect gentleman I ever saw, said a Markdale drinker the other day. When you go to see him he hands you the whiskey bottle and then turns his back.

Florida people have found that sponges grow at the rate of an inch a month, and sponge beds are being established at Pine Key, on a plan similar to that of the oyster beds.

A stranger sight in Frankfort, Ky., the other day, was 23 convicts, converted by Mountain Evangelist Barnes, going from the penitentiary to be baptised escorted by guards armed with rifles.

Two brothers, who were very successful dentists, built a large and handsome house, the appearance of which was thought to resemble a large molar tooth." See what brothers can do when they pull together!"

Spooney dry goods clerk to a smart Miss trying on a hat before the glass. "Don't I wish I was a looking glass?" *Smart miss:* "Yes, per'aps you'd get more girls to look at you then." Clerk collapses and is carried out.

A cable despatch states that the Imperial authorities have expressed their displeasure to the Canadian Government on account of the resolutions passed by the Dominion Parliament in favor of Irish Home Rule.

The facilities for both passenger and freight traffic on the T. G. & B. are very much improved and increased. Shipments are now made over this line via Prince Arthur's landing and C.P.R. to Manitoba.

In the suit of the Caughnawaga Indians against the Seminary, the Minister of the Interior has intervened on the ground that the lands expropriated by the Indians belong to the Government, and asks that the money if they succeed, be paid to him.

Seedy Stranger: "I am soliciting subscriptions for the Society of Intemperance and the banishment of Tramps. What may I put you down for?" Old gentleman: Well, if I give you anything, you can put me down for a fool."

Mr Cochrane, of the Durham foundry will exhibit and have put in operation a self-binding reaper, on the farm of Mr Thos. Lauder, in Durham, in fall wheat harvest. All farmers should be on hand. If at all possible, we understand that eight days notice will be given.

Gladstone is said to have foreshadowed his retirement from the leadership of the British House of Commons when he stated that if Mr. Trevelyan's amendment to the Repression Bill was carried he would have to consider his personal position.

Further improvements are being carried on all along the T. G. & B. Ry. Stone bridges are taking the place of wood structures. The road is being thoroughly ballasted, the sidings are being lengthened, and new ones laid down.

A gentleman at the Queen's last levee decorated his wrists with ruffles of old lace. As this was against regulations, he was taken by the officials into a side-room, where the ruffles were cut off, before he was allowed to appear in the Presence Chamber.

At a recent New York private dinner party the strawberries were served inside a large artificial strawberry made of ice-cream, and tinted to resemble the real fruit. The surprise was clever, and the combination of fruit and cream delicious in the very extreme.

A slippery answer.—School-mistress: now, Matilda Ann, look up and tell me what first caused the fall of man. (No answer.) You are very stupid, after having just read all about it. What fruit was it? Matilda Ann, Please maam! please marm! orange-peel.

McFarland's Tea,
Is prized by me;
His Tea is worth drinking,
Without any shrinking;
For it clears me,
And cheers me;
It lightens,
And brightens,
And heightens,
And bracingly tightens;
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Dundalk.

BOOM IN REAL ESTATE.

Messrs. Hanbury and Bell have purchased Mr. Hewetson's store with lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6, in Block H, for $2,000, cash, and resold lot No. 4 to Mr. Lamon for $700, cash.

Mr. Hanbury has leased the store on the corner of Proton and Main streets, to Messrs. Hewetson & Smith, and the law office to Mr. Lamon, which places the entire block, in process of erection, under lease. This building will be a credit to Dundalk, extending as it does 89 feet on Main street and 44 on Proton street, containing vaults, extensive cellarage, water accommodation, hard and soft, and will be built entirely of fire-proof material.

Beautiful growing weather. Farmers and others have reason to be thankful that we have passed through the recent cold wave without frosts.

We believe that Walter Nichols, of Proton, has the largest and best field of fall wheat in the township, we have not seen better this season.

The Dundalk fair was well attended. A large number of cattle was brought in and readily sold at good prices.

Thomas Carson, of Proton, has just erected a large frame barn.

Messrs. Hewetson & Smith are selling goods cheap for cash, in order to commence business on the first of October next in the Hanbury block, with a complete new stock.

The Rev. Mr. Snowden preached an excellent introductory sermon in the C. M. church on last Sabbath evening, to a large and attentive congregation.

W. H. Peterson bought 1760 lb. of wool, within 3 days, at his factory recently.

A span of horses for sale on easy terms, apply to Mr J. Gardner, Dundalk.

LYNCH LAW IN COLORADO.

HOW A PRAYER MEETING WOUND UP WITH A DOUBLE HANGING.

"I don't think the frontier ever witnessed a lynching so bold as that of Betts and Browning," said Mr. Hickman, the Receiver of the Land Office at Lake City, to a reporter. "You will remember the cause. Sheriff Campbell attempted to arrest the two men, you know, while they were in the act of stealing some furniture from a house. He was shot and killed instantly—an assistant, who was with him, identifying the faces of the murderers by the light of a match which was struck when the demand for surrender was made. The murder was committed on the 26th of last month, the day we were to have celebrated the Oddfellows' anniversary. The Sheriff was the founder of our lodge, and instead of a celebration we had a funeral. A better fellow than Campbell never lived. The murderers were the keepers of a dance hall. They were arrested that morning and put in gaol. Campbells two brothers, who were mining at Pitkin, eighty-five miles away, were telegraphed to come to Lake City to attend the funeral. That afternoon, the 27th, a rumour was circulated in the streets that there would be a prayer meeting at the house of the dead sheriff at 11 o'clock. I had not the slightest suspicion of the intention, and was among the hundred men or more who congregated near the premises. I was not there long before I had learned the purposes of the advertisement, and was not slow in washing my hands of the affair. The men had met to lynch the murderers. The plan was given out boldly, and as boldly executed, as the next day, when I arose, the information I received before I had reached the breakfast table was that the lifeless bodies of the two men were hanging from a crossbeam of the Gunnison river bridge, below the city."

"Did you hear how the vigilantes proceeded?"

'From the gossip which was circulated after the excitement and precaution had died out, I believe that at least one hundred men were in the lynching party. I will tell you the occurrence as I framed it from mixed reports. From the 'prayer meeting' the vigilantes went to the gaol. The guards, apparently, offered no resistance, and Betts and Browning were taken out. Their hands were first bound to their sides. Some of the representative church members of the community are said to have been in the throng which demanded the eye for an eye and the tooth for a tooth. I do not know how true that was. Well, while the men were being bound, one of them asked if there was not a friend in the crowd. A young gambler, who had been a frequenter of the dance hall, and a friend of the doomed men, shouted that he was a friend, and made a break towards the prisoners. Somebody placed the cold muzzle of a pistol against the side of his head and told him to skip the town instanter. I believe that the incident was a true bill, because the courageous youth was not seen in the city until a week. Everything was done quietly, dispassionately. The two men were marched down the Gunnison after midnight. Neither of them weakened, even when the bridge was reached and the cruelness were placed about their necks. An effort was made to save Browning, many insisting that he did not fire the fatal shot, and should not be lynched for the complicity in the murder. Browning would have been turned loose had it not been for the fact that he said he would be revenged upon the witness of the murder. When he made his threat he was deemed a better man dead than alive, as everybody knew that, although a quiet man, he was desperate. Just as the hanging bee was being ended, and I understood it, while the ropes were being arranged for the pulling, the two Campbell brothers arrived. The murderers were asked if they had aught to say. They coolly replied no. They were hanged to a beam, and their bodies allowed to dangle there till late next day. They were planted, however before the remains of the Sheriff were interred."

"Was there any indignation expressed against the lynching?"

"Not the least. On the contrary, the people all thought the act a good one."

RAILROAD CASUALTIES.

Markdale and district comes off this week with quite a black sheet of mishaps—a chapter of accidents—this week. Foremost among which stands that of Wednesday, when sad havoc was made of the track in the station yard. The down mixed train was steaming into the depot, when the wheels of the third car from the engine failed to take the rail at the "frog," and jumped on to the top of the rail, upon which it travelled for 3 or 4 feet. It then slipped off, and played sad havoc with the sleepers and rails. The rest of the cars kept their places on the track. The train was delayed nearly 3 hours in consequence.

An accident occurred up Williamsford way last night, a man fell off the train. We learn that it was Conductor Crate. The injuries are very serious. He was removed to Chatsworth, where he is under care of a doctor. He had a narrow escape about two weeks ago.

At the depot last night, the practice of riding on the steps of the cars by boys and girls was carried a bit too far. Two girls, Misses Drew and Beard, were fooling about on the cars when the train started; Miss Drew jumped off without any mishap, but Miss Beard expecting the train would stop, remained. Finding herself en route for the north, she jumped, and fell headlong on the side of the track. She was uninjured.

A fire occurred on the track last Friday night, delaying the Methodist excursion.

Last night a sad and fatal accident occurred on the track between Alton and Orangeville. A man, unknown, was run over by the up mixed train, and his body fearfully mangled.

The mixed train going north was about 4 hours late last night.

The mail train last night was nearly 1½ hours late.

The Orangemen's excursion train yesterday morning was composed principally of box cars.

An excursion from Teeswater branch was made up mainly of box cars fitted with seats. Wouldn't the trippers enjoy the Twelfth?

400 tickets were issued at Shelburne for the go-a-head town of Dundalk.

FATAL ACCIDENT ON THE T. G. & B. R. R.

Last Friday, just as the Markdale and Flesherton S. S. trip passed thro' Orangeville, a melancholy spectacle presented itself to the excursionists in the fearfully mangled body of a track foreman, named Thomas McDonald.

Donald had been engaged with a gang of men in making some repairs on one of the station yard sidings, and was there run over by the shunting engine, and instantly killed. The deceased was an old and faithful servant of the company, and was highly respected. He leaves a wife to mourn his end.

THE TWELFTH AT DUNDALK.

An immense gathering assembled at Dundalk on Wednesday to celebrate the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne.

There were eight Orange lodges, and two lodges of Apprentice Boys, —the latter appearing to great advantage in their pretty uniforms.

During the day an appropriate address was delivered to a large and appreciative audience in the skating rink by the Rev. Mr. Choburn.

Good accommodation was provided for the multitude. The hotels reaped a great harvest, for which they were well prepared.

The various tent holders and vendors of strawberries, ice-cream, &c., did a rushing business. There was also a considerable amount of dancing.

This was about the largest gathering ever assembled at Dundalk, over 3000 being present.

The proceedings terminated with a grand display of fireworks.

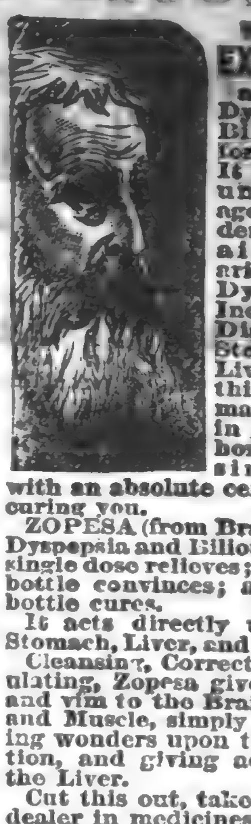
The baseball players are practicing nearly every evening, and are making considerable progress. Some of the older players ought to at once take steps to stop the fearful amount of swearing and offensive language used on the grounds by some of the young boys.

Mr W. Benson, of this place, while fishing at Dodds' bridge on Monday last, was attacked by eleven weasels, and was compelled to beat a hasty retreat in order to preserve himself from being bitten. He succeeded however in stunning two of them. Fishermen visiting that section should take something more substantial than a fishing pole, lest they be attacked in a similar manner.

Great Midsummer Stock Taking Sale now going on at McFarland's. Goods are being slaughtered, 20 per cent. discount off Trimmed Millinery, Straw Hats, Parasols, Lace Curtains, Summer Shawls, Mantles, Ostrich Feathers, &c., &c. 15 per cent. off Summer Dress Goods, White Pekes. Lace Buntings, Lace Ties, &c. 10 per cent off Tweeds, Carpets, Table Linens, Table Damasks, Cretonnes, French Prints, &c., &c.

WHAT IS IT?—Why J. R. Trimble and D. E. Wright, of Flesherton, have bought Butter & Rae's large stock of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, ready-made clothing, hats and caps, &c., &c., at fifty cents on the dollar! They have also added a very large stock of fresh groceries, including a large stock of sugars which they are offering at prices that would astonish you. Just go and see for yourselves. Go early and secure some of the great bargains, for never before have goods been sold so cheap in Markdale. Go early in the day to avoid the great rush at Trimble & Wright's, (Butter & Rae's old stand), Markdale.

"That man is a phrenologist, Pat." "A phat?" asked Pat, puzzled. "A phrenologist." "Phat's that?" "Why, a man that can tell by feeling of the bumps on your head, what kind of a man you are." "Bumps on me head, is it?" exclaimed Pat. "Begorra, then, I should think it would give him more of an idea phat kind of a woman me wife is!"



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Cut this out, take it to any dealer in medicines, and get at least one 75 cent bottle of Zopesa, and tell your neighbor how it acts. It is warranted to cure Dyspepsia and Biliousness.

BIRTHS.

EISELEINE—In Markdale, on the 11th inst., the wife of Thos. Eiseleine, (bricklayer), of a daughter.

GARDINER—In Dundalk, on the 7th inst., the wife of Mr. J. Gardiner, (hardware merchant), of a son.

HILL.—In Markdale on the 5th inst, the wife of Mr John Hill, (carriage maker) of a son.

CHRISTIE.—In Proton, June 8, the wife of Mr J. W. Christie, of a son.

BATES.—In Flesherton, June 18, the wife of Mr Bates of a daughter.

SEWELL.—In Artemesia on the 5 inst., the wife of Robt. Sewell, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

McCOMB—LITTLE.—On the 19th June, S. McComb, to Miss Agnes Buchan Little, of Orchardville.

WATTERS—KNOWLS—On the 21st June at Glenelg, Mr W. H. Watters, to Miss B. Knowles.

DIED.

McAULAY—In Dundalk, on the 7th inst., Mr. John McAulay; aged 63 years.

CUNNINGHAM—In Artemesia, on the 27th inst., Margaret Jane, daughter of Mr. Wm. Cunningham, aged 20 years.

HENDERS.—The infant child of Mr. Wm Henders, Melancthon.

ELVIDGE.—June 22, Geo. Elvidge, Durham aged 29.

SMILEY.—June 27, Jno B. Smiley, Durham aged 8 days.

VESSIE.—June 28, Margaret Vessie, Glenelg, aged 78 years. One of the earliest settlers in this section.

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the period during which the Membership Fee to GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY for 1882, is ONE DOLLAR will expire on the 26th day of this month; after that date the fee will be TWO DOLLARS.

A. TURNER,
Markdale, July 4, 1882. Sec-Trsr.

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A Female School Teacher wanted, holding a 3rd Class Certificate, for Markdale School, for balance of year Apply to G. S. Bowes, Sec.
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It has performed a miracle in my case.

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A SPECIALTY.

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SEALED TENDERS marked "Tenders for Drainage" will be received at the Office of the undersigned up till 12 o'clock noon on Monday, the 3rd day of July, 1882, for the drainage of a portion of the Township of Melancthon.

Tenders may be for one or more drains, and to be accompanied with the names of good and efficient sureties for the due performance of the work.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Plans and Specifications of the work may be seen at the office of the undersigned.

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Melancthon, June 20, 1882. Clerk. 43-4

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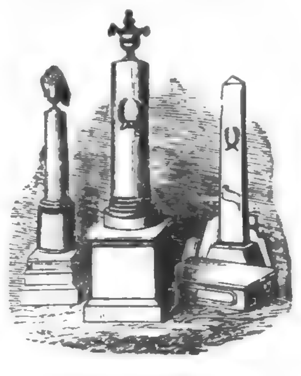

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IN THE MATTER OF THE GUARDIANSHIP OF THE INFANT CHILDREN OF ROBERT BROWN, DECEASED

Application will be made to the Surrogate Court, of the County of Grey, before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House in the Town of Owen Sound, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, on behalf of Eliza Brown, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, widow and executrix of said deceased and mother of his infant children hereinafter named; and on behalf of William Brown, of the village of Markdale, and Hugh McKee, of the Township of Glenelg. Executors of said deceased, for an Order, appointing the said Eliza Brown, William Brown and Hugh McKee, or some one of them, the guardians or guardian of James Austin Brown, Frederick William Brown, Isabella Brown and Robert Brown, infant children of the said Robert Brown, deceased.

Dated, at Owen Sound, this twenty-eighth day of June, A. D., 1882.

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Highly recommended for Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory, Sour Stomach, Liver Complaint, or any illness arising from the Stomach, Bowels or Kidneys. They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 3 pills a dose.

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Remember, Hop Bitters is no vile, drugged drunken nostrum, but the Purest and Best Medicine ever made; the "INVALIDS FRIEND and HOPE" and no person or family should be without them.

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Sugar Kettles,

Land Rollers,

will receive our attention. We also introduce our new

FAMILY MANGLE!

to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture

CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!

with or without marble slab for name, &c.; also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Balluster Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.

MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-1y

NOTICE

IS hereby given that in the course of a few days the Collectors will be in Markdale to collect the subscriptions promised for the improvement of 6 and 7 side-road, near Kimberley. The Township Council, of Euphrasia, has granted an equivalent amount to that subscribed; and the work is to be proceeded with at once.

THE COLLECTORS.

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned as General Merchants, in the Village of Markdale, under the style or firm of Butter & Rae, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All parties indebted to said firm will pay the same to Wm. Lucas & Co., Bankers, Markdale, at once, and save further trouble.

Dated at Markdale this 12th day of July, A. D. 1882.

A. BUTTER,
R. S. RAE,

New Goods. New Goods.

London House, Dundalk.

W. S. Hewetson & Co's Summer Importations

Surpass anything yet offered to the public for

Style, Quality, and Cheapness.

Direct from the best manufacturers in Europe consisting of Prints, White Cottons, Bradford and French Cashmeres, in various shades; also a great variety of Fancy and other Dress Goods, in all the latest fabrics. A large assortment of Swiss Lace Curtains, Edgings, &c.

The English Ready-Made Gents' Clothing, which was so successful in the Fall and Winter, will be repeated, in the latest London Styles, along with a large assortment of Gents' Furnishings, &c.

Every Department replete with New and First-class Goods. Give us a call, and see for yourselves.

Sole Agent for the Celebrated

McCall's New York Bazar Glove Fitting Patterns.

Ladies, save money by making your family garments from these Patterns. Perfect fit; good style; low price. Catalogues and Fashion Papers free.

Watches. Watches.

Selling Off at Cost at the Dundalk

DRUG STORE.

American and

WALTHAM WATCHES

Clocks, Jewellery, Chains,

Lockets and Cuff Buttons, Gents'

Gold Rings,

Ladies' Signet Rings,

Bracelets, Eardrops, Brooches, &c.

See my $6.50 E.P. Case Watch

Stem Winder, guaranteed

good Timekeeper.

Do not fail to call and secure bargains.

G. W. PARSONS.

N. B.—All kinds of Repairing done on the Premises by a first-class Watchmaker from Toronto. All work warranted.

The well-known

MEADOW LARK MOWER

With Two Knives, can be bought at the

DURHAM FOUNDRY

for $60.00

General Printing

At Shortest Notice.

Orders by Mail or Wire promptly executed.

"STANDARD" OFFICE,

Markdale.

The dashing young Russian soldier, General Skobeloff, is dead.

Eureka! shout all manufacturers machinists and mill men when they first try Lardine.

The hay harvest in Manitoba has commenced. The weather is very hot.

Lardine machine oil will not gum or freeze, and wears better than any other oil in the market. Ask your local dealer and take no other.

Texas corn crop is estimated at 140,000,000 bushels, about double that of last year.

GOLD—is excellent for filling decayed Teeth, but "TEABERRY" prevents the decay, makes them white, and makes people lovable. 5 cent sample.

If you see a fellow around town with any number of little red spots at the back of his ears and on his face, you can lay your last nickel he's been out fishing.

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher, or mill man, in fact any man who runs machinery, and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor oil and won't gum or clog your machinery.

NEVER BE WITHOUT IT.

Tourists and all who are subjected to a change of climate, water, diet, &c., should never be without Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the infallible remedy for all summer complaints.

829 spavins on horses cured by Kendall's Spavin Cure. Read their advertisement.

Mr. R. W. Carmichael, chemist and druggist of Belleville, under date of May 31st, 1885, writes as follows.—"Your Burdock Blood Bitters have a steady sale, are patronized by the best families here and surrounding country, and all attest to it's virtues with unqualified satisfaction.

...thought we were too late until ... the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure.

...no more wholesome or de... on earth than the wild ...d there no more ef... for cholera, dysentery, ...other summer complaints ...r adults, than Dr. Fowler's ...of Wild Strawberry.

...judge refused a woman a ...h she wanted because her ...ssed the pretty servant. He ...ought to be thankful that her ...had found a way to keep a ...t girl.

A WISE PRECAUTION.

During the summer and fall people are liable to sudden attacks of bowel complaint, and with no prompt remedy or medical aid at hand, life may be in danger. Those whose experience has given them wisdom, always keep Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry at hand for prompt relief, and a physician is seldom required.

Mr Watson has withdrawn from the proprietorship of the Meaford Monitor. His interest has been purchased by Mr. McCarter, formerly of the News.

BAD BLOOD.

The blood is the true essence of vitality, without pure blood there cannot be healthy action in the system. Boils blotches, pimples, and the various humors and blemishes of the skin are only symptomatic of bad blood that needs purifying at its fountain, to render its tributaries pure. Burdock Blood Bitters effectually cleanses the blood from all humors, obtains a healthy action of the liver, bowels, kidneys, skin, etc., and strengthening while it regulates and purifies.

Geo. Wilson, son of the blind bard of Meaford, lost his arm while he was fooling with a gun. The whole of the contents of the gun "crashed through bones, muscles, tendons, and veins in the fleshy part of the arm between the shoulder and elbow. The sight was ghastly.

The well known drug firm of N. C. Polson & Co., of Kingston, writes that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has long been considered the best remedy for summer complaints in the market, and adds that their customers speak in the highest terms of its merits. Wild Strawberry is the best known remedy for cholera morbus dysentery, and all bowel complaints.

Zionville, Indiana, Nov. 3, 1880.
DR B. J. KENDALL & Co.—Gents:—I have your valuable "Treatise on the Horse and his diseases," and your Kendall Spavin Cure. My horses had the epizootic, one of them could not swallow for two days. I applied the Spavin Cure twice to her throat, and it gave almost instant relief: I think I could sell 1000 of your books. Please give prices to agents.

Yours truly, PETER BOWEN.

There would be little or no sickness during the hot months of July and August if every one would take Dr Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, as they prevent and cure all derangements of the stomach and bowels ...large bottles at 50 cents by all ... Turner, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

...Douglas has arrived ...300 children off the ...n.

...ted with weak lungs, ... or derangement of the ...ld procure a package of ... Liver and Lung Com... ...h 50 cent package makes ... of Syrup. It is a valuable ...tion of roots, herbs, and ... and its results are wonderful. ...le by all druggists. Turner, ..., Markdale; Parsons, agent, Dundalk.

$800.00 REWARD!

Will be paid for the detection and conviction of any person selling or dealing in any bogus, counterfeit, or imitation HOP BITTERS, especially Bitters or preparations with the word HOP or HOPS in their name or connected therewith, that is intended to mislead and cheat the public, or for any preparation put in any form, pretending to be the same as HOP BITTERS. The genuine have cluster of GREEN HOPS, (notice this) printed on the white label and are the purest and best medicine on earth, especially for Kidney, Liver, and Nervous Diseases. Beware of all others, and of all pretended formulas or recipes of HOP BITTERS published in papers or for sale, as they are frauds and swindles. Whoever deals in any but the genuine will be prosecuted, HOP BITTERS MFG. CO.,

Rochester, N. Y.

Through the present month of July the stomach and bowels are very liable to become deranged. The proper preventative is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, for by their use the digestive organs are invigorated, the bowels kept regular, and the blood rendered pure and cool. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents by all druggists. Turner, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

Our Premium

WE have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

HAMILTON, Mo., June 14, 1881.
B. J. KENDALL & Co.,—Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; I have removed by using the above: Callous Bone Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can cheerfully testify and recommend it to be the best thing for any bony substance I have ever used, and have tried many as I have made that my study for years.

Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.
DR B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.
DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone it properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

WEST ENOSBURGH, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.
DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

ST. JOHN, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.
DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle very badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25cts. and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

Sold by all Druggists.

LYMAN, SONS & CO., Montreal, P. Q. Wholesale Agents

FARMERS, Look to your interests, and get Sargent's Patent

Load Lifting Machine

this season.

It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county.
Wm. SARGENT, Berkeley P.O. or, Grover & Innes, Mail Buildings, Toronto. 84-97

DUNDALK BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.
All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

John Gardiner, Dundalk, continues to astonish the natives with low prices for Hardware.

It will pay you to give him a call, examine Goods, and get prices.

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

GROCERIES.

.A M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store. always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

General Printing

At Shortest Notice.

Orders by Mail or Wire promptly executed.

"STANDARD" OFFICE, Markdale.

ALL MEN!

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

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FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND
General Agency.
DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1.ly.

1882. SPRING 1882.

Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

—AT THE—

TORONTO HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882. **Wm BROWN.**

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,
DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS,
FORCE PUMPS,
Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

Sydenham Street, Markdale.

Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRING & SUMMER Goods

—AT—

"CHEAPSIDE."

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF,

Dress Goods, All shades. **Cashmeres,** All colors. **Muslins,** Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,
Scotch and West of England Tweeds,
Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,
Denims, Oxford Shirtings.
A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS in ABUNDANCE.
Full Lines of GROCERIES,
New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of
BOOTS AND SHOES,
from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

HENRY FOSTER.
MARKDALE.

SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass Tares, &c. — Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods,

Pure Drugs & Chemicals.
Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall.

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,
DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
HOLLOW BATTONS,
FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business, and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER.

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.
All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning
Done in a first class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale May 27th. 1881. 37-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,
The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

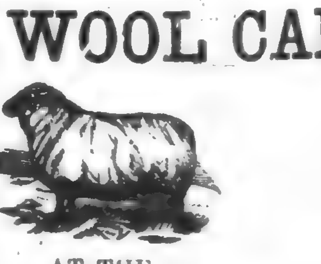
We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER

Flesherton. March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED



1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

Wm. HOGG.

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PROFESSIONAL AND BUS... DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Armst... Physicians, Surgeons, Acc... &c.
OFFICE Medical Hall; ... Markdale House.
Markdale, Sept 17, 1880.

Dental Car...

DR. CAMERON ... citizens of Owen S... ing country that he ... ... of CHARLES F. K... Medalist of the Ro... Surgeons, Toronto ... ... and all opera... thoroughly and ... over D. A. Cam... Mr Knight ... which due notic...

Dental Card

Dr. T. F. Br...
SURGEON DENTI...
Of Woodstock, Ont, ... on July 25 ...
Teeth filled with ... Artificial Teeth ... Natural appearance ... Teeth Extracted ...

Legal.

JOHN R. ...
ATTORNEY AN... ready for ... business. Office ... Markdale, Dec 2nd, 1881.

Frost & Frost.

BARRISTERS ... Law ... ancers, &c., ... Flesherton, ... heretofore.
ALFRED FROST ... J. W. ... County ...

BARRISTER ... in Chancery, Notary Pu... cer, &c.
MONEY TO LOAN ...
Offices ... Poulett St ... land's Store, ... week.

ISSUER ... Commi... Conveyanc... attended to ... N. B.—Money ... curity. Markdale ...

ISSUER ... Life In... in B. B. & ... Auctione... Merchant... advanced ... Prices ...

COMMERCIAL ...

Good B... ... fords ... ... October 31 ...

R. J. Galbraith ...

AUCTION ... Goods ... Pianos, ... Fruit ... tural Impl... kinds ... Wholesal...

SEEING IS BELI...

GENTLEMEN ...
Buggie or W...
McKENNA & ...
CARRIAGE W...
MARKDA...
They can ...
Lumber W...
Extension Top ...
SAVE MO...
They are ... PRACTICAL W...
They use nothing but First ... for the Wagons, and three ... Growth Hickory ...
The commencement ... out of McKenna & Mason's ... for McKenna & ...
THE BEST in the CHEAP...
Poor cheap work ...
Special attention given to ...
Satisfaction guaranteed ...
HORSESHO...
SHOP—On Mill Street ... Sproule's Hotel ...
McKENNA & ...

Markdale Standard,

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IS PUBLISHED

EVERY FRIDAY MORNING

In time to meet the early mails.

It contains Foreign and Provincial Provincial News, Local Intelligence, County Business, Commercial Matters and an Instructive Miscellany.

$1 in advance, $1.50 in three months, $2 if not paid till the end of the year. No paper discontinued until all arrears are paid, except at the option of the publisher, and parties refusing papers without paying up will be held responsible for the years subscriptions until they comply with the rules.

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PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Armstrong,

Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheur &c.

OFFICE — Medical Hall; residence at Markdale Hotel.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Dental Card.

DR. CAMERON desires to inform the citizens of Owen Sound and the surrounding country that he has engaged the services of Mr. F. KNIGHT, L.D.S., Silver Medalist of the Royal College of Dental Surgeons, Toronto. Gold Fillings a Speciality and all operations upon the Mouth thoroughly and competently performed. Office over D. A. Cameron & Co's Drug Store.

Mr. Knight will resume regular trips, of which due notice will be given.

Dental Card.

Dr. T. F. Brown,

SURGEON DENTIST,

Of Woodstock, Ont., will be at MARKDALE on July 25, for One Week.

[illegible] filled with Gold and Amalgam. Artificial Teeth inserted on Rubber Base. Natural appearance – Perfect Fit. Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

Legal.

JOHN B. McMILLAN,

ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ready for attending to all kinds of law business. Office at Kay's Hotel.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

Frost & Frost,

BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday, as [illegible]

A[illegible] Frost, J. W. FROST, LL. B. County Crown Attorney. 1

J. MASSON,

BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer &c.

MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT.

Owen Sound, in Vicker's Block [illegible] and in Markdale, over McFarlane's, on Friday and Saturday every [illegible] 57-ly

Miscellaneous.

Wm. Brown.

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.

N. B. – Money to Lend on Real Estate security.

[illegible], Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Alexander Brown.

ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, [illegible], and Land Sales, Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate.

[illegible], Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

COMMERCIAL HOTEL.

PRICEVILLE, Ont.

[illegible] and commodious Sample Rooms [illegible] Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder [illegible] supplied with the best the market af[fords]; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's.

THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor

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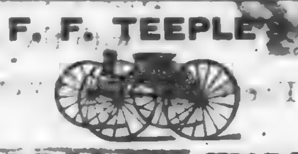

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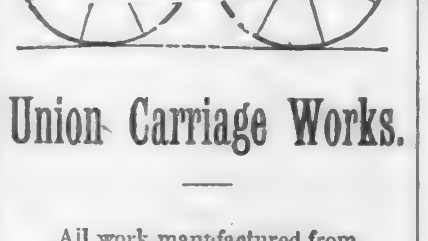

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You may take the gear to the stead;
All the sweat o' your brow, boys,
Will never get beer and bread.
The seed's waste, I know, boys;
There's not a blade will grow boys;
'Tis cropped out, I trow, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

Send the colt to the fair, boys—
He's going blind, as I said,
My old eyes can't bear, boys,
To see him in the shed;
The cow's dry and spare, boys,
She's neither here nor there, boys,
I doubt she's badly bred;
Stop the mill to-morn, boys,
There'll be no more corn, boys,
Neither white nor red;
There's no sign of grass, boys,
You may sell the goat and the ass, boys,
The land's not what it was, boys,
And the beasts must be fed:
You may turn Peg away, boys,
You may pay off old Ned,
We've had a dull day, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

Move my chair on the floor, boys,
Let me turn my head;
She's standing there in the door, boys,
Your sister Winifred!
Take her away from me, boys,
Your sister Winifred!
Move me round in my place, boys,
Let me turn my head,
Take her away from me, boys,
As she lay on her death-bed—
The bones of her thin face, boys,
As she lay on her death-bed!
I don't know how it be, boys,
When all's done and said,
But I see her looking at me, boys,
Wherever I turn my head;
Out of the big oak tree, boys,
Out of the garden-bed,
And the lily as pale as she boys,
And the rose that used to be red.

There's something not right, boys,
But I think it's not in my head;
I've kept my precious sight, boys—
The Lord be hallowed.
Outside and in
The ground is cold to my tread,
The hills are wizen and thin,
The sky is shrivelled and shred;
The hedges down by the loan
I can count them bone by bone,
The leaves are open and spread.
But I see the teeth of the land,
And hands like a dead man's hand,
And the eyes of a dead man's head.
There's nothing but cinders and sand,
The rat and the mouse have fled,
And the summer's empty and cold;
Over valley and wold,
Wherever I turn my head,
There's a mildew and a mould;
The sun's going out overhead,
And I'm very old,
And Tommy's dead.

What am I staying for, boys?
You're all born and bred—
'Tis fifty years and more, boys,
Since wife and I were wed;
And she's gone before, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

She was always sweet, boys,
Upon his curly head.
She knew she'd never see't, boys,
And she stole off to bed;
I've been sitting up alone, boys,
For he'd come home, he said,
But it's time I was gone, boys,
For Tommy's dead.

Put the shutters up, boys.
Bring out the beer and bread,
Make haste and sup, boys,
For my eyes are heavy as lead;
'There's something wrong!' the cup, boys,
There's something ill wi' the bread;
I don't care to sup, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

I'm not right, I doubt, boys,
I've such a sleepy head;
I shall never more be stout, boys,
You may carry me to bed.
What are you about, boys?
The prayers are all said,
The fire's raked out, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

The stairs are too steep, boys,
You may carry me to the head,
The night's dark and deep, boys,
Your mother's long in bed;
'Tis time to go to sleep, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

I'm not used to kiss, boys;
You may shake my hand instead.
All things go amiss, boys,
You may lay me where she is, boys,
And I'll rest my old head;
'Tis a poor world this, boys,
And Tommy's dead.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XIX.

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It was a noticeable fact that neither Miss Hernecastle nor Miss O'Donnell returned to the drawing-room.

Captain O'Donnell did not perceive his sister's absence, he was thinking. 'There is but one way. If Katherine be dead, she cannot be here. I'll wonder no longer. I'll end this mystery, at once.'

He set about his task by finding the old servant who lived with this when Katherine died.

Dorcas remembered her quite well, how that Katherine came to the house one night to see poor Mr. Dantree. She heard her scream, and rushed in, and saw Miss Dangerfield lying white and still, and Dr Graves said she was dead.

'You saw her dead,' said Captain O'Donnell.

'Yes, poor dear, and a beautiful corpse she made,' replied the old servant.

'How long was it before she was buried?'

'Only two days, sir. I saw her in her coffin, saw the lid screwed down, and carried out, and a fine funeral it was.'

'One question more, my good woman, How long was it after this that Mr Otis left for London?

'A month, sir. They would have gone sooner but for the unexpected arrival of his cousin—the sick young lady from Essex.

'She came on the night of the funeral, and most unexpected. She was tall, and dressed in dark clothes, and —if,—but this was only a notion of mine—if Miss Dangerfield had not been dead—'

'You saw the sick young lady,' said the captain.

'Only once, and I should say the height and figure very similar to that of the dead lady.'

'Where did she go.'

'They all went up to London, I believe.'

That was enough, and to London also went Captain O'Donnell by the mail train.

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Sir Peter and Lady Dangerfield were each bent upon carrying out their plans; she to go to the ball, and he to turn her out of the house, if she did go.

Lord Ruysland attempted to dissuade her, but in vain. He then went to Castleford station, and there meeting the major, persuaded him to give up the ball.

Major Frankland insisted however, upon seeing Lady Dangerfield.

In the park he met Miss Herncastle, who persuaded him to write to her ladyship, and state his inability. He wrote upon a leaf from her book, and handed her the letter to deliver to Lady Dangerfield.

He drove away; she destroyed the note. She was determined that my lady should go to the ball and show off the costume.

At dinner Lady Dangerfield was seized with violent sickness and was at once ordered rest and quiet, but Sir Peter saw through the ruse. She went to her room, partook of a hearty meal with Miss Herncastle.

The fly was ready, my lady was dressed; and looked exquisite in the lovely page's dress. Presently she was on the way to Mrs. Everleigh's.

Arrived at the ball she rested, but no major came in the dress of Count Lara, where was he? At last the chief arrived, but the voice, the step were strange to my lady. She said, 'What is the matter with you to-night, Jasper?' 'Your voice sounds strange, you don't dance as you used —and—and something about you, I don't know what, looks unfamiliar. Take off your mask, sir, and let me see you.'

'Not likely. A page must never presume to command his master. Rest assured I am I, and at supper we will unmask, and become the cynosure of all eyes. Ginerva, your dress is absolutely perfect—there is nothing to equal it here to-night.'

A passing domino caught the half-whispered words, and paused to watch them. From that moment, wherever the knight and page went the black domino was sure to follow.

They wandered into a conservatory at last, filled with the moonlight of shaded lamps, where the music came faint and far off, and tall tropic plants reared their rich heads far above.

'How hot it is—how noisy they are,' Kaled murmured, sinking into a moss-green seat. 'I must take off my mask—I shall look as red as a milk maid when we unmask. In the ten minutes that intervene between this and supper, let me try and get cool if I can.'

He stooped over her with the whispered imbecility he knew was expected of him, and fanned her with a palm-leaf.

'Shall I fetch you a water-ice?' he asked; 'it will help you to keep cool. You will have it eaten before we go to supper.'

She assented languidly. Her mask lay in her lap, and watching her with glittering eyes, the spectral domino stood in shadow of the palms. Count Lara's garments brushed him as he went by—but Lara's eyes had noticed him from the first. In a second Count Lara had vanished. My lady, looking flushed and handsome in her boyish travesty, fanned herself in the cool shade of a myrtle tree. And behind the palm the domino waited.

Both waited for what never came—the return of Count Lara.

She grew angry at the non return of her count, twice had he disappointed her; at last she went to supper, and there the party all unmasked.

She saw, for one instant, amid the crowd, the face—not of Major Frankland, but of Sir Peter Dangerfield, looking at her. For one instant only, then it too, disappeared.

CHAPTER XX.

A DARK NIGHT'S WORK.

When Lord Ruysland had finished his little paternal lecture to Major Frankland and saw that gallant officer ride off, he turned to address Captain O'Donnell, and found to his surprise that Captain O'Donnell was gone. The chasseur, indeed, had not lingered a moment. With his straw hat pulled low over his eyes, he strode away at once through the town and to his quarters in the Silver Rose. The slouching, cockney-looking individual to whom he had spoken at the station was at the Silver Rose before him, and as the captain passed through the inn yard, sat on a bench in friendly converse with Lanty Lafferty.

'Dull? Mr. Lafferty was repeating as his master pashed through; 'troth ye may say it's dull, wid sorra a sowl to spake to maybe from mornin' till night. But thin, on the other hand, there's the hoith of aitin' o' aitin' an' dhrinkin' goin' on late an' airly, and niver a han's turn to do half yer time, not to spake av the barmaid an' the cook, two as purty an' as pleasant-spoken craythurs as ye'd wish to kiss. It's a comfortable life intirely it would be av the town was only Ballynahaggart instead of Castleford. But arrah! shure we can't have everything. By the hokey, here's the masther himself, long life to him.'

'All right, Lanty,' his masther responded, passing through with a nod, and taking no notice of Lanty's companion. 'How are they all at the Park? Seen Miss Rose lately?'

'I was at the Park above this mornin' Misther Redmond, and I saw her ladyship, the lord's daughter, an' she was axin' for yer honour, and bid me tell you the young misthress was over an' above well.'

O'Donnell merely nodded again and hurried on. It was a very long time since his sister had been 'over and above well,' and he could see plainly enough it was more a mind than a body diseased; and that this Gaston Dantree—the scoundrel who had wrecked another noble life—was in some way the cause, he knew now, thanks to Miss Herncastle. But he was or had been Rose's actual husband, had never for an instant occurred to him.

Lanty Rafferty resumed his occupation of brushing a pair of his master's tops, and his conversation with the stranger from London, interlarding work and social converse with a little music. His rollicking Irish voice came through the open windows to his master's ears.

"It was on a windy night, about two o'clock in the morning.
An Irish lad so tight, all—"

Bad scran to ye fur tops, shure the art o' man wouldn't get ye the colour he loikes!'

"An Irish lad so tight,—

'Oh, thin, divil fear him but he was right—shure's it's a weakness all his countrymen have. It's meself wud loike a dhrop av potheen this minute, fresh from the still—me very heart's broke a dhrinkin' the beer they have in these parts, an' me gettin' that fat in it, that sorra a waistcoat I have in the wurruld that'll button on me good or bad. Oh, blissid hour! will I ever see the day whin all his sogerin' an' his diviltry in Algiers, and Ameriky, and England will be over, and meself back in O'Donnell Castle on the ould sod ones, once more? Talk about grandeur—about yer Windsor Castles, an' yer St. James' Palace—be me word, the two av thim together couldn't hould a candle to Castle O'Donnell. Sixty-three rooms —sorra less—a stable full of cattle—the best blood in the country, a pack o' hounds, a butler in silk stockings, an' futmin as high as Phil McCoul, the Irish giant, if iver ye heerd ov him. Whiskey galore, champagne for the axin' an' waitin' maids that it 'ud make yer mouth water only to look at. It's little I thought, six years ago, whin I left sich a place as that, that it is an English inn I'd come to. It's them wor the blessed times all out.'

'Blessed time, upon my life,' responded his listener, smoking philosophically. 'I say, Mr. Lafferty, there's yer master a callin' yer.'

Lanty seized the boots and made a rush for his master's room. The soft silvery gray of the summer evening was falling by this time, and with his back to the faint light the chasseur sat when his man entered.

'Come in, Lanty, and shut the door—perhaps you had better turn the key. I see you have made the acquaintance of that fellow in the inn yard already.'

'Jist passin' the time o' day, yer honour. They're civil crathurs thim English chaps mostly, an' shure I'm not proud.'

'I'm glad to hear it, and it is just as well your pride has not stood in the way of your sociability on the present occasion, as you would have to make his acquaintance whether or no. Lanty, can you keep a secret?'

'A saycret is it! Upon me conscience that same's a question I didn't expect from yer father's son. A saycret! Arrah, Misther Redmond, is there a bad turn ye iver did since ye were breeched that I don't know? Is there a bit av divilment ye iver wor in (an' faith yer divilment was past countin') that I didn't know better than me prayers, and did I iver tell—did I now? Faith, it's late in the day, so it is, to ax me such a question as that.'

'Well, Lanty, don't be indignant—of course, I know you can. Then I want you to keep quiet this evening, and perfectly sober, remember; to retire to your room early, but not to go to bed. About half-past eleven, when the town is quiet, and every soul in the inn asleep, take your shoes in your hand, steal out as though you were a mouse, and wait for me under the clump of larches beyond the inn. You'll find your London acquaintance there before you—I brought him down and I want you both to-night. Lanty, did you ever hear of a resurrection—a sack-'em-up?'

'Sorra hear. Is it anything to ait or drink?'

'Nothing to eat or drink. A resurrectionist is one who opens graves, steals dead bodies, and sells them to medical students for dissection.

'The Lord be betune us an' harm?'

'And this fellow you have been talking to all the evening is a professional sack-'em-up.' The chasseur's gravity nearly gave way at Lanty's look of horror. 'Never mind, my good fellow, he won't sell you for dissection; and as I said before, you must be civil to him, despite his profession, for I have brought him down on purpose to open a grave this very night, and you are to come along and help.'

'Open a grave! Oh, king of glory!'

'It is all on the square, Lanty—not stealing dead bodies, no selling to doctors—I haven't lost my senses this time. But I have reason to believe a very great fraud has been perpetrated, and that very great mischief may come of it. To prevent that mischief I open this grave, open the coffin, see what it contains, and replace it exactly as I find it before morning. You understand?'

Understand! Mr. Lafferty was staring at his master with an expression of blank horror and consternation. Open a grave in the dead of night to see what a coffin contained. All the 'divilment' of the past faded into insignificance beside this crowning act.

'I can't explain any further, and it is not necessary for you to know. Be on hand, as I said; keep sober, make no noise, and let me find you with Joggins under the larches at half past eleven. They keep early hours here —all will be still by that time. Now go; and mind, not a word of this to a soul.'

Lanty Lafferty went—his mouth had fallen open, and he forgot to shut it, his eyes were like full moons, that blank expression of consternation still rigid on his face.

'Open a grave! Oh, wirra! After twelve o'clock! The Lord look down on me this night! To see what's in a coffin! Arrah! is it taken lave av his sinses intoirely he is? Faith it's little rhyme or raison there iver was wid him or one av his name, but if this doesn't bang Bannagher! Bannagher! upon me sowl it bangs the divil.'

The evening gray deepened into dark. Ten came—the stars were out, but there was no moon. Captain O'Donnell sat at his open window and smoked. To him the last act was but an act of simple duty to save his friend—the one last proof needed in the strange discovery he had made. No harm should be done—the coffin would be opened, and replaced precisely as he had found it, the grave re-closed. And then Miss Herncastle should hear all—should confess to the man she had made love her the whole truth, or he would.

Lanty was at his post—upright as a ramrod, silent as a tomb, and giving his companion a wide berth; Mr. Joggins, with a sack over his shoulders containing spade and pick, and instruments for opening the coffin, spoke as he drew near.

'Here we are, noble captain—time, and not a minute to be lost. Lead the way, and we follers and get to business at once.'

Redmond O'Donnell strode steadfastly along between the rows of graves, the lonely paths until under its solitary tree he paused at Katherine Dangerfield's. His lips were set, his eyes stern—for good or ill he would know the truth soon.

'This is the grave,' he said, curtly. 'Go to work; I'll keep watch.'

The resurrectionist opened his bag, produced his shovels, gave one into the reluctant hands of Lanty, and set to work with a professional rapidity and dexterity. The two men worked with a will until the perspiration stood in great drops upon their faces. O'Donnell had brought a brandy flask, and gave them copious libations, until even Lanty's drooping spirits arose. No sound but the subdued noise of the shovelling clay—nothing living or dead to be seen. O'Donnell worked with them—there was no need of watching—and at last, far below in the fair light of the stars, the coffin lay revealed.

At last! He drew one long, hard, tense breath—his eyes gleamed. 'Open it,' he said, in a composed sort of voice. The screws, one by one, were removed; nothing remained but to lift the lid and see—

They saw what Redmond O'Donnell had expected to see—AN EMPTY COFFIN.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

MISSED THE TRAIN.

It was a colored man. His back was all dirt, one tail of his coat gone, and every button had been ripped off his vest. He had two limps and a hitch as he came out, and there was a new French shade of sadness in his voice as he toed the mark and said:

'I missed the train, sah.'

'What train did you miss?'

'I doan just remember what train it was.'

'Where were you going?'

'Down the road.'

'What road?'

'Dat's what I can't remember, sah.'

'Well, do you remember of getting on a drunk?'

'No, sah. Maybe I called for lemenade an de gin me whiskey, but I doan 'zactly 'member it. All I recollect is that I missed de train.'

'I think you got the train all right. You were training around pretty lively when the officer got hold of your collar.'

'I always walk in my sleep, sah!'

'Well that's bad for you. You broke a window, kicked in a door and raised a big row. Have you observed the state of your wardrobe?'

"I has deserved dat I am all [illegible] up, sah. Dis suit ob close [illegible] seben dollars cash, an' I doan [illegible] it would sell for six. Did [illegible] down stairs?'

'No; you resisted arrest [illegible] officer had to mop you [illegible] tle.'

'He did? I wish I had [illegible] see de fun. Kin I [illegible] my pardner 'bout two [illegible]

No, sir you can step [illegible] shop for sixty days.'

'Shoo! Why, dat upsets me from gwine to Buffeler.'

'Can't help that. Please [illegible]

"Can't I settle dis lawsuit for fifty cents?'

'No sir. The omnibus will be along for you in about twenty minutes. Call the next case.'

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Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5 20 a.m.	3 45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	5.02 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.0[illegible] a.m.	5.47 p.m.
Teeswater	5.1[illegible]	3.10
Harriston	6.16	4.35
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union st'n	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto........dep.	7.35 a.m.	4.35 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9.08 "	6.00 "
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00 "
Mount Forest	12.18 "	8.50 "
Harriston	12.55 "	9.15 "
Teeswater	2.25 "	10.15 "
Dundalk	11.12	8.04 "
Flesherton & P'ville	11.30	8.30 "
Markdale	11.55 "	8.45 "
[illegible]	1.15	9.55 "

THURSDAY, JULY 20

War in Egypt.

TUESDAY.

Arabi Pasha, having gained some time by a flag of truce, has marched his soldiers out of Alexandria. The subterfuge is justly characterized by Admiral Seymour as disgraceful. It is stated that Arabi has entrenched [illegible] hours march from Alexandria. The work of pillage and rapine has been carried out in Alexandria with terrible earnestness by the fellah and by freed convicts. Several hundred Europeans have been massacred and the most terrible atrocities have been committed. About a hundred [illegible] fought their way to the [illegible], where they were taken [illegible] British vessel. The city is [illegible] still, the fires no doubt being [illegible] by the hordes now en[illegible] the houses and kill[illegible] who oppose them. Preparations are being made in England for the [illegible] reinforcement [illegible] the arrangements in [illegible] of a full stock of [illegible] munitions of war. Al[illegible] proposes to land a [illegible] of the forts [illegible] the conflagra[illegible] caution has to be [illegible] been mined [illegible] is also [illegible] which so far [illegible] of con[illegible] marine [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] troops, who [illegible] ans with [illegible] 700, who fled [illegible] still. Farn[illegible]

[illegible]

SATURDAY.

[illegible] from Alexandria [illegible] Arabi Pasha is rapidly marching to Port Said, and the army with him has been reinforced by [illegible] Bedouins. It is expected that the enemy will cut off the water [illegible], and huge tanks are being filled with it. Preparations are going on for Arabi's reception should he return to the city. A native spy and several murderers have just been shot, and looters flogged. Confidence is partly restored, and cafes and shops are re-[illegible].

SUNDAY.

The reign of chaos is subsiding, order is being made, under Captain Beresford and 500 men acting as police. Some guns are landed, also 14 days' provision, so that they intend to stay. A large contingent arrived by the Minataur, who were speedily landed. Ships of various nationalities sent men ashore to assist in patrolling the streets, and keeping order. Arabs are not allowed to carry arms, if they refuse to give them up, the rebels are at once shot. The Americans have reopened their consulate, and German marines are watching over the hospital. Wounded Egyptian soldiers are coming from their hiding places, and their wants and wounds are being attended to. They say that Arabi ridiculed the idea of British ships taking the fort.

MONDAY.

No doubt now exists that Arabi Pasha means to fight, and that he will avail himself of all his resources before yielding. His force is divided into two corps, one of which is reported to be marching on the Suez canal to cut it, and the main body is entrenched within easy distance of Alexandria awaiting the arrival of reinforcements from the interior, where numbers of Europeans have been massacred. In Alexandria, the restoration of order continues under Lord Beresford, whose summary and exemplary manner of dealing with the pillagers is calculated to put a stop to this work. The conflagration is stopped and business cautiously resumed. Every preparation is being made to advance upon Arabi's entrenchment, if necessary. The Khedive has issued his order dismissing the rebel Arabi Bey from his Ministry, but the document has not yet been delivered.

France appears to have adopted a new line of policy, 8000 men being in readiness, should Turkey decline to interfere, and European intervention be resolved on by the conference.

TUESDAY.

The night was quiet. The lines are now very strongly guarded, the fires nearly all extinguished, and the police arrangements thoroughly effective. Your correspondent opened communication with the camp of Arabi, which his informant says consists of little over 6,000 men, intensely discontented, surrounded by starving women and children. Recruits of the lowest class are still being enticed by Arabi with promises of unlimited plunder. The force is held together by the assertion that the English will kill all those returning to the city. Arabi and Toulba have utterly lost their prestige by gross cowardice during the bombardment. The artillerymen were kept at their guns on the 11th inst. by infantry posted under cover.

The Khedive says that two hundred and five Europeans have been killed at Kafr-el Dwar.

Four new graves were dug yesterday in the square for the bodies of plunderers. Three of the graves are now filled. Arabs guilty of plundering and arson are brought in every few minutes. The utmost discretion is used in dealing with the accused.

BRITISH SHOT.

Some idea of the shot sent among the Egyptians may be gleaned from the following descriptions. When men read of the total wreck made of the Alexandria fortifications by the English shot and shell they are apt to make light of the forts and to set them down as flimsy or ill built. But when the reader grasps the weight of the metal hurled against those seaboard defences by such guns as those 81-toners of the Inflexible, wonder ceases. That ship has four of these monsters, each 27 feet long, with a 16-inch bore. The Ordinary charge is 370 pounds of powder behind a 1,700 pound projectile. This messenger of civilization [illegible] four feet in length, and a little less in diameter than the bore of the gun. Imagine a mass of iron, conical at one end, with a cavity of 5 inches by 36 in the middle of it, to receive a bursting charge, and altogether nearly as big as two lager beer kegs placed end to end, and the reason why of the destruction wrought is easily found.

JOHN BRIGHT.

The Right Hon. John Bright's resignation was not altogether unexpected. He gave his warning by avoiding the House during the discussion of the Egyption difficulty. His opinion on war has been known for a great length of time.

Referring to the subject of his resignation, Bright stated that he had nothing to explain or defend. The sole reason of his retirement was that he could not concur in the Government's Egyptian policy. For 40 yrs. had he held and taught doctrines of peace. He believed that the moral law applied to nations as well as to individuals; and that the proceedings of which he disapproved were a violation thereof, and of international law. If he had not sooner retired, it was on account of his regard for the Premier and his colleagues.

Gladstone highly eulogised Bright saying that he agreed with his principles, but not with their application.

THE KISSING METHODIST PARSON.

The Willoughby Graham kissing case continues to cause great excitement in religious circles. Both parties are confident of getting a favourable verdict. When the Rev gentleman was asked if he had kissed the young lady against her will he replied very decidedly in the negative; but when asked if he had kissed her he said that this matter was not in the charge brought against him.

The trial ended last Saturday; The Committee have reserved the right of decision until next week. The bulk of the evidence went to show that the whole thing was a conspiracy by the clique to drive Mr. Willoughby away from the Church. His friends feel confident that a verdict of clear acquittal will be given.

FIRE AT OWEN SOUND.

A Whole Block Consumed on Poulette Street.

About 12.30 last Thursday the fire alarm was sounded, and in a few minutes it was discovered that a fire had started that would soon prove one of the most disastrous that the town ever witnessed. The flames were first noticed issuing from the rear of Stephens' hardware store, Poulette st.. Nearly the entire block known as the Dominion block is of frame. The fire company and hook and ladder company were instantaneously on the spot, and worked with a bold endeavour to subdue the flames.

The following are the losses and insurances on the buildings and stock destroyed by last night's fire: M. Gilson, stock, harness and stable, total loss; insured, British American for $615. Creighton Bros., dry-goods, buildings, and stock valued at $9000, a total loss, insurance on stock in the British American $1,000, Standard $3,000; on building, British America, $800. Mr. Forhan, jeweller, building a total loss: insured in the Gore Mutual for $700; stock a partial loss, insured in the Phœnix for $400. W. B. Stephens, hardware, a total loss, about $9,000, insurance on the stock $1,700, British America, $1,500 Lancashire; on building, $1,000 in Canada Fire and Marine. Mrs. Shaw, fancy goods, a total loss; insured on stock for $600, in the Lancashire, Crane & Urquhart, general store, and Miss Hannah, dress maker; stocks badly damaged by water and removal; fully insured in the Lancashire, North British and Mercantile, and Canada Fire and Marine. Wooten, butcher, partial loss, fully insured in the Quebec. Butchart's Dominion block, partially destroyed. insured for $2,000 in the Northern. The cause of the fire is unknown, but it is generally supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

FEARFUL ACCIDENT.

A freight train, on the T. G. & B. railway, going south, on Wednesday afternoon, ran over a man who was lying on track about a mile south of Shelburne station. The engineer saw the man on the track as he turned the curve, he at once whistled for brakes, and also made the whistle screech to warn the sleeper of his danger, but it was of no avail, the train could not be stoped till it had gone over him. The train hands went back for the body but it was mangled beyond recognition, being cut into pieces. The body was taken to Charleston, and returned to Shelburne by a special. The deceased had on a dark tweed suit and wore on his breast a badge of Gore Lodge, No. 22. the name of the deceased is Joseph Greasley, he lived in Garafraxa, near Donaldson's Corners, and leaves a wife and six small children.

THE CROPS OF ONTARIO.

The July report of the Bureau of Industries gives a summary of the condition of grain, hay, and fruit crops in Ontario, together with statistics of acreage of grain crops and estimates of produce, and of the year's clip of fine and coarse wools.

The condition of the crops is compiled from the reports of five hundred correspondents, made on the first of July, and covering nearly every township in the Province. The statistics of acreage and of estimates of produce were collected with the assistance of Public and Separate Schooll Teachers on the 31st of May,—schedules having been distributed to farmers through the schools, and, when filled and tabulated, returned to the Bureau. It is not claimed that the figures are strictly accurate, but it is believed that if they err at all it is not on the side of excess. The estimates of produce are, of course, good only for the time at which they were made by farmers; they are too great or too small in the proportion that the crops have since been modified by conditions. It is intended to verify them when the threshing season begins.

It will be noticed in the summary of acreages given below that the area under fall wheat is nearly double the area under spring wheat. This is a great relative change since 1870, when the crops were of nearly equal area. In that year the total area under wheat was 1,365,872 acres, and the product 14,233,389 bushels. This year the total area is 1,763,876 acres, and the estimated produce 30,783,685 bushels. The increase and the change have taken place chiefly in the West Midland, Georgian Bay and Lake Huron counties.

The fall wheat is reported very good throughout the western half of the Province. It has recovered admirably from the effects of spring frosts, and if the weather continues favourable until the harvesting, the yield will be better than an average.

Oats promises to be an excellent crop in all sections of the Province, barley and peas fairly good. The heavy rains of May and June, while favourable to the former grain, were somewhat injurious to the latter; but the warm days of the last two weeks of June caused all crops to thrive wonderfully. It is a season of slow maturity for cereals, and harvest time will be fully two weeks later than usual. Corn seems destined to be a failure; the temperature has been too low for it.

The following table gives the returns of acreage and estimate of produce for the County of Grey.

Cereals.	County Grey. Acres in crop.	Estmtd. produce. Bshls
Fl Wheat	... 42750	866443
Sg. do.	... 52835	820818
Barley	... 75183	565392
Oats	... 68996	1746883
Rye	... 265	4156
Peas	... 38747	748653
Corn	... 570	
Wool	Flcs.	Lbs.
Coarse wool	... 46720	248914
Fine wool	... 9143	49393

The August report of the Bureau will give statistics of the live stock of the country.

A child died at Hamilton on Saturday through an overdose of paregoric, carelessly administered by the nurse. The coroner condemned the use of paregoric without medical advice. Also the use of feeding bottles, especially those with long rubber tubes, in which poisonous acids form which cannot be removed.

HIS LAST SLEEP.

A YOUNG MAN ON HIS WEDDING TOUR COMMITS SUICIDE.

Lemuel Besaw, of Uxbridge, took laudanum while in Toronto on Saturday, and expired a few hours afterwards. Deceased had only been married ten days and was in Toronto in search of employment. In the afternoon he went into the yard back of the house, and returning, complained of being sick, and went to bed where he ate his dinner. In a few minutes he grew very sick. He afterwards fell into a heavy sleep, snoring loudly, and making a gurgling noise in his throat. His wife and her sister became alarmed, and sent for a neighbour. Drs. Ball and Oldright were called in, but the man was beyond human aid. An empty bottle which had contained laudanum was found in one of his pockets and it is supposed that he took the fatal dose while in the yard in the afternoon.

HANLAN'S CHALLENGE.

Turf, Field, and Farm thus discusses Hanlan's recent challenge:—"This card of Hanlan's is certainly a startling one. Less than a month ago the champion was in training for an event which was likely to prove the most important race in his career. At a moment when every item of news regarding his training was swallowed with avidity on both sides of the ocean it was given out that he was suddenly prostrated by sickness and would have to forego training and the anticipated race with Wallace Ross. Now comes Hanlan's sweeping challenge to the world. What Ross will do with it we do not know; but he is likely to be provoked at Hanlan's way of doing business. If Hanlan is as desirous of rowing Ross as Ross professes to be of rowing Hanlan, why did not they agree to put off the proposed race untill the champion had completely recovered his health, which, by the way he has recovered in a remarkably short time, in view of the fact that his eminent physicians declared he would be unable to train and row again for a long time?"

Ross is awfully annoyed at Hanlan's challenge, and offers to row Hanlan on any suitable water between Toronto and New York. Hanlan says I will row him the single race for $5,000 if he pleases, for four or five miles, but not this year. I wish it plainly understood that I will not row this year. I do not want to enter upon a contest at a day's notice, and, as I have already stated, I have other and stronger reasons for refusing to do so.

MAXWELL.

St. Mary's church is receiving a coat of paint which will greatly improve its outside appearance.

Several Maxwell people went over to Markdale to the English church picnic.

Last Sunday week was the day on which the Rev. J. Ward closed his 4th year of office in this section. He came to a church which had long been deserted and neglected. Now the church is making great headway, and will doubtless continue to do so for Mr Ward's heart is in the work. The mission was never in a more thriving condition.

On the 3rd inst, a pleasant little affair came off at the Methodist Parsonage, where members and friends of the Can. Meth. Church met to read and present an address to their pastor, the Rev. Mr. Snowden, together with a purse containing nearly $30; and to Mrs Snowden, some fine china and glassware, on the occasion of their departure for a fresh field of labour.

Last Thursday week (6th) was duly honoured at Maxwell by the congregation of St. Mary's church as the day of their annual picnic. Perhaps there are few gatherings which tend to encourage harmonious and friendly feelings, and strengthen amicable sympathies to a greater extent than do these picnics. Everybody feels at home with everybody else, a free and-easy spirit pervades the crowd, and all are joyous. The Maxwell people know how to manage a picnic, and the people of the district were fully alive to this fact; hence about 150 persons assembled to enjoy the day in a bush which has the appearance of having been laid out by nature for the special benefit of picnic parties. At noon about 20 from Markdale put in an appearance, and from that time all went as merry as a marriage bell. The usual round of games, swings, &c., were indulged in, also considerable singing, principally by some of the members of the choir of Christ Church Markdale. The arrangements for tea were on a par with the rest, and the whole affair—a pleasant re-union—ended very successfully at eight o'clock.

The above social gathering was held on St. John's Prairie, nearly a mile off.

TREMENDOUS SALES.

The druggists of this city are doing a big business now in the sale of St. Jacobs Oil. One Druggist on whom we called on Saturday afternoon, stated that although his sales were large at first, they have doubled lately.

Another said that so popular has the Oil become that he could hardly keep the supply up. Not one to whom we have spoken but gave it a high recommendation and said that it must be affecting scores of cures, or there would not be such a demand for it.

The people have got the St. Jacobs Oil fever bad and no mistake, and confidence in its curing qualities is still growing stronger. Of course, this would not be so, unless the remedy was fully meeting its every promise.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Allan McDougall returned home from Winnipeg on Monday.

Mr. John Shields and Mr. Matthew Irving, of Manitowaning, arrived on Saturday.

Mr. Irving has sold his store and business to Wm. McLeod, son of Mr. Joseph McLeod of Artemesia.

Mr. Lucas, banker, left here on Tuesday for his summer holidays.

Louis N. Thibaudeau, eldest son of J. B. Thibaudeau, is home spending his vacation. He has been teaching near Bruce Mines and has made rapid intellectual advancement.

Mum socials are becoming popular in country districts. The victims gather in the church basement, and it is agreed that any person who speaks shall be find from ten to twenty-five cents, the fines to be devoted to the organ fund, the library fund, or the bilding fund, as the case may be. The success of the entertainment is determined by the numerical strength of the ladies who attend. No lady has yet escaped the penalty for speaking.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to 6 25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to 1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.14	to 1.15
Barley	.65	" 0.00
Oats	0.38	" 0.38
Peas	0.74	" 0.75
Potatoes.	0.75	" 0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	" 0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	" 0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00	" 0.00
Beef	0.00	" 0.00
Hides	7.25	" 7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	" 3.00
Hay	12.00	" 14.00
Wool	0.20	" 0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel..	0.75	" 1.00
Lard	0.10	" 0.12
Tallow	0.05	" 0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	" 2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to $1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to 1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to .65
Peas " 1	.72	to .73
Oats " 1	.40	to .40
Butter " 1	.16	to .16
Eggs	.to	.15
Potatoes "	75	to 75
Pork "	0.00	to 0.00
Hay "	7.00	to 10.0.

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to 6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to 1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	" 1.15
Barley	0.64	" 0.65
Oats	0.40	" 0.40
Peas	0.74	" 0.75
Potatoes	0.75	" 0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	" 0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	" 0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	" 0.00
Beef	0 00	" 0.00
Hides	7.25	" 7.50
Hay	12.0	" 14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	" 3.00
Wool	0.22	" 0.00
Lard	0.10	" 0.12
Tallow	0.05	" 0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 24	to $1 25
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to 1 35
Barley, do.	0 62	to 0 65
Oats, do.	0 48	to 0 50
Peas, do.	0 82	to 0 85
Rye, do.	0 70	to 0 75
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to 4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs...		
Beef, hind quarters	11 00	to 12 00
Beef, fore quarters	9 00	to 10 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to 0 00
Butter, tub dairy	14	to 0 17
Butter, store-packed	00	to 0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 17	to 0 17
Eggs, packed	0 00	to 0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50	to 4 00
Potatoes. per bag	1 50	to 1 50
Hay	10 50	to 14 00
Wool	00 19	to 00 20

Voters' List, 1882

MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWNSHIP OF GLENELG, IN THE COUNTY OF GREY.

Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the 3rd and 4th sections of "THE VOTERS LIST ACT," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to said Act of all persons appearing by the last revised Assessment Roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal elections; and that said list was first posted up at my office at Durham on the 14th day of July, 1882, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said list, and, if any omissions or any other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

JAMES BROWN,
Clerk of the said Municipality.
Dated this seventeenth day of July, 1882.

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

Church Directory.

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N. A. McDIARMID, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sabbath 10.30, 7 Sabbath School 2.30. Bible class Friday evg. 7.30. Flesherton Town Hall, Sabbath 2.30 Sabbath School 1.
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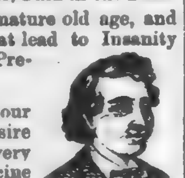

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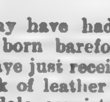

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Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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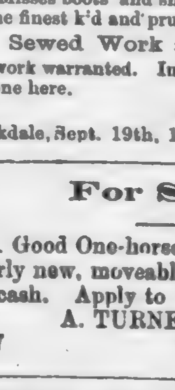

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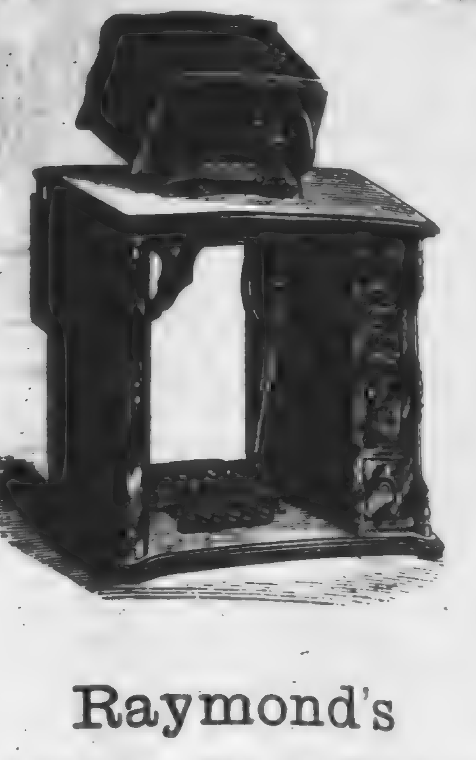

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[The] Canadians scored a great suc[cess] at Wimbledon on Saturday, when [Lieu]tenant Mitchell, of the 32nd Bat[talio]n, won the Prince of Wales' Prize [of £]100. Three other members of the [team] won prizes in the same com[petit]ion. In other contests members [of th]e team also won prizes.

[Mi]ss Scoville denies having put ar[senic i]n the bouquet sent to Guiteau. [She] says she did not want him to es[cape] the gallows, and that he would [not] have taken poison even if he [...].

[G]eneral Loring constructed nearly [all t]he important defences of Alexan[dria]. He also commanded the disas[trou]s expedition against Abyssinia, [and h]is hand is visible in the military [orga]nization as it exists in Egypt to[day].

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Dundalk.

The rains of the past few days has given an increased growth to the crops; which have, in general, a pleasing appearance.

It is a fact that Kendall's Spavin cure is all it claims to be. [See] Advertisement.

Mr. Wm. Nelson, of Dundalk, who has been a resident here for several years past, left Dundalk on Monday for the North-west, where he intends to speculate extensively. May success attend him.

The Dundalk drainage survey is not yet complete. Mr Traynor, who took the contract may have to come back from the North-west to urge completion. The work was commenced early in the season in the hope of having the drainage completed this fall, but our hope now is that the survey may be completed.

Mr Ketchum is now turning out his first instalment of leather from the tannery. It appears to be good in quality We trust that it may prove remunerative to the energetic and enterprising proprietor.

THE DUNDALK BAND.

Pursuant to announcement, a meeting was held at Victoria hall on Friday evening, 14th inst., to carry into effect the organization of a band in this village.

James Deans was called to the chair and James Lamon, Esq., appointed secretary. The village was well represented, and every one present favored the establishment of the band. The following gentlemen made valuable suggestions as to the *personel* of the band itself and its future management: W. J. Hicks, J. Ketchum, G. R. Middleton, William Nelson, and Fred Nixon.

By resolution of the meeting, W. J. Hicks, Walter Rundle, and Frederick Nixon were appointed a committee of organization to control the executive affairs of the band and act in concert with the teacher, from time to time, as may be most conducive to all the interests concerned.

Dr. McWilliam, W. S. Hewetson and James Deans were constituted trustees, with power to appoint a treasurer to hold funds collected, as also to purchase a proper set of instruments when the amount collected by the committee shall be sufficient to warrant them in so doing, such instruments to be deeded to said trustees in trust for the band.

The citizens of the village have already responded so liberally to the call of the committee of organization as to give an aggregate of nearly two hundred dollars on the subscription list, and the amount requisite to purchase instruments being only $250. It is evident that the proposed teacher, Mr. Ketchum, will soon be enabled to enter upon his duties.

The new town of Dundalk is keeping pace with the progressive spirit of the surrounding country. Good buildings are in course of construction, and good roads and sidewalks add to the utility and comfort of the place. Give to these essential matters of business and every day life, the harmonizing influence of a good brass band and the resident of Dundalk can claim to himself a share of the elements of civilization equal to what obtains in the more populous towns.

Dixfield, Maine, Oct. 20, 1880.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co.—Gents:—Please find enclosed 25 cents for revised edition of your horse book. I have tried your Kendall's Spavin Cure for curb, and it has done all you claim for it. By using one-half bottle it entirely cured the lameness and removed the bunch. Yours truly,

FRANK STANLEY.

A number of Shelburn citizens were find the other day for allowing cattle to run at large. During the past few days the cow by-law has been rigidly enforced, to the manifest advantage of that village.

OWEN SOUND AND THE MAYORALTY.

At the last meeting of Owen Sound Town Council, Mayor Barnhart tendered his resignation, which the Council accepted. The cause that induced the Dr. to retire from the Mayoralty have not been as yet communicated to the public, but it is generally believed to owing to disagreement with the council relative to their action in connection with the Government works going on in the harbour here.

The nomination to fill the civic chair took place on Tuesday, and resulted in the election of Mr. Creasor, barrister, of Owen Sound and Markdale, by acclimation.

HOLLAND CENTRE.

Council met at Vogan's hall on July 10th, 1882. Deputy-reeve in the chair. Members all present except the reeve.

A letter was read from Mr. Wm. Howey asking for a further leave of absence for three months in the meadows of Manitoba.

John McNabb was allowed $6 for surveying deviation at T. Anderson's, con. 2, lot 56, W. T. & S. road.

John Dudgeon was paid for gravel.

John McDonald was appointed to act as arbitrator between Sydenham and Holland Union School Sections in case his services should be required.

S. Orson received an order for $5 for extra work done on road job.

Ten dollars to be expended on 3rd con. between 50 sideroad and 15 and 19 sideroad.

Ten dollars was granted to repair road opposite John Hamilton's.

Fifteen dollars to be expended on con 3 opposite lots 76 and 77 east.

Ten dollars to be expended on hill opposite John Murphy's.

Two dollars and fifty cents to be given to John Waters for road work performed; this amount to be deducted from $6 granted to Dr. Kennedy.

Mr. Grant received an order for road job performed under inspection

Three dollars to be expended in removing rock on 60 side road near Crofford's.

Ten dollars to be granted to cut hill on 6th line, continuance of 60 sideroad west.

Council adjourned until Sept. 20th.

Money order were granted to the amount of $508,70 and were issued by the clerk.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

WILLIAMSFORD.

Haying is the order of the day.

All kinds of crops look well.

P. Burns' men are clearing all the wood out of the station yard.

James L. Patterson has purchased the blacksmith shop and business from Mr. Crowther and is doing well.

W. Williamson is in the carriage business and is working up quite a trade.

John Ganley, shoemaker, is giving up business owing to ill health.

E. M. Galbraith is making numerous sales of farm property, and is holding auction sales. He is also agent for the Royal Fire Insurance company of England.

Mr. Shunn is preparing to move his steam saw mill to Williamsford this fall.

C. Price has his store as tasty and well kept as usual, and is doing a good business.

M. Steele is also doing a nice business in general merchandise.

E. Morris, tailor, makes a perfect fit.

The new C. M. minister has arrived.

Mr. Vogan still caters to the wants of the public in the hotel business.

Mr. Pereira is making preparations to open in the furniture business and will manufacture. He is a good carriage painter.

MEAFORD ROAD.

Dry weather.

Roads dusty.

Rain wanted.

Farmers busy at their hay; crops good.

Spring crops are looking well and prospects good.

Road work is over and the proverbial yarns have been spun once more.

Our councillor, Mr. Arch. Elliott, was here a few days ago letting road jobs. Mr. J. Blain was the successful competitor for them.

Mr. R. Warling's barn raising came off on Tuesday last. Mr. C. Gilbert and Mr. J. Corey were the captains. Mr. Gilbert and his men were the victors. The building when completed will be a credit to the neighborhood. It is 60x45 feet with stone stable underneath.

Another of Mr. Thos. Gilbert's daughters has joined the matrimonial army; success to her colors.

EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A council meeting was held on July 7th, 1882. Members all present.

Minutes of last session of council read and confirmed.

Mr. Erskine was instructed to get crossway repaired on 15 and 16 sideline, con. 8.

The road crossing lot 11, con. 1, is to be improved.

The deputy-reeve was appointed to examine 12 and 13 sideroad, con. 8, and act as he may deem prudent.

The reeve was instructed to confer with the council of Artemesia relative to the improvement of the town line at the 4th concession of this township.

The reeve was authorized to get the 7th line at Mr. Arthur's mill pond put in a proper state of repair for travel forthwith.

Mr. Erskine was authorized to expend $25 on the townline of Holland and this township, being balance of equivalent granted for this purpose.

The deputy-reeve, Mr. Erskine, and the clerk were appointed a committee to settle with Mr. Jordan, collector for the easterly five concessions.

Mr. Gilray was instructed to get repairs made on 18 and 19 sideline at the gully in con. 4.

The following accounts were passed and ordered to be paid: C. W. Rutledge, printing, $39.50; Aaron Teeter, $20, for work on 3rd line; Daniel Wilson, $1, making ditch on 4th line; John Anderson, $70, work on 7th line; John Clugston, $10, gravel used on road; Charles Devitt, $34.89, labor on 15 and 16 sideline; Robt. Garbutt, $7.50, plank for bridge; Thos. Reid, $5, labor on 18 and 19 sideline; John Kerr, $20, part payment for job on 21 and 22 sideroad; Thos. Jordan, $14, labour an 18 and 19 sideline; James G. Perry, $1, powder used in removing stone from the road in his division; Robert Dunlop, $30, part salary as clerk for current year; Robt. Dunlop, $4, to pay for notifying for court of revision; Thomas Jordan, $45, salary as collector for 1881; David R. Ellis, $150, to be paid by him as an equivalent granted by this council to subscription for improvement of sideroad 6 and 7, in the 5th and 6th concessions of this township, said amount to be paid on production of pay sheet by overseers of labour on said road.

The council adjourned until August 4th.

ROBERT DUNLOP, Clerk.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL MINUTES

Several of our subscribers in Artemesia have been enquiring of us as to the minutes of their council. Through somebody's negligence no copy is sent to us of the minutes of Artemesia council, as are the proceedings of all the other councils in the district. It is a very long time since we were favored with the minutes until lastweek, when just as we were going to press we received a reprint copy of the minutes of the meeting held on the 1st of June, (nearly 50 days in reaching us from the place of meeting), and our copy stated the meeting took place at Feversham, a contemporary has it Fleshersham, We would like to receive these minutes as soon after the date of meeting as possible.

On Thursday last, Mrs Wilson, of Deep Cove, being slightly indisposed passed into a deep sleep. Efforts were made to rouse her, but up to noon yesterday she remained in a comatose condition. Great excitement prevails.

The average postal clerk is in a bad way mentally. The tyrannical Government has ordered that he shall no longer obliterate beyond the possibility of decipherment, the matter written on a postal card. The clerk, must in future, stamp the card on the address side only.

An elder, while baptizing converts at a revival, advanced with a wiry, sharp-eyed old chap into the water. He asked whether there was any reason why the ordinance should not be administered. After a pause, a tall, powerful man said, "Elder, I do not want to interfere with your business, but this is an old sinner you've got hold of, and one dip won't do him a bit of good. If you want to get the sins out of him, you'll have to anchor him out in the deep water for three weeks."

Another victim has fallen to the idiotic practice of duelling. A young man named Garland informed a young Pennsylvanian lady that her betrothed, Addison, was only flirting with her. Addison heard of this base calumny by his rival, and demanded gore. They met on Saturday and, if the code is correct, Garland proved his statement by murdering his rival at 6 feet distance, each firing five shots.

A man named Kearns nearly scalped his mother-in-law on Thursday at Montreal with a smoothing-iron, in consideration of her having perpetually ruffled his temper. Fined $25. This should act as a warning to mothers-in-law.

Henry Clark, is in Camden lunatic asylum, and has fasted for 41 days for the purpose of curing his insanity. He formed the determination to fast during a lucid interval. Will be cured next month.

Rev. Geo. C. Milne, who was requested to resign his past rate in Chicago on account of agnosticism is going on the stage, and will open at the Grand Opera house, Brooklyn, playing Hamlet.

WILL YOU EXCHANGE a case of Dyspepsia or Billiousness for 75 cents? It is awfully unwise to agonize under the many ailments arising from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Disordered Stomach and Liver, when this offer is made to you in your own home in all sincerity, with an absolute certainty of curing you.

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BIRTHS.

McARTHUR.—In Markdale, on the 16th inst, the wife of Mr P. McArthur, carpenter, of a son.

DIED.

McEACHREN.—In Glenelg, on the 14th inst Eachren McEachren, aged 98 years.

RUSSEL.—In Melancthon, on the 7th inst, of Pleurisy, Mr James Russell, aged 71 years.

WILLIAMSON.—In Melancthon, on the 8th instant, Mr Thomas Williamson aged 75 yrs.

WILLIAMSON.—On the 13th, Mrs Williamson, aged 74 yrs

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Any information which will lead to her recovery will be thankfully received at this office, and the informant suitably rewarded.

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Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the period during which the Membership Fee to GLENELG AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY for 1882, is ONE DOLLAR will expire on the 26th day of this month; after that date the fee will be TWO DOLLARS.

A. TURNER,

Markdale, July 4, 1882. Sec-Trsr.

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Application will be made to the Surrogate Court, of the County of Grey, before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House in the Town of Owen Sound, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, on behalf of Eliza Brown, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, widow and executrix of said deceased and mother of his infant children hereinafter named; and on behalf of William Brown, of the village of Markdale, and Hugh McKee, of the Township of Glenelg, Executors of said deceased, for an Order, appointing the said Eliza Brown, William Brown and Hugh McKee, or some one of them, the guardians or guardian of James Austin Brown, Frederick William Brown, Isabella Brown and Robert Brown, infant children of the said Robert Brown, deceased.

Dated, at Owen Sound, this twenty-eighth day of June, A. D., 1882.

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MOFFAT BROS.

Markdale, Nov. 1881 63-1y

NOTICE

IS hereby given that in the course of a few days the Collectors will be in Markdale to collect the subscriptions promised for the improvement of 6 and 7 side road, near Kimberley. The Township Council, of Euphrasia, has granted an equivalent amount to that subscribed; and the work is to be proceeded with at once.

THE COLLECTORS.

NOTICE.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned as General Merchants, in the Village of Markdale, under the style or firm of Butter & Rae, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

All parties indebted to said firm will pay the same to Wm. Lucas & Co., Bankers, Markdale, at once, and save further trouble.

Dated at Markdale this 12th day of July, A. D. 1882.

A. BUTTER
R. S. RAE.

Witness), R. C. BRYDEN. 93-3t

Christ Church, Markdale.

PROMENADE

CONCERT

AND

Garden Party

Thursday, J'ly 27

At Mr. Geo. Walker's Lot, opposite Dr. Sproule's new house.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Christ Church, Markdale have arranged to hold their Concert and Garden Party as above.

The Garden Party will commence at 6.30, Concert at 7-30. The Grounds will be brightly illuminated with Lamps, Chinese Lanterns, &c.

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The man who does not advertise sells but little, and therefore has to sell dear.

There would be little or no sickness during the hot months of July and August if every one would take Dr Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, as they prevent and cure all derangements of the stomach and bowels Sold in large bottles at 50 cents by all druggists. Turner, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

The Toronto harbour revenue shews great falling off, and the tonnage is 80,000 tons less than last year.

If mothers and nurses would cease giving opiates in the guise of Paregoric, and Cordials, and for children teething and subject to bowel complaints give instead Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the lives of many infants might be saved that are sacrificed to deadly drugs.

Now is the time to slaughter Canadian thistles. Pathmasters should [illegible]

[illegible] writes:— [illegible]

Among the [illegible]

The traffic returns of the T. G. & B. for week ending June 8 were $8167 being $3228 over the corresponding week of 1881.

Those afflicted with weak lungs, sluggish liver, or derangement of the kidneys, should [illegible] a package of Dr Carson's [illegible] and Liver Compound. [illegible] package makes [illegible] It is a valuable collection of roots, herbs, and barks, and its results are wonderful. For sale by all druggists. Turner, agent, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

The Derbyshire tenants of the duke of Devonshire intend placing a window in Edensor church in memory of Lord Fred. Cavendish, Ireland assassinated secretary.

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Is rather an indefinite term, as commonly understood it consists of a torpid sluggish state of the liver, a deficiency or a superabundance of bile, or an alteration from its proper character. All disturbed action of the liver and biliary organs giving rise to pain in the side, or under the shoulder blade, headache, weariness, dizziness, sick stomach, loss of appetite, bad bowels &c. are promptly cured by Burdock Blood Bitters.

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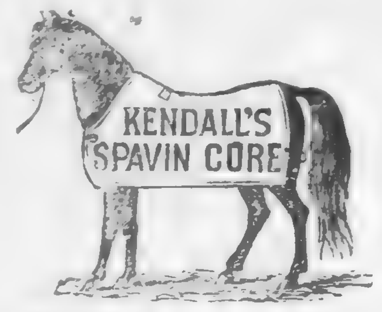

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[illegible] & Co., Gents:—This is [illegible] I have used Kendall's Spavin [illegible] have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; [illegible] using the above: Callous [illegible] Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can [illegible] testify and recommend it to be the best [illegible] for any bony substance I have [illegible] and have tried many as I have [illegible] for years.

[illegible] yours,

P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

[illegible]town, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I had a [illegible] colt that I prized [illegible] bone spavin on [illegible] the other which [illegible] under the [illegible] which fail [illegible] day reading the [illegible] Spavin Cure in [illegible] I determined at once [illegible] druggist here to send [illegible]; I took them [illegible] it a thorough [illegible] and the [illegible] to be lame and [illegible] I used but one [illegible] as free from [illegible] as any horse in the [illegible] entirely cured. The cure was [illegible] two of my neighbors [illegible] who are now [illegible]

L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

[illegible], Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

[illegible] Gents:—This is [illegible] Kendall's Spavin [illegible] Williams, druggist, [illegible] without hesitation [illegible] to be an invaluable remedy for [illegible] or Curbs. I [illegible] of several years [illegible] removed, and I [illegible] any Spavin, [illegible] used. I have [illegible] it, who have [illegible] I gladly make [illegible] any questions or [illegible]

GEORGE BRYCE.

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[illegible], Feb. 15, 1881.

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Yours truly,

T. P. LAWRENCE.

St. John, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

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THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 13m

Robt. S. Rae,

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SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

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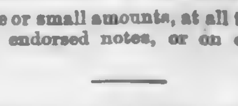

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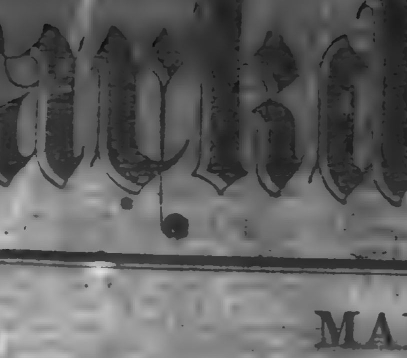

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To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

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Good work,

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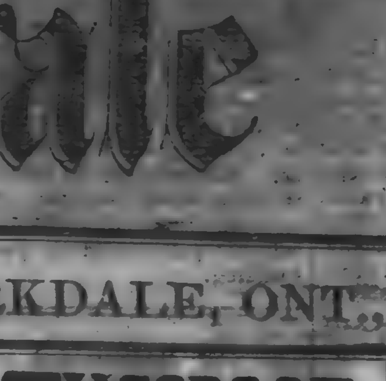

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There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

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Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

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KAY & THOMAS.

Satisfaction Guaranteed. Medicated Cork Soles, all sizes, kept on hand. Remember the place opposite the new STANDARD Office. 49

The Poet's Corner

THE MOON.

Behold the moon, the silver moon,
  The empress of the night,
That sheds a radiance o'er the earth
  And fills me with delight.

When the sun has done its mission,
  And is hidden from our view,
Then the moon, like an orbed lamp,
  Comes up in the azure blue;

And glitters on the bosom
  Of the briny ocean wave,
To guide the weary mariner,
  Whilst winds and waters rave.

She cheers the faithful shepherd
  While with his fleecy charge;
And monthly round the earth she goes
  Although so very large.

She lights extensive cities,
  And gleams upon their towers;
And makes all things like dreamland
  Down in yon sylvan bowers.

She shines the same upon the mount
  With its grand and lofty domes,
As on the humble village
  With its free and happy homes.

Yes, this serenest moon,
  She looks as calmly down
Upon the bloody battle field
  As on the victor's crown.

When the Frost King has adorned
  The stately wood with gems,
Then the moon's reflecting rays,
  A charming beauty lends:

Till my heart is filled with rapture
  With the delightful scene,
That looks like some gay fairyland,
  Or some mysterious dream.

She adds a graceful beauty
  To the icebergs chilly height;
And cheers the lonely Esquimaux
  In the dreary winter night.

She brings up faded memories
  To me when I'm alone;
Of ties that have been broken
  With friends I've met at home.

I often think and wonder
  What sights she must have seen;
Of joyful, happy meetings,
  And partings too, I ween.

Of lovers, who walked and wooed
  In the balmy eves of June,
By the placid river side,
  In the mystic light of the moon.

I hope we'll all a lesson learn
  From the moon's benignant face,
To cheerfully do in life our part,
  And fill each one his place.

R. W.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

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CHAPTER XXI.

THE LENGTH OF HIS TETHER.

That fateful July night, destined to be marked for ever in the calendars of Lady Dangerfield and Captain Redmond O'Donnell was fated likewise to be marked with a red cross in that of Sir Arthur Tregenna.

'Sir Arthur Tregenna has run the length of his tether,' Lord Ruysland had calmly said to himself; 'it is high time to pull him short up.'

For Lord Ruysland to decree was to act. This very night Sir Arthur should receive his 'short up.'

'What is this about a letter from Cornwall and your departure to-morrow, Sir Arthur? I heard you telling Lady Dangerfield at dinner, but did not quite catch your drift. Business I suppose.'

Business, yes—business too long deferred. Penwalder wrote me a week ago,urging me to return. There's fever among my people, mining accidents and much distress. It is greatly to my discredit that I have neglected my duty so long.'

'Humph! then you positively leave us to-morrow?'

'I positively leave to-morrow. I wish I had gone last week.'

'So do I,' Lord Ruysland spoke gravely, and with unwonted energy; 'so do I, with all my soul. For the last week Scarswood has been no place for you.'

'My Lord!'

'It is high time for me to speak—a false delicacy has restrained me too long. I would indeed prove unworthy the dying trust of my dearest and truest, my best friend, your dead father, if I held my peace longer. To-night I will speak, be the consequences what they may—to-night I will do my duty, however distasteful that duty may be. Long before you return to this house, if return you are mad enough to do, I and Cecil would have gone, and it is neither my wish nor my intention that we three shall ever meet again. My daughter's health demands change—she is falling into low spirits—I will take her to Scotland to the Countess of Strathearn's for the winter. I merely mention this that you may make your farewells to her finally when you part to-morrow.'

A flush rose up over the blonde face of the Cornishman, a deep permanent flush; his lips compressed, his eyes did not leave the table

'I see I do not take you by surprise,' his lordship coldly went on; I see you are prepared for what I would say. 'How bitterly I have been disappointed in you—of all I had expected from your father's son—of—I may say it now on the eve of parting for ever—of the plans I had formed—of the hopes I had cherrished—it would be idle to speak to-night. Hopes and plans are at an end—your father's dying wish binds me no longer, since you have been the first to disregard it. But still for your father's sake, I will speak.

You have deliberately chosen to become infatuated with a woman of whom you know nothing, except that she is your inferior in station—deliberately chosen to throw us all over, and fall in love with a designing adventuress.'

That deep, angry red still burned on the baronet's face, his lips were still resolutely compressed, his eyes still fixed upon the table. At the last words, however, he suddenly looked up.

'Designing adventuress!' he repeated, slowly. 'You use strong words,Lord Ruysland. Of course you do not make such a statement on mere suspicion.'

'I do not. I condemn no one on mere suspicion.

He took from his pocket-book a little packet of papers, and spread two of them out on the table.

Be kind enough to glance over these, Sir Arthur. They are the testimonials of character, and the references given by Miss Herncastle in London to Lady Dangerfield.'

Still dead silent, the young Cornishman took them. The testimonials were carefully worded, the references were to a Mrs Lawton of Wilton Crescent, and a Jonas Woodwidge, Esquire, of St. John's Wood. He read and pushed them back.

'Well,' he said in a compressed voice.

'Read this also.' The Earl pushed another letter across to him. 'I wrote that, as you see, to my solicitor, asking him to call upon Mrs. Lawton. You have read it. Now read this answer.'

He pushed a third letter across. For the third the baronet read:

'LINCOLN'S INN, LONDON, July 29th.

'MY LORD:—In compliance with your demand. I called at Wilton Crescent at the number given. No Mrs. Lawton lived there. I next called at St. John's Wood; a Mr. Jonas Woodwidge had resided their about a year ago, but has emigrated with his whole family to Australia. This is all the information I have been able to obtain.

'I am, my lord, etc.'

Sir Arthur laid down the letter. The flush had faded from his face, leaving him very pale.

'It is plain to be seen by any one not wilfully blind, that the references are forged, by Miss Herncastle, of course, for her own ends.

I tell you the simple truth—tomorrow I shall tell it to all the house—to-morrow Miss Herncastle quits Scarswood, and for ever. To-night I warn you, Arthur, my lad—my son almost. Pause while it is yet time—give up this, designing woman, and for ever. Do not bring disgrace on your dead father—on your honoured name—and lifelong misery on yourself. Go to Cornwall—go abroad—do anything only see Miss Herncastle no more.'

The earl's voice broke—grew actually husky in the intensity of his emotion—in the perfection of his acting. And still Sir Arthur sat like a stone.

He rose and grasped the young man's hand. Sir Arthur rose too—quite white now, and looked him full in the face.

'One moment, my lord—then good-bye if you will. All you have said I have deserved—no one can feel how I have fallen from honour and manhood more than I. Whether it is still too late to repair my great fault must rest with you. What I have returned to England for—what I came to Scarswood for—you must surely know. It was to see and know Lady Cecil Clive, and if she could so far honour me, make her my wife.'

The hound that battered old organ, the earl's heart, gave at the words! he was saved! But his immovable face remained as immovable as ever.

'You are but mortal, Arthur, and Miss Herncastle is a most attractive woman. Without possessing a single claim to beauty, she is a woman to fascinate men, where the perfect face of a goddess might fail. She is a Circe, whose power all must feel. It is not too late, I hope, I trust; and yet Cecil is very proud. If she can forgive and accept you, I can with all my heart. I shall not say good bye, then, but good night and au revoir.'

He then left before Sir Arthur could speak—left him alone in the brightly lit empty drawing room. He stood ir-resolute, then turned and followed the earl from the room. Now was the time—now or never; let him hear his fate at once. Something lay like a stone in his breast—the dark, beguiling face, the soft flute voice of Helen Herncastle was before his eyes, in his ears. Of all the women on earth she was the one woman he would have chosen for his wife, and Destiny had written that he must never look on her face again.

In passing the length of the drawing room to the door, he had to go by the tiny boudoir, where on the evening of the theatricals, he had followed Lady Cecil. The curtains were only partly drawn, and seated within, her hands folded listlessly in her lap, her eyes fixed on the dim starlight, he saw once more, as on that evening, the earl's daughter. As on that evening, he swept back the curtain, and stood, tall and dark, by her side.

Her half-uttered exclamation died away. Before she could speak one word he was saying what he had come to say—hurriedly, incoherently—his face all set and stern, looking as unlike a lover as can well be conceived.

He was unworthy of her—infinitely unworthy; he esteemed and admired her with all his heart; it had been his dying father's wish—he had her father's consent. Would Lady Cecil Clive do him the honor to become his wife?

She looked up at the last words, flushing red in the darkness.

'My father's consent,' she repeated slowly. 'Sir Arthur, tell me the truth. My father has been talking to you to-night! He has—oh! how shall I say it—he has ordered you to follow me here and say this?'

'On my sacred honor, no. I have been talking to your father—asking his permission to address you. I have said before I am unwerthy; if you refuse me, I shall feel I am receiving the punishment I richly merit. If you accept me, it will be the study of my life to make you happy.'

She must say yes—her whole future her father's depended upon it. She could not brave his anger—she could not live this life for ever—what would become of her if she refused?'

All at once Torryglen rose before her, and Redmond O'Donnell's face, bright, eager, loving. Yes, in those days he loved her. He had changed—she was no more to him than her cousin Ginevra, and while life lasted, she must love him. No time to shirk the truth now, she loved Redmond O'Donnell, and this man who stood beside her asking her to be his wife loved Helen Herncastle. What a miserable, travestied world it was; what wretched hypocrites and cheats they were!

'You do not answer,' Sir Arthur said. 'I have lost all hold on your respect and esteem, as I deserve. Lady Cecil, will you not speak at least, and let me hear my fate?'

'What is it you wish me to say?' she asked wearily, a touch of pain and impatience in her voice. 'You ask me to be your wife, Sir Arthur Tregenna—you are a man of truth and honor—you have lost neither my respect nor my esteem. Tell me truly—do you really wish me to say yes?'

'I really wish you to say yes. If you do not say it, then I leave England again in a month—for years—for life.'

She drew her breath hard—she spoke with a sort of gasp.'

'You will leave England! Then there is no one else you will marry if I—'

'There is no one else I will marry if you refuse—no one.'

He said it resolutely—a hard, metallic ring in his tone, his lips set almost to pain.'

'There is no one else I will marry—if you refuse me I leave England. Once more, Lady Cecil, will you be my wife?'

'I—will be—your wife.'

The words were spoken—her voice faltered—her face was steadily turned to the still moonlight. It was over. He took her hand and lifted it to his lips. How chill its touch, but scarcely so chill as the lips that touched it. Then was drawn away and she stood up.

'I leave here for Cornwall, as you know, to be absent two—almost three weeks. To-morrow, before I go, I shall speak to Lord Ruysland. Whatever I have been in the past—this much, Lady Cecil, you may believe of me—that you will ever be first in my thoughts from this hour—that I will make you happy if the devotion of a life can do it.'

'I believe you,' she held out her hand of her own accord now, 'and trust and honor you withmy whole heart. It is late, and I am tired. Good-night, Sir Arthur.'

'Good-night, Lady Cecil.'

She left him standing there and went up to her room. What it had all been—she half-smiled as she thought of it, love-making without a word of love, a proposal of marriage without a spark of affection between them. They were like two puppets in a Marionette comedy playing at being in love. But it was all over—her father was saved—she would make a brilliant marriage, after all. She had accepted him, and fulfil'ed her destiny. Her name was written in the Book of Fate—Lady Cecil Tregenna.

CHAPTER XXII.

AFTER THE MASQUERADE.

By the first train on the morning following the discovery in the churchyard, Mr. Joggins went back to London. By the same train, in a first-class compartment, Captain O'Donnell went up to London also.

His last doubt had been removed—the Katherine Dangerfield of the past the Miss Helen Herncastle of the present were one and the same. He knew as well as he ever knew after the whole truth—the whole strange story. It had not been death, that trance that held her, but one of those mystic torpors which minds and bodies have fallen into often before—a cataleptic trance, so closely resembling its twin sister, death, as to deceive Dr. Graves. But the eyes of love are not easily blinded; Henry Otis had guessed from the first, no doubt, what it was. Why he had not spoken—why he had let the matter go so far as to permit her to be buried, rather staggered the chasseur. Was it that he feared to find his opinion of her being still living ridiculed? or that by saving her from the horrible fate of being buried alive he wished to forge a claim upon her gratitude and love? One or the other hand it must have been—if the latter, he certainly had failed, or by this time she would have been his wife. And that same night—aided no doubt—he had reopened the grave and taken the same inanimate from its dreadful resting-place. He could see it all—the resurrectionist, the story trumped up for the servant next morning, the mysterious sick young lady—the brooding of that powerful mind—that strong intellect in the solitude of the lonely cottage. In that quiet, upper room, no doubt, the whole plan of the future had been laid—the whole plot of vengeance had been woven. Perhaps, too, the narrow boundary line that separates madness from reason had been crossed, and much thinking had made her mad.

Then had come her flight—her exile to America—her theatrical success. Her object in this had probably been to make money to carry out her plans and she had made it. She had returned—had worked her way into the family of Sir Peter Dangerfield—and for the past six weeks played her role of nursery governess. But where was her revenge? What had she accomplished beyond playing ghost, and frightening the little baronet nearly out of his senses? Was it worth while to risk so much to gain so little—or was it that some deeper, darker, deadlier plan of vengeance lay yet ahead? If so, then perhaps he was in time to frustrate it, and yet, in this moment there was more of admiration than any other feeling for Miss Herncastle uppermost in his mind. The bitter pathos of her own words came back with a feeling almost like remorse, 'With whom life had gone hard' indeed—who had been gifted with a great, generous, loving heart, such as is rarely given to woman, a heart that had been broken, a nature that had been brutally crushed until it had become warped and wicked as he found it now. One of these women formed of the stuff that makes the Charlotte Cordays, Joan of Arc, or Lucretia Borgia, as Fate will.

'Surely the saddest, strangest fate that ever befell woman has been hers,' he mused; 'ninety-nine out of a hundred would have sunk under it—died of a broken heart, a ruined life, or given up the battle years ago, and drifted into eternal obscurity. But Katherine Dangerfield is the hundredth who will fight to the bitter end. For Sir Peter it signifies little—he richly deserves all she is making him suffer, but Sir Arthur Tregenna and Lady Cecil Clive are quite another matter. There she must go no further. Otis may have influence over her. If she defies it, then Tregenna shall know all.

He entered a hansom on his arrival at the metropolis, and drove at once to the residence of Dr. Otis. A neat maid-servant answered the door.

'Was Mr. Otis at home?

'No, sir, not at home—won't be home until to-morrow—run down to the country for his 'elth. But if it's a patient—'

'It's not a patient—it's busines. You don't happen to know, I suppose, what part of the country your master has gone to?'

'No, sir—he often goes—the country he calls it—just that. But it's himportant business, missis, she's in, and will see you, I dare say. What name shall I say, sir?'

O'Donnell paused a moment. It would not do to send in his name, he thought.

'Just tell your mistress a gentleman desires to see her for five minutes—I won't detain her longer.'

The girl vanished—reappeared. 'Missis will see you. Walk this way, sir, please,' and the next moment he was ushered into the parlor and the presence of Mrs. Otis.

'You wanted to see me, sir.' The knitting was suspended for a moment, as she curiously and admiringly up at the tall figure and handsome face of the Chasseur d'Afrique. 'Pray come in and take a seat.'

'Thanks, madam. It was your son I desired to see, but in his absence I have no doubt it will do equally well to say what I have come to say to you. Mr. Otis is in the country, your servant tells me—that means the town of Castleford, in Sussex, does it not?'

The little old lady gave a gasp. He saw at once he had guessed at the truth.

'I see I am right,' he said quietly; 'I have come direct to-day from Castleford, in Sussex, myself. On the occasion of your son's last visit to that place, I believe I chanced to see him; I was in the cemetery; I saw him talking to a lady. The lady was Miss Helen Herncastle. Do you know her? Mrs. Otis?'

Again Mrs. Otis gave a sort of gasp; her pleasant, rosy, motherly face growing quite white.

'You know Miss Herncastle?' he said, 'and are interested in her welfare. Your son did her a great service once, and is her nearest and most confidential friend still. It is of Miss Herncastle that I have come to London to speak, knowing that you and Mr. Otis have her welfare at heart. She must leave Scarswood and at once, or else—or else, painful as my duty may be, Sir Peter Dangerfield shall know the truth.'

The knitting dropped on the floor—little Miss Otis rose to her feet pale and trembling.

'Who are you, sir?' she cried, 'who are you?'

'My name is Redmond O'Donnell.'

'I am very sorry to frighten and agitate you in this way, my dear Mrs. Otis,' he said, speaking very gently, 'and if Miss Herncastle will listen to reason, there is nothing really to be frightened about. But one thing or the other she must do—leave Scarswood or tell the truth.'

'The truth!'

'That she is Katherine Dangerfield—not lying in Castleford churchyard, but alive and in the flesh. You see I know all—all.'

She sat looking at him, pale, h..., less, speechless with fear and ama...

'That Katherine Dangerfield a... Helen Herncastle are one and the same, no one but myself knows or suspects. There is the grave, the tombstone with its false inscription to stagger them. I alone know—I know, Mrs. Otis.'

'I see I have distressed you, Mrs. Otis—alarmed you—and I regret having done so. There is no occasion for alarm, however. Miss Herncastle has only to drop her masquerade and come forward in her true character, and I am ready and willing to become her friend instead of her enemy. But I will not stand by and see this deception go on. I wish you good afternoon.'

He waited in town during the four ensuing days, and on the evening of the fifth he returned once more to Castleford.

He presented himself at Scarswood at once. He had not seen his sister for a week. It was close upon eight o'clock, and the silver gray of the summer evening was deepening into twilight as he walked up the avenue. The flutter of a white dress caught his eye amid the dark green depths of fern; a tall, slender—shape, with bright. hazel hair, was slowly pacing the terrace alone. It was Lady Cecil. A soft mass of rose pink cashmere, silk and down, wrapped her. She held a letter in her hand which she read as she walked. And even in that 'dim religious light' O'Donnell saw, or fancied, that the fair, pale face had grown paler and graver than he had ever yet seen it, in those past five days.

'Lady Cecil.'

He lifted his hat and stood before her. She had not heard him until he spoke. A faint, tremulous flush rose up over the sensitive face as she turned and gave him her hand.

'Captain O'Donnell! and just as we began to give you up for lost. I am glad you have come—I have been wishing for you unspeakably. Do you know that Rose is ill?'

'Something has happened—I don't know what, only that Miss Herncastle is at the bottom of that too. Your sister has worked herself into a fever, she has neither eaten nor slept, I believe, since you went away. Something is preying on her mind, something which Miss Herncastle alone knows. Oh, that dreadful Miss Herncastle! Why did she ever enter this house? Captain O'Donnell, we are in trouble, terrible trouble, and she is the cause of it all. Do you know that she is gone?'

'Gone!'

'Been dismissed—discharged—sent away in disgrace. It is the strangest thing—the most wickedly malicious; and whatever her object could have been puzzles all.'

'Lady Cecil, you puzzle me. What new enormity has Miss Herncastle been guilty of?'

'You do well to call it enormity. She has parted Sir Peter and his wife—for life, I greatly fear.'

I dare say people who go thro... life as you have gone, neither l... nor hating very greatly, can aff... be cynical, and hard, and col... have never suffered yourself red, I suppose—how are you stand or feel for your weak... mortals who do? But at lea... you will be able to descend tower of strength far enou... pathize with your sister. with her Captain O'Donnell as far as you understand the ... for she is in trouble. Don't be hard—your life is not all over—... may learn what it is to suffer before you die!'

She turned from him, and was gone—the graceful willowy figure, the flashing hazle eyes. The passion in her voice—what did it mean? He watched her—an inexplicable look on his face—a hard sort of smile on his lips.

'Even you may learn what it is to suffer before you die.' He repeated her words inwardly,as he took his way to his sister's room. 'Ah, Lady Cecil, you taught me that lesson thoroughly six years ago. I was a fool then—a fool now—and I fear the folly will go with me to my grave.' He tapped at his sister's door. 'It is I, Rose,' his familiar voice said. 'May I come in?'

He heard a stifled cry from within—a cry of terror it sounded, and his heart smote him. Poor little Rose! Had it come to this—had he been hard and unfeeling with her, and taught her to fear instead of love him? With the remorseful thought still in his mind, the door opened and she stood before him.

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GOING SOUTH.

Owen Sound, depart	5.10 a.m.	3 45 p.m.
Markdale	6.29 a.m.	5.02 p.m.
Flesherton & Priceville	6.43 a.m.	5.19 p.m.
Dundalk	7.08 a.m.	5.47 p.m.
Teeswater	5.15	[illegible]
Harriston	6.15	4.25
Mount Forest	6.37	4.55
Orangeville	8.27	7.15
Caledon Junction	9.08	7.52
Toronto, Union St'n	10.35 a.m.	9.40 p.m.

GOING NORTH.

Toronto, dep.	7.35 a.m.	4 35 p.m.
Caledon Junction	9 08 "	6.00 "
Orangeville	10.00 "	7.00 "
Mount Forest	12.18 "	8.50 "
Harriston	12.55 "	9.15 "
Teeswater	2.25 "	10.15 "
Dundalk	11.12 "	8 04 "
Flesherton & P'ville	11.30 "	8 30 "
Markdale	11.53 "	8 45 "
Owen Sound	1.15 "	9.55 "

THURSDAY, JULY 27

OUR GREAT LOSS BY FIRE.

Markdale has recently received some very great drawbacks at the hands of the incendiary. Perhaps some will say that it is like locking the door after the horse is stolen to recount what might have been done, and taking the necessary steps to prevent its repetition.

The elevator belonging to Messrs. Hill Bros. would not have fallen if water could have been thrown on the end of it. Had we possessed a night watchman, the evil of the loss of one building might possibly have been mitigated or even prevented.

It is perfectly useless for us to suffer vain regrets to get such a hold upon us as to prevent us taking practical steps to prevent a recurrence of such a dire calamity. It is not the first fire, but it certainly is the most disastrous that ever visited this section of country. Greater losses, it may be have occurred to individuals, but never before has the community suffered to so great an extent in this as through the loss of these two granaries. The merchants suffer, the village suffers, the farmers suffer, the carrying companies suffer, and above all, the community suffers, and no one gains.

It is high time the village woke up to the exigencies of the case. Perhaps the first step to be taken would be the incorporation of Markdale. The village is now quite sufficiently advanced to take care of itself. The townships in which the village stands trouble but little about our interests. We may be burned out, robbed, imposed upon in very many ways and although we pay taxes for protection but little protection is afforded. What is the use of our freedom—of the freedom we boast about—if within a few years nearly $100,000 worth of property goes at the hands of an incendiary? Where is our freedom if no one is safe from these satanic attacks? It is the freedom of the lawless! The freedom that Alexandria enjoyed a week ago when Arabi liberated wrong doers. Incorporation seems to be the first necessary step. Let us see about this at once. Call a meeting, discuss the matter, express your views through the paper, anyway you choose, but let something be done. The one great objection some of the ratepayers have is that the taxes will be greater. This is simply an erroneous impression. As it now stands we have to pay one eight of the taxes of Glenelg, and a heavy portion to Artemesia. What do we get in return? We also pay in licenses about $350 annually and get nothing for it. These taxes would more than pay all the cost of a municipal government of our own, and the benefits would be something—and as it is they are just next to nil—and we fail to see any disadvantage whatever in this sensible and desirable scheme. However let's have a discussion and see what can be done.

Once incorporated we could have a fire engine, hose pipe, and a body of firemen. This latter cannot be estimated by dollars and cents. We could also have a night watchman, and thus greater safety would be ensured to all the people.

Only let not this calamity be lost upon us. Experience is said to make wise men of the foolish, and by what name shall we be known if the bitter experiences of the past teach us nothing.

Every farmer should keep a book in which to paste agricultural scraps. Every one in reading a paper will see a number of things he will wish to remember, he will perhaps see suggestions the value of which he will desire to test, or hints which he will want to be governed by in future operations, and yet, after reading the paper, he will throw it down and will probably never see it again. In such a case, all the valuable articles will be lost. To prevent such a loss every reader clip from the papers, such articles as he desires to preserve, and paste them in a book. Such a book at the end of a year or two will be both interesting and valuable.

As at Meaford, so in Markdale, the iron spikes raise their proud heads above the level of the sidewalk, and seem to delight in tearing ladies' dresses, and ripping the heel off a fellow's boot.

War in Egypt.

WEDNESDAY.

The position of affairs in the Egyptian crisis has undergone a change within the past twenty four hours. The Times announces that the British Government, tiring of the delay in replying to the note of the Powers at a moment when delay is fatal, has resolved upon immediate action in Egypt. Order will be restored by an army corps of British troops now organized at Aldershot which will embark at an early hour for the scene of action. Reports from Alexandria represent that Arabi intends attacking the city to-day. Preparations to meet him have been made by the British, and he will probably find the attempt futile. He has sent emissaries to Tripoli, Tunis, and Syria to preach a holy war. Considerable relief is experienced at the departure of Dervish Pasha from Alexandria for Constantinople, the opinion being general that his intrigues did not assist the cause of law and order. An associated Press despatch contains the important announcement that prayers for Arabi's success have been publicly offered in the mosques of British India. If true this may lead to serious trouble, and prevent the despatch of an Indian force to the seat of war.

THURSDAY.

Having determined upon taking the restoration of order in Egypt upon herself, England's preparations are being hurried forward with feverish haste. A cabinet Council was hurriedly summoned yesterday when it is thought final arrangements were made for Military operations on a large scale. It has been definitely decided that Sir Garnet Wolseley will command an expedition of 20,000 men. Several Irish militia regiments have volunteered for service in Egypt, and the feeling at the London clubs is very warlike. Colonel Laurie has also offered to raise a regiment in Nova Scotia for service in Egypt. A reconnoitring party has discovered that Arabi has fortified himself at Aboukir and cut and diverted the fresh water canal which supplies Alexandria. Although there is a sufficient supply to last for ten days, the population, taking the alarm, are fleeing before a water famine commences. Advice from Cairo report a critical state of affairs, and an outbreak of fanaticism may be expected at any moment. The Europeans at Port Said are also in a perilous position, and Admiral Seymour has found it necessary to despatch a force for their protection.

FRIDAY.

Rumours from the interior of Egypt that a general European massacre has commenced has caused great alarm and uneasiness, and will doubtless, serve to hasten the British preparations to subdue Arabi and his troops. The obstruction in the fresh water canal has caused the flooding of the surrounding country. A British force will advance to-day and endeavour to blow up the obstruction. The Chamber of Notables, at a meeting at Cario, decreed the deposition Khedive as a traitor, and proclaimed war against England. All good Moslems are called upon to join Arabi's standard. The Commander-in-Chief, Sir Garnet Wolseley, and members of the Cabinet where in consultation yesterday making final preparations. The Government will ask for a war credit, which the Conservatives will not oppose.

SATURDAY & SUNDAY.

The confidence in himself which Arabi Pasha possesses is really wonderful. He has presented an ultimatum to the Sultan, threatening him with deposition and the appointment of a member of a rival race as Caliph of the Moslems if Turkish troops intervene in Egypt. The Khedive has yielded to the pressure brought to bear by Admiral Seymour, and proclaimed Arabi a rebel, deposed him from office, and summoned the army to the defence of their Sovereign, at the same time assuring them that English and French intervention is merely to restore order. In reply to this proclamation Arabi has formed a Ministry at Cairo, and is rapidly recruting his forces. An advance was made by a small force of British on Saturday, and a portion of Arabi's line, which afforded him a means of an advance on Alexandria, blown up. He is now able to advance only at one point and that opposite the s[tron]gest portion of the defences of the city. Reports from the interior convey news of horrible atrocities committed upon Europeans and Copts, as the native Christians are called at Port Said measures have been taken for the protection of the Europeans there. The water supply in the Mahmondieh Canal is carefully husbanded, and, supplemented by the condensers of the fleet, will probably hold out for a considerable period. A spy and messenger of Arabi has been captured on a steamer from Constantinople and important documents secured. He has confessed and given much useful information. The organization of the British expedition is being hurried forward, but offensive operations will not probably be commenced for three weeks.

MONDAY.

The British troops had another brush with Arabi, their object being to occupy Ramleh, which they succeeded in doing without the loss of any men. Arabi's position at Kaffr-el-Dwar is now untenable, being commanded by British guns. In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Gladstone moved for a vote of credit to defray the expenses of the British expedition. He defended the action of his Cabinet, and pointed out the necessity which existed for restoring order in Egypt and maintaining the neutrality of the Suez Canal.

TUESDAY.

There is no appreciable change in the state of affairs at Alexandria. The British troops are keeping a close watch upon Arabi's movements and holding him in check. At Aboukir, under cover of a flag of truce, Arabi is making desperate efforts to strengthen his already strong position in the hopes of being able to withstand the British troops.

ONLY THE GEN. MANAGER.

At one of the stations on the main line of the T. G. & B., (it wouldn't do to mention names, the G. M. mightn't like it, you know.) the train had arrived and departed, a few days ago, when the station agent, a man held in high esteem by the townspeople, and everlastingly listening to the 'clic' of the telegraph, as the 'lightning' rattles away on his office table, in the hope of getting a ca'l to take charge of a more important depot; yes, this agent who thought himself second to none on the road, was approached by a well-dressed man, who was smoking a cigar. Said the smoker:

'Keep you pretty busy here?'

'Mm,' was the jerky reply.

'Business on the increase?'

'Mm.'

'Do you run this station?' asked the smoker.

'Nobody else runs it,' growled the agent. 'Have you got a patent car-coupler?'

'Oh, no.'

'I was going to tell you to go to thunder with it, if you had. Want special freight rates, I suppose?'

'No, sir.'

'I don't give any passes.'

'I dont want any.'

'Waiting for the next train?' queried the agent.

'Not particular.'

'Want to charter a car?'

'No.'

The agent left him, and busied himself in his office for half-an-hour, when the smoker came along, and looking in said:

'What's the salary of a position like this?'

'That's my business.'

'What's the income from this station?'

'Ask the boy.'

'Your name is———, is'nt it?'

'Suppose it is?'

'Oh, nothing much—only I'm the General Manager of the line, and I'd like to exchange cards with you.'

'Is that so?'

PUTTING THE CHIEF ON HIS FEET.

The Hamilton, Ont., Fire department, under the training and supervision of Chief A. W. Aitchison, is not excelled in efficiency by that of any other city in the Dominion. Chief Aitchison, by the way, met with a very severe accident in driving to a fire not long ago. His head shoulders and back were injured in a terrible manner. Being asked how he accounted for his rapid recovery, he replied: "Simply enough; St. Jacob's Oil can put any man on his feet, if there is any life in him at all. I used that wonderful medicine from the start, and the result is, that I am to-day in prime health and condition. St Jacob's Oil, the panacea that comes to the relief of the fireman for rheumatism, burns, etc., served me in my trouble, and cured me quickly, completely and permanently. It is the standard medicine here in the Fire Department."

CHATSWORTH.

On Thursday morning, July 12, Mr Merriman met with a melancholy accident, which may yet prove fatal. He had been to visit a minister—the Rev Mr. Keys, and in returning with his team he had occasion to get out of the wagon to open a gate. The horses became restive, and ran against him and the gate. Mr Merriman caught hold of the reins, and was carried some 200 yards, when he lost his hold the horses going at a furious rate; he fell, and the horses and wagon went over him, the reach, which had got broken, striking him. He was picked up insensible and carried back to Mr. Keys house. Dr Oldham was sent for, who dressed his wounds, since which time he has been making slight progress towards recovery. Mr Merriman's escape was certainly a very narrow one.

The Methodist S.S. picnic came off at the grove near Grantown on Thursday week. A most enjoyable time was spent.

Dr Bennett has returned from a tour through Toronto, Kingston, Montreal and other cities.

Mr Curtis' dog was run over and killed on the track, while assisting to find conductor Crate, when he fell off the train.

Mr Daniels, of Williamsford, miller slipped as he was getting into his wagon the other day, and "cut off his ear," nearly. Dr Oldham came to the rescue.

ATHLETIC.

The Junior Baseball club of Markdale reorganised on Friday evening when a discussion arose as to desirability of conveyin ladiesg to the matches at the club's expense. A resolution in fovour thereof was eventually carried. It was decided to hold friendly matches with clubs in Grey and Dufferin.

The following officers were appointed: president, W. E. Richardson, vice-pres. W. J. Benson: captain, W. J. Sproule; treas. J. W. Lyons. sec. J. Rowes.

A. O. U. W.

A regular meeting of the A. O. U. W., Markdale lodge, will be held in Mr Rae's shop on Monday evening next at 8 o'clock when a full attendance is requested.

At the last meeting the finances of the lodge were reported on, and found to be in a very satisfactory condition.

The last assessment was for the late N. B. Grier, merchant, Priceville, who was drowned a short time ago.

THE CANADIAN RIFLE TEAM AT WIMBLEDON.

The Prince and Princess of Wales visited the Canadian camp at Wimbledon on Thursday for the purpose of presenting Lieut. Mitchell with the prize badge won in the Prince of Wales competition. The Princess pinned the badge on Mitchell's breast. The Prince congratulated the officers and men, Lieut. Mitchell especially, on their success in shooting, and referred in pleasing terms to his visit to the Dominion. Hearty cheers were given for the Prince, Princess, and the Queen.

Major General Luard has been a constant visitor at the Canadian Camp and watched with much interest the shooting of the team.

Major Gen. Luard sails for Canada shortly.

Extract from a letter written to T. J. Griffiths, editor of the *Y. Drych*, a weekly Welch paper of Utica, N.Y. "As an encouragement to you, since the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure first appeared in your paper many injured miners have been using it, and in all cases in and around here it has achieved wonders. It is a perfect success among injured miners.

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Will be paid for the detection and conviction of any person selling or dealing in any bogus, counterfeit, or imitation Hop Bitters, especially Bitters or preparations with the word Hop or Hops in their name or connected there with, that is intended to mislead and cheat the public, or for any preparation put in any form, pretending to be the same as Hop Bitters. The genuine have cluster of Green Hops, (notice this) printed on the white label and are the purest and best medicine on earth, especially for Kidney, Liver, and Nervous Diseases. Beware of all others, and of all pretended formulas or recipes of Hop Bitters published in papers or for sale, as they are frauds and swindles. Whoever deals in any but the genuine will be prosecuted, Hop Bitters Mfg. Co., Rochester, N. Y

FIRE IN GLENELG.

On Sunday afternoon, July 16, the barn on con. 3, south of Durham road in Glenelg, near Priceville, belonging to the Rev. Robert McIntyre, was discovered to be on fire. Mr. McIntyre went to see if anything could be saved from the devouring element, but in a few minutes the house also caught fire, and both were very speedily consumed together with their contents; only a wagon being rescued from the barn, and a few things from the house Besides implements, harness, &c., a quantity of window sash, doors, and other building material for a new house was all burned, together with 100 bushels wheat stored in the barn. The loss is estimated at $1000, on which, it is said, there is no insurance.

GUITEAU.

The following verse was found written on a shingle near the jail in which was confined:

"Let him slide without stopping right into damnation,
Unmourned and unhonored, but cursed by the nation:
Perhaps grim old Satan will make him his teacher, The pride of his realm, and also his preacher."

On the other side, in an entirely different handwriting, was written the following:

"Nay, say not damnation, let his spirit go free,
And God will judge Guiteau as he will you and me.
His crime was enormous, but his forfeit was great,
Let us view him with charity rather than hate.

Markdale Hotel.

Good Accommodation for Travellers. 'Bus to and from all trains. Charges moderate.
Markdale. A. Rutledge, Prop.

NEW STOCK

The subscriber has just purchased a New Stock of

Liquors,

Of the best brands. Liquor in its purity is a benefit to the invalid; but the curse of Alcohol consists in its adulteration. I have now on hand a quality of

Wine,
Rum,
Brandy &
Whisky

Which cannot be equalled in Markdale.

My Rum cannot be excelled this side Toronto

Those wishing a pure Wine for Communion Service will please give me a call.

Teas Coffees,
Sugars, Raisins, Currants, &c., PORK,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, May 24st, 1882.

Mum socials are becoming popular in country districts. The victims gather in the church basement, and it is agreed that any person who speaks shall be find from ten to twenty-five cents, the fines to be devoted to the organ fund, the library fund, or the bilding fund, as the case may be. The success of the entertainment is determined by the numerical strength of the ladies who attend. No lady has yet escaped the penalty for speaking.

MARKDALE.

Flour	6.00	to 6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to 1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.14	to 1.15
Barley	.65	" 0.00
Oats	[illegible]	" 0.88
Peas	0.74	" 0.75
Potatoes	0.75	" 0.78
Butter, per lb.	0.16	" 0.18
Eggs, per doz.	0.	" 0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00	" 0.00
Beef	0.00	" 0.00
Hides	7.25	" 7.50
Grass seed,	5.50	" 6.00
Hay	12.00	" 14.00
Wool	0.90	" 0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	" 1.00
Lard	0.10	" 0.12
Tallow	0.05	" 0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	" 2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.72	to	.72
Oats " 1	.40	to	.40
Butter " 1	.16	to	.16
Eggs		.to	.15
Potatoes "	75	to	75
Pork "	0.00	to	0.00
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to 6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to 1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	" 1.15
Barley	0.64	" 0.80
Oats	0.40	" 0.40
Peas	0.74	" 0.75
Potatoes	0.75	" 0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	" 0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	" 0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	" 0.00
Beef	0 00	" 0.00
Hides	7.25	" 7.50
Hay	12.0	" 14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	" 3.00
Wool	0.22	" 0.00
Lard	0.10	" 0.12
Tallow	0.05	" 0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 24	to $1 25
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to 1 35
Barley, do.	0 62	to 0 65
Oats, do.	0 48	to 0 50
Peas, do.	0 82	to 0 85
Rye, do.	0 70	to 0 75
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to 4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs		
Beef, hind quarters	11 00	to 12 00
Beef, fore quarters	9 00	to 10 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to 0 00
Butter, tub dairy	14	to 0 17
Butter, store-packed	00	to 0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 17	to 0 17
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Apples, per brl	2 50	to 4 00
Potatoes per bag	1 50	to 1 50
Hay	10 50	to 14 00
Wool	00 19	to 00 20

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

Church Directory.

Christ Church.—Sunday next, at 10.30. 7
Sunday School 2 30
J. Ward, Incumbent.

Methodist Church.—Sunday. 10.30 7,
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
N. A. McDiarmid, Pastor.

Presbyterian Church.—Sabbath 10.30, 7
Sabbath School 2.30.
Bible class Friday evg. 7.30.
Flesherton Town Hall, Sabbath 2 30
Sabbath School 1.
A. Wilson, Pastor

GEORGE WILSON,
Wholesale and Retail

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BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

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Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau stree New York. 20

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A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for year from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence,
JOHN B. OGDEN,
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HOW LOST, HOW RESTORED

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

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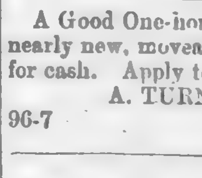

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☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at $1.00 per package, or six packages for $5.00, or will be sent free by mail on receipt of the money by addressing.

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M. M. M'LEOD,
MARKDALE.
NOT TO BE BEATEN!

All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.
M. M. McLEOD.
Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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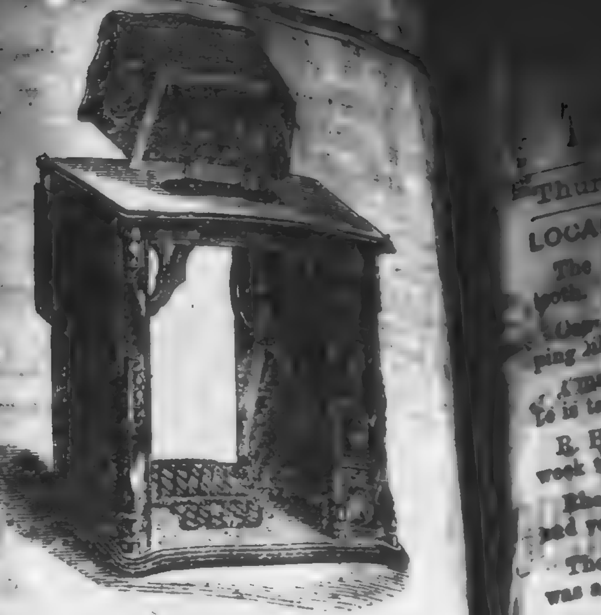
TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.
FRED. SARJEANT.
Markdale, March 26, 1882. 80-ly



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Every Machine is warranted for a term of five years.

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The English Ready-Made Gents' Clothing, which was so successful in the Fall and Winter, will be repeated, in the latest London Styles, along with a large assortment of Gents' Furnishings, &c.

Every Department replete with New and First-class Goods. Give us a call, and see for yourselves.

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday, July 27th, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

The best thing out—an aching tooth.

Counter-claims—Your wife's shopping bills.

A man always feels put out when he is taken in.

R. H. Boyce caught two trout last week that weighed 5 lbs.

Rheumatism is always a joint affair, and yet there is only one party to it.

The Christ Church garden party was a very successful affair last night.

Come early in the day to Trimble & Wright's and avoid the mid-day rush.

The toy pistol has been the means of killing twenty juveniles at Chicago.

It is harder for a penurious man to be honest than for a gourmand to keep a fast.

There are more sensible people who are smart than smart ones who are sensible.

True affection grows stronger as it grows older. The same may be said of an egg.

A large stock of peaches, pears, grapes, and apples to arrive at McIntyre's next week.

Mr Geo. Walker had 45 cords of 2 ft wood burned yesterday. It was on Mr Drew's lot.

Too many goods at McFarland's. He is selling cheap in order to make room for his European imports.

The great army of potato beetles are seem to flourish and grow fat in the great heat.

Trimble & Wright still continue to astonish the natives with cheap goods. A new lot just to hand; see them.

A white man named Paulk was fined $500 for marrying a negress in Union county, S. C. the other day.

Around Brandon the prairie is covered with roses of rich colour and fragrance.

The coronation of the Czar has been positively fixed to take place at end of

A Miss Fox sues Mr Low for breach of promise of marriage. She claims $1 damages.

W. J. McFarland's European buyer sailed from Quebec on Saturday last via S.S. Corinthian.

Thos. McNea has 300,000 feet of good pine lumber for sale at his factory, Markdale. Also a large quantity of shingles.

A few sheets of that beautiful instrumental music 'The Verdict March' for sale at the STANDARD office. Price 40 cents.

Now is the time to slaughter Canadian thistles. Pathmasters should remember the duty the law imposes on them.

A severe shock of earthquake was experienced at Mexico on Friday. It lasted two minutes. Little damage was done.

A Parkdale constable, upon discovering two boys trespassing on Sunday; shot and instantly killed one of them.

Steps are being taken to have a lodge of I. O. O. F. organized in Markdale. Prospects are good for success.

Hand in your orders for bill heads early. we have now a large stock all sizes which we will do for a trifle over the cost of the paper.

No person will make out their accounts on plain paper when they can have bill heads printed for about the same price.

We are informed that Mr. Dickey station agent, Williamsford, was married on Wednesday last to Miss M. J. Clost, of Holland.

Mr. J. W. Ford's mill is closed for several days on account of alterations and introduction of a quantity of new and improved machinery. Fuller particulars next week

An Arkansas bridegroom gave his bride such a violent hug at the altar that he dislocated two of her ribs. At this rate he will not keep her more than a week.

The Hamilton Times says: "Running a newspaper is a business which 99 men out of a hundred are sure they could do much better than it is usually done."

Mr. Edward Lomas's farm on the town line between Artemesia and Holland is quite up to if not ahead of many of the farms in this district. The owner knows his business well.

Trimble & Wright's discount sales commence this week. Fifty per ct. off crockery, glassware, hats and dress goods. See the 10 bales cottons just arrived.

Those indebted to A. McIntyre will please call and settle at once, or their accounts will be placed in other hands for collection in time for next division court.

What is Lardine? Ask any farmer thrasher, or mill man, in fact any man who runs machinery, and he will tell you that it is the only oil which will wear equal to Castor oil and won't gum or clog your machinery.

The big stock taking sale continues for ten days longer at W. J. McFarland's. Ladies lace ties 5 cents each, worth 10c.; summer shawls worth $2 reduced to $1.20; parasols worth $2.25 slaughtered at $1; underskirts at half price; ladies and children's mantles. bonnets and laces at half price, all at McFarland's.

Mr. James Lauder, of Glenelg, had a horse badly gored in the breast by a bull a few days ago. A gash seven or eight inches long and very deep was made. The wound appears to be healing up, but it will be some time before the horse is able to work. Persons having bulls cannot be too careful in keeping them away from their horses.

The Scott Act in Halton is being strictly enforced in all sections of the county, and the tavern-keepers who supposed they could violate the law with impunity are suffering severely. Those who voted for the Scott Act are determined to see its provisions respected.

Dundalk.

Warm weather has set in through the whole country. Crops are suffering in this locality for want of rain.

Bush fires are numerous through the townships of Proton and Melancthon. Should the dry weather continue we fear the consequences.

The farmers are now busily engaged on the farm, consequently business in general is suspended for a few weeks.

Kenneth McAulay has been in the North-west for the past few months; he has taken up land near Turtle Mountain. He speaks in the highest terms of the North west as a farming country.

PIC NIC.—The nobility of Dundalk had their annual social day last week. There were sixteen conveyances well filled which wended their way to the lake at Horning's Mills, where all spent an enjoyable day and returned home early.

The members and friends of the Canada Methodist Church took possession of the parsonage by storm on last Friday evening by way of an introductory acquaintance with their new pastor, Mr. Snowden and his amiable wife. In the course of the evening the tables were loaded with a rich repast, which was served out to the company by a number of our young ladies. after which Mr. Thos. Hutcheson, presiding chairman, made a few appropriate remarks, which were suitably replied to by the Rev. Mr. Snowden, after which all returned to their respective homes being well pleased with the reception.

The contractors on the Melancthon drainage are busily engaged with gangs of men pushing through the work which, when completed, nearly half the township will be under a thorough system of drainage.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR.—We, as farmers, feel the loss caused by the burning of the elevators, perhaps more keenly than even the village, and consider the perpetrator of the horrible deed as having made a direct and successful attempt to injure the interests of every business man in Markdale and every farmer within ten miles of the place. It has justly held the reputation of being the best market within many miles, owing to the amount of storage, facilities for handling grain, and to the enterprise and fair dealing of the buyers.

I feel, sir, that it is to the interest of the farming community to come forward and relieve the merchants (who lost their grain business) to the amount not covered by insurance. I, for one, shall be only pleased to do my share in the matter and believe I am expressing the opinions of many of my brother farmers.

T. KELLS.

RAILWAY EXTENSION.

The G. B. & L. H. division of the Grand Trunk railway is now completed to this village, (Wiarton) on the 25th the Grand Trunk supply train arrived from Stratford, bringing the agent and supplies for this station, regular trains commence running on Monday the 24th. The opening celebration takes place on the first of August. Large excursion trains will be run from Stratford and points north. Excursions by steamers from Owen Sound and Meaford will arrive, and it is expected there will be fully seven thousand people in Wiarton that day.—Preparations on a large scale are being made by the citizens to receive them. The railway is in first class condition throughout its length, and it will no doubt become a favorite with travellers and shippers, as a steamboat line is to run to Prince Arthur's Landing in connection with the road.

ALL'S WELL THAT ENDS WELL

On Friday the good people of Owen Sound were surprised to learn that a seventeen-year-old daughter of a station agent there had eloped with a Toronto commercial traveller. It appears that the young lady rose betimes that morning and met the traveller, who was waiting a short distance from her father's house. They drove to Chatsworth, about twelve miles from Owen Sound, and there learned that a constable had been sent after them. They got on the train, intending to get married in Toronto; but when they got as far as Shelburne a constable was waiting for the couple, and locked them up. A telegram was sent to the girl's father, asking for his consent to the marriage. He at first refused but afterwards gave his consent, whereupon the union took place, and the couple immediately went off on their honeymoon.

PERSONALS.

Mr Black has returned from Toronto.

Mr J. W. Henderson gave us a call on Saturday.

Mr Shields returned to Manitowaning on Saturday,

Mr Louis N. Thibaudeau returned to Bruce Mines on Monday morning last.

R. H. Whitby and W. Luke from Brampton are spending their holidays here.

Mr D. McLeod, shoemaker, Markdale, has returned from his visit to Michigan.

Mr Wilcox, late of Markdale, is now night operator at East Selkirk, Manitoba on a branch of the Can. Pacific Ry. Co.

"Mrs. Fleury," who, according to the Meaford Mirror, is "an excellent Markdale singer," has returned to this place. Who's Mrs. Fleury?

Mrs. T. Kells and Mrs R. Smith of Artemesia left here this morning on a visit to Belfast, Ireland. They will return in about two months. We wish them a pleasant voyage and safe return.

Archy Speers, jr., arrived from Winnipeg on Saturday, together with his mother and youngest sister. Mrs Speers is looking well, and will stay here some months. Archy returns in a few days.

R. W. Elliott, Esq., Director, and James Wyley, Esq., Freight Agent, on the T. G. & B. railway, were in town last Saturday on a fishing tour. From here they proceeded to Owen Sound and spent a few days about the lakes.

$50,000 Blaze

Two Elevators Burned

Terrible Fire.

INCENDIARISM IN MARKDALE.

16,000 bushels Grain burned

LUMBER DESTROYED.

Fortunately it is but seldom that we have to chronicle such a terrible calamity as befel Markdale on Tuesday morning last, when our prosperous village was checked in its onward progress by the visitation of an awful conflagration, by the side of which all the other mishaps which have befallen us sink into insignificance.

It was about 2 30 or 2.45 o'clock on Tuesday morning when the grain elevator belonging to Mr W. J. McFarland was discovered to be on fire, on the one side by Mr Wm. Armstong and on the other side by several of the villagers at about one time. Mr. Mark Armstrong quickly harnessed a team, and took a load of water to the fire. He was the first there with water; but many others who had been awakened by the ringing of the fire bell, the screaming of the engine at the depot, and by the shouts of many who ran through the streets giving the awful sounding alarm of "Fire," "Fire."

Although there are various theories and opinions as to the place where the fire really started, it is certain that it had got a thorough hold upon the frame buildings before it was discovered. Mr McFarland's elevator was broken into, but only a cutter was rescued from it; the heat being so intense that it drove back the hardiest fireman.

It was evident from the first that Messrs. Hill Bros, elevator must share the same fate, although the wind was in its favor, It caught fire solely from the great heat of the opposite building.

The next building in danger was Mr Ritchie's house. Water was freely used upon it, and the end nearest the fire was covered with blankets and rugs saturated with water.

At the same time great fears were entertained for the safety of the great pile of lumber belonging to Mr Welsh, of Toronto, which had been piled a long way along the track, north of Hill's elevator. Altogether some 80,000 feet of lumber had been piled there. Workers toiled and battled with the fiery elemant and were successful in their efforts.

On the other side of the burning buildings efforts were being made to save the station. It was a long time before it was considered out of danger, especially on account of the great scarcity of water, not a drop being within many hundred yards of the depot or the elevators. It had been isolated as much as possible by the aid of some of the railway men who, were early on the scene.

Not a more active fighter was there on the grounds than Mr. Cesar who coatless, vestless and hatless was very busy till danger was past.

The long pile of cordwood on the village side of the station caught fire, and to it with a wet towel wrapped about his head ran Mr. Cæsar and separating the pieces which had already caught, was successful in putting out the fire in that spot, which had it spread would doubtless have enveloped the station. This was done twice, and burns and bruises show that our station master risked himself courageously.

All danger of the spread of the fire was presently at an end, the burning buildings and lumber having been as far as possible isolated.

A car of wood standing close to the elevator speedily caught fire and now nothing is left in its place but eight wheels. A great quantity of salt in barrels was also destroyed and a vast quantity of ties, planks, boards, and lumber of various description.

Only on Monday was a large pile of lumber placed at the end of Hill's elevator and this is all destroyed. This belonged to Mr. Wm. Milligan and is not insured.

The railway siding is all thrown out of shape by the excessive heat lengthening the rails. Along the main track some of the rails were opened and thus the straightness of the track preserved. Once or twice Mr. Bryden's house caught fire from the burning cinders but Mr. Bryden was successful in putting it out before it had spread.

Great sheets of burning cinders rose in the air and descended as a shower of fire all over the village setting on fire several buildings, but as these were being well guarded by their owners no evil consequences followed.

Messrs. Hill Bros. elevator was broken into and a few things removed, including a weigh scale, several barrels of salt, and a few other articles.

After the buildings had fallen further efforts were made to save some of the grain; a load of water was fetched but thrown upon the burning pile seemed to have but little effect. There was nothing further that could be done. Possibly some of the grain which burst from the second story of the buildings may be saved. It is said that most of the grain in Mr. McFarland's elevator fell through the burning floor into the cellar. If so it is possible that some of it may be good. Mr. McFarland was not at home during the fire, he having gone out on Monday to Bell's lake with Mr. Speers for a few days fishing. Mr. McFarland's loss is estimated at about $16,000 or $17,000, but happily it is to a very great extent covered by insurance. It contained some 7,000 bushels of wheat, $1,000 worth of timothy seed, and a quantity of oats, barley, peas, &c.

Messrs. Hill's building was partially covered by insurance, and the grain (about 10,000 bushels) was also insured, nevertheless their loss will be very heavy.

The early train was delayed for some time owing to the beams over the cattle guard having been burned. Water was thrown upon them and the fire extinguished when railway ties were built up in the cattle guards on both sides of the road. This was done in the midst of a mass of burning lumber and the heat was intense. Nevertheless section foremen Tansley and Arnold stuck well to their work while many of the men skulked off on account of the great heat. At length they completed their task and the train slowly crossed the road to the depot, where the passengers got on board again, and thus after one hour and one minute's delay the express went on its way.

This calamity is without doubt the very worst misfortune that has been known in the history of Markdale. Our progress is hindered, and the loss the village now suffers cannot be estimated, nor can it be estimated in so many dollars. It is almost too late in the season for another elevator to be built for the grain of the coming harvest. Thus other markets will have to be found, and money usually spent here goes elsewhere.

The fire still continues.

The fiend, if known, who had deviltry enough in him to do this infernal act would have met with no mercy at the hands of any of the crowd. He would have been dumped in the fire and roasted piecemeal unless some other more just punishment could have been devised for his benefit.

The loss is a public one, and it is for the public to say whether a repetition of such an occurrence may not to a great extent be prevented.

T. G. & B. NOTES.

Eli Arnold is on duty at Flesherton station.

Not a better kept station on the T. G. & B. is there than that at Kleinburg.

The Markdale station platform caught fire on Tuesday afternoon. It was extinguished before a blaze sprung up.

Several bridges on the line are having the necessary attention,

Mr. Wragge is in England.

Sandy Meldrum has been promoted to a position in Orangeville station as operator. His elder brother, John, hangs out at Kleinburg, and keeps things in perfect order.

The T. G. & B. company are making extensive improvements in the Orangeville station grounds. Quite a lot of business is done at the depot.

The Markdale station grounds were nearly cleared of cordwood ere the fire took place, or the result would have been much worse.

The new roadway at Markdale depot was on fire, but was kept under hand by some of the railway men.

Mr. Cæsar was first on the engine at the depot on the morning of the fire, and blew the whistle for nearly five minutes.

A big business has been going on at our depot lately. Grain, lumber, &c., being shipped away in great quantities.

A well at the depot would be useful in case of fire. How strange the company don't provide such a necessary adjunct to their depot here.

Tansley and Arnold, section foremen, worked well at the fire, but some of the men seemed very indifferent.

MELANCTHON.

It is probable that many people pass the little station of Melancthon almost, if not quite, without seeing it. Nevertheless quite a stirring little village is situated pretty close to the track of the T. G. & B. railway, 8 miles south of Dundalk and 3½ miles north of Shelburne. The village is also some six miles from Horning's Mills. Just to give those of our readers who are interested in the growth of the villages around and about us an idea as to the importance of the village named after the township in which it stands. First there is the township hall, not a temporary frame erection, but a good brick building; a steam saw mill run by Mr. Sloan; post office by James Brown, who is also township clerk, commissioner, conveyancer, &c.; hotel by Mr. Bell, and Calaghan's blacksmith shop. Building operations are very extensive throughout the township. Mr Sloan informed us that he never had such a local demand for lumber and shingles. The township itself is now undergoing an extensive and thorough drainage. It is but a short time ago that this step was decided upon and already its good effects are visible.

Melancthon village and Melancthon township are destined to go ahead and that speedily. Farms are changing hands at $30 to $60 per acre. The new voters' list is a much bulkier volume than last year; and the township assessment will bear favorable comparison with other townships in the vicinity.

A siding 1000 feet in length will be built soon; the place now supposed to represent a flag station will be covered with the usual paraphernalia of a thriving depot, and Melancthon will rank with other prosperous points along the line of the T. G. & B.

Melancthon Township assessment for 1882.

SYNOPSIS.

Total assessment	$815,500
" No. of Horses.	1,008
" " Hogs...	1,262
" " Sheep..	2,860
" " Cattle..	6,090
" days Stat. Lab.,	3,500
Value Personal Property....	$27,900
Total acres....	74,462
" " cleared....	22,337
Number of Persons...	2,506

We shall be glad to receive similar information from Clerks of other townships.

MELANCTHON COUNCIL.

The council met on Monday, July 3rd, 1882. Members all present.

The tenders of the following parties were accepted for drainage works in Section 2, namely:—Drain 6, Robert Oliver; drains 9 and 1, Thos. St. Johns; and drains 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, A. McGoch.

Orders were issued in favor of John Calhoun, etc. James Fleming, 50c; Free Press, $5.50; Bruce Kitchen, $4; $25 was ordered to be expended on 5th con. line, in front of lots 1 and 2.

The special committee's recommendation to expend $150 on the 2nd con., between lots 10 and 12, was adopted.

The sum of $400 to be expended on the Toronto and Sydenham road, between 240 sideroad and the 3rd line, O. S.

The resolution appointing Mr. Huxtable to meet the Reeve of Amaranth and Luther, to define the boundaries of Union S. S. was rescinded, and Robert Hartley was appointed instead.

The Clerk was instructed to prepare a by-law creating a new polling subdivision at or near Riverview.

Two road scrapers to be procured at Shelburne for the Riverview neighborhood.

Thos. St. John was paid $12.50 for spreading clay and grubbing on 240 sideroad, N. E.

Messrs. Huxtable and Gowan were appointed Commissioners to let the road job on the 2nd con., O. S.

By-law No. 87 amending By-law No. 86, was read and passed.

On motion it was decided to take no action on drain No. 6, section 2, till next meeting of council.

The following to be the road divisions for 1882:—No. 1, all the old survey to 20 sideroad, together with the 5th line; No. 2, all the old survey north of 20 sideroad, and that portion of new survey N. E. of the 4th line; No. 3, all that portion of the new survey south-west of the 4th line, north east T. and S. Road to 270 sideroad; No. 4, all of the new survey southeast of 270 sideroad; to be under the supervision of Messrs. Gowan, Bailey, McDowell and Hogg, respectively, the Reeve assisting any of them when called upon.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the Collector that the Auditors will meet at the Treasurer's office on Monday, the 24th inst., to finally audit the roll for the year 1881.

The council adjourned till July the 31st.

JAMES BROWN, Clerk.

THE KISSING CASE.

REV. N. R. WILLOUGHBY ACQUITTED.

The Rev. Dr. Sutherland, Chairman of the committee appointed by the Toronto Methodist Conference to adjudicate upon the charges preferred against the Rev. N. R. Willoughby, of Brampton, forwarded the decision of the committee to Brampton. They are of unanimous opinion that the first charge in the indictment had not been sustained, and that consequently the second charge fell through. The rev. gentleman, as reported in this paper at the time, was formally charged with improper conduct towards a young lady (then Miss Georgie Graham, now the wife of the Rev. J. E. Star), "in that he did on sundry occasions kiss her five times against her will," and he was furthermore charged with falsehood, "in that he did deny the same when accused of the offence." As the second charge depended entirely on the first, both parties agreed that evidence should be offered on the first charge. The trial has been a tedious one, and the evidence voluminous and contradictory, but the finding of the committee is unanimous. A favorable judgment was anticipated, and the result will doubtless cause little surprise.

The new road from Kimberley is confessed to be an improvement beyond the best expectations of its promoters. One farmer, Mr. John Davis, informs us that he came up the other day with over a half-ton load with greater ease than with an empty waggon a fortnight ago. Messrs. P. Harris and Ferris deserve great credit for the able manner in which they have executed their trust.

Mr. J. J. Hobson, of Guelph, who has been through the counties of Perth, Wellington, Huron, Bruce, Grey and Dufferin the past few weeks, informs us that the prospects are good for a more than average crop. In Huron and Bruce they are specially good. They are harvesting their fall wheat in the neighborhood of Guelph this week.

The kissing business among the saints has indeed been quite booming of late. The Rev. J. Willoughby kissed a pretty girl five times, so they say. His fellow-ministers were his judges, and the holy man got acquitted. At Thornbury, Dean Carscaren seems to have been kissing a member of his congregation. The lady was married, and doubtless had sufficient legal kisses to satisfy her. The lady told her husband, and they successfully atempted to get a $75 note signed to keep the matter quiet. But 'frailty whose name is woman,' could not keep the secret, and now the parson refuses to meet the note.

Mr. Hobson, of Guelph, and Mr. Bull, of Downsview are now travelling through the country inspecting such farms as may be competing for the provincial prizes. On Saturday he visited the Mount Royal Farm, belonging to Mr J. Ford, in Artemesia township, 8½ miles from Markdale. This farm will no doubt take a good position among the well-conducted farms of the country. The inspector spoke highly of it on his return, and gave Mr Ford great praise for his ability in farming matters. It is a pity more of our local agriculturists do not compete for these prizes, not so much for their intrinsic value, but on account of the increased value of the farm, farm lands, produce, &c.

An almost fatal accident happened last Saturday. While Mr. B. Wright was hauling in hay, his four year old daughter climbed on the hind wheel while the team was standing, she was not seen until the team started to move on when her screams were heard, the team was stopped and she was found crushed between the wheel and the stake of the waggon; the wheel had to be taken off in order to release her. We are pleased to hear this morning that the little girl is rapidly recovering without (as far as known) any serious injury.

The hot weather seems to effect everybody. The usually sprightly man whose ordinary weather never permits anyone to overtake him, would suffer a torture to keep pace with him now.

A verdict has been given against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad for damage by delay owing to the freight handlers' strike. If this is sustained by the higher courts many other suits of a similar character will be pressed.

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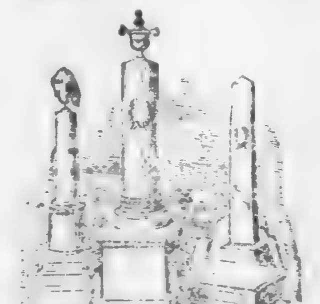

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Markdale Aug. 10th, 1881. 48-ly

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Application will be made to the Surrogate Court, of the County of Grey, before the Judge in Chambers at the Court House in the Town of Owen Sound, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, on behalf of Eliza Brown, of the Township of Artemesia, in the County of Grey, widow and executrix of said deceased and mother of his infant children hereinafter named; and on behalf of William Brown, of the village of Markdale, and Hugh McKee, of the Township of Glenelg, Executors of said deceased, for an Order, appointing the said Eliza Brown, William Brown and Hugh McKee, or some one of them, the guardians or guardian of James Austin Brown, Frederick William Brown, Isabella Brown and Robert Brown, infant children of the said Robert Brown, deceased.

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Markdale, Nov. 1881. 63-ly

NOTICE.

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All parties indebted to said firm will pay the same to Wm. Lucas & Co., Bankers, Markdale, at once, and save further trouble.

Dated at Markdale this 12th day of July, A. D. 1882.

A. BUTTER,
R. S. RAE.

Witness), R. C. BRYDEN. 96-3t

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Kendall's Spavin Cure is used from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Read the advt.

A slippery answer.—School-mistress: now, Matilda Ann, look up and tell me what first caused the fall of man. (No answer.) You are very stupid, after having just read all about it. What fruit was it? Matilda Ann, Please marm! please marm! orange-peel.

There would be little or no sickness during the hot months of July and August if every one would take Dr Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, as they prevent and cure all derangements of the stomach and bowels Sold in large bottles at 50 cents by all druggists. Turner, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

Mr E. O. Gjerdrum, C.E., who for 6 years has been connected with the T. G. & B. Ry, late of Markdale and Flesherton, left the service of the Co. last week to take a position on the Midland Rway. Mr Gjerdrum takes with him the best wishes of his numerous friends in this district.

If mothers and nurses would cease giving opiates in the guise of Paregoric, and Cordials, and for children teething and subject to bowel complaints, give instead Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, the lives of many infants might be saved that are sacrificed to deadly drugs.

Moreys Conners, held on a charge of rape, was before the Montreal Police Court. The woman who alleges that he outraged her has been kept out of the way.

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Mr Thos Campbell, farmer, Thurlow, whilst working on his farm, fell from a mowing machine, and one of his feet was badly hurt. His leg has been amputated below the knee. He can't ...

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... O. F. Treptow, pastor St. Matthew's church, Newark, N.J., was jailed on Friday on a charge of beating his wife. She says he knocked her ...

I. I. Smith, Druggist of Dunville, under date of June 1st, writes of Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, "It ... in fact has the ... during the summer of any patent medicine in stock," and adds that he can heartily recommend it to the public. The above named remedy is nature's grand cure for Cholera, Dysentery and all summer complaints.

... v. N. Y., a church council to try ... Rev. G. B. Simon, Baptist pastor of Greenbush, met yesterday. Letters written by the pastor to a young lady of his flock were read. Specifications charge lying, deceit, and writing love letters.

Among the most prevalent fatal and sudden attacks of diseases, are those incident to the summer and fall, such as cholera morbus, bilious colic, diarrhœa, dysentery, etc., that often prove fatal in a few hours. That ever reliable remedy Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, should be at hand, for use in emergency.

Edwin Dewitt left his wife and four children at Barrington two weeks ago and eloped with a pretty little sixteen year old girl; she was brought back, but they again ran off together. He is now in durance vile for adultery and shooting at the officials. She is ...

Those affected with weak lungs, sluggish liver, or derangement of the kidneys, should procure a package of Dr Carson's Liver and Lung Compound. Each 50 cent package makes three pints of Syrup. It is a valuable collection of roots, herbs, and barks, and its results are wonderful. For sale by all druggists. Turner, agent, Markdale; Parsons, agent, Dundalk.

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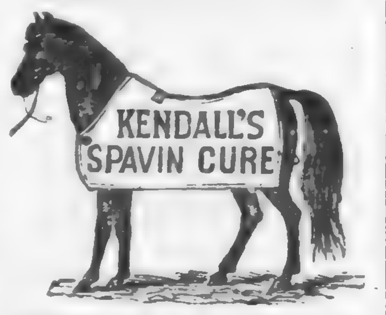

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Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

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DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone if properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

WEST ENOSBURGH, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—Several months ago, I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

ST. JOHN, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

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Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5 All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

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Load Lifting Machine

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It will save you one or more hands every day you are drawing in, as you don't need a man at the front of the mow to pitch it back. You can pitch from the load as you are pitching down instead of up. You can unload in half the time, and with greater ease than in the old way.

Agents wanted in every county.
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BOOT AND SHOE
STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

Robt. S. Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

GROCERIES.
A. M'INTYRE
TEA! TEA! TEA!
A. M'INTYRE
Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS — McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars. — McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee. — McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store, always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

HARVEST TOOLS!
HARVEST TOOLS
Harvest Mitts.

R. J. SPROULE,
FLESHERTON.

Has just received the balance of a very extensive Stock, and is shewing

Rixford's Celebrated Scythes,

The Hamilton Patent

Thumb-and-Finger Barley Forks,

The celebrated

Wrastin Grain Cradle.

A complete Stock of Forks, Rakes, Snaths, Scythe Stones, &c.

All Goods marked at lowest figures, and WARRANTED of best Manufacture.

One Ton of Preserving Sugar

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Grain, Butter, Eggs, Wool, Sheep Skins, or any other produce bought, and highest market prices paid.

I want a large quantity of Butter and Eggs, before the 1st of August, for which I am prepared to pay the HIGHEST PRICE.

R. J. SPROULE,
Toronto House, Flesherton.

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Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

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—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

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ESTATE, LOAN AND
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A. G. HUNTER.

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Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

—AT THE—

TORONTO HOUSE,
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Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882. Wm BROWN.

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J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS,

FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

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Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

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—AT—

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IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Muslins,
All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

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A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS IN ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

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CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC. HENRY FOSTER. MARKDALE.

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Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass, Tares, &c. — Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

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Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

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DOORS,
BLINDS
MOULDINGS,
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Lumber, Lath and Shingles

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

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Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.
All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning
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THOS. McNEA.

Markdale May 27th, 1881. 37-tf

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Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

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The People's
Photographer,
Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

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Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER

Flesherton. March 10, 1881. 26

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

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FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

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Cameron & Kni...
DENTISTS, OWEN SOUN...
Gold Fillings a specialty, and ... tions upon the mouth thoroughly ... petently performed.
Mr. Knight will make regula... Markdale the last Tuesday in ever...

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SURGEON DENTIST
Of Woodstock, Ont., will be at MA... on July 25, for One Week.
Teeth filled with Gold and Amal... Artificial Teeth inserted on Rubb... Natural appearance—Perfect ... Teeth Extracted Without P...

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ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR ... ready for attending to all kin... business. Office—at Kay's Hotel ... Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881

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County Crown Attorney.

J. MASSON.
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MARKDALE
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Funds to lend on reasonabl...
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Markdale, March 15, 1882

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Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880

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MARKDALE.
T. SPROULE, Propr...
THIS popular Hotel has had a ... dition added to it, thoroughly ... and is now second to none in the ... Good stabling and attentive ostler ... class accommodation for comm... ers. Terms $1.00 per day.

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Large and commodious Samp... Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar ... well supplied with the best the ... fords; good Stabling and attentive ...
THOS. ATKINSON, P...
October 31st, 1880.

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AUCTIONEER AND GENER... Agent, Williamsford Stati... Sales attended in all parts of th... Goods sold on commission. Rat... Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Mach... Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vin... tural Implements, and Machine... kinds on sale.
Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

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To begin work at once on sales f... 1882, for the
Fonthill Nurse...
THE LARGEST IN CANA...
HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO. BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL. ST. PAUL, MINN.
NURSERIES, FONTHILL...
We can start in addition to our al... force
100 Additional Canv...
And want men who can give full ... business. Steady employment an... aries to successful men. It does ... what your previous occupation ha... you are willing to work your suc... most certain. The best reference...
Apply to
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community that we have for sale
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Millet,
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guaranteed that we have a full line
LOWER SEEDS.

Patent Medicines, Perfumes
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& Chemicals.
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Medical Hall
Oil Cake just received

DALE
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BATTONS,
FRAM

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Filled.

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Shore.
DRESSED.
Turning

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1882.

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Markdale, Sept 17, 1880. 1-y

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DENTISTS, OWEN SOUND.

Gold Fillings a specialty, and all operations upon the mouth thoroughly and competently performed.

Mr. Knight will make regular trips to Markdale the last Tuesday in every month.

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Teeth filled with Gold and Amalgam.
Artificial Teeth inserted on Rubber Base.
Natural appearance—Perfect Fit.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

Legal.

JOHN B. McMILLAN,

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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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Funds to lend on reasonable terms.
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THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travelers. **Terms $1.00 per day.** 17-ly

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Large and commodious Sample Rooms Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's
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We can start in addition to our already large force

100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been, If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.
Apply to
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Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.

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W.M. LUCAS, Manager.
Spetember 23, 1880. 2-ly

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CARRIAGE WORKS,

DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS,
DEMOCRATS,
BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS,
CUTTERS,
BOB-SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
ON
Every Working Day,
By Thomas Smith,
Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots

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Joseph Gibson,

PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL
PLASTERER,
WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING
in Shades and Colors.
All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.
Markdale P.O.
87-113

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Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Stetes, MARKDALE. 16-y

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

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GENTLEMEN,—
If you want a first-class
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call at
MCKENNA & MASON'S
CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.

They can supply you with anything from a
Lumber Wagon
up to an
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To buy from them is to
SAVE MONEY!

They are both practical workmen, and employ none but
PRACTICAL WORKMEN

They guarantee their work
Second to none for Lightness of Draught and Superiority of Finish.

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The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.

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Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

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Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) in
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SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.
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THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of
GOOD PHOTOS
To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be
Suited as they never were Before
All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,
—AND—
MODERATE PRICES,
Is his motto.
All the Popular Styles made by
J. L. BROWNE,
Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

ROBT. ASKIN, MARKDALE,

Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture!

—AND—

UNDERTKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.
COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all
FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,
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A Splendid Hearse
for hire at moderate rates.

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From the Common to the
Best and Latest Styles,
in everything in the line.
Call and see for yourselves.
ROBT. ASKIN.

Union Carriage Works.

All work manufactured from
FIRST CLASS MATERIAL
In the Lateat and Best Improved
Style, and finished with
English Varnish.
Painting & Trimming Rigs
will receive prompt attention.

All Repairs executed in the shortest possible time consistent with good workmanship.

GOOD WORK A SPECIALITY.

Remember the Shop, opposite the Cheapside
D. J. SHANAHAN,
Proprietor.
Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

T. B. Gilliland,

PROV'NC'L LAND SURVEY'R,
EUGENIA P.O.

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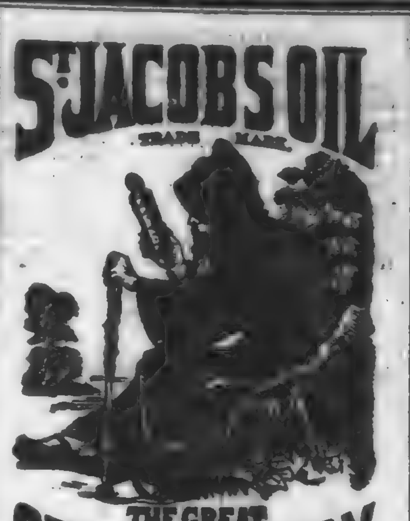

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The Poet's Corner

THE UNDER DOG IN THE FIGHT

I know that the world—that the great, big world—
From the peasant up to the king,
Has a different tale from the tale I tell,
And a different song to sing.

But for me—and I care not a single fig
If they say I am wrong or am right
I shall always go in for the weaker dog,
For the under dog in the fight.

I know that the world—that the great, big world—
Will never a moment stop,
To see which dog may be in the fault,
But will shout for the dog on top.

But for me—I shall never pause to ask
Which dog may be in the right—
For my heart will beat, while it beats at all,
For the under dog in the fight.

Perchance what I've said I had better not said,
Or 'twere better I had said it *incog.*,
But with heart and with glass filled chock to the brim—
Here is luck to the bottom dog!

BABY'S FIB.

Baby, walking in the dark,
Heard one night a big dog bark.

"Let her creep," she softly said,
"In your bed, for she is faid."

Nestle close to mamma dear,
Baby sleeps, and knows no fear,

Rosy morning lights the skies
And opens darling baby's eyes;

Just as bright as any skies
Are our darling's starry eyes;

Just as fair as any day
Are the curls that round them play.

Nor when next night she walking thought
How nice to leave her lonely cot,

And creep into her mamma's bed—
Oh, shall I tell you what she said?

What a little baby fib
Trundled off her tongue, so glib?

Put the truth it must be told—
And baby's only two years old,

And the night was dark and long—
And she didn't know 'twas wrong—

So this is what the darling said,
Lying in her little bed;

Though no voice of dog was heard,
Though no sound the night air stirred,

Came a whisper in the dark;
"Mamma, she fink she heard dog bark."

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In mamma's bed, all in the dark,
She creeps, "cos she fink she hear dog bark."

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

Chapter XXIII.

'SIX YEARS TOO LATE.'

Poor little Rose, Indeed! In the dark she came gliding forward, so unlike herself—so like a spirit—so wan, so wasted—that with a shocked exclamation, he drew her to him and looked into her worn face.

'They told me you were ill, Rose, but not like this. If I had thought! If I had known—'

She flung her arms around his neck, and hid her face on his shoulder.

'Don't, Redmond. Don't look—don't speak to me like that. I don't deserve it—I don't deserve any love or kindness from you. I have deceived you shamefully. You will despise me—you will hate me when I have told you all.'

'Will I? I am not sure of that, when you have told me all I think I shall still be sorry to see those hollow cheeks and sunken eyes, and wasted hands. Shall I light the lamps, Rose, or—'

'No no! no lights; such a wretch as I am should tell her story in the dark. Here, sit down in this chair, Redmond, and let me take this chair at your feet.

What must the story be like when the preface is so terrible? Out with it, Rose; I promise not to be too stern. It's the story, I suppose, about this fellow, Dantree?'

'It is. Redmond, I thought to have told you that other night, but I am a coward—a weak, pitiful coward. For seven years I have kept the secret I tell you to night, Redmond,' a great gasp. 'You asked me if Gaston Dantree was my lover, and I said yes. I should have told you the truth; he was more than my lover. He was my—husband.'

The last word seemed to suffocate her. She crouched farther down as though shrinking almost from a blow. She had expected a great start—an exclamation of amaze and horror—either as hard to bear as a blow. 'Your husband! This a surprise. And for seven years you have been this scoundrel's wife?'

'For seven long, miserable years. Oh, brother, forgive me. I have done shamefully wrong—I have been a living lie—I have deceived the kindest grandfather—the dearest brother, but if you knew what I have suffered—'

'I can believe it,' he said; you have atoned for your folly indeed. Don't fear, Rose. I can only regret that you did not tell me long ago. Tell me now at least—all.'

'I wasn't quite eighteen, and just home from my convent school when I met him first, with all a girl's foolish dreams of beauty, and love, and romance. He was very handsome—with that dash, and ease, and grace of a man of the world. And if he had been a very Vulcan of ugliness, his divine voice might have won my dreaming, sentimental girl's heart. The aroma of conquest hung about him—married ladies petted and spoiled him—young ladies raved of his beaux yeaux and his Mario voice, and I—I fell in love with him in a reckless, desperate sort of a way, as later I suppose poor Katherine Dangerfield did in this very house. I was M. De Lansac's reputed heiress then, and just the sort of a prize he was looking out for. Very young, very silly, not bad looking, and the heiress of one or two million dollars—a prize even worthy his stooping to win. My grandfather detested him—forbade him the house—forbade me to see or speak to him. Then began my wrong-doing—I did see him I did speak to him—I loved him—you wouldn't ununderstand if I told you how dearly, and—and—Redmond—I consented to a private marriage. He was afraid to lose M. De Lansac's heiress, and I was afraid to lose him. He threatened to leave New orleans and never return if I refused. I married him, and for a little time was happy in a fool's paradise. Only for a little while indeed. My grandfather, in the most unexpected and sudden manner, as you know, got married. Gaston was furious—no need to tell you how he stormed and raved, or the names he called M. De Lansac. I received my first lesson in his real character then. That year he remained in New Orleans—then little Louis was born, and all his hopes were at an end. He might bid good-bye to M. De Lansac's great fortune. He came to me one night—we met in secret on the grounds—like a man beside himself with rage and disappointment. He accused me of being the cause of it all; it was bad enough to be a beggar himself, without being deluded into marrying a beggar. He bade me savagely keep our marriage a dead secret.

He went to England, wrote me—I replied, got no answer, at length I wrote for my letters and picture; I received them by the very next mail, but not a single word from him besides.

I was ill after that, tired of New Orleans, weary of life. I longed only to see Ireland, to see you. Then I read in the English papers of Dantree's marriage to Miss Dangerfield, of Scarswood Park, Sussex.

How I lived through it all I know not. I read the story of her marriage and the tragedy of her death. How I longed to see and know that he was dead, that I should be free to end my days in a convent.

Miss Hernecastle knows whether he is alive or dead, but will not tell me anything more.

'Well,' said Redmond, 'I pity you, I forgive you. I will find out whether Dantree be alive. As for Miss Hernecastle, she is more sinned against than sinning, and I'm sorry for her too.

'I have,' he continued, 'no pity for Lady Dangerfield, none whatever. However, this house of discord is no place for us now. Pack up to-morrow and go to France. I'll find Gaston Dantree.'

'I have one farewell to make, Lady Cecil, I wonder if she is happy. Have you heard of her engagement to Sir Arthur? He proposed on the night of the masquerade, and was accepted."

He stooped and kissed his sister's pale cheek, and then Redmond was gone.

As he was leaving he thought of the Torryglen romance, and—but just then he met Lord Ruysland.

'Ah, O'Donnell,' said the earl, 'glad to see you. Terrible affair been going on here. All through Miss Hernecastle. She owns nothing truly, still we are certain that she persuaded Ginevra to go to the ball, and there impersonated the knight as Major Frankland.'

'Am sorry for Lady Dangerfield, she has been kind to Rose, and I hope this affair may be settled amicably after all.'

'Yes, I hope so.' answered the earl, 'but I doubt it. It's a confounded bore for me, now that everything is settled—'

He stopped suddenly.

'You allude to Lady Cecil's engagement, I presume,' O'Donnell supplemented, quite calmly. 'Rose has told me. My only surprise is that it should be announced at this late day as news. I believe I am correct in thinking it a very old affair indeed—of six years standing or more.'

Very few people ever had the good fortune to see Raoul, Earl of Ruysland at a loss, but for one brief moment he was at a loss now.

'Very old affair—oh, yes, very—ever since his father's death—in fact, it has been tacitly—er—understood—nothing definite—aw—too young, of course, and all that sort of thing. It was the desire of the late Sir John, as well as myself, and—er—the young people were by no means adverse to carrying out our wishes. All is happily settled now—the wedding will take place without any unnecessary delay. Are you going to Castleford at once? I should like to have a half hour's conversation with you about,'—he lowered his voice—'about Miss Herncastle; I have placed a detective on her track.'

O'Donnell found Cecil in the drawing-room singing just as she used to sing at Torryglen.

Cecil said 'I hope you admire my waltz—it is of my own composing. I call it the Rose Waltz, and dedicate it to Miss Rose O'Donnell.'

'I like it, but I liked the song I heard you singing as I came in better—my song, Lady Cecil. Do you remember the last time I sang it standing beside you in the little parlor at Torryglen, as I stand now? You playing, and your father asleep in his arm-chair—or was he only pretending sleep, and watching us? The last time, Lady Cecil, only I did not know it.'

She made no reply. She still played the Rose Waltz, but she struck the chords at random.

'I remember it so well. You were dressed in white as you are now. White is your fitting color, Lady Cecil. You had wild roses in your hair, and we sang together all the evening and scarcely spoke a word. You have changed since then—grown taller, more womanly, more beautiful; and yet—will you be offended?—I think I liked the 'Queenie of Torryglen' than La Reine Blanche of Scarswood.'

'Captain O'Donnell's memory is good,' she answered, 'better than I gave him credit for. I remember the evening he alludes to very well—the last though I did not know it either. And will he be offended if I tell him that I liked the Redmond O'Donnell who saved my life, who sang songs, who was neither blase nor cynical, much better than the dashing Chasseur d'Afrique of six years after. I fear time improved neither of us; I have grown worldly, you a cynic. What will be ten years hence, I wonder?'

He then spoke to her in allegorical language of their happy time at Torryglen, and when it came to the letters she received after their departure she said:

'Captain O'Donnell, what story is this? Is it—is it—'

'My own,' Lady Cecil! Yes; you need hardly ask the question, I think,' he said.

'Need I not? Yours? And what letter is this you talk of, written by my hand and signed with my name. I don't understand.'

'You don't understand. A few minutes ago you accused me of a defective memory. But I suppose a matter of such trifling import could not be expected to remain in your memory. I mean the letter you wrote me, rejecting my presumptuous suit—telling me of your engagement to Sir Arthur Tregenna, the night before you left Torryglen.'

'I never wrote any such letter.'

'Lady Cecil!'

'I never wrote any such—'

She paused suddenly. Over her face there rose a flush, her hands clasped together—she looked at him, a sudden light breaking upon her.

'The note papa dictated, and which he made me write,' she said in a sort of whisper. 'Redmond, I see it all!'

The old name, the thrill his heart gave as he heard it. In the days that were gone it had been 'Redmond' and 'Queenie' always.

In a broken voice she told him the story of that note.

'Queenie, if I had spoken—if you had known!'

'But you did not,' she interrupted coldly, 'so we will not discuss the question. Why have you spoken at all?'

'Because I could not hard, cold, immovable as you think me—I could not part with you again—this time forever—without knowing whether or no you really wrote my death-warrant six years ago. It was so unlike you—it has rankled so bitterly all those years, and of late the truth began to dawn upon me. Perhaps because the old sweet madness has never left me; and when we have parted—when you are a happy wife and I am back in Algiers—the happiness of knowing that Queenie was all I thought her—my little love, my true friend, and not even at sixteen a coquette, a trifler with men's hearts—will repay me for all I have lost.'

He stopped abruptly. She had covered her face with her hands, and he could see the tears that fell thick and fast.

'Sir Arthur Tregenna is my friend,' he said, his own voice broken. 'Heaven knows I have no wish to say one word he may not hear, but, Queenie, I must speak to-night for the first—the last time. I have loved you—I do love you—I will love you while life lasts. If fate had willed it otherwise—if rank and fortune had been mine years ago, they would have been laid at your feet, where my heart has been all these years. Free or plighted, I know how utterly, wildly impossible it would be for you to listen to me. It may be dastardly deed to speak at all, but I must. You pity me, at least. Ah! Queenie, I would not have the past changed, with all its suffering, its loss, its misery, if I could. The thought of you is the sweetest thought of my life. If I have distressed you by speaking, I am sorry. Forgive me, Queenie, for this and all the rest.'

'Forgive!' He asked no more. And in that instant, if he had said 'Come,' she would have left rank and wealth, father and friends, and gone with him to beggary. But not for the crown of the world would he have said it. He loved her—but honour more.

'Let this be our farewell,' he said gently; 'let our real parting be now. When we say it again it will be before the world. We will both be the happier, I hope, for understanding each other at last; you will think me no more a cynic and a scoffer—I will know you no more for a heartless coquette, Good-bye, Queenie; may God bless you and make you happy!'

He held out his hand; she laid hers in it—the other hid her face. 'Their hands clasped and the spirit kissed.' 'Good-bye!' she heard him say again, holding her hand hard. Then he let it go, walked to the door, looked back once at the drooping figure, and was gone.

TO BE CONTINUED.

SATISFACTORY RESULTS IN MONTREAL.

Whilst Montreal is a model city in many respects, it is not exactly a quarter section of Paradise, as Capt. Géo. Murphy, Chief of Government Police can testify. A reporter of a Montreal journal waited upon this gentleman a short time ago, and put to him the following query:

"Chief, do you find the duties irksome and dangerous in your strange calling?"

"Irksome," replied Mr. Murphy, "I seldom find them; but that they are attended with danger is very true. There is danger to be faced, of course, from wind, weather and criminals, and the least of these dangers, is not those of exposure and bad weather. The heavy, moist atmosphere that gathers over the water is very conducive to rheumatism, and many of my men suffer from that complaint more or less. I believe our danger from exposure from this time forward is past, as St. Jacob's Oil, if applied in time in cases of rheumatism, has a wonderful way of knocking that malady out of people. It certainly relieved me of a pain in my shoulders."

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

The council met on Monday, July 3, in Flesherton town hall. Present, Messrs. Christoe, Elliott, Wright, Pedlar, and Webster.

Minutes and communications were read.

Payments made as under:

Mrs Thompson, for bread furnished to Boyles and Taylor	10 87
John Hargraves, gravel	6 00
W. J. Bellamy, salary	37 50

Orders for road jobs were passed, ward 3, $102.50; and for ward No. 4 $71.15.

Mrs Roseborough, Eugenia, was exempted from statute labour for present year.

Pathmasters to enforce the law respecting the performance of statute labour by farmers sons and others liable.

The reeve was authorised to issue orders for road jobs upon commissioners' certificate.

$20 to be spent on town line between gravel road and Nelson's saw-mill, provided Proton expends a like sum.

$20 to be granted on townline Glenelg and Artemesia. The commissioner for ward 1 to grant $20 of ward appropriation, provided Glenelg does likewise.

Commissioner ward 2 may expend $20 if Glenelg spends $20; and may expend $100 on gravel road provided the Glenelg council will spend a like amount.

Gravel pit to be purchased from C. Bellamy if it can be procured for $35.

Council adjourned till Aug. 7, 10 a.m., Flesherton, when all school trustees rates are required.

A farmer at St. Foye says he has struck an effective plan to get rid of potato bugs. He puts baby's socks on the chickens' feet, then lets them run in the garden, where the chickens peck without scratching. This seems feasible.

A WOMAN'S REFUSAL.

No, Impertinence, you shan't have one
How many times must I refuse?
Away!
I say!
Or else you'll sure my friendship lose;
I cannot bear such forward fun.
So quick, begone! If not I'll run!
Why now, I'll have to be severe—
No, not a kiss to you I'll give:
Take care;
I swear!
I'll tell papa, as sure's I live;
I never saw a man so queer!
But are you sure there's no one near!

A HINT ABOUT WEEDS.

In harvesting indian corn and wheat, we cut them long before the grain—the seed, is ripe. When the grain in either is fully formed, the stalks are cut; experience has shown that the ripening process goes on; the stalk contains sufficient nutriment to perfect the grains, and it does this after the plant is cut away from the root. Indeed, the grain thus treated, often comes to greater perfection, than if the plant were left until the seed is fully ripe. What takes place with these crop plants, also occur with weeds. Many weeds, if cut up while in flower, still have nutriment enough in their stems and leaves to perfect and ripen a crop of seeds. It therefore happens, that the mere cutting up of many weeds, and leaving them to dry upon the ground, does little towards their extermination. The common Purslane—or 'Pussley,' for example, has remarkable vitality, its very succulent stems will remain alive for weeks, and even continue to grow after they have been deprived of the root. It is one thing to cut up weeds with the hoe; it is equally important and it should always be done in gardens, to gather up the weeds by the use of a rake, and carry them to a brush heap, where they will ultimately be buried.—*American Agriculturist for August.*

CHATSWORTH.

Mr Freeman has sold a large stock of furniture to Mr Crane.

Sheep stealers are busy about here. Mr Gunn of Arnott, are again losers; this time two fine sheep were taken from a meadow.

A couple from Bentinck came here last Wednesday week in the hope of getting united in matrimony, but so many difficulties arose in finding the officials that the poor man gave it up at last, saying that "a day's marryin' was worse than a whole year's sparkin'."

The new warehouse has been leased another year to the present lessee for $240, being an advance of $40 on last year.

$7000 IF THE CASE IS PROVEN.

A remarkable case is now before an Australian court. A roman catholic merchant left by will a bequest of $7000 to be used to deliver his soul from purgatory. The executor, who is a sceptic and a humorist demands legal proof from the local priests that this has been done before he will pay over the money. The burden of an unexpected problem is thus put upon the church, as it is called upon to prove to the satisfaction of a law court that purgatory has an actual existence, that prayer has power to release souls from it, and that this particular soul has already been released.

The puzzle is a curious one, and the interested clergymen are much perplexed over the quandary in which they are placed.

The Irish crop reports become more favourable.

August 1 was observed at Meaford as a civic holiday.

The son of a Russian consul has been supplying the nihilists with dynamite.

About 200 people visited Toronto from Shelburne via T. G. & B. last Thursday.

Miss Anna Parnell has been prostrated with brain fever brought on by her sister's death.

The T. G. & B. traffic receipts for week ending July 22 were $9237. that is $3838 over the corresponding week of last year.

The Mormons are persecuting the Gentiles, and are determined to contest the new act. Openly they live with but one wife.

It has been found necessary to expel 400 lazy Russian refugees from Castle Garden, New York, after sheltering them there for six weeks.

Henry Hager, a Westminster farmer fell off his mowing machine last Friday, and got his arm entangled in the knife. The horses were stopped and he was released. Medical assistance arrived, but it was unavailing. He died soon after.

A negro 'preacher described hell as being ice-cold, where wicked froze to all eternity. When asked why, he said, 'Cause I don't care to tell dem people nuffin else. Why if I tell dem dat hell is warm, dey want to go right away, some of dem rheumatic ole niggers, do very fus frost.'

A piece of paper containing a statement was found in the bush at Scarboro' a few days ago: "I, Walter Turnbull, stayed here on Sunday, 24h June, without money or food for three days, so my days are short. Should anyone see this give notice to Alex. Turnbull, Durham, Co. Grey." The bush was searched, but no trace of the writer could be found. Mr Turnbull of Durham has a brother Walter, but does not know where to find him at the present time.

Speaking to his constituents at Northampton the other day, Bradlaugh said it was within his power to go to the table of the house any day he choose and take his seat, and he should do so whenever he thought it would serve him in the fight in which he was engaged. He would give no previous notice of his intention because of the treatment he had received. He said that he would accept no compromise and agree to no terms.

T. G. & B. RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

	Exp. a.m.	Mxd. a.m.	Mail. p.m
Owen Sound, dep.	5.20	7.35	3.45
Chatsworth	5.51	8.33	4.18
Williamsford	6.06	9.03	4.37
Berkeley	6.16	9.22	4.48
Markdale	6.29	9.45	5.02
Flesherton	6.43	10.12	5.19
Proton	6.57	10.37	5.33
Dundalk	7.08	11.12	5.47
Corbetton	7.17	11.26	5.57
Melancthon	7.27	11.43	6.08
Shelburne	7.34	11.57	6.17
Orangeville ..dep.	8.27	1.30	7.15
Mount Forest	12.18		8.50
Harriston	12.55		9.15
Teeswater	2.25		10.15
Mono Road	9.13	2.50	7.58
Bolton	9.25	3.20	8.14
Klienburg	9.40	3.43	8.27
Woodbridge	9.52	4.07	8.39
Parkdale	10.25	5.25	9.15
Toronto	10.35		9.25

GOING NORTH.

Toronto ......dep.	7.35		4.35
Parkdale	7.45	8.35	4.43
Woodbridge	8.20	9.52	5.17
Kleinburg	8.33	10.15	5.29
Bolton	8.45	10.35	5.39
Mono Road	9.01	11.05	5.54
Teeswater	5.15		3.10
Harriston	6.16		4.25
Mount Forest	6.37		4.55
Orangeville	10.00	1.00	7.00
Shelburne	10.12	2.23	7.38
Melancthon	10.52	2.42	7.47
Corbetton	11.03	3.02	7.57
Dundalk	11.12	3.20	8.04
Proton	11.25	3.47	8.17
Flesherton	11.39	4.15	8.30
Markdale	11.57	5.02	8.45
Berkeley	12.10pm	5.23	8.57
Williamsford	12.21	5.40	9.07
Chatsworth	12.40	6.08	9.24
Owen Sound	1.15	7.00	9.55

THURSDAY, AUG. 3

THE RECENT FIRE.

A week ago great consternation had taken hold of the villagers. To-day excitement has abated, and the fire is a thing of the past, and almost forgotten ere it is thoroughly put out.

So much for the townspeople in general, whose interests are but remotely affected by the sad occurrence. Not so, however, with the farmers and merchants more immediately concerned. They are at a loss to know what steps to take to mitigate the evil. Already the harvest has commenced, grain is being gathered, and very soon some of it will have to be turned into coin. But will Markdale market be ready to receive it? Or shall we be reminded of the days agone, when teams were worn out carrying grain to remote markets.

The Markdale grain season of '82-3 is liable to considerable injury, unless steps are immediately taken to mitigate the loss of the elevaters. It is not an easy matter to build just now. The cost of an elevator would be enhanced quite one-third by its compulsory erection at this season, apart from the desirability of working night and day to get it erected in time for the grain.

The farmers are interestedly willing to render assistance; the merchants are interestedly willing to build. We will suggest a plan by which the farmers and grain buyers can now very materially [illegible] merchants would probably [illegible] ced to [illegible] place themselves in a p[illegible] buy the grain from the farmers, provided the latter would render some assistance in the way of [illegible] timber and lumber. We feel sure that if this matter could be talked over by the farmers and the merchants, some understanding could be come to by which both the parties would be mutually benefitted.

THE GLOBE AND THE FIRE AT MARKDALE.

Referring to a leading article in the St[illegible] week, the Globe says, "[illegible] disastrous fire at Markdale [illegible] the STANDARD to address [illegible] but timely remarks to the p[illegible] of that village that a repitition of the disaster may be prevented. A night watchman, a fire company, an engine, and an abundant supply of water are imperatively required. But first of all, the village ought to be incorporated. The STANDARD takes the sensible view of the situation."

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL MINUTES

Anent our remarks respecting the delay in being furnished with the minutes, the Advance goes almost to the extent of saying that we have no right to them at all. Why should one local paper get these minutes supplied to it and not another. If any paper should have them, that paper is the Standard, as it has a larger circulation in Artemesia than any other local paper. We look at the matter in the simple light that these minutes are published in the public interest, and therefore should be printed as soon as possible after the meeting of the council.

As to "belittling" our contemporary, that happens to be a little beyond our power.

PUBLIC AND HIGH SCHOOLS.

Certain changes are proposed in the Departmental Regulations, to take effect at the end of the summer vacation. When formally approved the text of the amended regulations will be placed in the hands of School Officials and others concerned in a matter of such great importance to the teacher.

THE THUNDERER.

The London Times referring to Canada gives vent to the following strong language: "Our colonies owe us a great deal and make us a remarkably small return. We nurse them through their puling infancy, insure for their youth an opportunity for tranquil, undisturbed growth, and our reward usually is that as soon as they reach something approaching manhood they display independence by putting prohibitive, restrictive taxes upon our commerce. Our behaviour to them is largely regulated by a kind paternal feeling, and their behaviour towards us is shaped upon commercial principle, usually false ones. They expect us to defend them and regulate our fleets and armies accordingly: In return they buy from us whatever they cannot get as cheaply elsewhere. They might at least treat us with the respect and courtesy we receive at the hands of our peers."

The War News.

WEDNESDAY.

One of the most important items of news conveyed by the latest despatches regarding the Eastern position is that Germany favours England's policy so long as she holds to her "police" duties, Germany reserving to herself the right to intervene in the final settlement of the question. The preparations against the rebels in Egypt are being hurried forward. The question—what shall be done in Egypt?—threatens to wreck the French Ministry. At the seat of war the British have moved their position closer to that of Arabi. The rebel leader is not pushing forward his operations with the steadiness which has hitherto characterized his actions—owing, probably, to dissensions in his camp. He has sent to the Khedive a statement of the terms on which he will surrender. His offence must be condoned, and he allowed to retain command of a portion of those troops now participating with him in the rebellion. The terms have been of course rejected. A night attack was made by the Egyptians on the British force, but the attacking party were repulsed without much difficulty.

THURSDAY.

Turkey has now accepted intervention in Egypt, and will despatch troops at once. If the Sultan hoped by this move to prevent English intervention he will be sorely disappointed. The British ambassador has declared that the hour for Turkish intervention alone has passed, but that British forces will now co-operate with the Porte's troops. Arabi has declared his intention not to harm the Canal so long as its neutrality is maintained. The troops at Aboukir having refused to surrender, the Inflexible has gone there to bombard the fort. At Alexandria another incendiary fire was started in the native quarter, but prevented from spreading.

FRIDAY.

Arabi Bey is said to be suing for peace, his terms being immunity from punishment and retention of rank and pay by himself and friends, he and they to go into voluntary retirement. Arabi says he would not oppose Turkish troops if they acted by themselves, but still sticks to his original claim that the British desire to conquer the country. Stern measures of repression are still necessary to uphold the law in Alexandria, but order is being gradually restored. A report comes among the latest despatches that Turkey has made overtures to Britain to take Egypt on the same terms as those on which Cyprus was taken over.

SATURDAY.

The despatches concerning the war shew that the influence of the trouble is extending wider every day.

All the European nations are keenly on the watch that their respective interests may not be injuriously affected.

MONDAY.

The European Conference has been broken up by the virtual withdrawal of Russia, for reasons best known to herself, from the deliberations. Yesterday the Grenadier Guards embarked for the seat of war, the wild enthusiasm which was displayed on the occasion demonstrating the feeling of the British public on this question. Sir Garnet Wolseley has recovered from his sickness, and will start for the seat of war on Friday. Meanwhile Arabi is doing his best to strengthen his position and excite and encourage his followers.

TUESDAY.

The first detachment of Turkish troops have embarked for Egypt, but England will not allow them to land unless they agree to remain subordinate to General Wolseley and obey his orders. Arabi, who is kept constantly informed upon all negotiations at Constantinople, probably perceiving that indications of the Sultan's early submission to England's demands, has adopted the desperate resolution of marching upon Alexandria, and at 8 p. m. last night firing had been commenced between the British and his advance guard. He has a large body of troops, and appears from his movements to contemplate surrounding the city and driving out the British. Troops are leaving England daily for the scene of action, and are loudly cheered by crowds who witness their departure.

ORANGE COUNCIL.

The annual meeting of the Grand Black Chapter of British America, of Royal Black Knights of Ireland, assembled in council at Orangeville, 26 and 27 July, 1882.

The central committee met at two o'clock to form their report for the past year, and for future prospects.

The grand chapter met at 7 o'clock in the Town hall, when the grand master addressed the central committee. The registrar's and treasurer's reports were received and adopted.

The council then adjourned till the next day at 8 o'clock.

An address of welcome from the county grand chapter meeting at Orangeville, composed of parts of the counties of Dufferin, Wellington, and Grey, was read and presented by Jos. McArdle and the members of his preceptory.

The grandest feature was the presentation of plate, comprising a silver tray and tea-set, from the provincial grand chapter of Western Ontario; by Sir W. J. Parkhill, M.P.P. Grand Master, to Sir J. T. Jones last Provincial Grand Master for his faithful services during the past five years.

Although the meeting was not so large as in former years, there was a fair representation of offices present.

The next meeting will be held at St. Catherines, June 1883.

Votes of thanks were passed thanking the knights of Orangeville for their kindness.

A diamond valued at $7,000 was found in the bed of a creek near Danbury, N. C., on Saturday morning. Several diamonds have already been found in the State.

On Saturday morning H. Caldwell, J. Hargett, and several children were standing at the foot of a large tree. Lightning struck the tree and severely injured seven of the party. Caldwell, Hargett, and a girl were almost killed.

A young woman of Campbellford went to the circus in Belleville, and in exchange for a four dollar bill received some worthless advertising scrip and her ticket. She did not discover the fraud that had been perpetrated till she got home. The ticket was purchased from the circus agent.

The Allan steamship Parisian reached Moville on Saturday, 6 days 14 hrs after leaving Rimouski. This is the shortest time ever recorded for making the ocean trip, and the captain of the noble vessel is being congratulated on all hands.

The attention of our readers and subscribers is drawn to new advertisements constantly appearing in our columns, and to the houses represented in these advertisements we recommend your trade. A merchant who has a good stock at reasonable prices is not slow to make the fact known to the public.

Samples of fall wheat from four different fields lying between Barhead mills and Flesherton station were left in this office on Monday. The wheat is well filled, is of good colour, and a yield of about 35 bushels to the acre is expected. These are not at all exceptional cases, but a reasonable estimate of the fall wheat crop in this section.

A well-known citizen entered the garden of Mr Thos. Foster in Markdale, early on Sunday morning and raised several rows of potatoes, most of which they took away; a lot were left on the ground. The party will be roughly handled should they be caught at any such work in future. Villagers must watch their potato patches.

One of the best answers an infidel ever received was made by an old lady to whom he remarked that he didn't believe in a God he couldn't see. "Do you believe you have any brains?" she asked. "Of course," was his reply. "Did you ever see them?" The answer came faintly, "No." "Did any one else ever see them?"—and the controversy came to a sudden close.

At the Sauble, on the 27th ult., Mrs Bumstead, an old lady of 67 summers, was going from the barn to the house, when a board from the roof of an outhouse was blown down, and it struck Mrs Bumstead, breaking her leg, and dislocating her ankle. Dr Oldham attend the injured lady, who is now doing well.

The Mirror gives the Advance some sound advice in the matter of name-calling, that should make the Advance ashamed of itself. It is a great pity that not only some of our newspapers, but also some of our M.P.'s and others do not raise themselves above the low level which permits them to use language unbecoming the "untutored Indian." Children and foolish people fancy that vile language makes them "look big," whereas it just proves their utter littleness and insignificance.

Supdt. Conway, having charge of the Lachine canal, has put an end to indecent bathing for some time. He followed the Ontario mail steamer in a tug, and after some dozen men had jumped into the steamer's swell headed for shore, seized their clothes, and told them to call at his office the next morning. Friends obtained clothing for them after long waiting, but one wag scorned to wait; knocking the bottom out of an empty flour barrel he improvised it as a suit, and trudged home inside, to the delight of the crowd.

Mum socials are becoming popular in country districts. The victims gather in the church basement, and it is agreed that any person who speaks shall be find from ten to twenty-five cents, the fines to be devoted to the organ fund, the library fund, or the bilding fund, as the case may be. The success of the entertainment is determined by the numerical strength of the ladies who attend. No lady has yet escaped the penalty for speaking.

WONDERFUL MATERNITY.

THREE SISTERS BECOME MOTHERS ON THE SAME DAY AND EACH HAS TWINS.

The Assyrian Monarch, of the Monarch line, arrived yesterday afternoon with a full complement of Russian Jewish refugees passengers. Among these there were three married women, sisters, named Ruth Jacobsky, Lena Itakok and Mariam Levinski, who, with their husbands, left Odessa last winter. In Russia where they had been married on the same day fifteen months ago, they belonged to the middle class. The husbands of these women are tailors, with their wives and co-religionists, were sent on board the Assyrian Monarch for New York. On Sunday, June 1, Lena Itakok, who is a very prepossessing Jewess, about 22 years old, became a mother of two fine, healthy girls. Her two sisters were in the act of congratulating the newly-made mamma, when they themselves found that they were in want of the doctor's service. At two o'clock in the afternoon Ruth Jacobsky, who is 27 and a good looking blonde, had done as well as her other sister, and had at that moment presented her fortunate husband with two boys. At nine o'clock at night two more girl strangers made their appearance on board the boat, and Mariam Leuiski, the youngest sister, aged 19, was receiving the felicitations of her husband and brothers-in-law. On Friday the two boys were initiated into one of the mysteries of Judaism. At the circumcision they were both named Isaac, which means "I should smile." The girls have not yet been named, but the children received a present from the captain of the steamer, who declares, although he has carried many thousands of passengers in his day, he has not seen such a remarkable trio as the three Russian Jewesses who vied with each other in their presents to their liege lords and masters.

An interesting case was tried in the Police Court, Port Hope, last Thursday, which excited a great deal of comment. The Rev. Mr. McDermott, the esteemed pastor of the Baptist Church, was summoned before the magistrate on a charge of abuse, preferred against him by an employee of Ambrose's brewery. Last Sunday the rev. gentleman from his pulpit spoke in deprecatory terms of circuses, horse races, etc., and referred to the action of a councillor (the plaintiff) who at a meeting of the Council recently assailed several of the members for voting against the appropriation of a sum of money for horse-racing. After hearing the evidence, the Magistrate promptly dismissed the case with costs to the plaintiff. A great deal of sympathy is expressed for Mr. Mcdermott.

STRAYED.

CAME into my premises on Saturday, the 22nd of July, a red and white cow with a piece out of her left ear. Any person proving property and paying expenses can take her away.

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Aug. 2nd 1882. 99-4t*

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Dundalk, Aug. 2nd, 1882. 49-2*

NOTICE

A PUBLIC MEETING of the Ratepayers of Markdale village will be held in Dufferin Hall, on Friday, (to-morrow) evening at Eight o'clock, for the purpose of considering the advisability of purchasing

A FIRE ENGINE;

Other matters will also be considered. A full attendance is requested.

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Markdale, May 21st, 1882. 5

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Flour	6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do.	1.14	to	1.15
Barley	1.05	"	0.00
Oats	0.38	"	0.38
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.15	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel.	0.72	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.72	to	.72
Oats " 1	.40	to	.40
Butter " 1	.16	to	.16
Eggs		.to	.15
Potatoes "	75	to	75
Pork "	0.00	to	0.00
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.15
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 24	to	$1 25
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 62	to	0 65
Oats, do.	0 48	to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82	to	0 85
Rye, do.	0 70	to	0 75
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.			
Beef, hind quarters	11 00	to	12 00
Beef, fore quarters	9 00	to	10 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	14	to	0 17
Butter, store-packed do.	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	o 17	to	0 17
Eggs, packed	o 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 50	to	1 50
Hay	10 50	to	14 00
Wool	00 19	to	00 20

A piece of paper containing a statement was found in the bush at Scarboro' a few days ago: "I, Walter Turnbull, stayed here on Sunday, 24th June, without money or food for three days, so my days are short. Should anyone see this give notice to Alex. Turnbull, Durham, Co. Grey. The bush was searched, but no trace of the writer could be found. Mr Turnbull of Durham has a brother Walter, but does not know where to find him at the present time.

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" North 11 30 p.m,
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Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
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Sabbath School 2.30.
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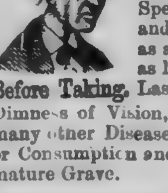

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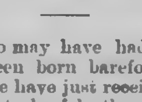

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday Aug. 3, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

...rain on Tuesday.

...hrasia council, Aug. 4.

...mesia council, Aug. 7.

...ton council meets Aug. 17.

...council meets Aug. 21.

Markdale cattle fair, Saturday, Aug ...

Flesherton has purchased a fire en-gine.

...n socials are developing rather ...y.

...ative Methodist field day, Au-...

... in Tea at Trimble & ...

...member Markdale cattle fair on ...

Meaford district seems troubled ... fire bugs.

...arge quantity of empty flasks ... McIntyre's.

...nder the cattle fair at Mark-... Saturday next.

...great variety of new fruit just ar-... to-day at McIntyre's.

...e Meaford Mirror is exhibiting ... grass 5ft 8in. long.

...ery oils of various brands ... the Medical Hall, Markdale.

...hen you hug in the dark; it ... will break grandmother's ...

...dall's Treatise on the Horse ... Diseases at this office for 15 ...

...ne and a half tons sugar at Trim-... Wright's, which is being sold ...

... Manitoulin Expositor which is ...ed on Saturday, reached us on ...

Mr. J. ... McMaster has been fined ... horses on Thornbury ...

Berkeley will have a daily mail go-...north, commencing Monday last, ...

... cases of small pox have ...reported at Winnipeg. Eight ...fatal.

...rd Kimberley's appointment as ... Bright's successor is said to but ...porary.

Mr Gjondrum, late of the T. G. & B. ...now stationed at Arden, County of ...lington.

Buy Kendall's Treatise on the ...se and save your beast—15 cents ...this office.

Miss Bond of Owen Sound got bad-...ly kicked between the eyes while visit-... St Vincent.

Five negroes were sruck by light-...ng at Symrna, Tenn., on Sunday. ...will die.

Mr. J. M. Webster, of Kingston, ...s sunstruck at Belleville on Thurs-...day afternoon.

... Hessian fly is visiting London ... the wheat crop is said to be dam-... 20 per cent,

A. Munshaw, Esq., is veneering his ... with brick, the work will be com-...pleted in a few days.

John Edge was horribly mangled by the bursting of a grindstone at the Ontario File Works on Friday night ...

The Lord Lieut. of Ireland and the Colonial Office are considering the subject of assisted Irish emigration to Canada.

James Reynolds, Esq., sold his farm of 200 acres in St. Vincent township for $10,000 to J. Stronach, of Salone, Scotland.

Dr Holmes has about the best kept farm anywhere near Meaford. It is a small one, but care is taken to make the most of it.

Remember the Garden Party next M... at the Methodist Parsonage. Admission only 15c. We hope to see a large crowd.

For watches that are reliable time-keepers, and the best value in jewellry, J. R. Trumble, Flesherton, is taking the lead.

A young lady from Priceville fell from the California swing at Eugenia Falls on Monday last, and received serious injuries.

There seems to be some dissatisfaction with the manner the mails are made up or carried between Meaford and Artemesia.

A public meeting is called at the Dufferin hall to-morrow (Friday) evening to consider the advisability of purchasing a fire engine. See adv.

The rumor that the Prince of Wales is again bard up gains ground. His liabilities are set down at $3,000,000, of which $ 00,000 are due to his wine merchant.

Mr F. McCann, near Williamsford, is lying dangerously ill. Recently while very warm he took a drink of cold spring water; this has caused in flammation to set in and his life is despaired of.

Among the candidates for teachers at the Manitowaning examination last week, were Louis N. Thibaudeau and Herbert Irwin, late of Markdale, and Thos. and Minnie Flesher, late of Flesherton.

Last Friday week a lad named Clark fell off a load of hay and had his left arm broken. This occurred on the 4th line, Euphrasia. Dr Maclean put him right.

On Sunday afternoon Mr Kemp's dwelling house was burned to the ground. Mr Kemp is section foreman on the T. G. & B. at Teeswater. The loss is about $300; no insurance. Cause unknown.

Dr Sproule was honored at Thornbury on the 20th ult. with an address and presentation. The former spoke in high terms of the Dr, and the latter consisted of a heavy silver pitcher and tray. The occasion was a supper at Lowe's hotel.

A verdict has been given against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad for damage by delay owing to the freight handlers' strike. If this is sustained by the higher courts many other suits of a similar character will be pressed.

Dundalk.

Fire.—On the 25th of July the barn of P. H. Messeroll, on lot 255, con. 8, S. E., Melancthon, was destroyed by fire with all its contents. The fine celebrated young stallion "Justice," buggy, harness, and other articles, to the value of $1,100, was totally consumed. The fire originated from a spark from the burning swamp on the premises, and spread through the barn with such rapidity that the stall and horse were enveloped in flames before Mr. Messeroll could get into the building, who had a narrow escape with his life in trying to save the property. No insurance.

The directors of the Proton Agricultural Society at their last meeting revised the prize list by adding to and advancing many of the prizes. This year promises to be the best exhibition ever held in the township. We expect all the members of the society to lend their good will and assistance.

On and after Tuesday, the 8th day of August, the entrance fee for membership of the Proton Ag. Society will be $2. We expect that all who wish to become members of the Society will give in their names before Tuesday next, only $1.

Mr. David McMillan, of Proton, presented us with the largest hen's egg in the country. It is 3¼ inches long and 6½ inches in circumference. Mr. McMillan's hen lays one of such eggs one day every week, and the ordinary size every other day.

The Mirror is too soon with the information that Dundalk has a brass band. The brass will probably arrive this week, the band still remains to be formed.

Proton Agricultural Society will hold its fall show on the 5th day of October next in the Society's field in the village of Dundalk.

Crops in general have improved well during the past week; the straw may be short but the grain may make up the deficiency.

Safe and reliable fire insurance effected by A. G. Hunter, the people's agent. Give him a call and be protected.

The "brass" for the purchase of instruments for Dundalk band has been subscribed freely. Dundalk will grow noisy.

Good wages are paid on the Melancthon drainage. The contractors are pushing on the work.

The Dundalk drainage is moving slowly. When will the survey be completed?

The Mirror, which boasts of a special correspondent wielding a facile pen at Markdale, says "The Markdale Standard office has been surmounted with cast iron cresting of a pretty pattern."

The English Church garden party was held last Wednesday evening, when some 220 people assembled together in Mr. Geo. Walker's orchard. The Flesherton band attended and altogether the affair went off very well. The weather was too hot for many games, and ice cream and cherries were long and loudly called for. The total receipts amounted to $66. Some vandal wilfully smashed a croquet set, and a few plates were stolen from the grounds.

Mr. John Lyons returned from a trip through Manitoulin, Cockburn and St. Joseph Islands, and expresses his surprise at the excellent crops throughout the above places. He was informed while in Cockburn that there was not a Canada thistle on the Island. It comprises 35,000 acres.

While Mr. Thomas Elliott, junr., was driving homewards on Sunday evening two other parties drove past coming into the village when Mr. Elliott's horses became unmanageable and started to run, upsetting the buggy throwing himself, his wife and child out. They all escaped without any serious injury, the buggy only being smashed.

The Georgian Bay Railway, which completes the connection between Lake Erie and the Georgian Bay, was formally opened at Wiarton, the northern terminus of the road, Tuesday with great manifestations of joy. The new branch opens up a large and fertile tract of country.

Mr. W. J. Rowe, of Barr head mill, left an egg in our office yesterday measuring 6⅞ in. and 8 in. in circumference. Even the hens are endeavouring to make up for the eggs being so dear, by giving them double the usual size.

ON OUR TABLE.

The American Agriculturist for August is an excellent number of this superior Journal. This number contains a carefully prepared and very large variety of interesting facts and statistics, giving a full showing of the whole Agricultural work, resources and productions of the United States, and of each State and Territory—of great value for further reference. Published by the Orange Judd Co., 751 Broadway, N. Y. $1.50 per year; single copy, 15 cents.

We have just received a new illustrated catalogue from Messrs. Stone & Wellington, of the Fonthill Nurseries. It is admirably printed and full of information. This firm is reliable, and does the leading business in Canada.

Picturesque Canada.—Parts 9 and 10 are being delivered by Mr. Hunt. The views in part 9 are vivid pictures of backwood life, and many of them recall home scenes of 25 or 30 years ago in this section. All the cuts are very fine specimens of the engravers art. The letter press continues to be very superior.

East Grey Fall Exhibition catalogue to hand, containing the rules of the society and further information for intending exhibitors.

The Wesleyan Ladies' College Catalogue gives full information respecting that institution. It is a fine piece of letter-press printing.

The Canada Farm Journal gives information as to improved farms, mills and other properties in Ontario for sale. But few properties seem to seek change of hands in Grey.

Our Little Ones is still ahead of any other journal published for the young folks.

FIRE at CHATSWORTH

GREAT CONFLAGRATION.

SPECIAL TO THE STANDARD.

Our village people were aroused from their slumber on Monday morning about two o'clock by the cry of "Fire! Fire!" Flames were discovered bursting from the upper part of the building occupied by Mrs. Bain as a millinery store, and connecting with Mr John Hopkins' shed and hotel.

The fire was first noticed by Mr. Bain, who gave the alarm. Mr. Duffy arose terrified lest the flames should reach his place, which was just across the street. He aroused the neighbourhood, and very soon a crowd had congregated, and set to work with a will to save furniture, and to stay the progress of the flames.

A small hand engine belonging to Mr McGill was soon on the ground, and did valuable service in saving the house occupied by Miss Garrett, dress maker, it being only a few feet from the burning building.

All hope of saving Mr Hopkin's buildings was given up, and the contents were speedily removed, very little being left in them of much value. About 70 cords of wood were consumed in the yard, and the stable loft which had recently been filled with hay was speedily burned. The furniture was badly damaged in moving it from the house.

In the meantime, the front and the roofs of the buildings on the opposite side of the street were kept well drenched with water.

A desperate heat was thrown out while the outhouses were burning, which for a time endangered the row of small buildings south of the fire, but no further damage was done in that direction.

All this time a great struggle was going on in order to save Miss Garrett's dressmaking establishment, and at length the efforts of the workers were successful.

It was fortunate that the morning was calm, otherwise it would have been impossible to have stayed the progress of the devouring element, as it was the northern portion of the village received a shower of burning cinders, which would have been the means of fresh fires had they not been closely watched and speedily watered. All worked like heroes, both male and female. in carrying water, saving goods, &c.

The fire was, without doubt the work of an incendiary, and strong suspicions are entertained against a well-known resident of our usually quiet village.

Mr Hopkins' loss is $3.500. He is insured in the Citizens Company for $2000.

There is said to be no insurance on Mrs Bain's buildings. Mr Hopkins has not yet decided whether he will rebuild.

MELANCTHON.

Mr M. Neithercut has a yield of four tons per acre off ten acres of hay.

Bush fires are doing considerable damage in this section.

Last week Mr Middaugh's stable was burned, and his house had a narrow escape.

Mr Jas. Brown had a quantity of fence burned.

An old man named Kennedy died suddenly last week from disease of the heart.

Mr Councillor Bailey had 4 sheep killed on Sunday morning. the 23rd ult. by a lynx.

WILLIAMSFORD.

Fall wheat harvest is the order of the day.

One day last week while J. Henderson's team was standing in front of the post office the horses became frightened and ran away, doing considerable damage to the wagon and harness and allowing Mr. H. to walk home, a distance of three miles.

Mr. J. Paterson is taking the run in blacksmithing and we wish him success.

Mr. S. Watson has purchased a new engine for his pump shop and intends to manufacture by steam.

Mr. M. Smith is about to put more machinery in his grist mill and expects to do a good business this fall.

Timber, cordwood and tan bark has been shipped in large quantities from this station within the last few days.

Rev. Mr. Hart complains of business being slack in the matrimonial line.

The natives of our village were astonished when they learned that Mr. Dickey had captured the heart and hand of the "Maid of the Hill." Rev. Mr. Keys made them happy. We understand they are about to take a tour to Christian Island.

The case of Graves, a fugitive insolvent from England, recently arrested at Quebec, came before Judge Casault in the Superior Court last Thursday, when he released the prisoner, holding that an offence against the bankruptcy law of England, even if fraudulent under that Act, did not justify the detention upon a telegram of a prisoner in Canada, where such an offence is unknown, Canada having no bankrupt law, and further, that a prisoner could only be detained in custody in Canada for an offence for which, if committed in Canada, he might be tried there.

The hot weather seems to effect everybody. The usually sprightly man, who in ordinary weather never permits anyone to overtake him, would suffer a tortoise to keep pace with him now.

GRANGERS.

MEETING AT ...

Grey Division Grange met in the Orange Hall on July 6th. Mr. Christie, W. M., took the chair and appointed Bro. H. Reid overseer, Sister D. Graham lady assistant steward, and Bro. P. M. McDonald assistant steward. Grange opened in due form.

Moved and seconded by Brothers McLean and Inkster, that as copies of last minutes have been duly distributed they be considered read—carried.

The Worthy Master appointed Brothers D. McLean and J. Inkster a committee on credentials.

Bro. Jos. Kennedy moved the following resolution. "Whereas it appears that the real estate of the country pays a rate of about seven-tenths of the entire taxes of the Dominion be it therefore

"Resolved that all property, real and personal, individual and corporate, should be equally taxed, and that the holders of the mortgages and other liens on property should be taxed for the amount of such liens and the owner for the balance value of his property.

"Resolved that we favor a just income tax."

Petitions embodying principles of above resolution to be sent down to subordinate granges for consideration and signature to be forwarded to the Provincial Legislature for action.

The following were appointed a committee to draft petition referred to:—Jas. Kennedy, A. Gifford, H. D. Irwin, R. J. Doyle, D. Armstrong, H. Reid.

Moved by Bros. J. Kennedy and D. Armstrong, that the Worthy Master be and is hereby instructed to use the necessary constitutional means to accomplish, if possible, a re-union between this (No. 2) Division Grange and No. 43 Division Grange, in the Co. Grey, for business purposes—carried.

Grange adjourned until 1.30 p.m.

On motion of Gifford and Doyle the Grange resumed business at 1.30 p. m. Committee on credentials reported as follows:

Grange No. 824, Bros. J. Kennedy and W. Stevens; No. 855, Bros. G. Wilkinson and S. Goldsmith; No. 458, Bros. G. Stuart and G. Dale; No. 280, Bro. J. Best; No. 421, Bros. R. J. Doyle and S. Connell; No. 684, Bros. D. Campbell and J. M. Webster; No. 512, Bro. S. Kinnel; No. 864, Bros. H. Reid and D. Armstrong; No. 728, Bros. W. Arkredge and D. Bell; No. 381, Bros. J. Hickling and J. Inkster; No. 460, Bro. Thos. Taylor; No. 226, H. D. Irwin and Wm. McLaughrey; No. 18, J. Long, A. Gifford and Sisters Long and Gifford; No. 25, A. Bond and W. Laycock; No. 259, J. Webster and J. I. Graham; No. 793, D. McLean; No. 525, R Beattie, J. Hunter and Sister Beattie; No. 334, T. Mann and T. Elliott; No. 538, S. Edgerton and J. McArdle; No. 843, C. K. Bain and D. Carr; No. 312, D. R. Ellis. We, the committee on credentials, report the above delegates present.—D. McLean and J. Inkster.

Moved by Bros. McArdle and Ellis, that no member in this Division Grange shall be allowed to speak more than once on each subject and not longer than five minutes, unless with permission from the Division, or explain a question—carried.

Moved in amendment by Brothers Stewart and Irwin, that each member speak without limit—lost.

Moved by Bros. Doyle and Gifford, that this Division Grange petition the Government of Ontario to publish 30,000 copies of the annual report of the Experimental Farm at Guelph instead of 10,000 as at present, and that 25,000 copies be distributed through the Granges and Agricultural Societies to secure the delivery to the agriculturalists of this Province—carried.

Moved by Bros. Kennedy and Armstrong, that representatives to the Dominion Grange be chosen by vote of Division Granges; constitutional notice to be given to Dominion Grange in order to effect the change herein set forth.

Moved in amendment by Brothers McLaughrey and Reid, that the matter of election of delegates be referred to committee which will be required to report at next Division meeting, and that said committee consist of three members—carried.

Your Committee on Stock beg leave to report as follows:—"That in Horses the pure-bred Clydesdale sire is the best to cross with our mares, their offsprings are generally useful and find ready sale at good prices in the North-West and American markets. In Cattle we consider the Shorthorn or Durham superior to any cross with our common stock to produce good beefers and milkers which is now and will be one of the best products of the farm. In Sheep, as far as our experience goes, we consider the Leicester has been the best, but as the demand is more for fine wool and sheep for export we would recommend Shropshires as the best. In Swine we consider Berkshire the best.—Robt. Battie, Chairman.

Moved by Bros. Doyle and Webster, that the report now read be received, adopted, and engrossed in the minutes—carried.

Verbal report from Committee on Seed Grain.

To the Worthy Masters and Members of Division Grange:—"We, your Committee on Jurisdiction, respectfully ask this Grange to allow our report to be laid over until the next meeting of the Division Grange, as time will not allow us at present to make a proper report, one of our committee not being aware of his appointment until this day."

"Yours respectfully,
JOSEPH MCARDLE,
THOMAS MANN,
JOHN GRAHAM.

Moved by Bros. Doyle and McArdle that the report now read be adopted—carried.

Moved by Bros. Doyle and McLaughrey, that in the opinion of this Division Grange one superior grange is quite sufficient for the requirements of the order, and the Secretary is hereby instructed to give notice to the Secretary of the Dominion Grange that this Grange now apply to have the constitution so amended as to do away with the Provincial Grange, and the Deputies of this Grange to the Provincial one be requested to make every effort to secure the above change—carried.

Moved by Bros. Stewart and Gifford, that we now elect delegates to the Provincial Grange by ballot—carried.

The following nominations for Provincial Grange were made:—Bros. R. J. Doyle, J. Kennedy, A. Gifford, H. D. Irwin, J. McArdle, H. Reid and James Bowes.

Bro. Gifford withdrew.

The Worthy Master appointed Bros. D. Wright and W. Buchanan scrutineers.

Bros R. J. Doyle, James Kennedy and H. Reid were declared elected.

Moved by Bros. Doyle and McLaughrey, that this Grange instruct the Secretary to give notice to Dominion Grange Secretary that this Grange requires that the constitution be so amended as to make the members of the Dominion Grange elective directly from the Division, allowing the power to division granges to submit this question to their subordinate granges—carried.

Moved by Bros. Armstrong and Reid, that the Secretary be and is hereby instructed to publish in the Grange Bulletin and other local newspapers the proceedings of this meeting in their entirety—carried.

Bro. Jas. Kennedy introduced the following resolution which was adopted. "Whereas the definition of law in the abstract is held to be a command emanating from the king with unlimited power to enforce the command practically considered law, is a certain expression of the will of the people applied in that behalf for the purpose of maintaining right in the conduct of man towards man, always like the natural forces operating as a necessity, hence its jurisdiction should be scrupulously and expediently defined and its application for the purpose of quieting disputes allowed after reasonably fair minor means have been tried but failed, provided always that law is only and the ultimate expedient of guiding the conduct of men in civil society. Be it therefore resolved in compliance with declarations of principles (pages 7, 8 and 9 Grange Constitution), which enjoins in effect to aim at the reduction of expenses to avoid litigation by arbitration, &c., that the jurisdiction of the division court be extended to $400; that the County Court be dropped; that the personal actions at law that is claims lying within and without a written agreement be settled by arbitration made compulsory, provided one of the parties to a dispute demands it.

Moved by Bros. Webster and Reid, that the expenses of delegates be paid—carried.

Moved by Bros. Long and Bond, that our next meeting be held at Victoria Grange hall—lost.

Moved by Bros. Edgerton and Webster, that the annual meeting of this Division Grange be held in Dundalk—lost.

Moved by Bros. McArdle and Mann, that the next meeting of this Division Grange be held at Flesherton—lost.

Moved by Bros. Reid and Doyle, that the Secretary be required to notify the Dominion Grange Secretary that this grange requests that the constitution be so amended as to enable granges to regulate their own initiation fee or reduce the same—carried.

Moved by Doyle and Irwin, that our next meeting be held in Owen Sound—carried.

Grange closed.

THE PUZZLED DUTCHMAN.

One who does not believe in immersion for baptism preached on the subject of baptism. In the course of his remarks he said that some believe it necessary to go down into the water, and come up out of it, to be baptised. But this he claimed to be a fallacy, for the preposition "into" of the Scriptures should be rendered differently, as it does not mean "into" at all. "Moses," he said, "we are told, went up into the mountain, etc. Now we do not suppose he went into the mountain, but went unto it. So with going into the water, and being baptized in the ordinary way, by sprinkling or pouring. He carried this idea out fully, and in due season invited any one so disposed to rise and express their thoughts. Quite a number of his brethren arose and said they were well pleased with the sound sermon they had just heard. Finally a corpulent gentleman of Teutonic extraction, a stranger to all, arose and broke the silence that was almost painful, as follows:

"Mister Breacher, I ish so glad I vash here to night, for I has had explained to my mindt some dings dot I never could believe before. Oh, I ish so glad dot into does not mean into at all, but just close by or near to, for I now pelieve many things what I could not pelieve before. We reat, Mr. Breacher, dot Taniel vos cast into der den of lions, and came out alife. Now I neffer could pelieve dot, for wilt peasts would shust eat him right off; but now it is very clear to my mint. He vas shust close py or near to, und did not get into der den at all. Oh, I ish so glad I vash here to-night. Again we read dot de Hebrew children vas cast into der fiery furnace, und dot always looked like a big story too, for they would have been burnt up; but it vas all plain to my mint now, for dey vas shust close py or near to der fiery furnace. Oh. I vas so glad I vash here to night. And den, Mr. Breacher, it is said dot Jonah vas cast into der sea, und taken into der whale's pelley. Now I never could pelieve dot. It always seemed to me to be a big fish story, but it vas all plain to my mint now. He vas not in der whale's pelly at all, but shump onto his pack and rode ashore. Oh, I vash glad I vas here to-night.

"And now, Mr. Breacher, if you will shust explain two more passages of Scriptures, I shall be oh so happy I vas here to-night. One of dem ish vere it says dot der vicked shall be cast into a lake dot burns mit fire and primstone always. Oh, Mr. Breacher, shall I pe cast dot lake if I am vicked or shust close py or near to—shust near enough to be comfortable? Oh, I hope you tell me I pe cast only shust py a good vays off, and I vill pe so glad dot I vos here to night. Der oder passage is dot vich says blessed are dey who do these commandments, dot dey have right to der tree of life, und enter in droo der gates of der city, and not shust close by or near to—shust near enough to see vat I vas lost—and I shall be so glad dot I vas here to-night."

MARRIED.

Montgomery—Leonard.—At Hornings Mills, on the 18th ult. by Rev. N. S. Burwash, Mr. W. J. Montgomery, to Miss Susan Leonard, all of Melancthon.

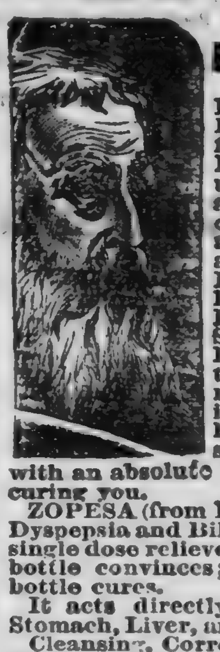
Adams—Lever.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Artemesia, by Rev D C McDowell, Mr John Adams, grain buyer Flesherton, to Miss F. J. Lever; on the 2nd inst.

Sullivan—Lucy.—At Hornings Mills, on the 10th ult, by the Rev. N. S. Burwash, Mr. F. Sullivan, of Alliston, to Miss Isabella Lucy, of Hornings Mills.

DIED.

Welsh.—On the 2nd inst, Infant daughter of Mr John Welsh, aged 3 months.

Henry.—In Chicago on the 22nd July Margaret, wife of Mr James Henry, and second daughter of Mr John Lyons, Euphrasia, aged 26 years 8 months.



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Voters' List, 1882

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Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the 3rd and 4th sections of the "Voters' Lists Act," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to the said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal elections; and the said list was first posted up at my office at Lot 20, Con. 4, Township of Osprey, on the 31st day of July, 1882, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said List, and if any omissions or other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

WILLIAM MILNE,
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All parties indebted to said firm will pay the same to Wm. Lucas & Co., Bankers, Markdale, at once, and save further trouble.

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Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address True & Co., Augusta, Maine.

Counterfeit 50 cent pieces are in the district.

Those affected with weak lungs, sluggish liver, or derangement of the kidneys, should procure a package of Dr Carson's Liver and Lung Compound. Each 50 cent package makes three pints of Syrup. It is a valuable collection of roots, herbs, and barks, and its results are wonderful. For sale by all druggists. Turner, agent, Markdale; Parsons, agent, Dundalk.

A new caretaker at the Zoo trod on the alligator's tail to see if he was alive. It was, and the caretaker soon found himself in the pond, having been whisked thither by the caudal appendage of the reptile. He respects the alligator's tail, and stands clear.

An honest medicine is the noblest work of man, and we can assure our readers that Dr. Fowlers Extract of Wild Strawberry is not only reliable. but is almost infallable to cure Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Canker of the stomach and bowels, and the various Summer Complaints, whose attacks are often sudden and fatal.

There would be little or no sickness during the hot months of July and August if every one would take Dr Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. [illegible] prevent and cure all de[illegible] of the stomach and bowels [illegible] large bottles at 50 cents by all [illegible] Turner, Markdale: Par[illegible] dalk.

Over 600 excursionists visited Toronto from along the line of the T.G. & B. on Friday last. They visited the Zoo.

The Wild Strawberry plant possesses rare virtue as a cleansing, cooling, astringent, anteseptic, and healing medicine, and when combined with other valuable vegetable extracts, as in Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, it is an unfailing remedy in all Bowel complaints.

Clergymen, if they are to do good, must speak plainly.

Davy & Clark, Druggists, Renfrew, write us June 3rd. "We have sold Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for a number of years, and find nothing equal to it, for the purpose for which it is designed." Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures all kinds of Bowel complaints incident to Summer and Fall.

The man O'Brien, arrested in Venezuela for connection with the Dublin murder turns out to be an impostor. He wanted to get a free ride to Emerald Isle.

A Reward—Of one dozen 'Teaberry' to any one sending the best four line rhyme on 'Teaberry,' the remarkable little gem for the Teeth and Breath. Ask your druggist for address.

Nearly 50 deaths occurred at New York on Tuesday through the excessive heat.

The firm of J. & S. McEachen, Douglas, writes us June 1st, saying, "There is not another preparation we can recommend with so much confidence as Burdock Blood Bitters, as it invariably gives the best of satisfaction." Burdock Blood Bitters cures all diseases of Blood, Liver and Kidneys.

The Canada Atlantic Railway will shortly be opened for traffic. Trial trip last week.

For a long time there has been a need for just such a liniment as Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Mr James Smith, Rama, has about the best field of wheat in Ontario. It measures over six feet in heigth; well [illegible] ears.

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[illegible] amily were poisoned last [illegible] ng strawberries that had [illegible] n near some currant [illegible] which some hellibore had [illegible] nkled.

W. H. Crooker, Druggist, of Watertown, under date of June 1st, writes that "Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cannot be surpassed, when all other remedies fail then it comes to the rescue, and I find the sales large and increasing." Wild Strawberry positively cures all Bowel complaints.

The T. G. & B. Ry. continues to make rapid progress; nothing proves this so much as the traffic returns, which are now nearly $4000 per week more than last year.

C. M. Moseman & Bros.' office is the head-centre for all prominent horsemen of New York City. In a letter of recent date says: "We are perfectly satisfied that there never was anything made to equal Kendall's Spavin Cure, nor can there be anything to take its place, as it removes the trouble, and no remedy can do more." Read advertisement.

Horse owners cannot afford to overlook the wonderful success of Kendall's Spavin Cure.

BILIOUSNESS.

A furred tongue, bad taste in the mouth, nausea vomiting, variable appetite, alternate diarrhœa and costiveness, faintness, weariness, yellow cast of eyes and countenance, indicates serious biliary trouble. Jaundice is a dangerous disease, it is an overflow of bad bile in the circulation, any of these symptoms should be remedied without delay, and Burdock Blood Bitters is the remedy upon which you may safely rely.

Our Premium

We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. Read Proof Below.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Hamilton, Mo., June 14, 1881.

B. J. Kendall & Co.,—Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; I have removed by using the above: Callous Bone Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can cheerfully testify and recommend it to be the best thing for any bony substance I have ever used, and have tried many as I have made that my study for years.

Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster.

Youngstown, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

Dr B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Wingham, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone it properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

West Enosburgh, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

St. John, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle very badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25cts. and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
Wm. J. PEARSON.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

Sold by all Druggists.

LYMAN, SONS & CO., Montreal, P. Q. Wholesale Agents

Messrs. Heron & Hamlin

Having started the

Eugenia House,

Hope to secure a share of public patronage.

The Eugenia House being close to

The Falls

Offers great attractions to those who are fond of SCENERY, as well as to those who delight in

ANGLING,

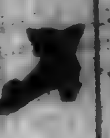
As the river both above and below the Falls abounds with SPECKLED TROUT.

Messrs. Heron & Hamlin can safely assure the public that they are determined to do their utmost to please and accommodate all comers.

Their board and accommodation shall be of the best, and they are supplied with the very best brands of LIQUORS, having resolved that the Bar shall be properly attended. Also

Good Stabling.

DUNDALK BOOT AND SHOE STORE



In thanking my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

I am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS	McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!
McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.	McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.
McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.	McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store. always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

HARVEST TOOLS!

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Harvest Mitts.

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHERTON.

Has just received the balance of a very extensive Stock, and is shewing

Rixford's Celebrated Scythes,

The Hamilton Patent

Thumb-and-Finger Barley Forks,

The celebrated

Wrastin Grain Cradle.

A complete Stock of Forks, Rakes, Snaths, Scythe Stones, &c.

All Goods marked at lowest figures, and WARRANTED of best Manufacture.

One Ton of Preserving Sugar

now received. The price will surprise you.

Grain, Butter, Eggs, Wool, Sheep Skins, or any other produce bought, and highest market prices paid.

I want a large quantity of Butter and Eggs, before the 1st of August, for which I am prepared to pay the Highest Price.

R. J. SPROULE,

Toronto House, Flesherton.

ALL MEN!

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

1882. SPRING 1882.

Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

—AT THE—

TORONTO HOUSE,

MARKDALE

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882. Wm BROWN.

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS,

FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

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Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

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IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS,

CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, All shades. Cashmeres, All colors. Muslins, Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

Scotch and West of England Tweeds,

Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

Denims, Oxford Shirtings,

A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS IN ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

HENRY FOSTER.

MARKDALE.

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PURE SEEDS

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass Tares, &c.

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurz[el] Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods,

Pure Drugs & Chemicals.

Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just rece[ived]

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factor[y]

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAM[ES]

Lumber, Lath and Shingle[s]

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA

Markdale May 27th, 1881.

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend

BULMER

Flesherton. March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

Wm. HOGG.

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The Markdale Standard

EVERY FRIDAY MORN[ING]

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Dental Card

Cameron & Kn[ox] DENTISTS

Dental Card

Dr. T. F. B[...]

Legal.

REVERE H[OUSE] MARKDALE

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NURSERIES, FO[NTHILL]

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Markdale Standard

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In time to meet the early mails.

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PROFESSIONAL AND BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

Drs. Sproule & Armstrong,

Physicians Surgeons, Accoucheur &c.

Office [illegible] Medical Hall; residence at Markdale.

Markdale, [illegible] 17, 1880. 1-y

Dental Card.

Cameron & Knight,

DENTISTS, OWEN SOUND.

Gold fillings a specialty, and all operations upon the mouth thoroughly and competently performed.

Mr. Knight will make regular trips to Markdale the last Tuesday in every month.

Dental Card.

Dr. T. F. Brown,

SURGEON DENTIST,

Of Woodstock, Ont., will be at MARKDALE on July 25 for One Week.

Teeth filled with Gold and Amalgam. Artificial Teeth inserted on Rubber Base. Natural appearance, Perfect Fit, [illegible]

Legal.

Frost & Frost.

BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday, as heretofore.

ALFRED FROST, J. W. FROST, LL. B. County Crown Attorney. 1

J. MASSON,

BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.

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Office — Owen Sound, in Vickers Block, Poulett St., and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday every week. 57-ly

Creasor & Morrison.

BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, CONVEYancers, &c. &c.

OFFICES in Owen Sound, Dufferin Block, over W. F. Wolf Store and in

MARKDALE:

Over W. J. McFarland's Store on Thursday and Friday of each week.

Funds to lend on reasonable terms.

JOHN CREASOR, Q. C. DUNCAN MORRISON

Markdale, March 15, 1882. 79-ly

Alexander Brown.

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Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Hotels.

NOTICE

A PUBLIC MEETING of the Ratepayers of Markdale village will be held in Dufferin Hall, on Friday, (to-morrow) evening at Eight o'clock, for the purpose of considering the advisability of purchasing

A FIRE ENGINE

Other matters will also be considered. A full attendance is requested.

E. DAVIS,

Chairman of Police Trustees.

REVERE HOTEL,

MARKDALE.

T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.

THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travellers. **Terms $1.00 per day.** 17-ly

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Large and commodious Sample Rooms Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's

THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor

October 31st, 1880.

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AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds on sale.

Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

SALESMEN WANTED.

To begin work at once on sales for Fall of 1882, for the

Fonthill Nurseries,

THE

LARGEST IN CANADA.

HEAD OFFICE—TORONTO, ONT.

BRANCH OFFICES—MONTREAL, P. Q., and ST. PAUL, MINN.

NURSERIES, FONTHILL, ONT.

We can start in addition to our already large force

100 Additional Canvassers,

And want men who can give full time to the business. Steady employment and good salaries to successful men. It does not matter what your previous occupation has been. If you are willing to work your success is almost certain. The best references required.

Apply to

STONE & WELLINGTON,

Nurserymen, Toronto, Ont.

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Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANERS,

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts at all times on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT [illegible] PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

W.M. LUCAS, Manager.

September 23, 188[illegible] 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S

CARRIAGE WORKS,

DUNDALK, ONT.

The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with

WAGGONS,

DEMOCRATS,

BUGGIES,

SLEIGHS,

CUTTERS,

BOB-SLEIGHS,

Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.

F. F. TEEPLE.

Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Every Working Day.

Hy. Thomas Smith.

Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies: CITIZENS', of Montreal,

AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and

TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided.

GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 29th, 1881. 36-ly

$2 [illegible]

Joseph Gibson,

PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL

PLASTERER.

WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING in Shades and Colors.

All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.

Markdale P.O.

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T. E. DAVIS,

BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). After completing 13 buildings his season is still on the track and is still prepared to do all kinds of stone and brick work, plastering, and pointing. Those who contemplate building will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Stetes, MARKDALE. 16-y

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray—and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and farthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being this something for restoring the hair to its natural color, and prevent its falling out. 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

SEEING IS BELIEVING.

GENTLEMEN,—

If you want a first-class

Buggie or Wagon

call at

McKENNA & MASON'S

CARRIAGE WORKS

MARKDALE.

They can supply you with anything from a Lumber Wagon up to Extension Top Phæton.

To buy from them is to

SAVE MONEY!

They are both practical workmen, and employ none but

PRACTICAL WORKMEN.

They guarantee their work Second to none for Lightness of Draught and Superiority of Finish.

They use nothing but First-class White Oak for Wagons, and thrice Extra Second Growth Hickory for light work.

The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.

THE BEST is THE CHEAPEST in the END. Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriage Work.

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HORSESHOEING.

SHOP—On Mill Street opposite Sproule's Hotel.

McKENNA & MASON.

THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

GOOD PHOTOS

Suited as they never were Before.

All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,

—AND—

MODERATE PRICES.

Is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

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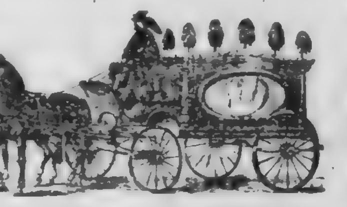

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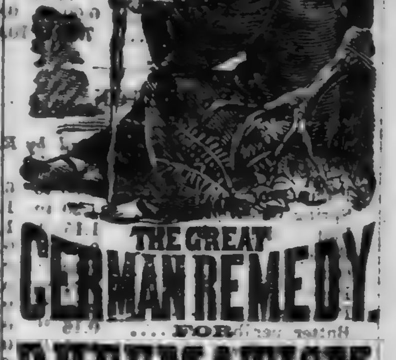

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NATIONAL SONG.

First pledge our Queen, this solemn night,
Then drink to England's every guest,
That man's the best cosmopolite,
Who loves his native country best!
May freedom's oak for ever live,
With larger life from day to day;
That man's the true conservative
Who lops the mouldered branch away.
[illegible]
God the traitor's hope confound.
To the great cause of Freedom drink.
My friends,
And the great name of England,
Round and round,

To all the loyal hearts who long
To keep our English Empire whole!
To all our noble sons, the strong
New England of the Southern Pole!
To England under Indian skies!
To those dark millions of her realm!
To Canada, whom we love and prize,
Whatever statesmen hold the helm.
Hands all round!
God the traitor's hope confound!
To the great name of England drink,
My friends,
And all her glorious Colonies,
Round and round.

To all our statesmen, so they be
True leaders of the land's desire!
To both our Houses, may they see
Beyond the borough and the shire!
We sailed wherever ship could sail,
We founded many a mighty State!
Pray God our greatness may not fail
Through craven fears of being great.
Hands all round!
[illegible]
To the great name of England drink,
My friends,
[illegible]
Round and round.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

PART II.

CHAPTER XXIV.

A CHAPTER OF WONDERS.

It seems that Lord Ruysland, sitting at his window, had seen O'Donnell with Miss Herncastle on the night he followed her to Bracken Hollow. He also saw her on the night she played ghost, when she frightened Sir Peter.

The Earl told O'Donnell this, and requested him to tell him what he knew concerning this very remarkable lady.

But O'Donnell had no wish to go in league with the Earl against Miss Herncastle, and treated the matter very coolly.

The Earl told the captain that he had put a detective on her track, as he considered her a daring, dangerous woman. This awakened O'Donnell's interest, and he determined to learn all he could from the Earl, and encouraged the noble lord to uncover his plan to him.

His lordship then proceeded to tell the captain that Miss Herncastle, when she left Scarswood, booked to London but got off at the next station, and followed by the detective, walked to a place called Bracken Hollow. Davis remained all night, got wet through, and next morning came and told what he had seen.

'Next day I went to see Sir Peter, and found him determined to separate from Ginevra. I set Davis, the detective, to watch his movements for a few days.

At night Sir Peter went to Doburg's gambling house. There he was met by a visitor, who had sent in his card (which was picked up by Davis,) who wished to have a private interview. The baronet asked the visitor what had brought him to Castleford?

'I heard of this ghost story,' said he, 'besides, I want to find Mrs Vavasour. But,' continued the visitor, 'let us have a game at ecarte.'

They played till after midnight, and as they left Sir Peter said to Dubourg, 'I've won $100 from this gentleman to-night, and mean to win as much again to-morrow night.'

'Don't forget, Dantree, to-morrow night, at the Scarswood Arms, private room.'

'Dantree!, exclaimed O'Donnell, interrupting the earl, who continued the detective's story.

Next night Dantree and Sir Peter met and played for high stakes, and Sir Peter lost $40,000. Davis tracked Dantree, and this was — Bracken Hollow!!

Davis then concluded that Dantree and Helen Herncastle were one and the same.

'Impossible!' said the excited captain.

'I've seen Dr Graves,' continued the earl, 'and the result is that I believe the idiot at Bracken Hollow to be Dantree.'

'Well, next night which was last night, they played again. Dantree won $80,000. Sir Peter was nearly mad, and flew at Dantree's throat. Dantree pulled a revolver from his pocket, and held it at the baronet's head till the cheque was signed, when he pocketed both.'

'I shall cash these at the Castleford bank tomorrow,' said Dantree, 'and remember, I carry a revolver, don't you be seen out of doors.'

CHAPTER XXV.

THE LAST LINK.

On this self-same night, there arrived at Castleford station a little lady, dressed in black silk. True her dress was shabby,

She took from her breast a letter. it was signed by Lionel Cardonnel, who stated that his wife had died at Quebec, that he was on a visit to the Earl of Ruysland, and that he longed to be with her, as he was 24 years ago, and would she meet him at Bracken Hollow on the night of Aug. 8, at ten of the clock.

And so this lady—Mrs Vavasour—had come from France, and was now on her way to meet her old lover of years ago.

It was very dark and as she neared the house, she was startled by a voice, saying,

'Harriett, is that you?'

'Lionel!'

She doubted whether it was he. but he persuaded her to come with him to the house. He took off his coat, and she saw—not Lionel Cardonnell—but Otis.

'Why have you brought me here?' she cried.

'To tell me—about—the—children—you—changed—at nurse—20 years ago.'

'I know nothing of it. Let me go, or I'll—'

She never finished this sentence, for a figure had crept into the room, and the ghost of Katherine Dangerfield had made her faint in a heap right away.

'You're a useful ghost, Katherine,' said Otis to Miss Herncastle. for it was her.

At length she recovered, and Otis wrung from her a lengthy written statement, in which she confessed that she changed the babe left in her care for her own, that the Cecil fetched by the Earl of Ruysland was her own daughter and not that of the Countess who died in her arms. The countess' daughter was fancied by Colonel Dangerfield, and she was by him adopted as his own.

When she had finished, old Hannah took her to the room prepared for her and here for the present she was kept a prisoner.

Mr Otis intended to hand Harman or Vavasour over to Lord Ruysland in the morning.

He met Miss Herncastle in the passage [illegible] and said, 'The world shall know you as you are at last, but let me be the first to call you by your true name—

LADY [illegible] CLIVE.'

CHAPTER XXVI.

HUNTED DOWN.

Early next morning, only a few hours after Lord Ruysland had given him a view of his plans, came Captain O'Donnell to Bracken Hollow to warn Miss Herncastle of her danger, of those on her track.

He then told her that he had opened her grave, that he knew of Otis, of his present abode, of her playing the ghost, of her clever impersonation of Dantree, of success at ecarte, of her pointing a revolver and threatening Sir Peter.

He was terribly in earnest, and begged of her to fly while there was yet time

'It is not too late yet, as yet you have been guilty only of follies. Katherine'—her face flushed as he pronounced the name, and held out his hand; 'Katherine, for what I have said and done in the past forgive. Let me be your friend, your brother. I am taking Rose to France. Come with us. You know Rose's story, how both your lives have been wrecked by the same hand.

Katherine then went through her eventful history, she broke down at last however.

'Give up,' said O'Donnell, 'give up this dangerous way, and be true to the noble nature that Heaven has given to you.'

'I will,' she answered. 'And you,—whom I thought my enemy—shall save me. I give up the revenge. And for the love you bear her,—for your sake,—I'll spare HER.'

O'Donnell looked at her in mute astonishment.

She then told him that she had discovered her parentage, but that as another was in her place, and as her going to her father would bring shame and disgrace upon her usurper, she would not go to him.

'But right is right,' said the captain 'and even if the Earl of Ruysland were your father, and though Lady Cecil were in your place, still I say, Go, tell the truth, whatever the cost may be.'

But he saw not her secret. some men are blind.

She said that he could not love lady Cecil, or he would not speak thus of her.

'I love her and leave her.'

'But would you leave her if she was within your reach?'

'I would still leave her. Poor or rich, gentle or simple, who am I that I should marry a wife? I would not like a wife to rough a soldiers life with me.

She rose, and took from her pocket a folded paper. She then lighted a candle.

'Captain O'Donnell,' she said, 'you have done me a very great service today. I have a whimsical fancy that you should burn this.'

He read the superscription, 'Confession of Harriet Hazman.'

'What is this?' ask he.

'Something that concerns only myself.

He then held it in the flame of the candle, and reduced the document to ashes.

'I thank you, you have saved me from myself.

They parted, he to get ready to depart for France, but first to persuade Lord Ruysland not to follow her up to-day.

'Farewell,' she said softly; 'farewell for ever. If Henry Otis had been to me what you are, six years ago I had been saved.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

$1.00.

The man who says he is not able to pay for his local newspaper ought to go at once to the County Court, and have his wife appointed his guardian. Remember that a newspaper is worth more to a family than three months' school. The family, taking a paper, live as it were in a house set upon a hill, from whose windows they can see all that is going on in the world. Do not say you are not able to pay for your paper. Say you don't like the paper. Say you would rather live in ignorance. Declare you don't want your children to learn anything. But don't say you can't pay, for that is to say you lack in true manhood, and ought to be in the poorhouse. Above all, don't borrow the paper's, that a bit mean.

HOW TO GET RID OF AN UNWELCOME VISITOR.

"Rheumatism" says Mr. A. Mcfaul proprietor of the City Hotel, Kingston "used to hold its own pretty well, but 'the days of that here are o'er.' St. Jacob's Oil, the Great German Remedy has completely conquered the rheumatism, and no man need suffer from it any longer. I had it badly until a short time ago, but I used St. Jacob's Oil and was cured, and so can anyone be cured in a similar manner.

Holland township is infected with sheep thieves.

Look out for a fellow who is selling a powder to mix with coal oil. It is worthless.

A man recently died in Lather tp. He worked at a mill, and through handling some boards on which some glandered horses had dropped the fatal poison, he caught the terrible disease.

Salmon was four cents a pound at Montreal on Aug. 1.

OSPREY.

The council met at McIntyre, July 15. Members all present. Minutes read and adopted.

A communication was read from Provincial Board of Health respecting check or spread of contagious or infectious diseases.

Communication also from Co. treasurer re lot 1, 2, con. 10, and arrears on lands unoccupied.

Report No. 2, road and bridge committee.

$10 was granted to repair bridge at lot 50, con. 8, s.

Second report of R. & B. adopted, which recommends new bridge on 20 s.r. con. 8 s. Bridge on 5 s.r. to be shortened, raised and repaired. The bridge on con. 10, lot 18, to be shortened raised and repaired.

$10 was granted for bridge, lot 50, con. 8, s.

Report 3, R. & B. on petition of F. Whewill, re opening town-line: on account of low stat of finances, council cannot take any action in matter. Adopted.

$5 granted to build a culvert opposite lot 23, con. 4.

Report finance committee reduced the following accounts:—

Brown & Son $1.50, J. Paul $2, C. Beaty $3. The account for pick was struck out.

These items were ordered to be paid.

The Co. treasurer to charge taxes returned against the N½ of these lots, and return said taxes to the clerk for collection.

The clerk was paid $6 for postage.

The clerk was instructed to communicate with Melancthon re opening T. line, lots 76 and 77.

N. McKinnon to be commissioner to expend $20 between G. road and 18 s road, in place of J. R. Sing who refuses to act.

Council adjourned till Aug. 16, at Singhampton.

WARM WEATHER.

'Pretty warm,' said a farmer from Artemesia, as he called for his paper last Friday.

'What's warm?' said the man of types.

'Why, the weather.'

'What weather?'

'Why, this weather,' said the Artemesian.

'Well,' said the printer, 'how is this weather different from any other weather?'

The farmer began to get nervous, and said, 'It was warmer.'

'How do you know it is?'

The wood-cutter began to wish he had let the fixer-up of letters get on with his work, and said he hadn't heard how the—

'Isn't the weather the same everywhere?

'Why, no, some places it's warmer, and some colder.'

'What makes it so?' enquired the type-setter.

'Why, the sun,—the heat, the sun's heat.'

'Makes it colder in some places and warmer in others?' queried the literary man. 'Never heard of such a thing.

'No, no, not that,' said the Artemesia controversialist.

'Well then, what does make it colder?'

The farmer wiped his perspiring forehead, and he guessed 'it was the ice.'

'What ice?'

'Why, the ice—that—was ah—frozen by the frost.'

'Did you ever see any ice that was not frozen?' said the man of letters derisively,

'Why, no, that is, I believe I have not.'

'Then,' thundered the type-fixer, what are you talking about?'

The farmer said that he had been trying to talk about the wea—'

Just then a subscriber entered, and the farmer took advantage of this to go and open up a lively conversation with someone else about the weather.

FOUND AT MARKDALE.

AFTER MANY DAYS.

W. Nicholson, of Arran, had chattel mortgage covering his farm and farm goods held by one Mr. W. Vanduson. Nicholson decamped with a team, a colt, wagon, cow, and other articles.

Constable Briggs was set on his track, and followed him to Dobbinton, where Nicholson had vainly tried to sell the cow.

From thence he went to Desboro, the constable following him over the rough roads of Sullivan township, and at length arrived at the capital of the township.

But too late, the bird had flown to Chatsworth, whither sped the unwearied arm of the law. Again he was behind, and being sure he was on the right track, he pushed ahead to Williamsford.

Here, for a time he lost all trace of the missing one, but presently heard that Nicholson had been

SEEN NEAR MARKDALE,

and thither, the Queen's representative drove after him, but here again the fugitive seemed to have eluded his pursuer.

'Finally,' says the Tara Leader, 'he procured a good subject, and after a little coaxing and several judiciously-applied drinks, Briggs got upon the right track, and accompanied by the Markdale peace-maker, he repaired to the farm of Mr Fagan, about a mile from the village.'

Here he found the team, which having secured, he went again on the war path, and found the cow on Mr. Campbell's farm. But the wagon he could nowhere find, neither the man Nicholson.

With the recovered property he set out for home, and safely arrived at Tara on Saturday, having left there the previous Tuesday.

News items.

[illegible] 4 weeklies.

Primitive Methodist field day, Aug. 18.

Clergymen, if they are to do good, must speak plainly.

Machinery oils of various brands cheap at the Medical Hall, Markdale.

Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and its Diseases at this office for 15 cents.

Large numbers of cattle are being carried off by cattle disease in Nova Scotia.

Sixteen cases of small pox have been reported at Winnipeg. Eight were fatal.

Buy Kendall's Treatise on the Horse and save your beast—15 cents at this office.

King Cetewayo, who is in England, expresses hopes of his restoration to the Zulu throne.

California editors use $50 gold bits for paper weights, and yet they are no happier than us fellows who use brickbats.

Apply pounded raw onions to a dog bite or snake bite, and the wound will heal speedily.

Shelburne town council have decided to proceed with the building of the town hall.

The directors of the Melancthon Agricultural Society met recently to arrange for their fall show.

The Melancthon Agricultural Society is said to be in a very prosperous condition.

Kendall's Spavin Cure is highly recommended by Prof. Williams, the wonderful horse-tamer.

John Edge was horribly mangled by the bursting of a grindstone at the Ontario File Works on Friday night last.

Why will you let your horses suffer from lameness when you can get Kendall's Spavin Cure? Read their advt.

The bush fires in New Jersey have caused damage to the extent of near a quarter of a milllion of dollars.

Customs officers have captured an illicit still at Canning, King's county, and seized a schooner upon which the still was secreted.

There is good reason to believe that the Melancthon Fall Show will be superior to any held under the auspices of this Society.

Over 600 excursionists visited Toronto from along the line of the T.G. & B. on Friday last. They visited the Zoo.

The Roos manufacturing company, of Walkerton, has assigned. Another bonused institution "burst." The creditors met on Tuesday last

The army worm is committing great damage to the crops in Annapolis county, N. S. Farmers are very much troubled about their crops.

A little boy disputing with his sister recently exclaimed: 'Tis true, for ma says so; and if ma says so it's so if it ain't so.'

'I don't mean to reflect on you,' said one man to another. 'No,' was the reply, 'you are not polished enough to reflect upon anybody.'

'I told her I'd never smoke another cigar,' he said softly, and I won't. A pipe's plenty good enough for me'—and he gracefully drew a match.

Alexandria possesses 9 daily newspapers; 3 are printed in French, 2 in Arabic, 2 in Italian, 1 in Greek, and 1 in English. There are also 6 weekly newspapers.

The immigrants into the United States during the year ending June 30 numbered 789,000, the largest number ever known, and 119,000 more than during the previous year.

Don't drive a spavined horse as long as you can get Kendall's Spavin Cure for $1 a bottle. As a powerful liniment for deep-seated pains on both man and beast it has no equal. See advt.

Mr. James McIntosh, of Port Elgin, has commenced shipping fruit to Prince Arthur's landing, head of Lake Superior. He sent two crates of strawberries, a quantity of currants and cherries, and as the season advances will ship all kinds of fruit.

On Sunday last Mr. James Higgs, a pensioner of the 9th Queen's Royal Lancers, threw himself into the river at Sault Ste. Marie and was drowned. The body was recovered soon afterwards. A short time ago he lost his wife, and has since been exceedingly low spirited. On Saturday he attended the marriage of his niece, and was last seen between ten and eleven o'clock in the evening. His will was executed by the Crown Attorney on the 12th inst. He was 62 years of age.

There is one young man in Arran who will not 'sit up' so late with his lady love in future. While returning home last Sunday week, pretty late at night, he was chased by a bear in Cordock's swamp. He made good use of his legs and escaped. He was so scared that his hair 'stood on end' and threw his hat off his head. He didn't stop to pick it up, either. It is said nearly all the young ladies in that section of the township have to sit up alone now, which will be a big saving to the old folks in coal oil and wood.

T. G. & B. RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

	Exp. a.m.	Mxd. a.m.	Mail. p.m
Owen Sound, dep.	5.20	7.35	3.45
Chatsworth	5.51	8.33	4 18
Williamsford	6.06	9.08	4.37
Berkeley	6.16	9.22	4 48
Markdale	6.29	9.45	5.02
Flesherton	6 43	10.12	5.1?
Proton	6.57	10.37	5.3?
Dundalk	7.08	11.12	5.47
Corbetton	7.17	11.26	5.57
Melancthon	7.27	11.43	6.0?
Shelburne	7.34	11.57	6.17
Orangeville..dep.	8.27	1.30	7.15
Mount Forest	12.18		8.5?
Harriston	12.55		9.15
Teeswater	2.25		10.15
Mono Road	9.13	2.50	7.5?
Bolton	9.25	3 20	8.14
Kleinburg	9.40	3 43	8.27
Woodbridge	9.52	4 07	8.39
Parkdale	10 25	5.25	9.15
Toronto	10.35		9.25

GOING NORTH.

Toronto, dep.	7.35		4.35
Parkdale	7.45	8 35	4.43
Woodbridge	8.20	9 52	5.17
Kleinburg	8.33	10.15	5 28
Bolton	8.45	10 35	5.39
Mono Road	9.01	11.05	5.54
Teeswater	5.15		3.10
Harriston	6.16		4.25
Mount Forest	6.37		4.55
Orangeville	10.00	1.00	7.00
Shelburne	10.12	2.23	7 38
Melancthon	10.52	2.42	7.47
Corbetton	11.03	3.02	7.57
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[illegible]	11.25	3.17	[illegible]
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THURSDAY, AUG. 10

PUBLIC MEETING AT MARKDALE.

FIRE-ENGINE TO BE BOUGHT.

FIRE COMPANY FORMED.

THE VOLUNTEER BRIGADE.

[illegible] evening last, meeting [illegible] in the Dufferin Hall, [illegible] for the purpose of consider[illegible] [illegible] purchasing a [illegible]

Mr Edward Davis, chairman of the police trustees, was elected to preside. [illegible] that recently a gen[illegible] in the village to see the police trustees and some of the [illegible] respecting the sale of [illegible]. Of course the trustees [illegible] anything in the mat[illegible] the sanction of the rate[illegible] if they, the trustees [illegible] to levy rates for this [illegible] of the police [illegible] had convened this meet[illegible] the ratepayers, in order that the matter might be discussed, and the necessary steps taken to carry out the wishes of the ratepayers. He [illegible] invited those present to ex[illegible] their views.

[illegible] Brown, Esq., J. P., said that [illegible] first thing to be done [illegible] a committee to [illegible] resolutions to put be[illegible] so that some defi[illegible] arrived at, and the feel[illegible] obtained. This ha[illegible] in form of a motion and [illegible] Mr M[illegible], was car[illegible]

[illegible] proceeded to [illegible] to draft some [illegible]

[illegible], M.P., arose, and said [illegible] was not desirable to [illegible] meeting now that it had [illegible] in order that this [illegible] draft out resolutions [illegible] that the only thing [illegible] then was the dis[illegible] ways and means, and to [illegible] of the people as to [illegible] and what [illegible] village [illegible] young a[illegible] not see [illegible] favour [illegible] amount of tow[illegible] hands of the [illegible] they could use ei[illegible] the interests of the people. Past experience proved that in many matters councils were extravagant bodies. One councillor wanted this done in his part of the town, and another wanted that done, and thus taxes were continually going up, and never coming down. The Dr instanced Shelburne, a small place where taxes were very high, and still going higher. The other scheme—that of having a fire engine and a fire company, he entirely agreed with. A company of volunteer firemen would undoubtedly be a great benefit to the village. There had been a great many fires in Markdale; he could count eight serious fires, and might safely say that not less than $50,000 worth of property had been destroyed. True, the village had not lost that amount, for the loss had in a measure fallen on the insurance companies, nevertheless it represented the loss of so much wealth to the country, and a large [illegible] might have been saved if reasonable provision had been made for it. As to the question of how the apparatus could be obtained, that was another matter. Some said that rates could be levied for this purpose, and some said not. If it could be done by rate, so much the better, because more equitable, but if not, why let the necessary appliances be purchased by public subscription rather than go in for incorporation. It was a pity there was not a greater number present at at the meeting. Some of them would probably remember a crowded meeting they had some few years ago, when the resolution to buy an engine was lost by about 2 or 3 votes. Had it then been carried, the cost of the engine would have been saved many times over; now inertia seemed to have come over the people, and interest flagged.

Mr Brown said that he arose on a point of order. Before any discussion took place, resolutions should be before the meeting. He therefore requested those who had been named by the chairman to step forward and they would soon submit resolutions to the meeting.

No one came however, and Mr W. Brown then proposed that the police trustees be requested to set about procuring a fire engine immediately at a cost of from $120 to $150.

Mr Brown said that they had reason to regret that the resolutions referred to by Dr Sproule had been lost They had now seen the consequences of their own negligence. The speaker pointed out what Markdale would have been had the wind been in the west when Brown's saw mill was destroyed. He also spoke of the great waste of labour, and waste of water, in guarding Mr Lamb's property and the stable; whereas, had they had an engine capable of throwing water even 50 yards—just to the spot where it was most required—the greatest good could be done with the least expenditure of energy, and a big fire prevented from spreading. They wanted a well organised company, with some one at their head as captain to direct and make the most of their combined energies. He thought $120 or $150 would buy a suitable engine. As to the method of paying, all taxpayers likely to need it should be liable to share its expense. If it is for public use, surely the public should pay for it. If, however the police trustees had no power to levy a rate, then he was in favour of raising money by subscription.

Dr Sproule seconded the motion, after the clause limiting the amount to $150 had been struck out. He maintained that an engine to meet the requirements of Markdale would cost at least $250 or $300, or with plenty of hose $400.

Dr Sproule proposed that a fire company be organised, and that the trustees procure the necessary appliances for the use of the company at once.

This was seconded by Mr Brown, who spoke of the advantages of such a company, and its great value to the village. The motion was carried.

Mr Brown then spoke of the advisability of organising the company immediately. He therefore proposed that the company be formed to-night. This was seconded by Mr Grant, and carried.

The chairman then called for volunteer members of a fire company, when some twenty-four names were handed in.

A meeting of the fire company was then called for the following Tuesday evening.

After a vote of thanks to the chairman, the meeting closed.

FIRST MEETING OF THE FIRE BRIGADE.

The first regular meeting of the fire brigade was held on Tuesday evening in the Dufferin Hall, Markdale. Mr. Wm. Brown, J. P. was elected chairman, and Mr Thomas Henry, secretary.

The business of the meeting was to organise the volunteers into a company, having the necessary officers to carry on its work systematically and [illegible].

The constitution of a similar society having been read, it was decided to build up this brigade on the same basis.

The meeting then proceeded to elect officers, which resulted as follows, there being keen contests for nearly all the offices, excitement running highest for captaincy, lieutenancy, and secretaryship.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

CAPTAIN—Allan McDougall.
1ST LIEUTENANT—T. Mullarky.
2ND LIEUTENANT—Geo. Grant.
1ST BRANCHMAN—J. McDougall.
2ND BRANCHMAN—J. McKena.
SECRETARY—Thos. Henry.
ASST. SEC.—R. Cunningham.
TREASURER—Wm. N. Haskett.
STEWARD—J. Richards.

Privates.

Wm. Brown	Thos. McNea
J. G. Irving	E. S. Rae
D. J. Shanahan	John Moffat
Theo. Hall	Thos. Moffat
B. Bailey	Fred Moffat
Geo. Wilson	Jas Hogan
G. Noble	A. Jones
P. McArthur	Thos. Sproule
W. G. [illegible]	A. McIntire
Wm. M[illegible]	Wm Richardson
D[illegible] Mc[illegible]	Geo. Richards

All the members, and others wishing to join are requested to meet in the Dufferin Hall, on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock sharp.

By order of Captain A. McDougall.
THOS. HENRY, Sec.

The War News.

The first serious engagement on hand between the British troops and Arabi occurred on Saturday. A reconnaissance was made from Alexandria in strength for the purpose of determining Arabi's exact position and strength. The troops behaved with a coolness and courage that would have delighted the heart of Wellington. The action, which was gallantly and successfully fought, brought forth numerous deeds of bravery which redound to the credit of the British Army. Our loss was small—four killed and less than thirty wounded. The only officer killed was Lieut. Vyse. of the 60th Rifles, a promising young officer, who is highly spoken of by general Allison.

FARM TRANSFERS.

SOME BIG PRICES.

Maitland sold a fifty-acre farm in Pilkington, to Johnston, for $2,650.

Grey sold a farm of 160 acres, West Oxford, to W. Francis for $9,920, being $62 per acre.

Andrew Bell sold his farm of 100 acres, Vespra, to James Kirk, for $7,000 cash. Mr. Bell reserves two acres, and two dwelling houses.

John Maitland sold his farm, in Nichol, composed of 110 acres, for $6,000.

Mrs. Jame Chesney has sold her farm, Tuckersmith, to F. Elliott, of Westminster, for $6,000. The farm contains 100 acres, 90 of which are cleared.

MARKDALE CATTLE FAIR.

The cattle fair last Monday was fairly attended, considering the season of the year—most of the farmers being engaged at the fall wheat harvesting.

Quite a number of cattle were on the ground, many of which changed hands at good prices. Several head of cattle arrived too late.

Farmers and others intending to make sales of cattle would do well to have them on the ground not later than 9 o'clock, as buyers calculate on having their purchases all made before 11, and take their drove away forthwith.

CHATSWORTH.

It is understood that Mr Hopkins will build a large brick hotel on the site of the one recently burned down here.

Although it was at first denied that the Bain property was insured, it turns out otherwise.

Our citizens should provide themselves with a fireengine of some kind; and that manufactured by Mr John Dobbin, of Owen Sound, is probably the best that could be had at a reasonable price. Mr Dobbin was out here last week trying to effect a sale, but a number of the property owners seem to be very indifferent about it. This is great short-sightedness, for as they are at present fixed they can do little or nothing in the way of preventing fire from spreading. Some of our best buildings are attached to rows of miserable barrack, and the one is sure to suffer with the other.

The Holland show will be held here Tuesday, Oct. 10. The number of members is greater than in any previous year.

The next sitting of the Division Court will be held here on Thursday, Oct. 26, 12.30.

Insurance agents are doing a good business in the village since the fire. The number of buildings not insured previous to that disaster was something startling.

Mr McGill has sold upwards of 200 horse rakes this season, and they are still in demand.

The directors of the Holland show have their eye on a certain farmer of the township. Said farmer is charged with having shewn the same bushel of Deihl wheat at the show for a number of years, taking first money every time. To put the directors off their guard, he occasionally lends it to a friend, who shews it for him. Last year a neighbour shewed it, and took first prize; this year it is expected he will shew it himself.

One day last week while Mrs Ronalds and Mrs McNea of Markdale were on their way home from Mr J. Merriman's, where they had been cherry-picking, were thrown from the buggy whilst turning Mathews' corner on con. 2, and narrowly escaped being seriously injured. The buggy was upset and both ladies thrown out, one of them very near a large stone which lay by the roadside. After running a few rods the horse got rid of the buggy and started homeward, but was soon stopped. Beyond a few slight injuries to one of the ladies, the shafts of the buggy, and the general scattering of a large basket of cherries the damage done was slight.

METHODIST GARDEN PARTY.

The garden party at the Methodist parsonage on Monday evening was very largely attended. The grounds were encircled with evergreens, on which were hung several dozen Chinese and other lanterns, which gave the place a magnificent appearance; the illumination could be seen from almost any part of the village. The dining apartment was well patronised, and had to be replenished with fresh supplies from the bakers long before all were served.

Ice cream and lemonade were disposed of readily. The organ and piano were each surrounded by a throng who discoursed many popular airs, which were evidently highly appreciated by the company. The Rev. Mr. McDiarmid and his amiable wife did all in their power in providing enjoyment for those present, and were eminently successful.

About 250 were present, and the net proceeds amounted to $[illegible].

A FLOWER IN A DEAD BABY'S HAND.

After a young child had died and had been laid in its casket, in Auburn, a few days ago, a rosebud was plucked from a neighbouring garden and the stem was placed in one of the lifeless little hands. A day or two elapsed between this incident and the funeral ceremony. In the interval the rosebud in the hand of clay was seen to gradually unfold. When the service was held the bud had become a blossom. The phenomenon gave peculiar pleasure to the afflicted family, and was very prettily referred to by the clergyman, who compared the unfolding of the rosebud to the blossoming in heaven of the child.

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Markdale, May 24th, 1882. 5

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Flour	0.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.30	to	1.35
Fall do. do. do.	1.11	to	1.15
Barley	0.65	"	0.00
Oats	0.38	"	0.38
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes.	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.13
Pork, dressed,	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Grass seed,	2.50	"	5.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per. bushel.	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to	.55
Peas " 1	.72	to	.72
Oats " 1	.40	to	.40
Butter " 1	.16	to	.16
Eggs	.00		.15
Potatoes "	75	to	75
Pork "	0.00	to	0.00
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

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(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.35
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.15
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed.	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0 00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	5.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush	$1 24	to	$1 25
Wheat, spring, do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley, do.	0 62	to	0 65
Oats, do.	0 48	to	0 50
Peas, do.	0 82	to	0 85
Rye, do.	0 70	to	0 75
Clover Seed do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.			
Beef, hind quarters	11 00	to	12 00
Beef, fore quarters	9 00	to	10 00
Butter, large rolls	00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy	14	to	0 17
Butter, store-packed	00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz	0 17	to	0 17
Eggs, packed	0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl	2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag	1 50	to	1 50
Hay	10 50	to	14 00
Wool	00 19	to	00 20

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" North 11 30 p.m,
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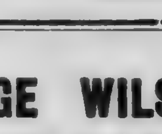

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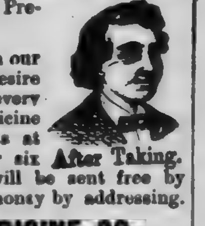

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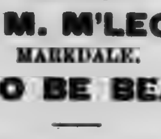

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday Aug. 10, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

See J. W. Ford's new advt.

There is a new barber at the Revere Hotel.

Too many parasols
At McFarland's.

J. W. Ford starts grinding on Monday.

A. McDougall has moved into the new block.

Too many ribbons
At McFarland's.

Bread is reduced to 14 cents per loaf in Kingston.

Mr. Parson's new advt. "Drugs," will appear next week.

Too many light prints
At McFarland's.

The Quebec Local Legislature is expected to meet in October.

Too many shawls, mantles, muslins and fringes At McFarland's.

The Dominion Parliament is further prorogued till Sept. 16.

The Dominion expenditure for July exceeded the revenue by $183,000.

Prescott hop growers anticipate only three-fourths of an average crop.

An exciting story, abounding with interest will shortly be commenced. Subscribe at once.

The oat crop in the vicinity of Belmont is likely to be the largest for several years.

Mr. Smith the barber has removed, and is now very conveniently located next door to H. Foster's.

The Toronto Exhibition grounds are to be lighted with the electric light.

A house and lot for sale; possession in January. Apply Mr. Theo. Hall, Markdale.

No coffins are to be exhibited at the forthcoming Toronto this year. This is cheerful.

Speers Bros. shipped three car loads of cattle to Manitoba, end of last week.

The foundation of the Presbyterian church is laid, and the building will now be pushed forward.

A full and complete stock of authorized text books for schools at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

The Indians say that next winter will be a severe one, owing to the abundant supply of nuts this year.

Mrs. Scoville has applied for a divorce on the grounds of the cruelty and passionate anger of her husband.

New Story, full of interest, will shortly be commenced in this paper. Subscribe now, $1 per year.

Mr Mason will not be in Markdale this week (11 and 12), but will be on hand Friday and Saturday of next week.

Mr Thos. Hanbury has purchased 40,000 bricks from Mr Bowler, and is shipping them to Dundalk for his new block.

We are informed that a farmer in Orange Valley Artemesia recently clipped 5 lb. of wool off a spring lamb.

Reports from the North-Western States go to show that there is a probability that the wheat yield will be double that of last year.

It is now stated that the Princess Louise will remain in Canada until the expiration of the Marquis of Lorne's term of office.

The fall exhibition of the Artemesia agricultural society will be held in Priceville on Tuesday, the 3rd day of October.

McFarland does not want to carry over a dollar's worth of summer goods and in order to sell will slaughter prices for the next 10 days.

A thrilling story will shortly be commenced in this paper. Now is the time to subscribe, $1 per annum.

A peculiar disease, which causes cattle affected to lose the use of their limbs, has carried off upwards of 200 head in Colchester county, Nova Scotia.

A [illegible] paper thinks that a law should be passed for the protection of snakes, saying that they keep away or destroy rats and mice, and do no harm.

A diamond valued at $7,000 was found in the bed of a creek near Danbury, N. C., on Saturday morning. Several diamonds have already been found in the State.

The mounted police at Edmonton pay five cents a pound for their oats, fifteen cents for their beef, and eleven dollars a ton for their hay. They will raise enough potatoes for their own use.

Rev. D. D. Rolston, of Walkerton, preached last Sunday morning and evening in the Methodist Church, Markdale. The congregations were large, and both sermons practical and eloquent.

Attention is requested to the Markdale Police Notice in another column. The Inspector will be compelled to [illegible] in force unless certain [illegible] and outbuildings are cleansed within a week.

An excursion from Orangeville [illegible] passed through to Owen Sound yesterday. About 80 joined it at Markdale. Many of the excursionists went for a trip on the steamer "A[illegible]."

A successful picnic was held last Friday in connection with Boyd's Sabbath School, 9th line, Euphrasia. Rev Mr McLaren and Rev. J. S. Corcoran were present, and addressed the school. The report proved the school to be in a prosperous condition. The time was spent in swinging and other amusements, and altogether a very enjoyable day was spent by those attending.

Dundalk.

Since last issue the weather has been more favourable for crops of this section.

Some of Mr [illegible] (Dundalk) bricks were rendered useless by the wind.

A brick yard is now in full operation in Dundalk. Success attend the enterprise.

The sidewalks at Dundalk are in a delapidated condition. The trustees need awakening.

Wm. McKee, Proton showed us sample of timothy hay grown on his farm. It measures 4ft. 10 inches in length.

Corbetton siding is completed. On dit that it is intended to change the name from Corbetton to Eden or Tamarac Grove.

Sixteen instruments have arrived for the use of the Dundalk brass band and arrangements are being made for a general practice. We hope soon to see the band in full parade under the able leadership of the worthy master, Mr Ketchum.

In Memory of the siege of Derry.—The Y. M. P. B. Association, Lodge No. 229, Apprentice Boys of Dundalk, are respectfully requested to meet in their Lodge Room, Dundalk, on the evening of the 12th day of August, 1882. A full lodge is expected, as business of importance will be transacted.

Don't borrow the paper, when you can get it post-free for $1 per annum. New and thrilling story will be commenced shortly. Subscribe now.

The report of another ministerial kissing scandal comes to hand, this time from Canton, Ohio. The accused minister alleges that blackmail is the object of his detractors and professes to be able to furnish proof.

A fellow lost a breach of promise suit in New York recently because because he addressed the girl who sued him as "My dear darling little sugar plum." In the eye of the law that is going a little too far to back out.

The Orangeville Sun complains of the exclusion of the representatives of the press and the public from the meetings of the public School Trustees of the district, and also of their failure to publish any report of their proceedings.

Two men in attempting to climb over the railings of the Tuileries Gardens during a display of fireworks on Sunday caught hold of the electric wire used for the illumination of the grounds. Both were struck dead.

Mr Reynolds' new brick residence is being pushed towards completion. It is an ornament to the village, is very conveniently laid out, and the work throughout shews taste and ability on the part of the mechanics and architect.

One day recently Mrs. Ferguson, of Clinton, a lady 77 years of age, undertook to bind one side of a field of fall wheat, and accomplished it as easily as one of younger years would. She also stooked it. The work was done for pleasure alone.

Mr Davis has completed his statute labour list in putting down a 6-ft. side walk from Montgomery's bakery to the Dufferin Hall. It is about the best built piece of sidewalk in the village, and it is to be hoped that the police trustees will see the imperative necessity of continuing the walk to the station.

On Saturday morning H. Caldwell, J. Hargett, and several children were standing at the foot of a large tree. Lightning struck the tree and severely injured seven of the party. Caldwell, Hargett, and a girl were almost killed.

The Allan steamship Parisian reached Moville on Saturday, 6 days 14 hrs after leaving Rimouski. This is the shortest time ever recorded for making the ocean trip, and the captain of the noble vessel is being congratulated on all hands.

A very respectable grocer was fined $75 and costs at Montreal on Monday for selling a pint bottle of beer. The Magistrate regretted that the law restricts the smallest quantity to be sold by grocers at three half-pints; he had no alternative. Saloon-keepers are being vigilantly looked after.

Mr. N. Misever, a farmer residing a short distance east of St. Thomas, a few days ago purchased a new reaper and used it a couple of days. On Saturday night he left it in the field ready for work on the following Monday. When he next visited the machine he found that some one with an axe or hammer had completely destroyed it—all that was left of the valuable reaper was a heap of scrap iron.

A few days ago Mr. P. [illegible] of Goderich, while visiting Mitchell, having wagered a certain sum upon the strength of his teeth, held up 200 lbs. of flour on an empty salt barrel made by himself for the occasion out of suitable material, for one minute, leaving marks in the hardwood staves where he took hold as though they had been gnawed by a sledge. He also shook $5 in the faces of all present that he could throw a filled barrel of salt weighing 300 lbs. over his head with his teeth, but found no takers.

Good cows are scarce enough at the best, and it is a pity to see choice milkers given over to milk men, with a certainty that not only will their progeny never help perpetuate the race of choice cows, but that they also will after a few years at most, be lost to the dairy interest of the country. When a farmer gets one of the best cows he should hold on, or if for any reason he finds it advisable to sell, let him sell to some brother farmer who will keep the cow as a breeder, and not sacrifice her to this modern Moloch of the bovine race.

SCIENTIFIC.

[illegible] has recently obtained, by the aid of his spectroscope of high dispersive power, a solar protuberance whose height equalled [illegible] of the diameter of the sun or about 55,000 miles.

GAS HEAT.—A recent course of experiments made to determine the heating power of gas shows that one cubic foot of ordinary sixteen-candle coal gas will develop 575 heat units, while water gas will give only about 187 heat units per cubic foot.

FOOD AND WORK.—In order to perform an amount of mechanical work equal to lifting 140 pounds 10,000 feet high, Prof. Graham calculates that a man must eat five pounds of potatoes, one and a third pound flour, two and a third pounds bread, one and a quarter pound oatmeal, one and a third pound rice, three and a half pounds lean beef, half a pound beef fat or one and a fifth pound Cheshire cheese. He says that the peasants of all countries have been right, in spite of many scientific assertions that they were wrong, in their instinctive habit of adding fat rather than nitrogenous food to their diet when undergoing hard work.

ELECTRIC LIGHT.—Mr. Sawyer, of New York City, who fairly divides with Mr. Edison the public attention in connection with the problem of lighting by electricity, gave an exhibition of his latest achievement in this line a few evenings ago. Seven lights were burning, says a reporter, giving out a steady, soft, pleasant light which was declared by an expert to be the best he had ever seen. The electricity was furnished by a four-horse power engine. The intensity of one of the lights was easily regulated by means of a "switch" without apparently affecting the others. The new lamp is based upon the incandescence of a pencil of carbon in nitrogen, the hermetical sealing of the globe being made with a newly discovered compound. The pencil, seven inches long, will last, it is asserted, three months at least, if used only five hours a day, and can be replaced at a cost of about fifteen cents.

THE NEBULAR HYPOTHESIS.—M. Faye has recently shown, in an interesting paper in the *Comptes Rendus*, how the celebrated hypothesis of Laplace, which at one time gained general assent, has been affected by the progress of modern discovery. The principal point is that of the direction of rotation of planets and their satellites. Laplace believed this direction to be the same for all the stars of the solar system, and the supposition of rings being detached from the primitive nebula, as it contracted, renders this condition quite necessary. But it is now known that this is not always the case, for the satellites of Uranus and those of Neptune have a retrograde motion. The hypothesis also required that the satellites should perform their revolution in longer time than the planet took to rotate on its axis. Now the recently-discovered satellites of Mars do not obey this law. Lastly, M. Faye insists on the fact that the very possibility of formation of successive rings has never been proved. Hence it is necessary, he claims, to abandon a part of Laplace's theory. M. Faye intends shortly to present a new way of looking at this important subject.

PETROLEUM IN RUSSIA.—It is likely that the European demand for petroleum will before long be largely supplied by the deposits of this oil in Hanover and Russia. The beds in the latter country are comparatively boundless, extending for a distance of 1,500 miles along the Caucasus range, from the Caspian to the Black Sea. At the present time, however, there are but two districts in this large area where any systematic efforts are being made to obtain petroleum. One is in the valley of the Kuban river (which flows into the Black Sea), where two wells have been sunk by a French company under the superintendence of an American manager; this company has a refinery at Taman. The other and most productive district is near Baku, on the Caspian Sea. Many wells have been sunk here to the depth of 300 feet, having a daily yield of 28,000 barrels of crude petroleum. An extraordinary amount of sand flows out with the oil, and is heaped up near the orifice of the wells in banks at least thirty feet high. Large refineries exist at Baku, though the refined oil at present produced there is not so good as that in this country.

SPONTANEOUS COMBUSTION.—Some experiments made at Riga with reference to the spontaneous combustion of various materials, wadding, raw flax, hemp, the waste of silk, wool and cotton spinning, also sponge, as well as the wood-dust found in the cabinet-makers' shops, appear to demonstrate the important fact, among others, that small quantities really take fire sooner than large ones. The substances named were saturated with various fluids—oils, turpentine, petroleum, various varnishes, etc. All the fibrous materials took fire when saturated with any of these oils, or with mixtures of the same; sponge and wood-dust, on the contrary, proved to be entirely harmless. Combustion ensued most rapidly with 17 grains of wadding, and 67 grains of a strong oil varnish, namely, in thirty-seven minutes, while 200 grains of washed cotton waste, of which a portion was saturated with 750 grains of strong oil varnish and the remainder wrapped about it, required a period of well nigh fourteen hours. On these materials being placed in a well-sheltered spot and subjected to a heat of from 18 to 40 degrees C., silk did not flame up, but slowly charred; and, as already mentioned, small quantities seemed to take fire sooner than large.

CARNIVOROUS PLANTS.—When insects are caught by plants, it is assumed, and with much apparent reason, that the act is, for some purpose, directly connected with the plants' own good. In some cases the plants seem to have special adaptations calculated to allure insects to destruction; and Mr. Darwin has shown that some plants have digestive acids connected with leaf-glands, by which nitrogenous substances may be absorbed. The area of these curious observations is being continually widened, and now *Le Horticole Belgique* announces that the pineapple and many other bromeliaceous plants have been discovered to be "carnivorous." Many plants of this order are Epiphytes, attaching themselves to trees or rocks, and deriving most of their sustenance from the atmosphere, through their leaves. In a large number of species the leaves clasp the stem tightly, and form small cups, which always have water in them, condensed from the dews or held from rain; and in tropical forests these little cups of water are said to be always filled with insects, which putrify in the liquid and thus aid in nourishing the plant. The Belgian paper is alluding to these discoveries from the practical standpoint, and recommends those who are cultivating this extensive and beautiful tribe of plants, either for the fruit, as the pineapple, or for the foliage or flowers, to take the hint from Nature. Under glass the plant is practically shut off from insect food; but the editor thinks a fair substitute for meat soup may be offered by dropping a little carbonate of ammonia into the water in the leaf-cups.

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A THRILLING ESCAPE.

An overhanging rock just below Kanawha Falls was the scene of a remarkable adventure, which the Louisville *Courier-Journal* describes as follows:

The Indians were in hot pursuit of Van Bibber, a settler and man of distinction in those early times. He was hard pressed, and all access to the river below and above being cut off, he was driven to this jutting rock, which proved to be the jumping-off place for him.

He stood on the rock, in full view of the enemy above and below, who yelled like demons at the certainty of his speedy capture.

He stood up boldly, and with his rifle kept them at bay. As he stood there he looked across the river—saw his friends—his wife with her babe in her arms, all helpless to render assistance. They stood as if petrified with terror and amazement.

She cried at the top of her voice, "Leap into the river and meet me!"

Laying her babe on the grass, she seized the oars and sprang into the skiff alone.

As she neared the middle of the river, her husband saw the Indians coming in full force and yelling like demons.

"Wife, wife," he screamed. "I'm coming; drop down a little lower."

With this he sprang from his crag and descended like an arrow into the water, feet foremost.

The wife rested on her oars a moment to see him rise to the surface, the little canoe floating like a cork, bobbing about on the boiling flood.

It was an awful moment: it seemed an age to her. Would he ever rise?

Her earnest gaze seemed to penetrate the depths of the water, and she darted her boat farther down the stream.

He rose near her; in a moment the canoe was alongside of him, and she helped him to scramble into it amid a shower of arrows and shot that the baffled Indians poured into them.

The daring wife did not speak a world, her husband was more dead than alive, and all depended on her strength being maintained until they could reach the bank.

This they did, just where she had started, right where the babe was still lying, crowing and laughing.

The men pulled the skiff high up on the sand, and the wife slowly arose and helped to lift Van Bibber to his feet.

He could not walk, but she laid him down by his babe, and then seating herself, she wept wildly just as any other woman would have done under the circumstances.

That babe is now a grandfather, and that rock is called "Van Bibber's Rock" to this day.—*Youth's Companion.*

"TASTED DRETFUL QUEER."

We have heard of people curing others of using strong drink by putting an emetic into their whiskey-bottles. The following story illustrates the wedding manners of seventy years ago, and the simplicity of a green young benedict:

A minister of Newburyport was once called up, after he had gone to bed, to marry a couple. The hour was late, and the minister's wife did not rise to witness the ceremony, but gave her husband particular directions for the entertainment of the wedding guests.

"Don't forget to pass the cake and wine, doctor," said she. "The cake is in the corner cupboard, and you'll find the wine on the third right-hand shelf in the sideboard.

The doctor promised obedience, put on his clothes, and went down to perform the ceremony. Returning a half-hour later, he found his wife sitting up in bed, with an anxious expression on her face. "Doctor," she cried, "did you give them any wine?"

"Certainly, my dear, just as you told me."

"Not from the decanter on the third shelf of the sideboard?"

"That is exactly where you directed me to find it, wife."

"Dear! dear! Did they drink much of it?"

"Why, yes; they emptied their glasses."

"What shall we do! Doctor, I made a mistake—it was ipecac wine you gave them. Oh, how sick they must be. Do, dear, put on your cloak and go right after them; they can't have got far."

The doctor found the bridal party at the corner of the next street. "What made you drink the wine?" he asked. "Couldn't you tell by the taste that there was something wrong about it?"

The bridegroom answered, between his qualms: "She whispered to me that it tasted dretful queer, but I told her 'twas because we was gettin' married!"

EFFECTS OF ELECTRICITY.

"Dis is de age ob 'lectricity," said the Rev. Plato Johnson the other evening as our reporter sat with him on the doorstep of his humble cottage, "an' though we oughter be proud ob it, still to my shaller mind de age ob lightnin' has its drawbacks." The old gentleman seemed lost in thought for a moment, mechanically drawing a large bandana from his capacious pocket and wiping his ample brow. The reporter, who has made a study of the moods of our simple-hearted friend, did not interrupt his reverie, but waited patiently for possible revelations. "It's all berry well," he continued after a little, "it's all berry well to coax de lightnin' from de clouds, but after you've got it you gotter look out for it pretty lively. Now, you kin tame de wildest hoss so he will almos' forgit how to kick; but, bress de Lord, de lightnin' nebber forgits nothin', an' is allers lookin' roun' for a chance ter hit somebody. You got to keep yer eye on it all de time, an' even den yer can't be sure it won't go off on a 'scursion an' kill free or four people, an' be back agin fore yer can wink twice. It is one ob dose tings it won't nebber do to let run loose roun' de house. Well, if it stepped roun' sorter slow, you know, so you could git out der way, dat would be a defferent ting, but de trubble is dat it is so orfle quick tempered, an' wen it trabbles it trabbles so fass dat you is stone dead an' yer house all burned down to de ground 'fore you can cry 'Fire!' Sech a fluid as dat musn't be fooled wid. Now, lass week, wen I was down to York, I went to call on Brudder Edison. I'se had a rheumatis orfle bad, and dey said I ought ter try 'lectricity. Brudder Edison tole me he could handle de 'lectricity jess as easy as though he was a lightnin' rod, an' it wouldn't do him no harm. He said I could learn to do it too, but wen I tried it I foun' I hadn't learned much, or dat sumfin was wrong. De only wonder is dat I didn't die learnin'. Wy, I couldn't even holler to tole him to take de plaguey ting away an' le' me go home. I nebber wanted to go home so much in my life. Wen I look at dat machine it look innercent 'nuff. Der want nothin' de matter wid it dat I could see to object to. But jes like pore Brudder [illegible] —*N. Y. Herald.*

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FATAL BOAT ACCIDENT.

FOUR BOYS DROWNED

AT A

PICNIC PLEASURE PARTY.

Yesterday (Wednesday) the pleasure of a picnic party near Brewster's Lake was sadly marred by a fatal accident occurring on the Lake.

It seems that four boys, named Huston, Wisdom and two brothers named Miles, from Maxwell went out either for a row, or for fishing on the Lake, while they were on the water, either through too many of them standing up or through them crowding on one side of the boat, it capsized, and the result was that they were all thrown overboard into the water. None of the four boys named were able to reach the shore or otherwise save themselves, and before they could be rescued they were drowned.

A gloom was thus cast over the pleasure of the party.

At a special meeting of the Dominion Millers' Association on Thursday in Toronto, the resolution of last year declaring that the Government should allow the miller to export the equivalent in flour of wheat imported from the United States, instead of the product of that particular wheat, was again passed, and a deputation [illegible] appointed to urge this view on the government. The system of [illegible] was strongly condemned.

The mystery hanging over the fate of the coloured Baptist preacher and his wife, supposed to have been murdered [illegible] East and [illegible] has been cleared up This day by their appearance in their own [illegible] persons at the celebration of the anniversary of the West Indies emancipation in Chatham. It appears they got frightened at some threats made by neighbours against them, and fled to Chatham.

At Bowmansville, near Chicago, a Congregational church organized and ordained a pastor. The council was at first puzzled what to do in the matter, as all the church but the pastor and a boy of fifteen years were females. They put the matter through to a conclusion, however, deaconesses being elected. The Chicago Tribune, in closing its report of the proceedings pertinently asks, "Where are the men?"

A melancholy fatal accident took place at Algiers on Friday, 28th July. Lar[illegible] Tulloch and his brother-in-law James Howick were splicing a piece of rope on the floor of the saw mill of Messrs. Williams and Murry, of Goderich, when they were both killed by the bursting of a new pulley. Tulloch never breathed, Howick lived till one o'clock in the afternoon, but never was conscious. Both men leave widows and small children to mourn their loss. The bodies were taken to their homes ten miles up the Mississagua on Saturday and buried on Sabbath afternoon. Rev J. Nicol preached a funeral sermon to a large crowd of sympathizing friends. This sudden accident has cast quite a gloom over the entire neighbourhood. The deceased were respected by all who knew them.

A [illegible] had been invited to [illegible] and was to preach his [illegible] sermon in anticipation of a call. At the house of a leading member, where he stopped, his host said [illegible]

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Voters' List, 1882

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Notice is hereby given that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in the 3rd and 4th sections of the "Voters' Lists Act," the copies required by said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the list made pursuant to the said Act, of all persons appearing by the last revised assessment roll of the said Municipality to be entitled to vote in the said Municipality at elections for members of the Legislative Assembly, and at Municipal elections; and the said list was first posted up at my office at Lot 20, Con. 4, Township of Osprey, on the 31st day of July, 1882, and remains there for inspection.

Electors are called upon to examine the said List, and if any omissions or other errors are found therein, to take immediate proceedings to have the said errors corrected according to law.

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Markdale, Nov. 1881 [illegible] 63-ly

Markdale Police Notice.

Notice is hereby given to the Householders of the Village of Markdale to have their Yards, and Outbuildings thoroughly cleansed, and the Streets cleared opposite their respective dwellings, and any Nuisance removed before the 18th of August, as the Inspector will on that day examine and inspect said Yards, &c., and where necessary put the law in force to compel such cleansing.

JOHN REID, Inspector,
Village Police.
Aug. 10, 1882.

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A Markdalite visiting the Zoo trod on the alligator's tail to see if he was alive. It was, and the Glenelger soon found himself in the pond, having been whisked thither by the caudal appendage of the reptile. He respects the alligator's tail, and stands clear.

An honest medicine is the noblest work of man, and we can assure our readers that Dr. Fowlers Extract of Wild Strawberry is not only reliable, but is almost infallable to cure Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Canker of the Stomach and bowels, and the various Summer Complaints, whose attacks are often sudden and fatal.

Kelly, proprietor of the Tuam Herald, has been prosecuted under the Prevention of Crimes Act for publishing an article encouraging murder.

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It is understood that the Hon. Frank Smith has been sworn in as member of Privy Council without portfolio, Hon. D. L. Macpherson becoming President of the Council.

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Immigration returns from Emerson Man., up to the end of June show that up to that time upwards of forty thousand people had entered Manitoba this season.

Davy & Clark, Druggists, Renfrew, write us June 3rd. "We have sold Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for a number of years, and find nothing equal to it, for the purpose for which it is designed." Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cures all kinds of Bowel complaints incident to Summer and Fall.

A farmer on the lower Lachine intends sueing the Society for prevention of cruelty to animals for damages to his crops by English sparrows, which the society imported.

A Reward — Of one dozen 'Teaberry' to any one sending the best four line rhyme on 'Teaberry,' the remarkable little gem for the Teeth and Breath. Ask your druggist for address.

It is uncertain at present whether Thunder Bay section of the Canada Pacific will be opened this season. At present the road is in the hands of the contractor, who refuses to allow trains to pass over it.

The firm of J. & S. McEachen, Douglas, writes us June 1st, saying, "There is not another preparation we can recommend with so much confidence as Burdock Blood Bitters, as it invariably gives the best of satisfaction." Burdock Blood Bitters cures all diseases of Blood, Liver and Kidneys.

'What can I do for you to induce you to go to bed, now? asked a Lowell mama of her five-year-old boy Monday evening. 'You can let me set up a little longer,' was the youngster's response.

As a remedy for Sea Sickness, for any irritation of the stomach and bowels, for canker of the stomach and mouth, for piles and hemorrage, and for all varieties of bowel complaints, Dr. Fowler's Wild Strawberry is nature's true specific.

A whole family were poisoned last week by eating strawberries that had been grown near some currant bushes on which some hellibore had been sprinkled.

W. H. Crooker, Druggist, of Waterdown, under date of June 1st, writes that "Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry cannot be surpassed, when all other remedies fail then it comes to the rescue, and I find the sales large and increasing." Wild Strawberry positively cures all Bowel complaints.

A melancholy affair happened at Ayton in connection with the excursion at the opening of the new railway to the Georgian Bay. Among the returning excursionists were a mother and daughter named Drummond. All went well till Ayton station had been passed a short distance, when the mother fell off the platform on which they had been standing. The daughter jumped to her assistance and fell underneath the wheels of the car. She was instantly killed. The mother was seriously injured

BILIOUSNESS.

A furred tongue, bad taste in the mouth, nausea vomiting, variable appetite, alternate diarrhœa and costiveness, faintness, weariness, yellow cast of eyes and countenance, indicates serious biliary trouble. Jaundice is a dangerous disease, it is an overflow of bad bile in the circulation, any of these symptoms should be remedied without delay, and Burdock Blood Bitters is the remedy upon which you may safely rely.

Our Premium

We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. READ PROOF BELOW.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

HAMILTON, MO., June 14, 1881.

B. J. KENDALL & CO.—Gents: —This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; I have removed by using the above: Callous Bone Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can cheerfully testify and recommend it to be the best thing for any bony substance I have ever used, and have tried many as I have made that my study for years.

Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

Dr. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents: —I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago Express. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial. I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

[illegible], Jan. 17, 1882.

DR. B. J. [illegible] Co., Gents: This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, [illegible], Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone if properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure

ON HUMAN FLESH.

WEST [illegible], Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents: —Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

ST. JOHN, P.Q. Oct. 27, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents: —I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, scalds and all kinds of lameness and other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle very badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25cts. and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

Sold by all Druggists.

LYMAN, SONS & CO., Montreal, P. Q. Wholesale Agents.

Messrs. Heron & Hamlin

Having started the

Eugenia House,

Hope to secure a share of public patronage.

The Eugenia House being close to

The Falls

Offers great attractions to those who are fond of SCENERY, as well as to those who delight in

ANGLING,

As the river both above and below the Falls abounds with SPECKLED TROUT.

Messrs. Heron & Hamlin can safely assure the public that they are determined to do their utmost to please and accommodate all comers.

Their board and accommodation shall be of the best, and they are supplied with the very best brands of LIQUORS, having resolved that the Bar shall be properly attended. Also

Good Stabling.

Bona fide squatters in Qu'Appelle will have justice, but blackmail squatters will be evicted.

DUNDALK BOOT AND SHOE STORE

IN THANKING my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

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Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS — McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!

McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars. — McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.

McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee. — McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

HARVEST TOOLS!

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Harvest Mitts.

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHERTON.

Has just received the balance of a very extensive Stock, and is shewing

Rixford's Celebrated Scythes,

The Hamilton Patent

Thumb-and-Finger Barley Forks,

The celebrated

Wrastin Grain Cradle.

A complete Stock of Forks, Rakes, Snaths, Scythe Stones, &c.

All Goods marked at lowest figures, and WARRANTED of best Manufacture.

One Ton of Preserving Sugar

now received. The price will surprise you.

Grain, Butter, Eggs, Wool, Sheep Skins, or any other produce bought, and highest market prices paid.

I want a large quantity of Butter and Eggs, before the 1st of August, for which I am prepared to pay the HIGHEST PRICE.

R. J. SPROULE,

Toronto House, Flesherton.

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Rent Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

OF

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

DUNDALK, - - Ontario.

Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

A. G. HUNTER.

OFFICE—One door south of Anglo-American Hotel.

Dundalk, September 1st, 1881. 1-ly.

1882. SPRING 1882.

Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

AT THE

TORONTO HOUSE,

MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

Wm BROWN.

Markdale, May 1st, 1882.

Markdale PUMP Factory.

J. G. IRVING,

MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS, FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

Sydenham Street, Markdale.

Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRING & SUMMER Goods

AT

"CHEAPSIDE."

IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, Cashmeres, Muslins, All shades. All colors. Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

Scotch and West of England Tweeds,

Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

Denims, Oxford Shirtings.

A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS in ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES, New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES, from best Toronto Manufacturers.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, ETC.

HENRY FOSTER. MARKDALE.

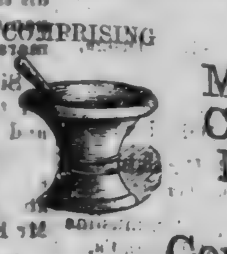
SEEDS!

PURE SEEDS

We wish to inform the farming community that we have for sale a large stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING



Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass, Tares, &c. — Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery, School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery, Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods, Pure Drugs & Chemicals. Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

A. Turner & Co., Medical Hall

N.B.—A Quantity of the celebrated Oil Cake just received.

MARKDALE

Sash and Door Factory

SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES,

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

Markdale May 27th, 1881. 37-tf

OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR. OH, HEAR.

Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

W. BULMER,

The People's

Photographer,

Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices. Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

AT THE

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 23, 1881. 67-tf.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

AT LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

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Physicians, Surgeons, Accoucheurs &c.

OFFICE Medical Hall; residence at Markdale House.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

Dental Card.

Cameron & Knight,

DENTISTS, OWEN SOUND.

Gold Fillings a specialty, and all operations upon the mouth thoroughly and completely performed.

Mr. Knight will make regular trips to Markdale the last Tuesday in every month.

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SURGEON DENTIST,

Of Woodstock, Ont., will be at MARKDALE on July 25, for One Week.

Teeth filled with Gold and Amalgam. Artificial Teeth inserted on Rubber base. Natural appearance—Perfect Fit. Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

Legal.

Frost & Frost.

BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton. Office open every Thursday as before.

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J. MASSON.

BARRISTER, MASTER AND DEP. REG in Chancery, Notary Public, Conveyancer, &c.

MONEY TO LEND AT SIX PER CENT

Offices—Owen Sound, in [illegible] [illegible]ett St.; and in Markdale, over McFarland's Store, on Friday and Saturday [illegible]

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Funds to lend on reasonable terms.

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GEO. CROUTHER, Holland Centre.

Aug. 2nd, 1882.

Hotels.

REVERE HOTEL,

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T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.

THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly [illegible] and is now second to none in the [illegible]. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First class accommodation for commercial travellers. Terms $1.00 per day.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL,

PRICEVILLE, Ont.

Large and commodious Sample Rooms, Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larder well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler.

THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor.

October 31st, 1880.

Miscellaneous.

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AUCTIONEER AND GENERAL LAND Agent, Williamsford Station. Auction Sales attended in all parts of the County. Goods sold on commission. Rates moderate. Pianos, Organs, and Sewing Machines; also Fruit and Ornamental Trees, Vines, Agricultural Implements, and Machinery of all kinds on sale.

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Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

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PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL

PLASTERER

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All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.

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BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). After completing 13 buildings this season is still on the track and is prepared to do all kinds of stone and brick work, plastering and tuck pointing. Those who contemplate building will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Streets, MARKDALE. 16-y

Wm. Brown.

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancing in all its branches attended to and carefully executed.

N.B.—Money to Lend on Real Security.

Markdale, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

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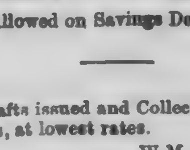
Wm. Lucas & Co.,
BANERS,
Money Loaned
IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.
INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.
Allowed on Savings Deposits.
Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.
W.M. LUCAS, Manager.
Spteember 28, 1880. 2-ly

F. F. TEEPLE'S



CARRIAGE WORKS,
DUNDALK, ONT.
The subscriber is prepared to supply the public with
WAGGONS, DEMOCRATS, BUGGIES,
SLEIGHS, CUTTERS, BOB-SLEIGHS,
Together with all kinds of repairs in wood or iron on short notice, at reasonable rates.
F. F. TEEPLE.
Dundalk, Sept. 2nd, 1881. 1-ly

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING
ON
Every Working Day,
By Thomas Smith,
Orders filled for Tomb Stones.
Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

Markdale Hotel.
Good Accommodation for Travellers. 'Bus to and from all trains. Charges moderate.
Markdale. A. RUTLEDGE, PROP.

GEORGE NOBLE,
INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,
LICENSED AUCTIONEER
For the County of Grey.
AGENT for the following reliable Companies:
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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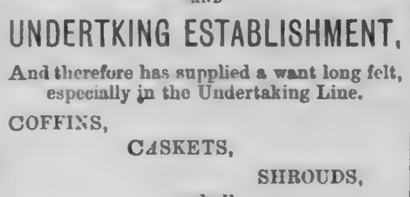

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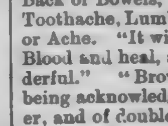

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AN APOLOGY.

For Gazing at a Young Lady at Markdale Church.

The sermen was long,
And the preacher was prosy;
Do you think it was wrong?
The sermon was long.
The temptation was strong,
Her cheeks were so rosy,—
The sermon was long,
The preacher was prosy;
Her cheeks were so rosy.

H.

FARMING.

What is farming?
Is it ploughing?
Is it digging with a spade?
Is it reaping?
Is it sowing?
Call you this the farmer's trade.

Sturdy frame,
Inured to labour,
Sinewy and horny hands.
Is this all,
All you require,
In the culture of your lands?

Mind must be
Well yoked to labor;
Man must think as well as toil!
If with profit,
If with pleasure,
He would cultivate the soil.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN.

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PART II.

CHAPTER XXVII.

THAT NIGHT.

Three hours later, and Redmond and Rose O'Donnell had quitted Scarswood Park for ever.

They had bid adieu to Lady Dangerfield, weeping feebly; to Lady Cecil, who gave her hand-clasp to him, and a look which plainly said, Farewell, for ever—my love. To Lord Ruysland, who stood aghast at O'Donnell's request to leave Miss Hernecastle alone for one day at least, when he would write the Earl all he had learned of this wonderful woman, this mystery.

O'Donnell then took his sister to Bracken Hollow. She there saw her husband—Gaston Dantree—an idiot; he was asleep. The sight was too much for her, she fainted in her brother's arms.

He met with Otis, who was in a great rage inasmuch as Katherine had fled, no one knew whither. For this he blamed O'Donnell, and referred him to a letter she had left for Otis, in which she said that for her own sake she could not go with Captain O'Donnell and his sister. None of them were to follow or seek her. She was gone for the best, she said, and all would be well.

Otis said that he would proclaim the secret of her parentage, and would tell him, (meaning Earl Ruysland) at once.

The captain did not yet know what relationship existed between Katherine and the Earl,

O'Donnell hurried off to the Silver Rose. The baggage was ready, but Lanty's whereabonts could be best known by the sound of his voice, there was no mistaking that.

'See now—that I may niver sin—but I'll come back to ye—an' maybe marry ye—if I don't see anybody I'd like betther. Arrah where's the gude ov cryin an screechin in this way? My own heart's broke intoirely. An thin ye kin write me in your own illigant hand. Faith, an ye write aquil to any schoolmaster in Ballanybaggart. An ye'il dait yer lethers in this way, 'Mr Lanty Lafferty, in care ov the Maisther, in furrin parts.' Arrah, hould yer noise an' don't be afther feitchin' the parish down cn us.'

Susan and Lanty were behind the pump, her reply to this love speech being only audible in Lanty Laffertys ear.

'Why dont I lave him is it? Upon me conscience, it's long and many's the time ago I'd have left him wid his sodgerin an thrampin if I could have iver a dacent Irish boy to trust him wid. But if a bullet from a rifle, or a poke from a pike were to cut short his sodgerin I'd be allus to the fore to close the corpse's eyes. An its on me two knees I'd go to ye this minute me darlin av it wasn't owin to the dampness ov the grass, an the rheumatiz that's afther troublin me in the small ov me back. I'd ax ye iv ye wouldnt be Misthress Lafferty. An faith it's not to more lhan half a dozen women I'd say the like.

'Lanty! I say, come along!' called his master.

'Och! tare an ages! there he is himself. Give us a kiss, Shusan, me darlin ov the wurruld. Long life to ye till I come back to ye me own tru love.

They were soon in the quiet hotel in London.

O'Donnell wrote to Earl Ruysland and laid before him the accumulated evidence which proved Miss Hernecastle and Katherine Dangerfield oneand the same.

He said that her sins had been forced upon her, that her virtues were her own, and he asked the earl to befriend the lady he was recently hunting down.

The earl obeyed O'Donnell, and did not continue to follow the track of the ex-governess.

As O'Donnell returned from the post office, he was met at the door of the hotel by a telegraph boy, waiting with a cable message from New Orleans:—

To Redmond O'Donnell.—My wife and son are dead. Come at once and bring Rose. L. De Lansac.

This cablegram altered the whole course of the rest of Captain O'Donnell's life.

* * * *

Lord Ruysland, walking around the big fish-pond, was thinking of the great changes that had recently occurred when he was approached by Mr Otis.

The earl heard impatiently the story about Katherine being his daughter, but disbelieved it, and told Otis that he was a lunatic.

Lady Cecil was within earshot, and at once saw that she was after all the daughter of a guilty, scheming woman,—Harriett Harman,—and had no right to name of which she was so proud.

Just then a bright light lit up the horizon.

Bracken Hollow was on fire! Old Hannah was busy attending Harman and the idiot, Gaston, had got the matches, and carried out his oft-repeated threat.

Dantree got to the top of the building, and fell with it, and perished in the flames,

Harriett Harman was locked up in her room. In bursting open the door she was knocked down and nearly killed.

CHAPTER XXVIII.

HUNTED DOWN.

Dying! No earthly aid could reach her! The blow of the heavy door had done its work.

The earl had thought over what Otis had said. He went to the Silver Rose where Harriet Harman lay dying. Thither followed him Lady Cecil. She had heard all the news, and was anxious to see the woman said to be her mother.

They got to her bedside, and as consciousness returned, the earl spoke to her.

'Harriet, do you know me?'

'Yes, my lord,—I do, I—I— am—sorry—'

'Listen, Harriet,—speak the truth now. Was it your child—your own child—you gave me 20 years ago, or mine?'

'It was mine.—I swear it. I kept yours. I hated my lady. I swore revenge. She parted me from Lionel! Lionel.'

Lord Ruysland took her hand and bent close.

'Harriet, look at this face beside me—It is the child you gave me. Tell me again—is she yours or mine? I love her.'

'She is—mine, Katherine Harman. Yours I gave to Sir John Dangerfield—Her grave is in Castleford churchyard, and—I—saw her,—saw her!—two days ago!'

Lord Ruysland looked across to Mr Otis.

'She saw Helen Hernecastle, said that individual.

They left the room, and Lady Cecil fainted.

When they returned to Scarswood the earl had ample time to think over the whole affair, and weigh the evidence.

It was all clear. No room for any doubt. No point he could dispute. He recalled the picture of Lionel Cardonnell in the possession of the governess—her interest in the story—the very strong likeness to his own dead wife, the ghost, and the resmblance to Katherine Dangerfield were explained easily now.

What a bold game she had played! And Treganna had fallen in love with her! He had parted them. Had compelled him to propose to Harmans daughter.

His daughter lived—had relented at the eleventh hour—had burned the confession—returned Sir Peter his money—renounced her retribution—and gone into the world alone to fight the bitter battle—her battle—of life.

'Oh God,' cried the earl, as he realised her position, 'this is the hardest to bear of all.'

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

The conclusion of this story will be found on page 2, of this issue.

THAT KISSING CASE.

The Rev. Mrs Starr, *nee* Miss Graham, undertook more than she had bargained for when she voluntarily brought herself before the public by unenviable means.

The rev. gentleman's church at Winnipeg is crowded weekly by the curious, who go not to hear the gospel but to see the young lady who sent over the wires to a forbidden and an alien party to "come and have a heavenly time.'

The young lady has gained for herself a notoriety for life, and brought a scandal upon the church.

In case of moral offenders the conference generally relegates them for a season to some distant settlement. We know of one young Methodist divine who openly traded horses as a business, and on the evening before his wedding day he sent a successful representative who broke off the engagement.

On the following day he drove to a neighbouring village, and married another girl forthwith.

The conference quietly took cognizance of the affair, and for a number of years the young divine has been labouring harmlessly among the scattered residents of the regions about Lake Huron where scandal travels slowly,

MARRIAGE COMPLICATIONS.

Queer complications grow out of the marriage of the Duke of Westminster. The duke's daughter Beatrice married the eldest son of Lord Chesham, and has borne him a son and heir. Now, the Duke himself has married Lord Chesham's sister.

The Chesham boy, born in 1878, is the nephew of his new grandmother, who is his father's sister, consequently his grandfather is his uncle.

His father being his uncle's son, is his cousin. His mother is also his cousin. Hence he is his own second cousin. His father being his grandmother's brother, is his son's great-uncle.

DEATH IN THE PULPIT.

The Rev. Mr Gerrie, Baptist minister, while officiating on Sunday at the Baptist church on the Communication line in the township of Smith for his son-in-law Rev. Mr. Radcliffe, suddenly fell dead while giving out a hymn. Mr Gerrie had resided some years ago at Elora.

THE LUCKY BOY.

Some men begin to be lucky when they are mere boys. A 12-year old boy shot at a cat in Leadville last week, but fortunately missed the cat but killed an influential citizen, who was asleep in the back yard of a neighbouring saloon.

As the influential citizen happened to be a delegate from Texas, who had killed several men, and of whom the Leadville police had a holy horror, the joy of the citizens was great indeed.

The boy received an ovation. The mayor made a neat speech in presenting him with a gold-mounted revolver. As the boy expresed a desire to join the minstry, he was sent to theological institute.

Nothing, however, has ever been done for the cat.

CAUGHT.

A South Grey farmer who sent 25 cents for sure cure for the potato bug evil was told to select two small flat pieces of wood, catch the bug and lay it carefully on piece of wood No 1, press firmly till the bug is gathered to his fathers.

CHEESE FACTORIES.

The Flesherton Cheese Factory is flourishing. Most of the farmers in the neighbourhood send their milk to the factory, and thus get out of all the hard dairy work. The manager has disposed of the May and June make of cheese for 10½ cents per lb. This is a good price for cheese made in the months named. The buyer pronounced it good.

The Laurel Cheese Factory is going ahead. A large amount of milk is coming in weekly, 82 tons and 195lb. being made into cheese in one week. The demand for cheese is good, it fetches 10½c.

We see no reason why Markdale should not possess a cheese factory. Besides the fact that it would employ a certain number of hands, we know that it would be the means of bringing the farmers and their wives oftener into the town.

PAT AND THE SERMON.

'That was a good sermon, was it not, that he had last Sunday?'

'True, for you, yer honour, an illigant one! It done me a power of good.'

'I am glad of that can you tell me what particular struck you? What was it about?'

'Oh, well,' scratching his head, "I don't rightly—not just exactly know. I—a—I. A' where's the use in telling lies. Sure I don't remember one single 'dividual word of it, good or bad. Sorra a bit of me knows what it was about at all.'

'And yet you say it did you a power of good.'

'So it did sir. I'll stick to that.'

'I don't see how.'

'Well, now, yer honor, look here. There's my shirt that the wife is after washing; and clean and white it is, by reason of all the water, and all the soap that's going through it. But not a drop of 'em all—water, or soap, or blue has stayed in, d'ye see? And that's just the same with me and that sermon. It's run through me, yer honour, and it's dried out of me; but all the same, just like my Sunday shirt, I'm the better and the cleaner after it.

SLEEPERS.

A sleeper is one who sleeps. A sleeper is that in which the sleeper sleeps. A sleeper is that on which the sleeper which carries the sleeper while he sleeps runs. Therefore while the sleeper sleeps in the sleeper the sleeper carries the sleeper over the sleeper under the sleeper until the sleeper which carries the sleeper jumps off the sleeper and wakes the sleeper on the sleeper by striking the sleeper under the sleeper, and there is no sleeper in the sleeper on the sleeper.

TELEPHONING FOR THE WRONG DOCTOR.

A well-known medical man of Detroit was called up by telephone the other day, when the following conversation took place:

'It has come, doctor.'

The doctor thought he knew the voice, and, wondering why he had not been sent for, snouted back:

'Is it all right?'

'It's a very small pattern,' answered the voice, which was that of a woman, 'but it will do if we take pains.'

The doctor caught the last word, and called distinctly:.

'Give it paregoric.'

There was a mumbling discussion which he could not hear, and then the voice called:

'Is this Doctor——?'

'No! It's Doctor——of Forest street.'

Then he heard a chorus of mirth, and was informed that he was in communication with a fashionabl dressmaking house, and it was a silk dress for Doctor——'s wife that was under discussion, and that he was the wrong man, which under the circumstances was rather a relief to the Fort street physician.

EUPHRASIA.

The council met pursuant to adjournment, Aug, 4, 1882.

Members all present.

Minutes of last session of council read and confirmed.

The report of committee on collector's roll, E. div. of township accepted and collector requested to settle up with the treasurer for 1880 roll before next meeting.

Mr Erskine was authorised to act as he may deem prudent with J. McNeely with reference to work on the roads.

Watson & McLaren's ac. laid over for information.

Reeve and Mr Ellis to examine 3 & 4 sideroad, con. 6, and report at next meeting.

The Reeve, Mr Fawcett, & Mr Ellis were appointed a committee to examine assets and liabilities of the township, and ascertain what rate will be required for current year.

After a little deliberation they reported that a 1 cent on the $ would be necessary.

School debenture rates and amount to be raised as the school sections require.

By-law 320 was passed,

The following amounts were orderd to be paid:

R. Helstropy, 6 chairs	...	$3.90
R. Mathers, road work	...	$6.00
J. Anderson, „	...	$9.00
John Millar „	...	$2.60
R. Neely „	...	$19.00
Js. Stinson „	...	$20.00

Moved by Mr Erskine, seconded by Mr Gilray that this council very much regrets that the trustees of certain public schools within this township have omitted to make their requisition to the council for the levy of school moneys according to law, thereby leaving themselves liable to heavy fines, and making themselves personally liable for teachers' salaries. The trustees of the following school sections being those in default, viz:

U.S.S. 6, Euphrasia & Collingwood School Section 3
„ „ 6
„ „ 19
„ „ 12
U.S.S. 2, Euphrasia & Holland
„ 1, „ „
—Carried.

Council adjourned till 1st Friday in September.

R. Dunlop, Tp. clerk.

SATIRE.

A London engraver has issued cartoon representing Gladstone disguising himself as Beaconsfield, in order to terrify Arabi and the European Powers.

He has already placed a primrose in his button hole and a curl on his forehead, and is shown in the act of pasting a goatee to his chin. Under his arm he carries a rifled cannon, while in the background are reserve soldier and Sepoy.

SUMMER DRINKS.

To make root beer, take a quantity of sarsaparilla roots an sassafras bark and some hops, and boil till the strength is extracted. to three gallons of the liquor, after it is strained, add one quart of molasses and a quart of yeast. After standing in a warm place eight or ten hours, strain again and bottle. It will be fit for use the following day.

For ginger-beer, take one pint of molasses and two spoonfuls of ginger; put into a pail to be half filled with boiling water; when well stirred together fill the pail with cold water, leaving room for one pint of yeast, which must not be put in till luke warm, place it on the warm hearth for the night. And bottle it in the morning.

For spruce beer, take three pounds of sugar, four gallons of water, one ounce of ginger, a little lemon peel or essence of lemon, and a little essence of spruce, to give it flavour. Stir all together, warm it a trifle; add a cupful of good yeast.

Mead is made by dissolving one part of honey in three of boiling water, flavouring it with spice, and adding a portion of ground malt and a piece of toast steeped in yeast, allowing the whole to forment.

INQUIRIES FOR MAIL.

ALWAYS MUST BE LETTERS.

One of the oddest sights in the south is to see the negroes hang about the post-office. They are the first ones to call in the morning and the last to leave at night, and it is by no means rare to have them inquire for mail ten or fifteen times a day. I was in the office at Marietta, Ga., when an aged darkey limped in and inquired:

'Am dar' fo' or five letters for June broke Duke?'

'No, sir,' replied the postmaster, after taking a look.

'Woll, den, I'll take one.'

'There are no letters for you.'

'Isn't dar a newspaper?'

'No.'

'Hasn't I dun got nuffin' 'tall?'

'Not a thing.'

Dat's curus—wery currus,' muttered the man as he walked out.'

I followed after, and when I asked him if he expected an important letter that day he replied.

'Sartin I does. Dat's why I've walked fo' miles dis mawnin'.'

'Where was the letter comming from?'

'I dunno.'

'Who did you expect to write to you?'

'I dunno.'

'Did you expect news or money in the letter?'

'Deed I didd, sah. I 'spected that letter might hab $20 in it.'

'Who from?'

'I dunno.'

He then told me he could neither read nor write, had no friends to write to him, had never mailed a letter nor received one in his life, and yet he had inquired for mail at least 500 times a year for the past ten years. In fact. it wasn't an hour after I left him before he circled to the office again and said:

'I reckon I mus' hab some mail dis time?'

'No—nothing for you.'

'Well, if dat hain't curus—... Reckon I'd better wait fur dat ... o'cloc train.

SAD DROWNING ACCIDENT.

Intelligence has just been received at Latona, from Fort Qu'Appelle North West territory, of a very sad accident by which Miss Isabella Smith, daughter of the late James Smith, from Glenelg township near Latona and her neice Maggie Ross Mcintosh, a little girl of eight years, daughter of Mr. Hugh McIntosh, formerly of Suillivan township, lost their lives.

Isabella Smith and her neice had gone on a visit to her brothers place, about seventeen miles from the Fort and on the evening of Friday 21st of July, left for home, accompanied by this young man. There being numerous trails on the prarie leading to different places. It being dark it appears they had taken a different road from the one leading to the Fort. Apparently they had wandered about most of the night and when within half a mile from the Fort, in trying to cross the river, had missed the landing place on the opposite shore, and instead, came to a steep bank up which it was impossible to ascend.

It is supposed that the horse, in trying to climb up the bank, had fallen back and the water being deep at that point, all three being unable to extricate themselves, were drowned. Their bodies were found and taken out of the water next morning by the Mounted Police.

Kendall's valuable Horse-Book. Full of useful information. 15 cents at this office.

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TIME TABLE.

Change of Time.

GOING SOUTH.

	Exp. a.m.	Mxd. a.m.	Mxd. p.m.
Owen Sound, dep.	5.20	7.35	3.45
Chatsworth	5.51	8.32	4.15
Williamsford	6.06	9.06	4.37
Berkeley	6.14	9.22	4.46
Markdale	6.30	9.45	5.07
Flesherton	6.43	10.12	5.19
Proton	6.57	10.37	5.35
Dundalk	7.08	11.12	5.47
Corbetton	7.17	11.26	5.57
Melancthon	7.27	11.43	6.08
Shelburne	7.34	11.57	6.17
Orangeville dep.	8.27	1.30	7.18
Mount Forest	12.18		8.50
Harriston	12.33		9.15
Teeswater	2.25		10.15
Mono Road	9.13	2.50	7.58
Bolton	9.25	3.20	8.14
Kleinburg	9.40	3.43	8.27
Woodbridge	9.52	4.07	8.39
Parkdale	10.24	5.25	9.15
Toronto	10.35		9.25

GOING NORTH.

Toronto dep.	7.36		4.35
Parkdale	7.45	8.55	4.43
Woodbridge	8.20	9.52	5.17
Kleinburg	8.33	10.15	5.28
Bolton	8.45	10.35	5.39
Mono Road	9.01	11.05	5.54
Teeswater	5.15		5.10
Harriston	6.16		4.20
Mount Forest	6.37		4.45
Orangeville	10.00	1.00	7.00
Shelburne	10.42	2.38	7.38
Melancthon	10.52	2.47	7.47
Corbetton	11.08	3.02	7.57
Dundalk	11.12	3.20	8.04
Proton	11.25	3.47	8.17
Flesherton	11.39	4.15	8.31
Markdale	11.57	[illegible]	8.45
Berkeley	12.10pm	5.28	8.57
Williamsford	12.21	5.40	9.07
Chatsworth	12.40	[illegible]	9.24
Owen Sound	1.15	7.00	9.55

THURSDAY, AUG. 17.

OUR ANNIVERSARY.

Two Years Old.

We are about to enter upon our third year of existence, and one's birthday is certainly an opportune time to take a retrospective and prospective view of one's work, and its results.

We have to thank our patrons for the measure of success we have met with in the past; our subscription list has been largely increased, and our advertising and printing patronage continues to grow satisfactorily. This success is doubtless accounted for by the fact that we have studied to give our readers a good local paper, free from the heat of politics, and untrammelled by sectarianism of any kind.

Looking forward, we have to consider in what way we can further benefit our subscribers, and increase their numbers.

With the first number in our next volume, we contemplate making a very great alteration and improvement in

THE STANDARD.

Instead of 4 pages, as at present, we intend increasing that number to 8; the pages will be smaller than they are now; instead of 32 columns, we intend increasing this to 40 columns: and a great portion of the paper will be printed in smaller type. By this means, we shall, henceforth be able to devote a larger space to news. We cannot lose sight of the fact that our subscribers desire to have a weekly view of the world's doings. The limited space at our disposal has compelled us to make this view a very contracted one. All this will now be changed.

At the same time, no pains will be spared to continue to give full local information. Our correspondents are being increased in number, and at the same time, increased in value.

This alteration causes us to enlist a few more subscribers. In our endeavour to improve

THE STANDARD.

we hope to receive even greater support, and the earnest co-operation of our subscribers.

Our Holiday.

TO OUR READERS.

It is now a time-honored custom for the country paper to take a Christmas holiday at Midsummer. All around us the papers suspend operations for a week at this season of the year, and next week we intend to observe the custom, and print no paper. Our subscribers will be busy harvesting,—may the weather favour them,—and they can better spare the paper than at Yule-tide.

KIMBERLEY.

From our own Correspondent.

Hay was very heavy, and is saved in good order.

Fall wheat all cut. Yield will be 35 to 45 bushels per acre. This is above average.

Spring crops good on the whole.

Roots suffered from drought, but the late showers are bringing them round.

To much rain just now for the ripe grain.

Mr Howell is fitting up a store for Mr Bell.

Steps are being taken to have the post office removed into a more central place in the village.

Mr Plewes is overhauling his grist mill, and putting in another run of stones.

Mr Geo. Graham sold 40,000 shingles to Mr. W. J. McFarland, Markdale, for his new elevator on Monday last.

OWEN SOUND

High School.

This School re-opens on 1st September, with a complete Staff of Experienced Teachers.

The New Building is one of the finest High School Buildings in the Province, and fully equipped.

Special attention given to the Preparation of Students for University, Teachers', Professional Entrance, and Intermediate Examinations.

Good Board and Comfortable rooms can be obtained by Students for from $2 to $3 per week.

GEO. INGLIS, Chairman,
Aug. 7, 1882. Board of Education

NOTICE.

FOUR HEAD of Young Cattle have been brought to Pound on lot 28, con. 11, Euphrasia, namely:

Steer, 2 years old, dark red, stag head.
Heifer, 2 years old, dark red, 4 white feet, white star on forehead.
Grey Steer, 2 years old.
Spotted Heifer.

THOMAS BRADY.

Dundalk.

An exciting story, abounding with interest will shortly be commenced. Subscribe at once.

Crops have a very promising appearance, the rains of the past week, together with the warm weather have improved them much.

Building is in rapid progress in Dundalk.

The brick work is begun on the Hanbery Block.

The stone work of G. R. Middleton's new store is complete, and the framers are at work, on their part.

J. C. Reid will soon have the inside of his new Hotel completed.

A. G. Hunter is building a printing office which will be in full running order shortly.

New Story, full of interest, will shortly be commenced in this paper. Subscribe now, $1 per year.

A great number of men are working on the Melancthon drainage; the works are progressing rapidly, under the management of the different captains.

The Dundalk Drainage has a poor show. We hope that the captains will put at least one drain through the village this season. The Ratepayers and others ought to see to this business.

Samuel McCullough has returned home from a trip to the North West, he is not favourably impressed with the country, preferring Dundalk with all its defects.

$5,000 to lend immediately, on land security, at the office of A. G. Hunter, Loan Agent, Dundalk.

A thrilling story will shortly be commenced in this paper. Now is the time to subscribe, $1 per annum.

R. H. Emerson, a Montreal Journalist, while walking along Jurors street perceived a savage dog rushing down the street, a group of children were in the way and although the gentleman could have easily avoided the animal, he determined to save the children. Accordingly he gave the brute a severe kick as it passed, which unfortunately did not disable it. The next instant the fangs of the animal were fastened in his leg. He shook the dog off and picking up a stone, killed it on the spot. He next proceeded to a druggist and had his wounds cauterized.

Forty cents will pay for the STANDARD till the end of the year.

On Saturday night burglars broke into E. H Gulledge's saddler shop and boot and shoe store Oakville, breaking open the front door. They then attacked the cash drawer bursting it open and robbing it of its contents, about $8 only. They afterwards operated on the safe, first attempting to pry open the combination. Having failed in that they attempted to drill into it, and had succeeded in drilling a hole about half an inch deep when they were disturbed.

A man named George Hunt, employed by J. O. Wisner, Son, & Co., as night watchman, was on Friday morning sentenced to thirty days in gaol for stealing postage stamps, screws, bolts, etc., from the premises while on duty.

A few days ago a little son of Charles Bagness, of Halafax, while attending a Temperence Society picnic, at McArab's Island, was asked by an unknown man if he would take a piece of cake, at the same time producing some. The boy took several bites, and soon became sick, vomiting violently. Since then he has been confined to his bed, and to-day is reported to be in a bad state, suffering terrible pains in the body, and his face being very much swollen. Yesterday several of his teeth came out. Another boy who was with Bagness say the man was a stranger, and that he took one of the early boats to return to town. Bagness suffering is apparently caused by mercurial poisoning.

A young Toronto couple were engaged to be united in wedlock on a certain evening. The license was bought, the ring procured, friends invited, and all preparations made. But alas for the fickleness and uncertainty of the course of true love, something occurred of which she did not approve, and straightway refused to take her part in the ceremony, and rejected the proferred hand of her lover for ever. Nor did it end then but taking back to her heart a former lover, the two agreed to be man and wife, and the next evening were quietly and happily locked in Hymen's holy bonds. The couple departed by the evening train to spend their honeymoon leaving the rejected lover to mourn in anguish his bitter lot.

A WONDERFUL WOMAN

BY

BERTH.

CHAPTER XXIX.

It was a brilliant day in the month of April.

The sweet to be forgotten August, the autumn, the winter, and the early spring had passed away, still Scarswood Hall, Essex remained the same.

Lady Cecil sat in the park, Pansy and Pearl were playing near, Lady Cecil sketched a little, and thought a great deal.

She thought of Sir Arthur, who 8 months ago had asked her to be his wife.

Once had they met since, but what a change!

She well knew that his heart was Katherin's, that he loved the stately governess.

Sir Arthur—ere he left England—visited Katherine, he knew not why. He knew he loved her, that ever would love her.

But he was proud—proud of his nobility, proud of his old lineage, of his spotless name.

She might be Earl Ruysland's daughter, but she had been an adventuress. She might be of noble blood, but she had plotted and worked for revenge. She had been an actress. She had been at the altar with a worthless wretch.

Should he be first to blot his family escutcheon?

No! She should never be a Treganna!

Thus determined, he left England. But he could not forget her.

Three months later he wrote to her from Constantinople: he confessed all his scruples, all his love.

Would she be his wife?

Her answer was a refusal, she was unworthy of him, her life had gone wrong from first to last.

He wrote her again and again, but she was very firm.

She had atoned in a great measure for the past. She had written Sir Peter, returned his money, and as all the blame of Lady Dangerfield's conduct at the ball was hers, she asked that Sir Peter and Lady Dangerfield might be united.

Ruysland had gone abroad, where living was cheap.

Lady Cecil remained and acted as governess to Pansy and Pearl at Scarswood.

Sir Arthur returned and again pleaded with Katherine, and for a long time she held out. She said, 'She who was once Helen Herncastle can never be Lady Treganna,' and thus she nobly refused him having won his affection.

At last, however, she consented: & three weeks later she was his bride—his wife.

Thus Ruysland had Treganna for his son-in-law after all.

O'Donnell returns from New Orleans after his rich grandfather death, finds Lady Cecil sketching his head—the face she loved—under the King's Oak.

After considerable parleying, she at length consented to be his wife.

Pansy and Pearl stood petrified to see the embraced pair. O'Donnell was happy.

Take one last look before the scene vanishes.

Sir Peter and Lady Dangerfield are dragging out a married existence at Scarswood.

Lanty Lafferty and his 'Shusan' are the happy possessors of the Silver Rose.

Henry Otis is a prosperous London practitioner.

Squire Talbot is about to unite himself to Rose O'Donnell.

Captain and Lady Cecil O'Donnell are happy beyond all that I could express.

Lastly, Sir Arthur and Lady Treganna, still travelling on the continent happy in each other's affection. They will soon return to their Cornish mansion, where for 400 years worthy mistresses have ruled, none of whom were more beloved, or honored than she who but recently played the role of Helen Herncastle.

Her face floats before me as I write the words, noble, tender, peaceful, and happy—at last.

Let the name that began the story end it—

KATHERINE.

THE END.

MR WM. LUCAS ON THE GREAT NORTH-WEST.

Mr W. Lucas returned from a trip to the prairie province last week. He visited Winnipeg, Brandon, and other minor places; and in the course of his travels he has met with a few who have made their mark, and are satisfied with the country; and our banker has also met with many who are utterly disgusted with the country, who vow they would rather live on one meal a day in Ontario than suffer the hardships of Manitoba.

In Mr Lucas's opinion some of the most serious drawbacks are:—the shortness of the season for agricultural work: the scarcity and high price of building material and fuel; and the extreme heat in summer and cold in winter.

The mosquitoes are extremely troublesome during the summer, rendering it almost an impossibility for either man or beast to work at times.

Mr Lucas was somewhat surprised to find so much poor land,—the general opinion here being that the soil is almost universally good. He is of opinion that well nigh two-thirds of the land is unfit for cultivation, for the present, being marshy, sandy or stony.

Some men, who were well-to-do farmers in Ontario a year ago, say that they have endured more suffering and hardship during their brief existence in the prairie province than in all their lives besides. In order to succeed, a man must make up his mind to endure hardships and privations, otherwise the north-west pioneer will be disappointed.

Markdale Fire Brigade.

CAPTAIN—Allan McDougall.
1st LIEUTENANT—T. Mullarky.
2nd LIEUTENANT—Geo. Grant.
1st BRANCHMAN—J. McDougall.
2nd BRANCHMAN—J. McKim.
SECRETARY—Thos. Henry.
ASST. SEC.—R. Cunningham.
TREASURER—Wm. N. Thibert.
STEWARD—J. Richards.

All the members, and others wishing to join are requested to meet in the Dufferin Hall, on Tuesday evening next, at 8 o'clock sharp.

By order of Captain A. McDougall.
THOS. HENRY, Sec.

Dye Stuffs.

Indigo,
Madder,
Logwood,
Fustic,
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Bluestone,
Madder Compound,
Copperas,
Bichromate Potash,
Cream Tartar,
Alum, and
many other Articles used in Dyeing.

Also, a large variety of the best Aniline Dyes.

Medical Hall.

A. Turner & Co.

For Sale.

Lot 5, Toronto St., and lot 5. Elizabeth St., Markdale. The above lots are very conveniently situated: the former with a comfortable dwelling and blacksmith's shop thereon, and a building suitable for a carriage shop. The latter is a vacant lot. Will be sold cheap. Apply to Mrs. Richardson, Markdale.

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Boy Wanted.

A BOY WANTED TO DRIVE AND take care of a team. Steady employment. Enquire at the Dundalk Livery.

G. B. PHILLIPS.
Dundalk, Aug. 2nd, 1882. 49-2*

$66 a week in your own town. $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. HALLETT & Co., Portland, Maine.

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5,000 CORDS HEMLOCK BARK.

THE Undersigned will pay for all such Bark, delivered and piled on line of T., G. & B. Railway, $3.25 per cord, measured and paid for at point of delivery. For particulars and contracts, apply to

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P. O. Address, 215 Jarvis st. Toronto.
March 23, 188 80-10i

NEW STOCK

The subscriber has just purchased a New Stock of

Liquors,

Of the best brands. Liquor in its purity is a benefit to the invalid; but the curse of Alcohol consists in its adulteration. I have now on hand a quality of

Wine,
Rum,
Brandy &
Whisky

Which cannot be equalled in Markdale.

My Rum cannot be excelled this side Toronto

Those wishing a pure Wine for Communion Service will please give me a call.

Teas Coffees,

Sugars, Raisins,

urrants, &c.,

PORK,

And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.

WILSON BENSON.
Markdale, May 24st, 1882. [5

Good cows are scarce enough at the best, and it is a pity to see choice milkers given over to milk men, with a certainty that not only will their progeny never help perpetuate the race of choice cows, but that they also will after a few years at most, be lost to the dairy interest of the country. When a farmer gets one of the best cows he should hold on, or if for any reason he finds it advisable to sell, let him sell to some brother farmer who will keep the cow as a breeder, and not sacrifice her to this modern Moloch of the bovine race.

MARKDALE.

Flour	5.60	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush., new	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do.	1.14	to	1.15
Barley	[illegible]	"	0.80
Oats	0.55	"	0.58
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.	"	0.15
Pork, dressed,	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.95	"	7.50
Grass seed,	5.50	"	6.00
Hay	12.00	"	14.00
Wool	0.20	"	0.00
Green Apples, per bushel	0.75	"	1.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.06	"	0.07
Dry Cord Wood	1.75	"	2.00

DUNDALK MARKETS.

Wheat, Fall, No. 1	$1.15	to	$1.15
Wheat, Spring, " 1	1.20	to	1.25
Barley " 2	.55	to	.65
Peas " 1	.72	to	.73
Oats " 1	.40	to	.40
Butter " 1	.16	to	.16
Eggs		to	.15
Potatoes "	75	to	75
Pork "	0.00	to	0.00
Hay "	7.00	to	10.00

FLESHERTON.

(Corrected weekly for the Standard by R. J Sproule, Flesherton.)

Flour, per bbl.	$6.00	to	6.25
Spring Wheat per bush.,	1.20	to	1.25
Fall do. do. do.	1.15	"	1.15
Barley	0.64	"	0.80
Oats	0.40	"	0.40
Peas	0.74	"	0.75
Potatoes	0.75	"	0.75
Butter, per lb.	0.16	"	0.16
Eggs, per doz.	0.15	"	0.00
Pork, dressed,	0.00	"	0.00
Beef	0.00	"	0.00
Hides	7.25	"	7.50
Hay	12.0	"	14.0
Timothy seed,	2.50	"	3.00
Wool	0.22	"	0.00
Lard	0.10	"	0.12
Tallow	0.05	"	0.07

TORONTO.

Wheat, fall, per bush		$1 24	to	$1 25
Wheat, spring,	do.	1 30	to	1 35
Barley,	do.	0 62	to	0 65
Oats,	do.	0 48	to	0 50
Peas,	do.	0 82	to	0 85
Rye,	do.	0 70	to	0 75
Clover Seed	do.	4 70	to	4 90
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs				
Beef, hind quarters		11 00	to	12 00
Beef, fore quarters		9 00	to	10 00
Butter, large rolls		00	to	0 00
Butter, tub dairy		14	to	0 17
Butter, store-packed		00	to	0 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz		0 17	to	0 17
Eggs, packed		0 00	to	0 00
Apples, per brl		2 50	to	4 00
Potatoes, per bag		1 50	to	1 50
Hay		10 50	to	14 00
Wool		00 19	to	00 20

MARKDALE POST OFFICE.

The Mail at Markdale Post Office closes as follows;

Toronto Mail closes	7 00 p.m.
Going South	4 30 p.m.
" North	11 30 p.m,
Owen Sound Mail	7 00 p.m,

Church Directory.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Sunday next, at . 7.
Sunday School 2 30
J. WARD, Incumbent.

METHODIST CHURCH.—Sunday. 10.30 7,
Young People's Pryr. Meeting Mon. 8.
General Prayer Meeting Thursday, 8
N. A. McDIARMID, Pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sabbath 10.30, 7
Sabbath School 2.30.
Bible class Friday evg. 7.30.
Flesherton Town Hall, Sabbath 2 30
Sabbath School 1.
A. WILSON. Pastor

For Sale.

A Good One-horse Spring Wagon, nearly new, moveable springs, iron axles. Cheap for cash. Apply to

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FISH & FOWL IN THEIR SEASON

Farmers having Fat Cattle, Sheep, or Pigs to dispose of will do well to call at No. 8 Burns' Block, opposite the new Union Block.

Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

AGENTS WANTED.—Big pay.—Light Work. Steady Employment. Samples free. Address, M. L. BYRN, 46 Naussau stree New York. 20

Errors of Youth.

A GENTLEMAN who sufferred for year from Nervous DEBILITY, PREMATURE DECAY, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience can do so by addressing in perfect confidence, JOHN B. OGDEN,

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Price, in sealed envelope, only 6 cents, or two postage stamps.

The celebrated author, in this admirable Essay, clearly demonstrates, from thirty years' successful practice, that alarming consequences may be radically cured without the dangerous use of internal medicines or the use of the knife; pointing out a mode of cure at once simple, certain and effectual, by means of which every sufferer, no matter what his condition may be, may cure himself cheaply, privately and radically.

This Lecture should be in the hands of every youth and every man in the land.

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I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable BALM that will remove TAN, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and BLOTCHES, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Barclay St., N. Y.

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Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly. You can devote your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Address, STINSON & Co., Portland Maine.

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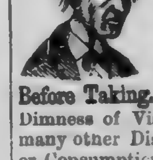

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HOUSE and lot for sale—lot 12—corner Mill and Wellington Streets, Markdale, will be sold at a bargain. Apply to George Walker, Holland, Markdale P. O., or to

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Sewed Work a Specialty.

All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.
Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

THOS. MATHEWS,

HarnesS EstablishmenT!

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Orders solicited, and delivered free to all parts of the Town.

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Ladies, save money by making your family garments from these Patterns. Perfect fit; good style; low price. Catalogues and Fashion Papers free.

THE STANDA[RD]
Thursday, Aug. 17[, 1882.]

LOCAL & OTHER N[EWS]

Mr Thos. Mullarky ship[ped] ... on Monday ...

Mr D. W. Speers shipped ... of cattle, one car-load of ... Monday.

Ambrotypes ... in ... Browne's studio. Bring ...

We are indebted to Miss ... Bethel, Danbury, Conn., for ... of American papers, inc[luding the] world-wide celebrated Danb[ury] ...

Photo negatives taken in ... at Browne's gallery.

The Markdale base ball ... to play any other club in th[e] ... of Grey for supper or anyt[hing they] wish to play for.

Something new! The ... derful curiosity known ... prise picture at Browne's A... Markdale.

News from Havana say[s] ... self-confessed Phoenix Pa[rk] ... has arrived at Jamaica, ... there is a very strong ca[se against] him.

A new stock of frames ... the latest designs at the S... the Standard office.

Mr. G. Howitt of Owen ... in Markdale yesterday an[d] ... names for a lodge of C. O. ... is to be organised shortly.

For furniture, photo fra[mes] ... frames and mirrors go to ... Markdale.

This is the best tim[e] ... farms for sale.

A pair of good duck pan[ts] ... at Trimble & Wright's.

Do not spend a ... stray animals. Advertis[e] ... DARD.

Trimble & Wri[ght's] ... ing immense.

A rich bed of gold ha[s been dis]covered in Nova Scotia.

Trimble & Wright's are ... cided bargains in dress ... and see.

Don't borrow th[e STANDARD] when you can get it ... for $1 per annum. ... thrilling story wil[l be com]menced shortly. ... now.

See Trimble & Wri[ght's] ... boots at 85cts. per pair.

Mr. B. Wright thre[shed] ... wheat on Tuesday the 15th ... it is equal in quality ... best he ever raised.

Our Advertising patrons ... a change of advt. will ... handing in the copy ...

Green apples at McIn[tyre's] ...

One case 500 yards ... dress goods, autumn shad[es] ... per yard, worth 14 cents, ... ed ... W. J. M... ...ations.

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THE STANDARD.

Thursday Aug. 17, 1882.

LOCAL & OTHER NOTICES

Mr Thos. Mullarky shipped a car-load of lambs on Monday last.

Mr C. W. Speers shipped a car-load of cattle, and car-load of lambs on Monday.

Ambrotypes in ten seconds at Browne's studio. Bring the babies.

We are indebted to Miss L. Walker, Bethel, Danbury, Conn., for two budgets of American papers, including the world-wide celebrated Danbury News. Thanks.

P[illegible] negatives taken in one second at Browne's gallery.

The Markdale base ball club offers to play any other club in the County of Grey for supper or anything they wish to play for.

Something new ! The most wonderful curiosity known ! The surprise picture at Browne's Art Gallery, Markdale.

News from Havana says that the self-confessed Phœnix Park assassin has arrived at Jamaica, and that there is a very strong case against him

A new stock of frames and mats ; the latest designs at the Studio, over the Standard office.

Mr. G. Howitt of Owen Sound was in Markdale yesterday and secured 30 names for a lodge of C. O. O. F. which is to be organized shortly.

For furniture, photo frames, picture frames and mirrors go to G. Grant's Markdale.

This is the best time to advertise farms for sale.

A pair of good duck pants for 45cts at Trimble & Wright's.

Do not spend a month looking for stray animals. Advertise in the STANDARD.

Trimble & Wright's 30ct. tea is taking immense.

A rich bed of gold has been discovered in Nova Scotia.

Trimble & Wright's are giving decided bargains in dress goods. Call and see.

Don't borrow the paper, when you can get it post-free for $1 per annum. New and thrilling story will be commenced shortly. Subscribe now.

See Trimble & Wright's prunella boots at 35cts. per pair.

Mr. B. Wright threshed his fall wheat on Tuesday the 15th. He says it is equal in quality and yield to the [illegible] he ever raised.

Our Advertising patrons who desire a change of advt. will favor us by handing in the copy early in the week.

Green apples at McIntyre's.

One case 530 yards twill de barge, dress goods, autumn shades, 25 cents per yard, worth 40 cents, just received [illegible] W. J. McFarland. Direct importations.

Meaford Road, Eugenia, and other correspondents' copy received too late for this issue. Send copy early in the week. Send some interesting items—all you can—for our improved paper Aug. 31.

Mr W. J. McFarland's buyer, now in Europe, writes that goods of all descriptions were never cheaper owing to over manufacturing, and depressed trade : and that he is securing some extra value for Mr McFarland's Fall and Winter business, His first shipments are now on the way.

Mr Waring, Meaford Road, has met with a painful accident. He is laid up.

Sheep and cattle buyers thick on the ground, picking up all fat stock at Meaford Road

Dog-shooting and slandering seem to be favourite pastimes for some of the Eugenia people. Mind the proverb. "People who live in glass houses shouldn't throw stones."

Two professional mendicants giving the names of Santene and Dain have been arrested at Belleville after expressing $78 to their friends in New York. They were found to have money in all their pockets. Saturday morning they were brought before two magistrates and remanded for a week. These impostors profess to be afflicted with falling sickness, of which Santone gave an exhibition in court, but without softening the hearts of the magistrates, who saw through the imposture.

To our Readers.

The interesting story "The Wonderful Woman," which has proved so attractive to many of our readers, is completed.

In our next issue will be commenced a new and intensely interesting serial story by one of the most brilliant writers of the day. Tersely and vigorously written, the characters well drawn, the plot well developed and the scenery charmingly described. the story cannot fail to arrest the reader's attention from the first.

As this will afford a capital opportunity for new subscribers to commence, we trust all our readers will tell their friends the treat there is in story for them. If each one of our readers will induce but one of their friends to subscribe—and you can all do *that*—the increase in our circulation would be marvellous. We are doing our best to please you. Will you not do something to show that you appreciate our efforts ?

FALL EXHIBITIONS.

TORONTO.—Sept. 5 to 26.

PROVINCIAL.—Kingston, Sep. 18 to 26th.

S. GREY.—Durham, Sep. 26 & 27.

E. GREY.—Flesherton, Sep. 28th & 29th.

GLENELG.—Markdale, Sept. 27th.

EGREMONT.—Holstein, Oct. 4.

PROTON.—Dundalk. Oct. 5.

MELANCTHON,—Shelburne, Oct. 3, and 4.

HOLLAND.—Chatsworth, Oct. 10.

A full and complete stock of authorized text books for schools at the Medical Hall. A. Turner & Co.

Save your horse by reading and acting upon Kendall's Horse Book. Reliable and cheap. 15c.

Why suffer such unspeakable tortures. Rheumatism has been conquered. Kendall's Spavin Cure is the victor. See advertisement.

Last Monday David Gardner was sentenced to receive thirty lashes for whipping his wife at Baltimore. This is the first case in Maryland under the new law.

You can have this paper from now till the end of 1882 for 40 cents.

Three indictments have been ordered against Norman McLeod, son of the eminent Scottish divine, who was arrested at New York on Friday night for obtaining goods on false representations.

A brakeman named David Holmes was killed by an accident on the Canada Pacific Railway on Saturday at Sidney station. The body was severed in two, the train having passed over him.

On Tuesday morning last a man hired from the livery of Mr. Robt. Foster, St. Catherines, a horse and buggy to go for a drive. He has not yet returned, and search having been made it was ascertained that he crossed the frontier at Fort Erie. He has been traced to Buffalo. The matter is in the hands of a Buffalo police. The buggy was a new one and the horse valuable, the outfit being valued at $350.

Mr. H. Perry, who had his horse and buggy taken off by a man named Watson, has secured his rig. He got word from the constable of Orangeville, that a horse answering the published description was in that towm. Down there Mr. Perry went and after a little parleying with one of the hotel keepers, who had received it in trade for another rig and $10, got his outfit. Watson left the horse and the buggy he had received in keeping with the hotel-keeper with whom he had exchanged and with the $10 boot dug out.

LAID ON THE SHELF.

Mr. Thomas Claydon, Shelburne, Ont., writes: "I have been suffering with a lame back for the past thirty years, and tried everything I heard of without success. Not long ago I was persuaded to use St. Jacob's Oil. I purchased a bottle, and, strange to say, before I had used it all, I was perfectly cured. I can confidently recommend it to any one afflicted. No one can speak too highly of its merits." Mr. W. E. Weeckley, also of Shelburne, thus mentions a matter of his experience : "I have been a sufferer with rheumatism for years. I was laid up with a severe attack a short time ago, and I can truly say that St. Jacobs Oil produced the quickest relief that I ever experienced. I cheerfully recommend it to every sufferer."

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

Markdale, Aug. 14, 1882.

To the Editor.

SIR.—I think Markdale is becoming celebrated for fires, Yesterday, Sunday, about half-past six in the evening, I was in my garden, and on looking down towards McFarland's mill property, I observed smoke rising from the house at the end of the mill. I thought all was not right and sent two persons down as fast as possible and when they arrived, there was a fire started at the end of the dwelling house. They were in time to water it out. Ten minutes more and the whole premises would have been in a blaze.

W. P. Ritchie.

OSPREY.

Haying all over. Good crop.

Fall wheat above the average.

Spring wheat looks well.

Oats and barley will be short in the straw, but will yield a fair average in grain.

Two many showers for the ripened grain of late.

Several cases of horse and cattle poisoning and stabbing have occurred during the past two months in this section.

PRESENTATION

TO THE REV. J. WARD.

A few of the more enthusiastic of the children of the Church belonging to St. Mary's, Maxwell, being wishful to shew their appreciation of the Incumbent's interest in the Sunday School and all other church matters, collected among themselves the sum of $22.00, which they placed in the hands of Mr Thomas Ross ; and not being able to decide what to purchase with the same that their pastor would appreciate as a token of their value of his interest in them, desired Mr Ross to offer the money to the Incumbent the first opportunity with an expression of their desire of his acceptance of the same, to purchase whatever he might think best, as a token of their affectionate regard.

The Incumbent received the money contributed at the hands of Mr Ross, but has not yet had an opportunity to put it to the object desired by the contributors. He will probably have an opportunity of doing so shortly, and in the meantime would say that he not only values very much the gift, but much more the spirit in which it was contributed and offered, because evidence that his labour among them has not been in vain.

PRICEVILLE.

From our own Correspondent.

Hay is a fair crop ; saved in good condition.

Fall wheat very fine.

Spring crops will be short in the straw, especially oats.

Too much rain.

The bricklayers are now on the third story of the new flouring mill.

'Volcanic eruption at Priceville,' in next issue.

CHATSWORTH.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr John Wright, a clerk in the employ of Mr C. Goode, met with a severe accident on Wednesday last. whilst assisting to roll a barrel of vinegar down cellar. The barrel slipped throwing Mr Wright down and causing his head heavily against the earthen floor, whereby he received a severe cut over the eye. Dr Bennet stitched it up.

There are some anomolies in the Holland Show list this year. Heavy prizes are offered for the best squash and the best rag mat, whilst one and two-year old steers are left out entirely. There is a prize for 3-year old steers, but it is claimed that these should be shown with the working oxen. Indeed it is not an unusual thing for 3 year olds to take first money in the working oxen class. Young steers are a very profitable stock, and it seems only fair that something should be done towards encouraging their improvement.

An unusually heavy hailstorm burst ovet the farm of Mr John Atkinson, lot 8, con. 8, Holland, on Thursday last, almost completely threshing out 50 acres of spring wheat, 6 acres of fall wheat, 14 of barley, 24 of oats, and 18 of peas. The storm covered some 500 or 600 acres, but the greater part of this, with the exception of Mr. Atkinson's farm, was bush. The fall wheat was standing in shocks, and the land beside each shock was literally covered with the threshed grain. Several parcels of the different varieties were shewn here the following day as completely threshed out as if they had passed through a machine. The hail could have been gathered in pailfuls even on the afternoon following. The majority of the stones were over an inch in diameter ; and three children caught in the storm were severely battered about the head and shoulders with the falling hail. Mr Atkinson's loss will be about $700, and much sympathy is expressed for him.

A large number of cattle were at the fair here on Monday last, considering the season, but buyers were few, and not up to what was expected.

Mr Robt McDowell stands at the head of the list of successful candidates at the recent intermediate examination at Owen Sound.

WILLIAMSFORD.

Mr. Robt. Timson has purchased the Galbraith property for $525, and will build an Hotel on the same.

There is a boom in Insurance, so says R. M. Galbraith, who is also taking orders for the Font Hill Nurseries.

Most of the fall wheat and barley is saved in good condition around here.

Geo. Pereiro has his house fitted up, and will now push the cabinent business. He is a good mechanic and will no doubt do well.

PERSONALS.

Mr Wm. Lucas has returned from the N.W.

Dr Armstrong has been having a good time generally in Parry Sound district.

Mr and Mrs Richard Douglas from Niagara are visiting their friends near Markdale.

Mr C. D. Cobden, of the firm of Cobden Manufacturing Co, Toronto, and his wife have spending a few days with Mr Bowes. Mr Cobden and Mrs Bowes are brother and sister.

Mrs John Miller, of Owen Sound, is on a visit to her uncle, Mr J. Miller. She has been exceedingly ill ; glad to see her recovering.

Finlay MacRae, Esq., Reeve of Glenelg, gave us a call last week. We are glad to see him about again after his severe accident. His leg is still tender, and requires careful treatment. He uses a stout cane to assist him in getting around.

VITAL STATISTICS.

There has been registered with Mr. W. J. Bellamy, Div. Registrar of Artemesia; for the half-year ending 30th June, 1882, the following :—Births, 55 ; Marriages, 17; Deaths, 29. There is a law necessitating the registration of births, marriages and deaths. there is also a penalty of $20 and costs, if registrations are not made within 30 days.

One man with a trade is worth a thousand without one. A return to the old plan of apprenticing boys to trades is being advocated. The host of young men in every large city who apply for employment, and fail to get, for the reason that they cannot truthfully affirm that they are educated or especially fitted for any particular business, constitute a potent argument in favour of reform. Under the apprenticeship system we would have fewer ignorant mechanics and incompetent business men. A trade is half a man's fortune.

A negro preacher described hell as being ice-cold, where wicked froze to all eternity. When asked why, he said, 'Cause I don't care to tell dem people nuffin else. Why if I tell dem dat hell is warm, dey want to go right away, some of dem rheumatic ole niggers, de very fus frost.'

A minister was once catechising the girls' bible class before the congregation, when he put the first question to a stout girl whose father kept a liquor store, "What is your name ?" No reply. He repeated the question, when she replied, "None of your fun, Mr Minister, ye ken my name weel eneuch. D'ye no say when ye come to our house on a night, Bet, bring me some whisky ?"

At Peterboro on Tuesday night W. A. Gregston, a young man aged about 30 years, attempted to commit suicide by taking a large quantity of paris green. Dr. King was summoned and administered antidotes, and this morning the man is alive but very low. Gregston came to Peterboro' with the Howard Clifton Church Choir Company, but was discharged on account of his drinking habits. He has been working in town as a painter at good wages, but having wasted them in drink he was unable to go to secure another engagement with Clifton. On hearing of his discharge from his employ here, and being without money, he attempted to solve the great problem with Paris green.

News Items.

Green apple pie is ripe.

Darwin left a fortune of $730,000.

The official return declares the population of France to be 37,672,048.

Prof. Esmarch, the eminent German surgeon, says that Garfield might have been alive now but for the treatment he received.

Parnell has cabled his disapproval of the action of the Philadelphia Land League in sending money to Arabi Pasha.

It is expected that through trains on the Canada Atlantic Railway from Ottawa to Montreal will begin running on the first of next month.

The statement that Earl Salisbury had resigned his position as leader of the British Opposition in the House of Lords is denied.

Sir Charles Tupper sailed for Europe on Saturday.

The lash has been put in operation on wife-beaters in Maryland.

The net revenue of the Dominion for the year ended June 30th was $6, 590,000.

Recent heavy rains have ruined Germany's crops, which promised to yield the most abundant harvest of many years.

The ill-advised arrest of Messrs, Joynes and George, by the Irish police is causing the Government considerable embarrassment.

The services at Grimsby Camp are largely attended. The 'boy preacher,' Rev. Mr. Harrison, is preaching to very large congregations.

Kingston and Pembroke Railway labourers struck for $1 25 per day, but returned to work for 15 cents per day less than they were receiving previous to the strike.

A vessel has sailed to intercept an expedition having for its object the burning of Garibaldi's body.

The British Government retused to purchase the telephone lines in England to work in connection with the Telegraph lines.

The British Postoffice authorities have prohibited the circulation through the mails of certain American newspapers inimical to the interests of the Government. Correspondence with the United States upon the subject is passing.

Attention is being drawn to the reckless overloading of lake vessels in the eagerness of captain to carry large cargoes. Three cargoes of grain for Kingston have been damaged within a week from this cause.

A portion of the passangers of the wrecked Mosel have been forwarded to New York. Some of them were heartlessly robbed at the Lizard by the residents on the shore.

The criminal Court at Detroit has convicted a coloured man and white woman, who were married, for lewdness, under the old State law which makes marriages between white and coloured people unlawful.

Although Cetewayo regularly consumes three pounds of beef daily, he is unable to withstand the British climate, and has fallen sick. There is considerable opposition to the proposal to reinstate him upon his Zulu throne.

Fenrayon, the French apothecary who compelled his wife to inveigle her lover into a house and brutally murdered him, has been sentenced to death, and his wife to penal servitude for life for complicity in the murder.

The result of the first trial for an agrarian murder under the Repression of Crime act augurs well for the cause of law and order. The initial case, upon which a special jury has sat under that Act, has been signalized by the first conviction for an agrarian murder recorded in Ireland since the present agitation threatening proportions. Another feature of interest in Irish affairs is the substantial reduction in rent made upon the first application made by a tenant to the Land Court to fix a "fair rent." Dublin is now very strongly garrisoned to prevent an outbreak on the unveiling of O'Connell's monument.

A Port Hope butcher went into the country to buy some lambs. He called on a farmer who said he had lambs for sale, but they were running on the road. They both started to hunt up the flock. Finally they discovered a flock under a meeting house shed and both went in and picked out three of the best lambs in the flock, the butcher paying the man for the same. But now the fun comes in, The lambs did not belong to the man who sold them. There is likely to be some fun over it before the matter is settled. Farmers, watch your own flocks, and whatever you do don't get into the wrong flock, even if it should be a mistake, and if not a mistake, so much the worse.

Speaking to his constituents at Northampton the other day, Bradlaugh said it was within his power to go to the table of the house any day he choose and take his seat, and he should do so whenever he thought it would serve him in the fight in which he was engaged. He would give no previous notice of his intention because of the treatment he had received. He said that he would accept no compromise and agree to no truce.

One of the best answers an infidel ever received was made by an old lady to whom he remarked that he didn't believe in a God he couldn't see. "Do you believe you have any brains ?" she asked. "Of course," was his reply. "Did you ever see them ?" The answer came faintly, "No." "Did any one else ever see them ?"—and the controversy came to a sudden close.

The Rev. J. E. Starr and bride had a "Heavenly time" on their arrival at Winnipeg. They were met at the station by a number of friends, and escorted to their new home, where arrangements had been made for giving them a handsome public reception in the form of a garden party, where a large number of the citizens had assembled to greet them

Three years ago, St Julian, the great California trotter, was unknown; the same may be said of Kendall's Spavin Cure. Now both have a world wide reputation. Why? Because they both have merit. One is a great trotter, the other is the most successfull remedy ever discovered to be used on man or beast. Read adv.

BIRTH.

[illegible].—At [illegible], Aug. 10th, the wife of Dr Spohn, of a daughter.

GILRAY.—In [illegible], Mrs Thos. Gilray, of a daughter.

STEPHENS.—July 29, Mrs Wm Stephens, of a daughter.

DIED.

BYRNES.—The wife of M Byrnes, Dundalk Hotel, after a short illness.

BUNDLE.—From Croup, adopted son of Mr J Bundle, aged [illegible].

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Mrs. Pauline Alexander, a modiste, who opened a shop with a great flourish of trumpets and many advertisements a short time since at London, is missing. Her stock is in the hands of a wholesale house. She secured a lot of young girls to pay her $5 each to learn the business on promise to employ them, and they mourn the loss of their money. She left on Saturday ostensibly for St. Thomas, and has not since been seen.

Mr W. A. McDougal is on a trip up the Lakes.

Mr. Kirkwood, of the 9th line Euphrasia, is home spending a few weeks with his family. He will return to Manitoba shortly, where he is engaged bridge building.

A young scottish immigrant of Kilmarnock, Scotland, was killed by sunstroke at Hugh McDonald's farm, Montreal on Saturday afternoon. He had arrived on the Buenos Ayrean and had gone to work on the farm on Wednesday full of hope and new life.

At Taylorville. Ill., on Friday night a mob vainly tried, by hanging and lowering them, to extort a confession from three men charged with outraging Miss Bond A fire breaking out in the town most of the mob went to it, and the prosecuting attorney and the father of Miss Bond persuaded the others to let the prisoners be put in gaol.

On Thursday night some one went to a little cottage in Halifax and placed a heavy charge of dynamite under the corner of the foundation and lighted the fuse. The explosion which followed was heard a long distance away. It shattered the house, breaking the windows and knocking out the corner, but did not hurt the inmates. A man named Patric Redmond was arrested on suspicion of being the guilty party.

This is the best local paper in Grey. Try it to the end of the year. Post free 40 cents.

On Thursday evening a young woman twentythree years of age, named Hannah Miller went out in a boat at St. Catherine with two other girls while attempting to pass under a low bridge on the tow-path she was thrown out of the boat and drowned. One of the othe girls was thrown out also, but was rescued. The body of Miss Miller was recovered about daylight this morning.

A PUBLIC MEETING should be called of the citizens of every city, town and village in the Dominion, to consider what should be done to prevent the hair from turning Gray —and falling out. If this important question received their earnest consideration they would unanimously decide that science had at last discovered something that would answer this purpose—and furthermore would recommend Cingalese Hair Renewer as being the [illegible] for restoring the hair to its natural color, and [illegible] bottle. For sale by all Druggists.

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He has commenced Grinding, and is able to turn out a very superior quality of flour.

Watches. Watches.

Selling Off at Cost at the Dundalk

DRUG STORE.

American and

WALTHAM WATCHES

Clocks, Jewellery, Chains, Lockets and Cuff Buttons, Gents' Gold Rings, Ladies' Signet Rings, Bracelets, Eardrops, Brooches, &c.

☛ See my $6.50 E.P. Case Watch Stem Winder, guaranteed good Timekeeper.

Do not fail to call and secure bargains.

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N. B.—All kinds of Repairing done on the Premises by a first-class Watchmaker from Toronto. All work warranted.

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HORSESHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

Wanted,

BY a PUPIL of the late PROF. WHISH, Hamilton, a limited number of PUPILS for instruction on the Piano and Organ.

Applications received by mail or personally at the Methodist Parsonage, where certificates of ability can be produced.

JANIE McDOWELL,
97-100 FLESHERTON.

Burdock Blood Bitters

C. A. OWEN,

Tailor,

Over McFARLAND'S,

MARKDALE.

☞ Special attention to Cutting. ☜

If you want a Perfect Fit leave your Order with

C. A. OWEN, MARKDALE.

IT HAS STOOD THE TEST OF TIME.

For 25 years has Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry been before the people, and its popularity is today greater than ever, because it has proved reliable in the treatment of all forms of Bowel Complaint incident to the Summer season.

[illegible] Willy was undergoing the disagreeable operation of having his hair combed by his mother, and he grumbled at the manoeuvre. "Why Willey," said his mother, "you ought not to make such a fuss. I don't fuss and cry when my hair is being combed." "Yes" replied the youth, "but your hair ain't hitched to your head."

Too many people plant only a first light crop of lettuce. It may be sown in August and is still one of the most useful of vegetables. The winter varieties may be sown as late as September.

The nearer we follow nature in the treatment of disease, the more successful we are. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is Nature's Specific for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Cholic, and all forms of Summer Complaints. It speedily cures Canker of the stomach or bowels, and is safe for infants as well as adults.

They were standing near the gate, very close together, and perfectly oblivious to all around them. This is what our reporter heard as he was passing: "Oh, George does your moustache feel as nice to you as it does to me?"

The best evidence of the superior merit and virtues of Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, for the cure of Summer Complaints is that its popularity and demand is greatest where it has been longest known.

Mr. W. H. Campaigne, of the little mills, lost a purse containing $60 in money and some notes, recently, while on his way to Flesherton. Mr. Granger found the purse and promptly returned it to the owner, who rewarded the finder handsomely.—*Advance.*

The safest, best and cheapest medicine in the world is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents by all druggists, Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk.

The Poultry Yard recommends coffee grounds for fowls,

The prescription of a skillfully physician, and composed of vegetable drugs of great remedial power, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters purify the blood, give tone and vigor to the system, cures Dyspepsia and indigestion when all other medicines fail. Have you tried it? Sold by Druggists 50c a bottle. Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk,

An average 2-year old steer will eat its own weight of different material in two weeks.

Scrofula is a depraved condition of the system often hereditary, and characterized by indolent tumors, glandular affections, bad blood and a low condition of vitality that tends towards consumption, which is really Scrofula of the Lungs. Burdock Blood Bitters cure Scrofulous diseases from a pimple to an abscess, by purifying the blood, correting the secretions and giving a healthy tone to each organ.

The average quantity of milk required by the creameries, to make a pound of butter, is about 22 lbs. or 10 to 12 quarts.

A hen is a most inconsiderate and unaccountable creature. Now that she can lay eggs worth 3 cents each, she takes a vacation and refuses to have anything to do with the business By-and-bye when chicken-seed are down to 10 cents a dozen, she'll put on extra help, and even work at night to flood the market.

The indications of the approaching season seem to threaten an unusual amount of the various forms of bowel complaints. Our readers would do well to supply themselves with some reliable remedy like Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, as a safeguard against sudden attacks of Cholera, Morbus, Colic. Dysentery, &c., that unless promptly treated are often suddenly fatal.

While Chris. Johnson and several other laborers were engaged in unloading the schooner Todman, at Owen Sound on Monday, a chunk of coal about the size of a wheelbarrow struck Chris. on the head. It broke the coal all up, but after indulging in a few quotations not found in the revised edition Chris. resumed his work as if nothing had happened.

N C. Polson & Co., druggi[illegible], Kingston, express themselves [illegible]prised at the sale of Burdoc[illegible] Bitters in that locality, where[illegible] medicines are hard to introdu[illegible], say they," the gross last [illegible] a few days since, will convince [illegible] that the demand is good, and [illegible] it is giving satisfaction to our customers."

Try Kendall's Spavin Cure, a sure remedy for spavins, curbs, ringbones, or any enlargement of the joints. See advertisement.

Mr. Wm. Ranson, of South Norwick, says: For sixteen years I suffered from Billiousness, never had any medicine do me any permanent good until recommended by our druggists. (J. Wesley Fish & Co., Otterville,) to try Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, which have done me more good than any medicine I have ever taken. I would, with the utmost confidence, recommend them to all suffering from Billiousness, &c. Sold by all druggists. Turner, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

A Reward—Of one dozen 'Teaberry' to any one sending the best four line rhyme on 'Teaberry,' the remarkable little gem for the Teeth and Breath. Ask your druggist for address.

R. M. Heron,

Having started the

Eugenia House,

Hope to secure a share of public patronage.

The Eugenia House being close to

The Falls

Offers great attractions to those who are fond of SCENERY, as well as to those who delight in

ANGLING.

As the river both above and below the Falls abounds with SPECKLED TROUT.

M. E. HERON can safely assure the public that he is determined to do his utmost to please and accommodate all comers.

The board and accommodation shall be of the best, and he is supplied with the very best brands of LIQUORS, having resolved that the Bar shall be properly attended. Also

Good Stabling.

Our Premium

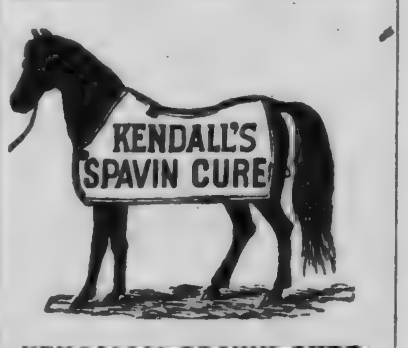
We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

This is a standard work, containing an Index of Diseases, which gives the symptoms, cause, and the best treatment for each; a Table, giving all the principal drugs used for the horse, with the ordinary dose, effects, and antidote when a poison; a table with an engraving of the horse's teeth at different ages, with rules for telling the age of the horse; a valuable collection of receipts, and much other useful information. It is a book that should be in the hands of every farmer and owner of a horse.

Now is the time to subscribe, or for old subscribers to pay up, and get the book.



KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE.

The most successful Remedy ever discovered, as it is certain in its effects and does not blister. Read Proof Below.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Hamilton, Mo., June 14, 1881.

B. J. Kendall & Co.,—Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; I have removed by using the above: Callous Bone Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can cheerfully testify and recommend it to be the best thing for any bony substance I have ever used, and have tried many as I have made that my study for years.

Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

Youngstown, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

Dr B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

Wingham, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone if properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure ON HUMAN FLESH.

West Enosburgh, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

St. John, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins, cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle very badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25cts. and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for [illegible] stifle.

Yours truly,
Wm. J. PEARSON.

Send address for Illustrated Circular, which we think gives positive proof of its virtues. No remedy has ever met with such unqualified success to our knowledge, for beast as well as man.

Price $1 per bottle, or six bottles for $5. All druggists have it or can get it for you, or it will be sent to any address on receipt of price by the proprietors. Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co., Enosburgh Falls, Vt.

Sold by all Druggists.

LYMAN, SONS & CO., Montreal, P. Q. Wholesale Agents.

DUNDALK BOOT AND SHOE STORE

In thanking my numerous customers for past patronage, I beg to announce that I am still to the fore with the

Largest and best Selected stock

Of Boots and Shoes ever brought into Dundalk.

NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY

Call and See Them.

am still manufacturing those celebrated French Kip Boots, call and get them. Calf Boots, either sewed or pegged, a specialty.

Repairing promptly attended to. All Custom Work Warranted.

I keep the Celebrated Wanzer Sewing Machines

Constantly on hand, which I sell very cheap for cash. Also the

DOMINION ORGANS

which are unrivalled in beauty of tone and power.

All kinds of Farm Produce taken in exchange for goods at the Dundalk Boot and Shoe Store.

THOS. HANBURY.

Dundalk, September 2nd, 1881. 1-3m

Robt. S. Rae,

TAILOR,

SYDENHAM STREET,

MARKDALE.

Markdale, July 7, 1881. 43-6m.

GROCERIES.

A. M'INTYRE

TEA! TEA! TEA!

A. M'INTYRE

Flour, Flour, Flour.

McINTYRE'S LIQUORS! LIQUORS

McINTYRE'S MEAL! MEAL! MEAL!

McINTYRE'S Cigars, Cigars.

McINTYRE'S Pork, Pork, Pork.

McINTYRE'S Coffee, Coffee.

McINTYRE'S Teas, Teas.

And everything kept in a first-class Grocery and Liquor Store. always on hand, CHEAP FOR CASH.

GROCERIES. GROCERIES. GROCERIES.

HARVEST TOOLS!

HARVEST TOOLS

Harvest Mitts.

R. J. SPROULE,

FLESHERTON.

Has just received the balance of a very extensive Stock, and is shewing

Rixford's Celebrated Scythes,

The Hamilton Patent

Thumb-and-Finger Barley Forks,

The celebrated

Wrastin Crain Cradle.

A complete Stock of Forks, Rakes, Snaths, Scythe Stones, &c.

All Goods marked at lowest figures, and WARRANTED of best Manufacture.

One Ton of Preserving Sugar

now received. The price will surprise you.

Grain, Butter, Eggs, Wool, Sheep Skins, or any other produce bought, and highest market prices paid.

I want a large quantity of Butter and Eggs, before the 1st of August, for which I am prepared to pay the Highest Price.

R. J. SPROULE,

Toronto House, Fle[illegible]erton.

ALL MEN

Wanting to Purchase or Sell Improved Farms, Wild Lands, Town or Village Property, in the County of Grey

SHOULD SEND FOR

Davis' Mammoth Catalogue

—OF—

Farms for Sale and to Let.

Those having Like Properties to dispose of should consult me. Sure Sale or no pay. CATALOGUE SENT ON APPLICATION.

I have opened an Office in Rutledge's Hotel, Markdale, where I will be found every Thursday, and will be prepared to Execute Deeds, Leases, Mortgages, &c., &c., neatly and correctly. Advice on legal points free. Also to attend to all the different departments of my business. In every department of my business my motto is Thoroughness and Fair Dealing.

Auction Sales conducted. Rents, Accounts, &c., collected and prompt returns made. CHARGES LOW.

ROBT. DAVIS,

Conveyancer, Commissioner in B.R., Real Estate, Loan & Insurance Agent

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FARMERS & MECHANICS'

ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Agency.

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Conveyancing done with care, neatness and despatch.

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Great Novelties. Wonderful Attractions.

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MARKDALE.

Prices astonishingly low in every Department.

Highest price for Dairy and other produce.

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MAKER OF ALL KINDS OF PUMPS,

DROP VALVE PUMPS, CYLINDER PUMPS, CISTERN PUMPS,

FORCE PUMPS,

Also, ALL KINDS OF IRON PUMPS SUPPLIED.

Satisfaction guaranteed on all my work; the proof of it is found in the fact that I am doing a larger business now than ever was done in Markdale in the Pump business. Remember the stand, 1 door north of Rutledge's Hotel,

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Great Excitement in Markdale

OVER THE LARGE ARRIVALS OF

SPRING & SUMMER Goods

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IMPORTED DIRECT FROM ENGLISH MANUFACTURERS, CONSISTING OF

Dress Goods, All shades. **Cashmeres,** All colors. **Muslins,** Latest Patterns

Brilliants, Diapers, Cretonnes,

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Diagonal Coatings, Dress shirts, Ties, Ducks,

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A NOBBY STOCK OF FELT HATS. STRAW HATS in ABUNDANCE.

Full Lines of GROCERIES,

New and Fresh. Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

from best Toronto Manufacturers.

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PURE SEEDS

We desire to inform the farming community that we have for sale a choice stock of

Field, Flower & Garden Seeds

COMPRISING

Clover, Timothy, Hungarian Grass, Tares, &c.

Millet, Carrot, Mangel Wurzel, Corn, &c.

We would also remind the public in general that we have a full line of GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

Stationery School Books, Patent Medicines, Perfumery Dyestuffs, Paints & Oils, Toilet Soaps, Fancy Goods,

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Tea, Coffee, and Tobacco.

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SASH,

DOORS,

BLINDS

MOULDINGS,

HOLLOW BATTONS,

FRAMES

Lumber, Lath and Shingles,

Always on Hand. Orders Promptly Filled.

The Subscriber wishes to return thanks to the people of Markdale and vicinity, for the very liberal patronage they have given him in the past, and hopes by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

I have now extended my business and will in future keep a full Stock of

PINE LUMBER.

Direct from the North Shore.

ALL SIZES, DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

All Kinds of Plain and Fancy Turning

Done in a first-class manner.

THOS. McNEA.

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Squander your money if you want to, if not, get your Photographs of

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The People's Photographer, Flesherton

Who is again prepared to take Pictures, and do Copying and Enlarging as heretofore.

FRAMES AND FRAME FIXINGS.

We are receiving a large stock of MOTTOES and Motto and other Frames, and Frame Fixings, which we can, and mean to sell at Remarkably Low Prices, Call and secure bargains.

Bring along your pictures and have them copied and enlarged by your old friend.

BULMER

Flesherton, March 10, 1881.

I GET MY WOOL CARDED

1882. 1882.

—AT THE—

Dundalk Woollen Mills.

Where do you get Yours

P. S.—Parties indebted by note or book account will please to call and settle at once.

W. H. PETERSON.

DUNDALK, Dec. 28, 1881. 67-tf.

ARTEMESIA WAREHOUSE

FLESHERTON STATION.

Dry Goods, Hardware, Crockery, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, Provisions, &c. Stock kept full and well assorted with new goods received every week.

My BRANCH STORE at EUGENIA replenished with New Goods every week.

For Sale Cheap for Cash or Produce.

MY

Saw Mill and Shingle Factory

At LITTLE FALLS are in operation.

Lumber, Lath, Broom Handles for Sale.

-Wm. HOGG.

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DENTISTS, OWEN SOUND,

Gold Fillings a specialty, and all operations upon the mouth thoroughly and competently performed.

Mr. Knight will make regular trips to Markdale the last Tuesday in every month.

Dental Card.

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Teeth filled with Gold and Amalgam.
Artificial Teeth inserted on Rubber Base.
Natural appearance—Perfect Fit.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain.

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BARRISTERS, AND ATTORNEYS-AT Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, &c., Owen Sound, have resumed at Flesherton, Office open every Thursday, as heretofore.

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BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS. CONVEYances, &c. &c.

OFFICES in Owen Sound, Dufferin Block, over W. F. Wolf's Store and in

MARKDALE:

Over W. J. McFarland's Store on Thursday and Friday of each week.

☞Funds to lend on reasonable terms.

JOHN CREASOR, Q. C. DUNCAN MORISON

Markdale, March 15, 1882. 79-ly

Alexander Brown.

ISSUER of Marriage Licenses, Fire and Life Insurance Agent. Commissioner in B. R. &c. Conveyancer and Licensed Auctioneer for the County of Grey. Farmers, Merchants, and Land Sales, Punctually attended to and charges made very moderate.

Priceville, Sept. 17, 1880. 1-y

JOHN B. McMILLAN,

ATTORNEY AND SOLICITOR, IS NOW ready for attending to all kinds of law business. Office—at Kay's Hotel.

Markdale, Dec. 2nd, 1881. 64.

HAIR CUTTING AND SHAVING

ON

Every Working Day,

By Thomas Smith,

☞ Orders filled for Tomb Stones.

Markdale, July 21, 1881. 45-3m.

Forty cents will pay for the STANDARD till the end of the year.

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REVERE HOTEL,

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T. SPROULE, - Proprietor.

THIS popular Hotel has had a large addition added to it, thoroughly refitted, and is now second to none in the county. Good stabling and attentive ostler. First-class accommodation for commercial travelers. $1 per day. Barber's shop in connection. 17-ly

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Good Accommodation for Travellers. 'Bus to and from all trains. Charges moderate.

Markdale. A. RUTLEDGE, PROP.

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Large and commodious Sample Rooms Good Bed Rooms, &c. The Bar and larde well supplied with the best the market affords; good Stabling and attentive Hostler's

THOS. ATKINSON, Proprietor

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DIVISION Court Clerk, Issuer of Marriage Lisenses, Commissioner in B.R., Conveyancer, &c. Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, &c., attended to promptly, accurately, neatly, and cheaply. Private funds to lend in small sums on easy terms. Notes discounted

R. M. Galbraith,

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Williamsford, Jan. 27, 1881.

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BUILDER & CONTRACTOR, (Stone and Brick). After completing 13 buildings his season is still on the track and is still prepared to do all kinds of stone and brick work, plastering and tuck pointing. Those who contemplate building will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Residence corner of Brown and Sproule Stetes, MARKDALE. 16-y

Wm. Brown,

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, &c Commissioner in B. R. &c.

Conveyancing in all its branches promptly attended to and carefully executed.

N. B.—Money to Lend on Real Estate security.

Wm. Lucas & Co.,

BANKERS,

Money Loaned

IN large or small amounts, at all times, on good endorsed notes, or on collateral security.

INTEREST AT 6 PER CENT.

Allowed on Savings Deposits.

☞Drafts issued and Collections made on all points, at lowest rates.

W.M. LUCAS, Manager.

Spteember 23, 1880. 2-ly

GEORGE NOBLE,

INSURANCE AND LAND AGENT,

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies:

CITIZENS', of Montreal,

AGRICULTURAL, of Watertown, and

TRADE & COMMERCE, (Mutual) of Toronto.

A number of Choice Farms for sale. also Village Lots.

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GEO. NOBLE.

MARKDALE, May 20th, 1881. 36-ly

Joseph Gibson,

PLAIN & ORNAMENTAL

PLASTERER.

WHITEWASHING—CALSOMINING

in Shades and Colors.

All work guaranteed. Charges moderate.

Markdale P.O.

NOTICE.

FOUR HEAD of Young Cattle have been brought to Pound on lot 23, con. 11, Euphrasia, namely:

Steer, 2 years old, dark red, stag head.
Heifer, 2 years old, dark red, 4 white feet, white star on forehead.
Grey Steer, 2 years old.
Spotted Heifer.

THOMAS BRADY.

THE NEW ARTIST

Cordially invites all those who are lovers of

GOOD PHOTOS

To come AT ONCE and give him a trial, for to do so is to be

Suited as they never were Before

☞All poor and cheap work despised by him.

Good work,

—AND—

MODERATE PRICES,

is his motto.

All the Popular Styles made by

J. L. BROWNE,

Over the Standard Office, Markdale.

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Has opened out a First-Class

Furniture !

—AND—

UNDERTKING ESTABLISHMENT,

And therefore has supplied a want long felt, especially in the Undertaking Line.

COFFINS,
CASKETS,
SHROUDS,
and all

FUNERAL FURNISHINGS,

supplied on the shortes notice.

A Splendid Hearse

for hire at moderate rates.

FURNITURE!

From the Common to the

Best and Latest Styles,

in everything in the line.

Call and see for yourselves.

ROBT. ASKIN.

EUGENIA

Grist, Saw and Lath Mills

Having made eqtensive improvements in my Grist Mill I feel confident I can give good satisfaction.

GOOD FLOUR ALWAYS ON HAND.

Chopping Done Every Day.

Custom Sawing and Bills Filled on the shortest notice.

LUMBER AND LATH ALWAYS ON HAND.

Cherry, Butternut, White Ash, Black Ash, Basswood, Pine and Hemlock Logs wanted.

69ly. M. AKITT, Eugenia.

WARNING!

There is great danger of taking cold from wet feet. If you want to

Guard Against Sickness!

Keep your feet dry and warm by procuring your

BOOTS!

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The best evidence of the superior merit and virtues of Dr Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, for the cure of Summer Complaints is that its popularity and demand is greatest where it has been longest known.

Rattlesnakes are unpleasantly numerous around Brigden. Several parties have been bitten, and a little girl residing on the 2nd concession of Moore, died from the effects of the bite of one of these reptiles.

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Mr. Jas. Plewes late Speeton Mills, is now working the Eugenia grist mill.

Hundreds of clergymen, doctors and others have used Kendall's Spavin Cure with the best success. Read advertisement.

The safe in the postoffice at Penetanguishene was robbed on the night of the 14th instant of a cash-box which contained a number of bills of different denominations, five coupons of the town of Barrie, several notes of hand, one due bill for $25, and numerous other papers and memoranda. It is supposrd that some person got through the wicket and went out by the door.

Kendall's Spavin Cure is the best liniment on human flesh in the world. Try it and be convinced. Read the advertisement.

Rev. Mr. Talmage is having a summer cottage built at Bay Shore, Long Island. It is understood that Mr. Talmage has agreed to visit the beach once a day and smile the sharks away.

The proprietors of Kendall's Spavin Cure have hundreds of letters on file speaking in the highest terms of the benefits derived from its use. When you find one case where it has failed to give relief there are hundreds where it has proved a success. Read advertisement.

The Mayor and 55 town councilmen of Reading Pa., have been arrested upon an indictment for not keeping the streets repaired.

The attention of our readers and subscribers is drawn to new advertisements constantly appearing in our columns, and to the houses represented in these advertisements we recommend your trade. A merchant who has a good stock at reasonable prices is not slow to make the fact known to the public.

The prescription of a skillfully physician, and composed of vegetable drugs of great remedial power, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters purify the blood, give tone and vigor to the system, cures Dyspepsia and indigestion when all other medicines fail. Have you tried it? Sold by Druggists 50c a bottle. Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk,

The Poultry Yard recommends coffee grounds for fowls,

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A North Shore farmer advertises: "Two cows lost, one of them a bull."

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TO-DAY'S STANDARD.

As announced last week we did not intend to issue a paper this week; however a few interesting items have made it desirable that a paper should appear, and we publish this week just as we get half-way through with our alterations and improvements.

Next week the paper will consist of 8 pages this size.

THURSDAY, AUG. 24

"WATTER-CLOSET" SCARE.

Happily, it is seldom a police court has to meet in Markdale, still less frequent does such bungling work engage the attention of the court as was the case on Wednesday last. This inspection, the mode, the report, the laying of information, has all been done in such an ignorant, and offensive manner that the inspector has brought upon himself considerable odium, and also mulcted either himself or the village in unncessary expense.

That the Health Acts should be put in force in Markdale, no one can deny, the filthy state of many of the outhouses in the village as proven before the bench on Wednesday is evidence that the inspector has set about his work none too soon. Many of the necessary houses were sworn to be in such condition that the inspector's witness could not get within several feet of the building. To say the least of it, the existence of these places is a disgrace to the owner or occupier.

In these instances, the scathing exposure of the inspector made publicly cannot fail to have a beneficial effect.

No one attempts to deny the absolute necessity of having the outhouses kept clean, and those who escape the penalties, do so, in most cases, not because they have complied with the act, but on account of flaws in the indictment. The cases dismissed were chiefly those in which the sworn evidence of the inspector directly contradicted the sworn information given by the inspector.

Ignorantia legis neminem excusat is an old maxim of universal application, (Ignorance of the law excuses no man) and it behoves every ratepayer to become acquainted with the law, and not wait for the inspector to come around to enlighten him. On the other hand the same rule applies to the inspector who should first learn his duty and then do it; then he will meet with the support and encouragement of the people.

All honor is due the man who incurs odium in the faithful discharge of onerous duty.

Extract from Act bearing on these Nuisance cases.

"The members of the municipal council, Township, Cities, Towns and incorporated villages the trustees of every police village shall be Health Officers within their respective municipalities under the next 5 sections this act; but any such council may by bylaw delegate the power of its members as such Health Officers to a committee of their own number, or to such persons, either including or not including one or more of themselves, as the council thinks best.

The Health Officers of any Municipalities or police village, or any two of them, may in the day time, as often as they think necessary, enter into and upon any premises in the place for which they hold office and examine such premises.

If upon such examination they find that the premises are in a filthy or unclean state, or that any matter or think is there which is their opinion, may endangerthe public health, they or any two of them, may order the proprietor occupant of the premises to cleanse the same and to remove what is so found there.

Such Health Officers, in case the proprietor or occupier of the premises neglects or refuses to obey the directions may call to their assistance all constables and any other persons they think fit, and may enter on the premises and cleanse the same and remove therefrom and destroy what in their opinion it is necessary to remove or destroy for the preservation of the public health.

PICNIC AT EUGENIA.

Returning for the nonce to a somewhat primitive state of existence seems to be a favourite pastime with people nowadays.

"Among the woods and waters we'll ramble," is an almost universal cry when the summer and autumn months come around. Toil becomes pleasure; laborious climbing becomes pleasant recreation; and household drudgery is known by another name when undertaken at a picnic.

The Masonic Lodge of Markdale & Flesherton sighed for "too, too, utterly utter," and arranged for a day beside the meandering stream and the turbulent waters of Eugenia.

Here arrived, the vehicles discharged their living freight and sundry baskets, which we will imagine contain the iron instruments for initiating members into the ancient secret druidical society. As we contemplated this mysterious ceremony, lo, a seer, doubtless some P.M.Q.M.R.M of the order, kindles a fire, the smoke whereof rises to the heavens. We involuntarily exclaim, "Behold the fire and the wood, but where is the lamb and the green peas?" Then from the secret recesses of the mysterious baskets are brought forth good things innumerable, both small and great.

The ceremony of clearing a table as adopted by the masons is to say the least of it, a very ancient one, and on this occasion, after invoking the blessing of their deity short work was made of a rite that some wished could last for aye (these same masons are, as a rule, disciples of Epicurius). The afternoon was spent as seemed best to the company, many of whom adorned themselves with ferns and flowers emblematic of many various virtues supposed to be possessed by the order; and in gathering the wild berries of the grove after the manner of the ancients. Some ventured beneath the cascade, and nymph-like, but clothed with the newest and most recently patented waterproofs, laved in the spray of the silver waters. Others like mermaids, sat upon the rocks in the midst of the turbulent stream.

Thus passed the day till the smoke ascending from the historic camp fire betokened that the high priests of the order were about to offer the evening sacrifice. The people drew near, and with one voice rent the air with their invocation. Berries from the wild fastnesses of the woods gathered by Mason McFarland and wife, and by them decorated with the leaves of a cryptogamic plant, commonly known as a polypodus, adorned the grassy table. This Adamic ceremony, generally called by the order an inner refresher having been successfully performed, and a blessing in a tuneful strain hymned for the maternel parent of the head of the order, the assemblage dispersed.

Thirteen chariots conveyed them to their habitations.

The whole of the arrangements were satisfactorily carried out, and

When next the masons air themselves,
May we be there to see.

THE EGYPTIAN WAR

The Porte has once more changed front. It has removed the embargo upon the exportation of mules for British service from Syria, in deference to Lord Dufferin's strong protest. It is announced that he has also agreed to England's terms for a Military Covention, which will be formally signed to-day. The rebels have cut the Fresh Water Canal between Ismailia and Suez, but there is no fear of any serious results. Arabi appears to be still relating from Suez Canal, the banks along the whole length now being in the hands of the British. He is again massing his forces at Kafr-el Dwar, where his entrenchments are being strengthened, and at Tel-el-Kebir, where his main body is, and where the great battle of campaign will be fought. The absurdity of previous rumours concerning Arabi's intentions are now apparent. The reported rise in the Nile has probably hastened the movements of Sir Garnet's division, which has already advanced from Ismailia, and a track is being laid as rapidly as possible to facilate the movement of the troops, nearly all of whom are now landed.

You can, have this paper from now till the end of 1882 for 40 cents.

Save your horse by reading and acting upon Kendall's Horse Book. Reliable and cheap. 15c.

FALL EXHIBITIONS.

TORONTO.—Sept. 5 to 26.
PROVINCIAL.—Kingston, Sept. 18 to ...
S. GREY.—Durham, Sep. 26 & 27.
[illegible].—Flesherton, Sep. 28th ...
GLENELG.—Markdale, Sept. 27th.
EGREMONT.—Holstein, Oct. 4.
PROTON.—Dundalk. Oct. 5.
MELANCTHON.—Shelburne, Oct. 3, and 4.
HOLLAND.—Chatsworth, Oct. 10.

BIRTHS.

In Markdale on the 18th inst., the wife of Mr. Wm. Levi of a daughter.

In Markdale on the 22nd inst., the wife of Mr. Richard Askin of a daughter.

In Artemesia on the 22nd. inst., the wife of Mr. Joseph Dormer, of a son.

In Glenelg on the 22rd. inst., the wife of Mr. Geo. Rickets, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

SHIELDS—HARDY.—At Manitowaning, on on the 16th inst., by the Rev. B. Hill, Charles Shields, of Hilly Grove, to Jessy, daughter of George Hardy, of Manitowaning.

Mr E. Purvis has erected a residence and is pushing it towards completion. It is situated in George st.

Don't drag on a miserable existence without the local paper.

The Meaford elevator project has fallen through. The jealousy of some of the village merchants killed it.

New cashmeres, new dress goods, new satins, and new black watered silks, very fashionable; just received from England by W. J. McFarland, the only direct importer doing business in Markdale.

Mr. Samuel. McCullough, Dundalk, has advertised for tenders for the erection of a large brick hotel in that place, to be completed by the 15th of December next.

W. J. McFarland shows special value in cream and tuscan ostrich feathers, direct importations.

Capt. G. M. Butchart, of Owen Sound died in Manitoba last Monday.

Mr. Trimble, of the firm of Trimble & Wright, is now in London packing their large stock of dry goods, for shipment here.

A union excursion of the Sabbath Schools of Owen Sound, comes to Markdale to-day, Friday.

Opened this week, all wool worsted coatings $1.90, $3.5o, and $4.50 per yard; excellent value; direct from English makers, at McFarland's.

Miss Lettie Allen of Allenford is spending a few weeks with her friends at Markdale

Trimble & Wright have purchased the bankrupt stock of G. D. Sutherland & Co, London, amounting to $10,360 44 and will have it to hand in a few days.

Mr. Townsend, of the *Grey Review* was in town lost week.

Trimble & Wright's new stock of dry goods is the largest ever brought into Markdale at one time.

Mr. J. H. Hacking of Palmerston, gave us a call last Friday.

Trimble & Wright, have leased Reid's new block, and will remove next week

Wm. Brown, Esq. of this place has returned from a trip to Manitoulin Island, and reports the crops exceedingly promising on the Island.

All kinds of Machine Oils for sale at Haskett Bro's. They keep the best oils manufactured.

Mrs. J F. Sproule, returned from Winnipeg last week. She intends spending the coming winter in Markdale, owing to poor health in the Prairie Province.

Mr. Geo. Haskett, is spending a few weeks up west.

Mrs. J M. Lazier, of Belleville, is on a visit to Mr. W. J. McFarland's.

Mr. T. A. Wilson, of Brampton, is spending his holidays in Markdale and vicinity.

The *Hanover Post*, is advocating incorporation for that village. Sensible.

Last week, C. W. Speers purchased from Mr. James Erskine, of Euphrasia, a pair of oxen for which he paid $180. He also paid Mr. Peter. Wilson of Holland Tp. $80 for a bullock. The above three cattle weighed 5,200 lbs, or an average of over 1,700 lbs each.

Mr. McIntyre has just received a load of apples, which are going like hot cakes.

C. W. Rutledge of the Markdale STANDARD, has purchased the plant of the late CLIFFORD ARROW, and has disposed of it together with the good will of his business at Dundalk, to Mr. Theo. Hall, who will proceed at once to publish the HERALD in Dundalk, the first number of which (under the new proprietor) will be published on the 8th September.

Our Premium

We have made arrangements by which we are enabled to give to every NEW SUBSCRIBER to our paper and to old subscribers PAYING IN ADVANCE, a copy of

DR. KENDALL'S

"Treatise on the HORSE and His Diseases."

STRAYED.

CAME into my premises on Saturday, the 22nd of July, a red and white cow with a piece out of her left ear. Any person proving property and paying expenses can take her away.

GEO. CROUTHER,
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They can supply you with anything from a Lumber Wagon up to Extension Top Phaeton.

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R. M. Heron,

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MARKDALE POLICE ...

AN AMAZON.

On Tuesday last at t... House, before Justices Brow... and Rae, an exciting tria... arising out of a charge laid ... er. Thos. Dinna of the to... Holland against his wife ... course of ill-treatment and ... case ocupied the attention o... for some two hours, and w... interesting and amusing.

Mrs. Dinma was fined ... costs or 30 days.

MARKDALE CIR...

GREAT ONE-MAN COMB... TROUPE.

FARCICAL EXHIBIT...

First, Last, and ONL... formance.

POSITIVELY ONE DAY ...

A CLEAN SWEEP.

At the Revere House, o... day last, before A. Elliott, ... and Jas. Struthers, Esq., J... of titled and untitled offend... the health acts were brou... bar of justice by police insp... The summonses in most ... of the same wording, and c... defendants with having on ... inst., upon their premises ... "watter-closet," thereby en... the health of the inhabitants ... instances this wording was ... "sloppy yard, filth and ob... on street," &c.

M.P.'s, J.P.'s, Revs., and ... were all placed in the sam... a big day's work was pr... the bench by the inspector.

The first case called was ... Esq., J.P., who pleaded ... denied knowledge of the e... the nuisance, as the house ... unoccupied some months. ... deferred.

Geo. Noble, constable ... guilty. Judgment deferred.

Thos. Mullarky, police tru... ded guilty; judgment defer...

H. D. Irwin, Esq., J.P. ... Coleman, and Mr J. Lyon ... trustees, pleaded non liabili... count of not being notified ... teacher or the inspector. ... deferred,

Mark Armstrong pleaded ... ty. Judgment deferred.

R. Askin, case withdraw... mality in summons.

Wilson Benson, pleaded n... and that he received no no... from the inspector. Judgme... red.

Rev. S. J. Corcoran, ple... guilty, and wished to have th... under which he was summo... by what authority. He said ... used disinfectants. The ... council made insulting and ... remarks in this and other ca... rightly secured for himself th... of the bench, and several ... from the defendant. Judg... ferred.

Wm. Douglas, sloppy yard, ... not guilty, and want of notice ... ment deferred.

A. Dunlop, guilty; judgm... ferred.

Thos. Foster, represented ... wished to adjourn the case. T... was perfectly clean, cleaner ... inspector's, and 'twas a pity h... had nothing better to do th... her chickens out. Thought he ... know difference between h... and closet

John Hill and Mrs. E. R... were charged conjointly. Mr ... land represented Mrs Rutledge ... not guilty. Called witnesses ... place was clean. Judgment d...

A. Jones, guilty, judgment ... red.

Thos. Henry, pleaded no... He elicited from the inspector ... did where the place was, in fa... nothing about it. Had marke... but could not say whether it de... tal to health, because he knew ... about it. Dismissed, plaintiff ... all costs.

Haskett Bros. Not guilty, ... sed, plaintiff to pay costs.

Thos Eiseline, pleaded gui'ty ... ment deferred.

Alex. Kay, pleaded not guilty ... ed that the place was regularly ... ed, dismissed, plaintif to pay co...

Wm. Kay pleaded not guilt... admitted having been notifie... journed.

MARKDALE POLICE COURT.

AN AMAZON.

On Tuesday last at the Revere House, before Justices Brown, Elliott and Rae, an exciting trial came on arising out of a charge laid by a farmer. Thos. Dinna of the township of Holland against his wife for a long course of ill-treatment and abuse. The case ocupied the attention of the court for some two hours, and was highly interesting and amusing.

Mrs. Dimma was fined $10 and costs or 30 days.

MARKDALE CIRCUS.

GREAT ONE-MAN COMBINATION TROUPE.

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POSITIVELY ONE DAY ONLY.

A CLEAN SWEEP.

At the Revere House, on Wednesday last, before A. Elliott, Esq., J.P.. and Jas. Struthers, Esq., J.P., a batch of titled and untitled offenders against the health acts were brought to the bar of justice by police inspector Reid. The summonses in most cases were of the same wording, and charged the defendants with having on the 19th inst., upon their premises, a filthy "watter-closet," thereby endangering the health of the inhabitants; in some instances this wording was varied with "sloppy yard, filth and obstructions on street," &c.

M.P.'s, J.P.'s, Revs., and constables were all placed in the same box, and a big day's work was provided for the bench by the inspector.

The first case called was W. Brown, Esq., J.P., who pleaded guilty, but denied knowledge of the existence of the nuisance, as the house has been unoccupied some months. Judgment deferred.

Geo. Noble, constable; pleaded guilty. Judgment deferred.

Thos. Mullarky, police trustee, pleaded guilty; judgment deferred.

H. D. Irwin, Esq., J.P., Mr Ben. Coleman, and Mr J. Lyons, school trustees, pleaded non liability on account of not being notified by the teacher or the inspector. Judgment deferred,

Mark Armstrong pleaded not guilty. Judgment deferred.

R. Askin, case withdrawn, informality in summons.

Wilson Benson, pleaded not guilty, and that he received no notification from the inspector. Judgment deferred.

Rev. S. J. Corcoran, pleaded not guilty, and wished to have the act read under which he was summoned; and by what authority. He said that he used disinfectants. The plaintiff's council made insulting and personal remarks in this and other cases, and rightly secured for himself the censure of the bench, and several smart raps from the defendant. Judgment deferred.

Wm. Douglas, sloppy yard, pleaded not guilty, and want of notice. Judgment deferred.

A. Dunlop, guilty; judgment deferred.

Thos. Foster, represented by wife, wished to adjourn the case. The place was perfectly clean, cleaner than the inspector's, and 'twas a pity he (Reid) had nothing better to do than loose her chickens out. Thought he ought to know difference between hen-house and closet

John Hill and Mrs. E. Rutledge were charged conjointly. Mr McFarland represented Mrs Rutledge. Plea not guilty. Called witnesses to prove place was clean. Judgment deferred.

A. Jones, guilty, judgment deferred.

Thos. Henry, pleaded not guilty. He elicited from the inspector that he did where the place was; in fact knew nothing about it. Had marked it "½" but could not say whether it detrimental to health, because he knew nothing about it. Dismissed, plaintiff to pay all costs.

Haskett Bros. Not guilty, dismissed, plaintiff to pay costs.

Thos Eiseline, pleaded guilty. Judgment deferred.

Alex. Kay, pleaded not guilty, proved that the place was regularly cleaned, dismissed, plaintif to pay costs.

Wm. Kay pleaded not guilty, but admitted having been notified, adjourned.

John Lyons, pleaded not guilty no receipt of notice, dismissed, plaintiff to pay costs.

Edward Large, pleaded not guilty, non receipt of notice, case adjourned.

W. J. McFarland, ... street opposite store, case adjourned on account of informality in summons.

J. McKenna, withdrawn, plaintiff to pay costs.

Wm. Mason pleaded not guilty, this was a "quarter" bad, the inspector sworn, that it was not detrimental to public health, although he had on his oath before the majistrate in laying information sworn that it endangered the public health, case dismissed plaintiff to pay costs.

Susan Noble, withdrawn.

James Noble, withdrawn.

R. S. Rae, street obstruction, case withdrawn.

Dr. T. S. Sproule, M. P. case postponed.

Fred Sargeant, pleaded not guilty, no closet on his premises at all, no notice, case dismissed.

After hearing all the evidence the plaintiff's council (Reid) endeavoured to show what the inspector had done perfectly right, that the notice in the Markdale STANDARD was correct. and a sufficient notice.

Mr. J. Lyons, with the consent of the court defended himself holding that the notice was not a legal and sufficient one. He also submitted to their worships that it was perfectly within their power and jurisdiction to deal with the cases, and that it was not necessary to submit the evidence to the county attorney.

Mr W. J. McFarland said that in so far as the inspector did his duties he had his support and that of most of the inhabitants of the village. He also maintained that the spring of the year was the proper time to cleanse the premises. He said that there had been great partiality shown, and that the inspector had acted spitefully towards him and others.

Mr Ths. Henry said that he thought not one of the defendants had a word to say against Mr Reid so long as he kept within his line of duty; what he objected to was the *modus operandi* of the whole proceeding. The law defined the duty of the inspector very clearly. He also maintained that in a legal document like a summons such words should be used which could not be mistaken. Such a thing as a water-closet. in the proper sense of the term, did not exist in Markdale and it was folly to attempt to convict a man here on that charge. In law, such a term as half-clean, quarter-unclean were unknown.

Mr Coleman maintained that the school trustees were not liable until they had been notified. He also coroborated Mr McFarland as to the language used by the inspector.

The prosecutor's council went over the cases, but failed to adduce any authority justifying the proceedings.

The bench requested the audience to withdraw for a few minutes while they deliberated. After about half an hour, they were re-admitted. and the judgments given as above. Plaintiff to pay costs in all cases withdrawn or dismissed The evidence in the rest of the cases has now been submitted to the county attorney, and the result will be known at the adjourned Court on Wednesday next.

It was about 11.30 p.m. when the Court arose.

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Mr. John Bonner, proprietor of the celebrated Young street Dry Goods and Gents Furnishing Store, Toronto, tells a most remarkable story of the Great German Remedy. "St Jacobs Oil cured me of a bad case of neuralgia, of five years standing, when I had given up hopes of being cured, and had tried fifty different so-called remedies. I now keep it all the time not only at home, but here in my place of business; it is an excellent thing and something nobody should be without."

Mr. James C. Stephens has been appointed Collector of Her Majesty's Customs at the port of Owen Sound, vice W. A. Stephens. Esq., superannuated, who has been collector for over thirty years.

Owen Sound fall races will take place on the 19th and 20th September.

N C. Polson & Co., druggists, &c., Kingston, express themselves as surprised at the sale of Burdock Blood Bitters in this locality, where patent medicines are hard to introduce, but, say they," the gross last ordered a few days since, will convince you that the demand is good, and that it is giving satisfaction to our customers."

It is pleasing to notice that some of the graves in the churchyard have been decorated with flowering plants, and otherwise neatly kept. Just what ought to be done.

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The indications of the approaching season seem to threaten an unusual amount of the various forms of bowel complaints, Our readers would do well to supply themselves with some reliable remedy like Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, as a safeguard against sudden attacks of Cholera, Morbus, Colic. Dysentery, &c., that unless promptly treated are often suddenly fatal.

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Markdale, July 7, 1881. 48-6m

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Many good seeds had been sown by their bold speeches, and when the power of the Pope in England had been overthrown these good seeds sprang up.

Among the foremost of the English reformers was Archbishop Cranmer, and he with other friends of true religion, felt that their work was to cast out unscriptural errors, but not to overthrow one stone of the old church which had been planted in England in the times of the Apostles. Very little was done towards reforming the church in the days of King Henry, for although he had quarrelled with the Pope he was not friendly to true religion. The reformers did all they could to encourage learning, and to spread the knowledge of the Scriptures, but it was not till the reign of Edward VI that much good was done.

It was then ordered that certain bishops should draw up an office for the administration of the Holy Communion in English. They did so, and their labours resulted finally in in setting forth a revised Prayer Book: yet they did not make a new book, but preserved the old forms which had been used ages before, only putting them in the language of the people, (they being written in Latin before). It is easy to see how little there is in the Prayer Book that is new when you know that three-fifths of it are taken from the Holy Scriptures; one fifth consists of prayers and creeds used many centuries before, some of them reaching back to the days of the Apostles, and the remainder consists of prayers and exhortations based upon the above. In later times, during the reign of Elizabeth, James, Charles I and II, the Prayer Book had new enemies. There arose some who are known as Puritans, who became great enemies of the church, and would willingly have destroyed it if they could because they fancied it resembled the Church of Rome, and forgot that it descended from the Apostles. It is hard to tell what would have satisfied them, for when they at length had things all their own way, after killing King Charles, they quarrelled among themselves, and divided up into several religious sects. But they still continued to be enemies of the Church.

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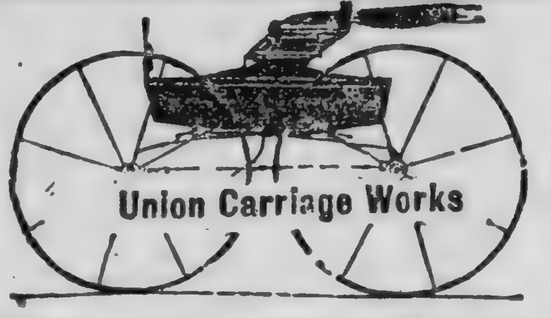

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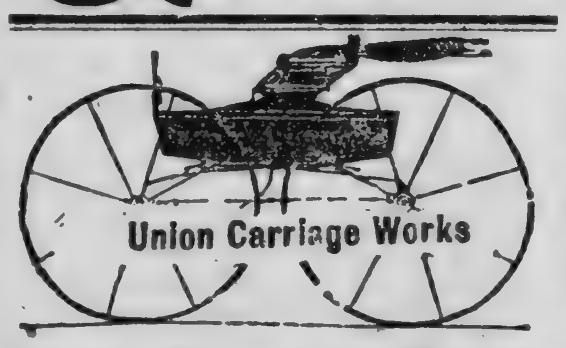

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FIVE MINUTES SELECT READING.

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DOMESTIC.

An Ottawa man named Rochen is missing under mysterious circumstances.

A quantity of jewellery believed to have been smuggled has been seized at St. John, N. B.

At Sherbrooke, Quebec, Joseph Widger, of Ascot, was found dead in his house.

Vessels returned from the Labrador fisheries confirm the reports of the failure of the fishery this season.

The increase in the wheat area during the past year in four counties in the Red River valley was 114 per cent.

The Canada Pacific Railway has been completed as far as Regina, the new capital of the North-west Territory.

Farmers in Cornwallis, N. S. have been compelled by the weevil to cut their wheat green and store it for fodder.

A deliberate attempt was made to wreck a Kingston & Pembroke railway train by placing an iron obstruction on the track near Kingston.

The returns for the Local House in British Columbia are now in, with the exception of Cassiar, and show that the Government will have a working majority.

Robert Donnelly, of Biddulph, Ont., one of the survivors of the Donnelly family, was arrested at Port Huron on Monday evening for being drunk and disorderly.

The farm instructors of the Piegan Indians, now in Otttawa, states that the Indians under his charge are relinquishing their nomadic life and generally adopting farming.

At Paris a fire broke out on River-street at midnight in the brick store owned by E. Randall, and occupied by John Finlayson, dry-goods. The whole stock was totally destroyed.

The 10th Royal Munster Fusiliers, now at Halifax, have been ordered to prepare for embarkation on the troopship Orontes. They are to sail for Gibraltar, *en route*, it is supposed, for Egypt.

Arrangements have been made for the daily exchange of international mails between the railway post-office of St. Paul and Breckenridge, Minn., and the Emerson and Winnipeg, Man., offices.

On Saturday morning last Miss Dodds, of the township of Moore, went to Sarnia on business, and drew from Fleming's Bank $100. Shortly afterwards the money was stolen from her. Two men were arrested on suspicion.

Mr. J. E. Robidoux, who was the Liberal candidate in the county of Lapairie for the Local House, has entered suit against Edward O'Neil for $1,000 damages for propagating the report among the electors that the plaintiff was a Freemason who rejected religion.

The excitement over the villanies of Hunter, the absconding defaulter, rose to the greatest height it has reached yet by the report getting around that the heirs of the late Sir William Logan, of the geological survey, all of whom reside in England, had been victimized.

UNITED STATES.

At Matamoras there were eight deaths from yellow fever yesterday.

There are still no tidings of the captain of the schooner Australia, who disappeared at Chicago.

A Virginia jury has countenanced the "code" by acquitting a man who killed his opponent in a duel.

The Texas fever has attacked the cattle in several slaughter-houses in the outskirts of the city of Auburn.

It has been discovered that the man whose body was found in a pond at Big Rapids on the 22nd inst., was murdered.

The Supreme Lodge of the Knights of Pythias has elected Mr. John P. Linton, of Pensylvania, Supreme Chancellor for the ensuing year.

At Vicksburg, Miss., Elder George, a negro preacher, clubbed Lucinda Amos, a negro woman residing at Lake Providence, until she died.

The fire at the Erie elevator was the hottest seen in Buffalo, and was a most magnificent spectacle. Many thousand people were attracted to it.

At Brownsville there were 62 new cases and two deaths yesterday. Twenty-five quarantine guards have been sworn in to aid in confining the yellow fever to its present lines.

A special despatch from New York says that John Devoy, editor of the *Irish Nation* of that city, has been sentenced to death by the secret council of the O'Donovan Rossa party.

The wife of the actor Bayley, who eloped with the actor Arthur, has consented to return to her parents in England, and there remain. Arthur will be released on the promise not to interfere with the arrangement.

Mr. Tucker says he found in the Utah lunatic asylum nine female and twelve male patients in the most filthy condition imaginable. Some were in iron cages outside the main building, others in irons, bound hand and foot. Of these patients two were perfectly sane and have no idea why they are confined.

GENERAL.

Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro, has left Cettinge from St. Petersburg.

B. Wright & Son, worsted spinners, of Bradford, Eng., have failed. Liabilities, £170,000.

A man named Gavin has been arrested in Ennis, county Mayo, charged with being concerned in the murder of the Joyce family.

The Corporation of Limerick City has conferred the freedom of the city upon Mr. E. Dwyer Gray.

In many districts in England the wind blew a hurricane and the rain fell in torrents; trees were uprooted and carried long distances. The corn crop was much damaged.

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE SEASON.

(From the American Agriculturist.

EARLY FATTENING OF ANIMALS

It is quite as important to fatten and market economically, the animal products of the farm, as it is to raise them. A pound of beef, pork, or poultry, can be made much cheaper in September and October, than later in the season, when a larger part of the rations must go to keep up animal heat. There is no sleight of hand in laying fat upon an animal's carcass. It must come out of good honest food in the rations fed. The temperature in the latter part of summer and early autumn, is in favor of the best use of all the fattening articles of food, while there is enough of green food to sharpen the appetite, and keep up good digestion. We have found green corn stalks, especially sweet-corn, an excellent article in the stye, to be fed in connection with corn on the cob, and corn meal, and other rations. We have never seen pork made more rapidly than with this kind of feeding. It will be safe to feed all that the swine will eat up clean, and no more. Slack up the feed a little when anything is left in the trough. This will require a little attention, but the pigs will grow so fast, that one can afford to linger by the stye a few minutes, once in the day to see the fat accumulate. Corn is high this season, and we want to make the best use of it. The best poultrymen we know begin to give extra food in September, when they mean to kill in November. The thanksgiving market is pretty sure to be a good one, and brings ready cash. The small potatoes boiled, and mixed with Indian meal and hot water, make an excellent feed for turkeys and other poultry. This favors growth, as well as fattening. The rations of corn and other grain, unground, may be reserved to the last few weeks of life. Turkeys should have their liberty all through extra feeding. Some poultrymen shut up their geese and ducks, but we doubt the economy of this method. With a good run, they will have a greater variety of food, and thrive better with an access to a pasture with pond or brook, while they are receiving full feed for market. All that the fattening animals will eat up clean, is a good rule for the last month of feeding.

Points on the Hotel Business.

The landlord, my dear children, is an honest man, generally; but unless you keep away from his house, he will take you in if he can.

But do not judge him too harshly. If he can put up with you, you should be able to put up with him.

He is always ready to give everybody a warm reception, and puts you on the register as soon as you arrive.

The landlord is the head of the hotel. He is also its boniface.

The landlord, though usually a temperate man, is never so happy as when he is full.

Nothing pleases him so much as to see a host in his house, but empty though his house may be, still he is a host in himself.

In some hotels they have stated hours for breakfast, dinner and supper; but you can get meals at all ours.

The landlord is ever watchful of his actions, although the keeper of an inn is necessarily inn-discreet.

Drinking habits are not necessarily prevalent at the hotel, but almost everybody's first care on entering one is to call for the porter.

The landlord will give you a room if he have it.

While you are at his house you are his guest, but probably you have already guessed that.

Some persons are very illogical in their treatment of landlords. I once knew a man who said that a certain hotel keeper's house was not fit to lodge in, and immediately afterwards lodged a complaint with him.

The landlord usually charges for extras, but he considers this honest and above board.—*Boston Transcript.*

Brewers in Parliament.

At the great temperance demonstration, held in Exeter Hall, London, on the 17th of July last, Canon Wilberforce made the following remarks:—

There is not a man in this room who can afford to look down on the *Times* newspaper. You may not like its mode of dealing with subjects, but the *Times* newspaper, as one of the wisest men I ever knew told me, has done very much in this matter to raise the standard of journalistic literature. And on the 16th of May the *Times* had a leading article on the liquor traffic where it simply unveiled the whole face of men against whom we have to fight. The *Times* said: "You temperance reformers, you are wasting your shot and shell by bombarding these little outposts. You have to carry the whole force of your bombardment against the real fountain head of the evil—the great breweries of this kingdom." Therefore we have striven to raise the workingmen of England to the consciousness of what, with the deepest respect, I would call the intolerable folly of continuing to send back to the House of Commons brewers to represent their interests. (Applause,) I care not what their politics may be. I know many of them to be liberal-hearted good men in their own private lives. I know some of them, and admire them, and like them personally, but I hate their trade, for I believe it is a trade which is at the bottom of the demoralization of this nation; that it is a trade which is at this moment helping to sensualize the upper classes, to vulgarize the middle classes and to brutalize the lower classes. (Hear, hear, and cheers.) When you wear the ribbon of blue you witness what I say before everyone, and I believe that that symbol will have a tremendous weight if we have the misfortune of another election, and a misfortune it might be for some.

John A. Stevens has made an immense hit in London in his own play "Unknown."

A young man named Farquhar, famed in London clubs for his wit and beauty, has determined to go on the stage, being encouraged thereto by the success of Mrs. Langtry.

Emie Weathersby—a sister of *the* Weathersby—made her first appearance in New York Saturday. They say she is the living image of Mrs. Langtry, complexion and all.

WOMAN GOSSIP.

Love-Tokens and Trout-Flies—Two Romances—Odds and Ends for the Ladies.

A RUSSIAN ROMANCE.

Among the ladies of honor of the late Empress Marie, of Russia, was one of her country-women, a young Hessian, of whom she was particularly fond. One evening, says a Paris correspondent, when alone with her sovereign, Mlle. X. threw herself at the imperial feet, and, with many tears, avowed that she was loved by the Grand Duke Alexis and returned his passion, wherefore she besought her majesty to consent to the union. The imperial reply was an immediate order to the petitioner to retire to her family at Darmstadt and to the prince to join his squadron in the Baltic. But the august master of Russia had not calculated upon the strength of true love. Mademoiselle got away from her parents, or more probably helped by them to make the journey, took passage on a Cunard steamer, and joined the man of her choice in America, where they were privately married. You remember the visit of the grand duke to the United States in 1872, of course, but neither you nor anyone else had an idea that he was there on a sort of wedding tour. I am assured, though, that the facts are as stated, but fancy that there is a chronological error, and that the episode is of much more recent date. However this may be, the pair were joined in holy wedlock, and the reception of their marriage certificate raised a terrible commotion on the banks of the Neva. Disgraces and vicissitudes of all kinds followed the exploit; Alexis was threatened and cajoled to break off the "disgraceful connection," but he held out bravely, and as the czar's own affair with Princess Dolgorouki came in the nick of time to incline the paternal heart to indulgence, Alexander II. finally agreed to shut his eyes to his son's situation, although sternly refusing to recognize the legitimacy of the marriage. Like the people in the fairy tale, Alexis and his bride were very happy, and now, at the solicitation of the czarina, who appreciates the beauty of a united household, Alexander III. proposes to give the marriage his official sanction. Alexis is one of the most distinguished members of the imperial family. He resembles, in many ways, his uncle, the Grand Duke Constantine, and believing himself much superior, intellectually and physically, to his brothers, for years pinned his faith on the prediction of a gypsy, by whom it was foretold that he would some day be seated on the throne of the Romanoffs. At one time, indeed, circumstances seemed to point to the realization of this prophecy. The first born of the czar died at Nice, the Grand Duke Alexander, the present emperor, seemed incapable of holding the sceptre, and gave no promise of becoming, what he has become, thanks to his wife, a deep thinker and earnest worker, while the Grand Duke Vladimir, an effeminate pleasure-seeker, would have sold his birthright for a casket of jewels, so that Alexis seemed to be the only son in a condition to succeed his father. Since this, events have upset all those calculations, but have not destroyed his aspirations after sovereign grandeur. His dream was Byzantine, the long-cherished secret ambition of his uncle Constantine, but there again he was doomed to disappointment, and so turned toward Asia, where he hopes to found an empire. As anything and everything is possible in this world, who knows whether this dauntless energy may not yet present an imperial crown to her whom, in the teeth of all opposition, he has succeeded in making a princess.

A BURMESE ROMANCE.

In the late king's time his favorite daughter was the Tsalin princess, a girl of great beauty, and a most amiable disposition. All foreign ladies used to go to her, and to her only; for, besides being the highest princess in the land (says the London *Globe*), her kindness and affability made her the most universally-loved member of the royal family. When the late king died, her late charming mother's rival, Queen Allaynandeau, having practically seized all power and authority, the Tsalin princes was imprisoned, and so cruelly treated by order of the present queen, herself daughter of Allaynandeau, that she fell dangerously sick. Left without any care, and hardly any food, death seemed to be the only deliverer at hand. But Providence watched over the princess. A high official, remotely related to her, and one of the foreign ladies who had been most kindly treated by her formerly, were most active in trying to find for her the means of escape. But the guards were too strict and too many. While her friends were "scheming and considering" one of her own female servants, living in her town, fell sick near her and suddenly died. Another female servant of hers, taking advantage of the isolation in which she and her mistress had been left within their wretched place of confinement, put the corpse into the princess' bed, and the latter, dressed as a common palace slave, and in the hubbub caused by the news of her own death, quickly found her way out and ultimately reached the house of her foreign friend, who being rightly afraid to keep her in her own house had her removed to a safe place outside of Mandalay.

The princess meanwhile being pronounced dead the body was removed and disposed of, but not before the toes on one side had been chopped off, to make it look like the princess, she having had the misfortune to be born with a club foot. After nearly two years the princess, who had entirely recovered her former good health, was taken away from her hiding-place in a large, covered and perfectly close Burmese cart. With the help of her foreign friend, she put on a European dress, and having arrived at the river side, went straight on board of a steamer that was just leaving from Rangoon. But when the steamer reached Koonywa, some two days' journey below Mandalay, the down steamer had just arrived at the same place, and the news soon spread that some petty official or other having lately absconded from Mandalay, orders had been received at the frontier to search closely every up steamer, on hearing which the princess, resuming her Burmese dress, and marking her face up as best she could, landed and crossed the river in a small boat, she having made up her mind to try and reach the Shan country. After the weariest and most perilous journey, on foot all the time, she at last succeeded in reaching the state of a friendly Tsawbwa (chief), under whose hospitable roof she now resides, anxiously looking for Prince Nyoung Yan, who has been repeatedly invited over by a large number of Tsawbwas, anxious to fight under his banner and carry him triumphantly back to the "golden city."

LOVE TOKENS MADE INTO TROUT-FLIES.

"A most extraordinary story of trout-flies made out of human hair was related to me some time ago by a friend of mine, who is a manufacturer of sportsmen's materials," said a jeweller to a Philadelphia *Times* reporter, while an amused smile played over his features. "There used to be a gay young fellow in this city who made love to every young girl he came across. He must have been rather successful, for he always managed to secure a lock of hair from each of his conquests. This young man had another equally strong passion—trout-fishing. He loved to fish for the speckled beauties of the brook and muse on the many beauteous maidens among whom he divided the treasures of his heart. An idea struck him; he would have a fly constructed out of each lock of hair he possessed. He took his collection of silky love-tokens, gleaned from perfumed tresses, to the manufacturer of sportsmen's materials and requested him to make the desired flies. When finished he placed them in his fishing pocket-book, each one attached to a card with the name of the girl and date of the gift. His subsequent fishing was a long dream of romance. Even in their broiled state the trout had a halo of memory around them which gave them a flavor for which Lucullus would have forfeited an empire. He brought every conceivable color, and kind of hair to be made into flies—black, light and dark brown, gray, white, golden, yellow, auburn and red, curly, wavy, and crinkly. In less than three years my friend made him 150 trout flies, which would be at the rate of a new girl every week. He was asked one day which colored flies he perferred. In reply he said red flies were preferable to any of the others, and that in future he intended to confine his attentions to young ladies whose heads glowed with flame-like hues. In proof of this, he married a girl with red hair, and had ten flies constructed out of one of her tresses. For some little time after his nuptials his heart remained true to his fiery-poiled bride and his red-haired flies. One day, however, he brought my friend a lock of a far deeper hue of auburn, and instructed him to make two flies, as he found the fish would no longer bite at his wife's hair. His better half discovered the change of bait and began to smell a rat. To make matters worse, he one day went to his office, leaving the key to his private desk at home in the lock. The lady examined the premises and discovered the album of flies, to which she had only the previous day added his latest conquest. The wife returned to her mother that very morning, instituted proceedings for a divorce, and gained her suit, the fly-book being produced as evidence in court. If you search the court records you will find full confirmation of what I have just told you."

NEEDLES AND PINS.

In a Philadelphia hotel dining-room the other day a lady cut the corn from the cob before eating it, and a well-dressed but bull-necked fellow whose face was greatly disfigured (he had been in a row the night before) was noticed doing the same thing. Suddenly observing the lady he asked in tones of genuine sympathy and surprise: "Why have you had your front teeth knocked out too?"

"Stuck-up things" is what the New York girls at Spring Lake beach call their Philadelphia sisters. And the Quaker city maidens, ever kind and generous, reciprocate cordially when they inquire: "Have any of those New York creatures a father who has not been accused of financial irregularities?" As a rule, the Philadelphia girl never gets left.

"That," said Bigglin to his wife, when she told him that a new silk dress was necessary for her health and happiness, "is too diaphanous." "Now, Bigglin," she answered, tartly, "I want you to understand that I am not to be put down by musical terms. You can call it a fortissimo or a trombolo, but I'm going to have that dress.'

"But why did you leave her so hastily?" asked a sympathizing friend who was trying to console a lover for his separation from the object of his idolatry. "Oh, it was a sudden impulse." "What sort of an impulse?" "I don't know exactly," returned the sufferer, thoughtfully, "but it must have been at least a No. 12."

Things one would rather have left unsaid: Amiable hostess—"What! must you go already? Really, professor, it's too bad of this sweet young wife of yours to carry you off so early. She always does." Professor—"No, no, not always, Mrs. Bright. At most houses I positively have to drag her away."

"Edward, what do I hear—that you have disobeyed your grandmother, who told you just now not to jump down those steps?" "Grandma didn't tell us not to, papa; she only came to the door and said: 'I wouldn't jump down those steps, boys,' and I shouldn't think she would—an old lady like her."

For a little lady of 2½ years this will do: She had picked up a cane in the corner of the room and was playing with it—a plain stick bent at the end. Papa asked: "What are you doing with the cane?" "It isn't a cane!" "What is it, then?" "It's an umberella without any clothes on it."

One of the regular exercises at normal schools is writing words from dictation and giving their meaning. One of the words given out was "hazardous," which the young lady pupil spelled "hazardess," and defined "a female hazard."

Captain Berry, of the Rodgers, and Chief Engineer Melville, of the Jeannette, and party left St. Petersburg for London, *en route* for New York.

Thomas Fenton, second mate of the wrecked Arctic steamer Eira, has died in Aberdeen Infirmary. He suffered from cancer on the lip throughout the voyage.

George Bennet bought a dying horse for $5, and drove into Maysville, Va., at a slashing pace. After telling several persons that he paid $200 for the beast, which did not show its condition to casual observers, he managed to get it killed by a locomotive. Then he sued the company for $200. The scheme failed, and its projector is in jail.

RECENT WAR NE[WS]

The Anglo-Turkish Military Co[nvention] —British Troops Pushing Fo[rward] —The British Repulsed at Tel-el-[Kebir] —Spain and the Suez Canal.

Ahemed Essed Effendi, the [Sheik Ul] Islam, in an interview with Lord [Dufferin on] Thursday, explained the origi[n of the] Egyptian revolt, with the object o[f showing] that the Sultan had not contribut[ed ...] He also declared that the Sultan [regarded] Arabi as a rebel.

The Sheik Ul Islam paid Lord [Dufferin a] second visit. Lord Dufferin announ[ced that] he had received instructions from [his Gov]ernment to sign the draft of the convention as agreed upon by himself [and Said] Pasha on the 18th inst., which h[ad been] left subject to further consideration. [Lord] Dufferin gave the Sheik reassuring [assurances] tions in regard to the intentions [of Eng]land.

ARABI'S FORCES.

Arabia has 25,000 men and 60 [guns at] Tel-el-Kebir. The Seventh native [infan]try have been ordered to Serapeum [from] Suez.

According to authentic information [Arabi] has 25,000 men at Kafr-el-Dwar. [A] number of men are constantly ent[renching] at Tel-el-Kebir, and there is little [doubt] that the big fight of the war wi[ll occur] there.

The prisoners taken at Serapeum o[n Satur]day report that many of the enemy's [wound]ed died during the retreat across the [desert] to Tel-el-Kebir.

There are increased signs that A[rabi is] retiring from Kefr-el-Dwar.

The enemy have thrown up en[trench]ments on the extreme right across th[e ...] toward Lake Aboukir, probably in [conse]quence of the movement of the High[landers] on Sunday which threatened to o[utflank] them.

Al Effendi, the loyal Governor o[f Port] Said, has been appointed provisional [Gover]nor of Ismailia, and proceeded [there on] Thursday in the Khedive's [yacht] "Beserea," which also takes Lord [Charles] Beresford, Morice Bey, Dulier[...] Seoral Bey and three of the Kh[edive's] officers, who immediately proceed[ed to the] front.

At Ismailia, the Egyptians have c[ut the] Fresh water Canal, but the supply o[f water] will suffice for some time.

The British have captured Ruchdi [Pasha,] formerly the Khedive's Minister of F[inance,] and Seulikar Pasha, of the Khedive's [house]hold, who espoused the cause of Arab[i. The] police have arrested 19 Greeks wh[o were] pillaging the Arab quarter.

BRITISH TROOPS MOVING FORWA[RD].

The troops now at Nefisch, with t[he ad]dition of three squadrons of the Ho[usehold] Cavalry, two guns, a detachment o[f Hus]sars and mounted infantry have gone [to] Magfar, on the Freshwater Canal, four miles west of Nefisch, leaving on[e detach]ment there to guard the bridge ov[er the] canal.

Sir Garnet Wolseley intends pushin[g into] the interior at once. A tramway i[s being] rapidly laid between the railway stati[on and] the quay.

The Government schoolmaster arriv[ed at] Port Said from Cairo on the 14th. He [says] that torchlight processions paraded [the streets,] men and boys calling on Allah to send [death] to the English and all Christian dogs. [The] Coptic Archbishop, for fear of his [life, is] doing all demanded of him by Arabi. [The] latter is levying war contributions th[rough]out the country. Every fellah mus[t pay] from 2 to 8 piastres, according to his [pos]sessions, half his cattle and a meas[ure of] wheat.

There has arrived at Port Said from [Sou]dan an Egyptian officer, who says that [he was] deputed by Mehemit Naadi, Govern[or of the] Soudan, to inform the Khedive that [all] all the officers and soldiers unde[r his] command are loyal and will not reco[gnize] Arabi.

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George Coleman was killed by lig[htning] while reading a book under a tree.

A travelling photographer was kill[ed by] lightning in his car at Corinth, Ky.

Mrs Frank Acorn of Dedham, Mass. [was] killed by lightning while at work a[t a] sewing machine.

Lightning struck the rod supporti[ng the] weather vane on the steeple of the [...] church at Colt's Neck and split the st[eeple] open.

At Chautauqua Lake lightning struc[k a] young daughter of James Hamilton, t[earing] her shoes from her feet and burning o[ff her] hair, but not otherwise injuring her.

The tin gutter leading to the cistern [of a] house in Galveston, Texas, conduct[ed a] lightning stroke into the house, whe[re it] killed Mrs. Emily Scheidmandt and two dogs that were lying beside her.

Robert Fleming and William Bird of [...] County, Kansas, were standing on e[ither] side of the driver while riding in a [wagon] during a thunder storm. Lightning k[illed] them both without injuring the d[river] beyond stunning him for a minute.

A load of hay on which Philander Yo[ung,] his son Charles and two grandsons [were] riding at Worcester, Vt., was struck [by] lightning. One of the grandsons, age[d ...] was killed, and all were rendered unco[nsci]ous. Young recovered in time to rescue [the] others from the burning hay. One of [the] horses was also killed.

At Wawayanda, N.Y., lightning st[ruck] the large summer boarding house of C[...] Holbert, throwing the plaster from [the] walls, tearing a great hole in the roof, setting it on fire and splintering the w[ood]work right and left through the midd[le of] the building. The hotel was filled [with] guests, but no one was injured.

Mrs. Charles Huber of Mickapoo, Kan[sas,] held her infant on her lap while her [son,] aged 11, and Katie Rogers, aged 12, s[at on] either side of her. "We are safe here, [mamma,"] said the boy. A bolt of light[ning] struck a large tree in front of the porch [in] which they were and killed the two child[ren,] leaving the mother and infant totally harmless.

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[A Frenc]hman has eloped with his mo[ther-in-la]w because she had the money an[d her da]ughter had none. This is the hard[est way] of earning a living yet discovered.

[A St.] Louis girl 16 years old, pretty as [a pic]ture and having a voice as soft as curran[t jelly,] can split the panel of a common pin[e door] with one blow of her fist. She is no[t engag]ed.

[A c]lergyman having told a poor woma[n that,] on the whole, Providence had treate[d her] pretty well, she agreed to it. "I don['t deny] it," said she, "but I sometimes thin[k He] got even with me on corns."

[Thirt]y years ago a fortune-teller prophe[sied] that a young girl at Fresokill, L. I. [would] die when she was 30 years old. Las[t week,] punctual to the day, she died. Jus[t before] sunrise, her mother and sister spy[ed a] shadow come into the roo[m throu]gh a window and hover over the be[d where] Mrs. Newman lay dying. It remain[ed on]ly a few seconds, after which she wa[s found] to be dead.

[A m]arried woman in Ohio having agree[d with] her husband to give their property t[o an a]dopted daughter, who had grown u[p think]ing she was their own, has, now tha[t her h]usband is dead, told the story in hope[s of ge]tting the whole of his estate. Th[e daugh]ter, however, insists that she sha[ll live] up to the agreement she voluntaril[y made] with her husband, and the case is i[n the c]ourts.

[A li]ttle girl only 12 years old last wee[k jump]ed into the deep water at Bath, Lon[g Islan]d, and clung to a little boy aged [... who] had fallen into the water, until rescu[ers came] and took them both out. The fathe[r of the] rescued boy gave her a gold watc[h and] chain as a token of his gratitude. [There]'s more than one young man who in [future] ears will be glad enough to fall int[o the] water on condition of her jumping i[n after] him.

[Nic]ety of discrimination is one of th[e] requisites to the successful pursuit o[f profes]sional horse-stealing in Arkansas. [When co]nfronted recently by two sheriffs, [one c]overing him with a "bull-dog" revol[ver] and the other with a long rifle-barrell[ed pis]tol, a thief said, "Gentlemen, if you had guns like that" (pointing towar[d the r]evolver), "I'd have given you a tussle[; but I] don't want no truck with them taran[tulas]"—and he thrust his thumb in the di[recti]on of the slender barrelled weapon.

[A] Colorado Sheriff recently caught a young thief, and being pleased with his man[ners] gave him employment on the ranch[e while] under bonds awaiting trial. But i[n less t]han a week the young man fascinated [and ra]n off and married the Sheriff's daugh[ter,] who is only 15 years old. The girl is at home and saw her husband for only [a few] minutes after the marriage. The [Sheriff] has taken steps to have the marriage [annu]lled. He wants to know what tha[t youn]g man won't steal.

[Th]e chief sportsman of Hartwell, Ga. [tell]s us that he practised with a toy rifle [till] he could hit a nail with the little bul[let] every time, and then went frog hunting [in th]e mill pond. Seeing a big specimen [flo]ating on a log, he began firing. O[n the t]wenty-seventh round the game rolled [into] the water, but when taken out it was alive, though terrible swollen. The [frog] had mistaken the bullets for flies, [cau]ght them in his mouth, swallowed every [one] without discovering the error, and been [final]ly carried overboard by the weight of [...]

A Woman and her Balloon.

[Mlle]. Carlotta, aeronaut, who ascended [from] Congress Spring Park, Saratoga, [Wed]nesday afternoon, descended safely. [She] says when the balloon was seen to veer [to th]e north it struck a new current, and [for a] time was whirled around in a vortex, [and] the basket was shaken and twisted in a [fri]ghtful manner. Her barometer showed [that] she was two miles and a half high, and [it w]as so cold that her breath condensed and [froze] as on a January morning. Just after [she b]egan to descend the valve cord broke, [and] she could not control the balloon. It [came] down quite rapidly toward the large [trac]t of woods and she could not control her [land]ing place. She did not dare to throw [out h]er ballast, for fear she could not de[scen]d when she desired. The balloon came [swee]ping down, and bounded along on the [tops] of the trees until finally its cords got [entang]led in the branches, and it was held fast [at th]e top of a tree in the depths of the [...] Baker woods. Fortunately, the at[tent]ion of James Cleveland was attracted [to th]e balloon as it descended, by the great [com]motion among the chickens and turkeys, [and] he set out and found her in her perilous [posi]tion. He was obliged to chop down the [tree] when the balloon and the aeronaut also [came] down with only a few scratches. The [ball]oon, which is sixty-five feet in circum[fere]nce when filled, was borne on Mr. [Clev]eland's shoulders out of the woods, and [Mlle.] Carlotta, with her silken car, reached [Sara]toga by private conveyance about 10 [o'cl]ock in the evening. The distance to the [Bake]r woods is about six miles. This is the [...]tieth ascension that Mlle. Carlotta [has] made, and the sixty-seventh with this [ballo]on.

A Strange Phenomenon.

[Mack]erel fishermen returning from the [east]ern coast describe a strange phenomenon [whi]ch they do not pretend to explain. They [say] beginning at a point off Monhegan, [and] extending north-east for sixty-five [or tw]enty miles, the blue water is sharply [...] whitish stream some thirty miles in [...]. The line of demarkation is perfect[ly dis]tinct and extends downward like a [wall] as far as the eye can penetrate. Mack[erel s]wimming into the white water are [greatl]y affected by the change, and dis[play in th]eir movements great activity and [...]. Capt. Stephen J. Martin, a [veteran] fisherman and an employe of the [Un]ited States fish commission, remembers [tha]t in [18]49, in the same region, the ocean [pre]sented a similar appearance, and that the [phe]nomenon was repeated in 1851 on the [north]eastern part of George's bank.

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...ness of discrimination is one of the ... uisites to the successful pursuit of ... onal horse-stealing in Arkansas. ... onfronted recently by two sheriffs, ... ering him with a "bull-dog" revol... d the other with a long rifle-barrell... l, a thief said, "Gentlemen, if you ... d guns like that" (pointing toward ... olver), "I'd have given you a tussle; ... n't want no truck with them taran..."—amd he thrust his thumb in the di... of the slender barrelled weapon.

...lorado Sheriff recently caught a young ... hief, and being pleased with his man... ve him employment on the ranche ... nder bonds awaiting trial. But in ... n a week the young man fascinated, ... off and married the Sheriff's daugh... o is only 15 years old. The girl is ... home and saw her husband for only ... minutes after the marriage. The ... has taken steps to have the marriage ... d. He wants to know what that ... man won't steal.

...chief sportsman of Hartwell, Ga., ... that he practised with a toy rifle ... e could hit a nail with the little bul... y time, and then went frog hunting ... mill pond. Seeing a big specimen ... ting on a log, he began firing. On ... nty-seventh round the game rolled ... e water, but when taken out it was ... alive, though terrible swollen. The ... ad mistaken the bullets for flies, ... them in his mouth, swallowed every ... hout discovering the error, and been ... carried overboard by the weight of ...

A Woman and her Balloon.

...Carlotta, aeronaut, who ascended ... Congress Spring Park, Saratoga. ... sday afternoon, descended safely. ... s when the balloon was seen to veer ... north it struck a new current, and ... ime was whirled around in a vortex, ... e basket was shaken and twisted in a ... l manner. Her barometer showed ... e was two miles and a half high, and ... so cold that her breath condensed and ... d as on a January morning. Just after ... an to descend the valve cord broke, ... e could not control the balloon. It ... own quite rapidly toward the large ... f woods and she could not control her ... g place. She did not dare to throw ... r ballast, for fear she could not de... when she desired. The balloon came ... ng down, and bounded along on the ... the trees until finally its cords got ... l in the branches, and it was held fast ... top of a tree in the depths of the ... Baker woods. Fortunately, the at... n of James Cleveland was attracted ... balloon as it descended, by the great ... otion among the chickens and turkeys, ... set out and found her in her perilous ... n. He was obliged to chop down the ... hen the balloon and the aeronaut also ... own with only a few scratches. The ... which is sixty-five feet in circum... when filled, was borne on Mr. ... nd's shoulders out of the woods, and ... Carlotta, with her silken car, reached ... ga by private conveyance about 10 ... in the evening. The distance to the ... woods is about six miles. This is the ... th ascension that Mlle. Carlotta ... ds, and the sixty-seventh with this ... n.

A Strange Phenomenon.

...kerel fishermen returning from the ... coast describe a strange phenomenon ... they do not pretend to explain. They ... at beginning at a point off Monhegan, ... nd extending north-east for sixty-five ... nty miles, the blue water is sharply ... a whitish stream some thirty miles in ... The line of demarkation is perfect... inct and extends downward like a ... far as the eye can penetrate. Mack... imming into the white water are ... rly affected by the change, and dis... their movements great activity and ... ess. Capt. Stephen J. Martin, a ... fisherman and an employe of the ... States fish commission, remembers ... 1849, in the same region, the ocean ... ed a similar appearance, and that the ... enon was repeated in 1851 on the ... stern part of George's bank.

ROUGET DE LISLE.

Some Facts About the Author of the Hymn of the "Marseillaise."

M. de Freycinet unveiled the statue of Rouget de l'Isle recently at Choisy-le-Roi. While the guests were waiting for this some of the visitors went to the house where Rouget de l'Isle passed the last few years of his life. People are still alive who remember him, weary and taciturn, crawling painfully along as he tried to aid digestion by a walk after breakfasting off bread and cheese at the cost of his friend M. Voiart or after dining with Gen. Blein. Half a century ago no one could have recognized, in the gray-haired, wrinkled old man, the brilliant young officer who stands brandishing his sword on high with his left hand clasped on his heart singing "Aux arms, citoyens," on the market-place of Choisy-le-Roi. Among the persons invited by the municipality was M. Amedee Rouget de l'Isle, the nephew of the hero of the day, and bearing a striking resemblance to his uncle, if one may judge from the portraits of the time. The nephew looked round at the declarations and at the manifestation, which was more political than personal, and explained, with all the authority of one who has written from authentic documents the life and memoirs of the author of the "Marseillaise," that his uncle was not a republican, and that his family were royalists, who had given their support to the cause of constitutional monarchy. When Rouget de l'Isle wrote his famous poem, which has been adopted as the national anthem by the republic, it was modestly entitled the "Chant de Guerre," and composed for the army of the Rhine.

A number of anecdotes were related about the life and habits of the little old man whose Alsatian costume and poverty covered the auther of the song which has become the war cry of the revolution, and which sounded in the ears of the old aristocracy as they marched proudly and disdainfully to the scaffold. The secret of his long and lonely life has been told. It is said that he was very fond of fireworks, and was a clever pyrotechnist. He was paying his attentions to a young lady at Courbevoie, and one Sunday when he was invited to dine by the parents of his intended he took some fireworks with him and promised to let them off in the morning. Before he left he kept his promise, and the young lady with her parents, repaired to the garden. The stick of one of the rockets fell so unfortunately that the young girl was mortally wounded, and died within a few days, to the inexpressible grief of her lover. He remained faithful of her memory, and is said never again to have smiled on a woman. The garret where Rouget de l'Isle died is still to be seen, and when the owner of the house tells those who call on him the story of the man whom Choisy-le-Roi delighted to honor, it was impossible not to remember the anecdote told by M. de la Ferriere. One day Brig. Gen. Rouget de L'Isle was talking to Mme. Dolouriere and one of the ladies of honor to Queen Marie Amele at Lyons. The ladies, who had heard of the manner in which the general had struggled to obtain promotion, were surprised to learn that the so'dier was about to be placed on the half-pay list with out the brevet rank which would increase the pension to which he was already entitled. They asked him how he could account for having been forgotten by the restoration and Louis Philippe. "Oh, family affairs, ladies! family affairs!" said the general. He was pressed for a further explanation, and then said that the small amount of interest he had hoped to have commanded had been taken from him by the conduct and notoriety of one of his nieces, a daughter of his brother. "What niece?" asked the ladies, anxious to know her name. "The Marseillaise!" replied the general, who was at once understood, for the hymn of Rouget de l'Isle will even in France be associated with the hideous scenes enacted on the Place de la Revolution and with the horrors committed in the provinces by the butchers and iconoclasts; who sang it as they violated God's altar and slew his priests.—*Paris Letter to the London Globe.*

Why she Talked to the Fly Screen Man.

She knew he was the fly screen man by the samples under his arm, but she held the door open and permitted him to say:

"Madam, I notice that you haven't a fly screen at any door or window."

"Not a one," she answered.

"You must be overrun with flies?"

"We are."

"Flies are a terrible nuisance?"

"Yes, indeed."

"And this seems to be a good locality for mosquitoes?"

"Oh, yes, sir."

"I presume they bother you nights?"

"Very much."

"And a great deal of dust blows into a house not protected by screens?"

"A great deal, sir."

"And how many windows have you in the house?"

"Sixteen."

"Each one ought to have a half size."

"Yes, sir."

"And I can make them cheaper for you than any other man in the business."

"I think you can."

"Do you prefer plain green or figured?"

"Well, I always did like plain green."

"Very well; I will measure the windows and take your order."

"You needn't trouble yourself any further," she quietly replied.

"What! Don't you want screens."

"No, sir. The other day the woman across the street had ten minutes' conversation with a tin peddler, and she's had her nose in the air over me ever since. A fly-screen man is about three times as high as a potato man, and I've been talking with you to let her see that she isn't the only lady in town who can put on airs. She's mad as a hen by this time, and now you get up and dust or I'll have my dog run you clear to the river.—*Detroit Free Press.*

Montreal has had another sensation in the shape of an action for defamation of character brought by a notorious courtesan against one of the city journals. As the proprietors of the paper in question are prepared to justify their statements and are about to subpoena witnesses, a general stampede of high-toned frequenters of the plaintiff's house has taken place.

MANAGEMENT OF CATTLE.

Prof. Brown's Experiment at the Guelph Model Farm.

[From the Advance Report of the Experimental Department Ontario Agricultural College.]

Any branch of science that is intimately related to the more prominent necessaries of human life must be the most interesting of all sciences. The beauties of study in astronomy and geology cannot, for example, compare in intrinsic value with animal physiology and chemistry as taught through the upbuilding of a fattening steer and of a bushel of wheat; yet the discoverer of a planet or of a new compound secures the world's applause, as against the producer of improved food for man. That this will always be so is not evident, because, as the world becomes more practical, it will also become more honest in the distribution of favours that bear upon the every-day comforts of its people.

THE PURPOSE OF CATTLE FATTENING

is to obtain the largest quantity of the best quality of beef, at the least cost, under three years of age.

To aim at breeding, raising and fattening one cattle beast from every ten cultivated acres of the province.

To grow all the food required for these purposes within ourselves.

The animals to weigh alive not less than 1,500 pounds each.

The net cost of production, giving credit for manure, not to exceed five cents per pound, live weight.

To obtain one ton of manure per month from each cattle beast over two years old, when stabled to finish the fattening process.

The value of such manure, under the best management, to be made worth $2.50 per ton.

THE ANIMAL IN CATTLE FATTENING.

In any case it is desirable to have:

Purity of sire;

A certain age and sex;

A quiet disposition;

Quality, as indicated by fine head and ears, fine bone, horn, tail, and a medium thick skin, having plenty of fine, soft, silky hair, with mellowness;

A weight-carrying frame;

Such a breed will mature, or pre-mature, from two to three years of age;

Having the character of doing best upon Ontario pastures;

Giving the best quality of flesh, with least offal;

Sure breeders and good nurses;

The Shorthorn grade is best for weight, early maturity, and stall-feeding;

The Hereford grade is best for hardiness and grazing disposition;

The Aberdeen Poll grade is best for an even average of all requirements;

The Galloway grade is best for extreme hardiness and quality of flesh;

The Devon grade is best for good nursing and sure breeding.

THE FOOD OF FATTENING CATTLE.

Its use is to:—

Keep up animal heat, or life;

Repair the waste;

Increase growth;

Produce flesh and fat.

Its value is affected by:—

The particular breed;

Age of the animal;

Individual character;

Conditions of life, such as temperature;

Management.

In growing our own cattle food, the first question should be, How much beef can we get per acre? the second, How much manure are we able to return?

The amount of increase that may be calculated upon as the produce of certain quantities and kinds of food depends upon paragraphs eight to thirty.

Chemically, we can calculate upon getting one pound of flesh from any food that has ten parts of dry substances in its composition; thus, 100 pounds of Swede turnip, having as much as ninety parts of water, will only give the pound of flesh, while 100 pounds of corn, having only thirteen parts of water, will give ten pounds of flesh.

Practically, foods give results according to their chemical analysis, when combined, or mixed, to suit the particular animal system.

For example, a mixture of corn, peas and oats will give better results than corn alone, although seven per cent. lower in nutritive properties.

Never forget the difference between "life" food and "fattening" food; starch and sugar keep up heat and life, and unless they are supplied along with fats and oils the fattening process will be slower, because heat and life would have to be supplied from the fats and oils; if given in excess starch and sugar will produce fat on animals.

A young animal, building its bone and muscle, requires different kinds and quantities of food from the more mature one. Hay, straw and other fodders are best for the immature animal; they are also heat and fat makers, and would fatten alone, though slowly.

Rapid growth and much fat are opposed to each other; so, to grow carcase and also fatten early, requires bone-forming and fat-forming materials—they must go together.

A maturing animal—cattle two to three years old—having built the most of its frame, requires less fodders and more flesh and fat-formers. Grain in many forms is therefore best for finishing fattening cattle.

From birth to the time a cattle beast is ripe, the daily rate of increase on an average should not be less than one and one-half pounds—thus, a three-year old should weigh 1,600 pounds; a two and one-half-year-old, 1,360; and a two-year-old 1,100 pounds alive.

But, in fact, the daily rate of increase is more up to two years than at any time afterwards. A two-year-old, well done to, will weigh 1,400, and if carried on to three years will not scale less than 1,800 pounds. This may be called *pre-maturing.*

Very much, then, of the success of obtaining big weights in a short time lies in a knowledge of individual character and the proper proportions and kinds of food.

The best kind of permanent pasture—a mixture of certain grasses and clovers—under favourable conditions, will give a greater daily increase than any other form of food.

A two-year-old cattle beast put to such pasture on May 15, when it weighs 1,100 pounds, will stand 1,400 on Oct. 1 following. The addition of grain under such circumstances does not add correspondingly to weight, though it does so on comparatively poor pasture.

Proper shelter and water on pasture means forty per cent. of the increase.

Where no first-class pasture at pasture is kept, it is desirable to provide for short commons by having a regular supply of green fodders; feed these either upon the fields or by "soiling."

Soiling fattening cattle in Ontario implies the production of one animal per acre, in place of three acres of ordinary pasture maintaining one; the principal soiling crops are corn, lucerne, red clover, tares and oats, rye and rape.

When it is desired to prepare for exhibitions or for extra condition at Christmas, soiling, in a loose box, all summer, in addition to grain, cannot be surpassed by any other form of feeding.

Straw cut and slightly fermented is one-fourth more valuable for fattening.

Green oat straw and pea straw together are about equal in value to hay.

Thirty-five pounds swede turnips, six pounds clover hay, and 2½ pounds oil cake will produce one pound of beef.

One ton of fermented cut straw and two hundred pounds oil cake is equal to one ton of hay.

Six pounds hay, one pound bran, twenty pounds turnips and five pounds corn meal will add one pound to the weight of a good two-year old steer.

Six pounds hay, one pound bran, twenty pounds turnips and six pounds pea meal will do the same thing.

The like quantities of hay, bran, turnips, and 7½ pounds crushed oats, will do the same thing.

Corn, peas, oats and barley will pay to fatten cattle, when not over one cent. per pound in the market.

Barley meal gives a fine finish and sleek, mellow handling.

In soiling, green fodder is safer when cut and mixed with cut straw or hay, allowed to slightly ferment and sprinkled with meal.

It is still an unsettled question whether cooked food or raw food is best for cattle fattening.

All animals fatten cheaper and faster on prepared raw food, as against whole or uncut hay and roots.

Every animal that chews the cud must have bulk; it is not enough to give sufficient nutritive value in small quantities; the stomach must be filled to give material for ruminating.

Most foods are better in combination than alone.

Combine so as to have little or no waste.

Fat-producing and flesh-producing food together will give sixty per cent. more increase than when given singly.

For young cattle give one of flesh to eight of heat producing substances, and to older ones give one to six.

Most food of young cattle goes to make-up bone and muscle, leaving third-class manure.

Most food of half-grown animals goes to make flesh, leaving second-class manure.

Most food of mature animals goes to make fat and support life, the excess becoming first-class manure.

Exclusive of water chemically, animals coming to maturity will eat about one-fiftieth of their own weight per day.

THE MANAGEMENT OF FATTENING CATTLE.

Most animals eat in proportion to their weight, under average conditions of age, temperature and fatness.

All animals increase in weight in proportion to the quantity and character of the food consumed, if fed exactly according to breed, size and condition of surroundings.

Give fattening cattle as much as they will eat, and often—five times a day.

Never give rapid changes of food, but change often.

A good guide for the safe quantity of grain per day to maturing cattle is one pound to every hundred of their weight; thus, an animal weighing 1,000 may receive ten pounds of grain.

Early stall feeding in the fall will make the winter's progress more certain by thirty per cent.

Give as much water and salt at all times as they will take.

In using roots, it is one guide to give just so much, in association with other things, so that the animal will not take any water.

In building, have warmth with complete ventilation, without currents, never under 40°, nor over 70° Fah.

A cold, damp, airy temperature causes animals to consume more food without corresponding results in bone, muscle, flesh or fat, much being used as fuel to keep up warmth.

Stall-feeding is better for fat-making than box or yard management, irrespective of health.

The growing animal, intended for beef, requires a little exercise daily to promote muscle and strength of constitution; when ripe, only so much as to be able to walk to market.

Currying daily is equal to seven per cent. of the increase.

Keep the temperature of the body about 100°, not under 95°, nor over 105° Fah.

Don't forget that one animal's meat may be another animal's poison.

It takes three days' good food to make up for one bad one.

The faster the fattening, the more the profits; less food, earlier returns, and better flesh.

Get rid of every fattening cattle beast before it is three years old.

Every day an animal is kept, after being prime, there is loss exclusive of manure.

The external evidences of primeness are full rumps, flanks, twist, pulse, shoulder vein and eye.

A good cattle man means a difference of one-fourth. He should know the likes and dislikes of every animal.

It pays to keep one man in constant attendance on thirty head of fattening cattle.

Immediately an animal begins to fret for food, immediately it begins to lose flesh; never check the fattening process.

Never begin fattening without a definite plan.

A steady, frosty winter is better than an open one for cattle fattening in Ontario.

There is no loss in feeding a cattle beast well for the sake of the manure alone.

No cattle beast whatever will pay for the direct increase to its weight from the consumption of any kind or quality of food—the manure must be properly valued.

On an average it costs, on charging every possible item, twelve cents for every additional pound added to the weight of a two or three-year-old fattening cattle beast.

In this country the market value of store cattle can be increased thirty-six per cent. during six months of the fattening finish.

In order to secure a sure profit, no store cattle beast, of the right stamp and well done to, can be sold at less than 4½ cents per pound, live weight.

In the finishing of a two-year-old for beef, during the last six months of winter its financial history consists of three things of nearly proportionate values:—

(1) Value of animal, previous to entry for finishing, 1,200 pounds at 5 cents....	$ 60 00
(2) Cost (not value) of food for six months	35 00
	$ 95 00
(3) Total value of fattened cattle, 1,500 lbs. at 7 cents	$105 00
Cash profit..................	10 00
(4) Value of manure produced..........	30 00
Total profit........................	$ 40 00

During winter feed thus for finishing:—

First month—Common turnips, 40 pounds; straw, cut, 7 pounds; hay, cut, 5 pounds; oats, crushed, 5 pounds.

Second and third months—Swede turnips, 40 lbs; hay, cut, 7 pounds; straw, cut, 3 pounds; corn, 8 pounds; bran, 2 pounds.

Fourth and fifth months—Swedes and mangels, 50 pounds; hay, 10 pounds; corn and peas, 10 pounds; bran, 3 pounds.

Sixth month—Mangels and swedes, 50 pounds; hay, 12 pounds; corn, peas and oats, 12 pounds; bran, 3 pounds; oil cake, 3 pounds.

A Woman on Woman.

Upon the whole, it is a dreadful bother to be a woman, and to do the business up in good shape.

In the first place, you've got to look well, or else you're nobody. A man may be homely, and still popular. Whiskers cover up most of his face, and if he has a large mouth nobody mistrusts it; and if he has wrinkles, bad on his forhead, his friends speak of his many cares, and of his thoughtful disposition, and tell each other that his wrinkles are lines of thought. Lines of thought, indeed! when in all probability his forehead is wrinkled by the habit he has of scowling at his wife when the coffee isn't strong enough.

A woman must always be in good order throughout. Her hair must be frizzed and banged as fashion demands, and she must powder if she has a shining skin; and she must manage to look sweet, no matter how sour she may feel; and she must hang just so, and her laces must be always spotless, and her boot buttons must be all in place, and her finger-nails clean, and she mustn't whistle nor climb fences, nor stone cats, nor swear when she's mad.

She can't go out alone, because she must be protected. She can't go anywhere when it rains, because her hair won't stay crimped, and she'll get mud on her petticoats and things. She can't be a Free Mason, because she would tell their secrets and everybody would know about that goat and that gridiron. She can't smoke, because it wouldn't be feminine. She can't go courting, because it is unwomanly. But she must get married before 30, or everybody will feel wronged. People will sigh over her and wonder why it is that the men "don't seem to take," and all the old maids and widows will smile significantly—and keep quiet.

It is everybody's business who a woman marries. The whole neighborhood put their heads together and talk over the pros and cons and decide whether she is good enough for him. And they criticise the shape of her nose and the way she does up her hair, and relate how lazy her grandfather was and how her Aunt Sally sold beans and buttermilk.

A woman must wear No. 2 boots on No. 3 feet, and she must manage to dress well on seventy-five cents a week; she mustn't be vain and she must be kind to the poor, and go regularly to the sewing society meetings, and be ready to dress dolls, make aprons and tidies for church fairs.

She must always have the masculine buttons in the family sewed on so that they never will come off while in use, and she must keep the family hosiery so that everybody would mistrust that there were toes inside of the stockings when they are on.

She must hold herself in continual readiness to find everything her husband has lost—and a man never knows where anything is. He will put his boots away on the parlor sofa, and when he has hunted for them half an hour he will appear to his wife with a countenance like that of an avenging angel and demand to know "What she has done with his boots?"

She must shut all the doors after her lord and master, and likewise the bureau drawers, for a married man was never known to shut a drawer. It would be as unnatural as for a hen to go in swimming for recreation.

Ah, there are a good many tricks in the trade of what is called "living together!"

A woman is expected to take care of the baby even after the first infantile wonder multiplies into a round dozen. And if he doubles up with the colic, or the trials of cutting teeth, necessary evils of the mumps and measles, and scarlet fever and rash, and throat distemper, and short sleeves and bare legs, and pins sticking into him, and too much candy, and a bad temper, why, her husband tells her that "he does wish she'd try to quiet her baby." And he says it just as if he fully believed that she alone was responsible for its existence; and as if he thought she was considerably to blame for it, too.

We might go on indefinitely with the troubles being a woman brings; and if there is a man in the world who thinks a woman has an easy time of it, why just let him pin a pound of false hair to his head, and get inside a new pair of corsets and put on a pull-back overskirt, and be a woman himself, and see how he likes it.

The gigantic oak on Mount Vernon known as "Washington's Oak," was destroyed by lightning the other day. The tree had many historic associations, and Washington's favorite resting place after the heat and labors of the day was beneath its shade.

THURSDAY, AUG. 31.

THE STANDARD.

The Flesherton Advance whines that it had not received the minutes of Osprey council for last week's issue. The editor knows very well what the understanding is between the Osprey clerk, and four district newspapers, each of which was to receive the minutes in turn, and send early proof copies to the rest, so that the minutes could appear simultaneously in all four papers. Nothing could be more fair to the papers concerned, or to the ratepayers of Osprey than this arrangement. It worked well till the Flesherton Advance man got hold of the copy, when the proof arrived either the same day or a day *after* the arrival of the Advance containing the minutes. We received the August minutes Thursday noon, but would not take any advantage by publishing them. We posted the Osprey minutes to the three papers concerned on Saturday.

That side-walk promised to station has not been built yet. Probably the village police have been too busily engaged looking after the back yards.

Why not levy a rate and finish the side-walks?

When will the inspector or pathmaster look after the cutting of the Canadian thistles on some of the village lots? When the'ye done seeding.

It will soon be necessary to appoint a police magistrate here.

Too many young people congregate upon the steps of the churches, pass remarks on the people as they enter; converting the church entrances into bummers roosts.

The army worm has settled in this section of country. This is a terrible scourge, and the only cure is to cut off the branches and burn them together with the net-work, eggs, insects, &c.

Many of those who went to Manitoba to become millionaires have returned. Chickens always come home to roost.

A train of 5 or 6 cars containing the Owen Sound Methodist and Presbyterian Sabbath Schools rolled into this village last Friday morning. The picniceers wandered about, and seemed to forget what they came for. They had no picnic worth mentioning, and where the pleasure came in we failed to see. It takes Markdale people to get up a picnic.

Some of the Owen Sound picnicers seemed to have expected to find a lake Superior at Markdale.

Numbers of the visitors from Owen Sound last Friday spent the greater part of the hot day in the heated cars on the siding. This was an Owen Sounders idea of pleasure!

The Methodist Sunday School has in course of preparation a sacred cantata, "Under the Palm," a performance of which is expected in October. Mr Bowes will wield the baton.

Mr Wm. Lakins, Mulmer Tp, has a cherry tree which bears fruit thrice a year.

Rev. N. McDiarmid has been off for a week's holiday.

Who runs the police trusteeship of Markdale?

The next time the police get a lawyer to defend their cases, it would be well to have one who has some little respect for a minister of the gospel.

When did the police trustees hold a meeting? Ratepayers wish to see minutes of their recorded proceedings. Some people say no meeting has yet been held.

The police inspector is alone in the responsibility of his inspection tour, the issning of the summonses, the engaging of a lawyer to add insult to injury; be had no authority from the other trustees.

The question arises, Who'll have to pay the piper?

Mr Chisholm has been driven from his Meaford elevator scheme by the Meaford blockheads; there is some probability that Thornbury will benefit at Meaford's expense.

Some of the Thornbury people went for a vachting trip the other evening. Report says they took abundance of refreshments, and they lost their way.

Extensive preparations are being made to re-build the elevators, and the erection and completion is being proceeded with speedily, in order to be prepared for the fall trade.

Don't drag on a miserable existence when you can get the Standard for $1 per annum.

Eugenia.

On the evening of the 22nd, after we were comfortably roosted, and were ruminating on what items of news we were to send you, lo. a great noise disturbed our cogitations. It was what sailors call 'muggy,' just such a night as Tam O'Shanter was out in, when a

Chiel might easily understan',
The Deil had business on his han'.

About 10 o'clock we heard the report of a gun, and thought that some poor dog had got more within him than he bargained for, still bang, bang, bang, went the cannons, followed by some unearthly sounds as if Arabis Bedouin troops had retreated hither.

We believe Eugenia can stump the country round for a genuine *Charivari*.

Mr Heron of the Eugenia House is doing all he says in his advertisement for the comfort and convenience of visitors. In the course of time Eugenia will profit by this enterprise. People would go oftener to Eugenia if they knew how well the bodily wants of man and beast could be attended to at this hostelry.

LOCAL DITTIES.

"It's where, and it's where are my little dollars gone?"—*John Reid.*

"Markdale expects that every man will do his duty."—*Elliott.*

"It makes a man look such a fool."—*Lawyer Reid.*

"'Not guilty,' but don't do it again."—*Chorus of Magistrates.*

"Oh, dismiss us with thy blessing.—*Defendants.*

"I'll ask th'attorney and let you know next We'n'sday afternoon,—*Judge Elliot*

"I really know nothing at all."—*Police Inspector.*

"An *alibi*, Sammy, there's nothin gets yer hoff likes an *alibi*."—*McFarland.*

"The father of the village, Sir, am I."—*Armstrong.*

"Myself will see the Act.—*Corcoran.*

"Jogging along together my boys,
My 10-ft. pole and I,"—*Reid.*

"I'll define to you the smell,
For as near as I can tell,
It was just seven-eighths, and one, and half-a-quarter."—*Plaintiff.*

"You should look it up in Dickson's Johnson-a-ry."—*Henry.*

"Alas, alas, we'll never look upon the like again."—*General Public.*

"Oh, what a day we're having."—*Auditory.*

"Therein I would not care to sleep."—*Mullarky.*

These songs to be had only from the authors, post-free, 00 cents.

Wheat Buyers' Scale.

At a recent meeting of millers in Toronto the following buying scale was adopted:

Wheat 60 lb to Bushel	Market Price.
59	1 cent less
58	2
57	3
56	5
55	8
54	11
53	15
52	20
51	25
50	32
61	1 cent over.
62	2
63	3

Get Kendall's Horse Book, and learn something you do not know about your Horse. 15 cents.

Osprey.

The Eighth Meeting of the Osprey Council was held at Singhampton on the 15th inst.

Members all present. Last minutes adopted.

Communications from county treasurer re lots 1, 2, con. 10; co. clerk, co. rates, 1882; clerks of Melancthon and Nottawasaga respecting work on townlines; C. W. Rutledge a/c $3.00; R. Little re pt. lot 10 in 7; trustees S.S. 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, & 10, estimates and requisitions for school moneys; and from 31 overseers of highways, statute labour returns, 41 still unreturned.

The following motions were carried: That C. W. Rutledge's a/c $3.00 be paid.

That $10 be granted (equivalent to Collingwood grant) to repair town-line at lots 26 27, 28. Commissioner of No. 4 to attend to the work.

That clerk write re error in enumerating children in municipality.

That $5 be granted N. McIntyre for building a culvert div. 5.

That R. & B. committee get $2 00 each for their services.

By-law 209 to assess and levy rates, and by-law 210 appointing collector were passed. Rate, exclusive of special school rate 8 mills. Collector, Wm. Sugitt.

That J. Banseir get $20 for work on town line, at Singhampton.

That J. McPherson be appointed guardian of Annabella McDougall, J. Giles resigned.

That J. Spence get $5 for repairing bridge on sideroad 25.

Council adjourned till Oct. 13.

This is the best local paper in Grey. Try it to the end of the year. Post free 40 cents.

FALL EXHIBITIONS.

TORONTO.—Sept. 5 to 26.
PROVINCIAL.—Kingston, Sep. 18 to 26th.
S. GREY.—Durham, Sep. 26 & 27.
E. GREY.—Flesherton, Sep. 28th & 29th.
GLENELG.—Markdale, Sept. 27th.
EGREMONT.—Holstein, Oct. 4.
PROTON.—Dundalk. Oct. 5.
MELANCTHON,—Shelburne, Oct. 3, and 4.
HOLLAND.—Chatsworth, Oct. 10.

Correspondence.

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

To the Editor of the Standard.

The "Advance" SEEKS to run Osprey Council.

Sir,—This is the answer to the Advance's question as to who runs the Osprey Council.

Someone skilled in physic ought to give th Advance a soothing dose, or it will be in danger of bilious fever now that the warm weather, and green apples are upon us.

Ever since the Advance was passed over in the Osprey printing contract, it has lost no opportunity of slandering the clerk, whom by insinuation it accused of receiving bribes from Mr Rutherford. This I denied, and again repeat the denial. Mr Rutherford has not directly or indirectly offered or promised me any commission whatever, nor have I ever received any.

The Advance of the 17th waxeth wroth, and threatens dire vengeance. Because the notice of posting the Voters' List was not sent to the Advance, it states that this disfranchises every voter in Osprey. What nonsense! Further it states that "the statutes compel him (the clerk) to send the notice to us, (the Advance)." This is false. The statutes neither compels nor directs me so to do. I might have sent it to Owen Sound or Thornbury, &c. The intention of the Act is to let voters know when the List is first posted up, and I maintain that I took the best means of doing so.

The Advance neglects to quote the section which provides that "the performance by the clerk of the duties required of him shall be DIRECTORY ONLY, and the non-performance by him of said duties, shall not render null and void or inoperative any of the Lists in this Act mentioned."

This is an important notice, and should it fail to appear in the issue immediately following the first posting, Osprey would be disfranchised, (according to the Advance logic) Now the Advance is not always punctual in the performance of its work. The Council of a Municipality "next" to Osprey ordered its clerk to get schedules printed at Advance office, and the result was that the pathmasters "next" to Osprey got their lists on foolscap ruled and written by the clerk!

Fancy a Clerk having to work night and day writing 100 or more Road Lists through the Advance's delay!

If the Advance ordered a new coat, and on opening the parcel found only the lining, and part of that old and borrowed, would he call that a new coat? No more is the Advance, published in municipalty next to Osprey, but only the lining, and pieces of that old and borrowed.

Why does the Advance use such expressions as "sweep," "nice man!" wily clerk." &c. Partly because the Council passed it by in awarding the printing contract. Let it shew when or where I trreated the council, individually or collectively, with contempt; or meddle with the Advance establishment till I was slanderously attacked.

In its issue of the 24th it asks, 'How does it happen that the STANDARD gets Osprey minutes to publish and we do not? Is this another dodge of the wily Clerk? We pause for reply?"

This statement is false. I offered to send minutes in rotation to Standard, Review, Advance and Messenger; the paper receiving to send proof sheets to the others, so that all might publish at the same time. On the 5h June the minutes for 31st May and Court of Revision were in Flesherton Post Office for Advance. How is it the minutes were so long in appearing in Advance? and how was it the others were unable to publish till the following week? Why does Advance seek to create discord in Osprey by introducing politics into the municipal contest? I pause for a reply.

The Advance lets the real secret of its temper peep out. "The Clerk is a Grit!" Oh, horrible crime! And "of the first water!" Worse!! And without leave of the Advance. Crime of crimes!!

CLERK OF OSPREY.

Aug. 28, 1882.

Mr. Creighton, of the O. S. Times, and Mr. Little of the Advertiser have both joined the press association excursion to Manitoba, Mr. Rutherford is away at the Saulte. Owen Sound just now must be quite a literary desert.

Mr. Samuel McCullough, Dundalk, has advertised for tenders for the erection of a large brick hotel in that place, to be completed by the 15th of December next.

CHATSWORTH.

Mr Chas. E. Matthews, speaks of building a skating rink. Desirable acquisition.

Some of our young men are away on a fishing trip at Wiarton.

Five years ago Mr R. Shaw, lot 9, con. 7, Holland sowed two heads silver chaff wheat, now he has ninety bushels.

Mr Allan Morrow, has purchased Hopkin's hotel site for $1000. He has commenced preparations for building brick hotel.

Not so much ground is being prepared for fall wheat this season as last year.

Crops all saved, spring wheat harvest commenced.

The agitation for fire engine seems to have died out.

MEAFORD ROAD,

Splendid harvest weather.

Mr Jas. Sparling, Eclipse sawmill has secured contract for 50,000 feet of lumber for McFarland's elevator. This speaks well for our enterprising mill man. It has all to be got from the forest yet, as he has no suitable stuff in stock.

Threshing operations have already commenced.

The late rains have so improved the pastures and root crops that the loss on barley will be nil.

Mr Wm. Bowler is getting a new threshing machine.

Gilbert Bros. are doing good work.

Mr Thibaudeau has been round, buying largely and paying good prices.

SEEING IS BELIEVING.

GENTLEMEN,—
If you want a first-class
Buggie or Wagon
call at
MCKENNA & MASON'S
CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.
They can supply you with anything from a
Lumber Wagon
up to
Extension Top Phæton.

To buy from them is to
SAVE MONEY!

They are both practical workmen, and employ none but
PRACTICAL WORKMEN

They guarantee their work
Second to none for Lightness of Draught and Superiority of Finish.

They use nothing but First-class White Oak for Wagons, and thrice Extra Second Growth Hickory for light work.
The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.
THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST IN THE END
Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriage Work.

Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) in
HORSESHOEING
SHOP—On Mill Street opposite to Sproule's Hotel.
McKENNA & MASON.

NEW STOCK

The subscriber has just purchased a New Stock of
Liquors,
Of the best brands. Liquor in its purity is a benefit to the invalid; but the curse of Alcohol consists in its adulteration. I have now on hand a quality of
Wine,
Rum,
Brandy &
Whisky
Which cannot be equalled in Markdale.

My Rum cannot be excelled this side Toronto

Those wishing a pure Wine for Communion Service will please give me a call.

Teas Coffees,
Sugars, Raisins,
Currants, &c.,
PORK,
And every other article in the grocery line kept constantly on hand, and of the freshest variety and best brands.
WILSON BENSON,
Markdale, May 24th, 1882.

Durham.

Quite a severe rain and hail visited us on Monday week, as big as beans.

About 150 went to Niagara. Pronounced it good.

Fall exhibition Sep. 26 & 27.

Knox church brickwork comp... when finished will be one of the... in the county.

J. H. Hunter, M.P.P. buildin... storehouse.

Write again. Address.

R. M. Hero[n]
Having started the
Eugenia Hous[e]
Hope to secure a share of public patr...

The Eugenia House being close t...
The Falls
Offers great attractions to those who ar... of SCENERY, as well as to those... delight in
ANGLING.
As the river both above and below th... abounds with SPECKLED TROU[T]

M. E. HERON can safely ... the public that he is determined ... his utmost to please and accomm... all comers.
The board and accommod... shall be of the best, and ... supplied with the very best bra... LIQUORS, having resolved th... Bar shall be properly attended.
Good Stablin[g]

Moffat Bros
MARKDALE
Foundry
—AND—
MACHINE WORKS
MANUFACTURERS OF
MILL MACHINER[Y]
Steam Engine[s]
Soafting, Hange[rs]
PULLEYS, &c.
PLOWS
And Plow Points

MACHINERY REPAIR[ED]
Done in a practical manner.

We also introduce our new
FAMILY MANGLE
to the public. This new machine will ma... Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, g... them a beautiful smooth and glossy app... ance. It also improves the clothes, wh... hot irons injure them. We will also m... facture
CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLET[S]
with or without marble slab for name, ... also Tomb Railings, Pall Pillars and O... mental Cast Iron Chains for same, also ... kinds of Ballaster Railings, House Fencin[g] plain and ornamental, Machinery B... Castings of every description, Brass B... large or small.
MOFFAT BROS.

JOHN NOBL[E]
MARKDALE.
GENER'L BLACKSMIT[H]
HORSESHOEIN[G]
A SPECIALTY.

A CARD.
To all who are suffering from the err... and indiscretions of youth, nervous we... ness, early decay, loss of manhood, &... will send a receipe that will cure you, FR[EE] OF CHARGE. This great Remedy was ... covered by a missionary in South Amer... Send a self-addressed envelope to ... JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New ... City.

Miss Wray is visiting ... Ford's.

The charge of the 600. ... has just received 600 pai... boots; prices right.

Tanks ought to be built ... tion with the elevators.

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Rev. Mr. Fray, of ... have written the leading ... week. He uses the b... ord Mirror.

Wesley's Hymns we... ministering the oath at ... yesterday.

It was too bad of con... prevent the inspector bo... raged feelings with a g... the court house during ... the court.

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The Misses Grier ... are spending a few d... Wm. Brown.

Miss Maude Madden ... has been engaged to t... form of our public scho...

Mr. W. F. Doll has ... New York, Coney Islan[d] beach &c &c &c.

Mr. W. J. McFarlan[d] ... Bell's lake, and purp... himself with a rod and ... bly a net, now boys loo[k for] tall fish stories.

See Mr. Doll for bo... Watches and jewelery.

Straight forward. go... from W. F. Doll will b... represented.

Supplement to the "Markdale Standard," August 31st, 1882.

THE EASTERN CAMPAIGN

The results of the engagements of Thursday and Friday followed by the severe fighting of Saturday appear to have been more important than was at first anticipated. If our men were roughly used the Egyptians were badly cut up and then rout was complete. The enemy fled in disorder, throwing away their arms and accoutrements. Sir Garnet Wolseley is determined to give the enemy no time to recover from his reserves. He will divide his force, leaving a brigade under General Graham to invest Arabi's stronghold at Tel-el-Kebir, and will himself advance with the main body of his army upon Cairo.

Priceville.

A sort of volcanic eruption taken place in a certain portion of our town lately and threatening the overthrow of blacksmith shops, private dwellings, picket fences, side walks, and various other property, the strangest feature of the affair is that the crater of this volcano should be a notorious "jar of preserves" which was thoughtlessly removed from its cool cellar home, and placed in such a high temperature, during the summer of 1880 that violent fermentation has been going on ever since.

The editor of the Chesley Enterprise is away at Colorado, Gone for a rest, he, says, but writes a few columns for his paper notwithstanding.

A man who is owing us a little bill said he would call last week and pay us if he was alive. He still appears on the street but as he did not call ,it is naturally supposed that he is dead, and walking round to save funeral expences.

On Thursday evening, 24th, Past Grand Geo, Howitt, with the assistance of the officers of Georgian Lodge, Owen Sound, had the pleasure of opening a lodge of the C. O. O. F. in Meaford. A large number of gentlemen were initiated into the order, and the lodge promises to be very successful. Grand Master Samuels, Toronto' has granted two dispensations for new lodges, one in Thornbury and one in Markdale.

Cook's Dock, Manitoulin Island, is becoming quite a shipping port. The steam barge Enterprise was there the other day loading posts for an American port.

IT HAS STOOD THE TEST OF TIME.

For 25 years has Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry been before the people, and its popularity is today greater than ever, because it has proved reliable in the treatment of all forms of Bowel Complaint incident to the Summer season.

Mrs J. L. Browne has returned from Mount Forest with recruited health.

Robt S Rae,
TAILOR,
SYDENHAM STREET,
MARKDALE.
Markdale, July 7, 1881. 18-6m

A Quebec bishop says it is a sin to wear curls. Does he refer to the spit curl, the bang, the ugly things which hang on the forehead, those made with a red-hot poker, or the natural curl? People whose hair is naturally curly should send their heads through a plaining mill.

The safest, best and cheapest medicine in the world is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents by all druggists, Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk.

The Clerk of Osprey gives the Advance a well-deserved drubbing in this issue of the Standard.

The prescription of a skillfully physician, and composed of vegetable drugs of great remedial power, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters purify the blood, give tone and vigor to the system, cures Dyspepsia and indigestion when all other medicines fail. Have you tried it? Sold by Druggists 50c a bottle, Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk,

Teacher Irving has most mysteriously disappeared. Many creditors mourn his absence, and heap their curses thick upon his head

Where he's gone, and how he fares,
Nobody knows, though somebody cares.

The Poultry Yard recommends coffee grounds for fowls,

Composed of powerful drugs so compounded as to produce almost miraculous cures is the history of Kendall's Spavin Cure. See advt.

Letters arrived at Markdale on the 28th, which left Staffordshire, Eng.on the 17th inst. 11 days only.

Why will men allow themselves and their noble horse to suffer when Kendall's Spavin Cure, properly applied, will remove all suffering from man and beast? Read advertisement.

Tansley, while getting car on track at Flesherton, smashed the end of his thumb, on Tuesday.

When you see a promising colt with a splint, curb or spavin forming, thus spoiling its sale, go at once and procure a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. One dollar invested in this great remedy will save you hundreds of dollars. It has no equal as a liniment for man or beast.

Conductor Crate is on duty again. Does not appear over bright yet.

Miss Williams takes charge of the Orange Valley school for two or three weeks.

Mr Gimby takes Markdale school for the present.

The public are desirous of seeing minutes of Markdale School Trustee meetings.

EXTENSIVE SALE

The undersigned having purchased the Bankrupt Stock of G. D. Sutherland & Co., of London, amounting to

$10,360.44

At about One Half regular prices, will offer the entire Stock at a Great Sacrifice, as it must be sold at once, and tremendous Bargains may be expected. The Stock is well assorted, fresh and new, being direct from wholesale city store, and is without doubt one of the largest ever brought into Markdale at one time. It consists of

GENTS FURNISHINGS	$416 87	STAPLES	516 14	Wool Goods, Ladies' Mantles	306 83
GLOVES & HOSIERY	615 89	Black and Fancy Dress Goods	725 00	Ribbons, Lace, & Millinery	908 51
SMALL WARES ...	750 54	HATS & CAPS	307 67	Shop Fixtures	662 87
SILKS & VELVETEENS	498 79	READYMADE CLOTHING	1779 42		
SILKS & SATINS ...	492 49	Tweeds, Flannels, & Cloths	2188 42	Total ...	$10,360 44

In order to accommodate our increasing trade we have, in addition to our premises, leased a Store in

REID'S BLOCK, Markdale,

Next door to Revere Hotel, where will be found the largest aud best assorted Stock in Town, and don't fail to see it before the rush commences. Large Stock of Groceries, BOOTS & SHOES, &c., which we will sell at and below cost.

TEAS A SPECIALTY. Our 30c. Tea cannot be equalled for the price, as we bought a large Quantity at a low figure for Cash, and it cannot be replaced at the price. We have yet on hand about 25 chests, and will give special quotations by the chest. TRY IT. We are shipping it all over the country, Trial will convince.

We give no Credit : Our friends need not ask it ; Strangers cannot expect it : and positively we will not give it. Our motto is CASH. We buy for Cash, We sell for Cash. We give 36 inches to the yard. We give 16 ozs. to the lb. We give highest price for Tub Butter. We give best price for Eggs. You need not take our word for it, but call and see for yourselves. One trial will convince you that we mean Business.

TRIMBLE & WRIGHT, Dealers in B. Stocks. Butter & Rae's Old Stand, and Reid's New Block, Mill st., Markdale. Don't Forget.

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Wm. Lucas & Co, bank... have $200,000 ... real estate. Straight loa... fines. Low interest. Mod...

Look out for Wilson ... advt. next week.

All sizes of leather be... hand at Haskett Bros.

All kinds of Machine ... at Haskett Bros. They ... oils manufactured.

Mr Geo. D. Howell, ... Times called on Friday.

Remember the cattle ... day, Sep. 9th. Bring ... early.

The side-walks up tow... ches is enough to take ... out of the most devotiona...

The deil and the path... have entered into a con... Church st. sidewalks. ... of six could remember ... they got down to Brow... sidewalk man and his ... had left so many "im... the way.

McFarland's ...
Is valued by ...
It steeps we...
It keeps se...
It swells w...
And dwells ...
And fills w...
That's why it sells ...
It savours ...
Of flavours, ...
Which all view as ...
It regales, ...
And prevai...
And strongly ...
When anythi...
Try them ...
35 cen...

The Markdale Sta... years old. It takes ... week, and will appear ... paper next week. Th... a newsy sheet, and we ... success which earnest ... serves.—*Meaford Mirr...*

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...RON GRAVE TABLET...

...thout marble slab for name, ...Railings, Pall Pillars and ... ...st Iron Chains for same, also ...lluster Railings, House Fencing ...ornamental, Machinery ... ...f every description, Brass ... large or small.

...MOFFAT BROS.

...HN NOBLE

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...R'L BLACKSMIT...

...SE SHOEIN...

A SPECIALTY.

A CARD.

...ho are suffering from the ... ...tions of youth, nervous ... decay, loss of manhood, ...that will cure you, ...E. This great Remedy was ... missionary in South America ...-addressed envelope to ... ...MAN, Station D, New ...

Miss Wray is visiting at J. W. Ford's.

The charge of the 600. McFarland has just received 600 pairs women's boots; prices right.

Tanks ought to be built in conjunction with the elevators.

Mr Brown is about to rebuild the steam sawmill. The well has been deepened. Improvements will also be made in his house, and also in the shop used as Shanahan's carriage factory.

The Thornbury Standard says that Markdale possesses a fire engine costing $400.00, and an efficient fire brigade! Oh that the Thornbury paper had spoken the truth just this once! We'd forgive it all the past.

The Meaford Mirror continues to improve.

The station agent's garden has been altered and improved to such an extent that a resident of Markdale returning after a week's holiday, actually failed to recognise the place; not till he had been trebly assured by the bus man was he convinced.

Wm. Lucas & Co, bankers, Markdale have **$200,000 00** to loan on real estate. Straight loan system. No fines. Low interest. Moderate charges

Look out for Wilson Benson's new advt. next week.

All sizes of leather belting kept on hand at Haskett Bros.

All kinds of Machine Oils for sale at Haskett Bros. They keep the best oils manufactured.

Mr Geo. D. Howell, of the O.Sound Times called on Friday.

Remember the cattle fair on Saturday, Sep. 9th. Bring your cattle in early.

The side-walks up towards the churches is enough to take the sanctity out of the most devotional church goer.

The deil and the pathmaster must have entered into a compact over the Church st. sidewalks. Only one out of six could remember the text when they got down to Brown's store. The sidewalk man and his horny colleague had left so many "impediments" in the way.

McFarland's tea
Is valued by me;
It steeps well,
It keeps well,
It swells well,
And dwells well,
And fills well;
That's why it sells well;
It savours
Of flavours,
Which all view as favours;
It regales,
And prevails;
And strongly assails,
When anything ails:
Try then McFarland's
35 cent Tea.

The Markdale Standard is two years old. It takes a holiday this week, and will appear as an eight page paper next week. The Standard is a newsy sheet, and we wish it that success which earnest endeavor deserves.—*Meaford Mirror.*

Although A. R. Fawcett's name appears in the Flesherton Advance as its editor, the schoolmaster abroad or Rev. Mr. Bray, of Montreal, seems to have written the leading article of last week. He uses the big "I."—*Meaford Mirror.*

Wesley's Hymns were used for administering the oath at Revere House yesterday.

It was too bad of constable Noble to prevent the inspector soothing his outraged feelings with a gentle smoke in the court house during the sitting of the court.

Mr. D. J. Shanahan is visiting his friends in Penetanguishine.

Mr. G. S. Bowes leaves on Friday for a visit of about three weeks, to visit Milton, Hamilton and other places.

The Misses Grier of Thornburry are spending a few days with Mrs. Wm. Brown.

Miss Maude Madden of Port Perry, has been engaged to teach the third form of our public school.

Mr. W. F. Doll has returned from New York, Coney Island, Manhattan beach &c &c &c.

Mr. W. J. McFarland is camped at Bell's lake, and purposes enjoying himself with a rod and line, or posibly a net, now boys look out for some tall fish stories.

See Mr. Doll for bottom prices in Watches and jewelery.

Straight forward goods purchased from W. F. Doll will be found just as represented.

Glenelg Agricultural Society.

Prize List.

Class 1.—Horses.

	1st.	2nd	3rd
Span General Purpose	[illegible]	1.50	1.00
Span Carriage Horses	[illegible]	1.50	1.00
Buggy Horse	1.50	1.00	
Saddle Horse	1.50	1.00	
Mare, foal by her side	1.50	1.00	
Spring Colt	1.00	0.50	
Colt, or Filly, 2 years old	1.00	0.50	
Do. 1 do	1.00	0.50	

Class 2.—Cattle.

Bull, over 2 yrs old ..	2.00	1.00
Do. under 2 years	2.00	1.00
Durham Cow with pedigree	1.50	1.00
Ayrshire Cow ..	1.50	1.00
Cow, giving Milk, grade	1.50	1.00
Heifer, 2 years	1.00	50
Heifer, 1 year	1.00	50
Spring Calf.. ..	1.00	50
Yoke of Oxen ..	1.00	50
Pair Steers 2 yr old	1.00	50
Do. 1-yr old	1.00	50

Class 3.—Sheep

Aged Ram, thoroughbred	1.00	50
Ram Lamb	1.00	50
Pair Ewes, raised lambs '82	1.00	50
Pair Ewe Lambs ..	1.00	50

Class 4.—Swine.

Berkshire Boar, aged ..	1.00	50
Berkshire Spring Boar	1.00	50
Berkshire Sow, aged ..	1.00	50
Berkshire Spring Sow	1.00	50
Suffolk Boar, aged	1.00	50
Do. Spring ..	1.00	50
Suffolk Sow, aged ..	1.00	50
Do. Spring ..	1.00	50

Class 5.—Poultry.

Pair Barnyard Fowls ..	.75	.50	25
" Geese ..	.50	25	
" Turkeys..	.50	25	
" Ducks, large ..	.50	25	
" " small ..	.50	25	
" Leghorn Fowls..	.50	25	
" Brahma " ..	.50	25	
" Spanish " ..	.50	25	
" Hambusg " ..	.50	25	

Class 6.—Grain.

Bushel Fall Wheat Seneca or C'awson	1.50	1.00
Do. any other kind	1.50	1.00
Do. Sp. Wheat, Wh Russ	1.50	1.00
Do do. any other kind	1.50	1.00
Do Barley	1.00	50
Do. Beans large	1.00	50
Do. Peas small white	1.00	50
Do White Oats ..	1.00	50
Do Black " ..	1.00	50
Half-bushel Timothy Seed	1.00	50
Six Ears Indian Corn	50	25
Peck White Beans ..	50	25

Class 7.—Roots.

Bushel Potatoes early rose	1.00	50
Do. any other kind	1.00	50
6 Swede Turnips ..	50	25
6 Turnips, any other kind	50	25
6 Mangold Wurtzels	50	25
6 Blood Beets	50	25
6 Field Carrots ..	50	25
6 Early Horn Carrots	50	25
6 Parsnips ..	50	25
3 Roots Celery ..	50	25
2 Heads Cauliflowers	50	25
2 Cabbages, Early York	50	25
Do. any other kind	50	25
6 Tomatoes ..	50	25
Gallon Potato Onions	50	25
" Onions, any other kind	50	25
2 Squashes ..	50	25
2 Pumpkins ..	50	25
6 Cucumbers, pickling ..	50	25
3 Citrons ..	50	25
3 Water Melons ..	50	25

Class 8.—Fruit.

6 Winter Apples ..	50	25
6 Fall Apples ..	50	25
3 var, Apples, 3 of each	50	25
12 Crab Apples ..	50	25
4 var. do, 5 of each	50	25
6 Pears	50	25
3 Bunches Grapes..	50	25
6 Blue Plums ..	50	25
6 Green Gages ..	50	25
6 Plums, any other kind	50	25

Class 9.—Dairy.

Best Tub Butter, 50 lb ..	3.00	2.00	1.00
5 lb. Butter, rolls ..	1.50	1.00	50
Cheese, factory made, 40lb.	1.00	50	
Do. Home-made 15 lb.	1.00	50	
100 lb. Best Wheat Flour	1.00	50	
2 Loaves of Bread, bakers	1.00	50	
Do. home-made	1.00	50	
5 lb. Maple Sugar	1.00	50	
5lb. of Honey	1.00	50	
Half gal. Maple Syrup	1.00	50	

Class 10.—Manufactures.

	1st	2nd
Farmers' Wagon ..	2.00	1.00
Democrat do. ..	2.00	1.00
Buggy ..	2.00	1.00
Sleigh	1.00	50
Single Cutter	1.00	50
Dbl. Set Team Harness, 1882	1.00	75
Do. Carriage do. do	2.00	1.00
Pair Men's Boots, Coarse ..	1.00	50
Do. do. Fine ..	1.00	50
Set Horse Shoes, nailed	1.00	50
Pump	1.00	50
Specimen Cabinet Work '82	2.00	1.00
Panel Door, '82 ..	50	25
Window Sash, '82 ..	50	25
Specimen Cooper Ware, '82	2.00	1.00
Do. Tin Ware, '82	1.00	50
Do. Marble Work. '82	1.00	50
Do. Penmanship	1.00	50
Do. do. under 15	1.00	50
5 yds Full Cloth, home-made	1.00	50
Satinet, home made 5 yds	1.00	50
Fancy Flannel ..	1.00	50
Plain do. ..	1.00	50
Pair Blankets ..	1.00	50
Do. do. Horse ..	1.00	50

Class 11.—Ladies' Work.

Pair Woollen Mits ..	50	25
Pair Woollen Socks	50	25
Patch Quilt	75	50
Log Cabin	75	50
Embroidery in Cotton ..	50	25
Do. Wool ..	50	25
Berlin Wool raised ..	50	25
Do. flat ..	50	25
Fancy Knitting, Cotton ..	50	25
Do. Wool ..	50	25
Braiding in Cotton ..	50	25
Knitted Lace ..	50	25
Collection Berlin Work ..	50	25
Hair Work ..	50	25
Gent's Fine Shirt, hand-made	75	50
Rag Mat ..	50	25
Any other variety Mat ..	50	25
5 yds Rag Carpet ..	50	25

Class 12.—Extra Prizes.

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THE CLOSING OF THE

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At the adjourned court held at the Revere House, yesterday, Wednesday, before Justices Elliott, and Struthers, decisions were given in the cases in inspector Reid had proceeded against a number of people for violating the Health and Police Acts.

All the cases under the former Act were dismissed or withdrawn, but in two cases, Wm. Brown, J.P., and W. J. McFarland, the summonses were under the Police Act, which provides for the cleanliness of the streets; they were each fined $1 00 and costs, total $4.10.

We will refer more fully to this matter next week, and also to Mr. W. Brown's expressed method of administering the law.

We had the pleasure of a chat with our Townsman Mr. W. F. Doll, who has just returned from a two weeks visit to New York City and Coney Island what with comming in contact with the bracing air at the sea beach and the wide awake business men of New York we expect to see a big Boom in the Jewelery Business here for some time.

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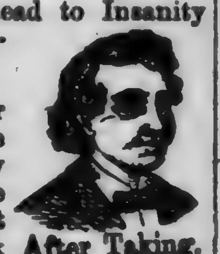

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OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

'THE MINUTE-HAND OF THE CLOCK.'

A German Boy's Adventure.

BY DAVID KER.

"Kaspar, thou little rogue, how often shall I tell thee not to meddle with that clock?"

"I was only watching the wheels go round, father," said a sturdy little fellow in soiled leathern jacket, starting up with a half-mischievous look in his blue eyes.

"And what hast *thou* to do with the wheels, eh? Suppose the clock is stopped or put wrong some day by one of thy tricks, what shall I, Hans Scheller, custodian of St. Martin's Church, say to the Town Council? Dost thou know what birch porridge is, thou rogue? Beware, or I'll give thee such a taste of it as shall make thee go round faster than the wheels."

Poor Hans was indeed kept in constant terror by his inquiring son's uncontrollable habit of going wherever he ought not. The old church of St. Martin was a famous playground for any boy, with its shadowy aisles, and countless pillars, and tall towers, and deep niches, and half-ruined battlements; and the worthy custodian, when he awoke from his after-dinner nap in his little room at the foot of the great clock tower, never knew whether he should find his hopeful boy hiding behind the altar-screen, trying to blow the organ bellows, or playing hide-and seek among the pinnacles of the roof, or sitting astride of a carved spout a hundred and sixty feet above the pavement.

All this, however, might have been forgiven; for the old custodian was really as fond of his "little rogue" as the boy, with all his wildness, was of him. But this one thing that Hans could not pardon was the danger caused by his son's restless inquisitiveness to his beloved church clock. It was his pride and glory to be able to tell everyone that during the whole forty years that he had been in charge of the "St. Martin's Kirche," the clock had never stopped or gone wrong; and nothing would convince him that it was not by far the finest clock in the whole world.

"Don't tell *me* of the big clock of Strasburg Cathedral," he would say with an obstinate shake of his grey head. "Could it go forty years on end, think you, without the slightest deviation? No, that it couldn't, nor any other clock on the face of the earth except this one."

Mindful of Kaspar's inquiring turn of mind his father, having to do some marketing in the town the day after our hero's stolen visit to the clock, locked the door of the tower, and took the key along with him.

"No harm can happen now," he muttered; "and in any case, I shall be back before he gets out of school."

But, as ill-luck would have it, the teacher was called away by some business that afternoon, and the boys got out of school more than an hour earlier than usual. Kaspar, finding his father gone, went straight to the door of the clock tower, and looked rather blank on discovering that it was locked. But he was not one to be easily stopped when he had once made up his mind. Getting out upon the roof, and crawling along a cornice where only a cat or a schoolboy could have found footing, he crept through an air-hole right into the clock-room.

For some time he was as happy as a child in a toy-shop, running from one marvel to another, until at length he discovered another hole, and thrusting his head through it, found himself looking down upon the market-place through the face of the clock itself. But when he tried to withdraw his head again, it would not come.

It was such a queer scrape to be in that Kaspar was more inclined to laugh than to be frightened; but suddenly a thought struck him which scared him in earnest; his neck was in the track of the minute-hand, which, when it reached him, must inevitably tear his head off.

Poor Kaspar! it was too late now to wish that he had left the clock alone. He tried to scream for help, but with his neck in that cramped position, the cry that he gave was scarcely louder than the chirp of a sparrow. He struggled desperately to writhe himself back through the hole; but a piece of woodwork had slipped down upon the back of his neck, and held him like a vise.

On came the destroyer, nearer and nearer still, marking off with its measured tick his few remaining moments of life. And all the while the sun was shining gayly, the tiny flags were fluttering on the booths of the market, and the merry voices of his school-fellows who were playing in the market-place came faintly to his ears, while he hung there helpless, with death stealing upon him inch by inch. His head grew dizzy, and the measured beat of the ticking sounded like the roll of a muffled drum, while the coming hand of the clock looked like a monstrous arm outstretched to seize him, and the carved faces on the spouts seemed to grin and gibber at him in mockery. And still the terrible hand crept onward, nearer, nearer, nearer.

"What *can* that thing in the clock face be?" said a tourist below, pointing his spy-glass upward. "Why, I declare it looks like a boy's head!"

"A boy's head!" cried a gray-haired watchmaker beside him (one of Hans Scheller's special friends,) snatching hastily at the glass as he spoke. "Why, good gracious! it's little Kaspar. He'll be killed!" And he rushed toward the church, shouting like a madman.

The alarm spread like wild-fire, and before Klugmann, the watchmaker, had got half-way up the stairs leading to the tower, more than a score of excited men were scampering at his heels. But at the top of the stairs they were suddenly brought to a stand-still by the locked door.

"It's locked!" cried Klugmann in tones of horror, "and Hans must have taken the key with him, for it isn't here."

"Never mind the key," roared a brawny smith behind him. "Pick up that beam, comrades, and run it against the lock. All together now!"

Crash went the door, in rushed the crowd, and Kaspar, now senseless from sheer fright, was dragged out of his strange prison just as the huge bar of the minute-hand actually touched his neck. And so it fell out that poor old Scheller, coming home for a quiet afternoon nap, found the door of the tower smashed in, his son lying in a swoon, and his little room crowded with strange men all talking at once.

But from that day forth Kaspar Scheller never meddled with the church clock again.

THE POLKA DOT RAGE.

An Unprecedented Demand for One Line of Goods.

"It is astonishing what a demand there is for polka dot dress goods," said a dry goods merchant last week. "Old and young women run here every day for polka dot cloth, and the run has exhausted our supply several times already this season. The blue and white goods, with small spots, were all the rage at first, but now we are asked for black and white, with large dots. It is a sensible fashion, however. You see the polka dot dresses look neat and dressy, and yet they do not show the dirt as the lawn dresses do. Another thing worth notice is the fact that no great dusters are needed when a lady wears polka dot goods. I think the prettiest style is the wearing of polka dot waists over white and colored skirts, but the rage appears to be now for full suits of the polka dot. It is a cheap, dressy, cool and serviceable style of goods, and I am not surprised at the increasing demand for it. Yesterday I was told by one of the oldest wholesale dry goods dealers in New York that in fifty years he had never had such a demand for one line of goods in a single season. He said that thousands of ladies had ordered the polka dot goods for seaside and mountain wear, and he felt confident that it was pushing lawns to the wall. His idea was that the polka dots were boosted into fashion by the Malley trial, when the Malley boys wore polka neckties and Blanche Douglass had on a polka dot waist a part of the time in court. The women folks were interested in that trial, in the fate of Jennie Cramer, as well as in the other sensational elements of the affair, and the fashion makers in New York speedily made polka dots a feature of their Spring and Summer styles. However that may be, it is a fact there is a wonderful call for the polka dot dress goods, scarfs and ties, ribbons and waist belts, and polka dot neckties and scarfs for the men."

Late News Notes at Home and Abroad.

Engineer Melville and the seamen Ninderman and Noros, the survivors of the Jeannette, have arrived at Moscow, where they met with a grand reception.

A leading Montreal bank has crop reports from its agencies throughout Ontario which give very encouraging accounts of the yield of the present harvest, which is set down generally above the average.

The agricultural distress in Spain is assuming alarming proportions in Andalusia in consequence of the poor harvest and want of labor. Frequent collisions occur between the peasantry and police.

An investigation of the Westgate affair is going on between the Venezuelan government and the British Ministry privately. The British steamer "Fantome" has gone to Laguayra and the captain has proceeded to Caracas.

Dr. Gorbat, an Englishman, left Zermatt on Friday last, with two guides, to ascend the Dent Blanche. All three were found dead on Sunday, having fallen from a precipice. This is the fourth such accident that has occurred this season.

The Empress of Germany is confined to her apartments in consequence of injuries which she received by a fall while walking in the Schloss of Babelsberg a short time ago. Some anxiety is felt concerning her condition, but a speedy recovery is hoped for.

The Corean troubles have culminated in a general insurrection, during which the King and Queen were both assassinated, and the Japanese legation was attacked by natives belonging to the anti-foreign party. Japanese men-of-war have been despatched to the scene of action.

One recent evening two men entered the First National Bank in Kewanee, Ill., locked the cashier and a lady assistant in the vault, and carried off $20,000. The crime was discovered by pedestrians hearing the cashier pounding on the vault. Citizens scoured the country in every direction.

A deputation of Maori chiefs from New Zealand are in London trying to lay before the Queen a narrative of the wrongs under which they are perishing. The Government will not receive or recognise them, will not allow them to see the Queen, nor offer their petition.

A correspondent of the *Standard* at Madrid says the spirit of the peasantry is becoming strongly Socialistic in the provinces noted since the revolution of 1868 for the republican tendency of their large towns. The press says the state of affairs in Andalusia is serious and requires prompt remedy. All the relief doled out by the Government in Andalusia, Estramadura, Galicia, Aragon, and Catalonia has proved unavailing. Several acts of brigandage have occurred near Granada.

A steamer recently arrived at Victoria, B. C., with two Chinamen, from Port Townsend, Washington Territory, who arrived there on an inward bound vessel, but were refused permission to land, in accordance with the Prohibition Act passed in Congress. The captain of the ship preferred chartering a steamer and sending the Chinamen over there, rather than enter into bonds of $500 each that they should neither run away nor land. Such additions to the population are frequently expected there.

The Telephone at Alexandria.

It appears that just before the bombardment of Alexandria arrangements had been completed for the introduction of the telephone in that city. The work had been done by Mr. H. H. Eldred, formerly station agent at Passaic City, N. J., who was at Malta during the bombardment, and conducted the experiments by which the firing was heard through 1,000 miles of ocean cable. The experiments were suddenly terminated by the explosion of a shell from the 81 ton guns in the cellar of the Alexandria central office.

Prince Henry of Prussia will start on a voyage around the world next October. He will probably be away a year and a half, and spend most of the time cruising in the West Indies and round the South American coast.

PERSONALITIES.

Pleasant Paragraphs about Prominent People.

Lord Randolph Churchill, M. P., recently underwent an operation for a painful malady.

Victor Hugo is revising for the press a play with Mazarin for its hero, the first draft of which was written nearly forty years ago.

Lord Chief Justice Coleridge has let Dr. Alois Brandl have access, for his work on Coleridge, to all the letters of Coleridge, Wordsworth, and Southey addressed to the late Sir John Coleridge. The Coleridge letters cover nearly all of the poet's career and begin with the appeal to buy his discharge from the army.

Harrison Ainsworth's library will be sold this month in London. It includes most of the manuscript of one of the most prolific novelists of modern times, "Rookwood," "Jack Shephard," and "Boscobel" being among the number; also original drawings by George Cruickshank for the illustrations of the works.

The Duke of Orleans, eldest son of the Count of Paris, took the prize for Latin composition at the annual competition of the Paris colleges. His father, amid the plaudits of a large gathering, embraced him and placed on his head the laurel wreath presented to prize winners. The Duke is thirteen.

Richard King, of Texas, is known of men in the South as the largest cultivator of cattle in the United States, if not in the world. Richard is an Irishman, and his flocks of sheep and goats, his herds of cattle, and his many horses and more mules, foot up in all 500,000 head. His ranch, the Santa Gertrudas, is seventy-five miles in length, and includes nearly the whole of two counties in Southwestern Texas.

The Princess of Wales at Goodwood looked most exquisite in ivory white with gold trimmings. She wore a pale coffee-colored Newmarket coat when she first arrived, so probably that rather neglected garment will become *ton* again. Quite a third of the gowns were white, and nearly another third were pale blue. Many were quite extraordinarily short, and showed very elaborate stockings and clipper-built shoes.

The Duke of Hamilton, who long ago came to pecuniary grief, and whose art treasures were recently sold out at auction for the benefit of his creditors, is described as "a great, coarse, sensual-looking, red-haired man of thirty-seven, without a feature in his face evincing intellect or refinement; without a point in his unwieldy person to indicate blood. He married one of the Duke of Manchester's daughters."

The London *Spectator* thinks that Lord Rosebery is likely to succeed Mr. Bright as Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, with a seat in the cabinet. As Under Secretary for the Home Department he has had charge of all the political duties formerly intrusted to the Lord Advocate, and Scotland has confidence in him. The *Spectator* says: "We doubt if any appointment would bring more strength to it eventually than that of the brilliant young Scotchman, who has shown himself to be one of the best speakers of the day, who has youth, wealth, and zeal to devote to the Liberal cause, and who is as thorough-going a Liberal as we could hope to find even in the House of Commons. Lord Rosebery probably has a great future. And it would be a useful thing to introduce a young man of his promise early into the ranks of the higher statesmen."

The Champions of Christendom.

"So they have left me to save her alone?" exclaimed Sir John of merry England. "This, after all the Frenchman's protestations and all the Italian's bluster. But what matters it? Gladstonius, my armour!" Upon this, the brave knight's squire, after a great deal of fuss and confusion (for Gladstonius was a procrastinating person), buckled on his master's sword and iron plates. And when this had been done, Sir John hurried away to Alexandria, to rescue Egypt, the fairest of the fair, from Arabi the Dragon. When Arabi saw Sir John approaching, he indulged in the most ridiculous demonstrations of impotent rage and feeble defiance.

"Very good!" said the champion of merry England. "I will teach you a lesson, my fine fellow, that shall last your life. This will I do, not only in my own interests, but for the benefit of the brothers who have deserted me!"

And the brave knight drew his sword, poised his lance, and made ready to begin. "Stay a moment I beg you!" said a fat, sleek, fawning sort of a person, whose apparel was as seedy as his appearance was unprepossessing. "You do things in such a very hurried manner." "Who are you?" was the natural question of Sir John.

"I am the Sultan Slyboots," replied the fat, fawning creature, "and I am the father of Egypt, the fairest of the fair."

"Then if you are her father, you will approve of my intentions! Stand aside while I rescue her."

"But let us chat it over a little. Whoever saves Egypt, the fairest of the fair, will have a right to claim her. Surely this seems just; do you not think so?"

"Let me save her first," said Sir John, "and we can settle the details afterward."

"But it is so much better to talk. I am very angry indeed with Arabi; but—"

"What has the Dragon dangling round its neck?" asked Sir John, sharply; "it seems like a Turkish decoration."

"Oh, yes," returned the Sultan Slyboots, with some confusion. "It is a little toy I gave him to play with. But to return to our talking——"

"I did not come here to talk," interrupted Sir John, "but to fight!"

"If you would just wait, while I——"

"Why, you unnatural parent!" thundered Sir John; "I do declare you are making signs to the Dragon while we are talking!"

"Surely, you are mistaken! My left eye-lid frequently quivers unconsciously."

But while Sultan Slyboots was explaining how his eyelid had quivered, Sir John poised his spear once more, and went for the Dragon. Arabi uttered a loud howl, and showed the White Flag, which bore a remarkable resemblance to the White Feather.—*Punch.*

SUGGESTIONS FOR THE SEASON.

(From the American Agriculturist.)

TROUBLE IN THE CLOVER STACKS.

In some localities, in the older Southern States especially, farmers who put up their clover hay in good condition, are surprised to find, when they come to feed it from the stack or mow, that it is apparently very mouldy, and hesitate to use it. A close examination shows that the appearance of mould is very deceptive, and that the whiteness is really due to great multitudes of silken threads, spun by the clover worm, (*Asopia kostalis*), an insect that has been brought here from the old world, but which makes itself quite at home. The insects are usually found in the greatest numbers at the bottom of the stack, and after it has once established itself, nothing can be done for the hay. The farmer who finds his clover hay in this condition, should not, another season, stack or store his crop in the same place. It has been suggested that placing the stack upon a foundation, that will allow ventilation from below, will be of service.

WORK WITH THE ROOTS

It will usually pay to go through even broadcast turnips, and thin them, and pull or cut out the strongest weeds—smart-weed, rag-weed, etc., and when roots are in drills, it is absolutely necessary. Even when roots are very backward, and the out-look is discouraging on the first of September, thinning, weeding, and hoeing will make a crop. All kinds of turnips do their best growing after cold nights are, so to speak, the order of the day. Loose earth, and full possession of the ground, are prime requisites to their doing their best.

BUCKWHEAT.

The plant is extremely sensitive to frost. The grain which is already matured, or nearly so, is not hurt, and the straw is not used for feed. The reason why frost is so injurious, may therefore not be apparent, until we think, or notice, that upon almost every plant, we have the seed in every stage of development, from the blossom, to the ripe grain. When cut before frost, a great proportion of the unripe seed will develop perfectly, and the process of ripening does not seem to be hindered by the frost after the Buckwheat is cut.

GO TO THE FAIR

The term "Fair may not always be the most appropriate one for the autumn Shows. *Exhibition* is a better word, but far less frequently used. Not only should the farmer go to the Fair, but he ought to take his family with him. The going, simply, is not enough. All members of the household should make it a point to take something to exhibit. One of the boys may take a fine colt, and if it is his own, there will be all the more pride in obtaining a prize. Another son may have a yoke of steers that he has trained for the exhibition. As for the girls, there are thousand different things that can be made with the needle that will grace the walls of the "Woman's Pavilion," or the rooms of the Household Department. Even so common a thing as bread may be baked with special care, and will attract much attention. Then there are the garden vegetables, potatoes—a new kind, perhaps—pumpkins, squashes, etc., and the products of the farm and orchard. It is not wise to leave all these things at home, and then criticise the Exhibition because you can say, "We have better things at home." To go and take things to the Fair is not enough. The Exhibition should become a school at which all exhibitors and visitors make a study of the implements, cattle, poultry, fruit, grain, etc., that are there. A farmer may owe his success in growing some crop to the knowledge gained at a town Fair. The farmer that has a real pride in the farm will take great interest in the local Fair, and will exhibit the best products of farm life in the boys and girls, who are interested exhibitors at the Fairs. The day at the Fair should be a social one, every one making it a point to meet many neighbors and others with a pleasant word. It is a place for asking and answering questions, and the person who goes through the Exhibition without opening his mouth, is certainly not getting all the good that is within his reach. It is our advice that all go the Fair—all take something to show, and all find out as much as possible about all the various exhibits that are made by others. In this way the day at the Fair will be a most profitable one. It may be that a premium will not be taken by every one, but the prize money is only a small part of the value that an exhibitor may receive from a Fair, that has been used as a means for a better understanding of the products of the farm, garden, and household.

PUTTING AWAY TOOLS.

The wearing out of farm implements is, as a rule, due more to neglect than to use. If tools can be well taken care of, it will pay to buy those made of the best steel, and finished in the best manner; but in common hands, and with common care, such are of little advantage. Iron and steel parts should be cleaned with dry sand and a cob, or scraped with a piece of soft iron, washed and oiled if necessary, and in a day or two cleaned off with the corn-cob and dry sand. Finally paint the iron part with rosin and beeswax, in the proportion of 4 of rosin, to 1 of wax, melted together and applied hot. This is good for the iron or steel parts of every sort of tool. Wood work should be painted with good, boiled, linseed oil, white lead and turpentine, colored of any desired tint; red is probably the best color. Keep the cattle away until the paint is dry and hard, or they will lick, with death as the result. If it is not desired to use paint on hand tools, the boiled oil with turpentine and "liquid drier," does just as well. Many prefer to saturate the wood-work of farm implements with crude Petroleum. This can not be used with color, but is applied by itself, so long as any is absorbed by the pores of the wood.

Justice North is becoming noted among English Judges by his peculiar ways of asserting the dignity of the Court. He lately astonished a lawyer in the Crown Court at Manchester, who was reading a paper, by saying that he must leave the court if he wished to indulge in the newspaper. The man put away his paper at once. Then the Judge cried out, "Leave the court!" The man departed accordingly.

From the German.

From thought's fair tree the critic takes
Blossoms and worms together,
Till at last such havoc makes,
There is no fruit to gather.

SUNBEAMS.

King Louis has given to Wagner two well trained swans, which have drawn the small boat containing his Highness, habited as *Lohengrin*, on the blue moonlit waters of the lake in the neighborhood of the royal castle of Hoenswanagard.

King Alfonso has made magnificent presents to the commissioners who conveyed to him the Garter from England. The Prince of Wales received tapestries worth more than $30,000. To the others are sent specimens of Toledo arms encrusted with gold.

On an express train running between Victoria and Brighton, England, are four Pullman cars lighted with incandescent lamps supplied with electricity from Faure accumulators. The cars have electric bells also, by which the conductor or page boy may be summoned. The "covered gangway," by which the conductor may pass from car to car, is mentioned as another feature of the train.

A girl at Long Branch has hair so stiff and coarse that it does not mat when drenched. Its utility is apparent when she bathes, for others come up from a plunge with their tresses in an insignificant pigtail, while her head is as attractive as when dry. A correspondent calculates that her hair will bring her half a million dollars, because it seems to have charmed an heir to that amount, and he is likely to marry her.

At the last Prince's garden party in London the caprice of fashion was the parasol. Some specimens were of great value. There was a plague of jewels on the top of one white one which dazzled the eyes of the beholder. The Queen, whose sight had been caught by the topazes and amethysts, encircled by rows of seed pearls, with which it was adorned, turned away with manifest disapprobation, and like the angel in Moore's poem, "never looked again."

A dwarf 17 year old and hardly twenty-five inches in height was sold in France to Jean Lumeau by his father to be exhibited in a booth. His purchaser conceived the idea of establishing a miniature menagerie, with the dwarf as a tamer. He caused a number of cats to be painted so as to look like tigers, and giving the dwarf a whip, compelled him by kicks and threats to goad the cats into a furious attack. The poor little fellow was literally torn to pieces by the infuriated brutes.

Judge Edward A. Thomas discusses, in the *North American Review*, the value of oaths in courts. In his judgment the oath should be entirely dispensed with, as doing more harm than good. He declares that the conscientious will tell the truth, when legally called upon to do so, as thoroughly without the oath as with it, and that dishonest persons are seldom restrained by the utmost solemnity of form. In short, he believes that the oath has lost its force as a restraint, and is merely the formula of an exploded superstition.

Nellie Pickett has seen a great deal of wild life for a girl of 20. She married Tom Picket and went with him to New Mexico, where they joined the band of Billy the Kid, she, being a fine horsewoman, a crack shot, and both vivacious and pretty, is said to have ruled the gang. After Picket was killed she became the wife of Bawdry, the second in command, and when he was killed she found a third husband in Billy the Kid. Many stories are told of her exploits, whether acting as a spy in female attire or riding at the head of the band dressed in the buckskin male attire of the plains. She died a few days ago.

Had Skobeleff Lived.

What is certain about Skobeleff is that he so typified the Russian character, so fulfilled the Russian ideal, so inspired the common Russian that the masses of the soldiery not only loved him, but held him the nobler man for sacrificing them in heaps. They distinctly reverenced him more after the awful slaughter at the Gravitza redoubt, when he lost 8,000 men and failed after all, than they had done before. That is the Russian temper shown through all history toward all their military favorites—toward Suwaroff, for instance, whose hold over his soldiery was riveted, not weakened, by the awful slaughter at the storm at Ismail, as well as toward Skobeleff; and that temper places in the hands of its object very terrible resources. He wields the authority not only of the general, but of a religious leader like Mohammed; and, when he draws his recruits from a people like the Russians, can waste men with an indifference which paralyzes strategy. Such a man, so followed, can conquer in spite of science; and we do not wonder that the dread of Skobeleff among a people like the Germans, who are naturally kindly, but who understand war, suppressed the instinctive reverence for death, and that they received tidings of his fate with something of displeasing exultation. They remember what Zorndorf was, the battle in which the Russians were beaten from the first, but died in such masses that Frederick's army nearly perished in the huge killing; and they knew that with Skobeleff in command, if war broke out, Zorndorfs on a gigantic scale were more than possible. The Russian people would have formed column behind Skobeleff, till in defeating him, even if science had conquered in the end, Germany might have suffered as in the Thirty Year's War.—*The Spectator.*

Testing Silks.

Every woman should understand the method of testing silks. There are two ways of doing this. Note the closeness and evenness of the rib in it, and hold it to the light to see this the better. This shows the texture. Then crush it in the hand and release it suddenly. Note if it springs out quickly and leaves no crease behind, that is the verve. The quality of the silk is denoted by the verve. The Italian silk is the softest in the world, and often wanting in stiffness of appearance. The Chinese silk is the poorest and deficient in verve. And again, there is a great deal of silk manufactured adulterated with a material called jute, which is interwoven in the fibre of the silk. This manufacture will be found, when tested as I have tested, to be very deficient in verve. It is silk which, if wetted, stiffens almost like paper.

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Moistened meal in saucers was placed in the chicken yard of Charles White of New Castle N. H. It there attracted great quantities of flies. An observant toad now daily climbs into the saucers, rolls over and over until he is covered with meal, and then awaits developments. The flies, enticed by the meal, soon swarm around the scheming batrachian, and whenever one passes within two inches or so of his nose, his tongue darts out, and the fly disappears.

At a village near Lyons a bear and its leader were admitted at an inn, the bear being placed in a pigsty. In the pen was a very fat porker that the owner intended killing on the morrow. Cries for help in the night revealed the fact that the bear was in close communion with a thief, who had entered the sty with the intention of stealing the pig. The bear held his prisoner firmly until his master told him to let go, and he was handed over to the police.

In an alleyway behind a store in New Orleans a cat planned to catch a pigeon picking up grain. As Puss wriggled up within distance to spring, the bird flew ten feet away and resumed his meal. The cat repeated the attempt with the same result several times, until the end of the alleyway was reached. She now approached her intended victim with even more than usual caution. But the seemingly careless bird knew his business, and picked away as though nothing was the matter. This time Puss succeeded in making her spring, and landed just where she intended to. But the pigeon wasn't there. He went into the air at exactly the right moment, and, flying over the cat's head, alighted on the very spot from which she had just sprung. The cat, with a dejected look, disappeared through a broken cellar window, leaving Mr. Pigeon to finish his dinner.

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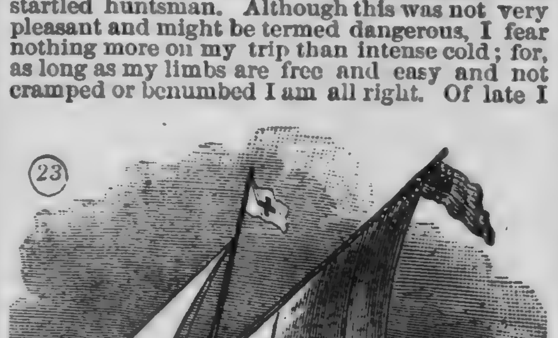

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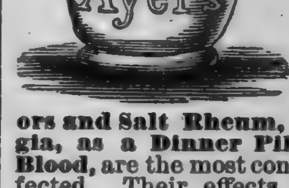

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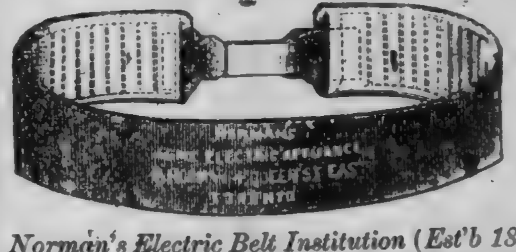

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Maxwell.

Mr. Mark Madden formerly of this township, but now a clerk in E. B. Nugent's Louisville Ky, left here to return to his place of business on Thursday 24th, after spending the previous ten days very pleasantly among his old school mates, and friends. It is very frequently remarked that Osprey has no attractions but am happy to find a proof to the contrary as he remarked to me when leaving that he never turned his back on his native place reluctantly as this time and if Osprey would only mantain him in his business he would rather stay than return to Kentucky, he tells some very ancient and amusing stories of the old Kentucky home. His friends generally are very sorry that he could not stay longer among them. I think I am safely add that all the neighbors wish him a very pleasant trip and every success in his business life.

The funerals of the four young men, drowned in Brewester's Lake, took place on Friday, the 13th inst. They were all very largely attended, especially that of William Francis Wisdom, who was very highly esteemed by all who had pleasure of knowning him. The deceased was the only son of Mr. J. Wisdom con 3 Osprey. He was a young man of rare moral qualities, of more than average abilities. and of great promise. His friends and acquaintance fully demonstrated their affectionate regard to his memory, not only by following his remains to their last resting place—in the Presbyterian cemetery at Maxwell—in greater numbers than was ever seen in this part of the country, but by the expression of sympathy extended from all quarters to his breaved parents and only sister.

On sabbath the funeral sermon was preached in the Maxwell Presbyterian church by the minister of the congregation. The attendence was so large that after all available space inside the church was occupied, large numbers remained outside.

Francis Winters, whose gallant effort to save the lives of his companions will always be spoken of in terms of the highest praises, has been very ill for some time after this terrible accident, but fully recovered.

This was crowded out last week.

Johnny's Composition on the Kangaroo.—The Kangrew ain't much ov a recommend for the factory which made him, or maybe he knu in himself wen the rginal diergrams was in the safe, and rakin up such organs az wuz lef over he made his own self. He looks in the face like a shaller goose, and when see him walkin on his narrative you don't blame nachur for giving him that expression. His legs mus been made on difrent moles, cause the last one iz long as a torchlite perceshine but the front ones aaz got too mmch shortnin in. Sum Kangrews has their cloze made so tha kin carry thare familys round in their overskurts, but If I wuz a boy kangrew ide rather paddle mone kanew. Kangrew wears mustaches like cats, but a mule kin give em a yard start on the ear question an' beet em like honesty.

A stroke of lightning generally spares the rod and spoils the house.

A woman may not be able to sharpen a pencil, or throw a stone at a hen, but she can pack more articles into a trunk than a man can into a one-horse wagon.

A man at Des Moines kissed his hired girl by mistake, and had to pay $800 to settle it. When he discovered what he had done he should have sworn he did it on purpose, and she'd have been tickled to death and worked to keep his wife from finding it out.

A kiss on the forehead means reverence, but there's no fun in it worth mentioning.

"The rich," said a Dutchman, "eat venison because it is deer, I eat mutton because it is sheep."

Making Love in the Choir.

From Puck.

She sat on the steps of the organ aloft
Just after the second hymn;
And through nave and choir to the cool gray spire
The sound rose faint and dim,
As they settled themselves in the church below
For the sermon that followed next.
And I seated myself at the alto's side
As the parson took his text.

I marked the tender flush of her cheek,
And the gleam of her golden hair,
The snowy kerchief 'round her neck,
And her throat all white and bare;
A throat so white that indeed it might
An anchorite entice;
And I faintly heard the parson's word
As he preached of Paradise.

My arm stole gently around her waist
Until our fingers met;
And a flitting blush made the tender flush
Of her cheek grow deeper yet.
Snowy and fair the hand beneath,
And brown the palm above,
And the brown closed softly over the white
As the parson spoke of love.

Ah, who is wise, when deep blue eyes
Meet his and look coyly down?
Who would but drink, nor care to think
Of envy's jealous frown?
'Twas but to bend till I felt her breath
Grow warm on my cheek, and then
My lips just softly touched her own
As the parson said Amen.

THE FISHERWOMAN OF HONFLEUR.

A TALE OF THE FRENCH COMMUNE.

CHAPTER I.

There was an unusual stir and bustle in the old-fashioned and generally dull town of Honfleur, opposite the port of Havre, in France. The old weather-worn, worm-eaten, wooden wharfs and jetties were thronged with fisherwomen and girls, all clad in their gala attire, whose number increased as they were joined by fresh arrivals from the neighbouring sea-coast, many having come from distant villages and hamlets. There was such eager, lively, and continuous chattering, that a stranger might have imagined there had occurred a second confusion of tongues—confined on this occasion to the gentler sex. The eyes of all present were directed seawards, and from time to time, some one would mount one of the wooden piles to which small vessels that frequented the harbour were moored, and pointing to a speck on the water, visible in the far distance, would cry: "Ils viennent! Ils viennent! Je les vois!' (They come! They come! I see them!) And for a few moments the clamour of voices would be hushed, only to break forth again with expressions of disappointment; for these fisherwomen and girls had assembled to greet the return of husbands, brothers, sons, and lovers who had long been absent, engaged in the cod-fishery in the stormy North Sea.

For many weeks past, the weather had been tempestuous; and those who had friends and relations at sea—and these comprised every inhabitant of the town and the neighbouring sea-coast—had passed many a sleepless night, listening to the fierce gusts of wind that swept around their humble and often exposed dwellings; or had started out of their troubled slumber to breathe a short but earnest prayer for the safety of the absent ones; for there had come from time to time sad stories of fishing-vessels that had foundered at sea with all hands; and all who heard these dismal stories dreaded lest the lost vessels might be those which had sailed a few months before with their dearest relations and friends on board.

On the previous night, however, a steam-packet had arrived at Honfleur, and her captain had repeated the glad tidings that he had that day passed the homeward-bound Honfleur fishing-fleet off Dieppe, all safe, and that, as the wind was favourable, the vessels might be expected to arrive in port next morning. Hence the vast and eager concourse of fisherwomen from the town and the adjacent coast.

At length there was a general hush. A speck that to a landsmen would have appeared like a bird hovering over the water, was discerned in the far distance; then another, and yet another became visible. There was no longer any doubt that the fleet was approaching. Nearer and nearer the vessels drew; the cut of their sails could be discerned; then their low black hulls appeared, and the experienced eyes of the fisherwomen recognised the vessels in which their husbands, lovers, and sons had sailed. The women counted the approaching luggars. Not one vessel of the little fleet was missing. But it yet remained to be seen whether all the crews had returned safe and well; and the hearts of the anxious watchers beat quickly, with hopes, doubts, and fears commingled.

Another weary hour passed away, and the vessels were off the port. Then arose from them a cheer which brought relief to the anxious women. Well they knew its meaning. It announced that all who had sailed with the fleet had returned safe and well. The cheer was answered with a general shrill cry of joy. The vessels entered the harbour and ranged up alongside of the wharf; and amidst cries of welcome, bursts of hysteric laughter, and tears of joy and gladness, the hardy, weather-beaten fishermen leaped on shore to greet their impatient loved ones. It was a strange yet pleasing sight to see these stalwart, weather-browned, whiskered and bearded seamen, clad in their coarse pilot jackets, tarry petticoat-trousers, heavy sea-boots, and oilskin sou'-wester caps—their garments still damp, and glistening with the spray which had fallen in showers over the vessels' decks, even to the moment when they entered the sheltered harbour—clasped in the loving embraces of the women and girls the instant their feet touched the wharf. The elder women, though brown and wrinkled, were yet robust and healthy; the young women and girls fresh and comely, with pleasant pretty faces, fair complexions, blue eyes, and glossy brown hair. All alike, old and young, were neatly and smartly attired in their picturesque fisherwomen's costume, with high, wide-frilled caps, white as snow, short, full petticoats, creaseless blue or gray stockings, and neatly buckled shoes, which set off their well-formed lower limbs to great advantage; while many of them wore large earrings of real gold, handed down as heirlooms from grandmothers and great-grandmothers.

Amongst the first to leave their craft was a tall, handsome, young man, with laughing blue eyes, and curly, dark-brown hair, who leaped to the wharf into the extended arms of a pretty girl, apparently not more than eighteen years of age, who, as she embraced her lover, seemed perfectly regardless of the surrounding crowd.

"Welcome—welcome home, my Antoine!" cried the girl as she kissed her lover's whiskered cheek. "Ah, how I have prayed and sighed for thy return! The storms have been so severe; and we heard such bad news that my heart was troubled. But the blessed Madonna hearkened to my prayers, and again I behold thee safe and well. The sight repays me for all my sufferings."

The youthful pair released each other, and forcing a passage through the thick of the crowd, strolled away side by side in the direction of their native village, each with an arm twined round the other's waist. There was silence for a few minutes. Both were happy with their own thoughts.

Madeleine at length broke the silence. "Thou hast not told me about thy voyage, Antoine. Has it been successful."

"Successful as I could desire, my Madeleine," replied the young man. "If the gales have blown somewhat fiercely, it is what we fishermen must look for; and we care little for the weather if other things favor us. The good St. Antoine [St. Antoine is regarded by the French fishermen as their patron saint] has watched over us, and guided our vessel safe home.—And now, hearken, Madeleine! Tell me, dearest, is it not time that we possessed a luggar of our own?" glancing over his shoulder towards the vessel he had just quitted, whose mast could be seen amidst those of the other craft in the port. "Will not the gains of this voyage make up the necessary amount, Madeleine?"

It is customary among the fishermen of the northern and western coast of France, on their betrothal—which usually takes place at an early age—to some young maiden of their class, to place the wages at the end of each voyage in the hands of their *fiancees*, for safe keeping, reserving only what is sufficient for their necessary expenditure, and for the renewal of their outfits before they sail again, with a trifle beyond this amount, to pay for their small indulgences and harmless recreations. The young women having attended school when children, are generally possessed of some little education; while the boys go to sea with their relatives or friends as soon as they are of the slightest service on shipboard. Thus few among the latter know how to read or write. It is customary also with the young woman, after betrothal, to stipulate with their lover, that, previous to their marriage, some object for their mutual benefit shall be attained, such as the purchase of a fishing-luggar, or a share in such a vessel, or at least the means of purchasing the needful furniture, &c., for a humble household—according to their position.

Antoine and Madeleine belonged to what may be termed the superior class of fisher-folk. Both had been left orphans at an early age, and each had inherited a few thousand francs on the death of their parents. This money had been carefully set aside—but not in a bank. The French fisher-folk, in the days of which we write, had no faith in banks, and preferred to keep their savings where they might be secure, and ready to hand when required. To these joint bequests, Antoine's wages, and Madeleine's earnings from knitting and fancy-netting in her leisure hours, had been added from time to time, until, when Antoine sailed on his last voyage, but a small addition to the savings already accumulated was needed for the accomplishment of the desired object.

Madeleine—although she had been firm in her resolve not to wed her lover until the object of their mutual ambition was secured—was no coquette. "It is now three years ago, my Antoine," she replied to her lover's question, "since we betrothed ourselves to each other in the chapel of Our Lady of Lorette. I was then but sixteen, you were nineteen years of age. I shall be twenty years old on my next birthday, three weeks hence. We have more than sufficient, Antoine, for the purchase of a luggar with everything on board complete, without counting thy profits on this last voyage. My poor old uncle, Pierre le Blanc, died soon after you sailed the last time, and left me a handsome legacy. The profits of your last voyage will be so much extra, which we can lay by, or expend on furniture and such other things as may be necessary. Perhaps, Antoine, if thou wilt, my approaching birthday may be our wedding-day?"

It is needless to state that the young fisherman was more than willing that the wedding should take place at the time mentioned by his *fiancee*. In due course the bans were published in the little village church, and on the anniversary of her birthday, Madeleine Letour and Antoine Duroc were united.

A new fishing-luggar, with masts and spars and sails and rigging all complete, was purchased; and Antoine remained at home for some months after his marriage, leisurely preparing his vessel for sea, but chiefly passing his time with his young wife. Occasionally, with the object of testing the qualities of the new vessel, which was called *The Madeleine*, the young fellow sailed for a day's fishing along the coast; but, for the first time since he was old enough to go to sea, the Honfleur fleet of luggars sailed for the far distant cod-fishery without him.

It has been hinted that when the meeting took place between the returned fishermen and their wives, sisters, and sweethearts, all present on the occasion were too full of joy to care to conceal their happiness. There was, nevertheless, one individual present who had no share in the general feeling of gladness, whose heart was, on the contrary, full of surpressed passion, hatred, and jealousy. This individual, however, was not a member of the fisher community. He was one Lucien Pierrot, the son of a rich *buorgeois* of Paris, who owned considerable property in Honfleur and its vicinity. Lucien was accustomed frequently to visit the town to receive the rents from his father's tenants, and on other matters of business; for though he was a gambler and spendthrift, and addicted to many other vices, he was an only son, and his father, though often deceived, continued to place confidence in him. During one of these visits, at the date of the annual Honfleur fair, Lucien met with Madeleine—who was visiting the fair with a party of female friends—and was struck with the grace and beauty of the fisher-girl. He sought to introduce himself to her by offering her trifling presents as "fairings;" but the fisher-folk are an exclusive class, who hold themselves aloof from strangers. Madeleine declined, bashfully, yet decidedly, to accept the proffered gifts, and strove to avoid the young man's attentions. In nowise disconcerted, however, Lucien, taking advantage of the license allowed at fair-time, attached himself to the party, in the hope of inducing Madeleine to look more favourably upon him, by ingratiating himself with her companions. All his gallantry was, however, thrown away. The young women took no heed of him; and separated for their respective abodes without bestowing one parting word or glance upon him.

Unaccustomed to be thus cavalierly treated by young women whom he honoured with his attentions, Lucien had been in the habit of using every effort to win Madeleine's affections. He dared not visit her at home in the village, for he was well aware of the pride and independence of the fisher-folk, who would stand on little ceremony with him if it became known to them that he was intruding his attentions upon one of their young people. But he contrived to meet her whenever she strolled beyond the village; and when, twice a week, she attended the market at Honfluer, he was always present, and was a frequent and liberal purchaser of the fancy wares she offered for sale. Always civil, and even polite in his manner towards her, he gave her no opportunity to complain of his conduct to her friends; yet, though she strove in every way to make it apparent to him that his presence was disagreeable to her, she was unable to shake him off. At length he grew more bold, and ventured to speak of his affection for her, and entreated her to accompany him to Paris, promising to make her his wife immediately on their arrival in that city. But he met with such a withering repulse, that he instantly regretted his temerity. The look of anger and scorn in the eyes of the young girl and the tone of her voice, told plainly that she was in earnest; and from that time, he had ceased his open persecutions. But he nevertheless resolved to gain his end by some other means. He had discovered that Madeleine was betrothed to a young fisherman; and though Antoine was personally unknown to him, Lucien conceived a mortal hatred for him, and vowed that if he failed in his object, he would find some way of revenging himself both on the young girl and her lover.

On the day when the fleet arrived in port, and the fisherwomen and girls were assembled on the wharfs, as already described, to greet their long absent husbands and lovers, Lucien also might hight have been seen skulking in the background, wrapped in a cloak, drawn up so as to conceal his features, eagerly watching the fishermen as they leaped on shore. He saw Madeleine on the wharf; and then he saw a handsome young fisherman, who, the moment he landed, was clasped in the young girl's embrace. He ground his teeth with impotent rage, and in his eagerness to get a good view of Antoine, stepped a few paces forward, and allowed the cape of his cloak to fall back.

As Antoine and Madeleine were forcing a passage through the crowd, Madeleine caught a momentary glimpse of her detested persecutor. The young girl shuddered involuntarily; and Antoine tenderly inquired whether she felt cold. Madeleine was almost inclined to acquaint her lover with the cause of her alarm; but she dreaded the immediate consequences of such a disclosure, and feeling secure in her lover's protection, she deemed it advisible to keep her secret. "Now that Antoine has returned, and our marriage will soon take place," she thought, "that bad man will see that it will be useless to trouble me any longer, and will no doubt return to Paris."

Lucien continued to follow the young couple at a distance, midway to the village. Had he dared, he would have interposed himself between the lovers; but Lucien was naturally a coward; he knew that the stalwart young fisherman would have crushed him as easily as he could have flung a child from him, and he was forced to content himself with brooding over plans of vengeance. He could do nothing just now; but he thought it probable that after her lover had gone to sea, Madeleine would be more amenable to his advances and persuasions. And if such were not the case, he believed in his power to find some means of wrecking his vengeance upon both. So he turned aside from following them further that day, and left the happy and youthful couple to the enjoyment of each other's society.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Brave Boys at Niagara.

Last week a party of Germans stopping at the Frontier House, Suspension Bridge, among whom was Morits Witmer, a wealthy brewer from Sexton, Germany, visited the "Maid of the Mist" landing for the purpose of taking a bath. At this point, it will be remembered, the current is very rapid, and to one not accustomed to the place it is perilous to venture in. Mr. Witmer, knowing nothing of the water's depth, or the swiftness of the current, got out too far, and would have been carried down the rapids but for the timely assistance rendered by two lads named Henry and William Rodgers, sons of Mr. Henry Rodgers of the Canadian Customs House at Clifton, who arrived upon the scene as the man was sinking for the third time; the boys, seeing the man in danger, at once jumped into the water, and, after a hard struggle, succeeded in rescuing him. William was the first to reach the drowning man, who grasped him by the neck with a death grip and drew him under. Henry had by this time reached the scene, and, diving, managed to release the drowning man's hold of his brother, after which the boys succeeded in getting him ashore, the whole party being thoroughly exhausted. Witnesses of the affair says it was one of the most gallant rescues ever performed on the Niagara River.

An account is given in English journals of the performance of a locomotive on the Great Northern Railroad, which recently carried the Duke of Edinburgh from Leeds to London, 186¾ miles, in three hours, or at the rate of sixty-two miles per hour. This speed has frequently been equalled, and sometimes passed for short distances, but is remarkable as the average rate for such a long journey. The engine had driving wheels eight feet in diameter, or two feet larger than the wheels of American engines. To accomplish the trip in the time given, the wheel must have made 219 revolutions per minute, or more than 39,000 in three hours.

TOPICS FOR WOMEN.

WHEN TO PROPOSE.

A woman must have satisfied her hunger twice before she is ready to regard love-making with any satisfaction. Before breakfast her system is chilled and her blood dispersed through her body. After breakfast it concentrates itself in the digestive functions, and it is not until after lunch that she is prepared to abandon business activity for the realization of the ideal. Even then a proposition is unsafe, unless you are able to detect the instant when digestion terminates and discontent supervenes. Students of the fair sex agree that at this momont the conditions are favorable, but nothing is more difficult to others than medical men than to recognize the change, and if the discontent which seizes upon every woman at some time in the afternoon is permitted to assume sway before the declaration is made, the inevitable result is disappointment. There is but one way to overcome these conditions, and that is to project some excursion for the afternoon if business or other untoward obstacles make an afternoon declaration a necessity. But even this plan is open to serious objections. The average girl naturally shrinks from *al fresco* embraces, and sees an incongruity in daylight and love-making. Still, if the excursion be sufficiently romantic, she may excuse her preferences, for as there is no reason whatever in the love of a woman, there is no selfishness, and she is consequently prepared to make sacrifices. Marvellous successes have been attained at such time, though many a pleasant drive-way has been strewn with pitiful failures, and the waves of thousands of lovely lakes show the wreck of full many a hope shining through.

COMFORTS.

Sooner or later, friends, the time for folded hands will come to us all. Whether or not we cease from hurry and worry now, we shall one day shut our eyes upon it, and lie still untroubled by the stir and fret of things about us. Why not take comfort as we go?

You, proud mother of a beautiful, active boy, of what use will it be to you to remember how exquisitely fine was his raiment, how daintily spread his bed, and how profuse his costly toys? What the child needs is mothering brooding, tender resting on your heart; and he needs it every step of the way from babyhood to manhood. The comfort of your opportunities. Never mind though the dress be coarse, and the food plain, and the playthings few, but answer the questions, tell the stories, spare the half hour at bed time, and be merry and gay, confidential and sympathetic with your boy.

And you, whose graceful young daughter is just blushing out into the bloom and freshness of a wondrously fair womanliness, do not be so occupied with your ambition for her advancement in life that you let her ways and your own fall apart. Why are her friends, her interests, and her engagements so wholly distinct from yours? Why does she visit here and there and receive visitors from this and that home, and you scarcely know the people by sight? You are losing precious hours, and the comfort you ought to take is flying fast away on those wings of time that are never overtaken.

The Cost of Dead Relatives in China.

In an entertaining, illustrated article in the September *Century* on "Ningpo and the Buddhist Temples," Miss Constance F. Gordon Cumming describes as follows the great expense to which the living are put to in China on account of the dead:

Great indeed are the expenses entailed on the living by the dead. In no land can the loss of a kinsman be more seriously felt. To begin with, there are heavy funeral expenses. The body must be dressed in fine new clothes, and another good suit must be burnt, as also the boots and shoes, most of his wardrobe, his bed and bedding, and the things most essential to his comfort when living, for he is supposed to require all these in the unseen world; and though paper representations are useful later, the real articles are needed for the original outfit. Then a handsome coffin is essential, and the priests must be largely paid for funeral services at the house of the deceased, and again for their services in ascertaining the lucky day for burial—while a professor of *fung shui* must also be paid, to choose the exact spot where they may safely prepare the grave so that the dead may be shielded from the evil influences which proceed from the north, and encompassed by all the good which breathes from the south. From the 10th to the 17th day after death, the priest, whether Taoist or Buddhist, hold services in the house, to protect the living from the inroads of hosts of spirits who are supposed to crowd in, in the wake of their new friend, and as all the relatives and friends of the family must be entertained as well as the priests, this is another heavy item of expense. In short, many families are often permanently impoverished by the drain to which they are thus subjected, and which, in the form of masses, for the departed and offerings at his grave or before his tablet, are certain to recur again and again. To omit them would be to incur the anger of the spiteful dead, who are now in a position to avenge themselves on the living, by inflicting all manner of sickness and suffering. Besides, if the priests know that there is any possibility of extaacting money from a family by playing on their feelings, they pretend to have had revelations from the spirit world, showing the unfortunate dead to be tortured in purgatory, and that the only means by which he can be extricated is by a fresh course of costly services in the house. The price to be paid for these is fixed at the highest sum which they judge it possible to extract—say a thousand dollars, and though the family may remonstrate and endeavor to make a better bargain, it generally ends in their raising every possible coin, and even selling their jewels to procure the necessary sum which shall free their dead from suffering, and also secure his protection and good-will. The sums thus expended in connection with the worship of the dead are almost incredible. I heard a calculation once made by one well entitled to know what he spoke of, to the effect that fully thirty million dollars are anually expended in China at the three great festivals in honor of the dead; while, in addition to the above, by calculating the average expenditure of each family at a dollar and a half a year, he computed that fully a hundred and fifty million dollars are annually spent in quieting the spirits.

APHORISMS.

He that would govern others, first ...
The master of himself.

—Mas...

The man that dares traduce because ...
With safety to himself is not a man.

—Co...

Better to be despised for too anxi... prehensions than ruined by too conf... security.—*Burke.*

Deference is the most complicate, ... indirect and the most elegant of all ... ments.—*Shenstone.*

A good word is on easy obligation; ... to speak ill requires only our silence, ... costs us nothing.—*Tillotson.*

Conceit is to nature what paint is t... ty; it is not only needless, but impare... it would improve.—*Pope.*

To smile at the jest which plants ... in another's breast, is to become a pr... in the mischief.—*Sheridan.*

Trust him little who praises all, hi... who censures all, and him least who i... ferent about all.—*Lavater.*

Lamentation is the only musician ... always, like a screech-owl, alight... sits on the roof of an angry m... *Plutarch.*

The covetous person lives as if the ... were made altogether for him and not f... world; to take in everything and part ... nothing.—*South.*

I think the first virtue is to restra... tongue; he approaches nearest the ... who knows how to be silent, even thou... is in the right.—*Cato.*

Power and liberty are like heat and ... ture, where they are well mixed, every... prospers; where they are single, the... destructive.—*Saville.*

Employment, which Galen calls ... ture's physician," is so essential to h... happiness that indolence is justly consi... as the mother of misery.—*Burton.*

Run not into debt, either for ware... or money borrowed; be content to ... things that are not of absolute neces... rather than to run up the score.—*S... Hale.*

Can wealth give happiness? Look round ... see
What gay distress! what splendid miser...
Whatever fortune lavishly can pour,
The mind annihilates, and calls for more.

—*You...*

In private conversation between int... friends, the wisest men very often talk ... the weakest; for indeed the talking wi... friend is nothing else but thinking alou... *Addison.*

The ordinary employment of artifice i... mark of a petty mind, and it almost alw... happens that he who uses it to cover him... in one place, uncovers himself in anothe... *La Rochefoucauld.*

It is with antiquity as with ancestry... tions are proud of the one, and individ... of the other; but if they are nothing in th... selves, that which is their pride ought t... their humiliation.—*Colton.*

I do not mean to expose my ideas t... genious ridicule by maintaining that ev... thing happens to every man for the best; ... I will contend that he who makes the ... use of it fulfills the part of a wise and g... man.—*Cumberland.*

How Fashions are Started.

The Austrian Empress, while on a l... country excursion with her usual reti... stopped at an inn for refreshments. B... heated, she took off her bonnet and hun... on the back of a chair, where a playful pu... made such mischief with it before anybo... attention was attracted as to render it u... for further wear. Of course, every lady ... the party offered her own hat in the plac... the one that was damaged, but the Empr... took the whim to finish the excursion w... out any other head covering than that s... plied by nature. Being observed in t... fashion by some ladies of the stylish wo... who are eager to imitate anything t... royalty does, the practice of appearing ... public without hat or bonnet came into g... eral vogue. The morning promenades ... came marked by the presence of numer... elegantly arranged heads of hair devoid ... any covering, and on Sunday the same ... shion was followed in church. To such e... tent was this becoming the rage, says t... Vienna *Tageblatt*, that milliners gr... alarmed, and clamored at court about ... whereupon an explanation of the cause ... the Empress's hatless excursion was issu... from official sources, and published to t... social world. This put an end to the n... fashion, hatmakers were happy once mo... and fashionable circles were again at pea...

A Discreet Young Lady on her Trave...

"May I open the window for you, Mis... politely inquired a gentleman of a you... lady on the Northern Pacific road, as ... saw her tugging at a sash that had not r... covered from the preceding winter.

She glared at him a moment, and gave ... reluctant consent.

"Folks can't be too careful who th... speak to or accept favors from," she rema... ed, after a long pause.

"That's very true," replied the gent... man quietly.

"Are you a Boston drummer?" she i... quired.

"No, I am not," he answered.

"A hotel clerk?"

"No, not a hotel clerk."

"I am glad of that," said she; "I neve... let a drummer or a hotel clerk speak to m... Maybe you're an actor?"

"No, nor an actor."

"That's first-class," she exclaimed, show... ing her dimples and becoming more a... more confidential. "If an actor shou... speak to me I'd die. What is your bus... ness?"

"I'm a barkeeper, and I'm travelli... West to get a Territorial divorce from m... wife," explained the gentleman.

"Oh, I'm so glad!" giggled the gi... "Reach down my satchel; there's a bottle ... whiskey and a pack of cards in it. I'll pl... you an old game of California Jack for $5 ... corner! I like to meet gentlemen, and ... know 'em when I see 'em. Ask that ba... headed duffer across there if he's got a cork... screw, will you?"

Some hotel clerk must have have origin... ted the expression "There is always roo... at the top."

The Game of Chess.

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

...you are happy. I have found conten...
...not think of all she might have lent
...r kind love and presence to my life.
...me is past for that—she is your wife.
...ream is over now, so wild and sweet—
...at best a dear, delicious cheat.
...sit calmly by and see her look,
...two play, steal slyly from her book,
...est with deep devotion on your face.
...with cold indifference, can trace
...likeness in her child, and even take
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the lane,
Your wife and I—she then was Florence V...
To where a stile abruptly stops the way;
We had been there before that very day.
...e stood and looked upon the scene; and...
...od with her. Field, and woods, and s...
We're all aglow; the clouds burned cri...
fires;
...e scented winds woke love-impassioned...
Within the groves; meanwhile the drows...
...nt slowly home, yet spoke we not a w...
The weary robin, with his bleeding breas...
...w by to nestle in his downy nest;
And all the landscape faded to the sight,
...ving the creek a winding streak of li...
..., glimmering through the pallid mist...
...ene and splendid rose the evening sta...
Something—perhaps the spirit of the hou...
Made me a little bold, and gave me pow...
Unusual over language; then I took
The hand you hold, and sought her do...
look.
I could not tell if most she frowned or bl...
But when she spoke all other sound...
hushed.
Why tell her answer? Let it now suffic...
To learn the sequel in her married eyes.
You have my queen! That comes of c...
play,
An idle thought of that autumnal day.
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In losing her I've fairly mated you.
The game is mine. The game of Life a...
I would not change my lot now since th...
That held me fast is broken. You may ...
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How the Great Establishment ... Bosphorous is Conducted.

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The Seraglios—for there are two, the new one, where the court of the reigning Sultan resides, and the old one to which the favorites of departed Sultans are relegated—harbour between them some 4,000 persons, and are a source of ruinous expense to the treasury. Not only are the allowances of the sultans, kadines, ikbals (favorites), and guieuzdes (aspirant favorites) large, but the ways of the palace are extravagant. Each of the imperial ladies has her diara, or retinue of companions, male and female servants; and all these people scatter gold about without counting whenever they have a whim to satisfy.

Sultans do not contract regular marriages, and the reigning lady at the Seraglio is never the Sultan's wife, but his mother. She bears the title of Sultana Valide, and all the inmates of the Seraglio owe her servile obedience. Her household consists of about 200 servants and guards. Next to her in rank comes the hasnadar ousta, or mistress of the treasury, who is generally a shrewd old women, promoted from the ranks of domesticity for her talents in gossip and housekeeping. If the Sultana Valide dies the basnader succeeds her as queen of the Seraglio; and this arrangement sometimes lead to strange consequences.

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A girl in the Seraglio, even if she be a simple cavedji or coffee bearer, becomes a guieuzdes or aspirant favorite from the mere fact of the Sultan's making a complimentary remark on her. The word is derived from guienz, eye, and it means a girl who has attracted the master's glance. If, for instance, his Majesty, while visiting one of his relatives, remarks carelessly, "What a pretty girl that is who brought in the coffee," the damsel is at once and without further parley promoted to the rank of guieuzdi, which gives her a suite of apartments, a daira and a claim on the imperial exchequer the remainder of her life, or until such time as the Sultan finds her a husband.

As every one who marries from the Seraglio takes with her her clothes, jewels, furniture, servants, carriage and a lump sum in money, which often amounts to thousands of dollars, it may be imagined how the civil list is mulcted when there are many aspirant favorites. After the Sultan's favorites precedency is given to the kadines—*effendis*, mother of some prince or princess; then to the Sultanas, unmarried princesses of the blood, and finally, to the foster sisters of the sultans, or princes and princesses of the blood. Foster parents and their children are always regarded as permanent members of a Turk's household, and during several years Nahir Hanoun, Abdul Medjid's foster sister, held a paramount influence in his household.

Coming now to the male members of the Seraglio, we find in addition to the necessary staff of chamberlains, secretaries, eunuchs, scullions and cooks, a corps of 200 pages and musicians, and a very army of barbers shampooners, tasters of the Sultan's food, athletes, buffoons, ram fighters, astrologers and grooms. The ram fighters were appointed to amuse Abdul Aziz, but they have been maintained by the present Sultan because it is almost impossible to dismiss any one who has once held office in any palace without giving him a pension. The same may be said of the astrologers, whose functions have become a sinecure, though they are occasionally summoned into the haremlik to entertain the ladies by fortune telling. As for the buffoons and dwarfs, they have always been numerous, for ladies living in seclusion must be made to laugh when time hangs heavy on their hands and when the music and jigging of the dancing girls begin to pall. These dancing girls form a corps 300 strong, and as they are splendidly dressed and richly fed, they cost more to keep than a cavalry regiment. I need not enumerate the staff of servants and officials required for the stables (which contain 500 horses), for the kitchen the baths and gardens, nor yet the staff of court priests, but enough has been said, perhaps, to warrant the inference that the Sultan's court is at once the costliest and laziest in the world.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

ALL SORTS.

The path of glory in Egypt at the present time seems to be the tow-path.

The best time to go fishing is when there is a mackerel sky.

Steamships have rolling stock when they carry live cattle.

Many people think Ananias was an amateur fisherman.

Large ears indicate patience and agility. Witness the donkey and jack-rabbit.

A 2-year old calls a rainbow "Jumbo." Barnum did it, with his little "add."

Lightening struck a brewery the other night, and made everything hop.

The Speaker of the House is generally known as the chair, so called because he is sat down on so often.

The life of a locomotive is only thirty years. This is another warning to inveterate smokers.

Two styles of consolation: A man's—"Just what I expected." A woman's—"I told you how it would be."

Boarding house logic: Whom the gods love die young. The gods do not love spring chicken.

The average hotel waiter is a perfect prodigy at cards—he takes everything with his tray.

It is a mistake to think that the bubble reputation is always fooling around the mouth of a cannon.

No man that ever lived can clinch an argument without riveting his opponent's attention.

"I say, Charley, lend me a match: "Can't do it, old boy; I'm very short; but if five dollars will do you any good—"

Nay, nay, my son; Arabi Bey was not a driver of one of the Egyptian canals when he a was boy, but he is now a boss lock-tender.

So they have got a corner on tanbark, have they? Well, well; that accounts for the different flavor of boarding house coffee of late.

M. Lherie, another French tenor, has turned out to be a baritone. He has been obliged to cancel a few tenor engagements.

The number of cards in a pack being fifty-two suggests that "seven-up" is the proper game to play once a week for a year.

Miss Lilliphace says she uses powder merely to take the shine off her face, but Fogg thinks she uses it to take the shine of other women's faces.

"How to Travel," is the title of a little book just out. How to get the money to travel with is the most serious question of the flitting season.

There are forty Chinese watchmakers in San Francisco. Watches must be made to "go," whatever may happen to the Chinese.

Timid persons, afraid of steamboats, will be pleased to know that George Decker, who made the first trip on Fulton's craft, is still alive and hearty.

The man that is born to be hanged will never be drowned, but it is best never to venture too far beyond your depth, young man, for all that.

No, Peter, the aphorism "Silence is golden," is based on error. There is many a professor in a deaf mute asylum who earns a good salary without ever saying a word.

No, Arabella, the captains and lieutenants in the army are not all minors, though it is true that a soldier never reaches his majority till he becomes a field officer.

London is complaining of homeless cats left to wander about the streets, while their owners are out of the city. Shades of Dick Whittington, can such things be?

At a recent sale of relics in London a medal struck off in 1565 brought £840. Our readers missed a bonanza by not having a few medals struck off that year.

A poor philosopher put blacking on that portion of his stockings which showed through the hole in his boot, and then said: "It is the care of a very great part of mankind to conceal their indigence from the rest."

If there is no rain for awhile some crops will be ruined, and if there is rain crops are bound to be spoiled. This is gathered from a careful summary of a great many agricultural remarks.

A weak woman may look a hardened villain in the eye and break up his purpose. If a mouse comes near her she will jump up on a chair and yell murder. It is the unexpected that gets away with courage.

A woman is generally happy when she is worrying about some trivial matter. If you wish to see this paradox exemplified just go to a family picnic in the woods when the ants are playing hide and seek in the grub basket.

Barnum's next is to be a white elephant. He has applied to the King of Siam for the loan of one. If he fails to get one he will probably whitewash Jumbo, and the advertising will go on just the same as if the King were neighborly and accomodating.

A Wisconsin court has convicted a man for stealing a manuscript poem, and sentenced him to the penitentiary for one year. Unless he threatened to publish it, the sentence seems rather severe. If he had stolen a prose article no doubt he would have got ten years.

HOW AMERICANS EAT.

An Englishman Criticises the Way They Eat in the Far West.

San Francisco Letter in the New York World.

It was in the Ogden refreshment-room, waiting for the train for San Francisco, that I saw a performance which filled me with astonishment and dismay. It was a man eating his dinner. And let me here remark, with all possible courtesy, that the American is the most reprehensible eater I have ever seen. In the first place, the knives are purposely made blunt—the back and the front of the blade being often of the same "sharpness"—to enable him to eat gravy with it. The result is that the fork (which *ought* to be used simply to hold the meat steady on the plate while being cut with the knife) has to be used with great force to wrench off fragments of food. The object of the two instruments is thus materially abused, for he holds the meat down with the knife and tears it to pieces with his fork! Now, reader, don't say no. For I have been carefully studying Americans at their food (all over the West at any rate), and what I say is strictly correct. This abuse of knife and fork, then, necessitates an extraordinary amount of elbow room, for in forcing apart a tough slice of beef the elbows have to stick out as square as possible, and the consequence is, as the proprietor of a hotel told me, only four Americans can eat in a space in which six Englishmen will dine comfortably. The latter when feeding keep their elbows to their sides; the former square them out on the line of the shoulders and at right angles to their sides. The American orders a dozen "portions" of as many eatables, and the whole of his meal, after the filthy fashion of the "eating-houses" at which travellers are fed, is put before him at once. To eat the dozen or so different things he has ordered he has only one knife and fork and one teaspoon. Bending over the table he sticks his fork into a pickled gherkin, and while munching this casts one rapid, hawk-like glance over the spread viands, and then proceeds to eat. Mehercule! what a sight it is! He dabs his knife into the gravy of the steak and picks up with his fork a piece of bacon. While the one is going up to his mouth the other is reaching out for something else. He never apparently chews his food, but dabs and pecks at the dishes one after the other with a rapidity which merely as a juggling trick might be performed in London to crowded houses every day, and an impartiality that, considered as *dining*, is as savage as any meal of Red Indians or of Basutos. Dab-bab, peck-peck, grunt, growl, and snort! The spoon strikes in every now and then, and a quick, sucking-up noise announces the disappearance of a mouthful of huckleberries on the top of a piece of bacon, or a spoonful of custard pie on the heels of a radish. It is perfectly prodigious. It defies coherent description. But how on earth does he *swallow* it? Every now and then he shuts his eyes and strains his throat. This I suppose is when he swallows, for I have seen children getting rid of cake with the same sort of spasm. Yet the rapidity with which he shovels in his food is a wonder to me, seeing that he has got no "pouch" like the monkey or the pelican. Does he keep his miscellaneous food in a "crop" like a pigeon, or a preliminary stomach like a cow, and "chew the cud" afterwards at his leisure? I confess I am beaten by it. The mixture of his food, if it pleases him, does not annoy me, for if a man likes to eat mouthsful of huckleberries, bacon, apple pie, pickled mackerel, peas, mutton, gherkins, oysters, radishes, tomatoes, custard and poached eggs (this is a *bona fide* meal, copied from my note-book on the spot) in indiscriminate confusion, it has nothing to do with me.

The Richest Tin Mine in the World.

From the London Field.

To the westward of the Surrey Hills, in Tasmania, in the county of Russell, and at the distance of a hundred miles from Launceston, lies Mount Bischoff, and here a few adventurers found tin in 1872. A company was formed and workings were commenced. An eminent minerologist reported that the mountain was almost a mass of tin, the ore yielding from 70 to 80 per cent. of pure metal. Large smelting works were erected at Launceston, and in the year 1876 a thousand tons of tin were raised. Twenty-five shillings only have been paid up on each share, but the present market price is from £60 to £69, the company during the last four years having paid a dividend every two months of 10 shillings per share. A fortunate gentleman in Hobart, who expended £875 in the purchase of 760 shares in 1873, now rejoices in the receipt of £2,100 a year as the income of his investment.

Some scientific journals propose that men of science should be called "scientiates," and not "scientists," and that instead of using the phrase "scientific studies" we should rather employ "sciential studies." No doubt these changes would harmonize our expressions very closely with the Italian *scienziati* and *scienziali*, but it is exceedingly questionable whether the adoption of these new words would add much to precision of statement, when the words now in use have very definite meanings attached to them.

ECHOES OF OLD WORLD NEWS.

Of traces of the Saxon ancestors of the English race that are still to be found in various parts of Germany few instances that were not vague have been made public, but Dr. Brandet, of Gottingen, has recently found a particular district where distinct remains of these Saxons now exist. The district is near the old Prussian fortress of Minden. He found in use there a curious lot of English words, among which was "Yes" instead of "Ja" or "Jo."

Health statistics of the English garrisons in Cyprus are said to show a great improvement, especially in the case of the Royal Engineers who form the only part of the garrison that has been stationed on the island, without interruption for two years. Last year the death-rate for the entire force, numbering an average of 443 men, was about 2½ per 1,000, as compared with nearly 19 per 1,000 in the previous year. How accurate and fair these figures are it would be hard to say, but unless there has been a very remarkable and real change in the healthfulness of the Island—one, in fact, that is almost incredible—there must be something wrong about them, for they go on to say that for the same period the mortality among British troops in Canada was a little over 6½, in Bermuda a little over 9¼, and in the West Indies a little over 8½ per 1,000.

From Victoria has been forwarded, by the Irishmen there resident, to the Lord Mayor of Dublin an address expressing strong and characteristic sympathy with the movement for home rule. The Irishmen of Ireland are described as suffering "under the hoof of a foreign despotism," and their condition is compared to that of the Israelites in their degrading servitude to the Egyptians. There are nine signatures to the address, and five of them are those of members of the Legislative Assembly. Attention was called to the address in the Assembly, and the Premier was asked if he intended to take any action. He replied that he proposed to take none. One of the signers then rose in his place and declared that if he had been guilty of treason or sedition he ought to be sent before a jury of his countrymen, and he was ready to go there. He merely desired for Ireland the same legislative independence that is possessed by Victoria.

Col. John C. Gawler, who died in England a few weeks ago, has been for a number of years the keeper of the Crown jewels, or, as he was known officially, the Keeper of the Regalia at the Tower of London. He was the son of that Col. Gawler who was at one time the Governor of South Australia, and he had seen long and notable service in the British army. His first military experience was had at an early age. The year 1851 found him with the Seventy-third Regiment in the Kafir war. He surved in that campaign until 1863, and came out of it with a medal and the brevet of Major. Five years latter he was gazetted a Lieutenans-Colonel in the army, and for services in the Indian mutiny he was awarded another medal. Still later he commanded as Brigadier a considerable force in the Himalayas against the Rajah of Sakkim, taking the Rajah's residence and forcing him to submit to the British terms of surrender. He subsequently penetrated to the Thibet frontier and "served in China and Ceylon."

During the past two or three months sad reports have been received in England from Iceland concerning the state of the food supply, and official reports more recently made to the Ministry at Copenhagen now confirm them. It appears from these that the winter of 1880-81 was one of unexampled severity, and that it was followed by a cold summer, so that the hay crop of 1881 was less than half an average crop, and in consequence, a much larger portion than usual of the sheep, and even many of the cows, had to be slaughtered in the autumn. People thus were too poor to buy the corn and maize imported for fodder, and their communications with the trading-stations had been cut off by the bad weather. Thousands of live stock died, the lambing failed, the milk both of ewes and cows has been lacking, and the usual autumn trade in sheep, tallow, and wool, on which the people depend for money wherewith to buy imported necessities, is likely to fail them now. The measles, which has not been in Iceland for 36 years, has attacked Reykjavik, and is spreading over the island. In London a fund has been started at various points to aid these sufferers.

Cheap Food.

At the present high price of meat food it is a satisfaction to know that the less meat one eats in hot weather the better off one will be. And it is no less satisfactory to know that a substitute as nutritious may be found among the cheapest articles of diet. Eggs at average prices are a cheaper food than meat. According to Dr. Edward Smith, in his treatise on "Food," an egg weighing an ounce and three-quarters contains 120 grains of carbon and 17 3-4 grains of nitrogen, or 15.25 per cent. of carbon and 2 per cent. of nitrogen. The value of one pound of eggs as food for sustaining the active forces of the body to, is to the value of one pound of lean beef as 1584 to 900. As a flesh producer one pound of eggs is about equal to one pound of beef. A writer in the Boston *Journal of Chemistry* estimates that a hen may be calculated to consume one bushel of corn yearly, and to lay ten dozen, or fifteen pounds, of eggs. This is equivalent to saying that three and one-tenth pounds of corn will produce, when fed to a hen, five-sixths of a pound of eggs; but five-sixths of a pound of pork requires about five pounds of corn for its production. Taking into account the nutriment in each, and the comparative prices of the two on an average, the pork is about three times as costly as egg, while it is certainly less healthful.

The largest sailing vessel afloat was launched at Belfast, Ireland, recently. She was built by Harland, Wolff & Co., and was named the Walter H. Wilson. Her measurement is 300 feet by 42½ feet by 25 feet. She will be classed 100 A 1 at Lloyd's. She is built of iron, has four masts, three of which are square rigged, and is capable of carrying 4,000 tons dead weight.

TARANTULAS FIGHTING.

The Remarkable Battle of Spiders that Lasted Six Hours.

Among other curiosities brought here were two huge Arizona tarantulas, both of which were full grown. One was of the brown, and the other of the black variety. The brown fellow was caged in a common cigar box, and the black one in a glass jar. As they could not be exhibited to advantage in contrivances of this kind, and as they were not very pleasant company to have running about loose, a box almost two feet square, with a glass top, was procured, on the bottom of which a layer of sand was spread to make the animals feel at home. The cover was then drawn, and the two spiders pitched into it from their separate cages.

No sooner did the one discover the other's presence than they rushed at each other as viciously as two panthers, and immediately closed in deadly embrace. They came together with a bound, and then twining their long, hairy legs about each other rolled over and over in the sand, biting each other savagely, and then tugging with all their might, as if endeavoring to crush each other by sheer muscular power. Incredible as it may seem, this sort of warfare was kept up for six hours, during most of which time it could not be seen that either was gaining the slightest advantage, as neither showed any sign of disposition to end the fight except by the death of his adversary. At last the black one succumbed and rolled over dead on the sand, while the victor immediately proceeded to reap the spoils of his long battle.

Seizing his vanquished enemy in his stout horns or pincers, or whatever contrivance he has for that purpose, he rapidly tore him limb from limb and coolly proceeded in cannibalistic style, to make a meal of him. In a very short time nothing was left except a little pile of legs and pieces of shell to mark the spot where one tarantula had fallen and another had dined.—*Denver Tribune.*

Alexandria as it Was.

We very quickly found our way to the bazaars, "to mingle with the strange and turbaned crowd," those marvelous throngs of picturesque life; new forms, animate and inanimate; new sounds, new human beings, new animals, mingled beauty and dirt, of which no description can convey the slightest idea—nothing but actual sight. The fruit market, full of things as yet unknown and untasted—the market for such game as is brought from Lake Mareotis, and treasures of every description brought here from every corner of the eastern world by those long strings of patient, heavy-laden camels; crockery, saddlery, gold and silver embroidery, the scarlet fez, the yellow slippers, (with turn-up toes, for the exclusive use of the faithful,) fire-arms, glittering swords and daggers, gorgeous raiment of needlework, from the coarsest stuff to the rarest brooches, of material and color alike rich and harmonious; jeweled pipes, spices, carved wood and ivory, sweetmeats, rich stuffs woven by patient hands, playthings—many stalls together dealing in the same article. For just as in London you expect to find bankers in Lombard-street, silk-weavers in Spitalfields, coach-builders in Long Acre, watch-makers in Clerkenwell, &c., so in the East each trade has its own bazaar—the silk-weavers, the copper-smiths, the saddlers, letter-writers, the dealers in Moorish, Turkish, Persian, or Algerian stuffs, each cluster together in their own corner. But the chief charm of these bazaars lies in the throng of human beings of all sorts and kinds; the almost bewildering medley of voices talking "every man his own tongue wherein he was born;" the perpetual motion, the intensity of colors, the vivid sunlight, the cool, deep shadows. It is curious to stand beside the dealer in fire-arms and watch the simple process of manufacture. The workman, sitting on his counter, holds a long wire between his toes, and, slowly winding it around the tin barrel produces a lethal weapon which would astonish Purdie or Lancaster. It is a fowling-piece which a British sportsman would regard with awe if required to fire it; nevertheless, it proves fatal to a vast number of snipe and quail, and rarely leads to any accident. Those yellow slippers, too, are worthy of notice. The orthodox bright yellow dye with which the leather is stained is obtained from the rinds of pomegranates. Every blue-robed woman whom you meet probably carries on her head a great flat basket of fruits and vegetables, her little marketing for the day; or else on the shoulder sits a quaint Eastern baby, and a group of bigger children clustered round her—little creatures whose large, calm eyes would be so beautiful were it not for flies and filth; but, alas! as some one suggested, "What is beauty without soap?" (and, indeed, soap seems a thing unknown in Egypt, or at least wonderfully precious, judging from the prices charged for washing!) As to those poor dark-eyed little ones, their mothers keep them filthy on purpose, lest any one passing should admire them, and so excite the envy of evil spirits. Moreover, they believe it strengthens the sight to paint the eyelids of even the youngest baby with khol, a mixture of soot and antimony, which is carefully applied with a silver bodkin. This certainly makes the eye look immensely large, but painfully unnatural. Then, the amount of ophthalmia is something frightful. It is due chiefly to the intense dryness of the atmosphere and the subtle, impalpable dust which forever floats in the air above the crowded city. Exceeding dirt also does its part, while the swarms of flies which cluster on the sores, and there revel undisturbed, are a sight to fill you with disgust. Of course, they carry infection to the next eye on which they settle, and so the loathsome disease spreads, and that with such frightful rapidity that sometimes the whole eye is reduced to a mere opaque pulp within 24 hours, even when the sufferer is otherwise in perfect health. The consequent amount of blindness is startling, and I believe the computation is that one man in six has lost the sight of either one or both eyes.—*Gentleman's Magazine.*

Always fashionable: The toothpick boot is going out of fashion, 'tis said. But the broad, easy-swinging boot worn by vigorous men of about fifty, with marriageable daughters, will never go out of fashion, young man, never. Keep out of its reach.

THE STANDARD.

THURSDAY, SEP. 7.

THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAW AT MARKDALE.

At the close of the court held to adjudicate on the thirty-two village cases, a general conversation took place on the cases, the method of bringing them up before the court, and the irregularity which caused the dismissal of all the cases under the Health act. Messrs. Elliot and Struthers, magistrates who had decided the cases were present, also Wm. Brown, Esq., J. P. who said that had he issued the summons or adjudicated, the cases would not have come to the conclusion that they had. Mr. Brown admitted nevertheless that the decision was "quite right," still in the first place he would not have issued the summons without advising the plaintiff on the steps he was taking. This puts the magistrate in the position of counsel for the plaintiff, and judge of the case at one and the same time ! surely this is not at all a desirable state of things. The plaintiff has in no case any more right to an exposition of the law than has the defendant, if either are in ignorance of the law, let them abide the consequence. In the second place Mr. Brown said he would have fined every one of the defendants, giving them (what they already possessed) right to appeal, this would have been another undesirable feature in law administration, for the magistrate would be acting without the statutes as no statute provides for a fine in the cases as they were brought forward, in fact the magistrate, by fining the delinquents wouldbe law maker and law administrator. Mr. Brown said that none of the defendants would go to the expenses of appealing although he admitted that if they did appeal the original conviction would be quashed, or very heavy expenses incurred. A magistrate's duty is certainly not to be counsel for plaintiff, nor make a "moral law" and convert upon said moral law, in opposition to the statutes of the country. His duty is rather to administer the law as he finds it and this the justices of the peace who tried these cases have done, not rashly, but with considerable thought and even the advice of the county attorney.

We are sorry Mr. Brown thus expressed himself and trust that he was actuated by a desire solely to suppress and remove the abominations which have abounded in our village.

FORD'S MILL MARKDALE.

We are always pleased to notice any alterations or improvements which tend to the advancement of our village, either agriculturally, socially, financially, religiously, or from a purely business point of view. Perhaps the greatest improvement, which has been introduced into the village of late is the building of vastly improved machinery to convert grain into flour at Mr Ford's mill. Perhaps many of our readers' knowledge of a miller's business is confined entirely to the information contained in a scripture passage which informs us that two woman were grinding in a field when one was taken and the other was left, the process at that time being the simple one of passing the grain between two stones, one of which was turned by the hand. From that system of grinding to that now being carried on at Ford's mill, the leap is a great one, and without puzzling the reader with a list of incomprehensible terms we will endeavour to show our readers the benefit they may derive from improved mill machinery and appliances existing in our thriving town.

The first machine to be noticed is a wheat brushing, polishing, and finishing machine; this takes the wheat after it has left the smut machine, removes from it all remaining dust, and other impurities which heretofore have passed with the grain between the stones; many will say oh ! the grain is clean enough : So we thought till we saw a room in one corner of the mill covered some 6 inches deep with dust and dirt which is deposited here by the Machine, and this dirt comes off the wheat before it passes through the stones, hitherto a great part of this passed into the flour bag as flour, henceforth it will be left behind being unfit for human food. while we were in the mill some fall wheat was brought in to be ground, we compared a sample of it as it was brought in with a handful as it passed into the hopper and the difference was great indeed. Another introduction is a dust exhaust, which draws the moisture from the stones, hitherto the moisture which forms about the stones during the grinding process has passed into the flour, and formed into little pasty substances, now it is drawn from the stones by means of this exhaust and passes away.

A third machine is a bran duster.

A fourth new feature is a 8-reel bolt chest with double conveyers, Mr. Ford is now laying himself out not only for the manufacture of superior flour for the people of the district but also for a complete merchant trade, and to do this successfully this bolt chest has been introduced. This applies also to a new packing chest, capable of holding 80 barrels of flour, situated in or immediately above a new flour packing machine. This is an apparatus for packing flour for shipment either in barrels or bags, the flour as it enter the barrels is pressed down with an arrangement something like the screw of a steamship, packing the flour into the smallest possible compass. Beyond this Mr. Ford has also put in another run of stones together with turbine wheel, &c, to be used solely for chopping feed.

Before the introduction of these improvements, Mr. Fords' mill was second to none within many miles for the manufacture of flour, but now he is in a position not only to make a better class of flour for those who favour him with their gristing, but also to carry on a large shipping trade The farmers will have the benefit of the improvements on the grain turned into flour here, and at the same time Mr. Ford will be able to compete successfully with others in the manufacture of flour for foreign markets.

A leak in the mill dam which has baffled all endeavours to remedy for some years, has been overcome and thus increased power obtained.

The machinery is from Mr J. G. Grey, of Toronto, and is the best obtainable.

Mr E. P. Caye, of Thistletown has executed the millwright's work.

Messrs Moffat Bros. of our own town have constructed all the shafting, pulleys, fittings. &c. This has all been done by Messrs. Moffat in a highly satisfactory manner. Mr J. W. Ford is loud in his praises of the execution of the work done for him at our Markdale Foundry.

CHATSWORTH.

From our own Correspondent.

A young son of Mr Daniel Black, received a severe cut on thr head by being thrown off a young horse on which his father had placed him to see how he could ride.

Mr Heming, merchant, leaves here about the 15th to open grocery store at Meaford. Mr Wm. Ross, of Owen Sound, will start branch store at Mr Heming's old stand.

At a public meeting held here last Friday evening, it was decided to buy one of Dobbin's fire engines to cost about $125.

Whether John Charlton did or did not leave 63 cents of his school taxes unpaid in 1875, sure enough his lot of 50 acres was advertised for sale for taxes, unawares to him, in 1878, and 40 acres of it sold, the purchaser being the well-known McLellan, formerly of Durham, and who recently decamped from Toronto, leaving many creditors to sigh for him. McLellan mortgaged the property for $800, and the first that Charlton knows of it was the other day when he received notice from the loan company to give up possession peaceably, rather than be forcibly ejected. Mr Charlton claims that he holds receipt in full for school taxes 1775, and the collector for that year says he remembers distinctly having received them. There will doubtless be some trouble about it ; and here is proof how important a thing it is to take the local paper. and be interested in its contents.

A span of horses belonging to Mr. W. Ferguson, con. 6, Sullivan, ran away on Wednesday last, coming in contact with a grain cradle, cut itself so badly about the fetlock as to bleed to death in half-an-hour.

Rev. Jas. Cameron returned home from his trip to the Sault on Thursday last, after an absence of four weeks.

BERKELEY.

Spring wheat rather rusty.

Oats and peas are an average crop,

In threshing fall wheat, the yield has proved 30 to 35 bushels per acre,

Daily mail at Berkeley ; this is another lift for the village.

Mr W. Sargeant is exhibiting his load-lifter at Toronto.

PRICEVILLE.

From our own Correspondent.

Quietness prevails.

Large quantity of grain out yet.

A Wedding party passed through here on Tuesday.

Rev. D. McLeod is very ill. He is on the mend however.

R. Robertson is buying grain ; a few loads were delivered last week at $1 per bushel.

We compliment you on the great improvement you have made in the Standard.

Mr A. Webster has sold his new brick grist and flour mill to Mr Robert McGowan, of the Ontario Mills, Oshawa for $1,000. Mr McGowan will put in the machinery at once, and push the mill to completion with all possible speed.

FLESHERTON.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr McPherson is spending a few days east.

Flesherton Hotel is vastly improved by its new coat of veneer. The outbuildings have alsobeen painted, and the hotel made attractive and an ornament to the village.

The Cheese Factory business is increasing Sidewalks have had a share of attention.

On Saturday last at Dundalk a base ball match was played between the 'Stars' of Markdale, and 'Odd & Even' Dundalk, resulting in a victory for the visitors.

Stars	r.	o,	Odd & Even	r.	o
McDougal	4	4	Glazier	3	4
Sproule	4	3	Melaney	3	3
Brown	5	1	McGregor	4	2
Richardson	5	2	Mercer	4	2
Hill	2	4	McKay	3	3
Munshaw	3	2	Morgan	2	4
Gibson	2	2	Maltby	3	2
Vogan	1	4	Rundle	4	2
Rose	1	5	Booth	0	5
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Scor.—Peterson and Benson.
Ump.—H. Telford.

A New Catechism in Drayton.

Q—What is rheumatism ?

A—Rheumatism is a humorous sensation that causes men to rub their joints with St. Jacobs Oil, play practical jokes, throw things around, wear crutches and stay indoosrs, swathed in red flannel.-- *Drayton (O.) New Era.*

Q.—What is St. Jacobs Oil ?

A—A peculiar substance of a very penetrating nature, which causes rheumatism to leave the system astonishingly puick,—insuring evenness of temper thereby, and ability to do one's work satisfactorily. It banishes crutches, retires flannels, produees happiness, and brings us down to a serene old age without the martyrdom of pain.—*Excange.*

EARS FOR THE MILLION

FOO CHOO'S BALSAM OF SHARK'S OIL positively Restcres the Hearing, and is the Only Absolute Cure for Deafness known. This Oil is abstracted from peculiar species of small White Shark, caught in the Yellow Sea, known as CARCHARODON RONDELETII. Every Chinese fisherman knows it. Its virtues as a restorative of hearing were discovered by a Buddhist Priest were discovered about the year 1410. Its cures were so numerous, and many so seemingly miraculous, that the remedy was officially proclaimed over the entire Empire. Its use becamc so universal, that for over 300 years no Deafness has existed among the Chinese people. Sent, charges prepaid, to any address at $1.00 per bottle.

Hear what the Deaf say :

It has performed a miracle in my case.

I have no unearthly noises in my head, and hear much better.

I have been greatly benefited.

My deafness helped a great deal—think another bottle will cure me.

Its virtues are unquestionable and its curative character absolute, as the writer can personally testify, both from experience and observation. Write at once to Haylock and Jenney, 7 Dey Street, New York, enclosing $1 and you will receive by return a remedy that will enable you to hear like anybody else, and whose curative effects will be permanent. You will never regret doing so."—EDITOR OF MERCANTILE REVIEW.

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For the County of Grey.

AGENT for the following reliable Companies :
CITIZENS', of Montreal,
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A number of Choice Farms for sale, also Village Lots.

Auction Sales conducted in Town or Country on Shortest Notice. Charges moderate, Bills, Blank Notes, and Stamps provided,

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MARKDALE, May 20th. 1881. 26-1y

A WORD OF CAUTION.

Beware of Opiates and powerful astringent drugs in the treatment of Bowel Complaints they may lull the pain and check Diarrhœa, etc., but are liable to produce inflammation. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is guaranteed safe and reliable even for infants, and is a specific for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Colic, Acute or Chronic Diarrhœa and summer complaints generally.

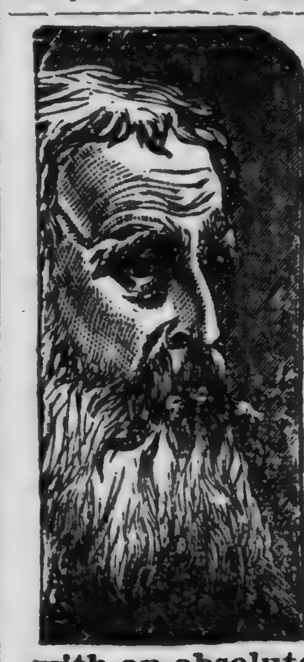
John Reid, police inspector, has stopped his paper and paid up. If in all things he did his duty thusly, he would do well. But as in many things he does his duty spitefully, he does ill. Friend Reid, we shall not cease to speak freely on your account.

DYSPEPSIA.

Is the most common of all diseases, and under ordinary drug treatment the most difficult to cure, it is a chronic weakness of the stomach with indigestion. The sensitive mucous membrance coating the stomach becomes irritated, and nearly all that enters the stomach continues to add fuel to the fire. Heartburn and sour eructions, belching of wind, Nausea, headache, variable Appetite, Costive Bowels, etc., are its prominent symptoms. Burdock Blood Bitters is a positive cure for this miserable diseases.

We regret to learn that a child of Mr. Campbell's of Flesherton, was run over by Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, of Markdale, and had its leg broken. Mr. McDiarmid did his best to save the little one.

Robert A. Wilson, Dispensing Chemist, Brockville, says under date of June 5th, '82, "I have not the slightest hesitation in saying that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has given my customers more satisfaction than any medicine in my store for the cure of summer complaints ; Diarrhoea, Dysentery, pain in the stomach, sea sickness, Piles etc., you can use my name etc ,



WILL YOU EXCHANGE a case of Dyspepsia or Biliousness for 75 cents? It is awfully unwise to agonize under the many ailments arising from Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Disordered Stomach and Liver, when this offer is made to you in your own home in all sincerity, with an absolute certainty of curing you.

ZOPESA (from Brazil) cures Dyspepsia and Biliousness. A single dose relieves; a sample bottle convinces; a 75 cent bottle cures.

It acts directly upon the Stomach, Liver, and Kidneys.

Cleansing, Correcting, Regulating, Zopesa gives energy and vim to the Brain, Nerve, and Muscle, simply by working wonders upon the Digestion, and giving activity to the Liver.

Cut this out, take it to any dealer in medicines, and get at least one 75 cent bottle of Zopesa, and tell your neighbor how it acts. It is warranted to cure Dyspepsia and Biliousness.

SEEING IS BELIEVING.

GENTLEMEN,—
If you want a first-class
Buggie or Wagon
call at
MCKENNA & MASON'S
CARRIAGE WORKS
MARKDALE.
They can supply you with anything from a
Lumber Wagon
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To buy from them is to
SAVE MONEY!

They are both practical workmen, and employ none but
PRACTICAL WORKMEN

They guarantee their work
Second to none for Lightness of Draught and Superiority of Finish.

They use nothing but First-class White Oak for Wagons, and thrice Extra Second Growth Hickory for light work.
The immense amount of work turned out of McKenna & Mason's shop is sufficient proof of the wide reputation they enjoy for doing good work.
THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST IN THE END
Poor cheap work we positively will not take.

Special attention given to Re-Trimming and Repainting all classes of Carriage Work.

Satisfaction guaranteed (or No Pay) in
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TORONTO.—Sept. 5 to 26.
PROVINCIAL.—Kingston, Sep. 18 to 20th.
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GLENELG.—Markdale, Sept. 27th.
COLLINGWOOD.—Clarksburg, 27 & 28
EGREMONT.—Holstein, Oct. 4.
EUPHRASIA.—Rocklyn, Oct. 4.
ARTEMESIA.—Priceville, Oct. 5.
PROTON.—Dundalk. Oct. 5.
MELANCTHON,—Shelburne, Oct. 3, and 4.
HOLLAND.—Chatsworth, Oct. 10.

R. M. Heron,
Having started the
Eugenia House,
Hope to secure a share of public patronage.

The Eugenia House being close to
The Falls
Offers great attractions to those who are fond of SCENERY, as well as to those who delight in
ANGLING,
As the river both above and below the Falls abounds with SPECKLED TROUT.

M. E. HERON can safely assure the public that he is determined to do his utmost to please and accommodate all comers.

The board and accommodation shall be of the best, and he is supplied with the very best brands of LIQUORS, having resolved that the Bar shall be properly attended. Also

Good Stabling.

Moffat Bros'.
MARKDALE
Foundry!
—AND—
MACHINE WORKS,
MANUFACTURERS OF
MILL MACHINERY,
Steam Engines,
Soafting, Hangers
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PLOWS!
And Plow Points
MACHINERY REPAIRING
Done in a practical manner.

We also introduce our new
FAMILY MANGLE!
to the public. This new machine will mangle Linen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, giving them a beautiful smooth and glossy appearance. It also improves the clothes, whereas hot irons injure them. We will also manufacture
CAST-IRON GRAVE TABLETS!
with or without marble slab for name, &c. also Tomb Railings, Fall Pillars and Ornamental Cast Iron Chains for same, also all kinds of Ballustar Railings, House Fencing—plain and ornamental, Machinery Brass Castings of every description, Brass Bells, large or small.
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HORSE SHOEING
A SPECIALTY.

A CARD.
To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great Remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City.

Facts and Fanci...

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Numerous loads of apples ... brought to market.
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Miss HOLLINGSHEAD,

Begs to announce that she will sell her entire STOCK of MILLINERY GOODS, consisting of Laces, Ties, Beaded Bonnets, Sash Ribbons, Ostrich Tips and Flats, Woolen Goods, Frillings, Spanish Laces, Velvets, Silks, Satins, Fall Hats, Hat Pins, Hats, &c. &c.

Great Sale — **Best** — **Thirty Days**

Flowers from 3c. to $2.50. Feathers from 5c. to $7.00. Ribbons 2c. usually sold 10c.

The greater part of this Stock consists of New Goods, from Montreal and New York. Ladies will do well to call and see goods, and secure some

BARGAINS.

Josephine G. W. Hollingshead

MARKDALE.

Supplement to MARKDALE STANDARD, Sep. 7, 1882.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

The council met at the Townhall, Aug 15.

All the members were present.

Communications from Artemesia and Egremont respecting grants to town lines were read.

The following accounts were passed:

J. Rutherford, printing	..	$23 90
C. W. Rutledge, printing	..	21 36
S. H. McKettrick, road scrapers		28 75
R. Bull, funeral expenses, McFadyen and Wilkins		16 75
Freight on Road scrapers	..	2 55

The offer of the solicitors of Moses Leslie and John Saunders in the matter of compensation for roadway taken by township was accepted, viz: $180 for roadway on lots 99 and 100, con. 3, W. T. & G. R., and $100 for roadway on lot 22, con. 11. Deeds to be free from all incumbrance, and according to a plan made by W. R. Rombough, P.L.S., and bearing date Aug. 13, 1874.

$20 was granted for Egremont town line between lots 15 & 20; and $10 at cons. 1 and 2, being equivalents to the Egremont grants.

$40 was granted for Artemesia town line opposite ward 2 Glenelg; being equivalent to Artemesia grant.

The reeve and road commissioners were appointed to examine bridges, and make the necessary repairs.

The treasurer was authorised to accept $32 16, being in full of arrears of taxes lot 7, con. 3, E.G.R.

The following collectors were appointed: Ward 1, Robt. Moffat; 2, W.H. Arrowsmith; 3, T. Cook; 4, John Hart.

Total rates levied 7 7-10 mills on the $ exclusive of school rates.

Council adjourned till Oct. 2.

A Quebec bishop says it is a sin to wear curls. Does he refer to the spit curl, the bang, the ugly things which hang on the forehead, those made with a red-hot poker, or the natural curl? People whose hair is naturally curly should send their heads through a plaining mill.

The Game Laws.

Grouse, pheasants and partridge shall not be taken between 1st Jan. & 1st Oct.

Snipe shall not be taken between 1st Jan. & 15th Aug.

Mallard, grey duck, black duck, wood or summer duck shall not be hunted between 1st Jan. & 15th Aug.

The eggs of any of the above mentioned birds are not to be taken.

No batteries, sunken punts or night lights shall be used for taking any swine, geese, or ducks at any time.

No traps or nets shall be set for the purpose of taking game birds at any time.

Hares shall not be taken between the 1st March and 1st Sept.

Deer shall not be taken between the 15th Dec. and 1st Oct.

Best business now before the public. You can make money faster at work for us than at anything else. Capital not needed. We will start you. $12 a day and upwards made at home by the industrious. Men, women, boys and girls wanted everywhere to work for us. Now is the time. You can work in spare time only or give your whole time to the business. You can live at home and do the work. No other business will pay you nearly as well. No one can fail to make enormous pay by engaging at once. Costly outfit and terms free. Money made fast, easily and honorably. Address True & Co., Augusta, Maine.

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Brown's Household Panacea has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore Throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. "It will most surely quicken the Blood and heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted, "as it really is the best remedy in the world for Cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle. 20-ly

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The manufacture of potash is to be carried on at Shelburne.

Trimble and Wright are busy opening out in the new block.

Mrs. J. F. Sproule is moving into apartments in Reid's block.

Mr Owen, tailor has returned after taking a few weeks holiday.

Machine oil of all kinds at Haskett Bros. They keep the best.

Tomatoes, water melons, apples, oranges, &c., fresh at McIntyre's.

Mrs A Chellew of Collingwood has been visiting her Markdale friends.

Mr Butter has taken a situation at Allen's clothing store. Owen Sound.

Mr & Mrs John Sproule, and Mrs J. F. Sproule visited our village during the week.

Mr W. R. Walker, has opened out at Cookstown. May success attend him there.

John Kay is home for a few weeks: he has been to Toronto to learn shorthand.

We are indebted to Mr McFarland for a fine trout, which when cleaned weighed 2 lb.

Mr Thos. Strain has moved back from Manitoulin, and is prepared to do plastering.

Leather belting, all sizes; lace leather at Haskett Bros. Threshers, don't forget it.

Mr McFarland has had a week out camping near Bell's lake. Brought some fine trout.

Mr McFarland, and Messrs Hill are determined to have the elevators ready for the fall trade.

Many of our subscribers are complimenting us upon the great improvements in the Standard.

The school attendance is not what it should be. Many play truant oftener than is necessary.

Mr Geo. Richardson, 9th, Euphrasia, is building a handsome and commodious dwelling house.

So thick are salmon in the eddies of the Fraser cannons that canoe navigation is rendered difficult.

At Maxwell, Messrs. Hamlin & Co. are having a great clearance sale for September. See their bargains.

Always on hand at Haskett Bros. a large stock of genuine white lead, turpentine, varnish, oils, and paints in all shades.

Canada thistles are flying in every direction. A few cases brought before the J.P.'s would doubtless be benefi to the community.

Ford's mill is now in full running order. Bring the grist along. See description of improved machinery in another column.

Next week there will be a rush to the exhibition at Toronto. Return tickets single fare after the 8th. Look out for pickpockets.

Wm. Lucas & Co, bankers, Markdale have **$200,000 00** to loan on real estate. Straight loan system. No fines. Low interest. Moderate charges

On the way from Europe; new dress goods, new mantles, new shawls new tweeds, new carpets, new laces; all for W. J. McFarland, the only direct importer in Markdale.

D. Spry, Esq, P.O. Inspector visited Markdale last week. He complimented our P. M. McFarland on his conveniently arranged post office, and Miss Rorke on her efficiency.

The leading breeders of thoroughbred Durhams in Huron County have had a somewhat unusual coincidence in the reproduction of calves, as nearly all these born this year are males.

Arrived this week; Diagonal coatings, new: Scotch tweeds, new; Canadian tweeds; Silk sash ribbons; Black watered silks, and Wool breakfast shawls; at McFarland's, the leading house.

In this issue we direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of our townsman, Wilson Benson. He deals with first class houses, and he should be able to fulfil all that his advertisement says.

For 15 years has a span of horses and vehicle been running between Flesherton and Duntroon: it is now reduced to one horse and a buckboard. Many and loud are the complaints of the passengers.

A party of five spent a day of 24 hrs. 48 mins. between Markdale and Owen Sound jail on Sunday and Monday last. Sleep prevented their pleasure continuing longer. Neapolitaine and Julius were of the crew. The day was most enjoyable, though spent with one 'Misery.'

An old time resident of Markdale has returned to scenes of his youth. Having lately developed a taste for travel and business combined, he set out for Winnipeg, forwarding cattle; but the air of the prairie was too much for his delicate health, and he will probably winter amongst us. We refer to Bill— beg pardon, Mr Wm. Scott.

A farmer, whose funds were too low to pay off his harvest hands, brought a fat cow hither to raise the filthy lucre. Not meeting our local butchers running with dollar bills to meet him, the noble yeoman turned the cow into a pasture, and hunted for cattle buyers and butchers. Returning, he was surprised to find the animal impounded. He can truly say, 'I was a stranger, and they took me ... in.'

We hope our correspondents will now make a "big push" and send in their weekly budgets promptly and regularly. We do not like to miss the newsy notes of our assistants at outside points, and we hope they will put s new energy into their pencils, and send us in live and pointed items pretty steadily. Send all the items that can be gathered; people like to read them and we like to get them. we will be happy to furnish envelopes, paper, etc. to intending correspondent, and will send the same to all parties who will use them.

A buggie load comprising Mrs R. Brown, her three children, and her mother, and Mrs C. W. Rutledge and child, seven in all, were crossing the railway track on Tuesday, when the horses took fright at an engine, and suddenly turning round upset the buggy, throwing out all the occupants, The team broke loose from the carriage, taking with them the pole and whiffletrees, but were captured in the village. The train hands assisted in gathering up the wounded, who were scratched and bruised, but fortunately no one was seriously injured. A few dollars spent on the buggy will remedy what might have been a very serious accident.

Re-Fresh-ing

In the cool assertion of some people that they can sell below cost, &c, it may not be amiss to let the public of Markdale and surrounding country know that

Wilson Benson,

of the "BELFAST HOUSE." MARKDALE, can sell "cheaper than the cheapest," and "better than the best," all kinds of

Groceries, Liquors, &c.

Consisting of

TEAS, TOBACCOS, SPICES, CANNED FISH, ETC.,

And for those wishing pure Wine for sacramental purposes, will find a brand that will equal anything on this side the Atlantic.

Other Liquors equally pure.

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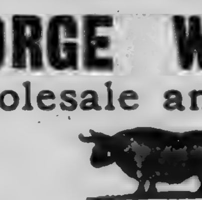

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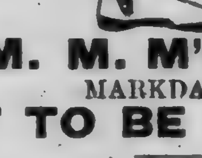

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ON THE ROAD.

My route lies over the Credit Valley. I start out with a good impression of the road, as one still free from the claws of the monster Monopoly, which *Grip* pictures as a beast with the back of a turtle and the head of an elephant, with an excessively grand trunk. Further, I had understood that its officials were courteous, and anxious to maintain the confidence of the people, and its employes civil and intelligent. I must confess that my experience confirmed my anticipations on these points—in short, I found the line a well-managed one compared with other lines in Canada. The morning was bright when I left the Union Depot for Orangeville. Leaving behind me the already high-lifted curtain of smoke which hung over the metropolis; losing the brief glimpses afforded of the bay, with its bright sails and busy steamers; and passing through the sprightly suburb of Parkdale, now active with building operations, so numerous as to give it and Brockton the appearance of being just turned out to order from the hands of the contractor, we dash forward at a rapidly increasing rate through the cooling morning air amid scenes of suburban comfort, till

LAMBTON MILLS

is reached, two or three of the proverbia tall chimneys standing out over the opposite banks of a picturesque ravine, in the bottom of which runs the Humber. There are spots here well suited for picnics, provided the owners were agreeable, and the village itself seems capable of development, especially in mills or factories.

COOKSVILLE,

a quiet, unpretentious little village in a fine farming district, is next passed, and we are soon brought to

STREETSVILLE,

and Streetsville junction, whose stations are only two miles apart, but whose urban proximity is such that they may almost be said to be one village. Streetsville has now about 1,300 inhabitants, and has several dry-goods and general stores in which a brisk trade is done. A newspaper and a branch bank are at present among the ambitions of Streetsville, and the latter at least is seriously needed. Brampton, twelve miles away, has close relations with the village. The River Credit runs near the village in the direction of Brampton, and so on north-westerly towards Orangeville, and from this river the railway takes its name, although this is now the least important part of th road. At Streetsville junction passengers change cars for Orangeville.

BRAMPTON,

a town of between 3,000 and 4,000, looks flourishing, as well as pleasant, when viewed from the station. It has a large agricultural works, several factories, and is well advanced from a literary point of view, having three good papers—the *Conservator*, the *Times*, and the *Banner*.

The country hitherto passed has been level, with fields of ripened grain continually in prospect. Now, however, the monotony of the wide stretch—at least, it is monotonous from a mere artistic aspect—is gradually relieved by undulations which break into wild and picturesque hills when Riversdale is passed, and culminate in the charming mountain scenery of the now celebrated

FORKS OF THE CREDIT.

Here a considerable elevation has been reached by the train, which winds along the skirts of the mountain, with 500 feet of craggy heights to the left above, and 300 or 400 feet of bowery ravine to the right below. On all sides the fresh green mountain trees grow luxuriantly, and where the rocks are not hidden by these they are embowered in thick bushes of raspberries, thimble berries, and blackberries, the ripened fruit sending forth a perfume so grateful that all car windows are opened and all hands protrude their heads (if such a bull can be used) to inhale the delightful breeze. Stoutly puffs the engine as the train creeps her devious way up the heights, showing bright patches of the river which winds below. At last, as we skirt round what seems to be the highest hill we come rumbling on a bridge which curves with a grand sweep across a gorge, and here, where the two mountain streams join, are the forks of the credit. A prettier sight could not be witnessed. The bridge is 1,400 feet long, and 86 feet above the bottom of the ravine. As the train rolls slowly over, the eye take in the clear dashing waters of the two streams, which meet, embrace, and become one as they flow in quiet depths through a broadening valley where nestle, in a sort of sleepy hollow, the rustic homes of a few residents; it takes in the blue perspective of part of the long valley up through which we have come; it takes in the sudden break in the range of hills across the valley, and the wild and rugged aspect of the steep heights above. The little patches of garden below, some enclosed in rude cribs by the streamside; the rustic log bridge spanning one of the streams where sit two or three holiday-makers in dreamy contemplation; the log and weather-board houses on the other side below the great bridge, where some girls are cooking the family meals in the open air; the thin funnels of smoke reaching from the depths below to the blue heights above bringing to mind the pictures of Fennimore Cooper, or the scenes in Hiawatha—all these details make up a spectacle enrapturing to any lover of mountain scenery, and charming even to those who can only see the picnic side of nature's beauties. All that has been said of this place as a picnic resort is fully justified, and in the future it is bound to become famous. A number of parties were camping out in various spots, and already quite a number of excursions had come from the city and other points. The spot has only lately been brought to the notice of excursionists, but in a few years it must become one of the most favorite resorts.

ORANGEVILLE.

On arriving in Orangeville I found quite a crowd about the station, and the town manifested considerable stir although the day was rainy. An excursion party had come up from Toronto, intending to spend a day at the Forks of the Credit; but a rain came on and the railway officials considerately allowed the party to change their programme and go on to Orangeville. Arrived here the civic authorities courteously allowed them the free use of the town hall in which to have their luncheon and a dance in the afternoon—all of which was much appreciated by the Torontonians and will doubtless redound to the benefit of the town some day, as acts of public hospitality always do. A comfortable dinner at that comfortable hotel the Paisley House was an agreeable prelude to the despatch of business, which appeared to be good in all branches in Orangeville, from conversations with some leading firms. Several excursion parties had visited the town this years chiefly from Toronto. The Orangevillians, however, when they do not go to the metropolis repair, when they want an outing, to the picturesque wilds of the Forks or to the charming shores of the Caledon or Mulmur Lakes—breezy, clear and pleasant fresh water sheets of 300 to 600 acres in extent, in which fish and game abound to the delight of the local sportsmen. Returning from Orangevill in the afternoon my route lay over the Elora and Fergus branch of the Credit Valley which is some 27 miles in extent from the junction at

CHURCH'S FALLS.

This place takes its name on the principle on which a good many American localities receive their patronyms—because there is neither a church nor a falls to be seen. There is a small cataract, however, where runs a romantic mill and the surroundings of the place are very beautiful from a scenic point of view. The up train was somewhat late and while we waited to connect with it, the passengers wandered forth along the quiet mountain sides where raspberries were to be had in plenty for the picking. A shrill whistle echoing through the glades brought us back again and we were soon rattling through the twilight air at the rate of 35 or 40 miles an hour. Only one car a combination carriage, which serves as a passenger car and baggage car, is used on this branch, but the freight business is good and is fast developing. It was quite dark when we arrived at

ELORA,

and the town, true to the best business habits, had closed its work for the day and scarcely a place, except the hotels, was to be found open. Elora is prettily situated at the junction of the Irvine and Grand Rivers, whose rocky and tortuous banks afford some lovely scenery. Just below one of the bridges is a romantic spot where a cool spring of the clearest water flows from the rock, and at the confluence of the rivers there are several caves, the well-beaten paths to which show them to be an object of considerable curiosity to visitors and villagers. Among the industri s of Elora is a carpet factory which has been running with excellent success for the past year or so. They run by steam and water power and keep 15 or 20 looms in operation. The fabrics made are a kind of kidderminster, known as two ply ingrained, of which three varieties are made and about thirty different patterns turned out. They manufacture expressly for the Canadian trade, which is reached largely through John Macdonald & Co. of Toronto. Leaving Elora early in the morning I reach

FERGUS

which is pleasantly situated on the banks of the Grand River only four miles distant, Fergus and Elora are considered pretty well matched, each having its weekly newspaper, which cover about the same field as far as country circulation goes; and each having about the same population. Like Elora, Fergus is built nearly altogether of light colored stone, and has several mills and factories on the banks of the river. For some reason, however, the three or four tanneries of the town have been idle for nearly a year and the sewing machine factory has not been in operation for some time past. Building operations, notwithstanding this, are going on and a large new hotel is nearly completed.

DOWN THE LINE–

from Fergus to the main line we pass part of the rich grazing country for which the country of Wellington is famous and two or three stations, such as Douglas, Garafaxa, Hillsburg and Erin, are rising in importance.

Ambidextrous Men.

One of the New York papers not long ago had an article on right and left-handed people, or ambidexters, in which several remarkable instances of persons possessing this faculty were given. Strange to say, however, no mention was made of Ben Lusby or George Tiffany. Lusby is famous the country over, and is known as the lightning ticket seller. He travelled for many years with the largest circuses, and received almost fabulous pay, being as great a curiosity as anything to be seen in the tents. He used both hands in selling tickets, taking in money, handing out tickets and making change more rapidly with each than an ordinary ticket seller could with both. It was no unusual thing to see him select six or eight full-price children's tickets, receive a $10 or $20 bill, and pick out and return the change with one hand, while he was selling one or two tickets at a time and making change at the same time with the other hand.

George Tiffany, who had always had a large acquaintance with theatrical and show people, and who was a friend of Lusby, possessed the same faculty to a considerable ex ent, and on several occasions gave exhibitions to his friends of his ability to imitate Lusby, having probably practiced under his direction. He was scarcely a fourth as rapid as Lusby, but was acknowledged "in the profession" to be, with the exception of Lusby, the only two-handed ticket-seller in the world. Between the men, there was a marked contrast in appearance. Tiffany was very short, very stout, very jovial, and easy-going and slow in speech at nearly all times, always ready for a joke, and generally liked by his acquaintances, while Lusby, when not at his post, appeared rather taciturn and gloomy, and even among the most intimate friends rarely appeared amused at anything, and seldom laughed or smiled. Both were particular in dress, but while Tiffany's appearance was unchanged in the ticket-office, Lusby in the same place was metamorphosed. His coat and vest were thrown off, in warm weather his necktie and collar generally followed, his eyes seemed to sink back in his head and bright hectic spots, appeared on his cheeks which looked drawn and sunken. At those times he was a curious study to the medical men who saw him at his busiest moments, and more than one expressed the opinion that he could not long survive the strain to which he subjected himself.

Instances of people who write and make figures with both hands are by no means rare. In the old St. Louis *Democrat* office, before the partnership was dissolved, two accountants were employed who, in posting the books, generally made figures with one hand and posted the items with the right. A bookkeeper in one and a cashier in another large wholesale house in St. Louis now work in the same way, and a reporter on a morning paper writes with either hand, and it is impossible to extinguish any difference in the formation of the letters.

A more remarkable instance of dual faculties than any mentioned is that of a gentleman well known in St. Louis, Mr. E. C. Lackland. Mr. Lackland was for some time Treasurer of the Fair Association, and excited no little attention and remark among those who saw him using alternately either hand in writing letters or messages. The on-lookers were, however, still more astonished to see him when in a hurry grasp a pen or pencil and write rapidly with both hands, and would have been yet more amazed had they known that the messages he was at work on at the same time were addressed to different people and entirely different [in character. When not busy enough to employ both hands, he generally uses the left, but the character of the chirography is the same, and it is doubtful if he himself knows the difference. He does not seem to consider himself possessed of an unusual gift or talent, and would, no doubt, have been much amused had he heard the remark made by an acquaintance, who, after seeing him write two letters at once, confidentially informed a friend that he must have his brains parted in the middle or be possessed of two sets. The science of medicine teaches that unusual mental strain or activity correspondingly depresses the system physically, but the rule evidently does not apply to Mr. Lackland.

The Rescue of Niagara Falls.

More than once we have spoken of the fatal injury done to the State of New York and to the national character itself, by the desecration of Niagara Falls. In the letters of correspondents during this summer we have observed a complaint of the diminishing public interest in the Falls as a resort, and of the great falling off in the number of visitors. This is due to the total want of care in preserving the attractive character of the neighborhood. Every kind of disagreeable object is huddled along the shore, until the complete vulgarization of all the approaches and points of vantage, the nuisance of encroaching buildings and hackmen and Indian shops, and a multitude of petty annoyances, fairly repel the visitor, and give t e worst of reputations for comfort and agreeability to a resort which should be among the most delightful in the country. When the immediate neighborhood of Niagara is covered with factories and tenement-houses and their dependencies, the sublime spectacle, one of the true wonders of the world, will be effectually and forever lost as an influence of moral elevation and happiness. And this fate is already impending. One of the islands has been already ruined as a part of the landscape; others are threatened. The bank all along the American rapids has been shorn of foliage, of trees and vines, and covered with mills, barns, sheds, and unsightly structures. In two years the youngest heir of the Goat Island estate will come of age, and the island will be then sold and covered with factories. This is the time for action to save Niagara Falls. A few months later, even, will be too late. Is it worth while to preserve this natural wonder for the delight of the world? If it is, what shall be done?

Niagara is a great water-power, and there is no need of losing it as such. But that is not the question. It is not whether Niagara is more valuable as factory power or as beauty and sublimity, but how it shall best serve both us and beauty. The answer is simple, for the situation is obvious. The river above the Falls lies high over the lower country. Its power is available everywhere. By drawing it off above the cataract, and reserving a little space of shore, bank, and island all around the Falls, the problem is solved: the factories are built below; the cataract is saved. A strip of land broadening from a hundred feet at the end to eight hundred or a thousand feet above the Falls, inclosing the catar ct and its immediate neighborhood, and capable of such landscape treatment as to plant out every unsightly object, is all that is necessary. Such a plan was suggested four or five years ago, and was most urgently commended by leading men on both sides of the river. But it was a general proposition, evidently most proper and desirable, but involving expense and trouble. It was nobody's business in particular, and after an admirable report from Mr. Olmsted, and some attempts to arouse public interest, the subject dropped.

The representations now made, however, show that without prompt action Niagara is lost, except as a water-power. The rescue of the cataract, its poper preservation, and the permanent maintenance of its immediate vicinity as a public park, is a duty which the State of New York may wisely undertake. It is one of the public works for a high public purpose, like the gift of statues of eminent New-Yorkers to the Capitol of Washington, which public opinion would undoubtedly authorize. There is no doubt that if a few active, intelligent, and interested men in the State should take the project in hand upon the general basis of Mr. Olmsted's report, inviting him to make such further suggestions as might occur, the work would be done. Suitable representatives to the Governor and general discussion in the press would unquestionably procure a recommendation to the Legislature, which would find then a responsive public spirit, so that it would be seed sown in a fruitful soil. Let New York spare herself the shame of the practical obliteration of Niagara Falls.—*Harpers' Weekly.*

A street railway has been laid between Athens and the Piræus, which serves the whole city, passing by the Parthenon and the Acropolis. But what a prosaic, every-day sort of age this is when such things can be as horse cars in the land of the ancient Greeks.

The Hay Field.

From the Christian World.

Is any season so blithe and merry,
So gay with flowers, or so sweet with song,
As that of the rose or the ripened cherry,
When nights are tranquil and days are long?
The earth has forgotten her time of sadness,
The silence and shadows have passed away;
There is nothing but universal gladness
Among the hay.

This is the season when lads and lasses
Are up betimes in the sunny field;
When the swish of the scythe lays low the grasses
And the passing hours new pleasures yield.
The time of the festive, sweet hay-making,
When the sporting laugh and the joyous word,
And the song of grateful love partaking
Are all day heard.

Why should we squander the hours in sighing
That things which are lovely do not stay,
That the dancing grasses so soon are dying?
Let us be merry amid the hay.
There is time enough for the coming sorrow,
There is wealth of beauty around us yet;
Let us use to-day and leave to-morrow,
Nor God forget.

Blue and bright is the sky above us,
Sweet with flowers is the scented air;
All things whisper that God doth love us,
All sounds woo us to happy prayer;
The forest glades are with joy songs ringing,
From morn to night of the happy day;
Let human voices to Him be singing
From fields of hay.

Though far away are the fields of childhood,
Of glad light-heartedness, careless mirth,
There is pleasure still in the field and wild wood,
And joy for all dwellers in God's fair earth.
What does it matter that we grow older?
The best shall come when we pass away;
And we learn a lesson that makes faith bolder
From fields of hay.

Nothing is coming that need oppress us;
Let us raise in triumph a trustful song:
God is our Father, and He will bless us,
His love makes summer the whole year long.
Though skies should darken and flowers be failing,
Though life be stormy and days grow dim,
God's power and mercy are aye prevailing;
We trust in Him.

MARIANNE FARNINGHAM.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

How the Children Raised Money for Charity.

Many years ago in a little village among the hills, lived some children whose names you would know very well if you saw them here; but it would not do to make them public, for, to tell the truth, some of them have not grown any older yet in heart, although their merry faces are wrinkled with the smiles of age, and the tops of their heads resemble snow-drifts. As they lived long before the iron horse had dug through the mountain barriers, only one of them had ever seen a city. He had made a trip to Boston on the stage, starting before daylight, and riding all the next day and night over the route now travelled by the express train in a few hours. The hero of this remarkable expedition was named Joseph, and, like the "dunces who have been to Rome," he seldom failed to allude in every possible manner to his adventures abroad. So, when the children met to discuss the project of giving a theatrical performance in order to raise money enough to buy a Thanksgiving turkey for a poor widow, Joseph was, of course, chosen manager, because he had seen a real play at the Museum.

"My friends," said the oracle, in his opening speech "you will need a curtain, and a place in which to hang it."

"My father will let us use the mill-chamber," said blue-eyed Katy, the miller's daughter; "for the stream is so low that he will not work there for a month, and there are lots of boards which we can use if we do not spoil them."

"Very well," said Joseph; "to-morrow will be Saturday, and we will meet at the mill to build the stage and cast our plays: so let us all bring any pieces of cloth we can borrow, and as many play books as possible."

So that bright afternoon sun, as it shone cheerily through the chinks and cracks of the mill-garret, lit up the bright faces of the children who were peparing for the opening of their theatre. The boys first brought up the boards and carefully piled them at the western end of the room, until they had formed a platform three feet high across one end of the chamber, while the girls sewed into three curtains the motley strips of cloth which they had borrowed from their mothers' rag-bags—the odd combinations of materials and shades thus obtained producing an effect very much like some of the grotesque draperies which the modern art-lovers profess to admire. The most showy piece was chosen for the central curtain, upon the edge of which brass rings were sewed. The boys next stretched a wire across the room at just the same distance from the stage as the height of the curtain, on which the girls had strung the rings before it was fastened in place. A post was then put up at each side of the curtain and securely nailed to the stage and at the top beams of the room, and the two other pieces of cloth tacked, one on each side, to the post and to the sides of the room. Two other curtains were made, large enough to fill the spaces from the posts to the back of the room, thus forming a dressing-room on each side of the stage, the entrances to which were made by pushing away the curtains at the front and rear corners, as required. The only change of scene from interior to exterior was made by pine-trees fastened into wooden blocks, which could be placed in various positions. The setting sun lighted up the completed stage, and the busy children grouped themselves in restful attitudes upon it, to select and cast the play. Learned works had, at that time, little place among the libraries of the simple farm-folk, who were content with "Pilgrim's Progress," "Fox's Martyrs," and the weekly visits of the *Ploughman*. But the lawyer's daughter, Annie, had brought a volume of Shakespeare's plays, and golden-haired Mabel had her "Mother Goose," the best and only play-book she had ever known.

"Shakespeare," said Joseph, "is a good writer, for I saw one of his plays myself. 'Hamlet' was the name of it, and I will be *Hamlet*, for I know how to act."

The children, of course, agreed, and each accepted the part which the manager assigned to him or her. Maggie was to be the *Queen*, because she was so tall, and Dick was unanimously chosen for the *Ghost*, because he was so thin. Bill Jones was offered the part of *Polonius*, because he liked to use big words; and sweet Mabel Drake took *Ophelia*, because she had lovely long hair and a brand-new white dress. *Laertes* was given to Sam Williams, because he was a good fighter—for they decided to have the combat with fists, as swords were very dangerous, even if they could get any, which they could not. The only sword in the village was somewhat damaged through long use as a poker by old Squire Hawks, who was sulky when he was not chosen captain of the militia. The minor parts of the play were given out by lot, and thus some of the children had two or three each, as there were so many, and all were told again to come on Wednesday, ready for rehearsal. But when Wednesday afternoon came, they did not know their parts, for the words were so long and hard they could not remember them, and it seemed impossible even to the energetic Joseph to have "Hamlet" ready by Saturday afternoon, the day announced for the opening of the show. So Shakespeare was given up, and little Maud ventured to say that he was not half as good as Mother Goose. Struck with this idea, the children gave up their search for the unknown, and wisely resolved to content themselves with something less ambitious. Mabel Drake, in full costume copied from the picture, read the rhymes as they were acted with spirit by those who knew and loved them. Joseph resigned the part of *Hamlet* for that of *Bobby Shaftoe*, and sweet Kitty Jones brought tears to the eyes of all as she knelt at the flax-wheel in grief for the drowned sailor, who returned triumphant in the next scene, in a neat sailor-suit, which seemed to have passed through the shipwreck uninjured. Maggie looked and acted the tall daughter to perfection, and little Maud was lovely as the bride, in poke bonnet, as she rode proudly in the wheelbarrow, the chosen bride of little Eddie, who preferred her to the short, the greedy, or the progressive girl of the period. The hall was filled by the delighted parents of the children on that memorable Saturday, and the entrance fee of ten cents each gave the Widow Simpkins such a Thanksgiving dinner as she had never had before.—*G. B. Bartlett*, in ST. NICHOLAS *for September.*

MORSELS FOR SUNDAY CONTEMPLATION.

Hope is a fatigue ending in a deception.

Man pardons and forgets; woman pardons only.

Merit is born with men; happy those with whom it dies.

Love comes when we expect it the least and dread it the most.

The most manifest sign of wisdom is continued cheerfulness.

To be faithful without loving is to have the patriotism of virtue.

Every one of our actions is rewarded or punished, only we do not admit it.

Women love themselves as much as they can; men as much as they wish to.

Hate enters sometimes into great souls: envy comes only from little minds.

Where there is much pretension much has been borrowed; nature never pretends.

There are few people more often in the wrong than those who cannot endure to be so.

We should not measure the excellence of our work by the trouble it has cost us to produce it.

Human nature is so constituted that all see and all judge better in the affairs of other men than in their own.

It is good discretion not to make too much of any man at the first; because one cannot hold out that proportion.

To pretend to have many good friends is a sweet illusion of people who believe that they merit the affection of others.

All the while thou livest ill thou hast the trouble, distractions, inconveniences of life, but not the sweets and true use of it.

We ought in humanity no more to despise a man for the misfortunes of the mind than for those of the body, when they are such as he cannot help.

There is no secret in the heart which our actions do not disclose. The most consummate hypocrite cannot at all times conceal the workings of the mind.

Our affections are like our teeth; they make us suffer while they are coming, after they have come, and when we lose them. They are not less the smile of our life.

In youth, grief is a tempest which makes you ill; in old age it is only a cold wind, which adds one more wrinkle to your face and one more white lock to the others.

The best rules to form a young man are to talk little, to hear much, to reflect alone upon what has passed in company, to distrust one's own opinions and value others that deserve it.

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These are sensible remarks. A pastor's business is with the souls of his flock, not with the fashion of their dress or the style of their hair. A girl who "bangs" her hair may be a very pious and modest young girl; while she who prefers her's straight without, is just as likely to be everything that she should not be. There is no saving power in bangs, but a girl's chances of salvation are not heightened by denying herself "bangs and bustles." And besides, the girls won't mind, any way, so where's the use of anathematising them?

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The introduction of electricity as a medicine is causing the wise heads of the world to look about. The demand for Briggs' Electric Oil is truly wonderful.

A Durban despatch says:—Besides the Kaffir chief Secoenceni, his son and fourteen followers were killed. The killing was done by Memper, a chief put into his place by the British.

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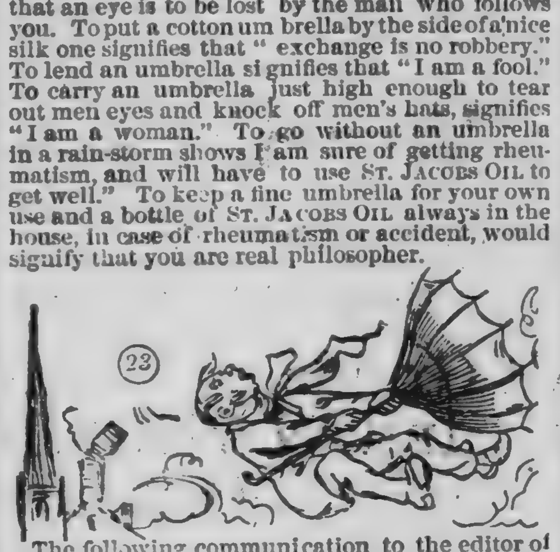
FACTS ABOUT UMBRELLAS.

Antiquarians say that the umbrella was invented shortly after the flood, and has been the least improved upon of all appliances for human comfort, the shape being now as it was in those youthful days of the world. An umbrella is much like a pigeon as to the question of possession—the last one who gets it owns it. The following facts about umbrellas—especially the last one—may serve every reader a splendid purpose sooner or later: To place your umbrella in a rack indicates that it is about to change owners. An umbrella carried over a woman, the man getting nothing but drippings of the rain, indicates courtship. When the man has the umbrella and the woman the drippings, it indicates marriage. To carry it at right angles under your arm signifies that an eye is to be lost by the man who follows you. To put a cotton umbrella by the side of a nice silk one signifies that "exchange is no robbery." To lend an umbrella signifies that "I am a fool." To carry an umbrella just high enough to tear out men eyes and knock off men's hats, signifies "I am a woman." To go without an umbrella in a rain-storm shows I am sure of getting rheumatism, and will have to use ST. JACOBS OIL to get well." To keep a fine umbrella for your own use and a bottle of ST. JACOBS OIL always in the house, in case of rheumatism or accident, would signify that you are real philosopher.



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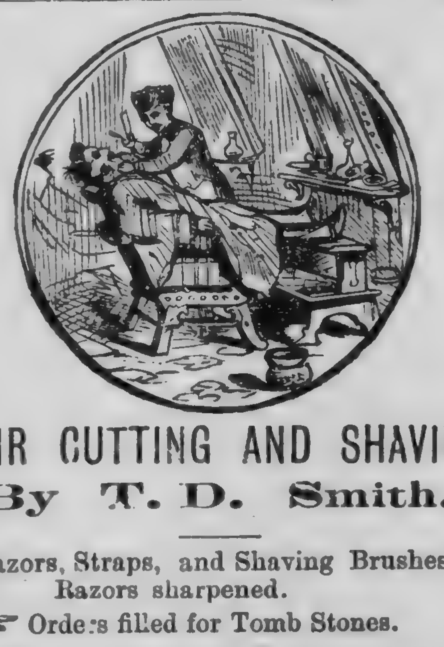

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TRAVERSTON ITEMS.

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Mr. Kennedy has twenty hands employed in his knitting and yarn manufactory.

Mr. Coole who took Mr. Hall's place is doing a fair business for the season.

MEAFORD ROAD.

Harvest about over

Farmers sowing fall wheat.

Mr. Wm. Buchanan, Sr., has gone to attend the stock sale of the Model Farm.

Mr. Brooks, of Flesherton, has completed another job of mason work, making the third here this summer.

Several of the inhabitants have gone to the Toronto Exhibition to see the sights.

One or two nights' frost, showing that winter is coming.

OSPREY.

From our own Correspondent.

Oats and barley short.

Spring wheat is an average crop.

Harvesting is pretty well througn.

Other grain about an average crop.

Bnsiness generally is brisk at Maxwell.

Again the sound of the thresher is heard in the land.

Mr Hamlin is "holding the fort." Large stock of goods just arrived.

The change and improvement in the STANDARD are highly appreciated.

The fall wheat yield is better than has been known in any preyious year.

DUNDALK.

Dundalk Agricultural hall has been raised.

Building altogether is just booming at Dundalk.

Rev. Mr. Forrest has been engaged as pastor of Knox church, Durham

Mr. Deans is pushing ahead at Dundalk with his hardware establishment.

Mr. Hanbury's new block at Dundalk, promises to be a good substantial affair.

Mr. Middleton's store, Dundalk, will be very commodious and imposing when finished.

The *Mount Forest Advocate* was all at sea last week, Messrs Hunter, Leman and Jackman never bought the plant of Mr. Hacking of Palmerston at all. The plant was bought by Mr, C. W. Rutledge of the Markdale STANDARD and the Dundalk *Herald*. Mr. Rutledge has since sold the *Herald* together with the Palmerston plant to Mr. Theo. [illegible]

PRICEVILLE.

The weather has been fine during the last week, permitting the grain to be saved in good order.

Mr. Wm. Meade, Durham line, has threshed 45 bushels of fall wheat per acre. Good for you William.

At a recent weading in this vicinity an incident occurred which has amused the inhabitants immensely. A certain young aspirant for the "hand and heart" of a young lady guest, waxed wroth at not receiving an invitation also. So he mounted his Arab steed and mustered a band of followers, who marched forth with discordant music and the firing of guns to avenge the insult, under the shade of night. The band halted in front of the house in which the party were assembled, and with a shout of "Come on, boys," Commodore ——— (who by the way was not at all *black* by name or nature) scaled the fence and leaped into the front yard. But, alas! alas! for lack of courage and presence of mind, he was soon seized by the cuff of the neck, and after receiving a good application of sole leather, was pitched over the fence again. This seemed to unnerve the whole band who immediately took to their heels and ran. Commodore is a wiser man to-day though somewhat spotted with black.

The Durham skating rink has been pulled down. Room for another.

Mr. John Ball, con. 10, Glenelg, cut 10 acres of wheat in 6 hours with a reaper.

Mr. D McNichol, reeve of Bentinck, shot a bear on his farm, just as bruin was about to dine on lamb.

The handsome brick structure now being erected at the Irish Lake, for the genial and talented Father Cassin, pastor of Priceville R. C. church, furnishes another evidence of the energy and push of our Catholic friends. 40,000 brick, from Flesherton brickyard will be used on the building. Durham supplies the hardware and glass.

Peaches.

BY CONSTANCE FENIMORE WOOLSON.

Wilt taste a peach? My basket holds a store
Of luscious peaches. Ah! she weaves a spell,
This lovely sorceress of fruit; what more
Can man ask from the earth? There is no cost
Too great for peaches. I have felt surprise
Through all my life that fair Eve should have lost
That mythic Asian land of Paradise
For a poor plebeian apple! Now a peach,
Pulpy, pink-veined, hanging within her reach,
Might well have tempted her.

THE FISHERWOMAN OF HONFLEUR.

A TALE OF THE FRENCH COMMUNE.

CHAPTER II.

Antoine, having, as already mentioned, remained at home for some months after his marriage, at length sailed once more on the long fishing cruise to the North Sea, which usually occupied a period of six months.

At this period the terrible war between France and Prussia was raging furiously. Paris was already threatened with siege, and the Germans were everywhere victorious. But of all the communities in France, the fisher-folk least troubled themselves with political affairs. Not that they were unpatriotic, for they heartily wished success to the cause and arms of France; but the French fishermen enjoy immunity from the military conscription—to which all other classes of the people, save the clergy, are more or less subject—on consideration of their being bound to enroll themselves in the national navy whenever their services are required.

So long as Antoine remained at home, Lucien had held himself aloof from Madeleine, who believed that, now she was married, he would cease to annoy her. She did not, therefore, think it worth while to cause uneasiness to her husband by acquainting him with the young man's previous ill conduct towards her. But no sooner had Antoine gone to sea, than Lucien recommenced his insulting importunities. He endeavoured to gain her favour by means of costly presents; but his presents were scornfully rejected, and he was plainly assured that if he did not forthwith cease his annoyances, she would take such measures to put an end to them as would give him cause for regret for the remainder of his life

Thus compelled to desist from his persecutions and to relinquish his base designs, Lucien became more determined than ever upon revenge; and though he could conceive of no scheme at present by means of which he could carry his craving for vengeance into effect, he resolved to wait and watch his opportunity. "Everything comes to him who has the patience to wait," he muttered to himself as he returned, raging with disappointment, to Paris.

But then came the siege, and for months he was imprisoned within the ramparts of the city, and Madeleine hoped and believed that she had rid herself of him for ever. At length the siege was raised. The Prussians marched in triumph into Paris, and the war came to an end. The Imperial power was overthrown; a Republic was proclaimed; and the vile mob and *canaille* of Paris sought to establish the power of the Commune, and succeeded for a while in maintaining a second Reign of Terror, during which pillage and murder were rife, and destruction was wrought upon many of the public buildings that the Prussian guns had spared. But though the headquarters of the Commune were in Paris, it had its supporters in other places, and especially in the towns situated on the banks of the Seine, between Paris and Havre de Grace. In all these places its emissaries were acting in seeking to persuade the poor, debased, and ignorant among the population to join its ranks.

And now Lucien Pierrot was again seen in Honfleur. He had at length worn out the patience of his father, whose eyes had become opened to his son's delinquencies, and, for the time being, the young man was paternally discarded. It was said that, out of spite, to annoy his father and gratify his own evil propensities, Lucien had leagued himself with the Commune, and had become one of the most active among its minor leaders. At all events, he was constantly to be found busily disseminating its atrocious doctrines; but persons who professed to be better informed in the matter than others, declared that Lucien Pierrot was in reality a paid government spy.

It was at this period that Antoine again came home from sea. He had been absent longer than usual, but had made a profitable voyage to various ports in his own lugger. Moreover, shortly before her husband's return, Madeleine had given birth to a son, which delighted the heart of the worthy young sailor. Little did he or the people of his native village trouble themselves about the Commune; probably few among them knew the meaning of the word; and so long as they were healthy and prosperous, it concerned them little whether France was an Empire or a Republic.

On the first day of his return, Antoine was seated, in the evening, opposite his happy young wife—now so proud of her maternity—in their snug little cottage, with the infant sleeping quietly in his cradle between them. Antoine had related the events of his voyage, and Madeleine was acquainting her husband with all that occurred in the village during his absence when suddenly rising from her chair, she approached a *buffet*, and took from a drawer a letter bearing the Paris post-mark, which she presented to her husband. "In my joy at seeing thee again at home, my Antoine," she said, smiling, "I had well nigh forgotten this letter, which I received a fortnight ago."

Antoine took the letter from his wife's hand. It was rather a strange and suspicious-looking document—so at least thought the young fisherman. It was weighty, and bore a huge red seal, which was unbroken.

"Thou hast not opened it, my Madeleine, said Antoine, who had rarely before in the course of his life had a letter addressed to him, and who looked upon it with something like alarm in the expression of his countenance.

"Nay, my husband. It is directed to thee," said Madeleine. "I had no right to open it without thy permission."

"But thou knowest I cannot read," said Antoine. This was true; the young fisher-lads had to work from so early an age that few of them could read or write. The girls were, as before remarked, better educated.

"If thou wilt, I will read it for thee," Madeleine replied.

The portentous seal was broken, and when the letter was unfolded, a piece of folded parchment fell from it on to the table.

Madeleine proceeded to read the letter aloud. It was nothing very alarming after all. It was written by an *avocat* in Paris, who informed Antoine, that through the decease of one Marie Lupin, at the advanced age of eighty-nine, he had inherited the sum of fifteen thousand francs, bequeathed by will to her grand-nephew Antoine Duroc, by the aforesaid Marie Lupin; and that it was desirable that he, Antoine Duroc, should come to Paris at an early day to receive the money, which was in the hands of the *avocat*.

"Fifteen thousand francs! It is quite a fortune, my husband," cried Madeleine, laying the letter aside, and opening and reading the inclosure, which was merely a copy of the will. "Our little Antoine will some day be a rich man,' she added, glancing lovingly at the sleeping infant.

"Marie Lupin!" exclaimed Antoine. 'It must be my old aunt Marie, whom I have never seen in my life! It is strange she should leave *me* anything. Only think, my Madeleine, fifteen thousand francs!"

"But must thou go to Paris, Antoine, and thou but just returned to me?"

"'Twill occupy but a few days, ma petite," replied Antoine, who had never visited Paris, and though loath to leave his young wife even for a day, was pleased with the idea of seeing the great city.

"But just now, Antoine, when 'tis said there is such dreadful trouble in Paris?"

"It will not concern me, Madeleine. I shall return to thee as soon as I have received the legacy."

Madeleine was much troubled; but it appeared necessary that her husband should do as the *avocat* requested, and she thought it would be wrong on her part to object to Antoine's undertaking the journey.

Two or three days afterwards, the cargo having been discharged from the lugger and sold by auction in the fish market, and the vessel having been left in charge of the mate, Antoine set forth for Paris by railroad, his wife, up to the moment of his departure, entreating him to take great care of himself, and to hasten back to her as soon as possible.

By this time the Commune had nearly run its destructive course. The newly established Republican government, with M. Thiers at its head, had been terribly frightened at the excesses of the Communists, and had resorted to dreadfully severe measures for their suppression. To be suspected was to be denounced and condemned; the government spies were active, and it was said that many innocent persons were punished along with the guilty. Lucien Pierrot, who had been on a visit to Honfleur, chanced to return to Paris on the same day on which Antoine took his seat in a railway carriage for the first time in his life—Lucien travelling by the same train. Unobserved by either, he had witnessed the parting between Madeleine and her husband, and wondered greatly what was the object of the young fisherman's visit to the capital.

To Antoine, Lucien was a perfect stranger; but Lucien would have recognized the features of the young fisherman even if he had not witnessed the parting scene between the husband and wife. Burning with a desire for revenge, he resolved to keep watch over the young man on his arrival in Paris, and if any opportunity for wreaking vengeance upon him should present itself, to take advantage thereof.

The train duly arrived in Paris; and the two young men passed out of the depot, Lucien following close behind Antoine. He observed the young fisherman apparently asking directions, as a stranger, from several persons whom he met; and saw him, after he had wandered about for some time, looking around him with the wondering air of a provincial who has visited a great capital for the first time. Finally he tracked him to the *bureau* of an *avocat* in the Rue du Faubourg St.-Antoine. Wondering more than ever what could have brought the young fisherman thither, Lucien remained on the watch till Antoine, in the course of half an hour, reappeared, accompanied by a clerk, who conducted him to a small hotel near by, to which he had been recommended by the *avocat*.

It was already late in the day; and believing that the object of his animosity was safely housed for the night, Lucien left the spot and went about his own affairs; but at an early hour next morning he stood opposite the hotel, and waited for the unsuspecting Antoine. Nor had he long to wait, for presently the young fisherman sallied forth, and proceeded direct to the *bureau*, which he shortly afterwards left, apparently well satisfied with the result of his second interview with the lawyer.

Anxious as was Antoine to return home to his wife and child, he would have been something more than mortal if he could have resisted the temptation to look around him in the great capital which he had now visited for the first time. He decided to spend the day in roaming about the city and looking at the grand shops, which displayed treasures such as he had never imagined to exist in the world, and in purchasing some trifling presents for Madeleine and his little Antoine, ere setting forth on his return to Honfleur early the next morning.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Charity Sermons.

Dean Swift's brief but celebrated charity sermon, delivered in Dublin, on the text, "He who giveth unto the poor lendeth unto the Lord," has been read by every one, for the entire discourse is contained in a single line—"If you like the security, down with the dust." We have heard of another sermon, preached not long since in behalf of an eleemosynary institution, which concluded in this style:—'Such is the importance and excellence of this institution that no man can possibly be prevented from bestowing liberally, according to his ability. Whoever, therefore, shrinks from his duty on this occasion *must be inevitably concluded to be in debt!*' It brought the legal tenders.—*Harper's Monthly.*

The Early History of Kissing.

As an act expressive of endearment, kissing would appear to be the most natural. "'Tis certain," says Steele, "Nature was its author, and that it began with the first courtship." Although, however, the universal symbol of affection throughout the civilised world, yet, in days gone by, it was entirely unknown to many races, such as the aborigines of Australia, the New Zealanders, and the Tahitians. Sir John Lubbock, in his "Prehistoric Times," speaking of the various ways by which the feelings are expressed in different countries, has shown that by the Esquimaux kissing was formerly unknown, and remarks that the hill tribes of Chittagong do not say "kiss me," but "smell me." Indeed, the circumstance that certain rude tribes have no knowledge of what may be regarded as one of the very earliest forms of primitive culture, may be considered as a proof of primeval barbarism. The fact, too, is all the more remarkable because from the earliest ages in the world's history—from its very infancy—the act of kissing has been handed down as the natural expression of affection. And so one would have imagined that the slightest intercourse of cultured races with uncivilized communities would at once have taught them almost intuitively to embrace so simple an exponent of feeling. Without, however, further discussing this subject, which is rather one for the student of anthropology, there can be no doubt that the custom of kissing is of all acts the most universal.

As a mode of salutation we may trace the custom of kissing to a very remote period, numerous instances occurring in the sacred writings. Thus we read how men saluted the sun, the moon, and stars by kissing the hand, a superstition of which Job says he was never guilty—the same honour having been tendered to Baal. But, apart from such references as these, abundant evidence of the universality of this practice in past and modern times is to be found in the writings of most countries. The Greeks, we know, were in the habit of kissing the lips, hands, knees, or feet, in salutations, according as they considered the person worthy of more or less respect. In Homer we see Priam kissing the hands and embracing the knees of Achilles while he supplicates for the body of Hector. The custom also prevailed in ancient Rome, and Mr. D'Israeli, in his "Curiosities of Literature," referring to it, remarks how "the great respect paid to the tribunes, consuls, or dictators obliged individuals to live with them in a more distant and respectful manner; and, instead of embracing them as formerly, they considered themselves as fortunate if allowed to kiss their hands. Under the Emperors, kissing hands became an essential duty, even for the great themselves." The Carthagenians, as a mark of love and sign of friendship, were in the habit of kissing their right hands each together, and then would kiss one another. Indeed, under a variety of forms the act of kissing has entered largely in most countries into the ceremonies of salutation; and, at the present day, many of the kissing customs kept up, apart from their social usage, are interesting in so far as they have been handed down by our forefathers from the distant past.

The Fruit Crop.

The following is an abstract of the fruit crops report for August, issued by Mr. Blue of the department of the Ontario Bureau of Industries:

The counties along Lake Erie comprise the best fruit-growing section of Ontario, but the reports show that the crop this year is far below an average. Although it is the bearing year for apples there will be less than a third of an average crop, and the quality is inferior. Peaches will be less than a third of a crop, in the lakeshore townships of Essex and Kent, and in Elgin and Norfolk they are confined to very narrow limits along the shore of the lake. Plums are plentiful in Welland, Haldimand and portions of Essex, and grapes are an excellent crop in all the counties. Cherries have been very deficient, both in quantity and quality. Pears will be an average crop. Apple, pear and plum trees looked very sickly in Kent throughout June and part of July, but they are making a new growth now, and are likely to recover. Orchard fruits, especially apples, are almost a complete failure in the Lake Huron counties. Pears and cherries are in some cases excepted, but peaches and plums are almost *nil*. Small fruits are a fair crop. The apple crop in the Georgian Bay region will not be nearly so large as was expected when the trees were in bloom. A large quantity of the young fruit has fallen off, and several of the correspondents mention a blight on apple trees which has never been known before—the leaves curling up and the general appearance of the tree becoming unhealthy. Plums are almost a total failure. Grapes are plentiful, and there is a moderate crop of pears. The dry season, however, will, in almost all cases, cause fruit to be smaller in size than usual. In the West Midland counties apples are almost a total failure, owing to a blight which killed the fruit just as it was beginning to set. The plum crop will be far below an average. A few correspondents mention that the "black knot" is proving very destructive to the plum trees. Other orchard fruits will be very light; but small fruits, generally speaking, are a fair crop. In the Lake Ontario counties the crop will be far below the average. Even in apples, which is the only fruit giving promise of anything like a fair yield, growers state that there will not be half a crop, and the quality will be inferior. The apple worm has made its appearance in almost every section, and this with the dry weather has caused more than half of the young fruit to fall from the trees. Pears are a middling crop. Plums are almost a total failure. Small fruits are tolerably abundant. From about half the townships in the St. Lawrence and Ottawa counties the reports of the apple crop are favourable, but in many sections it will be under an average. Frost and high winds have injured the fruit to a considerable extent. Plums, cherries, and small fruit are a failure. Similar reports are received from the East Midland counties. Apples will be less than half a crop.

An old citizen, returning to his home from a banquet, meets another old citizen coming from the opposite direction. "Ish thish the avenue?" asked No. 1. "How should I know? I was at the banquet myself."

A MONTANA MAN'S STORY.

A Tourist's Adventure in a Geyser's Crater and his Escape Therefrom.

A party of four persons returned yesterday from a trip to the Yellowstone National Park. Joe V. Longdon, C. E. Kantner, J. E. Montgomery, and Walter Watson are the names of the persons, and they profess they have had, with one exception, a most delightful time. They were examining the crater of a geyser about two and a half miles from the Fire Hole River. Notwithstanding it is forbidden to carry specimens away from the park, or despoil in any way the formations, these gentlemen were desirous of securing some mementoes of their trip and seeing in the crater some beautiful formations, Watson volunteered to attempt a descent and secure a piece of the beautiful colored work on the interior for each member of the party. He carefully descended a distance of probably 12 feet, taking care that each time his hold was secure. He reached the formations, secured what he desired, and attempted to ascend. Reaching overhead, he grasped a projection, and, putting his entire weight upon it, it gave way, and he was precipitated into the seemingly yawning abyss. His companions, who were watching his movements, shrieked as they saw him fall. They immediately procured a light and lowered it into the crater for as great a distance as they could with the means at their command. Nothing could be seen; but by dropping pebbles and bits of wood they discovered that at a depth of about 50 feet the crater was filled with water. In their consternation at the disappearance of their comrade they had not heard the body strike the water. They gave him up as lost, and with sad hearts left the scene. Going to the river they made camp, intending to start for Bozeman at daybreak. Next morning they made preparations to start, but were delayed by Mr. Longdon becoming suddenly sick. They then concluded to remain where they were until he should be in a condition to travel. About noon another party from the geyser basin came in sight, and seeing the camp of the gentleman at once approached.

Imagine the joy and surprise of Longdon, Kantner, and Montgomery when they saw among the new-comers their friend Watson, alive and well. They could not believe it was he until he had taken the hand of each and assured them that it was none other than he, and gave them the promised specimens from the crater of the geyser. How he escaped is best told in his own words:

"When the projection upon which I had my weight gave way, I felt that I was indeed lost. I was not wholly conscious after I commenced falling. When I struck the water, feet first, I experienced a feeling of relief. I seemed to sink thousands of feet, but of course sank but a short distance. I grasped around wildly, but nothing but the water could be felt. I was rising to the surface and knew it, and a feeling suddenly came over me that I was to be saved. How, I knew not, but still I was certain that I was not to be left in the crater. On coming to the surface I reached out and a friendly rock gave me support. I heard the shouts of my friends, but could see nothing and was unable to call out in reply. After what seemed to me ages the shouts ceased, and I realized that my friends had given me up for lost. It was just after noon when we reached the crater: I suppose it was nearly 5 o'clock when I heard what sounded like distant thunder. The noise grew more and more distinct, and the water surrounding me began to be troubled. I then realized that I was in the crater of an active geyser, and that in a short time the entire space would be filled with water. I attempted to raise myself, but could find no support for my hands which would bear my weight. The walls of the crater were rough, and while in the water I could easily keep my head out by clinging to them. Suddenly I discovered that the water was rising. This gave me the hope that I might be able to keep afloat until the surface was reached. The water continued to rise more rapidly, and I at last found myself at the point from which I had fallen. Although well-nigh exhausted, I exerted my remaining strength in climbing to the surface. This reached, I managed to crawl some distance away from the mouth of the crater, where I lost consciousness. When I recovered I was being cared for by strangers—the men who conducted me to my comrades."

Upon being questioned further Watson said that as near as he could judge the crater at the point he struck the water was about 25 feet in diameter. The water was warm, but not uncomfortably so until a few moments before he left when it began to be decidedly hot and boil more furiously. He was found by the party who rescued him about 7 o'clock in the evening.—*Butte (Montana) Inter-Mountain.*

How Singers Should Live.

Women singers, especially in this country, are addicted to three habits which are about equally prejudicial to them as singers. These three habits may be described as the habit of taking irregular and insufficient food, the habit of tight lacing, and the habit of eating candy. I know half a dozen bright American girls, who have really excellent prospects as singers, whose voices are already beginning to betray the fact that their owners live on "lunches" and "candy" rather than three square meals a day. It is very certain that there never will be any tone to a voice that comes from an insufficiently and irregularly nourished body. On the subject of tight lacing a book might be written with ease. Many a girl who now finds great difficulty in taking a high note might do so with comfort if she would only give herself room to breathe. In brief, it may be truly said that no teaching however able, no industry however great, in the pupil can amount to anything unless the would-be singer is content to live a good, clean, honest, healthful life, trusting to good common-sense rules of living, and plenty of fresh air rather than to common quacks and nostrums. If vocal teachers, before commencing their lessons, would take the trouble to find out how the pupil lives, and would refuse to give any instruction until the pupil was ready and willing to conform to the simplest rules of hygiene, a great many troubles, especially throat troubles, would be avoided, and the act of singing, instead of being a painful, miserable, ear torturing effort, would be easy and as pl the singer as to the listener. Th life, which the student should o just as important for the singer, public; if anything they are mo the strain is greater. One thing i the reliability of a singer depe lutely on the method and manner o

TO CONSTANTINOPLE.

The Shadow of the Sword—A R to the Golden Horn.

Australia's views in respect to Sa well known, as also Russia's in r the Bospherus and Dardanelles, a are signs that the statesmen in bo countries are beginning to think t moment of action is near at hand. opportunity would be, of course, a between England and Turkey, a they have probably been hoping grow out of the strained relations our energetic action in Egypt h rise. There is no doubt that R nervously anxious about Austria, that the latter, not content with the ing of the Ægean Sea that would tained with the possession of Salonica attempt to forestall her in the conte ted raid upon Constantinople. events always cast their shadows and there is no want of purpose, h it may be concealed, in all this streng ing of the army of the Caucasus of we have lately heard. Only yesterd report reached Constantinople of significant proceedings on the part Muscovite friends at the mouth Sakharia. This is a river of consid size, which, rising in the central p Asia Minor, sweeps round in a westerly direction for half its course then, taking a northerly direction, e itself into the Black Sea.

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The common willow being a coarse feeder ... nd rapid grower, revelling in wet and ... swampy land, has also been commended as one of the very best agents for the destruction of malarial germs. Its roots spread widely through the soil, while its leafage is simply enormous in proportion to the woody development. The tree sorts of willow grow with great rapidity, but more immediate effects may be produced by planting sprouts of the osier or basket willow thickly all over the whole of a wet or swampy surface soil.

This would be a remunerative product aside from its destruction of malaria. The plan is worthy of trial.—*Exchange.*

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Eminent Folk Here and There.

Herbert Spencer once had journalistic aspirations, but could not get a place, even as a Bohemian itemizer, in the whole city of London.

Canon Farrar recently alluded publicly in London to Mr. James Russell Lowell as "one who is at once the American Minister and the first of the living American poets."

The King of Holland sometimes walks all night in the populous parts of Hague. When he reaches home he personally supervises the frying of his potatoes, which he takes with several glasses of beer.

Mr. Blaine is credited with an epigrammatic description of Oscar Wilde, the accuracy of which will be recognized by all who have met the apostle of æstheticism. He referred to O. W. as "that underdone young man."

It is said in San Francisco that Lord Beaumont has been refused by an heiress of that city. He made the mistake of asking her father in advance just how much she was to have, business being business.

Sir John Rose, a financial and railway magnate, who owns one-fifth of the Canada Pacific Railway, was recently in St. Paul after inspecting his road. He is tall and angular in appearance, yet very genial in manner, though very modest and unassuming.

At Cape May Oscar Wilde wore his æsthetic suit with "the sweetness of a maiden;" but, being posed to his liking in a big arm chair, a waiter was asked to be good enough to bring a bottle of wine and a box of cigars. The wine was old and the cigars were as black as ink; but he smoked, drank, and chatted until midnight.

Arabi Pasha is described as a tall, heavy-faced man, sullen, swarthy, with only a clear eye to soften the general harshness of expression, and a black mustache to hide a badly carved mouth. His legs look too frail for the rest of his body. He is a bulky, broad, thick-chested fellow, built on the lobster pattern. As a spectacle, not pretty.

One of Prince Bismarck's pet schemes is to substitute biennial budgets in place of the existing annual ones. All his bills in this direction have hitherto have been rejected by the Reichstag. The undaunted Chancellor now purposes achieving his desire by submitting simultaneously the budgets for two consecutive years, that for 1883-84 ostensibly only by way of experiment.

Dom Pedro, Emperor of Brazil, cares nothing for splendor. He rides in an ordinary black coach, usually drawn by six mules, and followed by twelve cavalrymen, mostly negroes, whose discipline is not too strict to permit him to smoke cigarettes while escorting his Majesty. The coachman and footmen are shabby in worn suits and silver lace. The Emperor wears the plainest of black clothes, and is very courteous to all who approach him.

Cetywayo, the Zulu king, is greatly delighted with England and his treatment by the government and people. "If," he said, "I could only live in a country like this, I should want for nothing more on this earth." The cattle attracted his attention, and he expressed surprise that after feeding on such soil the herds did not become so fat as to be unable to rise. "Why," said he, "did a nation so grand, a people so numerous, make war upon a man so little as the Zulu? Why did you not ask me to run away, to get out of Zululand? That would have been noble of you, and kind to me."

Corea.

It is to be noted that with every revolution or change of dynasty in China, the leaders of the defeated party usually took refuge with their followers in Corea. The Mongol stock was thus continually fortified, while the stream of Caucasic migration had ceased to flow from prehistoric times. Hence it is not surprising to find that the prevailing type is now distinctly Mongoloid. Of the 9,000,000 or 10,000,000 inhabitants of the peninsula, probably five-sixths may be described as distinguished by broad and rather flat features, high cheek-bones, slightly oblique black eyes, small nose, thin lips, black and lank hair, sparse beard, yellowish or copperish complexion. The rest, representing the original Caucasic element, are characterized by rounded or oval features, large nose, light complexion, delicate skin, chestnut or brown hair, blue eyes, full beard. Between the two extremes there naturally occur several immediate shades, all of which serve to explain the contradictory accounts of the missionaries and travellers speaking from actual observation, but generally ignorant of the original constituent elements and ethical relations of the natives. All, however, agree in describing them as taller and more robust than the Chinese and Japanese, while fully equal to them in intelligence and moral qualities. They are a simple, honest, good-natured people, very frank, laborious, and hospitable, although hitherto compelled by their exclusive laws to treat strangers with suspicion and an outward show of unfriendliness. That this unfriendliness is merely assumed through fear of the authorities is abundantly evident from Capt. Basil Hall's account of his intercourse with the natives of the islands on the west coast. Polygamy, although permitted is little practiced, in this respect resembling their peculiar Buddhism; but while some consideration is shown [illegible] the women, to whom the streets are given up in the evening, the gods are treated with the greatest contempt and indifference. In many towns there are no temples nor even any domestic shrines. The images of gods and saints are mere wooden blocks set up like landmarks by the wayside, and inferior works of art to the idols of the [illegible]. When one of these divinities gets [illegible] down or rots away it becomes the [illegible] the children, who amuse themselves [illegible]king it about amid the jeers and [illegible] their elders. The religious sentiment, [illegible] may be said to cumulate on the Tibe[illegible]ateau, seems to fade away west and [illegible] as it descends toward the Atlantic and Pacific sea-boards. Formerly masters of the Japanese in many arts, the Coreans at present cultivate few industries beyond the weaving and dyeing of linens and cottons and the preparation of paper from the pulp of the *Broussonetia papyrifera*. Silks and tea are imported from China and Japan, and the exports to those countries have hitherto been mainly restricted to rice, raw silk, peltries, paper, tobacco and ginseng.—*Nature.*

Morsels for Sunday Contemplation.

The first virtue is to restrain the tongue; he approaches nearest the gods who knows how to be silent, even though he is in the right.

Run not into debt, either for wares sold or money borrowed; be content to want things that are not of absolute necessity, rather than to run up the score.

The world will never be in any manner of order or tranquility until men are firmly convinced that conscience, honor and credit are all in one interest, and that with the conscience of the former, the latter are but impositions upon ourselves and others.

Employment, which Galeh calls "nature's physician," is so essential to human happiness that indolence is justly considered as the mother of misery.

In private conversation between intimate friends, the wisest men very often talk like the weakest; for indeed the talking with a friend is nothing else but thinking aloud.

The ordinary employment of artifice is the mark of a petty mind, and it almost always happens that he who uses it to cover himself in one place uncovers himself in another.

Nature has left every man a capacity of being agreeable, though not of shining in company; and there are a hundred men sufficiently qualified for both, who, by a very few faults that they might correct in half an hour, are not so much as tolerable.

It is with antiquity as with ancestry, nations are proud of the one, and individuals of the other; but if they are nothing in themselves, that which is their pride ought to be their humiliation.

A good word is an easy obligation; but not to speak ill requires only our silence, which costs us nothing.

Better to be despised for too anxious apprehensions than ruined by too confident a security.

Conceit is to nature what paint is to beauty; it is not only needless, but impairs what it would improve.

Lamentation is the only musician that always, like a screech-owl, alights and sits on the roof of angry man.

"Help

There was anguish in the faces of those who bent over the little white bed, for they knew that baby May was drifting away from them, going out alone into the dark voyage where so many have been wrested from loving hands, and as they tried in vain to keep her, or even to smooth with their kind solicitude her last brief sorrows, they, too, experienced in the bitter hour of parting the pangs of death. They only hoped that she did not suffer now. The rings of golden hair lay damp and unstirred upon her white forehead; the roses were turned to lilies on her cheeks; the lovely violet eyes saw them not, but were upturned and fixed; the breath on the pale lips came and went, fluttered and seemed loath to leave its sweet prison. Oh, the awful, cruel strength of death, and the weakness, the helplessness of love! They who loved her better than life could not lift a hand to avert the destroyer; they could only watch and wait until the end should come. Her merry, ringing laugh would never again gladden their hearts; her little feet would make no more music as they ran pattering to meet them. Baby May was dying, and all the house was darkened and hushed!

Then it was as the shadows fell in denser waves about us, that she stirred ever so faintly, and our hearts gave a great bound as we thought "She is better! She will live." Yes, she knew us; her eyes moved from one face to the other, with a dim, uncer- gaze! Oh! how good God was to give her back! How we would praise and bless Him all our lives! She lifted one dainty hand—cold—almost pulseless, but better, better—we would have it so—and laid it on the rough, browned hand of the rugged man who sat nearest to her. His eyelids were red with weeping, but now a smile lighted all his bronzed face like a rainbow as he felt the gentle pressure of his little daughter's hand—the mute, imploring touch, that meant a question.

"What is it, darling?" he asked in broken tones of joy and thanksgiving.

She could not speak, and so we raised her on her pretty lace pillow, and her wee white face shone in the twilight like a fair star, or a sweet woodland flower.

She lifted her heavy eyes to his—eyes that even then had the glory and the promise of immortality in them, and reaching out her little wasted arms, said in her weary, flute-like voice:

"Help me across, papa!"

Then she was gone! We held to our breaking hearts the frail, beautiful shell, but she was far away, whither we might no follow. She had crossed the dark river, and not alone.

"Over the river the boatman pale
Carried another, the household pet.

"She crossed on her bosom her beautiful hands
And fearlessly entered the phantom bark:
We felt it glide from the silver sands,
And all our sunshine grew strangely dark."

Oh, infinite Father! When we weary and disappointed ones reach out pleading hands to Thee, wilt Thou take us even as the little child, and help us across over the mountains of defeat and the valleys of humiliation into the eternal rest of Thy presence, into the green pastures and beside the still waters, into the City of the New Jerusalem, whose builder and maker is God!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

In a Cambridge horse-car: "Now, I don't believe in speaking against a man behind his back. It does not do any good, and frequently injures an innocent party." "It is an excellent plan to follow," returned the other. "I've always done so," continued the first, "and found it worked well, but there is Col. So-and-so, he's a sample of the other kind. He will backbite and malign his neighbors, will get a man into his confidence, and then give him away, and do all sorts of such mean, contemptible tricks that I would be ashamed of."

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What can't be cured must be insured, as the physician remarked when he ordered his patient into close confinement.

A Frenchman, feeling ill, complained to an English friend that he had a pain in his portmanteau, by which he meant his chest.

A book-agent was attacked by robbers the other day, but he succeeded in talking them to death before the villains could escape.

A hackman recently went into the surf at Long Branch and encountered a huge shark. Their eyes met for an instant, when the shark blushed and swam out.

"A good many things that appear in the newspapers are not true." This is because the newspapers have frequently to get their information from human beings.

A New York physician gives half a dozen reasons why Americans grow bald. It is a great consolation to a man who has become bald to know that there's a reason for it.

"You dog of a printer," cried an enraged poet, "you have not punctuated my poem at all." "Yes, but you see, sir, I am not a pointer, I'm a setter," replied the printer.

During a military parade last week, a young man in the ranks tried to bow to three girls at once, and broke his neck. A soldier should be content with Hardee's tactics on the march.

The gentleman who went off on a vacation for rest and recreation, and to recuperate from the toils of the year, has returned, and expects in about a week to be sufficiently recovered to work with some vigor.

An Allegheny saloon-keeper has been fined $5 for trying to hang himself. As this is a good deal less than his funeral expenses would have amounted to, it is considered that he ought to congratulate himself.

A classic and a naturalist are talking over the last storm. "So our friend was actually killed by a stroke of lightning?" says the classic. "Exactly so." "He perished as Ajax did, defying Jupiter?" "No, he was eating some peas stewed in oil."

A Nashville boy put a thistle under a mule's tail to see what the animal would do, and the man who owned the animal and waggon, and the folks who had windows in that vicinity, would pay handsomely to get at the person who set the mule to exerting himself.

A Clever Trick.

The Japan *Mail* describes a clever trick which was being exhibited by a native juggler. The performance takes place in a small room about twenty feet wide, half being allotted to the spectators, who are admitted on the payment of the moderate fee of two cents. The "properties" consist of a deal table and a sword, etc. After the usual soul-stirring flourish on a drum and samisen, a man and woman appear from behind a screen, the man binds the woman's head in a cloth, and then she kneels down close to the table, and sideways to the spectators. The man then draws his sword makes a violent blow at the woman's head; she falls forward with arms extended and limbs twitching. He then, having first wiped the sword on a gory-looking rag takes up, apparently, the woman's head, wrapped in a cloth, and places it on the table. To all appearance it is a human head; the eyelids and features have a convulsive motion; presently the eyes open in a dreamy sort of way, and to the accompaniment of the everlasting samisen the head sings a mournful song. A curtain is interposed between the audience and the performers, and when again drawn back the woman is disclosed quietly seated alongside the man. When it is recollected that all this takes place within three feet from the spectators, and that the "properties" are of the simplest description, some idea may be formed of the wonderful excellence of the performance.

Causes of Typhoid Fever.

A severe outbreak of typhoid fever which occurred last year at Nahant, a rocky peninsula near Boston, inhabited during the summer by a small number of very rich cottage owners, was followed by an investigation, of which the results are made public in an article by Mr. F. W. Bowditch, in the *Boston Medical and Surgical Journal.* In such cases contamination of drinking-water is usually the principal cause of the spread of the disease, and the wells and cisterns which supply the houses were first examined. Water was taken from one hundred and ninety of these and analyzed. Eight of the samples were pronounced "excellent," and seventy-one others "permissible," or "good." One hundred and eleven were clased as "suspicious," "very suspicious," or "bad." About eighty cases of fever occurred, nearly all of which could be accounted for by the actual condition of the drinking water used in the houses inhabited by the patients. In a few others the filthy surroundings furnished a probable source of infection, although the water appeared pure, as, in one instance, when analysis failed to detect any serious pollution in water taken from a well situated within ten feet of one leaching cesspool and fifteen feet of another, both overflowing, and of course ready to furnish an occasional supply to the well during dry seasons or under other circumstances. One or two more were probably explained by the fact that the ice used in the household was brought from a foul pond in the vicinity; and only one seemed quite inexplicable, unless perhaps the infection might have been brought by milk contained in cans which had been rinsed in foul water. Mr. Bowditch's suspicion, that the infection was communicated in certain cases by contaminated ice, is strengthened by the fact that a very severe and fatal epedemic of typhoid fever was unquestionably caused in this way not long ago at a seashore hotel in New England; and it is worth asking whether the public authority might not be employed with advantage in exercising some sort of surveillance over the collection and sale of an article which may become, and perhaps already is, far more dangerous than the trichinous pork or immature veal against which so many precautions are taken. In one place that we know of, says the *American Architect*, thousands of tons of ice are annually gathered at the very edge of an extensive and well-filled cemetery, which slopes somewhat rapidly toward the water and we have seen the winter product of a little pool formed by the overflow of what was practically the drain of a cluster of squalid houses regularly sold to customers.

The Sun.

In any reference to the physical history of the sun, the stupendous magnitude of its sphere must be kept vividly present to the mind. With a diameter 109 times longer than the earth's, the solar orb looks out into space from a surface that is twelve thousand times larger than the one which the earth enjoys. The bulk of the sun is one million three hundred thousand times that of the earth. If the surface of the sun were a thin external rind, or shell, and the earth were placed in the middle of this hollow sphere, not only would the moon have space to circle in its usual orbit without ever getting outside of the solar shell, but there would be room also for a second satellite, nearly as far again as the moon, to accomplish a similar course. The weight of the sun is three hundred thousand times the weight of the earth, or, in round numbers, two thousand millions of millions of millions of millions of tons. The mean distance of the sun from the earth is now so well ascertained, through investigations which have been made in several distinct ways, that there can scarcely be in the estimate an error of 500,000 miles. The distance, at the present time gives, is 92,885,000 miles. This measure is in itself so vast, that, if any traveller were to move at the rate of four miles an hour for 10 hours a day, it would take him 6,900 years to reach the sun. Sound would traverse the interval, if there were anything in space capable of transmitting sonorous vibrations, in 14 years, and a cannon-ball sustaining its initial velocity throughout would do the same thing in nine years. A curious illustration, attributed to Prof. Mendenhall, is to the effect that an infant, with an arm long enough when stretched out from the earth to reach the sun, would die of old age before it could become conscious, through the transmission of the nervous impression from the hand to the brain, that it had burned its fingers. In order that the earth thus moving round the sun with a chasm of 93,000,000 miles of intervening space between them, may not be drawn to the sun by the preponderant attraction of its 330,000 times larger mass, it has to shoot forward in its path with a momental velocity 50 times more rapid than that of the swiftest rifle-ball. But, in the moving through 20 miles of this onward path, the earth is drawn out of a straight line by something less than the eighth part of an inch. The deviation is properly the source from which the amount of the solar attraction has been ascertained. If the earth were suddenly arrested in its onward flight, and its momentum were in that way destroyed, it would be drawn to the sun, by the irresistible force of its attraction, in four months, or in the twenty-seventh part of the time which a cannon-ball would take to complete the same journey.—*The Edinburgh Review.*

The Critical Period.

From the age of forty to that of sixty a man who properly regulates himself may be considered in the prime of life. His mature strength of constitution renders him almost impervious to the highest attacks of disease, and all the functions are in order. Having gone a year or two past sixty, however, he arrives at the critical period of existence; the river of death flows before him, and he remains at a standstill. But athwart this river is a viaduct, called the "Turn of Life," which, if crossed in safety, leads to the valley of "Old Age," around which the river winds, and then flows without a doubt of causeway to affect its passage. The bridge is, however, constructed of fragile materials, and it depends upon how it is trodden whether it bend or break. Gout, apoplexy, and other bad maladies are also in the vicinity to waylay the traveller and thrust him from the pass; but let him gird up his loins and provide himself with perfect composure. To quote a metaphor, the "turn of life" has a turn either to a prolonged walk or into the grave. The system and power having reached their utmost expansion now begin either to close, like flowers at sunset, or break down at once. One injudicious stimulant, a single fatal excitement, may force it beyond its strength, whilst a careful supply of props and the withdrawal of all that tends to force a plant will sustain it in its beauty and vigor until night has nearly set in.

Sole Proprietor of the Garden of Eden.

We were waiting on the platform at Kingston, Ga., for the overdue train, when a wordy war began a few feet away between two coloured men, one of them a resident of the town and the other a stranger from Rome in search of a job.

"You see, gem'len, it am jist this way," explained Moses, the Kingston man, when we asked what the trouble was. "Dis yere nigger has cum down from Rome, an' de minit he strikes de town he begins to shoot off 'bout de Garden of Eden an' purtend to know all 'bout it."

"Well, can't he talk about the Garden of Eden?"

"No sah, he can't! Dat's a subjict dat I worked up myself ober five y'ars ago, an' I claim to be de only cull'd man in Kingston dat knows anyfing 'bout it. Arter Ize dun argued an' fit an' jawed an' put my heel on de necks of de niggers in dis town who talk 'ligun Ize not gwine to hab a chap like dis one walk in heah an' tell me jist how many acres of land dar was in dat garden! Cl'ar out, you black rascal—move dem hoofs 'long down de track or I'll make you sick all ober!"

Bursting of a Ship by Swelling of a Cargo.

The *Gazette Maritime et Commerciale*, in its news regarding ocean disasters, relates the following curious example of the formidable power of molecular forces. The Italian ship Francesca, loaded with rice, put into port on May 11, at East London, leaking considerably. A large force of men was at once put on board to pump out the water contained in the ship and to unload her; but in spite of all the activity exerted, the bags of rice soaked in water gradually, and swelled up. Two days afterwards, on May 13, the ship was violently burst asunder by this swelling of her cargo.

Religions of the World.

The census of the world, according to its religions, has been figured out by some Scotch statisticians. Its results are: Protestants, 120,000,000; Oriental Christians, 80,000,000; Roman Catholics, 200,000,000; Jews, 10,000,000; Mohammedans, 175,000,000; Pagans, 80,000,000.

The Standard

MARKDALE, SEPT. 14TH, 1882.

LATEST WAR NEWS.

Nothing very important has transpired the past week, but a general advance of the British was expected to take place yesterday. The British troops are reported in excellent spirits and tidings of a heavy engagement is expected shortly.

OBITUARY.

It becomes our painful duty this week to chronicle the death of a highly respected farmer, in the person of Mr. Samuel Donnelley, who departed this life on Wednesday the 13th Sep., 1882, at the age of 45 years. Deceased has been in poor health during the past year. His illness developed into consumption which hastened him to a premature grave. Mr. Donnelly moved into the township of Glenelg about twenty years ago, and has since made many warm friends; has filled the office of councillor with acceptance, and also other positions of trust. He has long been a consistant and worthy member of the Presbyterian church and elder of the same. He leaves a wife and two children who, with a wide circle of friends, mourn their loss. We extend to the sorrowing family our warmest sympathies in their present affliction.

BASE BALL.

The following is the result of the return match between Markdale and Dundalk, which came off on the grounds of the former on Saturday last.

Markdale	2	2	0	2	13	0	0	4	5	28
Dundalk	2	3	7	5	1	2	1	0	11	32

Majority for Dundalk, 4.

Harvest is about all over.

Such lovely wool goods at McFarland's.

Mr. C. A. Owen has removed to Streetsville.

Mr. A. Butter removed to Owen Sound yesterday.

For bedsteads, spring beads and mattrasses go to Grants.

Mr. James Reid, of Mount Forest, was in town on Tuesday.

Scarlet fever is making sad havoc among the people of Artemesia.

McFarland's 25 cent Diagonal Serge Dress Goods takes the cake.

The foundation of Hill Bros. elevator was put together on Saturday.

There is said to be an open well on a vacant lot on George Street, Markdale.

A. McIntyre is away purchasing a stock of goods which will arrive in a few days.

Mr. Grant Markdale, has a fine assortment of coffins, burrial robes, mountings, &c.

Mr. Kough, of Owen Sound, is fitting up his brick house on Walker St. in good style.

Correspondents will please forward their copy in time to reach us by Tuesday's mail.

T. E. Davis (builder and contractor) finished the brick work of the Presbyterian church this week.

A brand new Toronto Tailor, first class cutter, newest styles, coming to Markdale. Boys wait.

Is it possible McFarland will sell all his boots he has just received? See his wonderful assortment.

Messrs. Trimble & Wright have moved to Markdale and both families have taken rooms in Reid's block.

A typographical error made us to say last week that Mr. Webster, of Priceville, sold his mill for $1,000, it should have read $11,000.

Mr. John Mercer, will give a special prize of $1. for the best Jersey Pig of 1882, at the Glenelg show Sep. 27th, 1882.

Never knew anything so cheap as McFarland's 10 cent black lustres, 10 cent striped lustres, 20 cent table Damask, all pure linen. They are selling fast.

A credit auction sale is advertised for the 2nd Oct., on the farm of Mr. Robt. Timson, Holland. Mr. T. is giving up farming and will sell without reserve.

Mr. John Boland and sister left on Monday on a trip to the Prairie Province. They expect to return in four or five weeks. We wish them a pleasant time.

There is not as great a breadth of fall wheat put in this season as last. Seeding is also about two weeks backward, owing to the lateness of harvest operations.

"See, mamma!" exclaimed a little child, as puss, with arching spine and elevated rudder, strutted around the table, "see, kitty's eaten so much she can't shut her tail down!"

Wm. Lucas & Co, bankers, Markdale have **$200,000 00** to loan on real estate. Straight loan system. No fines. Low interest. Moderate charges.

OUR patrons need not be afraid of insinuations or offensive personalities through the columns of the STANDARD in future, as the cause has been removed.

THE *Advance* devoted a column of space last week in abusing the Clerk of Osprey, and ourselves, without making a point however. We do not think it worthy of reply, it is, in our opinion, a poor policy to endeavour to raise one's self by speaking evil of others.

Miss Thibaudeau, second teacher in the Markdale school, was find $10 and costs on Monday last for chastising a pupil too severely. It appears four children were being punished alike for misconduct but one of them being determined not to obey was dealt with accordingly and the result was as above.

EUPARASIA COUNCIL.

Council met Sep. 1; members all present. Minutes of last session read and confirmed.

The school rate was levied; Mr T. Jordan was appointtd collector for the five easterly cons. of the township at a salary of $50; J. Manary in the 7 west cons. at $55 per annum, and by-laws passed accordingly.

The collectors to submit names of securities to reeve and deputy-reeve not later than Sep. 15.

The report of committee on 3 & 4 s. line was adopted: work to be proceeded with forthwith.

Mr J. W. Knott's proposal, re the crosswaying of side-road in con. 7 was accepted. Dep. reeve to attend to it.

$7.50 was granted Wm. Stewart as balance in full of payment for deviation road. Mr Stewart to hold the original road allowance until it be required for public travel by township.

Chas. Fawcett to expend $10 on side road 12 & 13, con. 1, as equivalent to work performed; Wm. Fawcett, commissioner to inspect.

Council adjourned till Oct 6.

VENNOR'S WEATHER FOR SEPTEMBER.

Mr Vennor's promises the following weather for September:

There will be excessive heat again during the fore-part of September where heat was experienced during the last of August and entry of Jrly. The month enters on a Friday—an unlucky day, for "so the story goes." Stormy weather probable on both sides of the Atlantic Ocean.

Sep. 1 to 7. Foggy weather along the North Atlantic coast and Gulf of St. Lawrence, with thunder-storms and probably sultry weather over the North Atlantic. Sultry and showery up to the 6th day. Cooler change night of 6th or 7th, with possibly frosts in New York State and Quebec, Canada.

Sep. 7 to 14. Cooler and pleasant weather. Days varying from warm to sultry; evenings and nights generally cool. Favourable week in majority of sections. Cold in mountainous regions; Probably rain in Quebec and Lower Proviucies.

Sep. 14 to 21. Rather stormy and unsettled week, with frequent rainfalls. Windy weather probable in Gulf of St. Lawrence and North Atlantic. Fair seasonable weather in majority of sections. Wet in northern sections about 20 and 21. Stormy and cold weather in England and in Scotland.

Sep. 21 to 28. Temperature probably fall-like. Windy with very cool evenings and nights, probably frosty, in north and west states; stormy and wet in Gulf of St. Lawrence and on the North Atlantic coast.

Sep. 28 to 30. In all probability wet and stormy in majority of sections. Crop report less favourable than expected. Wretched weather in Maritime ports and also at Newfoundland.

RISE IN PORK.

It will be good news for farmers, perhaps, but bad news for people who have to buy their provisions, to know that pork is still on the rise; that the article is still very scarce on the Western markets; and that for the first time in the history of pork packing the mammoth concerns at the Chicago stock-yard of Fowler Bros. and Atkinson and Co., packing provision companies, are shut down through the scarcity of hogs. Over 2,500 men are out of employment in consequence. The cause is attributed to the high price of corn for the past few months, farmers selling grain instead of feeding it to their stock. There is not more than half a crop of corn this year in the West, and this will tend to still further increase the price of pork; while the scarcity of pork will cause a great demand for beef, which will be scarce for the same reason.

A copy of the first issue of the Dundalk *Herald*, under the new proprietor, is before us. It is a 28 column sheet printed on double demy. It is very neatly got up, with a good advertising patronage, and is independent in politics. We wish the proprietor every success.

The Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society intend holding their Bazaar on show day, Sep. 27th, at the entrance into the Agricultural grounds. There will be a variety of valuable articles offered for sale. Lunch, at 15cts, will be served during the day from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. In the evening there will be an entertainment in the Dufferin Hall, consisting of an art gallery, music, a variety of scenes, and artistic work. Doors open at 7.30. Admission 15 cents.

Correspondence

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

To the Editor of the Standard.

SIR,—Now that the holidays are over, I would like to draw attention to the length of the school vacation; six weeks being far too long. This matter should be fixed by law, and not left to the trustees, who don't care to incur the frown of the teacher. Two or more of the Artemesia teachers have been away sick for four weeks, which with six weeks vacation makes 10 weeks holiday, yet they demand full pay, and one is talking of another week's holiday and a rise in his salary ! ! !

It is said that the reports of a school in Artemesia are not reliable, and trustees should compare and examine the half-yearly reports.

A RATEPAYER.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

DEAR SIR,—For the last few months I have noticed some very slanderous remarks by the Flesherton *Advance* on our Council, and especially on our highly esteemed Clerk, Mr. Milne. I thought to have let the matter pass without interfering, but such slanderous reiterations I can bear no longer. The cause of the dispute, it may be well to notice, is because the *Advance* did not get the Township printing. I understand from one of the councillors that the *Advance* puts in a tender, stating he will do the general printing for the Township for a certain sum. Another printer puts in a tender stating what he will do and at what prices. I would like to think as some do, that it was ignorance of the *Advance* that caused him to put in his tender in this way, but he is so quick in calling others crafty and wily that I cannot but think he intended to have quite a nice bill of extras when the account would be sent in, and because our Council was too sharp to be duped by him, hence the abuse he has been hurling at them since. Because the Clerk happens to be a Grit he comes heaviest on him, doubtless thinking the Conservatives of Osprey would be pleased to see a Grit slandered. But, Mr. Editor, I am proud of the Conservatives of Osprey, as they speak of it with supreme contempt. The unfounded statement made by the *Advance* that Mr. Milne had the promise of 15 per cent. discount on the Township printing I am happy to say is received as utterly untrue, and many I have heard speak say the *Advance* must have intended to make it a matter of consideration to some of the Council or he would not have thought of charging Mr. Milne with any such thing. The old adage may be very well applied in this case, "evil to him that evil thinks." The editor of the Flesherton paper seems to consider it a crime to be a Grit (of the first water) as he puts it. Does he think the people of Osprey did not know what Mr Milne was before he was placed in office, and that by a Conservative council? Did not one of the councillors lose his seat in the Council for one year because he voted against Mr. Milne as Clerk? I say such is the case. I would also say, the people of Osprey have known Mr. Milne longer than they have known the editor of the *Advance* (or ever wish to know him, from what I hear), and they have found him a gentleman in every particular, and as for his honesty and integrity, I venture to say not one in the Township doubts it after all the *Advance* has said. The people of Osprey know full well if the Council gave the contract to a higher tender than the Flesherton paper they had good reason for it, especially if the Clerk had anything to say in the matter. I will now conclude, hoping the *Advance* will perceive that his letters so far from changing the confidence of the people in the Clerk is only strengthening it and lowering the editor of the *Advance*. I am sorry I cannot consider the editor of the above paper a brother Conservative of the first water, nor of anything but dirty water.

VERITAS.

A doctor will sit down and write a prescription; time, five minutes: paper and ink, ¼ cent, and the patient pays $1, $2, $5, $10 as the case may be. A lawyer writes ten or twelve lines of advice, and gets from $10 to $20 from his client. An editor writes a column puff for a man, pays a man from 50 cents to $1 for putting it in type, prints it on several dollars' worth of paper sends it to a thousand people, and then surprises the puffed man if he makes any charge.

BIRTHS.

RICHARDS—In Markdale, on the 7th inst., the wife of W. G. Richards (builder & contractor) of a son.

STORMBOSKIE—In Artemesia, on the July 29 the wife of Mr. Thos. Stormboskie of a son.

MARRIED.

MCKECHINE—MCDONALD.—In Artemesia, on the 5th inst., by Rev A. Wilson. Mr. Alexander McKechinie of Glenelg, to Miss Annie McDonald of Artemesia.

KNOWLES—CUNNINGHAM.—On the 13th inst., at the residence, of the bride's parents, by Rev. A. Wilson, Mr.——Knowles of Severen Bridge, Muskoka, to Miss M. E daughter of Mr. Wm Cunningham, Artemesia Tp.

DIED.

MILLER—In Glenelg, on the 6th inst., at the residence of his stepson, Mr. Thos. Collier, Robert Miller, aged 80 years. Deceased was a native of Fifeshire, Scotland, and resident in Glenelg over 30 years.

LAUDER—On Wednesday, August 2nd, the result of an accident very suddenly, Wm. Lauder, of Poalohill, Bewcastle, Cumberland, England, aged 58 years. Deceased who was very much respected, was brother to Thomas Lauder, Esq., Registrar for South Grey, and Mr. A. W. Lauder, M. P. P. East Grey.

DONNELLY—In Glenelg, on the 13th inst., Mr. Samuel Donnelly, aged 45 years, 7 months.

The funeral will leave his late residence on Friday at 1 o'clock p. m.

ON OUR TABLE.

Brown's Phonographic Monthly to hand, those desirous of learning the best system of shorthand cannot do better than order this work. The system is Pitman's, but with such improvements as the best American Stenographer can suggest.

Woodcock's Printers Gazette is full of matter interesting to the craft.

Our Little Ones keeps well to the fore as a children's monthly.

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FALL EXHIBITIONS.

TORONTO.—Sept. 5 to 2[illegible].

PROVINCIAL.—Kingston, Sep. [illegible] 26th.

S. GREY.—Durham, Sep. 26 [illegible]

E. GREY.—Flesherton, Sep. 2[illegible] 29th.

GLENELG.—Markdale, Sept. 27[illegible]

COLLINGWOOD.—Clarksburg, 27[illegible]

EGREMONT.—Holstein, Oct. 4.

EUPHRASIA.—Rocklyn, Oct. 4.

ARTEMESIA.—Priceville, Oct. 5.

PROTON.—Dundalk. Oct. 5.

MELANCTHON.—Shelburne, Oct [illegible] and 4.

HOLLAND.—Chatsworth, Oct. [illegible]

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[TO]RONTO.—Sept. 5 to 20.
[PRO]VINCIAL.—Kingston, Sep. 1[8]...
[S.] GREY.—Durham, Sep. 26 & 27.
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[EG]REMONT.—Holstein, Oct. 4.
[EU]PHRASIA.—Rocklyn, Oct. 4.
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[PR]OTON.—Dundalk. Oct. 5.
[ME]LANCTHON,—Shelburne, Oct. [3,] 4.
[HO]LLAND.—Chatsworth, Oct. 10.

[M.] E. M. Heron, Having started the Eugenia House, [wishes] to secure a share of public patronage.

The Eugenia House being close to

The Falls

[offer]s great attractions to those who are fo[nd of] SCENERY, as well as to those who delight in

ANGLING.

[T]he river both above and below the Fa[lls] abounds with SPECKLED TROUT.

[M]. E. HERON can safely assu[re the] public that he is determined to d[o his u]tmost to please and accommodat[e all] comers.

[T]he board and accommodati[on wi]ll be of the best, and he [is sup]plied with the very best brands [of LI]QUORS, having resolved that th[e] ... shall be properly attended. Al[so]

Good Stabling.

Moffat Bros',

MARKDALE

Foundry!

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MACHINE WORKS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

[M]ILL MACHINERY,

Steam Engines,

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Pulleys, &c. Land Rollers,

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MACHINERY REPAIRING

Done in a practical manner.

We also introduce our new

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[to] the public. This new machine will mang[le] [L]inen, Cotton, and Woollen Goods, givin[g th]em a beautiful smooth and glossy appea[ran]ce. It also improves the clothes, wherea[s] [ho]t irons injure them. We also manu[] facture

Ornamental Cresting

[o]f various designs for Buildings, Verandah[s], &c. ornamental Cast iron Chains, Fall Pillars. Fencing. Ventilators, Columns, Iron Beams. Gratings for Cellar Windows, &c.

Iron & Brass Castings

Of Every Description Made to Order.

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A SPECIALTY.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the erro[rs] and indiscretions of youth, nervous weak[]ness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c. [I] will send a receipe that will cure you, FRE[E] OF CHARGE. This great Remedy was d[is]covered by a missionary in South Americ[a]. Send a self-addressed envelope to R[ev.] Joseph T. Inman, Station D, New Yo[rk] City.

Local Items.

Shelburne town hall is progressing rapidly.

What has become of the Markdale Fire Brigade?

All seats are free in the Markdale English church.

There are 25 lots in Thornbury in arrears for taxes.

The Tara cemetery is a paying investment.—Leader.

Wyonch recovered wages in dispute from Hicks, Euphrasia.

A Tara cheese factory has been closed; small milk supply.

Business is a little brisker; the farmers are responsible for it.

Considerable grain has been hauled in on the Sabbath this year.

There is a prospect of Rocklyn becoming a nice little inland village.

Half the agents on the C.P.R. have to live in a hand car house, or a box car.

Thimble berries plentiful on the Indian reserves; natives making 65 cts. per pail.

The Methodist ministers of the Owen Sound district met recently in Flesherton.

Mr Cæsar's cat brought home a very large snake last Wednesday; the cat had not killed it.

A few books to hand to strangers at our churches would probably be a paying investment.

The Euphrasia councilmen fight not, neither do they squabble over the township business.

The *Mirror* is in error as to 30 of the nuisance cases being withdrawn; they were dismissed.

Hugh Johnston interfered in the Graham family row, but got out of it with a $2 fine.

The attention of the authorities is called to the thousands of thistles on different streets going to seed.

Moffat Bros. are fitting up a lathe in their foundry capable of turning anything up to 6 ft. in diameter.

Mr Train's new saw-mill at Meaford is making headway. It will turn out 20,000 ft. daily when completed.

The Oscar-Wilde craze has struck Meaford, Owen Sound, Tara, and our own village. This is just too, too utterly utter.

Section men get $2 00, and section foremen $2 50, on C.P.R., and don't kill themselves with work; so says E. D. Wilcox.

A lamp exploded in the Disciples' church, Collingwood, during a service and set fire to the building. Elder Shearman put it out.

A Chesley girl visited Elderslie and displayed her muscular power by throwing a man against a table and broke three of his ribs.

Mr. Vandusen, butter buyer, Tara, happened to open a tub, and discovered 5 lb. salt packed round the side so that the taster would miss it.

The Flesherton Methodists have appointed ushers to find seats for strangers in church on Sundays. Markdale religionists might follow suit with advantage.

Twelve factories were represented at Listowel cheese fair; 4400 boxes were offered, but buyers would not give enough. 600 boxes only were sold, $11\frac{1}{8}$c.

Quite a number of our local postmasters have not attended to the new regulation respecting stamping postal cards. 'Tis contrary to law to stamp cards on the letter side.

A Reward—Of one dozen 'Teaberry' to any one sending the best four line rhyme on 'Teaberry,' the remarkable little gem for the Teeth and Breath. Ask your druggist for address.

Wilcox is making over $60 per mon. on the C.P.R. He is night agent and operator at Selkirk. Some of the boys have to rough it. Conductors Munroe and Maltby are on the same section.

The Graham family, Euphrasia, have been airing their grievances in the police court. James has been fined $10 for assaulting John's wife, who was also fined 50c. for assaulting James.

The attention of the inspector is called to a hole in the sidewalk opposite the English Church. The pedestrian who unwarily puts his foot in it, is apt to use words charactised more by strength than elegance.

The safest, best and cheapest medicine in the world is Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters. Sold in large bottles at 50 cents by all druggists. Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk.

Trout season closed.

The largest livery owner in Maine uses Kendall's Spavin Cure with the best success.

Houses are said to be scarce at Flesherton.

J. R. Bend, Druggist, &c., Schomberg writes, "I have sold medicines for over twenty years, and no medicine could give better satisfaction than your Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry." This medicine is the old reliable cure for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, and all summer complaints.

Only eight prisoners in Owen Sound jail.

Thousands have used Kendall's Spavin Cure for rheumatism after all other remedies had failed, and have experienced instant relief.

The threshing machine finds the straw long and tough this year.

A WORD OF CAUTION.

Beware of Opiates and powerful astringent drugs in the treatment of Bowel Complaints they may lull the pain and check Diarrhœa, etc., but are liable to produce inflammation. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is guaranteed safe and reliable even for infants, and is a specific for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Colic, Acute or Chronic Diarrhœa and summer complaints generally.

There is likely to be some trouble at Chatsworth before the insurance money, re late fire, will be paid over.

The result of the election has proved a grand success, but not more so than Kendall's Spavin Cure is proved to be every day. Read advt.

The Manitoulin steam ship, which was burned to water line a few months ago, is now being thoroughly repaired in the O. S. dry dock, and when finished will be strong, if not stronger than ever.

HOW IT WORKS.

The purifying and healing properties of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry impart a healthy tone to the diseased mucous surfaces of the Stomach and Bowels. Its cooling, soothing properties counteract pain, its antiseptic properties correct canker and foul humour, and its tonic astringent nature corrects all exhaustive discharges—such as Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Cholera Morbus, and summer complaints generally.

The English church, Owen Sound, is lighted with Gasoline, made specially for the church. The light is a good one.

Robert A. Wilson, Dispensing Chemist, Brockville, says under date of June 5th, '82, "I have not the slightest hesitation in saying that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has given my customers more satisfaction than any medicine in my store for the cure of summer complaints; Diarrhoea, Dysentery, pain in the stomach, sea sickness, Piles etc., you can use my name etc.

It has been very clearly proved the past few weeks, when the farmers were busy harvesting, that Markdale is a quiet place without the agriculturist.

DYSPEPSIA.

Is the most common of all diseases, and under ordinary drug treatment the most difficult to cure, it is a chronic weakness of the stomach with indigestion. The sensitive mucous membrance coating the stomach becomes irritated, and nearly all that enters the stomach continues to add fuel to the fire. Heartburn and sour eructions, belching of wind, Nausea, headache, variable Appetite, Costive Bowels, etc., are its prominent symptoms. Burdock Blood Bitters is a positive cure for this miserable disease.

Mr. J. R. Stoney, of Flesherton, has sold out his mattress factory, and now devotes all his time to insurance.

The rebuilding of stores on the site of the late fire at Owen Sound is going ahead fast.

KIDNEY COMPLAINT.

The secretion from the Kidneys is often loaded with foreign and poisonous matter, a thick brick dust like sediment or a mucous collection forms. The Kidneys are often inflamed and congested, causing pain and weakness in the back and many distressing symptoms, Diabetis, Bright's diseases, Dropsy, and all urinary Complaints are promptly cured by that grand combination of diuretics, alterative tonics, &c., Burdock Blood Bitters.

The August cheese at Flesherton factory sold for 11cts per lb. Total sales for August $1600.00.

ROUGH SIEGE LAID TO HIM.

Mr. James O. Neville, the well known General Import and Export Agent of the Allen "Line," and General Dominion Shipping Agent, of 538 Dorchester street, Montreal, is an active member of the Shamrock Lacrosse Club. "While on a late exhibition trip to the States," said Mr. Neville to the writer, "My old foe, the rheumatism, attacked me, and gave me a rough siege. I sufferrd with the ailment all through my trip and long after my return home. I tried several remedies and found them entirely useless. Having read the indorsements of well known people who had used St. Jacobs Oil, and been cured thereby, I determined to give it a trial. Upon the first application, I saw at once it was what I required. In two weeks time I was as well as ever, and fully able to attend to my business. I have not the least suggestion of Rheumatism since. It certainly is a remarkable remedy and one that seems to me to be infallible."

On Wednesday last Mr. Geo. Lawrence's dwelling house, con. 3 S. D. R. Glenelg, was burned. The furniture was saved. It is supposed the stove pipe caused the fire. No insurance.

The *Mount Forest Advocate* tries to be funny over an old story somebody has cooked up for his especial benefit. It states that a Markdale man tore a dollar bill in halves to pay the 50c. admission fee to a hop at Chatsworth. Sold again! Was it not a Mount Forest man who bolted a door with his thumb?

The prescription of a skillful physician, and composed of vegetable drugs of great remedial power, Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters purify the blood, give tone and vigor to the system, cures Dyspepsia and indigestion when all other medicines fail. Have you tried it? Sold by Druggists 50c a bottle. Turner, Markdale. Parsons, Dundalk,

We want our correspondents to send in their items of news weekly. Don't say there is no news; there is news everywhere, and you'll find it if you keep your eyes open. Arrivals and departures of friends on business or pleasure; selling or trading of farms; deaths; accidents; house or barn raising; meetings of any kind; in fact any item of interest. Dry indeed is the place that cannot produce some item of news during seven days of the week. Just see how interesting a correspondence you can send us.

Mr. Wm. Ranson, of South Norwick, says; For sixteen years I suffered from Billiousness, never had any medicine do me any permanent good until recommended by our druggists. (J. Wesley Fish & Co., Otterville,) to try Dr. Carson's Stomach and Constipation Bitters, which have done me more good than any medicine I have ever taken. I would, with the utmost confidence, recommend them to all suffering from Billiousness, &c. Sold by all druggists. Turner, Markdale: Parsons, Dundalk.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE

IN THE TOWN OF DURHAM, IN THE COUNTY OF GREY.

THE following valuable town properties will be sold on reasonable terms or will be rented for a term of years, or exchange for farm propeoty.

1st,

Lot No. 1 on the west side of Garafraxa street and south of Hunter street, opposite Mr. J. H. Hunter's store house, well fenced and first class frame buildings, good cellars, hard and soft water, a most conveniant residence and would make a good business stand.

2nd,

That most desirable property being park lots nos 2 and 3 on the north side of George st., 8 acres more or less, well fenced, front fenced with pickets, one and a half acres of a thriving young orchard and very convenient to the railway station.

3rd,

The east half of the west half on lot 18 on the west side of countess street with a new frame house and kitchen, good stable and wood shed, well fenced, front fence painted white, hard and soft water on the premises.

4th,

Park Lot No. 8, Wm. Hunter's, Survey.

5th

Lots 1 and 2, Presbyterian Survey.

6th,

Lot No 15 on the North side of Mill street in the village of Markdale close to the railway station, with good frame house thereon. If the above properties are sold the very best title will be given free from all encumbrances.

—Also the—

Following Farming Properties.

will be sold on reasonable terms of payment.

7th,

Lot No. 22, Con. 9 Glenelg, 100 acres more or less, $3\frac{1}{2}$ miles from the T. G. & B. R. at Markdale, 75 acres cleared, a new frame house and two log barns.

8th,

Lot No. 93 in the 3rd Con. W. T, & S. R., Glenelg. 50 acres, about 45 acres cleared and good log buildings, about $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Markdale station T. G. & B. R.

9th,

The west half lot 17, Con. 4. N. D. R, Glenelg, 50 acres 40 acres cleared, good rough cast house and orchard on the premises. The house and one acre will be reserved during the life of the occupants who are now between 80 and 85 years of age.

10th

East part lot No. 1. con 2 Normanby, 63 acres, about 50 acres cleared, situation about 2 miles from the town of Durham. For further particulars apply to

FINLEY McRAE, Durham.

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HAGYARD'S YELLOW OIL CURES RHEUMATISM

FREEMAN'S WORM POWDERS!

Are pleasant to take. Contain their own Purgative. Is a safe, sure, and effectual destroyer of worms in Children or Adults.

Dye Stuffs.

Indigo, Madder, Logwood, Fustic, Camwood, Cochineal, Bluestone, Madder Compound, Copperas, Bichromate Potash, Cream Tartar, Alum, and many other Articles used in Dyeing.

Also, a large variety of the best Aniline Dyes.

Medical Hall.

A. Turner & Co.

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In the cool assertion of some people that they can sell below cost, &c, it may not be amiss to let the public of Markdale and surrounding country know that

Wilson Benson,

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Groceries, Liquors, &c.

Consisting of

TEAS, TOBACCOS, SPICES, CANNED FISH, ETC.,

And for those wishing pure Wine for sacramental purposes, will find a brand that will equal anything on this side the Atlantic.

Other Liquors equally pure.

Special! Pure Holland Gin.

Cheese from the best manufactories.

Our Whiskies are from the firm of Gooderham & Worts, Toronto, and the public may rely on receiving them as they are sent.

FLOUR, POTATOES, and everything in the household line kept constantly on hand.

Henceforth my Store will be supplied with Fruits of all kinds, such as

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FRUIT CAKES of all kinds always kept on hand.

Essences, Hair Oils, and Perfumery of the choicest nectars.

TOILET & FANCY SOAPS, better than the best.

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Everything in the Grocery Line kept on a fuller and more complete scale than at any other place in Markdale.

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PIMPLES.

I will mail (Free) the recipe for a simple Vegetable Balm that will remove Tan, FRECKLES, PIMPLES and Blotches, leaving the skin soft, clear and beautiful; also instructions for producing a luxuriant growth of hair on a bald head or smooth face. Address, enclosing a 3c. stamp, Ben. Vandelf & Co., 5 Beekman st., N. Y.

Gold. Great chance to make money. Those who always take advantage of the good chances for making money that are offered, generally become wealthy, while those who do not improve such chances remain in poverty. We want many men, women, boys and girls to work for us right in their own localities. Any one can do the work properly from the first start. The business will pay more than ten times ordinary wages. Expensive outfit furnished free. No one who engages fails to make money rapidly You can devote your whole time in the work, or only your spare moments. Full information and all that is needed sent free. Addres. Stinson & Co., Portland Maine.

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The advertiser, having been permanently cured of that dread disease, Consumption, by a simple remedy, is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure. To all who desire it, he will send a copy of the prescription used, (free of charge,) with the directions for prepairing and using the same which they will find a sure Cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, &c.

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SEAL We have recently published a new edition of Dr. Culverwell's Celebrated Essay on the radical and permanent cure (without medicine) of Nervous Debility, Mental and Physical incapacity, Impediments to Marriage, &c., resulting from excesses.

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BEEF, PORK OR MUTTON SUPPLIED, from a single pound to a whole carcass, at the lowest market prices.

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MARKDALE.

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All those who may have had the misfortune to have been born barefooted will bear in mind that we have just received the largest and best stock of leather ever before brought into Markdale, consisting of Spanish Sole, French Kip and Calf, and are now prepared to manufacture Ladies, Gents, Youths and Misses boots and shoes, from the stoga to the finest kid and prunella.

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All work warranted. Invisible patching also done here.

M. M. McLEOD.

Markdale, Sept. 19th, 1881.

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LOST MANHOOD RESTORED.

A victim of youthful imprudence causing Premature Decay, Nervous Debility, Lost Manhood, etc., having tried in vain every known remedy, has discovered a simple self cure, which he will send FREE to his fellow-sufferers, address J. H. REEVES, 43 Chatham St., N. Y.

$66 a week in your own town; $5 outfit free. No risk. Everything new. Capital not required. We will furnish you everything. Many are making fortunes. Ladies make as much as men, and boys and girls make great pay. Reader, if you want a business at which you can make great pay all the time you work, write for particulars to H. Hallett & Co., Portland, Maine.

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BILIOUSNESS,	DIZZINESS,
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JAUNDICE,	ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH,
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SALT RHEUM,	
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And every species of disease arising from disordered LIVER, KIDNEYS, STOMACH, BOWELS OR BLOOD.

T. MILBURN & CO., Proprietors, TORONTO.

ALL SORTS.

Britain's jewel just now is a Garnet.

The modern pie-rate—ten cents a piece.

The best thing to take before singing—breath.

There's very little or no opposition to a red-hot poker.

All types of mankind to be justified must be in good form.

It depends upon "what's trumps" when the right bower is left.

Why is a messenger like a bad penny? Because he's one sent.

Uneasy lies the head when the mosquito reigns.

A plumber's bride at Saratoga wears a terra cotta hued dress in "pipings."

When does water resemble a gymnast? When it makes a spring.

On week days one buys his music by the sheet; but on Sundays he gets it by the choir.

A southern duel was lately interrupted by rain after only nineteen rounds had been exchanged.

It was an apple that made Adam tell, and the same fruit made William Tell.

It is said that during the moonlight fight in Egypt the English bands played "The man in the moon is looking."

In an autobiographic humor Boileau wrote: "A fool always finds some one more foolish than he is to admire him."

It is not proper to speak of a milkman's watering his milk. You should say that he expedites his cream.

Twisting the tail of the British lion is a dangerous thing for the country that loses its grip.

A latter-day philosopher has said, "Send me all the dresses a woman has worn in the course of her life and I will write her biography from them."

A West End man gave his wife $5 for a health appliance. She bought a plume for her hat. He thinks the "feather cure" ought to be advertized.

"It is not necessary for a man to be poor to be honest." Certainly not. But it seems sort o' half way necessary for a man to be poor if he is honest.

"Will you drop us saline?" asked a man departing from Syracuse. "That depends salt together on circumstances," was the reply.

Politics, nowadays, is like the fandango swings at country musters, the man who is in the top bucket this minute is soon down chaffing with the groundlings.

An inveterate dice-thrower in this city has had an attack of malaria. This is the first time he has had to shake for something he didn't want.

"What is a pessimist, papa?" asked a bright lad. "A pessimist, my son," said the old man, "is one who would find fault with his seat in Heaven, if he ever got there."

We were eating our supper, and Mrs. Dodge was cooking beefsteak. I asked my little girl how she would have her beefsteak cooked. She replied, "I will have it tender and true."

"Is this your first appearance in a court of justice?" asked the Austin Recorder of a vagrant. "No, Judge; it is the last time thus far—how is it with yourself?"

"Bunyan's Pilgrim Progress on the Stage" is the heading of an article in a morning paper. In old times the pilgrims's progress was made on foot but this is the era of rapid transit.

If Jonah had had another fisherman along with him when he was Secretary of the Interior the big fish that gobbled him could not have been measured by any tape line then in existence.

The use of Tea and Coffee.

Tea and coffee are beverages used throughout the civilized world, and their effects have been studied with no little interest. That they affect the system there can be no manner of doubt, but whether this effect is beneficial or otherwise, is the question.

The experience of those who use coffee and tea shows us that they are stimulating in their action, and that coffee is more so than tea. Both are asserted to be nutritious, which may or may not be attributed to the fact that they remove the sense of fatigue and hunger, and allay the mental unrest produced by exhaustion and anxiety. If used to excess they derange the organs of digestion and cause various annoying diseases. Functional disturbances of the nervous system are also caused by ther excessive employment, such as headache, vertigo, and confusion of the mind.

A cup of coffee after dinner facilitates digestion. Those who take a cup of coffee in the morning suffer with headache if they omit it. Coffee is a laxative, tea is an astringent. The use of either frequently produces wakefulness.

The above is what is taught in regard to the effects of tea and coffee. But the reasons for them must be looked for beneath the surface.

Tea and coffee are stimulants, and they share with other stimulants a property common in a greater or less extent to them all. Alcohol will do the same thing. Stimulants, as a rule, if taken in small doses, promote the appetite and increase the digestive power by stimulating the gastric follicles. But if used to excess derange the organs of digestion and excite functional disturbances of the nervous system. This is accounted for both chemically and physiologically. Both contain tannin. Headache, vertigo, etc., are the effects of over-stimulating the nervous system.

Tea and coffee derive their activity not only from the volatile oil which they contain, but from an important constituent known by the names of caffaine or theine. Bartholow says:

"Caffeine, in small medicinal doses, promotes appetite and increases the digestive powers. On the heart it exercises a decided stimulant action, and raises the arterial tension. As regards the cerebral effects, it may be stated that at first drowsiness occurs, but this is soon followed by wakefulness, excitement, muscula trembling, confusion of mind, etc."

It may, therefore, be seen that coffee and tea are like most other things, excellent when taken in moderation, but most unexcellent if taken to excess.

AMERICAN FABLES.

How the World Went Right Along.

A bear who had made himself believe that he had the worst luck of any animal in creation, was crawling through the woods one day when he met a Serpent, who inquired:

"Which way now, my Friend?"

"I am going to find some spot where I can retire from the World. The World has not used me right, and in revenge I will desert it."

"I wouldn't do that."

"But I will. I can no longer trust anybody. I have been cheated, lied to and misused until I have no faith left. I will now retire within myself, and if any convulsion of Nature takes place the country must not blame me for it. I have borne all that one Bear can be expected to put up with."

Bruin went his way until he found a lonely spot, and he then crawled into a hole and began listening for the Crack of Doom. It made him feel good to think that the World was turning itself bottom side up because he had absented himself from sight and search, and he was determined not to yield until after several thousand terror-stricken people had come to him with tears in their eyes.

Much to Bruin's surprise the night passed like all the other nights. No one appeared during the forenoon to plead with him, and the afternoon passed without an Earthquake or Tornado. He mementarily expected the advent of a crowd to plead him to come back to the World and have faith and confidenet, but the crowd didn't show up. After a long and hungry night Bruin began to weaken. After much argument with himself he crawled out of his den and was sneaking through the woods when he met a Hare.

"Is the World yet standing?" asked the Bear.

"Certainly, never more solid since I can remember."

"And is anyone searching for me?"

"Not that I know of."

"Every goes on just the same, eh?"

"Just the same."

"And didn't you hear I had lost all faith in human nature, and retired from the World?"

"Never heard a word of it. Tra-la, old man, I'm off."

The Bear sat down on a thistle and thought the matter over for a few minutes, and then arose and made a bee-line for his usual haunts, telling every animal he met on the way that he had been off on a fishing excursion.

MORAL:

The cynic who flatters himself that he is revenging on the world by withdrawing his company forgets that he will be obliged to associate with himself.

Reply Post-Cards in England.

A treasury warrant appears in last night's *Gazette* prescribing the regulations and conditions for the use of reply post-cards within the United Kingdom, the Channel islands, and the Isle of Man. It will come into operation on the 1st of October next. The cards will bear an impressed stamp of one-half penny on each half. The address and nothing else must be written, printed, or otherwise impressed on that side of either half thereof which bears the impressed stamp. Anything (including a letter of communication in the nature of a letter) may be written, printed or otherwise impressed on that side of each half of a reply post-card which does not bear the impressed stamp. Nothing whatever must be in any manner attached to a reply post-card nor must a reply post-card after the issue thereof be cut or folded or otherwise altered, except that that half of a reply post-eard which is intended to be used for the purpose of a reply (in these regulations referred to as "the return half") may be severed from the other half thereof. If any reply post-card or the return half thereof is sent by post otherwise than in conformity with these regulations it shall be enclosed in a sealed cover and forwarded to its destination, charged on delivery with postage as an insufficiently paid letter of the same weight.—*London Standard.*

[illegible] Control of Feeling.

It is sometimes urged that, however responsible we may be for our deeds, we cannot be held accountable for our feelings, as they come and go unbidden. Yet, if it is true that every feeling is dependent for its continuance upon the action which it prompts, the feeling itself is at least mediately under our control. We cannot, it is true, by an effort of the will, at once expel from the heart a gust of passion; but we can deny the angry utterances that tremble on our lips. We cannot suddenly kill a selfish desire, but we can refuse to commit the unjust or unkind action that it prompts. We cannot immediately banish curiosity or a love of gossip; but we can withhold from them the food on which they thrive. In the same way, if worthy and honorable impulses are weak within us, we can strengthen them by following steadfastly that course of conduct which they suggest. We can increase our sense of justice by doing justly, our sympathetic feelings, by tender and loving acts, our good temper by self-government.

"Do fish perspire? is a question now agitating scientists. They make a man sweat who tries to catch them, generally.

Tradition says that beer was first made on the banks of the Nile. Just at present there are lots of lively hops in that section, but they are only brewing trouble.

When Arabi Bey was a subordinate he once received the bastinado, and was unable to walk for three months. He has so far recovered that he can now run like a deer.

The word "honeymoon" is traceable to a Teutonic origin. Among the Teutons was a favorite drink called "metheglin." It was made of honey, and much like the present mead of European countries. The same beverage was in use among the Saxons, as well as another called "morat," which was also made of honey, but flavored with mulberries. The honeyed drinks were used in great abundance at festivals. Among the nobility the marriage was celebrated a whole lunar month, which was called a moon, during which the festive board was well supplied with the honey drink. Hence this month of festival was called "honahmoon," or honey-moon, which means a month of festival.

The Jews of the World.

The number of Jews in the world is about ten millions. Of these, upwards of three millions are in the Russian empire. In Austria there are nearly a million, and about half a million in the northern parts of Germany. The Society for promoting Christianity among the Jews has stations in England, Austria, France, Germany, Holland, Italy, Persia, Russia, Turkey, the Danubian Principalities, Asia Minor, Syria, and North Africa, while in Jerusalem a special effort through the means of the Hospital to seek the welfare of Israel has been very successful.

The greatest work of the Society has been the putting into the hands of the Jews their own Scriptures, together with a Hebrew translation of the new Testament. Since 1823, 153,286 entire copies of the Old Testament, and 380,263 parts of the same, have been circulated. Since 1817, 188,468 copies of Hebrew New Testaments, and portions thereof, have been sold or distributed gratis. Of late years, the British and Foreign Bible Society have taken up the printing and circulation of the Hebrew Scriptures as a branch of their labours.

The Society supports a number of schools in its foreign stations as well as London. It has schools in Bucharest, Constantinople, Damascus, Jerusalem, Mogador, and Tunis, where a large number of Jewish children are receiving daily instruction, and in all their youthful minds the seeds of the Word is patiently being sown.

At Jerusalem there are the Girls' School, and the Institution for Jewesses. The Hospital where the Jew is made practically to understand the power of Christian love and benevolence; and the House of Industry, where the convert is put in the way of gaining his livelihood.

The most diligent search could only discover thirty-five Christian Israelites in England at the beginning of the century. Since that time more than a hundred Jews have been ordained as clergymen of the Church of England. Our missionaries estimate that there are now 2,000 Christian Israelites in London, and probably 1000 more in the English provinces. "It can be stated with confidence that in Germany there is not a town where there are not some Jews who believe in the Lord Jesus Christ, and this is the result of our mission, directly and indirectly." There are now nearly 5,000 Jewish Christians in Prussia. The Societies for promoting the Conversion of the Jews had made, since the comincement of the present century, some 20,000 proselytes.

A correspondent of the London *Record* writing from Jerusalem says: The agents of the Jewish Mission have found a large and promising field of labour amongst the hundreds of Israelites who, driven from Russia, have come to the Holy Land. Formerly, Jews came to the Holy City only to weep for its fall, to study the writings of the Rabbis, or, after passing their last years within its crumbling walls, to be buried on the slope of Olivet. On its approach to Jerusalem each little company was met by those who performed for it the ceremony of clothes-rending, in token of grief for the desolation of the sanctuary. Now the case is different, the new-comers appear to have little sympathy with their Talmud-reading brethren, many of them seem to have received a smattering of Gentile learning, some have been clerks in bankers', lawyers', or merchants' offices, others tradesmen, and as they come in numbers too large to be soon absorbed into the mass of the Jewish population, they are easier of access than their co-religionists who have been longer resident here. The Society's "Emquirers' Home" and "House of Industry" are filled with inmates, and it has been found necessary to establish a large party (some of whom are not "Enquirers") in charge of a scripture-reader in a camp outside the town, at a spot known as the "Sanitorium." Here some of them have been employed in field-labor, others in a different way. A good many come here instead of going to America or elsewhere, because they had been told that they would receive land gratis. Their hopes were disappointed, as the Turkish Government, though it permits Russian Jews to settle in its dominions, and would, it is supposed, be glad to have them in Asia Minor, seems to be frightened at the noise which "the return of the Jews to Palestine" has made, and consequently objects to the establishment in the Holy Land of a distinctly organized Jewish colony, which may in time prove the nucleus of a "regnum in regno." Private individuals, it is said, are not likely to meet with the opposition to their acquiring land which a "corporation" will, and the "Habazelth" states that many of these Russian emigrants have announced their intention of purchasing property on their own account.

The Society whose head quarters are in London, England, has a Canadian agency of which the Rev. Johnston Vicars, of Toronto, is secretary.

Questions About Ducks.

Why does a duck go into the water?
For divers reasons.
Why does it come out?
For sun-dry reasons.
Why does it go back?
To liquidate its bill.
Why does it come out again?
To make a run on the bank.—[Drummer.

Fat Boy—No, you can not raise chickens from egg plants. You might as well try to raise calves from a cow-catcher.

Some remarkable, as well as numerous, suicides have occurred recently. Among them is that of the young Chicago reporter who killed himself because he couldn't make money enough to live in style; that of the man who killed himself because he couldn't get a wife; and another because he had five or six. A singular sucide of a young lady occurred in Indiana caused by her fear lest she should die of consumption.

A Perthshire Minister, more skilful as an angler than popular as a preacher, was once giving advice to a parishioner on the benefits of early rising, and mentioned as an instance that he had a few mornings ago composed a sermon and killed a salmon before breakfast. "In fact," says he, "with self-satisfaction, it is an occasion on which I plume myself greatly." "Aweel, sir," was the pointed reply, "I wid much raither hae had yer sammon than yer sermon."

BRIGHT THOUGHTS.

Those who have nothing else to command them in the respect of others but only their blood, cry it up at a great rate, and have their mouths perpetually full of it. They swell and vapor, and you are sure to hear of their families and relations every third word. By this mark they commonly distinguish themselves; you may depend upon it there is no good bottom, nothing of true worth of their own when they insist on so much and set their credit upon that of others.—*Charron.*

As good almost kill a man as kill a good book. Many a man lives a burden to the earth; but a good book is the precious life-blood of a master-spirit, embalmed and treasured up on purpose to a life beyond life.—*Milton*

Few persons have sufficient wisdom to prefer censure, which is useful to them, to praise, which deceives them.—*La Rochefoucauld.*

As ceremony is the invention of wise men to keep fools at a distance, so good-breeding is an expedient to make fools and wise men equals.—*Steele.*

Actions, looks, words, steps, form the alphabet by which you can spell characters.—*Lavater.*

The mind that is cheerful in its present state, will be averse to all solicitude as to the future, and will meet the bitter occurrences of life with a placid smile.—*Horace.*

No man can possibly improve in any company for which he has not respect enough to be under some degree of restraint.—*Chesterfield.*

The superiority of some men is merely local. They are great, because their associates are little.—*Johnson.*

It is the part of a prudent man to conciliate the minds of others, and to turn them to his own advantage.—*Cicero.*

The perfection of conversation is not to play a regular sonata, but, like the Æolian harp, to await inspiration of the passing breeze.—*Burke.*

Our minds are as different as our faces; we are all travelling to our destination—happiness; bur few are going by the same road.—*Colton.*

Open your mouth and purse cautiously, and your stock of wealth and reputation shall, at least in repute, be great.—*Zimmerman.*

A docile disposition will, with application, surmount every difficulty.—*Manlius.*

It is a folly for an eminent man to think of escaping censure, and a weakness to be affected by it. All the illustrious persens of antiquity, and indeed of every age in the world, have passed through this fiery persecution.—*Addison.*

All that glitters is not gold,
Gilded tombs do worms unfold.
—*Shakespeare.*

Great minds, like Heaven, are pleased doing good,
Though the ungrateful subjects of their favors
Are barren in return.
—*Rowe.*

The surest way to health, say what they will,
Is never to suppose we shall be ill.
—*Churchill.*

Love, that has nothing but beauty to keep it in good health, is short-lived.—*Erasmus.*

Pride, ill-nature, and want of sense, are the three great sources of ill-manners; without some one of these defects, no man will behave himself ill for want of experience, or what, in the language of fools, is called knowing the world.—*Swift.*

The Girls.

Wildness is a thing which girls cannot afford. Delicacy is a thing which cannot be lost and found. No art can restore the grape its bloom. Familiarity without love, without confidence, without regard, is destructive to all that makes woman exalting and ennobling.

"This world is wide, these things are
They may be nothing, yet

Nothing? It is the first duty of woman to be a lady. Good breeding is good sense. Bad manners in a woman is immorality. Awkwardness may be ineradicable. Bashfulness is constitutional. Ignorance of etiquette is the result of circumstances. All can be condoned and do not banish men or women from the amenities of their kind. But self-possessed, unshrinking and aggressive coarseness of demeanor may be reckoned as a State's prison offence, and certainly merits that mild form of restraint called imprisonment for life. It is a shame for women to be lectured on their manners. It is a bitter shame that they need it. Women are the umpires of society. It is they to whom all mooted questions should be referred. To be a lady is more than to be a princess. To a lady, prince and peasant alike bow. Do not be restrained. Do not have impulses that need restraint. Do not wish to dance with the prince unsought; feel differently. Be sure you confer an honor. Carry yourself so loftily that men shall look up to you for reward, not at you in rebuke. The natural sentiment of men toward women is reverence. He loses a large amonnt of grace when he is obliged to account her a being to be trained in propriety. A man's idea is not wounded when a woman fails in worldly wisdom. But if in grace, in tact, in sentiment, in delicacy, in kindness, she would be found wanting, he receives an inward hurt.

A Fourth Ward lady left the baby in charge of its father one evening last week, and went out to corner the ice cream market. She was absent about an hour, and when she returned she found her husband smoking and reading, while the baby sat on the floor playing with a revolver, and surrounded by a clock, a case of razors, a pair of scissors, a lot of books, a bell, a bunch of keys, a coal scuttle, a bootjack, a fire shovel, a hand-mirror, a hammer, and a toilet bottle, while in its lap was a cake of soap, and in its little mouth a ten-cent piece and a finger-ring. The husband explained by saying that every time he saw a squall coming he pitched something to the child, and that he had exhausted all his resources just as she came home. The mother just sat the baby in an arm-chair and give it one of its thumbs to suck, which contented it until order was restored in the room.

Written Remains of the Egypt[ians]

Most of the written remains of ... Egypt are religious. Many consist of ... to the gods, and have a pathos of thei[r] ... Others are lists of oblations or of spoi[ls] ... en at war. These have no more liter[ary pre]tensions than an auctioneer's catalog[ue or] an inventory of furniture. They g[ive,] however, a vivid idea of Egyptian ... ings. The manifold production and ... of ancient Egypt are nowhere set fo[rth] more detail than in what is known [as the] "Great Harris Papyrus," which co[ntains] divers of these summaries. It was fo[und in] a tomb, and measures 133 feet long b[y ...] inches broad. Here we read of the ba[rks of] cedar with rivets of gold-plated bra[ss,] cabins adorned with precions stone[s,] houses with doors and lintels of gold, [sur]rounded by gardens planted with all [kinds] of fruit, and tanks of water-fowl and ... Besides these are granaries with corn, treasuries filled, or temples presented, ... a surprising amount of miscellaneous pr[oper]ty, paint, spirits of wine, honey, oil, ... overcoats, embroidered caps, incense, ... dishes and ladles, rings, onions, cedar ... bundles of writing-reeds, wax, leather ... als, turquoises, perfumes, images, ... laces, wine, colored bed-clothes, &c. ... most careful inventory was made of the ... eral items, and in every case the e... amount of the articles in store seems ... set down. For instance, in one plac[e we] find a record of 825,840 crystal bead[s,] another of 23,008 pots of frankinc[ense,] while one "cedar rule" figures by itself. [Be]sides these dead or dry goods we have a[ston]ishing lists of cattle and birds, espec[ially] pigeons, ducks and geese. Here we [are] struck by evidence of much that was ... ently business-like and prosaic among ... old Egyptians. It is true that their [re]ligion especially, at least so far as the ... ings made by the king represented the [gen]erosity of the people, was marked by [mar]velous and abundant devotion; the ad[orn]ments of the temples not being brought ... focus in some inner shrine, but shown in ... capping of sacred obelisks with solid g[old,] and the covering of huge holy walls in ... and out with costly sculpture. But th[ough] this indicates a certain profuseness of [ex]penditure, nothing is more striking t[han] the minute economy and attention to de[tail] exhibited in what may be called the ac... rent rolls, summaries of obligations, and ... like. The chronicler carefully distingui[shes] between the "ducks" and the "duckli[ngs"] offered to Ra, the sliced, salted, and ... pared fish, the crowns, nosegays, ch... and handsful of flowers, and the e... amounts of these several items are set do[wn.] In the "Great Harris Papyrus," now in [the] British Museum, and translated in the "[Re]cords of the Past," there are many of th... entries, and in every case the totals of ... goods in question are precisely record[ed.] There are, *e. g.*, 1,975,800 nosegays of v... tables—it does not say what proportion ... these were onions—as against 11,000 ... gays of corn, and 3,410 of lotus. Thus ... these chronicles we have evidence of ... extreme profusion and precise economy ... the nicest reckoning and the most lib[eral] abundance.—*Good Words.*

A Reminiscence of Sir John Frank[lin]

Sir John seemed never to be happier ... when speaking of his former voyages, ... he encouraged me to converse freely ... him as we strolled over the grounds ... gether or rode out into the country. ... had a complete and most perfect and ... borate set of charts of the arctic regions, ... far as they had then been explored, ... which his own operations and those of Ca[pt.] Parry and Ross and other arctic explo[rers] were distinctly marked out; and it ... the greatest pleasure of an evening to ... play these charts and point out the sp[ots] he had visited; also tracing the course ... would endeavor to pursue, if it should ... be his "good fortune," as he expressed h[im]self, again to be employed in what was ... great hobby of his life. There was no ... point he had discovered, nor a spot that ... had visited respecting which he had ... some anecdote to tell or some narrow ... cape to relate. And to me it was delight[ful] to listen to these anecdotes from the lips ... a man who had barely dared and overco[me] the perils of which he spoke, and who ... already rendered his name famous as one ... the boldest and most energetic and per[se]vering of arctic discoverers. Besides, I c[on]fess that it was flattering to my pride ... hear a post-Captain and a Lieutena[nt] Governor conversing thus freely with ... young midshipman and encouraging me ... express my own opinions and listening ... them kindly and attentively. I spent ... pleasant visit at the Penns, and was so... to return to the ship. While we lay ... port an emigrant ship and a female conv[ict] ship arrived—the latter one ... the last, ... not the last, female convict ship that ... the shores of England, and Sir John ... Lady Franklin visited them both imm[edi]ately on their arrival. It was her lady... chief pleasure, and she seemed to regard ... as a duty, to exert herself to the utmost ... the benefit of younger female convicts ... had conducted themselves well during ... voyage, and whose offences against the l[aws] of their country were such as afforded h[ope] that, removed from temptations of vice a[nd] poverty, they might yet redeem th[eir] characters and prove useful members ... society. It must be recollected that ... those days, when there was a sca city ... females in the Australian colonies, yo[ung] women were often transported for off[ences] which would nowadays be punished by ... few months or even a few weeks' impris[on]ment.—*Chambers's Journal.*

Land and Water has a curious commu[ni]cation from Mr. W. Hearder, of Plymo[uth,] England: "Mr. Charles Clarke, while f[ish]ing in the Plym, hooked a trout about ... inches long which had an India rubber b[and] over its head. The band slipped back ... the gill covers and was compressing the g... The hony part of the fish, which exte[nds] from the centre of the lower jaw to the b... and divides the gills, is deeply inde[nted] where the band has evidently been press[ing] and it has made quite a cavity in the lo[wer] jaw. I should like to know if anybody ... marked the fish with the band or whe[ther] it got its head through it in an attemp[t to] take it for a bait. How the fish lived ... mystery. It is in splendid condition and ... have preserved it for my museum." This ... currence will cause many naturalists to ... vise some of their ideas regarding the ... of fishes.

HOUSEHOLD RECEIPTS.

[St]UFFED TOMATOES.—Two ounces of ... [ba]cons, minced small; a small quanti[ty] ... [of] parsley, ... chopped ... with a few savory herbs, a little cay[enne] pepper and salt. Put all the ingredien[ts] ... [of] stuffing into a saucepan with a ... of butter, stirring all together until ... tender. Then set away to cool. ... ready some bread-crumbs, and the yo[lks of] two eggs well beaten. Choose large ... toes, ... the same size as possible, ... cut a ... from the stalk end of each. ... fully the seeds and juice, an[d] ... the mixture. Stew them over ... crumbs and some melted butte[r] ... in an oven until they have a ... color. Serve with baked calf's hea[d] ... cold veal.

BAKED TURNIPS.—Pare and cook ... nearly tender in salted boiling water; ... and lay in a baking dish, and pou[r over] them a sauce made as follows: Two ... tablespoonful of butter, and two h... tablespoonful of flour, stirred toget[her in a] skillet; when thoroughly heated ... mixed add a teacupful of milk, stir[ring it] in gradually, with a little pepper an[d salt.] Add little bits of broken butter ov[er the] top of the turnips. When you have ... in the sauce, bake in a brisk oven ... minutes.

ASPARAGUS OMELET.—Boil two ... of tender, fresh-cut asparagus in ... little salt; better still, steam the asp[aragus] till tender. Chop it very fine; ... with the yolks of five and whites o[f] ... well-beaten eggs; add two tablesp[oonfuls] of sweet cream; fry, and serve quite ...

BAKED EGG PLANT.—Wash the ... and bake as you would potatoes. ... baked tender, remove the skins, an[d] ... pot, mash to a paste, and seaso[n with] butter, pepper, and salt. A raw ... chopped fine may be added.

CARROTS AND CREAM.—Trim a q... of the smallest new carrots that ... obtained, and boil them in salted ... When done, drain off the water. ... ounces of butter in a saucepan; add ... dessert-spoonful of flour, peppe[r,] grated nutmeg, a pinch of powdered ... and a small quantity of cream. Pu[t in the] carrots, simmer gently a few minu[tes and] serve.

PEAS AU SUCRE.—Boil the peas an[d put] into cold water; then put them ... with a little butter, a teaspoonfu[l and a] half of sugar, a tablespoonful of br... yolk of egg; stir fast, and they are ...

PARSNIPS SOMTES.—Parsnips are ... the fire in water, and they are don[e at the] first boil. Skin them and slice the[m] and set on the fire with a little bu[tter and] salt till brown. Add a little parsle[y chopp]ed fine, turn into the dish and serv[e.]

VEGETABLE PORRIDGE.—Scrape ... the following vegetables: Six car[rots, six] turnips, six onions, three heads o[f celery] and three parsnips. Slice up all th[em] thin, and put them in a two-gal[lon pot] with four ounces of butter, a ha... parsley, and a good sprig of thyme, ... up with water or pot liquor—if you ... have any; season with pepper ... and put the whole to boil very g[ently on] the fire for two hours. At the end ... time the vegetables will be done t[o a pulp] and the whole must be rubbed th[rough a] colander with a wooden spoon, a[nd] ... and put back into the pot an[d ...] over the fire, to make it hot for din[ner.]

VEGETABLE SOUP.—Time: Fo[ur hours] and a half. Three onions, six ... six carrots, four turnips, half a ... butter, one head of celery, a spo[onful of] catsup, a bunch of sweet herb[s. ...] slice and fry the vegetables, etc., ... pound of butter, and pour over t[hem] ... quarts of boiling water. Let th[em boil] slowly for four hours, then strain ... coarse cloth or sieve. Put the ... stew-pan, with a head of celer[y and boil] till tender.

GREEN PEA SOUP.—Take som[e] ... turnips, carrots, onions, celery, ... lettuces; cut them in slices, and ... a stew-pan, with a little butter a[nd a] ... lean ham cut in pieces. Cover them ... and let them stew for a short ti[me, then fill] up with stock sufficient for the soup ... and let it boil until the vegetables ... soft, adding a few leaves of mint ... crust of a roll; pound all, and ... boil a quart of peas as green as ... drain them off and pound them a... them with the rest of the ingredi[ents] ... pass through a sieve. Heat it, a[nd season] with salt, pepper, and sugar; a... young boiled peas, and use sp... to color it.

Changes in the Russian Ar[my.]

A great change has just been dec[ided on] in the Russian army. With the ... of the Cuirassiers, Life Guards and ... the whole force of regular cavalry ... transformed into Dragoons carry[ing] bayonet rifles for the performan[ce of in]fantry service. The existing reg[iments of] Hussars, Lancers, Mounted Grena[diers, and] others will retain their present ... as regiments of Dragoons. The r[easons for] this change are chiefly economical ... to be directed towards lessening ... enormous expense which is entailed ... national army like that of Russia by ... variety of uniform and equipme[nt.] ... economical simplification is at ... time to be accompanied by a co[nsiderable in]crease of numbers, the comple[ment of] each regiment being raised from f[our] squadrons of 150 horses strong. T[he] batteries of horse artillery are to ... an active footing, and each briga[de of a]rtillery is to be reinforced by a ... two guns.

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...unts of these several items are set ...
...by the "Great Harris Papyrus," now in ...
...ish Museum, and translated in the "...
...ds of the Past," there are many ...
..., and in every case the totals of ...
... in question are precisely record...
...re, e. g., 1,975,800 nosegays of ...
...es—it does not say what proportion ...
...e were onions—as against 11,000 ...
... of corn, and 3,410 of lotus. Thus, ...
...e chronicles we have evidence of ...
...eme profusion and precise economy ...
...nicest reckoning and the most lib...
...ndance.—*Good Words.*

Reminiscence of Sir John Frankl...

...ir John seemed never to be happier ...
...en speaking of his former voyages, ...
...encouraged me to converse freely ...
... as we strolled over the grounds ...
...r or rode out into the country. ...
... a complete and most perfect and ...
...ate set of charts of the arctic regions, ...
... as they had then been explored, ...
...ch his own operations and those of Cap...
...ry and Ross and other arctic explor...
...e distinctly marked out; and it ...
... greatest pleasure of an evening to ...
...ly these charts and point out the ...
...e's visited; also tracing the course ...
...uld endeavor to pursue, if it should ...
...is "good fortune," as he expressed ...
..., again to be employed in what was ...
...at hobby of his life. There was not ...
... he had discovered, nor a spot that ...
... visited respecting which he had ...
...ne anecdote to tell or some narrow ...
...e to relate. And to me it was delight...
...isten to these anecdotes from the lips ...
...an who had barely dared and overco...
... perils of which he spoke, and who ...
...ady rendered his name famous as one ...
... boldest and most energetic and per...
...ing of arctic discoverers. Besides, I ...
... that it was flattering to my pride ...
... a post-Captain and a Lieutenant ...
...ernor conversing thus freely with ...
... midshipman and encouraging me ...
...ress my own opinions and listening ...
... kindly and attentively. I spent ...
...asant visit at the Penns, and was ...
...return to the ship. While we lay ...
...t an emigrant ship and a female convict ...
...p arrived—the latter one of the last, ...
... the last, female convict ship that ...
... shores of England, and all Sir John ...
...y Franklin visited them both in ...
... on their arrival. It was her lady...
... of pleasure, and she seemed to regard ...
...duty, to exert herself to the utmost ...
... benefit of younger female convicts ...
... conducted themselves well during ...
...ge, and whose offences against the law ...
...eir country were such as afforded ...
..., removed from temptations of vice ...
...erty, they might yet redeem ...
...racters and prove useful members ...
...iety. It must be recollected that ...
...e days, when there was a sea city ...
...ween the Australian colonies, ...
...men were often transported for ...
...ich would nowadays be punished by ...
...y months' or even a few weeks' impris...
...nt.—*Chambers's Journal.*

Land and Water has a curious commu...
...ion from Mr. W. Hearder, of Plymo...
...gland: "Mr. Charles Clarke, while fi...
... in the Plym, hooked a trout about ...
...hes long which had an India rubber band ...
...s head. The band slipped back ...
... gill covers and was compressing the ...
... of the fish, which extend...
...m centre of the lower jaw to the ...
...d divides the gills, is deeply inden...
...ere the band has evidently been ...
...t it has made quite a cavity in the ...
... I should like to know if anybody ...
...arked the fish with the band or wh...
...to by part of the fish, which in an attemp...
...e it for a bait. How the fish lived ...
...ystery. It is in splendid condition and ...
...e preserved it for my museum." This ...
...rrence will cause many naturalists to ...
... some of their ideas regarding the ...
...fishes.

HOUSEHOLD RECEIPTS.

...CED TOMATOES.—Two ounces of mush..., minced small; a small quantity of ...y, a slice of lean ham chopped small, ... few savory herbs, a little cayenne ...r and salt. Put all the ingredients of ...stuffing into a saucepan with a lump ...tter, stirring all together until quite .... Then set away to cool. Have ... some bread-crumbs, and the yolks of ...gs well beaten. Choose large toma...s near the same size as possible, and ...slice from the stalk end of each. Take ...refully the seeds and juice, and fill ... the mixture. Stew them over with ...crumbs and some melted butter, and ... in an oven until they have a rich .... Serve with baked ca'f's head or ...veal.

...KED TURNIPS.—Pare and cook until ...y tender in salted boiling water; drain ...lay in a baking dish, and pour over ... a sauce made as follows: Two large ...spoonsful of butter, and two heaping ...spoonsful of flour, stirred together in ...llet; when thoroughly heated and ...d, add a teacupful of milk, stirring it ...adually, with a little pepper and salt. ... little bits of broken butter over the ...f the turnips. When you have poured ...he sauce, bake in a brisk oven twenty ...utes.

...SPARAGUS OMELET.—Boil two pounds ...tender, fresh-cut asparagus in a very ...e sa't; better still, steam the asparagus ...tender. Chop it very fine; mix it ... the yolks of five and whites of three ...-beaten eggs; add two tablespoonsful ...weet cream; fry, and serve quite hot.

...KED EGG PLANT.—Wash the plants ... bake as you would potatoes. When ...d tender, remove the skins, and while ... mash to a paste, and season with ...er, pepper, and salt. A raw onion ...pped fine may be added.

...ARROTS AND CREAM.—Trim a quantity ...he smallest new carrots that can be ...ined, and boil them in salted water. ...en done, drain off the water. Melt an ...e of butter in a saucepan; add to it a ...ert-spoonful of flour, pepper, salt, ...ed nutmeg, a pinch of powdered sugar, ...a small quantity of cream. Put in the ...ots, simmer gently a few minutes, and ...e.

...EAS AU SUCRE.—Boil the peas and throw ... cold water; then put them in a pan ... a little butter, a teaspoonful and a ... of sugar, a tablespoonful of broth, one ... of egg; stir fast, and they are done.

...ARSNIPS SOMTES.—Parsnips are put on ...fire in water, and they are done at the ... boil. Skin them and slice them across, ... set on the fire with a little butter and ... till brown. Add a little parsley chop... fine, turn into the dish and serve.

...EGETABLE PORRIDGE.—Scrape and peel ... following vegetables: Six carrots, six ...nips, six onions, three heads of celery, ... three parsnips. Slice up all these very ..., and put them in a two-gallon pot, ... four ounces of butter, a handful of ...sley, and a good sprig of thyme, and fill ...with water or pot liquor—if you happen ...have any; season with pepper and salt, ... put the whole to boil very gently on ...fire for two hours. At the end of this ... the vegetables will be done to a pulp, ... the whole must be rubbed through a ...nder with a wooden spoon, and after...d put back into the pot and stirred ... the fire, to make it hot for dinner.

...EGETABLE SOUP.—Time: Four hours ... a half. Three onions, six potatoes, ...carrots, four turnips, half a pound of ...ter, one head of celery, a spoonful of ...up, a bunch of sweet herbs. Peel, ..., and fry the vegetables, etc., in half a ...nd of butter, and pour over them two ...rts of boiling water. Let them stew ...ly for four hours, then strain through ...oarse cloth or sieve. Put the soup into ...tew-pan, with a head of celery. Stew ...tender.

...REEN PEA SOUP.—Take some young ...nips, carrots, onions, celery, cabbage, ...uces; cut them in slices, and put them ... stew-pan, with a little butter and some ... ham cut in pieces. Cover them closely, ... let them stew for a short time. Fill ...with stock sufficient for the soup required, ... let it boil until the vegetables are quite ..., adding a few leaves of mint and the ...t of a roll; pound all, and having ...ed a quart of peas as green as you can, ...in them off and pound them also. Mix ...m with the rest of the ingredients, and ... through a sieve. Heat it, and season ...ith salt, pepper, and sugar; add a few ...ng boiled peas, and use spinach to ...ore it.

Changes in the Russian Army.

...great change has just been decided upon ...he Russian army. With the exception ...he Cuirassiers, Life Guards and Cossacks, ... whole force of regular cavalry is to be ...sformed into Dragoons carrying small ...onet rifles for the performance of in...ry service The existing regiments of ...ssars, Lancers, Mounted Grenadiers, and ...ers will retain their present titles, but ...egiments of Dragoons. The reasons for ... change are chiefly economical and seem ...be directed towards lessening the enor...s expense which is entailed in a na...al army like that of Russia by too great ...riety of uniform and equipment. This ...nomical simplification is at the same ... to be accompanied by a considerable ...ease of numbers, the completement of ... regiment being raised from four to six ...adrons of 150 horses strong. The reserve ...teries of horse artillery are to be put on ...active footing, and each brigade of field ...llery is to be reinforced by a division of ... guns.

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"A. P." 90

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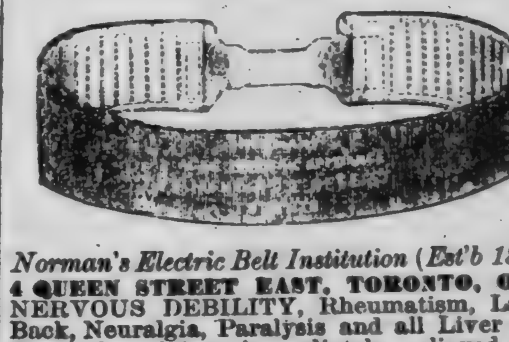

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Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster,

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

DR B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express*. I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

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WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone it properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

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SIR GARNET WOLSELEY'S GENERALSHIP FULLY VINDICATED.

LONDON, Sept 13.

A correspondent telegraphs as follows from Kassasin:—At an early hour this morning the entire British forces under command of General Wolseley began the long deferred attack on Tel-el-Kebir, and before daybreak the greatest battle since the Egyptian campaign opened was raging. The Egyptians had evidently been apprised of the forward movement of the British. Though they had not time to form in a body to meet the attack several Egyptian regiments were hurried out to meet the British, but before they had fairly formed to receive the attack the English were upon them, and under a deadly fire from infantry and artillery, which was opened from all quarters, they were cut up and disorganized to such an extent that

A REGULAR STAMPEDE

followed, and it appeared to be every man for himself in retreat towards the main body. While the rebels were in this plight the British cavalry were ordered to charge, and they rode among the fleeing Egyptians sabreing and riding them down in all directions, making terrible havoc among them. The retreat of the advanced Egyptian regiments was precipitate, and so closely followed by the British cavalry, that both got to the entrenchments in a moving fight, and the forces behind the works were rendered powerless to resist the British without shooting down their own fellows fighting backward over the works almost hand-to-hand. This placed the defenders of the works at such a disadvantage that they were practically useless, as they were at most points

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... practically prove a cover for the British advance nearly all around Tel-el-Kebir. The British infantry followed the cavalry well, and were soon behind them over the works. The effect of the retreat of Arabi's advanced regiments, and of their close pursuit by the British cavalry and infantry, was a perfect panic and

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who deserted their posts and fled. As soon as the English passed in force over the works, and were fairly in possession of Tel-el-Kebir, the forces of Arabi which have been defending the place started off in full retreat. So complete had been General Wolseley's preparations that the English cavalry, which had been ordered to follow up such a retreat if it occurred, started in good pursuit keeping close to the Egyptians, and fairly decimating them as they fled. Forty guns were captured. The place was found to be far less strongly fortified than had been supposed.

PORT SAID, Sept. 15.

THE BRITISH AT CAIRO.

Port Said advices state that the English advance guard have arrived at Cairo. All the personages of rank concerned in rebellion have made submission.

ARABI A PRISONER.

An Alexandria despatch, dated 5.20 p.m. says Arabi and Toulba Pasha arrived at Cairo last night, and are both virtually prisoners.

ARABI STONED.

The first news of the battle that reached Cairo reported a great Egyptian victory, and when subsequently it was announced that Arabi was on the way to Cairo, it was rumoured that bore with him Admiral Seymour's head. The people of Cario had never heard of General Wolseley, and imagined Admiral Seymour commanded the British. When Arabi arrived along the populace stoned him.

The funeral of the late Mr. Samuel D... which took place this afternoon, was very largely attended.

The first issue of the DAILY STANDARD we publish this evening, and send to the subscribers of this paper free.

We notice that Mr. Chas. Grant of Thornbury, has taken, at the In... ... and the gold medal for grain. Good for East Grey.

A severe wind storm passed over this place yesterday (Thursday), doing considerable damage. One of the gable ends of the new Presbyterian church in course of erection was blown down. The roof not being on and the brick work having no support was the cause of the damage. A bird was blown through the window of ... ... breaking the glass and terrifying the inmates.... A large window was blown in at the photograph gallery.

An Englishman yesterday surrendered himself to the Brockville police and confessed to having murdered three men in England five years ago. He related the circumstances of the crimes with great minuteness, and appeared to be perfectly sane. Whether his story is authentic cannot be ascertained until the authorities in London are communicated with.

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There are 1,320 volunteers now in the camp at London.

A writ of seizure was taken out yesterday against the estate of Huot, the defaulting Montreal notary.

One of the buttresses of St. Patrick's Cathedral at Dublin fell yesterday, killing outright four women.

The Thunder Bay branch of the Canadian Pacific railway will be opened for traffic to-day.

Mr. Frank Shanley, C. E., died suddenly in the train near Brockville of heart disease, on his way to Toronto, on Wednesday, the [illegible]. Mr. S. was one of the best engineers in the country. He, with his brother Walter, contracted for and superintended the construction of the Hoosac Tunnel, the Canadian Southern and [illegible] the Toronto, Grey and Bruce, the Georgian Bay and Wellington, the Lake Simcoe Junction, the Midland, the Lake Shore Line, and other Canadian Railways.

We hope our correspondents will now make a "big push" and send in their weekly budgets promptly and regularly. We do not like to miss the newsy notes of our assistants at outside points, and we hope they will put a new energy into their pencils and send us in live and pointed items pretty steadily. Send all the items that can be gathered; people like to read them and we like to get them. We will be happy to furnish envelope, paper, etc. to intending correspondents, and will send the same to all parties who will use them.

NOTES FROM OUR RAMBLING CORRESPONDENT.

This week I wended my way to the beautiful and thriving town of

ORILLIA.

A ride on the Northern Ry. from Barrie is always a pleasant one. I found business brisk, and the harvest good; threshing commenced in good earnest, and the yield considered better than for the past four years.

The new station here for the Midland railway is rapidly approaching completion, and will be an ornament to the town. A dancing affair came off in the building on Monday evening, and on the same day 700 went by an excursion to the Queen City. The Queen's hotel has been leased by the government as a supplementary asylum, the existing one being too small. The asylum is a fine brick building, surrounded by nicely laid out grounds and commands a fine view of the lake. While these asylums are a credit to any country, yet it is sad to think of their necessity, and the thought of their existence ought to inspire us with thankfulness that we are clothed and in our right mind.

The man who says he is not able to pay for his local newspaper ought to go at once to the County Court, and have his wife appointed his guardian. Remember that a newspaper is worth more to a family than three months' school. The family taking a paper, live as it were in a house set upon a hill, from whose windows they can see all that is going on in the world. Do not say you are not able to pay for your paper. Say you don't like the paper. Say you would rather live in ignorance. Declare you don't want your children to learn anything. But don't say you can't pay, for that is to say you lack in true manhood, and ought to be in the poorhouse.

THE CANADA PACIFIC.

A gentleman who has been to the terminus of the Canada Pacific Railway, says that the scene at the front is the most marvellous that he had ever witnessed. More than 4000 men are at work constructing the railway, and 2000 teams are engaged hauling supplies. The line is running out into the prairie at the rate of 4 miles a day, a rate of railway construction never equalled in the world's history. Langdon, Shepperd, & Co., have contracted to lay 500 miles this season, and there is little doubt that they will accomplish their undertaking. When work is finished for the year a line of railway will have been constructed that would reach from Sarnia to Montreal. At this time of writing the line is 100 miles beyond Broadview or 230 west of Brandon. Leaving this much boomed city, whose progress is rapid and reassuring to investors, the country for 100 miles is not inviting, being much broken, and poor in quality. It is, however, largely squatted upon, and here and there the land will yield good returns. As a rule, however, this tract of country will be difficult to work, so settlers will likely push west. At Broadview the land is splendid, and this will be the first great city west of Winnipeg. All the trails meet here, and it must become a large trading station. It will be the next town put on the market, but nothing definite can be learned about when this will take place. The Syndicate asked $1,000,000 for the Qu'Appelle city site, and did not get it. Since then the Duke of Manchester's Company has secured a half-interest in all town sites, so that delay will likely occur in putting the town in the market. An agent of the new land co. out west is asking $10 an acre for the land, and is selling at that price only on condition that 300 acres out of 320 be broken within three years. Such a land policy as this will work like a charm in driving immigration across the border. When the road has been laid 46 miles further on, it will reach the Qu'Appelle country, which it will leave 14 miles to one side. The line will then pass through 50 miles of knobs, after which there is clear prairie to the foot of the Rockies. It will from this be seen that the construction of the C.P.R. is being pushed forward with a rapidity upon which the country at large and the Syndicate in particular may fairly be congratulated. The Manitoba road and the Northern Pacific have come to a good understanding, and they are now in a kind of partnership. This settles the South-Eastern railway project, for if the Northern Pacific gets into double harness with the Manitoba road, there is no other road to which the South Eastern Railway could hitch, even if it were re-chartered, and the Federal veto not imposed. It seems that Manitoba must suffer by from railway monopoly, unless the Dominion Government can compromise with the Syndicate, and expunge the monopoly clause by an increased land grant. Something must be done, and judging from a complexion of politics here, a course such as is indicated is likely to be pursued.

There is a man in one of the boarding houses in town who is so mean that he wishes the landlady to reduce the price of his board because he has had two teeth extracted.

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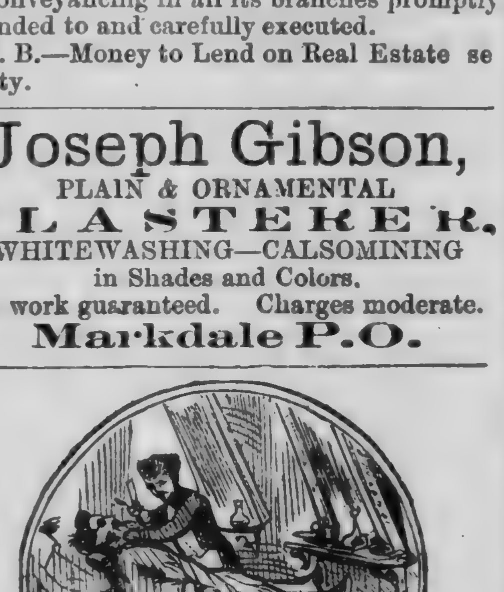

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Mr. J. C. Reid is now furnishing his fine hotel. Mr. Bates, of Flesherton, has been favored with an order for the furniture.

EUGENIA.

(From our own correspondent.)

The T. G. & B. R. R'y is no longer the one-horse affair it formerly was. We got on board the 6 o'clock express on Tuesday, the 12th, and landed in Toronto in good time. Then off went the crowd to see the "lion." Here, there is every conceivable plan to induce you to spend your surplus dimes. After going the round of the Zoo, where you can see the identical whale that swallowed Jonah, as some are apt to tell you; then pass up the street where you are invited to take a throw at the genuine long lost Charley Ross. Further on there is another at the same ball game on a more extensive scale. Then pass on and see all the public buildings. On Wednesday and Thursday you can step up to Shaftsbury Hall and see Sir John, (provided you are not a Globe reporter); and lastly you can land at the Police Court and hear the "Beak" admonishing the crowd thus, "Go thy way for this time, it is Exhibition times." Then we take the night express for Markdale, on board of which we find the conductor and our old friend baggageman Chambers with their usual civility, and ready to give you all necessary information. It is pleasant to meet such on our railways. We arrive, at rather a late hour, without any serious accident.

The latest device for swindling is under cover of an advertisement, "To those just married or contemplating marriage," promising to send for one dollar, to any address, carefully sealed and secure from observation, a work which no newly married couple should be without, etc. Hundreds of letters came, each containing the letter. To each address was sent a cheap Testament, costing, with postage, about 10 cents. And it would be hard to say wherein he did not "fill the bill."

A Mr. NOECKER has asked the Drayton New Era to state, for the information of the farmers, that it would be to their own interest for them not to thresh their barley until the cold weather sets in—say the end of October or the beginning of November—unless it be of the very best grade. The reason for this is because most of the barley is discolored, and was gotten while it was yet damp, and if it should be threshed while it still retains moisture it will most assuredly heat and sprout, and thus be rendered useless, except for pig feed; whereas, if the grain is allowed to remain in the ear for a month or two it will turn out better and considerably improves in color, and thus becomes a more merchantable article. If this advice be followed, and the barns wherein the crop is gathered kept well supplied with fresh air, probably the greater part of the crop will not grade lower than No. 2.

On Saturday week, on the 2nd con. of Bruce, a new barn (the property of Mr. N. McLean, raised on cedar posts, the under part being intended for sheds, etc.,) fell over with a crash, shattering the building into pieces. Mr. McLean with three men and a team had only just drove out of the barn, where they had been unloading grain, thus barely escaping with their lives. A little two year old son of Mr. McLean was playing in a buggy under the barn at the time, but miraculously escaped without injury, the buggy body being all crushed into pieces, truly the escape of the little fellow was a miracle. There was also a mare and colt under the barn, the former was killed and the latter escaped without injury.

Pulpit and Pew.

I heard a dull preacher
One summer day.
And I wished the poor teacher
A furlong away.

And I sat with the others,
Held in by the gloom;
While the trees were my brothers
And earth had more room.

And I heard the leaves rustle
And lisp in the air—
And I shunned the man's bustle,
I shrank from the prayer.

Alas for the preacher!
Alas for the throng!
Untaught was the teacher,
And so he went wrong!

SAMUEL W. DUFFIELD.

THE FISHERWOMAN OF HONFLEUR.

A TALE OF THE FRENCH COMMUNE.

CHAPTER III.

On quitting the *bureau* of the *avocat*, the young fisherman inadvertently wandered into the twentieth arrondissement, formerly a detached village, called Belleville, but now one of the most turbulent districts of Paris, and at that period the headquarters of Communism. He soon discovered he had strolled away from those parts of the city he wished to see; but as he wandered along, seeking to get clear of the dirty, narrow streets which opened in every direction, whichever way he turned he found himself becoming more and more involved amidst the intricacies of the poverty-stricken quarters; and still, unknown to himself, he was followed by Lucien Pierrot. It would have been difficult, probably, for Lucien to say with what special object he thus followed the young fisherman in his rambles through the city. It was perhaps chiefly that he sought to discover Antoine's motive for coming to Paris so soon after his return from sea; while at the same time he may have thought that something might occur that would enable him to gratify his long-cherished craving for vengeance. If the latter notion occupied his thoughts, the opportunity occurred sooner than he could have anticipated.

Antoine was passing through one of the longest, crookedest, and narrowest streets of this disreputable district, when he saw, a few paces in advance of him, a young lad of eighteen, who was apparently a stranger in Paris, and who seemed to be wandering about without having any particular object in view. That the young fellow was a peasant, was manifested, not only in his garb, but likewise in his gait, manner and whole appearance. He wore a blue linen blouse, belted round the waist, and a pair of clumsy sabots, which, together with his leathern gaiters, were incrusted with the dried yellow mud of the country lanes; and as he slouched along, as if he were traversing a newly ploughed field, he stared about him with a look of stupid wonder and curiosity. Suddenly, three of the small, boyish-looking soldiers of which the infantry of France seems mainly to be composed, bearing muskets and fixed bayonets that to a casual observer would appear too heavy for them to carry, pounced upon him from beneath a covered gateway, one of the party seizing him by the collar of his blouse and declaring him to be under arrest.

For a few moments the youth seemed to be stupified; then he struggled to release himself, but was instantly seized by another of the soldiers, while the third whose arm bore a corporal's stripe, told him that he had better come quietly to jail.

"Why do you arrest me? What crime have I committed?" whined the young man, as he trembled in every limb. "I have but this day arrived in Paris. I am a stranger in the city, and am innocent of wrong-doing."

"Innocent! Of course thou art innocent, *mon brave*," sneered the corporal. "Harmless as a lamb. Nobody is ever guilty, according to his own account—Take the fellow along, comrades!"—addressing the soldiers—"the mob is already closing up behind us."

This was true. Whence they came, it would have been hard to say; but in less than half a minute, the hitherto almost deserted street was thronging with truculent, ill-looking men, and dirty, frowsy, hard-featured females, clad in every variety of ragged costume, who appeared like so many hideous scarecrows; while still others came forth from every doorway in the narrow street. All took common cause against the soldiers, two of whom levelled their muskets, and prepared to defend themselves from the threatened attack, while the third took charge of the prisoner. Many of the men were armed with short, stout cudgels, and some of the women grasped broom-handles in their sinewy hands. The women were loud in their clamour.

"Fi donc, fi!" they cried. "Let the lad go free, *mouchards*, *tyrans*—spies that ye are!"

Perceiving that the crowd took his part, the young fellow said: "Believe me, *citoyens* and *citoyennes*, I am innocent. I have but this day arrived in Paris. My father is an honest farmer of Clermont. 'Tis the first time I have been in the city. I have come to see my brother, who is an honest artisan, and works somewhere in this quarter of Paris." There was apparent truth in the young man's looks and voice as he pleaded with the crowd.

"That is doubtless true," cried a stout burly virago, whirling a broomstick over her head, to the imminent peril of her companions. "Poltroons"—addressing the male portion of the crowd—"cowards that ye are! Have ye no spirit, that ye would let a poor lad be dragged to prison, and be shot on the ramparts to-morrow, when half-a-dozen women might set him free?"

Hearing his prophetic doom thus pronounced, the poor lad wept aloud, as he entreated the crowd to release him.

Irritated by the women's taunts, the men caught up the cry, "To the rescue!" and bore down savagely upon the soldiers, two of whom bravely kept the leaders of the mob at bay for a few moments by charging with their bayonets. But muskets and bayonets were soon wrested from them; they were struck down and brutally kicked and trampled upon, and their uniforms torn into shreds. The third soldier, however, disregarding the perilous position of his comrades, had retained the grasp of the prisoner, and, unnoticed by the mob, who were fully occupied in wreaking vengeance upon their natural foes, the military, had dragged the unfortunate youth into a by-street, and would speedily have disappeared with him, had not Antoine, who had hitherto looked on as if bewildered, but whose sympathies were with the peasant, hastened to the rescue of the young lad. Wrenching the musket and bayonet from the grasp of the soldier he struck him senseless to the ground with one blow of his fist. "Run, lad, run!" he cried. "Dost not see that thou art free? Away, away!"

The peasant, who for a few moments seemed to have become paralysed with terror, made off as fast as his legs could carry him.

The beat of a drum and the steady tramp of feet were heard near by.

"Scatter! Scatter and fly!" shouted a hoarse voice in the rear of the crowd. "Do ye not hear? The soldiers are approaching."

The mob disappeared as rapidly as they had gathered, leaving the unfortunate soldiers stretched on the ground bleeding, bruised, and senseless. In half a minute the front rank of a troop of soldiers appeared at the entrance of the street. Antoine was stooping over the soldier whom he had struck down, striving to restore him to consciousness. He knew not of the approach of the troop until the men were close upon him, when, suddenly becoming aware of his own danger, he took to flight. Some of the soldiers started in pursuit of the fugitive, while the main body hastened to the succour of their hapless comrades. Antoine, however, gained upon his pursuers, and would have escaped, but that on turning the corner of a street, he found himself confronted by another party of soldiers who were hastening to the scene of the disturbance. He stopped short and was about to take refuge in a narrow court, where he might have concealed himself till the soldiers had passed by, when Lucien Pierrot, who had never lost sight of the young fisherman, and had witnessed all that had occurred, shouted: "Seize that young man! He is a Communist, and was the leader of the mob."

In an instant, Antoine was surrounded, seized, and pitilessly dragged off to prison. There was a brief examination before a sergeant of police, in which Lucien Pierrot, who appeared as prosecutor, denounced the prisoner, Antoine Duroc, as a Communist leader of the lowest and vilest class, and swore that he had seen the prisoner strike a soldier down with his own hand and brutally maltreat him, thus effecting the release of a man under arrest.

Antoine, who declared that he was not a Communist, and that he knew not the meaning of the word, did not attempt to deny that he had struck down a soldier, and released a poor young peasant whom he believed to be innocent. This was enough; he was ordered to be confined and closely guarded until he could be brought before the military authorities the next day. The jailer, however, who was a native of Brittany, and had heard the young fisherman's simple story, believed in his innocence. He knew Lucien Pierrot as a paid government spy, and believed him capable of any falsehood or iniquity whereby he might gratify his malice against any individual who had offended him, or might pocket a reward for his vigilance in behalf of the government. He pitied the unfortunate prisoner; and Antoine, who felt the need of sympathy, spoke of his young wife, who would now be impatiently waiting for his return from Paris.

"It grieves me sorely, Monsieur," he added, "that I have no means of acquainting my poor Madeleine with the misfortune that has befallen me. She will not know what to think, and will fear that some serious accident has happened to me."

"Thou canst write to thy wife, *mon ami*," said the jailer. "I will post the letter."

"Monsieur, I cannot write," replied Antoine.

"Then tell me what thou would'st say, and I will write for thee."

Antoine dictated a few lines, informing Madeliene that he was in prison in Paris, having been denounced as a Communist by a government spy named Lucien Pierrot; but, anxious not to alarm his wife, he expressed the hope that he would speedily be released, and that he would be able, when taken before the court, to prove his innocence.

The jailer shook his head gravely, but made no remark; and probably Antoine himself did not feel the confidence in his speedy release that he sought to impart to his wife; though, being ignorant of the dreadful severity with which those who were suspected of Communism were punished, he doubted not that he would be set at liberty in the course of a few days at the furthest.

The letter was despatched; and was received by Madeleine at the moment when she was setting forth to meet her husband at the Honfleur railroad *depot*, fully expecting him to return that day.

The young wife was dreadfully alarmed on reading the letter. "It is my fault," she thought. "I am to blame. I ought not to have concealed from my husband the base conduct of the villain Lucien Pierrot. He threatened me with vengeance, and now he has accomplished his purpose. If I had told Antoine, he would have been on his guard against the wretch, and this trouble would not have occurred. But I acted as I thought, for the best." She sank into a chair, and for a few minutes felt perfectly helpless; but recollecting that it was necessary to exert herself immediately in her husband's behalf, she determined to proceed instantly to the mayor of Honfleur and seek his advice and assistance.

Monsieur le Maire was himself the owner of numerous fishing-luggers. Antoine was known to him, and was a favorite with him; and Madeleine knew that he would do all in his power to help her in her sore trouble. He read the letter, and heard from Madeleine the story of Lucien Pierrot's base conduct towards her. That Antoine had no connection with Communism, he was well aware; but he read the journals constantly, and he knew that the government, having been terribly frightened, were now proceeding with ruthless severity against all persons even suspected of complicity with Communism. That the young fisherman was guiltless of any such complicity, he could prove, if it were not already too late; but then he knew nothing of Antoine's having assaulted a soldier and released a man under arrest. Nothing of this was mentioned in the letter.

"You must hasten immediately to Paris," he said. "I know not what else to advise. I am acquainted with the *sous-prefet* of police—a worthy man, who will do all in his power to help you, if satisfied that your husband is innocent. But you must lose no time. I will give you a letter to Monsieur le Sous prefet. Shall you need money?" Not wishing to alarm Madeleine, the mayor said nothing to her of his own fear that it might already be too late to save her husband. He wrote the letter, and handed it to her, and having been assured that she needed no help in money, advised her to set forth immediately.

The young wife needed no urging. Anticipating the result of her interview with the mayor, she had left her babe in charge of a kind neighbor; and proceeding instantly to the railway station, she, after five tedious hours, reached Paris. A stranger, unaccustomed to the noise, bustle, and confusion of a great city, she felt for the moment bewildered and lost. But the errand she had come upon quickened her faculties and inspired her with a desperate courage. Her first idea was to visit her husband and gladden him with her presence; and inquiring her way of different persons whom she met, she soon found the prison in which Antoine was confined. But, on requesting admission, she was informed that, without a special order from a magistrate, no person was permitted, under any circumstances, to visit or have any communication whatever with a prisoner. It was terrible for her to gaze upon the stone walls of the prison, and knowing that her husband was confined within those walls, to be refused permission to see him. But waiting no time in useless lamentation, she hired a conveyance, and was driven to the abode of the sous-prefet, some little distance beyond the city. It was already late when she reached the house; but she rang the bell, and gained admittance.

Monsieur le Prefet had just dined, she was informed by a servant, and would see no person on business that evening; she must attend at the police court the next morning. But on her producing the letter from the mayor of Honfleur, the servant said that he would acquaint Monsieur with her presence.

The sous-prefet was seated at a table reading an evening journal, when the servant entered and informed his master that a young woman wished to see him on business of importance.

"At this hour!" exclaimed the prefet angrily. "I cannot be disturbed. You should have told her so. Tell her to call at my bureau to-morrow."

The servant withdrew, but presently reappeared.

"What now, sirrah?" demanded the prefet.

"Monsieur," replied the servant, "the young woman will not go away. She says she must see you on a matter of life and death, and she bade me hand you this letter."

With an exclamation of angry annoyance, the prefet glanced over the contents of the letter. "Who is this woman? What does she look like?" he asked.

"She is very young, Monsieur, and seems to be in sore trouble. She told me she had travelled a long distance."

"Well, well; show her up-stairs."

The servant again withdrew; and in a few moments returned, accompanied by Madeleine, frightened, even amidst her sorrow, at the grandeur—to her eyes—by which she was surrounded.

"Enter, Madame," said the prefet, who appeared to be surprised at the extreme youth and remarkable appearance of the young woman in her fisherwoman's garb. "Pray, be seated, Madame," he continued in a gentler tone of voice; "and please to tell me briefly and clearly the object of your visit to Paris. I learn from my friend the mayor's letter that your husband is in prison, charged with complicity with Communism. My friend writes to assure me that he can certify that your husband cannot possibly be connected with the infamous Communists."

"No; my husband knows nothing of the matter, Monsieur," said Madeleine; and then she briefly told how it happened that he had visited Paris at this time.

"Then he arrived but three days ago, young woman?" said the prefet. "His name? Ah?"—again glancing over the mayor's letter—"I see; Antoine Duroc. It strikes me," he went on, "that I have some recollection of that name." He rose, went to a writing table, and returned and reseated himself, glancing over the pages of a rough ledger or memorandum-book. As he did so, he read, as if to himself, yet loud enough for Madeleine to hear: "Antoine Duroc, fisherman, aged twenty-three years, charged with inciting a mob to attack the military, and with having himself violently assaulted a soldier and released a prisoner who was under arrest. Denounced as a dangerous Communist by Lucien Pierrot."

"This is a serious matter, young woman," said the prefet to Madeleine; "much more serious than my friend's letter lead me to anticipate. It is out of my power to interfere in the matter, even if I had the wish to do so; and I have no sympathy with the Communists, nor with individuals who incite others to offend against the laws"——

"Oh, believe me, Monsieur!" interrupted Madeleine, wringing her hands in an agony of distress; "it is false that my husband is what you call a Communist. He knows not the meaning of the word. I have heard nothing of his having assaulted a soldier and released a prisoner. He said nothing of that in his letter to me; and I do not believe it is true that he has done such a thing. But, Monsieur, this man, Lucien Pierrot, is a vile wretch, who swears the lives of innocent men away for gain, and is unworthy of credence. He has vowed vengeance against my husband and me because I refused to listen to his base importunities;" and then blushing with shame amidst her distress, she related to the prefet the story of Lucien's conduct to her previous to her marriage. While she was speaking, the daughter of the prefet, a young and pretty girl of fifteen years, entered the room, and approaching her father, said: "Dear papa, I am come to wish you good-night." Then perceiving Madeleine for the first time, she became silent, and stood gazing pitifully upon the young fisherwoman behind her father's chair.

"It is sad—very sad, my poor woman," said the prefet, when Madeleine had ended her story, "but, as I have told you, I have no power to interfere in the prisoner's behalf. Your husband is charged with a military offence. He will be tried by a court-martial to-morrow morning. I dare not bid you hope for his acquittal. Such wretches as Pierrot are necessary to the government in such times as this. His oath will be taken by the members of the court-martial in preference to that of the accused, even though they regard the accuser with contempt. The trial will be brief, and the sentence of the court-martial will be immediately carried into effect. It is quite impossible for me to say or do anything in behalf of your husband that will be of the least service to him."

"Ah, Monsieur," sighed Madeleine, "at what hour to-morrow will the trial take place?"

"At seven o'clock. It will likely be over at nine o'clock; and at noon the sentence of the court will be carried out. A great number of prisoners await their trial by court-martial to-morrow."

Madeleine, weeping bitterly, threw herself on her knees before the prefet. "Monsieur, Monsieur!" she cried, "it is terrible. Men are wolves. They have no pity. But can heaven permit such injustice? Monsieur, as you hope for mercy on the last great day, intercede for my innocent husband! Save him, Monsieur, and I will pray for you, and will teach my innocent babe to pray for you and yours so long as we may live."

"I pity you with all my heart," replied the prefet, in a tone of deep sympathy; "but again I assure you I can do nothing for you; I am powerless to help you. Paris is under martial law. The civil authorities are superseded for the time being by the military. I cannot interfere with the trial or sentence of a court-martial." He advanced towards the suppliant young wife, and held forth his hand to assist her to rise; but Madeleine, overcome by the intensity of her affliction, fainted, and sank down on the floor.

The prefet rang the bell, and when the servant appeared, bade him send some of the female domestics to the assistance of the poor woman. The women came; and Madeleine, having partially recovered consciousness, was tenderly assisted from the room. "Take care of her, poor creature," said the prefet. "Let her rest a while before she goes away: and if she will partake of it, give her some refreshment."

"Poor woman! so young and so pretty!" he soliloquised, when the servants had withdrawn with the agonised wife. "I pity her sincerely; but I cannot assist her. Any interference on my part would be worse than useless.—Pauline my love," he went on, looking round for his daughter, whom he now recollected had entered the room while the young woman was kneeling before him.

But Pauline had disappeared; she had quitted the room with the servants and their helpless, sorrowing burden.

The sous-prefet did not resume the perusal of his journal. He was a man of kindly feelings, despite the hardening influences to which he was constantly subjected through his official position; and though he had his doubts, as men in his position always have in such cases, he was inclined to believe that Antoine had been falsely and maliciously accused. Yet he felt that he could not interfere in the prisoner's behalf.

At the end of half an hour his daughter re-entered the room.

"Ah, Pauline, my darling, where hast thou been?" he cried. "Thou wert here awhile since. Why didst thou go away, my child?"

"Papa," replied the young girl, drawing near to her father, and placing her arm round his neck, "I went after that poor young fisherwoman."

"But the servants will take good care of her, my pet."

"Yes, dear papa; but I took her to my own apartment and made her tell me *all* her story. She dared not tell you all. She was frightened, poor thing. O papa! it is so sad—so sad! I am sure, *quite* sure that the poor man is innocent of the political crimes imputed to him; and I have made the poor young wife promise to come here early to-morrow. I told her you would try to do something for her. And you *will*—will you not, dear papa, for my sake?"

"Pauline, darling, you have done very wrong; you have encouraged the poor woman to hope for assistance that I cannot render. I am powerless in the matter, as I have told her already—even if I were sure of the man's innocence."

"*Sure*, papa!" exclaimed Pauline. "Can you doubt? You will not doubt to-morrow when you have heard all."

"My darling," answered the sous-prefet, "no matter how strongly I may believe in the poor man's innocence, *I* can do nothing for him. He will be tried by court-martial in the morning, and in a few minutes will be either acquitted or condemned. They waste no time in these cases. If he be found guilty, as is most probable, he will be shot before noon."

"Papa, you *must* do something," persisted the young girl. "There is always time till the last moment. You will restore the poor woman's husband to her. Think over what I have said, papa; and now, good-night;" and kissing her father, Pauline hastened from the room before the prefet could make any reply.

CHAPTER IV.

When M. le Sous-prefet entered the breakfast room early the next morning, he found his daughter and Madeleine awaiting him—the latter trembling with doubt and fear, yet kept from utter despair by the young lady's encouraging words.

"Now, Madame, tell papa everything," said Pauline. "Do not be afraid. Papa is kind and good, though he is sometimes severe with wicked people."

Thus encouraged, Madeleine told everything; and the prefet was convinced that her husband was no Communist, but was the innocent victim of a vile, unprincipled person seeking to gratify his desire for vengence. Still, he knew not how he could interfere with any good result in behalf of the unfortunate young fisherman. The court-martial was to open at seven o'clock that morning.

"In all probability," he thought, "the poor man is already condemned and sentenced. A few minutes would suffice for all."

He had ordered a police sergeant to bring him a report of the results of the court-martial, the moment it was closed.

It was now past eight o'clock, and Madeleine was just finishing her story when a servant announced the arrival of the sergeant.

The prefet quitted the room and went to the sergeant, who presented him with the report. In one hour, sixteen prisoners had been found guilty and sentenced to death! One had been acquitted; but third in the list appeared the name of Antoine Duroc, a fisherman, of Honfleur, a rabid Communist, guilty of inciting and leading a mob to attack a military guard, and rescuing a prisoner under arrest. The condemned to be shot, at noonday, in a *fosse* in the rear of La Roquette, a prison near the Place Voltaire.

Antoine's generous impulse which had led him to release from arrest a youth whom he believed to be innocent, brought his doom upon him. He did not attempt to deny the fact; and all he could say in extenuation of his guilt was that he believed the poor lad was innocent. The young fisherman's bold, manly appearance in marked contrast with the aspect of the miserable, ragged, dirty, and generally ill-looking prisoners who were tried at the same time, interested some of the younger officers of the court-martial in his favor. One of these young officers severely cross-questioned the witness Lucien Pierrot.

"Who and what are you?" he asked. "Can you deny the fact that you are a miserable spy, gaining your livihood by denouncing and swearing away the lives of your fellow-men?"

"I am in the pay of the government," replied Lucien. "I have done my employers good service."

"Silence!" said the President of the court-martial to the officer. "The man speaks the truth—such wretches, however we may despise them," he added *sotto voce*, "are necessary evils in such times as these."

The favorable notice of the younger officers availed Antoine nothing. As we have already stated, he was condemned and sentenced to death; and the report of the result of the court-martial was already in the hands of the sous-prefet, whose daughter had followed him from the apartment, and now met him re-ascending the stairs.

"Papa, you have heard bad news," she said, looking into her father's troubled face.

"It has happened as I told you it would, Pauline," replied the prefet. "A few hours hence he will be shot!"

"No, papa, no!" exclaimed the young girl, arresting her father's further progress. "How can you tell that to his poor young wife? Papa, it must not—shall not be! There is yet time. You are acquainted with Monsieur le General Beaumont, the President of the court-martial. Hasten to him, papa. Take the poor woman with you. Show Monsieur le General the mayor's letter; let the young wife tell her own story. Meanwhile, dear papa, I will pray earnestly for your success. But go at once; lose not a moment of time."

"I *will* go, Pauline," replied the prefet, after a few moments thought. "I will do my best; but I have faint hope of success. Monsieur le General is, as you say, a friend of mine, and a just man. But he is stern and uncompromising in the performance of what he believes to be his duty; and he is justly and terribly severe in his dealings with the Communists"——

"But the poor man is not a Communist, papa!" interposed Pauline.

"Perhaps not; but the General believes him to be one of those guilty, blood-stained wretches. If the General were to learn the nature of my errand, I do not believe he would see me. Nevertheless, I will go, and will do my utmost to save the poor man."

The prefet and his daughter re-entered the room in which Madeleine, in a dreadful state of suspense, was awaiting their return. She had feared that some ill news had arrived, and a glance at the faces of the prefet and his daughter convinced her that her fears were not groundless.

"Monsieur, you have heard bad news," she faintly gasped. "My husband—my beloved Antoine is"—— She could not give utterance to the dread word that was on her lips.

It was necessary to acquaint her with what had occurred.

"Is convicted and sentenced to death; but he may yet be saved," said the prefet. "Be calm, Madame. Do not give way to despair. Bear up bravely. Much now depends upon yourself. Have you strength and courage to accompany me immediately to Monsieur le General Beaumont, the President of the court-martial that sat this morning?"

"Monsieur, I have strength and courage to go anywhere—to do anything to save my poor innocent husband."

"Then come with me—come at once, just as you are. You shall plead your husband's cause with the General. Do not hope too much; but do not despair of obtaining your husband's pardon.

The sympathies of the prefet were now fully aroused. He ordered the horses to be put to his carriage, and bade Madeleine follow him into the courtyard. As she was leaving, she threw her arms round Pauline's neck and embraced her. "Mademoiselle, thou art an angel of goodness!" she murmured. "If I succeed—and my heart tells me that the good God will grant me success—it will be to thee, under heaven, that my Antoine will owe his life. Thou wilt restore an innocent man to his wife and babe, and wilt save his judges from imbruing their hands in innocent blood." Then she hastened after the prefet, and entered the carriage—which was already waiting in the courtyard—with him.

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Truthful Men.

Mr. Beecher thinks that ninety-five men in every hundred will lie. He has the right idea, but his proportion is not exactly correct. Now, there's Mr. Beecher who'll lie for one; and there's "us," that makes two. And you'll have to advertise to find the other three, and they will probably lie to get the reward.—*Hawkeye.*

When John Saunders went from Kentucky to the West some forty years ago he swore that his betrothed, whom he left behind, should not see him until he became a millionaire. A few days since he balanced up his affairs in Montana, and finding himself possessed of the desired million, returned to Kentucky, looked up his old sweetheart, and the twain were made one. He is 68, she is 64.

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FACTS AND INCIDENTS.

News Notes and Interesting Gossip from all over the world.

As an act of grace, on the occasion of the sixth anniversary of his accession to the throne, the Sultan of Turkey pardoned sixty-nine persons suffering imprisonment for various offences.

Does the weather change with the moon? Sir William Thomson tells the British Science Association that there is no connection between the two things as far as he can discover, and he has studied them.

Speaking recently at Norwich, Cardinal Manning said that last year he had the pleasure of sitting next Gen. Sir G. Wolseley at a public dinner in London, and observed that the General was a strict total abstainer.

Is a city under obligation to protect its citizens from damage by fire? That question is involved in a suit brought against Montreal by Mr. Dion, a sculptor, who lost an eye in consequence of a fire in a house where the law as to fire escapes had not been enforced.

The fat men of Connecticut are perturbed. The President of their association chose a place which they do not like for their annual clambake, and they threaten to sue him, unless he yields, for a return of the gold-headed cane which he carries as their chief officer.

An insurance company to indemnify public singers against the loss of their voices is proposed in Paris, the idea being to contract to support the insured in a manner appropriate to their position and the amount of premiums paid by them before their voices deserted them.

The best tricycle exploit reported thus far is the recent ride of Mr. A. Nixon, the honorary secretary of the London Tricycle Club, from John o' Groat's to Land's End, a distance of 1,007 miles, in a little less than a fortnight, making an average ride of over seventy-one miles per day.

During service in the cathedral at Ragusa some days ago the officiating priest, a member of the Society of the Jesuits, was stabbed to death by a girl whom he had betrayed. She inflicted five wounds. The congregation poured amid wild excitement into the streets, and the girl was taken into custody.

The Rev. Mr. Lansdell, an English clergyman, who started several weeks ago from St. Petersburg on a missionary tour in Siberia, was arrested and brought back, the police having taken the Bibles he distributed as Nihilist literature. After some considerable difficulty, however, the reverend gentleman freed himself.

Recently large shoals of whales have been frequenting the creeks and bays in the Orkney Islands, on the Scottish coast, but it has been found difficult to capture any of them. Finally, however, in Scapa Bay, while there were over two hundred whales swimming about, the boats succeeded in catching one whale nineteen feet long.

The *Paris Figaro* says that the ex-Khedive's abode in Paris is that very Chateau de la Terrasse described by Alphonse Daudet in his "Kings in Exile." Ismail is 52, not tall, but stout. He wears his beard, and has a way of observing everything while apparently looking at nothing. He knows French well, having been partly educated in Paris.

A Calcutta gentleman, Babu Lok Nath Ghose, has conceived the idea of compiling a "Peerage and Landed Gentry" for India. He proposes to give the genealogy and family history of all the native chiefs, great and small; and also some account of the many native gentlemen upon whom honorific distinctions have been conferred by the British Government.

Polish journals call attention to a memorial tablet in a Warsaw church which contains the record of the age and death of the oldest man concerning whom there is an authentic account in existence. The priest Cybulski is shown by this tablet to have been born in 1,500, and to have died in 1,667. There is said to be unquestionable evidence of the correctness of these dates.

In Wales there are some very little parishes. A few days since the Bishop of St. David's re-opened the parish church of Llahdawake, a Norman building of great antiquity, which for years has been in a most ruinous and dangerous condition. The parish is only 620 acres in extent, and all the land except the glebe is owned by a single Nonconformist, while the population all told is only 21.

At this season of the year one sees at Paris railroad stations groups of boys who have returned from excursions. They belong to technical and other schools and in the summer are sent, under the care of teachers, to study industrial arts at their chief points. The city of Paris pays their expenses, but to make this as light as possible, the Minister of Public Instruction extends hospitality to the boys at the Government schools or colleges on their route.

The opinion expressed by the Foreign officers who witnessed the recent extensive reviews and manœuvres of the Russian troops at St. Petersburg is according to the *Vorsische Zitung* of Berlin, that the infantry has great powers of endurance, but it is not well disciplined, and that the calvary, while possessing excellent horses, does not ride so well as it should. In large bodies the troops made a fair showing, but in detatched battalions they did poorly.

Chicago police justices are accused of protecting criminals by changing the charges against them from something serious to something comparatively trivial, so as to inflict light sentences and thereby save them from jury trials. In one day, three men were arraigned before as many justices, one for horse stealing, one for highway robbery, and one for forgery, and in each case the accusation was changed to disorderly conduct, involving merely a fine of $5 to $50.

In slavery days, the chimes of St. Micheal's Church, Charlestown, were rung at 7 p. m. in winter and 8 in summer as a signal to negroes that their bedtime was nigh, and again an hour later to warn them to disappear from the streets, after which all blacks found abroad were arrested. The custom was continued until a few days ago, though nobody has obeyed the bell since the war. The Mayor has now cut off the salary of the ringer, and the act is exciting considerable discussion among the old residents.

A CARBOLINE ROMANCE.

Respectfully Dedicated to the Bald-Headed of Both Sexes.

"My worthy friend and neighbor,
Whence comes that smile serene?"
"O, I am now thrice happy—
I've found it—CARBOLINE.

"It's just what I've been looking for,
Since I've been seventeen—
And getting balder every day
Till I got CARBOLINE.

"It's growing in right rapidly,
My head can now be seen
Like other heads in silken locks,
Thanks to my CARBOLINE.

"I know a pretty black-eyed maid,
A royal little queen,
Who'll be as much rejoiced as I
To see this CARBOLINE.

"She'll throw away her switches,
False curls and borrowed sheen,
And shake upon her shoulders plump
The wealth of CARBOLINE.

"And when our heads are covered o'er,
As once they were, I ween,
We'll noise abroad the praises
Of wondrous CARBOLINE.

"As now improved and perfected,
No oil was ere so clean,
Diseases of the skin and scalp,
Are cured by CARBOLINE.

"While kneeling at the altar,
With Father Good between,
We'll call the world to witness
A match from CARBOLINE.

"And in the happy aftertime,
When comes a change of scene,
With a little dear our hearts to cheer,
We'll call it CARBOLINE.

Black chantilly lace flounces that have been out of fashion for years are being revived for trimmings of full dress toilets of elderly ladies.

Brevity in Speech—Sweetness in Music.

Some one has said that short speeches are most impressive, and simple, sweet music the most touching. If there be anything in the idea, certainly the following from C. C. De Zouche, of De Zouche & Co., Piano and Organ Dealers, 233 St. James street, Montreal, is to the point and convincing: "St. Jacobs Oil has proved of incalulable value to me in a case of rheumatism, having given me almost instant relief." In the same strain of expressive brevity writes Mr. John Fleming, editor in chief of the Montreal *Post*: "I have much pleasure in stating that, from the use of St. Jacobs Oil, I find it excellent and I think it a good medicine."

Forty-seven new cases of yellow fever were reported on Tuesday, in Brownsville, Texas, and one death, that of Customs Inspector C. Malley.

Substitute for Fresh Air and Exercise.

Persons of sedentary habits, or who are employed in factories, etc., require something to assist nature, as confinement and want of exercise is sure, sooner or later, to impair the digestive powers. Then it is that nature requires a stimulant such as Briggs' Botanic or Stomach Bitters. It creates an appetite, strengthens the digestive organs, overcomes biliousness, and tones the whole system. It is brought within the reach of all, as it sells at 25 cents a package, and makes one-half a gallon of a splendid mixture, equal to what is sold in bottles at $1 for three-fourths of a pint. Directions accompanying each package. Simple as steeping tea or coffee.

Advice to Consumptives.

On the appearance of the first symptoms—as general debility, loss of appetite, pallor, chilly sensations, followed by night sweats and cough—prompt measures for relief should be taken. Consumption is scrofulous disease of the lungs:—therefore use the great anti-scrofula, or blood-purifier and strength-restorer,—Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." Superior to Cod liver oil as a nutritive, and unsurpassed as a pectoral. For weak lungs, spitting of blood, and kindred affections, it has no equal. Sold by druggists the world over. For Dr. Pierce's pamphlet on Consumption, send two stamps to WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N.Y.

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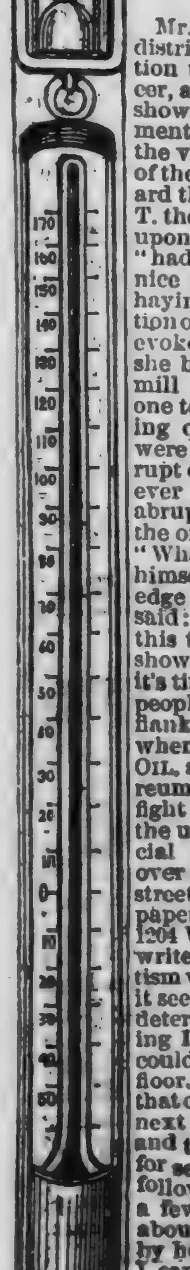

THE COUNTRYMAN IN THE Weather Signal Office.

Mr. Jeremiah Toadvine, of the rural district, brought a letter of introduction to the United States Signal Officer, and by the latter gentleman was shown the beautiful scientific instruments for measuring and determining the various changes and conditions of the weather. Pointing to the standard thermometer he explained to Mr. T. the uses of the heat gauge, whereupon Mr. T. anxiously inquired if he "hadn't nuther un to spare—sich a nice merchine to sot the weather in hayin' and harvest time." His inspection of the aerometer or wind measurer evoked the expression: "Wouldn't she be the racket to run the wind mill with." The barometer was one too many for Toadvine, and, looking queerly at the official, as if he were utterly nonplussed and bankrupt of words, said: "Friend, did you ever have the reumatis?" The abruptness of the question surprised the officer, who replied, "No—never." "What"—— Evidently recollecting himself, Mr. T. stopped on the ragged edge of the threadbare remark, and said: "I only wanted to know, for if this trap (pointing to the barometer) shows the good an' bad weather afore it's time, it would be a bully trap for people with reumatis; they could flank it every time. Up my country when folks has it they use ST. JACOBS OIL, an' it's a powerful argyment agin reumatis—it's the upper dorg in the fight every time." With thanks for the unexpected information, the official politely turned Mr. Toadvine over to the usher to show him to the street car, while he, looking over his paper, read: "Mrs. T. A. Gist, No. 1204 Walnut street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes: I had inflammatory rheumatism very badly. In one foot and ankle it seemed to have taken hold with the determination to stay, and the morning I obtained the ST. JACOBS OIL I could not put my foot down to the floor, even for an instant. I used it that evening for the first time, and the next morning for the second time, and that afternoon put my foot down for several minutes. On the Sunday following I could stand up and walk a few steps. On Tuesday could walk about my room and went down stairs by holding on to the banisters. Now I can walk quite well and there is very little pain left. Just think! one bottle and a half, and I am almost free from pain! It is a wonderful medicine.

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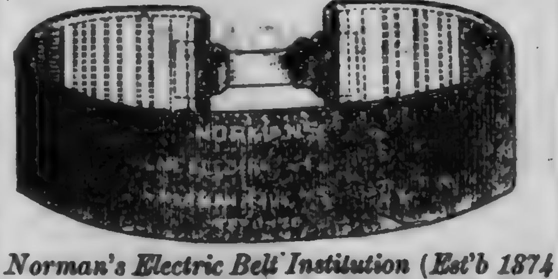

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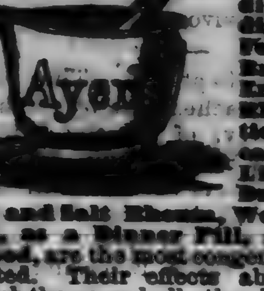

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TORONTO, GREY, AND BRUCE MEETING.

The annual meeting of the shareholders of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway Company was held in the offices of the company yesterday. The report of the directors was read, which showed that the important work of changing the gauge had been successfully accomplished; also that a number of improvements had been made in the matter of grades and curves, and the road re-quipped with rolling stock, the total expenditure for which up to 30th June last had been $1,141,923. The earnings showed a large improvement since the gauge has been changed to the standard width, and for the six months ending 30th June had reached $211,412.37, being the largest gross earnings for any half-year, and making in conjunction with the previous half-year, the largest gross earnings for any single year in the history of the company, the total amount being $373,020.33. The report congratulated the shareholders on the favorable showing, which they attribute to the improvement of traffic brought about by the change of gauge, as well as to the general prosperous condition of the country. The net earnings for the past half year had been applied in paying the interest on $1,000,000 preference bonds, which amounted to $25,000, and the sum of £1,500 stg. had been appropriated towards payment of interest on the $2,000,000 issue of six per cent. bonds. The report congratulatad the bondholders and shareholders on the fact that a beginnig had at length been made towards meeting the interest on the bonded debt of the company, which had been so long unprovided for, and that the interest on the preference bonds had been paid in full. The following directors were elected for the ensuing year:—Wm. Hendrie, R. W. Elliot, Wm. Tompson, N. Kingsmill, Valancey E. Fuller, John Proctor, E. B. Osler, Wm. Ramsay, and Wm. Hope. At a subsequent meeting of the board, Mr. Wm. Hendrie was re-elected president, and Mr. Wm. Ramsay, vice-president.

BUREAU OF INDUSTRIES.

The September Report of the Bureau of Industries gives full information on the progress and completion of harvest work throughout the County of Grey and of the state in which the various crops have been garnished. The report is prepared from information furnished by a large staff of correspondents in every part of the County, the great majority of whom are practical farmers. The following are the figures:—

Meadow and Clover acres in crop....	79,523
Meadow and Clover, tons of produce..	79,113
Potatoes, acres in crop..........	6,518
Mangold Wurzel, acres in crop......	386
Carrots, acres in crop..............	471
Other Roots, acres in crop..........	6,516
Buckwheat, acres in crop............	185
Beans, acres in crop...............	140
Flax, acres in crop................	176
Hops, acres in crop................	29
Orchard and Garden, acres..........	7,301
Vineyard, acres....................	30
Maple Sugar, pounds made this year..	57,471

Returns made by correspondents, based on the threshing machine records of their several localities, show that the total produce of fall wheat in the Province is 32,352,403 bushels; of spring wheat, 9,295,793 bushels; of barley, 23,545,059 bushels; of oats, 52,997,169 bushels; and of peas, 11,428,479 bushels. These figures exceed the estimates made on the 1st of June, especially the figures of wheat and oats. More accurate data, however, will be furnished by the returns of threshers, the results of which will be given in the October Report of the Bureau.

A $20.00 BIBLE REWARD.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer ten valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for October, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 in gold to the person telling us which verse in the Old Testament Scriptures contains the greatest number of words by October 10th, 1882. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner October 15th, 1882. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the November *Monthly*, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published. This may be worth $20.00 to you; cut it out. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penna.

A trout between 17 and 18 inches in length was caught in the Credit near Orangeville a few days ago.

Frightful Disaster.

LOSS OF THE STEAMER ASIA ON LAKE HURON.

ONE HUNDRED PERSONS PERISH.

ONLY TWO SURVIVORS OF THE DISASTER.

COLLINGWOOD, Sept. 17.—The following report has just reached here by the hands of Capt. John Davey, of the tug Minnehaha, sent from Parry Sound by Mr. J. C. Miller, which gives details of the loss of the steamer Asia, of the Great Northern Transit Company's line, which left here on Wednesday evening last for French River and Sault Ste Marie:—

PARRY SOUND, Sept. 17.—Captain A. M. McGregor reached here yesterday by tug from Owen Sound and reported passing the wreckage of a steamer off the Limestone islands. He picked up and brought with him a trunk, a door, and a pillow-slip marked "Steamer Asia." About 10 this morning an Indian boat reached here from Point-au-Barre, about 35 miles distant, bringing Mr. D. A. Tinkiss, of Manitowaning, and Miss Christy Ann Morrison from near Owen Sound, who are supposed to be the only two survivors of the ill-fated steamer.

A PASSENGER'S STORY.

Mr. Tinkiss makes the following statement:—"I went aboard the Asia at Owen Sound about midnight on Wednesday in company with J. H. Tinkiss and H. B. Gallagher, both of Manitowaning. The steamer was crowded, all the staterooms being full, and many passengers lying on sofas and the cabin floor. All went well until about eleven on Thursday morning, when the storm struck. I was in my berth at the time. My uncle, J. H. Tinkiss, jumped up and said the boat was doomed. Dishes and chairs were flying in every direction. We left the cabin and found difficulty in getting on deck. The boat was rolling so heavily that I got a life preserver and put it on. The boat went into the trough of the sea, and would not obey her helm. She rolled heavily for about twenty minutes, when she was

STRUCK BY A HEAVY SEA AND FOUNDERED,

and went down with the engines working, at half past eleven. The Asia was making for French River, and had men, horses, and lumbermen's supplies for the shanties there. I saw three boats lowered. I was in the first boat; about eight were with me. At first more got in till the boat was overloaded and turned over twice. Parties were hanging on to my life preserver, which got displaced and I threw it off. I then left the boat and swam to the Captain's boat, which was near by, and asked Mr. John McDougall, the purser, to help me in. He said it was but little use, but gave me his hand. When I got in there was eighteen in the Captain's boat, and by that time there was a larger number in and clinging to the boat I had left. I know nothing of the third boat. Our boat rolled over, and I remember missing poor John McDougall a few minutes after he helped me in. People were hanging on to the spare and other parts of the wreckage. Our boat was full of water, and the sea was constantly breaking over us.

ONE OF THE FIRST TO DIE

on the boat was the cabin boy. He was dying and was being supported by one of the men when a wave washed him overboard. The next to go was a boat hand; he was near the gunwhale coughing badly when he jumped out. I could see him paddling round in the water for nearly a hundred yards. Our numbers were now reduced to seven five of whom died before reaching the beach, viz:—Captain Savage, who was the last to die in my arms about midnight on Thursday; Mr. John Little, of Sault Ste Marie; the mate, McDonald; and two others, names unknown. The boat finally stranded near Paint-au-Barre about daylight on Friday with Miss Morrison and myself, the

ONLY TWO SURVIVING.

I put the bodies out on the beach and pried the boat off with an oar but did not bail it out. Miss Morrison and I went down the beach in the boat to a derrick about one and a half miles distant and lay on the beach all night. About eight o'clock on Saturday morning an Indian came along and I engaged him to bring us to Parry Sound. He would not bring the bodies."

The steamer Northern Belle, of the same line, which reached here this morning, has been furnished with ice, and has left for the bodies. Miss Morrison and Mr. Tinkiss are being well cared for here, and the doctor thinks neither will suffer materially from their long exposure. There were probably about one hundred on board the Asia.

NAMES OF THE CREW.

The crew consists of the captain, J. N. Savage, first mate, John McDermid; second mate, A. McNab; wheelsmen, M. Davis and G. McKay; watchman, James Smith; deck hands, John McIlroy, James Nolan, William Stinson, C. Innes; first engineer, T. K. Bruce; second engineer, M. Windover; foremen, H. Degroat, James Lamb; steward, Stephen Carter; waiters, Isaac Bennett, A. Watt, T. Lawrence; porters, R. Walker and T Hill; ladies' maid, Mrs. Walters; cooks, Wm. Jackson and J. Jackson; purser, John McDougall.

NAMES OF PASSENGERS.

The passengers were twenty-seven or thirty shanty men, names as yet unknown; Wm. Christy, newly married, and wife, Collingwood; Wm. Clinton, B. Morrey, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wood, Cincinnati, O.; A. Bowse, Mr. Ship, Mr. Duncan and son, of Hamilton; J. Martin, Collingwood; a man named Kerr and family, of Limehouse, Ont.; W. B. Gallagher, Manitowaning; Mr. McNabb, Miss Hanbury, Owen Sound; Mr. Sproule of Cookstown, supposed to be on board. The two saved are D. C. Tinkiss and Miss Christie Morrison, who have not yet reached here from Parry Sound. Numerous telegrams have been received here for a full list of the passengers on board, but it is impossible to give it. It appears that the only list is with the purser, and he, with the passengers and crew went down in the vessel.

During the past three weeks five barns have been destroyed in the vicinity of Niagara Falls by incendiary fires. The farmers talk of organising a vigilance committee for the defence of their property.

Correspondence

NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

THE BY-LAWS.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR.—Taking into consideration the ignoranse recently displayed regarding the law as it can be applied under the Health Act and the Police Act, I think it would be well if we could get copies of the Act printed in order that we may know how the law really stands. I am told that there is scarcely a house in the village where the law is not violated in some shape or form, either as to stoves, or ladders, or buckets, or unclean streets, or back premises. It is evident the powers that be are not acquainted with the law which I believe are wise and just laws, and ought to be carried out more closely than they are, or perhaps, one of these days, we will either be visited with an epidemic as in Mount Forest, and othe places, or else we will be burned out. I would like to suggest, Mr. Editor, that we get 50 or so to pay a trifle each to get the by-laws correctly printed, so that every ratepayer would know the law.

Yours, &c., W. E. G.

[In reference to the foregoing, if 50 or 60 will order a copy of the by-laws, at say 25 cts. each, we would undertake to print them. We quite agree with the desirability of having the law put in the hands of the public.—Ed.]

The first event at the Owen Sound fall races on Tuesday was the Colt Trot, and was won by "Lucy", owned by C. W. Speers, and "Chestnut Jim", owned by J. R. Trimble, respectively.

T. G. & B. RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	Exp.	Mxd.	Mail.
	a.m.	a.m.	p.m
Owen Sound, dep.	5.20	7.35	3.45
Markdale	6.29	9.45	5.02
Flesherton	6.43	10.12	5.19
Toronto	10.35		9.25

GOING NORTH.

Toronto......dep.	7.35		4.35
Flesherton	11.39	4.15	8.30
Markdale	11.57	5.02	8.45
Owen Sound	1.15	7.00	9.55

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Fall Wheat, $1.00 to $0.00; Spring, $0.00 to $0.00; Barley, 50c; Peas, 65c; Oats, 40c; Butter, 14c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 45c; Hay, $8.00.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.95 to $1.00; Spring, $0.00 to $1.10; Barley, 63c to 76c; Oats, 49c to 50c; Peas, 75c to 85c; Hogs, $9.00 to $9.50; Potatoes, per bag, 75c to 80c; Butter, dairy, 18c; Eggs, 18c.

BIRTHS.

SIMPSON—In Priceville, on the 7th inst., the wife of Mr. G. Simpson, of a son.

SPEERS—In Artemesia, on the 17th inst., the wife of Mr. Wm. Speers, of a son.

CLARK—In Glenelg, on the 17th inst., the wife of Mr. Robert Clark, of a daughter.

FOSTER—In Artemesia, on the 19th inst., the wife of Mr. James Foster (Lot 120, 3rd, East,) of a daughter.

DIED.

LEE—At his residence, New Dalle, North West Territory, on the 27th August, Mr. Robt. Lee, late of Artemesia. His end was peace.

VEYSEY—In Euphrasia, on the 20th inst., after a lingering illness, Mary Ann, beloved wife of Mr. Charles Veysey; aged 44 years, 6 months.

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They can supply you with anything from a Lumber Wagon up to Extension Top Phæton.

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MELANCTHON,—Shelburne, Oct. 3, and 4.

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Hope to secure a share of public patronage.

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Offers great attractions to those who are fond of SCENERY, as well as to those who delight in

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The Glenelg Agricultural Fa... fair to be the most successful ... the Society. Their new ground ... a vast improvement on the co... past years. There are also a ... ber of members than any previo... we hope to see a very extensive ...

You can buy a first-cl... Machine from W. F. Doll a... cost, he having purchased ... stock. See them.

If you wish to subscribe fo... following papers hand us the... will have it sent direct to you at ... rates:—

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All those indebted to me will please call
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If you wish to subscribe for any of the
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Weekly Globe per year	$1 00
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The Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society in-
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Hill Bros. are raising the first story of their elevator to-day, (Thursday.)

A fine stock of select Canadian and Scotch tweeds just opened at Reynolds & Son.

Mr. Fanning, of Holland Township, has an apple and plum tree now in bloom in his orchard.

$10,000 worth of goods to be sold the 27th inst., (Fair Day,) at Reynolds & Son's, Markdale.

Reynolds & Son are just opening their Fall stock, comprising dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, etc.

We direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Mr. A. Hill, tailor. Shop over McFarland's store. Give him a call.

We will pay special attention to market reports in future and endeavor to give the latest prices from week to week.

W. J. Bellamy, Flesherton, has any amount of money to loan on real estate security. Insure your buildings and contents with him; satisfaction guaranteed.

BEAT THIS IF YOU CAN.—One day last week Mrs. Gould, of Euphrasia, bound and kept up to two cradlers (James Gould and Wesley Shore) on lot 4, con. 8.

T. D. Smith, barber, will be in Flesherton on September 28th and 29th, to attend to the wants of anyone wanting anything done in his line. Shop over Flesherton bakery.

Stolen or strayed from the premises of Samuel Jefferson, lot 8, con. 8, about the 20th of August, a stable lantern. Any person giving such information as will lead to its recovery will be suitably rewarded.

Mr. John McDougall, purser on the ill-fated steamer *Asia*, was a very highly respected citizen of Owen Sound He leaves a wife and twelve children to mourn his sad death. Wm. McDougall, salesman at McFarland's, being the eldest.

Mr. Wm. Fenwick, lot 10, con. 5, Osprey, will sell by public auction on Tuesday, Oct. 3rd, the whole of his farm stock, implements, household furniture, etc. Terms, twelve months credit on approved joint notes. Ira H. Perigoe, Auctioneer.

Saturday last was closing day at the Toronto Exhibition. All the prize animals were shown in procession in the ring, making a sight which greatly pleased the thousands who saw it. The receipts of the Exhibition were about $6,000 more than last year, and fully equal to the most sanguine expectations of the Directors.

STREET LAMPS.—Now that the days are getting short and the nights long and dark, the need of street lamps are apparent to all. Can we not do something towards having at least a few lamps erected on our principal streets? They can be had for about $6 each, left ready for the match. Who will join a club and get up an order for a dozen, more or less? We will have one. Next!

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.—About 5 o'clock yesterday afternooon a very respectable young man, Mr. Jas. McLaren, was killed by lightning, and Mr. John McLachlan, with whom he was engaged on lot 26, 10th concession, Erin, was badly stunned while taking his horses into the stable. The horses were killed and the barn burned to the ground.—*Dufferin Advertiser.*

HE WANTED A DRIVE.—A gentleman hired a horse from a livery stable in the eastern part of Toronto on Saturday night, and sent a man to return it about an hour and a half afterwards. The messenger, instead of returning the horse went off for a drive with a woman. Last night the horse and buggy were found in Rosedale by Chief of Police Johnston, of Yorkville. In the buggy, which was badly smashed, were found a skirt and a shoe belonging to the woman. The police are investigating.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday morning between 8 and 9 o'clock, while a car bottom was being lowered to the deck of the *Nellie Sherwood* at the T. G. & B. R. dock, the iron hook broke, and the boom of a derrick fell upon a sailor, named Geo. Barnett, of Kincardine, striking him on the forehead, and glancing off fell on his arm, stripping the flesh from the middle of the arm to the wrist, laying it bare to the bone. The wound was dressed by Dr. John Barnhart, who found on examination there were no bones broken, and that the wound, though painful, would not be attended with serious results.—*O. S. Times*

John Bennett, who has been for several years a respected resident of Lucknow, committed suicide by cutting his throat with a razor. The deceased has been for the past few years subject to fits of melancholly, and it is supposed that during one of these he committed the rash act.

THE WAR IN EGYPT.

Hostilites in Egypt are at an end, and yesterday Sir Garnet Wolseley had the satisfaction of telegraphing to the War Office that "the war is over," and that no more troops would be required.

REPORTED LOSS OF THE ONTARIO.

The Steamer Ontario, of the Sarnia line, is reported to have gone down with all on board. Mr. Beatty, of that line, is anxiously awaiting some intelligence.

WHAT McFARLAND HEARS DAILY.

That his Teas are the best.
That his Tweeds are the most stylish
That his Dress Goods are the handsomest.
That his Table Linens are the cheapest.
That his Groceries are the purest.
That his Clerks are the most obliging.

WHAT M'FARLAND KNOWS FOR A FACT.

That his Cash Sales steadily increase.
That he Buys for Cash.
That his Customers get the benefit.
That he Imports direct from Britain.
That he keeps the largest selection.
That he is not a bird of passage.
That he pays no interest to money loaners.
That if other people prosper, bully for them.
That as McFarland succeeds everyone is better and nobody worse.

30 MEN WANTED.

Immediately, for balast train on T. G. & B. Ry. Apply at Markdale and Flesherton Stations. B. Tansley, foreman.

The best quality of store goods are to be found at Wm. Brown's.

A lodge of the C. O. O. F. was organized Wednesday evening. We will give further particulars next week.

As near as can be learned 85 passengers went on board the ill fated steamer "Asia" at Collingwood, 12 at Owen Sound, and the crew, consisting of 25.

Trimble & Wright have their immense stock of general merchandise opened out in Reid's Block, adjoining the Revere Hotel, and though the store is very large yet there is scarcely room to display the goods sufficiently. Their stock is hard to beat North of Toronto for variety and low prices. They are doing a rushing business, and are bringing customers from far and near. They understand their business and we would call your attention to their advertisement on the eighth page; read it and then go and see for yourselves.

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE

IN THE TOWN OF DURHAM, IN THE COUNTY OF GREY.

THE following valuable town properties will be sold on reasonable terms or will be rented for a term of years, or exchange for farm propeoty.

1st,

Lot No. 1 on the west side of Garafraxa street and south of Hunter street, opposite Mr. J. H. Hunter's store house, well fenced and first class frame buildings, good cellars, hard and soft water, a most conveniant residence and would make a good business stand.

2nd,

That most desirable property being park lots nos. 2 and 3 on the north side of George st., 8 acres more or less, well fenced, front fenced with pickets, one and a half acres of a thriving young orchard and very convenient to the railway station.

3rd,

The east half of the west half on lot 18 on the west side of countess street with a new frame house and kitchen, good stable and wood shed, well fenced, front fence painted white, hard and soft water on the premises.

4th,

Park Lot No. 8, Wm. Hunter's, Survey.

5th

Lots 1 and 2, Presbyterian Survey.

6th,

Lot No 15 on the North side of Mill street in the village of Markdale close to the railway station, with good frame house thereon. If the above properties are sold the very best title will be given free from all encumbrances.

—Also the—

Following Farming Properties.

will be sold on reasonable terms of payment.

7th,

Lot No. 22, Con. 9 Glenelg, 100 acres more or less, 3½ miles from the T. G. & B. R. at Markdale, 75 acres cleared, a new frame house and two log barns.

8th,

Lot No. 93 in the 3rd Con. W. T. & S. R., Glenelg. 50 acres, about 45 acres cleared and good log buildings, about 2½ miles from Markdale station T. G. & B. R.

9th,

The west half lot 17, Con. 4. N. D. R., Glenelg. 50 acres 40 acres cleared, good rough cast house and orchard on the premises. The house and one acre will be reserved during the life of the occupants who are now between 80 and 85 years of age.

10th

East part lot No. 1. con 2 Normanby, 68 acres, about 50 acres cleared, situation about 2 miles from the town of Durham. For further particulars apply to

FINLEY MACRAE, Durham.

Dated 15th August, 1882. tf 104,

Dye Stuffs.

Indigo,
Madder,
Logwood,
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Cochineal,
Bluestone,
Madder Compound,
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Also, a large variety of the best Aniline Dyes.

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In the cool assertion of some people that they can sell below cost, &c, it may not be amiss to let the public of Markdale and surrounding country know that

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TEAS, TOBACCOS, SPICES, CANNED FISH, ETC.,

And for those wishing pure Wine for sacramental purposes, will find a brand that will equal anything on this side the Atlantic.

Other Liquors equally pure.

SPECIAL! Pure Holland Gin.

Cheese from the best manufactories.

Our Whiskies are from the firm of Gooderham & Worts, Toronto, and the public may rely on receiving them as they are sent.

FLOUR, POTATOES, and everything in the household line kept constantly on hand.

Henceforth my Store will be supplied with Fruits of all kinds, such as

APPLES, PEARS, PLUMS, &c.

FRUIT CAKES of all kinds always kept on hand.

Essences, Hair Oils, and Perfumery of the choicest nectars.

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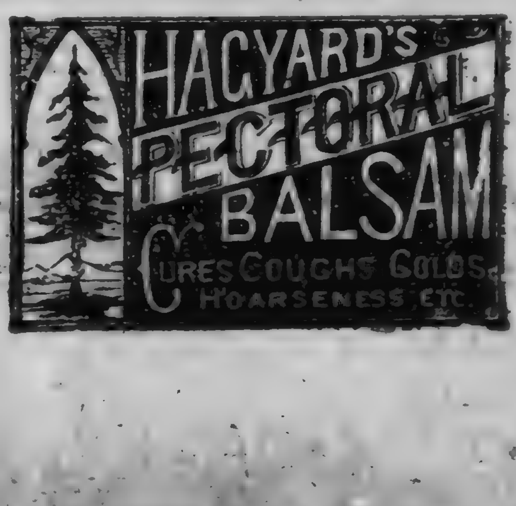

Fairy Stories.

"Do I believe in fairy stories?"
Darling, of course I do;
In giants so tall,
And Titania small;
I believe in them all,
Don't you?

"Was there ever any Red Riding Hood?"
Oh, yes; without a doubt.
There are wolves to-day
To lead you astray;
When they come in your way,
Look out!

"And was there ever a Cinderella,
With haughty sisters?" Why yes,
I've met with her since;
And, though proud ones may wince,
She'll marry the prince,
I guess.

KHEDIVE AND ARABI.

THE REBEL CHIEF'S SERVILITY.

The Field of Tel-el-Kebir—A Mile of Dead—Arabi Fired at—The Highlanders in Action—Another Conference.

Regarding the Egyptian loss in Wednesday's engagement no computation approaching accuracy has yet been made, but including what has been accounted for by the cavalry, it cannot be short of 2,500 to 3,000. In several places the bodies of the Egyptians were lying in heaps of 30 to 50, and they lay in dense rows where the 42nd, getting in flank, enfiladed Arabi's lines while they were holding the position against the attack in front. The dead extended for over a mile behind the position as our pursuing troops fired after the mass of fugitives. Altogether the field at Tel-el-Kebir presents a terribly ghastly sight. In many instances the wounded Arabs fired upon the English after they had passed. There were lamentable casualties on the enemy's side; even

OLD MEN AND CHILDREN WERE KILLED.

This was unavoidable, owing to the fact that the Egyptians kept up a straggling fire from the mud huts.

Sufficient tinned provisions for 2,000 men for one month were captured. Fifty guns have fallen into the hands of the British. The chief of the commissariat, a prisoner, states that rations wore issued on the day before the battle for 15,000 regular troops and 7,000 irregulars.

The *Herald's* correspondent writes:—A ride over the field after the battle shows that the enemy's loss was extremely heavy; indeed it is difficult to understand how so great a number of men have been killed in the battle, which lasted but a brief hour. The enemy's position consisted of lines of solid entrenchments bound together by wattles. It was four miles long from flank to flank. At intervals bastions mounted by guns protected the front, and there were successive

SERIES OF DEEP TRENCHES.

At right angles to the extreme left of their position a deep trench extends two miles to the rear, behind which is another entrenchment, forming a defence of the front line from attack on the flank towards the canal. On the right were very strong works. The natural irregularities of the ground constituted a very formidable position, which would have cost great expenditure of life had it been attacked in front. This part of the line, however, was avoided and our attacks were directed towards the flanks. All who accompanied the Highland brigade were enthusiastic at the brilliant character of their advance. Their orders were to march up to the first trench and carry it by the bayonet

WITHOUT FIRING A SHOT.

This order was literally executed. After their conduct on preceding occasions, it was expected that the Egyptians would not stop to oppose the determined rush, but hundreds remained at their posts, and were bayonetted where they stood. As soon as the trench was won, the Highlanders were assailed from the strong river line commanding the trench which had been carried, but cheering loudly they pressed forward, carrying one redoubt after another, shooting and bayonetting the foe as they ran. At one point only was the advance checked for a moment, but the first line was reinforced from behind, and with another cheer they swept on again,

AND CLEARED THE ENEMY

from before them. At some of the bastions, the resistance, although unavailing, was desperate, the Egyptians being caught as in a trap by the rapidity of the advance, defending themselves to the last. At these points the Egyptians lie dead in hundreds, while only here and there a Highlander lies stretched among them, lying face downwards, as if shot in the act of charging. Had the Egyptians fired any way accurately the losses must have been tremendous; as it is they are marvelously slight when the nature of the works carried and the number of the defenders is considered.

Roubi Pasha says Arabi when the attack on Tel-el-Kebir commenced, was panic-stricken at its suddenness. Obeyd Pasha was killed in battle.

According to the correspondent of the *Daily Chronicle*, Arabi was seen riding by the village of Belbeis from the disaster at Tel-el-Kebir attended by only twenty horsemen. The fugitive rebel leader as he dashed past waved

HIS SWORD RED WITH BLOOD,

appealing to the natives with the cry, "Egypt is ruined." His cause is everywhere considered as hopeless.

Twelve hundred prisoners and twenty-seven Egyptian officers have been marched back to Ismailia from Tel-el-Kebir. After the arrival of the Khedive at Cairo a regularly constituted court will be established for the public trial of the rebel chiefs, who will be allowed to engage council.

Arabi Pasha was taken before the Khedive. He presented a loathsome

PICTURE OF GROVELLING SERVILITY.

He swore that he was not aware he was fighting against the Khedive. The Khedive remained standing while Arabi was in his presence, and when Arabi had concluded the Khedive ordered his removal.

Egyptian doctors state that when Arabi was making off to Zagazig he was fired at by one of his own officers.

Mahmound Baroudi and Suleiman Sami, who commanded a battalion which took a leading part in the burning of Alexandria, have fled to Upper Egypt.

The engineers report Kafr-el-Dwar abandoned. They saw many skeletons there. The rebels are supposed to have gone to the Aboukir forts. The enemy's troops from Mahalla, Aboukir, and Kafr-el-Dwar will parade at the front here; those from Mahalla on Sunday, when they surrendered their arms, will be stripped of their military dress, and disbanded.

Telegrams from the Governor of Ben-hi-el-Assel to the Governor of Zagazig ordering the latter to cut the canal and flood the country have been intercepted.

The Egyptian guns at Kafr-el-Dwar were cleverly concealed. Four were as large, if not larger, than the British guns. The garrison consisted of Arabi's best troops, the Tel-el-Kebir lot being recruits of

NOT MORE THAN TWENTY DAYS' SERVICE.

The Egyptian negro troops crossed bayonets with the Highlanders and Irish regiments yesterday. The accuracy with which the Highland brigade came into line, after a seven miles march, on a moonless night, in the desert sand, guided only by stars, and stormed the entrenchments and redoubts yesterday, has never been surpassed in history.

AMONG OUR EXCHANGES.

The man who "broke the noose gently' got a divorce in Indiana.

After a man has been hugged nearly to death by sin he turns around and embraces religion."

"Keep off the grass" is a corporation way of interdicting a certain class of duelling; it forbids the public to cross swards

It is a singular freak which ladies have that of making their new bonnets match everything but their husband's pocket-books.

Tourists are sometimes suggestive. "Why, a donkey couldn't climb that hill," said one of them; and then he added, "and I'm not going to try it."

So much spring water is toted about at Saratoga that a fellow may be seen there with a bottle under his arm and not lose his character.

"You are accused of being a chronic thief. What excuse have you got?" "None, boss, 'ceptin' chronic poverty," replied the Austin colored vagrant.

"Look out for ten-dollar bills on the —— Bank," says an exchange. Of course we will; been looking out for ten-dollar bills for a long time, but they do not come along.

"Wealth," says Henry Ward Beecher, "is sure to take wings and fly away." Yes, Henry, that is so. One day we have thirty-five cents and the next day we are dead broke. But, such is life.

Just think of it. Arabi Bey took to himself a third wife only a day or two ago. We have no sympathy with a man who flies in the face of Providence so recklessly. He must be an awful fighter to want a third wife.

Says the Philadelphia *News*: "Mary Anderson has been out sailing in her new yacht. She is very handsome, decidedly fast, has all the modern improvements, and plenty of room on deck." We presume the *News* refers to the yacht.

Where ignorance is bliss: A number of Baltimoreans caught in an unlicensed beer saloon swore that they did not know what they were drinking. A good many Boston beer consumers could truthfully subscribe to the same declaration.

Just exactly what a woman wants a watch for is not quite certain. The chain is the only part of the arrangement she ever wears. The watch itself is "run down," mainspring broke, and tucked away in the dressing-case most of the time. A woman and a watch are incompatible.

It is quite the idea this season for a young lady to artistically decorate a little fan and present it to her best gentleman friend. This doesn't signify "There is a coolness between us," as might be supposed. It is a hint for the young man to fan the flame with more ardor.

"What is a yacht?" we inquired of a long, gaunt codder, who was lounging about the wharf. "What is a yot?" said the fisherman; "well, you gets any sort of a craft you please, and fill her up with liquor and seeygars, and get yer frens on board and have a high old time and that's a yot."

"I see," said old Mrs. Anchovy, "that they are making car wheels out of paper. What do you suppose that's tor, Mrs. Birdseye?" "That; oh, I've no doubt they are getting scared about so many people being run over and cut in two endwise and are trying to get some kind of stuff that ain't so dangerous."

Arithmetical progression: County Court Judge (to defendant)—"The case seems clear to me, and having had the goods you must pay the amount claimed. Now, how much can you pay? Can you manage four shillings a month?" Defendant (a poor man, certainly)—"Me, sir! Four shilling a month! No, certainly not; but I don't mind paying two shillings a week!"

Love at the seashore: "Oh, Harold," said she, as she clung close to his arm, "how very quiet and restful the sea seems to be this evening." "Just as I would like a wife to be," was the response. "And would you, as a husband, be the quiet, restful complement of such a wife?" He thought he could, and the launch into the sea of matrimonial difficulties was thus quietly made. There's sure to be a gale however.

The Newest Rain Theory.

A correspondent of an agricultural paper starts a curious theory in regard to wet summers. He has noted that after a great battle rain has fallen in heavy showers within twenty-four hours, and he suspects that we artificially and unintentionally increase our rainfall. He goes on to say:—"If a bird's-eye view of England could be taken any Saturday afternoon or evening during our summer months, the whole coast line at intervals would appear to be dotted with puffs of smoke, the breath of the big guns our artillery volunteers practice with. Now, if taken in the aggregate, the number and weight of these guns would, I think, far exceed in these respects anything that recent battles have brought together, and though the effect is of course diminished by the guns being wide scattered, yet for the same reason the area affected is increased in an inverse ratio."

CANADIAN GLEANINGS.

HOME NEWS.

What is going on Throughout the Dominion—Clippings from our Exchanges—The best the Scissors can find.

Mr. B. B. Osler, Q.C., has sold his residence, Hannah-street Hamilton, to Mr. John Stuart for $15,000 cash.

A young man named Fortin was almost instantly killed at Levis on Tuesday night by being thrown on his head out of a waggon.

During the recent gale a number of sail boats capsized on Burlington Bay on account of the changeable winds. No serious results are reported.

Dr. Girard, for 44 years Secretary of the Quebec Education Department, has been appointed an officer d'academic by the President of the French Republic.

A company owning quarries at Port Philip, Cumberland county, N. S. has suspended work, and the manager has absconded without paying the workmen.

Mrs. Gillespie, of Huntington, who in 1878 entrusted J. S. Hunter with $2,000 for investment, has taken an action against that much celebrated notary, who is now over the border.

John MacInlay, the engineer of the steam shovel machine at work on the Canada Atlantic Railway near Ottawa, was injured by a boiler explosion a day or two ago and died on Wednesday.

The Quebec Garrison Artillery mustered at the armoury and afterwards proceeded to Levis, where they went into camp. Several rural battalions also arrived and joined the camp.

James, Thomas and John F. Keefe and John Kent appeared before Squire Stanley at Lucan to answer the charge of shooting M. Toohey in the late Biddulph unpleasantness. The quartette were sent for trial.

It seems that a large portion of the town of Levis is built upon the Jesuit's estate property, for the restoration of which throughout the Province a regular claim is confidently expected to be set up shortly.

The Montreal Harbour Commissioners show an increased revenue for the month of August over the same month of last year of $3,000, and of tonnage by 8,299 tons. For the season the decrease is about 3 per cent.

A shocking fatal accident occurred at Quebec. A young man named Costelow, son of a Government contractor of that name, fell to the street below from the dome of a two-storey house, on which he was working, and was instantly killed.

On Thursday, at Chatham, a man named Green fell from a scaffold on R. O. Smith's new building. His leg was broken in two places; several ribs were broken and he was injured internally. He is still alive, but no hopes of his recovery are entertained.

Considerable opposition was manifested at Montreal to the Canada Pacific Railway being allowed to take up St. Louis, Champ de Mars, and other streets with their proposed railway depot. It is believed that they will carry the scheme to completion notwithstanding the opposition made.

The number of men in camp at Levis is 670, the whole under the command of the commandant of the Seventh Military District, Lieut.-Col. Duchesnay, D.A.G., with Lieut.-Col. Dorsonnens, as Brigade Major. The men drill thrice a day, two hours each time. General Luard is expected in a few days.

An interesting feature of the London Camp is the Young Men's Christian Association tent, a large marque in which reading matter and stationery is provided for the volunteers free of charge, while a parlour organ and a good choir furnish music for the religious services, which are held daily at 3 and 7:30 p. m.

Ralph Gular, a farmer living near Niagara Falls, had his barn fired on Wednesday and totally consumed with its contents, a valuable team of horses, nine hogs, 275 bushels of oats, seven tons of hay, and a quantity of grain, farm implements, etc. The loss is not known. The fire was the work of an incendiary.

The American canal boat Earl & Skinner, from Hoboken, with coal to Messrs. Bennett & Co., has been seized by the custom authorities at Quebec for some infraction of the customs regulations. It seems some of the vessel's cargo was sold on the passage down, and no report of the transaction was made at the custom house.

At Teeswater, on Thursday, as a little girl aged 7, daughter of John E. Kennedy, was crossing the river on a plank, she was blown off by a sudden gust of wind, falling a distance of about twenty feet and striking on the stone work below. Her face and head were badly cut and one arm shockingly mangled. She will likely recover.

A digraceful affair happened at Jones Falls, near Kingston, at the wake of a man. Some got to betting on the weight of the corpse. To prove which was right they took the corpse out of the coffin and carried it a quarter of a mile to a hotel where it could be weighed. Thence they went to a spring, gave the corpse a drink of water, and tried to pour whiskey down the throat,

Frances A. Smith, the daughter of the late Major Hiram B. Mills, has come out in public with a statement over her own signature, in which she recapitulated the story originally published. She insists that she has a claim upon her father's estate, and has documents with her to prove it. These she has handed over to Messrs. Abbott, Tait & Abbott, Montreal, who have her case in hand.

An item for the household says, "If the water in which new cabbage is boiled is changed once or twice it will be less likely to be indigestible." Perhaps it will, and persons who are in the habit of drinking water in which new cabbage is boiled should heed the suggestion; but as long as water is so cheap we shall continue to take ours raw.—*Norristown Herald.*

The weary husband, as he proceeds to take down the clothes-line, unconsciously trips over a crouquet arch, and from the bottom of his feet wishes he was where the wickets cease from troubling.

An engagement is reported in Tunis to have occurred near Kairouan, in which the French lost 50 killed and the Arabs 150.

Columbus and His Sailors.

When we think how superstition, retiring from the world, still keeps its grasp upon the sailors of to-day, we can imagine how it must have ruled the ignorant seamen of Columbus. The thoughtful, lonely ways of their admiral made him only an object of terror; they yielded to him with wonderful submission, but it was the homage of fear. The terror reached its climax when they entered the vast "Sargasso Sea," a region of Gulf-weed—a tract of ocean as large as France, Humboldt says—through which they sailed. Here at last, they thought, was the home of all the monsters depicted in the charts, who might at any moment rear their distorted forms from the snaky sea-weed,

"Like demons' endlong tresses, they sailed through."

At the very best, they said, it was an inundated land (*tierras anegades*—probably the fabled sunken Island Atlantis, of which they had heard; whose slime, tradition said, make it impossible to explore that sea, and on whose submerged shallows they might at any time be hopelessly swamped or entangled. "Are there no graves at home," they asked each other, according to Herrera, "that we should be brought here to die?" The trade-winds, afterwards called by the friars "winds of mercy," because they aided in the discovery of the New World, were only winds of despair to the sailors. They believed that the ships were sailing down an inclined slope, and that to return would be impossible, since it blew always from home. There was little to do in the way of trimming sails, for they sailed almost on a parallel of latitude from the Canaries to the Bahamas. Their severest labor was in pumping out the leaky ships. The young adventurers remained listlessly on deck, or played the then fashionable game of *primero*, and heard incredulously the daily reports told by Columbus of the rate of sailing. They would have been still more incredulous had they know the truth. "They sighed and wept," Herrera says, "and every hour seemed like a year."

The same Spanish annalist compares Columbus to St. Christopher in the legend bearing the infant Christ across the stream on his shoulders; and the explorer has often being painted in that character in those days. But the weight that Columbus had to bear up was a wearisome and unworthy load. Sometimes they plotted to throw him overboard by a manœuvre (*con disimulacion*, Herrera says), intending to say that he fell in while star-gazing. But he according to Peter Martyr, dealt with them now by winning words, now by encouraging their hopes (*blandis modo verbis, ampla spe modo*). If they thought they saw land, he encouraged them to sing an anthem; when it proved to be but a cloud, he held out the hope of land to-morrow. They had sailed August 3, 1492, and when they had been out two months (October 3), he refused to beat about in search of land, though he thought they were near it, but he would press straight through to the Indies. Sometimes there came a contrary wind, and Columbus was cheered by it, for would convince his men that the wind did not always blow one way, and that by patient waiting they could yet return to Spain.

As the days went on the signs of land increased, but very slowly. When we think of the intense impatience of the passengers on an ocean steamer after they have been ten long days on the water, even though they know precisely where they are, and where they are going, and that they are driven by mechanical forces stronger than winds and waves, we can imagine something of the feelings of Columbus and his crew as the third month wore on. Still there was no sign of hope but a pelican to-day and a crab to-morrow; or a drizzling rain without wind—a combination which was supposed to indicate nearness to the land. There has scarcely been a moment in the history of the race more full of solemn consequences than that evening hour when, after finding a carved stick and a hawthorn branch, Columbus watched from the deck in the momentary expectation of some glimpse of land. The first shore light is a signal of success and triumph to sailors who cross the Atlantic every three weeks. What then was it to the patient commander who was looking for the first gleam from an unknown world?—T. W. HIGGINSON, in *Harper's Magazine for October.*

Health Item.

About a year ago the smallpox prevailed to some extent in Austin, and there were great apprehensions at the time of the dread disease becoming epidemic. It was during this excitement that a sad-eyed colored man entered a pawnbroker arena on Austin Avenue with a blanket under his arm, which he offered as collateral security for a temporary loan of a dollar. The contracting parties disagreed on financial issues, the pawnbroker asserting with considerable positiveness, that he was inviting financial ruin to take possession of him if he advanced more than a slick quarter on the blanket, while the negro stated if the times were not so panicky, five dollars would be no inducement for him to part with the blanket.

"Why, you are out of your mind," said the pawnbroker, running his arm through a hole in the blanket. "It was not worth three dollars when it was new."

"I know dat, boss, but I hates to part wid dat blanket on account ob de tender recolleeshuns connected with it."

"Eh?" exclaimed the alarmed pawnbroker.

A pearly drop ran down the dusky nose, and as he tried to swallow a big lump the colored man said, "Dat blanket belonged to my wife's mudder, who died yesterday wid de smallpoxes, but yer can hab it fer a quarter."

People wondered why the colored man with a blanket came out of the shop in haste, as if fired out of a cannon, but he knew why. He wanted to get a good start, so as to beat a load of buckshot, with which the pawnbroker was preparing to vaccinate him.—A. E. SWEET, in EDITOR'S DRAWER, *Harper's Magazine for October.*

It is stated at St. Petersburg that the convicts in the prison at Rhedan have revolted. The soldiers were sent to suppress them. A struggle ensued, in which forty convicts were killed.

ASHION CHAT.

White Danish kid gloves of exag[gerated] length are worn by bridesmaids.

Many rich dresses have velvet collars, cuffs and dispense with any white lace [at] the flesh.

Manties next Fall will all be lined [with] some bright color, gold, blue, red or [...]. Gold will be preferred.

The ready-made light woolen costumes [for] Autumn wear are very attractive, both [in] quality and in price.

The new colors show many faded tap[estry] shades, and it is the caprice of the season [to] label these new shades old.

Embroidery will to a certain extent [take] a prominent place in the higher grades [of] garnitures imported for next season.

Crinoline is gradually becoming popu[lar]. Bustles are worn quite large, giving an [ex]panded expression to the entire skirt.

Sailor hats, trimmed with a wide-band ribbon, with some upright loops at one si[de], are the latest revival for young lad[ies'] wear.

A singular fashion is that of wearing o[ffi]cers' collars and cuffs of red embroider[y] with gold over walking jackets of cloth, [tri]cot or stockinet.

New Parisian corsages show the fronts [of] the basque continued into long panels, wh[ich] reach nearly to the foot of the underskir[t]. This is a favorite style at present.

Straw fans brought from Tuscany are a[c]companied by a parasol of straw, and w[orn] with white muslin dresses that have yello[w] satin or brown velvet ribbon ornaments.

The flatly folded scarfs worn by gent[le]men are much used by ladies with their No[r]folk jackets and tailor-made cheviot dresse[s]. Those of foulard or pique are most liked fo[r] the present season.

White will be worn both for day and eve[n]ing dress for many weeks to come, a[nd] white dresses upon the promenade will b[e] seen until the cold days of Autumn sha[ll] render this "hueless hue" inappropriate.

In the arrangement of the coiffure, hea[vy] bangs, "Montagues," or thick rings [of] hair, are now considered "bad form" by th[e] most fashionable people, and only the ligh[t]est babyish flush of hair now shades th[e] forehead.

Ladies who have small shawls of Frenc[h] or Spanish lace can utilize them as fichus b[y] gathering them up slightly upon the should[ers] and at the back, across the waist-line and belting them in over the points, fron[t] and back.

Though the popularity of the jersey bodice seems greatly to have subsided abroad, i[t] appears to find increasing favor with Ameri[can] ladies, it being too trim, compact an[d] comfortable to be abolished for a waist o[f] fewer desirable qualities.

Half-high bodices are coming rapidly in[to] favor for evening wear. They are cu[t] away about three inches from the neck a[ll] around, and are usually worn with lace, o[r] transparent, beaded sleeves, which reach t[o] the gloves that quite cover the elbows.

The most elegant collars are of sheer line[n] in a straight band, with a pattern of drawn work near one edge and Venetian lace turn[ed] up on the other edge. When the end[s] meet in front the lace is gathered very ful[l] and tied by narrow ivory-white satin ribbo[n] that gives the effect of a lace bow.

Ribbon in velvet, moire and satin is worn in the greatest profusion on dresses an[d] mantles as sashes, flat-bows for draping scarf[s] and tunics, papillon bows scattered ove[r] flounces and puffings, and loops pendant over kiltings, peeping from amid waves o[f] lace or forming the edge to bodice and tunic.

Some of the newly-imported polonaises are made with open bodices, square or heart-shaped, or in a long V, the point reaching to the belt. The opening is usually edged with a plaited ruching, or with embroidery or applique bands of beaded work. Underneath this opening is worn a plastron of velvet or chemisette of lace.

The newest fashion in Paris—that of wearing black underclothing—has become the furore amongst the women of the highest aristocracy. The undergarments like those of the eastern odalisques, are composed usually of silk, generally of what is called foulard des Indes. From head to foot the Parisian ladies appear, when divested of the outer robe, as just emerging from an ink bath—the stockings of black silk, the slippers of black velvet, the corsets of black satin, adorned with black lace, and the petticoats of black surah, filled around the bottom with a stiff mousse of black illusion or net.

The Upas Valley Story Exploded.

Another romantic tradition has been refuted, another thrilling illusion dispelled, by Dr. Otto Kuntz's discovery that the lethal capacities of Pakaraman, the renowned Javanese Death Valley, are as utterly fabulous as the Norwegian Kraaken or Richard of Gloucester hump. It is no longer permitted to us to believe that the effects of the subtle poison given off by the "Deadly Upas Tree" have bestrewn that dismal vale with countless carcasses of savage beasts, serpents, and birds, or that a certain death awaits any foolhardy traveller attempting to cross it; for the eminent German explorer has paid Pakamaran an exhaustive visit, and reports it to be as healthy as any other part of the island. In the way of corpses he did not see so much as a dead fly within its precincts. He describes it as a small circular depression in a gorge of the Dieng mountains, about seven square meters in size, and forlorn of vegetation. It is approached by two footpaths, winding downwards from the hills by which it is surrounded. By one of these paths Dr. Kuntze entered the death valley, despite the entreaties of his guides and servants, one of whom repeatedly strove to hold him back by force, and, having traversed Pakamaran in every direction, quitted it by the other path. The natives had assured him that he would find the valley choked up by skeletons, as even the swiftest birds flying above it would drop down stone-dead, slain by its poisonous exhalations. In vain, however, did he look about for a single bone: nor could he detect the least unpleasant odor. Dr. Kuntze pronounces Pakamaran to be an imposture, the off-spring of ignorance and superstition. Unable to dispute his sentence, we are bound, not altogether without regret, to relegate the death-dealing vale to the limbo of exploded myths.—*London Telegraph.*

A Brigand Adventure.

It was about seven o'clock p.m.,
Mr. Sartorio had left, that at a dista[nce of]
about 200 yards from the little stat[ion]
Sciara I perceived on the right-hand
gentleman, very well dressed, standi[ng]
[per]fectly still holding with his two h[ands a]
[wi]de sheet of paper, and by his sid[e]
ditch was his horse, which was bein[g held by a]
child. As the place where th[e]
[ma]n was standing was isolated, and
from any habitation, I natura[lly]
interested about him. On lookin[g]
[the] road, I saw on the left in a dee[p]
mounted policemen ready t[o]
on the road at the first signal. On
at the station where the train stop[ped]
only *pro forma*, as no passenger o[...]
in or out, I inquired of the porters e[...]
there if they had noticed anything
going on near there. They all made [...]
in a mysterious manner, placing their
the mouth, that I was to ask no quest[ions]
be silent. I soon plainly understood [...]
some ruse going on to arrest some [...]
I afterwards discovered that some[...]
had by a threatening letter dem[anded]
sum of 70,000 lire of the unfortu[nate]
[indi]vidual whom I had seen holding t[he]
Just as I was thinking it all over, I [...]
three beautiful horses further off i[n]
ditch in charge of a peasant, and [...]
two gentlemen elegantly dressed w[...]
and fro in a large field of clover,
their cigars as quietly as if they w[ere]
ing in some fashionable prome[nade]
lovely evening. Naturally what [...]
seen made me feel sure that I was [...]
one of those infamous and co[...]
trigues so common in Sicily, and w[...]
occur near large towns. I was
taken. I soon discovered the int[...]
tim was a gentleman of immense [...]
a large landowner, who had [...]
threatening letter demanding 7[...]
half in gold, the rest in paper.
amount was to be delivered a[...]
precisely to the person who w[...]
him and say in Italian, "Buona
tanta," which means "Goo[d]
Seventy." He with all necess[...]
tion informed the police, wh[o]
matters so well that they succ[eeded in ar]
resting the peasant sent to [...]
amount just as he was countin[g]
Finding himself a prisoner, sur[rounded by]
Caribineers, he made a clean br[east]
denouncing the two brigands
quietly smoking in the field a[...]
booty. They finding their [...]
return, hastily sped across the
nearest station, and arrived at [...]
next morning, little suspecting
be arrested. The next day w[...]
in Holy Week, and they were t[...]
ers at their lodgings, which [...]
a tailor, who little thought [...]
gers were. His consternati[on]
covering the fact may be be[tter imagined]
than described. In his evide[nce]
they were brothers, and very [...]
gious; that they had been to [...]
received absolution in the [...]
that they intended the next [...]
receive the Holy Communio[n]
were found fifteen images of d[...]
a fine portrait of Pope Pius I[X]
in banks notes, and in a back [...]
lodgings two terribly fierce [...]
men are still undergoing the [...]
law—well deserved.

Revenge!

Some years ago a man nam[ed ...]
in a certain New England to[wn ...]
sion being that of a school [...]
residence was a large, old-fa[shioned ...]
upon the front door of wh[ich ...]
door plate of considerable si[ze ...]
name, without prefatory init[ials]

WINES

One day, in the course of [...]
duties, it became necessary [...]
ance of order that he shoul[d ...]
fractory youth, which feat [...]
to the full conviction of the [...]
ing with the discipline he h[...]
malevolent small boy ponder[ed ...]
and at length arranged a p[lan ...]
lieved would result in contu[...]
bitterness of spirit to the tea[cher ...]
ly, the first convenient nigh[t ...]
master's house, and arrang[ed ...]
ous plate on the front door [...]
follows:

WINES
and other lick[...]

Whether the youth inten[ded ...]
a pun, or was as illiterat[e ...]
streperous, is unknown, [...]
opinion is said to have ge[...]
in the community which [...]
of his residence.—*Boston J[...]*

Submarine Tele[...]

The officer who has con[ducted ...]
experiments at Havre, wit[h ...]
lishing telephonic commu[nication ...]
vessels and the shore, has [...]
teresting report to the N[...]
Company, from which it [...]
operations have been atte[nded ...]
success. In spite of rou[gh ...]
cables were easily laid, a[...]
and offices in the town we[re ...]
munication with a vessel [...]
a mile distance from th[e ...]
Marie Christine Club. T[...]
appears, was very dist[inct ...]
whether by the aid of an [...]
apparatus. Some time l[...]
the wind gained strengt[h ...]
rolled considerably; but [...]
parties in communication [...]
distinctly heard. The [...]
telephony is expected to [...]
services to maritime com[...]
allow vessels arriving [...]
themselves immediately [...]
munication with their [...]
ashore.

A correspondent asks [...]
the year do the days [...]
When you have a note i[...]
annihilator of time. Th[...]
together in thin layers, [...]
like a smear from a blac[k ...]

There are two things [...]
to excite our gratitude. [...]
pens to us and from wh[...]
escape, and the thing fr[...]
escape because it don't [...]

[F]ASHION CHAT.

[W]hite Danish kid gloves of ... [len]gth are worn by bridesmaids.

[M]any rich dresses have velvet colla[rs] ... [cuf]fs and dispense with any white lace ... flesh.

[M]antles next Fall will all be lined ... [th]e bright color, gold, blue, red or ... [re]d will be preferred.

[T]he ready-made light woolen costumes ... [A]utumn wear are very attractive, both ... [qua]lity and in price.

[T]he new colors show many faded tape[stry sha]des, and it is the caprice of the season ... [al]l these new shades old.

[E]mbroidery will to a certain extent ... [p]rominent place in the higher grades ... [cou]tures imported for next season.

[C]rinoline is gradually becoming popul[ar] ... [bus]tles are worn quite large, giving an ... [swel]led expression to the entire skirt.

[S]ailor hats, trimmed with a wide band ... [ribb]on, with some upright loops at one side ... the latest revival for young ladi[es] ... [wea]r.

[A] singular fashion is that of wearing ... collars and cuffs of red embroidere[d] ... gold over walking jackets of cloth, ... [o]r stockinet.

[N]ew Parisian corsages show the fronts ... [b]asque continued into long panels, which ... nearly to the foot of the underskirt ... is a favorite style at present.

[St]raw fans brought from Tuscany are ... [accom]panied by a parasol of straw, and wo[rn with] white muslin dresses that have yellow ... or brown velvet ribbon ornaments.

[Th]e flatly folded scarfs worn by gentle[men] are much used by ladies with their Nor[folk] jackets and tailor-made cheviot dresses ... [Thos]e of foulard or pique are most liked fo[r the] present season.

[W]hite will be worn both for day and even[ing d]ress for many weeks to come, and ... [th]e dresses upon the promenade will be ... until the cold days of Autumn shall ... [rende]r this "hueless hue" inappropriate.

[In] the arrangement of the coiffure, heavy ... [bang]s, "Montagues," or thick rings of ... are now considered "bad form" by the ... fashionable people, and only the light ... [b]abyish flush of hair now shades the ... [for]ehead.

[La]dies who have small shawls of French ... [or Sp]anish lace can utilize them as fichus by ... [gathe]ring them up slightly upon the should[ers a]nd at the back, across the waist-line, ... [b]elting them in over the points, front ... [and b]ack.

[Alth]ough the popularity of the jersey bodice ... [seem]s greatly to have subsided abroad, it ... [appea]rs to find increasing favor with Ameri[can l]adies, it being too trim, compact and ... [com]fortable to be abolished for a waist of ... desirable qualities.

[Ha]lf-high bodices are coming rapidly in[to fav]or for evening wear. They are cut ... about three inches from the neck all ... [roun]d, and are usually worn with lace, or ... [trans]parent, beaded sleeves, which reach to ... [gl]oves that quite cover the elbows.

[Th]e most elegant collars are of sheer linen ... [st]raight band, with a pattern of drawn... near one edge and Venetian lace turn... on the other edge. When the ends ... [i]n front the lace is gathered very full ... [ti]ed by narrow ivory-white satin ribbon ... [g]ives the effect of a lace bow.

[Rib]bon in velvet, moire and satin is worn ... [th]e greatest profusion on dresses and ... [bow]es as sashes, flat-bows for draping scarfs ... tunics, papillon bows scattered over ... [ruch]es and puffings, and loops pendant ... [p]laitings, peeping from amid waves of ... [o]r forming the edge to bodice and tunic.

[So]me of the newly-imported polonaises are ... with open bodices, square or heart... [shape]d, or in a long V, the point reaching ... [th]e belt. The opening is usually edged ... a plaited ruching, or with embroidery ... [app]lique bands of beaded work. Under... this opening is worn a plastron of vel... chemisette of lace.

[The] newest fashion in Paris—that of wear[ing bl]ack underclothing—has become the fu[ror a]mongst the women of the highest aris[tocrac]y. The undergarments like those of ... [ea]stern odalisques, are composed usually ... generally of what is called foulard ... [In]dies. From head to foot the Parisian ... appear, when divested of the outer ... [a]s just emerging from an ink bath—the ... [stocki]ngs of black silk, the slippers of black ... the corsets of black satin, adorned ... black lace, and the petticoats of black ... filled around the bottom with a stiff ... of black illusion or net.

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A Brigand Adventure.

[It] was about seven o'clock p.m., after Sartorio had left, that at a distance of [abou]t 200 yards from the little station of [Car]ro I perceived on the right-hand side a [gent]leman, very well dressed, standing per[fectl]y still holding with his two hands a [larg]e sheet of paper, and by his side in a [ditc]h was his horse, which was being held [by a] child. As the place where this gen[tlema]n was standing was isolated, and a long [way] from any habitation, I naturally felt [ver]y interested about him. On looking down [th]e road, I saw on the left in a deep ditch [fou]r mounted policemen ready to jump [into] the road at the first signal. On arriving [at] the station where the train stopped, but [onl]y *pro forma*, as no passenger either got [in] or out, I inquired of the porters employed [the]re if they had noticed anything unusual [goi]ng on near there. They all made me a sign [in] a mysterious manner, placing their finger on [th]e mouth, that I was to ask no questions and [be] silent. I soon plainly understood there was [so]me ruse going on to arrest some brigands. [A]fterwards discovered that some banditti [ha]d by a threatening letter demanded a [su]m of 70,000 lire of the unfortunate indi[vi]dual whom I had seen holding the paper. [Ju]st as I was thinking it all over, I perceived [th]ree beautiful horses further off in another [d]itch in charge of a peasant, and near them [t]wo gentlemen elegantly dressed walking to [a]nd fro in a large field of clover, smoking [t]heir cigars as quietly as if they were walk[in]g in some fashionable promenade on a [lo]vely evening. Naturally what I had just [se]en made me feel sure that I was witnessing [o]ne of those infamous and cowardly in[tr]igues so common in Sicily, and which often [o]ccur near large towns. I was not mis[t]aken. I soon discovered the intended vic[ti]m was a gentleman of immense wealth and [a] large landowner, who had received a [t]hreatening letter demanding 70,000 lure, [h]alf in gold, the rest in paper. The entire [a]mount was to be delivered at 8 p. m. [p]recisely to the person who would go to [h]im and say in Italian, "Buona sera, Set[t]anta," which means "Good evening, Seventy." He with all necessary precau[t]ion informed the police, who managed matters so well that they succeeded in ar[r]esting the peasant sent to receive the amount just as he was counting the gold. Finding himself a prisoner, surrounded by Caribineers, he made a clean breast of it by denouncing the two brigands who were quietly smoking in the field awaiting their booty. They finding their man did not return, hastily sped across the field to the nearest station, and arrived at Palermo the next morning, little suspecting they would be arrested. The next day was Saturday in Holy Week, and they were taken prisoners at their lodgings, which were kept by a tailor, who little thought who his lodgers were. His consternation on discovering the fact may be better imagined than described. In his evidence he said they were brothers, and very quiet and religious; that they had been to confession and received absolution in the morning, and that they intended the next day to go and receive the Holy Communion. On them were found fifteen images of different saints, a fine portrait of Pope Pius IX., 7000 lire in banks notes, and in a back room at their lodgings two terribly fierce dogs. These men are still undergoing the penalty of the law—well deserved.

Revenge!

Some years ago a man named Wines lived in a certain New England town, his profession being that of a school teacher. His residence was a large, old-fashioned house, upon the front door of which appeared a door plate of considerable size, bearing his name, without prefatory initials, as follows:

WINES

One day, in the course of his pedagogical duties, it became necessary to the maintenance of order that he should chastise a refractory youth, which feat he accomplished to the full conviction of the offender. Smarting with the discipline he had received, this malevolent small boy pondered upon revenge, and at length arranged a plot which he believed would result in confusion of face and bitterness of spirit to the teacher. Accordingly, the first convenient night he went to the master's house, and arranged the conspicuous plate on the front door so that it read as follows:

WINES
and other lickers

Whether the youth intended to perpetrate a pun, or was as illiterate as he was obstreperous, is unknown, but the latter opinion is said to have generally prevailed in the community which claimed the honor of his residence.—*Boston Journal.*

Submarine Telephones.

The officer who has conducted the recent experiments at Havre, with a view to establishing telephonic communication between vessels and the shore, has addressed an interesting report to the National Telephone Company, from which it appears that the operations have been attended with complete success. In spite of rough weather, the cables were easily laid, and various persons and offices in the town were placed in communication with a vessel anchored at nearly a mile distance from the premises of the Marie Christine Club. The conversation, it appears, was very distinctly maintained, whether by the aid of an Ader or a Cropley apparatus. Some time later, it is stated, the wind gained strength, and the vessel rolled considerably; but the voices of the parties in communication were nevertheless distinctly heard. The new application of telephony is expected to render important services to maritime commerce, since it will allow vessels arriving off a port to place themselves immediately in direct communication with their owners or agents ashore.

A correspondent asks: "What time of the year do the days begin to shorten?" When you have a note in bank is the great annihilator of time. The days are crowded together in thin layers, and the nights are like a smear from a blacking brush.

There are two things which ought equally to excite our gratitude. The thing that happens to us and from which we have a lucky escape, and the thing from which we luckily escape because it don't happen to us.

ODDS AND ENDS.

There are only 2,370 miles of railway in Ireland, of which but 563 are double lines.

Why should the letter "a" be good for a deaf woman?—Because it makes her hear.

The net produce of the dog-tax in the year ending the 31st of March was £342,836 7s. 6d.

The average life of a sovereign is, it seems, seventeen years, and of the half-sovereign eleven years.

How very fortunate it is that everyone is able to believe that he has more than his share of brains.

Sweet Evelina, from the suffocating embrace of her lover, cried out, "Give me liberty or give me breath."

"A prudent man," says a witty Frenchman, "is like a hair-pin. His head prevents him from going too far."

The hardest rocks are made of the softest mud; just so the biggest swells are made from the smallest men.

Help others, and you relieve yourself. Go out and drive away the cloud from a distressed friend's brow, and you will return with a lighter heart.

In Greece the common people eat enormously of cheese, which can be bought in the form of a goat, the coagulated milk being formed in the skin.

A man is said to be absent-minded when he thinks he has left his watch at home, and takes it out of his pocket to see if he has time to return home to get it.

Words of praise are almost as necessary to warm a child into a genial life as acts of kindness and affection. Judicious praise is to children what the sun is to flowers.

During the season 1881-82 there were planted throughout England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales, on various estates, no fewer than 3,156,826 trees.

It is a grand good thing when a man gives up his course of dissipation and seriously settles down, but it is an equally grand thing when a man has a stroke of conscientiousness and honestly settles up.

California supplies more than half of the quicksilver consumed in the world. Only two countries of Europe produce quicksilver in sufficient quantities to deserve mention in a commercial respect—Spain and Austria.

Among the notes to the third chapter of his "History of England," Lord Macaulay alludes to the vulgar proverb that "the grey mare is the better horse," attributing its rise to the preference given in the 17th century to the grey mares of Flanders over the finest coach-horses of England.

Mrs. M'Coble, an Austin lady, rebuked her colored cook, Matilda Snowball, in the following words: "When I hired you, you said you didn't have any male friends, and now I find a man in the kitchen half the time." "Lo' bless you, he ain't no ma'e friend of mine." "Who is he, then?" "He am only my husband."

"Is Mr. Polyglot in?" inquired a collector with a look on his face which would remind a person of "dun" every time he glanced at it. "He is not, sur," replied the newly-engaged footman of Hibernian descent. "About what time will he be back?" said the man persistently. "Indade, sur, when he sends me down steers to say he's out, I can niver tell for surtin."

He that does not fill a place at home cannot abroad. He goes there only to hide his insignificance in a larger crowd. You do not think you will find anything there which you have not seen at home. The stuff of all countries is the same. What is true anywhere is true everywhere. And, let a man go where he will, he can find only so much beauty or worth as he carries.

One of the most exciting sports in Bombay is hunting the peacock, which is found in great numbers in the jungles. Peacock's eggs form a staple article of commerce in India. Curiously enough, the natives have an old proverb which they quote to peacock-hunters—"When you see the peacock, look out for the tiger;" for they declare that these two incongruous beings live in perfect harmony together.

President Washington never went to Congress on public business except in a stage-coach drawn by six cream-coloured horses. The coach was an object which would excite the admiration of the throng even now in the streets of London. It was built in the shape of a hemisphere, and its panels were adorned with Cupids surrounded with flowers worthy of Florida, and of fruit not to be equalled out of California. The coachman and postilions were arrayed in gorgeous liveries of white and scarlet.

Steam Wheels.

A new kind of steam engine has been recently patented in Austria by Professor Wellner, of Crunn. The so-called "steam wheel" (according to the account in the *Polytechnischer Journal*) consists of a simple water wheel, mostly immersed in hot water in a closed vessel. Steam is admitted at the lower part, and forces the cells of the wheel upward, producing rotation. The steam fills more and more of the cells on the rising side, and at length begins to escape into the steam space above the water. Steam may either be produced directly at the lower part, or conducted to the vessel from elsewhere. The upper tube for outlet of steam may lead either into the open air or into a condenser. The mechanical work consists in the ascent of the specifically lighter steam in the heavier liquid. These steam wheels may either be used as independent motors, or in connection with ordinary steam-engines; in the latter case the escape steam of one kind of machine is utilized for the other.

Neat.

Old Scotch gentleman sitting in a Toronto street car; a young lady enters and makes a rush for the topmost seat. The car starts rather suddenly; the young lady lands on the old gentleman's knee, blushing, and exclaiming, "Oh! I beg your pardon." Old G. "Dinna mention it, lassie; I'd rather hae ye sitting on my knee than standin' on ceremony."

We are told that "a Cincinnati society reporter has mysteriously disappeared, and foul play is suspected." The suspicion is justifiable. You can bet on a Cincinnati reporter's being guilty of foul play six days in a week.

What the Suez Canal Has Cost Egypt.

A correspondent writes to the *Times*:—At a time when the indebtedness of Egypt must interest a good many people, and when M. de Lesseps is vapouring about the canal as if the latter had been made entirely with the money of his shareholders, it may be of some interest to ask, "What has the Canal cost Egypt?" The figures are given below, and the following are a few remarks about them: 1. The sum of £16,000,000 was the calculation of a French banker in 1871, but was then considered in Alexandria not only as very moderate, but as much below the mark, because account had not been kept of the enormous extra interest—or rather discounts—paid by Ismail Pasha. The general opinion was that 20 millions would not cover the outlay. 2. Interests at 42 per cent. for three years is below the mark, as the discount at which most of the bonds negotiated through the Isthmus Canal Company were ceded was at and over 14 per cent. per annum. 3. The conversion of bonds into loan in 1873 gave the Egyptian Government certainly less than 65 per cent. the nominal figure. It was probably less than 63 per cent. 4. The interest on the loan since 1873 can, of course, be easily verified, but the 1873 loan did not clear the position, as money was taken up at 12 per cent. per annum—and more—as late as 1875 and running into 1876 and 1877. Nor is any allowance made for loss of time—for the enormous rates paid for occasional accommodation, for extravagant financing by sales of produce and storing of the same, which were the natural consequences of the embarrassment to which the Canal expenses had led. The account then stands thus, viz.:—Shares, indemnity; repurchase of land, festivities, 1869, interest thereon to the 1st of January, 1871, £16,000,000; three years' interest, 1871, 1872, 1873, at 43 per cent., £6,720,000—£22,720,000. Converted into loan in 1873, at certainly not over 65 per cent., £35,000,000; interest thereon 1874-7, four years at 7 per cent., and compound interest thereon, but say 28 per cent., £9,800,000—£44,800,000. Interest 1878, 5 per cent.; ditto, 1879, 4 per cent.; ditto, 1880, 4 per cent.; ditto, 1881, 4 per cent., with compound interest, but say 17 per cent.—£7,616,000. A very moderate estimate thus comes to 52½ millions sterling; but others—careful and well-informed people—making allowances as mentioned above, bring the cost to 70 millions. Perhaps some one will sum up the advantages, direct or indirect, of the Canal to Egypt. Would it amount to more than an increase in political importance and—the present war? Another interesting subject would be, "What Turkey has cost Egypt," say from the time of Said Pasha. If even half the probable amount could be arrived at, it would be more than enough to explain the horror with which those acquainted with Egypt view the occupation of that country by Turkish troops even for a limited period, and even if in cooperation with, and under the guidance of this country.

The Grateful Clam.

Newspapers in the west and south have of late enjoyed a monopoly of remarkable stories of snakes and other desirable specimens of natural history. That the north may not be left behind in this respect let us consider the moral teachings which are presented by the summer boarder and the fresh-water clam. Three years ago the boarder in question, while straying along the bed of a stream that had been left partially bare by excessive drought, discovered lying upon the sand, a conchiferous bivalvular mollusk—vulg. clam—which seemed to be in the last gasp from exhaustion and thirst. The kind-hearted stranger, pitying the sore strait of the unhappy bivalve, at once took it up and cast it into a deep part of the stream, and then went his way, speedily forgetting the incident. A week ago, however, as he was enjoying his vacation, and, sitting near the spot where the above-described event took place, he perceived a clam laboriously climbing out of the water and dragging itself over the sand. Arrived, with much exertion, at the feet of the amazed observer, the clam opened its shell and disclosed a pearl as large as a hazelnut, which the gentleman did not hesitate to appropriate. Thereupon the clam, smiling clear way round to its back hinge, returned to the water and disappeared with a gurgle of satisfaction. This affecting incident, besides showing that even the humblest works of creation are capable of noble emotions, teaches us the fine moral that we should always be kind to animals, in which respect it is much to be preferred to the southern and western yarns, referred to, which seem devised simply to entertain the minds of the frivolous, and convey no edifying lesson to all.—*Boston Journal.*

About Spectacles.

Those who are compelled to wear spectacles are often the victims of a good deal of personal ridicule nowadays; but time was when it was considered fashionable to wear them, by people who were not in the least near-sighted. In Spain they formed part of the costume of every well-bred person. This absurd use of glasses was meant to increase the gravity of the appearance, and consequently the veneration with which the wearer of them was regarded. A young monk having through the assistance of his family, caused his convent to succeed in an important lawsuit, thought himself liberally rewarded when the prior, having embraced him, said, to testify his gratitude: "Brother, put on spectacles!" The glasses of spectacles were proportioned in size to the rank of the wearer; those worn by the Spanish nobles were nearly three inches in diameter. The Marquis of Astorga, Viceroy of Naples, after having his bust sculptured in marble, particularly enjoined the artist not to forget his beautiful spectacles.

A Possible Thing.

An eccentric Scotch Laird has left his property, worth $500,000 to his servants. We never hear of a servant leaving $500,000 to his employer, but in this country such a thing would possible, if the servant was engaged one season at a summer-resort hotel.

The Rothschilds' Poor Relations.

Baron Wilhelm Rothschild, of Frankfort, returned his last year's income at $1,197,000, while his brother, Baron Meyer Carl, returned $1,140,000. They are the "poor relations" of the Paris Rothschilds.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

FIVE MINUTES' SELECT READING.

Summary of Foreign, Domestic and War Items—Concise, Pithy and Pointed.

DOMESTIC.

The Thunder Bay branch of the Canadian Pacific railway is now opened for traffic.

General Rosser has been appointed Chief Engineer of the Hudson Bay Railway Company.

It is foreshadowed that an early general election in the Province of Manitoba will take place.

Action has been taken against Mr. Hunter, the defaulting Montreal notary, who is now in the United States.

While baggageman John Woodman was coupling a car to a locomotive at Burlington he was badly crushed.

Two men were arrested on Main street, Winnipeg, suspected of being the culprits in the Merchants' Bank robbery.

Great damage was committed throughout the Province, by the wind storm and lightning.

H. M. screw gun vessel Phœnix, one of the North American squadron, is ashore on the east cost of Prince Edward's Island.

Acting on the decision of his bishop an Anglican Church minister of Quebec refused to unite a resident with the sister of his deceased wife.

A young woman of 21, named Julia Letellier, of Levis, jumped from a third story window while in a fit of epilepsy and has sustained injuries likely to prove fatal.

UNITED STATES.

At Rochester the Baptist church was struck by lightning recently and badly wrecked.

Prof. Barnard discovered a bright come, the other morning near the star Lambdat Gemini constellation.

Engineer Melville, Moros and Ninderman, of the Jeannette, and Lieutenant Berry, of the Rodgers, have arrived in New York.

Engineer Melville received a grand ovation at the City Hall, New York, the other day, 2,000 citizens paying their respects to him.

At Pittsburg, puddlers and muck rollers decided to offer the manufacturers to compromise at $5.75 per ton for puddling. If refused the strike will continue.

During the Star Route trial, affidavits were found in the Department of Justice asserting that Wm. Brown, the colored man who held out for the acquittal of Brady and Dorsey, received a bribe in the three card monte case tried just before the Star Route case.

Congratulatory despatches from her Majesty upon her safe arrival, and the British victory at Tel-el-Kabir awaited the Princess Louise at San Francisco. An address of welcome from the British societies at San Francisco was presented to the Governor-General.

GENERAL.

Emil Plantamour, a Swiss astronomer, is dead at Geneva, aged 67.

The report of the death of Finegan, late member of Parliament for Ennis, was untrue.

An attempt has been made to murder two Irish farmers who purchased hay from the holding of an evicted tenant.

A hurricane recently destroyed the iron pavilion connected with the Exhibition building at Trieste. Many exhibits were damaged.

The Duke of Westminister, Archbishop of Dublin, Archbishop of York, Holman Hunt, R. A.; James Anthony, French historian; Sir John Gilbert, A. R. A.; General Rawlinson, Sir. E. J. Reed, M. P.; Edmund Yates, and Thomas Hughes have joined the committee on the Longfellow memorial.

Vulgar Habits.

Asking questions private and personal is a vulgar habit; and telling your own business, which no one wants to hear, is another. Asking the cost of a present that has been made to you, loud talking in public, hard staring at table, insolent disrespect to husband, wife, sister, or brother, showing temper in trifles, and making scenes in public, showing an embarrassing amount of fondness or making love in public, covert sneers of which people can see the *animus* if they do not always understand the drift; persistent egotism which talks forever of itself and cannot even feign the most passing interest in another, detraction of friends and it may be of relatives, a husband telling of his unpleasantness, a wife complaining of her husband's faults, the bold assumptions of superiority and the servile confession of infinite unworthiness—all these are signs and evidences of vulgarity—vulgarity of a far worse type than that which eats its fish with a steel knife, and says "You was," and "Each of the men were."

A Human Beanstalk.

Jean Condoist has been brought to Paris as a medical curiosity from the Haute Caone. According to a medical contributor to a Parisian contemporary, this youth, aged 19, took a start on the 17th of May, 1881, being then six feet three inches high, and found one morning that he had grown an inch. Every week since then he registered himself, and on the 14th of September this human beanstalk had gained nearly five inches; he grew five inches more before the 20th of Janury, 1882, and seven more before March 15th, and he now stands 7 feet 10 inches. All this has been accompanied by great pains in the back, and he stoops considerably; but since last June it is his legs only that have grown, and his feet are already twenty-four inches long.—*From the Pall Mall Gazette.*

Lieut. Harber reported from Yakutak, June 22nd, that he hoped to reach a hut near the centre Lena delta on the 3rd of July, establish a provision depot there, and immediately commence the search for Lieut. Chipp's party.

PIE.

BY A SMALL BOY.

A pie as a part of speech is a pronoun, as it stands in the place of a noun, but very objective, most always neuter, unless too old, and agrees with any person who is not sick.

They are generally round one way and very flat the other. When they are cut they assume a triangular shape, until they are eaten, and then we don't know what shape they have. They are about the only three-cornered articles of food we have—except beech-nuts.

A three-cornered piece of pie is about as convenient a thing to eat as one ever closed teeth on, and licked one's lips afterwards. That is sharp end foremost. The only trouble is you don't know when to bite it off; for the mouth naturally widens as the wedge goes in. The composition of pies is dough and something else—what that something else is or should be has never been definitely settled.

"Punkin" pie had a great run. Probably at one time they were the most popular pie afloat. It is said—and we can't doubt the veracity of the statement—that Robinson Crusoe made the first punkin pies. Don't know what he made them of, but will write and ask him. It is taken for granted that Friday made them out of cocoanuts and eel-grass, as that was quite a favorite dish with his forefathers; but they have given it up since they took to eating the missionaries.

I have seen punkin pies made out of apples that I liked very much. I remember one I saw once; it was not a very large pie, but it was got up in great style. It was made on a white plate with a blue edge. The under-crust was made of dough, and was very thin; the inwards were just lovely. They were made of what is called mincemeat and a little sugar sprinkled over it. The top or upper crust was made out of dough rope-yarn, laid across like the slats of a bed. Oh, it looked lovely. Around the edge was a hoop of dough laid partly over the edge of the plate, and about an inch on the fragmentary meat. It was ornamented around the outer part of the hoop with an impression made by pressing it all over with a set of false teeth before it was baked. It was a great appetizer, you better believe! They sacrificed it at a tea-shine, and it sold readily at four cents a triangle, cash on delivery.

There are a great many people who like pies, but seldom eat them, unless 'tis because they can't get them. I don't think the common apple pie is very hard to make; for I made one once out of cranberries, and all who tasted it said it was very nice. I tasted the most of it myself. I know one boy who was very fond of pies, in fact rather than do without them he would hook them from his mother-in-law, if he had one, but he hadn't. Anyway he was awful fond of them; he was very apt to take a bite out of one if it was in his way. One day there was a pie made on purpose for him, and put in his way, and he put it out of his own way and everybody else's. I never liked cayenne pepper since; it's too warm.

Tarts are pies' children, and I'm fond of children, that is *tart* children. I can eat tarts with my eyes shut, and never wink half an eye full. It is said that mince pies made out of rhubarb will give you the night-mare, but if anybody will provide the minces, I will willingly risk the mares,

Once I read of a pie that had two dozen dark colored birds in it, and after it was baked and opened the birds were not dead hardly a little bit, for they began to sing melodiously. It was set before the King. History does not say whether he ate the pie or not, after the birds flew away into the next yard; but I suppose he did, if he was hungry. I would have eaten it.

A Boy on Bankruptcy.

Says the London *Telegraph*:—While one of the Bosnian delegates who waited on the Emperor Franz Josef at the Hofburg a few weeks ago was staying in Vienna, the owner of the hotel in which he lodged became a bankrupt. Hearing of his host's mishap, the worthy Bey sought an explanation of the term "bankruptcy," and having thoroughly mastered its meaning, proceeded on his return to his native village, to impart his information to his near relatives and close family connections. "This, O my brothers, he observed, "is the true and proper way to become a bankrupt. First you must hire a shop, then you write to rich merchants in far-distant cities, inviting them to forward their wares to you for sale and pledging yourself to pay for them within a few months. As soon as you shall have received sufficient merchandise you must sell it for cash or hide it carefully away. Then must you go to the judge and say to him, 'Beloved of Allah! I am a bankrupt. Here are five pounds: They are all I have in the world:' the judge will keep four of the five pounds and proclaim your bankruptcy; the other pound will be divided among those who supplied you with goods. Latter on you will remove to another town and begin this good and easy business over again. Thus may the passing bitterness of insolvency be converted into the abiding sweetness of a comfortable independence. Be chesm! Upon my head be it!"

Meaning of the Word "Cottage."

To most persons the word "cottage" carries merely the idea of a small house, as distinguished from a large one. But, legally, a very clearly-defined meaning attaches to the expression. In the 4 Edward I., cap. 1, a cottage is described as a house without land belonging to it. By the later statute 31 Elizabeth, cap. 7, her Majesty's lieges were forbidden to build houses unless they were surrounded by at least four acres of land; hence, properly speaking, a cottage is any small house without four acres, or without any land at all.

Armed bands Arabians attacked the Montenegrins near Podgoritza on the 3rd, 5th and 8th instant. The Montenegrins addressed a protest to the Porte and requested the intervention of the Powers which signed the Berlin treaty.

The Emperor William attended the parade of the Sixth Army Corps in Breslau recently, and returned in excellent health after three hours in saddle.

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Last Saturday Willie Gilkinson, son of Mr. John Gilkinson, was kicked in the face by a horse while hitching up a team. He received a severe cut, but luckily not in a vital place.—*Monitor.*

A REMARKABLE CASE

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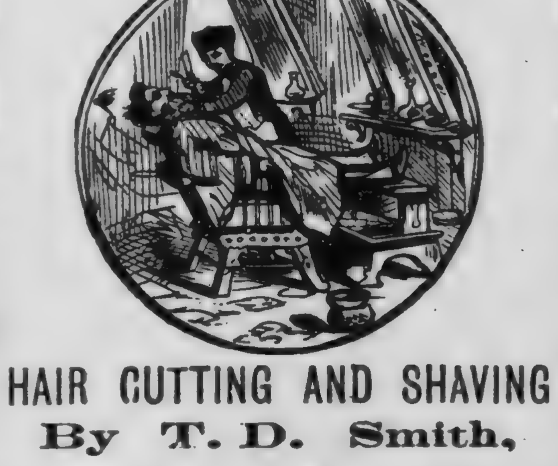

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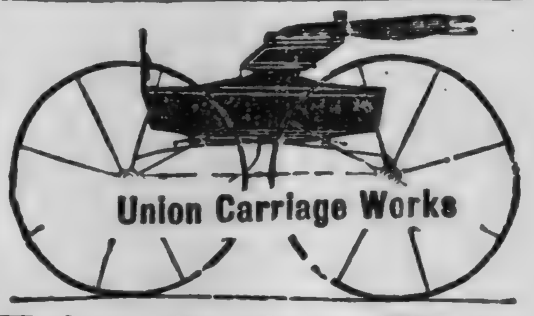

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CHATSWORTH.

(From our own correspondent.)

Mr. James McCaulay, plasterer, about two miles south of here, claims that he cradled three acres of wheat in two hours and fifty minutes, bound it in four hours and thirty minutes, and drew in four acres of grain the same day.

Mr. A. Bannerman, of concession 3, Sullivan, delights in a corn stalk 10 ft. 8 inches in height, and Mr. John McKenzie is prepared to bet on a pea vine carrying 32 pods.

Mr. James Kelly, Mr. McGill's teamster, whilst on his way from Bagnor here on Monday of last week during the thunder storm received a partial stroke of lightning, which for a time rendered him insensible. When he came to he found the horses on a gallop and one of them covered on the side with mud, no doubt having been knocked down by the flash.

From a great number of inquiries it appears that spring wheat in this section is so badly rusted and blighted as to be almost a total failure.

[The above correspondence was mislaid and should have appeared several weeks ago.]

FLESHERTON STATION.

Three head of cattle were killed on the railway track at Malcolm Kennedy's crossing on Wednesday night, the 20th, two of which belonged to Noble Arnold and the other to Frank Cairns.

Six cars of live stock were shipped from here during two days last week.

Grain buying has commenced here.

The STANDARD has improved very much.

HOLLAND CENTRE.

Holland Council met at Vogan's Hall on Sept. 20th, 1882.

Deputy Reeve in the chair. Councillors Norton, Shute and Deavitt present.

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Moved by Messrs. Norton and Shute, that lot south half 10, con. 9, and lot part 21, con. 3, (1 acre) S. E. pt. 43, con. 1, E. T. S R., lot 31, con. 3, 1 E. T. S. R. be withdrawn from sale and to place the taxes against S.E. pt 43 con. 1, against S. E. pt. 42, con. 1, and the taxes against 31, con. 3, against lot 31 con. 2.

Moved by Messrs, Shute and Deavitt, that orders be granted for Messrs. McDonald, Haddon and McGill.

Moved by Messrs. Shute and Deavitt that the road inspector be instructed to put culvert in near Tanny on the Toronto line.

Moved by Messrs. Deavitt and Shute that Mr. Love get an order for clearing road allowance opposite his own place.

Moved by Messrs. Norton and Shute that a levy of 8 mills on the $ be struck on all the rateable property of the township, real and personal, to defray the expenses of the township,

Moved by Messrs. Deavitt and Norton that Rich. Shute be re-appointed collector at a sallary of $90, and that a by-law be prepared to that effect.

Moved by Messrs. Norton and Shute that $10 be given towards a township plowing match.

Moved by Messrs. Shute and Deavitt that Rich. Shute be paid the sum of $1.70 for yesterday's court at Chatsworth, township vs Campbell, money orders to the amount of $1.65 were granted.

Council adjourned till 28th day of Oct.

CARSON PRICE, Clerk.

The populacion of Egypt is 5,515,627.

The debt owed by Egypt to England and France is $5,000,000.

We are glad to learn that the sidewalk is to be completed to the station.

RE-OPENED.—Very successful meetings were held at the re-opening of the Baptist Church, North Glenelg, which took place a short time ago. The Rev. Mr. Dunlop, of Durham, preached in the morning, Rev. Mr. Fraser in the afternoon, and Mr. Boyle, Student of Knox College, in the evening. The church was filled on each occasion, and about $25 taken up at the collections. We believe arrangements are being made to secure regular services now that the church has been made comfortable.

A party, among whom was Mr. Dundas, of this village, in making a search for lost bodies by the late disaster, found the body of Mr. A. Duncan, Mr. Dundas' employer. In his pockets were found two tickets for the "Asia," a gold watch, a ring with the name A. Duncan enscribed on it, a small memorandum book containing his name, two coins, a commercial traveller's ticket, and $53 in bills. The body was in an advanced state of decomposition, so much so that it could not be recognized by the features. It was packed in ice and brought home.

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From the London Times.

Great England put her armour by, and stretch'd
Her stately limbs to slumber in the sun.
The nations, seeing then how long she slept,
Commun'd together, and in whispers said:
"Lo! She is old and tired; let us steal
The crown from off her brows. She will not know!"
And Goneril and Regan, over the seas,
Mocking her, cried: "Her time is past. Her blood
Is sluggish, and her rusted sword from out
Her scabbard she will draw no more! And so
Thus gibing, flung with cruel hands the seeds
Of discord and of hate amidst her sons.
But from the East there came a blast too loud,
As from the West there came a taunt too much,
And she, awaking, rais'd her head, and saw
Around her all her faithless friends, and all
Her sisters and her children jeering her,
And crying, "She is old!" and meting out
Her lands among themselves, and parcelling
Her honor. Then, swift as lightning flashes
From the blue skies, her glance of scorn fell on them,
And they crouch'd, like wolves that are o'ermastered.
England stretch'd out her hand, and touch'd the world—
England arose, and spake, and calmly said:
"Nay! I am mistress still."

OUIDA.

THE FISHERWOMAN OF HONFLEUR.

A TALE OF THE FRENCH COMMUNE.

CHAPTER IV.—CONTINUED.

At the moment of the prefet's arrival with Madeleine, the General was seated at a table in his bureau which was strewn with documents. A commissionaire entered the room. "For Monsieur le General!" he said, presenting a long folded paper.

The General glanced at the document. "It is well, You may go, There is no answer needed," he said to the commissionaire. Then addressing his secretary, who was writing at a table near by, he said: "The Government is determined to keep us busy, Lagrange. Seventeen fresh arrests of Communists this morning," reading from the document.

The commissionaire reappeared.

"Well, sir, what now?" said the General.

"Monsieur le Sous-prefet wishes to see your Excellency."

"Monsieur le Sous-prefet! Show him up instantly. Was there need to annouce *his* visit?"

"Some fresh intelligence, I presume," he went on, addressing the secretary, as the sous-prefet, closely followed by the shrinking, trembling Madeleine, entered the office.

"I hope Monsieur le General, I do not intrude, in visiting you at so early an hour?" said the prefet.

"Intrude! My good friend you are welcome at all hours!" replied the General. "Pray, be seated. I was just saying to Lagrange, when you were announced, that the Government is determined to keep us busy. Seventeen fresh arrests this morning in my department: and sixteen scoundrels, whom we tried this morning, will be sent on their long last journey to-day at noon. We make quick work of it! The emissaries of the government—call them spies, traitors, what you will—are active. They are a pack of mean, contemptible rascals, no doubt. But at such times as the present they are a necessary evil. One Lucien Pierrot—the best bloodhound of the pack, and as base a villain, I believe, as ever drew breath—has alone denounced sixty Communists! 'Twould not be amiss, when the work is done, to send the fellow to Hades, to keep company with the wretches he has hunted to death. But he is an active, useful scoundrel withal—— Ha, ha! Whom have we here!"—catching sight of Madeleine, who had crouched down behind the sous-prefet—"A fair follower of yours, eh? But do not tremble, little one. We are ne er harsh with the fair sex."

Madeleine shuddered, and her heart sank in her bosom. It seemed to her as if she heard her husband's doom pronounced in the harsh voice of the General, who could jest while he spoke of shedding the blood even of misguided and evil-minded men.

"Monsieur le Gener l," said the sous-prefet, "this poor woman is the unhappy young wife of the Honfleur fisherman Antoine Duroc, who was among the prisoners tried by court-martial this morning and sentenced to be shot. Monsieur, there is every reason to believe that the poor man is innocent, and that he is the victim of the wretched spy, Lucien Pierrot, of whom you spoke just now——"

Instantly the bearing of the Gene al underwent a change. "Antoine Duroc!" he exclaimed, interrupting the prefet, in a stern tone of voice. "Ha! I recollect the man; a fine-looking, intelligent, determined young fellow—one of those men who gain influence over the ignorant, poverty-stricken wretches who comprise the great majority of the Communists, and urge them to pillage and murder, and finally to their own destruction. I am amazed, Monsieur, to hear *you*, of all men, raise a voice in behalf of a condemned Communist—you, whose official position must have taught you that the greatest criminals are, as a rule, loudest in their protestations of innocence. The man Duroc, however, confessed his guilt, and even appeared to feel proud of the part he had taken in freeing a suspected man from arrest. It is such men as Duroc that are most to be feared, and who are most deserving of punishment.

"Monsieur le General," replied the prefet, "Duroc's confession—of which I have heard—goes far, in my opinion, to prove his innocence of the other charges preferred against him. The poor fellow believed the prisoner under arrest—a mere lad—to be innocent; and actuated by the generous impulse of the moment, he set the prisoner free. The assertion that Duroc is a Communist is certainly untrue. The young man, who was never in Paris until a day or two ago, does not know the meaning of the term, and has never troubled his head about any political questions. This fact I can prove by means of a letter from Monsieur le Maire of Honfleur, who has known the honest young fisherman from his boyhood. If you, Monsieur, will read the letter I have received, and will hearken to the story of Duroc's heart-broken young wife"——

"I will read nothing—hearken to nothing, Monsieur," interrupted the General, who had listened with angry impatience to the speech of the prefet. "The man has been proved guilty; he is a dangerous fellow. I cannot reconsider his case. Besides, even if he had been wrongly sentenced, which I do not believe, there is no time to make further inquiry into the matter. It is now ten o'clock. At noon, two hours hence, the sentence of the court-martial, will be carried out——"

A wild cry of anguish from Madeleine, who gave way to despair on hearing her husband's doom thus carelessly alluded to, interrupted the remarks of the General. She would have sunk down to the floor had not the prefet supported her in his arms. But instantly recovering from the faintness that was stealing over her, she threw herself on her knees before the stern arbiter of her husband's fate, and tearfully entreated him to listen to her story.

"Rise, rise, young woman," said the General, though with less sternness in his voice. "It is useless to kneel to *me*. I cannot hearken to such appeals. Were I to hearken to one, I must hearken to others. Besides, as I have told you, it is too late to interfere with a sentence which I believe to have been justly pronounced." He attempted to assist the weeping young woman to her feet; but heedless of this attempt, Madeleine still kneeling, proceeded to tell the story of the cruel threats and persecutions of Lucien Pierrot; and the General, in spite of himself, was compelled to listen to the tale. She told how it happened that her husband had come to Paris only a few days after his return from a long voyage; that, having heard of the troubles in Paris, she had dreaded some evil would befall him, and had urged him to return as soon as possible, ending by declaring, in words which her earnest and passionate love made eloquent, that the simple-hearted fisherman was incapable of intentional-wrong doing.

The stern General, who listened impatiently at first, gradually became interested in the weeping wife's story, until at length he began to think that the young fisherman might after all possibly be innocent. He read the mayor's letter, which he had hitherto declined to notice, and became more evidently convinced that Madeleine had told the truth, and that her husband was the victim of Lucien Pierrot's designs.

"Rise, young woman," he said in a gentle voice, as he assisted the weeping girl to her feet. "I——"

There was a stir outside the office, and the next moment, a commissionaire, breathless with haste, entered the room. "Pardon, Monsieur le General," gasped the commissionaire, as he handed to the General an official-looking document. "I bring a letter of utmost importance from Monsieur le Docteur Veron, Medecin en Chef at the Hospital Beaujou."

The General opened the letter, glanced over it, and then read aloud as follows:

MONSIEUR LE GENERAL BEAUMONT—I have to acquaint your Excellency that Lucien Pierrot, the denouncer and the chief witness against the fisherman Antoine Duroc, who was tried by court-martial this morning, was assassinated by some person, whose friend he had hunted to his doom, almost immediately after he quitted the court. He lived only a few minutes; but during that interval he he confessed that, actuated by a craving for revenge, he had sworn falsely against the man Duroc, whom he now declared to be innocent of all the charges preferred against him, save that of rescuing a prisoner whom he belived to be innocent. The spy—pity that the government is compelled to employ such wretches—died in great agony, entreating with his last breath that his confession should be instantly conveyed to Monsieur the President of the court-martial.

(Signed),

HENRI VERON, HOPITAL BEAUJOU.

"Thank heaven! My husband's innocence is proved!" exclaimed Madeleine, upraising her clasped hands.

"Save that he rescued from arrest a suspected criminal, Madame," said the General. "But I believe that your husband acted in that instant under an impulse of the moment. Yet, I know not how to act. His pardon must be granted by government, and there is no time to make the necessary application. At all events, I will take it upon myself to stay your husbend's execution, and will take the necessary steps to have the pardon ratified afterwards. But I fear it is even now too late. The prison of La Roquette is far distant; it is now past ten o'clock, and at noon the sentence of the court-martial will be carried out."

CHAPTER, V.

"O, Monsieur, in mercy's sake delay not an instant!" cried Madeleine.

The General drew forth a printed document, at the head of which the word "Pardon" was conspicuous in huge letters. He inserted the name of Antoine Duroc, and hastily signed his own name to the parchment. "I have taken a great deal upon myself, young woman," he said as he handed the document to Madeleine, "But hasten with this pardon to the prison. Lose no time or you will arrive too late. If, on your arrival, the prisoners have been removed, hasten to present the pardon to the officer in command of the firing-party —— Yet stay—you know not the way about Paris."

"My carriage is in waiting, Monsieur le General," said the prefet. "My coachman will drive the young woman to the prison. I will accompany her thither."

"It is unnecessary, Monsieur le Sous-prefet," said the General. "A commissionaire from this bureau shall accompany her. He will know how to proceed."

A commissionaire was called, and instructed to present the pardon of Antoine Duroc to the chief jailor of La Roquette, or to the officer in command of the firing-party. But Madeleine insisted upon being herself the bearer of her husband's pardon, and received the document from the commissionaire. Then, bewildered between excess of joy, mingled with doubt and fear lest she should arrive too late, she followed the commissionaire without waiting to express her thanks to the General.

The sous-prefet assisted her into the carriage, and wished her success; and then bade his coachman drive with all possible speed to La Roquette.

At length the prison of La Roquette was reached. The commissionaire alighted from the vehicle, and ringing the large bell, demanded to see the chief jailor. But on stating his errand, he was informed that the condemned prisoners had already been marched to the place of execution. "But there is yet time," added the jailor. "They have but just left. It is now half-past eleven o'clock. You have half an hour to spare, and the *fosse* is not far distant. But Madame must alight from the carriage and walk. The road is impassable to vehicles of any description."

On hearing these words, Madeleine sprang from the carriage, and conducted by the commissionaire, hurried breathlessly on. "You know the shortest road, Monsieur Commissionaire," she said. "For heaven's sake, hasten on!"

The commissionaire nodded assent. But he was a comparative stranger to that part of the city, and he soon missed his way. Leaving Madeleine, in a fever of dread and impatience, he went into a shop to inquire the way to the Place Voltaire. To the anxious girl he appeared to be so long absent, that she hastened after him. She found the shop after two or three inquiries; but when she reached it, the commissionaire had quitted it to return to her, and had missed her. The streets were thronged with people. Madeleine, almost crazed with dread, passed amongst them, inquiring her way of one and then of another, but the directions she received only served further to bewilder her, and she wandered further and further astray. A church clock near by chimed the quarters. Madeleine listened breathlessly. "Three quarters!" she cried in a paroxysm of fear; "only a quarter of an hour to spare! I shall be too late!"

She had turned into a by-street, which was almost deserted. Two working-men, carrying the tools necessary to their trade, were approaching her. They were the only individuals in the narrow street. As they drew near, she entreated them to guide her to the *fosse* where the prisoners were to be executed. Her quaint garb was calculated to attract attention in Paris, and the men supposed her to be a country girl who had come to the city on a holiday visit.

"What would'st *thou* do at the *fosse?*" asked one of the men. "Is it a pleasure to thee to see poor, miserable, starving wretches shot down like dogs, because they demand a share of the wealth and food that of right belongs alike to all?" The man was hurrying on in disgust, when his companion remarked Madeleine's wild and distracted look.

"Perchance, Adolphe," said he, "the poor girl has reason to ask the way to the *fosse*. Maybe some friend or lover is doomed to be shot at noon. She looks as though she were crazed with grief."

"Nay, then—Is it so young woman? Dost thou wish to see the last of some unfortunate friend or relation? Whence comest thou?" asked the man Adolphe.

"I am a fisherwoman of Honfleur, Messieurs," replied Madeleine. "My husband has been falsely accused, and unjustly condemned to die. I bear his pardon, and have lost my way. I fear that I shall arrive too late! As you may some day crave for mercy, Messieurs, take pity upon me, and guide me to the spot. See, here is my husband's pardon;" and she drew forth the precious document from her bosom and held it before the two men.

"Poor woman! Thou art coming away from the Place Voltaire, where the *fosse* is situated," said the man who had spoken last. "Thou has little time indeed to spare. But come with us; we will guide thee thithier." The men turned and quickened their steps, and Madeleine breathlessly followed them.

Meanwhile, the commissionaire, on leaving the shop, could see nothing of the young woman whom he had told to wait his return. He hurried to and fro, and inquired for a young woman dressed in fisherman's costume; but all in vain. "Perhaps," thought he, "the young woman has gone on to the *fosse* by herself, being too impatient to wait for me."

At all events, he thought the wisest plan would be to hasten on; and if the young woman had not arrived when he reached the spot, to inform the officer in command of the troops that the prisoner Antoine Duroc was pardoned. It wanted but three minutes to twelve o'clock when he reached the *fosse*, around which a great crowd had assembled, and in which—their backs placed against a low mound—the doomed prisoners had already drawn up. Approaching a young lieutenant, who was coolly smoking a cigar, as he paced leisurely to and fro, the commissionaire informed the young officer that a pardon had been granted to Antoine Duroc, one of the condemned prisoners, and begged him to stay the man's execution.

"Where is the pardon you speak of?" asked the officer. "Produce it."

"I do not have it with me," replied the commissionaire; and then told how he had missed the young woman who was the wife of the pardoned man, and who carried the pardon in her bosom.

"You missed the young woman after you and she alighted from the carriage of Monsieur le Sous-prefet de Police?" said the officer. "A likely story is it not? Are you crazed, man, that you imagine the execution will be stayed at the bidding of the sous-prefet? Or is this some trick to gain time? Do you see yonder clock? The minute hand points at two minutes to twelve. At twelve o'clock I shall give the order to fire."

There was much jealousy existing at this period between the civil and military authorities, in consequence of the supreme authority being for the time in the hands of the latter; and when the commissionaire spoke of the Sous-prefet de Police, the young officer seized the opportunity to snub the police authorities.

"You will repent it, Monsieur Lieutenant, if you do not delay," replied the commissionaire, "The pardon is signed by Monsieur le General Beaumont, by whom I was directed to guide the young woman to this spot, that she might deliver to you her husband's pardon with her own hands."

"Signed by whom?" asked the lieutenant.

The commissionaire repeated the name of the General.

"Monsieur le Capitaine!" called the lieutenant to another officer who was standing a short distance off.

The captain approached, and the two officers conferred together. They decided that they would at all events delay the execution for five minutes.

"Then I shall give the order to fire," said the captain. "I transgress my duty even in delaying five minutes, unless the pardon is produced."

The church clock struck the hour of noon. The prisoners, when the first stroke sounded, were seen to shudder, and a low murmur was audible amongst the spectators; but Antoine Duroc, though his face was pale, stood firm and erect, awaiting his doom, while the greater number of the other prisoners appeared to be completely cowed. The handsome, manly appearance of the young fisherman, contrasting so remarkably with the miserable creatures who were doomed to die with him, had attracted the notice of many of the spectators, especially among the females. But they were not generally moved to pity. It appeared rather as if they regarded it as a novelty—a fresh attraction to see a handsome young man doomed to share the fate of the other prisoners, and yet so different from the generality of the wretched Communists who, almost every day, were doomed to death.

When, however, the last stroke of twelve had sounded and the order to fire was withheld, the low murmur amongst the spectators increased to a cry of anger and complaint. "Why do not the soldiers fire!" they asked of another. "What is the cause of delay? Are we to wait all day long?" And when it was whispered amongst them that a pardon had arrived for one of the doomed men—and it was suspected that the favored individual was the handsome young fisherman Duroc—they betrayed manifest signs that they considered themselves defrauded of a portion of the spectacle that they had assembled to witness. At length the five minutes of delay expired. The order was given to the soldiers to fall into rank and prepare to fire.

"The pardon *will* arrive, I assure you, Messieurs Officers," said the commisssionaire. "You had better yet further delay the execution."

"I will wait two minutes longer, and no more," replied the captain. "I have already transgressed my orders. I must do my duty, pardon or no pardon. I have no business to know anything of it until I have seen the document."

The prisoners had learned that one of their number was to receive his pardon, but they knew not whom, though they somehow suspected that it was the young fisherman who was to be pardoned, and they bitterly resented the favor shown to him by the government.

The two additional minutes of delay had expired. The soldiers drew up. The rattle of their arms was audible.

"Attention! Present arms!" shouted the officer in command, throwing away his half-smoked cigar. Such events were now everyday affairs to him and his brother *militaires*. Still he hesitated to give the final dread order.

Tir, the word *Tirez*—draw, or fire—was upon his lips, but it was not yet pronounced, when a young woman in a state of wild distraction appeared upon the scene. It was Madeleine.

"You are yet in time, Madame," said one of the two men who had guided her to the spot. "I feared that we were too late."

"Thank God!" exclaimed the young girl, raising her eyes and clasped hands to heaven. She caught sight of her husband. "Antoine, my dear Antoine, my loved husband, thou art pardoned, thou art free!" she cried; heedless of everything around her—seeing no one save her husband, she was rushing swiftly towards him, when the young lieutenant placed his hand, not unkindly, upon her shoulder and drew her gently back.

"Why do you stop me, Monsieur!" she fiercely cried. "I go to embrace my husband, who is free. I have brought his pardon."

"Will Madame produce the pardon?" said the young officer. "If it be correct, the husband of Madame will be instantly liberated."

The pardon was produced, and closely examined. The General's signature was well known to both the officers; and the young fisherman, to whom the whole affair appeared like an ugly dream, was set free.

Antoine could scarcely satisfy himself that he was awake, and that everything he beheld around him was reality; for he had heard nothing of his wife's arrival in Paris, and had believed her to be still waiting at Honfleur for his return.

"Is it a dream—a horrible dream?" he asked himself—"the legacy, the visit to Paris, the assault of the mob, the rescue of the poor country lad, my own arrest, and trial, and condemnation—everything!" These thoughts passed through his mind in an instant. He was dazed; his brain was bewildered; he staggered like a drunken man, and gazed wildly around him. He did not even respond to the embrace of his young wife!

Meanwhile, the spectators continued to murmur; and the miserable men who still awaited their doom scowled enviously and savagely upon him.

"Why is *he* pardoned, while the other poor wretches are left to meet their doom?" some of the spectators asked. The people were getting accustomed to such spectacles. Still, there were some among the female onlookers who sympathised with the young fisherman and his pretty wife, and wept tears of delight when Madeleine embraced her husband—as they would have done had they beheld such a scene in a theatre.

At length a soldier on furlough stepped forth from amongst the crowd and laid his hand upon Antoine's shoulder.

"Come, *mon brave*, come away," said he, "unless thou preferrest to remain to be shot." And he led the young fisherman away from the *fosse*, Antoine walking like one in sleep.

Scarcely had they gone twenty paces beyond the mound in the rear of the *fosse*, when the sharp stern word of command was heard, instantly followed by the clang of arms and the report of a volley of musketry.

Antoine shuddered, and awoke, as it were, instantly to consciousness. "But for the pardon that arrived at the last moment," he thought, "that report had been my death-knell! I should now be lying a senseless clod stretched in the ditch!"

Madeleine uttered a sharp cry of horror and clung tightly to her husband's arm.

The soldier alone seemed to think nothing of the matter. "Bear up! bear up, my comrade," he said kindly. "I felt something as thou dost now, when, years ago, in the Crimea, I came near being shot by the Russians as a spy, and when two of my brother-soldiers, as innocent of the charge as I was, suffered death. But I must leave thee now. It will not do for me to be seen fraternising too closely with one who has been condemned as a Communist thief and assassin, though I believe thee to be as innocent of such a crime as I am. Bonjour, Monsieur—Madame, adieu!" And touching his shako, he turned aside, and left the newly re[united hus]band and wife to themselves.

A solemn silence had succeeded the [volley] of musketry, and then there was a tra[mp of] many feet, and a chattering of many v[oices,] and the crowd dispersed, possibly to [come] again and witness such another scene [to-]morrow. Some overtook, and looked [earn]estly at the young fisherman and his w[ife as] they passed them by; and one pretty [girl] stepped up to Madeleine and embrace[d her] lovingly and placed a posy of wild-flow[ers in] her hand.

Antoine and Madeleine had much to [tell] each other of what had occurred to [them] since they had parted in the railway [depot] at Honfleur.

"My beloved husband," said Made[leine,] when she ended her story, "I felt a [pre]sentment of approaching evil when I [left] thee at the depot to return home [alone.] Could I have had my will, I would [have] have forfeited thy old aunt's legacy, [and] have restrained thee from visiting this [wick]ed city. But I cannot explain to thee [what] I felt when thy letter arrived in place of [thy]self!"

Antoine and Madeleine returned the [next] day to Honfleur, after having paid a vi[sit to] the fair and gentle daughter of the sou[s-pre]fet, to thank her for the generous symp[athy] which had induced her father to exer[t his] influence with General Beaumont in Anto[ine's] behalf. They cared little for the gaiet[y of] Paris, where, amidst so much splen[dor] and wealth, there is also so much pov[erty,] misery and crime; and determined ne[ver] of their own free-will, to set foot i[n it] again. "Adieu, Antoine!" said Madele[ine,] as her husband parted from her for his [next] voyage; "I would rather trust thee with [the] wild sea, than with the people of that t[erri]ble city."

(THE END.)

Outrages in the South Seas.

Particulars of several terrible outr[ages] committed by the South Sea Islanders [have] just been received at Liverpool, from w[hich] it appears that in addition to the murde[r of] the captain of a trading steamer and [the] wounding of some of the crew, the treach[er]ous natives have also burned down a trad[ing] factory and massacred the occupants. [The] outrages in question occurred at the Her[mit] Island. The steamer "Fria," it seems, [an]chored off the island, and the captain [at] once proceeded in a small boat to the sh[ore.] Everything was perfectly quiet, no sign[s of] life being seen. On reaching the shore [the] captain jumped out of the boat, when [in]stantly a volley of firing was heard, and [the] unfortunate man fell dead on the bea[ch,] pierced through the body by five or [six] bullets. The firing came from a cluster [of] mangrove shrubs, and was followed b[y a] rush of some dozen natives, who ran d[own] to the beach in the direction of the b[oat.] The crew with all speed backed water [and] made for the direction of the steamer; [but] before they could get out of reach [the] boat received a number of rifle shots in [her] side. One of the crew was also shot thro[ugh] the thigh and was in a dangerous condit[ion.] The mate then took charge of the stea[mer] and brought her to Mutudi. The stea[mer] "Pacific," belonging to the same owner[s as] the "Fria"—a German firm, named He[rn]stein & Co.—anchored about one hun[dred] and fifty yards off the same island. Mes[srs.] Hernstein had established a factory on H[er]mit Island and, on the "Pacific" gett[ing] near, it was seen that the premises had b[een] burnt to the ground. A few minutes a[fter] anchoring the steamer was fired on, the [as]sailants being hidden in a clump of mang[rove] trees. The crew returned the fire, but t[hey] could see nothing of their opponents, b[eing] only able to ascertain their whereabouts [by] the flash of their rifles in the bush e[very] time they fired. After this the enemy o[pen]ed fire from both sides of the bay, so th[at it] was deemed advisable to lift anchors [and] leave the spot. The fire, however, m[ade] the deck of the steamer untenable, and t[he] sailors were unable to weigh anchor. [At] last the captain ordered the engines to [be] put full speed, and the anchor was drag[ged] along until the vessel was out of reach of [the] fire. Nothing was seen of the occupien[ts of] the factory on shore, and it was belie[ved] they had been massacred before the fact[ory] itself was burnt down.—*London Stand[ard.]*

Kissing the Bride.

There is a popular notion that it is [the] privilege of the clergyman who ties the k[not] to be the first to kiss the bride on the c[on]clusion of the ceremony. Mr Henderson, [in] his *Folk-Lore of the Northern Counties*, [re]lates how a clergyman, after performing [a] marriage in a Yorkshire village, was s[ur]prised to see the party keep together a[s if] expecting something. "What are y[ou] waiting for?" he asked at last. "Plea[se,] sir," was the bridegroom's answer, "y[e've] no kissed Molly." Not many years ago, [we] are told how a fair lady from the county [of] Durham, who was married in the south [of] England, so undoubtedly reckoned for t[he] clerical salute that, after waiting for it [in] vain, she boldly took the initiative, and b[e]stowed a kiss on the much-amazed sou[thern] country vicar. The practice, too, was [for] years past much kept up in Scotland, and [is] referred to in the following old song, [in] which the bridegroom, addressing the m[in]ister, says:

"It's no very decent for you to be kissing;
It does not look well in the black coat av[a;]
'Twould have set you far better tae hae gi[en]
your blessing
Than thus by such tricks to be breaking t[he]
law."
"Dear Wattie," quo' Robin, "it's just an old c[us]
tom,
An' the thing that is common should ne'er
ill ta'en;
For where ye are wrong, if ye hadna ha' wi[sh]
ed him,
You should ha' been first. It's yoursel' to
blame."

It has been suggested that this custom m[ay] be a relic of the *osculum pacis*, or the pr[es]entation of the Pax to the newly marr[ied] pair. Mr. Henderson also informs us th[at] some years ago it was customary in Irela[nd] for the clergyman to conclude the marri[age] ceremony with the words, "Kiss your wif[e,"] and occasionally "the bridegroom was h[ard] put to prevent one or other of his comp[an]ions from intercepting the salute design[ed] for himself."

Mr. T. V. Smith has received a telegr[am] from Sir Henry Gore Booth, dated Hamm[er]fest, September 16, stating that his ves[sel] the "Kara," met with ice on August 1[...] and was subsequently driven ashore on F[...] Island. She floated on September 2, wa[s unin]jured, and sailed southward.

A Story for the Marines.

[The]re was a Russian fellow tha[t had a rifle-]
pit all of his own, right in fro[nt of our]
trenches. I never saw anybody [so]
... as that man was. Early in th[e morning]
[he']d be popping away, and th[en]
... until nightfall, taking his fo[od]
... into the pit. He seemed to ta[ke]
... in it, and as he was a very [good shot he]
never let us get much of a c[hance,]
... he was not a popular characte[r in the]
[adv]anced trenches. Many a good [fellow he sent]
... to glory. It got such a nuisa[nce that]
[we] dropped shells at him now an[d then,]
[b]ut he minded them no more than [if they]
had been so many oranges. One d[ay I was]
down in the trenches, when Col. M...
the Forty-eighth,—a splendid sh[ot and a]
great man for sport—came along. ...
with a Sergeant were at work, an[d just as]
the Colonel came up, one of them [dropped]
with a ball through his head. "Deu[ce of a]
shot! Who fired that?" says the ...
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answered the major, and the bet ...
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according to his taste. He took ...
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to please him. At last he got it ...
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for one day over his shooting, for ...
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The Czar and Czarina Da[nce.]

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St. Petersburg Pravitelstvenny ...

Population of the Gl[obe.]

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She floated on September 2, unin-
d sailed southward.

A Story for the Marines.

There was a Russian fellow that had a sand-pit all of his own, right in front of our trenches. I never saw anybody so persevering as that man was. Early in the morning he'd be popping away, and there he'd stay until nightfall, taking his food with him into the pit. He seemed to take a real pleasure in it, and as he was a very fine shot and never let us get much of a chance at him, he was not a popular character in the advanced trenches. Many a good fellow he sent to glory. It got such a nuisance that we dropped shells at him now and again, but he minded them no more than if they had been so many oranges. One day I was down in the trenches, when Col. Mancor, of the Forty-eighth,—a splendid shot and a great man for sport—came along. A party with a Sergeant were at work, and just as the Colonel came up, one of them dropped with a ball through his head. "Deuced good shot! Who fired that?" says the Colonel, putting up his eye-glass. "Man in the rifle pit to the left, Sir," answers the Sergeant. "Never saw a neater shot," says the Colonel. "He only showed for a moment, and wouldn't have shown then only that the edge of the trench is a bit worn away. Does he often shoot like that?" "Terribly dangerous man," replies the Sergeant; "kills more than all the guns in the Redan." "Now, Major," says the Colonel, turning to another officer who was with him, "What's the odds against my picking him off?" "In how long?" "Within ten minutes." "Two to one, in ponies, I'll give you," says the Major. "Say three, and it's a bargain." "Three to one in ponies," answered the major, and the bet was made. He was a great man for measuring his powder, was the Colonel, and always emptied out a cartridge and then filled it up again according to his taste. He took about half the time getting the Sergeant's gun loaded to please him. At last he got it right, and the glass screwed well into his eye. "Now, my lads," says he, "just push poor Smith here up over the trench. He's dead enough, and another wound will make little difference to him." The men began to hoist the body up, and the Colonel stood, may be 20 yards off, peering over the edge with eyes like a lynx. As soon as the top of Smith's shako appeared, we saw the barrel of the gun come slowly out of the sand-pit, and when his poor dead face looks over the edge, whizz comes a bullet right through his forehead. The Russian, he peeps out of the pit to see the effect of his shot, and he never looks at anything again until he sees the everlasting river. The Colonel fired with a sort of chuckle, and the rifleman sprang up in the air, and ran a matter of 10 or 12 paces toward us, and then down on his face as dead as a door-nail. "Double or quits on the man in the pit to the right," says the Colonel, loading up his gun again, but I think the Major had dropped money enough for one day over his shooting, for he wouldn't hear of another try. By the way, it was handed over to Smith's widow, for he was a free-handed gentleman, was the Colonel, not unlike yourself, Sir.—*All the Year Round.*

The Czar and Czarina Dancing.

Recently in the English Palace at Peterhoff, there was a ball in favor of the asylum for aged and crippled soldiers, established in memory of the Emperor Nicholas I. Their imperial Majesties, the Emperor and Empress were pleased to be present. There were also the Queen of Greece, the Grand Dukes Serge and Paul, the Grand Duchess Alexandria Josephovna with her two sons, the Duke of Leicetenberg and the Prince of Oldenburg. The tickets were sold to everybody without any restriction. Such balls are held in the English Palace annually, but this ball surpassed those of former years by its brilliant decorations and genuine merriment. All the rooms of the palace were profusely ornamented with tropical plants from the imperial hot-houses. In the dancing room a portrait of Nicholas, in full size, was hidden behind some luxuriant plants, and the effect was that the late Emperor appeared gazing at the dancing parties. At 10 o'clock the Queen of Greece arrived and opened the ball. At half past 10 their Majesties, the Emperor and the Empress, appeared. The Emperor wore the uniform of the Finn Guards, and the Empress wore a dress of bright rose satim embroidered with rich lace and white pearls. On her head she had a diadem ornamented with eight large diamonds. Their Majesties were met by the Princess of Oldenburg, and all the managers of the ball. Gen. Arapoff had the happiness to present the Empress with a beautifnl bouquet. Then their Majesties went into the dancing room and graciously took part in the dancing. Both the Emperor and Empress favored many of those present with their gracious conversation. At half past 12 they left the ball, which continued till 4 a. m. Pecuniarily considered this ball was also a great success.—*From the St. Petersburg Pravitelstvenny Vestnik.*

Population of the Globe.

The population of the earth has long been a fascinating study for statisticians Behm and Wagner, who have just published an emended edition of a former work in Germany. They give the total as 1,433,887,500—which is about 23,000,000 less than their estimates of two years ago. They have concluded that China has 50,000,000 less than they formerly supposed. There has thus been an actual increase of about 38,000,000 in the population of the globe—an increase, however, which must be spread over ten years, as many of the recent censuses are decennial. For Europe the present population is 327,743,400, showing an increase of about 12,000,000 over the previous figures by the operation of the censuses. In Asia, making allowance for the readjustment of the population of China, there has been an increase of 20,000,000, the present population being set down at 795,591,000. Of course the estimates must sometimes be a little better than guesses, for example, for such places as Africa. For this continent Dr. Rohlfs maintains that the estimate of 100,000,000 is quite enough, while Behm and Wagner retain the old figure of 200,000,000 with considerable hesitation.

A stranger called at forty-eight different houses in Cleveland and asked: "is the boss home?" There was no man home in any one instance, and yet forty-seven of the women promptly replied, "Yes, sir; what do you want?"

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At All Seasons of the Year

corns are troublesome, let the weather be hot or cold. Rain relieves not the pain, the sun may shine and all else be fair and pleasant but their tormenting presence follows the victim always. A certain, a prompt, a painless, a radical cure is always insured by the use of the great and only remedy—"Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor." We warn the public against dangerous substitutes and imitations. N. C. POLSON & Co., Proprietors, Kingston.

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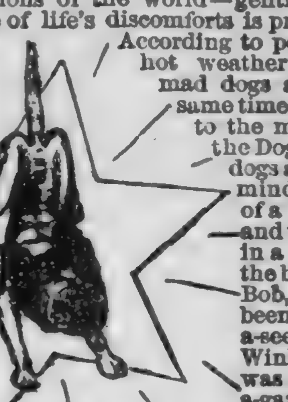
TORMENT, INDEED.

Life's vexations do not generally come on one like a storm descending the mountain or like a whirlwind; they come as the rain does in some sections of the world—gently, but every day. One of life's discomforts is presented herewith:



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According to popular impression, hot weather, mosquitoes and mad dogs all flourish at the same time and are chargeable to the malefic influence of the Dog Star. Speaking of dogs and the Dog Star reminds us of a boy's story of a dog and the comet, and which we here give in a short extract from the boy's letter: "Golly, Bob, you ought to ha' been there last night to a-seen the fun. Tom Winkins' dorg Toddles was a-settin' at the gate a-gazin' at the Comit, when along comes old Sykes durned rat tarrier and the 2 waltzed over the fence and the 2 fought. The tarrier proved too much for Toddles, and afore they could haul him off the battle ground he had made a good square meal off his hide. Tom was in despair. A kind looking gentleman in a broad brim hat told him to get a bottle of ST. JACOBS OIL and rub him with it, and it would cure him in no time. What does Tom do but steal into the chapel at Vesper time and slide into Father Jacobs confessional box and beg of him a bottle of his oil with which to rub his dorg. The Father felt of Tom's head; it was hot an' afore Tom could utter a prayer, two men were luggin' him home followed by a great crowd, who kept at a safe distance, thinking he had been bit by a mad dorg. The more he kicked and screamed to be let free, the tighter they held on to him." In reference to another torment, the Chicago *Western Catholic* recently wrote: "Mr. Joel D. Harvey, U. S. Collector of Internal Revenue, of this city, has spent over two thousand dollars on medicine for his wife, who was suffering dreadfully from rheumatism, and without deriving any benefit whatever; yet two bottles of ST. JACOBS OIL accomplished what the most skillful medical men failed in doing. We could give the names of hundreds who have been cured by this wonderful remedy did space permit us. The latest man who has been made happy through the use of this valuable liniment is Mr. James A. Conlan, librarian of the Union Catholic Library of this city. The following is Mr. Conlan's indorsement:

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MARKDALE, SEPT. 28TH, 1882.

OUR TOWN.

There has been many building improvements in our Town of Markdale during the present season, none of which, however, have so far progressed as to be able to give an extended notice of their dimensions or appearance just yet. Mr. Reynolds' new dwelling is the nearest completion, and to it we wended our way a few days ago; and although put in a fit stage of completion to meet the eye of a *connoiseur*, yet the symmetry of the building cannot fail to arrest the eye of any lover of architectural beauty. Upon entering the building we found it encumbered with the *debris* of carpenters' and plasterers' business; but were at once struck with admiration at the neatly finished walls, which upon inspection with our non-critical view, we pronounced perfect, inasmuch as a straight level on a ten-foot wall, scarcely a sheet of paper could be inserted between. This is the true standard of workmanship, we believe. On the front of the building, upon both stories, there are two bay windows, and on a straight line with the main wall in the rear of these, is an arch, moulded in a mechanical and artistic style hitherto unknown in this section of country, and crowned with caps and corbels which would do credit to the skill of the Grecian masters of old, for their beauty of execution. The column supporting this arch is as true in its lines as though drawn by the rule of the limner. Credit must also be given to those who prepared the material, for a smoother surface we never felt upon a plastered wall. The work was done by Mr. Joseph Gibson.

In a short time the entire building will be ready for inspection, and we believe its appearance will tend to hasten many of the half-formed "engagements" now on hand, to a completion. Perhaps, more anon.

GLENELG FALL SHOW.

The morning was cool and dry, and the weather during the day was all that could be desired. At an early hour the various productions were coming in from all sides, and by eight o'clock the yard round the hall was thronged with vehicles bearing their products. The hall was fairly filled with the various articles comprising that department. The exhibit of fall wheat was large and of excellent quality. Spring wheat small and the sample under an average; barley, the same; peas, good; oats, fair; roots were generally good, especially potatoes, which were excellent. Fruit was of a very fine quality and a good display. There was bread and butter in abundance.

In the ladies' department the exhibit was well up and very creditable to the exhibitors. A fair display of fancy work was shown but scarcely up to previous years On the whole the inside department was ahead of former years. Quite a variety of poultry was exhibited.

Horses—in this class there was a good show and close competition. Cattle were scarcely up to former years. Mr. Shepherdson, of Euphrasia, had a fine lot of sheep, otherwise we would have to report a falling off in this line. There were some very good swine. In manufactures we have to report a great falling off, owing, we presume, partly to exhibitions being held on each side of us the same day—Clarksburg on the East, and South Grey at Durham. Those two doubtless had a serious effect on our show this year. Mr. Sarjeant had a patent load lifter which attracted the attented of many farmers, which he will also have on exhibition at Flesherton on Friday.

On the whole the exhibition was a success. The officers and directors did all in their power to give general satisfaction, and we compliment them on their efforts. The following is the

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES—General Purpose—John Boland, 2nd Alex. Mercer, 3rd Chas. Littlejohns. Carriage Horses—William Wilson, 2nd Dr. Sproule. Buggy Horses—Jas. R. Trimble 2nd Thos. Davis. Saddle Horse—R. Davis. Mare, with foal by side—J. Brady, 2nd John Mercer. Spring Foal—W. Walker, 2nd Jas. Brady. Two year old Colt—A. Mercer, 2nd Wm. Robinson. One year old Colt—Wm. Walker, 2nd J. S. Mercer.

CATTLE.—Bull, over two years—James Lauder. Bull, under two years—B. Coleman. Durham Cow, with pedigree—J. R. Trimble. 2nd Mark Armstrong, senr. Ayrshire Cow—Jas. Lauder, 2nd Adam Shiel. Grade Cow giving milk—Robt. Walker, 2nd R. Watson Two year old Heifer—J. R. Trimble, 2nd T. Kells. One year old Heifer—John Boland, 2nd M. Armstrong, sr. Spring Calf—James R. Trimble, 2nd Jas. Foster, sr. Yoke Oxen—Adam Shiel. Pair two year old Steers—John Thibaudean, 2nd Thos. Kells. Pair one year old Steers—Robt. Walker, 2nd W. Anderson.

SHEEP.—Aged Ram, thoroughbred—Benj. Coleman, 2nd W. Shepherdson. Shearling Ram—Wm. Shepherdson, 2nd Ed. Rutledge. Ram lamb, thoroughbred—W. Shepherdson, 2nd do. Pair Ewes, raised lambs in 1882—Wm. Shepherdson, 2nd B Coleman. Pair Ewe lambs, thoroughbred—Wm. Shepherdson, 2nd B Coleman.

SWINE.—Spring Boar, Berkshire—Benj. Coleman, 2nd D. McDuffie. Aged Sow, Berkshire—B. Coleman, 2nd Alex. Mercer. Spring Sow, Berkshire—H. Mathewson, 2nd B. Coleman.

POULTRY.—Pair Geese—B. Coleman, 2nd W. Anderson. Barnyard Fowls—H. Mathewson, 2nd Thos. Mullarky. Pair Turkeys—J. S. Mercer. Pair Ducks, large—Robert Montgomery, 2nd Hugh McKee. Pair Ducks, small—Robt. McBride, 2nd H. Mathewson. Leghorn Fowl—Robt. Montgomery, 2nd do. Pair Brahmas—B. Coleman. Pair Spanish Fowl—Wm. Haskett, 2nd do.

GRAIN.—Bushel Fall Wheat, Seneca or Clawson—E. Rutledge, 2nd Thomas Kells. Bushel Spring Wheat, white—Thos. Boland. 2nd John Whitby Any other kind, Wm. Anderson. Barley—W. Burnett, 2nd Adam Shiel. Large Peas—J. R. Anderson. Small Peas—Hugh McKee, 2nd John Whitby. White Oats—Wm. Burnett, 2nd A. Shiel. Half bushel Timothy Seed—James Lauder. Six Ears Indian Corn—Adam Shiel, 2nd B. Coleman. White Beans—R. H. Stinson, 2nd John Whitby.

ROOTS.—Early Rose Potatoes—C. Littlejohns, 2nd Jas. Thompson. And other kind—Jas. Thompson, 2nd A. Shiel. Swede Turnips—W. Burnett, 2nd R. Watson. Turnips, any other kind—H. Mathewson. Mangold Wurtzel—Wm. Douglass, 2nd James Thompson. Blood Beets—R. H. Stinson, 2nd H. Mathewson. Field Carrots—James Thompson, 2nd W. H. Campaign. Early Horn—Wm. Douglas, 2nd Chas Littlejohns. Parsnips—C. Littlejohns, 2nd J. Thompson. Celery—J. Thompson. Cauliflowers—Jas. Thompson. E. Y. Cabbage—J. Thompson. Any other kind—J. Thompson. Tomatoes—E. Davis, 2nd J. Purvis. Potato Onions—R. H. Stinson, 2nd J. Thompson. Any other kind—R. H. Stinson, 2nd J. Thompson. Squash—H. Mathewson, 2nd R. H. Stinson. Pumpkins—W. Fleming, 2nd Ed. Davis. Cucumbers—H. Mathewson, 2nd B. Coleman. Citrons—H. Mathewson, 2nd W. Burnett. Watermelons—J. Thompson.

FRUIT.—Winter Apples—G. S. Brown, 2nd Alex. Mercer. Fall Apples—Alex. Mercer, 2nd Adam Shiel. Variety of Apples—Alex. Mercer, 2nd B. Wright. Crab Apples—Wm. Robinson, 2nd H. Mathewson. Variety Crab Apples—Thos. Gilray, 2nd S. Boyce. Pears—R. H. Stinson, 2nd Thos. Gilray. Grapes—J. H. Heard, 2nd G. S. Bowes. Blue Plums—R. H. Stinson, 2nd R. Gilray. Green Gage Plums—S. Boyce, 2nd Edward Davis. Any other kind—Jas. Lauder, 2nd G. S. Bowes.

DAIRY.—Firkin Butter—Alex. Mercer, 2nd S. Boyce, 3rd E. Rutledge. Five lbs. Roll Butter—Wm. Douglass, 2nd J. Foster, sr., 3rd H. Mathewson. Wheaten Flour—W. J. Rowe, 2nd do. Baker's Bread—Robt. Montgomery. Home-made Bread—Hugh McKee, 2nd E. Davis. Maple Sugar—Thos. Gilray, 2nd John Purvis. Maple Syrup—R. Watson, 2nd E. Rutledge. Honey—J. H. Heard, 2nd do.

MANUFACTURES.—Pair Coarse Boots—Kay & Thomas, 2nd do. Pair Fine Boots—Kay & Thomas, 2nd do. Horse Shoes—Wm. Mason, 2nd J. H. Heard. Panel Door—T. McNea, 2nd do. Window Sash—T. McNea, 2nd do. Specimen Cooperware—J. H. Hull. 2nd Thos. Mullarky. Specimen Tinware—Haskett Bros., 2nd do. Penmanship—Robt. Davis. Satinet—Robt. Walker. Fancy Flannel—Robt. McBride, 2nd do. Plain Flannel—Richard Watson, 2nd Hugh McKee. Pair Blankets—Robt Walker, 2nd do. Pair Horse Blankets—Wm. Burnett.

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The crops here this year are above the average, the barns being well filled and a number of stacks outside. We have a seed drill in this section already and no doubt reapers and mowers will be brought in shortly. There is also a large lumbering business carried on which gives employment to a number of men winter and summer.

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A regular meeting of the Loyal Markdale Lodge of the C. O. O. F., will be held in their hall on Monday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. A full attendence is requested.—W. L. YOUNG, Sec'y.

Watches and Clocks, the best, at W. F. Doll's.

Rev. Mr. McDiarmid is at present holding special meetings at the Town Line appointment with very gratifying success.

Box Brown is coming to Markdale on the 10th October to give a dramatic entertainment,

The potatoes at our exhibition were something immense for size. One man brought a bag, and when he saw what was ahead, he became discouraged, and did not exhibit; he presented them to 'ye editor', and when cleaned were cut each in three pieces in order to put in a pot to boil. He will please accept our thanks.

Sewing machines, see them at W. F. Doll's, first class and cheap.

THE BAZAAR.—The Ladies Association of the Presbyterian Church held their annual bazaar and dinner in the agricultural grounds, which was well patronised. The art gallery and musical entertainment came off in the Hall in the evening. The Hall was very handsomely adorned with Oil Paintings, Chromo's, Drawings, etc., many of which were very fine specimens. The programme consisted of vocal and instrumental music, readings, recitations, songs, dialogues &c., &c., all of which were handled in a masterly manner, and deserves a more extended report, but we are already filled up, and our time for going to press is at hand. The total proceeds for the day amounts to the handsome sum of $100.

30 MEN WANTED

Immediately for ballast train on T. G. & B. Ry. Apply at Markdale and Flesherton Stations. B. Tansley, foreman.

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $1.00 to $0.00; Spring $0.00 to $0.00; Barley, 50c; Peas, 65t; Oats, 40c; Butter, 14c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 50c; Hay, $8.00.

FLESHERTON MARKETS.

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TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.95 to $1.00; Spring, $0.00 to $1.10; Barley, 63c to 76c; Oats, 49c to 50c; Peas, 75c to 85c; Hogs, $9.00 to $9.50; Potatoes, per bag, 75c to 80c; Butter, dairy, 18c; Eggs 18c.

MARRIED.

FERGUSON—HAMILTON—In Tilsonburg, on the 6th inst., at the residence of Mr. M. D. Croker, by the Rev. Mr. Moore, Mr. Geo. Ferguson, of Flesherton, to Miss Cassie Hamilton, of Tilsonburg.

MCINNIS—PETERSON—At Dundalk, on Thursday the 14th inst., by the Rev. J. Eakin, Mr. John McInnis, of the Township of Sydenham, to Mrs. Mary Peterson, of Dundalk.

KING—HOOD—By the Rev. T. J. Snowden, on the 20th inst., at the Methodist Parsonage, Dundalk, Thos. King, of Artemesia, to Elizabeth Hood, of Artemesia.

GOWAN ROSEBERRY—By the Rev. T. J. Snowden, at the residence of the bride's father, on the 13th inst., Mr. N. W. Gowan, of Melancthon, to Miss Roseberry, of Proton.

DIED.

MCCONNELL,—At Rocklyn, on the 18th inst., James A. son of Thos. McConnell; aged 3 years, 6 months.

WELSH.—In Markdale, on the 26th inst., Hattie, beloved wife of Mr. John Welsh; aged 27 years.

WARNER.—In Euphrasia, on the 24th inst., Ann, wife of Mr. Oliver Warner; aged 74 years,

COOPER.—At Norval, Township Esqueesing, Co. Halton, on the 26th inst., Mr. Geo. Cooper, father of James, Samuel and William, of Euphrasia; aged 86 years.

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G. S. BOWES, Sec.-Treas.,
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Sept. 27th, 1882. 107-3t

STRAYED

FROM THE PREMISES OF THE SUBSCRIBER, Lot 2, Con. 6, Artemesia, on the 21st inst., one gray Heifer and one red and white spotted Steer, both rising two years old. Any information that will lead to their recovery will be thankfully received; and any person harboring them after this date will be dealt with according to law.

STEPHEN KELLY.

Artemesia, Sept. 23rd, 1882. 107-3w.

CARD OF THANKS.

To the Ancient Order of United Workmen.

I beg to express my sincere thanks, though somewhat dilitory in so doing, for the very prompt manner in which the amount of the beneficiary certificate (amounting to $2,000) was paid. My late lamented husband, N. B. Grier, having been a member of said Order.

Respectfully,

E. J. Grier.

Griersville, Sept. 20th, 1882. 107.

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BEING LOTS 58 AND 59, 1st RANGE S. W. T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, 100 acres, 70 of which is cleared; there is a good bearing orchard, also frame barn and log house on the premises, well watered. Will rent for a term of years. For particulars apply on the premises to

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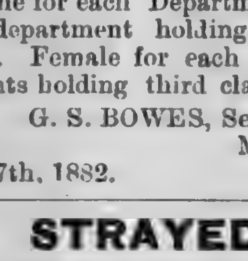

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Owen Sound, dep.	5.20	7.35	3.45
Markdale	6.29	9.45	5.02
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GOING NORTH.

Toronto dep.	7.35		4.35
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A $20.00 BIBLE REWARD.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer ten valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for October, among which is the following:

We will give $20.00 in gold to the person telling us which verse in the Old Testament Scriptures contains the greatest number of words by October 10th, 1882. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner October 15th, 1882. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the November *Monthly*, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published. This may be worth $20.00 to you; cut it out. Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penna.

MANITOBA is about to adopt the system of sanitary inspection of immigrants in force on the United States frontier.

AT the Kent assizes at Chatham on Thursday last William Rowland, the Ridgetown wife-murderer, was convicted and sentenced to be hanged on the 25th prox.

A REMARKABLE CASE

W. A. Edgers, of Frankville, suffered from a disease of the Liver and Kidneys, that brought him so low that his life was despaired of; he lay for 10 and 13 days without an operation of the bowels; after taking one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters he was enabled to leave his bed and drive out, three bottles more completed a cure, and he says that he is now a better man than he has been for years.

The Lacrosse Tournament held here this week was not so successful as was anticipated by its promoters; various unforseen circumstances having contributed to this result. It is probable that the next tournament held here will be more successful.—*Free Press.*

It has been remarked that the quotation, "that it is better to give than to receive," applies to medicine kicks and advice, but this rule don't apply to Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. Those who receive that, get a reliable and infallable remedy for Cholera Morbus, Colic, Dysentery, Canker of the Stomach and Bowels, and all Summer Complaints of Infants and Adults.

Subscribe for the STANDARD and get that splendid horse book free. Commence any time.

Maher's Hotel Stables at Primrose were burned on Tuesday night between eleven and twelve o'clock. We did not learn the cause, nor the amount of insurance on the buildings, but it is likely the loss will be considerable.—*Free Press.*

The fruitful season of the year is prolific with many forms of Bowel Complaints, such as Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, &c., as a safe guard and positive cure for those distressing and often sudden and dangerous attacks nothing can surpass that old and reliable medicine Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

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We will give the STANDARD the balance of the year for Twenty-five Cents.

During the gale on Thursday last, the gable end of Mr. Geo. Gillespie's new brick residence, in course of construction, on Owen Sound street, was blown down, having been left without any support.—*Free Press.*

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We regret to learn that Mr. A. Duncan & Son, of Messrs. A. Duncan & Co., wholesale merchants of Hamilton, were among the victims in the ill fated Asia. Mr. Dundas, of Markdale, is traveller for the above firm.

Travellers will find the best remedy for Sea Sickness in Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. While for Sick Stomach and diseases brought on by change of water, diet, etc., and for Cholera Morbus, Colic, Dysentery, and Canker of the Stomach and Bowels, nothing acts more in harmony with nature to effect a cure.

The fastest time on record in crossing the Atlantic has just been made by the Alaska, which has accomplished the voyage from New York to Queenstown in six days and eight hours.

An insurance company to indemnify public singers against the loss of their voices is proposed in Paris, the idea being to contract to support the insured in a manner appropriate to their position, and the amount of premiums paid by them before their voices deserted them.

JUST AT THE WRONG TIME.

Mr. Robert Wilson, of the City Surveyor's office, and Street Commissioner of the Eastern Division for the Board of Public Works, Toronto, Ont., who is very fond of shooting says: "To lose a duck hunt is a loss for which there is no adequate recompense. This misfortune lately overtook me. The boys got together recently and made arrangements for a good hunt. At the time the arrangements were entered into I was in good health generally; but just as the shooting was to take place, my old enemy, the rheumatism, came back to stay with me awhile again, and I had to forego the pleasure. The rheumatism has been a source of great bother to me, and I have done a great deal of doctoring for it, without much good. When the last attack came on me and crippled my hands so that they were drawn up, a friend of mine recommended St. Jacob's Oil, the Great German Remedy. I tried it, I am happy to say, and the result is that I am now cured and as well as ever. St. Jacob's Oil succeeded where more than a score of other liniments and medicines had failed."

The exhibition building at Sydney, New South Wales, has been burned with all its contents.

ORDERS have been received in Montreal from Australia for $70,000 worth of railway supplies for that colony.

Campaign is over, and those who were up in arms against each other in political tussle now join hands and march to the druggists for a bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure. See advt.

"CANADA FIRST" principles evidently don't go down in the Province of Quebec. The weekly journal of that name established in Montreal some months since in advocacy of independence for the Dominion has retired from the field for want of support.

The STANDARD is only $1 a year in advance.

Elections to fill the eight vacant seats in the Local House will take place on October 18. The vacancies are for the following constituencies:—South Essex, Glengarry, and West Hastings, caused by the resignation of the Conservative members, Messrs. Wigle, Macmaster, and Robertson; and South Bruce, East Simcoe, North Renfrew, South Waterloo, and Muskoka, caused by the resignation of five Reformers, Messrs. Wells, Cook, Murray, Livingston, and Miller. There will be contests, it is expected, in every constituency but North Renfrew, where the Conservatives and Reformers have agreed to suspend hostilities until the general election, Mr. N B. McAllister, late Secretary of Conservative Association, to be elected by acclamation at the by-election, and to sit for the riding in the meantime.

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FOR SALE
IN THE TOWN OF DURHAM, IN THE COUNTY OF GREY.

THE following valuable town properties will be sold on reasonable terms or will be rented for a term of years, or exchange for farm propeoty.

1st,
Lot No. 1 on the west side of Garafraxa street and south of Hunter street, opposite Mr. J. H. Hunter's store house, well fenced and first class frame buildings, good cellars, hard and soft water, a most conveniant residence and would make a good business stand.

2nd,
That most desirable property being park lots nos 2 and 3 on the north side of George st., 8 acres more or less, well fenced, front fenced with pickets, one and a half acres of a thriving young orchard and very convenient to the railway station.

3rd,
The east half of the west half on lot 18 on the west side of countess street with a new frame house and kitchen, good stable and wood shed, well fenced, front fence painted white, hard and soft water on the premises.

4th,
Park Lot No. 8, Wm. Hunter's, Survey.

5th
Lots 1 and 2, Presbyterian Survey.

6th,
Lot No 15 on the North side of Mill street in the village of Markdale close to the railway station, with good frame house thereon. If the above properties are sold the very best title will be given free from all encumbrances.

—Also the—
Following Farming Properties.
will be sold on reasonable terms of payment.

7th,
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THE BRITISH IN CAIRO.

How They Caught Arabi—The Welcome by the Populace—Arabi and the Turks An Eye-witness Account.

The following particulars of the occupation of Cairo by General Drury Lowe are from one of the officers of cavalry :—" We reached Belbeis on the evening of the battle. After slight skirmishing we took possession and halted there that night. In the morning we started early and pushed straight on to Cairo, keeping along the borders of the desert. At every village the people came with white flags and proclaimed themselves faithful to the Khedive. We overtook large numbers of the fugitives, who threw away their arms and made signs of submission. When towards evening we arrived in front of the Abassia barracks outside of Cairo we were met by the officer in command with a squadron of cavalry in extended order across the plain with white flags tied to their carbines. The officer informed General Lowe that the town and garrison surrendered and that no opposition would be offered. He also stated that all was quiet and that no popular outbreak had taken place. He expressed his readiness to make arrangements to supply rations to the men and forage to the horses. Although the commanding officer expressed himself thus peaceably the situation for a short time was critical, as 10,000 infantry had formed in parade at the time. However, the firmness of the attitude of the British officer had its effect. The Egyptian troops, piling their arms, re-entered their quarters.

HOW ARABI SURRENDERED.

The Governor of the city was then sent for and told by General Lowe that he was aware that Arabi was in Cairo and demanded his surrender. He offered to send a body of troops to surround Arabi's house. The Governor, however, said that this was unnecessary, as he would deliver him up. Then the Governor returned into the city and brought out Arabi and Toulba Pashas. Arabi, on delivering himself up, said to General Lowe that he had at first no intention of fighting the English, for whom he had always a great respect ; but the war was forced upon him. For this he blamed Tewfik Pasha ; but, being a soldier, when the fighting began he was bent upon fighting. Now that all was over the Egyptians and English were brothers again. He trusted himself to English honor as a soldier whose army had been defeated. Arabi's manner was dignified and composed. General Lowe replied that he could not enter on the subject of the war. His only mission was to arrest him.

OCCUPYING THE CITADEL.

Captain Watson, of the Intelligence Department, escorted by mounted infantry and two squadrons of dragoons, made a d tour round the city to the citadel and summoned the commander to surrender. This he did at once. After a brief discussion it was arranged that the Egyptian garrison should march out of one gate while the English mounted guard entered by the other. Cairo presents a strange appearance. The shops are all closed, but the streets are crowded by natives. Some cast hostile looks on the troops, but the majority are evidently rejoiced at the course events have taken. Each body of troops as it marched through the streets was accompanied by crowds of admiring Arabs. From the windows and balconies of many houses women waved salutations of welcome, and the whole population appeared to be relieved that the war was ended. Numbers of weary fugitives from Tel-el-Kebir continue to arrive, also disbanded troops from other parts of the country. There is a complete break up of the Egyptian army. Conversing with some of Arabi's officers they tell me that beyond doubt the rapid arrival of the cavalry alone prevented further fighting.

A CATASTROPHE AVERTED.

The city would probably have been burned by the mob had they not arrived. The news of the defeat at Tel-el-Kebir excited the greatest grief and consternation among the population, but before they had time to come to any conclusion as to what action should be taken, the arrival of General Drury Lowe and the cavalry at once put a stop to the plans of the violent portion of the mob. When they reached the city Arabi and Toulba had a long conversation with some friends as to whether they should fly to the desert, but on the advice of Ninet, the Swiss gentleman who had remained with the Egyptian ambulance throughout the war, they determined to give themselves up to the English and not to Tewfik Pasha. M. Ninet tells me that the national party has been shamefully betrayed by M. de Lesseps. They entirely depended upon his assurances that he would prevent any landing in the canal. He sent word that he took it upon himself to keep the canal, according to conventions, outside of the sphere of hostilities. When General Wolseley spread the report that he was going to land at Aboukir Arabi did not believe it, but thought that the troops were being embarked in order to prevent the Turks from landing.

ARABI'S HOPES.

Had the Turks landed Arabi hoped to have made an arrangement with them. The first news which he obtained of the troopships having entered the canal was from the Austrian sailors who were taken prisoners at Aboukir fort, it being thought that they were English. It was then too late to take action, as Ismailia was already in possession of the British. The result is that the French are as unpopular with the national as with the Khedive's party during the war. After the wire had been cut direct communication with Constantinople, which was stopped, had been kept up, all information being received by boats from Damietta boarding the Austrian Lloyds steamer and other steamers coming from Beyrout which lay-to off the coast till they were boarded. The reason why the Egyptian attack on the British position at Kassassin collapsed so easily was that the general who commanded was wounded when in front of the force about to launch them at the position. Arabi continues to maintain a quiet and dignified attitude. He is most anxious for an interview with Sir Garnet Wolseley, but the General declines to see him for the present.

Monkeys in India.

In India, where the monkeys live among men, and are the playmates of their children, the Hindoos have grown so fond of them that the four-handed folk participate in all their simple house-hold rites. In the early morning, when the peasant goes out to yoke his plough, and the crow wakes up, and the dog stretches himself and shakes off the dust in which he has slept all night, the old monkey creeps down from the peepul-tree, only half awake, and yawns and looks about him, puts a straw in his mouth, and scratches himself contemplatively.

Then one by one the whole family come slipping down the tree trunk, and they all yawn and look about and scratch. But they are sleepy and peevish, and the youngest get cuffed for nothing, and begin to think life dull. Yet the toilet has to be performed, and whether they like it or not, the young ones are sternly pulled up one by one to their mother to undergo the process. The scene, though regularly repeated every morning, loses nothing of its delightful comicality, and the monkey brats never tire of the joke of "taking in mother." But mamma was young herself not so very long ago, and treats each ludicrous affectation of suffering with profoundest unconcern, and as she dismisses one "cleaned" youngster with a cuff, stretches out her hand for the next one's tail or leg in the most business-like and serious manner possible. The youngsters know their turns quite well, and as each one sees the moment arriving it throws itself on its stomach, as if overwhelmed with apprehension, the others meanwhile stifling their laughter at the capital way so-and-so is doing it, and the instant the maternal paw is extended to grasp its tail the subject of the next experiment utters a dolorous wail, and throwing its arms forward in the dust, allows itself to be dragged along, a limp and helpless carcass, winking all the time, no doubt, at its brothers and sisters, at the way it is imposing on the old lady.

But the old lady will stand no nonsense, and turning the child right side up, proceeds to put it to rights ; takes the kinks out of his tail and the knots out of his fur ; pokes its fingers into its ears, and looks at each of his toes, the inexpressible brat all the time wearing on his face an absurd expression of hopeless and incurable grief. Those who had been already cleaned look on with delight at the screaming farce, while those who are waiting wear a becoming aspect of enormous gravity. The old lady, however, has her joke too, which is to cuff every youngster before she lets it go ; and nimble as her offspring are, she generally, to her credit be it said, manages to give each of them a box on the ear before it is out of reach. The father, meanwhile, sits gravely with his back to all these domestic matters, waiting for breakfast.

Cold Winters.

The following statistics of the good old winters are curious ; In 401, the Black Sea was entirely frozen over. In 768, not only the Black Sea, but the Straits of the Dardanelles, were frozen over ; the snow in some places rose fifty feet high. In 882 great rivers in Europe—the Danube, the Elbe, etc.—were so hard frozen as to bear heavy waggons for a month. In 860, the Adriatic was frozen. In 991, everything was frozen ; the crops totally failed, and famine and pestilence closed the year. In 1067, the most of the travellers in Germany were frozen to death on the roads. In 1133, the Po was frozen from Cremona to the sea ; the wine casks would burst, and even the trees split by the action of the frost with immense noise. In 1316, the crops wholly failed in Germany ; wheat, which some years before sold in England at six shillings the quarter rose to two pounds. In 1339, the crops failed in Scotland, and such a famine ensued that the poor were reduced to feed on grass, and many perished miserably in the fields. The successive winters of 1432-33-34 were uncommonly severe. It once snowed forty days without interruption. In 1468, the wine distributed to the soldiers in Flambro was cut with hatchets. In 1684, the winter was excessively cold. Most of the hollies were killed. Coaches drove along the Thames, the ice of which was eleven inches thick. In 1709 occurred the cold winter. The frost penetrated three yards into the ground. In 1715 booths were erected and fairs held on the Thames. In 1744 and 1745 the strongest ale in England, exposed to the air, was covered in less than fifteen minutes with ice an eighth of an inch thick. In 1809, and again in 1812, the winters were remarkably cold. In 1814 there was a fair on the frozen Thames.

The German Emperor's Appreciation of his Surgeons.

For the second time during the reign of William I., German Emperor and King of Prussia, the highest honor to which a Prussian State official can aspire has been conferred upon a medical man. By the venerable monarch's special decree Dr. von Langenbeck, the eminent pathologist and surgeon, has been raised to the rank of Actual Privy Councillor, with the title of Excellency. The Emperor's body doctor, Lauer, is the only other disciple of Galen in Prussia possessed of this supreme distinction, which, by the way, was bestowed upon him by his Majesty on his sovereign's eightieth birthday, in fulfilment of a jesting promise made ten years previously.

During the customary birthday reception of the court and household on the 22nd of March, 1867, William I., who had that morning completed his tale of three score years and ten, singled out Dr. Lauer from the circle of State officials gathered round him, and shook hands with him, observing jocularly, "Well, Lauer, if you manage to get me as far as eighty, this day ten years I'll make you an excellent present !" Sure enough, a decade later, on the Emperor's natal day, Dr. Lauer received his diploma as Privy Councillor and "Excellency," accompanied by a draft on his Majesty's private bankers for the Prussian equivalent of seven thousand guineas, his valedictory fee as "Body Surgeon to the Emperor and King."—*London Telegraph.*

The United States army had become sadly depleted, thirty of its members having deserted "in all directions." If thirty more should get away the army will have to adjourn for want of a quorum.

LATEST NEWS NOTES.

Facts From all over—Recent Notes of Interest.

The Imperial Court has been established in the Kremlin, Moscow.

Twelve deaths from cholera occurred in Manilla, on Friday and Saturday, and 346 in the vicinity.

The Russian Minister of Finance announced that during the first half of the present year the receipts of the Government increased 1,950,000 rubles ; expenditure increased, 23,000,000.

A despatch received in London states that the Danish Polar Expedition is ice-bound on the East Nova Zembla. The members of the expedition suffered extreme hardships. No deaths have taken place.

Heavy floods are reported in Lombardy and the Venetian and Tyrol districts. The city of Trent is submerged. Verona is also inundated. Several bridges have been demolished. No loss of life is reported.

Peru is under a fearful reign of terror. Wholesale butchering and burning constitutes the terms that Chili offers and receives. Bands of armed savages seem to bestow their barbarity upon either side with indifference.

It is stated in Dublin that owing to the release of a number of prisoners consequent upon the immediate expiration of the Coercion Act, the authorities have sent away certain persons suspected of informing, fearing that they might be murdered if they remained.

For publishing fraudulent despatches, professedly from Corea, and thus exciting disquietude by alarming reports, two Tokio newspapers have been suspended, and orders have been given to prevent cipher telegrams being sent from points near Corea during the existing crisis.

The Emperor William has written a letter to the King of Saxony regarding the recent organization of the Saxon army corps. The Emperor says it affords him sincere satisfaction to again assure himself how entirely the King's views coincide with his own respecting the immense importance of keeping troops in a state of readiness for war.

The man Overdonk, arrested during the Trieste celebration with bombs in his possession, was found at an inn with a companion. They were found filling shells with nitroglycerine. Overdonk fired at the gendarmes, but was speedily disarmed. The accomplice escaped through the window. Overdonk is a deserter from the Austrian army. The Emperor was in Trieste at the time.

The Guion Line steamer "Alaska," Captain Murray, which sailed from New York on September 12th for Queenstown and Liverpool, was signalled passing Fastnet at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. She made the trip in six days, fifteen hours and nineteen minutes. This is the fastest trip ever made between America and Europe. The next fastest time was made by the "Alaska"—namely, 6 days, 22 hours and 10 minutes to Queenstown.

A Vienna journal mentions a death that has occurred in Warsaw in consequence of wearing cinnamon-colored underclothing. The dye faded under perspiration and was partially absorbed by the skin, and poisonous matter contained in it caused death. The first symptoms were vertigo, bleeding from the mouth, and loss of sight. Physicians were unable to give relief, and the victim died in agony. He gave the name of the trader from whom he bought the underclothing in Vienna, and the Warsaw and Vienna police have been in communication about the occurrence. A solution of the dye given internally to a dog produced death in an hour.

Mistook His Man.

"Get off these flags, will you ?" shouted one of the men engaged in pulling down the pavement on the east side of Toronto street to a gentleman in broadcloth, who had stepped aside from the plank for pedestrians, and stood watching the workman's operations. The gentleman smiled grimly, and remarked that he fancied he had a right to look at the work ; he was interested in it. "What do you know about stonemasonry ?" enquired the workman contemptuously. "A great deal more than you, my man," was the gentleman's reply. "Well, I should smile," exclaimed the fellow with a coarse laugh, and then he ordered, with an oath, the gentleman to walk on and mind his own business, which he presently did. "Do you know who that gentleman is ?" asked a reporter, who had overheard the conversation. "Naw !" was the gruff reply. "Well, I'll tell you—that is Hon. Alex. Mackenzie, the ex-premier of Canada. The interest he took in your job was a real one, for though he quit his trade years ago, he was, it is said, one of the best stone-masons in Canada, and I guess, could give you a point or two in masonry." The surly rock-wrestler looked first incredulous, and then, as he became convinced, thunder-struck. Very likely he put in the rest of the day on the ragged edge of suspense, waiting for his boss to come around and lecture him on incivility.—*Mail.*

A Famous Rogue Elephant Shot.

Mr. G. R. Theobald of the Forest Department, has succeeded in shooting the famous rogue elephant of the Poonas Hills, in the Kollegal Taluk. Mr. Theobald was twice charged by the brute, which was a huge tusker, measuring eleven feet in height, and which has kept the hill villagers in terror for a very long time. This elephant was a few years back driven with twenty-four others into the Kollegal Keddah, at Allambady, but he resisted every effort to capture him, and, being such a large tusker, no pains was spared to secure him, though it was all in vain.

Out of the twenty-four elephants captured with him, he killed no less than nineteen, and finally broke through the keddah gate in spite of the shots fired at him and the fires kept burning. After his escape he is known to have killed three, two women and a man, and many others had very narrow escapes from his furious headlong charges. Besides human beings, he has killed several cattle, and destroyed great quantities of standing crops, causing immense loss to the ryots.

"Speaking of shad, would you say the price has gone up or has risen ?" inquired a schoolboy of a fishmonger. "Well," replied the scale-scraper, "speaking of shad, I should say it had rose."

ANTI-BILIOUS.

The idea that a bonnet is always uppermost in a woman's mind is entertained only by unmarried men. She wants everything else first.

A society journal says it is only one man in a dozen who can leave a house in a graceful manner. Do the other eleven slide down the steps ?

The bookkeeper in a country newspaper office has disappeared, taking the keys of the safe with him. The keys were probably the most valuable things he could find about the place.

The guests have dined and the host hands round a case of cigars. "I don't smoke myself," he says, "but you will find them good—my man steals more of them than any other brand I ever had."

A citizen of Cincinnati has discovered that a small quantity of Limburger cheese taken to bed with him at night keeps the mosquitoes away. This certainly shows good taste on the part of the mosquitoes.

A physician says whistling is a good exercise for the lungs. But what does it benefit a youth to have a sound pair of lungs if he is destined to have his head caved in by a brick before he reaches the voting age ?

An exchange contains an article headed, "An Aged Man Dies." There is something singular about this. It is not the first case of the kind. Several aged men have died this year. There must be a new epidemic going around. Not enough ozone in the atmosphere, or something.

"Remember," said the venerable Brother Gardner, as he brought the proceedings of the Lime Kiln Club to a close the other evening, "remember, as we percolate homewards, dat while a pussen may have a voice like a tornady an' a mouth like a woodshed, de man who winks wid his left eye allus gets de bes' glass of soda-water."

In New York, recently, twenty-five young men were given instructions, on practical and scientific plumbing. The practical part, it is presumed, consisted in tearing up $50 worth of flooring to repair a 40 cent leak which was was located in another place, while the scientific portion comprised the art of making out a bill.

In boring a well at Cloverdale, Cal., the auger, at a depth of thirty feet, passed through a white-pine log, and six inches further struck a tree standing on end, and was to cease operations. It was about time to stop. If they had bored a foot deeper they might have struck a party of campers-out playing seven-up under the tree, and created a picnic.

A boy paid his first visit to one of the public schools the other day as a scholar, and as he came home at night his mother inquired : "Well, Henry, how do you like going to school ?" "Bully !" he replied, in an excited voice. "I saw four boys licked, one girl get her ear pulled, and a big scholar burned his elbow on the stove. I don't want to miss a day."

A guest at the table of a boarding house on the Catskill mountains, who was about to tackle a piece of dried-apple pie, addressing the landlady, said : "Do you think you could furnish me with a bit of cheese ?" "I don't know whether there is any," she answered, in a cast-iron tone of voice, "but if you'll have patience I'll send a waiter to look through the mouse-traps and see."

The California small-boy is a hard one to fool. The other day in San Francisco a lank six-footer who was "got up" after the style of Buffalo Bill, was parading the streets when two street gamins exposed him in this manner. "Bill, this ere bloke is a fraud, he is ; he ain't no scout or injun fighter ; he is one of them fellows as sells patent soap to clean your clothes." "How do yer know that he's a fraud ?" asked the other. "Cos I seen him wiping his nose with a handkercher instead of with his fingers, as all real scouts does."

Annamese Superstitions.

The English consul, in his trade report on Saigon and Cochin China for the past year, gives an interesting account of some of the superstitions which prevail in Annam. It is bad luck for a fish to leap on board a boat ; the fish must be cut in two and thrown into the water again, half on either side. The capture of a porpoise is a very bad omem, for he is the messenger of infernal gods. The cries of a "Gecko," if odd, are lucky ; if even, the reverse. A bird crying at night is always bad— a presage of death, in fact. This is regarded as infelicitous, for some birds of the country only cry at night, and all night. The squeak of a musk-rat announces visits. A cock crowing at noon foretells that the daughters of the house will not turn out well. The tiger is, of course, much dreaded, and the mention of him is interdicted in some districts. Sacrifices of pigs are made at least yearly, with a document attached, which is, or should be, exchanged by the beast for the one sent him the previous year ; if the tiger omits this, it is a bad lookout for the village. However, it is all an affair of predestination, so it does not matter much. The water-buffalo is an imaginary animal living in rivers, and only coming on shore at night ; for all that, he is patent enough in the district, and uncomfortably curious towards Europeans. The Annamese have several kinds of talking birds—commonly a starling or a raven, which looks after the property while the master is absent, and recounts what has passed when he returns. To meet a serpent in the road is a very bad omen, and whatever business is then in hand must be renounced. As for ghosts and spirits they abound in Annam—always, everywhere, and of all descriptions.

Large Watermelons.

By carefully pruning and protecting his vines, and allowing one or two melons to ripen on each vine, a Georgia farmer succeeds in getting watermelons weighing sixty pounds and more. One growing melon weighed sixty-five pounds, and was expected to reach seventy or seventy-five pounds by the time it was fully ripe. These melons bring from fifty cents to a dollar each at the nearest town. The secret of his success, he claims, is in judicious pruning, an art to be learned only by experience.

Miller Jim's Daughter.

"Yes, that's the old mill over there. Kind of purty and romantic-looking, aint it? But it seems awful lonesome to us folks as knew it full of life and just piling in the grist all day long. That there water-wheel didn't stop for repairs in them days ; it just buzzed along all the time, and the teams stood all around, and you'd see the boys comin' up the hill ridin' an old mare, with a great sack of grain thrown over her instead of a saddle—trit-trot, trit-trot, and a half grown, barefooted boy on her neck—folks allus sent a boy to the mill in those days, if they had one. And you see that there old house ? There's where Miller Jim and his darter lived. We boys used to cast sheep's eyes over at that door, I tell you, and when she'd come and look out kind of unconscious like and purtend not to see us, but shade her eyes with her hand and look way down the valley, it was just as if an angel from Heaven had lit down there. Purty ? Why, there wa'n't a chap in Sugar Valley that didn't think she was the handsomest gal in the world, and when she smiled on any of us with that kind of sort of sweet insinuatin' way she had, we'd just have walked on hot plowsheers for her and drawed lots for the privilege.

"What are you figurin' ? a sketchin' the ruin ? Well, ye don't see any ruin there, but that of the senseless wood and stone. The ruin was made by one of you painter chaps, darn his picter ! If I could have held his head in the mill-race for half an hour, I'd have died happy—and that's what makes me cry now like a poor, weak critter. I introduced him to her ; he was a moovin' round here gettin' sketches, as he called 'em, of the valley, and I may as well own up he was a nice, smart-looking, well-spoken chap, and paid his way liberally. He said he was only working for amusement, and so it turned out, and one day I told him he hadn't ever seen the prettiest picter in the place, and I said it was Miller Jim's darter, and he'd ought to see her. The next Sunday I was at the church and so was the painter chap, and we happened to sit together, and when the choir sang there was one voice that kind of carried the tune alone. I knew it well, and it made me tremble all over with happiness, and the stranger listened and says he, in a whisper, 'What a heavenly voice."

"Yes," says I, "and its her ; the one in the straw bonnet and white veil, the girl that's singin' air—that's Miller Jim's darter.

"After church nothing would do but I must introduce him—which I did, God forgive me,—and he walked by her and carried her book just as if he had allus known her, but then her father was with them, only he wasn't of any account, kind of shiftless, believed everybody honest, till he found them out, and then he would kinder apolgize for them, and he'd lend money as long as he had a penny in his pocket, if anyone made up a good story, and never locked a door, or took over toll, or made a sharp bargin : kind of witless or foolish, with a soft heart that allus kept him poor, though I don't know as he ever wanted anything much.

"Well beauty *is* a misfortune, if the grace of God doesn't go with it. Nobody suspicioned ennything wrong when all to oncet it came over us like a thunder-blast. The miller's girl was gone ; gone with the painter chap, but we never knew how or where. There was more than one of us that was goin' to ask Miller Jim about it, but when we come to look in his face we just didn't say anything. The miller was a changed man ; he'd allers had a smile and a pleasant word for us boys—he wasn't ever what you could call jolly, but he had his quiet little jokes—they were the same old ones over and over, but we expected 'em. Now, he had a look in his face as if something inside was dead ; and his lips that used to be kind of smiling and foolish, they were shut like a vise, and he never mentioned her name to living mortal.

"And he got sort o' absent-minded—forgot to take toll from a widow's grist—used to stop little children and kiss them or pat them on their heads, and there was allus a tear just falling from his eyes—cold, I 'spose, 'cause he didn't take any care of himself ; and then he took a good bit of notice of a little child—a pretty little mite of a girl—that lived near, and one day he see her leaning out of an upstairs window and he run over and told her mother she would fall mebbe, and get hurt ; the woman had an ugly temper and she says to him, says she : "I kin take care of my own children, that's more than you could do with yours !" and he looked at her sort of still and white for a moment and turned away ; the next day the mill warn't goin', nor the next, and on the third we looked, and found him in the race—but whether he slipped in or drowned himself of purpose, of course nobody can tell for sure. I've often looked into the faces of handsome wimmen I've seen since then, and tried to find one that favored that gal of Miller Jim's, but for right down sweetness and rale beauty I've never seen her equal, and how she could leave us all, as would have died for her, is more than I can conceit. That's a rale good picter you've got of the mill, but you can't see the hull of it—there's two people there, when I look at it, and one of them is—I wish I had the trick of painting a picture from memory—she—why there's something in my eyes—it's the dampness I guess—this mill air allus does affect me just so."—*Detroit Free Post.*

Husbands and Wives.

A good husband makes a good wife. Some men can neither do without wives nor with them : they are wretched alone in what is called single blessedness, and they make their home miserable when they get married ; they are like Tompkin's dog, which could not bear to be loose, and howled when it was tied up. Happy bacholors are like happy husbands, and a happy husband is the happiest of men. A well-matched couple carry a joyful life between them, as the two spies carried the cluster of Eschol. They are a brace of birds of Paradise. They multiply their joys by sharing them, and lessen their troubles by dividing them ; this is fine arithmetic. The waggon of care rolls lightly along as they pull together, and when it drags a little heavily, or there's a hitch anywhere, they love each other all the more, and so lighten the labor.

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FACTS ABOUT BEARS.

Bear Ordinary no More Dangerous than a Woodchuck.

I rise for a few remarks on the bear. I have known bruin for the past forty years. I have met him on the trail in northern Michigan, Pensylvania, and the North Woods. I have seen him in Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Ordinary bruin is about as dangerous as a raccoon or the festive woodchuck. But it does happen that the mother of any mammal will ignore danger to herself in defence of her young. Almost any animal will go wild and reckless of danger in defence of her young, and the bear is wonderful on muscle. Consequently, when a bear turns on her tormentors it is well to keep back about eighty-five and a half feet. She doesn't want to hurt anybody. She only wants to get her babes away from that fearful biped with the Derby hat and a dead rabbit cut on his hair.

If you humor her you are safe enough. If you want to put your hounds on her, making the escape of her cubs doubtful: well, you takes your choice." If you drive her to desperation and she has the grit to stand by her cubs, "better you stand a leedle back."

I have bagged a good deal of bear meat. I have been twice on a lone cruise in the North Woods. I saw several bears there—all intent on their own affairs.

So light was the danger from wild animals there, and so childish seemed the immense arrangements of the average tourist, that I came to leave not only my rifle, but my revolver behind. And I found the eight-ounce rod and the pocket hatcher all sufficient for defence against wild beasts. All the same, a she bear with cubs may be dangerous. I will give three instances that I can vouch for:

Forty years ago "Jim Steele," with a record of seven panthers, twenty-one bears, and 1,300 deer, resided at the mouth of "Asoph Run." He sent his son aged 14, up the creek for the cows one evening. The boy come back frightened and crying, saying that a big bear had chased and nearly caught him. Old Jim was disgusted at the boy's cowardice. Leaving his rifle he went back with the boy, and at the mouth of the Kennedy Run the boy commenced to say, "it was just here," when an immense bear jumped from under the bank, reared on her hind legs, and, showing all the teeth she had, growling, snarling, and threatening, made at the party. Old Jim took it in at once. "Jump on my back," he yelled to the youngster, which the boy did at once; and yelling, backing, and flourishing a knife, all the weapon he had, old Jim and the boy got away. Then they saw the mother bear cross the "riffle" on the creek and scatter up the mountain side, to be seen no more of men forever.

Thirty-two years ago, "Harry Ellis," born and bred on Pine Creek, guided a party to the huckleberry hills of the Barrens. While prospecting for the best berrying grounds he was suddenly confronted by an immense bear, which arose from behind a large fallen trunk, and, rearing on her hind legs, made directly at him, roaring, grunting, snarling, and showing her best array of teeth. Harry seized and flourished a pine knot, whooping and yelling at the top of his voice, as he ran backward at his best pace for a few rods only, when the bear turned and quickly conveyed her two cubs out of danger.

On the same range of hills I once went huckleberrying with Farmer T., his wife, and daughter on invitation. Our rig was a two-horse farm waggon, the bottom of the waggon packed with inverted tubs and buckets. Distance to the gr und, twenty-one miles.

By dint of starting at 3 a. m., and abusing the horses to unwonted speed, we were on the ground at 11 a. m., among the berries so plenty that the ground was absolutely hidden. It was a short job to pick a bushel of berries on such ground; but I had been there before, and I thought I knew a place about three-quarters of a mile westward, where the berries were equally plenty, but larger. So I took a large tin pail and started. Half way to the ground there is a gulch to be crossed, and this gully was badly blocked with fallen timber. When near the bottom I halted to select the best route for getting by or over some fallen trees that lay in my path, when a very large, dingy-looking "brown-nosed" bear sprang on a pine. sprang off again directly at me, got on her hind legs, and began to play the usual game of scare—showing all her teeth, making the savage, roaring, barking, growling noise common to enraged bears. On the instant I commenced a lively retrograde movement. Once I caught my heels and tumbled over backward, but got up suddenly. It was a Chinese fight. Growling, snarling, teeth and claws on one side; whooping, yelling, and pounding tinware on the other. Nobody hurt. Bear badly scared. As for myself, I wasn't scared a bit! As for the bear; it goes without saying that when she had played me off a few rods, she got down on all fours and took herself out with her cubs for all she was worth.—*From the Forest and Stream.*

How to Cool an Apartment.

A simple way of cooling the air of a room is described in the New Orleans *Picayune* of a recent date. The composing room of the *Picayune* is situated in the upper story of its publication house, just under the roof, and in summer is extremely hot. This season an inspiration seems to have come to one of the oppressed occupants, and in accordance with it a vertical wooden box was constructed in the corner of the room, with openings at the floor and ceiling, and furnished with a pipe for supplying water at the top, and a pan and drain at the bottom for receiving the flow and carrying it safely away. The supply pipe was bent over the upper end of the shaft, and fitted with a rose like that of a watering pot, so as to deliver a shower of spray instead of a solid stream. On connecting it with the service pipe, the movement of the water was found to cause an active circulation of the air in that part of the room, which was drawn in at the upper opening of the draft and issued again, cool and fresh, at the floor level. The most surprising thing about the experiment seems to have been the effect of the water in cooling the air to a degree much below its own temperature. With Mississippi water, which when drawn from the service pipe indicated a temperature of 84°, the air of the room, in which the thermometer at the beginning of the trial stood at 96°, was cooled in passing through the length of the shaft to 74°, or about 20° below the temperature at which it entered, and 10° below that of the water which was used to cool it. Of course the absorption of heat by the evaporation of a portion of the water accounts for its refrigerating effect, but the result seems to have been so easily and inexpensively attained that the experiment would be well worth repeating in other cases.

MURDERER OR MADMAN.

The Confession of Westgate to the Assassination of Lord Frederick Cavendish.

A letter from Kingston, Jamaica, dated August 21, states: Westgate, alias Patrick O'Brien, the alleged murderer of Lord Frederick Cavendish and Mr. Burke, has been removed from her Majesty's ship Fantome to Spanishtown jail, as the Fantome was ordered to Barbados to take the place of her Majesty's ship Dido, now stationed at Port Royal. The prisoner (Westgate) is a man of ordinary build. He has a full and rather dark beard, about three inches in length all round, had nothing on his feet when on board the Fantome, and was dressed in blue trousers, jacket and slouched hat. He looked nervous, but would have easily been mistaken for one of the "tars" if at liberty. He still adheres to his former confessions. He has several time threatened suicide, and a close watch is kept over him to prevent any accident. He says that he left Dublin on the night of the assassination and proceeded by the night mail to Holyhead, and thence went to Cardiff, and from Cardiff he sailed in the Gladstone for Porto Cabello, where he was arrested by the British representative on his own confession. He says that the authorities at Porto Cabello treated him very harshly, and that he has been very kindly dealt with on board the Fantome. He was in a very dirty condition, and had to undergo a thorough washing when delivered to the officers of the Fantome. When asleep he is troubled with fearful dreams, and raves very excitedly. The doctor was called several times to ascertain what was wrong, and the ship and prison doctor affirm that he is suffering acutely from very intense excitement. He confessed to having returned before entering the car, and to having given Lord Frederick Cavendish a stab in the back, and that he was employed and paid £20 by Mr. O'Connor, member of Parliament, for his share in the deed. He says that his wife resides in Dublin, and that her father also lives there. He wrote a letter to his father-in-law, but not to his (prisoner's) wife. He is a hearty eater, and he is liberally supplied with all the necessities of life. He even got whiskey on board the Fantome when he called for it. He speaks with a strong Irish accent, and one night he called on a man named McColl, saying: "Well, Mr. McColl you have got your money and I have not got mine yet. I was on board the mail steamer and saw the Captain and postman, but I have not got my money yet."

He has revealed the names of his alleged accomplices to the authorities, but the names he gave are kept strictly secret. The general belief here is that he had something to do with the Phœnix Park murder, and this belief gains ground even although news has been published here stating that Westgate had sailed previous to the murder. The prisoner may not be Westgate, but it is certain he is either a murderer or a madman. One day while looking carelessly through the Sunday at Home magazine his eye caught the words. "The assassination of Lord Mayo,', and he jumped with fear and asked his keeper, "What's that?" He then turned over the leaves excitedly, and seemed to be lost with fear and excitement. No one is permitted to see Westgate in prison, unless those who have of necessity to see him.

The authorities here are waiting further orders for England. Meantime the prisoner is continuing to eat heavy meals, and his general appearance is that of a heartless, helpless witling.

The Catacombs of Rome.

Among the wonders of the metropolis of the world the catacombs or subterranean vaults and passages are certainly not the least. The first Christians, persecuted with atrocious cruelty by the pagan imperial government of Rome, sought refuge for safety, occasionally in the catacombs, and sometimes also that they might assemble without incurring suspicion, in large numbers, to instruct themselves in the doctrines of their new religion. These subterranean passages were also undoubtedly the resort of fugitive slaves and other miserable beings, who sought refuge from the tyrannical government of imperial Rome, over which have presided some of the direst monsters that ever existed—Nero, Caligula, Heliogabalus, and other despots in purple. Among these subterranean passages there are, it appears, different kinds. Some were constructed for the purpose of receiving the dead, others were used as water conduits, and supplied the city with rivers of fresh water for a population of two millions. The Cloaca Maxima, which led from Rome to the sea, is a famous example of many more smaller hidden roads, constructed by rich private individuals at an enormous expense, in which they could secrete themselves from the depredations of those greatest of all robbers. the Emperors, and in later times from the persecution and massacres of the barbarians. The soil upon which Rome is built, as well as that in its immediate neighborhood, offers great facilities to the excavator, being composed of volcanic clay, easy to pierce, yet sufficiently solid band impenetrable against damp to form a secure habitation. In fact, to this day many shepherds, with their flocks, lodge in these artificial caverns.

When an orchard requires fertilizing it is best to do this all over the ground and not to apply manure only near the trees. This produces a large growth of roots close to the trees, for roots grow where soil is richest. Orchards need lime and ashes more than manure, and these soon produce heathy, smooth bark.

An explosion of fire damp has occurred in a mine near Dortmund, Germany, and 20 persons were killed or injured.

Practical Hints for the Farmer.

LATE SOWN RYE FOR SPRING FODDER.

There are differences of opinion as to the value of late sown rye as a crop for early spring feeding. These differences are almost entirely due to the circumstances of the soil and season. Should the soil be poor the rye crop, like any other, will be poor, and should the season close in with hard freezing soon after sowing, the plants will not have made sufficient roots to save them from injury. If, on the other hand, the soil is rich and mellow, and the sowing is done so early that strong, well rooted plants may form, then a profitable crop may be expected. The writer has seen most satisfactory results obtained by plowing under a sod—previously well manured—in late autumn, and the ground sown to rye. In the spring this field yielded a heavy growth of fine green fodder, which was used to feed a flock of sheep and other small stock. After this pasturage was over the rye "stubble" was turned under with a heavy coat of manure, and the field planted to corn. In this case the rye was what is termed a stolen crop. Some portion of the field was clay and the additional tillage had a good effect upon the mechanical conditions of the soil. The green crop thus produced came in at just that time in the spring when a supply of fodder of this kind is of special value—the pastures not having fully started and the dry stored food being limited in quantity and of high price.

NOTES ON LIVE STOCK.

The horses of the farm should be called upon for hard work this month. Plowing and other field work is a steady pull upon horse-flesh throughout the month, and to get good work we must feed well. Many horses cannot work on new grain (corn, oats or barley) unless it is thoroughly dried. It will get dry in time by ordinary exposure, but enough may be dried for daily use by artificial means, and often with the best results. Young stock and pigs may have nubbins and soft corn, but do not feed the work or road horses with such stuff. Take good care of old horses; a horse sound at fifteen years is worth two colts; give him good feed and pasturage, and steady work on the farm. The younger horses may do on the road, but take care of the old servants for steady work. They will repay the care. Farm horses are not half groomed as a rule. There are no surer safeguards against disease than regular feeding and watering, and thorough grooming.

Cows.—There is an abundance of feed for milch cows this month on farms where roots form a prominent crop. The tops of beets, mangels, rutabagas and carrots, to say nothing of cabbages, are exceedingly well relished, and are excellent milk feed. This is one of the best months for cows to calve, because provision may be made for having so much good feed at little cost. Everywhere within a hundred miles of a large city, or within the proper "milk radius" of any town, milk is worth much more in winter than in summer, and should be produced.

Veal.—Fall calves rarely get the size that spring calves do, because they cannot have so much milk, but by using a little milk, and that skimmed, after the second week, they will do very well on hay tea and boiled linseed-cake gruel, to which some milk is added. They must be gradually accustomed to this diet, but will thrive upon it and make excellent veal at six or eight weeks old.

Sheep.—Ewes bred in October, "yean" in March—rather early, except upon farms which can make early lambs a specialty. Sheep make as good manure as any farm stock, and whoever has much wheat straw should consider what better use he can make of it than to buy up some cheap sheep if he can find them, and winter them chiefly on straw, with a very little hay, and corn enough to coat their ribs well before spring, when they can be turned off at "cost and expenses," with a fine lot of manure for clear profit on the investment.

Pigs for slaughter should be confined and not allowed to forage for a living. They will fatten rapidly on little food. Small potatoes boiled, with a little meal added, will push them forward so that advantage may be taken of the market in case prices advance, or so that they will be well protected by fat against cold snaps should they come suddenly. It is truly said that nubbins will go further in October than sound corn in November.

Brood sows should have the range of the orchards, where the wind-falls and grubs will furnish a good part of their food, and warm snug shelters where they can lie together during storms and keep one another warm.

Poultry.—There is always a time early in November, or before, when well fattened poultry will sell for much more than fowl of the same quality will at Christmas. In fact, if the weather during next month be raw and cold, pigs and poultry may be fed well and not only not gain at all in weight, but not sell for as much as they would bring now. After the holidays, prices begin to advance again. When poultry are once fat, to keep them so at little cost they must be kept warm, fed at least three times a day, and always have fresh water.

Laying fowls should have warm quarters, well lighted—supplied with dust boxes, by which the whole establishment may be made intolerably dusty in every corner—fed twice a day—soft feed with a little meat at 10 o'clock, and hard grain at dusk, with a good range, and plenty of pure water.

KEEPING GRAPES.

In keeping grapes, the first essential is a grape that will keep. The varieties differ greatly in this respect, the one most cultivated, the Concord, being the poorest keeper. Catawba, Diana, Iona, and Isabella, are among the best keepers. These do not succeed everywhere, but in localities where they will do well, they are still among the most profitable. The generally popular Delaware keeps better than the Concord, but not so long as those mentioned. To have grapes keep in the best condition, they must be carefully handled, as the broken skin of a single berry will cause decay to set in. The usual method is to pack the fruit in wooden boxes, holding three or five pounds. These boxes are made at all the grape centres. While paste-board boxes will answer for grapes that are to be sold at once, wooden ones are required for those to be kept. To keep well, the fruit must be thoroughly ripe. An experienced eye will at once by way the manner in which the cluster hangs from the vine, if the fruit is ripe. The stalk by which the cluster is attached loses its stiffness, and the bunch hangs directly down. Handling the fruit removes the bloom, and injures its appearance, hence the bunch should always be held by the stem. The implement stores have scissors which hold the cluster after it is cut, and all handling is avoided. The fruit is picked, is placed in shallow trays or boxes, these are conveyed to the fruit house, and stacked up in such a manner that the air will circulate among them. Large vineyards have special fruit houses, these are built like an ice-house, with double walls filled in with saw-dust, and a stove is provided to use in severe weather. In the absence of such a house a room in the dwelling or in an out-building may be used. The object is to keep the temperature uniform and as cool as may be, without freezing. There should be abundant ventilation, and the direct sunlight excluded. The grapes in these trays will "cure" in a few days, that is, the skin will become toughened and the stems less rigid. When cured, they may be packed in boxes, or they may be left in the trays until marketed. Some growers pack at once, as soon as the fruit is in proper condition, and keep it in the boxes until it is sent off. The boxes are opened at the bottom and the bunches laid in, taking care to select such clusters as will pack closely; they should be so full that some pressure will be required in nailing on the bottom. The label of the grower is placed upon the top of the box, either before or after packing. The care as to temperature already mentioned must be observed with the fruit after it is packed. Put up in this manner many tons of grapes reach markets just before the holidays. For grapes that are sold as soon as ripe, various kinds of paper or wooden packages are used, according to the preference of the market to which they are sent.

A PROTECTION FROM FROSTS.

A cold snap usually comes in early autumn, after which there are weeks of the finest days in the year. It therefore pays to take some pains to protect the more tender plants during two or three frosty nights, that their bloom may be enjoyed afterwards. A light sheet, or even newspapers spread over beds of geraniums, coleus, etc., will save them, A group of cannas may in this way be kept in its beauty, while, if left unprotected. the luxuriant growth is cut down by the frost, and soon becomes unsightly. Any one who has gone to all the care and toil of bringing a fine bed of tender plants to perfection, should certainly use every precaution to preserve the plants as long as possible.

A Texas Goat Ranch.

The editor of the *Uvaide Hesperian* made a visit to the famous Nueces Canon, including the Angora ranch of S. J. Arnold & Bros. Here the canon widens out for a distance of seven miles — in fact, it is the widest and most beautiful spot in the canon. These gentlemen own and control about 15,000 acres, embracing the rich valleys of the Maverick Creek on the west and Ranch Creek on the east, which are only miniature canons putting into the Nueces Valley from either side, furnishing an abundance of grass and water the year round, and which is used as a summer range, while in Kinney County they have another ranch where they winter their sheep until after the lambing season, keeping the goats on the home ranch during the kidding season. Six years ago these gentlemen commenced with 875 goats and 1,400 head of sheep. And now they have 4,000 of the former and 8,000 of the latter. Their losses in sheep will amount to about the same in money value as their purchases, while on the goat question they are $2,000 ahead of their losses, besides their increase. During this period their losses from disease and otherwise have not been over 2 per cent. on their goats. They run seven different flocks, which give steady employment to seven herders, besides a viciero (who superintends the flocks), as well as extra hands to attend to other work on the ranch. In the shearing, lambing, and dipping seasons of course the number is greatly augmented. On this ranch the goats have been improved up by the best of thoroughbred billies until the grades run from one-half to fifteen-sixteenths. Last spring their goat clip amounted to 1,200 pounds, which was sold in New York at an average of 40 cents. We have often heard the question asked, what profit is there in goats? In common goats the profit lies in the hides and tallow, which always command a good price, and the supply of good meat in shape that will not spoil in warm weather before it can be used up. By using Angora sires a flock can be graded up so high that the wool is more profitable than that of sheep, where the animal itself is hardier, more prolific, and less expensive.—*Galveston (Tex.) News.*

The Matter With the Telephone.

"I doan' know vhat I shall do mit dat telephone of mine," observed a citizen as he entered the headquarters of the company yesterday and sat down in a discouraged way.

"Out of order, is it?"

"Sometimes it vhas, and sometimes it vhas all right. If I go to speak mit der coal man, or der City Hall, or der butcher, it vhas all right, und I can hear every word. If somepody vhants to order my peer I get de name shust as plain as daylight."

"And when does it fail?"

"Vhell, shust like two hours ago. A saloon man he owes me $18, and I rings him oop und calls out, 'Hello! hello! I likes dot monish to-hay!' Den he vhants to know who I am, und he says he can't catch der name. I tell him oafer und oafer, und by und by he calls oot dot he doan' deal in watermelons, und dot he goes in to pave Gratiot street, und dot he is sorry he can't sign any betition to der Council. Den I haf to go all oafer again, und he tells me to stand back, und to come closer, und to speak louder, und at last he gits mad und tells me dot if I call him a dandy again he'll proke my head. It's no use—I can't make one of my customers hear me. If sometings' doan' ail my telephone, it may be ash my voice is giving out. I vhish you would examine me und see if I had better let my son Shon do der talking vhile I keep der pooks."—*Detroit Free Press.*

Mr. Stanley, the African explorer, has arrived in Lisbon.

Another Broken Neck Cured.

About five months ago a teamster named John Collery attempted to drive his team through a barn door, and in doing so had his head forced down upon his breast until his neck was broken. Police Surgeon Stambaugh made an examination of the injured man, and found that his seventh cervical vertebra was fractured, and that the spinal cord had been stretched out nearly two inches.

After his removal to his home, Collery states that he was laid flat on his back with a sort of fence about his neck and head which kept him immoveable for over two months. Both the body of the vertebra and the arching laminæ were discovered to be broken, and the operation of joining them together without pinching the spinal cord where it had sagged between the ragged edges as described is one of the most difficult ever performed. For a month the patient lay on his back, completely paralyzed in one-half of his body, and with but little feeling in the other. If he moved in the slightest degree during the first fortnight he could plainly feel the jagged edges of the bone grate together, and for hours after such an attempt he was content to lie on his hard bed without attempting to move a muscle for fear that the spinal cord should be crushed, and his existence ended in a twinkling.

The straightest position attainable was required, and to this end Dr. Stambaugh was compelled to refuse him a mattress, forcing him to lie on a wide plank. Collery says that before his eight weeks of enforced quietness was ended he thought the board was made of adamant. The most dangerous time experienced, he says, was one day when an attendant told him that a man whose neck could stand breaking as his had was not born to be hanged. His desire to laugh was irresistible, and the shaking up his merriment gave him caused his fastenings to burst, and the fracture came near breaking afresh. During the first five weeks he did not move a foot from the first posture.

The paralysis has now almost entirely disappeared, and Dr. Stambaugh yesterday promised him that he would be able to go work within six months. The average fatality in cases of clearly defined fracture of the spine is estimated at 999 in 1,000.

Fishing for Rats.

A novel mode of catching rats is thus described in the *American Angler*. The writer says that a person having the patience of most fishermen can have much sport in hooking the vermin.

The warehouse adjoining his place of business is infested by these "file-tales," and our friend may be seen in the early spring and late fall, on an occasional evening just after dusk, seated at the back window of his counting room (overlooking the yard of the warehouse), with an ordinary rod in hand, strong linen line, and a spring hook, commonly called a "sockdolager," baited with a lump of fresh beef, patiently waiting for a bite. It does not tarry long nor does it consume itself in nibbles, but with a hungry snap the bait is seized and the hooks of the sockdolager impales the rat, when the excitement commences.

A lusty rat is no mean antagonist at the end of a pliant pole and ten feet of line, and his plunges, twistings, and straight-away dashes are more perplexing to the angler than the leaps, surges, and sulkings of the gamy trout or bass. The rat is generally landed, after seasonable sport, and killed by a blow from a bludgeon.

In this connection we may state that thousands of small hooks are bought by sugar refiners for ratting purposes. The hooks are baited with small pieces of beef on each, and then distributed about the building. The rats swallow beef and hook—the first is digested, the latter is not—death of course results. The remedy is said to be infallible.

Treatment of Diphtheria.

The *Medical Press* says that Dr. Deuker, who, during twenty-four years of very extensive practice in the Children's Hospital, St. Petersburg, has treated upward of two thousand cases of diphtheria, and tried all the remedies, both internal and external, employed in this affection, has obtained the best results from the following method, which he has employed for the last ten years. As soon as the white spots appear on the tonsils he gives a laxitive mainly composed of senna, which produces an abundant evacuation. When the purgative effect has ceased he gives cold drinks, acidulated with hydrochloric acid, and every two hours a gargle composed of lime water and hot milk in equal parts. Dr. Deuker affirms that when this treatment is commenced early it is generally and rapidly successful.

The Cradle of the Bootblack.

New York lays claim to be the place where the street bootblack first appeared, but Boston says the professional bootblack is essentially an institution of the "Hub." The *Traveller* of the latter city says at first the business was associated with window-washing, chimney-sweeping, clothes cleaning and waiting and tending. In time, however, it became a distinct branch, and many of the bootblacks of that day acquired a handsome independence and became real estate holders. The custom then was to call at the homes of the gentry, take the boots and shoes, string them on long poles and carry them to their respective places of business, polish and return them at an early hour the next day. These poles would hold a dozen or more pairs, and it was a novel sight to see the bootblacks passing to and fro.

England has no conception of really good coffee. That is the conclusion of the London *Times*. Adulterations by dealers and the unskilfulness of cooks combine to produce a beverage that is not what it ought to be. Englishmen can order the best Mocha coffee; they can be served with something which bears the name; they can pay highly for it; they can do everything but get it, and this, we are assured, they never do. All the best coffee which the Yemen district produces is kept for use in the East. Before it moves westward it has been carefully picked over, and the choicest berries have been extracted from it. It is only what remains after this process has been again and again gone through that ever reaches England.

METHODIST UNION.

The question of union of the several Methodist bodies of this Dominion was one of the main questions before the General Conference in session at Hamilton, the past three weeks, and is no doubt interesting to all, more or less. We give below the report of the Union Committee.

The Committee appointed by the General Conference to consider the question of a union with the several branches of Methodism in this Dominion, viz., the Methodist Church of Canada, the Methodist Episcopal Church of Canada, the Premitive Methodist Church, Bible Christian Church, beg to submit the following report:—Your Committee, in accordance with instructions received from the General Conference, has met the several committees appointed by the other Churches above named, with the view to ascertain if such a general union is practicable, and what modification, if any, of the existing economy of the various churches would be regarded as essential in any proposed basis of union. We found the brethern composing the above-named Committee ready to co-operate cordially in the endeavour to reach a common understanding in reference to term of union, and by a hearty and unanimous vote the discipline of the Methodist Church of Canada was accepted as a basis of negotiations. At the same time it was felt that no union could be lasting or benificial which does not carry with it the general consent of the membership of the churches represented, and that to secure this some mutual concessions would be necessary. In regard to doctrines, general rules, usages, and constitution of the lower courts, no difference of opinion was expressed. In regard to the General Conference there were two points in which certain concessions were desirable, viz., General Superintendency and lay representation in the annual conference. The representatives of the Methodist Episcopal Church express themselves as attaching great importance to the principals of Superintendency, but not in the particular form in which it has hitherto existed among them. They were of opinion that the church which they represented would yield the life appointments and seperate ordination, but would stand firmly by the principle of an Itinerant Superintendancy in some form, leaving the powers and functions of the office an open question. The representatives of Primitive Methodist and Bible Christian Churches while not advocating superintendency *per se*, expressed themselves as willing to accept the principle in order to promote a general union, provided that the other bodies would concede the principle of lay representation in all our Church courts be so recognized as to admit laymen into one annual Conference to some extent, and in some form. 2nd. The paragraph 86, page 39, of the discipline referring to the election by the general conference of its President be so amended as to provide for an Itinerant General Superintendency in some form. In reference to the former resolution, it was distinctly understood that the lay representation in the Annual Conference was not to affect the composition of the Stationing Committee or the examination of ministerial character. Your Committee having carefully considered the whole subject, in view of the desirableness of a United Methodist in Canada would venture to earnestly recommend the General Conference to adopt the above resolutions. It further recommends that the General Conference direct the appointment of a mixed Committee consisting of 27 persons, viz.:—Seven by the Toronto Conference, seven by the London Conference, five by the Montreal Conference, three by the Nova Scotia Conference, New Brunswick, and by the Newfoundland Conference to meet the Committee of the other bodies in the City of Toronto on the last Tuesday in November. The church in which the meeting shall be held and the hour of meeting to be arranged by the Toronto Conference. It further recommends that the members of the above named Committee be elected by the representatives of the several annual Conferences here present, and that said committee meet for orgazination before the rising of the General Conference. It still further recommends that should the Joint Committee agree as to the details of a basis of union. The plan of union agreed upon shall be submitted to the Quarterly Boards for approval or otherwise at the next February quarterly meeting.

It is further recommended that when the superintendents of circuits be required to report immediately to the Secretary of the General Conference the vote of the quarterly meetings, and should it be found that two-thirds of the quarterly meeting voting thereon have declared in favour of the plan of union proposed by the Joint Committee, the President of the General Conference shall convene the General Conference in order to give effect to the proposed union, said meeting of the General Conference to be held subsequently to the meeting of the Annual Conference. It further recommended that when the General Conference adjourn it adjourn to meet at the call of the chair. All of which is respectfully submitted, WM. WILLIAMS, Chairman. W. C. BROWN, Secretary.

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OSPREY NOTES.

From our own Correspondent.

Dry warm weather.

In Feversham and Maxwell everything is quiet.

Fall plowing and threshing the order of the day among the farmers.

The remains of the late Mr. W. Coutts were followed to their last resting place on Saturday by a large concourse of sympathizing friends.

FLESHERTON ITEMS.

An immense crowd was in town on the second day of the show; the number is estimated at between 4,000 and 5,000.

The ladies of the Methodist church gave a hot dinner on the fair ground which netted them $70.

Mr. Campaigne is preparing for winter, having taken unto himself a wife; and Mr. McPherson has gone to do likewise.

The Presbyterian Ladies' Association gave a hot dinner in the town hall on Fair Day, in connection with their annual bazaar, which was a grand success, and was followed by an entertainment in the evening, which was well attended. The proceeds amounted to the handsome sum of $140.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

Council met at Flesherton on Monday, 4th Sept., 1882.

Present—Messrs. Christoe, (Reeve,) Webster, Elliott, Wright and Pedlar.

Minutes of August session read and confirmed.

Communication from the Clerk of Proton read and referred to Mr. Wright.

Account from John Boland, pathmaster, for removing large stones from road, presented and laid over; also accounts from Wm. Richardson for telegram, and from Registrar for registering deed, presented and ordered to be paid.

By-law No. 343, levying school rates, was read a third time and passed. By-law No. 346, to appoint the following Collectors for the following year, was introduced and passed in the usual way.

Ward No. 1, John Hazard; Ward No. 2, Samuel Coleman, junr.; Ward No. 3, John Higginbotham; Ward No. 4, J. B. Sloan. Salary of each, $24.

Geo. Simpson was refunded $2, being statute labor charged which had been performed. James Genoe was paid fifty cents for repairing bridge on 25 sideroad.

A committee, composed of Messrs. Pedlar and Elliott, were appointed to meet a committee of Euphrasia Council, (if appointed,) in accordance with a petition of Jas. Stewart and others, to examine a proposed deviation on townline of Euphrasia and Artemesia.

W. J. Bellamy, Clerk.

FLESHERTON STATION.

An addition of 420 feet of siding has been built at this station.

Went Without Orders.—On Saturday last a car, on which was loaded timber for cattle-grards, became detached from a train at this station and left without orders, going towards Owen Sound. Mr. Scott, carpenter on the line, was on the car at the time, but there being no breaks on the car he was powerless to stop it, and being down grade it soon gained considerable speed. As it is mostly down grade from here to Markdale, in fact to Owen Sound, the car continued to increase its speed until it reached twelve miles an hour. In the meantime the fireman and two brakesmen started with the engine in pursuit, not waiting for driver, conductor or orders. They passed the Markdale section men about four miles from here in hot pursuit, the runaway having passed a short time previous. They, however, captured the car on the fly about 1½ miles south of Markdale and returned, no harm having been done.

The best reason yet advanced for having Monday washing day the next day after Sunday is because cleanliness is next to godliness.

The old-fashioned preacher used to claim that he had a call to preach. The modern preacher must hear the sound of the salary before he can regard the call.

Merse, who invented the telegraph, and Bell, the inventor of the telephone, both had deaf mute wives, which leads a wag to observe; "Just see what a man can do, when every thing is quiet."

A REALIZED HOPE.

O dear, it's very hard indeed to sit here patiently
And see that heartless little girl eat chicken for her tea!
She don't know how to take a hint, for I have said "Bow-wow,"
And no one could look [illegible] than I am looking now.

It surely is a [illegible]-stick that she's holding in her hand.
If I had that, I'd be the happiest puppy in the land.
I wonder [illegible] my nose.
I'd yelp out if I dared, but it would never do, I s'pose.

Ma had some meat like that one day, and I gnawed it, but since then,
She's watched me, and I've never had a single chance again.
I've dreamed of it sometimes!—*yap!—yap!*—
'Twould move a heart of stone,
That I'm too old for bread and milk, and yet too young for bone.

Perhaps if I should come up near, and play a little trick,
My mistress would throw down a bite; but no!
—"'Twill make him sick,"—
That's what she always says, and she laughs at my big head and feet.
'Twould serve her right if I should go and get lost in the street.

I look *so* young, she often says,—as if *she* didn't, too!—
There comes a bone! I whined so hard, I do believe she knew.
My, what a nose! With teeth like that, a pug like me deserves
Something beyond such trashy stuff as pickles and preserves.

—*Clara Louise Burnham, in St. Nicholas for October.*

DE LESSEPS' CANAL.

Sharp Argument to Show that Panama and Suez Widely Differ.

It is often taken for granted that because M. de Lesseps severed the Isthmus of Suez he must also succeed in severing that of Panama. But the ditch which he dug in the sand from Port Said to Suez cannot be for a moment compared to the channel which he has undertaken to hew through the rocks and swamps of Panama. The new canal will only be half as long as the old one, but, as it passes through a mountain range necessitating a clean cut 350 feet deep through solid rock, the difficulty of its construction cannot be estimated by its length. In Africa the River Nile was of invaluable service to M. de Lesseps. In America after the earthquakes, his greatest enemy is the River Charges, whose turbulent torrent, unless curbed by a dam the like of which has never been constructed by engineer, is certain to destroy the canal the first rainy season. In Suez he was close to the overstocked labor market of three continents, and in the immediate neighborhood of the workshops of the world. In Panama he has to import negroes from Jamaica and coolies from China. All his machinery has to be transported thousands of miles from Europe or America. But even in Suez he would probably have failed had it not been for the lavish support of the late Khedive and the powerful patronage of Napoleon III. The Colombian Government has no resources to place at his disposal, and the undisguised jealousy of the United States will probably lead to the construction of a competing canal with an American guarantee. Yet, even if we accept the Suez precedent, it is far from reassuring for the holders of Panama stock. When M. de Lesseps began to make the Suez Canal he estimated its cost at little more than £7,000,00. Before it was opened it cost little less than £20,000,000. M. de Lesseps estimates the cost of cutting the Panama Canal at £26,000,000. At the Suez rate it will not be completed at much below £60,-000,000. At present he has raised £6,000,-000, not including the money required to purchase the railroad. There is only one point more to which we need advert to-day. At Suez M. de Lesseps has a monopoly of the traffic, whereas the Foreign Affairs Committee of the American House of Representatives has already reported in favor of a bill incorporating a company with a Government guarantee to cut a maritime canal through Nicaragua. There may be traffic enough to pay for making one canal from the Atlantic to the Pacific, but what prospect is there of a dividend if there are two?

About Waltzing.

Some time since Mrs. General Sherman wrote a book about dancing in which she took strong ground on waltzing as being positively immoral. She said she would never allow a daughter of hers to be embraced in public in the way permitted by the customs of the day. Now comes to the front a Philadelphia dancing-master who announces that he will no longer teach the fashionable waltzes to young people. He is endeavoring to reintroduce dances like the old minuets and quadrilles. Undoubtedly the modern fashionable waltz does permit a closeness of embrace which is startling to one's notions of propriety; but then custom and convention goes for a great deal in this world. In the East, it is immodest for a woman to go into the streets unveiled or to allow her face to be seen by a man not a member of her family. Queen Victoria will not allow any lady to be presented personally to her unless in a dress cut very low in the neck, and yet the British Queen is very strict in her notions of propriety. There is one real objection to modern dancing; the middle-aged and elderly cannot participate in it. None but the very young can stand the violent exertions of the redowas, polkas and galops of the ball-rooms of the period. To be really innocent and harmless, amusements should be suitable for all ages, and be participated in by the fathers and mothers as well as by the sons and daughters.

When the wind blows over Mt Washington at the rate of 108 miles an hour, as it did the other day, those who are up in the world wish themselves down.

Boston lovers now write their love letters in cypher, and when the old man finds a note reading "No 5—before—x—18—page 21—A. B. C.—17," he drops it like a hot potato.

It is estimated that the teeth undergo as many as ten changes of temperature in twenty-four hours, and the wonder is that anybody over 15 years old has anything left to chew with.

That water-cure New York doctor who discovered that indigestion was caused by weak eyes, has suddenly lost his practice. It is a long ways from the eyes to the stomach.

HOUSEHOLD RECEIPTS.

Canning and Preserving Late Fruits and Vegetables.

NEW METHOD OF PRESERVING [illegible].—Beat well together equal quantities [illegible] and [illegible] into this [illegible] closely [illegible] keep them [illegible] from the [illegible] gathered [illegible] first [illegible] immediate use.

GREEN CORN.—When the corn is a little past the tenderest roasting-ear state, pull it; take off one thickness of the husk, tie the rest of the husk down at the silk end in a close and tight manner. Place them in a clean cask or barrel, compactly together, and put on a brine to cover the same of about two-thirds the strength of meat pickle. When ready to use in winter, soak in cold water over night, and if this does not appear sufficient, change the water and freshen still more. This is said to be excellent, and to very much resemble the fresh article from the stock.

RIPE TOMATOES.—Tomatoes may be kept almost any length of time and come out as fresh as when first pickled by preserving in pure vinegar diluted with water—*one gill of vinegar* and *two of water.* Pick when ripe, but not very soft; leave the stems on, but do not break the skin. Put into wood or stone, and put the liquid on them cold. After you get through putting them in, place something on them to keep them under the liquid, and take out as you may wish to use them. Can use them as you would tomatoes fresh from the vine. This will not fail if your vinegar is pure and diluted according to directions. It is highly probable that cucumbers might be preserved in the same way—selecting those of medium size, and leaving on the stems.

A NEW WAY TO DRY PEACHES.—Never peel peaches to dry. Let them be mellow enough to be in good condition, put them in boiling water for a moment or two, and the skins will come off like a charm. Let them be in the water long enough, but no longer. The gain is at least six-fold—saving of time in removing the skin, saving of the peach, the best part at that, and it takes less time to dry the peaches, as a whole bushel may be scalded in a boiler at once, and the water turned off. Dry as rapidly as possible in a cool oven if you have not an evaporator.

TO DRY SWEET APPLES.—Bake as for the table, then dry in a brick oven. They may be soaked, heated, water dried away, and restored very nearly to the condition of a fresh baked apple. Stewed in more syrup, they make a much richer sauce than the common dried apples.

TO DRY SWEET CORN.—Pick early in the morning; throw in boiling water—having first removed the husks and silk—let it remain five minutes, then shave and scrape from the cob, and spread on boards in the sun, and cover with glazed sashes slightly raised—the hot-bed sash, if you have one. When perfectly dry, scald in a moderate oven with paper over it. Put into perfectly tight paper bags, tie up closely, and put in a dry place. When wanted for use, look over but do not wash, put on the stove with four or five times its bulk of water, and let it soak three or four hours, boiling slowly fifteen or twenty minutes at the best.

TO CAN GREEN CORN.—To every six quarts of corn take one ounce of tartaric acid dissolved in boiling water. Cut the corn from the cob and put in sufficient water to cook. When the corn is cooking, put in the water and seal in air-tight cans. When you wish to use it, pour off the water from it, put in fresh water and a small quantity of soda, let it stand for twenty minutes to a half-hour before cooking. When nearly cooked, season as you would corn fresh from the garden.

TEXAN METHOD OF PREPARING GREEN GRAPES.—The grapes must not be too old; the best time is just before the seed begins to harden. They are, after being picked and freed from stems, put into bottles (wide neck bottles) so as nearly to fill the latter. These are then filled with fresh clean water. After this they are all placed in a large kettle, partially filled with cold water, and the temperature nearly raised to the boiling point. As soon as sufficiently heated, they are taken off; enough water poured out of each bottle to allow a well-fitting cork to be pressed in tightly. Then make air-tight with sealing-wax or common beeswax. As the bottles cool down a partial vacuum is left in the neck of each. Grapes thus preserved have kept for years in Texas, where canned fruit almost invariably spoils during the hot summer.

They can at any time be opened and prepared like fresh grapes, and no difference will be found in the taste. It is better to use the water also in which they are kept, as it contains a large percentage of tartaric acid, which gives them the pleasant sour taste.

CANNING GRAPES.—Concords are best for this purpose. Cook the pulps thoroughly, strain in colander or sieve to remove the seed, then boil the pulp and skins together one-half to three-quarters of an hour, not less; adding sugar to taste. Use ordinary stone jars, filling full; smear the top of the jar with hot wax made of equal parts of rosin and tallow, then stretch over the top new cotton sheeting, tying around the jar about an inch or two from the top with a cord wound around several times, then cover the top with a layer of melted wax, and set in a cool place; will keep until the next summer.

For grape jelly, the grapes should not be quite ripe.

HOW TO PRESERVE GRAPES.—It is said grapes may be kept fresh for months prepared as follows:

Take good bunches, free from decayed or imperfect berries, and hang them by threads to sticks, across the edge of a clean wooden box, deep enough to hold the bunches without touching the bottom. Hang the bunches close together, but without touching each other. Then take fine poplar, oak, birch, or maple sawdust, clean and free from moisture, but not over dried, and pour it into the boxes, working it with a small rod among the bunches until they are completely enveloped.

When the box is filled, seal the ends of all the exposed main stalks with a drop of rosin or or sealing-wax. Cover the box first with a sheet of newspaper, and then with the cover, and store in a dry cellar.

[illegible] CANNED TOMATOES.—Procure fine ripe, smooth specimens; cut in [illegible] put in the frying pan very sweet lard [illegible] hot drop in the tomatoes [illegible] down; when nearly done [illegible] add [illegible] hot water to the juice in [illegible] the cans as full as possible with [illegible] and seal hermetically. If there [illegible] air-hole [illegible] spoils more quickly. When wanted [illegible] use, pour off [illegible] grease, lay on a plate, season and cook until brown in a small quantity of melted butter. Add cream for gravy. By this method they can be had all winter, and are just as good as when fresh.

CANNED PLUMS.—Select perfect fruit, and to every pound of plums allow half the quantity sugar, if they are very ripe or light colored; moisten the sugar with water, and put in a preserving kettle over the fire, removing the scum as it rises, and when boiling add the fruit, setting on the back of the stove, where the plums will get heated through and the juice begin to run before boiling. As soon as they boil up once, take from the stove and bottle immediately, keeping as whole as possible.

APPLES KEPT IN WINTER.—Several statements have been published of the entire success which has attended the keeping of winter apples under water. The experiment is worth repeating, observing the precaution of keeping the temperature nearly down to the freezing point. The advantages of this practice are, first, the exclusion of air current; and secondly, a temperature not liable to fluctuations, or which cannot quickly change. So long as the water can be kept cold the fruit will be likely to remain sound; if too warm the skin will swell and crack by an over-absorption of moisture. Grapes have been successfully kept in the same way, the water remaining near freezing. A damp cellar, for the fruit on shelves, is better than one say as to cause shriveling, provided it is cold. If warm, decay would be likely to commence soon.

TOMATOES FOR WINTER USE.—Scald and remove the skin, and boil them down so that one bushel of tomatoes will be contained in a *one gallon jug.* Stir gently while boiling, and when nearly boiled down enough add one tablespoonful of salt. Heat the jug to a boiling temperature and put in the tomatoes until it is full; then cork tightly, and tie a piece of cloth nicely over the top of the jug and *completely cover* the top of the jug with wax. These tomatoes when wanted for use, must be much diluted with water, one teacupful making a meal for a good-sized family.

DRYING EGGS FOR WINTER USE.—The eggs are beaten to uniform consistency and spread out in thin cakes on butter-plates. This dries them into a thin paste, which is to be packed into close cans, and sealed. When required for use, the paste can be dissolved in water, and beaten to a foam like fresh eggs. It is said eggs can be preserved for years this way and retain their flavor.—*Demorest's Monthly.*

Properties of Nitro-Glycerine.

It has a sweet, aromatic, pungent taste, and possesses the very peculiar property of causing an extremely violent headache when placed in a small quantity upon the tongue, or any portion of the skin, particularly upon the wrists. It has long been employed by homœopathic practioners as a remedy in certain kinds of headaches. In those who work much with it, the tendency to headache is generally overcome, though not always. It freezes at about 40° Fahr. If perfectly pure—that is, if the washing has been so complete as to remove all traces of the acid—it can be kept for an indefinite period of time; and, while many cases of spontaneous decomposition have occurred in impure specimens, there has never been known such an instance, where the proper care has been given to all the details of the manufacture.

When pure, nitro-glycerine is not very sensitive to friction, or even to moderate percussion; if a small quantity be placed on an anvil and struck with a hammer, that portion which is struck explodes sharply, but so quickly as to drive away the other particles; if, however, it were even slightly confined, so that none could escape, it would all explode or detonate. It must be fired by a fuse containing fulminate of mercury (the compound used in percussion-caps) not being either readily or certainly fired by gunpowder, the shock of the latter not being sufficently quick or sharp to detonate the nitroglycerine. It is highly probable that in this case, as in that of other high explosives, the vibrations set up by the fulminate (which is no stronger than gunpowder) are of just such a character as to find an answering chord, so to speak, in the explosive which most readily causes the explosion of another body. For instance, nitro-glycerine is much more powerful than fulminate of mercury, yet seventy grains of it will not explode gun-cotton, while fifteen grains of the weaker fulminate will readily do so. The fuse generally used, then, for firing nitro-glycerine, is composed of some fifteen or twenty grains of fulminate, and this quantity is sufficient to detonate a large mass as well as a small one.

If flame be applied to nitro-glycerine it will not explode, but burn with comparative sluggishness. When frozen it is very difficult and uncertain of firing. If the material is perfectly pure, it forms, upon detonation, a volume of gases nearly thirteen hundred times as great as that of the original liquid; these gases are also further expanded, by the heat developed, to a theoretical (though not practical) volume ten thousand times as great as that of the charge. Practically speaking, the forces exerted by gunpowder [illegible] nitro-glycerine [illegible] the proportion of one to eight.—ALLAN D. B[illegible] *Popular [illegible] Monthly.*

It is now estimated that the Chinese were 3,000 years building the great wall to keep the Tartars off. Seems as if it would have been cheaper to hire the British to give the Tartars a whooping.

There is danger that the Salvation Army may have a serious rival in religious works, and one that will not have the same extravagant features that mark the battalions of Gen. Booth. Laymen who style themselves the Church Army have been holding services near Bristol and Lancashire with considerable success, and what is called a Church Parochial Mission Society, aiming to promote "aggressive mission work," has been formed, with the two Archbishops, besides several Bishops as patrons.

FACTS AND INCIDENTS.

Notes of Interest from all [illegible]—Items to interest all our Readers.

The people of Munich are [illegible] to petition the [illegible]

A tunnel is projected under the Elbe, between Hamburg and Steinwarder Island, at $[illegible]000,[illegible].

At [illegible] from Manchester is [illegible] difficulties, owing to the excessive exportation of goods to the east.

The ex-Empress Eugenie has bought a chateau and park in Styria for $300,000, and it is no secret that she quits England in anger at the attentions shown to Cetywayo, whom she hates for the death of her son in Africa.

Marauders attacked a party of sixty horsemen belonging to a French topographical expedition near Kairwan. The French commander was killed and seven men disabled. Thirty brigands were killed and fifty wounded.

A small boy of London, deeming himself ill-used by his parents, waited until they happened to be simultaneously sick, and then took a safe revenge by stabbing the father, clubbing the mother, and smashing the furniture.

Swinburne has decided to give readings in the principal cities of this country and the States probably in the latter part of next winter; and Prof. Huxley is said to be considering an offer of $500 apiece for lectures in the States and here during 1883 and 1884.

A bullet invented by a German chemist is made of a powerful anæsthetic, which breaks on striking a person, who is made unconscious for twelve hours, and while in that condition can be taken prisoner. The inventor puts forward his device in all seriousness.

Ralph Ryder, aged 80, insisted upon being allowed to kill a bear, which was roaming around Springbrook, Wis The spectators hid themselves, and the old hunter, waiting until the bear was within a few yards, fired with a good aim. But the beast lived long enough to hug and bite its slayer, breaking both wrists and baring his skull.

The exhibition at Trieste was recently much damaged by a severe hurricane. Efforts were made during the night to repair the ruined building in all haste. In attempting to unite the wires for the electric light, the engineer came in contact with an uninsulated part, and was killed instantaneously by the electric current.

The inhabitants of Corsica have provided strong proof that they could exterminate the bandits of their country if they desired to, but refrain because they have no sympathy for the foreigners who are plundered. Antonio Batistolli had long been a terror to travellers, and nothing was done to hinder him, but when he began to rob peasants his death was promptly determined on. A lynching party was organized, he was cornered in a tavern, and several bullets ended him.

Sixteen years ago George T. Reynolds, a stock raiser at Griffin, Texas, was wounded in a skirmish with Indians, an arrow entering the abdomen and passing through the abdominal cavity. Such a wound is almost invariably fatal; but he pulled the shaft of the arrow out, and although the head broke off and remained in the body, he astonished everybody by recovering within ten days. A few days ago he felt pain in the back, near the spine, and a surgical operation brought to the surface the steel arrow head that had taken sixteen years to work its way through his body.

A writer describing Newmarket fifty years ago, says: "Its staple trade is blood horses; its inhabitants, for the most part, jockeys and gamblers; its language that of Tattersall's; its business an endless succession of matches on the race course, in the cock pit, the tennis court, on the billiard table or the card table. About 300 horses are trained every year. From $2,500 to $10,000 is a common price. Now and again $20,000 is given. Nearly every one in the town bets more or less. Even the children learn to lisp the pedegree of horses, the long odds, and the merits of jockeys." It is much the same to-day.

The art of shorthand is, it appears, to be superseded by one of the queerest inventions on record. The revolution is to be effected by means of a machine called a "glossograph," consisting of six levers, forming a sort of cage, each communicating with a tracing pencil. The use to be made of the "glossograph" is rather curious. While the orator or lecturer is holding forth, the reporter is to repeat the words of the speaker with his tongue in the cage. Thus the quickest conversation, some London journals tell us, may be taken down with ease. The ludicrous aspect which this new invention assumes may be an obstacle to its adoption.

The *Lancet* agrees with those who maintain there is far too much whistling on railways; but says it is not true, as stated in a paper read by Mr. [illegible] before the British Association, that "a low note would be equally efficacious for railway purposes as a high one," because, given the same initial intensity in the production of two sounds—one of low, the other of high pitch—there would be little difference between their penetrating powers at long distances, and none at all at such distances as sounds are required to be heard for the purposes of signaling. If whistles are to be heard, and it is essential they should be, at great distances, they must be high pitched. Meanwhile, public health and happiness demand that there should be as little use of the railway whistle as possible.

An ugly old woman at Ipswich, England, taking advantage of her reputation as a witch, obtained $10 from the parents of a sick girl as the price of removing the spell that they believed the invalid was under. A magistrate fined her $5 and made her return the $10. A Normandy hag has just fared worse at the hands of the law. By pretending to cure cattle of all diseases by supernatural means, she swindled the superstitious peasants easily. In court she tried to convince the jury that she was an honest witch. Several witnesses swore that she burned 570 toads in their presence in order to drive the evil spirit out of a cow, and that they distinctly saw a black cat leap from the cow's mouth. The woman was convicted as a swindler, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

Parishes in England existed in the time of Alfred, but parish churches, with [illegible] clergy to serve them, did not come into existence until long after that date. [illegible] most churches [illegible] have been served by a monk from a neighboring abbey. [illegible] history of the parish of Bromhill, [illegible] says that the first presentation by the [illegible] was in 1299, but long before the Reformation the spires and towers of the village [illegible] were seen all over the land. Yet it was until 1439 that the parish priest was [illegible] legally [illegible] in his office with a secure [illegible] and it was specially enjoined that all [illegible] men should reside on their benefices. [illegible] great tithes, however, remained chiefly in the hands of the monasteries up to the dissolution, and then passed to the grantees of abbey lands or those who bought them. [illegible] this way the Duke of Bedford is such an enormous tithe holder.

The successes of the British troops in Egypt have fired the martial enthusiasm of the London street gamins. On the night of the battle of Tel-el-Kebir the boys collected in Cable street to fight a number of opposition boys, both parties being armed with sticks, pokers, and other such weapons. The leader of the attacking party urged his followers by shouting, "Come on, [illegible] we have no time to lose!" and having cleared Cable street, he gave orders for the squad to advance, "Now for the bank," a direction less formidable than it sounds, [illegible] meant not the bank of England, but an embankment near the boys' homes. By [illegible] time the courage of the troops was thoroughly aroused and they were in no mood to give quarter. They attacked everybody [illegible] came across, and one small boy who [illegible] to enter into the spirit of the thing [illegible] knocked down and severely wounded. [illegible] it was that the ringleaders appeared in [illegible] Thames Police Court next day, but the magistrate contented himself with binding [illegible] boys over to keep the peace for a month.

Saturday Night.

After the weary years of strife,
By sorrow crowned, by care oppressed,
We reach the Saturday of life,
The eve of our long day of rest.

There are no curfew bells to toll the [illegible] of parting day, in this unromantic [illegible] the world, but when the town clock strikes the hour of 6 on a Saturday evening, I [illegible] it must sound like a curfew to the soul of [illegible] working world, to the men who throw down hammer and pick, and all the wearisome implements of toil and turn their faces homeward, free, free, for a long sweet morrow [illegible] rest—not the inertia of repose, but the [illegible] free blessedness of the woods and fields [illegible] even the city streets. Look at the [illegible] the crowds who are surging through [illegible] streets up to midnight of a Saturday night, the happy, world-free faces looking curiously for amusement—families [illegible] that have been separated all the week by necessity of daily labor for daily bread, children clinging to the toil worn [illegible] parents, who are strangers to [illegible] other times, too weary on other nights [illegible] enter into their plays or take them out [illegible] that happy walk which always ends [illegible] week. There is a legend told of [illegible] fathers that they were so absorbed [illegible] ness that they did not see enough of their own families to recognize them [illegible] sight; the patient wives devised the pot of [illegible] for Saturday night's supper, to which [illegible] children remained up, and the fathers made their acquaintance.

Saturday night may bring its cares, but they are hardly discernable from [illegible]. In homes where the clean clothes for [illegible] morrow are laid out, the mother has [illegible] more steps to take, but there is a consolation in her labor of love that repays [illegible] full measure, pressed down and running over. This is the psalm of praise! [illegible] morrow will give a benison on her work, [illegible] she has ministered to the needs of the [illegible] for in the shadow of grimed arches and [illegible] ed glass she can sing:

"Sleep, sleep to-day tormenting cares
Of earth and folly born."

In the old Puritan days the Sabbath be[illegible] on Saturday night with the going down of the sun. The mother put her work [illegible] aside, the good man unharnessed the [illegible] from the plough, the peace of the coming [illegible] settled upon them with the evening [illegible] ows; but I doubt not they discussed [illegible] and crops, and the scant, rare news from [illegible] Old World, and read the one weekly [illegible] worldly deeds that were not admissible [illegible] the Sundays of that period, when a [illegible] manna would not have excited the wonder [illegible] telegraphic wire would have caused. "[illegible] be good o' Sundays" was a law, and it [illegible] not mere eye-service either; it was [illegible] Puritan mother who told her little boy [illegible] wanted to play marbles on Sunday he [illegible] go into the back yard: "But isn't it Sun[illegible] in the back yard too, mamma?" asked [illegible] little fellow.

But this is Saturday; it is the prelude [illegible] that day of which George Herbert wrote:

"The Sundays of man's life
Threaded together on Time's string,
Make bracelets to adorn the wife
Of the eternal glorious King."

Something of the day's peace and [illegible] fore-cast in the dropping of heavy burdens, the loosening of bands of toil, the fall[illegible] back a little in the march of life; some [illegible] gone home since last Saturday night; [illegible] have heard for them the turning of

"That slow door,
That opening, letting in, lets out no more."

The Saturday night of life has dawned [illegible] to the sunrise of the land where Sabbaths have no end, where the inhabitants shall [illegible] more say, "I am tired!" Are they [illegible] satisfied who have laid by the small and [illegible] did cares of this life, which occupied [illegible] much of their time, to sit down forever [illegible] Abraham, Isaac and Jacob in the Kingdom of the Father?

"If I should die to-night
Ere the rise of another sun,
With so many things unfinished
And so [illegible] begun,
I wonder [illegible] could say; "O
Father thy will be done."

"Oh," sigh the tired men of business, [illegible] is Saturday night; turn the keys on invoices and ledgers;" "Oh!" cry the weary [illegible] "to-morrow is Sunday! I can rest!" [illegible] the children in," says the mother; "[illegible] must all be washed to night." Ah! [illegible] missing; the Shepherd is carrying that [illegible] in His bosom [illegible] safe in the fold above. It was wise in the Puritans to begin the Sunday at the preceding sunset—it ought [illegible] be wicked to enter into any sordid or speculative work while we are crossing that [illegible] arch of peace which like the rainbow [illegible] meets two horizons, the world of toil, and [illegible] world of rest.

The Daisy.

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The Lepers of Tracadie.

Day in the Lazaretto in North-East New Brunswick.

From the New York Sun.

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On his return to Miramichi Dr. Mackey und this scourge eating into the little com- y like a cancer. Prompt action was y. Mrs. Gardner's fingers had r off at the points, and her skin was ry a flaky. Mrs. Landry was in a worse ondition. Her eyesight was gone, and she xhibited unmistakable symptoms of lep ntiasis. The young physician soundd th alarm. The interest of the oldest racti ners was aroused. One or two coffed at the idea of leprosy, and asserted hat the disease would yield to remedies mployed in scrofulous and similar comlaints. Their experiments, however, erified the young doctor's discovery, and he community was thoroughly startled. t was a company mainly of descendants of he old French settlers The English anguage was not much spoken. Families ad married and intermarried for nearly wo centuries, until whole parishes were ovetailed. The result was similar to that ttending the overheated and impure. Its mpurities were quickened by a diet of salt neats and dried fish, and a genuine leprosy ropped to the surface. There were 78 ases in one section within twelve months.

The provincial parliament was spurred to ction under the personal appeals of the embers from Miramichi. A bill establishng a lazaretto was passed. Shelldrake sland, dotting a bay on the northeast coast of the province, was the spot selected. It was an isolated island, off all lines of ravel. Here buildings were erected, with barred windows. A strict search for all tainted with leprosy was made, and they were confined on this island. Scores of the unfortunate wretches were captured. The lazaretto was under the charge of two men, who seemed to be destitute of all feeling. No care was given the lepers. They were mostly ignorant French Canadians, who had eked out a living by cultivating the thin soil and by fishing. Cleanliness was not a virtue. They were neither bathed nor dieted. Clean underclothing was distributed thrice a year. The most abject and squalid never removed their clothing but drew their clean shirts over their old ones at each distribution. The sexes were not separated. The lazaretto was a virtual prison for life. Its inmates rotted like murrained sheep. It was the horror of the adjacent parishes. Occasionally a poor wretch escaped, and appealed to those outside for protection. Every face was turned from him. He desecrated every thing that he touched. Even the fence that he leaned against while telling his pitiful story was contaminated. If he drank from a spring the spring was poisoned. If a cup of milk was given him the cup was broken as soon as drained. A walking upas tree, freighting the atmosphere with poison, would not have been regarded with more horror. He was either recaptured or driven back to the lazaretto by hunger. Worse than all this, lepers, in whom the seeds of the disease were fructifying, were concealed by friends and relatives. The lazaretto was more of a prison than a hospital. A commitment disgraced a family far more than a commitment to the penitentiary. Fathers and mothers endangered themselves and their families in the effort to shield a favorite son or daughter. It was a disgrace to be hidden, and not to be made public. A discovery of leprosy tainted every relation. The children could not make eligible marriages, and the family was shunned.

The lazaretto was removed to Tracadie, on the bay of that name, about 1849. Here the treatment of the unfortunates was a little better, but there was an utter lack of cleanliness until fourteen years ago, when Sisters of Mercy took sole charge. They found the inmates dying in filth and misery They inaugurated new treatment. They tore the iron bars from the windows. The lepers were bathed each day, and their ulcers were carefully dressed. The bandages were washed, and the clothes of the unfortunates were kept scrupulously neat and clean. They were allowed the freedom of the grounds. The sexes were separated. Rations of tobacco were given to the men. A sailboat was bought, and parties of the lepers were allowed to go sailing and fishing. Nor was the body alone entertained. The sisters administered to the mind. The lepers no longer brooded day and night over their unfortunate condition. Some of their number played the violin, and they danced to the music. A sure death was thus robbed of some of its terrors. When the provinces were confederated in the Dominion of Canada, the lazaretto passed under the control of the federal government. The sisters, however, remained in charge, receiving a miserable pittance from the government for their labors. The rigor of the law was softened by Father Joseph A. Babineau, pastor of the little Catholic church at Tracadie. When cases of leprosy were reported he visited the afflicted and prepared their minds for their inevitable fate. They usually entered the lazaretto with resignation, and submitted to their fate without a murmur. When the good father's efforts failed, the strong arm of the law was invoked, and they were seized like criminals and imprisoned for life. Their discontent was softened by the kindness of the sisters, and they dropped into the grave hopeful of a better fate in the world to come.

I visited Tracadie on Sunday, July 16. The Hon. Arthur D. Williams, of New York, accompanied me. The visit required a fifty-five mile drive from Newcastle, a thriving village on the curved railroad from Halifax to Quebec. The road was a bee line and as level as a prairie. It was shaded by stunted spruce trees. We passed straggling settlements of French Canadians and Indians. At times the atmosphere was laden with a putrid odor, which came from the refuse of the lobster canneries on the beach. This is used as a compost, for the soil is thin and poor. Where the spruces are cut away there were magnificent views of the ocean and of bays leading to prolific msaon and trout streams. It was midnight before we reached Tracadie. On the way our driver repeatedly awoke residents on his route, and asked for a pail to water his horses. It was always given with the greatest pleasure. The conversation was in French. There is no hotel at Tracadie. Through the kindness of Mr. John Young, its richest inhabitant, we were given a lunch and lodgings. At sunrise next morning the little bell in the belfry of the primitive Roman Catholic chapel fronting the broad blue bay announced the early mass. High mass was celebrated at 10.30. By 10 o clock the dusty roads were filled with French Canadians on their way to church. A few came in ricketty waggons but the most of them were on foot. They stept up in squads, old and young, clad in quaint costumes. Some had arisen with the dawn and walked ten or twelve miles. One man, on crutches, lived seven miles away. It was a hot day, and the air was filled with mosquitoes and sand flies. The devotees seated themselves on a long broken pile of cord wood near the house of the priest, and awaited the tap of the bell. The little cemetery allotted to the lepers lies in the shade of the unpainted church. It is overgrown with shrubbery and brambles. A large, weatherbeaten cross stands in the centre, stretching its arms over the unmarked graves of the unfortunates. A wharf and a fish house stand 200 yards to the north, and beyond them the squatty buildings and dormer windows of the lazaretto are seen. We knocked at the door of the parsonage. The rustics gazed at us inquiringly. Father Babineau was in the vestry dressing for mass. He was summoned by an attendant and gave us a gracious reception. His glittering black eyes and pale, intellectual face recalled the features of Judge Cardozo. With extreme courtesy he accompanied us to the lazaretto, leaving his assistant, Father Nugent, a jolly-faced Irishman, to chant mass. As we crossed a rustic footbridge near the lazaretto we heard the plaintive notes of a violin. The melody was a sad and sweet blending of the "Canadian Beat Song," and "Annie Laurie." The musician was a leper whiling away the weary hours.

We ascended the porch. Passing into the entry we stood before a door with a wicket. The words,

TOUT PASSE!

were above the door. Father Babineau rang the bell. A second afterward the white face of a Sister of Mercy appeared at the open wicket. The father spoke to her in French and she opened the door. We were ushered into a reception room under the motto,

PERSONNE N'ENTRE ICI S'IL NE VIENT AIME JESUS CHRIST.

Sister St. John, matron of the lazaretto, is a pleasant-faced woman, about 36 years old. She came from the Hotel Dieu, in Montreal. Fourteen years among the lepers have familiarized her with their manners, customs and feelings. She has been the recipient of many a sad story. She knows the families of all the inmates and probably has a more thorough knowledge of the nature and character of the disease than the physician who receives $300 a year from the Government for an annual visit. She has charge of the cabinet of drugs, and has a fair knowledge of medical jurisprudence. As there is no doctor within fifty miles of the institution, the Tracadiens and the inhabitants of outlying settlements come to her for medical advice. Prescriptions for the poor are filled without charge. She knows the families tainted with the disease, and traces accurately the relationship between the afflicted. The same strain of blood appears to flow in the veins of all. A majority of the lepers were born in Tracadie. They all come from within a circle of seventy miles. Under Sister St. John's supervision an accurate record of the inmates has been kept. There is no prior record on file. Since 1868 the Sister's record shows that fifty-eight out of ninety have died. There are now twenty-six in the institution. This number is larger than at any time within fourteen years. The average of life, after the appearance of the disease, is from ten to fifteen years. Some die within three or four years, and there is now a woman in the institution who has been suffering over fifty years. She was an inmate of the lazaretto on Shelldrake Island, forty years ago. While there the disease disappeared, and it was supposed she had been cured. She returned to her home in Tracadie, married, and had children. Twenty years afterwards the telltale spots again appeared, and she was remanded to the lazaretto. She is still living, handless, and almost sightless. A daughter, twenty-four years old, whose fingers are drawn up like the claws of a dead bird, has inherited the scourge from the mother, and is now in the institution.

Singular as it may seem, the lepers are subject to attacks from ordinary diseases. There have been deaths from jaundice and typhus fever. In some cases the skin is dry and clean, and in others it is covered with ulcers. Those afflicted with ulcers live the longest. Damp weather has a damaging effect. The patients are very feverish, and complain of rheumatic pains. They have fits of drowsiness, and sleep for hours daily. In winter and summer they invariably improve. None have died within fourteen months.

They are peculiarly sensitive. We were warned against using the word leprosy within their hearing. They speak of it as the "disease." Each patient apparently has an impression that there may be some mistake in his case, and that he is suffering from some other complaint. At times medicine is given to relieve them from pain. Any unusual decoction seems to affect them. Strong tea has removed the fawn-colored spots, but as soon as the system becomes accustomed to the tea, the spots return. Three years ago the hearts of all the lepers throbbed with joy. A nostrum called Fowle's Humor Cure was administered, and the disease entirely disappeared. Fowle was in ecstasies. He forwarded box after box of his mixture, and it was used freely. Within six months, however, the scourge reappeared with more violence than ever.

Cases have occurred where those afflicted with leprosy left the country before they were sent to the asylum. Two or three years ago the spots appeared upon two girls belonging to well-known families. Determined to avoid the lazaretto, the girls went to Shediac and were employed as houshold servants. Hearing of their flight, Father Babineau wrote to Shediac. He had observed indications of leprosy on them before their disappearance. The girls were alarmed, and fled to Providence, R. I. One died in that city in a private family, where she had been engaged as a chambermaid. Father Babineau learned the whereabouts of the survivor, and went to Providence. After a long talk he convinced her that it was her duty to return to Tracadie and enter the lazaretto. She did so, and died within a year.

The good father relates the particulars of a case of leprosy in a man two years married. There were the usual forerunners of the disease. The Father visited the man's residence and talked with his wife about it. The husband insisted that it was not leprosy. His wife coincided with him, but expressed a different opinion to the priest in private. Satisfied, however, that the husband was tainted, the wife left him. He remained in his house alone. Not long afterward, seeing the priest approaching, he took to the woods. Father Babineau overtook him and remonstrated with him. The man was obstirate. He was threatened with the rigor of the law. The conversation lasted two or three hours, and the husband was finally induced to enter the lazaretto.

Not long ago the disease broke out on the body of a fisherman, who for twenty years had lived alone in a hut on the bay of Tracadie. When the priest asked him to enter the lazaretto, his only objection was a fear that he might become lonesome. He is now in the hospital pining for the companionship of nature.

A more distressing case occured two months ago. The death spots appeared on the mother of four little children. The priest repeatedly talked with her, and she was finally induced to part with her husband and enter the living tomb. Her parting with her children was very affecting, and to this day the father's ears hear cries of "Mamma, mamma!" The family is isolated, the children have no playmates, and the neighbors shun the place as though it were the nest of a pestilence.

The disease is said to be contagious, but we could learn of no well authenticated instance of contagion. None of the sisters have shown the least symptoms of leprosy, although two have waited upon the patients for fourteen years. They take the greatest precaution against it. There is only one case on record of a husband and wife who were confined in the institution at the same time. They were cousins. Wives who have had children by leprous husbands, have married on the death of their husbands. Some of the children by the first husband were infected, and those by the second escaped. In a recent case the disease did not appear until the third generation. Then it broke out on the body of a man of herculean strength. The native families of French descent seem to be satisfied it is contagious. They gaze at the lazaretto from the outside and very few pay it a visit.

The victims of the disease are at first visited by their near relatives, but as the seasons roll on the visits are less frequent, and at last cease altogether. Husbands forget their wives, mothers forget their children, and vice versa. Not long ago a poor boy of 19 broke out of the lazaretto at night, and walked twenty-five miles to see his mother. He remained home a few hours and returned with a less aching heart.

The lepers all express a willingness to work, but many of them are unable to do so. The sisters are allowed only a pittance to feed them. They have meat on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and fish on Friday. Seldom, if ever, do they see fresh beef. They abhor mutton and veal. Fresh pork is the meat mostly eaten. Three of the lepers play the violin, and each appears to be ambitious to excel the other. When the weather is dry, those who are able frequently dance from morning until night. Those who first enter the institution complain of a drowsy feeling, and sleep days and nights, hours at a stretch. The lungs become affected. The hair falls from the eyebrows. The voice is husky. In some cases there is a loss of feeling in the hands and arms. A girl rested her wrist on a red-hot stove, and was seriously burned, without the least sensation. Cuts with the knife bleed, but give no pain. At times the skin seems to be filled with steel filings. Then it cracks open to the bone and gradually shrivels away. When the liver and lungs become seriously affected, the patient wastes away with all the symptoms of consumption. He dies by suffocation.

All have separate beds. The men are kept on the main floor and the women on the floor above. Rarely do they see each other. There is a little room on each floor where the sisters officiate as wardens. There is not a man about the establishment who is not a leper. The sisters are allowed a washer-woman and a servant boy. Aside from this they do all the work. In the dormitories the beds are arranged side by side like beds in a hospital. Old-fashioned quilts cover the iron bedsteads. The floors are scrubbed once a day. Everything is scrupulously neat. Each dormitory contains an oratory, where the afflicted say their prayers on retiring and arising. The walls are covered with pictures of saints and religious mottoes in the French language. Here is a specimen:

POUR UN MOMENT DE SACRIFICE
UNE ETERNILE DE JOUISSANCE.

which seems hardly applicable to persons suffering a lifetime of misery. There is no specified dress for either the male or female lepers, and unaccustomed eyes could not distinguish some of them from ordinary persons.

As we entered the male ward ten of the unfortunates were arising from dinner. It was a plain board table, destitute of cloth and napkins, and furnished with tin plates, cups and spoons. On an iron cot within ten feet of the table, sat a pitiful object. His flesh looked like flakes of sulphur moulded into the shape of a man. He had been in bed over a year. Although but 15 years old he looked like a man of 70. Nothing in the wards on Blackwell's island equals this scene; yet the Sisters said that the patient was much better than he had been. As we entered the apartment a heavy black bearded man clad in a blue woollen shirt turned his face from us, picked up a short black clay pipe, and moved into the sunlight through the opened door. Poor fellow, his misfortunes were his own, and he sought no sympathy from the outer world. He was Michael Duaron, the lone fisherman, who had expressed the fear of being lonesome before entering the lazaretto. The windows were open, and a cool breeze from the sea was felt.

There were ten other males in the ward. All but the miserable being on the bed ranged themselves in line with bowed heads and dejected countenance. Two were mere boys, 11 and 12 years old. One was suffering from leprous elephantiasis. His face was fungus outgrowth. Only one of these men spoke English. He was Peter M. Noel, of Tracadie. A man of magnificent physique, beyond slight swellings above the cheek bones he showed no signs of the disease. He had a clear, blue eye, a rugged complexion, and an honest face. He was a man of deep feeling and of more than ordinary intelligence. Confident of sympathy he told his story in a straightforward way. He was 23 years old, a woodchopper and raftsman.

"You seem surprised to see me here," he said, "because you see no marks of the disease. Look at my hands," showing his palms. All the lines of his hands seemed to have been frosted with silver. The pores of the skin glistened as though dusted with silver. "Look at the whites of my eyes," he continued. They were of a light orange color. He pointed to the slight swellings below his temples, and then said: "All your doubts would be removed if you saw my body. This spring I was logging up the northwest branch of the Miramichi. One night, when I going to bed near Cunards Ledges, I saw a yellow spot on my leg. I paid no attention to it, supposing that it came from wading too much in cold water. Two or three days afterward another spot appeared near the first one. I began to have strange pains in my legs, and could not get sufficient sleep. Within a week I noticed a spot on my breast. The pains increased and I thought that I had rheumatism. I took some medicine for it, but it did me no good. At last I came over here, by the advice of a comrade, to see the Sisters and to find out what was the matter with me. They told me that I had the disease and here I am for life."

Noel told his sad story with an erect head. He had not been in the lazaretto long enough to acquire the dejected look of his fellow sufferers, but the shadow on his face indicated that it was surely coming. He is a fair violinist, and undoubtedly vents much of his sadness through his instrument. With tears in his eyes he spoke of the kindness of the Sisters, but he complained of a lack of books and newspapers. He could not read English, and his countenance grew bright when promised a file of Parisian journals. While grateful for the little tobacco given them by the Sisters, he spoke of its poor quality. "They buy it at Ferguson's," he said, "and of course the Sisters can't tell whether it is good or bad; but smoking is about our greatest enjoyment, and I wish we could have good tobacco."

The Sisters then conducted us up stairs to the female ward. Fourteen women and girls in all stages of emaciation, stood in line with clasped hands and eyes cast down. Sisters and cousins were among them. All were in some way related to the men below. They were not disposed to be communicative. One woman, nearly eighty years old, overheard Sister St. John calling our attention to the fact that she was concealing her hands under her apron. She flung up her apron with spiteful energy, and extended two withered stumps, accompanying the action with bitter words. She had no hands. Her heart was touched by our expressions of sympathy. She was the woman released from Shelldrake island forty years ago under the supposition that she had been cured. She called to her side her daughter, a pleasant-faced woman, 24 years old. Her fingers were talons in appearance, and her hands were withering loosing the joints one by one, as her mother's had done. In the dormitory we saw a female dwarf only 28 years old, she looked to be 90. Her eyes were sightless, and her face misshapen and totally unlike the face of a human being. It was the face of a person suffering from the worst form of elephantiasis. Despite our remonstrances, she arose to receive us. Sad at heart we turned away. The afflicted women, in low tones, bade us good-bye as we went down stairs.

The sisters then showed us the kitchen, the range, the electric bells, the neat apothecary shop, and the exquisite chapel with its image of the Virgin and Child. This chapel is latticed on either side. Behind the lattice on the right of the altar, the sisters hear mass. Half a dozen benches fill the main body of the little chapel, and are evidently used by the male lepers. A solitary woman bearing marks of the disease was on her knees behind the left lattice counting her beads and saying her prayers. Everything throughout the building was clean and neat. The floors were scrubbed as white as marble, the great range shone with stove polish, there was no grease spot on the clothes of any of the lepers. The aprons and handkerchiefs of the women were as white as snow, and the windows were as clean as the plate glass of Simpson, Crawford & Simpson's store. The oratories were simple but attractive. Delicate efforts at ornamentation bespoke the excessive care of the Sisters. The ceilings are low, and the rooms are ill ventilated. The Sisters work to great disadvantage. All that they receive is spent upon the immured lepers. They are now building a dormitory for themselves at their own expense. The isolation of the lazaretto is so complete and visitors are so few, that its wants do not reach the public ear. Surely there ought to be one man in the parliament of the Dominion of Canada to champion the interests of the poor men and women whose life imprisonment is a punishment for no crime, although confined for the protection of the community.

Out again in God's free air, we cast our eyes toward Mr. Young's mansion. Poor Noel and four of his companions stood in the yard awaiting us. "Gentlemen," said Noel, approaching us hat in hand. "I beg your pardon, but my companions here can't speak English. This poor man," pointing to the heavy-bearded man who had left the dinner table on our entrance, "is bleeding at the lungs. He thought that one of you might be a doctor, and that you could tell him what to do for it. He has been on the sea, but he can't stand the sea air any longer, because his lungs are so weak." We could give him no encouragement. Our faces forestalled Noel's translation of what was said. The bearded man walked back to the fence and turned his face to the sea. Noel accompanied us to the end of the lane leading to the highway. It was the boundary of the lepers' world. The two leprous boys walked at our side. One said, "Please, sir, give me a penny." He got a half dollar, and the other boy was not forgotten. If a bag of gold had dropped from the skies, they could not have been more surprised. They shot off towards the lazaretto with the speed of the wind. Nor was Noel forgotten. We had already gained his confidence. He accepted a Canadian bank note with even more astonishment and far more thankfulness than the boys had shown. It was a small sum to create so much happiness in such a wretched being. I involuntarily compared him with William H. Vanderbilt, at that moment probably speeding Maud S, at Saratoga, and with Jay Gould lolling on the silken cushions of his princely home on the Hudson. An hour's interest on Vanderbilt's fortune would strew this agonizing life with humble luxuries, and an millionth part of Jay Gould's fortune make it immeasurably happy. If honesty and industry are any gauge of fortune, what had honest, hard-handed Noel done that his fate should be so much different from theirs?

Noel saw that we were about to part with him. All his longings, fears, and wishes gushed to his lips. "My God," said he, "why can't I get well? I have worked hard. I have never dissipated. I bathe every day. I am clean. I don't see why I can't get well. Sometimes I think that it is not the leprosy [it was the first and only time that he used the word] spoken of in the Bible. I've heard of a man who had the same disease and who was cured by a doctor who said it was the black scurvy. If I was doctored for the black scurvy I believe I'd get well. They say that there is a doctor in Chatham who can cure us. I've lain awake at night studying up a plan to get to him, so that I might ask him to cure me. I have no money, but I would work hard to pay him if he would only cure me. Do you know that at times I can't help thinking that we are not cured because some one is making money by keeping us here? I know it isn't as bad as it used to be when they had a fence with sharp spikes at the top surrounding the yard. Some of the men here have told me how they used to treat them then. The Sisters have changed all that. I have no word of complaint against them. God bless them, they do all they can for us. It is not their fault nor is it our own fault that we are here."

We were standing at the end of the lane. Church was out and a cloud of dust indicated the march of the churchgoers homeward. The sun had passed the meridian. A dinner bell rang. Noel started as though awakened from sleep. "I beg your pardon, gentlemen," said he, removing his hat, "for detaining you from dinner. I see so few who understand our situation that I forget myself when I meet them." Tears were in his eyes: "Come again and see me if you ever revisit the country. God help me, but it will be many a long day and many a long night before I forgot your faces." He turned and walked slowly down the lane, the hot sun casting his shadow before him, and I saw him no more.

New York has consumed 4,000,000 watermelons this season, and is now figuring on what a monument the rinds would have made.

A Detroit crockery store put out a sign of "jelly bowels and tumblers," and it was a whole day before the proprietor could understand that the public didn't spell bowls that way.

In boring an artesian well in California the drill struck the bones of a whale sixty feet under ground. He was perhaps looking for a short cut from the Pacific to Hudson's Bay,

The Standard.

MARKDALE, Oct. 5th, 1882.

EAST GREY FALL EXHIBITION.

The above exhibition was held at Flesherton on the 28th and 29th September. The weather during the two days on which it was held was lovely and everything seemed to tend towards making it a success. The horse ring was the centre of attraction, and the speeding much enjoyed. The various sections were well filled with entries, and the animals shown were a credit to the exhibitors as well as to the district. The exhibit of stallions was large. Cattle—the number of thoroughbreds was not very large, yet some fine specimens were shown. They were exhibited under the register of the Herd Book of 1882. H. D. Irwin of, Artemesia, and R. Black, of Proton, showed one and two year old Durham bulls respectively, both very promising animals. J. R. Trimble, of Markdale contributed a very fine cow, as also did R. Lever, of Artemesia, Trimble & Baskerville, of Artemesia, showed only Ayrshire entered, a bull calf. There was a herd of Devons on the ground, the property of Robt. Oliver, Artemesia. This is the first time that this breed has been shown at the fair, and they attracted very general attention. Of grades there was a large number, many of them remarkably fine animals.

The exhibits of sheep were exceptionally large, embracing not only the long woolled Cotswolds, Leicesters, and Lincolns, but also meritorious specimens in the fine woolled Oxford and Southdowns. Of the latter varieties Jamieson and Fee, of Collingwood, were the largest exhibitors. W. Buchannan and H. D. Irwin, of Artemesia, also exhibit. In the coarse-woolled kinds Wm. and Ed. Fawcett, of Euphrasia; Jas. McMorris, of Osprey, and Wm. Shepherdson, of Collingwood, were the principal exhibitors.

Swine—the number in this class was very small, but were fine specimens.

Poultry was very fairly represented.

Grain—the exhibit of fall wheat was the largest we have witnessed at a county show and, without doubt, the best quality. Spring wheat very good, but the number of entries were small. Barley and oats were also a good sample, but little of them.

Roots were fairly represented, there being a large number of entries, especially of potatoes, othe roots were medium.

Fruit was well up, though the season has been rather unfavorable.

The finest display of carriages that has ever been at a county fair in Grey was to be seen at this one. There is a great improvement in this line, which fact speaks well for the prosperity of the county; for if there were no demand for such the manufacturers would not risk so much capital and pay so much attention to that line of business.

The domestic manufactures and ladies' work was scarcely up to former years in regard to the number of entries, yet the quality was good. Mr. Bulmer had a fine display of photographs.

The show, on the whole, was a success and taking into consideration the exceedingly large number present, it was the best ever held by the society. The Board of Management may justly feel proud of the success which has attended their earnest efforts. We are indebted to the efficient and courteous Secretary, Mr. S. Damude, for the following prize list which we give below:

PRIZE LIST.

[The names are given in the order of merit without using the terms 1st, 2nd and 3rd.]

Horses.—Agricultural, S. Stocks, J. Boland, Alex. Mercer; Roadster, G. Wright, J. & W. H. Johnston, J. Scott; Carriage, W. Wilson, Dr. Sproule, J. Marquis; Buggy Horse, A. Hannan, J. Trimble, W. McMullen; Saddle Horse, R. Davis, J. McGee, A. White; Brood Mare, S. Stocks, B. Patton, T. Mann; Draught, 2 year old gelding or filly, A. Fawcett, A. Mercer; Spring Foal, S. Stocks; General Purpose, 2 year old gelding or filly, A. Mercer, D. Stinson, E. Rutledge; 1 year old gelding or filly, W. Walker, J. McGee, D. Madill; Spring Foal, Thos. Mann, W. Walker, J. & W. H. Johnston; J. R. Trimble's special prize for Clear Grit, 1 year old, J. & W. H. Johnston, W. Williamson; Spring Foal, Thos. Mann, W. Williamson; Heavy Draught Stallion, 2 years and under, Chas. Theakston; Roadster Stallion, 3 years and under, J. Trimble; Roadster Stallion, 2 years and under, J. & W. H. Johnston, D. Madill; Agricultural Stallion, 3 years and over, J. McAlear, H. King; Agricultural Stallion, 2 years and under, C. Theakston, J. O'Brien.

Cattle.—Durham—Cow, Jas. Trimble, Trimble & Baskerville, R. Lever; Bull, two years and over, old herd book reg., R. Black; Bull; 1 one year old, reg. in new herd book, H. D. Irwin, S. Arnott; Bull Calf, reg. in new herd book, R. Lever; 1 year old Heifer, R. Black; Ayrshire—Bull Calf, Trimble & Baskerville; Grade—Cow, Trimble & Baskerville, A. White; 2 year old Heifer, James Trimble, T. Mann; 1 year old Heifer, Jas. Farris, J. Stuart; Heifer Calf, Jas. Farris, Trimble & Baskerville; Working Oxen, Irwin Fawcett, Alex. Fawcett, D. Stinson; 3 year old Steers, A. Holly, jr.; 2 year old Steers, J. Thibaudeau, T. Kells; 1 year old Steers, G. Swanton. R. Oliver, of Artemesia, showed a herd of Devons, consisting of one bull, one cow and bull calf. No prizes being offered for Devons the judges made special mention of them.

Sheep.—Leicester or Lincolns, aged ram, ———, W. Shepardson, W. Buchannan; Shearling Ram, J. H. Stewart, W. Fawcett & Sons; Ram Lamb, W. Fawcett & Sons, W. Shephardson, Wm. Fawcett; Pair Aged Ewes, J. McMorris, W. Fawcett & Sons; Shearling Ewes, W. Fawcett & Son, Wm. Shepherdson, do.; Ewe Lambs, W. Fawcett & Sons; Cotswold; Aged Ram, J. Hickling, W. Fawcett & Sons; Shearling Ram, W. Shepardson, J. McMorris; Ram Lamb, W. Fawcett & Sons, J. McMorris, W. Shepardson; Aged Ewes, W. Shepardson, do; Shearling Ewes, J. McMorris, Wm. Shepardson, do.; Ewe Lambs, W. Shepardson, Wm. Fawcett & Sons, J McMorris; Southdown, Aged Ram, J. Howe; Shearling Ram, W. Buchannan, sr.; Ram Lamb, H. D. Irwin, Jameson & Free, do.; Aged Ewes, Jameson & Free; Ewe Lambs, H Hurd, J. Howe.

Swine.—Black, Boar Pig of 1882, J. Johnston; Sow, of 1822, H. Mathewson; Suffolk or White, aged Boar, D. Stinson, A. Stuart; aged Sow, D. Stinson, A. Stuart; Boar Pig of 1882, W. Williamson, R. Lever; Sow Pig, of 1882, D. Stinson, R. Lever.

Poultry.—Spanish, Haskett Bros., do.; Game, Haskett Bros., do.; Brahmas, G. Swanton; Leghorns, Haskett Bros., W. Campaigne; Polands, J. Forsyth; Hamburgs, W. Richardson, R. Lever; Cochin Chinas, Rev. McDowell; Aylsbury Ducks, W. J. Cooey, H. Mathewson; Other Ducks, A. Stuart, James Brodie; Turkeys, S. Stocks, R. Lever; Geese, S. Stocks, J. Beecroft.

Grain.—Soles, Delhi or Flint, R. Ruthven, J. Cameron; Clawson, J. Green, W. Fawcett & Sons, J. Stuart; Treadwell, J. Beecroft, J. Cameron, J. Green; Other Variety, J. Green, J. Farris, R. Ruthvan; Spring Wheat, Genesee, J. McGirr, W. Clarke, J. Cameron; Glasgow, J. Cameron, J. McGirr, J. Marquis; Russian, J. Brodie, N. Clarke, J. McGirr; Other Variety, J. Brodie, J. Marquis, J. Green; Barley, J. Brodie, J. Cameron, W. Fawcett & Sons; Peas, small, J. Cameron, J. Brodie, A. Carr; Peas, large, J. Brodie, J. R. Anderson; Oats, white, D. Stinson, N. Clarke, J. Cameron; Oats, black, D Stinson J. Beecroft; Timothy Seed, J. Brodie, A. Carr; Indian Corn, white, W. Buchannan, J. McGee; Indian Corn, yellow, J. Cameron, W. Buchannan; Collection Beans, J. Brodie, J. Farris, C. Bellamy.

Roots.—Cup Potatoes, J. Abbot, C. Bellamy; Early Rose, J. Beecroft, J. Thompson, D. Stinson; any other variety, J. Johnston, D. Stinson, W. Buchannan; collection Potatoes, J. Brodie, D. Stinson, J. Farris; Globe Mangolds, J. Thompson, W. Bulmer; Long Mangolds, W. Fawcett & Sons, W. Buchannan; Sweedish Turnips, J. Ford, W. Buchannan; other field Turnips, G. Swanton, H. Mathewson; Table Turnips, J. Farris J. Milnor; Long Blood Beets, J. Cameron, J. Thompson; any other kind Beets, J. Milnor, J. Thompson; Field Carrots, J. Thompson, W. Buchannan; Early Horn Carrots, W. Buchannan, E. Rutledge; Parsnips, R. H. Stinson, J. Cameron; Onions, from black seed, J. Hickling, J. Beecroft; Potato Onions J. Farris, J. Cameron; Winnisteadt Cabbage, J. Thompson, W. Bulmer; Drumhead, J. Thompson, W. Bulmer; other variety, J. Thompson, W. Bulmer; Cauliflower, J. Thompson, J. Farris; Celery, white, J. Hickling, J. Farris; Pumpkins, J. Farris, J. McGirr; Squashes, H. Mathewson, M. Powers; Citrons, W. Bulmer, H. Mathewson; Tomatoes, W. Bulmer, J. Beecroft; Watermelons, W. Bulmer, J. Thompson.

Fruit,—Crab apples, H. Mathewson, R. Gilray; fall apples, 3 varieties 6 of each, J. Beecroft, J. Brodie; winter apples, J. Beecroft, J. Marquis; fall apples, 1 var. J. Marquis, J. Brodie; winter apples, J. Graham, A. Fawcett; fall pears, H. Mitchel, J. Hickling; winter pears, J. Hickling, J. McGee; plums, red or Blue, J. Marquis, R. Stinson; plums, yellow or green, J. Marquis, H. Mitchell; grape, J. Graham, J. Heard.

Dairy Produce.—Honey, J. Heard; 5 lbs. butter, J. Ford, J. Abbott, Wm. Buchannan, A. Mercer; 50 lbs. butter, J. Ford, J. Abbott, J. Farris, E. Rutledge; 10 lbs. butter, Mr. Bates special, rocking chair, J. Cameron; cheese, J. Cameron, J. Milnor; bread, J. McGirr, N. Clarke.

Agricultural Implements, Buggies, &c.—Reaper and Mower, Massie manufacture, the only machine on exhibition; they having been in use this season the directors will decide if premium will be awarded or not; horse rake, Massie manufacture, Vandusen & Swain exhibitors; plow, A. McGill; lumber waggon, Allcock & Fleming; democrat, T. Wilson, G. Cruickshank; buggy, covered, H. Mitchell, R. Horn; buggy, open, J. Heard, T. Wilson; cutter, single, J. Heard, Allcock & Fleming; gents' fine sewed boots, W. Barnhouse; gents' stoga boots, W. Barnhouse; ladies boots, W. Barnhouse.

Domestic Manufactures.—Pair of blankets, home made, J. Cameron, J. Hickling; 5 yds. fulled cloth, home made, N. Clarke J. Milnor; 5 yds. flannel home made, R. Stinson, N. Clarke; 5 yds. flannel, union, home made, J. Milnor, R. Gilray; 2 lbs. stocking yarn, J. Cameron, J. Abbott; 2 prs. woolen mits, A. Carr, J. Magee; 2 prs. woolen sock, J. Cameron, J. Abbott; 2 prs. woollen stockings, J. Cameron, S. Stocks; patchwork quilt, R. Gilray, Miss Madill; quilt, any other kind, R. Burk, R. Gilray; Berlin wool work raised, J. Milnor, Miss. Vandusen; collection Berlin wool work, Mrs. W. Haskett, Miss Gilray; braiding in silk, Miss Gilray, J. Milnor; braiding in cotton, Miss Gilray, J. Milnor; emb. in silk, J. Milnor; emb. in cotton, Miss Ruthven, Mrs. H. Mathewson; emb. in worsted, Miss. L. Armstrong, Mrs. Milnor; crotchet in cotton, Mrs. J. R. Trimble, Miss Gilray; in wool, Miss L. Armstrong, Mrs. J. R. Trimble; point and honiton lace, Miss Ruthven, Mrs. Milnor; fancy knitting in wool, J. Milnor, Mrs. R. Stinson; woollen work on canvas, Mrs. J. R. Trimble, Miss L. Armstrong; needle work ornamental, Miss L. Armstrong, Mrs. Milnor; man's shirt, Mrs. H. Mathewson, Mrs. Stocks; rag mat, Mrs. Powers; hair flowers, Mrs. N. Clarke; feather flowers, Miss Gilray, Mrs. R. Stinson; leather work, Mrs. R. Stinson; slippers worked, Miss Damude, Mrs. Milnor; tatting, Miss Ruthven, Miss Hickling; wax fruit, Mrs. Milnor; wax flowers, Mrs. Milner; collection photos, W. Bulmer; penmanship, R. Davis; crayon drawing, Miss McDowell; Pencil drawing, Miss McDowell, Miss Vandusen; water color paintings, Miss McDowell, Miss L. Armstrong.

Plants & Flowers.—Table boquet, Mrs. Jas. Beecroft, Mrs. Vandusen; foliage plant, ———, Mrs. Vandusen; geranium, Mrs. Vandusen; fuschia, Mrs. Vandusen; calla lily, Mrs. Damude; begonia, Mrs. Bulmer, Mrs Vandusen; collection flowers Mrs. J. Beecroft, Mrs. Vandusen.

R. D. Irwin, teacher, is in Town.

Just to hand a large stock of new Black Cashmeres at Trimble & Wright's.

Fall in the price of bread—the large loaf for 12½cts, at Montgomery's Bakery.

Euphrasia Show came off Wednesday at Rocklyn, and was well attended. We will give a report with prize list next week.

See Trimble & Wright's dress goods at 8½ cents per yard.

Something, we believe well worthy the attention of dairy men, was shown by Moore and Cruickshanks, of Heathcote, in the shape of a double action churning machine. It is the best patent we have seen in that line.

We had a call from Mr. Chas. Matthews, (hotel keeper,) and Dr. Bennett, of Chatsworth, on Tuesday.

Gloves and hoisery at your own prices, at Trimble & Wright's.

2,000 empty flasks wanted at McIntyre's.

WRECK OF THE "ASIA."

BODIES FLOATING IN LARGE NUMBERS.

Owen Sound, Oct. 2.—The tug Ann Long arrived here at midnight last evening, having on board the following bodies lost on the ill-fated steamer Asia:—John McDougall, of Owen Sound, who was purser; E. Sparks, of Ottawa; Jackson supposed to be a farmer from near Listowel; Mrs. Kirk, from Clover Hill; Sheppard and one unknown supposed to be Silas Bonard. Two unknown bodies were picked up by the steamer Africa, and three by the steam barge Enterprise, near Lonely Island, and sent here by the tug. Captain Noble, of the tug Ann Long, reports that a large number of bodies are floating around near where these were picked up, and could be easily recovered if a tug with appliances for the purpose were despatched at once.

THE PURSER'S FUNERAL.

The remains of Mr. J. McDougall, purser of the wrecked steamer Asia, were interred this afternoon at four o'clock.

Trimble & Wright are selling millinery, mantles, and mantle cloths at fity cents on the dollar.

An extraordinary thing in ladies' bonnets—a cheap one.

Moffat Bros, Markdale, are making a specialty just now of Plow Points.

A printer standing at his case is right in his comp. position.

Plough Points of all patterns made of the best material, at the Markdale Foundry.

Some men, otherwise steady-headed, can never keep their balance in a bank.

Silks and satins, velvets and velveteens below wholesale prices, at Trimble & Wright's

McFarland's immense establishment is crowded with eager customers after the bargains. His competitors are disgusted and say there is no use competing with Mc.

We would direct the attention of our readers to the advertisement of R. J. Sproule, Flesherton, which appears on our eighth page. He has a large and new stock of everything usually found in a first class store and at low prices. He is also prepared to pay the highest cash price for wheat and farm produce.

Vigilance constant and sleepless vigilance is said to be the price of liberty. In the same way only can success be obtained in commercial life. W. J. McFarland is ever on the look out for bargains for his thousands' of customers. He has recently purchased over $7,000 worth of stock at 47½ cents on the dollar, which will be sold at unheard of prices.

ON THE WATER AS WELL AS ON THE LAND.

How is it possible to prevent a good thing from being known, is the question now agitating some few individuals in the Dominion. Therefore larger numbers although not sufferers from rheumatic troubles, are of the opinion of Capt. Barry of Kingston, owner of several lake vessels, and himself sailing master of one, who says: "I, too have been cured of the rheumatism by St. Jacobs Oil, the Great German Remedy; and I know of several others besides myself who have been cured of that dreadful ailment in the same manner; it is known upon the water just as well as on land, and is considered an invaluable remedy everywhere.

Spanking bargains are to be got at McFarland's, Overcoats $4.00; a good suit $4,50; pants $1,25; Hats 50 cts.; all purchased at 47½ cts on the dollar.

THE REASON HE WROTE IT.

"I write this," says Mr. Nelson de Pew, of Napiersville, Quebec, Canada," to say that, after suffering six years with rheumatism—accompanied with the most intense pain with which any one could be afflicted—I have been completely cured by the use of St. Jacobs Oil. I thus write because I consider it my duty so to do, and because I wish to publish to suffering humanity the wonderful efficacy of the Great German Remedy. When I remember that during six years in which I was bedridden with this awful disease, I tried all kinds of remedies, and expended a very large amount of money with doctors of all schools, and underwent all kinds of treatment, the feeling of gratitude at my marvelous recovery impresses me to give the widest publicity to my case,"

Over seven thousand dollars worth of fresh, clean goods are being opened out by W. J. McFarland, purchased at 47½ cts. on the dollar. Bargains may be expected as Mc. is the boss, and don't you forget it.

A fraud, in the shape of a woman, selling subscriptions for a picture called "The Fruits of the West," is on her travels. She collects the money in advance but never delivers the pictures.—*Shelburne Free Press.*

A contemporary states that punched silver is in many sections of the country no longer current. People should take care and refuse coin when they find it has been punched. In some parts of the United States, and we suppose in Canada as well, the practice is not unfrequent of filling the hole with some base metal, and passing the coin so restored. We observe that Judge Lowell, of the United States County Court, has held the former act to be counterfeiting, and the latter passing counterfeit money. We have no doubt the same view would be taken here under our law.

A Comet with a very lengthy and luminous tail can be seen about 3 o'clock these mornings.

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $1.00 to $0.00; Spring $0.00 to $0.00; Barley, 50c; Peas, 65c; Oats, 40c; Butter, 14c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 50c; Hay, $8.00.

FLESHERTON MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $1.00 to $0.00; Spring, $0.00 to $0.00; Barley, 50c; Peas, 65c Oats, 40c; Butter, 14c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 45c; Hay, $5.00.

T. C. & B. RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE.

GOING SOUTH.

	Exp.	Mxd.	Mail.
	a.m.	a.m.	p.m
Owen Sound, dep.	5.20	7.35	3.45
Markdale	6.29	9.45	5.02
Flesherton	6.43	10.12	5.19
Toronto	10.35		9.25

GOING NORTH.

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MARRIAGES.

Campaigne—Donkin.—On the 2nd. inst., at Riverview, by Rev. Mr. Snowden, Mr. W. A. Campaigne, of Little Falls, Artemesia, to Miss M. Donkin, of Riverview.

DIED.

McNicoll—In Artemesia, on the 30th Sept., Mary, relict of the late John McNicoll; aged 83 years.

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Markdale, Oct. 25th, 1881

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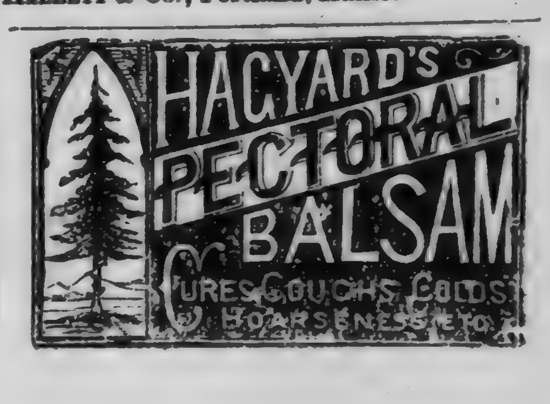

The Sort of People That One Meets at Dances.

THE DEBUTANTE,
Who thinks the world all roses,
Who loves at sight the first man who proposes:
Believes that each admirer is sincere,
And cannot bear that men at love should sneer.

THE NEAT YOUNG MAN,
With high well-starched collar,
And expectations! Ready cash, a dollar;
Who dances like a well-made dance-machine.
And wears a most depressed indifferent mien.

THE KNOWING GIRL,
Who's waltzed through several seasons,
Not married yet! But then she has her reasons,
Who's always dressed with *chic* that makes girls jealous;
To please her partners this one is most zealous.

THE MAN OF YEARS,
No longer pleased with folly,
Who thinks that dancing's good, but supper's jolly;
Prefers to spend his time in conversation,
With perhaps, to sweeten it, the least flirtation.

THE CLEVER GIRL,
Who's great on education,
Whose talk is lofty and of long duration:
Who scorns frivolity, neglects her clothing,
Loves Women's Rights, and looks on men with loathing.

THE NERVOUS MAN,
Who stands up in a corner,
The very image of a new Jack Horner:
The sort of man who asks, (whilst slyly glancing
At his fair partner,) "Are you fond of dancing?"

THE PRETTY GIRL,
Of whom men ask, "Who is she?"
And women murmur that she's far too gushy;
Of whom few guess, who meet her winsome glances,
She has a heart, a thing apart—from dances.

THE TAME YOUNG MAN,
Who talks about the weather,
And hopes your step and his go well together,
Agrees to every single word you utter,
Can't dance a bit, and then begins to stutter.

THE ANXIOUS GIRL,
"Not been out much before."
But very willing to go out much more;
Who, when she's asked to dance, looks very grateful,
Likes grown-up men, and things that boys are hateful.

THE FLIRTING MAN,
Who falls in attitudes,
Talks to each girl of love—in platitudes;
Looks ling'ring looks which seem to breathe devotion,
And doesn't feel, himself, the least emotion.

THE FAST YOUNG MAN,
Who drops in for an hour,
Who generally wears some large white flower;
Who quotes from comic songs, and smells of smoking,
And has a great propensity for joking.

THE CHAPERON,
Who sits with smile so weary,
To her a dance must be a thing right dreary;
Who beams upon young men with lots of money;
For poor young men her looks are not so sunny.

THE GENERAL CROWD,
The average man and maiden,
With never too much brain or beauty laden;
But he will see, who at these lines once glances,
The sort of people that one meets at dances.

Dying Words of the Great.

Dr. Johnson, passing away amid a tumult of uneasiness and fear, said to one who stood close beside his bed: "God bless you, my dear!" The celebrated Dr. Adams, rector of the High School of Edinburgh, in some moments of delirium preceding his d ath, whispered, "It is growing dark, boys;" stretching forth his hand, "you may go!" Queen Elizabeth of England, dying on her royal couch, was heard to moan out the heartrending words as she closed her eyes forever, "All my possessions for one moment of time!" But the noble Wesley simply exclaimed, in calmness of spirit: "The best of all is, God is with us." Poor Robert Burns, out of his head when he drew his last breath, cried: "Oh, don't let the awkward squad fire over me!" How curious, indeed, that Lord Thurlow should have cried out, as he passed away: "I'm shot if I don't believe I'm dying!"

"Ah! mes enfans, you cannot cry as much for me as I have made you laugh in my time!" so said the brilliant wit of France, Scarron, as he lay dying that hour with a host of weeping friends around h .

It was a Christian philosopher like John Locke who exclaimed with his latest breath that solemn day. "Oh, the depth of the riches of the goodness and knowledge of God!" How strange to think that the great Mirabeau, after a life of wild discord, should have cried out frantically, as he lay waiting for the last change, "Music! Let me die to the sound of delicious music!" Washington, with the smile of a saint, looked up into the face of his weeping wife as she bent over him at Mt. Vernon that dismal day, and calmly said, as he crossed his hands above his noble heart, "It is well!" And the last words of Luther's friend, Melancthon, are wonderfully striking, it seems to me. The former asked him that hour if he desired anything. "No, Luther, no! Nothing, nothing but heaven!" he answered, and died with a smile upon his face. The ruling passion may be said to have been still strong with Chesterfield when he passed away, for the last words he uttered were, "Give Daytolles a chair!" Did poor Cowper say anything before he died—he who had always dreaded even the thought of dying? Why, it is said he sank to rest as peacefully as a little child. Ah, but what did Hobbs, the deist say just before he gasped his last breath? "I am taking a fearful leap in the dark;" but the sweet Herbert said, "Now, Lord, receive my soul!" Dear Goldsmith's physician asked him a few moments before he ceased to breathe if his mind was at ease. His mournful answer was, "No, it is not!" And yet was not Goldsmith really as lovely a character, at heart, as any man who ever lived? The deaf Beethoven, whose whole soul had been full of glorious harmony throughout his life, cried out at last, "Now I shall hear!" May we not cherish the hope that Byron's thoughts were of God and heaven when he said at last, so wearily, "I must sleep now!" The sun was shining very brightly in the room where the great Humboldt lay dying, and he said, as he watched the beautiful rays, "How grand the sunlight! It seems to beckon earth to heaven!" John Adams and Thomas Jefferson died on the same day, but one with his last breath "Independence forever!" and the other, "I resign my soul to God—and my daughter to my country." Sir Thomas More said to an attendant, as he ascended the scaffold on the day of his execution, "I pray you see me safe up, and for my coming down let me shift for myself." Beautiful Anne Boleyn, just before she knelt down to lay her head on the block, clasped her neck with her hand and said, "It is small, very small, indeed!" What could have possessed Franklin to say to his friends on his deathbed, "A dying man does nothing well!" What a strange question for Cardinal Beaufort (or any other man) to ask at the last moment of his life, "What! is there no bribing death?" Scott said, even when death was creeping very near, "I feel as if I were to be myself again." And Hood, tired out, whispered only the words, "Dying, dying!"

THE LIME-KILN CLUB.

The Old Man's Words of Wisdom.

"If I had a chance to lib my life over again," said the President, as a solemn hush fell upon the meeting. "I should chalk down sartin fings dat I should 'spect to come to pass, an' I should chalk down some other sartin' fings dat I shouldn't reckon on onless a cyclone got loose an' tore down de fences. I should look fur—

"De man who eats onions to stop an' argy wid ebery man he meets gwine down town.

"I should 'spect men who owed the moas' an' war' de best able to pay to w'ar de bes' clothes an' have de mos' change when a circus comes along.

"I should 'spect my naybur to empty his ashes on de spot moas' convenient to himself widout any reference as to wheder de spot was on my land or his.

"I should 'spect dat broadcloth an' silk would be worn on de street by people who fill up on cold 'taters at home.

"I should 'spect the enmity of men whom I did not lend to, an' be beat by nine outer ten of sich as I favored.

"I should 'spect to be looked upon as a fanatic by men belongin' to a different church from mine, an' to be abused an' called a fool by men votin' de opposite political ticket.

"I should 'spect about so much bad weather—about so much sickness—about so many pains an' aches, an' hungry days an' lonely nights, an' knowin' de world as I know it now, I should 'pect de boats to run, and de trains to go out, an' de stores to open wheder I was in bed wid de ager or ober in de cabbage lot in de bes' of health.

"As fur de fings I shouldn't look fur, dey am almoas' too numerous to menshun.

"I shouldn't look for a laborin' man workin' fur ten shillin's a day to permit his whisky to cost mo' dan his flour.

"I shouldn't look fur a girl airnin' fo' dollars a week to dress like a banker's wife nor put on de agony of a princess.

"I shouldn't look fur my naybur to sweat his collar drivin' cows outer my garden, any mo' dan he would expect me to bust my suspenders keepin' de boys away from his harvest apples.

"I shouldn't look fur my chill'en to come up without fault, nor my fam'ly to lib without bein' hit by malice or wounded by gossip.

"I shouldn't look for any mo' room in de street kyar dan I paid fur, nor a better suit of clothes dan my sarcumstances permitted.

"I shouldn't look fur any man's work or promise to stan' good onless he was sartin dat he would be de gainer by makin' 'em so. It am now time to proceed wid de business which has reinstated us togeder, an' de triangle will be stricken in due form an' a colleckshun taken up to defray the expenes of observin' de transit of Venus from de northwest co'ner of de City Hall Market."—*Detroit Free Press.*

The Laying Out of Grounds.

Friends occasionally write us, saying that their grounds comprise so many acres, and ask us to furnish a plan by which they may lay them out to the best advantage. Sometimes these requests are accompanied by a sketch of the grounds in their present condition. While desirous of aiding our readers in every practicable manner, we are obliged to decline all such requests, if for no other reason than that it is impossible for us to give the needed time to even make gen ral suggestions in individual cases. Even when a complete map is s nt us, it would require hours, if not days of careful consideration, to determine what seems to be the best plan; that it is impossible to give to any one subscriber. Besides, were we to publish a plan suited to one particular place, it would be of little or no use upon any other. It is from the utter impossibility of meeting such requests, that we decline them. There are several works upon the laying out of grounds, which discuss the general points to be observed. The best our friends can do is, to study such works, and apply their teachings to their own places. We give here one general rule to be observed: Make no road or path that is not needed, that does not lead to some point. Fix the points to be reached by roads or paths, and let these sweep by easy curves from place to place: There are many cases in which a straight road is preferable to a curved one, if so, make it. Use common sense in laying out grounds, as in all other matters, and do no unmeaning work. Always make a map of the grounds as they now are, and a plan of the propoeed alterations, and work from measurement.

The New Reporter's Report.

The new reporter was sent to the school examination. His report read pretty well; but there were a few things in it which did not meet the approval of the local editor—such, for instance, as these: "The essays of the graduating class were good, whoever wrote them;" "the floral offerings were excessive, and from the number received by Miss Simplegush we judge her fa her owns a first-class greenhouse;" "the young lady who read the valedictory to the teacher has in her the making of a fine actress. She simulated sorrow so accurately that the writer might have been misled had he not subsequently heard the young lady speak of this same 'dear teacher' as 'hateful old thing.'"—*Boston Transcript.*

James Hickey has been murdered near Templemore, County Tipperary.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

FIVE MINUTES' SELECT READING.

Summary of Foreign, Domestic and War Items—Concise, Pithy and Pointed.

DOMESTIC.

It is proposed to start an industrial schoo at Kingston.

Laval University has conferred upon Sir Hector Langevin the degree LL. D.

Quite an alarming number of sudden deaths are occurring in Quebec of late.

The fishing station at Litchfield, Annapolis County, has been destroyed by fire.

Hon L. F. R. Mason has been appointed to the Senate in the room of the late Hon. S. Dumouchel.

The Bell Telephone company have commenced to build a line between Guelph, Galt and Hamilton.

The defalcation of McNeil, the employee in the Montreal city treasurer's office, are now placed at $15,000.

Fifteen hundred dollars' worth of silks and satins have been seized by the Customs authorities at St. Andrew's, N. B.

His Exellency the Governor-General and the Princess Louise opened the Agricultural Show at Victoria, B. C., on Wednesday.

A barber named Robertson attemped to commit suicide by shooting himself in the Sulphur Spring garden, London, last night.

Mr. J. A. Bordua was attacked by a train robber while passing through the Victoria Bridge recently on the Grand Trunk train

The Dominion Government have appointed an inspector of hulls and equipment of steamers carrying passengers in Canadian waters.

The department employees have memorial zed the Quebec Government for a bonus in consequence of the largely increased cost of living.

The body of an unknown man was found recently floating opposite Beaumont, near Quebec. Tatooed on one of his arms are the words "Charley and Lucy, 1878."

Mr. Mark Campbell, a native of Montreal, who went sight-seeing to Paris, writes that he got robbed out of 6,800 francs all the money he had with him, by some English sharpers.

UNITED STATES.

The Secretary of the Interior has re-opened for settlement ten million acres of agricultural land in Dakota.

At Cincinnati, Ohio, $12,000 worth of diamonds and jewellery were stolen from an exhibit in the exposition building.

All the relics and records of the Jeannette expedition in custody of Melville have been transferred to the Secretary of the Navy.

Five burglars, who two months ago robbed the express office at Grenville, Pa., and afterwards captured, escaped.

Miss Elizabeth Cromelin, one of the injured in the railroad tunnel accident, died at New York. This is the third death.

A dwelling-house at Philadelphia fell burrying sev ral inmates in the ruins. All were resceed alive but seriously injured.

The chief signal officer says there is no ground for fear that Greeley's party at the Lady Franklin station will not be sufficiently provisioned.

Reports from the principal tobacco growing sections of North Carolina show that the yield promises to be exceptional and the quality excellent.

At New Orleans Melissa Power and Addie Johnson, young women, fought with knives about a young man. Melissa is dead and Addie lies in a critical condition.

GENERAL.

Twenty-eight deaths from cholera have occurred at Uxtia, with a population of 50,000, in one day.

It is undersiood that Davitt and Dillon have explilcitly denied that any difference exists between the latter and Parnell.

The Russian officials have taken soundings of the mouth of the Danube against the remonstrances of the International Commission.

A strike of the Lancashire miners has been averted by the men postponing their demand for an advance of wages until November 1st.

Gen. Todleben, speaking at Wilna, publicly expressed his belief in the impartiality and disinterestedness of the Jewish members of that municipality, and hoped that their advice would be taken as readily as that of Christians.

Goat Milk in London.

One of the most picturesque sights in the squalid back streets which lie betwe n Leicester Square and Lincoln's Inn Fields is something exceedingly primitive and even romantic in the spectacle. The French peasant who owns the small flock of goats which supply many families with their morning's milk saunters slowly behind his docile herd. They know the sound as well as their owner and pick their way across the network of streets with the utmost familiarity; nor do they neglect to pick up any vegetable garbage that may be lying across their path. When he nears the house of a customer the goatherd plays on a pipe, supposed to resemble that of the mythological Pan, a pleasant and even poetic substitute for the melancholy howl of the native milkman. When the order is given the goats halt before the door, a penny-worth of milk is drawn off into a tiny measure, nearly a score of which barely fill a quart. While one goat is being milked the others stand by nibbling stray cabbage-leaves or eagerly eating the crusts of bread which children bring to them from their mother's table. The milking over, the herd moves on to make another halt where another pennyworth is required, when the process is repeated. The procession is again resumed, and kept up until the end of the walk is reached or the goats are dry. It is a curiously Arcadian custom to exist in the heart of London, and it may be doubted whether one Londoner in a hundred has ever heard of the existence of a wandering goatherd and his obedient flock.

The Egyptian flea is larger than the American grasshopper, and when he bites he means business, which is felt all over.

England will have the 500 mules shipped last week left over for the Nile campaign. The average mule is good for three of 'em.

The Utility of Drunkenness.

Darwin shows that the onward progress, the development, or what may be described as the collective prosperity of the species, is brought about by over-multiplication, followed by a necessary struggle for existence, in the course of which the inferior or unsuitable individuals are weeded out, and "the survival of the fittest" necessarily follows; these superior or more suitable specimens transmit more or less of their advantages to their offspring, which, still multiplying excessively, are again and again similarly sifted and improved or developed in a boundless course of forward evolution.

In the earlier stages of human existence, the fittest for survival were those whose brutal or physical energies best enabled them to struggle with the physical difficulties of their surroundings, to subjugate the crudities of the primeval plains and forests to human requirements. The perpetual struggles of the different tribes gave the dominion of the earth to those best able to rule it; the strongest and most violent human animal was then the fittest, and he survived accordingly.

Then came another era of human effort gradually culminating in the present period. In this, mere muscular strength, brute physical power, and mere animal energy have become less and less demanded, as we have, by the aid of physical science, imprisoned the physical forces of nature in our steam-boilers, batteries, etc., and have made them our slaves in lieu of human prisoners of war. The coarse, muscular, raving, yellow, fighting human animal that formerly led the war-dance, the hunt, and the battle, is no longer the fittest for survival, but is, on the contrary, daily becoming more and more out of his place. His prize-fights, his dog-fights, his cockpits, and bull-baiting are practically abolished, his fox-hunting, bird-shooting are only carried on at great expense by a wealthy residuum, and by damaging interference with civilized agriculture. The unfitness of the remaining representatives of the primeval savage is manifest, and their survival is purely prejudicial to the present interests and future progress of the race.

Such being the case, we now require some means of eliminating these coarser, more brutal, or purely animal specimens of humanity, in order that there may be more room for the survival and multiplication of the more intellectual, more refined, and altogether distinctively human specimens. It is desirable that this should be effected by some natural or spontaneoue proceeding of self-extinction, performed by the animal specimens themselves. If this self-immolation can be a pr cess that is enjoyable in thiir own estimation, all the objections to it that might otherwise be suggested by our feelings of humanity are removed.

Now, these conditions are exactly fulfilled by the alcoholic drinks of the present day when used for the purpose of obtaining intoxication.—W. MATTIEU WILLIAMS, *in the Popular Science Monthly.*

Excavations at Pompeii.

Our Naples correspondent writes: "The last house excavated at Pompeii in Isola V., Regione VIII., is of an anomalous kind. It is situated at the south side of the isola. Its construction is quite, unusual as it possesses no proper atirum. On entering the doorway you find on your right a small stove in the corner of the passage, and on the left is the kitchen proper from a room for slaves. Then to the right is a row of columns, forming a triangular space, in the midst of which is the triclinium with the reclining bed formed of masonry, and in the centre a cylindrical table covered with slabs of marble geometrically arranged. The wall paintings of this open space are not of great value; there are heads of Medusa, hippogriffs, and fantastic birds. Returning into the passage there is on the left next to the kitchen an exedra, with walls ornamented with white and yellow squares, divided by columns, decorations, and festoons all in fresco. At the entrance of this room are two strange figures; on the left an infant surprised at the sight of a large rat issuing from a trap, and on the right the same infant trying to catch the rat. On the left wall is a medallion with a small figure, two cupids and two flying geniuses, one with a pastoral staff in the left hand and a bunch of grapes in the right, the other with a staff in the right hand and the other supporting a basket on the shoulder. The opposite wall is in a bad condition, so that nothing can be distinguished but the faint traces of a similar medallion. This room was covered, and above it and the kitchen was a second story, to which access was had by a staircase at the end of the ground floor passage and by a similar passage above. Behind the exedra (always to the left of the passage) comes an inclosed garden. A window into this garden gave light to the staircase. At the extreme end to the right is another small room, with a window opening into the triclinium. This room had another above it, and the sole connection between the upper room with the others on the left was by means of the passage on the second floor. Many vases, shells in bronze, several gold rings with engraved stones. and amphoræ were found in the house, and six skeletons. A walled-up door on the left wall of the exedra makes it probable that the house was once a portion of some other large dwelling, and that it, like so many others, has been sold separately and undergone various changes.—*London Daily News.*

Karman (Persia) is famous for its carpets. I went to see a factory reput d to be the largest in the city, though employing less than 30 hands. The wretched weavers sat in two low rooms, filed with a sour and sickening atmosphere. Most of them were pale-faced, weakly children of 10 or 12 years, who hardly looked up when I entered, but remained bent over their work, picking up the threads with their nails, which are kept long and notched for the purpose. The patterns are written out in pamphlets and painfully committed to memory, and the children are taught very young—the younger the better. Their memories are quicker than those of grown-up folk. So far as I could understand the patterns, they seemed to be written in much the same style as those directions for knitting or crochet which one sometimes finds upon a lady's table—knit two, purl one, thread over, and knit two together. There was also a youth employed in reading one of the patterns aloud. A carpet about 16 feet by 10 ... be purchased in Karman for 40 to 50 to... —say $80 to $100. Some carpets will ... a year to make, and a decently good ... pet will not be finished in less than ... months; thus, although there are ... hundred factories in and about Karman, ... outturn of carpets is in no way alarmi... The Persians themselves prefer Manches... rugs, hideous things bearing the portr... ure of a camel or a lion, Bay of Napl... Leaning Tower of Pisa and the like.

PERSONAL NOTES.

An English explorer named Wood rece... ly interested an assemblage of Britons ... London by telling them how he discover... the famous temple at Ephesus. No writi... existed to afford him the slightest clew ... its whereabouts. But he hit upon an inscri... tion from the wall of that theatre to whi... St. Paul would have entered, but "the di... ciples suffered him not." This described ... certain procession in which certain imag... were carried from the temples through t... city gates. After much search he found t... gates, and then at length hit upon the pa... ed way, worn into groves by the wheels ... chariots. Little by little he made progre... to the city of Ephesus, until he reached t... temple of the great goddess Diana. T... fragments of friezes and column drums ga... a glimmering idea of what the whole m... have been. They are now in the Briti... Museum.

Queen Victoria was exceedingly annoy... at the beginning of her reign by the atte... tions of gentlemen cranks who thoug... themselves in love with her, and in se... cases pretended that she gave them encou... aging glances. One used to assist the wor... men at Kensington in order to see the Quee... and his phaeton was kept in readiness to f... low her when she went out. On one occ... sion when the Queen alighted to take a wa... he sprang out and came forward. The Du... ess of Kent sent a page to request that ... would drive off and not annoy the Quee... He refused. They had to re-enter the c... riage, and he followed in his.

Sir John A. Macdonald is the sole rep... sentative in the present House of Commo... of the Parliament of Canada of 1844. Mes... Bourassa, Daoust, and D Saulniers w... members of the Parliament in 1854; of t... Parliament of 1857, the representatives ... Sir Hector Langevin, and Hon. John C... ling and S. H. Pope. The other memb... of the House of Commons who sat in Par... ment previous to Confederation are Mes... Rykert, 1860; Hon. Blanchet and M... kenzie, 1861; Alonzo Wright, 1862; H... Geoffrin, Pinsonneault, and Thompson, 18...

Jeanne Bernhardt, a sister of Sarah, ... eccentric, too. She appeared at Borde... in Sardou's "Dora," and during the f... act pleased the audience fairly, though ... is no great actress. When the curtain w... to be raised for the second act she was m... ing. An attack of nervousness had ca... her to quit the theatre. She rode about ... city three hours in a cab, and then jo... her alarmed friends at the hotel. Mean... the audience had received its money ba... and a bill was posted at the door, "Cl... on account of a freak of Mlle. Bernhardt.

The Prince of Wales has taken t... weeks of mineral water and rest at H... burg, drinking from the nauseous sp... with scrupulous regularity, keeping ea... hours, and eating plain food, in order to ... over the effects of London high living. ... is now in Scotland for a month of High... air, and it is hoped that he will be satis... tory condition for the hunting season. A... that will come such arduous public dutie... president on corner-stone occasions and ... ners.

The widow Callahan may, if she so ch... es, put her arms akimbo and say, "I ... the largest individual sheep-owner in Te... my sheep, more than fifty thousand in n... ber, wandering over the ranges of Uv... and Bandera counties, in the southwes... part of the State." These peaceful ani... are divided into flocks of two thousand ... each, with a "boesero" and two "... tors" in charge of each flock. Ha... Widow Callahan!

His Excellency the Governor-General ... the Princess Louis opened the Agricult... Show at Victoria, B. C., on Wednes... In reply to an address the Governor-Gen... advised the people to accept any labor w... offered in order to secure the early com... tion of the railway. He also announced ... the President of the Company had infor... him of the adoption of the Kicking H... Pass and the intention to complete the ... by Jan. 1, 1887.

England does substantial pecuniary re... to those who render her distinguish se... in battle. After the Ashantee war Sir ... net Wolseley had a Parliamentary gran... $125,000, and if he comes well out of ... Egyptian busin ess, he will receive an... grant, a peerage, and a pension, f... Queen is averse to creating a poor m... peer. After Waterloo the grants to Wel... ton amounted to $3,500,000: Nelson, ... $1,000,000.

The last member of the British roya... mily regularly embalmed was the Pri... Charlotte. The operation took place ... the direction of Sergeant Surgeon Sir ... ard Home. The process disgusted Ge... IV., and hence was not repeated in the ... of other members of the family. In co... ance with George III's express wishes ... and Queen Charlotte were simply wra... in one cloth.

In the German military manœuvres ... year, the Crown Princess rode at the ... of the regiment of Hussars of which s... honorary Colonel. She wore the regul... uniform, except that a skirt took the ... of trousers, and instead of a sword sh... ried a riding whip swordwise.

The Rev. J. C. Sullivan was the ol... and respected pastor of the Methodist C... at Salem, O., but he had to resign w... came out that he wrote to young Mrs. ... wie, one of his converts: "I hung... press your pouting, pretty, and pe... mon-like lips to mine."

Coronets were first granted to Mar... by Richard II., to Earls by Henry ... Viscounts by James I. Barons ... Charles II, had only a crimson cap ... with fur.

It is rumoured in Vienna that on the ... cent visit to Moscow, the Emperor and ... press of Russia were secretly crowned.

The Emperor of Austria has subs... 100,000 florins for sufferers by the ... the Tyrol.

AN AUTOGRAPH.
BY JOHN G. WHITTIER.

I write my name as one
On sands by waves o'errun;
Or Winter's frosted pane
Traces a record vain.

Oblivion's blankless claims
Wiser and better names,
And well my own may pass
As from the strand or glass.

Wash on, O waves of time!
Melt noons the frosty rime!
Welcome the shadow vast,
The silence that shall last!

When I and all who know
And love me vanish so,
What harm to them or me
Will the lost memory be!

If any words of mine,
Through light of life divine,
Remain, what matters it
Whose hand the message writ?

Why should the "crowner's ques...
Sit on my worst or best!
Why should the showman claim
The poor ghost of my name!

Yet, as when dies a sound
Its spectre lingers round,
Haply my spent life will
Leave some faint echo still.

A whisper giving breath
Of praise or blame to death,
Soothing or saddening such
As loved the living much.

Therefore with yearnings vain
And fond I still would fain
A kindly judgment seek,
A tender thought bespeak.

And while my words are read,
Let this at least be said:
"Whate'er his life's defeatures,
He loved his fellow-creatures.

"If, of the Law's stone table,
To hold he scarce was able
The first great precept fast,
He kept for man the last.

"Through mortal lapse and dul...
What lacks the Eternal Fullnes...
If still our weakness can
Love Him in loving man!

"Age brought him no despairing
Of the world's future faring:
In human nature still
He found more good than ill.

"To all who dumbly suffered,
His tongue and pen he offered ...
His life was not his own,
Nor lived for self alone.

"He loved the scholar's quiet,
Yet, not untempted by it,
Or poet's dream of beauty,
He strove to do his duty.

"He meant no wrong to any,
He sought the good of many,
Yet knew both sin and folly.
May God forgive him wholly ...

DAVID AND GOLIAT...

How the Little Fellow Slew ... Champion of the Philisti...

Some one bolted into the hut o... announced that a champion had c... and Saul said: "Bring h m in." ... ed some man fourteen feet high, ... up his eyes at an angle of 4... "Where is he?" (surprise). "... "Why, my son, what are you tal... Go home to your mamma. Y... joking." "Will you just liste... asked little David. "Yes, yo... boy; go on." Then said David: ... vant kept his father's sheep, and ... a lion and a bear came and took ... of the flock. Thy servant that s... and the bear will beat the brains ... uncircumcised Philistine." Sau... see the point. "My son, it's a ... didn't I think of it before? Go o... But come, let's have a little co... in this matter. Bring in my ar... they loaded the little fellow dow... or 300 pounds of brass. "I can'... I ain't used to this sort of thing," ... and he put it off.

Brother, don't you try any of ... armor. Don't let the devil put ... brass on you. Trust in the Lor... honey, without a particle of wa... sincere. Victory comes not by ... the Lord and common sense, not ... in the Lord and keeping your p... Trust in the Lord sine cera, just ...

So David goes out without k... he was going to fight. He doub... ed to use his shepherd's staff, ... lion and the bear, but the Lord ... a better way. He was compa... shepherd of the sheep, and ... Lord wants to kill Goliath. Da... giant all the advantage of pos... battle was fought on the ascen... the Philistines' hill, Goliath w... wrath at the sight of his pigmy ... that he lifted his visor to cur... freely, and that proved his ruin. ... David slipped a stone in his sli... a run at him. He didn't sto... shot, but as he ran he just l... God take the stone to its mark ... direction to it; it sank into th... forehead, and down he went. ... directs a smooth stone from the ... we lean our whole weight upon H... dead, all the rest of the Philisti... that is the way to kill Goliath ... —*a Sermon by Evangelist Barnes...*

A Saint at the Zoo...

Capt. Harry Piper, Alderma... intendent of the Zoological G... communicated the following ... porter of one of Toronto's mo... papers: "Some time ago ... from the collection of animal... Park, New York, a monstrous ... which we have named 'Peter ... account of his tremendous siz... after 'Peter' arrived we found ... suffering from the rheumatis... pretty bad state. Pete was no... in the 'Zoo' which had a ... delicious torture; the lion like... and in fact I was just being ... case of the rheumatism, mysel... of St. Jacobs Oil, the Great Ge... edy. I found St Jacobs Oil ... remedy, for it cured me in a ... and my case was a very aggra... argued that if it cured men it ... for animals as well."

... the calm you have gained ... quired force or of growing wea...
Biliousness, Indigestion, Con... forms of Dyspepsia, yield at ... dose of *Zopesa*, the new co... Brazil. A 10 cent sample prov...

ud. A carpet about 16 feet by ... purchased in Karman for 40 to 50 ... ay $80 to $100. Some carpets will ... year to make, and a decently ... will not be finished in less than ... nths; thus, although there are ... ndred factories in and about Karman, the ... tturn of carpets is in no way alarming ... e Persians themselves prefer Manchester ... gs, hideous things bearing the portrait ... e of a camel or a lion, Bay of Naples ... aning Tower of Pisa and the like.

PERSONAL NOTES.

An English explorer named Wood recently interested an assemblage of Britons ... ndon by telling them how he discovered ... e famous temple at Ephesus. No writer ... isted to afford him the slightest clew ... whereabouts. But he hit upon an inscription from the wall of that theatre to which ... Paul would have entered, but "the di... ples suffered him not." This described ... rtain procession in which certain images ... re carried from the temples through the ... ty gates. After much search he found the ... tes, and then at length hit upon the ... way, worn into groves by the wheels of ... hariots. Little by little he made progress ... the city of Ephesus, until he reached the ... mple of the great goddess Diana. The ... agments of friezes and column drums gave ... glimmering idea of what the whole must ... ave been. They are now in the British ... useum.

Queen Victoria was exceedingly annoyed ... the beginning of her reign by the atten... ons of gentlemen cranks who thought ... hemselves in love with her, and in some ... ases pretended that she gave them encour... ging glances. One used to assist the work... hen at Kensington in order to see the Queen ... nd his phacton was kept in readiness to fol... w her when she went out. On one occa... on when the Queen alighted to take a walk ... e sprang out and came forward. The Duch... ss of Kent sent a page to request that he ... would drive off and not annoy the Queen. ... le refused. They had to re-enter the car... age, and he followed in his.

Sir John A. Macdonald is the sole repr... entative in the present House of Commons ... f the Parliament of Canada of 1844. Messrs. ... Bourassa, Daoust, and D Saulniers were ... members of the Parliament in 1854; of the ... Parliament of 1857, the representatives are ... ir Hector Langevin, and Hon. John Car... ing and S. H. Pope. The other members ... f the House of Commons who sat in Parlia... ment previous to Confederation are Messrs ... Rykert, 1860; Hon. Blanchet and Mac... kenzie, 1861: Alonzo Wright, 1862; Hon ... Geoffrin, Pinsonneault, and Thompson, 1863.

Jeanne Bernhardt, a sister of Sarah, ... eccentric, too. She appeared at Bordeaux ... n Sardou's "Dora," and during the first ... act pleased the audience fairly, though she ... s no great actress. When the curtain was ... to be raised for the second act she was miss... ing. An attack of nervousness had caused ... her to quit the theatre. She rode about the ... city three hours in a cab, and then joined ... her alarmed friends at the hotel. Meantime ... the audience had received its money back ... and a bill was posted at the door, "Closed ... on account of a freak of Mlle Bernhardt."

The Prince of Wales has taken three ... weeks of mineral water and rest at Hom... burg, drinking from the nauseous spring ... with scrupulous regularity, keeping early ... hours, and eating plain food, in order to ... over the effects of London high living. He ... is now in Scotland for a month of Highland ... air, and it is hoped that he will be satisfac... tory condition for the hunting season. After ... that will come such arduous public duties ... president on corner-stone occasions and din... ners.

The widow Callahan may, if she so choos... es, put her arms akimbo and say, "I am ... the largest individual sheep-owner in Texas ... my sheep, more than fifty thousand in num... ber, wandering over the ranges of Uvalde ... and Bandera counties, in the southwestern ... part of the State." These peaceful animals ... are divided into flocks of two thousand head ... each, with a "boesero" and two "pas... tors" in charge of each flock. Happy ... Widow Callahan!

His Excellency the Governor-General and ... the Princess Louis opened the Agricultural ... Show at Victoria, B. C., on Wednesday. ... In reply to an address the Governor-General ... advised the people to accept any labor which ... offered in order to secure the early comple... tion of the railway. He also announced that ... the President of the Company had informed ... him of the adoption of the Kicking Horse ... Pass and the intention to complete the road ... by Jan. 1, 1887.

England does substantial pecuniary reward ... to those who render her distinguish service ... in battle. After the Ashantee war Sir Gar... net Wolseley had a Parliamentary grant of ... $125,000, and if he comes well out of the ... Egyptian business, he will receive another ... grant, a peerage, and a pension, for the ... Queen is averse to creating a poor man ... peer. After Waterloo the grants to Welling... ton amounted to $3,500,000: Nelson, near ... $1,000,000.

The last member of the British royal fa... mily regularly embalmed was the Princess ... Charlotte. The operation took place under ... the direction of Sergeant Surgeon Sir Ev... ard Home. The process disgusted George ... IV., and hence was not repeated in the case ... of other members of the family. In compli... ance with George III's express wishes, he ... and Queen Charlotte were simply wrapped ... in one cloth.

In the German military manœuvres this ... year, the Crown Princess rode at the head ... of the regiment of Hussars of which she is ... honorary Colonel. She wore the regulation ... uniform, except that a skirt took the place ... of trousers, and instead of a sword she car... ried a riding whip swordwise.

The Rev. J. C. Sullivan was the elder ... and respected pastor of the Methodist Church ... at Salem, O., but he had to resign when it ... came out that he wrote to young Mrs. B... wie, one of his converts: "I hunger ... press your pouting, pretty, and persim... mon-like lips to mine."

Coronets were first granted to Marquises ... by Richard II., to Earls by Henry II., ... Viscounts by James I. Barons up ... Charles II. had only a crimson cap mounted ... with fur.

It is rumoured in Vienna that on their re... cent visit to Moscow, the Emperor and Em... press of Russia were secretly crowned.

The Emperor of Austria has subscribed ... 100,000 florins for sufferers by the floods ... the Tyrol.

AN AUTOGRAPH.

BY JOHN G. WHITTIER.

I write my name as one
On sands by waves o'errun;
Or Winter's frosted pane
Traces a record vain.

Oblivion's blankless claims
Wiser and better names,
And well my own may pass
As from the strand or glass.

Wash on, O waves of time!
Melt noons the frosty rime!
Welcome the shadow vast,
The silence that shall last!

When I and all who know
And love me vanish so,
What harm to them or me
Will the lost memory be?

If any words of mine,
Through light of life diving,
Remain, what matters it
Whose hand the message writ?

Why should the "crowner's quest,"
Sit on my worst or best?
Why should the showman claim
The poor ghost of my name?

Yet, as when dies a sound
Its spectre lingers round,
Haply my spent life will
Leave some faint echo still.

A whisper giving breath
Of praise or blame to death,
Soothing or saddening such
As loved the living much.

Therefore with yearnings vain
And fond I still would fain
A kindly judgment seek,
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"Through mortal lapse and dullness
What lacks the Eternal Fullness,
If still our weakness can
Love Him in loving man?

"Age brought him no despairing
Of the world's future faring;
In human nature still
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Yet knew both sin and folly.—
May God forgive him wholly!"

DAVID AND GOLIATH.

How the Little Fellow Slew the Giant Champion of the Philistines.

Some one bolted into the hut of Saul and announced that a champion had come forth, and Saul said: "Bring him in." He expected some man fourteen feet high, and lifted up his eyes at an angle of 45 degrees. "Where is he?" (surprise). "He is in." "Why, my son, what are you talking about? Go home to your mamma. You must be joking." "Will you just listen to me?" asked little David. "Yes, you're a nice boy; go on." Then said David: "Thy servant kept his father's sheep, and there was a lion and a bear came and took a lamb out of the flock. Thy servant that slew the lion and the bear will beat the brains out of this uncircumcised Philistine." Saul began to see the point. "My son, it's a fact. Why didn't I think of it before? Go out and win. But come, let's have a little common sense in this matter. Bring in my armor." And they loaded the little fellow down with 200 or 300 pounds of brass. "I can't wear this. I ain't used to this sort of thing," said David and he put it off.

Brother, don't you try any of that devil's armor. Don't let the devil put an ounce of brass on you. Trust in the Lord sine cera, honey, without a particle of wax, our word sincere. Victory comes not by trusting in the Lord and common sense, not by trusting in the Lord and keeping your powder dry. Trust in the Lord sine cera, just as you are.

So David goes out without knowing how he was going to fight. He doubtless expected to use his shepherd's staff, as with the lion and the bear, but the Lord showed him a better way. He was comparisoned as a shepherd of the sheep, and that's all the Lord wants to kill Goliath. David gave the giant all the advantage of position. The battle was fought on the ascending slope of the Philistines' hill, Goliath was so full of wrath at the sight of his pigmy antagonist that he lifted his visor to curse him more freely, and that proved his ruin. Our little David slipped a stone in his sling and made a run at him. He didn't stop for a pot shot, but as he ran he just let fly and let God take the stone to its mark. God gave direction to it; it sank into the Philistine's forehead, and down he went. God always directs a smooth stone from the brook when we lean our whole weight upon Him. Goliath dead, all the rest of the Philistines fled. And that is the way to kill Goliath now.—*From Sermon by Evangelist Barnes.*

A Saint at the Zoo.

Capt. Harry Piper, Alderman and Superintendent of the Zoological Garden, lately communicated the following facts to a reporter of one of Toronto's most influential papers: "Some time ago we purchased from the collection of animals at Central Park, New York, a monstrous Russian bear, which we have named 'Peter the Great,' on account of his tremendous size. Not long after 'Peter' arrived we found that he was suffering from the rheumatism, and in a pretty bad state. Pete was not the only one in the 'Zoo' which had a touch of that delicious torture; the lion likewise had it, and in fact I was just being cured of a bad case of the rheumatism, myself, by the use of St. Jacobs Oil, the Great Germany Remedy. I found St Jacobs' Oil an excellent remedy, for it cured me in a short while, and my case was a very aggravated one. I argued that if it cured men it must be good for animals as well."

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TONY PASTOR IN TROUBLE.

Tony Pastor, of New York, who is now with his inimitable variety combination making a tour of the Union, is recognized as the leading character vocalist and variety performer of the United States. The writer of this article met Mr. Pastor recently, and found him as genial in private as he is amusing before the public. During our conversation I inquired as to his physical health, and he replied that it was excellent. He had occasionally severe pains, either the result of rheumatic attacks or colds, but any complaints of that character never trouble him long, as he had found out a remedy for all such annoying affections. I asked what the remedy was and he replied, "ST. JACOBS OIL." Mr. Pastor said that he considered the Great German Remedy an excellent preparation for the cure or relief of rheumatism, and that it was the only thing used among professional people for that distressing complaint. He took bottles of it with him whenever he went traveling, and would not be without it, and knew that it was very popular with a number of members of his own company. The foregoing, from the Brooklyn (N. Y.) *Eagle*, recalls to our mind an item wherein the editor of the Cairo (Ill.) *Evening Sun*, in paying a tribute to the enterprise of the St. Louis *Post-Dispatch*, and expressing his sorrow at the loss by fire which the latter paper sustained, says: "The whole office was knocked into ten thousand pieces—all except the ST. JACOBS OIL Advertisement, which was miraculously preserved." The closing remarks in the above and the following incident are a true index of the unexampled popularity the Great German Remedy enjoys everywhere: At a St. Louis theatre recently whilst the play was in progress, one of the lady performers met with a painful mishap, which quite disabled her. The hero of the piece, equal to the emergency, called out to one of the ushers to "bring a bottle of ST. JACOBS OIL quickly." The thundering applause throughout the entire house which promptly followed this happy suggestion was an unmistakable proof of the fact that the audience "had been there themselves," as the expression goes, and experienced the benefits of this wonderful article.

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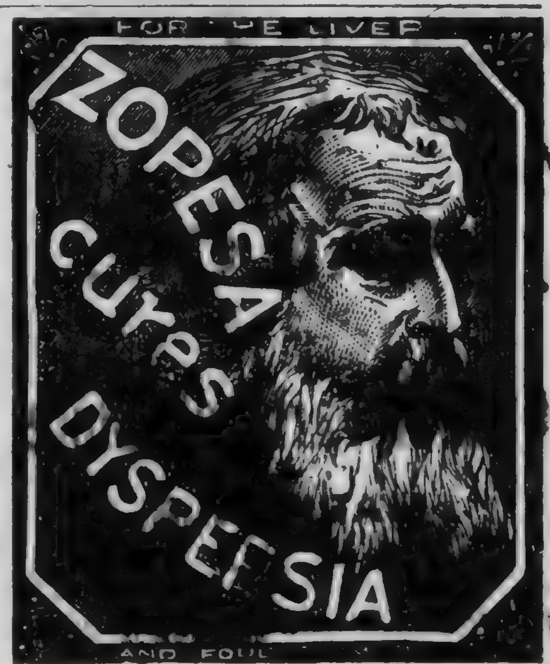

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Col. T. L. Foster,

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Yours &c.
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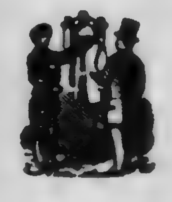

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The American Agriculturist for October is an unusually attractive and valuable number of this old, reliable and famous journal. We notice important changes in the new and handsome cover, fine paper, and superior finish on the many engravings. It is a double number, containing a large Premium List filled with many desirable articles for those who make up clubs.

Among the leading contributors : P. H. Jacobs, on Poultry Keeping, fully illustrated; J. N. Muncey, on feeding hogs ; Dr. Geo. Thurber, on Gladiolus, Skull caps, Hemp, and other plants ; Prof. Buckhout, on Bladder plums ; L. D. Snook, on Household devices ; X. A. Willard, on Cold Storage of Butter ; Prof. W. H. Jordan, on Ground Limestone ; Col. M. C. Weld, on Ensilaging Corn Fodder ; Mr. Orange Judd, on Crops and Prices etc. ; and D. D. Bishop, on [illegible] ing Corn [illegible] Gueson's Wonderful discovery ; Farming in Egypt ; Ball [illegible]wing ; Humbugs Exposed, are all important. Of the eighty illustrative engravings [illegible] two large ones of "October," "Farewell [illegible] woods ;" Camp Tip-Top—a summer home ; Prize House-Plans ; Red Polled Cattle, and a long list of labor-saving devices for the farm, garden, and household, such as : Field Roller, Loading Corn, Mending tools, Pig Rack, Fence Posts, Door Latch, Hoe, Potatoe Bin, Cold Cellar, Filter, Shoe Box, etc., etc. The Children's Columns [illegible] of [illegible] tve reading—The Doctor [illegible] on various kinds of Rats, Galls, etc. Orange Judd Co., Publishers, New York. $1.50 per annum ; single number, 15 cents.

Sudden Death.—Yesterday forenoon, when a very large number of people were on the street, while Mr. Edward Ard of Normanby was driving his team past the Middaugh House on Lambton st., he was noticed to suddenly fall over in the waggon. He was taken out of the waggon and seated in a chair in the Middaugh House and a doctor summoned to his aid, but in a few moments after Jamieson's arrival Mr. Ard breathed his last. After life was fled the body of the deceased was carried into the Town Hall, although the place had been rented by the members of Trinity Church for the day and a Bazaar was being held at the time. The family of the deceased were in town to attend the show. Mr. Ard was always a strong, active member of the Agricultural Society, an old settler and highly respected.—*Review.*

SOUTH GREY EXHIBITION.

[illegible] was held in Durham [illegible] Wednesday of last week [illegible] the weather being everything that could be desired the exhibition was well attended, the gate receipts being considerably in excess of last year and the number of entries about the same. In some respects it was not equal to last year, and in other respects it was [illegible] on the whole [illegible] may be considered a fair success. The exhibition of grain was very fine and considering the season the show of roots was also good. There was also a splendid display of ladies' work, both useful and ornamental. In the outside department there was a very good show, particularly in cattle. The increased accommodation in the show building was highly appreciated, and the management deserves credit for their efforts on behalf of the society. The band prize was competed for by the Mount Forest band and the battalion band of Walkerton, the former being justly awarded the first prize.—*Chronicle.*

Correspondence.

Notice.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

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To the Editor of the Standard.

Dear Sir,—I have been more amused than edified at the position the *Advance* has taken in reference to the doings of our Council, and especially the Clerk. The *great* objection taken to Mr. Milne appears to be his politics. Now, sir, I fail to see the force of his argument. The editor of the *Advance* tries to make it appear that because he is a Conservative he did not receive the printing contract. We venture to say that Mr. Rutherford who got the contract is as staunch a Conservative as Mr. Fawcett. This fact in itself kills his argument on that score.

A Ratepayer.

McIntyre, Sept. 21st, 1882.

[The above correspondence was unavoid- crowded out last week.]

To the Editor of the Standard.

Dear Sir,—I beg to compliment you on the marked improvements you continue to make in your paper, the [illegible] and get up of which is certainly a credit to you. I consider it a pleasure to support you in your efforts.

James Yelland,

[illegible], Oct. [illegible], 1882.

Said an old gentleman, patronizingly, to a bright little fellow, "Be a good boy, my little man, and you may be President." "Yes, I may be," the wide awake youth replied, "but you don't want to gamble on it ?"

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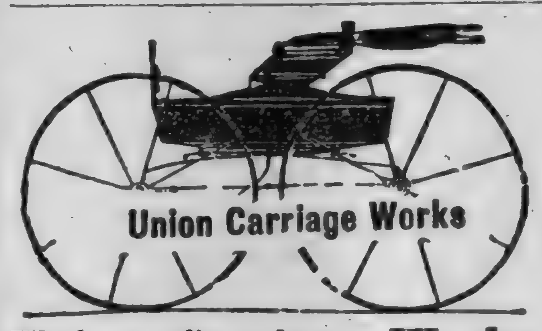

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The sidewalk has been extended to the school house.

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Mr. McPherson, our respected banker, has returned, having taken unto himself a partner. We wish them a pleasant and prosperous journey through life.

DUNDALK ITEMS.

Dundalk brass band is flourishing. They have rented a room in Victoria Hall for winter practice.

Georgie Lamon fell off a horse and dislocated his arm last week.

J. C. Reid now occupies his new hotel, which is a very fine building. The rooms are large and well laid out, and the workmanship reflects credit on the mechanics.

The brick work on Hanbury's new block is about completed. This block when completed will be a credit to Dundalk.

Mr. Hall, of the *Herald*, is doing a rushing business.

Mr Deans addition to his building is progressing.

The fall show of Proton Agricultural Society was very largely attended and resulted in a grand success in every particular. About $100 was taken at the gate. Judging from the pluck and enterprise of the directors and especially the officers, together with the united efforts of the business men of Dundalk, the society is destined to become the leading one of the district.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. J. White, of Melancthon, was thrown down and gored by a bull on the show ground on Oct. 5th. The animal had broken loose and Mr. White was endeavoring to stop him when the accident occurred. At last accounts Mr. White was doing well.

GLENELG COUNCIL.

Council met at the town hall on 2nd. inst. All the members present. The following claims were paid:—

W. R. Rombough, for surveying and plans, $18.00; I. Elder, repairing scrapers, $1.00. S. Overfield, repairing scrapers. $1.00; R. Watterson, repairing bridge and removing obstructions on road, $6.00.

Orders were issued on the treasurer in payment of work on roads in ward No. 1 to the amount of $339.50, and for work on roads in ward No. 4, $353.26. The clerk was instructed to notify Alexander Beaton to remove his fence from the road allowance at Lot 15, Con. 4 N. D. R.

The following parties were accepted as sureties for the collectors in the several wards:—Ward No. 1, John Staples and J. C. Glencross; Ward No. 2, G. McTaggart and G. Tucker; Ward No. 3, A. Cook and John McNally, jr. Ward No. 4, James Falkingham and Richard Jack.

Council adjourned to meet at the same place on 11th Dec. next.

A CLERGYMAN'S TESTIMONY.

W. E. Gifford. Pastor M. E. Church, Bothwell, was for two years a sufferer with Dyspepsia in its worst form, until as he states "life became an actual burden." Three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him, and he tells us in a recent letter that he considers it the best family medicine now before the country for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

FIRE.—Shortly after eight on Sunday evening last, a vacant house owned by Mr. D. Malone, on the corner of Bay and Russel streets, was discovered to be on fire. The fire alarm soon emptied the churches and cut short the sermons. The fire brigade soon put out the blaze, but not till the house, which was not of much value, had been damaged beyond repair. There is no doubt the place was set on fire.—*Times.*

The fruitful season of the year is prolific with many forms of Bowel Complaints, such as Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, Cholera Infantum, &c., as a safe guard and positive cure for those distressing and often sudden and dangerous attacks nothing can surpass that old and reliable medicine Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

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The years which are required to break
Their steps to evenness, and make
Them go
More sure and slow.

They are such little hands;
Be kind. Things are so new, and life but stands
A step beyond the doorway. All around
New day has found
Such tempting things to shine upon, and so
The hands are tempted hard, you know.

They are such new, young lives;
Surely their newness shrives
Them well of many sins. They see so much
That, being immortal, they would touch
That if they reach
We must not chide, but teach.

They are such fond, c'ear eyes
That open wide to surprise
At every turn; they are so often held
To suns or showers—showers soon dispelled,
By looking in your face.
Love asks for such, much grace.

They are such fair, frail gifts;
Uncertain as the rifts
Of light that lie along the sky—
That may not be here by and by—
Give them not love, but more above
And harder—patience with the love.

OLD POPPLEWELL'S WILL

A Story With a Moral.

It was a great shock to the fee ings of Mr. Silas Popplewell to discover that his father had bequeathed a l·gacy of £2,000 to his housekeeper, a certain Mrs. Draycott. The woman had entered the old man's service only about a year before his death, and if there had been anything remarkable in her demeanor towards him it consisted rather of scant courtesy and want of attention. She had never apparently made the slightest attempt to ingratiate herself with her master, who, on his part, had always seemed to regard his attendant with calm indifference. But Silas felt doubtly aggrieved because his father had scrupulously concealed from him that he had made a will, leaving him to believe that he was bound to inherit everything as next of kin and heir-at-law.

Silas Popplewell came across the will quite unexpectedly while going through the o.d man's papers a few hours after his decease. The document appeared to be perfectly legal, and had evidently been prepared by a solicitor, whose name was appended as one of the witnesses to the testator's signature. Except the legacy to the housekeeper it left everything to Silas Popplewell and appointed him sole executor. Considering that old Joseph Popplewell was reputed to be a wealthy man most persons in Silas' position would not have suffered the unexpected legacy to disturb their equanimity. But Silas Popplewell was one of those mean, grasping, avaracious individuals who can not bear the thought of losing anything. He considered he was both legally and morally entitled to the whole of his father's property, and regarded the legacy to Mrs. Draycott as a fraud upon his just rights. He was, therefore, overwhelmed with rage and disappointment, and worked himself into a perfect fever of virtuous indignation.

In the midst of his tribulation it suddenly occurred to him that but for the sheet of paper which he held in his hand he would be a richer man by two thousand pounds sterling. This eminently practical view of the situation aroused his worst passions and he soon found himself wondering what would probably happen if the will were not forthcoming. Supposing, for instance, he were to leave the document where he found it and say nothing to anybody? The chances were, he thought, that the housekeeper would believe the testator had revoked it, assuming she had ever been aware of its existence, while it was quite possible, considering his late father's habitual reticence concerning his affairs, that the woman suspected nothing. If the worst happened, and a hue and cry were raised, the will could be conveniently found; or better still, who could gainsay him if he were to declare boldly that his father had deliberately destroyed the will in his presence!

Such insidious reflections as these are apt to blunt a man's moral perceptions, especially when he is laboring under a keen sense of injustice. Silas Popplewell's standard of morality was not a high one, and he would any day sooner have done a shabby trick than lose a sixpence. The consequence was that after a little hesitation he yielded to an uncontrollable impulse and consigned the obnoxious will to the flames.

When the paper was reduced to ashes, Silas suddenly awoke to the fact that he had committed a felony and rendered himself liable to penal servitude. He turned deadly pale when he thought of the disagreeable contingency and for a moment was inclined to repent for what he had done. But when he reflected that his wicked act had not been witnessed by any mortal eyes, while the only evidence of his guilt—the charred paper—was rapidly disappearing up the chimney, he soon recovered his spirits. Having waited patiently until there was no longer any trace left even of the ashes of the will, he locked up the strong box in which he had found it and left the room, feeling tolerably easy in his mind.

Nothing occurred during the next few days to arouse Silas Popplewell's apprehensions, and as he was not troubled with a conscience he began to congratulate himself upon the decisive step he had taken. The housekeeper went about her duties as usual, and did not seem to trouble her head as to whether her master had left a will or not, from which Silas gathered with heartfelt satisfaction that she knew nothing about her legacy. He could not, retrain, however, from watching her furtively, knowing what he did of his father's intention toward her. She was a vulgar, illiterate, elderly woman, singularly devoid of personal attraction and apparently not possessed of much intelligence. While striving in vain to account for his father's extraordinary predilection for her as manifested by his will, Silas was struck by an expression of determination on the woman's face which seemed to indicate a desperate character. He began to suspect that she had forged the will by the aid of accomplices, and was waiting with calmness the issue of her machinations. If so, she was doomed to disappointment, thought Silas, and he chuckled at the notion of having frustrated such an infamous scheme.

When the day of the funeral arrived Silas felt strangely nervous and uncomfortable. He was very much upset by the unexpected number of mourners, the mere fact of having to provide gloves and crape on such an extended scale being sufficient to cause him serious vexation. Old Joseph Popplewell was a man of very humble origin, having, in fact, commenced life as a common laborer, and Silas scarcely knew anything of his father's relatives. Several of these turned up, however, without being invited, and Silas resented their presence very much, not only because he was not anxious to claim kinship with them, but because they would no doubt make particular inquiries about the destination of the old man's property.

It is to be feared that Silas suffered his mind to wander a good deal from his old father's obsequies. He may have had a soft corner in his heart for the old man's memory, but nervousness and apprehension rendered it inaccessable on this occasion. The solemn words of the burial service fell unheeded on his ear, for his mind was disturbed by the prospect of having to explain to his friends that his father had died intestate. His newly-discovered kinsmen were a painfully vulgar and coarse-minded set, and several fragments of conversation referring to the father's supposed testamentary intentions had reached him. The idea that the old man had left a will seemed as general as the extravagant notion that each individual mourner had been named in it. Though he was guiltless as far as they were all concerned, Silas Popplewell, being agitated and unnerved, shrank from the task of answering their inquiries, while he was seized with sudden terror lest the housekeeper should take the opportunity to give utterance to unpleasant suspicions.

When the mourners returned to the house Mrs. Draycott was standing by the fireplace in the sitting-room conversing with a prim, professional-looking gentleman, who, on perceiving Silas, advanced to meet him, rubbing his hands.

"Mr. Popplewell, I believe," he said with a slight bow.

"Yes," replied Silas uneasily.

"You will doubtless know my name when I mention it," replied the other; "I am Mr. Reeves, of Grays' Inn Square."

Silas turned very white and his knees trembled, for Mr. Reeves was the solicitor who had witnessed the execution of his father's will.

"I—I beg your pardon," he said falteringly; "I think there must be some mistake, I have not the pleasure of your acquaintance."

"I imagined your housekeeper wrote to me by your instructions," said the solicitor, slightly embarrassed and glancing at Mrs. Draycott.

"I wrote because the late Mr. Popplewell told me to in case you did not," said the woman, looking toward Silas defiantly. "He wished the will to be read at the funeral."

"Will! what will?" exclaimed Silas, with feigned surprise; and then he added, as though bracing his nerves for the ordeal, "Pray be seated, gentlemen, and take a glass of wine and biscuit."

Each person selected a chair and subsided into it with a good deal of shuffling of feet and coughing, but no one accepted the proffered hospitality. The dead silence which ensued indicated breathless interest and excitement.

"My father has left no will," asseverated Silas, taking up his position on the hearthrug and endeavoring to speak calmly.

"I think you are mistaken, Mr. Popplewell," said Mr. Reeves, politely, but firmly. "Your father executed a will in my presence which I prepared for him about a year ago. He certainly has left a will—unless, of course, he has destroyed or otherwise revoked it."

"The will is locked up in the iron box in the study," interposed Mrs. Draycott with decision.

"I repeat that my father has left no will," cried Silas angrily. "And one is at liberty to search the iron box if he likes. As Mr. Reeves suggests, my father destroyed the will."

"I don't believe it," exclaimed the housekeeper, excitedly. "Why, I saw it with my two eyes not a month ago."

"When did he destroy it? Who see'd 'im do it?" inquired a voice from among the mourners.

"He destroyed it in my presence last—let me see—last Thursday week. I fetched it at his request from the iron box, and he put it in the fire at his own free will," said Silas, lying glibly.

Though affecting to recall the date promiscuously, Silas had been careful to prepare this story beforehand. On the day named he had sat with his father alone for more than an hour during the afternoon, while Mrs. Draycott had been sent out on an errand. If the deceased had intended to destroy the will he would probably have got the woman out of the way on a similar pretence, and the suggestion was plausible enough. The housekeeper gave a palpable start, and was evidently impressed by the coincidence, but among the rest of the audience there was a general expression of incredulity, with a good deal of headshaking and some murmurs.

"Well, gentlemen, I must say that Mr. Popplewell's account is perfectly straightforward," interposed the lawyer, who, whatever his private opinions might have been, probably thought it prudent as a matter of business to side with Silas. "Testators frequently revoke their wills in the manner described. If it is any consolation to you, gentlemen, I may mention that as far as you are concerned the existence of the will would have made no difference to you."

"Will you tell us, Mr. Lawyer, who will get the money, supposing what Mr. Silas says is true?"

"Mr. Popplewell will inherit everything as next of kin and heir at law," replied the lawyer.

This information elicited a loud chorus of indignation, and many insulting epithets were levelled at the head of the luckless Silas, who, pale and trembling, realized that his triumph was dearly bought, even at the price of £2,000. Suddenly the strident tones of Mrs. Draycott became audible above the uproar and compelled attention.

"The old villain has broke faith with me and a sneaking scoundrel he always was and so he died," cried she, speaking under strong excitement. "But I'm no longer bound to keep my secret, and I won't. I say, Bill Allen!" she exclaimed, appealing to one of the mourners, "you ought to know me, though its thirty years and more since I was supposed to have died. You recollect Poll Saunders that old Joe Popplewell married when he was working at the railway down Liverpool way?"

"Why, surely!" ejaculated the individual referred to. "Aye, it's Poll, sure enough!" he added, shading his eyes with his hand.

"I was his lawful wife, Mr. Reeves, and he knew it," she explained, turning to the astonished solicitor. "He deserted me years ago and married a lady—Mr. Silas' mother. I found him out again by accident quite recently, and promised to keep his secret on condition that he would provide for me by his will. But he has been false to me as he was years ago, and now I won't keep silence any lon_er."

"This is most serious," said the solicitor, turning to Silas, who stood aghast with horror and amazement, "if this—this lady can prove her marriage."

"Oh! I have proofs. I took care of that," interposed the soi-disant Mrs. Draycott, drawing an oblong slip of paper from her bosom and handing it to the lawyer. "Read that and look at what I made him sign on the back."

"Its a marriage certificate," said Mr. Reeves, glancing at it; and turning it over he read aloud as follows: "I Joseph Popplewell, do acknowledge that my housekeeper, Mrs. Draycott, is my lawful wife, which I married under the name of Mary Saunders in 18—, and I, Mary Popplewell or Draycott, do hereby swear that if my husband, Joseph Popplewell, leaves me £2,000 by his will, I will keep his marriage secret."

"This extraordinary document purports to be signed by both parties," added the lawyer, handling the paper reverently, "and I must say that upon the face of it, taken in conjunction with the certificate, it appears to be incontestible evidence."

"Who gets the money now, then?" demanded the same person who had asked the question before.

"Well, gentlemen, I am sorry to say that Mr. Silas Popplewell, being, unfortunately for himself, nullius filius, or illegitimate, can inherit nothing," replied Mr. Reeves. "The estate will, therefore, be divided between the lawful widow of the deceased and the next of kin, according to the statute."

The excitement of the audience at this announcement found vent in a hoarse cheer, in the midst of which poor Silas sank into a chair in a half-fainting condition. He now understood—too late, alas!—what had caused his father suddenly to make a will, and he was also keenly conscious of the fact that, having borne witness to its alleged revocation, it was out of the question to endeavor to set it up again. He was aroused from his bitter reflections by the touch of the housekeeper upon his shoulder.

"Cheer up, my lad," she said roughly, but not unkindly; "I did not know it would be so bad for you as this, but I don't pity you less because I suspect you've brought it on yourself. Now, I won't make any rash promises, because I don't know how much money I'm going to get. But you shall have the £2,000 you grudged to me, even if I don't receive a farthing more."

Popularity of the Tricycle.

The tricycle is evidently becoming a favorite vehicle of the velocipede class, not merely amongst those who ride for pleasure or exercise, but also among those who require some means of getting over ground quickly in the pursuit of their business. In the case of families living in the country who can afford only one velocipede, the choice is readily made, for while the bicycle might suit paterfamilias and the boys, it is useless for the girls. The disadvantage of the three-wheeled machine is the greater labor required to propel it, especially on country roads, where the three tracks made by the wheels add considerably to the resistance, while the bicycle bowls easily in a rut made by a cart; the advantage of this tricycle is that the rider can stop without dismounting, and can also carry a number of parcels. The Post Office has appreciated the latter fact, and many rural postmen are now provided with a machine, but when the parcels post comes into full work there will be a greater demand for the useful carriage. Considerable use is already made of the tricycle in London by "town travellers" who have only small samples to carry, and we have seen it utilized by enterprising "news agents" for delivering newspapers to the shops in the suburbs. "Niggers" and other peripatetic entertainers are also investing in tricycles, as they find that mode of travelling cheaper than the railways, with the great advantage that it leaves their movements independent of time-tables.

A Blind Man Who Sees.

The case of Prof. Fawcett, who is a member of the British Cabinet, has often excited the wonder of those who think vision is indispensable to the transaction of the work of life. He writes books, makes speeches, and is one of the most efficient heads the post office of Great Britain ever had. Now comes to the front another remarkable blind man, M. J. Plateau, of the Royal Academy of Belgium, who for the last forty years has been so totally blind that he may direct his face to the sun without being sensible of the least objective clearness. His researches into the phenomena of light have excited the admiration of his fellow-scientists; his experiments, for example, on the wonderful colors of soap-bubbles are exquisitely beautiful. M. Plateau has just published a little paper on the sensations which he experiences in his eyes, which is not only interesting but calculated to be of practical value. The results of his researches are too elaborate to be given here, but are the wonder of scien ists whose sight is unimpaired.

Arabi's Chances.

Arabi says he surrendered to Englishmen and would have escaped had he known he was to be tried by Egyptians. He and Toulba Pasha have been removed to the Gards Meubles, where eighty other prisoners were also removed. The prelimenary examination in the case of Arabi was held secretly. His formal trial will be public. He has telegraphed here for counsel. The persons applied to decline to defend him because they are afraid of losing clients. Arabi will probably be convicted with ease. De Lesseps telegraphed the President of the Court-martial by which Arabi is being tried that during the war Arabi exerted himself to maintain the neutrality of the Suez Canal, and protected the lives and interests of several Europeans in Egypt.

PERSONAL.

The Khedive will give medals to the entire British army engaged in the Egyptian campaign. Those of the soldiers will be of copper, and the officers of silver.

On Aug. 21 the King of Sweden, presiding at the annual festival of the Order of St. Olaf, in his palace, cancelled the knighthood of Baron Hoffmann of Vienna, discreditably implicated in certain financial undertakings at Vienna.

Mr. E. Duclaux, a French chemist, thinks that he has discovered that the flavour of cheese is determined by germs in the atmosphere, which takes the form of fungus mould. In which case it may prove practicable to inoculate cheeses.

"Herbert Spencer," says the Boston *Globe*, somewhat inelegantly, "is slouching around amongst the people of this country, asking questions of anybody he happens to meet, and the chances are that he will learn more about us than any Englishman who has crossed the Atlantic for years."

On September 23rd, Prince Bismarck celebrated the twentieth anniversary of his entrance into office as the head of the Prussian Ministry. Among the tokens received by him on that day was a magnificent silver punch-bowl, with stand, ladle, and six goblets, from the German colony of Odessa.

The uncle of Lord Wolseley's great grandfather was the Colonel Wolseley who, in the old "No Popery" days, gained the battle of Newtonbutler, and caused the Mayor of Scarborough to be well tossed in a blanket in the market-place for making a speech in favour of King James.

There are five Peers in the House of Lords over eighty—Lord Shedbroke, who is 88; Lord Eversley, 88; Lord Mostyn, 87; Lord Wemyss, 86; Lord Albemarle, 83. It is the fashion to picture the House of Lords as a body of feeble old men. The great majority are under 60, with a contingent under 30.

Leclanche, the famous French electrician, who died the other day, was only forty-three years old. He left an enormous fortune to his young wife and two babies. In politics he was one of the most irreconcilable Radicals in Rochefort's clique. It is stated that he bequeathed to the Louvre a superb art collection, on condition that it shall be placed in a hall bearing his name.

The London *Figaro* says that Adelina Patti is reported to have accepted an engagement for South America during the season of 1884 at so high a rate that, should she economize her salary during her 1882–3 season in the United States, and her South American fees, her fortune will be large enough to enable her to "reject with scorn the paltry few hundred guineas a night she is likely to be promised elsewhere."

Edmund Yates, editor of the *World*, in his daily ride in Rotten Row, is described as "a tall, powerful cavalier weighing at least sixteen stone, mounted on a powerful black horse. The rider sits his horse fairly well for a park practitioner, appears to enjoy his exercise very much, and to know nearly everybody worth knowing. The Prince of Wales nods pleasantly to him, gold-sticks and silver-sticks chat with him, members of Parliament, and peers of the realm, cross-country baronets like Sir George Wombwell, Royal Academicians like Mr. Frith, actors and managers like Mr. Bancroft, Mr. Wyndham, and Mr. Hare, are on the best of terms with him as he canters along *totus, teres atque rotunqus*.

A Prussian provincial composer has produced what he calls an "Egg Polka." Its purpose is eminently practical, as may be gathered from the following "Directions for Use," printed an the back of each copy: "Let the polka be placed, open at the first page, upon the pianoforte desk. Then drop the egg into a pipkin half full of boiling water. Set the pipkin on the fire. Then play the polka through in strict time, as per metronome indication. On completing its last bar the egg will be cooked to a turn—that is, its yolk will be fluent, and its white about as yielding to the touch as the flesh of a ripe plum. Those who wish their eggs hard set will play the polka andante maestoso. The contrary effect will be produced by an allegro vivace rendering of the composition."

Judge Lawson, who has created such a sensation by the fine and imprisonment of High Sheriff Dwyer Gray, is low-sized, stout, very near-sighted, with a rather forbidding expression, and waddles in his walk. He is a native of Waterford, and 65 years of age. His career in Trinity College was distinguished. He was a scholar, moderator, and gold medallist, took double first honors, and succeeded the late Isaac Butt as Professor of Political Economy in 1841. His career at the bar was equally distinguished. He was called in 1840, took silk in 1857, became sergeant in 1860, Solicitor-General in 1861, Attorney General in 1865, and in 1868 was made Judge of the Common Pleas, from which he has been recently transferred to the Queen's Bench. He is regarded as being, with Sullivan, the Master of the Rolls, the best black-letter lawyer on the Irish bench. He was member for Portarlington, the smallest borough in Ireland, from 1865 to 1868, but was a failure in the House, his style and delivery being weak.

The Russian composer P. Tchaikovsky had written a new overture, "The Year 1812," which is said to surpass all his previous works. It was in 1812 that the Russians rallied to the defence of their country against Napoleon and the Grand Army. In commemoration of that event the grand Cathedral of Christ the Savior was erected in Moscow, which took fifty years in building. Tchaikovsky prepared his overture especially for the consecration of this cathedral. Recently, at the Moscow Industrial Exhibition, "The Year 1812" was performed for the first time, and the Muscovites were wild about it. The overture is composed exclusively of Russian national airs. It begins with a grand church hymn, "God, Save Thy People," and embraces a number of soldier songs of 1812. Then follows "The Battle," with the ringing of bells, the beating of drums, the shouting of the combatants, and the groans of the wounded and dying, after which the noise of battle dies away, and the clergy lead the Russian people in a grand thanks-giving hymn. Several Russian and Slav marches are also effectively rendered. The overture ends with the Russian national hymn, "God Save the Czar."

Storming a Rat's Stronghold.

I was once present when a very old rick which had lain with other property in Chancery for a long time, was pulled down. I shall never forget the scene. In the rick there were hundreds—I believe it would be no exaggeration to say thousands—of rats. It was riddled, honey-combed by them. How it had preserved its shape and apparent integrity so long was a mystery, for masses of it fell in and seemed to vanish to powdery nothingness when it was disturbed. Of course, the presence of the omnivorous vermin and their multitude was well known, and all available preparations made for giving them a warm reception when evicted. Nets were drawn around, sturdy men and boys stood behind them armed with stout cudgels, and bludgeons, and dogs of all degrees, mustered from the various farms and villages of the countryside for miles around—sheep-dogs, collies, setters, pointers, spaniels, retrievers, bull-dogs even, with curs and mongrels of every breed and every breed and no breed at all. Then the work began; it was a ratty nightmare. At first little was to be seen of them but their tails, as they darted in further towards the centre of their stronghold to escape from the disturbance; but as the storming of the castle proceeded, they seemed determined simultan ously to desert, and poured forth as if at a given signal from within. There was a great heave, a black fl od overflowed the top, and ran in torrents; black streams spurted from the sides and welled and bubbled from underneath; the rick, the ground, the nets, the very air seemed alive with leaping, tumbling, rushing, squeaking rats, which, with the shouts of bystanders, the barking and snarling of the dogs, the cries of excitement from their owners, and the blows of sticks and flails made up a Pandemonium of sights and sounds more like the chaotic phantasy of some madman's dream than any matter-of-fact reality. Dogs and men worked with a will, and the result was a goodly heap of battered carcasses; I forget how many were killed, but they did not represent one tithe, no, nor one twentieth part of the number that got away free.

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By lengthened ways,
And, resting weary feet,
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Upon these hours of mine
Hang great demands;
What task of faith divine
Hath crossed my hands?

Have they drawn folds of calm
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To wipe out this disgrace and avenge this feat, a large army, which ultimately mbered fully 20,000 men, equally as well pointed in all respects, as the other force, s sent into Abyssinia. They reached e Abyssinian plateau without resistance, d about 12,000 of them at one time were gaged with the hordes of King John. Of that met the King in the open field but ry few returned to the two forts which rmed the flanks of their positions. I have intention of giving a description of this ttle of Gura, as it is called, but simply of owing the fighting capacity of the Egyp- n troops. The position occupied by the gyptian army was an excellent one ; they re on the open, nearly level plain, them- ves posted on the rising ground ; they re splendidly equipped with Remington eech-loading rifles ; their artillery was mposed of French mountain howitzers. nglish steel guns, and German Krupps, be- des a fine rocket battery ; their cavalry as magnificently mounted and perfectly med ; they were commanded by the Com- ander-in-Chief of the Egyptian army, and s best officers ; they had some dozen or ore American and European staff officers encourage them, exhort them, and set em a good example. King John attacked em squarely in front, with his host of ked, bare-footed, bare-headed warriors, ho had but few firearms, no artillery, no rganization—nothing military, in fact, but ourage. And yet, in one hour and a half, l of 7,000 troops who were outside of the orts, except a bare hundred, were killed or aptured by the Abyssinians, who rushed pon them with sword and spear and shield, d slaughtered them like sheep in the hambles. The loss of the Abyssinians was bout 150 men !

The bare statements of facts make com- ent unnecessary. How it all happened it s difficult to tell. Col. Dye, who was in he battle, wrote a book to explain it, but id not succeed, I think even to his own sat- sfaction. Why it so happened is easier to nswer, and the answer is this : the Egyp- ians will not, cannot fight. A disaster qually complete, but on a smaller scale, ecurred to a column of Egyptian troops nder Manzinger Pasha, nearly contempor- neously with the Arendrup tragedy. This olumn was marching through the Galla ountry to co-operate with Arendrup, and hen several days' journey from Tujurrah was attacked at night by the natives, and bsolutely annihilated. The writer saw one f the victims of this catastrophe, who es- aped because his wounds were thought to e certainly fatal. He was an officer of en- ineers.

The events thus briefly epitomized plainly lemonstrate the lack of fighting qualities of he Egyptians. Now, the question naturally arises. Why are they thus utterly worth- ess as soldiers? That question it is the main object of this article to answer. There re two classes of soldiers in the ranks of he Egyptian army. The smaller classes onsist of Nubians, Darfurians, Sudanese, and Berbers from up the Nile. Many, in fact it is said that most of them, are slaves, either taken or bought from the regular slave hunters and traders of the interior, and liberated by the late Khedive Ismail, by be- ng placed in the army. However recruited, hey constituted the only fighting part of he army in the Abyssinian campaign, and hey were vastly inferior to the colored troops of the Union army during the late ivil war. They have some soldierly quali- ies ; they are strong, hard, able-bodied men, an stand heat and hard work and long marches well ; they are docile, obedient, and eemed to learn the routine duties of military life readily, and perhaps under good officers might make fairly good soldiers.

The larger part of the Egyptian army is made up of recruits taken by conscription from the villages and fields of the lower delta. These fellaheen are the most abject slaves, and have been so for hundreds of years. They are not slaves of a single owner who would be responsible for their welfare, and would profit by their well-being, as was the case with the former slaves of the South. They are the slaves of the soil upon which they live, and of every man who occupies a higher position in life than they, from their own sheik-el-beled to the Khedive. Every effendi, bey, and pasha with whom they come in contact in any way whatever looks upon them as different beings from himself, calls them habitually "ebu-el-kelb," sons of dogs, and kicks, cuffs, and beats them ad libitum. In consequence of this bad treatment, and by heredity, they are low, mean, cowardly, and cringing beyond any people on the face of the earth. And the manner in which they are drafted into the army, and the way they are subsequently treated by their officers, does not in the least way improve them. They are dragged from their fields while at work or snatched from their mud huts, chained together in gangs, and carried to the citadel, and there kept in close imprisonment until they are drilled and uniformed. They are not allowed to settle their own affairs, to make any provision for their families, or even to bid their wives and children farewell, when the time for their conscription comes. When the recruiting sergeants lay hands upon them, it is as if a sudden and terrible death had claimed them, and they are mourned and wept over by friends and relatives as if they were dead.

Once become soldiers, and branded as it were by the uniform, escape from the ranks, until term of service expires, is impossible. Desertion is generally punished by death, even in time of peace. They are treated by their officers no better than they were by their task-masters in the fields. The courbash is the instrument of punishment for every trivial offence, in spite of the fact that flogging is prohibited by law. Not only is the common soldier whipped by his company officers, from Sergeant to Captain, but even the subaltern officers are subjected to the same indignity by their superiors. The writer once saw a Lieutenant held down by two men of his own company, while his Colonel beat him unmercifully with a walking cane. When the beating was finished by the bey's becoming exhausted, the Lieutenant arose, took off his sword and handed it to his superior, and said : "You have disgraced me in the presence of my own men : I am no longer worthy to be an officer ; put me in the ranks." For this, the only manly act I ever witnessed among these people, the Lieutenant was charged with insubordination and mutinous conduct, was tried by court martial, was sentenced to be shot, and I saw the sentence put into execution.

No wonder, then, that such a people—so treated when in civil life that every spark of manhood is crushed out of them, and so abused as soldiers that they have not even the courage of a crushed worm, which strives to sting the heel of its destroyer—no wonder such a people will not fight. And the inglorious termination of Arabi Pasha's wretched attempt at revolution is but the legitimate result of his and his deluded followers' antecedents. No one who knew him and his people had any doubt how the affair would end from its very incipiency. I made Arabi's acquaintance in Abyssinia. He was then a Lieutenant-Colonel. After the Egyptian army was defeated by King John, Arabi was made an envoy, and sent to the King with presents and bribes, and propositions for peace. He was so far successful in his miss on that King John gave the Egyptian army an opportunity to retreat from his country without molestation.

Sir Garnet Wolseley has conducted the attack upon the Egyptians in a manner altogether admirable. His taking Ismailia for his base of operations put him on the shortest line of march to Cairo. His gradually forcing the enemy back until he could get all of his forces together at their strongest point may have looked to some unwise and unmilitary, but it was exactly the right thing to do with the foe he had. In this way he was enabled to deal one deadly blow and end the war at once. Finally, the manner of engaging the Egyptians showed his knowledge of their calibre and his skill. He went at them with a rush, as the Abyssinians did, and that was the end of the whole matter.—*S. H. L. in the New York Evening Post.*

Not that Kind of a Man.

The seventh passenger was a lady. There was an abundance of room in the car, but as she entered an elderly man rose up with a great flourish and called out : "Take my seat, madame, I am not the kind of a man to keep a seat in the street-car and oblige a lady to stand up." She sank down with a half-bow in acknowledgment, and he held out his hand for her fare with the remark : "Some men are brutal enough to permit a lady to stumble to the fare-box and back, but that isn't me." He took her ticket and deposited it, and then hung to the strap, and continued : "And I know men who think that passing a lady's fare to the box gives them the privilege of entering into conversation with her about the weather, crops, rate of mortality politics, etc. That isn't me, however." The speech had its due effect upon all the other passengers, including the victim, and the man let out another link by remarking : "Giving up my seat in a car to a lady does not entitle me to offer to assist h r off the car, or ask if she is married or single, or in any manner break down the stern barriers of social formality, and I know it. It is simply an act of courtesy, and I shall so consider it." There was something painful in the situation to the other six, but relief came by the man reaching the end of his journey. As he was ready to get off he looked back and said : "I have seen men whose conceit obliged them to lift their hat and bow to everybody in the car before stepping off, but that isn't me. I shall step off without any formality and without hoping that I will be missed." When the six looked back and saw him sprawled in the dust they were glad of it.—*Detroit Free Press.*

In Mr. Spurgeon's church in London the regular hearers absent themselves one Sunday evening every three months, and the house is given up to strangers. But in many parishes in this country the some thing is done every Sunday evening.

IRON-CLADS AS FIGHTERS.

Conclusions Drawn From Experience Since the Monitor's Time.

Vice-Admiral von Henck has published an article in a military periodical on the value of iron-clads with reference to the bombardment of Alexandria. As military history has as yet furnished but few materials for forming a final judgment as to the value of iron-plating for ships, the purposes aimed at in its introduction, and the question whether these purposes have really been attained, the writer thinks it desirable to draw as many lessons as possible from every event in this field, and thus to increase our experience.

He begins with a history of iron-plating. The introduction of shell guns, soon after 1850, much diminished the value of Nelson's battle ships, with 80 or 100 guns. The necessity of protecting ships of war better against artillery became still more urgent when the introduction of steam made their construction more complicated and thus increased their vulnerability. In the Crimean war the Russian shells did great execution on ships. Opinions differed greatly, however, especially in England, as to the value of iron-clads and the necessity of their introduction, until the fight of the Confederate ship Merrimac with the wooden ships of the Union in Hampton Roads, and her fight with the Monitor, placed the great superiority of iron-clads beyond a doubt. On the 8th of March, 1862, the Merrimac attacked four wooden frigates and completely destroyed two of them. Next day she unexpectedly met the iron-clad battery-ship Monitor, a mere dwarf in comparison, and was compelled to retreat, severely damaged. The impression made by this fact was enormous, and it showed two things—the necessity of iron-plating for battle-ships, and of arming them with guns of large calibre and great piercing power.

The first opportunity of estimating the value of iron-plating in a conflict, ship to ship, on the high seas, was afforded by the battle of Lissa on the 20th July, 1866. In that action the relations between armor and guns were about the same as they are now. Seven Austrian iron-clads were opposed to 11 Italian, The armor of the ships were pretty equal in strength on both sides ; the Italians were stronger in artillery. The result is well known. Deducting 630 who perished with the Re d'Italia and the Palastro, the Italians lost only 110 men out of 5,000. The total loss on the Austrian side was 39 killed and 124 wounded out of 7,000, the loss on the unarmored ship Kaiser being 22 killed and 82 wounded, that is, two-thirds of the whole. The battle of Lissa was an eloquent advocate for the incipient system of iron-plating ships of war.

In the war in South America in 1877 two unarmored English ships had difficulty in repulsing the attack of the Peruvian monitor Huascar, and had in the end to let it go unmolested. Of that new, malignant, and deceitful weapon, the fish torpedo, we have as yet no experience, for the published reports of the Russo-Turkish war are so untrustworthy that one can found no opinion on them. The result of observation up to this date may be condensed as follows : First, unarmoured ships cannot maintain a fight of any duration against the heavy guns of ships and forts : secondly, iron-plating is still an effectual defense against the heaviest guns, and consequently indispensable for battle-ships ; thirdly, rams and torpedoes are, indeed, formidable weapons in sea fighting, but cannot supersede artillery as the chief weapon, and they promise more chance of success in iron-clads (because of their better protection against the enemy's artillery) than in unarmored ships.—*Berlin Special Dispatch to the London Times.*

Queen Caroline and her Scapegrace Husband.

The most extraordinary glimpses we get of the unhappy married life of the Princes Caroline are to be found in the diary kept by Lady Charlotte Bury, and published anonymously in 1838. This diary has furnished the chief materials for all the works which have been written upon the times of George IV. On one occasion, says the writer, she dined at Kensington, when "the Princess gave a long detailed account of her marriage, and the circumstances which brought it about. "I, you know, was the victim of Mammon ; the Prince of Wales' debts must be paid, and poor little I's person was the pretense. Parliament would vote supplies for the heir apparent's marriage ; the King would help his little help. A Protestant Princess must be found ; they fixed upon the Prince's cousin. To tell you God's truth, (a favorite expression,) I always hated it ; but to oblige my father—anything. But the first moment I saw my *futur* and Lady Jersey together I knew how it all was, and I said to myself, 'O very well.' I took my *partie*—and so it would have been if— But, Oh, mine God !' she added, throwing up her head, 'I could be the slave of a man I love, but to one whom I loved not, and who did not love me—impossible—*c'estre autre chose.* One of the civil things his Royal Highness did just at first was to find fault with my shoes, and as I was very young and lively in those days I told him to make me a better pair and bring them to me. I brought letters from all the Princes and Princesses to him from all the petty courts, and I tossed them to him and said, 'There, that's to prove I'm not an impostor !'" On another occasion, referring to her wretched marriage day, the Princess said : "Judge what it was to have a drunken husband on one's wedding day, and one who passed the greatest part of his bridal night under the grate, where he fell, and where I left him. If anybody say to me at this moment will you pass your life over again or be killed? I would choose death, for, you know, a little sooner or lat r we must all die, but to live a life of wretchedness twice over—Oh, mine God, no !"—*Belgravia.*

The signal service is now ready to announce the approach of cyclones over six hours in advance This will give most men time to pay old debts and retu n borrowed tools.

A Pony Ranch in Texas.—A Texas paper describes an 8,000 acre ranch in that State entirely devoted to the breeding of ponies for children. The breeding stock consists of seven Shetland stallions and forty-five mares, all thoroughbred, and two hundred small spotted pony mares. These little ponies range over the prairies like sheep, and are described as very gentle.

PERSONAL.

Pasquale Farala of Naples, bequeathed to Queen Victoria an unpublished opera, "to be performed for the benefit of the poor of London," and $3,600 for the purpose of granting yearly forever three marriage portions of $60 each for three poor girls of London between the ages of 16 and 25, who are to be chosen by lot. The double bequest has been made known to the Government of London through the regular channels of formality, and the tortuous official course of getting possession of the treasures has begun. Meantime the English press has shown a disposition to make light of this benefaction.

Mr. Spurgeon, though in much better health than when he preached last spring, still bears traces of the sufferings he has undergone. His feet are gouty, and this detracts from the promptness and agility with which he ascended to the pulpit in former times, when the female members of his congregation would rise and peep over each other's shoulders to watch his movements. His hands are swollen and twisted with rheumatic gout so that his gesture is no longer free and unconstrained as of old, but his voice still possesses that charm and variety of tone which in times past have overcome the scruples of the most obdurate.

A London paper says that the Maharajah Dhuleep Singh has signified his intention to contest Whitby at the next general election. The Prince, who is well known and highly esteemed by all classes in Whitby, was asked to oppose Mr. W. H. Gladstone, the eldest son of the Premier, but was obliged to decline the invitation for the reasons that he was not then prepared. Now, however, the Prince is determined to be in good time. The Maharajah rented for several years Malgrave Castle, Lord Norbenby's seat near Whitby. He is about 46, and has an allowance of $125,000 a year from the British Indian Government, but has been much embarrassed of late years by reason of his expensive style of living.

Bertha Rothschild, who renounced Judaism to marry the Prince Alexander de Wagram, bringing to him an income of $150,000 a year, is spending her honeymoon at his chateau in a suburb of Paris. This is a grand place, called Bois, though not so pleasantly situated as when Napoleon gave it to Marshal Berthier. It had belonged to a noble family that had emigrated, and it had become national property. The first Emperor was liberal in giving such estates to his military followers, who, in accepting them, bound themselves over to join in no conspiracy which had for its object the bringing back of the Bourbons and the old aristocracy. The Prince de Wagram succeeded in having the grounds cut across by two railroads, in order to replenish his treasury by obtaining excessive damages, which he did through official connivance. The money enabled him to secure brilliant matches for two of his daughters. The third married Prince Joachim Murat as the Emperor was declining, and has since been obliged to ask her father for that income with which it was expected the Emperor would keep his cousin Joachin supplied.

The Camp-Meeting.

The old-time camp-meeting is no more. So much has been shown by the experience of the past ten years. They were very earnest gatherings in the olden time. The devil was wrestled with and souls saved from perdition ; at least good Christians thought so. As the *Methodist* says : "The camp-meeting of fifty years ago no longer exists, and that which we now have, while it bears the name and the traditions of its ancestor, has really developed into quite another thing. Our new-fashioned gatherings at the groves or by the seaside—for rest and recreation—possibly in part for gossip and display, with a very mild infusion of religion—or else for the promotion of some specialty—must not be looked to as to any considerable extent among the evangelistic agencies through which souls are to be saved. As an inexpensive device for summer outdoor holidays, with the accompaniment of religious restraints to guard against dangerous excesses, and of religious exercises for agreeable and not altogether unprofitable pastimes, these gatherings may have their use." Then it is also a fact that a land speculation is often at the bottom of these summer religious resorts. Still they do good and should be encouraged, even if they are not what they were.

A Subterranean Abyss Swallows up a Child.

The Zirknitz See, in Carniola, is remarkable for the periodical disappearance of the water every summer, subterranean passages serving as the channels of escape. A rapidly-ripening crop of grass and some quick-growing vegetables are gathered during the autumn from the dried bed of the lake by the neighboring peasants. A letter from Laybach reports a singular accident of which this place was the theatre. A peasant woman and her daughter were being conveyed in a cart across the bed of the lake, which was still covered with water in some places. Suddenly the cart and its occupants were precipitated into a chasm, through which the water was being swallowed down in a great vortex, and which had not been noticed till too late. With great difficulty the woman was rescued, but the child and cart were sucked down into the abyss below.—*London Times.*

Thrift of French Women.

French women, often stigmatized as the most frivolous of their kind, are, in reality the most thrifty—a virtue that frequently degenerates into absolute parsimony. I saw a striking instance of making the best of unregarded trifles the other day when dining with one who certainly has a reputation for prudence. A cherry pie had been on the table, and the mistress gave strict injunctions that all the stones were to be scraped from the plates and placed in her store-room. I ventured to ask the reason, and was told that not only cherry, but plum, peach and all manner of stones, whether cooked or raw, were invariably saved, gently dried in the oven and kept in a great jar. "Then," said madame, "in the winter, when the fire burns clear and bright in the evening, I fetch a handful and throw them among the glowing coals. They crack and splutter for a moment, send up a brilliant flame, and the whole room is filled with a delicious odor." —*Paris Letter.*

SMALL TALK.

A Boston school girl describes a statue as a bust with two legs under it.

Inquirer : What is the extreme penalty for bigamy? Two mothers-in-law.

Latin is a dead language, and this is why doctors use it for writing out their prescriptions.

When Adolphus placed his arms around the neck of Angelina, he said it was for a neck's press purpose.

It was a Detroit girl that married at 15 so as to have her golden-wedding when it would do her some good.

"Stories of the Wore," would be an appropriate heading for the report of a society ball, in more than one sense.

Nothing like being well up in arithmetic. A Vassar college girl has gone into half mourning. It is for a half brother.

A young lady attending balls and parties should always secure a female chaperon until she is able to call some male chap her own.

When a woman wants to get rid of her husband for an hour she sends him up-stairs to get something from the pocket of one of her dresses.

A gentleman whose vocabulary was mixed wished to praise a certain lady reader. "Yes," said he "besides being a very fine elocutionist, she has a great deal of ejaculation."

Little Lottie to her friend : "I have so many cares. Yesterday a little baby sister arrived and papa is on a journey. It was but a piece of luck that mamma was home to take care of it."

"How came such a greasy mess in the oven?" said a fidgety old spinster to her maid-of-all-work. "Why replied the girl, "the candles fell into the water, and I put them into the oven to dry."

A Hamilton lady refuses to permit her daughter to go away on a visit. Last night she visited she came home and insisted upon eating with her fork and having an extra plate for her pie.

There is a young man in Port Hope whose surname is Lot. And though he is an agreeable fellow and well fixed financially, he remains a bachelor. The girls are, somehow, kind of shy of the name.

The daughter of a Texas cattle king has just returned from Paris, where she says she walked through the Tooralooraia, and visited a shottoe where she saw the statues of Pysic and Catherine the Medical.

The most fashionable thing in society now is a baby, and a young mother with a pretty infant is the envy of her sex. N. B.—Both mother and baby must be richly dressed, otherwise the couple are only a woman and a brat.

"How are the supplies, Dinah?" asked a gentleman of his colored cook just before starting down town. "Well, sah," responded the sable mistress of the kitchen, "I tink dah is combustibles enough to last till to-morrow."

"See here, my dear, how beautifully the sun brings out the dewdrops this morning. They glisten like — like——" "Like diamonds, pa. They remind me ever so much of some I saw yesterday." The old gentleman turned the conversation immediately, but the diamonds have got to be bought.

"I say, old fellow, where is your sweetheart—the girl you're engaged to? She is here to-night, ain't s e?" "She is, Do you see that blonde in pink over there?" "That magnificent creature with the dark eyes?" "Yes." "By jove, old boy——" "My girl is the one alongside of her on the left."

"Oh, I've just had such a scare !" exclaimed a prim and pale housewife ; "I feel as if I should faint." "Why, what's the matter?" was asked. "Well," she replied, "you may not believe it, but as sure as I live that new girl deliberately opened the parlor shutters and the sun was shining right in."

A society drama was presented at the theatre at Salt Lake City recently, but when in the third act the husband began to rave and tear round because his wife had run away with another man, the audience with one accord arose from their seats and exclaimed : "The idea of making all this fuss about one woman !" and left the place in disgust.

When the conductor tore off the coupon from the ticket of a lady passenger on the Grand Trunk railroad the other day, she threw the remainder out of the window, and subsequently explained that she had seen him tear the ticket up, and thought the piece was of no account, and we'll wager she laid all the blame on the conductor and called him a fool, too.

It never rains but it pours. A Newport visitor, after a long struggle, managed to get foothold in society, and all of a sudden found that she had been invited to nine dinner parties, all on the same evening. Utterly unable to decide which to accept, she sat down and had a good cry over it, and that made her eyes and nose so red that she was ashamed to go to any.

An elderly Scotch woman went one day to an apothecary's shop with a prescription for two grains of calomel for a child. Seeing the druggist weigh the medicine with scrupulous exactness, and not thinking he did this from anxiety not to get an overdose, but from his penuriousness or desire to give as little as possible for the money, she said : "Dinna be she mean wi' it, man, ; it for a puir fatherless baird."

Novel Reading.

Excessive novel reading is a rapidly growing evil. It has been called a sort of mental dram drinking, and truly its effects are not dissimilar. The appetite for fascinating literature grows as it is indulged, and it appears that the taste becomes vitiated after a time. Just as a man starts drinking light wines finds these grow insipid after a time, and resorts to something more fiery to tickle his abused palate, so the novel reader adds that he must resort to more and more sensational food to gratify a debased mind. The evils of novel reading are insidious, and can seldom be clearly traced home, as in the case of the highly connected clerk of the United States Senate who became insane owing to the practice.

The Standard.

MARKDALE, OCT. 12TH, 1882.

EUPHRASIA FALL SHOW.

The fall exhibition of Euphrasia Agricultural Society took place in the society's ground at Rocklyn, on Wednesday the 4th inst. The weather was warm and beautiful, and there was a goodly number of spectators. Our first strike on arriving was for dinner, it being about 12 o'clock. A drive of some 13 miles on a fine day has a good effect on the appetite. We were not alone however, as hundreds were well served with the best the country could afford at McConnell's Hotel.

A very good show of horses was exhibited. James Bowes, jr., of St. Vincent, had a heavy draught team which would be hard to beat in the province.

The show in cattle was not up to former years.

Sheep and hogs were also below the average in number.

The show in the hall was far short of last year, but what was shown was of a good class. It is hard to account for the falling off in the number of entries. The receipts at the gate however were quite satisfactory; The following is the

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.—Draught, team, James Bowes, jr. Brood mare, Israel Lougheed, Wm. Mitchell. 2 year old, D. Robertson. 1 year old Wm. Mitchell. Spring foal, Wm. Mitchell. Carriage team, John Wilson T. Douglas; Brood mare, J. Mahoney, Hector McDonald; 2 year old, Wm. Fawcett: 1 year old, J. Mahoney, J. Foy; Spring foal, Wm. McConnell, H. Riddle. General purpose, Team, James Bowes, sr., J. Hawkins; Brood mare, A. Davidson, J. Hawkins; 2 year old, Fletcher Foster, A. Davidson; 1 year old, I. Lougheed, A. Davidson; Spring foal, Wm. Neeley, A. Davidson. Single driver, in rig, H. McDonald, Wm. McConnell.

CATTLE.—Grades, Yoke working oxen, H. Johnston, T. Neeley; 2 year old heifer, C. Kelly; 1 year old heifer, J. C. Buchanan, J. G. Perry; Heifer calf, N. Clark, T. Gilray.

SHEEP.—Leicester or Lincoln, Ram lamb. Wm. Fawcett; Aged ewe, Wm. Fawcett; Shearling ewes, Wm. Fawcett; Ewe lambs, G. Shepherdson, Wm. Fawcett. Cotswolds. Aged ram, Wm. Fawcett, G. Shepherdson; Shearling ram, G. Shepherdson; Aged ewe, G. Shepherdson; Shearling ewes, G. Shepherdson; Ewe lambs, Wm. Fawcett, G, Shepherdson. South or other downs, Ram lamb, J, G, Perry; Ewe lamb, G. Shepherdson.

BERKSHIRE SWINE.—Aged boar, Wm. Fawcett; boar of 1882, J. Clugston; Sow of 1882, J. D. Crabtree.

POULTRY,—Hamburgs, J. D. Crabtree. Geese, J. Pickering; Turkeys, H. Johnston; Ducks, I. Lougheed.

GRAIN.—Fall wheat, Wm. Fawcett, Isreal Lougheed. Spring wheat, N. Clark, C. Clark. Barley, J. Brodie, R. Bowser. White oats. C. Clark. Black oats, C. Clark, R. Clark (T. L.) Peas, J. Brodie, F. Eaton.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.—Potatoes, Early Rose, R. Quinton, Wm. Mitchell; Any other sort, J. Bowes, sr., Wm. Ward. Turnips, T. Douglas, J. Bowes, jr. Table Turnips, J. Pickering. Mangel Wurtzel, Wm. Fawcett, R. Clark (T. L.). Blood beets, T. Jordan, F. Eaton. Field carrots, J, Bowes jr., J. D. Crabtree. Table carrots, H. Johnston J. D. Crabtree. Parsnips, T. Jordon, R. H. Stinson. Pumpkins, R. Quinton, Wm. Ward; Squash, J. G. Perry, R. H. Stinson. Cabbage, H. Johnston. Top onions, R. H. Stinson. Top onion seed, J. Bowes jr., R. H. Stinson. Potato onions, H. Johnston, J. Jobe. Tomatoes, Wm. Ward, J. T. Crabtree. Celery, Wm Ward, R. H. Stinson. Corn, J. D. Crabtree, J. G. Perry. Beans, white, J. Gibson, J. G. Perry. Pumpkins, R. Quinton, Wm. Ward.

COLLECTIONS.—Beans, J. Brodie, J. Gibson. Vegetables, Wm. Ward, R. H. Stinson. Potatoes—The judges recommended that a prize be given J. Brodie. Cut flowers, Wm. Ward, T Jordan.

FRUIT,—Fall Apples, J. D. Crabtree, Wm. Ward. Winter Apples, Wm. Ward, C. Clark. Fall Pears, G. Bowser, J. Jobe. Winter Pears, Wm. Mitchell, Wm. Ward. Grapes. J. D. Crabtree, R. Clark (T. L.). Plums, T. Jordan. J. Marshall. Crab Apples, R. Bowser, C. Kelly. Collection Winter Fruit, Wm. Ward.

DAIRY PRODUCE.—50 lbs. tub butter, Wm. Ward, H. Johnston, G. Shepherdson. Roll Butter, Wm. Ward, J. C. Buchaunan. Cheese, J. Irwin, D. Robertson. Home-made bread, D. Robertson, N. Clark.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.—Bob Sleighs, J. Marshall. Democrat Wagon, G Cruikshank, Stinson & Marshall. Single Buggy, J. Marshall, H, Mitchell. Fanning Mill, C. Watt,

MANUFACTURES.—H. McDonald, Meaford, swept the board in harness, etc, there being no competition. He made a very excellent display, and one which was much admired. Fulled Cloth, N. Clark, F. Eaton. Satinet, F. Quinton, J. Jobe. Fancy Flannell, R. H. Stinson, N. Clark. Plain Flannel, J. Jobe, R. Clark. Home-made Blankets, J. G. Perry, R. Clark, Coverlet, R. Quinton, J. Jobe.

LADIES WORK.—Patchwork Quilt, H. Johnston, R. Gilray. Knit Quilt, R. Gilray, R. H. Stinson. Quilt, any other description, H. Johnston (*Mirror*, one year). R. Gilray. Embroidery in cotton. H. Johnston Wm. Ward. Leather work, R. H. Stinson. Braiding, R. Gilray, J. G. Perry. Crochet Work, D. Robertson, J. Buchannan, R. Quinton. Woolen Stockings, R, Quinton, J. Irwin. Socks, R. Quinton, J. Irwin. Mits, J. Hawkins, R. Quinton. Gloves J, Hawkins, R. Quinton. Rag mat, J. Buchannan, T. Jordan. Fancy knitting in Cotton, J. Irwin. R. Quinton. Hair Work, N. Clark. Berlin Wooll Work, Buchannan, R. Gilray. Feather Wreath, J. Buchannan, R. Stinson. Pillow Shams, R. Gilray, Wm. Ward, Ladies Dress, Wm. Ward. Collection Needlework, Wm. Ward, R. Gilray.

Note—In this class the names should be those of the ladies; but as they were not entered on the secretary's book it was impossible to say whether the wives or the daughters of the household are entitled to the credit of the work.

ARTEMESIA PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.

Span draught horses, pair of bridles by C. C. James, value $6, J. McMillan. Span general purpose horses, pair whiffletrees by D. McLean, value $3, J. McMillan. Span carriage horses, D. Kennedy, J. Scott. Hack horse, J. McMillan, J. White. Brood mare, D. McDonald, J. Brodie. Two year old gelding or filly, J. McLean, D. Stinson. One year old gelding or filly, D. McMillan J. Fletcher. Spring colt, Wm. Huddy, A. McLean. Special by H. King, $3, for best spring colt from "British Ensign," W. H. Huddy.

CATTLE.

Durham—Bull, H. Scott. Milch Cow, Trimble and Baskerville. Grade—Bull, J. McMillan. Milch Cow, Trimble & Baskerville, J. Hanay. Two year old heifer, J. Vanse, R. Oliver. One year old heifer, R. Oliver, J. Stewart. Heifer calf, Trimble & Baskerville, J. Hanay. Yoke working oxen, over 4 years old, D. McMillen, D. Stinson. Yoke steers. under 4 years old, D. McDonald, J. Burnet.

SHEEP, LONGWOOL.

Aged Ram, R. Oliver. Ram lamb, R. Oliver. Pair ewes, aged, R. Oliver, D. Stinson. Pair shearling ewes, R. Oliver, D. Stinson. Pair ewe lambs, R. Oliver, D. Stinson.

SHEEP, LEICESTER.

Aged ram, J. Stewart, J. White. Ram lamb, J. Stewart, R. Oliver. Pair ewes aged, J. Stewart, R. Oliver. Pair shearling ewes, Wm. Mead, R. Oliver. Pair ewe lambs, J. Stewart, R. Oliver.

SWINE, BERKSHIRE.

Boar, over one year old, J. Watson.

SWINE, SUFFOLK.

Boar, over one year old, D. Stinson, A. Stewart. Sow, D. Stinson. A. Stewart. Pair spring pigs, R. Oliver.

POULTRY.

Pair of Hamburgs, J. Brodie. Pair of Ducks, A. Stewart, J. Brodie. Pair of Turkeys, J. Coney. Pair of geese, J. Whitby, A. Down.

GRAIN AND SEEDS.

1 Bushel fall wheat, Clawson, Wheelbarrow, by W. Watson & Sons, J. Stewart, J. Brodie. 1 Bushel spring wheat, White Russian, J. Brodie, R. Plant. 1 Bushel spring wheat, White Fife, J. Brodie. 1 Bushel barley 6 rowed, J. Brodie, J. McLean. 1 Bushel oats, white, D. Stinson. 1 Bushel oats, black, D. Stinson. 1 Bushel peas, large, James Brodie. 1 Bushel peas, small, John Whitby, J. Brodie. 6 ears corn, M. Akitt, J. Brodie. 1 Peck Timothy, J. Brodie, H. Mathewson. Collection of beans, J. Brodie.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.

1 Bushel potatoes, Early Rose, J. McLean, A. McMillan. 1 Bushel potatoes, any other variety, D. Stinson, J. Brodie. Collection of potatoes, 6 varieties, one peck each, J. Brodie, D. Stinson. 6 Turnips, swede, H. Mathewson. 6 Turnips, any other kind, H. Mathewson, A. Down. 12 Beets, H. King, James Thompson. 6 Heads cabbage, J. Thompson, Alex. Brown. 1 Quart Potato onions, J. Thompson, J. Brodie. 12 Onions, raised from top, J. Thompson, R. Conkey. 6 Carrots, Field, H. King, J. Thompson. 6 Carrots, Table, J. Thompson, J. White. 2 Pumpkins, J. Watson. 2 Squashes, H. Mathewson. 3 Roots Celery, R. Plant. 6 Tomatoes, J. Brodie, J. Vause.

FRUIT.

6 Winter apples, Dr. Ghent, R. Plant. 6 Fall apples, J. Brodie, Jas. Thompson. 6 Pears, J. Brodie. 6 Plums. R. Plant, J. Conkey. 12 crab apples, J. Stewart, R. Plant.

DAIRY AND OTHER PRODUCE.

5 lbs. honey in comb, Wm. Watson, T. Conkey. 5 lbs. roll butter, James Vause, H. King, D. McMillan. Special by A. R. Fawcett for best 5 lbs. roll butter, 1 coppy of the Flesherton *Advance* 1 year. H. King.

MANUFACTURES.

1 Set team harness, C. C. James.

LADIES' WORK.

1 Pair mits, home-made, G. Tryon. 1 Quilt, patchwork, Wm. Jamieson. 1 Quilt, other kind, Miss Brodie. Two Loaves home made bread, H. King, H. Mathewson. Berlin wool work, raised, J. Watson, G. Tyron. Gents' Shirt, hand-made, Henry Mathewson. Hooked mat, Mrs. Wm. Trimble. Crochet work in cotton, Wm. Jamieson, H. Mathewson. Fancy knitting in cotton, Miss Brodie.

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NOTICE.—We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents

"OUR BANKRUPT KINGS."

REPLY TO MR. RICHARDSON IN FLESHERTON "ADVANCE."

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

In a recent issue of the Flesherton *Advance* appears an article, over the name of M. Richardson, avowing that he had unintentionally given offence to a firm in Markdale who had made a splurge into business, etc. Now, the facts are, there is no one in this section of country dealing in or advertising bankrupt stocks for sale but ourselves, and the public recognize the fact that our goods are fresh and new and the very latest styles, and as seasonable goods as are to be found in any house north of Toronto. Our friend's hypocrisy where he says "unintentionally," yet in the same sentence he states that we made a splurge, meaning thereby that our advent into Markdale was like unto a boy going into the water with a dash, creating bubbles and foam. Well, Mr. R., you never did that, for your grasping nature prevents you disposing of an article at ordinary profits. We sell, and will continue to sell, as cheap and cheaper than any house in the trade. Our business connections with wholesale men reaches as far back, or further back than yours, or the one-horse concern that first enabled you to get your first stock, no larger than an ordinary Aberdeen pedlar. We may be "boys" and trust that youth is no disgrace, more especially when we never contravened the laws of our country in any respect; but what must be or may be said of the hoary head who would attempt to ruin youthful enterprise and stifle honorable ambition. We may be "tyros," but if a life long practice to a profession entitles us to that appellation what shall we style the clock cleaner who came to Flesherton some few short years ago and donned the uniform of merchant? He pretends not to be jealous of our business success, but it is more than probable that he is the catspaw for the business powers that created him. If you are so serene about the "passing breeze these boys are making" why put yourself to so much trouble and expense to notice their business? Is it your philanthropy to give them gratis advertising? Or is it not more likely the sinister malevalance of an evil mind to destroy that which you cannot obtain yourself. Both of us were born and bred in this section of country; our antecendents are patent to all. But the past of yourself is one of those trails we have no desire to follow. Probably it would have been impossible for you by prodigality to have wasted your parents' property, as it may not have been in your power to lay hands upon that which may have had no existence, therefore you need not advertise a virtue you never possessed. The public are getting their eyes opened and are rushing headlong to another store Mr. Richardson & Co.; and if the said company would lower their scale of prices to a rate corresponding with that of Trimble & Wright they would have the satisfaction of knowing that their week day practice was in accordance with their Sunday plans, who sells the cheapest? Let the public answer.

Yours, &c.,
TRIMBLE & WRIGHT.

PROVIDENCE BAY.

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—Notwithstanding the anticipation of a light crop after a cold, late spring the farmers of Manitoulin Island are rejoicing over an abundant harvest, it being the finest ever the Island produced. The fruit crop is of little note here yet as it is only newly settled, but doubtless it will be a good fruit growing section juaging from the flourishing condition presented by young orchards. There has been little or no fruit this season; it seems a favored spot in that respect. The rapidity of vegetation is unrivalled; it is astonishing to see the extraordinary growth during this summer.

The healthfulness of the climate is enticing many to its insular shores who desire to live in the fulness of that blessing, and who receive it to their full expectation. Many persons are also so fascinated by the salubrity of the climate its beautiful scenery and its growing importance, that they are choosing it for their homes, Is the land all taken up? This is a question frequently asked and generally answered in the affirmative. The land is mostly taken up, especially in the townships surrounding Providence Bay, which are admitted to form the choicest farming land on the Manitoulin. The beautiful lake Mindumor, a short distance from the village of Providence Bay, is surrounded by a portion of land seldom equalled in Ontario for beauty of position, fertility of soil, and good timbered woodlands. The soil is generally of choice clay land, but there are some farms of light sandy loam. Although the land is generally taken up, yet there are those who bought several hundreds of acres, and not being able to conveniently occupy the whole and having taxes to pay, would dispose of it at a reasonable or cheap rate; for this reason persons coming in to buy and settle would get a home without much trouble.

There are many lines of employment or business which this part of the island as yet stands in need of, and which could be commenced and carried on with good profit Among those blacksmithing might be especially mentiond. Two well settled townships, namely, Carnarvon in which Providence Bay is situated, and the adjoining one, Campbell, are without a blacksmith. There is a good opening for a man of that class, as $700 was made in a few months last year by one man. Any person who would come along would be welcomed by the farmers.

The late disaster, the loss of the steamer Asia, has cast quite a gloom over this neighborhood as well as many other places. Nearly every person you see has lost a friend. Tinkiss, the survivor, is well known here, as he was stopping at this place just before he took the memorable trip.

W. H. IRWIN.

September 28th, 1882.

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A REPLY TO "RATEPAYER."

To the Editor of the STANDARD.

SIR,—As a reader of the STANDARD I wish to say something in reply to "Ratepayer." In the first place what is the object of the holidays? Is it not to the worn out teacher a means of recuperating the mind and body? "Ratepayer" appears to be one who thinks the more assiduously the mind is kept at work the more progress is made. In this he makes an error. Who should determine the length of the holidays, "Ratepayer" or our legislators? Again, is "Ratepayer" compelled to work when sick? No. But evidently he would make the teacher do so, possibly because he thinks the teacher the servant of all and not entitled to legal privileges with other citizens. Now, sir, I hope that when "Ratepayer" appears again in print he will have a better cause than trying to curtail the privileges of overworked and unthanked teachers.

LOUIS N. THIBAUDEAU.

Rydal Bank, Sept. 29th, 1882.

FORTUNES FOR FARMERS AND MECHANICS.

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BIRTHS.

ANDERSON.—In Glenelg, on Sept. 26th, the wife of Irwin Anderson, of a daughter.

CROSSLEY.—In Flesherton, on the 5th inst., the wife of W. P. Crossley, of a daughter.

GREGORY.—In Yorkville, on the 1st inst., the wife of Mr. R. C. Gregory, (builder,) of a son.

MARRIAGES.

SAUL—SLOAN.—At the village of Maxwell on Sept. 27th, by the Rev. Mr. Douler, Mr. Saul, of Shelburne, to Miss Annie Sloan of Eugenia.

SPARLING—DILLON.—On the 11th inst., at the Methodist Parsonage, Markdale, by Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, Mr. J. W. Sparling, to Miss Mary Ann Dillon, both of Euphrasia.

DIED.

BROWNE.—In Egremont, on the 4th inst., Ada, beloved wife of J. L. Browne (photograph artist,) Markdale; aged 24 years.

CLARK.—In Holland, on the 7th inst., Mr. Robert Clark, Sr., aged 82 years.

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.88 to $0.90; Spring $0.90 to $0.95; Barley, 60c; Peas, 66t; Oats, 40c Butter, 15c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 45c; Hay, $8.00.

FLESHERTON MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $1.88 to $0.90; Spring, $0.90 to $0.95; Barley, 60c; Peas, 66c; Oats, 40c; Butter, 15c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 45c; Hay, $8.00.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.96 to $1.00; Spring, $1.04 to $1.06; Barley, 56c to 83c; Oats, 42c to 44c Peas, 74c to 76c; Hogs, $9.00 to $9.50; Potatoes, per bag, 75c to 80c; Butter, dairy, 19c to 20c; eggs, 20c to 21c.

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	a.m.	a.m.	p.m
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Markdale	6.29	9.45	5.02
Flesherton	6.43	10.12	5.19
Toronto	10.35		9.25

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...good tweed suit at Foster's for ...
...sh fires have been raging round...
...new store is opened at McIntyr...
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...r. Sproule, M. P., left here for ... Tuesday last. We wish him a ... safe journey.
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...aughlan Cameron, of Ospre... into a threshing machine at ... week. The foot was badly torn...
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...e are glad to see Mr. Marshall... d again, after over three month... t to the house; he is able to m... the aid of a crutch.
...r. John Weber has purchased ... Ram from the Model Farm. ... ion of improved stock into th... not be too highly estimated.
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Lauder will hold meetings next
as follows:—October 16th, at
ville; 17th, at Maxwell; 18th,
Williamsford: 19th, Rocklyn;
commencing at 7.30 p. m.

The first story of McFarland's elevator is up.

Mr. Cornwall returned from Duluth on Saturday last.

We will give report of Osprey fall show and prize list next week.

Hill Bros. will be ready to buy any quantity of grain in two weeks.

The Markdale Methodist Sabbath School Anniversary will be held on the 25th Oct.

Five dollars saved by ordering your Winter Suits from McFarland.

A four-year-old son of Mr. James Elliott, of Artemesia, met with a very painful accident on Monday, (9th). The little fellow was near a cutting box, which was in motion. By some means his hand got caught by the cog wheels, and bruised between the wheels and the iron casings completely severing the first, third and fourth fingers from his hand; the second finger may possibly be saved.

Mrs. J. L. Browne, of Markdale, died at her father's residence, Egremont, on Wednesday, 4th inst. Mrs B. had made many warm friends in Markdale during the short time she lived here. Her disease was inflamatory rheumatism followed by dropsy which hastened her to a premature grave. She died as she lived, rejoicing in a present Saviour. We extend to Mr. Browne our sincere sympaty in his present bereavement.

The great sale of $7,542.95 worth of goods, purchased at 47½ cents on the dollar, is going on at W. J. McFarland's.

BROKEN LEG.—Mr. Malcolm Quean of Osprey, had the misfortune to get his leg broken while returning from Collingwood Exhibition. The accident occurred between Nottawa and Duntroon, and the man was conveyed to his mother's residence in Nottawasaga, where he is slowly recovering.

Take our advice and don't purchase a dollar's worth of goods without first looking through McFarland's immense stock.

THE CATTLE FAIR.—The fair last Saturday was a decided improvement on any former one. It was, however, only the third regular fair held in this place. There were some 75 head of cattle on the grounds at ten o'clock, over 40 of which changed hands at fair prices. The market last week at Toronto was exceedingly flat, owing to the supply exceeding the demand, and as a consequence buyers were careless. It is hoped there will will be a few outside buyers secured to attend the next fair.

We overheard one lady remarking to another, "you need not go into McFarland's store if you are in a hurry, as his store is always crowded with customers." Come, Mc, get some more clerks.

Mr. James Carter, Lot, 6, con. 12, Glenelg, will have an extensive credit auction sale of stock, implements, and houshold effects on Tuesday, the 24th Oct., commencing at ten o'clock. Mr. Carter has sold his farm and will sell his chattles without reserve. Having a large stock of young cattle and sheep the sale will no doubt be largely attended. Hugh McKay, Auctioneer.

Mr. Hill, tailor, is turning out first class work. Leave your order with him if you want a nobby fitting suit. Rooms over McFarland's store.

Mr. Robert Kinnier, Lot 19, con. 6, Osprey, has leased his farm and has favoured Mr. Perigoe, Co. auctioneer, with instructions to sell by public auction, on the premises, his entire stock, implements and household effects, without reserve, on the 24th of October. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock, noon. Terms, 12 months credit on approved paper for all sums over $5.

139 chests fine Japan Tea to arrive in five days, direct from place of growth, for W. J. McFarland.

DUNDALK, Oct., 1882.

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GENTLEMEN.—We received the two chests of tea in good order (116 lbs. nett at 28 cents per lb.,) and after giving it a fair trial we have much pleasure in stating that it is better than any 50c. tea that we have hitherto purchased, and we can recommend it to any person as a good flavored strong tea, and more than value for the money. We have given a number of our neighbors samples of it, and each of them express their intention of procuring a chest of it.

Yours respectfully,
JOHN & WM. ATCHESON, Farmers.

We noticed in looking over the prize list of the provincial exhibition held at Kingston that Mr. John Ford, (Mount Royal Farm,) Artemesia, was awarded the prize for East Grey for the best managed farm. The prize consisted of a bronze medal. We have since had the pleasure of seeing the medal, which has engraved thereon "Best managed farm in East Grey, John Ford, Artemesia, 1882." The above farm consists of 100 acres, and is situated 3½ miles from Markdale. The place is comparatively new, having been cleared up chiefly during the last fifteen years; every department however displays taste and good management. The fields are well laid out, the soil well tilled, and free from weeds and thistles by thorough culture and rotation of crops. The buildings are laid out with due regard to economy and convenience and their surrounding kept neat and trim. The stock show good breeding and proper care. "A place for everything and every in its proper place" is Mr. Ford's motto.

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THE HEROINE.—Miss Morrison arrived in town on Thursday night last, and since that time has been stopping at the residence of Mr. C. Moore. She is rapidly regaining her health, and is daily visited by numbers of admirers. Miss Morrison is a young lady of medium size, and one can hardly realize that so comparatively slight a being could pass through the frightful ordeal she so courageously endured. At the enquiry she told her sad, pathetic story, in a modest unassuming manner, that added to the interest of as terrible a tale of human suffering and human endurance as ever was recorded. The story is well known by this time, and there is no occasion to repeat it. Last night Mrs. Palin and other ladies presented Miss Morrison with a complete set of clothing, the gift of some of our storekeepers.—*Enterprise.*

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All persons wishing to test the merits of a great remedy—one that will positively cure Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, or any affection of the Throat and Lungs—are requested to call at A. Turner & Co's Drug Store and get a Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption *free of cost*, which will show you what a regular dollar-size bottle will do.

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THE following valuable town properties will be sold on reasonable terms or will be rented for a term of years, or exchange for farm propeoty.

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Lot No. 1 on the west side of Garafraxa street and south of Hunter street, opposite Mr. J. H. Hunter's store house, well fenced and first class frame buildings, good cel'ars, hard and soft water, a most conveniant residence and would make a good business stand.

2nd,

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4th,

Park Lot No. 8, Wm. Hunter's, Survey.

5th

Lots 1 and 2, Presbyterian Survey.

6th,

Lot No 15 on the North side of Mill street in the village of Markdale close to the railway station, with good frame house thereon. If the above properties are sold the very best title will be given free from all encumbrances.

—Also the—
Following Farming Properties.
will be sold on reasonable terms of payment.

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Lot No. 22, Con. 9 Glenelg, 100 acres more or less, 3½ miles from the T. G. & B. R. at Markdale, 75 acres cleared, a new frame house and two log barns.

8th,

Lot No. 98 in the 3rd Con. W. T. & S. R., Glenelg. 50 acres, about 45 acres cleared and good log buildings, about 2½ miles from Markdale station T. G. & B. R.

9th,

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10th

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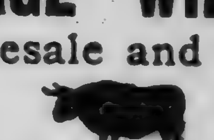

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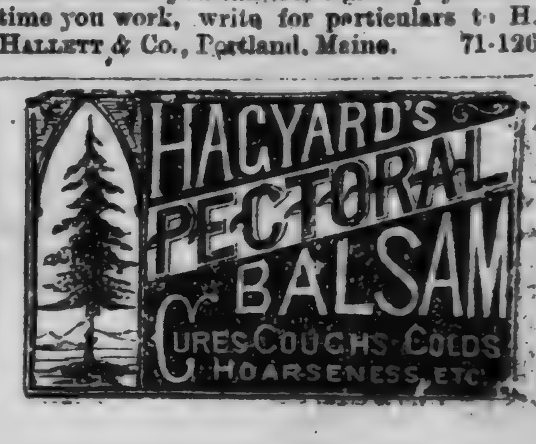

CANADIAN GLEANINGS.

HOME NEWS.

What is going on Throughout the Dominion—Clippings from our Exchanges—The best the Scissors can find.

Potato digging is now progressing throughout the province.

An Irishman named McHugh has just died at Quebec aged 107 years.

Bishop Cleary is now looking forward to the re-opening of Regiopolis college at Kingston.

Oliver Crosman, a section foreman on the Intercolonial Railway at Dalhousie, N. B., was found dead on the track.

Delphus Blanuette, a too confiding lumberman, just from the shanties, was robbed of $800 in the Hotel du Peuple, Montreal.

The Rev. Mr. Scrimgeour, of St. Joseph-street Presbyterian Church, was installed as Professor of Greek in Montreal Presbyterian College.

A number of Americans have associated themselves with some Quebec capitalists to start an asbestos factory in the ancient captal.

A young lad named Dumont, aged fifteen years, is to be tried for placing obstructions on the track of the Intercolonial railway at St. Arsene.

The Grand Trunk talks of building a new station at Guelph, between the G. W. R. and the present station. This is not so convenient as at present. The *Mercury* wants connection with the Credit Valley.

The potato crop in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island being exceeding large this season, prices are expected to be very low. From the present outlook the export trade in them does not promise profitable returns.

A young man named Milton Winger, in the employ of Messrs. Beatty & Sons, machinists, of Welland, was instantly killed by the falling of an iron pillar which he, with a number of others, was raising into position on the premises.

The Bishop of Huron has appointed Rev. Mr. Gollmer, late of England, to be assistant minister at the Chapter house in London, and Rev. Mr. Uniake of the Chapter house to be incumbent of Chesley and adjacent parts of the County of Bruce.

The Government steamer Napoleon III. has left with supplies for the lights in the Gulf, including the Bird Rocks. On her return she will take off and bring up from Anticosti such of the settlers and fishermen as are threatened with want this winter.

The Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Good Templars is in annual session at Halifax. There are sixty-three lodges in operation in the Province, with a membership of 2,100, being 700 less than a year ago. The R. W. Lodge of the World meets in June next.

It is expected that the flagship Northampton will remain at Halifax until December, when a new crew will arrive from England for her, and the present crew will go home, their term of service having expired. The new Commander-in-Chief will be Vice-Admiral Sir John Edmund Commerell.

One of the largest deposits of phosphate ever discovered in the vicinity of Ottawa has been found on lot 7, nine miles from East Templeton. The earth has been removed from the rock for over 100 feet in length and 30 inches in width, showing pure phosphate.

Superintendent Lynskey has received a telegram from Ottawa announcing that the Government telegraph line between Selkirk and Prince Arthur's Landing is now placed under the control of Manning, McDonald & Co., and men will at once remove the telegraph line from the old route to the line of railway.

Three warehouses at Prince Arthur's Landing contain about a thousand tons of freight for Winnipeg and other points west. Two hundred and fifty tons of steel rails arrived there last night for the C. P. R. Strenous efforts will be made to relieve the freight blockade that now exists at the Lake Superior terminus.

The firm of Messrs. Lee and Newport are now investigating through their solicitors some alleged irregularity charged against C. L. Hunter, an insurance broker, and son of the notary who has recently caused so much talk. It appears he took a risk for the company in the Citizens' Insurance Company, and the latter has no record of $127 premium having been paid.

The Quebecers who took part in the excursion from Montreal on the Peruvian, through the 25 foot channel, say that the steamer, with a draught of twenty-three and a half feet, undoubtedly passed freely, but it should be remembered that, owing to the abundant rains this year, the level of the St. Lawrence is over two feet higher than it has been at any time for years past.

Messrs. G. H. Hayes & Co., lumber merchants, of St. Johns, Quebec, are in trouble over a charge of forgery upon the bank of St. Johns for $6,000. Upwards of twenty-two notes given to the bank as signed by customers of the firm are denounced as forgeries. The fraud is said to have been very clear, as in some cases signatures were made for men who are unable to write. The affair has caused quite a stir in the little town.

The Ottawa City Council have authorized Mayor St. Jean to communicate with Mr. John Birkenbine, Secretary of the Charcoal Makers' Association in the United States, inviting the members of said Association to meet in Ottawa at their proposed annual assembly next year. The Council hope to secure the erection in the city of an establishment for converting the sawdust of the mills into charcoal.

Two Montrealers, named Corville and Wadsworth, who ran a roulette table at the Bell's Corners Fair the other day, were incarcerated in the county gaol on a charge of burglarizing the premises of Mr. Arnold, general merchant, at that place, and extracting from a safe about $300. On being searched by County Constable Gordon $247 were found in their possession, including two $20 bills with the corners torn off, $9.25 in shinplasters, and a florin.

An old gentleman named Thomas Weldon, visiting his son, who lives on the Wharncliffe-road, about two miles from London, was on Tuesday night accosted by a stranger near Westminster bridge, who demanded to know the time. Mr. Weldon took out his watch, when the stranger aimed a blow at him with a dagger, which Mr. Weldon successfully avoided. The old gentleman then shouted for help, and a team appearing in sight the ruffian made good his escape.

A young man named Passmore alleged that he had been relieved of $500 by one Cotterell, with whom he became acquainted while crossing the ocean about five weeks ago. Cotterell, while his companion was drinking at Kingston, did take some money from Passmore and set off for the old country. He was arrested at the depot, made to disgorge, and now lies in custody. The detective found $400 more of money in the clothing and trunk of Passmore, who is a reckless sort of fellow, and has so much money that he does not know what to do with it. He claims to be a son of Lord Rathbourne, and says his personal revenue is 500*l.* per month. There is, however, no such name as Lord Rathbourne to be found in the peerage.

His Excellency arrived at Yale B. C. a few days ago and met with a hearty reception. He visited twenty-three miles of the Canadian Pacific Railway up the Frazer river canon, and was much pleased with the work done. He ascertained on the authority of a contractor that employment can be given as follow:—One hundred and fifty carpenters at $3 50 to $4 a day; 100 hewers at $3 50 a day; 300 choppers and scorers at $2 50 a day; 100 stonecutters at $3 50 a day. Board and lodging, with three hot meals, at $3 per week. Rates, $65 from Montreal to the works. Probable time of employment three years. The Governor-General is of opinion that this should be circulated by the press.

A Peculiar Form of Grief.

A painful scene has occured at St. Gluvias, near Falmouth, arising from the difference between our laws and those of most other countries on the subject of marriage with a deceased wife's sister. A Penrhyn lady named Brodenshir was married in Switzerland, some twenty years since, to her brother-in-law, Dr. Edney, R. N., and a few days since she died at Plymouth. In accordance with her previously expressed desire, her remains were conveyed to Penrhyn for interment in the family vault at St. Gluvias. Finding, however, that the vault was full, a brick grave was prepared in the new cemetery, but the marriage being according to English laws illegal, the burial could only take place in the deceased lady's maiden name, and not that of her husband. Dr. Edney was intensely grieved at this announcement, and so distracted that he attired himself in white hat, blue tie, and brown coat, and followed the coaches on foot. The deceased was lowered into the grave without any ceremony, and the husband at once walked away, leaving the mourners behind.—*Falmouth (Eng.) Letter.*

A Religious Somnambulist.

In the vicinity of Wichita, Kan., there resides with his parents a young man whose Christian came is Charles, but whose surname is unfortunately not mentioned by the journal which records the following extraordinary incident in his career. One night his parents were aroused by singular noises on the roof, and, knowing their son's habits of cutting capers in his sleep, they ran out to the yard and looked up. There sat the young man upon the chimney top, clad in that garment which immemorial usage has consecrated to the purposes of slumber. Presently he arose to his feet and, addressing an imaginary audience, gave out the hymn, "All hail the power of Jesus' name," which he forthwith proceeded to sing through from beginning to end to the sonorous tune of "Coronation." He then selected a text from I. John, v. 25, preached a vigorous discourse fifteen minutes long, and slid down the lightning rod into a tub of water which his father had hurriedly placed where it would do the most good. The shock aroused him and he was escorted to his bed.

Fond of Snakes.

There is one thing about Prof. Bell, Florida agent of the Smithsonian institution, which his neighbors do not like, and that is the pleasure which he takes in the companionship of venomous snakes. A countryman called on the professor the other day, and as he entered the room a huge rattlesnake dropped off a sofa pillow which had been placed upon a chair for his accomodation, glided into a corner, coiled, and waving his head back and forth, shook his rattles viciously at the intruder. "Great jeeswax!" exclaimed the countryman. "Come in!" said the professor, cordially, handing his caller the chair just vacated by the snake; "don't mind him; he's not used to strangers, that's all." The snake obeyed an order to "hush that fuss," but still kept vigilant watch over the visitor, who, under the circumstances, did not care to make a long stay. Doubtless the reptile's fangs had been drawn, but that did not transform him into an agreeable object for contemplation.

Winnipeg.

An oil company is being formed at Gladstone with a capital of $10,000. The proposed operations will be conducted within the corporation of Gladstone, and indications are that petroleum can be secured at a depth ranging from 300 to 500 feet. Arrangements have almost been concluded with the contractor to sink three wells, if necessary, to a distance of 500 feet. at a cost of $8,000.

Mr. Van Horne, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who has just returned from Montreal, states that the whole of the line north of Lake Superior will be under contract by January 1st, 1883. Surveyors are now out, and before long estimates and measurements as to rock cutting and filling will be got ready. Next week work on the western division will be completed to the Rockies.

Victor de Lesseps, son of his father, tells of the performance of his father: "But my august father was not wanting to the occasion. He had round his neck a false collar of English make. He did not hesitate for a moment. He tore it off and danced on it. This was his response to the insolence of the invader."

Women as Hotel Clerks.

A woman is, in almost all cases, a pretty formidable creature to affront, and particularly so when she is not only well dressed and tolerably young and good looking, but clad in some kind of authority. I suppose (said a correspondent of the Hartford *Courant*, writing from Chester, England) that may be one reason why men are unwilling to concede to women their "rights"—there would be no such thing as equality. Except those brutal persons who would not scruple to disregard all distinctions of sex in their use of physical force, the men would infallibly go to the wall. One can not haggle for a penny or maintain any small controversies with a neatly-clad, sweet-voiced, and comely women, unless she happens to be his wife. We know the dignity, yes, the almost inaccessible divinity in which many a hotel clerk of the masculine gender dwells. With what charming inattention he pretends not to notice you! With what lofty condescension he briefly replies to your trembling question! With what serene indifference he beholds your confusion of face before his dread majesty! But here in England the hotel clerk is a woman, and usually a very bright, smart, neat and comely person. She moves within the ramparts of her snug office like Arabi Bey behind his earthworks, bidding defiance to all forms and forces of invasion. She is an authority there, and looks out on you through an embrasure of her fortification with a serene haughiness which is equally exasperating and overwhelming. In vain one touches his hat and tries the arts of politeness and cajolery. He might as well perform before one of Mme. Tussaud's wax women. Few and short are the answers given. You are made to feel that you are very wearisome if you persist in trying to get a little necessary knowledge. You are snubbed unmercifully if you offer any suggestions touching your personal convenience. You are commended to the porter and to "Boots" as being quite good enough for such as you. If it were a man you might pluck up spirit to unwisely resent such treatment and "jaw back," as the rustic found it was his privilege to do in the Episcopal service, but one can not get quite to that in the case of a woman and so he retires to plume his ruffled feathers in secret, and to purchase sixpenny worth of various information from chambermaids and porters. These female hotel clerks are the avengers of their sex. And they enjoy their office. I wonder if women ever tremble and cower so before the pride and haughtiness of men? It can hardly be.

Why He Didn't Explain.

Some eight or ten years ago a silvery-tongued chap, who claimed to be a fruit tree agent, swindled the farmers of this county in a shameful manner, and one resident of Nankin was so mad about it that he came to Detroit, searched the rascal out, and gave him a pounding on the street. After he got through his work, he told the fellow that he would lick him twice as bad if he ever put eyes on him again, and it was a threat to be remembered. About three weeks ago the Nankin man was travelling in Washtenaw County, and as he journeyed along the highway he met a traveller who so closely resembled the fruit tree swindler that he halted and called out:

"Here you are again, you bold-faced rascal!" "Yes, I'm here," was the calm reply.

"Well, so'm I, and I'm going to lick you until you can't holler! I said I'd do it, and I always keep my word. Climb down here!"

The stranger "clumb" without a protest, shedding his coat as he struck the ground, and a fight began. In about two minutes he had used up the farmer and was coolly replacing his coat.

"See here," said the man from Nankin as he wiped his nose with a burdock, "you fight better than you did eight years ago."

"Well, I dunno This is my first affair with you." "Didn't I wollop you in front of the Detroit Post Office eight years ago?"

"No, sir! I was in Australia up to a year ago." "And you never saw me before?" "Never!" "And was never in Nankin?" "Never!"

"Well, I'll be hanged! Come to look at you, I can see that you are not the man! Why on earth didn't you explain or ask me to? You must have thought me mistaken."

"Oh, yes, I knew you were mistaken, but I had just discovered that I had driven seven miles on the wrong road and was wishing some one would come along and give me two words. I didn't want any explanations about it. I feel 50 per cent. better. So long to you!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

Turkey in Ireland.

A startling rumor, says *Vanity Fair*, comes from Constantinople. It is said that the grand old Turk, seized with a sudden enthusiasm for order and horrified by the tales of massacre and outrage which have reached him from Ireland has countermanded the forces destined for Egypt, and has directed them to proceed at once to Dublin Bay. The ships on their arrival will take up positions within easy range of the formidable Martello towers which guard the Irish coast, and their instructions are, on the first appearance of hostile symptoms, to lay Dublin in ashes.

Prompt measures, the Turk feels, are absolutely necessary to curb the rebellious spirit of the Irish and to restore the authority of Lord Spencer, who now finds himself unable to trust even the Prætorian guards assigned for his protection.

It is satisfactory to learn that in all this there is no unfriendly intent toward the country. So far from it, England is to be invited to send a contingent to assist in restoring order in Ireland, the only condition being that such contingent must place itself under the orders of the Pasha in command.

When Ireland has been thoroughly cowed, and Mr. Parnell executed, the future destinies of the country will be arranged by a conference of the indifferent Powers, to be held in London.

A young lady gave her fellow the mitten for some reason, whereupon he threatened to publish her letters in revenge. "Very well," said she, "I am ashamed of nothing in them but their address."

One man can deceive anuder in de matter ob friendship, but it ain't dat way wid women. Among women dar's a perfeck un'erstandin' dat da dcan put no confidence in each other.

TRAVELLING BY EXPRESS.

The Pleasures of it, the Wonders and the Financial Side.

Everybody remembers Dr. Johnson's panegyric on the charms of a rapid journey along a good road in a post-chaise. He thought life could afford nothing better, unless it were a walk down Fleet-street or unlimited tea-drinking. The speed and the certainty, in the absence of broken wheels, the smoothness of the highway and the alacrity of post-boys and Postmasters, delighted him with a sense of perfect adjustment. It would be interesting to learn what excess of encomiums he could devise to meet the due of traveling by express were he brought back for an interval to survey this world of steam. A train with a moderate completement of eight cars is appraised at £17,-000. Each of the three palace cars it commonly includes has cost £3,000 at least, and not seldom £5,000 or £6,000. Whatever can minister to comfort is provided. The smoker can smoke without annoying his neighbors. The hungry and thirsty can eat and drink. The studious can buy libraries of fiction fresh from the British manufactory, only cheapened. By day the indolent repose on splendid divans. At night the tired sleep as softly as at home. Luxuries are supplied for the eye as well as the other physical and intellectual organs. If there be a fault at all, it is some redundance of magnificence. A passenger by one of these cars might, if he were reconciled to incessant locomotion, live in in the midst of the most gorgeous upholstery, with a fair provision of conveniences to match, at a rate of expenditure which would barely suffice for the maintenance of a middle-class establishment in a country town. Although English railway travelling is not altogether so liberally arranged, the difference is chiefly of degree. For the solid equipments of a railway journey an English company is not less generous than an American. In some essential particulars the comparison may even be in favor of this country. Where there have been shortcomings they are being quickly made good. Passengers by one or two lines can obtain refreshments. On several lines there are Pullman cars. More than one company is commencing the experiment of imitating the United States fashion of conveying the luggage of passengers to their houses or hotels. An English first-class carriage as it is would appear a supernatural vision of ease to the mind of the eighteenth century. On all but a few lines which continue not to distinguish human beings from cattle, a wealthy gentleman of a hundred years ago spirited into a humble third-class department might envy the happy lot of his posterity.

The modern world is not yet at the end of its opportunities for making a common stock of its rights that it may receive a larger dividend. Towns-people in this as in other countries do not co-operate at all as harmoniously as they might in order to reap the proper gain from their necessary association. All their actual corporate advantages arise from this source, But they are entitled to more. If railway passengers were treated as municipalities treat their citizens, they would bewail their wrongs in accents beside which complaints from societies for the mutual protection of railway travelers would sound like a serenade in honor of railway Chairmen. That inhabitants of cities do not derive their rightful profit from their congregation in crowds is not the result of a reluctance in the individuals to give up their personal independence. Residents in town are naturally as docile in that respect as the majority of railway travelers The defect comes rather from the want generally of an authority willing and competent to assume the burden and the glory of the corporate trust. Were it possible to create the same relation between a corporate authority and the residents which exists between a railway board and its passengers, the phrase of the luxuries of civilization would acquire a new significance, Railway companies build branch lines which never pay to accomodate the minutest traffic. They lavish money on rolling stock with a munificence which more than justifies the doubt whether such sumptuous traveling can be remunerative. They are sparing neither of money nor of energy. It is, however, on one condition; they must have a competitor ready to do as much or more. Unfortunately, or, perhaps, fortunately, it is not practicable to dislocate a town between two rival Governments even for the sake of lapping the townspeople in the splendors of an existence made up of palace cars. Great cities must be content with an inferior scale of co-operative convenience. Still, on the most moderate computation, they do not as yet have a just return for the sacrifices they make. It is hard that, to enjoy the full benefit of acting in masses, it should be requisite to cross the ocean and pass life in travelling express from New-York to Detroit.

Sir Garnet Wolseley's Peerage.

One result of Sir Garnet Wolseley's success in the Egyptian campaign will doubtless be that he will receive the peerage which rumor has on several occasions always assigned to him. He will be the thirteenth military commander whom her Majesty will have made peers; and few of them have earned the honor by more valuable services, not only to the country, but also to the Government. In 1839 Sir John Colborne and Sir John Keane were created the first Lord Seaton and the second Lord Keane. In 1840 Sir Hussey Vivian was made Lord Vivian, and Sir Henry Hardinge and Sir Hugh Gough were raised to the peerage in 1846. Lord Fitzroy Somerset was created Lord Raglan in 1852; Sir Colin Campbell, Lord Clyde in 1858; Sir Hugh Rose, Lord Strathnairn in 1866; Sir Robert Napier, Lord Napier of Magdala in 1868; Sir William Mansfield, Lord Sandhurst in 1871; and Sir Richard Airey, Lord Airey in 1876. Of these the peerages of the Baronies of Clyde and Airey are extinct; while Lord Strathnairn and Lord Napier of Magdala are the only survivors among the grantees.

THE SORT OF TITLE HE WILL TAKE.

In the selection of titles for eminent soldiers the practice has usually been to include in them some one or more of the battles, sieges, or defences in which they have distinguished themselves. Lord Strathnairn is Lord Strathnairn of Strathnairn and Jhansi, and Lord Napier is Lord Napier of Magdala and Caryntou. The first peerages received by the Duke of Wellington were the viscounty of Wellington of Talavera and Wellington and the barony of Douro of Wellesley; and Marshal Beresford was created first Baron Beresford of Albuera and Dungarvan, and afterward Viscount Beresford of Beresford. Sir Ralph Abercromby's widow was created Baroness Abercromby of Aboukir and Tullibody; Lord Hill first Baron Hill of Almarez and Hawkestone, and secondly Viscount Hill of Hawkestone; Lord Combermere, Viscount Combermere of Bhurtpore and Combermere; Lord Gough first Baron Gough of Chinkeanfoo and of Maharajpore and the Sutlej, and, secondly Viscount Gough of Goojerat and Limerick; Lord Hardinge, Viscount Hardinge of Lahore and King's Newton; Lord Harris, Baron Harris of Seringapatam and Mysore and of Belmont; Lord Keane, Baron Keane of Ghuznee and Cappoquin, and so forth. On the other hand, Lord Clyde was made Baron Clyde of Clydesdale; Lord Raglan, Baron Raglan of Raglan; Lord Seaton, Baron Seaton of Seaton; Lord Vivian, Baron Vivian of Glynn and Truro; and Lord Airey, Baron Airey of Killingworth—all peaceful places in the United Kingdom. But in the case of Sir Garnet Wolseley, his peerage should and unquestionably will preserve the memory of some of his exploits; and the name of Lord Wolseley of Tel-el-Kebir and Coomassie with the addition of some local designation within the Queen's dominions, will, no doubt appear in the next editions of Sir Bernard Burke's and Mr. Foster's elaborate compilations.—*St. James's Gazette.*

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The long road that leads from the Piazza del Quirinale, in Rome, is all upset, and hundreds of workingmen are laying the pipe for a larger quantity of water. The royal guest of the Quirinale Palace seems to be very glad of this change in the street, because orders have been given to raise the new level of the street to such a height as to completely hide the basement windows. Why? They seem to be afraid of dynamite. A few months ago the windows had been supplied with a sort of thick iron shutter with holes so small as to give scarcely sufficient passage to the air.

During the absence of King Humbert and Queen Margaret, several improvements have been made in the palace itself. The apartment of the King has undergone a complete alteration. Indeed, it was in need of it because when coming from the dining-room the King had no possible access to his own apartment other than through the antechamber, generally crowded with the ladies and gentlemen who were waiting for an audience. The servants would kindly direct his Majesty to go back to his rooms by the service stairs when the hall was full and when Humbert did not wish to be seen by the people in the ante-chamber. Even Kings are obliged sometimes to obey the directions of their own servants.

The King is a good sort of a fellow, not such a sportsman as his father, but a good hunter anynow, and a crack marksman. His favorite morsel is a boiled chicken or a piece of veal. The son of Victor Emanuel has bad teeth, and likes food overcooked. He is very fond of a quiet life; retires early when he can get to his own apartments, and rises early, generally before 6; takes a cup of coffee and rides for an hour and a half on horseback in the *manege* of his own palace; very seldom goes out for an early ride, at least now.

He receives people of every description and with great affability. A few days ago two workingmen from Leghorn came to Rome to present a crown of flowers for Victor Emanuel's grave. The King spent some time with them, and was so kind that the poor fellows were delighted. When driving his own horse through the new quarters of Rome, where many new buildings are in progress, it is noticed that King Humbert is always ready to answer the saluting workingmen who bow at him from the high scaffolding, and sometimes he is the first to call their attention by taking off his hat. Since Passanante's attempt, a mass is celebrated Sunday by the Royal Chaplain Anzino in the Quirinal. The King regularly attends this mass after the meeting of the Ministers which begins at 10 a.m. Sometimes the meeting is not over until half past 1. The priest is obliged to wait, and Mgr. Anzino some Sundays is obliged to say his mass at 2 or later. The Queen is patiently waiting and does not allow any one to have breakfast until the mass is over. It takes Mgr. Anzino about 17 minutes to go through his mass which is served by the sexton of the Piedmontese Church of the Sudario, near St. Andrea della Valle, Mgr. Anzino being at the same time rector of that church and royal chaplain. During the mass the Queen and the young Prince of Naples kneel down but the King keeps on standing all the time. Only at the elevation he bends his head slightly.

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Jewish Persecution.

Advices received in Vienna from Presburg report the occurrence of anti-Jewish riots at that place. The mob broke the windows of many houses occupied by Jews. The military finally restored order after making forty arrests. The military are confined to their barracks. The rioters in Presburg declare that what they have done is merely a prelude to what is coming. The shops and warehouses of Jews were forced open and plundered. The rioters offered obstinate resistence to the military. Similar excesses were committed in the neighboring town of Allumenthal, where three persons were arrested. Several hundred Jews have fled to Vienna. The Hungarian Ministry have placed Presburg under martial law.

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THE HALLUCINATION DISPELLED.

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Is there no beating or whipping of horses, no cruel driving, no overloading, no neglect to water and feed at proper intervals, no uncomfortable and painful check-reins, no trying of animals for long periods in the hot sun, no trying of them in the storm and unsheltered for hours at a time in winter; no working of poor, old, half-starved, lame and blind animals? And for cattle—is there no starving in your town or country, no hungry-eyed animals looking over the fence at green fields beyond their reach? Do not cattle-trains pass through your locality with crowded creatures desperate from hunger and thirst and weariness? Is there no prodding with iron spikes or horrible twisting of the tail when they sink from exhaustion? Do their groans of suffering never disturb your comfortable slumber on soft couches? Are there no cruel boys in your community who stone birds, drown kittens "for sport," tie tin cans to dogs' tails and cause them to run until they are dead, or nearly so? Are there no children learning to be cruel by pulling off the legs of living insects, or impaling them on pins for the "sake of science?" If you can answer "No" to these inquiries, you certainly live in Arcadia. —*Illinois Humane Journal.*

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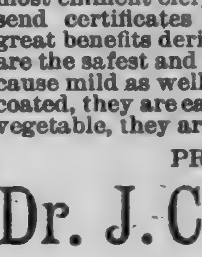

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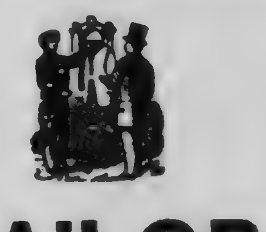

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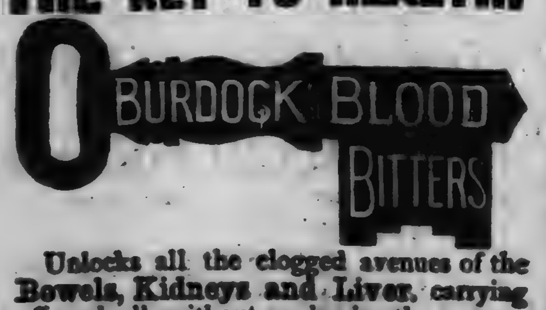

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EFFECTS OF DIVORCE.

There is a young lady in the city who says she has more parents and step-parents living than anyone she ever heard of. This is the way she tells the story: "You know papa and mamma could never agree, and so finally they got divorced. I don't say whose fault it was, but mamma did behave ugly at times, and even I could not get along with her. So when the separation came I went to live with papa. Shortly afterward mamma married again, and papa was not long in following suit. I did not like it very well at first, but my step-mother turned out first rate, and I got to like her splendid. Then papa seemed to get infatuated with another woman that he got acquainted with, and she wheedled round him until she made trouble, and the result was another divorce, and papa soon married the woman who made the trouble. When the second separation took place I went with my step-mother because I loved her and because my services were necessary to help to take care of the baby. Then Then what does she do but go and get married again. I declare I never saw such marrying in my life. It only happened a little while ago, and my new step-father—I suppose he is—treats me in a very kindly sort of way, as if he felt he couldn't help it, and I don't like it a bit. I can't go back to mamma, because she is mad with me for going with papa in the first instance, and I can't bear to stay where I am. It is too bad that a girl should have a father and a mother and two stepfathers and two stepmothers all living at once, and not a home that she can feel at home in."

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Dennis Talbot, an old pioneer, living near Hepworth, was thrown by a bull on Tuesday last, receiving such severe injuries that there is but little hope entertained of his recovery. Dr C. E. Barnhart was called in, and under his skillful treatment Mr. Talbot is doing as well as can be expected.—*Times.*

DR. WIGGINS, of the Dominion Finance Department, predicts a great storm on the ninth of March next, and gives warnings so explicit to both landsmen and marines that he will be free from responsibility for any damage done. This seer claims the fulfilment of his prediction of a recent great gale to give weight to his predictions.

KILLED BY AN EXPRESS TRAIN.—On Monday last a school girl, named Vina McCartney, aged twelve years, while crossing the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, about a mile out of Charleston Station, was struck by the south-bound express. The train was stopped as quickly as possible, the child was taken to Charleston, and medical aid was called, but though everything was done for her, she was fatally injured, and died shortly afterwards.—*Herald.*

THE frequent accidents which have befallen the boats of the Great Northern Transit Company are beginning to make people afraid to travel by that line, and we are informed that when the *Emerald* arrived here on her last trip down, a number of passengers holding tickets for Toronto by way of Collingwood remained here to go by T. G. & B. R., rather than to go on to Collingwood by the *Emrald*, although by so doing they forfeited the cost of their passage from Collingwood to Toronto.—*Times.*

A BURNT OFFERING.—A terrible suicide was committed at Woodstock, on Sunday, the 17th inst., by Sadie E. Elstone, a much respected young lady. The victim of the rash act, who had only returned home from Grand Haven, Mich., a short time ago previous, had been troubled with dyspepsia, but did not show any signs of mental aberration. Her family were somewhat surprised that she did not go to church in the evening, it being her custom to attend regularly, but thought nothing of it. Later in the evening, Mr. Hopkins, a next-door neighbour, saw a fire among the newly gathered shocks of corn in Mr. Elstone's field. He ran over, and found the poor victim standing over the fire which she had kindled, holding her arms out, her clothing all burnt off and her hair on fire. He dragged her from the fire, extinguished the flames, and sent for a physician, and to inform the family, who were at church. The unfortunate girl was burnt from her neck to her feet. She lingered for some hours, talking incoherently, and at last uttering the words "I'm going to Jesus," expired without a struggle. In the house was found a note stating that she was tired of living in this world, and had made up her mind to sacrifice herself. She was a young girl of great aptness and intelligence, and of a sanguine, cheerful disposition, which makes her action the more astonishing.

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DUNDALK ITEMS.

Thos. Spicer, Blacksmith, has sold his business and is going to Yeovil.

Chas. McConnels shot a large deer last week which weighed 200 lbs.

An oyster supper was given to Mr. Wm. Nelson on his departure to Manitoba.

Cheap Jack has been making double sales here. Every time he makes a sale the purchaser is sold.

WILLIAMSFORD.

Mr. C. Price is erecting a hotel on the site of the Galbraith house, which was burned a year ago. The new hotel will be veneered with brick, and when finished will be quite an addition to the place.

Mr. Wm. Howey is making preparations to remove to the North West and the question naturally arises who will be our Reeve next year. Dr. McGregor is in Winnipeg, but perhaps he will return. We have other good men, however.

ARTEMESIA COUNCIL.

This Council met at Flesherton on Oct. 2nd, at the Town Hall.

Present—Messrs. Christoe, Webster, Elliott, Wright and Peddlar.

Minutes of September session read and confirmed.

A letter from E. Wragge, Esq., manage T. G, & B. R., presented and read.

Orders as follows for payment of road jobs were issued:—Henry Wilson, $15; Patrick Butler $7, being special grant on townline Artemesia and Glenelg; Henry Fenwick, $20, being special grant on tenth Concession, and to Clerk for quarter salary; $87.50.

Council adjourned to meet on first Monday in November.

W. J. BELLAMY, Clerk.

CHATSWORTH.

From our own Correspondent.

The annual ploughing match of the township of Holland, under the auspices of the Agricultural Society, will be held on the farm of W. Howey, Esq., Reeve of the township, on the 31st inst. Liberal prizes will be awarded and the match promises to be a good one.

The fair here on Monday last was the largest ever held in the village. Twenty-three car loads of cattle were shipped.

The Division Court sits here on the 26th inst. at 12:30 p.m.

W. Howey, Esq., Reeve of the township intends removing to the North-West in the spring and has his farm of 200 acres advertised for sale.

A man named Adams from the 10th con. of Holland, was run over here on show day by one of the carriage horse teams and carried insensible off the ground. He soon recovered, however.

Rev. Mr. Best of this village sold his three year-old mare to a Marquette horse dealer for $195.

Two hotel keepers of the village are said to have taken in $300 each on show day.

The court of revision for the voters lists for Holland and Sullivan was held here on Saturday. There was only one appellant from Holland and he did not put in an appearance. In Sullivan one Grit was put on the roll and eight Tories.

SALE LIST.

Mr. James Carter, Lot, 6, con. 12. Glenelg, will have an extensive credit auction sale of stock, implements, and houshold effects on Tuesday, the 24th Oct., commencing at ten o'clock. Mr. Carter has sold his farm and will sell his chattles without reserve. Having a large stock of young cattle and sheep the sale will no doubt be largely attended. Hugh McKay, Auctioneer.

Mr. Joseph Brown, of Osprey, (near Brewster's Lake) will sell his farm stock, implements and household effects on Wednesday, Nov. 1st, by public auction. Terms—14 months credit. Mr. Brown has a large stock, and having rented his farm and bound for Manitoba he will sell without reserve. For particulars see bills. Ira H. Perigoe, Auctioneer.

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  Disturbs the ox the slender prod,
  And Annabel the golden rod
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The sumach by the meadow burns,
  No robin charms the garden nook,
  And in the forest by the brook
The squirrel skips among the ferns.

And while the Summer's weary ghost
  Across the valley floats away,
  I think of theatres and May,
Delmonico's and quail on toast.

II.

The partridge darts across the wold,
  The rabbit by the runnel dreams,
  And all the songless woodland seems
A silent symphony in gold.

Now lovers in the meadow stroll,
  Her eye's the poem he doth con;
  He thinks his name is writ upon
The lily-tablet of her soul.

The bluebirds southward swiftly fly,
  The crow above the buckwheat caws,
  And small boys yearn to stretch their jaws
Serenely round the pumpkin pie.

III.

We dream about our seaside loves—
  Those sweet, seraphic little gangs
  Of damozels with golden bangs,
Blue eyes and seven-button gloves.

We dream about the full-dress hop,
  And conversations on the beach,
  And cheeks as ruddy as a peach,
And of the sparkling ginger pop.

And how we laughed at Fortune's flaws
  That couldn't make our spirits droop,
  While we alone upon the stoop
Mint juleps drank through slender straws.

Bill Arp's Baby Talk.

The poet hath said that "a baby in the house is a well spring of pleasure." There is a bran new one here now, the first in eight years, and it has raised a powerful commotion. It's not our baby, exactly, but it is in the line of descent, and Mrs. Arp takes on over it all the same as she used to when she was regularly in the business. I thought maybe she had forgot how to nurse 'em and talk to 'em, but she is singing the same old familiar songs that have sweetened the dreams of half a score, and she blesses the little eyes and sweet little mouth and uses the same infantile language that nobody but babies understand. For she says "tum here to its dandmudder," and "bess its 'ittle heart," and talks about its sweet little footsy-tootsies and holds it up to the windows to see the waggons go by and the wheels going rouny-pouny and now my liberty is curtailed, for as I go stamping around with my heavy farm shoes she shakes her ominous finger at me just like she used to and says don't you see the baby is asleep, and so I have to tip-toe around, and ever and anon she wants a little fire, or some hot water, or some catnip, for the baby is a-crying and surely has got the colic. The doors have to be kept shut now for fear of a draft of air on the baby, and a little hole in the window-pane above as big as a dime had to be patched, and I have to hunt up a passel of kin'lings every night and put 'em where they will be han'y, and they have sent me off to another room where the baby can't hear me snore, and all things considered, the baby is running the machine, and the well spring of pleasure is the centre of space. A grandmother is a wonderful help and a great comfort at such a time as this, for what does a young mother with her first child know about colic and thrash, and hives and hiccups, and it takes a good deal of faith to dose 'em with sut tea and catnip, and lime water, and paregoric, and soothing syrup, and sometimes with all of these the child gets worse, and if it gets better I've always had a curiosity to know which remedy it was that did the work. Children born of healthy parents can stand a power of medicine and get over it, for after the cry comes the sleep, and sleep is a wonderful restorer. Rock 'em awhile in the cradle and then take 'em up and jolt 'em a little on the knee, and then turn 'em over and jolt 'em on the other side, and then give 'em some sugar in a rag, and after awhile they will go to sleep and let the poor mother rest. There is no patent on this business, no way of raising 'em all the same way, but it is trouble, trouble from the start, and nobody but a mother knows how much trouble it is. A man ought to be a mighty good man just for his mother's sake, if nothing else, for there is no toil or trouble like nursing and caring for a little child, and there is no grief so great as a mother's if all her care and anxiety are wasted on an ungrateful child.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

Smoking in the Presence of Ladies.

The fact should ever be kept before us that absolute cleanliness alone is compatible with health. And more, a regard for the rights of others in eschewing all filthy habits is indispensable in the conduct of true gentlemen. What shall be said of a man who will smoke in the presence of ladies, even with their unreserved consent? This is done by men who would be highly insulted if they were charged personally with doing that which was in the least ungentlemanly. We ourselves have met with men who justified smoking in the presence of ladies, with the remark that the ladies expressed a liking for the odors of tobacco smoke. We do not impeach such as tellers of falsehood, but we do say that if they really enjoy smoke, their taste is altogether abnormal and not very refined. It seems to us that their gentleman friends should recognize this fact, and at least do nothing to foster in them a depraved taste. The time will come, we hope, when all ladies will make it a rule to protest against smoking in their presence, or in rooms in which they have to dwell. It is a sign of weakness for a woman to submit to such an outrage as to have tobacco smoke befouling the air she has to breathe. To protest against wrong is the right of every one. On our women lies the duty of combating this tobacco fiend, which is sapping the health and life of our people. To court smoke, and profess to like it, is either hypocrisy, or a sign of a depraved taste which needs purifying. Let every woman refuse positively to allow smoking in her presence. She will thus do her share in ridding the world of a filthy and health-destroying habit, and show that she has at least an appreciation of cleanliness and of womanly refinement. The qualities which guide her actions who does this will win for her the admiration of all men whose appreciation is capable of soaring above that which is coarse.

CHAFF.

The man who cheats his landlord is open to the charge of ignore-rents.

A hen in a china closet can do more damabout it.

Punctuality is the soul of business, saith the proverb. Hence it naturally follows that punctuality is not material.

Gen. Wolseley is a one-eyed man. If he was only bow-legged as well, he might readily be mistaken for a bicycle rider.

A St. Louis man who painted a lamp-post every evening for two weeks saw his marks on the backs of ninety seven different loafers.

A Cincinnati man in trying to break a $40 colt smashed up $90 worth of property, but as he had the applause of two hundred men and boys he didn't mind the loss much.

Dr. Hall says that taking a walk before breakfast has put more people into their coffins than the ailments they were seeking to get rid of. The attention of tramps is particularly called to this statement.

Nothing makes the keeper of a railroad restaurant more mad than to have one customer ask in a rather loud tone of another: "Have they ever tried plating war-ships with these kind of sandwiches?"

The other day the czar was discovered standing in one corner of his palace dodging big rubber footballs which his attendants were throwing at him. It is supposed that he was practicing for his coronation.

No amount of persuasion would induce a stranger in a Vermont town, who got hit by a polecat, to give his name. He said he was in trouble enough without having the neighbors hear the story and guy him.

"Hold up your hands," yelled the western outlaw as he boarded a palace car and showed his pistols. "Are you a road agent?" asked a frightened passenger. "Yes." "Thank heaven! I feared you were another porter."

A Buffalo man has been missing since "moving day." If there is any day when a man is justified in disappearing, "moving day" is the one. A man who will not get away then will stay under all circumstances—even twins.

Thomas Schofield, aged 91, walked nine miles to renew his subscription to a paper. It is the general impression among country editors that there are a number of subscribers who are waiting until they are 91 years old to come and pay for their paper.

A chile allers deserves whippin' de most when its father is outen humor. Dare's a ole saying what says neber hit a boy when yer are mad. I wouldn't give a cent ter hit him any udder time, case I ain't gwine ter fight nobody when I'se in a good humor.—*Arkansaw Traveler.*

There is a proverb to the effect that it is best to have the good-will even of a dog. This statement is strictly true. If you don't believe it, not over four minutes of the energetic ill-will of a good, healthy bulldog would convince you that his friendship was much more to be desired than his enimity.

John Jones lived in Cleveland. While milking he tied the cow's tail to his leg, as the flies kept that appendage flopping. After he was taken three times around the cow-pasture on his back, he remarked: "I recognize my mistake. I should have tied her tail to her own leg instead of to mine."

"My young friend," exclaimed a prosperous New Yorker as he greeted a freshly-arrived youth at Castle Garden, "welcome to free America, and let me give you a word of advice; you want to rise in the world, don't you?—become an alderman, perhaps the mayor of the city, or maybe go to congress." "Yes, sir." "Well, you go right up to *The Herald* office and advertise for a position as bartender."

It was at the shore and a gentleman was chatting on his cottage porch with two or three guests. His pretty daughter comes up from the beach, just out of the surf: "Oh, pappa," she exclaimed, "only think, I was nearly drowned." Pappa, turning pathetically to his friends: "By the powers, gentlemen, do you hear that? I have spent more than $5,000 on that girl's education, and to-day she was nearly drowned."

Burns and Scalds.

Five years since (Sept., '77) the *American Agriculturist* recommended the use of bicarbonate of soda, that is the common baking soda, for most kinds of burns. Since then frequent experiments and observations, the opinions of physicians, and the best medical journals, have more than confirmed all we then said. As burns and scalds are always liable to occur, and as this remedy, though simple, has proved to be extraordinarily useful, it should be fixed in the minds of every one. The soda, and the carbonic acid so readily set at liberty from it, have anæsthetic, antiseptic, and disinfecting properties—all highly beneficial for burns.

For slight burns cover all the injured parts with a layer of powdered soda. For deeper burns, but where the skin is not broken, dip linen rags in a solution made by dissolving about one third of an ounce of the soda in a pint of water; lay the rags on and keep them moist with the solution. For very severe burns followed by suppuration (formation of pus) apply the rags in the same way, keeping them moist; but frequently exchange them when dry for fresh ones, and carefully wash off with the soda solution any matter that has accumulated underneath, so that it may not be absorbed into and poison the blood. Leading European medical journals give numerous instances in which, by the above treatment, extensive burns of very severe character have healed speedily, leaving little scar.—*American Agriculturist.*

Prince Arthur Protects the Nuns at Ramleh.

The daughters of Sion have a convent and institution of their order at Ramleh. They write in a tone of deep gratitude for the protection their convent received from the Duke of Connaught when he occupied that town. His Royal Highness took up his quarters in the convent itself, and gave strict orders that the chapel and everything sacred connected with it should be respected. The good sisters, therefore, upon their return to their convent, had good reasons to be thankful to the royal Duke, and very thankful they are for his Royal Highness's protection and courtesy

How Russian Girls are Courted.

Love is the same all the world over, but "courting" is managed very differently in different countries. Russian courting, among the middle classes, is peculiar. The first Whitsunday after the young girl is acknowledg'd by her mother to be of marriageable years, she is taken to the Petersburg Summer-garden to join the "bridal promenade." This consists of the daughters of the Russian tradesmen walking in procession, followed by their parents. Up and down they go, pretending to chat with each other and to take no notice of the young men—the tradesmen's sons, dressed in their best clothes—who walk in another procession on the other side. However, every now and then some young fellow slips out of his proper rank and adds himself to the line of girls on the other side speaking to one particularly. The parents of the girl join in the conversation in a few moments, and soon they leave the promenade and are joined by the parents of the young man. Generally the old folks have talked it over before, but on this occasion every one pretends to be surprised. On the next day a female confidant calls on the girl's parents and requests her hand. This granted, all the relations on both sides meet and argue about the portion to be given with the girl. If this is not satisfactory, all is at an end; if it is what is expected, the betrothal takes place.

The bride and bridegroom kneel down upon a great fur mat, and the bride takes a ring from her finger and gives it to the bridegroom, who returns the gift by another. The bride's mother meanwhile crumbles a piece of bread over her daughter's head, and her father folds the image of his daughter's patron saint over his future son-in-law's well-brushed locks. As they arise bridesmaids sing a wedding song. The guests each bring forward a present of some sort. Wine is handed about, and some one says it is bitter and needs sweetening. Upon this the bridegroom kisses the bride—the sweetness being supposed to be provided by the kiss—salutes the company and takes his leave, on which the bridesmaids sing a song with a chorus something like this:

"Farewell, happy bridegroom,
But return to be still more happy.

Courting time has now begun. Every evening the lover comes to his lady's home with a present which, is always something good to eat—generally cakes or sugarplums. He makes love under rather awkward circumstances, for the bridesmaids sit about the betrothed pair in a circle, singing songs descriptive of their happiness.

The last evening of the courtship is enlivened by the presentation of the gifts of the bridegroom, which must include brushes, combs, soap and perfumery. On receiving these, the bridesmaids instantly carry the bride away, and wash her, dress her hair, and perfume her pocket-handkerchief.

Thus touched up, she returns to the company, and the bride's father gives his future son-in-law the marriage portion, which he takes home with him in a neat bag.

Those eternal bridesmaids, whom they must hate by this time, are there, however, still on duty, and the evening closes by the bride kneeling down and pulling off her husband's boots, to prove her intention to be an obedient and submissive wife.

Good-natured bridegrooms generally hide jewellery or money in their boots, which the bride may take possession of as a balm for her pride. After the wedding day the parents begin to give feasts, and keep it up a week, and it is not till all this is over that the "young couple" see those blessed bridesmaids take their departure. They are then compelled to kiss them, thank them, and give them each a present.

Dramatic.

A handsome monument to Bellini, the composer, has just been erected in Catania, Sicily.

The Big Four are doing a big business wherever they strike—and they strike every time.

Minnie Hauk will not appear in opera this season, but will shortly commence a concert tour.

"The Vicar of Bray"—a decided failure in London—has proved as dismal a failure in New York.

Salvini has added "King Lear" to his repertoire. His season begins at the Fifth Avenue, New York, on the 26th inst.

"Only a Farmer's Daughter," with Agnes Herndon in the leading role, will shortly be presented for the first time in New York.

"For Congress," the new play for Mr. John T. Raymond, whereof so much was promised in advance, seems to have failed. He has gone back to "Fresh."

Now we know what's the matter with Mrs. Langtry's *Rosalind*. She plays the part in *pants*, instead of the doublet and hose; and the boys are mad.

So sinful a thing was the first theatrical performance in Boston thought to be that the lawmakers interfered, and no other was attempted for twenty-seven years.

Charles Wyndham, who is justly regarded as the representative English actor in genteel comedy, will open his American season at the Union Square Theatre, New York, and will no doubt meet with a hearty reception.

Mlle. Rhea is meeting with the most flattering success on her present tour. The houses are well patronized, her support is excellent and the press criticisms eulogistic.

Mr. Wm. Stafford, the clever young tragedian, is now making a tour of the States and Canada, and is meeting with gratifying success. He has, we are told, a capital company with him, including Miss Rosa Rand, and appears in some of Shakespeare's best characters—*Romeo*, however, being his specialty.

If I Had a Donkey.

An "Old Merchant" asks what is meant by "The Drawing Room Version" of the old song "If I had a donkey what wouldn't go," and how it originated. The new version first appeared in *Punch* for Feburary 7, 1844, and may be found in volume VI, page 85, under the heading of "A Polished Poem." It opens thus.

"If I had an animal averse to speed,
Do you think I'd chastise him? No, indeed!
But I'd give him some oats, and say, 'Proceed,
Go on Edward!'"

THE "HERDER" DISASTER.

The History of an Unfortunate Vessel—a Dangerous Headland—the Wrecked Party.

On February 24th, 1876, a fire broke out on board the "Herder" while she was lying at her pier, foot of Third street, Hoboken, to the great consternation of the passengers, who were just setting themselves down to the voyage. The United States mails were on board at the time and $65,000 in specie. After a detention of twenty-four hours the steamer left on her voyage, the fire having been extinguished after doing damage to the extent of $800.

On January 24th, 1877 the "Herder" then commanded by Captain Bradt, reached New York after a very stormy passage of sixteen days from Havre. For a time she was under sail, but the fierce winds soon made it impossible for her to carry any canvas. Two of her boats were swept away, and almost everything movable on deck was washed overboard. The stout iron davits were twisted and broken, and the skylights smashed into pieces. The crew suffered great hardships, but the passengers escaped with a few bruises, caused by their being knocked about by the rolling of the vessel. On January 20 the "Herder" passed a vessel turned bottom up, but the weather was too heavy to allow an investigation.

In June 1878, when twenty miles off the Dry George's Shoals, on her way to this port from Hamburg, and in a dense fog, the "Herder" came in collision with a large full-rigged ship. Subsequently the Captain related how near his case came being similar to that of the "Ville du Havre," which was run into by the "Loch Earn." "It was clear weather," he said, "when the "Ville du Havre" was struck, and the "Loch Earn" was seen fifteen minutes before the collision. In my case the unknown vessel, which was certainly as big as the "Loch Earn," came out of the fog a minute or so before her jibboom was scraping my rigging, and if I had not so suddenly ported my helm and sent my vessel ahead at full speed she would have ploughed clean into us, and the chances of escape for 300 passengers in the thick fog would have been much less than they were for those of the "Ville du Havre."

In April, 1880, the "Herder" was thoroughly overhauled. The boilers and machinery were put in perfect order, the second cabin was entirely refurnished and all the rooms were newly carpeted, upholstered and fitted with various conveniences. The last vessel before the "Herder" lost by the Hamburg line was the "Pomerania," wrecked off the Scilly Islands in 1876, but the greatest disaster that happened at the ill-starred spot was the wreck of the "Schiller," of the same line, commanded by Captain Thomas. There were about two hundred and fifty lives lost on that occasion, the vessel running on a sunken rock in a heavy fog and going to pieces rapidly. The gallant Thomas stood by her to the last and went down with his ship like a hero.

Cape Race is near the southeastern extremity of Newfoundland, latitude 46 deg. 4 min., north, longitude 53 deg. 4 min. It is a lofty and precipitous headland extending into the Atlantic from the southernmost point of the division of that island called Ferryland. It forms a prominent point for navigators in the North Atlantic, lying near the ordinary route of vessels between the eastern ports of the United States and England, and being the last point of American land sighted or passed in the eastward passage. It is a point very dangerous to ships sailing in foggy weather between the United States and Europe. On it is a revolving light 180 feet above the sea. It was established by the British Government, and is sustained by a tax upon all ships sailing from or to Great Britain, to or from Canada and the northeastern part of the United States.

The S. S. "Herder" has broken up, and portions of the cargo are washing ashore.

Under Fire.

A few men, very few men, go into action for the first time without thinking a great deal of the bullets and the danger, and wishing it was all over and they were safe; the second time they are under fire they remember the last time when they came out of it unhurt, and they think a great deal less of the bullets and more of the work in hand than they did on the former day. Take an instance from the late war against the Zulus, where the British had mostly young soldiers, with only a sprinkling of old ones. There "funk" reigned universal with young and old. There is no need here to tell the old tale of the nightly scares, of the stampedes, of the terror which crept over faces when a Zulu was mentioned. A lancer rides in with dispatches, and the remark flies round the ranks—"Look how he's riding; he's looking behind him; the Zulus are after him." These and a thousand other instances were but the natural outcome of ignorance—looking forward into the unknown—with men suddenly called upon to face something which existed only in their imagination, and as such was pictured in the blackest colors.

But at Ulundi, where the Zulus came round at the Little-square in thousands, with the sun shining on them, our men saw that they were only men like themselves after all, and blazed away merrily into the "brown" of them, obeying the words of command just as they used to do at Aldershott with the blank cartridges blowing in their friend's faces. Ulundi worked a vast change in their minds. Henceforth they knew that the rifles they carried were no mere toys to make a noise with, and they learned that it was a useful thing for themselves if they obeyed their officers. They had seen a group of 50 or more Zulus creep into a bush in front of them, and by a welltimed volley disappear; and they remembered it was their officer who had told them to fire that volley; without his directing work they would have potted away, and the Zulus would have potted back, for all they knew till to-morrow, or the day after. And from that time there were no more scares. So much for the apprenticeship state. Now this stage once over, and the young soldier knows as much about fighting as the old one, with all the buoyancy of youth to back him up; and so the value of the men is no longer equal.

It has been the writer's good fortune lately to have seen a good deal of real hard fighting, with men under him who had learned their apprenticeship to fire thoroughly; and what has he seen, not once, but repeatedly, in action? He has seen the old soldier breathless, always in a h... stumbling when he might have ... straight; not showing cowardice, bu... his head gone, and fingers to nerv... stick up the sight of his rifle; while, i... same actions, he has seen the boy-so... faces lit up with anxiety, looking up ... listening for the word of command, ... hastily, but always under check, and ... hesitating when it was an advan... was called for. One fat boy un... belonging to some civil department, ... out on the sly, he remembers well. ... a fat face, very placid, with round ... sheeplike in expression, and in no ... heroic or flashing fire, as the youth's ... do in pictures of battlefields, and th... boy kept close to him all the time ... firing was hottest. Whenever he ... down he found himself looking into ... depths of his placid eyes, which asked, ... unmistakeably, what "sight" he should ... up to the rifle he grasped on his knee ... them. Now and then he gave him wh... thought was the distance, when he adj... the bar as methodically as if on pa... turning it sideways to see if the line co... pond exactly with the figures, and ... raising it as cooley as ever, quietly deliv... his fire and returned to the ready posi...

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...the wife of an English officer, and at ...ne of which I write was residing in ... Late in June my husband had re... orders to be in readiness to sail with ...iment for C. the following month, ...is absence was not likely to be of ...ration I had decided not to accom...him, and had decided to make Paris ...adquarters during the time of our en... separation.

...husband's body servant fell suddenly ...l sent in his resignation the very ...they were expecting to start. We at ...nade inquiries on all sides for a man ...tent of filling the vacant post. In ...nstance fortune favored us. Just as ...re beginning to despair of success a ...man who spoke very tolerable Eng... plied for the situation, and his re...es being satisfactory we hastily en... him, heartily glad to have brought an ...sant affair to so fortunate a conclu...

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...e passed slowly away. One evening ...ember it was the 22nd of January) a ...as brought me by one of the servants ... hotel, who said the bearer was waiting ...ply. The letter was neatly folded and ...ssed in a woman's handwriting to ... Lady of Captain Ralph Branscombe," ...as marked "Private." I read the ...ing:—

...ADAME—I write this to you on behalf ...r brother, Monsieur Richard Willough... who lies at this house dying. Would ...e him alive you must come at once— ...t hesitation. Madame, the poor ...man is very sick—sick to death in ...nd body—for he lies in fear of arrest, ...orse than arrest, even in his dying ... He prays you to ask your husband ...st him, as he promised in his last sore ... No one but Captain Branscombe ...ccompany you, or know of your errand; ...ust bring with you fifty pounds in ...if possible. English money will do, ...t notes. Your escort will only be a ...child, but he knows every turn of the ...ou will have to traverse. Come on ... to drive might excite suspicion. Mon...repeats, no one but 'Ralph' may come ...ou; he is too ill to write any more ...is name which I enclose."

...e followed a few directions about the ...e were to take and an injunction to ... the letter to guide myself with. Then ...me "Marie Toisseau." Enclosed was ...p of paper bearing my brother's signa... which I at once saw was genuine.

...rned cold as I finished the perusal of the ... but, commanding my voice as well as ...able, I bade the servant send the ...r to me at once. I was not long in ...nse: the door of the *salon* soon re...d and a little figure appeared on the ...hold. A fragile looking boy, about ... years of age, dressed in a dark blue ...e which hung loosely about him, and ...ng on his head a red knitted fisher... cap, which was pulled down low on ...rehead—a boy whose pale face was ...d up with large dark eyes, their long ...ping lashes sweeping his delicate cheeks. ...ut the door softly behind him and gave ...ft searching glance around the room; ...as though abashed by my presence, he ... with downcast eyes and his hands ...y folded before him awaiting my ...ioning.

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...ain the dark eyes wandered round the ..., as though to reassure himself that we ... alone, and then he replied softly in ...ish, though with a foreign accent:—

...Surely, madame, I will; but you must ...th all speed, or it will be a lost jour...

...lling him to wait for me where he was, ... the room and hastened to prepare for ...xpedition. I had thirty sovereigns in ...ossession, as it happened, and, making ...e sum required as nearly as I could in ...ch money, I placed it carefully in a ...l bag, which I hung on my arm. Dress... myself in a dark bonnet and travelling ..., I descended quietly to my apartment ...out giving intimation of my departure ...ny one. The child stood precisely as I ... left him, with the light falling on his ... face, and his hands loosely locked in ...another. I told him I was ready to ..., and walked to the table by which I ...been sitting to get the letter the woman ...written and which had caused me so ... anxiety.

...e boy then approached me, and taking ...hand in his cold ones, said, in a whisper ... piteous eyes filled with tears:—

...Madame, the gentleman bade me say to ... for the love of heaven, and for the sake ...ur dead mother, bring the money."

...showed him the little sack which I carried under my cloak, and he was satisfied we then left the hotel silently, scarcely noticed by the servants busied about the entrance hall. Once out in the open air I seemed to breathe more freely; but my h art was too heavy for speaking, and we pursued our way in silence.

After a time we turned into an unfrequented part of the town and the lights became less brilliant and the streets more deserted. Suddenly the boy stopped and seemed uncertain as to which road he would take. He paused a moment; then turning to me said:—

"Madame, I fear I have missed my way a little; but my mother told me she would give some directions in her letter: will madame give it me that I may right myself?"

Without thinking I handed him his mother's letter; and standing beneath a neighboring lamp, he read over slowly the directions contained in the note; then, holding it still open in his hand, he resumed his walk, referring to it every now and then, as though still in doubt as to our whereabouts. There was a certain mysterious quiet about the neighborhood we were in that prayed upon my spirits—a certain silence I could not fathom, and my courage began to flag strangely as we continued our lonely road. I experienced a sensation of intense relief, therefore, when my young guide stopped suddenly before a tall dark house in a quiet street, and I listened eagerly for an answer to his gentle tap at the closed door. A voice from within asked softly in French, "How fares it, my son?" and in English the boy answered, "Safely and fairly. Open the door." The door was then unbarred and opened without the least noise just wide enough to admit us, and we entered a hall lighted by a small lamp held by a tall woman poorly clad. The flickering flame of the lamp gave forth so dim a light that I could not distinguish her features, and she spoke in a voice scarcely above a whisper. I inquired eagerly for my brother, and begged her to conduct me to him at once. She shook her head sadly, and then said:—

"Ah, Madame, your coming may do great things for him; you may be able to ease the poor mind that runs on nothing but money, money, day and night without ceasing."

She barred the door by which we had entered, and then preceded me up a broken stair case, the boy following us with the feeble oil lamp. The house sounded hollow, and our footsteps echoed drearily as we went. Presently we stopped before the door of a room which I imagine to have been at the back of the house and the woman, entering first, beckoned me to follow her.

In one corner of a large almost empty apartment, was a bed, shrouded by thick dark curtains, in the grate a low charcoal fire was burning. I made at once for the corner where the bed was, and was about to undraw the curtains which concealed from my view the poor boy I had come so mysteriously to visit. Suddenly from behind me a cloth was tied tightly over the whole of my face, a strange burning sense of suffocation overspread my senses, and I remember nothing more; all was silence, darkness, a hideous blank, until I awoke in my bedroom at the Hotel de L., with my head aching strangely and a benumbed sensation pervading my whole frame. My maid, an English doctor with whom I was slightly acquainted, and another who was a stranger to me, were anxiously watching for my return to consciousness. It was quite light and the sun was shining into the room. As one by one the events of the preceding night rose before my mind, I was utterly at a loss to imagine how I had been rescued from that horrible house and brought back to the hotel in safety.

The story was soon told. The night porter, coming on duty at one o'clock, had found me lying on the steps leading to the side door of the hotel, which opened into an unfrequented passage or street. Finding I was unconscious, he had summoned the day porter, who was waiting for him, to render assistance; and this man knowing me by sight, identified me as a lady staying at the hotel. He at once roused the house. My maid (who was waiting up for me, wondering at my prolonged absence) speedily procured the services of two medical men from the adjoining neighborhood, and they had since been using every method to restore me to consciousness, when I might perchance unfold the mystery of my strange return.

There was no trace of any violence having been used, nor any proof by which they could discover where I had been. The only thing they had found upon me, which was not my own, was a handkerchief tightly clasped in my hand, on which was embroidered my brother Richard's initials, and which I at once recognized as having been worked by me some years previously for my unhappy brother. The money had, of course, all been taken; also the rings, brooch and locket I had worn. My wedding ring was left, and the bag in which I had put the money was still hanging on my arm.

As soon as I was able I told the doctor all I could remember of the past night's experiences, and at the conclusion of the recital, they both advised me to put the matter into the hands of the police. I entreated that it might be done as privately as possible; my brother's name being so fixed up in the affair that outsiders would most probably be led to believe that he was an accomplice in the robbery, though in my own mind I felt certain that he was more sinned against than sinning.

The sergeant of police who waited on me showed great interest in my adventure, but I could plainly see that, notwithstanding all his civility, his suspicions pointed at once to my brother as chief agent in the case. I could swear to the signature being genuine. The handkerchief, too, I recognized. Alas! it really seemed only too certain that my brother had at all events been the companion of these people, and must have discussed our affairs freely with them, even if he were not more criminally concerned in the dark transaction.

The Parisian police made every effort to trace the offenders, but in vain; house after house was searched in the quarter to which I believed myself to have been taken, but no trace of the woman or child could be found. And so for a time the matter dropped.

PART II.—TRACKED.

Two years passed, and the night of my strange adventure was like a dream to me. We left France after my husband's return from abroad, and, on his quitting the army we took up our residence in London. I had meanwhile received several letters from my brother, written from the Cape, and, in answer to one I wrote him in reference to the robbery, he replied with the most solemn assertions of his entire ignorance of the transaction. I believed him. My husband was silent on the subject, and I felt thankful that the Cape was so far off. We seldom referred to the circumstances before recorded, for I could not bear to recall the horrors of that evening in the dark, desolate house.

One morning, however, I was startled by my husband crying suddenly, as he looked up from a letter he was reading:—

"I say, Madge, they think they have found a clew at last to your Parisian exploit; read that."

He passed me over an official looking letter, and I read what follows:—

"BUREAU DE POLICE, PARIS.

"TO CAPTAIN BRANSCOMBE:

"MONSIEUR—We believe we have in custody the boy who acted so prominent a part in the robbery committed on madame your wife in January 1869. He is concerned in an affair which bears a close resemblance to the one in which your lady was the victim. Will she come herself and, if she can identify him, thus help to clear up the matter which has long puzzled us all?

(Signed) C."

The thought of proceeding in this case was at first very distasteful to me; but so much might be brought to light by making the effort that I resolved, by Ralph's advice, to face the disagreeable task; and accordingly we started for Paris that night.

I will not enter into the details of the case then under examination. Suffice to say it was a robbery committed on the wife of a Colonel Styles under circumstances closely resembling those of which I was made the dupe. In this instance, however, a boy had been seized on suspicion, and it was this same boy I was called on to identify. I had not much difficulty in the matter, although he had altered in the time that had elapsed since that memorable evening, there was still those remarkable eyes, with their long drooping lashes, and the pale delicate face, to bear witness to his identity; and without the least hesitation I declared him to be the same boy that had guided me to the house where I had been robbed on the evening of January 22nd, 1869.

The boy did not seem at all disconcerted at recognition, and even smiled in a slightly supercilious manner, as though he had felt himself secure from any discovery resulting from any identification. The authorities had been unable, as yet to elicit any information from him, he baffled all their attempts at questioning him with a skill and cunning almost incredible in so young an offender. All at once I was surprised at an exclamation from my husband, who stood near me:—

"Good heavens!" he said half audibly, "I believe I see through the whole plan; what a blockhead I was not to have thought of it before! But it was neatly planned and carried out, by Jove it was!"

He crossed the hall to where Colonel Styles was sitting, and after speaking to him in a low, hurried manner, he asked leave to call a witness, who he believed might throw some light on the matter in hand. Permission having been granted, he said, in a loud voice:—

"The man calling himself Jules Fetier, body servant to Colonel Styles, and now present in this hall, is requested to stand forward."

For the first time since our entrance the boy's face fell, and he looked perplexed and rather dismayed. There was a movement in the crowd, as though some one was trying to effect a departure from the door, but the attempt being promptly frustrated, I saw them lead into the witness box the French servant who had accompanied my husband abroad, and who had left his service on his return to England. After some time passed in making inquiries, and eliciting very little from the cautious man before us, he was searched, and many letters of his present employer's were found upon him; also a pocket-book which contained memoranda, proving a great deal against himself and his two accomplices—his wife and the boy in the dock before us. No one else seemed concerned in his fraudulent transactions.

On further search the whole system of his roguery was unfolded piece by piece. He would take service with gentlemen about to travel, imposing on their credulity with false references and gaining their confidence by his well trained demeanor and intelligent conversation. Once safely out of the country he would commence his nefarious schemes, and with the aid of his clever wife and child, carry them out successfully. Nothing was ever forgotten that could lead to the desired end. No fraud was started until the details had been thoroughly mastered by his accomplices and the plan well matured. It was impossible to say how many people he had defrauded in different ways.

He had soon found out how matters stood between my husband and brother—partly from his own researches, and partly from a conversation he overheard between his master and a brother officer—and considering the situation a capital one for practising his system upon, he had at once communicated with his wife, and unfolded his plans to her, sending her the signature abstracted from one of Richard's letters to act as a decoy; and also the handkerchief which Ralph happened to take among his own, to throw suspicion on my brother as being accessory to the robbery.

Before the examination concluded the sergeant, who had been so long on the look out for the perpetrators of the deed, asked my husband how he had recognized the boy as being the son of his former servant. Ralph laughed slightly as he replied:—

"I believe I should have made the best detective of you all had I been on the spot. I thought I recalled the boy's features as being in some way familiar to me, but could not determine of whom he reminded me; however as he stooped to speak to the warder the mystery was revealed in a moment by a strange stroke of luck."

Turning to the boy who had lost all his courageous air and was looking crest-fallen and frightened, my husband bade him hold down his head. For the moment he refused, but on the order being peremptorily given he obeyed reluctantly.

From one side of the head to the other, contrasting strangely with his thick dark curls, with a streak of white hair, about half an inch wide, which shone like silver in the sunlight; then bidding the elder man remove the cap he wore, he bade him also to stoop forward, which he did with a muttered exclamation; and there again we saw the same strange white band shine out on his losely-cropped head.

No link seemed wanting to complete the chain of evidence against the offenders, and the elder was at length forced to admit the proofs were too strong for him to battle against. He begged that his wife—to whom he seemed really attached—might be treated leniently, as she was slowly but surely dying from cancer; the statement was afterward proved to be correct, and the woman was removed to a hospital, where she lingered but a short time. The father and son were fully committed for trial and duly found guilty. The sentences imposed upon them were of a severe nature, owing to the number of accusations brought against them.

I can only hope when their term of imprisonment has expired they may find people less easy to impose upon and better able to resist their machinations than was "the lady of Captain Ralph Branscomb," who fell so easy a prey to their duplicity and cunning on that memorable evening of January, 22nd, 1869.

The Spiral Stud.

We see that there is a new shirt stud invented which goes through the gimlet hole in a shirt bosom in sections, and snaps together, leaving the under side smooth, so that there is no raw selvage to stick into a man's vital parts, the way there is in the old spiral stud, and we look forward to the happy future when we can buy a set of the new studs and give the old spiral studs to the poor, who have no feelings to be lacerated. We have thought for many years that the Government ought to call in the old spiral shirt studs and issue a new kind, with coupons that will go together with a snap; but nobody has seemed to think the Government ought to take the responsibility. The man who has invented the new stud should be placed on the pension roll with the man who invented the telegraph and the India-rubber baby clothes.

For a hundred years the spiral shirt stud that screws in has held the stomach of a man in its grasp, and has made sore spots on him, when all should be sunshine and so forth. It is said that women share our joys and our sorrows. That may be so to a certain extent, and they may suffer some, but they don't know anything about the horrors of the spiral shirt stud. Many men go down to their graves, and never complain, who have had their lives made miserable by spiral shirt studs. No man can be cheerful, full of fun and frivolity, and keep a company in a roar of laughter, when he is constantly reminded that three golden cork-screws are firmly but gently entering his body from three different places; and three different shows are getting in their work under one canvas and one price of admission.

It is asking too much to expect a man to be entertaining when three artesian wells are being sunk in his person at once. Woman do not mean to be cruel, and to cause unnecessary pain to man, but if they knew how they send the quivering arrows to his very soul, in three places, they would be cereful how they throw their heads on men's shirt-bosoms, and root around to find an easy place to lay. No doubt many of our readers have noticed that men shrink from them when they lay their little darling heads on his breast, and have thought the man was shocked at their actions. It is not that. It is the spiral shirt stud. Of course a man will stand a good deal, and not complain, under such circumstances; but if the woman in the case, or on the shirt bosom, rather, will look up into his fond eyes, she will find there, beside a look of satisfaction, and don't-get-up-on-my-ac count expression, a far away, penetrating look, as though his soul was on fire, or he had been eating cucumbers.

Woman can have no idea of the sacrifice man makes in such cases, and they should not be surprised if he faints away. Other thingsin the world may cease, but the boring of the spiral stud never ceases. We have known a preacher to get a vacation for six months, with a trip abroad, because he looked sick, when all the world that ailed him was spiral shirt studs boring into him, though in this instance there was no female head acting as screw-driver to drive them in. He could preach a sermon on faith, and look sick, as the studs went into him, and the congregation would pity him, think it was his liver, and raise money enough to send him all over the world. Oh, the spiral stud has done much to demoralize the world, and it should be suppressed. —*Burlington Hawkeye.*

A Heroic Priest.

On the 12th of July last, at Muskeg Lake Canada, G. Chappelline, Roman Catholic priest, missionary of that place, having no food in the mission, left with an Indian family in quest of ducks and geese around the lake. The father and five of the Indians sailed in the same canoe, and two other Indians in a second. It was blowing a gale, and the priest's boat upset. The other boat came to the rescue, and succeeded in picking up the mother of the family and one of the little girls. They hastened to put these ashore, and went back to save the others, but all had disappeared. The last seen of the priest he was swimming with a young girl on his back. The bodies of the three Indians were found shortly after, but that of the unfortunate priest had not been found up to last accounts.

Individuality of Newspapers.

Every newspaper man knows there is no other such delicate and sensitive commodity as news. There is nothing else that depends so largely for value upon the source whence it emanates. There is nothing which comes before the public on which the "label" is so carefully scrutinized. Newspaper have characters as various as the individuals who conduct and control them. It is just as true now as it was in the morning of the Christian era, that "men do not gather grapes of thorns or figs of thistles.' The character of the news not only depends upon the label—the name of the journal in which it appears—but upon the character for truth and veracity of the persons who furnish it.—*Trenton Gazette.*

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Five Minutes' Select Reading.

Summary of Foreign, Domestic and War Items—Concise Pithy, and Pointed.

DOMESTIC.

Mr. Senecal has sailed for France and is expected back by the middle of November.

The name of Mr. Ford Jones, ex-M. P. for South Leeds, is mentioned in connection with the vacant seat in the Senate.

The arrest will be made of Captain Filgate, Mr. Burgess, the Inspector, and the engineer Frechette, of the Richelieu.

The weather is against the sick, at Winnipeg, and a few more cases of typhoid fever are reported, but the virulence is abating.

The unfortunate young man Jas. Devlin, shot recently at Windsor, is said to be a son of ex-Mayor Devlin of Aylmer, Quebec.

Farmers from the parishes in and beyond the mountains report that three inches of snow fell twenty miles north of Quebec a few days ago.

Suit has been taken by the St. Lawrence Navigation Company against Mr. Brush, founder, for $29,500 for alleged failure to deliver two boilers.

Mr. Charles Fallon, of Montreal, who fasted 33 days lately, under the hallucination that there was a command from God for him to do so, is very slowly recovering.

Herbert Gagnon and Henri Herbert, boys 17 years old, who stole apples from an orchard at St. Vincent de Paul, were sentenced two years ago to four years imprisonment. After serving two years they were liberated.

GENERAL.

Sixteen representatives have arrived at Cologne to attend the bi-metallic conference.

The late cyclone did much damage at Vulvelata Ablo, Cuba. The tobacco crop suffered greatly.

A comet is visible at Cape Hayti at noon to the naked eye, notwithstanding its proximity to the sun.

Ingestre Hall, the seat of the Earl of Shrewsbury, near Stafford was burned down. The loss was £500,000.

Some discontented miners at Monceau-les-Mines, near Macon, France, blew up the house of their foreman by dynamite.

It is persistently rumored at St. Petersburg that Count Tolsti, Minister of the Interior, and Bunge, Minister of Finance, will resign.

Negotiations between Chili and the Provincial President of Peru have failed, and it is probable Chili will treat with Pierola, ex-President.

The depression in the cotton trade has led to the posting of notices in the Lancashire mills of the abolition of the requiring a fortnight's notice to be given to the operatives.

UNITED STATES.

Valuable silver deposits have been discovered in the bed of a creek near Secor, Ill.

Secret service agents have arrested eighteen coin counterfeiters at Tipton, Indiana.

Dr. Norven Green was re-elected President of the Western Union Telegraph Company.

The tenth Congress of the Association for the Advancement of Women met at Portland, Me.

Walter Crust, part owner of three English agricultural newspapers, died at St. Luke's Hospital, New York.

The construction hands on the Northern Pacific Railway have struck for more wages and driven the Chinamen from the works.

At Lebanon, Pa., recently, about 8 o'clock George D. Rice, cashier Dime Savings Bank, was robbed of a satchel containing $30,000 in bills.

A correspondent says:—"I learn that the Standard Oil Company, in popular parlance known as the 'Great Octopus,' has cleared $80,000,000 by working the market."

A young Canadian, hailing fron Mitchell, Ont., named Harry Blackwell, was found the other night in the office of the old Detroit Theatre Comique in a starving condition.

The annual report of the director of the mint will show that the coinage has been in smaller denominations, and the absorption of gold coin into circulation has notably increased.

At New Port, R. I., great excitement was caused by an attempt to lynch George H. Tew, a young man who while acting as special officer made an unprovoked assault upon a boy with a club.

Arequipa recent advices state that there seems to be no reason to doubt that there has been adjusted in Chili a basis of agreement that will effect a strong cessation of hostilities. The preliminaries of peace were made by Calderon with the intervention of the United States Minister. Both will go to Bolivia to discuss the question there.

A Constantinople despatch says the moderate party has gained a victory over the fanatical party. Said Pasha made two conditions for his remaining in office, first, that each Minister be responsible for working of his own department; second, that the Austro-German alliance be abandoned, accomplished facts in Egypt accepted, and a good understanding with England and France on the eastern question reestablished.

LARGE YIELD OF WHEAT.—Mr. Matthew Hadwen, of lot 16, concession 7, Culross, whose farm adjoins the village of Teeswater, writes that he has this year raised and harvested off an 18-acre field after summer fallow the large quantity of 850 bushels of fall wheat. There was about eleven hundred stooks of twelve sheaves each, which took sixty-four waggon loads to draw in and two and a half days to thresh by a ten horse power. This gives a little over 46 bushels per acre. Mr. Hadwen says, "Let Manitoba beat that if it can."

The Standard.

MARKDALE, OCT. 19TH, 1882.

OUR VILLAGE.

In looking around us we are struck with the close competition in the various lines of business represented in Markdale, and are led to believe that in no place in the county at the present time can purchasers procure as good value for their money as in this town. However, we think there is room for others. There is a first-class opening for a tannery, a stave factory, and a woollen mill, any of which, if properly managed, would no doubt prove a profitable investment to the proprietor, and a valuable addition to our already flourishing business centre.

There is any quantity of soft elm timber a short distance from the village which is of little use for anything, and for which there would be a ready market at good prices if we had a stave factory. There is an almost unlimited demand for staves, which is likely to continue.

The advantages the place offers are equally encouraging for a tannery or wool factory.

We hope our business men will be alive to the importance of encouraging and, if necessary, of assisting to establish manufacturing industries in our town. The property owners have also a special interest in the development of the place; we mean those who hold property suitable for sites for such, and we believe it would be to their personal advantage to offer a site for the establishment of such at a nominal figure, thereby encouraging public enterprise, which would create a demand for further purchases of village lots. We will refer to this matter again.

OBITUARY.

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.

It becomes our duty this week to chronicle the death of one of the oldest settlers of our Township, Mr. Mark Armstrong, who departed this life on Saturday, the 14th inst., aged 78 years and 6 months.

Mr. Armstrong was born in Monaghan county, Ireland, on the 4th April, 1804, and married Elizabeth, Daughter of Mr. John Strain, of the same place, in October, 1828. In 1846 he and his wife emigrated to this country and settled in the Township of Markham where he remained four years, and again removed to the County of Grey, selecting the present sight of Markdale as their future location. There was very few settlers in the Township at the time consequently they had to endure the hardships and privatios of a pioneer life.

He has always taken a lively interest in any enterprise that had for its object the advancement of the interests of the village which derived its name (Markdale) from him. He has been a liberal and cheerful supporter of the Methodist Church, of which he was a zealous member for upwards of 50 years, and held the office of a local preacher for nearly the same period, was one of the trustees of the church and parsonage in Markdale, the site of which, comprising over an acre, he generously donated.

The funeral was very largely attended and an appropriate sermon was preached in the Methodist Church by Rev. N. A. McDiarmid, after which the corpse was conveyed to the cemetery where the last rites were performed. We extend to his sorrowing widow our condolence and trust that she may be Divinely sustained in this painful bereavement.

OSPREY FALL SHOW.

The agricultural society of the above township held their fall exhibition in Maxwell on Tuesday, the 10th inst. The day was cool and dry, and there was a good turn out. The exhibit of horses was good, there being a marked improvement in this class. Some good specimens of grade cattle were on the grounds, but we are led to ask ourselves, as well as others, the reason why there are so few cattle exhibited compared with the number of horses at the different local exhibitions, and the general answer we get is this, "the cattle are hard to drive and take too much trouble looking after them, and we do not think it worth the trouble for all we get for it." This is, we think, quite reasonable. There is comparatively little trouble in driving a horse five or ten miles, but when it comes to driving young cattle it is not quite so handy.

There was quite a display of carriages and ploughs exhibited.

In the inside department there was a very good display of articles. The display was not as large as last year, but the quality of the articles were very creditable.

It is very evident that a society that has not proper grounds where all can be shown in one enclosure is working at a disadvantage. We are indebted to the Secretary, Mr. Josiah Gamey, for the

PRIZE LIST.

HORSES.—Draught Team—Wm Bristow, 2nd Donald McDonald. General Purpose—Thos. Hawton, 2nd T. Brownridge. Brood Mare—John McIntyre, 2nd Donald McDonald. Two-year-old Gelding or Filly—James Thompson, 2nd John Hudson. One-year-old Gelding or Filly—James Curran, 2nd Donald McDonald. Spring Colt—Donald McDonald, 2nd John McIntyre. Two-year old Roadster Colt—R. Y. Burk. One-year-old Roadster Colt—L. Brown. 2nd John Sledge. Spring Roadster—Neil McLean, 2nd John McKinnon. Hack in harness—Neil McLean, 2nd H. McDonald. Saddle Horse—David Madill, 2nd R. Y. Burk.

CATTLE.—Bred Bull—Wm. Coutts. Bred Cow—No entry. Grade Cow—John Hudson, 2nd George Edwards. Working Oxen—Jas. Thompson, 2nd John Hudson. Two-year-old Heifer—John Kirton, 2nd J. Maxwell. Heifer Calf—George Edwards.

SHEEP.—Best Pen—J. McMorris, diploma. Shearling Ram—J. McMorris, 2nd J. Hudson. Ram Lamb—J. McMorris, 2nd J. Hudson. Special by B. Oliver for Ram Lamb—J. McMorris. Aged Ewes—J. McMorris, 2nd J. Sledge. Shearling Ewes—J. McMorris, 2nd J. Sledge. Ewe Lambs—J. McMorris, 2nd do.

SWINE.—Aged Sow—John Kirton. Aged Boar—James Curran. Spring Boar—Donald McDonald. Spring Sow—Donald McDonald.

POULTRY.—Pair Geese—Wm. Hamilton, 2nd do. Barnyard Fowl—H. McDonald, 2nd John Kirton.

GRAIN.—Fall Wheat—Wm. Inkster, 2nd Wm. Hamilton. Spring Wheat—James Winters. Barley—No entry. Black Oats—Jas. Winters. White Oats—Wm. Inkster, 2nd Thos. Hawton. Peas—Wm. Hamilton, 2nd R. Y. Burk. Timothy Seed—J. Hickling, 2nd J. Taylor.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.—Swede Turnips—A. McIntyre, 2nd S. Taylor. Potatoes—John Kirton, 2nd John Sledge. Potato Onions—Wm. Hamilton, 2nd R. Y. Burk. Seed Onions—J. Hickling, 2nd W. Hamilton. Top Onions—R. Y. Burk, 2nd W. Hamilton. Blood Beets—J. Taylor, 2nd W. Hamilton. Cabbage—J. Kirton, 2nd J. Hickling. Corn—H. McDonald, 2nd J. Taylor. Tomatoes—Thos. Brownridge. Squash—H. Matheson. Mangolds—J. Winters, J. Taylor. White Carrots—H. McDonald, J. Winters. Orange Carrots—Edward Lundley, 2nd J. Taylor.

FRUIT.—Grapes—highly recommended—Wm. Inkster. Citrons—Wm. Hamilton, 2nd J. Taylor. Apples—J. Hickling, 2nd J. Winters. Assortment of Fruit—Jonn Henry, 2nd W. Hamilton.

DAIRY.—Two pounds Butter—Mr. H. McDonald, 2nd Mrs. H. Matheson, 3rd Mrs. J. Taylor. Five pounds Butter, (special by A. R. Fawcett, *Advance* one year,)—Mrs. A. McIntyre, Cheese—J. Taylor. Bread—Mrs. H. Matheson. Maple Sugar—J. Taylor.

MANUFACTURES.—Horse Shoes—J. Little. Fanning Mill—Watt's Improved, 2nd Galt firm. Farmer's Waggon—T. W. Wilson. Democrat Waggon—T. W. Wilson, 2nd McKenzie & McKinnon. Plough—J. Fleury, Aurora. 2nd Levi & Devlin, Stayner. Buggy—T. W. Wilson.

LADIES' WORK.—Berlin Wool Work—Mrs. J. Taylor. Embroidery—Mrs. H. Matheson. Braiding—Mrs. Wm. Hamilton. Tatting—Mrs. Wm. Hamilton. Hearth Rug—Mrs. J. Hickling. Artificial Flowers—Mrs. J. Adair. Hair Work—Mrs. S. Edwards. Shell Work—Mrs. Wm. Hamilton. Satinet—R. Heron, 2nd do. Full Cloth—Wm. Pearson, 2nd R. Heron. Flannel—R. Heron, 2nd do. Blankets—Wm. Pearson, 2nd R. Heron. Patch Quilt—Mrs. J. Taylor, 2nd Mrs. J. Hickling. Other kind Quilt—Mrs. R. Y. Burk, 2nd Mrs. J. Taylor. Pair Socks—Mrs. J. Little, 2nd Mrs. E. Lindley. Pair Mitts—Mrs. J. Little, 2nd Mrs. Wm. Hamilton. Handmade Shirt—Mrs. H. Matheson.

HOLLAND SHOW.

(From our own Correspondent.)

The fall show of the Holland Agricultural Society held here on the 10th inst. was the most successful the Society has ever had. The outside department more than held its own, whilst in the inside there was a noticeable improvement. The day was particularly fine and the attendance unusually large, no less than fifteen hundred people being present. In the evening the Judges and Directors and a number of others sat down to dinner at Campbell's Hotel, when a very pleasant time was spent in discussing agricultural matters generally. The following is the prize list:—

HORSES.

General Purpose—D. Sinclair; 2nd, J. Atkinson; 3rd, W. White. Carriage Horses—R. Campbell; 2nd, J. Henderson; 3rd, J. Marquis. Brood Mare—J. Atkinson; 2nd, J. Hewitt; 3rd, W. McKay. Gelding two years—D. White; 2nd, W. Robinson; 3rd, J. Kennedy. Filly two years—W. McKay; 2nd, W. Henry; 3rd Mat Ramage. Colt Yearling—J. Green; 2nd, W. Henry; 3rd, J. Pag. Filly Yearling—W. Robinson; 2nd, W. White. Colt or Filly Foal—J. Hewitt; 2nd, R. Green; 3rd, W. Henry. Saddle Horse—J. Henderson; 2nd, A. Taylor; 3rd, J. Laird. Single Driver—J. Laird; 2nd, J. Binns; 3rd, J. Henderson.

CATTLE.

Aged Bull—R. McBride; 2nd, J. Baird. Bull Two Years—J. Beattie; 2nd, W. Henry. Bull Yearling—W. Foster; 2nd, M. Ramage; 3rd, Jas. Dobie. Bull Calf—None worthy of first prize; 2nd, G. Carrie; 3rd. B. Partridge. Working Oxen—R. Green; 2nd, R. Campbell; 3rd, J. Beattie. Steer Three Years—Thos. Wright; 2nd, J. Cameron. Milch Cow—G. Carrie; 2nd, P. Partridge; 3rd, J. Vair. Heifer Two Years—G. Carrie; 2nd, A. Wright; 3rd, J. Henderson. Yearling Heifer—W. Henry; 2nd, W. Henry; 3rd, refused. Heifer Calf—G. Carrie; 2nd, B. Partridge; 3rd, refused.

SHEEP.

Ram—A. Hardie jr.; 2nd, W. Shepherdson; 3rd, W. Shepherdson. Shearling Ram—W. Shepherdson; 2nd, A. Hardie jr. Ram Lamb—W. Shepherdson; 2nd, A. Hardie jr.; 3rd, A. Hardie jr. Pair of Ewes—A. Hardie jr.; 2nd, J. Beattie; 3rd, A. Hardie jr. Pair Shearling Ewes—W. Shepherdson; 2nd, A. Hardie jr.; 3rd, W. Shepherdson. Ewe Lambs—J. Beattie; 2nd, J. Doline; 3rd, P. Kelly.

SWINE.

Boar—J. Vair. Boar Pig this Year—R. Mitchell; 2nd, P. Kelly. Sow—P. Kelly; 2nd, R. Mitchell. Sow Pig this Year—P. Kelly; 2nd, P. Kelly.

POULTRY.

Turkeys—W. Howey; 2nd, J. Cameron. Fowls—W. Foster. Geese—Gideon Carrie; 2nd, A. Hardie jr. Ducks—R. Rae; 2nd, J. Howey.

GRAIN.

Fall Wheat, Red—W. White; 2nd, J. Cameron; 3rd, J. Marquis. Fall Wheat, other Variety—J. Cameron; 2nd, J. Cameron; 3rd, F. Troughton. Spring Wheat, White Russion or Lost Nation—R. McKissock; 2nd. J. Adams; 3rd, J. Vair. Spring Wheat, Gennese—J. Marquis; 2nd, J. Vair; 3rd, J. Cameron. Barley—J. Cameron; 2nd, P Kelly; 3rd, J. Vair. Black Oats—J. Henderson; 2nd, J. Laird. White Oats—J. Vair; 2nd, P. Kelly; 3rd, J. Cameron. Potato Oats—J. Cameron; Marrow fat Peas—J. Henderson; 2nd, J. Cameron. Peas, other variety—P. Kelly; 2nd, J. Henderson; J. Cameron. Timothy Seed—W. White; 2nd, J. Vair; 3rd, D. White. Flour—A. Lickfold; 2nd, J. Wray. White Beans—Jas. Vain; 2nd, J. Laird.

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES.

Cup Potatoes—J. Laird; 2nd, P. Kelly; 3rd, J. Baird. Early Rose—J. Laird; 2nd, P. Kelly; 3rd, J. Deavitt. Collection Potatoes—J. Patterson; 2nd, J. Deavitt; 3rd, J. Laird Swedish Turnips—R. McKissock; 2nd, J. Vair; 3rd, J. Sutherland. Parsnips—R. McKissock; 2nd J. Vair; 3rd, W. Howey. Mangolds—E. Watt; 2nd R. McKissock; 3rd, P. Kelly. Field Carrots—R. McKissock; 2nd, E. Watt; 3rd J. Deavitt. Early Horn Carrots—P. Kelly; 2nd W. Norton; 3rd, Robt. McKissock. Citrons—D. Sinclair; 2nd, J. page; 3rd, W. Howey. Beets—J. Laird; 2nd, J. Cameron; 3rd, J. Marquis. Squash—J. Deavitt; 2nd J. Deavitt; J. Duffy; 3rd, J. Marquis. Cabbage—A. Campbell; 2nd, W. Robinson; 3rd, W. Norton. Corn—J. Laird; 2nd, E. Watt; 3rd, D. Rae. Tomatoes—D. Rae; 2nd, E. Watt; 3rd, J. Page. Seed Onions—R. Sudden; 2nd, A. Bannerman. Potatoe Onions—W. Norton; 2nd, W. Foster; 3rd, J. McKissock. Top Onions—A. Bannerman; 2nd P. Kelly; 3rd, A. Campbell.

FRUIT.

Winter Apples—Robt. Mitchell; 2nd, J. Galbraith; 3rd, Beattie. Fall Apples—J. Laird; 2nd, R. Mitchell; 3rd, R Mitchell. Crab Apples—W. Norton; 2nd, J. Brown. Collection Apples—J. Laird; 2nd, J. Beattie; 3rd, J. Doline. Pears—W. Howey; 2nd, W. Norton; 3rd, F. Troughton. Plums—J. Laird; 2nd, W. Norton; 3rd, J. Baird.

DAIRY PRODUCE.

Tub Butter—W. Howey; 2nd. J. Laird; 3rd, J Lee. Roll Butter—A. Wright; 2nd, J. Cameron; 3rd, W. Howey. Cheese—W. Norton; 2nd, J. Howey; 3rd, J. Henderson.

MANUFACTURES.

Bed Room Set—W. Crane. Wagon—J. Duffey. Buggy, one seat—McTeer & Duffey; 2nd, A. McArthur. Horse Shoes—Jno. Speirs; 2nd, J. Paterson.

LADIES DEPARTMENT.

Fine Shirt—A. Taylor; 2nd, W. Penner; 3rd, J. Henderson. Patch Quilt—W. Penner; 2nd, J. McComb; 3rd, A. Taylor. Quilt of any kind—P. Kelly; 2nd, J. Henderson; 3rd, J. Howey. Mits—J. Cameron; 2nd, J. Cameron; 3rd, W. Penner. Socks—W. Penner; 2nd, J. Cameron; 3rd, A. Taylor. Fulled Cloth—J. Henderson; 2nd, E, Watt; 3rd, W. Penner. Blankets—W. Howey; 2nd, J. Galbraith; 3rd, J. Henderson. Flannel—J. Henderson; 2nd, W. Penner; 3rd, W. Penner. Crotchet Work—A. Taylor; 2nd, W. Murray; 3rd, J. Henderson. Berlin Wool Work—A. Lickfold; 2nd, A. Campbell; A. McArthur. Rag Mat—R. Sudden; 2nd, W. Penner. Lace Work—A. Lickfold; 2nd, A. Campbell; 3rd. A. Campbell. Bread—J. Cameron; 2nd, T. Wright; 3rd, J. Howey.

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Even the patience of Job would become exhausted were he a preacher and endeavoring to interest his audience while they were keeping up an incessant coughing, making it impossible for him to be heard. Yet, how very easy can all this be avoided by simply using Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Trial Bottles given away at A. Turner & Co's Drug Store.

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The great sale now going on at McFarland's. Over $7,000 worth of goods purchased at 47½ cents on the dollar, to be slaughtered.

MARRIAGES.

JAMIESON—GEROW.—On Wednesday, Oct. 18, 1882, James A. Jamieson to Mary Ellen Gerow, both of Artemesia.

DIED.

WALKER.—In Holland, on the 14th inst., Catherine, wife of Mr. John Walker, sr.; aged 70 years.

GREEN.—In Holland, on the 13th inst., Alice, step-daughter of James Fitzgerald; aged 9 years.

ARMSTRONG.—In Markdale, on the 14th inst, Mark Armstrong, Esq.; aged 78 years and 6 months.

RICHARDS.—In Toronto, on the 14th inst., Mr. G. Richards, (Tailor,) late of Flesherton; aged 50 yrs. and 7 months.

MARKDALE MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.88 to $0.90; Spring $0.90 to $0.95; Barley, 60c; Peas, 66t; Oats, 40c Butter, 15c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 45c; Hay, $8.00.

FLESHERTON MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $1.88 to $0.90; Spring, $0.90 to $0.95; Barley, 60c; Peas, 66c; Oats, 40c; Butter, 15c; Eggs, 18c; Potatoes, 45c; Hay, $8.00.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.96 to $1.00; Spring, $1.04 to $1.06; Barley, 56c to 83c; Oats, 42c to 44c Peas, 74c to 76c; Hogs, $9.00 to $9.50; Potatoes, per bag, 75c to 80c; Butter, dairy, 19c to 20c; eggs, 20c to 21c.

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Markdale, Oct. 10th, 1882. 109

Local Items.

...Perigoe, county auctioneer, at Fever... ...is doing a rushing business in auction ... He is an experienced hand and gives ...ction.

...is a favourable time to have your ...graphs taken. Mr. Brown, the Artist, ...sumed business over the STANDARD ...Markdale.

...Cole, of the Traverston Mills, is pre... ...to do gristing and chopping in a satis... ...manner, also sawing. Any quantity ...wanted. Give him a trial.

...Wm. Brown, of the Toronto House, ...nounced by posters a sale of bankrupt ...purchased at 45 cents on the dollar. ...ale is now in progress and will be con... ...for thirty days. Give him a trial.

...W. M. Clark has purchased the baking ...confectionery business from Mr. Dunlop; ...also leased his new shop and is now ...out the "staff of life." He solicits a ...of public patronage.

...wning men grasp at straws in their ...e for life, and a mania for bankrupt ...has seized the merchants of Markdale ...r vain efforts to compete with the ...bargains offered at Cheapside, but ...CANNOT be undersold.

...D. J. Shanahan, carriage maker, is ...extensive preparations for the com... ...season, having just received material for ...hundred wheeled rigs for next summer.

...V. Speers shipped on Monday, the 9th ...0 head of cattle, and on Saturday ...e.

...Sabbath School Anniversary of the ...dist Church will be held in the Dufferin ...on Wednesday, Oct. 25th. A Canta... ..."Under the Palms," will be rendered by ...children and church choir. This Can... ...is intended to illustrate the Jewish ...of Tabernacles or Harvest Festival. ...is the first time this Cantata has ...rendered in Western Ontario a crowded ...is expected. Tea served to children ...d adults at 6 o'clock p m. Tickets of ...sion to tea and Cantata 25c.; to Canta... ...which will commence at 8.

...dollars saved by ordering your winter ...from McFarland, the only direct im... ...of tweeds doing business in Markdale.

...fruitful season of the year is prolific ...many forms of Bowel Complaints, such ...Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera ...s, Cholera Infantum, &c., as a safe ...and positive cure for those distressing ...often sudden and dangerous attacks ...g can surpass that old and reliable ...ine Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild ...berry.

...LL DIGGING.—Joseph Irwin commenced ...a well for Mr. Chas. Littlejohns on ...ay. the 9th inst., and at 1 o'clock the ...ing day struck a heavy spring at a ...of 23½ feet. The elevation where the ...s located is some 80 feet above the ...0 rods distant. Joe is a boss hand at ...gging.

...ou want a cosy cup of tea see McFar... ...about it. He sells more tea than any ...merchants in the county of Grey.

...has been remarked that the quotation, ...it is better to give than to receive," ...s to medicine kicks and advice, but ...ule don't apply to Dr. Fowler's Extract ...Wild Strawberry. Those who receive ...get a reliable and infallable remedy for ...ra Morbus, Colic, Dysentery, Canker ...Stomach and Bowels, and all Summer ...laints of Infants and Adults.

...say, young man, if you want to take ...girl for a ride, and can't on account of ...lameness of your horse, you should pro... ...bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure at ...for nothing is better for man or beast. ...vt.

...speedy cure for Dysentery, Cholera ...s, Diarrhœa Cholic, Cramps, Sick ...ach, Canker of the Stomach and Bowels, ...l forms of Summer Complaints, there ...remedy more reliable than Dr. Fowler's ...t of Wild Strawberry. Dealers who ...and those who buy it are on mutual ...s in confidence of its merits.

FIRST CLASS ORGAN for sale at about half price.—T. HALL.

Owen Sound is making a move in the direction of street lamps.

Bread and buns of the best quality always at Montgomery's Bakery.

The brick work on the Town Hall, Shelburne, is about completed.

Mr. Thos. Long, M. P. P., has had a severe attack of malaria. He is recovering.

Ashland, Pa., June 3, 1880.—A case of spavin that came under my observation was entirely cured by one bottle of Kendall's Spavin Cure, and the horse sold afterwards for two hundred dollars.

Yours truly

C. H. BARNARD.

Biscuits of every variety, and cakes of every kind at Montgomery's Bakery.

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The *Mail* or *Globe* to the end of 1883 for $1.00. Leave your subscription at the STANDARD office. Subscribe at once and get the balance of this year free.

Among the names spoken of as likely to be called to the Senate to fill the vacancies now existing, we hear that of George Jackson, Esq., mentioned.

A telegram was received by Mrs. Dodds on Monday last, bearing the sad news of the death of her second eldest son, John, who went to Winnipeg last spring. He died on the 15th Oct. from congestion of the lungs.

A CLERGYMAN'S TESTIMONY.

W. E. Gifford. Pastor M. E. Church, Bothwell, was for two years a sufferer with Dyspepsia in its worst form, until as he states "life became an actual burden." Three bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters cured him, and he tells us in a recent letter that he considers it the best family medicine now before the country for Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint.

On Monday evening last the Hon. Alex. McKenzie was waited upon at his residence in Toronto by a deputation from his own constituency of Lambton and presented with a complimentary address and a purse containing a cheque for the handsome sum of $5,500.

Oh, yes, a $5 bill is $5 these days, or at least Trimble & Wright think so, for in exchange for one they give you a good tweed suit of clothes, a pair of braces, a linen collar and necktie, a jack-knife, and various other articles of house furniture too numerous too mention.

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It is not at all out of place for some persons to advertise well all they know, nor does it require a great deal of money to pay the printer's bill, but every man, woman and child who has visited Trimble & Wright's know that they are selling goods at and below wholesale prices, and that there is no place under the sun where goods can be got as cheap.

Sport is sport, but destroying property is not sport. There are a few boys in our village who make a practice and seem to take a delight in training and practicing their destructive propensities in such ways as throwing stones through the windows of vacant houses, and sometimes even inhabited dwellings. A few of those youths are known and will be made an example of should they continue their practice.

THE SHORTHAND BOOM.—The business of Shorthand has now a recognized place in Canada. The demand for Shorthand amanuenses is great, and greatly increasing. The interests of this young profession have been materially forwarded by *Bengough's Cosmopolitan Shorthand Writer*, the September No. of which has reached us. It contains a very interesting report of the Shorthand Convention held recently in Toronto, and quotes the expression of various newspapers, all in favor of the movement. The Constitution of the newly-formed Canadian Shorthand Society is given in full. The subscription price of this Magazine is $1. Bengough's Shorthand Bureau, 11 King Street West, Toronto.

A REMARKABLE CASE

W. A. Edgers, of Frankville, suffered from a disease of the Liver and Kidneys, that brought him so low that his life was despaired of; he lay for 10 and 13 days without an operation of the bowels; after taking one bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters he was enabled to leave his bed and drive out, three bottles more completed a cure, and he says that he is now a better man than he has been for years.

Trimble & Wright have purchased this week 140 chests (8,120 lbs. net) of that far-famed 30 cent Tea. They sell it at 28 cents in 5 lb. lots, and if you do not find it as recommended they refund your money and charge you nothing for the trial. Don't be deceived, there is no equal for it this side of Japan at the price.

A special meeting of the Loyal Markdale lodge of the C. O. O. F. will be held in their Hall on Friday, the 20th, at 8 o'clock p. m. Those who have signified their intention of joining are requested to attend.

Mr. J. R. Trimble has purchased a lot in Markdale and is prepairing to build thereon a large stable.

Mr. Ford's mill works like a charm since the improved machinery has been added thereto, and a very superior quality of flour is now produced.

A large arrival of candies, sugar toys and nuts at Montgomery's Bakery.

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP.—By reference to another column it will be seen that Mr. H. White has commenced business at Flesherton Station. His skill as a workman is unrivaled, and needs no praise of ours.

WANTED.

A YOUNG man to learn Photography. Liberal terms. Apply by letter stating age to Box 39, Markdale. 109

FARM TO RENT.

BEING LOTS 58 AND 59, 1st RANGE S. W. T. & S. Road, Township of Holland, 100 acres, 70 of which is cleared; there is a good bearing orchard, also frame barn and log house on the premises, well watered. Will rent for a term of years. For particulars apply on the premises to

JOHN GILLESPIE,

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Holland, Sept. 27th, 1882. 107-4t*

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THE following valuable town properties will be sold on reasonable terms or will be rented for a term of years, or exchange for farm propeoty.

1st,

Lot No. 1 on the west side of Garafraxa street and south of Hunter street, opposite Mr. J. H. Hunter's store house, well fenced and first class frame buildings, good cellars, hard and soft water, a most conveniant residence and would make a good business stand.

2nd,

That most desirable property being park lots nos. 2 and 3 on the north side of George st., 8 acres more or less, well fenced, front fenced with pickets, one and a half acres of a thriving young orchard and very convenient to the railway station.

The east half of the west half on lot 18 on the west side of countess street with a new frame house and kitchen, good stable and wood shed, well fenced, front fence painted white, hard and soft water on the premises.

4th,

Park Lot No. 8, Wm. Hunter's, Survey.

5th

Lots 1 and 2, Presbyterian Survey.

6th,

Lot No 15 on the North side of Mill street in the village of Markdale close to the railway station, with good frame house thereon. If the above properties are sold the very best title will be given free from all encumbrances.

——Also the——

Following Farming Properties.

will be sold on reasonable terms of payment.

7th,

Lot No. 22, Con. 9 Glenelg, 100 acres more or less, 3½ miles from the T. G. & B. R. at Markdale, 75 acres cleared, a new frame house and two log barns.

8th,

Lot No. 93 in the 3rd Con. W. T. & S. R., Glenelg. 50 acres, about 45 acres cleared and good log buildings, about 2½ miles from Markdale station T. G. & B. R.

9th,

The west half lot 17, Con. 4, N. D. R., Glenelg. 50 acres 40 acres cleared, good rough cast house and orchard on the premises. The house and one acre will be reserved during the life of the occupants who are now between 80 and 85 years of age.

10th

East part lot No. 1. con 2 Normanby, 63 acres, about 50 acres cleared, situation about 2 miles from the town of Durham. For further particulars apply to

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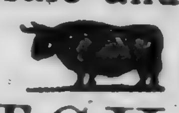

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THE ART OF COURTSHIP.

A St. Louis reporter has been prosecuting an investigation as to what young women and widows of that city consider most desirable or convincing in the matter of proposals. One living in the vicinity of Grand avenue, whose offers equal her years in number, attributed her triumphs to a careful cultivation of the premonitory symptoms in her admirers. "I do not commit myself," she explains "but I lawfully put them in the notion of saying tender nothings, which you know are the stepping-stones to proposals. For instance, a timid admirer is made to understand, by word or look, according to the progress he has made in my good graces, that I am glad to see him. If another caller should follow I do not arouse No 1's suspicions by treating him in the same way, but give No 2 my hand, and of course he feels what I intend him to—that No 1 is a nuisance. It is rare that I have to manage three at once who have been developed into an acute condition that would be spoiled by lack of tact on my part. If a third comes in later I am studiously indifferent until by a low aside I can gently find fault with him for not calling oftener or sooner. Whenever I observe that a proposal is impending I ward it off until I get into my favorite chair—that blue satin one with the very low back which you see setting by the window. High-backed or side-arm chairs are often fatal to declarations of the tender passion, and attitude is an important matter. I manage to have a book or sketch of some sort in my hand. This brings him very close to me to see what I am pointing out. His left arm then has no alternative but to get out of the way, you understand, and if he has skill my right hand will be appropriated before he declares himself, so I can't pretend any longer to doubt that he is in earnest. Then, of course, there is nothing f r me to do but to become as graciously cool as I can under the circumstances. The only disagreeable thing for me is that, having aroused his emotion, I feel such an interest in seeing a satisfactory conclusion that the brief second I enjoy the climax is far too short for my reward, and I dislike rapid transitions of feeling. Once while occupying a crimson rocking-chair I was surprised by a gentleman whom I had thought but slightly interested in me dropping on his knees in a frenzied declaration. I think that lovers are unconsciously influenced by colors, and that a woman should affect subdued or brilliant shades as he may be respectively impetuous or cautious, so as to preserve a harmonious balance."

A Chesnut street debutante says she doesn't like to be courted by sepulchres—old beaux with growing bald spots and ill-assorted teeth; they are always ready to criticize women for repairing deficiencies of figure or complexion, yet actually they do more making-up in the end, and then expect the girls to be devoted to them. She likes live young men whose circulation is good and who are earnest lovers. So far she has not received an offer of marriage, but thinks she would enjoy that most where the lover in a romance comes up behind her, as she stands in a conservatory or bay-window, and takes her in his arms as he whispers the words she has been longing to hear. Then she would hide her face on his shoulder and experience the heroine's all-overish feeling that, one of the old girls insists, gives a woman a weak back and isn't a good thing to practice.

The Laclede contains a pretty little widow, who declares that a man of sense rarely uses the word "adore" in courtship. Those who do so generally adore no one but themselves. She recently received a written proposal from a strange gentleman whom she had noticed several times in the elevator, and she explains: "I didn't like it, and refused to have an introduction afterward. If he would only stop to think about it he might understand how I feel. I don't believe in marriage without genuine regard on both sides, and if he had but managed to make my acquaintance discreetly by degrees, working up into that tumultuously delightful period of awakening interest which we call love, I might have given another answer. My first husband won me by sending a box of confections in which was hid a diamond ring with our initials cut inside an engraved lk on the reverse side of the shaft. When he came that night I wore it on the proper finger, and, though no words were exchanged on the subject, we grew into the habit of discussing our wedding day, so that the end seemed perfectly natural, I like modesty in a man. The more he looks and the less he says in courtship the surer he may be of winning, and you know there's no time like a slow promenade in the moonlight to encourage sentiment."

One of the society girls, whose engagement has been announced, denies that the man said to be interested has ever proposed. Indeed, she doesn't know anything about it. "The pleasure of getting a love-letter," she adds, "is only excelled, I fancy, by the act of answering it. But that hasn't been the way I have been approached by admirers. They seem to think that personal attentions are more impressive and safer. One of my friends received a written proposal, and the postscript said that if she refused his offer to please return him the letter. He had even inclosed two three-cent stamps, which made her so angry that she not only sent back the letter but the stamps, too. About three months afterward one of the other girls in our set had a copy of that letter from him and brought it to show us. Of course she refused. He is one of those self-conscious creatures whose highest aim, next to getting a wife with money, is to cultivate a mustache and goatee."

HOW A WOMAN KEEPS ACCOUNTS.

It is a touching sight, to see a woman begin to put down every cent she sp nds, so as to find out how to economize, and where all the money goes. Procuring a small book, she makes a due entry, and on the Monday after the first Saturday in which her husband brings home his pay, she carefully tears the margin off a newspaper and, with a blunt pencil, strikes a trial balance something in this way:

"John brought me home $48 40, and $1 43 I had is $49 93, and $1 00 I lent Mrs. Dixon is $50 93— but hold on, I ought not to enter that, because when she returns it, it'll go down. That was $49 93, and what have I done with that?"

Then she puts down the figures, leaving out the items to save time—a process which enables her to leave out most of the items to where a round sum is involved, on the supposition that they have already been put down. As thus:

"Six dollars and fourteen cents for meat, and 10 cents for celery, and 10 cents for the street-cars, and a bad 5-cent piece I got in exchange, and $2 81 cents I paid the milkman—who owes me 19 cents—that's $3, and 15 cents at church, and the groceries—they were either $15 60 or $16 50, and I don't remember which they were, but I guess it must have been $15 60, for the grocer said that if I would give him a dime he would give me half a dollar, which would make even change, and I couldn't, because the smallest I had was a quarter—and $2 75 for mending Katie's shoes, which is the last money that shoemaker ever gets from me, and 10 cents for celery—no, I put that down."

Finally, she sums up her trial-balance sheet, and finds that it foots up to $64 28, which is about $15 more than she had originally. She goes over the list several times and checks it carefully, but all the items are correct, and she is just about in despair when her good angel hints that there may be a possible mistake in the addition. Acting upon the suggestion, she foots up the column and finds that the total is $44 28, and that according to the principles of the arithmetic she ought to have $5 65. Then she counts her cash several times, the result varying from $1 40 to $1 97, but then she happily discovers that she has been mistaking a $2 gold piece for a cent, and remembers that she gave the baby a trade dollar to cut its gums with. On the whole, she has come within 86 cents of a balance, and that, she says, is close enough, and she enters in one line of the account book: "Dr.—by household expenses," so much; and is very happy until she remembers, just before going to bed, that she has omitted $2 75 for her husband's hat.

CRIT-CHAT.

This is the latest for wedding invitations: "Come round and see me capture a mother-in-law at 8 o'clock, sharp."

They were at a dinner party, and he remarked that he supposed she was fond of ethnology. She said she was, but she was not very well, and the doctor had told her not to eat anything for dessert but oranges.

"Yes," said the gilded youth, "Fred snubbed and cut Jack in a frightful way. Of course it was a rude and uncivil thing to do, but then there were extenuating circumstances. Jack had been making love to Fred's wife."

"Do you like candy, ma?" asked a little Austin boy of his mother. "No, my son; it makes me deadly sick." "I am so glad to hear it. You are the kind of a woman I can trust to hold my candy for me until I am done playing."

"Have you no love for the beautiful, then?" queried she in winsome tones. "N-n-o, but I think I should have if I only dared." "Have courage young man." "Oh, I wasn't thinking of you at all, I——" But she hustled out of the room, hating herself for having sprung the trap too soon.

A society journal says it is only one young man in a dozen who can leave a house in a graceful manner. This is doubtless owing to the reckless habit eleven fathers in a dozen have of swinging their feet when the young men are leaving. The society journal should endeavor to bring about a reform in this matter.

We never have had the experience, but we should think it would roll an editor fearfully after he had worked the most of the day getting up an editorial declaiming that a man is better off for being married, to go home and be jawed all the evening because he forgot to bring two dozen clothes-pins or some such thing.

A contemporary asks: "How shall women carry their purses to frustrate the thieves?" Why, carry them empty. Nothing frustrates a thief more than to snatch a woman's purse after following her half a mile, and then finds that it contains nothing but a receipt for spiced peaches and a faded photograph of her grandmother.

A Paris husband, plagued by his wife to buy her a new bonnet, strolled into a sales-room and, by way of a joke, purchased a bonnet of a very old date. He took it home to his wife and she drew from its crown a piece of paper which proved to be a bond for 500 francs. There is a strong argument in favor of husbands buying their wives old style bonnets.

"Don't swear so, John. What if you should be struck dead with such horrid oaths on your lips!" said his wife soothingly. "Swear so? Jimminy crickets, by all that great, I'm not swearing, but I'm going to express my opinion of this confounded, nine-cornered bazoo of a blamed rickety infernal bit of stove-pipe——" Exit the wife with her hands over her ears.

Some genius has invented a little article called "fire-kindler." Unless it is made in the shape of a coal-oil can, the newly-imported girl will not touch it. If it contains something that will explode and knock the domestic end over end two or three chairs, and burn off her eyebrows without doing any other damage, there may be a large demand for the "fire-kindler."

During a Deadwood quarrel the other night a woman was seen to rush between the combatants, and throwing herself before one of them exclaimed to the other: "Don't shoot, oh, please don't shoot him." Greatly affected, the foe lowered his revolver and asked in tremulous tones. "Are you his sweetheart, wife or sister?" "No," answered the peacemaker, "but this man has a room at my house and owes me three weeks' board."

A Reminiscence of Eugenie.

Mme. Amelie Ernst, the French elocutionist, has recently been publishing in the *Voltaire* a series of her reminiscences of the celebrated personages whom she has met. As the wife of the great violinist Ernst, as well as on account of her own talents, she has always mingled with that brilliant society which is composed of the literary personages and artists of France. Here is a glimpse of one of the noted figures of her day: "I received an invitation to a soiree given by Mme. de Girardin. She was living at that time in the palais Marbœuf on the Champs Elysees, a building which has since been destroyed. At the soiree I met Mme. de Montijo and her daughter. The future empress and her mother had come from the Spanish embassy, where a fete had been given in honor of the Queen's birthday. Mme. Montijo was dressed in white, with a red scarf. Her daughter had on a superb toilet of white lace, ornamented with tufts of wild grasses attached to the corsage and the skirt with clusters of diamonds. Notwithstanding her great beauty and her splendid dress, there was less attention paid to her than to her mother in that serious society. As both Mlle. de Montijo and myself were relegated to one end of the room, we commenced a conversation in Spanish. I spoke then the language of Cervantes very well, and my companion amused herself by making me repeat after her sundry coarse carters' expletives which she thought were totally unpronounceable by a foreigner. I did not succeed, to my credit be it said. She talked to me then about her taste for the drama, and about the comedy she had played in at an entertainment given by the Queen of Spain, and so from one thing to another we came to talk about Louis Napoleon, th n president of the republic. She called him ugly and ridiculous, and as that very morning he had riddon out in the Bois de Boulogne with a comforter around his throat, that comforter greatly amused the lively and charming girl, who laughed mischievously at him from whom she was so soon to receive the crown matrimonial of France.

Jenny Lind in Love.

"I am a Quaker, as you know," a Philadelphian [illegible] writer in the *Century*, "and it is reported that, shortly before Jenny Lind's visit to the city, an aged lady arose in one of our meetings and said she had heard that 'Jane Lyon, a very wicked woman, was on her way to this country to sing,' and she hoped that none of the young people would be drawn away to hear her. Nevertheless, an uncle took me and my brother to the Saturday Matinee. We had seats in the balcony and so near the stage that we could in a way see behind the scenes. Early in the entertainment Jenny Lind sang 'Home, Sweet Home,' and the audience was beside itself. Among the members of her company was her future husband, Otto Goldschmidt. He was to the audience simply an unknown pianist, and to be obliged to listen to anything but the voice of Jenny Lind was provoking. Well, the man played, and from where we sat we could see Jenny Lind behind the certain listening most intently. When he had finished, the audience seemed in nowise disposed to applaud; but Jenny Lind began to clap her hands vigorously, observing which we boys reinforced her; and, observing her face light up—I can see the love-light on it yet—we clapped furiously until the applause spread throughout the audience. When he had finished playing a second time, my brother and I set the ball in motion, and the applause was great enough to satisfy even the *fiancee* of Otto Goldschmidt."

Prince de Wagram's Estate.

Bertha Rothschild, who renounced Judaism to marry the Prince Alexander de Wagram, bringing to him an income of $150,000 a year, is spending her honeymoon at his chateau in a suburb of Paris. This is a grand place, called Gros Bois though not so pleasantly situated as when Napoleon gave it to Marshal Berthier. It had belonged to a noble family that had emigrated, and it had become national property. The first emperor was liberal in giving such estates to his military followers, who, in accepting them, bound themselves over to join in no conspiracy which had for its object the bringing back of the Bourbons and the old aristocracy. The Prince de Wagram succeeded in having the grounds cut across by two railroads, in order to replenish his treasury by obtaining excessive damages, which he did through official connivance. The money enabled him to secure brilliant matches for two of his daughters. The third married Prince Joachim Murat as the emperor was declining, and has since been obliged to ask her father for that income with which it was expected the emperor would keep his cousin Joachim supplied.

A Kind-Hearted Princess.

Seldom is it that "stories" about the princess of Wales are circulated, but a recent issue of the Whitehall *Review* recalls one, of an accident that occurred a few years ago, which is worth repeating, as giving an insight into the practical kindliness of her truly royal heart. An Austrian general, visiting at Sandringham, while saying "good night" to his royal host, chanced to stumble and sprained his ancle so that for several days he was confined to his bed. Not only did the prince call frequently to inquire after his condition, but the princess also came every day and read aloud to him at his bed-side to divert his mind from the pain he was suffering. "I know of none of my own family except my mother who would have done the same for me," the general always adds, with a grateful tremor in his voice, when he relates the story.

A Helpmeet.

There are, no doubt, cases where a man earns a great fortune, while his wife's existance is that of a butterfly, writes Col. T. W. Higginson. These cases are rare; taking one family with another, the wife works as hard as her husband, and the fact that his share involves the handling of the money does not make it his money. It belongs to both, and what he pays over to her is not a gift, but a matter of right. "This was a present to me from wife," said a rich man, showing an ornament. "Bought with your money," said a friend jocosely. "No!" he said, "out of her own hard earnings. She keeps house for a man of your acquaintance!"

Mr. Tennyson contemplates selling Aldworth, his place on the Surrey Downs, where he is now staying, as he finds that the Isle of Wight air suits him much better.

OUR INLAND WATERS.

Three Years' Wrecks, Burnings, and Loss of Life.—Nearly 500 Human Lives Lost.

Stringent Measures for Public Protection Imperative.—Unsafe Condition of Steamers.

Though the consideration of the danger resulting from the overcrowding of steamboats has been forced upon the attention of the Department of Marine and Fisheries for a number of years, and means have been suggested to prevent such a state of affairs, no rule has yet seemed sufficiently elastic to suit the conflicting interests of owners on the one hand and the travelling public on the other, or to reconcile such interests to the various conditions of navigation. An approximate rule, based on the length and breadth of the vessel, has been recommended, but as no two vessels of like dimensions in this respect would have the same stability under a load of passengers, it has not been adopted. Several steamboat owners in this port claim a safe capacity of 1,500 passengers, but have not life-saving appliances for the fourth of that number. In fixing a limit to the number of passengers to be carried on any boat, it is but reasonable to suppose that the public should demand life-saving means for each person within that limit. One thing especially should be prohibited, that of overcrowding the upper and promenade decks, as the danger is sufficiently great in the generally unsatisfactory condition of the vessels without enhancing it by overcrowding or overloading. A noticeable defect in the construction of nearly all the lake steamers is that the engine-room is not sufficiently connected by combinings or substantial bulkheads. As at present constructed the combinings are very shallow and the sheeting of inch pine, instead of being made of heavy pine or oak, or better still, of iron, so as to be able to stand the force of the sea after the gangways are washed in by the storm. Such a defect as that remarked caused the collapse and foundering of the steamer *Asia*, with its accompanying loss of life. There is also great danger of the vessels taking fire from the proximity of the wooden combings to the boiler, the distance between the two being only 18 inches. The firing is all done from the front end of the boiler in the majority of lake boats, the back head being never visited except when requiring cleaning, and as sparks frequently are emitted from this part, the danger of communicating with the inflammable pine combing, eighteen inches distant is imminent. The *City of Winnipeg* and *Manitoba* took fire from this defect in construction, and at a less recent period the *City of London* and *Mary Robertson*, all trading to Georgian Bay ports.

MARINE DISASTERS.

A brief mention of the more serious disasters to Canadian vessels during the past three years, within the limits of the West Ontario Division, extending from Whitby to the head of Lake Superior, will be appropriate under present circumstances, and will convey to the public an accurate idea of the appalling loss of life which has during that period distinguished travel on our waters.

LOSSES FOR 1882.

The following are the losses so far during the present year on the waters within the limits mentioned:—The steamer *Manitoulin*, of the Great Northern Transit Line, took fire when about four miles from Manitowaning on the 18th May. The vessel became a total loss, and twenty-five persons, passengers and crew, lost their lives. The vessel was valued at $35,000, and was only running on her third season. On the 10th June the steamer *Vanderbilt* was discovered to be on fire when opposite Meldrum Bay, Manitoulin Island. The vessel was beached, and became a total loss, but the passengers and crew were saved.

A vessel supposed to have been the schooner *Nellie Sherwood* foundered on Georgian Bay on the 20th September, all on board being lost.

The steamer *Picton* ran ashore and was wrecked on the night of the 20th September. The crew were all saved.

The shocking disaster of the steamer *Asia*, with the loss of all on board with the exception of two, is too recent an occurrence to require any detailed mention. However it may be proper so state that the loss of life resulting from her wreck could not be much under 120.

DISASTERS IN 1881.

The fearful disaster at London on the 24th of May, 1881, by the upsetting of the pleasure steamer *Victoria*, and the loss of 181 lives was the result of overcrowding the boat beyond her capacity to bear up under such a load. With 200 persons equally distributed on the main and upper decks the vessel would be safe, with 400 she would be dangerous, and with 600, the number stated to be on the vessel, the majority of those being on the upper deck, the wonder is that she did not upset immediately on leaving the wharf. From the shape of the hull, a flat-bottomed scow, if loaded down under the wharf's edge, there would be little tendency to right if the guard got below the water, which it did soon after leaving the wharf.

The propeller *Columbia*, of the Collingwood and Chicago line, foundered off Port Frankfort, Lake Michigan, on the 10th September. The cause of this disaster was not reported. Two boats, one with eight and the other with nine persons, got away from the vessel as she was going down, and of those seven were saved, the others being drowned on the surf. It was not ascertained how many were actually lost in this disastrous affair.

The propeller *City of Winnipeg* was burned at Duluth on the 19th of July. The engineer reported that the fire started in the wood pocket at the port side of the boiler, at 3.30 a. m. He at once gave the alarm and the fire pump was turned on, but the fire having too much headway all efforts to quench the flames were unavailing, and in a short time the steamer was burned to the edge of the water, four persons who were unable to escape perishing in the flames.

The propeller *Jane Miller* was lost on Georgian Bay on the 25th of November, with passengers and crew, the entire number being supposed to be about twenty-five or thirty persons. The details concerning the loss of the vessel were exceedingly meagre, as she seems to have gone down with all hands.

The steamer *Lake Erie* was sunk by collision with the steamer *Northern Queen* in Lake Michigan, opposite Poverty Island, on the 24th of Nov. during a fog and snow-storm. The *Northern Queen* struck the *Lake Erie* stem on abreast the smoke-stack. The shock broke the steam-pipe near the chest, the escaping steam scalding Wm. Forbes a deck hand, so severely that he died seven hours after the accident. The *Lake Erie* sank two hours after the collision in deep water fifteen miles from shore. All the hands and passengers on the *Lake Erie* were taken on board the *Northern Queen*, but while the latter was making the entrance to Manisque harbour she struck the pier and became a wreck.

Whilst the tug *Prince Alfred* was on her way from Goderich to Sarnia in July a plug in one of the boiler tubes flew out, causing the death by scalding of a fireman, the son of the engineer, Benjamin Filtean.

The loss of the steamer *Waubuno* on Georgian Bay in 1879, with the consequent loss of life is still fresh in the minds of the public, and the more recent loss of the propellers *Zealand* and *Simcoe* in November, 1880, the former with all hands lost and the latter with a loss of twelve out of a crew of seventeen.

LOSS OF LIFE FOR THREE YEARS.

During the past three years the loss of life on Lakes Ontario, Erie, Huron, and Superior or through accidents to steamboats and other vessels has amounted to 470 persons, a greater number than those lost during the entire twenty years preceding. Twenty years ago there were but 46 steamers in Canada, Upper and Lower, and the number is now 800. Of course any comparison of the loss of life during recent years with those preceding, without taking into consideration this great item of increase in the number of vessels would be apt to mislead; still the loss of life yearly for the past three years is disproportionate to the rate of increase, large as it is.

OTHER NOTES.

The following is the number of vessels lost or broken up during last year:—West Ontario, Huron, and Superior District, 11 vessels, 2 paddle and 9 screw; East Ontario, 5 vessels, all of them screw; Montreal, 2, 1 paddle and 1 screw; Quebec, 3 vessels, 1 paddle and 2 screw; Maritime Provinces, 4 vessels, 3 paddle and 1 screw; Manitoba, 2 vessels, both being paddle; British Columbia, 4 vessels, 2 paddle and 2 screw.

A second officer who has sailed the lakes for fifteen years, generally on schooners, stated to a *Globe* reporter last evening that he left his vessel recently owing to her unsound condition. She has been inspected by a Government Inspector who has hesitated about granting her a certificate, being well aware of the rotten condition of her timbers, but his hesitancy disappeared as the captain and part owner transferred something from his pocket to that of the Inspector, who made out the certificate without further demur. The whole transaction was witnessed by the mate, who as soon as he secured his wages left the vessel. The timber was in some parts so decayed that it was friable to the touch and would not hold a nail. Such defects were, however, covered by putty and paint so as not to be visible. —*Toronto Globe.*

Prayer.

Every prayer is a wish, but wishes are not prayers. In the heart of every prayer is the sense of need, but a sense of need is not prayer. Prayer is asking for a felt need; not asking the universe, but God. No one can intelligently ask who does not believe he can and may be heard. No one can perseveringly ask, who thinks that asking will bring nothing. Persons who believe that the whole influence of prayer is simply the effect of their own thoughts upon themselves, never pray. They cannot pray. The mouth may utter right words; the heart is not in them. Some prayers are not prayers for those who say them do not really wish for the things they mention. But the difficulty with some prayers is that there is no grasp of the idea of God—that is no asking, "Ask that ye shall receive."—*Christian Advocate.*

A Heartless Joke.

A young lady, who is very heavy insured by strangers in the matrimonial insurance companies, says a southern paper, on the report of her approaching marriage, went with a friend into a dry-goods store last week. She knew that the clerk who was waiting on her had invested a year's savings in a policy on her coming marriage. While examining a piece of silk she said to her friend, in an aside perfectly audible to the clerk: "Since my engagement is definitely broken off I will have no trousseau to buy. I think I might afford this." When she turned to ask the clerk the price, he had fainted.

For the foundation walls of the new English church in Rome, the corner-stone of which was laid in April last, the entire materials of the old convent have been required and many loads of mortar and brick in addition. From the chaplain's recent report of the financial state of the church it appears that a sum of 17,000*l* has been raised; that the ground, with legal expenses, has cost 6,000*l*; that the removal of former buildings, the foundations and lawsuits have cost another 6,000*l*, and that there remains in hand 5,000*l*, the latter a sum that the outer walls, which according to the contract are to be finished by January next, will exhaust. The work must then cease unless further funds be provided. Besides the 5,000*l* now in hand, there is required, says the report, for the pillars of the clear-story, windows, roof, floor, heating apparatus, and fittings, a further sum of 5,000*l* at least. "We should bear in mind," said the chaplain, "that the room outside Porta del Popolo, which we at present use for divine service, and for which we pay a rent of 100*l* a year, is held on an uncertain tenure. Unless the new church be soon completed the congregation may find themselves without a building in which to meet for public worship."

FRANCE AND MADAGASCAR.—The *National* says the Cabinet will discuss Debrazza's treaty with the Congo River chiefs during the week, and its ratification is assured. The *National* understands if the Queen of Madagascar does not formerly recognize the rights of France in the Island, energetic measures will be taken with a view to their preservation.

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... heavy blow and great discouragement ... fallen upon R. C. Tichborne Castle ... unhappy baronet at Dartmoor. His ... and liberal friend, Mr. Guilford ... dead. That gentleman's fanatic ... the fat imposture cost him from ... £15,000, not to mention an expenditure of time and trouble in ... to work up influential sympathy ... captive. There is nothing ... must now but to suffer his durance ... he can. He will be out in spite ... on Sept. 1, 1884, which is only two ... and there is reason to believe that ... anticipation he will start a public ... good idea, for a man with such a ... character of a British Boniface ... make a fortune in a few years.

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... The family to which Prince Bismarck ... has remained members of the ... lower order of nobility, from ... when his ancestors with King Henry ... entered the Alt Mark of Brandenburg ... to the 15th of September, 18... ... Otto was created Count for his ... the King in his struggle with ... Parliament and for the way in ... carried Prussia through the Danish ... the following year the sharp and ... with Austria took place, and for ... the gigantic struggle with France ... and for his share in the splendid ... ending that contest, Count von ... conferred upon him the highest ... in the power of his sovereign ... He was elevated to the ... rank of Prince, and was endowed with ... and estates commensurate ... dignity.

... Young and middle-aged men, ... from nervous debility and kindred ... loss of memory and hypochondria ... inclose three stamps for Part VII. of ... Dispensary Dime Series of pamphlets ... WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

... A Boston clergyman's wife being ... charged by a Buffalo hackman for ... between two railway stations, ... appeared against him, saw ... $1.50, and got back in time to ... If this is the genuine Boston ... people will want more of it.

... Mrs. M. Gifford, of Port R... many years a sufferer with ... and a serious complication ... a recent letter she says that she ... taken two bottles of Burdock Blood ... has nearly recovered her health ... authorizes us to use her name in ... suffering humanity. 3.

... At her marriage two years ago ... George Harris said "No," when asked ... to honor and obey her husband ... clergyman stood aghast. "Never ... George, "drive on. I'll ... anyhow." And the other ... George shot and killed him because ... going to flog her with a horsewhip ... a chicken when he wanted it ...

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Advice to Consumptives.

On the appearance of the first symptoms—as general debility, loss of appetite, pallor, chilly sensations, followed by night sweats and cough, prompt measures of relief should be taken. Consumption is a scrofulous disease of the lungs; therefore use the great anti-scrofulous or blood-purifier and strength-restorer, Dr. Pierce's "Golden Medical Discovery." Superior to Cod liver oil as a nutritive, and unsurpassed as a pectoral. For weak lungs, spitting of blood, and kindred affections it has no equal. Sold by druggists. For Dr. Pierce's treatise on consumption send two stamps. World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Tea merchants of Kioto and Osaka have resolved to rebuild a temple burned down at the former place last year. It was erected 700 years ago by Meiker, a priest, who introduced the tea plant into Japan.

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A Fact.

If you suffer from Chronic Disease, and have little faith in advertised remedies and have sought vainly for a cure. Consult your druggist, or address T. Milburn & Co., Toronto, for proof positive regarding the merits of Burdock Blood Bitters, the Great Regulating Blood purifying Tonic, that acts on the liver, kidneys, stomach, bowels and skin. 1.

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It is probable that the military authorities will arrange for a review at Windsor or Aldershot on the return of the main body.

Best of All.

Our rigorous and changeable climate, and our mode of life induces frequent colds, that often lead to severe Coughs, Bronchitis and other lung troubles that are liable to end in Consumption. The best and most pleasant remedy known for these difficulties is Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, to be obtained of any druggist. 2.

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Mobs have attacked the Jews at Febere and Gihaza, in Hungary, and plundered many houses. A large number of persons were injured before the rioting was suppressed.

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Better than Gold.

A good name, good health, a good companion and a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil are among the first requisites for human happiness. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Sprains, Lameness, Bruises, Burns, Frost Bites, Croup, Sore Throat, and all pain and Inflammation. 4.

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The Prime Minister of Italy has announced that she had always remained faithful to the European Concert, and the future relations with England would be excellent.

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Never Neglect It.

If you suffer from a cough, never neglect it, it is no trifling matter, and might lead to a speedily fatal disease of the lungs. Hagyards Pectoral Balsam will allay all irritation of the mucous membrance by its soothing healing power; it cures Bronchitis, Asthma and all throat and lung complaints. 6.

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A trial has been made of a Siemens and Halske's telephone, laid under ground between Cologne and Elberfeld, with very favorable results, every word being distinct.

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The Weaker Sex

are immensely strengthened by the use of Dr. R. V. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription," which cures all female derangements, and gives tone to the system. Sold by druggists.

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The autumn session of the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, begins on the 25th October.

Adam Kirpen has a beard twelve feet long and proportionately heavy, and by means of it he has not only lived twenty-two years without work, but has accumulated considerable property in Chicago. He travels through the West selling photographs.

The best preparation known in market for restoring gray hair to its original color is Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. Try it!

A leader in the anti-Jewish riots at Balta, Southern Russia, has been sentenced to two years' imprisonment, and five others to shorter terms.

Poor Mrs. Jenkins can't be merry,
For her mouth shows bad Teeth and Breath;
But let her use the great "Teaberry,"
And there'll be danger of laughing herself to death.

Successful experiments were carried out a few days since at Aberdeen harbor entrance with the oil apparatus invented by Mr. Shields. It is the intention of the Local Harbor Commissioners to continue the experiments during the winter, more especially during dangerous storms. They expect that the oil system will minimize the danger to vessels entering the port.

Vegetine.—When the blood becomes lifeless and stagnant, either from change of weather or of climate, want of exercise, irregular diet, or from any other cause, the Vegetine will renew the blood, carry off the putrid humors, cleanse the stomach, regulate the bowels, and impart a tone of vigor to the whole body.

Seeking Oil.—An oil company has been formed at Gladstone with a capital of $10,000 or $15,000. The proposed operations will be conducted within the Corporation of Gladstone, and the indications are that petroleum can be secured at a depth ranging from 300 to 500 feet. Arrangements have also been concluded with a contractor to sink three wells, if necessary, at a distance of 500 feet at a cost of $8,000.

Rheumatism. This painful disease that so often cripples for life, arises from poison circulating in the blood, and often from an excess of acid. Inflammation is developed in the muscles, ligaments and joints, by colds, damp clothing, &c. Liniments are servicable to releve, among many, Hagyard's Yellow Oil is preferable. To eradicate the rheumatic poison from the system, nothing can surpass Burdock Blood Bitters. 5.

The *International Getreide Zeitung*, published in connection with the International Seed Fair lately held at Leipzig, points out that enormous fields of cereals in every stage of cultivation have been left untouched in Russia because of the partial exclusion of the Jews from the cereal trade, consequent on the persecutions. The agricultural classes cannot get advances on their grain.

A Word of Caution.

Beware of Opiates and powerful astringent drugs in the treatment of Bowel Complaints, they may lull the pain and check Diarrhœa, etc., but are liable to produce inflammation, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry is guaranteed safe and reliable, even for Infants, and is a specifice for Cholera Morbus, Dysentery, Colic, Acute or Chronic Diarrhœa and Summer Complaints generally.

Agarian outrages on German landlords by the Slavs are increasing in the Baltic Provinces.

Buckingham's Dye for the whiskers is an elegant, safe and reliable article, cheap, and convenient for use; will not rub off. Try it.

Mirrors 45 by 52 feet and weighing from 1.200 to 1,600 pounds have been lately placed in the Paris Opera House.

"Men must work and women weep,
So runs the world away!"

But they need not weep so much if they use Dr. Pierce's "Favorite Prescription," which cures all the painful maladies peculiar to women. Sold by druggists.

The steamer "Nurban," which sailed for the Cape of Good Hope recently took Prof. Newcomb and party sent by the United States Government to observe the transit of Venus.

Is your hair falling out or your scalp diseased? Carboline, a deodorized extract of petroleum, as now improved and perfected, is just the article you need. Buy a bottle, and, like thousands who are using it all over the land you will value it as the choicest of all toilet preparations.

All the powers have assented to the claims of Greece to send a commissioner to Egypt to assist in the deliberations of the Commission to fix indemnities for sufferers by the bombardment of Alexandria. Great Britain took the initiative in urging Greece's right to be represented.

Robert A. Wilson, Dispensing Chemist, Brockville, says, under date of June 5th, '82, "I have not the slighest hesitation in saying that Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has given my customers more satisfaction than any medicine in my store for the cure of Summer Complaints, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Pain in the Stomach Sea Sickness, Piles, etc. You can use my name, etc."

It is stated that $5,000,000 will barely cover the damage which the Italian Government must make good in the imundated districts in the form of roads, bridges, public buildings, without touching the question of aid to the sufferers.

Electric (not Eclectric) Oil.—The two words have very different significations, as will be seen by reference to Webster. The Eclectric Oil has no claim to Electric properties only by the picture on the wrapper, which looks like begging the question. The popularity of Briggs' Electric Oil is such as to induce unprincipled persons to appropriate all the law will allow them to do. The proprietors of the original Electric Oil have no claim to the words "Eclectric" or "Thomas," but to the words "Briggs' Electric" they do lay claim, by right, as they have made them of value to themselves. The sales of Electric Oil are increasing daily.

A despatch to the London *News* from Constantinople reports that the Sultan is extremely vexed at the departure of Baker Pasha. It is stated that the Governors of Smyrna and Rhodes were ordered to arrest him, and the Khedive has been commanded to send him back.

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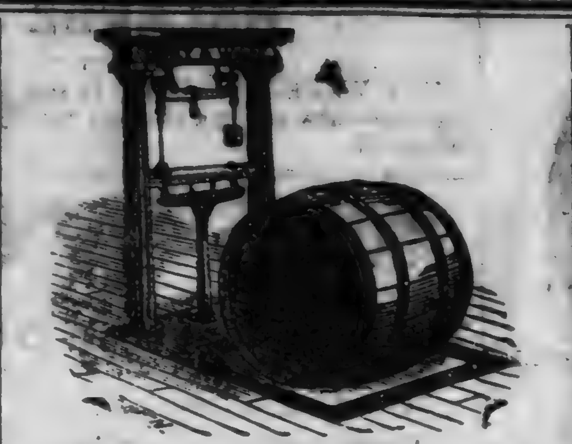

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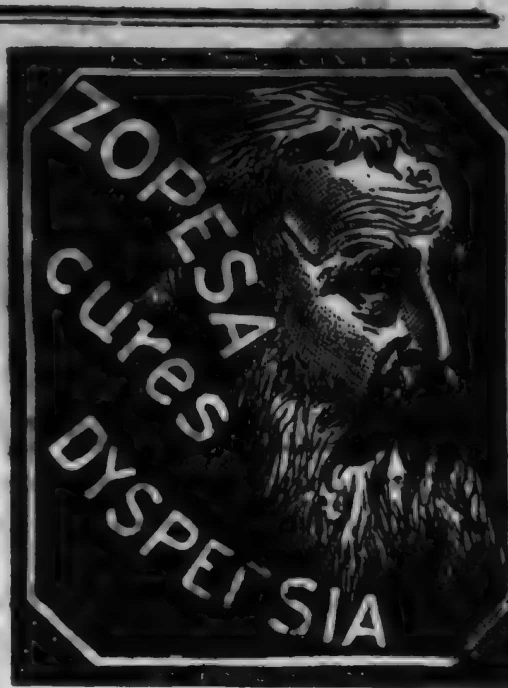

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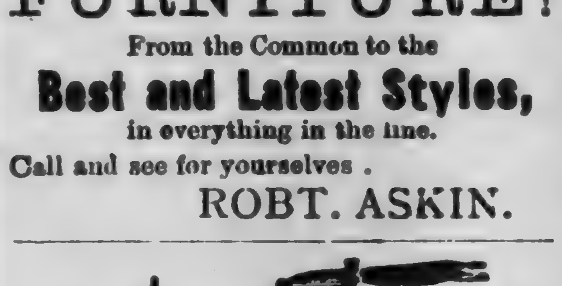

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Mr. John Bowers, of this village, met with rather a painful accident on Saturday last. In turning a waggon, in which there was a number of barrels, he fell out. Before he could get cut of harm's way one of the barrels followed and struck him cutting his wrist, besides dislocating the largest bone of the forearm.

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EUPHRASIA COUNCIL.

A meeting of the council of the township of Euphrasia was held pursuant to adjournment on the 6th day of October, 1882.

Members all present. Minutes of last session read and confirmed.

The Reeve and Mr. Erskine were appointed to examine the 11th line at lot 27, and to take whatever steps in reference to the improvement thereof which they may deem expedient.

Messrs. Erskine and Gilray were appointed to confer with the committee appointed by the council of Artemesia, relative to the deviation on the townline at the 4th concession of Euphrasia.

The sum of $10 was granted for the improvement of the 11th line at lot 10, said amount to be expended under the supervision of Mr. Erskine.

The sum of $40 was granted for the improvement of 6 and 7 side line, on the 9th and 10th concessions, said amount to be expended under the supervision of Mr. Ellis.

The Reeve's orders were issued on the Treasurer for the following amounts :

To Robert Dunlop, Clerk, $25, for preparing voters' list. John Ormsby, $43.20, for road work on 15 and 16 side road, con. 8. James Stinson, $20, for repairing Saugeen bridge.

The Council adjourned until the first Friday in November next.

Robert Dunlop, Clerk.

PRICEVILLE.

(From our own correspondent.)

The weather has been very fine lately, everybody seems to be busily employed, our town gossip not excepted.

The potato crop in general is light in this vicinity but will likely keep well, having been gathered in such nice dry weather.

Some of the competitors for prizes at the late agricultural exhibition are loudly protesting that some prizes were gotten fraudulently. It would appear from the result of some of our exhibitions this season that the term "pair of geese" meant that neither of the pair required to be a gander. It is evident that the judges were not geese.

A buyer has been around here for some time purchasing horses for a street car company. Mr. Alex. McLean, south line, sold a mare for $150.

A great many cattle were sold at our monthly fair on the 16th inst. Mr. Robb took a very large drove out of town.

MEAFORD ROAD.

(From our own correspondent.)

Mr. William Gilbert has taken unto himself a wife in the person of Miss Cooper, of Euphrasia.

Another new firm of threshers have started business here—Messrs. Bow, Ross & Co.

Personal.—Messrs. John Boland and Daniel Walker returned from the Great Lone Land last week looking hale and hearty, thus showing that the climate of that country agreed well with them.

DUNDALK ITEMS.

Buildings in course of erection are being pushed on as rapidly as possible while the fine weather lasts.

A lodge of C. O. O. F., was organized on Tuesday evening.

The remainder of the show day "drunks" were fined on Monday last, save one who decamped.

On Monday night a sudden death occurred in Proton. A daughter of Mr. Fernane, who had been ill for some time was seized with violent pains in her head. Before medical aid could be obtained she was dead.

OSPREY NOTES.

From our own Correspondent.

Mr. John Osborn has sold his farm, 10th line, Osprey, and is moving to Flesherton where he intends living retired.

Potatoes are a failure in many parts of this township.

Mr. W. H. Gay intends going to Muskoka this week.

Mr. W. L. B. Hamlin left on his wedding tour Wednesday afternoon, the 25th.

Read Trimble & Wright's advertisement. They say they cannot be undersold in the county. Give them a call.

ESPECIALLY FOR THE LADIES

How Women in the East Dress—The Austrian Empress—A Word to Women.

A Paradise for Women—How to be Happy—Gigglea.

A Word to Women.

I know that if women wish to escape the stigma of husband-seeking they must act and look like marble or clay, cold and expressionless, bloodless; for every appearance of feeling, of joy, sorrow, friendliness, antipathy, admiration, disgust, are alike construed by the world into an attempt to hook a husband. Never mind! Well-meaning women have their own consciences to comfort them after all. Do not, therefore, be too much afraid to show yourself as you are, affectionate and good hearted; do not too harshly repress sentiments and feelings excellent in themselves, because you fear that some puppy may fancy that you are letting them come out to fascinate him; do not condemn yourself to live only by halves because if you showed too much animation some pragmatical thing in breeches might take it into his pate to imagine that you designed to devote your life to his inanity.

An Athletic Empress.

The Empress of Austria, who has for several years followed the hounds in Ireland and England, will hunt this year in the neighborhood of her favorite estate, Godollo, in Hungary. The love of the Empress for horses and dogs amounts to a veritable passion, and she maintains at Godollo an amphitheatre in which she rivals the ring of performances of her favorite proteges, the Parisian ecuyeres, and of the stars which Herr Rentz, the continental circus man, brings out in his magnificent productions of the horse opera. As a young girl, the Empress was devoted to field sports, but her ambition to excel as a horsewoman is said by the gossips of Vienna to date from the day when she discovered that Herr Rentz' sprightly daughter Katherina, better known as "Kaetchen" in canvass-covered circles, was a sub-rosa friend of his Imperial Majesty Franz Joseph and drew a handsome pension from the Emperor's private exchequer. Elizabeth determined to outdo her professional rival in the refinements of the equestrian art. The task was no easy one, for Kate Rentz years ago, before she reached the adipose period of German womanhood, could clear a seven-foot bar on her English hunter even in the narrow limits of the sawdust ring. But the Empress had the nerve to try anything that any other woman had done in the saddle, and she commanded, of course, the best horseflesh in the world, and she is to day acknowledged the best "gentleman rider" of her sex.

The Empress Elizabeth is the youngest woman of her years in Europe. With the honors of a grandmother, she has reached the time when the national tendency to make flesh assert itself, and as a matter of comfort to herself and her horses she regularly trains for the hunting season. She has been passing the later summer at her chateau at Ischl, and her regimen there was suggestive of the professional athlete. Up at 6; two hours of hard work in free gymnastics or fencing; a cold shower and a plain breakfast, followed by three hours in the saddle or on foot. The reduction in weight not showing itself to the desired degree, the ardent huntress actually took to the professional last resort of sweating and a continuous run for two hours a day. On going to Godollo she had a pack of slow beagles sent down, and proposes to follow them on foot after the Hungarian hares, which are, however, neither so swift nor so long-winded as their British relatives. With the coming of the first frosts the Imperial Diana will get out her horses and hounds with the full determination of beating the record, and as the deer and foxes on her estates have been carefully preserved for some years she will probably succeed.

How Women Dress in the East.

Every few minutes (writes a contributor to the *Gentleman's Magazine*) you meet a group of Carene ladies closely veiled, with the white muslin or black silk y shmak and a group of attendants. They ride astride their donkeys decked with tassels and all manner of gay trappings, and as they pass every man with a proper sense of decorum averts his face, lest his eyes should rest on so much vailed loveliness. Even the working drudges who are often elaborately tattooed, are equally strict in keeping the face virtuously covered, though the rest of their drapery may be caught up or blown about in such style as scarcely suits our notions of decency. The same thing continually strikes one among the Hindoo women, who would be eternally digraced by the faintest approach to our ordinary evening toilet, but who have no manner of objection to displaying a wide "lucid inteaval" between the arm and the waist, and any amount of unstockined ankle! I remember a Hindoo gentleman remarking that on his first visit to a London drawing-room he wished he could have hidden himself anywhere, he felt so shocked at the company in which he found himself. (A somewhat similar comment was made by a young harvest lad at a harvest-home, which was always attended by the laird's daughters. On one occasion a friend accompanied them, very much decollete; and, as he sat at the end of the room among the evergreens, the lad gazed in open-mouthed admiration till the lady rose, and when he saw that "It wasna' a waxen image, but a real leddy," he fairly left the room in horror!) There are several other contrasts in the dress habits of the eastern and western world. One is the respect involved in piling extra yards on the turban as the acme of veneration—more especially on holy days—in opposition to the custom of taking off the hat. I suppose it must be some such lingering tradition of Oriental fashion which makes the Jews wear their hats in the synagogue even in western lands. And so, whereas our poor folk in Scotland, even smart lassies with fine bonnets, will rarely put on their shoes and stockings till they are near the kirk, or "big hoose," no Hindoo or Mohammedan of the highest rank would enter your drawing-room or any temple or mosque with his slippers on—the dust of the outer world must not pollute any dwelling worthy of honor. At the same time you constantly see both Arabs and Hindoos carrying their shoes in their hands when marching on flat ground, both in order to save them and facilitate their own progress. They are all good walkers, and it has been observed that such civilized annoyances as afford employment to the chiropodist fraternity are utterly unknown to their shapely, hard-soled feet. Imagine how curious it would be to see Englishmen swearing eternal friendship over an exchange of hats, but with these men an exchange of turbans (especially if they should be the green turbans of Islam) is the most sacred taken of inviolable friendship.

A Place Where Woman is Supreme.

An original sect is reported to exist in Finland, the fundamental principle of which is the sovereign authority of women in the family. The disciples of the sect, whether married or living in concubinage, take an oath to submit themselves entirely to their wife or mistress, and to confess to her once a week. On their side the women choose one of their number as sovereign, whose duty it is to see that the men remain faithful to their oath, and to punish them if they transgress. There are some villages entirely devoted to this new religion. The only analogy to this sect is to be found in Siberia, where the Purifiers recognize equally the authority of women.

Two Ways of Being Happy.

There two ways of being happy. We may either diminish our wants or augment our means. The result is the same, and it is for each man to decide for himself, and to do that which may happen to be the easier.

CHIT-CHAT.

When a pretty Irish girl is stolen away they suspect some boycotter.

Queen Victoria says she is proud of her soldiers. The ladies always did love the military.

It will be fashionable to gather autumn leaves this month. It will be equally as fashionable to throw them away the next.

Hindoo girls are taught to think of marriage as soon as they can talk. American girls are not. They don't require teaching.

"You're as sweet as a peach," he said, patting her softly on the cheek. "Yes," she murmured, snuggling still nearer to him, "I'm a clingstone."

An Indiana woman bought some poison for rats, wrote the word "poison" on it four times, hid it on the top shelf in the pantry, and yet the hired girl used it for baking powder within a week.

A Georgia man who had been married seven times, says he has had awful hard luck. He'd scarcely get a wife before she'd die and he'd have to go to the expense of courting and marrying another. The thing got to be ruinous.

Spinks went home the other night afflicted with double vision. He sat for some time with his sleepy gaze riveted upon Mrs. S., and then complacently remarked, "Well, I declare, 'f you two gals don't look 'nough like to be twins."

She admitted to her mother that the young man had made a very strong impression on her, "Yes," remarked the old lady, "I can see where the impression mashed the lace flat as a clean napkin. Don't let it happen again."

What a providential thing it is that, as a general rule, by the time the eldest girl gets old enough to have a beau the youngest child is old enough to sleep quietly. A cross baby yelling up-stairs would be a fearful dampener on courtship.

The young girls who enter the English postal service get $2.50 per week at first. If they are real good girls, after a few years they get 50 cents or $1 more. Many of them remain single, because the salary is not large enough to support a husband.

Slang is a dangerous language. Recently, when a handsome young wife went to a hardware store to get one of those wooden contrivances to mash potatoes, and said, "I want a masher," every man in the shop, from the boss to the office-boy, started to wait on her.

A lady who had company to tea reproved her little son several times, speaking, however, very gently. At last out of patience with him, she said, sharply: "Jimmy, if you don't keep still I'll send you away from the table." Looking at her in surprise, he asked: "Didn't you forget to use your company voice then, mother?"

Scene in Court—"Now, Mr. Blank, you say that on that day, at noon, you saw a woman ride past your house at furious pace, and you have given us a detailed description of her costume. Please tell us what was the color of the horse." "I do not remember." "Well, was the woman white or black?" "I did not notice; she went so fast that I only had time to see how she was dressed."

A southern paper says the alligator destroys millions of mosquitoes by letting them settle on his jaws and then swallowing them. Ladies who are annoyed by the pests might rid themselves of the nuisance by keeping an alligator in the bedroom during the night, but there are some women who would prefer the mosquitoes. They would as soon have a mouse loose in their chamber as an alligator.

At a wedding, not long since, among the presents displayed was a $1,000 bank note from the father of the bride. After the wedding was over the old gentleman folded up the note and put it back into his vest pocket. The conduct of that doting father reminds one very much of the promises of reform made by the candidates previous to the election as contrasted with their performances when the election is over.

An ancient maiden lady in passing the Continental hotel was very suddenly stopped and tenderly embraced by a young gentleman who called her Mrs. Blank. It was soon explained that the young gentleman had mistaken her for a relative, and the spinster passed on satisfied. While telling the incident a friend exclaimed sympathizingly: "Dear me, how embarrassing." "Not at all," was the unexpected reply. "I found it very refreshing."

A distinguished physician says that the garments worn by women are preferable to those worn by men. He may speak from experience, but we don't believe that he ever wore a walking costume of royal blue cloth, with facings, revers, and pelerine or velvet [illegible] with velvet basque, a long, clinging pelisse trimmed with lace [illegible] front [illegible] backs, Charles [illegible] collar, and [illegible] black velvet poke and [illegible] dressing corset cut entrain, and [illegible] for [illegible] Hardly [illegible]

Nervous Exhaustion.

The natural cure for disease from overwork is rest, but here a great mistake is sometimes made. When a person is tired out or exhausted by too much physical labor of any kind, we do not say, "You have worked your muscles too exclusively; you should have given more of your vital energy to mental work, and to restore the equilibrium you must immediately take up some mental work. Rest yourself from a hard day's labor at hay-making, or washing, by an hour's work at mathematics." The very tired man or woman does not care even to read, but inclines to seek entire rest, perfect laziness, "balmy sleep," until the strength recuperates. It is quite as unreasonable to urge physical exercise upon a person whose brain is really tired with labor. Let a little rest intervene. The general health is best maintained by a proper intermingling of physical and mental exercise, but perfect health requires some hours of perfect rest in every twenty-four, and some time for simple recreation, or what children call play.

Sometimes what we call "laziness" ought to be allowed. A child or (a man) who grows fat and lazy from over-feeding, should be put upon a plainer diet and urged to exercise. But those who grow languid and have little appetite from nervous exhaustion, ought to be carefully nourished by nutritious food, of easy digestion (since the digestive organs are probably in a weak condition), and allowed to rest and gather up strength before being called upon to expend it. No stimulants will afford any real help. They call out the strength temporarily and make one *feel* strong while the influence lasts, but this is only wasting the strength. One may live for a time upon stimulants, and appear to be helped by them, but only genuine nourishment really builds up the strength. Food alone, however good, cannot cure nervous exhaustion. Pure air, sunlight (all of this that one can get and endure), cleanliness, warm, easy clothing, and restful surroundings, are all essential, and these natural agencies alone will effect a cure in almost every case if taken in time, while the case is curable. The food taken should be real nourishment, not simply the pretty little invalid's dishes, made up of delicate starches and flavorings, that one often sees recommended by ignorance. Starch has nothing for the brain and nerves, and for this reason white bread is very poor food. Flour should be used that contains all of the gluten of the wheat. The "entire wheat flour" is recommended by physicians as the best. Oat-meal, good milk, eggs, beef, and the best fruits and vegetables, all help to build up strength. Pure air night and day are needed, and the time should be spent out of doors as much as possible.

For those who are only beginning to suffer from nervous exhaustion, light gardening and other employment may be useful. Those who are much worn with brain labor, had better not try anything at first more laborious than riding, as walking wearies an already tired brain. There is no more healthful and enjoyable exercise than light horseback riding; it brings many muscles into play, diverting the mind, and gives tone to both mind and body. "Diet and Quiet" are among the best of our physicians.

A Deadly Duel.

A fatal duel between two Bonapartist journalists was fought last month on the grounds attached to a villa in the vicinity of Paris belonging to one of the proprietors of the *Pays*. The principals were M. de Massas, a writer on the *Combat*, and Henri Dichard of the staff of the *Petit Caporal*. The cause of the duel was a controversy concerning the restoration of the empire, in which resort was had to such bitter personalities that, on referring the situation to a "tribunal of honor," in which Paul de Cassagnac figured as one of the judges, it was decided that a resort to the fighting code was indispensable. The weapons selected were swords, and the actual fighting did not last a minute. In that time Dichard received severe thrusts in the scalp, shoulder, and hand, and it seemed clear that he must yield very shortly, when an incautious movement by De Massas, who was pressing the fight vigorously, enabled Dichard to give his antagonist a deadly thrust in the breast. De Massas had fought bravely in the Franco-Prussian war, and was an experienced swordsman. It was while wounded and being nursed in a French country house that he first met the maiden whom he afterward married. He lived very happily with her, and she was waiting in an inn near the scene of the duel in an agony of suspense for news of its outcome. She came too late to find her husband alive. The fatal result of this contest has made a painful impression in Paris, and may exert a good influence in suppressing the practice. The parties to the duel has been summoned to court.

The Plague in Sitka.

Collector Morris, at Sitka, in a letter to the Surgeon-General of the Marine Hospital Service, Washington, expresses the hope that a member of that service may be stationed at Sitka. He states that for three months there has been raging there, confined chiefly to the Russian creole population and Indians, a disease resembling black measles, combined with the scarlet fever, making a plague-stricken community. Those taken nearly all died, and the Russians have been almost decimated. Mr. Morris says Captain Pearson, of the "Wachusett," turned a deaf ear to their piteous appeals for help, and took the ship and medical officers away to Wrangel Island, leaving a lieutenant of marines and guard without medicines. Mr. Morris says his course has been a disgrace to the American navy.

"Uncle John," said little Emily, "do you know that a baby that was fed on the elephant's milk gained twenty pounds in one week?" "Nonsense? Impossible!" exclaimed Uncle John, and then he asked, "Whose baby was it?" "It was the elephant's," said little Emily.

MANITOBA AND THE NORTH-WEST.

RAINLESS HARVEST.—The *Minnedosa Star* says that the rain which fell on Wednesday last was the first shower since July the 26th.

FUR SHIPMENTS.—Last week the Hudson's Bay Company shipped from Winnipeg to London 107 bales of furs, valued at $150,000.

HEAVY FINE.—Joseph Gourure, of Keewatin, was fined $200 dollars and costs for selling liquor on Wednesday of last week.

COAL FOR WINNIPEG.—Two thousand tons of hard coal arrived at Prince Arthur's Landing in one day for Winnipeg dealers. Five thousand more are in transit.

LIGHTING BRANDON.—Sixteen street lamps are to be placed at once at impartant corners in Brandon. The lamps are the same as are used in Chicago.

LARGE LUMBER DEPOT.—The Winnipeg *Times* says that including all classes of building material, 203,800,000 feet of lumber is handled annually in the city. This lumber is sold at prices varying from $30 to $70 per thousand feet, according to quality.

RAILWAY CONSTRUCTION.—The C. P. R. South-western between Winnipeg and Morris is rapidly approaching completion.

PAYING THEMSELVES.—A farmer named Tait recently purchased a farm on the Red River near Ki nan and a few days ago he got the assistance of some Indians to dig his potatoes. He did not give them all the money they wanted, upon which they ransacked his house and carried off a large quantity of potatoes.

GAME PLENTIFUL.—It is a noticeable fact that the prairie chickens and other game are much more plentiful since the country has become settled than several years ago, when the first settlers arrived. The explanation is that foxes, hawks, &c., are more destructive of game than sportsmen, and the settlers by destroying the "varmint" have incidently protected the game.—*Mountaineer.*

RICH MINING REGION.—Prof. Bell, in a report just published, says that round James' Bay, and up the eastern shore of Hudson's Bay deposits of coal and iron lie closely packed together in seams and veins of surpassing richness. Vast tracts of forest also exist there with deposits of silver, copper and molybdenum. The region, in fact, so Prof. Bell thinks, will be the future Pennsylvania af the North American continent.

PRIZE ESSAY.—The Board of Agriculture has decided to offer prizes of $50 and $25 respectively, or medals of equal value, at the option of the successful competitors, for the best and second best essays of the capabilities of Manitoba for stock-raising. The stock to be treated of are horses, cattle, sheep and pigs, and any other animals which competitors may think worth conridering from an agricultural standpoint.

NEW POST OFFICES.—The following post offices were opened on the 1st inst.: Glendale, section 5, township 14, range 16 west, Mr. Wm. F. Sirett, postmaster; Glendinning, section 32, township 3, range 15 west, Mr. John Moir, postmaster; Regina, N. W. T., Mr. Fowler, acting postmaster; Toddburn, section 35, township 18 west, Mr. Wm. Todd, postmaster; Wolf Creek (Wolseley station, C. P. R.), section 11, township 17, range 10 west of 2nd principal meridian, Mr. Wm. McAlistor, postmaster.

EGYPTIAN BONDHOLDERS.

The Only Beneficiaries of the War.

Vanity Fair receives the following communication from "A Fortunate Speculator," who says: "Although your paper has almost alone been independent enough to criticize Mr. Gladstone's Egyptian policy, now so popular both with the jingo, and the imitation jingo parties, I think even you must admit that this policy, damaging though it has been to the liberal party in this country, and utterly ruinous though it has been to the national party in Egypt, yet has been a perfect god-send to one large and deserving class in this country and France—namely, the poor Egyptian bondholder. I will relate my own experience as a bondholder within the last three months. I have no doubt but that it is a fair sample of what others have done; and your readers will not be surprised to hear that I entertain the highest feelings of gratitude for Mr. Gladstone's spirited Egyptian policy. On the first outbreak of the Arabi rebellion I sold my Egyptian bonds at 70, never thinking it possible that a Gladstone and Bright government would force upon any nation a ruler and a form of government to which they were unanimously opposed. However, in a few weeks I changed my opinion. Alexandria was bombarded, Bright resigned, the guards were put under orders for Egypt, our one general buckled on his sword and I bought back my bonds at 46—with some trepidation, I confess. However, events marched quickly. The Indian troops were brought over again, by Lord Beaconsfield's worthy successor, the much-abused Cyprus was utilized as a base, the Suez canal was seized in defiance of all international agreements, the unfortunate Egyptians were mown down by shrapnel shells from Woolwich and the sabres of the Life Guards, Tel-el-Kebir was fought, Cairo was entered by our army amid the curses of its population, and my Egyptian bonds went up to 70 again, the price at which I sold originally. I have now sold again, and shall reinvest my capital in something safer than unified bonds; but by Gladstone's policy I made 24 per cent. by the fall, and 24 per cent by the rise, and I now have in cash at my bankers' £1,180 to represent every £700 I had invested in Egyptian bonds. Can you be surprised at my gratitude to Beaconsfield's worthy successor in Eastern policy—William Gladstone? Something should be done to hand down to posterity a mark of the bondholders' gratitude, and I propose that a statue of the Grand Old Man should be erected at the entrance of the stock exchange. To this I will gladly subscribe, as I am sure would many Egyptian bondholders."

At a Social Club to which Jerrold belonged a certain song was cited as an exquisite composition. "That song," exclaimed the enthusiastic member, "always carries me away when I hear it." Looking eagerly round the table. "Can anybody whistle it?" asked the earnest trifler.

HUNTING AND FISHING ACC[IDENTS]

Two brothers named Parker went hunting and one accidentally [shot] the other.

On the first day of the opening [of the] salmon season in California, Sept. [1, 1,000] fish were taken from the Sac[ramento] river.

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In the Blue Juniata, near Hunt[ingdon,] Pa., three bathers lost their lives—[...] Paddock, aged 12; Flora Brossley, a[ged ...] and Martha Crossley, aged 14.

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John J. Schoonmaker went squirrel [hunt]ing near Slaterville Springs, and, mis[taking] Henry Vandermark's gray head for a [squir]rel, hastily fired at it. Vandermark [leaves] a wife and four children, and Schoo[nmaker] is insane with remorse.

PROMINENT PEOPLE.

Empresses, Dukes, Duchesses, Princes and Others Less Prom[inent].

Carolus Duran thinks the Duc[hesse of] Placentia, sister of the Prince of W[agram,] who has just married Mlle Rothsch[ild, the] most beautiful woman of her time.

Marshal Canrobert is but slight[ly...] in his seventieth year. His close [cropped] hair is gray, his eyes are keen and b[right,] his forehead high, and his face on the [whole] very agreeable. His carriage is [...] and soldierly, and his voice is ring[ing and] full of a Southern music.

It now being the fashion for la[dies to] hunt with their husbands, it may i[nterest] some to know that on such occasio[ns the] Duchesse de Chartress and the Comte[sse de] Paris wear blue serge sailor suits and [...] hats; the Comtesse Potocka, a light [...] jacket trimmed with gold braid and [...] a darker short skirt; the Duchesse de [...]rand, a simple short dress, with [...] proof and a billycock hat; and Queen [of] Portugal, a jacket and skirt of moss-[...] cloth, with waistcoat, and a pair of [...] that come up to her knees.

"Burleigh House by Stamford tow[n has] reached a good old age, being now [in the] first quarter of its fourth century, an[d in as] perfect order as when built by Cecil. [The] earl of Tennyson's ballad was grand[father] of the present peer, whose grandmoth[er was] the lowly Sarah Hoggins.

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The greater powers are doing their [...] effect the reconciliation of the Du[ke of] Cumberland with the existing situatio[n, but] so far in vain. He would, if he yielded [suc]ceed not only to the duchy and the [...] fortune of the reigning duke, but to the [pri]vate fortune of the late King George [...] over, some sixteen million thalers.

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Well That Ends Well.

nel Kemp sat at breakfast on a eptember morning in the dining- f his country house, situated in a ul Berkshire glade not far from or. Vis-a-vis to the old gentleman s daughter and only child, Victoria, ning, brown-eyed, creamy-cheeked lady, of about three-and-twenty.

Colonel, who was a widower, had considerable renown during the n the Punjaub. He had earned a deal of prize-money and numerous s and crosses, and, having, beside pension, much private property, derived from his deceased wife, s enabled to keep up both a country town house and to live in good

daughter Victoria owed her name to ather's extreme loyalty to his sove- She was the "apple of his eye," and did she deserve his warmest affec-

e post had just come in, and the el, while he twirled his egg spoon bly between his fingers, was con- one of his letters with a perplexed

What on earth does it mean?" he ered, "I can't make head or tail of

ctoria held her peace, knowing perfect- ll that by doing so she would soon be ntened.

Here's a letter," continued the Colonel letter from Sunderabad—no, Cal- —from my old friend Chevilstone, ining a very extraordinary proposition st extraordinary, my dear—most extra- ary!"

re the Colonel hemmed, adjusted eye-glass, and glared fiercely at the r.

Well, papa, dear, what is it?" his daught- ntured to ask.

What is it? Just listen, Vic." And the nel read:

"CALCUTTA, August 1, 1867.

MY DEAR KEMP: Though many years e elapsed since we fought side by side in Punjaub, I feel satisfied that you retain cient regard for your old comrade to do a real kindness. My eldest son is or- d by the surgeon of our regiment—your old corps, you know—to recruit his th by a two years' visit to England. I rich enough to give him every indul- ce, and he will be in England almost as n as this letter. Never having left India, knows nothing of our English ways. I e directed him to you. Be to him as a her, and oblige your friend and companion rms.

'PHILIP CHEVILSTONE.''

Victoria laughed during the reading of the stie.

"Well, papa," she said, "you have often hed you had a son; now you will have a rd."

"A pretty thing," grumbled the Colonel, o be plagued in my old age by some over- wn, overspoilt brat."

"Brat, papa? Why, surely Mr. Chevil- ne cannot have young sons!"

"How do I know that?" retorted the Col- el. "Many a man makes a fool of himself his old age."

"But surely, papa, if Mr. Chevilstone was e of your old companions-in-arms, he st be about your own age; and it is not ely—"

"No, it is not likely," snapped the lonel. "But a good many things hap- n that are not likely, Vic. The letter esn't say a word about the fellow's age or ything."

"It is certainly vague," assented Vic- ia.

"Vague! It's a perfect riddle! what are e to do here with a great growing lad who'll t like a horse and make love to all the ser- nt maids?"

"Oh, papa, it will not be so bad as that! oung Mr. Chevilstone may be an accom- ished young man, or"—here she laughed— a very little boy."

The Colonel smiled grimly.

"I'll write to say I won't have him!" he claimed. "Why am I to be turned into guardian to an Indian hobbledehoy against y will!"

"But you can't write, papa dear, there no time. Remember, Mr. Chevilstone ys his son will be here almost as soon as his letter which has announced his ar- val."

"That's true!" muttered the Colonel, uite nonplussed.

"So you see you must submit with a ood grace, papa. And now," she con- nued, rising, "since you have finished reakfast, I will leave you to read your paper nd go and make preparations for this young Indian, who may be expected any our."

"Very well, dear"—and the Colonel groan- d inwardly as he took up his *Times*—"since here's no help for it."

The Colonel commenced to read his newspaper, while his daughter, hasten- ed to hold a conference with the house- keeper.

At 8 o'clock on the same evening, while Colonel Kemp was lingering over a cup of coffee and Victoria singing to him a series of Scotch ballads, in which the old soldier de- lighted, "Mr. Sydney Chevilstone" was an- nounced. The Colonel rose hastily from his seat, with an air of doubt and curiosity. Victoria, following her father's example stopped short in the middle of "Auld Robin Gray," and rose involuntarily. But, as their guest, with pleasant smile, and extended hand advanced toward the master of the house, it required all the good-breeding and self-possession of the veteran and his daughter to prevent their uttering an exclamation of extreme surprise.

The new-comer was neither an over-grown "hobbledehoy" nor a "very little boy," as surmised by father and daughter. He was a tall, handsome and particularly dignified man of about eight-and-twenty; Sydney Chevil- stone, in fact, was so striking in appearance that he would have attracted attention any- where.

The visitor was—as was to be expected from his never having resided out of India —exceedingly dark—so dark, indeed, that his complexion would have been almost dis- agreeable to the eye of a European but for the great intelligence in his dark eyes and the dazzling whiteness of his teeth, which set off the dusky hue of his complexion to advantage. His jet-black hair [illegible] silky and curly, and a small, well- trimmed mustache shaded his upper lip.

"A guardian to that stately animal! Pooh!" muttered the Colonel to him- self. But he bade him welcome with all the self-possession he could at the mo- ment muster, and introduced him to his daughter.

Victoria, who had been prepared to see a boy of certainly not more than [illegible] for once entirely lost her presence of mind and colored deeply as she returned young Chev- ilstone's graceful bow. She felt that she was positively awkward, that her demeanor was more than of a village girl than of a well-bred young lady. She was angry with herself accordingly and the consciousness of her gaucherie did not assist her to appear less gauche. Sydney Chevilstone came to her relief.

"You were singing, Miss Kemp. Pray do not let me disturb you."

"But," put in the Colonel, "have you dined, Mr. Chevilstone?"

"Oh, yes—before I left town!"

"But your traps."

"Oh, your butler is seeing to him. They are being taken to my room!"

"His room!" thought the Colonel. "Con- found his impudence!" He said aloud. "At least you will let us offer you a cup of cof- fee?"—and he rang the bell and ordered a fresh supply of cake.

"With much pleasure," said the visitor, "on condition that I do not disturb Miss Kemp."

"Oh, my daughter was only singing to me a Scotch ballad! I have a foolish partiality for Scotch airs."

"Ah! so I heard! Miss Kemp was sing- ing 'Auld Robin Gray,' I think. I caught the air as I came up the stairs;" and he looked with interest at the young lady.

"Go on then, Vic, since Mr. Chevilstone permits it," said the Colonel.

Victoria hesitated. It seemed, at so early a stage of acquaintance, very like being "trotted out for inspection." But she felt to be occupied anyhow was preferable to sitting unemployed under the searching gaze of the new comer's large, dark eyes; and with some nervousness—a thing very unusual with Victoria—she resumed her seat at the piano and recommenced the touching and beautiful ballad. Was it won- derful that, interpreted by such an exquis- ite contralto voice as that of Victoria Kemp, the sad story should go straight to Sydney Chevilstone's heart? Never had the young man in his Anglo-Indian experi- ence had the opportunity of listening to so pure and beautiful a voice. So it was not surprising that Sdyney Chevilstone was quite taken by storm; and when, at the conclus- ion of her ballad, Victoria ventured to glance furtively at him, she was astonished and gratified to perceive that the tears had actu- ally gathered in his eyes, and that he was incapable of uttering a single word of thanks. Even the old Colonel sighed as he stroked Psyche's long silky brown ears.

"Ah," said he, "that's something like music! I don't know whether it's out of my regard for the old Higlanders, but the very named of anything Scotch warms my heart. Kiss your old father, Vic darling. You sing like a seraph."

Victoria bent over her father.

"Shall I sing another, papa dear?"

"Oh no—I—that is—pray excuse me!" burst in Sydney impulsively, and then he looked embarrassed.

The Colonel and Victoria turned to him in surprise.

"You were going to say something?" said the father.

The young man looked more and more confused. After a few moments he stammer- ed out:

"Well, I was going to ask Miss Kemp not to sing any more."

"Ah!" exclaimed the old soldier, delight- ed. "There's a compliment for you, Vic. Mr. Chevilstone thinks as I do—that, after that, nothing will do. He prefers to retain the impression of 'Auld Robin.' Isn't it so Mr. Chevilstone?"

"Yes, I confess it is," returned their visi- tor, looking at Victoria in a fashion that made her feel strangely agitated and cast down her eyes involuntarily.

"How absurd I am!" she said to herself angrily; yet she felt pleased and gratified, as much by the tribute to herself as by the compliment to her singing.

"Was there ever such a charming wo- man!" thought Chevilstone.

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A month or six weeks had elapsed, and Sydney Chevilstone had become thoroughly domiciled at the Beeches, Colonel Kemp's seat. Already was the young Anglo-Indian on such friendly and affectionate terms with his host that they had many a laugh over the ambiguous wording of the letter written by the former's father. Indeed, the young man habitually called the Colonel "guard- ian," and the old soldier's "ward" had to undergo much badinage from the visitors to the Beeches, the fact, of course, being that there was no real guardianship in the ques- tion. The whole mistake had arisen from the Colonel's too hasty interpretation of the letter from Mr. Chevilstone, Sr. Yet the veteran could not but notice that when the subject was alluded to there was a sort of sly smile on the young man's lips, as if there was some secret behind all this that he—the Colonel—was not a sharer in. It was not long, however, before the owner of the Beeches was enlightened on this head.

As to Victoria Kemp and Sydney Chevil- stone, both being young, good-looking, in- tellectual, accomplished and of similar tastes, what possible termination save one could there be to such an acquaintanceship? Sydney Chevilstone and Victoria Kemp were "over head and ears" in love with each other; and, though no explanation had yet taken place between them, each was conscious of the truth.

For a day in mid-October the Colonel and Victoria had planned their last picnic of the year, and by permission of the ranger it was to take place in Windsor Great Park. The picnic was to be small and select and to con- sist of only fifteen or sixteen, very intimate friends of the Colonel and his daughter.

For a more exquisite day than it turned out for this their last picnic for the season it would have been impossible to wish. The whole of the party were charmed with the success of the undertaking. Never were there such champagne and such lobster sal- ads, or such genial master and mistress of the ceremonies as the Colonel and his daugh- ter. So declared everybody.

The eating part of the business was hap- pily concluded; the Colonel and one or two of the older men were defying the rheumat- ism by lying at full length on the grass smoking their cigars, while as a matter of course, the younger members of the party had paired off and were talking all sorts of nonsense in couples.

Victoria Kemp and Sydney Chevilstone walking in one of the beautiful glades of the park, were at a considerable distance from their companions, but they did not appear to be aware of the fact, or, if they were it did not cost them any uneasiness.

They were laughingly discussing the mysterious letter of Mr. Chevilstone, Sr., which had introduced his son to the house- hold of the Kemps, and Victoria maintained that any one, after perusing it, would have supposed that a little boy or at any rate a great, growing lad, was about to be inflicted on them.

Chevilstone smiled, and asked what had been her own opinion.

"Well, I confess," said Victoria, smiling, "that I fancied we were to receive a little fellow, aged, perhaps, some 12 years. So persuaded was I of it that I told the house- keeper to get ready a little room which has never been used since the death of my brother, and which contains a cot"—here she glanced merrily at his six foot figure— "that you could not by any possibility have used."

"Oh, oh!" cried her amused listener. "Then how was it I found such a charming domicile awaiting me?"

"Why, we always keep a spare room ready for any chance arrival; and of course the butler when he had seen you, had sense enough to conduct you to the right apartment!"

"Ah, just so! And your father?"

"Oh, papa's idea was that we were to be troubled with a great hobbledehoy, who would eat enormously and—and'—"

"Well, Miss Kemp, 'and'—"

Victoria colored, and looked a little con- fused.

"It was only some of papa's nonsense, and, unless you insist—"

"I insist," said he mischievously, looking full into her eyes.

"Well then, papa thought you might make love to the maids."

Sydney Chevilstone frowned for a mo- ment and then laughed aloud.

"I am honored, I am sure! But listen Victoria."

This was the first time he had ever called her by her Christian name, and, though, with instinctive subtlety, she knew perfect- ly well what was coming, and not too well what her reply would be, all her woman's modesty rushed to her aid and she said as if she had only then become aware of the fact.

"What a distance we have strayed from our party Mr. Chevilstone! Had we not better return?"

"Not yet, I think," he answered, in a very tender but firm tone that she felt pow- erless to resist.

However, she made one more effort to escape hearing the very words she wished to hear; so she looked at he watch and said:

"Past five! We really must return and see the sun set over Woodlands; it is a love- ly estate, and almost adjoins papa's. It is quite a sight to see the last rays of the sun on that magnificent range of copper beech- es."

The young man smiled a curious smile.

"You admire Woodlands, then, Vic- toria?"

Again "Victoria!" This time the hot blood dyed her cheek and brow.

"Oh, yes, of course I do—anybody would! Its owner died only a year ago, and papa knew him well. We often visited there. It is a most lovely place."

"You do not know its present owner then?"

"No; he has not yet taken possession. All we know is that he is a gentleman who has lived much abroad. I dare say we shall become acquainted with him some day."

"I dare say you will."

"No doubt he is some crusty old nabob with a worn out liver, who lives on curries and mulligatawny soup, and who throws the dishes at the heads of his black ser- vants."

"No doubt he is."

"But then, one must be civil to next- door neighbors, you know."

"Oh, of course! Good breeding enjoins that. But I do not fancy the new owner of Woodlands will be such an ogre as you imagine."

"Why not?"

"Possibly I have the honor of his ac- quaintance."

"You!"—and Victoria looked up at him with unfeigned surprise.

"What is there so extraordinary in that?" asked he laughing.

"You do know the new owner of Wood- lands, then?"

"He stands before you."

Victoria Kemp's surprise was so great that she could not utter a word.

"Listen, Victoria, dearest," said the young man, taking both her hands. "You and your father have been the victims of a plot."

"A plot!" exclaimed the young lady; but she did not withdraw her hands.

"Yes; but before I tell you about it, I wish to ask you one question. We are neither of us children, we are neither of us, I think, likely to express our feelings in many words. You must have seen that I love you, Victoria; will you be my wife?"

It was a straightforward wooing indeed! No protestations—not a single unnecessary word! How different from the general run of lovers! But Victoria understood the straightforward, manly nature of Sydney Chevilstone: and admired his character, and she loved him. So she simply answered—

"Yes."

He put his arm around her and kissed her passionately.

"But about the plot, Sydney?" asked Victoria, after a brief interval.

"Oh, yes! Well, then, the letter was concocted expressly to deceive yourself and the Colonel."

"Oh!"

"Yes, dearest; the medical adviser who recommended me to pass two years in Europe was no other than myself. I was surgeon to the—th, as an army list would have shown the Colonel had he consulted it."

"To think we should have been de- ceived!"

"Yes, you fell into the trap easily. But, you see this was it. The late owner of Woodland, who, as you know, had neither kith nor kin, was my god-father, and at his death he bequeathed the estate and a large sum of money in truth to myself. Of course upon this I was determined to quit the army. While my father and myself were making inquiries about my new property, it oozed out that the owner of the adjoining estate, the Beeches, was no other than Colonel Kemp, my father's old comrade in arms."

"Ah!"

"Well, though my father and yours had not seen each other for some years, they had occasionally corresponded; and so, when my match-making sire heard that Colonel Kemp had an only child—a daughter—he proposed a very pretty little scheme. It was neither more nor less—than to join the two estates."

"It was very impertinent!" said Victoria, trying to appear angry.

"It was, I own."

"And I have a great mind to retract what I have said," she added, with a charming smile.

"Ah, I am not afraid! But listen. Of course my father and I thought that if I an- nounced myself as a man I should not be re- ceived at the Beeches as a permanent inmate but that if we so worded the letter as to leave it in doubt—"

"Yes, yes; you know that, once our guest, we should not be so rude as to turn you out."

"That's just it. And now will you for- give me, Victoria?"

"For what?"

"For having descended to a subterfuge unworthy of a gentleman."

She looked up at him, her brown eyes full of a tender light.

"It was not a right thing to do," she said; "but I am the gainer by it, and so I forgive you, Sydney."

The young man took his pardon from her lips.

"But," added Victoria. "I don't know what papa will say to all this."

But, after having heard the story of his "ward" the Colonel came to the conclusion that "all's well that ends well."

Lord Dufferin's Reward.

Lord Dufferin will receive a Marquisate for the admirable manner in which he has conducted affairs at Constantinople. The British Ambassador has done something to revive the older traditions of diplomacy, and to remind Europe that there is another, and often a better, way of carrying on interna- tional negotiations than the brutal Bismarck- ian method. Lord Dufferin has beaten the Turks at their own game. Their diplomacy is always supple and dilatory, and it suited the British Ambassador to meet the Turks with their own weapons. The truth is that neither party was very anxious to bring mat- ters to a point. The English Government was not eager that the convention should be signed, and the Turks were unwilling to en- ter into it on the only conditions on which England would agree. Both parties had thus resource to a dilatory diplomacy. The Turks had many difficulties to raise, but Lord Dufferin more than matched them. He had an unfailing supply of criticisms, objec- tions, proposals, and counter-proposals. When the convention was about to be sign- ed some new point was always raised, and thus the game was kept on from day to day and week to week. Then came the victory of Tel-el-Kebir, and the Turks found they had been outwitted and baffled. Lord Duf- ferin told the Sultan that the convention was no longer necessary, and the Sultan was bound to admit the force of the plea. The British Minister has since been consol- ing the Palace with profuse assurances of the friendliness and good-will of England. The Turks know very well, however, that they have been out-manœuvred by the Eng- lish Ambassador, but Lord Dufferin deserves well of his country for relieving them of dangerous allies at a critical moment. It is long since a diplomatic contest has been con- ducted with so much tact, adroitness, and success.

The Successful Man.

The man who succeeds is the popular man—the person who has hosts of acquaint- ances, and who does not hesitate to ask a favor, any more than he does to do one. He cultivates his acquaintances and blos- soms out before each one. He is always glad to see them, and always has a smile and a pleasant word. Beyond a certain point he is intimate with none, knowing that a man with strong friendships is sure to have some decided enemies, and an en- mity often is most inconvenient. The pop- ular man knows all the prominent members of the club; but he never neglects those who fill the ranks of mediocrity. He is especially thoughtful of his elders. Every- thing that comes to his mill is grist.

There is nothing hypocritical in all this. The popular man is what he seems to be. He wishes well to every one, himself in- cluded, and he would do no one an ill-turn. He wishes no one to do him harm. His desire is to make things pleasant to others that others may make things pleasant unto him. He does not neglect the harder work of life. If he is in a profession, he studies diligently for some hours each day, when there is no opportunity to cultivate the social part of his nature, or to render his relations with others more friendly. If he is in trade, he does not neglect to learn his business thoroughly from the bottom up. What he does he does well, no matter how small it is.

Such a man is sure to command success. He is thorough and can be depended upon in purely business relations, and in his so- cial life he charms and attracts his acquaint- ances, so that every one wants to help him. If he is a young lawyer, the elderly men, to whom he is always deferential in manner, think of him first when a little legal busi- ness comes in their way that will pay him well but is too small for them. He gets the job. If he is a young broker, speculators remember that he is a good fellow, and knowing that he is honest and capable, give him their commission, even in preference, perhaps, to a more repellant acquaintance who is more conveniently at hand. If a so- cial gathering is lacking in one member, he is always thought of as the one to fill the vacant place. Women smile on him, and his chances of marrying well are tenfold better, even if he is poor, than a more se- date and quiet man of possibly much great- er force of character.—*The Hour.*

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Two thousand Indians were lately en- gaged in picking wild hops in Puyallup Val- ley, Washington Territory.

The Victoria *Standard* says the water in the harbor and Straits has been full of whale food for some two weeks or more, giving it a peculiar reddish brown color.

At Juneau City, Sitka, the placer dig- gings are doing well, miners making from $20 to $40 to the hand per day. The Idaho left Fort Wrangel at 8 p.m. on the 19th inst, and Karter Bay on the following day. She brought down $11,000 in dust from Harris- burg in which vicinity quartz prospecting is still being actively prosecuted.

"Honest John" of the *Columbian* says: There is reason to believe that there is more than one Chinese establishment in New Westminster into which Indian girls of ten- der years are enticed, drugged with opium and debauched. It is to be hoped that the Indian agent and the civic authorities will unite in a determined effort to stamp out these places of infamy. There is reason for believing that if these doings on the part of Chinese are not checked there may be trouble between them and the Indians.

Kootenay is a good wheat country, and two pioneer flour mills are being erected, one of which will be in operation the coming fall. Several bands of horses and cattle have passed through the country for the North-West recently, and the Hon. R. L. T. Galbraith, M. P. P., informs us that Mr. Laiser, of Spokane Prairie, will start in a few days with 200 head of cattle to set- tle at the Columbia Lakes, from which point he expects to supply the Canadian Pacific Survey party of 75 men with beef.

Reports of crops and stock in the interior are of the most satisfactory character.—— The construction of the bridge at Boston Bar is delayed owing to the rapidly rising water. ——Large quantities of freight are going out of Yale bound for the interior.——Fraser river rose eight feet last week, but is now falling.——Opposite Yale the Chinese and white mining claims are paying $3 to $4 to the hand per day.——Recently a large rock rolled down the bank above the Big Tun- nell and badly bent the rail. Again yester- day a few tons of rock fell upon the track near Sailor's Bluff, something over half a dozen miles from Yale, and it took some time to clear the track. The dangerous condition of the road and tunnels causes considerable uneasiness to travellers by the cars.—*Victoria Standard.*

The Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 9th inst., speaking of the new pass through the Selkirk range of mountains, says: The border land of Her British Majesty's do- minions, across the 59th parallel, is now as- suming unusual importance, owing to the discovery of a new pass in the Selkirk range, which one was never before supposed to ex- ist. Major Rogers, of the Canadian Pacific railway, is the discoverer of this important pass, which is henceforth to be known as the Roger's Pass. The discovery cannot be over-estimated, for it will give an impetus to the building of the road it never before had; as it saves the length of road around the Upper Columbia Big Bend, and will make the Canadian Pacific some 500 miles shorter than any line now, or being built.

The Crops in Manitoba.

The crop report prepared by the Assist- ant Traffic Manager, Mr. Harden of the C. P. Railway, has appeared and contains re- turns from 88 points from agents of the Company and postmasters throughout the Manitoba and the North-West. The season on the whole was favorable. The spring was late, and in many places wet, so that seed- ing was delayed, while the fall being remark- ably dry, did not suit root crops, although of course, it enabled farmers to house their grain in fine condition. Rust is reported from only one point, Reinland, near Emer- son. At Bowbray, 90 miles from Emerson, there was a hail storm on July 24th, which seriously damaged grain. Late and early frosts are reported from one or two points, but crops throughout the Province at large did not suffer to any appreciable extent from that cause. The average yield of wheat from all points is 32 bushels per acre: the largest yield reported was at Millford, where 104 bushels were threshed off two acres. The smallest yield was in Bowbray districts, where the July hail storm played havoc with the crops. The yield of oats all over averaged 44 bushels per acre, barley 30, roots from 250 to 500, and peas were grown from 20 to 25 bushels; flax seed was grown and the yield was fair; the average yield of potatoes was 274 bushels, the larg- est yield reported being at Selkirk, where 400 bushels were raised off half an acre. An enormous area of new land was broken up this year, ready for next year's crop. Stock- raising is still in its infancy. In some of the older districts farmers are importing good breeds from Eastern Canada, and the richness of the grass will enable them to turn out summer-fed stock at the minimum of cost. Agricultural machines are coming into use all over. In one district 45 self- binders were at work in a field. Settlers everywhere complain of the difficulty of get- ting produce to market, and the cry is uni- versal for railways. Owing to the distance from the market settlers from many parts have been deterred from growing grain. It is only a year and a half since the Syndicate took over the Canadian Pacific Railway, and already the new road has been pushed 500 miles westward; from this trunk there runs the C. P. R., Southwestern and Sou- thern Colonization to the south, and in a north-westerly direction, the Portage, Westbourne and North-western, while twelve other branch lines, mostly running into southern Manitoba, have been project- ed. Settlers at one or two points com- plain of speculators and land companies locking up land for speculation purposes, while at other parts new arrivals were dis- satisfied with the Government land regula- tions. Other settlers are rapidly amassing wealth, and new arrivals are contented and hopeful. From January to June three thou- sand settlers entered the country; from July to the end of September that number was probably increased by fifteen thousand. The report closes with the admonition to emigrants not to come up till May or June. This year 18,000 settlers arrived during the first four months of the year, when travel- ling on the prairie was difficult, and emi- grants' patience was sorely tried by floods and bad trade. In May and June the bad weather is over, and the settler can choose his homestead and set about cultivating to the best advantage.

The Standard.

MARKDALE, OCT. 26TH, 1882.

A BEASTLY QUARREL.

A MAN STABBED.

On Saturday night last, about 10 o'clock. a quarrel arose at Mrs. Caswell's boarding house in this place between George Beatty of the 9th line, Euphrasia, and some of the boarders who work on the ballast train, one of whom in the row, picked up a carving knife and stabbed Beatty, who cried out "I am stabbed," when he was at once taken to one side and Dr. Armstrong called in. On examination he was found to have a wound on the forehead and an ugly one in his back which bled profusely. They are, however, not of a serious nature.

The following day a warrant was issued and one John Doyle arrested, and on Monday a Magistrates court held, Wm. Brown, Esq., presiding. The prisoner, Doyle, is from Toronto where he has been a resident some 18 years, and is a young man, very little, if any, over 20 years of age. His chum, who it is said was the chief cause of the row, disappeared on Sunday, and has not been seen around here since. The prisoner at court did not deny the charge, but set up self defence as a plea. He was, however, committed to gaol to stand his trial, which will take place next week. Beatty is laid up for the present, not being able to attend the trial, but will likely be all right in a few days.

IMPROVEMENTS.

Hill Bros. have their elevator closed in, roofed and painted, and are now ready for grain.

The Presbyterian church is roofed and ready for plastering.

Mr. Reynolds has removed into his new residence.

Mr. Dunlop's new brick building is now occupied by the new baker, Mr. Clark.

The new sidewalk is nearing the station.

A $20.00 BIBLE REWARD.

The publishers of *Rutledge's Monthly* offer twelve valuable rewards in their *Monthly* for November, among which is the following: We will give $20.00 in gold to the person telling us which verse in the New Testament Scriptures (not the New Revision) contains the greatest number of words by November 10th, 1882. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner November 15th, 1882. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer for which they will receive the December *Monthly*, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published. This may be worth $20.00 to you; Cut it out, Address RUTLEDGE PUBLISHING COMPANY, Easton, Penna.

Mr. Masson has returned from Manitoulin court, and will be in Markdale on Friday and Saturday.

One thousand women wanted to try McFarland's thirty cent tea; it is perfection.

TAKEN TO THE CITY.—George Harcourt, the T. G. & B. baggageman who accidently shot Mrs. Taylor while shooting "divers" at the Queen's Wharf a few days since was taken to the city from Owen Sound on Monday night in charge of Detective Brown. He was admitted to bail. Mrs. Taylor is improving.

The verdict of most of the people of this section is that W. J. McFarland's Teas are the best and cheapest

On a car being opened at Moncton, N. B., a few days ago, which had been sealed in Toronto, a tramp was found crouching between a number of sewing machines. The fellow had been locked up in the car for six days, the time occupied in the trip. He had torn the paper from the machines and burned it to warm himself, and the smoke had almost suffocated him. He soon recovered and was allowed to go.

Quality is the true test of cheapness in that since McFarland's tweeds are cheap; McFarland's dress goods are cheap; McFarland's shawls are cheap; McFarland imports direct.

Rheumatism. This painful disease that so often cripples for life, arises from poison circulating in the blood, and often from an excess of acid. Inflammation is developed in the Muscles, ligaments and joints, by colds, damp clothing, &c., Liniments are serviceable to relieve, among many, Hagyard's Yellow Oil is preferable. To eradicate the rheumatic poison from the system, nothing can surpass Burdock Blood Bitters.

THE FARMER'S ADVOCATE is still improving and is without doubt the best agricultural paper published in Canada. We cannot but admire the independant course it has pursued during the ten years we have read it. Having made arrangements for clubbing our paper with it, we are in a position to supply the two to the end of 1883 for $1.85, cash, in advance.

Thos. B. McComb who has removed two buildings in this place with his moving apparatus and proved himself fully competent for the business, is now at liberty and will remove or raise buildings of any size. Any person wishing to change the location of any of their buildings will do well to communicate with him, Meaford P. O.

SALE LIST.

Mr. Joseph Brown, of Osprey, (near Brewster's Lake) will sell his farm stock, implements and household effects on Wednesday, Nov. 1st, by public auction. Terms—14 months credit. Mr. Brown has a large stock, and having rented his farm and bound for Manitoba he will sell without reserve. For particulars see bills. Ira H. Perigoe, Auctioneer.

Mrs. Coutts, lot 22, con. 7, Osprey, will sell by public auction on Tuesday, 31st Oct., all her stock, implements, &c. Terms of sale—14 months' on approved paper. Sale to commence at noon. Ira H. Perigoe, Auctioneer.

Mr. Geo. Beatty who was stabbed is now in a critical condition, and his wounds may yet prove fatal.

Alex. Hannah's "Little Pete" won first money ($75) for trot, open to all, and two straight heats in first trot, the third heat being disputed by the judges, though he claims to have won it fairly at Mount Forest.

A FACT.

If you suffer from Chronic Disease, and have little faith in advertised remedies and have sought vainly for a cure, consult your druggist, or address T. Milburn & Co. Toronto, for proof positive regarding the Merits of Burdock Blood Bitters, the Great Regulating Blood purifying tonic, that acts on the liver, kidneys, stomach, bowels and skin.

Manitowaning is now well supplied with churches. Episcopal, 1849; Methodist Presbyterian, 1877-8; Baptist, 1882.

Mrs. B. M. Gifford, of Port Rrowan, was for many years a sufferer of Liver Complaint, and a serious complication of diseases. In a recent letter she says that she has only taken two bottles of Burdock Blood Bitters and has nearly recovered her health, and authorizes us to use her name in advertising to suffering humanity.

Four years ago there were only three municipalities on this Island; now there are seven. Four years ago we only had two agricultural societies; now we have five.—*Manitoulin Expositor.*

C. F. Knight, dentist, will be at the Markdale House on Tuesday next, the 31st, when he will be prepared to execute all work entrusted to him in a satisfactory manner. He will in future be in Markdale the last Tuesday in every month.

On Friday evening, 20th inst., at the raising of a log barn on the farm of Mr. Felix Farden, Glenelg, a log fell from the building. All managed to get clear except Mr. W. Webster. The log struck him dislocating his ankle and fracturing one of the bones of the leg.

All persons suffering from Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, Loss of Voice or any affection of the Throat and Lungs, are requested to call at A. Turner & Co's Drug Store and get a Trial Bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, *free of charge*, which will convince them of its wonderful Merits and show what a regular dollar-size bottle will do. Call early.

The British Government insists that Arabi Pasha shall have the benefit of a first-class English lawyer to defend him; but the Egyptians, who did nothing to put down the rebellion, keeping at a safe distance while the English did the fighting, now claim the right to deal with the rebel leader, and would hang him right off, without allowing any defence. However, the British Government is in a position to dictate, and will see that he is properly defended.

BEST OF ALL.

Our rigorous and changable climate, and our mode of life induces frequent colds, that often lead to severe Coughs' Bronchitis and other lung troubles that are liable to end in Consumption. The best and pleasant remedy known for these difficulties is Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, to be obtained of any Druggist.

The Markdale Methodist S. S. Anniversary was held yesterday evening (Wednesday) in Dufferin Hall. The evening was very fine and there was a crowded house. Tea was served in the basement, after which all adjourned to the hall. The children's platform, which extended out about 16 feet and across the full width of the hall was handsomely decorated, having very striking imitations of palm trees and Jewish Tents, laden with harvest fruits and flowers, illustrating the Jewish Feast of Tabernacles. The Cantata was rendered in a creditable manner by the school and choir. Dr. Armstrong took his position at the organ and acted his part in his usual easy and masterly manner. The school gave evidence of being thoroughly trained, rendering the various parts throughout with marked ability, and reflecting great credit on Mr. Bowes, (the Superintendent) whose untiring efforts and matchless patience and perseverance in training the children, may chiefly be attributed in the grand success of the entertainment. The best order prevailed throughout, which is in itself worthy of commendation. The receipts amounted to about $50 net. During the intermission a beautiful easy chair was presented to the superintendant by Eddie Reynolds on behalf of the school, of which we will give further particulars next week.

SUDDENLY SEIZED.

Mr. Arthur Fisher, of the Toronto *Globe* observes: "On my last trip to the States, I caught a very bad cold from a severe wetting I received one night in the city of Philadelphia, which settled into a very bad case of rheumatism, and made me most miserable. I did not know what to do for it, and could not think for a long time, until I bethought me, that on previous visits to that side, I had always bought for Mr. Gay, of our paper, a couple of bottles of St. Jacobs Oil. I remembered also, fortunately, that the last two bottles had cured that gentleman of the rheumatism and so I resolve to purchase St. Jacobs Oil for my own use. I went at once to a drug store and made the purchase; that very night I began applying the Oil, and in two weeks time I was as well as ever."

BIRTHS.

JACKSON.—In Holland, on the 21st inst., the wife of Mr. William Jackson, jr., of a Daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ROBIN—DARGAVEL.—At Durham, Oct. 10th, by the Rev. Wm. Park, Mr. Asa Robin to Miss Jane Dargavel, both of Bentinck.

EDGE—ECTOR.—At Durham, October 10th, by the Rev. Wm. Park, Mr B. Edge to Miss Lizzie Ector, both of Glenelg.

SPEERS—REID.—By Rev. N. A. McDiarmid at the residence of the bride's brother Listowell, on the 19th, inst., Mr. C. W. Speers of Markdale, to Miss E. I. Reid of Listowell.

DOWN—TABOR.—On Oct. 18th, by the Rev. W. Ames, of Oxford Centre, at the residence of the bride's father, Alfred Down, Esq., of the township of Artemesia, to Miss Lizzie S., eldest daughter of Henry Tabor, Esq., of East Oxford.

DIED.

NASON.—In Dundalk, on the 23rd inst., Elizabeth Nason, aged 24 years.

GORDON.—In Dundalk, on the 23rd inst., infant child of Mr. Robt. Gordon.

ESTRAY CATTLE.

CAME INTO THE PREMISES OF THE undersigned, Lots 37 and 38, 1st concession W. T. & S. Road, on or about the 12th of October, three head of cattle—two steers and one cow. Steers are about three years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away.

JOHN SARGEANT.

October 24th 1882, 111-4w,*

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An old physician, retired from active practice having had placed in his hands by an East Indiana Missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all Throat and Lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for General Debility and all nervous complaints, after having thoroughly tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, feels it is his duty to make it known to his fellows. The recipe, with full particulars, directions for preparation and use, and all necessary advice and instructions for successful treatment at your own home, will be received by you by return mail, free of charge, by addressing with stamp or stamped, self-addressed, envelope to

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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the sale, the following property, under mortgage from Robert Morrow, Lots Nos 129 and 130, in the 2nd Concession West of the Toronto and Sydenham Road of the Township of Artemesia, County of Grey, containing 100 acres, more or less.

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or to JOHN LYONS, Esq., Markdale.

Toronto, October 16th, 1882. 111

Trimble & Wright's Column.

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Egyptian War

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Whining Foe.

The Egyptians have fallen, and their death cry "peccavia" (or I surrender) is heard; but the wretched creature Arabi Bey, who was only the tool of a Machiavelle behind the scenes, has been treated by a magnanimous generosity by General Wolseley and the British Government. Hence we wish five or ten thousand men and women, and as many boys and girls, to visit our new, fashionable and incomparable stock of goods, and we feel sure they will, one and all, cry 'paccavia' and secure to themselves bargains not to be had elsewhere in this country, consisting of

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Scarcely four months have elapsed since we opened business in Markdale, and we believe no firm in the county of Grey has, in the same number of years, opened out such a large, costly and varied stock, and the flattering patronage of an appreciative public causes us to treat with contempt the malignant rage of blind envy, as our business has far exceeded our most sanguine expectations when we opened out here. We are permanently located in Markdale; our footing being such we will continue with the same energy in the future as in the past to increase our business until it shall rival the oldest commercial houses in the county of Grey. Gas is not the order of our house but solid facts as all may see by giving us a call.

Trimble & Wright

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MARKDALE MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.80 to $0.90; Spring to $0.95; Barley, 60c; Peas, 66c; Butter, 16c; Eggs, 20c; Potatoes, $8.00.

FLESHERTON MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.80 to $0.90; Spring to $0.95; Barley, 60c; Peas, 66c; Butter, 16c; Eggs, 20c; Potatoes, $8.00.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, $0.90 to $1.00; Spring to $1.06; Barley, 56c to 83c; Oats, Peas, 74c to 76c; Hogs, $8.00 to $8.50 toes, per bag, 75c to 80c; Butter, to 20c; eggs 23c to 24c.

GENERAL

Blacksmith

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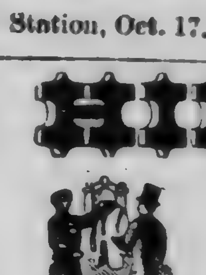

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Local Items.

Meaford is to have a driving park.

If you want to buy or sell a farm apply to R. C. Bryden.

Euphrasia ploughing match to-day (Thursday) on lot 30, con. 6.

The work on the T. G. & B. elevator at Owen Sound has commenced.

If you want a good 12 per cent. investment apply to R. C. Bryden.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Speers arrived by evening train on Wednesday.

Mrs. John Stephens started on Wednesday to visit her friends in Leeds county.

Sneak thieves have been operating in ...'s neighborhood, Artemesia.

Mr. Swan, of Mount Forest, shipped a car load of cutters to Manitoba last week.

Mr. Thos. Ashbury, of Bentinck, had half of the roof blown off his barn recently.

Thursday, the 9th day of November, has been appointed as a day of general Thanksgiving.

Mr. Caswell, of Artemesia, shot a deer recently and the Flesherton people have had venison for a change.

No less than nine persons were fined at Dundalk for disorderly conduct, etc., on the fair day, costing them $90.

The *World* is a spicy daily paper printed in Toronto, only $3 per year, or 25 cts. per month. C. W. Rutledge, agent for Markdale.

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Mr. Richard Dale, of Euphrasia, lost ten sheep by dogs recently. We may expect to hear almost daily of sheep being killed by these animals this time of year, and we have ... noticed that the poorer the people the more dogs they keep.

The *Mail* or *Globe* to the end of 1883 for $1.00. Leave your subscription at the STANDARD office. Subscribe at once and get the balance of this year free.

FIRE.—On Sunday, the 15th, while Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wiggins, of Holland, were at church their barn by some means caught fire and was completely consumed with its contents, comprising 20 tons of hay, 400 bushels of oats, 150 of wheat, 80 of peas, a fanning mill and other articles. His loss will be severe as there was only $300 of insurance.

SURPRISE PARTY.—On Tuesday evening a large number of the citizens of Flesherton met at the residence of Mr. M. Richardson, in honour to Mr. W. F. Doll, prior to his taking up his abode in Markdale. The party first assembled at Mr. Hooper's, and then proceeded by twos and threes to Mr. Richardson's, carrying with them baskets containing all sorts of good things. They took possession of the house, and soon were busily engaged in social chat, and all kinds of parlor and other games. This was kept up until 11:30 when lunch was served; after which the company joined hands in a circle and, with great gusto, sang that old song, "Auld Lang Syne." Then came the "National Anthem," after which the company retired, wishing Mr Doll success in the future.—*Advance.*

If you want money apply to R. C. Bryden.

The spire of Knox church, Durham, is about completed

Mr. G. W. Parsons, of Dundalk, is opening a branch drug store in Maxwell.

Hanover has decided in favor of incorporation and has appointed a committee to attend to it.

Mr. Brown, the artist, is now making very fine specimens of photos in card, cabinet and tablet sizes.

Winnipeg streets were lighted by the electric light and the street car system inaugurated on Saturday night.

News from the west coast of Vancouver Island, B. C., reports the wreck of a British steamer and the supposed loss of several passengers.

Mr. Lauder's meetings last week at Hopeville, Maxwell, Williamsford and Rocklyn were fairly attended, and his friends feel certain of his re-election.

We regret to learn that a sad accident happened to Mr. Abercrombie, Secretary of Euphrasia Agricultural Society, he having been kicked by a horse recently breaking two of his ribs.

RETURNED.—Mr. Mark Richardson, who has been absent over two years, returned last Saturday. He has been in Montana and Manitoba. He will return shortly to the latter place where he intends locating. We are pleased to see him look so well.

BETTER THAN GOLD.

A good name, good health, a good companion and a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil are among the first requisites for human happiness. Yellow Oil cures Rheumatism, Sprains, Lameness, Bruises, Burns, Frost Bites, Croup, Sore Throat, and all pain and Inflammation.

The pews in the Methodist church, Markdale, will be re-let at an up-set price for the coming year. Parties holding pews and wishing to retain them are notified to make application to C. W. Rutledge on or before the 1st November, any pews not settled for by that date will be let to the first applicant. A diagram can be seen at the STANDARD Office.

THE MICROCOSM.—The third number of volume two of this highly interesting and instructive religio-scientific journal, of which A. Wilford Hall, Ph. D. is editor and publisher, is before us. It is now printed in magazine form, with 32 pages, price $1 per year. The mission of the *Microcosm* is to combat false theories of science with devine revelation.

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ACCIDENT.—On Monday night last week Mr. Thos. Myles, son of the Reeve of Euphrasia, was thrown from the back of the horse he was riding. He came down on his back amid a heap of stones. His spine and back muscles are somewhat injured, and the ends of the small bones are broken. Dr. Parsons is in attendance on the young man, who, the physician hopes, has not suffered any irreparable injury. We hope he will soon be around again.

W. Masson, of Owen Sound, arrived here last week for the purpose of preparing papers for administering the Tinkis estate and looking after the general interests of the heirs. It is understood that the extensive business of the late Mr. Tinkis is in a very favorable condition indeed. Mrs. Tinkis expressed her thanks for Mr. Masson's promptness in coming and the satisfactory manner in which he performed the duty entrusted to him.—*Manitoulin Expositor.*

A meeting of the Directors of Glenelg Agricultural Society was held last week. The result of their fall show was satisfactory generally. It was decided to have a "bee" on Wednesday (yesterday) for the purpose of making improvements on the grounds, especially the speeding course, which they will have in good condition for another year. The following resolution was passed:—"Moved by Mr. Alex. Mercer, seconded by Mr. Edward Davis, and carried, that Wm. Masson, Esq., of Owen Sound and Markdale, be registered as a life member of Glenelg Agricultural Society in recognition of his valuable services in purchase of show grounds for said society, and in consideration of his liberal contributions and for other services."

MCFARLAND'S NEW ELEVATOR.—The raising of the frame work of the above building was completed on Monday last, having taken eleven days, and is, without exception, the finest building of the kind in the county. It is 50x70 feet, and nearly 70 feet high. It was planned and laid out by W. G. Richards, builder and contractor, and reflects great credit on him as a mechanic, who is master of his business, not a false mortice or drawbore in the whole, and every joint a complete fit. The capacity of this elevator is 80,000 bushels. Mr. Thos. B. McComb, of Meaford, rendered great assistance with his block and tackle without which it would have been almost impossible to have raised the heavy timbers. We are glad to see this fine storehouse and also that of Hill Bros. erected and that without an accident of any kind.

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That most desirable property being park lots nos 2 and 3 on the north side of George st., 8 acres more or less, well fenced, front fenced with pickets, one and a half acres of a thriving young orchard and very convenient to the railway station.

The east half of the west half on lot 18 on the west side of countess street with a new frame house and kitchen, good stable and wood shed, well fenced, front fence painted white, hard and soft water on the premises.

4th,

Park Lot No. 8, Wm. Hunter's, Survey.

5th

Lots 1 and 2, Presbyterian Survey.

6th,

Lot No 15 on the North side of Mill street in the village of Markdale close to the railway station, with good frame house thereon. If the above properties are sold the very best title will be given free from all encumbrances.

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8th,

Lot No. 93 in the 3rd Con. W. T. & S. R., Glenelg, 50 acres, about 45 acres cleared and good log buildings, about 2½ miles from Markdale station T. G. & B. R.

9th,

The west half lot 17, Con. 4. N. D. R, Glenelg, 50 acres 40 acres cleared, good rough cast house and orchard on the premises. The house and one acre will be reserved during the life of the occupants who are now between 80 and 85 years of age.

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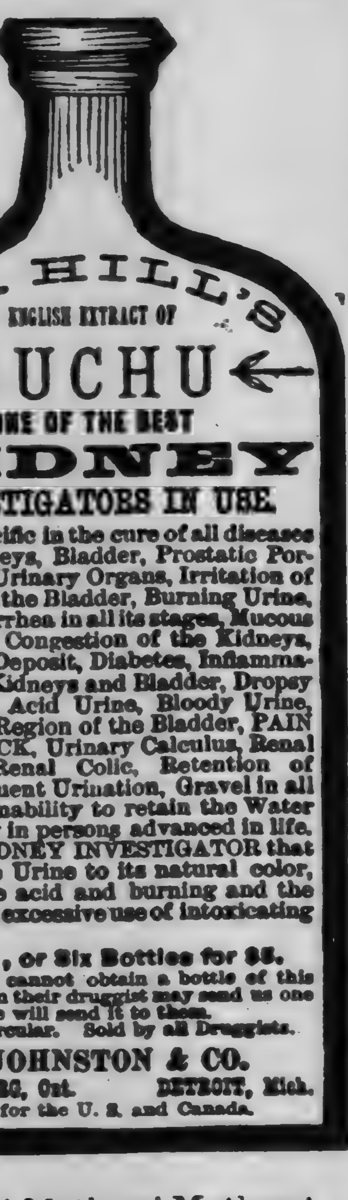

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The Review at Cairo.

The London *Standard's* correspondent telegraphs a long account of the review which took place at Cairo. He says:—The square in front of the Abdin Palace presented a brilliant appearance. Upon one side was a long wooden pavilion, gayly decorated. In the centre was the dais of the Khedive. The Sultan's flag flew overhead, the royal standard of England was on the right, the Egyptian flag on the left. The pavilion was filled with Europeans and Egyptian officials, very few unofficial natives having a place there. Opposite, with a space between for the march of the troops, was the general's staff, with a bodyguard of marines in bright red coats and white trousers. General Wolseley took up his place in front of the Khedive's raised dais.

At four o'clock the march-past began. At the head of the cavalry division rode General Drury Lowe, with his staff. His handling of his troops during the war places him on the roll of distinguished cavalry leaders. Borrodaile's battery of Horse Artillery had the place of honor. After the Horse Artillery came the stately Household Cavalry, with drawn swords, in sections of fours, all looking in their fighting kit very different from, but certainly not less effective than, the gorgeous cavalry who file before the the Queen at Windsor. Scarcely inferior in size of men or horses were the Fourth and Seventh Dragoon Guards. Following these came the Nineteenth Hussars, perhaps the most smartly turned out body of cavalry upon the ground. Following the Hussars came the Mounted Infantry, rifles at rest. From the fifth of August to the end of the war this little body has been in almost daily conflict with the enemy. In every fight they were the first to begin and the last to finish. The Indian cavalry next filed past, a splendid and picturesque body, the curved swords of the Second and Sixth Bengal cavalry flashing in the sun and the pennons of the Thirteenth Lancers making a gay show. Their array was no whit less steady and disciplined than that of the best English horsemen, and the effect of the spectacle on the Egyptians in the pavilion and upon the crowd in the square was very marked. After the cavalry thirty guns of the Horse Artillery—no finer could be seen in the world—rumbled through the square, their quiet, business-like look being all the more effective after the gay show of the Indian horsemen.

The bands, which had hitherto been playing a lively cavalry trot, now changed the time, and a march heralded the approach of the blue jackets contingents, that from Ismaila under Captain Fitzroy, that from Alexandria—chiefly the men who had done good service in the armor clad train—under Commander Henderson. The blue jackets have done brilliant service during this war in a great variety of ways. Upon the present occasion they proved that in a march past they can rival the most perfectly drilled infantry, and a German officer who was present included them as among the best troops on the ground. Next to them came the garrison of marine artillery under Colonel Tewson. The appearance af the Duke of Connaught with his staff now indicated the approach of the Brigade of Guards. No need to critise their marching, as, with ranks closely locked, they passed in solid column to the "British Grenadier's March." The leading company of the Scots Guards attracted special admiration, the men averaging six feet two inches in height—certainly the highest average in the British army—and the whole brigade is a remarkably fine one. After the Guards the steady stream of British infantry flowed past in unbroken order, the regiments deploying into column as they entered the square, forming column of route at the double as they emerged from the narrow streets with perfect and unvarying discipline. After the Guards came the Eighteenth (Royal Irish), the Fifth (West Kent), the Eighty-fourth (York and Lancaster), and the Eighty-seventh (Irish Fusiliers). The battalion of Royal Marines followed in new red tunics and brilliantly white helmets, the troops quite eclipsing in appearance all which had passed before, and presenting a splendid spectacle. The marines completed the line of the first division.

General Willis, whose wound has quite healed, now left the side of the commander-in-chief and followed his division, and General Hamley and his staff approached. The drums and bagpipes next heralded the coming of General Alison's Highland brigade. When the detailed reports of the battle of Tel-el-Kebir, now on their way home, are received I think that it will be allowed that the advance of this brigade will be considered as one of the finest instances of military discipline, under the trying circumstances of a night march, in our military history. The Black Watch went pass to the tune of "Highland Laddie." Since Fontenoy, when this regiment covered the retreat of the English army, it has taken part in nearly every event in British military history. After the Black Watch the Cameronians strode past to the "Pibroch of Donald Dhu," which has been heard upon the scene of many a British victory. The first man who surmounted the entrenchments of Tel-el-Kebir was Private Donald Cameron, of this regiment, who fell dead, shot through the head. The Gordon Highlanders and the Seventy-fourth, equal in physique and appearance to the leading regiments, completed the brigade. Then came the fourth brigade from Alexandria, led by General Sir Evelyn Wood, upon whose breast glittered three lines of medals. The Sixtieth rifles completed the march past of the Second division.

The Indian contingent, under Generals Macpherson and Tanner, finished the display. The Seventy-second (the Seaforth Highlanders) headed the division, nearly every man wearing the Afghan medal and Candahar cross, and they were generally pronounced by the spectators to be the finest body of men on the ground. The wiry, seasoned soldiers looked, indeed, almost a different race of men to the comparative youths of the other corps. The Twentieth Paunjaubees, almost entirely Sikhs and Afghans, and the Second Belooches well represented the Imperial Indian army. The latter regiment, in its red Zouave trousers and green tunics, with long hair and tall, square built figures, had a particularly warlike mien and attracted the admiration of all onlookers.

But little sign of feeling was manifested by the crowds in the streets, who watched the display in gloomy silence. The great majority of the population probably view with a sense of relief the end of the war, but it is certainly not the case that their sympathies are with us, or with the Khedive, whom the troops have brought back.

Much of the credit for the success of yesterday's review must be given to Major-General Dormer, who had the chief arrangement of it. The passing of 17,000 troops through the narrow streets and small square without a single halt or hitch was a vastly more difficult matter than that of getting four times the number ranged in review order in Hyde Park.

The entire march past took exactly one hour and a half. There were in all 781 officers, 17,266 men, 4,320 horses and 60 guns.

The Child in the Printing Office.

Who is the Man that is looking so hard at the Piece of Paper? He is an Intelligent Compositor. Why does he hold the Paper so close to his Eyes? Because the Correspondent that wrote it makes Hen tracks. What is he saying? He is saying, "I can't make out this stuff." And who is the Other Man going to the Case? That is the furious Foreman. What does he Want? He is going to Help the Intelligent Compositor decipher the hen-Tracks. Do you Think he Can do it? I don't know; he can do most Anything, but I Guess that will be Too Much for him. Now I see an Other man Coming. What is he Going to do? That is the Precise Proof Reader. He is Going to Cast his eagle Eye over the Hen Tracks to See where they Lead to. Do you think He can Find it out? No; not without a Guide or a Calcium light. Now, here comes Another man—who is the Man? That is the Able Editor. Where did he come From? From his Den. Now all the Men are close together—see! their Heads most touch—and they are Looking every One of them at the Piece of Paper. What do they do That for? Because they Are Concentrating their Giant intellects upon the piece of Paper to see What the hen-Track Correspondent means by his Hieroglyphics. Have they Found out? No, they are stumped. Now they are going Away from the Case. Yes. And one of the Men has chucked the Piece of Paper into the Stove. Why does he do That? Because he can't read the hen-Tracks. Who is the Small Boy that has a Grin on his face, and his Hat turned up in Front? He is the Office Boy. What is the Able Editor Saying to him? He is telling him to go after the Long Range shot Gun. What for? Because the Able Editor wants to go hunting after the hen-Track Correspondent. Will he hurt him? Yes he will, if he Catches him. Do you think the Correspondent ought to be Killed? Certainly.

A Thames Launch Propelled by Electricity.

Having been one of a privileged party of four, the first ever propelled upon the waters of the river Thames by the motive power of electricity, I think some details of this latest departure in the applications of electric science may be of interest.

At half past 3 this afternoon I found myself on board the little vessel Electricity, lying at her mooring off the wharf of the works of the Electrical Power Storage Company, at Millwall. Save for the absence of steam and steam machinery the little craft would have been appropriately called a steam launch. She is 26 feet in length and about 5 feet in the beam, drawing about 2 feet of water, and fitted with a 22-inch propeller screw. On board were stowed away under the flooring and seats, fore and aft, forty-five mysterious boxes, each a cube of about 10 inches in dimensions. These boxes were nothing else than electric accumulators of the latest type as devised by Messrs. Sellon and Volckmar, being a modification of the well-known Plante accumulator. Fully charged with electricity by wires leading from the dynamos or generators in the works, they were calculated to support power for six hours at the rate of four-horse power. These storage cells were placed in electrical connection with two Siemens's dynamos of the size known as D 3, furnished with proper reversing gear and regulators, to serve as engines to drive the screw propeller. Either or both of these motors could be "switched" into circuit at will.

In charge of the electric engines was Mr Gustave Phillipart, Jr., who has been associated with Mr. Volckmar in the fitting up of the electric launch. Mr. Volckmar himself and an engineer completed, with the writer, the quartet who made the trial trip. After a few minutes' run down the river, and a trial of the powers of the boat to go forward, slacken, or go astern at will, her head was turned citywards, and we sped—I cannot say steamed—silently along the southern shore, running about eight knots an hour against the tide. At 37 minutes past 4 London bridge was reached, where the head of the launch was put about, while a long line of onlookers from the parapets surveyed the strange craft that without steam or visible power—without even a visible steersman—made its way against wind and tide. Slipping down the ebb, the wharf at Millwall was gained at one minute past 5, thus in twenty-four minutes terminating the trial trip of the Electricity.

For the benefit of electricians I may add that the total electromotive force of the accumulators was 96 volts, and that during the whole of the long run the current through each machine was steadily maintained at 24 amperes. Calculations show that this corresponds to an expenditure of electric energy at the rate of 3 1-11 horse-power.

It is now forty-three years since the Russian Jacobi first propelled a boat upon the waters of the Neva by aid of a large but primitive electro-magnetic engine, worked by galvanic batteries of the old type, wherein zinc plates were dissolved in acid. Two years ago a little model boat was shown in Paris by M. Trouve, actuated by accumulators of the Faure-Planté type. The present is, however, not only the first electric boat that has been constructed in this country, but the very first in which the electric propulsion of a boat has been undertaken on a commercial scale.—Silvanus P. Thompson.—*London Times.*

A Western Delicacy.—Toussaint, Ratte & Co., Main street merchants, received 1,500 pounds of dried buffalo meat, about 600 pounds of pemmican and a large quantity of fur from the West yesterday. The pemmican sells for 35 cents a pound. Yesterday the firm sold nearly a bale of the nutritious delicacy to parties who intended sending it to friends in the East.—*Winnipeg Times.*

FACTS AND INCIDENTS.

Notes of Interest from all Parts of the Globe Entertainingly Arranged.

The revised census gives the population of Scotland at 3,735,673, an increase of 11 per cent. since 1871, a rate of progress not exceeded since the third decade of the present century. In 1880 the population was 1,600,-900.

Some nurserymen are so much impressed with the eloquent nomenclature lately adopted at a convention of undertakers, who resolved to call themselves henceforth "funeral directors," that they propose to assume the designation of "arboreal manipulators."

Prof. Torinelli has lately exhibited at the hospital of Santo Spirito in Rome a corpse preserved by him. This body, once in a state of incipient putrefaction, has been reduced by Mr. Torinelli to a state of freshness as if it had been dead only a few minutes. After six months the body turns into a complete mummification with no odor of any kind.

A man convicted of three grave crimes in one term of the Edgar county (Ill.) court. For one of these he was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, for another fourteen years, and for the third the incarnation was to be "during the remainder of his natural life"—which would appear to destroy his interest in the former two punishments.

A writer on odors and their recognition, in the *Journal of Science*, says: "Take an ox, a sheep, or a goat to the country where flora is strange, and he will browse upon plants analogous in odor with those which have formed his food in his native land. But whenever he perceives a strange effluvium given off, he avoids the plant as doubtful." A superfluous bear at the Paris Zoo had a bun with prussic acid on it given him. But Bruin was not to be caught that way. He pushed it into the water, and not until the odor was entirely gone did he eat it. The poison had then lost its force. Animals have pronounced tastes in odors. The literal in "fine frenzy rolling" of the cat in catnip is notorious, while the pard and panther grow amiable beneath the influence of lavender water.

A man of science and an epicure is authority for the statement that the reason of the superior taste of the fish served in Holland is that the Dutch fishermen kill their fish as soon as they are taken from the water, instead of leaving them to die slowly out of their element. He claims that this slow death softens the tissues.

An invasion of Asiatic cholera from Egypt and India is apprehended in Europe, and French statisticians are prompted to recall the devastations inflicted by the pest in Paris in previous epidemics of the present century. In 1832 there were 12,700 deaths in the great city in the one month of April. The epidemic lasted altogether 189 days, and called for a total of 18,402 victims. At that time the population of Paris was only 645.000. In 1848 there was an epidemic that lasted 9 months, and carried off 16,165 persons. In 1853 the cholera caused the death of 9,216 victims, and in 1865 there was a death roll of 12,000. During each of these epidemics there was great mortality also in the west of France, and it is not strange, therefore, that the present reports of another approaching epidemic are received with much uneasiness.

The "difficulty" between Turkey and Greece is over. The Turks who wished at first to "compromise" the matter by handing back two-fifths of the property which they seized, but which did not belong to them, have given back the whole and thus settled the affair. Greece owes her success to her own firm attitude. She showed that she was willing, rather than give up what has been awarded to her, to precipitate a struggle for which the Great Powers were not prepared, and so, in order to prevent trouble, the Powers compelled Turkey to stand and deliver. Greece's claims are not finally settled, and she has learned just now to proceed in order to obtain satisfaction.

Keep Out the Cold Air.

It is much better to have the ventilation of our dwellings under control than to have a constant impouring of air, no matter how cold it may be. The windows, especially in houses built as cheaply as possible, let in all around (and especially where the two sashes meet,) an astonishing amount of air, so much that in severe weather it is almost impossible to make the room comfortably warm. By checking this inflow of cold air from without, the same amount of fuel that before failed to make the room warm enough, will be so much more effective that considerably less coal or wood will be burned. "Weather strips" of various kinds have been invented to be used around windows and doors for the purpose to which we have referred. The essential part of these is a narrow strip of rather stiff India-rubber fabric, attached to a strip of wood or metal, which may be fastened to the window in such a manner that the rubber will cover the cracks between the sashes and the frames, and elsewhere. Those strips are very useful, but are not to be had in all places; besides, while not very costly, they involve an outlay which many would gladly avoid. Before the rubber strips were introduced, woollen ones were in common use. The material known as "list" or "listing," the marginal strips being woven on broadcloth and other goods, is convenient, and costs little or nothing. This material is not obtainable everywhere, nor is it the best substitute for the window strips. By pasting strips of paper around the sashes the current of air can be kept out quite as completely as by any other method. Brown paper will answer as well as any, and if the job be neatly done, it will not be unsightly. When no longer needed, the paper may be pulled off after it has been wetted with warm water. One sash in each room should be left for necessary ventilation, and some movable strip, such as lath, covered with cloth, provided to close its cracks if necessary. A strip of board or plank, covered with some fabric, to be used to close the crack at the bottom of each door, will be found very useful.

A Portable Bank.—The Bank of Montreal has given orders for a portable building, which will be shipped to Regina shortly, and a branch of the leading financial institution of the Dominion opened there.

Lord Dufferin's Success.

The cable brings word that Lord Dufferin is to be made a Marquis for his diplomatic services. The career of Lord Dufferin, still a comparatively young man, has been a most brilliant one. He is the son of the fourth Baron Dufferin, his mother being one of the beautiful Sheridan sisters. He was educated at Oxford, but left that university without taking a degeee. While still a minor he succeeded to his father's title, and under Lord John Russell's first administration he was lord in waiting on the Queen. He travelled from Oxford to Ireland, accompanied by a friend, in 1847, and published an account of his experiences. In 1859 he made a voyage to Iceland in a yacht, and wrote an account of the expedition under the title of "Letters from High Latitudes." He was sent to the East in 1860 by Lord Palmerston to make inquiries into the massacre of the Christians there, and for his services he was made a K. C. B. In 1872 he was appointed Governor-General of Canada. His administrations of affairs in the Dominion was most successful. Harvard University conferred on him in 1878 the honorary degree of LL.D. Since then he has been sent to St. Petersburg as ambassador in a time of great difficulty, and thence to Constantinople. He has been the recipient, perhaps, of more titles, distinctions, and posts of honor than any man of his time. He was created an English baron in 1850, nominated a Knight of St. Patrick in 1863, appointed Lord Lieutenant of County Down in 1864, sworn a Privy Councillor in 1868, and was made an Earl of the United Kingdom in 1871. Of the adage, "Nothing succeeds like success," we have a striking illustration in the careers of Lord Dufferin and Sir Garnet Wolseley.

Gen. Wolseley's Secret Assistance.

Among other plausible attempts at robbing Sir Garnet of his glory in winning the fight at Tel-el-Kebir, I hear it suggested that he was greatly helped by dissensions in the enemy's camp. There is no doubt to Orientals of all classes back-sheesh is irresistible; and we know that in the last Russo-Turkish war, gates were opened and stronge positions sold for money. If the secret history of the recent war ever be made public, we may find that Wolseley did not disdain a single chance of securing success, and made friends of his foes when he could. The knowledge that resistance would be half-hearted may well have braced him to an enterprise which would otherwise have been hazardous, not to say foolhardy, in the extreme. It has been proved to demonstration that the frontal attack of works defended by the breechloader is almost hopeless. We have seen it in the last wars, and that of Egypt ought to have been no exception to the general rule. Tel-el-Kebir, with its double line of skilfully-built well-armed intrenchments, was strong enough to have cost us half the small force Sir Garnet launched so gaily against it; for was there reasonable hope of ultimate success, even at the price of a terriqle butcher's bill? Without being captious or hypercritical, I am inclined to endorse the suspicions of those who think that Wolseley fought with other weapons than those of open war. If he did not, he assumed an awful responsibility, and, had he suffered defeat at Tel-el-Kebir, would have been forever disgraced for so lightly encountering such a terrible risk.—*London World.*

QUEER SUICIDES.

The wife of Adam Elling of Union Deposit, Pa., lay down beside her dead child and cut her throat.

George W. Foster, a printer, killed himself in the jail at Syracuse on account of shame at his incarceration.

Ill health caused John Mayerle of Dubuque to shoot himself through the heart. His young widow is insane.

Bronco Sam of Laramie City committed suicide through jealousy of his Cherokee bride. He, however, shot her dead first.

"To find rest," said Bernard Creamer of Baltimore, "I swallow this ounce of laudanum." He had been in ill health for a long time.

Mrs. Ellen Frazer of Toledo, to escape the pains of neuralgia, committed suicide by hanging herself over the table in the dining room.

Katie Dufield, the 20-year-old daughter of Henry Dufield, of New Orleans, drowned herself because her mother insisted upon her washing the dishes before going to visit a sister.

Jesse W. Banks, a farmer 35 years of ago, near Decatur, Ill., could not live happily with his young wife and so he hanged himself. He had twice before tried poison and the razor.

John Dill, a farm laborer at Cedar City, upon being discharged, spent a day in card playing and drinking, then went to his late employer's residence and in sight of his family blew out his brains.

As Carl Heining, a poor jeweller of Denver, was refining $12 worth of gold dust at a stove it was lost by the breaking of the refining glass. He instantly washed a cup clean, filled it with poison, swallowed the dose, and in an hour was dead.

One of the most terrible and determined of suicides was that of Louis Kompf, a powder maker, of Alameda County, Cal., who blew himself up with a cartridge which he made for the purpose. He probably laid it upon his neck and then fired it. Near his remains was found a torn letter which was plainly written by a child. It read: "Dear Papa: When are you coming back? I am very good. I have my five cents yet. Is there much fruit ripe in the country?"

After taking a look at the moon, George Farrant and Ellen Hickman stood on the banks of the river in London ready to drown themselves. Relatives had thwarted their proposed marriage, and they determined to die together. George tied his wrist to Ellen's and they jumped in. They were rescued, though unconscious. After being resuscitated they were imprisoned. At the trial their relatives relented, a marriage was arranged, and the Judge discharged the pair with a reprimand.

"Elephant" Potatoes.—Mr. Hugel Call, of Bolton, planted one peck of "White Elephant" potatoes, got from New York, and dug sixteen bushels nice tubers as the product this fall. Who beats that?—*St. John's News.*

The Cultivation of Beauty.

Beauty is superior fitness, as a Darwi[n] would say, and in this respect, too, t[he] pre-eminence of the ancient Greeks w[as] probably the outcome of their general p[hysi]cal and mental superiority to their fell[ow]men, though they themselves believed [in] the existence of a chemical pan-cosmet[ic]. In the trial of the arch-quack Cagliost[ro] it came out that, during the twelve ye[ars] from 1765—'77, he had realized three m[il]lion francs from the sale of his "Recipe [of] Beauty," a recipe which has been m[ore] eagerly searched for than the philosophe[r's] stone, or the secret of longevity. Andr[eas] Cisalpinus ma[de] the notable discovery th[at] an ointment of crushed locusts and mist[le]toe-juice would treble the charms of t[he] fairest woman. "What must I do to beco[me] very beautiful?" the damsel in "D[on] Quixote" asks the enchanted Moor's he[ad]. "*Que seas muy honrada*—be very continen[t]," replies the head. Paracelsus recommen[ds] meadow-dew, gathered in the morning wh[en] the May-moon is on the increase; and Mo[n]taigne inquires into the habits of the m[ost] well-favored tribes of every country, b[ut] confesses that the problem is rather [an] evasive one, the coast-dwellers of Swed[en] being as distinguished for the comeliness [as] the highlanders of Aragon, and the N[or]mandy cider-drinkers not less than [the] Tuscan wine-drinkers. His only gene[ral] rule, however, still holds good: that o[ut]door dwellers are never wholly ill-favor[ed], nor in-door workers altogether lovely; a[nd] we might say the same of alcohol-drink[ers] and total abstainers: the schnapps-w[or]shipping natives of the Tyrolese highlan[ds] make amends by their active out-door li[fe] as Lowell factory-girls by their teetotalis[m]. There is a good deal in race, thou[gh]. "*Angeli sunt; non Angli,*" Pope Steph[en] III wrote more than a thousand years a[go] to Archbishop Cuthbert, who had sent [a] batch of Anglo-Saxon neophytes, and [a] trace of the same angelic features may s[till] be recognized among the little ragamuff[ins] of many a Schleswig-Holstein coast-villag[e], where men subsist on brandy, cheese, a[nd] sour rye-bread. Their neighbors, the Po[m]eranians, are a manful if not celestial gene[r]ation, and, in spite of their dreary moorland[s], very fond of out-door sports. But farth[er] east Nature succumbs to art, and t[he] northern Russians are about as o[ut]rageously unprepossessing as indoor-l[ife] and a combination of all vices co[uld] make the image of the Creator. Extrem[es] meet, though, and their Emperor has t[he] honor of commanding twelve regiments [of] the most godlike men of the present world, the lance-cuirassiers of the body-guard, r[e]cruited in the highlands of Lesghia a[nd] Daghestan. Nearly all the natives of t[he] Caucasus have that fatal gift of beauty wh[ich] made their land the favorite hunting-grou[nd] of the harem-agents, and this gave the C[zar] a pretext for treating it as a Turkish d[e]pendency. But no social degradation co[uld] counteract the combined influence of t[he] Caucasian climate, hardy habits, temperan[ce] and frugality, for the Circassian mountai[n]eers are teetotalers by religion and vegetari[ans] by preference—figs, honey, barley-cak[es] and milk, being the staples of their di[et]. They are physically self-made men, for th[e] language proves that their ancestors w[ere] Turanians—first-cousins of the owl-fac[ed] nomads of the Mongolian steppe.—*Fr[om] "Physiognomic Curiosities," by* Dr. L. O[ts]wald, *in Popular Science Monthly for N[o]vember.*

A Pitiful Defence.

A Cairo despatch says the evidence [of] Arabi's complicity in the June massacre [is] possibly insufficient to secure convictio[n], but there is little doubt that "not prove[n]" rather than "not guilty," will be the ve[r]dict of impartial minds. The 800 documen[ts] in the correspondence between Arabi an[d] various persons, which General Wolsele[y] captured after the battle of Tel-el-Kebi[r], have reached the Foreign Office. At the pr[i]vate investigations of rebel prisoners, mo[st] of them objected to being questioned in r[e]gard to events prior to the outbreak, Arab[i] especially urging that they were covered b[y] the Khedive's general pardon. Arabi de[clares] that the June massacres were prec[ipi]tated by the presence of the British flee[t] and he was in no way responsible for them. The Alexandria bombardment, in fact, wa[s] done after a mere twenty-four hours' notice, which was entirely too short to allow th[e] people to remove their goods or carry awa[y] their infirm, invalid, aged, children, an[d] produced a feeling of uncontrollable indigna[tion] among the natives, who believed th[e] Christians were in determined league to de[s]troy the country and depopulate it of its na[tive] people. Arabi alleges that he and hi[s] officers did all in their power to keep unde[r] control this dangerous feeling, and would have succeeded in preventing the outbrea[k] if Admiral Seymour had not been in such haste. It was the common belief among hi[s] staff that the British were well informed o[f] the dangerous temper of the populace, and knew that bombardment under the circum[stances] would drive the Egyptians into frenzy. Arabi said all bloodshed wa[s] caused by a Maltese stabbing an Arab, wh[o] was denouncing Admiral Seymour's con[duct]. In contradiction of the charges of re[bellion], Arabi produced evidence that h[e] was acting in perfect fealty to the Sulta[n] and Khedive.

Wolseley and Seymour.

Wolseley is an undergrown and spare man, lantern-jawed, with short grey hair and blon[d] moustache. He wears a yellow sun helmet wound about with a handkerchief of whit[e] and violet check; his red coat is opened a[t] the chest and spotted with many stains o[f] grease, he has a variegated necktie, a woolle[n] shirt of "loud" pattern, grey checked trou[sers], yellow riding boots and spurs, a oper[a] glass with a yellow case and strap, a yello[w] revolver belt, with cartridge case, yello[w] gauntlets, a violet pocket handkerchief stuc[k] in his red coat, a gigantic pair of black spec[tacles], and in his hand he flourishes a fan t[o] keep off the flies.

Admiral Seymour is thick-set, of middl[e] height, and comfortable round body, and his appearance at once suggests to the spec[tator] a life of good living and little exercis[e] on board ship. He wears a white su[n] helmet, a blue coat, white trowsers, yello[w] laced shoes, a navy sword, a drinking flask, a dirty linen haversack, out of which pr[o]jects a piece of cheese, and carries a walking stick.

NEWS IN A NUTSHEL[L]

[ARRANGED FOR] SELECT READIN[G]

[Summ]ary of Foreign, Domestic and [General News]—Concise, Pithy, and Pointed.

DOMESTIC.

The death of Senator Schultz is rep[orted] [fro]m Winnipeg.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau will not return t[o the] [cap]ital until December.

One-dollar bills converted into fives a[re] [circulating] in Kingston.

In the new House of Commons ther[e are] [...] lawyers and 22 physicians.

The [...] examination for the Civil [Service takes] place at Halifax on Nove[mber].

Mr. J. B. Plumb, will, it is generall[y] [believ]ed, succeed Hon. Adam Hope i[n the] [Sen]ate.

A cattle dealer named John Coughli[n was] [re]cently found on the roadside near W[...] early in the morning in a dying st[ate].

The rate of postage on letters be[tween] [Ma]rriefield and Garden Island and Kin[gston] will be reduced from three cents to one.

The importer of the Japanese ware r[ecentl]y seized in Montreal has satisfied th[e De]partment of Customs that no fraud w[as intend]ed.

Sir John and Lady McDonald go t[o Lon]don, Ont., on Tuesday, to be present [at the] marriage of Miss Carling, daughter [of the] Postmaster-General.

A man giving the name of James A[...]s, has been arrested at Amherstbu[rg] representing himself to be a travellin[g cor]respondent and agent of the Chicago [...]

GENERAL.

An outbreak is expected between A[fghan]istan and the Usbeks tribes.

The Bey of Tunis is seriously ill, a[nd his] condition causes much anxiety.

King Alfonso is said to be well di[sposed] towards a liberal Spanish policy.

King Alfonso has arrived at Sar[agossa] and was received with enthusiasm.

The trial of Arabi is not expected [to take] place until after the festival of Baira[m].

The North West mine makers [have] agreed to meet the miners, and will r[aise the] scale of wages.

The Household Cavalry have arri[ved in] London on their return from Egy[pt and] were received with enthusiasm.

The preliminary elections for mem[bers of] the Prussian Diet has resulted in a[n over]whelming majority for the Progres[sists] and Secessionists.

Sultan Pasha has been appointed [...] Commander of the British Orde[r of St.] Michael and St George.

The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland h[as com]muted the death sentence of Wals[h, con]victed as accessory to the murder [of Con]stable Cavanagh, to penal servitude [...]

The British brigantine St. George[, ...] Metzendof, is stranded off Ballyann[...]land. The crew has landed. The St[...] arrived at Maypo[r]t on Sept. 29 [...] Quebec.

Admiral Seymour has been dir[ected to] send a vessel to enquire concerni[ng the] whereabouts of Prof. Palmer and hi[s party], who, it is supposed, were murdered [by] Bedouins.

London, the delegated hooted at t[he ...] Conference, says he always thought [Ameri]cans subscribed to assist the victim[s of the] tyranny of the landlords, not to give [...] salaries to Irish members of Parlia[ment].

UNITED STATES.

President Arthur has arrived at W[ashing]ton.

Postmaster-General Howe denies [that he] intends to resign from the Cabinet.

There were 53 new cases of yell[ow fever] in Pensacola, recently, and nine dea[ths].

The chances are that the Democ[rats will] capture the Governorship and Lie[utenant] Governorship of New York.

On Thursday evening Julia Wi[...] Rosa Boylass of New Orleans foug[ht] a man with knives and Julia was ki[lled].

Dr. Hamilton, of New York, ha[s put in] a claim for twenty-five thousand do[llars for] professional attendance on Presid[ent Gar]field.

Specials from Louisiana, Mississ[ippi and] Texas report heavy rains for th[e past ...] hours, doing much damage to t[he ...] crop.

A Pitiable Heir to Greatn[ess]

There is a little child in Engla[nd whom] nature has treated with exceptiona[l ...]. It is a boy who can neither see, t[alk] or walk. There is scarcely hope, if [he] grow to manhood, that it will be [...] than an animated clod, with so[me intelli]gence perhaps, but unable to tak[e part] in any of the activities of life. [This] afflicted child is the heir to th[e ...] dukedom of England, and when it [...] the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk [...] he will become possessed of immen[se ...]. By the time he is of age, a large [part of] the city of Sheffield will be his, as [...] given long ago will then expire. [...] if divided, would enrich ten [...] families. But what a strange fre[ak of for]tune that this unhappy child, wi[th no] means of communicating with [those] around him, should be in possessi[on of pro]perty and a title which, if he [...] them, would make him one of the [most pow]erful nobles of this century.

A Fable.

One day an old Turkey took [a walk] through the meadow to see how [things] were getting along. Seeing a Ho[...] by a Stone Wall, she Fondly Ima[gined she] could Hatch out the Contents. [She sat] down up on It, and did Hatch ou[t ...] in about two Seconds. Fi[ve ...] later she stood filled with Humilia[tion, ...]ing her Bill through her Feather[s, at]tempting to Count the number [of perfora]tions in her Breast, which looked [...] like a Nutmeg-Grater. The Mo[ral of this] Fable teaches us that Squatting [on other] People's Property is a Perilous [...] and that there are some Humble [...] which cannot be Sat Upon.

The Cultivation of Beauty.

Beauty is superior fitness, as a Darwi would say, and in this respect, too, t pre-eminence of the ancient Greeks w probably the outcome of their general p'y cal and mental superiority to their fello men, though they themselves believed i the existence of a chemical pan-cosmeti In the trial of the arch-quack Cagliostr it came out that, during the twelve yea from 1765—'77, he had realized three mi lion francs from the sale of his "Recipe f Beauty," a recipe which has been m eagerly searched for than the philosophe stone, or the secret of longevity. Andre Cisalpinus made the notable discovery th an ointment of crushed locusts and misti toe-juice would treble the charms of th fairest woman. "What must I do to becom very beautiful? the damsel in "Do Quixote" asks the enchanted Moor's hea "*Que seas muy honrada*—be very continent replies the head. Paracelsus recommend meadow-dew, gathered in the morning whi the May-moon is on the increase; and Mo taigne inquires into the habits of the mo well-favored tribes of every country, b confesses that the problem is rather evasive one, the coast-dwellers of Swede being as distinguished for the comeliness the highlanders of Aragon, and the No mandy cider-drinkers not less than th Tuscan wine-drinkers. His only gener rule, however, still holds good: that ou door dwellers are never wholly ill-favore nor in-door workers altogether lovely; an we might say the same of alcohol-drinke and total abstainers: the schnapps-wo shipping natives of the Tyrolese highlan make amends by their active out-door lif as Lowell factory-girls by their teetotalis There is a good deal in race, thoug "*Angeli sunt: non Angli,*" Pope Steph III wrote more than a thousand years ag to Archbishop Cuthbert, who had sent batch of Angle-Saxon neophytes, and tra e of the same angelic features may sti be recognized among the little ragamuffin of many a Schleswig-Holstein coast-villag where men subsist on brandy, cheese, an sour rye-bread. Their neighbors, the Pom eranians, are a manful if not celestial gene ation, and in spite of their dreary moorland very fond of out-door sports. But farth east Nature succumbs to art, and th northern Russians are about as ou rageously unprepossessing as indoor-li and a combination of all vices cou make the image of the Creator. Extrem ince, though, and their Emperor has th honor of commanding twelve regiments the most godlike men of the present world- the lance-cuirassiers of the body-guard, r cruited in the highlands of Lesghia an Daghestan. Nearly all the natives of th Caucasus have that fatal gift of beauty whic made their land the favorite hunting-groun of the harem-agents, and this gave the Cza a pretext for treating it as a Turkish de pendency. But no social degradation coul counteract the combined influence of th Caucasian climate, hardy habits, temperance and frugality, for the Circassian mountai eers are teetotalers by religion and vegetarian by preference—figs, honey, barley-cake and milk, being the staples of their die They are physically self-made men, for thei language proves that their ancestors wer Turanians—first-cousins of the owl-face nomads of the Mongolian steppe.—*From "Physiognomic Curiosities," by* DR. L. O WALD, *in Popular Science Monthly for No vember.*

A Pitiful Defence.

A Cairo despatch says the evidence o Arabi's complicity in the June massacre i possibly insufficient to secure conviction but there is little doubt that "not proven rather than "not guilty," will be the ver dict of impartial minds. The 800 document in the correspondence between Arabi an various persons, which General Wolseley captured after the battle of Tel-el-Kebir have reached the Foreign Office. At the pri vate investigations of rebel prisoners, mos of them objected to being questioned in re gard to events prior to the outbreak, Arab especially urging that they were covered by the Khedive's general pardon. Arabi de clares that the June massacres were preci pitated by the presence of the British fleet, and he was in no way responsible for them. The Alexandria bombardment, in fact, was done after a mere twenty-four hours' notice, which was entirely too short to allow the people to remove their goods or carry away their infirm, invalid, aged, children, and produced a feeling of uncontrollable indigna tion among the natives, who believed the Christians were in determined league to de stroy the country and depopulate it of its na tive people. Arabi alleges that he and his officers did all in their power to keep under control this dangerous feeling, and would have succeeded in preventing the outbreak if Admiral Seymour had not been in such haste. It was the common belief among his staff that the British were well informed of the dangerous temper of the populace, and knew that bombardment under the circum stances would drive the Egyptians into frenzy. Arabi said all bloodshed was caused by a Maltese stabbing an Arab, who was denouncing Admiral Seymour's con duct. In contradiction of the charges of re bellion, Arabi produced evidence that he was acting in perfect fealty to the Sultan and Khedive.

Wolseley and Seymour.

Wolseley is an undergrown and spare man, lantern-jawed, with short grey hair and blond moustache. He wears a yellow sun helmet, wound about with a handkerchief of white and violet check; his red coat is opened at the chest and spotted with many stains of grease, he has a variegated necktie, a woollen shirt of "loud" pattern, grey checked trou sers, yellow riding boots and spurs, a opera glass with a yellow case and strap, a yellow revolver belt, with cartridge case, yellow gauntlets, a violet pocket handkerchief stuck in his red coat, a gigantic pair of black spec tacles, and in his hand he flourishes a fan to keep off the flies.

Admiral Seymour is thick-set, of middle height, and comfortable round body, and his appearance at once suggests to the spec tator a life of good living and little exercise on board ship. He wears a white sun helmet, a blue coat, white trowsers, yellow laced shoes, a navy sword, a drinking flask, a dirty linen haversack, out of which pro jects a piece of cheese, and carries a walking stick.

NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

FIVE MINUTES' SELECT READING.

Summary of Foreign, Domestic and War News—Concise, Pithy, and Pointed.

DOMESTIC.

The death of Senator Schultz is reported from Winnipeg.

Hon. Mr. Chapleau will not return to the capital until December.

One-dollar bills converted into fives are in circulation at Kingston.

In the new House of Commons there are 55 lawyers and 22 physicians.

The first examination for the Civil Service takes place at Halifax on November 7th.

Mr. J. B. Plumb, will, it is generally believed, succeed Hon. Adam Hope in the Senate.

A cattle dealer named John Coughlin, was recently found on the roadside near Walkerton early in the morning in a dying state.

The rate of postage on letters between Barriefield and Garden Island and Kingston will be reduced from three cents to one cent.

The importer of the Japanese ware recently seized in Montreal has satisfied the Department of Customs that no fraud was intended.

Sir John and Lady McDonald go to London, Ont., on Tuesday, to be present at the marriage of Miss Carling, daughter of the Postmaster-General.

A man giving the name of James Anderson, has been arrested at Amherstburg for representing himself to be a travelling correspondent and agent of the Chicago *Times*.

GENERAL.

An outbreak is expected between Afghanistan and the Usbeks tribes.

The Bey of Tunis is seriously ill, and his condition causes much anxiety.

King Alfonso is said to be well disposed towards a liberal Spanish policy.

King Alfonso has arrived at Saragossa, and was received with enthusiasm.

The trial of Arabi is not expected to take place until after the festival of Bairam.

The North West mine makers have agreed to meet the miners, and will raise the scale of wages.

The Household Cavalry have arrived in London on their return from Egypt, and were received with enthusiasm.

The preliminary elections for members of the Prussian Diet has resulted in an overwhelming majority for the Progressionists and Secessionists.

Sultan Pasha has been appointed Knight Commander of the British Order of St. Michael and St George.

The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland has commuted the death sentence of Walsh, convicted as accessory to the murder of Constable Cavanagh, to penal servitude for life.

The British brigantine St. George, Capt. Metzendof, is stranded off Ballyannta, Ireland. The crew has landed. The St. George arrived at Mayport on Sept. 29th from Quebec.

Admiral Seymour has been directed to send a vessel to enquire concerning the whereabouts of Prof. Palmer and his party, who, it is supposed, were murdered by the Bedouins.

London, the delegated hooted at the Irish Conference, says he always thought Americans subscribed to assist the victims of the tyranny of the landlords, not to give bloated salaries to Irish members of Parliament.

UNITED STATES.

President Arthur has arrived at Washington.

Postmaster-General Howe denies that he intends to resign from the Cabinet.

There were 53 new cases of yellow fever in Pensacolo, recently, and nine deaths.

The chances are that the Democrats will capture the Governorship and Lieutenant-Governorship of New York.

On Thursday evening Julia Wilson and Rosa Boylass of New Orleans fought about a man with knives and Julia was killed.

Dr. Hamilton, of New York, has sent in a claim for twenty-five thousand dollars for professional attendance on President Garfield.

Specials from Louisiana, Mississippi and Texas report heavy rains for the past 24 hours, doing much damage to the cotton crop.

A Pitiable Heir to Greatness.

There is a little child in England whom nature has treated with exceptional cruelty. It is a boy who can neither see, talk, hear, or walk. There is scarcely hope, if it should grow to manhood, that it will be little more than an animated clod, with some intelligence perhaps, but unable to take its part in any of the activities of life. Yet this afflicted child is the heir to the premier dukedom of England, and when its parents, the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk are dead, he will become possessed of immense estates. By the time he is of age, a large portion of the city of Sheffield will be his, as the leases given long ago will then expire. His wealth, if divided, would enrich ten thousand families. But what a strange freak of fortune that this unhappy child, without any means of communicating with the world around him, should be in possession of property and a title which, if he could use them, would make him one of the most powerful nobles of this century.

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The Cost of the War in Egypt.

Next to the natural character of the settlement which is to be carried out in Egypt, the cost of the war is the question in which the country is most interested. A good deal of exaggeration is prevalent on this point, and sums ranging from ten to twenty millions have been mentioned as likely to be the cost of the campaign. It is hardly necessary to say that this short war is not likely to entail so large a burden on the country.

When the vote of credit for $2,300,000 was taken, the Government based their circulation of the belief that the war would be over by the 15th of September. This expectation was fulfilled almost to the day; but as usual, the original estimate has turned out to be entirely inadequate. I believe that the expenditure connected with the war will be between four and five millions, and if it should not exceed the higher figure the country will not have much cause to complain. This is, of course, exclusive of the cost of the Indian Contingent, which will be over two millions, and part of which will almost certainly have to be borne by this country. —*London World.*

Who Should Suffer.

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A Question for a Young Men's Debating Society?—When a man's feelings are so great that he cannot express them, has he better send them by freight?

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Classical Instructor in Latin.—"Miss B., of what was Ceres the goddess?" "Miss B.: she was the goddess of marriage." Instructor: "Oh, no; of agriculture." Miss B, (looking perplexed): "Why; I'm sure my book says she was the goddess of husbandry."

Mrs. Wm Allan, of Acton, says she has never been without a bottle of Hagyard's Yellow Oil in the house for the last twenty years, and would not be for ten times the cost; adding that she has never known it to fail for Colds and Croup, Sore Throat, Stiff Neck, Burns, Scalds, etc. She concludes by saying, "if any one doubts its efficacy, refer them to me." 10.

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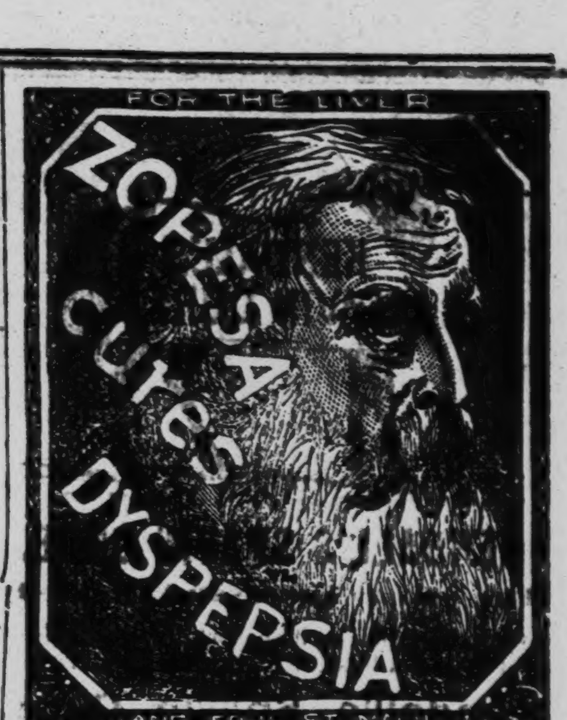

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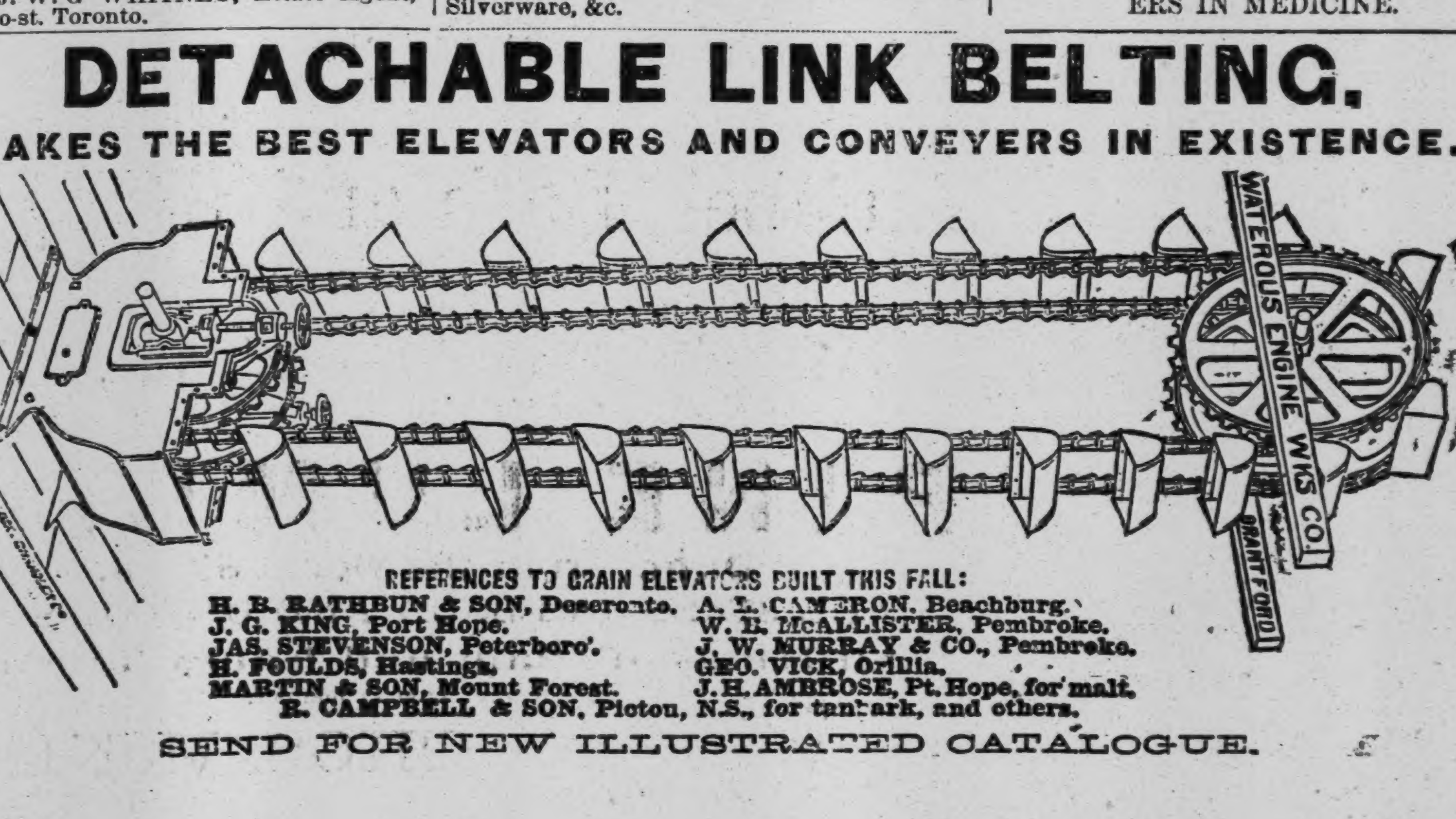

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B. J. KENDALL & Co.,—Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, and have found it to be all that it is recommended to be and in fact more too; I have removed by using the above: Callous Bone Spavins, Ring-bone, Splints, and can cheerfully testify and recommend it to be the best thing for any bony substance I have ever used, and have tried many as I have made that my study for years.

Respectfully yours,
P. V. CRIST.

FROM

Col. T. L. Foster.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 10, 1880.

DR B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I had a very valuable Hambletonian colt that I prized very highly, he had a large bone spavin on one joint and a small one on the other which made him very lame; I had him under the charge of two veterinary surgeons which failed to cure him. I was one day reading the advertisement of Kendall's Spavin Cure in the Chicago *Express.* I determined at once to try it, and got our druggist here to send for it, they ordered three bottles; I took them all and thought I would give it a thorough trial, I used it according to directions and the fourth day the colt ceased to be lame and the lumps have disappeared. I used but one bottle and the colt's limbs are as free from lumps and as smooth as any horse in the state. He is entirely cured. The cure was so remarkable that I let two of my neighbors have the remaining two bottles who are now using it.

Very respectfully,
L. T. FOSTER.

Kendall's Spavin Cure.

WINGHAM, Ont., Jan. 17, 1882.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—This is to certify that I have used Kendall's Spavin Cure, bought from C. E. Williams, druggist, Wingham, Ont., and do without hesitation pronounce it to be an invaluable remedy for the cure of Spavins, Ringbones, or Curbs. I used it on a bone spavin of several years growth which it completely removed, and I can safely say it will remove any Spavin, Curb or Ringbone it properly used. I have also recommended friends to use it, who have done so with perfect success. I gladly make this public, and will answer any questions or letters sent me.

Yours &c.
GEORGE BRYCE.

Kendall's Spavin Cure
ON HUMAN FLESH.

WEST ENOSBURGH, Vt., Feb. 15, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—Several months ago I injured my knee joint which caused an enlargement to grow the size of a walnut and caused me very severe pain all the time for four or five weeks, when I began to use Kendall's Spavin Cure with the most satisfactory results. It has entirely removed the enlargement and stopped the lameness and pain. I have long known it to be excellent for horses but now I know it to be the best liniment for human flesh that I am acquainted with.

Yours truly,
T. P. LAWRENCE.

ST. JOHN, P Q Oct. 27, 1881.

DR. B. J. KENDALL & Co., Gents:—I have used your Spavin Cure with great success on spavins, curbs and splints. I know it to be a good remedy for ringbones, bone spavins' cuts, galls and all kinds of lameness and other difficulties about the horse. One of my men sprained his ankle very badly. I applied Kendall's Spavin Cure and I never saw anything work like it, he was well in a few days. I know it to be good for man as well as beast. I procured one of your Treatise on the Horse, by mail for 25cts, and I think it was the means of saving me $100 on one horse that I treated according to the directions given in your book for displaced stifle.

Yours truly,
WM. J. PEARSON.

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Has been exceedingly brisk this season, on account of which I have laid in the largest and best stock of Tweeds, Coatings, Trowserings, and Overcoatings in this section of country. As I have always led the trade in this department buyers will find it to their advantage to call before purchasing elsewhere.

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R. J. SPROULE.

Flesherton, Oct. 3rd, 1882.

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Flesherton, March 10, 1881. 26

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